Maid 3:

2- Detective:

Hi, Maid – How goes the evening routine?

2- Maid:

Shh! The boys are finally asleep! Phew! I’m not sure how much of this I can take! Please tell me you’re close to finding out what happened to her!

3- Detective

1 - I’ve made some progress but I still have a few more questions about her personal life (goto 4)

2 – I was wondering if you knew anything about “the accident” (goto 5)

3 – Any chance there’s anything about any of the household that you’ve not been telling me? (goto 6)

4 – It’s time for me to leave (goto 12)

4 – Maid

Go ahead! Anything I can do, to be sure, Sir! (goto 4a)

4A – Detective

1 – some people have been saying you’d stop at nothing to steal the Nanny’s job, and that I should be suspecting you… What do you have to say about this? (goto 4b)

2 – Did you know she was sleeping with the Nephew? (goto 4D)

3 – I’ve changed my mind. Please excuse me. (goto 4c)

4b – Maid

Oh Sir! I would never! The shame! Please, don’t think such things of me. (goto 4A)

4c – Maid

That’s quite OK. Anything else you want to know? (goto 3)

4d – Maida

That’s awful! I had no idea! His poor wife, all shamed now, I don’t know what to think. Truly awful! (goto 3)

5 – Maid

Oh jeepers, Sir, there’s some things we don’t talk about in this house, we don’t. It was truly awful, so it was! (goto 5A)

5A- Detective

1 - We shall speak of it no more (goto 5B)

2- I already know the Duchess’s daughter was involved and it didn’t end well… (goto 5C

5B – Maid

Why thankyou, Sir, I was starting to feel a little dizzy, so I was. (goto 5F)

5C – Maid

Ghastly, it was, ghastly. I feel so sorry for the poor nanny, so I do. She felt so bad, so she did. Oh my goodness! I’m starting to feel all faint, so I am. Oh! (goto 5D)

5D – Assistant

Quick! Catch her before she falls! I would go away and come back with any more questions for her later, unless you think you’ve got enough. Good thing the twins are sleeping or it might be your turn to watch them next, Detective! (goto 5E)

5E – Detective

\*shudders\* (exit)

5F – Detective

Well we wouldn’t want that.

1 – I’ve made some progress but I still have a few more questions about her personal life (goto 4)

2 – Any chance there’s anything about any of the household that you’ve not been telling me? (goto 6)

3 – I think I understand… (goto 12)

6 – Maid:

Sir, there’s,… I shouldn’t. (goto 7)

7 – Detective

Go on! It could be important (goto 8)

8 – Maid

But sir! It could cost my position! (goto 11)

9 – Detective

I’ll be the picture of disgression (goto 11)

10 – Maid

Very well. It was a few evenings ago, Sir, and I walked in on the Duchess having strong words with her nephew, so I did, Sir. Something about honour, or so I thought! But then she heard me coming through the door and closed up sharpish, she did, Sir. Didn’t hear another peep from her all the time I was sorting out his bedpan, so I didn’t. Thought I was in trouble until she asked me this morning to look after the boys, so she did, Sir. (goto 11)

11- Detective

Very illuminating. Thankyou! (goto 12)

12 - Detective

I think I know everything I need from you for now, thankyou. I’ll have the butler fetch you when I think I know what happened to the poor girl. (end)