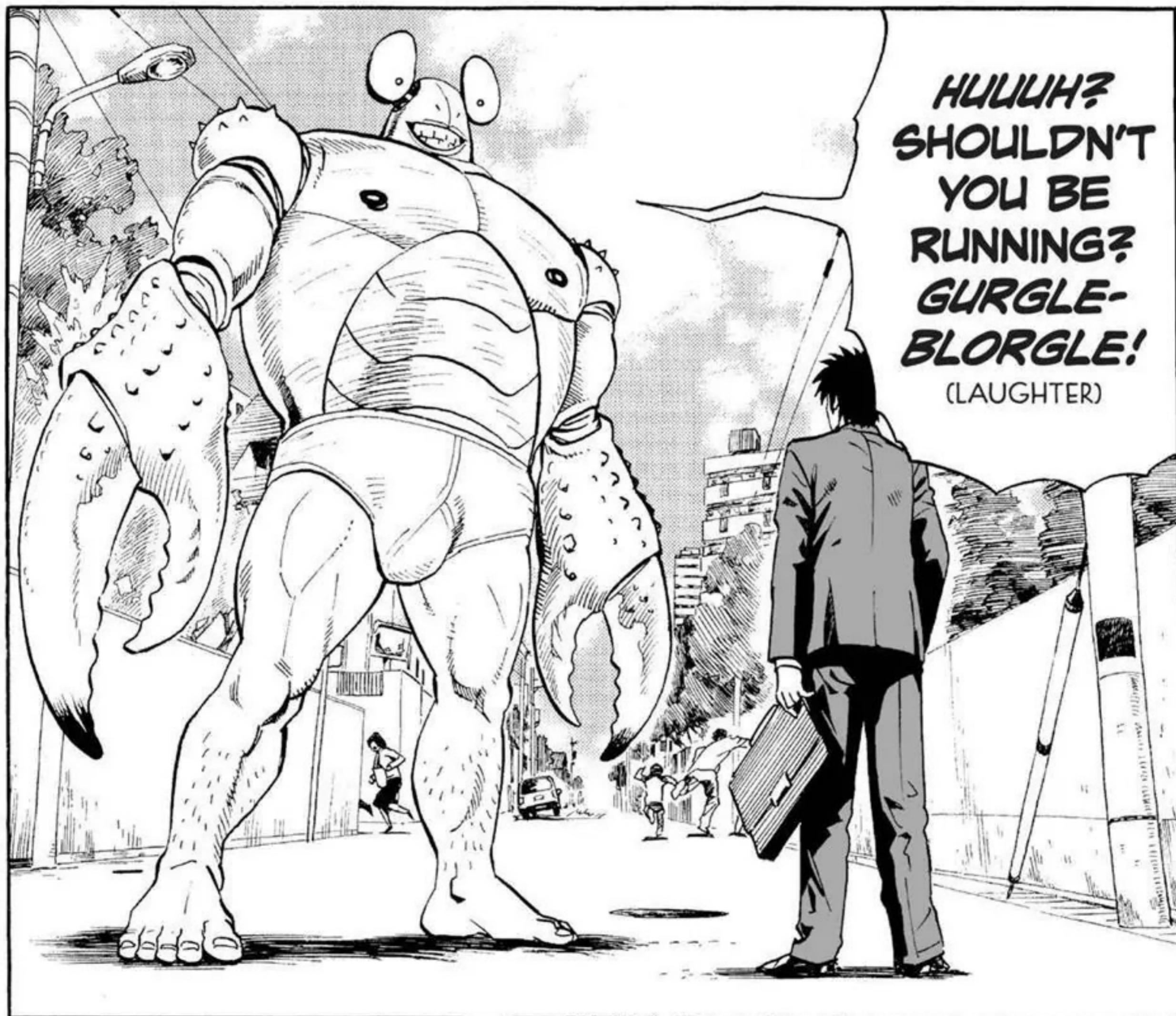


