

**ANNIE, ORPHANS**

Yes, Miss Hannigan.

**MISS HANNIGAN**

Now!

*(The ORPHANS run for pails and return to front.)*

Why any kid would want to be an orphan, I'll never know.

*(#5 – IT'S THE HARD-KNOCK LIFE begins.)*

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*(As MISS HANNIGAN exits slamming the door behind her, the ORPHANS throw down their scrub brushes.)*

**Moderato in 4**

**ALL ORPHANS:**

It's the hard-knock life for us!

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**ANNIE: ALL ORPHANS:**

'Stead - a treat - ed, we get tricked!


**ANNIE: ALL ORPHANS:**

'Stead - a kiss - es, we get kicked!

It's the hard-knock life! Got no folks to



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speak of, so, it's the hard-knock row we hoe!

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**ANNIE:** **ALL ORPHANS:**



Cot - ton blan - kets, 'stead - a wool!

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**ANNIE:** **ALL ORPHANS:**



Emp - ty bel - lies, 'stead - a full!

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**ANNIE:**



It's the hard-knock life! Don't it

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**KATE, TESSIE:**



feel like the wind is al-ways howl-in'? Don't it

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**DUFFY, JULY:**



seem like there's nev-er an - y light? Once a

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**MOLLY, PEPPER:**



day, don't you wan-na throw the towel in? It's

