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DOWN THE RIVER DOWN THE OHIO

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DOWN THE RIVER, DOWN THE OHIO.

Song & Chorus.

O, the riv - er is up, and the
O, the mas - sa is proud of the

Fine.

chan - nel is deep, And the wind . blows stea - dy and strong, Let the
old broad - horn, For it brings him a plen - ty - of tin, O, the

splash of your oars the meas - ure keep As we row the old boat a - long; O, the
crew they is darkies, the car - go is corn, And the mo - ney comes tum - bling in; There is

wa - ter is bright and flash - ing like gold, In the rays of the morn - ing sun, And old
 plen - ty on board for the dar - kies to eat, And der's some - thing to drink and to smoke, Der's the

Di - nah's up a - way out of the cold and get - ting the hoe - cake done. O, the
 ban - jo, the bones and the tam - bou - rine, Der's the song and the com - ic joke.

riv - er is up and the chan - nel is deep, And the wind blows steady and strong; Let the

splash of your oars the meas - ure keep, As we row the old boat a - long.

CHORUS.

AIR.

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;

ALTO.

TENOR.

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;

BASS.

PIANO.

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;

8va

Detailed description: This system contains two vocal staves and a piano accompaniment. The vocal parts are in treble clef, and the piano is in grand staff. The lyrics are: "Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o;". The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords in the right hand. An *8va* marking is present above the right-hand piano staff.

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o.

Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o.

D.C.

Detailed description: This system continues the vocal and piano parts from the first system. The lyrics are: "Down the riv - er, down the riv - er, Down the O - hi - o.". The piano accompaniment concludes with a double bar line and the marking "D.C." (Da Capo).