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The musical score is written in G major and 4/4 time. It begins with a piano introduction marked 'Moderato' and 'Vamp'. The piano part features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand and a steady bass line in the left hand. The tempo then changes to 'Just' for the vocal entry. The lyrics are as follows:

line's been form-in' since half past three, At the tick-et win-dow of the Ar-mo-ry, For the
see that lea-der, Drum Ma-jor Jones, Pull-ing dark blue mu-sic from the sax-o-phones, See the
pa-pers say to-night at nine There will be some time, Come on hon-ey, I've got mon-ey
Gen-eral lead the big grand march Just as stiff as starch, Watch those sold-iers shake their shoul-ders
Weigh-ing down my jeans, Get all dressed up like As-tor's pup And you know what that
Up and down the floor, Each dressed to kill old Kai-ser Bill That's how they'll win the
means, Hur-ry hon-ey, 'cause my watch is slow All set? Let's go!
war, Come on, hon-ey, hear those bug-les blow All set? Let's go!

CHORUS

Look out, here comes Stone-wall Grant Do-in' the tan - go with his big fat aunt Close be - hind see

Jack-son Lee All swelled up with dig-ni-ty - Mo - ses Lin - coln, drink-in' gin Got him-self a ra-zor and a

bun, While the jazz band's play-in' See him sway-in' With Li - za Wa - shing - ton And cor-p'ral

Brown From Mem-phris town Has brought his sweet pa-too-tie

down To the hall, They're goin' to Walk the Dog and Ball the Jack All the way to Ber-lin and then

shim-me back At the Dix - ie Mil - i - ta - ry Ball. Ball.