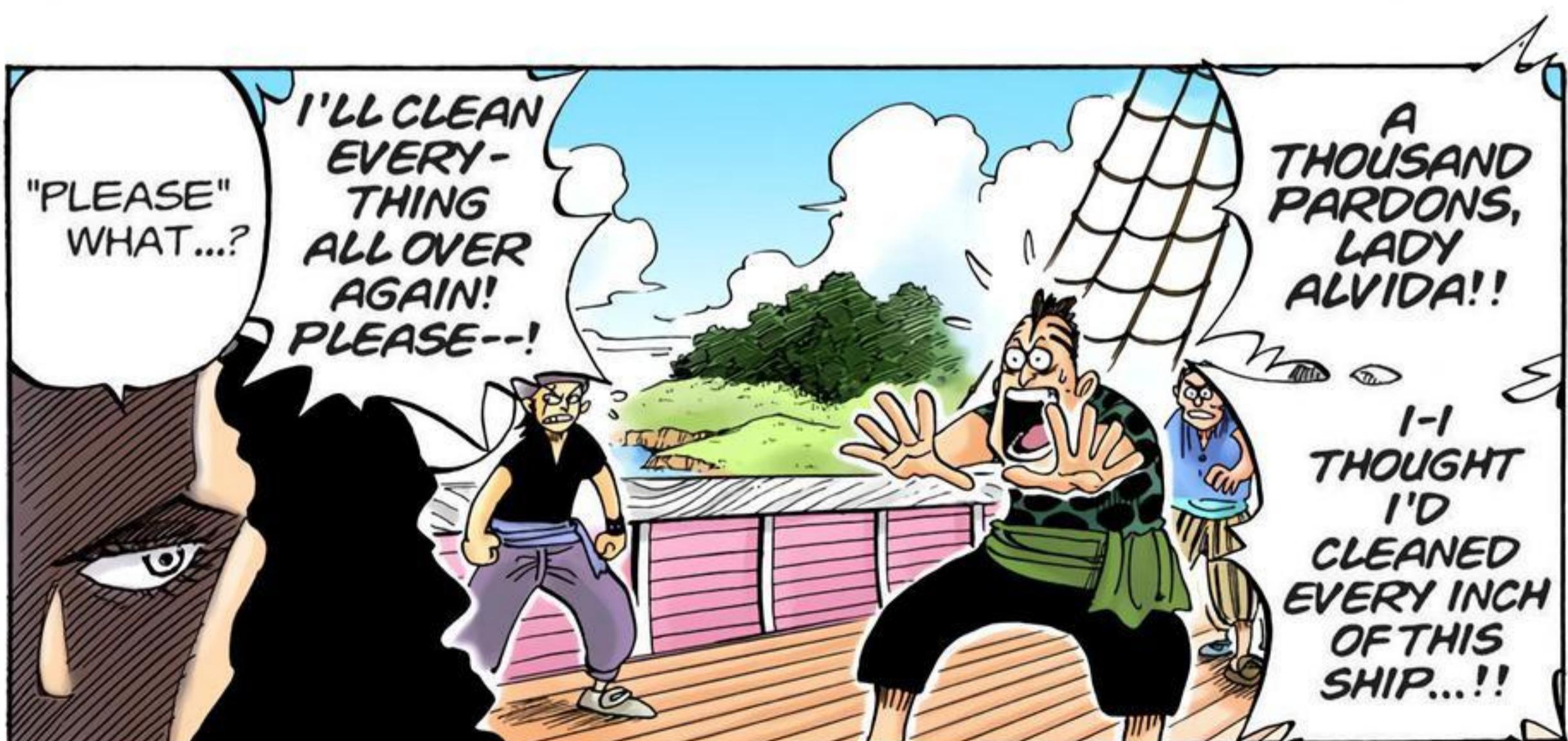
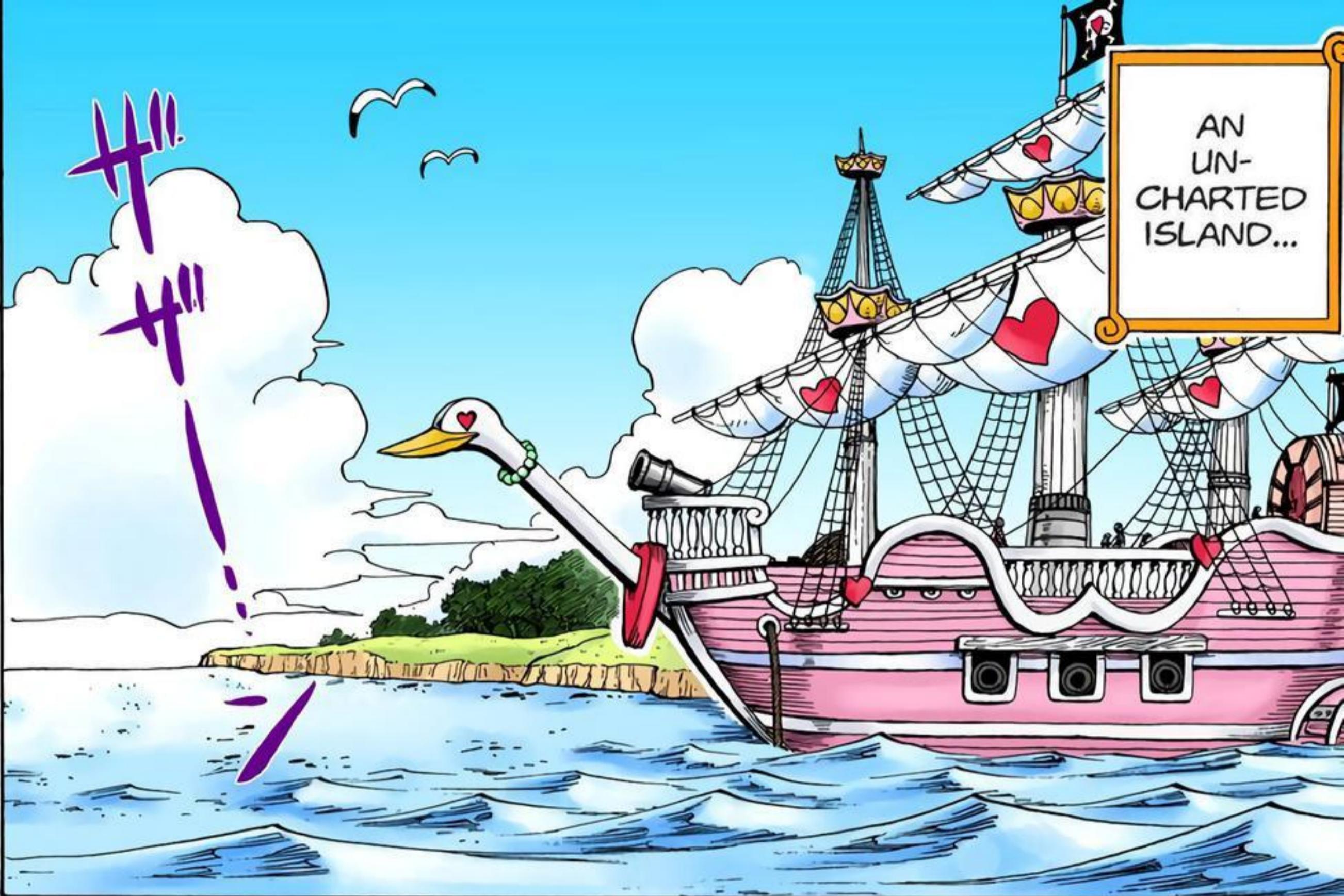
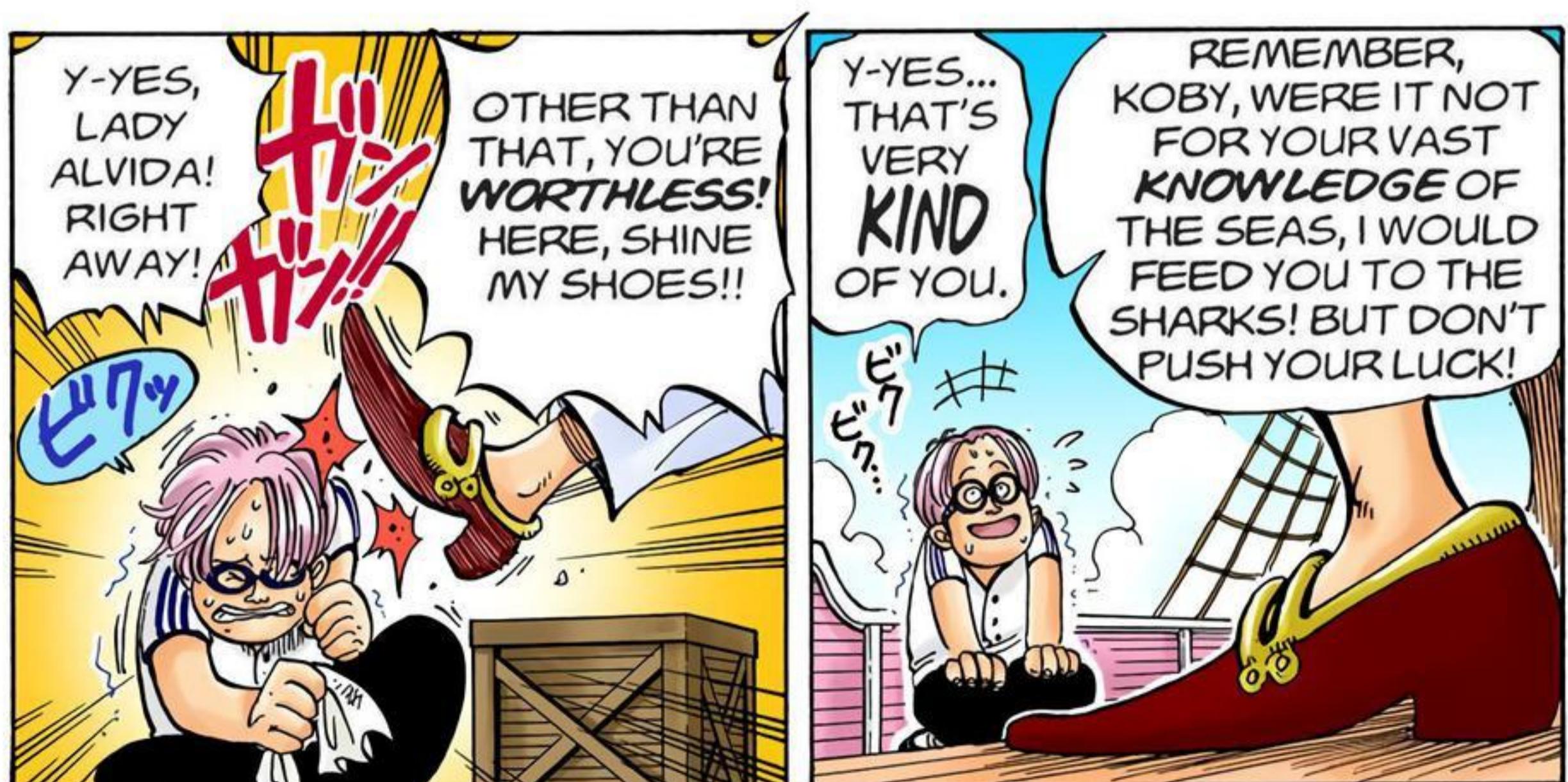
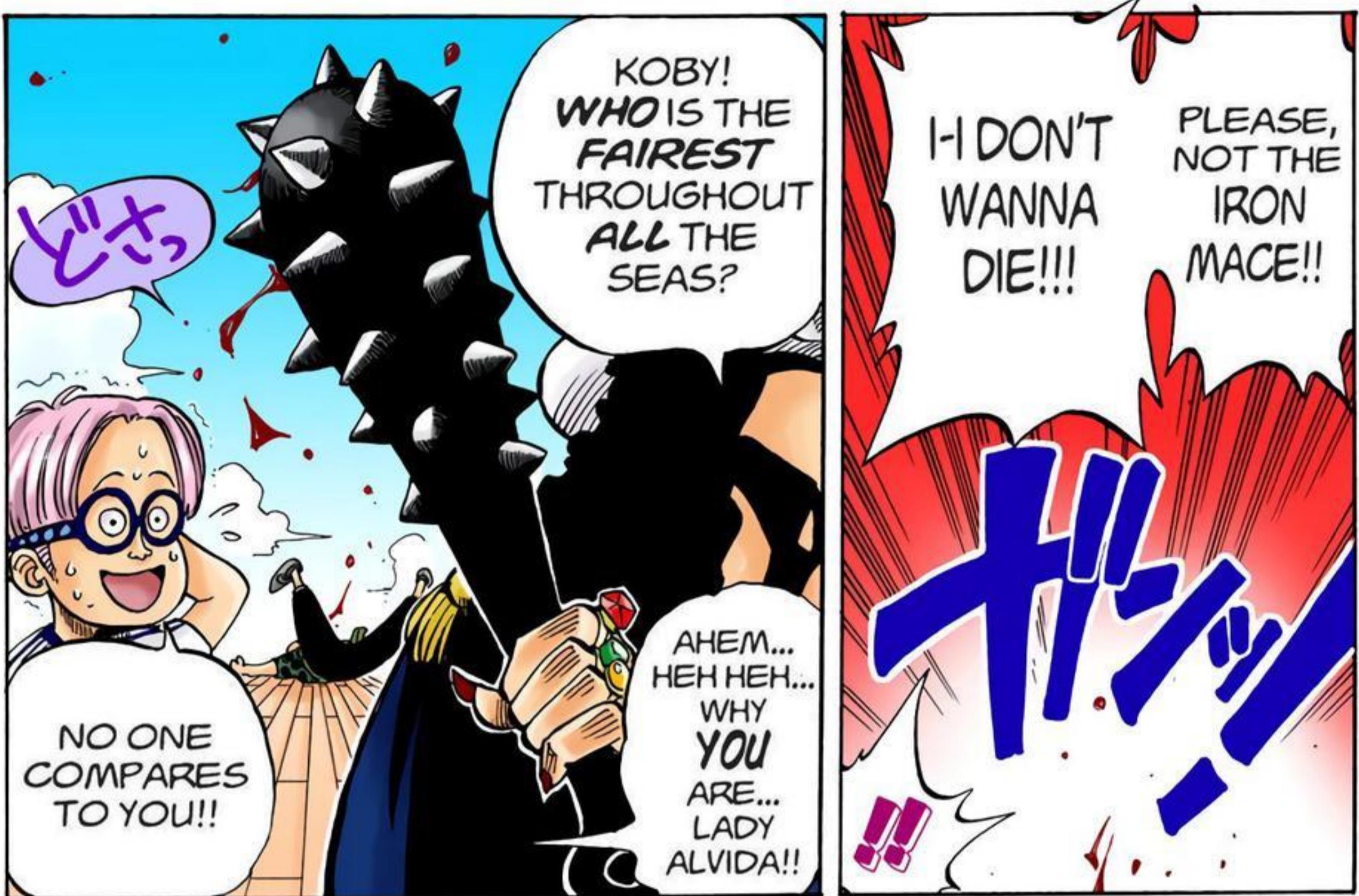


# CHAPTER 2:

# THEY CALL HIM "STRAW HAT LUFFY"







AYE  
AYE!

I  
DON'T WANT TO  
SEE EVEN ONE  
SPECK OF DUST  
ON THIS SHIP!!!

THAT'S  
ENOUGH!!  
YOU'RE  
PATHETIC!!

OOF!

