

Girl 1 is reading a Red Eye on the train.

Girl 2 approaches her, sits next to her.

GIRL 2

Oh my god, can you believe it?

Girl 1 looks up from her paper.

GIRL 1

I don't even... I mean --

GIRL 2

How does this happen again?

GIRL 1

I know, right? It's a total --

BOTH GIRL 1 AND 2

Disaster.

GIRL 2

And you know... some people don't even know about it.

(Beat)

GIRL 1

Really?

GIRL 2

Yeah, this guy at work -- I was talking to him about it -- he starts looking at me with this blank stare --

GIRL 1

Jesus -- what planet are you from --

GIRL 2

Seriously.

GIRL 1

Pick up a paper --

GIRL 2

Forget pick up a paper -- open your eyes --

GIRL 1

Some people are just ignorant.

GIRL 2

Yeah, but when it affects so many people.

GIRL 1

(with a chuckle)

Seriously --

GIRL 2

So many people --

GIRL 1

Yeah, what's the count at now -- like twenty?

GIRL 2

Yeah serio...

(beat)

Wait what?

(Beat)

GIRL 1

What?

GIRL 2

What are you talking about?

(Beat)

GIRL 1

What are you talking about?

GIRL 2

Um, the massive oil spill that is devastating the Gulf and ruining an entire marine environment and threatening a community that was very recently decimated by a hurricane -- what are you talking about?

(Beat)

GIRL 1

I too was talking about you the decimation of the thing.

Girl 2 snatches the paper from her and looks at it.

GIRL 2

Tiger Woods?!!

GIRL 1

What?

GIRL 2

You're reading about fucking Tiger Woods?!

GIRL 1

Dude you're the one who approached me!

GIRL 2

Yeah cuz I thought you were reading the paper.

GIRL 1

I am reading the paper.

GIRL 2

No you're not you're reading about Tiger fucking Woods!

GIRL 1

It's on the front page.

(Quick Beat)

GIRL 2

Yeah... well --

GIRL 1

Where's your story?

GIRL 2

What?

GIRL 1

About the spill thing or whatever.

GIRL 2

It's right here.

Where?	GIRL 1
<u>Here.</u>	GIRL 2
	(Quick Beat)
Ummm...	GIRL 1 (can't find it)
Beneath the coupons.	GIRL 2
	(Beat)
Oh.	GIRL 1
Yeah.	
Right.	
	(Beat)
Well are you going to read it?	GIRL 2
This is my stop.	GIRL 1
	(Quick Beat)
So?	GIRL 2
I read the news on my commute. I'm home now.	GIRL 1
	(She exits)
	(Beat)

GIRL 2
(to herself)

Home...