

## Mary Dixon

### "All Around Mama"

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Woom dum dum... (a bad attempt at transcribing scat singing...)

I've had men, all the sizes  
Had 'em tall and lean  
Had 'em short, had 'em flabby  
Had 'em in between

I'm an all round mama  
I'm an all round mama  
I'm an all round mama, with an all round mind

Once I had a big fat man  
Big as he could be  
But I left my big fat man  
He slept too close to me

I met a man, he was a jockey  
Did the things he should  
Always ready, that's the reason  
He could ride so good

I'm an all round mama  
I'm an all round mama  
I'm an all round mama, with an all round mind

Had a boy, young and tender  
Treated me so fine  
Never had nothing else but  
That thing on my mind

I met a man, in the gin mill  
We drank gin so fast  
Took me home, I remember  
I said "oh my yas"

Woom dum... (scat chorus)

I met a man, was a butler  
When he spoke I ran  
Was too mannish for a woman

Too girlish for a man

Saw a man, good old sweetbag,  
Said that I should know  
He didn't do any lovin'  
'Less he get some dough

All round mama  
I'm an all round mama  
I'm an all round mama, with an all round mind

Met a man, down in Georgia  
Brought his meals to bed  
Liked my feet, and my cabbage  
Wild about my bread

Had a man, gave my money  
Left him way last Fall  
When he said: can I get it  
I said: Baby take it all

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