

MY FATHER
OPENED A
CLASSICAL
BOOKSTORE.
I'VE HELPED
OUT SINCE HE
OPENED IT,
BUT NOW...

TEN
YEARS AGO,
WHEN MY
MOTHER
DIED,

I'M ISADORA
BAXTER, AGE
TWENTY-SIX.

HAMPSHIRE,
SOUTHERN
ENGLAND...

GOOD
MORNING.

GOOD
MORNING,
DORA.

CLASSIC

RATTLE
RATTLE

CLASSIC BOOKS

THUD
THUD
THUD

IZZY! IZZY!
ARE YOU IN
THERE?



GRIFFIN...

WHAT THE
HELL, IZZY?

WHAT'S
WITH THOSE
BLACK
CLOTHES?

CHARLES
HAS BEEN
DEAD FOR A
YEAR NOW!

Their Engagement Is Announced

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FUSAKO WAZUMI

ORIGINAL STORY/CAROLE MORTIMER

IT'S
BEEN TEN
MONTHS!

YOU NEVER
GET ANY
CUSTOMERS
IN HERE!

"OTHER
CUSTOM-
ERS?"
WHERE?

YOU'RE
BEING TOO
LOUD.

YOU'LL
BOTHER THE
OTHER CUS-
TOMERS.

GRIF-
FIN!

YOU HAVEN'T
FORGOTTEN,
HAVE YOU?

YOU'RE HIS
YOUNGER
BROTHER!

