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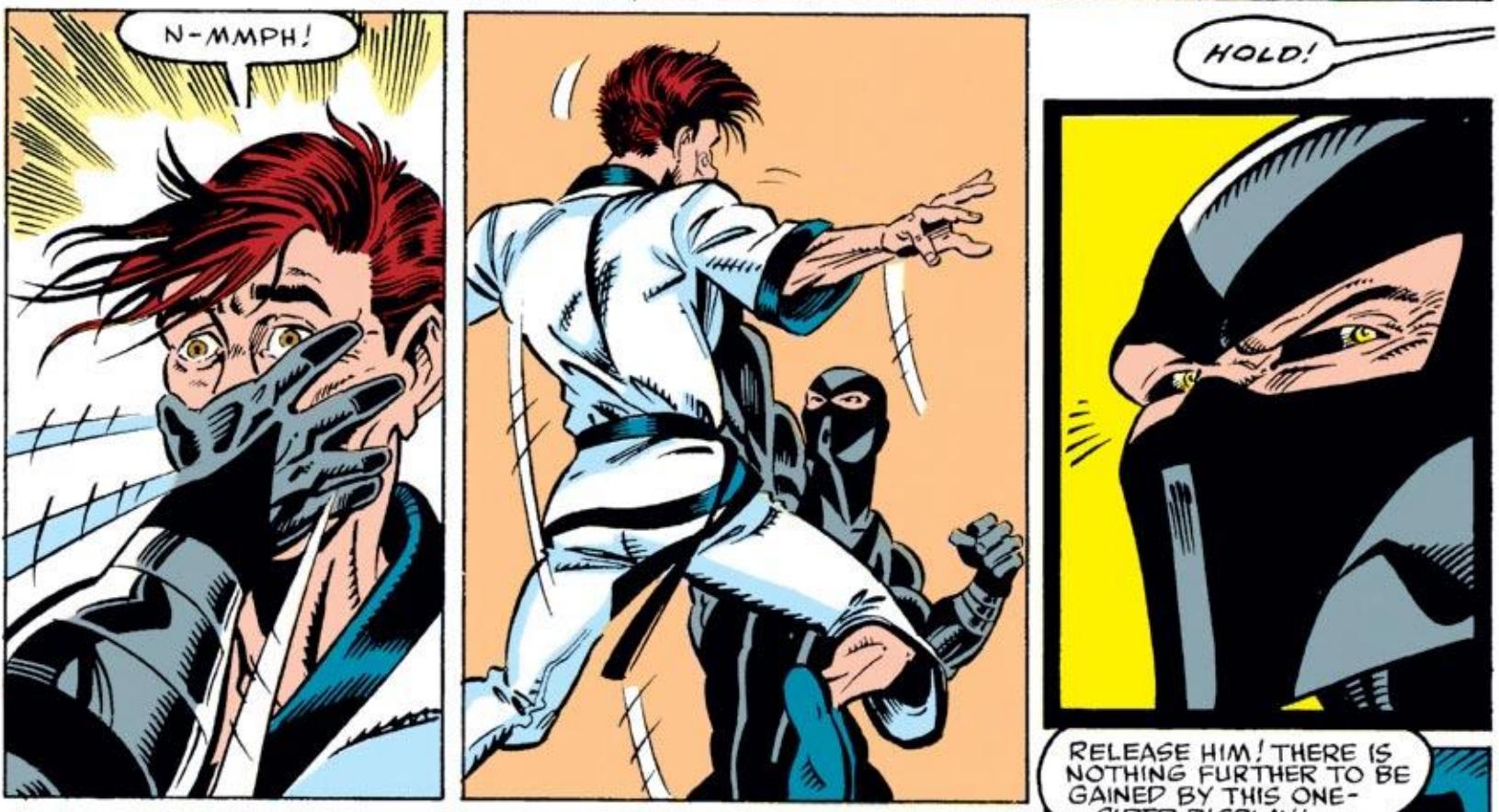
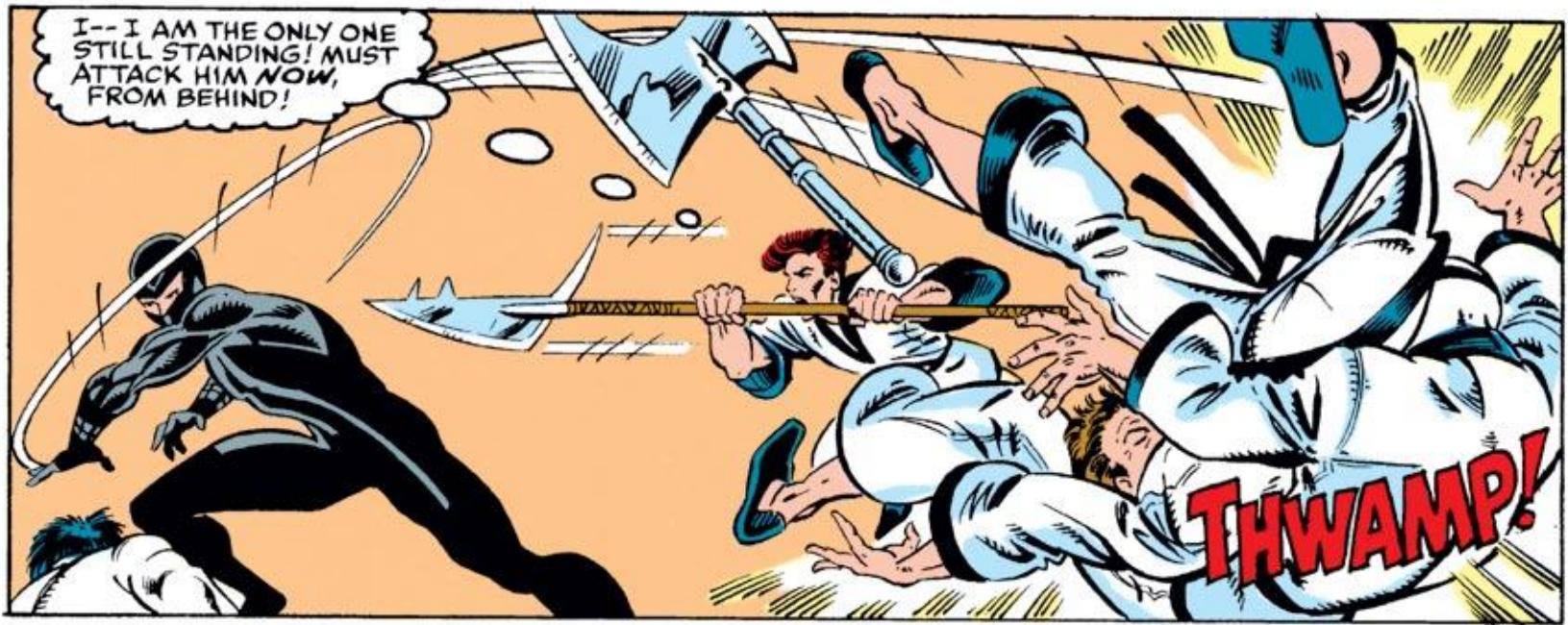


