

HIROHIKO ARAKI

With
sprouting
ambition,
he sets his
sights on
incredible
riches.

Chapter 2
of the
all-new
series!

JoJo's
Bizarre
Adventure
Part 9

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#002 THE JAPANESE PERSON ON HAWAII ISLAND

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STORY

The story is set in the volcanic islands of the Pacific: Hawai'i. Jodio Joestar, a teenager living on O'ahu Island, has a dream of becoming incredibly rich. For Jodio, this is the way to reach the apex of what he calls "mechanisms," concepts he observes throughout his everyday life on the island. On these islands where light and shadow intertwine, an unpredictable story begins!

MERYL MEI QI

A "superwoman" who is both the principal of Jodio's school and the owner of a fashion boutique. Behind the curtain, she's the boss of Jodio and his team.

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A customer of Jodio's, suddenly added to the team at the last minute.

PACO LABURANTES

A muscular young man. He loves stealing, and treats taking people's things like it's a game. Paco's Stand ability is called The Hustle, and allows him to freely control his muscles.

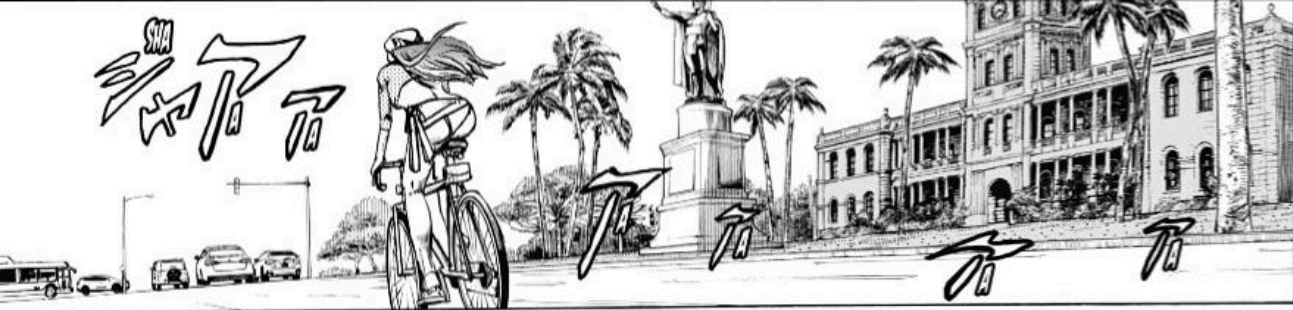
DRAGONA JOESTAR

Jodio's older brother. Likes womens' fashion and works at Meryl Mei's boutique. Dragona's Stand is called Smooth Operators.

JODIO JOESTAR

A teenage boy living on O'ahu Island. He wants to be incredibly rich, and believes the key to doing so is an invisible concept he calls "mechanisms." His Stand ability is called November Rain.







LET'S GO WITH THAT FORMAT.

HOW 'BOUT YOU PAY ME BACK BY PUTTING THE MONEY YOU OWE ME INTO THAT CAN?



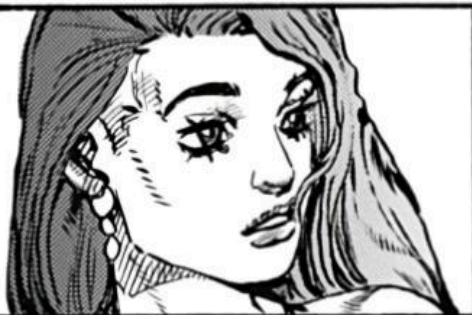
YOU KNOW WHAT? YOU JUST REMINDED ME. I GET THE FEELING I'VE LENT YOU SOME MONEY BEFORE.

ARE YOU A COLLEGE STUDENT?

YOU'RE LEAVING ALREADY? YOU GOTTA HAVE MORE PASSION ABOUT STUFF!

YO, WAIT UP!

SEE THAT EMPTY CAN ON THE BENCH RIGHT THERE?



BUT SOMETIMES MERYL MEI TELLS US TO EXTEND OUR SALES TO OTHER PEOPLE, LIKE COLLEGE KIDS.

IT MAKES SENSE. SELLING IN A LIMITED AREA CAN MAKE PROFITS STAGNATE.



USUALLY, WE ONLY SELL IN THE SCHOOLYARD.

I MEAN, WE KNOW THE PEOPLE AND THE PLACE WELL. IT'S A WAY OF PUTTING SAFETY FIRST.

SOME-TIMES A NEW WIND NEEDS TO BLOW.





HOW MUCH CAN I GET FOR THIS?

ALL I'M ASKING IS WHETHER WHAT YOU'RE SELLING IS WORTH BUYING.



YOU'VE JUST GOTTA PUT THE MONEY IN THE CAN.

GOTTA FOLLOW THE FORMAT FIRST.

THE BALL'S IN YOUR COURT.



I HAVE A HUNDRED DOLLARS.

HOW MANY GRAMS CAN I BUY WITH THAT?

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SUSPICIOUS?

?

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?



YOU'RE KINDA, LIKE... HOW DO I SAY THIS? KINDA... SUSPICIOUS.

YOU'RE KINDA...

HMMM.



WHEN YOU'RE OUT SHOPPING, NO MATTER THE STORE, YOU ALWAYS GET THE PRODUCT RIGHT WHEN YOU PAY, DON'T YOU?



WHAT THE HELL?

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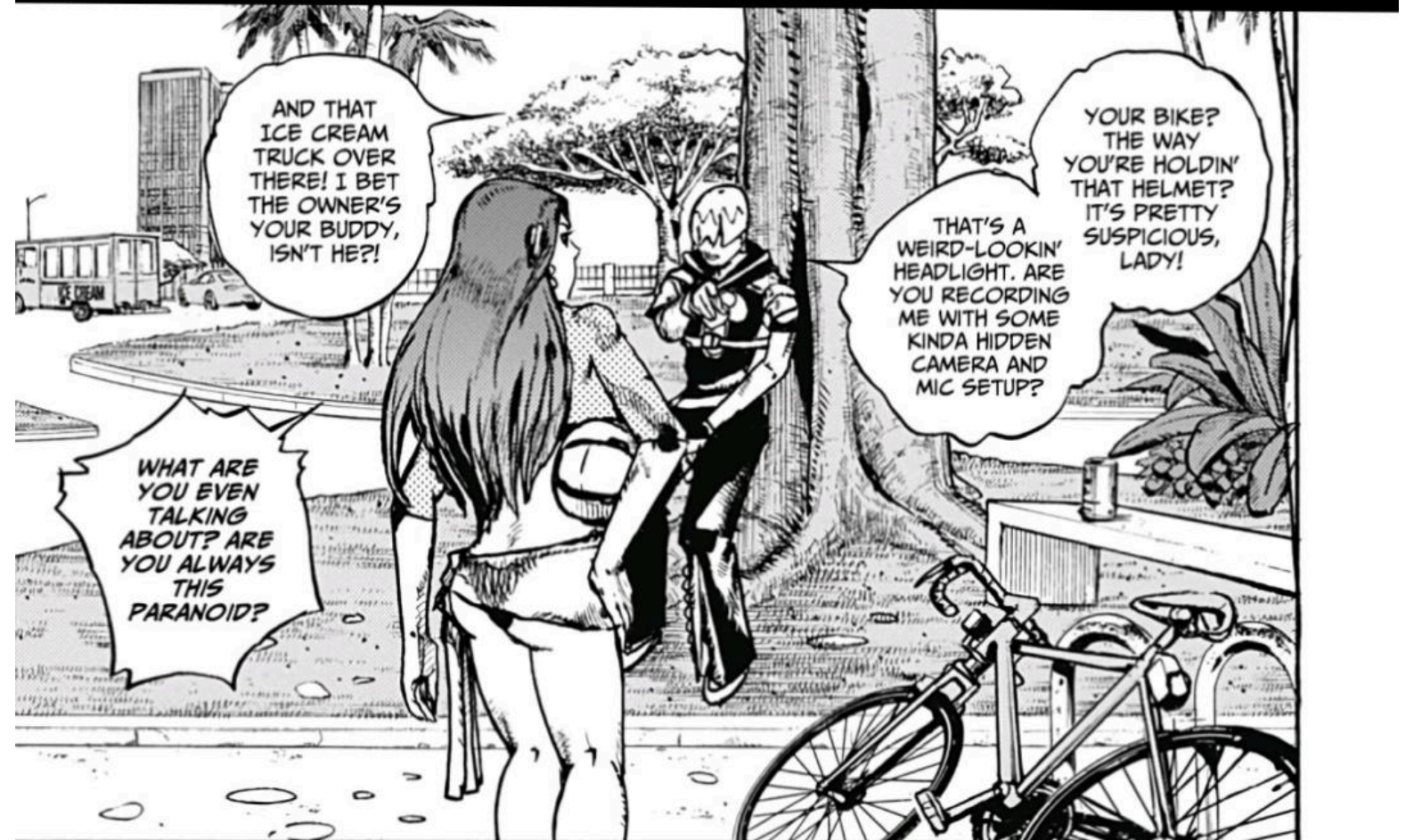


OH? WAIT, I'M ACTUALLY STARTING TO SEE IT. YEAH.

YOU'RE LOOKIN' MORE AND MORE LIKE A POLICE-WOMAN BY THE SECOND.

I DON'T KNOW, IT'S JUST, LIKE... YOU KNOW... YOU'RE, UHH...

...THE TYPE OF GIRL THAT WOULD BE A COP OR SOMETHING.



