



RIVERDALE

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EPISODE 2.13

"Chapter Twenty-Six: The Tell-Tale Heart"

Betty's left feeling sick to her stomach after a night of unexpected violence. Agent Adams puts pressure on Archie while the Lodges prepare for war.

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EPISODE CAST

K.J. Apa	...	Archie Andrews
Lili Reinhart	...	Betty Cooper
Camila Mendes	...	Veronica Lodge
Cole Sprouse	...	Jughead Jones
Marisol Nichols	...	Hermione Lodge
Madelaine Petsch	...	Cheryl Blossom
Ashleigh Murray	...	Josie McCoy
Mark Consuelos	...	Hiram Lodge
Casey Cott	...	Kevin Keller
Skeet Ulrich	...	FP Jones
Mädchen Amick	...	Alice Cooper
Luke Perry	...	Fred Andrews
John Behlmann	...	Arthur Adams
Nathalie Boltt	...	Penelope Blossom
Hart Denton	...	Chic
Robin Givens	...	Sierra McCoy
Lochlyn Munro	...	Hal Cooper
Jennifer Kitchen	...	Parking Enforcer
Stephan Miers	...	Andre
Christian Sloan	...	Shady Man

1

00:00:08,258 --> 00:00:09,426
[narrator] Previously on Riverdale:

2

00:00:09,509 --> 00:00:10,802
[Hiram] Isn't this what
the Serpents would do?

3

00:00:10,885 --> 00:00:12,887
-Why'd you do it?
-Cause some chaos.

4

00:00:12,971 --> 00:00:17,017
-Hiram Lodge asked you to start a mutiny.
-It's an eviction notice.

5

00:00:17,100 --> 00:00:21,604
My intuition told me Sheriff Keller was
having an affair with Mayor McCoy.

6

00:00:21,688 --> 00:00:26,151
I have some out-of-town guests coming in.
I'm hosting a poker game at Pop's.

7

00:00:26,234 --> 00:00:31,031
Poppa Poutine was found dead in his
hotel room, shot in the back of the head.

8

00:00:31,114 --> 00:00:33,199
Good night, Chic. You're safe here.

9

00:00:33,283 --> 00:00:36,619
-He has to go.
-I threw you out once, I'll do it again.

10

00:00:36,703 --> 00:00:38,288
I want all of you tonight.

11

00:00:39,456 --> 00:00:40,707
Is Chic home?

12

00:00:41,583 --> 00:00:42,542
Mom?

13

00:00:45,795 --> 00:00:48,673
-What happened?
-No, no, no. Don't come closer.

14

00:00:48,757 --> 00:00:53,386
Don't touch anything. He tried to hurt me,
and Chic, your brother...

15

00:00:55,346 --> 00:00:56,973
-No. What are you doing?
-I'm calling the police.

16

00:00:57,057 --> 00:01:00,268
-No. Don't do that.
-Mom, there's a man on our floor.

17

00:01:00,351 --> 00:01:03,980
The police will take Chic away.
I won't let that happen again.

18

00:01:04,064 --> 00:01:05,899
Well, if it was self-defense--

19

00:01:06,483 --> 00:01:09,027
-It was self-defense, right?
-Yes, it was.

20

00:01:10,445 --> 00:01:12,572
-But it won't matter.
-What do we do?

21

00:01:12,655 --> 00:01:15,283
-Go to your room. You didn't see anything.
-Mom, let me help you.

22

00:01:15,366 --> 00:01:17,285
No,
it's better if you're not involved.

23

00:01:17,368 --> 00:01:19,245
[cell phone ringing]

24
00:01:19,829 --> 00:01:21,539
-It's Dad.
-Don't answer.

25
00:01:21,623 --> 00:01:23,958
-What if he--?
-Yes, you're right. Answer.

26
00:01:24,042 --> 00:01:25,960
Just act like everything's normal.

27
00:01:28,296 --> 00:01:29,798
Hi, Dad, what's up?

28
00:01:32,050 --> 00:01:32,926
[grunts]

29
00:01:33,343 --> 00:01:36,846
-Okay, see you in a bit.
-Please tell me he's not coming here.

30
00:01:36,930 --> 00:01:39,682
He needs toiletries,
but doesn't wanna get in a fight with you.

31
00:01:39,766 --> 00:01:42,852
-Betty--
-Mom, we don't know how much time we have.

32
00:01:42,936 --> 00:01:46,731
-Please, just let me help you.
-[Jughead] And in one reckless moment...

33
00:01:48,233 --> 00:01:49,901
Bleach is under the sink.

34
00:01:50,985 --> 00:01:54,280
[Jughead] ...the lives of the Cooper women
were forever changed.

35
00:01:54,364 --> 00:01:57,117
They were a mother

wanting to protect her son,

36

00:01:57,200 --> 00:02:00,078

and a daughter

wanting to protect her mother.

37

00:02:00,161 --> 00:02:03,039

-While less than 50 yards away...

-Once more,

38

00:02:03,123 --> 00:02:09,462

you didn't see or hear Hiram Lodge
say anything to or about Poppa Poutine?

39

00:02:09,546 --> 00:02:12,298

-[scoffs] Honestly, it seemed like--

-What?

40

00:02:12,382 --> 00:02:15,927

-Like they were friends.

-A friend, Archie, doesn't force you

41

00:02:16,010 --> 00:02:19,305

down to your knees

and shoot you with a Glock 34.

42

00:02:19,389 --> 00:02:22,892

It wasn't Mr. Lodge.

I didn't see him leave The Pembroke.

43

00:02:22,976 --> 00:02:26,312

-Hiram would've sent someone. His capo.

-What's a capo?

44

00:02:32,026 --> 00:02:34,404

-If you woke up my dad--

-A capo, Archie,

45

00:02:34,487 --> 00:02:36,865

does the boss's dirty work, the killing.

46

00:02:37,782 --> 00:02:40,869

Is there someone who's always hovering

around Hiram?

47

00:02:40,952 --> 00:02:43,788
Like a personal assistant or driver?

48

00:02:47,458 --> 00:02:49,168
Not that I can think of.

49

00:02:50,253 --> 00:02:52,171
[Hal] Hello? Betty?

50

00:03:07,604 --> 00:03:08,438
Betty.

51

00:03:09,647 --> 00:03:10,857
-Alice.
-Hal.

