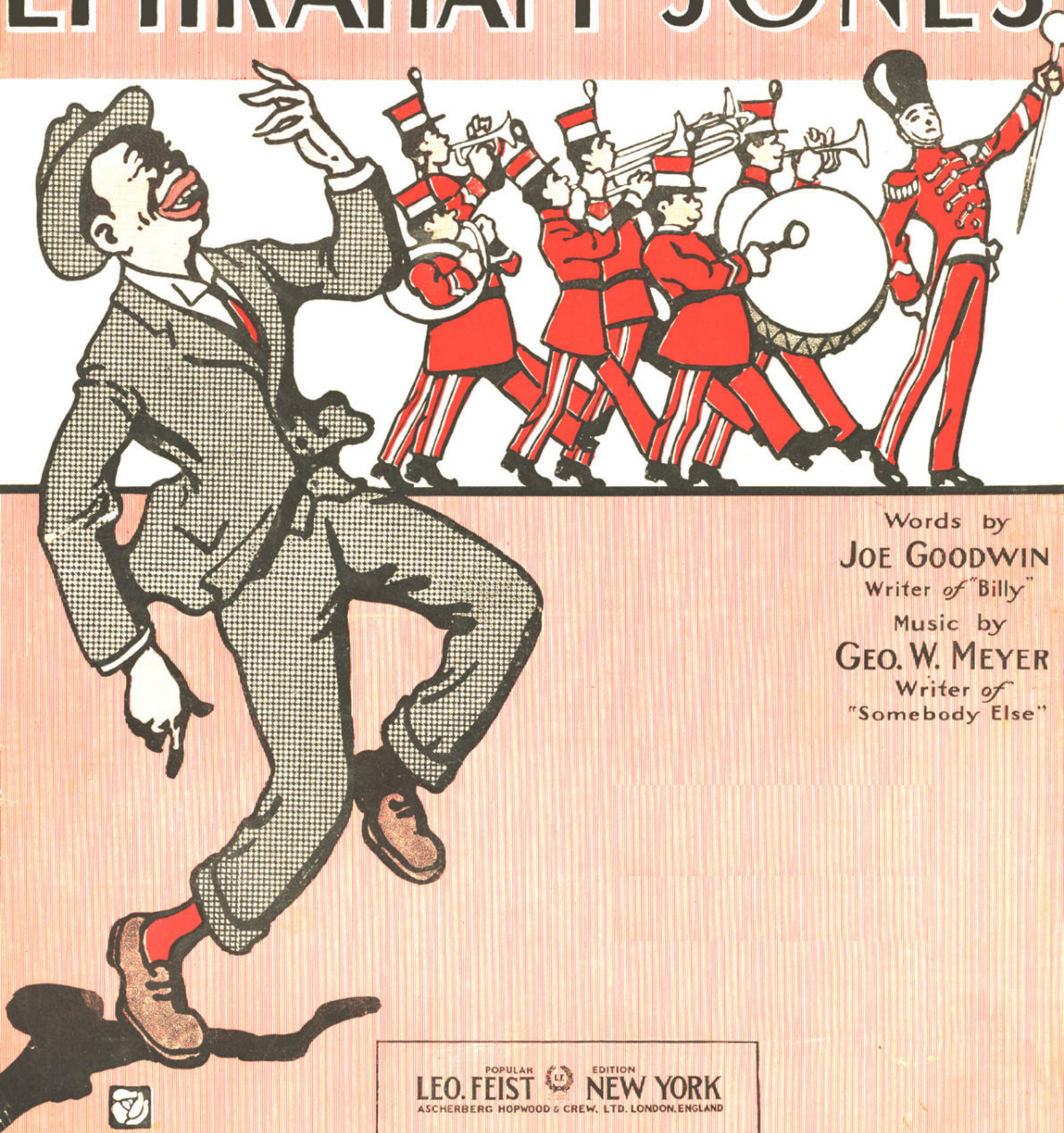


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Old Eph-ra-ham
A coun-ty fair

Vamp.

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from Al-a-bam
was held out there,

Was just a good for noth-ing laz-y man;
All kinds of bands ar-rived from ev'-ry-where;

No kind of work to him was in - ter - est - ing, Though Eph' was al - ways on the
Their play - ing cer - tain - ly kept Eph - ram bus - y, He chased those bands a - round till

job sug - gest - ing, But folks con - fess, His laz - i - ness
he felt diz - zy; They made him mad, But he was glad,

was nev - er known to stand a cer - tain test, It seems that mel - o - dy
Cause mus - ic sim - ply could - n't make him sad, Those bands have left the town,

And Eph' can - not a - gree, Just start a band and he gets bus - y.
But Eph' don't wear a frown, He fol - lows them a - round, he's hap - py.

CHORUS.

Ev-ry time a band starts play-ing, he just looks all a-round, all a - round, all a-round,

Then his bod-y starts a-sway-ing and he bows to the ground, to the ground, to the ground,

He stands there a - while a - list-en-ing, Soon his lips they start a-whis-tle-ing,

Then he's gone, gone, gone, like a flash, with a dash, and a crash, Oh!

Makes no diff-rence where that band is an - y - where, he'll be there, he'll be there, he'll be there.

If there's people all a-round him ev-ry - where, he don't care, he don't care, he don't care.

Oth-er times he's dog-gone lazy, But it seems that music sets him crazy, And the folks all call him

Brass:band Ephraim Jones. — Jones, —

cresc. *fz*