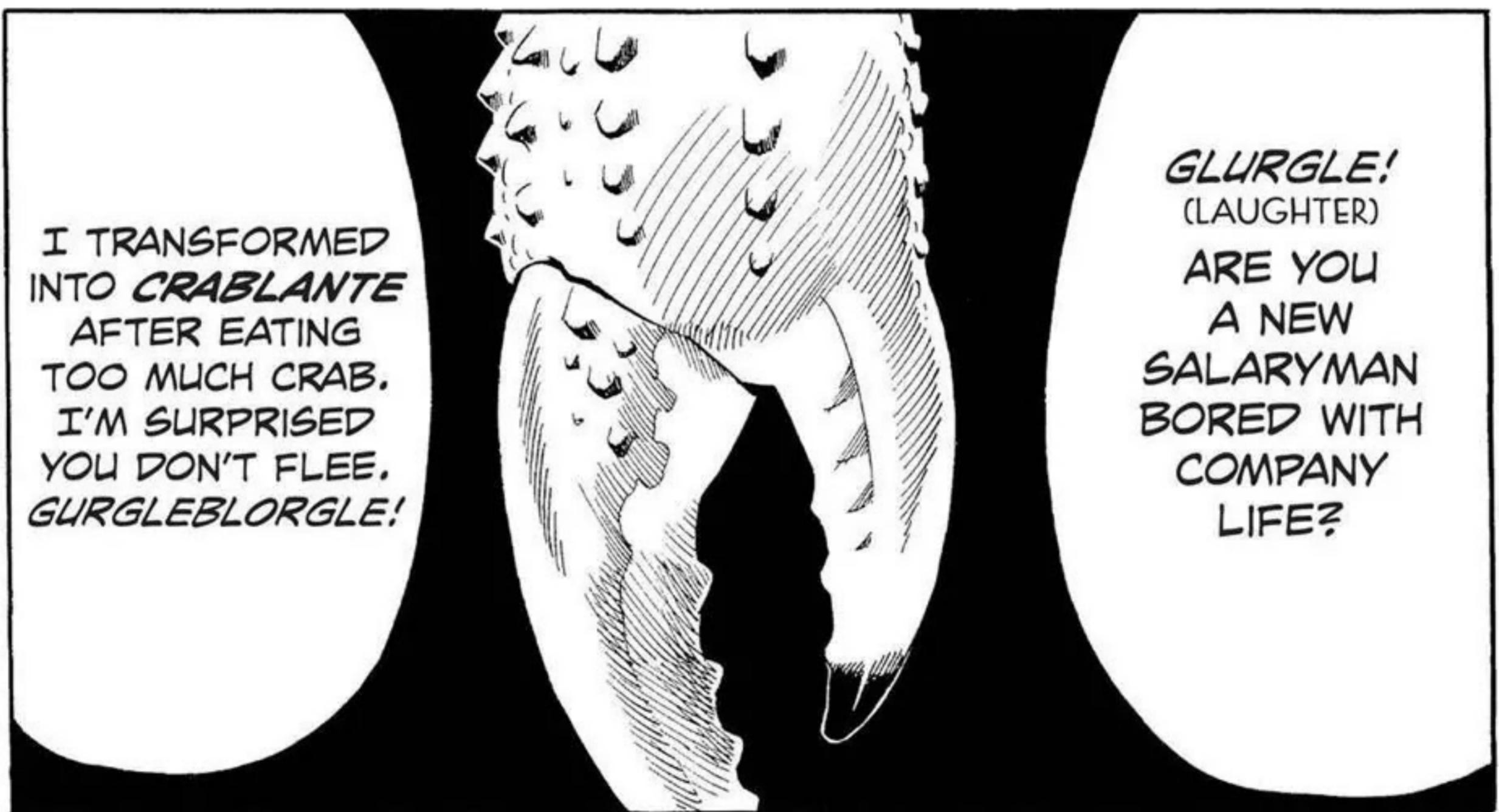
