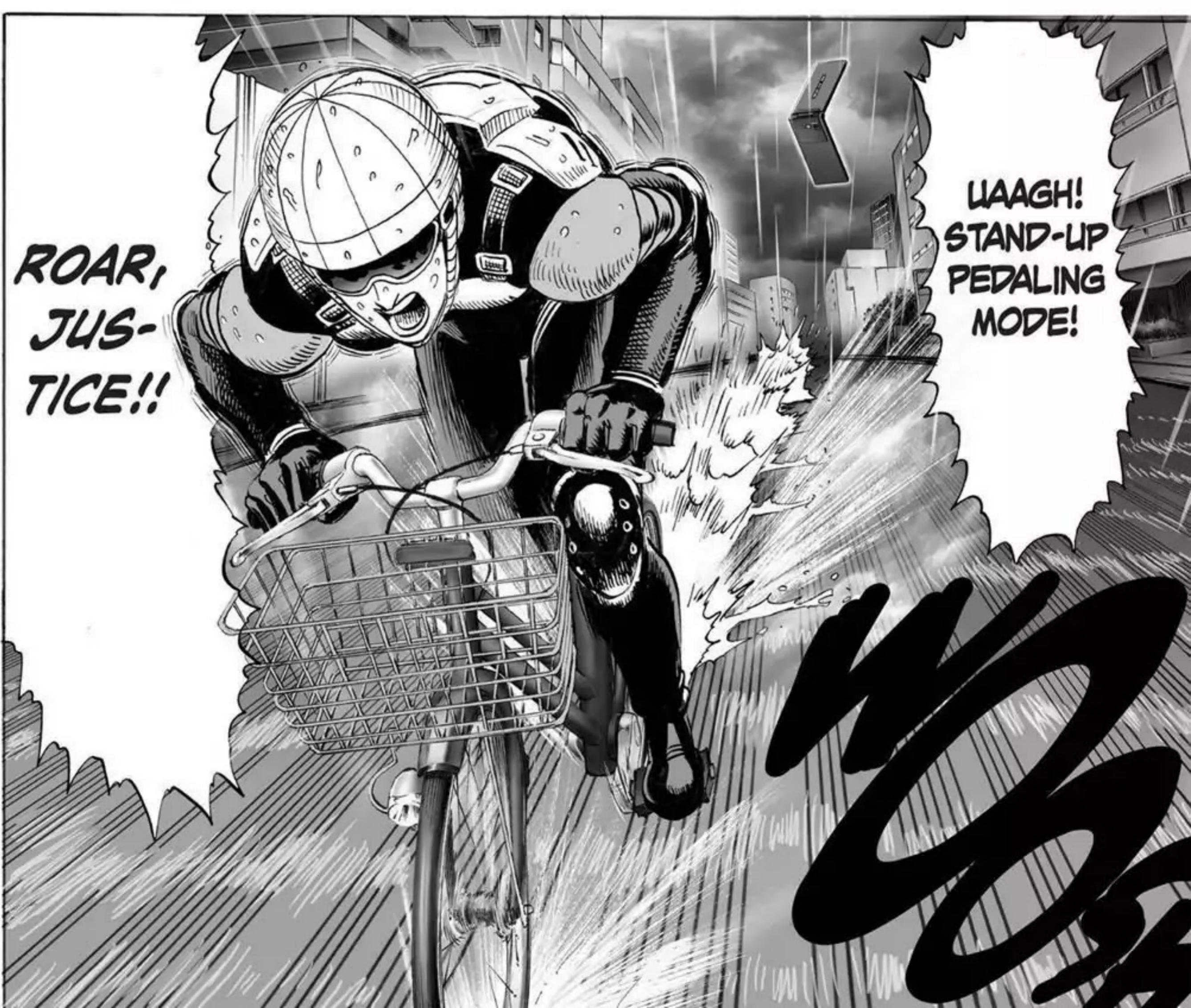