52

00:03:10,940 --> 00:03:13,610
-Dad.
-Oh, where's Chic?

53

00:03:13,693 --> 00:03:15,862
Upstairs in his room, resting.

54

00:03:17,864 --> 00:03:20,658
-What's that smell?
-[Alice] Bleach. I spilled tomato soup.

55

00:03:20,742 --> 00:03:22,535
I didn't want it to stain.

56

00:03:22,619 --> 00:03:26,080
It must've been a lot,
because it smells like a hospital here.

57

00:03:26,164 --> 00:03:28,458
Do you want me to get the toiletries?

58

00:03:46,768 --> 00:03:49,020
[cell phone ringing]

59

00:03:52,732 --> 00:03:53,775
Jug, what's up?

60

00:03:53,858 --> 00:03:56,527
Nothing, I was just calling
to say good night.

61

00:03:57,487 --> 00:03:58,363
And, uh...

62

00:04:00,031 --> 00:04:00,865
I love you.

63

00:04:01,699 --> 00:04:06,120
-[knocks] Your dad's gone. Hurry up.
-Jug, uh, I gotta go. See you tomorrow.

64

00:04:10,708 --> 00:04:14,254
-What if someone looks for him?
-People go missing every day.

65

00:04:14,337 --> 00:04:18,007
-But what if he has a family?
-He didn't strike me as the type.

66

00:04:18,091 --> 00:04:20,260
Who walks around without a wallet?

67

00:04:30,019 --> 00:04:32,647
They shut down these sewer pipes
decades ago.

68

00:04:34,774 --> 00:04:37,860
This used to be my secret place
as a little girl.

69

00:04:39,445 --> 00:04:40,738
Here, cover it up.

70

00:04:43,616 --> 00:04:45,994
-[Hal] They were hiding something.
-Oh, Harold,

71

00:04:46,077 --> 00:04:50,415
-everyone's always hiding something.
-The house smelled of bleach.

72

00:04:51,749 --> 00:04:53,167
And you didn't see Chic?

73

00:04:53,793 --> 00:04:55,461
Maybe he was up in his room.

74

00:04:56,546 --> 00:04:57,505
Entertaining.

75

00:04:58,089 --> 00:05:00,842
Tall Boy won't be coming back
any time soon.

76

00:05:00,925 --> 00:05:03,303
Good. He was a coward.

77

00:05:05,305 --> 00:05:10,351
I was thinking maybe I should take a page
from your book, sit-down with McCoy.

78

00:05:10,435 --> 00:05:13,646
Now that we know Hiram Lodge
is responsible the statue,

79

00:05:13,730 --> 00:05:17,483
I say we show her the head,
appeal to her sense of justice.

80

00:05:18,985 --> 00:05:20,862
What? You don't like that plan?

81

00:05:26,159 --> 00:05:26,993
Wait a second.

82

00:05:27,076 --> 00:05:30,038
Boy, where the hell
is General Pickens' head?

83

00:05:31,122 --> 00:05:34,459
I don't think we can interpret
the delivery of that head

84

00:05:34,542 --> 00:05:36,836
as anything less
than a declaration of war.

85

00:05:36,919 --> 00:05:39,922
Well, we knew we would have to go
to war eventually.

86

00:05:40,214 --> 00:05:42,633
There is, of course, another option.

87

00:05:44,260 --> 00:05:47,513
At Spence, I was secretary-general
of the Model UN.

88

00:05:47,597 --> 00:05:50,933
Before declaring war,
we'd try to negotiate a settlement.

89

00:05:51,017 --> 00:05:56,230
Now, if I could broker a détente
between the contras and the Sandinistas,

90

00:05:56,314 --> 00:05:59,108
you should be able to de-escalate
relations with a biker gang.

91

00:05:59,192 --> 00:06:00,485
This isn't high school.

92

00:06:00,735 --> 00:06:03,654
Said the man who just vandalized
a park statue.

93

00:06:06,574 --> 00:06:10,328
You're an excellent businessman, Daddy.
I'll get them to the table.

94
00:06:10,411 --> 00:06:12,580
All you have to do is play nice.

95
00:06:18,669 --> 00:06:21,881
We have work to do.
Clean anything he may have touched

96
00:06:21,964 --> 00:06:23,674
so there are no fingerprints.

97
00:06:34,060 --> 00:06:37,313
Mom, did he touch any of these?

98
00:06:38,189 --> 00:06:39,023
No.

99
00:07:05,424 --> 00:07:07,260
[alarm clock ringing]

100
00:07:18,396 --> 00:07:19,647
[alarm clock stops]

101
00:07:28,114 --> 00:07:31,409
-Mom.
-Oh, good, you're up. Have a seat.

102
00:07:33,077 --> 00:07:35,872
I don't like chocolate chip pancakes.

103
00:07:35,955 --> 00:07:39,292
Well, at least have some cereal.
You must be starving.

104
00:07:42,795 --> 00:07:45,465
Thank you.
Oh, can I have the butter, please?

105
00:08:03,483 --> 00:08:04,609
[knocking on door]

106
00:08:07,153 --> 00:08:07,987

Elizabeth.

107

00:08:19,373 --> 00:08:20,374
Ask who it is.

108

00:08:21,167 --> 00:08:22,001
Who is it?

109

00:08:32,678 --> 00:08:33,513
Good morning.

110

00:08:33,763 --> 00:08:34,931
[groans]

111

00:08:36,349 --> 00:08:38,851
Just thought I could walk you to school.

112

00:08:51,280 --> 00:08:53,533
Hey, can I talk to you about last night?

113

00:08:55,618 --> 00:08:59,914
-Why, what about it?
-I thought we had a really nice night,

114

00:08:59,997 --> 00:09:03,125
and then you hung up on me,
so I kind of got nervous.

115

00:09:03,209 --> 00:09:05,753
Maybe you thought
we were moving too fast...

116

00:09:06,754 --> 00:09:09,298
-or maybe it wasn't enjoyable?
-Oh, my God.

117

00:09:10,424 --> 00:09:13,427
-No. No, not at all.
-[chuckles]

118

00:09:14,845 --> 00:09:16,639
Last night was amazing.

119
00:09:18,432 --> 00:09:21,102
There was just a lot of drama
when I got home.

120
00:09:22,645 --> 00:09:24,772
Let me guess, Chic-centric?

