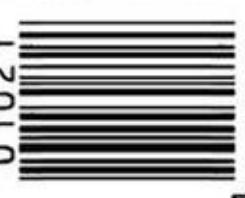


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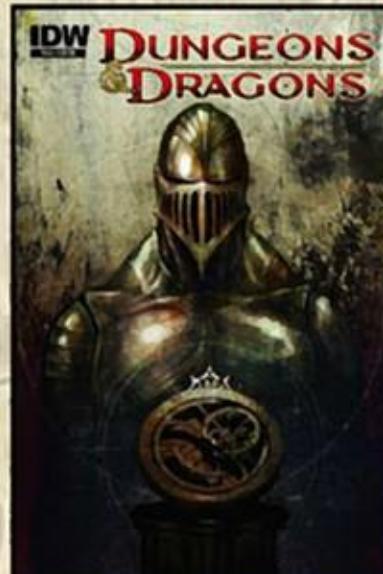
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PROBLEM IS, THE HAUNTED ELADRIN CITY'S ALREADY BEEN PILLAGED... BY THE CRAZY ONE-EYED GIANT EVERY LIVING THING IN THE FEYWILD FEARS.

GOOD NEWS
IS... IS...

...WHY DO I KEEP SAYING THAT?
THERE'S NEVER ANY GOOD NEWS.

HOLD!
STATE YOUR
NAME!

I SAID
HOLD!

LADY TISHA,
AND HER
SERVANTS.

STATE YOUR
BUSINESS.

YOUR
DOOM.

YOU
THREATEN
ME?

YOU
THREATEN
ME?

NO, I
INFORM
YOU.



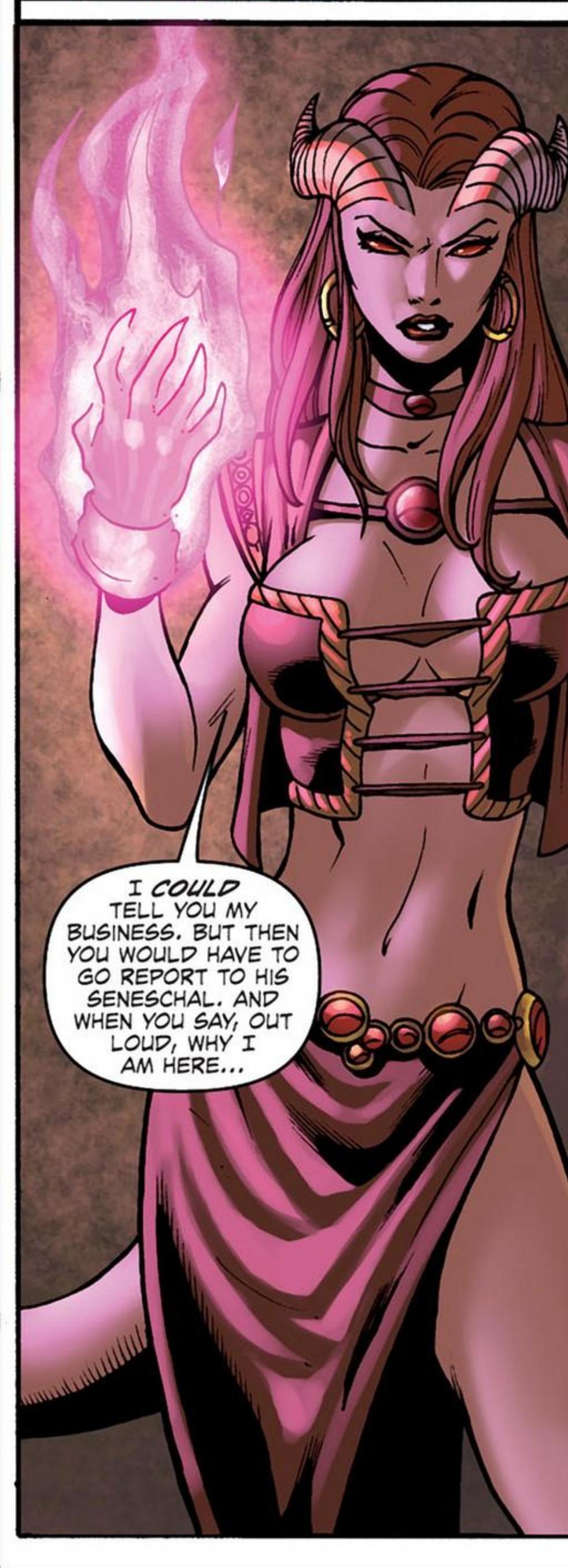
MY BUSINESS IS
ONE THAT IS OF MUCH
IMPORTANCE—AND
SECRECY—TO YOUR
MASTER.

THE GREAT
AND POWERFUL
THRUMBOLG
THE FIRST
LORD!