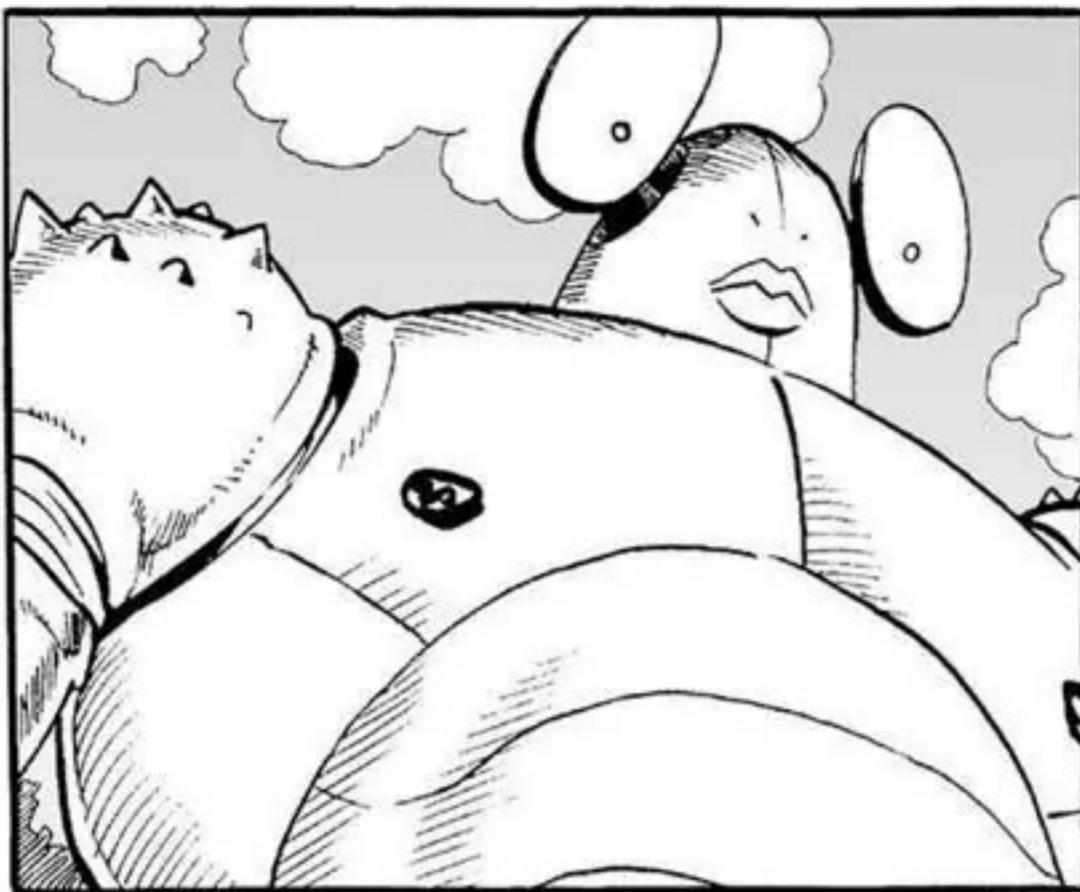