121
00:09:27,149 --> 00:09:28,192
It'll be fine.

122
00:09:28,943 --> 00:09:32,113
Just typical Cooper house lunacy.

123
00:09:32,196 --> 00:09:37,326
So, Archiekins, do you regret anything
we talked about at my confirmation?

124
00:09:38,160 --> 00:09:41,831
The revelation that my father's
more Al Capone than Eliot Ness?

125
00:09:42,415 --> 00:09:45,001
No. All good on my end.

126
00:09:46,586 --> 00:09:47,878
In that case...

127
00:09:47,962 --> 00:09:51,632
just to put it on your radar,
a low-key turf war might be brewing

128
00:09:51,716 --> 00:09:53,718
between the Joneses and the Lodges.

129
00:09:54,302 --> 00:09:57,471
-Veronica, are you trying to manage me?
-Define manage.

130
00:09:57,555 --> 00:09:59,348
People will lose their homes.

131

00:09:59,432 --> 00:10:02,810
Why don't you come with your dad
and sit down with my dad,

132

00:10:02,893 --> 00:10:05,313
and hash this out like civilized humans?

133

00:10:05,896 --> 00:10:06,731
Okay.

134

00:10:07,189 --> 00:10:10,818
One condition. Your dad comes
to Sunnyside Trailer Park.

135

00:10:10,901 --> 00:10:13,237
I want him to see the people
he'll displace.

136

00:10:13,321 --> 00:10:17,533
Fine. And trust me,
no one is being displaced.

137

00:10:17,617 --> 00:10:20,620
My God. Did you hear?
My dad's scanner's blowing up.

138

00:10:20,703 --> 00:10:24,248
The police found another dead body.
There's blood everywhere.

139

00:10:25,750 --> 00:10:27,627
Could the Black Hood have risen
from the grave?

140

00:10:28,210 --> 00:10:29,712
-Did they say whose body?
-Where did they find it?

141

00:10:29,795 --> 00:10:34,508
The investigation's ongoing, but it was
a gruesome execution at the motel.

142

00:10:34,592 --> 00:10:37,511
Blood and brains splattered
all over the duvet.

143
00:10:37,595 --> 00:10:38,971
Okay, Kev, we get it.

144
00:10:40,556 --> 00:10:41,390
I gotta go.

145
00:10:47,146 --> 00:10:48,773
[retching]

146
00:10:51,942 --> 00:10:53,736
[toilet flushing]

147
00:10:57,365 --> 00:10:59,992
Oh. Betty, are you okay?

148
00:11:00,076 --> 00:11:02,370
-Do you need some help?
-I'm fine, Cheryl.

149
00:11:02,453 --> 00:11:05,039
-Let me grab you a towel.
-I said, I'm fine.

150
00:11:07,208 --> 00:11:08,918
You have puke on your collar.

151
00:11:16,634 --> 00:11:20,262
A bullet to the head?
That is clearly a mafioso's doing.

152
00:11:20,346 --> 00:11:23,057
No sooner do I feel
like I'm in a good place,

153
00:11:23,140 --> 00:11:26,352
some terrible thing happens,
and somebody dies,

154

00:11:26,435 --> 00:11:29,980
and I'm back in the place of,
"What if my father's behind this?"

155
00:11:30,064 --> 00:11:32,483
Making matters worse,
I've now dragged you

156
00:11:32,566 --> 00:11:37,196
-into this Martin Scorsese nightmare.
-I chose to be with you. To help you.

157
00:11:37,279 --> 00:11:41,409
-Archie, I can't handle the not knowing--
-Choose to believe in your dad.

158
00:11:41,492 --> 00:11:45,788
His business dealings might be shady,
but at heart, he's still a good guy.

159
00:11:45,871 --> 00:11:48,249
-I know that. You know that.
-Do I?

160
00:11:52,420 --> 00:11:53,254
Come here.

161
00:11:58,926 --> 00:12:01,846
[Jughead] Riddle me this.
What do Sunnyside Trailer Park,

162
00:12:01,929 --> 00:12:05,182
Twilight Drive-In and Southside High
all have in common?

163
00:12:06,475 --> 00:12:08,936
I'm sure I don't know.

164
00:12:09,019 --> 00:12:12,356
They all were or are town land.
You control them.

165
00:12:13,399 --> 00:12:15,443

The drive-in was shut down.

166

00:12:15,526 --> 00:12:19,155

As was Southside High.
Now the trailer park is in jeopardy?

167

00:12:19,238 --> 00:12:22,616

Can't you feel the invisible hand
of Hiram Lodge over this?

168

00:12:23,367 --> 00:12:28,205

What exactly are you insinuating?

169

00:12:28,789 --> 00:12:31,542

If you've been accepting donations
from the Lodges

170

00:12:31,625 --> 00:12:34,587

in exchange for favors,
such as land deals...

171

00:12:35,754 --> 00:12:38,757

[scoffs] now's your chance to come clean
to the public.

172

00:12:44,138 --> 00:12:46,056

-What is this? A bribe?
-Payment.

173

00:12:47,057 --> 00:12:51,520

The FBI always compensates its informants.
Enclosed is three weeks' salary.

174

00:12:51,604 --> 00:12:55,107

Great. Now I can replace
the bass drum you trashed.

175

00:12:55,191 --> 00:12:58,694

I'm hoping that payment will entice you
to go to Hiram Lodge

176

00:12:58,777 --> 00:13:02,323

and engage with him directly

about Poppa Poutine.

177

00:13:02,406 --> 00:13:05,534
Be aggressive, gauge his reaction,
see what he says.

178

00:13:05,618 --> 00:13:08,704
If I ask him anything about it,
he'll be suspicious.

179

00:13:13,334 --> 00:13:16,170
Come on.
How many people have to get hurt or die

180

00:13:16,253 --> 00:13:18,255
before you do something about it?

181

00:13:19,882 --> 00:13:23,177
-Thank you for meeting with me, Mr. Lodge.
-Yeah, of course, Archie.

182

00:13:24,261 --> 00:13:27,932
The article in the Register
about Poppa Poutine in his room--

183

00:13:28,015 --> 00:13:29,266
Archie, if I may.

184

00:13:32,144 --> 00:13:37,733
I am gutted over this atrocity,
but Poutine was rich with enemies.

185

00:13:37,816 --> 00:13:40,486
He was rude and selfish...