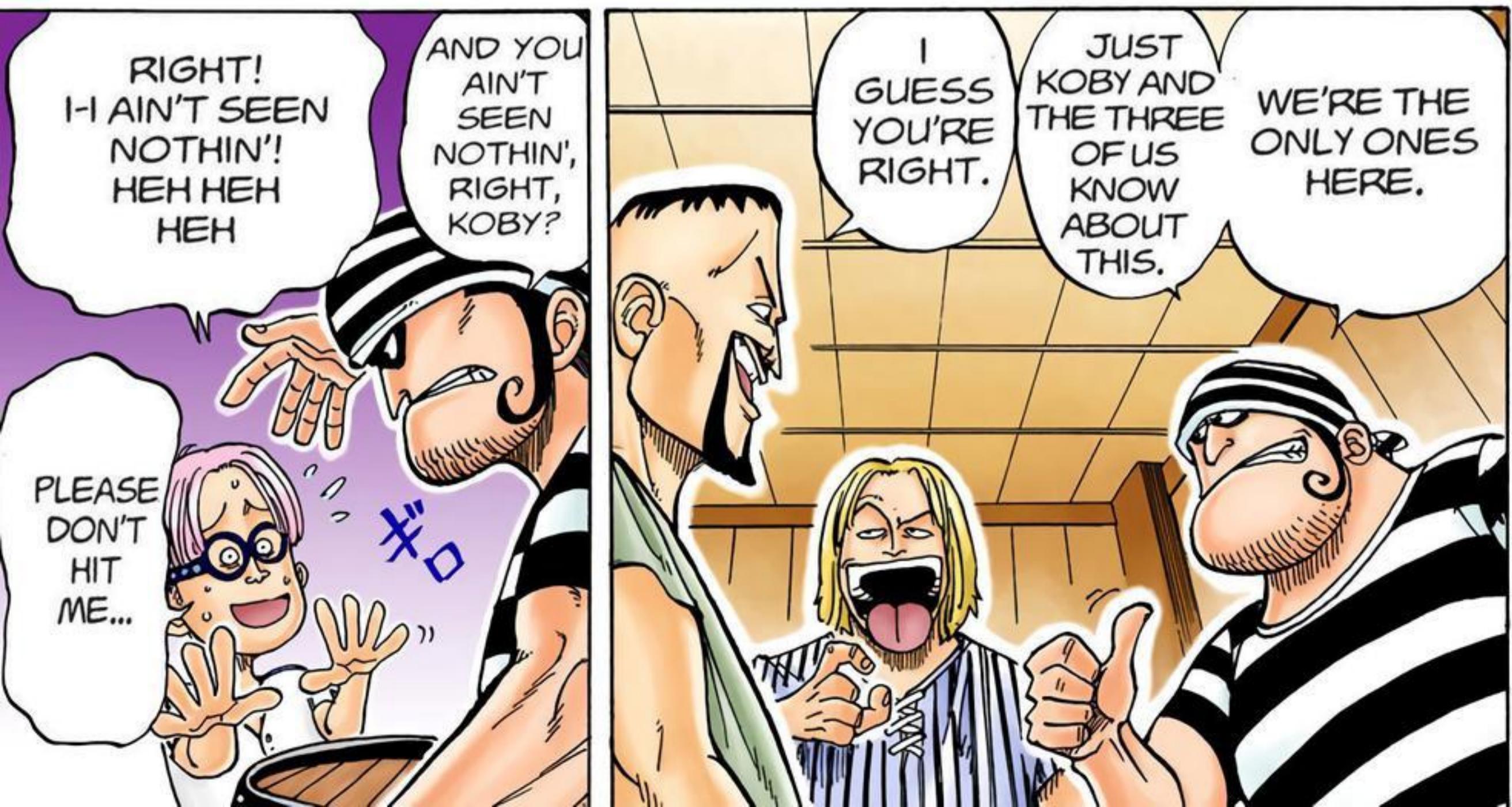
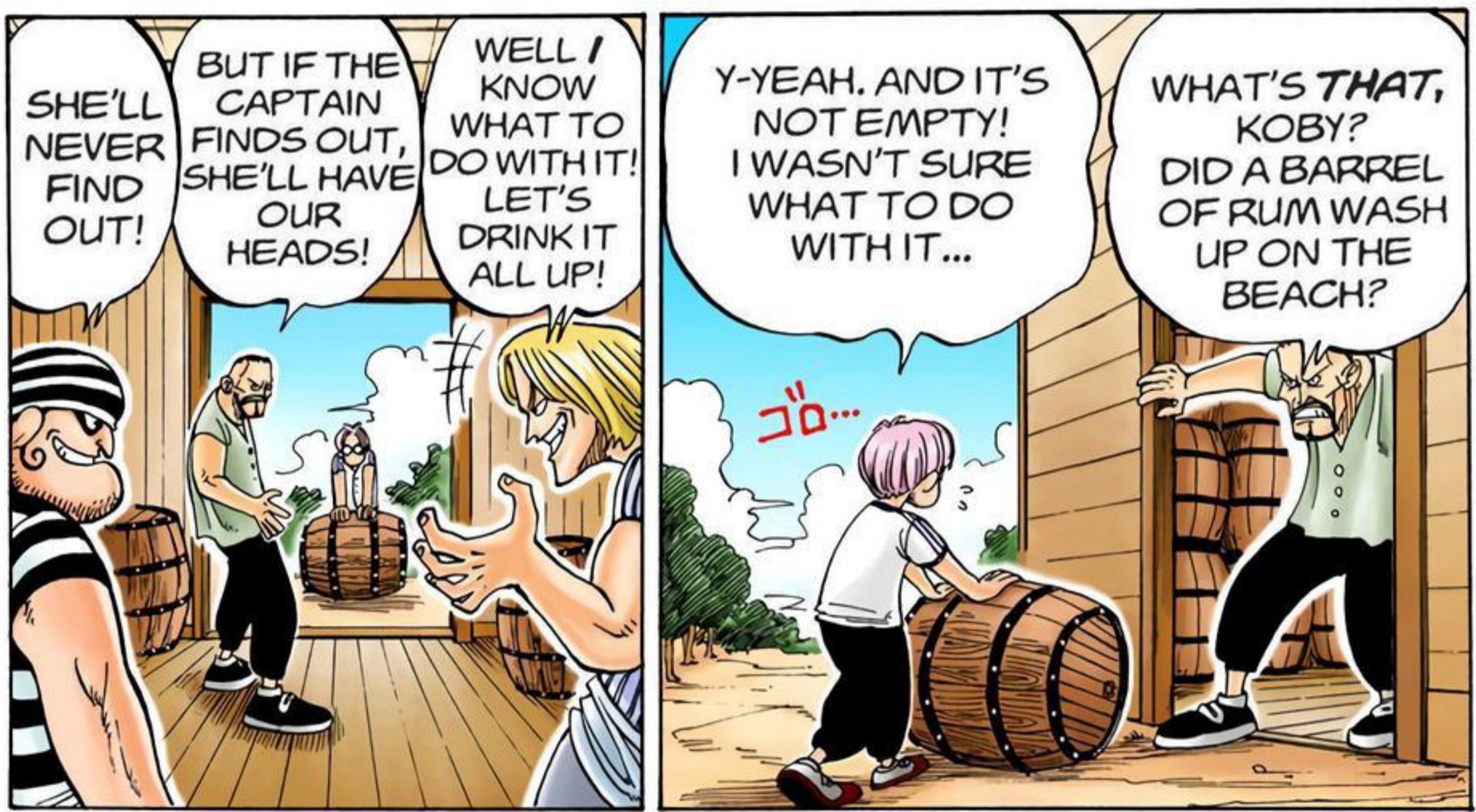
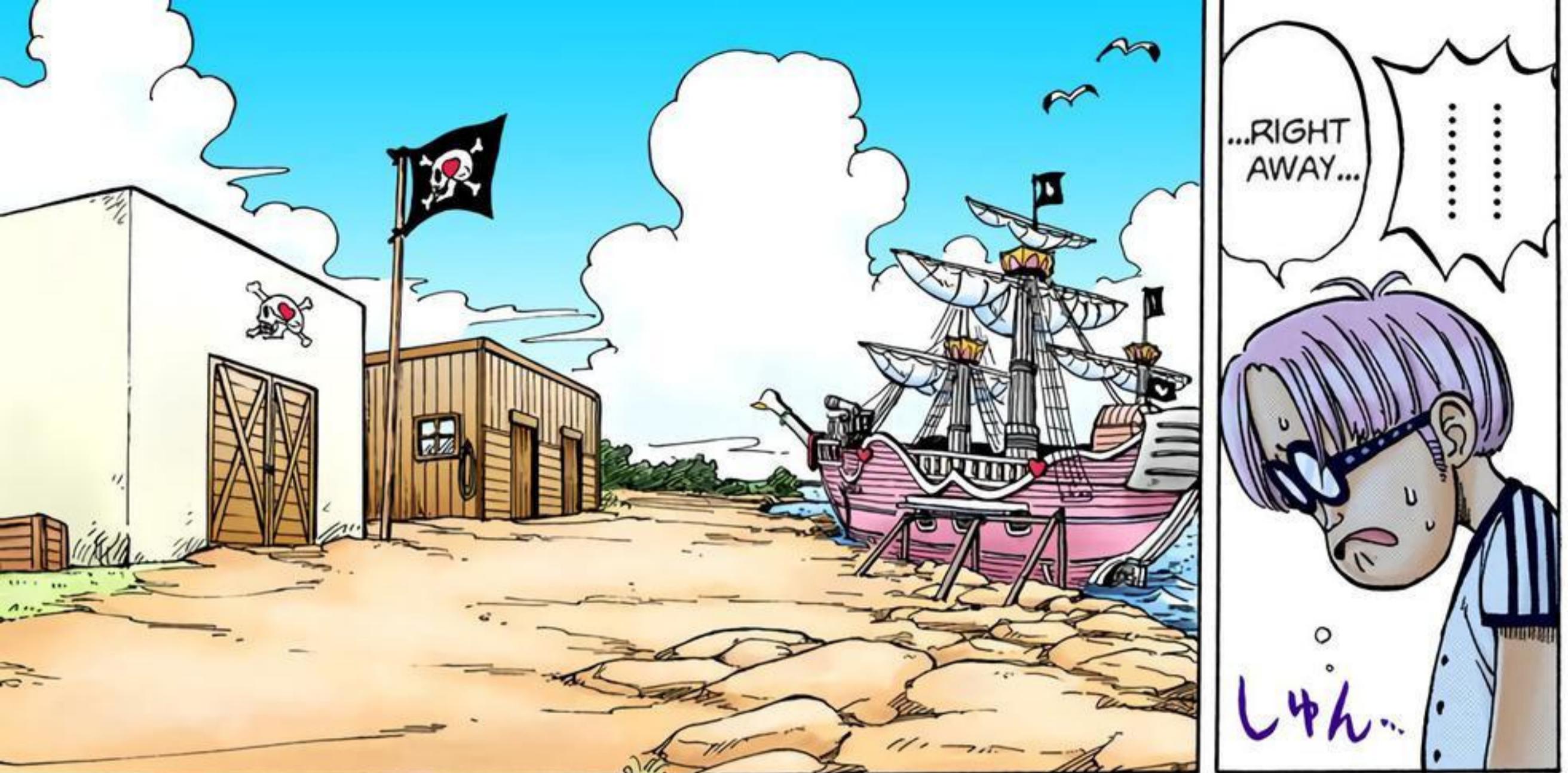
THE LADY  
PIRATE  
**IRON MACE**  
**ALVIDA**

YES,  
MILADY!  
RIGHT  
AWAY...

HEH  
HEH...

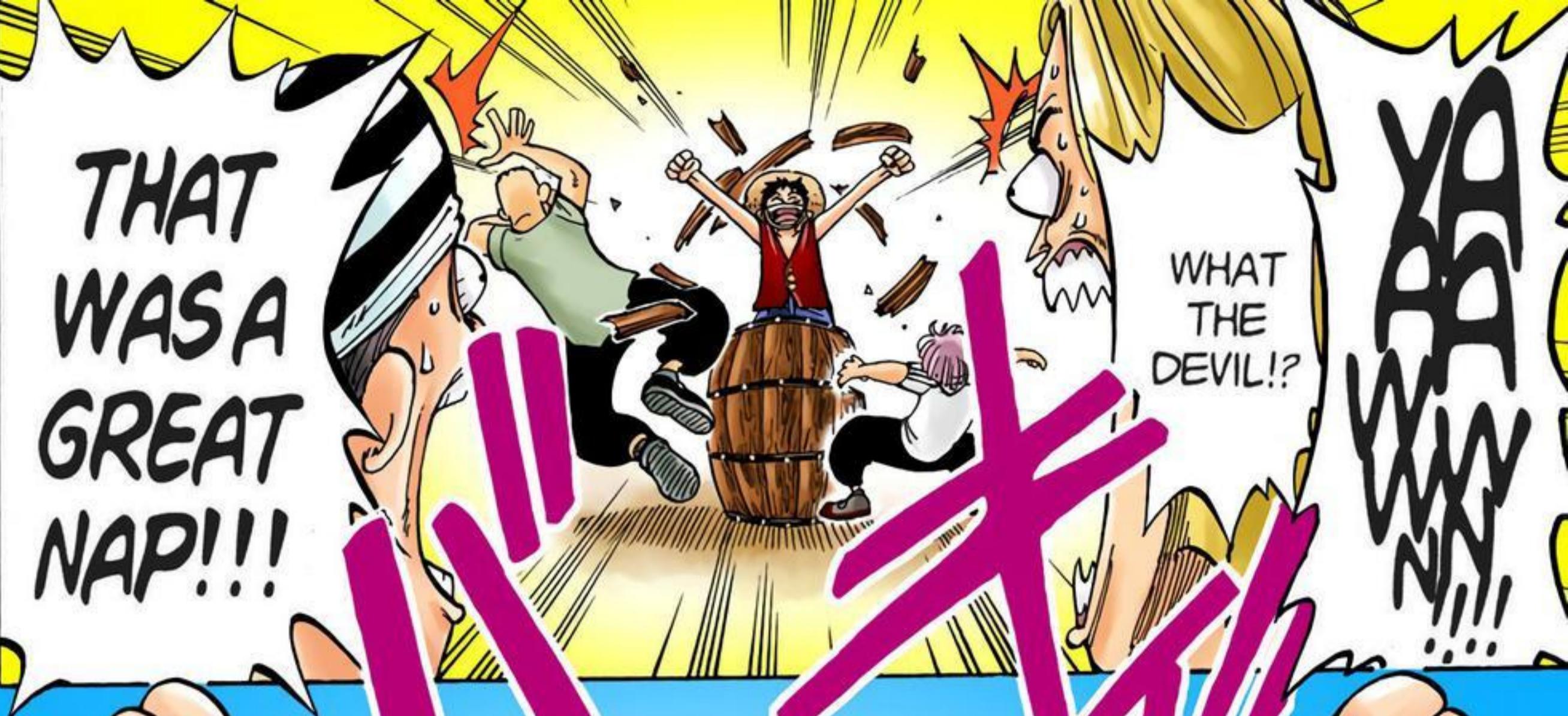
IF YOU'VE  
GOT TIME  
TO  
GROVEL,  
THEN  
YOU'VE GOT  
TIME TO  
SCRUB THE  
TOILET!!

HEH HEH  
HEH...  
SORRY...



THAT  
WAS A  
GREAT  
NAP!!!

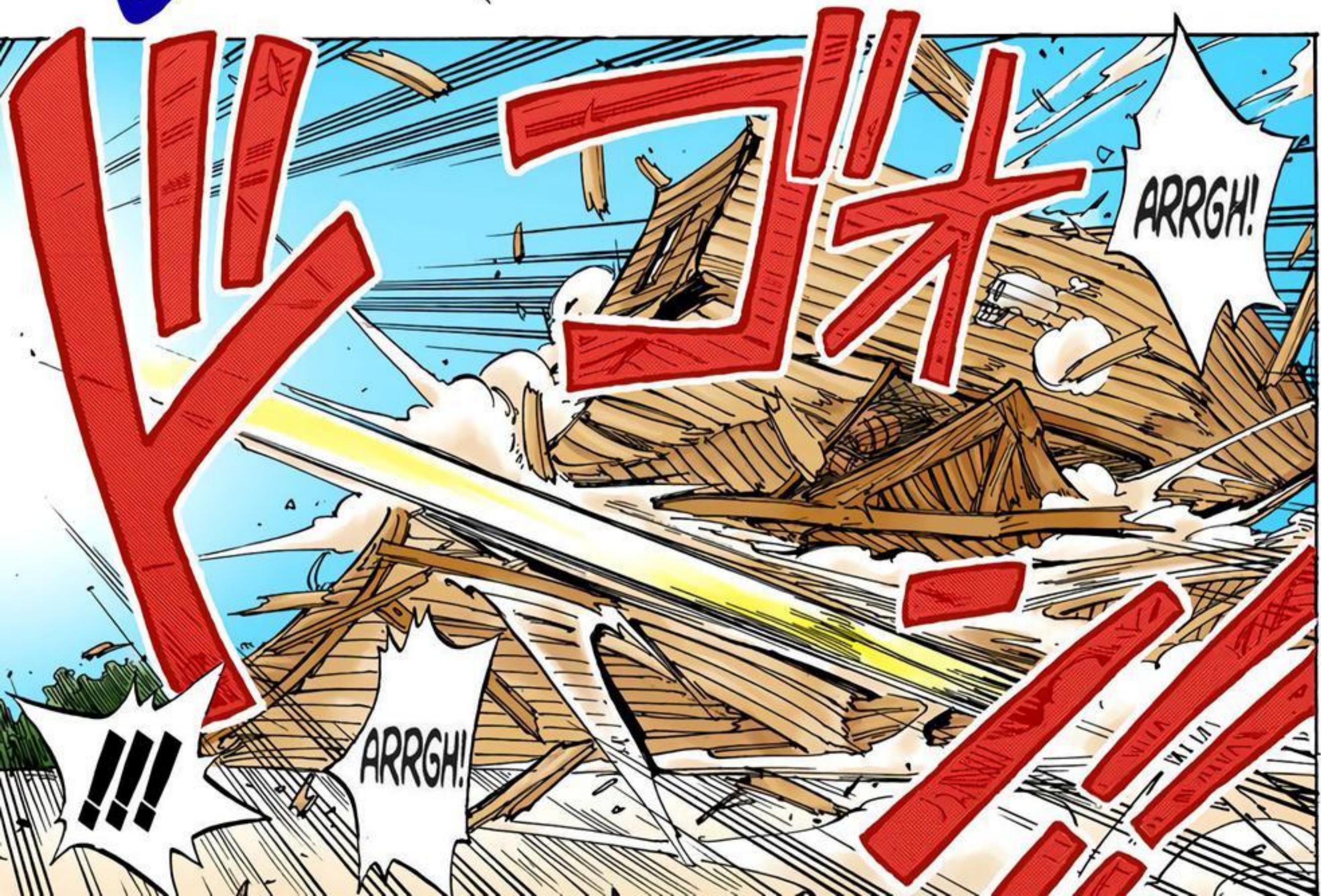
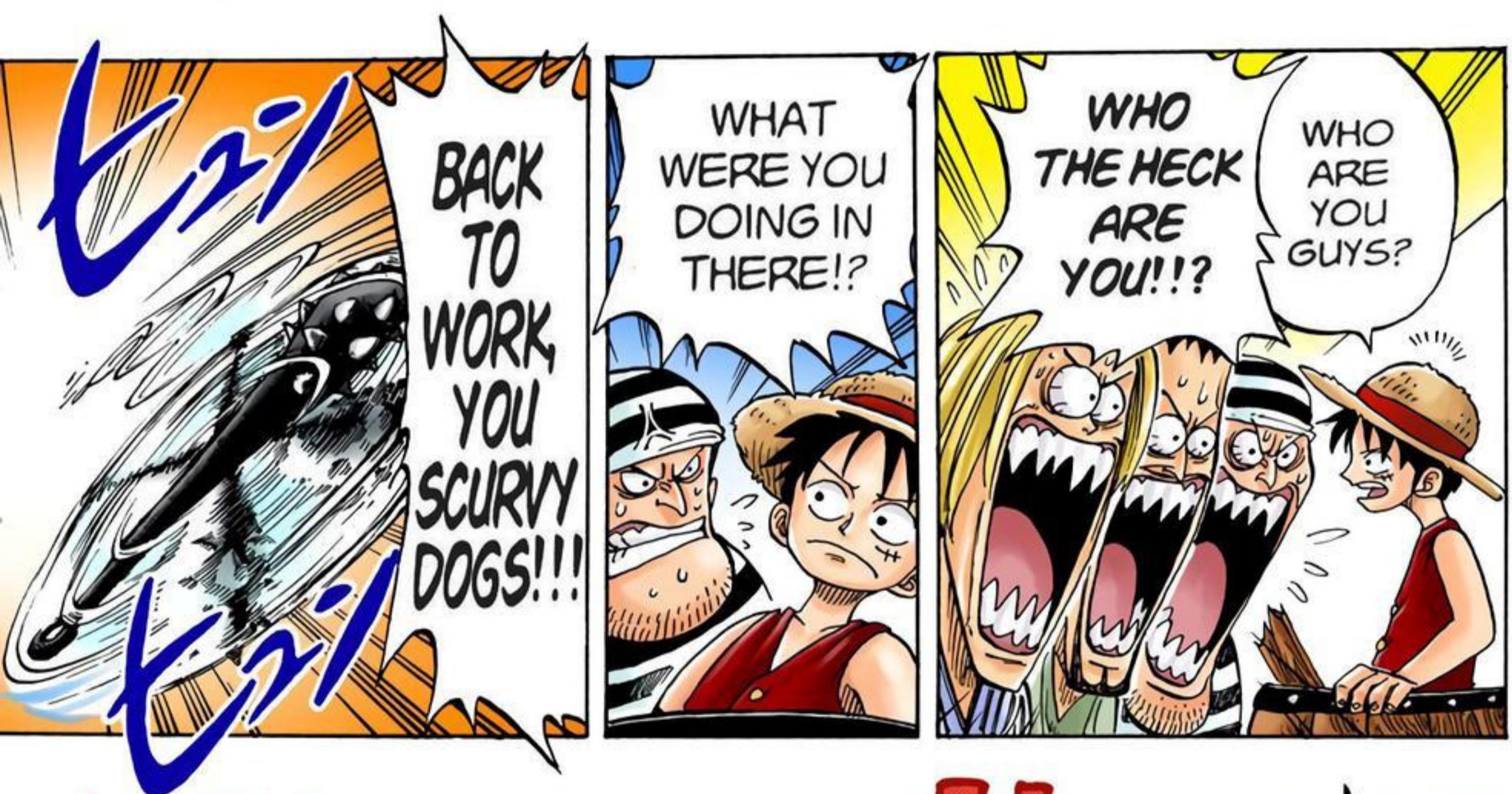
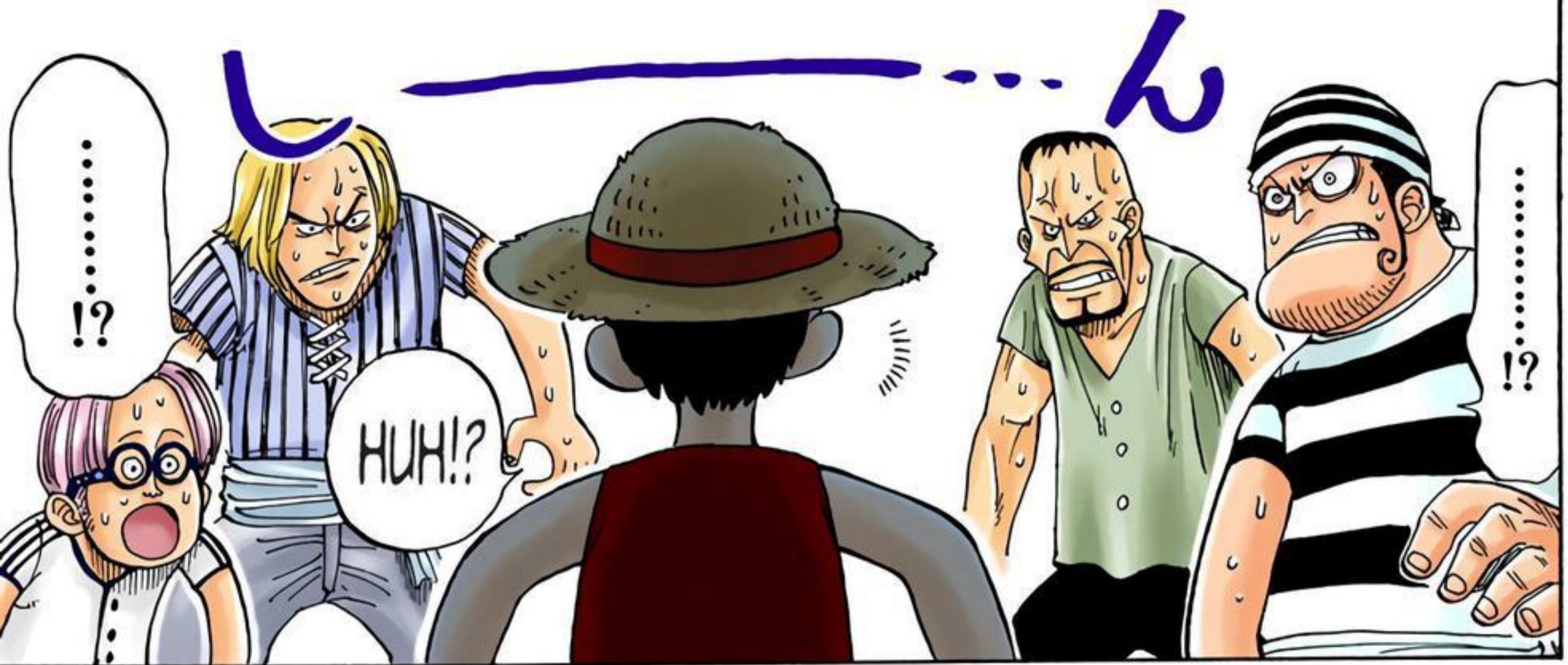
WHAT  
THE  
DEVIL!?

