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# I'm Gonna Make Hay While The Sun Shines In Virginia.

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**Moderato.**

The musical score consists of four systems. The first system is a piano introduction in G major, marked 'Moderato' and 'f'. The second system continues the piano accompaniment, marked 'fz' and 'p', and includes a section marked 'Till ready'. The third system is the vocal melody with lyrics: 'Ci - ty peo - ple pi - ty peo - ple liv - ing on the How - dy do there, how are you there, That's Vir - gin - ia'. The fourth system continues the vocal melody with lyrics: 'farm, I'm go - ing home to - day - 'Way down Vir - way, when they shake hands with you - Their hearts go'. The piano accompaniment for the vocal sections is marked 'p'.

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gin - ia way — You know my dad's a far - mer  
with it too — I'm gon - na send a wire —

So is Mamma, They live in a shack — If you  
To the Squire Here's just what I'll write — If the

think I'm griev-ing be - cause I'm leav-ing, Try and hold me back,  
train don't slow up — I will show up Home to-mor - row night.

## Chorus.

I'm gon - na make hay while the sun shines in Vir - gin -

ia, The old folks need a lot of sun shine now,

I'm gon-na be a far-mer in Vir - gin -

ia I'll plant a kiss on moth-er's wrin-kled brow

(How I love her) I'm gon - na raise the mort-gage from the

home - - - - - stead I'll weed out all their sor-rows and their

tears \_\_\_\_\_ I'm gon-na make hay while the sun-shines in Vir -

gin - - - - - ia \_\_\_\_\_ I'm gon-na brighten up their few re-maining

1. years \_\_\_\_\_ I'm gon-na years. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_

*f* *f<sup>z</sup>* *D.S.*