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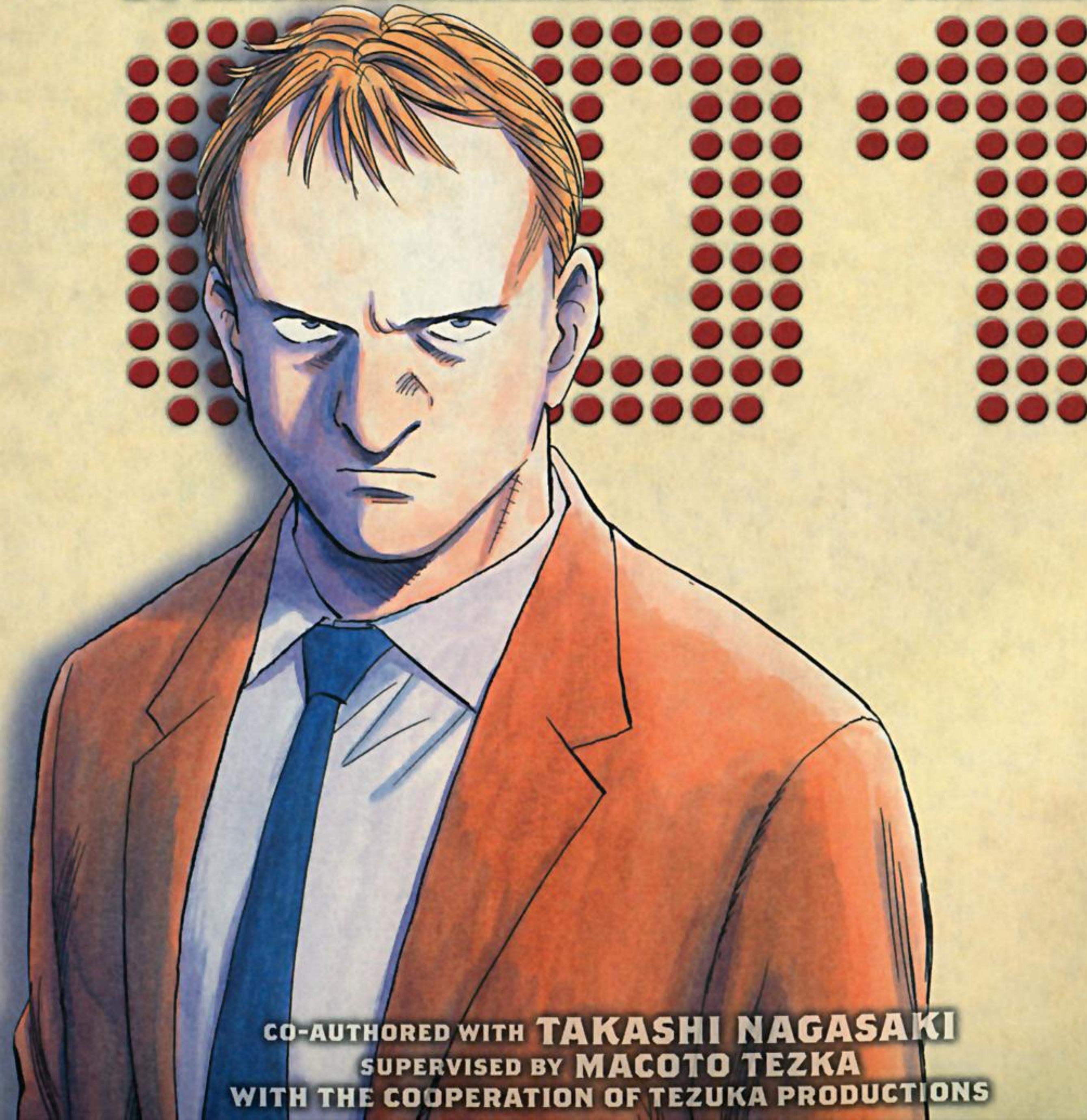
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**IN AN IDEAL WORLD
WHERE MAN AND ROBOTS
COEXIST, SOMEONE OR
SOMETHING HAS DESTROYED
THE POWERFUL SWISS
ROBOT MONT BLANC.
ELSEWHERE A KEY FIGURE
IN A ROBOT RIGHTS GROUP
IS MURDERED. THE TWO
INCIDENTS APPEAR TO BE
UNRELATED...EXCEPT FOR
ONE VERY CONSPICUOUS
CLUE – THE BODIES OF
BOTH VICTIMS HAVE BEEN
FASHIONED INTO SOME
SORT OF BIZARRE COLLAGE
COMPLETE WITH MAKESHIFT
HORNS PLACED BY THE
VICTIMS' HEADS. INTERPOL
ASSIGNS ROBOT DETECTIVE
GESICHT TO THIS MOST
STRANGE AND COMPLEX
CASE – AND HE EVENTUALLY
DISCOVERS THAT HE TOO,
AS ONE OF THE SEVEN GREAT
ROBOTS OF THE WORLD,
IS ONE OF THE TARGETS.**

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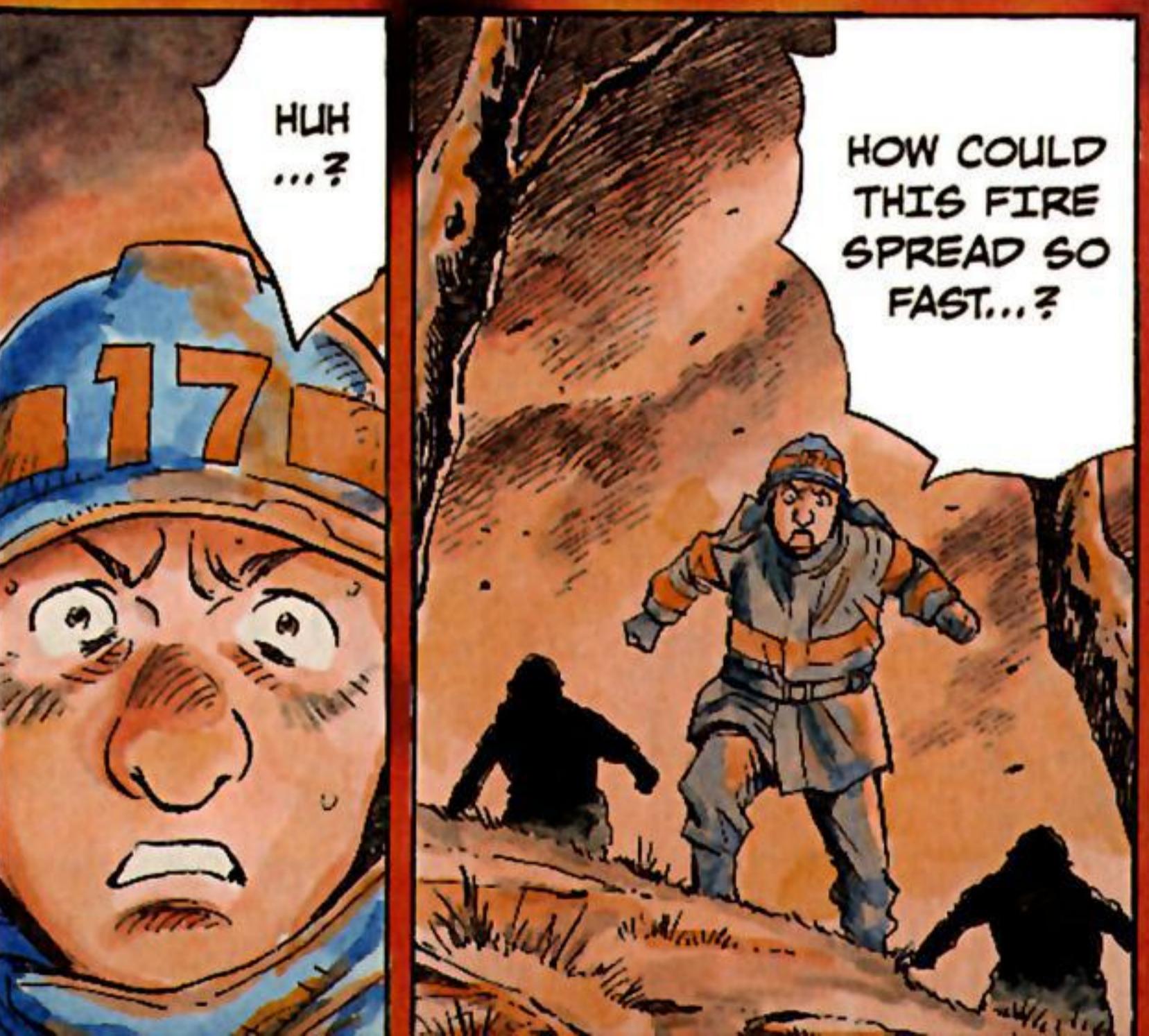
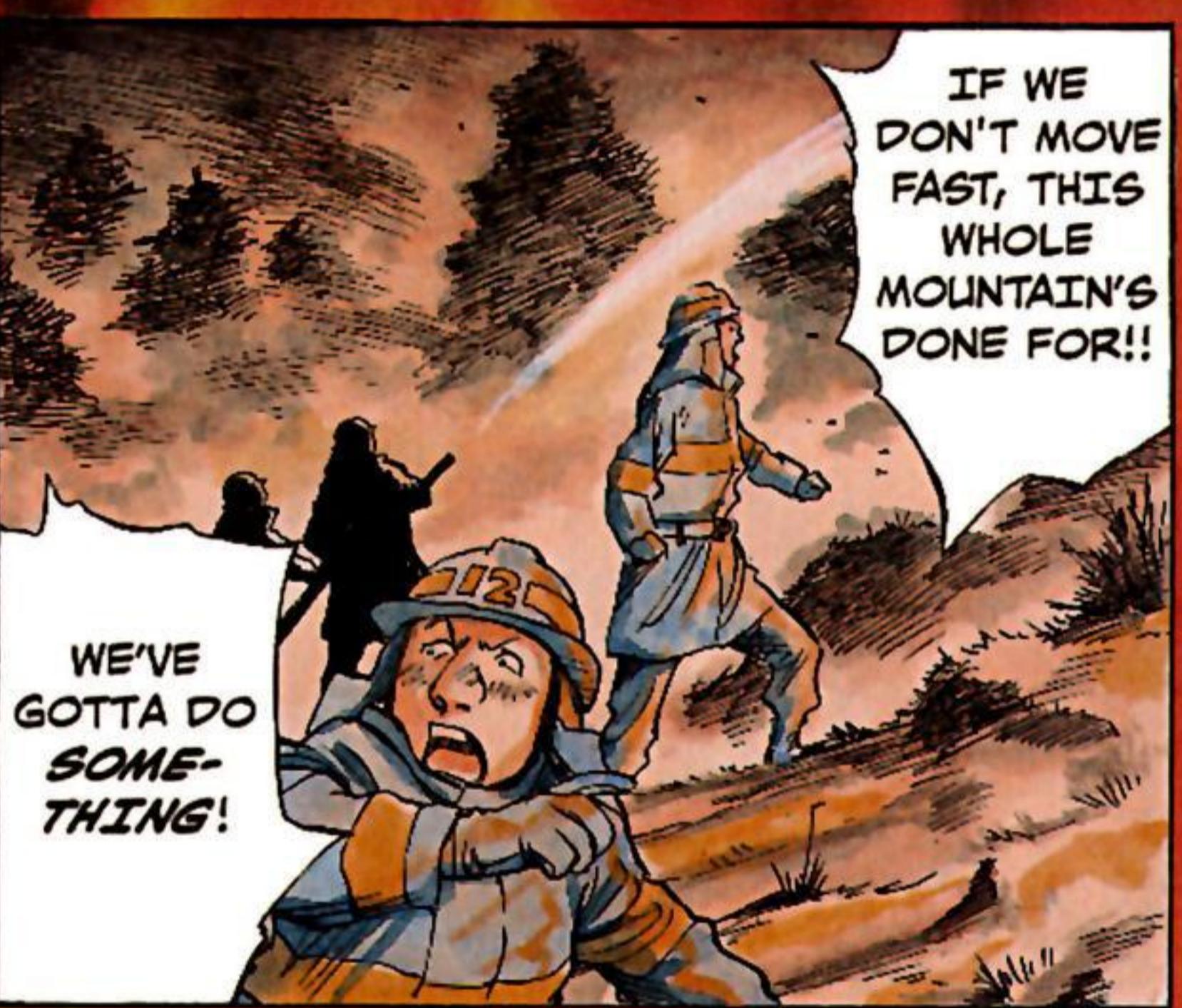
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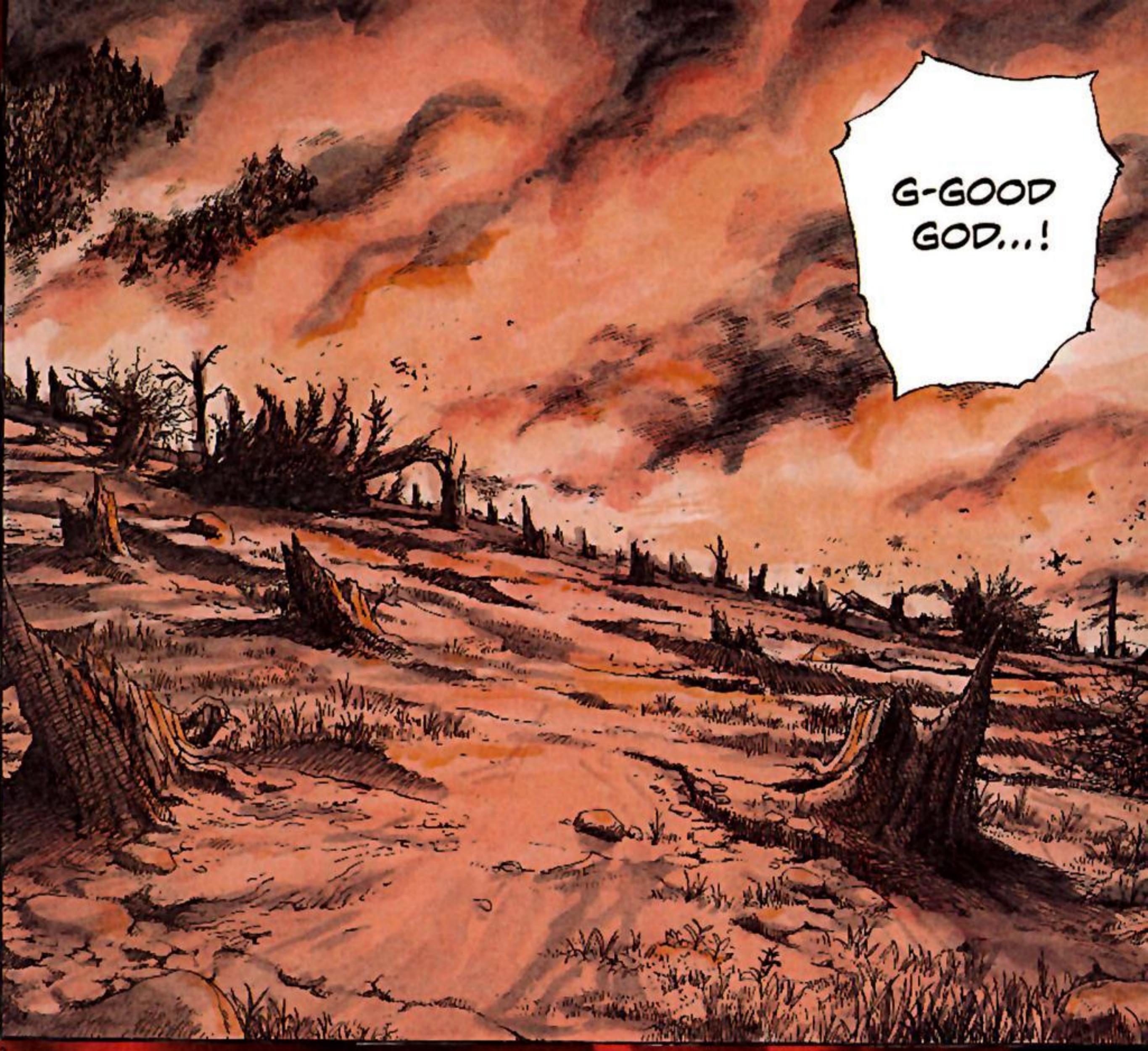