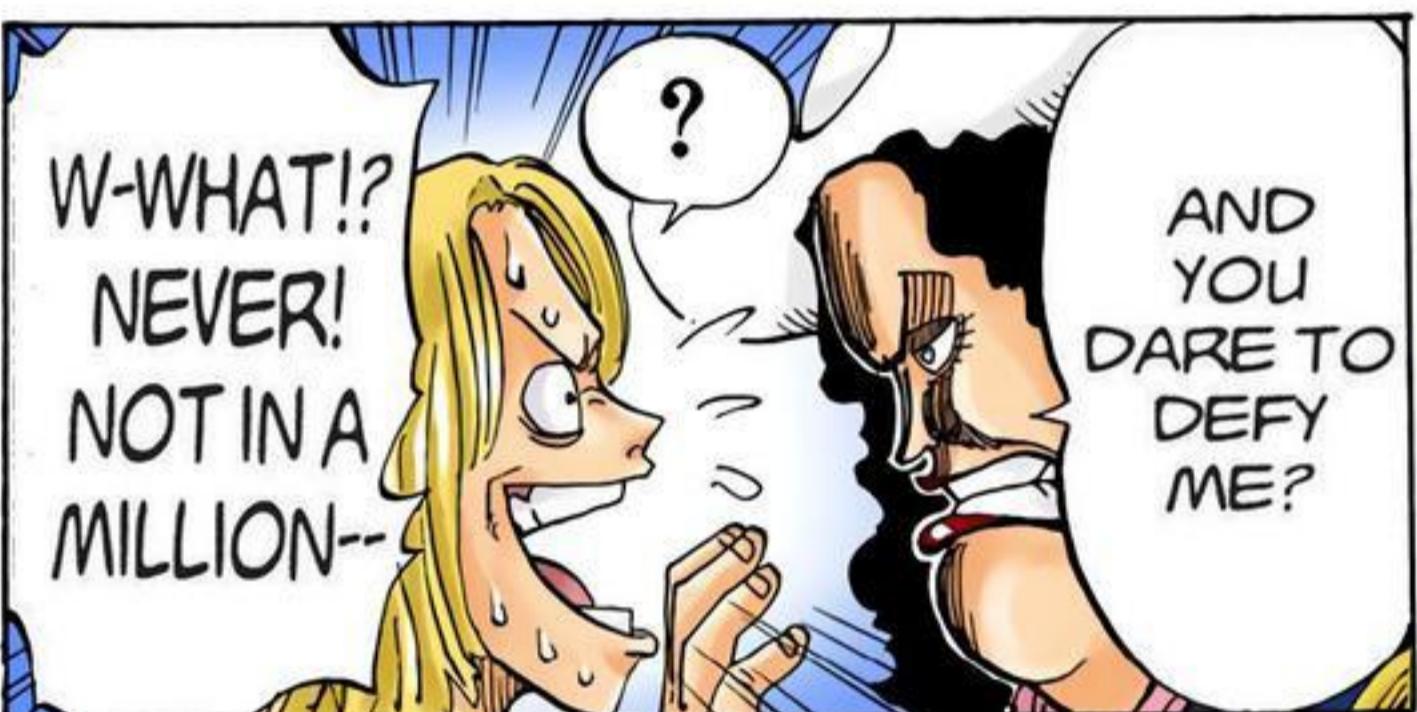
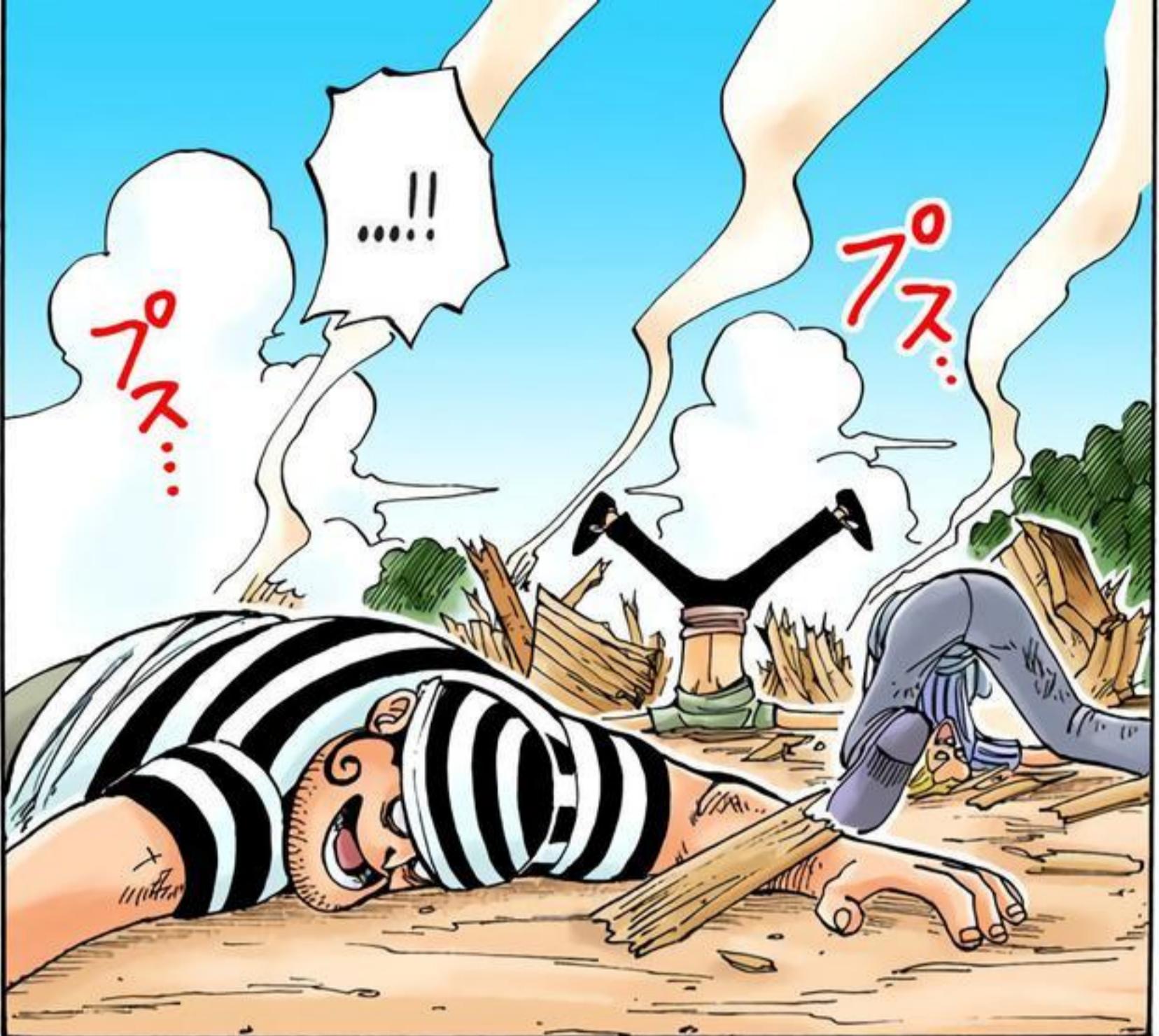


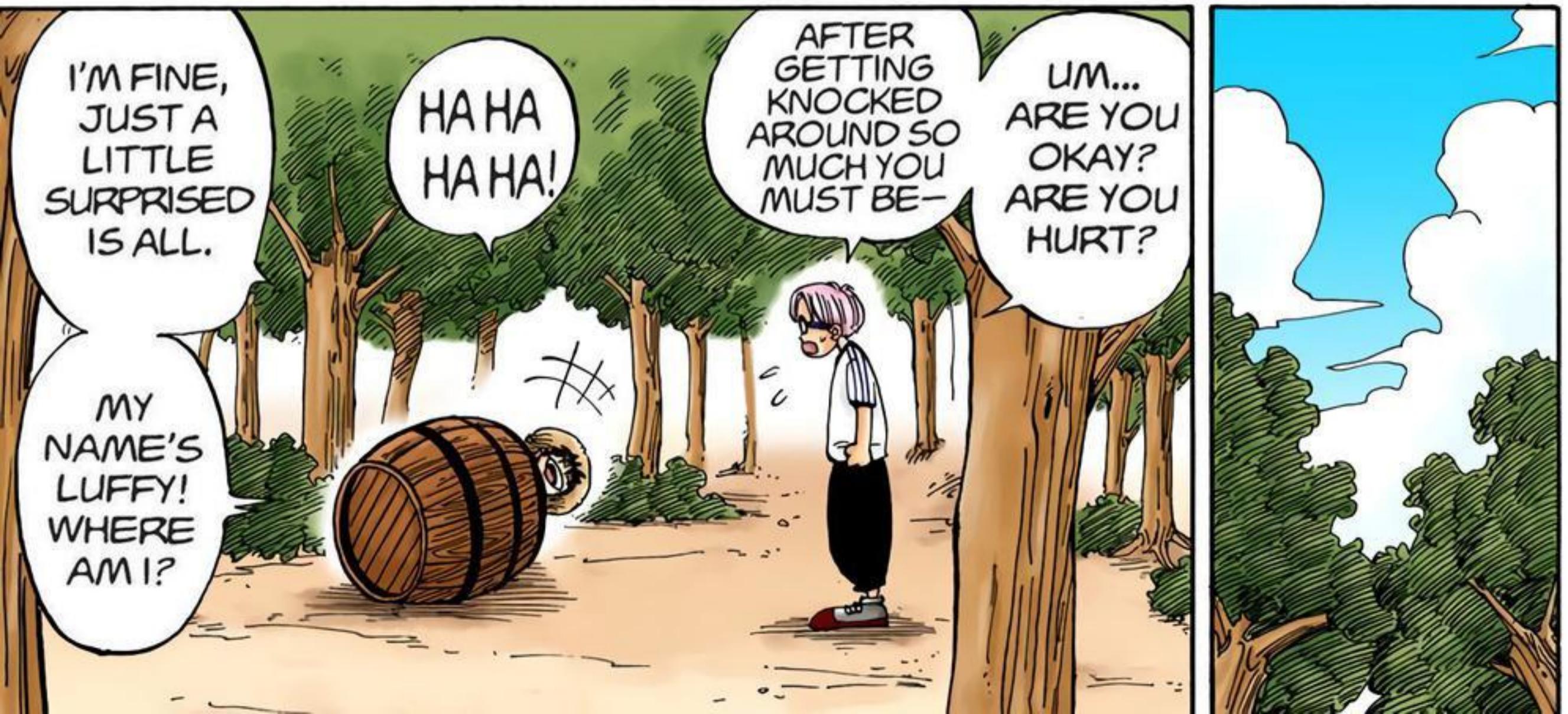
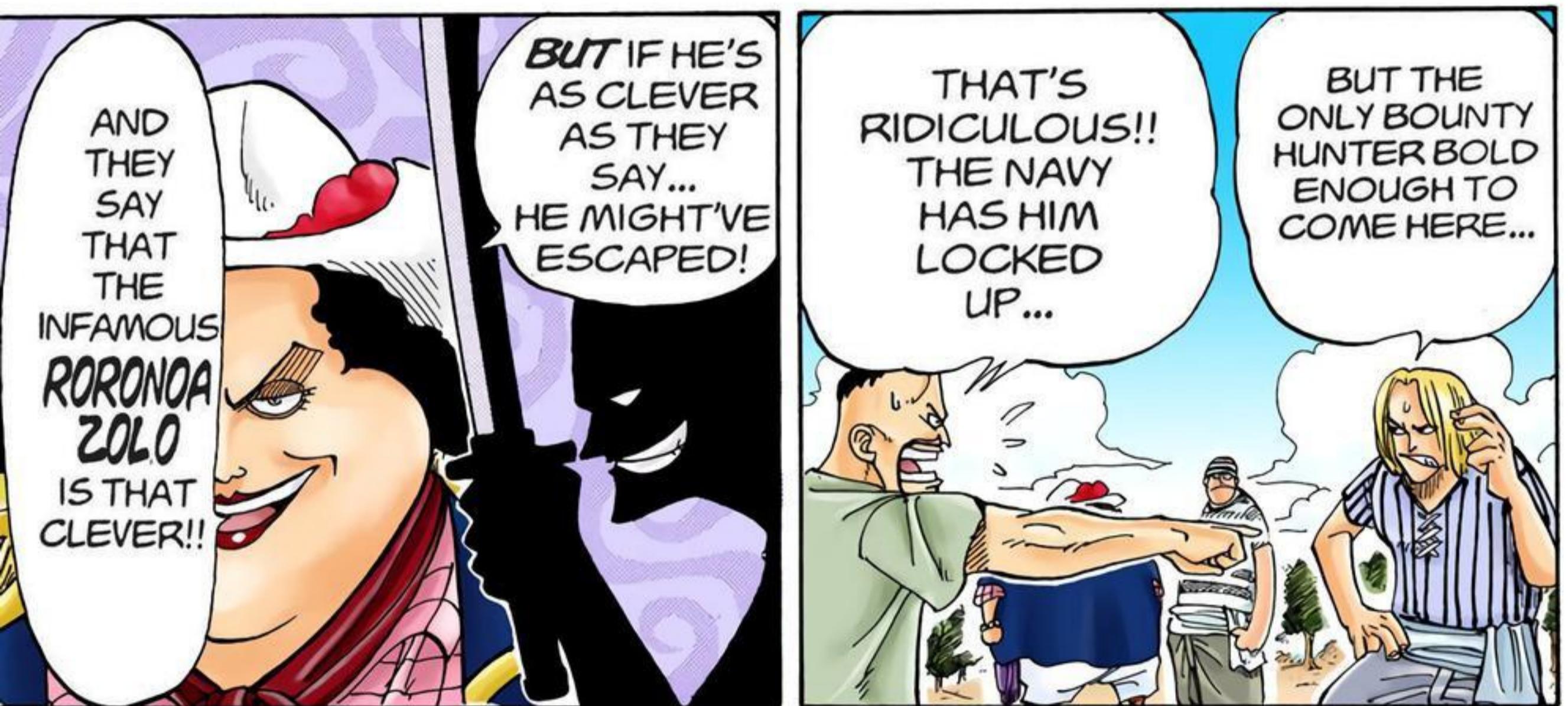
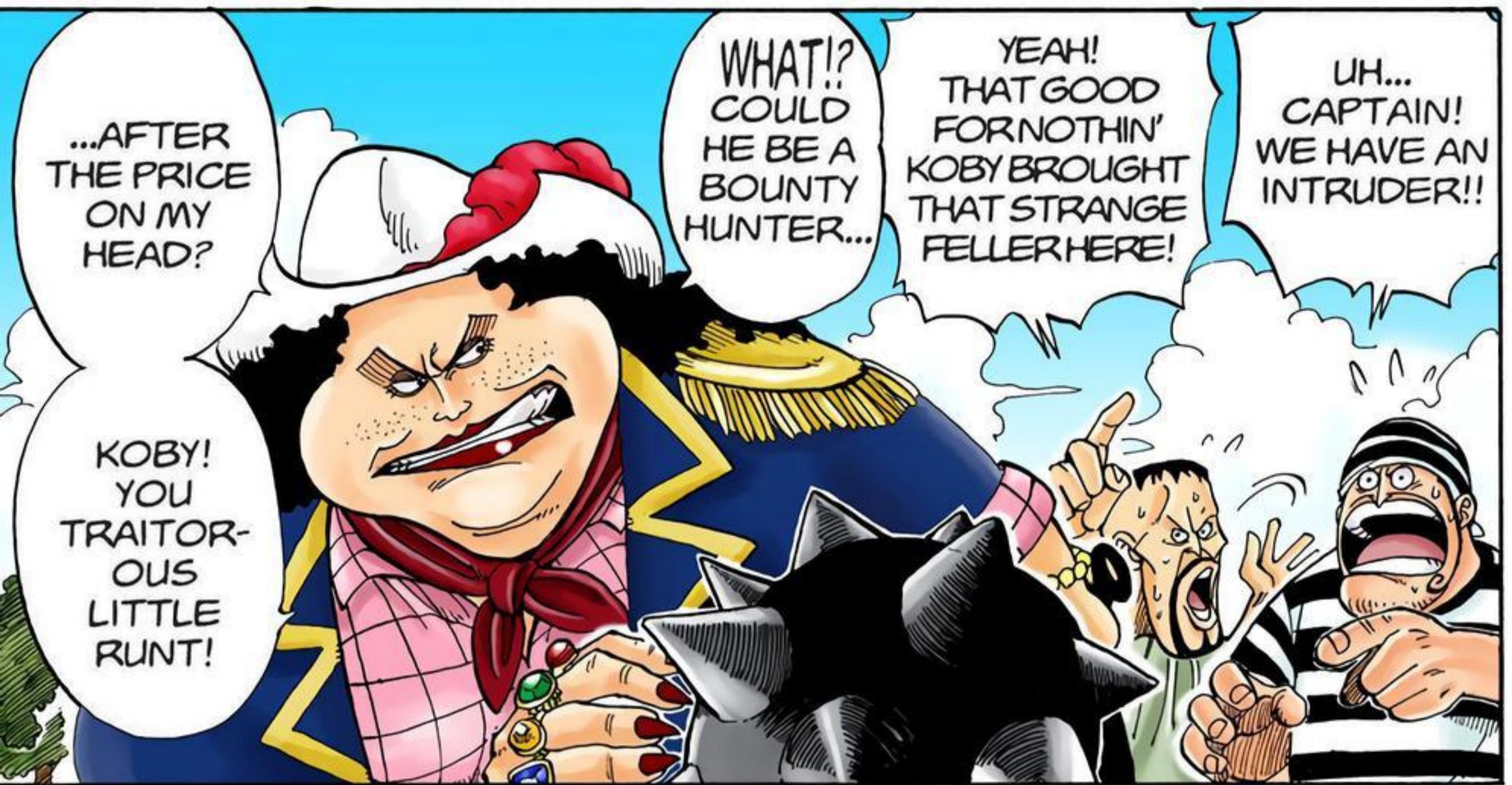
I  
GOT SO  
DIZZY I  
THOUGHT I WAS  
GONNA BARF!!  
HAHAHAHA!

