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Short Audio Drama #1 - Negotiation Between Phantom Thief & Junior Detective Written by - RoseJigglypuff76

Plotline

A minor amount of chaos has been read, as the infamous phantom thief known as Phantom Bleu decides to sneak into the top floor of Cookie Biscuit City's Grandmaster Hotel.

Walnut heard some rumors revolving around this sneaky and agile phantom thief, assuming it was for the typical stealing and verbal seduction.

Phantom Bleu themself became confused on how their rival's young daughter knew where they were.

And, oh boy! They got a lot of explaining to do after hearing what the junior detective herself has to say.

Transcript

Setting: Cookie Biscuit City's Grandmaster Hotel, Isui Family Penthouse

Scene opens up to Phantom Bleu, who can be seen dashing around the top floor of the Grandmaster Hotel.

The top floor of one of the Top 5 Best Hotels of Earthbread has a penthouse over there, which houses Earl Gray Isui & Sparkling Isui.

Needless to say, Phantom Bleu was like a bullet in the night. Which comes as no surprise as they quickly and sneakily dashed around both in and out of buildings without anyone realizing they were there.

<u>Phantom Bleu</u>: (chuckles in a semi-seductive manner) Oh ho ho~! Seems like dear Earl Gray has furnished these valuables quite well~! Shouldn't be too surprised, considering how elegant he is~!

The elegant and seductive phantom thief walks around in the dark casually, all while he miraculously made little to no noise despite simply walking.

Then, he finally reached the door, particularly a bedroom door labeled "Sparkling Isui's Room"

<u>Phantom Bleu</u>: (smiles elegantly small but bright) Heh~ Might as well be a bit presentable when heading in. Surely <u>Sparkles</u> doesn't mind a small surprise! (slowly starts to open the door) Hello there <u>Sparkles</u>! It's your friendly phantom thief-!

Walnut Goro: (shouts offscreen) You have the right to remain silent, Phantom Bleu!!

An unsuspecting junior detective named Walnut Goro quickly emerged from her hiding spot, a nearby house plant that looks like the replicas in the Grandmaster Hotel's Main Lobby.

She quickly used her magical abilities, which are similar to her father known as Almond Goro. Using these magical cuffs and chains to subdue Phantom Bleu on the spot, causing them to cut off their sentence.

<u>Phantom Bleu</u>: (quietly swears under his breath, in French) Oh, putain... My <u>rival</u>'s young daughter has caught me... (chuckles nervously) That begs the question lil madam. Aren't you a little young to be learning this sort of move?

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (rolls her eyes, groaning a little in annoyance) Yes! Yes I am! (starts to raise an eyebrow) But... How is it possible for a phantom thief like you to come in here?

The junior detective calmly walks circles around Phantom Bleu, looking very observant as she monologues.

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (calmly circling around a chained up <u>Phantom Bleu</u> in an observant manner) Hmm... Knowing you through both my dad's and my own experiences... You are very sneaky and agile... (proceeds to yell out the state of facts that she collected) So how come you were able to sneak in here with little to no broken or opened up windows?!?!

Phantom Bleu began to show a slightly nervous look. They assumed that Walnut made the conclusion that they came in to steal both valuables and cookies hearts.

However that wasn't the case, but he can't tell the real reason why he's here.

<u>Phantom Bleu</u>: (tries to elegantly play things off) Simple <u>Lil Walnut</u>~ Came by to steal some more valuables and cookies' hearts~ (chuckles haughty) Oh ho ho ho~!! Also heard some rumors that several cookies go through an elevator that's somewhere in the back garden of this very hotel~ So I took that as an opportunity to get here~!

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (mutters a somewhat quietly) <u>Phantom Bleu</u>... (smirks in a clever manner) The only other cookies that are aware of that particular elevator are my dad, myself, as well as the hotel owner and his son! No other cookie knows about this private entrance!

Phantom Bleu stared blankly at Walnut, as the tension and nervousness started to become a lot more visible on their face.

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (chuckles in a smart-mouthed manner) Heh heh! How do you explain yourself, Phantom Bleu? Oh should I say... (shifts to a more understanding look) Rougefort Isui!!

<u>Roguefort Isui (Phantom Bleu)</u>: (was in shock, and didn't know what to exactly say) I don't understand...! How were you able to-?!

Walnut quickly cuts Roguefort's sentence off, before she herself proceeds to speak to him.

(Note: Roguefort uses he/him pronouns when seen as an elegant librarian, and uses they/them pronouns when seen as the haughty and agile Phantom Bleu.)

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (stats the facts and clues that she got) From what I know prior to figuring things out, your public job as an elegant librarian gave a good amount away. You're also flirtatious but mean no physical harm to anyone! (nods a little) Just like <u>Phantom Bleu!</u>

<u>Roguefort Isui (Phantom Bleu)</u>: (shudders a bit more than he anticipated) That doesn't explain how you were able to figure out-!

Walnut Goro: (quickly cuts off Roguefort's sentence again) Your nephew told me!

A small pause between the two emerged between the two with their conversation.

Roguefort was stunned and in absolute shock when he heard what Walnut said.

<u>Roguefort Isui (Phantom Bleu)</u>: (becomes very nervous, shuddering even more) Th-There's no way <u>Sparkling</u> will tell you that! Besides, how would he know that?!

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (rolls her eyes) Well, I overheard a conversation between you and the teenage bartender. Let's just say that from what I heard, he knew a lot more than even I can expect. (mutters more monotone) Not to mention that he's the one that told you about the secret secondary way inside the top floor... Chose to interrogate him shortly after you two parted ways during that early evening...

Roguefort couldn't believe what he's hearing. And he thought he was being so slick!

The now chained up phantom thief expected the worst. But for some reason, Walnut proceeded to recall the chains into her hat, freeing him.

Walnut Goro: (smiles sincerely calm) Sparkling told me that you wanted to hangout with him while his father, who's also your older brother named Earl Gray Isui, will work up until 5am in the morning tonight. (chuckles kindly) I had this theory that you only act flirtatious to get out of certain situations mainly with making both stealing & escaping easier for you. (walks over with acknowledgement) Now I know that these theories of mine are correct, and I actually do enjoy the fact that you don't escalate further than that.

Roguefort Isui (Phantom Bleu): (becomes less nervous for his life) I know... I know that I'm a devious thief... (chuckles in a more embarrassed manner) But yeah! I may have committed such crimes, but I have the honor and dignity to not reach that serious offense!

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (smiles and nods with acknowledgement) Indeed! At least you know the levels of most crimes, aside from thievery. (shows a calmly monotone look again) However... That doesn't excuse the fact that you still committed the crime of stealing the most valuable objects! (chuckles jokingly) I promise to not tell my dad about this side of you! Considering that he's the only one you truly flirt and like to be with romantically! (shows a bright smile, but speaks in a more serious manner) But if I do manage to successfully catch you again, it will be Case Closed!

Roguefort Isui (Phantom Bleu): (briefly looks startled, but smirks again in a more agreeable manner) Oh ho~! Deal! It's quite nice to have this little negotiation between you Lil Walnut!

<u>Walnut Goro</u>: (laughs a little cheerfully) Good to hear! To be honest with you, after hearing from your nephew about what he knows about, that convinced me to sneak out and get some talking out of ya!

<u>Sparkling Isui</u>: (opens the door, feeling a bit sleepy) Wha...? What's all that noise...?

He looked up at Roguefort and Walnut, before looking with a confused and worried look.

<u>Sparkling Isui</u>: (chuckles in embarrassment, still sounding a little sleepy) Heh... I never saw this coming!

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