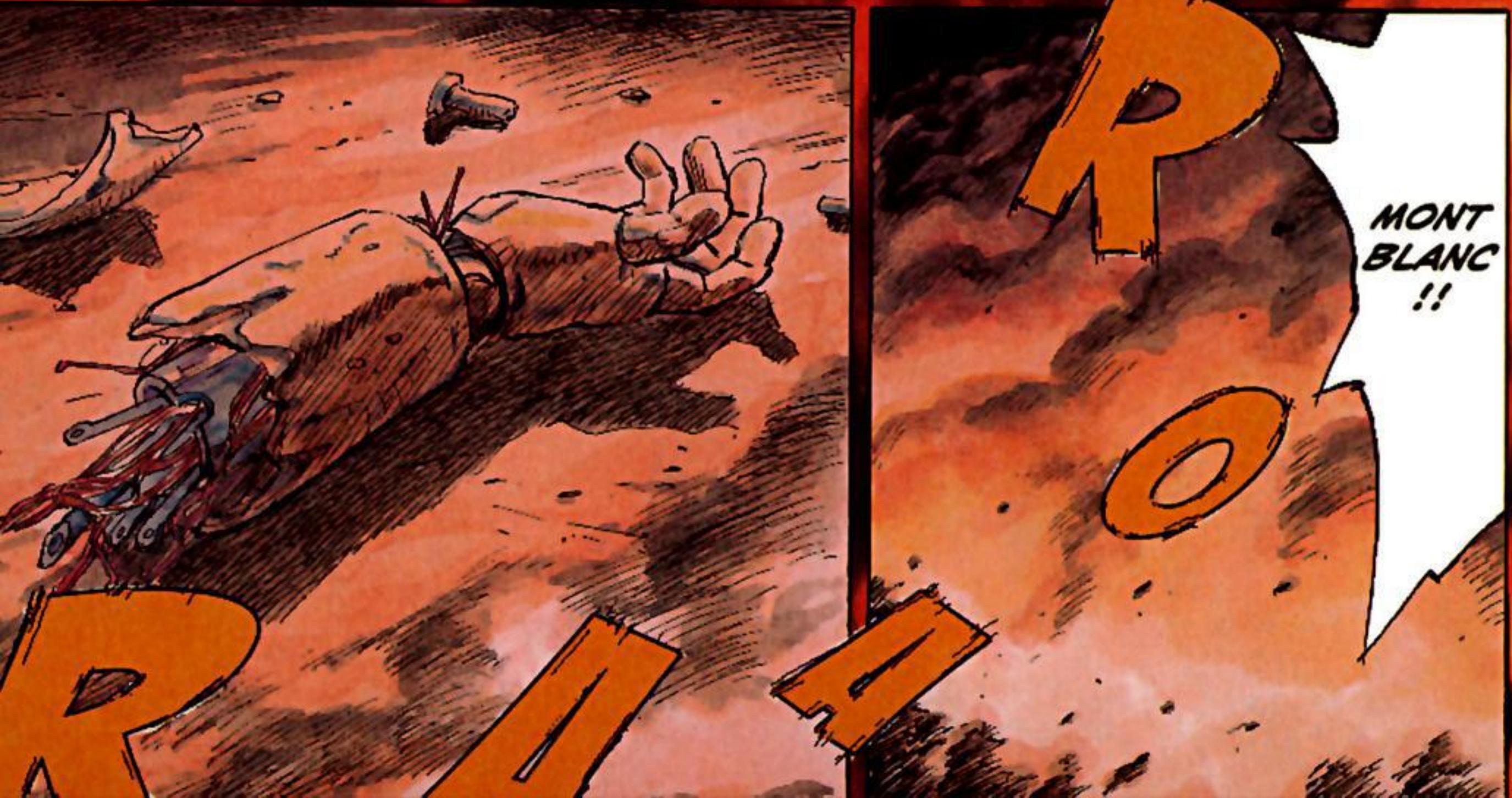
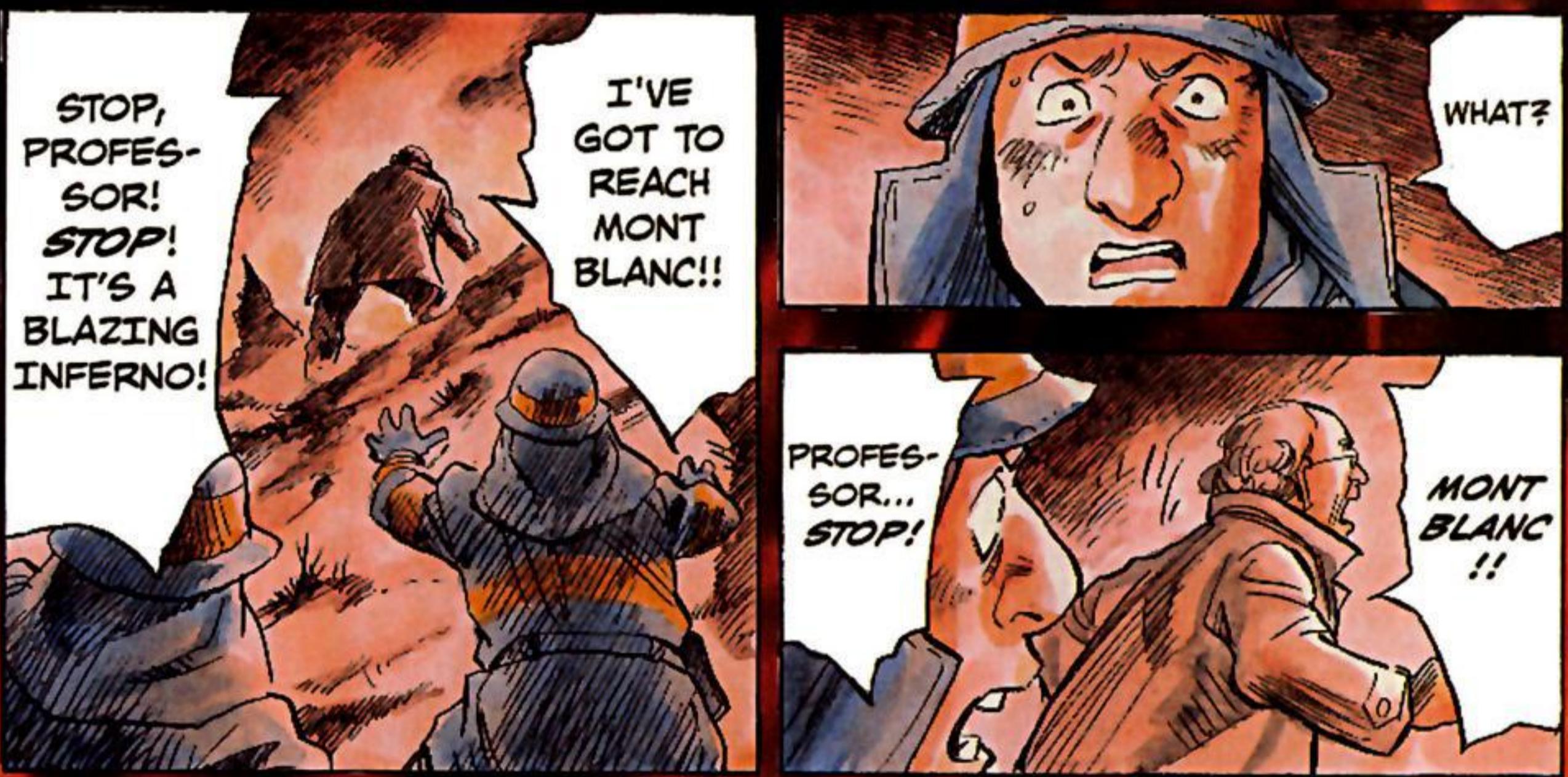
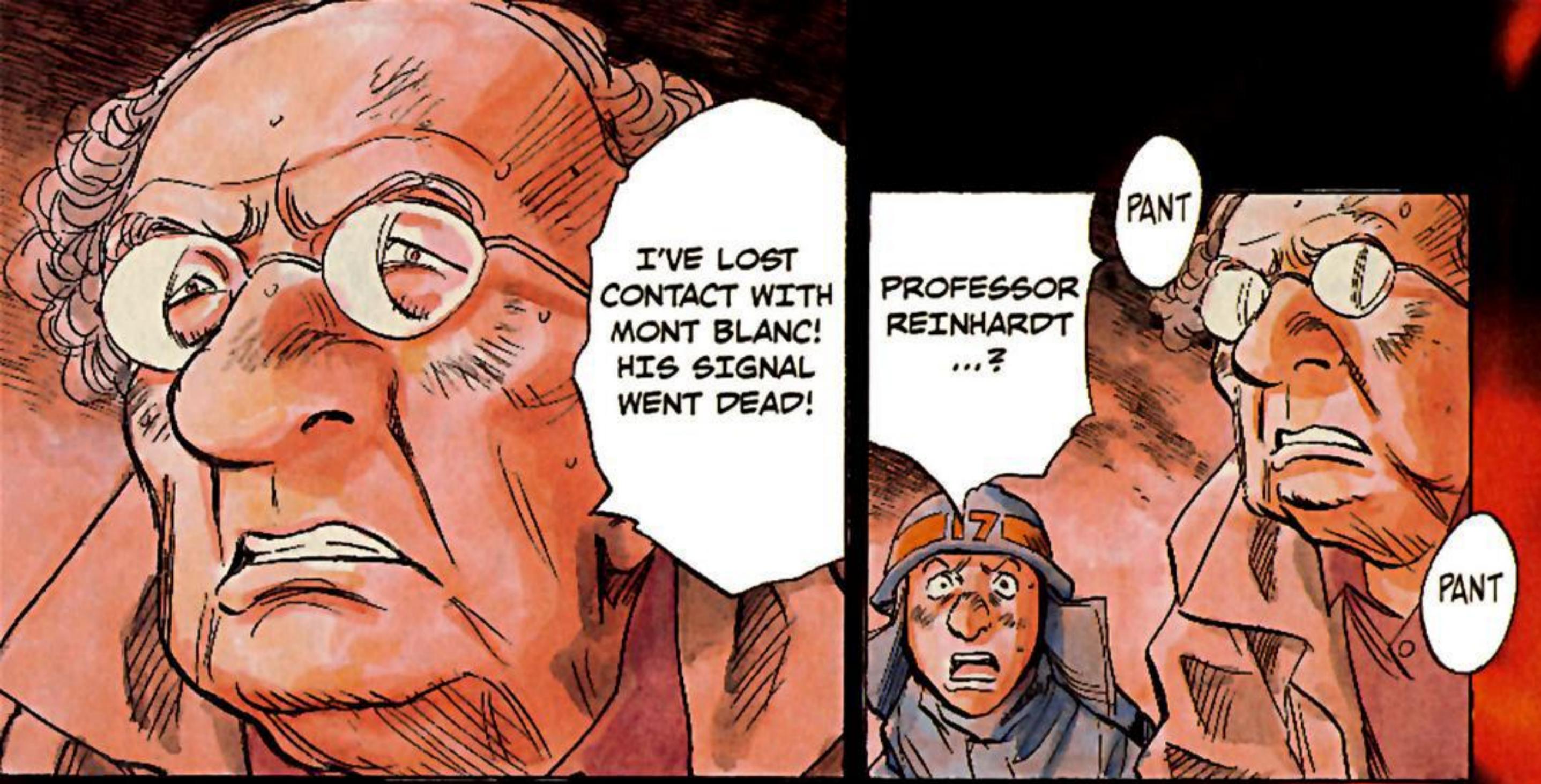
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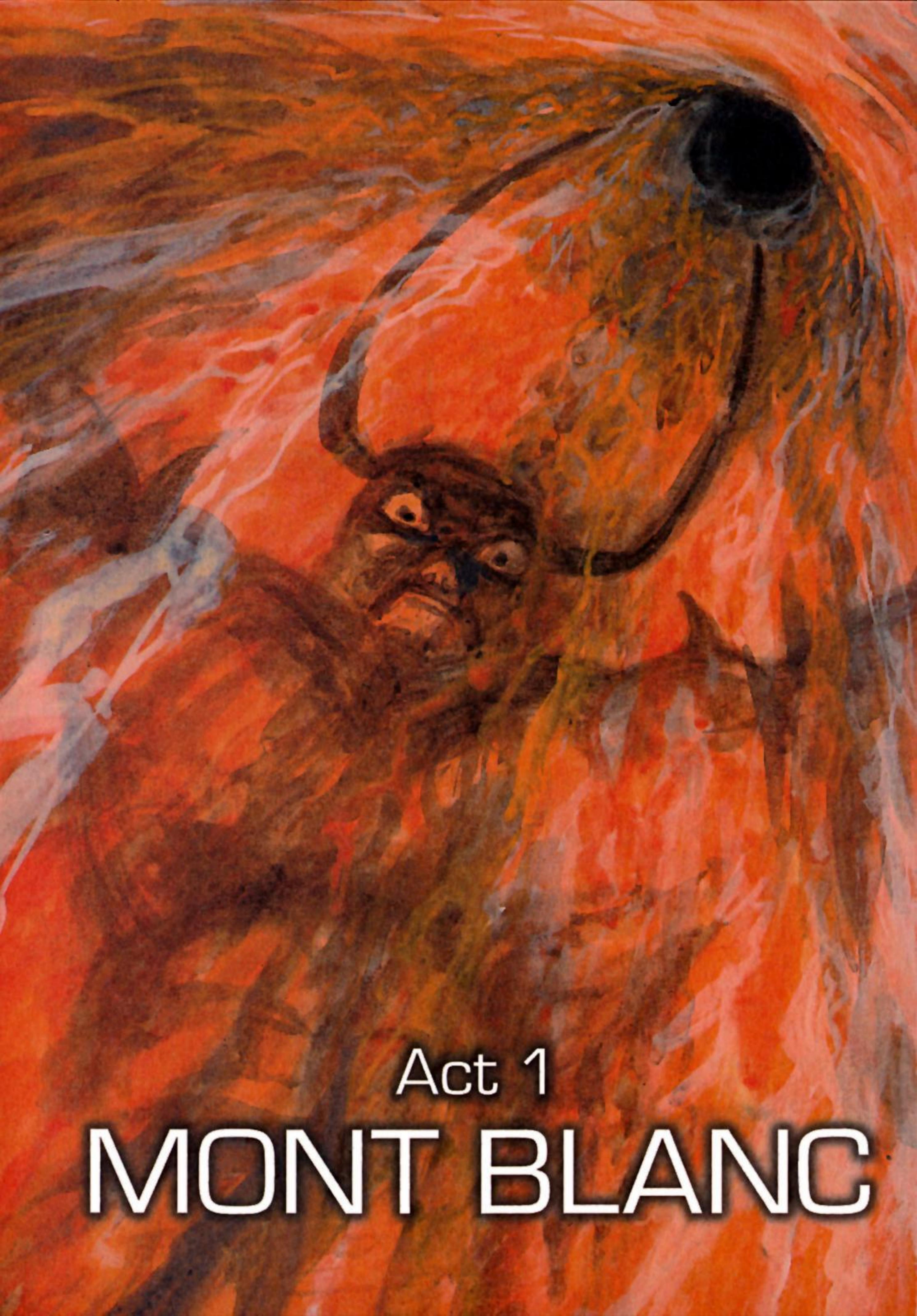
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Act 1
MONT BLANC

GASP

GASP

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GASP

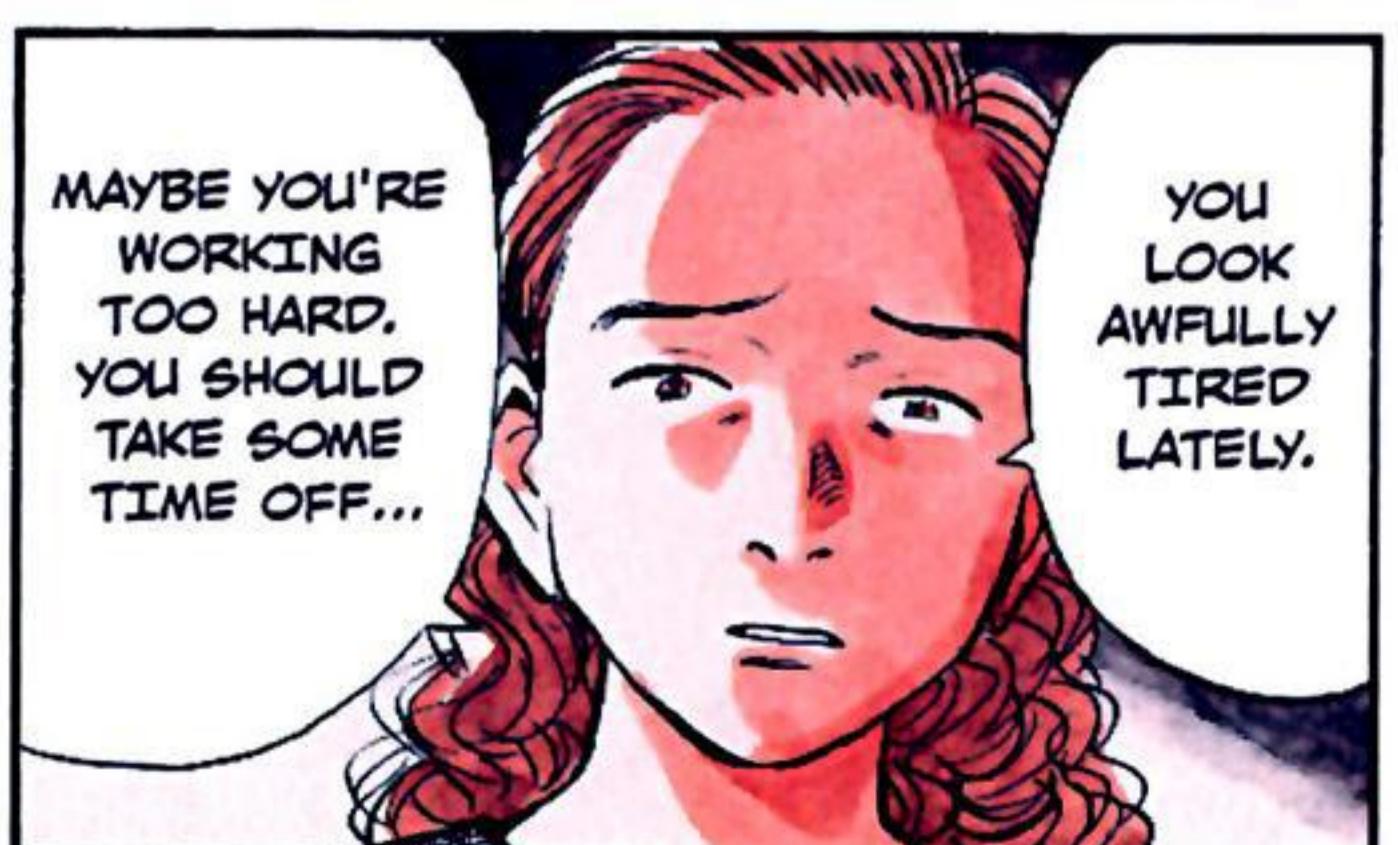
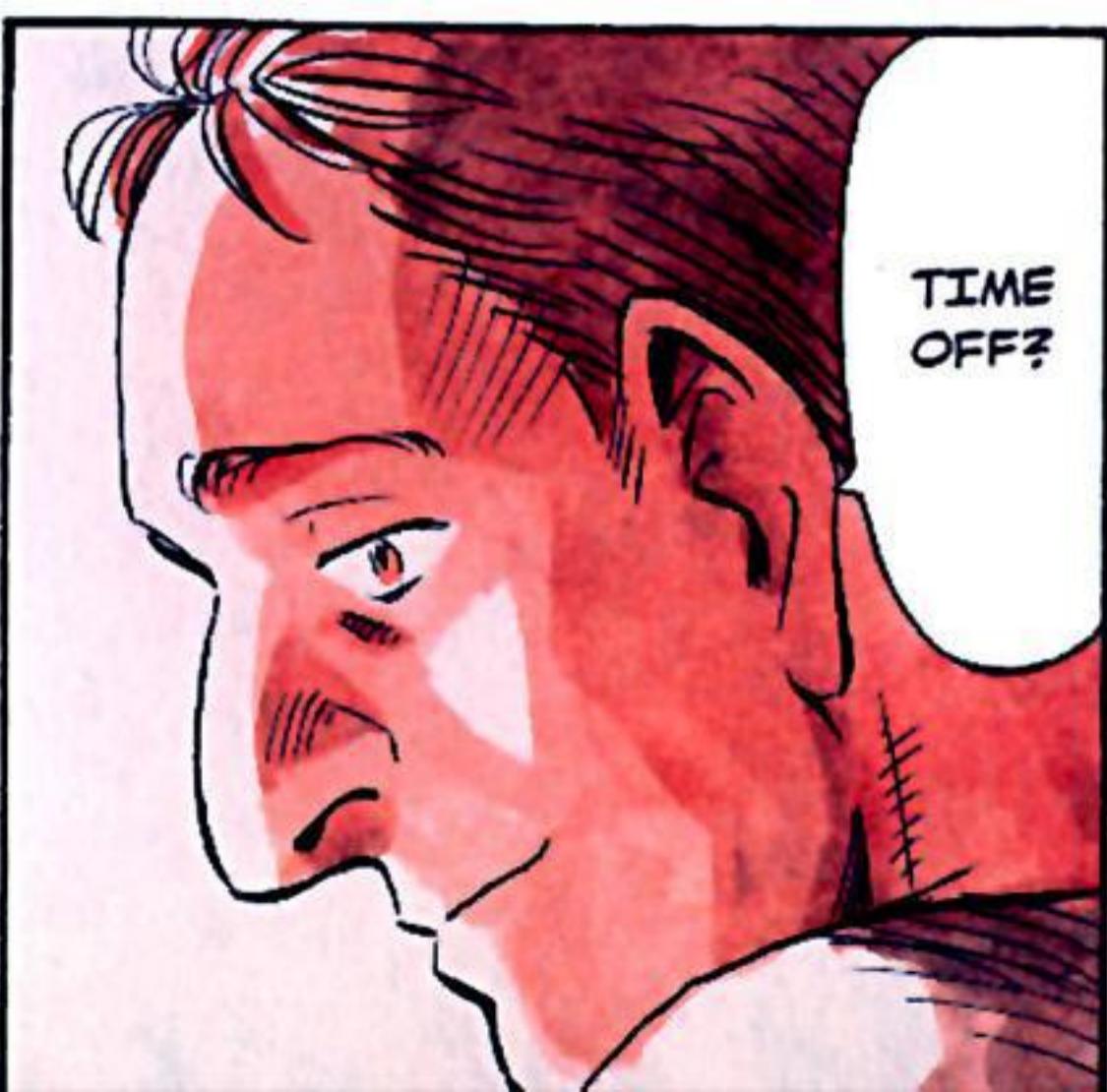
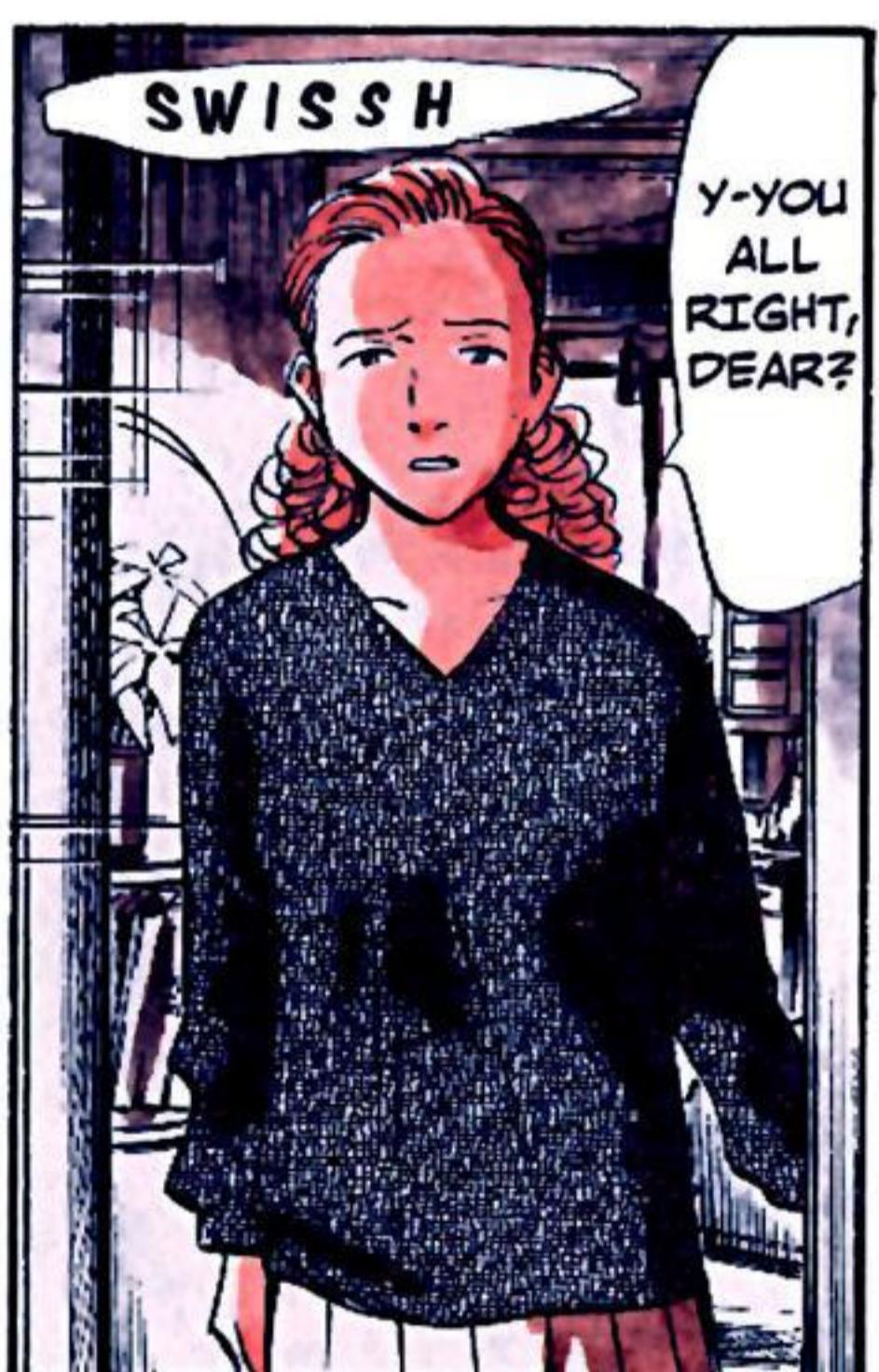
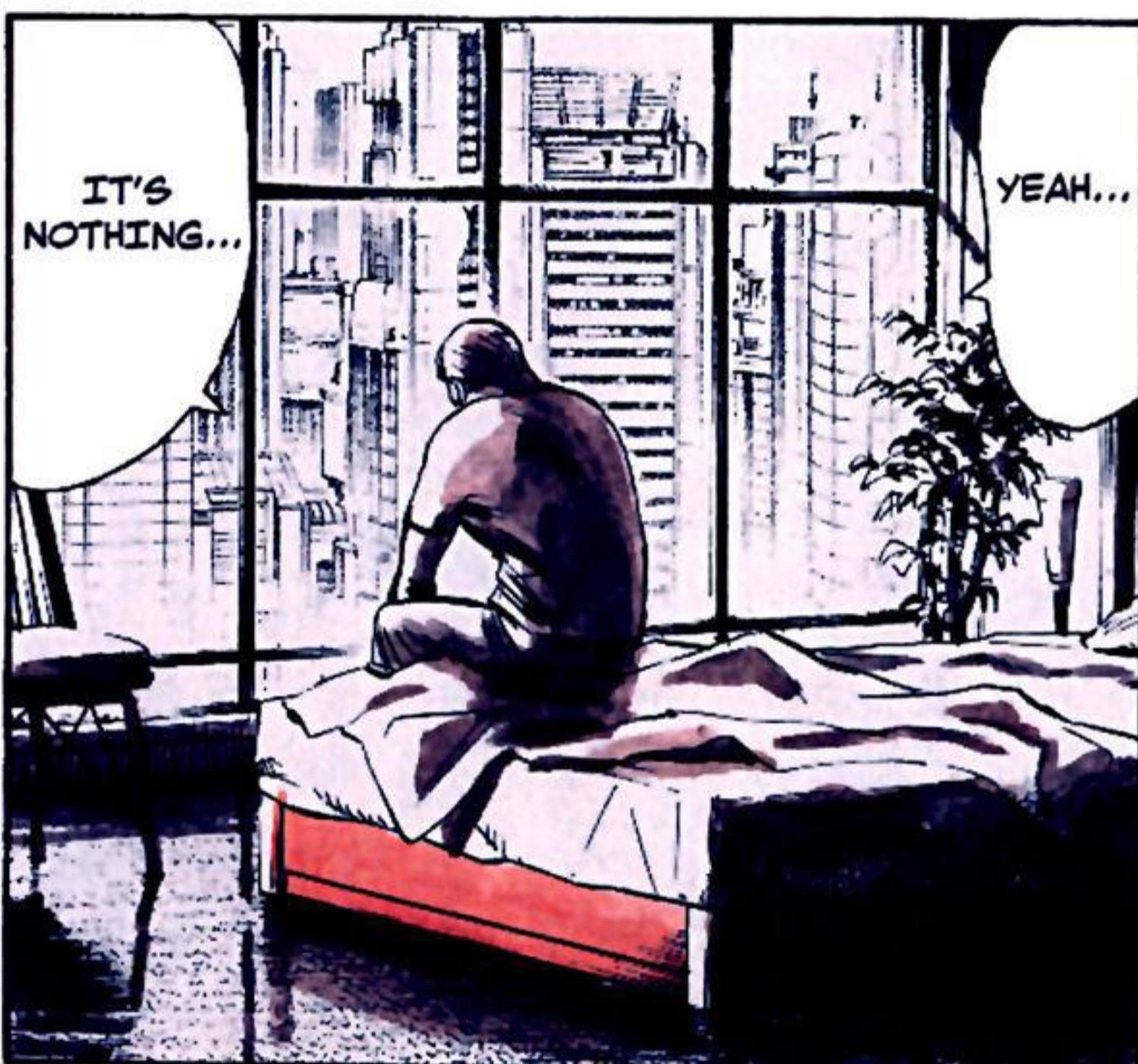
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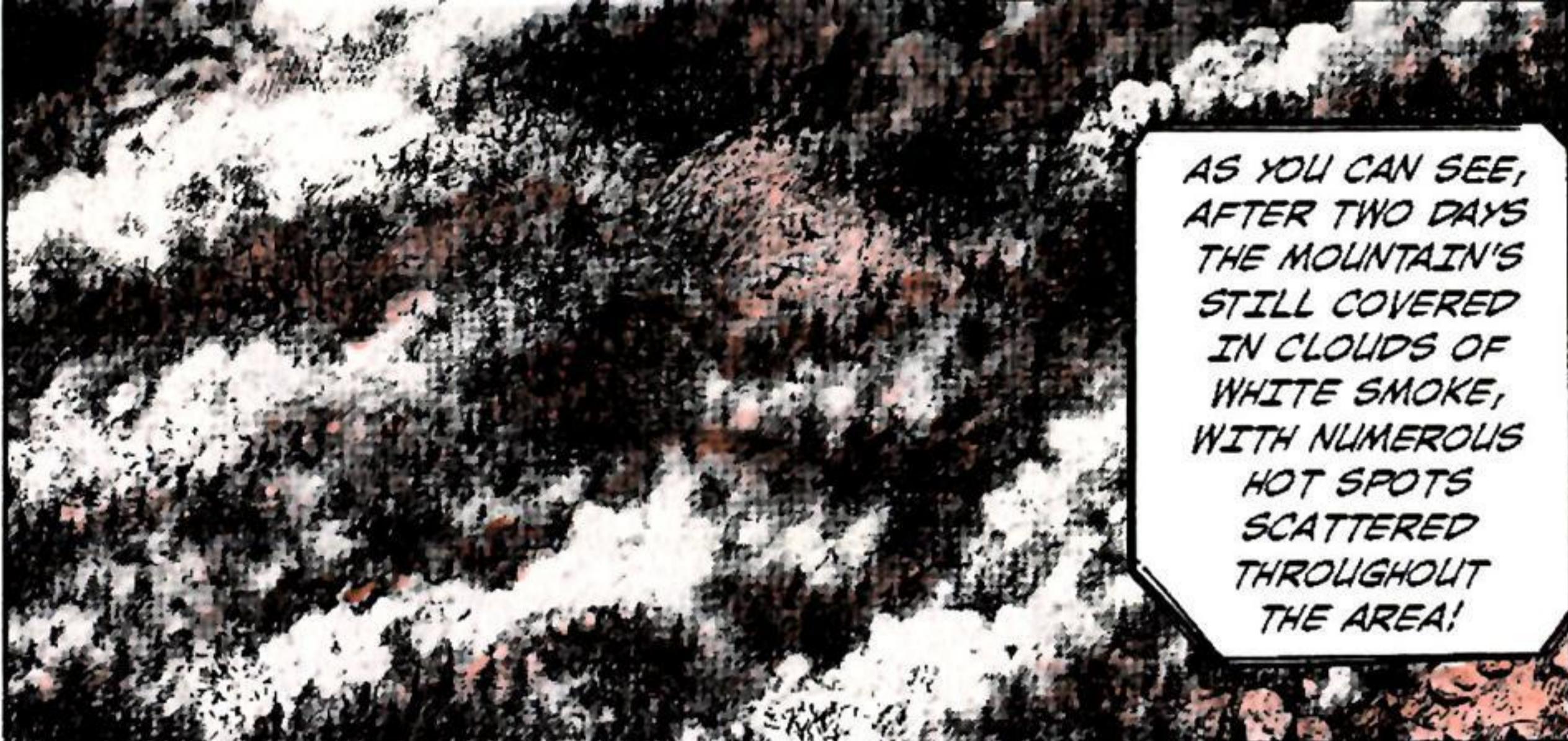
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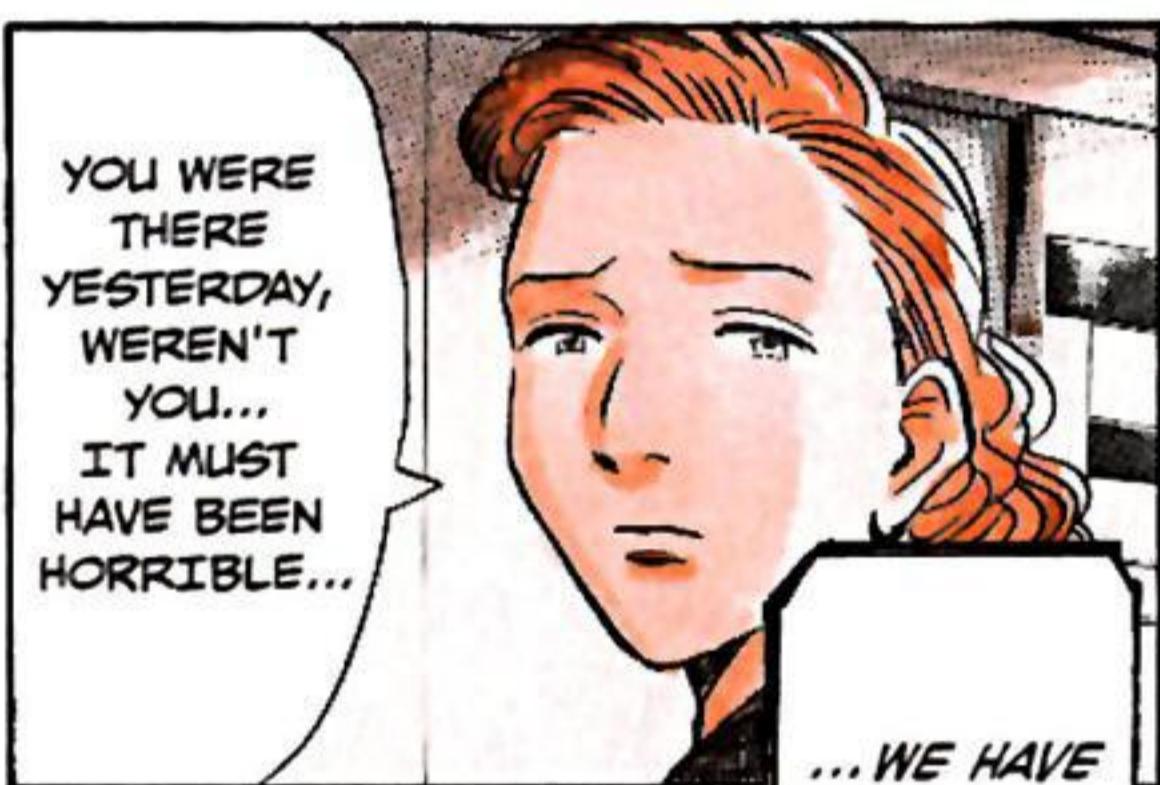
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WHAT
THE--?!





