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When you talk a-bout mus - ic I've some-thing to say —
If you want to be hap - py and want to have fun —

Some-thing to say — to you — My mid-dle name is Mel - o - dy — And I live on Harm-o-
I'll tell you what — to do — Just get your self a danc-ing mate — Don't you dare to hes - i-

ny
tate I've heard the ver - y best bands in the land — Sous - a and Her - bert and
Hop in a tax - i and drive to a hall — Where lat-est danc - es pre-

Pryor — But when all is said and done — I'm gon - na tell you folks 'bout one —
vail — You will sure find gai - et - y — And that's the place you're bound to see —

CHORUS
I know a band that needs no lead - er and it hails from Dix - ie - land —

Tho' ver-y small still with it all — They play like no one can — There's just a Cor-net Drums and

Vi-o-lin a Pi - an-o and a Flute Rags or Class-ics they can play Your taste they're bound to

suit This lit-tle band that needs no lead - er now is known in ev-'ry land They've

got a rep - u - ta - tion for play-ing syn-co-pa-tion And ——— they're in de - mand

If you want to keep your stead-y girl at home — Get your-self a com-bin-at-ion all your own — Like

this lit-tle band that needs no lead - er and that hails from Dix-ie - land. — land.