AND THAT ICE CREAM TRUCK OVER THERE! I BET THE OWNER'S YOUR BUDDY, ISN'T HE?!

YOUR BIKE? THE WAY YOU'RE HOLDIN' THAT HELMET? IT'S PRETTY SUSPICIOUS, LADY!

THAT'S A WEIRD-LOOKIN' HEADLIGHT. ARE YOU RECORDING ME WITH SOME KINDA HIDDEN CAMERA AND MIC SETUP?

WHAT ARE YOU EVEN TALKING ABOUT? ARE YOU ALWAYS THIS PARANOID?



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NO! I'M DONE WITH THIS! YOU'RE SO ANNOYING TO DEAL WITH!

IF YOU'RE NOT SUSPICIOUS, THEN HURRY UP AND PUT THE MONEY IN THAT CAN!!

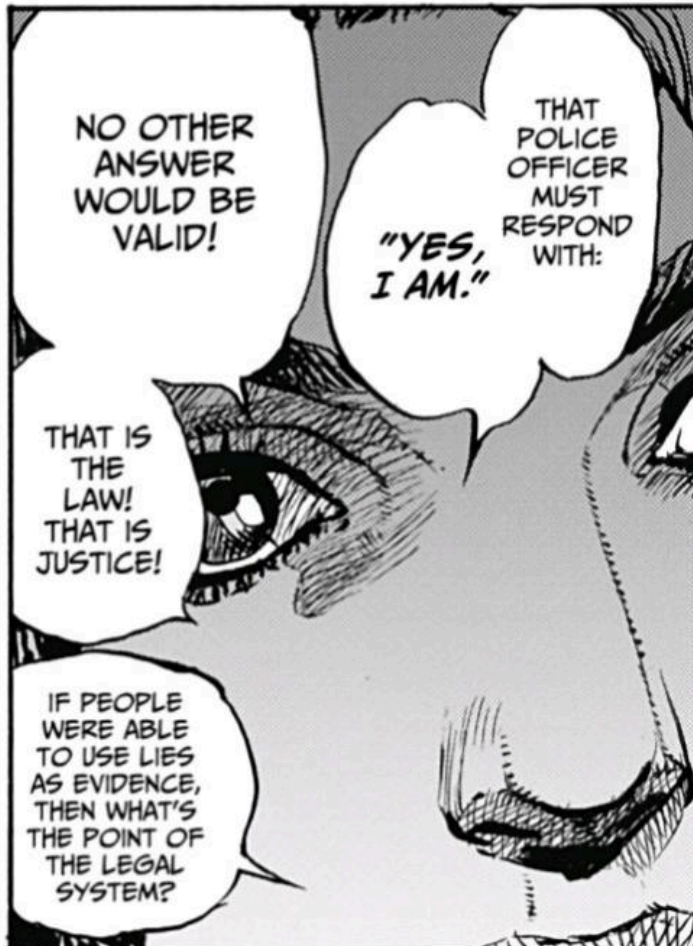
TCH! JUST A DUMB KID. WHAT A WASTE OF TIME!

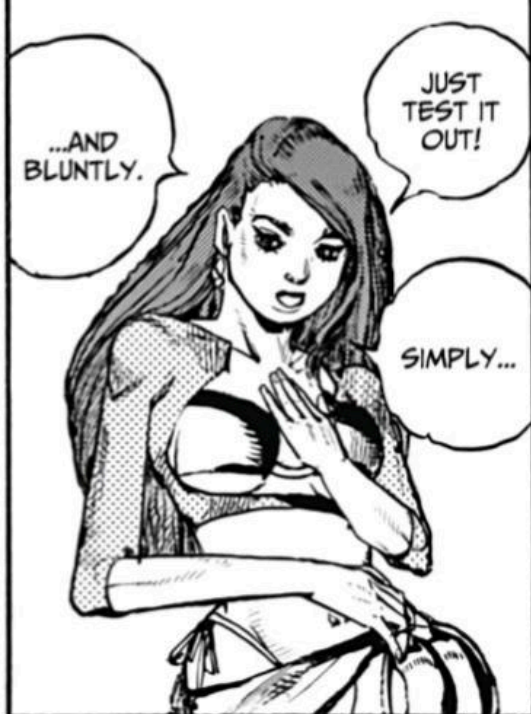
I'LL BE NICE AND TEACH YOU SOMETHING VALUABLE, ALRIGHT?

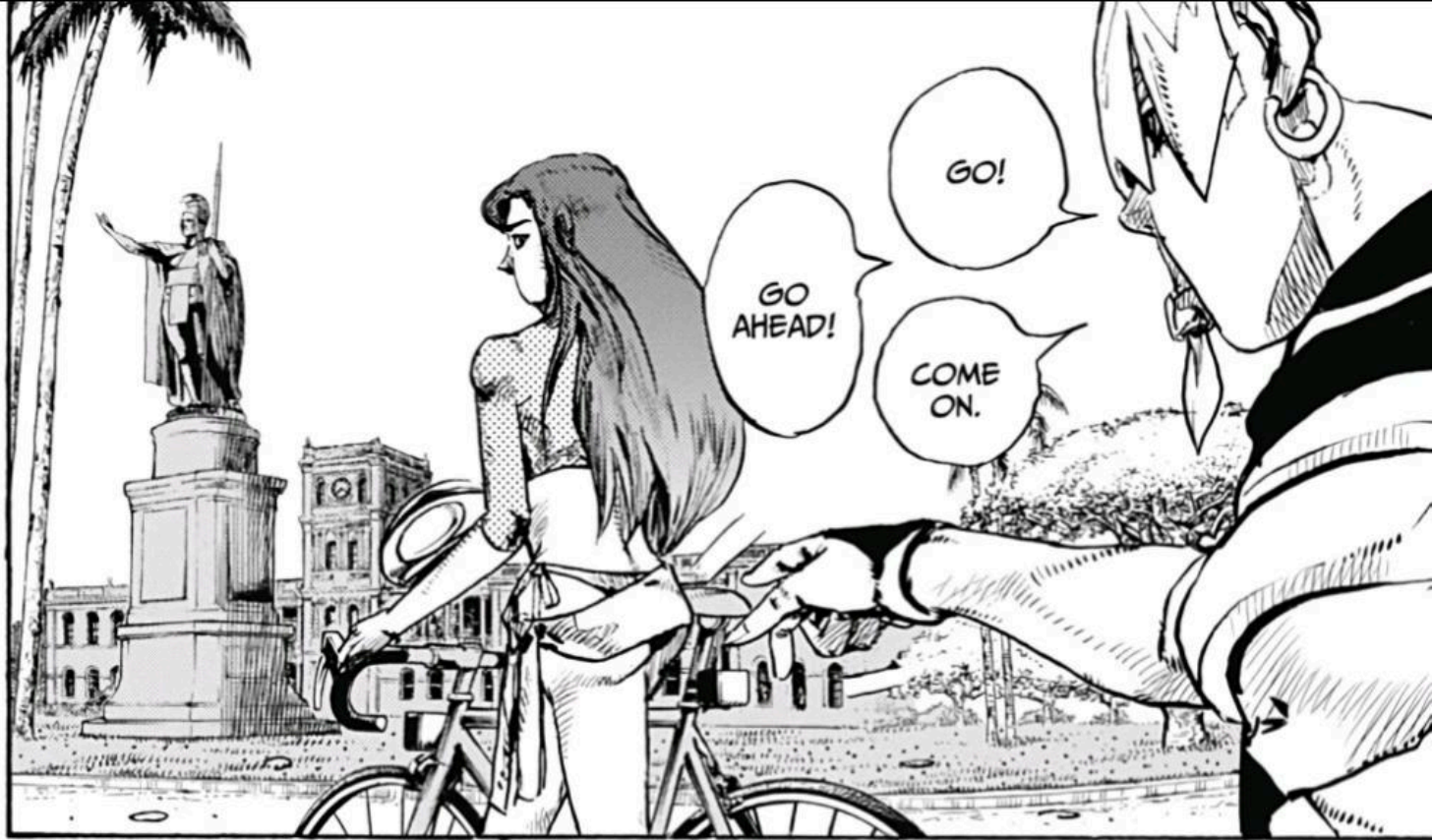
BEING A POLICE OFFICER MEANS BEING A RIGHTEOUS PERSON, RIGHT?

