

BUT I GUESS THERE IS REALLY NO POINT IN GOING INTO THAT.

I FIND MYSELF IN THIS CURRENT TROUBLED POSITION.

THAT'S RIGHT AND NOW...

I TAKE IT YOU DON'T LIKE LAWYERS.



YOUR PARENTS WON ME AT AUCTION...

AND FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS I'LL BE YOUR BODYGUARD.

PLEASUED TO MEET YOU.

MY NAME IS SAM BRIMSTONE.



WHAT?

DO YOU MIND IF I CALL YOU JAMIE?

PLEASE CALL ME SAM.

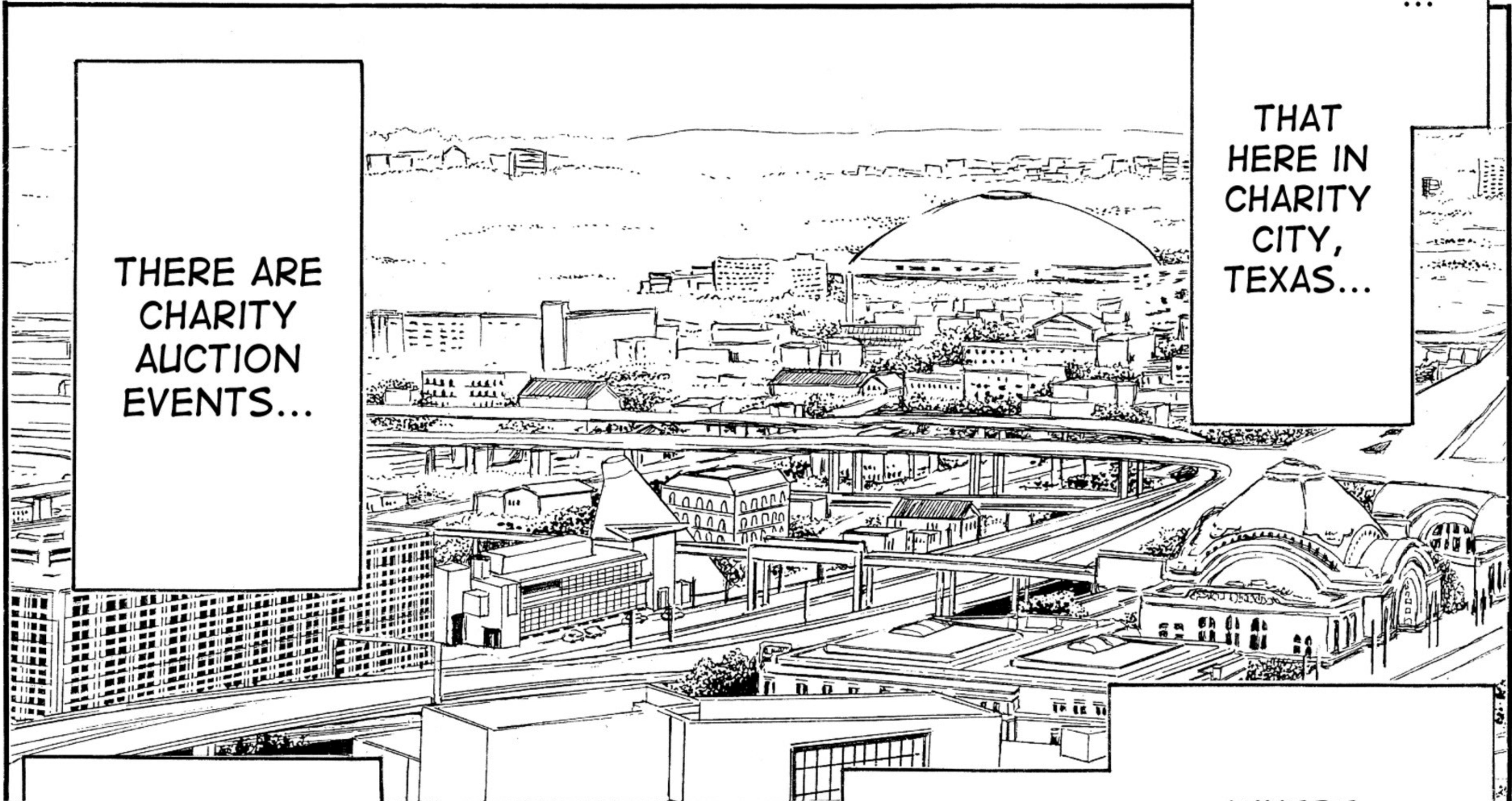




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IT'S TRUE ...



