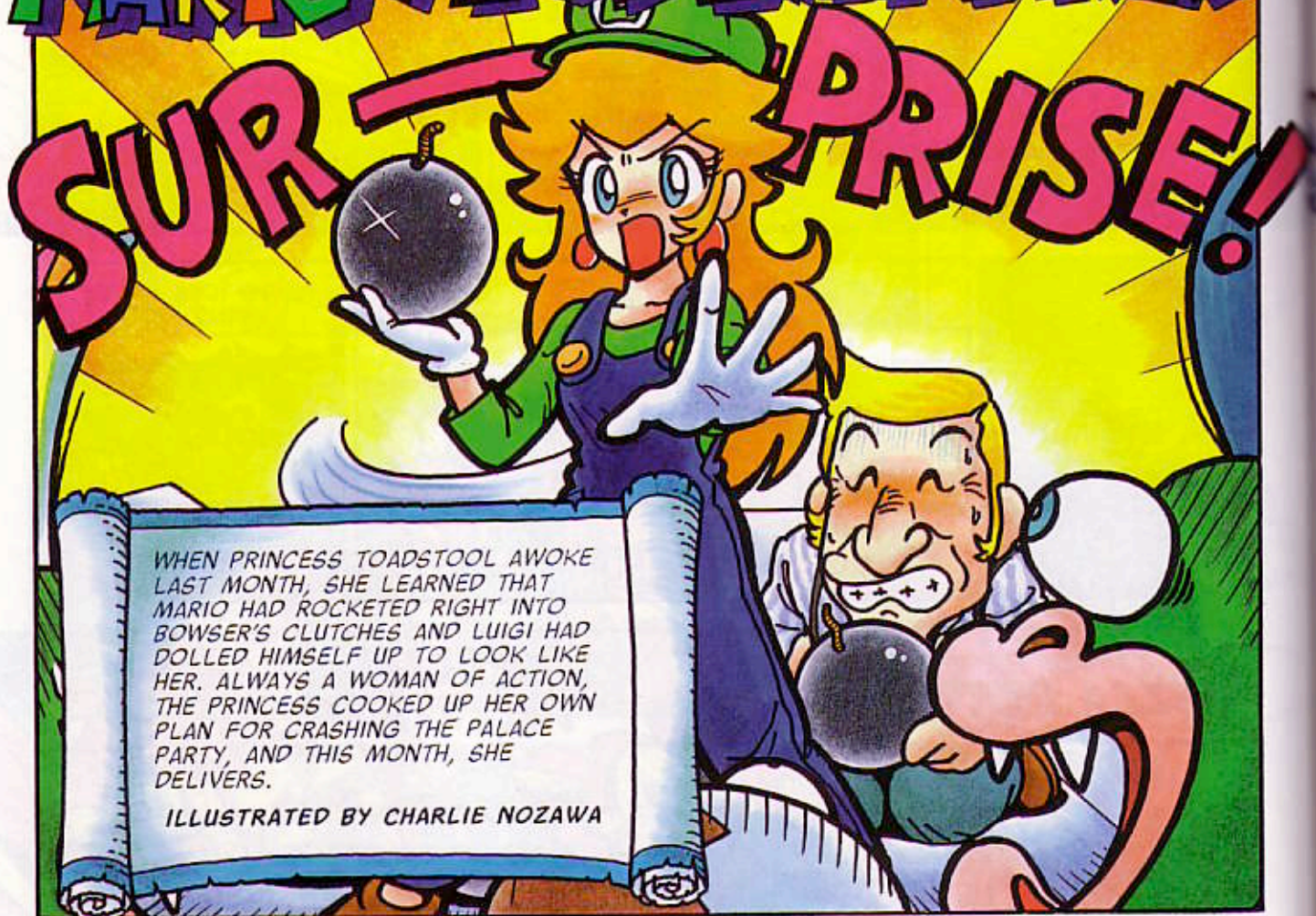


SUPER MARIO ADVENTURES

SURPRISE!



WHEN PRINCESS TOADSTOOL AWOKE LAST MONTH, SHE LEARNED THAT MARIO HAD ROCKETED RIGHT INTO BOWSER'S CLUTCHES AND LUIGI HAD DOLLED HIMSELF UP TO LOOK LIKE HER. ALWAYS A WOMAN OF ACTION, THE PRINCESS COOKED UP HER OWN PLAN FOR CRASHING THE PALACE PARTY, AND THIS MONTH, SHE DELIVERS.

ILLUSTRATED BY CHARLIE NOZAWA

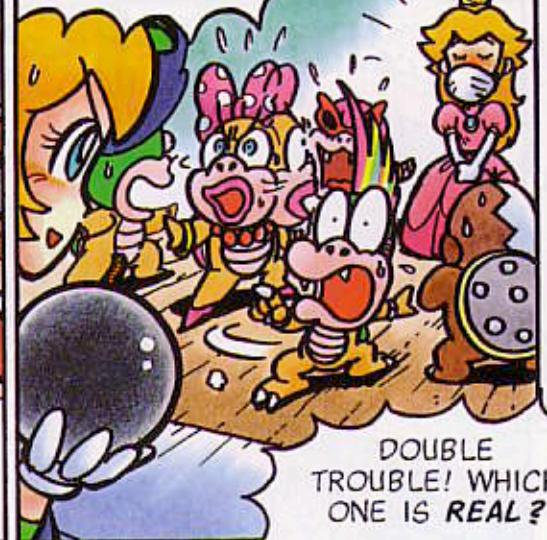
FREE MARIO--
OR GET
BLOWN TO
BITS!



