

## MATILDA

But that's not right!

## MR. WORMWOOD

You're off to school in a few days and I know your headmistress Agatha Trunchbull. I've told her all about you. Scary woman she is, used to compete in the Olympics, throwing the hammer. Imagine what she's going to do to a horrible little goblin like you, boy.

## MATILDA

I'm a girl.

## MR. WORMWOOD

Now get off to bed you little... bookworm!

*(MATILDA goes to her room and picks up a book.)*

## SCENE 2: MATILDA'S BEDROOM

*(#3 - NAUGHTY begins.)*

# NAUGHTY

Bright, swung

MATILDA:



Jack and Jill went up the hill to





fetch a pail of wa - ter, So they say, The





sub - se - quent fall was in - e - vi - ta - ble, They




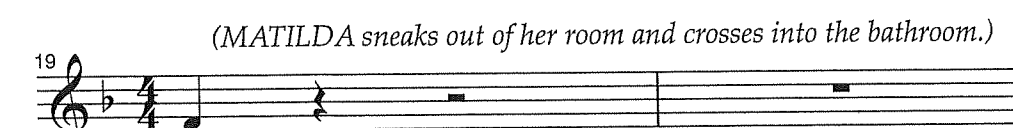
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 ne - ver stood a chance, they were writ-ten that way. I

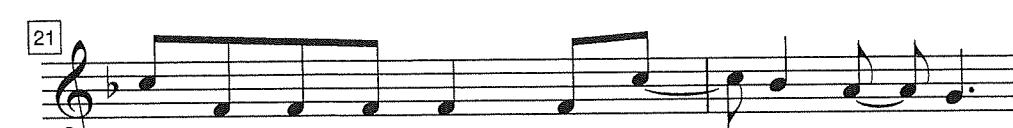
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 won-der why they did - n't just change their sto - ry.

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 We're told we have to do what we're

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 told, but sure - ly...

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 Some-times you have to be a lit - tle bit naugh -

(MATILDA sneaks out of her room and crosses into the bathroom.)  
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 ty!

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 Just be - cause you find that life's — not fair, — It



23 does-n't mean that you just have to grin and bear\_\_ it.

25 *relaxed*  
If you al-ways take it on the chin and wear it,

27 Noth - ing will change. Ev -

29 - ven if you're lit-tle, you can do a lot,\_\_ You must-

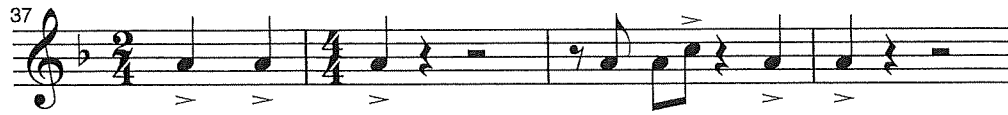
31 - n't let a lit-tle thing like lit-tle stop\_\_ you.

33 If you sit a-round and let them get on top,\_\_ You


35 might as well be say-ing you think that it's O-K and







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that's not right. And if it's not right,

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You have to put it right. But

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no - bo - dy else — is gon - na put it right for me,

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No - bo - dy but me is gon - na change my sto - ry,

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Some-times you have to be a lit-tle bit naugh-ty!

*(MATILDA opens a cabinet, taking out the bottle of peroxide.)*

**(MATILDA)**

*(reading the bottle)*

"Platinum Blonde Hair Dye – Extra Strong. Keep out of reach of children." Hmmm.

*(picks up another bottle, reads it)*

"Oil of Violets Hair Tonic. For Men." Yep.

*(She opens the hair tonic and pours peroxide into it. She shakes the bottle, then replaces them both in the cabinet.)*

*(MATILDA crosses back to her bedroom, triumphant.)*

*(#4 – GREEN HAIR begins.)*