

WHO DISCOVERED DIXIE

IT'S THE GRANDEST

PLACE ON EARTH

NOVELTY
SONG



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WRITERS OF "THERE OUGHT TO BE MUSIC
IN EVERY HOME, EXCEPT NEXT DOOR TO ME"

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Brightly (*Not too fast*)

The first system shows the piano introduction in 2/4 time, featuring a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat).

The second system shows the piano accompaniment for the first vocal line. It includes dynamic markings such as *mf* and *vamp*. The lyrics are: "Late-ly I've been look-ing thru my I have stud-ied all the great dis-

The third system shows the piano accompaniment for the second vocal line. The lyrics are: "his-tor-y, cov-er-ies, Try-ing hard to solve a cer-tain mys-ter-y, Pa-ges I'd scout, And I read of men who sailed the deep blue seas, There's not a nook

The fourth system shows the piano accompaniment for the third vocal line. The lyrics are: "Just to find out A-bout a cer-tain lit-tle thing that I'm in doubt. I o-ver-look, But here is some-thing that I can't find in the book.

REFRAIN Brightly (*But not too fast*)

The fifth system shows the piano accompaniment for the refrain. The lyrics are: "Who dis-cov-ered Dix-ie? Who dis-cov-ered Dix-ie? What a won-der-ful place." The dynamic marking *p-f* is present.

Where you hear the buzz-in' of the bum-ble bees — Where you hear those Coo-ey Blue-y

mel - o - dies — Land of fas-ci - na-tion, Home of syn-co - pa-tion, Where ev - 'ry

thing is fine. — We know when old Co-lum-bus land-ed here, —

He nev-er found that South-ern at-mos - phere, So who dis-cov-ered dear old Dix-ie - land?

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I'll be here, wait - ing, dear Till at a glad dawn's break - ing I'll hear you say you're

home to stay, Dear lit - tle boy of mine Dear lit - tle boy

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