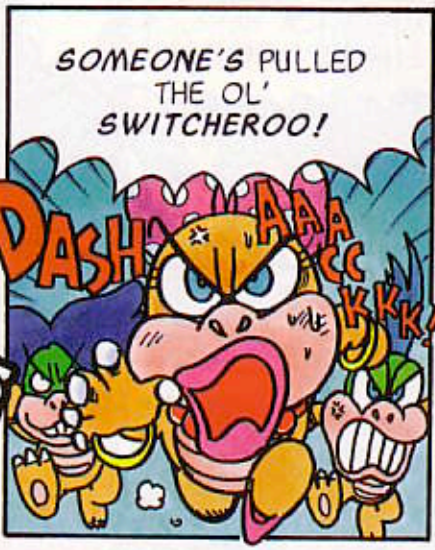
WHA...??!
PRINCESS
TOADSTOOL?!



TWO OF
THEM? AM I
SEEING
DOUBLE?!



DOUBLE
TROUBLE! WHICH
ONE IS REAL?

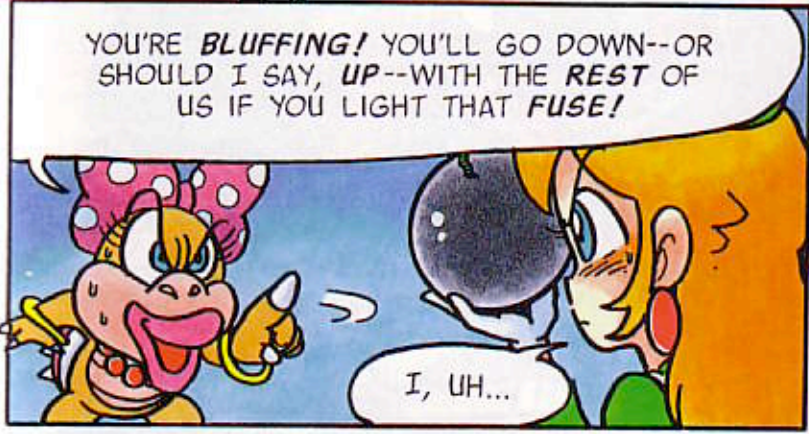


SOMEONE'S PULLED THE OL' SWITCHEROO!



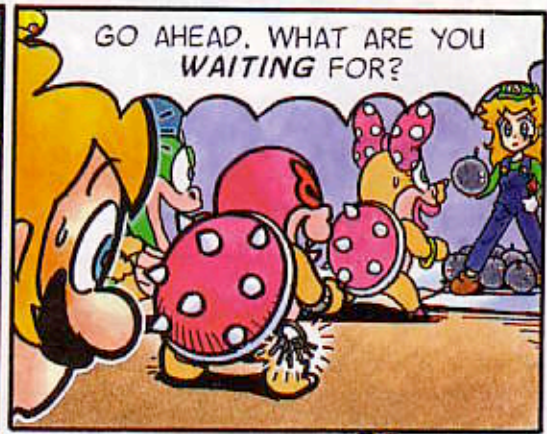
KEEP BACK, BRAT PACK!

OR IT'S BOMBS AWAY!



YOU'RE *BLUFFING!* YOU'LL GO DOWN--OR SHOULD I SAY, UP--WITH THE REST OF US IF YOU LIGHT THAT *FUSE!*

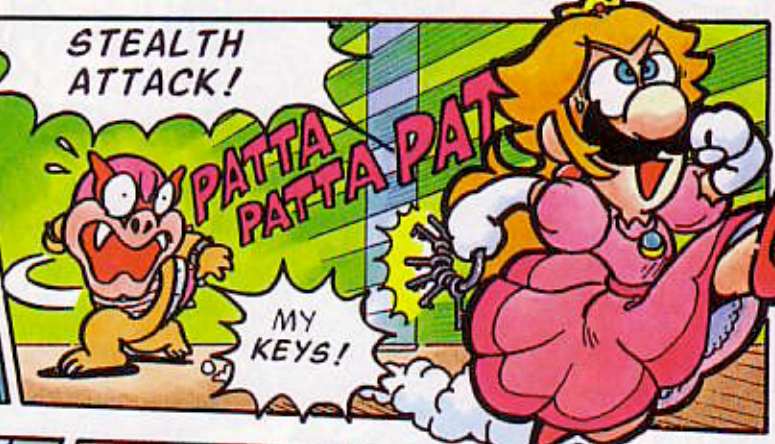
I, UH...



GO AHEAD. WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR?