QUITE
SO.



...HE WILL
HAVE NO CHOICE
BUT TO KILL YOU,
TO PROTECT HIS
SECRET.
HE WILL
THEN INVITE
ME IN.



I COULD
TELL YOU MY
BUSINESS. BUT THEN
YOU WOULD HAVE TO
GO REPORT TO HIS
SENECHAL. AND
WHEN YOU SAY, OUT
LOUD, WHY I
AM HERE...

THE OTHER
CHOICE IS SIMPLY... LET
ME IN. UPON ONE CHOICE,
YOU ARE DEAD, AND I AM
INSIDE. ON ANOTHER, YOU ARE
ALIVE, AND I AM INSIDE.

YOUR CHOICE
MATTERS NOT
TO ME.



I WILL
TAKE YOU
STRAIGHT INTO
THE CASTLE,
THEN!

MY LORD WILL
DEAL WITH YOU
HIMSELF!

LATER.

THE FIRST LORD'S SENESCHAL WILL HEAR YOUR TALE.

YES, YES.
YOU ARE DISMISSED.

GRRRRRRRRR...

CREEAK

SLAM

THERE YOU GO, LASS.
BETTER OUT THAN IN.

HUURKK-
GAACKKK

AMAZING
WHAT A
LITTLE FEAR
DOES TO THE
DIGESTION.

WHAT ARE YOU
TALKING ABOUT?
YOU DID GREAT!
THAT SPEECH WAS
AMAZING!

I STOLE IT FROM A BARD'S STORY
I HEARD IN FALLCREST. IT'S THE
SPEECH THE DREAD PIRATE GIVES
TO GAIN ENTRANCE TO THE
HAREM OF HEAVENLY
DELIGHTS.

I KNOW
THAT BARD.

HE'S
NOT VERY
GOOD.

WELL, THIS
IS YOUR PLAN,
ADRIC! YOU WANT
A BETTER SPEECH,
WRITE ONE.

TO BE
FAIR, IT'S
NOT ADRIC'S
PLAN.

IT'S
BREE'S.

EARLIER.

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GOOD NEWS
IS... IS...



OH
FOR—LOOK,
HERE'S HOW
A THIEF SEES
THAT PLACE.

OUTER RING'S
THE CITY. NEXT
IN'S THE CASTLE.
BULL'S-EYE'S THE
GOODIES. THE
VAULT, WHAT
HAVEYA.

AS YOU MOVE
TOWARD THE
BULL'S-EYE, THE
CHANCES GET SHORTER
AND THE GUARDS
HOTTER. SO YOU NEED
TO KNOW AS MUCH AS
YOU CAN ABOUT
EACH RING.

