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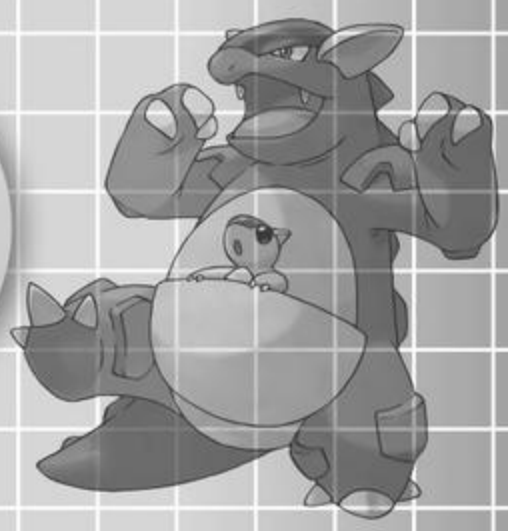
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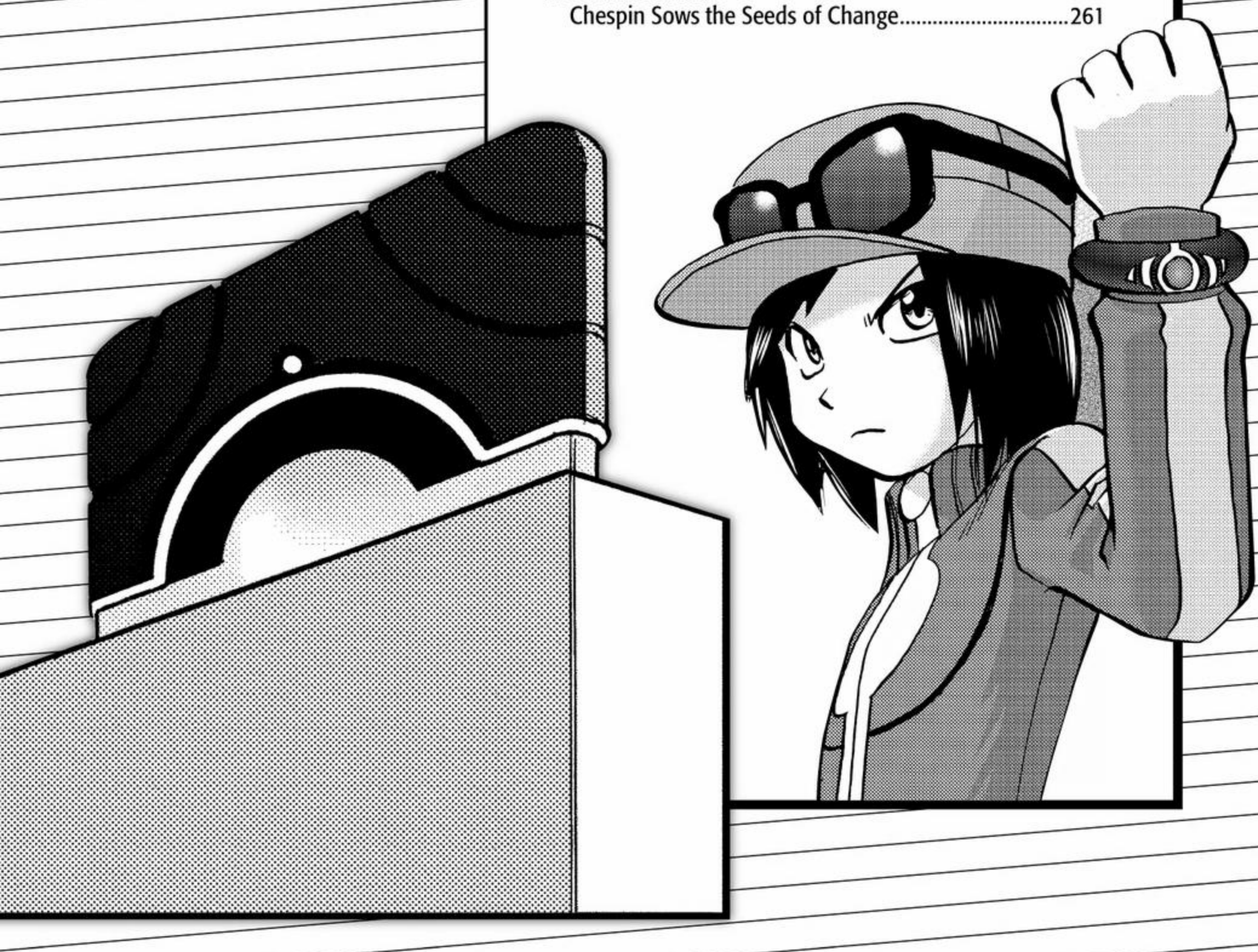
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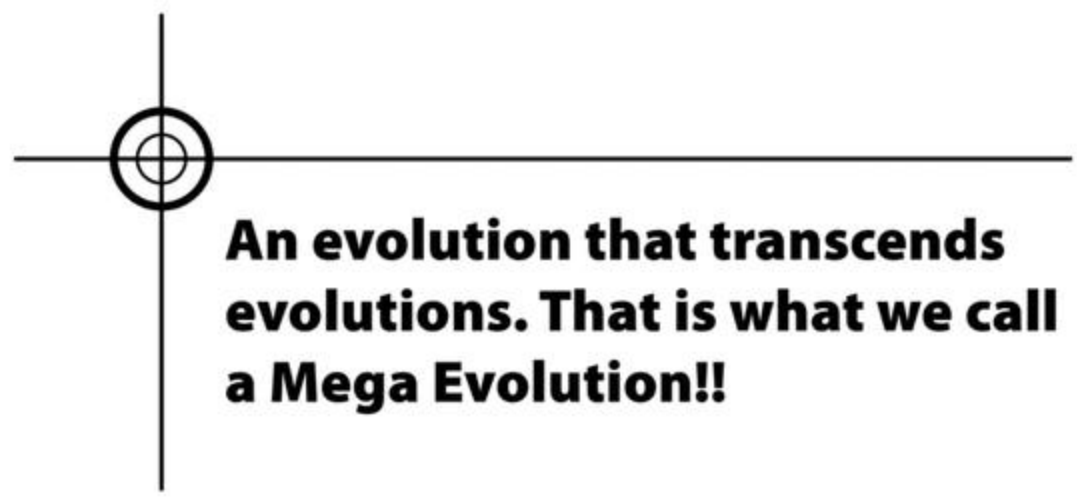
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POKÉMON
ADVENTURES
X·Y


An evolution that transcends
evolutions. That is what we call
a Mega Evolution!!

THE NEW CHAMPION OF THE JUNIOR TRAINER TOURNAMENT IS X!

WHAT AN AMAZING ACCOM-PLISHMENT!

...AND X'S PERFORMANCE WAS EXCEPTIONAL! HE HAS TROUNCED THE OTHER TRAINERS FROM THE VERY FIRST MATCH!

THE KALOS REGION JUNIOR TRAINERS RECEIVE THE ULTIMATE TEST IN THIS TOURNAMENT...

NO, EVEN GREATER THAN THAT... THIS BOY HAS THE POTENTIAL TO JOIN THE ELITE FOUR!

PERHAPS HE'S DESTINED TO BECOME A GYM LEADER!

I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE WHAT KIND OF TRAINER HE GROWS UP TO BE!

HE'S INCRED-IBLE! ASTONISH-ING! FANTAS-TIC!

WHAT ARE YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT X...?

AND THEN HE BECAME AN OVER-NIGHT CELEB-RITY...

EVEN AS A CHILD, MY FRIEND IMPRESSED EVERYBODY WITH HIS TALENT AS A POKÉMON TRAINER.

...HE WAS BATHED IN THE LIME-LIGHT.

DESTINED TO BE A GYM LEADER OR MEMBER OF THE ELITE FOUR!

CHILD PRODIGY!

FOR A WHILE ...

"THAT BOY HAS A BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD OF HIM!" "THAT CHILD WILL GROW UP TO LEAVE HIS MARK ON THE WORLD!"

EVERYONE SAID, "THAT KID IS GOING PLACES!"

...HE'S LOCKED HIMSELF IN HIS ROOM AND WON'T COME OUT!

UM... WELL ...

BUT NOW... FOR THE LAST FEW YEARS ...

Adventure #1
An X-cuse to Come Out and Play

Vaniville Town...

WOOSH

FWPP

TYP

...X!

GO-O-OD MOR-R-R-NING...

SHE'S JUST GOING TO MAKE A RACKET LIKE SHE ALWAYS DOES.

SO WHAT'S TODAY'S STRATEGY? I DON'T WANT TO BE A PART OF ANY ROUGH STUFF...

MORNING, TREVOR!

YOU'RE A LITTLE LOUD, Y...

YOU NEVER GIVE UP, DO YOU?

WHAT DO YOU THINK, TIERNY?

X! GUESS WHAT I BROUGHT FOR YOU TODAY!

NOW NOW...

I'M ONLY CALLING IT LIKE I SEE IT!

WELL, SHAUNA...

POKÉMON LOVE 'EM! ♫

THEY'RE CAKES FOR YOUR POKÉMON. THEY'RE REALLY POPULAR THESE DAYS!

A POKÉ PUFF! ♫

THIS! LOOK!

HEY, WOULDN'T YOU LIKE TO FEED ONE OF THESE TO YOUR POKÉMON?

YOU KNOW YOU WANT TO!

COME ON! GIVE IT A TRY!

NOTH-ING ...

OKAY, TIME FOR PLAN B.

RSTL RSTL

...

SUPER TRAIN-ING!

SUPER TRAINING

DOESN'T THAT SOUND LIKE FUN?

YOU FIGHT AGAINST BALLOON BOTS!

IT'S A NEW WAY TO TRAIN YOUR POKÉMON!

ZIP

TAKE A LOOK AT THIS FLYER!

ZLIP.

SKRTCH SKRTCH SKRTCH

SUPER TRAINING!

No thanks.

GRAB

COME OUT HERE RIGHT NOW, X!!

WILL YOU CUT IT OUT ALREADY ?!

DUNKDUNK

IT'S NO USE.

I AGREE.

WHAT DID I TELL YOU?

WE'VE TRIED EVERY-THING. NOTHING WORKS. WE GAVE UP...

... TRY-ING TO GET X-EY TO **X-IT** HIS ROOM A LONG TIME AGO.

SO HOW COME WE KEEP COMING BACK HERE?

WELL ...

THE FIVE OF US HAVE BEEN FRIENDS ...

... SINCE **FOR-EVER.**

THEN ONE DAY X-EY LOCKED HIMSELF UP IN HIS ROOM ...

WE STOPPED BY HIS HOUSE EVERY DAY, BUT ONE BY ONE, WE GAVE UP...

IT'S JUST THAT ...

...WE WERE ALL SO BUSY WITH OUR OWN LIVES...

TREVOR'S STUDYING TO BE A POKÉMON RESEARCH-ER.

I'M TRAINING TO BE A DANCER.

AND YOUR DREAM IS TO BECOME A FURFROU GROOM-ER.

LOOK!

YOU HAVE BIG DREAMS TOO, TIERNY!

SHE WANTS TO BECOME A SKY TRAINER. BUT SHE STILL FINDS TIME EVERY DAY TO COME AND VISIT X!

Y HAS **REALLY** BIG DREAMS.

...YOU'VE BEEN TAKING CARE OF HIS POKÉMON. YOU'RE A GOOD FRIEND.

SINCE X-EY LOCKED HIMSELF IN HIS ROOM...

GRGL

I FORGOT TO FEED YOU!

OH, SORRY...

MNCH MNCH

PAT PAT

ISN'T THAT RIGHT, KANGA?

YOU'D RATHER BE WITH X, WOULDN'T YOU?

AND HIS POKÉMON WHO GARNERED THE MOST ATTENTION WASN'T KANGA, IT WAS...

THE JUNIOR TRAINER TOURNA-MENT MADE X FAMOUS.

IT'S TRUE. THE ONE WHO MISSES X THE MOST IS LI'L KANGA.

AMAZING!

...LI'L KANGA!

OH! LOOK AT THAT!

IT'S BLOCKING ALL OF NOIVERN'S ATTACKS!

TNK

BLOCKED! AND BLOCKED AGAIN!

TNK

TNK

LOOK AT WHAT ...?

THE LITTLE ONE INSIDE KANGA'S POCKET!

IT'S ASSISTING IN THE BATTLE?! IMPOS-SIBLE...!

A KAN-GASKHAN KEEPS ITS LITTLE ONE HIDDEN IN ITS POUCH TO PROTECT IT!

I'VE NEVER SEEN ANY-THING LIKE THIS BEFORE !

A HIT-AND-RUN TACTIC! THE LITTLE ONE POPS OUT TO ATTACK THEN SLIPS BACK INTO THE SAFETY OF THE POUCH!

THE OPPONENT HAS NO IDEA WHAT HIT IT!

AND THAT YOUNG BOY TRAINED THEM TO FIGHT LIKE THIS...?!

LI'L KANGA WAS JUST LIKE X...

SMALL BUT INCREDIBLY POWERFUL.

THEY'RE STILL ALIKE, TREVOR!

...SO ALIKE. THE PERFECT DUO.

THEY WERE ...

...JUST LIKE X HAS SHUT HIMSELF INTO HIS ROOM.

AFTER ALL, LI'L KANGA HAS SHUT ITSELF INSIDE KANGA'S POUCH...

IF HE WOULD JUST COME OUT OF HIS ROOM, IT WOULD FIX EVERYTHING!

X-EY IS THE SOURCE OF THIS PROBLEM.

SAY SOME-THING!!

X!!

UNDER NORMAL CIRCUMSTANCES, LI'L KANGA SHOULD HAVE GROWN INTO A FULL-SIZE KANGA BY NOW.

LITTLE KANGASKHAN USUALLY LEAVE THEIR POCKETS AFTER THREE YEARS OR SO.

LIKE TRAINER, LIKE POKÉMON, HUH?

...

FWMUP

ANY-THING ...

HF

HF

IT'S PEACEFUL.

NOT AT ALL.

HEY... DON'T YOU GET LONELY IN THERE ALL BY YOURSELF?

I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ANYTHING HERE.

...THEN ATTACKS ME THE NEXT.

THE MEDIA FLATTERS ME ONE MINUTE...

NO ONE'S STARING AT ME. NO ONE'S TALKING ABOUT ME.

TREVOR, SHAUNA, TIERNO AND I WERE ALL SO PROUD OF YOU!!

YOU WERE DAZZLING!

REMEMBER YOUR DAYS AS AN ACTIVE TRAINER...?

IT WASN'T **ALL** LIKE THAT!

WHY DON'T YOU START FIGHTING POKÉMON BATTLES AGAIN?!

YOUR SKILL AS A POKÉMON TRAINER IS INDISPUT-ABLE!

WHO CARES WHAT OTHERS SAY ABOUT YOU?

DON'T LET YOUR POKÉMON DOWN!

YOU'RE THE CHAMPION OF THE JUNIOR TRAINER TOURNAMENT! DO JUSTICE TO THE TITLE!

...OF POKÉMON TRAINING.

I'VE... ...HAD ENOUGH ...


FASHK
FASHK
FASHK
GRRR...
WOOSH

AND THIS IS MY SISTER, VIOLA. SHE'S A PHOTO-GRAPHER.

MY NAME IS ALEXA. I'M A REPORT-ER.

JUST SO YOU KNOW, WE OBTAINED PERMIS-SION TO INTERVIEW YOU.

DID WE DO SOME-THING WRONG?

TMP

I SEE THAT YOUR FRIENDS CALL YOU "Y."

...YVONNE GABENA.

I call her "Y-ey"!

YOU'RE AN INCREDIBLE PILOT, JUST AS THEY SAY! PLEASED TO MEET YOU, SKY TRAINER TRAINEE...

WHAT MADE YOU DECIDE TO CHANGE YOUR PROFESSION FROM LAND TO SKY?

I'M SURE THERE'S A GREAT STORY BEHIND IT! AND IT WILL MAKE A WON-DERFUL FEATURE ARTICLE!

BUT... DIDN'T YOU USED TO BE A RHYHORN RACER?

GABENA

I'M SURE YOU'LL MAKE A FINE DEBUT AS A SKY TRAINER BY THE TIME THAT FLETCH-LING OF YOURS EVOLVES INTO A FLETCHIN-DER.

YOU MAY HAVE ASKED THE SKY TRAINER TRAINING SCHOOL FOR PERMISSION TO INTERVIEW ME, BUT I WASN'T TOLD A THING ABOUT IT.

RSTL

RSTL

I DON'T FEEL LIKE CHANGING AT THE MOMENT.

NOT NOW. BESIDES, IT WOULD TAKE ME AN HOUR TO PUT IT BACK ON.

IT WOULD BE GREAT TO GET A PHOTO OF YOU IN YOUR EVERY-DAY CLOTHES. WOULD YOU TAKE OFF YOUR FLIGHT SUIT FOR US PLEASE?

BECAUSE IT'S SCAVENGERS LIKE YOU WHO RUINED MY FRIEND'S LIFE!

I DON'T.

OH? I'M GETTING THE FEELING YOU DON'T LIKE US...

I HATE PAPARAZZI FROM NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, TV, RADIO AND ALL THE REST.

WHY ?

A HOLO-GRAM MES-SAGE...

...FROM THE PROFES-SOR!

DINGALING♬

I HOPE SHE DOESN'T GET INTO A FIGHT WITH THEM.

Y...

SIGH ...

HFF

HFF

COULD YOU CHECK IF IT'S ARRIVED SAFELY FOR ME?

THAT PACKAGE I SENT YOU SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO YOUR PLACE TODAY.

TODAY ?!

HELLO, TREVOR.

LUBOUB

IT'S HERE!

...HAPPY AND SAD ALL AT THE SAME TIME.

IT'S WEIRD TO FEEL ...

THEY'RE FINALLY HERE!

HURRAY!

...THREE POKÉMON WHO NEED TRAINERS.

THE PROFES-SOR SENT ME...

BUT ...

I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS PACKAGE TO ARRIVE EVER SINCE THE PROFESSOR AGREED TO HELP ME.

...BUT MAYBE WITH THE RESPON-SIBILITY OF RAISING AND CARING FOR THESE POKÉMON, HE'LL TURN BACK INTO THE PERSON HE USED TO BE!

X HAS SHUT HIMSELF UP IN HIS ROOM FOR SUCH A LONG TIME...

UMM... WHAT'S THAT? OVER BY TREVOR'S HOUSE?

WZZZZZ

ROAR

WHOOSH

Y!

WE HAVE TO RUN! NOW!

I'M SERI-OUS!

X! COME OUT!

THE HILL! IT'S BEEN BLOWN AWAY!

AAAAH!

RM BL-RMBL

IT'S NOT SAFE IN YOUR ROOM ANY-MORE!

THEY'RE GOING TO DESTROY THE NEIGH-BOR-HOOD!

WE HAVE TO GET OUT OF HERE!

NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT, THAT'S WHEN IT ALL STARTED...

...BUT I WAS UNABLE TO MOVE MYSELF.

I WAS MORE THAN ANNOYED WITH X FOR STAYING IN HIS ROOM UNDER THE CIRCUM-STANCES...

ON HIS WRIST ...

...SOME-THING WAS SHINING...

...THAT WAS ABOUT TO CHANGE **EVERY-THING!**

Current Location

Vaniville Town

Blooming buds covered in morning dew exude hope for the future in this small town.



Adventure #2
X-actly
What They Wanted

XY

WHATEVER IT IS, WE'D BETTER MAKE A RUN FOR IT!

WHAT IS THAT?! IS IT A POKÉMON ?!

WOW, Y... YOU'RE REALLY PERSISTENT TODAY.

X!

RMBL

RMBL

X! PLEASE COME OUT!

STOP DESTROY-ING MY HOUSE!

SLAM

I SAW.

DID YOU SEE THAT?! YOU SAW IT, DIDN'T YOU, X?!

DON'T YOU SEE WHAT'S GOING ON OUTSIDE?!

I DON'T TRUST THEM.

THE PAPA-RAZZI ARE OUT THERE.

NO.

WHY NOT?!

THEN COME OUT!

UH-HUH! HEY, ALEXA... ARE THOSE POKÉMON?!

DID YOU TAKE A PHOTO OF THEM, VIOLA?

MAYBE THESE TWO ARE THOSE LEGEND-ARY POKÉ-MON! THEIR NAMES ARE...

...EVERY THOUSAND YEARS, TWO LEGENDARY POKÉMON APPEAR IN THE KALOS REGION.

BUT I ONCE DID A STORY ABOUT A THREE-THOUSAND-YEAR-OLD LEGEND WHICH SAYS THAT...

I DON'T KNOW.

...AND YVELTAL!

...XER-NEAS...

TREVOR!

SMASH

EEEEEE

WHOA! NO-O-O!

FWEEEE

THUMP

GET ON!

TIERNO! SHAUNA!

DOINK

FRUM FRUM

FRUM FRUM

SHING

KA-DOOM

TREVOR!

JUMP

BOOSH

DANCE SCHOOL

Y!

WHAT ABOUT YOU?!

RHYHORN! KEEP RUNNING UNTIL YOU GET TO SOMEWHERE SAFE!

I CAN'T LEAVE X THERE BY HIMSELF!

I'M GOING BACK!

KARRUUMM

...OF THE POKÉMON WE'VE BEEN SEARCHING FOR...

THIS IS THE POWER...

WHO'D HAVE THOUGHT THAT **BOTH** OF THEM WOULD SHOW UP AT ONCE?!

THE PLAN WAS TO CAPTURE **ONE** OF THE TWO...

WE CAN'T EVEN **CONTROL** THEM.

BUT AT THE RATE WE'RE GOING, WE CAN'T CAPTURE THEM.

WE HAVE TO CONTAIN THE POWER OF THE LEGENDARY POKÉMON TO MOVE IT. BUT IT SEEMS WE'LL HAVE TO LOOK FOR ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY...

TEAM FLARE'S ULTIMATE WEAPON...

THEY'D BETTER NOT DAMAGE IT!

WELL, AT THE MOMENT, THEY'RE HEADING FOR THE HOUSE OF THE PERSON WHO OWNS IT.

HOW'S UNIT B DOING WITH OUR PLAN B?

...BUT IF WE SO MUCH AS **SCRATCH** THE KEY STONE WE WON'T BE ABLE TO DRAW OUT ITS POWER!

MEGA RING

WE NEED TO GET AHOLD OF THE MEGA RING...

THE HOUSE IS LOCKED UP TIGHT!

IT'S NO GOOD!

AH HA HA! DON'T BE SUCH A HOTHEAD.

IF WE FAIL, IT'S UNIT A'S FAULT FOR NOT COMPLETING THEIR MISSION.

WOOSH

I'M COUNTING ON YOU, PYROAR!

WE'LL BREAK DOWN THE DOOR AND GET IN BEFORE THOSE LEGENDARY POKÉMON DESTROY THE HOUSE.