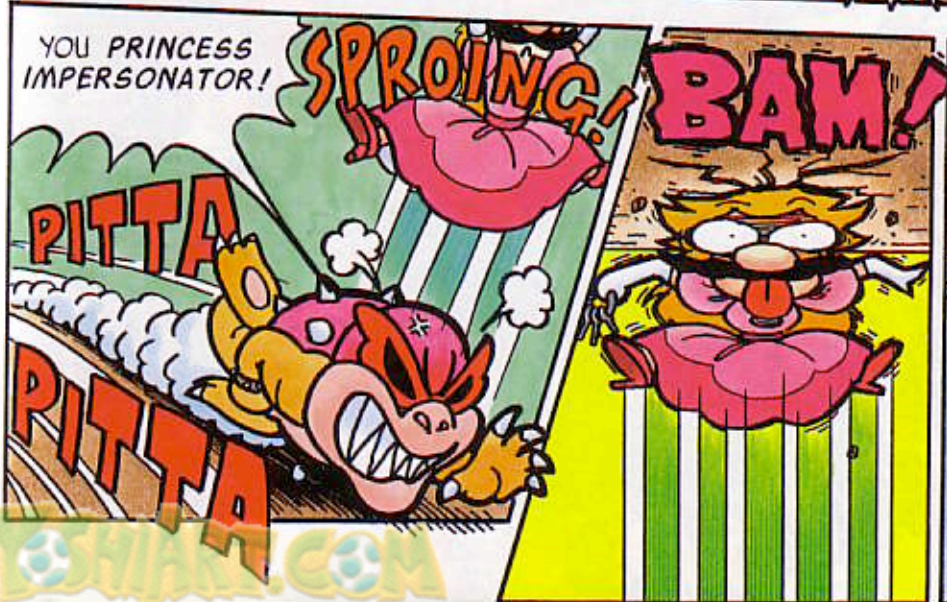
TIP TOE



STEALTH ATTACK!

PATTAPATTAPAT

MY KEYS!



YOU PRINCESS IMPERSONATOR!

SPROING!

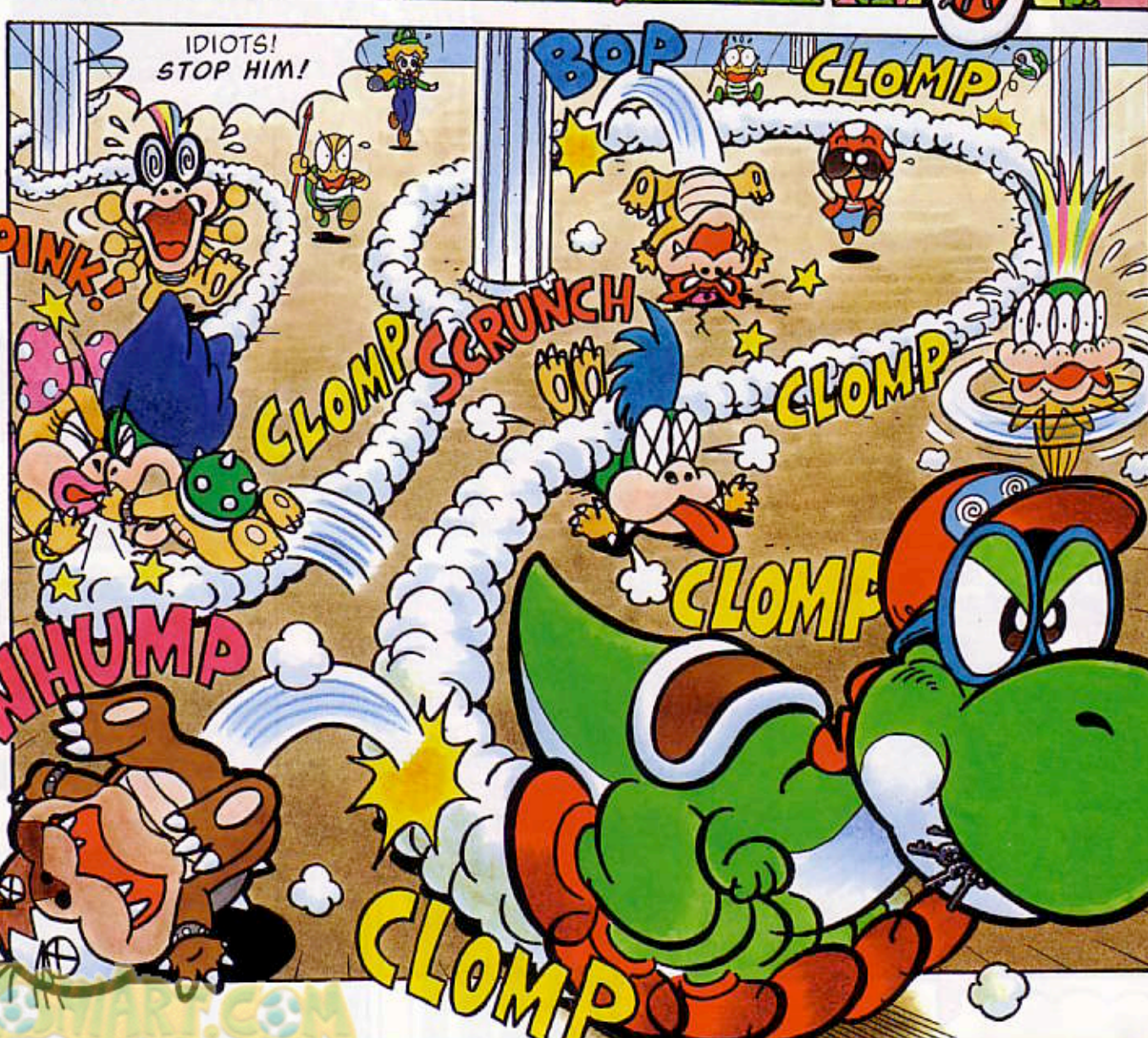
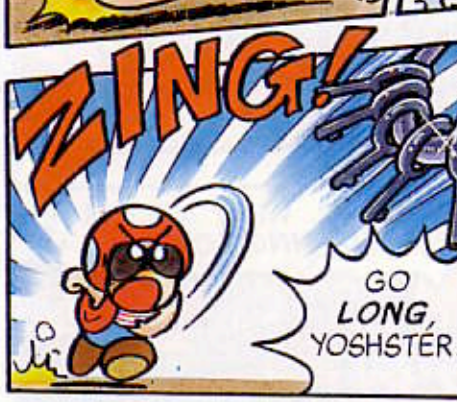
BAM!

