

## CHAPTER 109

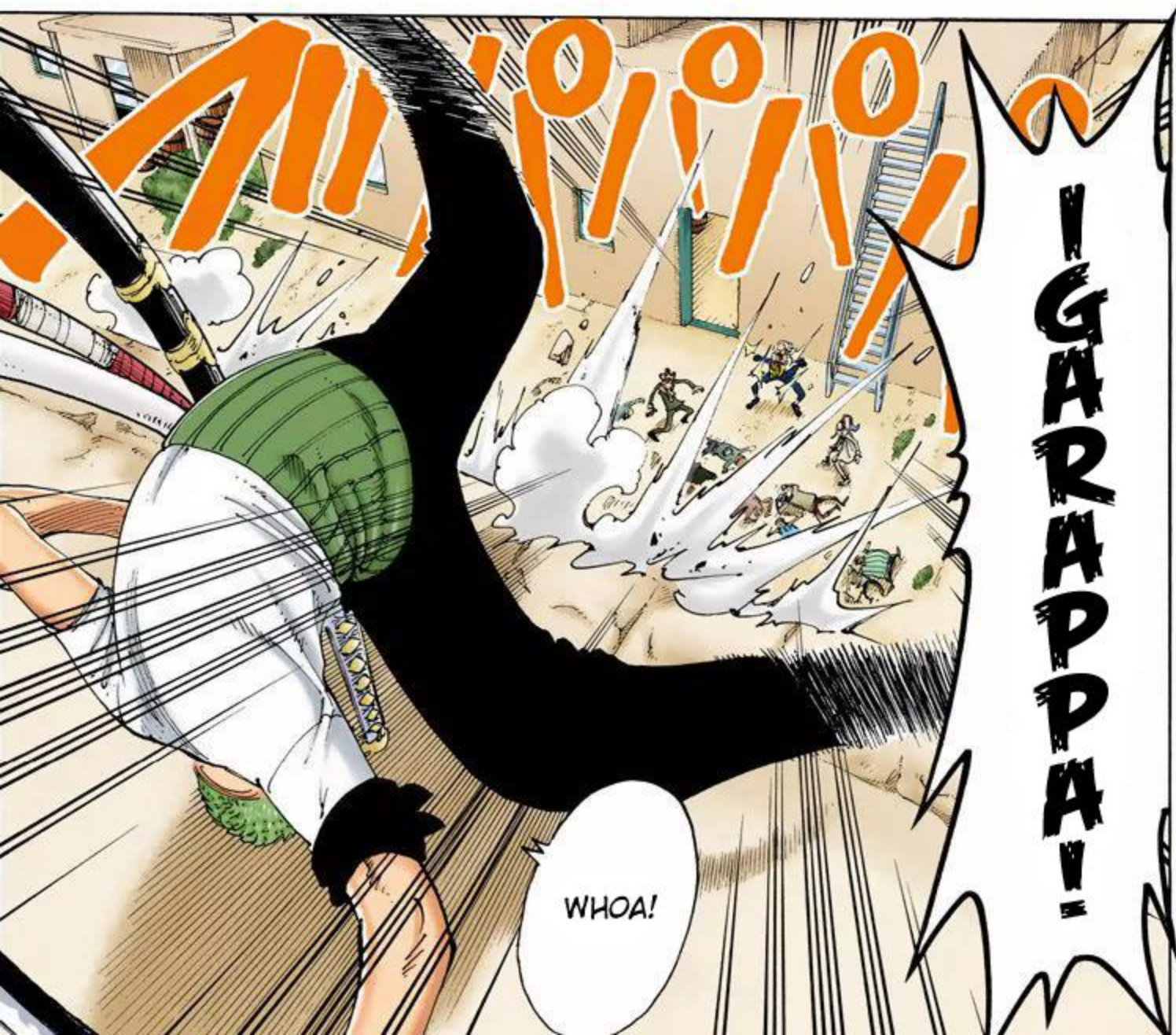
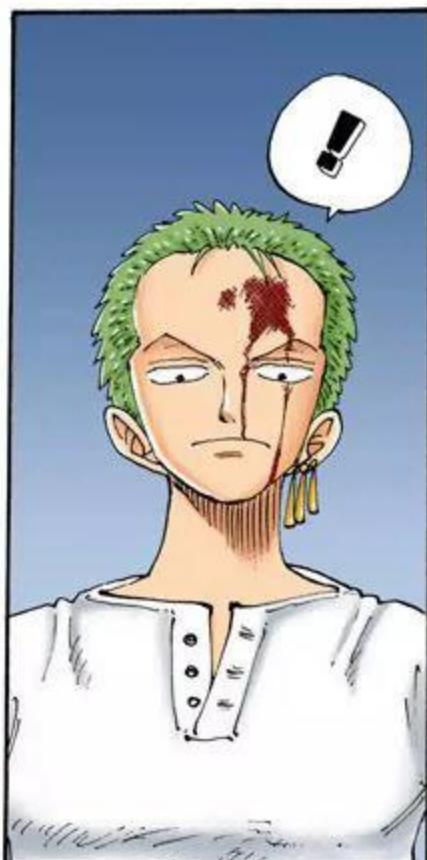
# “MATTER OF RESPONSIBILITY”















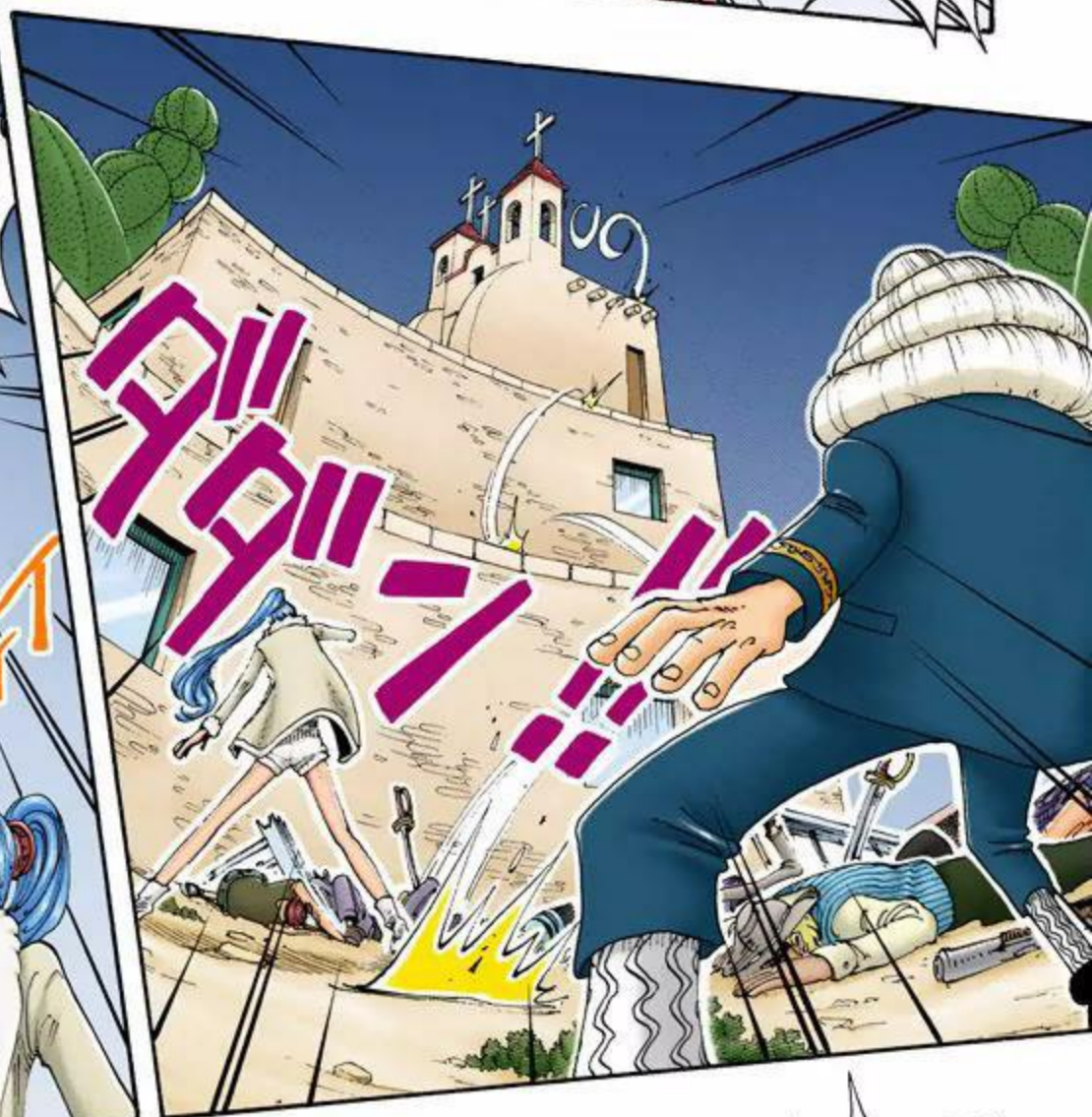
YES,  
MR. 9!



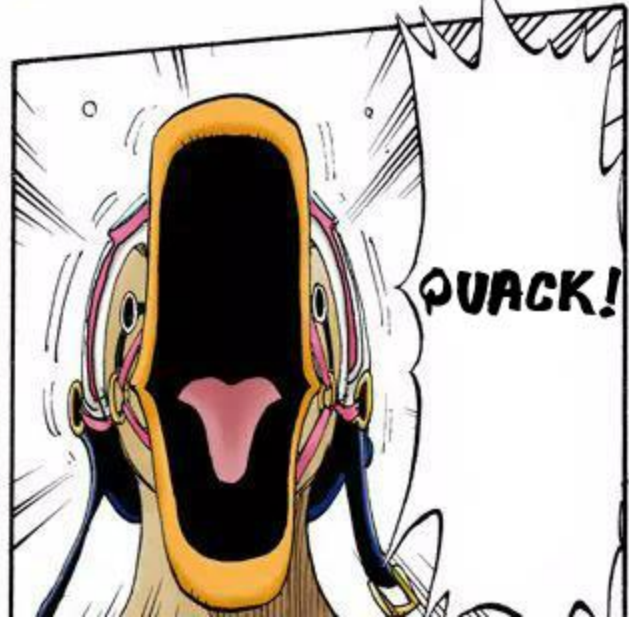
LET'S  
GO, MISS  
WEDNES-  
DAY!



COME GIVE  
ME A HAND,  
CARUE!

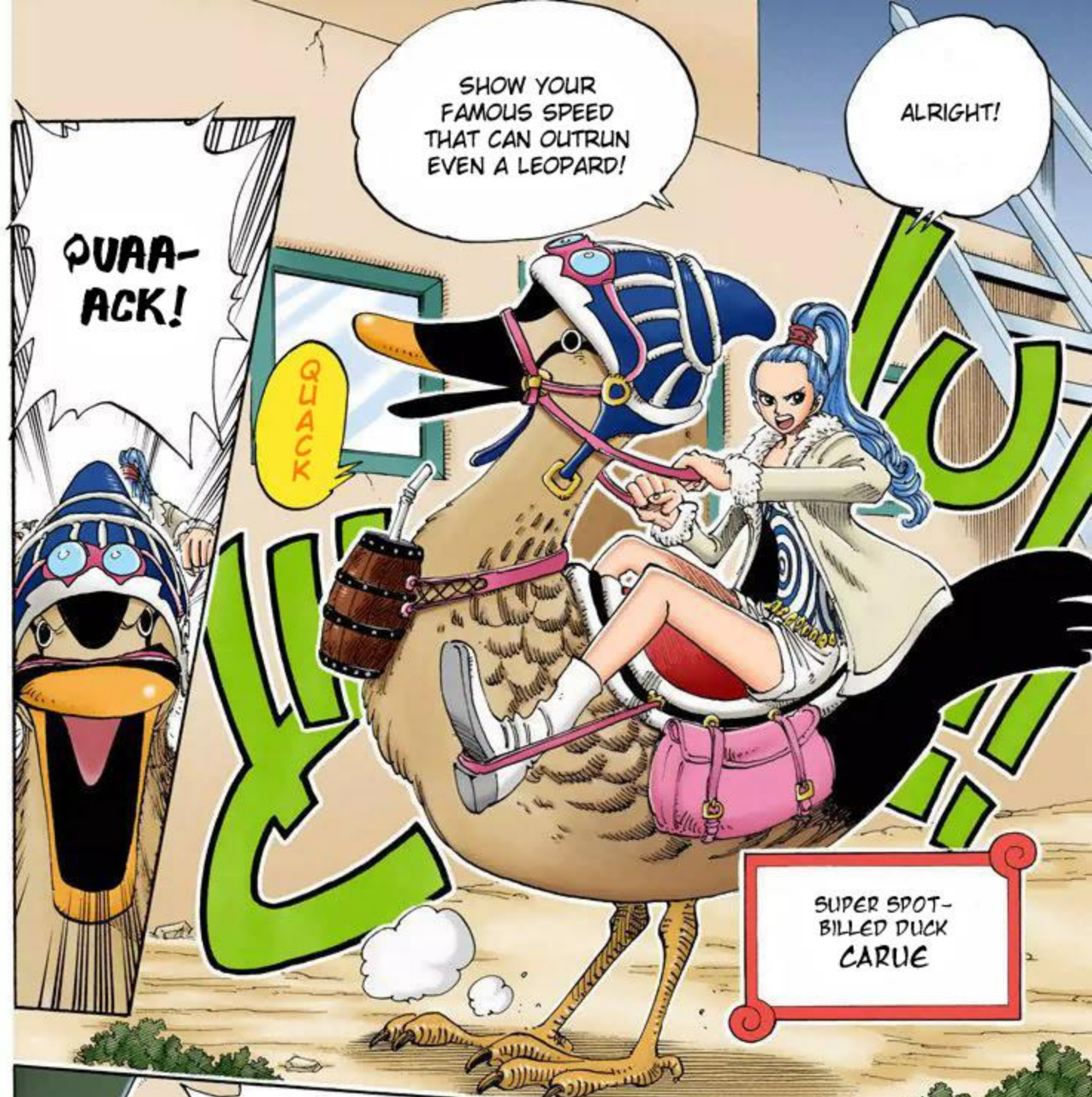


NOT  
LITER-  
ALLY!

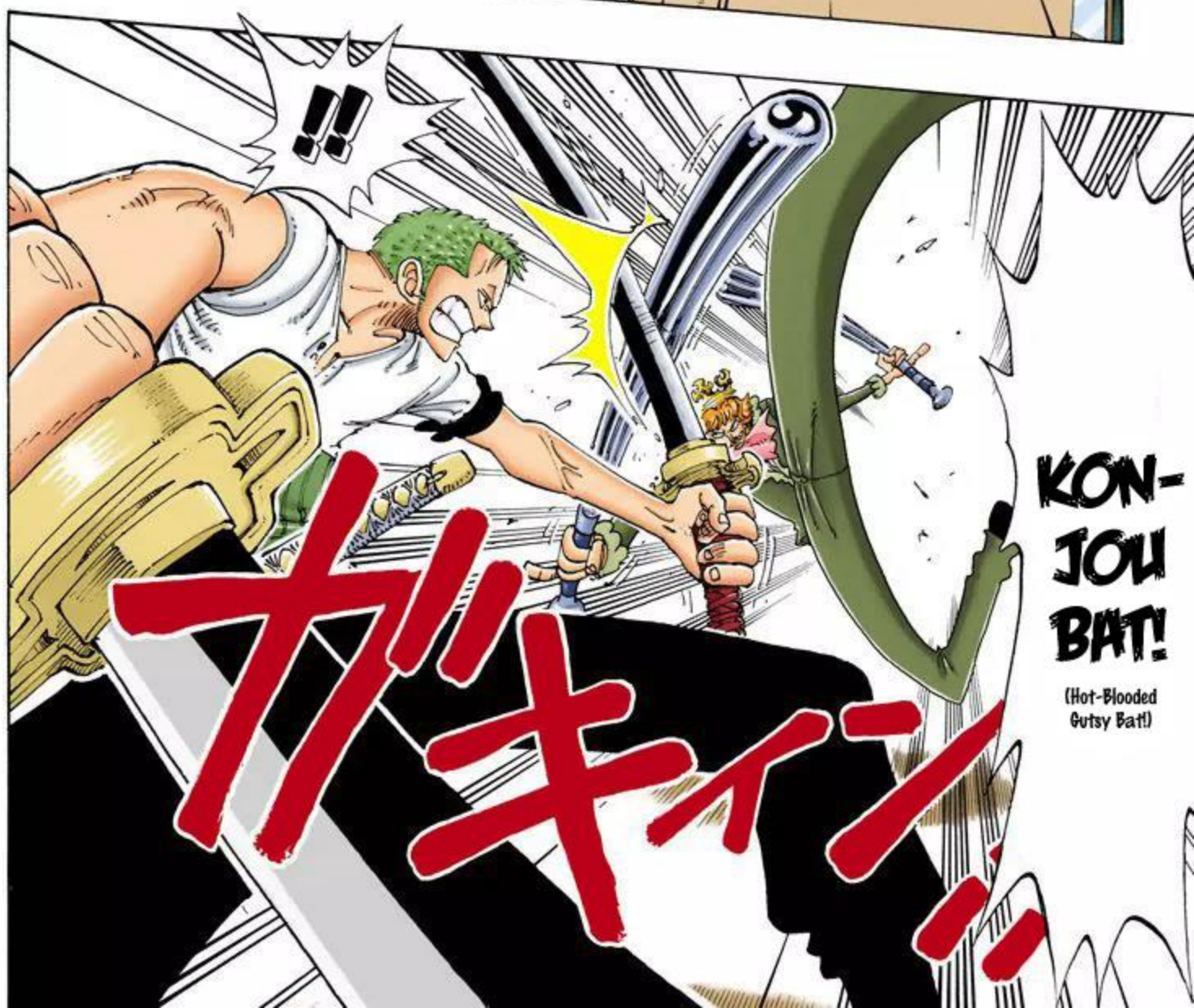


QUACK!

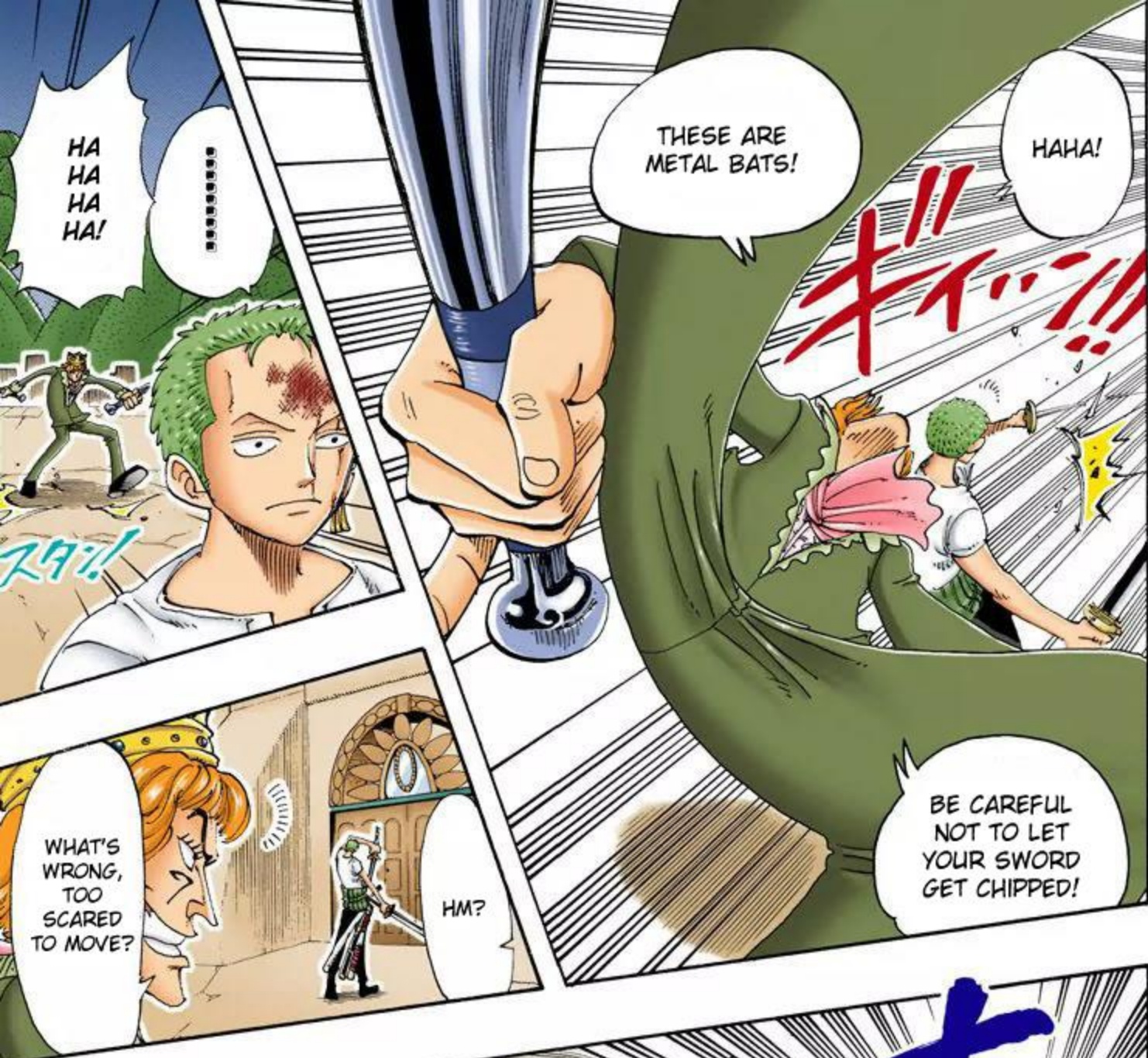




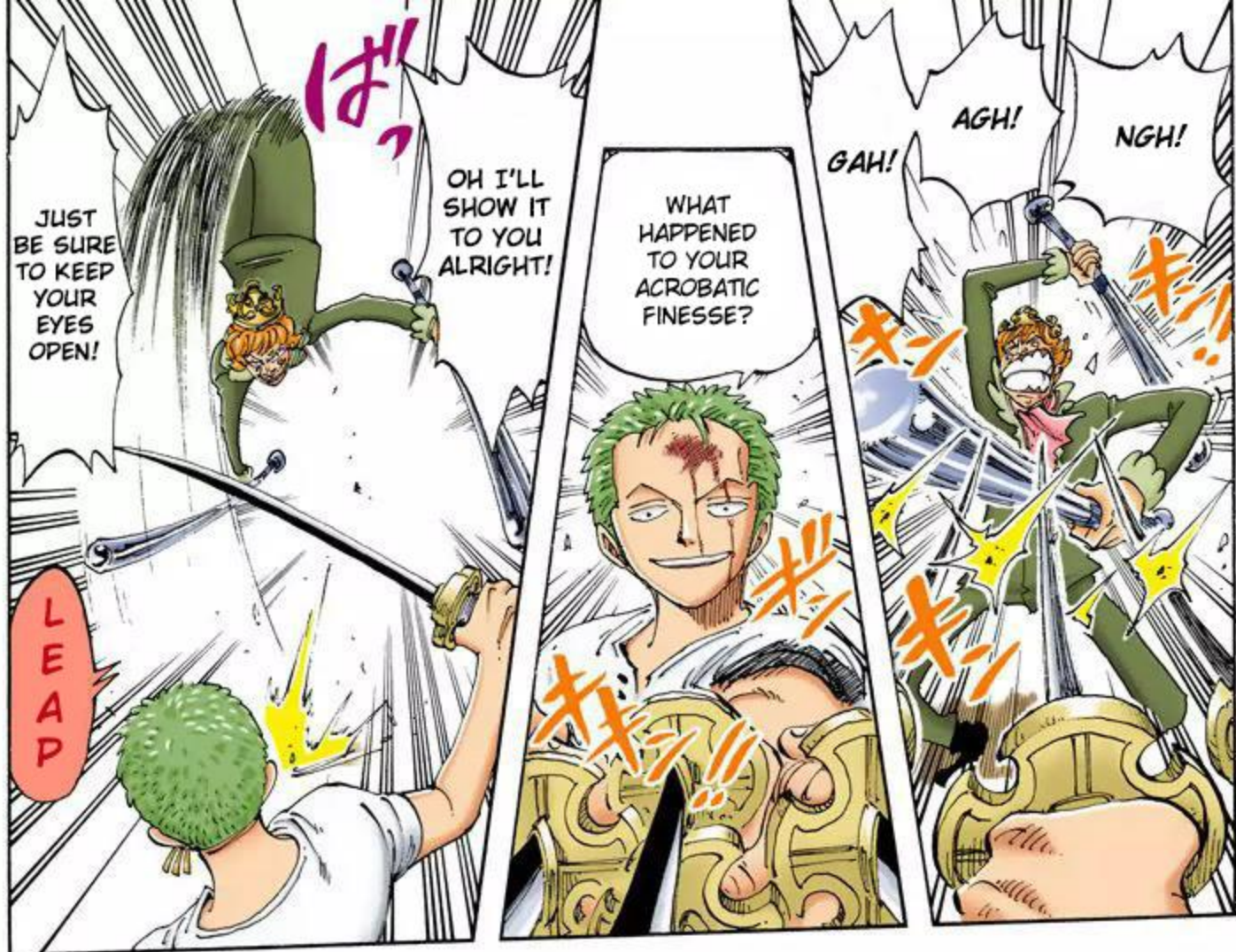














IF YOU  
WANT SOMEONE  
COMPETENT, THEN  
LOOK NO FURTHER!  
PREPARE YOURSELF,  
MR. BUSHIDO!

ドビーン!

GULP

ガッシャーン!!

バキバキ

ドゴ!!

ISN'T THERE  
ANYONE MORE  
COMPETENT?

MEMAI  
DANCE!

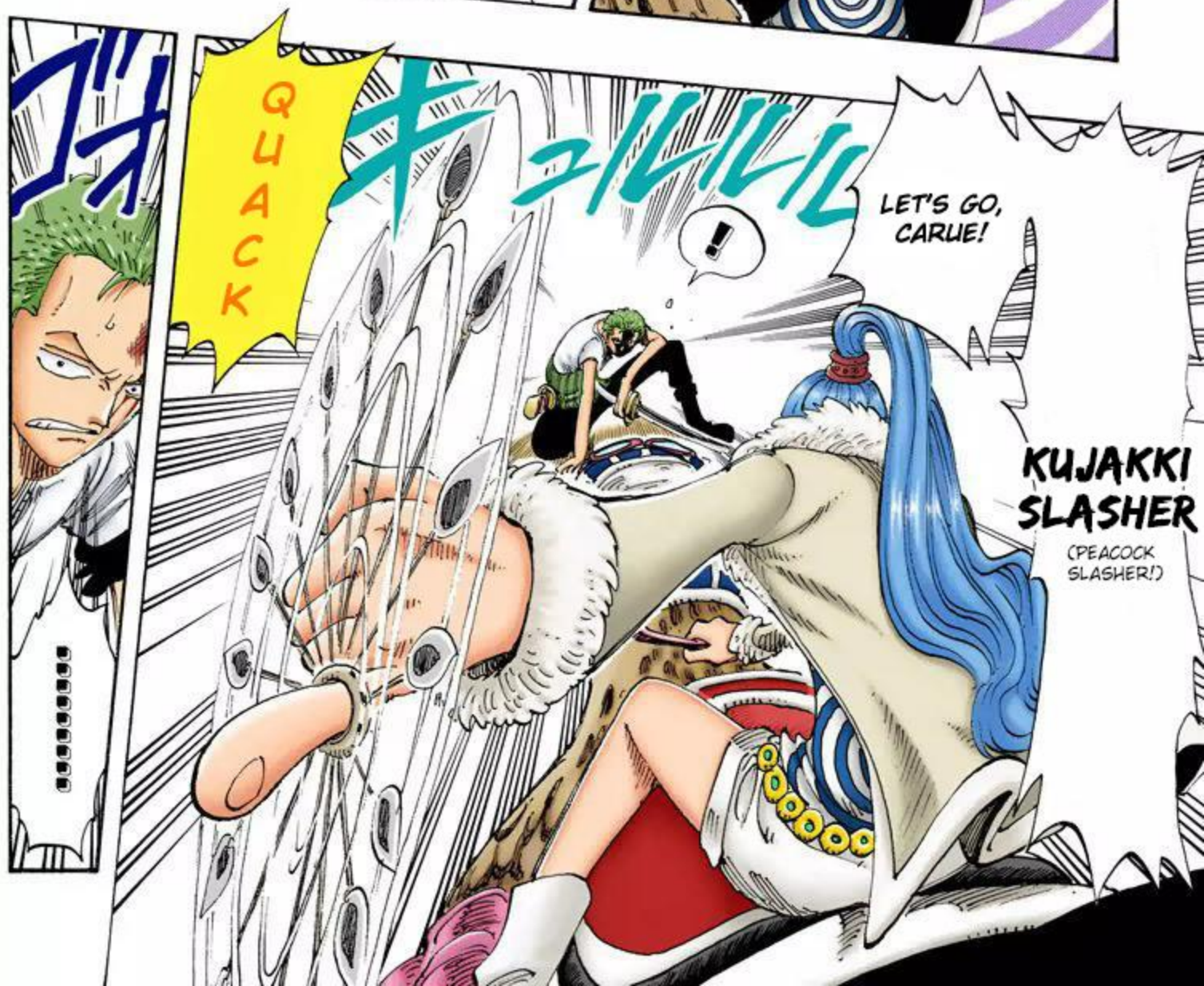
(CAPTIVATING  
DANCE OF  
DIZZINESS)

M I W A K U

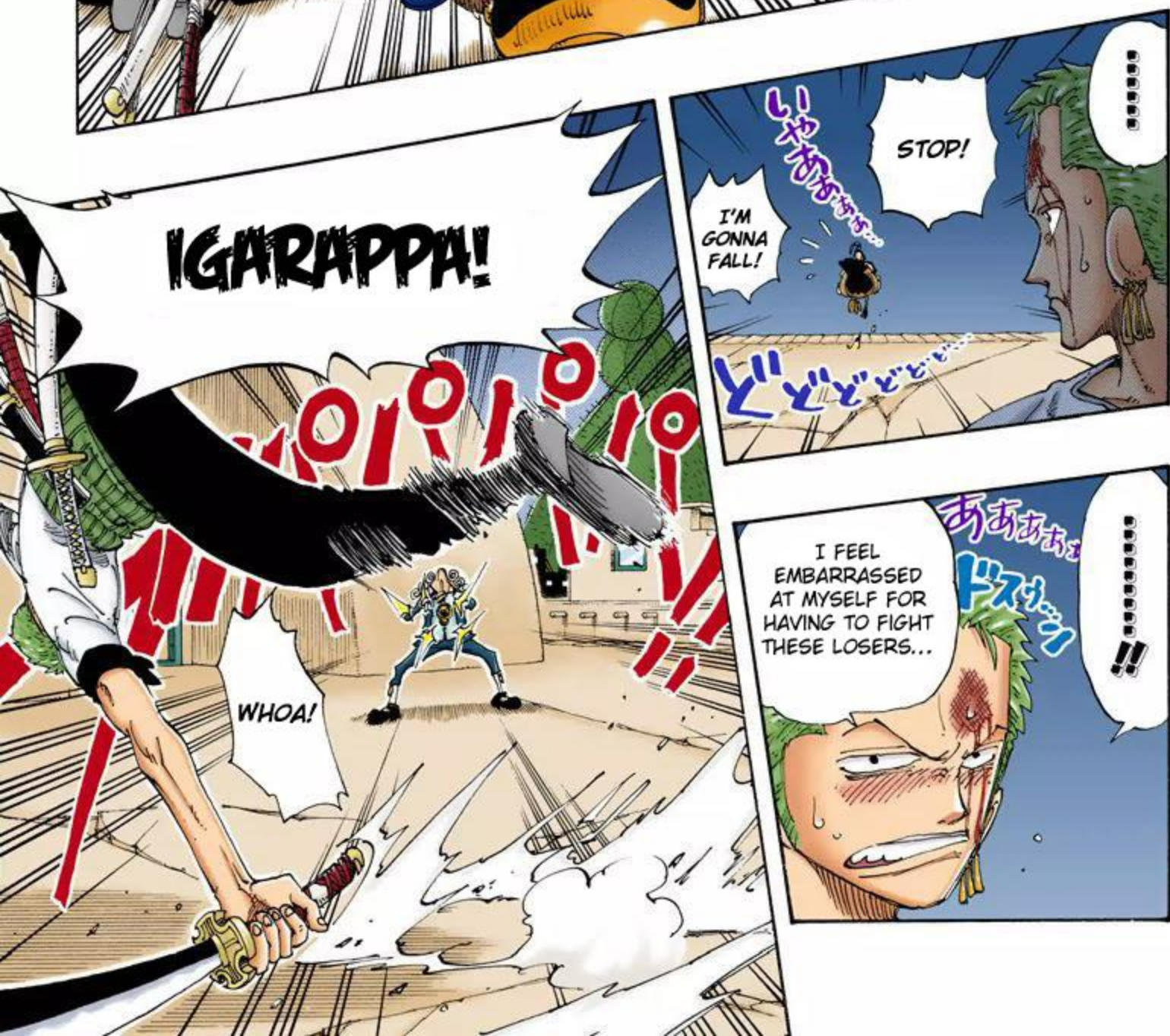
NOW... GAZE  
DEEPLY AT MY  
BODY... ♡

?

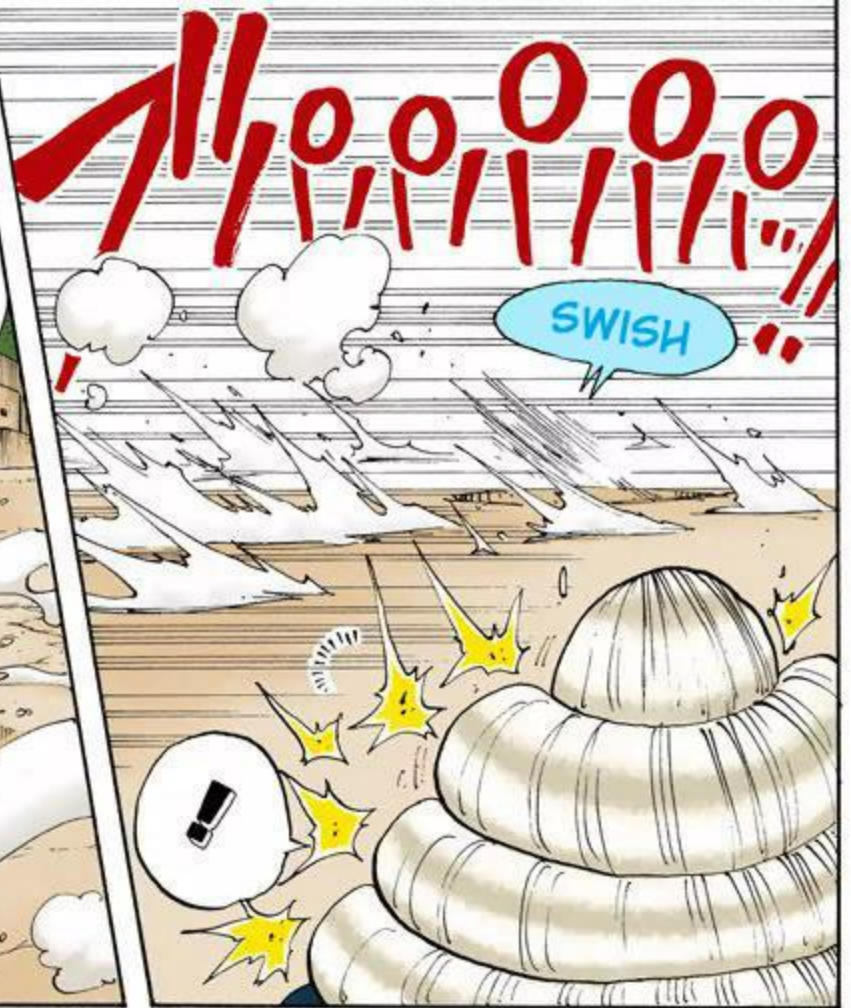












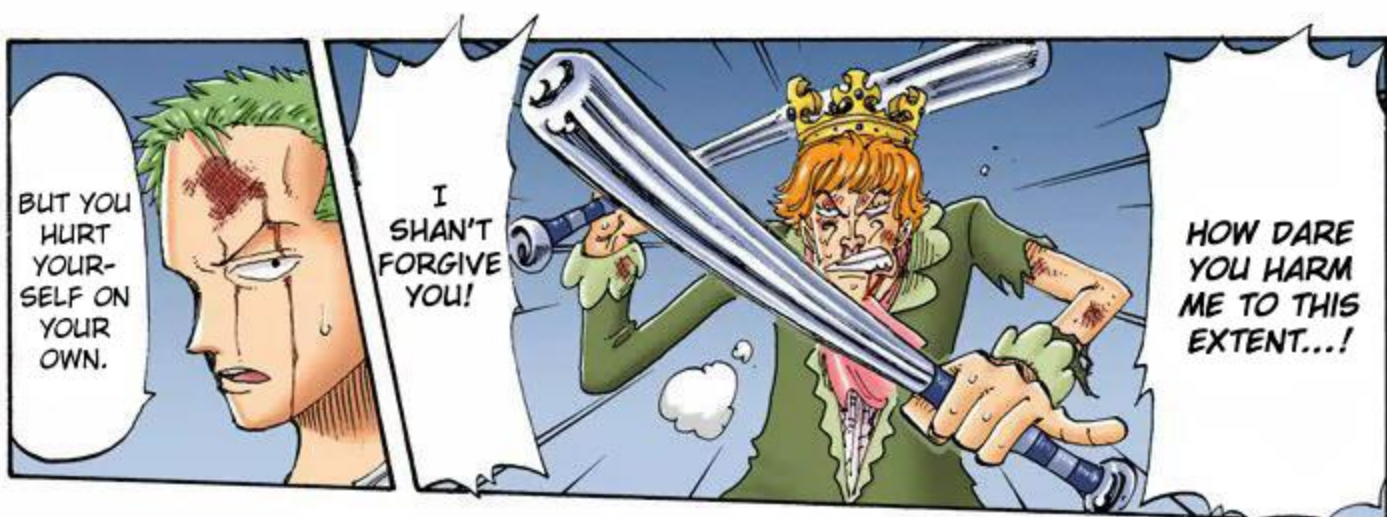




HOW CAN  
I CLOSE THE  
GAP TO GO IN  
FOR THE CLOSE  
ATTACK...?

THAT  
SHOTGUN'S  
A REAL  
PROBLEM...

はっ



BUT YOU  
HURT  
YOUR-  
SELF ON  
YOUR  
OWN.

I  
SHAN'T  
FORGIVE  
YOU!

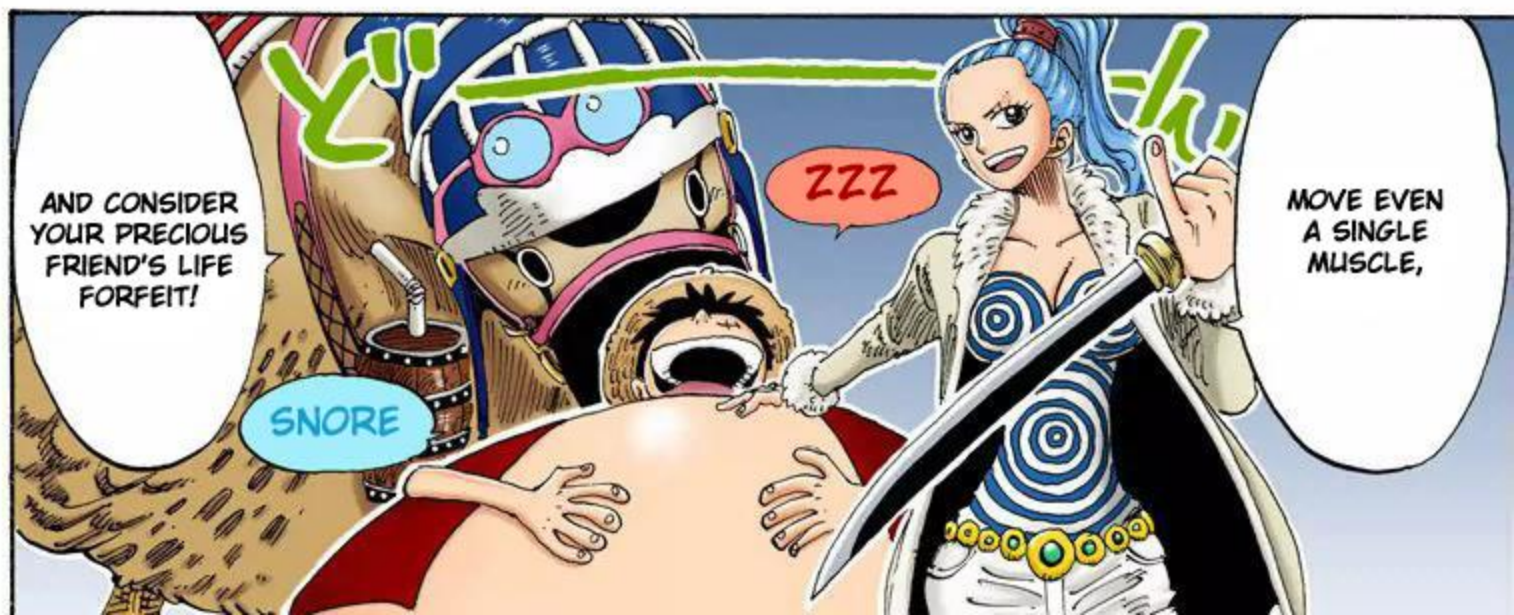
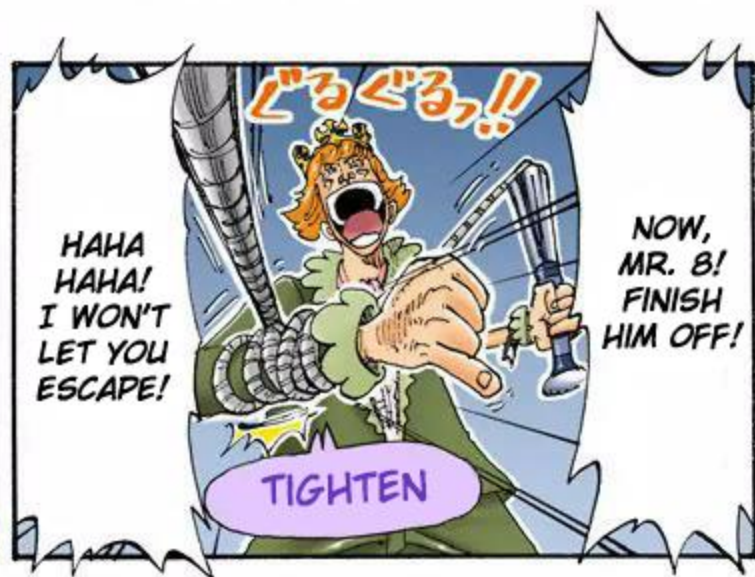
HOW DARE  
YOU HARM  
ME TO THIS  
EXTENT...!



KATTOBASE  
SHIKOMI  
BAT!

(Hidden Home-Run Bat!)









THAT IDIOT...  
YOU COULD HAVE  
WOKEN UP AT  
THE VERY LEAST  
BEFORE YOU  
BECAME A  
HOSTAGE.

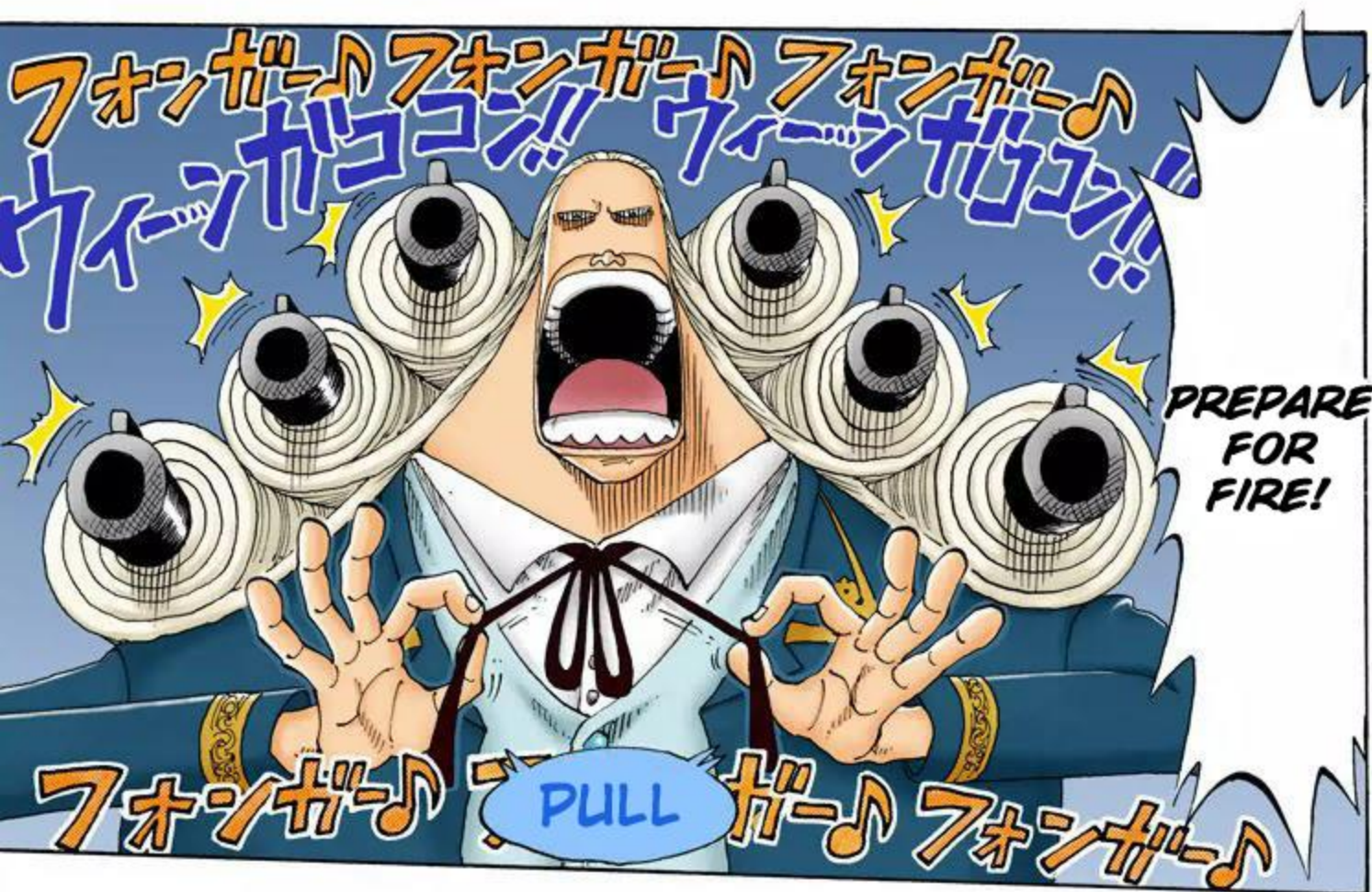


SNORE



NOT ONLY  
CAN HE NOT  
ESCAPE  
ANYMORE,  
BUT HE  
WON'T BE  
ABLE TO  
ATTACK  
EITHER!

HAHAHA!  
NICE, MISS  
WEDNES-  
DAY!



PREPARE  
FOR  
FIRE!

PULL



TEN

TIGH-

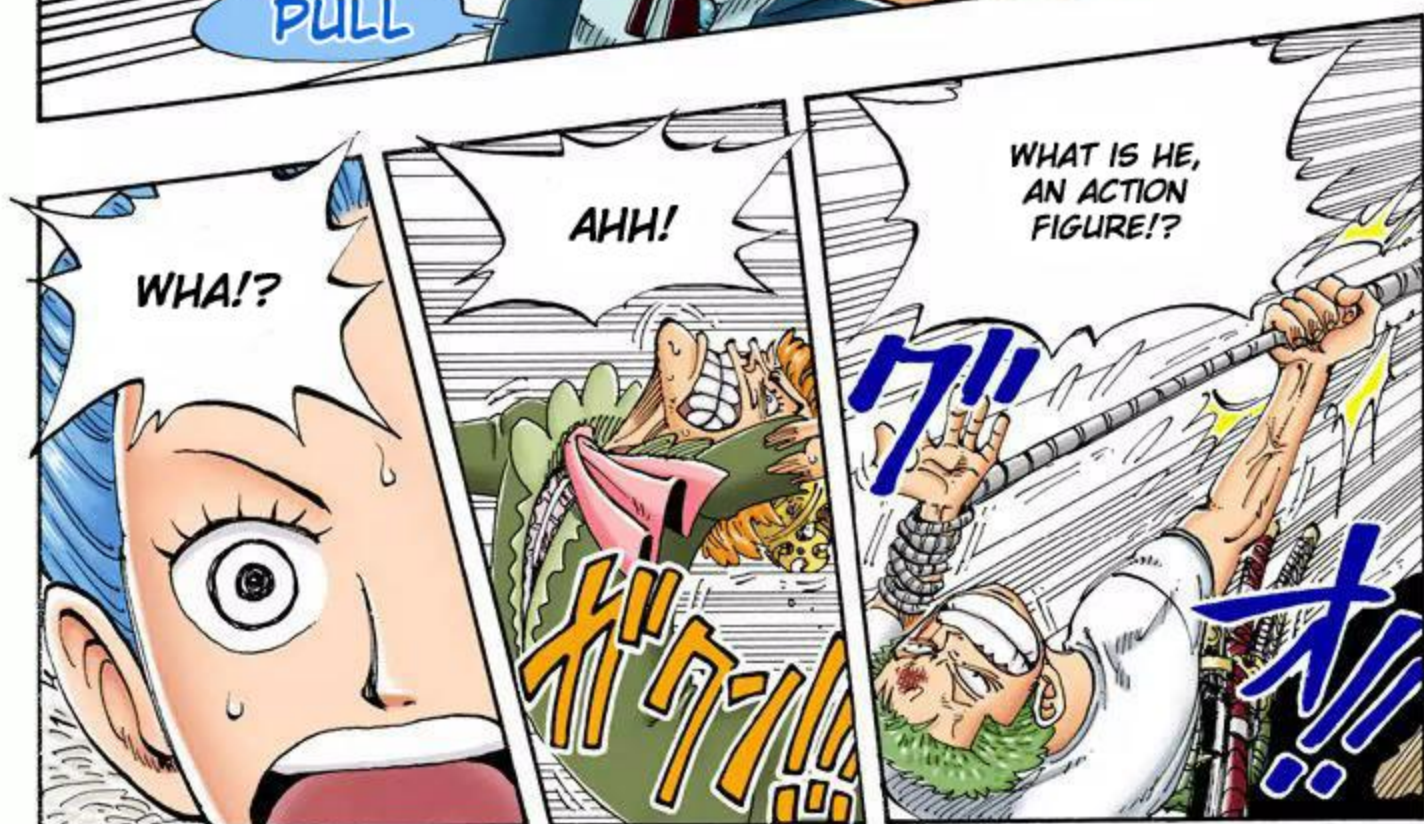
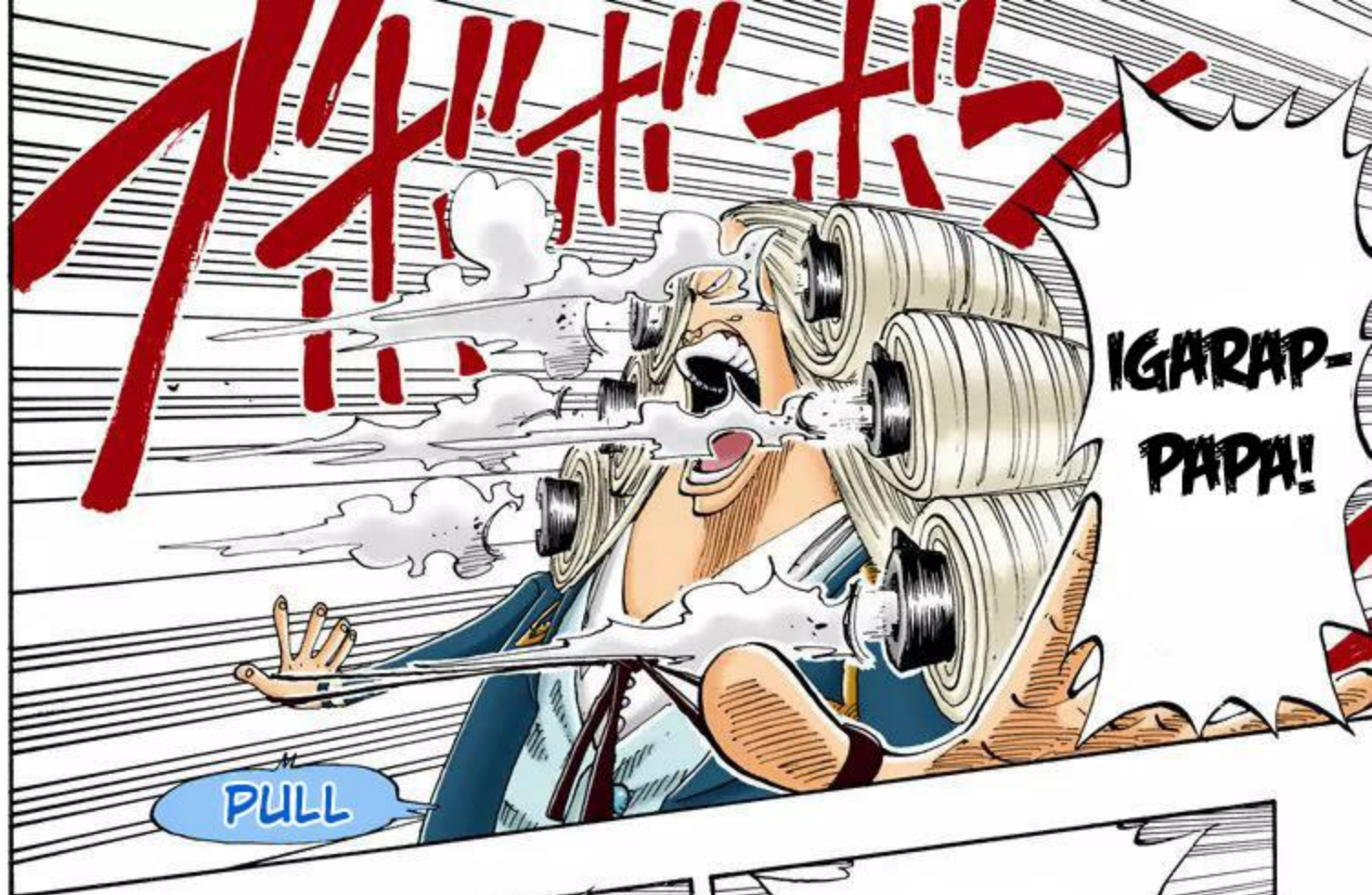


ドビーン!!

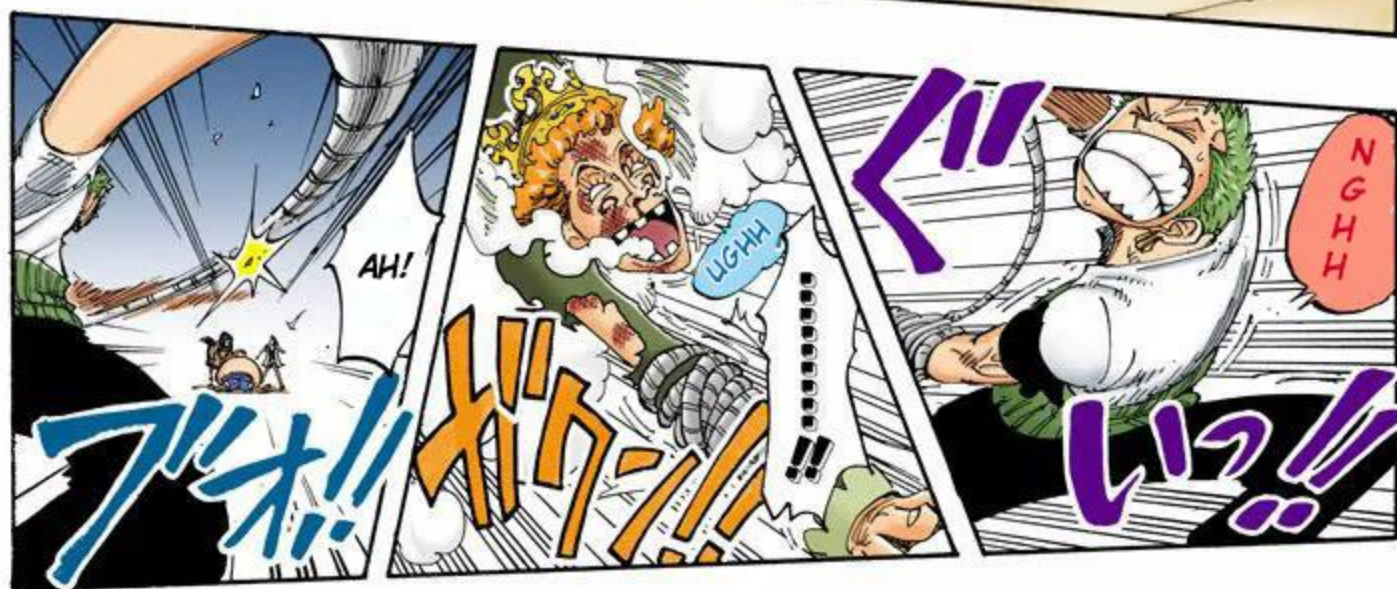
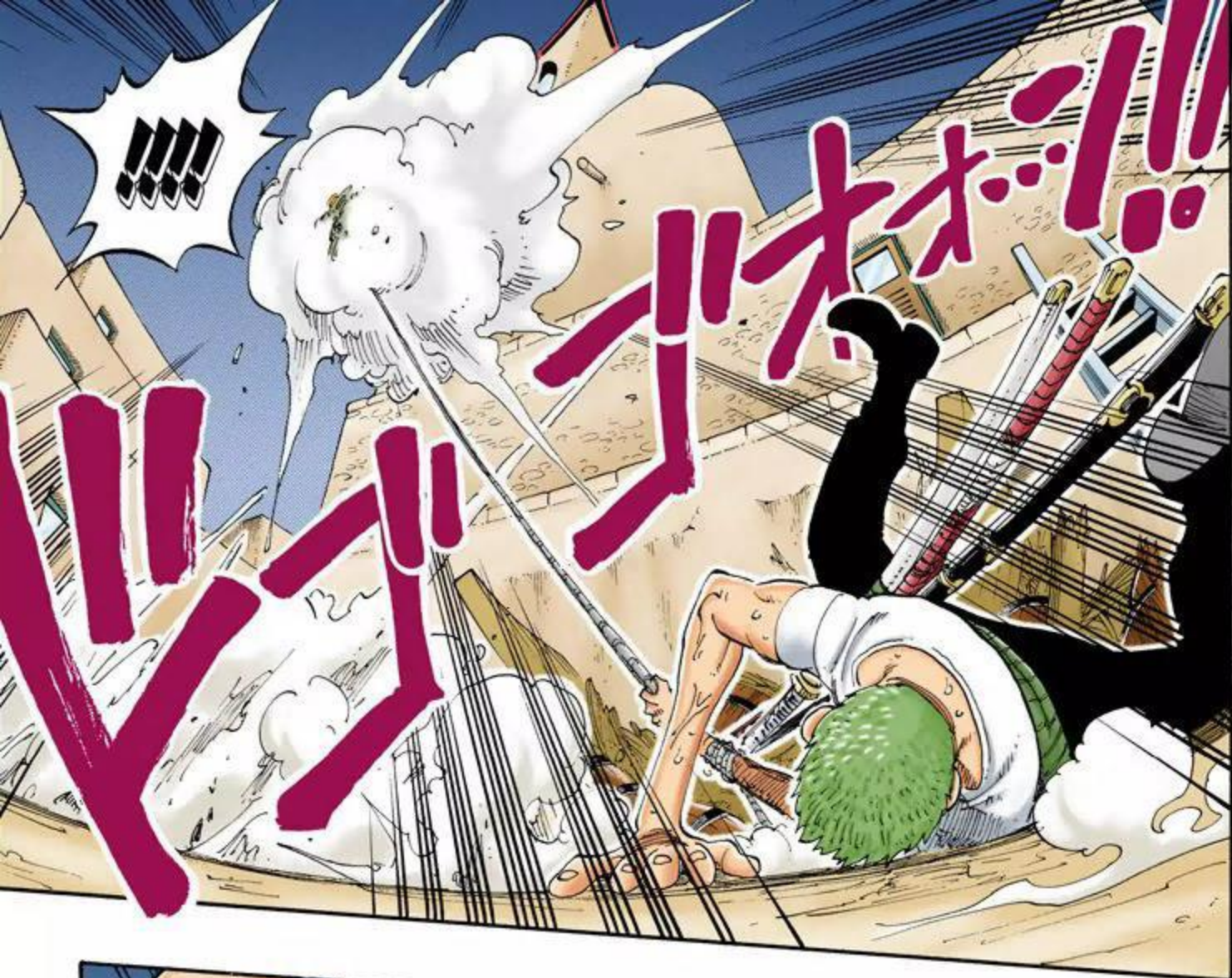
PREPA-  
RATION  
COMPLETE!

WHA!?

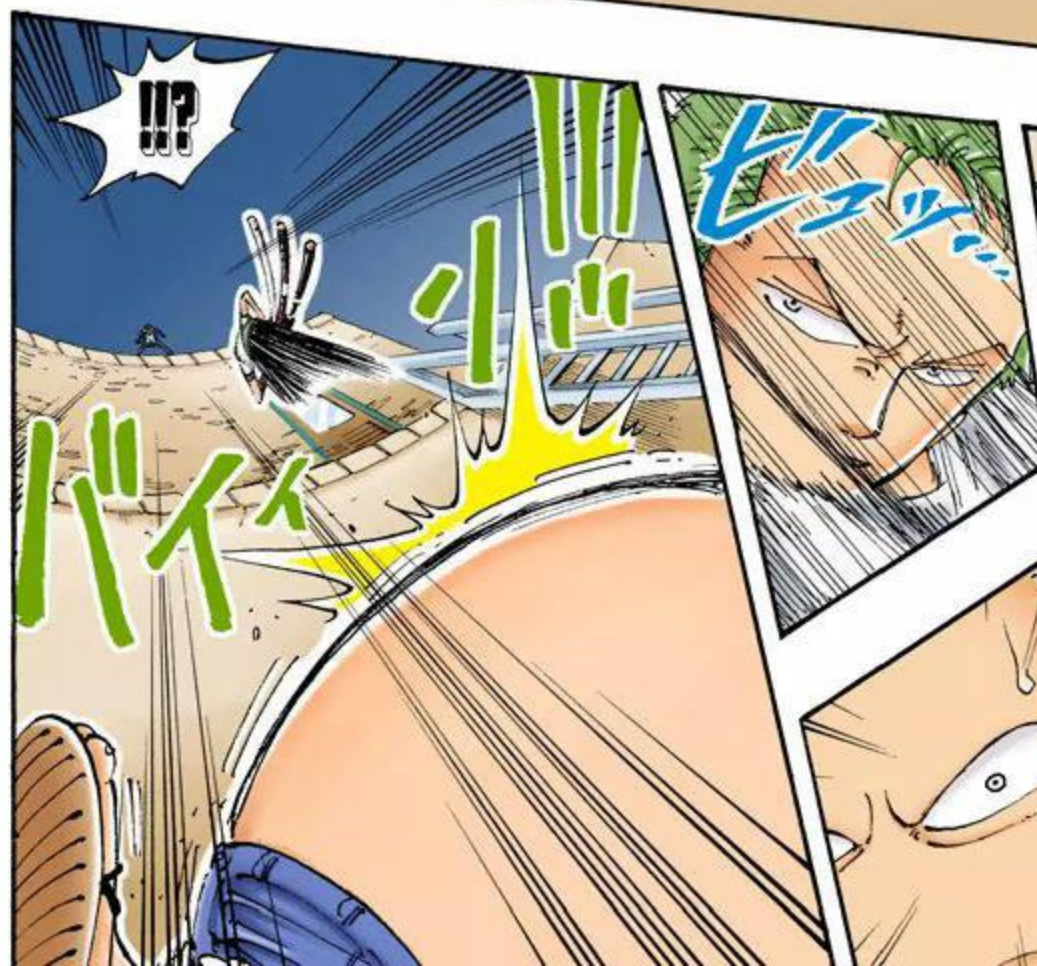
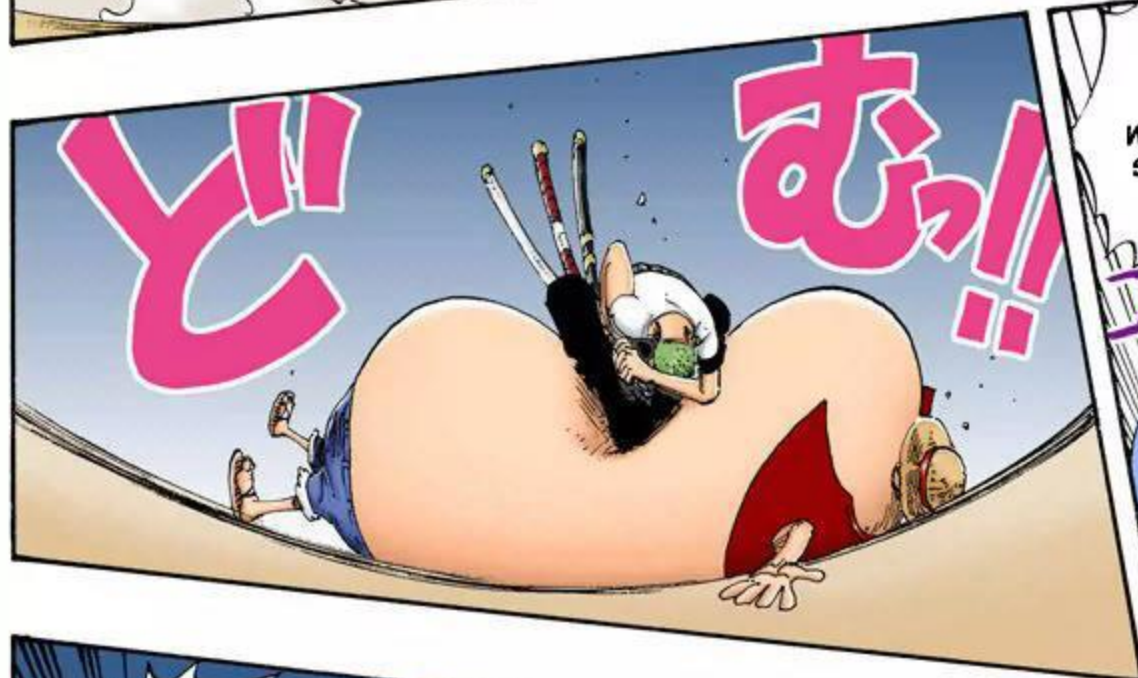
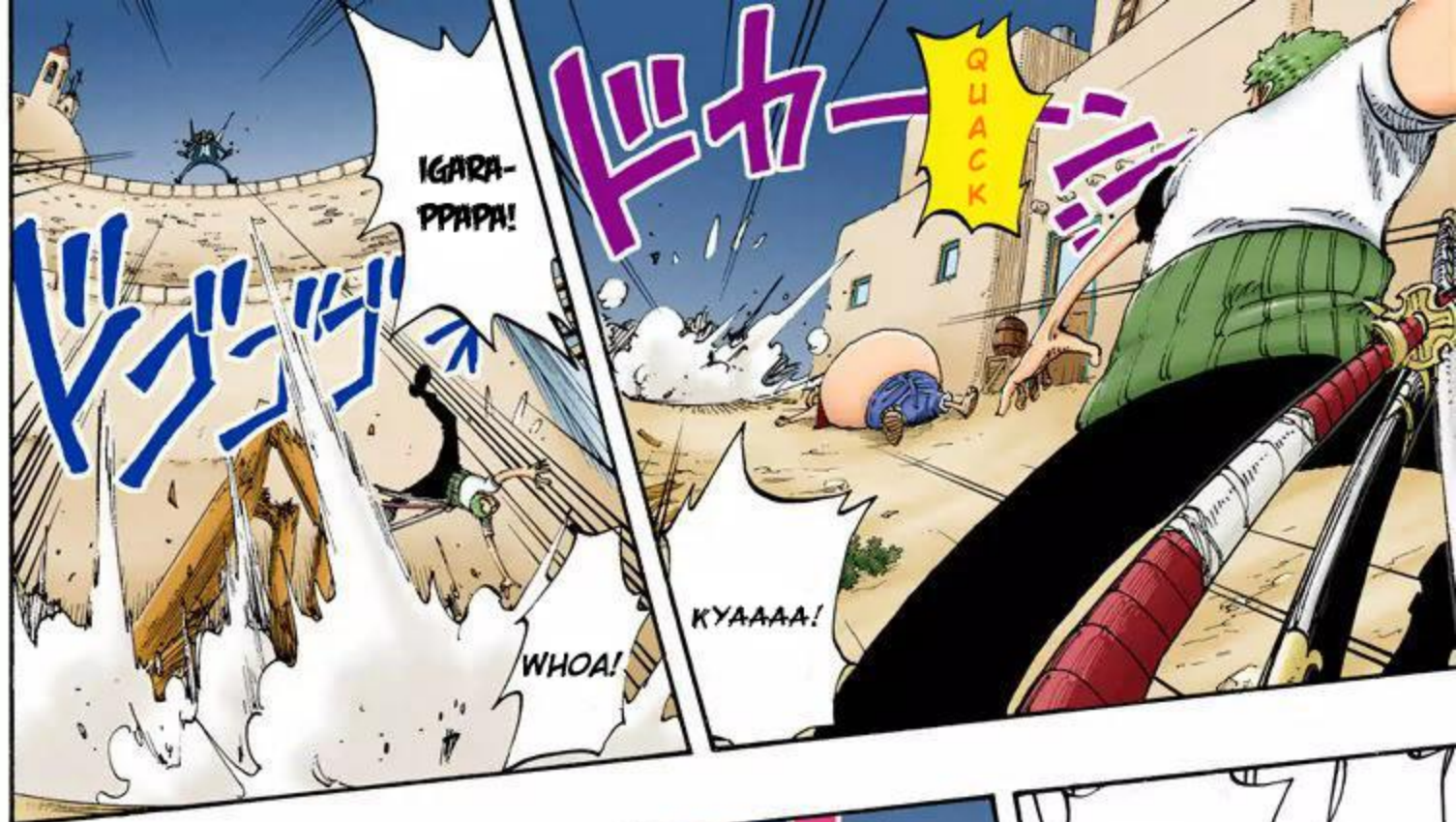




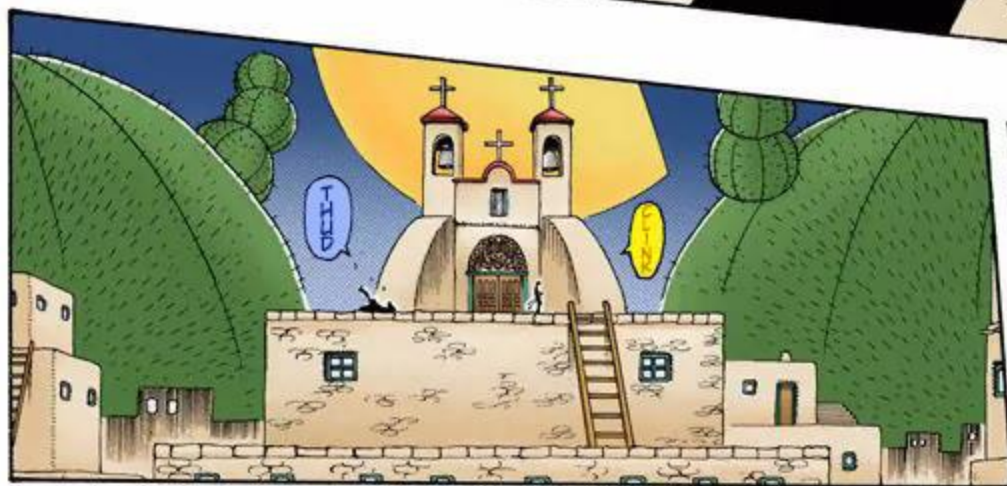
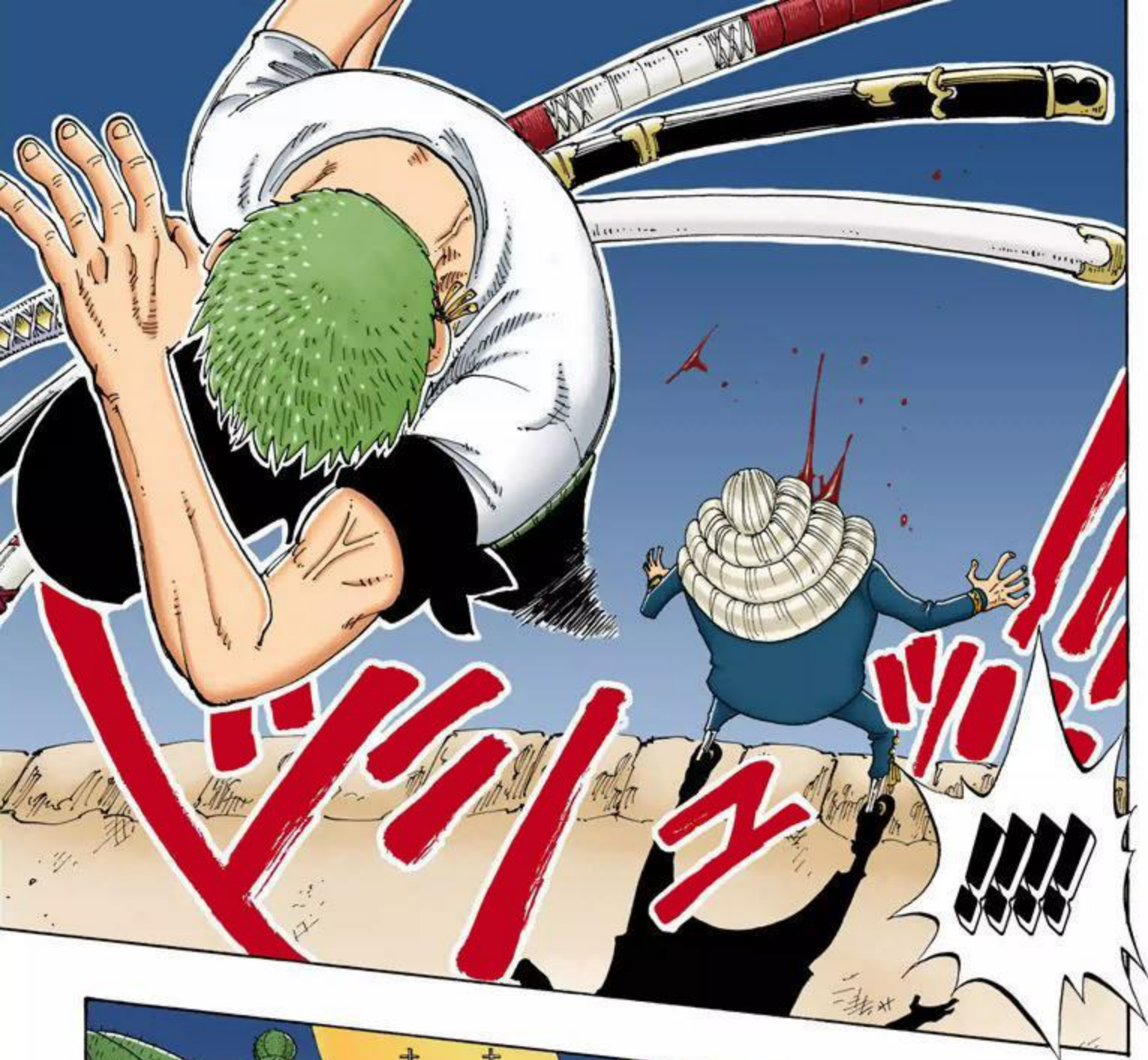














