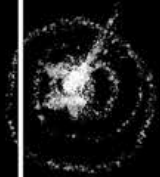


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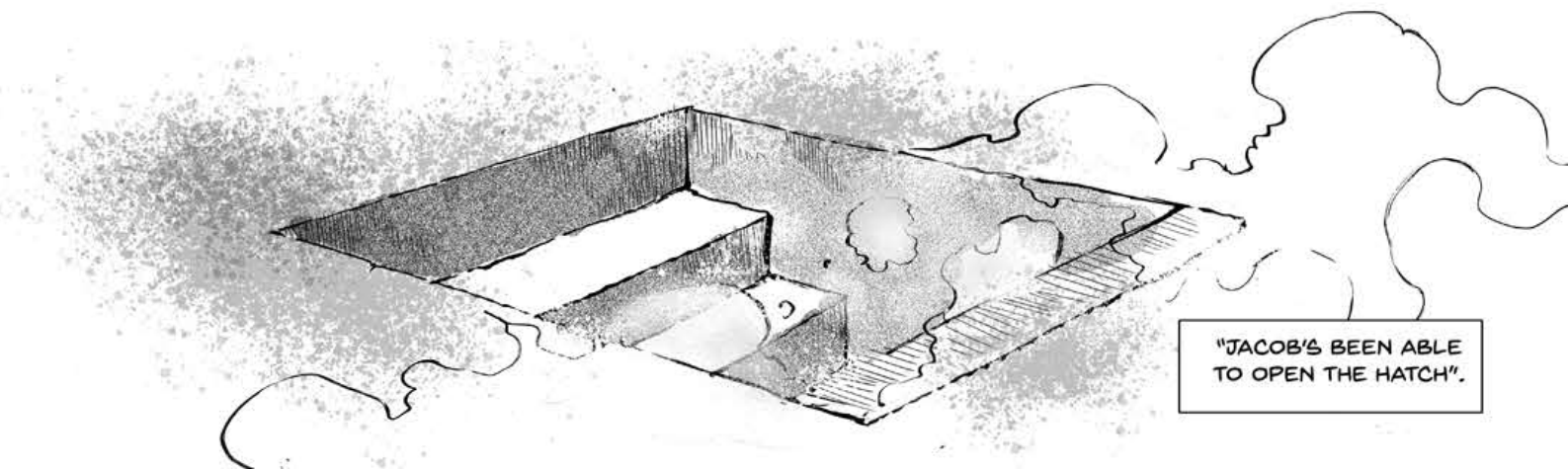
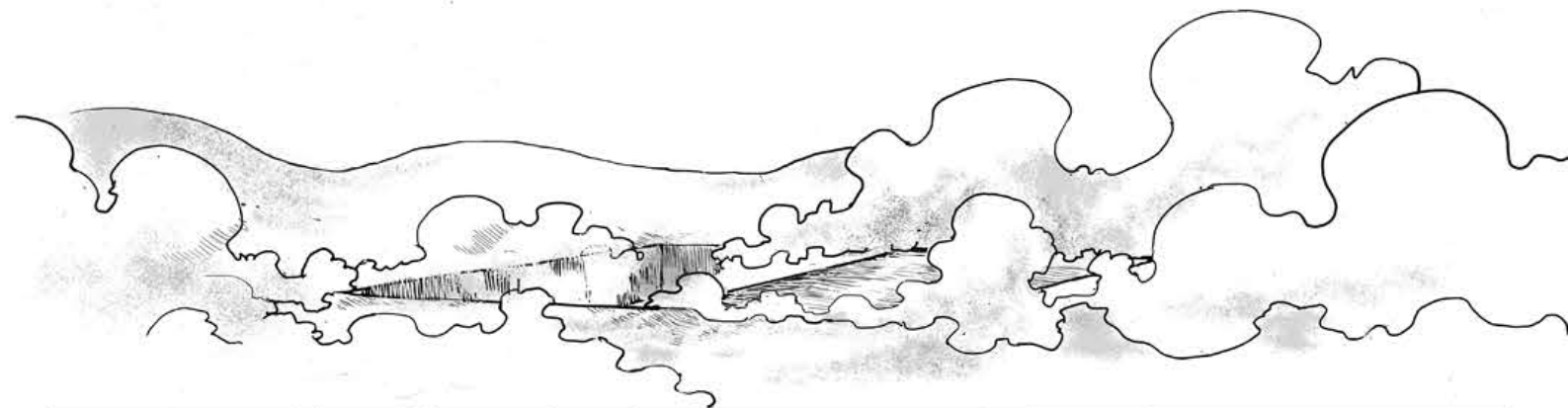
