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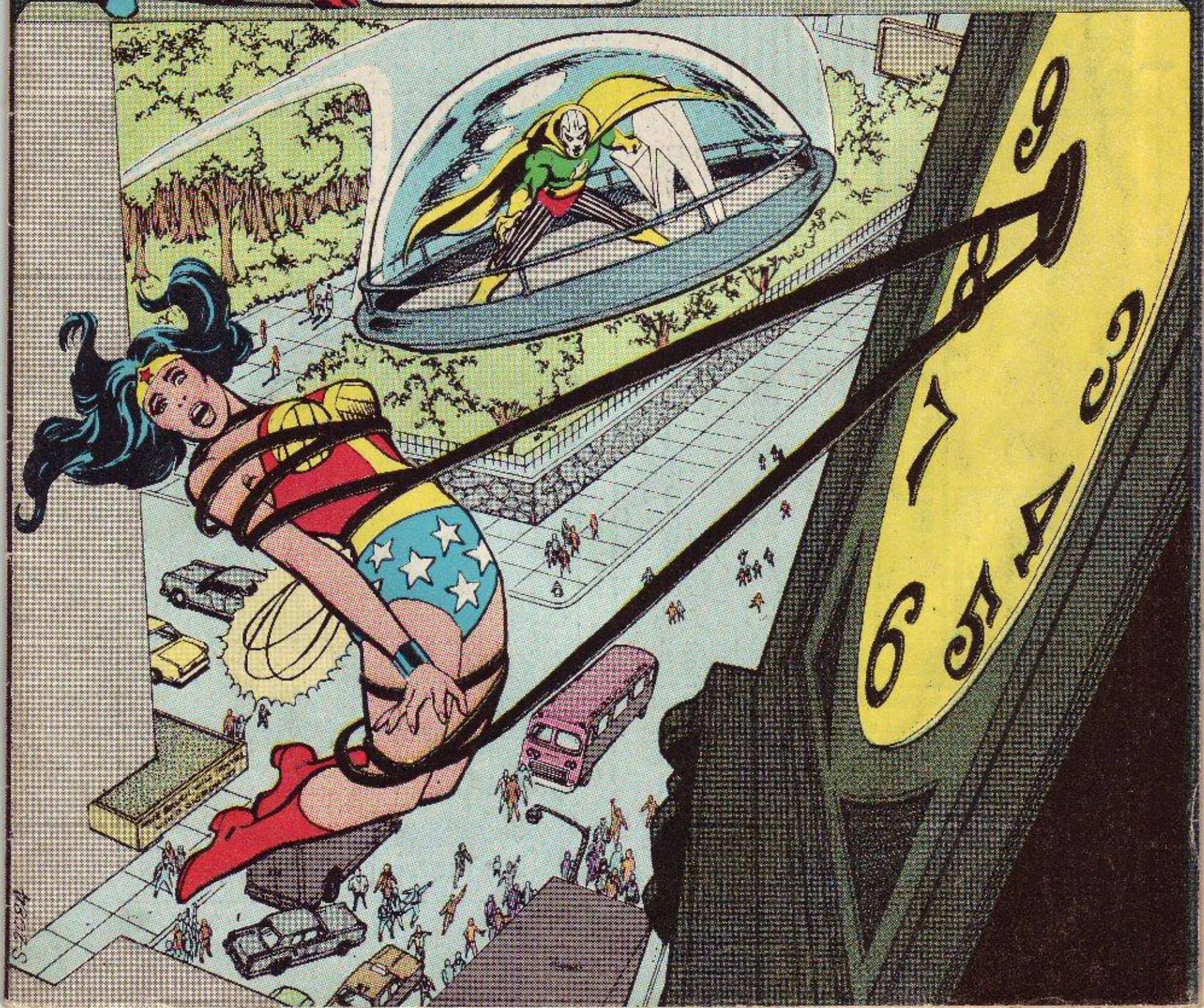
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IT'S **CHRONOS**,
MY ARCH-ENEMY!
HE'S MASTERED
TIME--

-- AND IS USING IT
AGAINST
WONDER WOMAN!



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WONDER WOMAN

WHY HE DID IT, NO ONE
KNEW! NOT EVEN THE
AMAZON PRINCESS
COULD GUESS WHAT
DAVID CLINTON--
ALIAS CHRONOS--
STOOD TO GAIN BY
TRAPPING THE
CITY OF NEW YORK
IN A TIMELESS
ZONE!

WATCH--ALONG WITH
THE ATOM--HOW THE
AMAZING WONDER
WOMAN PLUNGES
INTO BATTLE AGAINST
A "TIME THIEF"
WHO PROVES
FRIGHTENINGLY WORTHY
OF THE NAME--

The MAN WHO WIPE OUT TIME!"

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OF THE JUSTICE LEAGUE OF
AMERICA, 22,300 MILES
ABOVE MOTHER EARTH...

ON DUTY--THE RED
TORNADO AND THE
ELONGATED MAN...

SENSORS DETECT
NO MAJOR
DISTURBANCE
ON THE AFRICAN
CONTINENT--

READY--LOOK!
SOMETHING
COMING UP
IN THE
TELEPORTER!

A CARRIER PIGEON!
LOOKS LIKE HAWKMAN
WON THAT RACE!

SQUAAKK!

THE BIRDIE'S
PROBABLY
HIS WAY OF
REPORTING ON
WONDER WOMAN'S
TENTH TRIAL!

RACE 2

"OH, I FORGOT--YOU WEREN'T HERE!
WELL...AFTER I GAVE MY REPORT AT
OUR LAST MEETING, SUPERMAN
WHIPPED OUT A COIN..."

SINCE THE BATMAN'S
TIED UP IN GOTHAM,
ONE OF YOU TWO MUST
MONITOR DIANA'S NEXT
ADVENTURE! SO...

CALL IT
IN THE
AIR!

HEADS!

"BUT THE COIN-TOSS DIDN'T DECIDE
A THING, BECAUSE-- AGAINST
IMPOSSIBLE ODDS..."

CAN YOU
BEAT THAT?
IT LANDED ON
ITS EDGE!

WAIT--SINCE THE COIN
DECIDED IN FAVOR OF
NEITHER OF US, LET'S
BOTH MONITOR
WONDER WOMAN!

I PROPOSE A CONTEST
BETWEEN ATOM AND MYSELF!
THE FIRST TO SPOT DIANA'S
NEXT CRISIS MONITORS IT!

AGREED!

OKAY,
BUZZARD-
BEAK,
YOU'RE
ON!

--AND THE
LOSER BUYS
DINNER--?

MAY THE
BETTER MAN--
OR BIRD--
WIN!

HUH?!



"AS THE DOCTOR
WENT TO THE
NEXT PATIENT..."

M-MY WATCH--
IT'S GONE!

"MEANWHILE, IN MY HOTEL
ROOM, I WAS HAVING A STRANGE
EXPERIENCE OR TWO OF MY
OWN..."

CAN'T TAKE
YOUR PULSE...
WITHOUT
MY WATCH--!

GOTTA GET A JUMP
ON "OL' FUSS-'N'-
FEATHERS" BY SPOT-
TING A BREWING
CRISIS FIRST!

THE MID-MORNING
NEWS MIGHT HELP!

"BUT INSTEAD..."

LIVE FROM OUR STUDIOS
IN NEW YORK--AMERICA'S
FAVORITE GAME SHOW...
"RACE THE CLOCK"!!

RACE
THE
CLOCK

HUH? COULD'VE SAWN
IT WAS TIME FOR THE
NEWS!

BETTER CHECK MY...

...WATCH?

;GROAN!; NOT
EVEN 24 HOURS
IN NEW YORK
AND ALREADY
I'VE BEEN
RIPPED OFF!

"FUN CITY",
MY GRAND-
MOTHER'S
SHOELACES!

FRIENDS--WE REGRET TO
ANNOUNCE THAT TODAY'S SHOW
MUST BE CANCELLED! SEEMS...
UH...OUR GAME-CLOCK HAS...
UH...DISAPPEARED...

"YOU COULD'VE
KNOCKED ME
OVER WITH A
NEUTRON
WHEN..."

BETTER
DIAL THE
TIME...

THE-NUMBER-
YOU-HAVE-
REACHED-IS-OUT-
OF-ORDER! THIS-
IS-A-RECORDING...

WHAAAT?!

I WAS LOOKING
FOR A CRISIS...

KLIK-
LIK!

...AND I'VE JUST
FOUND ONE--

--THE SUDDEN
DISAPPEARANCE
OF TIME!

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"WITH THAT, I DIALED DIANA'S OFFICE, LEAPED INTO THE PHONE... AND LET THE TV ANNOUNCER'S BEFuddled VOICE PROPEL ME AT TELEPHONIC SPEED TO THE SECRETARIAT, WHERE..."

"DI! THERE WAS A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULED FOR 5 MINUTES AGO-- BUT NOBODY SHOWED UP!"



"AT LEAST, THEY THINK IT WAS 5 MINUTES AGO! NO ONE IN THE BUILDING KNOWS WHAT TIME IT IS!"

"GET A SECURITY DETAIL AND CHECK OUT THIS BUILDING-- PRONTO!"

"SEE IF WE'RE UNDER SOME KIND OF ATTACK!"

"CHECK!"

"HELLO?... HELLO?!"

"CAN'T LET HER SEE ME... GOTTA KEEP OUT OF SIGHT!"

"HMPH! GOT TO HAVE A LONGGG TALK WITH THOSE SWITCHBOARD OPERATORS!"



"THEN... FROM MY HIDING PLACE, I GOT MY FIRST GLIMPSE OF THAT AMAZING TRANSFORMATION I'D BEEN HEARING SO MUCH ABOUT..."



"A QUICK TV SCAN OF ALL THREE U.N. BUILDINGS REVEALED THE TOTAL PICTURE..."

"...AND IF MORGAN TRACY THOUGHT ONLY THE SECRETARIAT BUILDING WAS UNDER SEIGE, HE DIDN'T KNOW THE THIRD OF IT!..."

"GREAT HERA! TOURISTS IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY LOBBY ARE PANIC-STRICKEN-- THEIR WATCHES HAVE DISAPPEARED! EVEN THE TIMEPIECE SCULPTURE HAS VANISHED!"

"THE INFORMATION BUREAU OF CONFERENCE SERVICES IS HELPLESS-- ITS SWITCHBOARD FLOODED WITH CALLS ABOUT THE TIME WIPE-OUT!"