## CHAPTER 110

# "THE NEVER-ENDING NIGHT"



COBY AND HELMEPPPO'S DIARY OF THEIR HARSH STRUGGLES VOL.23  
"5 SECONDS BEFORE GARP SPEAKS"





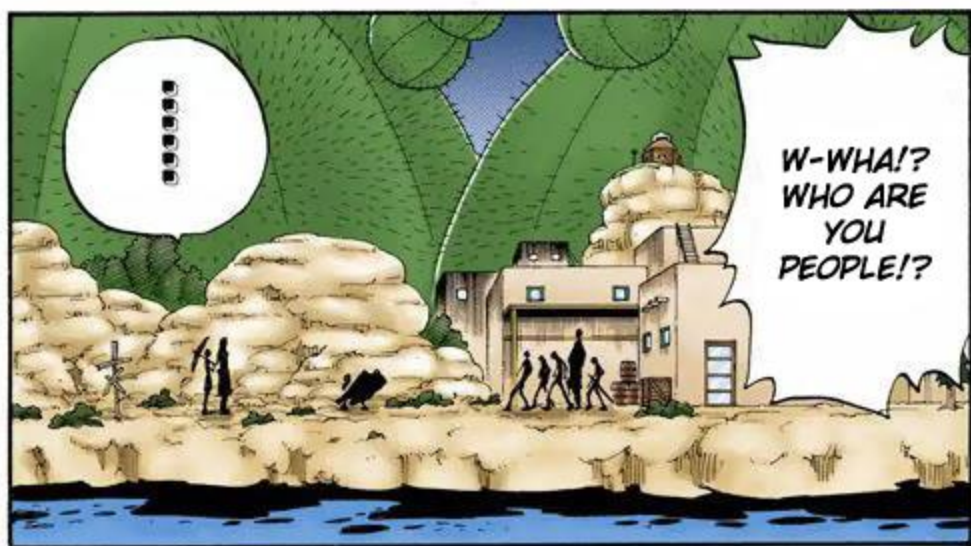




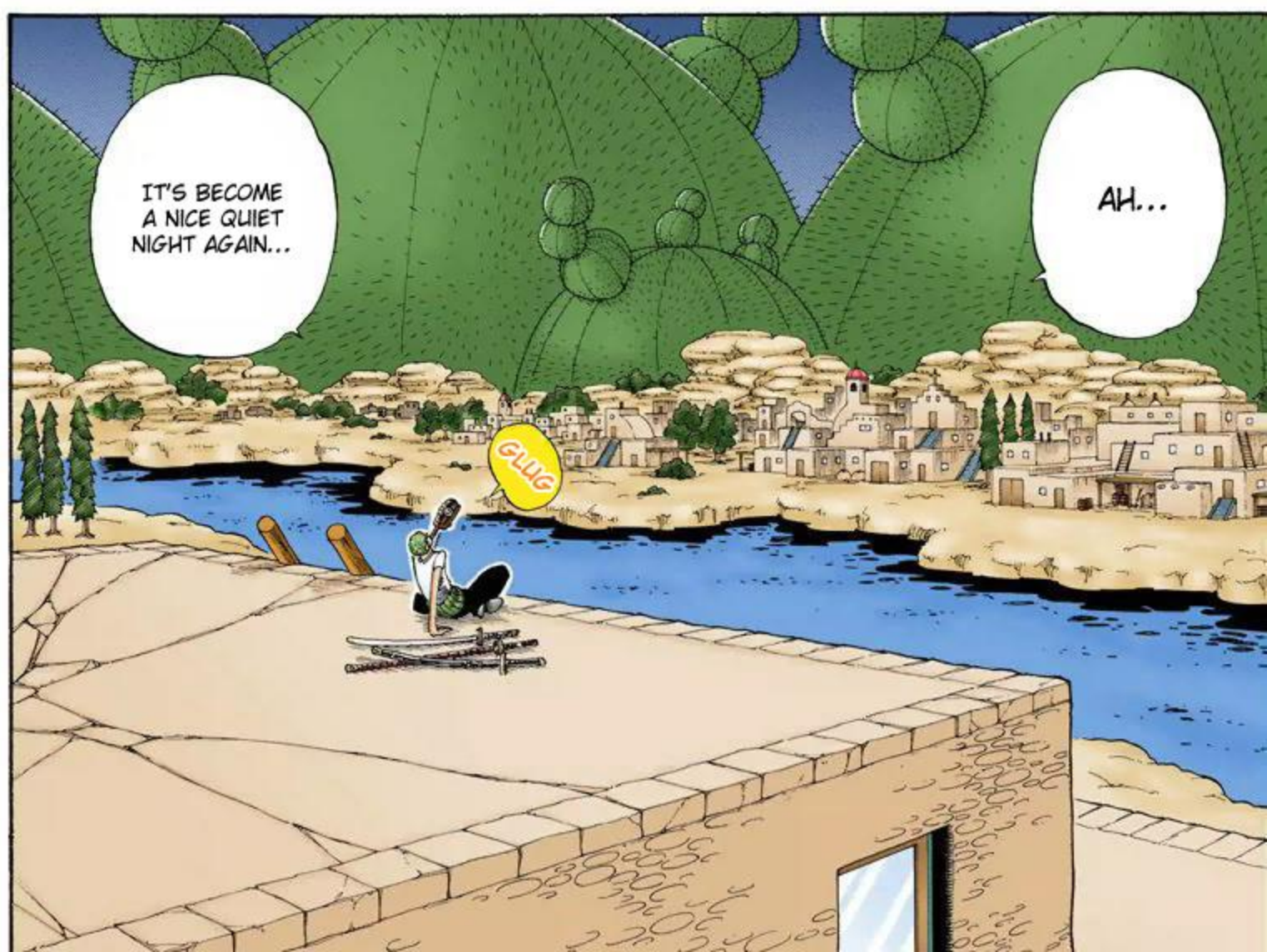
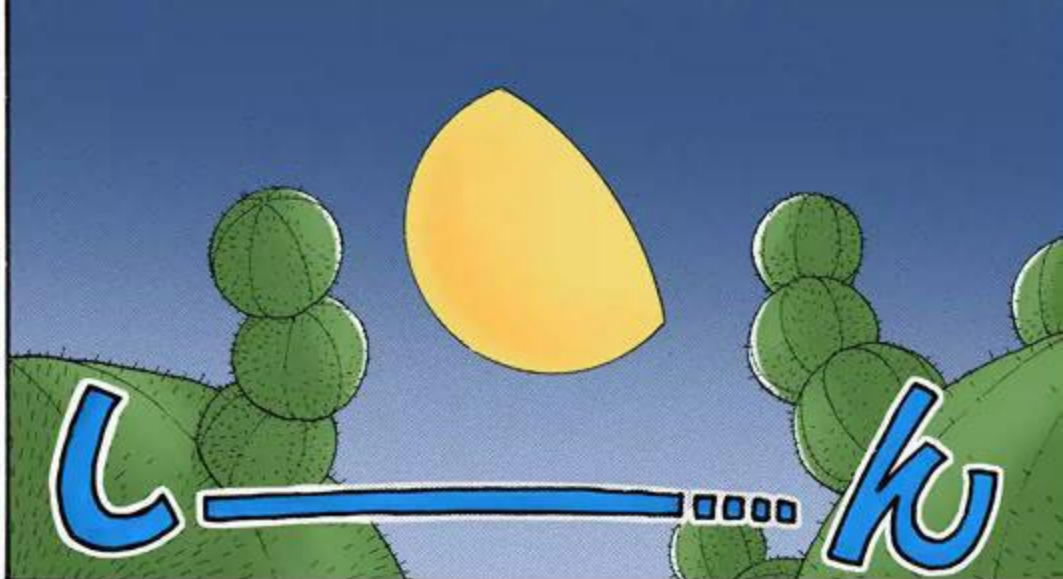




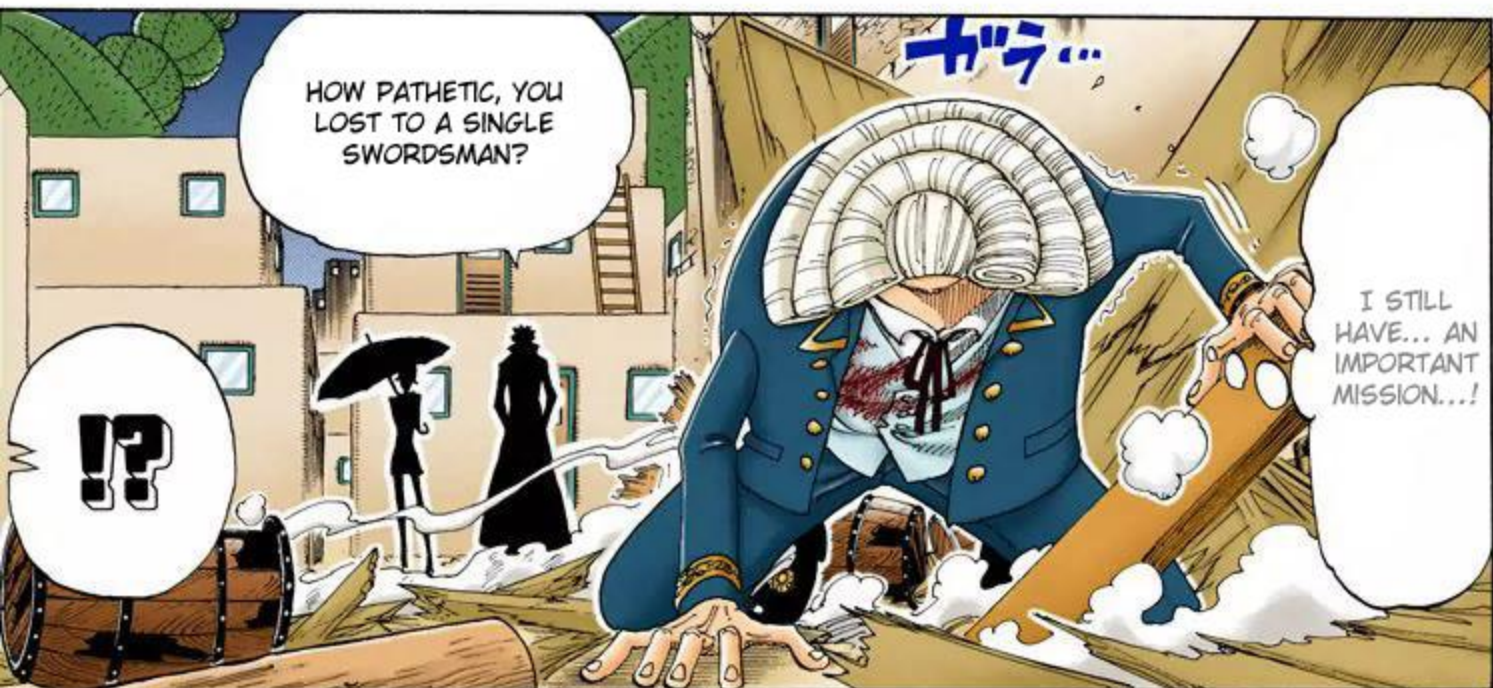




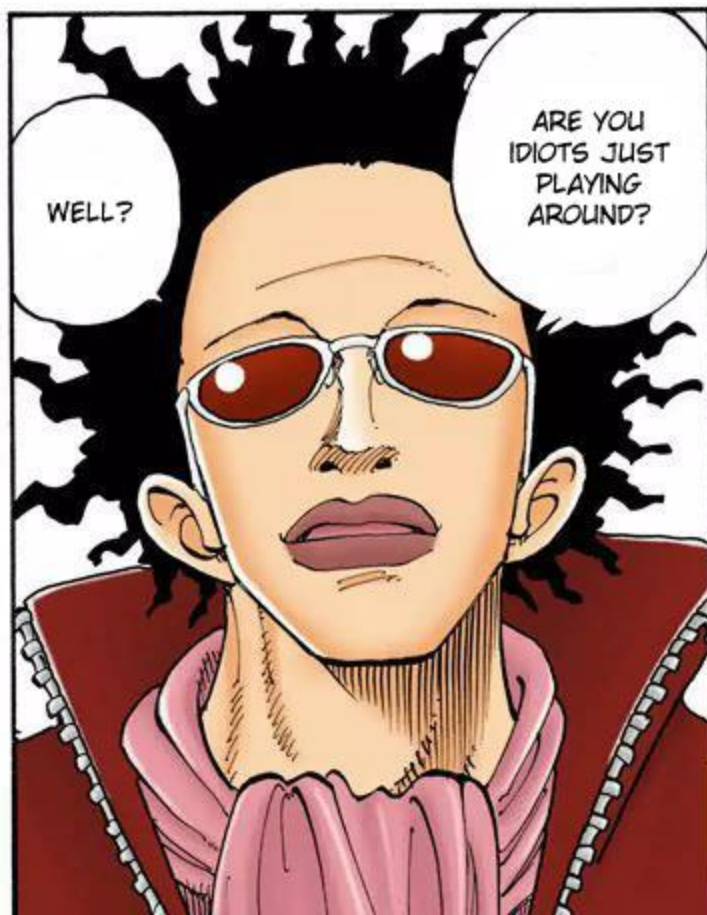
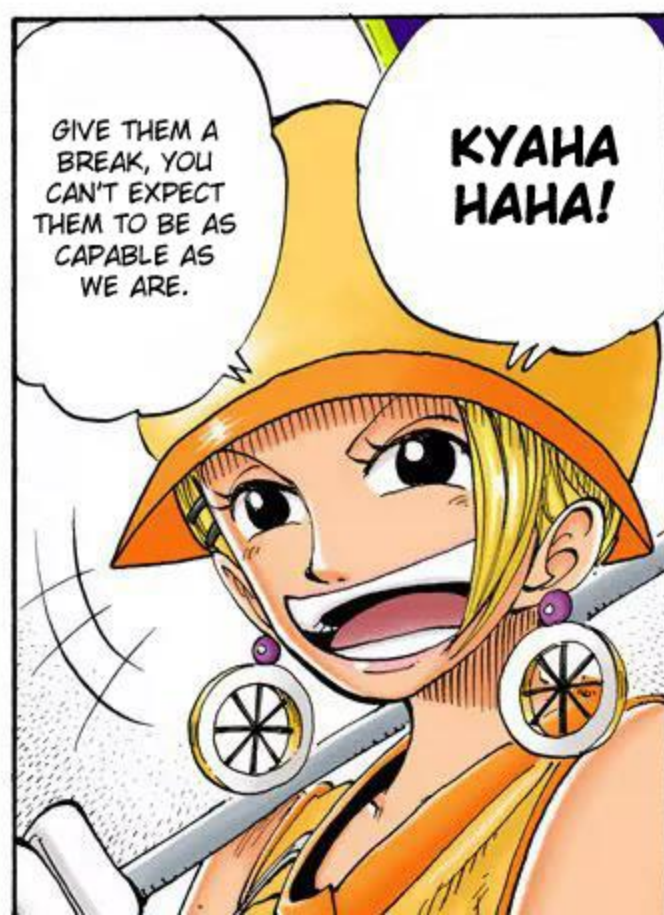
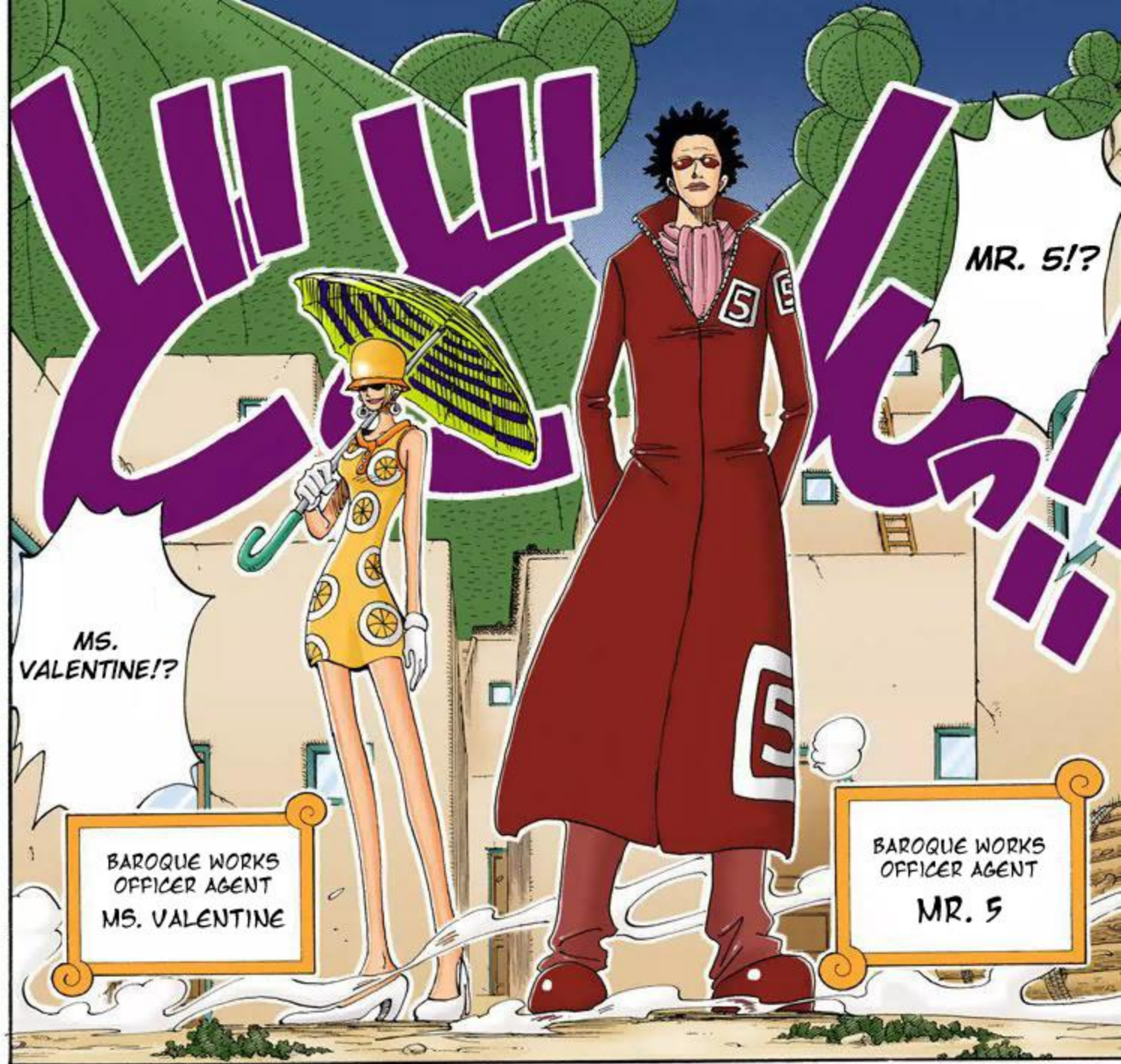




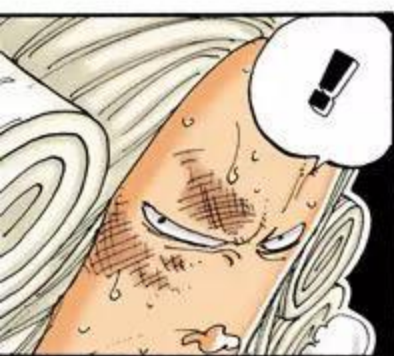
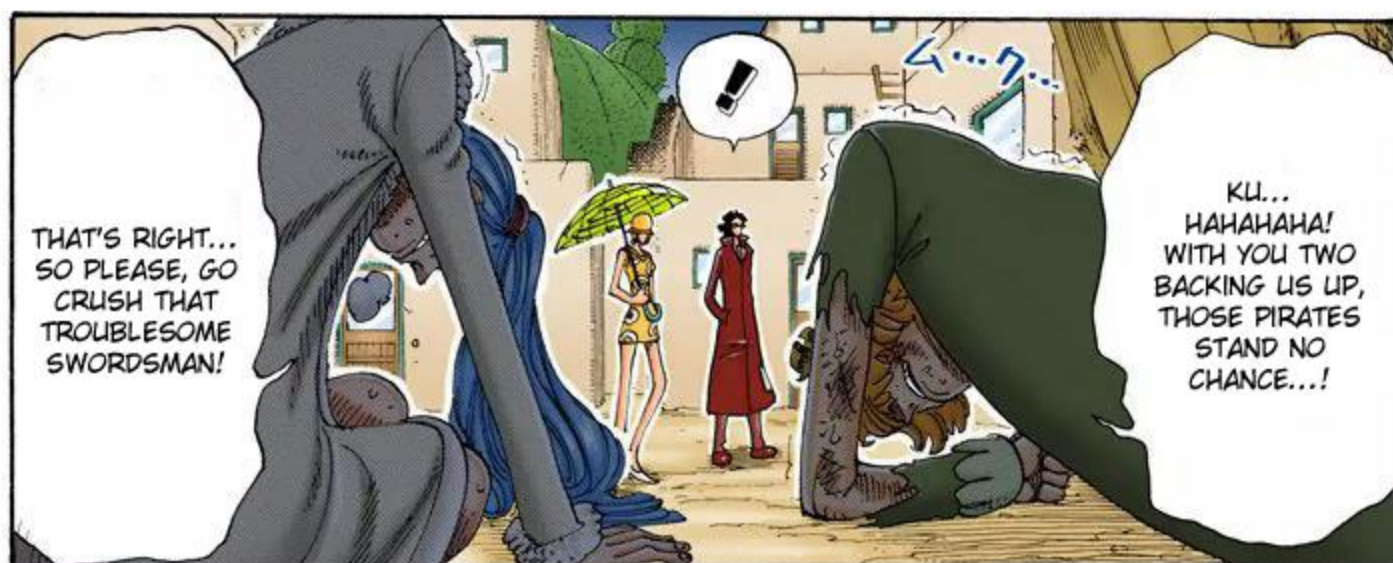




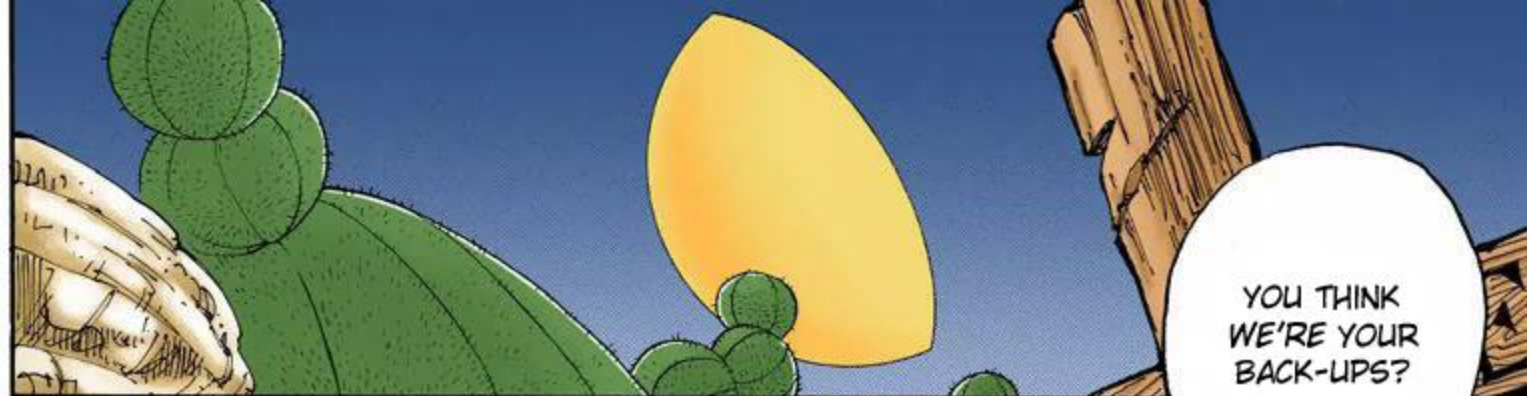




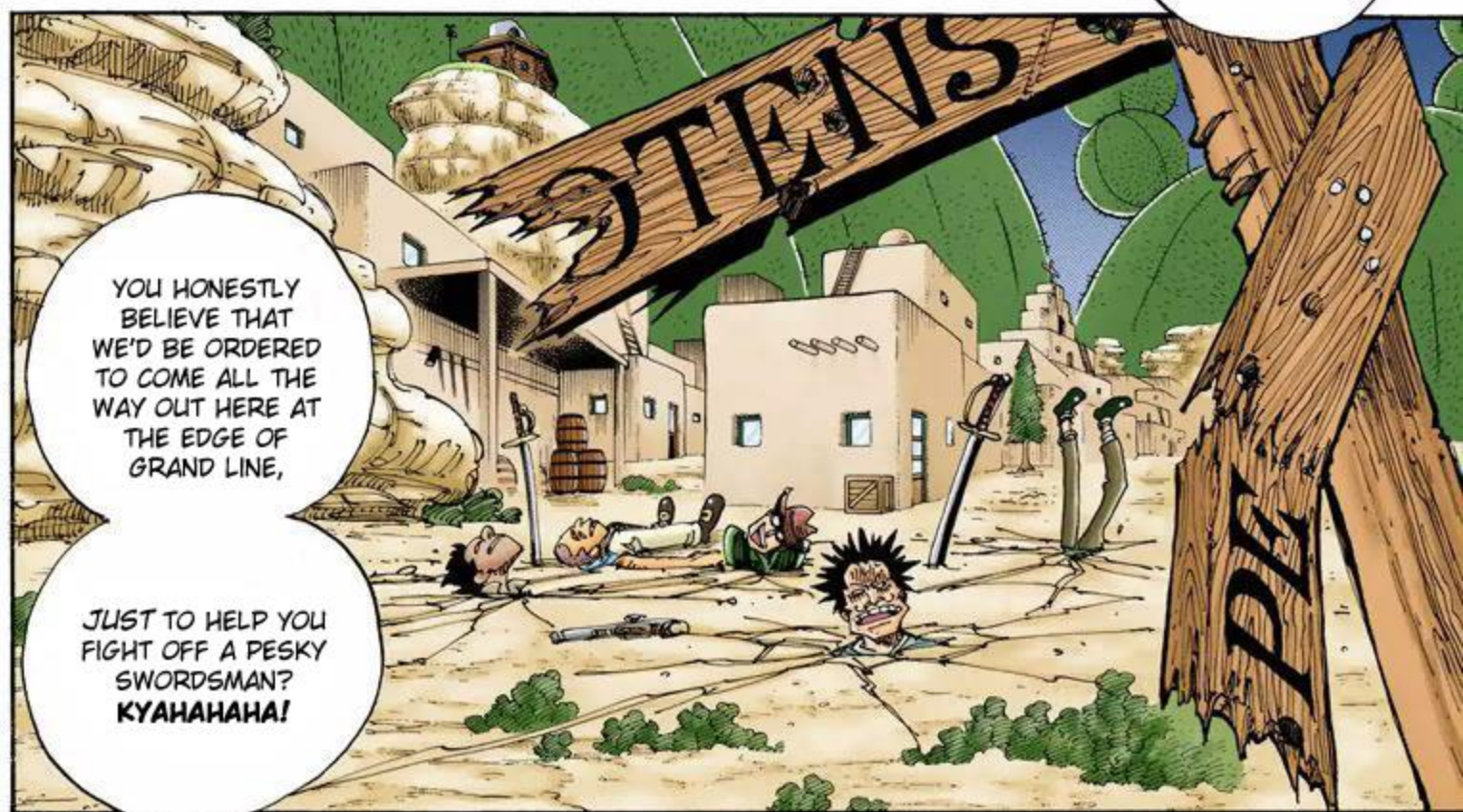








YOU THINK  
WE'RE YOUR  
BACK-UPS?



YOU HONESTLY  
BELIEVE THAT  
WE'D BE ORDERED  
TO COME ALL THE  
WAY OUT HERE AT  
THE EDGE OF  
GRAND LINE,

JUST TO HELP YOU  
FIGHT OFF A PESKY  
SWORDSMAN?  
**KYAHAAAAHA!**



A CRIME  
SEVERE  
ENOUGH  
THAT THE  
BOSS WOULD  
PERSONALLY  
DISPATCH US  
ALL THE WAY  
OUT HERE...

SURELY  
YOU MUST  
HAVE SOME  
HUNCHES...



THEN  
WHAT  
BUSI-  
NESS  
HAVE  
YOU  
COME  
HERE  
FOR...?

...  
WHAT!?



OF COURSE,  
WE HAVE NO  
IDEA WHAT  
THAT SECRET  
MAY BE  
BUT...

THE BOSS' DIRECT  
WORDS WERE, "MY  
SECRET HAS BEEN  
FOUND OUT."






NO ONE IS  
ALLOWED TO PRY  
INTO THE REAL  
IDENTITIES OF  
OUR MEMBERS.

OUR  
ORGANIZATION'S  
CREED IS  
"SECRECY"...



IT SEEMS  
AN AGENT  
OF A CERTAIN  
KINGDOM HAS  
INFILTRATED  
INTO BAROQUE  
WORKS.

AFTER INVESTIGATING INTO THE MATTER,



THUS, IT'S  
INEXCUSABLE  
FOR OUR BOSS'  
REAL IDENTITY  
TO BE KNOWN.



QUACK!



WE KNOW  
IT'S NOT YOU.



WHA...!  
W-WAIT! I  
KNOW I WEAR  
A CROWN AND  
ALL BUT I'M  
NOT REALLY  
A KING!



IS THIS  
THE END!?

THEY'VE  
FOUND  
ABOUT OUT  
EVERY-  
THING...!

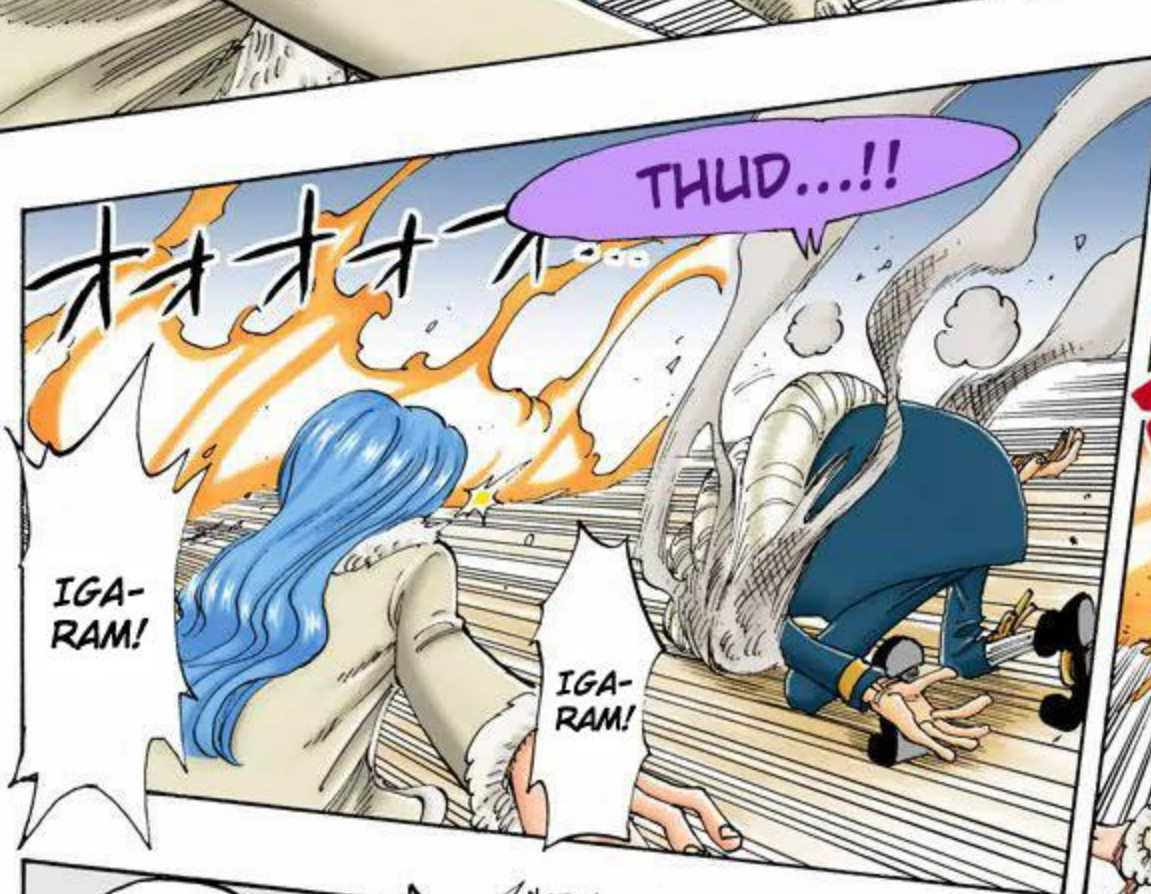
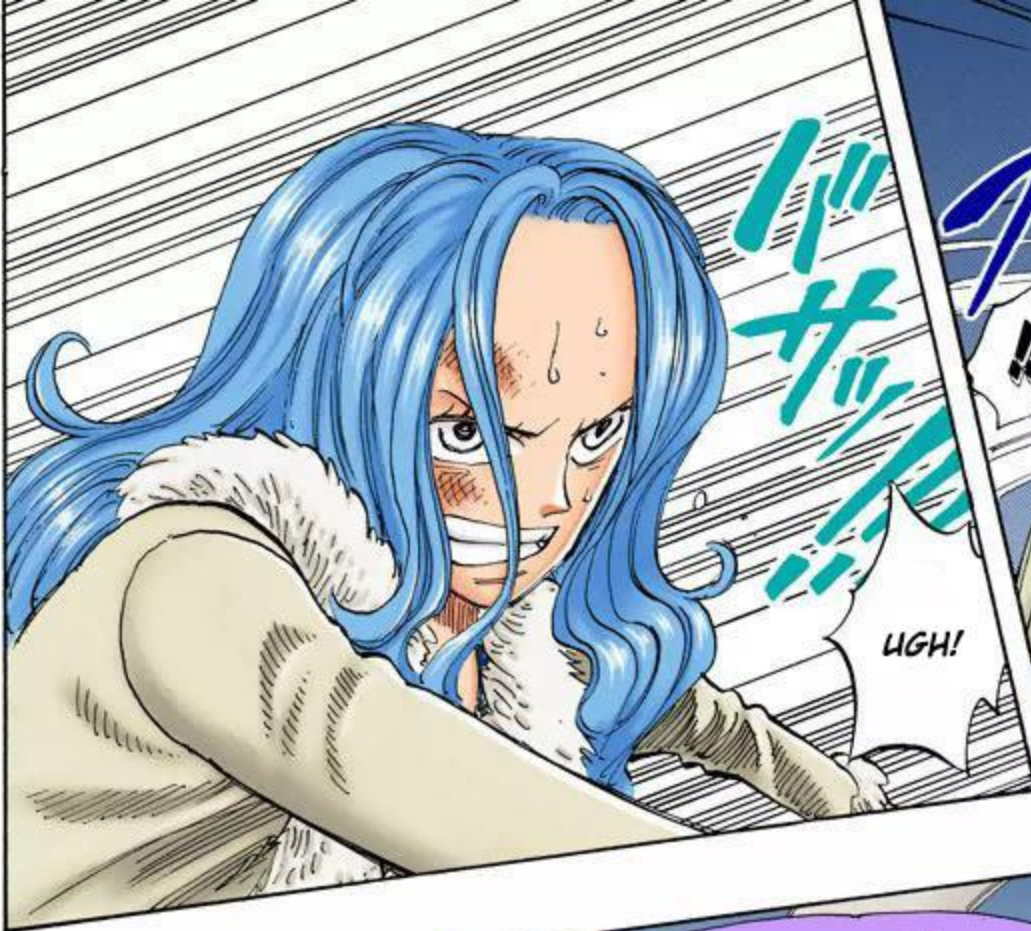




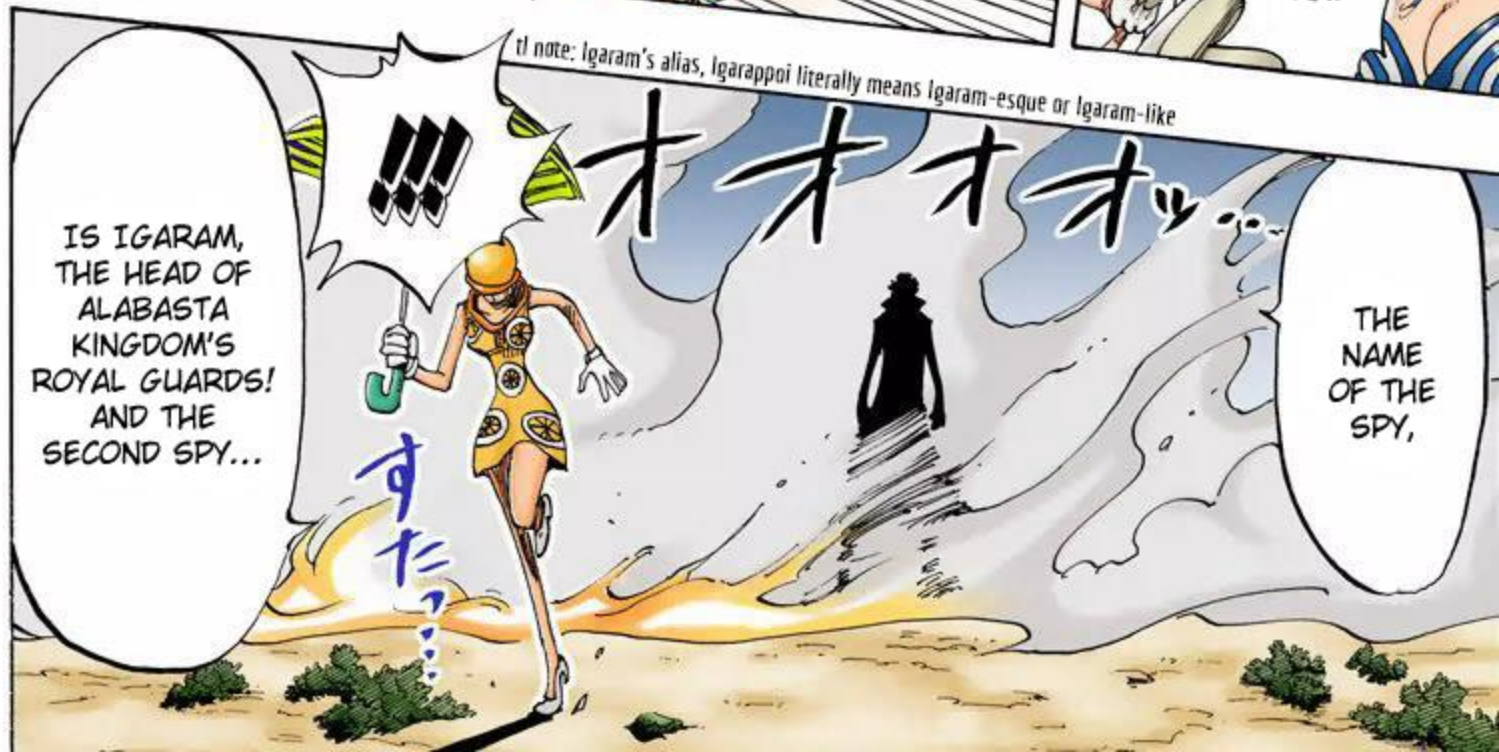








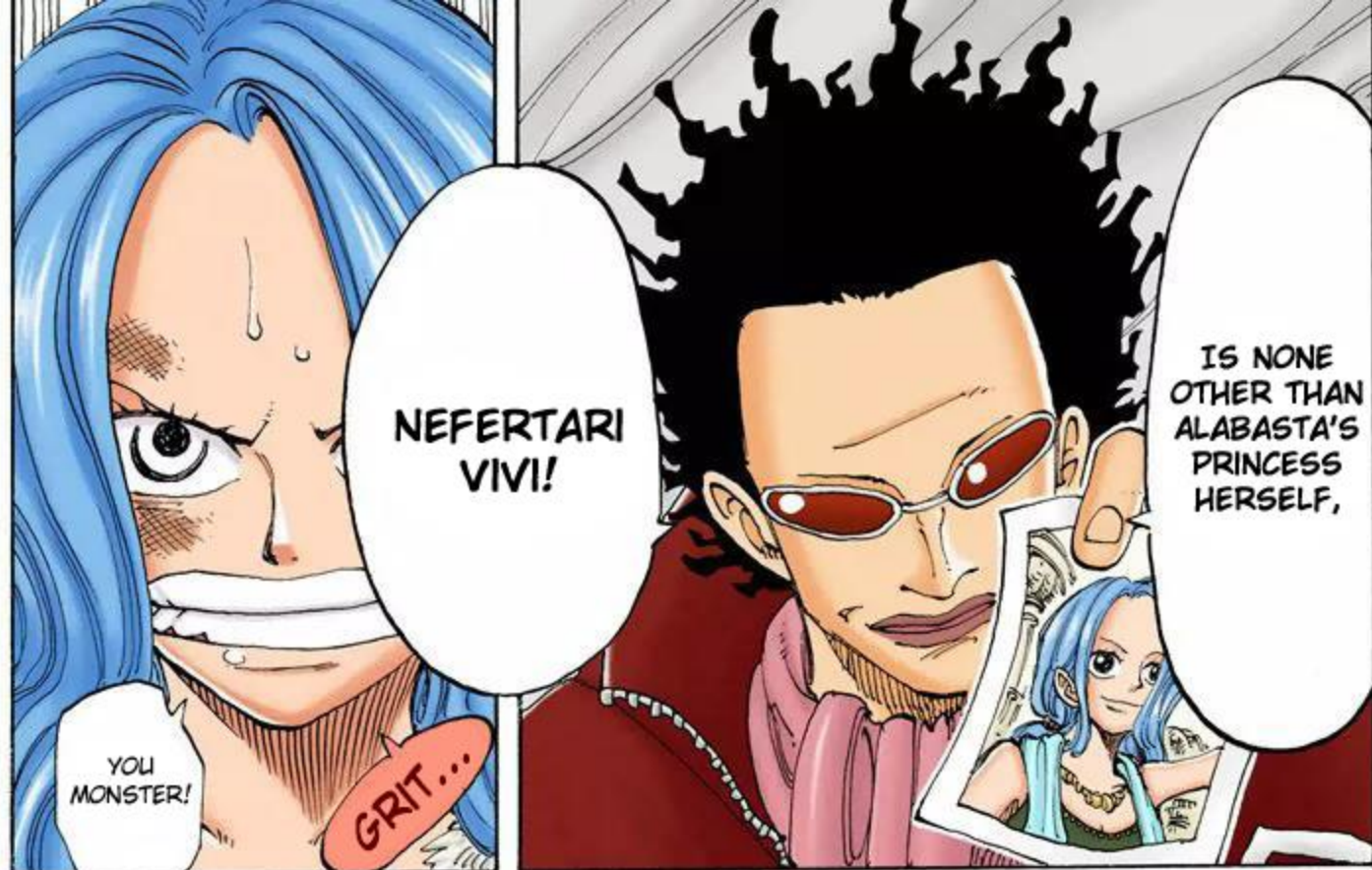
tl note: Igaram's alias, Igarappoi literally means Igaram-esque or Igaram-like



IS IGARAM,  
THE HEAD OF  
ALABASTA  
KINGDOM'S  
ROYAL GUARDS!  
AND THE  
SECOND SPY...

THE  
NAME  
OF THE  
SPY,

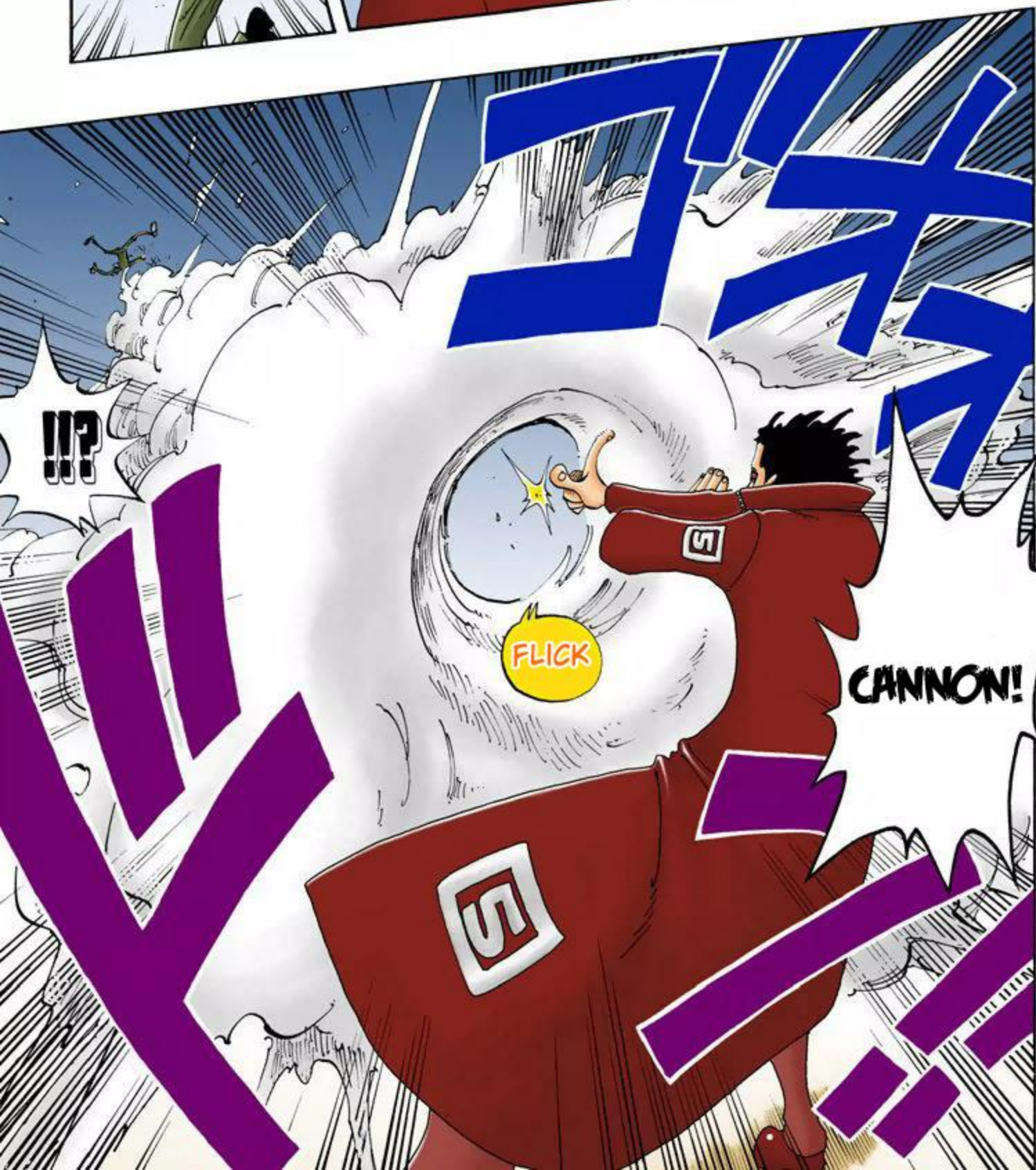




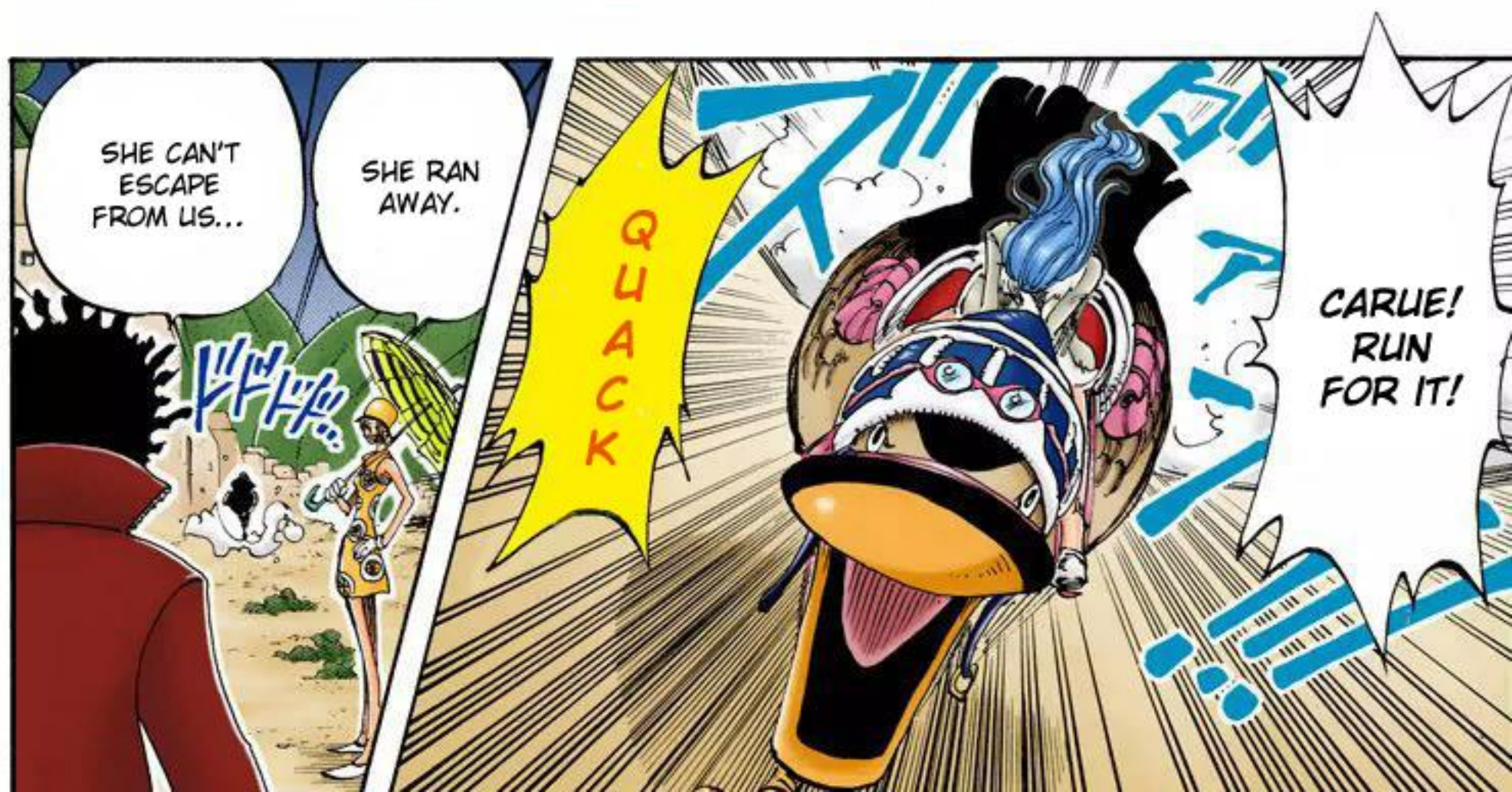
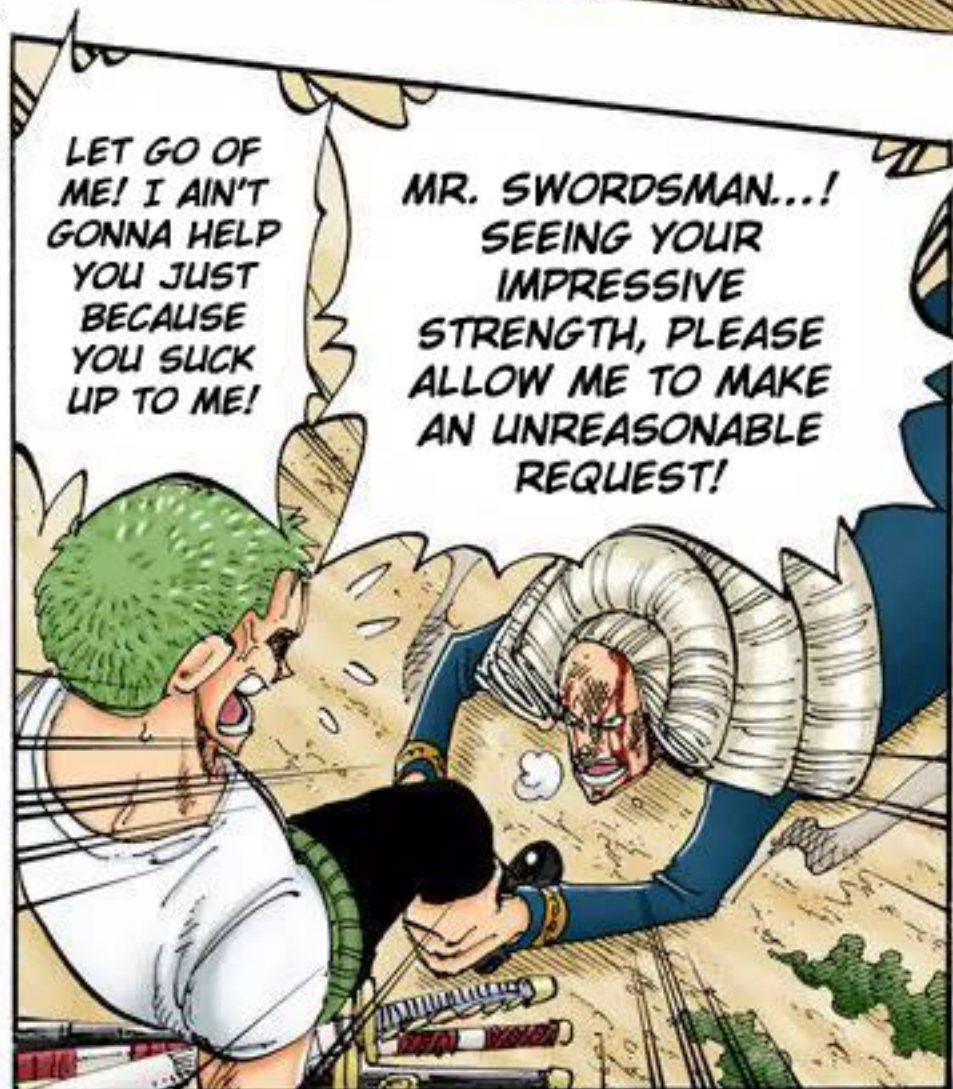
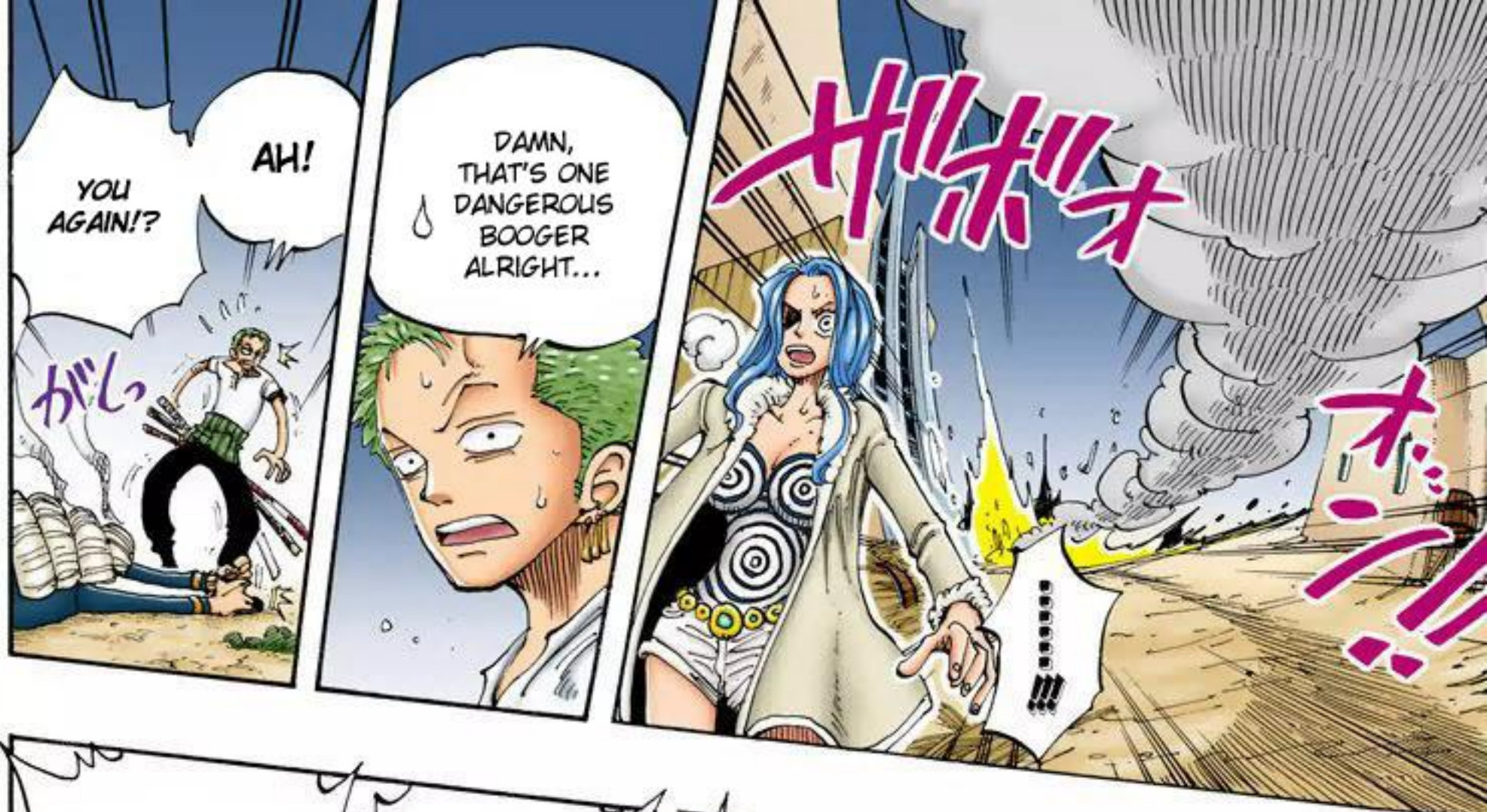














ROGER, MR. S!  
KYAHAAAAHA!

AFTER  
HER, MS.  
VALENTINE!

GREATLY  
REWARDED,  
YOU SAY?

WHAT?

I BEG OF YOU,  
SIR! PLEASE  
PROTECT THE  
PRINCESS!

I'LL  
KILL  
YOU  
IF  
YOU  
DON'T  
SHUT  
UP.

I SWEAR  
YOU  
SHALL BE  
REWARDED  
GREATLY  
...!

COUGH

IF YOU  
SUCCESSFULLY  
SEND HER  
SAFELY BACK  
TO ALABASTA,  
A KINGDOM  
LOCATED IN THE  
FAR EAST...

HOW  
ABOUT A  
BILLION  
BELI  
THEN?

NAMI!

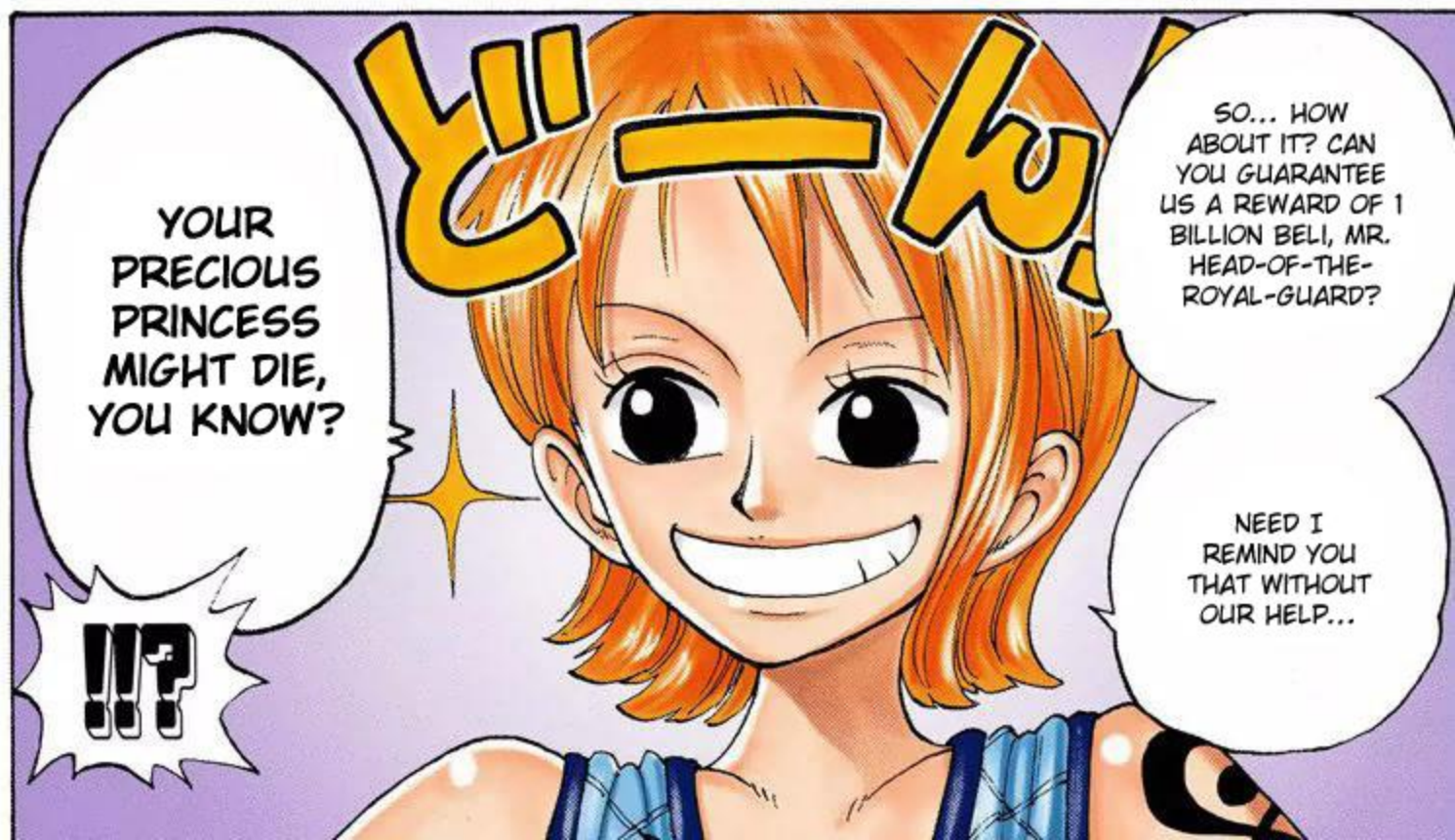
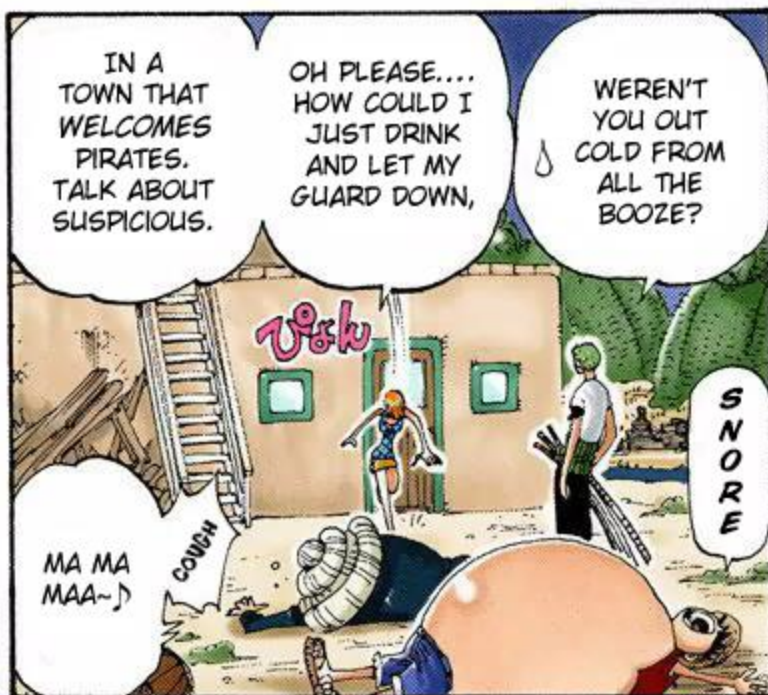
ALRIGHT  
THEN!



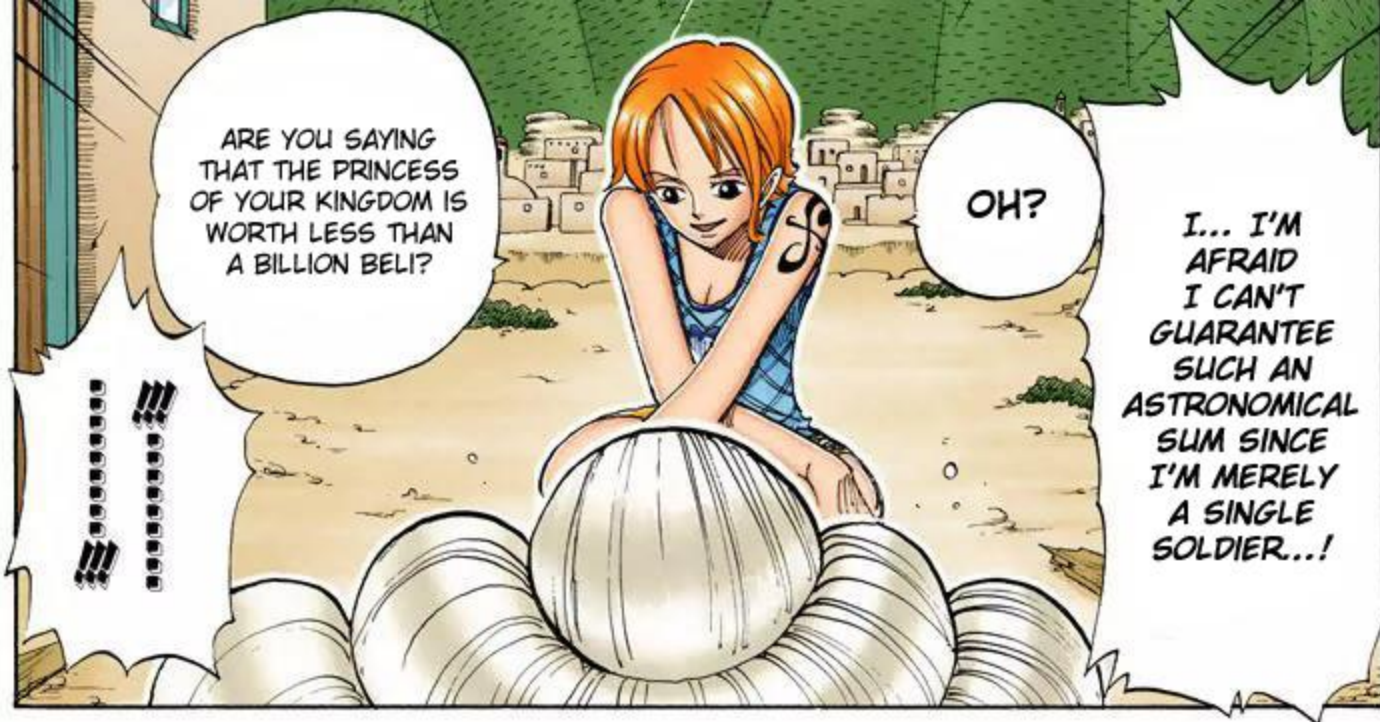




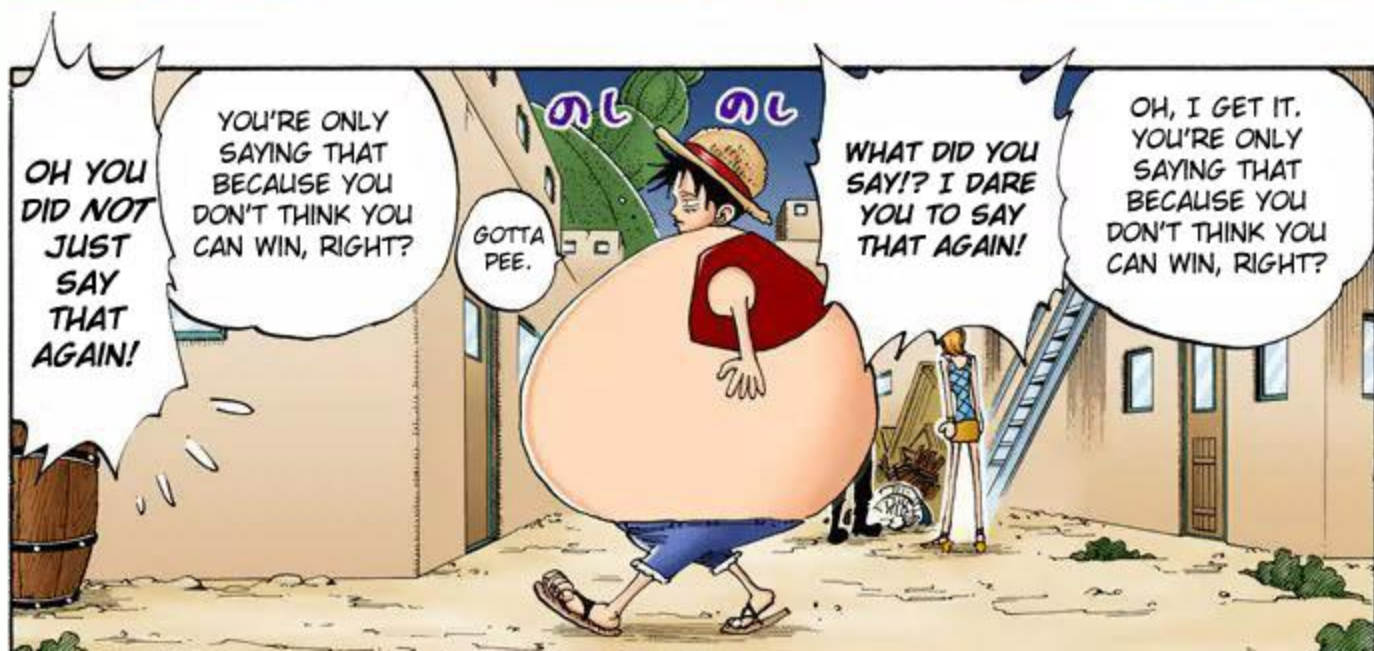
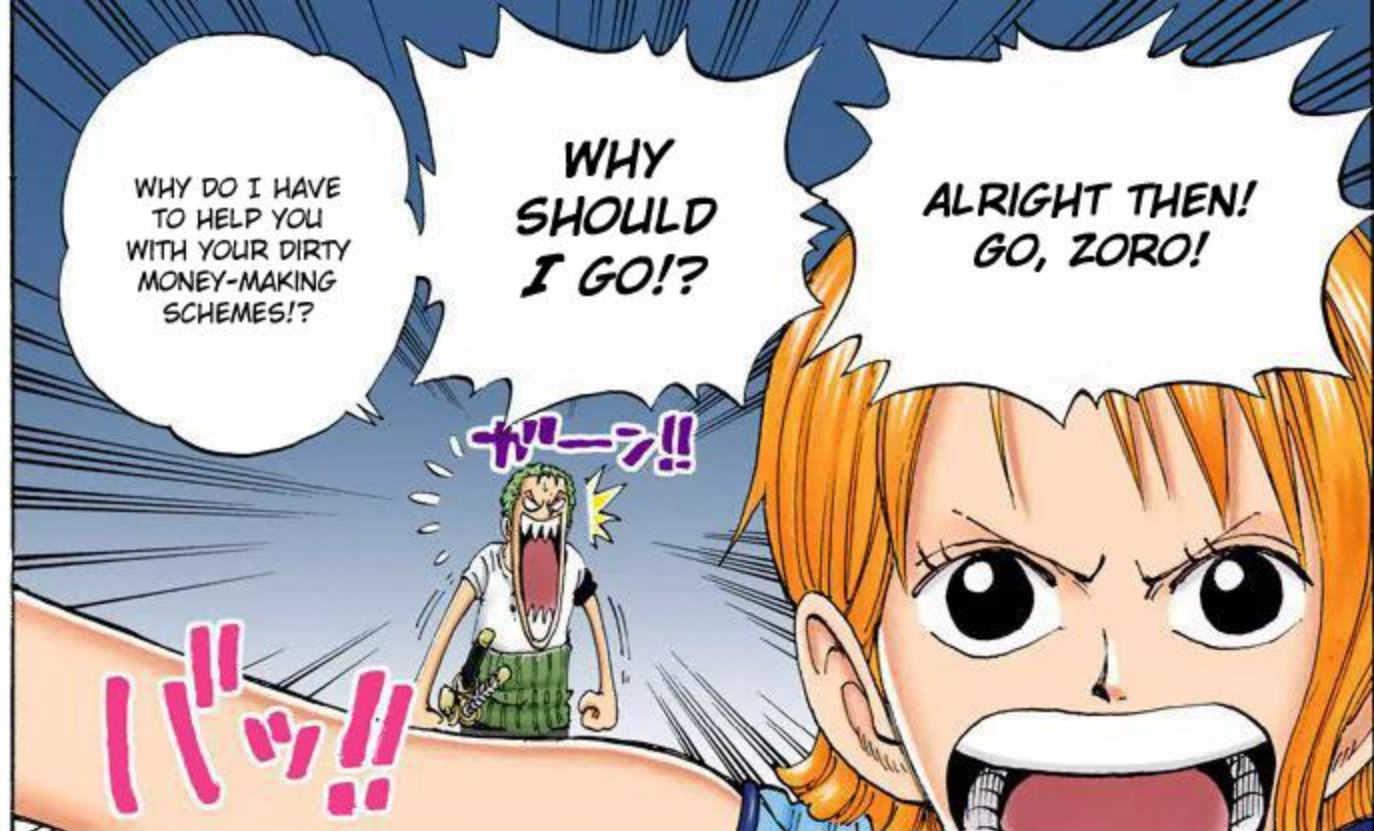




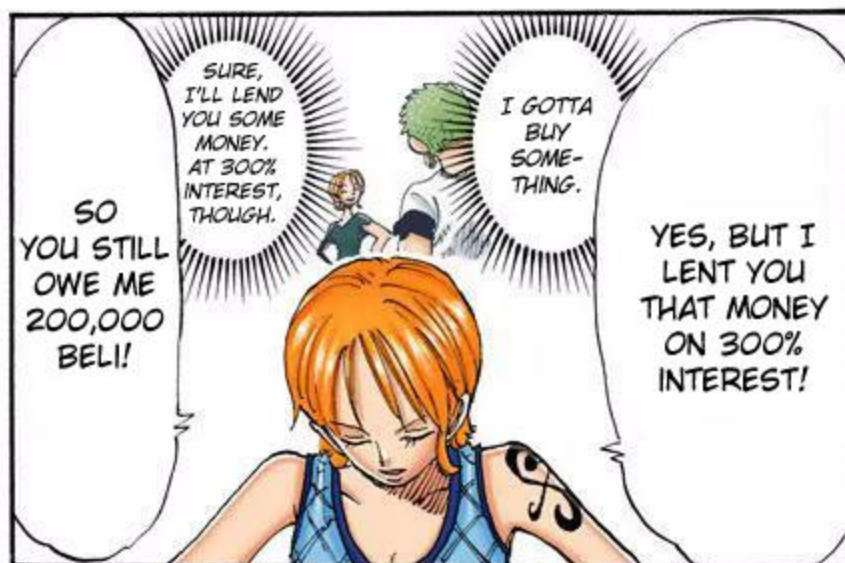












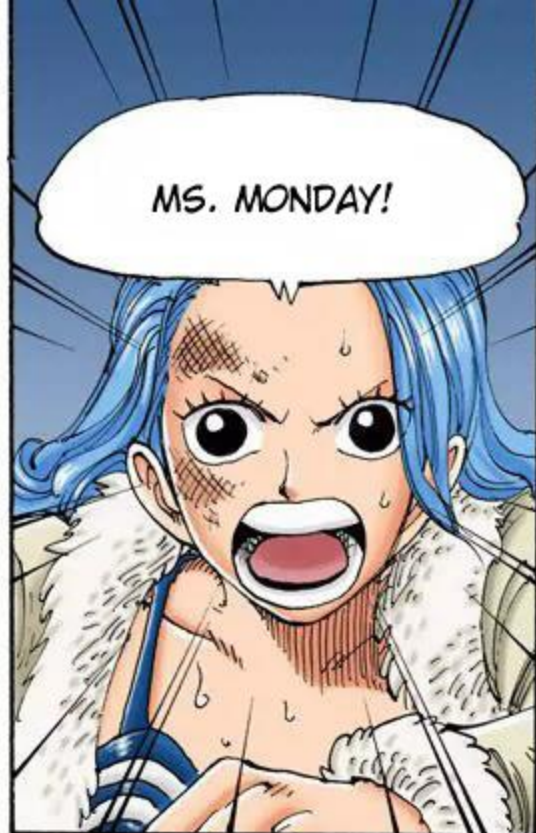








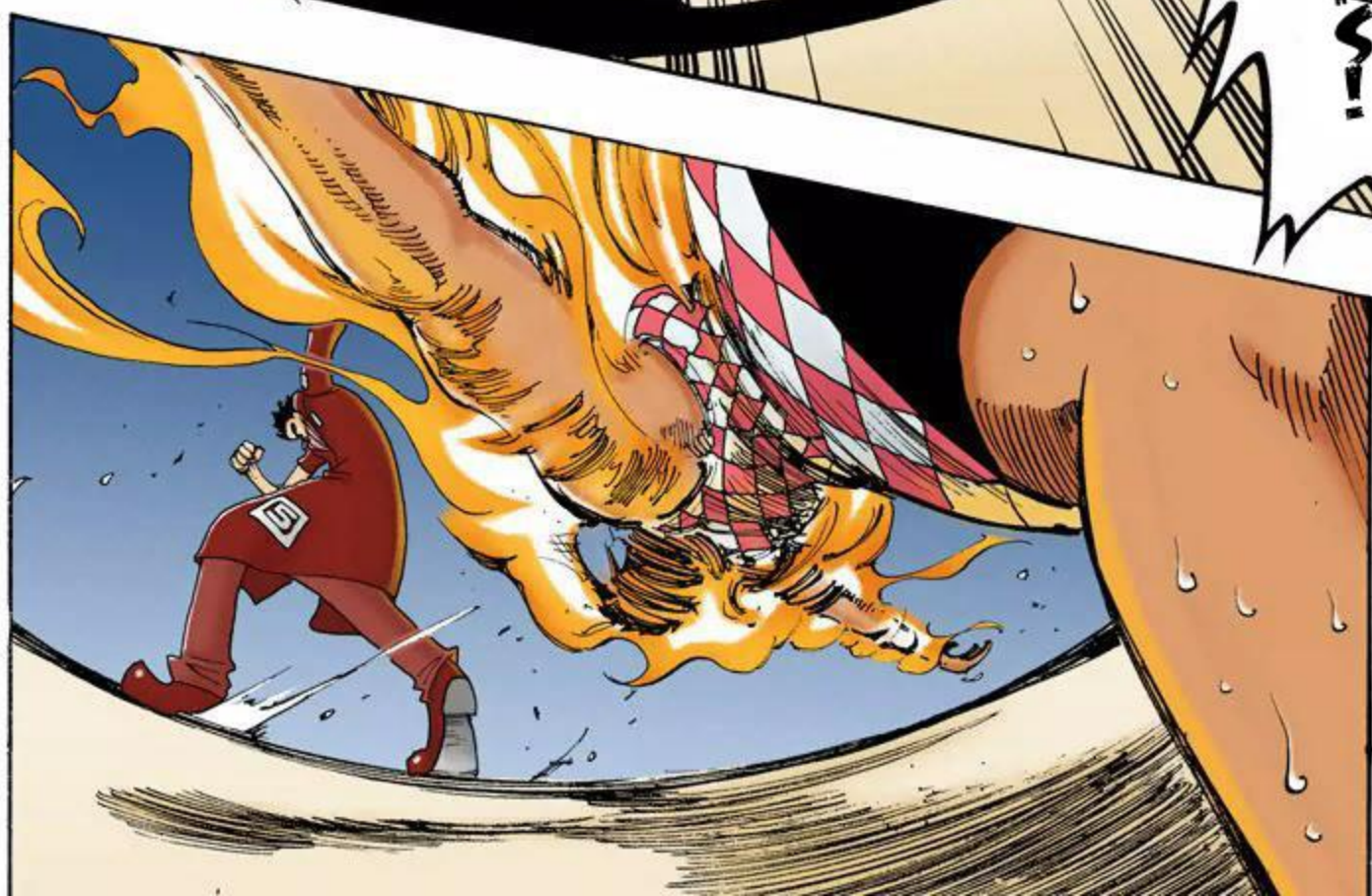
















I'M A HUMAN BOMB THAT CAN MAKE ANY PART OF MY BODY EXPLODE.