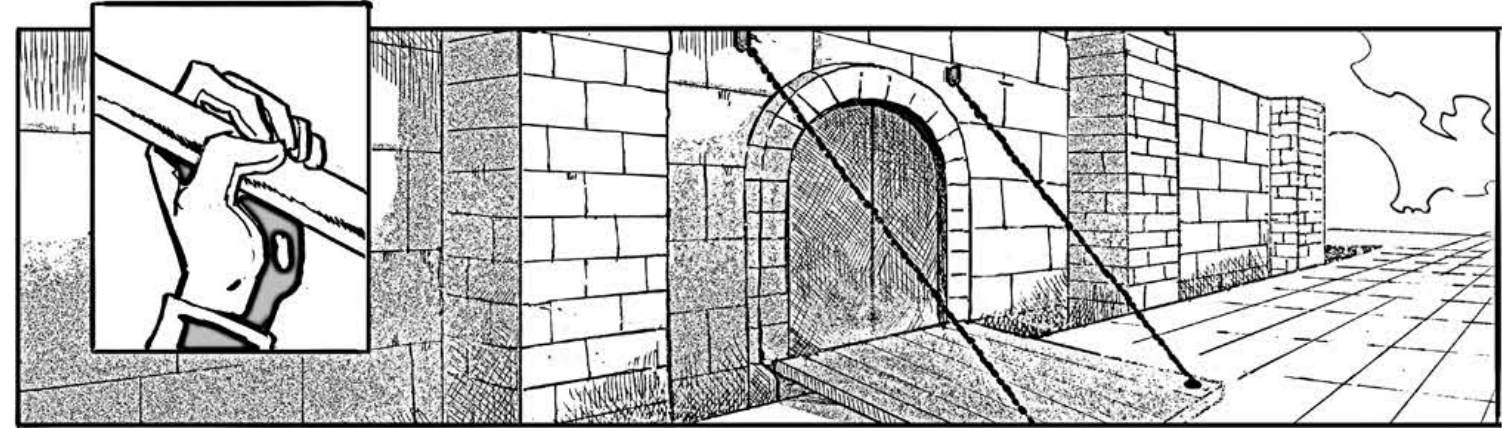
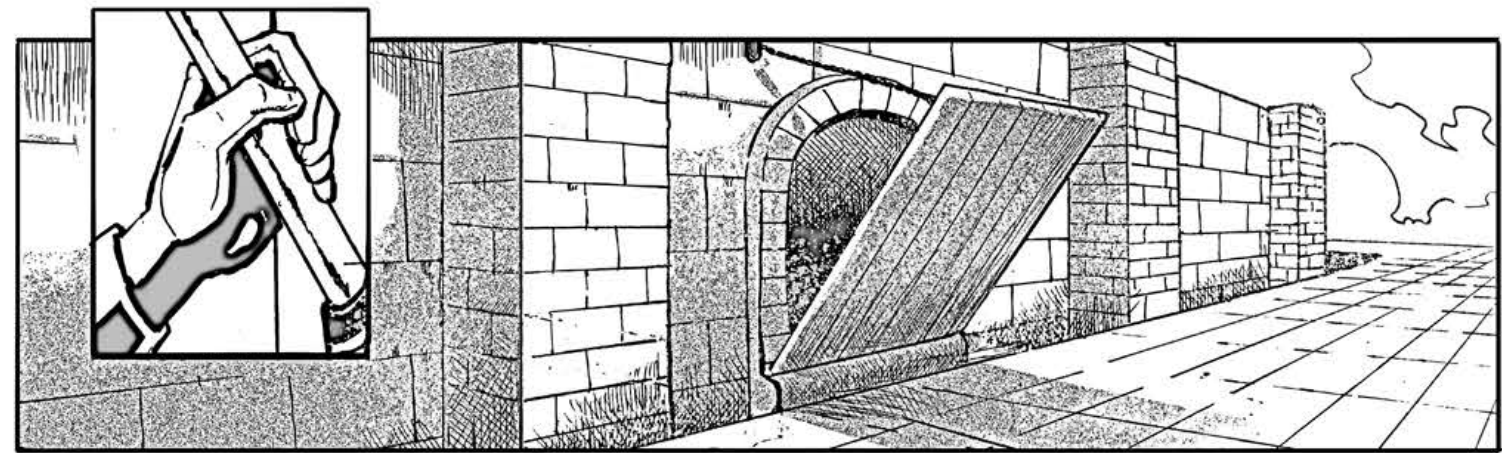
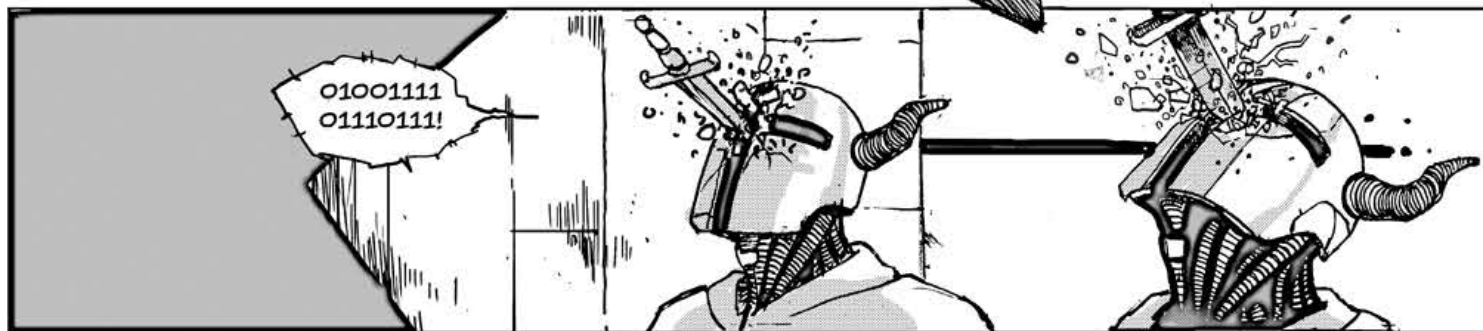
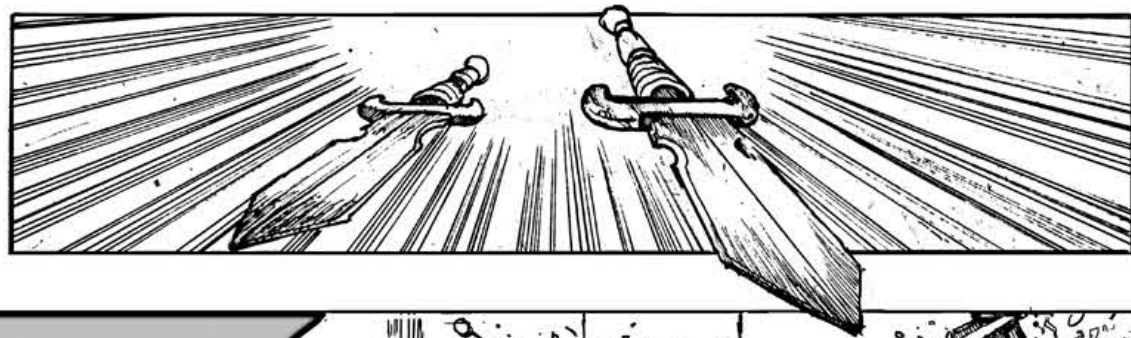
