

THAT'S WHY DARKIES WERE BORN (Henderson-Brown) "G.W.'S. Standards of '31

Some-one had to pick the cot-ton, Some-one had to plant the corn.-
 laugh at troub-le, Though he was tir-ed and worn!-

Some-one had to slave and be a-ble to sing, That's Why Dark-ies Were Born.
 Had to be con-tent-ed with an-y old thing,

That's Why Dark-ies were Born. Sing! Sing! Sing when you're wea-ry and sing when you're blue,
 Sing! Sing! That's what you taught all the white folks to do.

Some-one had to fight the
 dev-il, Shout a-bout Ga-bri-el's Horn, — Some-one had to stoke the
 train that would bring Gods Children to Green Pas-tures That's Why Dark-ies Were Born.