THERE ARE CHARITY AUCTION EVENTS...

THAT HERE IN CHARITY CITY, TEXAS...



THE MONEY RAISED IS DONATED TO CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS IN THE CITY.

AND PEOPLE WHO HAVE NEED OF THOSE ABILITIES BID.

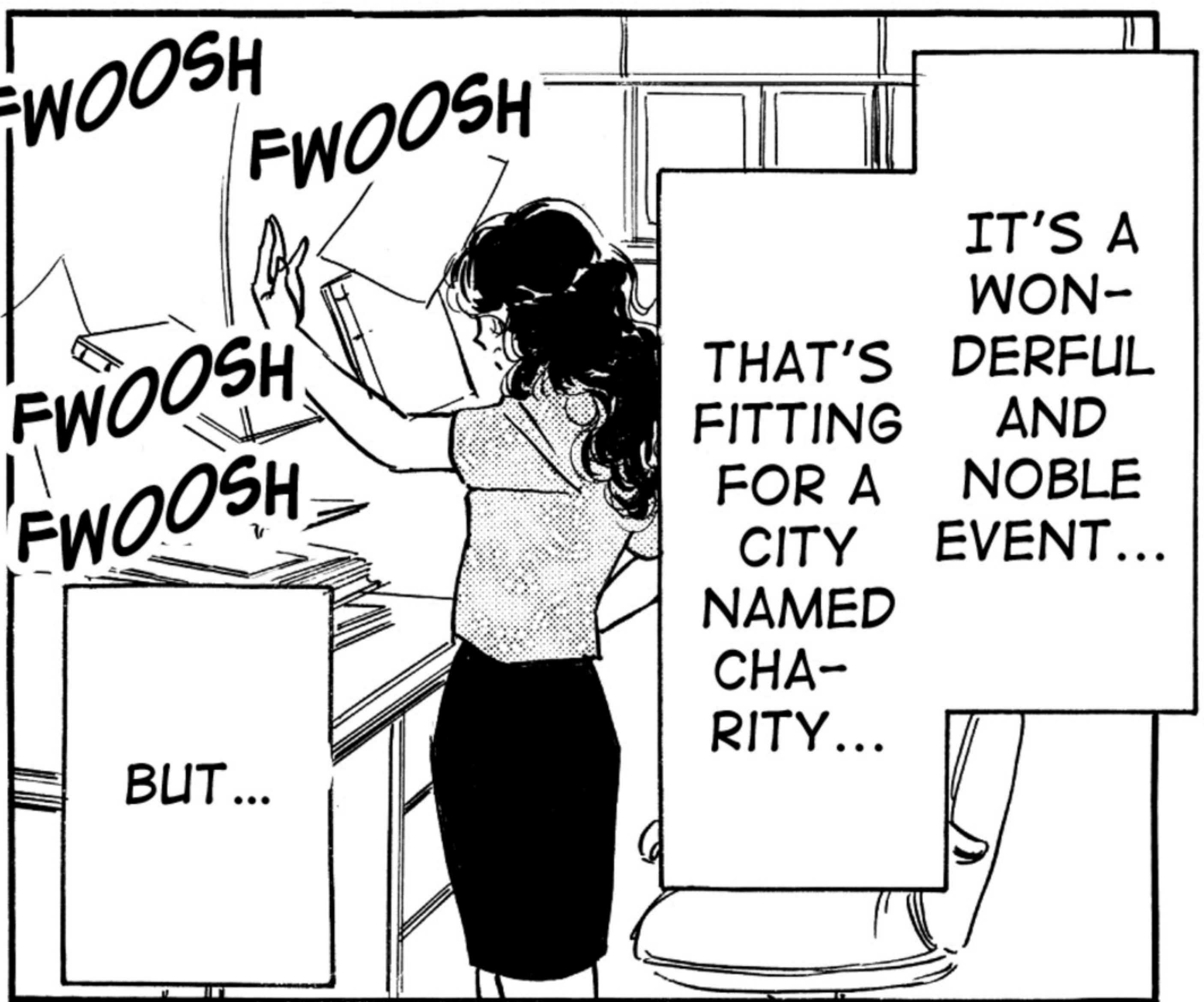
WHERE PARTICIPANTS AUCTION OFF THEIR TIME AND ABILITIES...