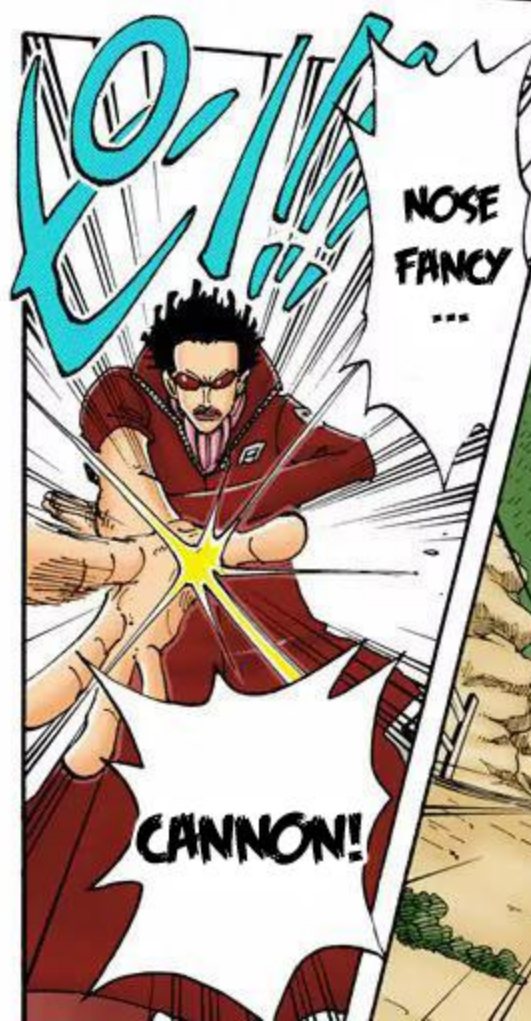
GUH...!



THERE'S NOT A SINGLE MISSION I'VE FAILED AT!

ほーい ほーい

WITH THIS ABILITY BESTOWED UPON ME BY THE BOMB BOMB FRUIT,



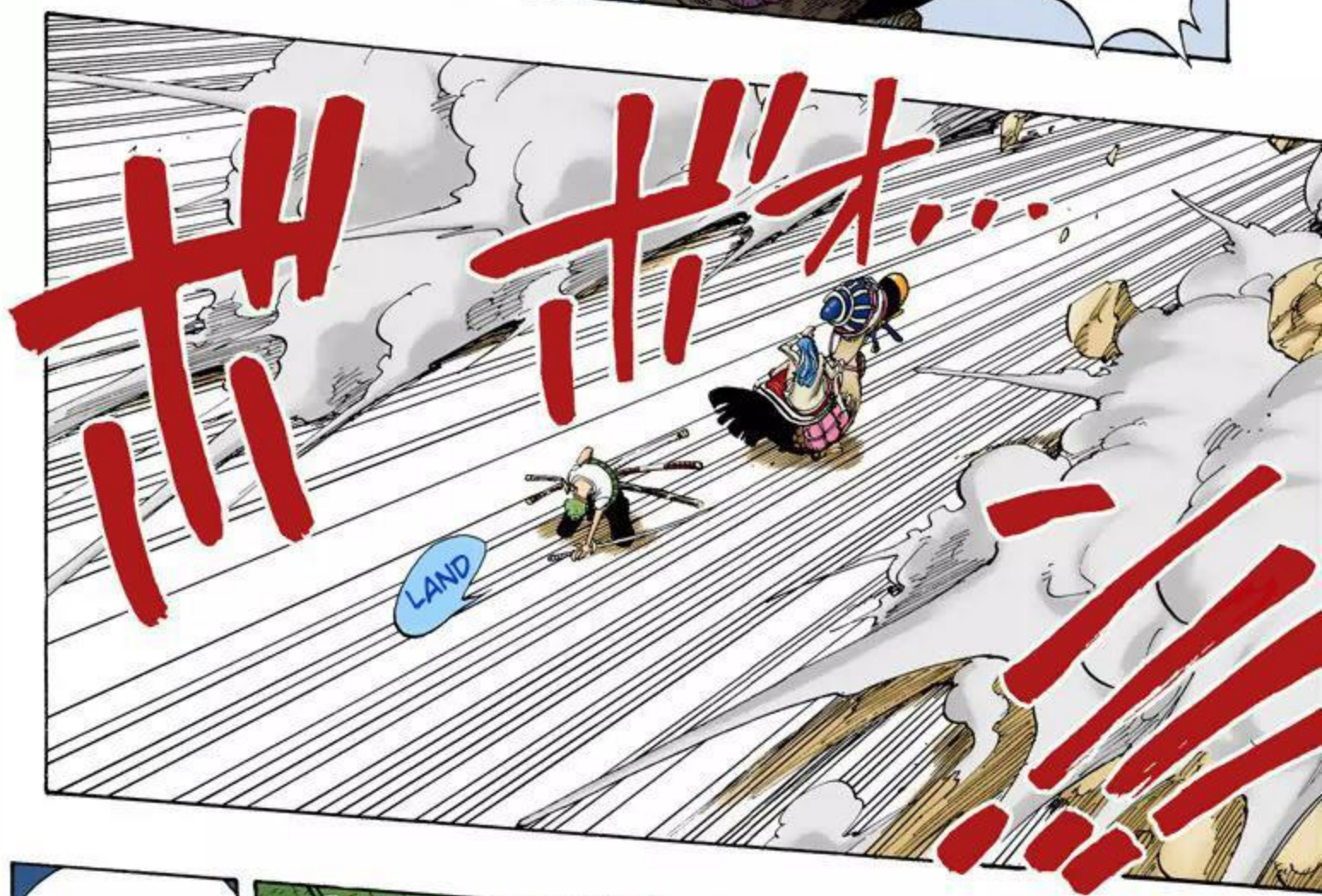
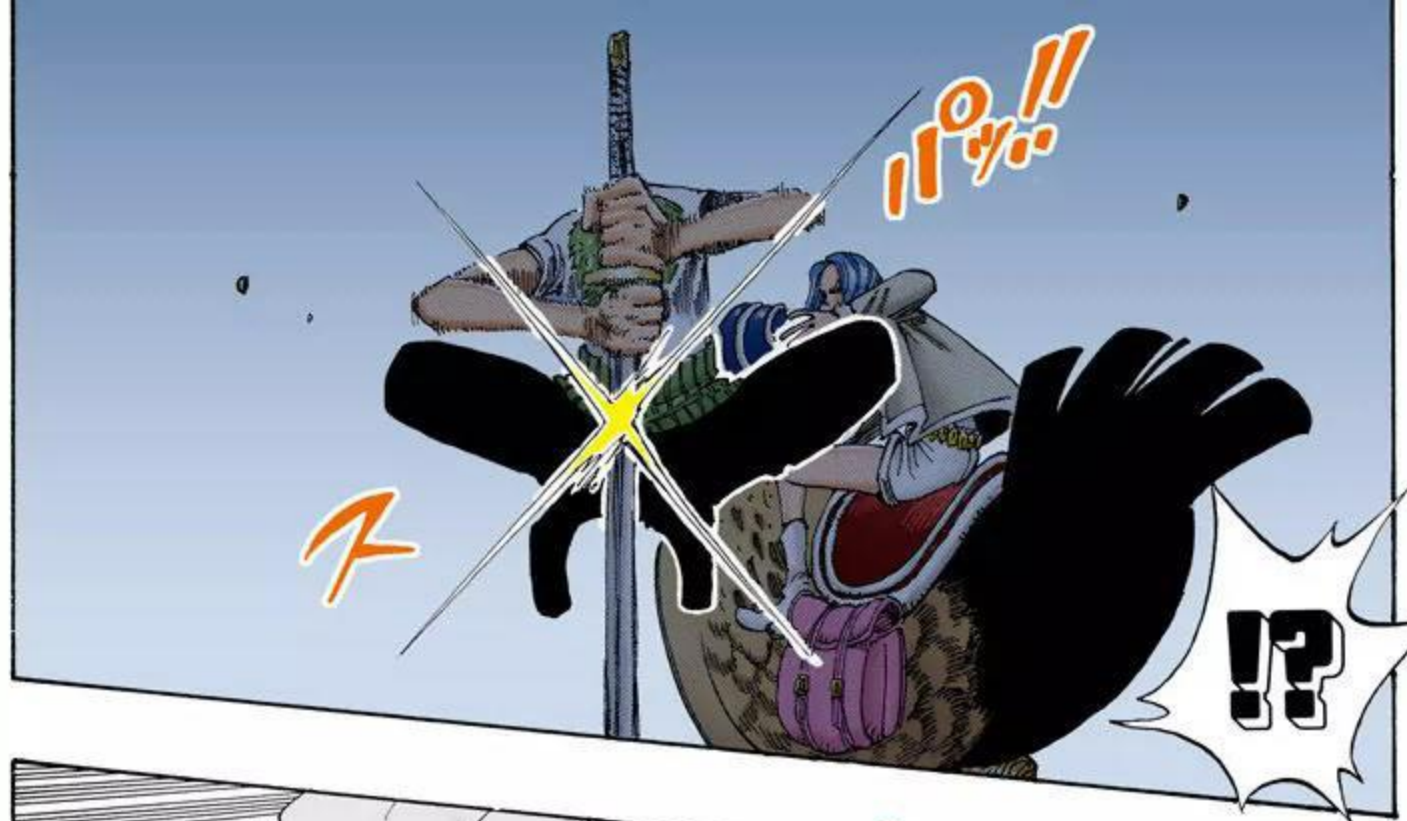
NOSE FANCY ...

CANNON!

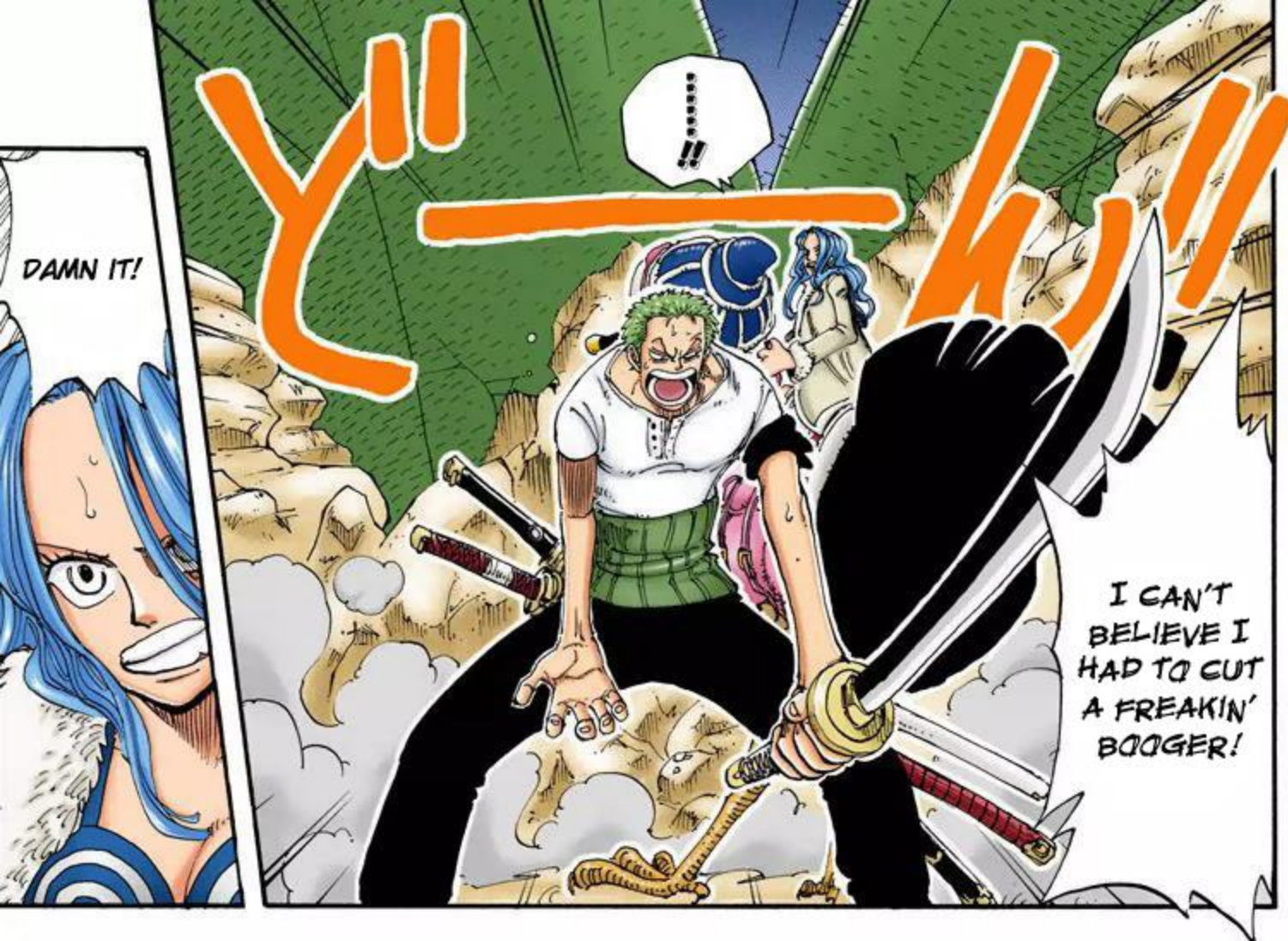


YOU CAN'T RUN AWAY FROM US.









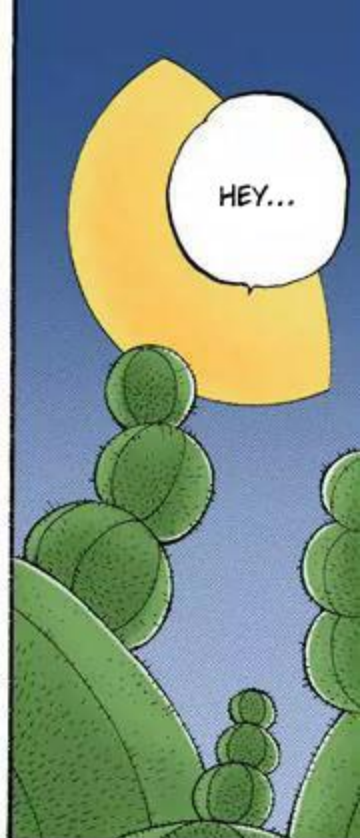




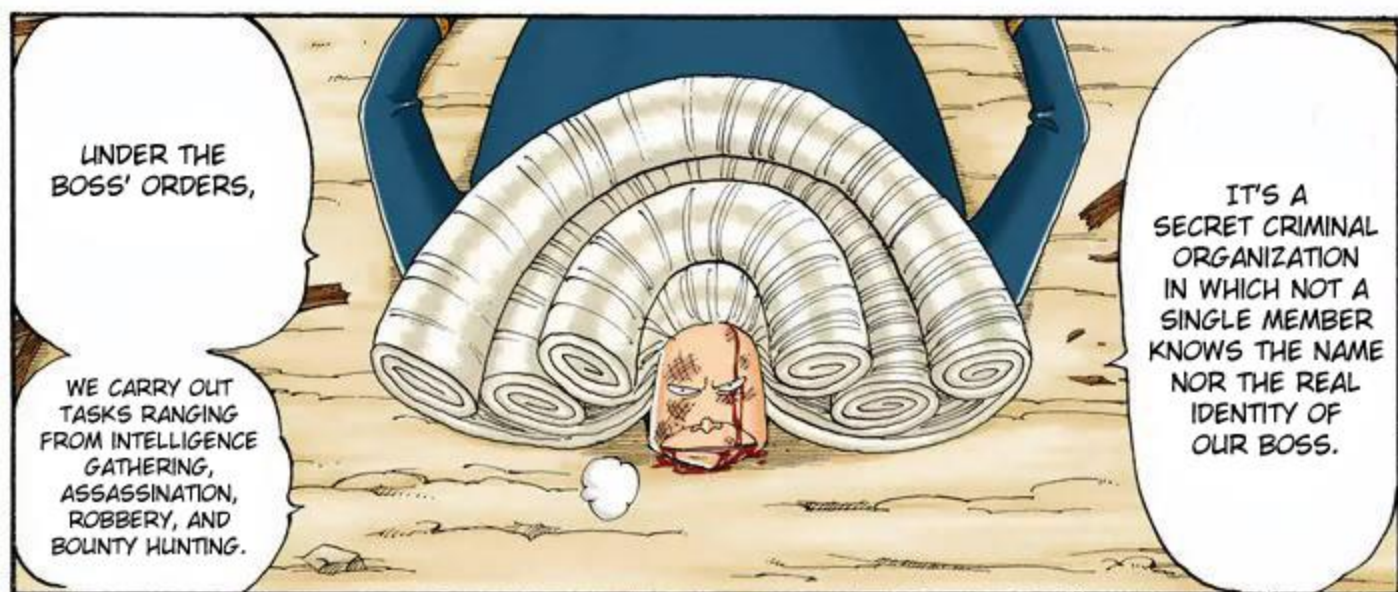
IS  
BAROQUE  
WORKS?

SO WHAT  
EXACTLY,

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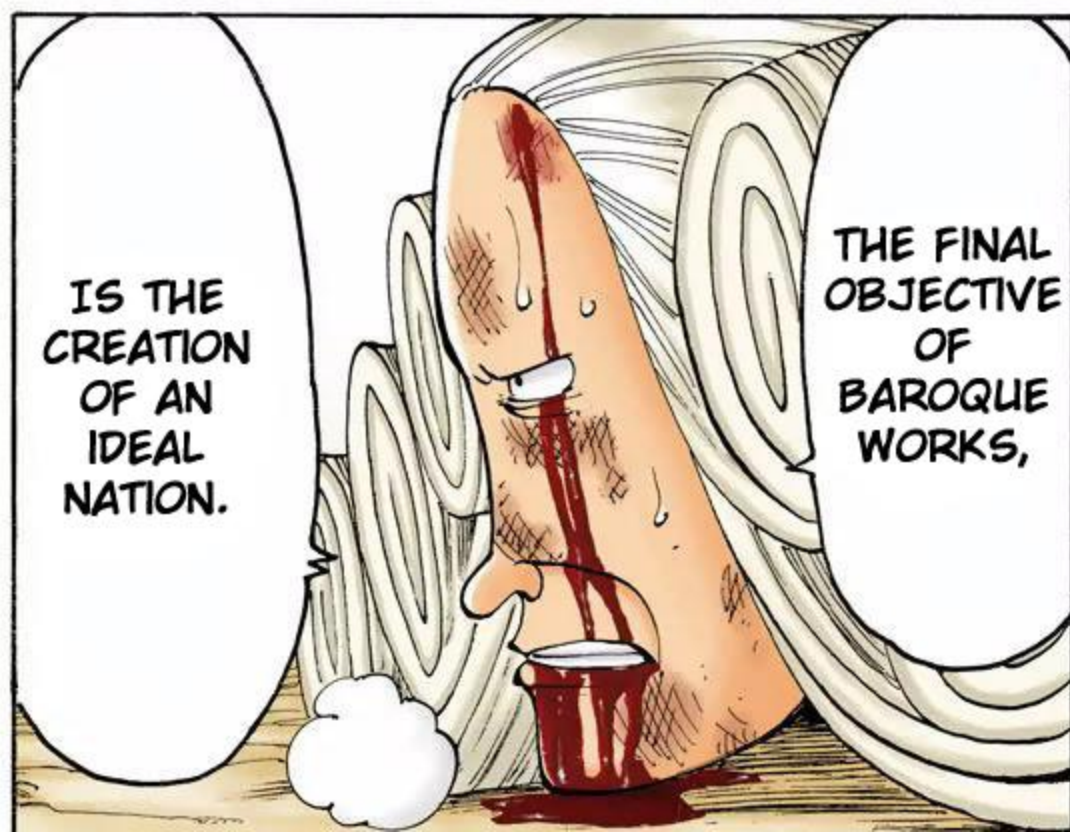
HEY...



UNDER THE  
BOSS' ORDERS,

WE CARRY OUT  
TASKS RANGING  
FROM INTELLIGENCE  
GATHERING,  
ASSASSINATION,  
ROBBERY, AND  
BOUNTY HUNTING.

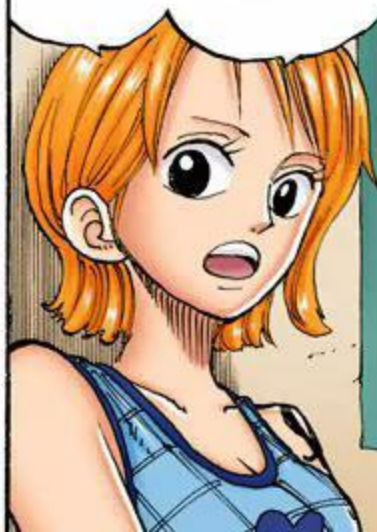
IT'S A  
SECRET CRIMINAL  
ORGANIZATION  
IN WHICH NOT A  
SINGLE MEMBER  
KNOWS THE NAME  
NOR THE REAL  
IDENTITY OF  
OUR BOSS.



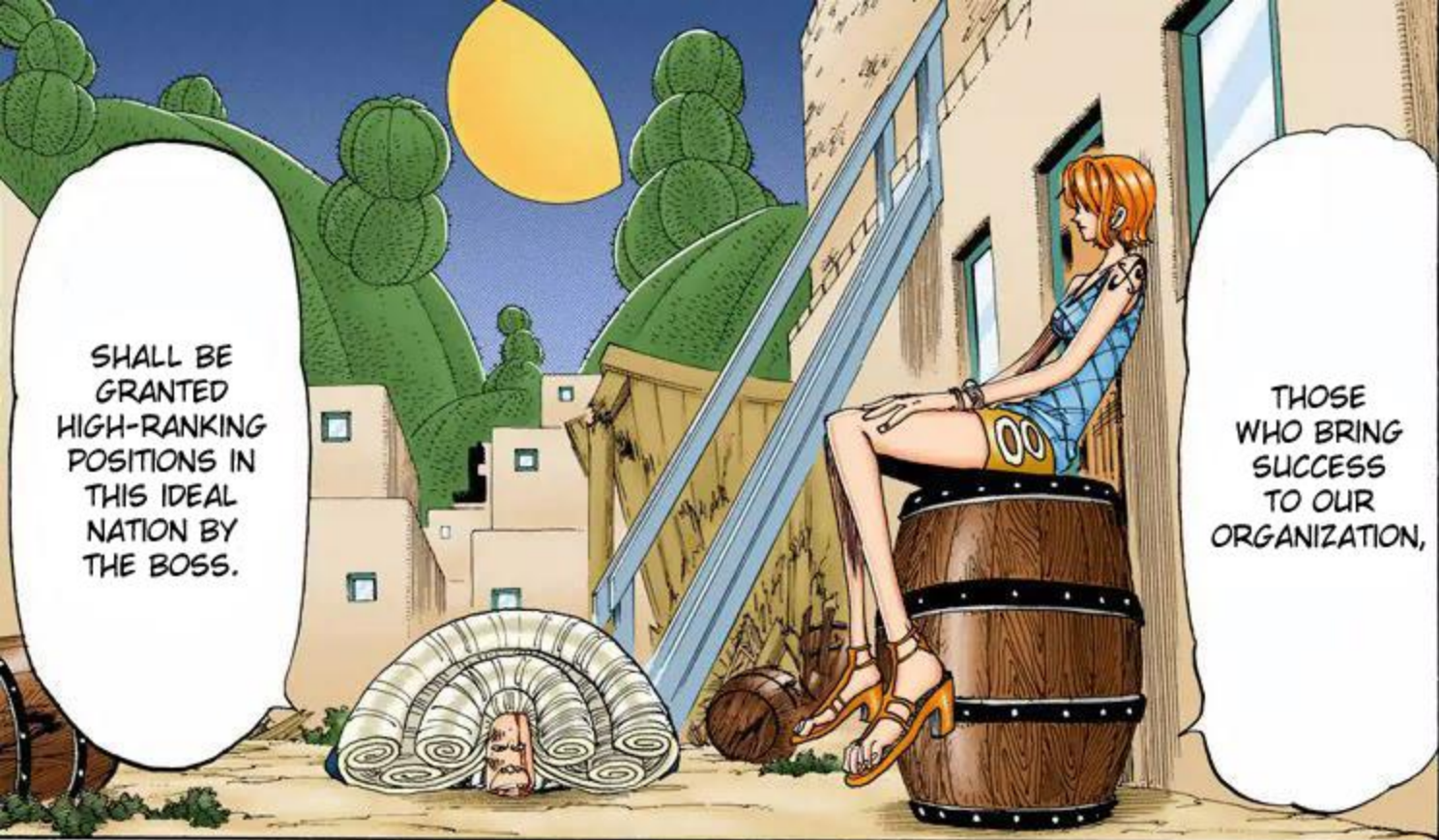
IS THE  
CREATION  
OF AN  
IDEAL  
NATION.

THE FINAL  
OBJECTIVE  
OF  
BAROQUE  
WORKS,

WHY DO  
THE MEMBERS  
OF BAROQUE  
WORKS  
BOTHR TO  
LISTEN TO  
THIS BOSS,

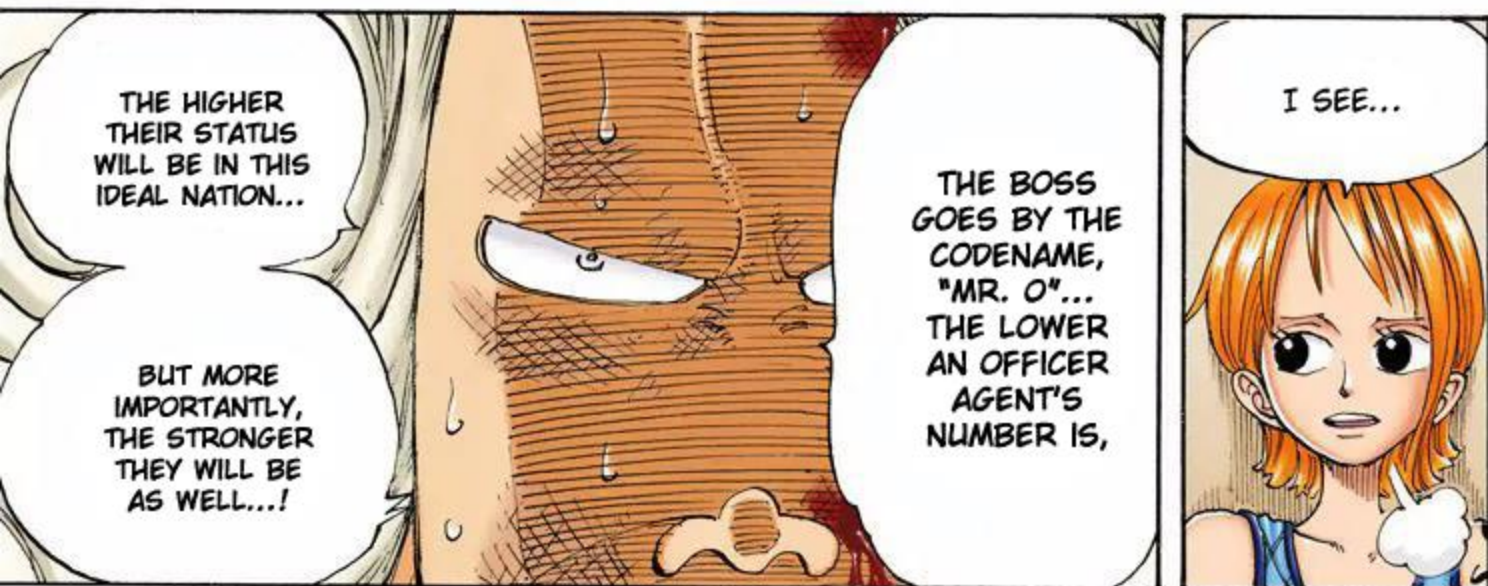






SHALL BE  
GRANTED  
HIGH-RANKING  
POSITIONS IN  
THIS IDEAL  
NATION BY  
THE BOSS.

THOSE  
WHO BRING  
SUCCESS  
TO OUR  
ORGANIZATION,



THE HIGHER  
THEIR STATUS  
WILL BE IN THIS  
IDEAL NATION...

THE BOSS  
GOES BY THE  
CODENAME,  
"MR. O"...  
THE LOWER  
AN OFFICER  
AGENT'S  
NUMBER IS,

I SEE...

BUT MORE  
IMPORTANTLY,  
THE STRONGER  
THEY WILL BE  
AS WELL...!



WHAAAAAT!?

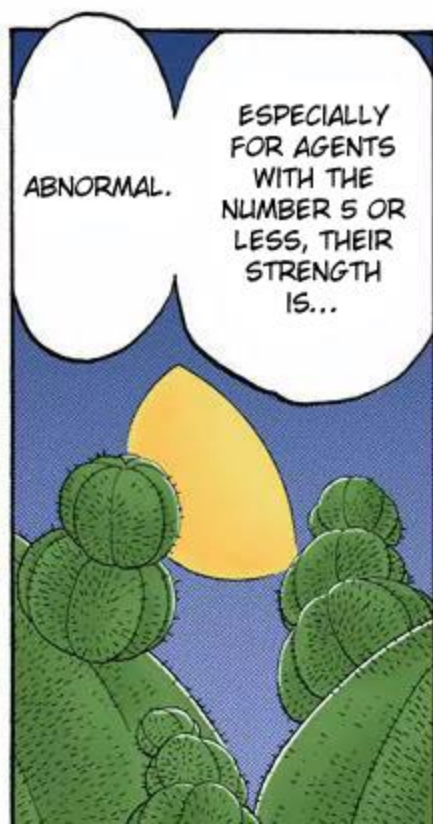


HM?



TIME TO  
GO BACK  
TO SLEEP.

AHH, THAT  
FEELS  
BETTER.



ABNORMAL.

ESPECIALLY  
FOR AGENTS  
WITH THE  
NUMBER 5 OR  
LESS, THEIR  
STRENGTH  
IS...





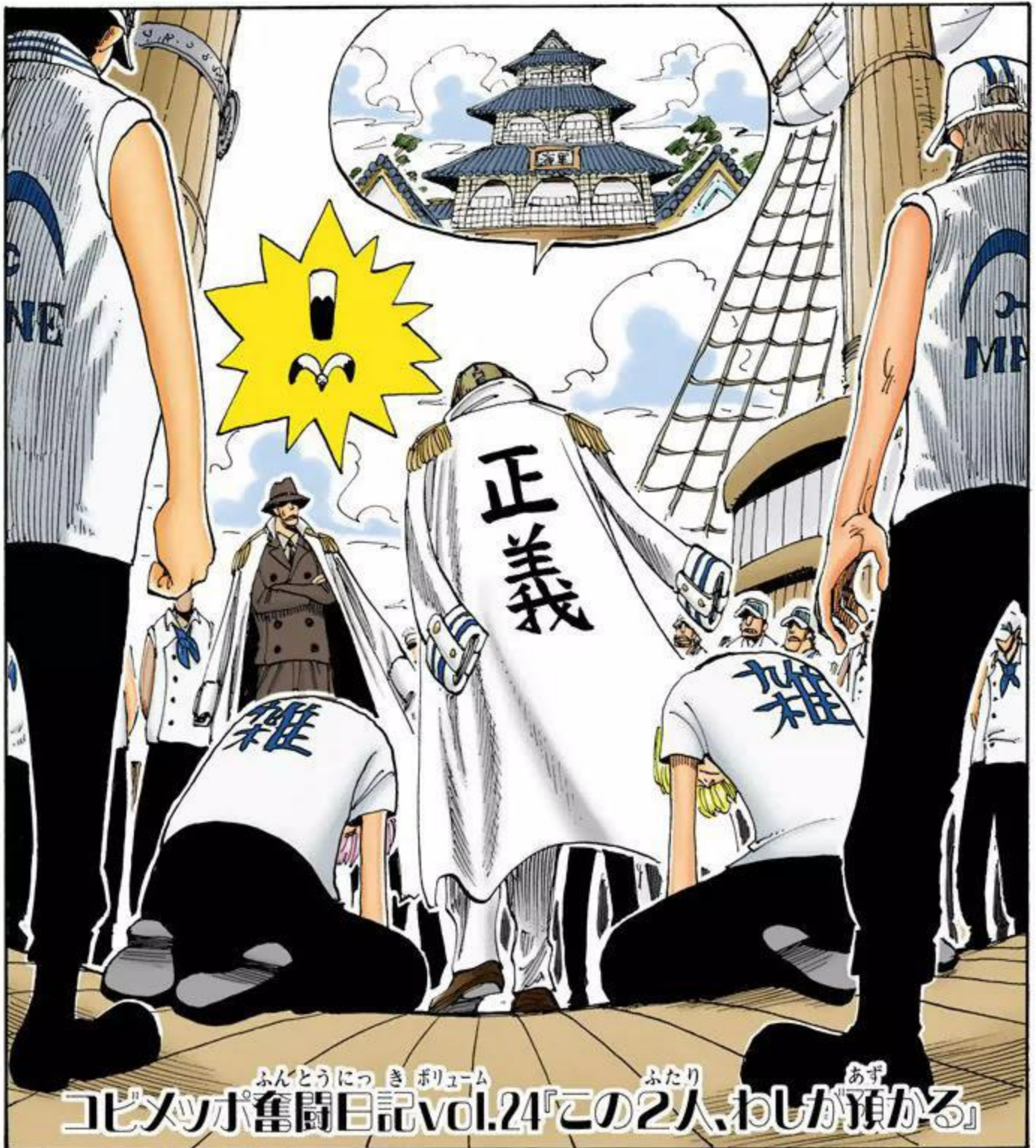






## CHAPTER 112

# “LUFFY VS. ZORO”



COBY AND HELMEPPPO'S DIARY OF THEIR HARSH STRUGGLES VOL. 24  
"I'LL TAKE THESE TWO UNDER MY WING."



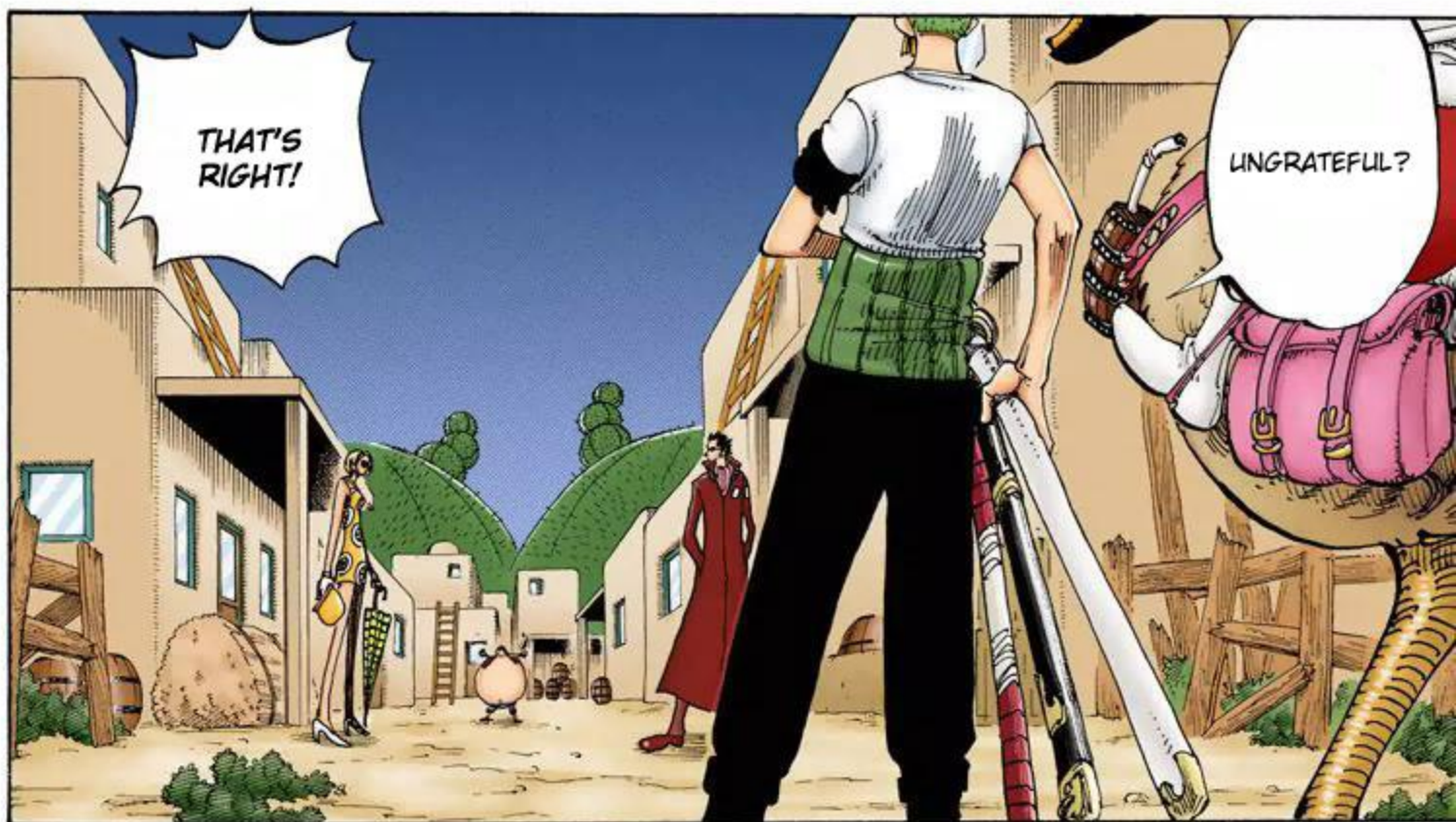
SHUT UP! AN UNGRATEFUL  
BASTARD LIKE YOU NEEDS  
TO GET HIS ASS KICKED!



WHAT KIND OF IDIOTIC THINGS  
ARE YOU SPOUTING AGAIN!?



THAT'S  
RIGHT!



UNGRAATEFUL?

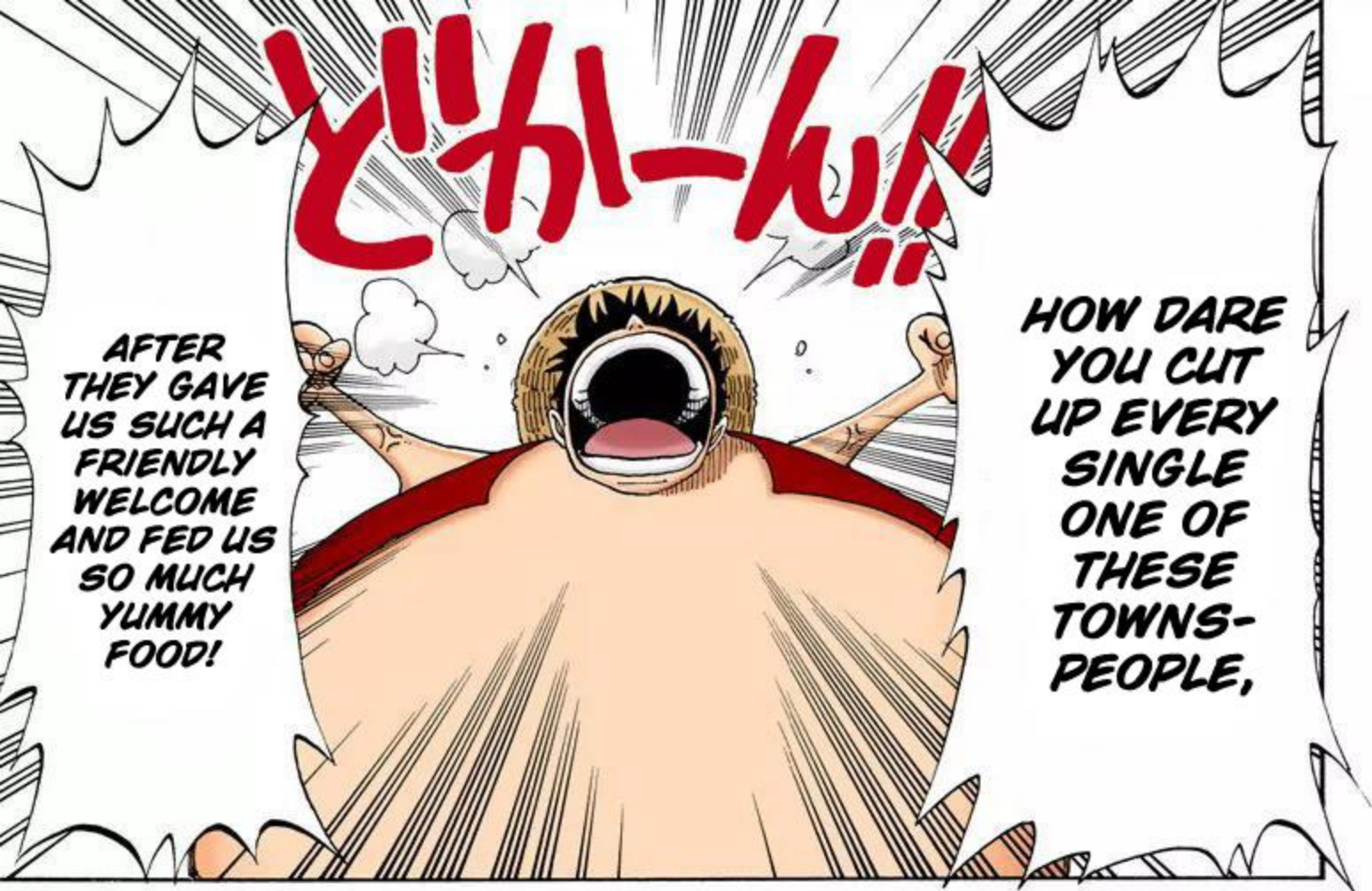
I CAN'T  
EVER  
FORGIVE  
YOU...

IT WAS  
ONE OF YOUR  
CREWMATES...  
THE GREEN-  
HAIRD  
SWORDSMAN...

HEY! WHAT'S  
WRONG!?  
WHO DID THIS  
TO YOU!?







AFTER  
THEY GAVE  
US SUCH A  
FRIENDLY  
WELCOME  
AND FED US  
SO MUCH  
YUMMY  
FOOD!

HOW DARE  
YOU CUT  
UP EVERY  
SINGLE  
ONE OF  
THESE  
TOWNS-  
PEOPLE,



H-HOW DENSE  
COULD HE BE...



AH... WELL  
I DID CUT  
THEM UP  
BUT...



LUFFY,  
LISTEN  
TO ME.

THOSE  
TOWNS-  
PEOPLE  
WERE  
ACTUALLY-



KYAHABA.  
LET'S  
JUST KILL  
THEM OFF  
ALREADY.

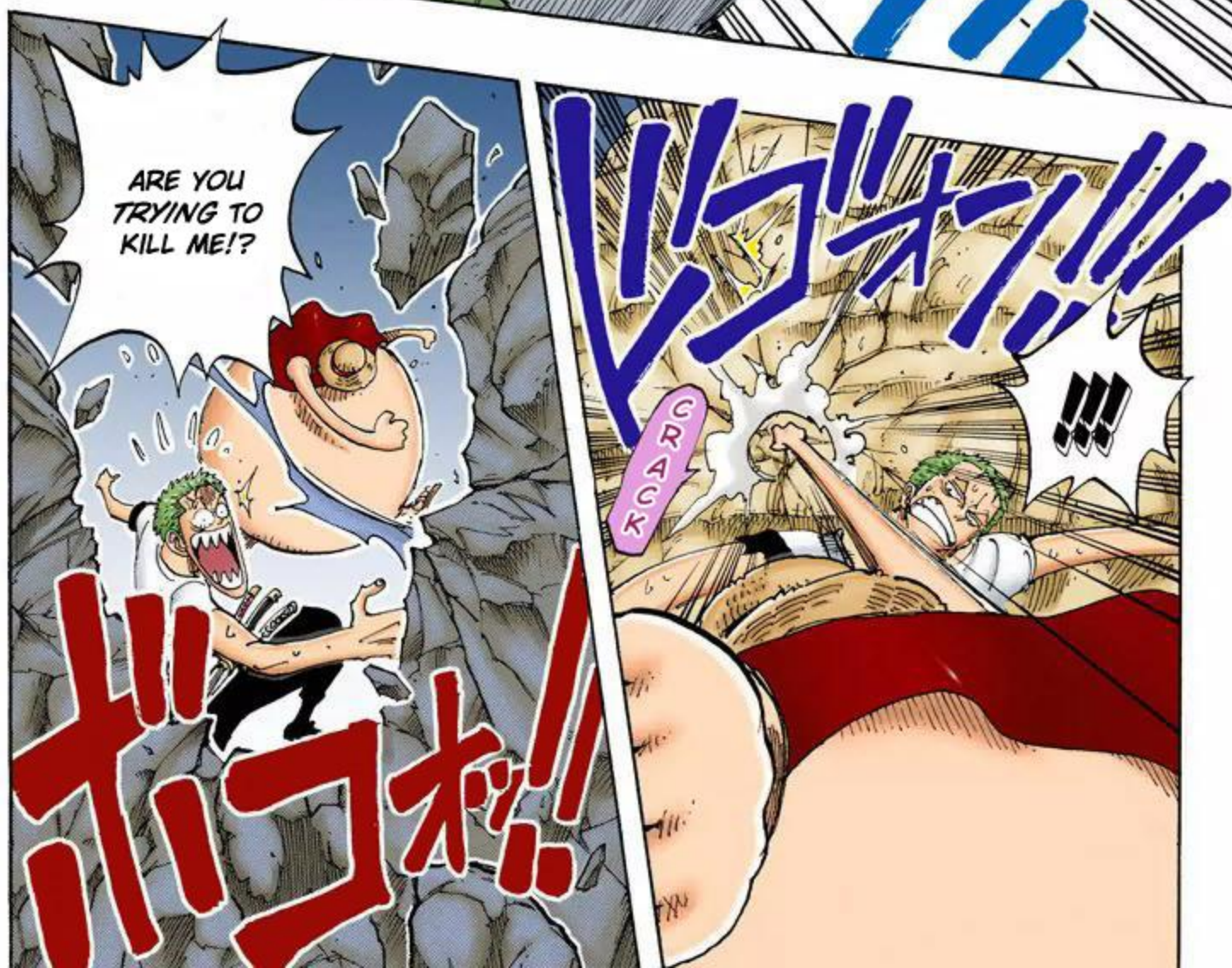
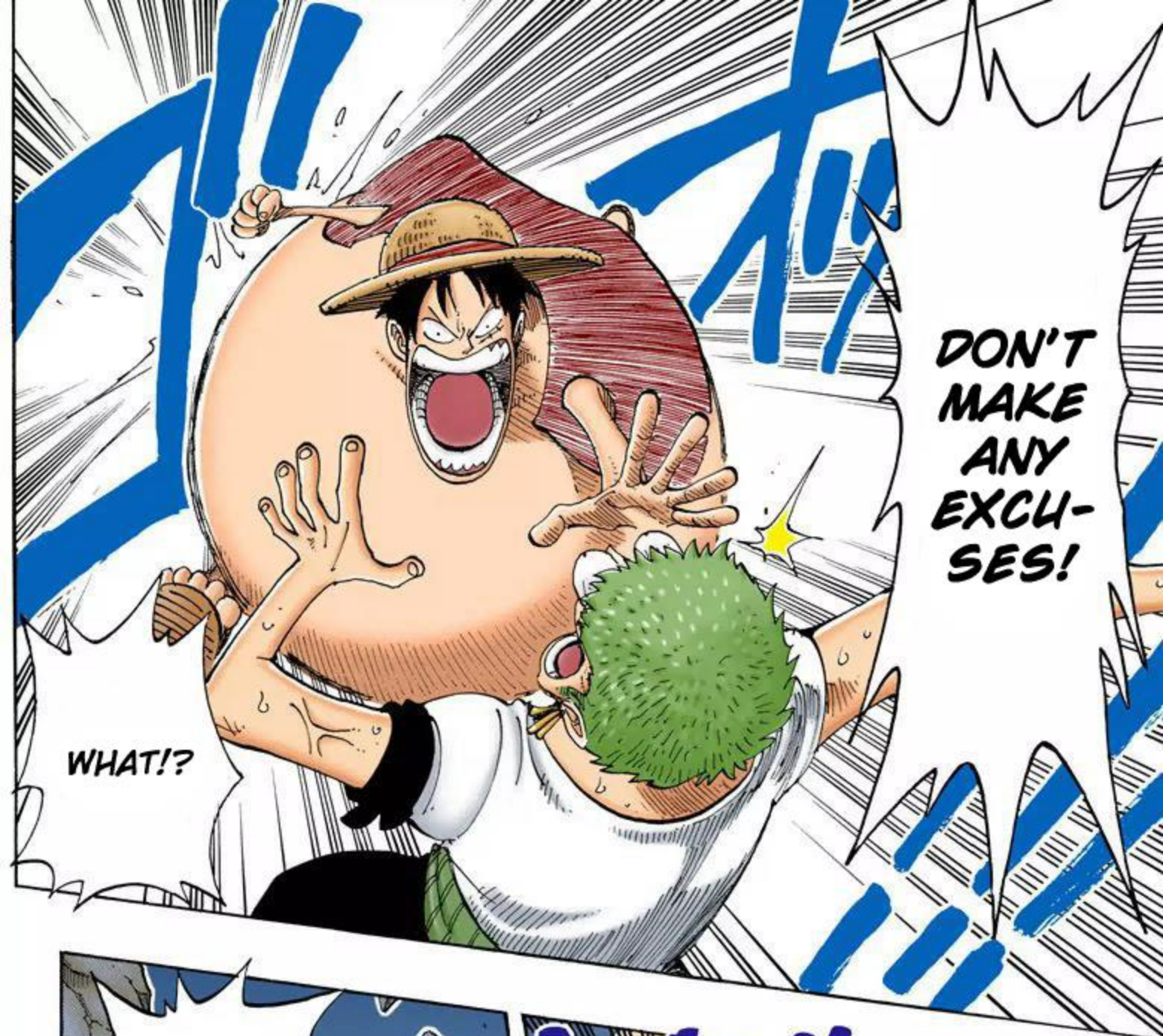
AFTER ALL,  
ANYONE WHO  
INTERFERES  
WITH OUR  
MISSIONS  
MUST BE  
ELIMINATED  
...!



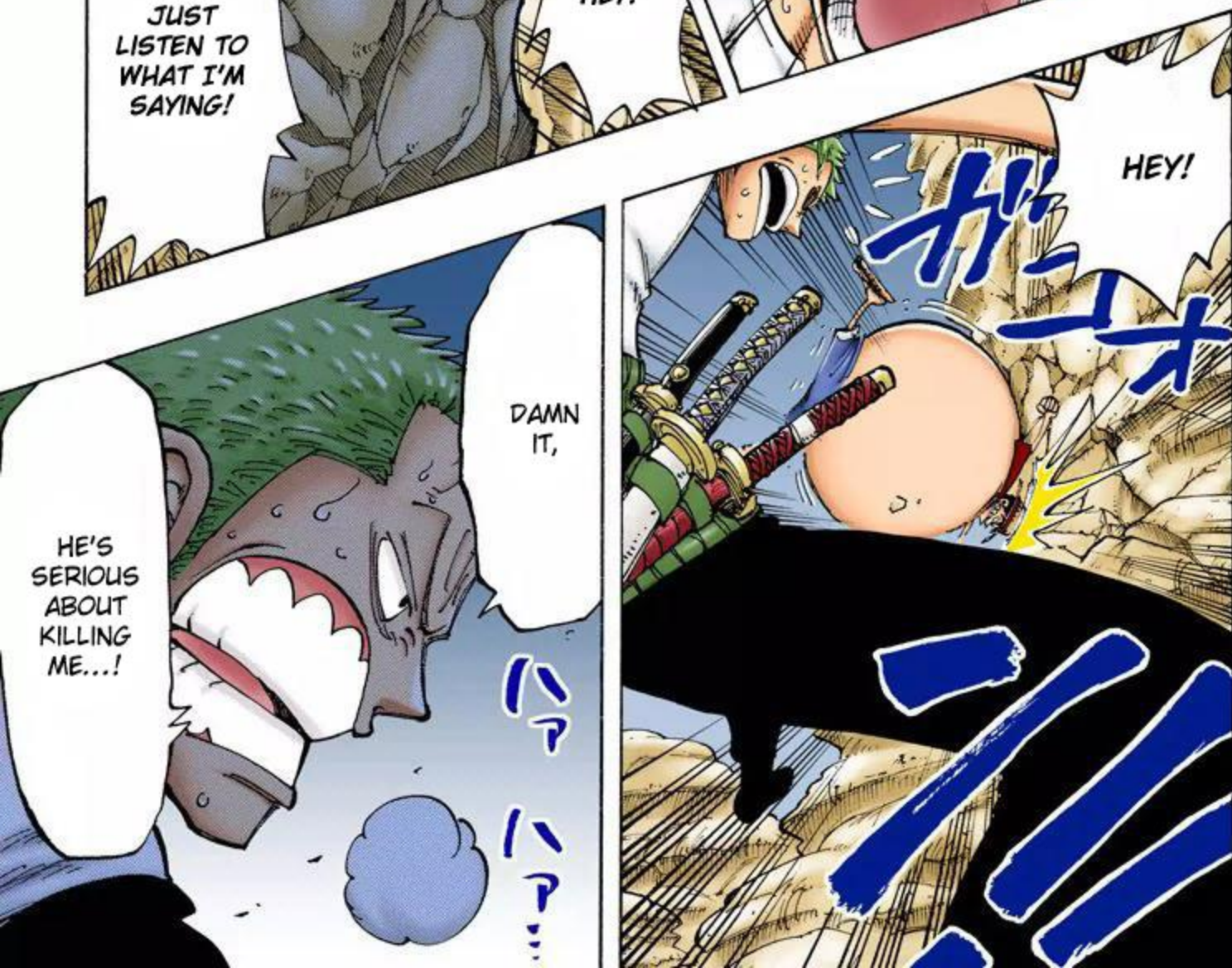
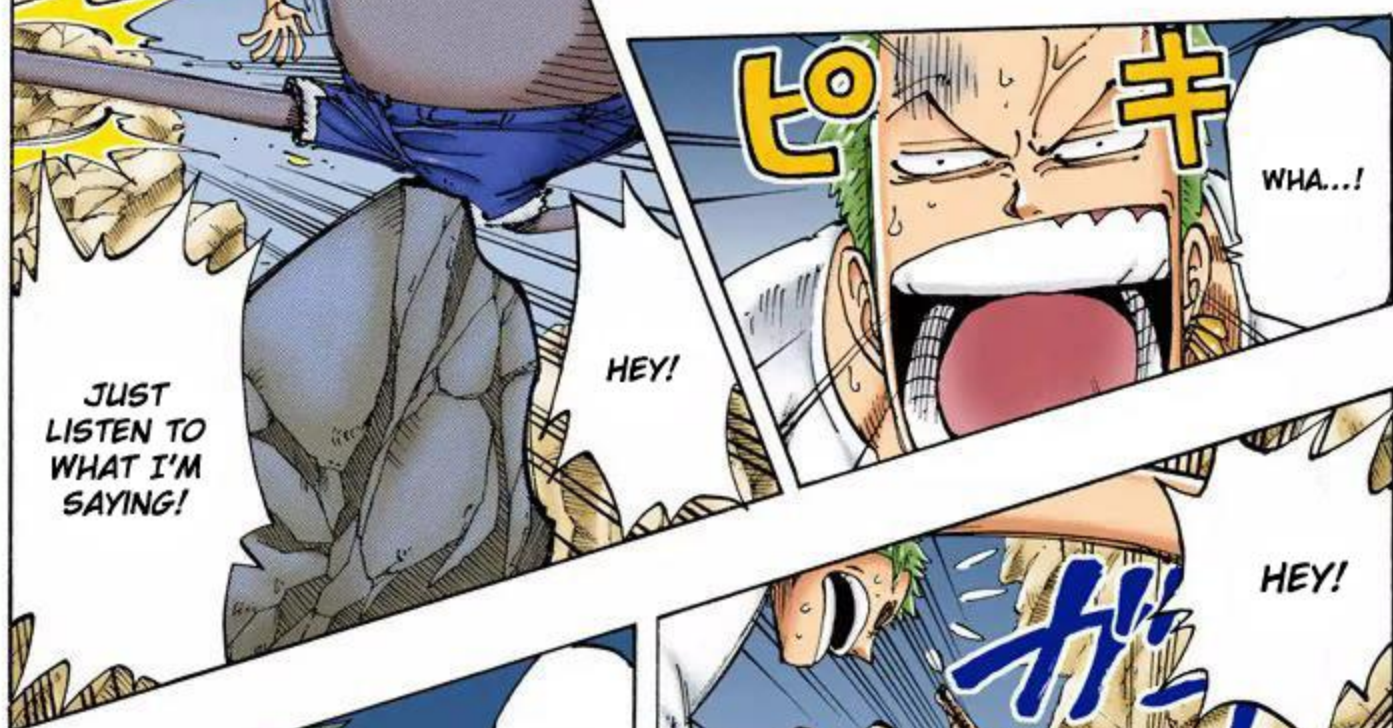
LOOKS  
LIKE HE'S  
A FRIEND  
OF THAT  
SWORDSMAN.

WHAT AN  
ANNOYING  
BLUNCH...





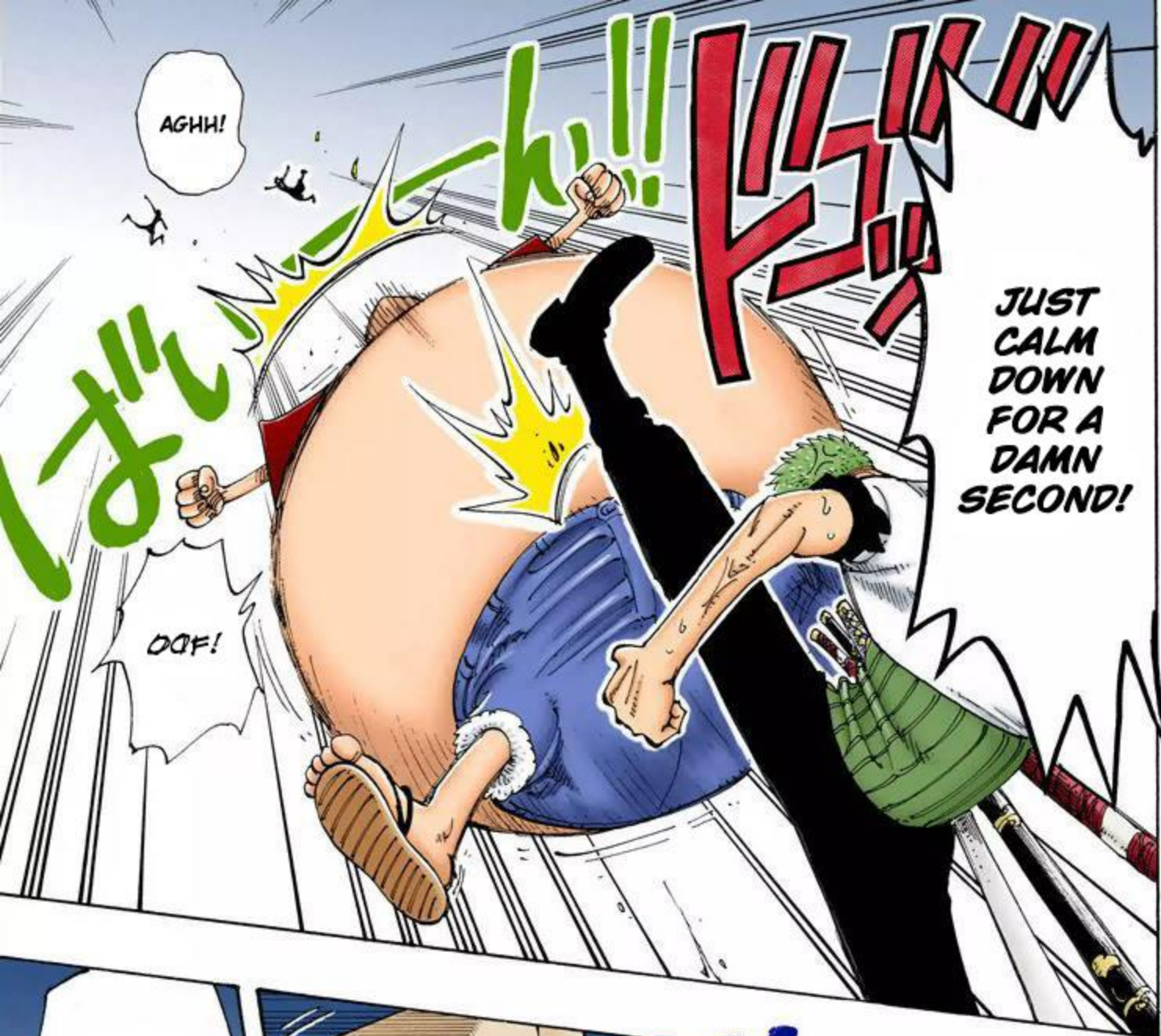




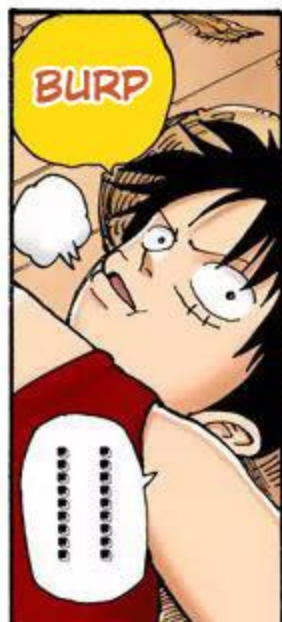




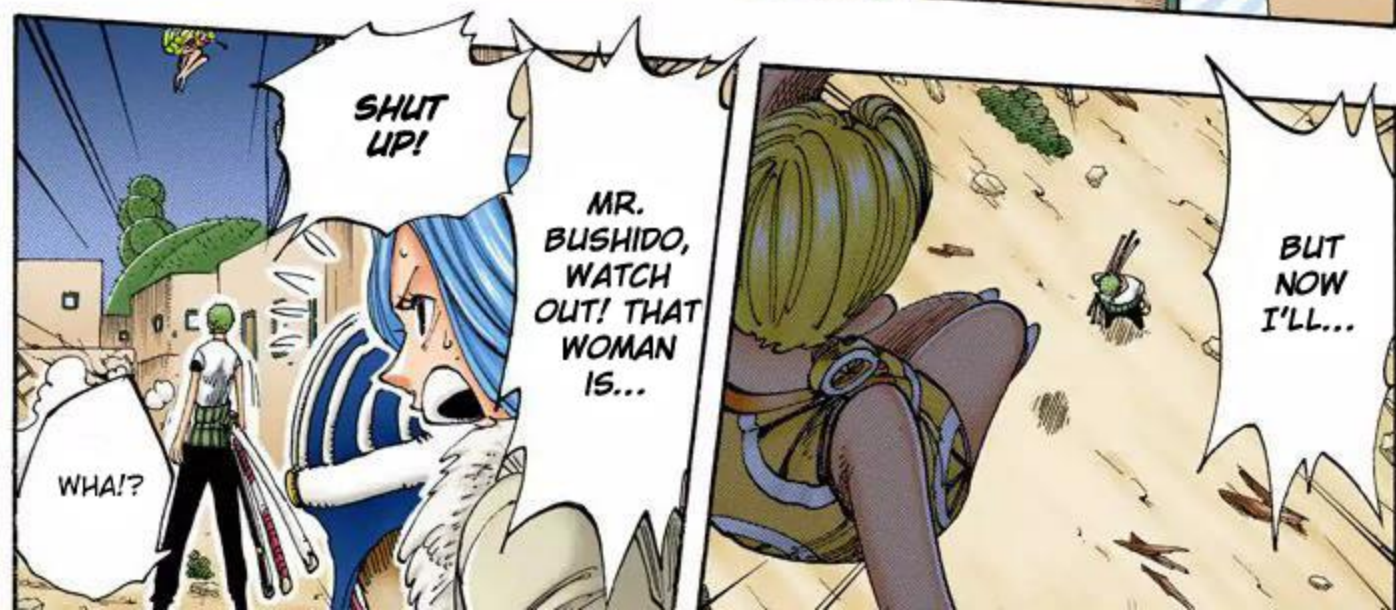
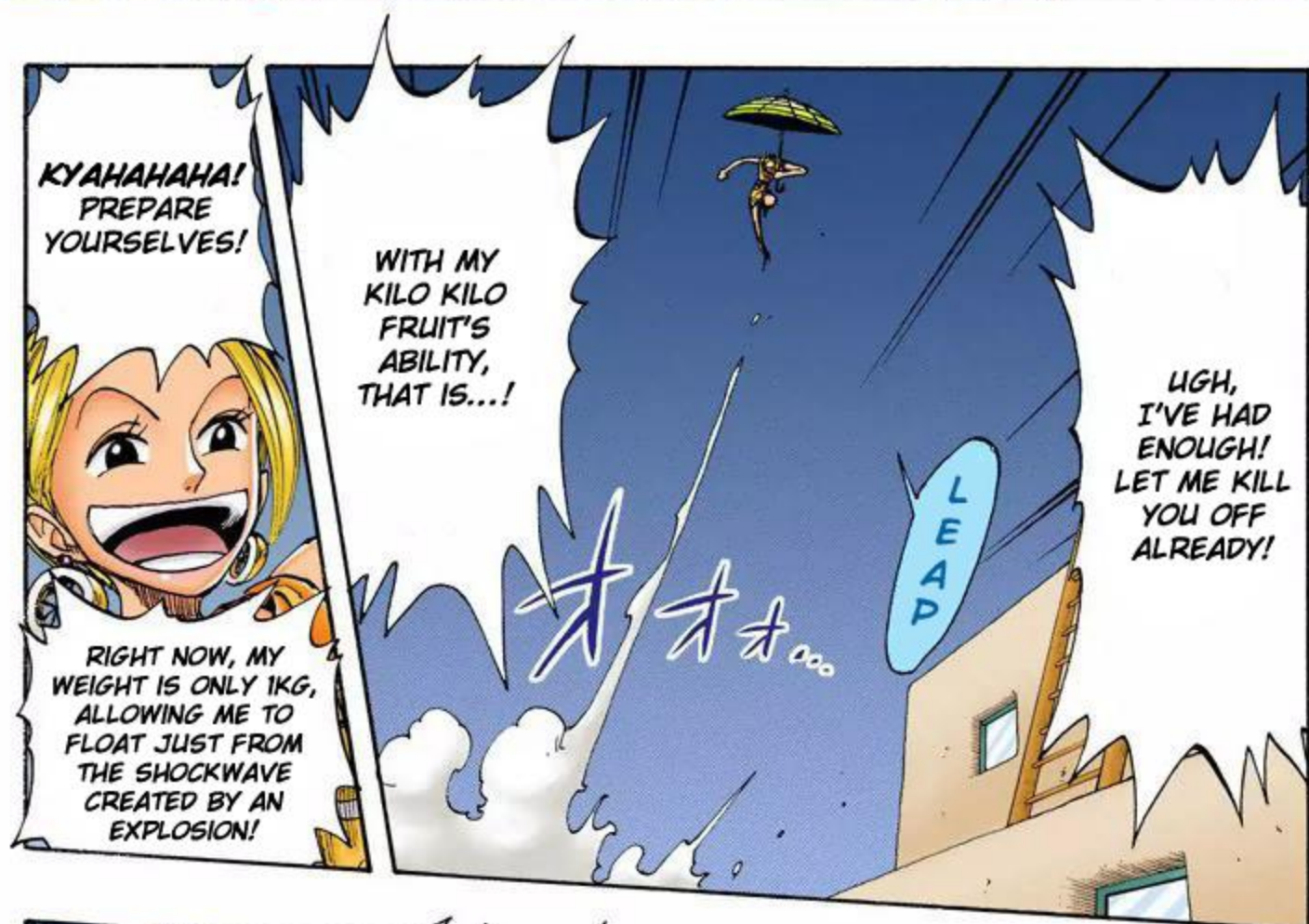




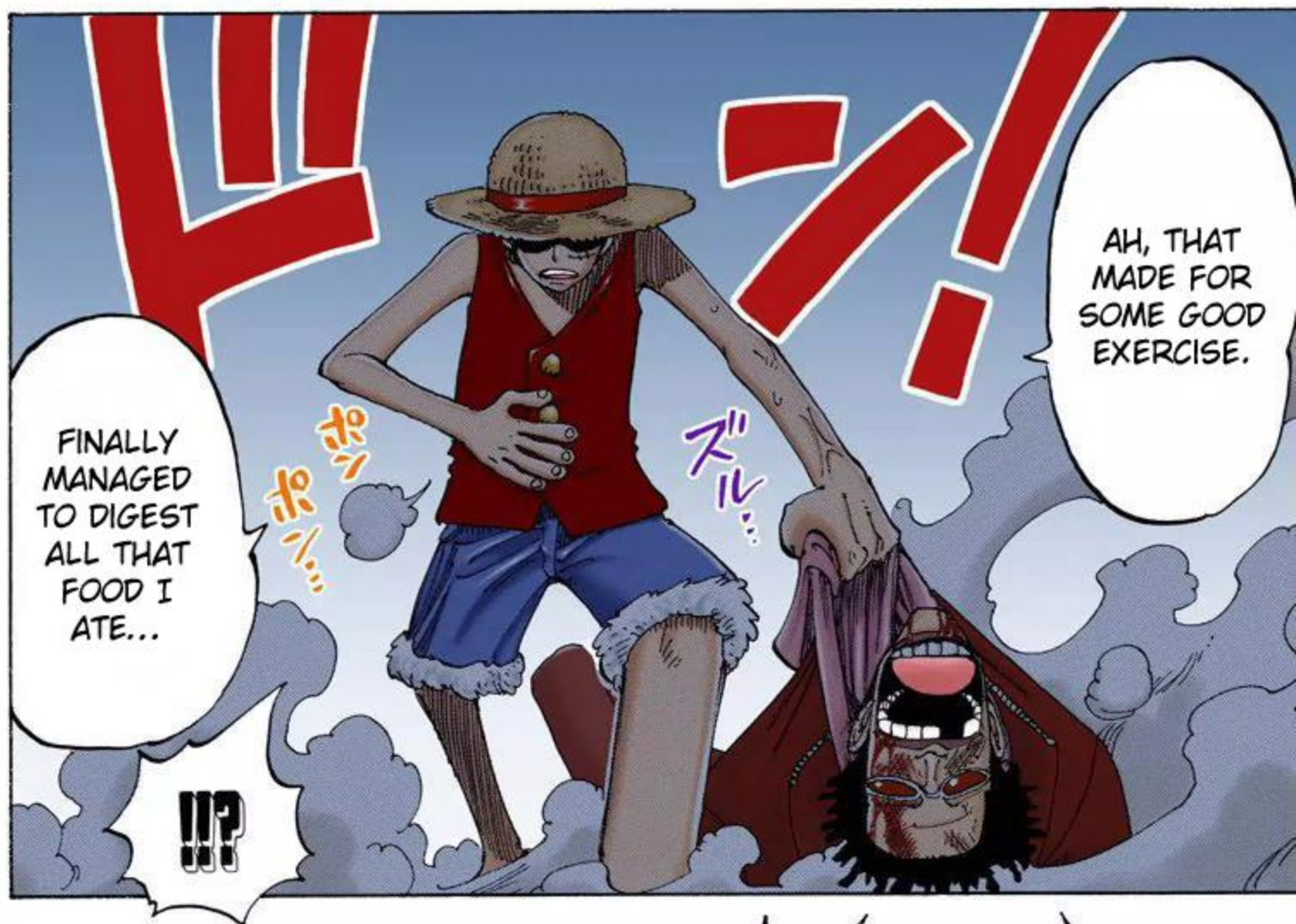
















DON'T  
IGNORE  
ME!

D...

