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THE SKELETON RAG

SONG

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Piano

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Voice

1. See that moon, — Hear that tune, — Moan-ing, groan-ing,
2. Look a - round, — Hear that sound, — Don't it make you

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Oh! so scare-y, Through the lone-ly cem - et - er - y, Shapes of white, —
shake and shiv-er, Don't it make you quake and quiv-er? Can't you hear, —

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Fill the night,
Mus - ic queer?
Swing-ing, sway-ing, play - ing, pranc-ing, Ghost-ly gob-lins
See that mel - an - chol - y fel - low Play-ing on his
gail - y danc - ing, Skip and hop,
ghost - ly cel - lo! As he croons,
Nev - er stop,
Rag-time tunes,
From the place where they've been hid - ing, Slip-ping, slid - ing,
From his long and bo - ny fin-gers, Comes a mel - o -
they come glid-ing, Short and tall,
dy that ling-ers On the air.
See them all!
So be-ware!

Shake like gel - a - tine, at that skel-e - ton rag.
You'll be dy - ing to start in try-ing that rag.

CHORUS

Oh, that Skel-e-ton Rag! that gob - lin

p-f

drag! It sounds so weep - y, creep - y sol - emn, ser-i - ous;

See them wig-gle and wag, Sing-ing, "We're

dead ones come to life, Hur-ray! Hur-ray! Hur-ray! Oh, _____ that Skel-e-ton

Rag! _____ They swell it and brag, _____ A-bout their ep - i-taphs with

laughs del-ir-i-ous, At _____ some ghost-ly gag, _____ In that

moan-y, groan-y, bon-y Skel-e-ton Rag. _____ Rag.

1. 2.

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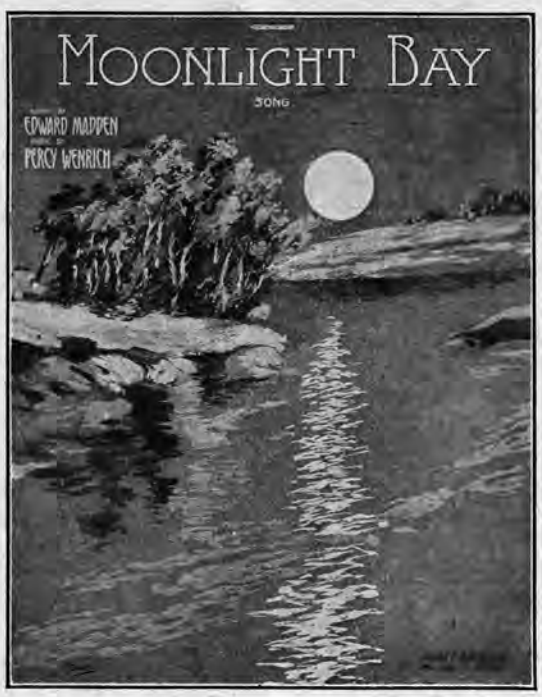

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