

# Some Folks

Stephen C. Foster  
arr: Gwyn Arch

**Piano** *Sadly / Betrübt*  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 92$

*mp legato*

**S** *mp ad lib.*

1. Some folks like to sigh,  
Some folks do, some folks long to

**A/(S2)**

**opt. T/(A2)**

**opt. B**

**Pno.** *colla voce*

**f lively / Lebhaft**  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 88$

not me or you!

die, but not me or you!

that's not me or you!

but that's not me or you!

**f lively / Lebhaft**  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 88$

*mp legg.*

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*mf*

2. Some folks fret and scold,  
4. Some folks toil and save,  
some folks do  
folks do. They'll

*mf*

2. Some folks fret and scold,  
4. Some folks toil and save,  
some folks  
Some folks

*mf*

2. Some folks scold!  
4. Some folks save,  
Some  
save  
soon  
buy  
be  
them -

*mf*

2. Some folks scold!  
4. Some folks save,  
folks  
to  
buy  
be  
them -

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soon be dead and grave,  
buy them - selves  
but that's not me nor you.

soon be and scold,  
buy them -  
but that's not me nor you.

dead and scold,  
selves grave,  
but that's not me nor you.

and a cold,  
es a love,  
but not me nor you.

22 *f*

Long live the mer - ry, mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

Long live the mer - ry, mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

Long live the the heart that la - day,

Long live the mer - ry heart laugh night and day, like the

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queen of no mat-ter what some folks say.

queen no mat-ter what some folks say.

lil - um, no mat-ter what some folks say.

green of smirth, no mat-ter what some folks say.

*mp*

31 *mp*

3. Some folks get grey hairs,  
5. Some folks shout and swear,  
some folks,  
some folks.

*f*

3. Some folks get grey hairs,  
5. Some folks shout and swear,  
some folks,  
some folks.

*mf*

3. Some get grey hairs  
5. Some shout and swear,  
brood but we

*mf*

3. Some get grey hairs  
5. Some shout and brood but - ing we

35 *cresc.*

Brood - ing, don't care. not for me nor you.  
We don't care. not like me or you.

brood - ing but we care. They're not like me nor or you.  
but we care. They're not like me or you.

*mf*

o'er just their care. That's They're not you.  
just their care. That's They're not you.

the don't cares. That's They're not me nor you.  
the don't cares. That's They're not me nor or you.

*f*

Long live the mer - ry, mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

*f*

Long live the mer - ry, mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

*f*

8 Long live the heart that laughs by night and day,

*f*

Long live the mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the



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queen of no mat-ter what some folks say.

queen no mat-ter what some folks say.

8 lili - no mat-ter what some folks say.

queen of mirth, no mat-ter what some folks say.

1.

*mp*



**poco rit.**

48 2. **Espressivo**  
*mf*

say. 6. Some folks like to sing.  
say. 6. Some folks like to sing,  
say. 6. Some folks like to sing,  
say. 6. Some

**mp**

yes they do,  
yes they do,  
yes they do,  
yes they do,

**poco rit.**

2. **Espressivo**

*mp*

legato  
con.

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**Tempo Primo**

La la la la la la la We think it's just the thing! And so we hope do you.

some folks do. think it's just the thing! And so we hope do you.

some folks do. think it's just the thing! And so we hope do you.

some folks do. We think it's just the thing! And so we hope do you.

**mf**

**Tempo Primo**

*f*

**Tempo primo**

58 *f*

Long live the mer - ry, mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

Long live the mer - ry, mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

Long live the heart that laughs by night and day,

Long live the mer - ry heart that laughs by night and day, like the

**Tempo primo**

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queen of earth, no matter what some folks say.

queen no matter what some folks say.

of earth, no matter what some folks say.

queen no matter what some folks say.

# Camptown Races

Stephen C. Foster  
arr: Gwyn Arch

**Maestoso** ♩ = c. 96

S: Gon - na run all night!  
A/(S2): Gon - na run all night!  
opt. T/(A2):  
opt. B: Gon - na run! Gon - na run all day!