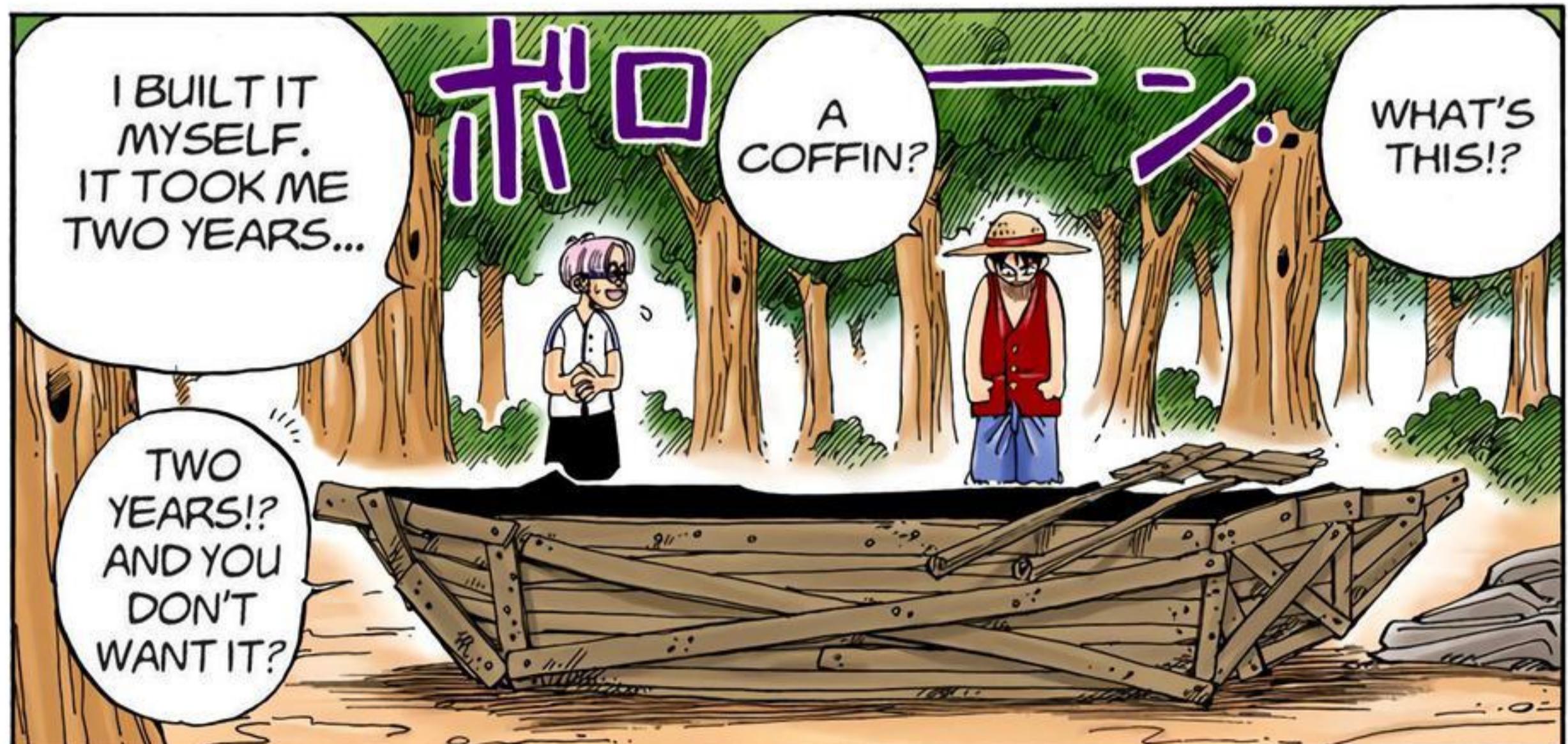
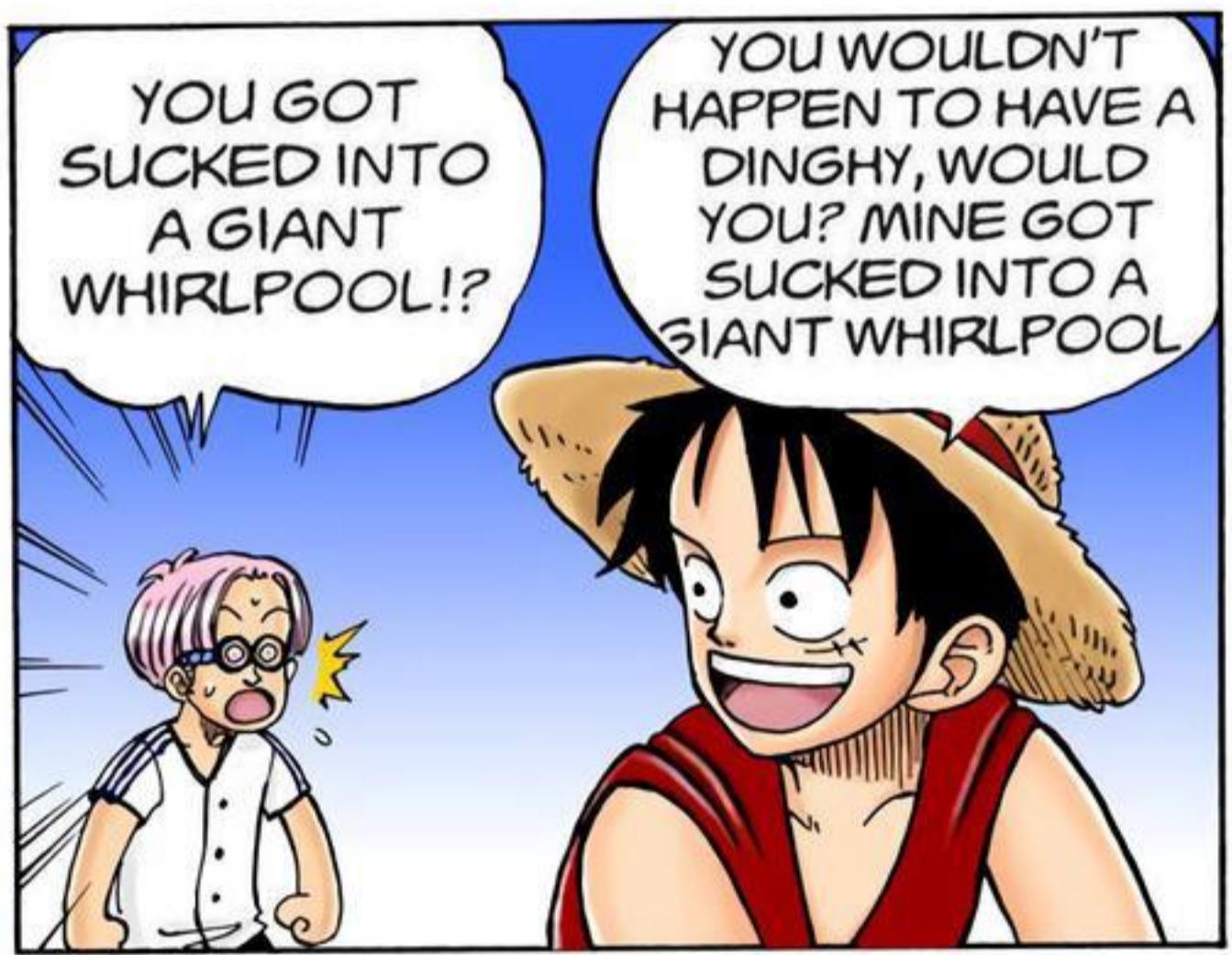
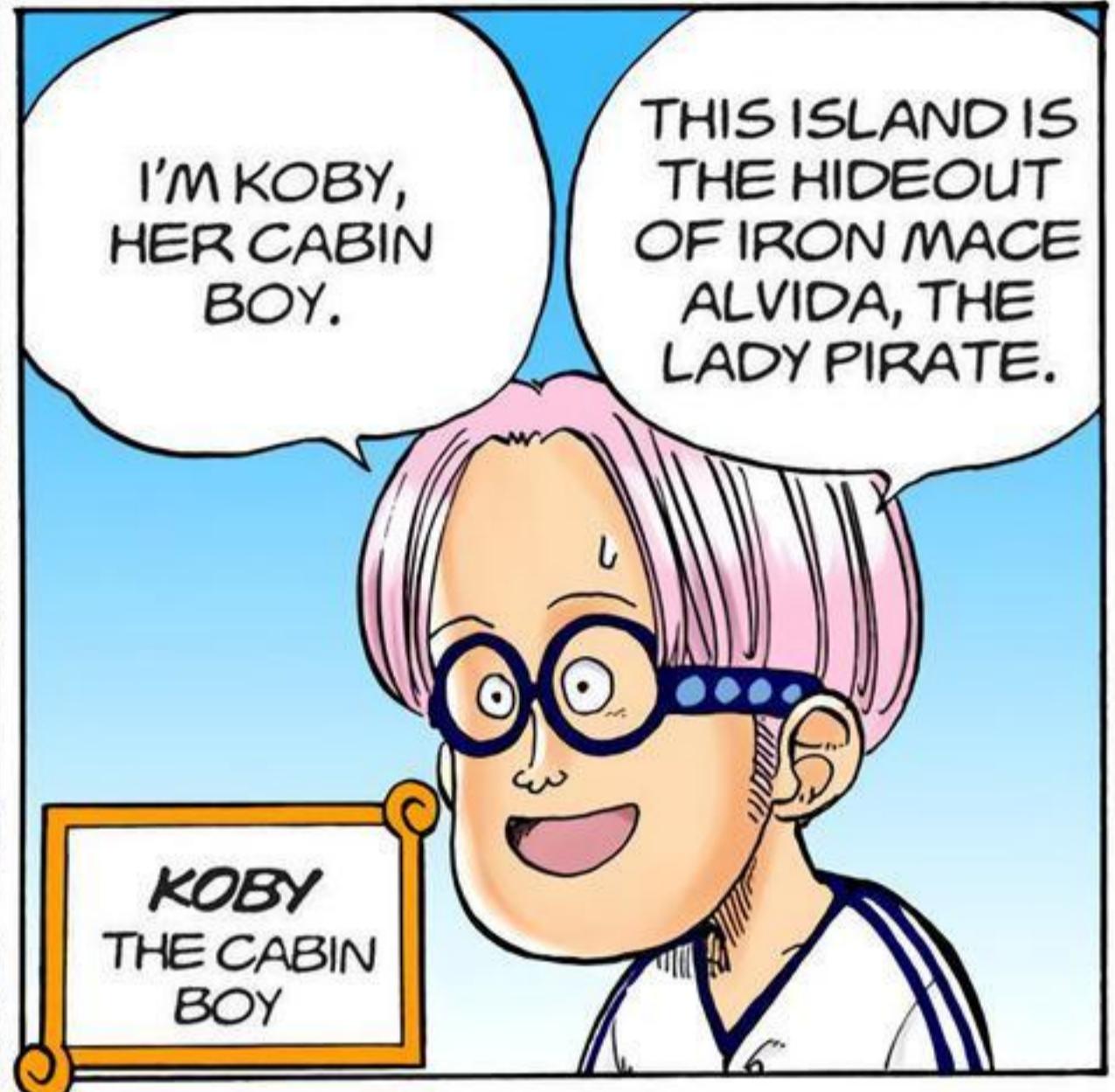
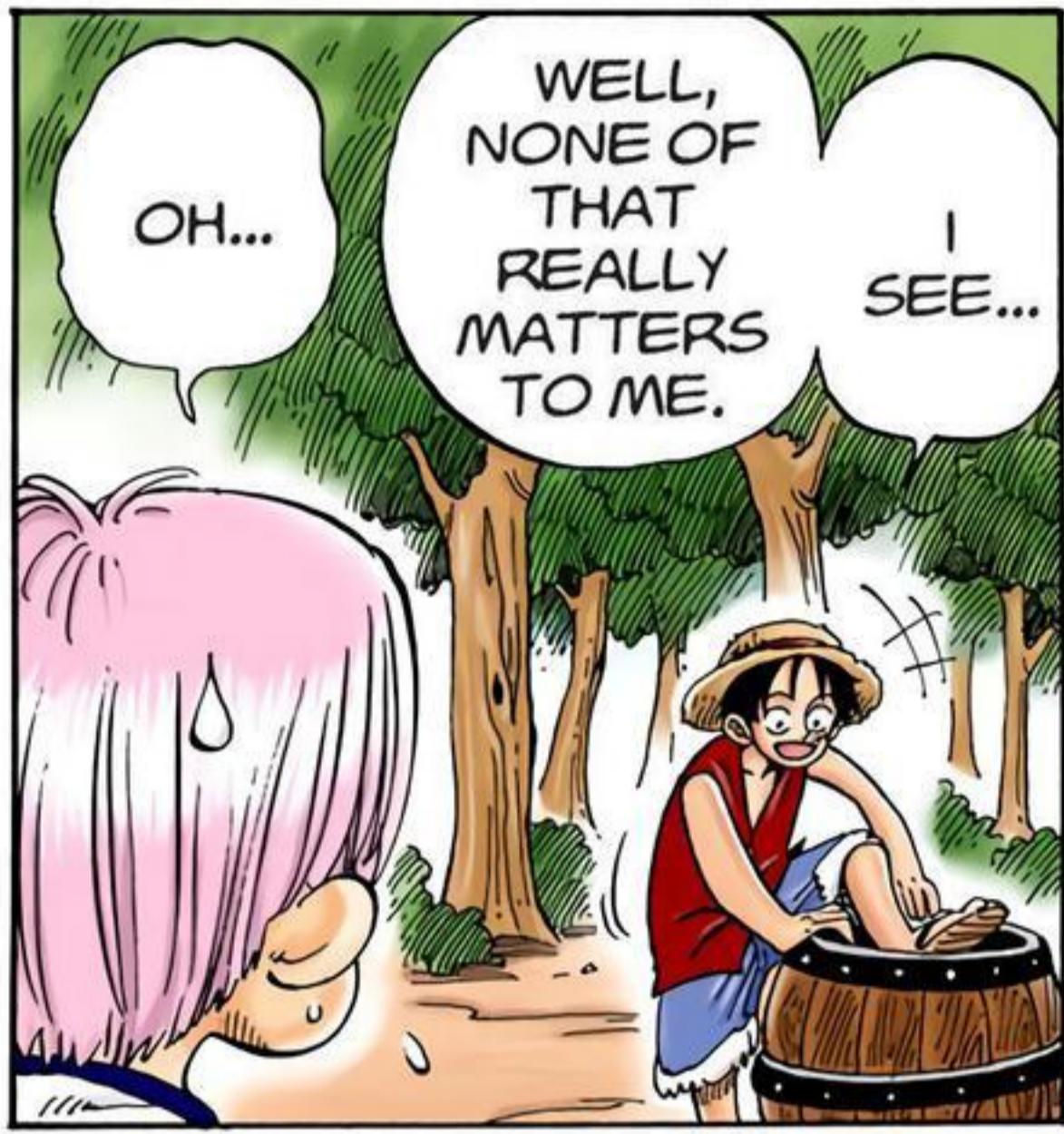
HMM...  
LOOKS  
LIKE I  
SURVIVED  
SOMEHOW.











N-NO WAY!  
JUST THINKING  
ABOUT WHAT ALVIDA  
WOULD DO TO ME IF  
SHE CAUGHT ME  
MAKES MY BLADDER  
WEAK...