CHARLES...
MY FIANCÉ-
DIED LAST JUNE,

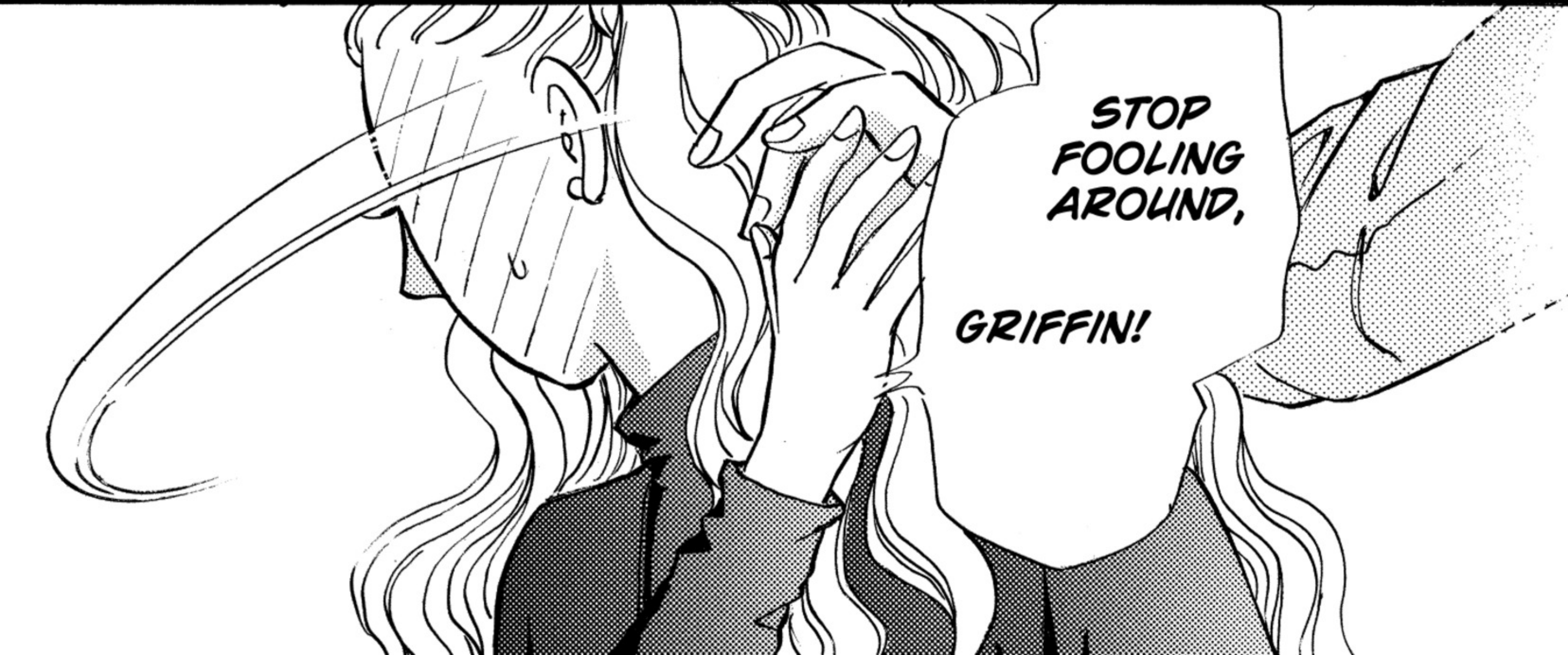
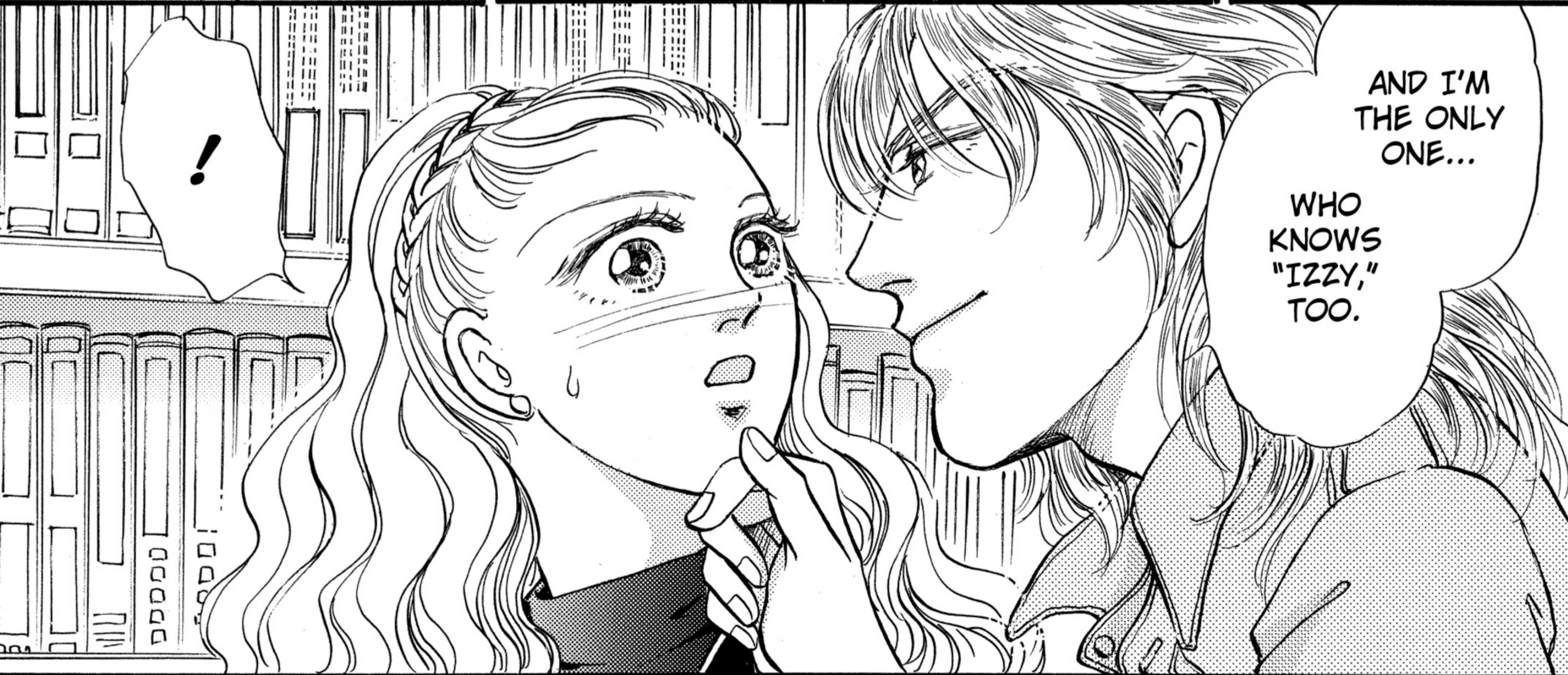