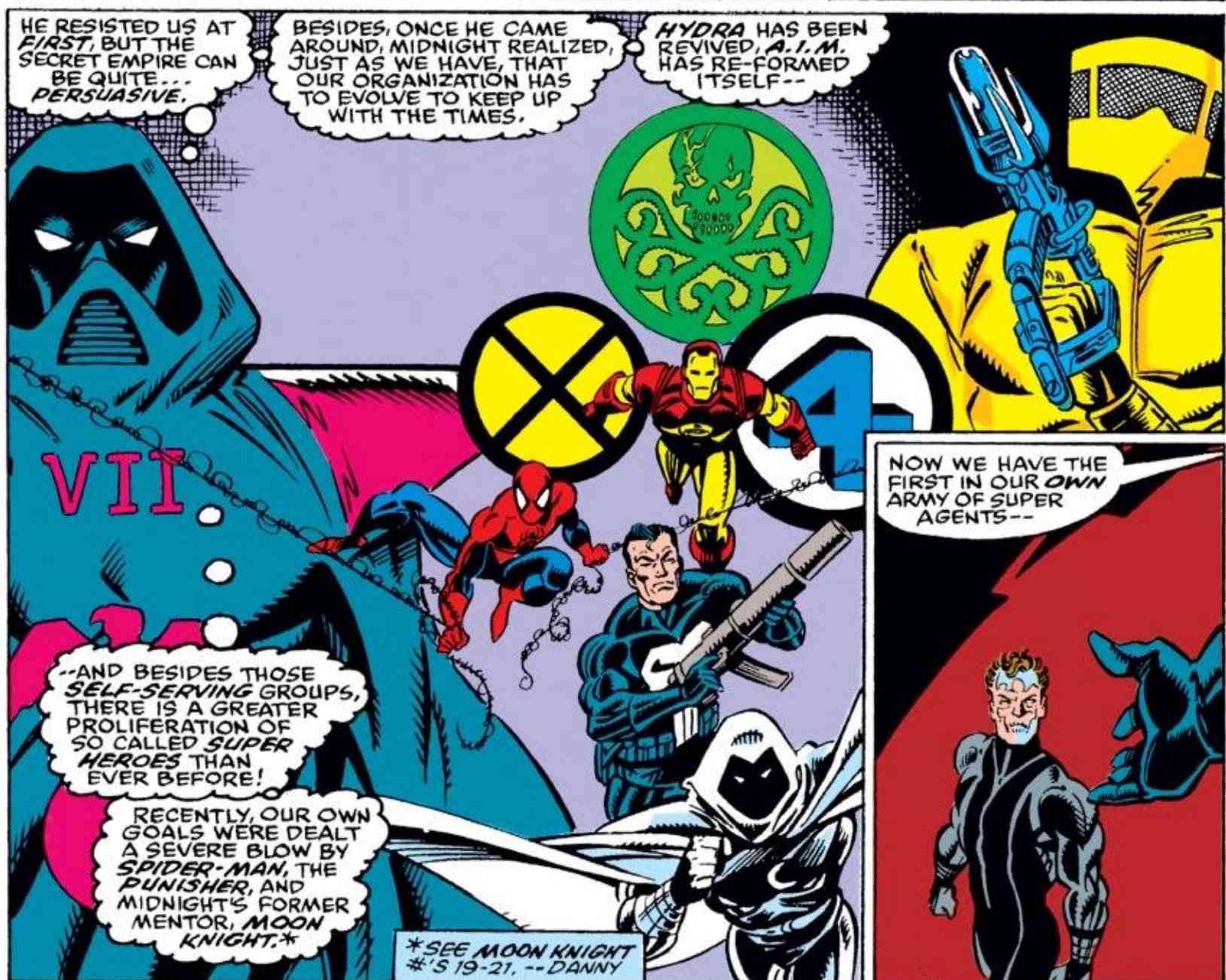
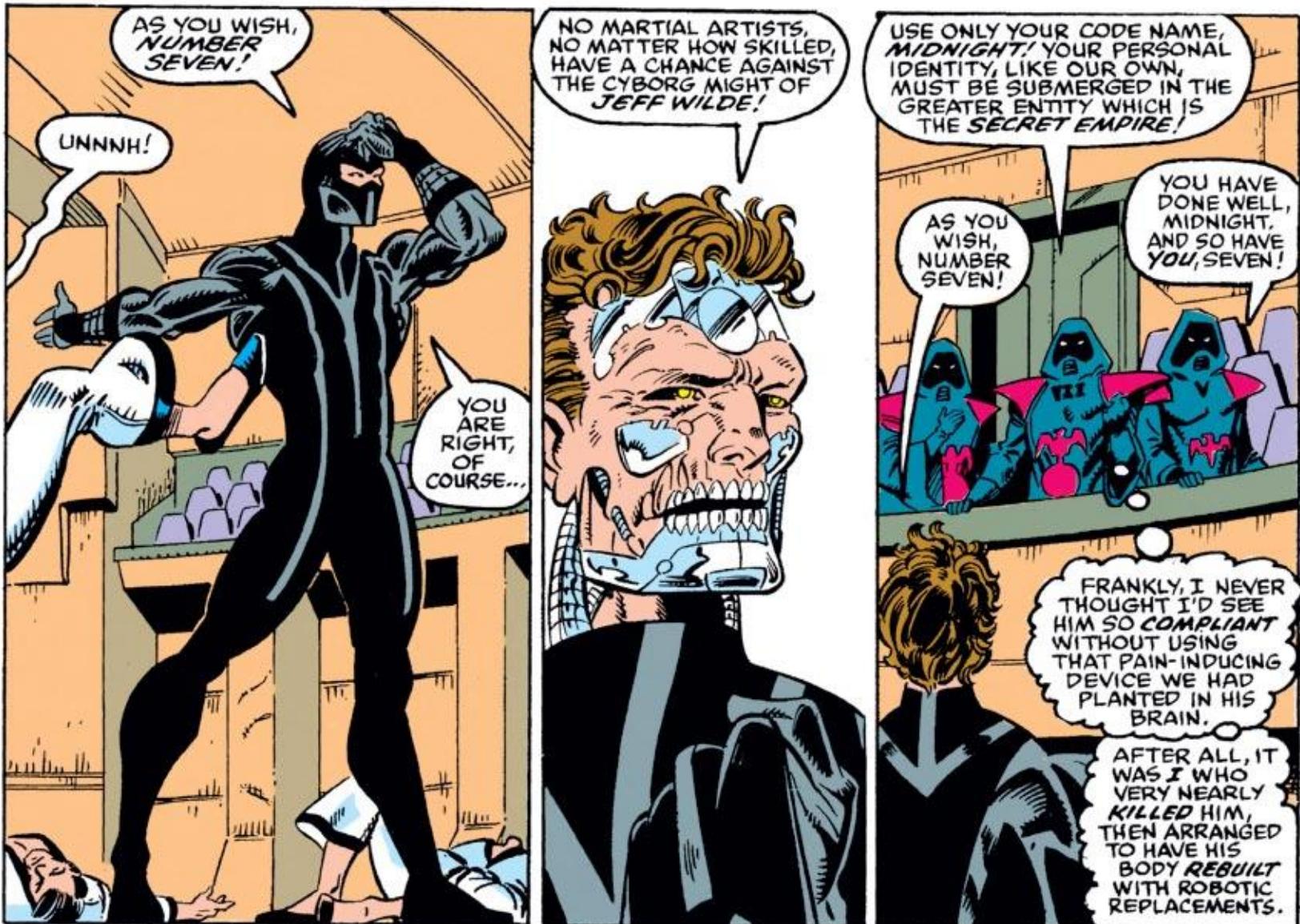
BITTEN BY A RADIACTIVE SPIDER, STUDENT PETER PARKER GAINED THE PROPORTIONATE STRENGTH AND AGILITY OF AN ARACHNIDI ARMED WITH HIS WONDROUS WEB-SHOOTERS. THE RELUCTANT SUPER HERO STRUGGLES WITH SINISTER SUPER-VILLAINS, MAKING ENDS MEET, AND MAINTAINING SOME SEMBLANCE OF A NORMAL LIFE!

