

THE RAGTIME VIOLIN



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Moderato

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand plays a series of eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand plays a steady bass line. Dynamics include *mf*, *f*, and *fz*.

ap qb BA C

Mis - ter Brown, Mis - ter Brown had a
Mis - ter Brown, Mis - ter Brown at a

Till ready

The vocal melody is written on a single staff with lyrics. The piano accompaniment is on two staves. Dynamics include *p*.

vi - o - lin, Went a - round, all a-round with his vi - o - lin.
fan - cy ball, Sat a - round, sat a-round, sat a - round. the hall.

The piano accompaniment continues with two staves, featuring a consistent bass line and chords.

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Law - dy, how he play'd it, sway'd it, made it moan so
Would - nt take a chance to dance, be-cause the band was

beau - ti - ful; An - na Lize, An - na Lize heard his vi - o - lin, Roll'd her
ter - ri - ble; An - na Lize, An - na Lize hit up - on a plan, Roll'd her

eyes, roll'd her eyes at his vi - o - lin, Law - dy, how he lov'd 'er,
eyes, roll'd her eyes at the lead - er man, Took his fid - dle down to

tur - tled doves 'er, When An - na would cry.....
Mis - ter Brown, to Just kiss him and cry.....

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Db

CHORUS

Fid - dle up, fid - dle up on your vi - o - lin,

p-f

Lay right on it, rest your chin up - on it,

Dog - gone you bet - ter be - gin,..... And

play an o - ver - ture up - on your vi - o - lin;

Hur - ry up, hur - ry up with your vi - o - lin,

Make it soon - er, don't you stop to tune 'er,

Fid, fid, fid, fid - dle the mid - dle of your

rag - time vi - o lin...

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D.S.

TRY THIS ON YOUR PIANO.

Respectfully Dedicated to Miss Lulu VonWelden

I LIKE TO CALL YOU SWEETHEART.

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CHORUS

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 2/4 time. It features a vocal melody line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part includes dynamic markings such as *p-f* (piano-forte) and *p* (piano). The lyrics are: "When first we met I liked to call you cu - tey, Just be - cause you looked so neat, And then changed to hon - ey, 'Cause your sun - ny smile was al-ways sweet, sweet, sweet. As time went on I liked to call you dear - ie, 'Cause I found you were true blue, And now I like to".

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