186

00:13:41,904 --> 00:13:44,031
and deep into gambling debts.

187

00:13:44,740 --> 00:13:47,826
A quarter to Lenny alone,
not to mention the affairs.

188

00:13:47,910 --> 00:13:51,497
With so many vendettas against him,
it was just a matter of time.

189
00:13:51,580 --> 00:13:55,125
And his time came the same night
as my daughter's confirmation.

190
00:13:55,209 --> 00:13:57,836
Since you brought up
Veronica's confirmation,

191
00:13:57,920 --> 00:14:01,340
-she's the reason I came to see you.
-Has something happened? Is she all right?

192
00:14:01,924 --> 00:14:05,678
When she heard someone was murdered
in Riverdale, the thought of you

193
00:14:05,761 --> 00:14:09,056
maybe possibly being involved
is making her spiral.

194
00:14:09,139 --> 00:14:11,016
And I don't wanna overstep...

195
00:14:12,351 --> 00:14:15,312
but you may wanna clarify things
with your daughter

196
00:14:15,396 --> 00:14:17,273
just to give her peace of mind.

197
00:14:49,513 --> 00:14:50,890
[cell phone ringing]

198
00:15:24,715 --> 00:15:27,676
Honey, perfect timing.
We're about to have dinner.

199
00:15:27,760 --> 00:15:30,054
I'm not hungry. I have a ton of homework.

200
00:16:27,444 --> 00:16:29,822
-Hey, Veronica.
-Hi, Daddy.

201
00:16:30,781 --> 00:16:32,616
Ready for your big negotiation?

202
00:16:32,700 --> 00:16:36,578
I am, but first, Archie came by to see me.

203
00:16:37,454 --> 00:16:39,081
He said you were concerned.

204
00:16:39,832 --> 00:16:41,625
-Daddy--
-No, no. It's all right.

205
00:16:42,543 --> 00:16:44,670
I'm glad he did. He cares about you.

206
00:16:47,214 --> 00:16:48,590
As do I.

207
00:16:50,300 --> 00:16:53,387
I understand certain aspects
of my business trouble you.

208
00:16:54,555 --> 00:16:56,932
So, if there's something you wanna know--

209
00:16:57,016 --> 00:17:00,144
Did you have anything to do
with Poppa Poutine's death?

210
00:17:03,564 --> 00:17:04,398
No, mija.

211
00:17:05,899 --> 00:17:06,775
I did not.

212

00:17:17,536 --> 00:17:21,123
You lied to us. That shady guy
wasn't one of your customers.

213
00:17:21,206 --> 00:17:24,043
He was a drug dealer. It's all in here.

214
00:17:24,126 --> 00:17:27,129
Hundreds of messages from junkies
looking for a fix.

215
00:17:27,212 --> 00:17:31,216
-Including one from Chic the night of--
-Why would you go back there?

216
00:17:31,300 --> 00:17:34,845
To make sure
that no one could see him from the trail.

217
00:17:34,928 --> 00:17:37,639
Give that to me
before someone tracks it here.

218
00:17:37,723 --> 00:17:41,560
No, I turned off the GPS.
And you're missing the point here, okay?

219
00:17:41,643 --> 00:17:45,481
Chic lied about the shady guy.
What else is he lying about, huh?

220
00:17:48,609 --> 00:17:50,944
Excuse me? Are you kidding me?

221
00:17:51,028 --> 00:17:54,990
-No one is buying the waterworks.
-That's enough, Elizabeth.

222
00:17:55,866 --> 00:17:57,868
Keep this up, you'll get us caught.

223
00:17:57,951 --> 00:18:01,538
He's the one who will get us caught

by not telling us everything.

224

00:18:01,622 --> 00:18:04,500
That the person in the sewer pipe
was a drug dealer?

225

00:18:04,583 --> 00:18:07,211
Frankly, I'm relieved.
A transient like that?

226

00:18:07,294 --> 00:18:11,256
-It means no one is looking for him.
-Um, I hate to break it to you,

227

00:18:11,340 --> 00:18:15,094
-but drug dealers have families.
-What's done is done, Elizabeth.

228

00:18:15,177 --> 00:18:18,222
The family you should be worried about
is your own.

229

00:18:22,184 --> 00:18:23,977
I asked him, point-blank.

230

00:18:25,145 --> 00:18:29,525
I said, "Mr. Lodge, did you kill
or hire anyone to kill Poppa Poutine?"

231

00:18:29,608 --> 00:18:31,527
-And he said no.
-You believed him?

232

00:18:32,402 --> 00:18:33,237
I did, yeah.

233

00:18:34,321 --> 00:18:35,155
I do.

234

00:18:40,452 --> 00:18:44,873
Mr. Lodge did tell me there was bad blood
between Poppa Poutine

235
00:18:44,957 --> 00:18:47,793
-and some other guy named Lenny.
-Lenny Kowalski?

236
00:18:49,503 --> 00:18:52,673
Yeah. I guess Poutine owed him
a lot of money.

237
00:18:53,674 --> 00:18:57,261
Eighty-six thousand dollars
in gambling debt or something.

238
00:18:57,553 --> 00:18:58,595
Lenny Kowalski.

239
00:19:00,222 --> 00:19:01,723
Let me look into it.

240
00:19:05,102 --> 00:19:08,480
Thank you for agreeing
to discuss this misunderstanding.

241
00:19:08,564 --> 00:19:10,566
-There's no mis--
-There's no misunderstanding here.

242
00:19:10,649 --> 00:19:14,653
Tall Boy said you paid him
to decapitate the Pickens statue.

243
00:19:14,736 --> 00:19:17,447
As an excuse to turn up the heat
on the Serpents.

244
00:19:17,531 --> 00:19:20,284
We got people scared
they'll lose their home.

245
00:19:20,367 --> 00:19:21,743
I heard about that.

246
00:19:21,827 --> 00:19:25,205

Though it has nothing to do with me,
I spoke to Mayor McCoy.

247

00:19:25,289 --> 00:19:28,375
As a gesture of good will
to the Southside community,

248

00:19:28,458 --> 00:19:32,337
I'd like to settle any back rent you
or your neighbors owe the town.

249

00:19:33,881 --> 00:19:37,050
-Now, what do you want in return?
-Peace in the land.

250

00:19:37,634 --> 00:19:38,510
Hmm.