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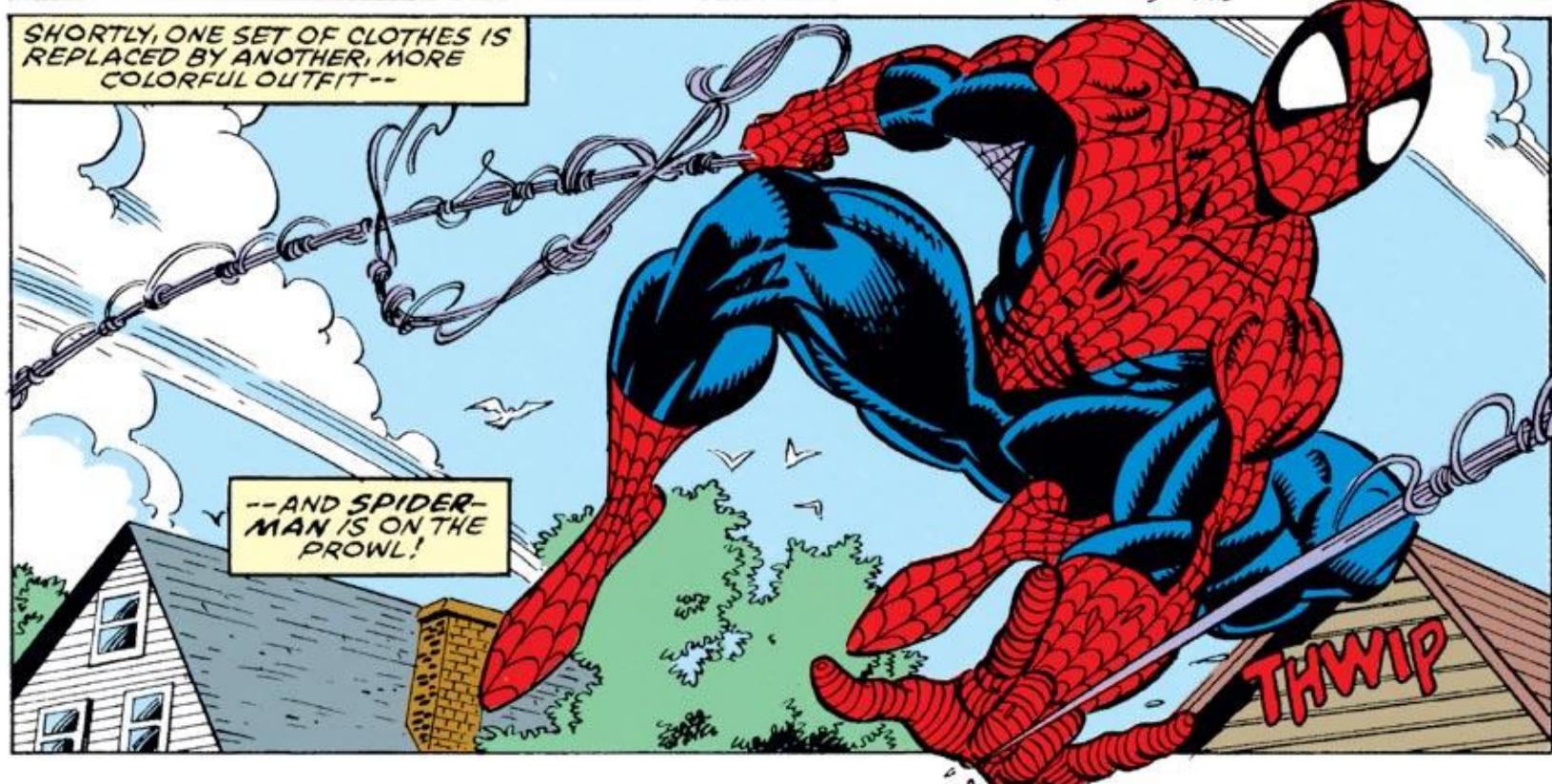
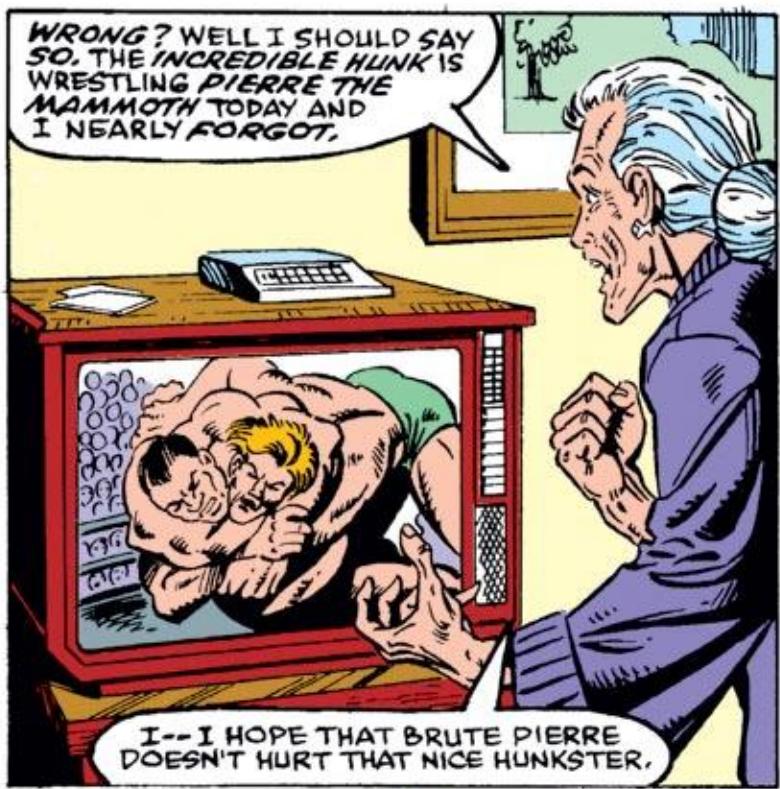