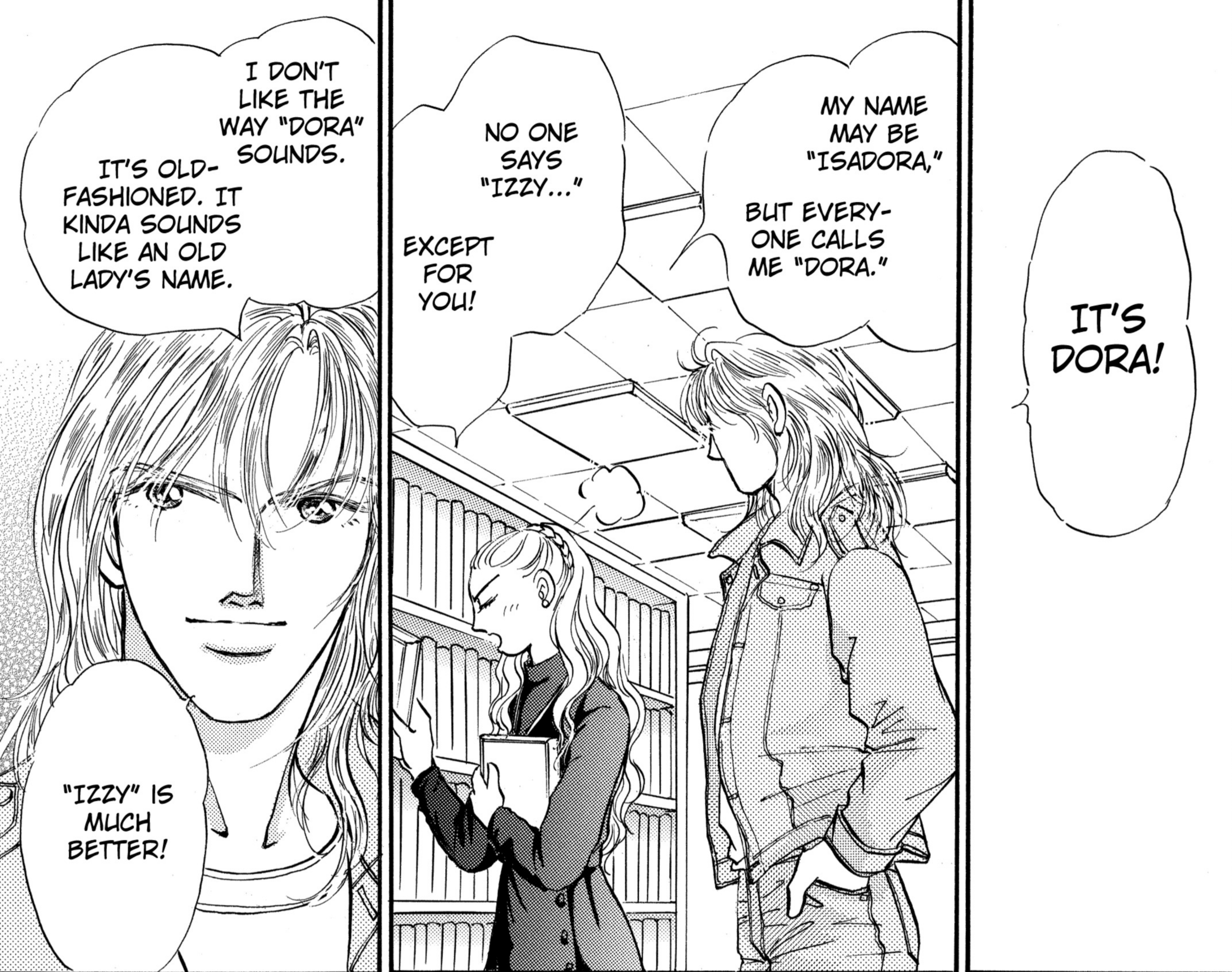
AND IT'S JUST
APRIL. IT'S
ONLY BEEN
TEN MONTHS!

