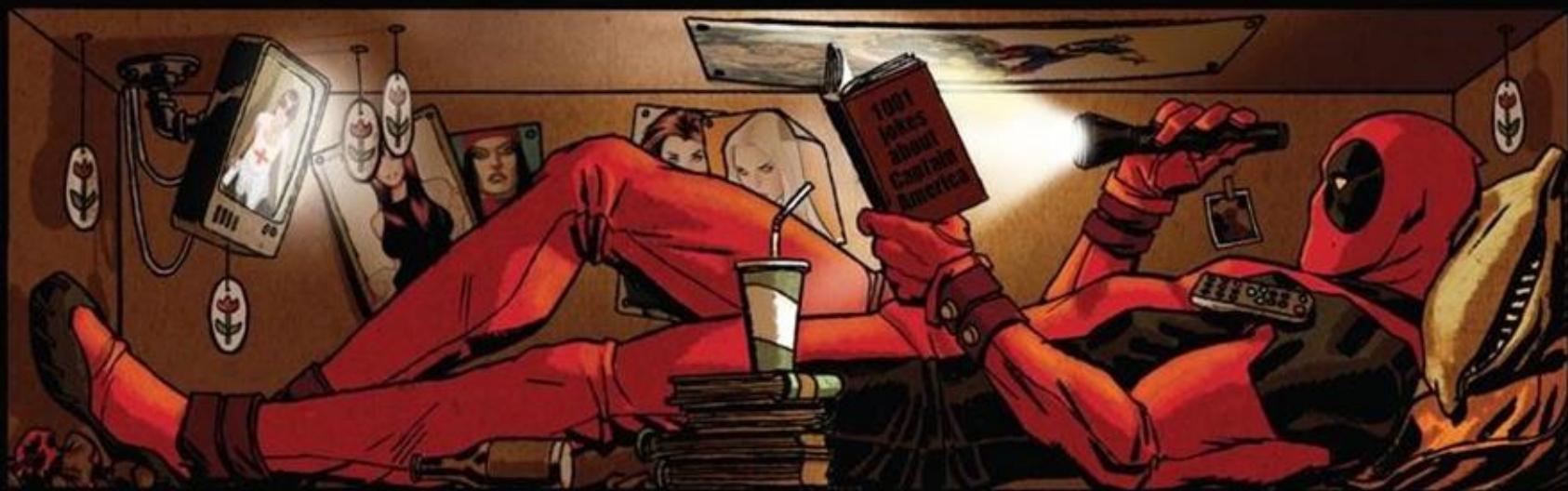


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Deadpool's been on an epic quest to finally obtain the one thing that has always eluded him—his own death. The problem? He might actually get it. He's been dosed with a serum based on his own DNA as a child that has removed his healing factor. He's peeved off TONS of dangerous people who want to ice him. But he might have just come down with an extreme case of be-careful-what-you-wish-for-itis.

X-FORCE

He's lied to X-Force. A lot. 'Pool set them against the Kingpin, then worked against them. He's endangered their mission and secrecy. They're pretty much done with him...or will be, once they kill him.



FANTOMEX



NIGHTCRAWLER



PSYLOCKE



WOLVERINE



DAKEN

Daken, too, wanted the serum for his own ends. He shot his father Wolverine with it...but it turns out the serum only works on Wade. Science, y'all!



TOMBSTONE

Tombstone is the one responsible for the serum. Deadpool put him away, so now he wants to be the one to put our man Wade in the ground. And he made a deal with Wade's pal Bob to make it happen.

KINGPIN

Kingpin initially was seeking the serum for himself...but now that he's been attacked by a bunch of muties, the fat man is probably ready to be done with this mess.



HYDRA BOB

Bob's the one who actually dosed Wade. Why? Because he actually cares about him. Of course, if Deadpool does die by X-Force's hands, Tombstone will kill Bob for screwing up their deal. Whoopsie!

