

"The Diary of Anne Frank."
Act 1, Scene 2

Mrs. Van Daan: Something's happened to them! I know it!
Mr. Van Daan: Now, Kerli!
Mrs. Van Daan: Mr. Frank said they'd be here at seven o'clock. He said . . .
Mrs. Van Daan: They have two miles to walk. You can't expect . . .
Mrs. Van Daan: They've been picked up. That's what's happened. They've been taken . . .
Mr. Van Daan: You see?
Mr. Frank: Mrs. Van Daan, Mr. Van Daan, Peter. There were too many of the Green Police on the streets . . . we had to take the long way around.
Mrs. Frank: Anne?
Mr. Frank: My wife, Edith. Mr. and Mrs. Van Daan . . . their son, Peter . . . my daughters, Marget and Anne.
Mr. Kraler: I'm sorry there is still so much confusion.
Mr. Frank: Please. Don't think of it. After all, we'll have plenty of leisure to arrange everything ourselves.
Miep: We put the stores of food you sent in here. Your drugs are here . . . soap, linen here.
Mrs. Frank: Thank you, Miep.
Miep: I made up the beds . . . the way Mr. Frank and Mr. Kraler said. Forgive me. I have so hurry. I've got to go to the other side of town to get some ration books for you.
Mrs. Van Daan: Ration books? If they see our names on ration books they'll know we're here.
Mr. Kraler: There isn't anything . . .
Miep: Don't worry. Your names won't be on them. I'll be up later.
Mr. Frank: Thank you, Miep.
Mrs. Frank: It's illegal, then, the ration books? We've never done anything illegal.
Mr. Frank: We won't be living here exactly according to regulations.