

SMEE

But luckily the croc also swallowed a clock, which gives us the tick-tock-tick-tock so's we can get away before he reaches you.

(#11 **CROCODILE ENTRANCE**. A tick-tock is heard.)

Why, I can almost hear it now...

CAPTAIN HOOK

(genuinely afraid)

Oh no. The brute is here! Save me! Save me!!!!

SMEE

You over there, what are you doing?

SWEET SKYLIGHTS

I'm uh— just feeding the uh— pleasant creatures of the sea!

(HOOK looks over the side of the ship. It's the CROCODILE, who swims with mouth open. HOOK trembles.)

* **CAPTAIN HOOK**

Not that one!

(The PIRATES bat the CROCODILE away. HOOK composes himself.)

* Scoundrels: listen up!

*(During this the CROCODILE paces front of stage, eyeing the audience. #12 **NEVER SMILE AT A CROCODILE**.)*

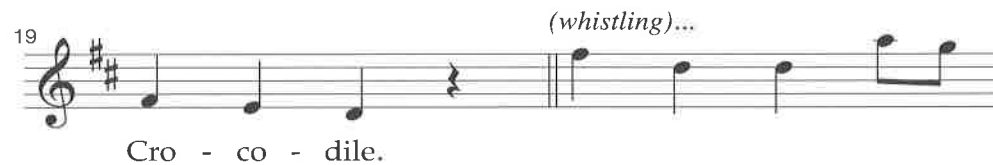
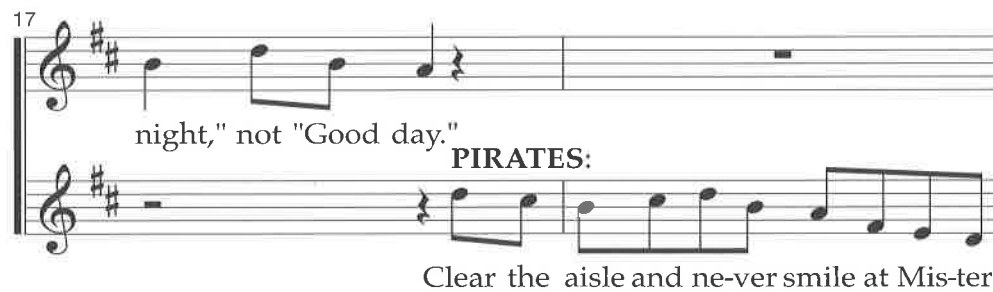
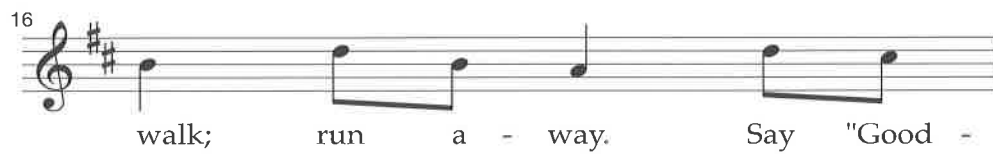
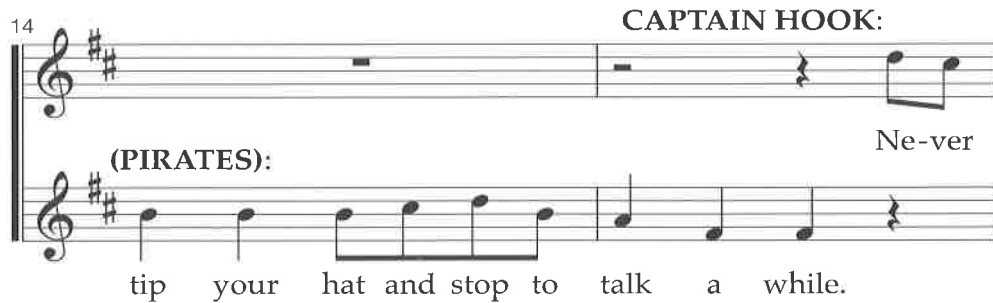
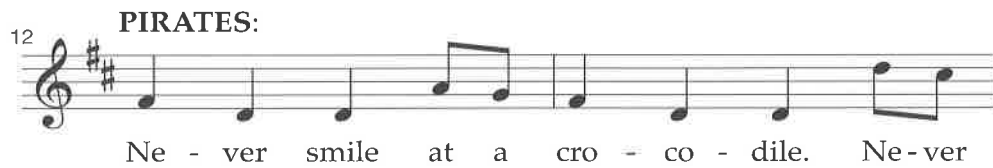
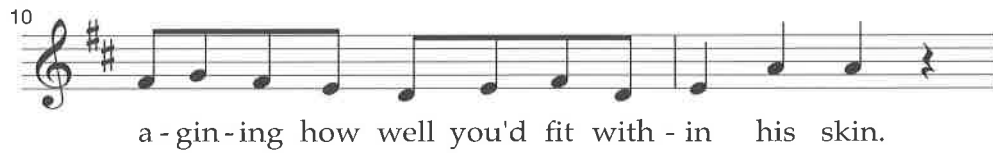
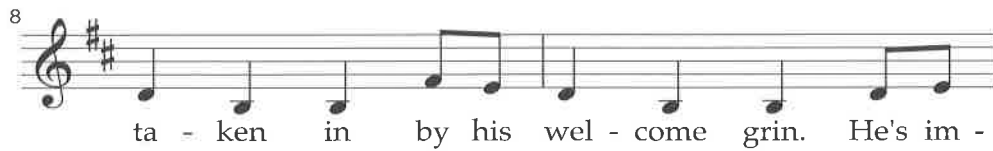
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à la Gilbert & Sullivan

3 **CAPTAIN HOOK:**

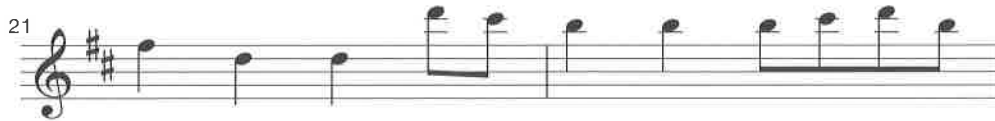
Ne - ver smile at a cro - co - dile. No, you

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can't get friend-ly with a croc - o - dile. Don't be



CAPTAIN HOOK: And Mr. Smee, you know the deepest fear that gnaws at me?

SMEE: What fear is that, Cap'n?



CAPTAIN HOOK: Someday the clock will run down and the beast will sneak up on me... and crunch and gnash and pulverize...



...until there's nothing left of me at all!



CAPTAIN HOOK:



Ne - ver smile at a cro - co - dle. Or you

PIRATES:



Ne - ver smile at a cro - co - dle. Or you



might get ea - ten by the cro - co - dle. Yes, it's



might get ea - ten by the cro - co - dle.

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true, take a look. Now my hand is a hook!

Clear the

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aisle and ne-ver smile at Mis-ter Croc - o

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dile! _____ Be gone!

Be gone!

(A PIRATE blows a ship whistle. The CROCODILE exits.)

FLINT

(spotting something offstage)

Peter Pan ahoy!

(The PIRATES race to their battle stations.)

CAPTAIN HOOK

Swoggle my eyes, it is Pan! Mr. Smee, pipe up the crew!

SMEE

Yes, sir!

CAPTAIN HOOK

Man the Long Tom, you bilge rats! I've waited years for this!

SMEE

And that's not counting holidays!