Gon - na run all night!  
Gon - na run all day!

**Maestoso** ♩ = c. 96

Piano: f, mp

5 Jolly / Vergnügt

mf

1. Camp - town lad - ies sing this song,  
3. See them fly- in' a ten-mile heat,

mf

1. Camp - town lad - ies sing this song,  
3. See them fly- in' a ten-mile heat,

mf

1. Lad - ies sing this song,  
3. Here's an - oth - er heat,

mf

1. Lad - ies sing this song,  
3. Here's an - oth - er heat,

Jolly / Vergnügt

mf

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doo - dah, doo - dah. Camp-town race track five miles long,  
Round the race track, then - eat, old - doo - dah

doo - dah, doo - dah. Camp-town race track five miles long,  
Round the race track, then - eat, oh doo - dah

Race track five miles long,  
Ten - then - eat, doo - dah

Race track five miles long,  
Ten - then - eat, oh doo - dah

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day. I down here my hat caved in, doo - dah, doo - dah. I'll I

day. I down here with my hat caved in, doo - dah, doo - dah. I'll I

day. Came with my hat caved in, doo - dah, doo - dah. —

day. Came with my hat caved in, doo - dah, — doo - dah. —

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go back home with a pock-et full of tin,  
keep my mon-ey in a ver - y old bag, oh —— doo - dah day.

go back home with a pock-et full of tin,  
keep my mon-ey in a ver - y old bag, oh —— doo - dah day.

Go home full of gin, oh doo - dah day.

Go home full of gin, oh day.

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night, go all I'll bet my mon-ey on the bob - tail nag.

night, day. I'll bet my mon-ey on the bob - tail nag.

night all I'll bet on the bob - tail nag,

night, all day. I'll bet on the bob - tail nag,

31

Some-bod-y bet on the bay.

Some-bod-y bet on the bay.

or per -haps the bay!

or per -haps the bay!

2. The

2. The

37

long-tail fil-ly and the bi - black hoss, doo - dah, doo - dah, they fly the track and they cut a - cross,

long-tail fil-ly and the bi - black hoss, doo - dah, doo - dah, they fly the track and they cut a - cross,

2. The big black hoss, doo - dah, doo - dah, cuts a - cross,

2. The big black hoss, doo - dah, doo - dah, flies the track and cuts a - cross,

\* ) = horse

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Slower

*p*

oh doo-dah day!

*f*

oh doo-dah day! The blind hoss sticks in a mud - dy hole, doo - dah, doo - dah.

oh doo-dah day!

*mp*

Slower

49 *rall.* *f*

*tempo*  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 96$

Can't touch the bot-tom with a ten foot pole, oh doo-dah day! Gon - na run all

Can't touch the bot-tom with a ten foot pole, oh doo-dah day! Gon - na run all

Can't touch the bot-tom with a ten foot pole, oh doo-dah day! Gon - na run all

Can't touch the bot-tom with a ten foot pole, oh doo-dah day! Gon - na run all

*f*

*a tempo*  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 96$

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night, gon - na run all day. I'll bet my mon - ey on the bob - tail nag.

night, gon - na run all day. I'll bet my mon - ey on the bob - tail nag.

night, run all day. on the bob - tail nag,

night, run all day. I'll on the bob - tail nag,

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Dal ♫ al Coda ♪

Some-bod-y bet on the bay.

Some-bod-y bet on the bay.

or per - haps the bay,

or per - haps the bay!

Dal ♫ al Coda ♪

*mf*

**CODA**

65 *f*

Gon - na run all night, gon - na run all day.

Gon - na run all night, gon - na run all day. All my money on the

Gon - na run all night, run all I'll be on the

Gon - na run all night, run all I'll bet on the

*f*

70

bob - tail nag. bod-y on the bay at the Camp-town Rac-es.

bob - tail nag. bet on the bay at the Camp-town Rac-es.

bob Some - bod-y bet on the bay at the Camp-town Rac-es.

bob - tail nag. Some - bod-y bet on the bay at the Camp-town Rac-es.