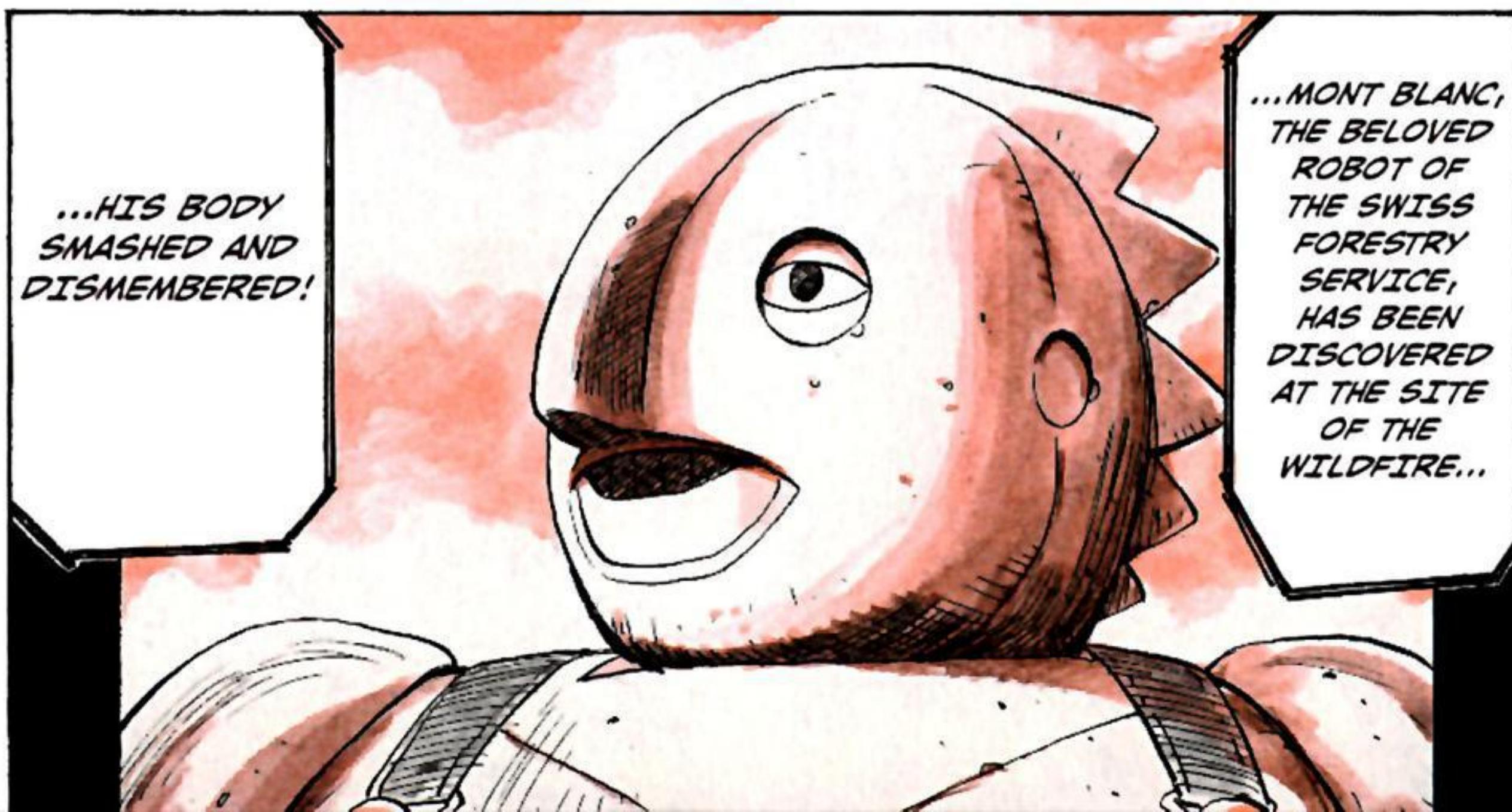
AS YOU CAN SEE, AFTER TWO DAYS THE MOUNTAIN'S STILL COVERED IN CLOUDS OF WHITE SMOKE, WITH NUMEROUS HOT SPOTS SCATTERED THROUGHOUT THE AREA!



...WE HAVE A NEW DEVELOPMENT...



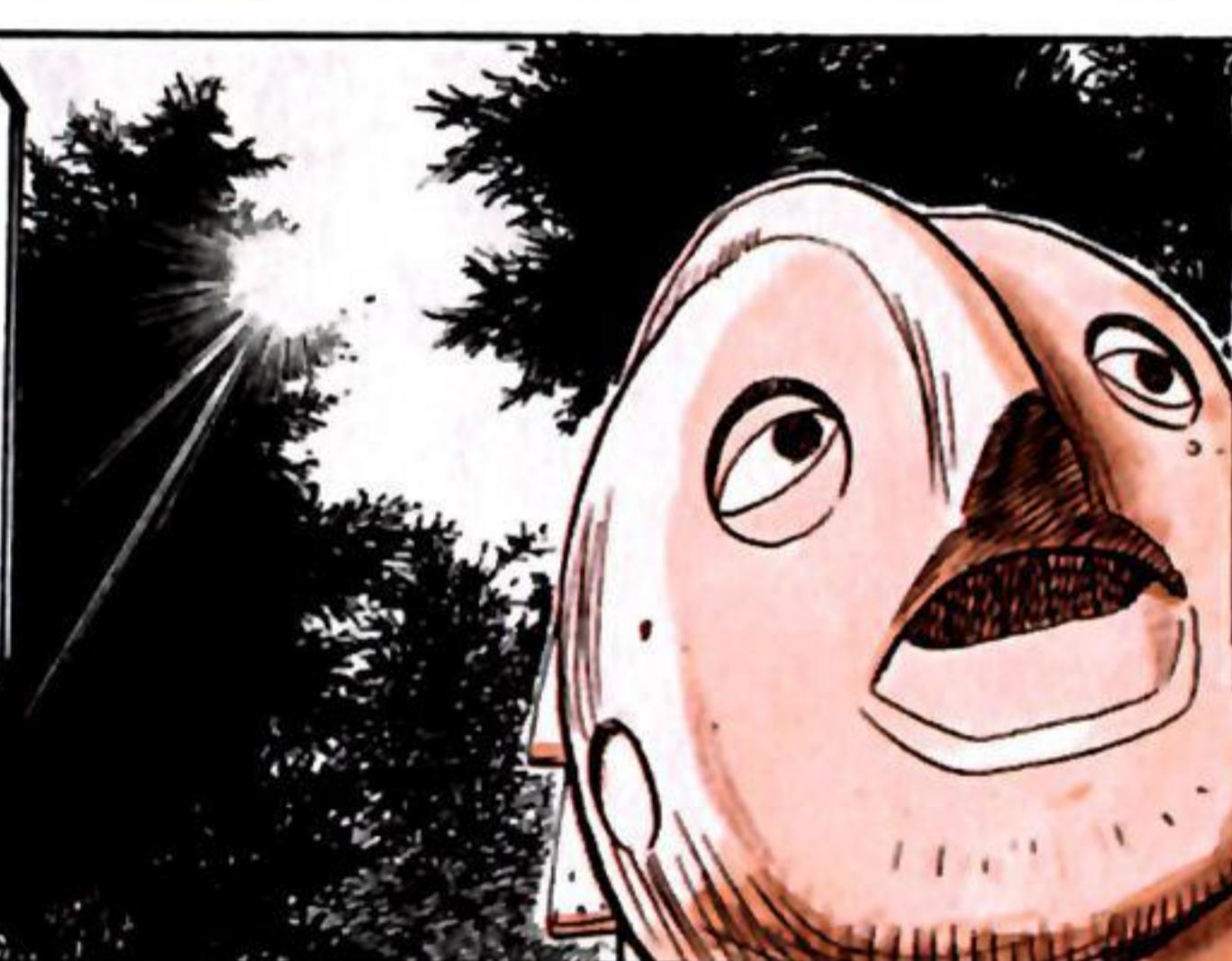
MEANWHILE, ACCORDING TO AN ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE COMMISSION INVESTIGATING THE INCIDENT...





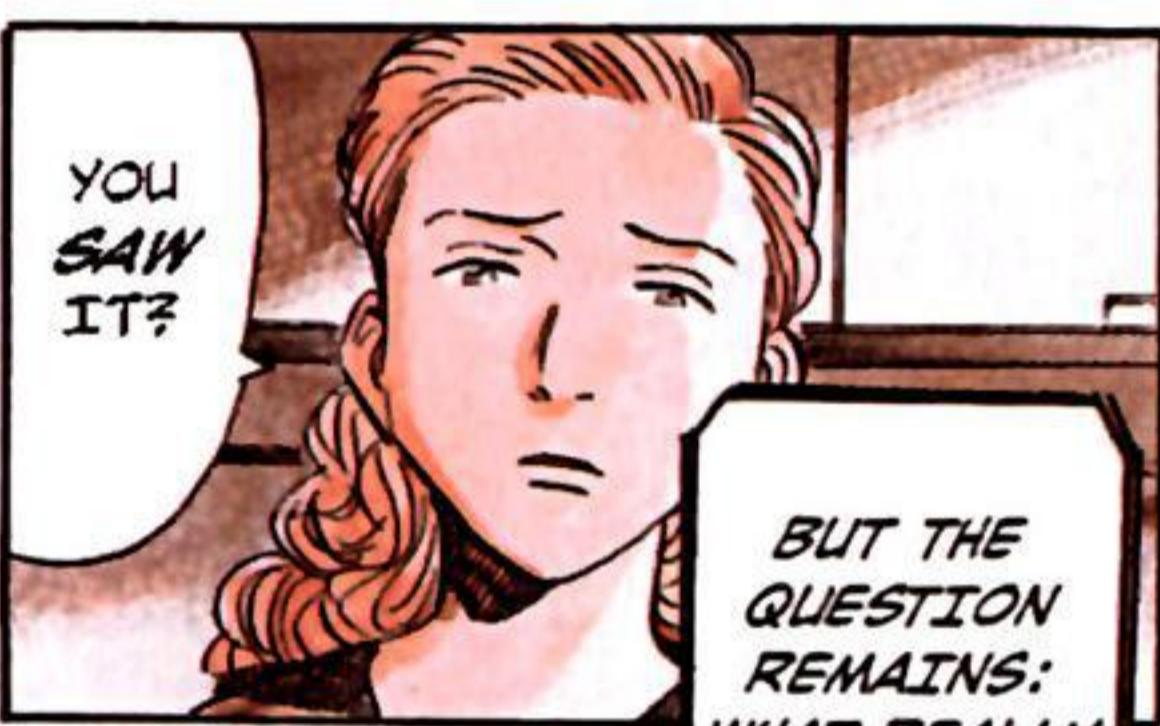
...HE
BEFRIENDED
THOUSANDS OF
CLIMBERS AND
CHILDREN
SIGHTSEEING IN
SWITZERLAND...

MONT
BLANC
WAS A
WORLD-
RENNOWNED
MOUNTAIN
GUIDE...



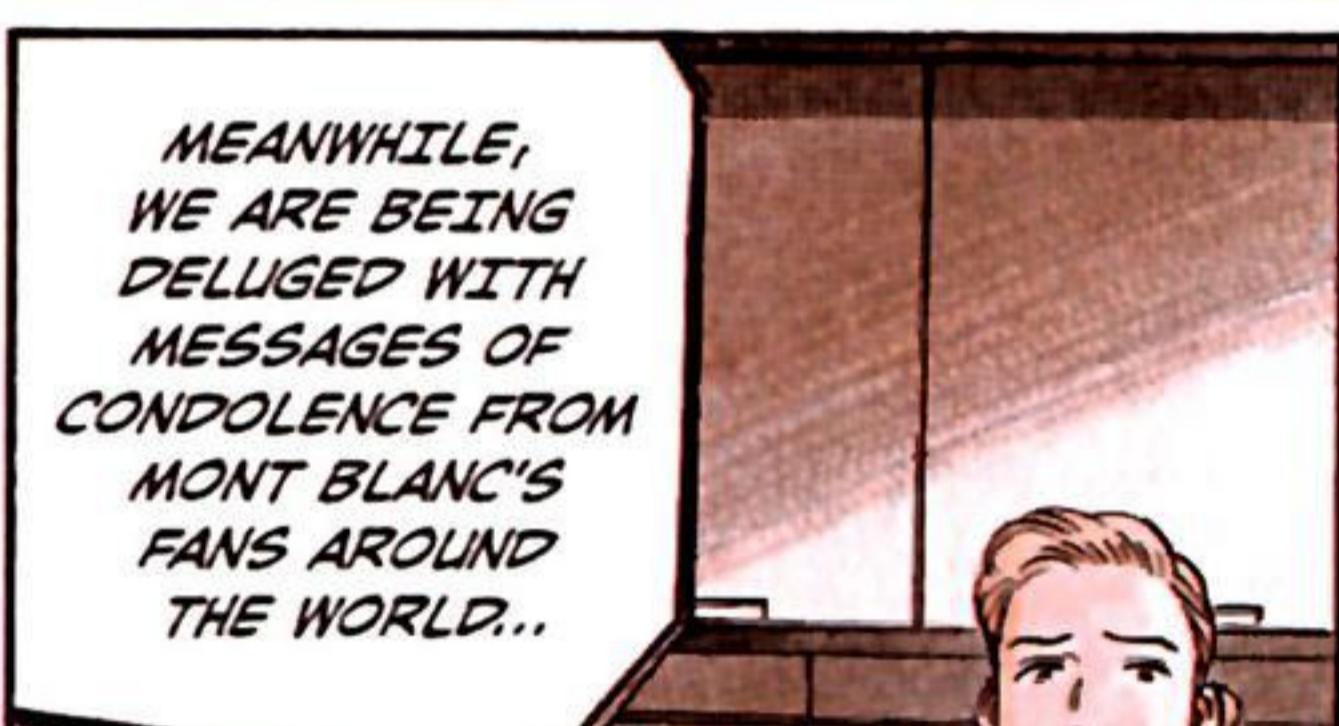
AND HE WAS
ENTHUSI-
ASTICALLY
DEVELOPING
A TREE
HARVESTING
PROGRAM
THAT COULD
COEXIST WITH
ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION
GOALS...

HE WAS IN
CHARGE OF
PROTECTING
THE FORESTS
IN THE LUCERNE
REGION, WHERE
THE FIRE
BROKE OUT.