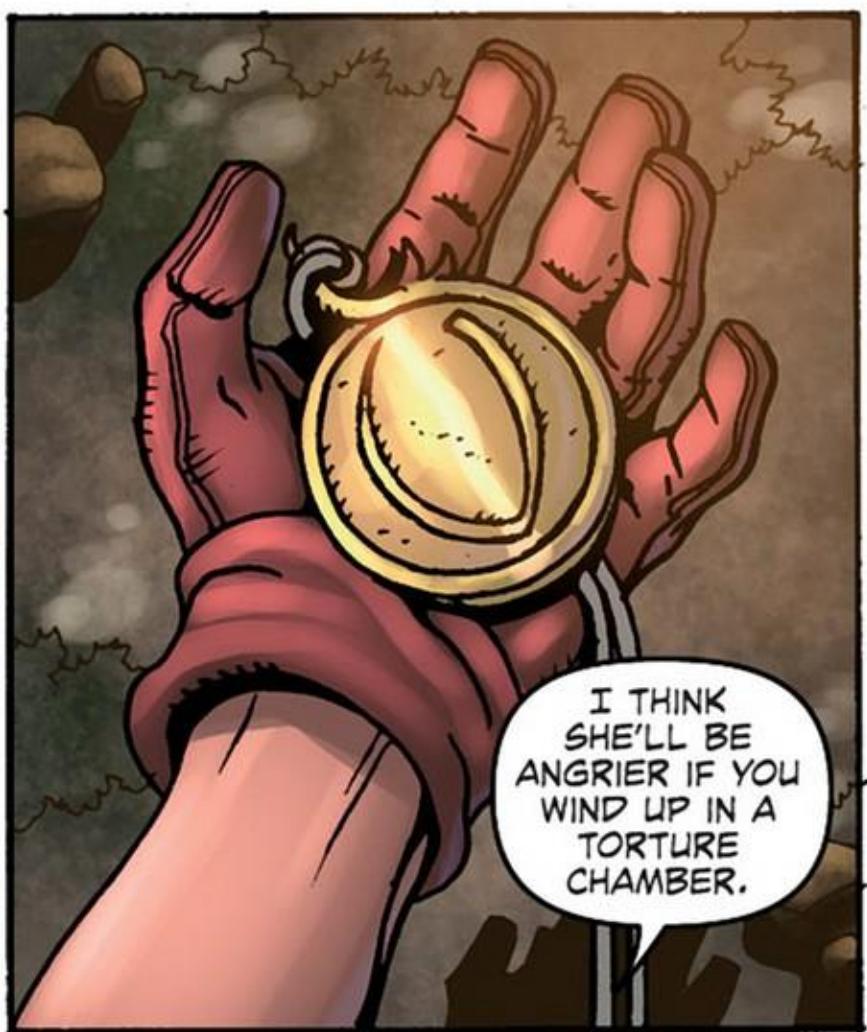
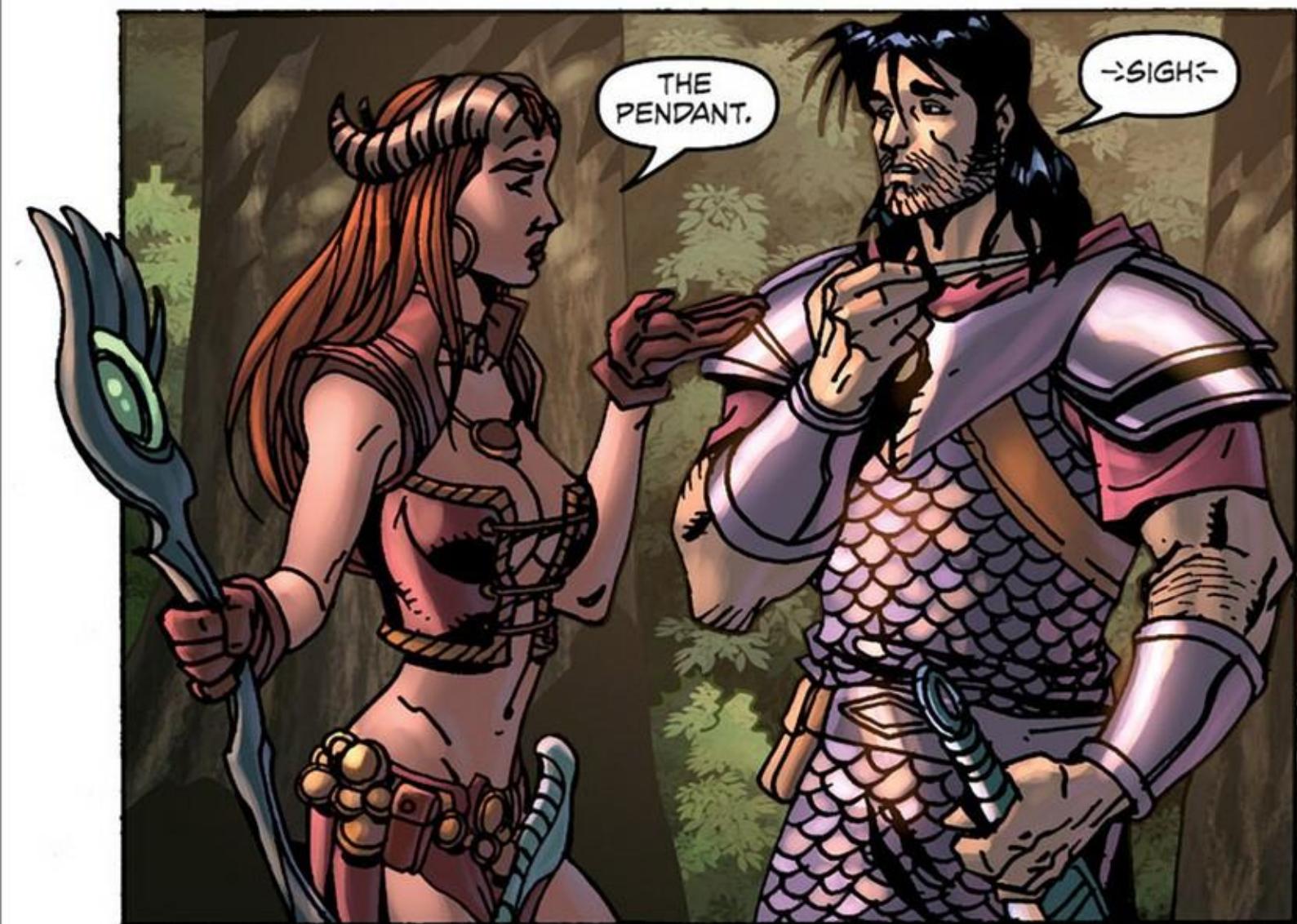
THAT TAKES TIME. USE
THE CITY TO SCOUT
THE CASTLE, GAIN
ENTRANCE. USE THE
CASTLE TO SCOUT
THE VAULT.