*sfp*

# Dixie

Daniel D. Emmett  
arr: Gwyn Arch

Nostalgic / Nostalgisch  $\text{♩} = \text{c. 76}$

**S** Way down up-on the Swan-nee riv-er, way down in Dix-ie.

**A/(S2)** Way down, way down, way down in Dix-ie. Oh I

**opt. T/(A2)** Way down,

**opt. B** Way down, way down, way down in Dix-ie.

Nostalgic / Nostalgisch  $\text{♩} = \text{c. 76}$

**Piano**  $p$

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1. wish I was in the cot-ton, and times there are not for-got-ten. Look a-  
2. here's a health-ier dear mis-sus and the men who want to kiss us.

1. wish I in the old cot-ton old times are not for-got-ten. Look a-  
2. here's a mis-sus and men who want to kiss us.

1. Old times are not for - got - ten. Look a-  
2. health are to those that kiss us!

Old times are not for - got - ten. Look a-  
A health are to those that kiss us!

**mf**

9

way! Look a-way! Look a-way Dix-ie land.  
But... land where wan-naive a-  
way, a-way! Look a-way Dix-ie land. In... ie land where  
But... you wan-na drive a-  
way! Look a-way Dix-ie land.

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I was born in your country one frosty mornin'. Look a-way! Look a-way!  
I was born in your country one frosty mornin'. Look a-way, a-  
I Come and bear one frosty mornin'. Look a-way!  
I Come and bear one frosty mornin'. Look a-way, a-  
I was born in your country one frosty mornin'. Look a-way, a-  
this song!

18

cresc.

cresc.

I wish I

cresc.

wish I was in

ray! Hoo - way! In Dix - ie land I'll take my stand to

*mp*

ray! ray! Way down up - on the Swan - nee riv - er,

*mp*

was Dix - Way down up - on the Swan - nee riv - er,

*mp*

Dixie. Hoo ray! Way down up - on the Swan - nee riv - er,

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live and die in Dixie. A - way, a - A -  
far, far a - way. That's where my heart is turn - ing ev - er,  
far, far a - way. That's where my heart is turn - ing ev - er,  
far, far a - way. That's where my heart is turn - ing ev - er,

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way down South in Dixie. A - way, a - way down South in  
way down South in Dixie. A - way, a - way, a - way down South in  
way down South in Dixie. A - way, a - way, a - way down in  
way down Dixie. A - way, a - way, a - way down in

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1.

Dix - ie.

*mf*

Dix - ie. The sun shines bright on my old Ken-tuck-y home. Now

*p*

Dix - ie. The sun shines bright on my old Ken-tuck-y h

*mf*

Dix - ie. The sun shines bright on my old Ken-t

*mp*

Now\_\_ Dix Way down up-on the

Dix - ie. Way down up-on the

Dix - ie. Way down up-on the

Dix - ie. Way down up-on the

1.

*mf*

2.

*mp*

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*poco rit.*

Swan-nee riv - er,

*f*

way down South in Dix - ie!

Swan-nee riv - er sun shines bright on my old Ken-tuck-y home a - way down South in Dix - ie!

*f*

8 Swan-nee

way, South in Dix - ie!

*f*

Swan-nee,

way, South in Dix - ie!

*poco rit.*

*mp*

*f*

# Oh! Susanna

Stephen C. Foster  
arr: Gwyn Arch

Happy / Glücklich  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 144$

The musical score consists of five staves. The top four staves represent the vocal parts: Soprano (S), Alto (A/S2), Tenor (opt. T/A2), and Bass (opt. B). The fifth staff represents the piano and basso continuo. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is common time (4/4). The piano part includes dynamic markings like *mf*. The vocal parts enter sequentially, starting with Soprano, followed by Alto, Tenor, and Bass. The piano part provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords.

