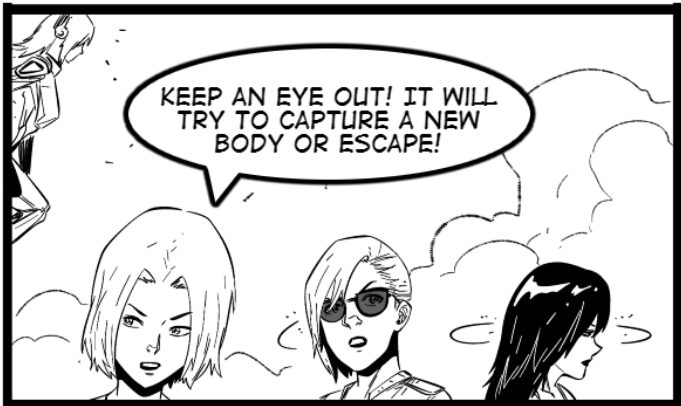
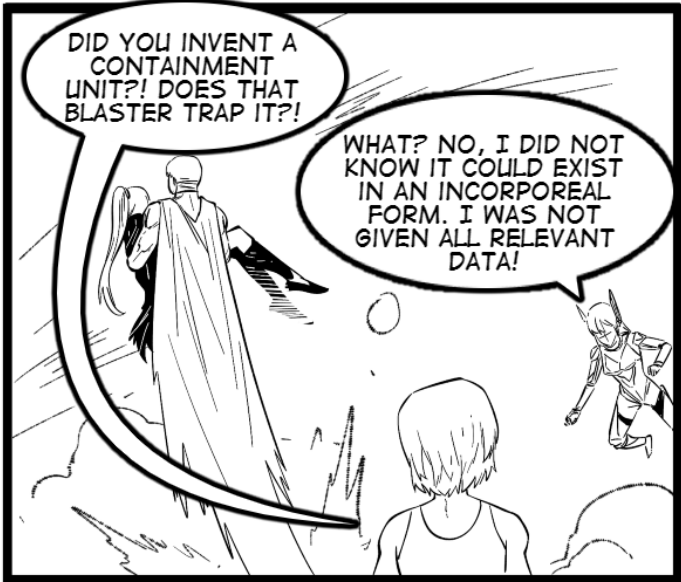
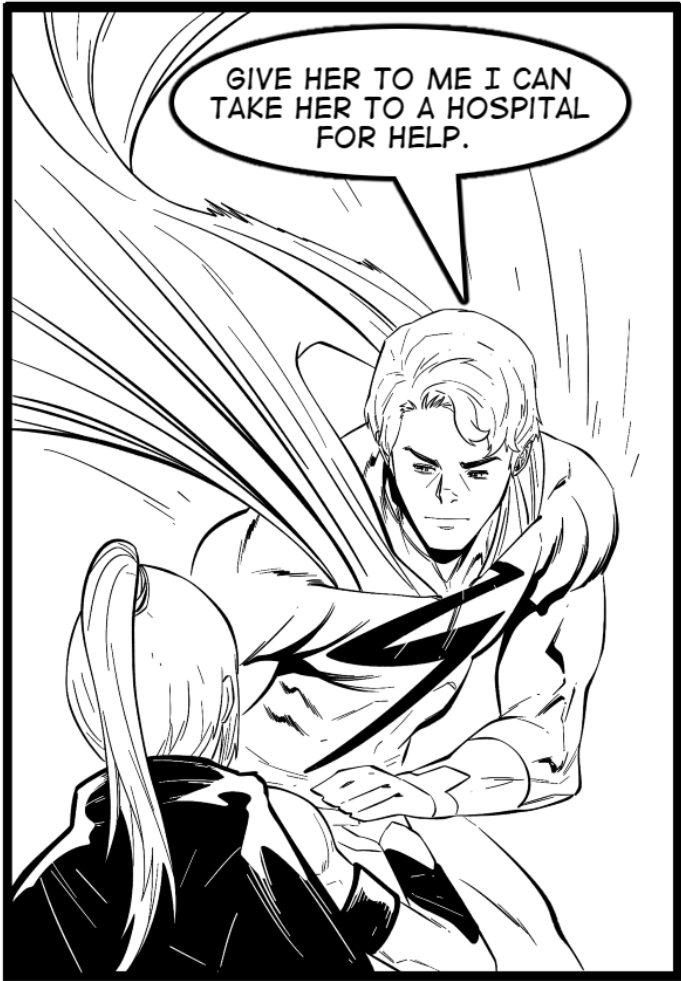
