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MISTER JOHNSON.

SONG and CHORUS.

Words and Music by BEN R. HARNEY.

Allegro moderato.

mf

First system of piano accompaniment for the song, featuring a treble and bass clef with a 4/4 time signature. The music is marked *mf* and includes a triplet in the final measure.

Second system of piano accompaniment, continuing the melody and accompaniment from the first system.

Vocal line for the first system, showing the melody and lyrics.

1. T'oth-er eb-'ning eb-'ry - ting was still, Oh! babe, De
2. T'oth-er eb-'ning when the sun was down, Oh! babe, I

p

Third system of piano accompaniment, marked *p* (piano). It includes the vocal line and accompaniment for the second system of lyrics.

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moon was climb-in' down be - hind de hill, Oh! babe,
 went down old man Johnson's chick - en farm, Oh! babe,

T'ough eb - ry bo - dy was a sound a - sleep, But a old man a Johnson was a
 Climb'd in de chick-en loft on my knees, Was a half way a through when de

on his beat, Oh! babe, I went down in - to a
 chick - en sneezed, Oh! babe, I'll tell you, if you will

nig - ger crap game, Where de coons were a gambling wid a might and main,
 on - ly keep still, 'Bout mile and a half from Lou - is - ville,

Mister Johnson 4-3. M. W. & Sons.

ASK TO SEE M. W. BRATTON'S FINE MARCH SUCCESS.

T'ought I'd a be a sport and be dead game, I gambled my mon-ey and I
I am so ner-bous dat I can't keep still, When I think a-bout it I can

was - n't to blame, One nig - ger's point was a lit - tle, a Joe, Bet - tin'
feel a big chill, A big black coon was a look - in' fer chick - ens, When

six bits t'a quar-ter he could make de four, He made dat point but de
great big bull-dog got to rai-sin' the dick-ens, De coon got high-er, de

made no more, Just den John - son jump'd thro' de door, Oh! Mis - ter
chick-en got nigh - er, Just den John - son o - pened up fire, I got no

Mister Johnson. 4-4. M. W. & Sons.

CHORUS. *Moderato.*

John - son turn me loose, got no mon - ey but a good ex -
 Chance for to be turned loose, got no chance for a good ex -

- cuse, Oh! Mis - ter John - son, I'll be good,
 - cuse, Oh! Mis - ter John - son, I'll be good,

Oh! Mis - ter John - son turn me loose, don't take me to de ca - la -
 And now he's play - in' seb-en e - leb-en, way up yon - der in de nig - ger

- boose, Oh! Mis - ter John - son, I'll be good,
 heabn, Oh! Mis - ter John - son, made him good,

Mister Johnson 4-5. M. W. & Sons.