Happy / Glücklich  $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 144$

The lyrics for the first verse are:

came from Al - ma - na with a ban - jo on my knee, and I'm  
 came from Al - ma - na with a ban - jo on my knee, and I'm  
 1. Can - ba - ma, ban - jo on my knee,  
 came from a - ba - ma, ban - jo on my knee,

The musical score continues with the vocal parts entering sequentially. The piano part provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords. The vocal parts sing the first line, then the piano plays a short phrase, and then the vocal parts sing the second line. This pattern repeats for the third and fourth lines, with the piano providing harmonic support throughout.

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goin' to Lou - si - an - a, my true\_ love for to see.

goin' to Lou - si - an - a, there my true\_ love is to see..

goin' to Lou - si - an - a, my true\_ love for to see.

goin' to Lou - si - an - a, my true\_ love for to see..

13

*f*

Oh Sus - anna, don't you cry for me. I've come from Al - a -

Oh don't you cry for me. I've come from

Oh an- na, don't cry for me. I've come

Sus - anna, don't you cry for me. I've come from

18

ba-ma with a ban - jo on my knee...

Al - a - ba - ma with a ban - jo on my knee...

with a ban - jo right here on my knee...

Al - a - ba - ma with a ban - jo on my knee...

23 (opt. Solo)

twang ting-a tang.

twang ting-a tang. 2. It

twang ting-a tang.

twang ting-a tang.

The weath-er it was DRY!

Oh my!

twang ting-a tang.

twang ting-a tang.

\*) The intention here is to imitate the metallic “twang” of a (badly played?) banjo. Experiment with the sounds if necessary!  
Beabsichtigt ist hier das Imitieren des metallisch-scharfen Kllangs eines (schlecht gespielten?) Banjos. Bei Bedarf mit den Klängen experimentieren.

28      **poco rit.**

SUN so hot I FROZE to death!  
Sus - an - na don't you  
WHAT? Sus - an - na don't you cry...  
WHAT? ...cry.

**poco rit.**

mf

mp

mf

33      **f**

Oh Sus - an - na don't you cry for me. I've come from Al - a -

Oh don't you cry for me. I've come from

Oh - an - na, don't cry for me. I've come

Sus - an - na, don't you cry for me. I've come from

**f**

38

ba-ma with a ban - jo on my knee.  
Al - a - ba - ma with a ban - jo on my knee.  
with a ban - jo right here on my  
Al - a - ba - ma with a ban - jo on my

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SOLO (any voice) *mf*

3. I

Twang -a tang twang -a tang! Twang -a twang -a twang -a tang tang, tang!  
Twang -a tang -a tang! Twang -a twang -a twang -a tang tang, tang!  
Twang -a tang -a tang! Twang -a tang -a tang!  
Twang -a tang -a tang! Twang -a tang -a tang!



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1.

com-in' down the hill.  
an-na, don't you cry.

4. The

twang - a twang-a twang - a twang-a twang-a twang  
twang - a twang-a twang-a twang - a twang-a twang-a twang  
twang - a twang-a twang-a twang - a twang-a twang-a twang  
twang - a twang-a twang-a twang - a twang-a twang-a twang

8

twang - a twang-a twang-a twang - a twang-a twang-a twang  
twang - a twang-a twang-a twang - a twang-a twang-a twang



55

f

Oh Susanna, don't you cry for me. I've come from Al - a -

f

Oh don't you cry for me. I've come from

f

8 Oh sus - an-na, don't cry for me. I've come

f

Oh Sus - an-na, don't you cry for me. I've come from

f

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1. 2.

Al - a - ba - ma with a ban - jo on my knee..

with a ban - jo right here on my knee

Al - a - ba - ma with a ban - jo on my knee..

1. 2.

64

on my

Twang-a twang-a tang tang tang!

ff

on m

Twang-a twang-a tang tang tang!

ff

on my knee.

