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Wonder Woman

GO BACK TO
PARADISE ISLAND,
PRINCESS DIANA!
THERE'S ONLY ROOM ENOUGH
IN MAN'S WORLD FOR
ONE WONDER WOMAN!

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GRANTED THE WISDOM OF ATHENA, THE STRENGTH OF HERCULES, THE SPEED OF MERCURY AND THE BEAUTY OF APHRODITE BY THE GODS, PRINCESS DIANA OF PARADISE ISLAND RENOUNCED HER IMMORTALITY AND ENTERED MAN'S WORLD AS THE MOST LEGENDARY AMAZON OF ALL...

Wonder Woman

WHO--?

CAN WE
HELP--?

IT-- IT
CAN'T BE...!

WHAT IN--?

WHO
ARE--?

THE NAME
IS
WONDER WOMAN!

NEW YORKERS ARE KNOWN FOR THEIR ABILITY TO SHRUG OFF THE UNUSUAL... TO IGNORE THE OUTRAGEOUS. SO WHY IS THE APPEARANCE OF THIS WELL-KNOWN SUPER-HEROINE REDUCING THE STAFF OF THE FASHIONABLE BLAINE HOTEL INTO STUNNED STUTTERERS...?

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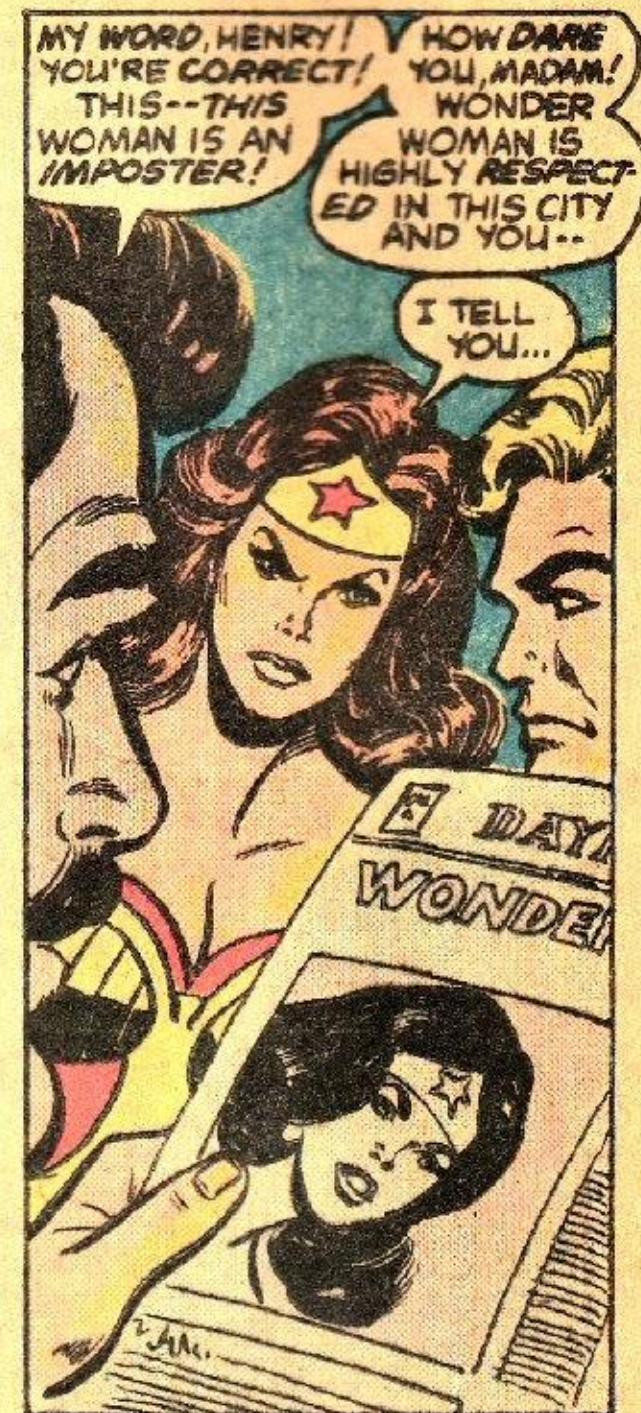
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A TWO-YEAR COURSE IN HOTEL MANAGEMENT TAUGHT ARTHUR NEWSCOME TO BE PREPARED FOR ANYTHING! SO IN LESS THAN A MOMENT, HIS COMPOSURE IS RESTORED...

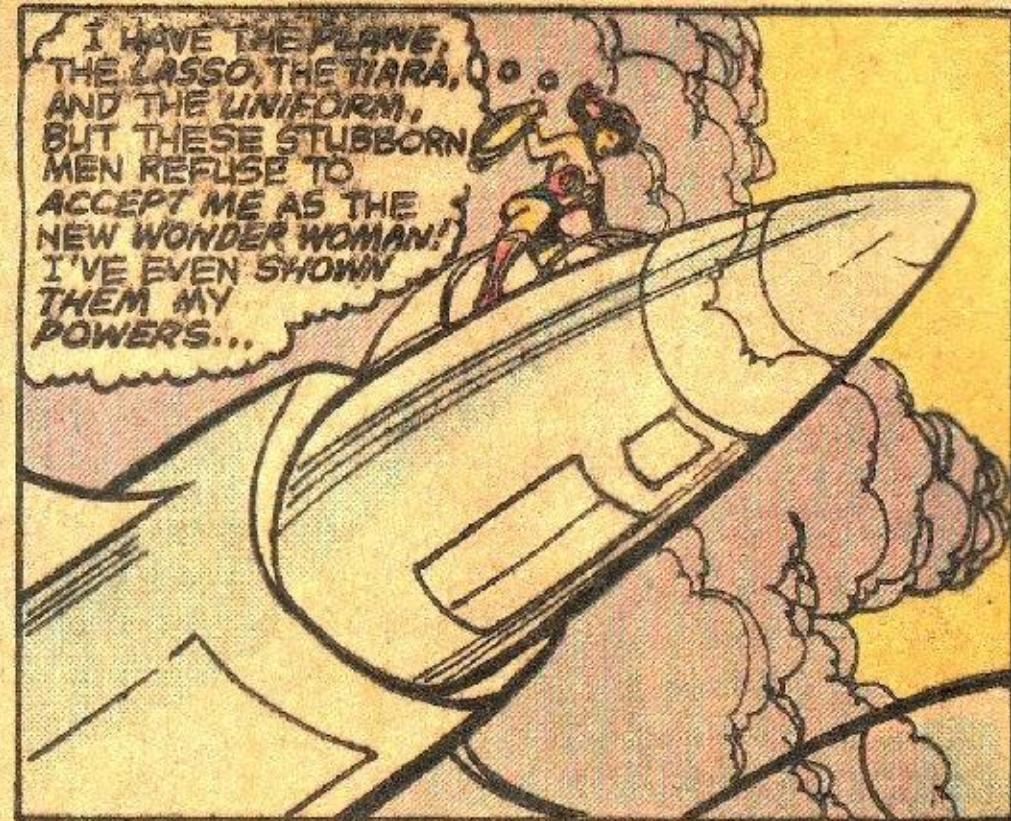
AHHH! EXCUSE MY STARING... I--WE DON'T HAVE MANY...UHH...GUESTS OF YOUR NOTORIETY...



A TOSS OF THE MAGIC GOLDEN LASSO AND A MENTAL COMMAND TO THE INVISIBLE ROBOT PLANE, AND THE NEW WONDER WOMAN TAKES TO THE COLD NEW YORK SKIES...



HOW DID PRINCESS DIANA SURVIVE ALL THOSE YEARS IN THIS MADHOUSE? I'VE BEEN HERE TWO WEEKS AND ONLY MY AMAZONIAN ENDURANCE HAS KEPT ME FROM STARVING!



"...JUST AS I DID BEFORE QUEEN HIPPOLYTE AND THE GODS THEMSELVES!"
WE DECREE THAT THE LAWS OF OLD BE UPHELD! ORANA HAS WON THE TOURNAMENT OF THE ELEMENTS! FROM THIS DAY FORWARD...

...SHE SHALL BE THE OUTSIDE WORLD'S WONDER WOMAN!



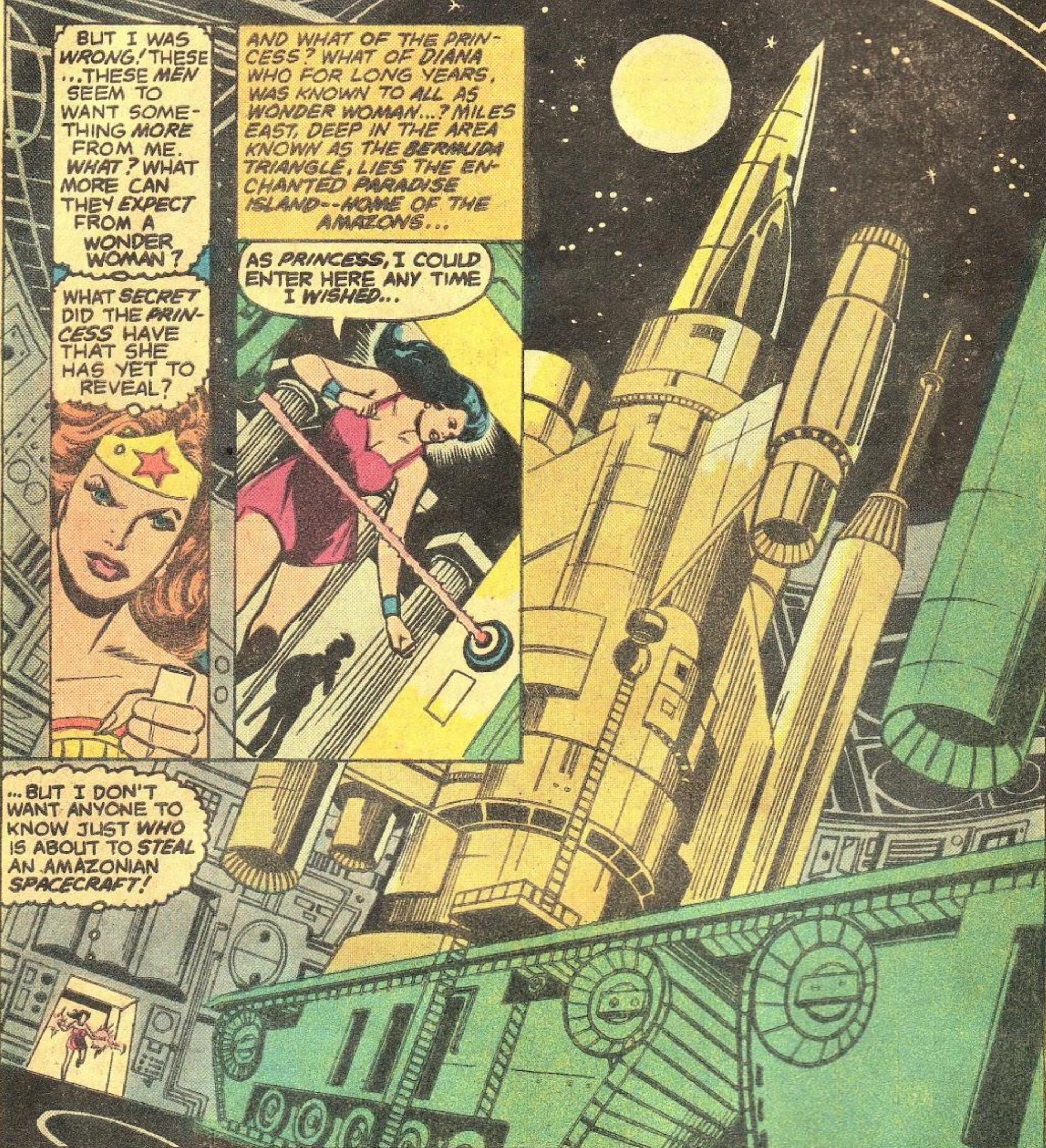
"I IMMEDIATELY HEADED FOR AMERICA -- THE LAND WHERE THE PRINCESS MADE HER HOME -- THE LAND WHERE I BELIEVED I WOULD BE HAILED AS A HEROINE JUST AS SHE WAS..."