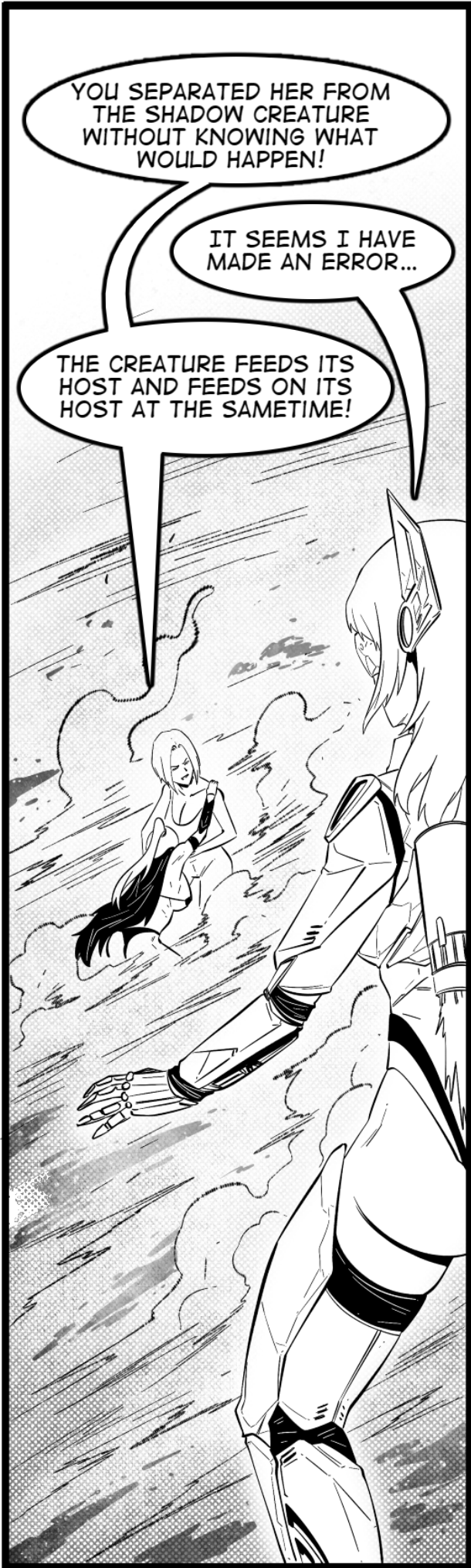
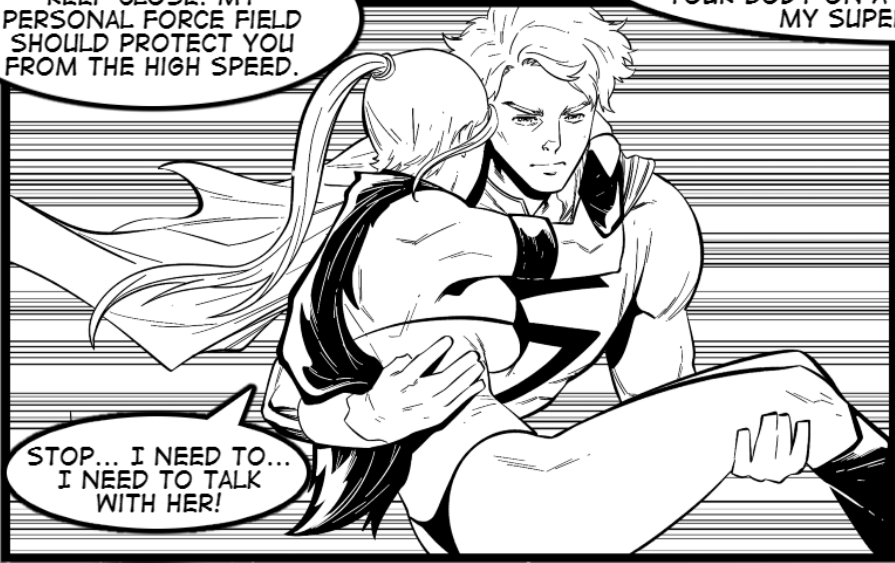


