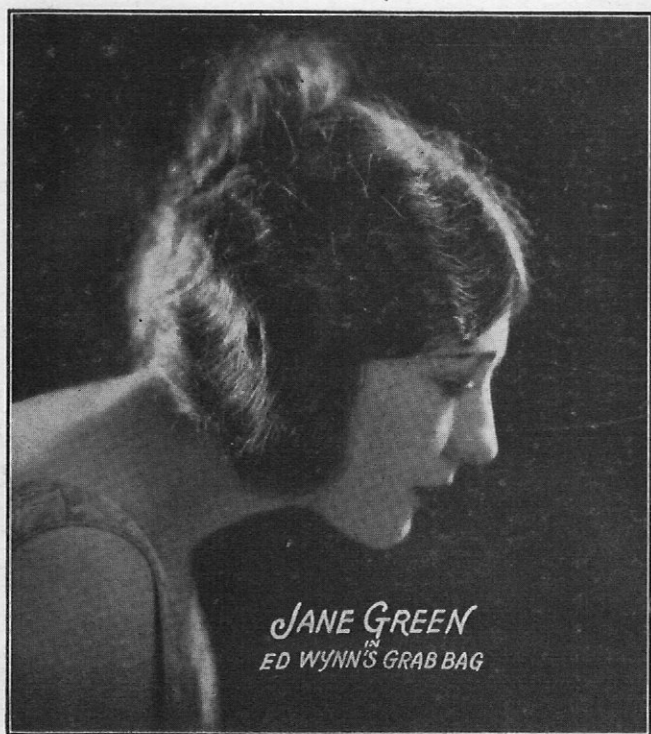


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Moderato

Vamp

The piano introduction consists of two staves. The right hand starts with a series of chords and eighth notes, marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The left hand provides a steady bass line. After a few measures, there is a double bar line, followed by a section marked 'Vamp' with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic, featuring a more rhythmic, repeating pattern.

*p* You can't afford a girl when your car has broke-n down

The piano accompaniment for the first line of lyrics. The right hand plays a melody of eighth and quarter notes. The left hand plays a supporting bass line with chords. The dynamic is marked *p* (piano).

You're like a worn out Ford, said Man-dy Lee to Hen-ry Brown

The piano accompaniment for the second line of lyrics. The right hand continues the melody. The left hand provides harmonic support with chords and a steady bass line.

— You're no good now I find so I must speak my mind—

The piano accompaniment for the third line of lyrics. The right hand melody includes some grace notes. The left hand continues with a consistent bass line and chordal accompaniment.



## CHORUS

Flat-tire pa-pa ma-ma'sgon-na give you air\_\_\_\_\_

*p f*

Slow-fire pa - pa you have had your wear and tear\_\_\_\_\_

You've start-ed skid-ding'foreyou shift your gears No use in kid-din'you've sped

man-y years You fooled yourma-ma long a - go— Your chance-es for re-pair-in's

aw-ful slow Flat-tire pa-pa ma-ma's got an-oth-er car

Flat-tire pa-pa You've been go-in' quite too far

I'm gon-na get my-self some luck like Peg-gy Joyce

and from then on I'll ride 'round in my Rolls Royce So Flat tire pa-pa

ma-ma's gon-na give you air