BACK IN MY SHELL

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One Night in the Tropics

A Universal Picture starring

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YOU AND YOUR KISS
YOUR DREAM
REMIND ME
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From The Universal Picture
"One Night In The Tropics"

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(A song of renunciation in the Negro manner)

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Slowly

Piano

mf

p

Smoothly, with expression *(with an assumption of Negro dialect)*

p

Back in my shell ___ like a re-spect-a - ble clam! ___ No more

love! ___ no more grief! ___ Back in my shell, ___

___ we two is part-in', Ma - dam! ___ No more love! ___ just re -

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lief! We seen the town! We had a styl - ish ro - mance you'd tear me

down! But you ain't get - tin' the chance. My rock - in' chair is call - in' me

so - cial - ly, Hon - ey I'm through! How - de - do! and fare -

well! Be - cause I'm craw - lin' back in my shell!

molto rit

No sense in griev - in', we had an ev - en break all a - long,

mf a tempo

— Don't crave no "Swan - ee," "Frank-ie and John - ny"

Down heart - ed song— a - bout me do - in' you wrong!

— Back in my shell— my eve - nin' pa - per in hand! — I'll just

p

sit ___ and ex - pand! ___ I give you air! ___ As of to -

night you is free,_ I give you air, ___ be - fore you give it to me,_ A hap - py

man I'm gon - na be! So - cial - ly, ba - by I'm through ___ How de -

do ___ and fare - well! ___ Be - cause I'm crawl-in' back_in my shell! ___

molto rit.

mf

THE UNIVERSAL PICTURE

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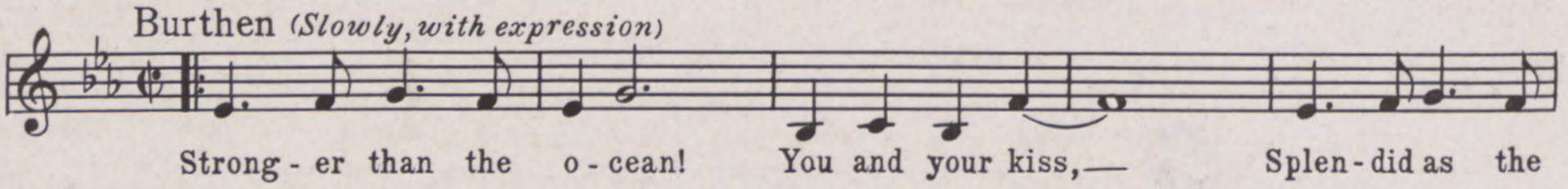

Your Dream
(Is The Same As My Dream)

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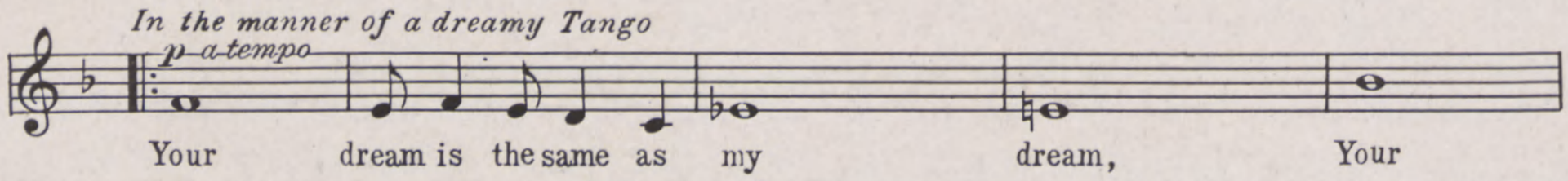

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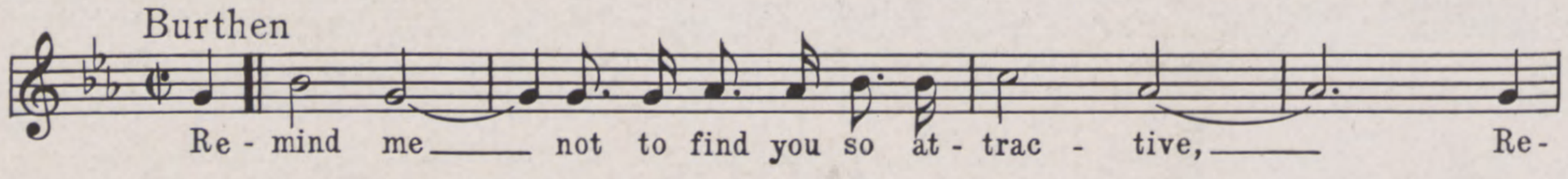

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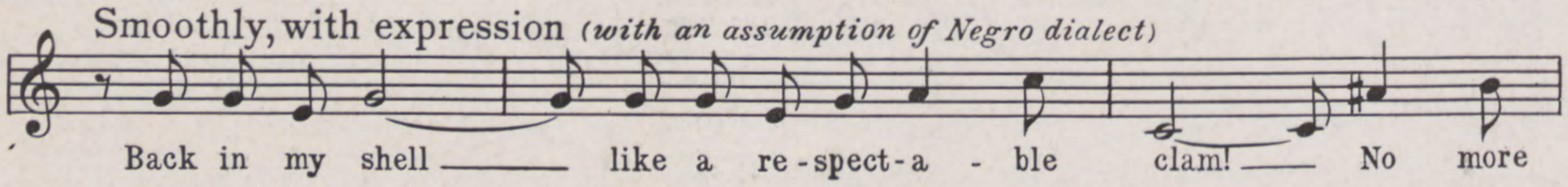

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