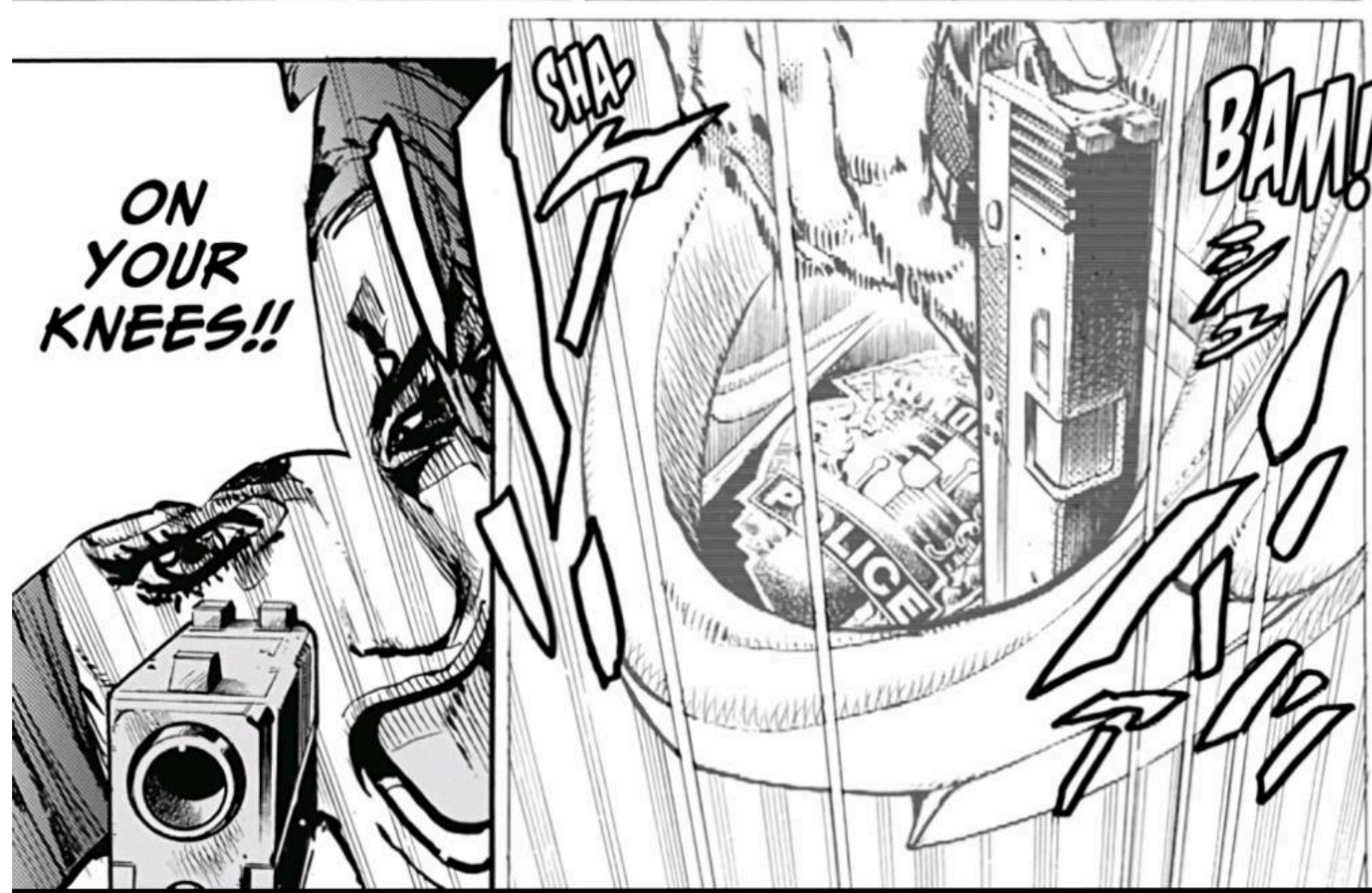
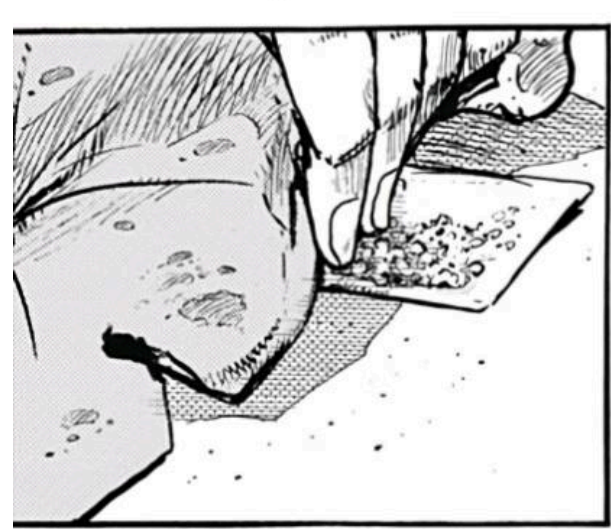
ACTUALLY, YOU KNOW WHAT?

I DON'T WANNA BUY IT ANY-MORE!









AND YOU'RE BOTH UNDER ARREST!

I'M WITH THE UNITED STATES DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION,

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GUH!

TACKLE!

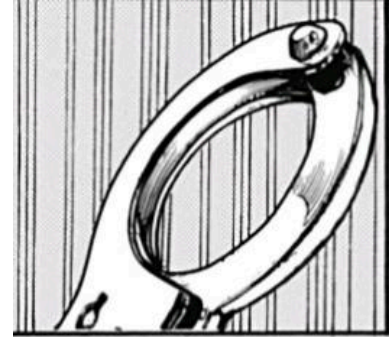


YOU'VE BEEN CAUGHT RED-HANDED FOR POSSESSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ILLEGAL DRUGS, YOU LITTLE BRAT!

ON YOUR KNEES, NOW!!

NO WAY...





GRAB!



OPEN

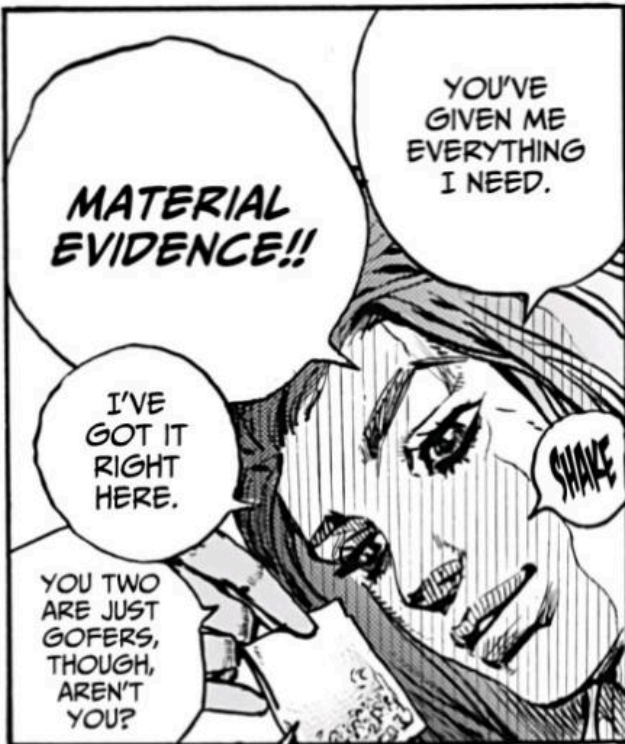
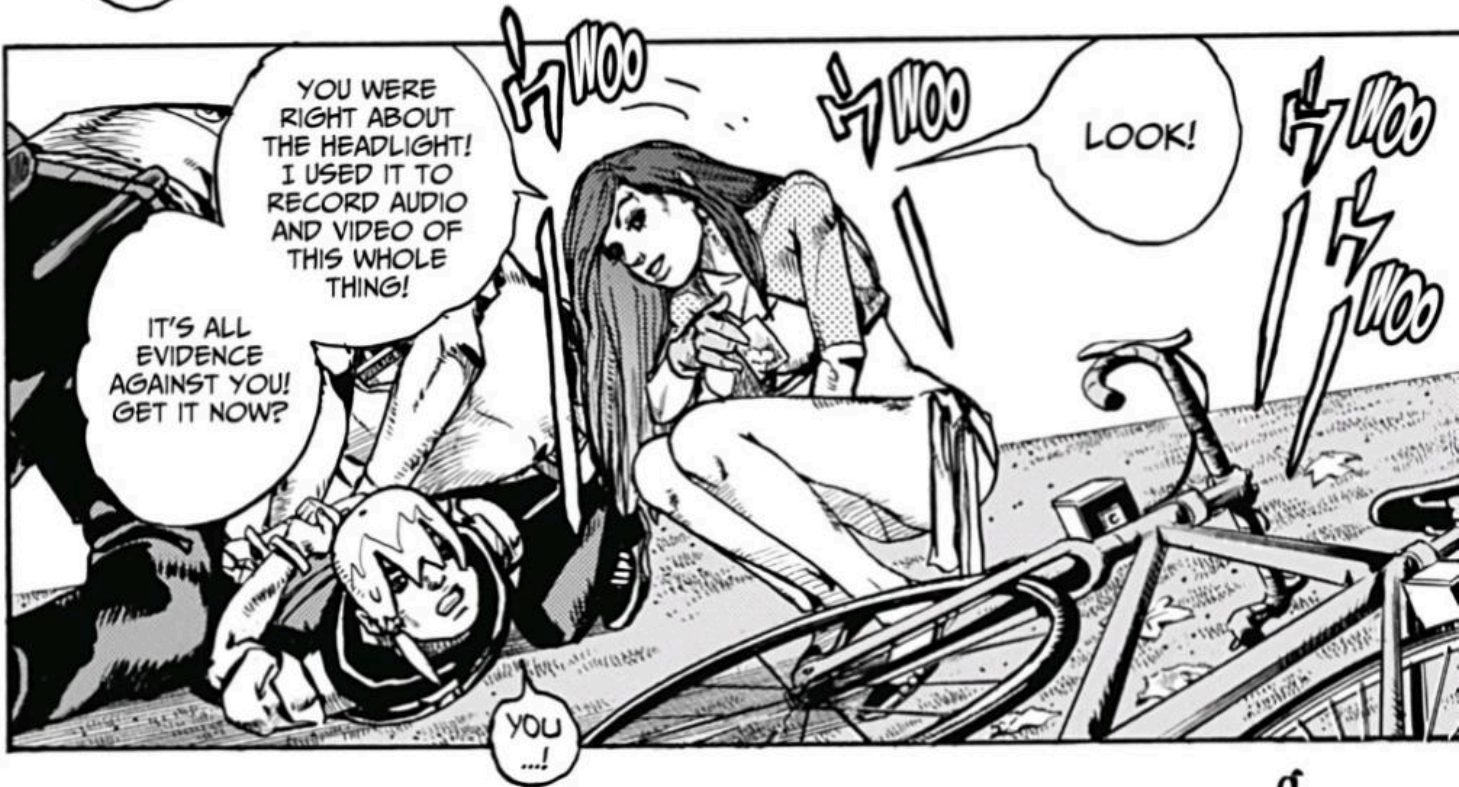
FISH FISH FISH

FISH FISH FISH

WOO WOO

FOR REAL?!

