

4. Oliver

CUE: MR BUMBLE: (*faintly*): What?

Colla voce

OLIVER: Please, sir,

I want some more.

MR BUMBLE: (*roars*): More!

Agitato ♩ = 200

8 **WIDOW C.** **MR BUMBLE** **WIDOW C.** **MR BUMBLE** **WIDOW C.**

Catch him! Snatch him! Hold him! Scold him! Pounce him!

13 **12**

Trounce him! Pick him up and bounce him!

28 **MR BUMBLE** **Colla voce**

Wait! Be - fore we

34 **a tempo**

put the lad to task May I be so cur-ious as to ask his name?

40 **BOYS** (*spoken*) **Moderato** ♩ = 105 **WIDOW C. & MR B.** **MR BUMBLE**

O - li - ver! O - li - ver! O - li - ver! Ne - ver be - fore has a

45 **WIDOW C. & MR B.** **WIDOW C.**

boy want - ed more! O - li - ver! O - li - ver! Won't ask for more when he

49 **MR BUMBLE**
 knows what's in store. There's a dark thin wind - ing stair-way with-out an - y

53
 ban-i-ster Which we'll throw him down and feed him on cock-roach-es

57 **ALL** **MR BUMBLE**
 served in a can - i - ster. O - li - ver! O - li - ver! What will he do when he's

61
 turned black and blue? He will curse the day some - bo - dy named him

64 **ALL** **WIDOW C. & MR B.**
 O - li - ver. O - li - ver! O - li - ver!

69 **MR BUMBLE** **WIDOW C. & MR B.**
 Ne - ver be - fore has a boy want - ed more! O - li - ver! O - li - ver!

73 **WIDOW C.** **MR BUMBLE**
 Won't ask for more when he knows what's in store. There's a soo - ty

76
 chim - ney long o - ver - due for a sweep - ing out_ which we'll push him

80
 up and one day next year with the rats he'll be creep - ing out

83 **ALL** **MR BUMBLE**

O - li - ver! O - li - ver! What will he do in this terr - i - ble stew? He will

87 **ALL + WIDOW C.** *(Suddenly the GOVERNORS appear, disturbed from their meal)*

rue the day some-bo - dy named him O - li - ver.

91 **ALL GOVERNORS**

O - li - ver! O - li - ver! Ne - ver be - fore has a boy asked for more!

95 **GOVERNOR 1** *(spoken, flustered)* **GOV 2**

O - li - ver! O - li - ver! Pray some de - cor - um re - store I im - plore Let us

99 **GOV 3**

face this case it's un - pre - ce - den - ted quite ut - ter - ly He's dis -

103 **GOV 4**

graced this place en - cour - ag - ing oth - ers to wal - low in glut - ton - y

107 **ALL** **GOV 5** **ALL GOVERNORS**

O - li - ver! O - li - ver! Lock him in gaol and then put him on sale for the

111 **ALL GOVERNORS + BUMBLE, WIDOW C.** **+ ENSEMBLE**

high - est bid glad to be rid of O - li - ver!

WIDOW CORNEY: *(to assistants)* Lock him up! Collect his belongings and bring him back to me when you've done . . . *(To the rest of the BOYS.)* To bed - all of you!

SEGUE Scurry Music