

## Trelawny and Ma Hawkins

*(Ma is busying herself in the scene, Trelawny enters rather flustered)*

Trelawny: HALT THE HAPPINESS

Ma: Surely not a fourth one?

Trelawny: What?

Ma: Never mind ducks *(Eric Morcambe esque fourth wall break)* Why dont you come and sit down and put your feet up

Trelawny: Sit down??... I can't sit down... Billy Bones is DEAD

Ma: What??? Dead... but I just took him his lunch not long ago

Trelawny: Well he's dead now, run down the curtain and joined the choir invisible

Ma: Well that's sad... *(snapping back to normality)* Now then ducks, what can I get you

Trelawny: You are awfully calm considering a man just died in your bedroom

Ma: How do you think I became a widow? *(offstage honk)* Now come on, have a seat, you're making me nervous

Trelawny: Well I don't mind if I do I suppose, I need something light and refreshing, have you got any coconuts?

Ma: Nah all I got is plums *(off stage honks again)*

Trelawny: Is that a goose out there?

Ma: Nah, Geoses don't honk, they speak Portugeese

Trelawny: How odd... I feel quite unsettled. I don't mind telling you, I've never seen a dead man before, It gave me chills right down in my....

Ma: *(offering a bag of crisps)* crinkle cut cheesy wotsit?

Trelawny: Boots

Ma: That reminds me, I must go to the chemist! Got to get some new spanx, I burst the last ones with a particularly violent game of Jenga... *(Starts grabbing her things)*

Trelawny: But what about the body?

Ma: Oh I shouldn't worry about that, Jim will take care of him, as long as he's out of there before he starts decomposing on the carpet we should be alright. Ta Ta love

Trelawny: Well I never!