BUT I WAS
WRONG! THESE
...THESE MEN
SEEM TO
WANT SOME-
THING MORE
FROM ME.
WHAT? WHAT
MORE CAN
THEY EXPECT
FROM A
WONDER
WOMAN?

WHAT SECRET
DID THE PRIN-
CESS HAVE
THAT SHE
HAS YET TO
REVEAL?

AND WHAT OF THE PRIN-
CESS? WHAT OF DIANA
WHO FOR LONG YEARS,
WAS KNOWN TO ALL AS
WONDER WOMAN...? MILES
EAST, DEEP IN THE AREA
KNOWN AS THE BERMUDA
TRIANGLE, LIES THE EN-
CHANTED PARADISE
ISLAND--HOME OF THE
AMAZONS...

AS PRINCESS, I COULD
ENTER HERE ANY TIME
I WISHED...



I'M DEFYING THE GODS
THEMSELVES BY LEAVING }
PARADISE ISLAND, BUT }
I MUST!
I'M NO LONGER
WONDER WOMAN
--I NO LONGER
HAVE THE RIGHT TO
THE TITLE IN THE GODS'
EYES, BUT I HAVE A LIFE
OF MY OWN TO LIVE!

AT THAT MOMENT IN THE
AMAZONIAN MONITORING STATION...

GREAT HERA! RED ALERT!
--IN THE SPACECRAFT
HANGAR! RED ALERT!

RED ALERT!
RED ALERT!

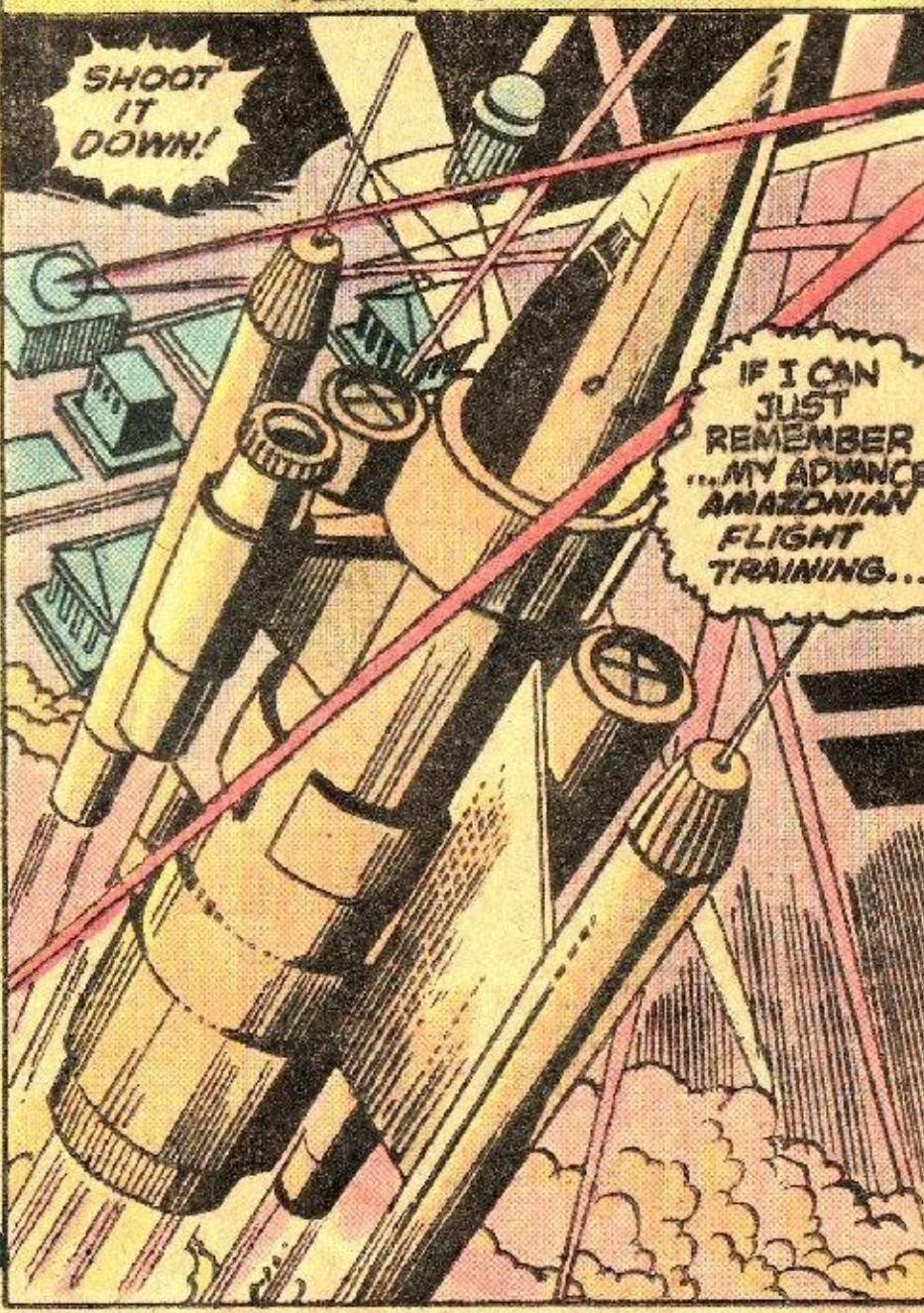
WITH A ROAR OF ROCKETS POWERED BY FORCES UNIMAGINED BY THE MINDS OF MEN, THE GLEAMING SPIRE OF AMAZONIAN TECHNOLOGY REACHES FOR THE STARS...!

BACK! GET BACK!
RUNAWAY ROCKET!
CALL THE DEFENSE STATION!

INSTANTLY, THE AIR-TO-GROUND WEAPONS OF THE AMAZONS ARE BROUGHT INTO PLAY AGAINST THE FLEEING ROCKET...

SHOOT
IT
DOWN!

IF I CAN JUST REMEMBER... MY ADVANCED AMAZONIAN FLIGHT TRAINING...



