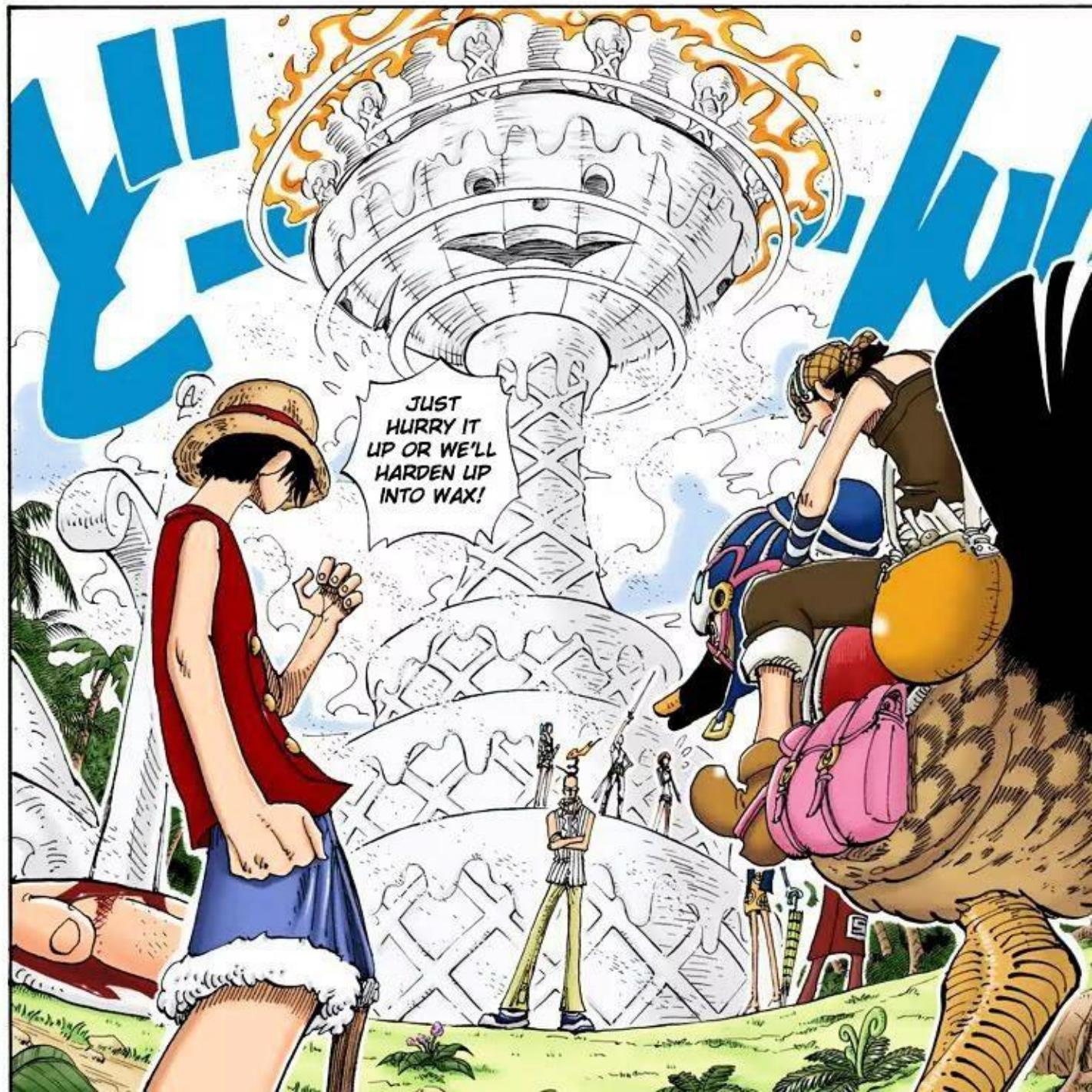


CHAPTER 123

# “LUFFY VS. MR. 3”





THEN DON'T  
LOOK AT IT.

INSTEAD OF  
WORRYING ABOUT  
POSES, COULD  
YOU DO SOMETHING  
ABOUT YOUR  
BLEEDING LEGS?  
IT'S PAINFUL JUST  
LOOKING AT IT.

IF I'M GOING TO  
HARDEN UP INTO A  
WAX FIGURE, I'D  
LIKE TO GO WITH  
THIS POSE.

WHAT'RE  
YOU DOING?

WHAT... NOW'S  
NOT THE TIME  
FOR SUCH  
JOKES...!

I DARE SAY THE  
SAME APPLIES TO  
YOU, DOESN'T IT,  
MISS GOLDEN-  
WEEK?

MR. 3,  
THOSE PEOPLE  
ARE AWFULLY  
RELAXED.

SHUT  
UP.

THAT'S  
EVEN  
MORE  
IDIOTIC.

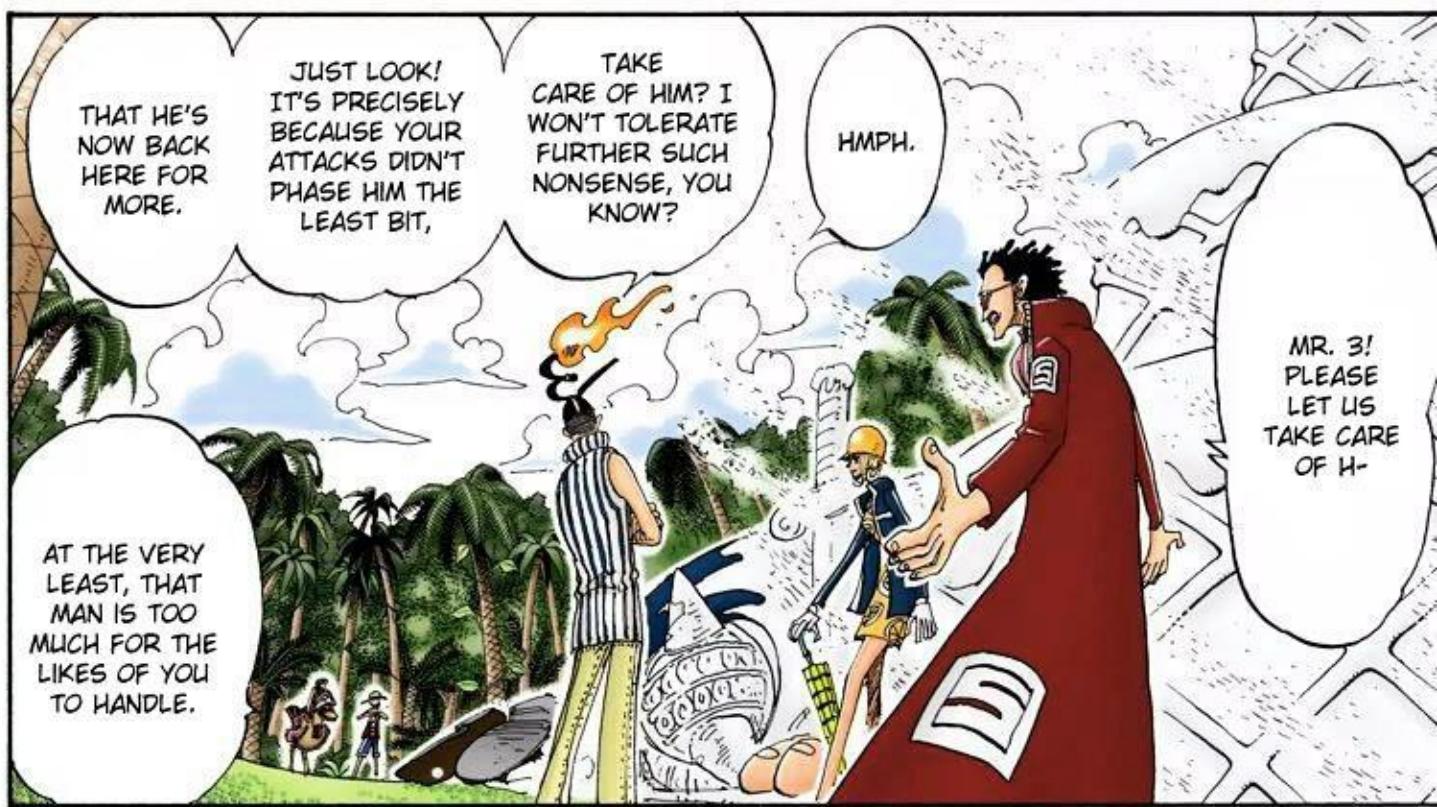
THAT'S NOT  
WHAT I WAS  
GOING TO DO. I  
WAS GOING TO  
FIGHT AFTER  
CUTTING OFF  
MY FEET.

