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"Miss Moore! You can't possibly consider this! Even if the money is good, you shouldn't..."

"I don't actually plan to work there. I want to collect evidence to help bring down the criminals."

Hannah turned to Cornelius. If you introduce me, do I stand a chance of getting hired?"

"Given your Looks, you'll certainly get the job." Cornelius moistened his dry lips.

"But... you should be aware that our bar has diverse customers, and I can't guarantee your safety."

"You needn't worry about that. Just get me in, and I'll take care of gathering evidence."

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After pondering briefly, Cornelius nodded.

"Alright, I'll contact you when we're hiring. You can come in when Valery is around."

"Excellent."

Following a hospital visit for some bandages, Hannah reassured Eva, took her back to school, and then drove herself home.

As she approached her apartment building, just about to drive in, she noticed Bryson waiting near the entrance.

Pulling over, she got out of the car and gestured to Bryson.

"What brings you here?"

Upon seeing her smile, Bryson handed her a bag.

"I picked up your favorite dessert from that place you Like."

Recognizing the dessert she had once praised, Hannah picked it up and suggested, "How about we head upstairs and relax for a bit?"

Although now officially a couple, Bryson still felt a tinge of unease at Hannah's proposition.

Just as Bryson was about to reply, he spotted the bandage encircling Hannah's arm.

His expression darkening slightly, he gently held her wrist and looked at the wound, asking, "What happened?"

Hannah, keen on sparing Bryson any concern, fabricated a story, fumbled with something during class and ended up scratching my arm.

I got it treated at the hospital, so there's no need to worry."

Bryson was about to examine the arm more closely when his phone buzzed.

Picking up, the conversation caused his brow to furrow. He muttered a response before disconnecting the call.

"Would you like to join me for an event tonight?" he asked.