BUT WE
DON'T HAVE
TIME.

WELL THEN, YOU
NEED TO RUN A TALE. GET
SOMEBODY TO OPEN DOORS
FOR YOU. CUT DOWN ON
ALL THE BRIBES AND
SNEAKING AROUND.

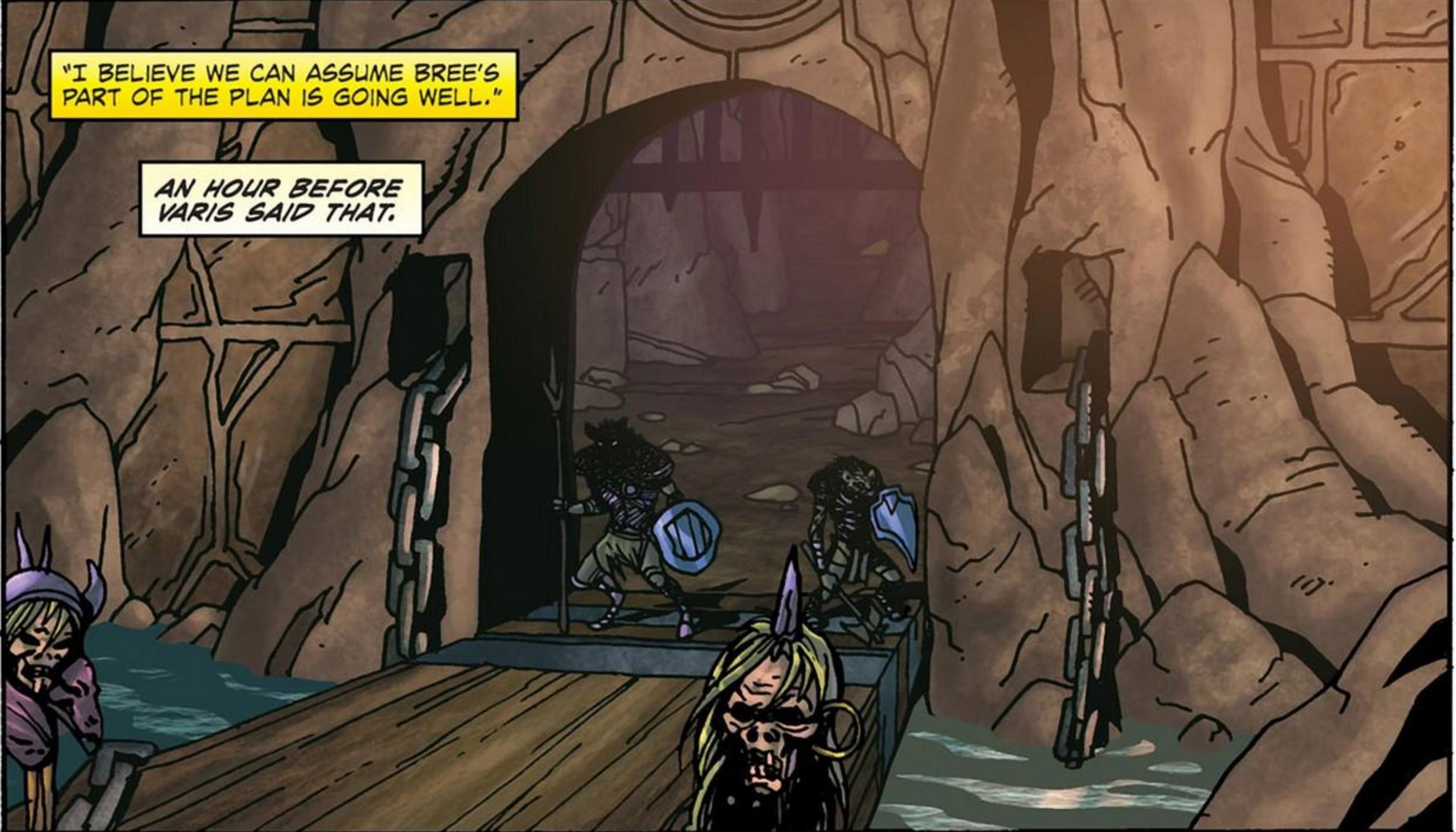
WHAT? WHY
ARE YOU
STARING?

DID I
ACCIDENTALLY
KILL SOMEBODY
AND FORGET
TO TELL YOU
AGAIN?



"I BELIEVE WE CAN ASSUME BREE'S PART OF THE PLAN IS GOING WELL."

AN HOUR BEFORE VARIS SAID THAT.



AND THEN A LITTLE BIT LATER.

SOMETHING'S GOT THE SHADOW'S BREECHES IN A KNOT.