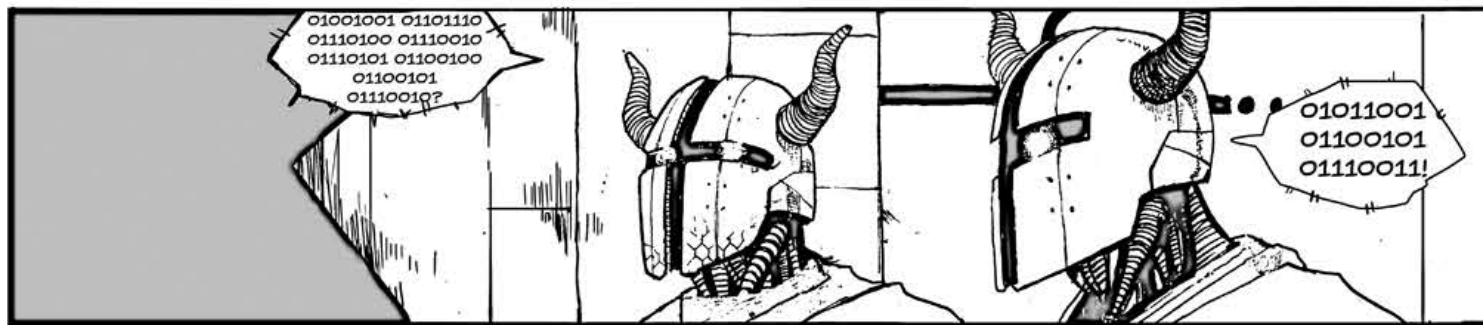
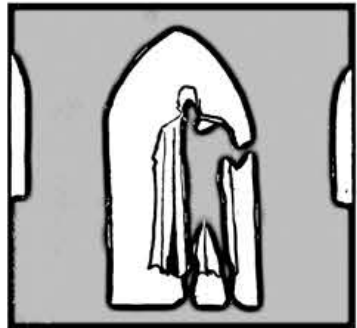
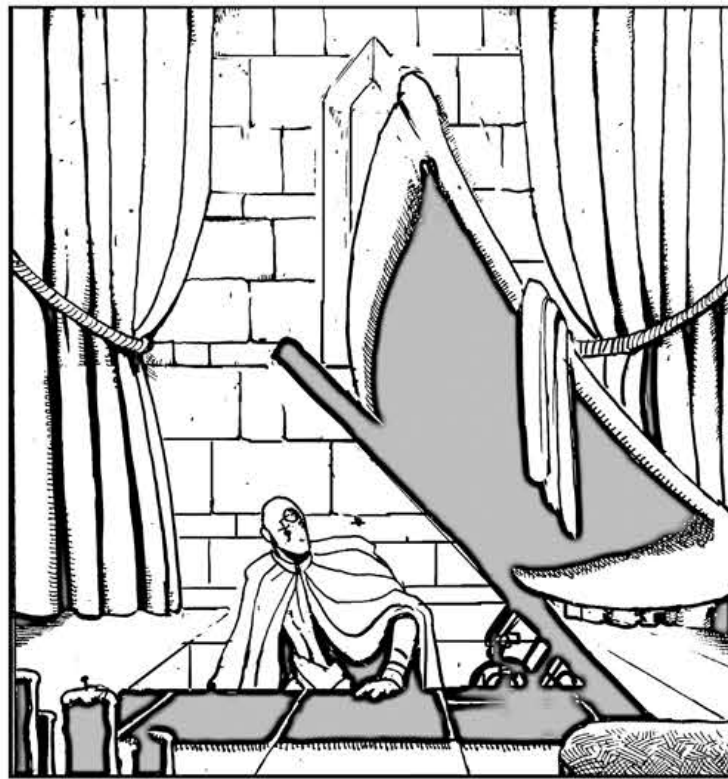
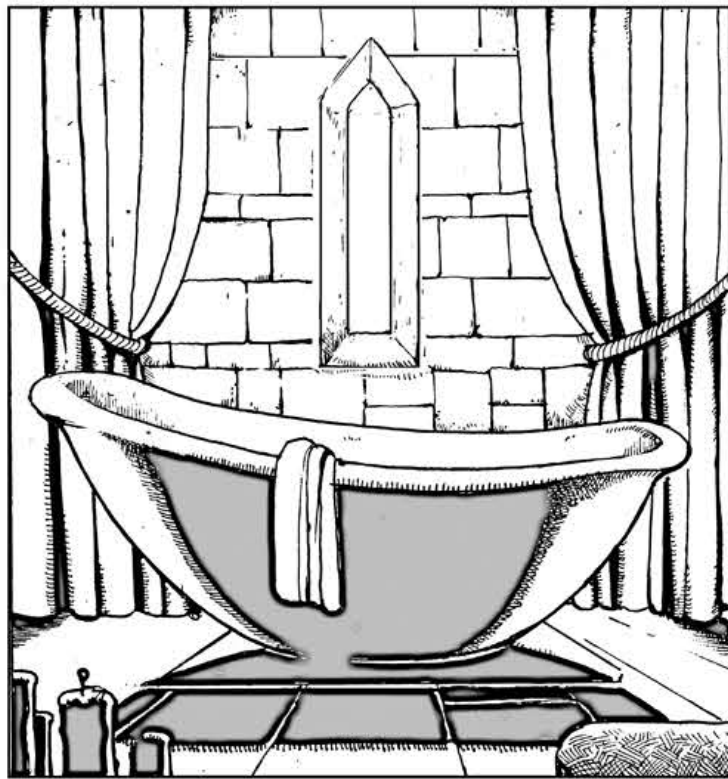