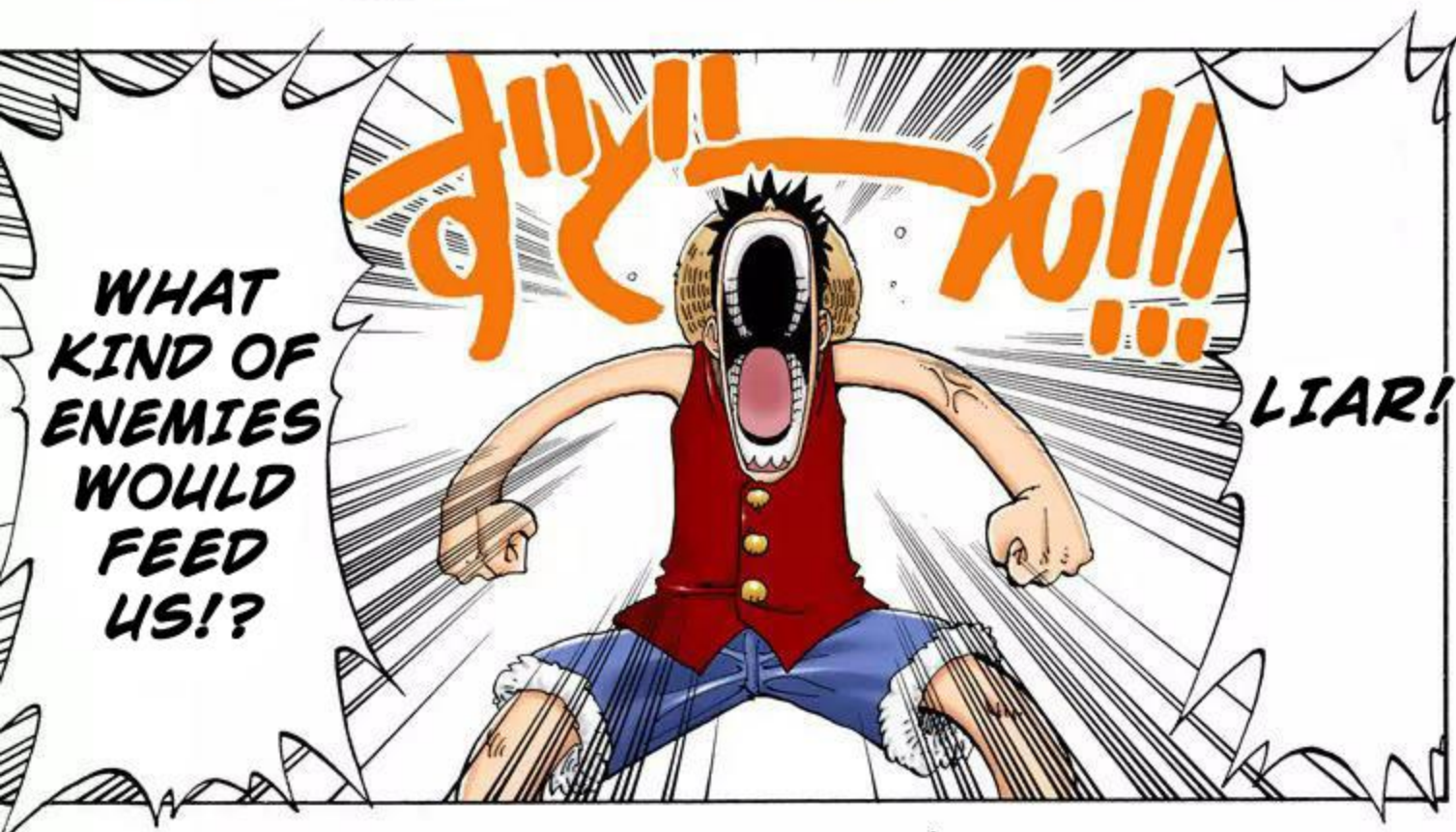
THAT THEY  
WERE OUR  
ENEMIES.

MEANING,



THE  
PEOPLE  
OF THIS  
VILLAGE  
WERE  
ACTUALLY  
ALL BOUNTY  
HUNTERS.

LUFFY,  
JUST CALM  
DOWN AND  
LISTEN  
TO ME.



WHAT  
KIND OF  
ENEMIES  
WOULD  
FEED  
US!?

LIAR!



EAT THIS!  
10,000KG  
PRESS!

TURN

SEEMS LIKE  
YOU JUST  
WON'T LISTEN  
TO ANYTHING  
I HAVE TO  
SAY...



FROM  
1KG TO  
10,000KG  
IN THE  
BLINK OF  
AN EYE!

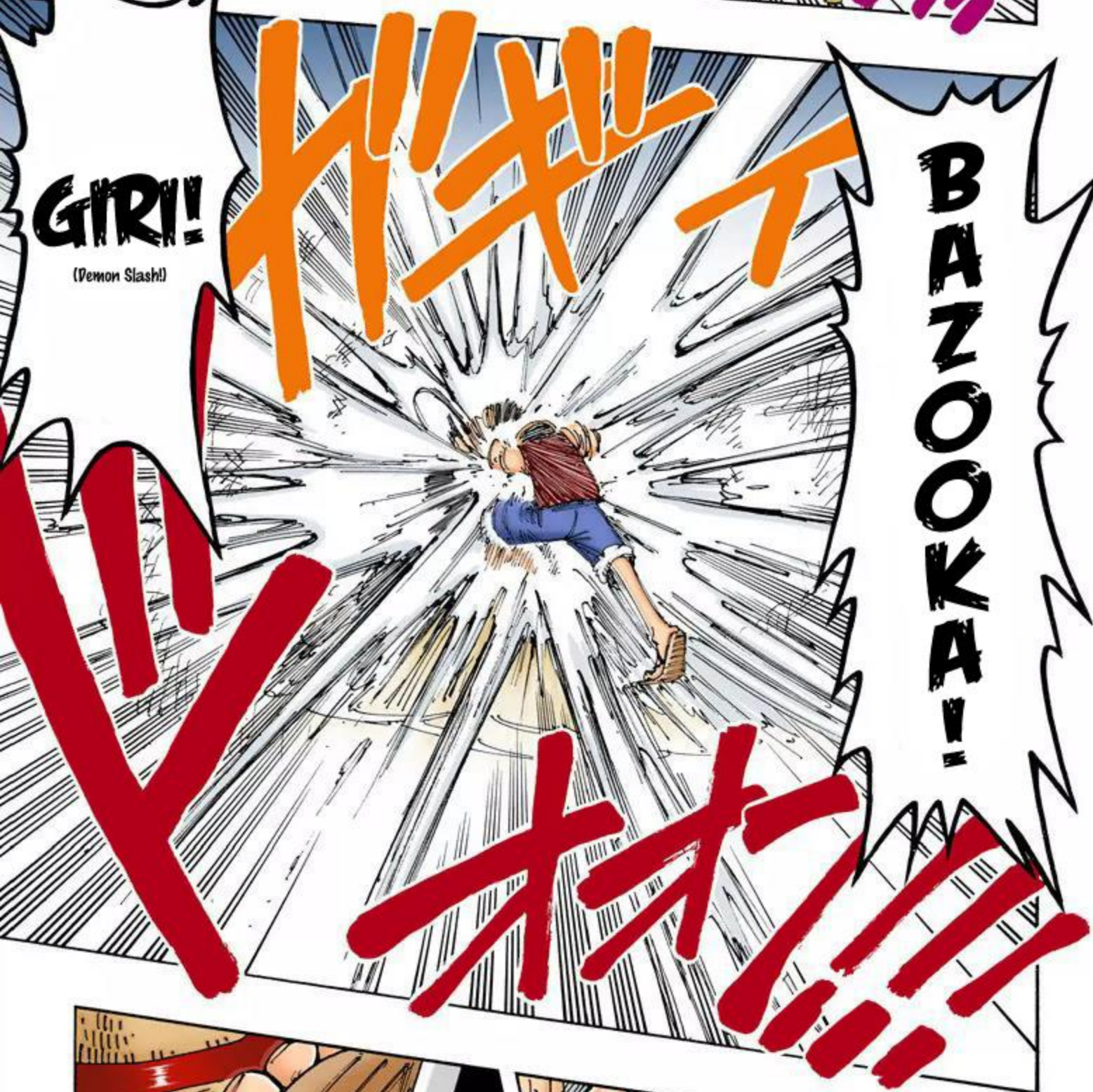
HELLO!?  
ARE YOU  
LISTENING  
!?

MY ABILITY  
ALLOWS ME  
TO FREELY  
CHANGE MY  
WEIGHT,













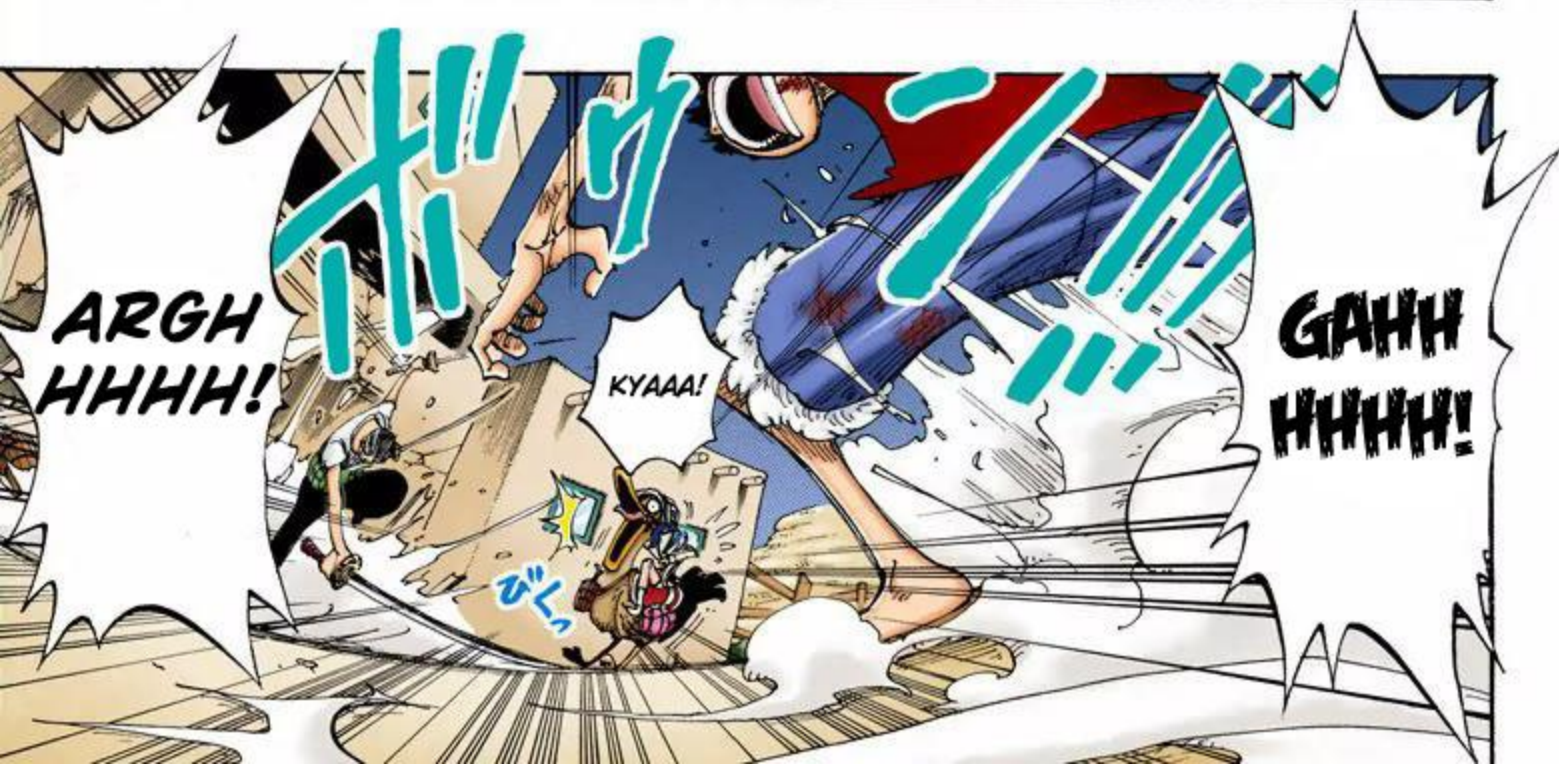
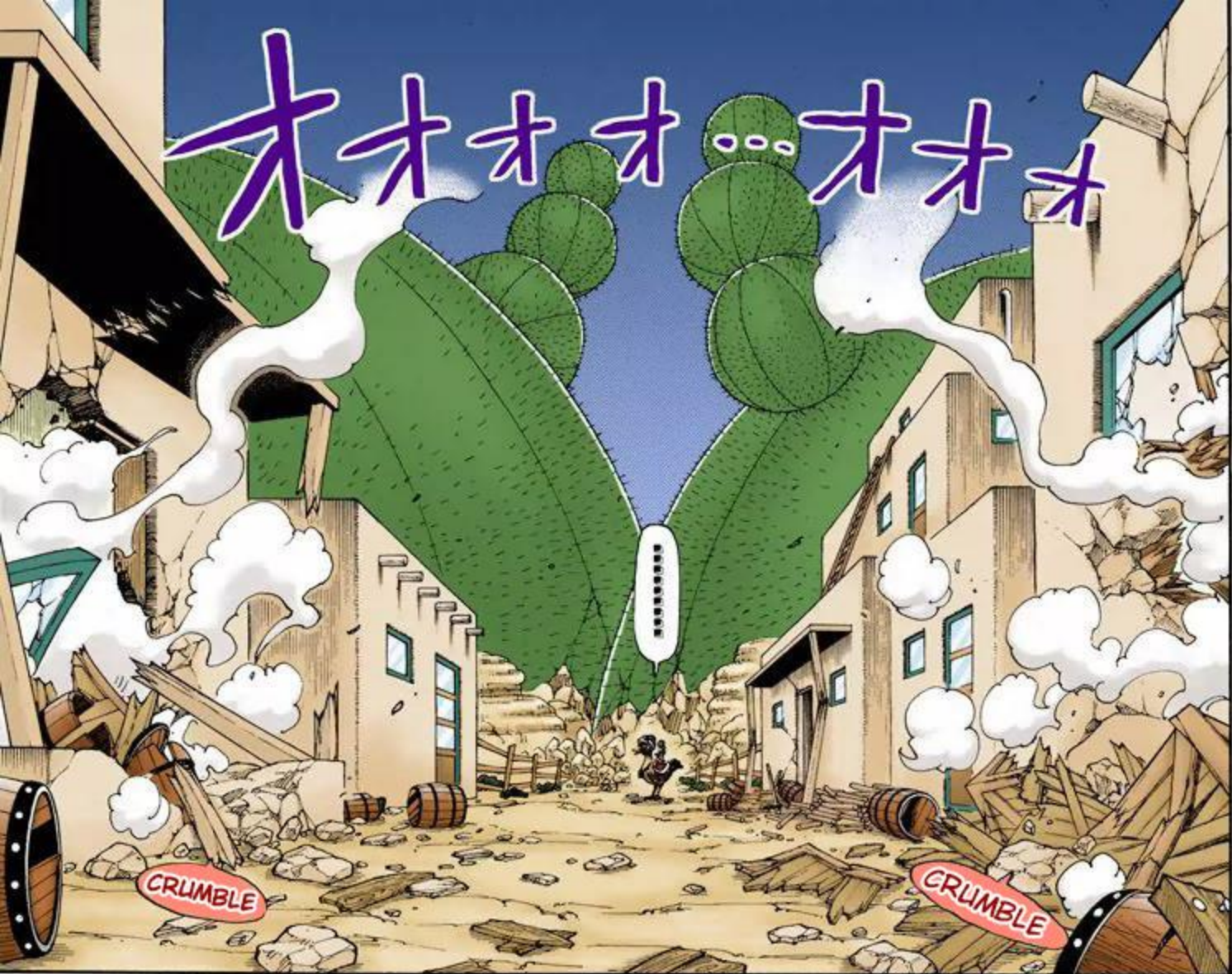
GOOD!  
LET'S  
MAKE IT  
CLEAR  
ONCE  
AND FOR  
ALL!

THIS'LL  
BE A GOOD  
CHANCE  
TO SEE  
WHICH IS  
STRONGER...  
YOUR  
UNARMED  
COMBAT...  
OR MY  
SWORD  
FIGHTING...



NUAH  
HHHH!









NGH!

AHHH  
HRYA  
AAA!



CURSES!  
HOW DARE  
THOSE TWO  
MAKE FOOLS  
OF US...!



YOU'RE  
EXACTLY  
RIGHT,  
MR. 5!

HUFF

SO LET US  
WASH AWAY  
THIS HUMILIATION  
BY SHOWING  
THEM THE TRUE  
TERROR OF OUR  
STRENGTH!

OUR  
PRIDE AS  
BAROQUE  
WORKS  
OFFICER  
AGENTS  
HAS BEEN  
TAINTED!



ROGER,  
MR. 5!

LET'S  
GO, MISS  
VALENTINE!



YOU'RE...

AHH...

ACK...!P







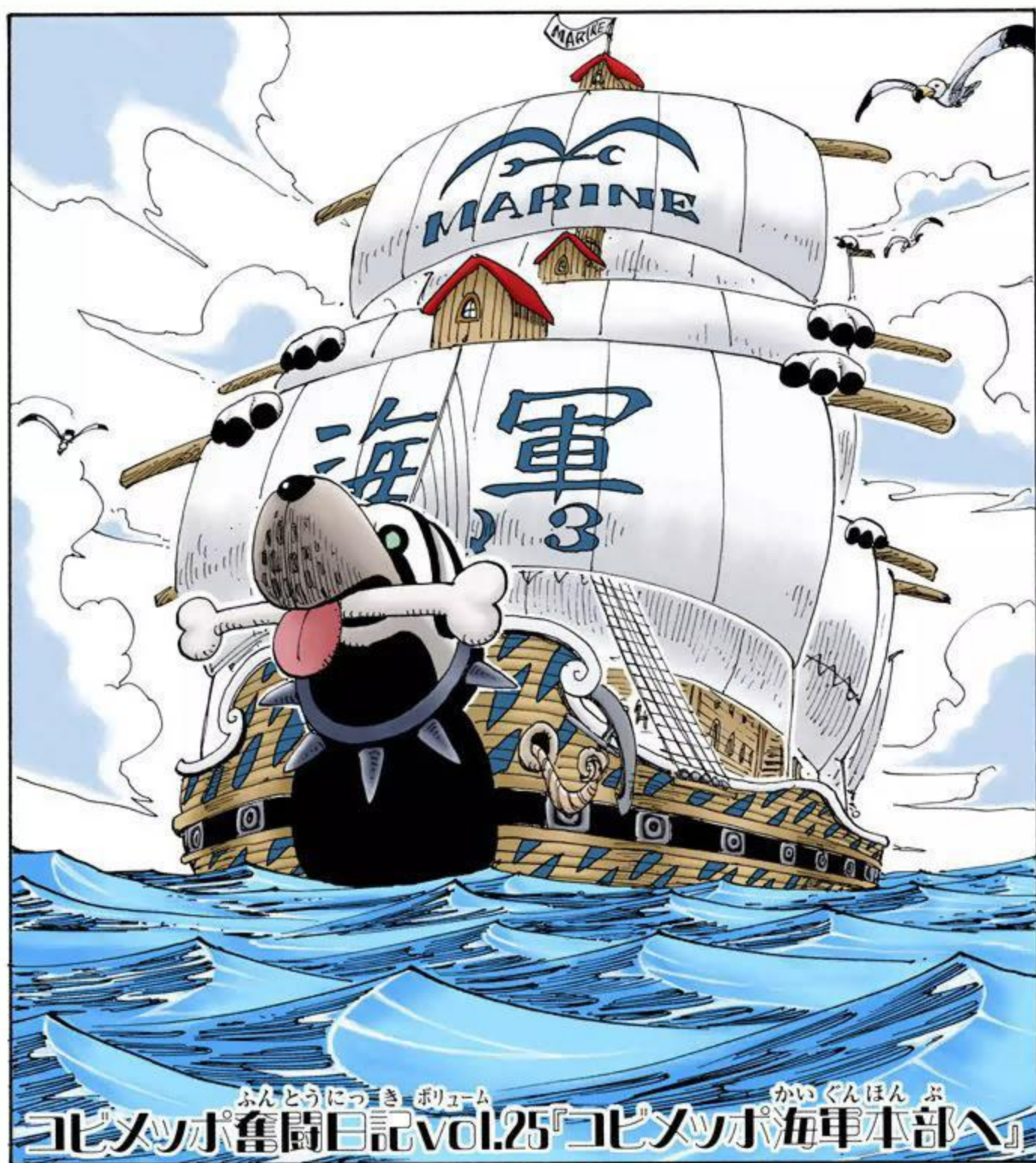
A H H H H H H !

**GETTING  
IN THE  
WAY OF  
OUR  
FIGHT!**



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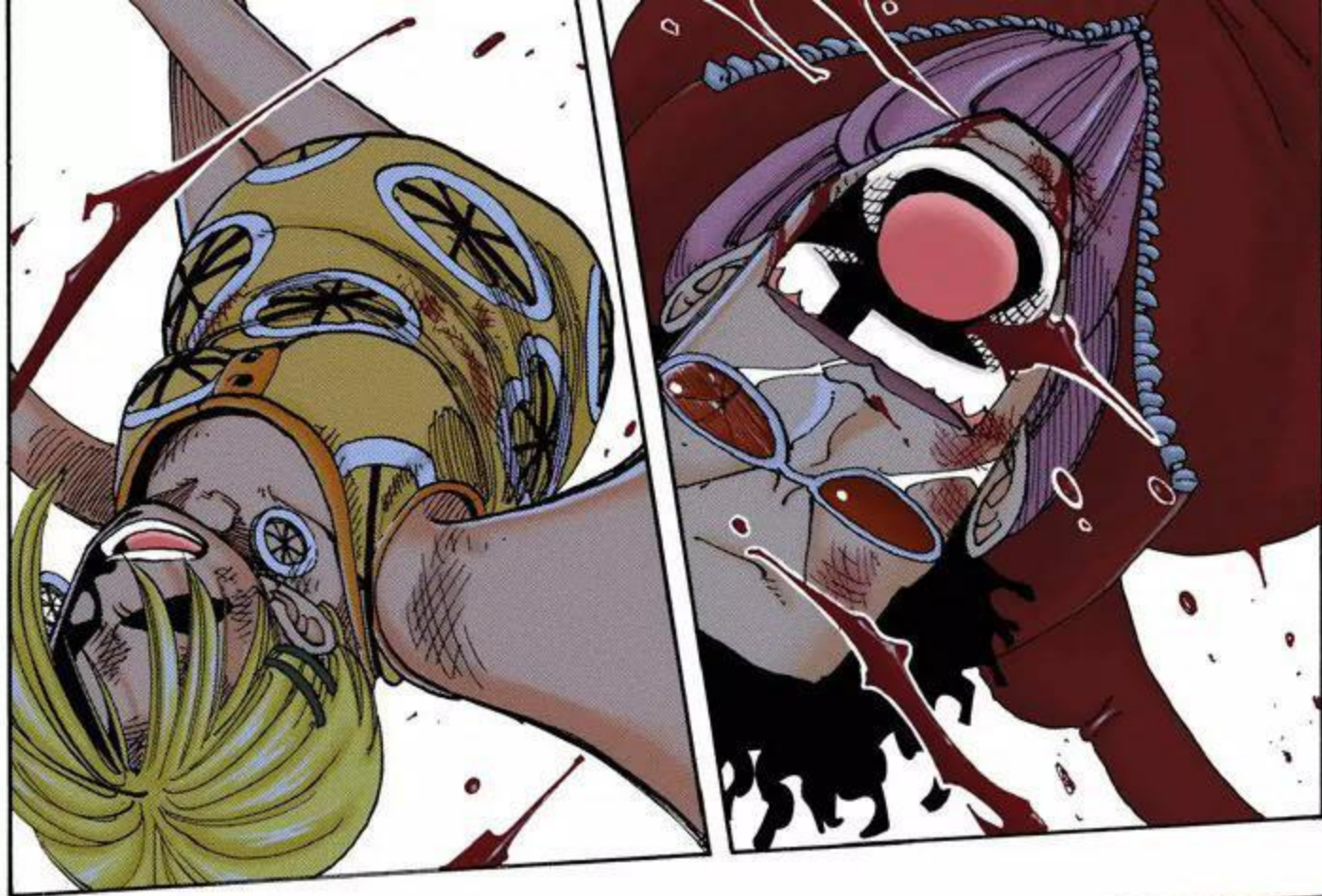
# "IT'S ALRIGHT!"



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COBY AND HELMEPPPO'S DIARY OF THEIR HARSH STRUGGLES VOL.25  
"COBY AND HELMEPPPO ARE OFF TO THE MARINE HEADQUARTERS"





WHO  
THE HELL  
ARE THEY,  
ANYWAYS?

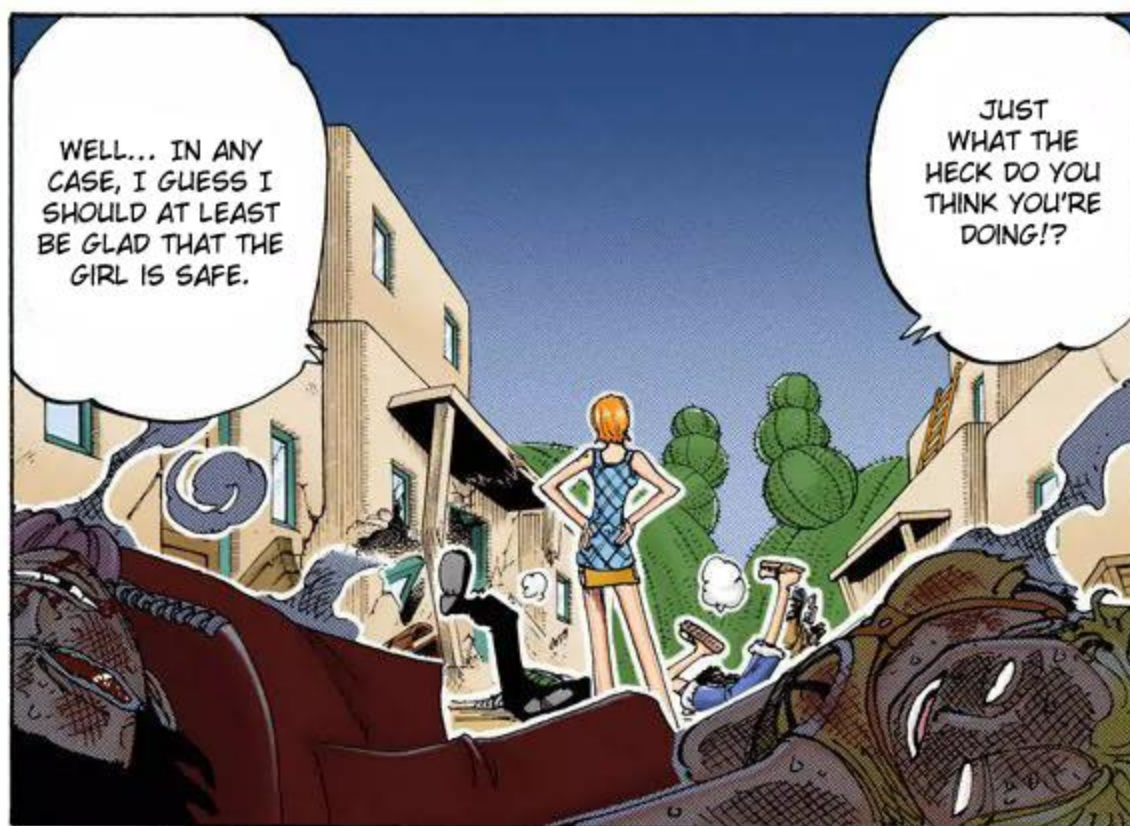
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SO DAMN  
ANNOYING...

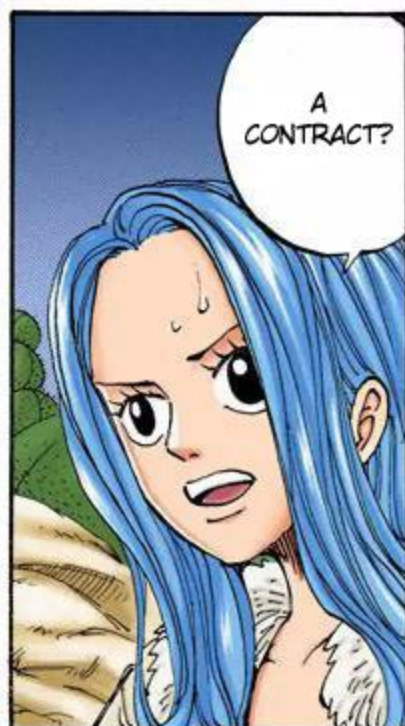
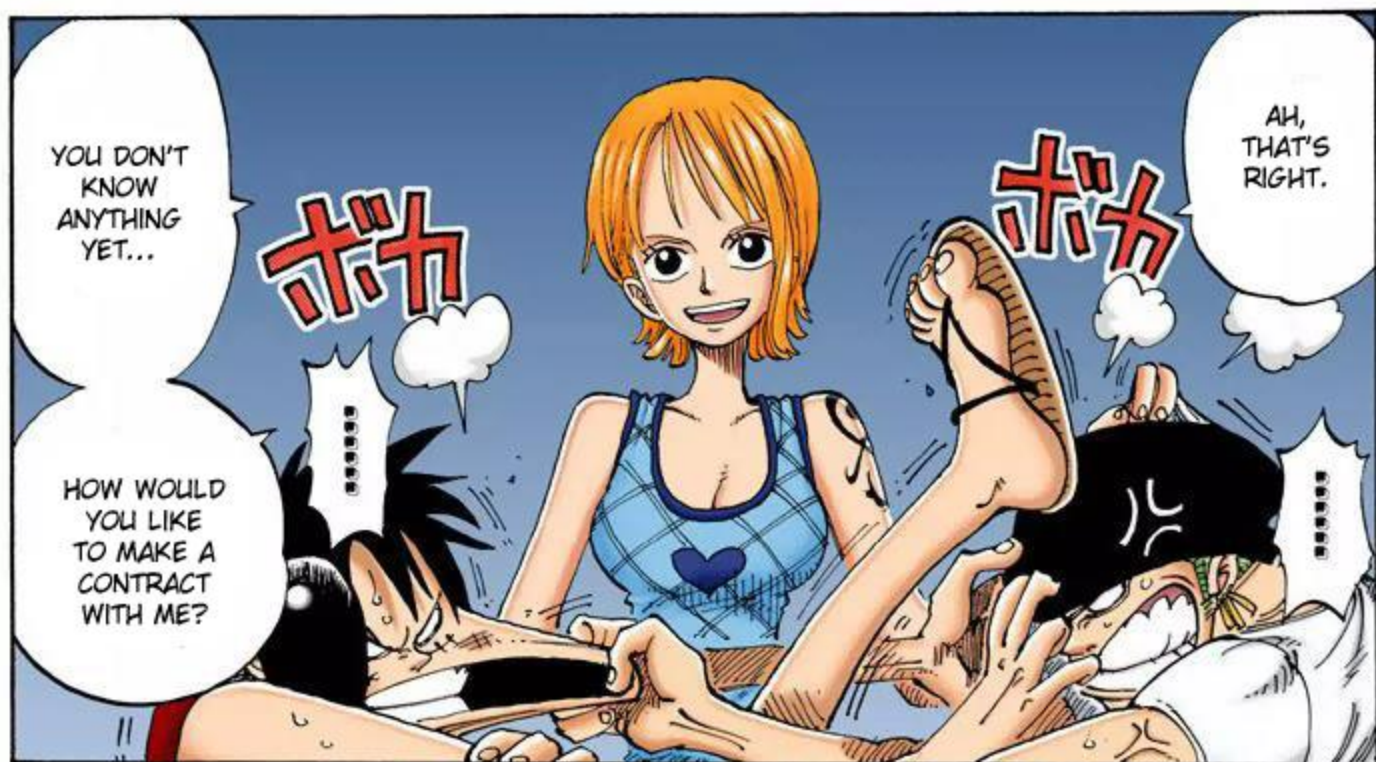




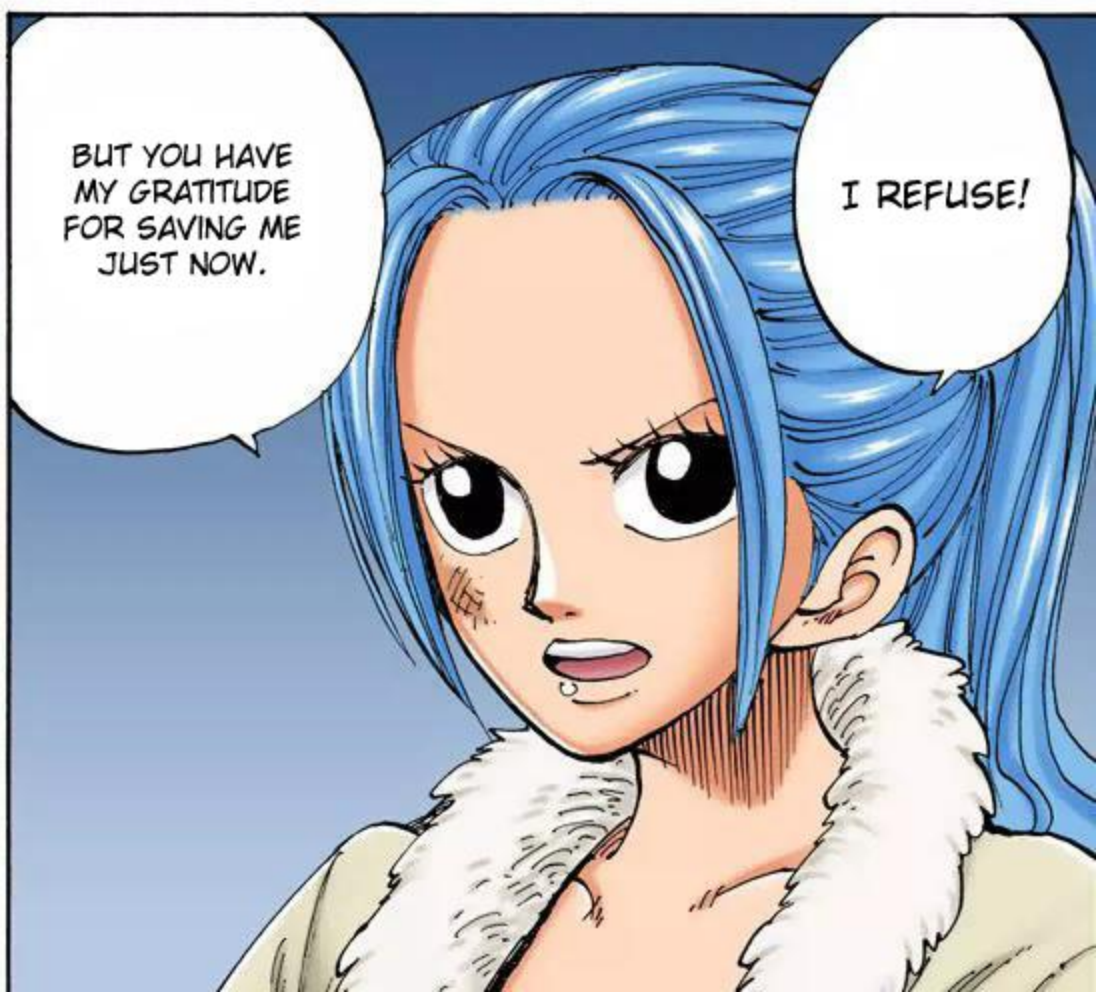
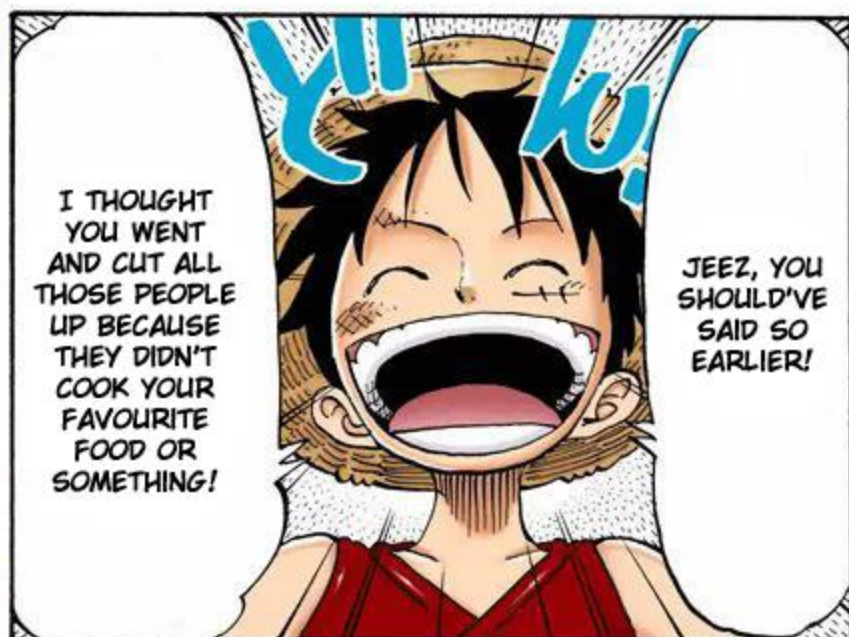
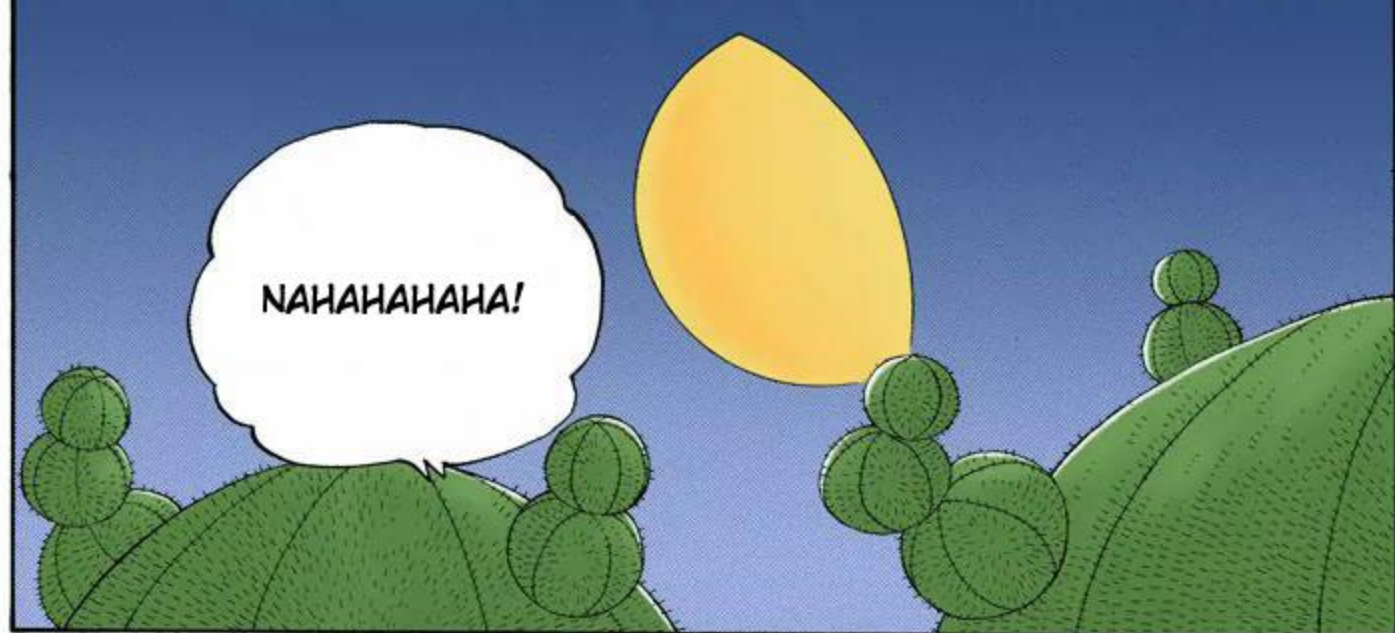




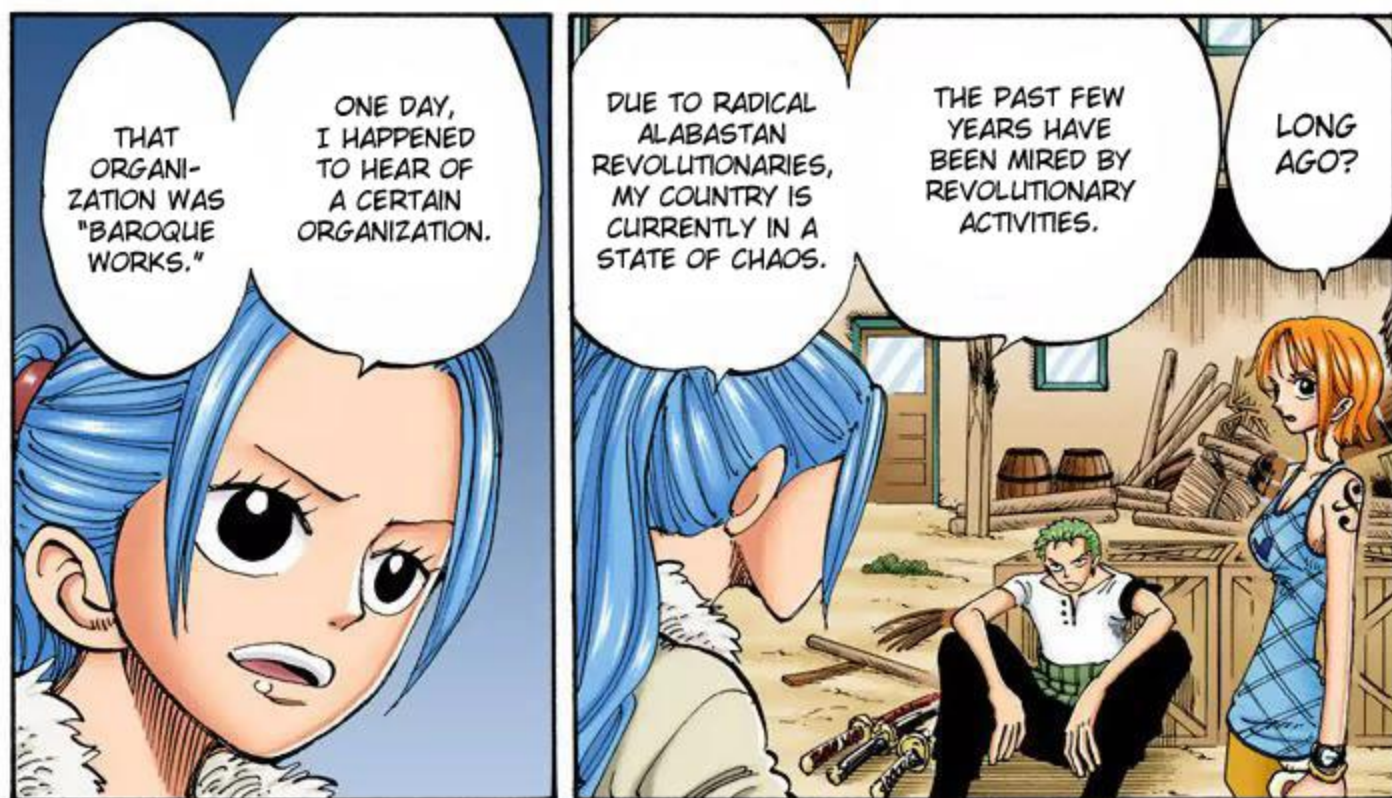
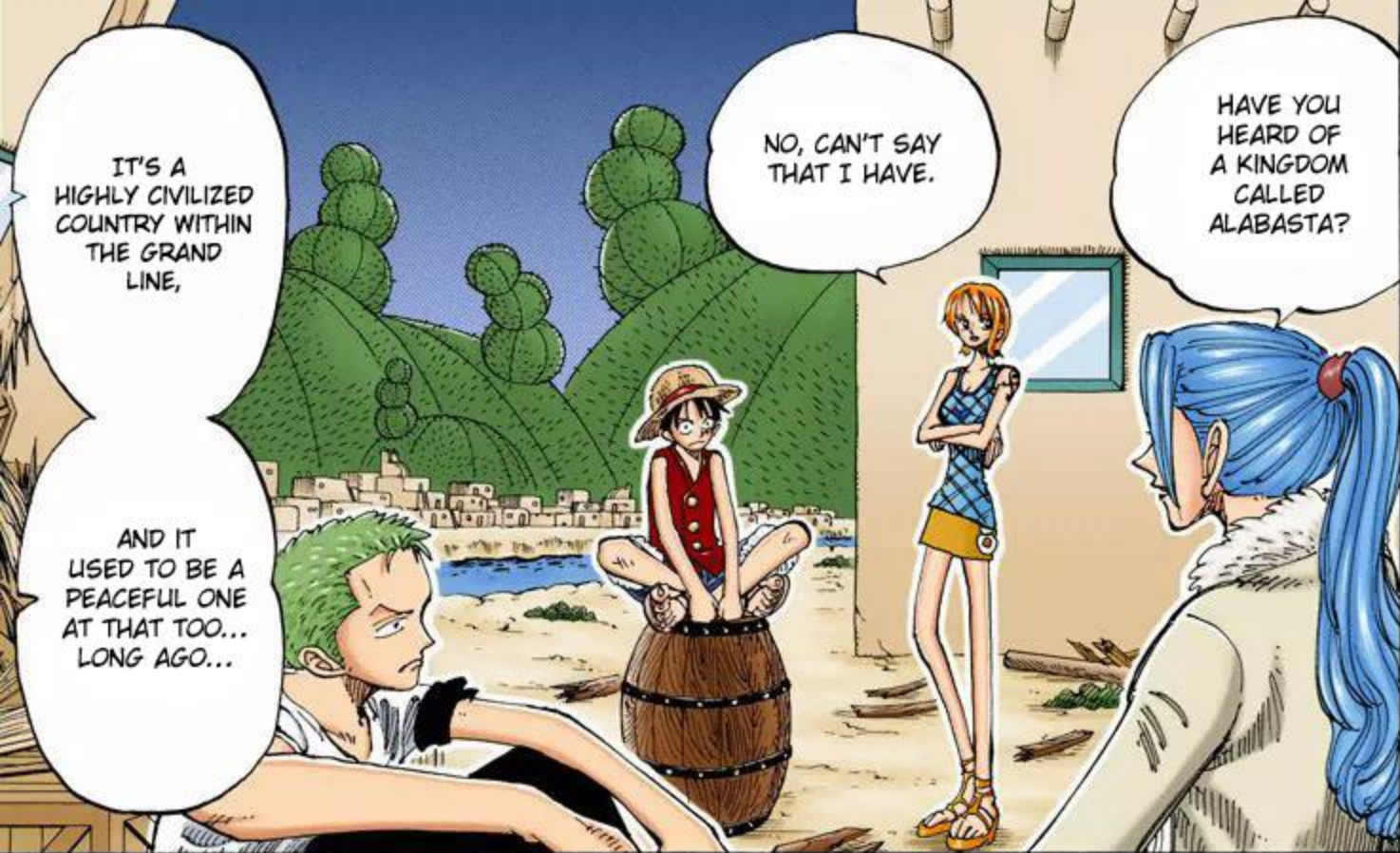
















BECAUSE THAT WOULD BE THE ONLY WAY TO CLEAR AWAY THE DARK SHADOW THAT LOOMS OVER ALABASTA AND DETERMINE JUST WHAT EXACTLY IS BAROQUE WORK'S OBJECTIVE ONCE AND FOR ALL...



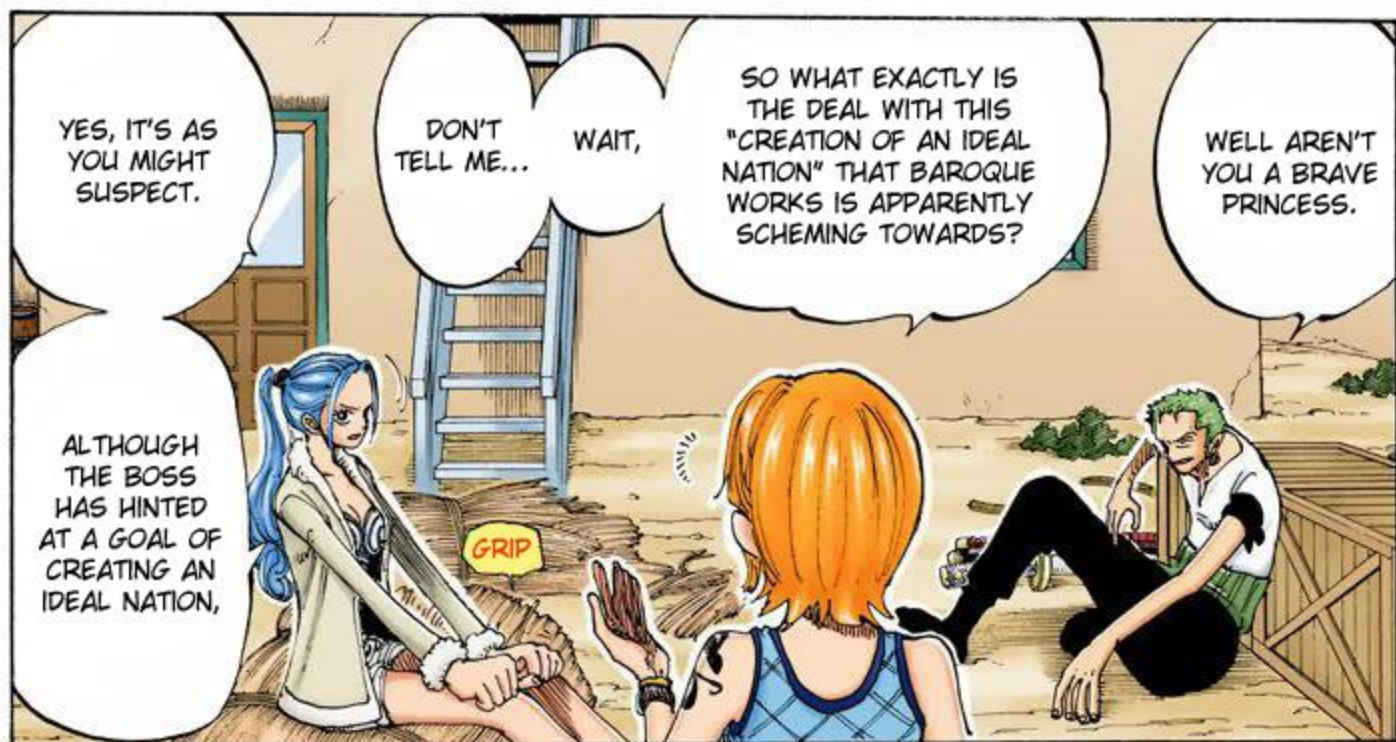
EVEN THOUGH WHAT I HAD HEARD MAY OR MAY NOT BE JUST A RUMOUR,

YOU MEAN THAT GUY WITH THE CHIKUWA HAIR?

I ASKED IGARAM IF THERE WERE ANY WAY I COULD INFILTRATE BAROQUE WORKS...



AND SO, I MADE A REQUEST TO IGARAM, WHO'S BEEN WATCHING OVER ME EVER SINCE I WAS A KID...



YES, IT'S AS YOU MIGHT SUSPECT.

DON'T TELL ME...

WAIT,

SO WHAT EXACTLY IS THE DEAL WITH THIS "CREATION OF AN IDEAL NATION" THAT BAROQUE WORKS IS APPARENTLY SCHEMING TOWARDS?

WELL AREN'T YOU A BRAVE PRINCESS.

ALTHOUGH THE BOSS HAS HINTED AT A GOAL OF CREATING AN IDEAL NATION,

GRIP

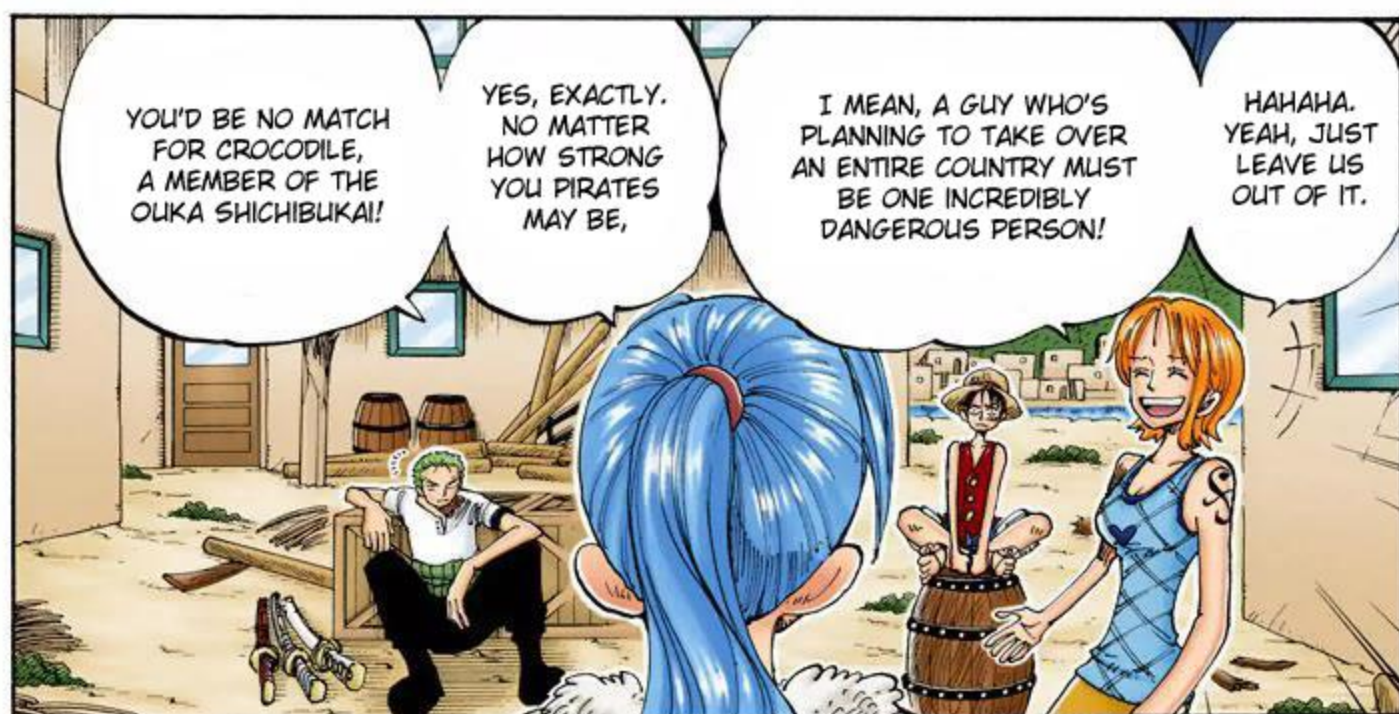
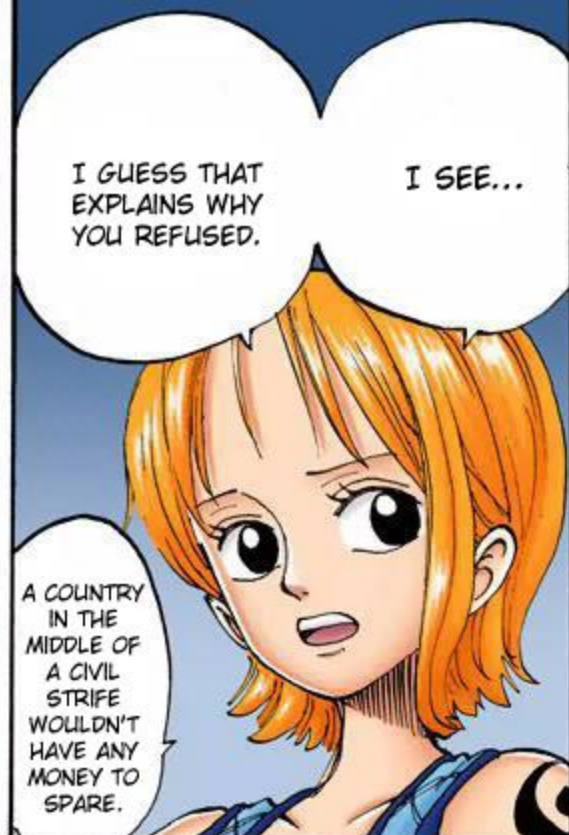


AND IF I DON'T HURRY BACK TO MY HOME COUNTRY TO STOP THE REVOLUTIONARIES AND TELL THE PEOPLE ABOUT BAROQUE WORKS, THINGS WILL GO EXACTLY AS THEY PLANNED!



BAROQUE WORKS' TRUE OBJECTIVE IS TO TAKE OVER THE KINGDOM OF ALABASTA!

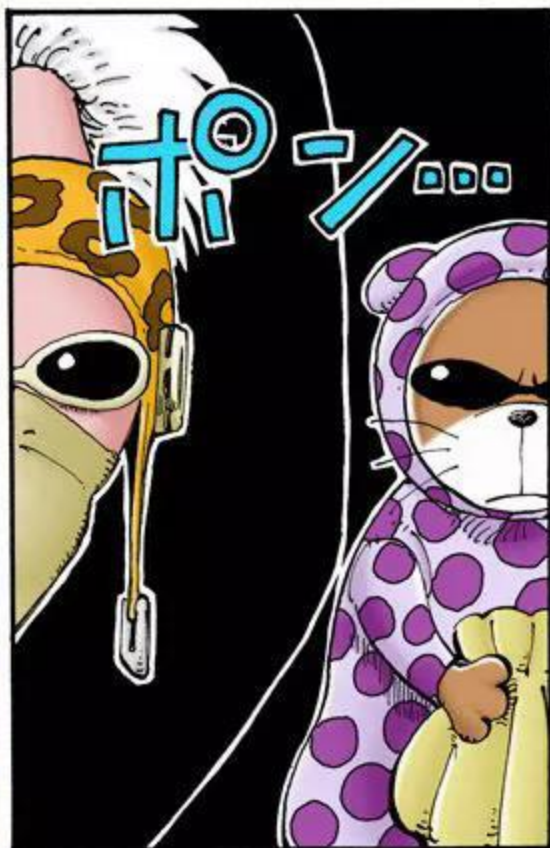
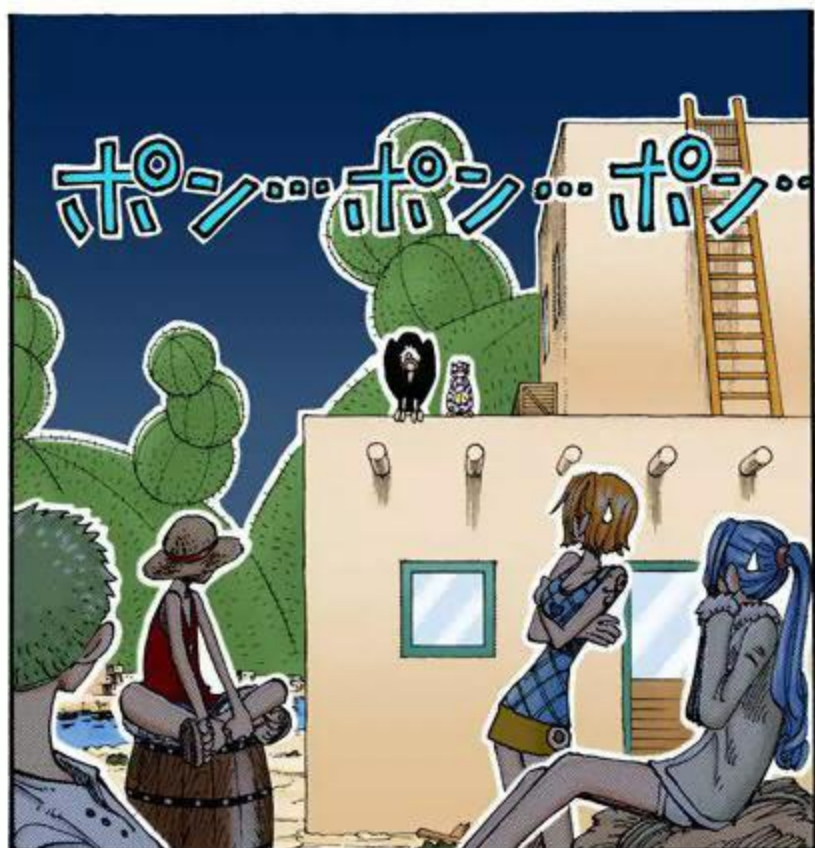




TN NOTE: "OUKA SHICHIBUKAI" = "ROYAL SEVEN WARLORDS OF THE SEA"









DID THEY GO  
TO REPORT  
THAT YOU'VE  
TOLD US  
THE BOSS'  
SECRET!?  
WELL!?  
WHAT'S  
GONNA  
HAPPEN TO  
US NOW!?

A  
SHICHIBUKAI,  
SHE SAID!  
WHOA!

HEH,  
NOT BAD.

I'M SORRY  
I'M SORRY!

WHAT  
WAS  
THAT  
BIRD  
AND  
OTTER  
JUST  
NOW!?

TN NOTE: "SHICHIBUKAI" = "ROYAL WARLORD"

WE JUST BARELY  
ENTERED THE GRAND  
LINE AND ALREADY WE  
HAVE A SHICHIBUKAI  
CHASING AFTER US...!

YOU THINK  
SAYING IT  
**ACCIDENTALLY**  
MAKES THIS ANY  
BETTER!? WHY  
DO WE HAVE TO  
BECOME HUNTED  
DOWN BECAUSE  
OF A SINGLE  
SLIP-UP FROM  
YOU!?

I... I'M  
REALLY  
SORRY!  
IT JUST  
ACCIDENT-  
ALLY  
SLIPPED  
OUT!

WHERE'RE  
YA GOING,  
NAMI?

IT'S BEEN A  
REAL SHORT TIME  
TRAVELLING WITH  
YOU BUT BYE!

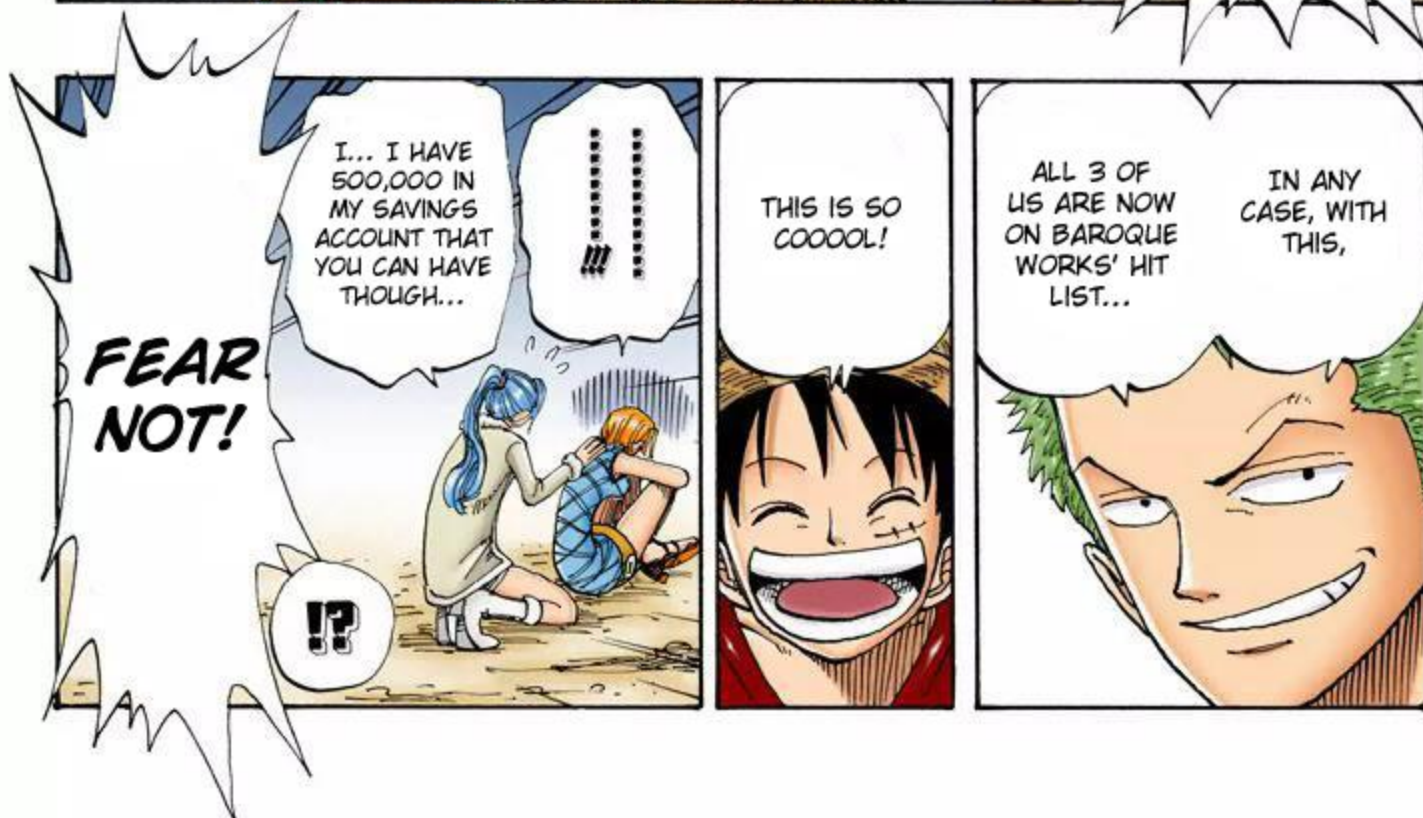
THEY  
DON'T  
KNOW MY  
FACE YET  
SO I'M  
RUNNING  
AWAY!

I WONDER  
WHAT KIND  
OF GUY  
HE IS?

YEAH, WE'RE  
REAL LUCKY  
TO BE ABLE  
TO MEET HIM  
SO EARLY.

**SHUT  
UP, YOU  
TWO!**



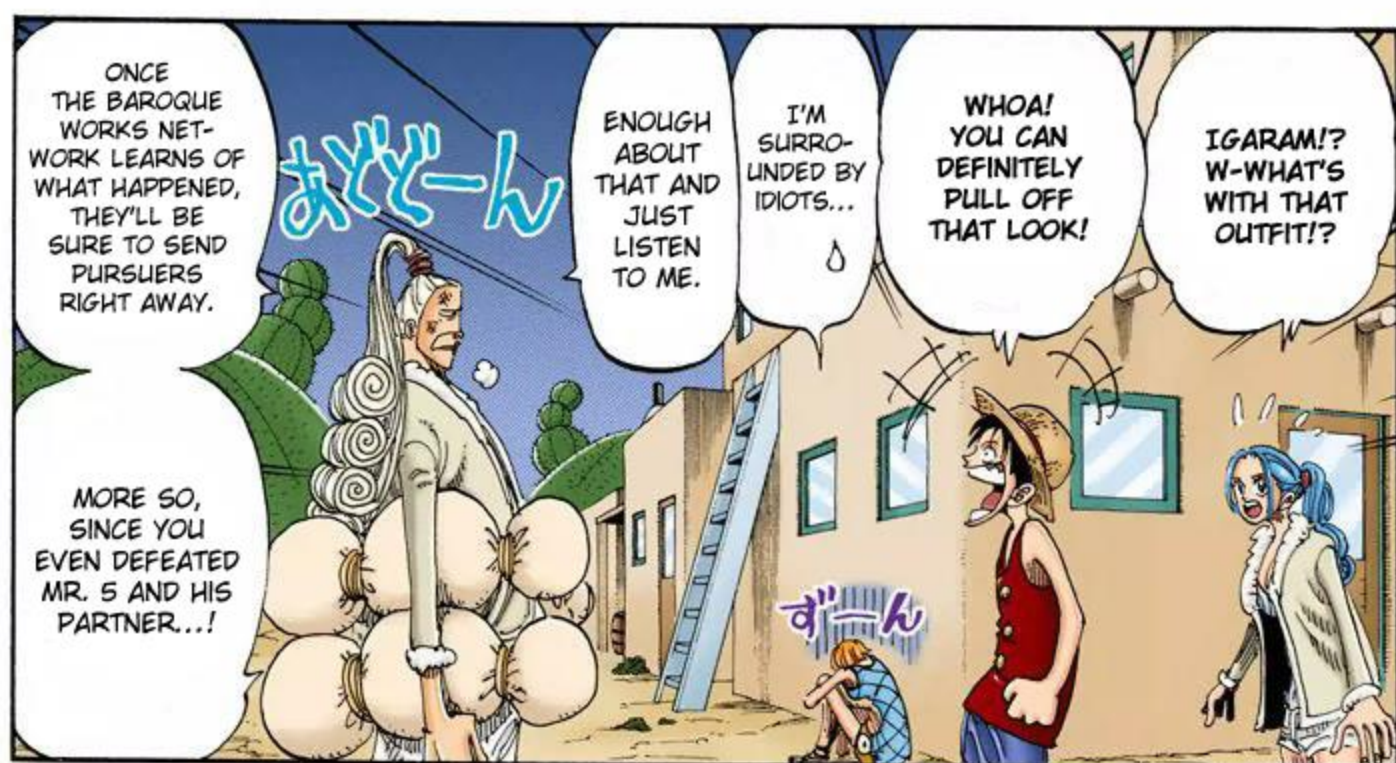






I HAVE  
A PLAN!

IT'LL  
BE ARRI-  
MA MA  
MAA~♪  
IT'LL BE  
ALRIGHT!



ONCE  
THE BAROQUE  
WORKS NET-  
WORK LEARNS OF  
WHAT HAPPENED,  
THEY'LL BE  
SURE TO SEND  
PURSUERS  
RIGHT AWAY.

ENOUGH  
ABOUT  
THAT AND  
JUST  
LISTEN  
TO ME.

I'M  
SURRO-  
UNDED BY  
IDIOTS...

WHOA!  
YOU CAN  
DEFINITELY  
PULL OFF  
THAT LOOK!

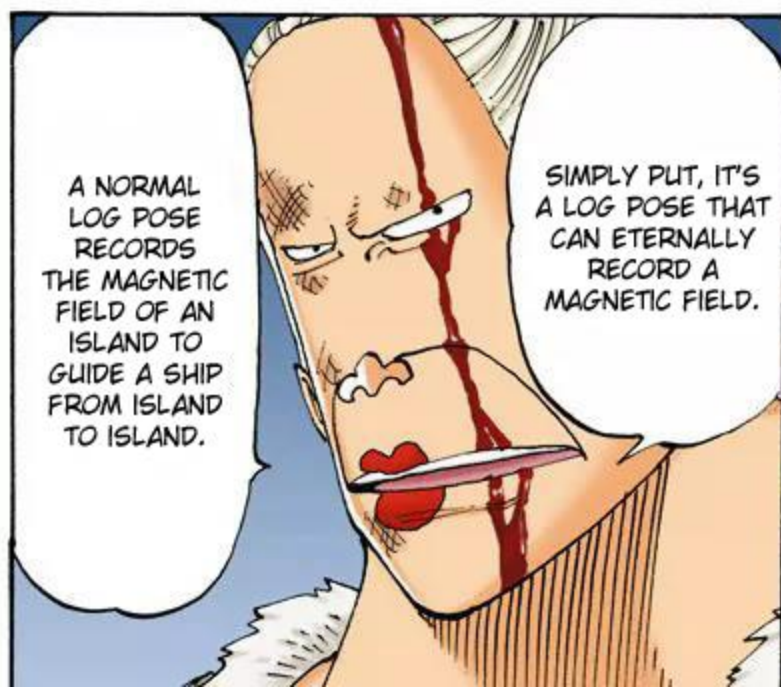
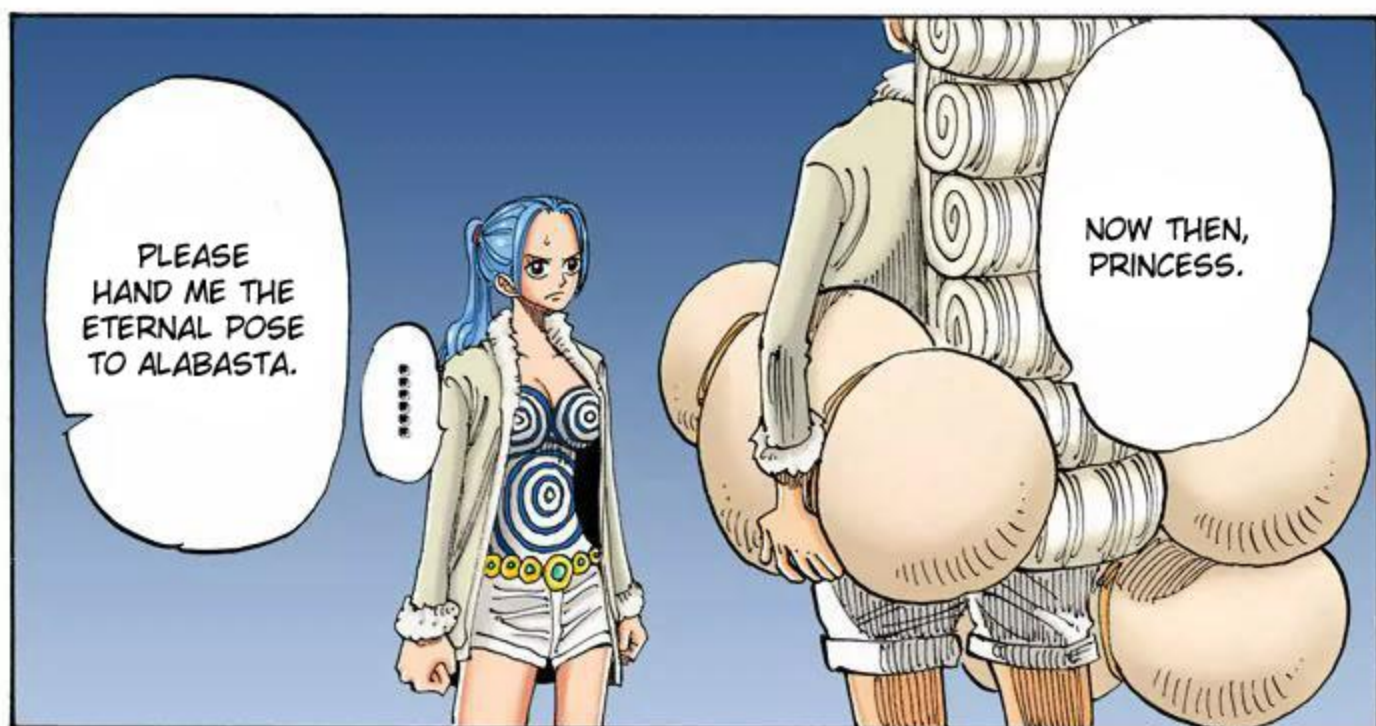
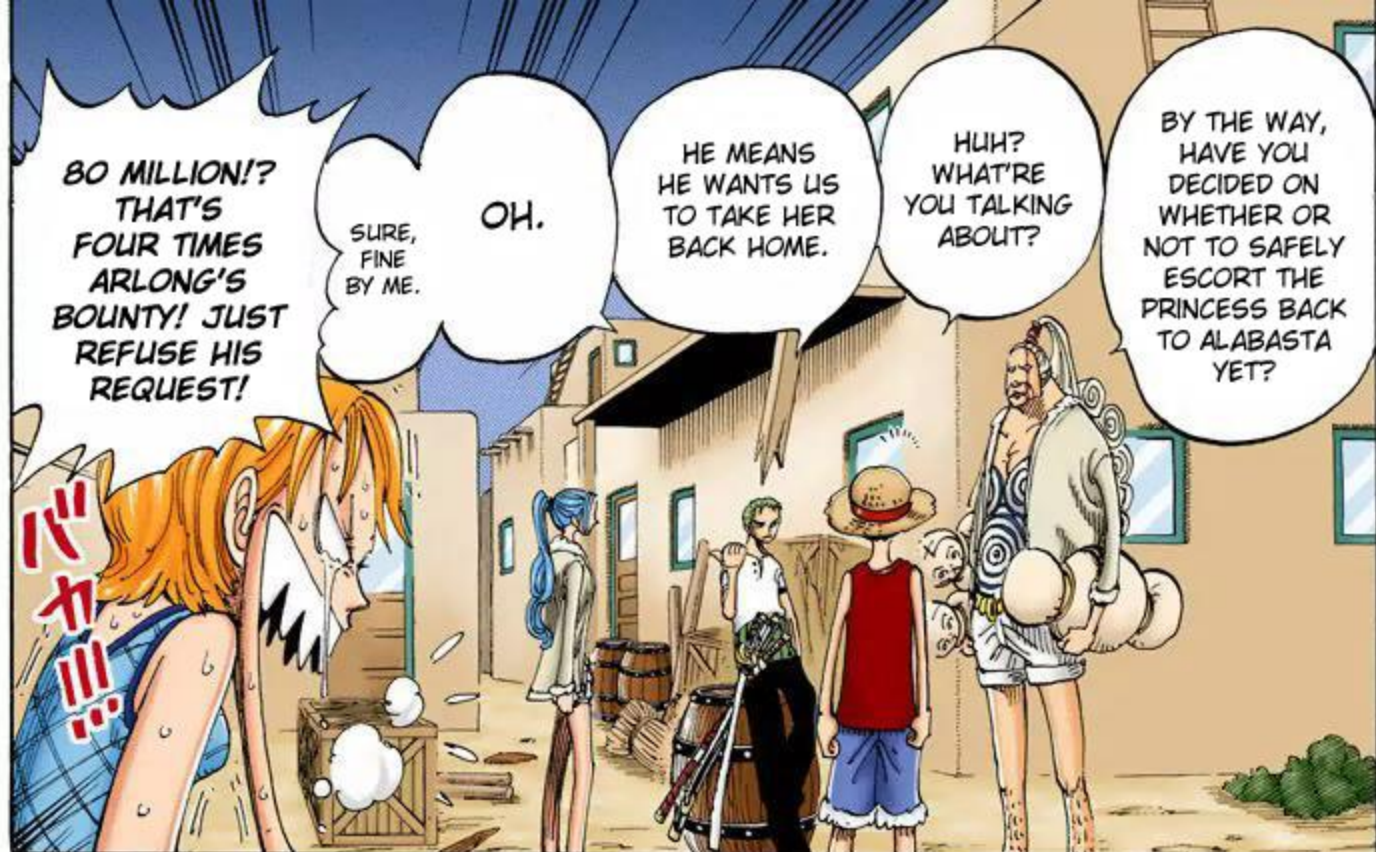
IGARAM!?  
W-WHAT'S  
WITH THAT  
OUTFIT!?