I HEARD TALK OF DEAD GUARDS ON THE WALL. HAD THREE SELLSWORNS IN A ROW TELL ME THE FIRST LORD'S SECRET KNIVES ARE LOOKING FOR TOPSIDERS.



IF THEY WERE TRYING TO BE
SECRETIVE, THEY PLAYED
IT DUMB. FLASHIN'
NEW COINS—

ENOUGH.
YOU SAID
THERE WERE
FOUR?

I ONLY
SAW ONE
CLEAR, THE
HALF-HUMAN-
SIZED—

WHY
DID YOU
BURN DOWN
MY BAR?!

WE DIDN'T
DO THIS!

I'LL KILL
YOU! KILL
YOU!

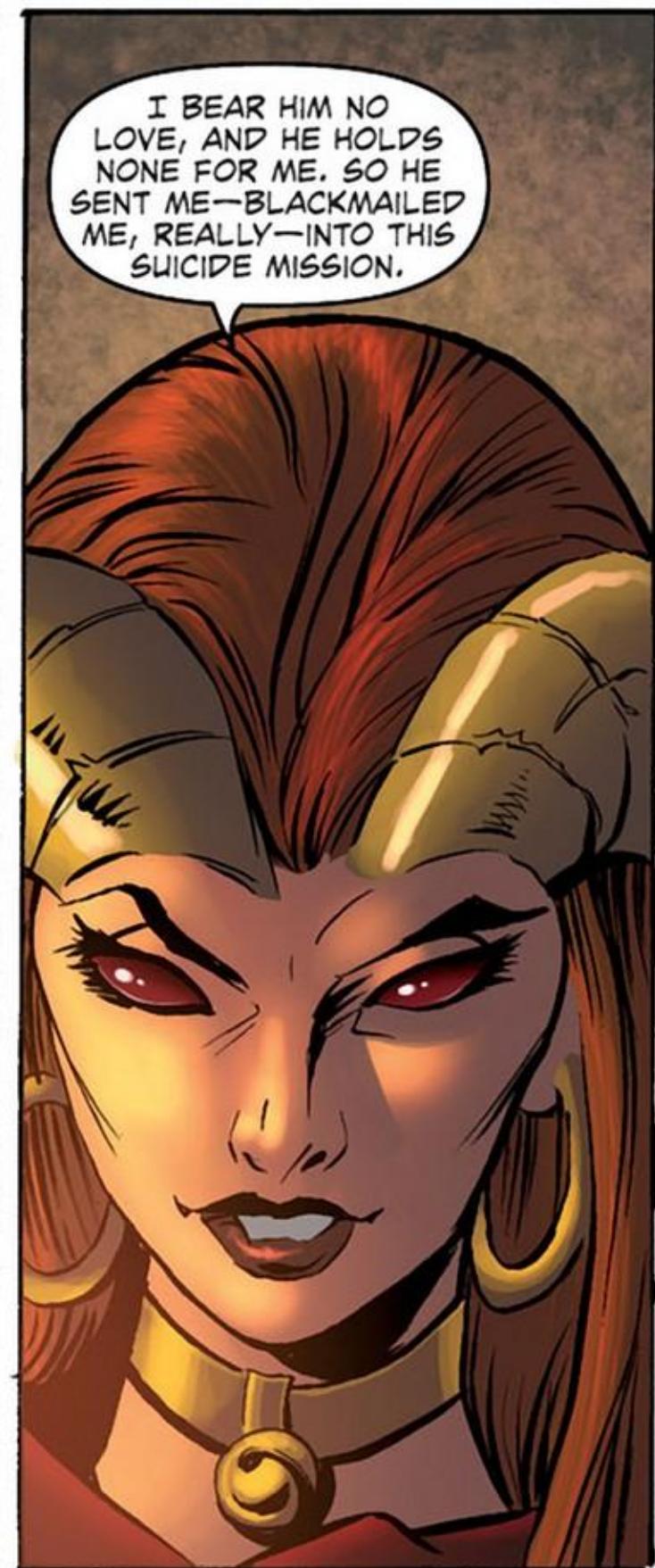
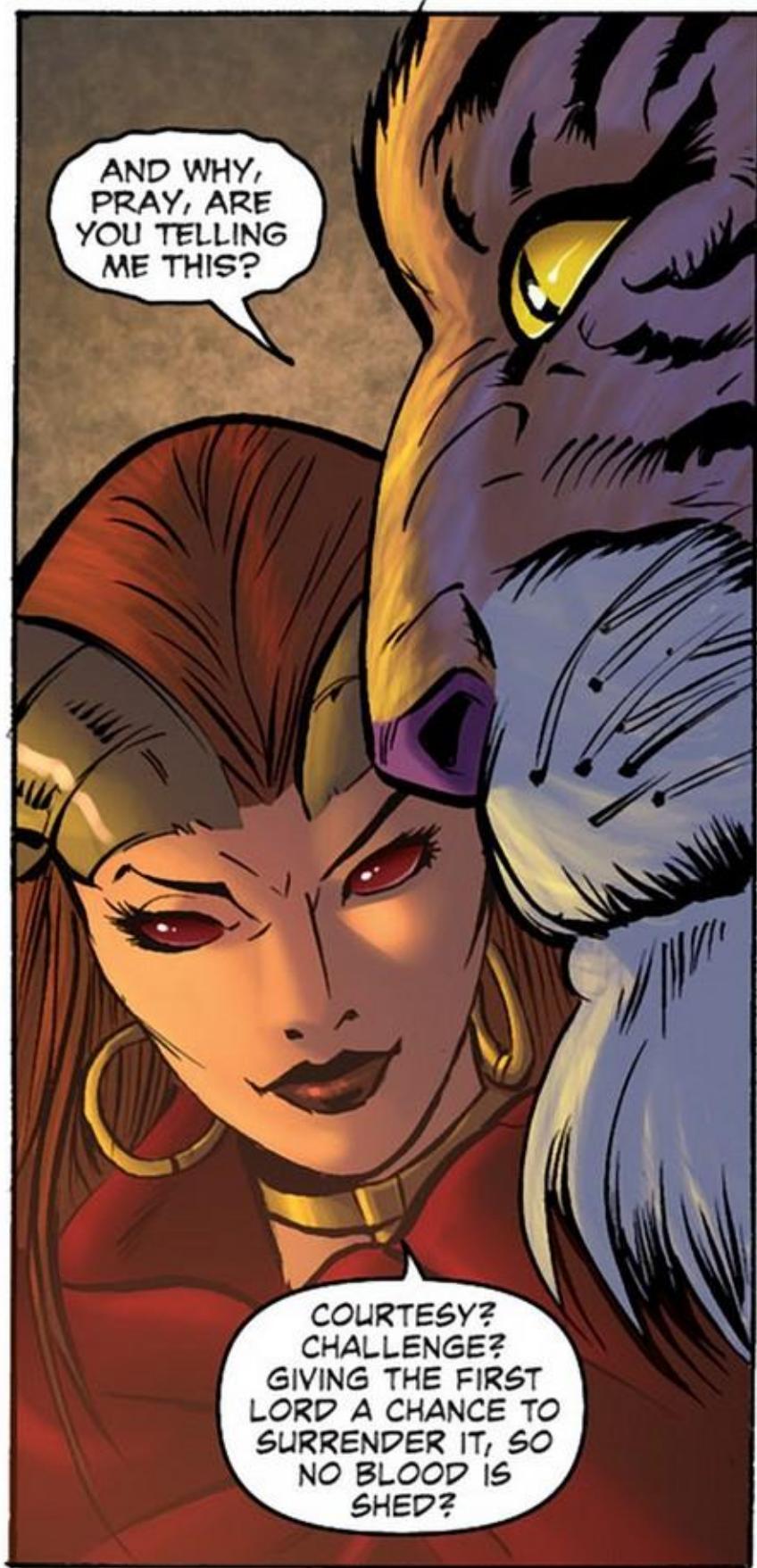
SERGEANT!