WHAT'S GOING ON? WHO ARE THESE PEOPLE?

Yiii

HUH ?!

XI

NO iii

X'S HOUSE!

AH HA HA HA! MAYBE SHE'S HIS GIRLFRIEND. OR JUST A FRIEND. A FRIEND THAT'S A GIRL.

WHAT'S THIS...?

WHOEVER SHE IS, SHE'S IN OUR WAY... HOUNDOOM!

Y!

CHOMP

OW!

CHOMP

THWOCK

OWW ...

HUFF...

BE

KRCKL

HELP US, PYROAR!

GRRR... IT'S ONE OB-STACLE AFTER ANOTH-ER!

KANGA!

HOOK

KRCKL KRCKL

K...

KANGA ...

FWUP

AH HA HA HA! BRING HIM TO US, PYROAR!

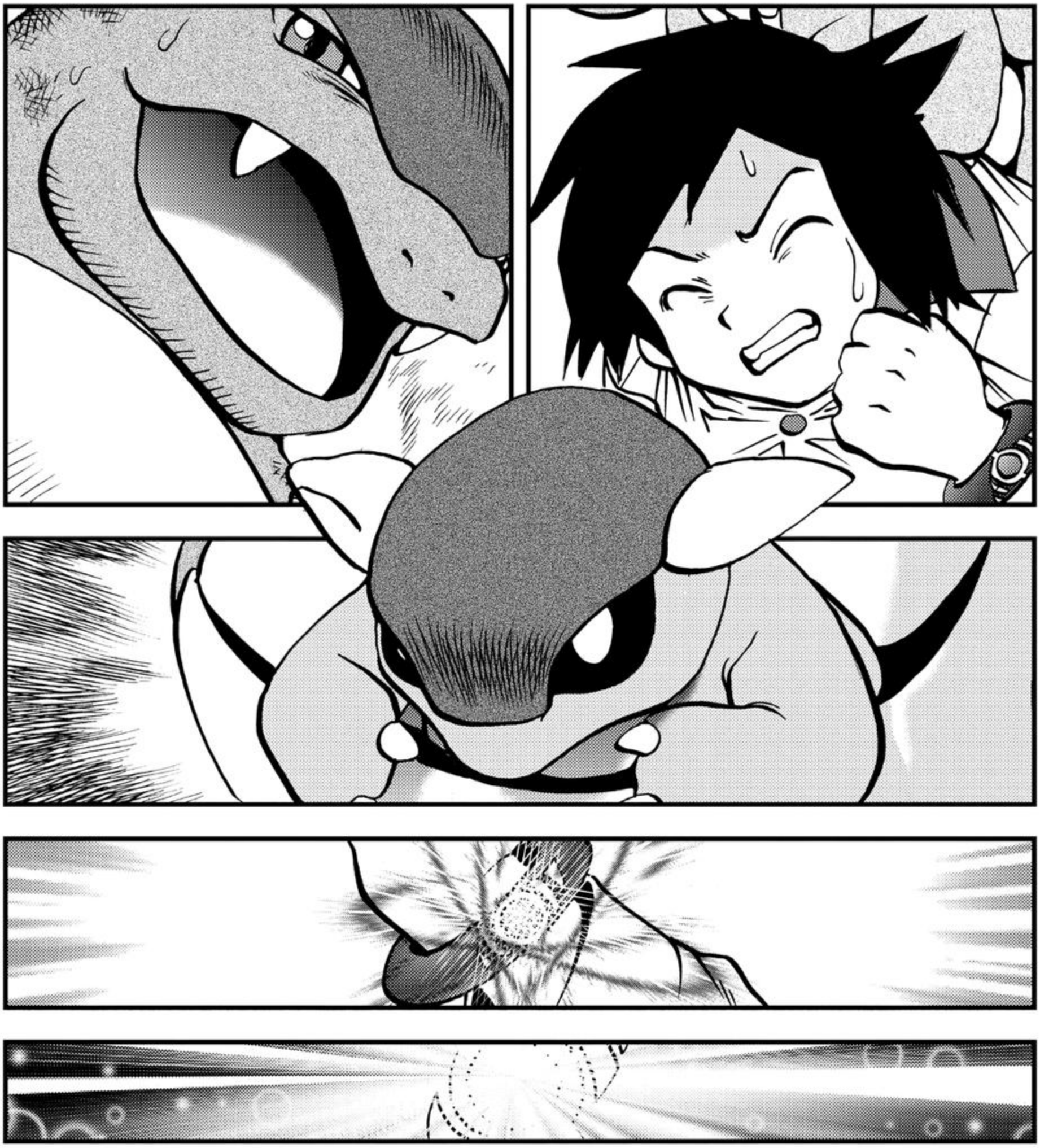
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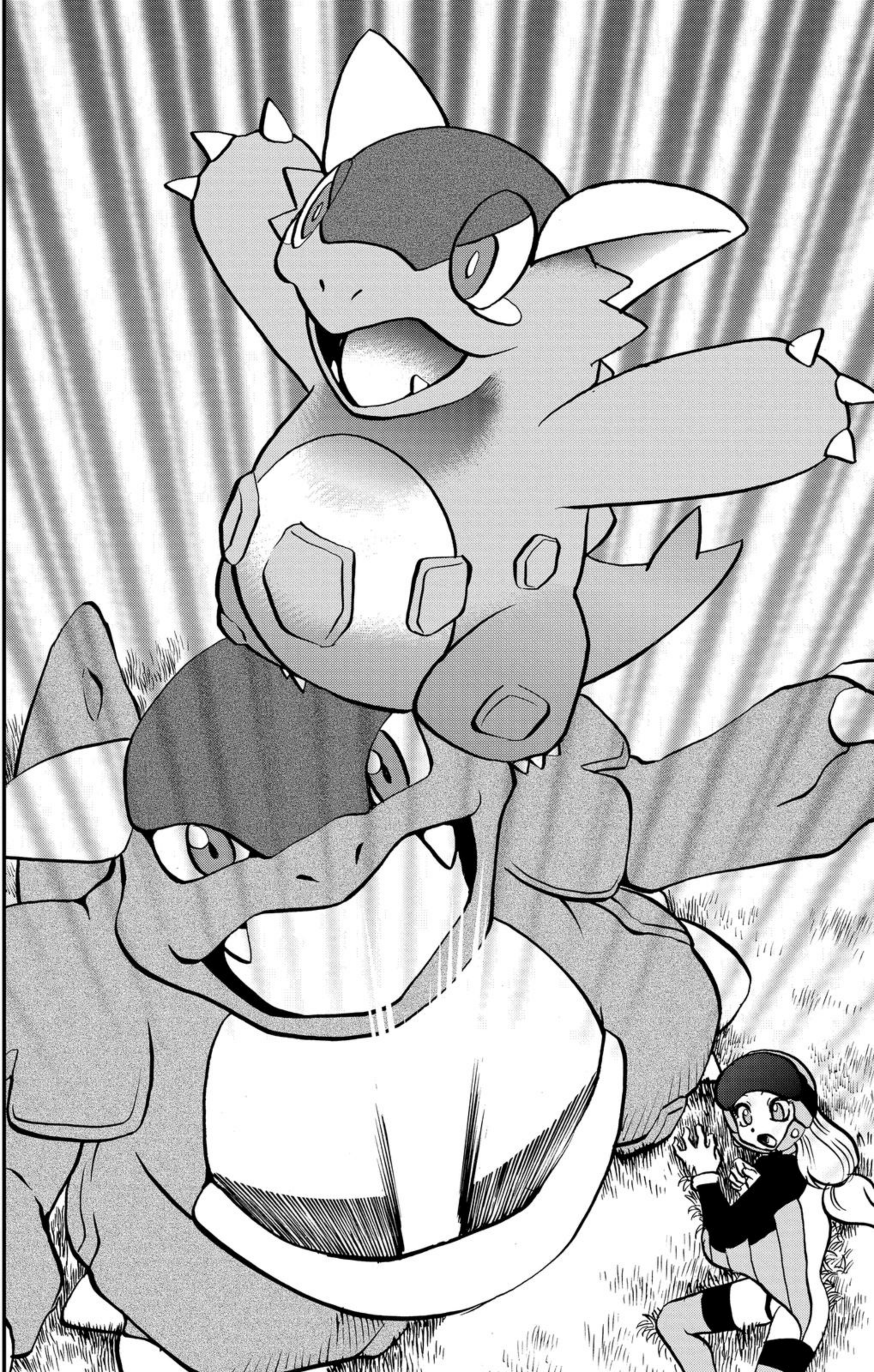
X...

BOOM

RSTU

TMPTMP





SWOOP

TOSS

SL

PA

...HE ALREADY KNOWS HOW TO DO IT!

NO ONE TOLD US...

HE CAN DO IT?!

UNIT B, RE-TREAT!

RIGHT!

AH HA HA HA! WHAT CAN WE DO? WE DON'T HAVE ANY POKÉMON LEFT. WE HAVE TO FALL BACK.

SHOOT! WE WEREN'T BRIEFED ABOUT THIS! WE DON'T HAVE A CONTINGENCY PLAN! WHAT SHOULD WE DO?!

...AS LONG AS THEY'RE EVENLY MATCHED, THEY'LL ONLY GET MIRED DOWN IN A NEVER-ENDING BATTLE...

THEY MUST HAVE REAL-IZED THAT ...

...BUT NOW THEY'RE START-ING TO PUT SOME DISTANCE BETWEEN EACH OTHER.

THIS IS UNIT A! XERNEAS AND YVELTAL WERE FIGHTING UNTIL A MOMENT AGO...

WE STILL NEED A POWER SOURCE FOR OUR ULTIMATE WEAPON!

SO WHAT DO WE DO NOW?

WE'LL CAPTURE THEM— SOONER OR LATER.

IT GOT BLOWN AWAY BY THE BLAST...

MY FURFROU IS GONE ...

SHAUNA?

Y?

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT ?

YOU TOO, TIER-NO?

WE'VE ALL LOST **SOME-THING...**

AND THE MESSAGE FUNCTION OF THE HOLO CASTER IS MALFUNC-TIONING TOO...

I'VE LOST ONE OF THE THREE POKÉ-MON AND ONE OF THE POKÉ-DEXES...

...DO NOW ...?

WHAT DO WE...

LUCKILY, I MANAGED TO SEND HIM A MESSAGE ABOUT THOSE TWO HUGE POKÉMON JUST BEFORE THE HOLO CASTER MALFUNCTIONED.

I HAVE NO WAY OF CONTACTING PROFESSOR SYCAMORE... I'LL HAVE TO GO SEE HIM IN PERSON TO TELL HIM WHAT'S HAPPENED.

I'M GOING TO FIND MY FURFROU!

I'M GOING TO FIND IT!

I'LL GO WITH YOU.

I WANT TO ASK HIM ABOUT THOSE PEOPLE IN THE RED SUITS WHO ATTACKED X TOO.

THAT WAS QUICK THINK-ING!

HE MIGHT KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT THEM.

GREAT !

OKAY... I'LL COME ALONG. AFTER ALL, WE'VE BEEN TOGETHER SINCE WE WERE KIDS!

LET'S ALL GO TOGETHER, SHAUNA.

YOU'RE CAUGHT UP IN THE MIDDLE OF THIS.

YOU'VE GOT NO PLACE TO HIDE.

THEY DE-STROYED YOUR HOUSE TO GET TO YOU.

THOSE PEOPLE ARE AFTER THAT RING AROUND YOUR ARM.

I DON'T NEED TO ASK YOU TO JOIN US, X... YOU UNDER-STAND WHY YOU HAVE TO COME WITH US, DON'T YOU?

...

AH...

AH...

AH-CHOO!

FOOSH

WILL YOU CHANGE OUT OF YOUR PAJAMAS, PLEASE?!

ZAP

COME ON! GET DRESSED!

DANCE SCHOOL

ALL OF A SUDDEN, OUR REGULAR EVERYDAY LIVES WERE TRANSFORMED ...

...OUR POKÉ-MON.

...OUR FRIENDS AND...

...SOME THINGS NEVER CHANGE ...

BUT ...

...AND SET OUT ON OUR JOURNEY TOGETHER.

AND SO WE LEFT OUR HOME-TOWN BEHIND ...

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Adventure #3
Inn-teresting Developments

XOY

Route 1
Vaniville Pathway

I DON'T WANT TO CAMP OUT-SIDE!

IT'S GETTING DARK. WHERE ARE WE GOING TO STAY FOR THE NIGHT, TREVS?

THERE'S OUR NEXT STOP— AQUACORDE TOWN.

DON'T I ALWAYS HAVE A PLAN?!

DON'T WORRY!

ARE YOU...

...YVONNE GABENA AND COMPANY?

EXCUSE ME...

THIS WAY...

THAT'S RIGHT. ARE YOU FROM THE INN?

YES. I WAS STARTING TO WORRY SINCE IT'S AFTER SUNSET ALREADY.

EH?

I THOUGHT YOU SAID YOU WERE A PARTY OF FIVE.

UM... ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR...

PLEASE SIGN THE GUEST-BOOK.

OH! WAIT...

WAIT A MINUTE...

KLKK

NO, I DON'T... BUT IT'S ALL RIGHT. "MOPEY," EH?

OH, SORRY ABOUT THAT. HE WON'T BE ANY TROUBLE. HE'S JUST... MOPEY. I'LL FILL IN THE GUESTBOOK FOR HIM.

WHY IS THAT BOY HIDING UNDER A SHEET?!

YOU KNOW HOW IT IS...

COME OUT!

HEY, X...

MOVE IT! WE NEED TO GET UP TO OUR ROOMS!

AND YOU'RE BACK IN YOUR PAJAMAS AGAIN!

I GOT YOU OUT OF YOUR ROOM, BUT NOW YOU'VE MADE THIS LITTLE...FORT... ON MY RHYHORN?!

NO.

NO.

YOU HAVE TO COME OUT FROM UNDER THERE RIGHT NOW!

EXCUSE ME... YOU STILL NEED TO SIGN THE GUEST-BOOK...

CALM DOWN, Y!

GRR... I'LL DRAG YOU UP THERE MYSELF!

I'M AS FRUS-TRATED AS SHE IS... AREN'T YOU, TIERNO?

JUST WHEN SHE THOUGHT SHE'D PULLED X OUT OF HIS SHELL, HE'S HIDDEN AWAY AGAIN!

...CAN YOU BLAME HER?

BUT, SHAU-NA ...

UH-HUH. BUT...

AND NEITHER HAS Y-EY!

X-EY HASN'T CHANGED AT ALL...

OVER THERE.

AND LOOK ...

... BECAUSE HE WAS READY.

...YOU CAN'T EXPECT HIM TO CHANGE THAT QUICKLY. X DIDN'T **CHOOSE** TO COME OUTSIDE...

IT'S NO SURPRISE. I LEFT YOU WITH TIERNO ALL THESE YEARS WHILE I HID FROM EVERYTHING.

...

AND LI'L KANGA ...?

YOU'RE MAD AT ME TOO, AREN'T YOU, KANGA ...?

...
YESTERDAY, YOU TWO...

AND THEN ...

YOU SURE SURPRISED ME! I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT HAPPENED. DID YOU KNOW YOU COULD CHANGE LIKE THAT, LI'L KANGA...?

...AND THEN BACK INTO YOUR ORIGINAL STATE AFTER THE BATTLE.

ALL OF A SUDDEN YOU TURNED INTO SUCH A POWERFUL POKÉMON!

...TRANSFORMED ...

LI'L KANGA... JUMPED OUT OF YOUR POCKET AND...

I COULDN'T BELIEVE MY EYES!

...

I GUESS YOU'RE STILL GIVING ME THE COLD SHOULDER...

HEH ...

...

THE STONE WAS SHINING REALLY BRIGHTLY WHEN IT HAP-PENED.

MAYBE... YOU TRANS-FORMED BECAUSE OF THIS RING?

...THE PAPARAZZI WILL...

IF THIS GETS OUT...

...MADE LI'L KANGA TRANS-FORM...

THE RING MUST HAVE SOME KIND OF SPECIAL POWER THAT...

JUST LIKE BEFORE ...

...BE CRAWL-ING ALL OVER US AGAIN!

YOU WANT TO HIDE THAT RING. EXPLAINS WHY YOU COVERED UP THE STONE WITH DUCT TAPE TOO...

SO THAT'S WHY YOU'RE HIDING UNDER THAT BLANKET, HUH?

AM I RIGHT, X?

IT'S THAT YOU DON'T WANT LI'L KANGA TO GO THROUGH WHAT YOU WENT THROUGH.

IT'S NOT SO MUCH THAT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT THE MEDIA MAKING A SPECTACLE OUT OF **YOU** THOUGH, IS IT...?

FLAP FLAP

BOM BOM

...AND FROAKIE.

CHES-PIN ...

WHO ARE THOSE TWO...?

THERE WAS A THIRD POKÉMON CALLED FENNEKIN, BUT IT GOT SEPARATED FROM US IN THE MIDST OF ALL THAT CRAZINESS YESTERDAY.

BUT I'M TRYING TO FIND IT— AND I WILL!

THEY WERE ENTRUSTED TO TREVS BY A POKÉMON RESEARCHER FROM LUMIOSE CITY.

WE THINK YOU AND Y SHOULD TAKE CARE OF THESE TWO.

I TALKED IT OVER WITH TREVS AND SHAUNA.

AND...?

THANK YOU.

I GUESS THAT'S TRUE.

AFTER ALL, YOU TWO ARE THE BEST POKÉMON TRAINERS OUT OF THE FIVE OF US.

TO GIVE ME NEW POKÉMON TO TAKE MY MIND OFF OF THINGS.

THIS WAS YOUR PLAN FROM THE START, WASN'T IT, TIERNO?

I THINK YOU'RE AT A CROSS-ROADS.

X...

YOU SEE RIGHT THROUGH ME!

...THEN TURN OVER A NEW LEAF AS A POKÉMON TRAINER?

WHY DON'T YOU MAKE UP WITH LI'L KANGA...

IT'S MY DECISION TO MAKE!

DON'T TELL ME HOW TO LIVE MY LIFE, TIERNO!

LI'L KANGA IS LONELY. I THINK YOU SHOULD START BY FINDING A NEW FRIEND FOR IT.

HRK

YOU GET FIRST PICK! CHOOSE THE ONE YOU LIKE AND THEN—

...I HAVE A RIGHT TO GIVE YOU ADVICE.

I'M NOT TRYING TO PICK A FIGHT WITH YOU.

BUT...

RSTL

I NEVER STOPPED BELIEVING IN YOU... THAT SOMEDAY YOU'D COME OUT OF YOUR ROOM. KANGA AND LI'L KANGA AND I ARE ON YOUR SIDE.

AFTER ALL, I'M THE ONE WHO'S BEEN TAKING CARE OF KANGA AND LI'L KANGA ALL THIS TIME...

MOM... MY MOTHER...

IT'S NO GOOD ...

I CAN'T GET IN TOUCH WITH HER!

WITH WHO?

KKK

...AS YOU'VE PROB-ABLY HEARD ...

AFTER **WHAT** HAP-PENED?

I'M WORRIED. SHE WAS RETURNING TO TOWN AFTER WHAT HAPPENED THERE.

BLIP

...SEVERAL PEOPLE ARE STILL MISSING...

SINCE THE EXPLOSION OUTSIDE OF VANIVILLE TOWN...

HE LOCKED HIMSELF IN HIS ROOM FOR THE LAST FEW YEARS— UNTIL YESTER-DAY.

THE FIFTH MEMBER OF OUR GROUP OF FRIENDS... HIS NAME IS X...

YES.

YOU'RE FROM VANIVILLE TOWN?

HE IS.

IS THAT SO...? HE MUST BE VERY CLOSE TO YOUR MOTHER THEN.

HIS PARENTS HAD TO TRAVEL TO A DIFFERENT REGION FOR WORK—SO MY MOTHER'S BEEN LOOKING AFTER HIM.

WELL ...

OH? WHY'S THAT?

HE'LL TAKE THE NEWS EVEN HARD-ER THAN ME.

KRCH-RR

FLETCHY, SHOULD I TELL X THAT I CAN'T GET AHOLD OF MY MOM? I DON'T KNOW IF I SHOULD...

YEAH. HAVE YOU HEARD OF RHYHORN RACER GRACE?

SOUNDS LIKE YOU HAVE A COMPLI-CATED RELATION-SHIP.

I DON'T GET ALONG ALL THAT WELL WITH MY MOTHER ...

THE LEGEND-ARY RHYHORN RACER WITH AN UNPREC-EDENTED 25-RACE WINNING STREAK?!

OF COURSE!

GRACE HAS BROKEN HER OWN RECORD! TWENTY-FIVE WINS IN A ROW!

WELL, THAT'S MY MOM.

YES! I'M GOING TO RAISE HER TO BE THE NEXT GREAT RACER!

OOH! SHOULD WE ANTICI-PATE A FUTURE CHAMPION ?!

I'M TEACHING HER HOW TO RHYHORN RACE AND SHE'S CATCHING ON QUICKLY!

I GAVE IT ALL I'VE GOT TODAY BECAUSE MY DAUGHTER WAS WATCHING FROM THE STANDS!

CONGRATU-LATIONS! THAT WAS AMAZING!

I COULDN'T STAND ALL THAT PRES-SURE!

EVERYBODY AROUND ME, INCLUDING MY MOTHER, NEVER DOUBTED THAT WAS MY DESTINY.

EVERYONE JUST ASSUMED I'D GROW UP TO RACE RHYHORN.

...A SKY TRAINER— THE EXACT OPPOSITE OF A RHYHORN RACER, WHO RACES ON **LAND.**

SO, TO REBEL... I DECIDED TO BECOME...

I SEE.

WHAT IF SHE GOT CAUGHT IN THE BLAST?

I'M WOR-RIED ABOUT HER THOUGH ...

I SEE.

YOUR FRIEND HAS GONE UP TO HIS ROOM. THE ONLY ONE OF YOUR GROUP THAT'S STILL OUTSIDE IS THE BOY UNDER THE SHEET...

KLAK

GRAB

I'D RATHER NOT, BUT... I THINK WE'D BETTER GO TELL X ABOUT MOM.

OKAY, FLETCHY ...

YOU SHOULD WAIT.

I GUESS YOU HAVE A POINT ...

REAL-LY.

REALLY?

YOU'RE YOUNG, SO THIS MIGHT BE HARD FOR YOU TO UNDER-STAND, BUT... BOTH YOU AND THAT BOY HAVE GONE THROUGH A LOT ALREADY.

HE DOESN'T NEED ANY ADDITIONAL WORRIES AT THE MOMENT— ESPECIALLY OVER THINGS HE CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT.

BUT...

DON'T GO.

KLNCH

BUT I STILL THINK HE OUGHT TO KNOW...

DON'T BE SILLY...

HA HA!

IS THERE... SOME REASON YOU DON'T WANT ME TO SPEAK TO X...?

HUH?

HEH. OF COURSE THERE'S A REA-SON ...

CLASH

AH HA HA HA! PER-FECT!

