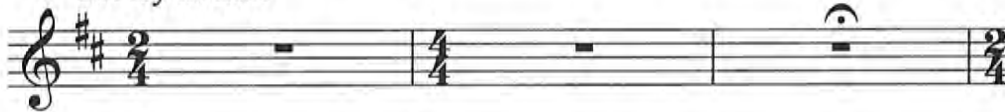


PRACTICALLY PERFECT

(MARY POPPINS pulls out a measuring tape, holds it against MICHAEL, and reads.)

(MARY POPPINS:) Just as I thought. "A noisy, mischievous, troublesome little boy."
 MICHAEL: You're making that up!
 (Without a word, MARY POPPINS holds the tape for MICHAEL to read.)
 "A noisy, mischievous, troub—"

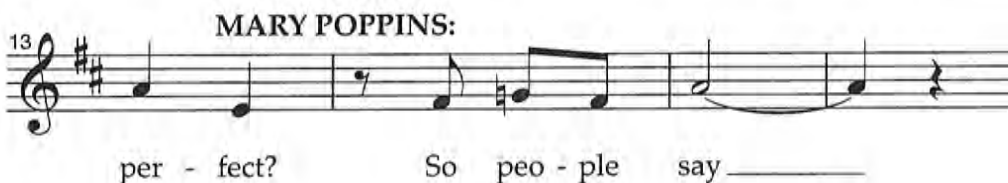
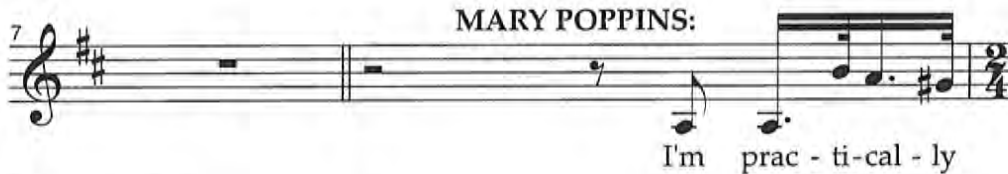
Freely at first



(Stunned, MICHAEL looks at JANE.)

MARY POPPINS: Now you. (She holds the tape against JANE and reads.)
 "Thoughtless, short-tempered and untidy."

JANE: I don't believe you. Let me see— (JANE looks at the truth-telling tape in disbelief.) What about your measurement, Mary Poppins?
 (MARY POPPINS measures herself, then reads:)





Each vir - tue vir - tu - 'lly knows no bound _____



Each trait is great and pat - ent - ly sound



I'm prac - tic - al - ly per - fect _____ from head to



toe If I had a fault it would nev - er dare to



show I'm so prac - tic - al - ly



per - fect In ev - e - ry way _____

(MARY POPPINS:) Now, perhaps you have a few questions.


MARY POPPINS: Never.

4 MICHAEL:



Not tem - p'ra - ment - al? Not

MARY POPPINS:
The very thought!

45  **JANE:**
grouch-y or gruff? — Will you stay

MARY POPPINS:
Quite the contrary.

48 
ten - der when the go - ing gets tough? —

MICHAEL:

51 
Do you read sto-ries with - out a big fuss?

MARY POPPINS:
Mm-hmm.

54  **JANE:**
— Or have ob - jec-tions to play - ing with us?

Meno mosso

58 
— Some mi-nor im - prove-ments may not go a -

Poco rit.

62 
miss But at all times you must re - mem - ber

(MARY POPPINS:) I like games. But I choose them. JANE, MICHAEL: That's not fair—

65

this...

MARY POPPINS: I didn't say I was fair. I said I was...

68

(MARY POPPINS:)

f prac - ti - cal - ly

70

per - fect, _____ and here's my aim:

73

By the time I leave here you both will be the

76

same. *mp* You'll be prac - ti - cal - ly

80

JANE, MICHAEL:

per-fect... *mf* Prac - ti - cal - ly per-fect...

(MARY POPPINS:)

85 *ff* You will be prac - ti - cal - ly

(JANE, MICHAEL:)

ff We will be prac - ti - cal - ly

Poco più mosso

88 per - fect in ev - 'ry way! _____

per - fect in ev - 'ry way! _____

92

MARY POPPINS

Best foot forward. Spit-spot.

(#9 – PRACTICALLY PERFECT – PLAYOFF.)