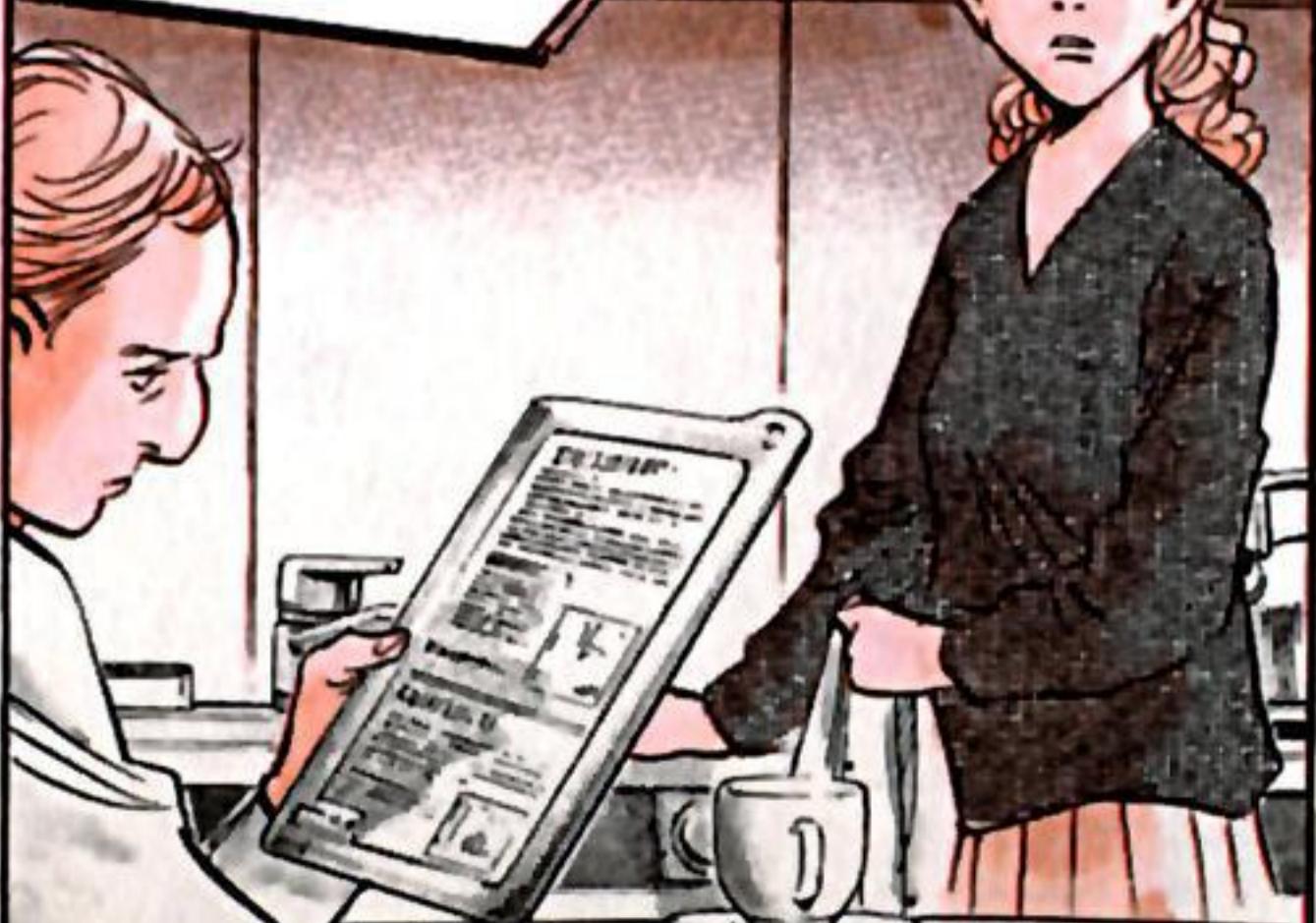


YOU
SAW
IT?

BUT THE
QUESTION
REMAINS:
WHAT REALLY
HAPPENED
TO MONT
BLANC?

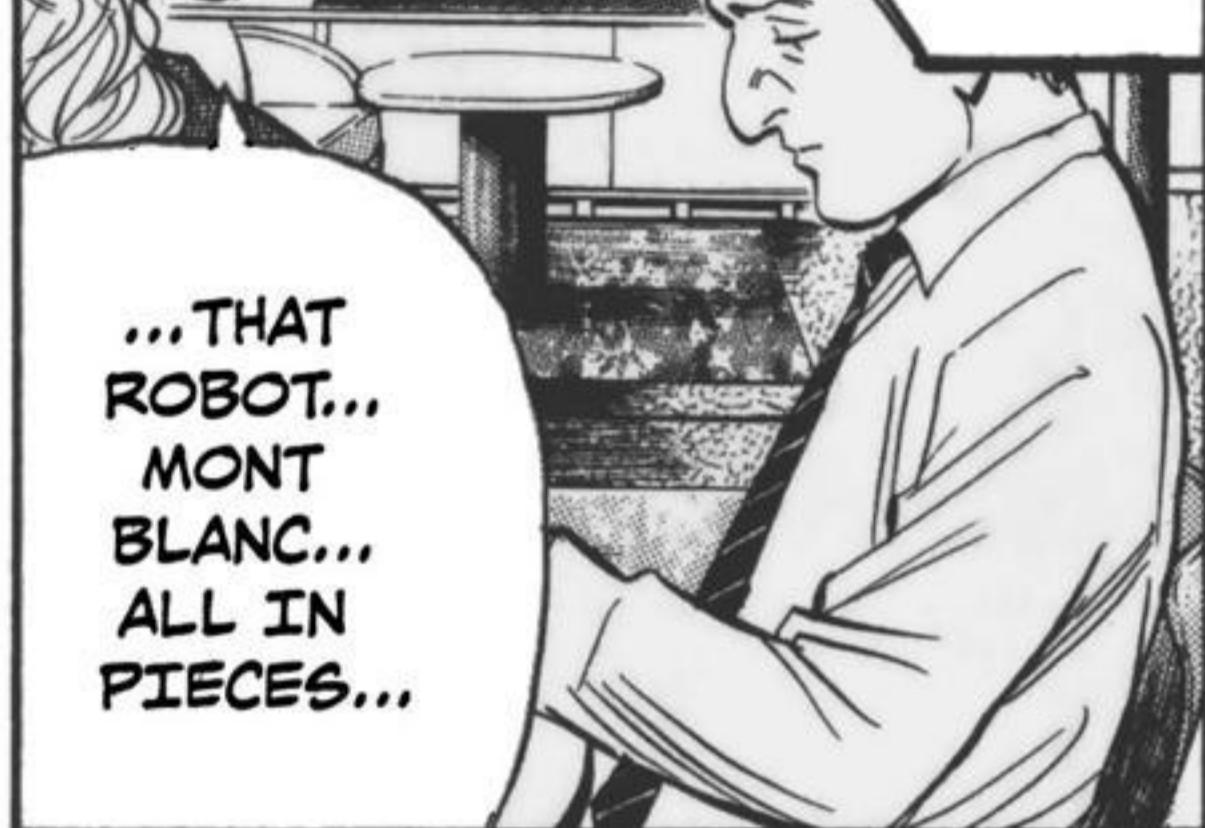
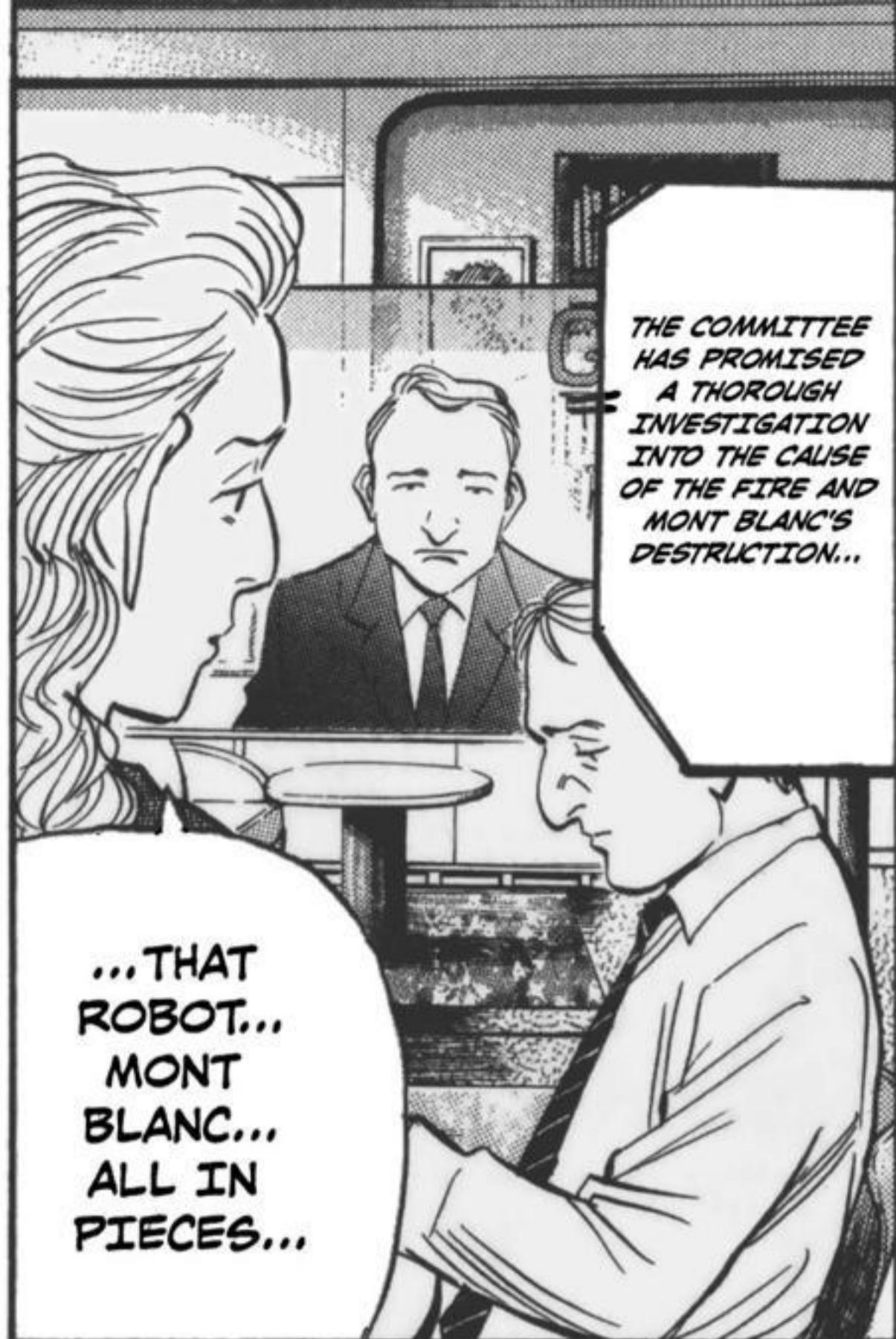


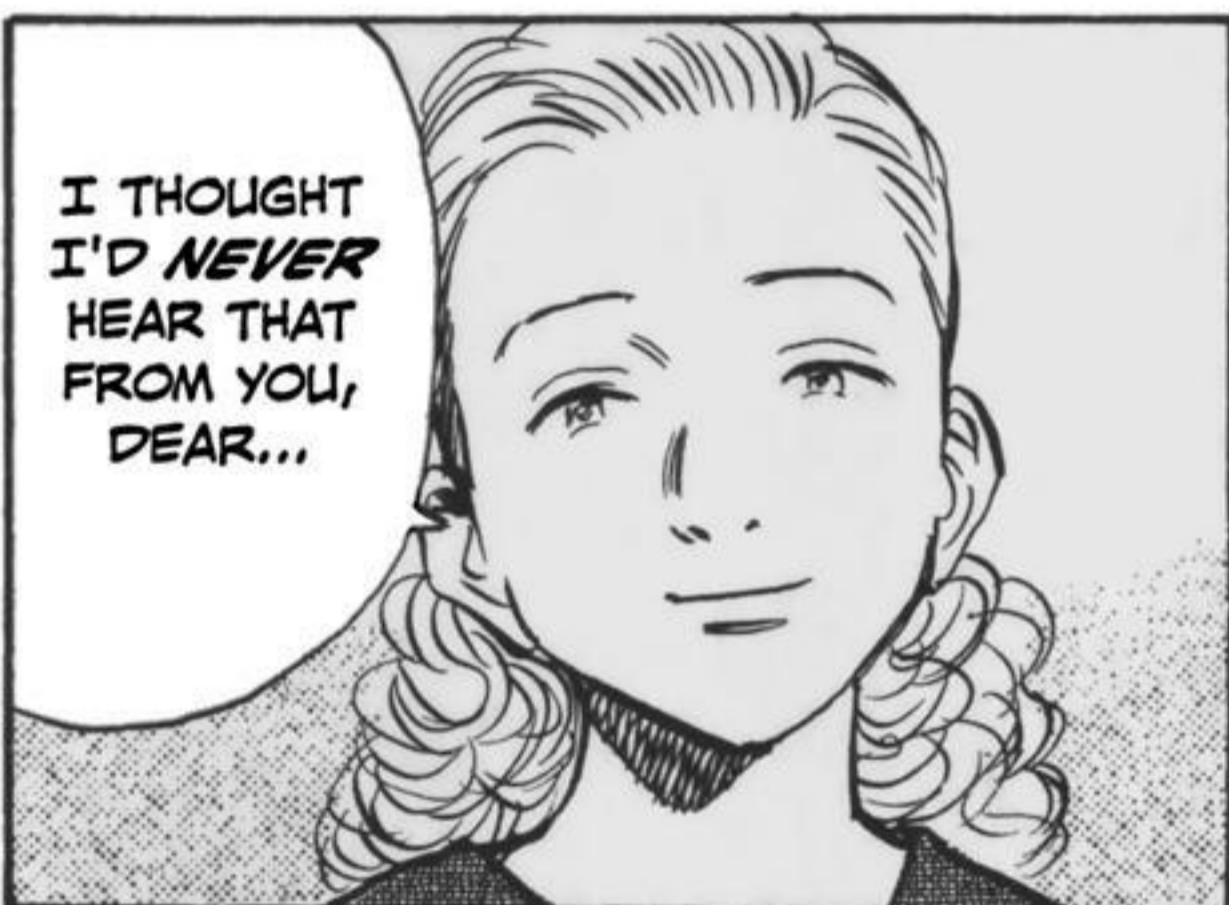
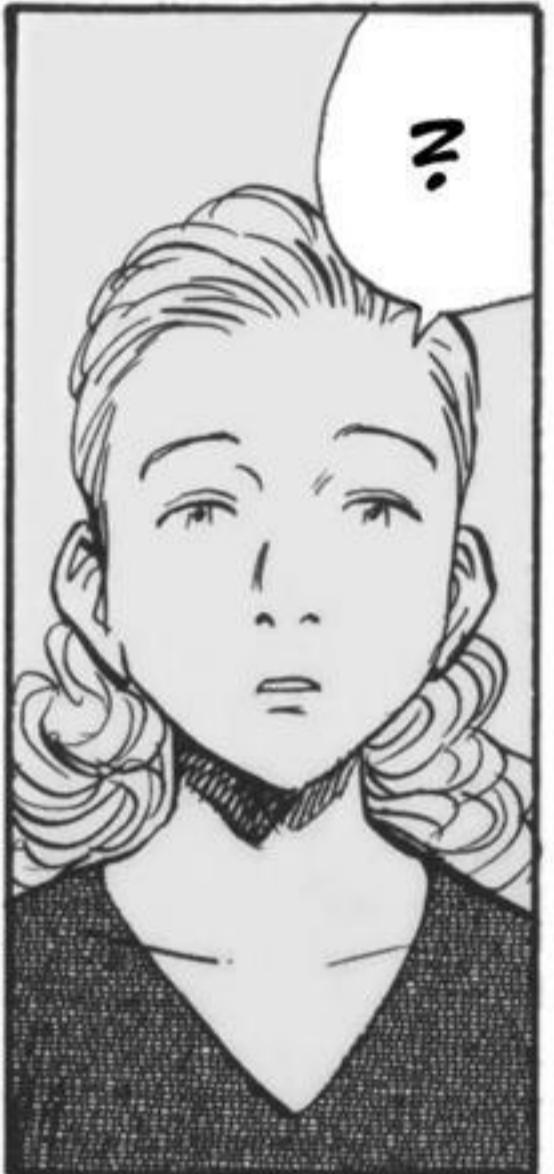
MEANWHILE,
WE ARE BEING
DELUGED WITH
MESSAGES OF
CONDOLENCE FROM
MONT BLANC'S
FANS AROUND
THE WORLD...



...SAW
WHAT?

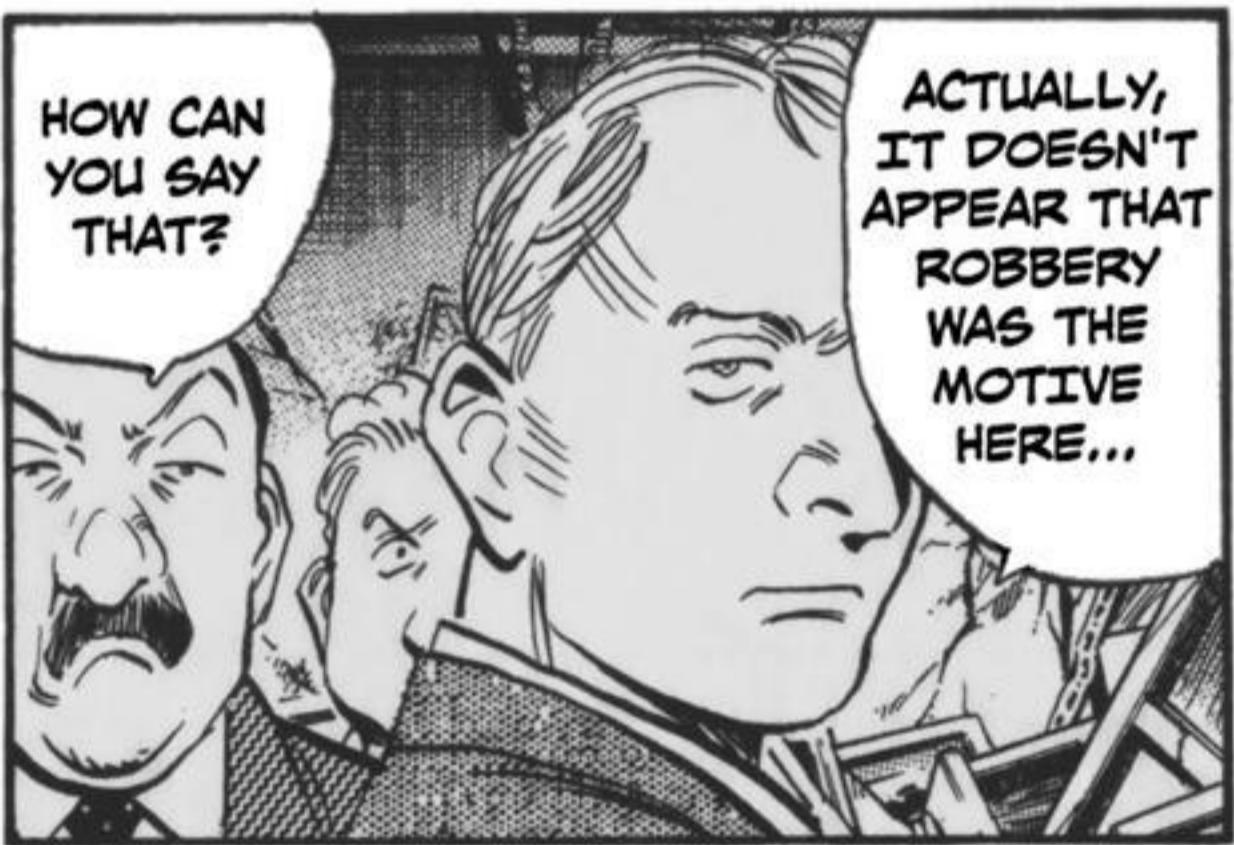
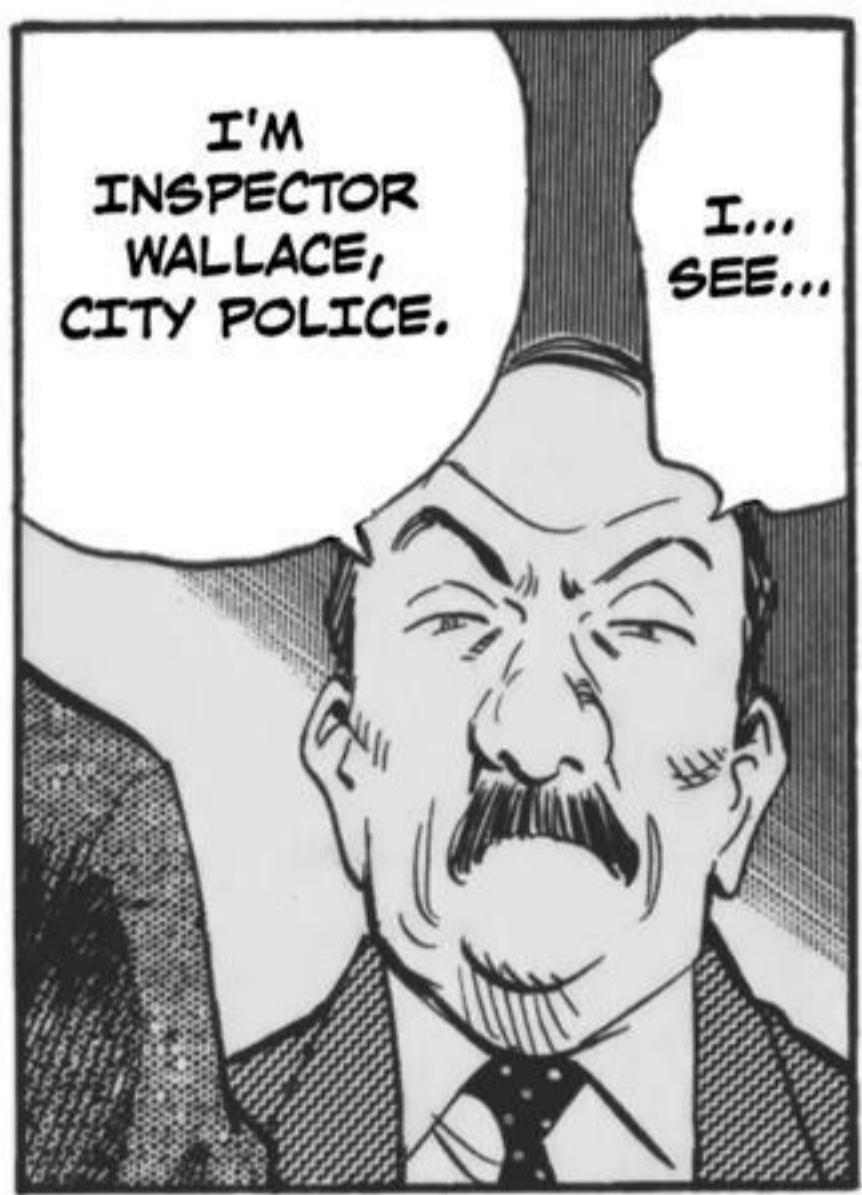






