

PLODS Episode 11 Scene 6
(Male auditionee - role of RAY MOLONEY)

INT DAY

Front doors of Oxlow Police Station open and RAY MOLONEY enters. The camera pans with him as he nervously walks to the front desk and apprehensively rings the bell. SGT CLARKE finishes his conversation and walks over to the desk.

CLARKE
Can I help you Sir?

MOLONEY
I didn't do it ya know.

CLARKE
I cannot be sure of the accuracy of your statement, Sir.

Close-up on MOLONEY, who looks terrified

CLARKE
Unless you tell me in detail what exactly IT is, I cannot make any judgement upon whether your statement is right or wrong now can I? Would you care to elaborate Sir?

MOLONEY (speaking fast and in an agitated manner)
I din't do it, Mrs Ross said I did but I din't honest! It was all her cat's fault. I told it not to scratch me, I bleedin' told it, but cats is thick. It woun't listen, stupid animal! I told it what would happen if it scratched me and I am not a person to be messed with, as my brother Steve will tell ya, so it was its dumb fault not mine OK?

CLARKE
Are you saying that you killed Mrs Ross's cat, Sir?

MOLONEY stands looking confused, not knowing what to say. As he thinks, he starts to cry.

MOLONEY
I din't kill it. It scratched me. Got to defend myself. My right, yeah?

SGT CLARKE looks exasperated.

CLARKE
Wait there please Sir.

SGT CLARKE shakes his head and walks away from the desk.

FADE INTO SCENE 7.