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The Carpet

To GEN. BEN BUTLER

Bagger

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Comic Song
for the Times.



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COMIC SONG with CHORUS ad lib:

WORDS BY T. E. GARRET esq.

MUSIC BY ALFRED VON ROCHOW.

MODERATO ET SCHERZO.

PIANO.

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the piano, labeled 'PIANO.' with a dynamic marking 'p'. The bottom staff is for the voice, with lyrics provided. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The piano part features eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note chords. The vocal part begins with a melodic line, followed by a section of piano chords, and then continues with another melodic line. The lyrics are as follows:

4. v. But I hears a storm a com- in' O! yes I un - der - stand! Now well
 1. v. I'm a gay old Car - pet - Bag - ger! O! don't you un - der - stand! 'Mong the
 2. v. In the North I was No - bo - dy, O! don't you un - der - stand! Now I
 3. v. I'm the loy - al Car - pet - Bag - ger, Who rules the cot - ton land; I'm a

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get kick'd out for bum-min', A-round this cot-ton land, For I
 co-lord folks I swag-ger Down in the cot-ton land Now I
 drinks my wine, and tod-dy King of the cot-ton land! For I
 hap-py seal-la wag-ger, O! can't you un-der-stand! For to

hears the na-tion's thun-ders We've lost our game of brag, Now I'm
 got no ed-di-ca-tion Of brains I does not brag, But I
 drives the old slave mas-ter; He calls me seal-la wag While he
 Con-gress goes some mor-nin' This curst old seal-la wag! And I

cres. off with spoons and plun-der ***ff*** ***p*** All in my car-pet bag.
 owns a big plan-ta-tion All in my car-pet bag.
 cus-ses fast, and fast-er, I fills my car-pet bag.
 pays 'em back for scor-nin' My loy-al car-pet bag.

cres. ***ff*** ***p*** accelerando.

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SOP. *f* I'm a gay old Car - pet - Bag - ger! O! can't you un - der -

ALTO. *f*

TENOR. *f* I'm a gay old Car - pet - Bag - ger! O! can't you un - der -

BASS. *f*

PIANO. *f* *cres.* *pp*
accell.

- stand! 'Mong the co - lord folks I swag - ger Down in the cot - ton land.

pp
accell.

- stand! 'Mong the co - lord folks I swag - ger Down in the cot - ton land.

cres. *pp* *accell.*

V.S. Dance.

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DANCE {

8va.....

8va.....

cen . . . do f p

8va.....

cres . . . cen . . . do f

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