

Pollution

From the Television Show *That Was the Week That Was*

FOR VOICE(S) & PIANO

Tom Lehrer
Words and Music by Tom Lehrer

Calypso

5 C G7 C

1. If you vis - it A - mer - i - can cit - y, You will find - it ver - y pret - ty.

9 C7 F F#dim C C#dim G7 C

Just two things of which you must be - ware: Don't drink the wa - ter and don't breathe the air. Pol -

13 Am G F E

lu - tion, - Pol - lu - tion, They got smog and sew - age and *mud,

*In performance on his television show, Bing Crosby replaced the words "mud" with "dust" and "crud" with "rust" (m. 20). "Pollution" is performed by Tom Lehrer on his album *That Was the Year That Was*.

17 F C G7 C G7

Turn on your tap and get hot and cold run-ning crud.

21 C G7

2. See the hal - i - buts and the stur - geons be - ing wiped out

mf

25 C Am Dm7 G7 C C#dim

by de - ter - geons. Fish gotta swim and birds got - ta fly, But they don't last long

tempo ad lib. *a tempo*

29 G7 C Am G F

if they try. Pol - lu - tion, Pol - lu - tion, You can use the lat - est tooth-

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