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Moderato.

1. Way down up - on the Swa - nee rib - ber, Far, far a - way,
 2. All 'round de lit - tle farm I wan - der'd When I was young,
 3. One lit - tle hut a - mong de bush - es, One dat I love,

Dere's wha my heart is turn - ing eb - ber, Dere's wha de old folks stay.
 Den ma - ny hap - py days I squan - der'd, Ma - ny de songs I sung.
 Still sad - ly to my mem' - ry rush - es No mat - ter where I rove.

All up and down de whole cre - a - tion, Sad - ly I roam,
 When I was play - ing wid my brud - der, Hap - py was I,
 When will I see de bees a hum - ming, All rouud de comb,

Still long - ing for de old plan - ta - tion, And for de old folks at home.
 Oh! take me to my kind old mud - der, Dere let me live and die.
 When will I hear de ban - jo tum - ming, Down in my good old home.

CHORUS.

All de world am sad and drear - y Eb - ry where I roam,

Oh! darkeys, how my heart grows wea - ry, Far from de old folks at home.

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