"DIPLOMATS GETTING CRUSHED IN THE MASS EXODUS FOR THE SECRETARIAT'S REVOLVING DOORS!"



"I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYONE THINK THAT FAST--
BEFORE I KNEW WHAT WAS HAPPENING, THE
AMAZING AMAZON HAD DOPED OUT A PLAN..."

I'VE GOT IT!

HUH?

"...AND SOARED OUT THE
WINDOW FASTER THAN
I COULD SAY ALBERT
EINSTEIN!"

"BEING A LITTLE GUY, I WAS A MITE
SLOWER--BUT I HAD A PLAN, TOO!"

MY REPORT'S GONNA
BE ALL JUMBLED
UNLESS I TAKE ON-
THE-SPOT NOTES!

SO--SOME GUM-
WRAPPERS FROM
THE WASTEBASKET...
A HUNK OF GRAPHITE...
AND I'VE GOT THE
TOOLS OF THE ATOM-IC
REPORTER'S TRADE!

PARDON, FELLA--
I NEED YOUR CLOTH
FOR A WHILE!

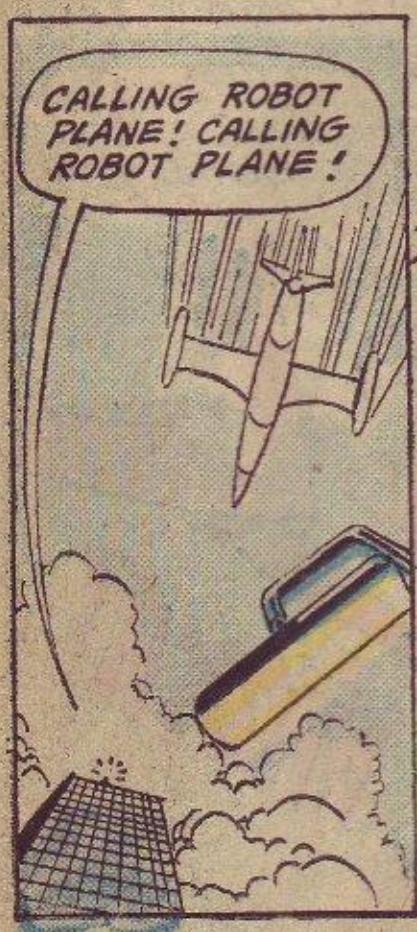
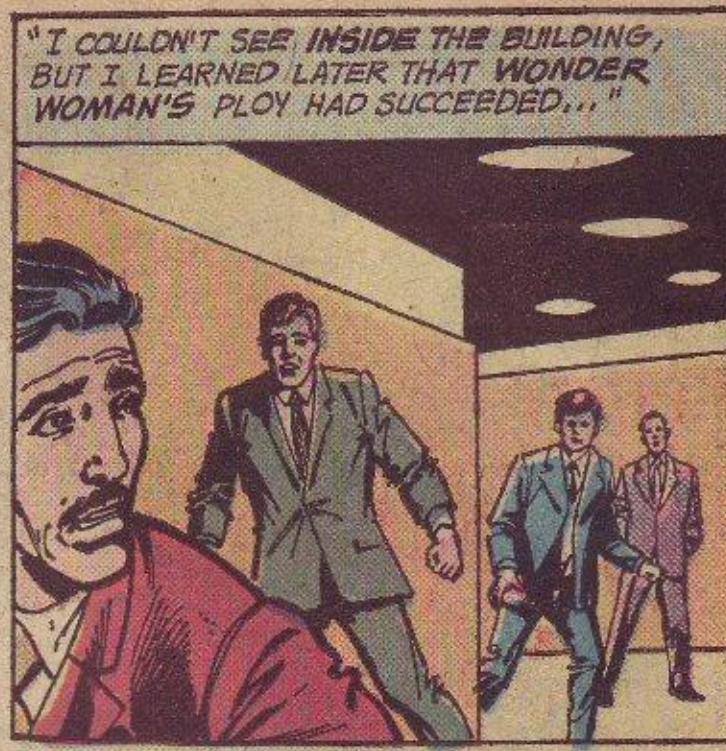
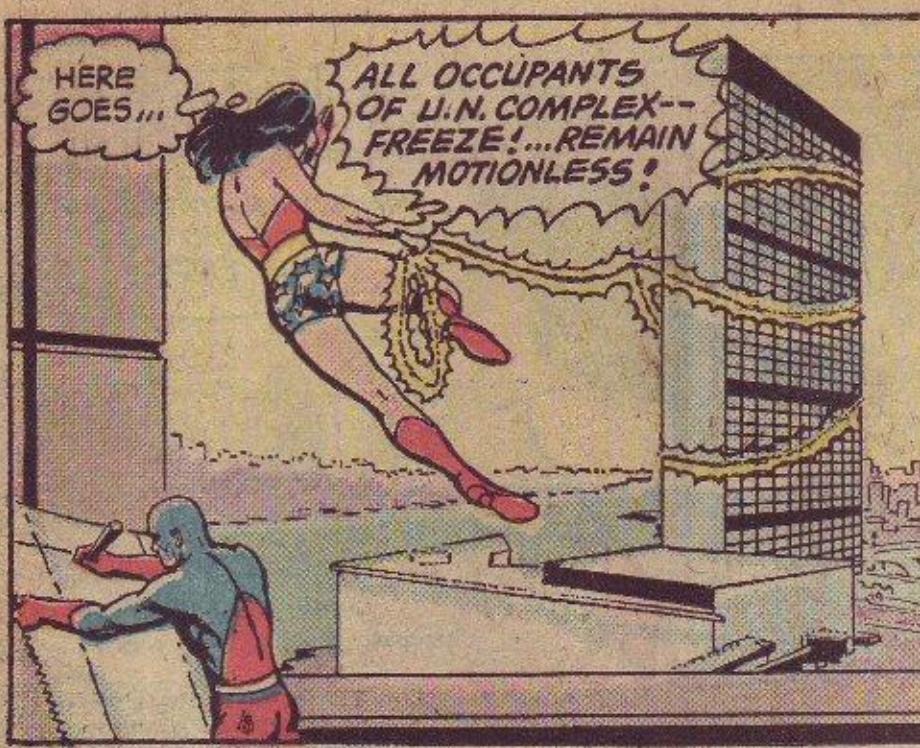
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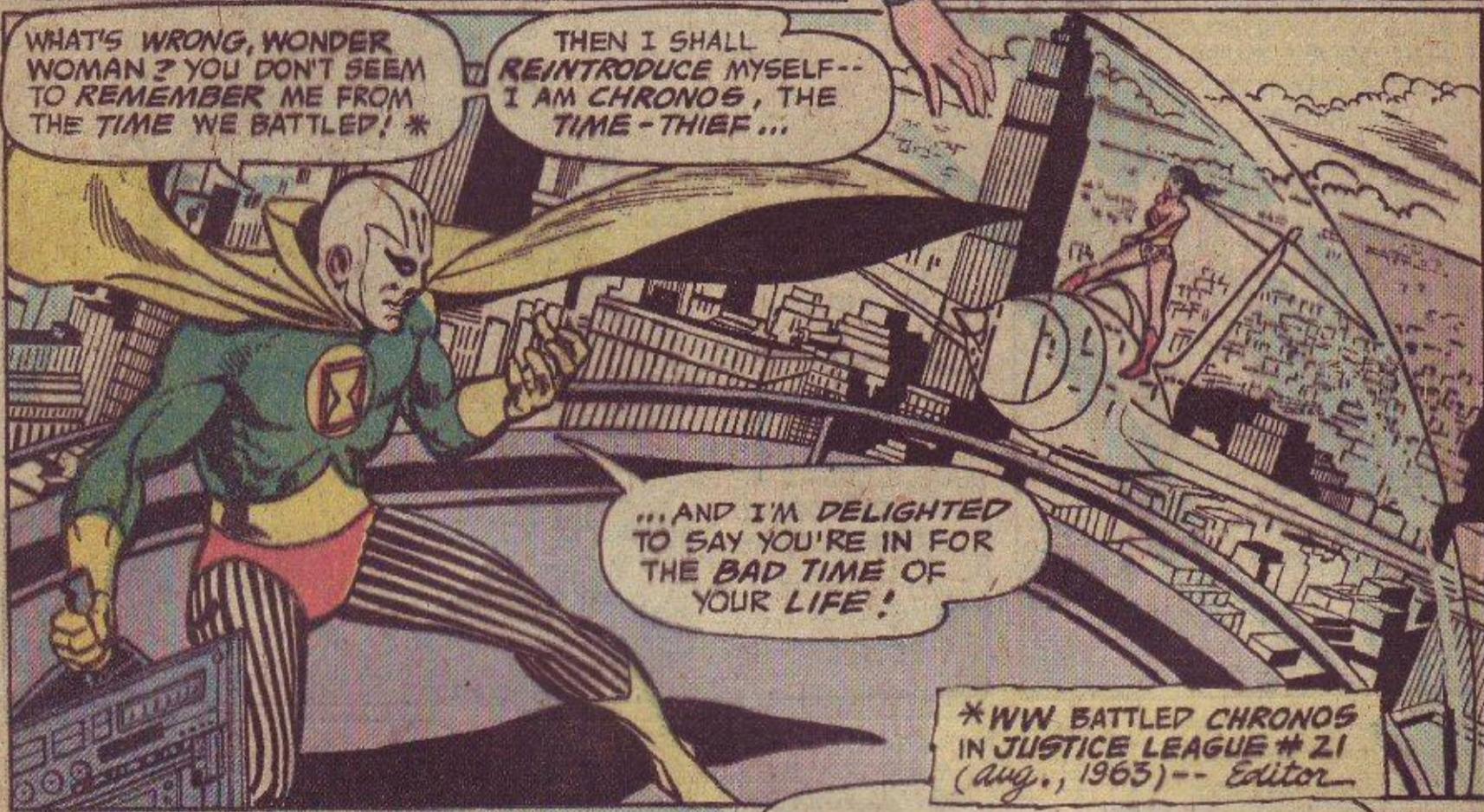
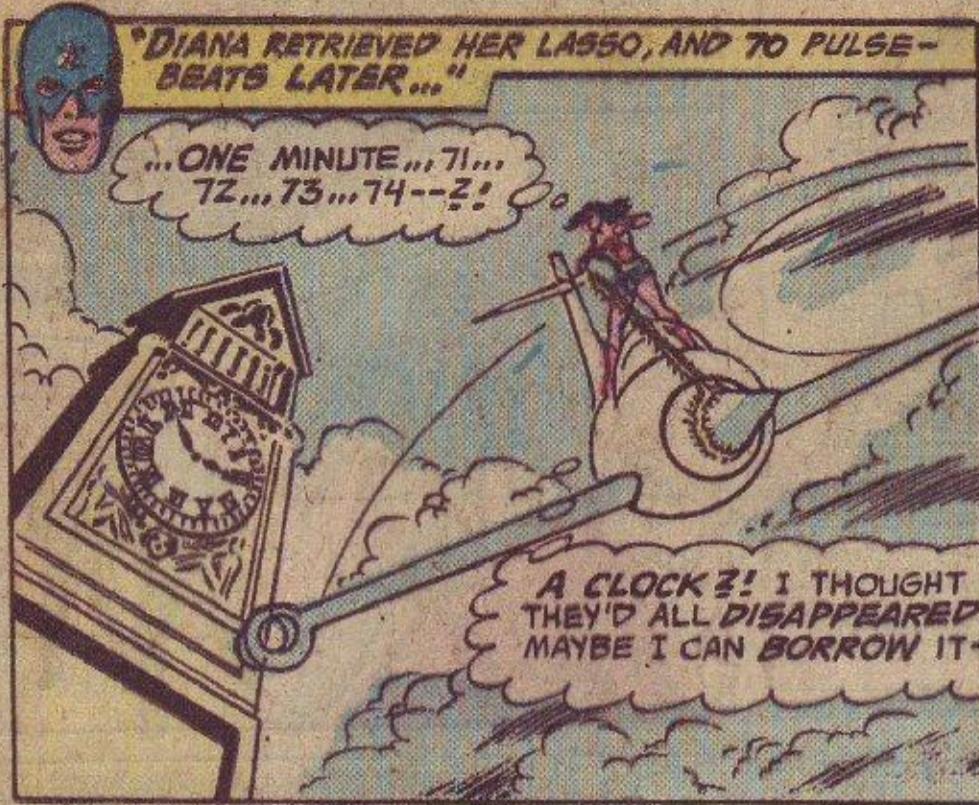
"...THE WOMAN WAS PROVING JUST WHY SHE'S
NAMED WONDER!"

