

THE GREATEST COON SONG EVER WRITTEN!

DORA DEAN

“The Sweetest Gal You Ever Seen”



Words and Music

BY

Bert A. Williams

OF

WILLIAMS & WALKER.



SCHOTTISCHE

Arranged by

GEO. W. HETZEL.



Sung

With Great Success

BY

**CLIFFORD
AND
HUTH**



AND MANY OTHERS

SONG

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Piano Solo, 40. Band, 50. Orchestra, 10 Parts, 60. Orchestra, 14 Parts, 80. Piano Accompaniment, 15. First Violin Part, 10.

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Moderato.

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a melody of eighth notes, while the left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The tempo is marked 'Moderato'.

The vocal line for the first two verses is written on a single staff. It begins with a rest for two measures, followed by the melody for the lyrics.

1. Way down in Lou-'si-an-a, Dat's where ole Sis-ter Han-mah,
2. While down with Sis-ter Hol-ley, We all did feel so jol-ly,

The piano accompaniment for the first two verses is written on two staves. It features a steady eighth-note accompaniment in the right hand and chords in the left hand. Dynamics include *fz* and *p*.

The vocal line for the third and fourth verses is written on a single staff. It continues the melody from the previous verses.

Bakes the crack-lin bread up-on the coals.....; With her daughter Do-ra Dean, Who
Each one tried to cut a pig-eon wing.....; When up jump'd Do-ra Dean, Who

The piano accompaniment for the third and fourth verses is written on two staves. It continues the accompaniment from the previous verses, ending with a final chord.

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is my dear - est queen, Oh! I tell you, boys, she is a lump of gold..... She
said I am the queen, I can beat you in a dance for an - y-thing..... That just

goes to church on Sun - day, You'll find her home on Mon - day,
suit - ed ole Aunt Di - mah, Who sang a tune in mi - nor,

Help - ing all the folks the house to clean.....; Their home it looks so neat, You'll
Think - ing that she could the mu - sic make.....; So we start - ed in to test, To

find it hard to best, The way its kept by Do - ra Dean.....
 see who was the best, And Do - ra walk'd off with the cake.....

CHORUS.

Oh! have you ev - er seen my Do - ra Dean, She is the
p and ff

sweetest gal you ev - er seen; I'm gwine to make this gal sweet Do - ra,

queen, Next Sun-day morn' I'm gwine to mar-ry sweet Do - ra Dean..... Dean.....
 D. C.