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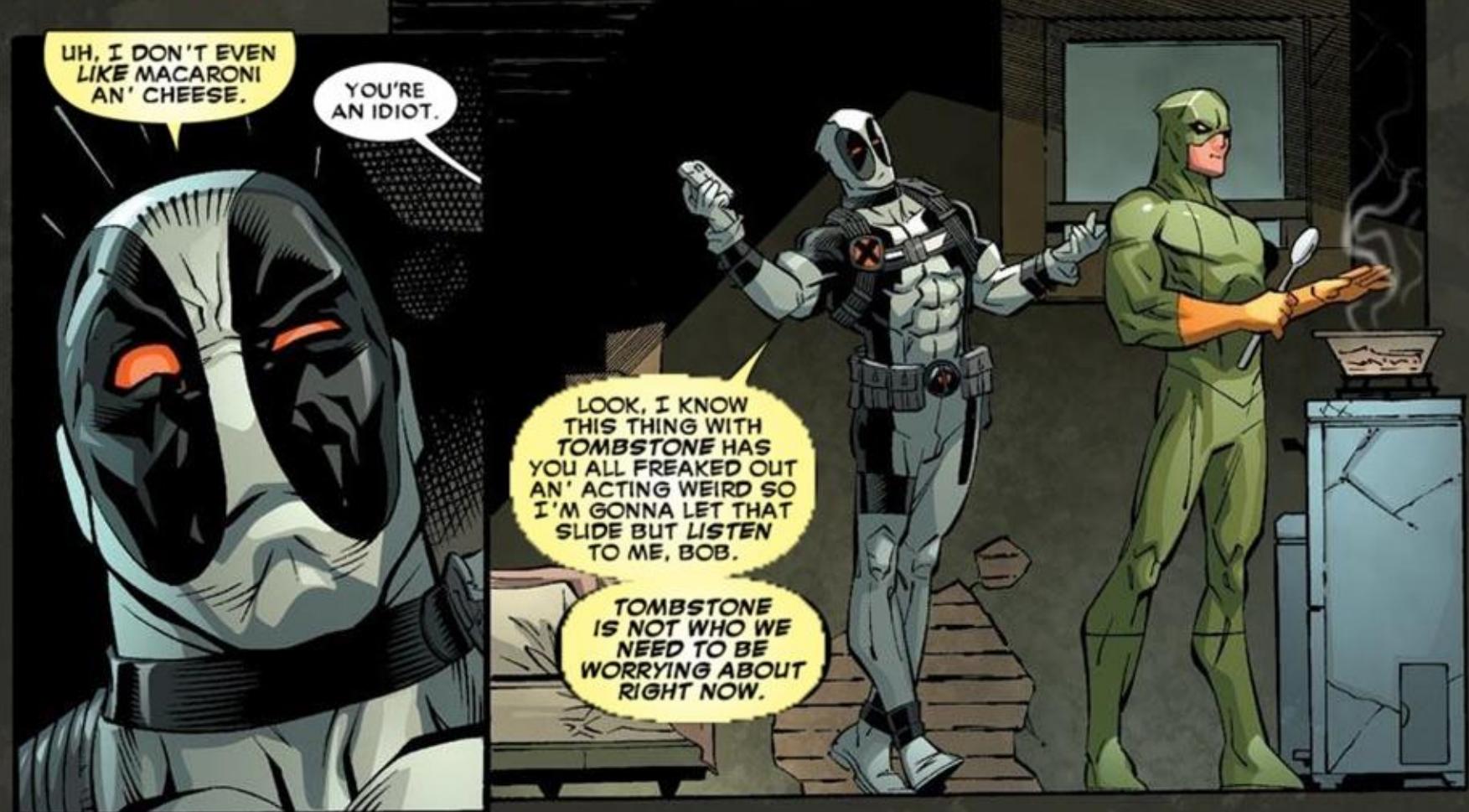
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PSYLOCKE-- YOU'RE GONNA BE OUR COMMS. YOU SPOT 'IM, LET THE REST OF US KNOW WHERE. ANYBODY ELSE SPOTS 'IM...

I'LL BE MONITORING EVERYONE.

JUST BE CONSCIOUS OF WHERE YOU ARE AND I'LL BE ABLE TO PICK IT UP, PASS IT ON.

AN' NOBODY TAKES DEADPOOL ON ALONE.



IS THAT CLEAR?

CAN SOMEONE EXPLAIN TO ME WHY WE'RE BEING SO CAUTIOUS?