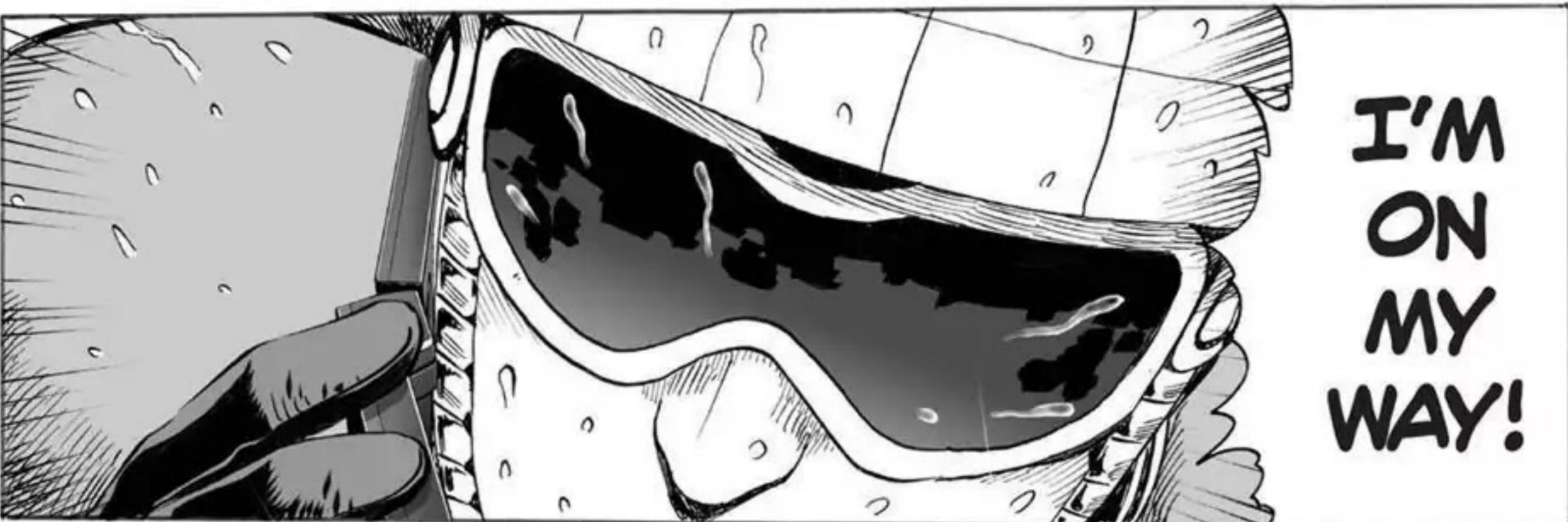