I THOUGHT I  
COULD EVADE THE  
DRACOFROST 2.9  
PROTOCOL, BUT IN  
THE END I HAD TO  
DEFEAT IT...

...WHICH MEANS  
THAT I HAVE THREE  
TICKS BEFORE THE  
"SERVER-CASTLE" IS  
REARMING.

LESS TIME THAN  
I WOULD LIKE,  
BUT DOABLE.







"THE INFORMATION WE GOT FROM THE OTHER MISSION SEEMS GOOD, SO FAR".



LET'S GO. CREEPER SAYS THAT THE SENSORS HERE ARE MORE DIFFICULT TO DISTORT.

YEAH, YEAH. TO THE BLIND ZONE, QUICKLY.



JACOB, YOUR ASTRAL HACKING HAS IMPROVED, RIGHT? I DON'T THINK IT WAS LIKE THIS BE...



YES. MORE AND MORE I CAN... VISUALIZE COMPUTER CODE LIKE...

...AS IF IT WERE SOMETHING OUT OF A SARTORIUS BOOK.



THINK WE'LL SEE ZIEGLER HERE? THEY ARE MOVING VERY RELEVANT GUYS....

I DOUBT IT.

THIS IS A TRANSPORT MISSION... I THINK THERE WILL ONLY BE MILITARY TYPE PEOPLE, NOT SCIENTISTS.



ESSEX, HEAR ANYTHING?

NOT YET.



ANYWAY, GO TO YOUR PLACES. LIKE IN THE BLUE-PRINTS.



YEAH, I GO TWO PARTITIONS FORWARD, RIGHT?



ESSEX WILL TAKE CARE OF THE FIRST WAGON.



I'M GOING UP.



YOU KNOW, IT WOULD BE TIME TO PUT THIS ON HOLD AND INVESTIGATE OTHER THINGS.

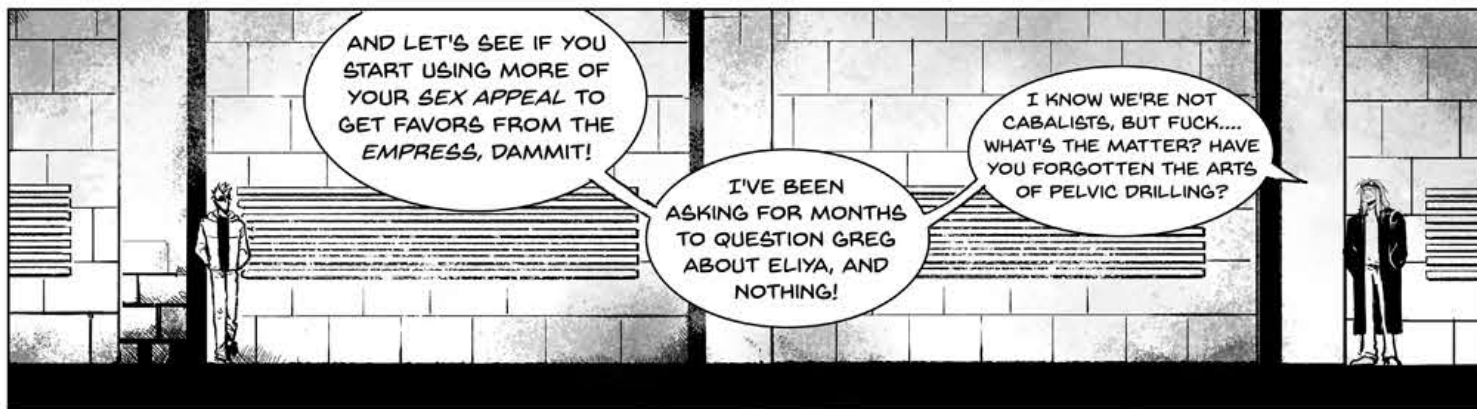


HOPE YOU'LL INVITE ME TO THE CANTEN FOR THE FAVOR I'M DOING YOU!

BUT... IRINA GAVE US UNLIMIT...

DON'T CARE!





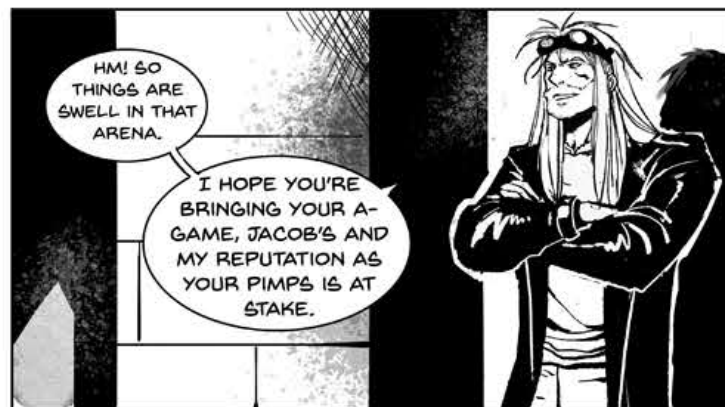
AND LET'S SEE IF YOU START USING MORE OF YOUR SEX APPEAL TO GET FAVORS FROM THE EMPRESS, DAMMIT!

I'VE BEEN ASKING FOR MONTHS TO QUESTION GREG ABOUT ELIYA, AND NOTHING!

I KNOW WE'RE NOT CABALISTS, BUT FUCK.... WHAT'S THE MATTER? HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN THE ARTS OF PELVIC DRILLING?



HEH. DON'T WORRY, THAT'S NOT THE PROBLEM. SHE JUST CAN'T GET GREG TO SHOW UP LIKE...