THANK HERA THE AIR
CURRENTS ARE FAVORABLE
TODAY--ENABLING ME TO
PULL THIS STUNT!

"AND WHILE
I PARACHUTED
TO A LOWER
ROOFTOP FOR A
RING-SIDE
SEAT TO WATCH
THE ACTION..."

NOW FOR THE
ULTIMATE TEST
OF MY LASO'S
COMPELLING POWERS--
CAN THEY WORK
ON THOUSANDS
OF PEOPLE
SIMULTANEOUSLY?





"IF ONLY I'D KNOWN THEN WHAT WAS GOING ON, I MIGHT'VE BEEN ABLE TO TIP OFF DIANA TO CHRONOS' TRICKERY--AFTER ALL, HE'S MY ARCH-FOE!"

"BUT BECAUSE OF THE TIME-WISE GUY'S NEWEST INVENTION, I COULDN'T EVEN SEE HIM..."

HAS DIANA GONE FLIPPO? SHE'S TALKING TO HERSELF!

NOW WATCH MY NEWEST GIMMICK-- THE GNOMON OF MY FLYING SUNDIAL IS NOW A JET-POWERED BOOMERANG...

...WHICH WILL RENDER YOU INCAPABLE OF GIVING ME A HARD TIME!

WHOOSH!

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"I COULDN'T SEE WHERE IT CAME FROM--BUT SUDDENLY I WAS NEAR-BLINDED BY SUNLIGHT GLINTING OFF THE BLADE OF A GIANT BOOMERANG..."

KAAW-HAAT

I DID IT! I KNOCKED THAT PLANE OUT FROM UNDER HER--DIDN'T EVEN GIVE HER TIME TO USE HER LASSO!

UNNNH!!

"AND AS I SAW DISASTER BEFALL WONDER WOMAN IN THE NEXT MOMENT, I RECOGNIZED THE CLOCK-CROOK'S SNEERING VOICE..."

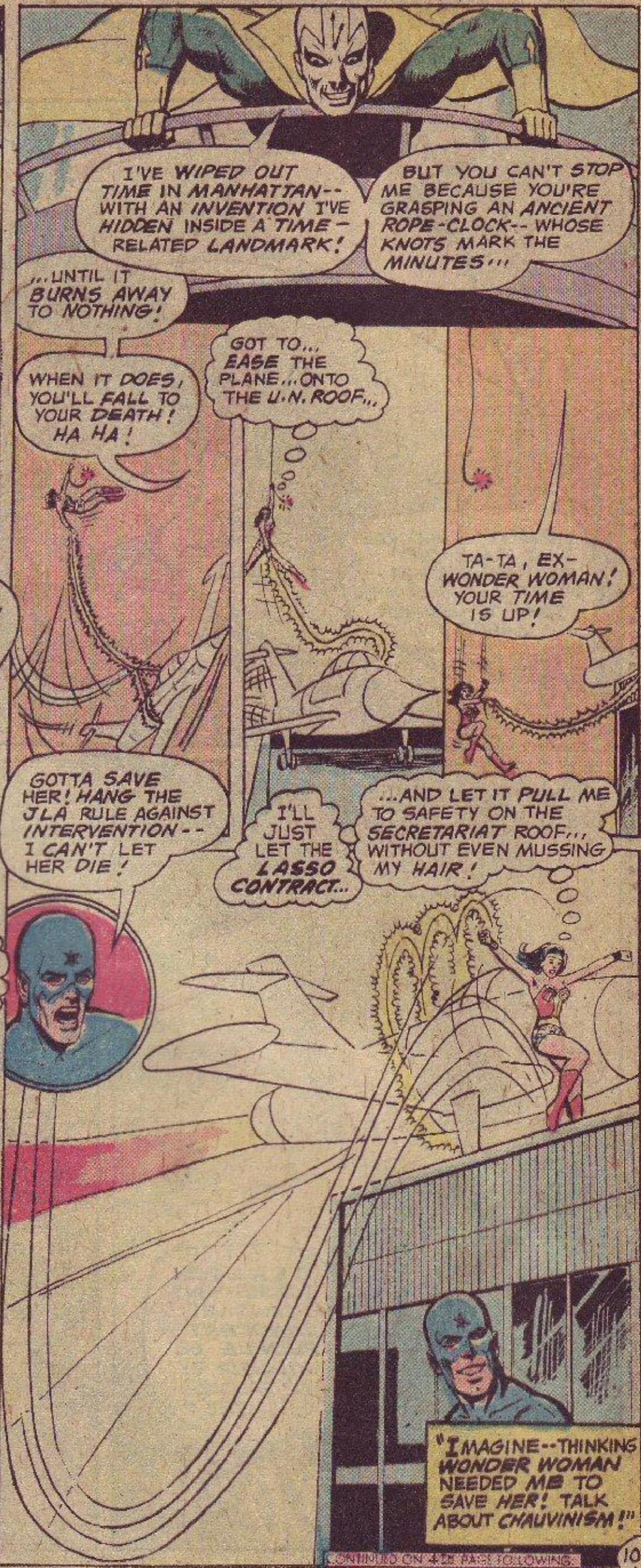
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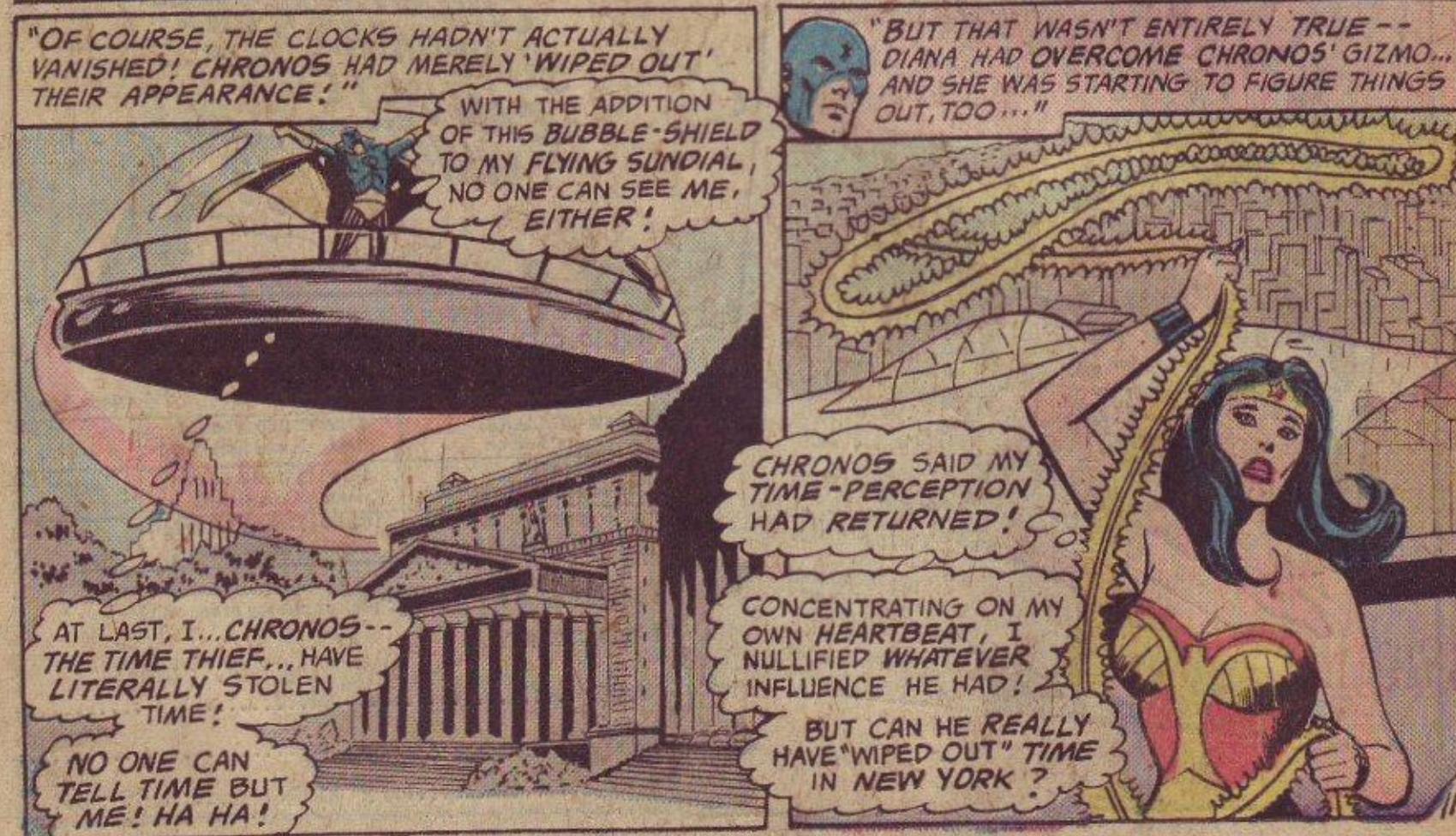
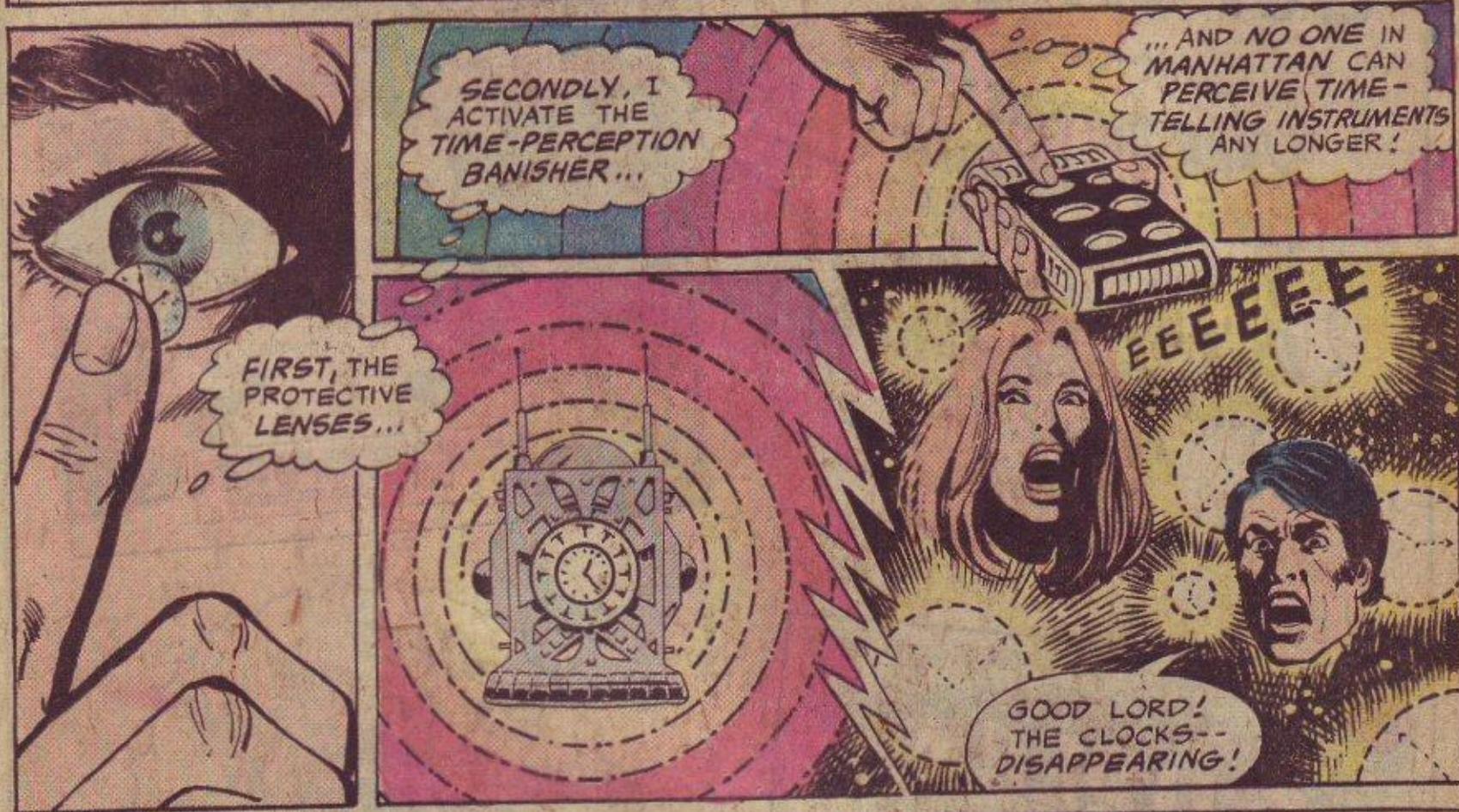
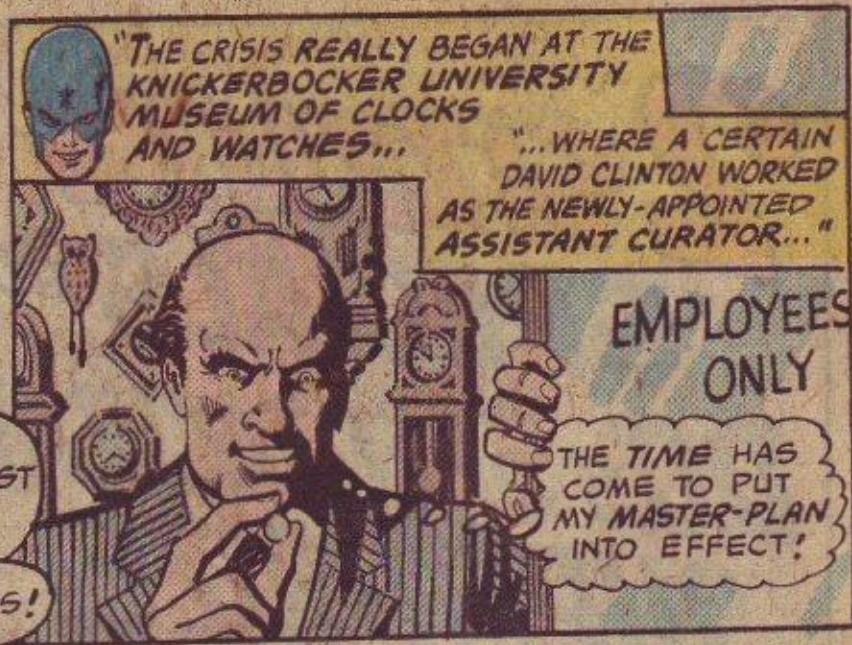
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HERE, AMAZON... CATCH!