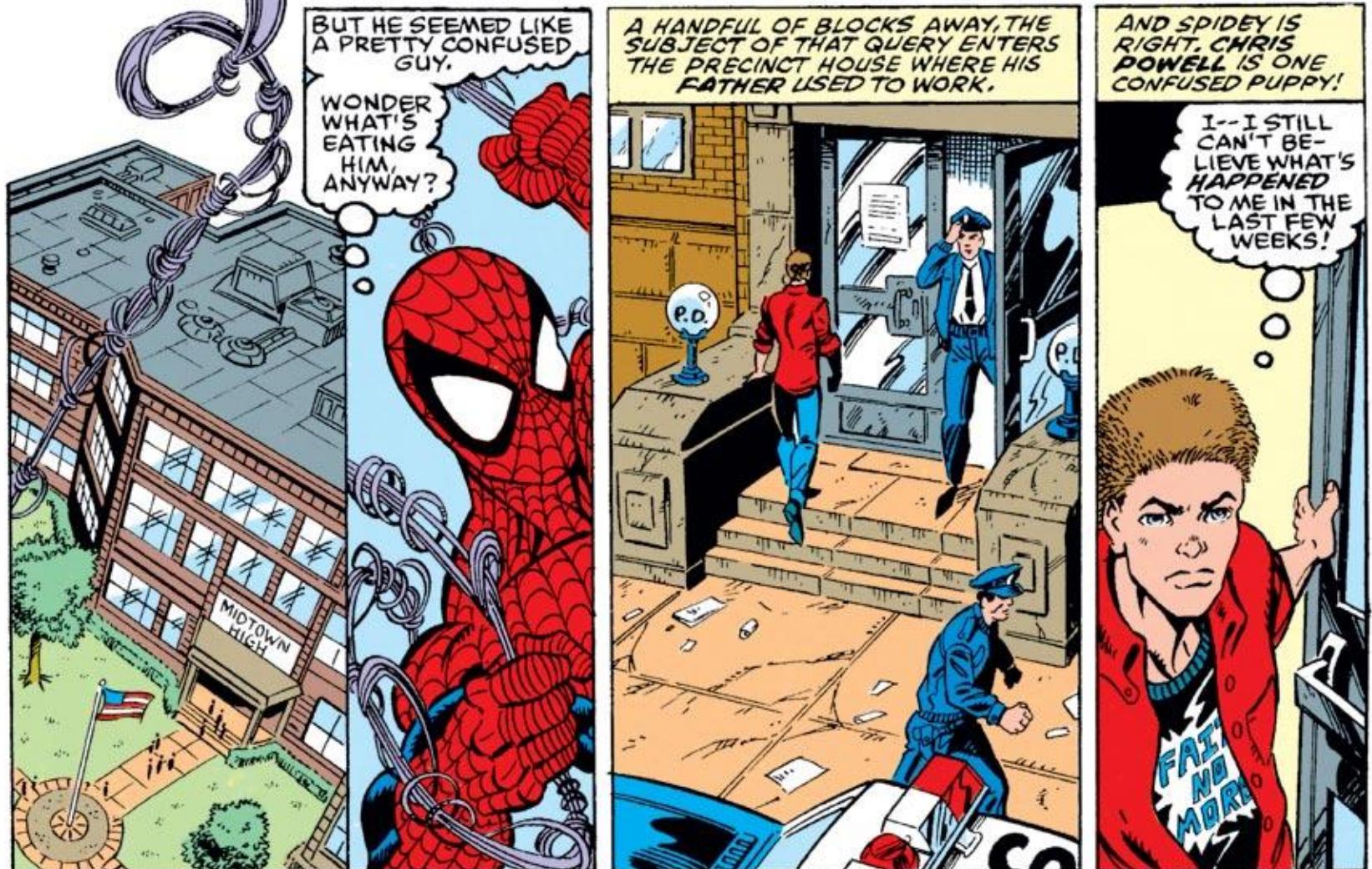
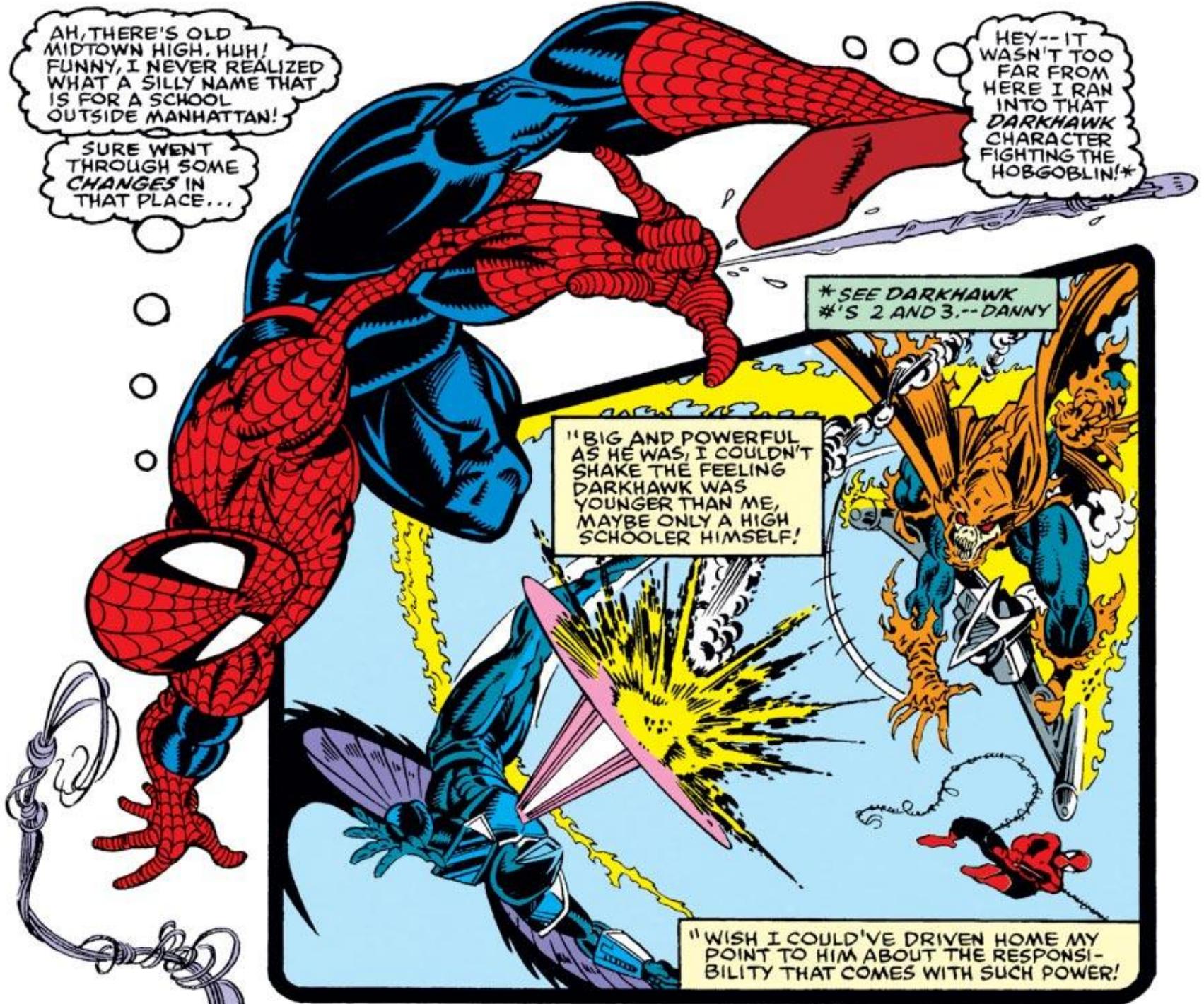
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I TRAILED MY DAD, A COP, TO THE OLD ABANDONED AMUSEMENT PARK NEAR OUR HOUSE.

"I--I COULDN'T BELIEVE IT WHEN I SAW HIM TAKING MONEY FROM AGENTS OF PHILIPPE BAZIN, A STINKIN' MOBSTER! A PAYOFF? DON'T KNOW..."

"THE HOODS SAW ME AND CHASED ME."

"THAT'S WHEN I FOUND THE AMULET. I PICKED IT UP TO THROW AT 'IM. BUT WHEN I DID..."

"ZOWIE!"

"NEXT THING I KNOW, I'VE GOT A WHOLE NEW BODY! AND WHAT A BODY!"

"I'M BIGGER, STRONGER-- BURSTING WITH POWER--"

SINCE THEN I'VE MET SPIDER-MAN AND FOUGHT WITH HIM AGAINST THE HOBGOBLIN--

--BUT I HAVEN'T SEEN DAD SINCE, AND I DON'T KNOW FOR SURE WHAT WAS GOING DOWN INSIDE THAT OLD FUNHOUSE...

...ANYMORE THAN I KNOW IF I EVEN BELONG IN THE SAME LEAGUE WITH THOSE SUPER-POWERED CHARACTERS.

HEY, CHRIS! OVER HERE, I'VE BEEN EXPECTING YOU.

OH--OFFICER ZAFAR.

I KEEP TELLING YOU, IT'S JIMMY, SON.