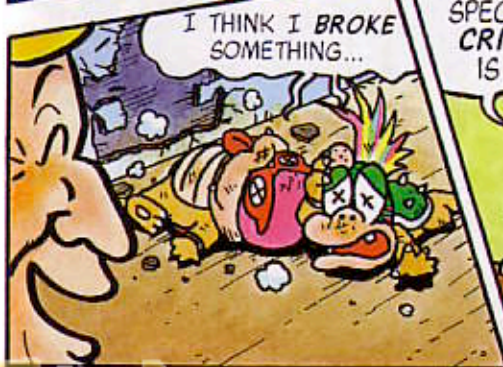
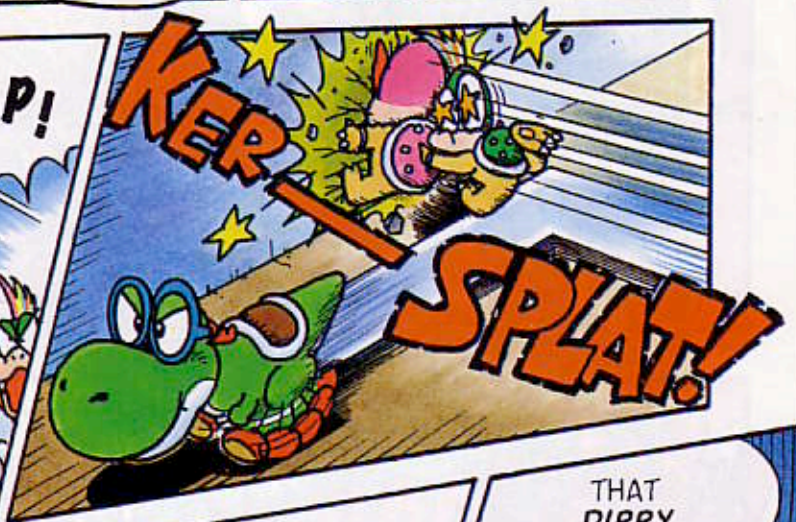
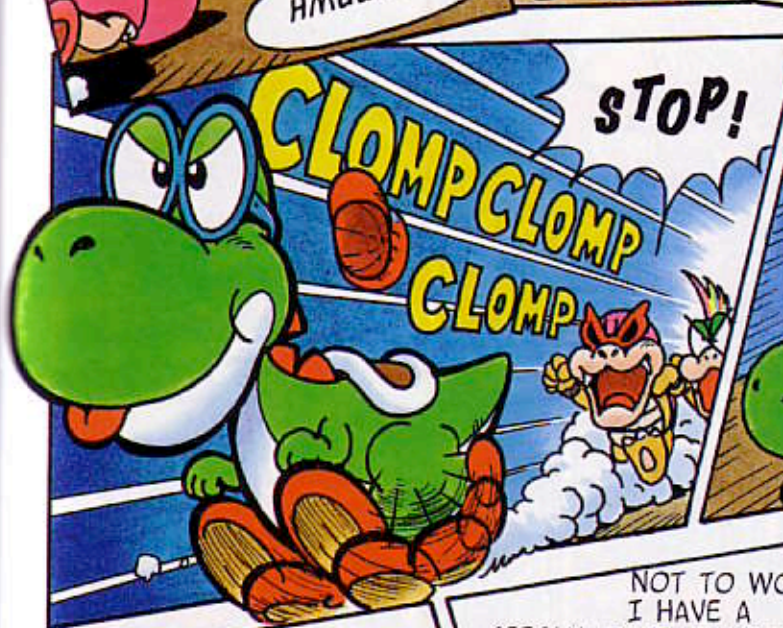
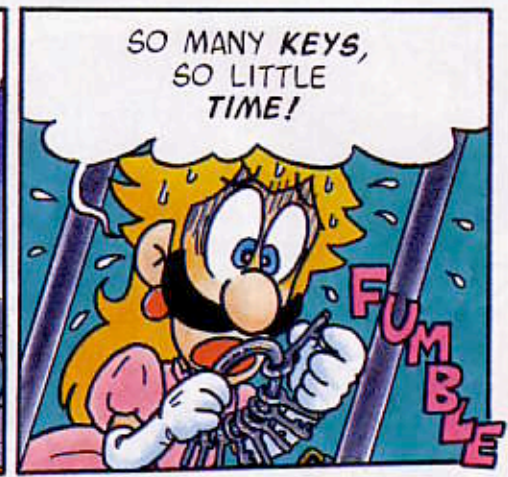
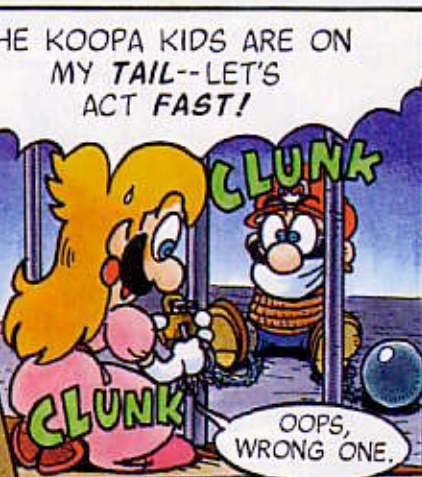
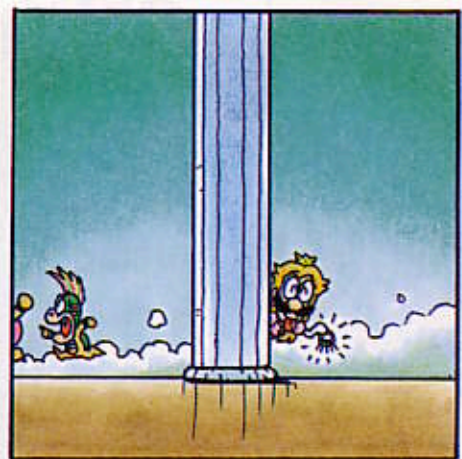
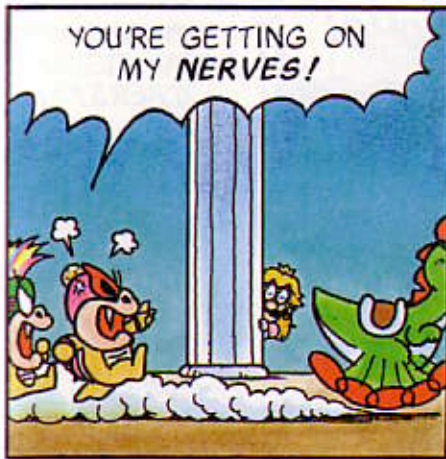