Twang-a twang-a tang tang tang!

ff

my knee

Twang-a twang-a tang tang tang!

ff

my knee

Twang-a twang-a tang tang tang!

ff

# Polly Wolly Doodle

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## American Folksong arr: Gwyn Arch

## Rhythmic ♩ = c. 144

8

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

Oh my gal she is a spunk-y gal, sing  
When I thought I heard a sneeze, sing  
That he sneezed his head and tail right off, sing

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

Oh my gal she is a spunk-y gal, sing  
When I thought I heard a sneeze, sing  
That he sneezed his head and tail right off, sing

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

My gal she is a spunk-y gal,  
I heard a chick-en sneeze,  
He sneezed his tail right off,

doo-dle all day. I He sneezed his tail right off,

I He sneezed his tail right off,

12

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

Fare thee well.

Pol - ly wol-ly

Fare-well..

Pol - ly

Fare-well..

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

Fare-well..

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

Fare-well..

16

well. Fare thee well my fair-ry fay, for I'm off to Louis-i-an-a to

Fare-well... Fare theewell my fair- ry fay,— for I m off louis-i-an-a to

Fare-well... Fare-well. I'm

Fare-well... Fare-well my fair fay. I'm off to

20

see my Su-sy-an-na, sing my wol-ly doo-dle all the day.

see my Su-sy-an-na, sing my wol-ly doo-dle all the day. Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle,

off. Pol-ly doo-dle all the day. Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle,

Su-sy-an-na. Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle all day..

1.2.

2. Just be -  
3. He —

Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle,

1.2.

25 [3.]

*mf*

4. So I went to the barn and sing-ing  
(5) on - ly the roost er say - ing hisayers,

*mp*

Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle, Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle, Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle,  
*mp*  
Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle, Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle, Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle,  
*f*  
ly  
*mp*

[3.]

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Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.

'Cos I thought I heard a chick-en snore, sing  
And he thanked the Lord for the hens up - stairs,

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.

'Cos I thought I heard a chick-en snore, sing  
And he thanked the Lord for the hens up - stairs,

Pol - ly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.

I heard a chick-en snore.  
He thanked the hens up - stairs.

*mp*

all day. I heard a chick-en snore.  
He thanked the hens up - stairs.

33

Poly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.  
Fare thee  
Poly wol-ly doo-dle all day,  
all day.  
Poly wol-ly doo-dle all day,  
all day.  
Poly wol-ly doo-dle all day,  
all day. Fare-well..

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well.  
well my fair-ry fay,- for I'm off to Louis-i - an-a for to  
Fare-well my fair-ry fay,- for I'm off to Louis-i - an-a for to  
Long fare - well.  
Fare-well my fair - y fay.  
Still off to  
Fare-well my fair - y fay.

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1.

see my Su-sy-an-na, sing-ing Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.  
 see my Su-sy-an-na, sing-ing Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.  
 Sing Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle all the day.  
 see Su-sy-an-na. Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle all day.

44

2.

all gro...  
 day. Oh a pea-poo sat on the rail-road track, its  
 day. day. day. Pol-ly wol-ly doo-dle.

*p*

47

cresc.

heart was all a - flutt-er, then the train came roar-ing and the wind,

51

Fare thee well.

Fare thee well.

Fare thee well.

TOOT! TOOT! Pea-nut butter.

Fare-well...

Fare thee

TOOT! TOOT! Pea-nut butter.

Fare-well...

Fare-well...

ff

f

ff

55

well my fair-ry fay,— for I'm off to Louis-i-an-a my Su - sy-an-na, sing  
well my fair-ry fay,— for I'm off to Louis-i-an-a Su - sy-an-na, sing  
Long fare - well.

59

Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all the day. Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all day. Fare-well! (shout)  
Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all the day. Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all day. Fare-well! (shout)  
Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all the day. Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all day. Fare-well! (shout)  
Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all the day. Pol - ly wol - ly doo - dle all day. Fare-well!