KLTTD

KNK

THREE ARE UPSTAIRS IN THEIR ROOMS, AND I'M KEEPING THE LAST ONE OCCUPIED DOWN HERE IN THE LOBBY.

THE TARGET IS ALONE OUTSIDE.

I'VE MANAGED TO SEPARATE THE FIVE OF THEM.

WOOOSH

FLETCHY!

IT'S LOCKED !

RTTL

RTTL

WE CAN'T OPEN THEM!

...THAT BOTH THE DOOR AND THE WINDOWS ARE LOCKED!

KL TA K R ASH

WHAT'S ALL THE RACKET ABOUT? TIERNY? TREVOR?

IT SEEMS ...

ZIP

ZOINK

THANKS, FLETCHY!

WHAT ?!

X!

BAM

KA SH ASH

ZLOOP

...THIS.

AH HA HA HA! DON'T WORRY. TODAY, WE'RE ONLY AFTER...

RATTL

RATTL

WHAT AN ANNOY-ING LITTLE BRAT!

I WON'T LET YOU HURT X!

AH HA HA HA! DON'T BE SUCH A WHINER.

HEY! SHE SAID SHE'D KEEP HER BUSY!

THE RED SUITS ...!

LI'L KANGA!

...SO IT CAN'T FIGHT BACK!

THEY TOOK KANGA'S BABY AWAY...

MY RHYHORN IS A RACING RHY-HORN...IT DOESN'T KNOW HOW TO FIGHT!

FLETCHY IS FIGHTING INSIDE THE INN!

WHAT SHOULD I DO?! KANGA CAN'T FIGHT ON HER OWN!

IF THEY COULD BATTLE WITH ME...

THESE TWO POKÉ-MON ...

... DE-FEAT THEM!

HELP ME...

PLEASE! I KNOW WE'VE ONLY JUST MET, BUT I NEED YOU TO HELP ME FIGHT THOSE BAD GUYS!

...

I'LL GET RID OF YOU TODAY FOR GOOD!

AH HA HA HA! THAT'S FUNNY!

OSH

KWA

FOOSH

SIZZL

BOOF

WHAT THE ...?!

HUH ?

Y!

DID YOU JUST... PRO-TECT ME?

A GIANT BUBBLE ...

BLOOP BLOOP

...MY POKÉMON!

THAT'S ...

GET OUT OF THE WAY.

...LI'L KANGA **RIGHT NOW**!

GIVE BACK...

Current Location

Route 1
Vaniville Pathway

A small and quiet country lane that connects Vaniville and Aquacorde Town.

Aquacorde Town

A town that naturally sprang up as people flocked to this pristine riverside.



Adventure #4
They Have a Flare for a Li'l Kanga-napping

XOY

THAT ...

...IS MY POKÉMON.

SKRTCH SKRTCH SKRTCH

GIVE ME MY LI'L KANGA!

SKRTCH SKRTCH

HAND IT OVER!

X!

WE DON'T HAVE ALL DAY!

COME ON!

SKRTCH SKRTCH SKRTCH SKRTCH SKRTCH SKRTCH

UMM ...

DO IT ...!

GRR ...

...PEEL IT OFF THEN!

RRRPPP

I'LL...

GRAB

HIIIYYAAA!!

HE'S GOING TO MEGA EVOLVE HIS POKÉMON!

THE MEGA RING!

"MEGA EVOLVE" ?!

"MEGA RING" ?!

CHIRP CHIRP

I'M NOT MAD.

NOTH-ING ...

HUH ?

ANYHOW, NOW WE KNOW THAT THE MEGA EVOLUTION PROCESS IS UNRELIABLE— IN HIS HANDS, AT LEAST.

AH HA HA! SURE. DON'T TRY TO HIDE IT, MABLES.

HOW MANY TIMES DO I HAVE TO TELL YOU TO CALL ME "**MABLE**"!

I ONLY FREAKED OUT BECAUSE **YOU** WERE SCARED, ALIANA!

LI'L KANGA !

DADUNK

...WON'T LIKE IT.

SHUT UP, MABLES! YOU'RE TALKING TOO MUCH! THE BOSS...

WE FOLLOWED THE ENERGY GIVEN OFF BY THAT RING STRAIGHT TO YOU!

THAT'S SO CUTE! BUT STUPID.

AH HA HA! DID YOU THINK YOU WERE HIDING THAT RING BY COVERING IT WITH DUCT TAPE?

PULL YOUR-SELF TO-GETH-ER!

X!

... ZIPPED.

MOUTHS ...

...
YOUR HELP!

WE NEED ...

IF YOUR FIRST ATTACK DOESN'T SUCCEED, TRY AGAIN! COME UP WITH ANOTHER WAY TO FIGHT THEM!

WHY ARE YOU SO UPSET OVER ONE LITTLE FAILURE?!

I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT KIND OF POKÉMON YOU ARE!

BUT... HOW **ARE** WE SUPPOSED TO FIGHT THEM?!

Y!
Y!

LOOK DOWN!

SHE NOTICED ME!

VRR

OOMP

I THINK TREVOR CALLED THIS THING A... POKÉDEX!

No.001
SPINY NU
Type:
Height:
Weight:

...AND CHESPIN.

No.00
BUBBL
Type:
Heigh
Weigh

FROAKIE ...

AH HA HA... THEN LET'S GO BACK.

LOOKS LIKE WE'VE COMPLET-ED OUR MISSION.

"KIDNAP THE BABY KANGAS-KHAN, SINCE IT'S A POKÉMON THAT WE KNOW CAN MEGA EVOLVE."

THIS IS LIKE AN ENCYCLO-PEDIA FOR POKÉ-MON!

WOW! THEIR DATA HAS APPEARED!

HEH HEH... YOU'RE JUST CRANKY AND SPITEFUL, MABLES.

WAIT! THOSE KIDS TICKED ME OFF THIS TIME... AND THE TIME BEFORE. I WANT REVENGE!

HOUN-DOOM, FLAME-THROWER!

FWOOSH

DIGGERS-BY, MUD SHOT!

FWAK

BUT, YES, LET'S TEACH THEM A LESSON THEY'LL NEVER FORGET SO THEY'LL NEVER EVEN **THINK** ABOUT FIGHTING US AGAIN. AH HA HA HA!

SPLOOSH

FSSST

ZOOM

WHAT ...?!

HUH?

FROAKIE, I WANT YOU TO FIGHT HOUNDOOM AND... CHESPIN, YOU FIGHT...

OH NO! CHESPIN IS A GRASS TYPE AND FROAKIE IS A WATER TYPE! UH-OH...

X!

KLNCH

HE'S FIGHT-ING THEM!

KATHOOKITY

SMASH

...TO LI'L KANGA!

IT'S STILL HOLDING ON...

AND ...

DIGGERSBY'S PUNCH IS SO POWERFUL! EVEN THOUGH IT'S USING ITS EARS...!

LOOK OUT!

LUNGE

TURN ...

FLIP

... AROUND!

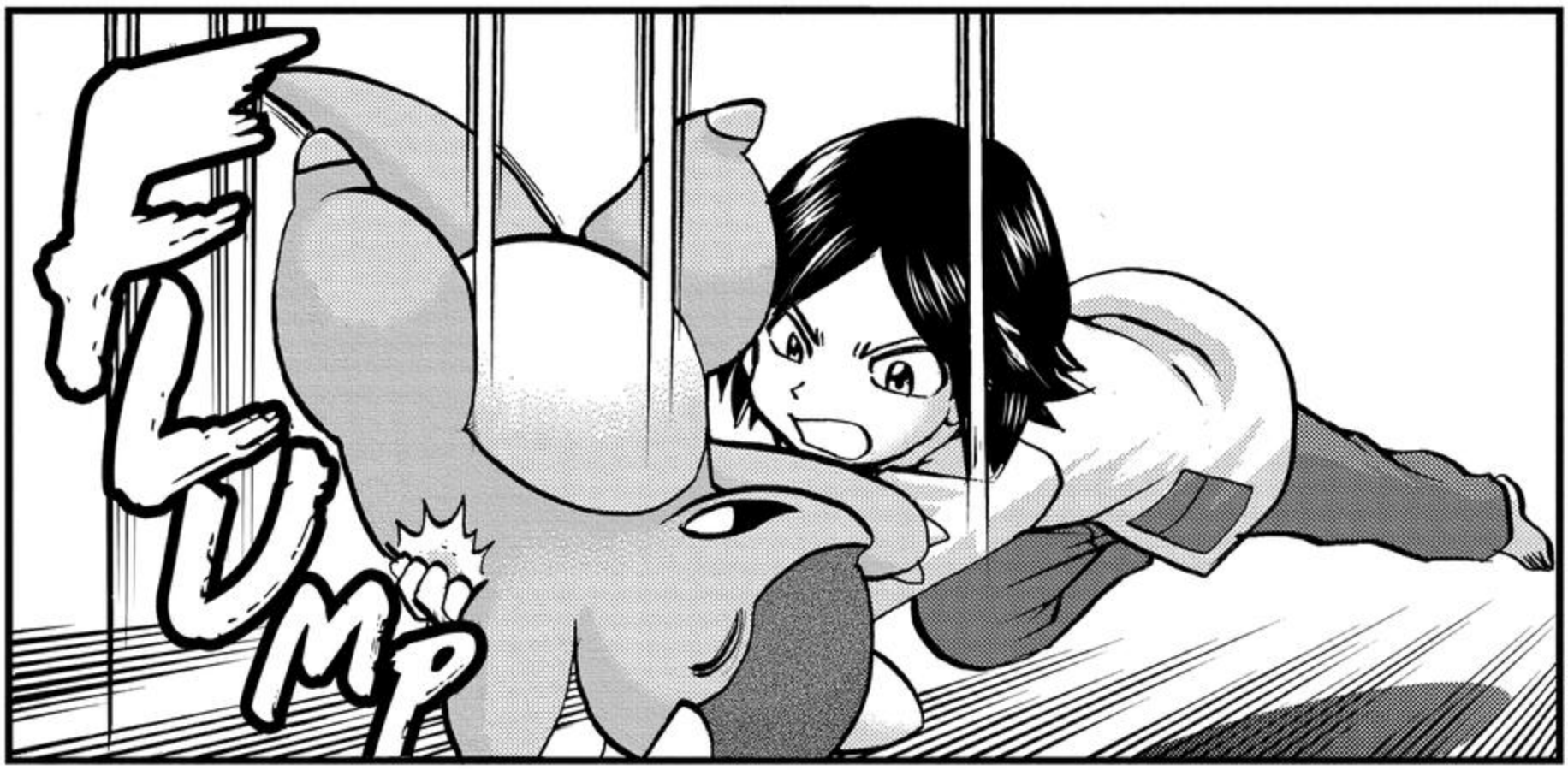
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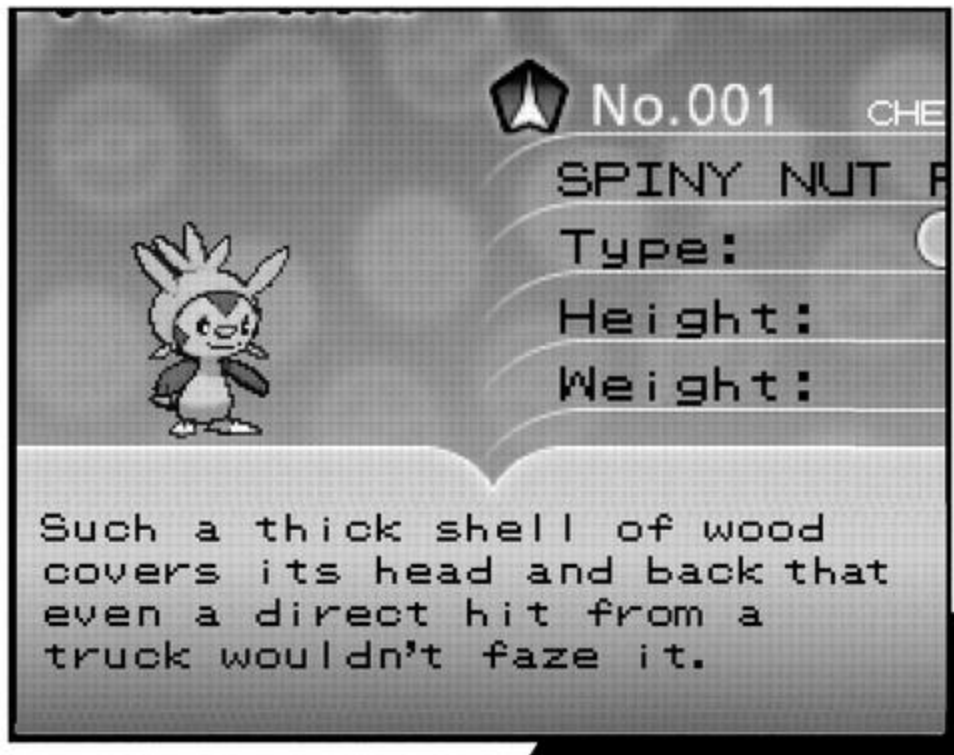
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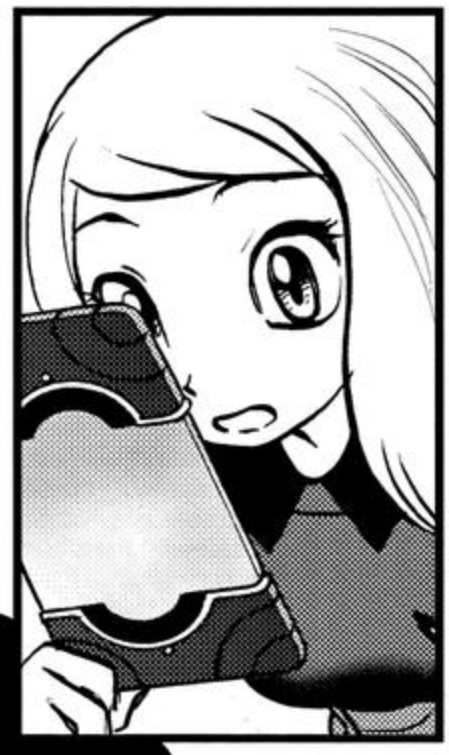
SUFFL

THRBDUB


JUMP


X! HOW DID YOU KNOW WHAT KIND OF POKÉMON CHESPIN WAS?!


No.001
SPINY NUT
Type:
Height:
Weight:
Such a thick shell of wood covers its head and back that even a direct hit from a truck wouldn't faze it.




OH, WELL—



GIVE IT YOUR BIGGEST PUNCH!

JA JA B B

YOU CAN DO IT, DIG-GERSBY !

AH HA HA HA! DON'T GET MAD!

HEY, ALIANA! WHAT JUST HAP-PENED ?!

...YOU KNOW WHAT'LL HAPPEN...

KL

NCH

OR ELSE ...

FWIP

SH DR

BOING

Z

OO

MP

KRASH

CRACK

FFT FFT FFT

PIN MIS-SILE!

HMPH.

AH HA HA HA! THAT'S RIGHT... I'LL HAVE TO TEACH YOU A LES-SON!

TMP

FWUMP

TWINKLE

OOF!

WHAT IS THIS?!

NOW'S OUR CHANCE.

LET'S MAKE A RUN FOR IT, Y.

BUT THE OTHERS ...

YOU MEAN... YOU LURED THE DIGGERSBY UP THERE ON PURPOSE?!

Y, WE'RE FINE!

TRUST Y!

WHAT MAKES YOU SO SURE THAT...

ACK.

YANK

HURRY!

JUMP! YOU'LL BE OKAY, I PROMISE!

WE'RE **NOT** FINE! HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO GET DOWN?!

WELL ...

AIYEEEE!

FWOOMP

THOSE RED SUITS...

FRUM

FRUM

FRUM

FRUM

FRUM

...OR WHO THEY ARE...

I DON'T KNOW WHY THEY'RE AFTER X'S RING...

...LET THEM GET WHAT THEY WANT!

...BUT I'LL NEVER ...

I'M GLAD LI'L KANGA DIDN'T GET KIDNAPPED, X.

Y-EY, HOW FAR ARE WE GOING TO RUN?

I CAN'T BELIEVE WE'RE DOING THIS!

HOW SHOULD I KNOW?

DON'T YOU THINK THIS WOULD BE A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO GET TO KNOW IT BETTER...?

YOUR COM-MANDS TO CHESPIN WERE REALLY GOOD...

I DON'T THINK IT SHOULD HANG OUT WITH ME...

FORGET IT...

IF IT BECOMES MY POKÉMON, IT'LL ONLY GET DRAGGED INTO TROUBLE.

HMPH... I CAN'T TELL IF HE'S TRULY CARING OR JUST COLD-HEARTED...

...BUT SOME-THING'S STILL BUGGING ME.

EVERYBODY'S RELIEVED AFTER ESCAPING THAT DANGER...

!!

EXCUSE ME, KANGA, LI'L KANGA...

...AND SOME-THING INSIDE KANGA'S POCKET... THEY BOTH SHONE AT THE SAME TIME.

X'S RING...

A STONE?!

THE STONE SET IN X'S RING...

...AND THE STONE I FOUND INSIDE KANGA'S POCKET...

...AND THE POKÉ-MON HAS THE OTHER.

THE TRAINER HAS ONE STONE ...

AND WHEN THE TWO ARE LINKED TOGETHER ...

I NOTICED SOME KIND OF SHINING ENERGY RADIATING FROM THOSE STONES.

BUT WHAT'S THE LINK? WHAT CONNECTS THE TWO STONES?

THIS IS THAT MEGA EVOLU-TION THING THOSE FOLKS IN RED SUITS WERE TALKING ABOUT!

THAT'S IT! THAT MUST BE THE REASON BEHIND THEIR TRANSFOR-MATION!

I GUESS YOU'RE STILL GIVING ME THE COLD SHOULDER...

SOMETHING THAT'S NOT VISIBLE TO THE EYE...

...

HE NEEDS MORE TIME.

SOMETHING THAT ISN'T AROUND ALL THE TIME...

BONDS ?

"WHO DO YOU LIMITS?"

"WHAT ARE YOUR TRUST" ?

... MYSTERY ...

THIS IS AN INTRIGUING ...

I DID.

NOPE. NOTHING.

HEY, TREVOR! YOU'RE LOOKING AWFULLY SERIOUS! DID YOU FIND OUT ANY-THING?

WHAT DID YOU FIND OUT?!

WHAT IS IT, Y-EY?!

WHAT ?!

...AT ANY INNS FROM NOW ON!

THAT WE'D BETTER NOT STAY...

LUMIOSE CITY...

THIS IS ACTUALLY HAPPENING IN VANIVILLE TOWN RIGHT NOW!

THIS ISN'T SOME MOVIE!

CAN'T YOU SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING BEHIND ME?!

PROFES-SOR ...!

ZZKT

PROFES-SOR!

PROFES-SOR SYCA-MORE!

THIS IS A VIDEO SENT TO ME VIA HOLO CASTER FROM A BOY WHO WAS IN VANIVILLE TOWN DURING THE RECENT INCIDENT THERE.

...

LUCKILY, THAT BOY HAD A HOLO CASTER WITH HIM SO HE RECORDED THE TWO LEGEND-ARIES, BUT...

IT'S CRITICAL THAT WE KNOW WHAT REALLY HAPPENED THERE.

...THE LEGEND-ARY XERNEAS AND YVELTAL!

CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?! THIS VIDEO CAUGHT A GLIMPSE OF THESE POKÉMON...

YOU ARE SUCH A CONTRI-BUTION TO OUR SOCIETY ...

YOU'VE DEVELOPED SO MUCH TECHNOL-OGY THAT'S HELPED THE WORLD!

WHICH MEANS, IN SOME WAY, THIS VIDEO ONLY EXISTS THANKS TO **YOU.**

COME TO THINK OF IT... IT WAS **YOU** WHO DEVELOPED THE HOLO CASTER, WASN'T IT?

...MR. LY-SANDRE.



Adventure #5
Sylveon Enchants

X Y

I WAS HOPING THAT YOU MIGHT HAVE NOTICED SOMETHING I OVERLOOKED.

...MR. LYSAN-DRE?!

WHAT DO YOU THINK...

OF COURSE.

MAY I TAKE A LOOK AT THAT VIDEO AGAIN, PROFESSOR SYCAMORE?

THERE'S SOME-THING MORE ...?

YES ...?

ACCORDING TO LEGEND, THESE TWO POKÉMON ARE CONSIDERED COUNTERPARTS TO ONE ANOTHER, SO THAT'S TO BE EXPECTED, BUT...

IT APPEARS THAT THE TWO POKÉMON CAME ON THE SCENE AT THE SAME TIME AND THAT THEY ARE EQUALLY POWERFUL.

OH!

YVELTAL'S TAIL AND THE BUSH...

KEEP YOUR EYES ON THAT BUSH OVER THERE.

AND WHEN XERNEAS RUNS PAST THAT SAME WITHERED BUSH...?

THE BUSH JUST... WITH-ERED AWAY!

WHAT ?!

...AND XERNEAS GIVES LIFE?

MAYBE YVELTAL STEALS LIFE...

THAT'S RIGHT.

THE LEAVES GROW BACK!

I'M SO GLAD I HAD YOU TAKE A LOOK AT THIS.

THESE TWO POKÉMON ARE EXACT OPPOSITES OF EACH OTHER!

A POKÉ-MON WHO STEALS LIFE...

AND A POKÉ-MON WHO GIVES LIFE...

SINA! DEXIO!

OF COURSE.

WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR ME TO GET A COPY OF THIS VIDEO?

OF COURSE.

WOULD YOU PLEASE COPY THIS VIDEO FOR MR. LYSANDRE?

...PRO-FESSOR SYCA-MORE?

DID YOU CALL US...

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR GIVING ME THIS MOMENT OF YOUR VALUABLE TIME...

EXCUSE ME... I HAVE OTHER THINGS TO ATTEND TO. I MUST GET GOING...

...A MORE BEAUTI-FUL WORLD!

I DREAM OF...

AND TO ACCOMPLISH THAT, PEOPLE AND THEIR POKÉMON MUST WORK HARD! THAT'S MY PHILOSOPHY!

WE MUST MAKE OUR WORLD A BETTER PLACE!

KLUCH

FEEL FREE TO STOP BY ANYTIME YOU WISH.

I'LL DROP BY YOUR OFFICE AGAIN IF I NEED YOUR ASSISTANCE.

Route 2
Avance Trail

WINK WITH YOUR LEFT EYE!

MEDI-UM SMILE.

...KISSY FACE. ♡

AND LAST BUT NOT LEAST ...

...AND OPEN YOUR MOUTH !

CLOSE YOUR EYES ...

...

Clomp

HEY, COME BACK HERE !!

OWW!

THOK

MAYBE SHE WANTS TO GET TO KNOW IT FAST?

I DON'T KNOW. ISN'T THAT THE EEVEE Y CAPTURED YESTERDAY?

WHY'S Y-EY STARING AT THE POKÉMON?

IT'S NOT.

NO.

HUUH ?!

