

## Thoroughly Modern Millie JR Monologues

**Millie:** (*female*)

Hey, I'm broke, not poor. There a big difference. Poor sounds permanent, broke can be fixed. I have a plan so far ahead of its time it's almost too bold, too daring, too new woman! I'm going to marry my boss. I don't know when. As a matter of fact, I haven't got one yet. Love has nothing to do with it! Don't you read Vogue? This month's issue clearly states that modern marriage is a business arrangement. Love comes later, occasionally with the man you're actually married to.

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**Jimmy:** (*male*)

Girls like you arrive here everyday, so full of dreams you may as well be sleepwalking. Well, now that you're awake, why not ask yourself, "Do I belong here?" 'Cause New York is great, but the cost of living is high, and I'm not talkin' cash. And I can't help thinking if I were in your shoe\* I'd make beeline back to where did you say you're from? Kansas? You don't have a place to stay, no friends or family nearby, and you don't have a job. You ain't got nothin'! (*starts to walk away*). Kansas, was it? You'll soon say to yourself, "Well I had my big adventure, but is sure is good to be back in my own bed."

*\*not a typo – at this point Millie has lost one of her shoes*