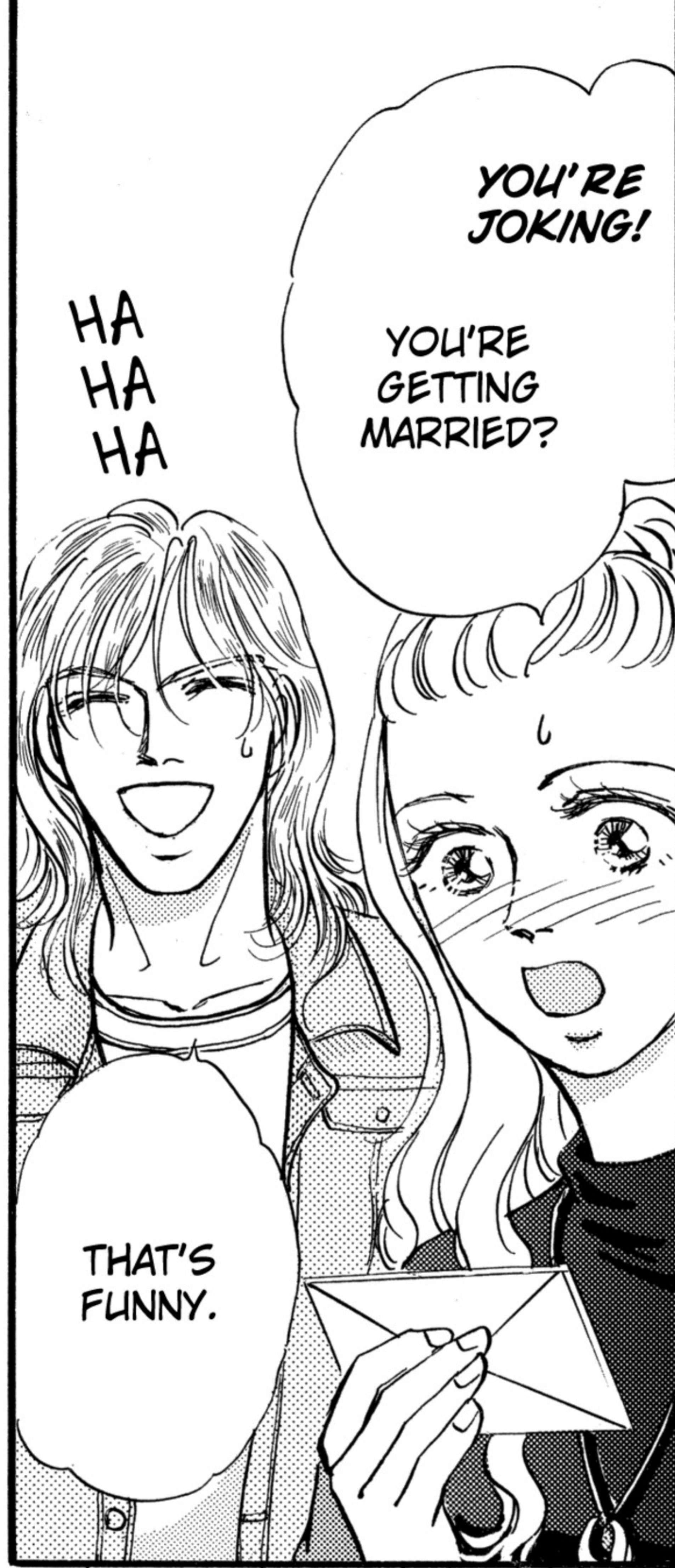
YOU MAY HAVE
BEEN ENGAGED
TO HIM, BUT YOU
WEREN'T MARRIED
TO HIM.

