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JIM ALONG JOSEY.



As Sung by,
M^r. JOHN N. SMITH.

Arranged for the
PIANO FORTE,

BY
AN EMINENT PROFESSOR.

NEW YORK,
Published by FIRTH & HALL, No 1 Franklin Sq.

JIM ALONG JOSEY.

Musical notation for the first system. It features a vocal line in the upper staff and piano accompaniment in the lower two staves. The tempo is marked "MODERATO". The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The system concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots, followed by the exclamation "Oh!".

Musical notation for the second system. It includes a vocal line with lyrics and piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked "Ad lib:". The lyrics are: "Ise from Luci-an-na as you all know, Dar whare Jim along Josey's all de go, Dem". The system ends with a double bar line and repeat dots, followed by the instruction "Col voce.".

Musical notation for the third system. It includes a vocal line with lyrics and piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked "Tempo." and "Ad lib:". The lyrics are: "niggars all rise when de bell does ring, And dis is de song dat dey do sing." The system ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

Musical notation for the fourth system. It includes a vocal line with lyrics and piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked "ALLEGRO." in both the vocal and piano parts. The lyrics are: "Hey get a-long, get a--long Josey Hey get a-long Jim a-long Joe!". The system ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

Hey get a - long, get a - long Jo - sey Hey get a - long, Jim a long Joe!

DANCE.

2
 Oh! when I gets dat new coat which I expects
 to hab soon,
 Likewise a new pair tight - kneed trousaloon,
 Den I walks up and down Broadway wid
 my Susanna,

And de white folks will take me to be Santa Anna,
 Hey get along, get along Josey,
 Hey get along, Jim along Joe!

3
 My sister Rose de oder night did dream,
 Dat she was floating up and down de stream,
 And when she woke she began to cry,
 And de white cat picked out de black cat's eye.

Hey get along, get along Josey,
 Hey get along, Jim along Joe!

4
 Now way down south not very far off,
 A Bullfrog died wid de hooping cough,
 And de oder side of Mississippi as you must know,
 Dare's where I was christen'd Jim along Joe.

Hey get along, get along Josey,
 Hey get along, Jim along Joe!

5
 De new York niggers tink dey're fine,
 Because dey drink de genuine,
 De southern niggers dey lib on mush,
 And when dey laugh dey say Oh Hush.

Hey get along, get along Josey,
 Hey get along, Jim along Joe!

6
 I'me de nigger that dont mind my troubles,
 Because dey are noting more dan bubbles
 De ambition that dis nigger feels
 Is showing de science of his heels.

Hey get along, get along Josey,
 Hey get along, Jim along Joe,

7
 De fust President we eber had was Gen'ral
 Washington,
 And de one we've got now is Martin Van Buren,
 But altho' Gen'ral Washington's dead
 As long as de country stands his name shall
 float ahead.

Hey get along, get along Josey,
 Hey get along, Jim along Joe!