PUNCH 26:
UNSTABLE HOPE

WHAT?
AN SOS
FROM THE
EVACUATION
SHELTER?

THIS IS
MUMEN
RIDER!
I JUST
ARRIVED IN
CITY J!





WHO
ARE YOU?!
PUT MULMEN
RIDER ON!

YES!

IS THIS
THE HERO
ASSOCIATION?

? !

I'M THE
HERO
SAITAMA.

TELL ME
WHERE THE
ENEMY IS.

YOU'RE
CLASS C,
RANK 2,
BUT YOU
WANNA
FIGHT?!

SAITAMA
...

IT'S
RAINING,
SO
HURRY
UP.

BUT HE
DOESN'T
HAVE A
BACKGROUND
IN MARTIAL
ARTS OR
SPORTS.

GUNMA

0084

HE SET A
BUNCH OF
RECORDS IN
THE PHYSICAL
TESTS...

HE'S LARGELY
UNKNOWN AND
THOUGHT TO
BE A FRAUD.

0085

SAIT

...AND TOOK
OUT THAT
METEOR
WITH CLASS
S HEROES.

UNDERSTOOD.

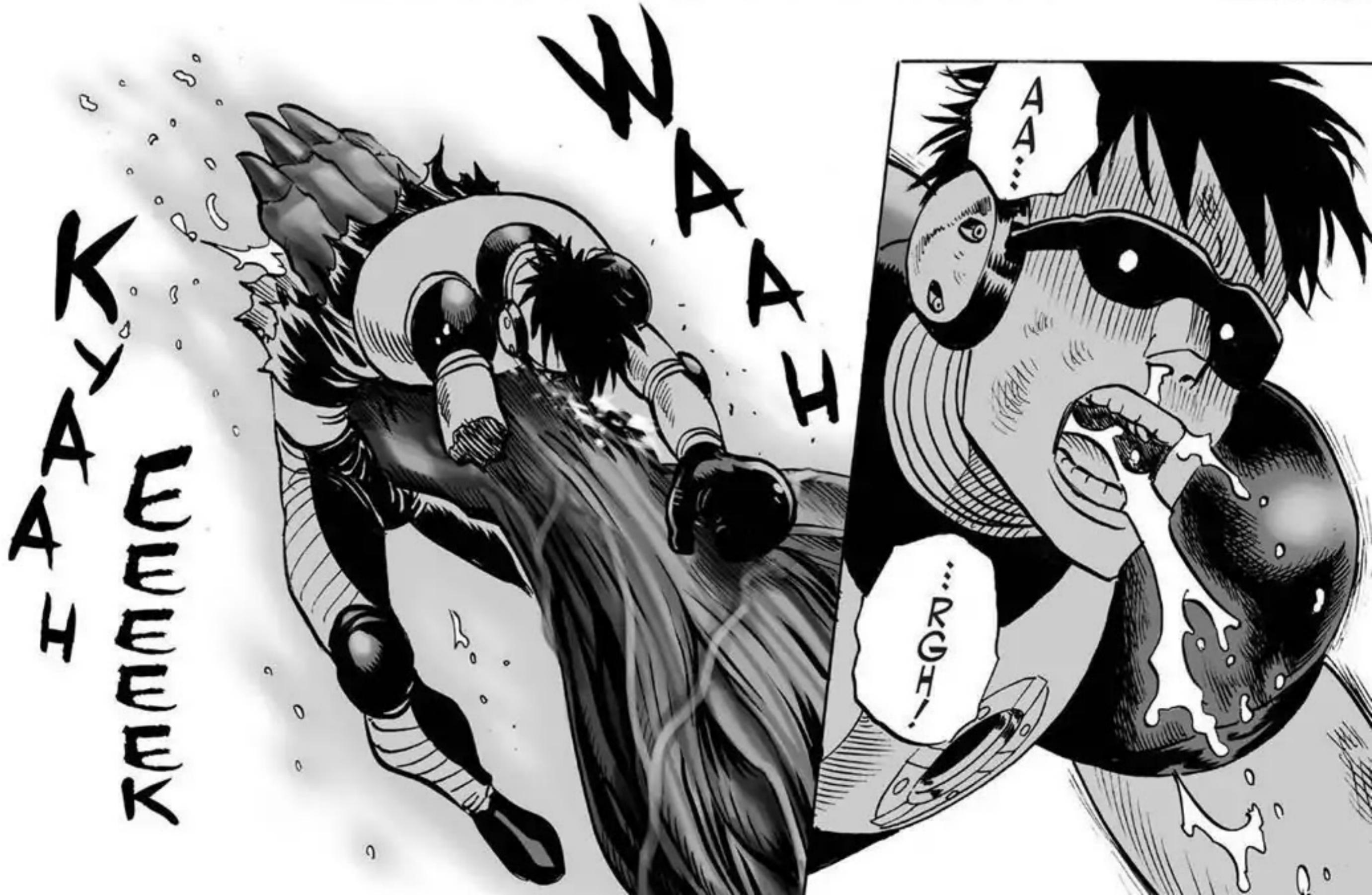
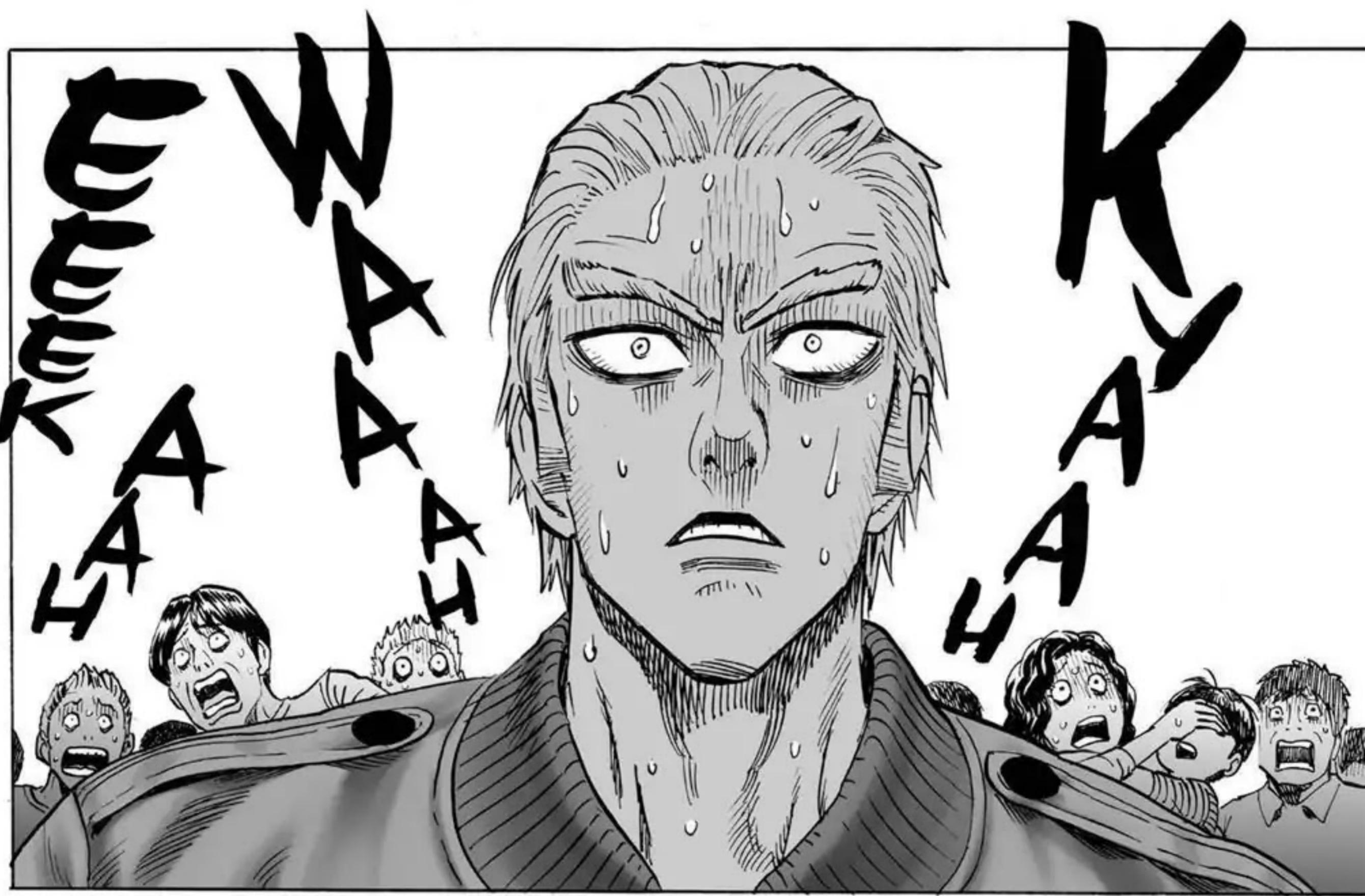
I SHOULD
KEEP A
CLASS C
HERO OUT
OF THIS,
BUT...

