

Mississippi Mud

The Firehouse Jazz Band

Harry Barris & James Cavanaugh - 1927

Rec: Paul Whiteman Orch. featuring voc. by "Rhythm Boys" (Harry Barris, Bing Crosby, Al Rinker) plus Bix, Dorsey brothers, etc. 1928, Frankie Trumbauer Orch. (Bix) 1928, Charleston Chasers (Red Nichols, Miff Mole, J. Dorsey, Vic Berton) 1927, etc.

Concert Pitch

When the sun goes down, the tide goes out, the dark-ies gath-er 'round and they all be-gin to shout,

"Hey! Hey! Un- cle Dud, it's a treat to beat your feet on the Mis- sis- sip- pi Mud, it's a

treat to beat your feet on the Mis- sis- sip- pi Mud". What a dance do they do!

Lord- y, how I'm tell- in' you, They don't need no band, They keep

time by clap- pin' their hand, Just as hap- py as a cow chew- in' on a cud, When the

dark- ies beat their feet on the Mis- sis- sip- pi Mud. Lord- y, how they play it!

Man they real- ly slay it, Un- cle Joe, Un- cle Jim, how they

pound the mire with vi- gor and vim. Man, that mu- sic thrills me,

Boy, it near- ly kills me. What a show, when they go, Say! they

beat it up ei- ther fast or slow. When the

Back to "A", End At "C"