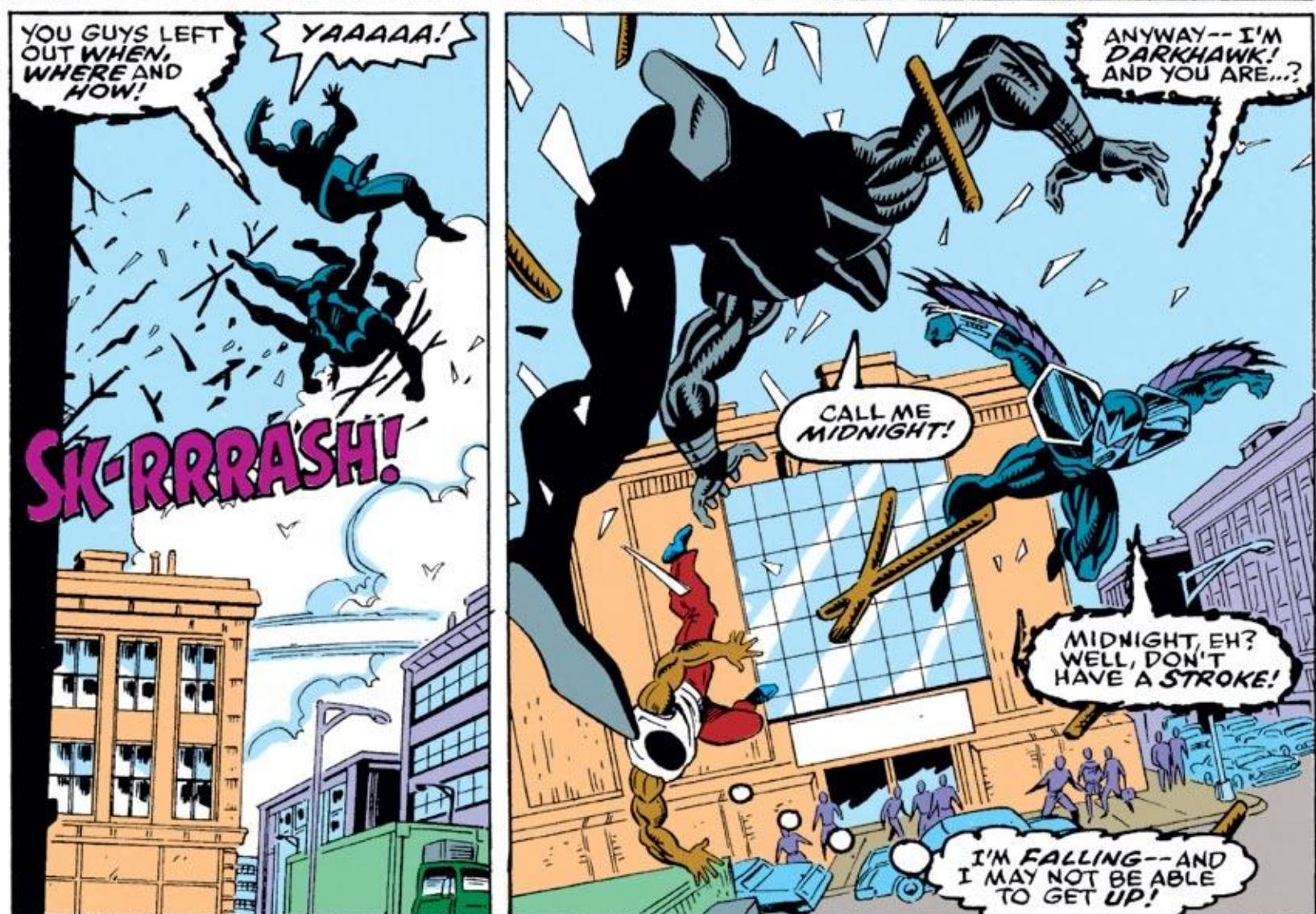
ANYWAY, THAT'S YOUR DAD'S DESK. I KNOW YOU WANTED TO COME BY FOR HIS PERSONAL EFFECTS A WHILE AGO, BUT THE DEPARTMENT HADN'T FINISHED GOING THROUGH THEM FOR CLUES TO HIS... DISAPPEARANCE YET.

"I'M DARKHAWK!"

WHY DOESN'T HE JUST COME OUT AND SAY IT-- THEY THINK DAD WAS ON THE TAKE! A-AND MAYBE THEY'RE RIGHT!









MEANWHILE, SOMEWHERE IN THE BRONX, A SLIGHTLY LESS SPECTACULAR CONFLICT TAKES PLACE AS FRANK CASTLE--BETTER KNOWN AS THE PUNISHER--MAKES A FEW SUBTLE INQUIRIES...

THAT'S A GOOD LITTLE SLUMBAG--DROP ALL THE NASTY DRUGS INTO THE GUTTER!

NOW TALK TO ME!

UH! EASY, MAN! I DON'T KNOW NOTHING!

BY USING THAT DOUBLE NEGATIVE YOU'RE SAYING YOU DO KNOW SOMETHING!

SOMETHING NEW ABOUT THE SECRET EMPIRE FOR INSTANCE?

SECRET UMPIRE--HEY, MAN I AIN'T NO BASEBALL FAN!



NOW THIS INSIGNIA RING YOU'RE WEARING WOULD INDICATE THAT YOU **DO** KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT THE SECRET EMPIRE. THAT YOU'RE A **MEMBER**, IN FACT.

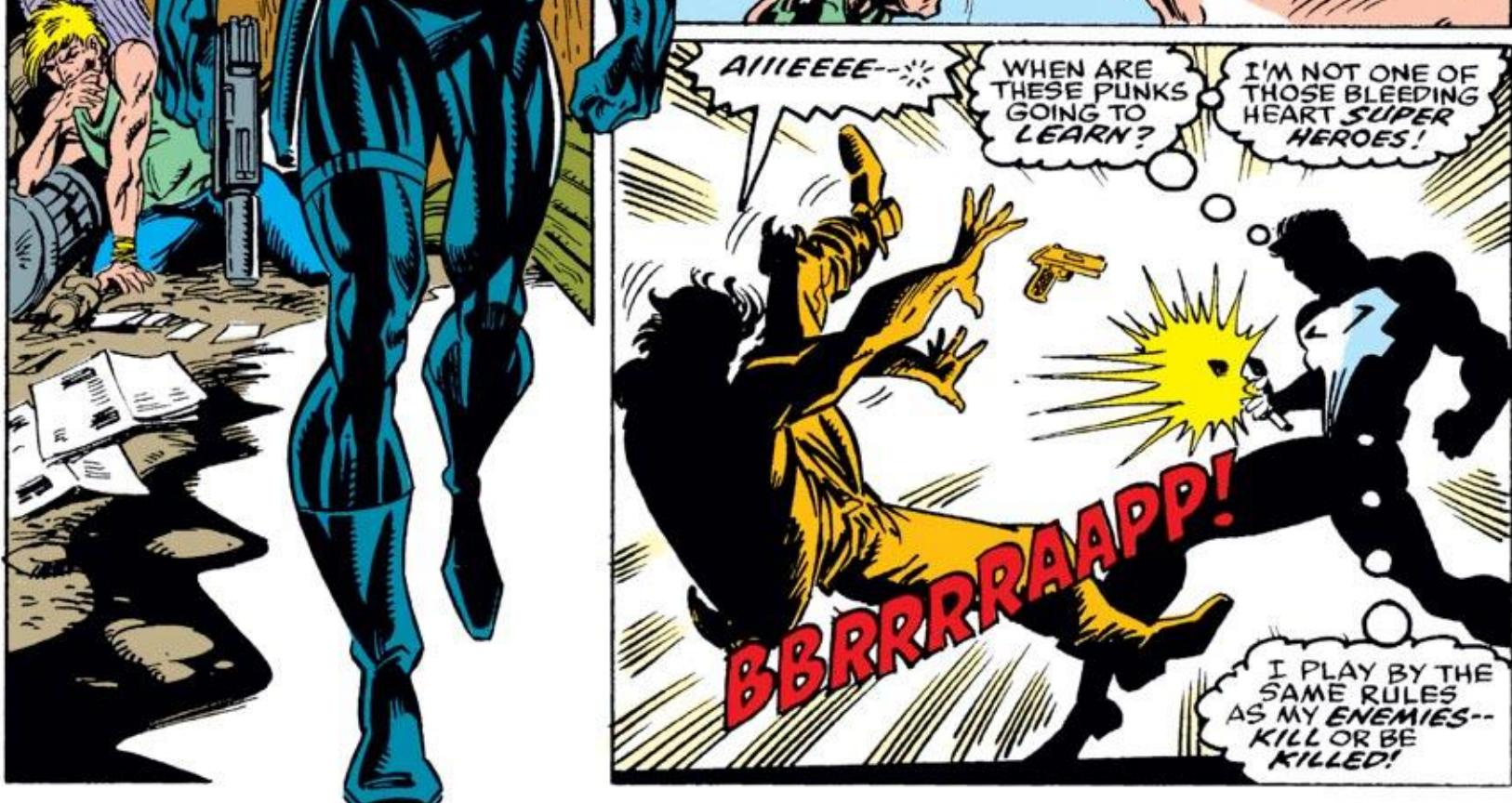
AAGHH! Y-YOU'RE BREAKIN' MY ARM, MAN!

