

An Imaginary Menagerie

or "The Sixth Sheikh's Sick Sheep"

- fun with tongue twisters

music by

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twisters: anon and trad

adapted by the composer

$\text{♩} = 126$

mf

Piano

What a ter-ri-ble tongue twi-ster

Cock-a-doo-dle doo-dle-doo-dle doo mud bug mud bug mud bug Pat a poo dle oo-dle oo-dle

On mu-les we find two legs be-hind and

two we find be-fore Hee-Haw Hee-Haw Don't stand be-hind, be-fore you find What the

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two legs be-hind are for What a ter-ri-ble tongue twi-ster

15 F C G C

19

Cock-a-doo-dle doo-dle-doo-dle doo mud bug mud bug mud bug Pat a poo dle oo-dle oo-dle

19 Caug C Dmin7 G7

C

22

A flea and a fly flew in-to a flue said the

22 C C

26

fly oh what can we do? What can we do Said the flea let's fly Said the fly let's flea So they

26 G F C F

30 D *mf*

fled through a flaw in the flue _____ What a ter-ri-ble tongue twi-ster

34

Cock-a-doo-dle doo-dle-doo-dle doo mud bug mud bug mud bug Pat a poo dle oo-dle oo-dle

37 *rit.* E ♩=120

oo A he-toad loved a she-toad who lived up high in a tree She was a

44

three-toed tree-toad, While a two-toed toad was he "Oh she-toad" cried the he toad "I'd

50 *rit.*

like to leap to your limb" But with her three-toed power in her tree-toad bower the she-toad ve-toed

50 C F F A^bdim7 C/G B^bdim7 F Dm7 Gsus4 G7

55 *primo tempo* ♩=126

him. What a ter-ri-ble tongue twi-ster Cock-a-doo-dle doo-dle-doo-dle doo

55 C **f** C aug

ff

59 mud bug mud bug mud bug Pat a poo dle oo-dle oo-dle oo And

59 C G7 C

G

then there's the owl who lived up an oak The more he saw the less he spoke The

63 *mf* G

67
less he spoke the more he heard And now he's a wise old bird

F C F C/G G7 C

H

71
What a ter-ri-ble tongue twi-ster Cock-a-doo-dle doo-dle-doo-dle doo

Caug

I

74
mud bug mud bug mud bug Pat a poo dle oo - dle oo - dle oo

C Dm7 G7 C

77 *p* gliss
So How much wood could a wood-chuck chuck if a wood chuck could chuck wood?

p

80 *mp* *mf*

How ma-ny packs would a yack pack pack if a yak pak could pak packs? How much ground would a ground hog hog if a

83 *f* *ff*

ground hog could hog ground? How ma ny pies woulda mag - pie buy if a mag-pie could buy pies?

J

86 *Caug*

What a ter-ri-ble tongue twi-ster Cock-a-doo-dle-cock-a-doo-dle doo mud bug mud bug mud bug

89 *Dm* *G* *Dm* *G* *Dm* *G7* *C*

Too-dle oo - dle oo Too-dle oo - dle oo Too-dle oo-dle-oo - dle oo-dle oo HEY!