GO WHERE
I TELL YOU
AT ONCE.

MAYBE
THIS WILL
REVEAL
HIS TRUE
ABILITY!













I AM
HERE TO
ELIMINATE
YOU.

?

KRAS
SH

TOMP

ARE
YOU WITH
THE CLAN
OF THE
SEAFOLK?



FRESH









...THE
LAST
ENEMY?





SMASH

A large, stylized word "SMASH" is centered in the frame. The letters are thick and have jagged, torn edges, giving them a powerful and explosive appearance. The background is filled with radiating horizontal lines, emphasizing the impact and speed of the word itself.





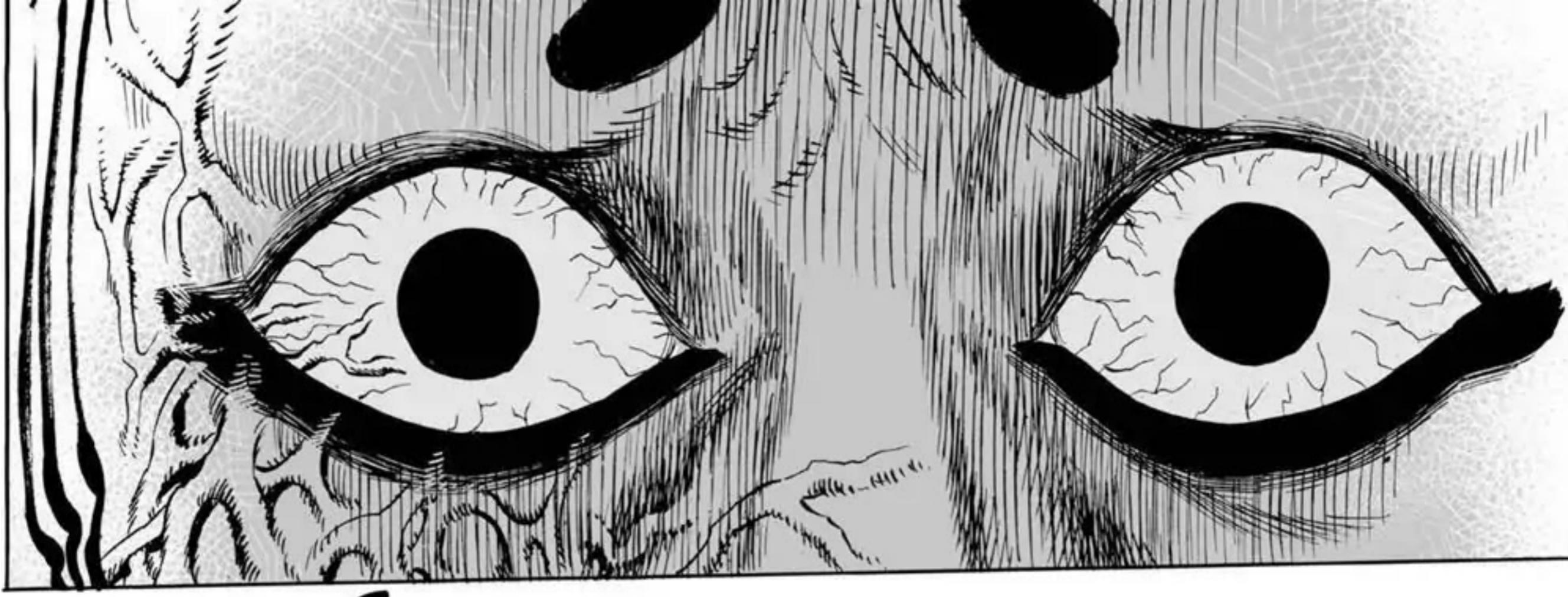
I NEVER
LEARN...