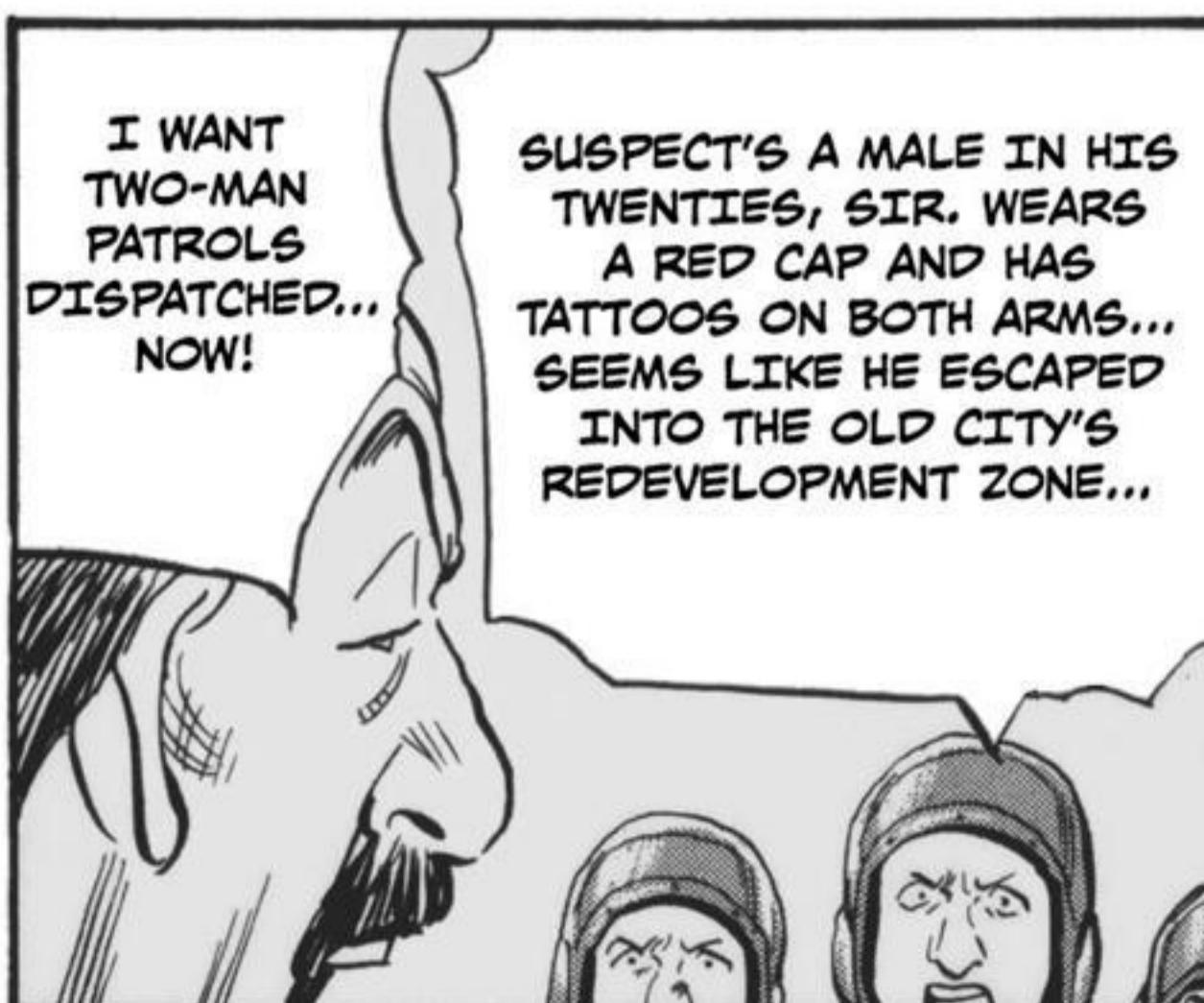
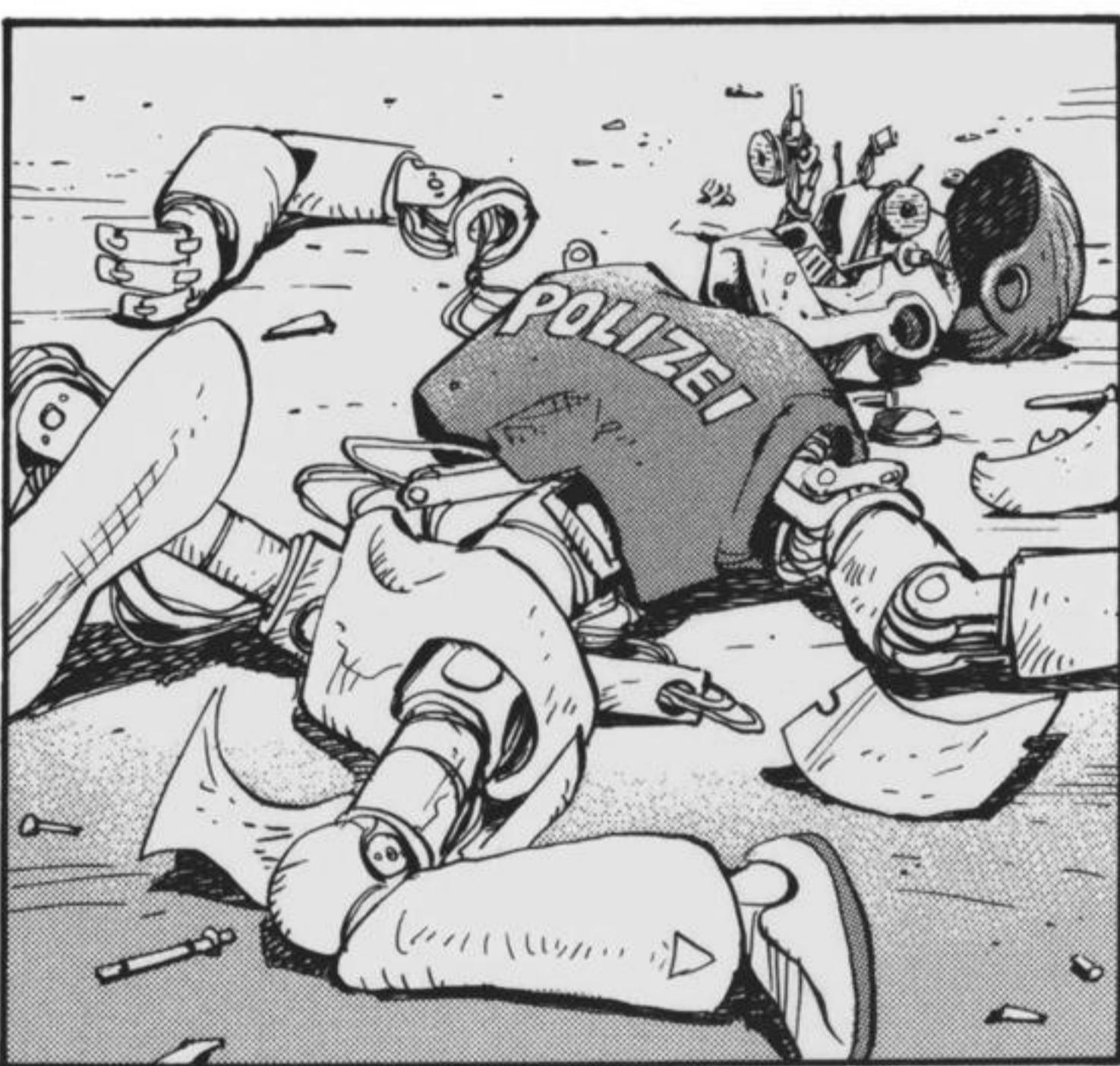


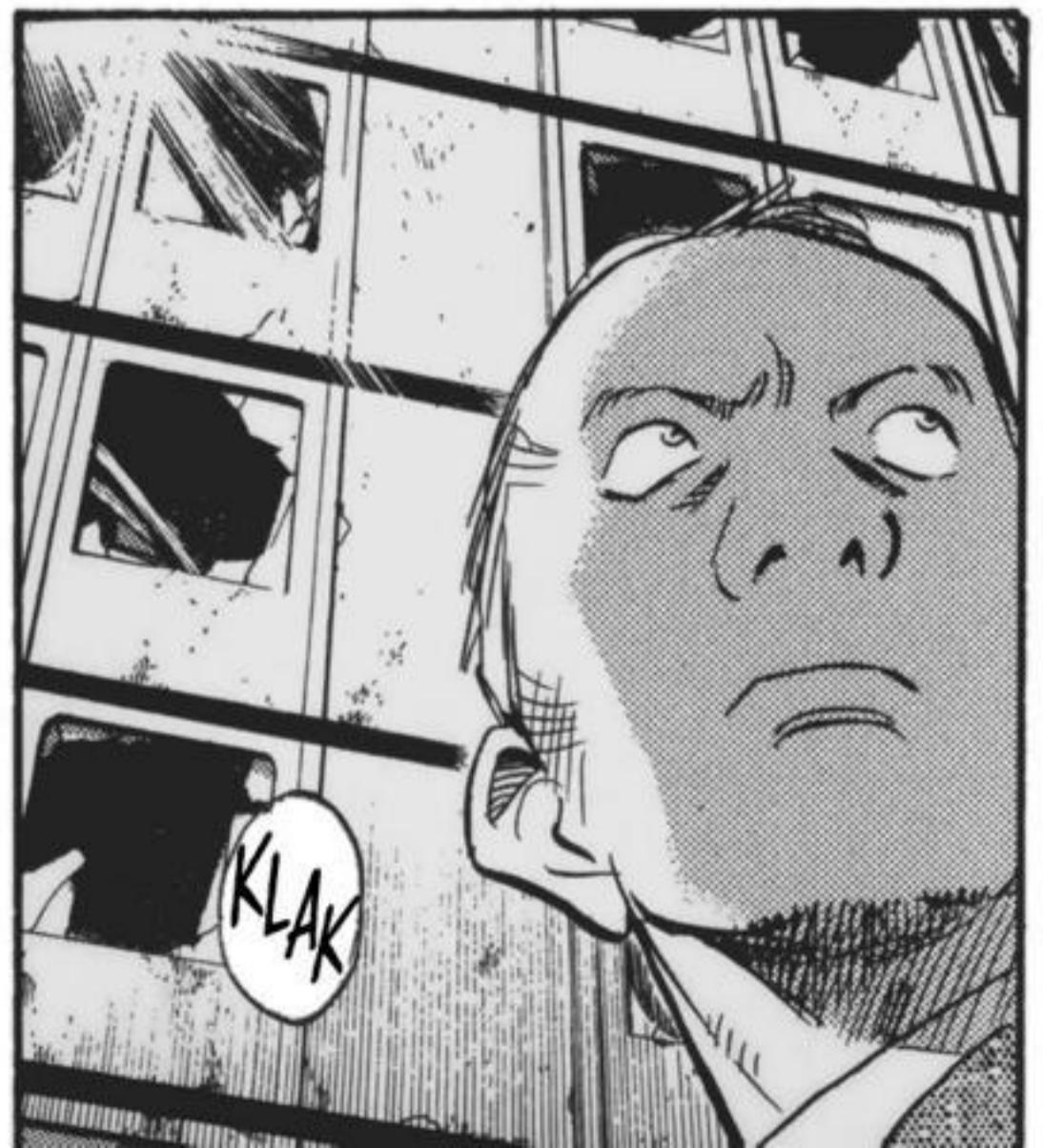
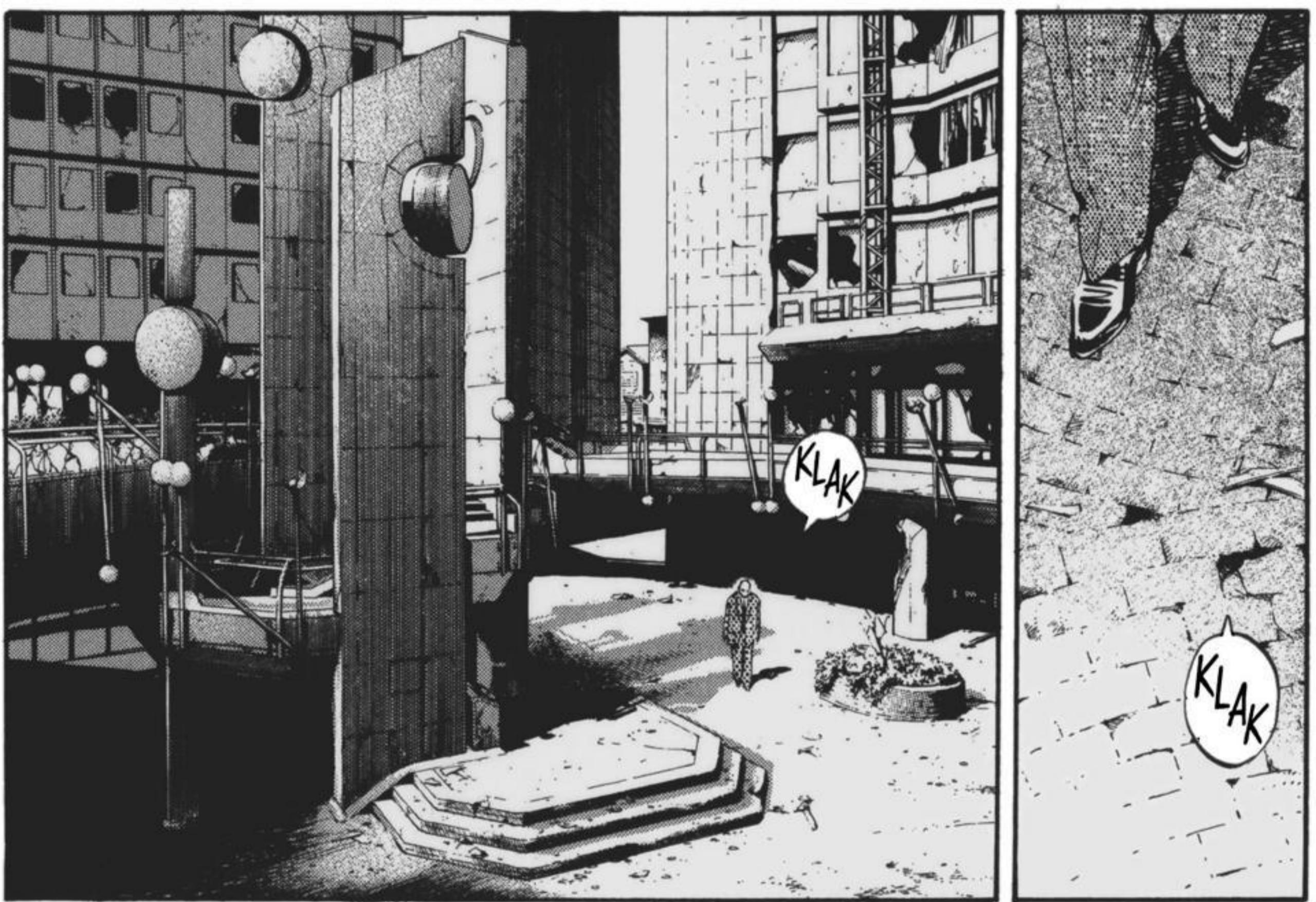
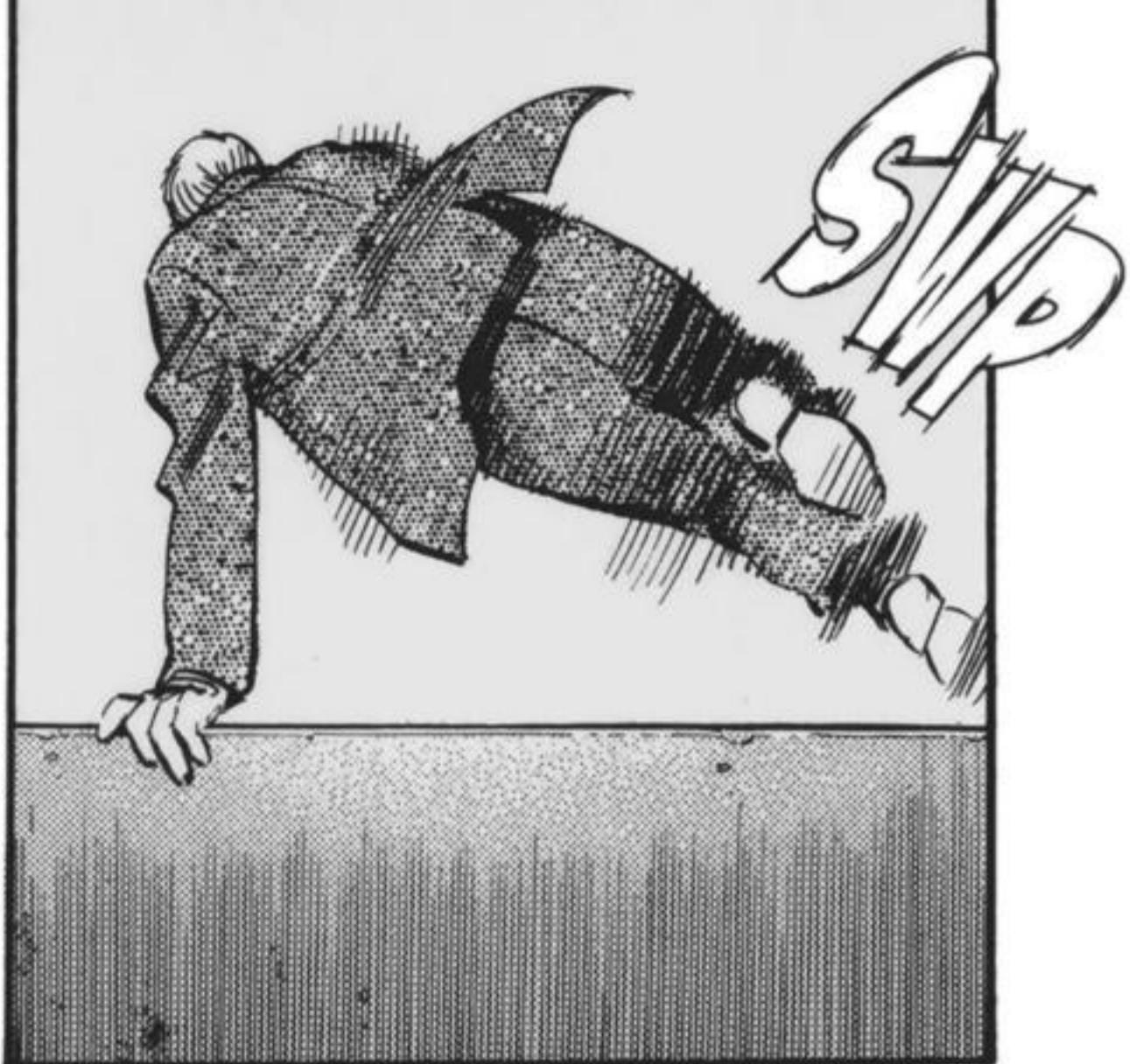
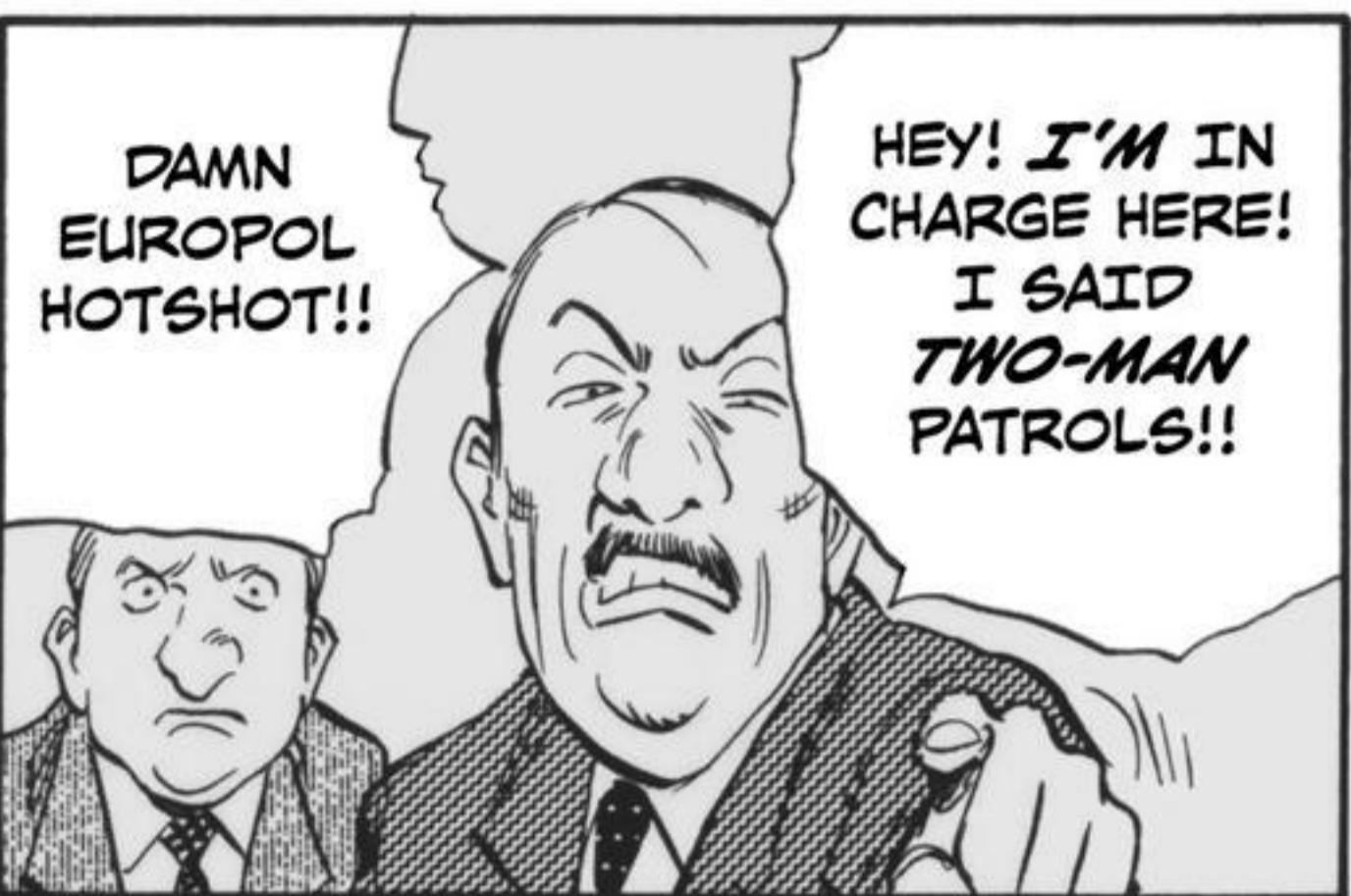














