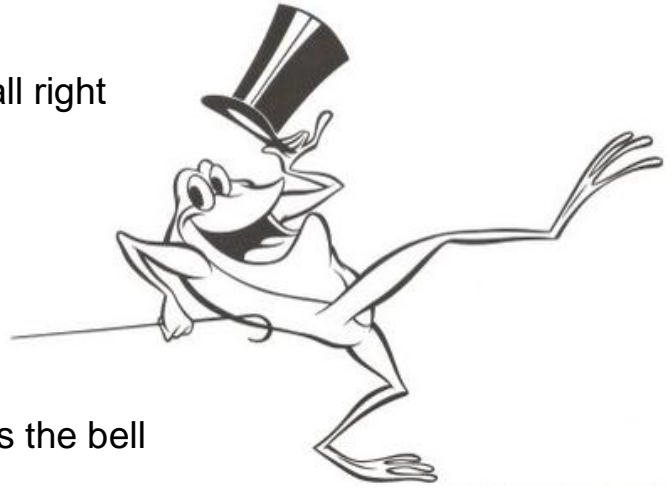


Hello Ma Baby

Howard and Emerson (1899)

C A7
I've got a little baby but she's out of sight
D7 G7
I talk to her across the telephone
C A7
I've never seen my honey but she's mine, all right
D7 G7
So take my tip and leave this gal alone
C A7
Every single morning you will hear me yell
D7 G7
Hey Central! Fix me up along the line
C A7
He connects me with ma honey, then I rings the bell
D7 G7
And this is what I say to baby mine



C A7 D7 D7
Hello ma baby, hello ma honey, hello ma ragtime gal
G7 G7 C// B// G7/ Gdim/ G7//
Send me a kiss by wire, baby my heart's on fire
C A7 D7 D7
If you refuse me, honey you'll lose me, then you'll be left alone
G7/// Gdim/ G7 C// F// C// G7//
Oh baby, telephone and tell me I'm your own

C A7
This morning thru the phone she said her name was Bess
D7 G7
And now I kind of know where I am at
C A7
I'm satisfied because I've got my baby's address
D7 G7
Here pasted in the lining of my hat
C A7
I am mighty scared 'cause if the wires get crossed
D7 G7
Twill separate me from my baby mine
C A7
Then some other guy will win her and my game is lost
D7 G7
And so each day I shout along the line