OKAY--I'LL TELL YA--! WORD IS THEY'RE RECRUITING SOME GUY WHO'LL IMPROVE THEIR WEAPONS DIVISION! MAKE 'EM TOUGHER THAN EVER!

THAT'S ALL I KNOW! HONEST!

A TWO-BIT PUNK LIKE YOU--I'M SURPRISED YOU KNEW THAT MUCH!





WHILE BACK IN QUEENS, DARKHAWK QUESTIONS WHAT RULES HE SHOULD PLAY BY...

WHUNF!

MAN, THIS MIDNIGHT IS PLAYING FOR KEEPS! SPIDER-MAN TRIED TO CONVINCE ME NOT TO SINK TO THE SAME LEVEL AS THE BAD GUYS--

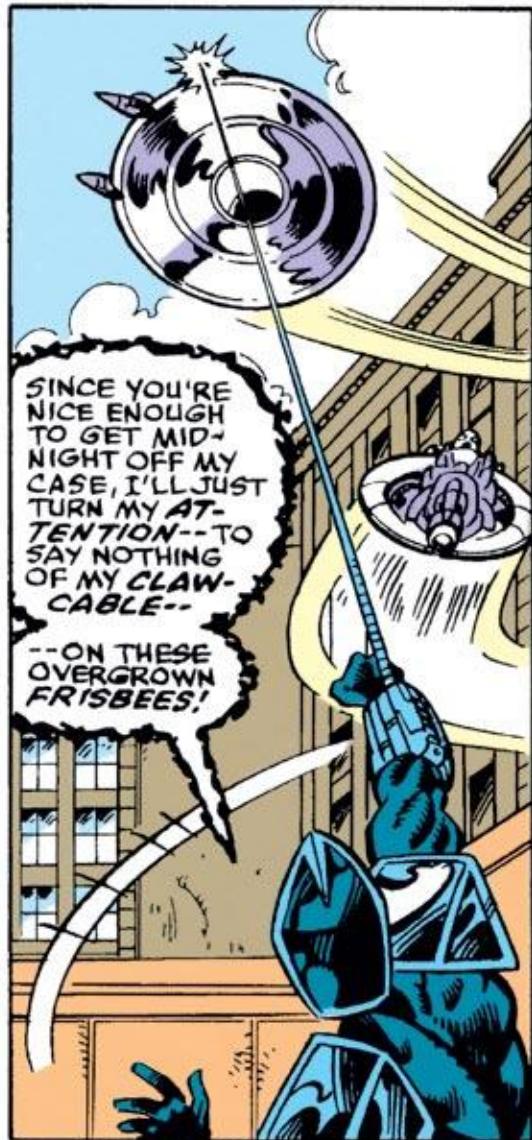
--BUT WHEN YOU'RE FIGHTING FOR YOUR LIFE DO YOU HAVE ANY CHOICE?