IS THIS REALLY THE RIGHT WAY TO DO IT?!

HEY, X!! THIS POKÉMON ISN'T MAKING FACES AT ALL!

YOU'RE MEANT TO MIMIC THE POKÉ-MON'S EXPRES-SIONS YOUR-SELF.

THE POKÉ-MON ISN'T MEANT TO MIMIC YOU.

YOU DIDN'T LISTEN TO ME PROP-ERLY, Y.

YOU LIED TO ME?!

THEY INSTINCTIVELY LEARN THAT THERE IS SOME KIND OF CONNECTION BETWEEN YOU AND THEM.

"YOUR ACTIONS ARE CONNECTED TO THEIR ACTIONS..."

BY DOING THAT ...

YOU SMILE BACK AT A BABY WHO IS SMILING.

IT'S THE SAME AS A HUMAN BABY.

SIIIGH, THIS IS GOING NOWHERE.

THIS IS ALL BECAUSE YOU WON'T COME OUT AND TEACH ME PROPERLY!

OKAY !!

OR TO PUT IT SIMPLY, "MAKING FACES" ...

IF I WAS GOING TO USE A DIFFICULT TERM, IT WOULD BE "SYNCHRONIZATION."

FROAKIE, HELP ME OUT!!

IN THAT CASE ...

I CAN'T JUST CHASE IT AROUND JUST BECAUSE IT'S FAST.

USE YOUR FRUBBLES TO BLOCK EEVEE'S PATH!

SH
AA

BWO
OSH

SMILE

TMP

NOW! ATTACK AND STOP IT!!

PLIP

WHAT?!
W...
W...
Shf
shf
HUMPH. ♂ ARE SO PITIFUL.
IT GOT ALLURED.
SIIGH.
ZZZ...
ZZZ...
SHUP
THIS IS EX-HAUST-ING.
WHAT? YOU WERE JUST SLEEPY?
I WANT TO BEFRIEND IT PROP-ERLY!!
BUT I WON'T GIVE UP!

I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU HAVEN'T GIVEN UP ON THAT EEVEE YET.

BUT IT DIDN'T LIKE ME PATTING IT ON THE HEAD!

IT WAS ESPECIALLY HAPPY WHEN I PETTED IT AROUND THE FUR AROUND ITS NECK.

IT LIKED IT WHEN I DID THAT YESTER-DAY...

NO, I'LL PET IT THOROUGHLY BEFORE THAT!

MAYBE I'LL FEED IT A POKÉ PUFF AFTER IT WAKES UP?

I'VE GIVEN IT A NICKNAME, YOU KNOW.

DON'T BE SUCH A STRANGER.

EE-VEE ?

Eeveevee... just kidding...

NO WONDER YOU TWO HAVEN'T GOTTEN ALONG.

YOU NAMED YOUR POKEMON VEEVEE? WHY?

SAY HI.

IT'S VEEVEE!

SHE CAN'T FIGHT IF SHE DOESN'T HAVE ENOUGH POKÉ-MON.

...AFTER THE ATTACK AT THE INN.

BUT I'M GLAD SHE RE-ALIZED ...

WE'LL SHOW THEM HOW MUCH BETTER WE ARE THAN THE TEAM THEY FOUGHT LAST TIME.

HOW SHOULD WE APPROACH THEM AND STEAL THE RING?

THE ONE WITH THE MEGA RING AND HIS FRIENDS.

RIGHT.

FOUND THEM.

Ta-daah

Mnch

Mnch

I NEVER KNEW THERE WERE SO MANY OF THEM.

THEY ACTUALLY LOOK GOOD TO EAT.

SO THESE ARE POKÉ PUFFS.

THAT WAY WE CAN BECOME EVEN BETTER FRIENDS. ♡

IT LIKES IT. CAN I GIVE IT ONE?

SURE! OH, CHOOSE THE GORGEOUS-LOOKING POKÉ PUFF WITH LOTS OF TOPPINGS ON TOP!

IT DOES SEEM FRIEND-LIER THAN BE-FORE...

WHO KNOWS? IT COULD JUST BE FRIENDLY WHILE IT EATS.

AH!!

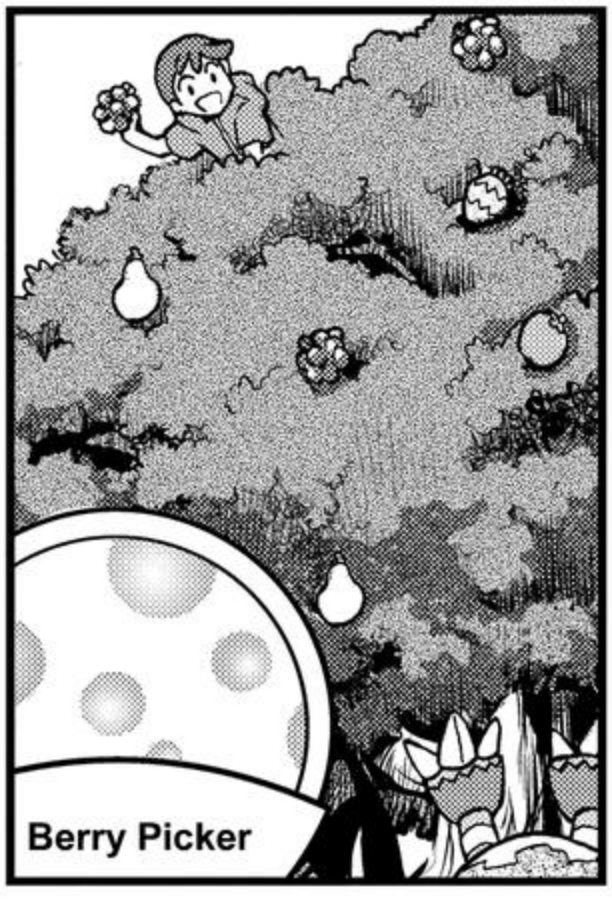
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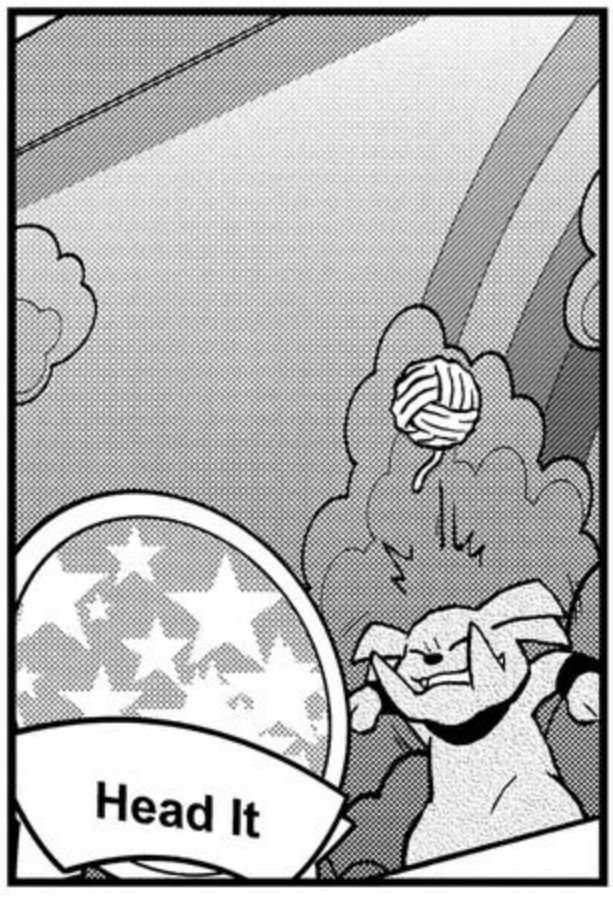
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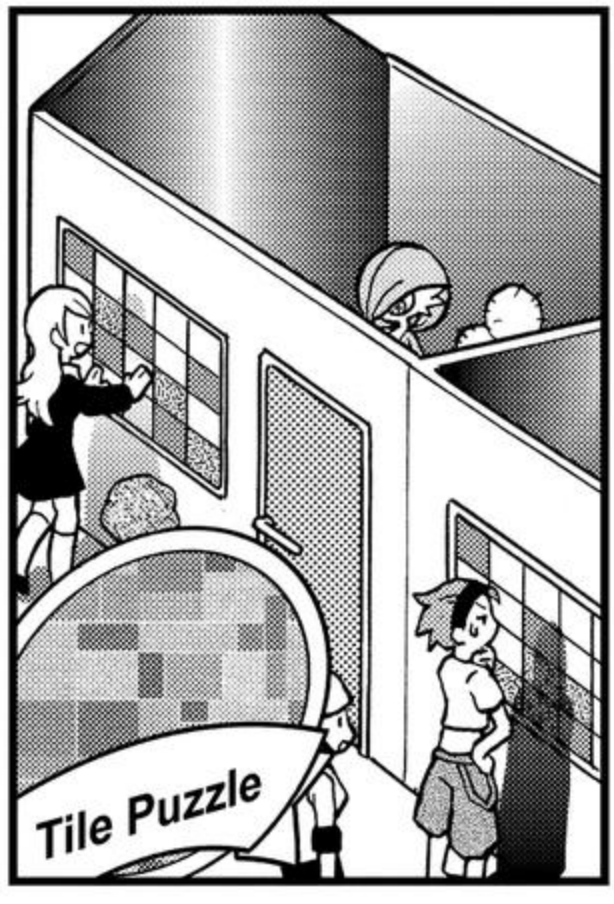
VEE-VEE, COME BACK!!

FUN
MINI-GAME CORNER

MR MR MR MR







IT'S APPARENTLY AN EVENT WHERE THE TRAINER TEAMS UP WITH A POKÉMON TO PLAY GAMES.

WHERE ARE WE?

VEE-VEE.

THERE IT IS.

AND VEEVEE SEEMS ALL FIRED UP TOO.

I THINK IT'S MORE DANGEROUS FOR VEEVEE TO PRANCE AROUND AS IT WANTS TO.

ISN'T IT DANGEROUS FOR US TO BE PLAYING AROUND HERE?

THIS MIGHT BE PERFECT FOR Y AND VEEVEE TO PARTICIPATE IN.

IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME HERE?!

WEL-COME !!

WE'D LIKE TO PARTI-CIPATE !!

RIGHT! OKAY...

HEEE-AAAD IT!!

IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME, I RECOM-MEND THIS SIMPLE GAME.

...BUT THIS MAY BE THE GAME THAT WILL ASK YOU FOR THE MOST TEAMWORK OUT OF ALL THE GAMES HERE.

THE TRAINER'S ONLY JOB IS TO GIVE THE POKÉMON ORDERS AT THE RIGHT TIME...

NOW !

...SO YOU MUST HEAD-BUTT THE YARN AND BOUNCE IT BACK !!

A BALL OF YARN WILL COME FALLING DOWN...

PLEASE PAR-TICIPATE IN THE GAME WITH THREE POKÉ-MON!

GREAT !!

Why are you so sure?

NO PROBLEM!! I'M PROBABLY GOOD AT GAMES LIKE THIS!!

...AND FROAKIE, I NEED YOUR HELP!

VEEVEE, FLETCHY ...

THE TIME LIMIT IS 60 SEC-ONDS.

YOU WILL START OUT WITH ONE POKÉMON BUT THE NUMBERS OF POKÉMON WILL INCREASE OVER TIME AND YOU WILL NEED TO GIVE ORDERS TO THREE POKÉMON IN THE END.

GAME START !!

WELL THEN...

THREE!!

...JUMP ON THE COUNT OF THREE!!

VEE-VEE...

ONE ...

TWO ...

HERE IT COMES !!

SWIP

YEAH !!

BOOSH!

THREE !!

ONE ...

TWO ...

NO PROB-LEM. NO PROB-LEM!!

GOOD !! GOOD !!

PUTT

AGAIN!

SWIP

THAT WAS CLOSE !!

SWIP

ONCE AGAIN !

I'M GOING TO ENTER THAT GAME!!

I'LL TRY THE TILE PUZZLE NEXT!! I MIGHT BE BETTER AT THAT!!

Aiyee...

MS. Y GOT... TOTAL HEADING POINTS IS 3. RANK... HEADER AMATEUR.

Results

Score:
Heading Points 003

Bonus:
st Combo Record 000 000

Total 3

Header Amateur

☆☆☆☆☆

AND THE RESULT IS...!

GRRRR!

GOOD AT THIS, MY FOOT.

I'M STAYING IN HERE.

IN FACT, GIVE HER SOME ADVICE...

X, YOU SHOULD COME OUT AND CHEER FOR Y TOO.

IT'S A STATUS MOVE...

I NEVER KNEW ABOUT IT.

"THE USER STARES AT THE TARGET WITH ITS BABY-DOLL EYES, WHICH LOWERS ITS ATTACK STAT. THIS MOVE ALWAYS GOES FIRST."

BABY-DOLL EYES.

TAKE A LOOK AT THIS ARTICLE.

BY THE WAY, TREVOR. I'D LIKE TO ASK YOU FOR YOUR OPINION.

AND ON TOP OF THAT, TAKE A LOOK AT THIS.

THEN THAT WAS BABY-DOLL EYES?!

OH!

REMEMBER THE TIME WHEN Y'S VEEVEE STARED AT FROAKIE?

BUT WHAT ABOUT IT?

...."FAIRY."

Type: Fairy
Status Move
Accuracy: 100
PP: 30

The user stares at the target with its baby-doll eyes, which lowers its ck stat. This move always goes

MOVE TYPE...

RIGHT.

...KNEW A NEW TYPE MOVE FROM THE START!

THEN THAT'S REALLY IMPRESSIVE! VEEVEE, THE EEVEE SHE HAPPENED TO GET...

IT IS THE EIGH-TEENTH POKÉ-MON TYPE.

IT HAS BEEN ADDED ONTO THE SEVENTEEN PREVIOUS POKÉMON TYPES THAT HAVE EXISTED UNTIL NOW.

HMM!!

YEAH!!

Y...

WE SHOULD TELL Y ABOUT IT!

THE OTHER TRAINERS ARE CLIMBING THE TREE AND USING LONG BRANCHES.

IN THE NEXT GAME, BERRY PICKER, THE TRAINER GOES AND PICKS THE BERRY THEIR POKÉMON WANTS TO EAT!

THAT'S RIGHT!

YEAH!!

OKAY, VEEVEE !!

START !!

SO THIS TIME...

BUT I'VE GOT THIS!

SHUK

PAP

FOUND IT!

OKAY !!

HERE !

THIS!

THIS!

THIS!

SHUK

NEXT IS...

...WHICH BERRY VEEVEE WANTS BEFORE IT CHOOSES IT!!

AND Y-EY'S STARTING TO SEE...

SHE'S FAST !!

UMM...

!!

...

SPLUB

YVONNE GABENA.

GOT YOU.

RED SUITS !!

BWOO SH

...IS GOING TO MELT INTO SLUDGE WITH SLIG-GOO'S SLIME.

IF YOU DON'T HURRY, YOUR FRIEND'S HEAD...

ZSSSSSSH

X, HAND OVER YOUR MEGA RING.

DON'T MOVE.

Sha

Sha

Sha

Dash

Jump

VEE-VEE !!

SP

UUUBT

THEY'VE BECOME GOOD FRIENDS!

DID YOU SEE THAT? VEEVEE DESPERATELY TRIED TO HELP Y.

X!!

I WONDER WHICH OF YOU WILL MELT FIRST!

HA HA HA HA !!

LOOK.

WHAT ...

THAT'S UNNEC-ESSARY.

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT...?! WE HAVE TO HELP Y...!

SHE

SHE

ZSSH

WHAT ...?!

IT EVOLVED !!

...BUT THAT POKÉ-MON IS NONE OF THOSE!! THAT'S...!

...VAPOREON, JOLTEON, FLAREON, ESPEON, UMBREON, LEAFEON AND GLACEON...

IT IS SAID THAT EEVEE HAS THE POSSIBILITY OF EVOLVING INTO MANY DIFFERENT POKÉMON, LIKE...

SYL-VEON !!

No.085 Sylveon
Intertwining Pokémon
Type: FAIRY
Height: 3′
Weight: 51.8 lbs

It wraps its ribbonlike feelers around the arm of its beloved Trainer and walks with him or her.

FAIRY TYPE...

Vrrrm

AND LAST BUT NOT LEAST...

TMP

EEEK!

SWISH

smack

SHUP!

SLLSSH

WAAARGH!!

VEEVEE!!

BUT WE CONTINUED TO GRADUALLY BEFRIEND NEW POKÉMON AS WE HURRIED ON OUR JOURNEY TO FIND THE TRUTH.

THE ENEMIES WHO ARE CHASING AFTER US AND THEIR SCHEME ARE STILL A MYSTERY.



Adventure #6
Kangaskhan...
Kangascan't

XY

THE FOREST WE SLEPT IN LAST NIGHT WAS CALLED SANTA-LUNE FOREST.

EVERY WILD POKÉMON AROUND TRAMPED ALL OVER ME! I COULDN'T SLEEP A WINK!

Santalune City

NNGH... WHAT A LOUSY NIGHT.

I NEVER WANT TO SLEEP IN THE FOREST AGAIN!

...BUT WE'VE FINALLY MANAGED TO REACH SANTA-LUNE CITY.



I DIDN'T NOTICE. I WAS TOO BUSY RUNNING AWAY...

HMPH. YOU'RE WAY TOO OPTIMIS-TIC.

SO WE'RE A LOT CLOSER TO LUMIOSE CITY NOW, AND...

HERE. I GOT ALL THE STUFF YOU ASKED FOR.

SORRY TO KEEP YOU WAIT-ING!

THEY WENT SHOP-PING.

BY THE WAY, WHERE'S Y-EY AND TIERNY?

IT'S NO DIFFERENT FROM THE JUNK FOOD WE WERE EATING BEFORE WE LEFT HOME!

DRINKS, SNACKS, MAGAZINES...

COULD YOU HELP ME WITH THESE?

...SO WE HAVE A LOT OF SPARE CASH.

X SAVED MOST OF THE PRIZE MONEY HE WON AT THE JUNIOR TRAINER TOURNAMENT...

WE LUCKED OUT! THE CITY HAD A CHEAP BOUTIQUE WITH ALL KINDS OF CLOTHES.

CLOTHES ...?

PLOP

TO DIS-GUISE OUR-SELVES.

Y!

WE FINALLY REACHED SANTALUNE CITY, BUT WE DON'T DARE STAY AT AN INN AGAIN. AND I CAN HARDLY GO SHOPPING BECAUSE I'M SO WORRIED THAT THE RED SUITS ARE SKULKING AROUND AND MIGHT SPOT ME!

WE WERE ATTACKED BY THE OLD LADY AT THE INN IN AQUACORDE TOWN AND WE ENDED UP IN A BATTLE AT ROUTE 2 AGAINST SLIGGOO.

...TO HAVE WRITTEN OUR NAMES IN THE INN'S GUEST-BOOK.

I KNOW IT'S TOO LATE TO CHANGE THINGS NOW, BUT I THINK IT WAS A BIG MISTAKE...

DON'T YOU FEEL THE SAME?

...AND I EVEN TOLD THEM ABOUT MY MOTHER.

BUT THEY'VE SEEN X AND MY FACES DURING THE BATTLE...

WE FOLLOWED THE ENERGY GIVEN OFF BY THAT RING STRAIGHT TO YOU!

THE RED SUITS MANAGED TO FIND WHERE X WAS THROUGH...

BECAUSE NOW THE RED SUITS HAVE INFO ABOUT ALL FIVE OF US!

SIGNING THE GUEST-BOOK WAS THE WORST THOUGH ...

...THE STONE IN HIS BRACELET.

THE ONLY PEOPLE WE CAN TRULY TRUST ON THIS JOURNEY ARE EACH OTHER.

THAT'S RIGHT.

SO...YOU WANT TO CHANGE CLOTHES PERIODI-CALLY TO HIDE OUR IDEN-TITIES ?

HMM ...

... "DON'TS" ?

THE FIVE DON'TS

THE FIVE ...

SO I CAME UP WITH THESE GUIDELINES. WE ALL NEED TO SWEAR TO FOLLOW THEM!

WHAT IS THIS?! YOU'RE TREATING US LIKE KINDER-GARTENERS !

DON'T ...

DON'T USE YOUR PHONE OR HOLO CASTER.

DON'T TELL ANYONE YOUR NAME.

DON'T ENTER BUILDINGS YOU DON'T KNOW.

DON'T GO ANYWHERE WITH GROWN-UPS YOU DON'T KNOW.

...YOU'LL ENDANGER ALL OF US!

...IF EVEN ONE OF US DOES ANY OF THESE DON'TS...

WELL, YES... BUT...

C'MON, X!

THIS HAS EVERYTHING TO DO WITH YOU! GET CHANGED!

HEY!

SO GET CHANGED! GET CHANGED!

UM... I DON'T THINK THIS IS GONNA FIT ME...

FLAP

RSTL

FLTTR

YOU ACTU-ALLY LIS-TENED TO ME.

DO YOU KNOW WHY...?

WHAT'S GOING ON, KANGA AND LI'L KANGA ...?

POP

POP

UH... OKAY.

KANGA, TREVOR... COME WITH ME FOR A MINUTE.

...

IN THE POCKET TOGETH-ER, HUH?

LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE BECOME FRIENDS.

SHIFT

MEGA EVOLU-TION, YOU MEAN ?!

I BET HE WANTS TREVOR'S HELP TO FIND OUT THE SECRET BEHIND YOU-KNOW-WHAT ...

WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO HIM?

Route 22
Détourner Way

RSTL
RSTL

ARGH!

A LITLEO JUMPED OUT!

X, GIVE IT A TRY!

Sssshhh

NO GOOD!

FWIP

FWIP

FWIP

FWIP

BUT THAT'S NOT WHAT WE WANT-ED TO SEE.

KANGA AND LI'L KANGA ARE STRONG ENOUGH TO EASILY WARD OFF A WILD POKÉMON LIKE THAT.

BOING

BOING

BOING

LET'S GO OVER WHAT WE KNOW SO FAR.

THAT TRANSFOR-MATION DIDN'T HAPPEN AGAIN.

AND THEY CALLED X'S RING A "MEGA RING."

FIRST ...

OUR ENEMIES HAVE BEEN CALLING THAT TRANS-FORMATION "MEGA EVOLUTION."

THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT IT!

...THE ENEMY WANTS TO GET AHOLD OF THE POWER OF MEGA EVOLU-TION!

BASED ON ALL THAT IT LOOKS LIKE...

