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Allegro moderato

Piano introduction in G major, 2/4 time. The right hand features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes and chords, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. Dynamics include *f* and *fz*.

Till ready

Musical notation for the first two lines of lyrics, including piano accompaniment. Dynamics include *p*.

1. I've been a - round your town and seen the sights, But now I'm through, — I'm tell - ing
2. Now you can have your great big nor - thern town, Your ci - ty ways, — And problem

Musical notation for the third and fourth lines of lyrics, including piano accompaniment.

you, — That I've made up my mind to stay home nights, There's lots to do, — I mean it
plays, — They're just a bunch of wor - ries, cares and frowns, In cab - ar - ets — The nights are

Musical notation for the fifth and sixth lines of lyrics, including piano accompaniment.

too, — Be - cause my old friend bank - roll was get - ting thin - ner, and be - fore it got too
days, — I'd rath - er be in Dix - ie, where I can rough it in the good old coun - try

Musical notation for the seventh and eighth lines of lyrics, including piano accompaniment.

late, — I hired a fur - nished room, Good - bye to gloom, and now I'm migh - ty glad to state:
style, — And when I get back there, I'll breathe that air, and change my wrin - kles to a smile.

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"I'm sav-ing up the means, _____ to get to New Or - leans, _____ I'll buy a trunk and pack it,

p-f

leave this rack-et, I'll be hap-py when I'm bound Back to those child-hood scenes _____ and moth-er's

home-made beans, _____ I'm thirs-ty, Gee-whiz! I want a sil-ver fizz, like they make in my home

town. Down there in New Or - leans, _____ I'll wear my old blue jeans, _____ I'll find the girl I left be-

hind me in her teens, _____ I know a train that goes a mile a min-ute, You bet your life I'm goin' to

be right in it, On my way back home to New Or - leans." _____ "I'm sav-ing leans?" _____

1. 2.

f

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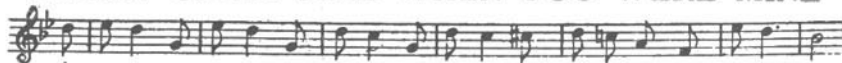
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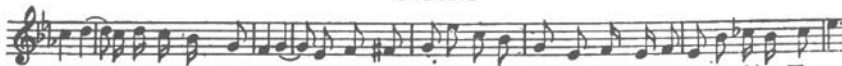
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