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AND LOCK THEM UP!

READ THEM THEIR RIGHTS.

SHAKE
SHAKE



TURN YOUR HEAD UP HERE!

LOOK AT US!

REMEMBER US FROM ANYWHERE, KID?

HEY, FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD!

GUH!
YANK!
URK!

JERK!
YANK!
URK!







BACK THEN...

...JUST KILLED YOU GUYS.
I SHOULD HAVE...



GUH!



CREAK

CREAK

GAH!

URK!

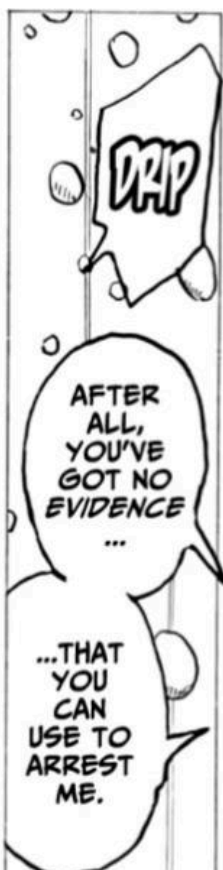


DAP

DAP

DAP

EVEN THE EVIDENCE YOU THINK YOU JUST GOT.



AFTER ALL, YOU'VE GOT NO EVIDENCE ...

...THAT YOU CAN USE TO ARREST ME.



BUT I DON'T CARE ABOUT YOU GUYS AT ALL.

I'M WARNING YOU... I KNOW MY BROTHER'S CUTE. THAT'S NOT NEWS TO ME...

...SO DON'T YOU DARE SAY THAT SHIT EVER AGAIN! JUST LET IT STAY A MEMORY.







SO, THIS IS COMPLETELY OFF-TOPIC, BUT...



WELL, WELL.



AAHH!

AHH!



IS THIS RAIN JODI'S DOING?

HEH. NICE.



I'M REALLY STARTING TO LIKE THAT GUY.



LIKE, COME ON. DOCTOR... ANTI-SOCIAL? HEARING THAT LABEL ATTACHED TO ME...

...THAT THERE'S A POSSIBILITY I HAVE ANTISOCIAL PERSONALITY DISORDER, OR, WELL... PSYCHOPATHY.

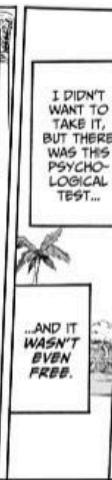
THE DOCTOR WHO WAS GIVING OUT THE TEST SAID...

I DIDN'T WANT TO TAKE IT, BUT THERE WAS THIS PSYCHOLOGICAL TEST...

AT THE SCHOOL I'M GOING TO, THEY HAVE THIS THING CALLED MENTAL COUNSELING.

...AND IT WASN'T EVEN FREE.

IT HURT A BIT.



✓ Inability to control actions

✓ Lack of feelings of remorse or guilt

THE TEST WAS LIKE A CHECKLIST. THERE WERE 20 ITEMS, AND APPARENTLY 18 OF THEM APPLIED TO ME.





IT
MAKES ME
WANNA
LOSE MY
MIND.



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OUR TEAM WORKED PERFECTLY FINE WITH JUST THE THREE OF US, YOU KNOW!

YOU'RE THE ONE WHO WAS SUPPOSED TO BE IN CHARGE OF GETTING US A CAR, SO WE'VE JUST BEEN WAITING HERE!

WHAT GIVES?

HM?

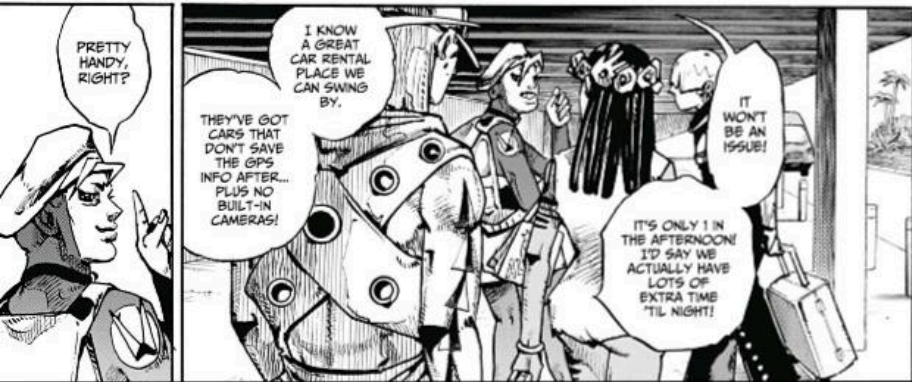


THERE'S NO WAY I'M STAYING THE NIGHT AFTER WE GET THE THING WE'RE HERE FOR!

WHOA, WHOA, WHOA, WHOA, WHOA, WHOA!

AND EVEN IF THIS PLACE IS PRETTY BIG, WE'RE STILL TRAPPED HERE! WE ARE GOING TO FINISH THIS JOB AND CATCH THE LAST FLIGHT BACK TO O'AHU, DO YOU HEAR ME?

YOU BETTER LISTEN UP! WE ARE ON AN ISLAND, OKAY?



PRETTY HANDY, RIGHT?

THEY'VE GOT CARS THAT DON'T SAVE THE GPS INFO AFTER... PLUS NO BUILT-IN CAMERAS!

I KNOW A GREAT CAR RENTAL PLACE WE CAN SWING BY.

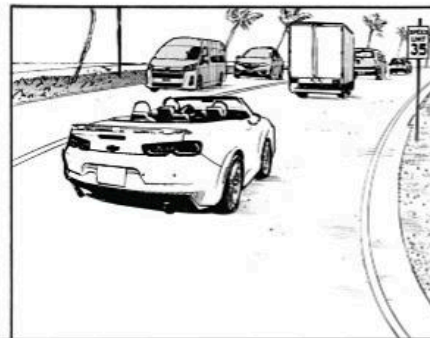
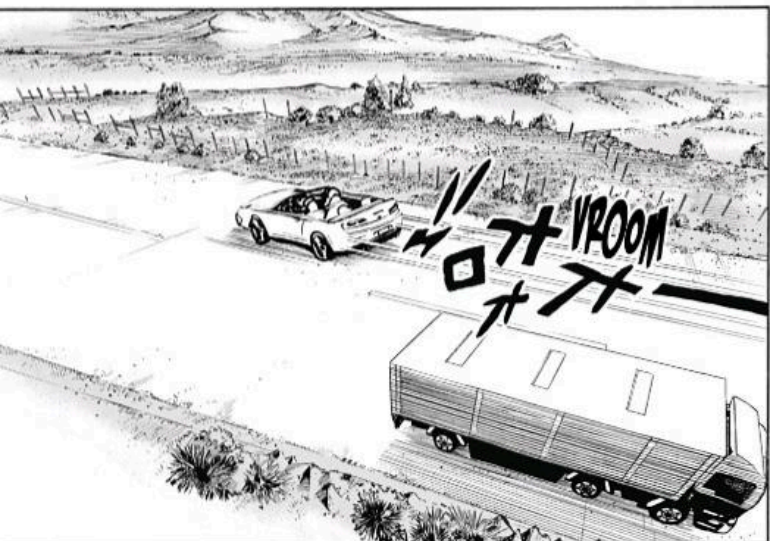
IT WON'T BE AN ISSUE!