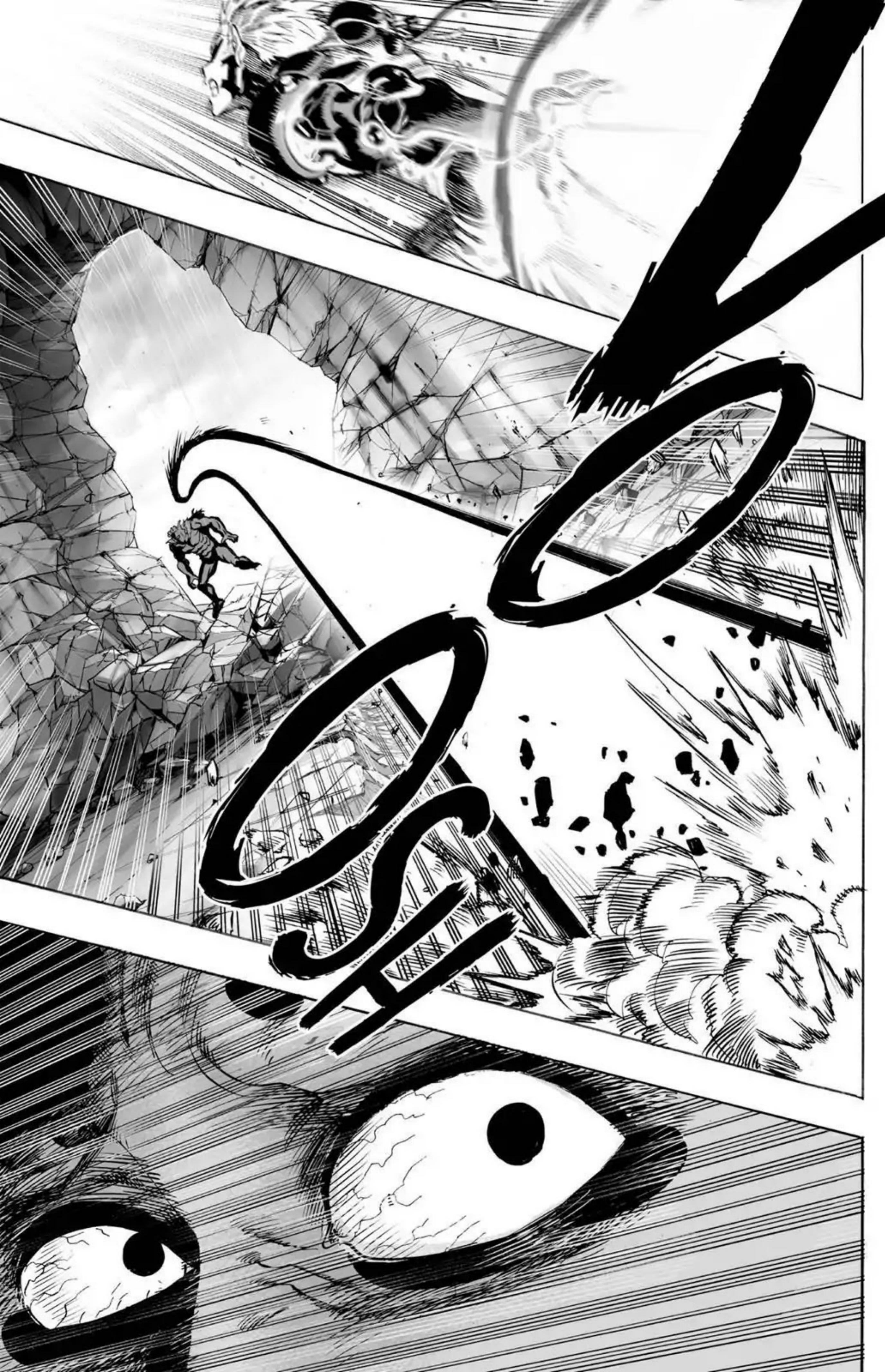
I LET
MY
GUARD
DOWN
AGAIN.

S
NNNN
...

I'M
GONNA
MESS
YOU
UP!