251

00:19:43,849 --> 00:19:44,683
It's a deal.

252

00:19:47,394 --> 00:19:52,107
There's one thing. Mayor McCoy tells me
there's some exposé you're working on.

253

00:19:52,191 --> 00:19:56,278
In exchange for my offer, I'd appreciate
it if you kept my name out of it.

254

00:19:56,570 --> 00:19:57,446
Sound fair?

255

00:19:57,529 --> 00:19:58,488
[scoffs]

256

00:20:00,741 --> 00:20:02,743
-That sounds a lot like a bribe.
-Heh.

257

00:20:03,577 --> 00:20:04,870
-No deal.
-[chuckles]

258
00:20:05,746 --> 00:20:07,372
See you in the funny pages.

259
00:20:27,351 --> 00:20:31,063
-Have you no scruples, Mother?
-What are you going on about now?

260
00:20:31,146 --> 00:20:33,815
I just saw Hal Cooper
leaving Thistlehouse.

261
00:20:34,399 --> 00:20:37,778
Betty was sick to her stomach
at school yesterday, Mother.

262
00:20:38,445 --> 00:20:39,947
What if it was over this?

263
00:20:40,739 --> 00:20:43,867
You're destroying families
with your courtesan ways.

264
00:20:45,953 --> 00:20:48,163
It's different with Hal.

265
00:20:49,248 --> 00:20:50,540
He's not a client.

266
00:20:52,376 --> 00:20:53,252
It's real.

267
00:20:54,002 --> 00:20:56,797
Mother, he has a wife.

268
00:20:56,880 --> 00:20:57,798
Alice Cooper?

269
00:20:58,924 --> 00:20:59,841
That gorgon?

270
00:21:00,884 --> 00:21:03,011

[scoffs] She's not the victim here.

271

00:21:03,679 --> 00:21:05,764
So, please, Cheryl, stay out of it.

272

00:21:11,770 --> 00:21:13,897
-[McCoy] Absolutely not!
-[Hermione] You are part of that.

273

00:21:13,981 --> 00:21:15,232
[McCoy] No, I am not.

274

00:21:15,315 --> 00:21:17,150
[Hermione]
You're letting a school get in the way--

275

00:21:17,234 --> 00:21:19,611
[McCoy]
I'm not doing this anymore. This is crazy.

276

00:21:19,695 --> 00:21:22,114
I am this close
to telling that Jones boy everything,

277

00:21:22,197 --> 00:21:24,408
and it'll be worse for you than for me.

278

00:21:24,491 --> 00:21:25,659
Mayor McCoy.

279

00:21:26,660 --> 00:21:29,079
Wait, what just happened?

280

00:21:29,162 --> 00:21:31,957
Given the hatchet job
Jughead is writing about us,

281

00:21:32,541 --> 00:21:35,252
we feel it's best
to accelerate our timetable.

282

00:21:35,335 --> 00:21:38,922

Yes, we told Sierra we might have
to announce our plans for Southside High.

283

00:21:39,006 --> 00:21:43,927
Typical Sierra, she refused and demanded
that we wait until after she's re-elected.

284

00:21:44,011 --> 00:21:47,222
She's threatening to expose us
if we proceed without her.

285

00:21:47,306 --> 00:21:50,183
If this isn't handled properly,
the whole town will be out for our blood.

286

00:21:50,267 --> 00:21:53,270
If we get her out of office
under a cloud of scandal,

287

00:21:53,353 --> 00:21:55,063
the damage she could do to us
would be minimized.

288

00:21:55,147 --> 00:21:58,233
-How? How would you do that?
-I had Andre follow her.

289

00:21:58,317 --> 00:22:02,237
And let's just say she spends
an awful lot of time in cheap motels.

290

00:22:05,407 --> 00:22:08,410
It's time for Operation:
Guess Who's Coming to Dinner.

291

00:22:12,873 --> 00:22:16,460
Hey, Vegas. Hey, boy. Hey.

292

00:22:29,514 --> 00:22:32,642
-Dad?
-Hey, Arch. Uh, this is--

293

00:22:33,226 --> 00:22:37,731

Agent Adams. Nice to meet you.
Your father and I were just finishing up.

294

00:22:50,243 --> 00:22:53,080

-[man 1] Hello?

-Hi. I found this phone in a parking lot.

295

00:22:53,163 --> 00:22:55,457

-I was wondering if you knew--

-[phone hangs up]

296

00:23:03,090 --> 00:23:05,467

-[woman 1] Hello?

-Hi, I'm so sorry to bother you.

297

00:23:06,051 --> 00:23:08,887

I think someone lost this phone.

I was wondering if you knew--

298

00:23:08,970 --> 00:23:10,430

[phone hangs up]

299

00:23:20,065 --> 00:23:22,442

-Hello? Uh...

-[woman 2] Who the hell is this?

300

00:23:22,526 --> 00:23:24,653

-I found this phone.

-Cut the crap.

301

00:23:24,736 --> 00:23:28,615

You're the slut he's been whoring with.

You're why he's been missing.

302

00:23:28,698 --> 00:23:32,160

You know what?

Tell that scumbag not to come home.

303

00:23:32,244 --> 00:23:33,203

He's dead to me.

304

00:23:44,631 --> 00:23:45,841

[cell phone rings]

305
00:23:48,718 --> 00:23:49,553
Betty.

306
00:23:51,429 --> 00:23:52,889
Yeah, I'll be right there.

307
00:23:57,602 --> 00:23:58,436
Betty.

308
00:23:59,729 --> 00:24:02,190
What's going on?
What are you doing out here?

309
00:24:04,109 --> 00:24:07,028
I think I'm going crazy, Jug.

310
00:24:07,112 --> 00:24:11,449
My mom's acting like everything's normal,
when... it's not.

311
00:24:11,533 --> 00:24:15,579
Everything is falling apart.
Everything is falling apart.

312
00:24:15,662 --> 00:24:16,830
[sighs]

313
00:24:20,333 --> 00:24:22,544
I need to tell you something.

314
00:24:27,090 --> 00:24:30,051
-[sighs]
-I can't eat, I can't sleep.

315
00:24:30,135 --> 00:24:33,013
I'm just obsessing over this shady man.

316
00:24:33,221 --> 00:24:35,015
His phone and his life.