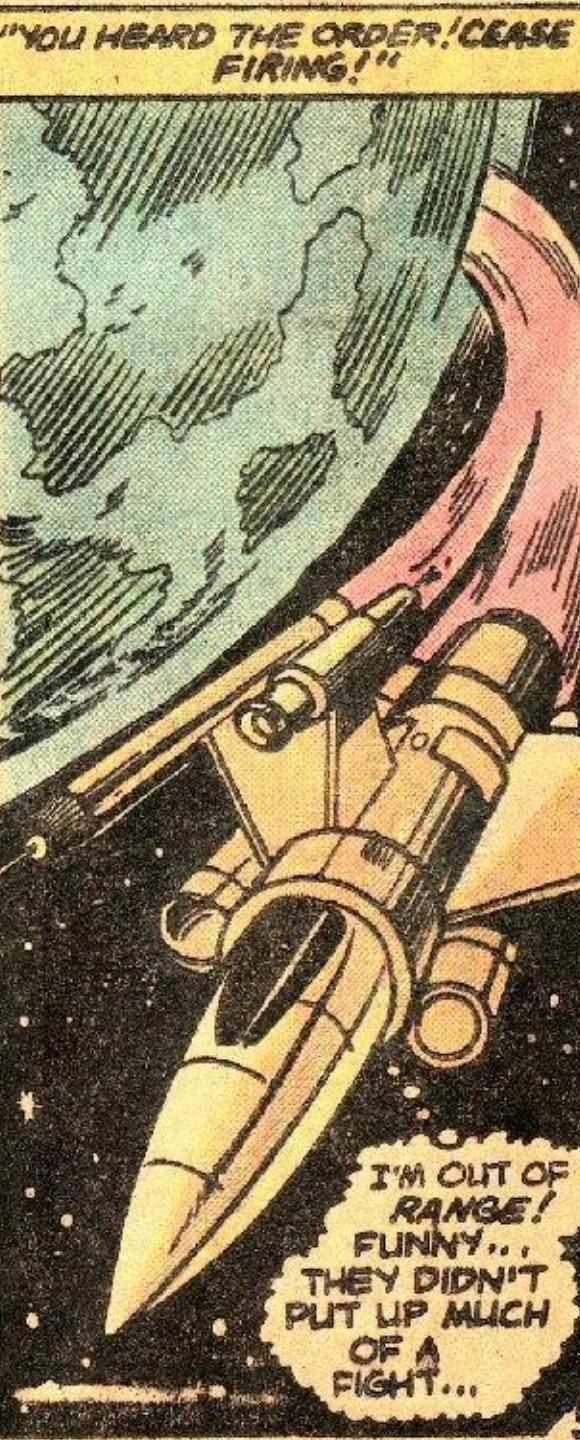
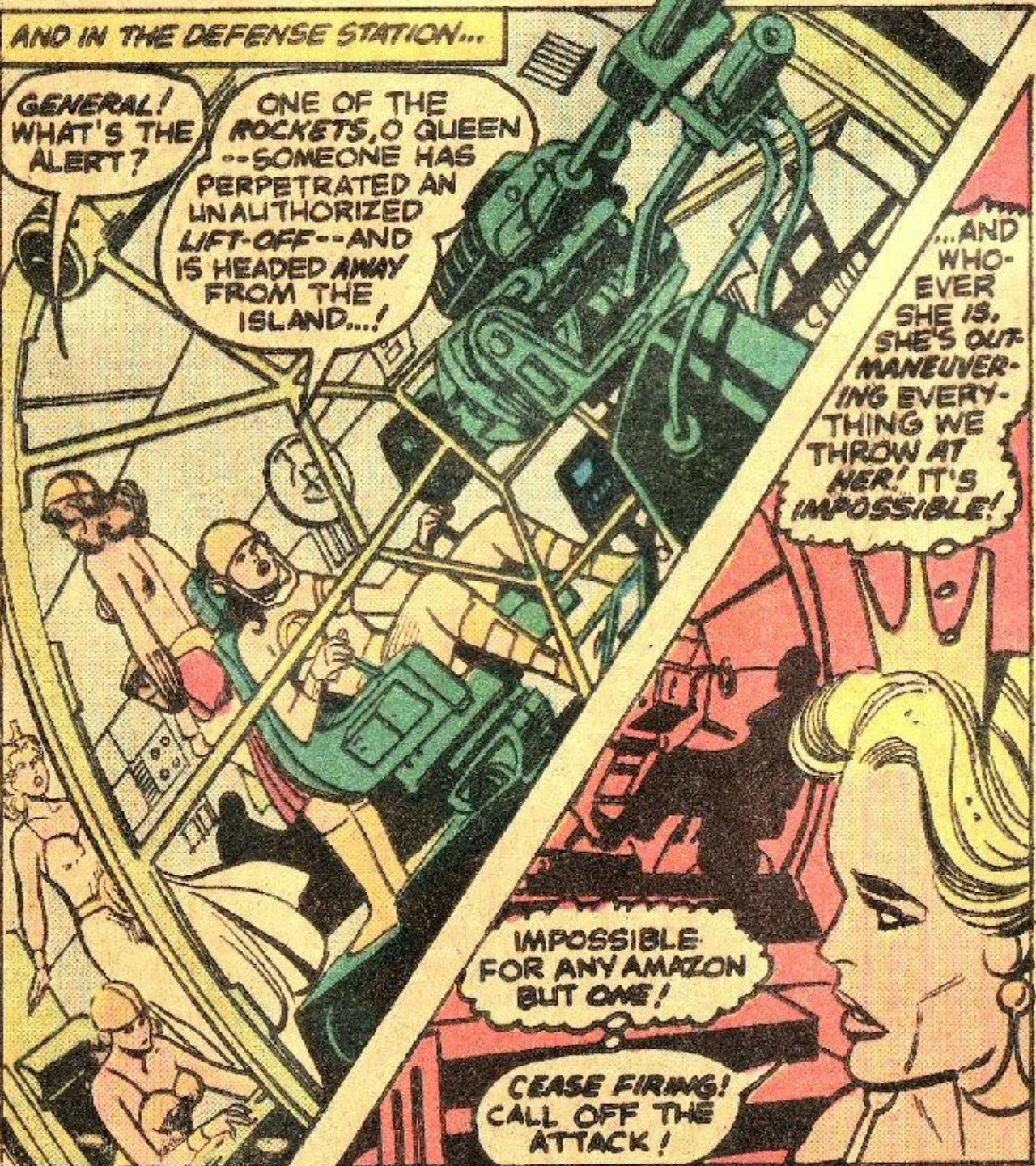
AND IN THE DEFENSE STATION...

GENERAL!
WHAT'S THE ALERT?

ONE OF THE ROCKETS, O QUEEN -- SOMEONE HAS PERPETRATED AN UNAUTHORIZED LIFT-OFF -- AND IS HEADED AWAY FROM THE ISLAND...!

...AND WHO-EVER SHE IS, SHE'S OUT MANEUVERING EVERYTHING WE THROW AT HER! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!

"YOU HEARD THE ORDER! CEASE FIRING!"



STREAMING SILENTLY THROUGH THE
VERY EDGE OF SPACE, THE ROCKET
SOON HANGS OVER THE METROPOLIS
OF NEW YORK...

IT'S A LONG
DROP, BUT I
THINK I CAN
GLIDE MY
WAY DOWN...

NO ONE SHOULD
NOTICE--THEIR
DETECTION SYSTEMS
ARE STILL NOT SOPH-
ISTICATED ENOUGH
TO DISCOVER THE
SHIP THROUGH ITS
RADAR SCRAMBLER!

FOR LONG MINUTES SHE
GLIDES LITHELY THROUGH
THE COOL MORNING AIR,
UNTIL... [

I'VE ONLY BEEN
AWAY A WEEK OR SO,
BUT IT SEEMS SO
MUCH LONGER SINCE
I DIDN'T EXPECT
EVER TO RETURN!



I'M GOING TO HAVE
TO ALLOW MYSELF
MORE TIME TO
DRESS...

WITHOUT MY MAGIC
LASSO AND ITS POWER
TO ATTUNE THE ATOMS
OF MY CLOTHES...

I HAVE TO
CHANGE JUST
AS EVERYONE
ELSE!

AT LEAST THE
RESULTS ARE
THE SAME, I DO
LOOK PRETTY
GOOD IF I DO
SAY--HUH?



WHAT'S ALL THE
COMMOTION OUT IN
THE HALL?



WHO--?

HEY! SHE IS
HOME! I THOUGHT
YOU SAID SHE HASN'T
BEEN AROUND FOR
A WEEK!

I--I DON'T
UNDERSTAND!

MS. PRINCE!
WHY DIDN'T
YOU ANSWER
THE DOOR?



MS. PRINCE? I'M CONRAD STARFIELD--FROM THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION. WE RECEIVED YOUR LETTER AND HAVE PROCESSED YOU FOR ACCEPTANCE AS OUR NEWEST ASTRONAUT.

GOOD LORD! HE'S FROM NASA!

WHY ELSE D'YOU THINK I'VE BEEN STAKIN' THIS PLACE OUT?

YOUR NEIGHBOR IS A FRONT-PAGE STORY!

I'VE BEEN TRYING TO REACH YOU FOR THE PAST FEW DAYS WITHOUT ANY LUCK, MS. PRINCE.

IT'S QUITE ALL RIGHT, MR. STARFIELD. I HAD SOME PERSONAL BUSINESS THINGS TO GET OUT OF THE WAY.

I'M READY, WILLING, AND QUITE ANXIOUS TO BEGIN MY NASA TRAINING.

I HOPE YOU DON'T MIND BUT I WAS HOPING I'D FINALLY CONTACT YOU TODAY AND I'VE SET UP A NEWS CONFERENCE--WITH MR. CARSON'S AID...

I'D BE DELIGHTED...

OUTASITE, HUH, MRS. KRAVITZ? A REAL ASTRONAUT IN OUR BUILDING!

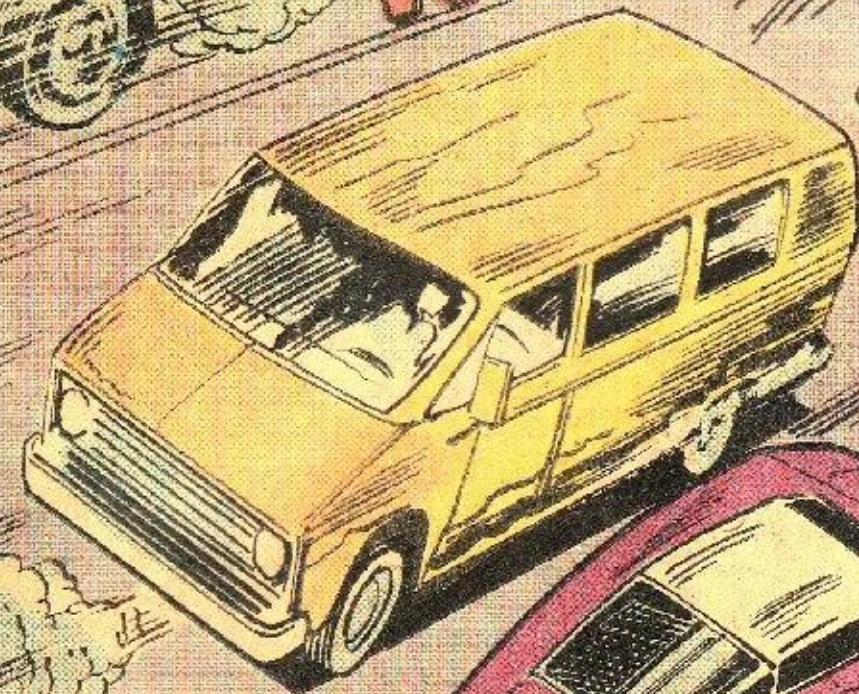
INDEED! MAYBE I'LL WRITE A BOOK ABOUT HER!

FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MANY DAYS, DIANA PRINCE'S THOUGHTS ARE NOT OF WONDER WOMAN...

BUT WHAT OF THE NEW WONDER WOMAN? A FEW HOURS LATER ON THE ROOSEVELT PARKWAY...

