

SM 369



# FOR SALE - A BABY.

BY THE AUTHOR OF THE WORLD-FAMOUS SONG AFTER THE BALL

Arr. by Al La Rue.

Words & Music by CHAS. K. HARRIS.

Andante.



1. In a cheer-less room there sits a sad young moth - er, Hold - ing  
 2. Days passed by, but no one came to buy the ba - by, And it

in her arms a babe so fair and sweet, In the pan-try there's no food to give the  
 seem'd each day to slow-ly droop and pine, No one cared that babe and moth-er both were

ba - by, There's no shoes to cov - er up its ti - ny feet, As she  
 starv - ing, And they on - ly smiled as they gazed at the sign; But one

Copyright MCMIII, by Chas. K. Harris.

Entered according to Act of the Parliament of Canada, in the year MCMIII by the Canadian American Music Co; at the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Can. British Rights Secured.

JOHN P. DOUGHERTY,  
DEALER IN  
MUSIC and STATIONERY  
22 W. THIRD ST. CLEVELAND, O.

gazes on her child the tears are fall - ing, And she  
morn - ing on the door - step clasped to - geth - er, They had

sobs "My dar - ling, I must part from you," Then she  
found the peace they could not find on earth, For the

paints a sign and hangs it in the win - dow, And it  
an - gels up a - bove had claimed the ba - by, And had

reads "A ba - by in this house for sale."  
seen the sign and tak - en her a - bove.

## 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

coo, — For sale, a ba - by, — with eyes of blue.