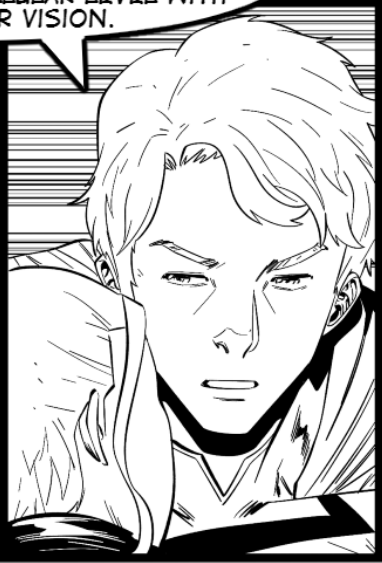


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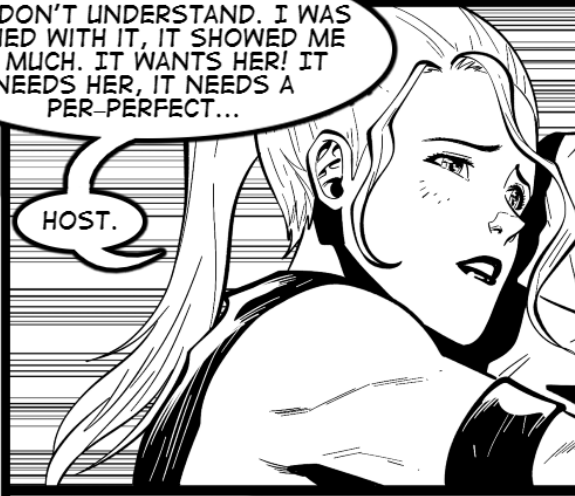




I KNOW ITS TOUGH BUT
KEEP CLOSE. MY
PERSONAL FORCE FIELD
SHOULD PROTECT YOU
FROM THE HIGH SPEED.



I'M SORRY MA'AM, BUT YOU NEED HELP
DESPERATELY. I CAN SEE DAMAGE TO
YOUR BODY ON A CELLULAR LEVEL WITH
MY SUPERIOR VISION.



STOP... I NEED TO...
I NEED TO TALK
WITH HER!

YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND. I WAS
JOINED WITH IT, IT SHOWED ME
SO MUCH. IT WANTS HER! IT
NEEDS HER, IT NEEDS A
PER-PERFECT...