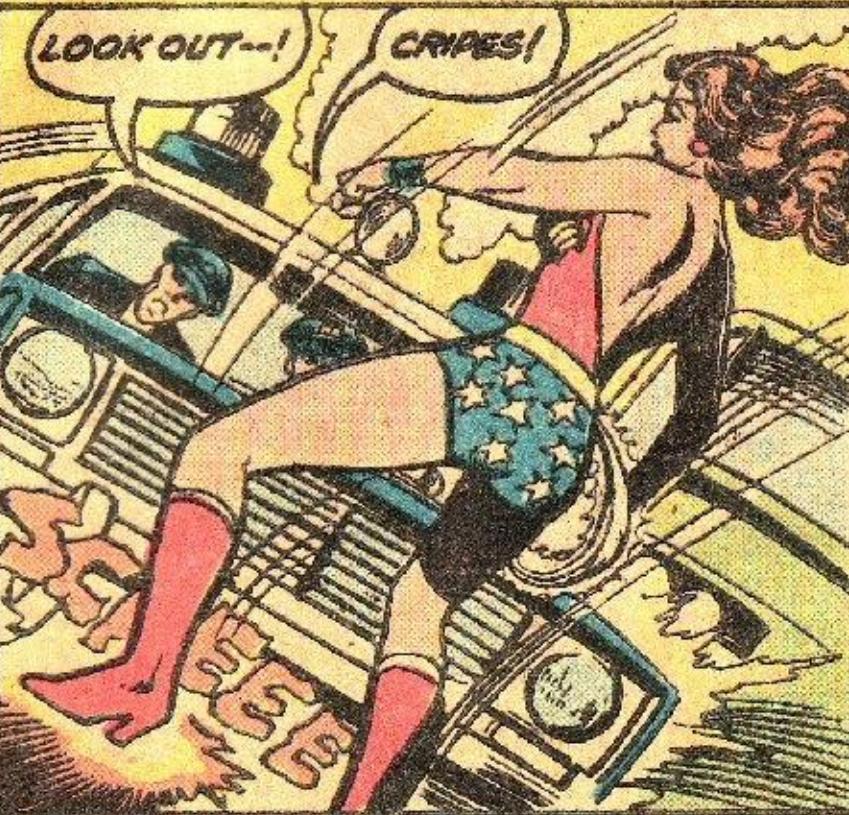
STEP ON IT, HANK! WE CAN'T LET THEM GET OUT OF SIGHT!

WEEEOOO WEEEOOO



ROAR

THE SCREAM OF THE SIREN IS DROWNED OUT BY THE SQUEAL OF TIRES ON ASPHALT AS...



WHAT IN THE NAME OF THE RED, WHITE AND BLUE BLAZES ARE YOU TRYING TO DO? GET YOURSELF KILLED?

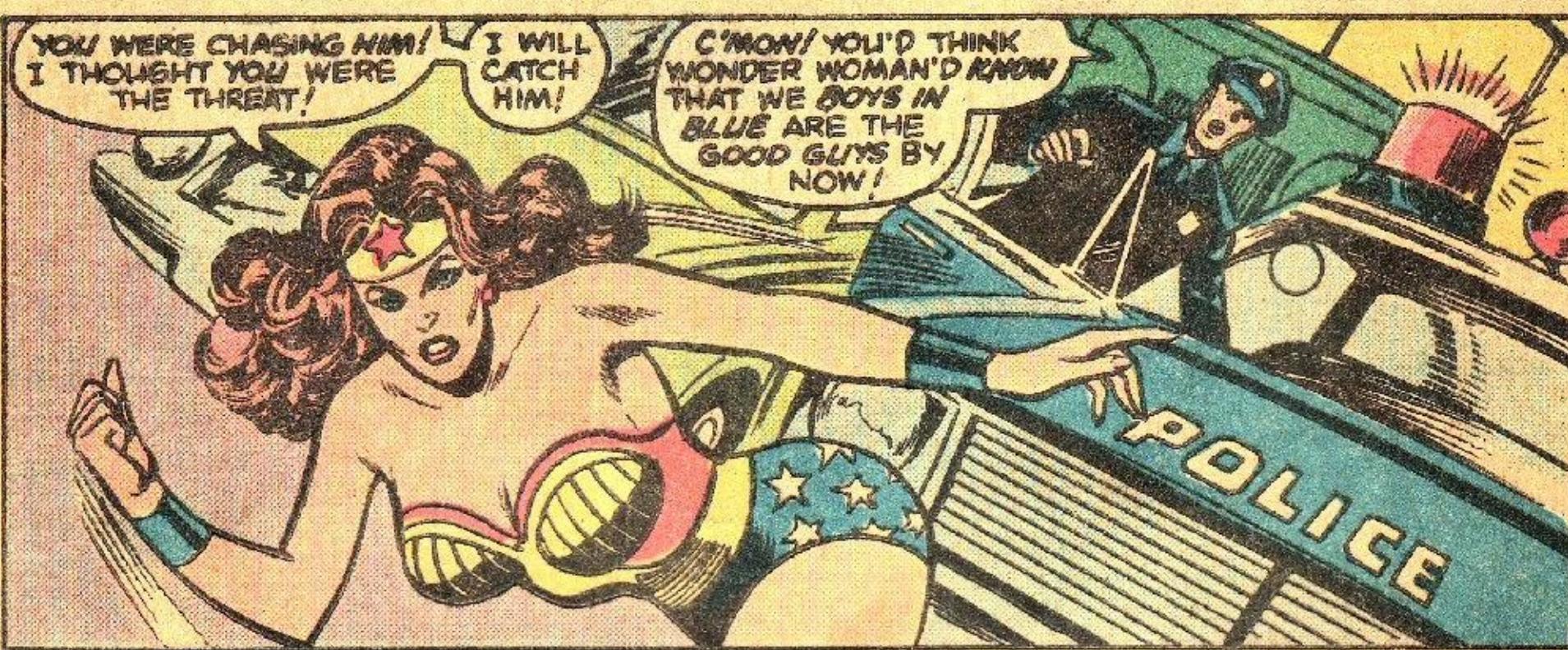
I KNOW YOU! YOU'RE THAT WONDER WOMAN! WHY'D YOU STOP US? THAT WAS THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL WARHEAD IN THAT CAR!



YOU WERE CHASING HIM! I THOUGHT YOU WERE THE THREAT!

I WILL CATCH HIM!

C'MON! YOU'D THINK WONDER WOMAN'D KNOW THAT WE BOYS IN BLUE ARE THE GOOD GUYS BY NOW!



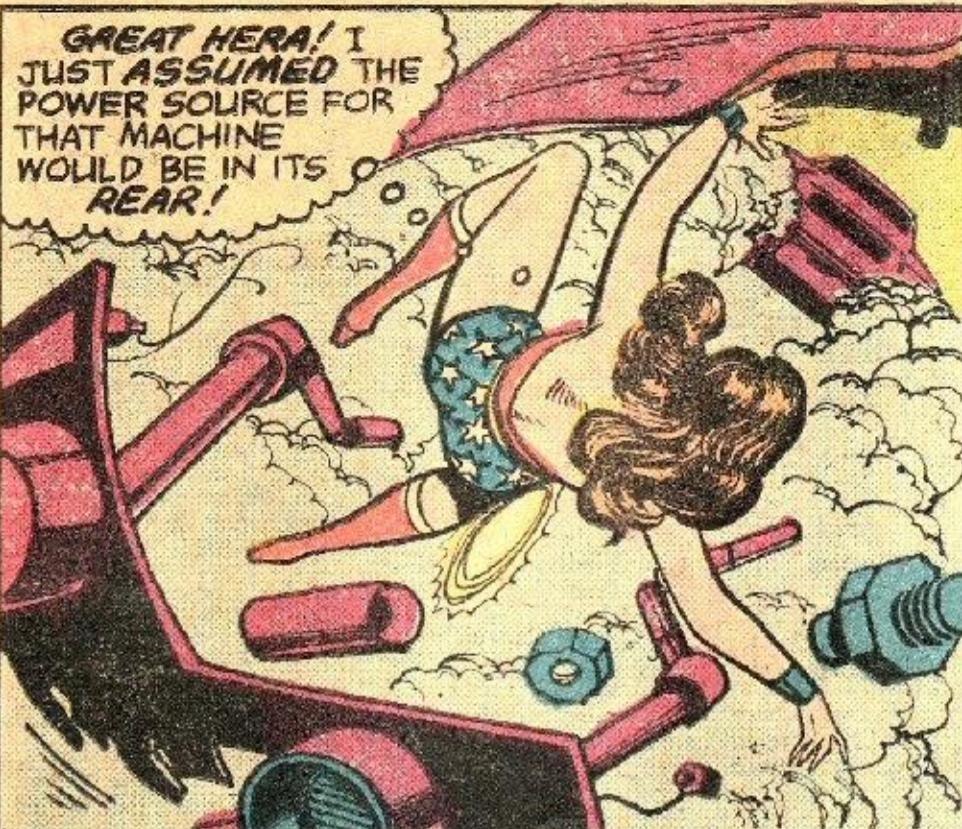
YEARS OF EXTENSIVE AMAZONIAN TRAINING HAVE TONED THE MUSCLES OF DIANA'S LEGS, SO...

HOW DID PRINCESS DIANA KEEP ALL OF THIS INFORMATION STRAIGHT? HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO REMEMBER WHICH OF THE MEN WEAR WHAT KINDS OF UNIFORMS?

AHH, I'M CATCHING UP TO THAT VEHICLE!



GREAT HERA! I JUST ASSUMED THE POWER SOURCE FOR THAT MACHINE WOULD BE IN ITS REAR!



AND BY THE TIME THE NEW WONDER WOMAN UNTANGLES HERSELF FROM THE TWISTED RUBBLE...

THEY'RE GONE! WHAT KIND OF SUPER-HERO ARE YOU, ANYWAY?



YER RIGHT! SHE'S THE ROOKIE! WHAT'S HAPPENED TO THE OLD WONDER WOMAN?



THE OLD--! GREAT HERA--SHE'S DEFYING ALL THE GODS!

AND SHE WON'T BE ALLOWED TO CONTINUE!

