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# WHEN THE PIGS BEGIN TO FLY!

NEW TIP-TOPICAL SONG



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*Allegro Moderato.*

VOICE.

PIANO.

The first system of music consists of three staves. The top staff is for the voice, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 6/8 time signature. It contains a few notes and rests. The middle and bottom staves are for the piano, with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The piano part features a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and moving lines in both hands.

The second system continues the piano accompaniment from the first system. It consists of three staves (treble, bass, and grand staff) with various chords and melodic fragments.

The third system includes the first line of lyrics: "1. I've got the gift of pro- phecy, as I will quickly show,..... The". The music is arranged in three staves (treble, bass, and grand staff). A piano dynamic marking (*p*) is present in the piano part.

se - crets of the fu - ture most in - fal - li - bly I know;..... I'll

give you all a few straight tips, and I will pro - phe - cy,..... Of

some strange things to hap - pen, when the pigs be - gin to fly.

Chorus.

When the pigs begin to fly, O..... won't the pork be high, Though they

are the most un - like - ly birds That ev - er flew in the sky, I.....

see no rea - son why They nev - er should have a try..... Much

queer - er things will come to pass When the pigs begin to fly.....

*f*

2. Some folks they want cre - ma - tion, and are ve - ry much per - plexed..... Be -  
 3. We hear a lot of women's wrongs and al - so wo - men's rights,..... They

cause they say they'd ra - ther burn in this world than the next..... They're  
 want to wear the breech - es, do the old and ug - ly frights,..... The

bound to make a 'ash of it, if they cre - ma - tion try..... They'll  
 rights they need are mar - riage rites, for Home - Rule they should try..... Well

set - tle this burn - ing ques - tion when the pigs be - gin to fly.  
 send old maids to Parliament when the pigs be - gin to fly.

Chorus.

When the pigs begin to fly O..... won't the pork be high;.. Though they  
 When the pigs begin to fly O..... won't the pork be high;.. Though they

are the most un-like-ly birds that ever flew in the sky, I..... see no rea-son  
 are the most un-like-ly birds that ever flew in the sky, I..... see no rea-son

why they never should have a try..... We'll all a-do-pt cre-ma-tion when the  
 why they never should have a try..... Old spinsters will be ministers when the

pigs begin to fly.....  
 pigs begin to fly.....

4. The force of fol - ly and of fa - shion could no fur - ther go..... You  
 5. A day will come when ev' - ry belle will dress with sim - ple taste;..... She

must con - fess that la - dies' dress at pre - sent is a show..... With  
 won't puff out her fi - gure and screw in her dain - ty waist..... High

ruffs, puffs, cuffs, and muffs, and stuffs dame Na - ture they de - fy,..... I  
 heels, low bo - dies, dress - im - prov - ers, chig - nons shell de - cry,..... Drop

do be - lieve they'll dress like Eve when the pigs be - gin to fly.  
 pow - der, puff, and all such stuff when the pigs be - gin to fly.

Chorus.

When the pigs begin to fly O..... won't the pork be high; Though they  
 When the pigs begin to fly O..... won't the pork be high; Though they

are the most un-like-ly birds that ever flew in the sky, I..... see no rea-son  
 are the most un-like-ly birds that ever flew in the sky, I..... see no rea-son

why they never should have a try.... They'll on-ly wear their natural hair when the  
 why they never should have a try.... Each fe-male saint will nev-er paint when the

pigs begin to fly.....  
 pigs begin to fly.....