

# Big Butter and Egg Man

as performed by  
Louis Armstrong and the Hot Fives

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**Swing** ♦ = 180

Piccolo Trumpet in B $\flat$

Trumpet in B $\flat$

Trombone

Bass Trombone

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

3

5

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

The musical score consists of four staves. The top staff is for the Bb Picc. Tpt. It starts with a half note, followed by a measure of eighth notes (Bb, A, G, F#), another measure of eighth notes (E, D, C, Bb), and a measure of eighth notes (A, G, F#, E). The second staff is for the Tpt. It starts with a measure of eighth notes (Bb, A, G, F#) followed by a dotted half note (E) and a measure of eighth notes (D, C, Bb, A). The third staff is for the Tbn. It starts with a measure of eighth notes (Bb, A, G, F#) followed by a dotted half note (E). The bottom staff is for the B. Tbn. It starts with a measure of eighth notes (Bb, A, G, F#) followed by a dotted half note (E).

E $\flat$ <sup>7</sup>

A $\flat$

9

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Bb  
B°7  
Bbm7  
Eb7

13

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Bb7  
Eb7  
Ab

17

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Ab7  
Db

21

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

F<sup>7</sup>

<sup>^</sup>B<sup>b</sup>7

E<sup>b</sup>7

25

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Ab

B<sup>b</sup>7

29

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

E<sup>b</sup>7

Ab

E<sup>b</sup>7

33

**A** Tbn Solo

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn. Solo (w/ plunger)

B. Tbn.

*mf lib*

$A_b$

$A_b^7$

$B_b$

$B_b^7$

37

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.  $E_b^7$

B. Tbn.  $E_b^7$

$A_b^6$

$A_b$

41

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.  $A_b$

B $\circ$

$B_b^7$

$B_b^m7$

$E_b^7$

B. Tbn.  $B_b$

$B^o$

$B_b^7$

$B_b^m7$

$E_b^7$

45

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

49

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

53

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

57

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

61

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

65

**B** Bass Tbn Solo

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

69

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

E<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

A<sub>b</sub>

73

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

B<sub>b</sub>

B<sup>o</sup><sup>7</sup>

B<sup>bm</sup><sup>7</sup>

E<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

growl

77

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

B<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

E<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

A<sub>b</sub>

slow bend

81

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

85

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

89

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

93

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Bbm<sup>7</sup>

Eb<sup>7</sup>

Ab

Ab end solo

open lightly (w/ picc)

97

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

(open)

101

**C** [Trumpet Solo]

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Bb

Bbm<sup>7</sup>

C

F<sup>7</sup>

Ab

Ab<sup>7</sup>

Bb

Eb<sup>7</sup>

106

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

This musical score excerpt shows four staves for brass instruments: Bb Picc. Tpt., Tpt., Tbn., and B. Tbn. The key signature is one flat. Measure 106 starts with a rest followed by a melodic line in the Tpt. staff. Measures 107-108 show harmonic changes to B♭, A♭, and C. Measure 109 starts with a rest followed by a melodic line in the Tpt. staff. Measure 110 concludes the section.

110

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

This musical score excerpt shows four staves for brass instruments: Bb Picc. Tpt., Tpt., Tbn., and B. Tbn. The key signature is one flat. Measures 110-111 feature chords C♯⁷, Cm⁷, F⁷, and C⁷. Measures 112-113 feature chords B⁹⁷, B♭m⁷, E♭⁷, and B♭⁷. Measure 114 concludes the section.

114

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

This musical score excerpt shows four staves for brass instruments: Bb Picc. Tpt., Tpt., Tbn., and B. Tbn. The key signature is one flat. Measures 114-115 feature chords F⁷ and B♭. Measures 116-117 feature chords E♭⁷ and A♭. Measures 118-119 conclude the section with a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes.

117

Bb Picc. Tpt.      Tpt.      Tbn.      B. Tbn.

121

Bb Picc. Tpt.      Tpt.      Tbn.      B. Tbn.

125

Bb Picc. Tpt.      Tpt.      Tbn.      B. Tbn.

129

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

133

**D** Tbn Solo

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

Solo (w/ Plunger)

*f ad lib*

137

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Tpt.

Tbn.

B. Tbn.

F7

B♭7

*ff* open

end solo

141

Bb Picc. Tpt.

*f* B<sub>b</sub>

*f* (open)

*f* A<sub>b</sub>

*f*

3

C<sup>7</sup>

B<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

145

Bb Picc. Tpt.

Cm<sup>7</sup>

F<sup>7</sup>

B<sub>b</sub>

F<sup>7</sup>

B<sub>b</sub>

Bbm<sup>7</sup>

E<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

A<sub>b</sub>

E<sub>b</sub><sup>7</sup>

A<sub>b</sub>