

# TAKE ME AWAY FROM THE CITY

SONG



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The sheet music consists of four systems of musical notation. The first system shows a piano introduction in common time with a forte dynamic (f). The second system begins with the vocal line labeled 'VOICE' and the piano line labeled 'VAMP'. The lyrics for this section are: 'Fresh from the farm, Spreading a - larm, Ways of the town, Soon got em down,'. The third system continues with the vocal line and piano vamp, with lyrics: 'Jim - my and John - ny soon ran in to harm, They jazzed a - round, They were sure "fun - ny" but not like a clown, Jim sent a note,'. The fourth system concludes the vocal line and ends with a piano vamp. The fifth system starts with the piano vamp and ends with the vocal line continuing with lyrics: 'Paint-ed the town, John - ny grew wear - y and said with a frown. "Dad we are broke," Then he told John - ny a - bout all he wrote.' The music is written in common time with various dynamics and performance instructions.

## CHORUS

Take me a - way from the Ci - ty, I cant stand the strain,..... Oh the

p-f

wild, wild wo-men have set my head a swimmin', I try to be good in vain ..... The

bright lights are driv. - ing me craz - y, They've done me lots of harm,..... So

have a lit- tle pit-ty And take me from the City to my home down on the farm. .... farm.....