317

00:24:35,098 --> 00:24:35,974
[sighs]

318
00:24:36,057 --> 00:24:38,810
Meanwhile, my mom's acting
like it never happened.

319
00:24:38,894 --> 00:24:42,606
-God, why didn't I just call the police?
-You still can, Betty.

320
00:24:42,689 --> 00:24:45,901
-And you know you probably should.
-And say what, Jug?

321
00:24:52,824 --> 00:24:55,493
Hey, either of you know
the owner of that car?

322
00:24:58,288 --> 00:25:01,374
Been there since day before yesterday.
Neighbor complained.

323
00:25:06,963 --> 00:25:10,634
Yeah, sorry, officer. That's my car.
I just can't find my keys.

324
00:25:10,717 --> 00:25:14,262
Street's being cleaned tomorrow a.m.
I'm going around the block.

325
00:25:14,346 --> 00:25:17,349
If it's still there in five minutes,
you get a ticket.

326
00:25:22,729 --> 00:25:24,564
How fast can you hotwire a car?

327
00:25:30,820 --> 00:25:34,282
-That agent left.
-What did he want?

328
00:25:34,824 --> 00:25:37,535

Apparently, the FBI is assisting
in a crackdown

329

00:25:37,619 --> 00:25:42,290
on undocumented labor from Canada.
They think that maybe, over the years,

330

00:25:42,374 --> 00:25:45,710
I've hired some of these guys,
paid them cash under the table.

331

00:25:45,877 --> 00:25:48,296
A couple times,
I looked the other way.

332

00:25:48,380 --> 00:25:52,842
-But they can't take you down for that.
-Sure they can. Son, it's the FBI.

333

00:25:52,926 --> 00:25:56,012
They're requesting my files
for the last seven years.

334

00:26:00,475 --> 00:26:03,853
Agent Adams,
you stay the hell away from my dad.

335

00:26:03,937 --> 00:26:08,608
Scary, isn't it? How quickly I can make
things difficult for you and your father?

336

00:26:08,692 --> 00:26:11,736
You said he'd be protected.
You gave me a contract.

337

00:26:11,820 --> 00:26:12,654
Archie.

338

00:26:14,114 --> 00:26:18,576
Poutine did not owe
Lenny Kowalski anything close to \$86,000.

339

00:26:19,452 --> 00:26:23,873

You're feeding me false information
because you're protecting Hiram Lodge,

340

00:26:23,957 --> 00:26:25,834
which means you're compromised.

341

00:26:26,126 --> 00:26:29,462
Basically, the only thing
you can offer me now is access.

342

00:26:30,088 --> 00:26:33,258
So, I need you to wake up,
stop dicking around,

343

00:26:33,341 --> 00:26:36,303
and plant a bug in Hiram's office.

344

00:26:36,386 --> 00:26:40,390
Then he'll slip up,
and say something incriminating,

345

00:26:40,473 --> 00:26:42,851
and I'll record it and arrest him.

346

00:26:43,643 --> 00:26:46,104
A nice, happy ending.

347

00:26:47,272 --> 00:26:49,607
You and your father will be safe.

348

00:27:02,203 --> 00:27:04,664
I don't believe you'll leave us alone.

349

00:27:04,748 --> 00:27:08,126
I think you'll do anything you can
to destroy Hiram Lodge,

350

00:27:08,710 --> 00:27:13,006
-even if it means destroying us.
-Make sure it doesn't come to that.

351

00:27:22,974 --> 00:27:24,893

[Cheryl] Back so soon, Mr. Cooper?

352

00:27:26,353 --> 00:27:27,312
[Hal grunts]

353

00:27:28,271 --> 00:27:32,692
Cheryl. What are you doing
sitting there in the dark?

354

00:27:32,776 --> 00:27:35,904
You do know my mother's a harlot,
don't you?

355

00:27:36,654 --> 00:27:38,573
A modern-day Moll Flanders?

356

00:27:40,784 --> 00:27:43,328
What you're doing
could destroy your family.

357

00:27:44,371 --> 00:27:48,124
That's why I'm not going to tell Betty.
But I suggest you hurry home

358

00:27:48,208 --> 00:27:50,960
to your wife and daughter
before I change my mind.

359

00:27:53,296 --> 00:27:55,590
[Veronica] I came to warn you,
Mayor McCoy.

360

00:27:56,758 --> 00:27:59,928
I know that whatever
questionable arrangement you have

361

00:28:00,011 --> 00:28:01,805
with my parents is imploding,

362

00:28:01,888 --> 00:28:05,600
and that you're trying to go after them
in some way,

363
00:28:05,683 --> 00:28:09,437
but, Mayor McCoy,
they're planning to discredit you.

364
00:28:10,522 --> 00:28:13,858
To get you out of this office
and neutralize you.

365
00:28:13,942 --> 00:28:17,153
Whatever bomb they can set off
will only burn them, too.

366
00:28:20,323 --> 00:28:22,117
They know about the affair.

367
00:28:22,742 --> 00:28:27,205
Your... relationship with Sheriff Keller.

368
00:28:29,040 --> 00:28:33,128
But, Mayor McCoy, you can get out of this.

369
00:28:33,336 --> 00:28:36,881
Take control of the narrative.
Inoculate yourself.

370
00:28:40,844 --> 00:28:42,095
How long do I have?

371
00:28:46,725 --> 00:28:49,811
[Jughead] Norman Bates
made it look so easy. [grunts]

372
00:29:24,763 --> 00:29:26,014
[breathing heavily]

373
00:29:37,525 --> 00:29:38,443
His phone, too.

374
00:29:40,320 --> 00:29:41,863
-Betty, his phone.
-Oh.

375
00:29:47,368 --> 00:29:48,453
[grunts]

376
00:29:57,837 --> 00:30:01,549
As mayor, I have seen us
through a triumphant Jubilee

377
00:30:02,133 --> 00:30:04,552
and the terrors of the Black Hood killer,

378
00:30:05,053 --> 00:30:08,681
but, my friends,
it has taken a personal toll.

379
00:30:09,265 --> 00:30:13,686
I have decided to step down as mayor
to spend more time with my family,

380
00:30:14,062 --> 00:30:17,607
and to return to my own legal career
right here in Riverdale.

381
00:30:18,191 --> 00:30:20,610
-What's going on?
-Mayor McCoy is resigning.

382
00:30:20,944 --> 00:30:25,198
-We haven't even made our play yet.
-That's great. Now you don't have to.

