

# Butler's Bag

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Dropped D  
⑥=D

♩ = 200

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E-Gt

The score is divided into three systems. The first system shows the initial melody in 4/4 time, starting with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The guitar part is marked with a forte 'f' dynamic. The tablature below the staff shows fret numbers: 2-0, 2-5-2-0, 2-2, 5-3-3, 3, and X. The second system continues the melody with a key signature change to two flats. The tablature includes notes like (15), 0, 17, 16, (0), (17), (16), and 19. The third system features a complex melodic line with many natural harmonics. The tablature shows fret numbers 20, 17, 20, 17, 20, 17, 20, 17, 20, 17, 20, 17, X, 17, 21, 21, 19, 17, 21, 17, 0, and 16. Dynamic markings 'full' and '1/2' are used throughout to indicate volume changes.

T  
A  
B

T  
A  
B

T  
A  
B

9

full

T  
A  
B

11

T T T T T T

T  
A  
B

13

A.H. A.H. A.H.

T  
A  
B

15

full full

T  
A  
B

17

T  
A  
B

19

T

T

T  
A  
B

18 20 18 19 20 18 20 18 19 20 20 17 15 12 14 12 14 12

22

T  
A  
B

14 12 10 10 12 14 14 14 12 12 14 14 12 14 14 12 14 14 12

25

T  
A  
B

12 0 10 0 0 9 0 8 0 7 10 11 12 12

27

T  
A  
B

19 16 17 15 14 16 13 12 14 12 11 14 11

28

T  
A  
B

7 9 14 13 15 14 17 22 22 22 0

full