I'M NOT ANGRY ABOUT WHAT YOU CALL ME!

I'M SORRY. THAT WAS TOO FORWARD OF ME. I'LL CALL YOU MISS GIBSON.

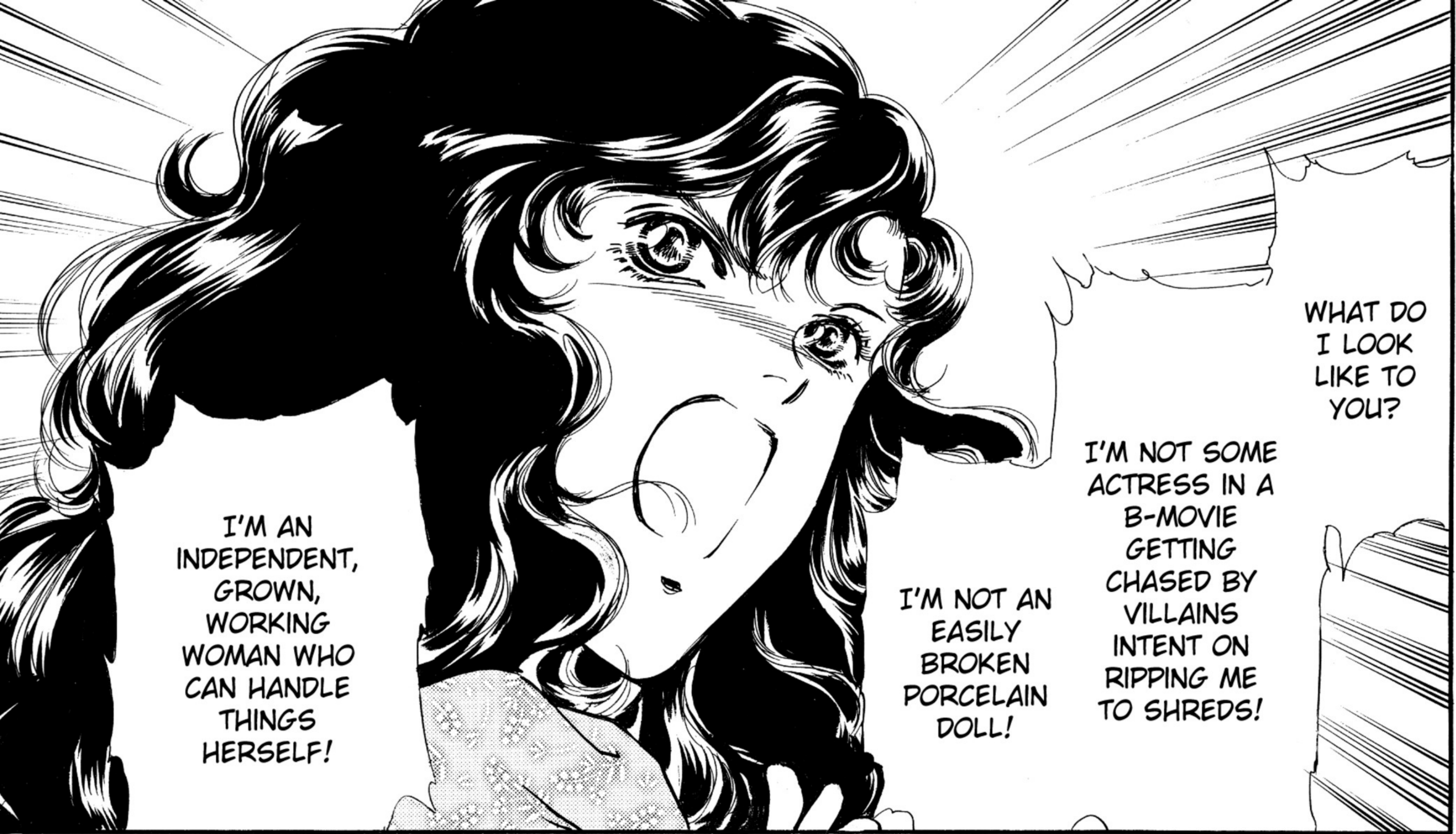
ALL RIGHT...