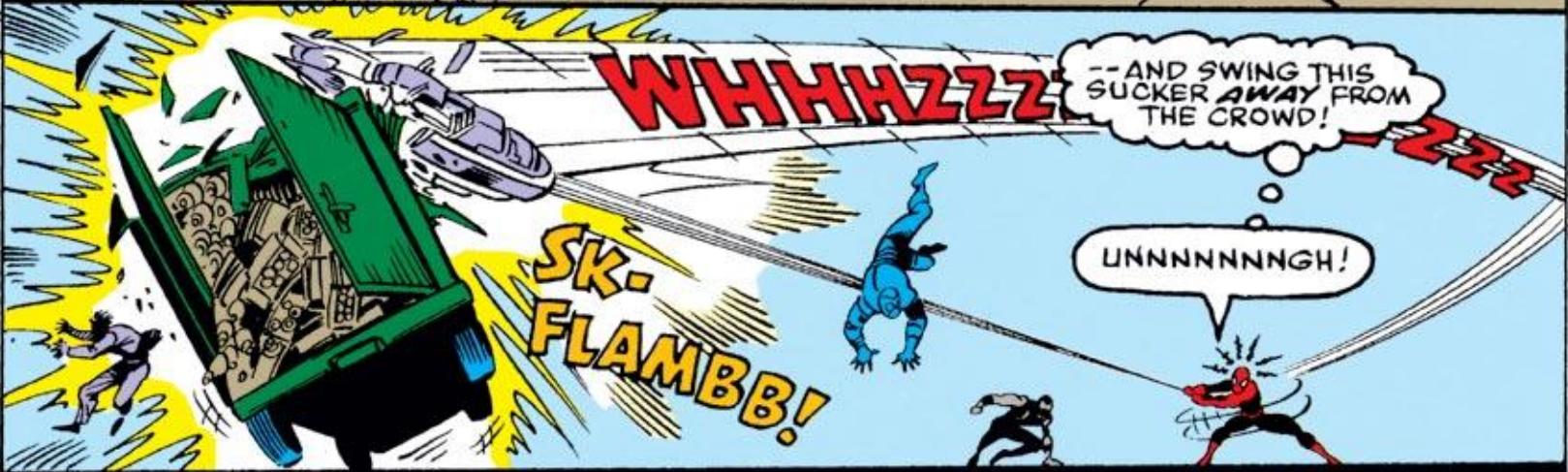
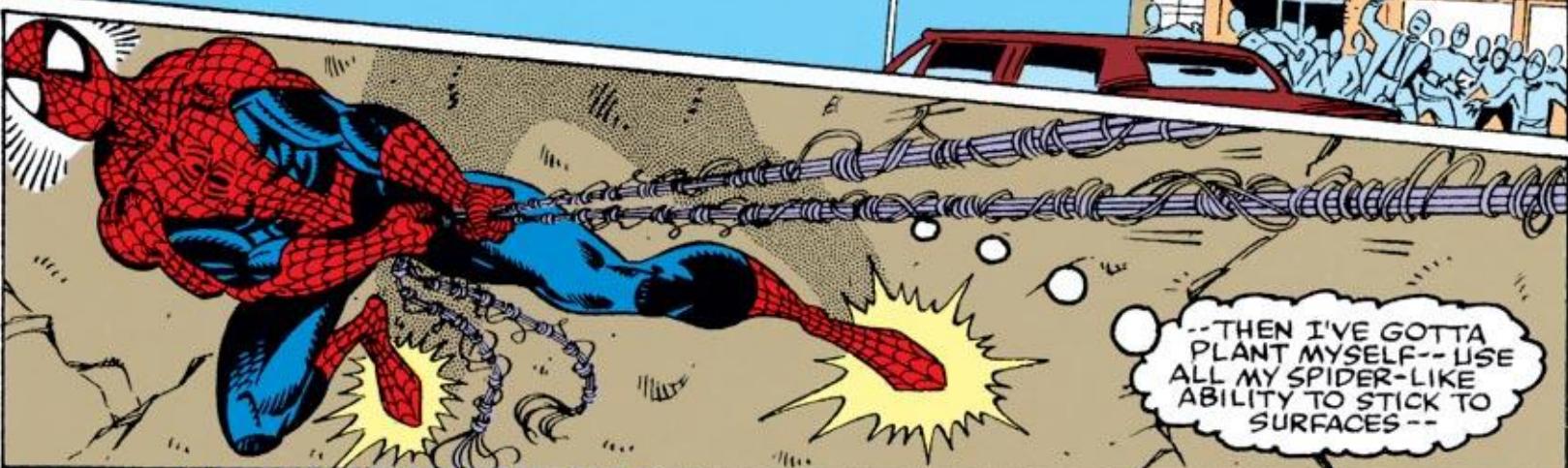
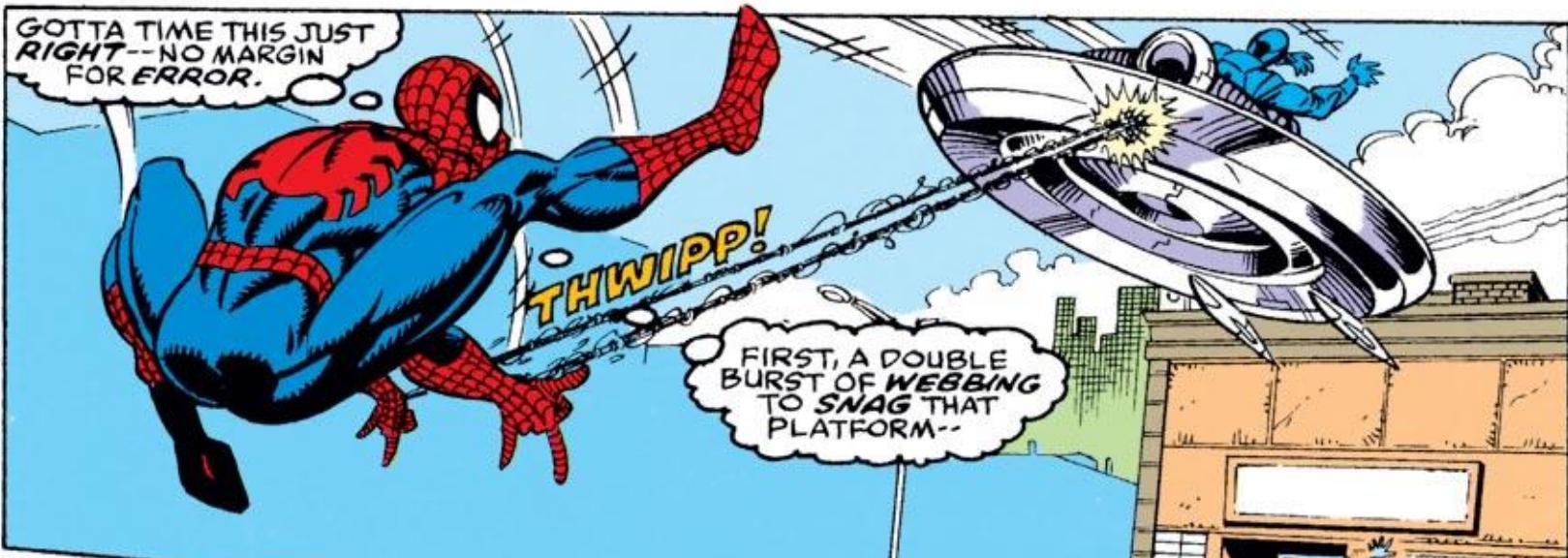
AND SPEAKING OF SPIDEY, HIS SWING AROUND THE OLD NEIGHBORHOOD HAS BROUGHT HIM WITHIN EARSHOT OF THESE PROCEEDINGS...

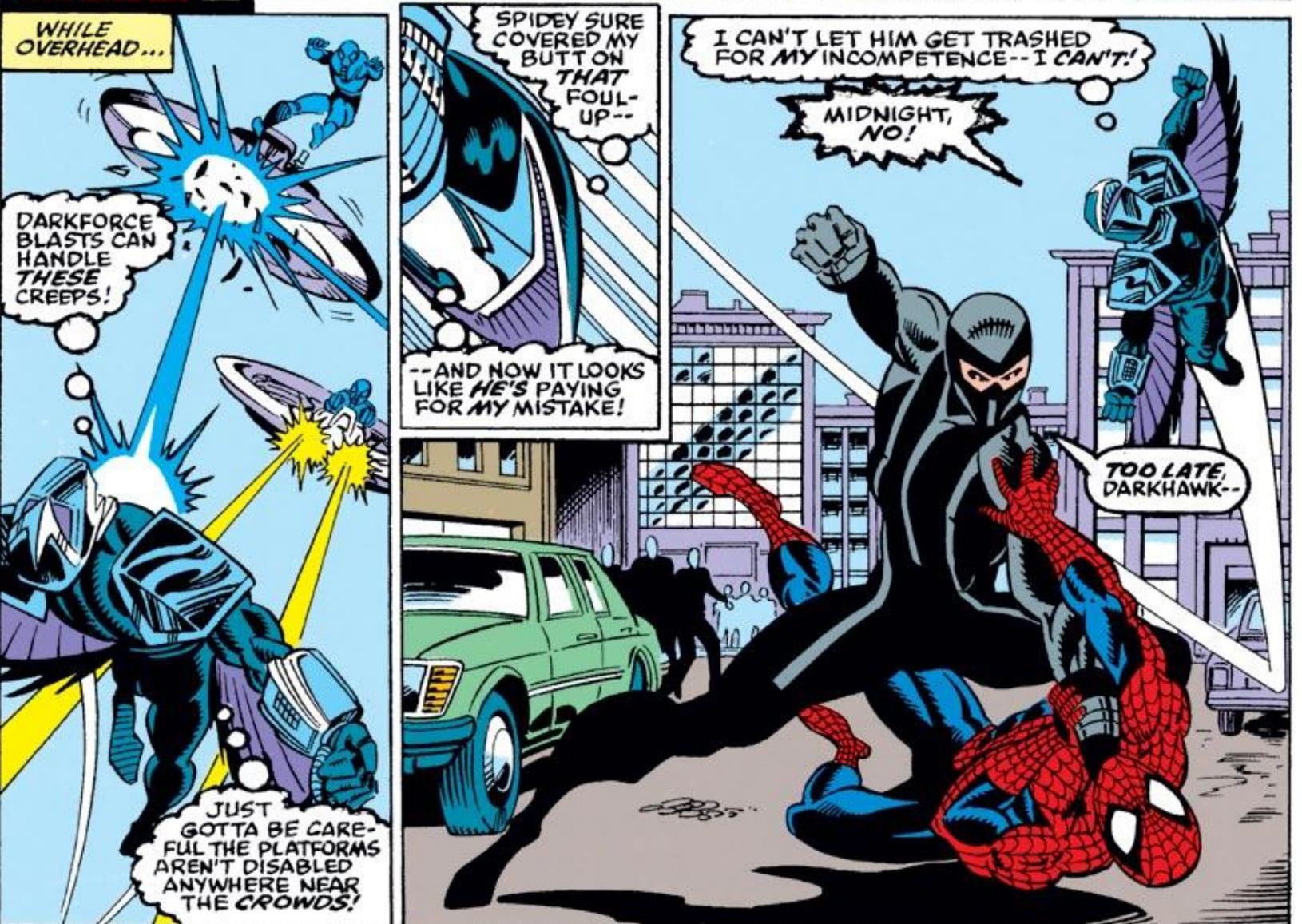
I'D BETTER LOOK INTO THIS--!