IN THE FIRST  
PLACE, I CAN'T  
BELIEVE YOU WERE  
STUPID ENOUGH TO  
ACTUALLY THINK THAT  
YOU COULD CUT OFF  
YOUR FEET AND  
RUN AWAY.

THIS IS  
MOST  
UNPLE-  
ASANT.

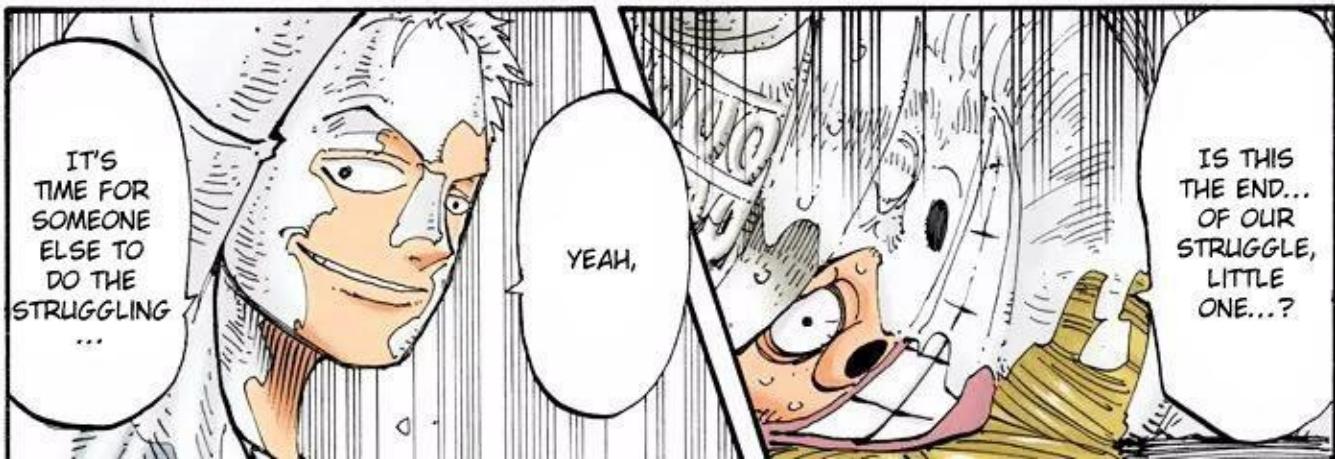
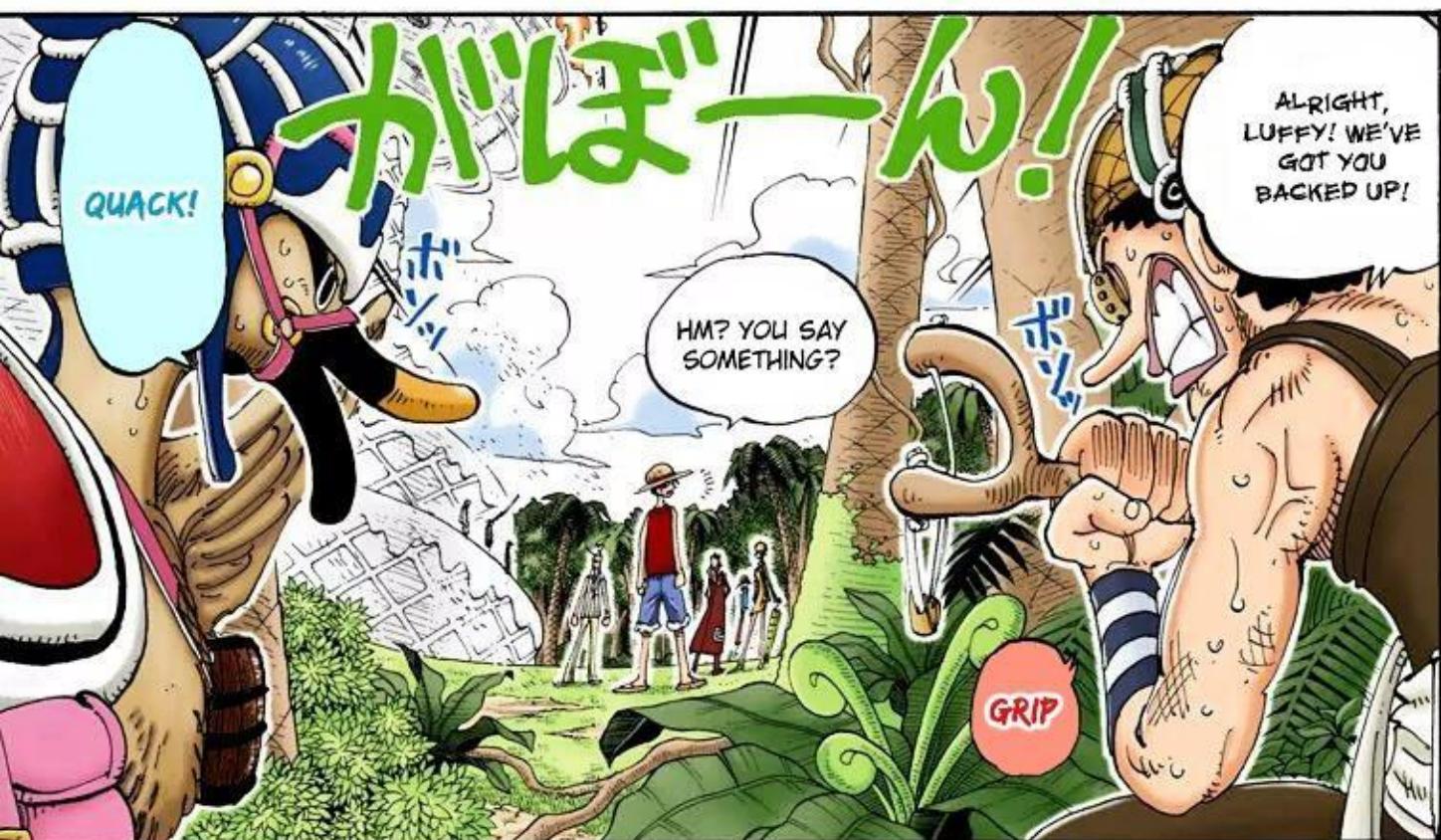
IT  
SEEMS  
WE'RE  
NOT BEING  
TAKEN  
SERIOUSLY,  
DOESN'T IT  
NOW...?

