

EVERYTHING IN AMERICA IS RAGTIME



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Allegro Moderato.

Piano.

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand features a series of chords and eighth-note patterns, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. The tempo is marked 'Allegro Moderato' and the dynamics start with a forte 'f'.

This section shows the piano accompaniment for the first vocal line. It includes a first ending marked with a double bar line and a repeat sign, followed by a section marked 'Till Ready' with a 'p' dynamic.

Voice.

Peo-ple here are go - ing wild, - Ev - ery wom-an, man and child,
In the sub-way ev - ery night, - Folks start sway-ing left and right,

The piano accompaniment for the second vocal line, marked with a piano 'p' dynamic, continues the harmonic support with chords and rhythmic patterns.

Has some rag - time on the brain. _____
While they read the eve - ning news. _____

The piano accompaniment for the final vocal line, concluding with a fermata and a 'V' marking, providing harmonic support for the lyrics.

Ev - ery band and or - chest-ra, — Play-ing in A - mer - i - ca, —
 When a ha - by starts to cry, — Long-ing for a lul-la - by, —

Plays a syn - co - pat - ed strain; ————— It's
 Moth - er sings the Mem - phis Blues; ————— You

float - ing in the air, ————— You hear it ev - ery - where. —
 can't drive it a - way, ————— Be - cause it's here to stay. —

Chorus.

Ev - ery - thing in A - mer - i - ca is rag - time,

p-f

They talk in rag - time, It seems to

be the fash-ion; Their on - ly pass-ion is sway-ing to and fro, —

Snapp-ing fin-gers so. — Act - ing as though they were hav-ing a

jag - - time. — The U. S. A. is a land of syn - co -

pa - tion; It seems the na - tion is just a

mil - lion ac - res of should-er shak - ers; Com - pos - ers, just as

thick as bees, writ - ing rag - gy mel - o - dies, They're ev - en mak - ing

Ga - by Des - lys - sing rag - time. time.

f *D.S.*