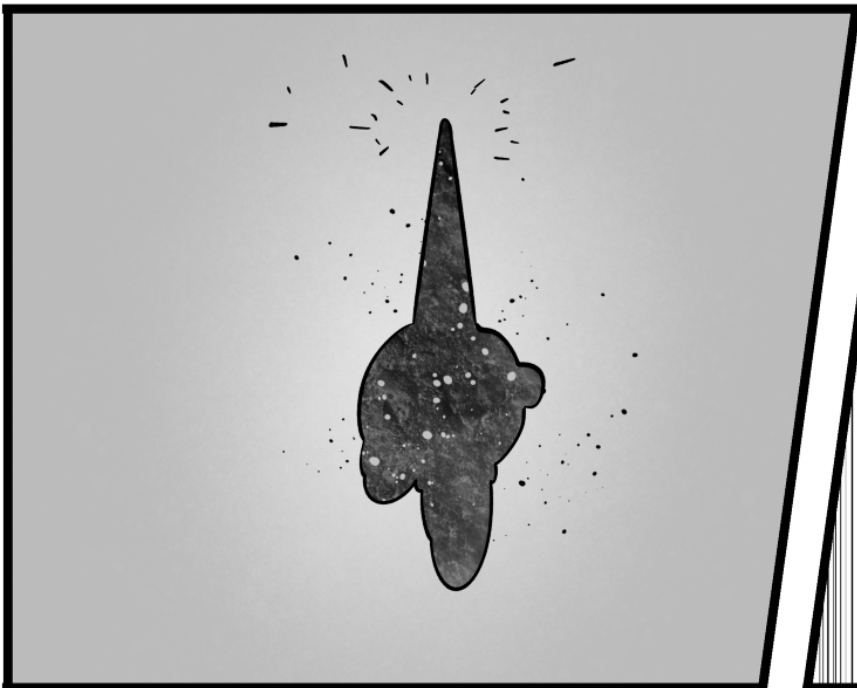
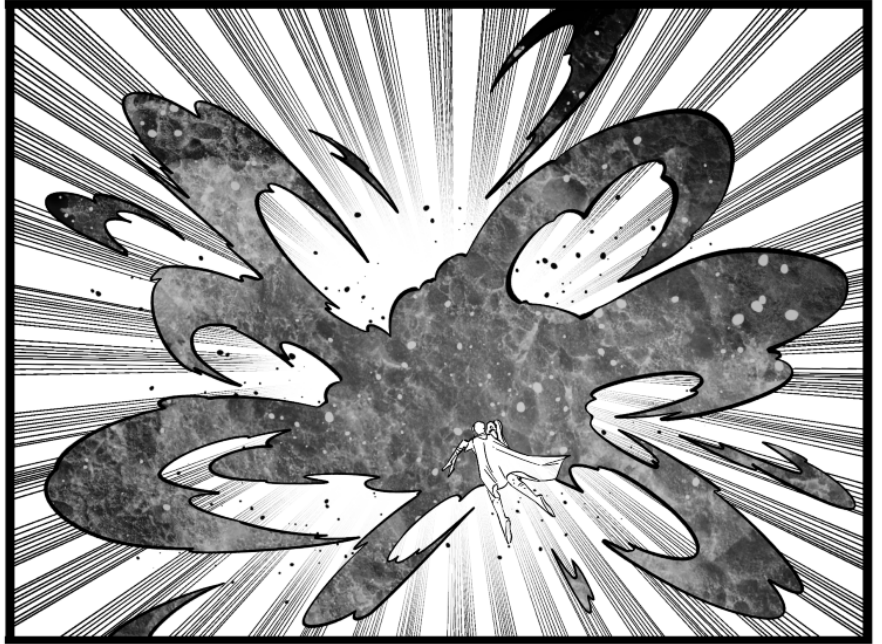
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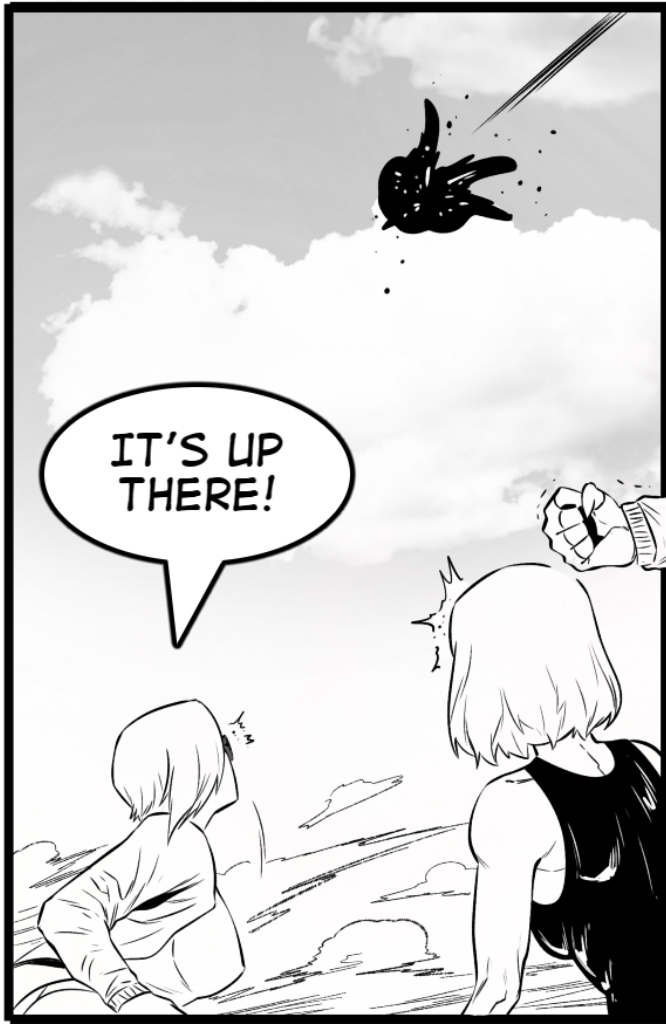