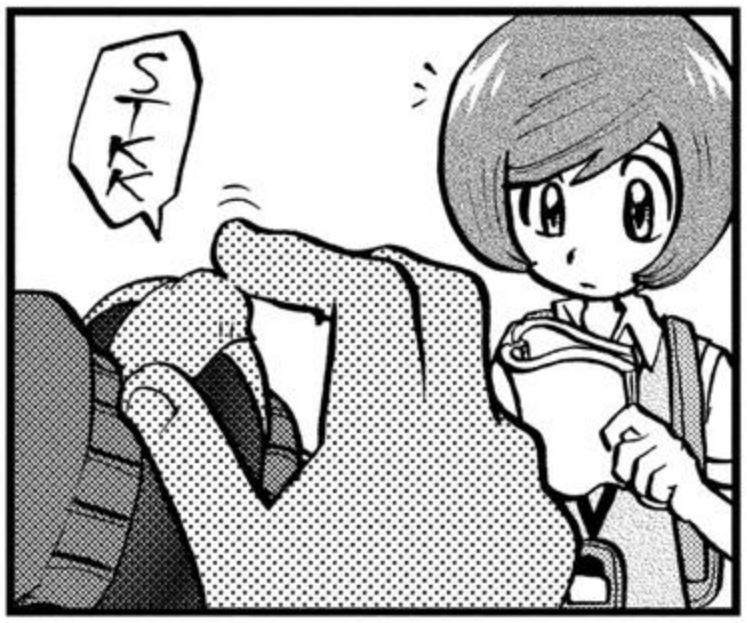
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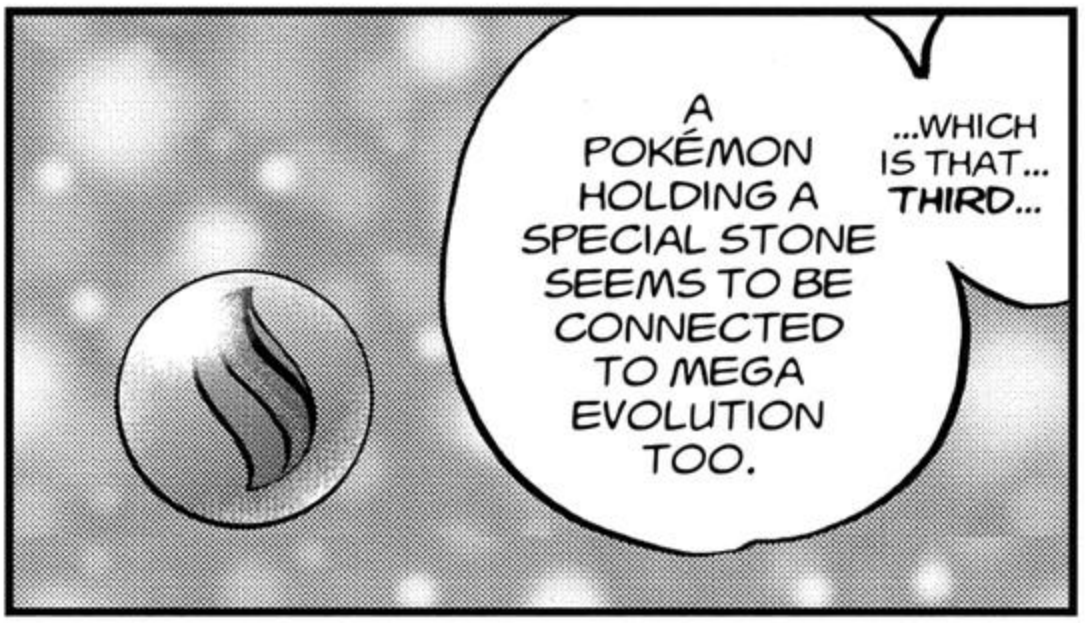
THEY TRIED TO TAKE X'S MEGA RING DURING THEIR FIRST ATTACK.

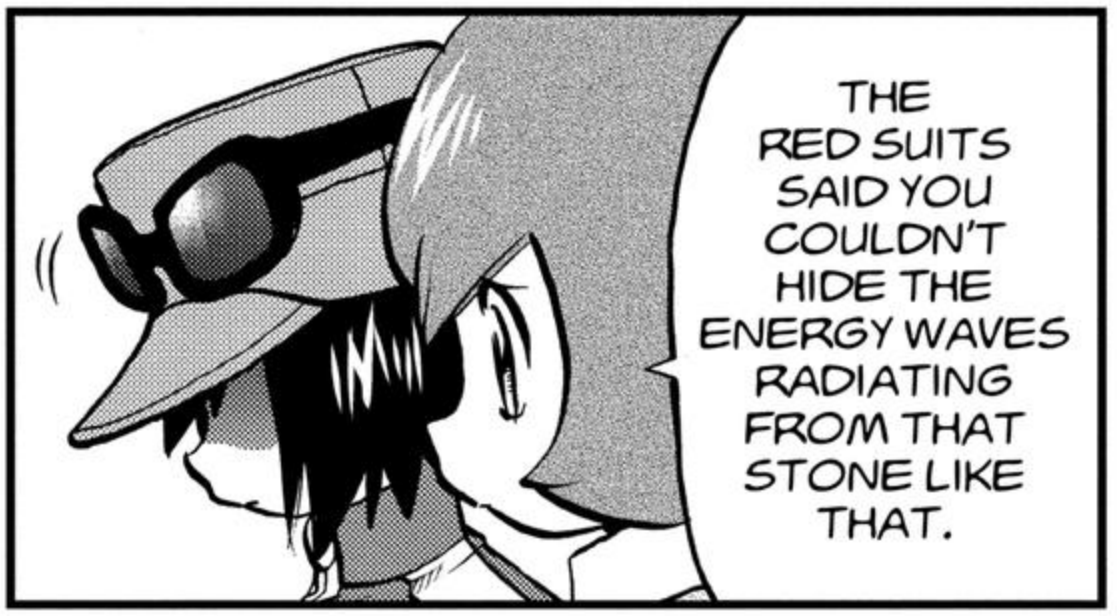
...SOME-THING ONLY I MIGHT KNOW ABOUT...

AND THERE'S ALSO...

AND THEY TRIED TO KIDNAP LI'L KANGA, KNOWING IT WAS A POKÉMON WHO COULD MEGA EVOLVE.

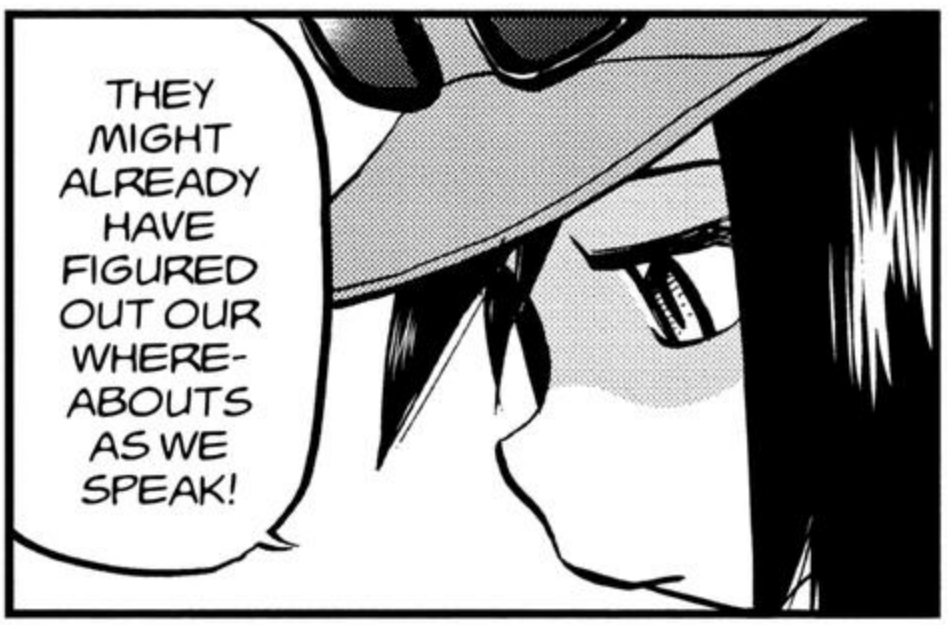

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A POKÉMON HOLDING A SPECIAL STONE SEEMS TO BE CONNECTED TO MEGA EVOLUTION TOO.
...WHICH IS THAT... THIRD...


THE RED SUITS SAID YOU COULDN'T HIDE THE ENERGY WAVES RADIATING FROM THAT STONE LIKE THAT.


YOU PUT DUCT TAPE OVER IT AGAIN.
WHY ?


HIDING THE STONE WITH THE DUCT TAPE...
...WAS JUST A SIGN OF WEAK-NESS.


THEY MIGHT ALREADY HAVE FIGURED OUT OUR WHERE-ABOUTS AS WE SPEAK!


THEY'LL PROBABLY FIND US EVEN IF WE WEAR DISGUISES.
NO HARD FEELINGS, Y, BUT...
I thought so...
YOU... GRR...
Now, now.

HOW DO I TRIGGER THE TRANSFOR-MATION...? WHAT DO I NEED TO DO...?

I WANT TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THIS MEGA EVOLUTION THING NOW.

AND THAT'S NOT ALL... THERE'LL BE GROWN-UPS LIKE THOSE RED SUITS WHO TRY TO USE LI'L KANGA FOR THEIR OWN EVIL DEVICES.

PEOPLE WILL MAKE A SPECTA-CLE OUT OF LI'L KANGA.

...IT'LL BE PLACED IN THE SPOT-LIGHT AGAIN.

BUT IF I LEARN HOW TO MEGA EVOLVE LI'L KANGA...

THERE'S NO NEED FOR YOU TO KEEP IT IF YOU DON'T LIKE IT.

WHY DON'T YOU JUST THROW THE RING AWAY?

I'M COVERING IT BECAUSE... I DON'T WANT TO **SEE** IT!

IT MAKES ME REALLY UNCOM-FORT-ABLE TO SEE THIS STONE SHINING...

THE EASI-EST THING TO DO WOULD BE TO GET RID OF IT.

THIS RING IS THE REASON WE'RE ALL GETTING AT-TACKED ...

RIGHT ...

I CAN'T THROW AWAY THIS RING.

BUT I CAN'T.

X...

MAYBE IT'S TIME YOU TOLD US...?

HOW DID YOU GET THAT RING, ANYWAY?

I'D LIKE TO HEAR THAT STORY TOO.

BUT I NEVER IMAGINED I'D RUN INTO YOU HERE.

I'M GLAD TO SEE YOU'RE ALL SAFE.

YOU'RE THE PHOTO-GRAPHER FROM BACK IN VANIVILLE TOWN!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

YOUR NAME IS VIOLA, RIGHT?

GYM LEAD-ER ?!

...I'M THE CITY'S GYM LEADER, TOO.

AND... I LIVE IN SANTA-LUNE CITY.

I CAN SEE YOU'RE TRYING TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS YOURSELVES.

I'M SORRY FOR EAVES-DROPPING, BUT... I OVER-HEARD EVERY-THING.

I'M A PHOTOGRAPHER. YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO DISCOVER SOMETHING BY LOOKING AT THE PHOTOS I TOOK THAT DAY.

WHY?

COME TO MY GYM WITH ME.

THAT BEING THE CASE— I CAN HELP YOU.

...

...TO PROVIDE INFORMATION TO PEOPLE IN NEED OF IT.

BUT, PERSONALLY, I THINK IT'S THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PRESS...

I WON'T DENY THAT SOME OF US DON'T DESERVE YOUR TRUST...

YOU TOLD ME YOU DON'T LIKE JOURNALISTS AND THE MEDIA. YOU SAID YOU DON'T TRUST GROWN-UPS LIKE ME.

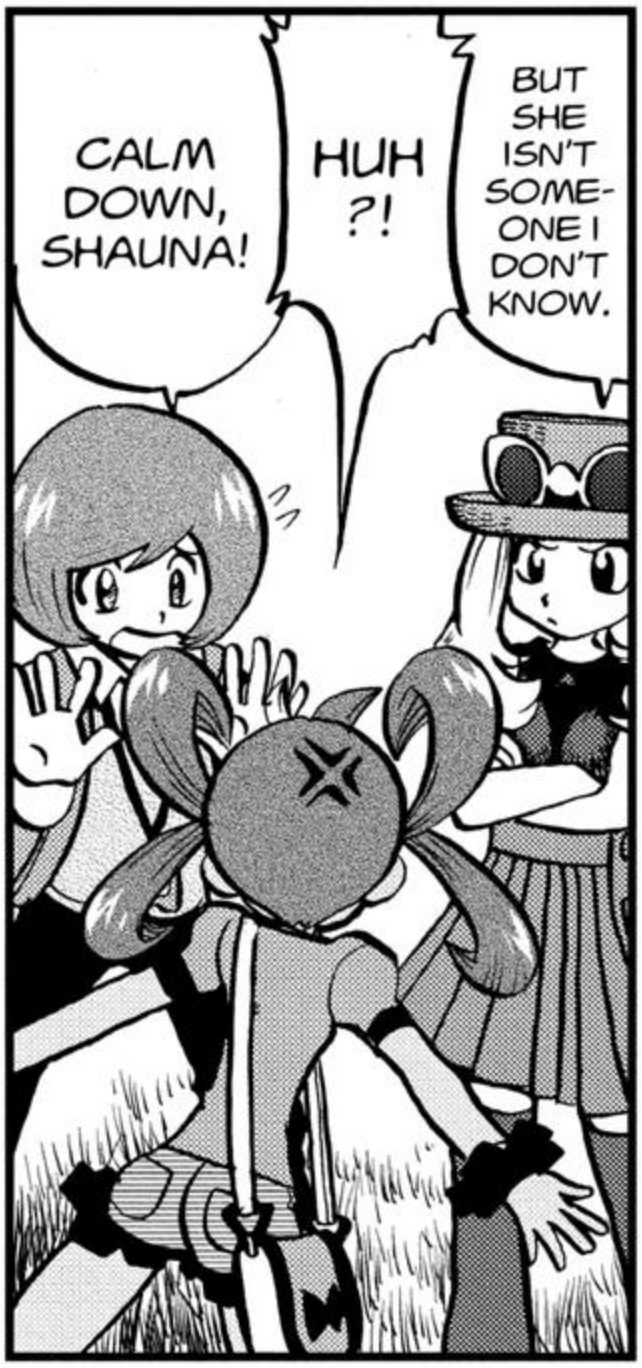
YOUR NAME'S "Y," RIGHT?

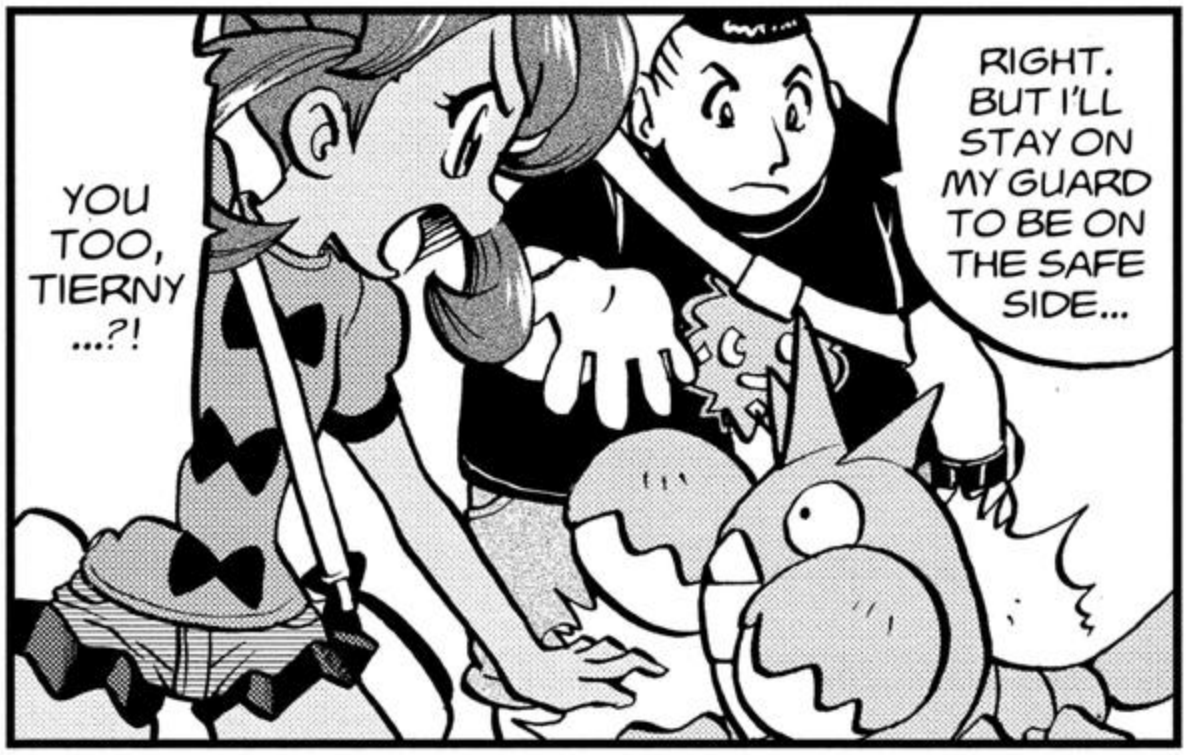

WE'LL GO WITH YOU.
ALL RIGHT.


YOU'RE THE ONE WHO SAID, "DON'T GO ANYWHERE WITH GROWN-UPS YOU DON'T KNOW," Y-EY!
WHY ?


HEY! THIS DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE!


IF SHE CAN PROVIDE US WITH MORE INFOR-MATION, THERE'S NO REASON TO REJECT THIS OPPORTU-NITY.
WE MET HER BEFORE IN VANIVILLE TOWN. SHE WAS THERE WHEN THINGS WENT CRAZY. SHE TOOK PICTURES.


CALM DOWN, SHAUNA!
HUH ?!
BUT SHE ISN'T SOME-ONE I DON'T KNOW.


YOU TOO, TIERNY ...?!
RIGHT. BUT I'LL STAY ON MY GUARD TO BE ON THE SAFE SIDE...

HMPH!

I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU GUYS!

YOU WON'T GO, WILL YOU, X-EY?!

LET'S GO WITH VIOLA!

RIGHT NOW, WE NEED ALL THE INFOR-MATION WE CAN GET ABOUT THAT INCIDENT.

SHE'LL BE BACK SOON.

SHAUNA!

SNEEL

IS THAT ...?!

ZIP

OH...

I FOUND YOU!

GRAB

I'M SORRY! I'VE BEEN SEPARATED FROM MY FURFROU AND I WAS TRYING TO FIND IT...

DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT. ANYONE WHO'S FOND OF FURFROU IS A FRIEND OF MINE!

WHAT A COINCI-DENCE! LET ME SHOW YOU SOME GROOM-ING TECH-NIQUES THEN...

REALLY?! IT'S MY DREAM TO BECOME A FURFROU GROOMER!

YOU GUESSED IT! I'M A GROOMER AT LUMIOSE CITY.

OH ... THOSE COMBS AND SCIS-SORS ...?

SNIP SNIP SNIP SNIP

OOOH!

PHA-RAOH TRIM.

WOW!

DEBU-TANTE TRIM.

OOOH. ♡

DANDY TRIM.

HOW NICE!

MATRON TRIM.

...SO I'LL LEND YOU SOME-THING FOR BEGIN-NERS.

OF COURSE. BUT THESE SCISSORS ARE FOR PROFES-SIONALS ...

RSKV

RSKV

CAN I? REAL-LY?!

"SHAUNA," WAS IT? HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO GIVE IT A TRY?

THIS IS SO EXCIT-ING!

HERE YOU ARE.

THAT'S IT... IMAGINE WHAT THE FURFROU WILL LOOK LIKE AFTER THE GROOMING IS DONE... CUT ALONGSIDE THE LINES OF ITS BODY...

SWISH

GIVE THEM A TRY. YOU WON'T BE DISAP-POINTED.

SWISH

SWISH

SWISH

THE GROOMING TOOLS IN LUMIOSE ARE CUTTING EDGE— LITERALLY.

I'VE BEEN STUDYING TO BECOME A GROOMER BUT I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE THIS BEFORE.

NOT BAD...

SWISH

THAT'S IT...

SWISH

YOU'RE GETTING THE HANG OF IT...

SWISH

KEEP GOING...

Current Location

Route 2
Avance Trail

You'll find many Pokémon hiding among the tall grass that grows in tufts along this trail.

Santalune Forest

The gentle light filtering through this sun-dappled forest makes it a popular spot for nature walks.

Route 3
Ouvert Way

The little rises and hollows of this lush forest are a favorite place for many kinds of Pokémon to play.

Santalune City

Many beginning Trainers gather in this friendly city to start a Pokémon journey.



Adventure #7
The Aegislash Agenda

XY

KRKKC KRKKC KRK

THUNDERBOLT!

SUPERSONIC!

WOOZY

...WE WERE REUNITED WITH VIOLA.

AFTER REACHING SANTALUNE CITY...

WHY DON'T WE TAKE THIS OPPORTU-NITY TO HAVE A POKÉMON BATTLE?!

YOUR NAME IS X, RIGHT?

SHE'S A PHOTOGRAPHER, BUT ALSO THE GYM LEADER OF THIS TOWN. WE FOLLOWED HER TO THE SANTALUNE GYM...

Sure.

...

I DON'T UNDERSTAND HIM SOMETIMES...

OR IS HE JUST GETTING FOCUSED FOR THE UPCOMING BATTLE LIKE HE USED TO?

IS X WORRIED ABOUT NOT BEING ABLE TO REPEAT THAT MEGA EVOLUTION TRICK...?

...A SIGN THAT HE'S BACK TO NORMAL!

...BUT THIS IS PROBABLY...

THAT'S THE REASON WE CAME TO THE GYM.

...IN THE PICTURES VIOLA TOOK.

THERE MIGHT BE A CLUE...

RIGHT!

...BUT WE HAVE TO LOOK THROUGH THESE PHOTOS NOW.

I KNOW YOU'RE HAPPY ABOUT X...

TREVS ...

I DON'T KNOW WHY SHE DIDN'T COME WITH US!

SORRY, TREVOR, TIERNO...! CAN YOU TWO TAKE CARE OF THIS?

...

...AND LOOK FOR SHAUNA.

I'M GOING TO FLY AROUND TOWN...

HEY! WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?!

MEANWHILE...

THEIR WHERE-ABOUTS ARE STILL... UN-KNOWN.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

XEROSIC!

WHERE ARE XERNEAS AND YVELTAL?!

BRYONY, THAT GOES FOR YOU TOO! WHAT WAS UNIT A DOING?!

NOT GOOD! WE NEED AN ENERGY SOURCE FOR OUR ULTIMATE WEAPON, YOU KNOW!

DO **YOU** HAVE ANY-THING TO SAY FOR **YOUR-**SELVES?

YOU ALSO FAILED TO CAPTURE THE BABY KANGASKHAN WHO CAN MEGA EVOLVE.

YOU FOUND THE MEGA RING WITH THE KEY STONE IN IT, BUT YOU FAILED TO STEAL IT.

AHA HA HA!

URK ...

...

NOW NOW... YOU TWO HAVEN'T EXACTLY BEEN SUCCESSFUL EITHER, MABLE AND ALIANA.

COME ON... DON'T YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO SAY FOR YOURSE...