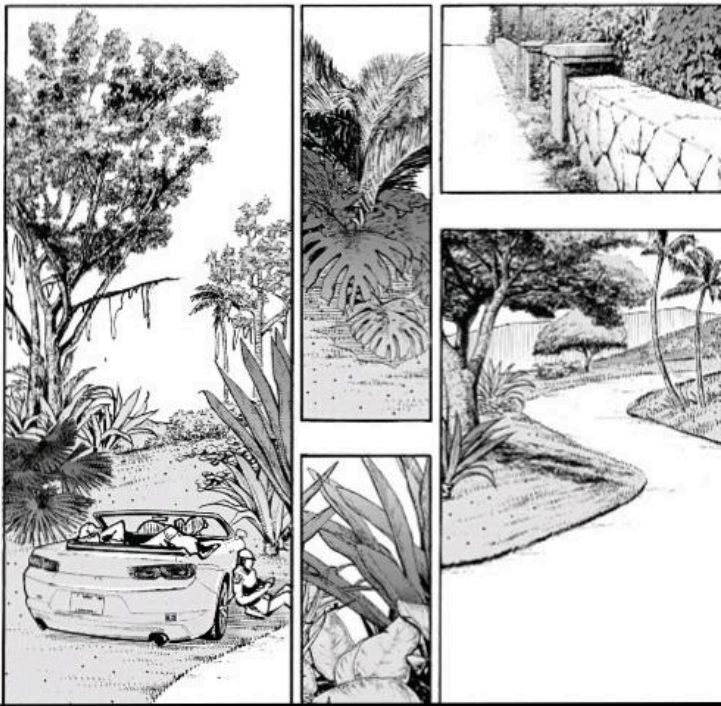
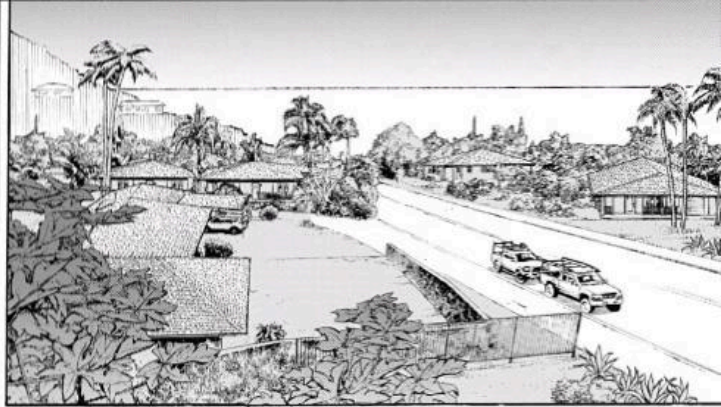
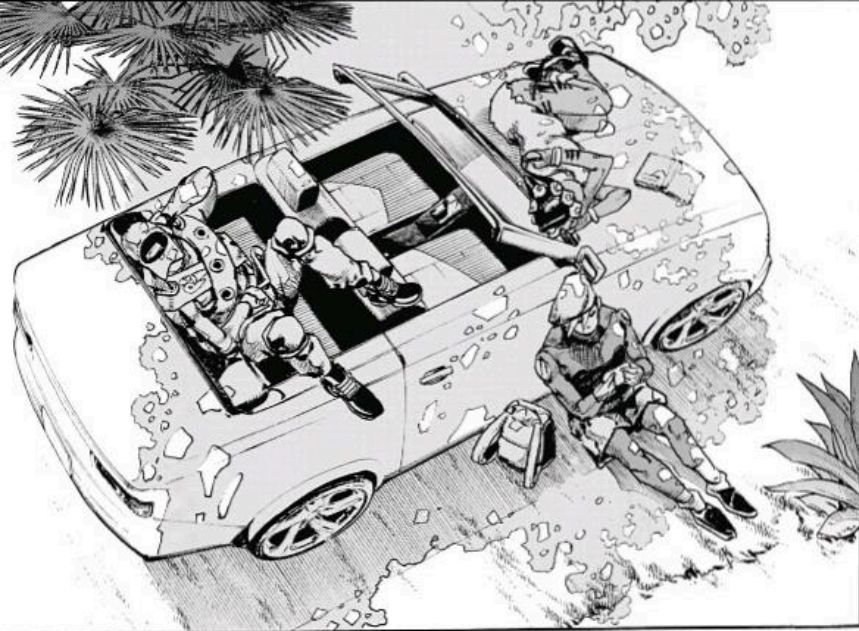
IT'S ONLY 1 IN THE AFTERNOON! I'D SAY WE ACTUALLY HAVE LOTS OF EXTRA TIME 'TIL NIGHT!















THERE WAS ALSO A CHAIR WITH A TOWEL AND AN IPAD ON IT.

THEY HAVE A YARD OVER THERE WITH A POOL. I SAW SOME DRINKS OUT ON THE POOLSIDE TABLE.

...AND KONA COFFEE.

GLASSES, A THING OF ICE, SOME GINGER ALE...



THIS PLACE HAS FIVE BEDROOMS, AND SIX STUDIES AND BATHROOMS. NOT TO MENTION A SECOND FLOOR.

I ASSUME THIS IS THE LOCATION OF THAT POOL?

.....

WE MIGHT HAVE A MOMENT WHEN THEY'RE EXERCISING OR RELAXING IN THAT YARD'S POOL.

WHICH MEANS EVEN IF THEY DON'T LEAVE THE PROPERTY, THEY MIGHT GO OUT TO THE TERRACE FOR A SWIM.

HMMM... THIS MIGHT WORK.

CRANK

CRANK





NO FAMILY,
HOUSEKEEPERS,
OR A.C.
REPAIRPEOPLE
OR ANY-
THING.

UNLESS
THEY HAVE
A SURPRISE
VISITOR,
THERE
SHOULDN'T
BE ANYONE
ELSE BUT
THEM.

I'M
CERTAIN!

THE ONLY
PERSON
THERE IS THE
JAPANESE
OWNER.



JODIO...
ARE YOU
SURE THAT
THIS PERSON'S
ALONE IN THE
HOUSE?



LET'S GIVE OURSELVES
A MAXIMUM OF
15 MINUTES TO GET
THE WHOLE THING
DONE WITH. IN AND
OUT, WITHOUT THE
JAPANESE TOURIST
NOTICING US
STEALING THEIR
DIAMOND.

THE
JAPANESE
ARE A
PEACEFUL
PEOPLE,
AFTER ALL.

ALRIGHT,
IT'S DECIDED!
IT'S GO-TIME
WHEN THEY
HEAD OUT TO
THE POOL.

JODIO,
YOU'LL
BE OUR
LOOKOUT.



AND
MASKS
ON.

PUT YOUR
EARBUDS IN,
EVERY-
ONE.

