

# The Yellow Dog Blues

**Bessie Smith**

Ever since Miss Susie Johnson  
Lost her jockey Lee  
There has been much excitement  
And more to be You can hear her moanin?  
Moanin? night and morn  
She's wonderin' where her  
Easy rider's gone Cablegrams goes off in inquiry  
Telegrams goes off in sympathy  
Letters came from down in Bam  
Everywhere that Uncle Sam  
Is the ruler of delivery  
All day the phone rings, it's not for me  
At last good tidings fills my heart with glee  
This message came from Tennessee  
Dear Sue, your easy rider struck this burg today  
On a southbound rattler beside the Pullman car  
I seen him there and he was on the hog Oh, you easy rider's got to stay away  
She had to vamp it but the hike ain't far  
He's gone where the Southern cross the Yellow Dog  
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