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THERE'S A NIGGER IN THE MOON.

Arr. by EMIL BIERMANN.

Words and Music by J.W. DICK.

Moderato.

First system of piano introduction. Treble clef, bass clef, common time. Starts with a forte (f) dynamic. The right hand plays a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

Second system of piano introduction. Continues the melodic and harmonic development from the first system.

Vocal entry and piano accompaniment. The vocal line begins with the lyrics: "O ba - bies gath - er 'round old Un - cle Now ev - 'ry warm coon they has a". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and a steady bass line.

Second system of vocal entry and piano accompaniment. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "Ras - tus I wants to tell you something ve - ry strange The Ve - nus Whether on this earth or in the sky a - - bove And be -". The piano accompaniment provides harmonic support.

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col - or of the moon am gwine to change And a coon is to
hind the moon I know there is a la - dy Warmest ba - by when night's

blame The white trash will fool all those wots ea - sy They
sha - dy This coon he loves his Ve - nus so mad - ly Seems he'd

think we are ig - no - rant I pre - sume The e - clipse to - mor - row night will
hang behind the moon till break of doom But when he comes round our way just re -

prove that I is right There's a nig - ger in the moon
- mem - ber what I say There's a nig - ger in the moon

Chorus.

No white trash can fool me, fool me, fool me there's a nigger in the moon

Ras-tus knows e - clipse eclipse eclipse is caused by a coon

Some day just wander wander wander way up in a bal - - loon And

then you'll know what I know There's a nig - ger in the moon .

Chorus. (Rag time.)

f

No white trash can fool me, fool me, fool me, there's a nig ger in the moon

Ras-tus knows e - clipse, eclipse, e - clipse is caused by a coon

Some day just wander, wander, wander way up in a bal - loon And

then you'll know what I know there's a nig - ger in the moon