THESE TWO  
ACT AS IF  
THEY CAN'T  
FEEL EVEN  
AN OUNCE OF  
THE DANGER  
WE'RE IN...!  
EVEN  
THOUGH WE'RE  
STILL FAR FROM  
ESCAPING FROM  
OUR CURRENT  
DILEMMA...





ENOUGH TALKING,  
YOU MOUTHY BASTARDS...



**CANDLE  
LOCK!**

WHAO?

LET'S GET  
THIS  
STARTED  
THEN,  
SHALL  
WE!?

CLAMP!

W-WHAT!?

THE  
HECK?

MY LEGS  
LOOK  
LIKE A  
HAMMER  
NOW....!

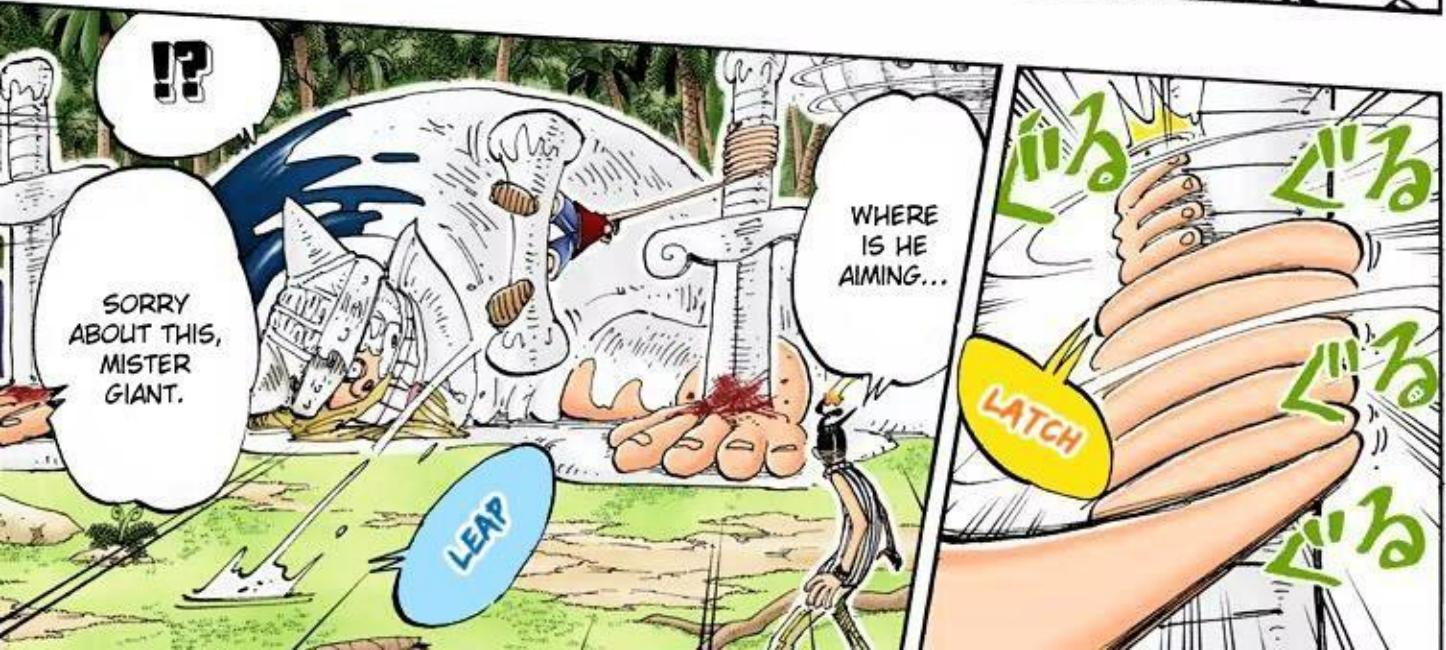
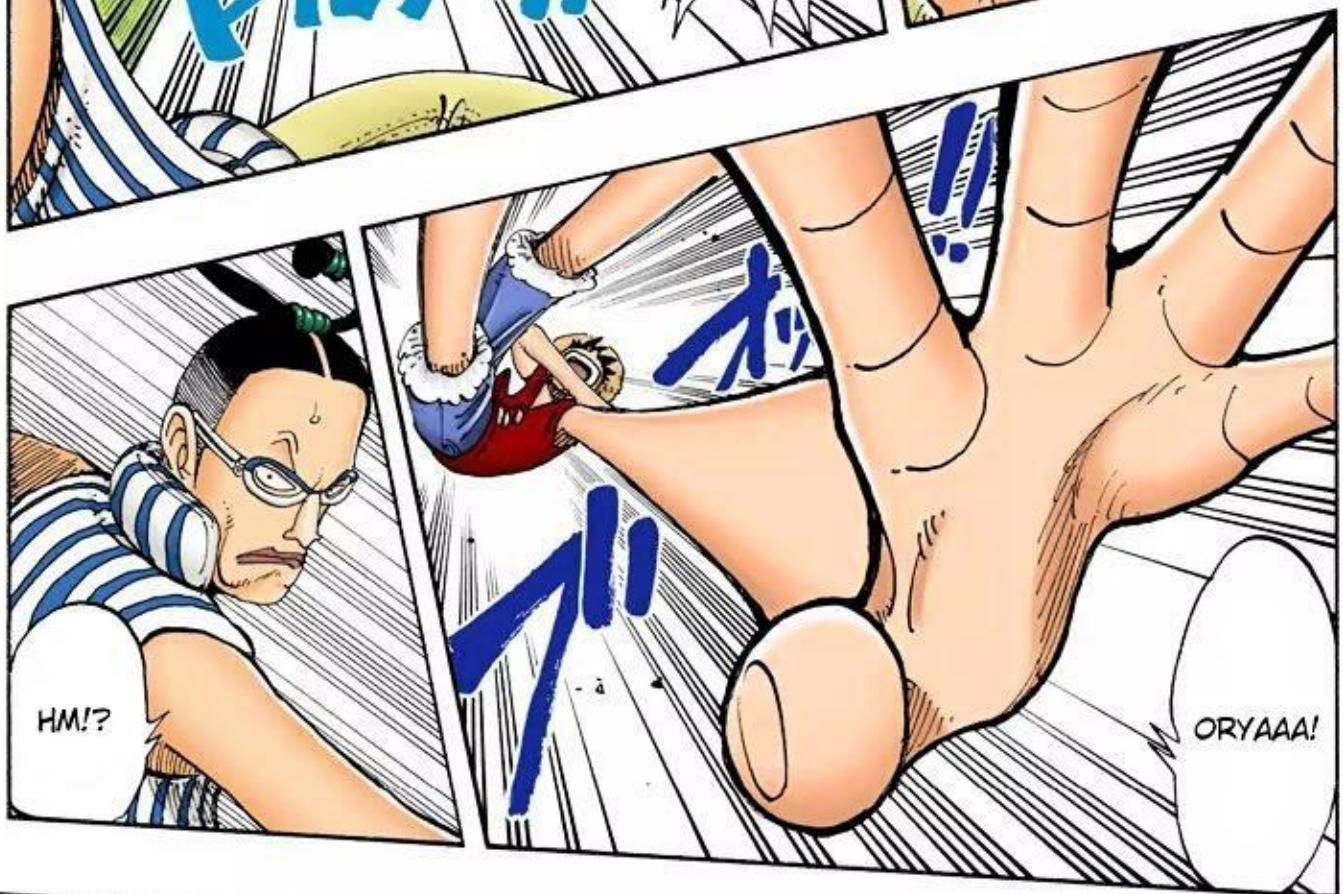
OOF!