WE KNOW. IT'S AFTER
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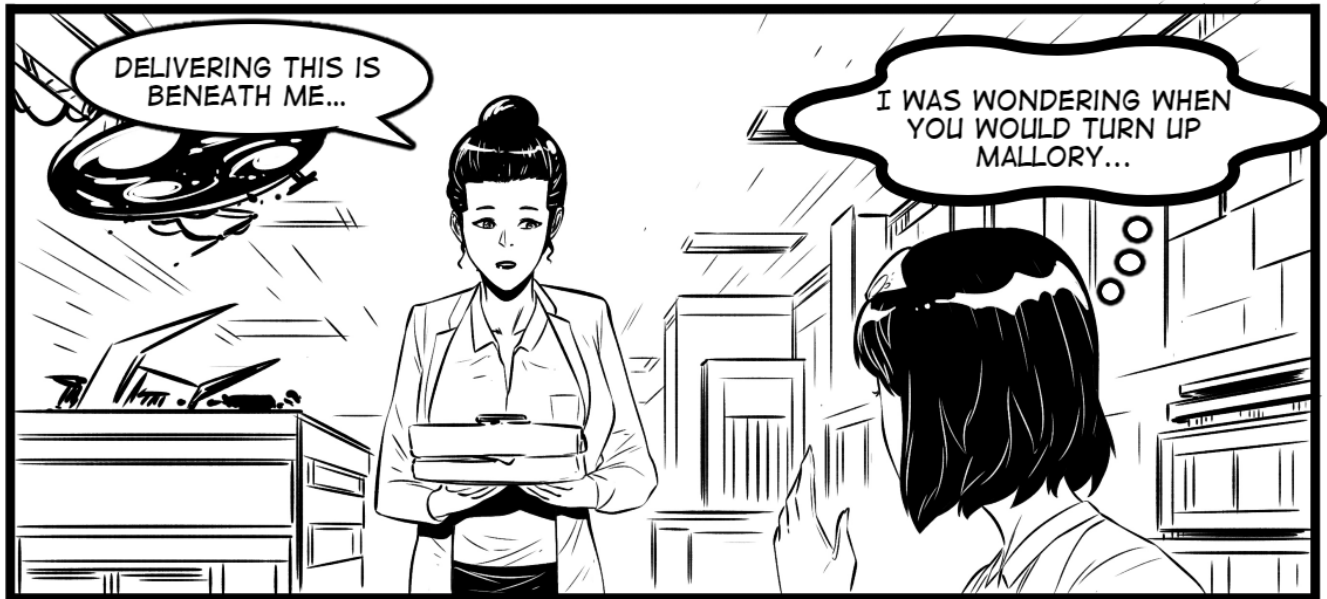
NO... NOT HER.. ITS
REAL..HOST..THE
ONE...THE ATLEANS MADE
FOR IT...