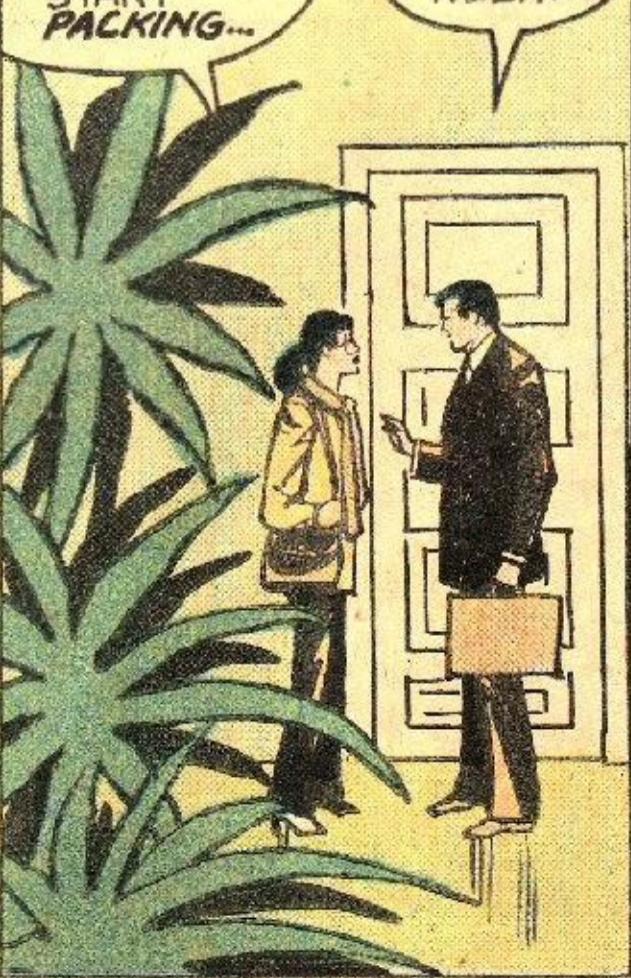
HEY, WAIT! WHAT ABOUT WARHEAD?



HOURS LATER, THE WOMAN WHO WAS ONCE WONDER WOMAN RETURNS TO HER HOME... FOR THE LAST TIME.

WELL, MR. STARFIELD, THIS HAS BEEN A MOST PRODUCTIVE DAY! IT'S STILL VERY EARLY SO I THINK I'LL START PACKING...

VERY GOOD, MS. PRINCE. WE'LL EXPECT YOU IN HOUSTON BY THE END OF THE WEEK...



AND INSIDE...

?WHEW! MY HEAD'S STILL SPINNING! I HAVEN'T HAD TIME TO --



THAT SOUNDED LIKE
SOMEONE OUT ON
THE SKYLIGHT--?

SO, TRAITOR
TO THE AMAZONS!
WHAT HAVE YOU
TO SAY FOR
YOURSELF!

ORANA!

HOW DARE YOU DEFY THE
WILL OF THE GODS! ONLY
ONE AMAZON HAS THE
RIGHT TO LEAVE PARADISE
ISLAND! AND THAT
AMAZON IS ORANA,
THE NEW WONDER
WOMAN!

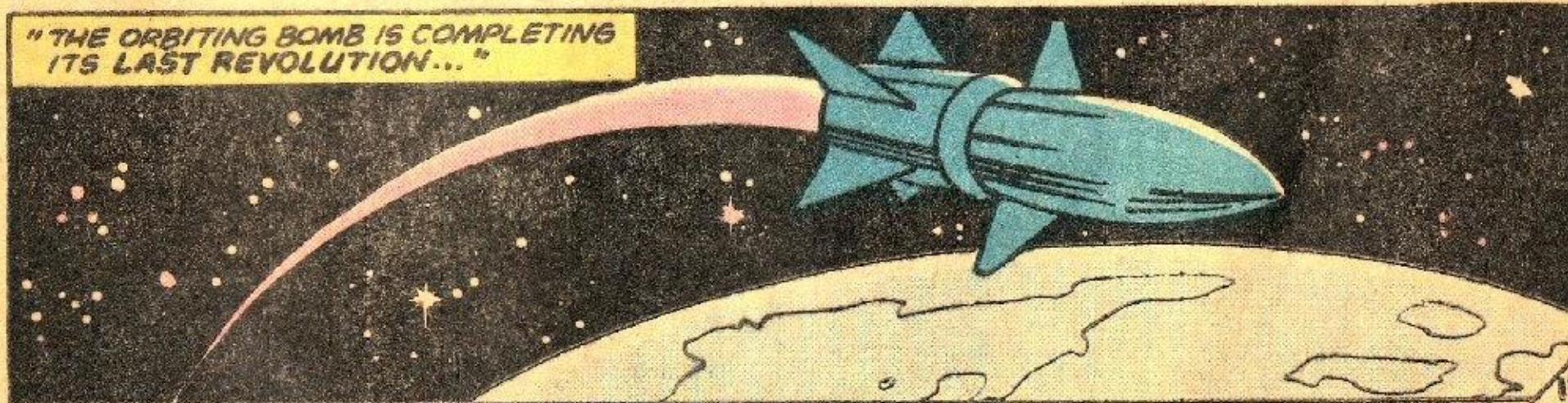
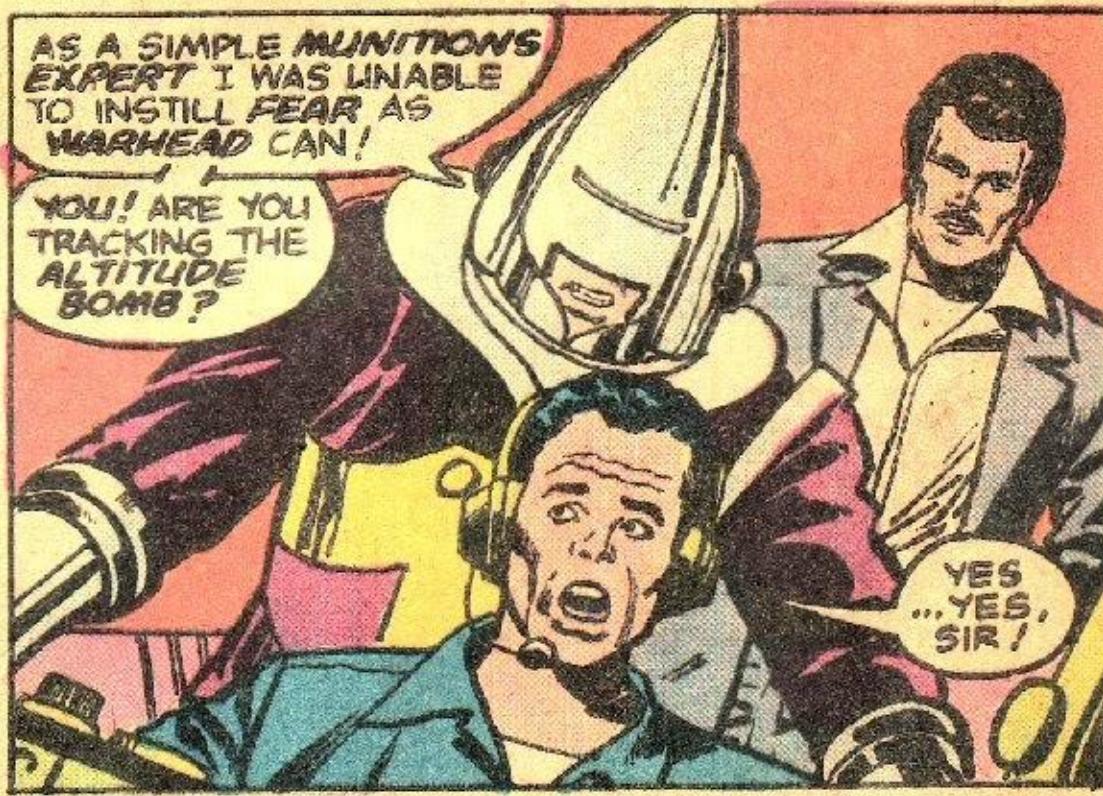
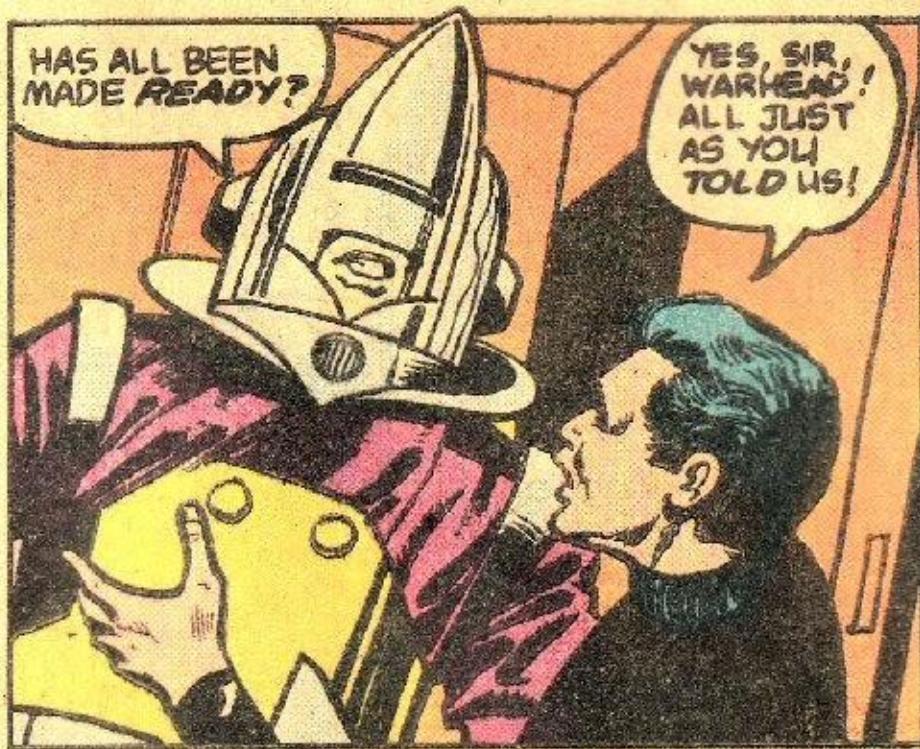
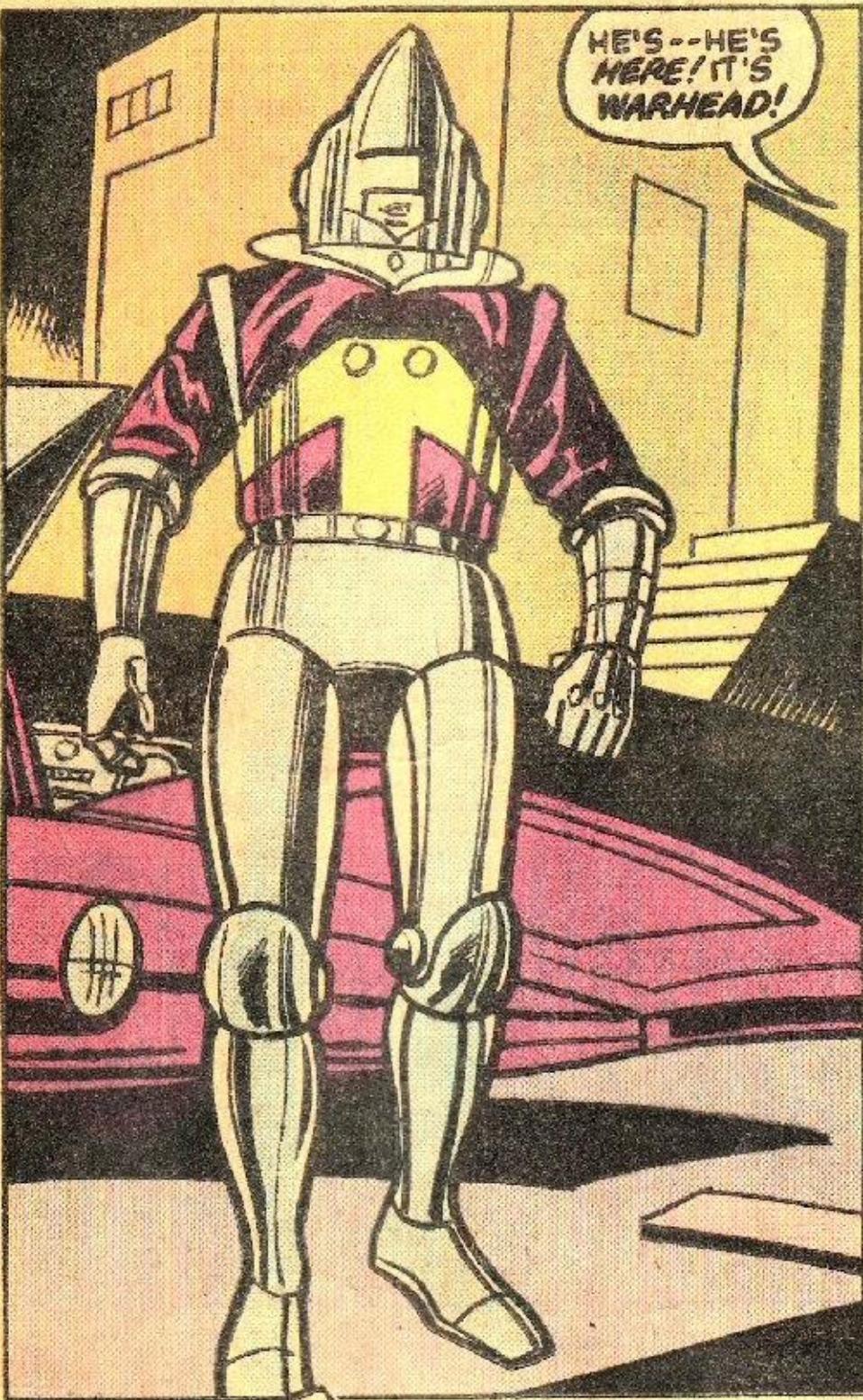
KEEP YOUR HANDS OFF OF ME!
YOU'VE WON THE RIGHT TO BE
WONDER WOMAN BUT THE LIFE
OF DIANA PRINCE IS STILL MINE!

