

**CALLAHAN:** (*smells resume*)

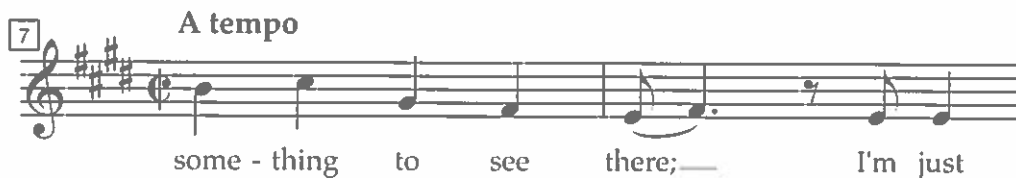
Dear God, it's scented.

**EMMETT:**

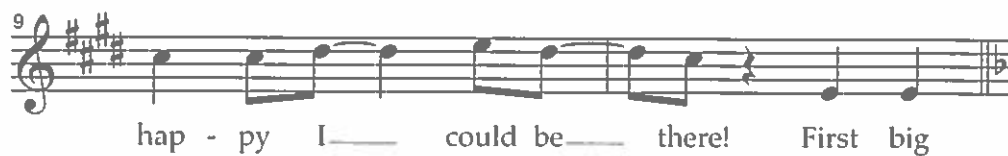


She was

**A tempo**



some - thing to see there; — I'm just



hap - py I — could be — there! First big



test and she ached it! — She's so close she can taste

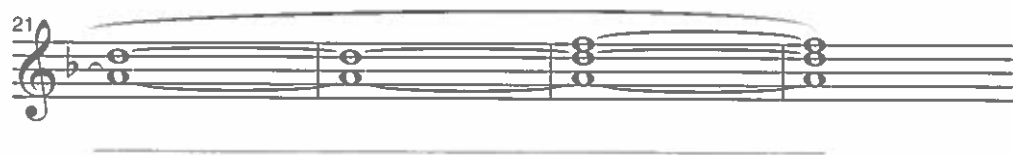
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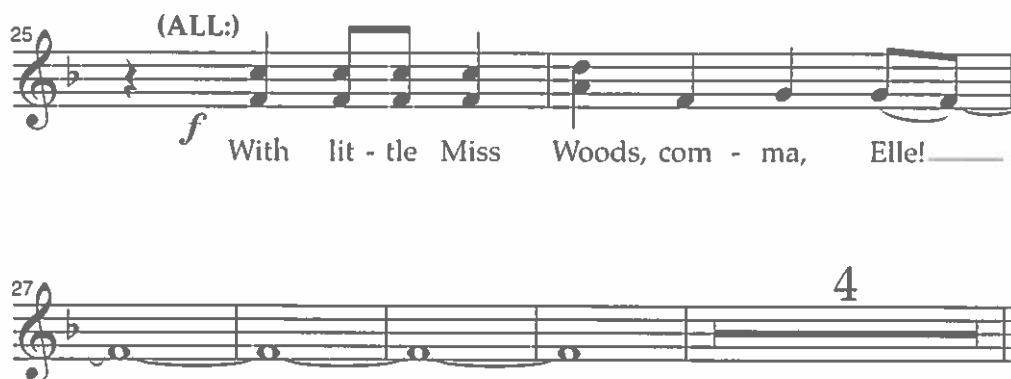


— it! She got a chip on her shoul - der...



— Guess you ne-ver can tell...





(#18 – CHIP ON MY SHOULDER (PLAYOFF) begins.)

## SCENE NINE

*(A dumpy trailer has appeared, ELLE enters with PAULETTE by her side, trailed by EMMETT.)*

**ELLE**

Paulette, are you ready?

**PAULETTE**

I don't know, Elle. Dewey scares me.

**ELLE**

Channel that fear and tell yourself you are a strong, independent woman. You **MUST** be reunited with your dog.

*(DEWEY enters and sees PAULETTE.)*

**DEWEY**

Paulette, get offa my property!

**PAULETTE**

I wanna see my dog, Dewey! I bet you didn't even know it's his birthday today.

**DEWEY**

*(taunting, sings)*

Well, you can't see him! Best decision I ever made? Throwin' you out!

*(DEWEY begins to leave.)*

**PAULETTE**

Can you believe I lived with that for ten years? That cheap-skate never even got me a ring!