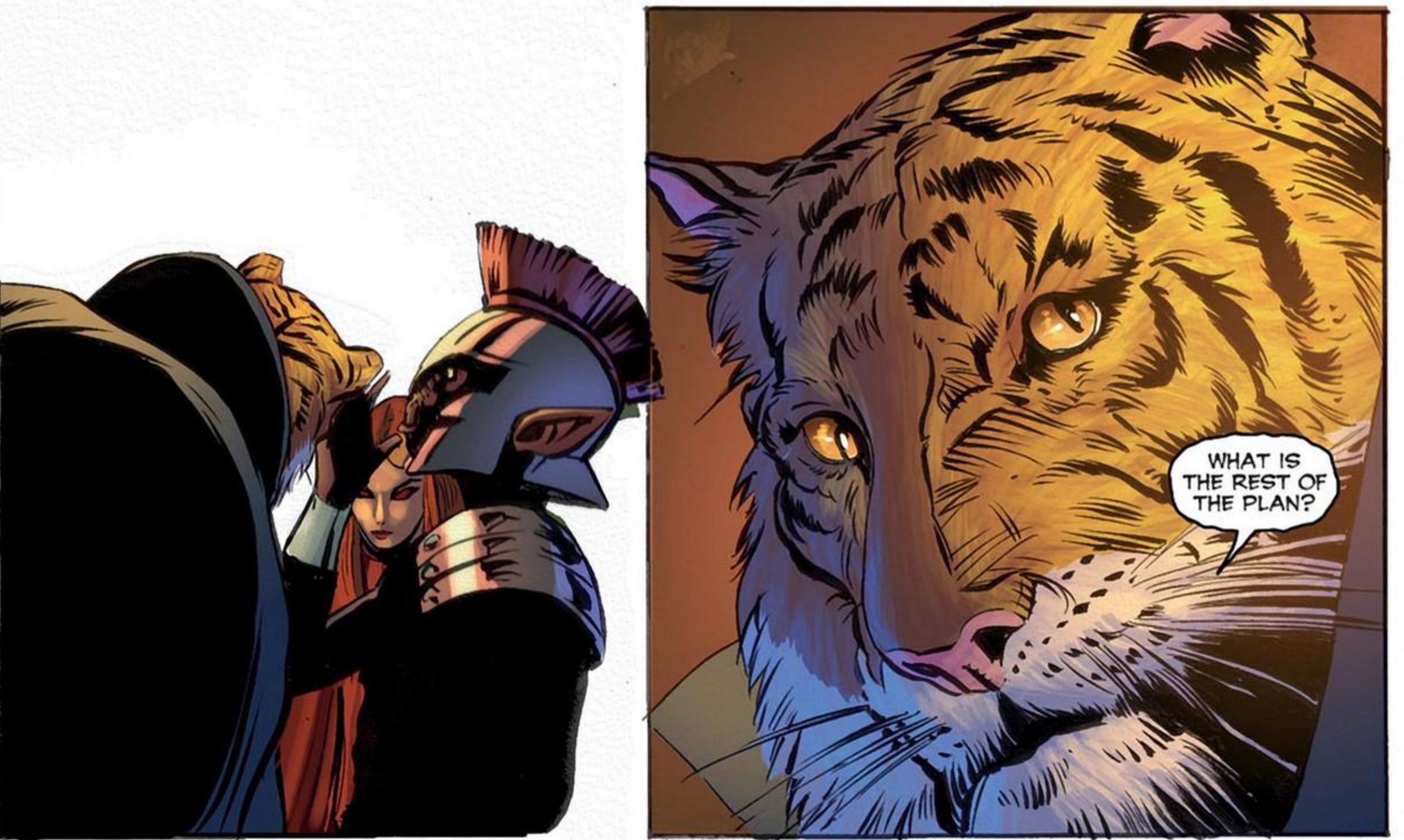
SEND OUT
THE WORD! DOUBLE
THE PATROLS ON
THE WALL, START
SEARCHING THE
ALLEYS.

