

## The Race Is On

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I feel tears wellin' up  
Cold and deep inside  
Like my heart's sprung a big break  
And a stab of loneliness sharp and painful  
That I may never shake  
You might say that I was takin' it hard  
Oh, she wrote me off with a call  
But don't you wager that I'll hide the sorrow  
When I may break right down and bawl

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One day I ventured in love  
Never once suspectin'  
What the final result would be  
How I lived in fear of wakin' up each mornin'  
Findin' that you're gone from me  
There's ache and pain in my heart  
For today was the one I hated to face  
Somebody new came up to win her  
I wound up in second place

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