

# Model of a Modern Major-General

from "The Pirates of Penzance" or  
"The Slave of Duty"

William S. Gilbert, music  
Arthur S. Sullivan, lyrics, 1879  
arr. Craig Mason, 2010

$\text{♩} = 108$

Trombone

Tuba

6 Sing

Voice

Tba.

I am the ver-y mod-el of a mod-ern Ma-jor Gen-er-al; I've  
I know our myth-ic his-to-ry, King Ar-thur's and Sir Car-a-doc's; I

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Voice

Tba.

in-for-ma-tion veg-e-ta-ble, an-i-mal and min-er-al; I know the Kings of Eng-land, and I  
an-swer hard a-cro-tics, I've a pret-ty taste for par-a-dox; I quote in el-e-gi-acs all the

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Voice

Tba.

quote the fights his-tor-i-cal, from Mar-a-thon to Wa-ter-loo, in or-der cat-e-gor-i-cal; I'm  
crimes of He-li-o-ga-ba-lus! In con-ics I can floor pe-cu-li ar-i-ties pa-rab-o-lus. I can

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Voice

Tba.

ver-y well ac-quai-ted too, with mat-ters math-e-mat-i-cal, I un-der-stand e-qua-tions both the  
tell un-doubt-ed Ra-paha-els from Ge-rard Dows and Zoff-an-ies. I know the croak-ing cho-rus from the