IT ISN'T TIME FOR YOU TO DIE--YET!







"BROTHER, DID HE EVER! CHRONOS EVEN ENVELOPED THE ENTIRE ISLAND IN A SEMI-OPAQUE FORCE-FIELD--RESEMBLING A GIANT WATCH-CRYSTAL -- WHICH BLOTTED OUT THE MOVEMENT OF THE SUN IN THE SKY!"

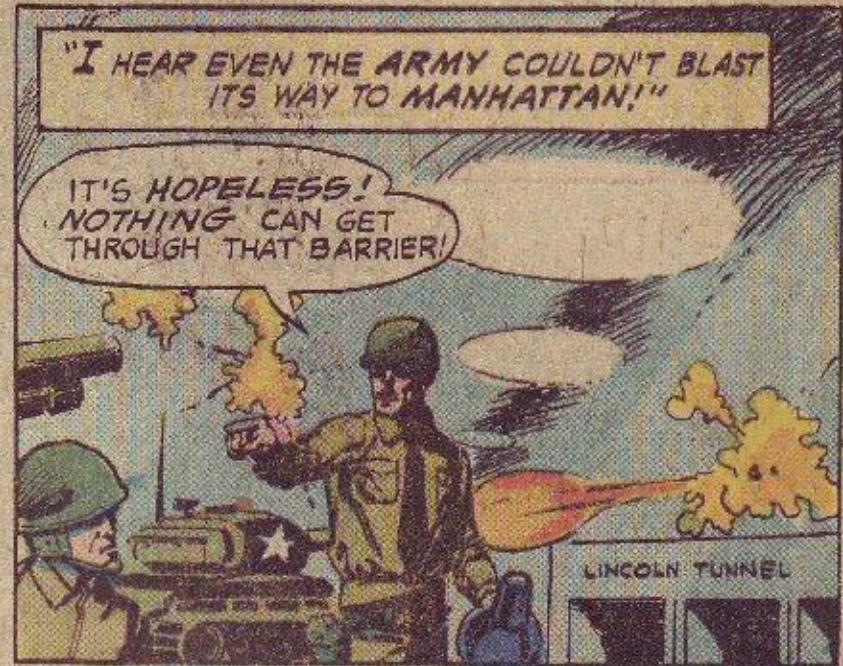


"NEW YORKERS HAD VIRTUALLY NO WAY TO TELL TIME!"

"THE PANIC STAGE HAD PASSED, THANKS TO DIANA! BUT WITH NO CLOCK-TIME IN NEW YORK, THERE WERE OTHER, MORE INTERESTING PROBLEMS..."



B-BUT I'M SO HUNGRY-I FIGURED IT HAD TO BE LUNCH-BREAK!