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BUT...

IT'S A WONDERFUL AND NOBLE EVENT... THAT'S FITTING FOR A CITY NAMED CHARITY...

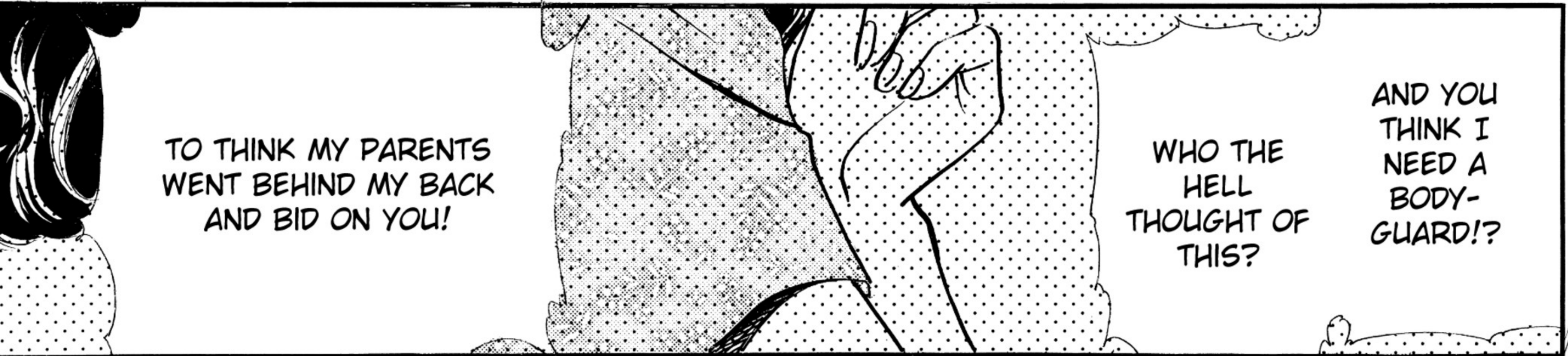


I'M AN INDEPENDENT, GROWN, WORKING WOMAN WHO CAN HANDLE THINGS HERSELF!

I'M NOT AN EASILY BROKEN PORCELAIN DOLL!

I'M NOT SOME ACTRESS IN A B-MOVIE GETTING CHASED BY VILLAINS INTENT ON RIPPING ME TO SHREDS!

WHAT DO I LOOK LIKE TO YOU?



TO THINK MY PARENTS WENT BEHIND MY BACK AND BID ON YOU!

WHO THE HELL THOUGHT OF THIS?

AND YOU THINK I NEED A BODY-GUARD!?



THERE'S NO NEED FOR YOU TO GET THIS ANGRY.

CALM DOWN.

IT'S BECAUSE I DIDN'T WANT THEM TO WORRY ABOUT ME...