AHAHAHA... AND THE REASON THERE ARE ONLY FOUR OF US HERE TODAY IS...?

GRRR ...

OUR BOSS, OF COURSE.

WHO ELSE ?

WHAT...?! SAYS WHO?!

SO UNIT A WILL TAKE OVER THE MEGA EVOLUTION MISSIONS FOR THE TIME BEING.

CELOSIA IS IN CHARGE OF THE NEXT MISSION.

RIGHT.

SHAUNA! I'VE BEEN LOOK-ING FOR YOU!

TIMP

THERE SHE IS!

CHIRP CHIRP CHIRP ... ♪

SURE. ALL RIGHT.

I'M GLAD I FOUND YOU BEFORE DARK! HEY, I KNOW YOU'RE FEELING "IFFY" ABOUT ALL THIS BUT YOU HAVE TO COME JOIN US!

OH...

HUH ?

UM...

BUT... THAT'S GREAT! I'M GLAD YOU'VE CHANGED YOUR MIND AND...

I DIDN'T EXPECT THIS TO GO THAT EASILY...

WHAT'S WITH THE SWORD?

WE MIGHT NEED IT.

WE HAVE TO PROTECT OURSELVES. WE CAN'T RELY ON OTHERS. REMEMBER...?

IN CASE OF... WHAT?

I GOT IT JUST IN CASE...

THNX

THNX

THE OTHERS ARE ALREADY AT THE GYM, AREN'T THEY? LET'S GET GOING THEN.

I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT, BUT...

SNAG

WHAT ...?

KLTR

KLTR

HOW STRANGE...

WHAT WAS SHAUNA'S SKITTY TRYING TO TELL ME?

X HAS WON!

VIOLA'S VIVILLON IS OUT!

FWUMP

YOU'RE REALLY GOOD!

HFF

HFF

I WAS AIMING FOR VICTORY JUST LIKE I AIM FOR THE BEST PHOTO OP!

I NEVER IMAGINED YOU'D HAVE A COUNTER-PLAN FOR IT!

MY VIVILLON'S SUPERSONIC IS PRETTY POWERFUL...

AND THAT'S WHAT I USED IN THIS BATTLE.

I FIGURED OUT A WAY TO COUNTER ULTRASONIC WAVE ATTACKS WITH MY KANGA AND LI'L KANGA BACK THEN.

I FOUGHT AGAINST A NOIVERN IN THE FINALS OF THE JUNIOR TOURNAMENT.

SURE, I'M HAPPY. A TACTIC I'VE WORKED ON WITH MY POKÉMON SUCCEEDED... WHY WOULDN'T I BE?

THEY CALL ME THE "WOMAN THAT NEVER LETS A SMILE ESCAPE..." BUT I JUST LET ONE SLIP AWAY AFTER ALL...

AWW... I MISSED MY OPPOR-TUNITY FOR THE PERFECT SHOT!

FANTASTIC! JUST FANTASTIC!

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?!

HEY! YOU JUST SMILED!

... WHETHER I LIKE IT OR NOT!

PHOTO-GRAPHERS HAVE NO RIGHT TO TAKE PICTURES OF ME WHENEVER THEY FEEL LIKE IT...

BUT DON'T TAKE PICTURES OF ME WITHOUT ASKING!

HMM... WHERE'D HE GO?

WE WANT A PICTURE OF YOU!

HEY, X!

SHE'S JUST LIKE THE PHOTO-GRAPHERS BACK THEN WHEN...

JUNIOR TOURNAMENT

I THOUGHT THEY WERE GONNA CRUSH ME!

NO...

X!

CONGRATU-LATIONS ON WINNING THE TOURNA-MENT!

BUT WE'RE SAFE NOW...

THERE HE IS! GET HIM!

SHOULD WE MAKE IT SMILE?

HFF

HFF

WHAT THE...?! THIS ISN'T A GOOD SHOT.

AH! THAT'S THE KANGAS-KHAN YOU USED, RIGHT?

DON'T WORRY, WE WILL... SOON AS WE GET A PICTURE OF IT...

GIVE IT BACK! KANGA IS REALLY TIRED AFTER THAT BAT-TLE!

BOM

YEAH, SURE!
HEY, WHY DON'T WE JUST PULL IT OUT OUR-SELVES?
NO? OH WELL...
WHAT ?
X, COULD YOU GET THE LITTLE KANGAS-KHAN FOR US?
AH! GREAT IDEA!
OH! HOW ABOUT A PICTURE OF JUST THE BABY KANGAS-KHAN?
HMM... NAH. HOW ELSE CAN WE GET A GOOD IMAGE...?
YANK
COME OUT, COME OUT, LITTLE BABY KANGAS-KHAN!
AAH!
TOSS
AIYEE!
TOSS
HEY! STOP THAT!
FOOSH
IT'LL BE FINE. DON'T WORRY.
STOP IT!

I HATE TO SAY IT, BUT... THAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN A LOT NOW...

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

BELIEVE IN YOURSELF AND YOUR POKÉMON AND KEEP GOING...

BUT DON'T LOSE FAITH...!

TAKE THIS TO REMIND YOU OF THE BOND BETWEEN YOU AND YOUR POKÉMON. DON'T FORGET...

TRUST ME.

HEY!

ONLY ...

YEAH. BUT WITHOUT ANY INSTRUCTIONS ON WHAT IT DOES OR HOW TO USE IT.

SO...IT WAS THE PERSON WHO SAVED YOU FROM THOSE PUSHY REPORTERS WHO GAVE YOU THAT RING?!

CAN WE?!

WHY DON'T ALL OF YOU STAY HERE FOR THE NIGHT?

THAT'S GREAT.

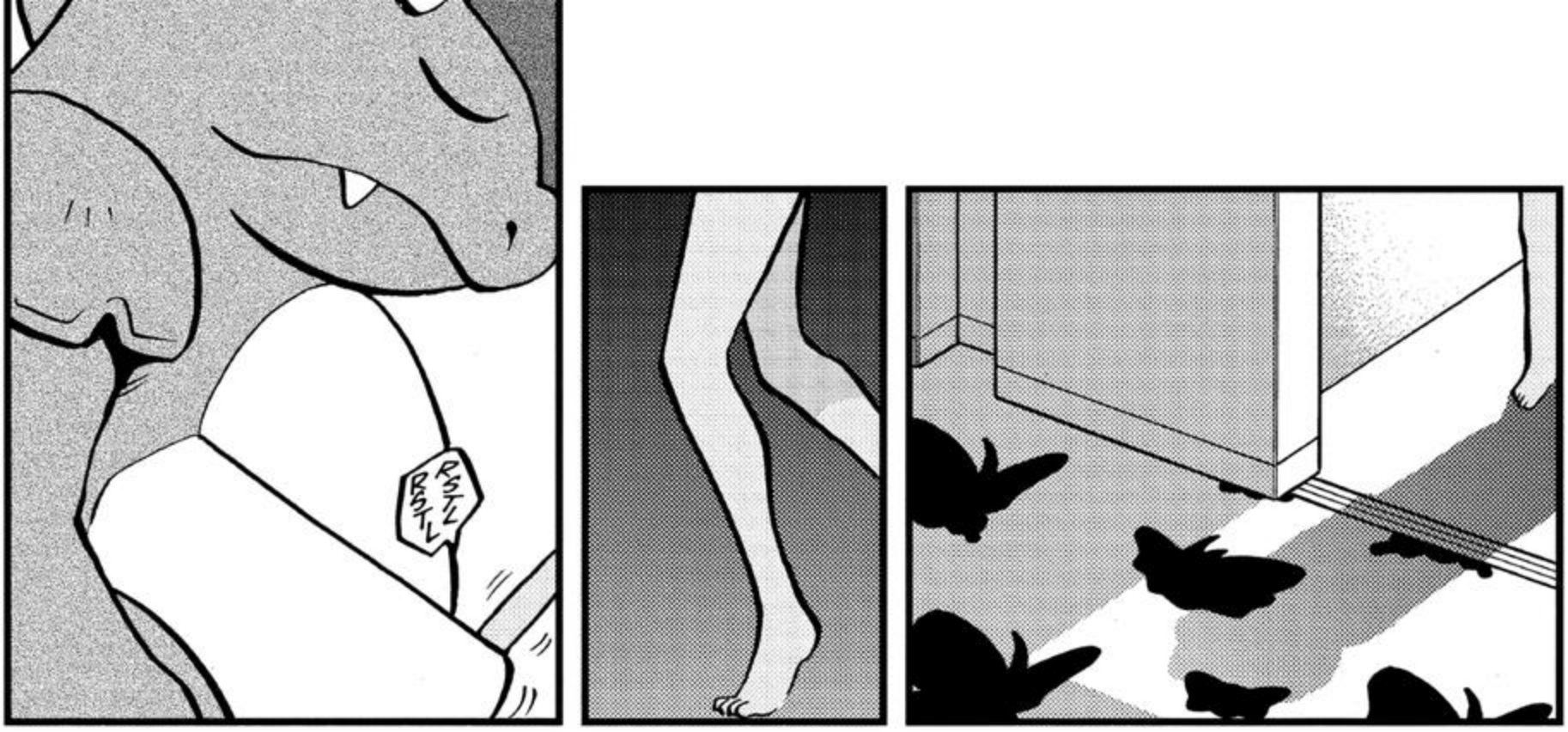
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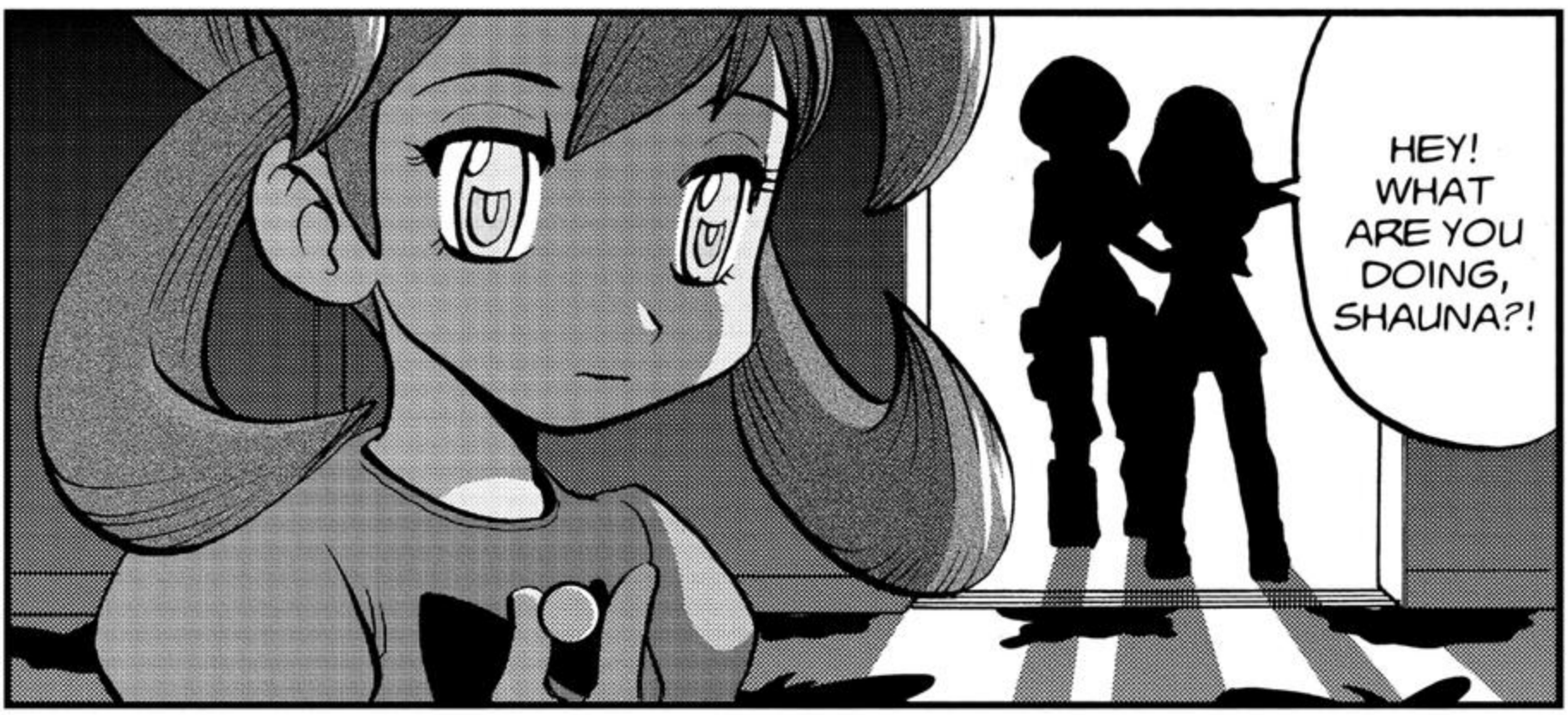
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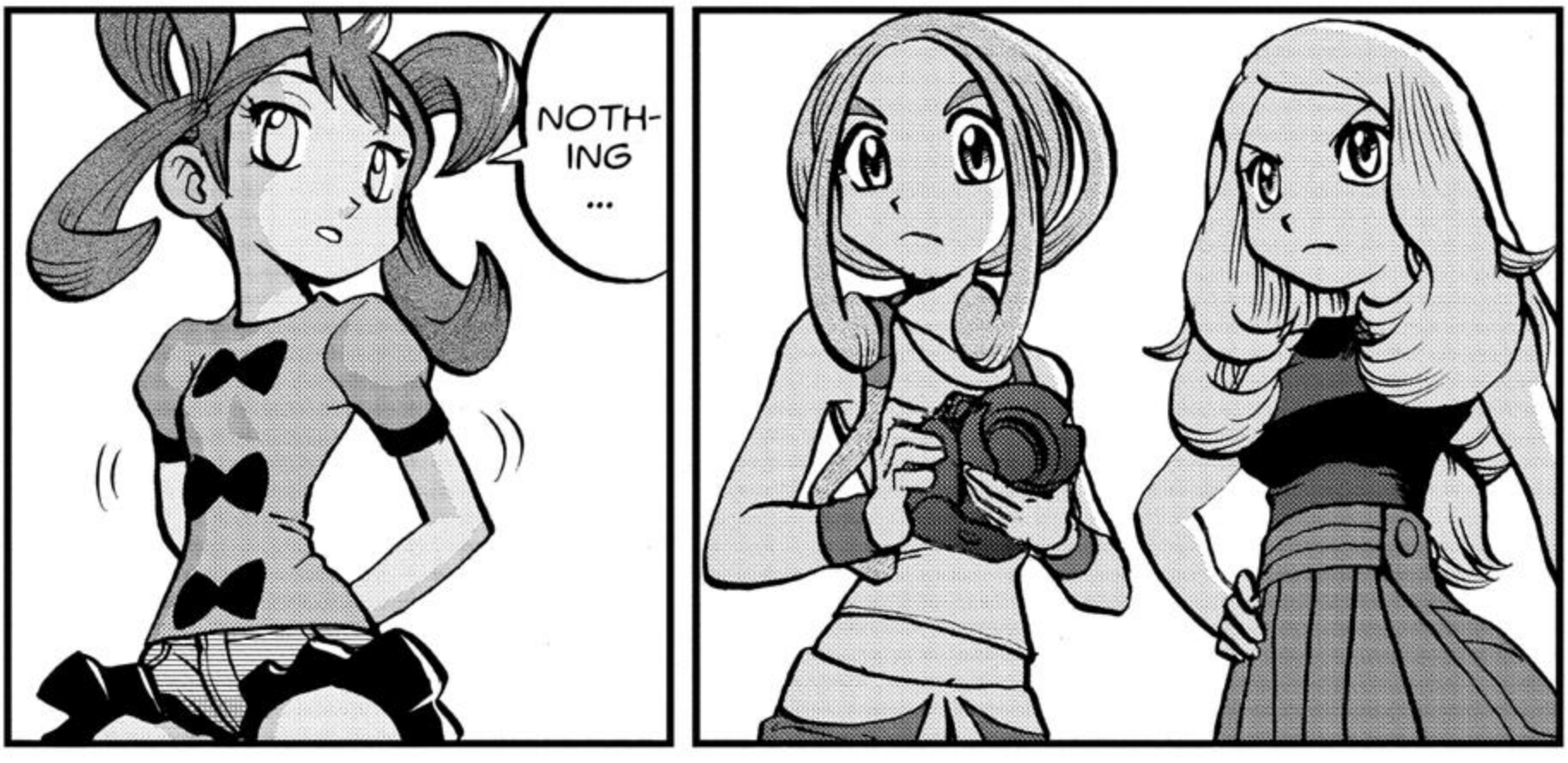
THAT MEANS WE WON'T HAVE TO CAMP OUT, SHAUNA!






PSTL
PSTL


HEY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING, SHAUNA?!


NOTH-
ING
...

IT'S NOTH-ING!

HAND IT OVER!

...

WHAT ARE YOU HIDING BEHIND YOUR BACK?!

WE CAN FIND OUT BY CHECKING THIS DATA, YOU KNOW!

YEP.

VIOLA CAUGHT YOU ON CAMERA!

I KNOW YOU'VE GOT SOME-THING THERE!

THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH ME!

SPYING...? I JUST WANTED TO FIND OUT WHAT WAS WRONG WITH YOU BECAUSE YOU'RE ACTING ALL WEIRD!

HOW MEAN!

GRAB

YES, THERE IS!

WE'VE BEEN FRIENDS SINCE WE WERE LITTLE, BUT YOU DON'T TRUST ME?

WERE YOU SPYING ON ME, Y-EY?

SHNK

WHAT'S THE MAT-TER?

WHAT'S GOING ON, Y?

DO IT, SHAUNA.

LOOK OUT!

FWUP

NO ...

IT CAN'T BE...

WELL DONE ...

... SHAUNA.

X!

YOU IN THE RED SUIT! WHAT DID YOU DO TO SHAUNA?!

SHE'S BEING CON-TROLLED BY THAT SWORD THINGIE!

!

Pokédex | Seen | Obtained

No. 681 AEGISLASH

Royal Sword Pokémon

Type: STEEL GHOST

Height: 5'07"

Weight: 116.8 lbs

Generations of kings were attended by these Pokémon, which used their spectral power to manipulate and control people and Pokémon.

...I **WILL** DEFEAT YOU.

BUT UNLIKE THOSE TWO...

I HAVE TAKEN OVER THIS MISSION FROM ALIANA AND MABLE.

MY NAME IS CELOSIA. I'M ONE OF THE TEAM FLARE SCIENTISTS.

SHE USED SHAUNA TO GET THAT ...?!

THAT'S THE STONE FROM KANGA'S POCKET!

...AND THAT SHE WAS SEARCHING FOR HER LOST FURFROU.

WE FOUND OUT THAT SHAUNA WANTED TO BE A FURFROU GROOM-ER...

WITH THAT INFOR-MATION, IT WAS EASY TO TRACK YOU DOWN.

YOU RECORDED YOUR NAMES AND ADDRESSES WHEN YOU CHECKED INTO THAT INN.

EVEN THOUGH SHE HAD HER GUARD UP, IT WAS EASY TO TRICK HER BY GIVING HER JUST WHAT SHE WANTED...

...IT WAS CHILD'S PLAY TO USE AEGISLASH TO MANIPU-LATE HER.

SO...

IT WAS ALL SIMPLE AFTER THAT.

...AND GETTING RID OF THE GYM LEADER...

STEAL-ING THE STONE ...

IM-PRESSED, ARE YOU ...?

SHAU-NA!

YOU'LL HAVE TO WAIT A LITTLE LONGER THOUGH...

AFTER ALL, YOUR FRIENDS ARE STILL STANDING.

SPLENDID. YOU'RE COMING ROUND.

DID... I DO THIS? IS THIS MY FAULT?

THAT'S RIGHT ...

GOOD GIRL...

AAAAH!

TRIP

STOP IT!

SMAK

CHNK

AAAAH!

OH MY...

IT SEEMS THE STRESS OF FIGHTING TO REGAIN CONTROL HAS FINALLY GOTTEN TO HER...

SHAUNA !

FWUMP

...SO I DON'T CARE.

BUT I'VE ALREADY MANAGED TO OBTAIN THE MEGA STONE...

X, DON'T MAKE ANY CARELESS MISTAKES!

IT'S BECAUSE I'VE GOT THIS RING THAT SHAUNA ...

IT'S ...

SHAUNA ...

... EVERY-THING AWAY FROM US!

THEY'RE THE ONES WHO ARE TRYING TO TAKE...

THIS ISN'T YOUR FAULT! THEY **USED** SHAUNA!

KANGA WON'T MEGA EVOLVE ...

I KNEW IT!

...EVEN THOUGH X AND LI'L KANGA ARE CONNECTED!

MAYBE THE MEGA EVOLUTION ISN'T HAPPENING BECAUSE THE ENEMY HAS THE STONE?!

AAARGH!

SPOKEN LIKE A TRUE KEY STONE HOLDER! ♡

I'LL FIGHT WITHOUT THE MEGA EVOLUTION AND DEFEAT THEM!

I DON'T CARE!

SMASH

SLAM

I'M HERE TO HELP.

JUST KID-DING. ♡

WHO ...?

TP



Adventure #8
Lucky Lucario Was Here





ITS APPEARANCE CHANGED JUST LIKE X'S KANGA AND LI'L KANGA!

THAT POKÉMON IS LUCARIO! AND THAT'S...

...CAN DO THAT?!

OTHER POKÉ-MON ...

LET'S GO!

JUMP

ZOOMP

AEGI-SLASH...

...SLASH!

SLASH

WHERE DID YOU LEARN ABOUT MEGA EVOLUTION?

I HAD NO IDEA OTHER POKÉMON COULD MEGA EVOLVE!

I HAVE HIGH EXPECTATIONS FOR YOU AS A FELLOW STUDENT OF SCIENCE...

...TREVOR.

WHAT A SMART BOY YOU ARE. I CAN SEE WHY YOU DREAM OF BECOMING A POKÉMON RESEARCHER.

YOU MUST HAVE OVERHEARD ALIANA AND MABLE.

!

TREVOR!

FLAP

I DON'T KNOW, Y!

AND WHO IS **SHE**?! IS SHE ON THEIR SIDE OR OURS?!

I CAN'T HAVE YOU ZONING OUT AS WELL!

PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER!

I ASKED HER TO COME HERE. SHE'S THE GYM LEADER OF SHALOUR CITY.

KORRINA ...

OUR SIDE ...

VIOLA ...?

I WAS WATCHING YOU TRAIN OUTSIDE TOWN...

...AND I NOTICED SOME-THING ...

LET'S GO OVER WHAT WE KNOW SO FAR.

I'VE SEEN THAT STONE IN HIS BRACELET BEFORE. BUT WHERE...?

OH, THAT'S RIGHT... IT'S...

IT'S THE SAME STONE I SAW ON KORRINA'S GLOVE!

...

SO YOU ASKED HER TO COME HERE ...?

THEN I REALIZED THAT IT WAS THE SAME STONE AS THE ONE IN X'S BRACELET! SO...

