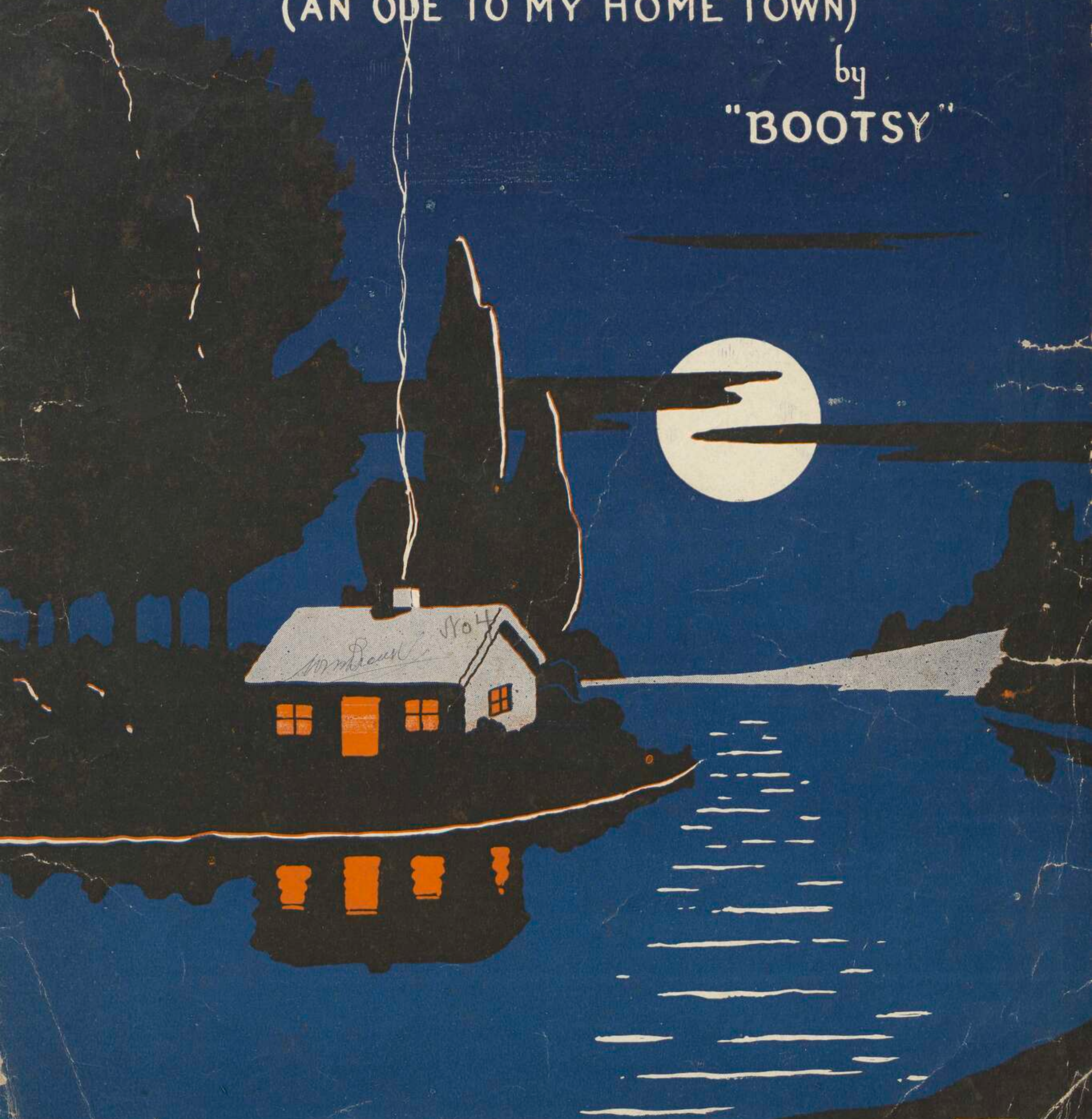


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Chorus

Play 'em for ma - ma, Sing 'em for me, I'm wild a - bout that

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blue mel - o - dy. I love you dad - dy good and strong

That's right Pa-pa syn-co-pate me all night long, That mel - o - dy will
Play 'em for your ba - by 'til the cows come home,

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Moderato



Vamp

In Lou-si-an-a,
I'm go ing back to,

in Lou-si-an-a,
I'm go-ing back to



I mean in old Shreve-port_
The town where I was born_

Hey!
Hey!

I long to be there, yes I do_
I'm goin' to stay there, yes I am_



And that is why I wrote.
Then I wont feel for - lorn

These wick-ed Shreveport Blues
I've got the Shreveport Blues



wrote 'em ev-'ry note
and Im go-ing home

Be-lieve me, home
You heard me, I've

sickness blues is just what I've got
got the blues so aw-ful-ly bad

I want to go back,
I feel like sigh-ing

back to that old shack down home in Shreve-port
I feel like cry-ing I feel like buy-ing a tick-et long as my arm

It sure would be a treat to be
So I can miss these win-ter storms

CHORUS

I've got the blues for the town where I was born I've got the blues and I've had 'em since

ear - ly morn I'm go - ing back to that town Down on the old Red Riv - er Where the

weath - er's warm and you don't quake or shiv - er, Go - in' back and I've got my trunk

tied and packed The train has blowed and is wait - ing there on the track To take me back down home

Cause I've got the Shreveport blues. I've got the blues.

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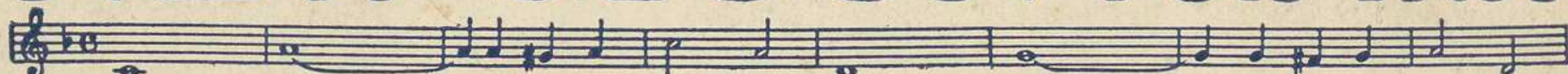
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ROUMANIA FOX-TROT



My sweet dark-eyed maid-en My heart's heav-y lad-en I'm blue

NEW MOON FOX-TROT



New moon why do you haunt me new moon why do you taunt me

IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE I LOVE YOU, SEE WHAT A FOOL I'VE BEEN BLUES



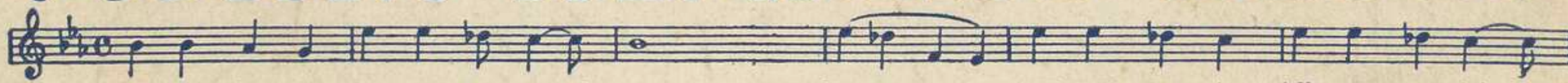
If you don't be-lieve I love you Look what a fool I've been If you don't think I fell for you

DECATUR STREET BLUES



Down on De-ca-tur Street I mean it can't be beat You'll see some pret-ty Browns, Yel-lows too,

ACHIN' HEARTED BLUES



Got those dog-gone Ach-in' heart-ed blues Bout my ba-by want some one to tell my wor-ried

Play 'Em For Mama and Sing 'Em For Me BLUES



Play 'em for ma-ma Sing'em for me, I'm wild a-bout that blue mel-o-dy. I love you da-dy good and strong

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