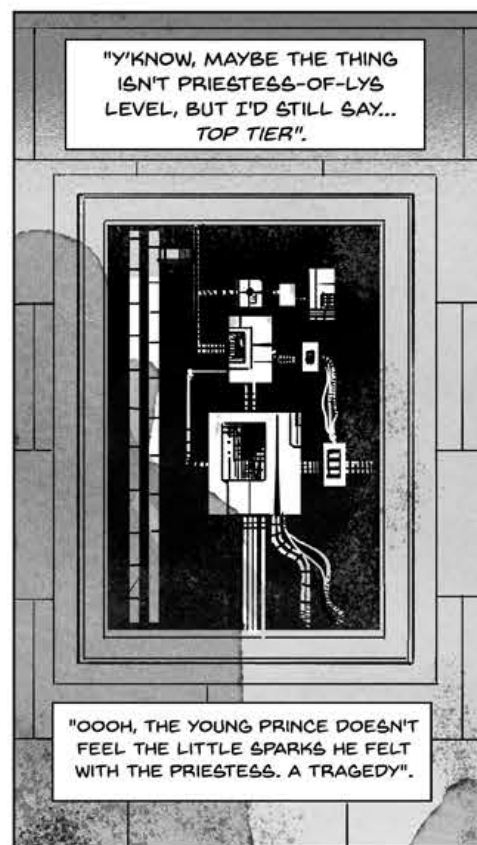


HM! SO THINGS ARE SWELL IN THAT ARENA.

I HOPE YOU'RE BRINGING YOUR A-GAME, JACOB'S AND MY REPUTATION AS YOUR PIMPS IS AT STAKE.



"YES, OF COURSE. I WOULDN'T SLEEP KNOWING I'M LETTING YOU GUYS DOWN".



"Y'KNOW, MAYBE THE THING ISN'T PRIESTESS-OF-LYS LEVEL, BUT I'D STILL SAY... TOP TIER".

"OOOH, THE YOUNG PRINCE DOESN'T FEEL THE LITTLE SPARKS HE FELT WITH THE PRIESTESS. A TRAGEDY".



"WELL, YES, TRULY. I'VE BEEN PRACTICING SEXUAL TAOISTIC SHIT BUT SHE WANTS... I DON'T KNOW, SHE WANTS THINGS TO BE MORE... **HECTIC**".



DUDE, SHE'S THE HEAD OF A SUBMARINE BASE.

NO WONDER SHE WANTS TO GO WILD AT THE END OF THE DAY.



ALL DONE. I'VE CUT THE WIRES.

AGH, FUCK! THE VOLUME!

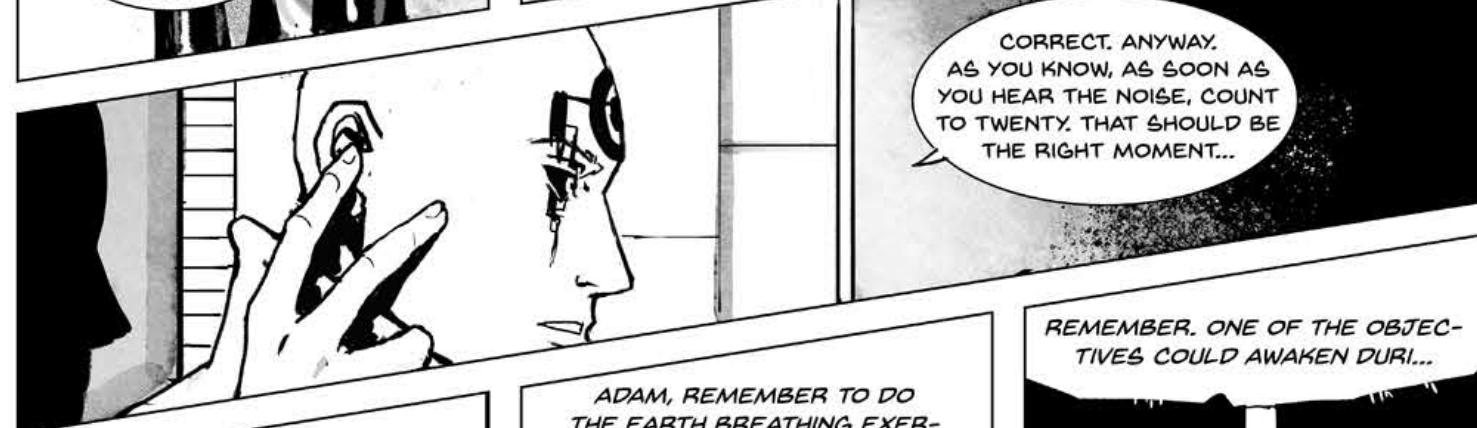
I TOLD YOU TO ADJUST IT...

SHUT THE FUCK UP!



OBVIOUSLY, I CAN REGULATE MY HEARING A LITTLE BIT, BUT THIS... ANYWAY. DONE.

MY MIC IS ALWAYS ON, ISN'T IT? YOU CAN HEAR ME WITHOUT HAVING TO PRESS...



CORRECT. ANYWAY. AS YOU KNOW, AS SOON AS YOU HEAR THE NOISE, COUNT TO TWENTY. THAT SHOULD BE THE RIGHT MOMENT...



THREE WAGONS, RIGHT? FIRST ONE'S "EMPTY"

YES.



ADAM, REMEMBER TO DO THE EARTH BREATHING EXERCISES. WE'RE GOING TO MEET SHADOWGENES, AFTER ALL. I DON'T WANT YOUR HAND TO AFFECT YOUR...

VISUALIZING THE MOUNTAIN, JACOB.

OKAY, OKAY.



REMEMBER. ONE OF THE OBJECTIVES COULD AWAKEN DURI...