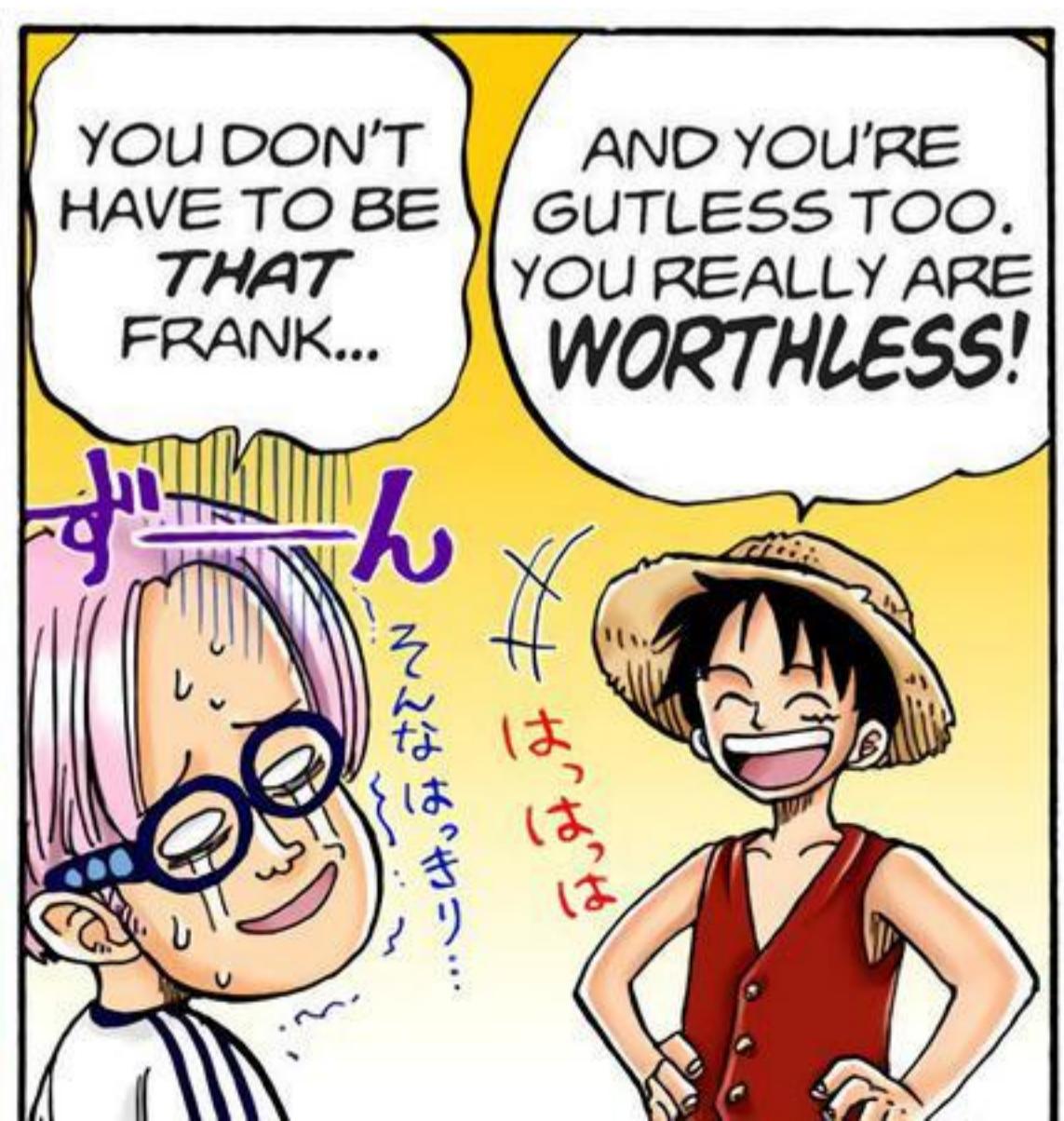
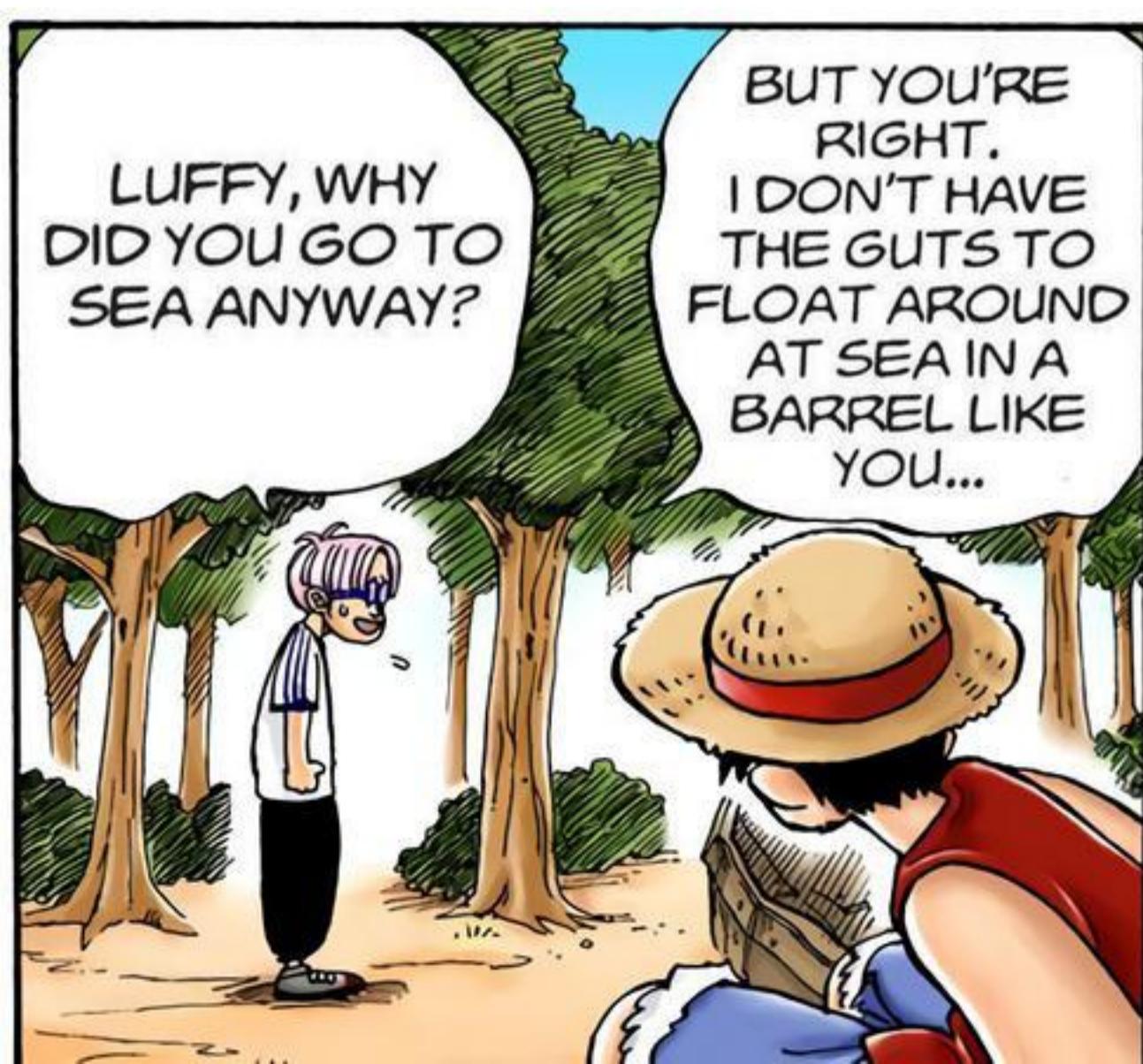
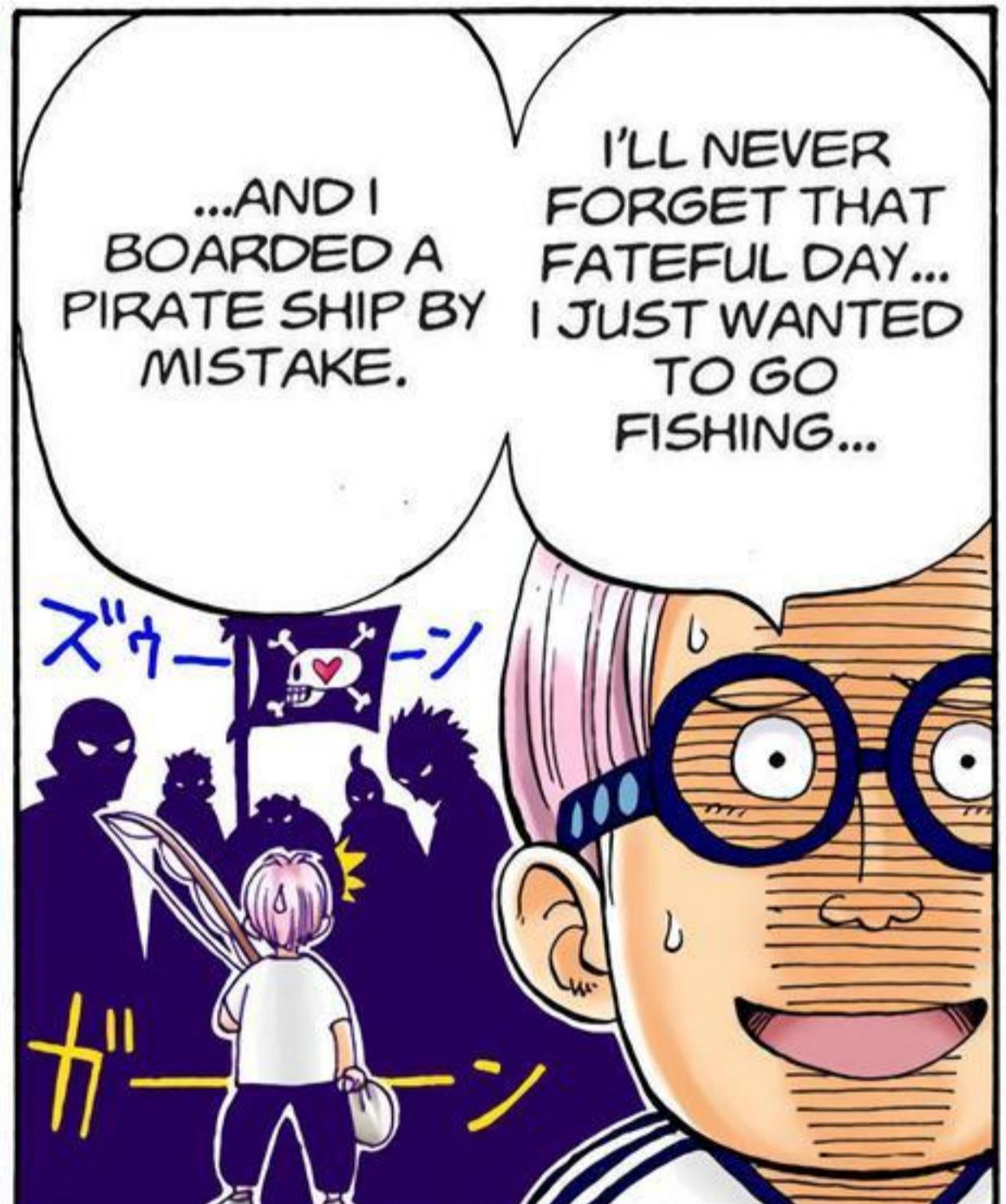
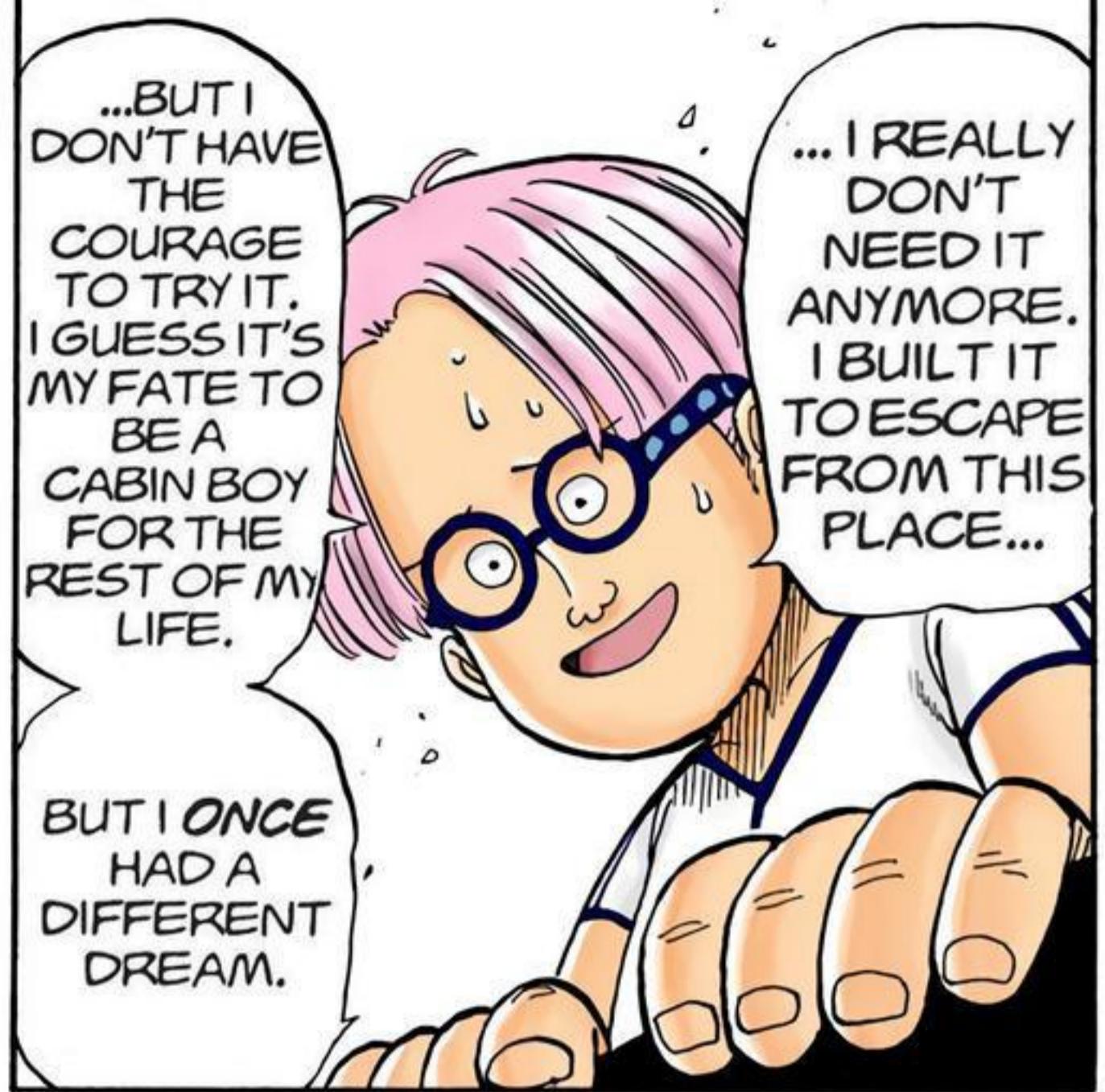
WHY  
DON'T  
YOU JUST  
ESCAPE?

...BUT I  
DON'T HAVE  
THE  
COURAGE  
TO TRY IT.  
I GUESS IT'S  
MY FATE TO  
BE A  
CABIN BOY  
FOR THE  
REST OF MY  
LIFE.

I JUST  
CAN'T  
RISK  
IT...

BUT I ONCE  
HAD A  
DIFFERENT  
DREAM.

... I REALLY  
DON'T  
NEED IT  
ANYMORE.  
I BUILT IT  
TO ESCAPE  
FROM THIS  
PLACE...



I'M  
GONNA  
BE THE  
**KING**  
OF THE  
**PIRATES!!!**

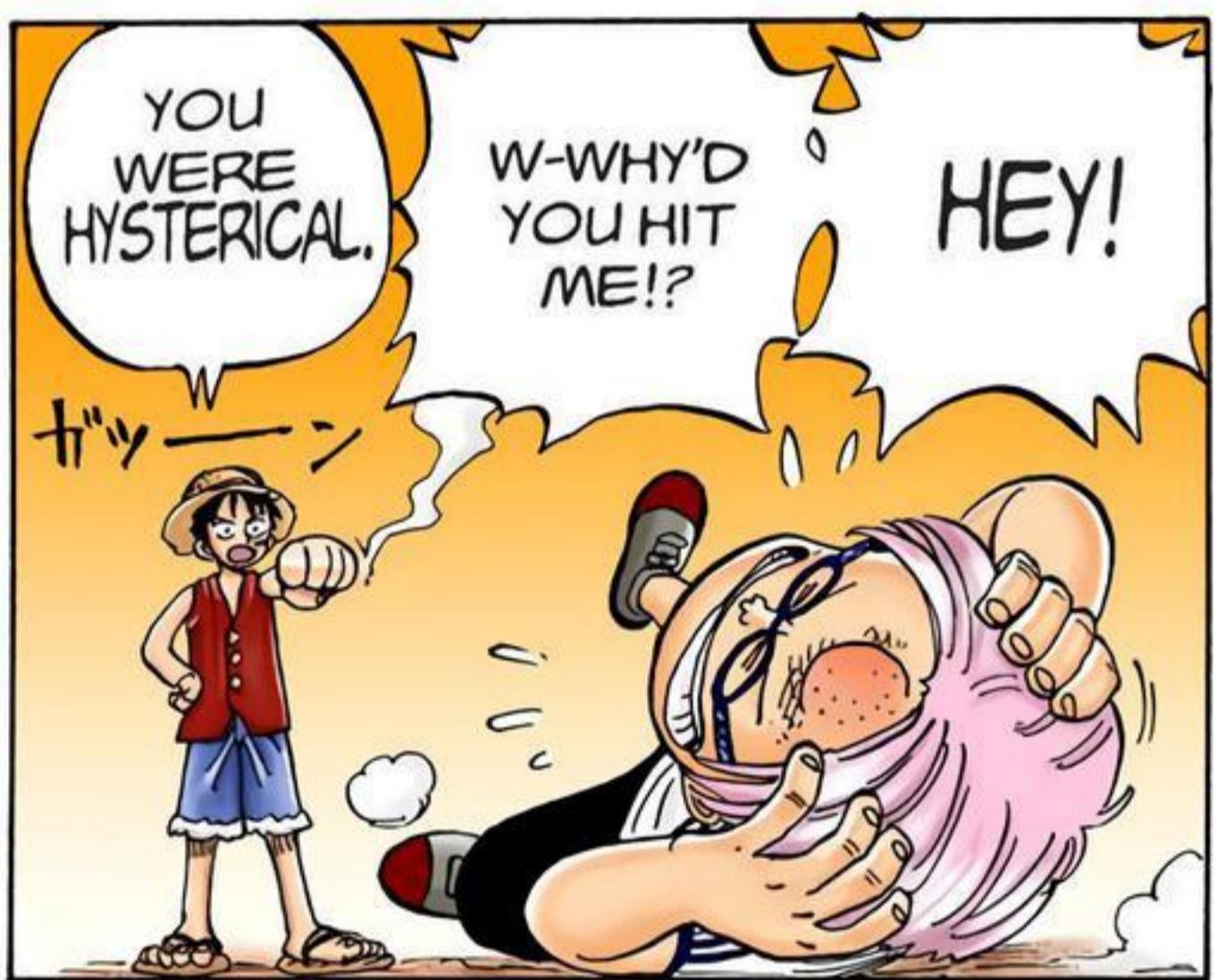
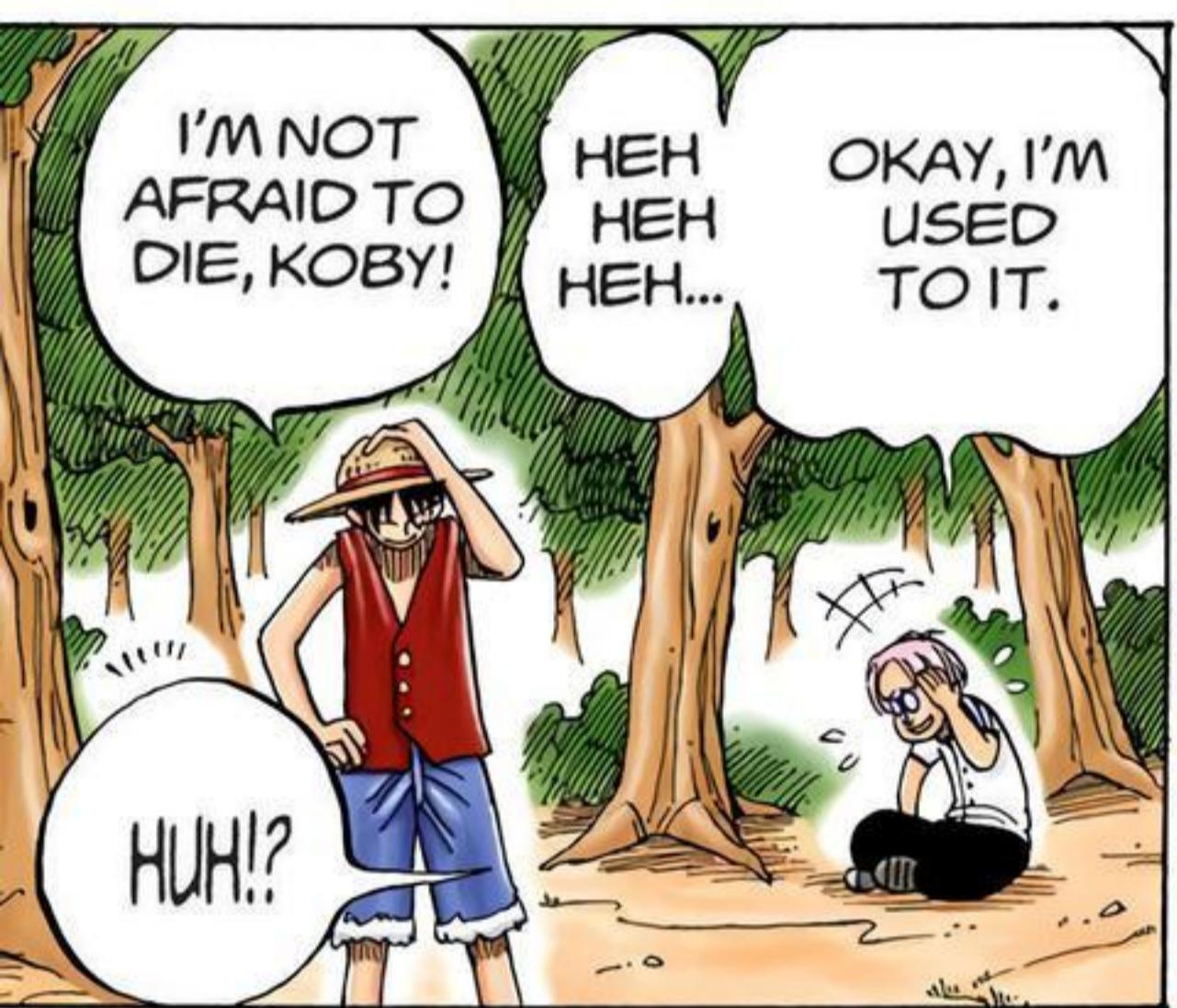
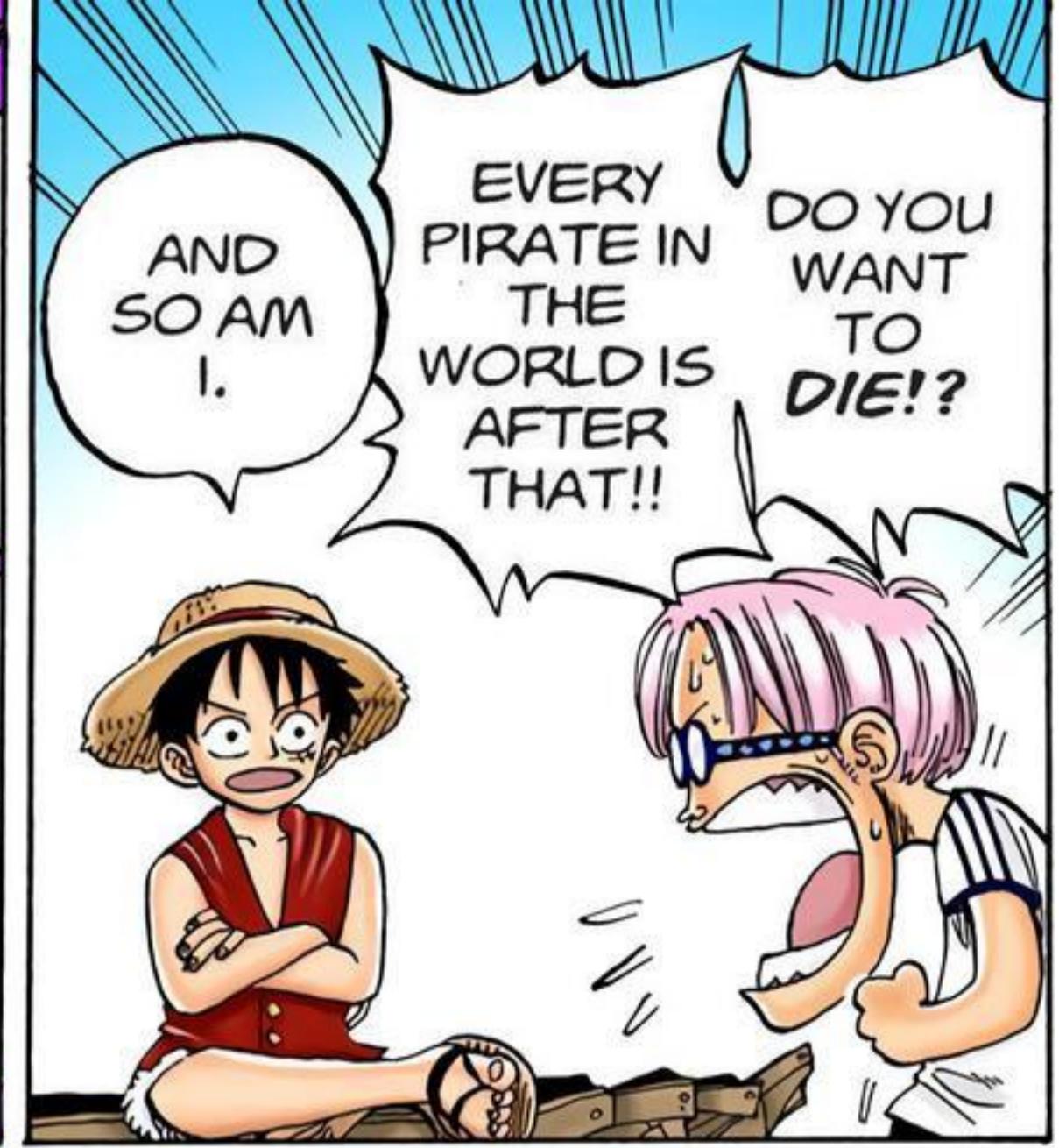
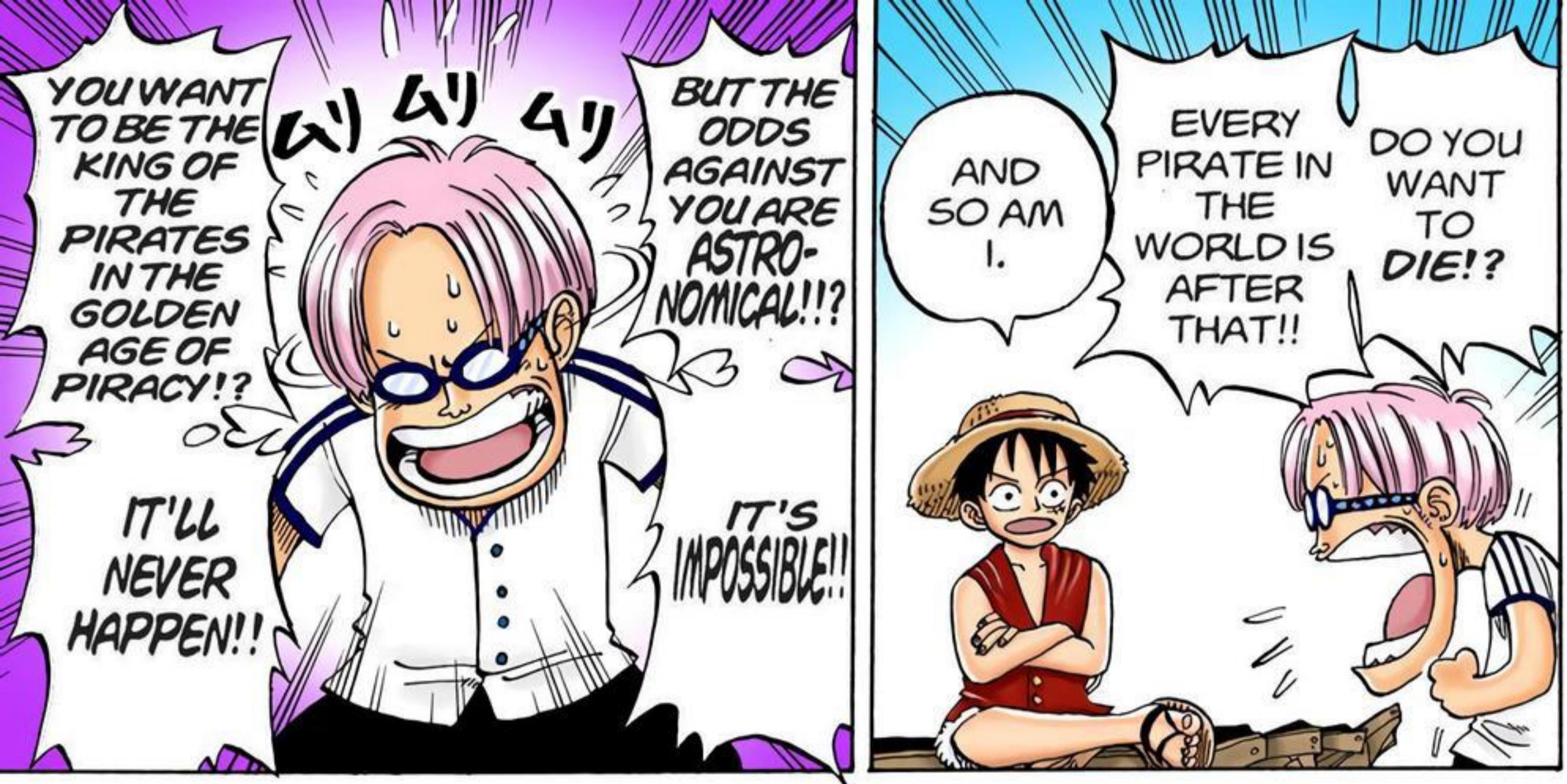
WELL  
YA  
SEE...