FOUR
OUTWORLDERS
ARE ON THE RUN,
ONE HALF-HUMAN.
GO!

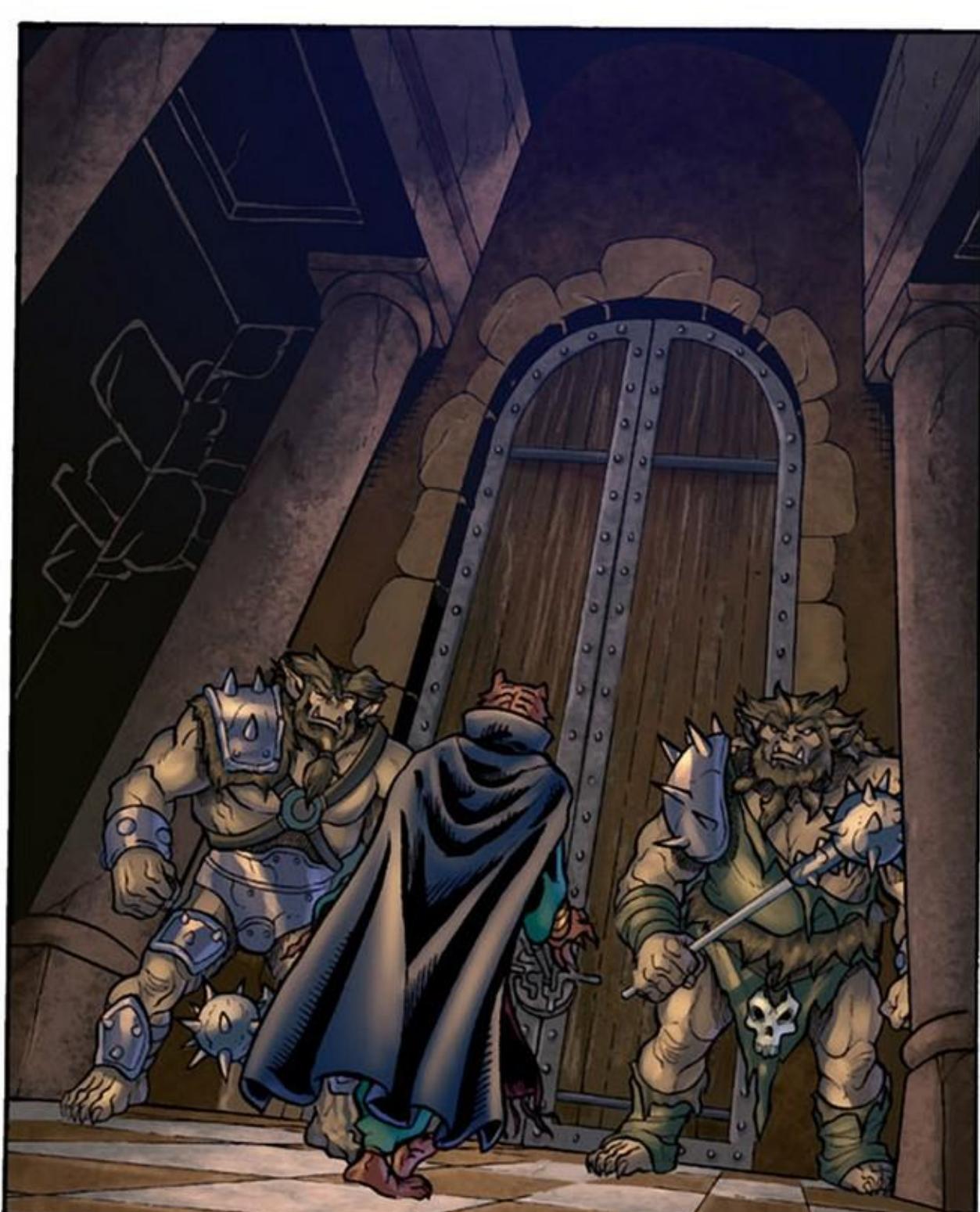




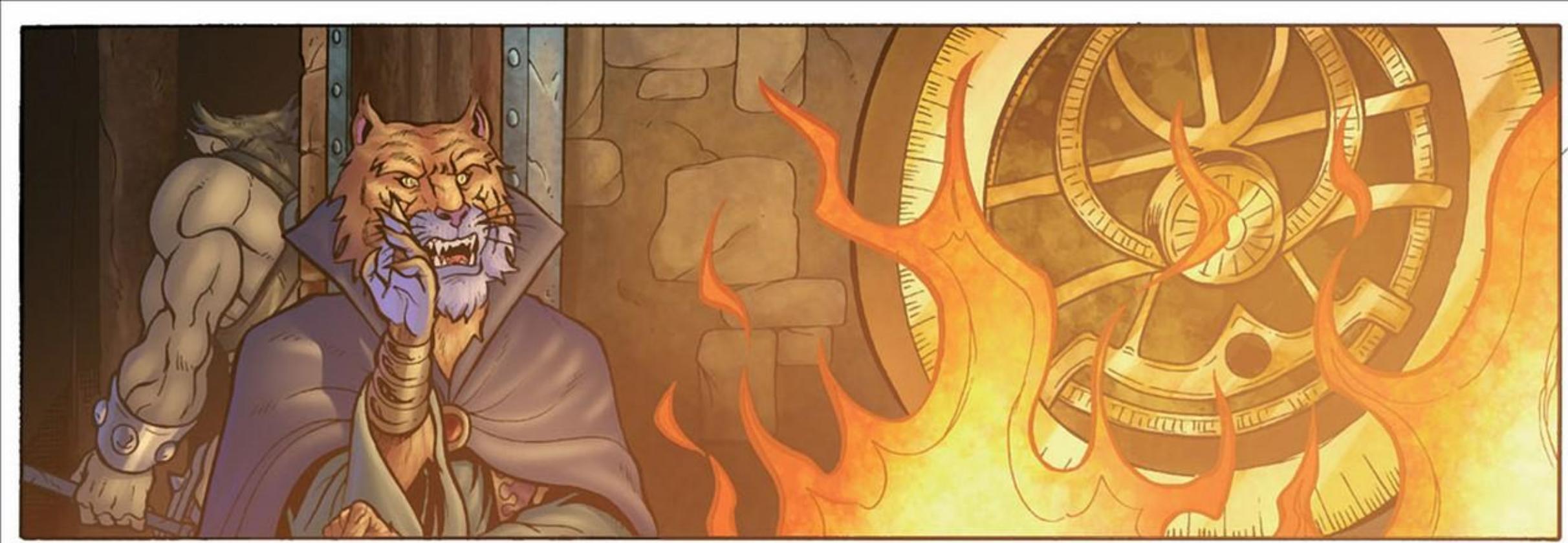
















FOR I AM
TRASGAR THE
MAGNIFICENT!
AND I—

-WAIT.
I KNOW
YOU!

THE BEST LAID PLANS
GO HORRIBLY RIGHT
NEXT MONTH IN THE
CONCLUSION OF
"FEYWILD"

EMPIRE