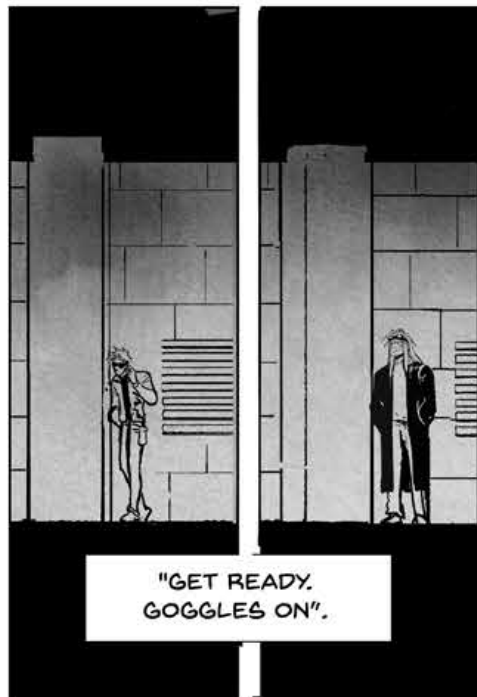
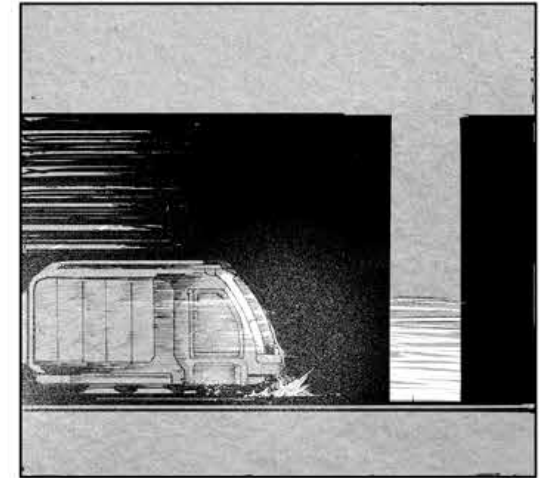
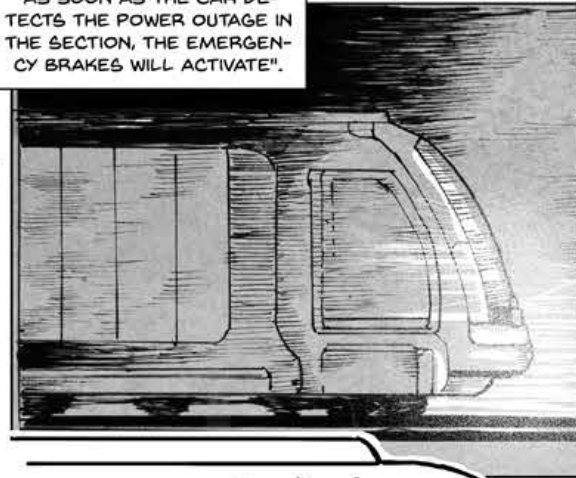
SHUSH. SILENCE.

THEY'RE COMING.

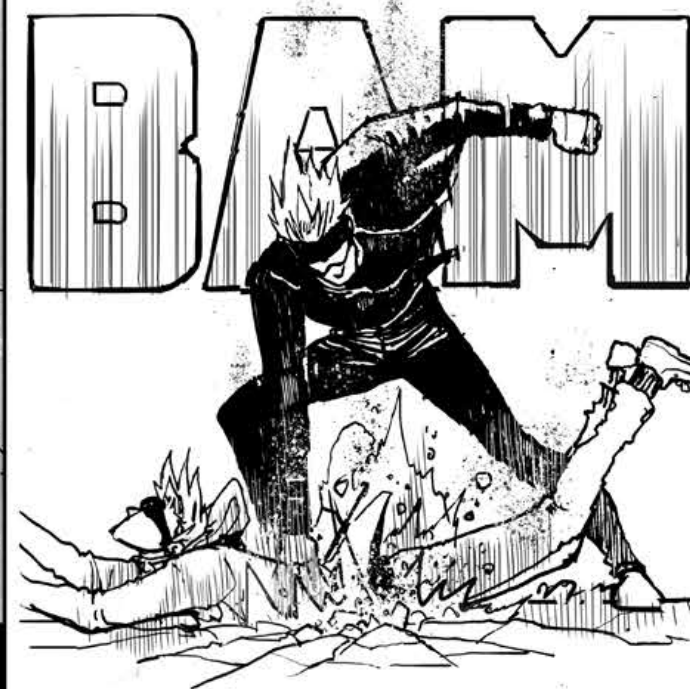
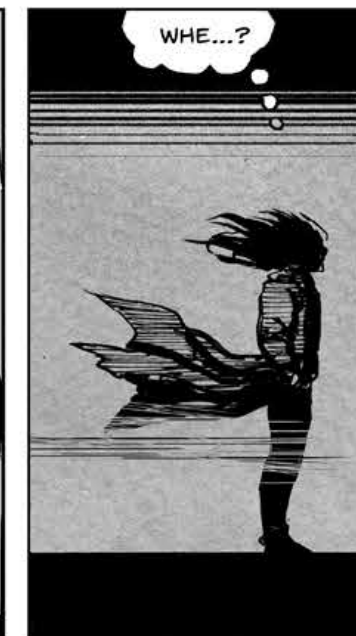




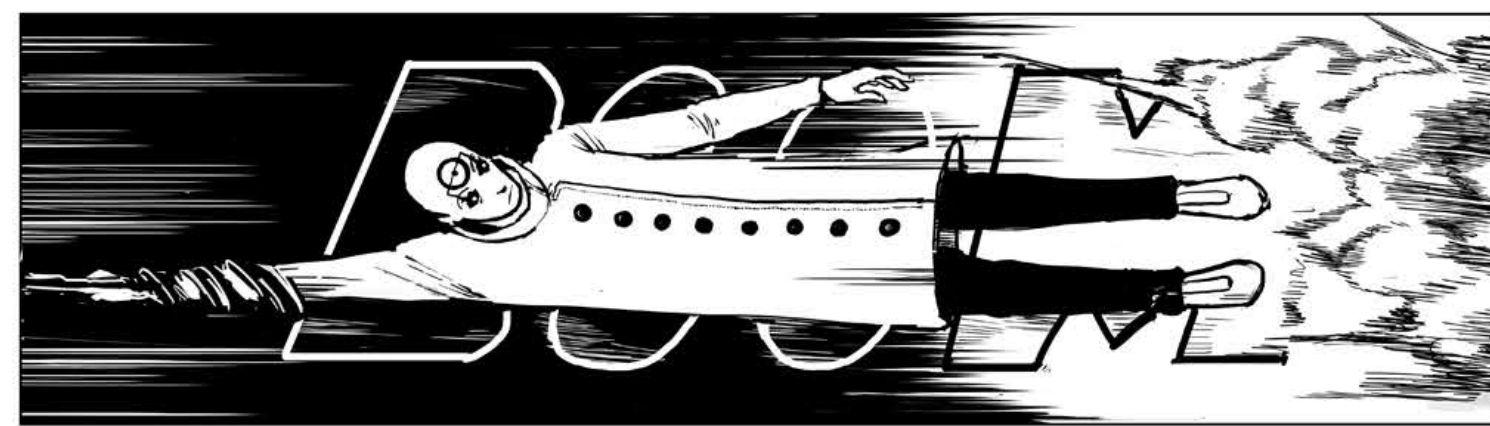
"AS SOON AS THE CAR DE-  
TECTS THE POWER OUTAGE IN  
THE SECTION, THE EMERGEN-  
CY BRAKES WILL ACTIVATE".