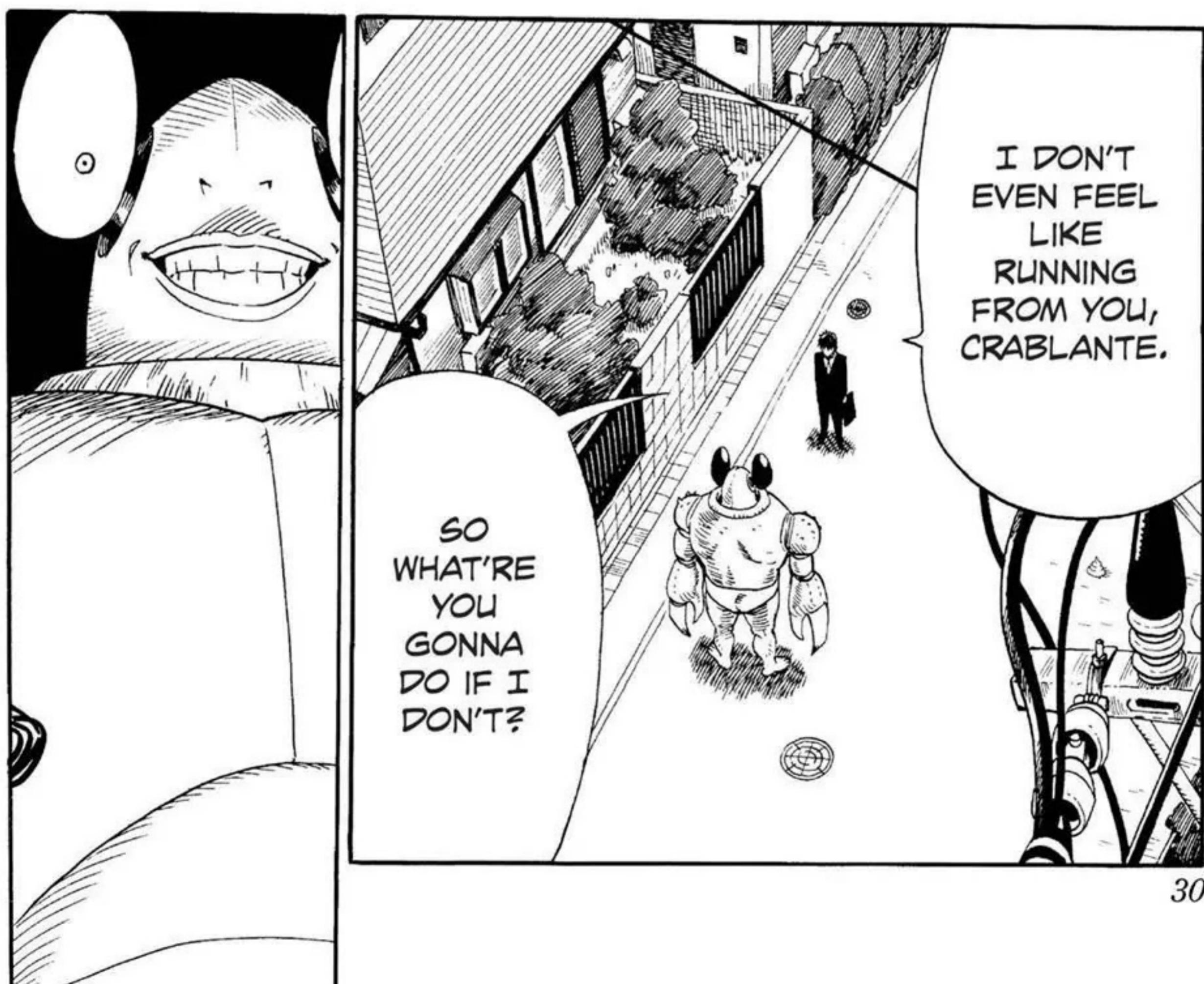
PUNCH2: CRAB AND JOB HUNTING

THREE YEARS EARLIER



READ
THIS
WAY









READ
THIS
WAY



WHAT
SHOULD
I DO?
THERE'S
TIME TO
HIDE HIM...

HE STILL
DOESN'T
KNOW
WHAT HE'S
DONE.

LOOM

...AND IT'S
NONE OF MY
BUSINESS.
SHOULD I
WALK AWAY?

HUH
? ...
BUT
HE ISN'T
CUTE AT
ALL...