H-HE  
CAUGHT  
HIM!

LUFFY!

ISN'T  
THIS  
PRETTY  
NICE?

OHH,



GUA-  
HHH-  
HH!

XIVIVIVIVIL.

GOMU  
GOMU

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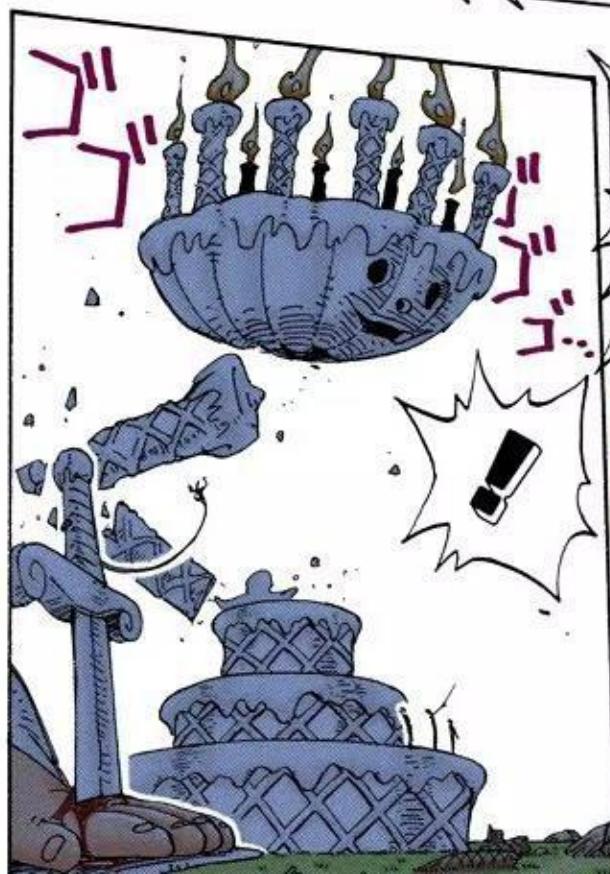
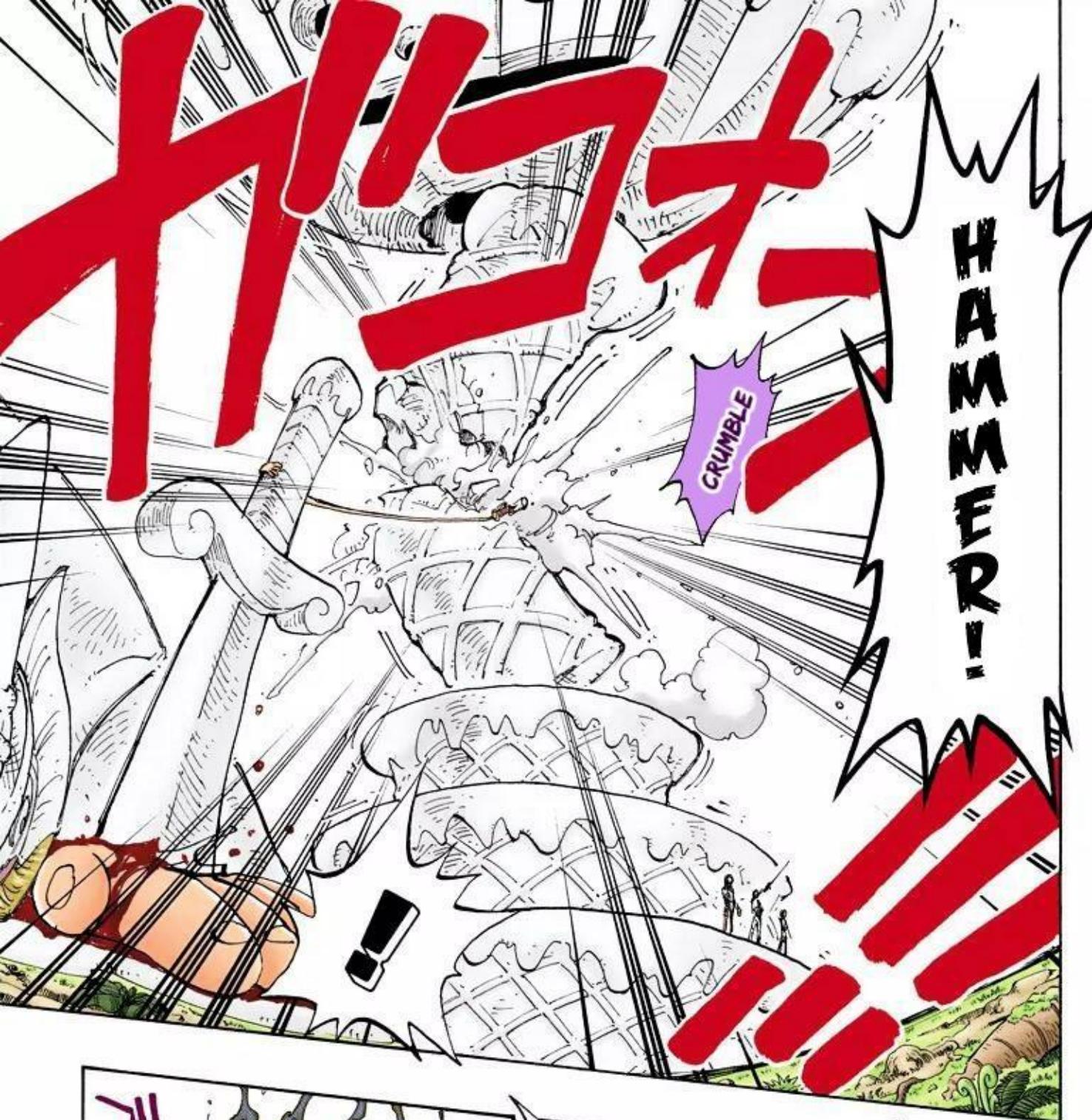
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LUFFY!