ISN'T THAT
RIGHT, IZZY?

YEAH, OF
COURSE!

BUT I'M TRYING
TO TELL YOU
TO STOP LET-
TING IT KEEP
YOU TRAPPED
LIKE THIS.





HA
HA
HA

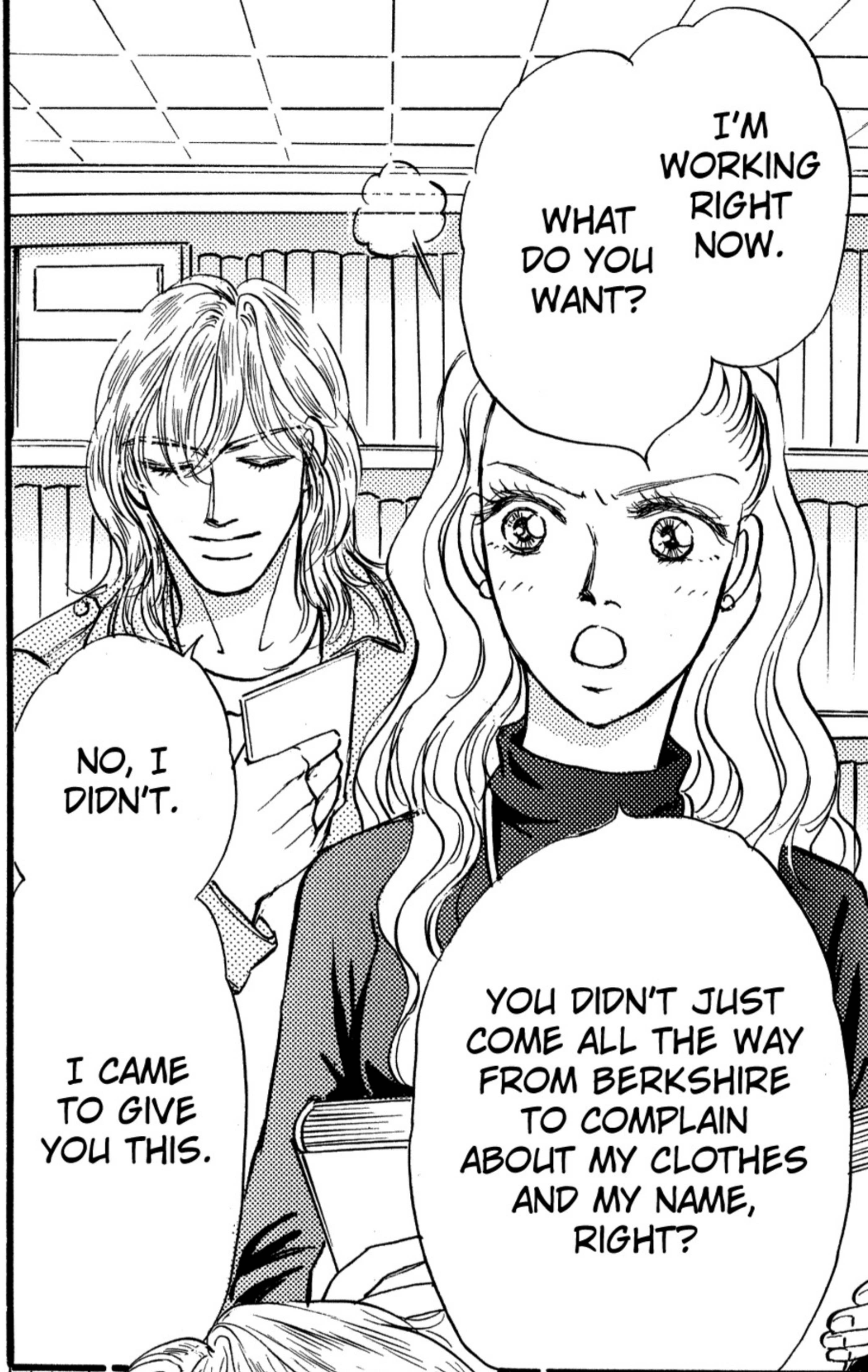
YOU'RE
JOKING!

YOU'RE
GETTING
MARRIED?

THAT'S
FUNNY.



IT'S A
WEDDING
INVITATION.



