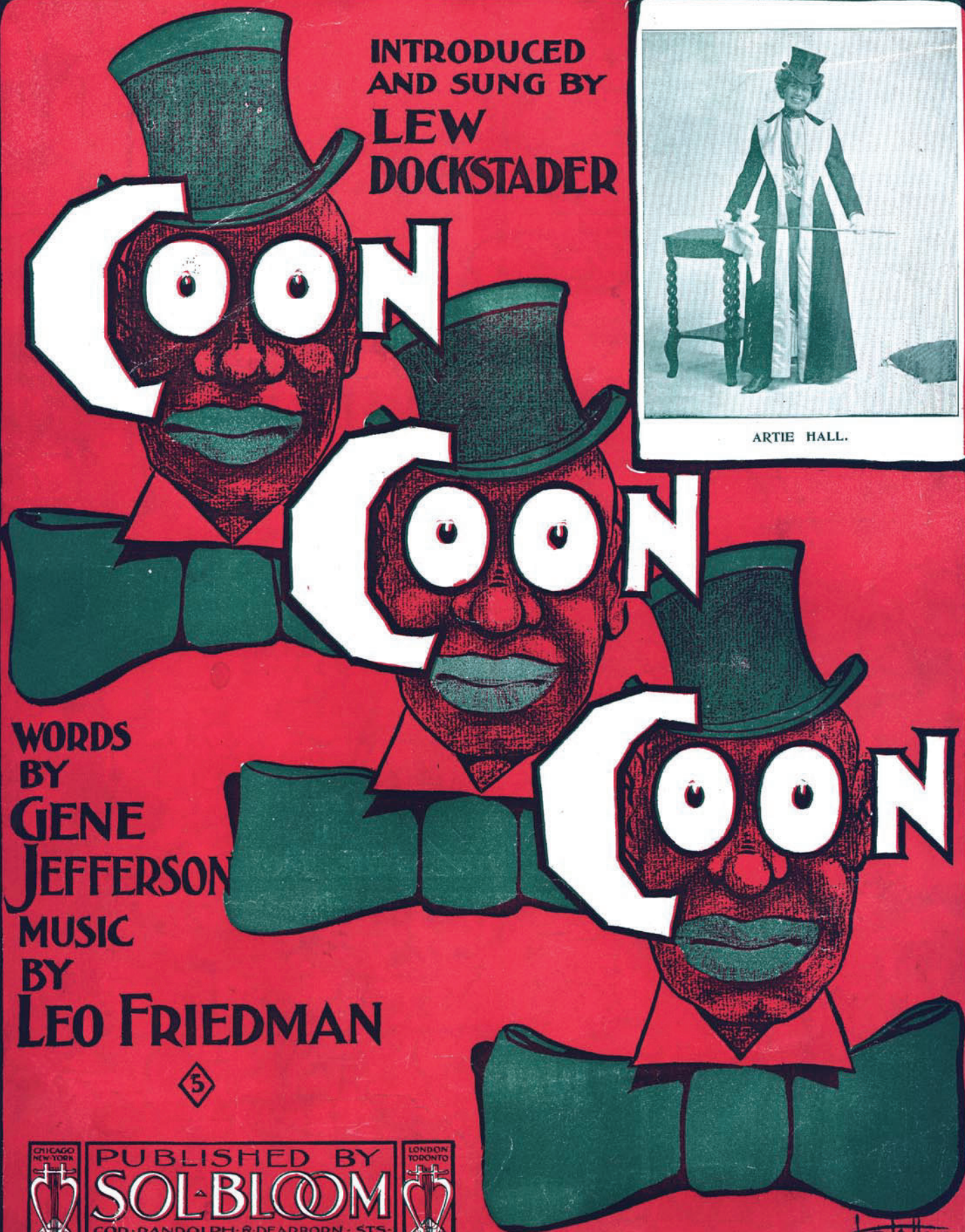


"The Most Successful Song Hit of 1901."

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COON! COON! COON!

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Composer of "Handy Andy" March,
"If I Have You," etc.

Intro.

March tempo.

ff

Slow, with expression.
(TILL READY.)

p

1. Al -
2. I

mf

though it's not my col - or, I'm feel - ing might - y blue; I've
had my face en - am - eled, I had my hair made straight, I

mf

got a lot of troub - le, I'll tell - it all to you; I'm
dressed up like a white man, And cer - t'nly did look great; Then

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cer - t'nly clean dis - gust - ed With life, and that's a fact, Be -
start - ed out to see her, Just short - ly aft - er dark, But

cause my hair is wool - ly And be - cause my col - or's black. My
on the way to meet my babe I had to cross a park; Just

mf
gal, she took a no - tion A - gainst the col - ored race, She
as I was a - think - ing I had things fixed up right, I

mf

said if I would win her I'd have to change my face; She
passed a tree where two doves Sat mak - ing love at night; They

said if she should wed me, That she'd re - gret it soon, And
stopped and looked me o - ver, I saw my fin - ish soon, When

now I'm shook, yes, good and hard, Be - cause I am a coon.....
both those birds said good and loud, "Coo - oo - oo - oo - oo - oon.".....

REFRAIN. 1st time *f*, 2d time *ff*.

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Coon! Coon! Coon! I wish my col - or would fade;..... Coon! Coon!

Coon! I'd like a dif - fer - ent shade.... Coon! Coon! Coon!....

Morn - ing, night and noon, I wish I was a white man 'Stead of a Coon! Coon! Coon!

Coon!....

SYM.

f

D. S. al ff

Coon! Coon! Coon! 4-4.