I'LL STAY OUT OF
YOUR WAY! YOU GRAB
THE GLORY YOU SEEM
TO SO DESPERATELY
CRAVE-- MAKE THE
MISTAKES THE PAPERS
HAVE ALREADY BEGIN
TO POINT OUT! DON'T
COME TO ME FOR HELP!
I'M JUST DIANA
PRINCE, ASTRONAUT!

-- WARHEAD!

WARHEAD?!
HERE?

AND JUST WHO IS THIS MYSTERIOUS FIGURE REFERRED TO AS
"WARHEAD"? FOR THE ANSWER WE MUST TRAVEL TO A
SECLUDED SPOT DEEP IN THE BIG APPLE....



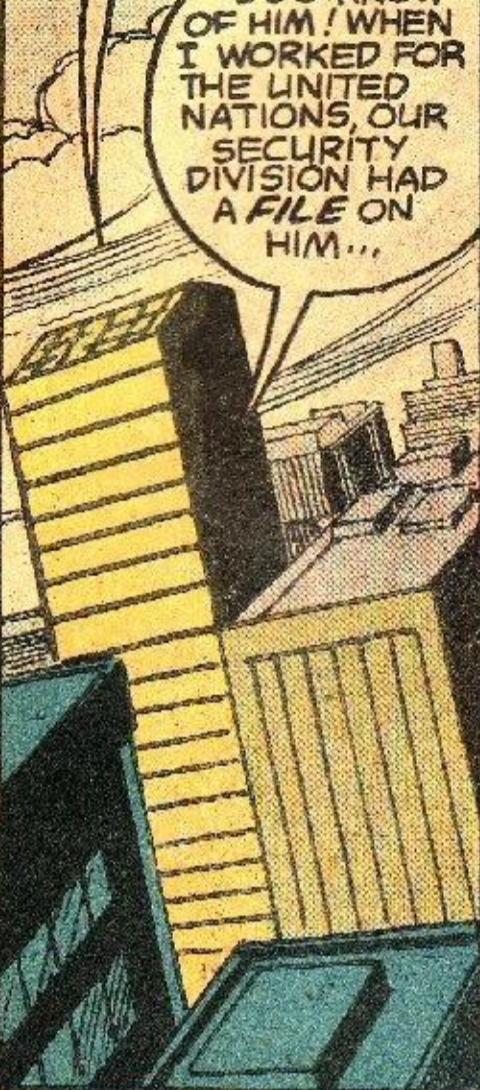
AND THOUSANDS OF FEET BELOW...

YOU--YOU SPEAK AS IF YOU'VE HEARD OF THIS "WARHEAD"! CAN YOU KNOW EVERYTHING--!?

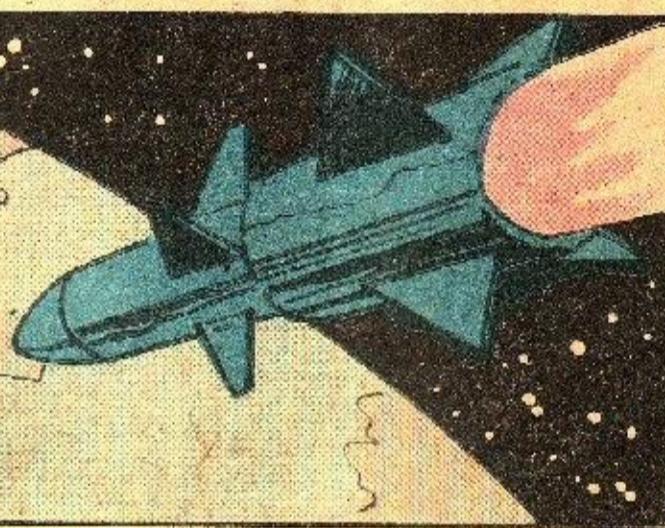
I DO KNOW OF HIM! WHEN I WORKED FOR THE UNITED NATIONS, OUR SECURITY DIVISION HAD A FILE ON HIM...

HE'S A MUNITIONS EXPERT WHO SELLS HIS DEADLY DISCOVERIES AND INVENTIONS TO WHATEVER NATION BIDS THE HIGHEST--BUT BEFORE HE MAKES A SALE, HE RUNS A TEST...!

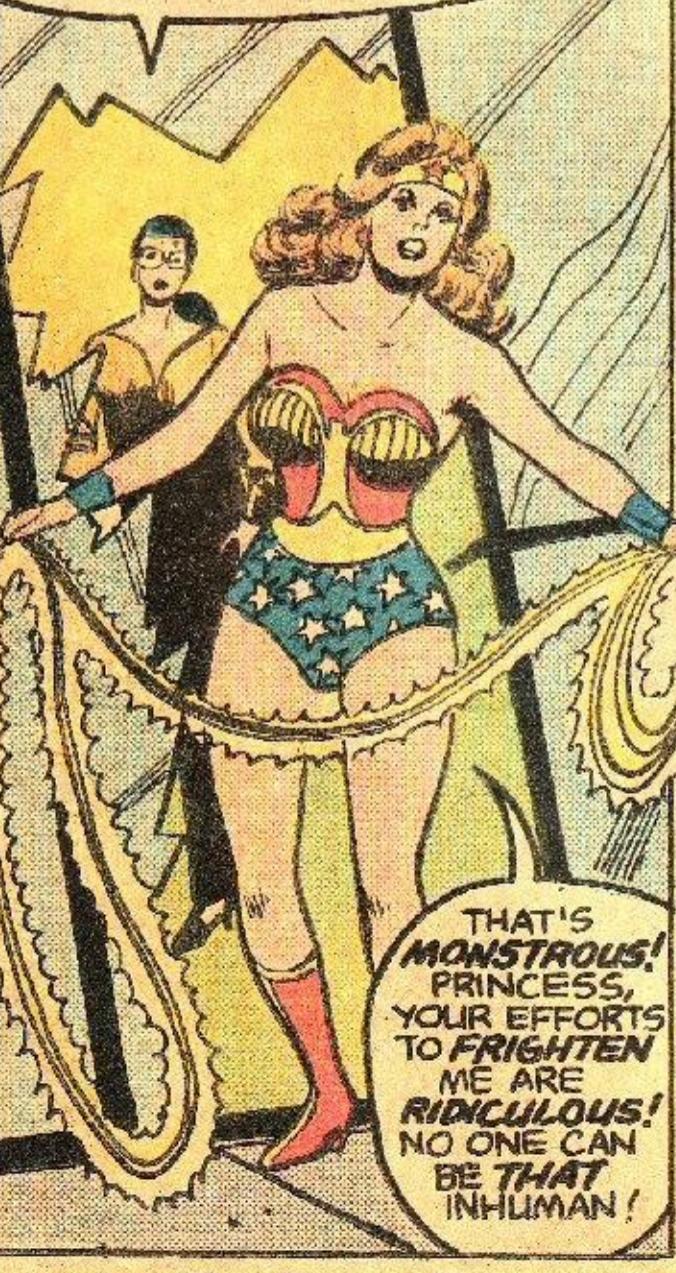
A TEST?