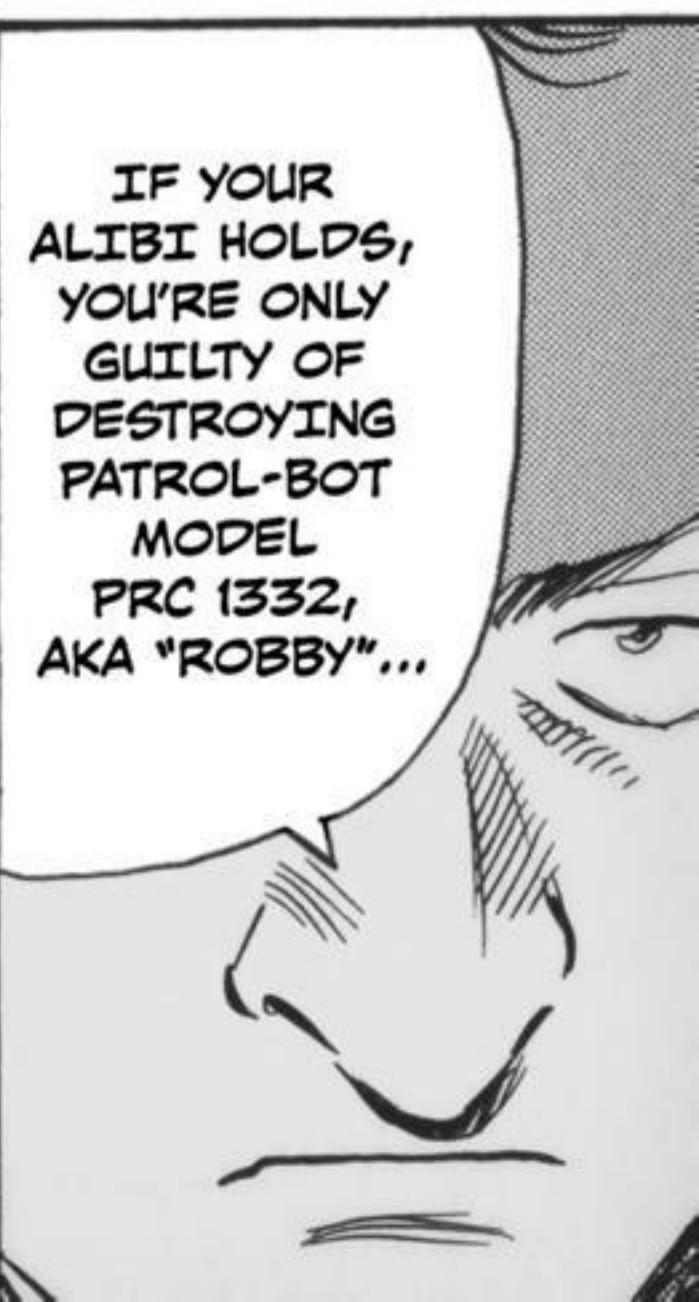
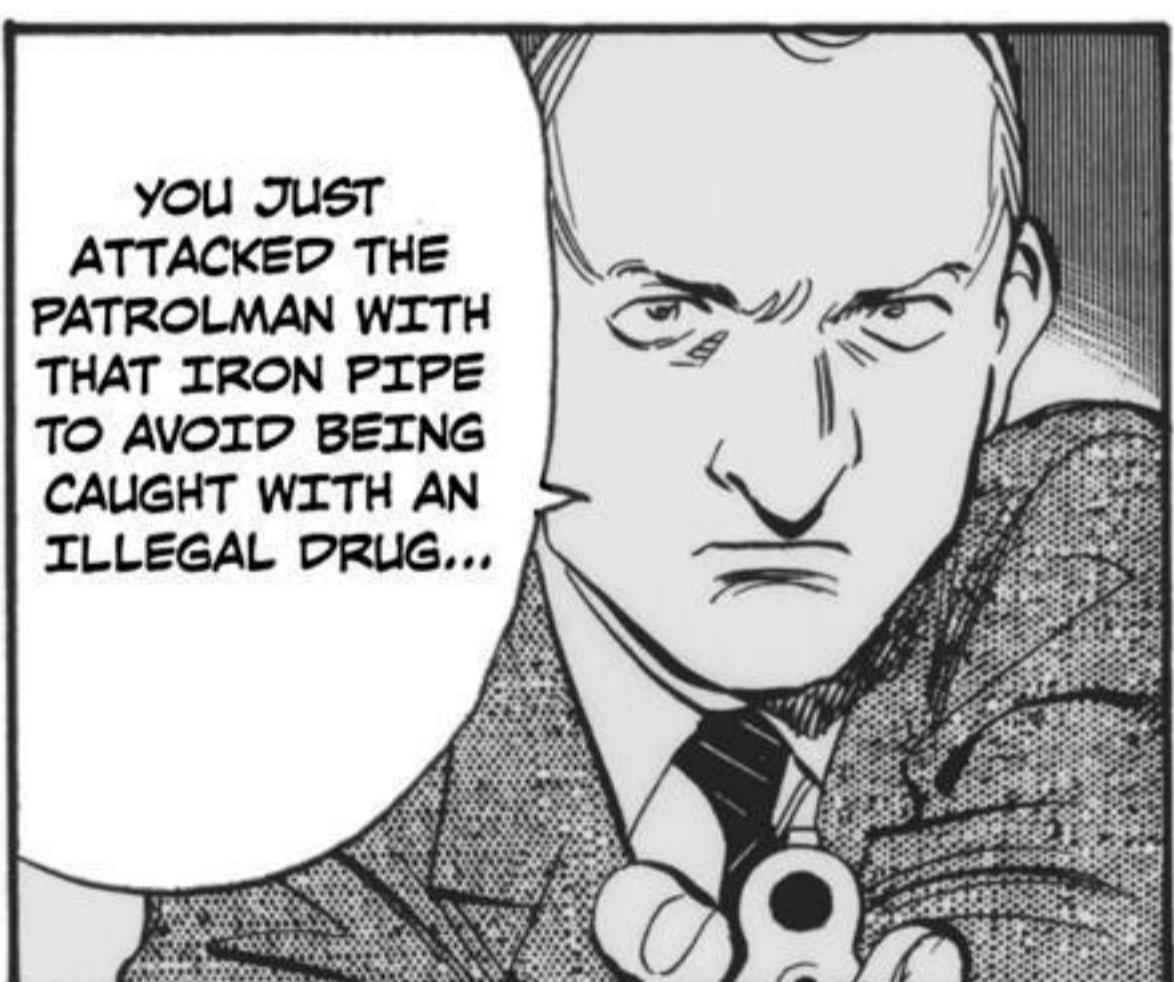


YOU'RE HOOKED
ON *NOI*, AND
YOU TOOK SOME
APPROXIMATELY
FORTY MINUTES
AGO, RIGHT?



WELL,
IF HE'LL
VOUCH
FOR YOU,
YOU'VE
GOT AN
ALIBI...

IT...
IT WAS
A GUY
NAMED
SCHULZ...
ON K-KARL
HEINZ
STREET...

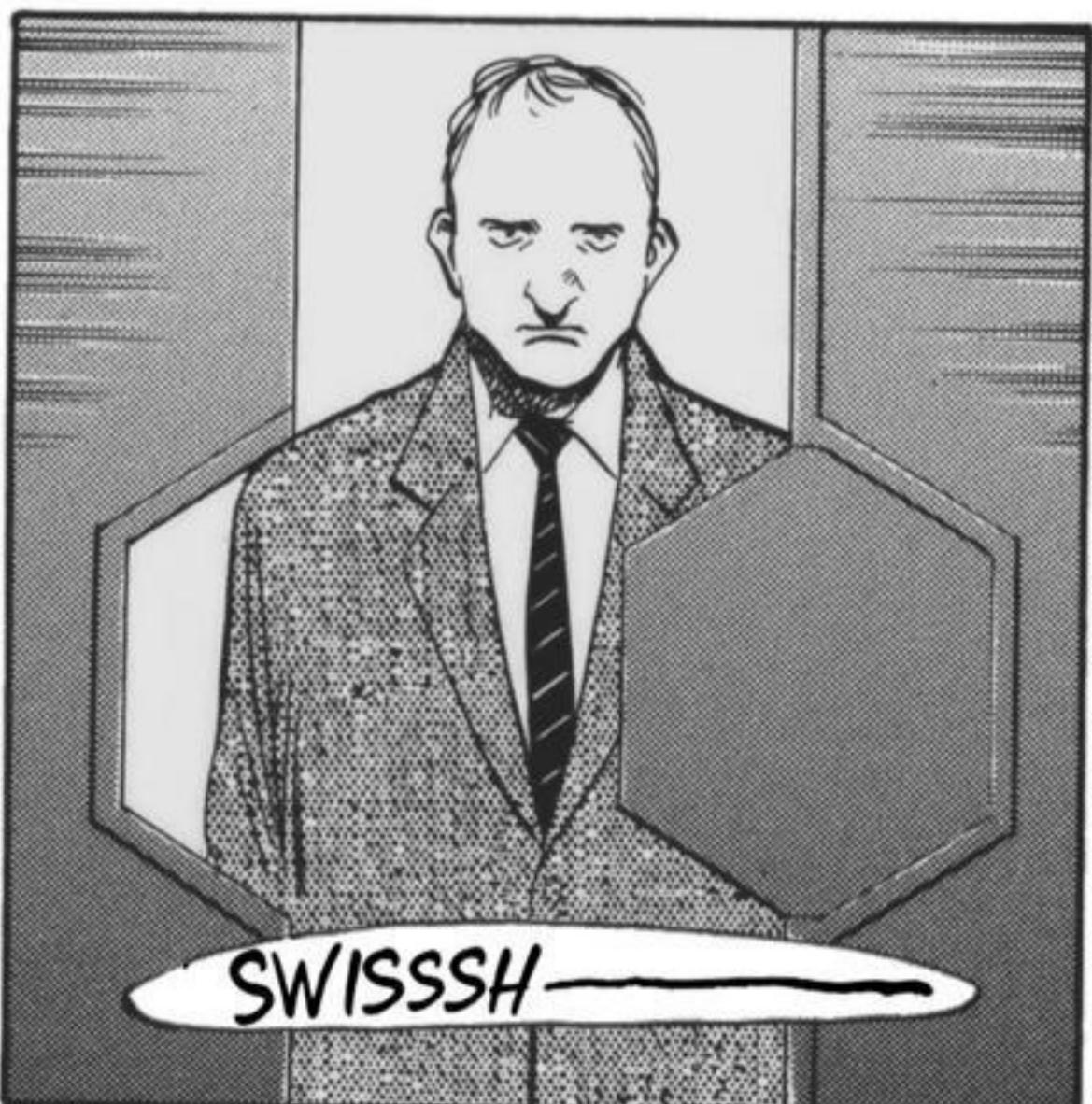
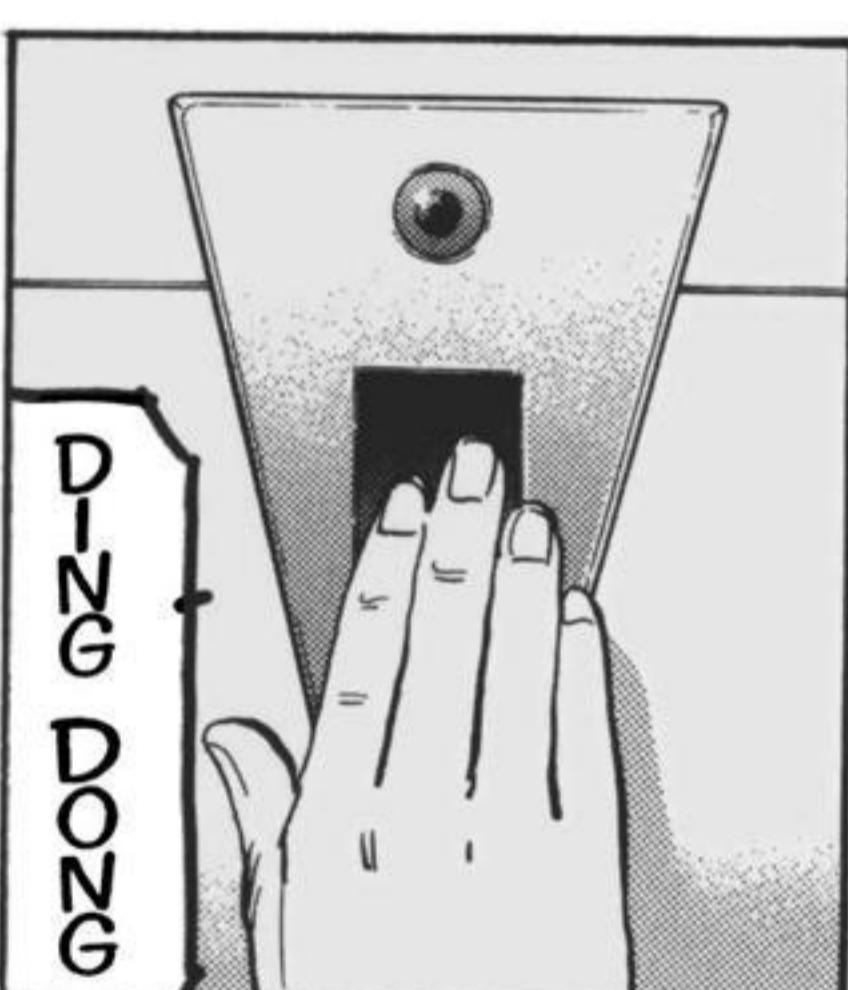
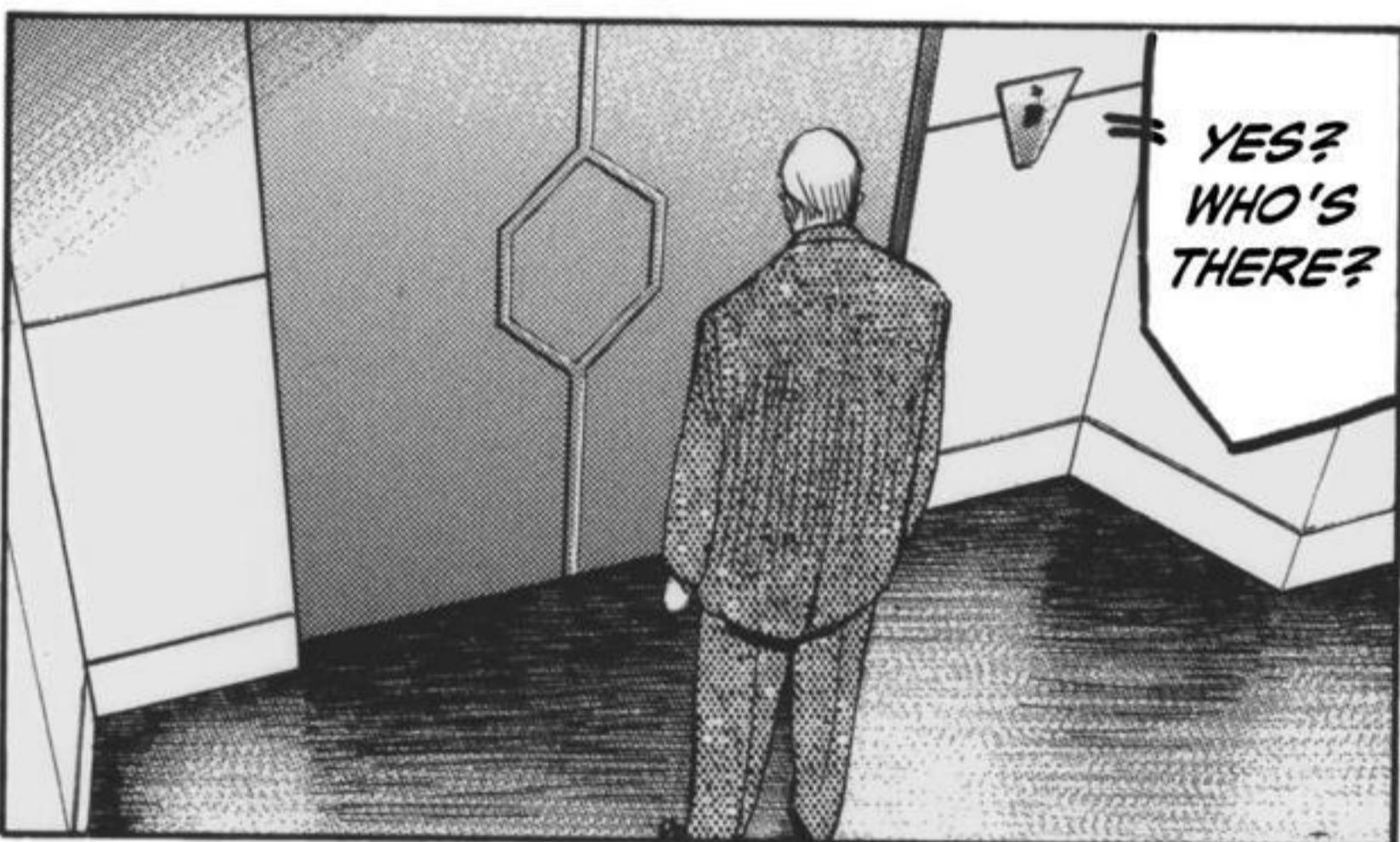