YOU CAN
DO IT,
MISTER!!

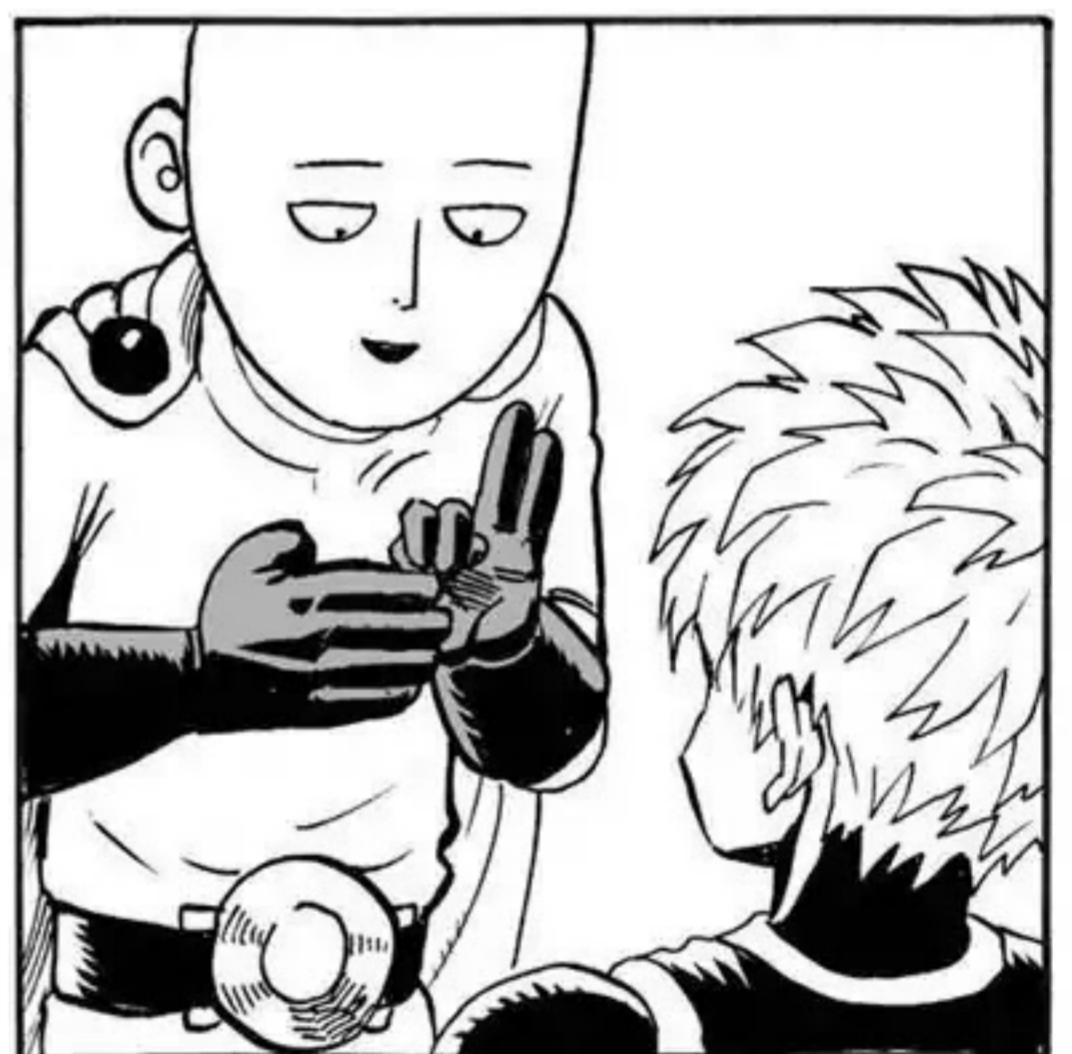
Y...

SHUT
UP.

TIME TO
MELT,
LITTLE
GIRL!

WHAT
?!
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