

Crossed Lines Script

B	Where did you take her – somewhere exotic?
C	Sainsburys
B	Jamie Oliver goes there, doesn't he?
C	I think the best thing I can do is to go through the list with you.
B	Yes, yes, that's a good idea. So what was she like? What sort of girl?
C	French bread.
B	(Reaction)
C	Bloomers, too large.
B	What, kept slipping down did they? Well, if you will go ice skating, you will keep slipping down, won't you.
C	And rolls for £1.
B	She doesn't? (Laugh) What did you say her name was?
C	Hovis.
B	I think I know her. Isn't she pregnant at the moment though?
C	No, No, no current buns. They'd run out. (Laugh) A tin of something for the cat.
B	It all sounds very fishy to me, very fishy indeed. Did you say her parents were in oil?
C	Yes, the pilchards.
B	She sounds a right little raver. I don't know how she had the energy.
C	She said the milkman hadn't been round yet.
B	That would explain it. What did you do?
C	I had to get sterilised.
B	Goodness me!
C	To be on the safe side, I'll put them in the fridge when I get back.
B	Well, rather you than me.
C	Now where was I? (Working through list across next line "yes, yes dear")
B	So, she took you home and gave you a nightcap did she? What sort? (Pause) What, that sounds a bit of a strange drink.
C	Wel that's all she had – Fairy Liquid.
B	Oh I see, you had the lemonade and she had something stronger...
C	Yes, 3 tins of curry powder.
B	Oh I see, just to keep you going then. You lucky beggar, I wish I was there. (Pause) I say what sort of perfume was she wearing, something exotic?
C	Salt and vinegar, and smoky bacon.

B	Oh, making a pig of herself was she?
C	Sorry that was a mistake.
B	She was what, wearing a cross your heart bra?
C	I thought it said Oxo.
B	So, oh, er, so you naturally took the opportunity to have a quick
C	Butchers, yes dear. (Pause) Yes I didn't forget the steaks.
B	You saw her do what to the bra?
C	Fillet with two portions of sirloin. (Pause) Yes, I did make sure they were tender.
B	So, you had her sitting there, nicely on the boil, and then what did you do?
C	I went across the road for some apples.
B	That's all you need, isn't it. That is all you need, a dog leaping up into your lap.
C	The crunchy sort (pause) with the yellow skin.
B	Golden retriever
C	Golden delicious, yes.
B	I bet he bites people.
C	Yes, and Coxes Pippins (to sound like cocks his pippins)
B	(Pause) Yes, I'm sure, what a terrible thing to happen. So what exactly did you say?
C	I think I'm about to run out of credit, I'll have to go!
B	I guess that's all you could say. I say, you've never told me Phil, what this girl does for a living ... (girl appears) what, she what, she works at Sainsburys ?
Girl	You've forgotten your champagne Chris darling.
C	Shush (holding his hand over the mobile) It's for us dear, later.
B	I say Phil, is this girl six foot tall, blond, big blue eyes, and other things to match?
C	I'm sorry dear, I'm going to be late – I've got a fair bit to see to.
B	(Pause) I should forget it all Phil, I'm sorry old chap, you've been short-changed. (Chris and Girl walk off past Ben) Wiry little basket