DUDE, IT'S HAPPENED AGAIN. YOU NEED TO TELL ESSEX.

MAYBE HE...

THERE'S NO TIME. FOCUS.



CONTROL. CONTROL?



JUS...  
AH...  
ZRR...

DISTORTIONS...  
OUR COVERAGE HAS  
BEEN CUT OFF...



THEY KNOW ABOUT  
THE PROTOCOL, THE  
TIME WE WERE GOING  
TO PASS THROUGH...



NGG...

I'LL RECOVER IN A  
SECOND AND YOU'LL  
SEE...!



HUH?

SNIFF

I KNEW I  
CAUGHT A WHIFF  
OF MANURE.

WHERE DO YOU PUT THE  
PASSWORD? I HAVE TO  
DO IT QUICKLY, BEFORE  
THE BARRIERS...



ENOUGH.



YOU ARE THE THREE  
LUNATICS FROM BARCELO-  
NA, AREN'T YOU? CAN'T  
SEE YOU WELL, BUT...

YOU HAVE BEEN  
RAIDING BASES. SHAD-  
OWGENE, SPECIFICALLY.

IN THE LAST ATTACK YOU  
PRETENDED TO GO AFTER  
THE LABS, BUT YOU STOLE  
SENSITIVE DATA.

THAT'S  
WHY YOU'RE  
HERE.

UH...

LET'S TALK. I AM  
THE LEADER OF THIS  
OPERATION. YOU CAN  
CALL ME SAUL.





WHAT?  
NO...!

THERE'S  
NO NEED...!



JACOB. JACOB,  
RIGHT? THE PASSWORD  
YOU'RE LOOKING FOR IS  
THREE-ONE-FOUR-  
ONE-SIX..

...FIRST WRITTEN  
IN ENGLISH, THEN PASSING  
EACH LETTER TO ITS COR-  
RESPONDING NUMBER IN  
THE ALPHABET, ADDING A  
ZERO AS A "SPACE"  
BETWEEN EACH  
WORD.

TYPE IT AND YOU'LL  
STOP THIS SECTION  
FROM CLOSING  
DOWN.



IT WORKED.



HAPPY?

NO.

BUT IT  
WORKED.

WHAT'S  
...?

SHUSH.



WHAT'S HAPPEN-  
ING? WHY...?

SHUSH.



LOOK. WE'RE IN THE  
MIDDLE OF SOME-  
THING CRITICAL.

I DON'T KNOW WHAT  
INFORMATION YOU HAVE, BUT  
YOU'VE MADE A GOOD BET BY  
COMING HERE: LOW SECURITY,  
AND TO BE HONEST,  
LOW RISK.



DO YOU KNOW  
WHY WE ARE  
TRANSPORTING  
THEM?

NO.

THE INFORMA-  
TION ONLY SAYS  
THAT YOU'RE MOVING  
THEM FOR CLASSIFIED  
REASONS.

WELL, SO... RIGHT  
NOW, WE ARE AT AN  
IMPORTANT... **MO-  
MENT** AGAINST THE  
HERMITES.

AND?