WHA?

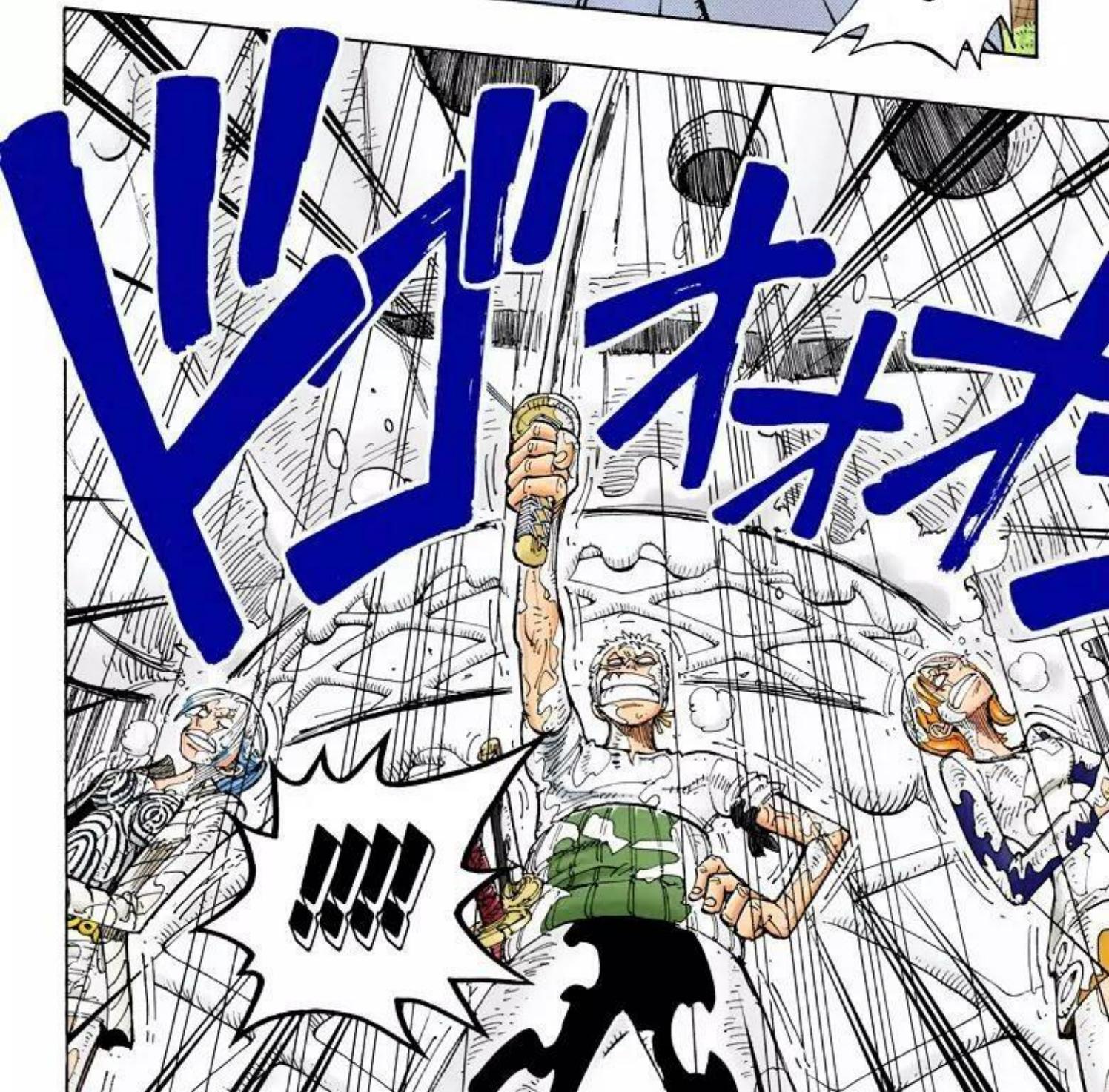
THE  
HELL  
IS HE  
TRYING  
TO DO!?