I'VE KNOWN KORRINA FOR QUITE SOME TIME NOW, BUT I NEVER GAVE THAT STONE MUCH THOUGHT.

LOUSY TIMING THOUGH...

AND SHE DID.

I HAVE EXCELLENT TIMING, VIOLA.

NAH...

POWER-UP PUNCH!

I'M THINK-ING ... ...THE LATTER.

... ANOTHER LUCKY CATCH?

... OR ... SHOULD I VIEW YOU AS AN UNEXPECTED PROBLEM...

EXACTLY. WELL... FIGHTING-TYPE MOVES DON'T HAVE MUCH EFFECT ON IT. IS IT A GHOST TYPE?

I GOT THE MEGA STONE FROM KANGAS-KHAN...

AND NOW ANOTHER MEGA EVOLUTION TRAINER COMES PRANCING IN...

HOW LUCKY CAN I GET?!

HUH?! SHE'S TALKING AS IF I'M EASY PREY!

I DON'T LIKE HER ATTI-TUDE!

HEY, LET'S MEGA EVOLVE AND DEFEAT HER!

BUT FIRST WE'LL HAVE TO GET YOUR STONE BACK...

AND ONCE WE DRIVE HER AWAY, YOU'VE GOT TO TELL ME... ♡

...ALL ABOUT YOUR SUCCES-SION.

WAS IT EXCITING?

?

?

I'VE BEEN LOOKING FORWARD TO HEARING ALL ABOUT IT.

Pst

ANYHOW, HERE'S THE PLAN...!

Pst

I'LL GET HER ATTENTION AND...

Pst

...YOU SNEAK UP ON HER AND GET YOUR STONE BACK!

Pst

THE END!

THAT'S IT?

THAT'S IT! LET'S GO!

IT'S A SKATER TRICK!

PARAL-LEL SWIZZLE?

A PAR-AL-LEL SWIZ-ZLE!

ZUIP

ZUIP

COSMIC FLIP!

BACK-FLIP!

360!

I HAVE TO WORK EVEN HARDER TO BE A SUITABLE TRAINER FOR IT NOW!

MY POKÉMON HAS EVOLVED BEYOND ITS NORMAL LIMIT!

AMAZING!

KA SHA ASH

A TRAINER WORTHY OF TRAINING MEGA LUCARIO!

SO THAT'S WHAT IT IS...

I SEE... THE AURA RISING FROM LUCARIO IS PROTECTING THOSE BRATS.

HA HA HA! YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO GET YOUR STONE BACK THAT WAY...

WHA— ?!

OOPS!

WFF

KREEEP

A DIRECT HIT! AND IT FLINCHED!

MEGA... LUCARIO ?!

IT'S NOT WORKING! WHY DOESN'T AEGISLASH'S SPECTRAL POWER HAVE ANY EFFECT ON THEM...?

...WHY ISN'T IT TRY-ING TO CONTROL US LIKE IT CON-TROLLED SHAUNA?

THAT POKÉMON HAS THE POWER TO MANIPULATE PEOPLE, SO...

ODD...

THIS IS ...?!

SPIDER-MAN

GO AHEAD AND STRUG-GLE.

FLIP

THE MORE YOU STRUG-GLE, THE MORE YOU STICK!

IT'S MY SURSKIT'S STICKY WEB!

SNAG

AAAH!

NOW, X!

HE GOT IT BACK!

WZZZZ

WU WUWU

SO THAT'S ITS NAME AFTER IT TRANS-FORMS ...?

MEGA KANGAS-KHAN...!

MEGA LUCARIO AND MEGA KANGAS-KHAN ARE STANDING SIDE BY SIDE!

THIS IS **SO** COOL!

MEGA EVO-LU-TION.

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME X MANAGED TO PULL THIS OFF SINCE VANIVILLE TOWN...

THE FIRST TIME HE'S BEEN ABLE TO ORDER HIS POKÉMON TO MEGA EVOLVE...

X MUST BE EXCITED ABOUT HIS NEW SKILL AND VICTORY!

AND IT'S PRETTY OBVIOUS THAT...

...HIS POKÉMON ARE TOO!

THUUM

BOING

RM BL

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I HAVE TO MAKE IT DEFEND ITSELF!

NO!

SMASH

SMASH

SMASH

AEGISLASH, USE YOUR **STANCE CHANGE** ABILITY!

KING'S SHIELD!

CLANG

CLANG

NGH

NOT BAD...

SLAP

IT WON'T BE ABLE TO HOLD OUT FOR LONG!

LOOK AT THAT ATTACK!

SERI-OUSLY?!

WE... UH... PST PST...

WHAT? REALLY? NOT AT ALL? THEN HOW DID YOU GET AHOLD OF THAT BRACELET?

...I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT A "SUCCES-SION" IS...

BUT...

IT'S BECAUSE YOU HELPED ME GET THE STONE BACK.

...IF THAT MAN WAS YOUR GRAND-FATHER... THEN, YES.

UM...

REALLY?! YOU GOT IT FROM MY GRANDFATHER?!

...

FPPT

FPPT

SNKT

THAT WAS A POKÉ-MON TOO!

THAT'S THE SWORD SHAUNA WAS HOLDING...!

FSSHF

ZIP

LET'S GO BACK.

FOOOSH

YOU WON'T BE able TO TAKE ON TWO MEGA-EVOLVED POKÉMON AT THE SAME TIME.

STAND DOWN, HON-EDGE.

RMBL

RMBL

I MUST BE CAREFUL NOT TO LET THAT HAPPEN AGAIN.

I GOT CARRIED AWAY AND LOST MY FOCUS.

MY MY...

WOOMPWOOMPWOOMP

VIOLA... I... I...

IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT, SHAUNA.

IT'S NOTHING SERIOUS. IT'S ONLY A SCRATCH.

I'M SO GLAD YOU'RE ALL RIGHT, SHAUNA!

HEY, SHE WOKE UP!

NO! IT **IS** SHAUNA'S FAULT!

Y...

DO YOU REMEMBER WHAT THE FIFTH DON'T WAS?

YOU READ IT TOO, DIDN'T YOU? OUR FIVE DON'TS!

... MUST AL-WAYS STAY TOGE-THER...

DON'T LEAVE YOUR FRIENDS. THE FIVE OF US MUST

THE FIVE OF US...

...YOUR FRIENDS.

... LEAVE ...

DON'T ...

YES ...

DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA HOW WOR-RIED WE WERE ?!

YOU SHOULD BE!

SO SORRY.

I'M SORRY.

SORRY.

...I SHOULD HAVE LISTENED TO **YOU** MORE TOO. SO I... I...

BUT ...

Y-EY!

I'M SORRY TOO, SHAUNA !!

HERE. YOU CAN HAVE THESE.

WE'VE MANAGED TO DRIVE THE ENEMY AWAY, SO YOU'D BETTER KEEP MOVING AND GET A HEAD START.

OH WELL. WHAT'S DONE IS DONE.

AH, YOUTH ...

OOH, YOU KNOW YOUR STUFF! THAT'S RIGHT!

CLIP-ON ROLLER SKATES YOU ATTACH TO YOUR SHOES, RIGHT?!

ROLLER SKATES!

NOPE ...

SO KANGASKHAN ISN'T THE ONLY POKÉMON WHO CAN MEGA EVOLVE...?

HA HA... ♡

I'M A MEMBER OF THE ROLLER SKATE PROMOTION ASSOCIA-TION.

I'VE EVEN HEARD OF A TRAINER WHO HAS SEVERAL MEGA EVOLUTION POKÉMON!

THAT'S RIGHT. THERE ARE TONS OF THEM. ♡

...AN IDEA...

I HAVE...

...A "MEGA EVOLUTION MASTER" WHO WIELDS ALL KINDS OF MEGA EVOLUTION POKÉMON!

AN IMAGE OF X BECOMING ...

IT COULD BE REALLY IMPOR-TANT!

YOU SHOULD LEARN MORE ABOUT MEGA EVOLUTION FROM KORRINA.

X!!

THAT'S OUT OF THE QUES-TION!

...THE TRAINER WHO WAS GIVEN THE KEY STONE.

I CAME HERE BECAUSE VIOLA ASKED ME TO MEET...

WHAT ?!

...WON'T TEACH YOU!

I...

THAT'S HOW I GOT THIS— MY MEGA GLOVE.

MEGA EVOLUTION IS PASSED DOWN THROUGH A PROPER RITUAL.

BUT HE'S NO LEGITI-MATE SUCCES-SOR!

BUT AS FAR AS I CAN TELL, YOU'RE NOT WORTHY OF IT.

TO BE HONEST, I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY MY GRANDFATHER, GURU GURKINN, GAVE YOU THE MEGA RING.

...WHAT THE WORD "SUCCESSOR" MEANS...OR WHY IT CARRIES SO MUCH WEIGHT...

I DON'T UNDER-STAND ...

GOOD-BYE!

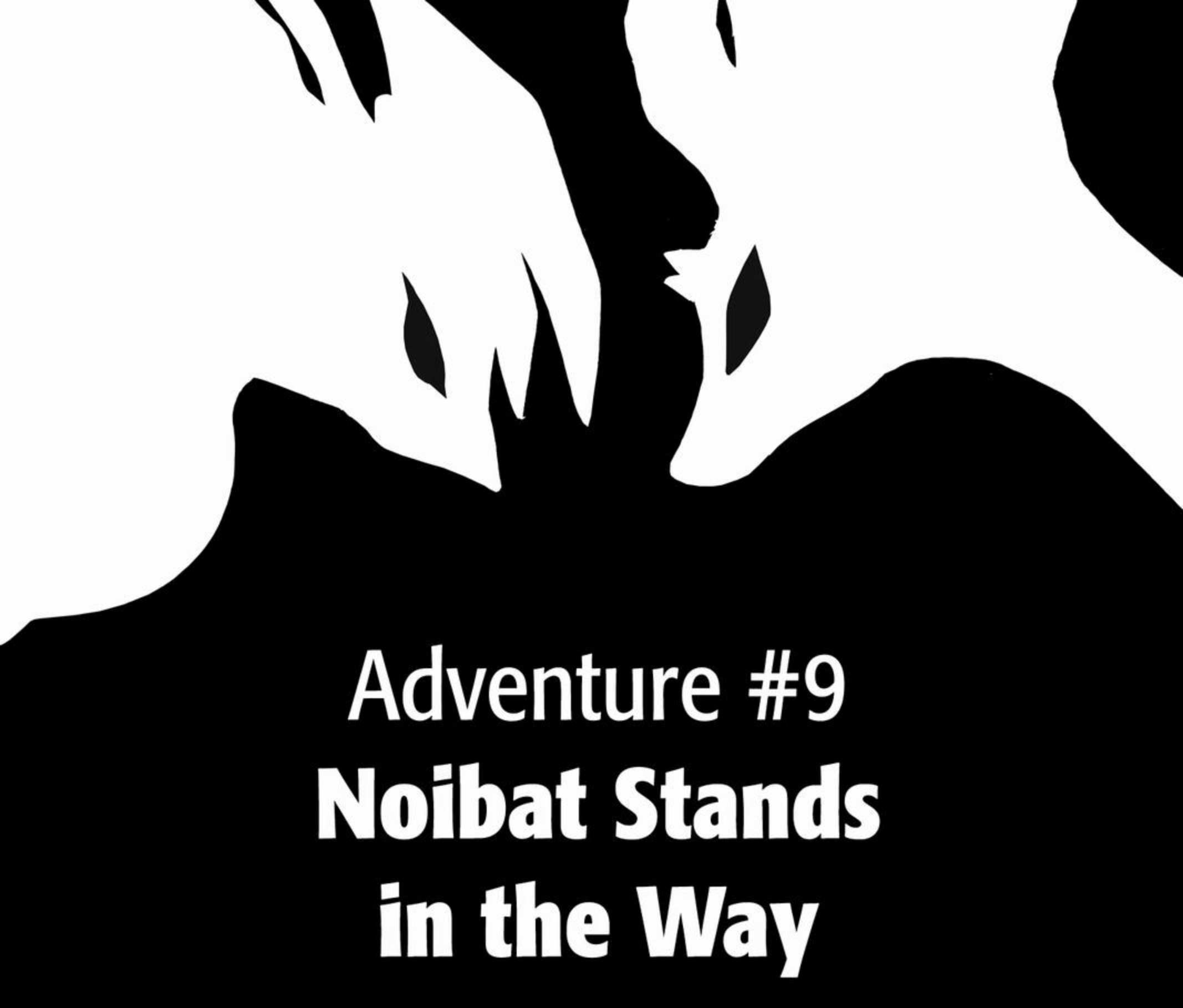
Current Location

Santalune City

Many beginning Trainers gather in this friendly city to start a Pokémon journey.

Route 4
Parterre Way

This famed path's perfectly designed and executed gardens are its highlight and a special point of pride.



Adventure #9
Noibat Stands in the Way

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SOME-
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SKOOM

WHAT'S
WRONG
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WZZZZZZ

Mega

A NOI-BAT !!

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Type:
Height:
Weight:
Even a robust wrestler will become diz
and unable to stand when exposed to i

Vrrm!!

I'LL ATTACK IT WITH ELEC-TRICITY BEFORE IT GETS ME WITH THE ULTRA-SONIC WAVE!!

ZZZT

THUN-DER-BOLT !!

IT'S TURNING BACK SINCE IT FOUND THAT IT'S NO MATCH FOR X.

IT'S RUN-NING AWAY.

...IS UNDER THE SHEET OF CLOTH AS ALWAYS.

X...

THANKS FOR PROTECT-ING US ALL THE TIME, X.

HE HAS MANAGED TO CONTROL ITS POWER AND CAN MEGA EVOLVE HIS POKÉMON AS HE WANTS TO NOW, BUT...

THE MEGA RING ON HIS LEFT ARM...

...WILL PROBABLY CONTINUE TO ATTACK US.

BUT THOSE PEOPLE IN THE RED SUITS...

PROB-ABLY.

NO ONE SAW THAT, RIGHT?

SOME-ONE HURRY UP AND COR-RECT THAT!

PSST

PSST

PSST

...

AS THEY ALL SAY, "WALLS HAVE EYES."

WHAT?

WE MAY HAVE GOTTEN CLOSER TO THE SECRET OF THE RING, BUT WHO KNOWS WHO MIGHT BE WATCHING US RIGHT NOW.

...I FEEL LIKE I'VE MANAGED TO HOLD UP THANKS TO THIS TEAM OF FIVE.

YOU NEVER SAY ANYTHING EXCEPT AT TIMES LIKE THIS!

BUT...

EARS...

WHO'S THERE ?!

EEEK !!

SHAA

YOU !!

SO SOME-ONE WAS WATCH-ING US AFTER ALL!!

SHOOT !!

THAT WAS AN INCREDIBLE BATTLE!!

I WAS WATCH-ING YOU!!!

S T

AHH, NO. WAIT, WAIT!!

I'M NOT A SHADY GUY OR ANY-THING!!

YES, YOU'RE RIGHT BUT ...

SHADY PEOPLE DON'T INTRODUCE THEMSELVES AS "HI, I'M A SHADY GUY"!

Klik Klik Klik

KEEP AN EYE ON THE TOP OF THAT DOME.

SEEING IS BELIEVING. IT'S PROBABLY EASIER IF YOU SAW IT.

THAT SOUNDS EVEN SHADI-ER!

I JUST WANT TO INVITE TRAINERS TO A NEW FACILITY THAT HAS RECENTLY BEEN COMPLETED.

FWOO

FWOO

FWOOOm

OOH! YOU KNOW ABOUT IT! I'M THE PUBLICIST FOR THE ST!!

THAT'S THE SUPER TRAINING... THE ST!!

AHHH! I KNOW THAT!

WHAT DO YOU THINK ?!

PLEASE DROP BY FOR A VISIT!!

Courtesy Ticket

THIS IS OUR PRE-OPENING AND WE'RE CURRENTLY INVITING CUSTOMERS FOR FREE!!

HA HA HA, EVERYONE SAYS THAT.

WOW!

IT'S LIKE A SOCCER STADIUM!

PLEASE!

PSST

PSST

BUT EVEN IF WE WANTED TO HIDE OUR IDENTITIES, HE ALREADY KNEW FROM THE START...

I-I KNOW, SHAU-NA.

WE DECIDED THAT WE WOULDN'T GO ANYWHERE WITH PEOPLE WE DON'T KNOW SO WE COULD TRAVEL SECRETLY!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "WOW,", TREVOR?!

PSST

PSST

PSST

IT'S AN HONOR FOR SOMEONE LIKE YOU TO COME HERE, X!!!

THE WINNER OF THE JUNIOR TOURNAMENT FROM A FEW YEARS AGO! THE BOY WHO WAS RUMORED TO BE A FUTURE GYM LEADER OR ELITE FOUR...

I REMEM-BERED WHEN I SAW YOUR BATTLE!

I'M NOT ALL RIGHT... BUT...

U-UM... ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, X?

...

THE TWO POKÉMON THAT DON'T BELONG TO ANYONE YET.

COULD YOU GET THEM OUT?

MY POKÉMON WOULD PROBABLY BE INTER-ESTED IN IT.

HE'S PLANNING TO ADD THOSE TWO POKÉMON TO HIS GROUP IN THE FUTURE FOR WHATEVER MAY BE WAITING FOR US IN THIS JOUR-NEY...

X-EY SEEMS TO BE THINKING POSITIVELY TOO.

OKAY!

LET'S START!!

OKAY!

A GOAL WILL APPEAR ON THE SURFACE OF THIS BALLOON BOT AND YOU HAVE TO GET THE BALLS INTO IT!!

FWOOO

FWOOO

THAT IS THE BALLOON BOT I JUST SHOWED.

KRRRRT

SUPER TRAINING START!!

CHOOM CHOOM CHOOM CHOOM CHOOM

OOOH! NICE!!

CHOOM CHOOM CHOOM CHOOM

SO YOU NEED TO DODGE ITS AT-TACKS AND...

Ra ta ta ta

THE BALLOON BOT WILL FIRE BALLS AT YOU TOO!!

THUNK

...SHOOT !!

BWOOSH

Rrm

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THE TRAINING IS COMPLETE ONCE THE BALLOON BOT FLIES UP INTO THE AIR!!

Ting!

CON-GRATU-LATIONS !!

IF THE BASE POINT OF AN ATTACK IS HIGHER, A MOVE WILL BECOME MORE POWERFUL COMPARED TO WHEN IT IS USED BY THE SAME POKÉMON WITH THE SAME LEVEL.

YOUR POKÉMON'S ATTACK BASE POINT HAS RISEN BY TRAINING AGAINST THE AXEW BALLOON BOT.

FEEL FREE TO TELL ME IF YOU WANT TO TRY IT OUT.

YOU CAN ALSO TRAIN YOUR POKÉMON'S "SPEED," "SPECIAL ATTACK," "DEFENSE, "SPECIAL DEFENSE," AND "HP."

AND THIS IS THE PRIZE YOU GET FOR PARTICIPATING IN THE TRAINING. ATTACK BAG S!

IT'S APPARENTLY CALLED CORE TRAINING.

IS THIS FOR A POKÉMON TO TRAIN ON THEIR OWN...?

YOU WANT TO GIVE IT A TRY?

Shf Shf

SIGH.

THUNK THOK

X HAS BECOME A LOT MORE ACTIVE THAN BEFORE, YOU KNOW.

HUMPH ...!

Y-EY'S TRAINING TOO. LOOK.

SOUNDS GOOD. OH? WHERE'S Y?

HOW DOES THE HP REGIMEN SOUND?

WHY DON'T WE LET FROAKIE TRAIN TOO?

SHE LOSES HER SENSE OF FLYING IF SHE DOESN'T TRAIN FOR A FEW DAYS.

SHE SAID SHE HASN'T HAD ENOUGH TIME TO TRAIN SINCE WE LEFT ON THIS JOURNEY...

I WON'T FEEL SAFE UNLESS I SEARCH EVERY CORNER OF THIS STADIUM...

...TO BE SURE THAT NO ONE IS AFTER X'S RING.

I SAID I WAS GOING TO TRAIN BUT THAT'S NOT MY TRUE INTEN-TION.

THE REAL REASON I'M DOING THIS IS TO SCOUT AROUND!

...

...BUT THERE'S NO GUAR-ANTEE THAT WE CAN TRUST HIM.

AND EVEN IF HE HAS NOTH-ING TO DO WITH THE RED SUITS...

THAT PUBLICIST SEEMS LIKE A NICE MAN...

WAS THAT REALLY A WILD POKÉMON ?

THE NOIBAT THAT ATTACKED US BEFORE WE CAME TO THIS STADIUM...

?!

TREVOR !!

I SHOULD WARN TREVOR AND THE OTHERS ABOUT IT TOO!!

RIGHT ...!

THERE COULD BE A POSSIBILITY THAT IT WAS SENT BY THOSE RED SUITS WHO ARE AFTER US...!

SOME-THING'S WRONG!

WHAT? MY VOICE...!

I NEED TO TELL EVERYONE ABOUT THIS!

MY VOICE WON'T REACH MY EARS, AS IF I'M IN A POOL OF WATER.

THERE'S SOME-THING WRONG WITH MY EARS!

IT'S NOT MY VOICE !

SHA

KOFF!

RED SUITS!!

I KNEW IT...!!

Thunkt

ALL THIS TIME WE HAVE BEEN EMITTING A VERY WEAK ULTRASONIC WAVE THAT CANNOT BE HEARD.

...SO WE COULD BEGIN OUR OPERATION!

WE USED THAT BATTLE TO FIGURE OUT WHERE YOU WERE...

YOU MAY HAVE THOUGHT YOU DROVE US AWAY BY DEALING WITH THE NOIBAT IN THE FIRST BATTLE, BUT YOU'RE WRONG!

...HAVE GRADUALLY LOST THEIR SENSE OF HEARING.

YOU AND THE KIDS BELOW...

FLETCHY !!

FLETCHY !!

WHAT MUST I DO ...?!

IT'S NO USE! IT CAN'T HEAR ME!!

...YOU PROBABLY CAN'T HEAR OUR VOICES!

BUT EVEN THOUGH I'VE EXPLAINED IT TO YOU...

AH!

AHH, THIS IS FRUSTRA-TING!!

OWW !

ARE YOU LISTENING TO ME? Y-EY IS BEING ATTACKED BY THE RED SUITS!!

TREVS! DO YOUR EARS FEEL WEIRD?

WHEN'S THE TRAINING GOING TO START?

Y!!

BUBBLE !!

FAKE OUT!!

FAIRY WIND!

COR-PHISH !!

NEKO!

BOM BOM BOM

WE HAVE TO HELP HER!! FLABÉBÉ !!

X!! WHAT ABOUT X...?!

UMM, "BUBBLE" AS IN...

IT'S NOT WORKING!! OUR POKÉMON CAN'T HEAR EITHER!!

FAKE OUT!! F-A-K-E O-U-T!!