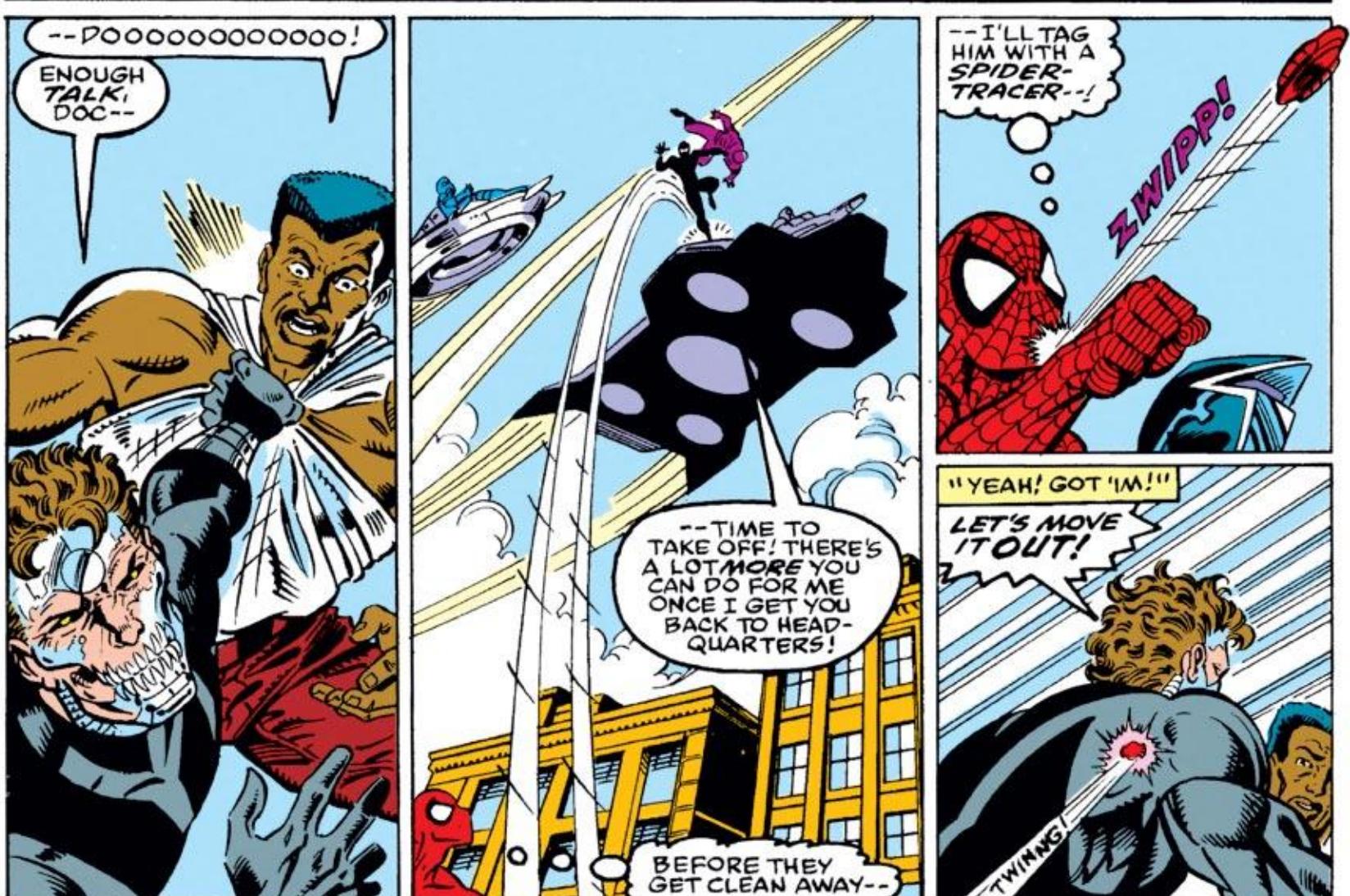


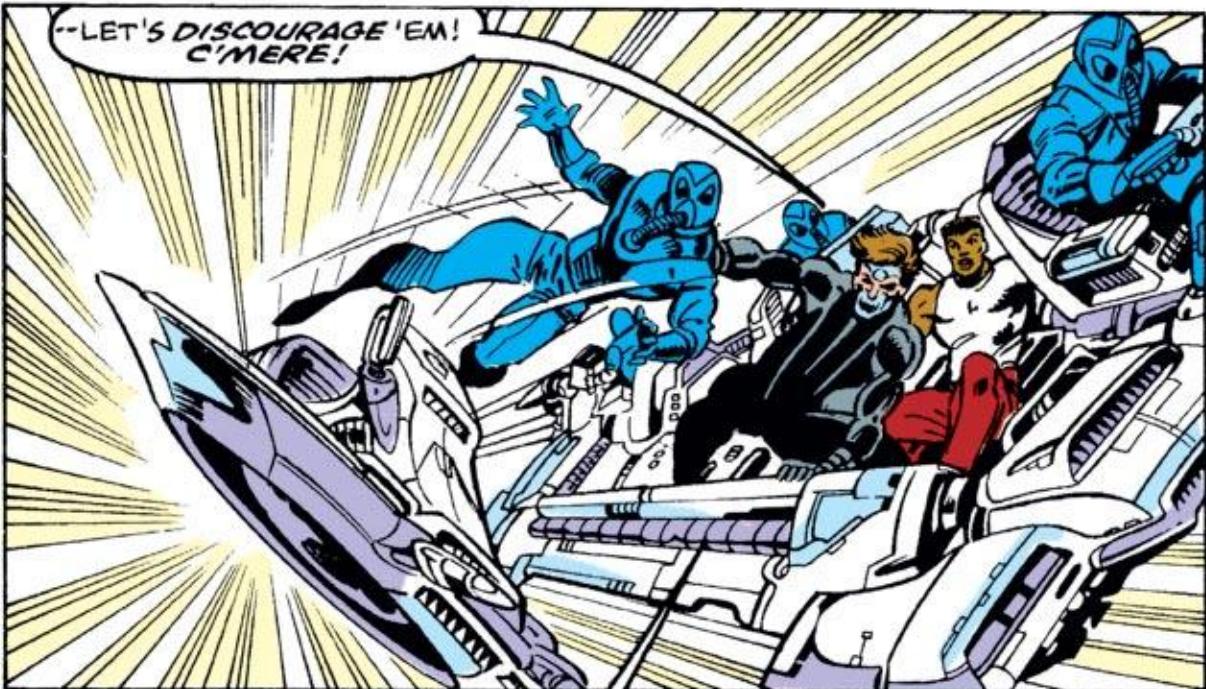












BE HERE IN JUST TWO WEEKS FOR
ROUND ROBIN CHAPTER 2:

WILDE AT HEART!

(FEATURING SPIDEY, DARKHAWK, PUNISHER AND THE
NEW WARRIOR'S NOVA AND NIGHT THRASHER!)