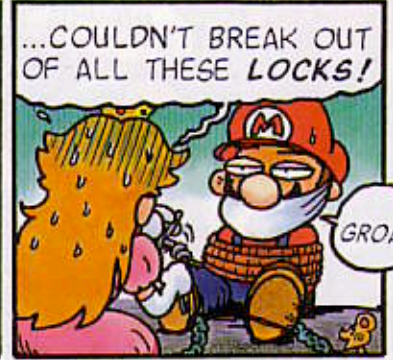
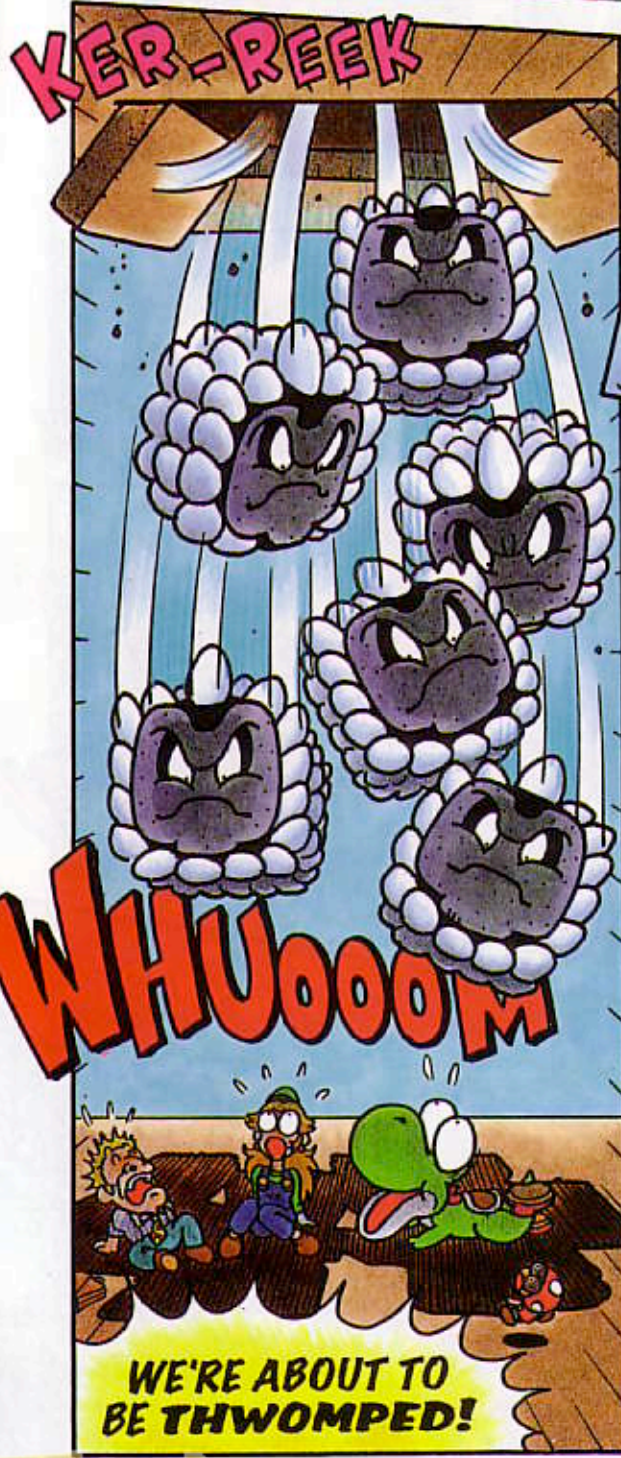
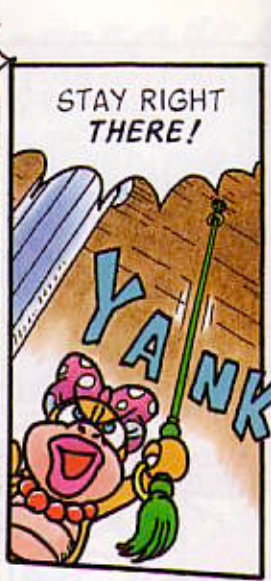
LOW OVER-HEAD!