YES, A TEST! HE MURDERS PEOPLE BY THE HUNDREDS WITH HIS NEWEST DEVICE SO HIS BUYERS WILL BE IMPRESSED! THE LAST REPORT I READ IS THAT HE'D DEVELOPED THE PERFECT CLEAN NEUTRON SHORT-RANGE BOMB...



...THAT CAN EFFECTIVELY KILL HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE WHILE ALL BUILDINGS--EVEN THOSE AT GROUND ZERO--WILL REMAIN INTACT.



THAT'S MONSTROUS! PRINCESS, YOUR EFFORTS TO FRIGHTEN ME ARE RIDICULOUS! NO ONE CAN BE THAT INHUMAN!

IT'S TRUE, ORANA-MAN IS OFTEN MONSTROUS AND INHUMAN TOWARDS HIS OWN KIND. WARHEAD USUALLY ATTACKS THE LARGEST GROUP OF PEOPLE HE CAN FIND! LOCATE THE LARGEST CROWD IN NEW YORK--AND THAT'S WHERE HE'LL STRIKE!



SHE'LL PAY FOR BREAKING THE GODS' LAW--AND SHE'LL PAY FOR TRYING TO MAKE A FOOL OF ME!



GREAT HERA! IF ORANA DOESN'T BELIEVE ME, THEN THERE'LL BE NO ONE TO STOP WARHEAD--I CAN'T EVEN CONTACT THE JUSTICE LEAGUE! MY SIGNAL DEVICE IS IN THE TIARA!



BUT WHAT SHOULD I DO? AFTER ALL, I'M ONLY DIANA PRINCE... PRIVATE CITIZEN...



HALF A WORLD AWAY, THERE IS ANOTHER WHOSE THOUGHTS RUN PARALLEL TO DIANA'S...

BACK ON PARADISE ISLAND...

THERE'S NO DOUBT... IT WAS DIANA WHO STOLE THE SPACECRAFT!

ALL OF THE AMAZONS ARE ACCOUNTED FOR, O QUEEN--SAVE FOR ORANA-- AND THE PRINCESS...

SHOULD WE ALERT WONDER WOMAN--HAVE HER RETURN THE FUGITIVE?

YOU'RE SPEAKING OF THE PRINCESS! SHE IS NEVER TO BE CONSIDERED A FUGITIVE!

YOU WILL TAKE NO ACTION!

FORGIVE MY HARSHNESS, SERGEANT! THAT WAS NO WAY FOR ONE SISTER AMAZON TO SPEAK TO ANOTHER!

WE SHALL SPEAK NO FURTHER OF IT, MY QUEEN! WHAT IS YOUR NEXT COMMAND?



WE SHALL CONCENTRATE
ON THE DEFENSE OF THE
ISLAND... I FEAR WE MAY
BE IN DANGER OF A
DEVASTATING
ATTACK!

ATTACK,
O QUEEN?
FROM
WHOM?

FROM THE GODS
THEMSELVES!

BUT THE IMPENDING PLIGHT OF THE
AMAZONS WILL HAVE TO WAIT AS OUR
ATTENTION IS RETURNED TO NEW
YORK CITY...

THIS IS THE
TWELFTH--THE
GREATEST
CONCENTRATION
OF PEOPLE IN
NEW YORK
TODAY IS...

1978 OCTOBER 19
SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI
1 2 3 4 5 6
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"...FIFTH AVENUE'S COLUMBUS DAY PARADE!"

THAT'S WHERE WARHEAD
WILL STRIKE--IF HE PLANS
TO HIT TODAY! IF ONLY
ORANA HAD BELIEVED
ME--WAIT!

SHE'S THERE!

SHE DID BELIEVE ME! NOW
IF SHE CAN ONLY SPOT
ANY THREAT BEFORE
WARHEAD STRIKES!

BUT UNEXPECTEDLY...

I HAVE TO FACE
IT--THE PRINCESS
HAS HAD MORE EXPER-
IENCE IN MAN'S WORLD
THAN I! EVEN THOUGH
SHE IS BREAKING THE
ANCIENT LAWS, I HAVE
TO HONOR HER JUDG-
MENT AND--HUH?

HERA HELP ME
--IT'S WARHEAD
HIMSELF!

IT'S THAT MEDDLING
WONDER WOMAN!
SHE'LL RUIN EVERY-
THING! SHOOT HER
OUT OF THE SKY!

KEEP HER BUSY! AS SOON
AS THE BOMB REACHES A LOW
ENOUGH ALTITUDE, IT WILL
DETONATE--AND THIS COLUM-
BUS DAY WILL BE CELEBRATED
IN A BRAND-NEW WAY--AS A
MEMORIAL TO TEN THOUSAND
SOULS!

SHE'S TOO
BUSY DEFENDING
HERSELF--SHE
DOESN'T SEE
THAT BOMB!

I'VE
GOT TO
ACT!

I CAN'T LET
THAT BOMB
FALL...

...EVEN
THOUGH SHE'LL
HATE ME EVEN
MORE--

--I HAVE TO
HELP HER!

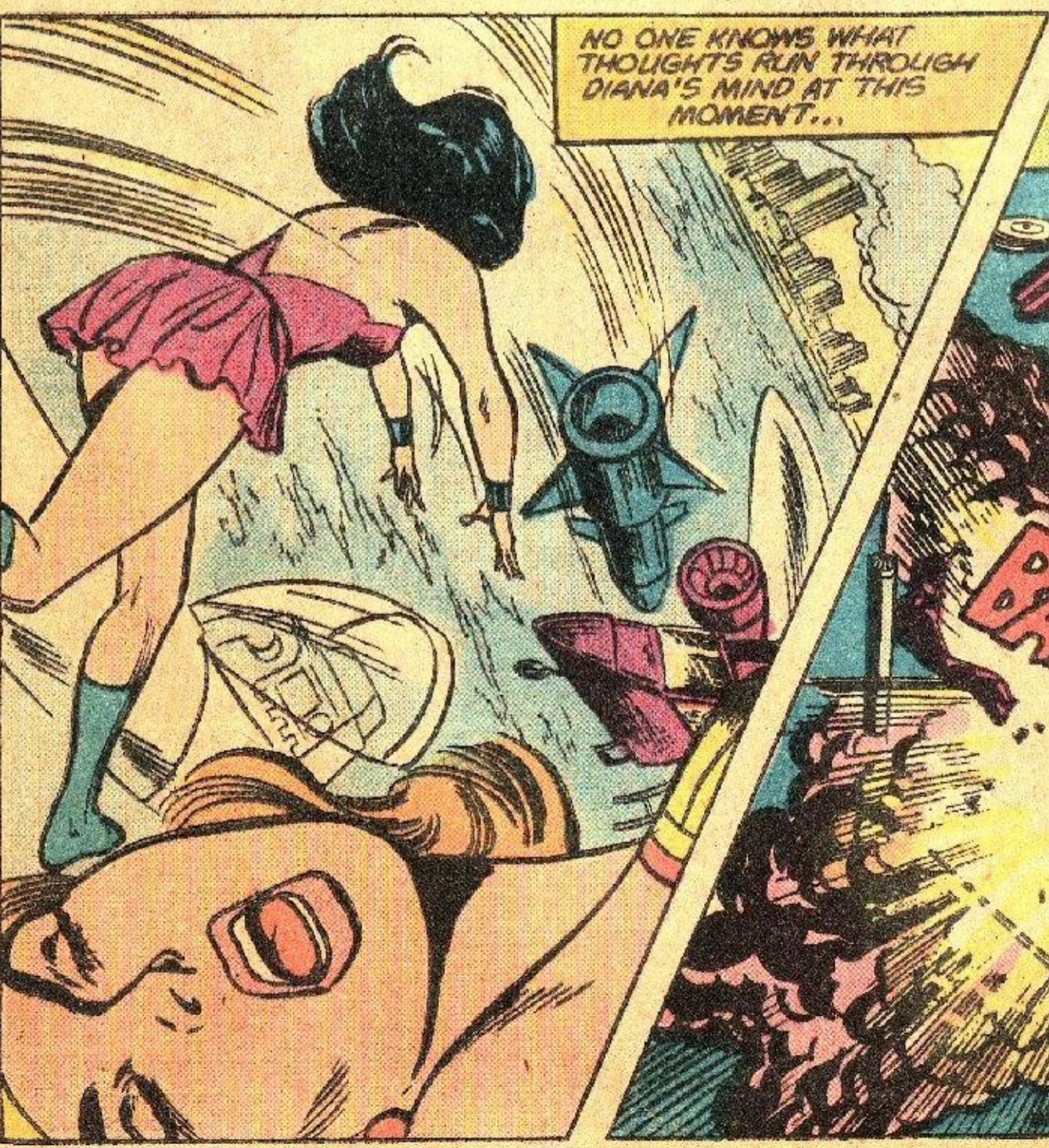
I'M STILL
WONDER
WOMAN!

AFTER SIX INCREDIBLE LEAPS FROM ATOP THE NEW YORK SKYSCRAPERS...