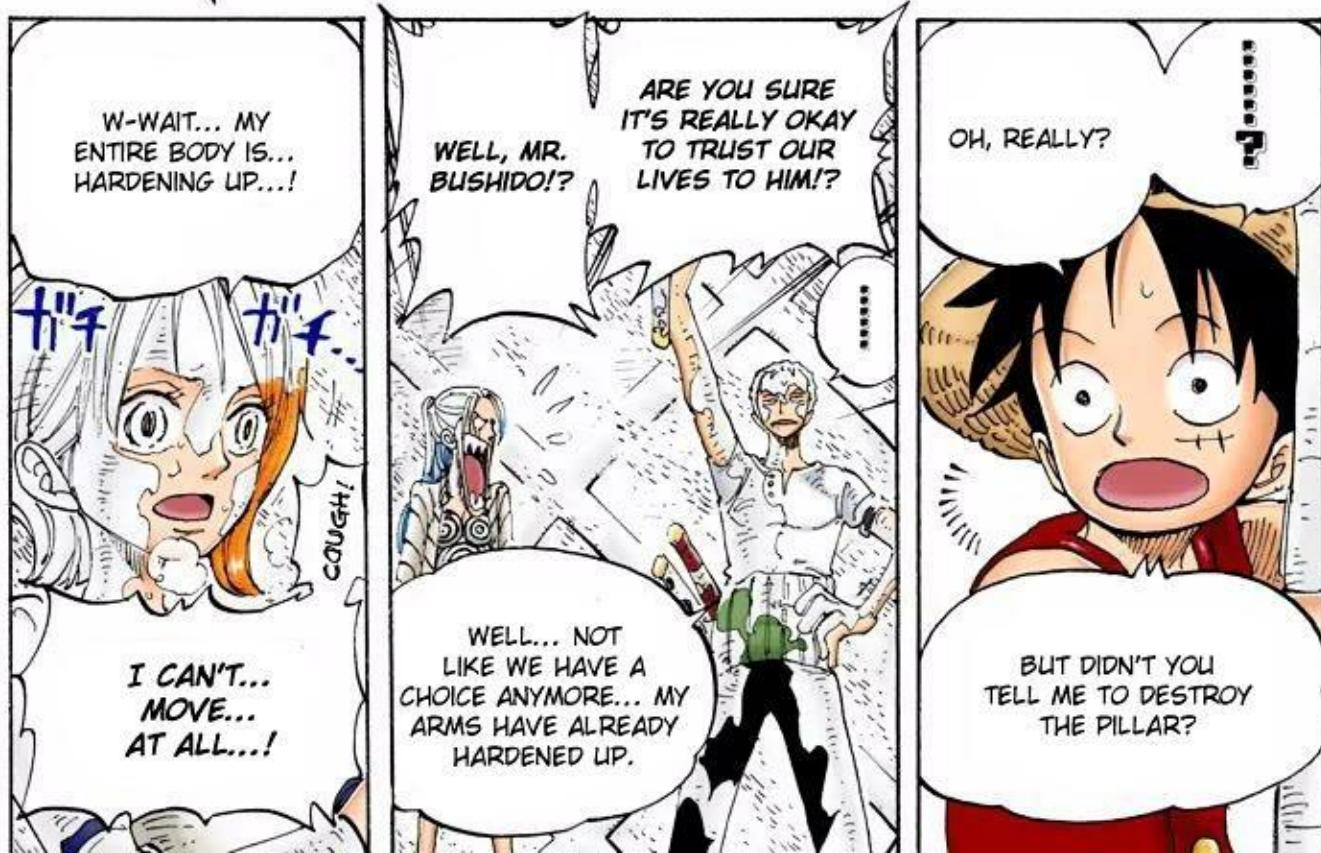
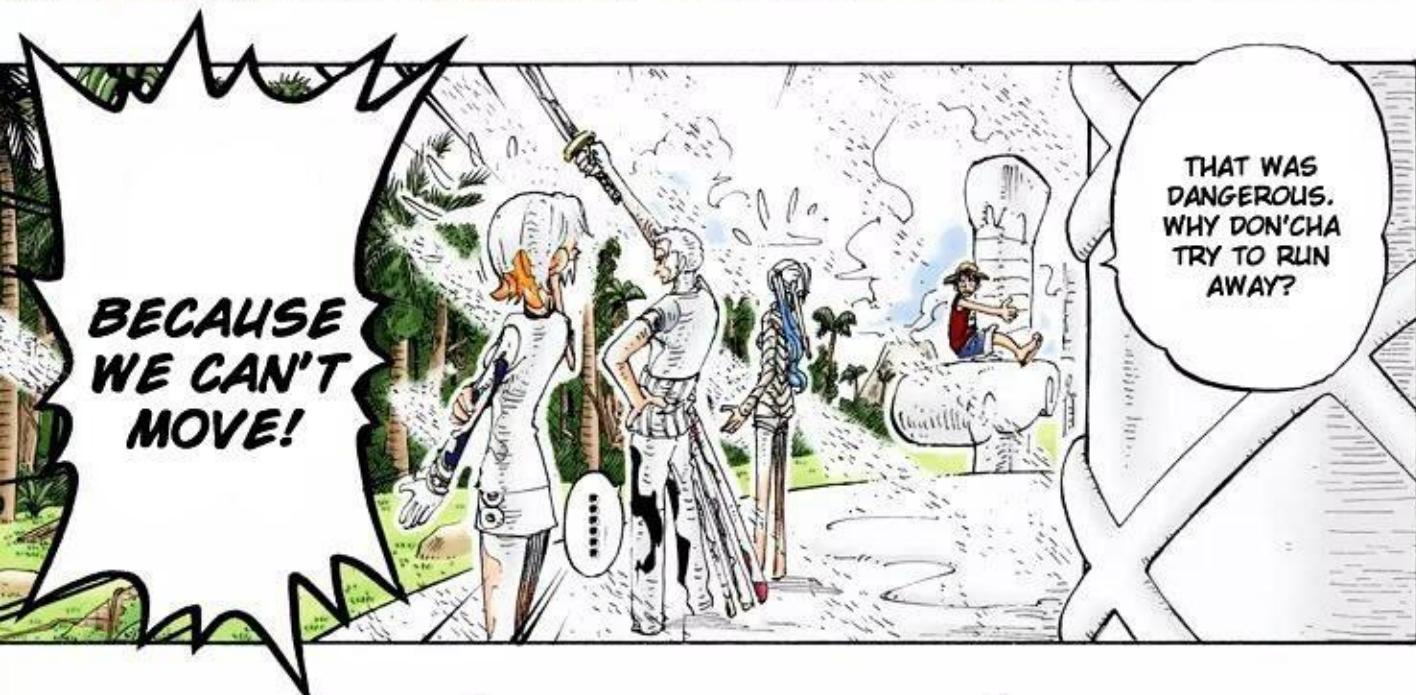
ARGHH-  
HHHHH!



HE DID IT!  
THE CANDLE  
PILLAR IS  
DESTR...







ISN'T THAT WHAT WE SAID FROM THE BEGINNING!?