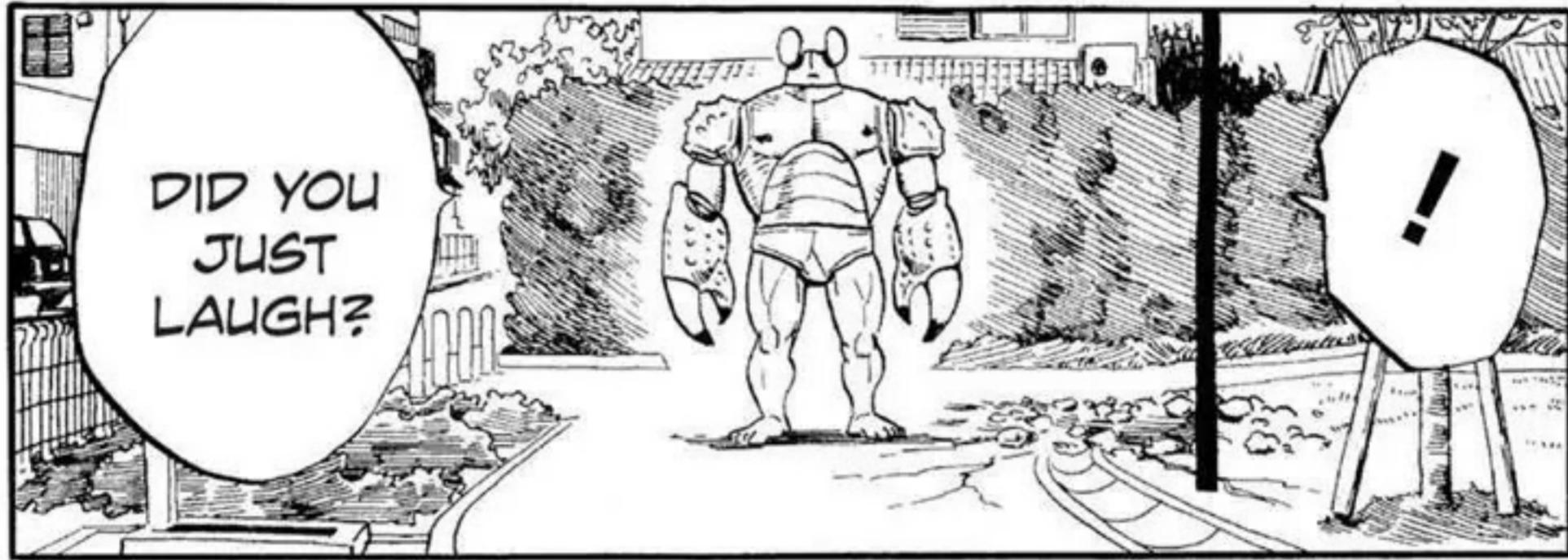
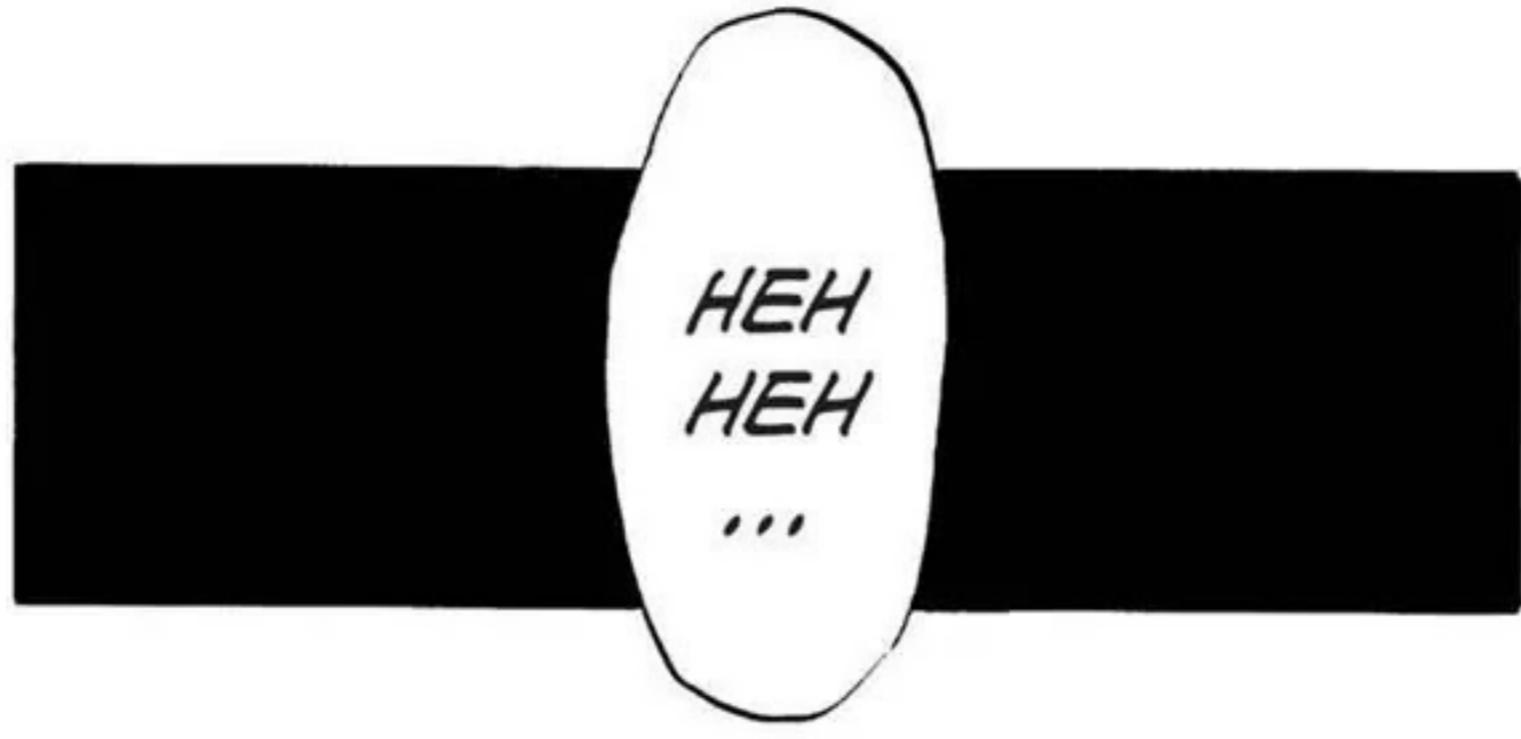
WITH A
PERMANENT
MARKER!
WITH THESE
CLAWS, I
CAN'T EVEN
WIPE IT OFF
WITH A
TOWEL!