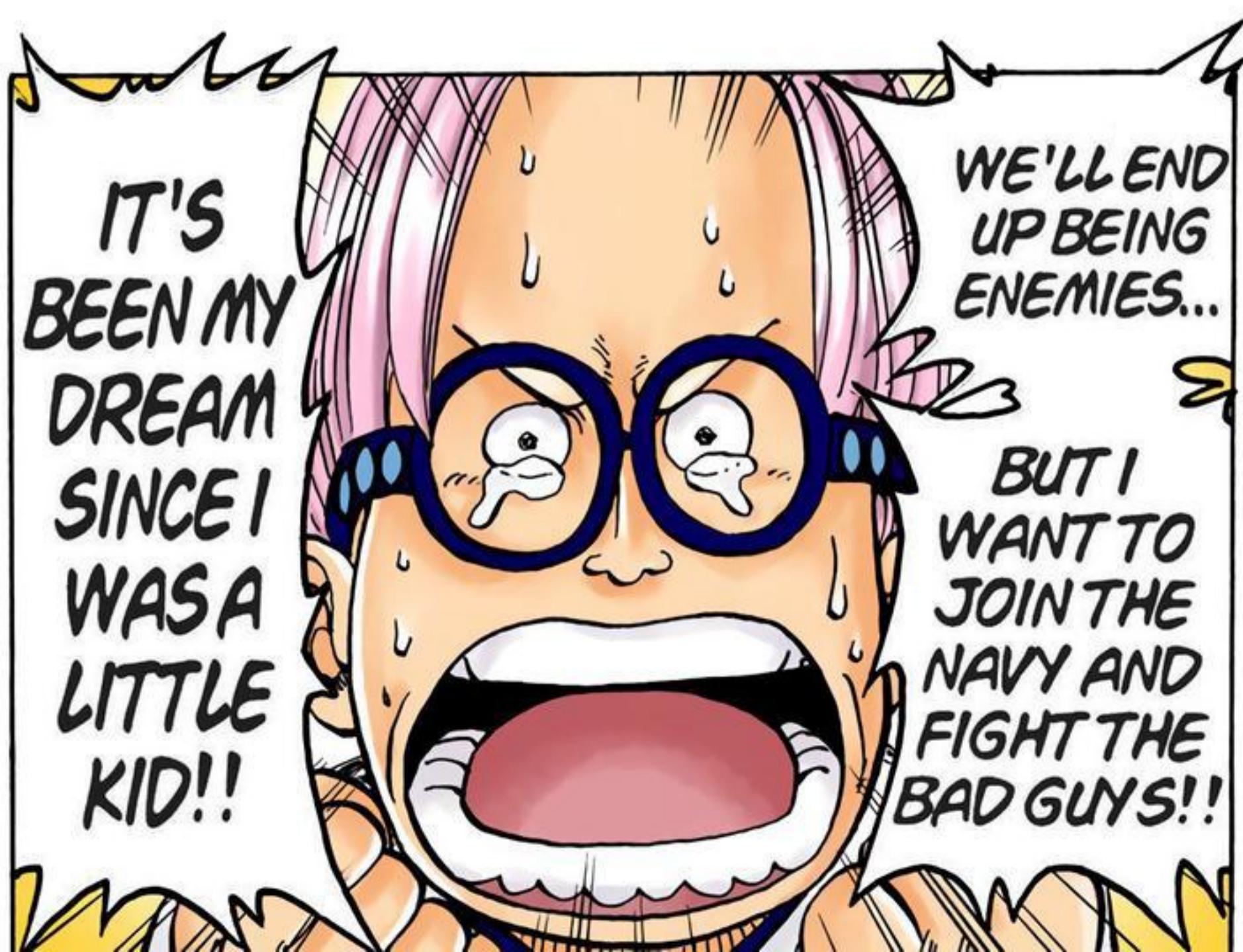
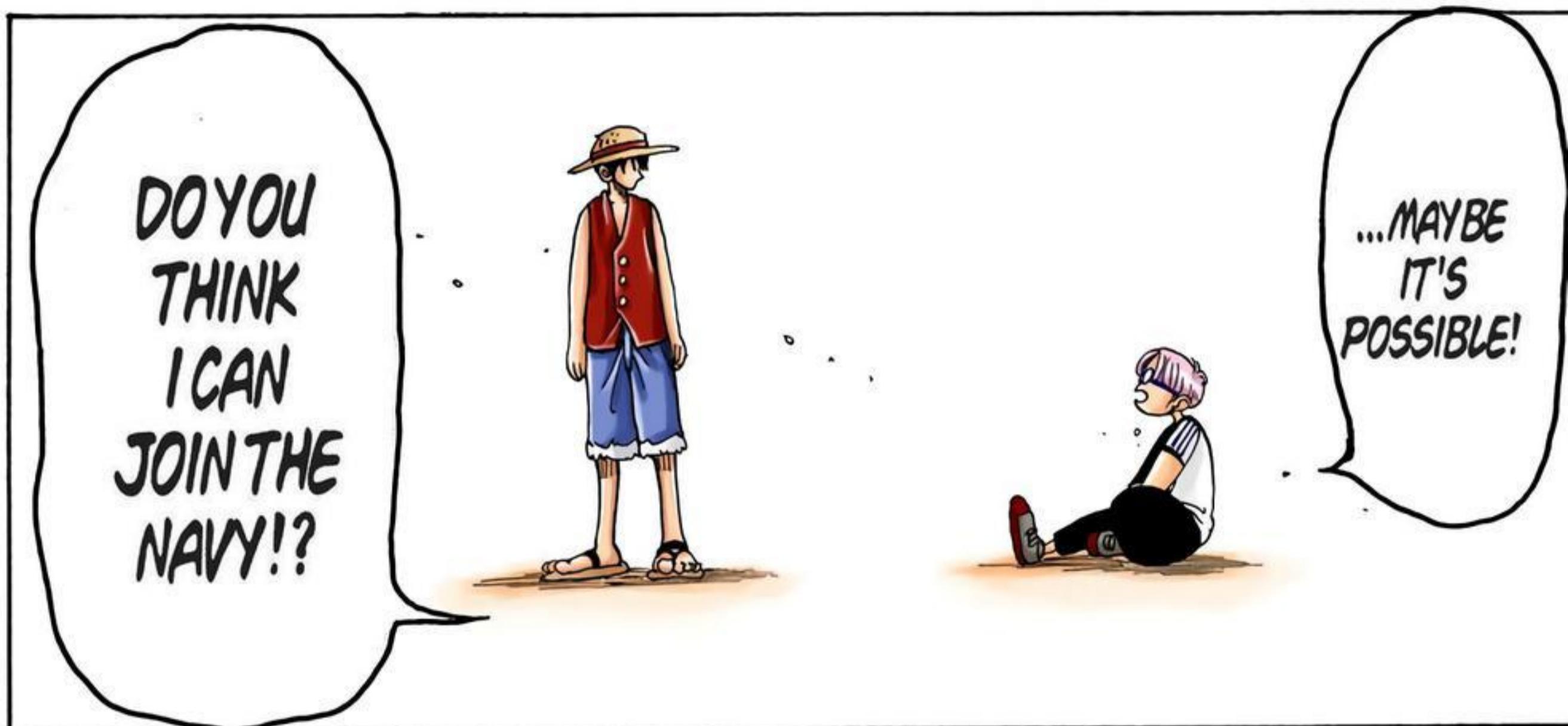
BUT...  
YOU'D HAVE TO  
MAKE THE  
**WHOLE WORLD**  
KNEEL TO YOU!!!

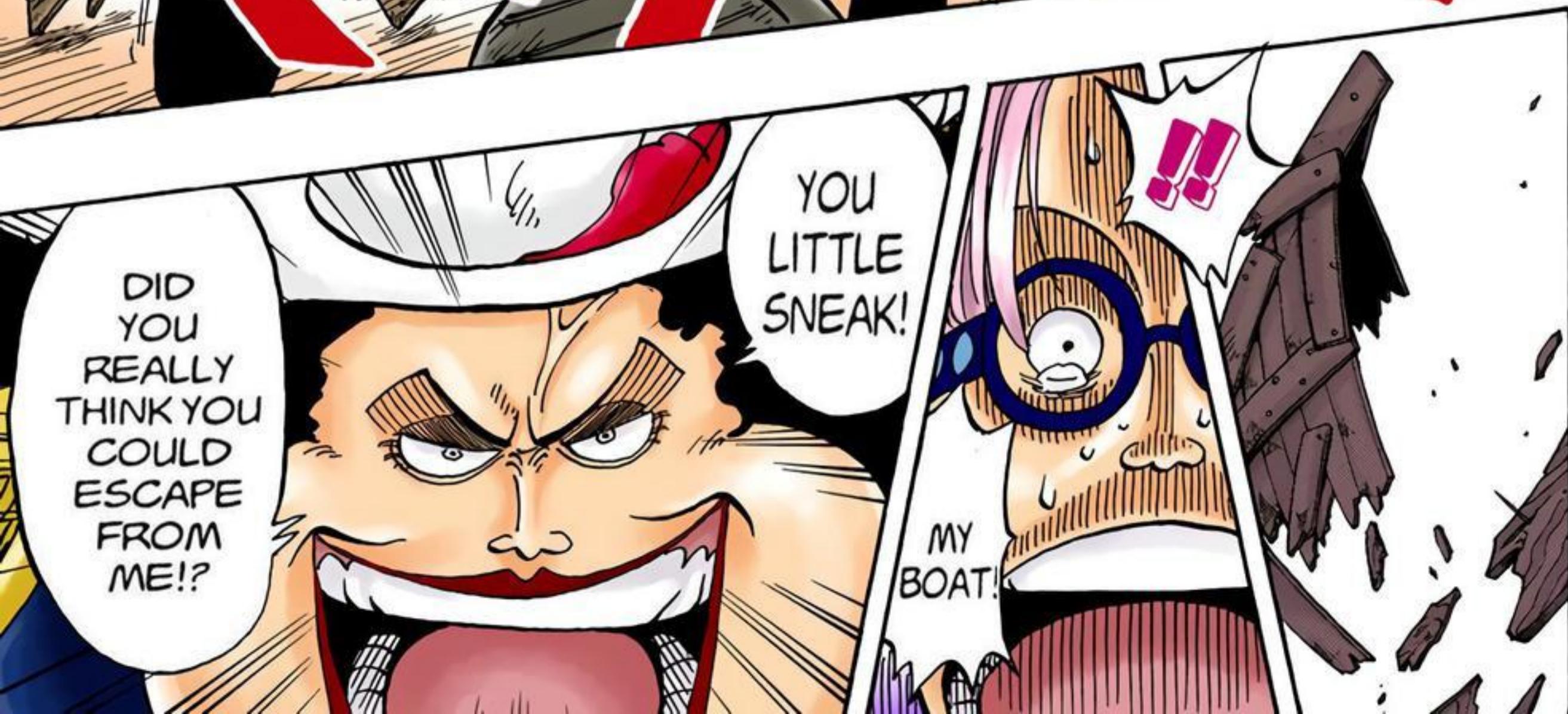
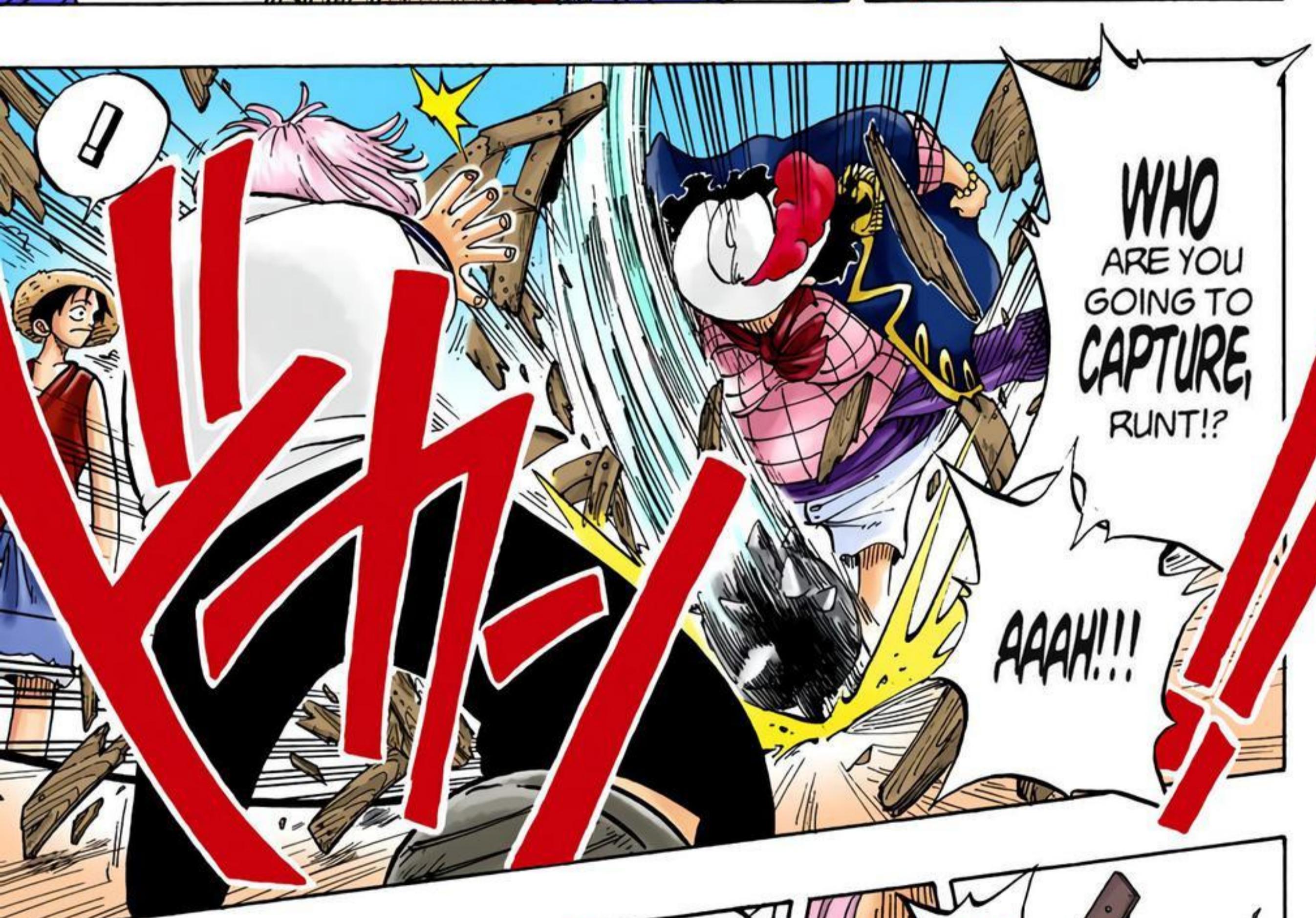
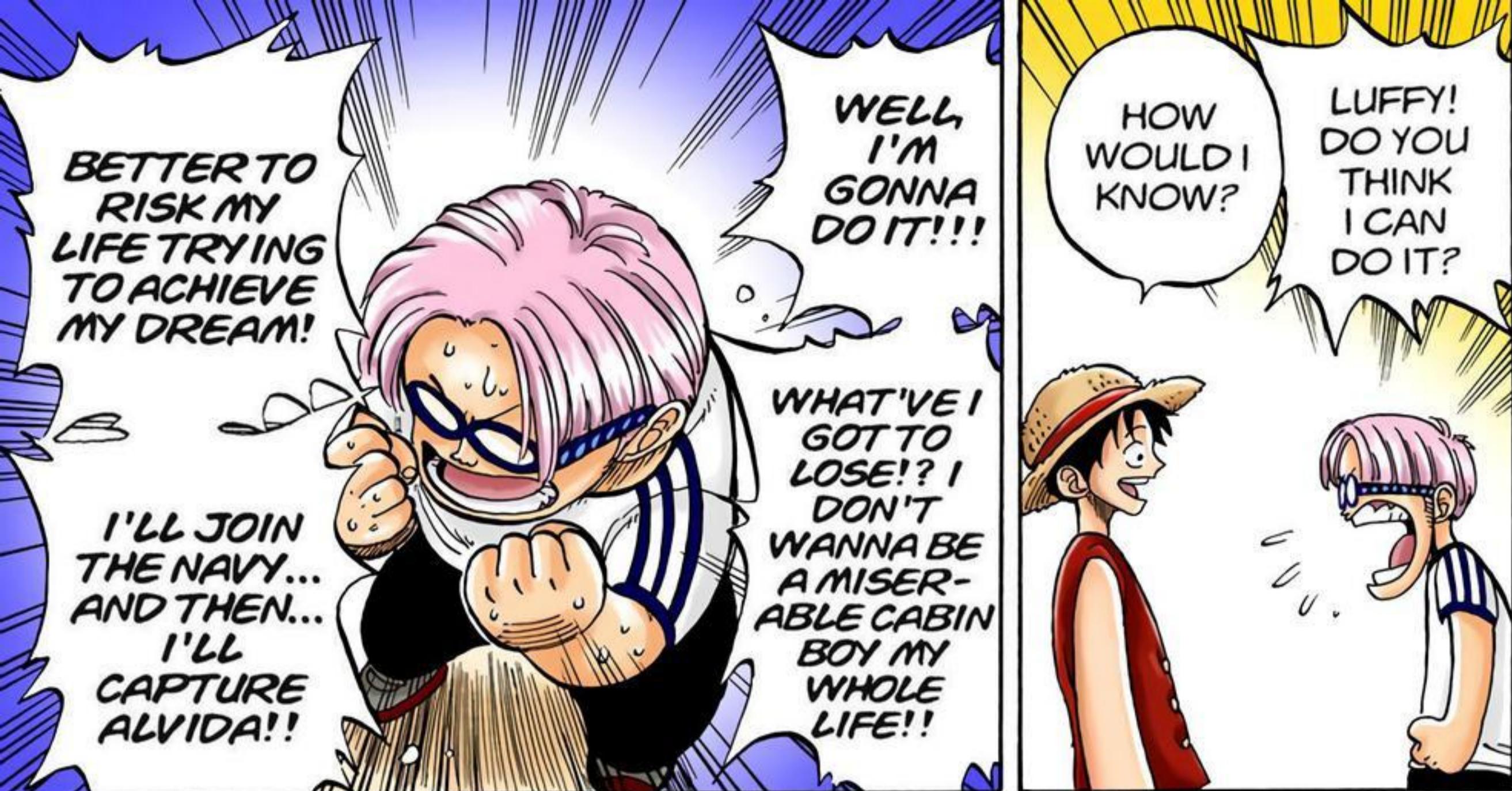
**K-KING**  
OF THE  
**PIRATES!!!?**