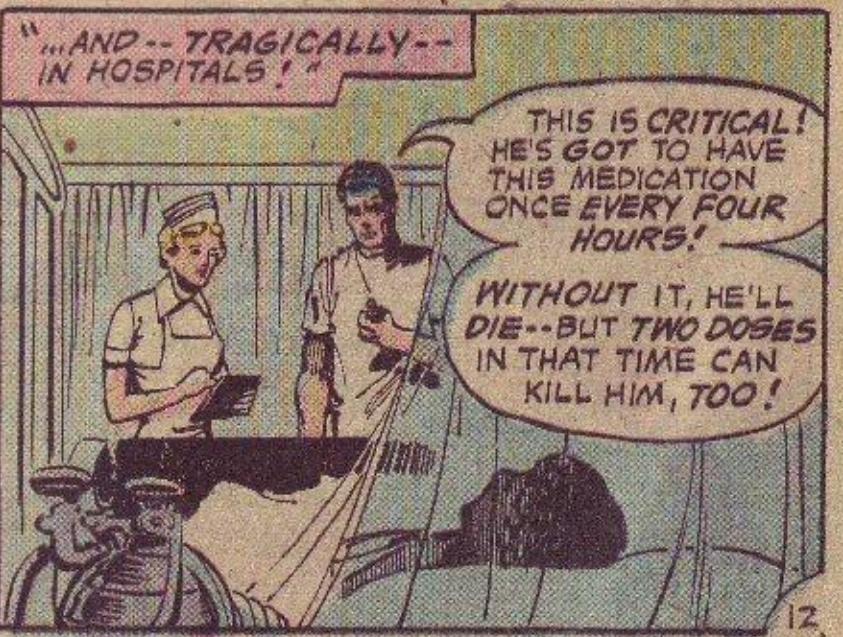
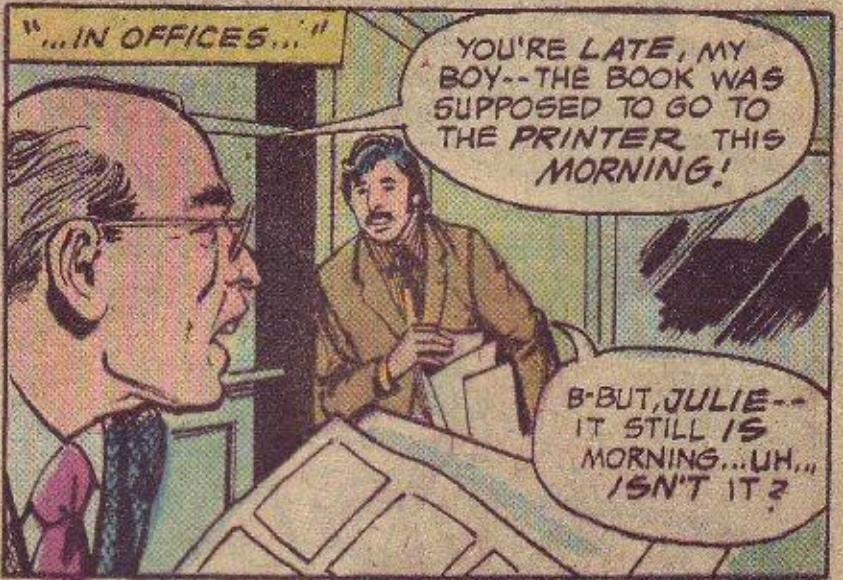
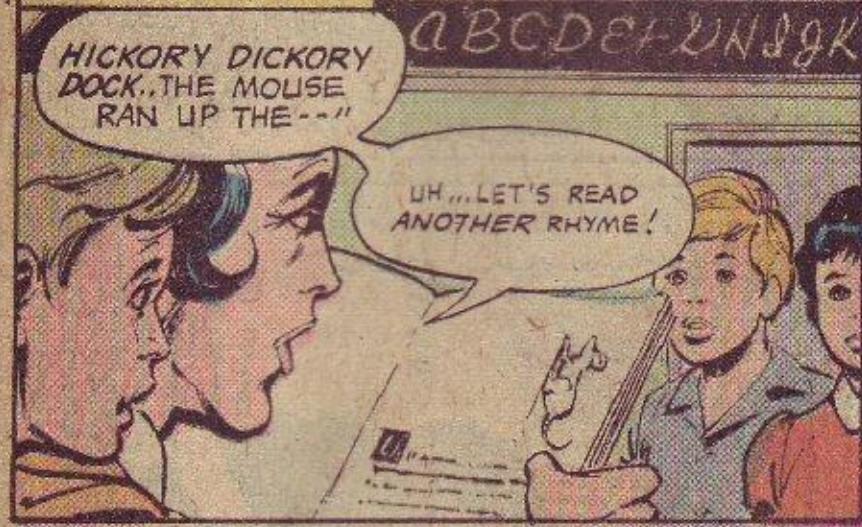
"I HEAR EVEN THE ARMY COULDN'T BLAST ITS WAY TO MANHATTAN!"

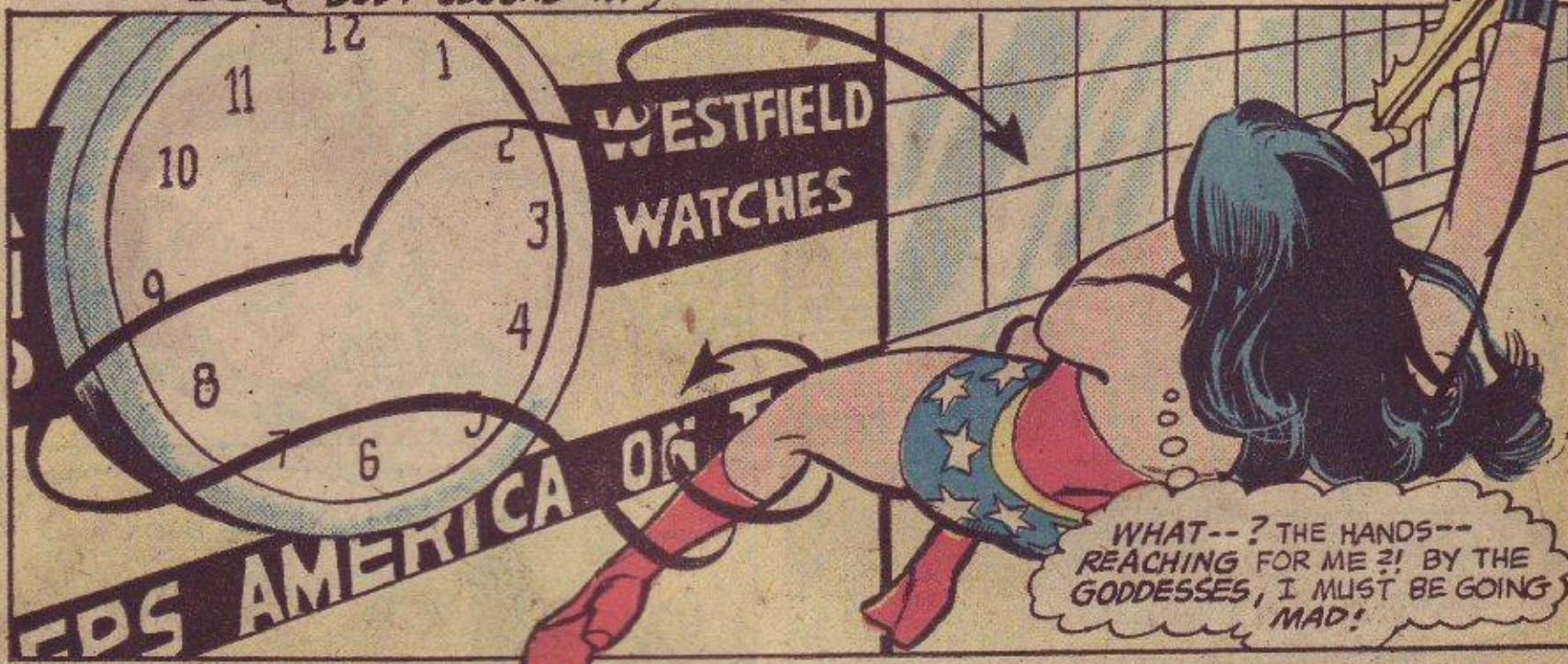
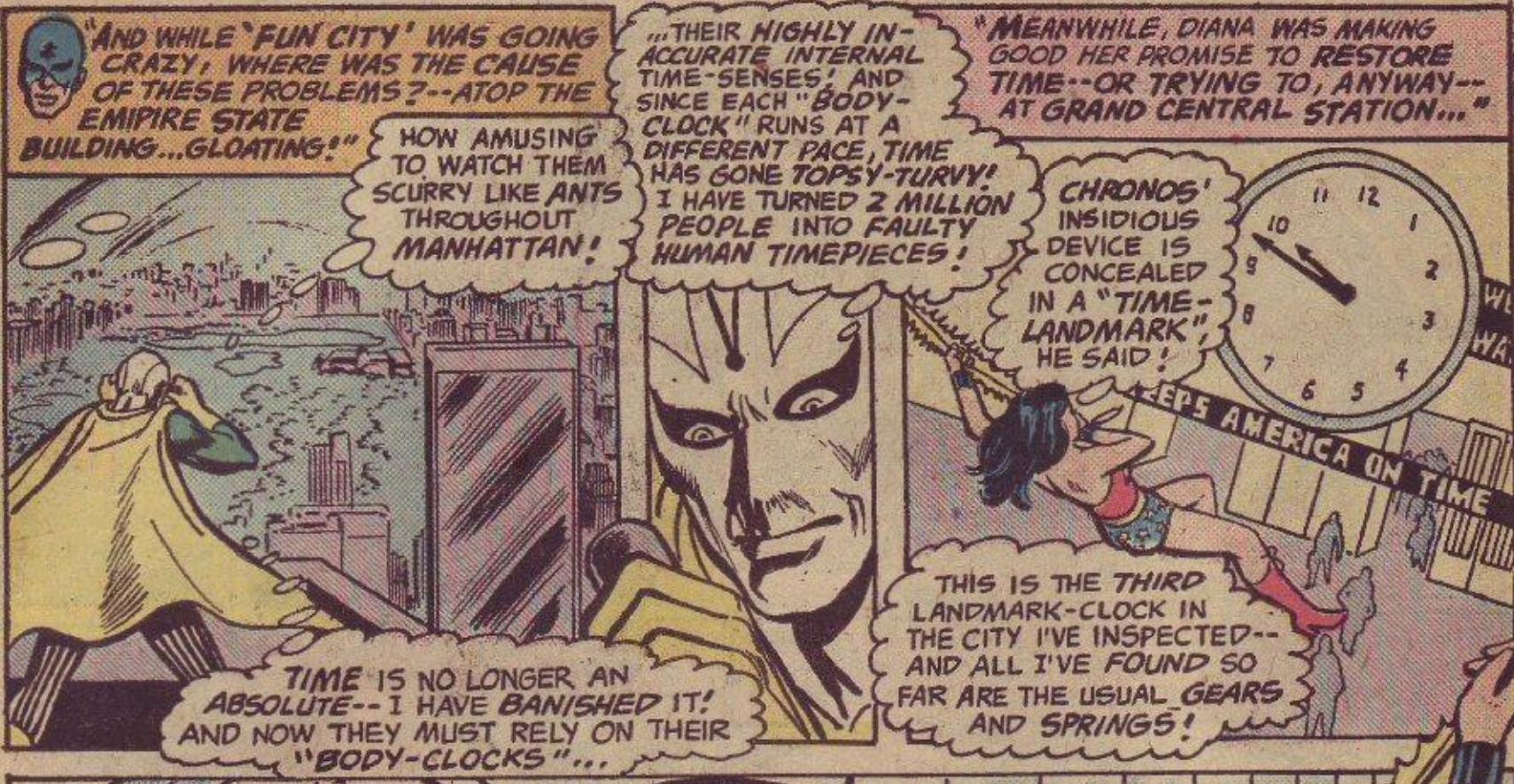
IT'S HOPELESS!
NOTHING CAN GET THROUGH THAT BARRIER!

