**Ballit of De Boll Weevil**

**White Stripes (Lead Belly)**

VERSE 1:

E

You may talk about the latest

The latest of your home

A

But these boll weevils

E

They will rob you of a home

B

They all lookin' for a home

E

They all lookin' for a home

VERSE 2:

The first time I seen a boll weevil

He was sittin' on the square

The next time I seen a boll weevil

He had his whole family there

They was lookin' for a home

They was lookin' for a home

CHORUS:

A

They was lookin' for a home

E

They was lookin' for a home

B

They was lookin' for a home

E

They was lookin' for a home

VERSE 3:

The farmer, he took the boll weevil And put him in the sand

The boll weevil said to the farmer"

You treat me just like a man

And I will have a home

I will have a home"

VERSE 4:

The old lady said to the old man

"I'm tryin' my level best

To keep these boll weevils

Out of my brand new cotton dress

'Cause it's full of holes

Yeah, it's full of holes

VERSE 5:

The old man said to the old lady

"What do you think of that?

These boll weevils

Got into my brand new Stetson hat

And it’s full of holes

Ah, it’s full of holes

Alright, Meg!

CHORUS:

(w/ alternate lyrics – “It's full of holes”)

VERSE 5:

Well, if anybody asks you people

Who sang you this song

You tell 'em it was Jackie White

He's done been here and gone

He's lookin' for a home

He's lookin' for a home

CHORUS x2