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British English 

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Make a phonemic (broad) transcription of the following passage:

1. Miss Jones is coming to lunch tomorrow. What am I to give her to eat?
2. What does she like?
3. That's not the question, really. She has all these dreadful allergies.
4. So I'm terrified of giving her something that'll bring her out in spots.
5. What can she eat?
6. Well, I imagine steak doesn't disagree with her.
7. But I believe she comes out in a rash if she touches onions.
8. For goodness sake! Ring up her house and ask them.



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/'prɒbləm ˌgest/

1. /'mɪs ˌdʒəʊnz ɪz kʌmɪŋ tə lʌntʃ tə ,mɒrəʊ. ˈ- wɒt əm aɪ tə ɡɪv ə tu ˌi:t?/
2. /'wɒ(t) dəz ʃi ˈlaɪk?/
3. /(ðæ)ts nɒt ðə ˈkwɛstʃən ˌ ,rɪəli. ʃi æz ɔ:l ði:z ˌdredfl ˈælədʒɪz./
4. /səʊ aɪm ˈterəfaɪd | əv ɡɪvɪŋ hɜ: ˌsʌmθɪŋ | ðətl 'brɪŋ ər aʊt ɪn ˈspɒts./
5. /wɒt ˈkæn ʃi ɪ:t?/
6. /ˌ ,wel | aɪ mædʒɪn ˈsteɪk dʌznt dɪsə ˌɡrɪ: wɪð hə.
7. bət aɪ bə'li:v | ʃi 'kʌmz aʊt ɪn ə ˈræf ɪf ʃi tʌtʃɪz ˌ ,ʌŋjənz./
8. /fə 'ɡʊdnəs ˈseɪk. 'rɪŋ ʌp ə ˈhaʊs ən ˈaɪsk ðəm./