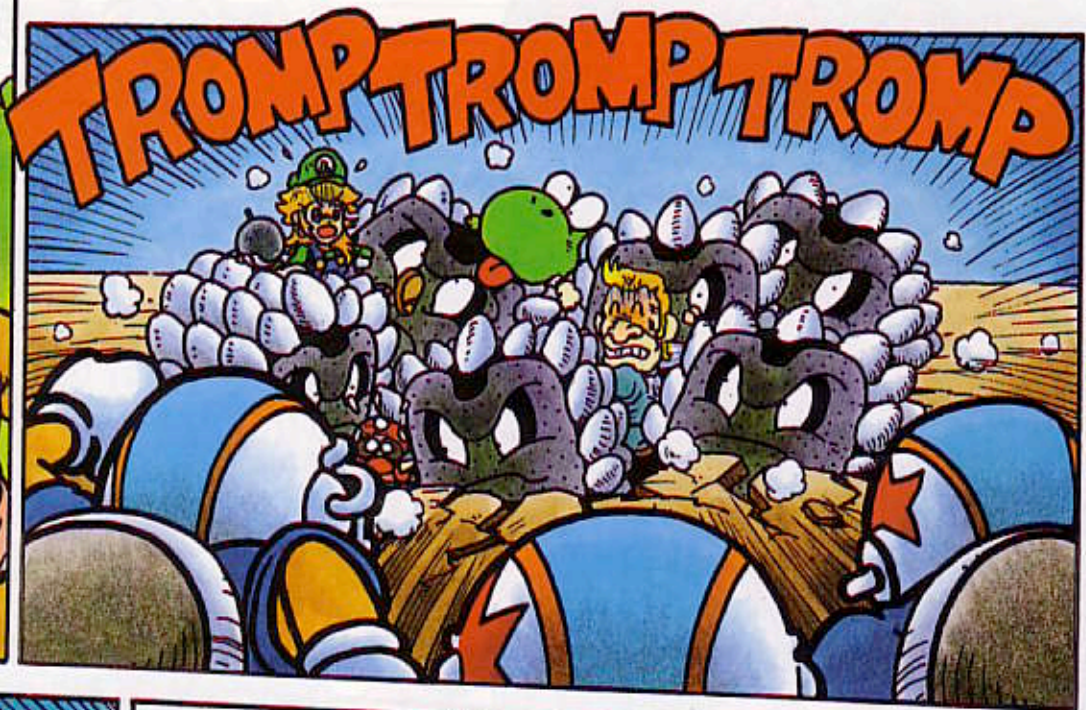
WHISH!





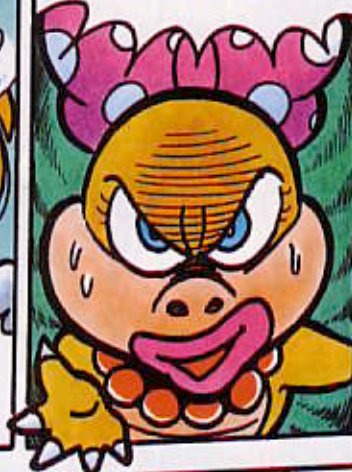


CHARGE 'EM,
CHUCKS! SHOW
NO MERCY!



YOU BLITZ,
AND I'LL BOMB!
I MEAN IT!

AND YOUR
PRINCESS
PEDESTAL WILL
BE KOOPA
KINDLING!



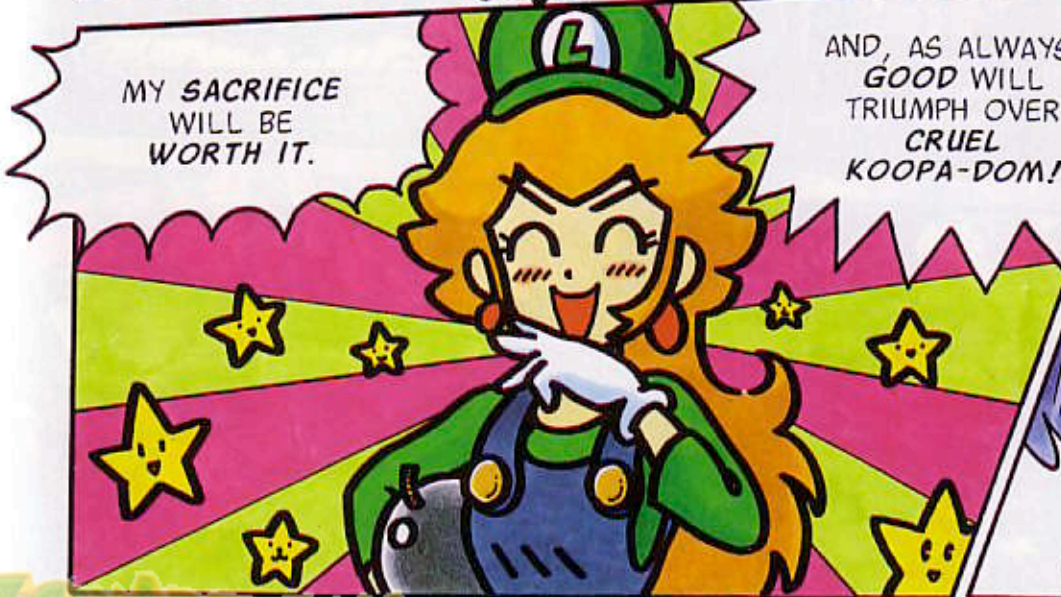
IT'LL BE A SMALL PRICE TO
PAY TO KICK YOUR
KOOPA KEESTERS!