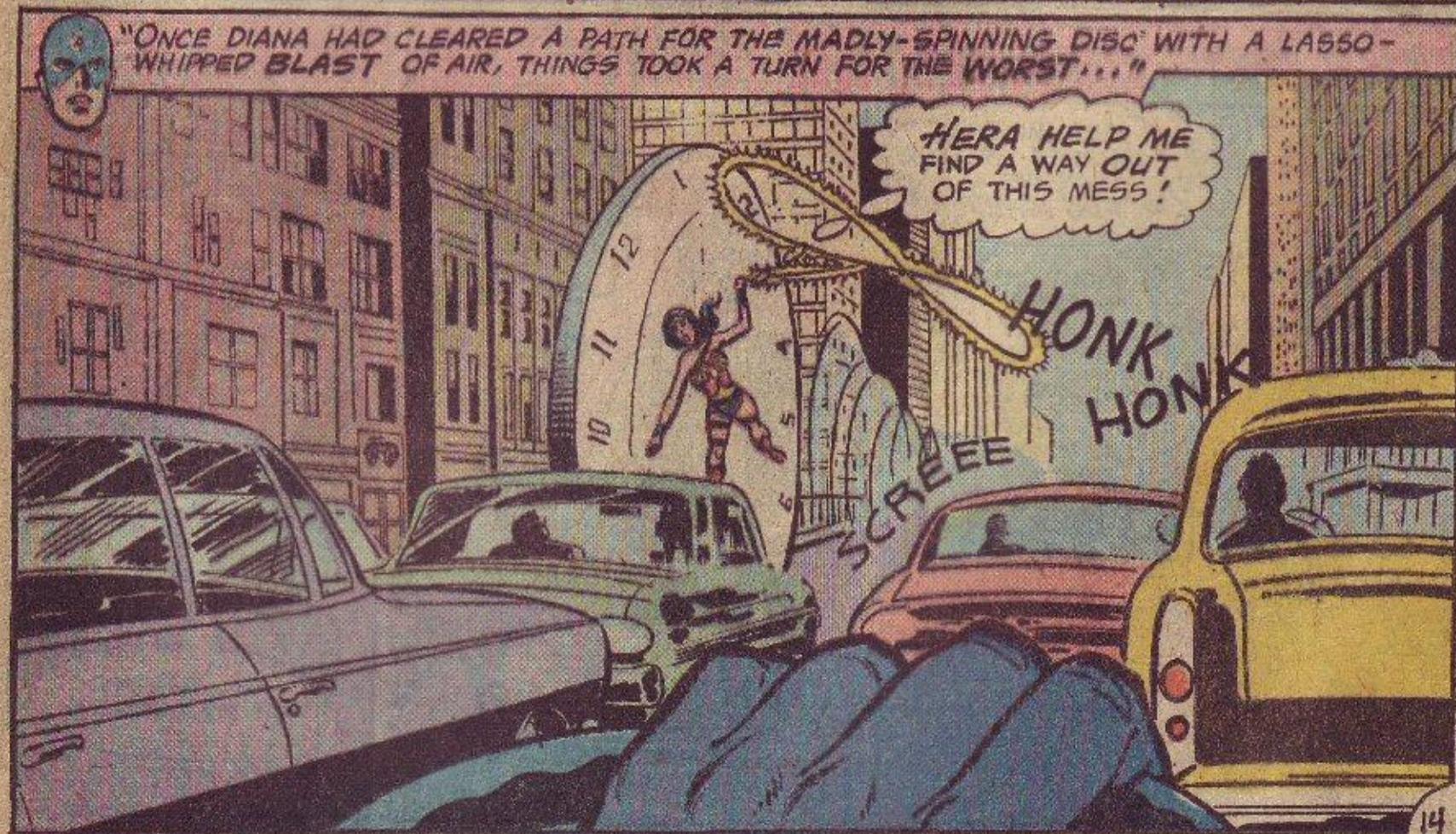
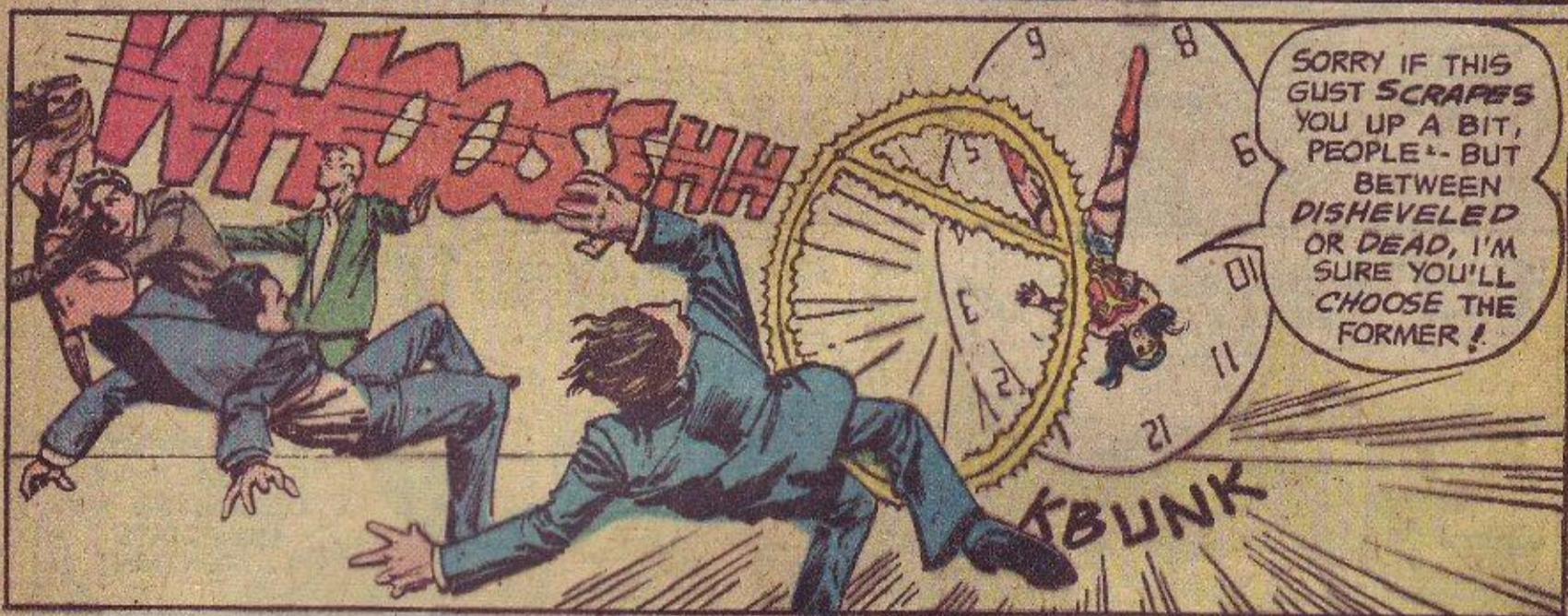


