

The Cootie Tickle

OVER HERE IT'S THE SHIMMIE DANCE

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wrong with
any 'Feist'
Song

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Allegro moderato *Till ready*

You've heard of the Shim-mie dance,
Now in ev'-ry ca-ba-ret,—

But do you know it start-ed back in France?
The min-ute that the band be-gins to play—

I learn'd from a Sol-dier man,
Ev'-ry bo-dy on the floor

How— this fun-ny lit-tle dance be-gan;
Dan-ces like they nev-er did be-fore;

At a rag-time ju-bi-lee,
It's done in so man-y ways,

The sol-diers gave one night in gay Pa-ree, A "cul-lud
And when I see it I just sit and gaze, And all the

gent" by ac-ci-dent— In-tro-duced this no-vel-ty:—
while I have to smile,— Think-ing of what caused this craze.—

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CHORUS

Mose be-gan to "Ball-the-Jack" Just then up and down his back, He felt a cute lit-tle

p-f

Coo - tie, wig - gl - in', wig - gl - in', in its track, That's what made him shake and twist,

He did some-thing just like this — And ev'-ry-one be-gan to wig-gle with 'im

Their shoul-ders mov-in' to the rag-gy rhy - thm; It's the "Coo-tie Tick-le"

back in France, O - ver here it's the Shim-mie Dance.

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