THAT
BRAT
DREW
NIPPLES
ON ME!



IF YOU
INTERFERE,
I'LL MAKE IT
SO THAT
YOU'LL NEVER
LOOK FOR A
JOB AGAIN!!

I
CAN'T
LET
HIM
GET
AWAY
WITH
IT!!





I
WANTED
TO BE A
HERO
WHEN
I WAS
LITTLE.

AND I
REMEM-
BERED
SOME-
THING
ELSE.

WITH THE
BIRTHRATE
SO LOW, I
CAN'T LET
YOU KILL
THAT KID.

WAIT A
SECOND.

...WITH
ONE
PUNCH.

...BUT A
HERO WHO
COULD SEND
SHAMELESS
VILLAINS LIKE
YOU FLYING...

NOT A
SALARY-
MAN...

**BRING
IT ON!**

I'M
DONE
LOOKING
FOR A
JOB.

FWSH

YOU
DON'T
STAND A
CHANCE!

WAH

SOME
HERO
YOU
ARE!

O

HUH?

SHWIP

GURGLE-
BLORGLE!
(LAUGHTER)

GURGLEE-
AAAAAA-
AAAAAAA-
AAAAAAA-
AAAAA-
AAAGGH!



WAH



SO WHY AM
I STILL NOT
SATISFIED?

IT'S BEEN THREE
YEARS SINCE THEN.
AFTER TRAINING SO
HARD THAT I WENT
BALD, I ACHIEVED
OVERWHELMING
POWER AND
BECAME THE HERO
I DREAMED OF
BECOMING.