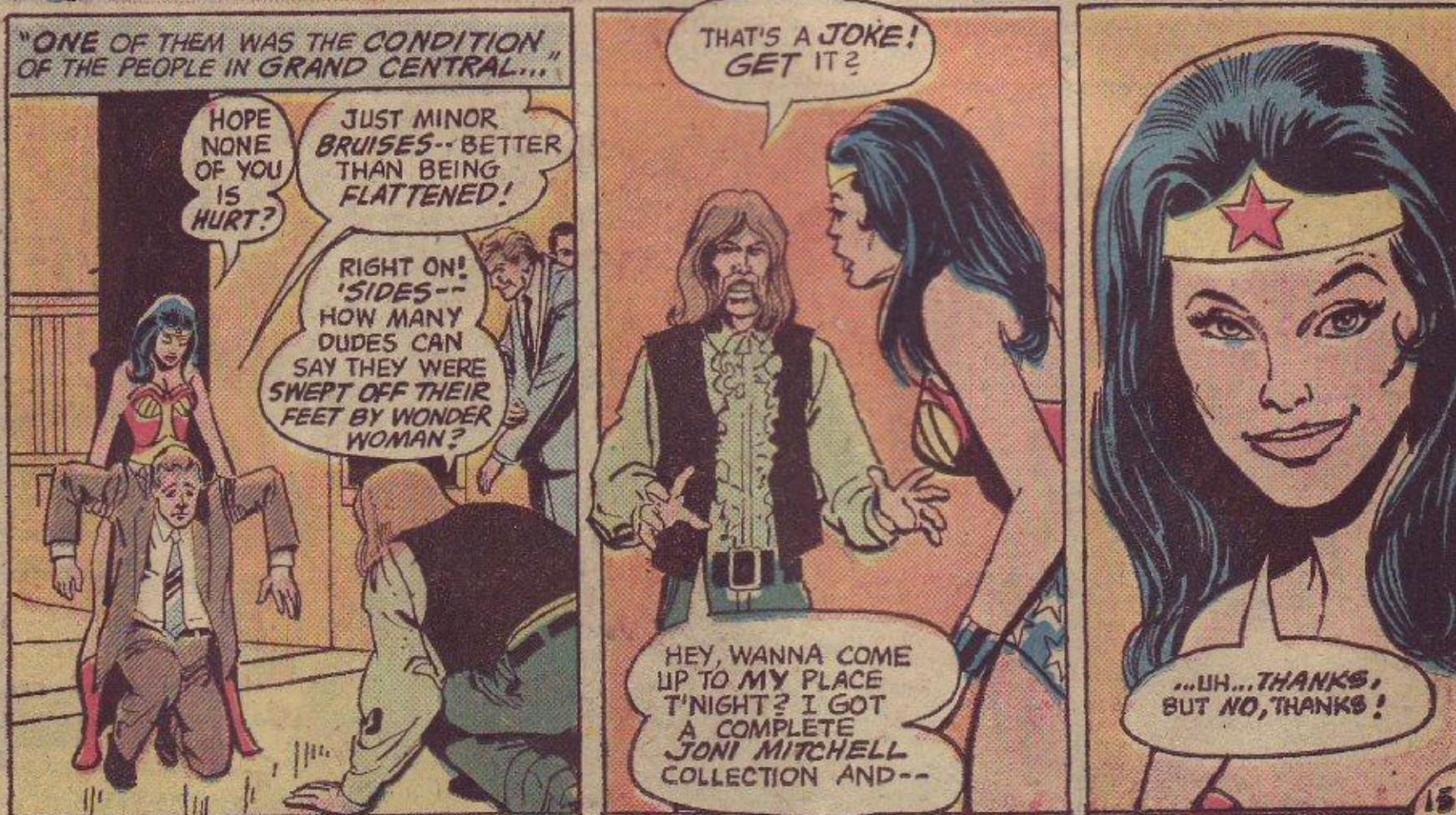
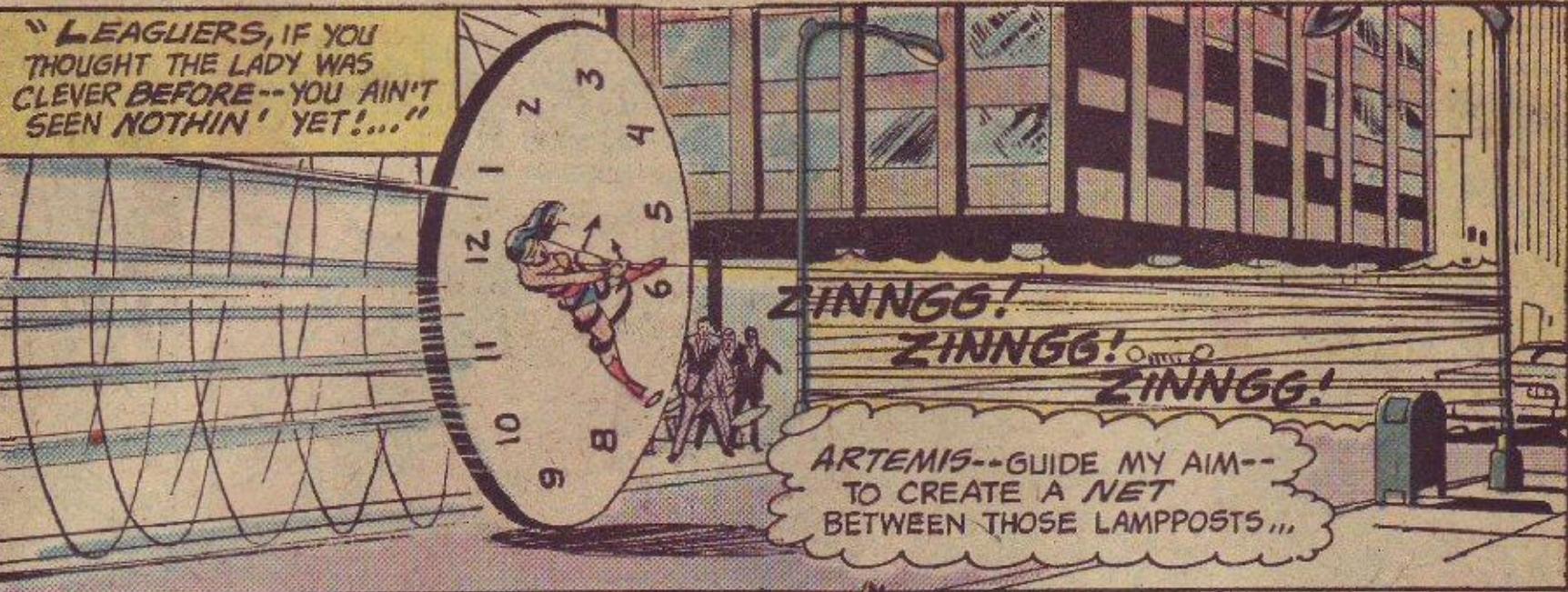
:YAWN: BUT, BOB--IT FEELS LIKE I JUST WENT TO SLEEP!

"...IN SCHOOLS..."



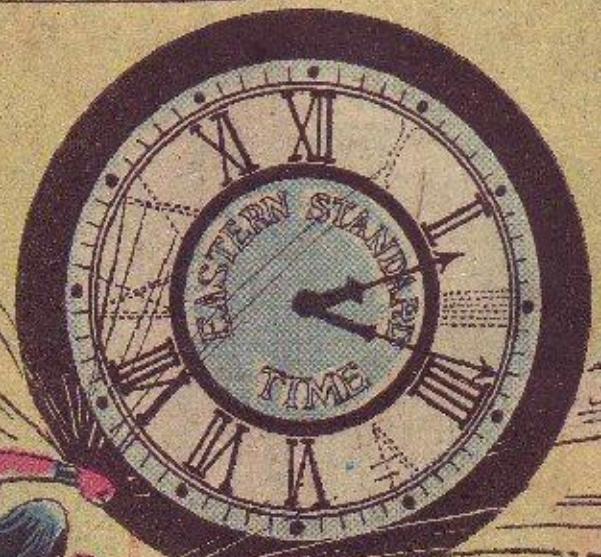






"HOW LONG IT TOOK
THE AMAZING AMAZON
TO WORK HER WAY THROUGH
ALL THE CLOCK LANDMARKS
IN THE CITY I DUNNO--I COULDN'T
TELL TIME..."

"...BUT EVEN THOUGH THEY WERE
BOOBY-TRAPPED, TOO--DIANA SHOWED
AMAZING PROWESS IN OVERCOMING THEM!!"



"JUST LIKE
MOTHER NATURE,
A WONDER WOMAN
WILL ONLY BE
FOOLED ONCE!"

"JUST WHEN HER
SEARCH STARTED
TO LOOK FRUITLESS
--INSPIRATION
STRUCK!"

I'VE CHECKED OUT
EVERY FAMOUS CLOCK
IN THIS CITY--
EVERYWHERE--

--THE BOWERY...
THE VILLAGE...
SOHO...TIMES
SQUARE--?!

OF COURSE!
HOW COULD I
HAVE BEEN
SO BLIND?

READER! CAN YOU GUESS
WHAT WONDER WOMAN
HAS DEDUCED?

"BUT BEFORE SHE COULD ACT
ON THAT INSPIRATION..."

TOOK YOU LONG ENOUGH TO
FIGURE IT OUT, EH?

OF COURSE, MY TRAPS
SLOWED YOU DOWN A
BIT!

YOU AGAIN?
MISTER--YOU HAVE
MORE NERVE
THAN BRAINS...

...AND I'M GOING
TO PROVE IT!

PIN:

OBSERVE--
THE LIGHTS FROM
THAT DIGITAL
TIME-SIGN DO
MORE THAN
JUST TELL
TIME!

80 97

A
WASTE
OF TIME,
AMAZON!

YOU VILLAIN-
TYPES NEVER
LEARN, DO
YOU?

BULLETS-AND-
BRACELETS OR
LIGHTBULBS-
AND-BRACELETS...

...IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE!

ENOUGH
PLAYING AROUND!
TIME WAITS FOR
NO MAN--OR
WOMAN--

--AND YOUR
TIME, PRINCESS,
IS UP!

YOU THINK TO STOP
ME WITH A MERE
HOURGLASS?