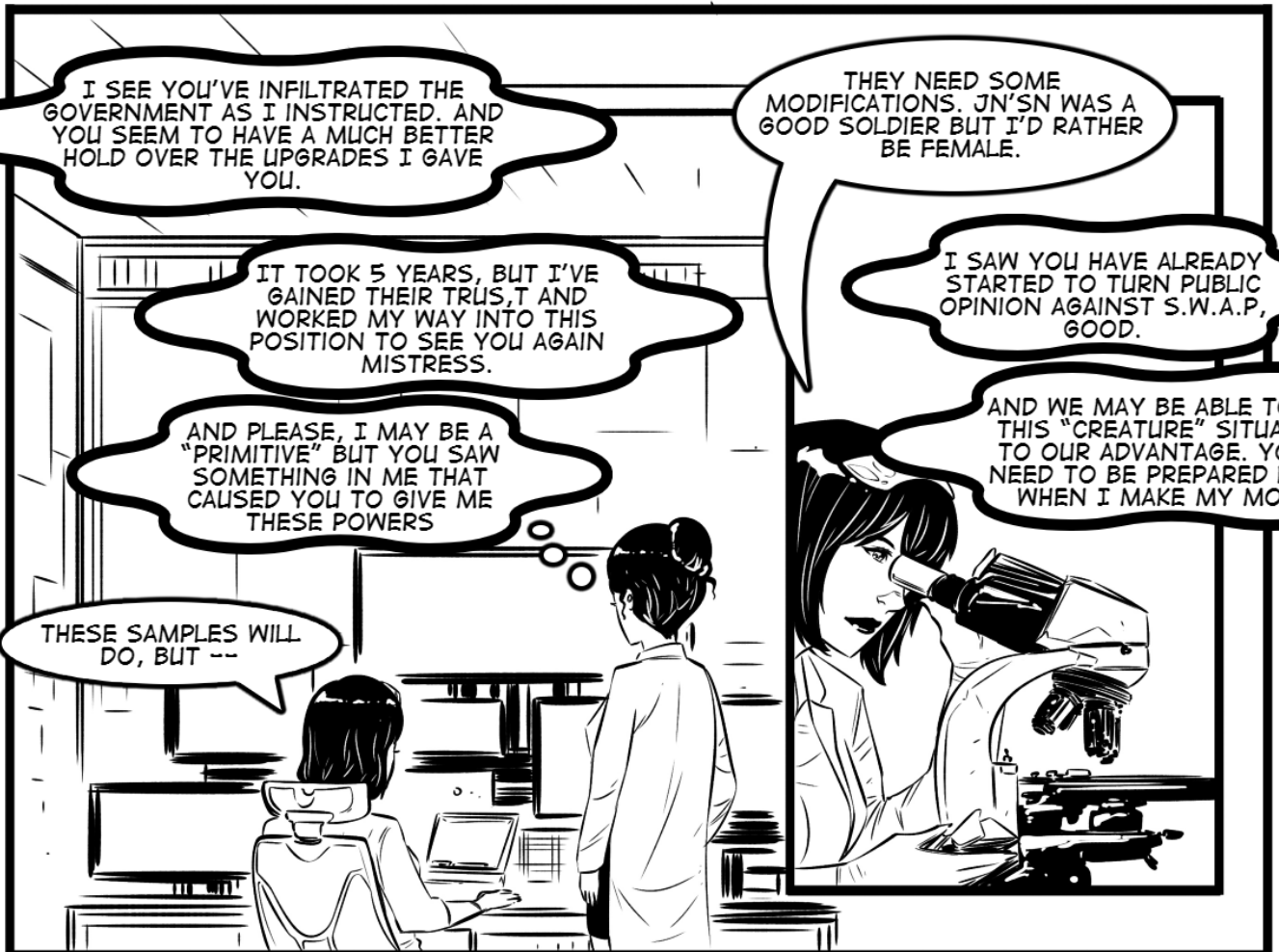


PRIMITIVES! WHERE IS THAT DNA SAMPLE!?!



DELIVERING THIS IS BENEATH ME...

I WAS WONDERING WHEN YOU WOULD TURN UP MALLORY...



