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2. MY BRUDDER GUM.

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VOICE.

PIANO

FORTE.

White folks I'll sing for you, Nuf..fin else to do.

Spend my time a pick..in on de ban..jo, Hay! Brodder Gum.

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CHORUS.

ALTO.

My Broder Gum, My Broder Gum so fair, All de yaller galls runnin round,

TEN.

Try to get a lock ob his hair.

BASS.

Try to get a lock ob his hair.
SECOND VERSE.

Hard work all de day, Hab no time to play,

Berry fine time a diggin in the corn-field, Hay! Brudder Gum. CHORUS.

THIRD VERSE.

Tudder af-ter-noon, I thought I saw de moon,

Saw my true lub com-in through de cane-brake, Hay! Brudder Gum. CHORUS.

FOURTH VERSE.

Went one berry fine day, To ride in a one horse sleigh,

Hollow'd to de old hoss com-in through de toll-gate, Hay! Brudder Gum. CHORUS.