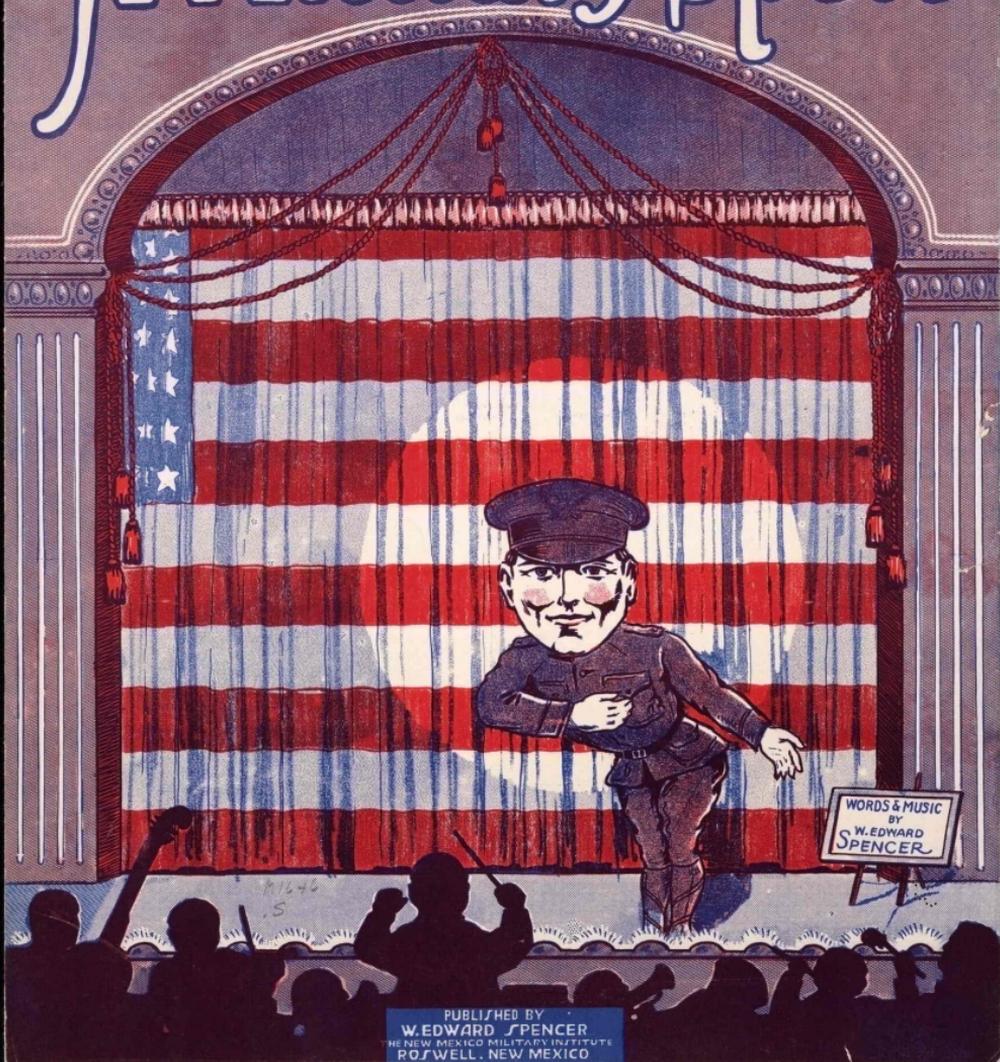


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Moderato

Piano introduction in G major, 2/4 time. The piece begins with a *mf* dynamic. The right hand features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. The tempo is marked *Moderato*. The introduction concludes with a *fz* dynamic and a repeat sign.

TILL READY

VOICE

Voice and piano accompaniment for the first verse. The voice part is in G major, 2/4 time. The piano accompaniment is in G major, 2/4 time, with a *mp* dynamic. The piano part features a steady bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

1. John-ny was a sol-dier boy, To the girls he was a joy;
 2. John-ny boy got shipped to France, Just to teach old Bill to dance,
 3. But the time soon came to part; In Pa-ree he left his heart,

Voice and piano accompaniment for the second verse. The voice part is in G major, 2/4 time. The piano accompaniment is in G major, 2/4 time, with a *mp* dynamic. The piano part features a steady bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

Ev-ry time he got a chance Took 'em out to dine and dance, For John-ny was a
 But he had to stop and see The bright lights of gay Pa-ree; There his heart from him
 But he had his grit and gun When he came to face the Hun. Now John-ny fights most

Voice and piano accompaniment for the third verse. The voice part is in G major, 2/4 time. The piano accompaniment is in G major, 2/4 time, with a *mp* dynamic. The piano part features a steady bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

sport you see, All the girls would gay-ly say When he came their way:
 did de-part To the one who said with joy: O you Sam-mee boy!
 des-p'rate-ly For the cause of lib-er-ty, For he hears this plea:

CHORUS

Moderato con moto

1. "He's a mil-i-ta-ry sport, A hip-hike swagger sport; Clothes so neat and looking fine,
2-3. "You're my mil-i-ta-ry sport, My heep-hike swagger sport; Shoul-ders broad and head held high,

Come on girls and get in line, Pat your hair, and take great care To get your hat on straight. He will
When you come a-step-ning by, I could die but I just sigh As you go pass-ing by; Then, when

take us by the hand, And to the best place in the land, And there we'll dine, O joy di-
some-times you drop in To see your lit-tle French-y girl: My head's a-whirl, my heart's a-

ten.
vine, And dance and dance and dance To the tune of 'Hel-lo France,' Nothing could our
fire For love of you, just you, Sam-mee boy, you please be true, And when all ze

joy en-hance, For he's a mil-i-ta-ry sport, A U. S. Reg-lar sport."
war are thru, Come back my mil-i-ta-ry sport, And make my dreams come true."

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