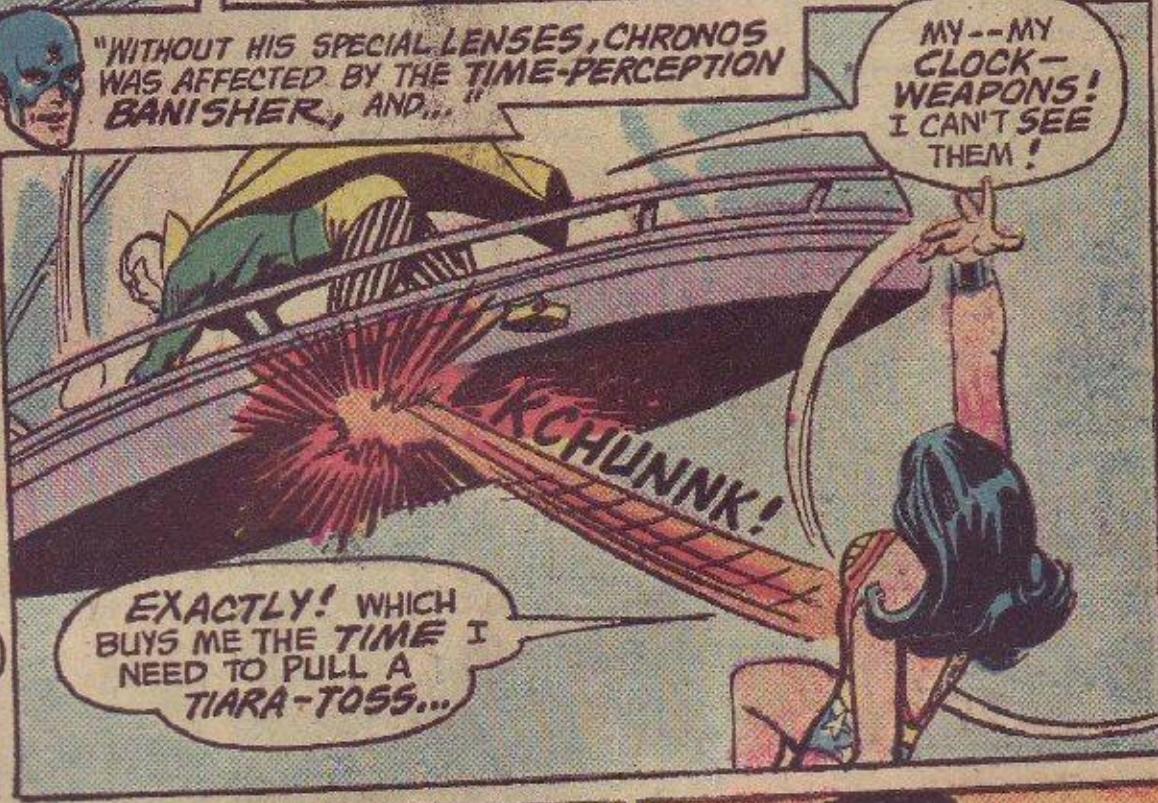
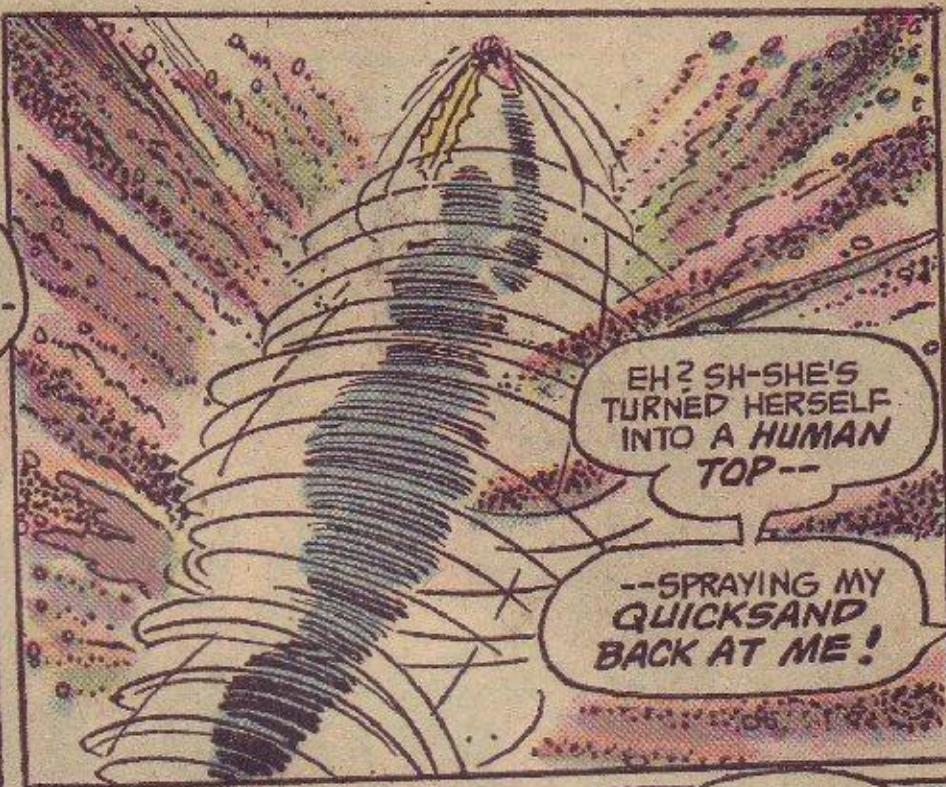
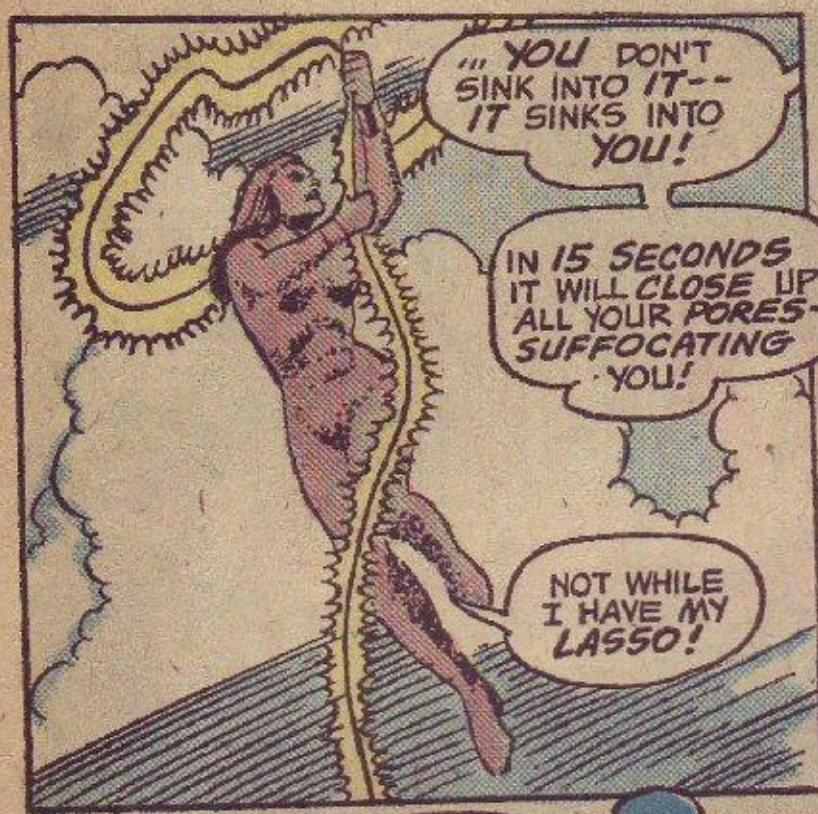
CERTAINLY NOT!
THAT GLASS IS
ANYTHING BUT
"MERE"!

IT CONTAINS
WHAT I CALL
"REVERSE-
QUICKSAND"...

KRAASH

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"IT WAS ALL OVER, AT LAST--EXCEPT FOR THE
INCIDENTALS..."

I HEAR YOU
GOT RID OF THE
FORCE-FIELD,
WONDER WOMAN!
WHAT WAS IT ALL
ABOUT?

I'LL BE GLAD TO
TELL YOU, IF YOU...
HAVE THE
TIME!



"ANOTHER 'INCIDENTAL' ITEM ON DIANA'S LIST
WAS ONE MORGAN TRACY..."

DIANA, I JUST REALIZED THAT EVERY TIME
I SEND YOU ON ASSIGNMENT, YOU NEVER
FAIL TO END THE CRISIS...

...BUT YOUR REPORTS
ALWAYS INVOLVE
WONDER WOMAN!



I--PARDON THE EXPRESSION--
WONDER: ANY REASON
FOR THAT?

ER...WELL, NO!
BECAUSE IT'S...UH...
NOT ALWAYS TRUE!



TAKE THIS CATSKILL
ASSIGNMENT, FOR EXAMPLE--
HERE'S MY REPORT...

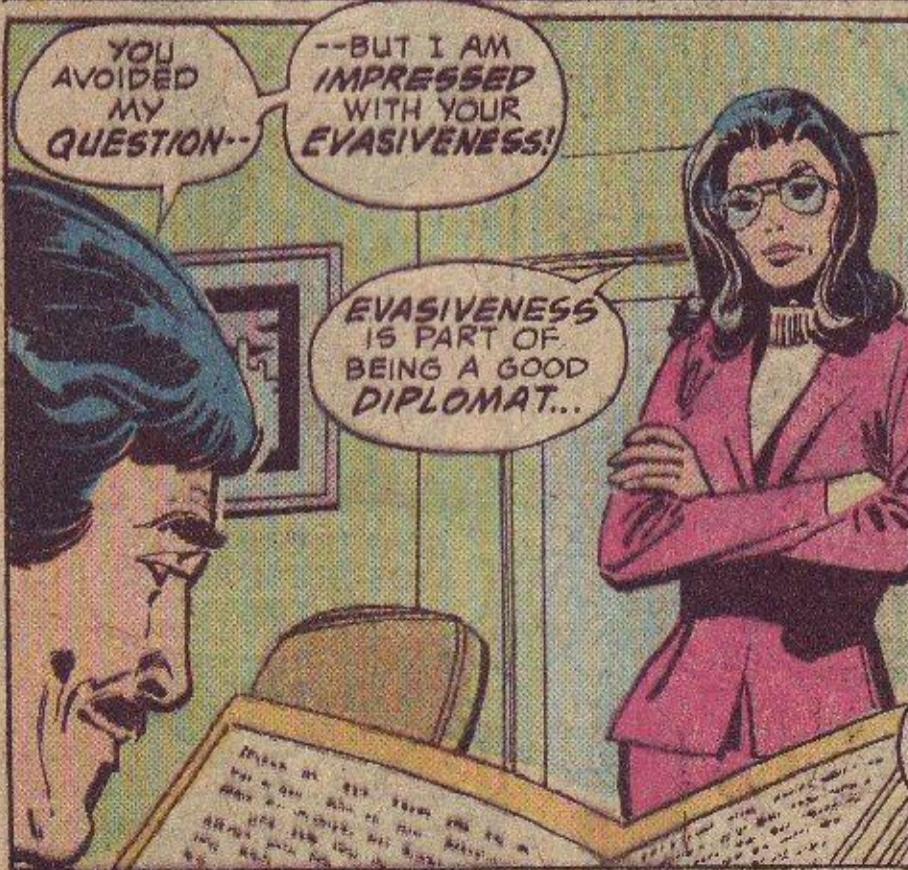
...AND NOT ONE MENTION
OF WONDER WOMAN
IN IT--ANYWHERE!



YOU
AVOIDED
MY
QUESTION--

--BUT I AM
IMRESSED
WITH YOUR
EVASIVENESS!

EVASIVENESS
IS PART OF
BEING A GOOD
DIPLOMAT...



...AND YOU
TAUGHT ME
EVERYTHING
I KNOW!

AND THAT, MR. TRACY,
IS THE LAST BOOST
YOUR FRAGILE MALE
EGO WILL EVER
GET FROM ME!



LEAGUERS, YOU HAVE ARRIVED PROMPTLY FOR THE GENERAL MEETING! RALPH AND I HAVE ALREADY PERUSED THE ATOM'S REPORT!

WRONG-O, RALPHIE, BOY! I'M HERE WITH BELLS ON!

OH--THE LITTLE PIKER WON THE BET, EH? IS HE HERE YET?

NOPE--

I SENT THOSE CARRIER PIGEONS AHEAD, 'CAUSE I THOUGHT I'D BE DETAINED IN IVY TOWN!

I DON'T SEE HAWKMAN! -CHUCKLE- BET HE'S TOO EMBARRASSED TO SHOW HIS BEAK AROUND HERE--

AFTER ALL, IT WAS YOU WHO MISSED THE AMAZON'S TENTH TRIAL!

WHY DO YOU SAY THAT, LITTLE FRIEND?

WH-WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? I'VE GOT IT ALL RIGHT HERE ON--DON'T LAUGH-- GUM-WRAPPERS!

BUT--I JUST CAME FROM THE CATSKILLS-- 100 MILES OUT OF TOWN! I DIDN'T SEE YOU THERE!

NO--I WAS IN MANHATTAN! SOUNDS LIKE WE'RE TALKING ABOUT TWO WONDER WOMEN!

PERHAPS ONE OF THEM WAS AN IMPOSTOR! BUT IF SO, IT WASN'T THE DIANA I SAW-- I GUARANTEE IT!

PREPARE YOURSELVES FOR MY REPORT, GENTLEMEN --YOU'RE IN FOR THE SHOCK OF YOUR LIVES!

...AND SO ARE YOU, GENTLE READER-- FOR NEXT ISSUE'S CATASTROPHIC CHRONICLE CONCERNING THE REMARKABLE RETURN OF TWO "GHOSTS" FROM WONDER WOMAN'S PAST! WE DARE YOU TO GUESS WHICH ONE IS..."THE FIEND WITH THE FACE OF GLASS!" (ON SALE THE 3RD WEEK IN SEPT.)



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