YOU'RE
BLUFFING!

MY SACRIFICE
WILL BE
WORTH IT.

AND, AS ALWAYS,
GOOD WILL
TRIUMPH OVER
CRUEL
KOOPA-DOM!



YOU'RE OFF
YOUR
ROYAL ROCKER!





CRASH!

TO THE RESCUE!



READY!

BONK

EVEN CHAINS CAN'T HOLD MIGHTY MARIO!

3, 2, 1. DOWN THE HATCH.



STERRR-ETCHH!

HAVE A NICE TRIP!



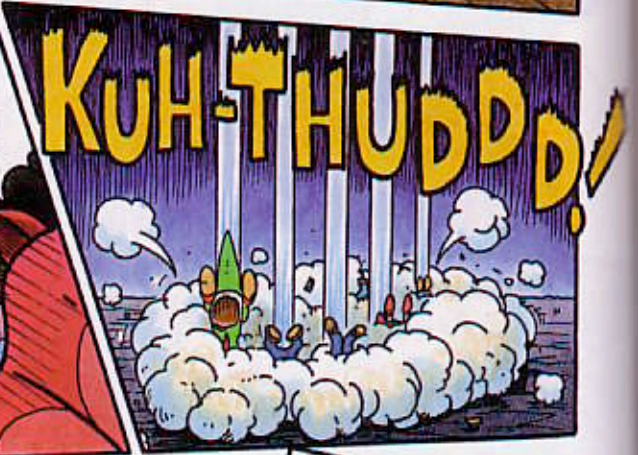
CLANG!

SEE YOU NEXT FALL.



FEELK!

HELLPP!

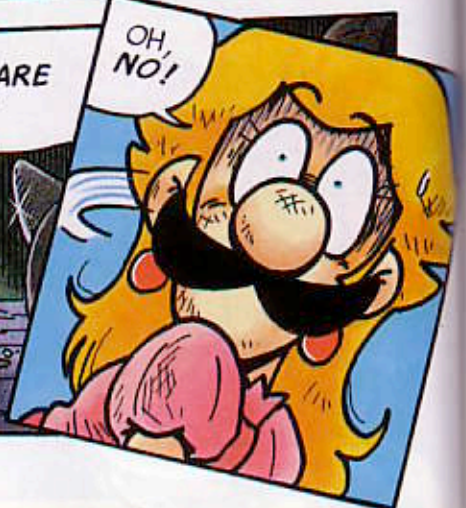


KUH-THUDD!