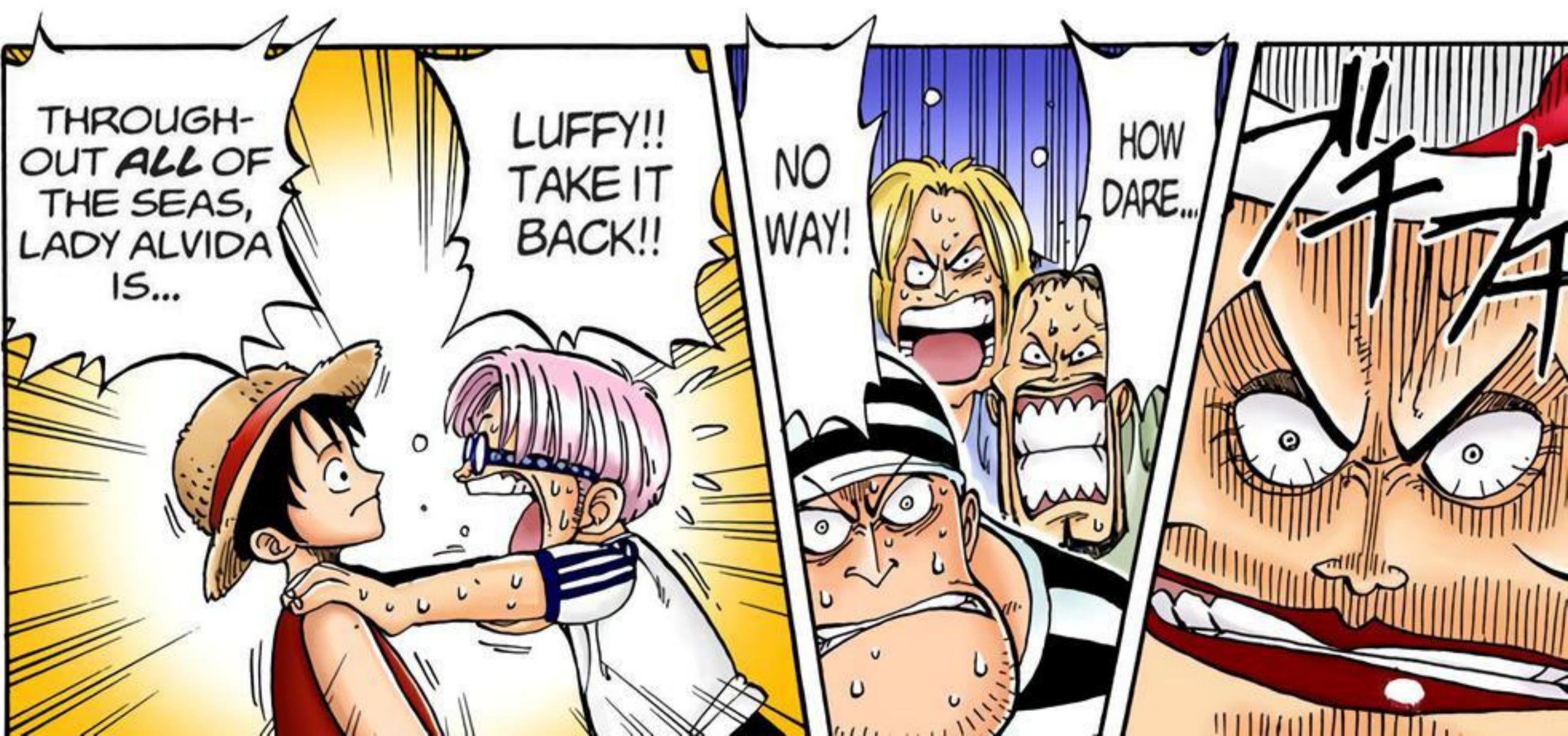
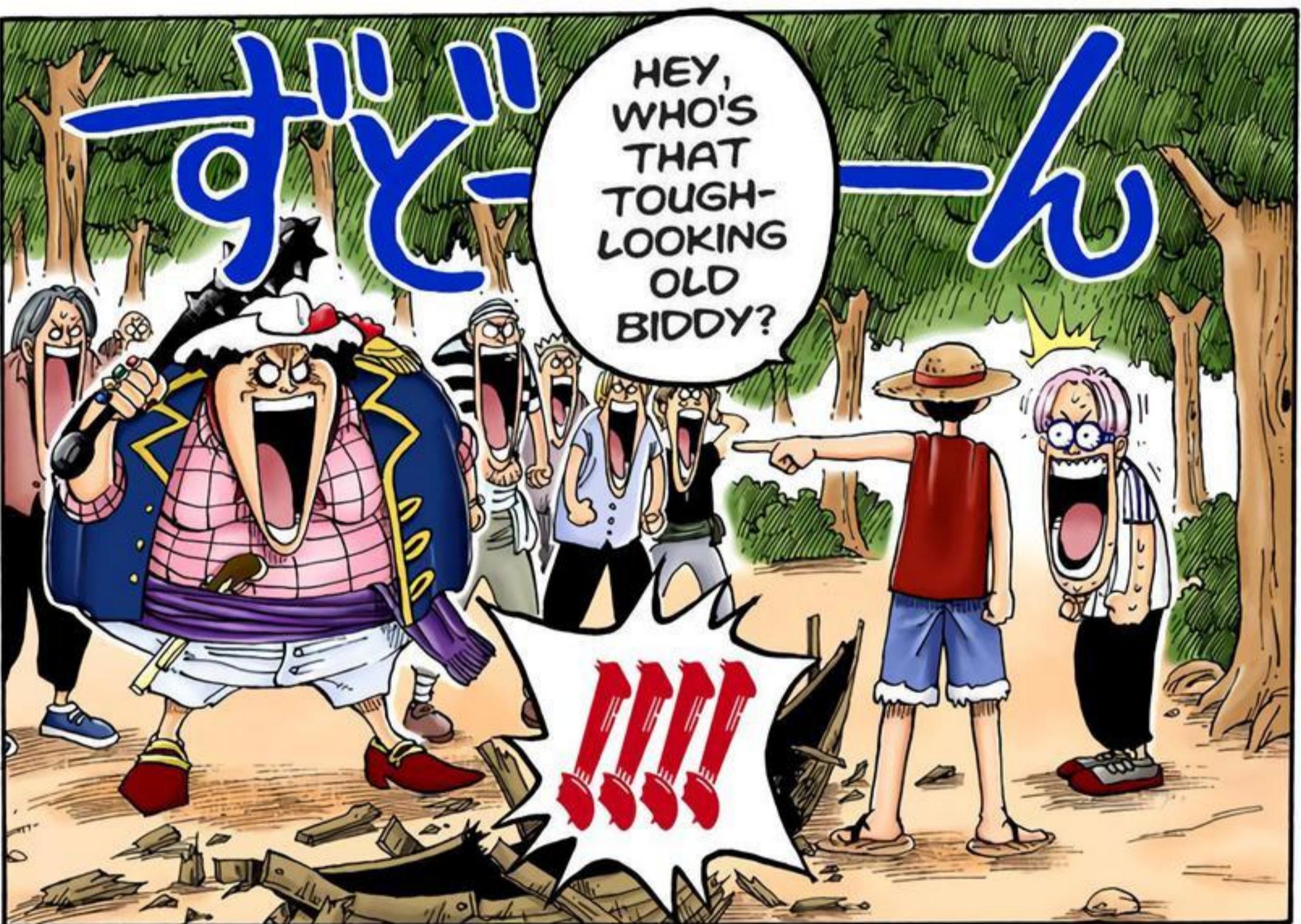
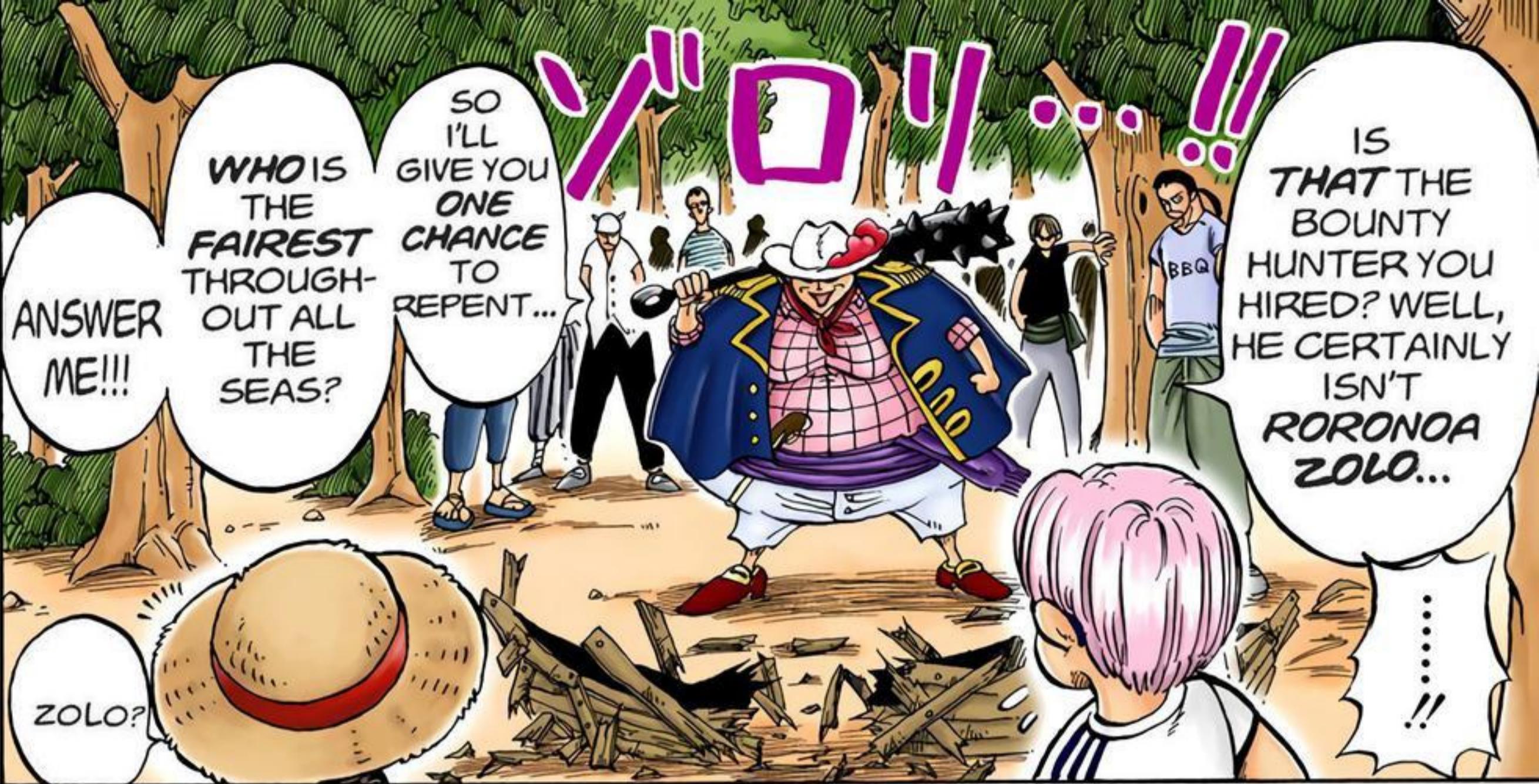
DON'T TELL  
ME YOU'RE  
AFTER GOLD  
ROGER'S LOST  
TREASURE,  
**"ONE PIECE"!!!!**

WEALTH,  
FAME,  
POWER--  
YOU'D  
HAVE TO  
ACHIEVE IT  
ALL!!!









...THE  
UGLIES  
OLD HAG  
OF ALL!!!

LADY  
ALVIDA  
IS...

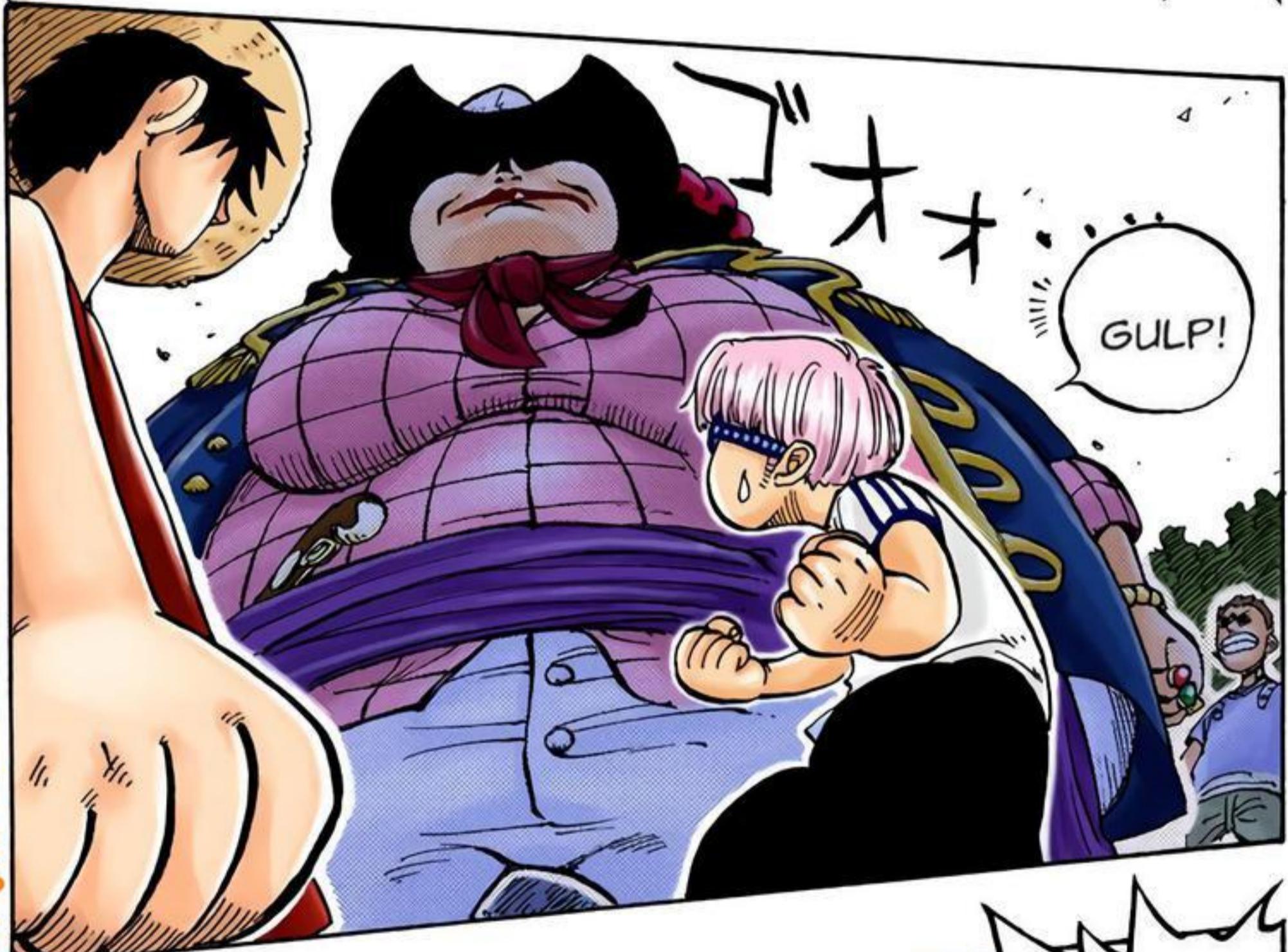
I'M  
GONNA  
BE THE KING  
OF THE  
PIRATES...

AND IF I DIE  
TRYING...  
THEN AT  
LEAST I  
TRIED!

LADY  
ALVIDA  
IS...

HA  
HA HA  
HA HA  
HA!