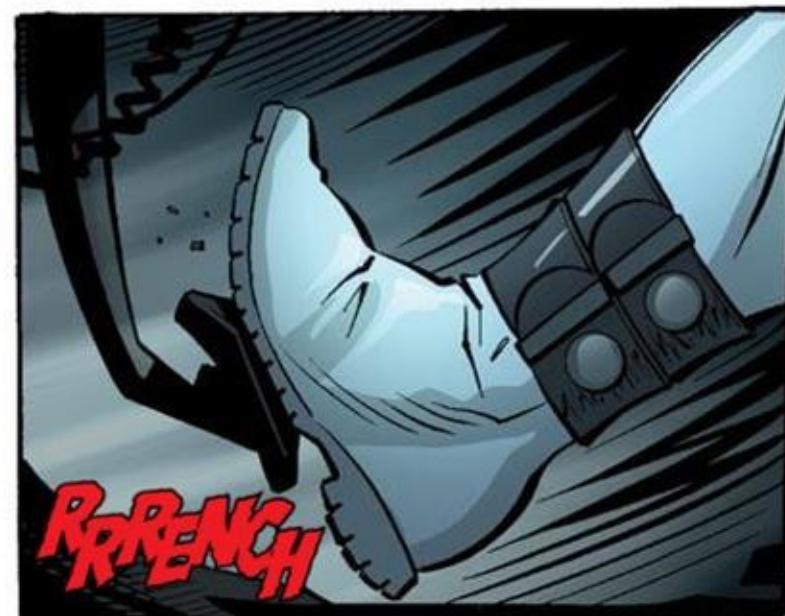
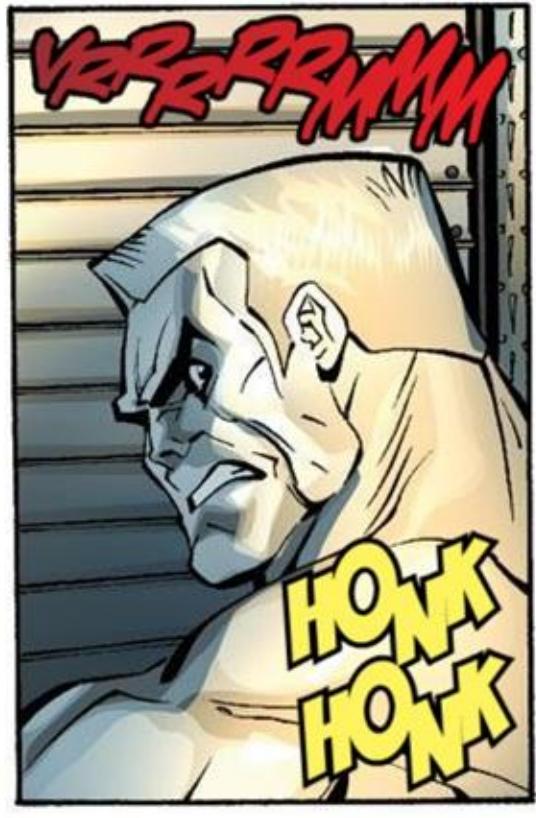
WE HAVE THE ADVANTAGE--HE'S VULNERABLE.

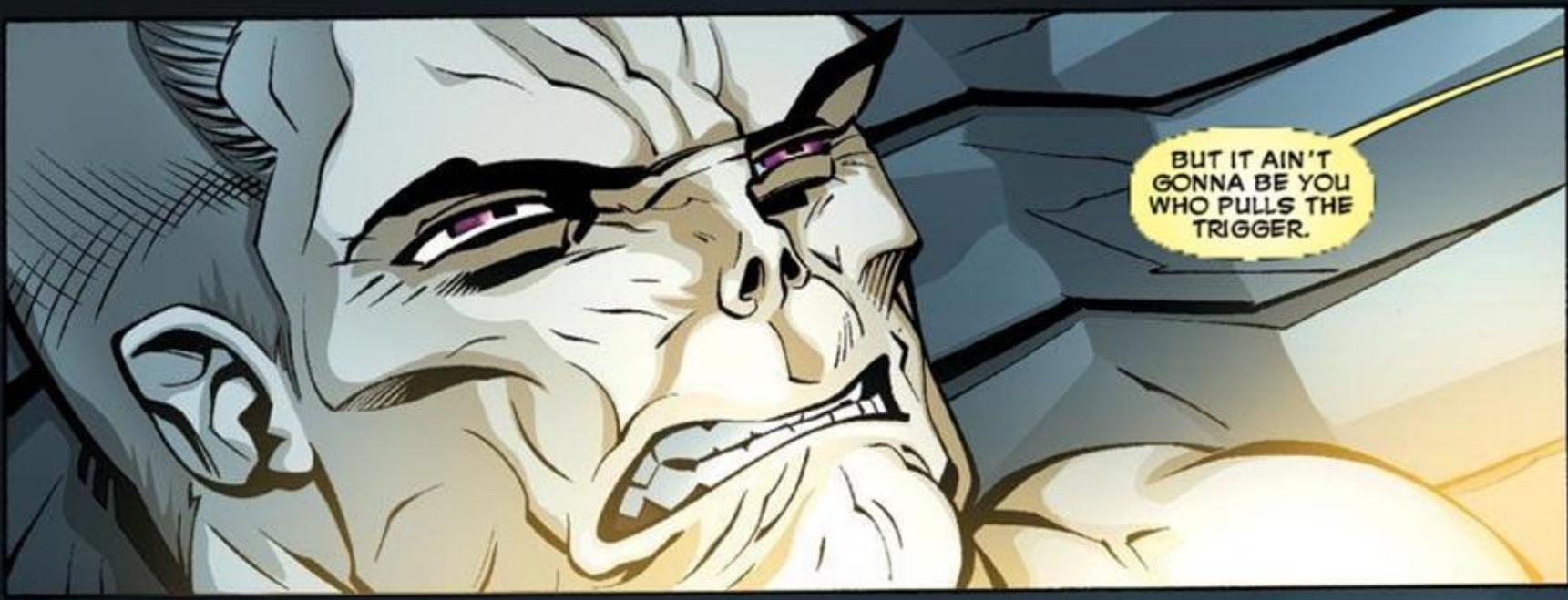
THAT'S WHY WE'RE BEIN' SO CAUTIOUS. FACT HE'S ON THE ROPES MAKES HIM MORE DANGEROUS, NOT LESS.

