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*Lyricist*

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Music by WILL. MARION COOK.

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Voice.

Streets \_\_\_\_\_ are gay,      On \_\_\_\_\_ de way,      All \_\_\_\_\_ de  
 Heah \_\_\_\_\_ um cry,      My \_\_\_\_\_ oh my,      When \_\_\_\_\_ de

al - leys done \_\_\_\_\_ turned out.      Mis - tah Giles  
 'ces - sion shows \_\_\_\_\_ its head.      Maj - ors brown

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 Rid — in' down on — cart hos - ses decked in red.

Hyeah — dey come, Lord — dat drum In — de  
 Teeth — lak pearls, greet — The girls stand — in'

black ban' holds — de sway. 'cept — de brass  
 dere lak dusk - y storms. Oh! — my pet

Give — it sass on — E - man - ci - pa - tion day.  
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Dar-kies stand - in on tip toe Mak - in goo - goos at de show,  
Generals stiff as hick'-ry sticks In de dress of seven-ty six,

## Chorus.

On E - man-ci - pa - tion day, All you

whitefoks clear de way, Brass ban' play - in sev'ral tunes,

Dark-ies eyes look jes' la'k moons, Mar-shall of de day a strut - tin'

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Lord but he is gay. Coons dressed up lak Mas - que - rad

ers, Por - ters armed lak rude in - va - ders

When dey hear dem rag time tunes White fo'ks try to pass fo' coons on E -

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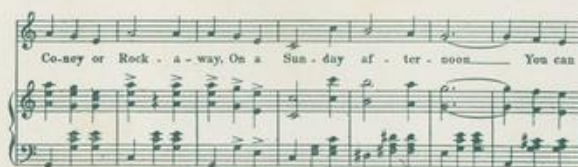
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