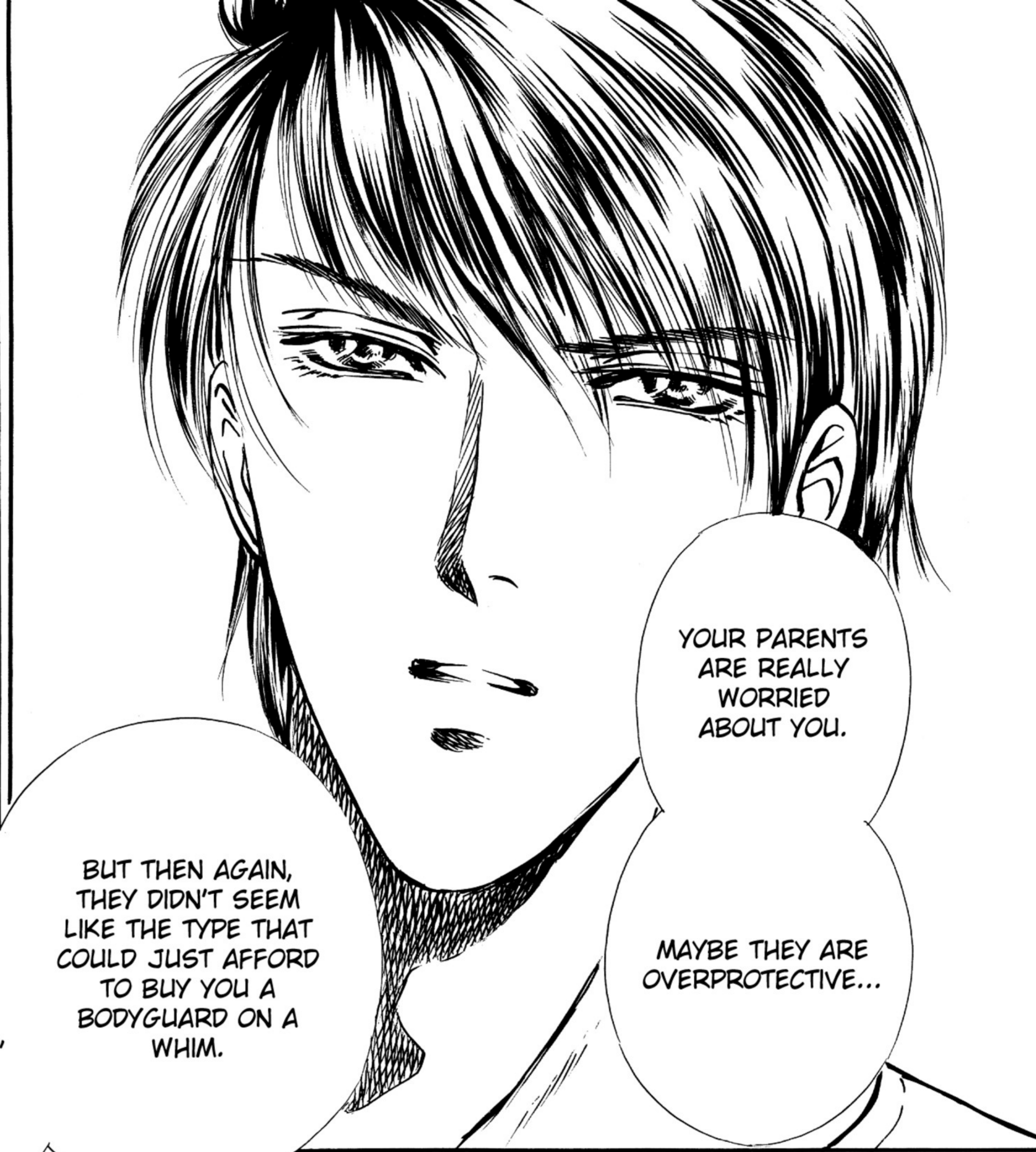
IS THERE NO LIMIT TO THEIR OVER-PROTECTIVENESS?

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!

THAT I HAVE WORKED THIS HARD TO BE ABLE TO STAND ON MY OWN.



THERE'S SOMETHING MORE TO THIS, ISN'T THERE?



BUT THEN AGAIN, THEY DIDN'T SEEM LIKE THE TYPE THAT COULD JUST AFFORD TO BUY YOU A BODYGUARD ON A WHIM.

YOUR PARENTS ARE REALLY WORRIED ABOUT YOU.
MAYBE THEY ARE OVERPROTECTIVE...

ARE LOOKING RIGHT AT ME...



HIS DEEP BLUE EYES...

HE HAS SUCH AN HONEST GAZE...



IT'S REALLY NOTHING.
I JUST SAID SOME THINGS THAT MAYBE I SHOULDN'T HAVE.



IT'S UNFAIR OF MOM AND DAD...
TO DRAG SUCH A CHARMING MAN INTO THE MIDDLE OF ALL THIS!