YA NEVER KNOW WHAT DEADPOOL'S GONNA DO UNDER NORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES. BUT NOW...









HALF AN HOUR LATER:





We don't *need* disguises.

MENS

WHAT WE *NEED* IS
TO TAKE OFF OUR
DISGUISES.

HUH.
AIN'T
SEEN THAT IN
A WHILE...

WOW.

SO THAT'S
WHAT YOU
LOOK LIKE.

"THIS, UH... THIS WAS A PRETTY
BRILLIANT IDEA, MR. WILSON.
I MEAN, NOBODY REALLY
KNOWS WHAT OUR *REAL*
FACES LOOK LIKE..."

"...THEY'LL NEVER
SEE US COMING!"

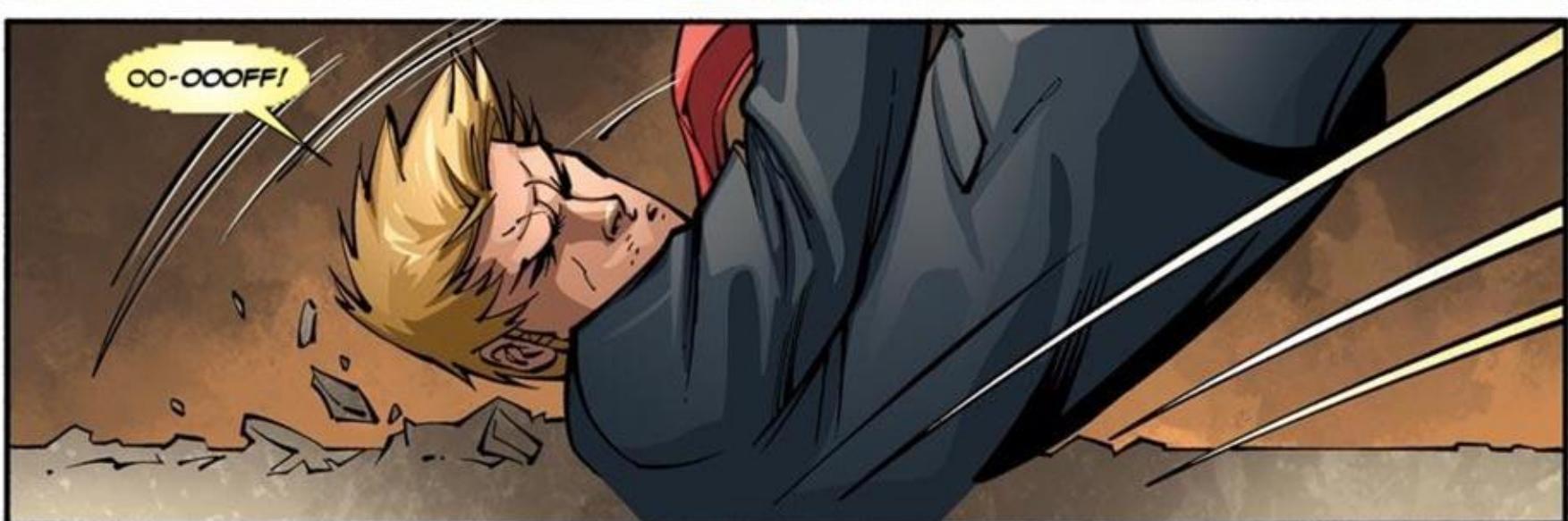
GRAND CENTRAL STATION:



GETTING
TOO CROWDED
HERE. I'M MOVING
TO A BETTER--









I DITCHED
THE COSTUME.
NOT THE GUNS.









HOW'S IT
FEEL?

...HUH?



TO
BE ALIVE
AGAIN.



HEH...HONESTLY,
DUDE?

IT FEELS
PRETTY 6%\$#%&%
GREAT.



YEAH.
FIGURED.





END.

EPILOGUE:



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