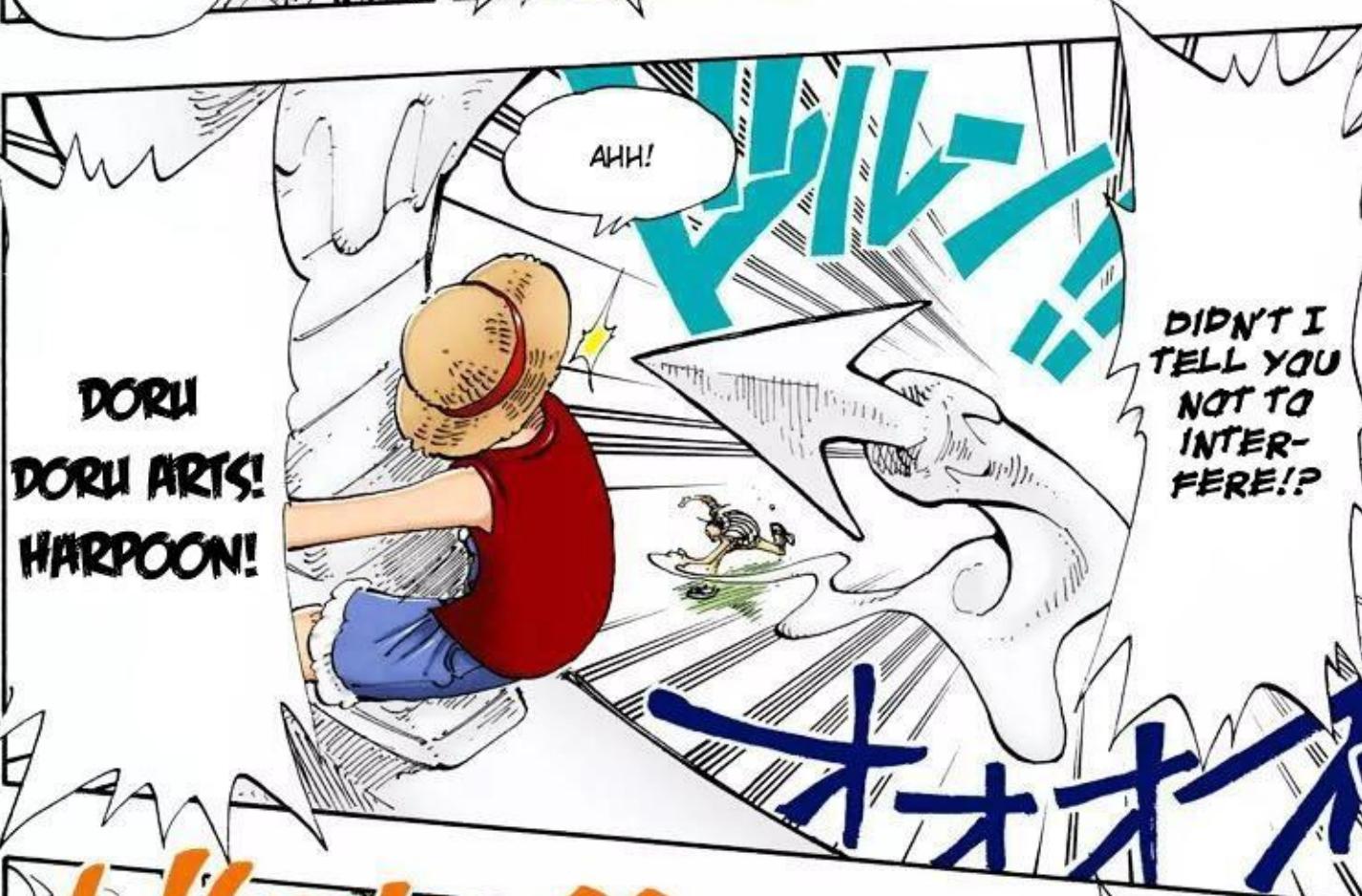
JUST DESTROY THIS ENTIRE CANDLE SET, LUFFY!

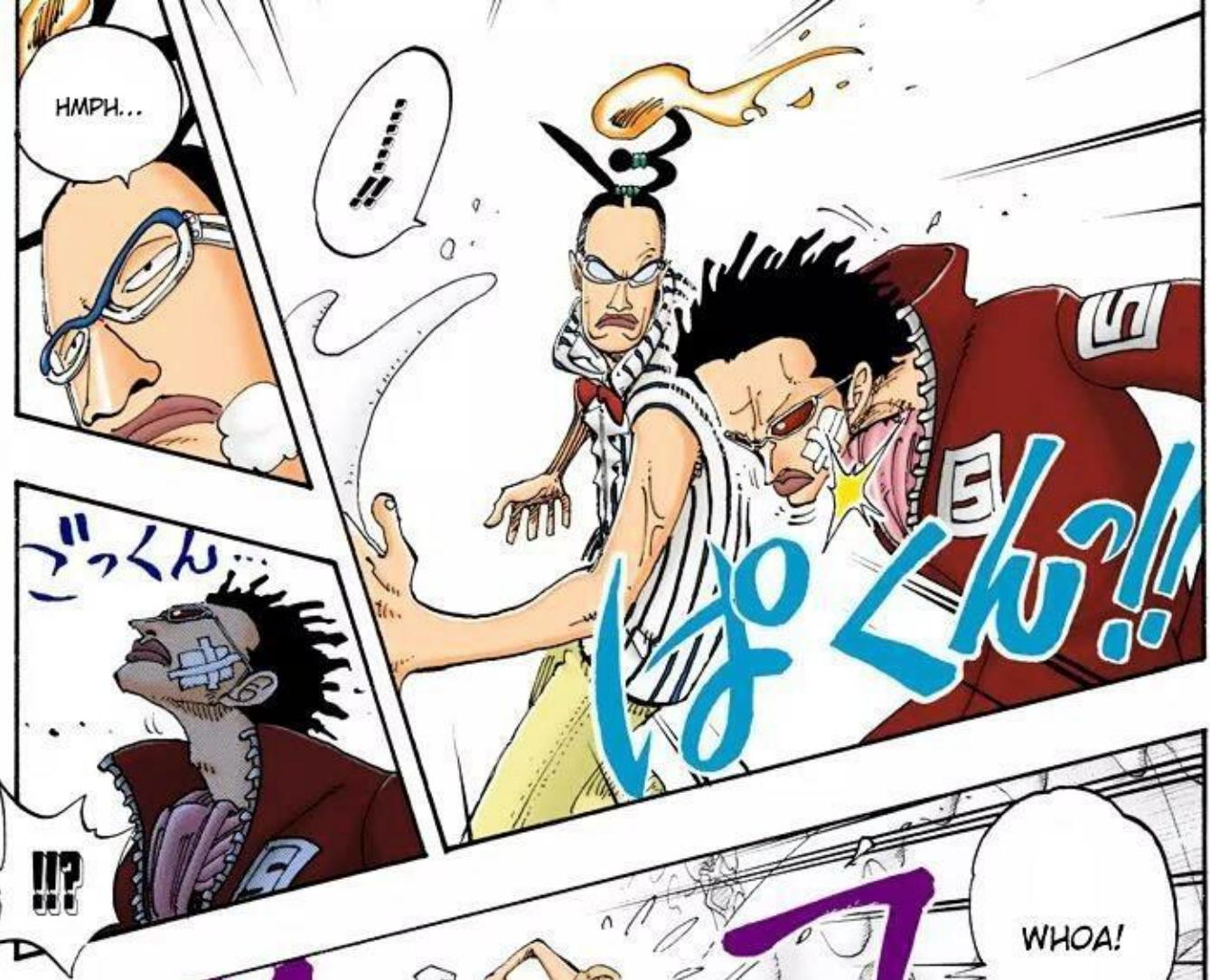
A-ALRIGHT!