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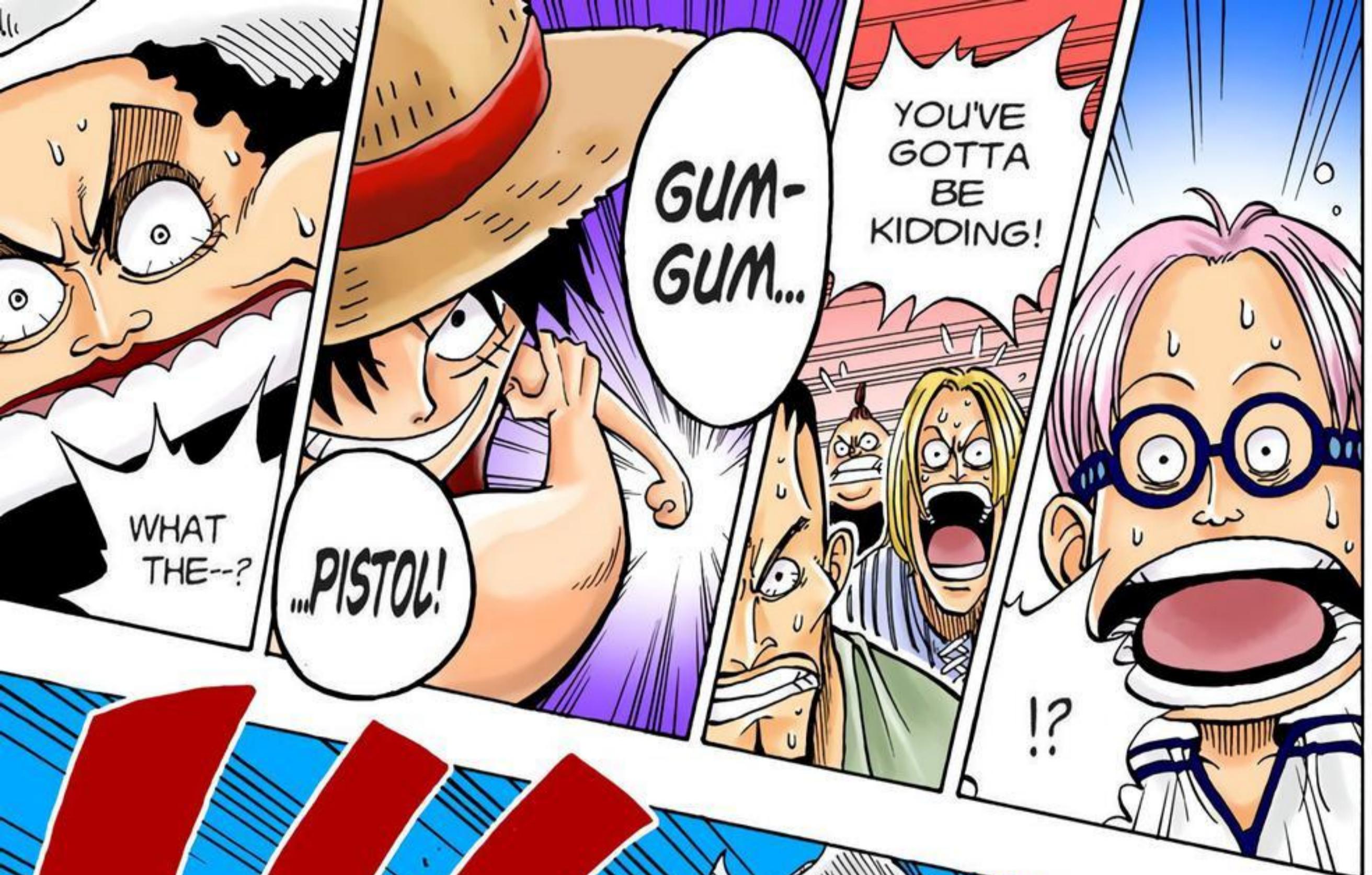


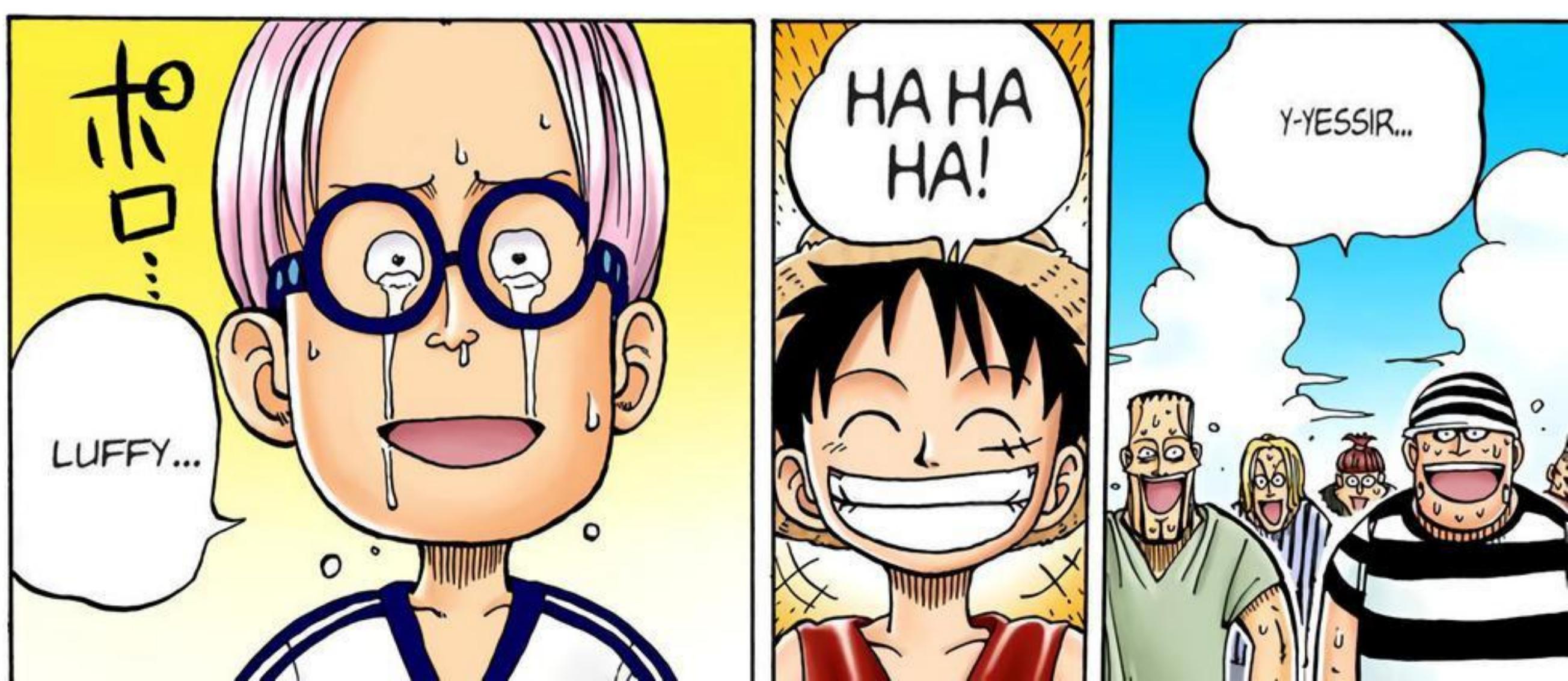
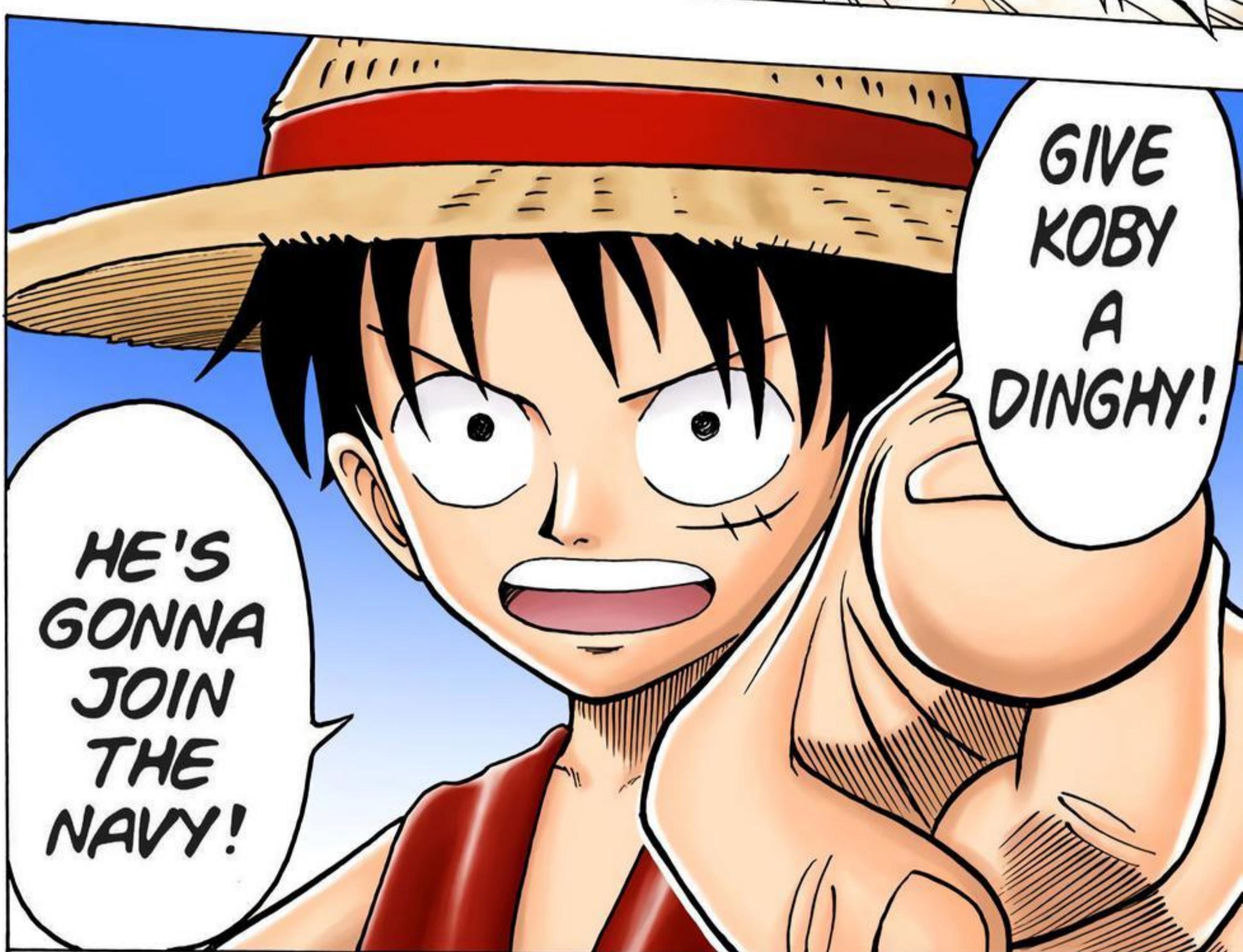
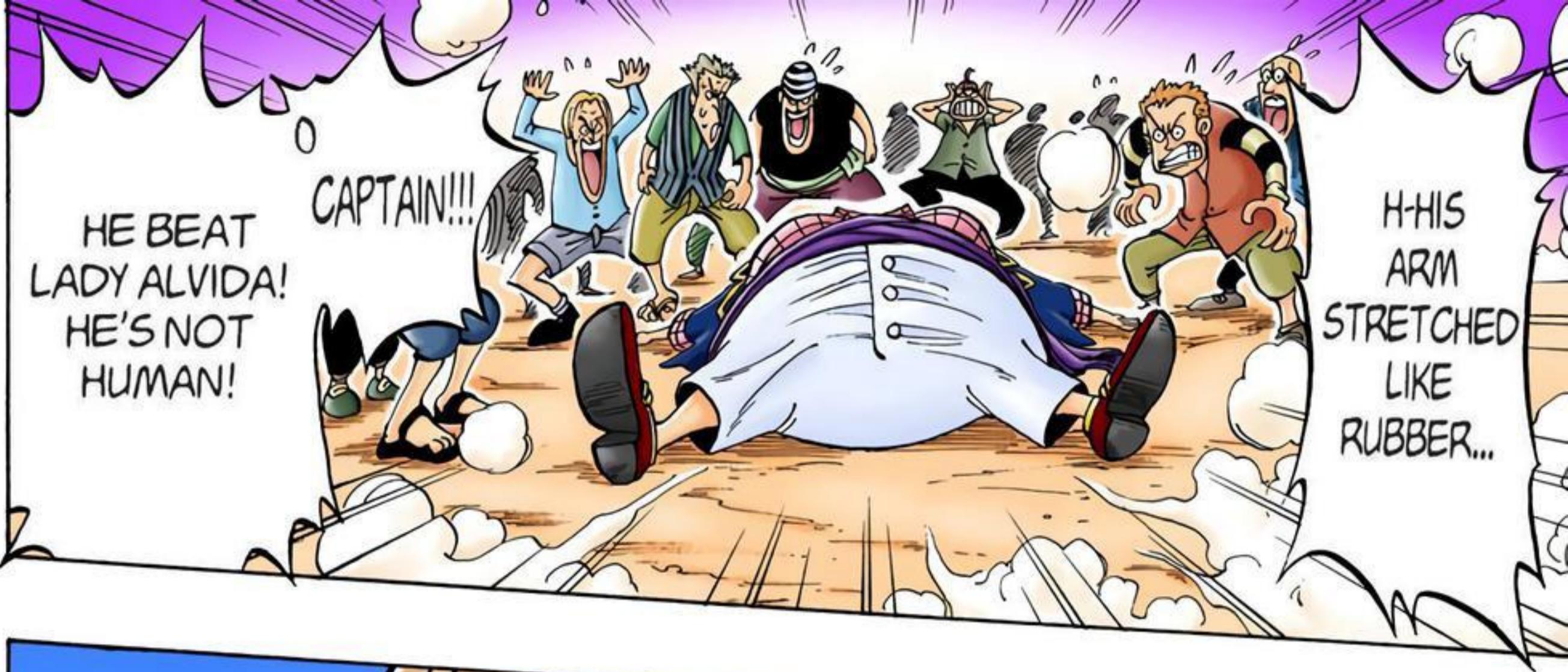
EYAAA!

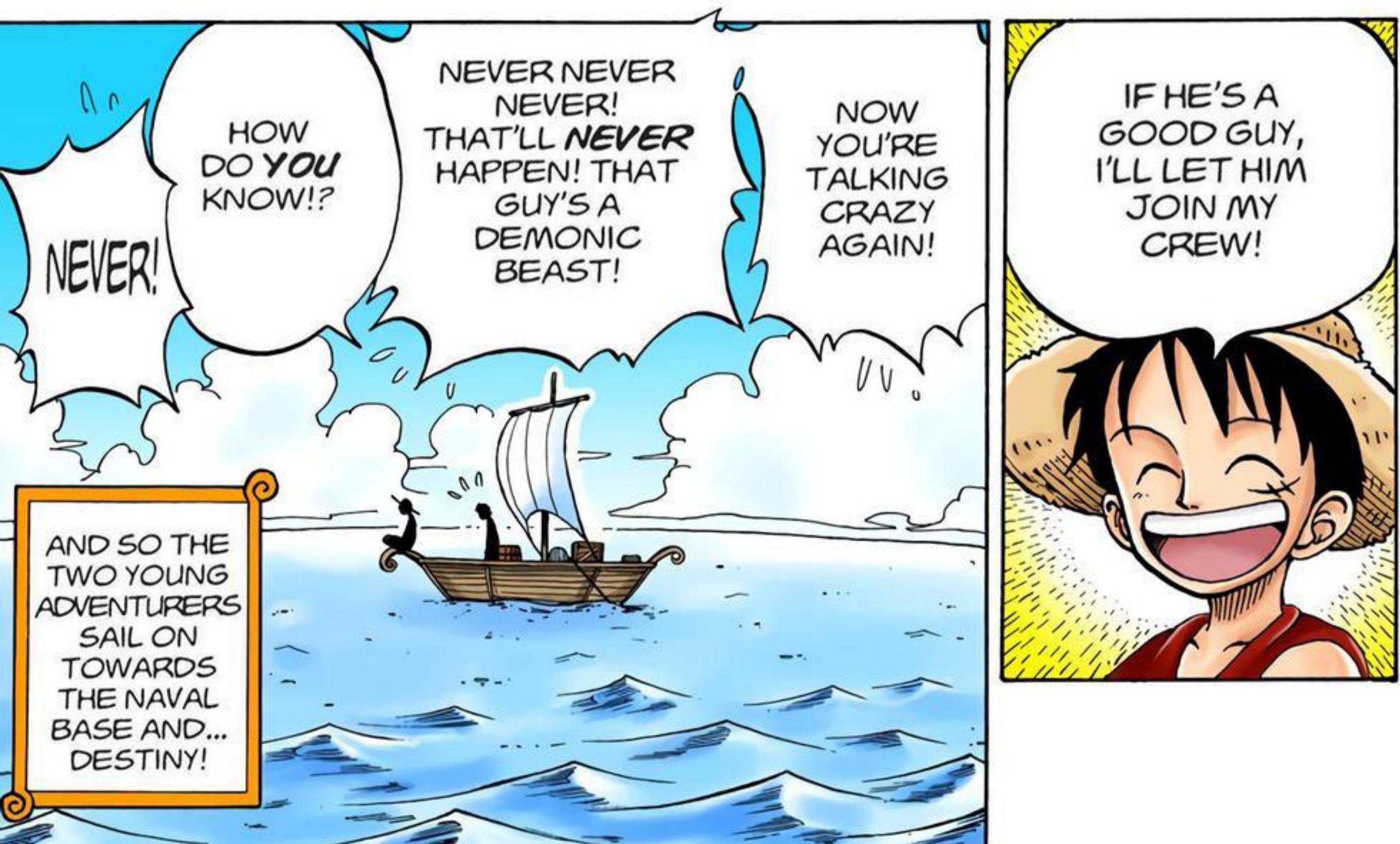
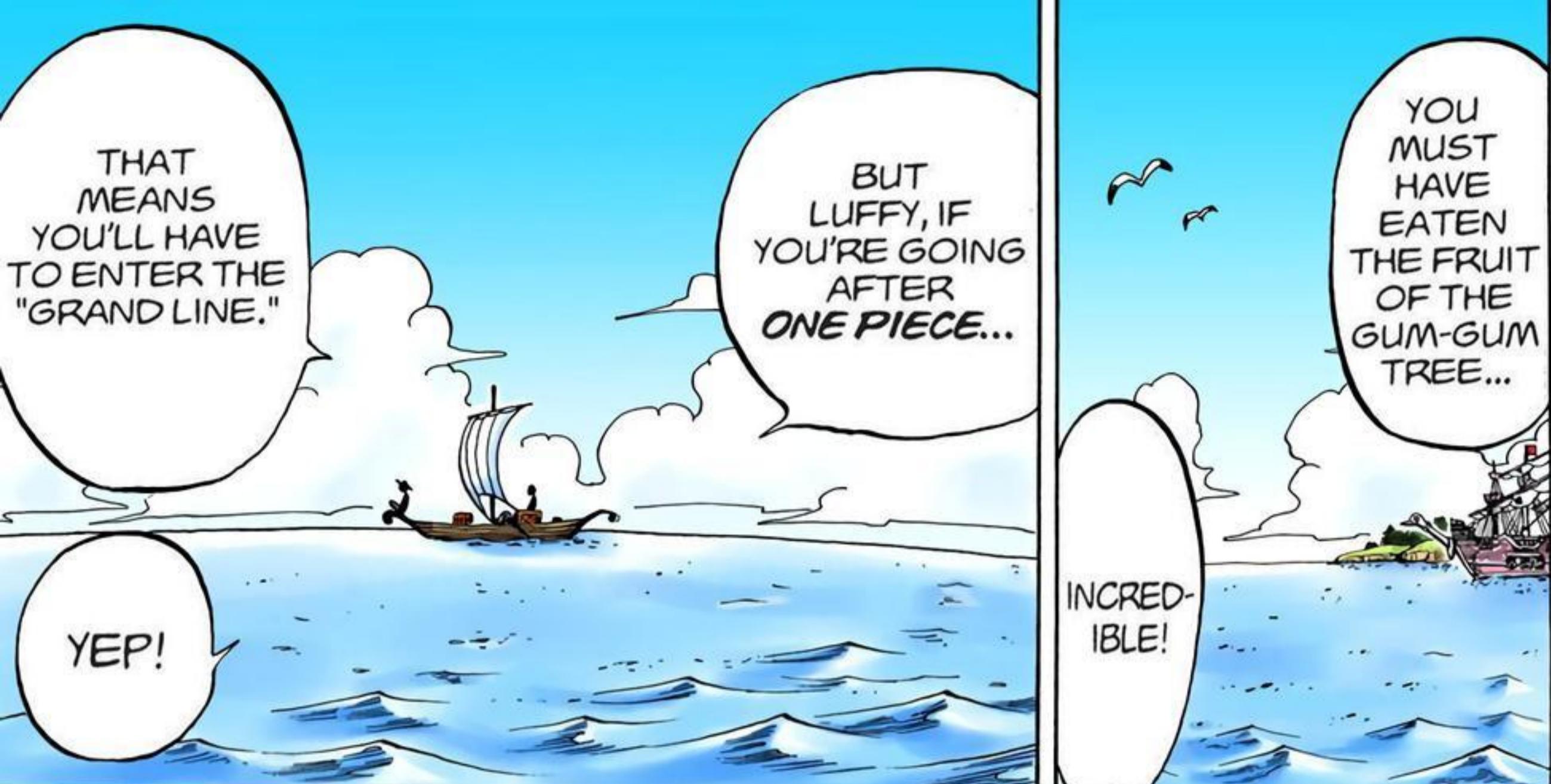
I  
SAID IT  
AND I  
WON'T  
TAKE IT  
BACK!  
NO MORE  
CRINGING  
FOR ME!!  
FROM  
NOW ON,  
I'LL FIGHT  
FOR MY  
DREAMS!

YOU  
LITTLE-!!!









# STEP 1 THE PIRATE FLAG



"THE SKULL AND CROSSBONES"  
- THE CROSSBONES ARE THIGH BONES.

HERE IS SOME INFORMATION REGARDING THE PIRATE FLAG. THE PIRATE FLAG IS GENERALLY CALLED THE "JOLLY ROGER" AND IS A SYMBOL OF DEATH. SCARY, ISN'T IT?

THERE ARE MANY THEORIES CONCERNING THE ORIGIN OF THE TERM "JOLLY ROGER."

• SOME SAY IT COMES FROM THE FRENCH "JOLIE ROUGE" OR "RED LOVELY," POSSIBLY REFERRING TO BLOOD.

• ANOTHER POSSIBILITY IS THAT "ROGER" WAS ORIGINALLY THE WORD "ROGUE," MEANING A THIEF OR VILLAIN.

• AND THEN THERE ARE THOSE WHO SAY IT'S RELATED TO "OLD ROGER," WHICH WAS A NAME FOR THE DEVIL.