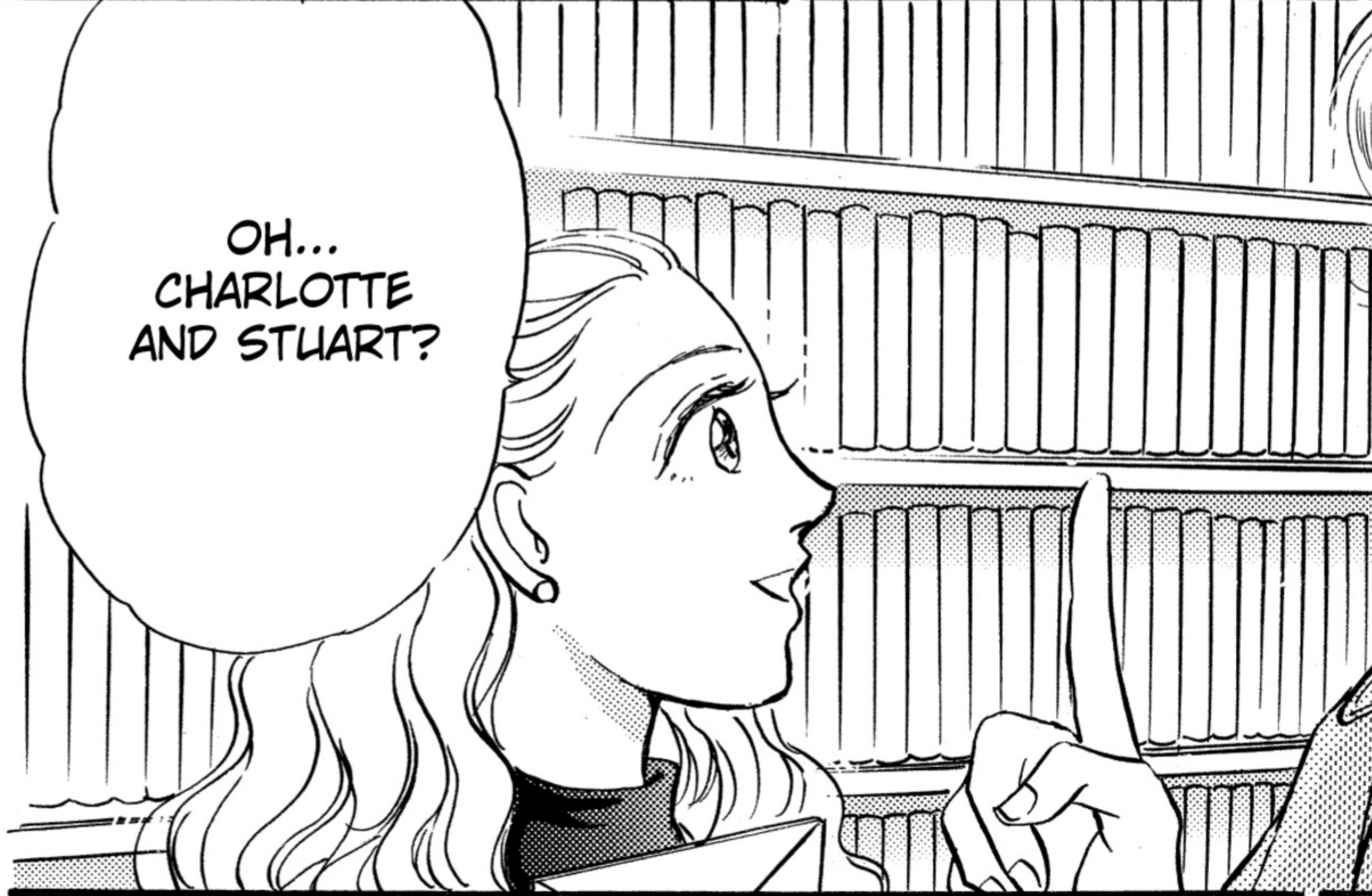
NO, I
DIDN'T.

I CAME
TO GIVE
YOU THIS.

I'M
WORKING
RIGHT
NOW.

WHAT
DO YOU
WANT?

YOU DIDN'T JUST
COME ALL THE WAY
FROM BERKSHIRE
TO COMPLAIN
ABOUT MY CLOTHES
AND MY NAME,
RIGHT?



OH...
CHARLOTTE
AND STUART?