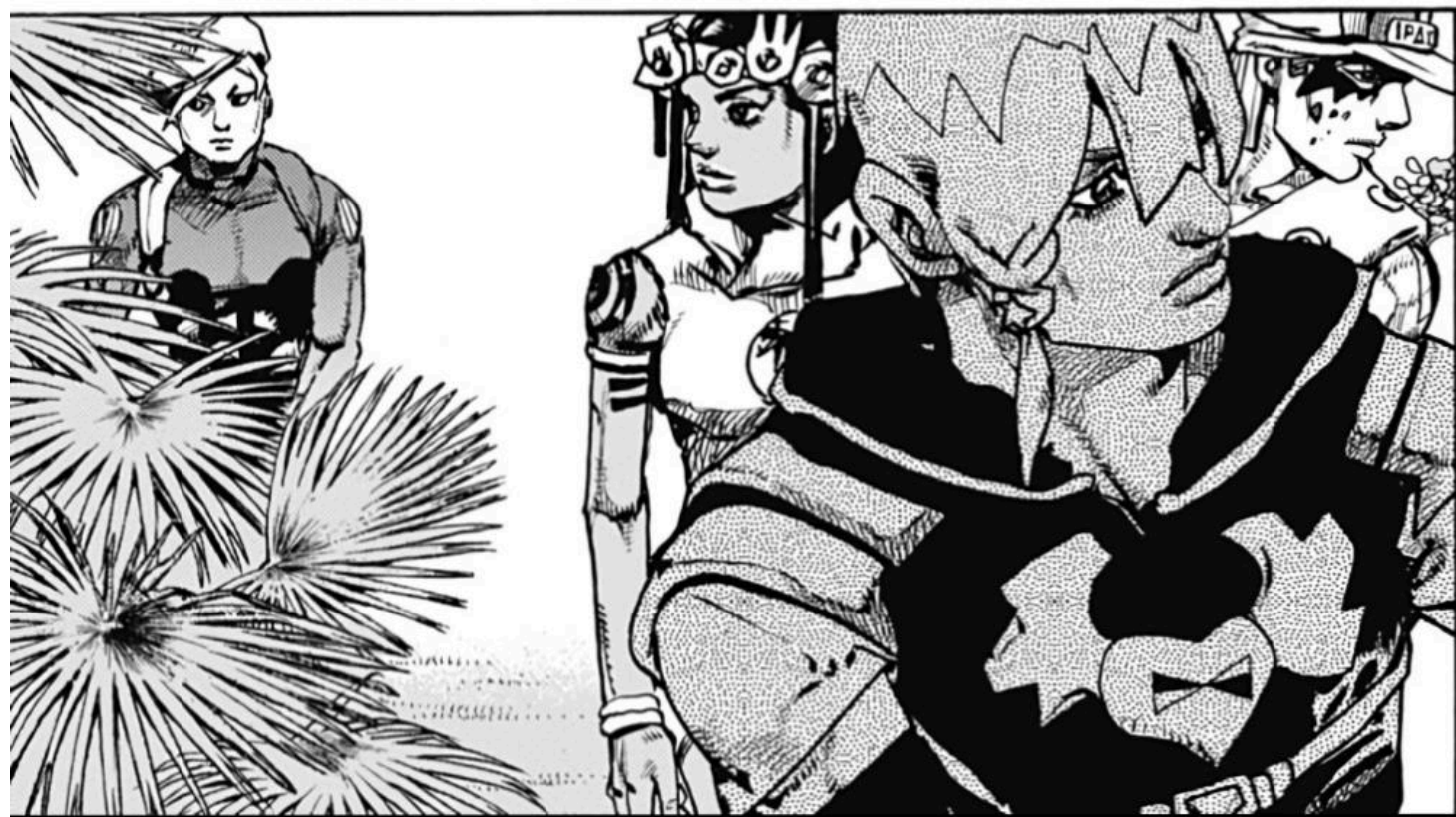


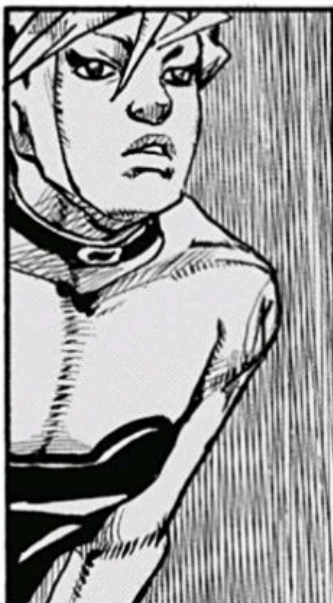
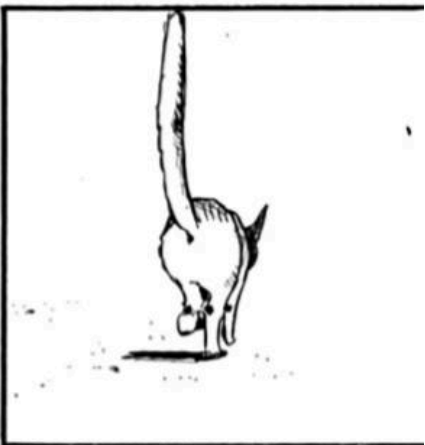
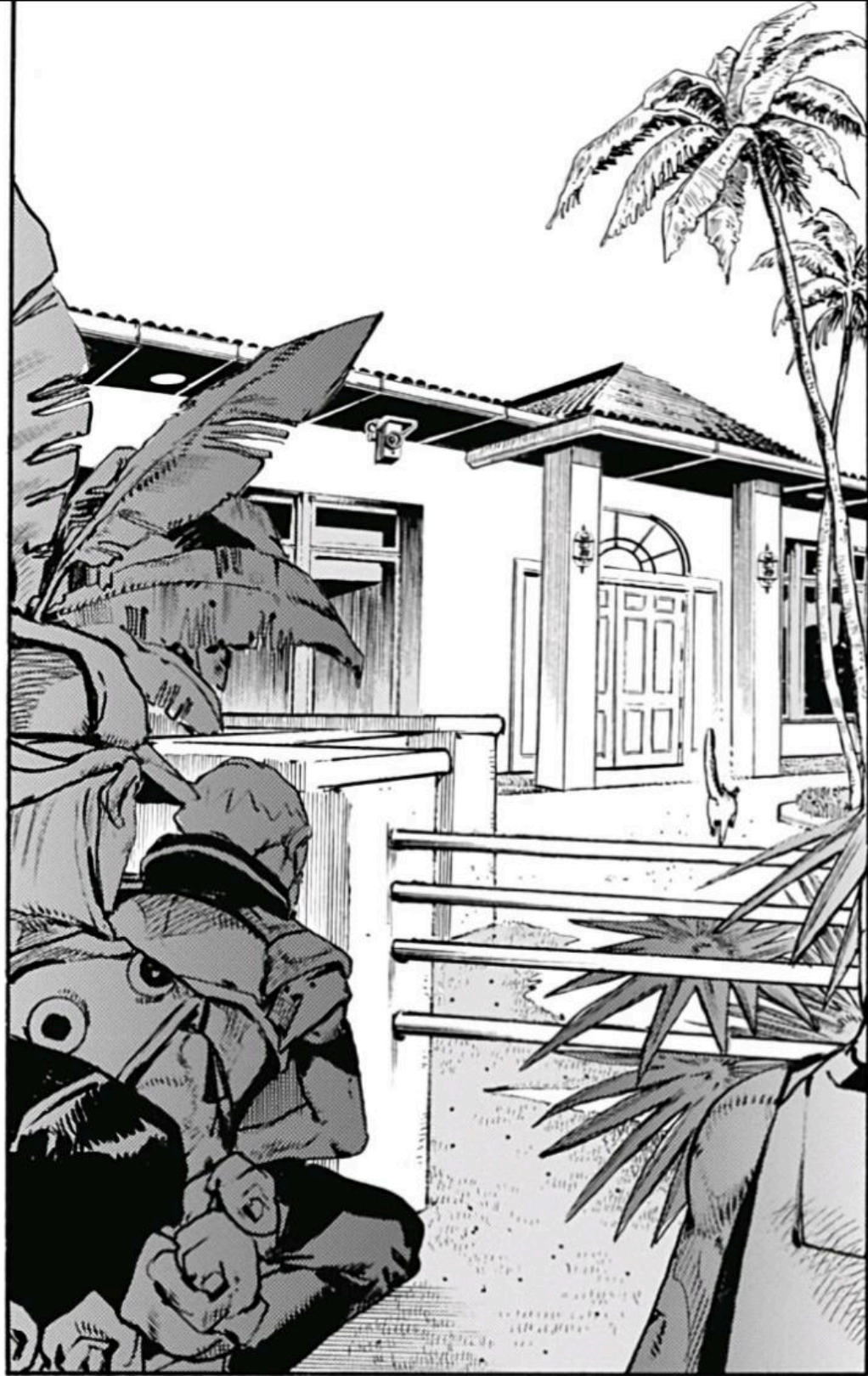
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I SEE!

