

PLODS Episode 21 Scene 9
(Female auditionee - role of ROSIE COBURN)

EXT DAY

WPC HARRIS walks along Ainwick Street towards Ainwick House. She goes up the stairs, across the first floor balcony, stopping at number 14. She knocks hard and loudly on the door.. There is no response, so she knocks again as the door of number 12 opens and ROSIE COBURN pokes her head out.

ROSIE
He's not there you know.

HARRIS
Sorry?

ROSIE
He's not there.

HARRIS
Who's not there?

ROSIE looks at HARRIS with smug defiance.

ROSIE
Whoever you're looking for. The bloke who lives there. He's not there.

HARRIS
When did you last see Arthur Lucas? Today? Yesterday?

ROSIE looks confused

ROSIE
Lucas? (Realising HARRIS may be trying to trick her) Oh! I get it. You're not getting me like that. I'm not a nark; specially with you damned coppers.

HARRIS
We urgently need to speak to Arthur Lucas of 14 Ainwick House, so could you please tell me...

ROSIE
I'm not telling you nothing cos I told you I'm not a nark. Go on, bog off!

ROSIE slams the door. HARRIS looks bewildered before walking away.

FADE INTO SCENE 10.