

The Cincinnati Dream

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(Father of the "Blues")

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Composer of: "Hot Tomales"


Moderato

Piano



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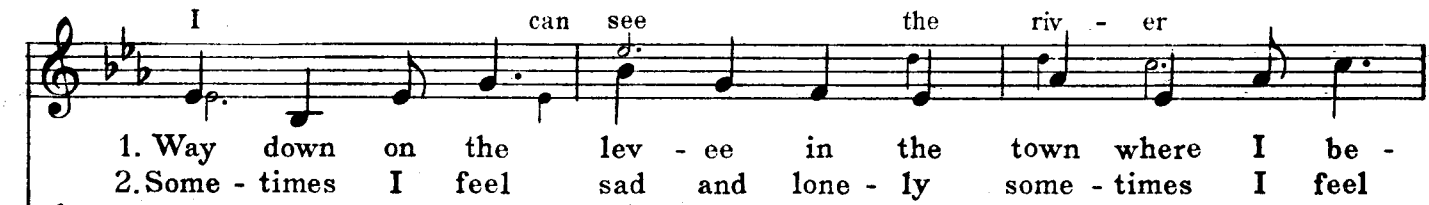
The first system of piano accompaniment, featuring a treble and bass clef. It begins with a forte fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic and includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and ties.



The second system of piano accompaniment, continuing the musical notation from the first system.

I can see the riv - er

1. Way down on the lev - ee in the town where I be -
2. Some - times I feel sad and lone - ly some - times I feel



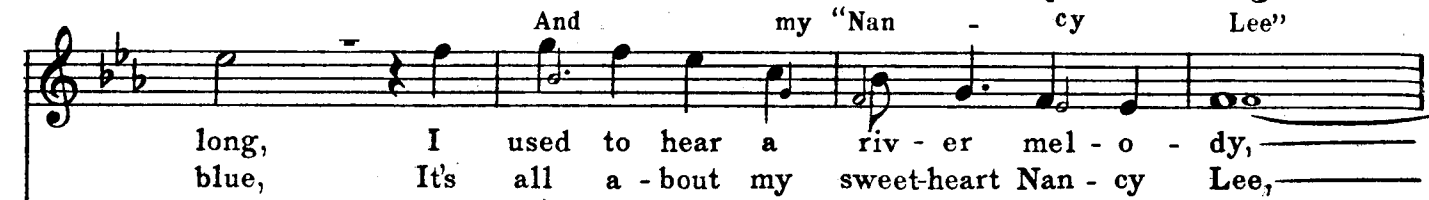
The third system, containing the first line of lyrics and the corresponding vocal melody and piano accompaniment.



The fourth system of piano accompaniment, corresponding to the second line of lyrics.

And my "Nan - cy Lee"

long, I used to hear a riv - er mel - o - dy,
blue, It's all a - bout my sweet-heart Nan - cy Lee,



The fifth system, containing the second line of lyrics and the corresponding vocal melody and piano accompaniment.



The sixth system of piano accompaniment, corresponding to the third line of lyrics.

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How my heart would quiv - er

It was called the "Dream" oh! hon - ey please dont treat me
She lived on the lev - ee but her heart was good and

When shéd sing to me.

wrong, 'Twas long be - fore the "Blues" from Ten - nes - see.
true, I on - ly wish that she had mar - ried me.

Chorus

Up and down the stream The
Way down on the lev - ee we would all sing a song,

M. P. Wells would steam While the band would
Way down on the lev - ee we would scream, Way down on the
Spoken (Sweet mam - ma Kiss your pa - pa)

play "An - nie Lau - rie" My sweet Nan - cy would
 lev - ee we would dance all night long To the Cin - cin -

sing the **1** Dream. **2** & last Ending
 nat, Cin - cin - na - ti Dream. Some dream. Dream. Some dream.

Fine

(The Dream) Don't treat me wrong
 Sweet Nan - cy Lee

1. Don't treat me, Don't treat me
 2. Sweet Nan - cy, Sweet Nan - cy

wrong,
 Lee,

Don't treat me wrong
 Sweet Nan - cy Lee

Don't treat me, Don't treat me
 Sweet Nan - cy, Sweet Nan - cy

wrong;
 Lee;

Don't treat me wrong
 Sweet Nan - cy Lee

Hon - ey babe, Please don't treat me
 How I loved, My sweet Nan - cy

wrong.
 Lee. D.S. al Fine