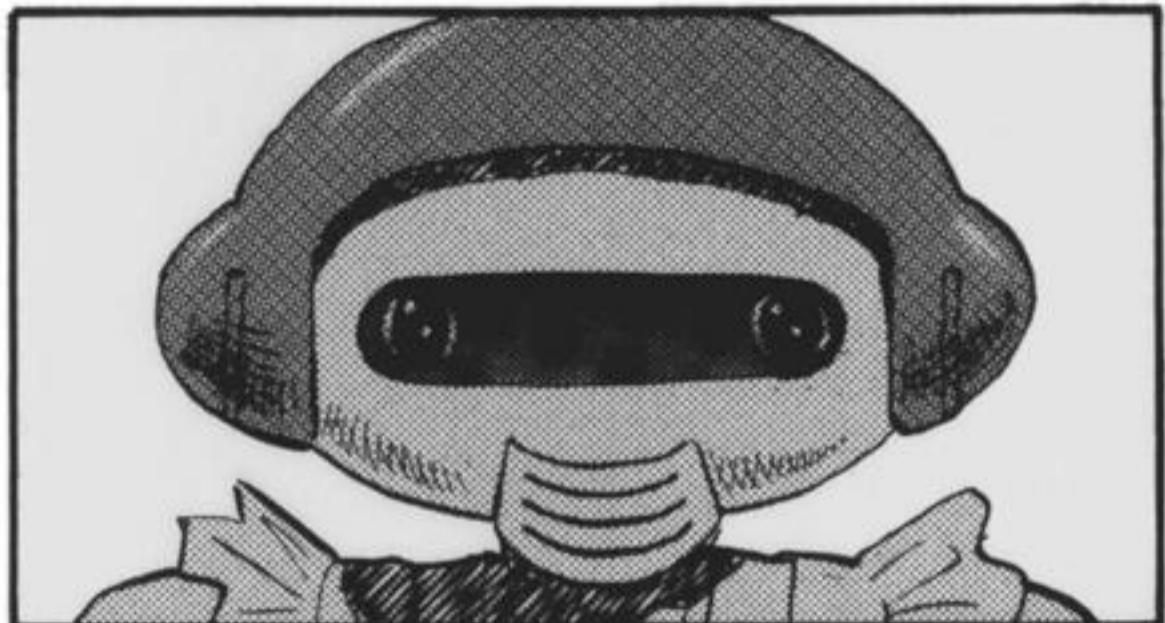
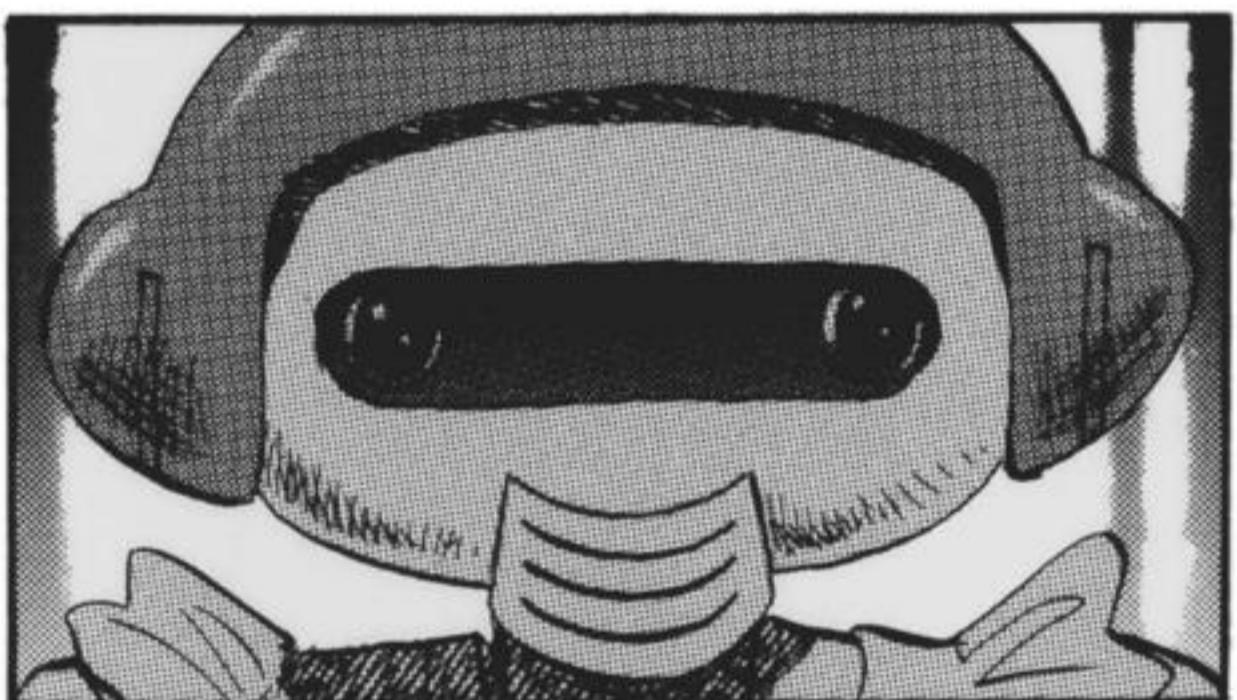
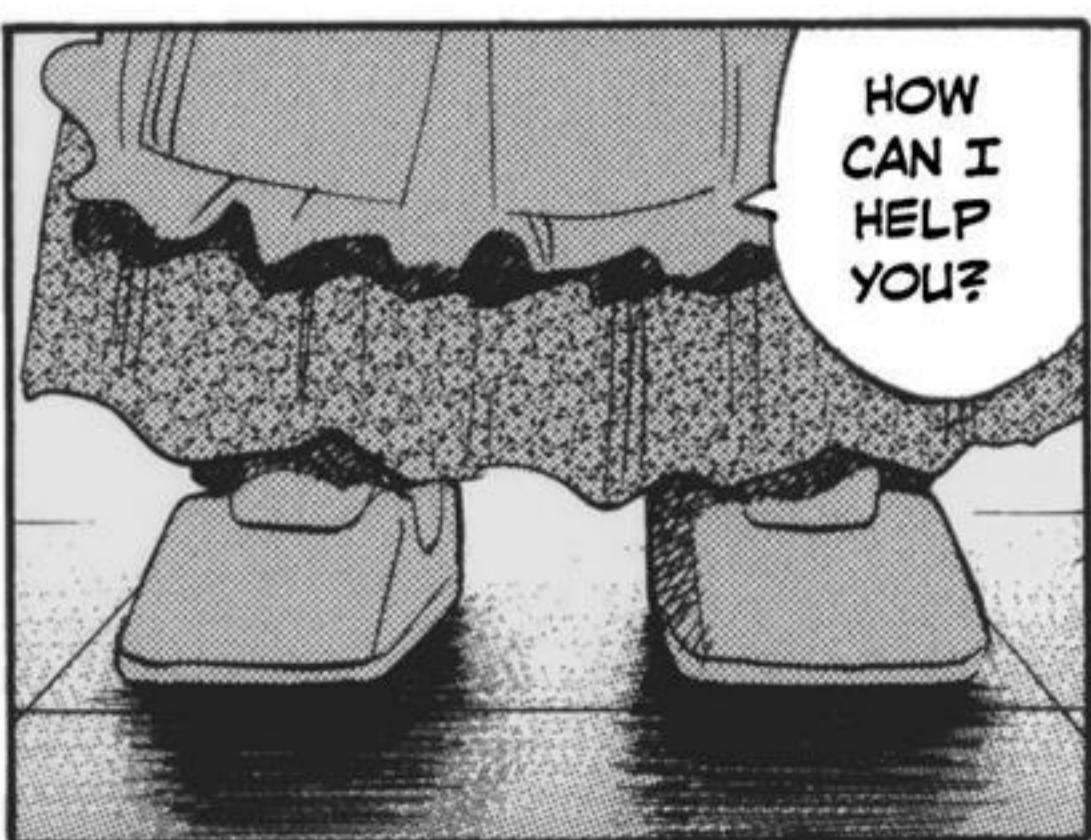
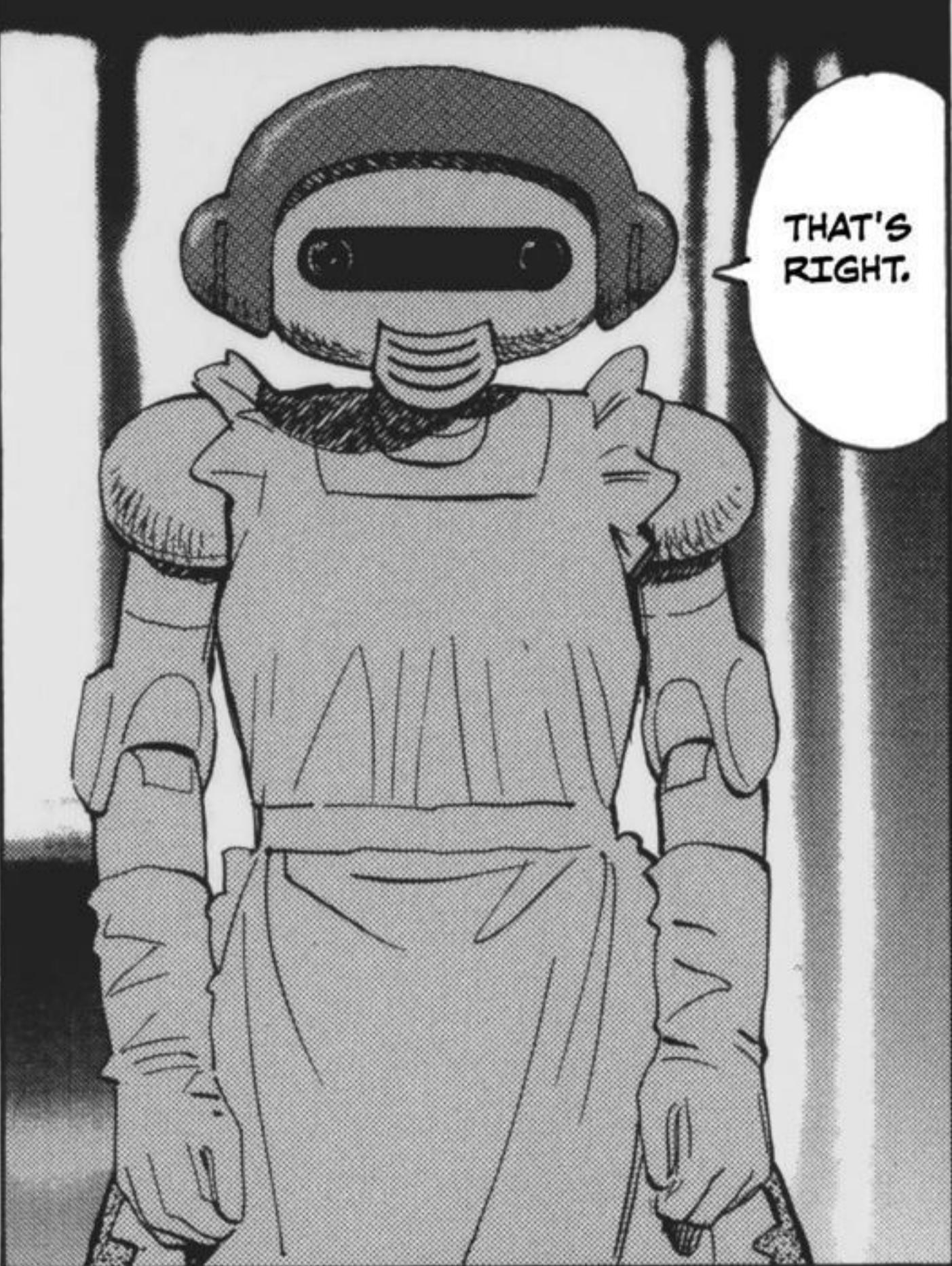


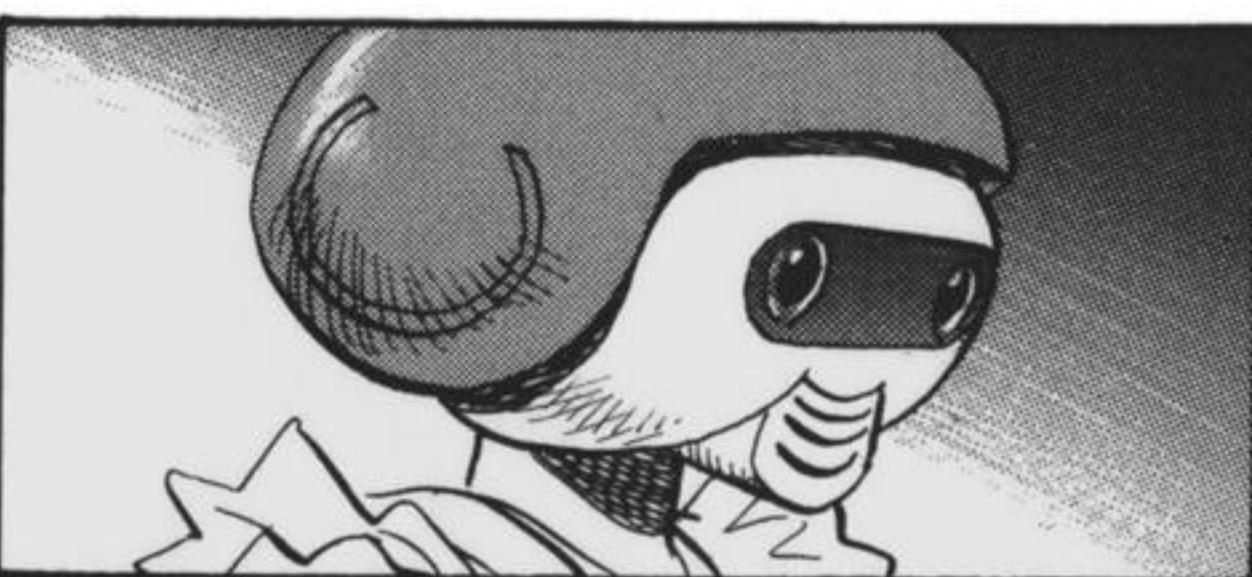
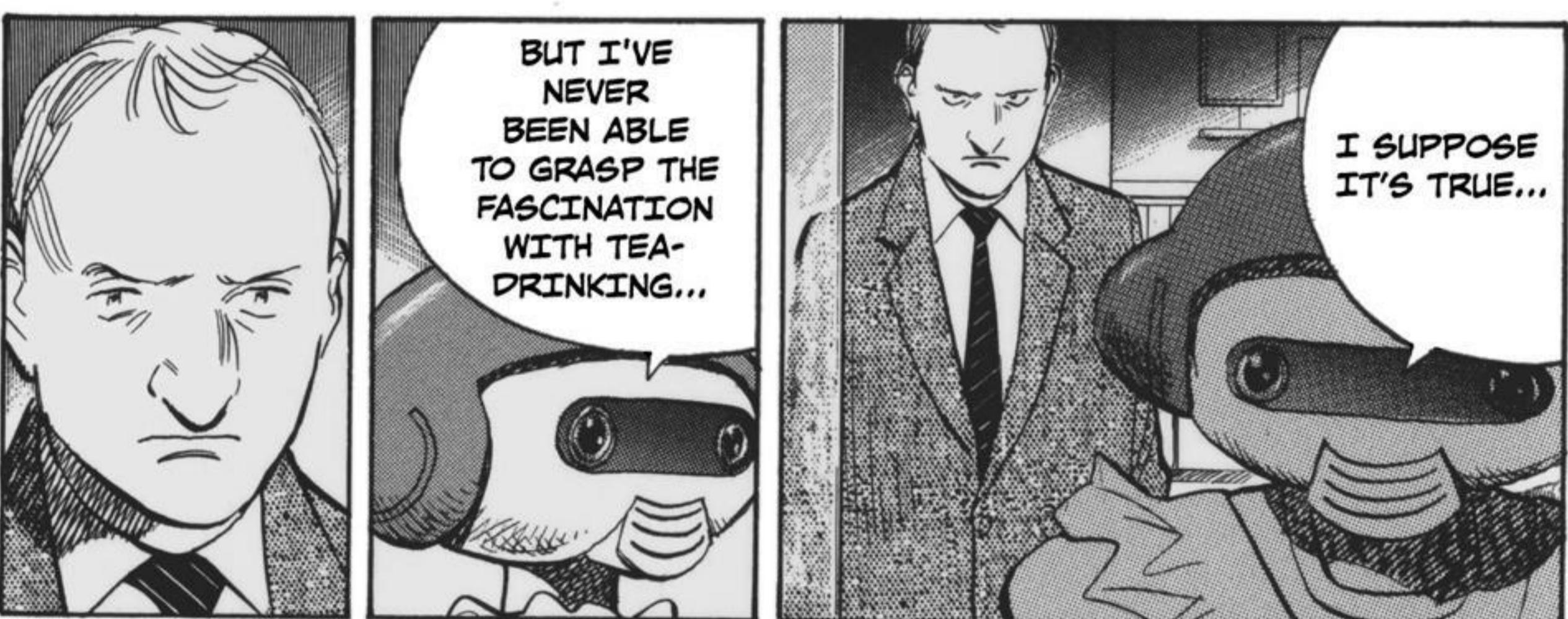
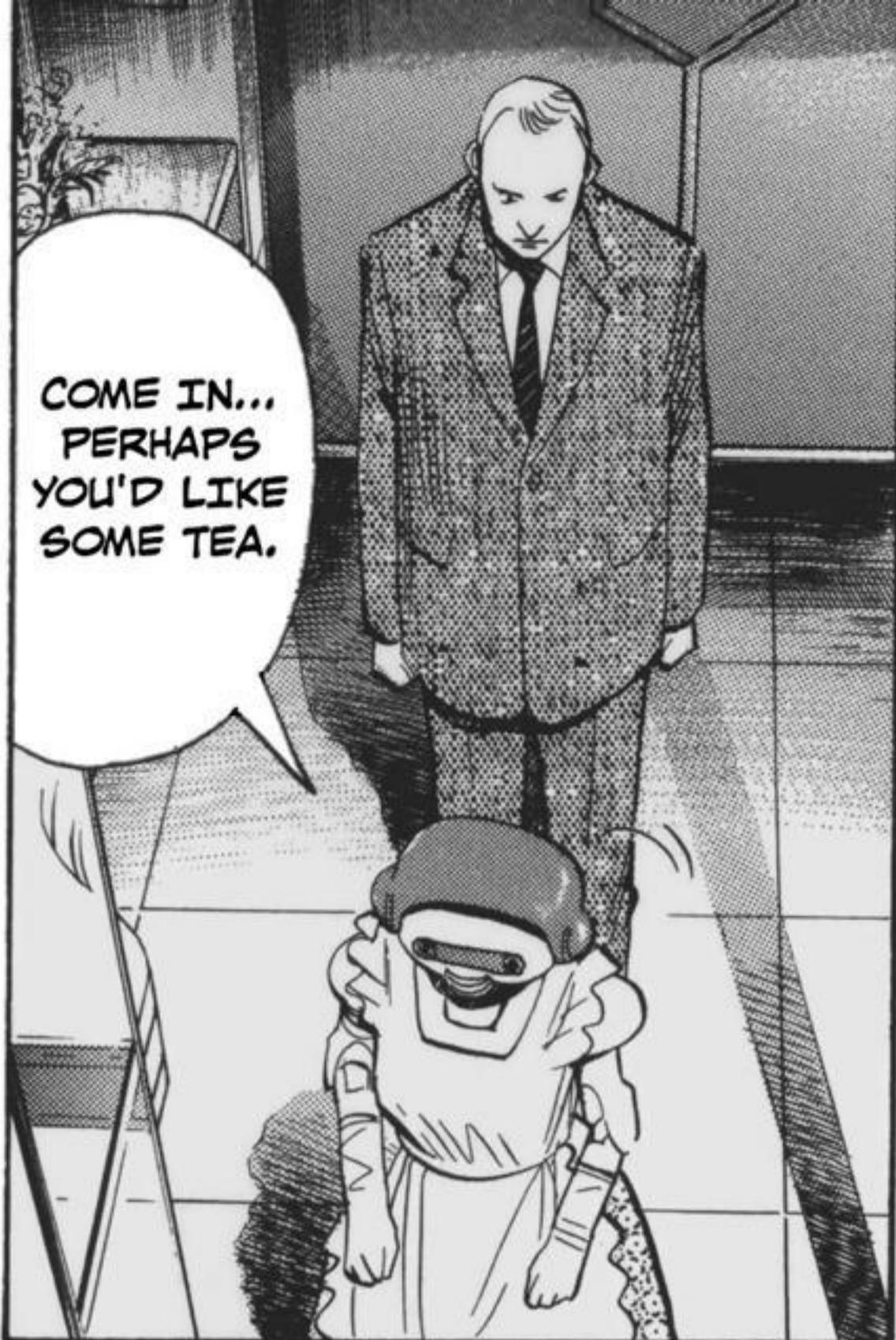
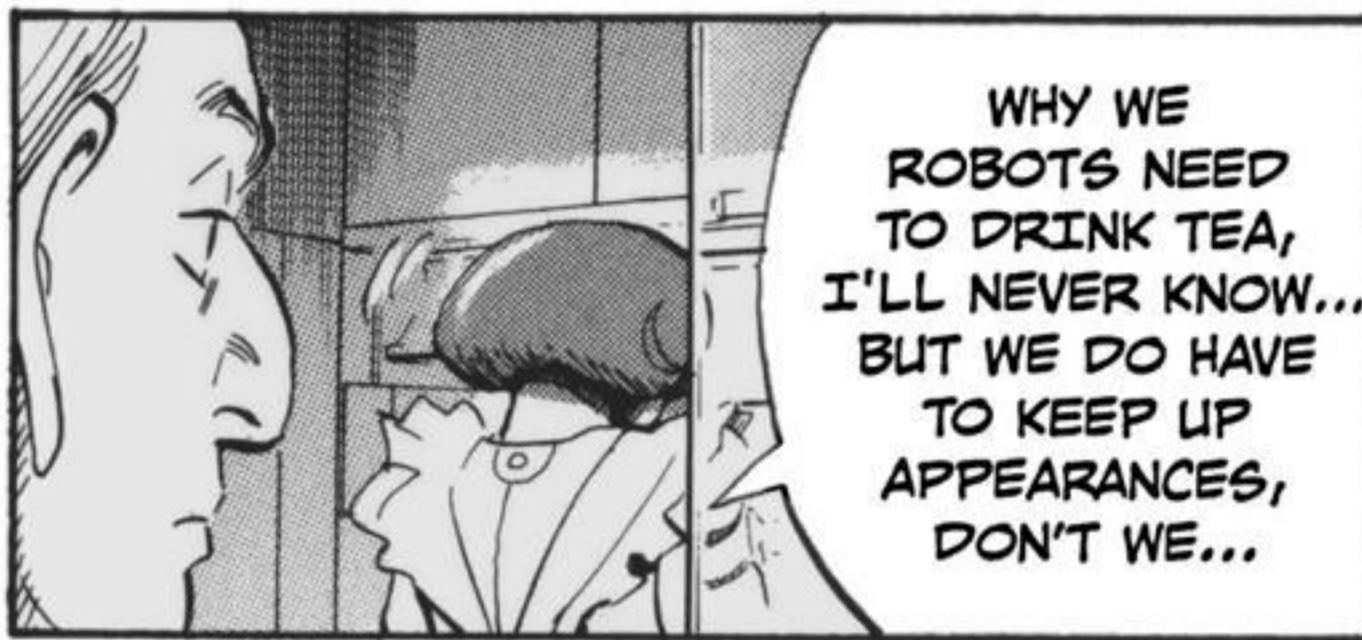
DON'T
WORRY,
MY
FRIEND
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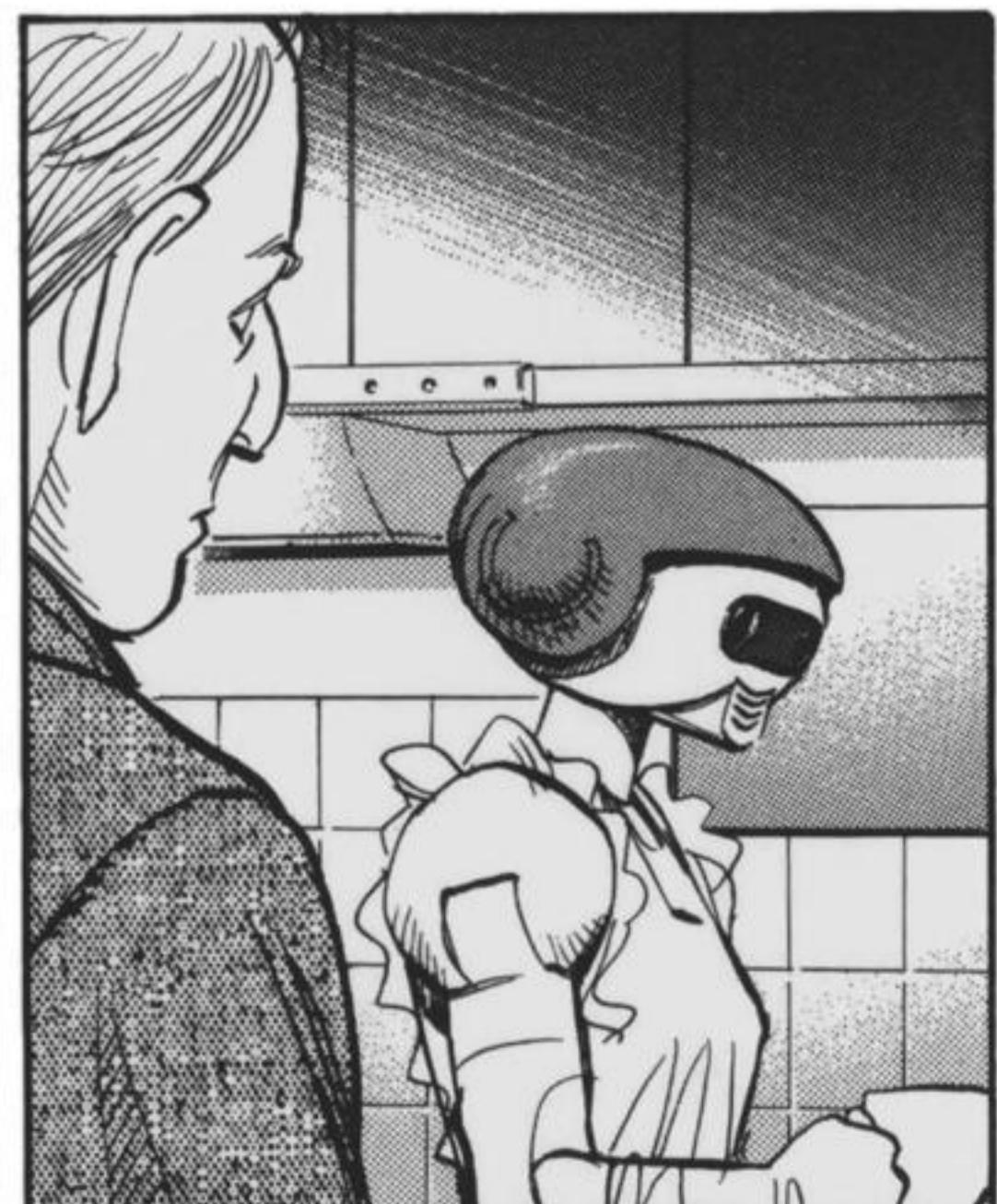
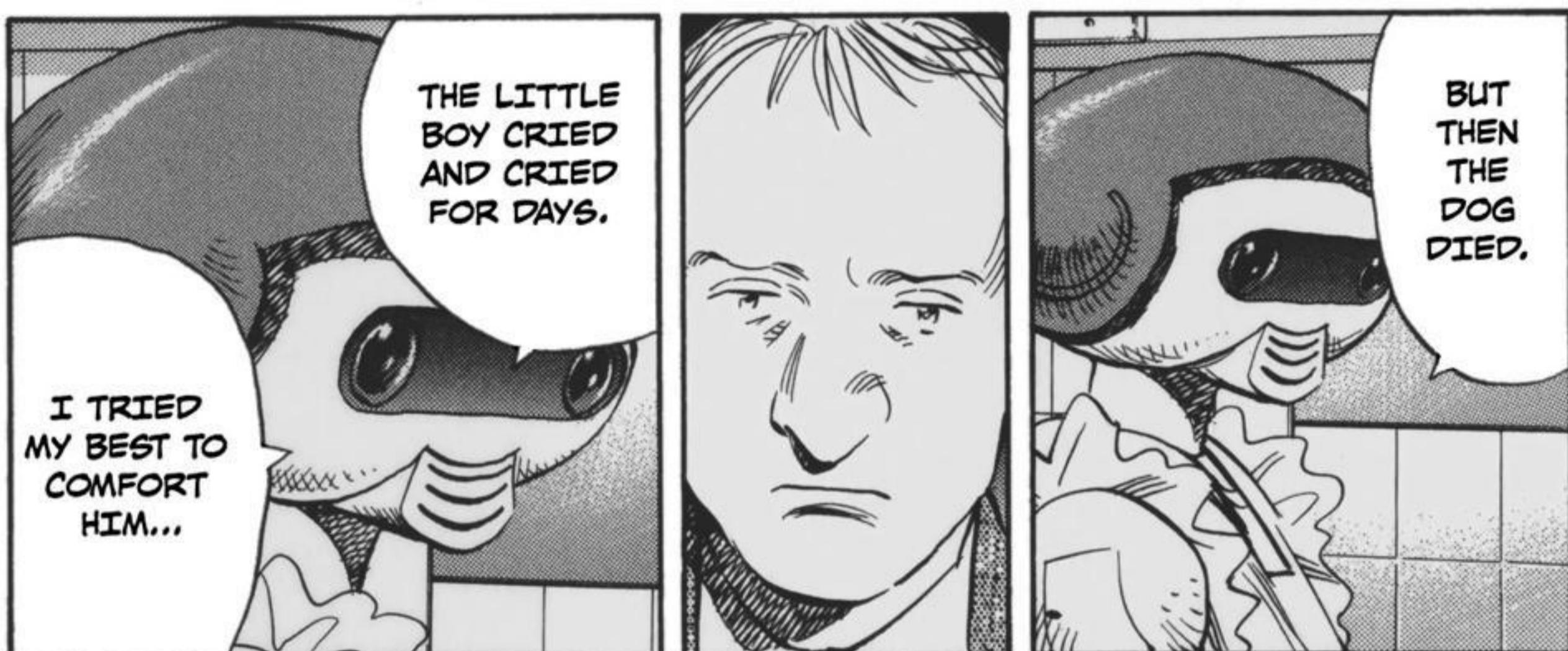