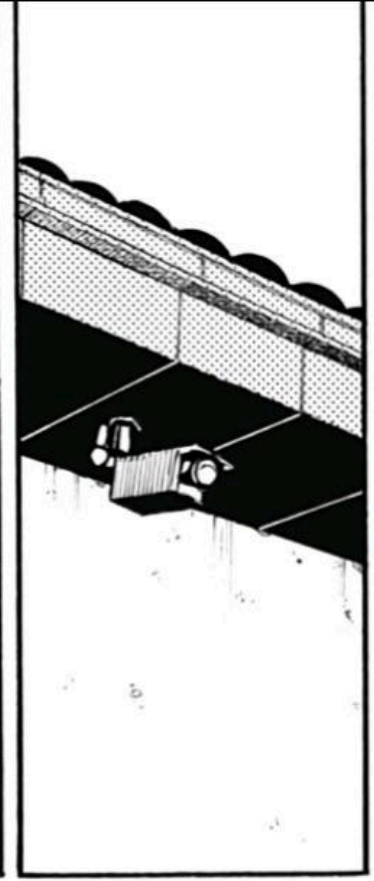


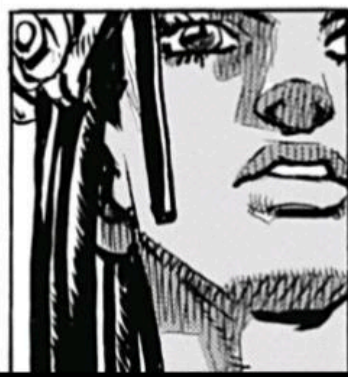
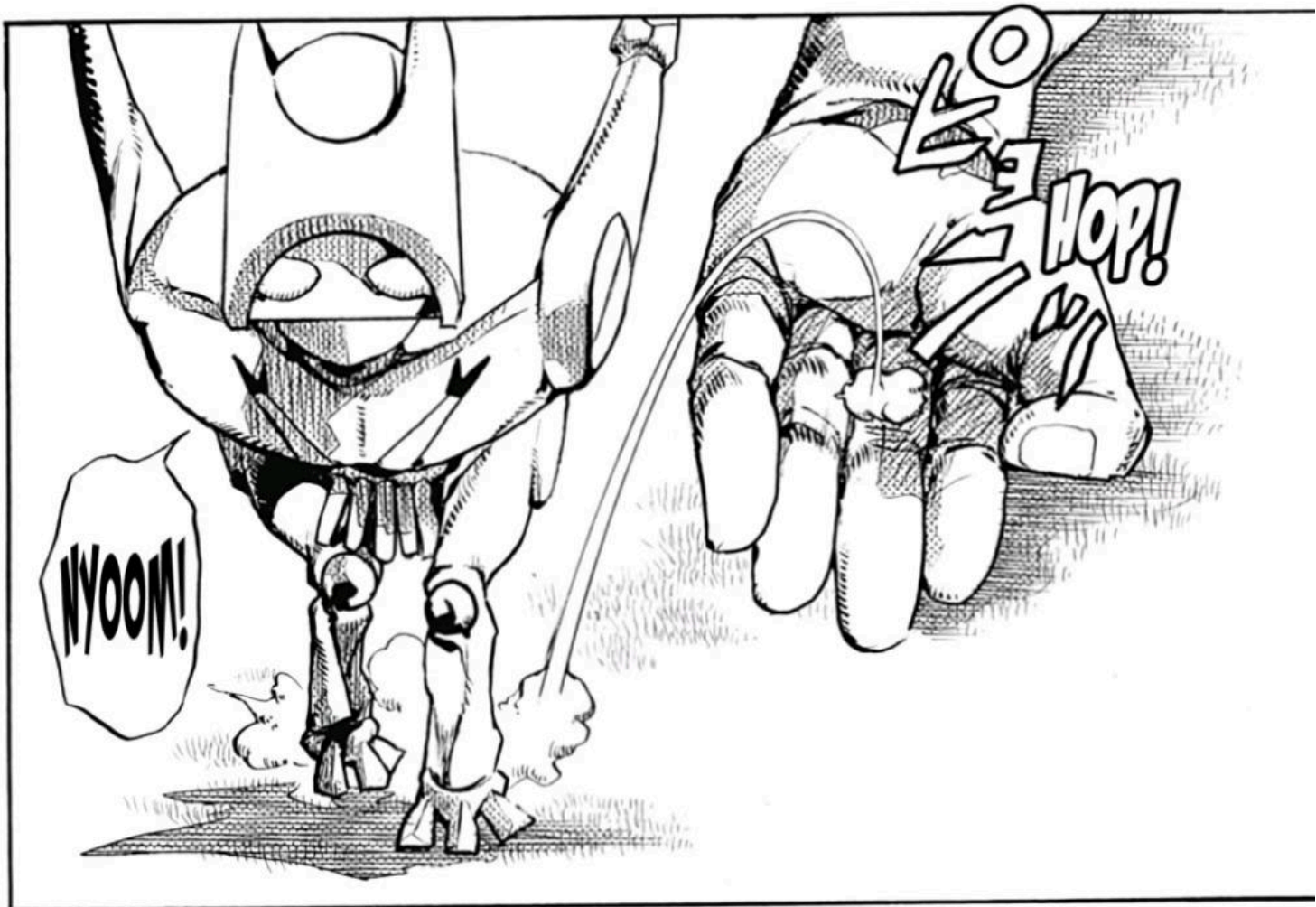
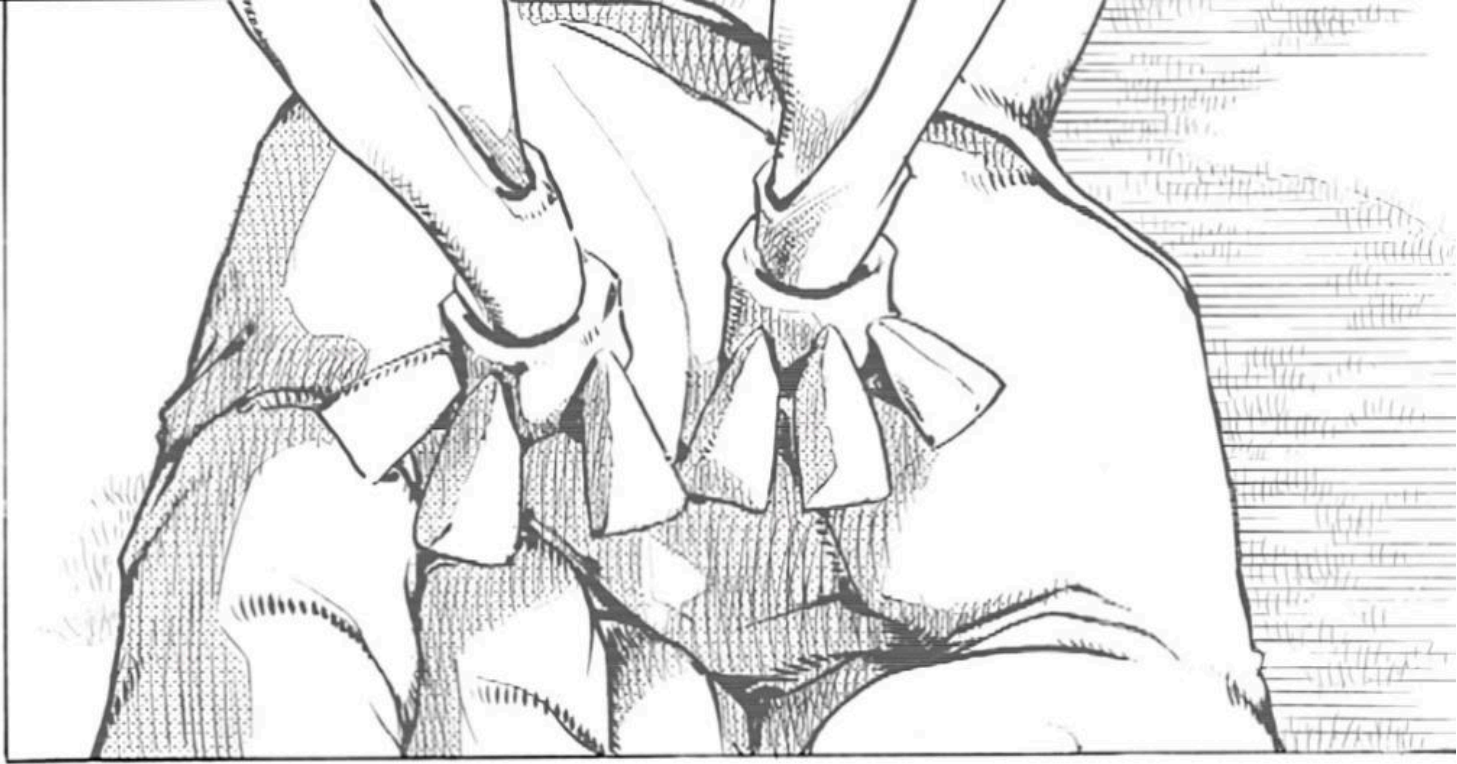
WE'RE
AIMING FOR
THIS HUGE
MAIN BEDROOM
HERE. IF THERE'S
A SAFE IN THERE,
WE JUST HAVE
TO GET THAT
OPEN.

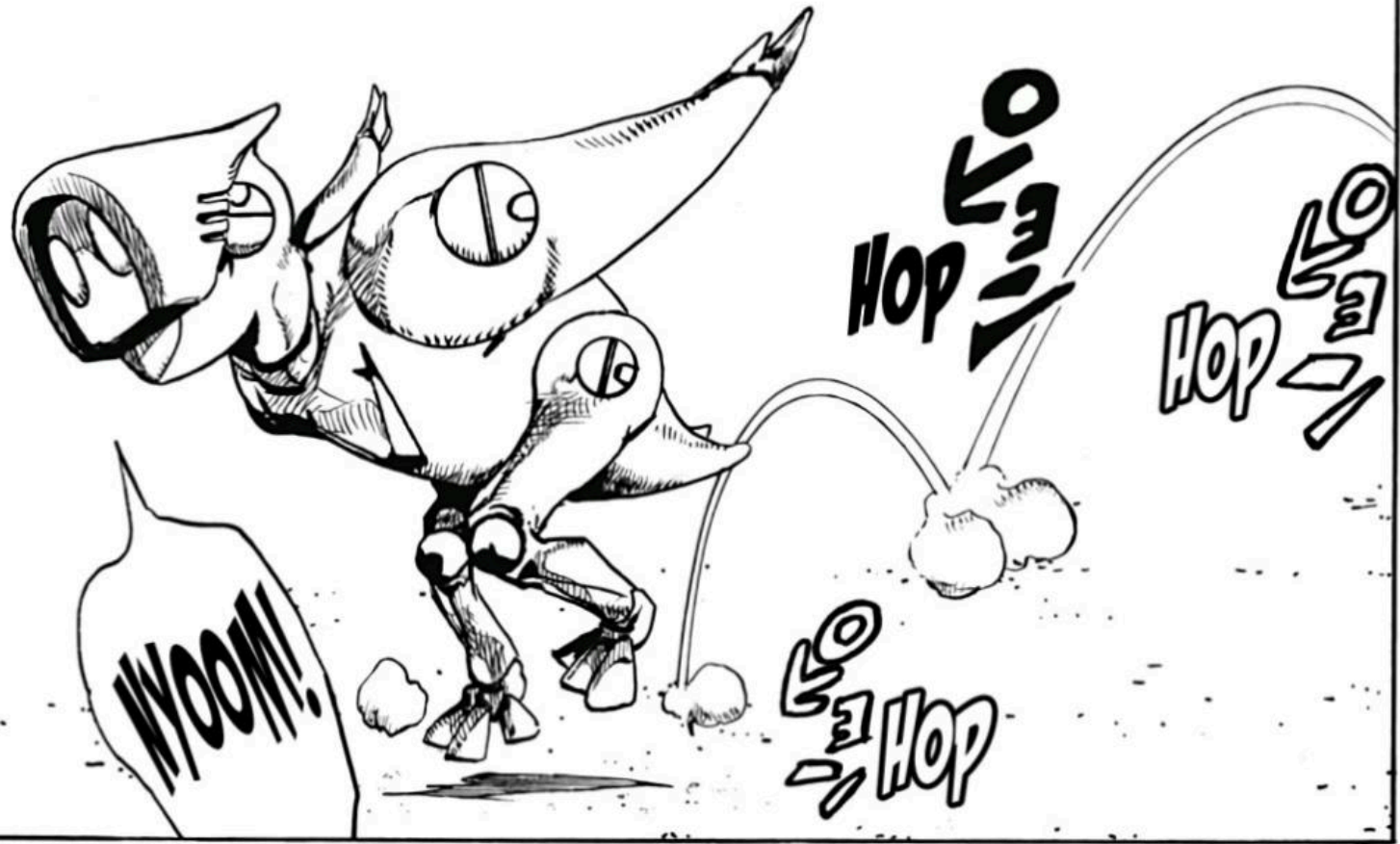
THIS'LL
BE THE
GENERAL
AREA FOR
US TO
SEARCH.

