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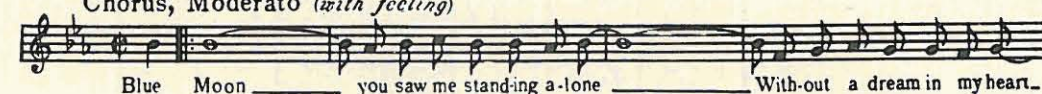


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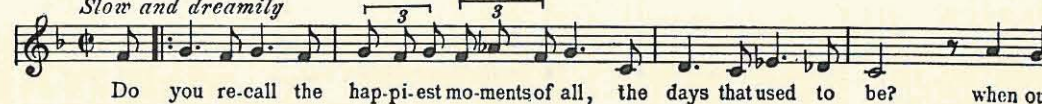


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*Slow and dreamily*



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Moderato

'Ten-tion folks,— speak of jokes,— This is one on me,—  
Young and small— short and tall,— Folks most ev-'ry-where,—

Took my gal— to a dance— At the Ar-mo-ry,—  
Take a chance— do this dance,— They think it's a bear,—

Mus-ic played,— danc-ers swayed,— Then we joined the crowd;—  
Peo-ple rave— and they crave— Just to do this step,—



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A7 D B7 Em A7 D7 Eb7

I can't dance, — took a chance, — And right then we start - ed: -  
 Off they go, — nice and slow, — When the band starts play - ing: -

**CHORUS** (*Moderately*)

G7 E7

Stum-bling all a-round, Stum-bling all a-round, Stum-bling all a-round so fun - ny,

*mf*

Stum-bling here and there, Stum-bling ev'-ry-where And I must de - clare, I stepped right

D7 A dim Em

on her toes, — And when she bumped my nose, — I fell and

A7 D Gm D dim D7 D+

when I rose, — I felt a - shamed — And told her







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