MORE SO,  
SINCE YOU  
EVEN DEFEATED  
MR. 5 AND HIS  
PARTNER...!

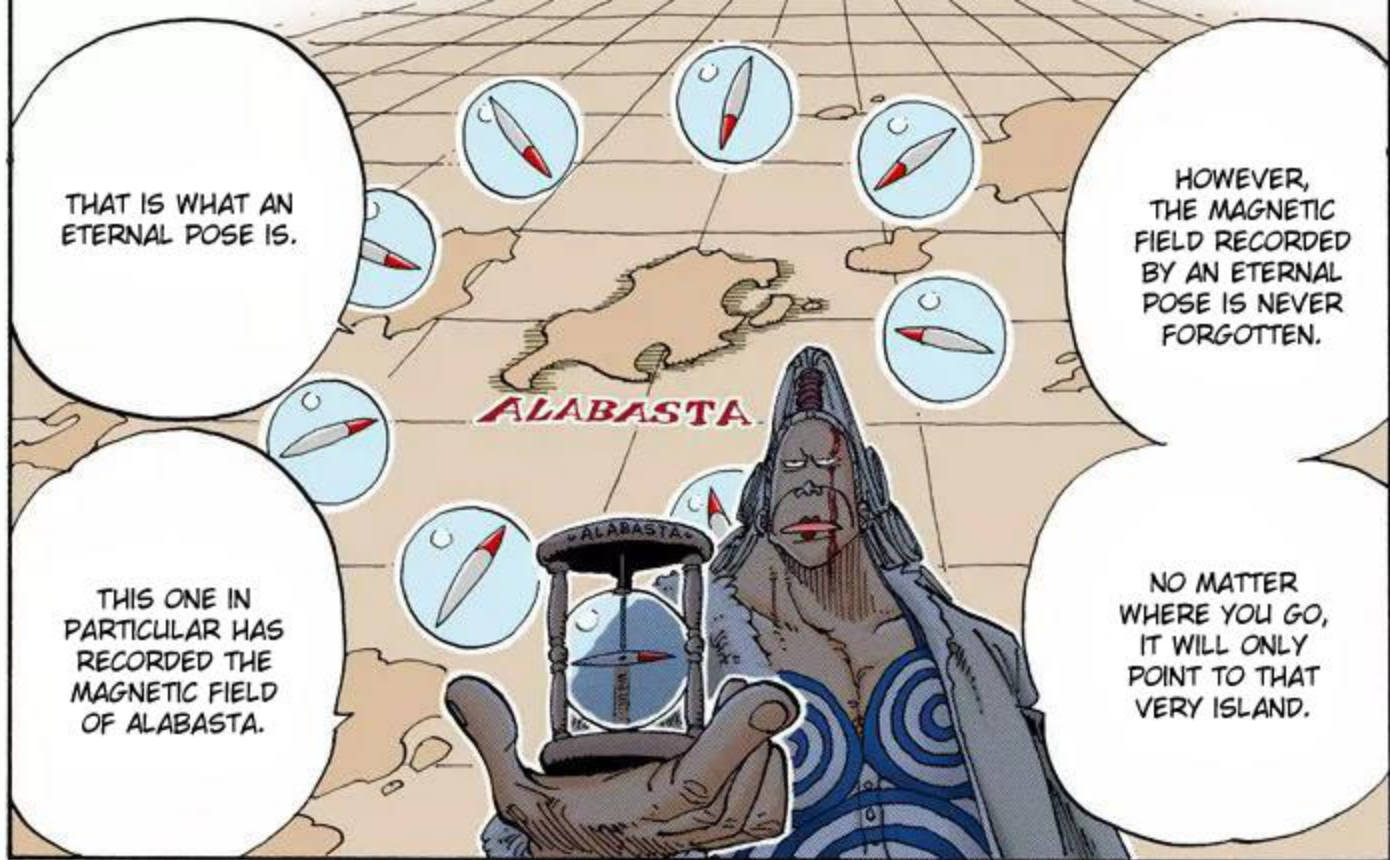
BACK IN  
HIS HEYDAYS  
AS A PIRATE,  
CROCODILE HAD  
AN 80 MILLION  
BELLY BOUNTY.

JUST TO LET YOU  
KNOW, ALTHOUGH  
THE BOSS HAS NO  
BOUNTY ON HIM  
SINCE HE'S NOW A  
MEMBER OF THE  
SHICHIBUKAI,







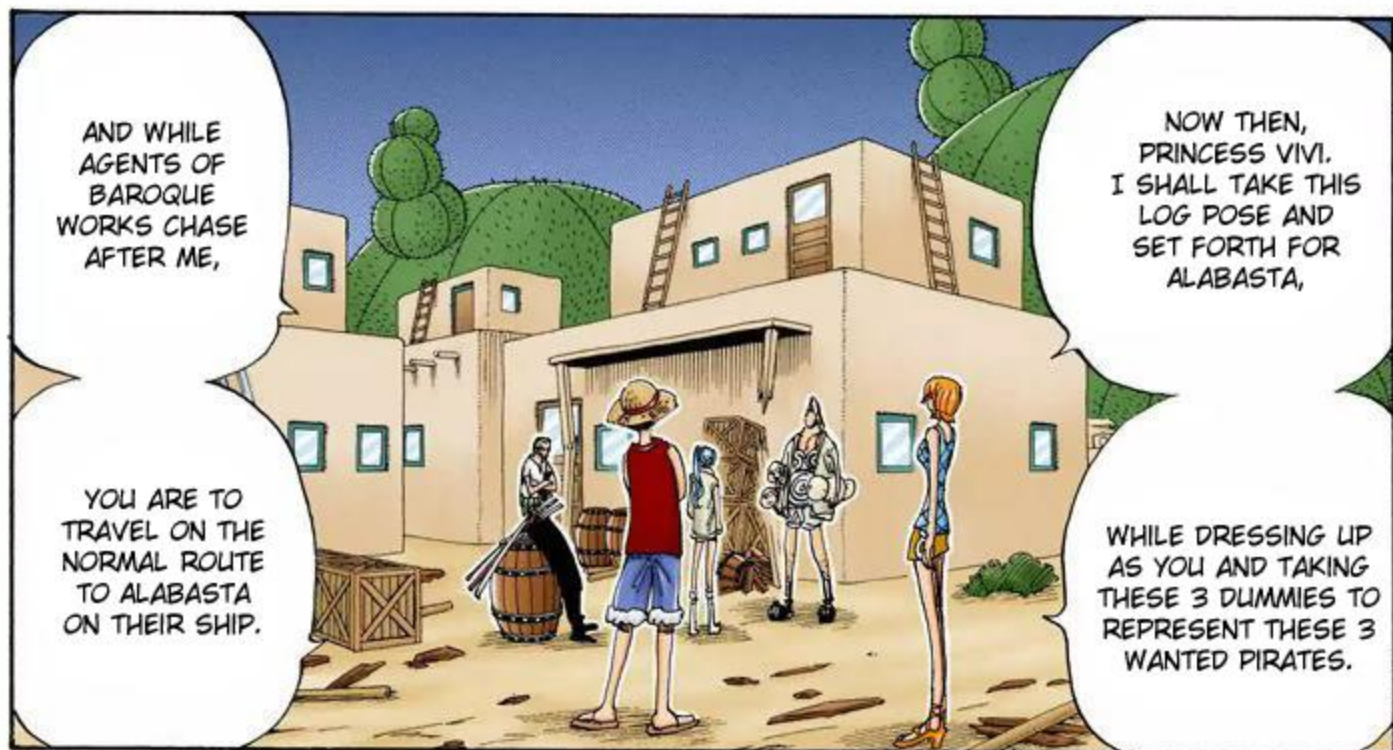


THAT IS WHAT AN  
ETERNAL POSE IS.

HOWEVER,  
THE MAGNETIC  
FIELD RECORDED  
BY AN ETERNAL  
POSE IS NEVER  
FORGOTTEN.

THIS ONE IN  
PARTICULAR HAS  
RECORDED THE  
MAGNETIC FIELD  
OF ALABASTA.

NO MATTER  
WHERE YOU GO,  
IT WILL ONLY  
POINT TO THAT  
VERY ISLAND.

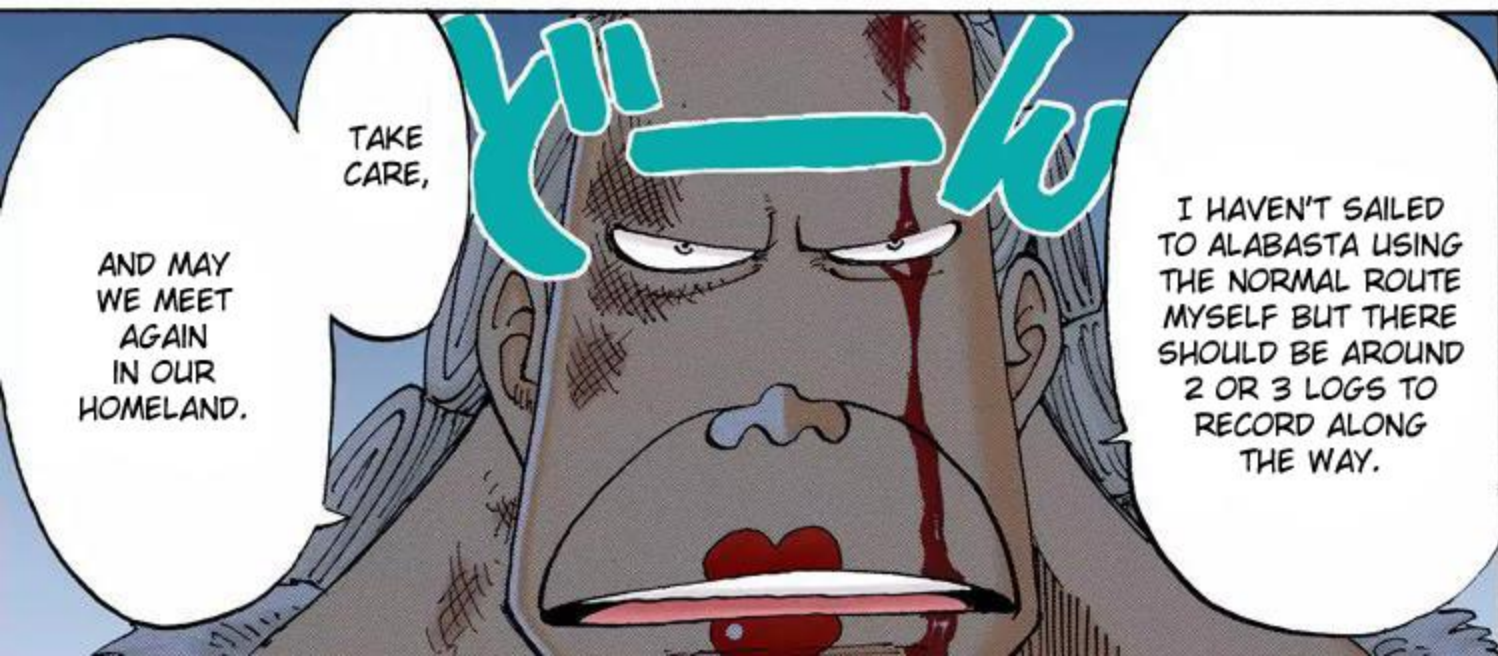


AND WHILE  
AGENTS OF  
BAROQUE  
WORKS CHASE  
AFTER ME,

NOW THEN,  
PRINCESS VIVI.  
I SHALL TAKE THIS  
LOG POSE AND  
SET FORTH FOR  
ALABASTA,

YOU ARE TO  
TRAVEL ON THE  
NORMAL ROUTE  
TO ALABASTA  
ON THEIR SHIP.

WHILE DRESSING UP  
AS YOU AND TAKING  
THESE 3 DUMMIES TO  
REPRESENT THESE 3  
WANTED PIRATES.



TAKE  
CARE,

AND MAY  
WE MEET  
AGAIN  
IN OUR  
HOMELAND.

I HAVEN'T SAILED  
TO ALABASTA USING  
THE NORMAL ROUTE  
MYSELF BUT THERE  
SHOULD BE AROUND  
2 OR 3 LOGS TO  
RECORD ALONG  
THE WAY.

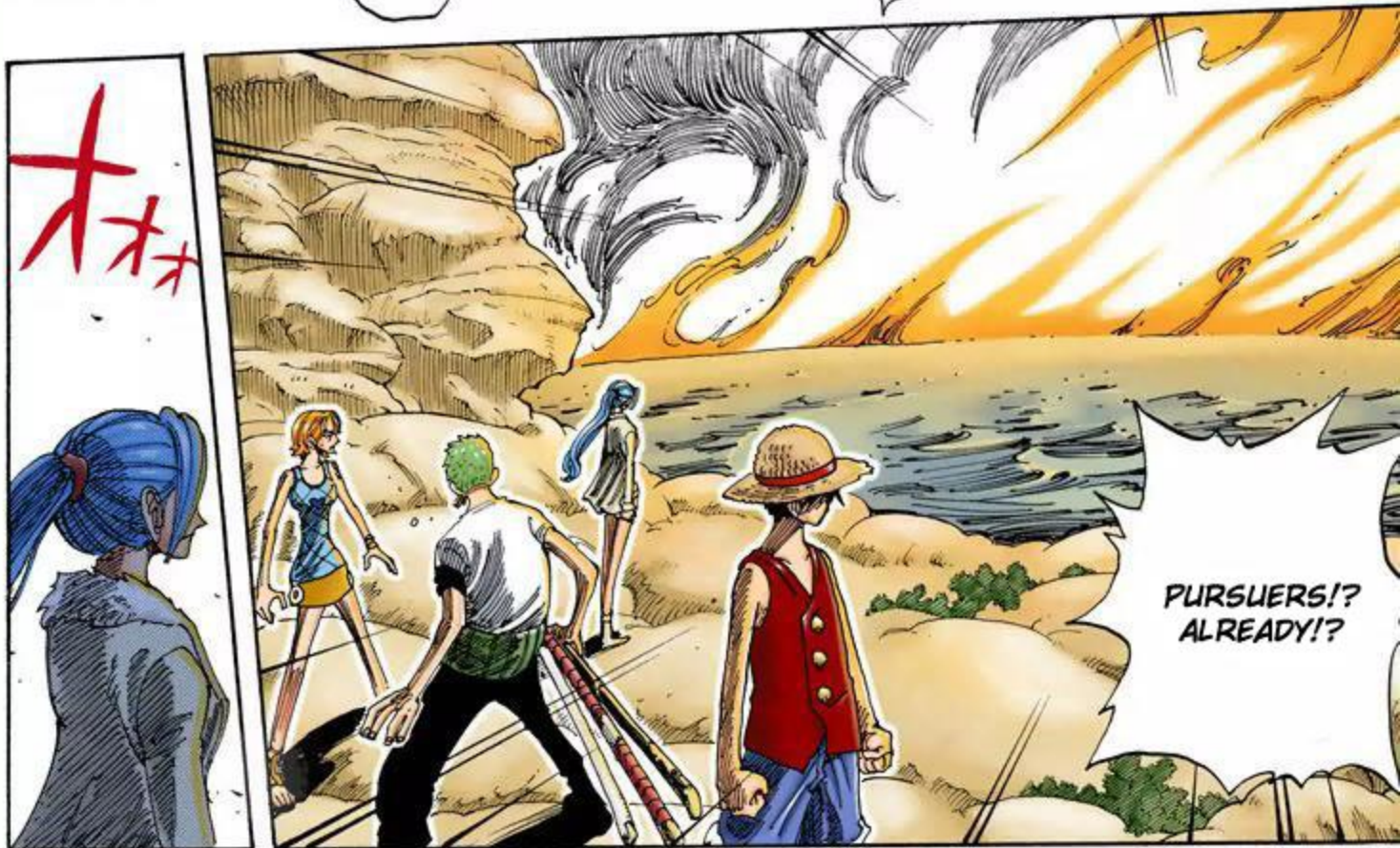
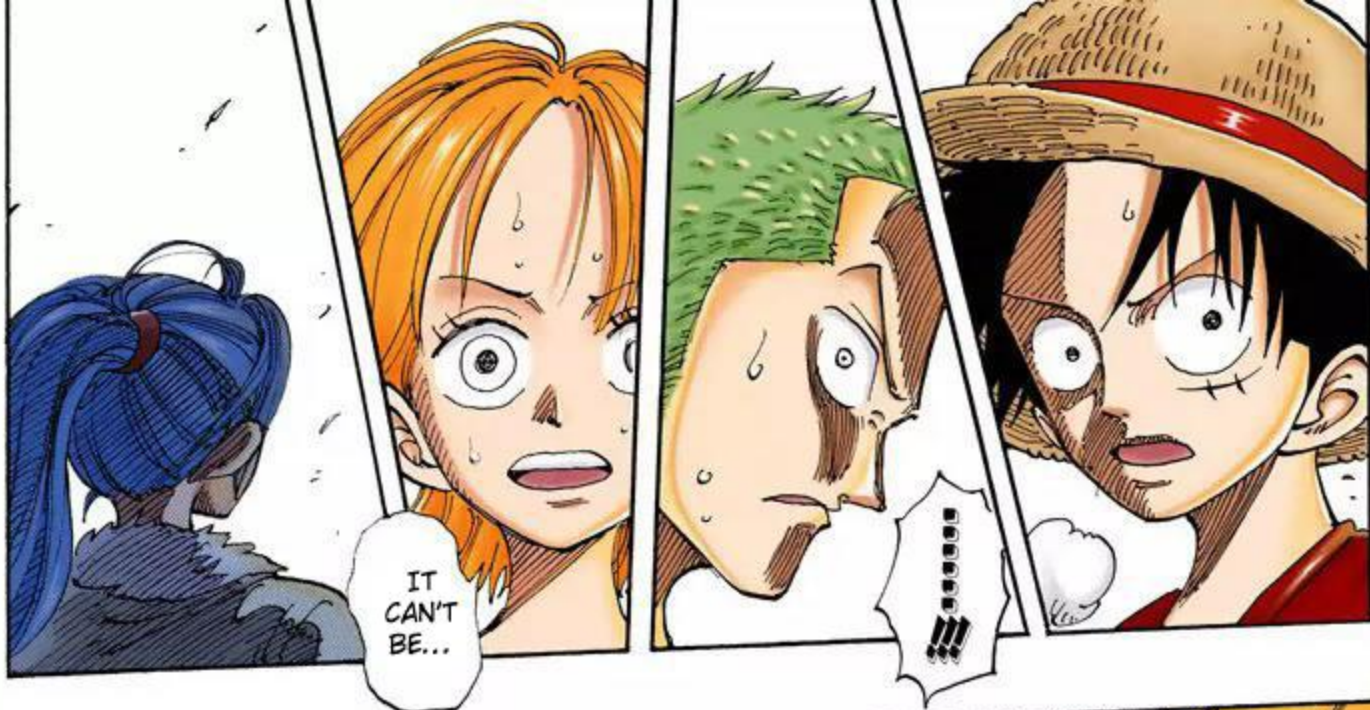




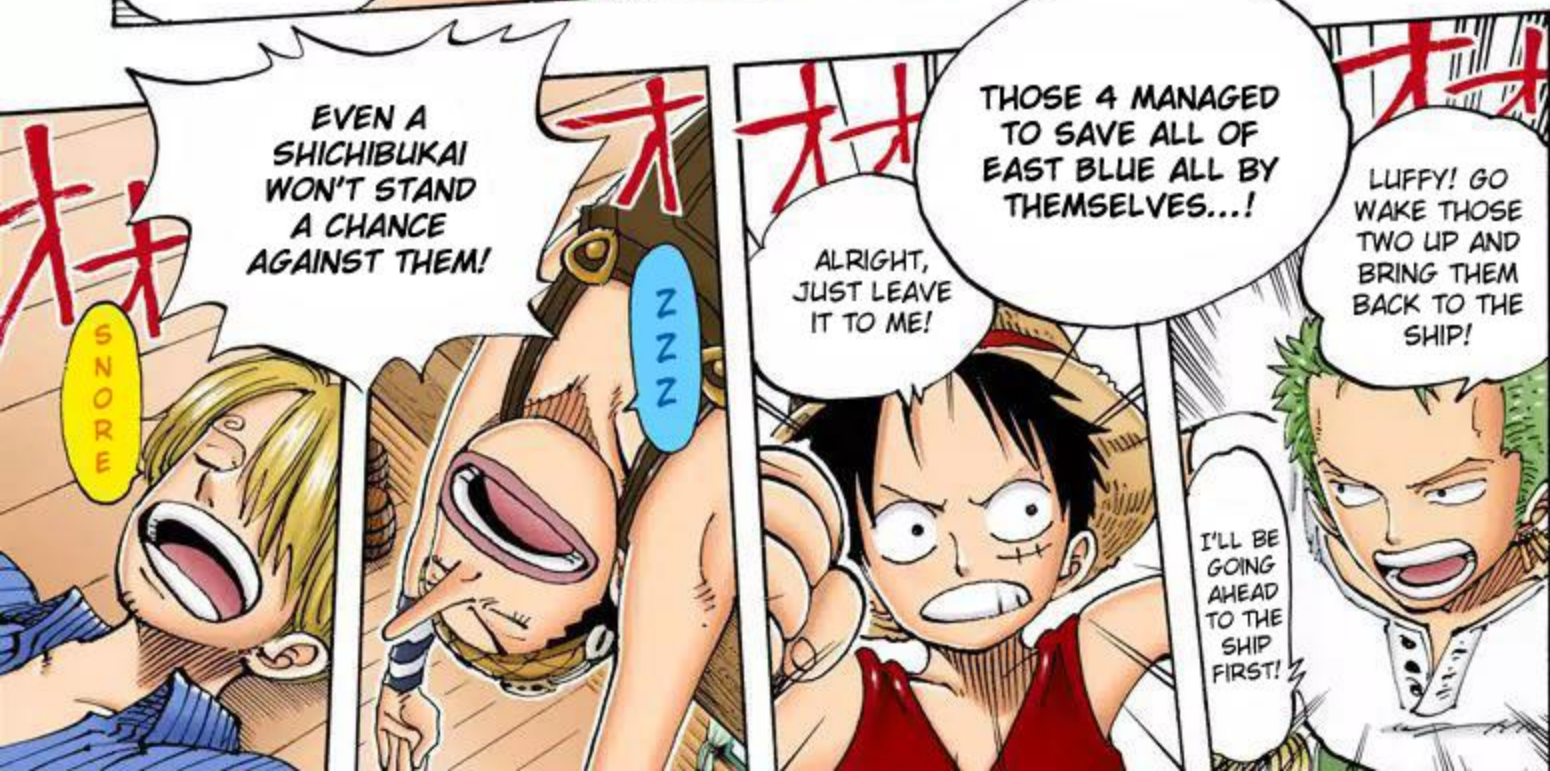
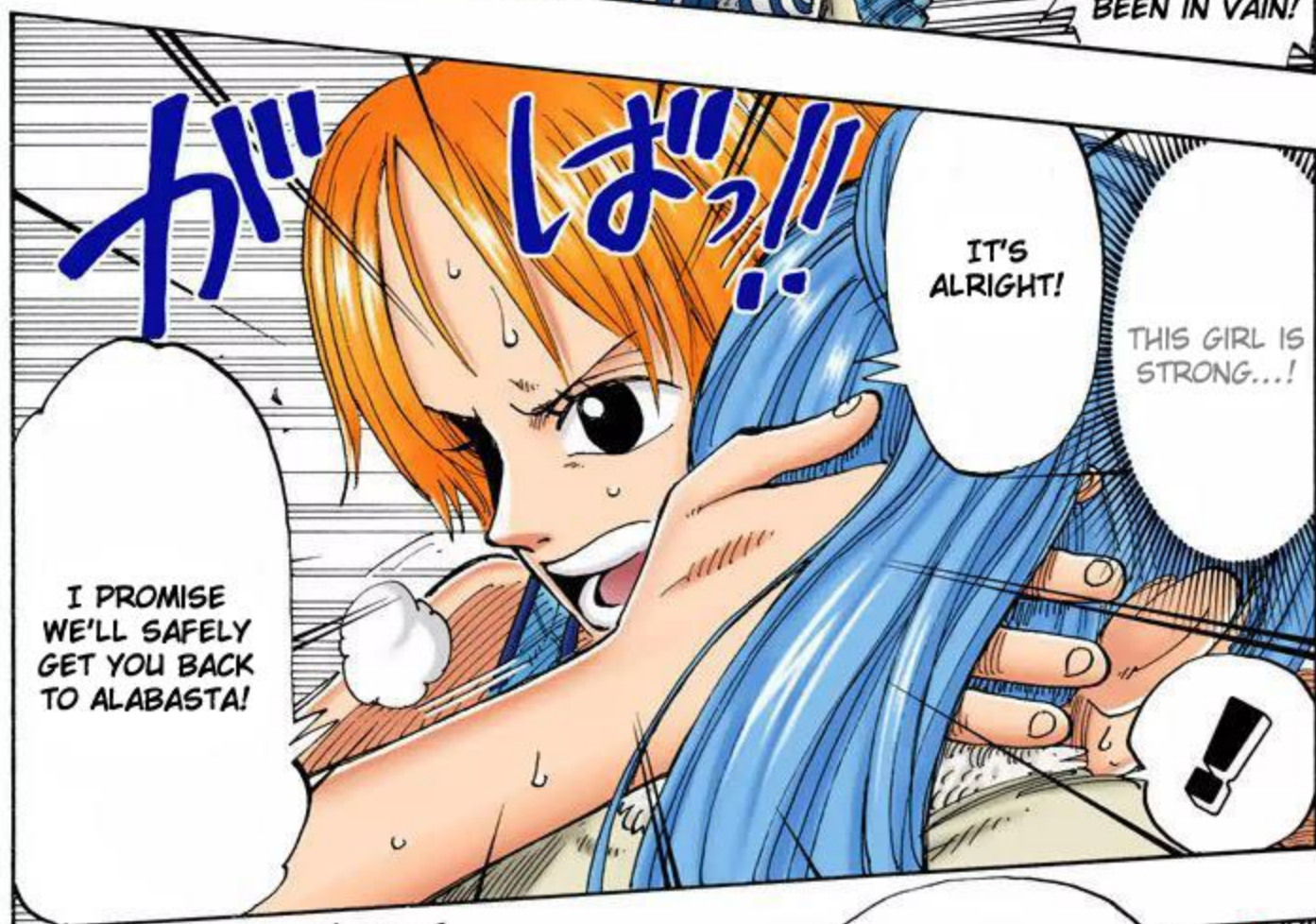
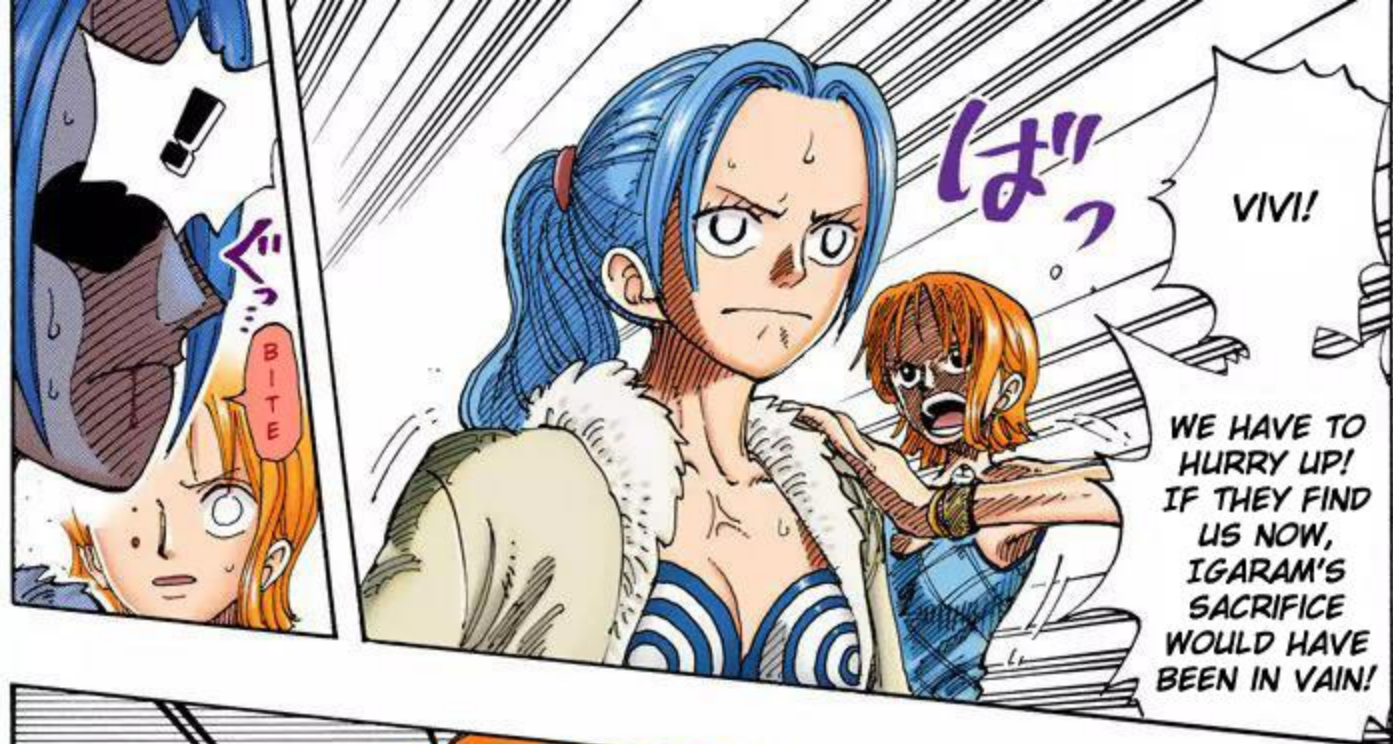














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“ROUTE”



COBY AND HELMEPPPO'S DIARY OF THEIR HARSH STRUGGLES VOL. 26  
"CHORES, CHORES, CHORES AT THE MARINE HQ!"

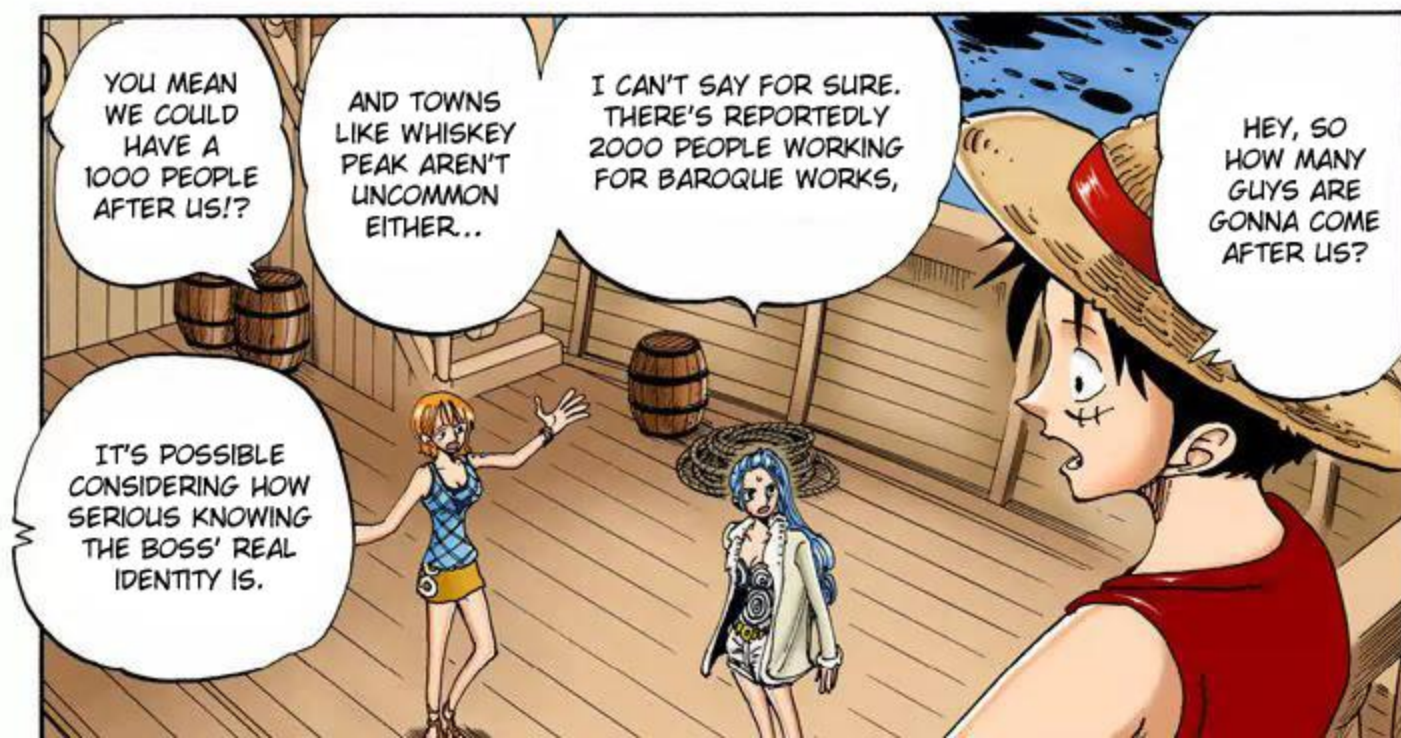
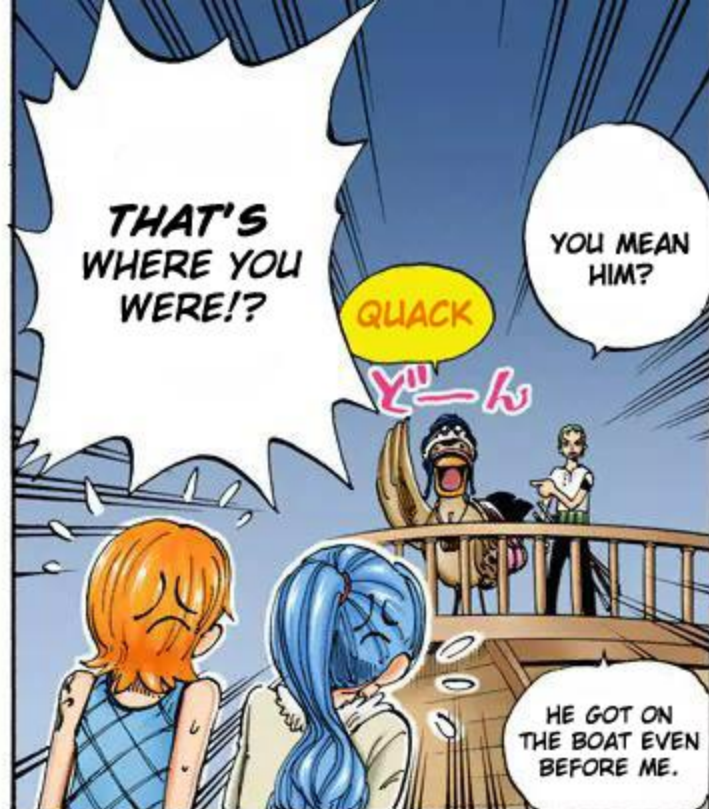










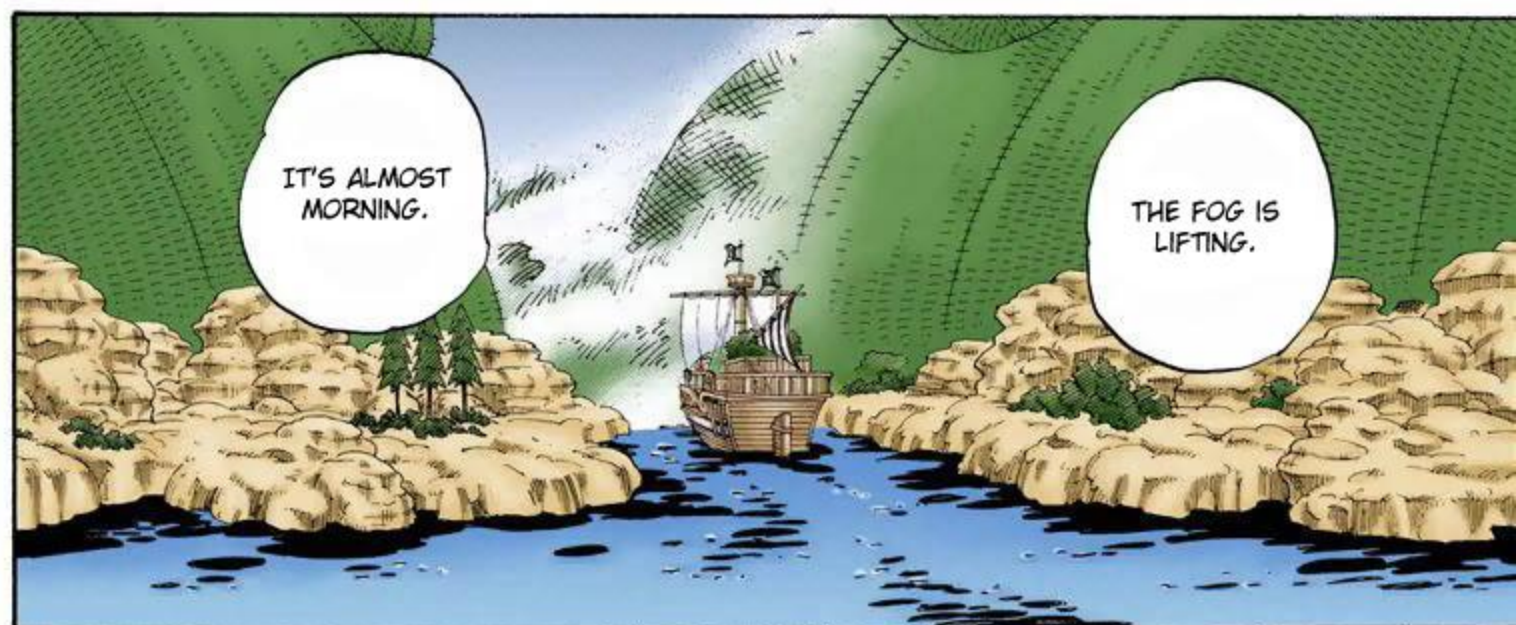
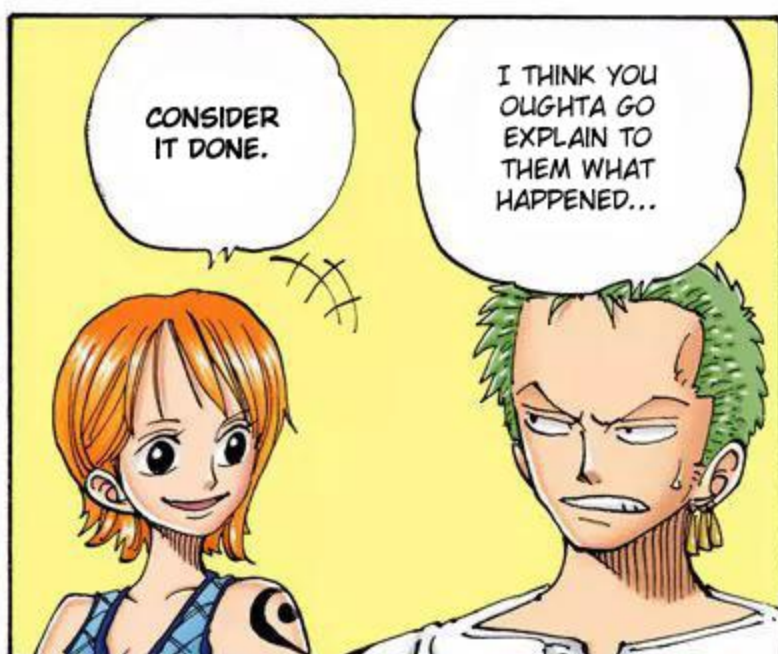
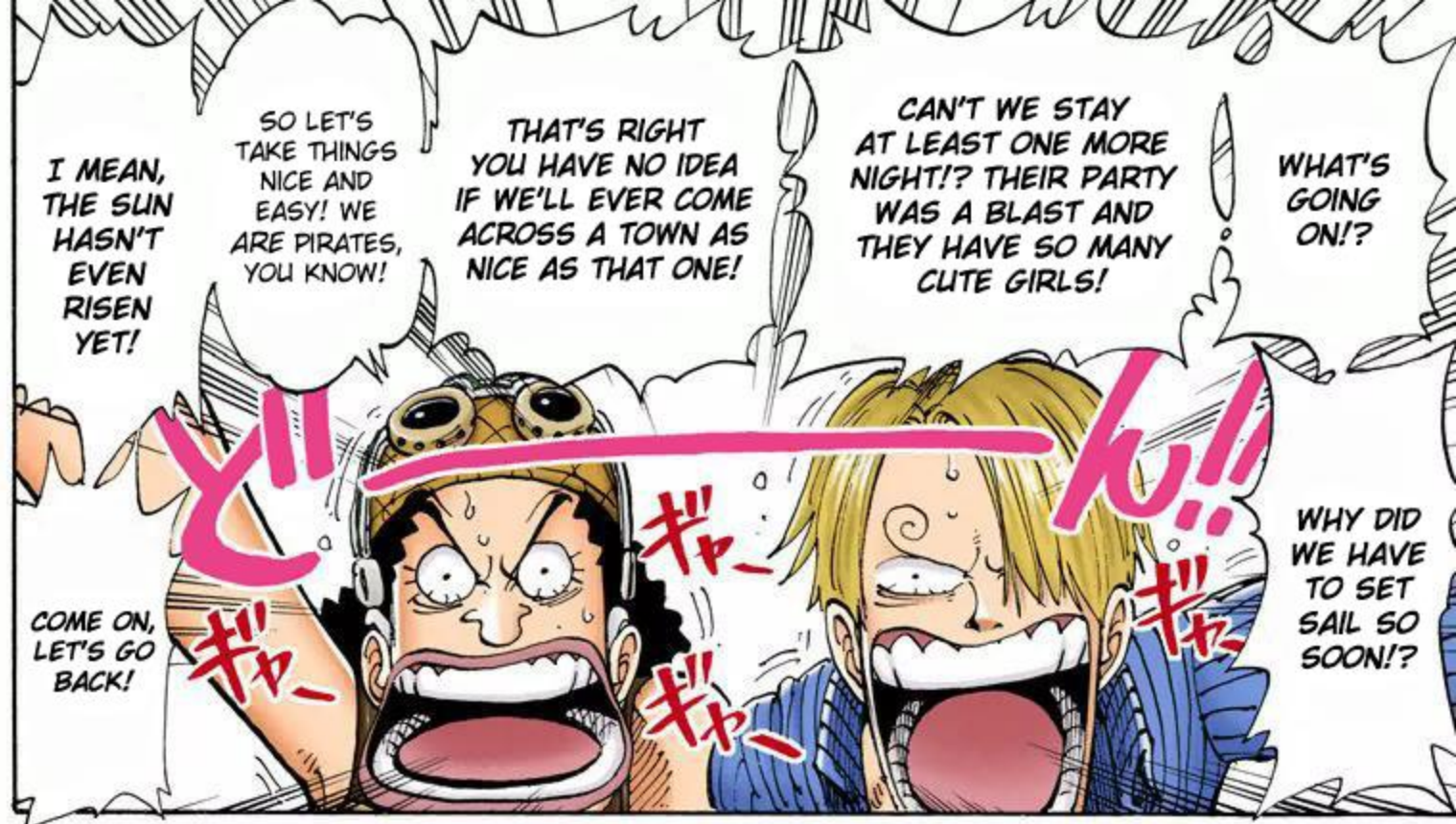




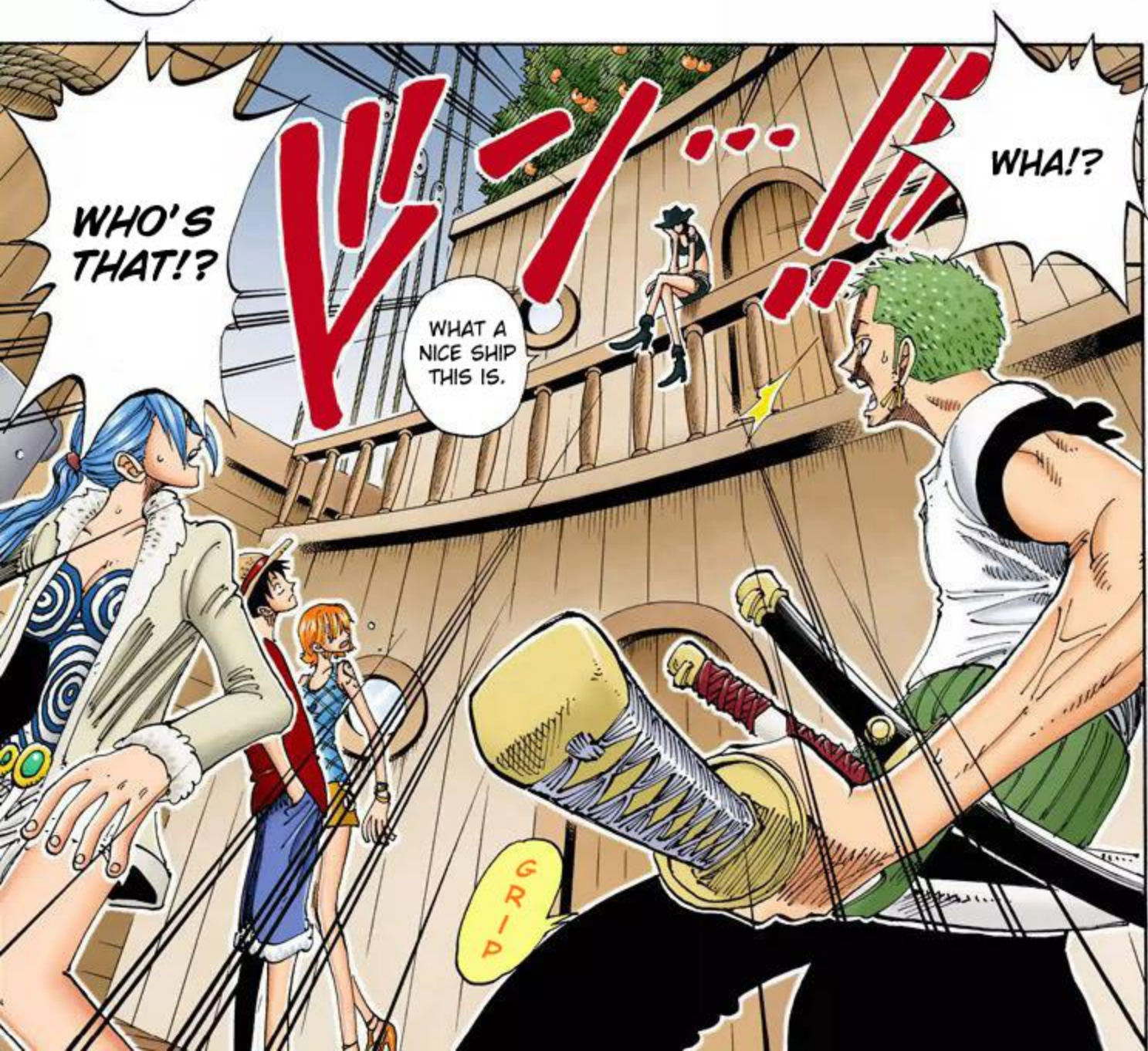


HOW  
FOOLISH  
...











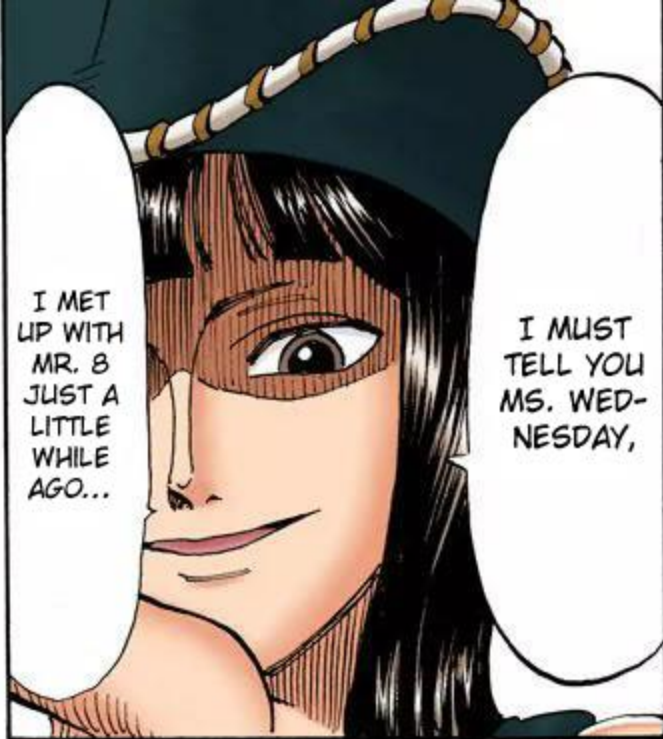


HEY! WHY'RE  
YOU ON OUR SHIP  
ANYWAYS!?



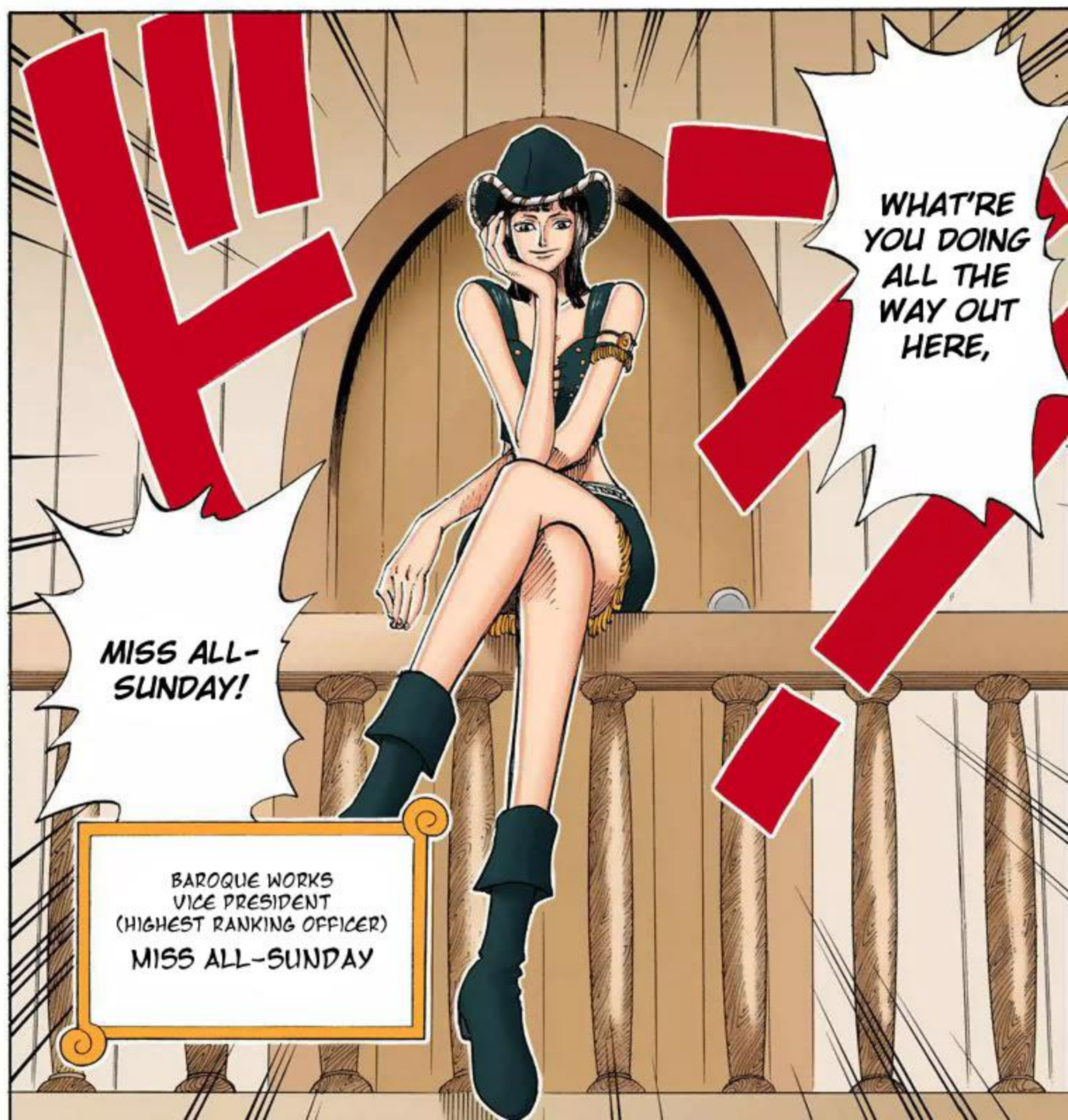
ARE YOU  
SAYING...

IT  
WAS YOU  
WHO DID  
THAT TO  
IGARAM  
...!?



I MET  
UP WITH  
MR. 8  
JUST A  
LITTLE  
WHILE  
AGO...

I MUST  
TELL YOU  
MS. WED-  
NESDAY,

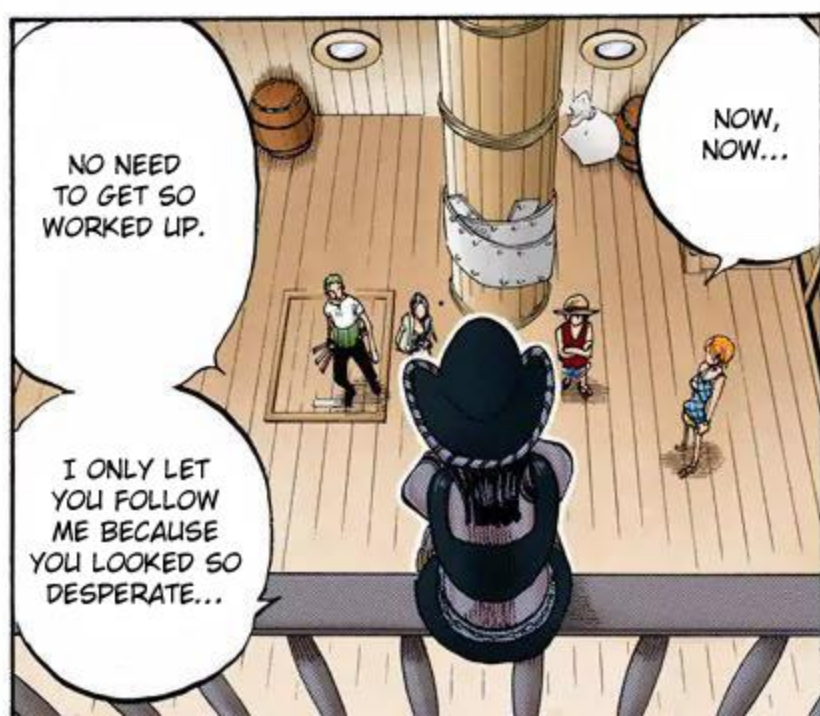
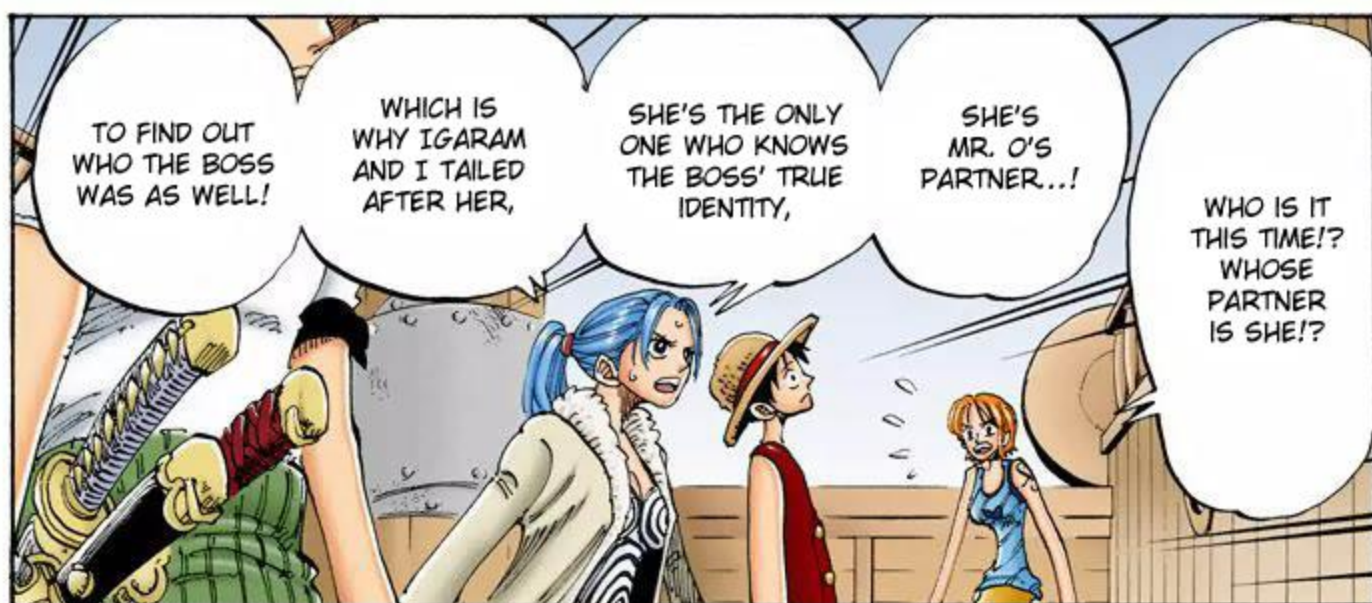


WHAT'RE  
YOU DOING  
ALL THE  
WAY OUT  
HERE,

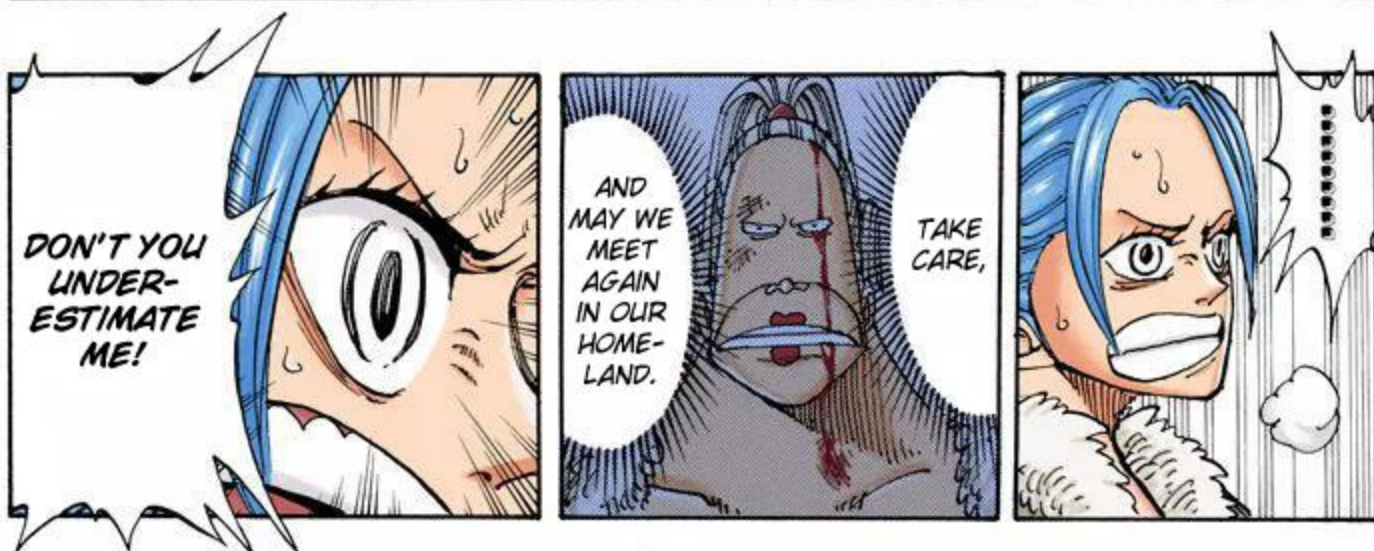
MISS ALL-  
SUNDAY!

BAROQUE WORKS  
VICE PRESIDENT  
(HIGHEST RANKING OFFICER)  
MISS ALL-SUNDAY

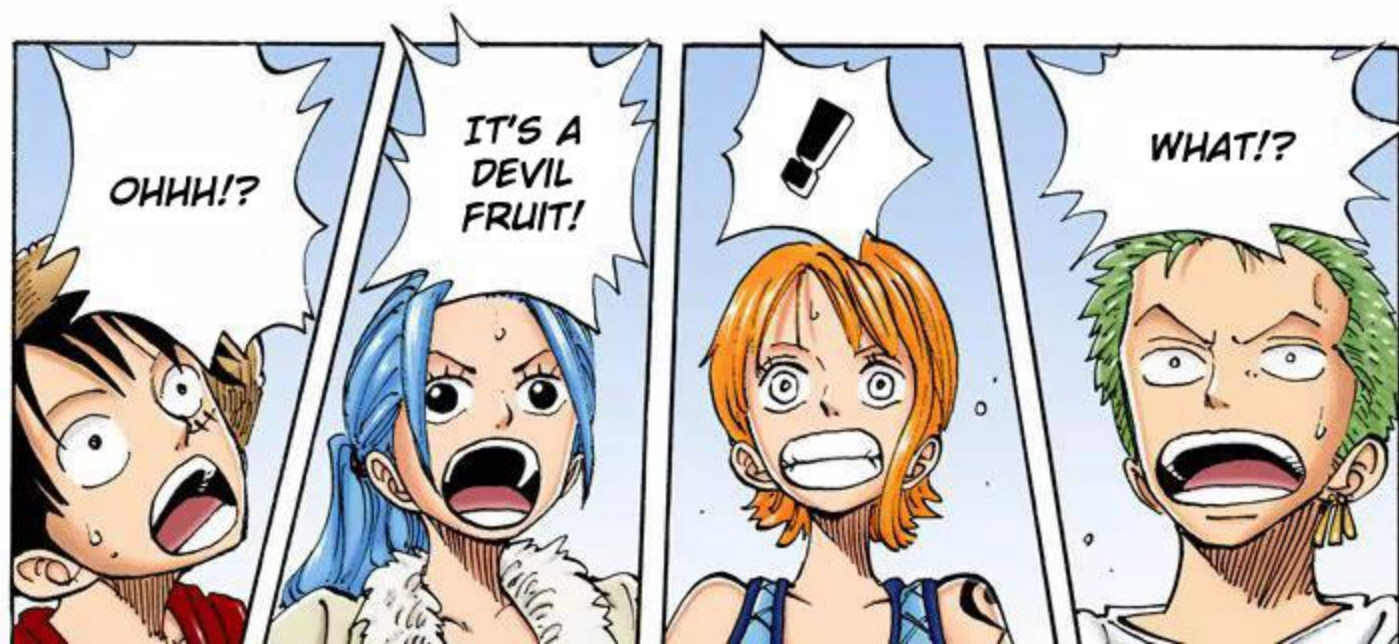
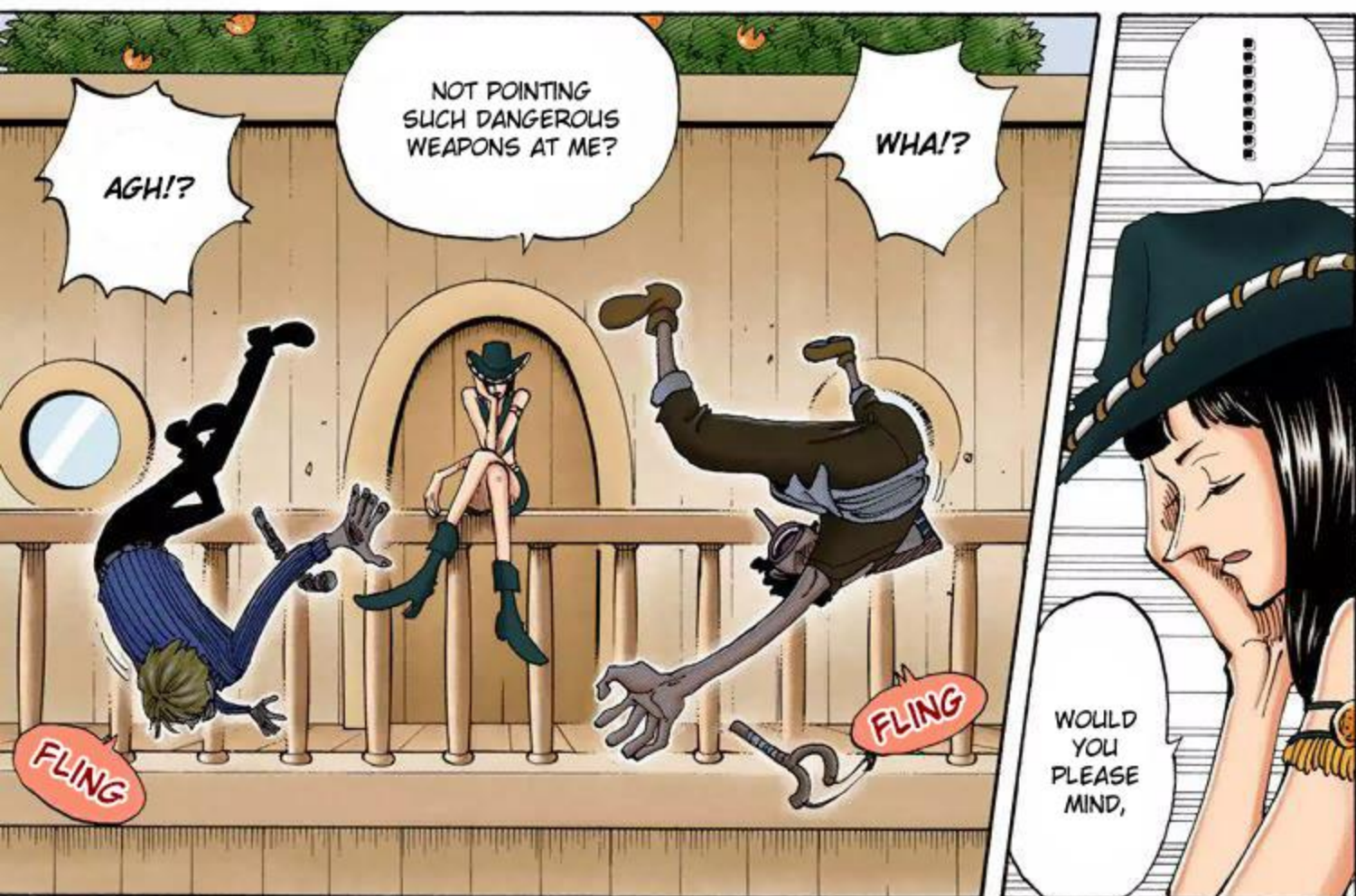








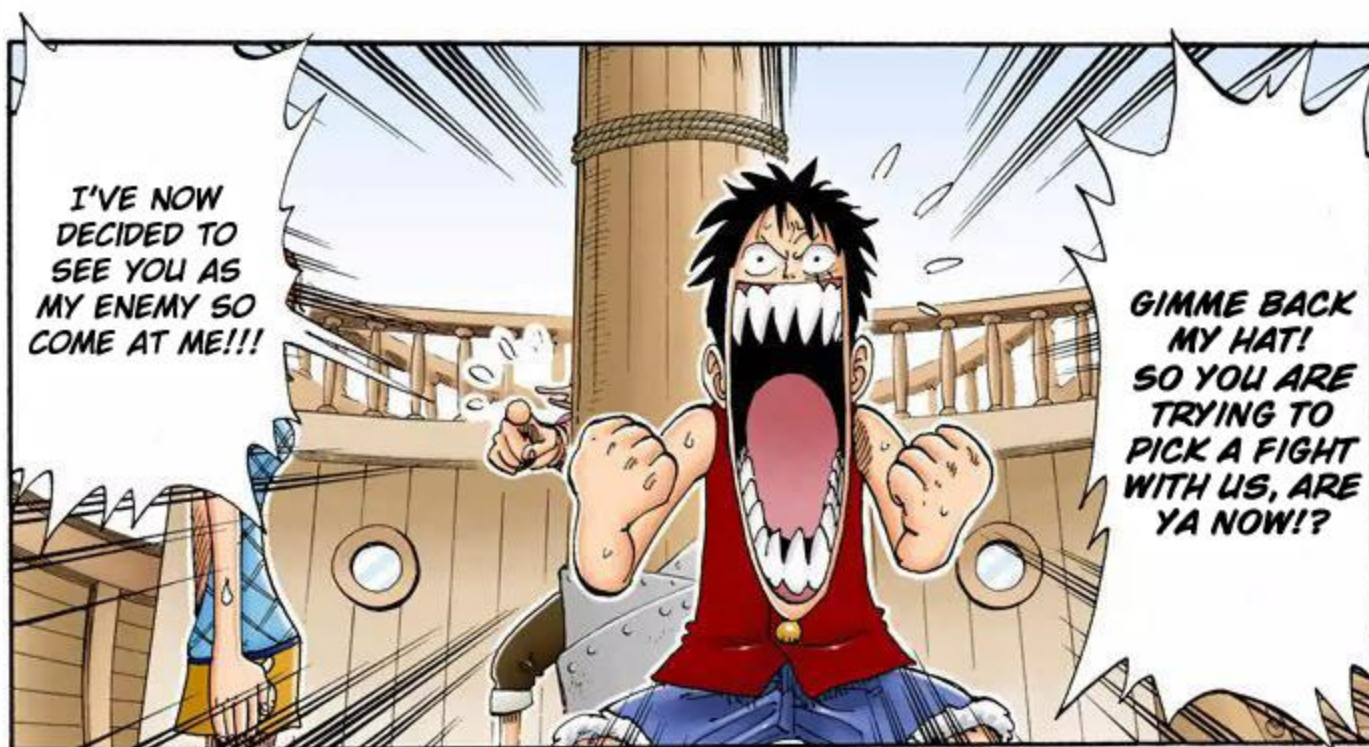
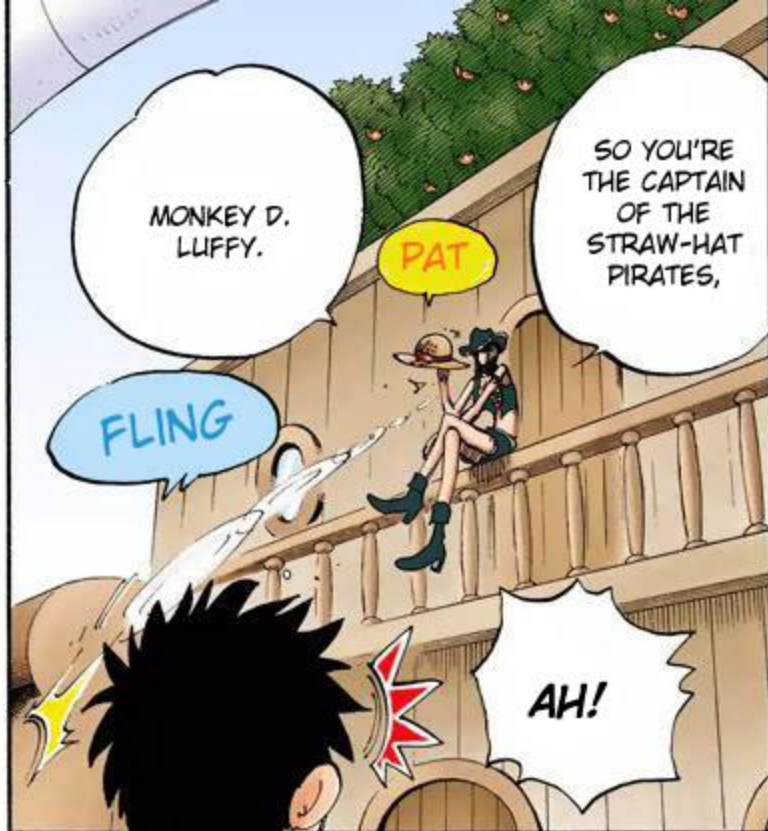




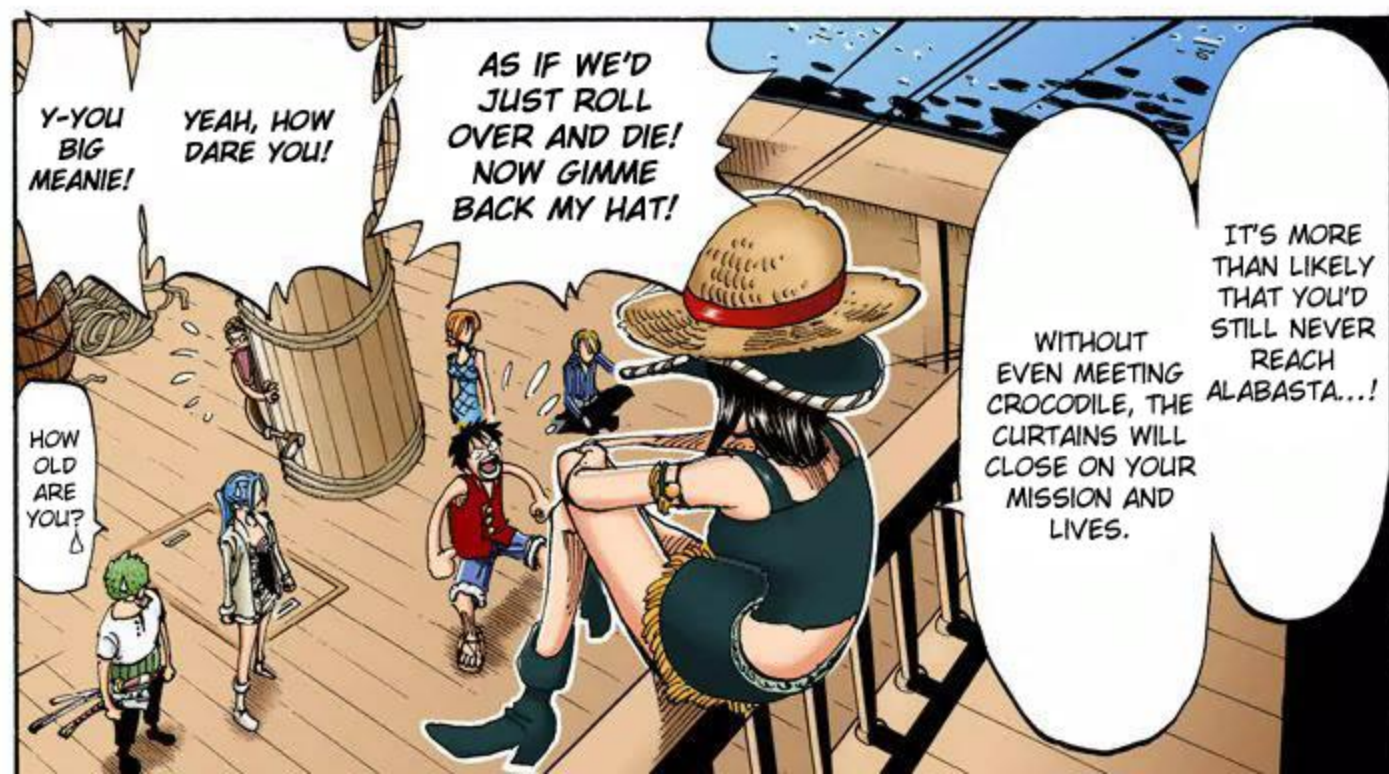
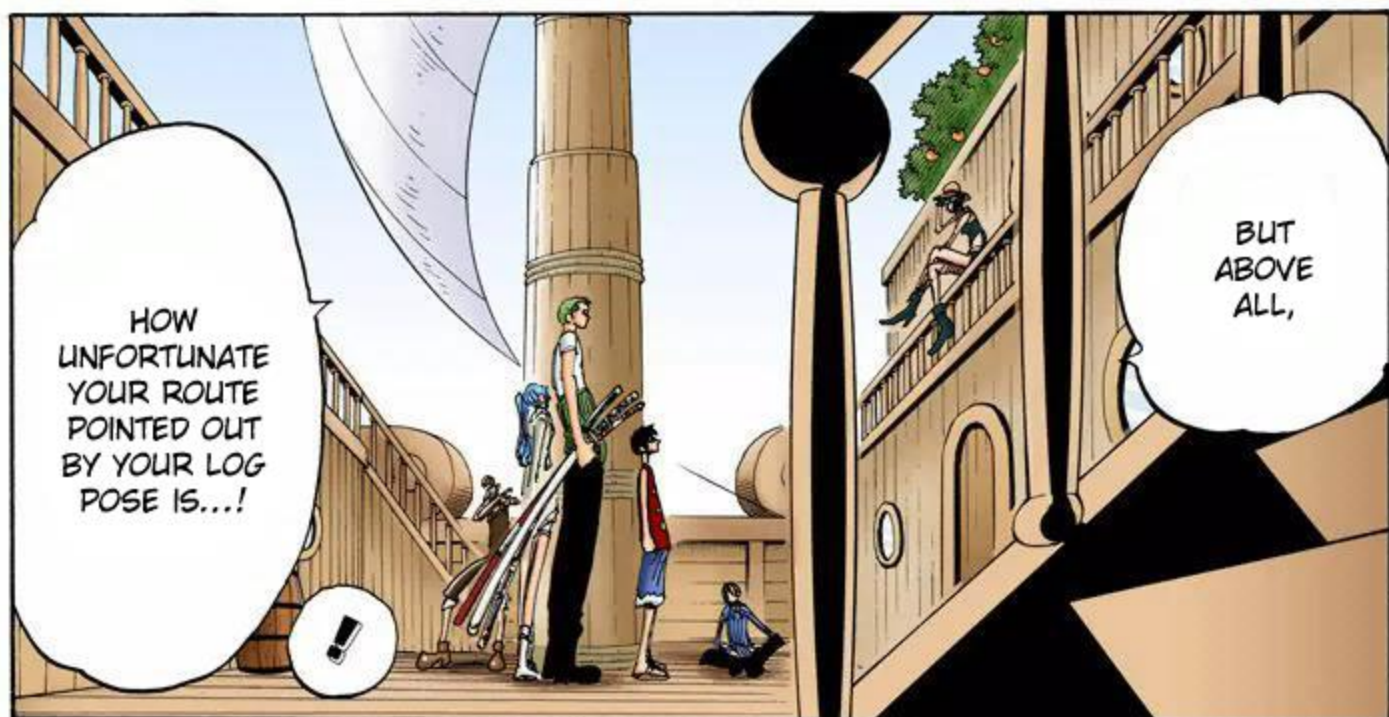








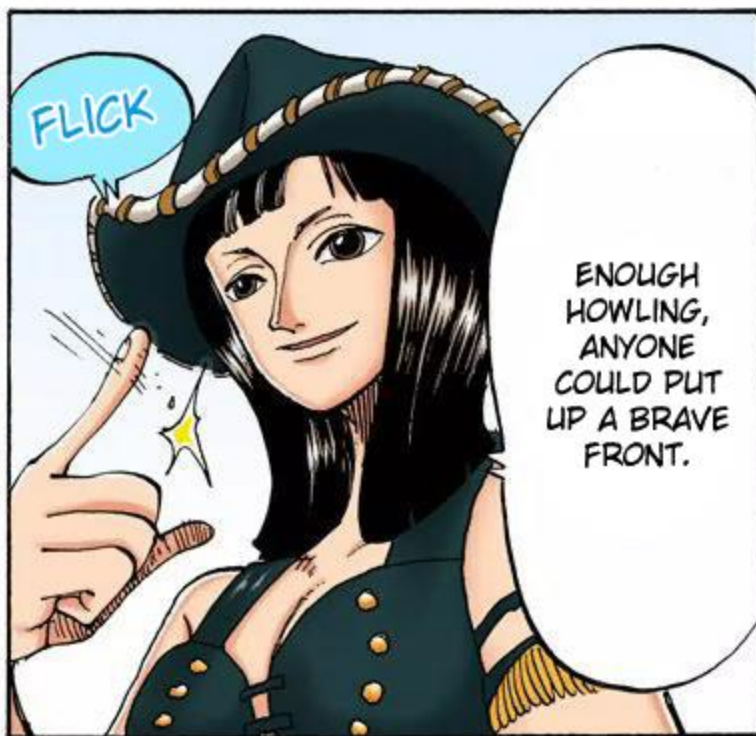






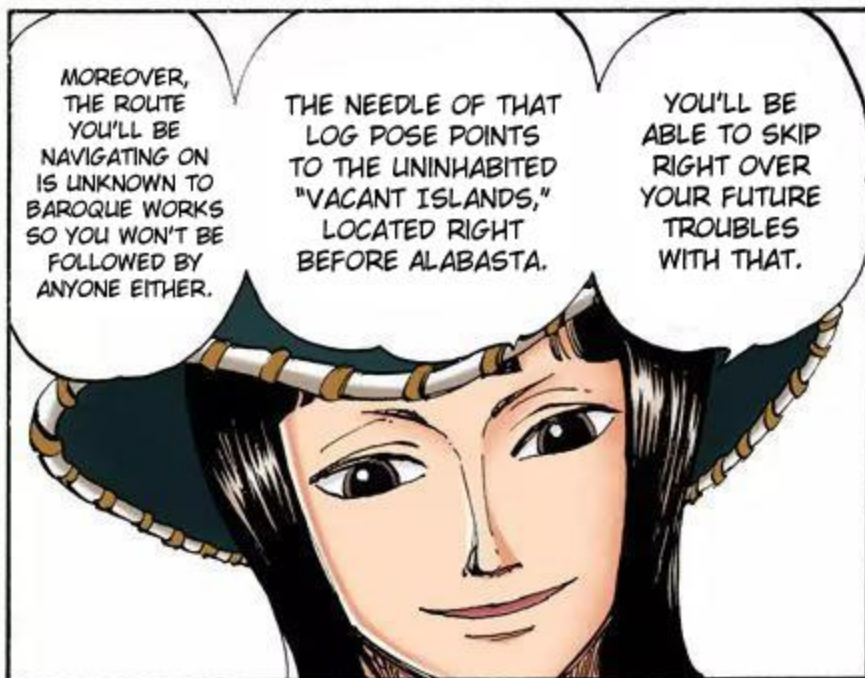


YET TO KNOW OF THE DIFFICULTY THAT LIES AHEAD AND STILL RUSH IN IS AN ACT FIT FOR ONLY FOOLS.