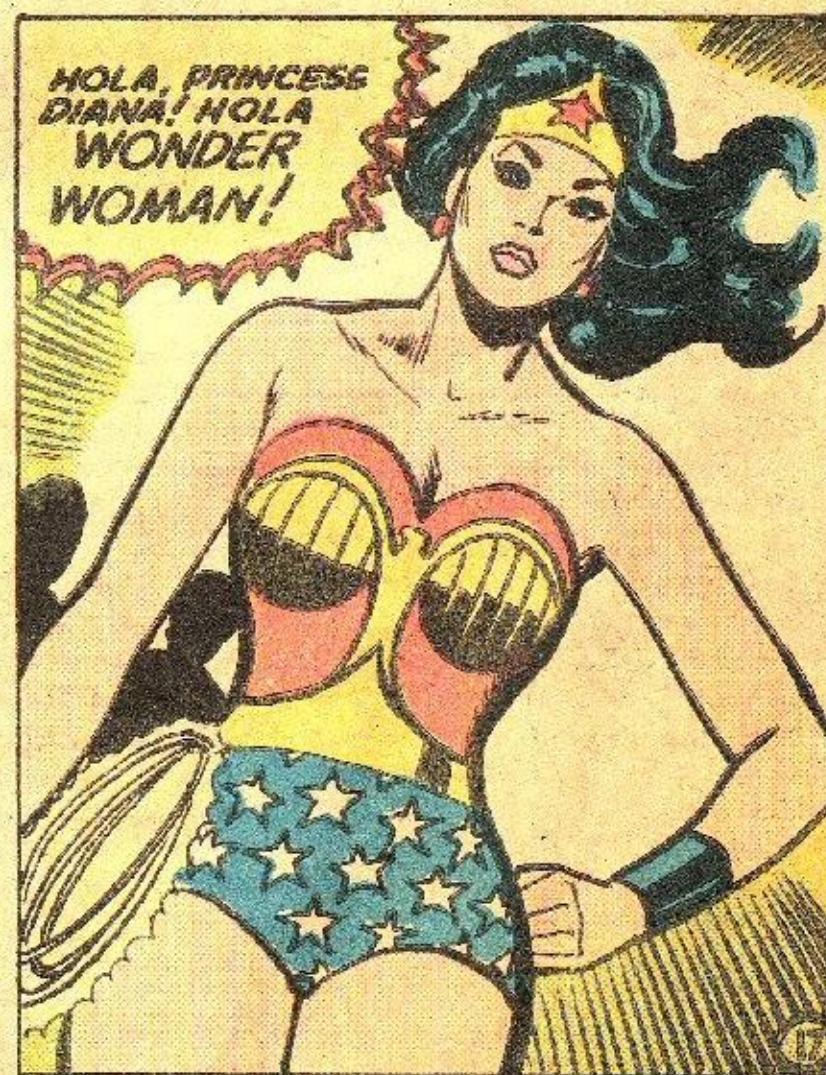
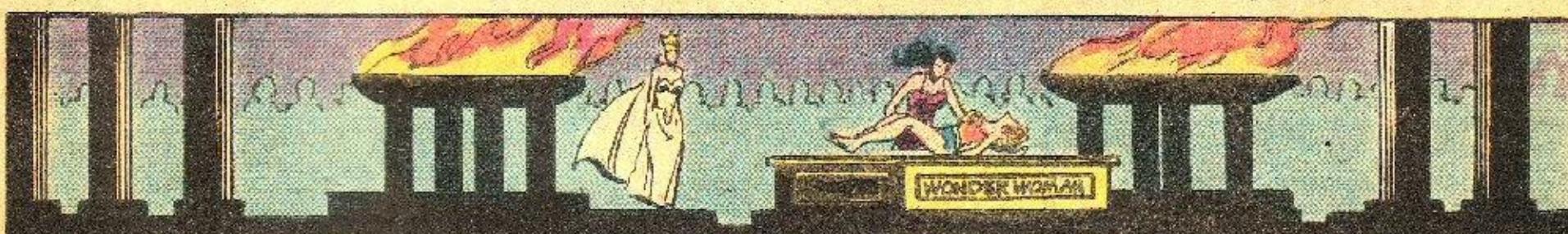
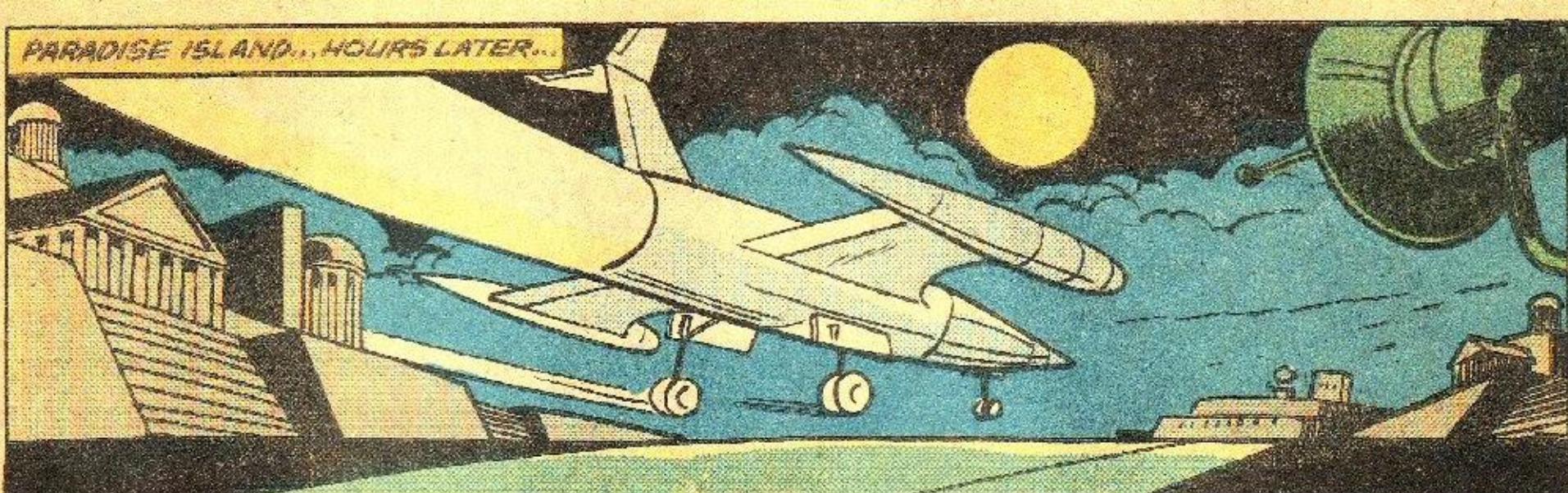


**NO ONE KNOWS WHAT
THOUGHTS RUN THROUGH
DIANA'S MIND AT THIS
MOMENT...**

BUT RAGE, ANGER AND TOTAL FRUSTRATION ARE CLEARLY THE EMOTIONS EXPRESSED AS THE AMAZON PRINCESS ACTS--!



PARADISE ISLAND...HOURS LATER...



NEXT: NASA'S NEWEST
ASTRONAUT AND--
**"THE EMPRESS OF THE
SILVER SNAKE!"**

ON SALE DURING THE LAST WEEK IN NOVEMBER



Wonder Words

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Dear Editor,

WONDER WOMAN #248 was quite interesting. You introduced some characters that live in the same condominium as Diana Prince that have quite a bit of potential. The art student, Abner, could give Diana some frantic moments, being as observant as he seems to be, noticing right off that Wonder Woman was missing her tiara.

By the way, it was really something else seeing WW take her uniform out of a dryer. I'm just surprised it isn't self-cleaning!

The use of Wonder Woman's tiara was within I kept thinking that it was WW herself who was magical and it was a surprise to learn her tiara is as well. But when you think about it, it makes sense.

Your new adventures on Earth-1 are working out quite well. You have started both Steve Howard and Diana wondering about each other and their respective identities. Add the military looking for Steve Trevor's body and you have some jim-dandy sub-plots going!

There is one question I have about the story, however. Was the woman(?) who stole the tiara a demon or what? You did not explain what or who she was. There wasn't even a name. I'm still a bit confused.

The cover was good, but I do feel I must mention the photo of Steve. I know it wasn't in color, but nevertheless it looked as if Steve had blonde, or at least light, hair. Is this significant of anything? Or was it just an old photo of Steve?

Also, is Wonder Girl even going to make an appearance? I would like to have her team up with WW for at least one issue!

Penny Jacobson
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The demon who stole the tiara was within the body of MRS. KRAVITZ during the earlier parts of the story, manifesting itself and showing up "in the flesh" later on. There was not ONE demon per se, but a "legion" who were all shown in the unmasking scene on page 15. The significance of the light-haired photo of Steve on the cover is one of two things: Diana kept an older picture of Steve (since we know she preferred his blonde hair) or that cover artist Joe Staton hasn't done his research! Take your pick!—JCH

Dear Editor,

WONDER WOMAN #146 was stupendous! The creative team that puts WONDER WOMAN together constantly amazes me with the great stories they produce, and "Darkness, Darkness, Everywhere" was an above-average story!

Jack C. Harris is handling our amazing Amazon beautifully! I'm glad he's putting more "human" qualities into Diana, such as washing her costume. I always took it for granted that her uniform was always clean. I never imagined she washed it!

Though the story was good, I think Jack should have found some other way for Diana to "accidentally" leave her tiara behind. I couldn't help being a little skeptical when I read that she took the trouble to bring her bracelets, magic lasso and

costume, but left her tiara behind. She said that if someone saw her she could make him (or her) forget with the magic lasso. So why would it make any difference if someone saw her with the tiara? I don't understand.

I was really sad to learn that Vince Colletta won't be inking WONDER WOMAN all the time. I hope he can at least ink 11 issues out of the year. As far as I'm concerned, Jose Delbo and Vince Colletta are the ULTIMATE WONDER WOMAN team!

Chris Abell

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As it looks now, Chris, your "Ultimate Team" of Delbo and Colletta are here to stay, so worry not! As for your misunderstanding, let's clear that up right now: DIANA did not "forget" her tiara. She brought her costume down to wash it and her lasso down so she could compell anyone to forget what they saw if they happened to discover her putting her costume through the laundry. As for her bracelets, she MUST wear them, at all times under Aphrodite's Law. They are a reminder to all Amazons that they were once in chains, under the complete domination of men—and that such a thing must never be allowed to happen again!—JCH

Dear Editor,

WONDER WOMAN #248 was a sight for sore eyes. It was the best issue since WW's "trials" ended, and that was a long time ago. Every single issue of her World War II adventures was below par. The first few issues of the "new" Wonder Woman were pretty bad. Then, this issue! It was really super-fantastic!

To begin with, Joe Staton's cover was really very nice and captured some great moods on Wonder Woman, Steve and the demon. It was laid out very well, with the eye catching everything important to the cover.

The story art was the best Jose Delbo has done on Wonder Woman. It was very free-flowing, smooth and not stiff. Vince Colletta looked good this issue! I would like to add here that Mario Sen did a superb job in the choice of colors.

The story itself was very good for two major reasons: There were no power-mad Nazis running around and second, and most important, the story didn't strain from references to the transition period. The supernatural was a pretty new theme for a Wonder Woman adventure, so it made the story unique.

One major change has to be made before I can enjoy Wonder Woman entirely. It involves Steve Trevor. He had more personality when he was dead than he does now. He always ends up running after Wonder Woman, telling her how great she is, and then just follows her around for the rest of the story. Please help him.

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Well, it looks as if we've returned Steve's "personality" in your eyes, doesn't it?—JCH

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 - b) copyboy
 - c) editor of the gardening section
 - d) Perry White's assistant

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