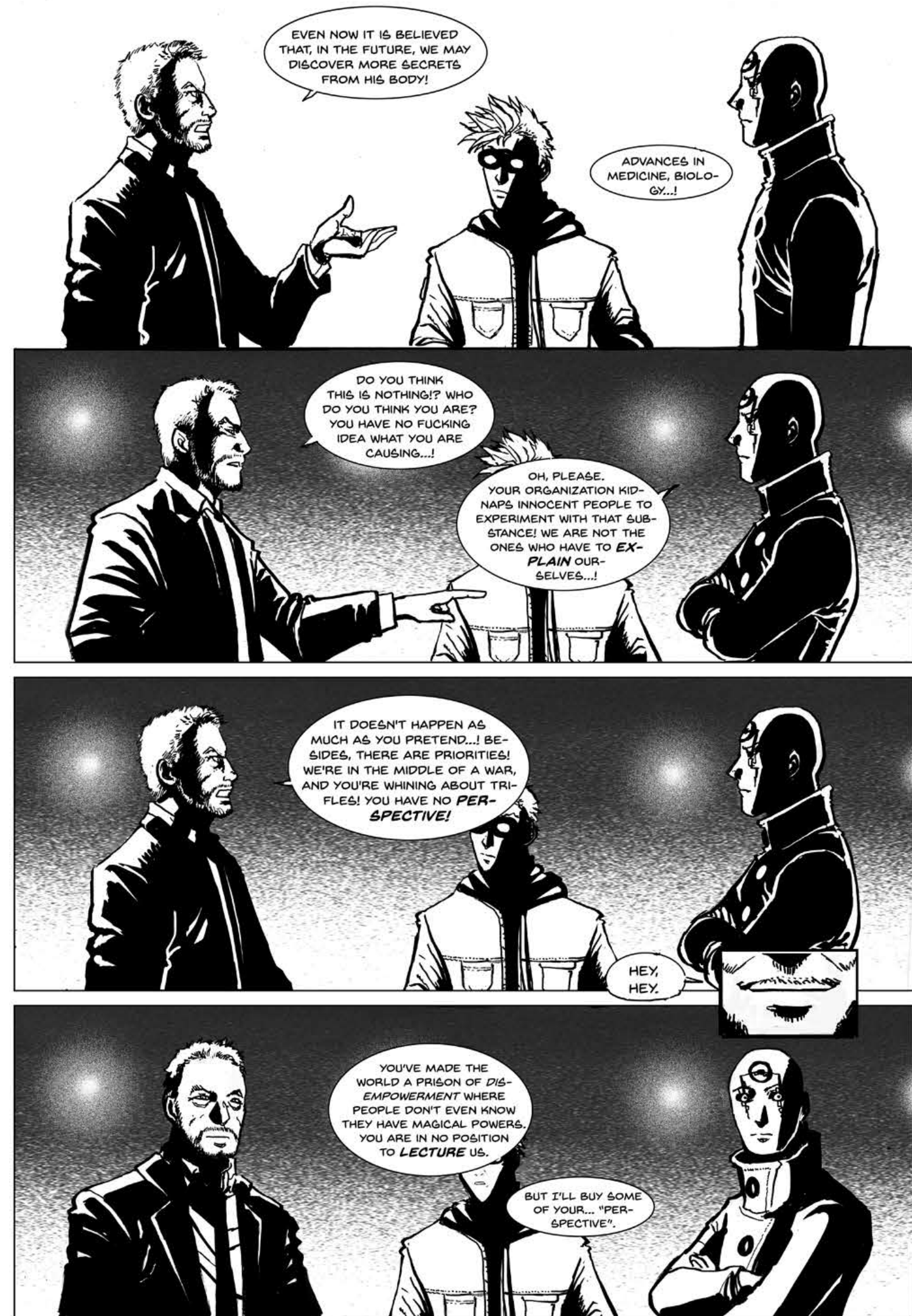
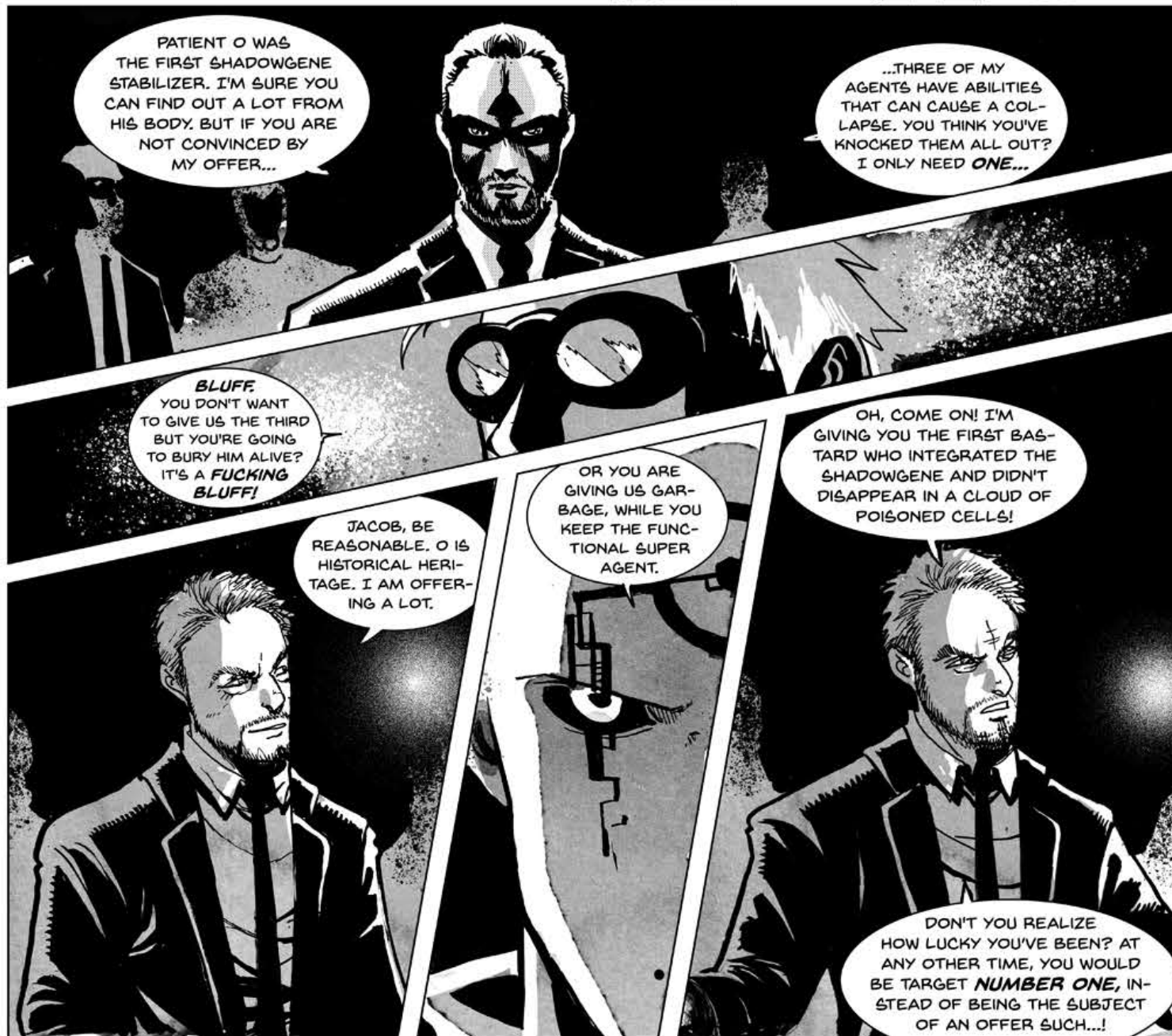


THAT'S NOT  
OUR PROB-  
LEM!

IT SHOULD, IF  
YOU ARE GOING TO  
ACT... YOU SHOULD BE  
AWARE OF THE CON-  
SEQUENCES.

IN ANY CASE...  
AS YOU KNOW, WE  
HAVE **TWO** HERE.









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