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ver - y, ver - y far? My new Mamma is
 peeped in - to the room, Please tell me is this

ver - y cross, and scolds me ev - 'ry day, I
 Hea - ven, Ma'am, and will they let me stay? For -

guess she does not love me, for I'm al - ways in the way.
 ev - er, child, for this is home, and you're not in the way.

CHORUS.
Valse lento.

Al - ways in the way, So they al - ways

Always in the way.

say, — I won - der why they don't kiss me,

Just the same as sis - ter May, Al - ways in the

way, — I can nev - er play, — My own Mam-

ma would nev - er say I'm al - ways in the way. —

Always in the way.

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"You never spoke to me like that before."

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CHORUS.

You ne - er spoke to me like that be - fore, John, You
used to love and kiss me ten - der - ly, You
al - ways held me tight - ly in your arms, John, Some

You never spoke etc.

For Sale, A Baby

CHAS. K. HARRIS' Instantaneous Child
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The song is based upon the following advertisement extracted
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**WHO WILL BUY THIS BABY? \$500 PRICE
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**He is Blue-Eyed and Chubby, Light-Haired and Never Cries.
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"FOR SALE.—My little Leopold Wagner; he is only one year two months old, with blue eyes like the sky and light hair and chubby and good like an angel. I cannot support it any more. I am a hard-working woman, and I love my Leopold, but will sell him for \$500 if I get it from a nice Jewish family. Mrs. NELLIE WAGNER, No. 84 Cannon Street."

Supporting in her arms a crooning, chubby infant that has just learned to lisp "Mama," Mrs. Nellie Wagner called at the "AMERICAN" office yesterday and dictated the above advertisement.

The infant was bright enough. There was laughter in his eyes and sunlight in his yellow hair tossed at random over his pretty shapely head. Instead of crying when he left his mother's arms, the wee one crooned and made friends with everybody.

With tears coursing down her cheeks the mother told her story.

"It is a year and two months since my Leopold was born," she said. "He is such a pretty baby, and I love him, but, my God! what shall I do? His father will not support us. I have to work at the

wash all day. Comes the day maybe when Leopold gets sick, and I have no money to buy him medicine. If he shall die I go crazy. So I bring him down to you and ask that you put it in the paper that I will sell my little Leopold to some good Jewish family. Maybe some woman has not a pretty baby, but would want one and my Leopold is so pretty. She shall have him."

And clutching the baby in her arms the mother smothered him with kisses.

"Do you mean that you are willing to give up your baby for good?" Mrs. Wagner was asked "Never to see him again?"

"Yes," she replied slowly. "I cannot keep him When he cries at night the woman at the house says we must both get out. My God, where shall I go with him? Is it not better that I sell him then?"

"One of these days, perhaps, you will regret having sold the boy," was suggested.

"No, no," she replied. "I have another one, a fine boy. He will be twelve years old soon, and he will come out of the institution and support his mother."

CHORUS

For sale, a baby, with golden hair,
For sale, a baby, so sweet and fair;
For sale, a baby, who'll smile and coo,
For sale, a baby, with eyes of blue.

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CHORUS

You never spoke to me like that before John,
You used to love and kiss me tenderly,
You always held me tightly in your arms, John,
Some fairer face has won your love from me,
You always had a kind word and a smile, John,
The love light in your eyes, I see no more
My heart tells me at last, your love for me has passed,
For you never spoke to me like that before.

FOR SALE - A BABY.

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REFRAIN.

For sale, a ba - by, with gold - en
hair, For sale, a ba - by, so sweet and
fair; For sale, a ba - by, who'll smile and

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