FLICK

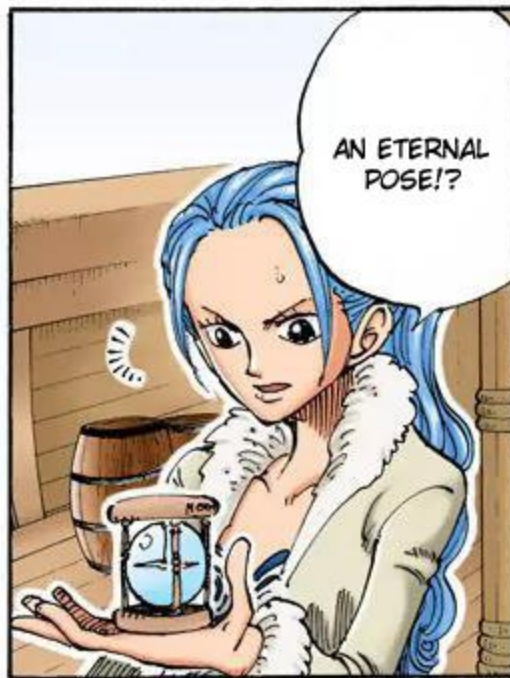
ENOUGH HOWLING, ANYONE COULD PUT UP A BRAVE FRONT.



MOREOVER, THE ROUTE YOU'LL BE NAVIGATING ON IS UNKNOWN TO BAROQUE WORKS SO YOU WON'T BE FOLLOWED BY ANYONE EITHER.

THE NEEDLE OF THAT LOG POSE POINTS TO THE UNINHABITED "VACANT ISLANDS," LOCATED RIGHT BEFORE ALABASTA.

YOU'LL BE ABLE TO SKIP RIGHT OVER YOUR FUTURE TROUBLES WITH THAT.



AN ETERNAL POSE!?

WHAT SHOULD I DO... I DON'T WANT TO ACCEPT THIS LOG POSE FROM HER OF ALL PEOPLE BUT PICKING THE SAFEST AND SUREST ROUTE IS CRUCIAL!!!

OH, I WONDER ABOUT THAT...

...IT'S PROBABLY A TRAP.

W-WHY WOULD YOU GIVE SUCH A THING TO ME!?

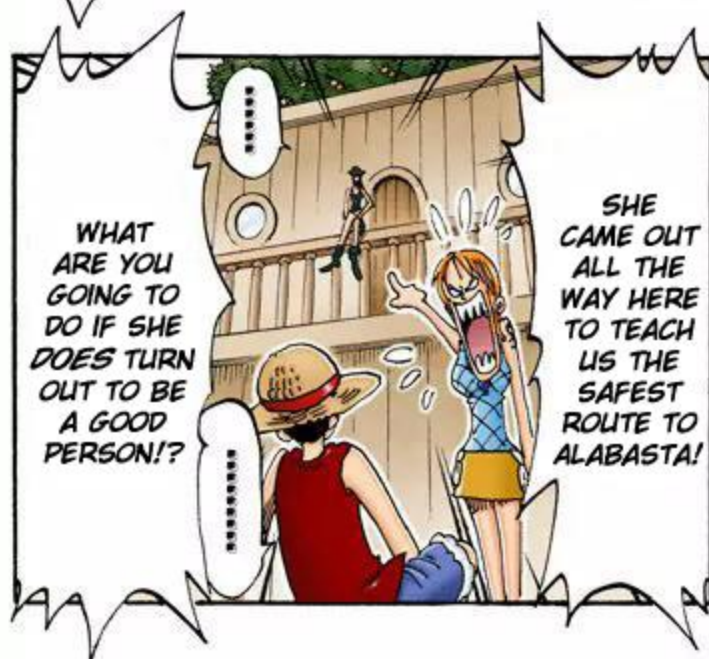
WHAT? IS SHE NOT A BAD PERSON THEN?





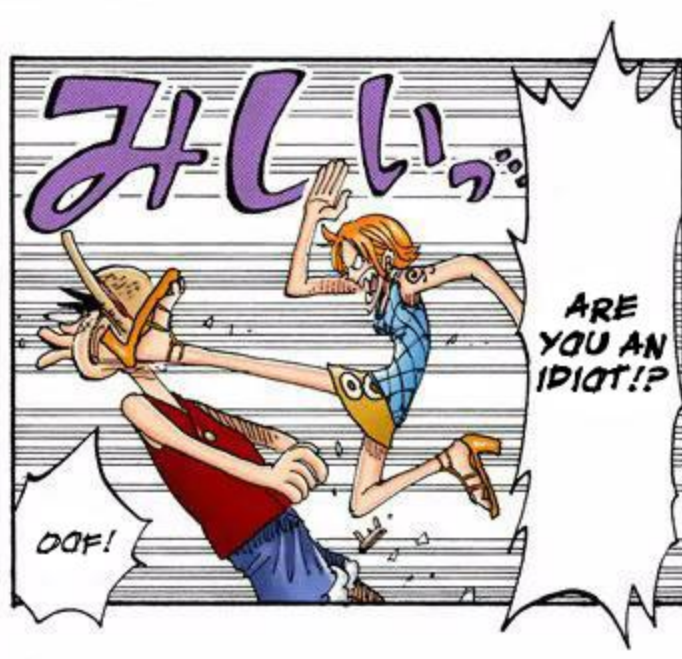
AH!

ENOUGH  
WASTING  
TIME WITH  
THAT!



WHAT  
ARE YOU  
GOING TO  
DO IF SHE  
DOES TURN  
OUT TO BE  
A GOOD  
PERSON!?

SHE  
CAME OUT  
ALL THE  
WAY HERE  
TO TEACH  
US THE  
SAFEST  
ROUTE TO  
ALABASTA!



ARE  
YOU AN  
IDIOT!?

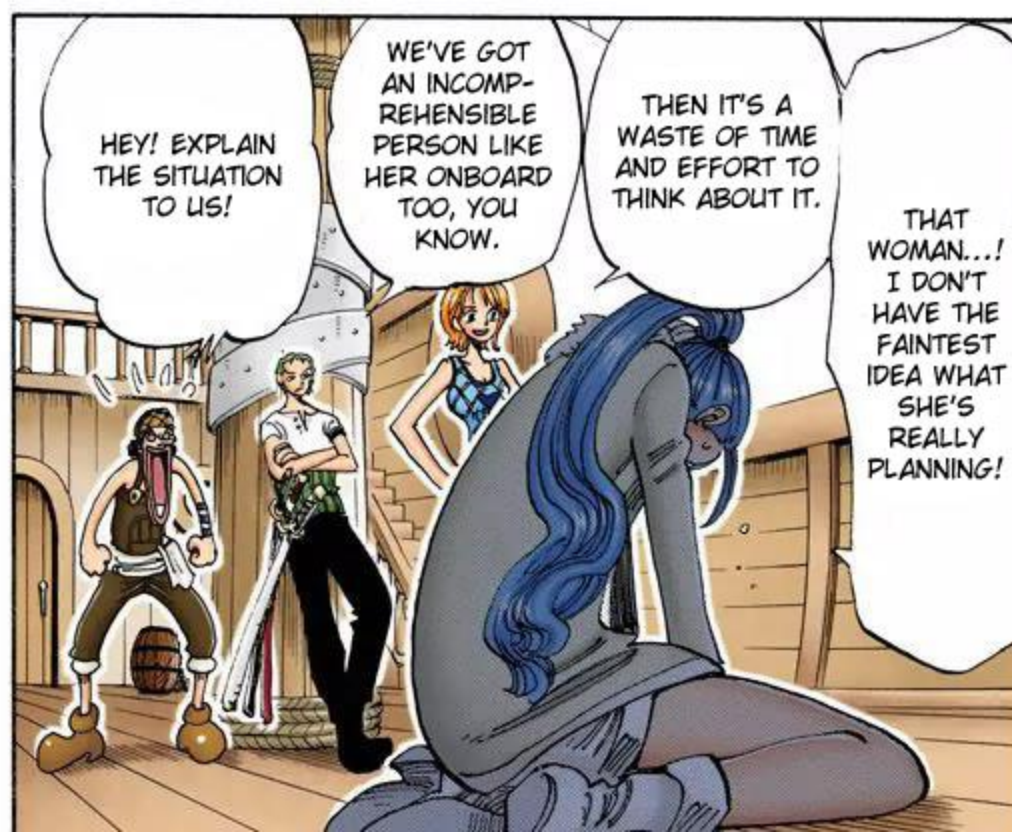
DOF!



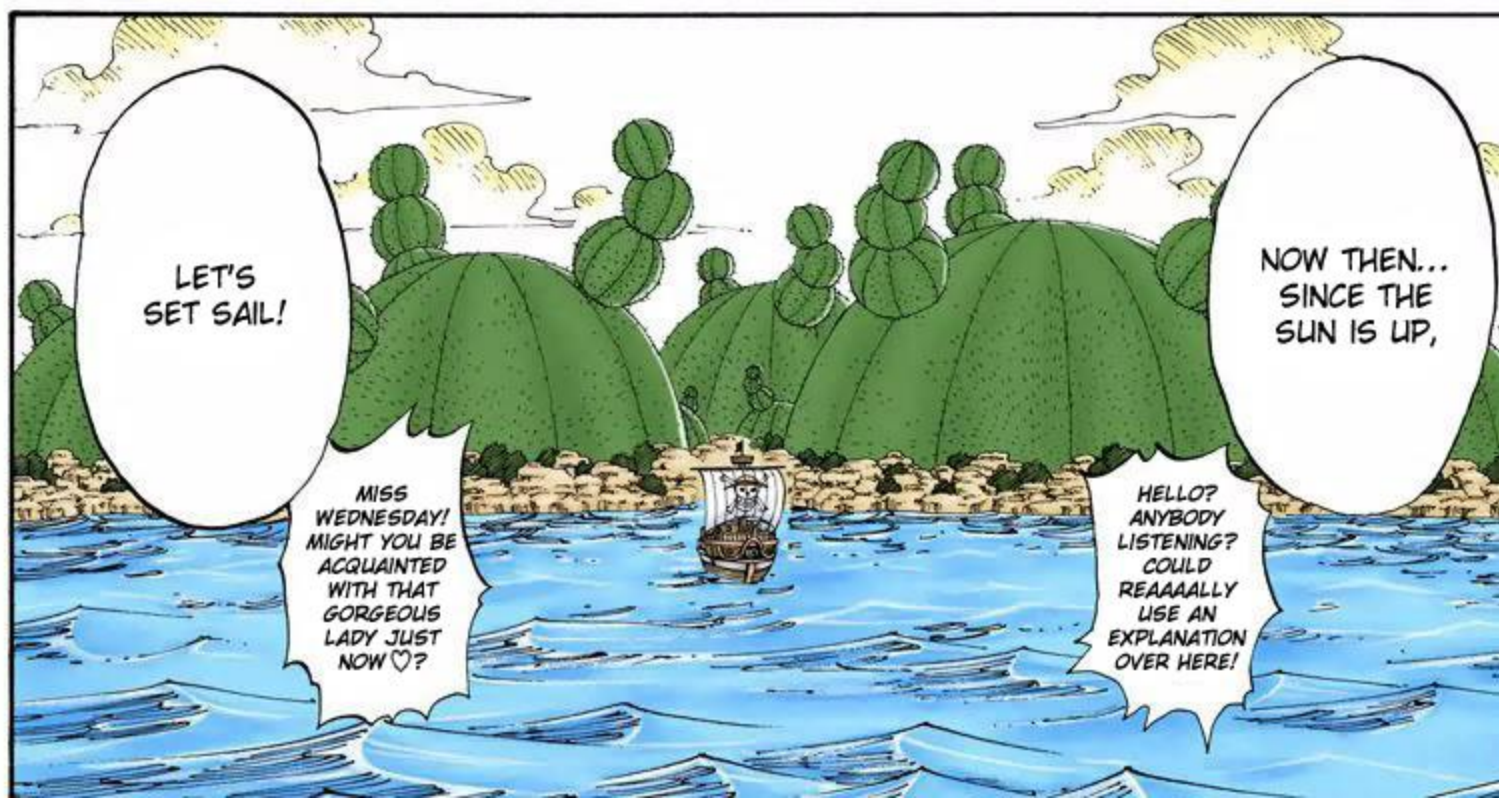
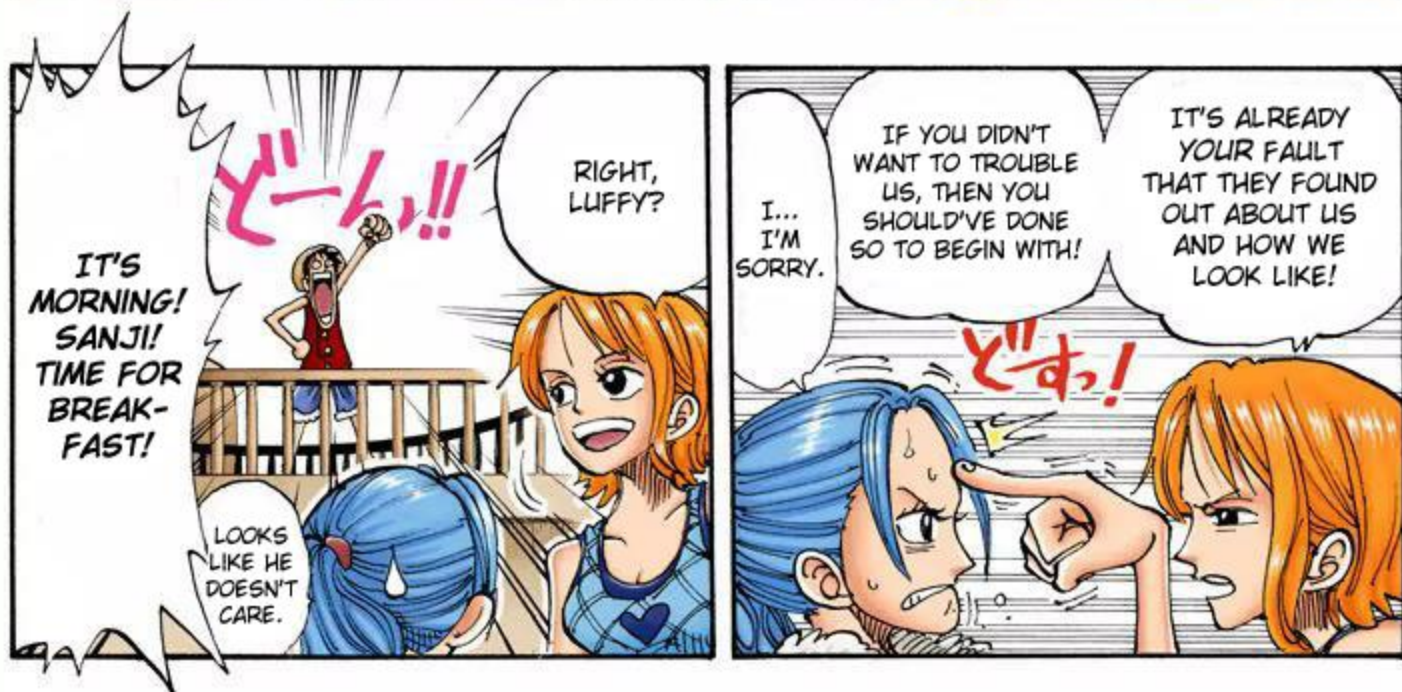
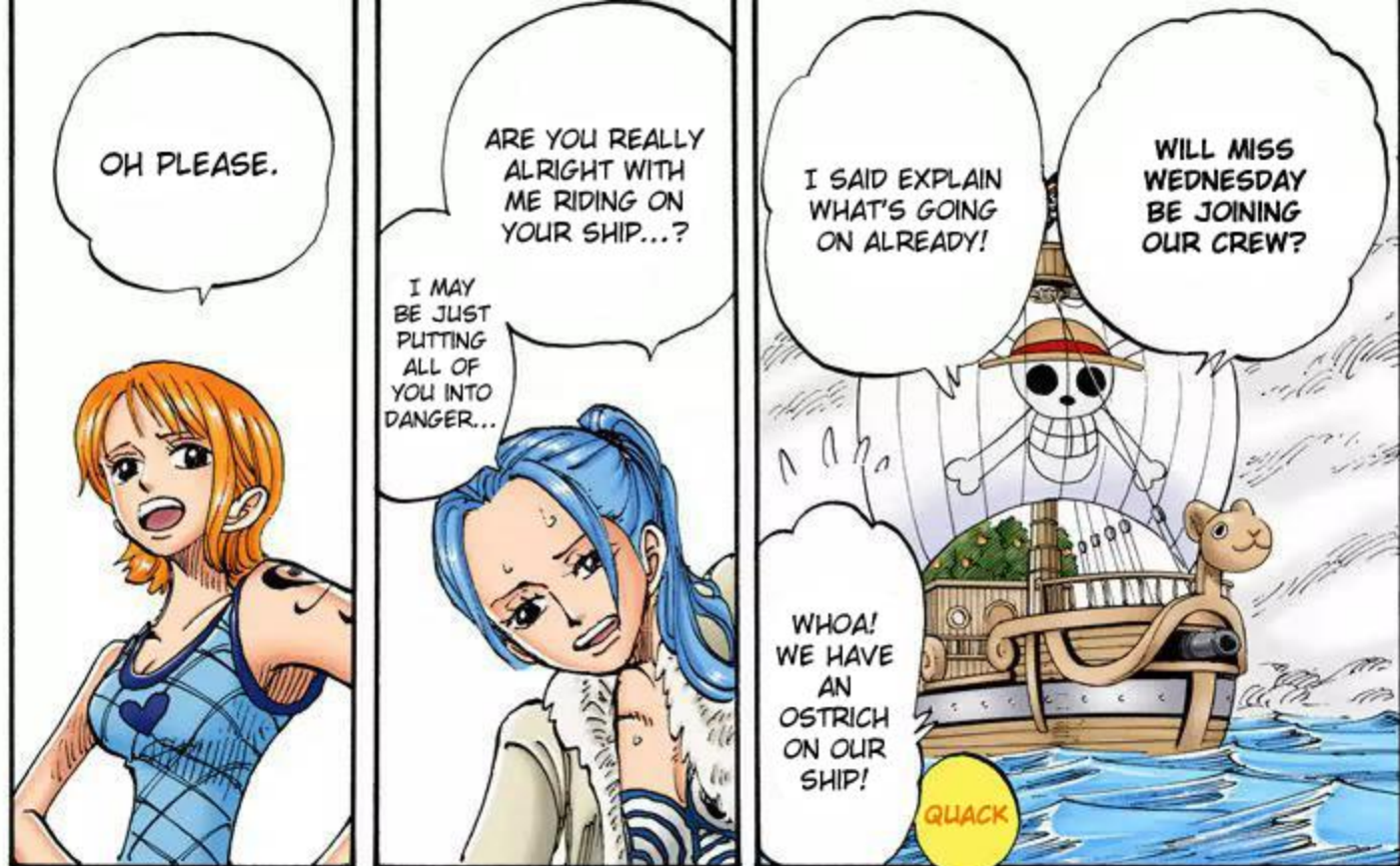
THAT  
YOU CAN  
CHOOSE  
THE PATH  
OF OUR  
JOURNEY!

DON'T  
YOU DARE  
THINK,

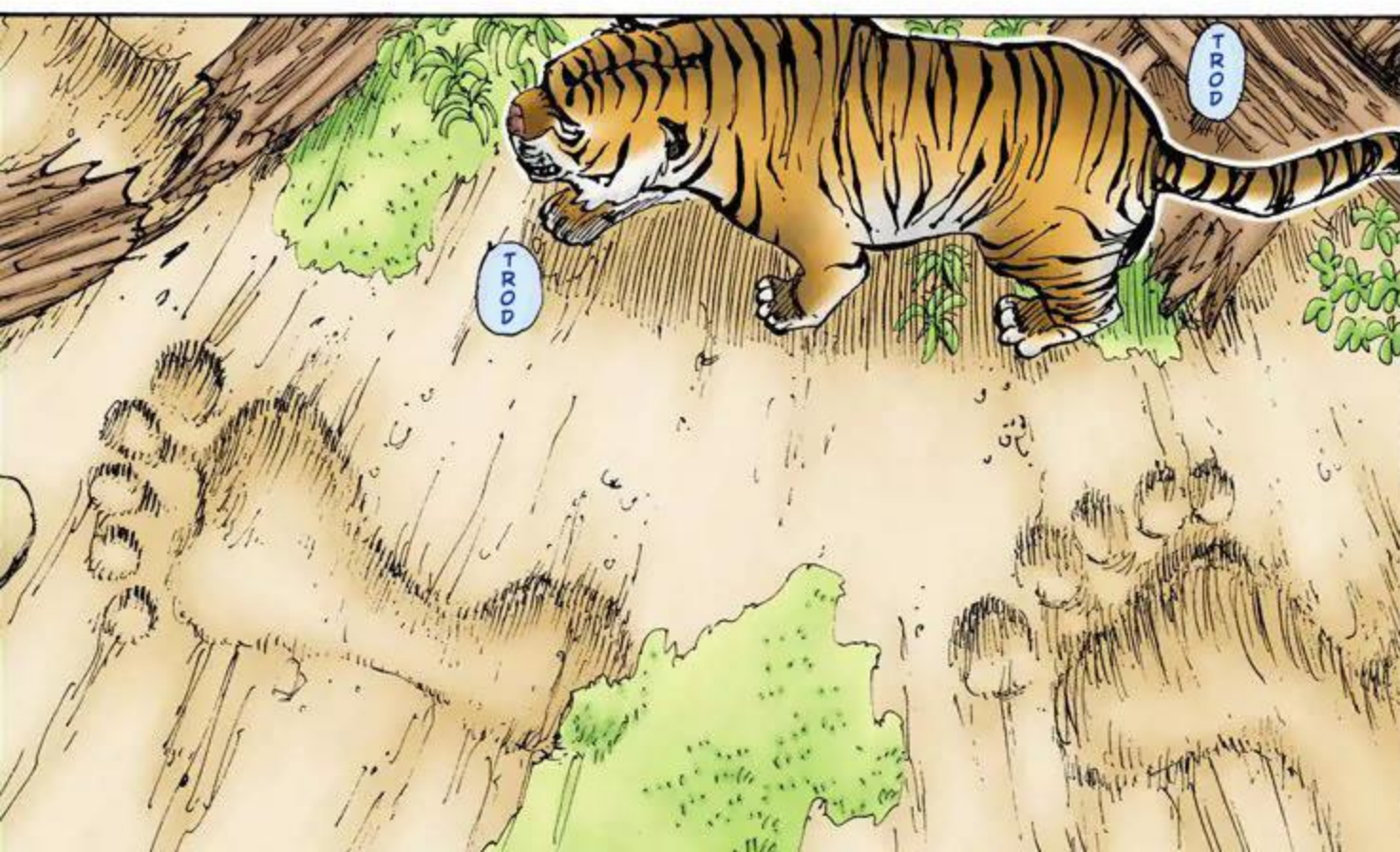
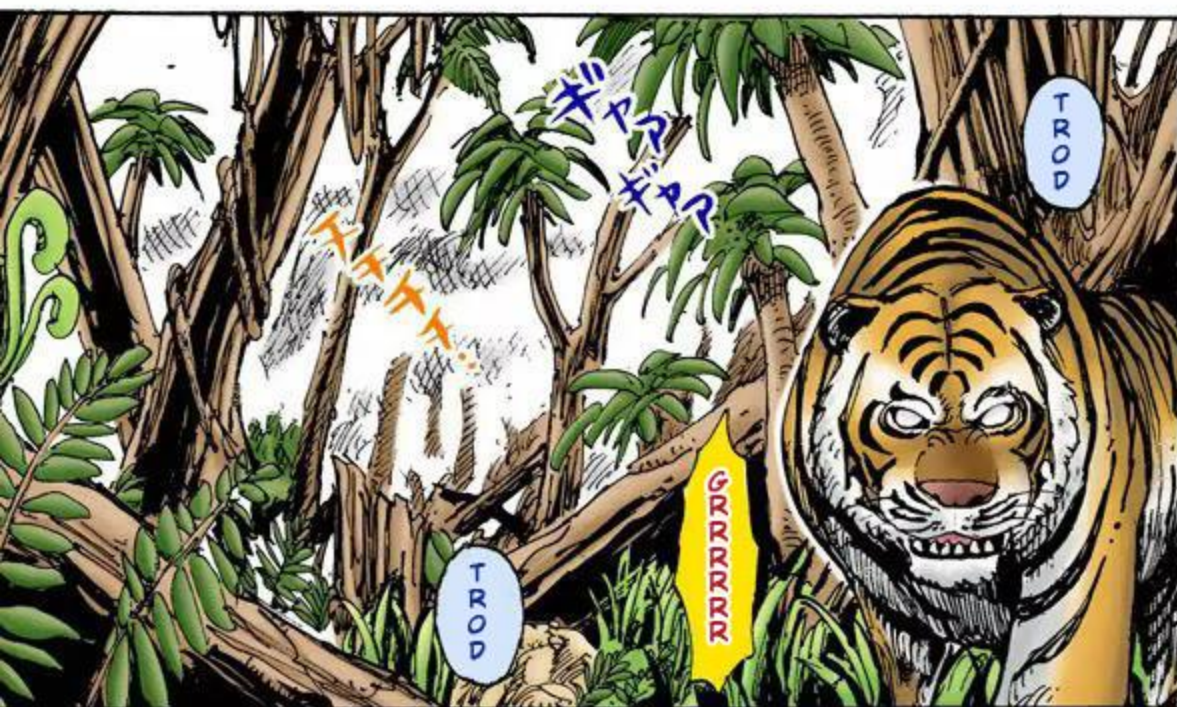








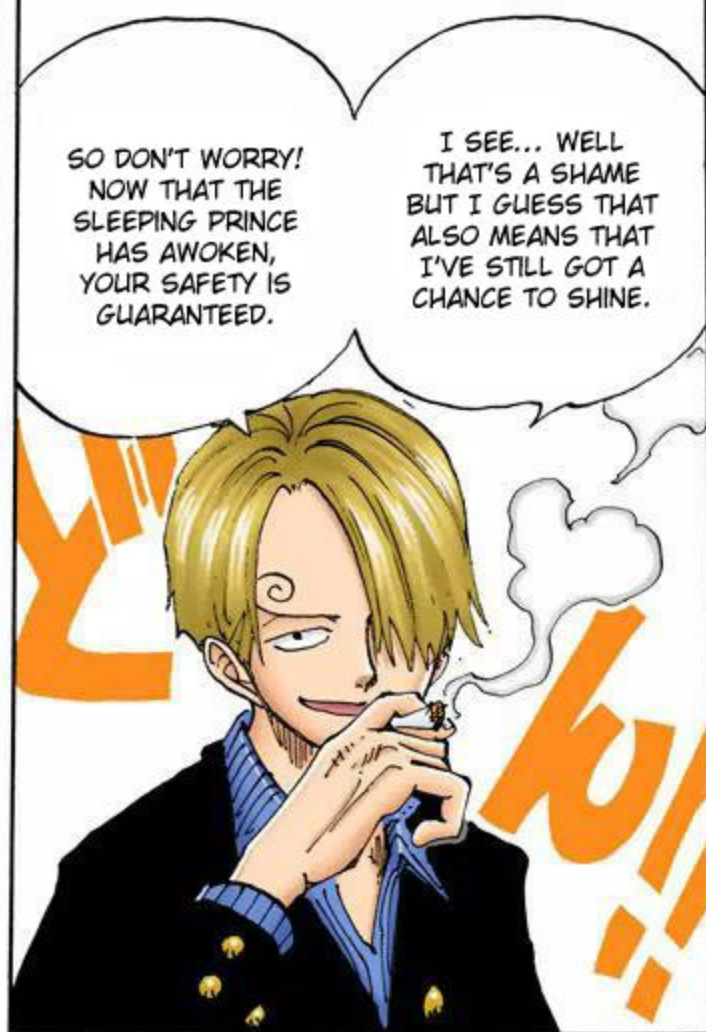






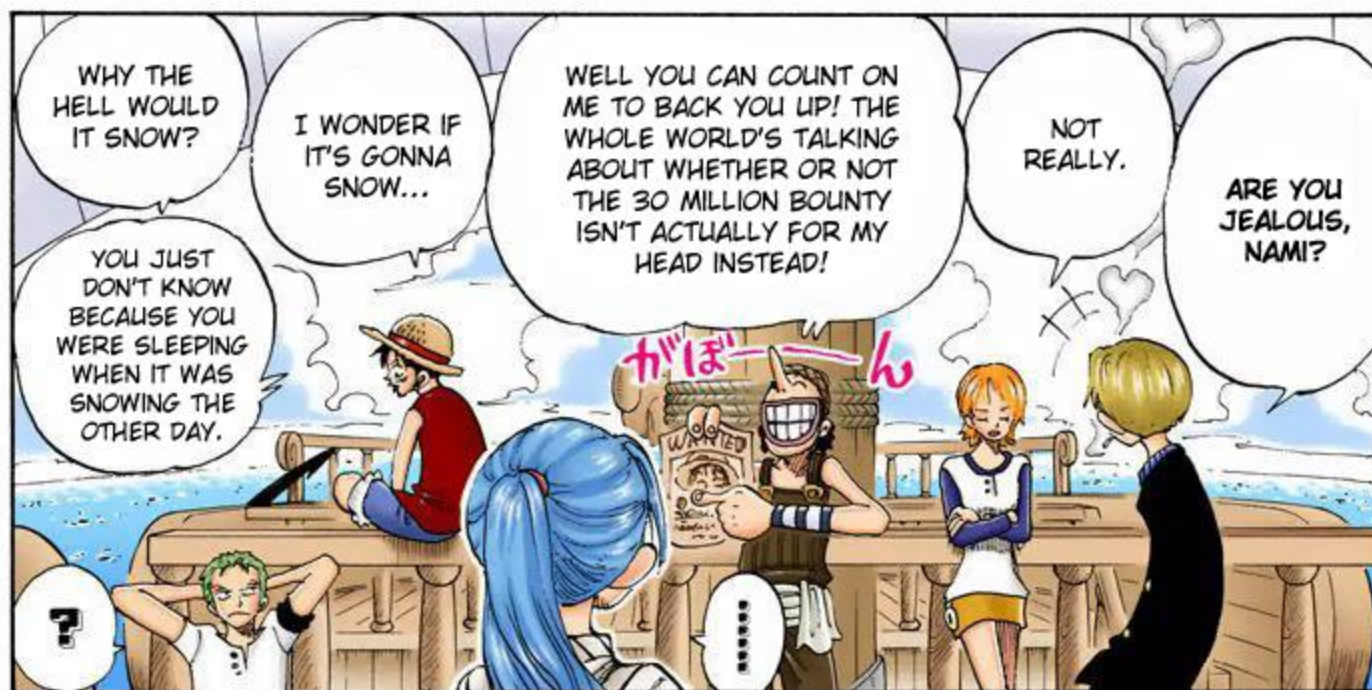


WOW.....  
.....  
I'M GLAD I SLEPT  
THROUGH ALL THAT!



SO DON'T WORRY!  
NOW THAT THE  
SLEEPING PRINCE  
HAS AWOKEN,  
YOUR SAFETY IS  
GUARANTEED.

I SEE... WELL  
THAT'S A SHAME  
BUT I GUESS THAT  
ALSO MEANS THAT  
I'VE STILL GOT A  
CHANCE TO SHINE.



WHY THE  
HELL WOULD  
IT SNOW?

I WONDER IF  
IT'S GONNA  
SNOW...

WELL YOU CAN COUNT ON  
ME TO BACK YOU UP! THE  
WHOLE WORLD'S TALKING  
ABOUT WHETHER OR NOT  
THE 30 MILLION BOUNTY  
ISN'T ACTUALLY FOR MY  
HEAD INSTEAD!

NOT  
REALLY.

ARE YOU  
JEALOUS,  
NAMI?

YOU JUST  
DON'T KNOW  
BECAUSE YOU  
WERE SLEEPING  
WHEN IT WAS  
SNOWING THE  
OTHER DAY.



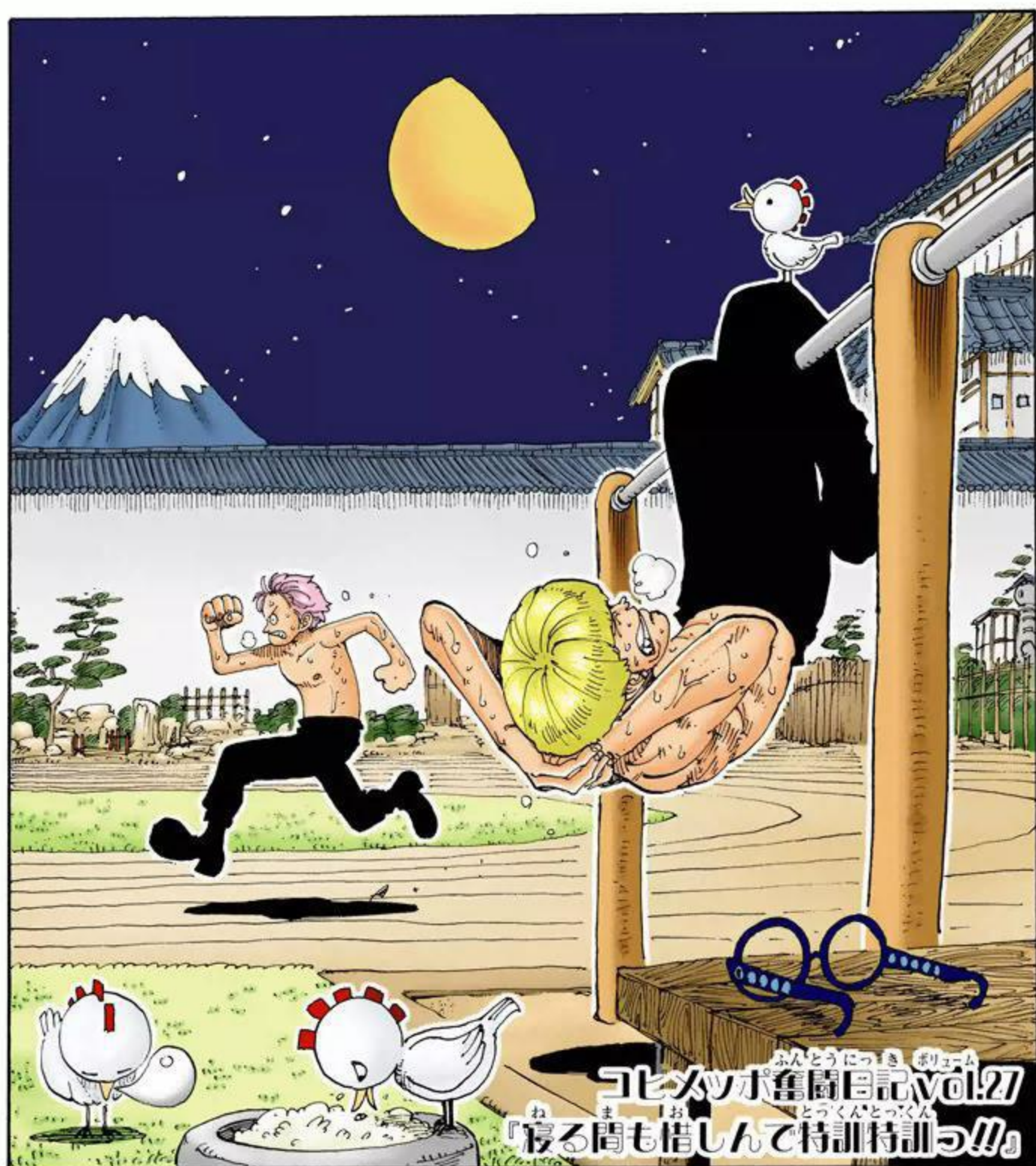
DO YA THINK  
IT'LL SNOW  
SOME MORE?

HEY!



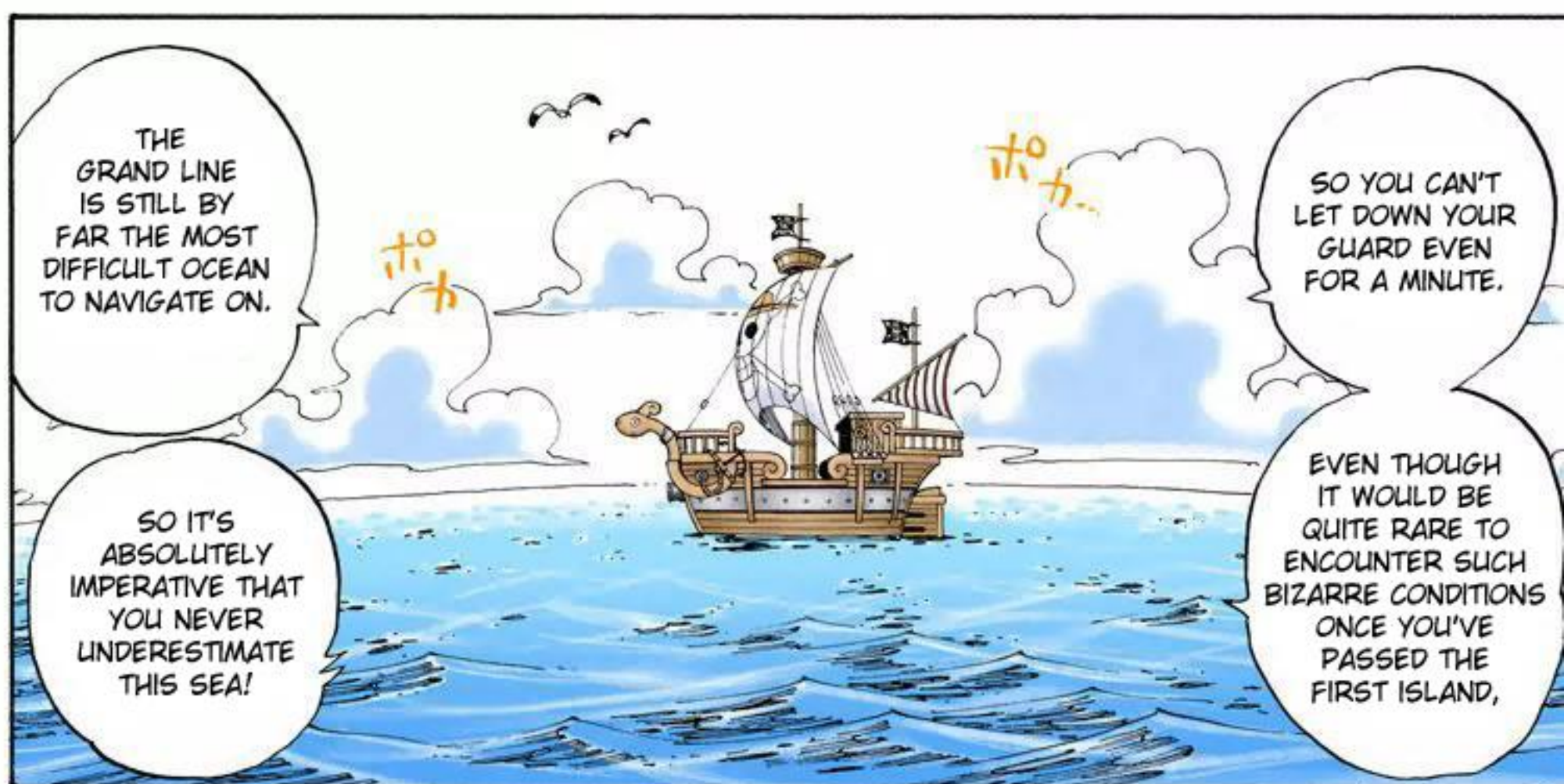
## CHAPTER 115

# “ADVENTURE ON LITTLE GARDEN”



COBY AND HELMEPPPO'S DIARY OF THEIR HARSH STRUGGLES VOL. 27  
"EVEN AT NIGHTTIME, TRAIN TRAIN TRAIN!"

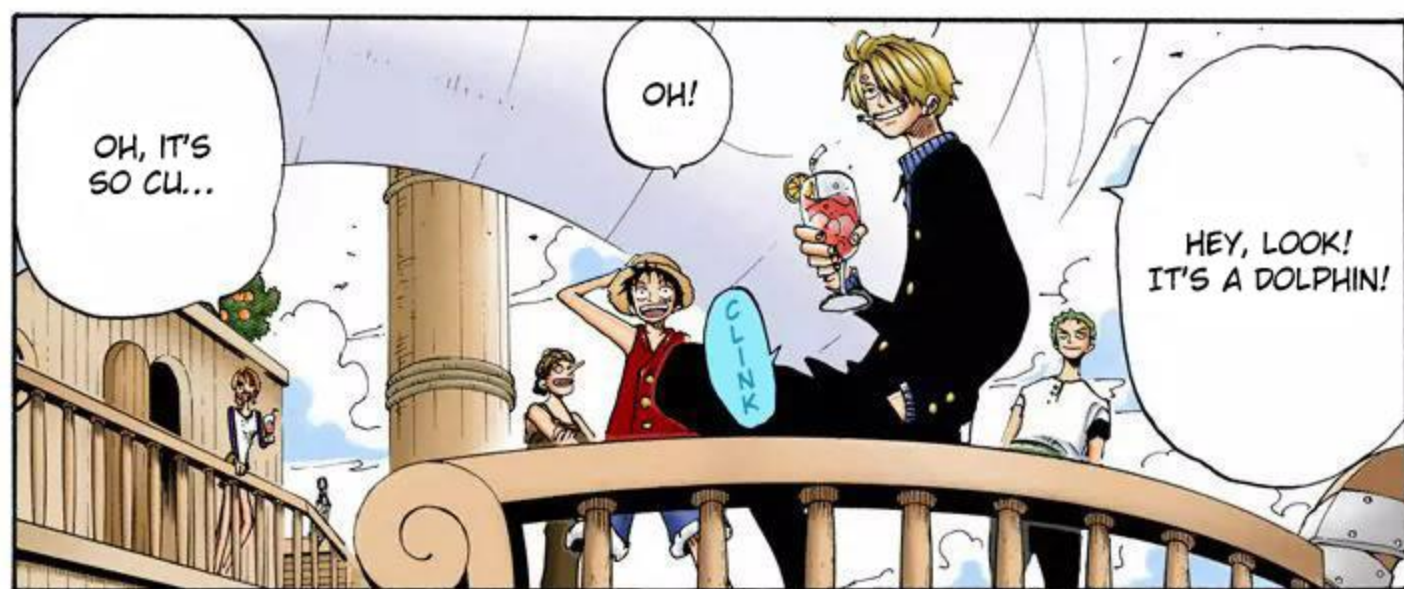
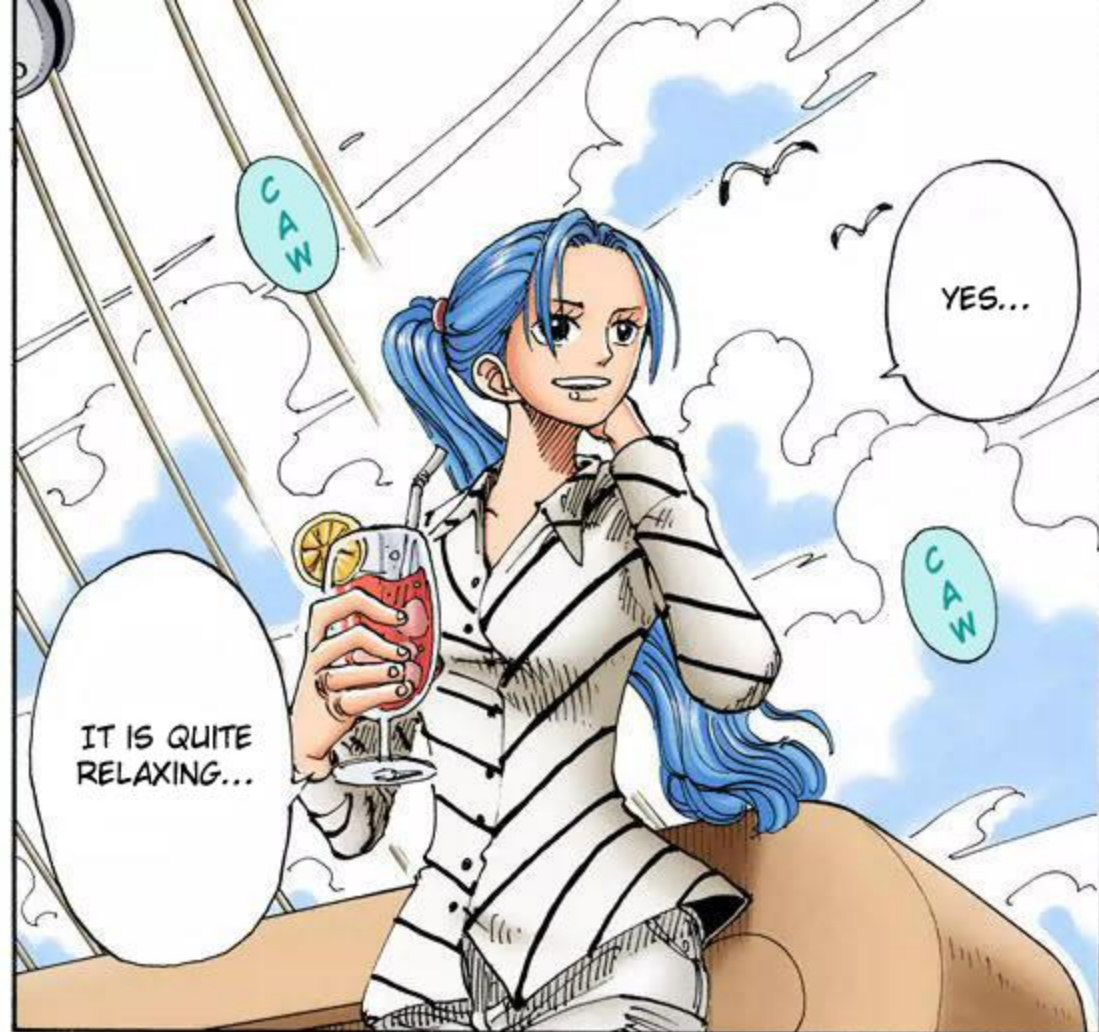




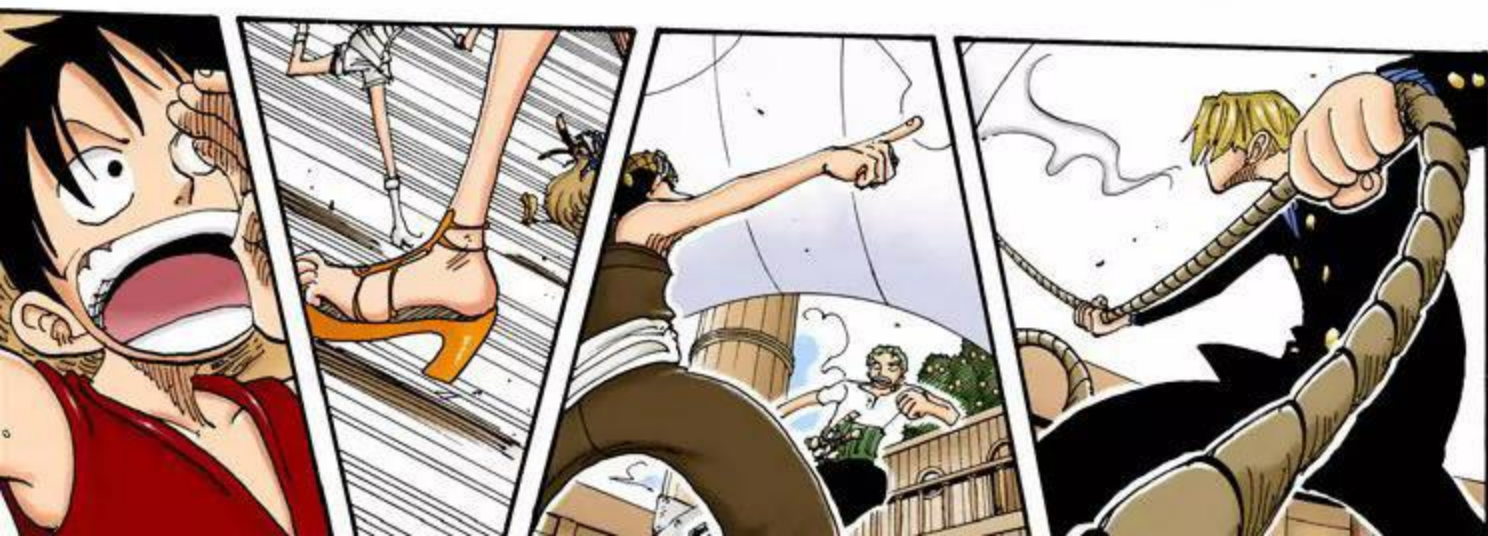
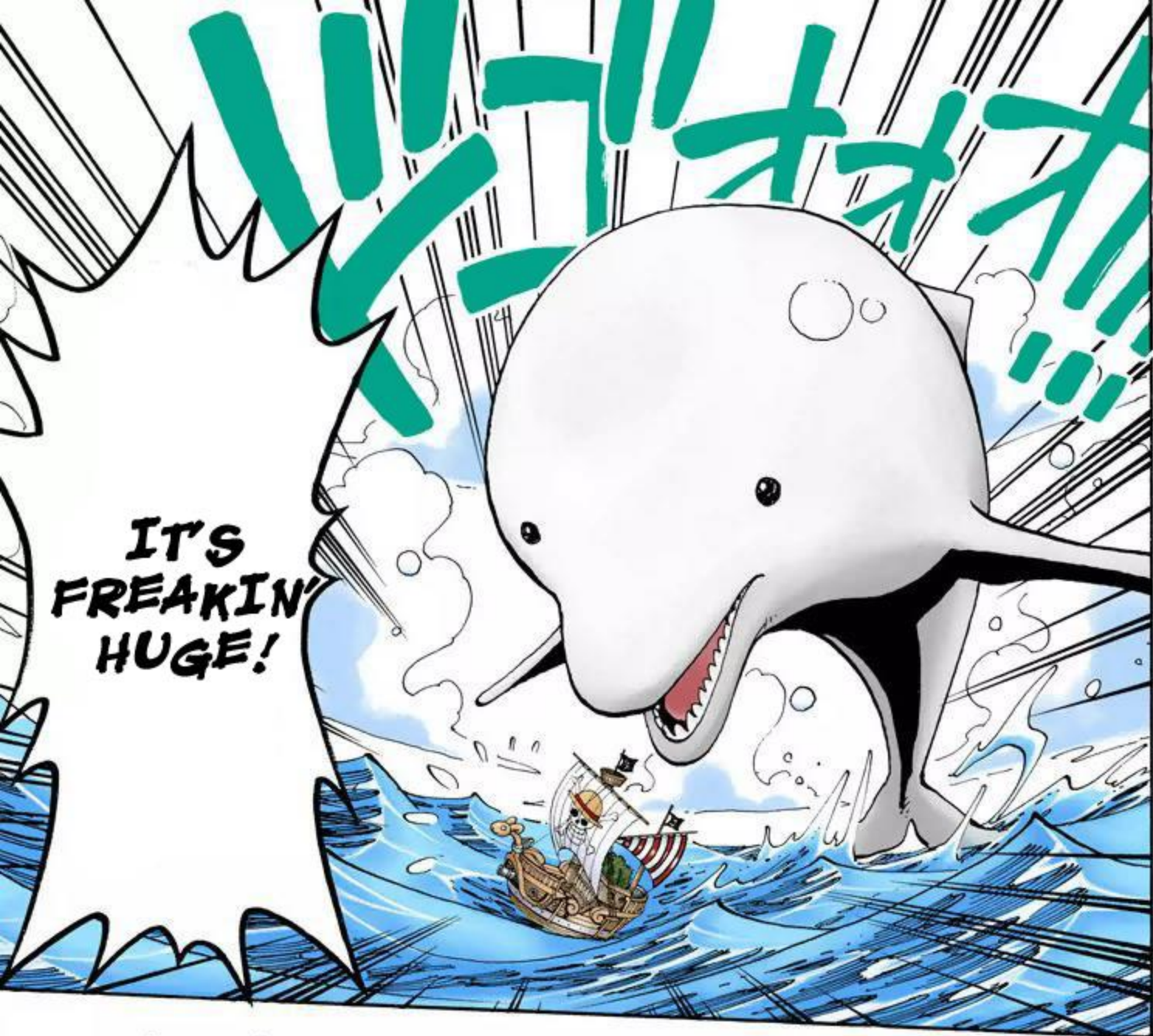




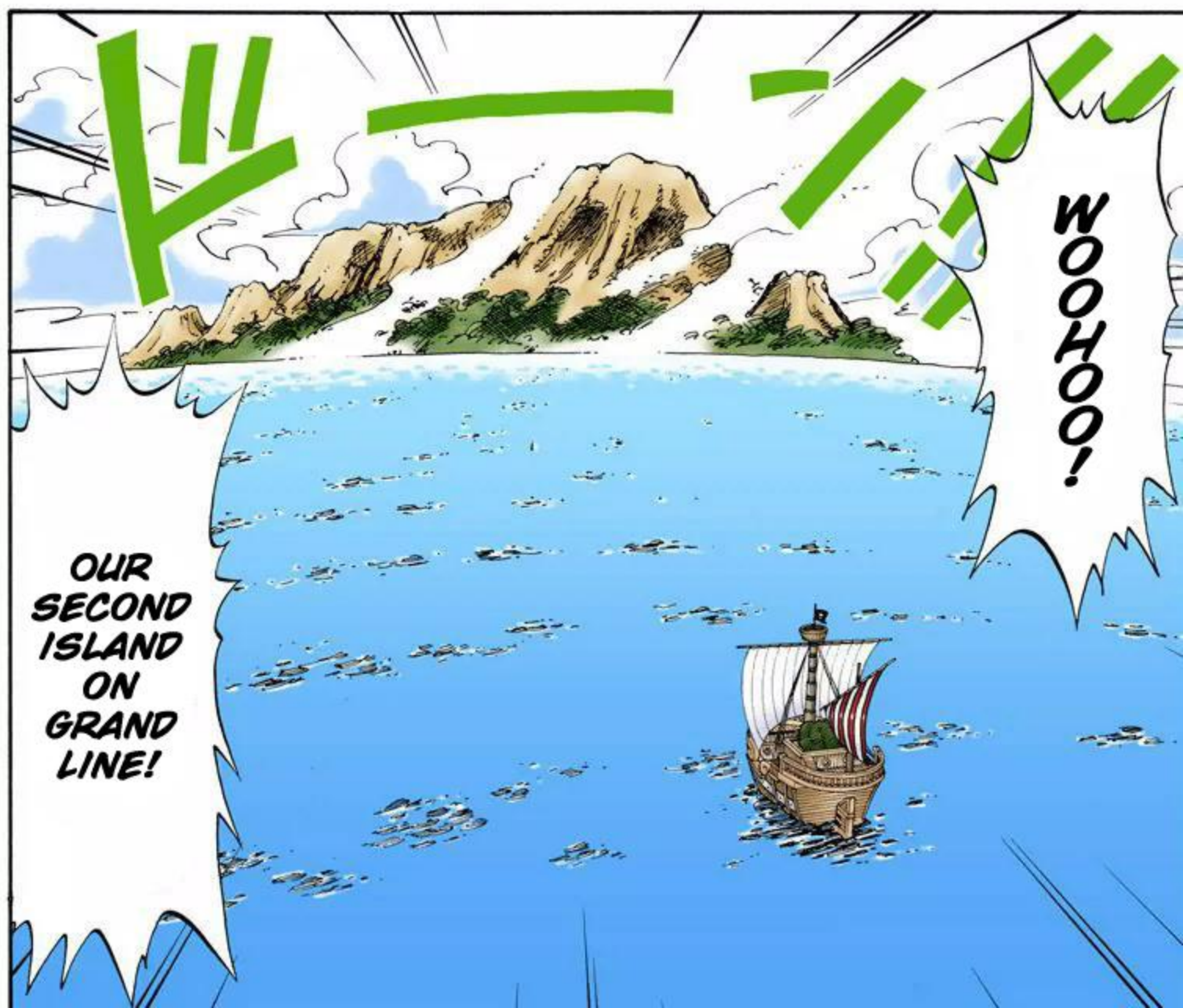
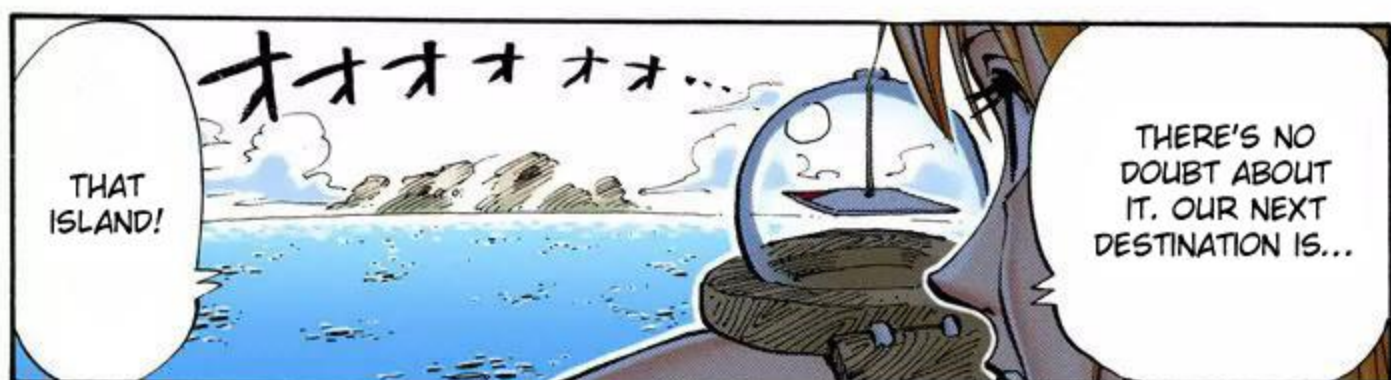
















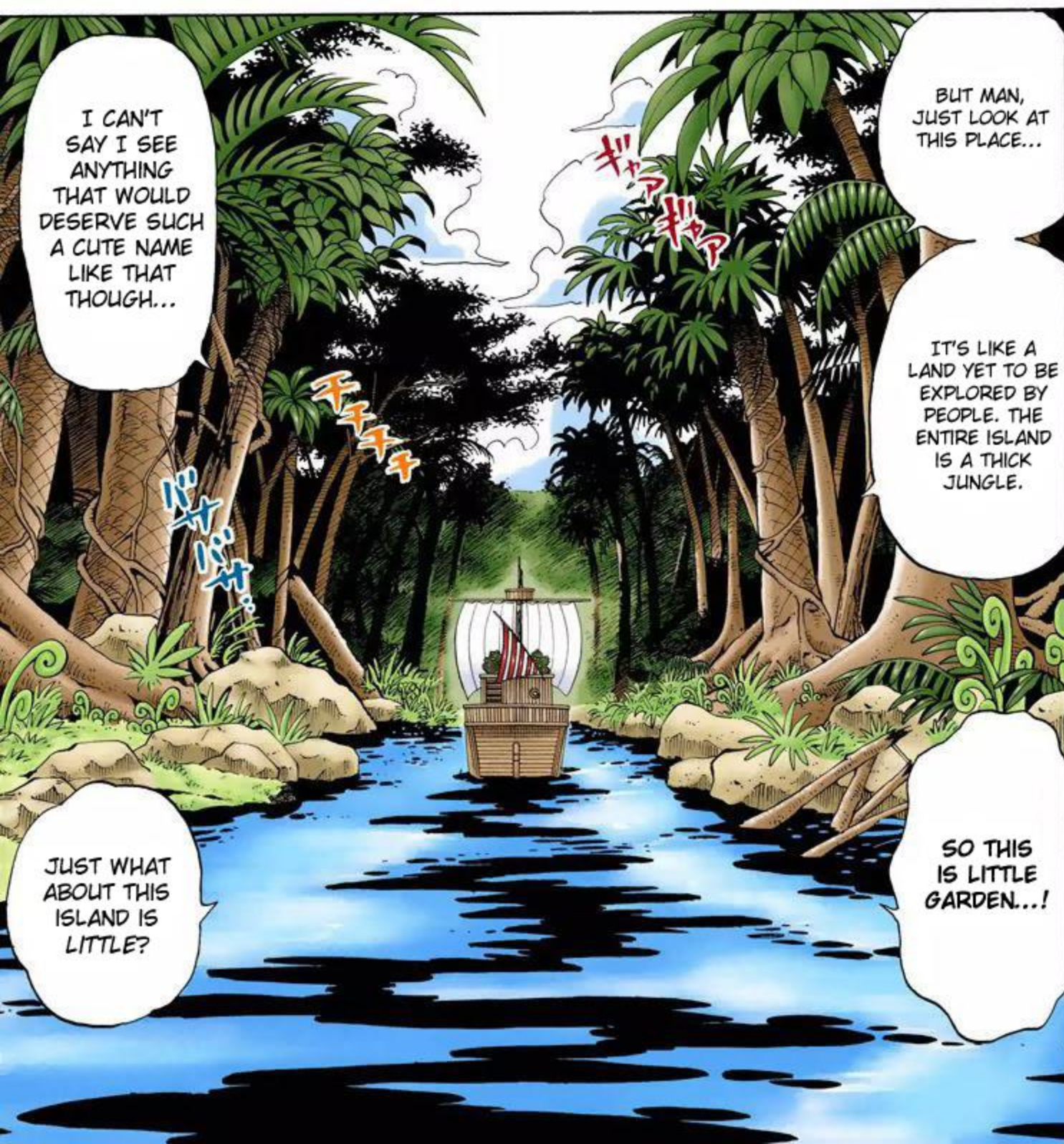
BUT WE GOTTA STOCK UP ON SOME FOOD PRETTY SOON. I WASN'T ABLE TO RESTOCK AT ALL AT THE LAST TOWN.

BEATS ME.

Y-Y-YOU DON'T THINK THERE ARE MONSTERS HERE, DO YOU?

I'M WORRIED ABOUT WHAT MS. ALL-SUNDAY SAID ABOUT THIS ISLAND.

WE SHOULD BE CAREFUL...



I CAN'T SAY I SEE ANYTHING THAT WOULD DESERVE SUCH A CUTE NAME LIKE THAT THOUGH...

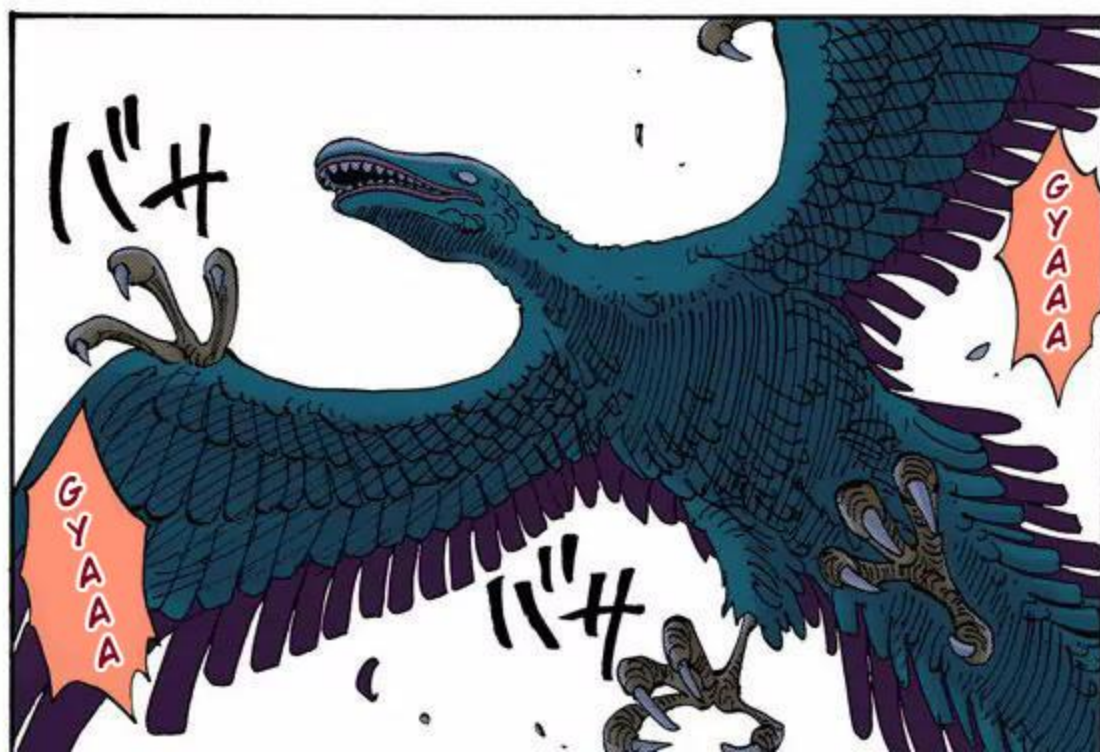
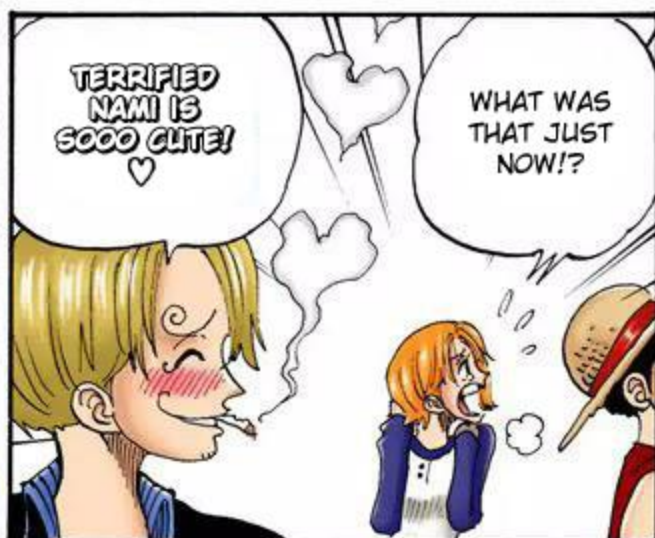
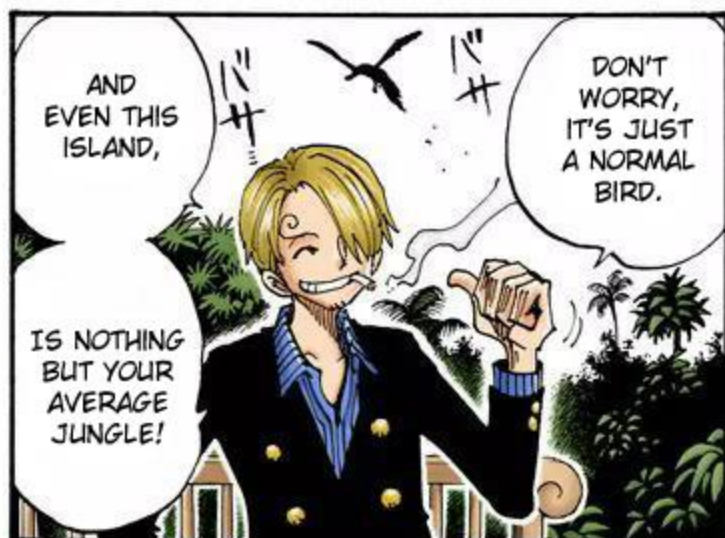
BUT MAN, JUST LOOK AT THIS PLACE...

IT'S LIKE A LAND YET TO BE EXPLORED BY PEOPLE. THE ENTIRE ISLAND IS A THICK JUNGLE.