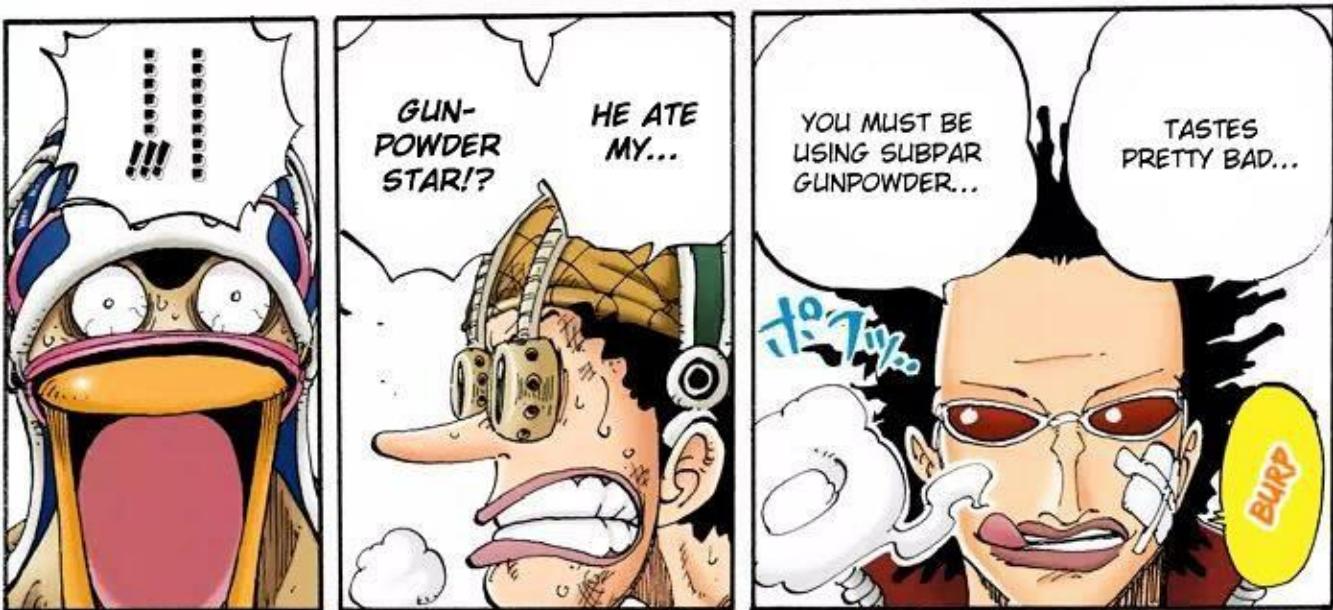
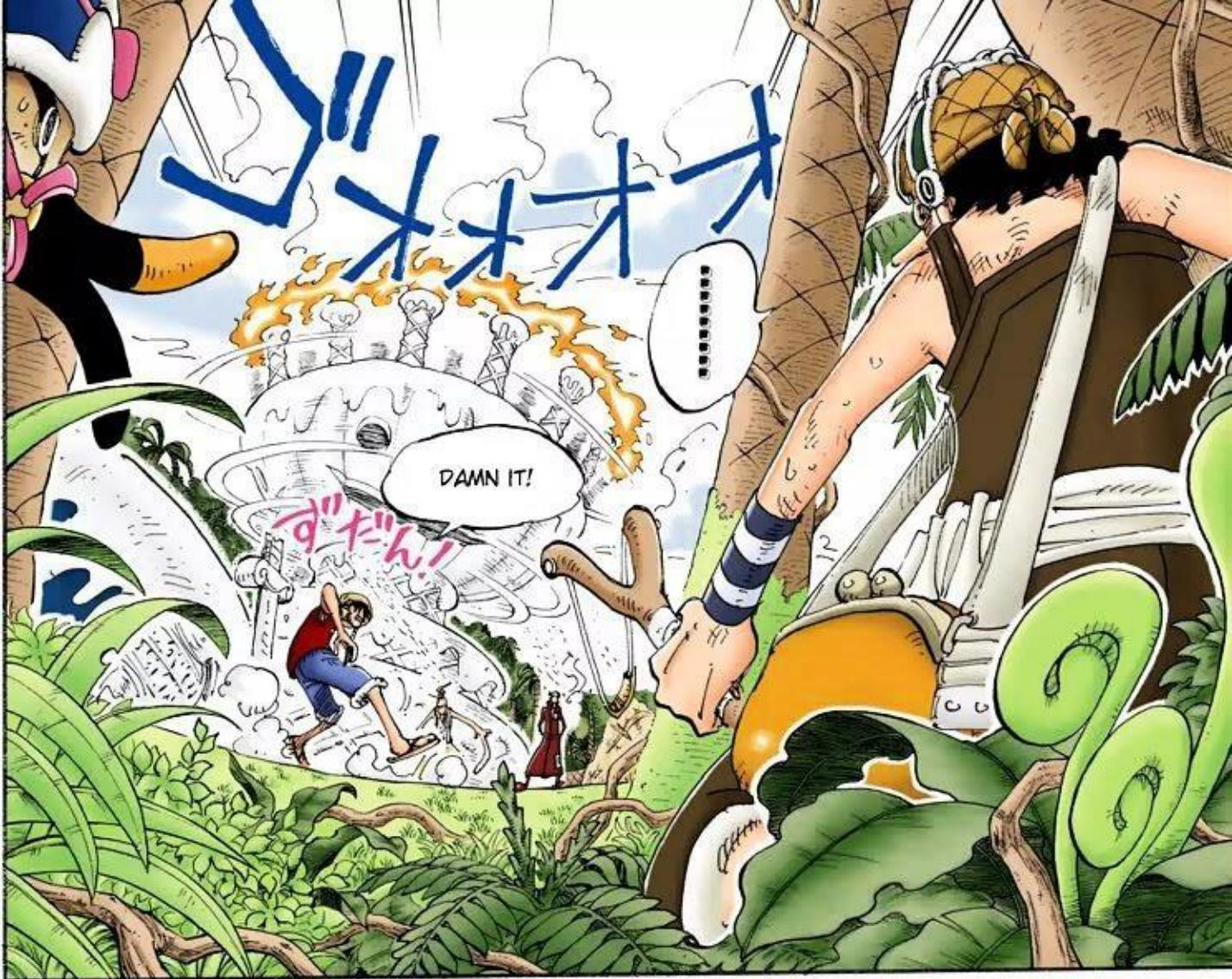
WHAT!? YOU'RE TURNING INTO WAX-DOLLS!?

IMBECILES! FUHAHAHA! HURRY UP AND TURN INTO MY BEAUTIFUL WAX-DOLLS!

FUHAHAHA! NOW THAT THE CANDLES ARE CLOSER TO YOU, THE HARDENING PROCESS HAS SPED UP EVEN MORE!









YOU SHOULD  
STOP INTERFERING  
IN MY EFFORTS TO  
CREATE ART!

I BELIEVE  
THAT'S WHAT  
I SHOULD BE  
SAYING, IS IT  
NOT...?

STOP  
GETTIN'  
IN MY  
WAY!

HEY!



AH,

AGAIN!?

THAT'S  
RIGHT!

CANDLE  
LOCK!



OH!

CLAMP

THANKS  
FOR THE  
HAMMER!

SHISHI-  
SHISHI!