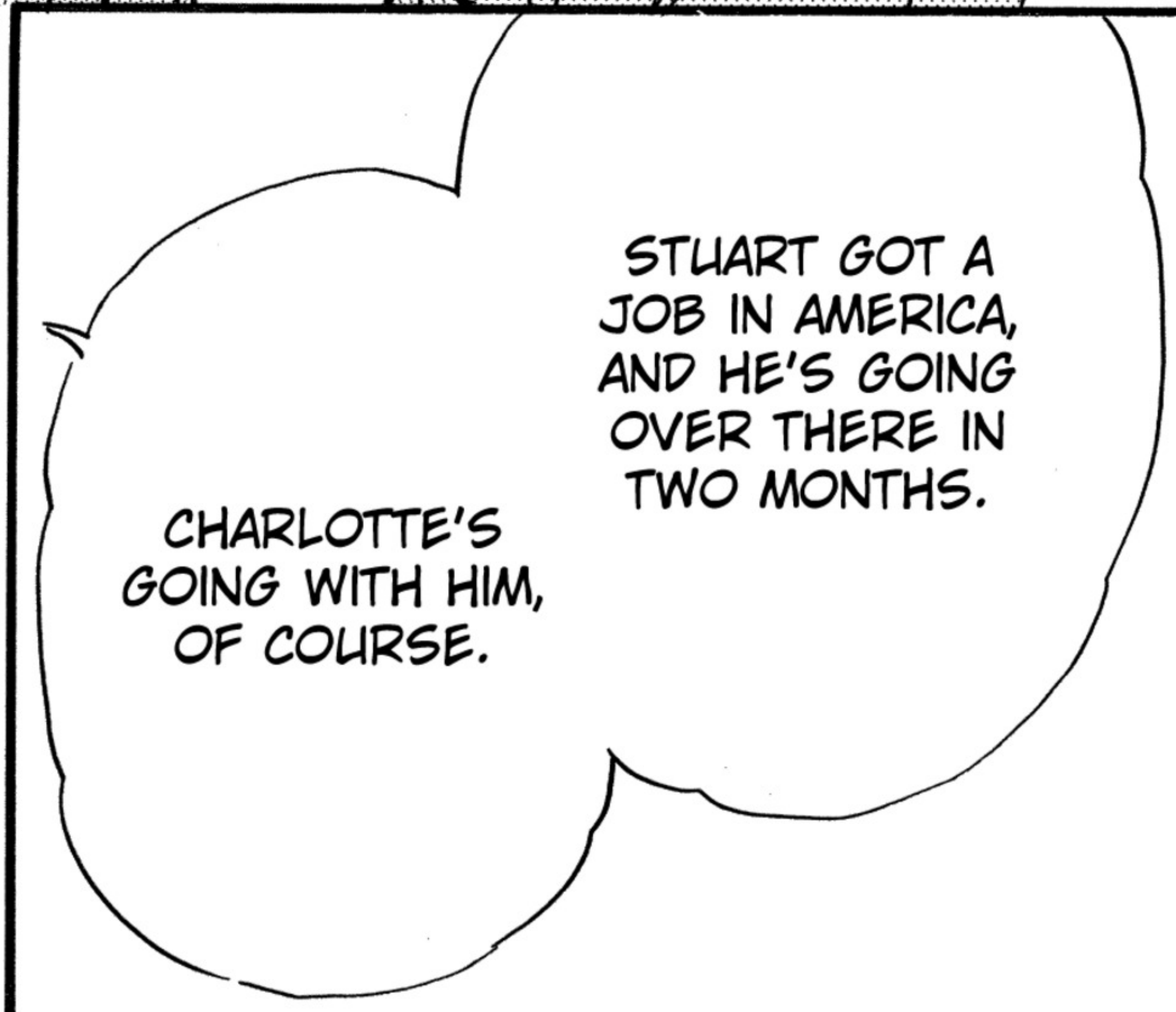


MY SISTER HAS
DECIDED ON A DATE
FOR HER WED-
DING. CHARLOTTE'S
GETTING MARRIED
IN A MONTH.



I HAVE ONE
FOR YOUR
FATHER, TOO.

I KNOW IT'S
SUDDEN,
BUT I'D
LOVE FOR
YOU TO
COME.



STUART GOT A
JOB IN AMERICA,
AND HE'S GOING
OVER THERE IN
TWO MONTHS.

CHARLOTTE'S
GOING WITH HIM,
OF COURSE.