

No. 3 Blues

C Instruments

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A $\text{♩} = 110$
 $B\flat^\Delta$ $B\flat^7$ Gm^7 $A\flat^{o7}$

1. I was just a young boy in the count - ry - side,
2. I was run - nin' ev - ery day and ev - ery night,
3. I'm so broke there ain't a pe - nny to my name,

3 D^7 $D^7\#5$ $G\flat^7$ $G\flat^7\#5$

full of big id - eas and my count - ry pride. A
(I)-went down to the track look - in' for a fight. I
(I)-thought I'd make it big in this dist - ance game. Now

5 G^Δ G^7 G^6 $G\flat^6$

coup - le luck - y wins and it got to my head, I
thought that I was fast - e - nough to take a big win, but
first or sec - ond place would be just fine with me, -

7 Cm^7 C^o $F^7\#5$ $F^7\flat9$

thought I'd make it big, and I'd run for my bread. I
oh! I came in third-out on the track a - a - gain. I'm
but there ain't noth - in' left for num - ber three. - So

9 A $B\flat^\Delta$ $B\flat^7$ Gm^7 $A\flat^{o7}$


went in - to the ci - ty look - ing for a race,
liv - in' in the streets with just a pair of shoes,
if you catch your - self - itch - in' to leave home,


11 D^7 $D^7\#5$ $G\flat^7$ $G\flat^7\#5$

up to mi - le four I was right on pace. A
run - nin' all the time I got them dis - tance - blues. Ev -
(make)-sure you're fast e - nough to make it on your-own, but

13 G^Δ G^7 G^6 $G\flat^6$

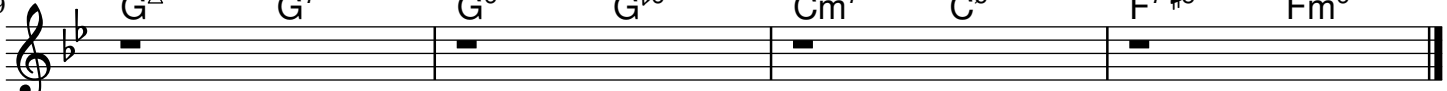
ci - ty slick - er passed-me and he done stole my girl,
ery day I go and eat what I can find, see
if you find your - self 'a wear - in' my old shoes,

15  C^7 $C\sharp^{\circ 7}$ $F^7 \#5$ $C^{\circ 7}$
 leav - in' me broke and a - lone in the world.
 ev - ery day's the-same in this long dis-tance grind.
 know-it-ain't so bad to have them num - ber three blues!

17  B A^9 $A^7 \#5 \flat 9$ $A m^7 \flat 13$ $A m^6$ G^{Δ} $G m^{\Delta}$ $G \flat^7 \flat 9$ $A^7 \flat 9$
 I ran so slowly that I lost the race. I'm so ashamed I finished in third place.

21  $C m^7$ $C m^6$ $C \flat^7 \#5 \#9$ $C \flat^{\Delta} \#9$ $A \flat^9$ $A \flat^7 \#5 9$ $D^7 \flat 9 \flat 13$ $F^7 \#9$
 Losin' on the track just ain't much fun, so I picked myself up and I went for a run.

25  A $B \flat^{\Delta}$ $B \flat^7$ $G m^7$ $A \flat^{\circ 7}$ D^7 $D^7 \#5$ $G \flat^7$ $G \flat^7 \#5$

29  G^{Δ} G^7 G^6 $G \flat^6$ $C m^7$ C° $F^7 \#5$ $F m^6$