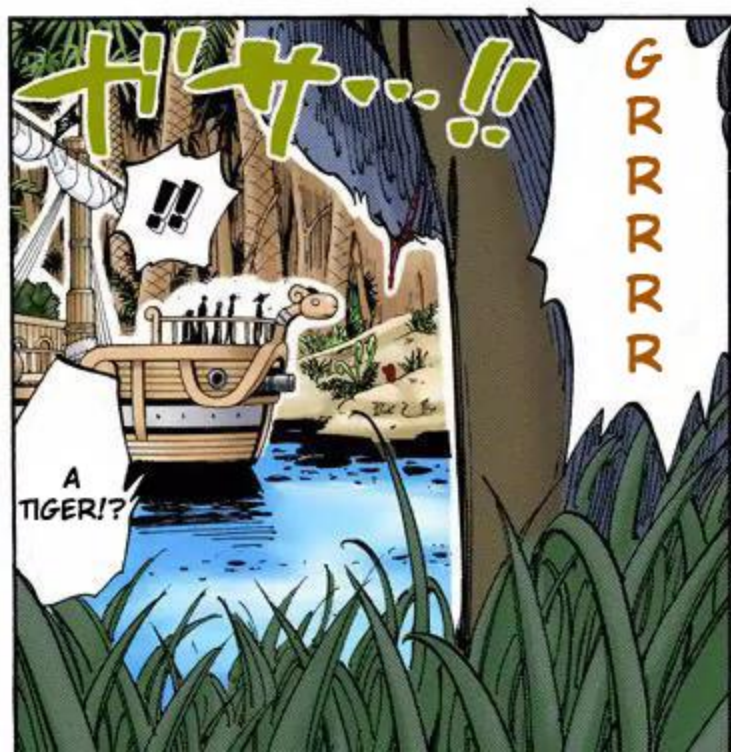
JUST WHAT ABOUT THIS ISLAND IS LITTLE?

SO THIS IS LITTLE GARDEN...!

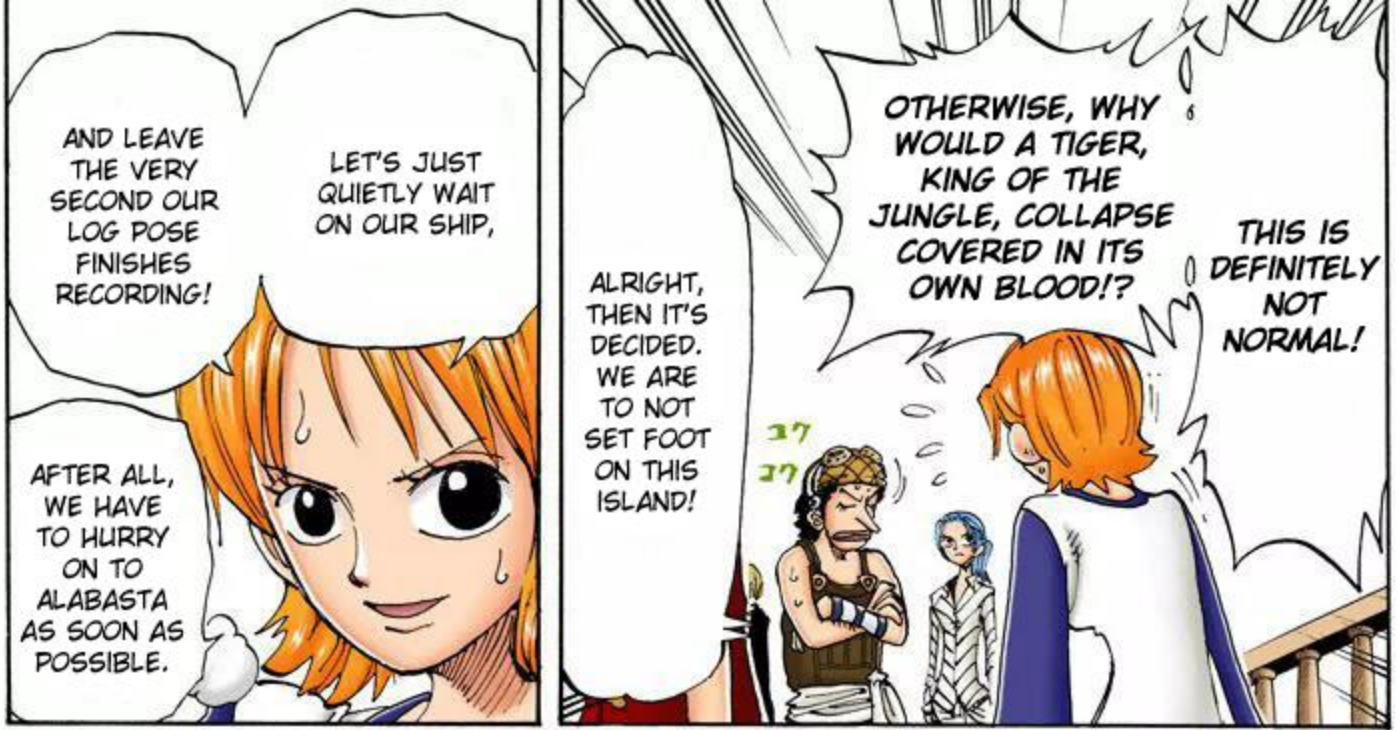








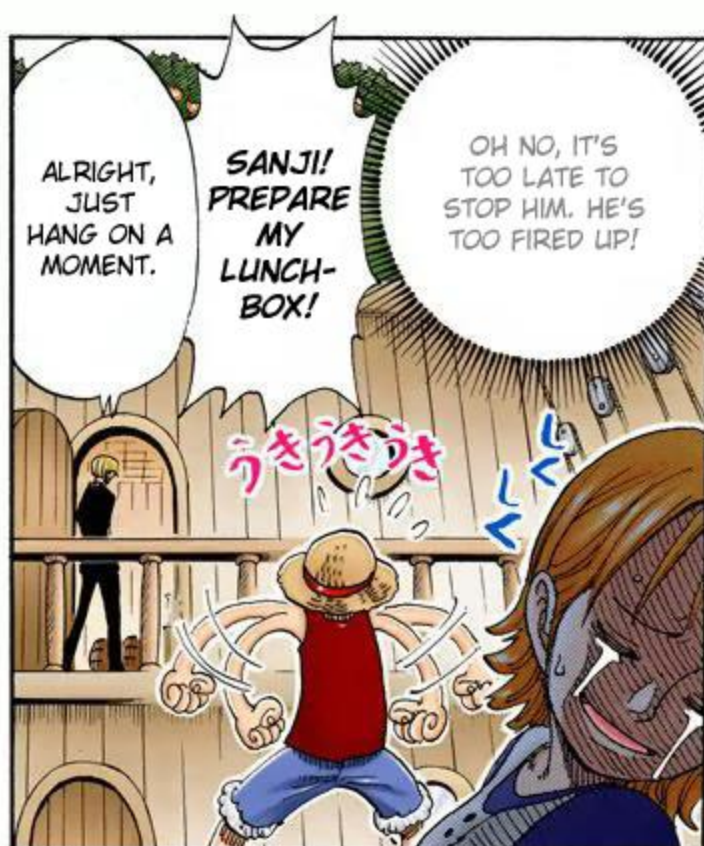




\*A pirate lunchbox has no vegetables for maximum energy.









WE'LL BE  
BACK!

ALRIGHT,  
LET'S GO!



YO ZORO,  
WAIT!

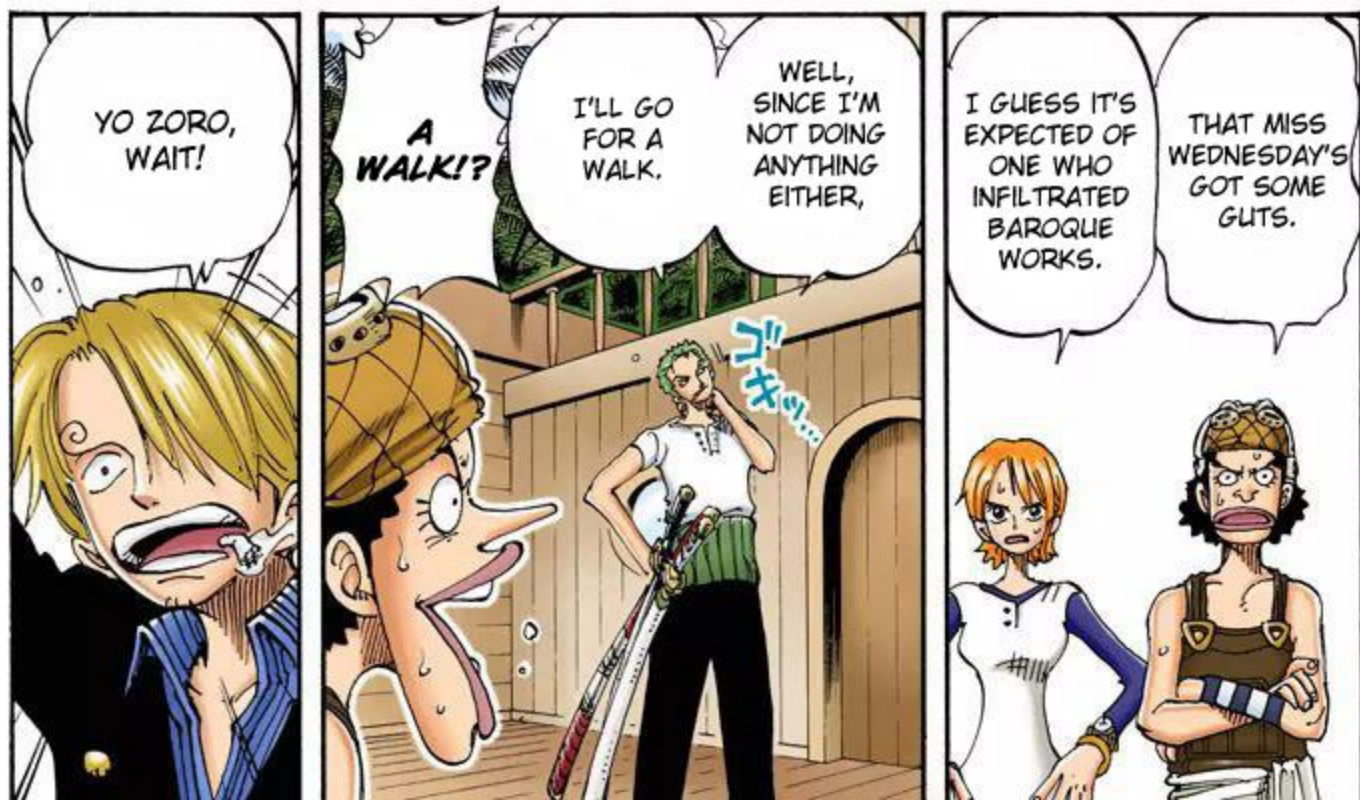
A  
WALK!?

I'LL GO  
FOR A  
WALK.

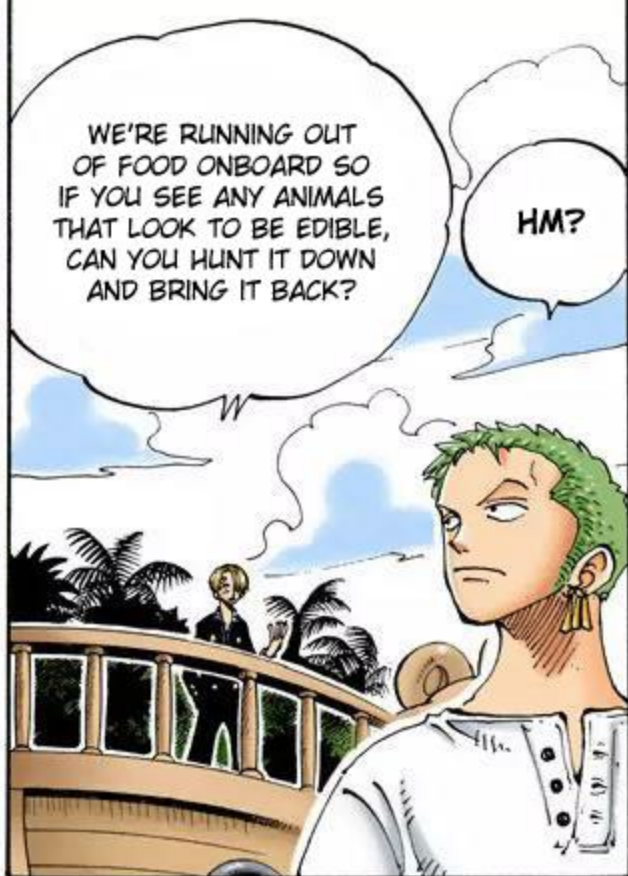
WELL,  
SINCE I'M  
NOT DOING  
ANYTHING  
EITHER,

I GUESS IT'S  
EXPECTED OF  
ONE WHO  
INFILTRATED  
BAROQUE  
WORKS.

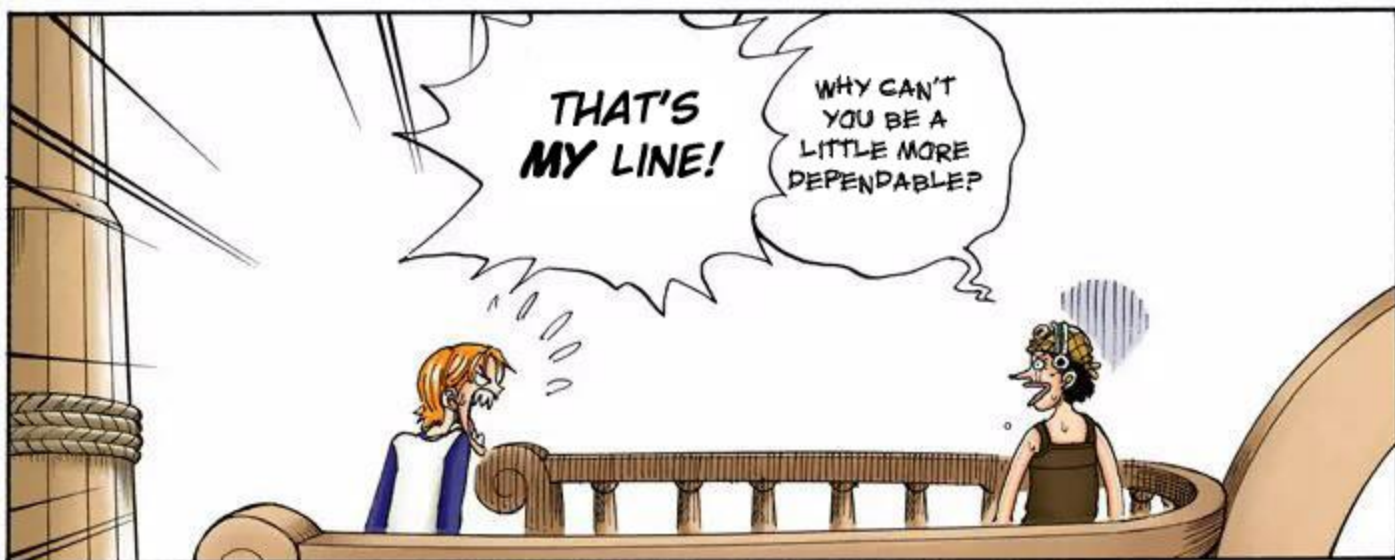
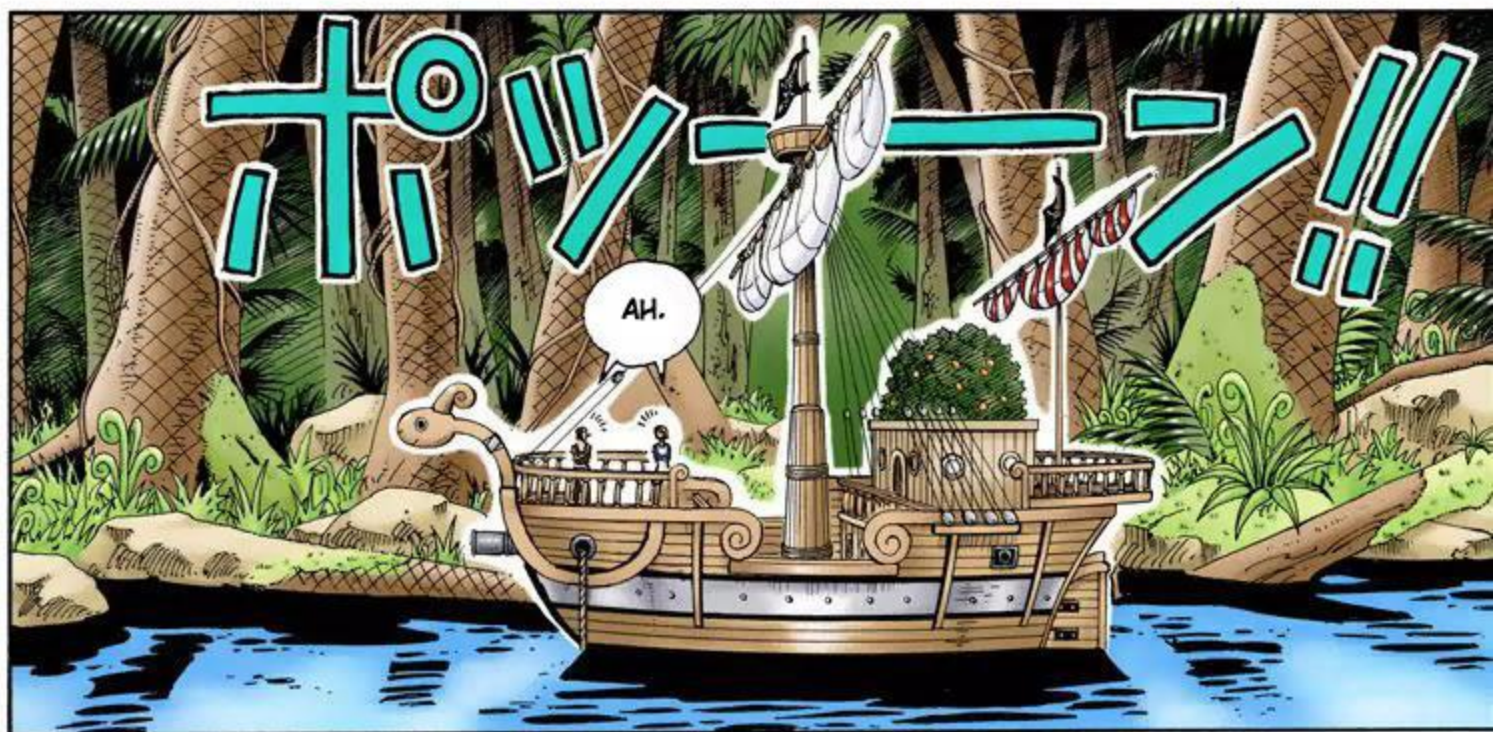
THAT MISS  
WEDNESDAY'S  
GOT SOME  
GUTS.



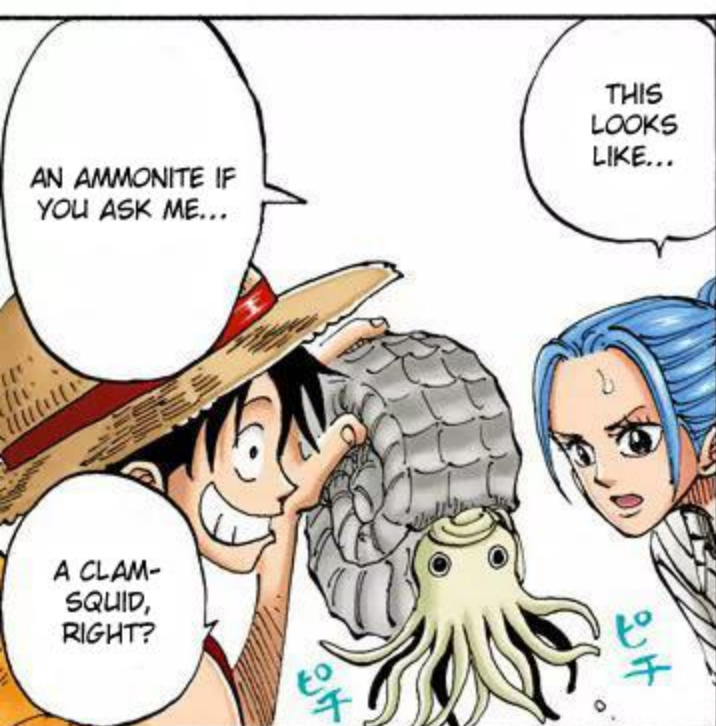
















WHY'S THERE  
A SEA KING  
ON LAND?



A DINO-  
SAUR!?

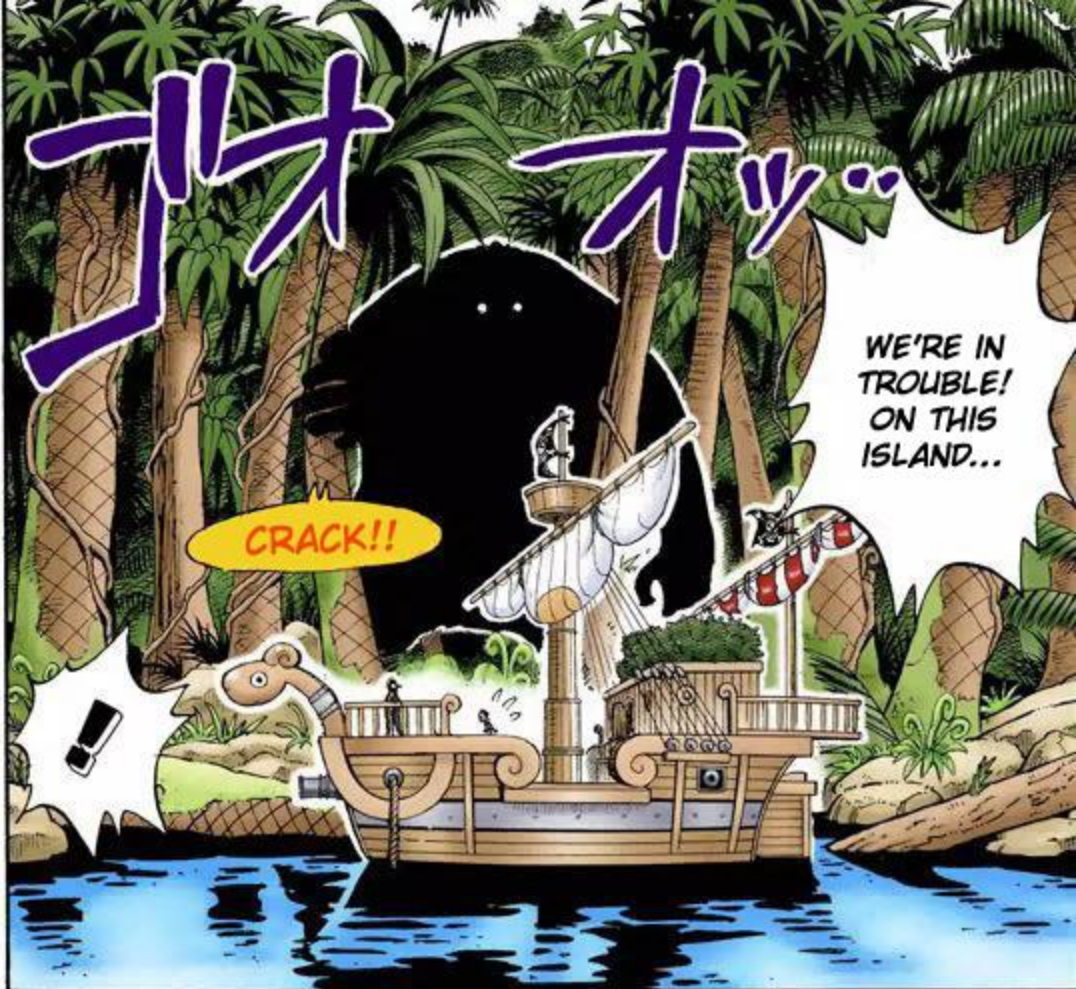


IT'S A  
DINO-  
SAUR!









AN ISLAND OF  
GIANTS, "LITTLE  
GARDEN." THAT  
IS WHAT I HAVE  
DECIDED TO NAME  
THIS ISLAND.  
-EXPLORER  
LOUIS ARNOTE-



TO ITS  
INHABITANTS,  
THIS ISLAND IS  
LIKE A LITTLE  
GARDEN.

!!...バッ



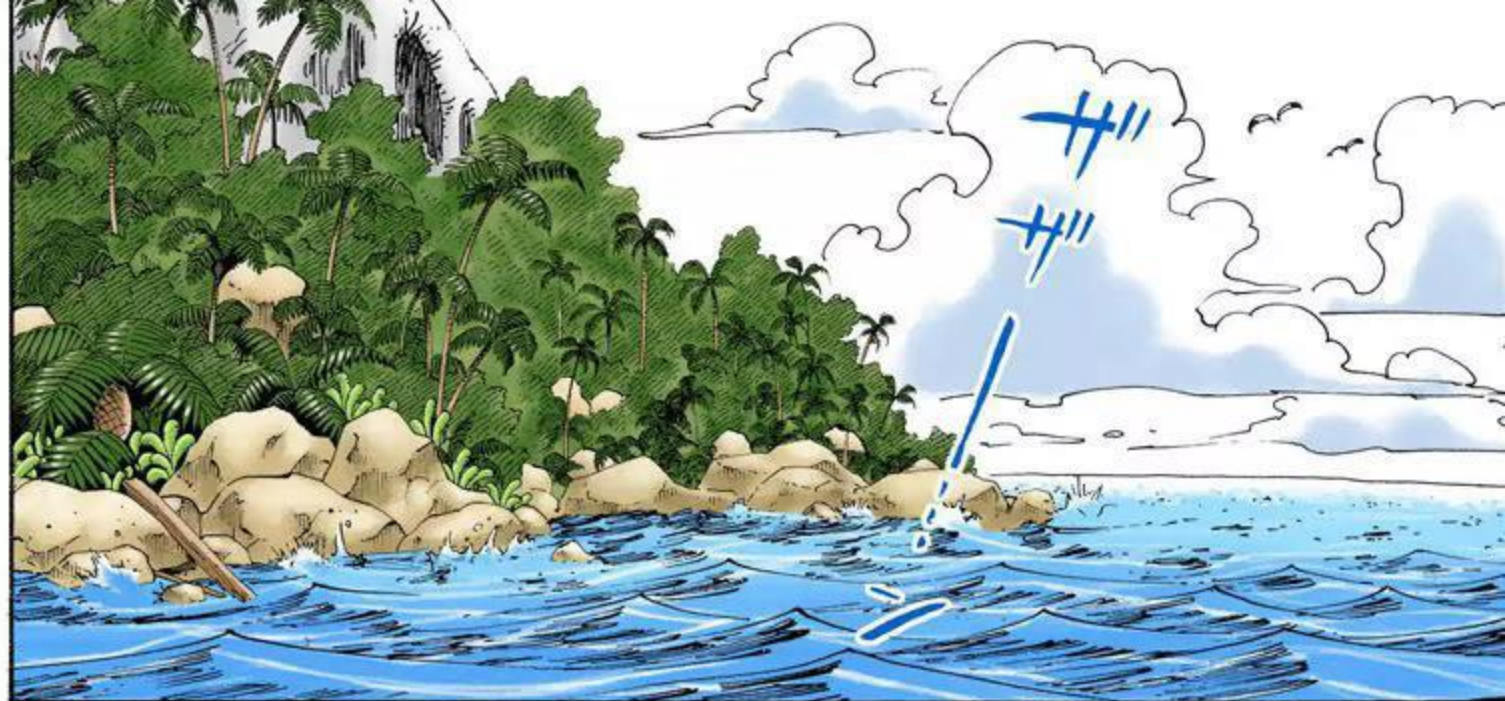
## CHAPTER 116

## “HUUUGGEE”



COBY AND HELMEPPPO'S DIARY OF THEIR HARSH STRUGGLES VOL. 28  
"SPECIAL TRAINING EVERY DAY!"











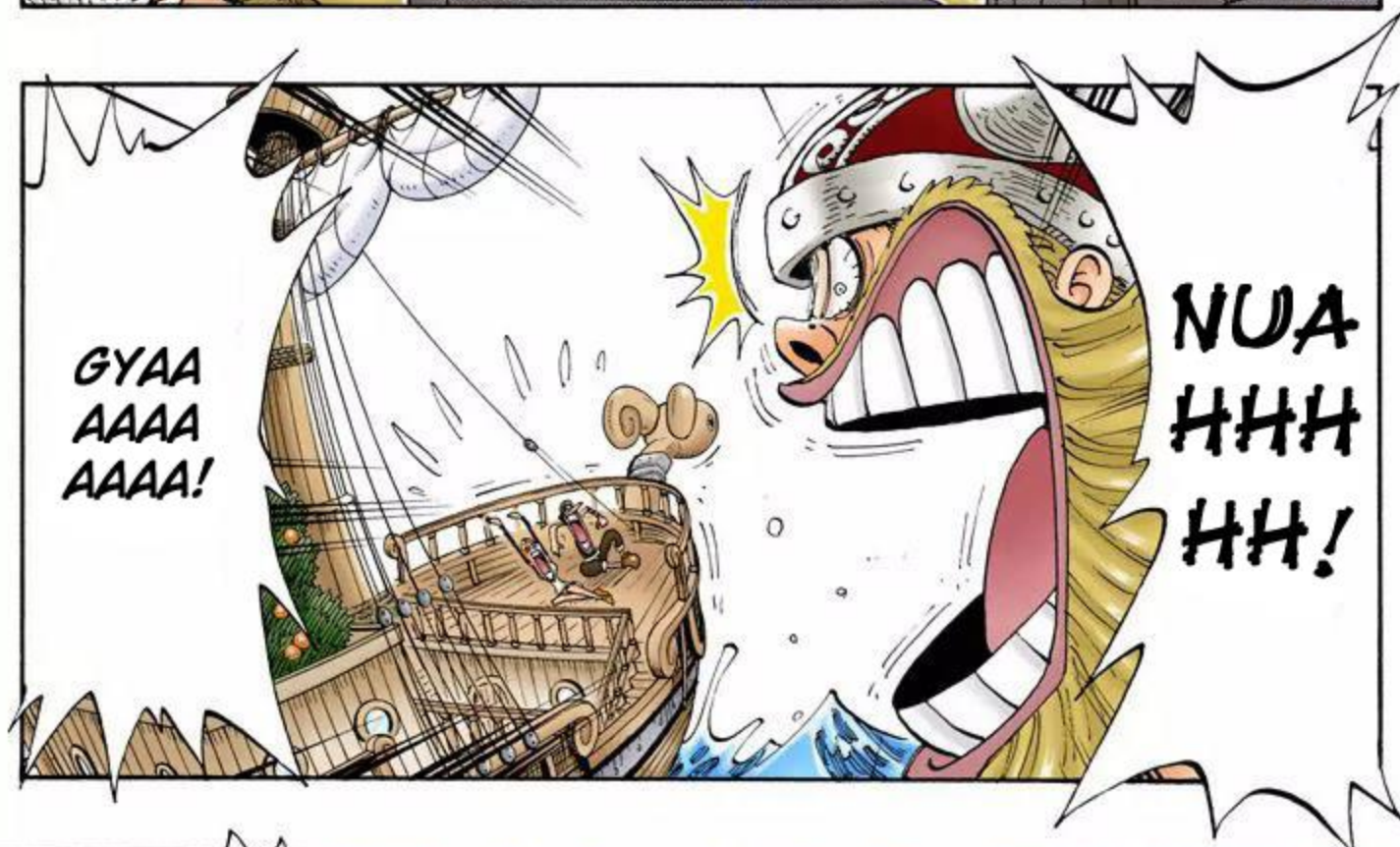


I'M ASKING  
YOU IF YOU  
HAVE ANY  
RUM.

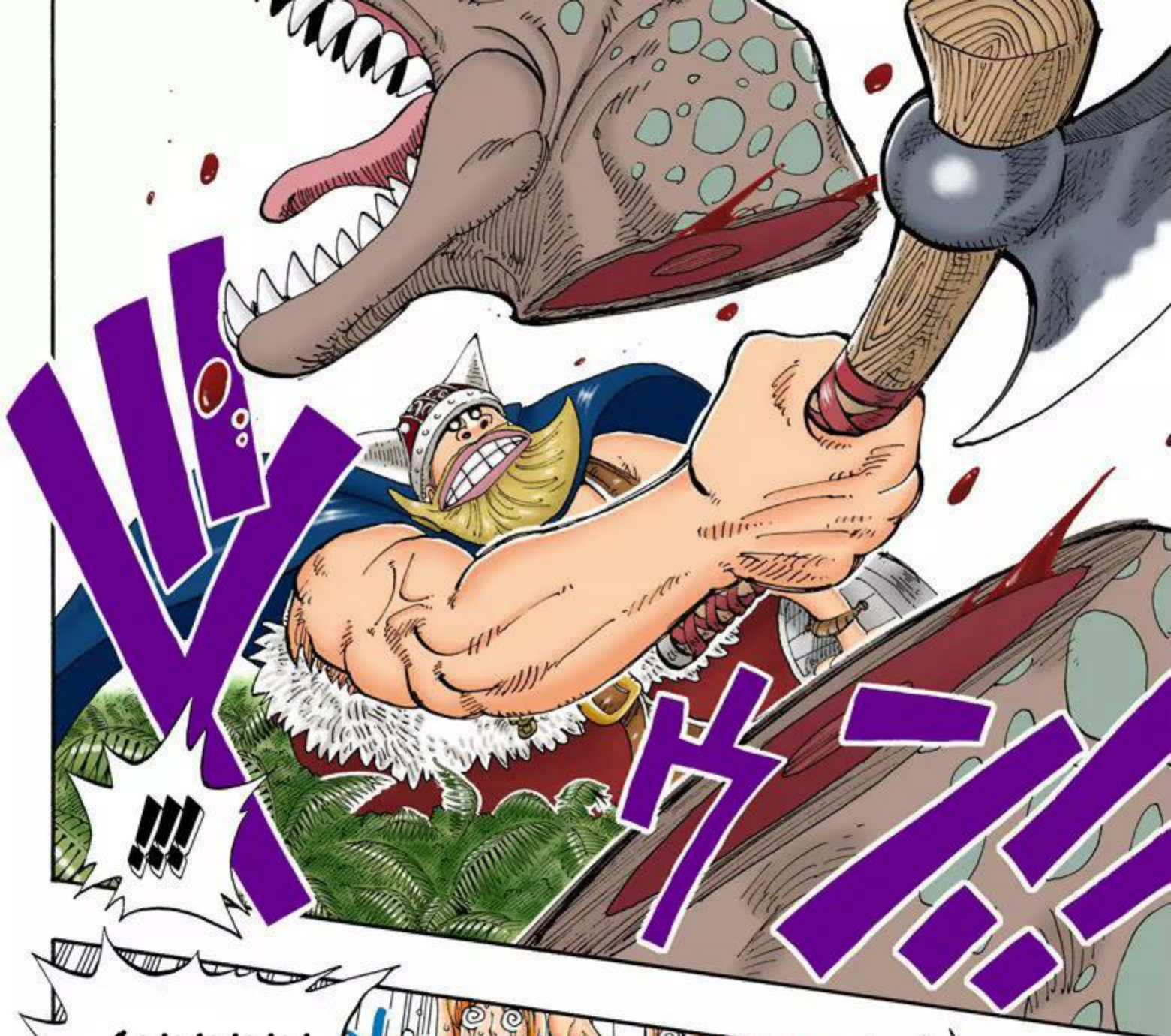
GIANT  
BROGY

W-WE  
HAVE A  
LITTLE...

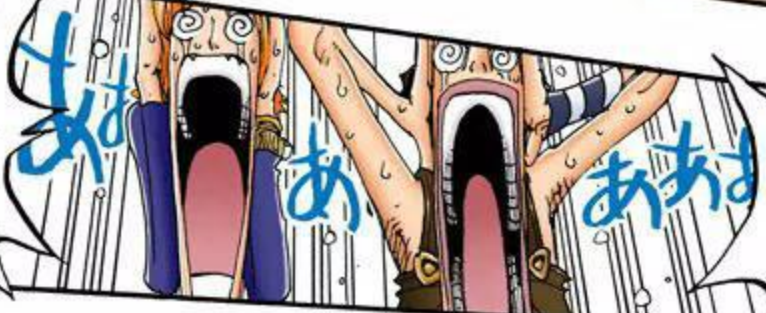








AAAAAAAA  
HHHHHHH!



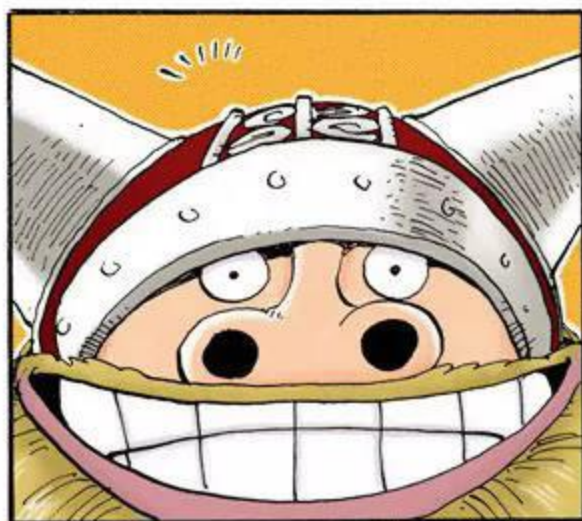
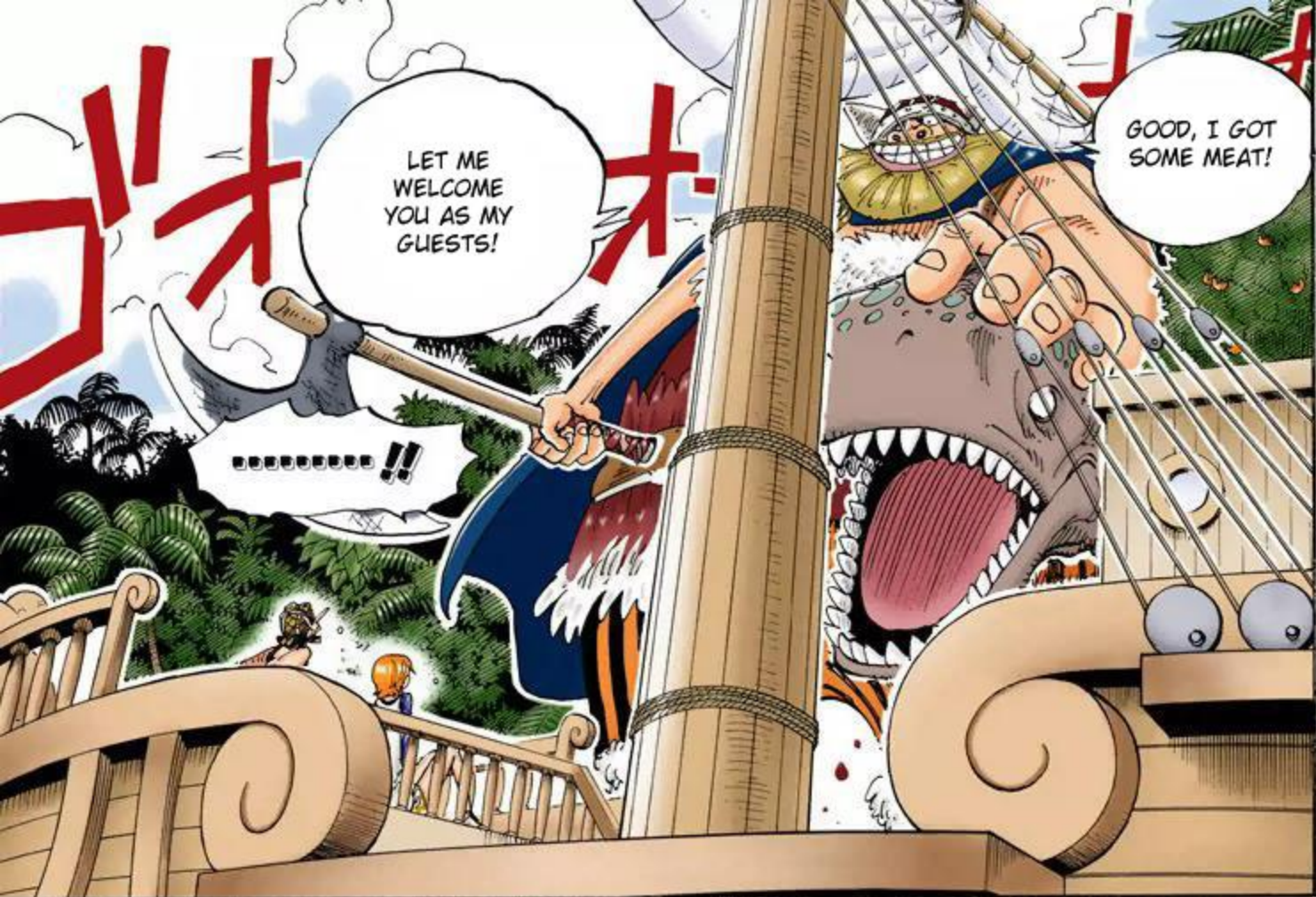
GYA-

BROGI!  
GABA  
BABA  
BABA!



I AM  
ELBAF'S  
STRONGEST  
WARRIOR,







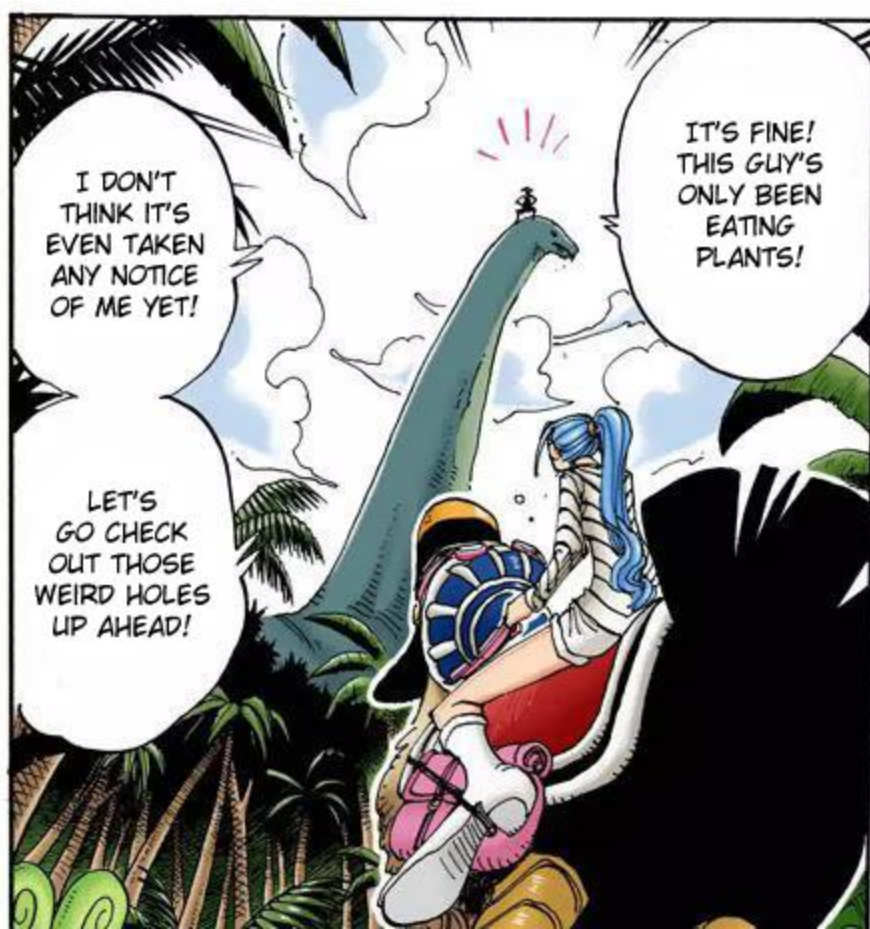


OH, THERE'RE VOLCANOES!

I'D SURE LIKE TO EAT LUNCH UP HERE!

MUNCH  
MUNCH  
MUNCH

I CAN ALSO SEE SOME WEIRD ROCK FULL OF HOLES!



I DON'T THINK IT'S EVEN TAKEN ANY NOTICE OF ME YET!

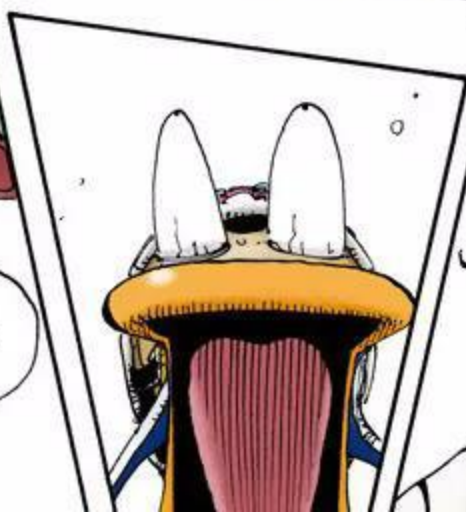
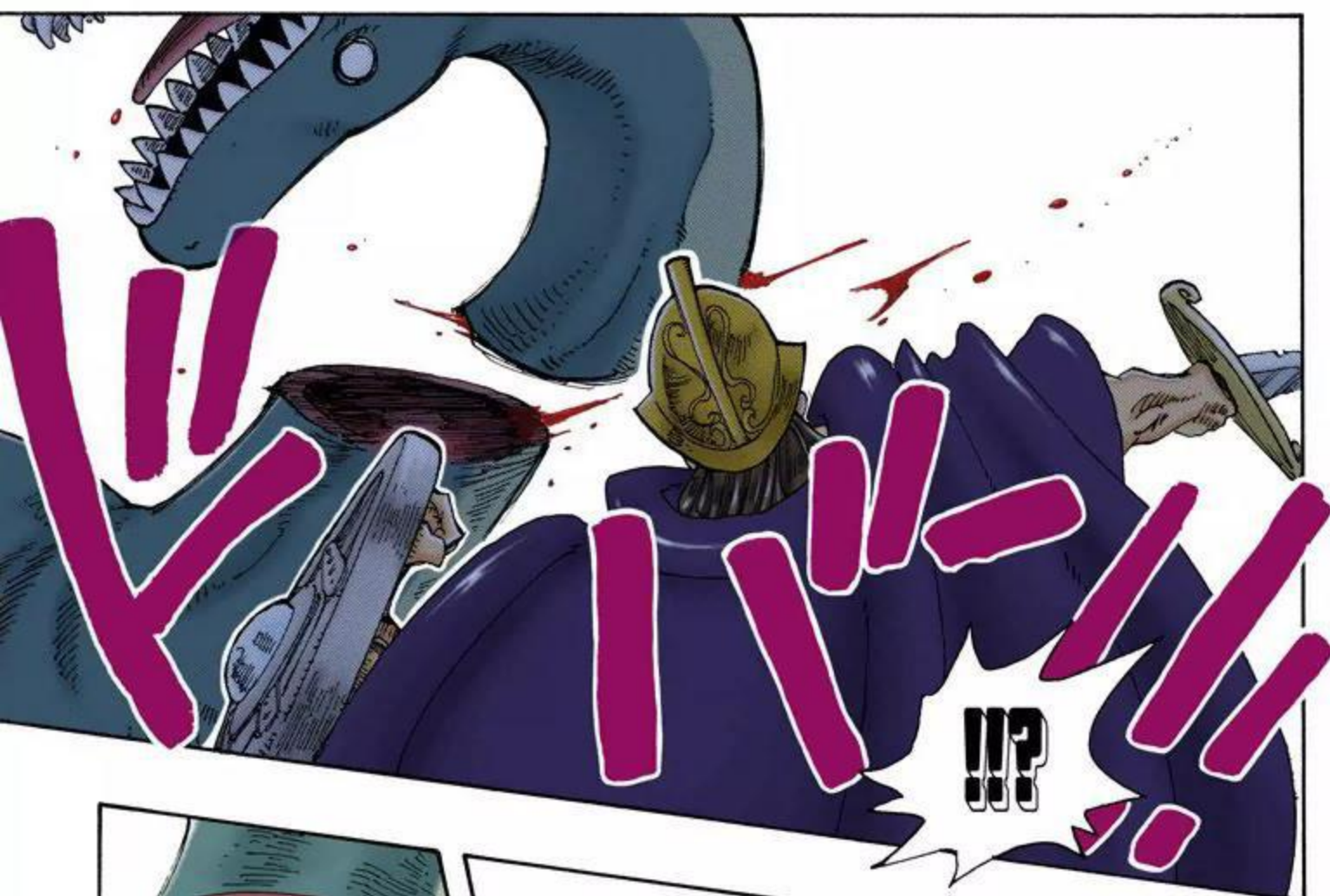
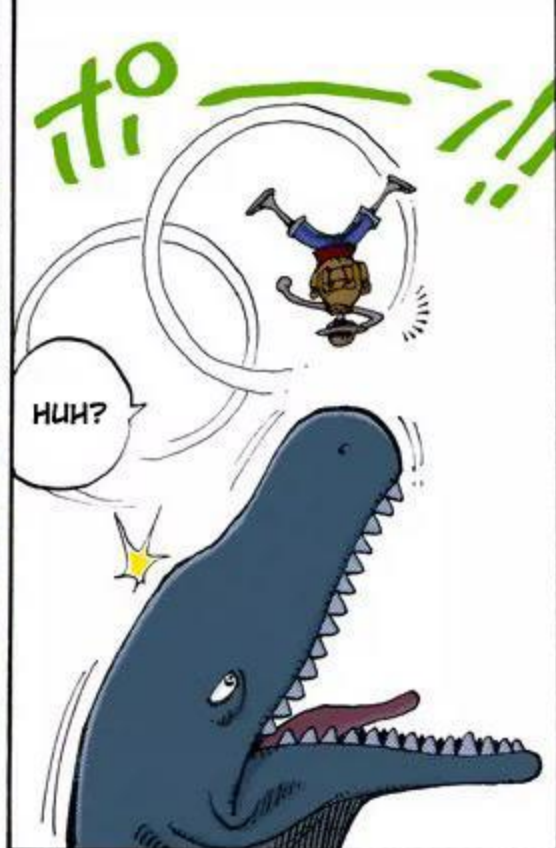
LET'S GO CHECK OUT THOSE WEIRD HOLES UP AHEAD!

IT'S FINE! THIS GUY'S ONLY BEEN EATING PLANTS!



GET DOWN, IT'S TOO DANGEROUS! IT MAY SEEM DOCILE BUT IT'S STILL A DINOSAUR!







I HAVEN'T  
HAD ANY  
GUESTS IN  
A LONG  
TIME!

AREN'T  
YOU A  
LIVELY  
ONE!

GEGYA  
GYAGYA  
GYA!

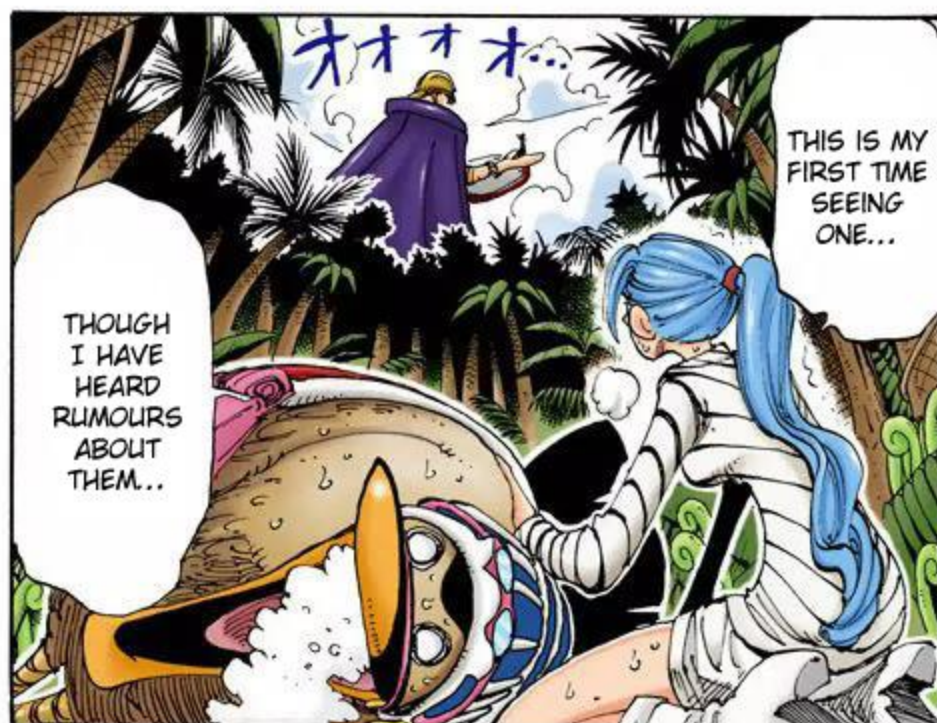
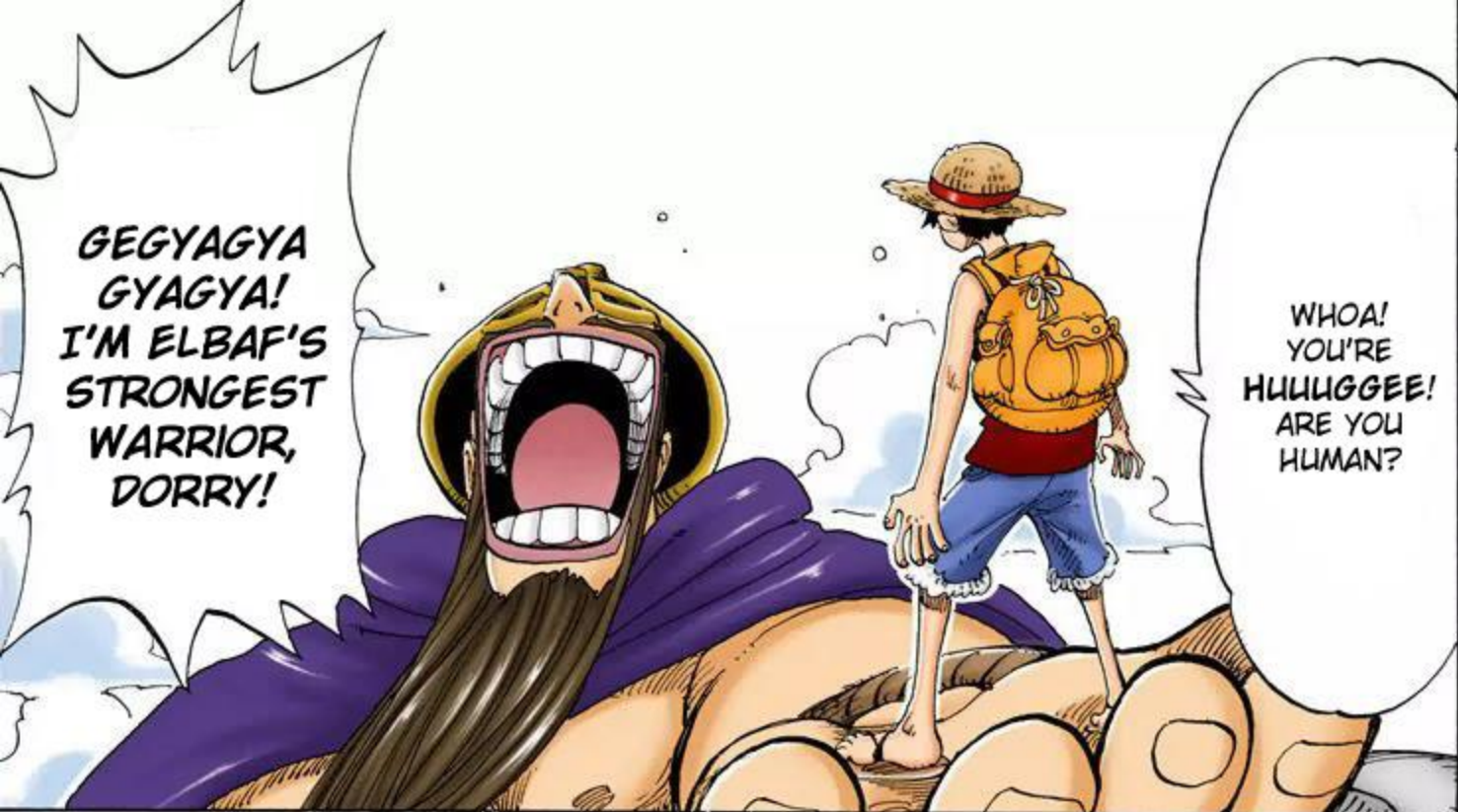
GIANT  
DORRY

PLOP

WOAH.



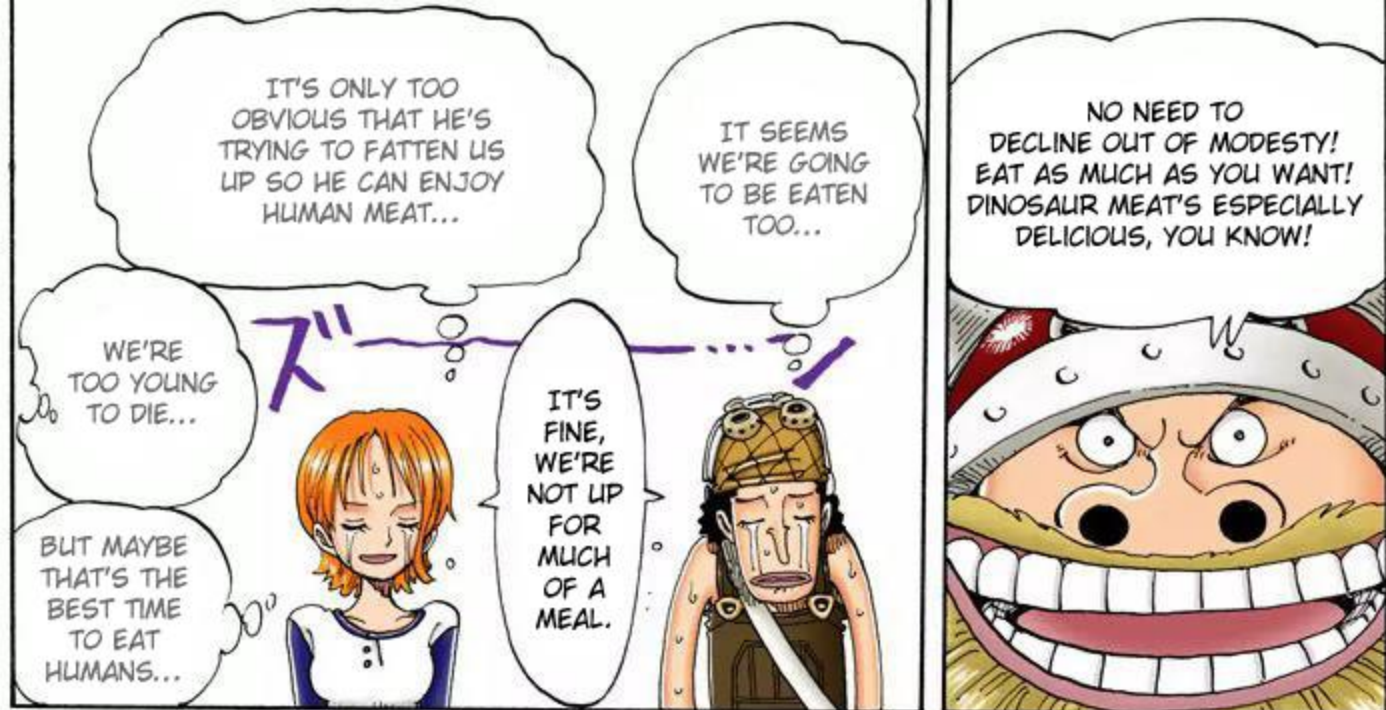




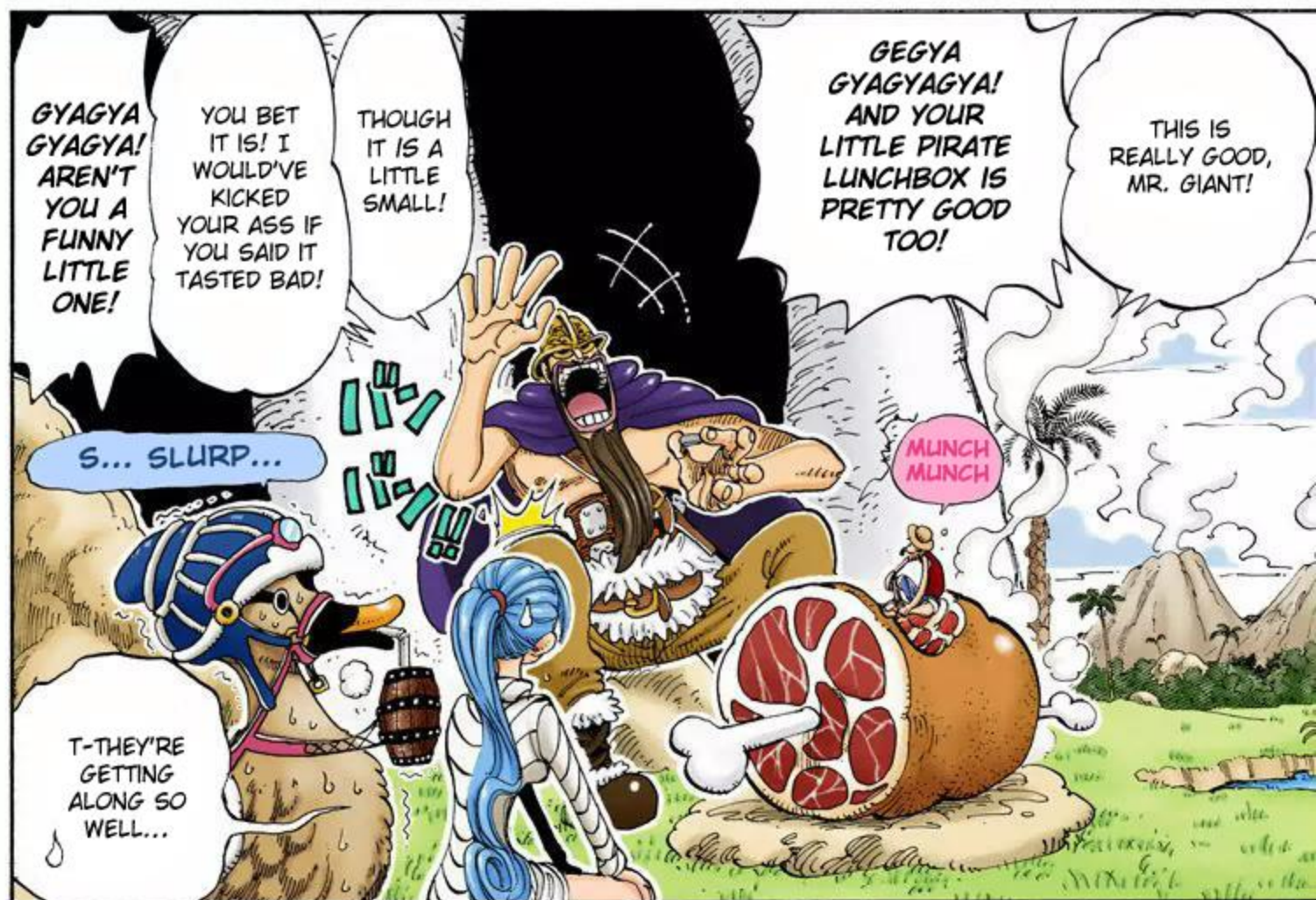
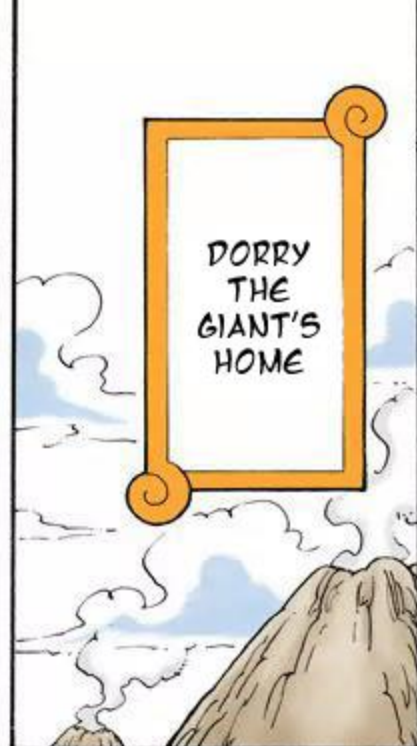




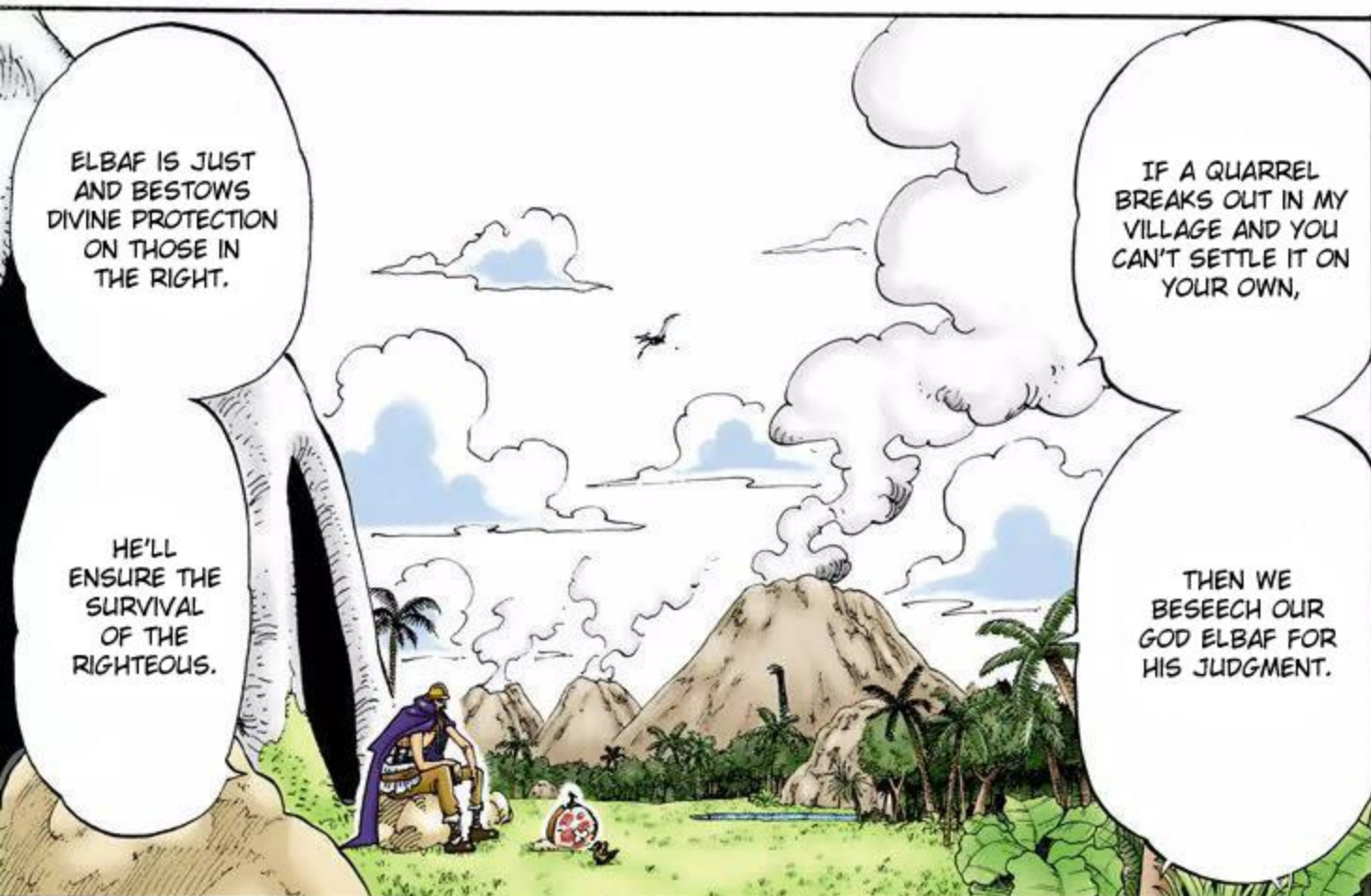








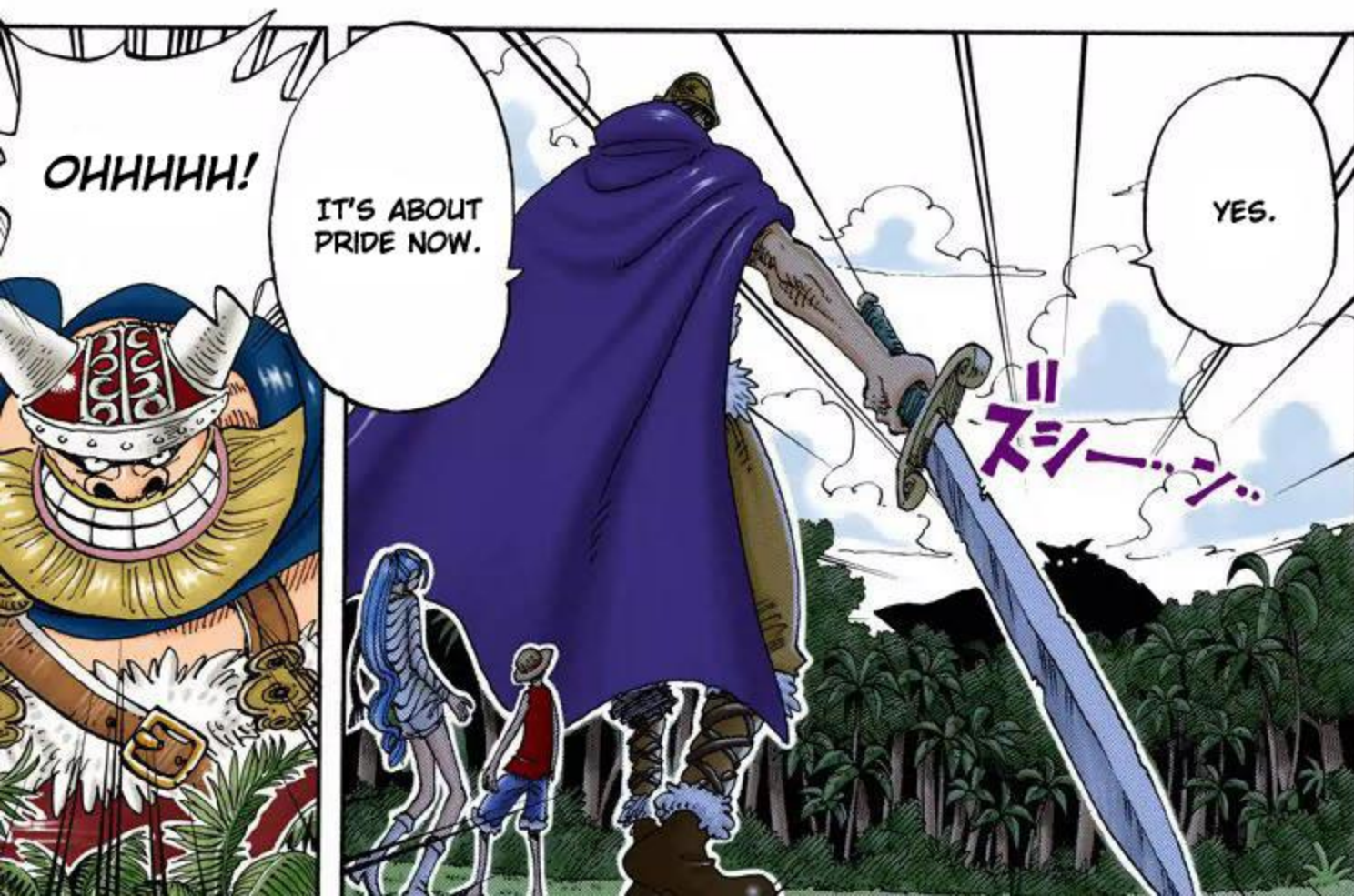
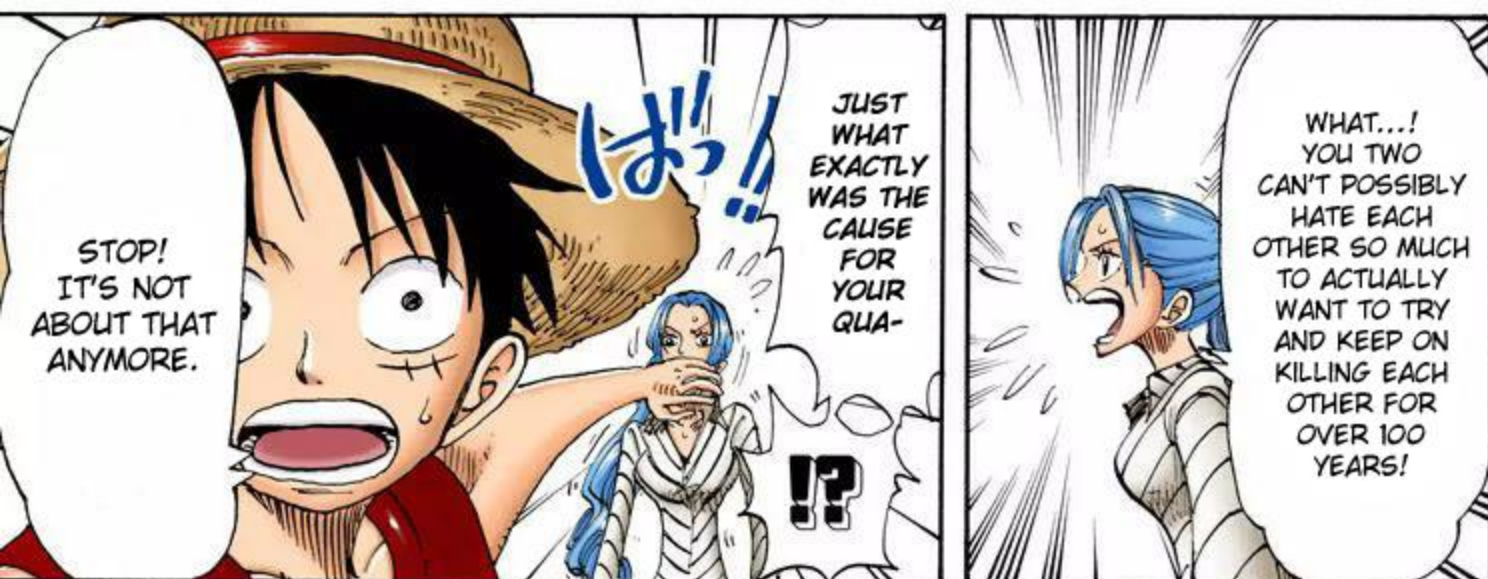