383
00:30:26,908 --> 00:30:29,118
If you did, it would be cruel.

384
00:30:30,161 --> 00:30:36,042
It has always been my intention to do
what is best for the people of Riverdale.

385
00:30:36,125 --> 00:30:40,672
I have to say, Veronica, for Mayor McCoy
to resign like that, out of the blue,

386
00:30:41,506 --> 00:30:44,133

it's almost as if someone warned her.

387

00:30:49,514 --> 00:30:53,226
Did you tell Mayor McCoy we were planning
to expose her affair?

388

00:30:55,186 --> 00:30:58,106
No... I did not.

389

00:31:01,401 --> 00:31:02,235
Hmm.

390

00:31:03,611 --> 00:31:05,029
[knocking on door]

391

00:31:05,947 --> 00:31:07,198
[groans]

392

00:31:09,868 --> 00:31:13,621
Oh. Hal. Alice and Betty
aren't here right now.

393

00:31:15,456 --> 00:31:18,042
But I can come in, though, right, Chic?

394

00:31:18,877 --> 00:31:20,712
I mean, this is still my house.

395

00:31:40,982 --> 00:31:42,233
-Hi.
-[Cheryl] Betty.

396

00:31:42,317 --> 00:31:46,195
I wasn't going to tell you
about something, but all night long,

397

00:31:46,279 --> 00:31:49,616
I kept tossing and turning
in my canopy sleigh bed thinking,

398

00:31:49,699 --> 00:31:52,994
I'd wanna know. But I take no pleasure

in sharing this with you--

399

00:31:53,077 --> 00:31:56,706
Uh, I gotta go. Chic texted me.
He's at home with my dad.

400

00:31:56,789 --> 00:31:58,541
This is about your father.

401

00:32:00,376 --> 00:32:01,336
[Hal] I'm onto you.

402

00:32:01,419 --> 00:32:05,340
Your game isn't gonna work with me.
Where's my grandfather's watch?

403

00:32:05,423 --> 00:32:07,508
-[Betty] What are you doing?
-Is that in here?

404

00:32:07,592 --> 00:32:11,429
-I thought you moved out.
-I did, but I had a change of heart,

405

00:32:11,512 --> 00:32:16,309
and I was feeling like it was time for me
to move back and get answers from him.

406

00:32:16,392 --> 00:32:19,270
But your brother can't seem
to look me in the eyes.

407

00:32:19,354 --> 00:32:23,149
-That's because you're terrifying him.
-Oh, I'm terrifying him.

408

00:32:23,232 --> 00:32:24,817
-Yeah.
-[Hal] Come on, Betty.

409

00:32:24,901 --> 00:32:28,071
What is going on here?
Why does it stink of bleach?

410
00:32:28,154 --> 00:32:30,114
And where is the dining room rug?

411
00:32:30,198 --> 00:32:32,659
I think she sent it out to get cleaned.

412
00:32:32,742 --> 00:32:36,245
-Oh, what about the lamp there?
-Why are you interrogating us?

413
00:32:36,329 --> 00:32:39,040
Because something is going on
in this house.

414
00:32:39,123 --> 00:32:43,169
This kid is doing what? Turning tricks?
They're coming through the house.

415
00:32:43,252 --> 00:32:45,922
Who knows what they're stealing
and pawning off?

416
00:32:46,005 --> 00:32:48,132
Speak up. What have your pals taken--?

417
00:32:48,216 --> 00:32:51,511
-Get away from him, or I will call Mom!
-Think I care?

418
00:32:51,594 --> 00:32:54,263
I will tell her about you
and Penelope Blossom.

419
00:32:57,600 --> 00:33:00,603
Maybe the reason
you feel like we're hiding things

420
00:33:00,687 --> 00:33:03,022
and keeping secrets is because you are.

421
00:33:09,654 --> 00:33:11,781

You need to leave, Dad. Now.

422

00:33:26,254 --> 00:33:29,632

-Thank you, Betty.

-I didn't do it for you, I did it for Mom.

423

00:33:30,216 --> 00:33:31,509

What if he comes back?

424

00:33:33,136 --> 00:33:34,679

Or calls the police?

425

00:34:00,621 --> 00:34:03,082

[Archie]

I have to tell you something, Mr. Lodge.

426

00:34:05,001 --> 00:34:06,669

The FBI approached me...

427

00:34:08,212 --> 00:34:11,674

I guess to be a mole or an informant,
to keep tabs on you.

428

00:34:12,258 --> 00:34:14,427

-The FBI did.

-A few weeks ago.

429

00:34:14,510 --> 00:34:17,346

-A few weeks.

-I didn't tell them anything.

430

00:34:17,430 --> 00:34:20,850

-What would you have told them?

-They asked me to plant a bug.

431

00:34:20,933 --> 00:34:23,728

-A bug.

-I smashed it with a hammer.

432

00:34:24,437 --> 00:34:28,232

This agent threatened my dad
because I haven't given up information,

433

00:34:28,316 --> 00:34:33,529
-and I don't think he'll stop until I do.
-So, why are you telling me any of this?

434

00:34:33,613 --> 00:34:38,034
Because... I like you, Mr. Lodge,
and I love your daughter,

435

00:34:38,117 --> 00:34:42,163
and I think Agent Adams is more
dangerous than you are at this point.

436

00:34:43,664 --> 00:34:45,583
Is that his name? Adams?

437

00:34:46,292 --> 00:34:47,585
Arthur Adams, yes.

438

00:34:49,253 --> 00:34:51,881
And I was hoping
maybe you could help my dad.

439

00:34:52,507 --> 00:34:54,175
Maybe help us out of this.

440

00:34:57,887 --> 00:35:00,223
Arthur Adams will be dealt with.

441

00:35:01,182 --> 00:35:04,644
-You're not going to--
-No, Archie, no one's going to...

442

00:35:07,271 --> 00:35:10,900
As you can imagine,
it's not my first tangling with the FBI.

443

00:35:11,943 --> 00:35:14,695
Hey, you did the right thing, telling me.

444

00:35:14,779 --> 00:35:18,282
Just give me 24 hours.
I'll make calls and get back to you.

445
00:35:24,330 --> 00:35:28,459
I really didn't tell him anything,
Mr. Lodge, about anything.

446
00:35:29,919 --> 00:35:31,045
And I believe you.