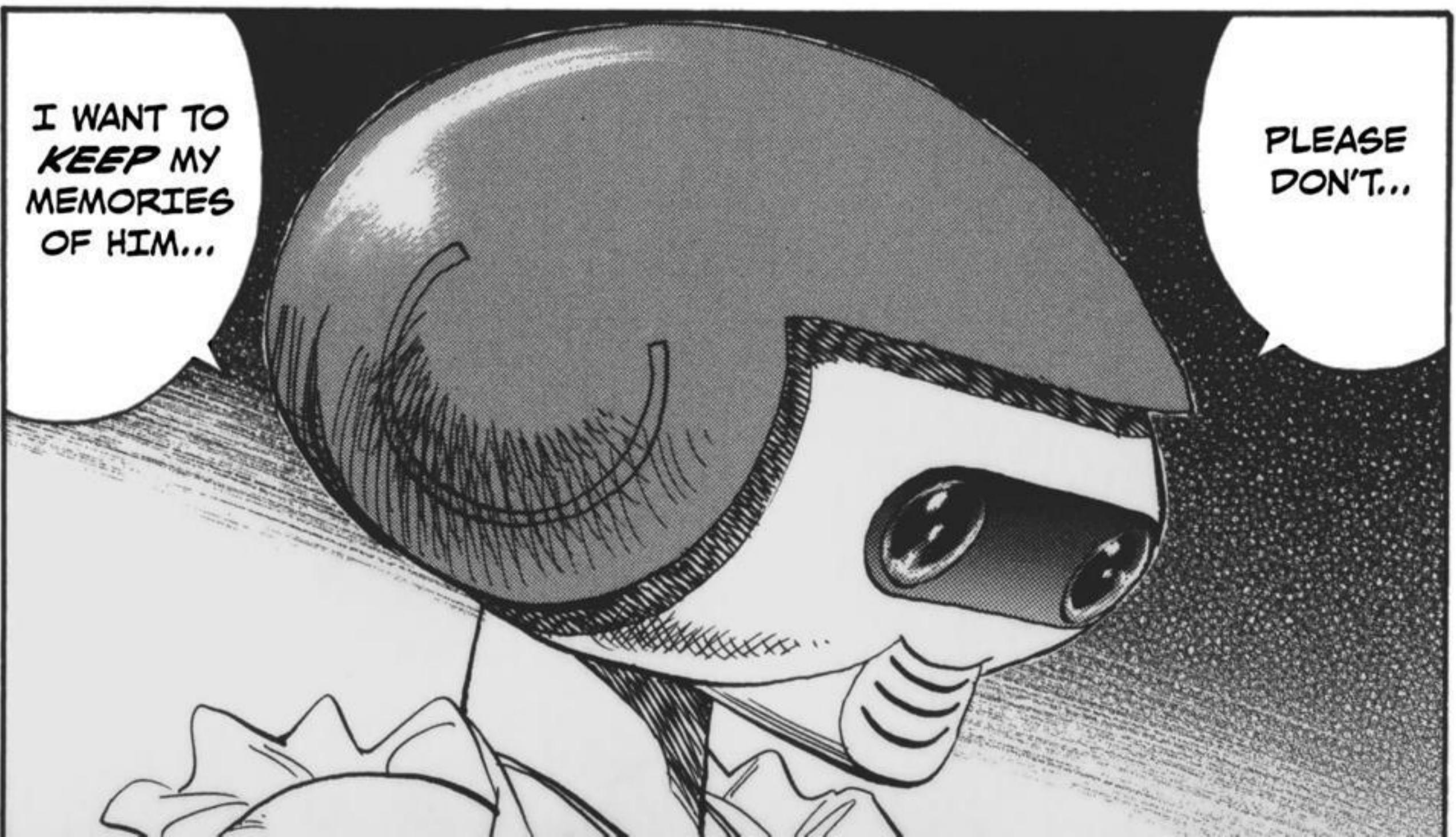
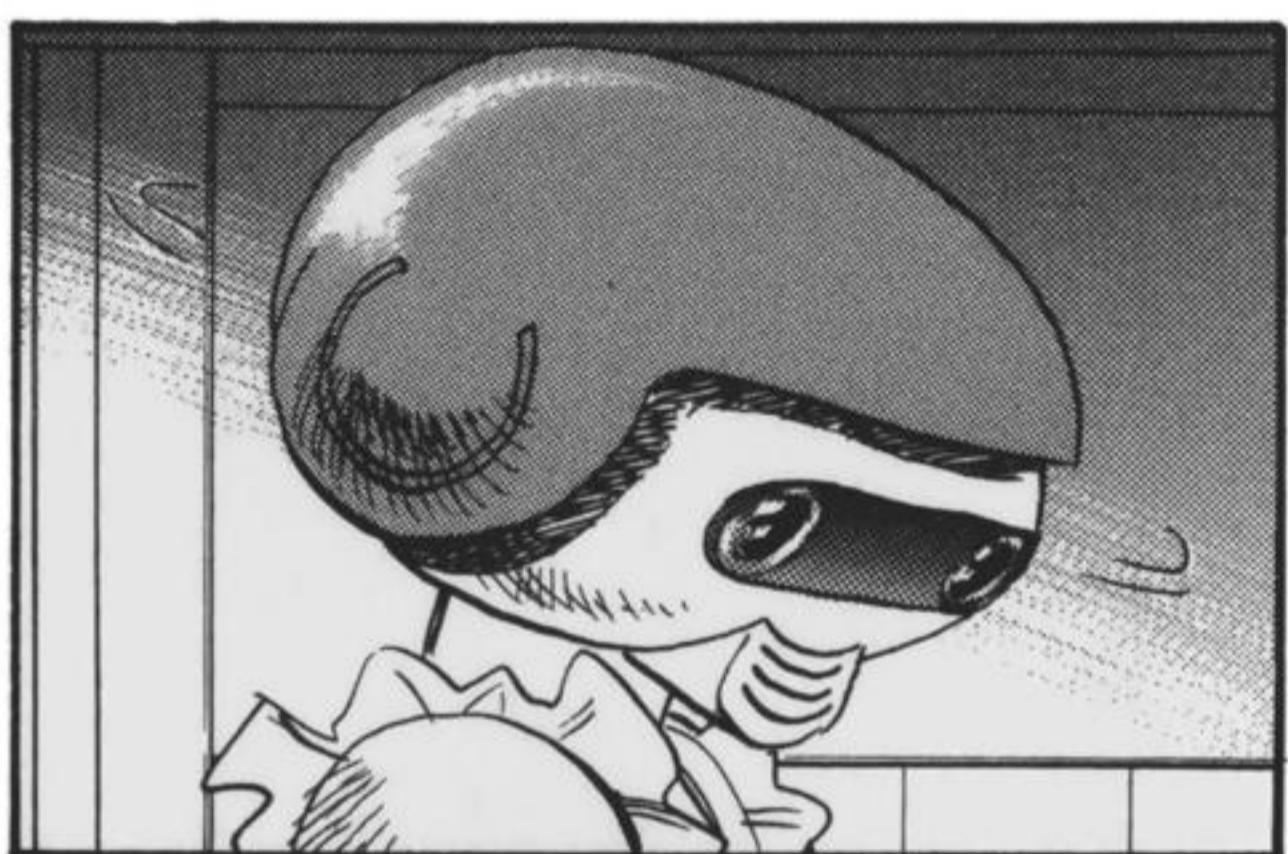
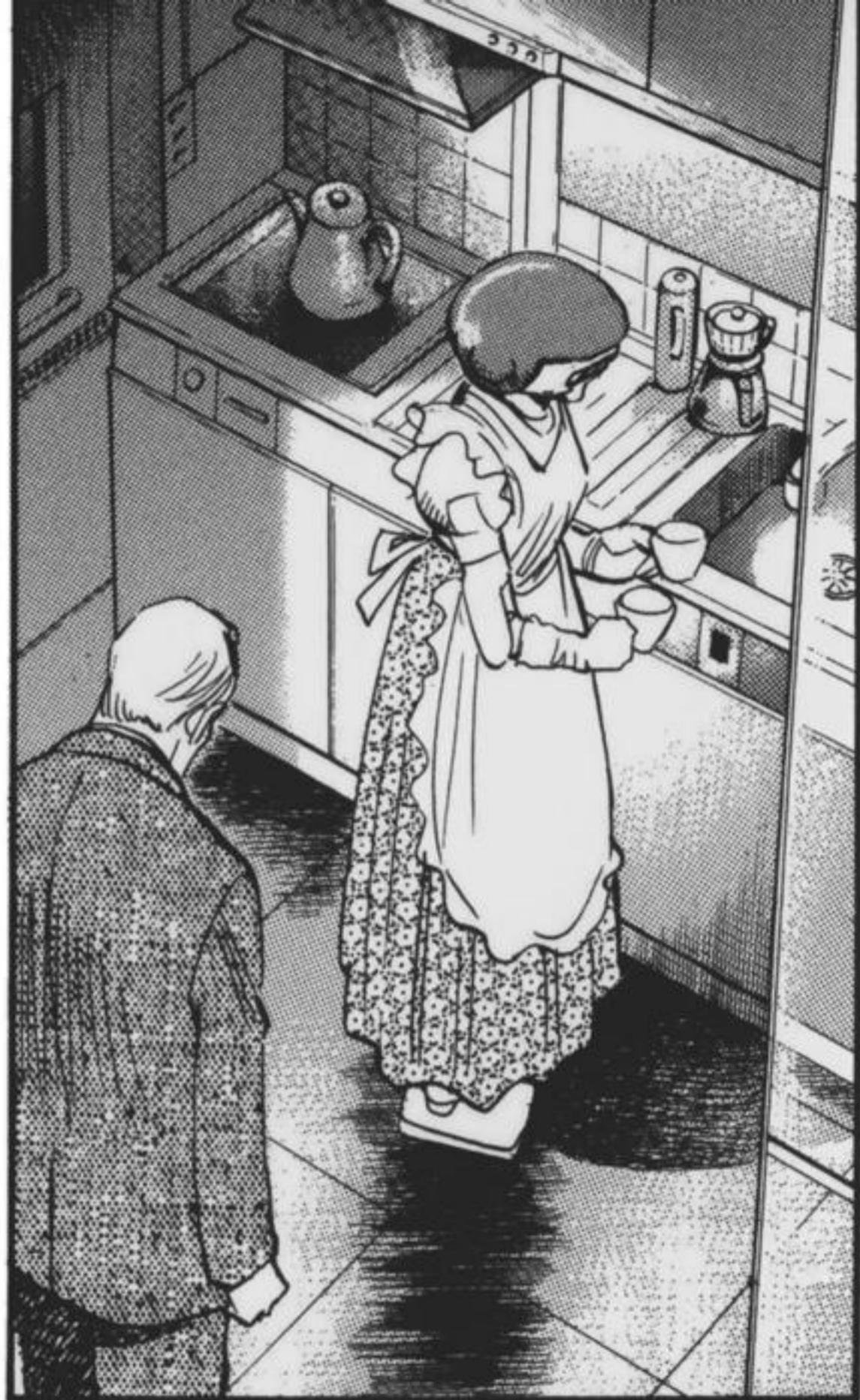


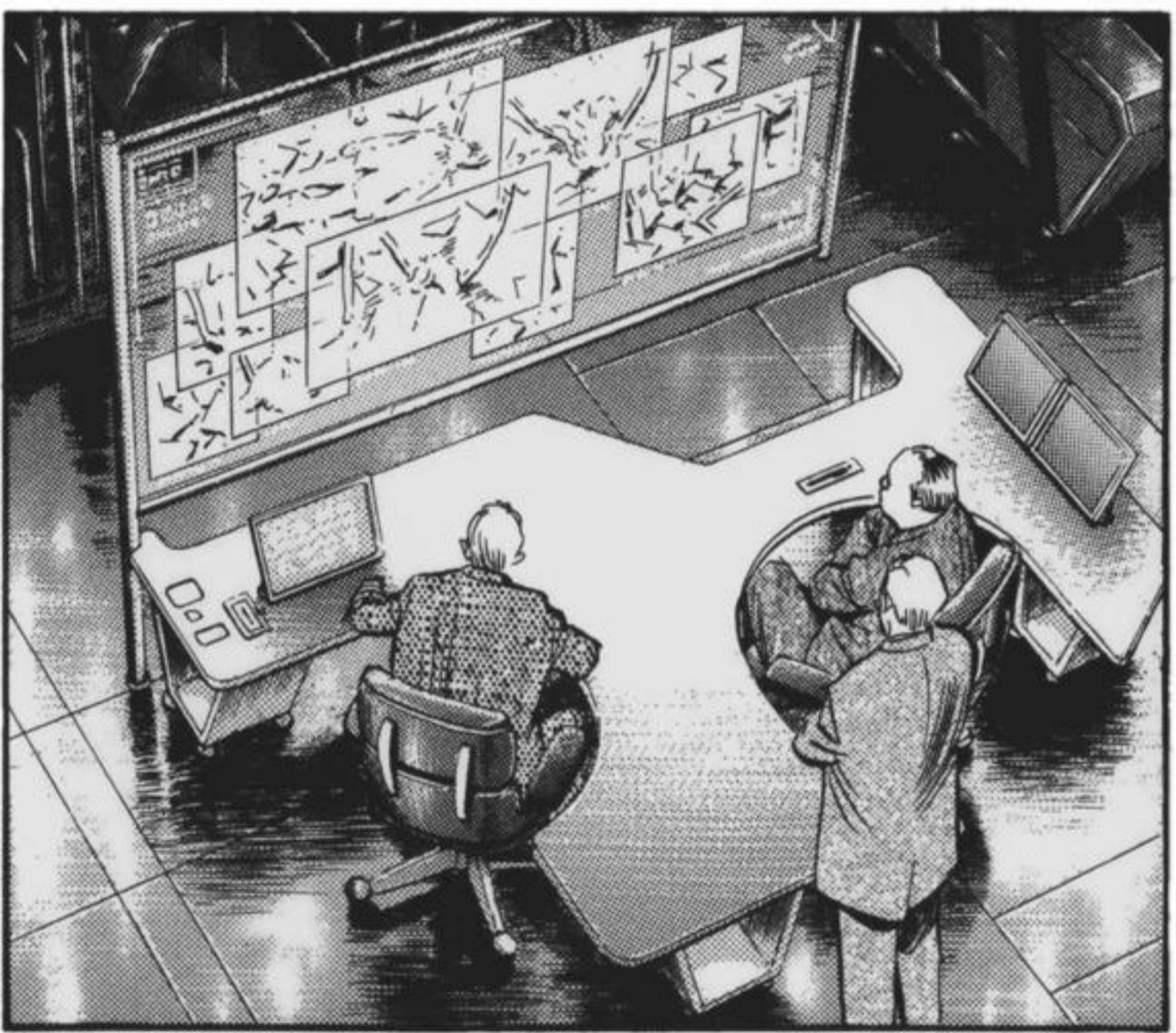
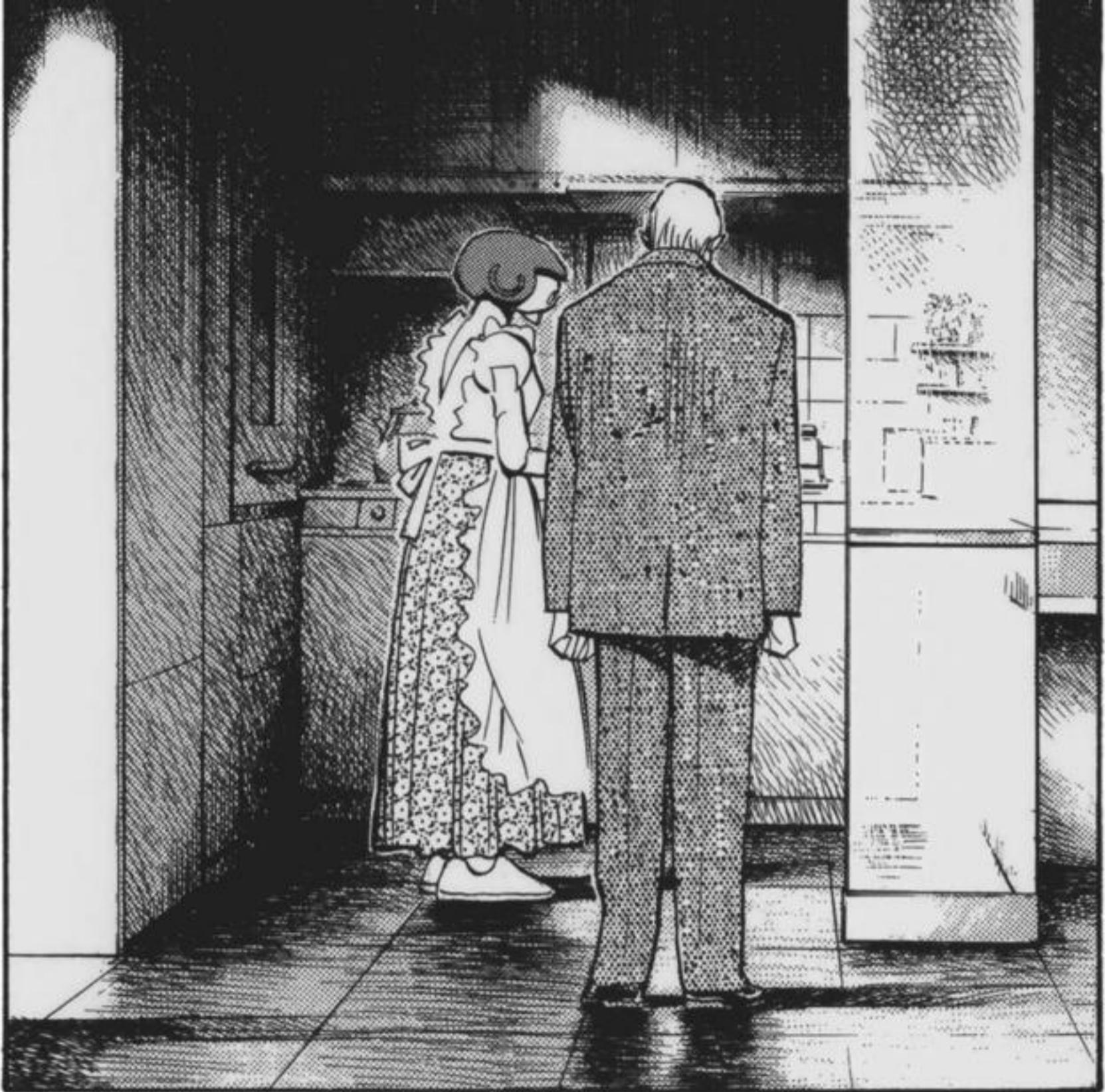












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