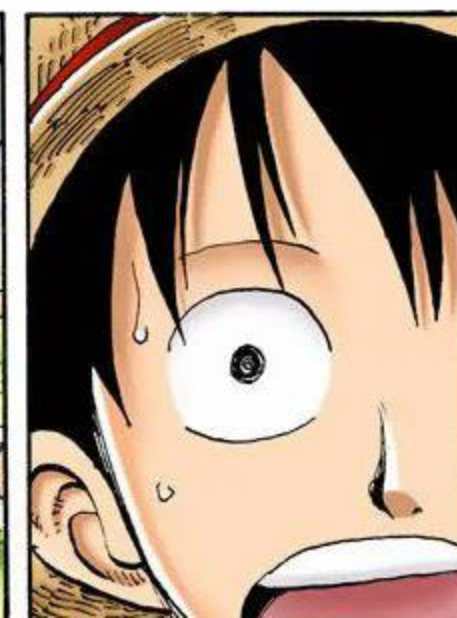








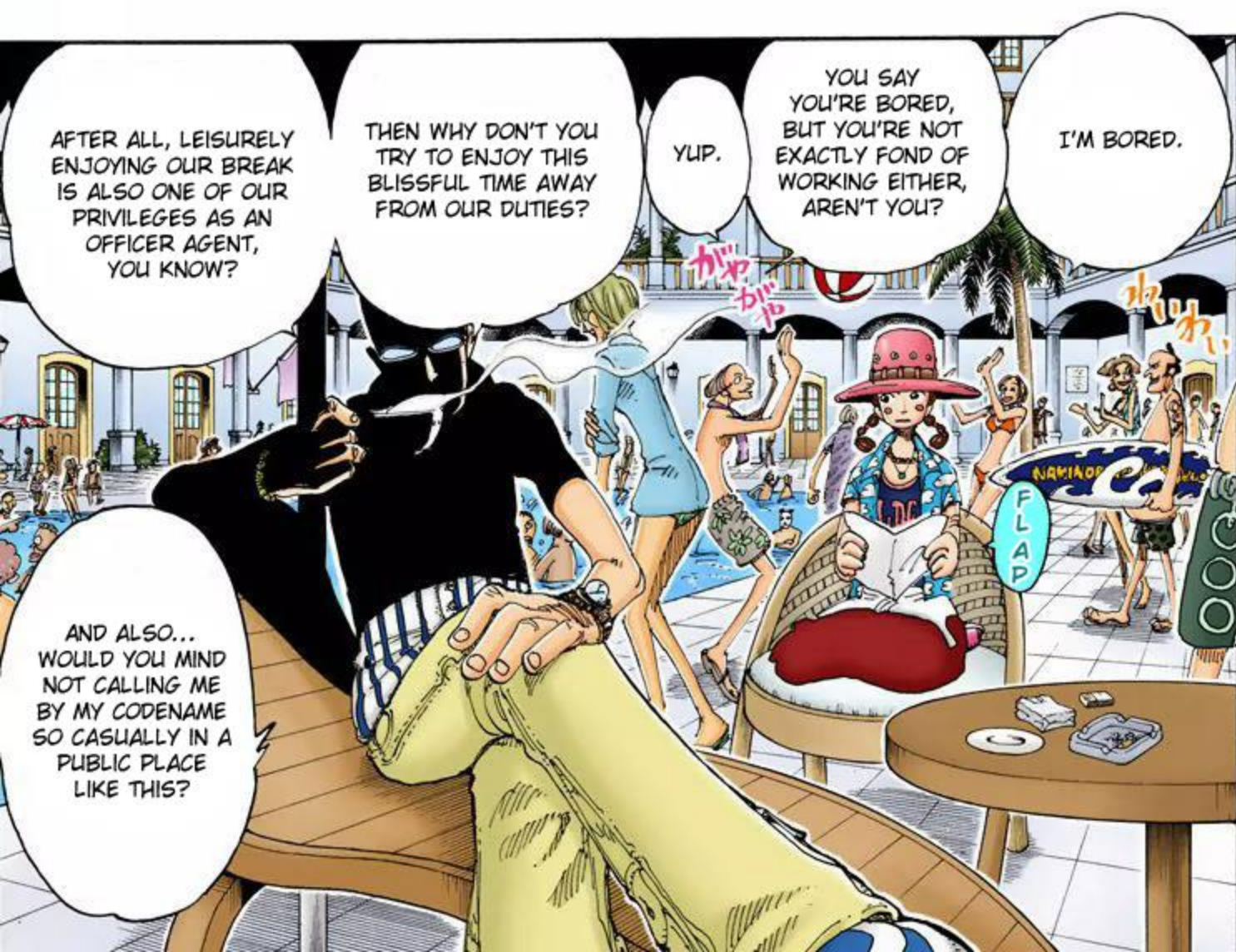
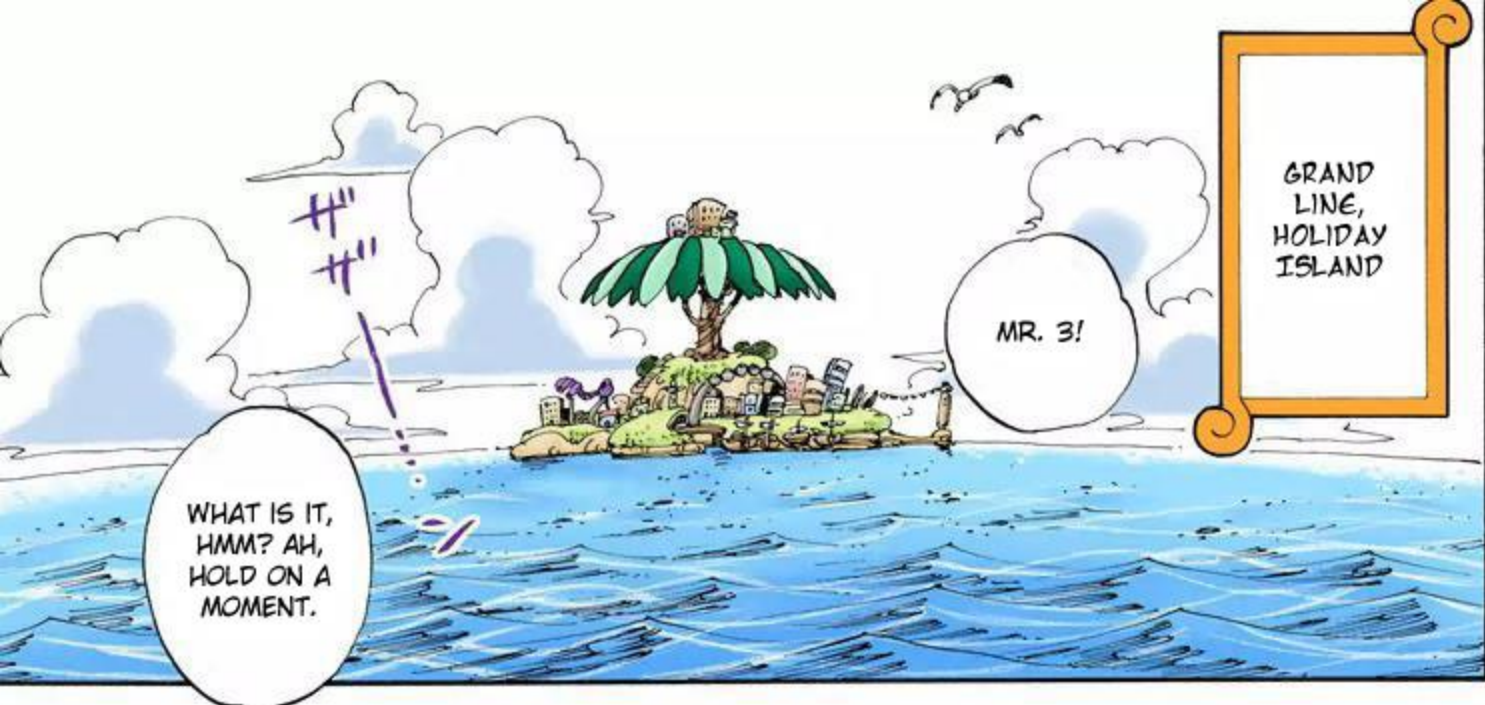




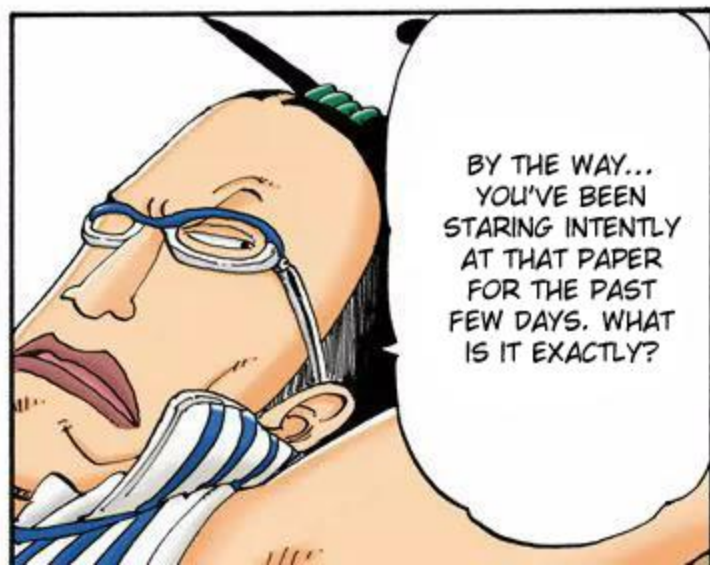
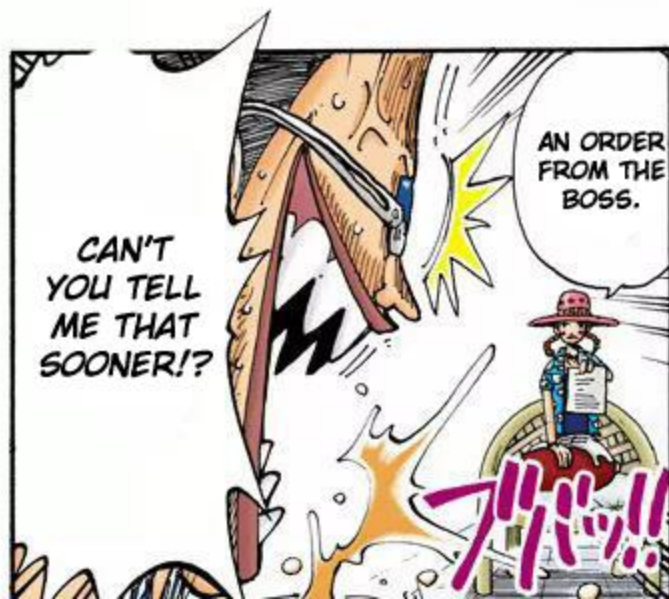
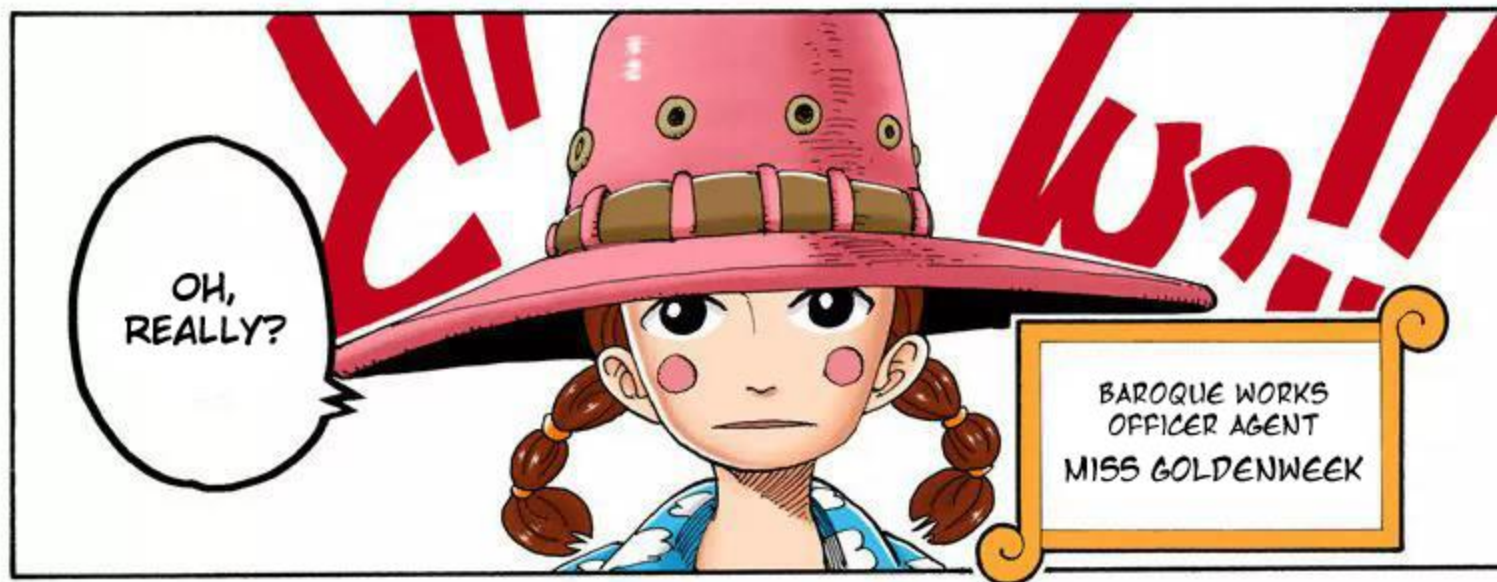
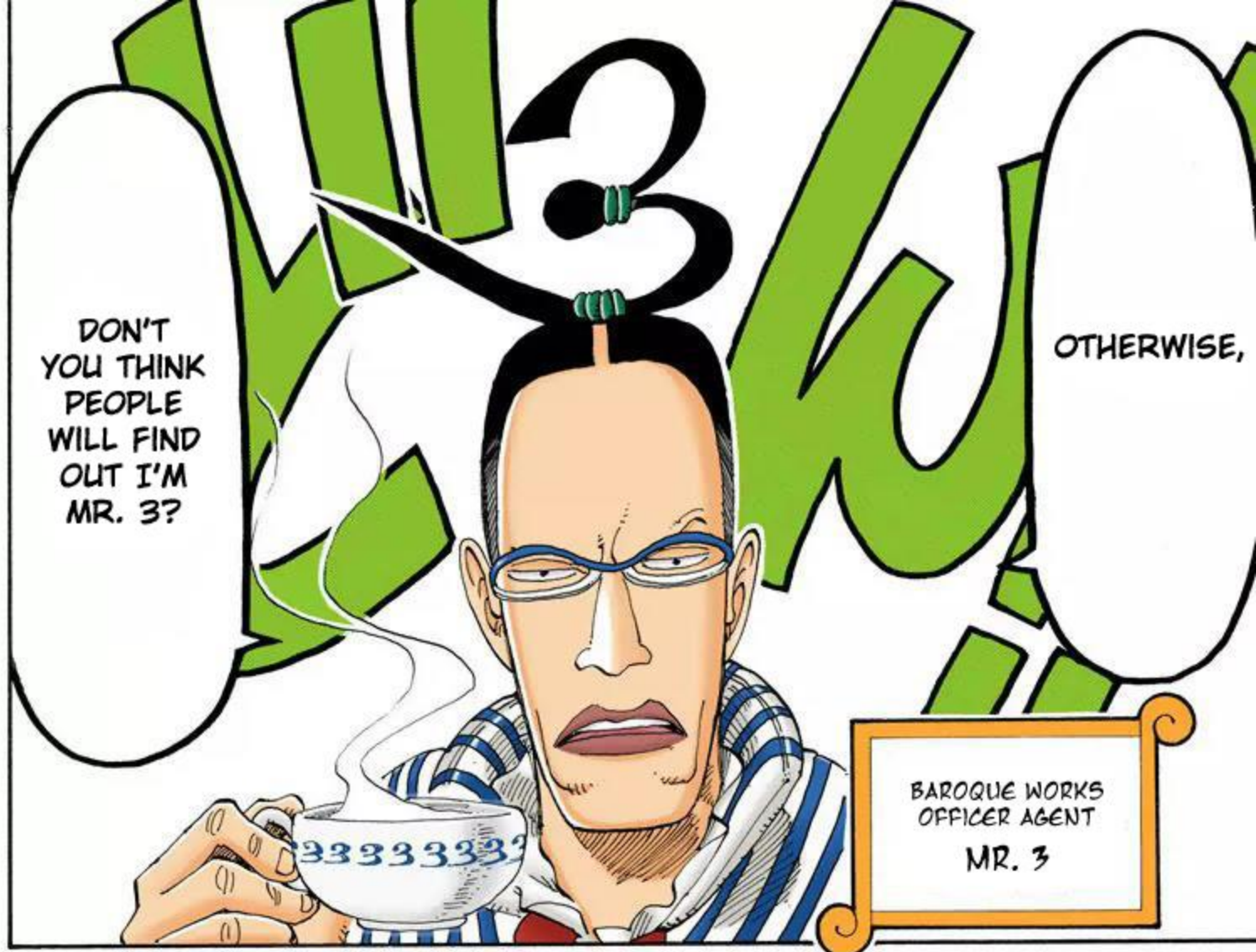




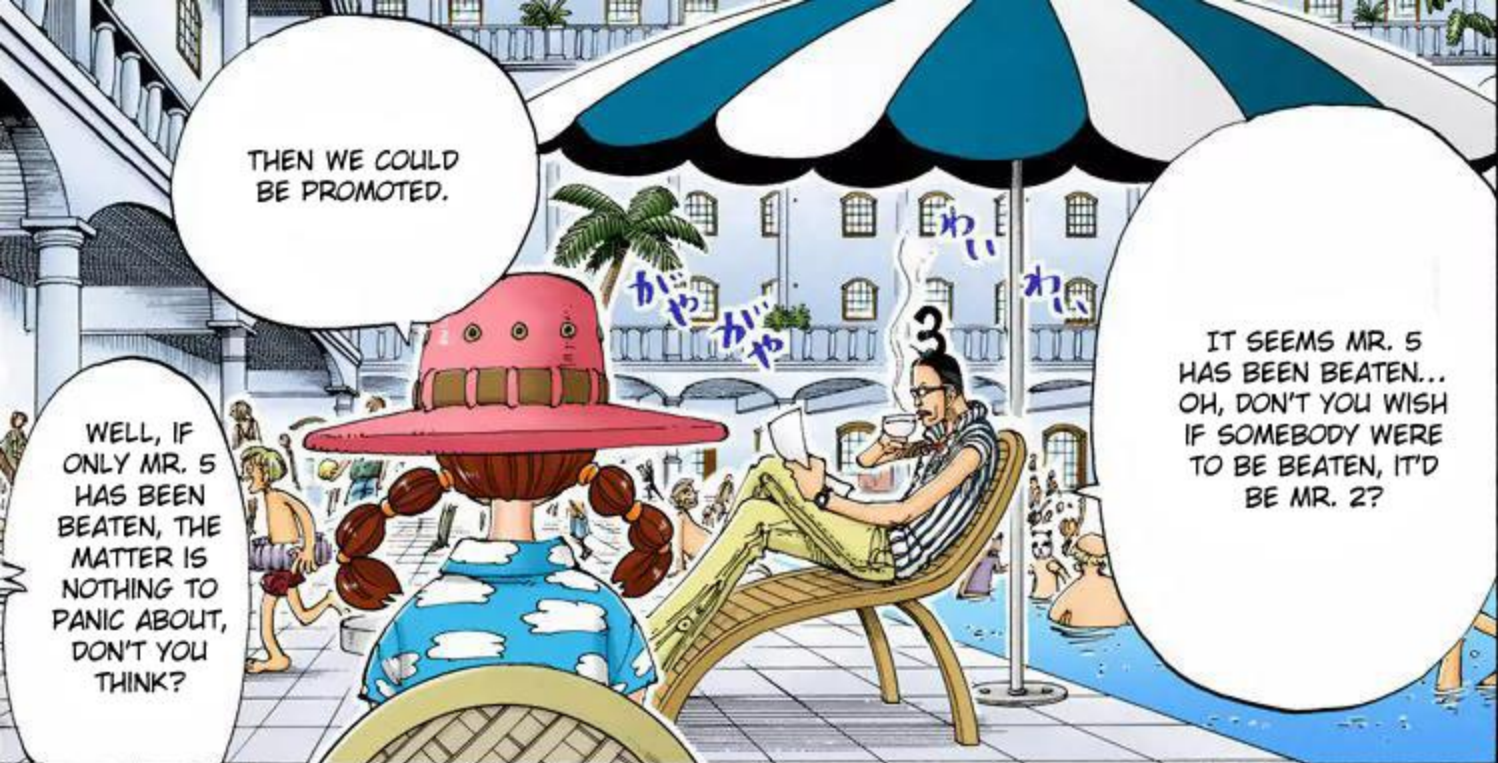












THEN WE COULD  
BE PROMOTED.

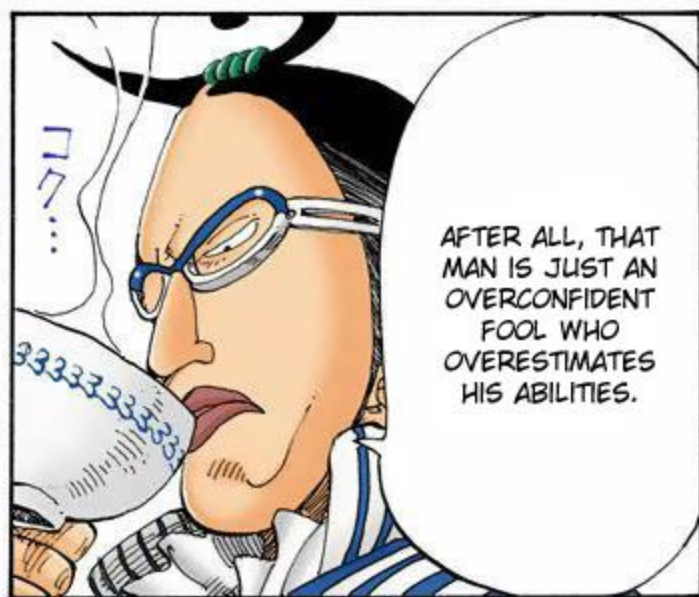
WELL, IF  
ONLY MR. 5  
HAS BEEN  
BEATEN, THE  
MATTER IS  
NOTHING TO  
PANIC ABOUT,  
DON'T YOU  
THINK?

IT SEEMS MR. 5  
HAS BEEN BEATEN...  
OH, DON'T YOU WISH  
IF SOMEBODY WERE  
TO BE BEATEN, IT'D  
BE MR. 2?

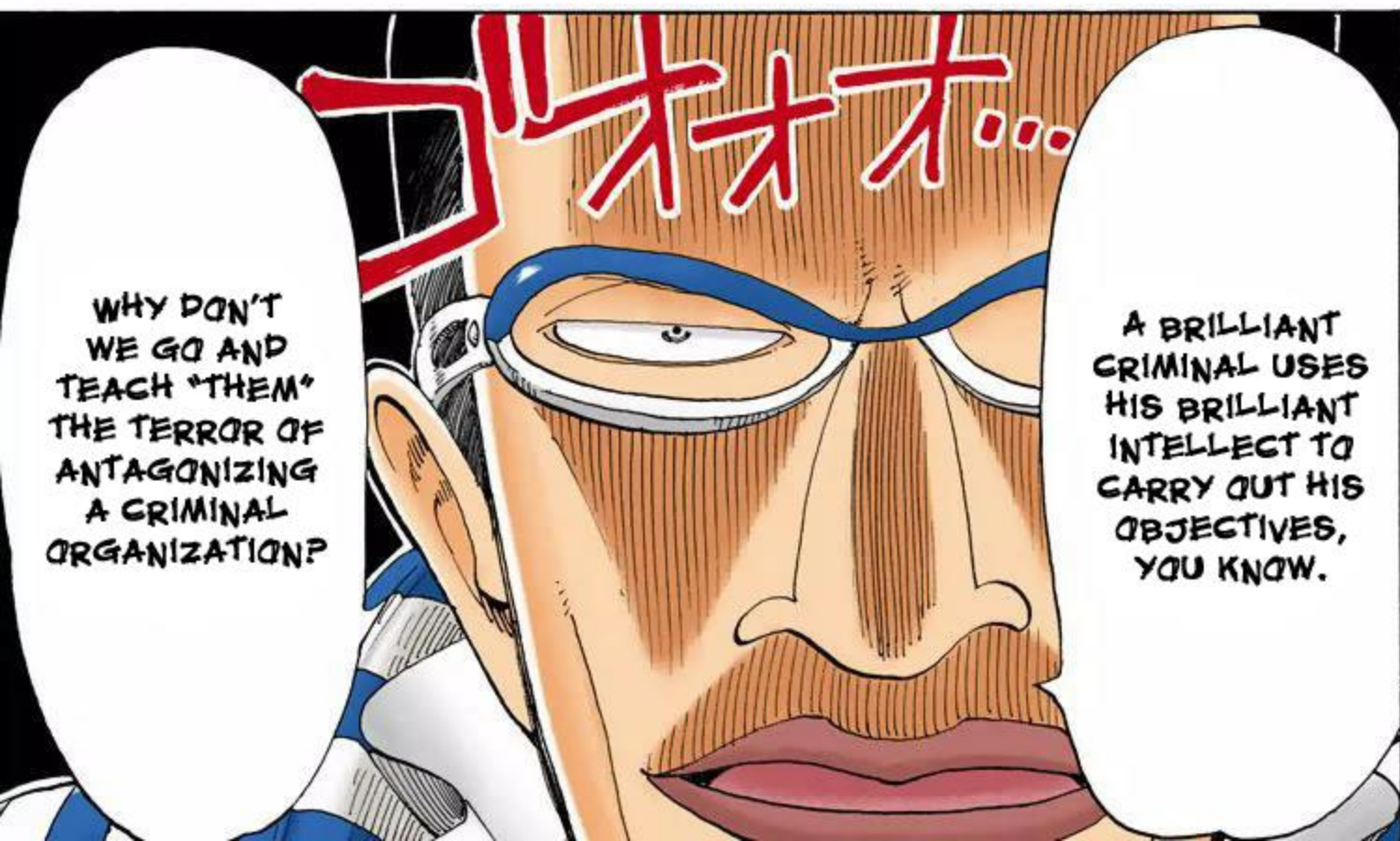


WITHOUT  
THE TALENT  
TO USE IT  
EFFECTIVELY,  
ONE WILL  
FOREVER BE  
A USELESS  
BUM.

NO MATTER  
HOW POWER-  
FUL ONE'S  
DEVIL FRUIT  
ABILITY IS,



AFTER ALL, THAT  
MAN IS JUST AN  
OVERCONFIDENT  
FOOL WHO  
OVERESTIMATES  
HIS ABILITIES.



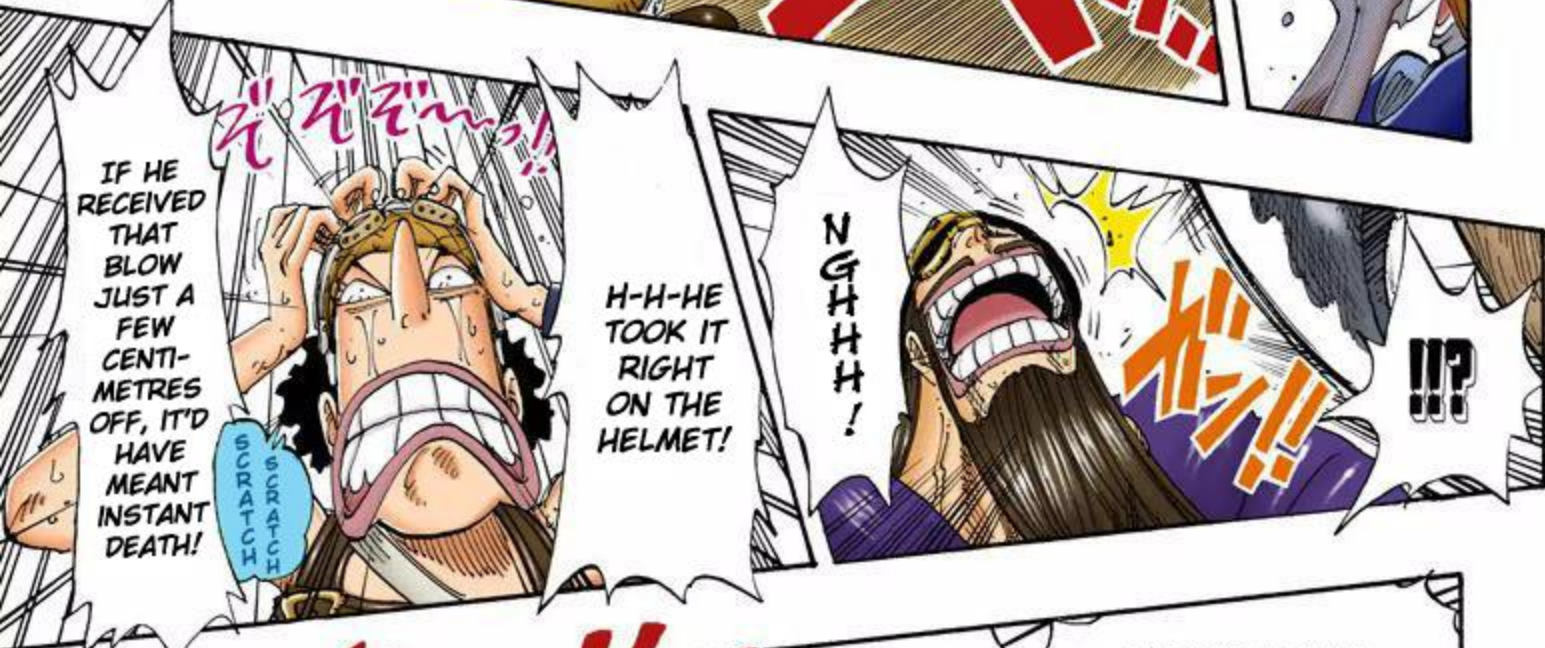
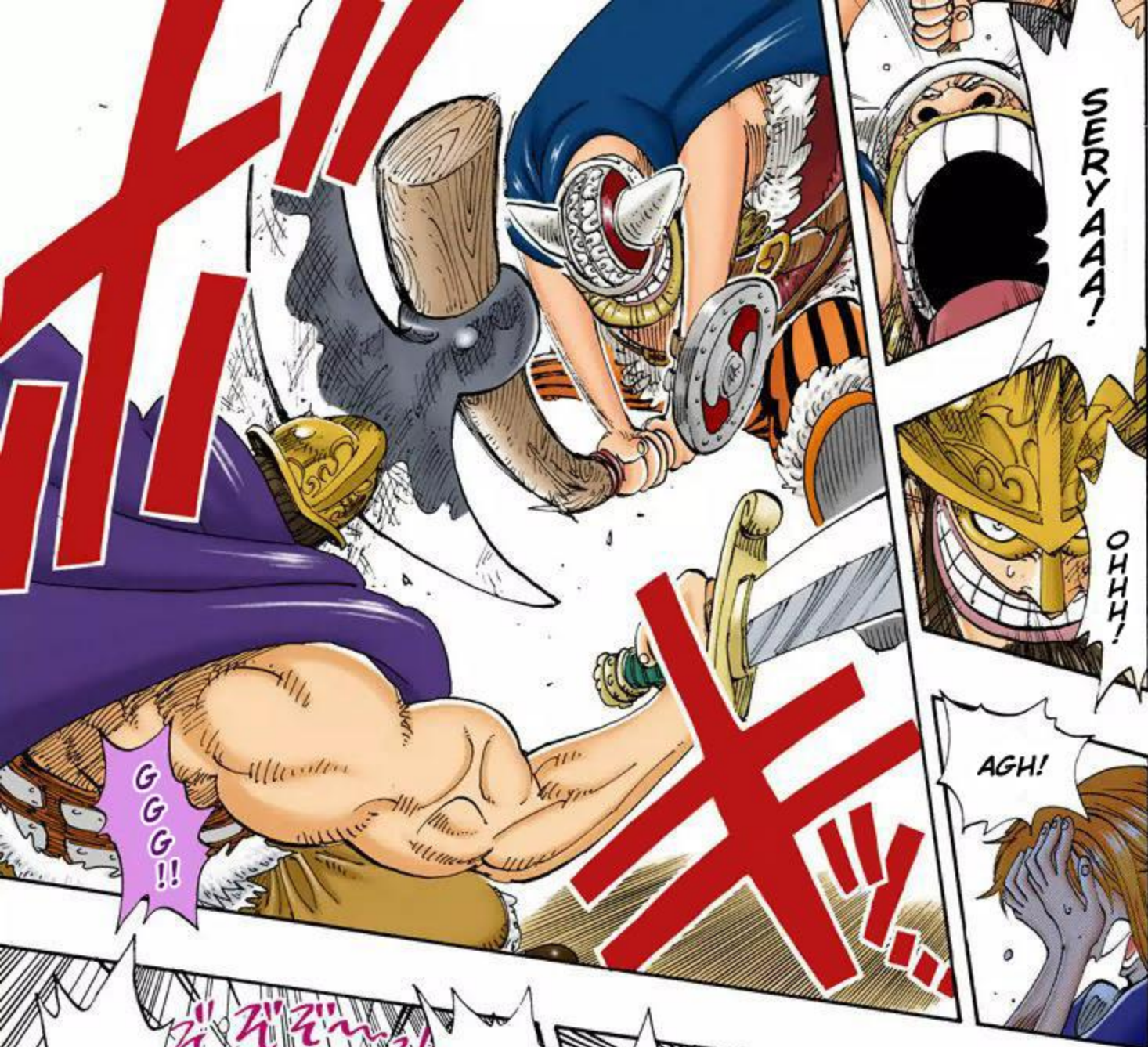
WHY DON'T  
WE GO AND  
TEACH "THEM"  
THE TERROR OF  
ANTAGONIZING  
A CRIMINAL  
ORGANIZATION?

A BRILLIANT  
CRIMINAL USES  
HIS BRILLIANT  
INTELLECT TO  
CARRY OUT HIS  
OBJECTIVES,  
YOU KNOW.













I FORGOT  
THAT LONG  
AGO!  
GABABABA!

THE  
REASON?

EVEN  
WITHOUT  
ANY REASON,  
THEY FIGHT  
LIKE THIS...



USOPP?

WOW...

LET'S GO,  
USOPP!

BUT IT'S GOOD  
FOR US... THIS  
IS OUR CHANCE  
TO ESCAPE!



THEY DON'T  
WANT THEIR  
FLAGS TO BE  
BROKEN NO  
MATTER  
WHAT...!

AND SO, TO  
PROTECT THAT  
FLAG, THEY  
CONTINUE  
THIS FIGHT  
FOR OVER  
100 YEARS!

LET'S SAY  
THAT THERE'S A  
METAPHORICAL  
FLAG RAISED IN  
THEIR HEARTS...

AND THOSE  
FLAGS ARE MORE  
IMPORTANT THAN  
THEIR VERY LIVES!



...  
WHAT?

YOU FOOL!  
THIS IS WHAT A  
MAN'S FIGHT IS!

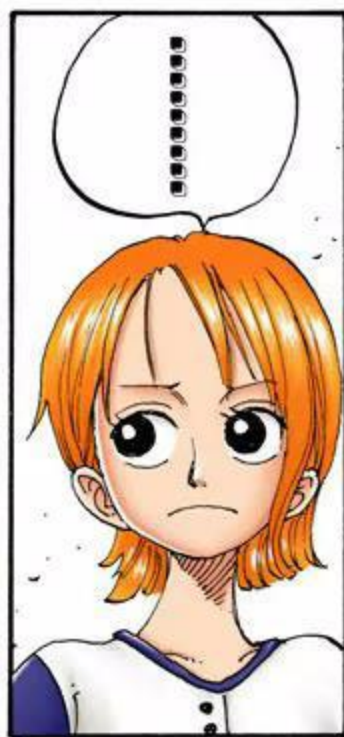
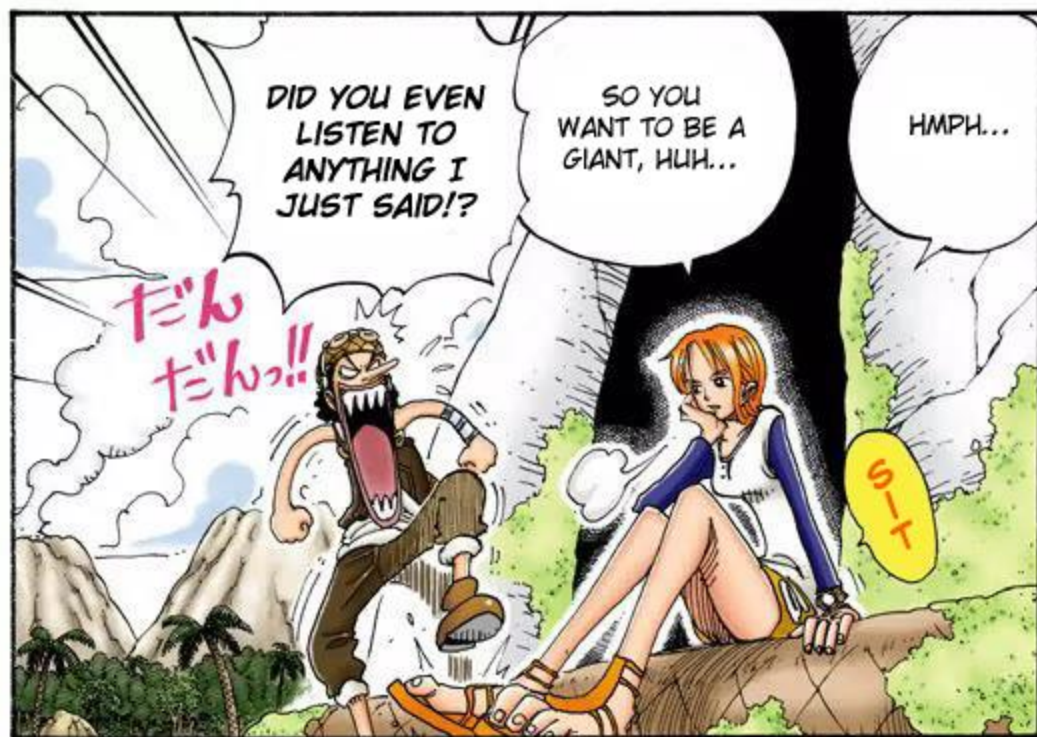
GOD,  
WHAT A  
NUISANCE  
THEY  
ARE...



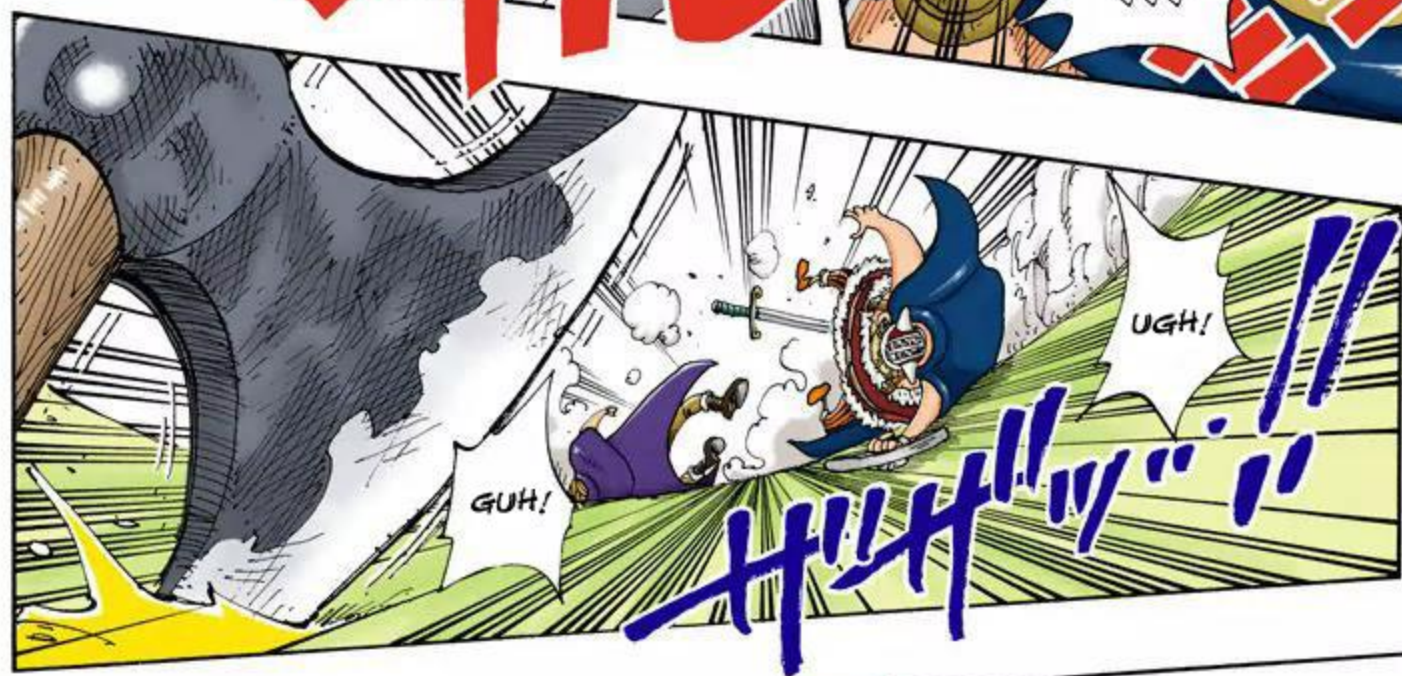
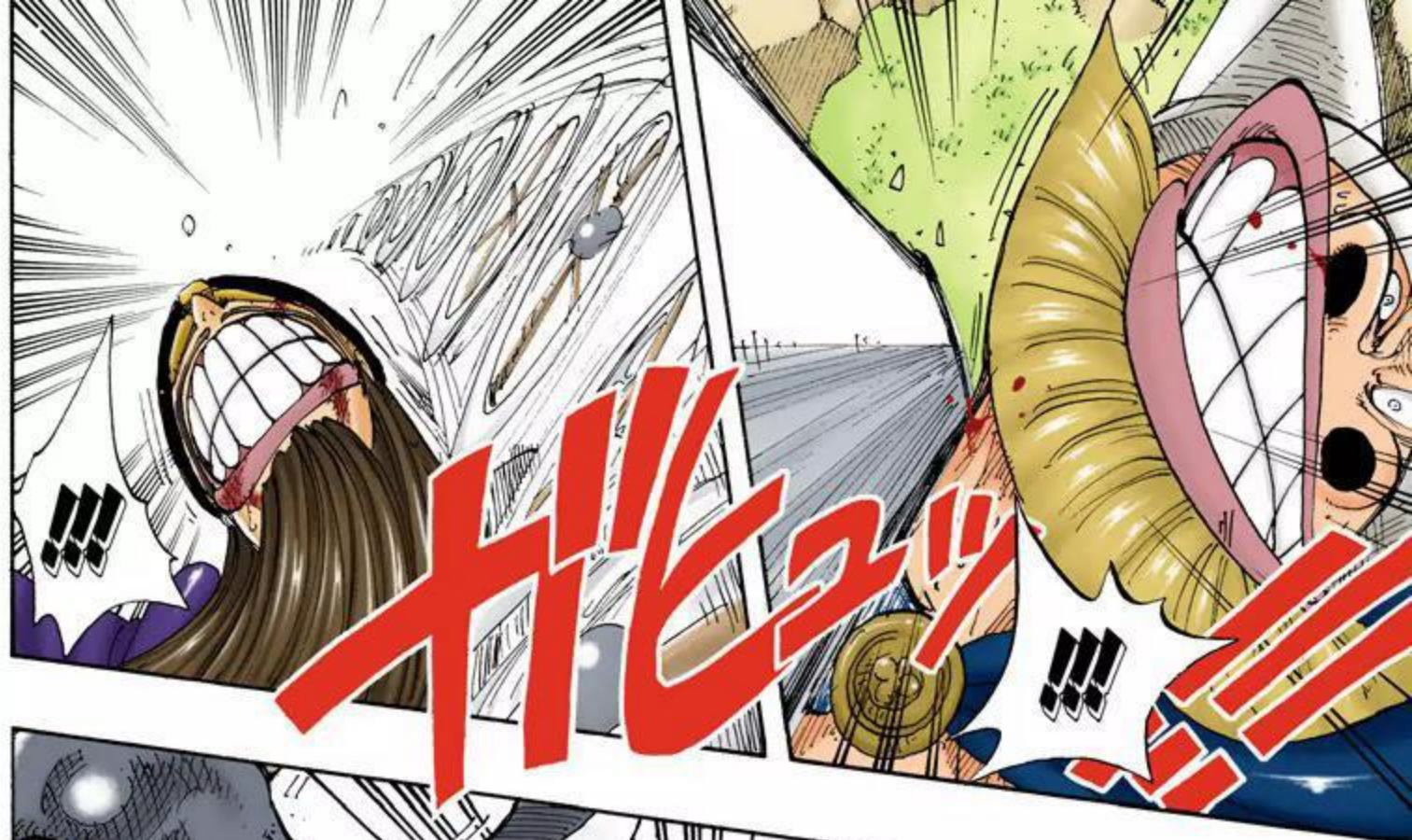
BETWEEN TWO  
WARRIORS!

CAN'T YOU  
SEE!? THIS  
IS A REAL  
BATTLE OF  
PRIDE,











AND  
73,466...



73,466  
FIGHTS,

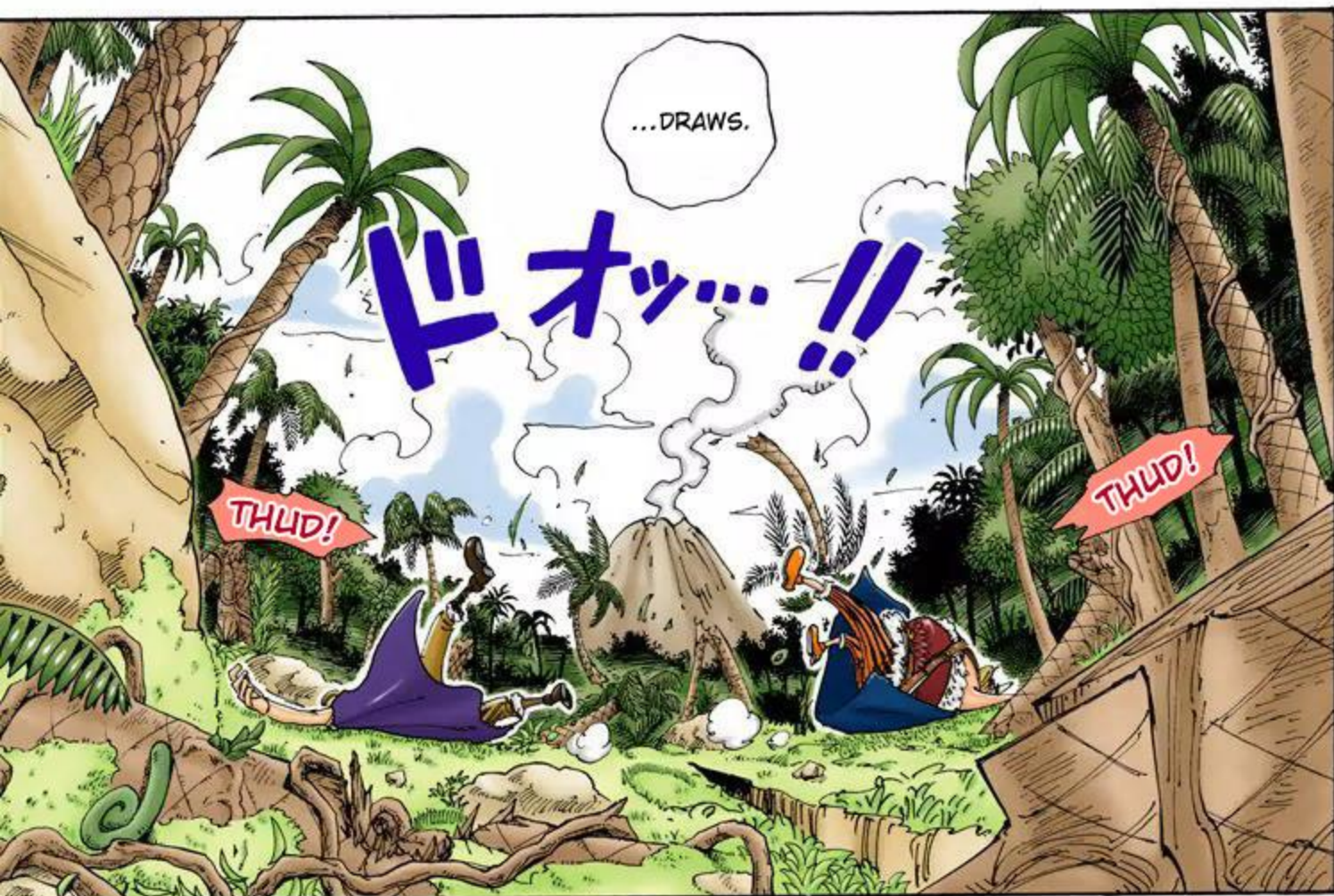


...DRAWS.

ドオッ...!!

THUD!

THUD!



POUR  
ME SOME,  
WILL YA!?  
GEGYA  
GYAGYA!



EXCEL-  
LENT! I  
HAVEN'T  
HAD RUM  
FOR SO  
LONG!

I GOT  
SOME RUM  
FROM  
GUESTS!



GABA  
BABABA!  
HEY,  
DORRY!







MAYBE  
THOSE TWO  
REALLY DO LIKE  
ADVENTURES!

WHAT'S  
WITH THEM?  
THEY MADE SUCH  
A FUSS ABOUT  
NOT LEAVING  
THE SHIP, TOO!

THAT MUST  
BE USOPP  
AND NAMI!

THEN I GUESS  
I SHOULD BE  
THANKING YOU  
TWO AS WELL  
FOR THESE  
DRINKS!



AH! COULD  
HIS GUESTS  
BE YOUR  
CREWMATES?

HE SAID HIS  
TWO GUESTS  
WERE A  
LONG-NOSED  
MAN AND A  
WOMAN.

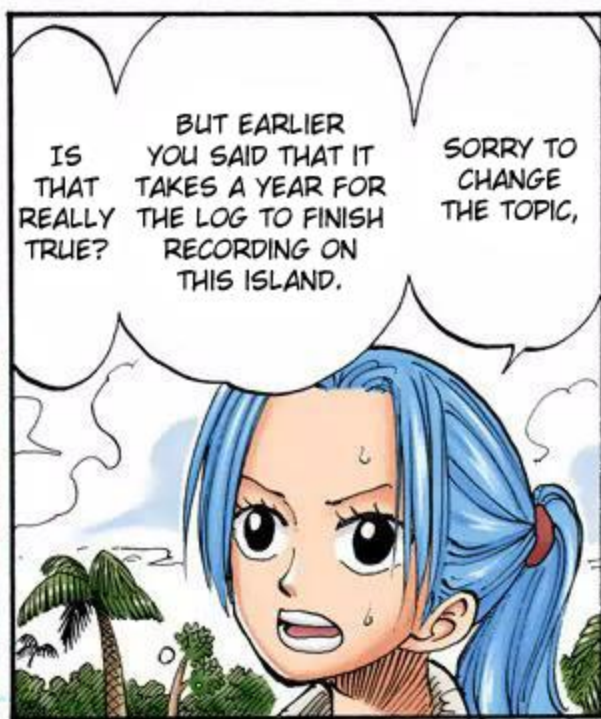
GE  
GYA  
GYA  
GYA!



MOST HUMANS  
WHO COME HERE  
END UP DYING  
BEFORE THEIR  
LOG SETS.

LYING  
ON THE  
GROUND  
AROUND  
THESE  
PARTS?

HAVEN'T  
YOU SEEN THE  
SKELETONS OF  
THEM LITTLE  
HUMANS,



IS  
THAT  
REALLY  
TRUE?

BUT EARLIER  
YOU SAID THAT IT  
TAKES A YEAR FOR  
THE LOG TO FINISH  
RECORDING ON  
THIS ISLAND.

SORRY TO  
CHANGE  
THE TOPIC,



WHATEVER  
THE CASE, THEY  
ALL END UP  
PERISHING ON  
THIS ISLAND.

SEEMS THAT  
SPENDING EVEN  
A SINGLE YEAR  
ON THIS ISLAND'S  
JUST TOO LONG  
FOR YOU LITTLE  
HUMANS.

SOME ARE  
EATEN BY THE  
DINOSAURS,  
OTHERS GIVE IN  
TO HEAT OR  
STARVATION.

AND SOME  
EVEN TRY TO  
ATTACK US...





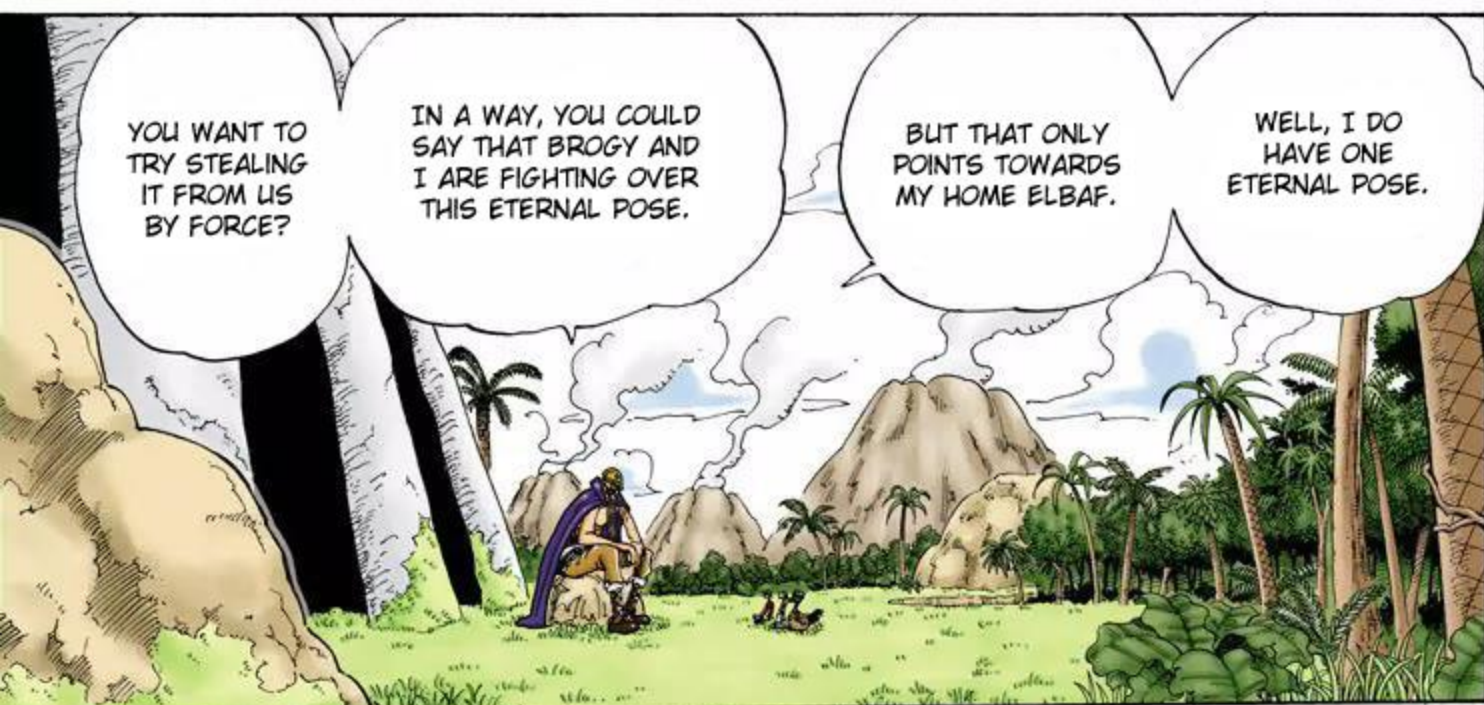
ISN'T THERE  
SOME OTHER  
WAY, MISTER?

YEAH,  
SPENDING A  
WHOLE YEAR  
HERE WOULD  
GET KINDA  
BORING.



WHO KNOWS  
WHAT WOULD  
BECOME OF  
MY COUNTRY  
DURING THAT  
TIME...

WHAT DO I  
DO... EVEN IF  
I SURVIVE ON  
THIS ISLAND  
FOR THAT  
LONG...

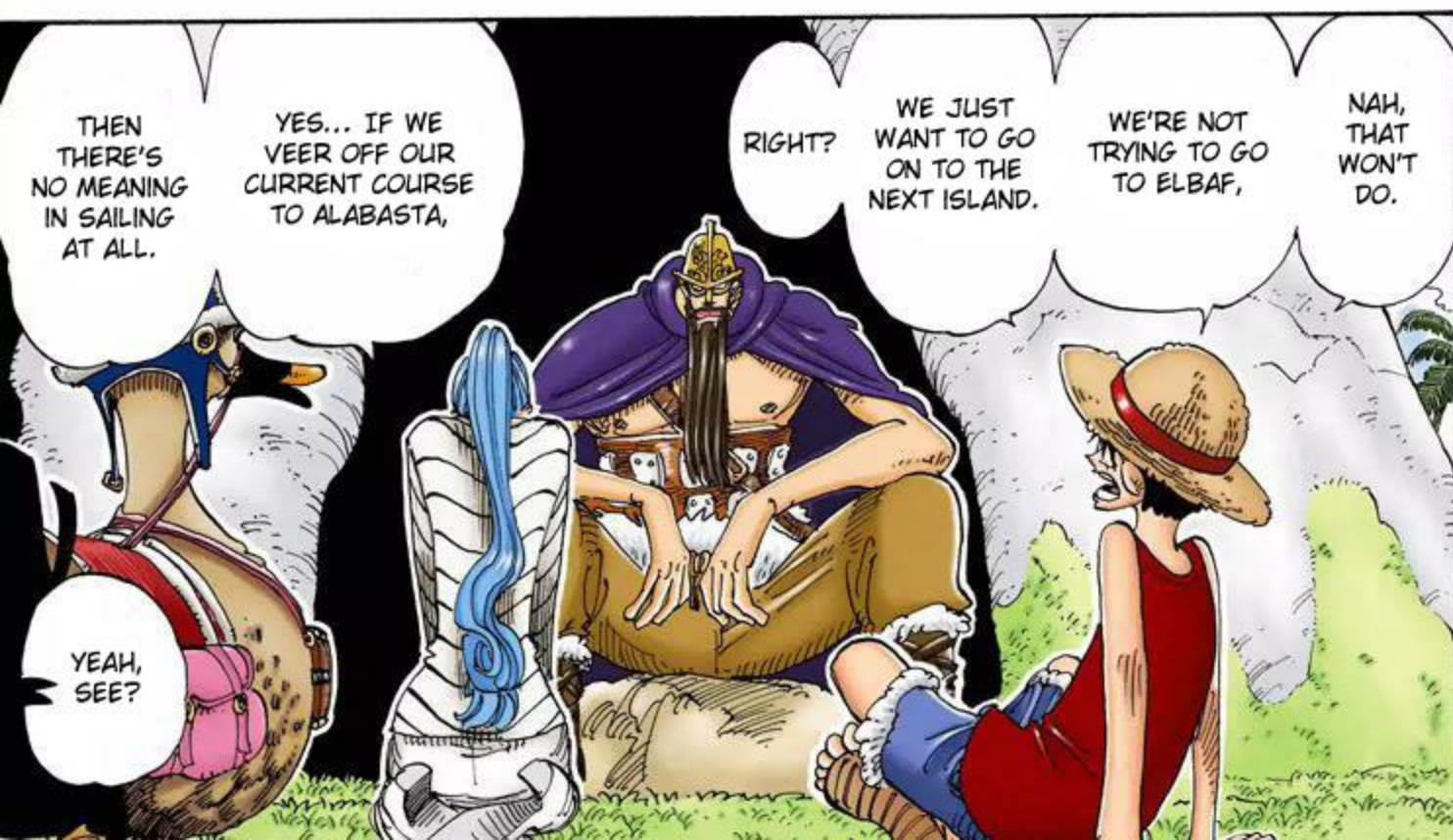


YOU WANT TO  
TRY STEALING  
IT FROM US  
BY FORCE?

IN A WAY, YOU COULD  
SAY THAT BROGY AND  
I ARE FIGHTING OVER  
THIS ETERNAL POSE.

BUT THAT ONLY  
POINTS TOWARDS  
MY HOME ELBAF.

WELL, I DO  
HAVE ONE  
ETERNAL POSE.



THEN  
THERE'S  
NO MEANING  
IN SAILING  
AT ALL.

YES... IF WE  
VEER OFF OUR  
CURRENT COURSE  
TO ALABASTA,

RIGHT?

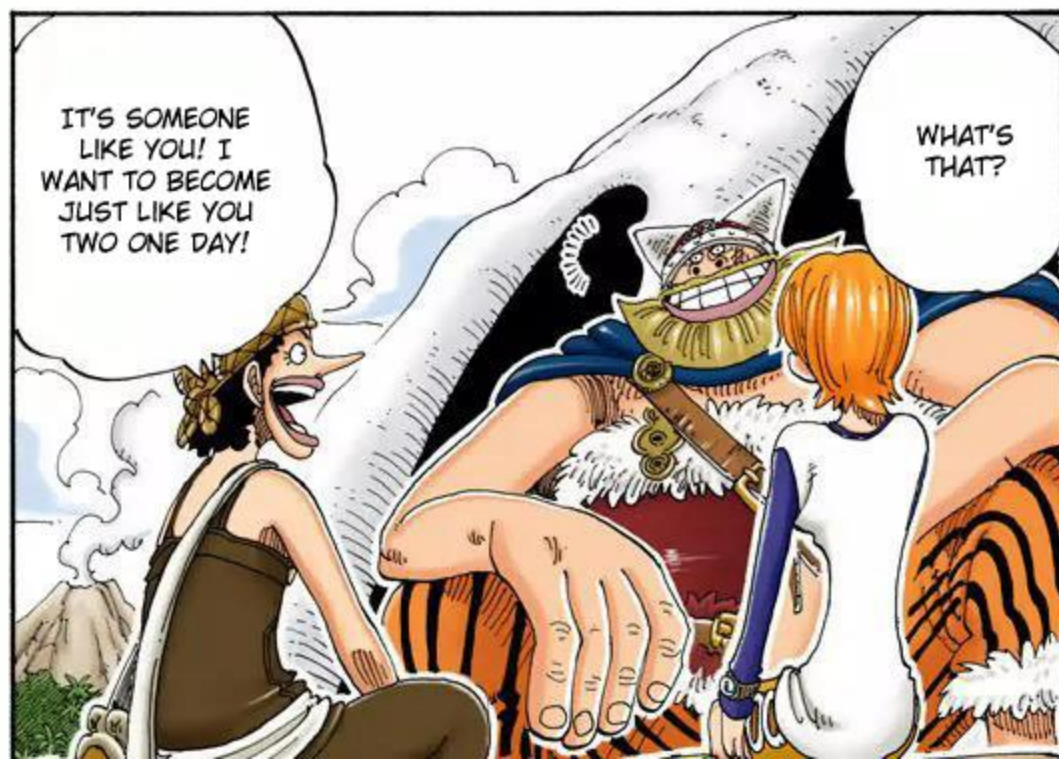
WE JUST  
WANT TO GO  
ON TO THE  
NEXT ISLAND.

WE'RE NOT  
TRYING TO GO  
TO ELBAF,

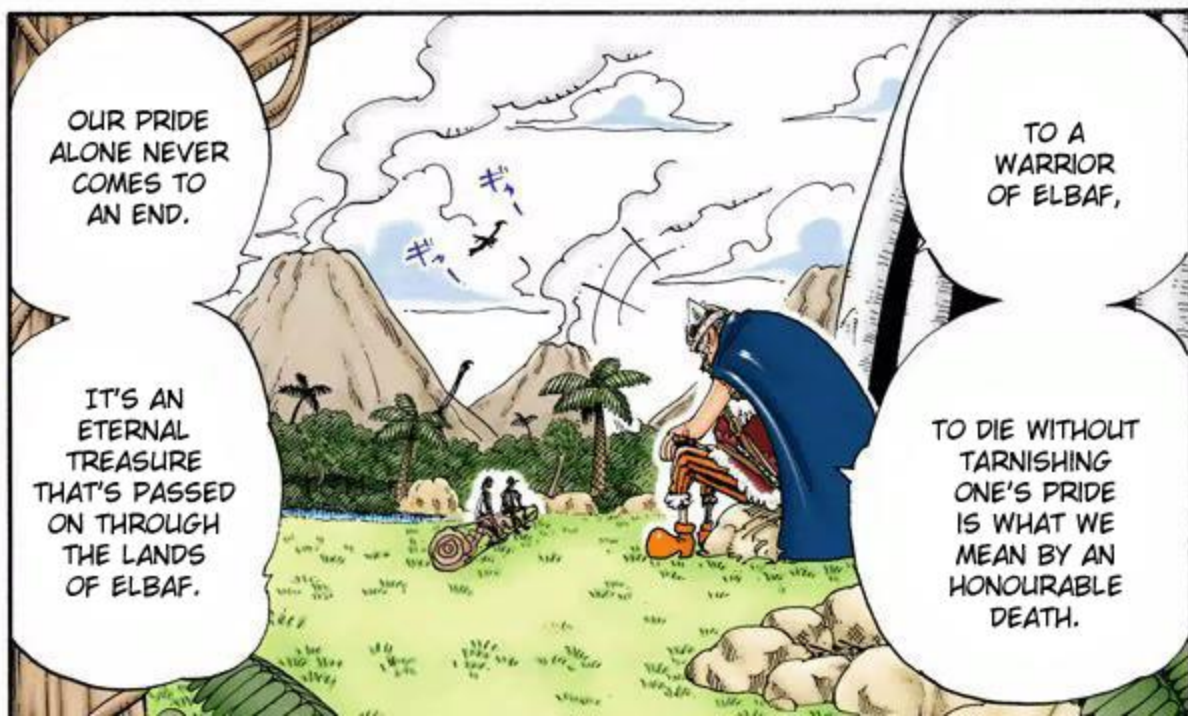
NAH,  
THAT  
WON'T  
DO.

YEAH,  
SEE?





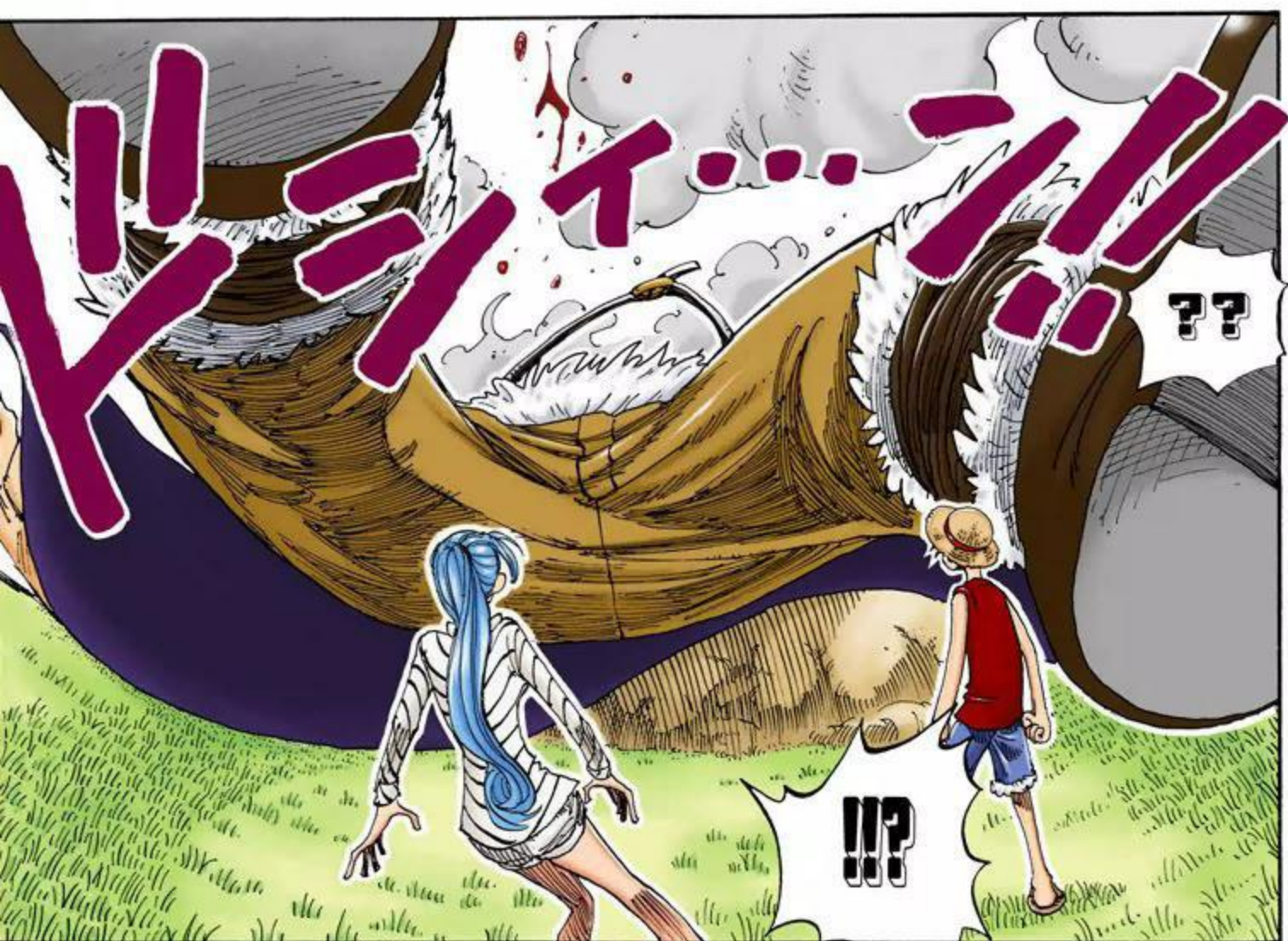










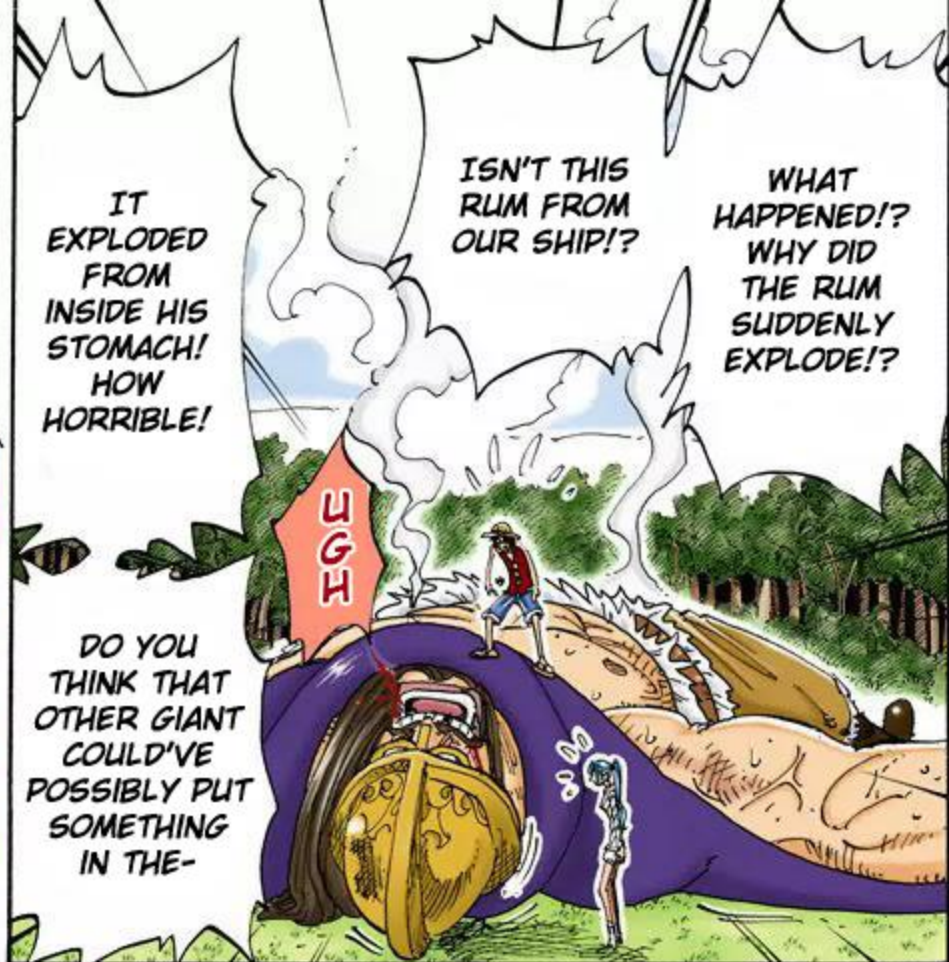






ARE YOU BLIND!?  
WHY WOULD TWO  
WARRIORS WHO'VE  
BEEN FIGHTING  
EACH OTHER FOR  
OVER 100 YEARS,

STOOP TO SUCH  
A LOW ACT!?

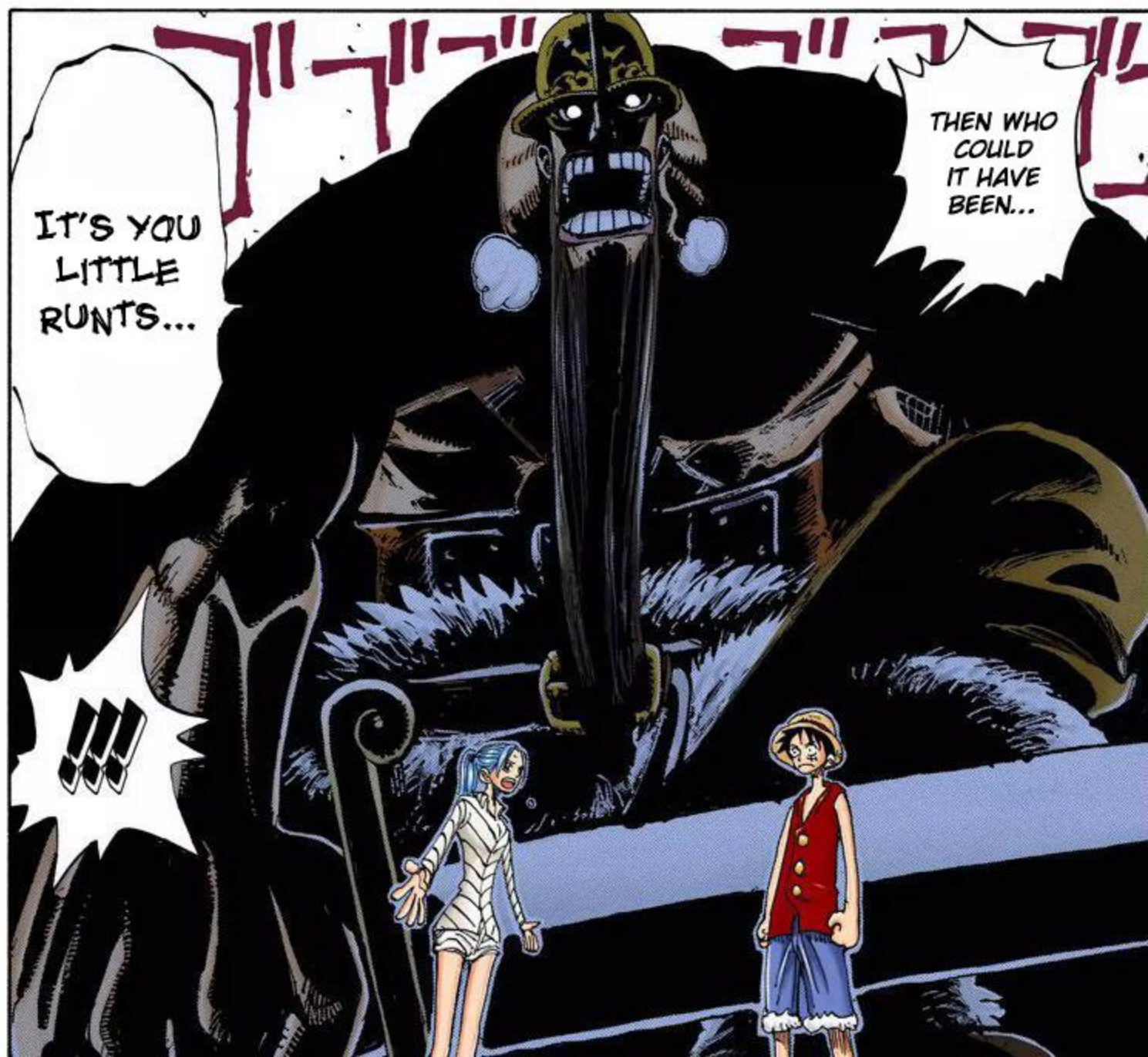


IT  
EXPLODED  
FROM  
INSIDE HIS  
STOMACH!  
HOW  
HORRIBLE!

ISN'T THIS  
RUM FROM  
OUR SHIP!?

WHAT  
HAPPENED!?  
WHY DID  
THE RUM  
SUDDENLY  
EXPLODE!?

DO YOU  
THINK THAT  
OTHER GIANT  
COULD'VE  
POSSIBLY PUT  
SOMETHING  
IN THE-



IT'S YOU  
LITTLE  
RUNTS...

THEN WHO  
COULD  
IT HAVE  
BEEN...