447
00:35:33,256 --> 00:35:34,966
Now go. Wait to hear from me.

448
00:35:39,262 --> 00:35:40,179
Oh, and Archie?

449
00:35:42,140 --> 00:35:44,559
Tell your father
everything's gonna be fine.

450
00:35:53,526 --> 00:35:54,485
[Betty] Dad was here.

451
00:35:54,569 --> 00:35:56,863
He was pissed off and asking questions.

452
00:35:56,946 --> 00:36:00,241
-Oh, my God.
-Yeah, but don't worry. He won't be back.

453
00:36:02,201 --> 00:36:05,121
Mom, we're in way over our heads here.

454
00:36:05,204 --> 00:36:08,791
The shady man's car was parked
outside our house for two days.

455
00:36:08,875 --> 00:36:10,751
-What?
-It's okay. Jughead and I took care of it.

456
00:36:11,335 --> 00:36:12,795
-You told Jughead?
-Yes.

457
00:36:12,879 --> 00:36:17,049
I keep thinking about that body
and who might come looking for it,

458
00:36:17,133 --> 00:36:20,887
and how many loose ends are out there
we're not even thinking about.

459
00:36:21,429 --> 00:36:22,889
We need help, Mom.

460
00:36:23,472 --> 00:36:27,602
We can't go to the police. I can't.
I'm sorry, I just can't.

461
00:36:28,477 --> 00:36:30,438
I'm not talking about the police.

462
00:36:30,521 --> 00:36:31,480
[knocking on door]

463
00:36:32,690 --> 00:36:36,068
-FP--
-Save it. Jughead just told me. All of it.

464
00:36:39,030 --> 00:36:42,909
I won't let you make the same mistake
I made with Jason Blossom. Come on.

465
00:36:50,583 --> 00:36:52,335
[panting]

466
00:37:01,427 --> 00:37:02,720
[grunting]

467
00:37:27,870 --> 00:37:29,330
[knocking on door]

468
00:37:33,584 --> 00:37:34,418
Andre?

469
00:37:35,294 --> 00:37:38,506
We're going for a drive.
The boss wants to see you.

470
00:37:47,014 --> 00:37:49,100
You missed the turn to The Pembroke.

471
00:37:50,518 --> 00:37:52,895
Andre? Where are we going?

472
00:37:54,313 --> 00:37:56,482
Boss requested somewhere more private.

473
00:37:57,733 --> 00:37:58,859
Scenic.

474
00:38:09,704 --> 00:38:12,540
[Nouvellas' "Don't Count On Me"
playing on speakers]

475
00:38:32,184 --> 00:38:34,395
-It's done.
-[Jughead] Jeez.

476
00:38:35,438 --> 00:38:38,107
-Dad, you reek.
-It's the sodium hydroxide.

477
00:38:38,190 --> 00:38:40,359
In a week, there'll be nothing left.

478
00:38:41,736 --> 00:38:42,862
Not even his teeth.

479
00:38:48,117 --> 00:38:51,287
Thank you, FP,
and I'm sorry for involving Betty,

480
00:38:51,996 --> 00:38:54,582
and that she pulled Jughead into this.

481

00:38:59,045 --> 00:39:00,463
We take care of our own.

482
00:39:04,091 --> 00:39:05,634
The circle ends here.

483
00:39:07,219 --> 00:39:08,554
No more loose ends.

484
00:39:10,097 --> 00:39:13,392
♪ I won't count on you to... ♪

485
00:39:14,060 --> 00:39:17,355
♪ I won't count on this to last forever
No ♪

486
00:39:17,438 --> 00:39:20,399
♪ I won't count on you
For nothing at all ♪

487
00:39:22,985 --> 00:39:26,489
♪ I won't count on this to last forever
No ♪

488
00:39:26,572 --> 00:39:29,533
♪ I won't count on you
For nothing at all ♪

489
00:39:29,784 --> 00:39:31,410
♪ No, no, no ♪

490
00:39:31,619 --> 00:39:35,414
♪ I won't count on you to say you love me
No ♪

491
00:39:35,498 --> 00:39:38,417
♪ I won't count on you to save... ♪

492
00:39:38,834 --> 00:39:42,630
♪ I won't count on this to last forever
No ♪

493

00:39:42,713 --> 00:39:45,591
♪ I won't count on you
For nothing at all ♪

494
00:39:49,929 --> 00:39:52,556
-Are we almost there?
-Just about.

495
00:40:10,741 --> 00:40:13,452
Come on, let's go. Come on.

496
00:40:23,629 --> 00:40:24,922
Here he is, boss.

497
00:40:27,091 --> 00:40:28,092
Thank you, Andre.

498
00:40:30,344 --> 00:40:31,762
Give us a moment.

499
00:40:44,984 --> 00:40:48,696
-Mrs. Lodge.
-Do you know what omertà is, Archie?

500
00:40:50,197 --> 00:40:53,659
It's our code of silence.
It states that there is no worse,

501
00:40:53,742 --> 00:40:56,370
no more cowardly crime than snitching.

502
00:40:56,871 --> 00:40:58,038
Mrs. Lodge, I...

503
00:40:58,914 --> 00:41:03,711
would never, ever do anything
to betray your family, I swear.

504
00:41:04,295 --> 00:41:06,755
So you've proven to me
these last few weeks.

505

00:41:08,424 --> 00:41:11,135
Hiram and I,
unbeknownst to our daughter...

506
00:41:12,386 --> 00:41:15,723
enlisted one of our closest associates
to approach you,

507
00:41:15,806 --> 00:41:18,601
say he was an FBI agent
investigating Hiram.

508
00:41:19,977 --> 00:41:24,398
-Agent Adams isn't real. He works for me.
-[scoffs]

509
00:41:24,482 --> 00:41:25,941
One of my capos.

510
00:41:26,525 --> 00:41:29,069
I asked him
to apply a lot of pressure to you.

511
00:41:29,945 --> 00:41:33,699
Threaten your father, even.
See if you would crack.

512
00:41:33,782 --> 00:41:37,369
Wait. This whole thing,
this was all some kind of test?

513
00:41:40,664 --> 00:41:42,583
Yes, it was.

514
00:41:46,212 --> 00:41:47,129
And you passed.

515
00:41:50,007 --> 00:41:51,800
Welcome to the family, Archie.