I SEE YOU'VE INFILTRATED THE GOVERNMENT AS I INSTRUCTED. AND YOU SEEM TO HAVE A MUCH BETTER HOLD OVER THE UPGRADES I GAVE YOU.

THEY NEED SOME MODIFICATIONS. JN'SN WAS A GOOD SOLDIER BUT I'D RATHER BE FEMALE.

IT TOOK 5 YEARS, BUT I'VE GAINED THEIR TRUST AND WORKED MY WAY INTO THIS POSITION TO SEE YOU AGAIN MISTRESS.

I SAW YOU HAVE ALREADY STARTED TO TURN PUBLIC OPINION AGAINST S.W.A.P., GOOD.

AND PLEASE, I MAY BE A "PRIMITIVE" BUT YOU SAW SOMETHING IN ME THAT CAUSED YOU TO GIVE ME THESE POWERS

AND WE MAY BE ABLE TO USE THIS "CREATURE" SITUATION TO OUR ADVANTAGE. YOU'LL NEED TO BE PREPARED LATER WHEN I MAKE MY MOVE.

THESE SAMPLES WILL DO, BUT ---

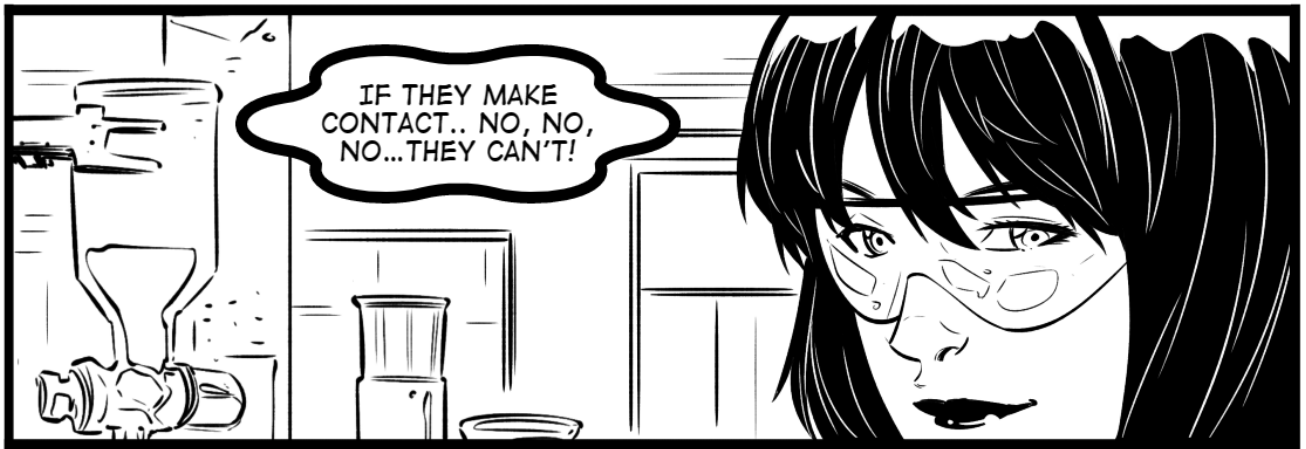
EDITOR'S NOTE: YOU MUST BE CONFUSED DEAR READER, REMEMBER WAY BACK WHEN IN THE FIRST STORY ARC DR HAND HAD CREATED SEVERAL MINIONS TO FIGHT OUR HERO? IF YOU PAID ATTENTION ONE OF THOSE MINIONS WAS NEVER SEEN! SEE TURBULENCE ISSUE #7 FOR THE SWAPS!



A LITTLE OF MY ORIGINAL BODY'S DNA...

MISTRESS, I'VE READ THE GENERAL'S MIND. IT SEEMS THEY ARE BATTLING THE CREATURE IN THE ARCTIC CIRCLE.

WHAT!? WHY WOULD THEY...NO, NO!



IF THEY MAKE CONTACT.. NO, NO, NO...THEY CAN'T!



I NEED TO STALL FOR TIME. COMMUNICATIONS IN THE SHIP SHOULD STILL BE WORKABLE.

