

The Chain

The musical score is written in 6/8 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of four systems, each with a Voice line and a Piano (Pno.) line. The lyrics are: "The of - fi-cer feels a slight tre-mor of un - ea - si ness as he nabs X. The pro-se-cu-tor tastes a bit-ter tang in his mouth as he pro-se-cutes the case. The judge shakes his head woe - ful - ly as he pass-es sen-tence."

System 1: The of - fi-cer feels a slight

System 2 (starts at measure 7): tre-mor of un - ea - si ness as he nabs X. The pro-se-cu-tor

System 3 (starts at measure 14): tastes a bit-ter tang in his mouth as he pro-se-cutes the case. The

System 4 (starts at measure 21): judge shakes his head woe - ful - ly as he pass-es sen-tence.

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Voice

X sobs pi-ti-ful-ly as he bit - ter - ly re-pents his crime.

Pno.

35

Voice

And the ex - e - cu - tion - er dis - plays a sor - row - ful coun - ten - ance

Pno.

42

Voice

just be - fore he pulls the le - ver just be - fore he pulls the

Pno.

48

Voice

le - ver just be - fore he pulls the le - - - ver.

Pno.