

Tweedledee for President

[aka Let 'Em Eat Cake – Opening Act I]

Music and Lyrics by
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The musical score is written for voice and piano. It begins with a tempo marking of **(TEMPO DI MARCIA)**. The score is divided into measures, with measure numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 indicated. The piano part features dynamic markings of **ff** (fortissimo) and **p** (piano). The vocal line includes the lyrics "AH" under measures 3 and 7. A bracket above measures 3, 4, and 5 is labeled **(VOICES OFF STAGE?)**. The piano accompaniment consists of a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some chords and arpeggios. The score is written in a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 2/4 time signature.

12-4CR

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14 15 16

WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

mp *mf*

17 18 19 20

WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

mp *mf*

21 22 23 24

GIVE THE MAN A SE - COND CHANCE!

mp *f*

25 *p* 26 **(27)** *f* 28

HE HAS GIV - EN US RO - MANCE! TA TA TA TA TA

29 30 31 32

TA!

33 *mp* 34 35 36

WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

37 38 39 40
WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

mp *mf*

41 42 43 44
TA TA TA TA TA TA!

f

45 46 47 *mf* 48
TA TA TA TA

ff *mf*

49 50 51 52

WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

53 54 55 56

TA TA TA TA TA TA!

57 58 59 60

WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

61 62 63 *p* 64

65 66 67 *p* 68

69 70 71 72

HE'S THE MAN THE PEOP - LE CHOOSE;

73 *p* 75 74 76

LOVES THE I - RISH AND THE JEWS! TA TA TA, TA TA

77 78 79 80

TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA, TA TA

81 82 83 84 85

TA TA TA TA TA

86

87 88 89

OF THEE WE SING, BA - BY,

90

91 92 *poco a poco cresc.* 93

WIN - TER - GREEN, YOU'VE GOT THAT THING, BA - BY.

poco a poco cresc.

94

95 96 97

SHI - NING STAR AND IN - SPI - RA - TION, ONCE A - GAIN YOU'LL RULE THE NA - TION.

98 99 100 101

OF THEE WE SING! [WINTERGREEN PARADE EXITS]

f detached

102 [ENTRANCE OF TWEEDLEDEE PARADE]

103 104 105

TWEE - DLE-DEE! TWEE - DLE-DEE!

f

106 107 108 109

TWEE - DLE-DEE! TWEE - DLE-DEE!

f

110 111 112 113

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE

114 115 116 117

HE'S O. - K. TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE

118 119 120 121

LEADS THE WAY "T" DOU-BLE-"U" DOU-BLE-"E"-"D"

122 123 124 125

"L" "E" "D" DOU-BLE "E" THAT SPELLS TWEE-DLE-DEE...

(126) 127 128 129

RA TA TA TA TA TA TA RA TA RA TA TA TA TA

130 131 132 133

YES SIR TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE

134 135 136 137

HE HAS GUTS! TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE

138 139 (140) 141

HE'S THE NUTS! RA TA TA TA TA

142 143 144 145

RA TA TA TA TA YAN - KEE DOO - DLE

146 (148) 147 149

NEEDS THAT NOO - DLE TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE

150 151 152 153

AY RA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA

154 155 156 157

RA TA TA TA TA

158 159 (160) 161

YAN - KEE DEE-DLE-EE-DLE TWEE-DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE, TWEE - DLE-DEE,

162 163 164 165

LEADS THE WAY! TWEE - DLE-DEE, TWEE - DLE-DEE,

166 167 168 169

HE'S O. - K.! HE'S THE MAN THE COUN-TRY SEEKS!

170 171 172 173

LOVES THE WOPS AND GREEKS! TA TA
[TURKS]

174 (RESOLUTO) 175 176 177

TA! TA TA TA! TA TA

178 179 180 181

TA TA TA TA TA TA TA!

182

183

184

185

TWEE-DLE-DEE,

TWEE-DLE-DEE,

AY!

(186)

187

188

189

[WINTERGREEN PARADE RE-ENTERS]

190

191

192

193

[OPTIONAL CUT TO 21]

194

195

196

197

[THE TWO FACTIONS COME FACE TO FACE AT LAST!]

198

199

200

201

202

203

-DE
204

205

206

(A TEMPO)

207 208 209

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE LEADS THE WAY!

WIN - TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I - DENT!

p *mp*

210

211 212 213

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE HE'S O. - K.

WIN - TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I - DENT!

p *mp*

214

215 216 217

T DOU-BLE-U - DOU-BLE-E - D - L - E - D - DOU-BLE - E!

HE'S THE MAN THE PEOP - LE CHOOSE

p *mf*

218 219 (220) 221

THAT SPELLS TWEE-DLE-DEE RA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA RA TA

LOVES THE I-RISH AND THE JEWS! TA TA TA TA TA TA

mf

222 223 224 225

RA TA TA TA TA YES, SIR!

TA

dim.

226 227 228 229

TWEE-DLE-DEE TWEE-DLE-DEE HE HAS GUTS

WIN-TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I-DENT!

mp

230 231 232 233

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE HE'S THE NUTS.

WIN - TER - GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

234 235 236 237

RA TA TA TA TA TA RA TA TA TA TA

TA TA TA TA TA TA!

mf

238 239 240 241

YAN - KEE DOO - DLE NEEDS THAT NOO - DLE

TA TA TA TA!

f *p*

242

243 244 245

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE AY!

WIN - TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I - DENT!

246

247 248 249

RA TA TA TA TA TA TA RA TA TA TA TA

TA TA TA TA TA TA!

250

251 252 253

YAN - KEE DEE-DLE-DEE FOR TWEE-DLE-DEE

WIN - TER-GREEN FOR PRES - I - DENT!

mf *p*

254

255 256 257

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE LEADS THE WAY

AH!

258

259 260 261

TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE HE'S O. - K!

AH!

f *p*

262

263 264 265

HE'S THE MAN THE COUN - TRY SEEKS

HE'S THE MAN THE PEO - PLE CHOOSE!

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266

267

(268) (RISOLUTO)

269

LOVES THE WOPS AND GREEKS!
[TURKS] TA TA TA TA

LOVES THE I - RISH AND THE JEWS!
TA TA TA TA

mf

270

271

272

273

TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA

TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA TA

274

275

276

277

TA TWEE - DLE-DEE TWEE - DLE-DEE

TA TA TA TA TA!

dim.

dim.

VI -
[OPTIONAL CUT
TO 292]
279

(280)

278

WE WANT
WIN-TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I-DENT

cym. crash

p *poco*

282

TWEEDLE-DEE TWEEDLE-DEE "T" DOU-BLE "L" - DOU-BLE "E" - "D" -
WIN-TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I-DENT AH

a *poco* *cresc.*

286

"L" - "E" - "D" - DOU-BLE "E" AH
WIN-TER-GREEN FOR PRES-I-DENT AH

- DE

(292) A TEMPO

290 AH AH TWEE-DLE-DEE! TWEE-DLE-DEE!

291 AH AH WIN-TER-GREEN! WIN-TER-GREEN!

294 TWEE-DLE-DEE! TWEE-DLE-DEE! THIS FOR WIN-TER-GREEN!

295 WIN-TER-GREEN! WIN-TER-GREEN! THIS FOR TWEE-DLE-DEE!

296

297

298

299 (ruzz) TWEE - DLE -

300 WIN - TER -

301

302 303 304 305

DEE!
GREEN!

306 307 308 309