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Words and Music by
FRED ROSE

Moderato

B \flat E \flat G C

The first system of piano accompaniment consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower in bass clef. The key signature has two flats (B \flat and E \flat). The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The first measure is marked with a forte 'f' dynamic. The music features a mix of chords and moving lines in both hands.

The second system includes a vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in treble clef with lyrics: "I know a way to make you smile, When you're feel-ing blue." Above the vocal line are guitar chord diagrams for E \flat , G min7, C7, F7, B \flat 7, and E \flat . The piano accompaniment is in two staves, starting with a piano 'p' dynamic. The key signature remains two flats.

The third system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line has lyrics: "cer-tain cure for you. And it's ea - sy, too." Above the vocal line are guitar chord diagrams for F7, B \flat 7, E \flat , F7, B \flat 7, and E \flat . The piano accompaniment continues in two staves, maintaining the two-flat key signature.

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Gmin.7 C7 F7 Bb7 Eb

Go get your-self a pair of bones; Take a les-son or two.

Bb F aug. Bb Dim. F7 Bb7

And af-ter you're through, Here's all that you do:

CHORUS

p-f

Dim. F7 Bb7

Rat-tle 'em bones; — make life snap-py; Rat-tle 'em bones; —

Eb C7 F7 Bb7

make folks hap-py! Rat - tle 'em bones; — rat-tle your trou - bles a -

way. Rat-tle 'em bones;— tell your neigh-bor To

rat-tle 'em bones — at his la-bor! Rat-tle 'em bones;—

pad-dle your work — in-to play. Ev-ry morn-ing at

dawn - ing, Till the close of the day. You'll find a

Bb7 Dim. Bb7 Bbaug. Eb Dim. Bb7 5

lot of com - fort that way.

Eb Dim. F7 Bb7

Rat - tle 'em bones when it's rain-in'; Rat - tle 'em bones;

Eb C7 F7 Bb7

stop complain-in'. Rat - tle 'em bones; rat - tle your trou - bles a -

Eb Dim. Bb7 Dim. Bb7 Bbaug. Eb Ab7 Eb

way. way.

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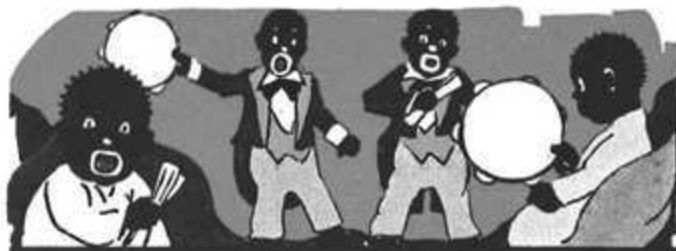


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