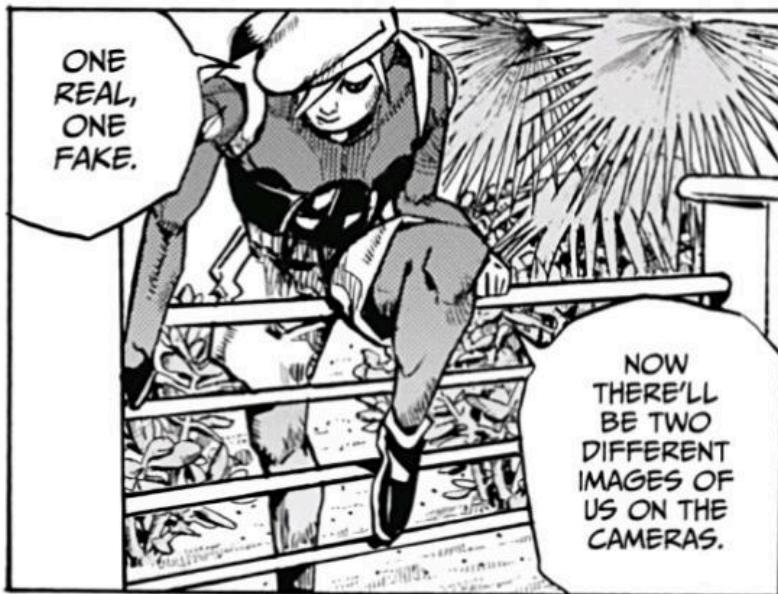
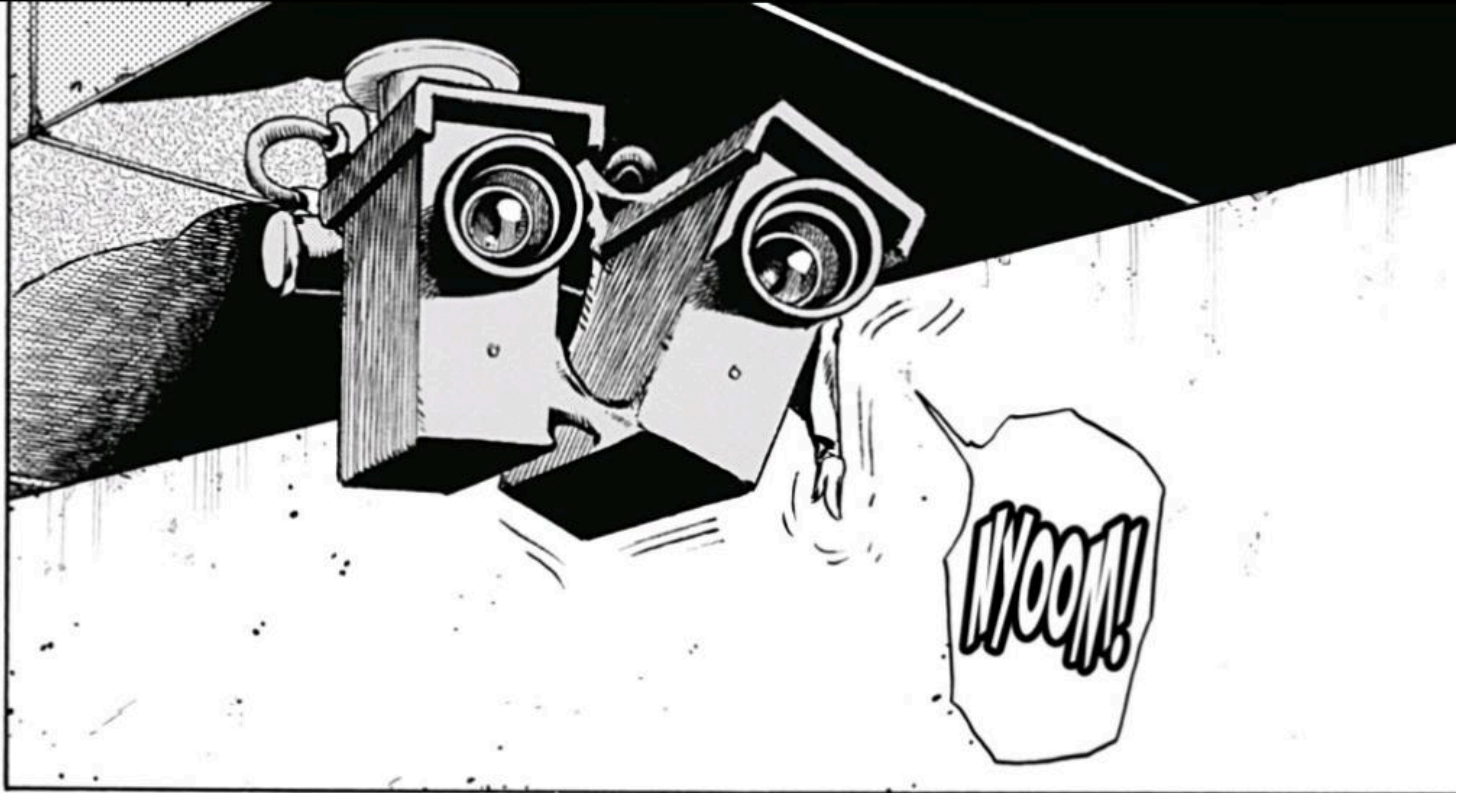












THERE'LL
BE NO
EVIDENCE
TO PIN
ON US!
TOO
EASY!

THEY
WON'T
KNOW
WHICH ONE
IS THE
FAKE
VIDEO...

LOITER
LOITER
LOITER

ALL
CLEAR!

NOW WE
CAN PASS
THROUGH
WITHOUT
A HITCH!

LOITER
LOITER
LOITER

RIGHT CAMERA

LEFT CAMERA

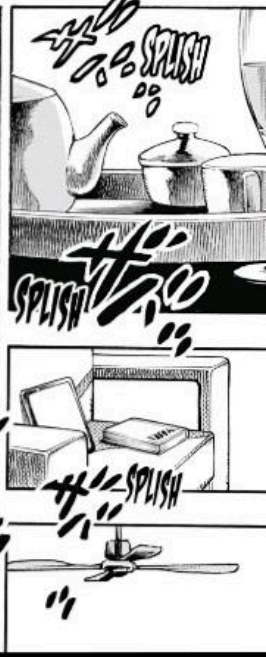
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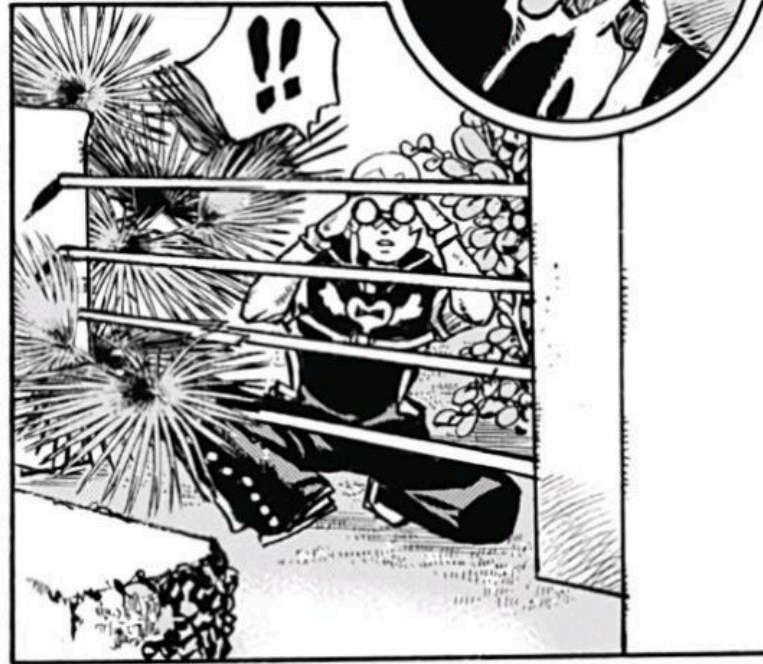
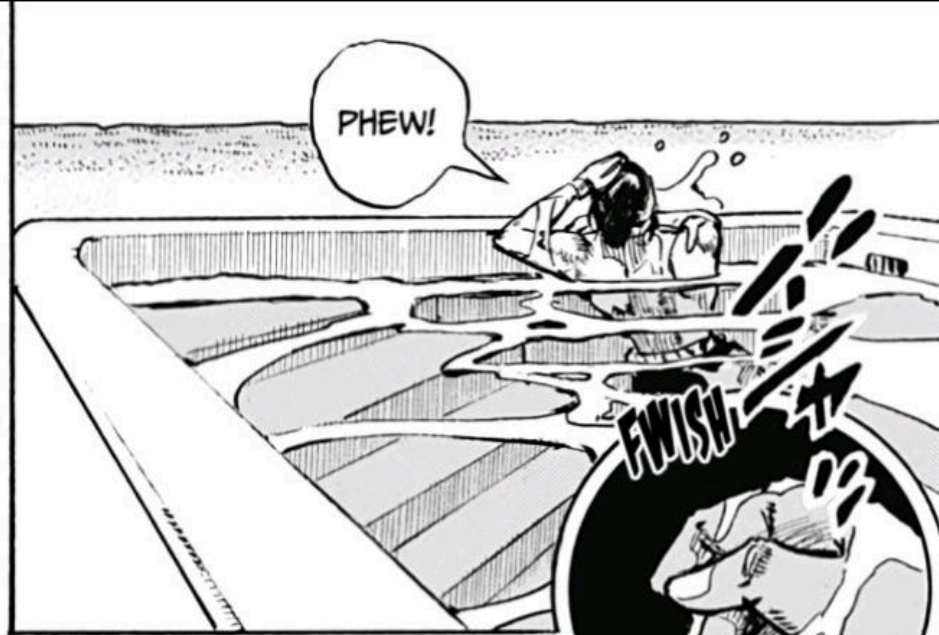
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WE'RE
GOIN'
INSIDE!

ALRIGHT!

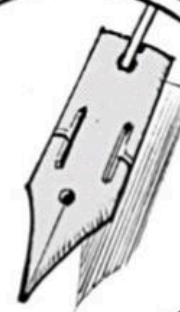
RIGHT CAMERA





HE'S
THAT ONE
MANGA
ARTIST!

PHEW!



FINISH

The
target's
name is
Rohan
Kishibe.

To be continued