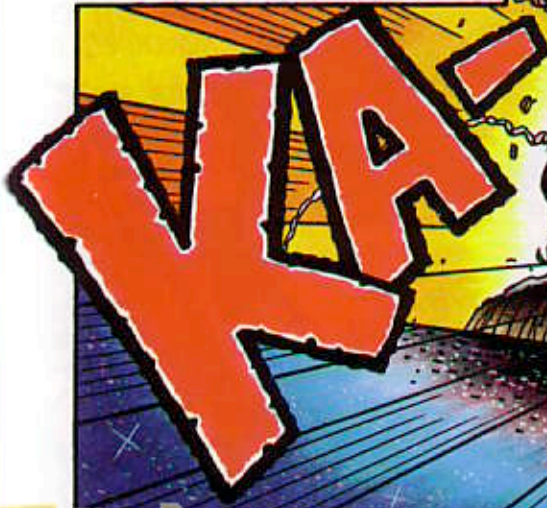
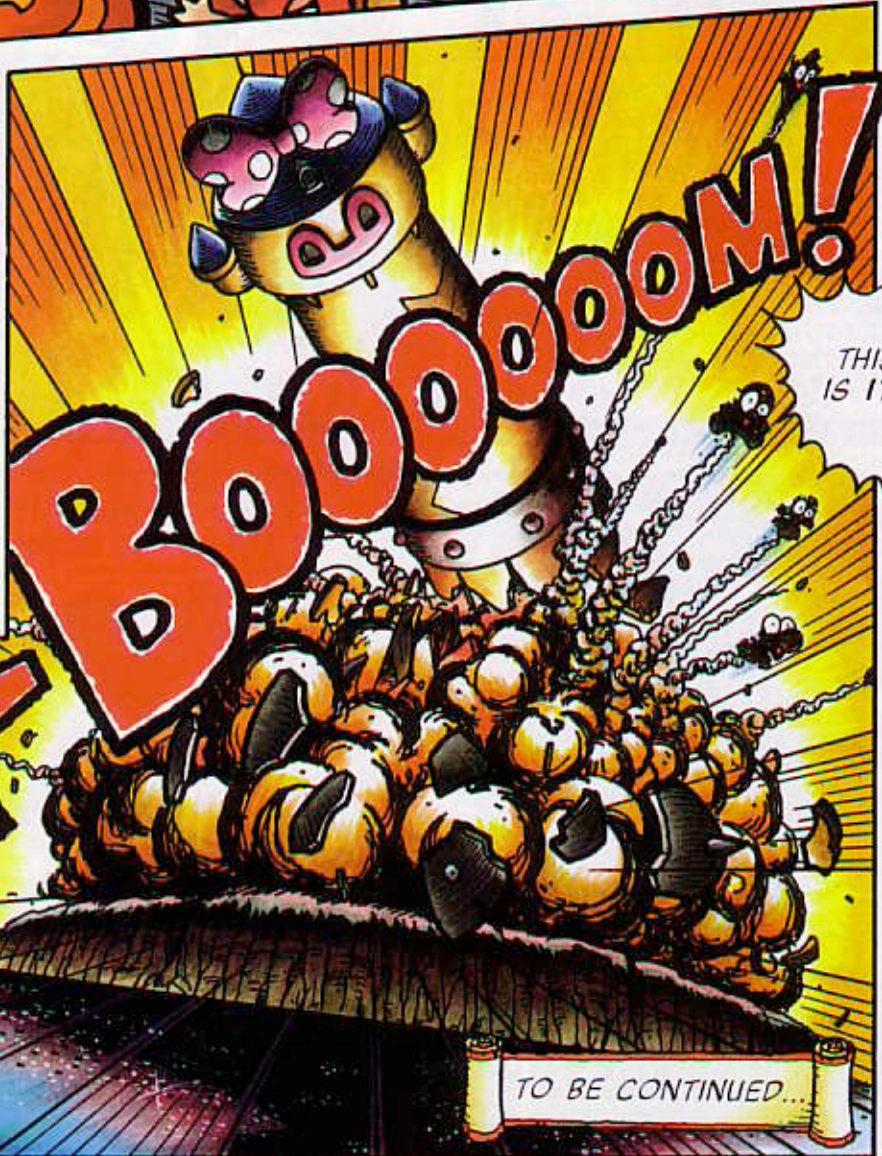
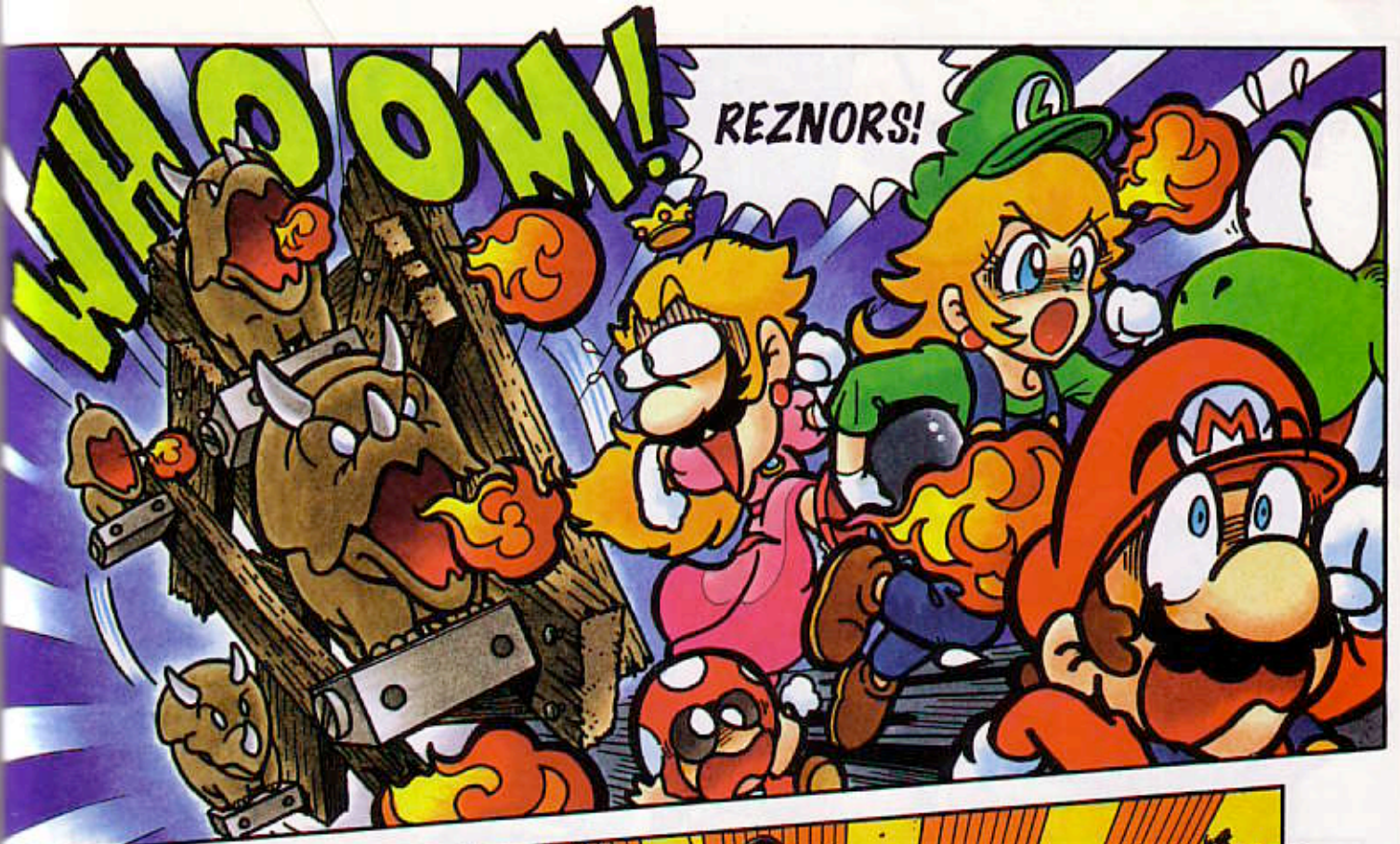


PRINCESS! ARE YOU O.K.?

WHERE ARE WE?



OH, NO!



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