SHA

Tap

Shup

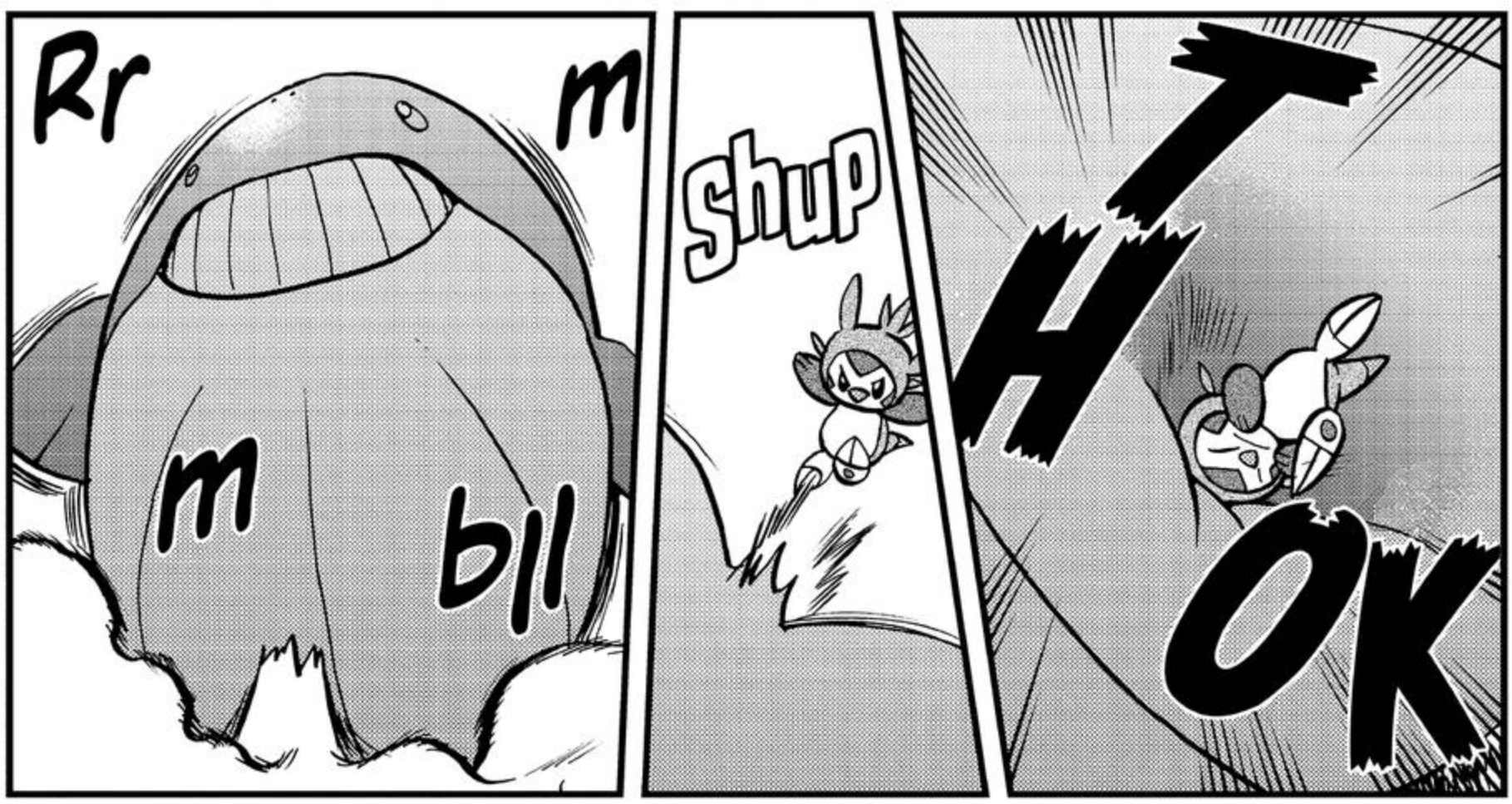
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X-EY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?! Y-EY'S OVER THERE!!

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BWOSH!!

WHOA !!

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SWAP!!

BY THE WAY, I WAS FILMING X'S TRAINING AND WAS WONDERING IF WE COULD USE IT FOR OUR TV COMMERCIAL.

OH MY, I'M GLAD YOU'RE ALL RIGHT.

Sh UP

Gsh Gsh

WE CONTINUE TO MOVE FORWARD WHILE KEEPING A LOW PROFILE TO GET TO THE TRUTH. WE ARE VERY NEAR LUMIOSE CITY, WHERE THE AUTHORITY IN POKÉMON RESEARCH LIVES...!!

THERE IS A DARK SHADOW LOOMING OVER KALOS, BUT WE DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT. ALL WE KNOW IS THAT THEY ARE AFTER X'S RING.



Adventure #10
What Does Charmander Do when It Dozes



WE'RE CURRENTLY AT THE END OF ROUTE 4, ON PARTERRE WAY.

BUT I KNOW I WAS THE **MOST** EXCITED OF US ALL!

WE HAD MET KORRINA A FEW DAYS AGO. THAT WAS REALLY EXCITING FOR ALL OF US!

THE TRAINER'S STONE IS THE **KEY** STONE.

THE POKÉ-MON'S STONE IS THE **MEGA** STONE.

I LEARNED THE NAMES OF THE STONES RELATED TO MEGA EVOLUTION.

BECAUSE NOW I KNOW WHAT THEY'RE CALLED!

THAT MEANS THERE ARE DIFFERENT WAYS OF HOLDING IT.

KORRINA'S KEY STONE WASN'T EMBEDDED IN A RING—IT WAS ON HER GLOVE.

LET ME GUESS...

AND I'VE COME UP WITH ANOTH-ER HYPOTH-ESIS TOO!

I'D LOVE TO TEST MY THEORY, BUT...

WHAT?

TRE-VOR...

...HOLDS THE MEGA STONE. AM I RIGHT...?

YOU WANT TO FIND OUT WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF A POKÉMON OTHER THAN KANGA...

YOU ALSO DISCOVERED THAT KANGA AND LI'L KANGA AREN'T THE ONLY POKÉMON WHO CAN MEGA EVOLVE.

SO...

YOU FOUND OUT THAT MEGA EVOLUTION IS ONLY POSSIBLE WHEN THE MEGA STONE AND KEY STONE ARE TO-GETHER.

WHAT ?!

I WOULDN'T MIND TESTING THAT THEORY MYSELF.

UM... RIGHT.

C'MON, LET'S DO IT! WE'LL START WITH CHESPIN...

REALLY?! THANKS!

IT'S PROBABLY BEST IF WE TEST IT NOW THEN.

LUMIOSE CITY IS ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THOSE WALLS, ISN'T IT?

KR CH

GO FOR IT, X!

HERE'S KANGA'S MEGA STONE.

NO THANKS.

X! DON'T YOU THINK IT'S TIME YOU ADDED CHESPIN TO YOUR —?

FWIP

FWAP

OR COULD IT BE BECAUSE... CHESPIN ISN'T OFFICIALLY X'S POKÉMON YET?

MAYBE CHESPIN ISN'T ONE OF THE POKÉMON WHO CAN MEGA EVOLVE?

I WONDER WHAT THE PROBLEM IS?

HMM... I GUESS IT'S NOT THAT SIMPLE...

...BEING ONE OF MY POKÉMON ISN'T ALL IT'S CRACKED UP TO BE.

LIKE I SAID...

?

WHAT'S THE MAT-TER...?

YOU SHOULD CONSIDER CHESPIN'S FEELINGS TOO!

THERE HE GOES AGAIN ...

FWUMP

FROAKIE'S STARING AT IT REALLY INTENTLY ...

IT'S A POKÉ-MON.

SNRTTTZZ

KRCKL

FFF

SPT

BANG

OH

BLOOP
BLOOP

STOP! YOU MUSTN'T RUN AROUND LIKE THAT! YOU'LL ONLY SPREAD THE FLAMES!

OH NO!

TOSS

GOOD JOB!

I THINK SHAUNA'S RIGHT.

YEAH ...

...I THINK THEY KNEW EACH OTHER ALREADY.

ACTU-ALLY ...

THEY'VE BECOME SUCH GOOD FRIENDS.

...OVER THE HOLO CASTER !

THIS MIGHT BE THE POKÉMON I SAW WHEN I WAS TALKING TO PROFESSOR SYCAMORE ...

WHAT IS IT, TREVOR ?

WAIT A MINUTE... MAYBE...

IT PROBABLY WON'T WORK, BUT...

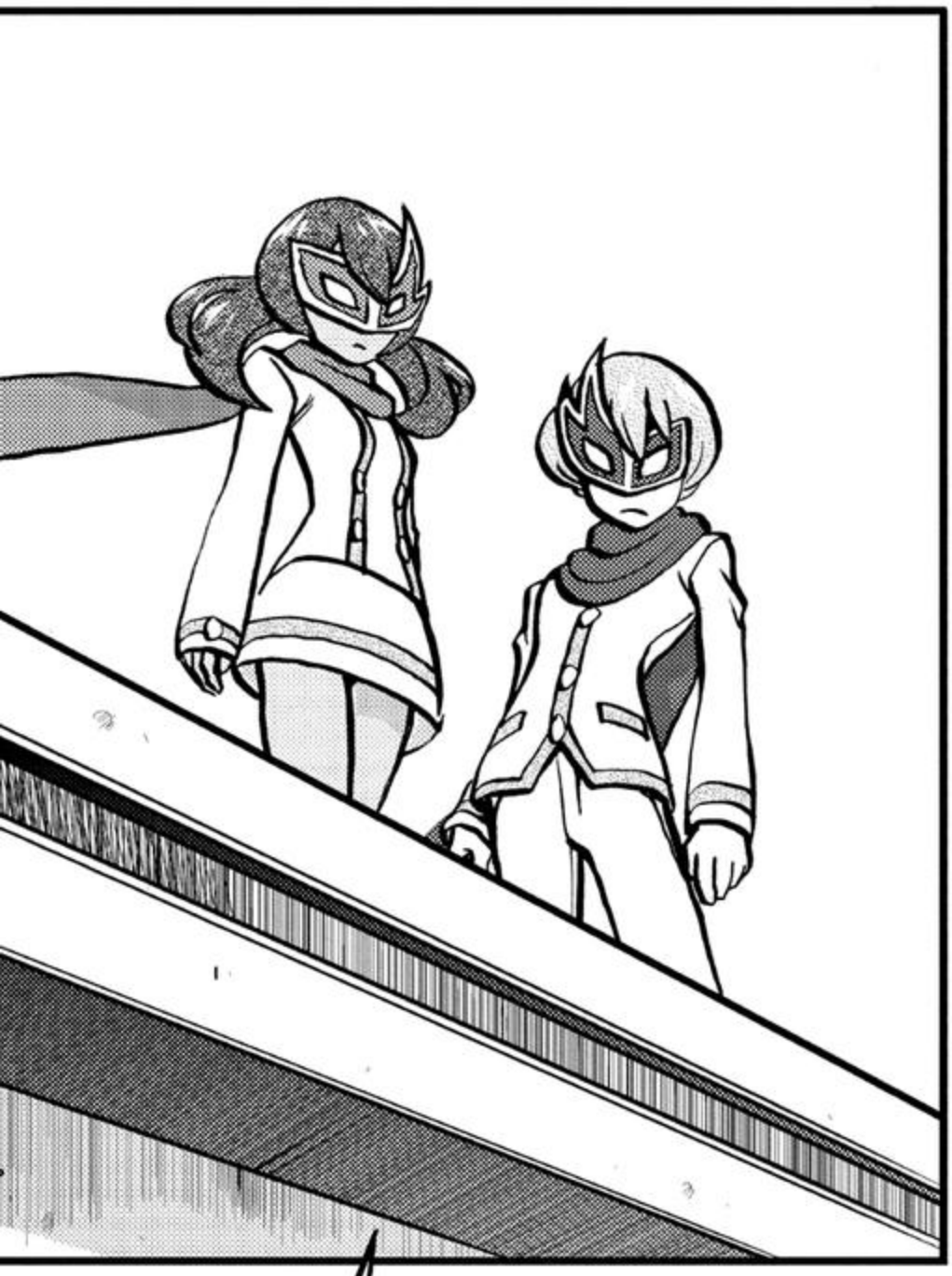
I HAVE AN IDEA ...

HEY, HEY, HEY! STOP IT, TREVOR!

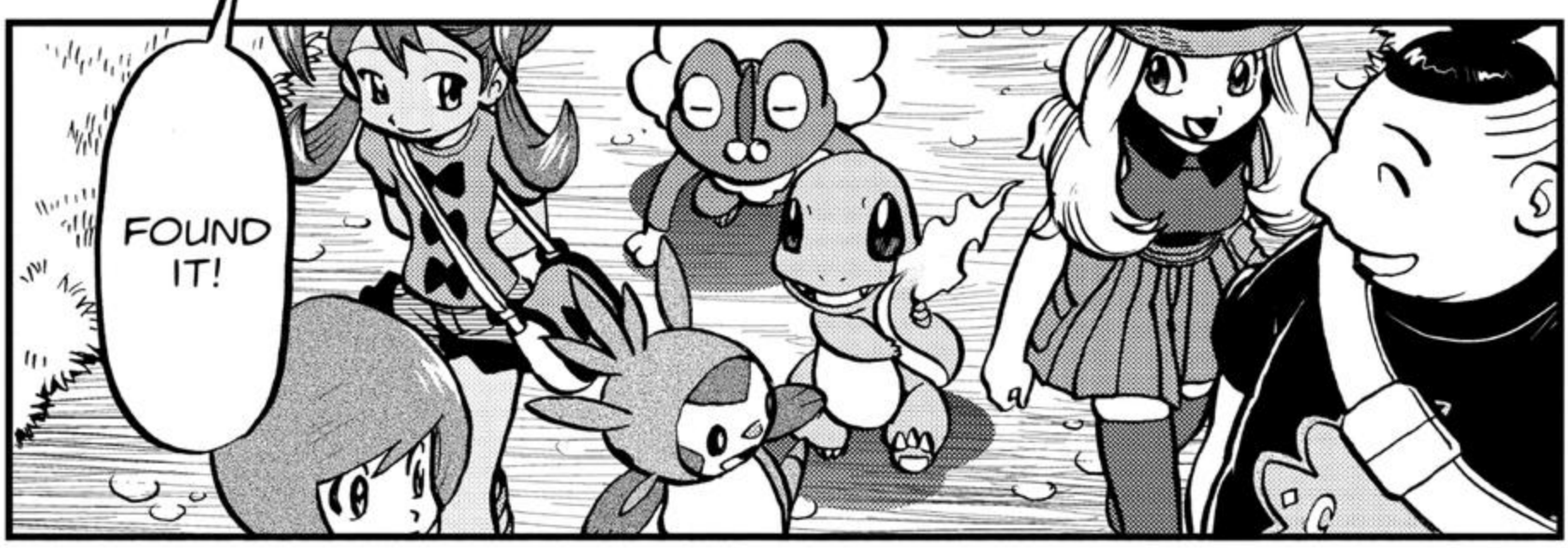
X! COULD YOU TRY AGAIN WITH **THIS** POKÉMON?!

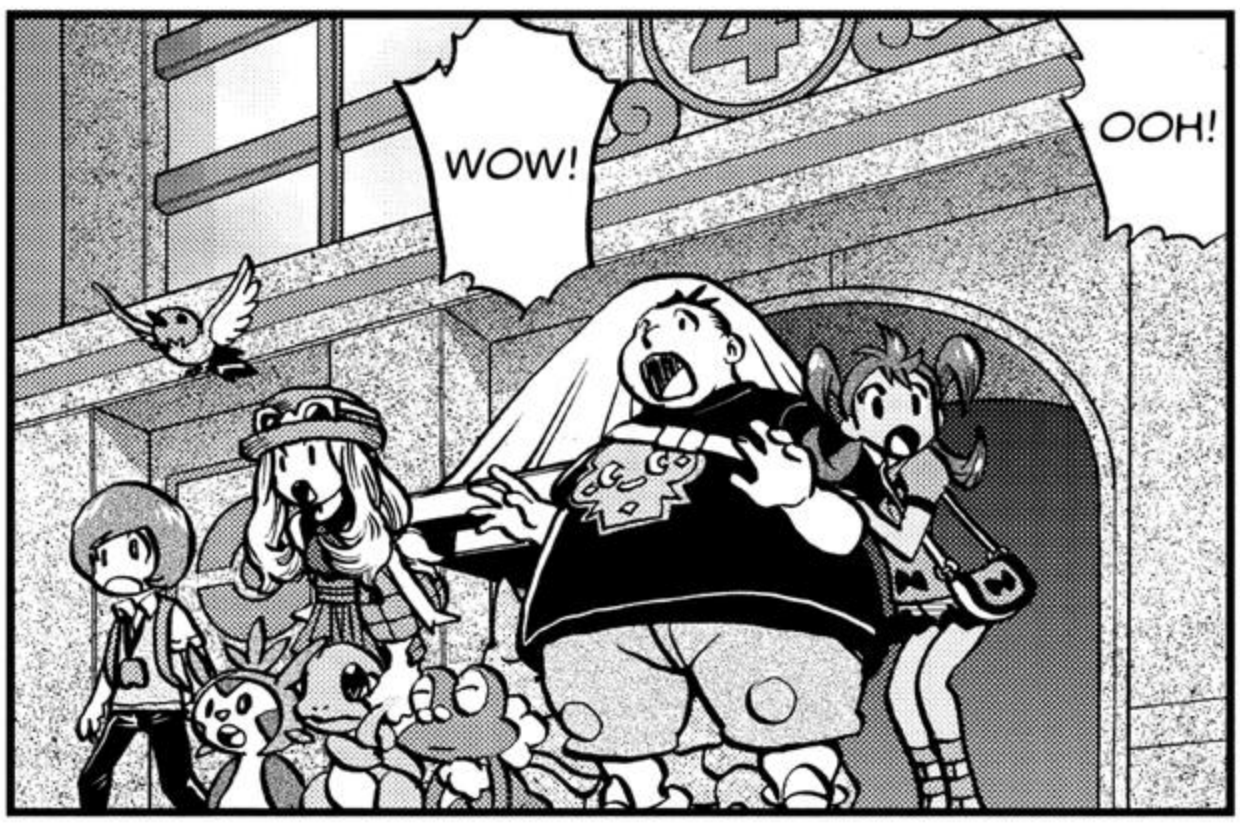
YOU MEAN... THESE THREE HAVE ALL MET BEFORE?

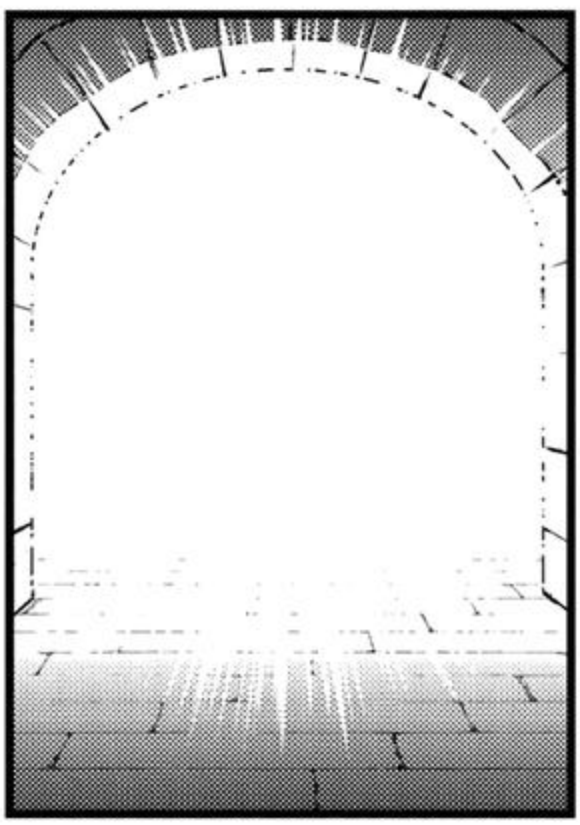
UH-HUH. NO DOUBT ABOUT IT.




HUH?! BUT THAT'S NOT MY INTEN-TION ...
THAT'S RIGHT! WHAT ARE YOU GONNA DO IF X-EY GOES BACK INTO SECLUSION?!
GIVE HIM SOME TIME.
BY THE WAY, TREVS... HAVE YOU FINISHED CHECKING OUT THE PHOTOS VIOLA GAVE YOU?


FOUND IT!


WOW!
OOH!



"A DAZZLING METROPOLIS OF ART AND ARTIFICE, LOCATED IN THE VERY HEART OF THE KALOS REGION!"

LUMIOSE CITY!

I DON'T KNOW WHERE TO START...

THIS CITY IS **SO BIG**!

WELL, I'VE NEVER MET PROFESSOR SYCAMORE IN PERSON. AND I HAVE NO IDEA WHERE HIS LABORATORY IS.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, TREVOR?!

...

WHAT A GREAT PLACE TO BE AN ARTIST... IF ONLY WE HAD TIME TO EXPLORE IT...

IT'S **HUGE**!

IT WAS A TOTAL COINCIDENCE.

HOW DO YOU KNOW HIM AGAIN?!

YOU MEAN...HE'S A STRANGER TO YOU? BUT HE GAVE YOU A POKÉMON... AND YOU'RE ONLY GOING TO MEET HIM FOR THE FIRST TIME NOW?

WAIT, WAIT!

WHAT ?!

I SEE ...

WE DON'T HAVE A COPY HERE. AND IT'S NOT IN OUR DATABASE EITHER.

I EVEN POSTED A MESSAGE ON AN ONLINE FORUM SAYING I WAS LOOKING FOR THAT RESEARCH PAPER...

BUT I DIDN'T GIVE UP. I KEPT ASKING PEOPLE ABOUT IT...

AND THEN ONE DAY ...

AS YOU KNOW, MY DREAM IS TO BECOME A POKÉMON RESEARCHER. THERE WAS AN ARTICLE THAT I REALLY WANTED TO READ...

IT WAS WRITTEN A FEW YEARS AGO BY A POKÉMON RESEARCHER IN ANOTHER REGION.

SYCAMORE

Could this be the article you're looking for?

90% OF ◆ POKÉMON ◆ EVOLVE

SINCE THEN, I'VE COMMUNICATED WITH HIM VIA HOLO CASTER...

NICE TO MEET YOU!

THAT EMAIL WAS MY FIRST CONNECTION TO PROFESSOR SYCAMORE.

THANK YOU SO MUCH!

90% OF ◆ POKÉMON EVOLVE

I'LL SEND YOU A TEXT FILE OF IT VIA EMAIL.

I CONSULTED IT DURING MY STUDIES TOO...

THIS RESEARCH PAPER WAS WRITTEN BY MY MENTOR.

I'M THRILLED THAT SOMEONE AS YOUNG AS YOU IS INTERESTED IN IT AS WELL!

MOST RECENTLY... ABOUT YOUR FRIEND WHO LOCKED HIMSELF IN HIS ROOM FOR YEARS, HUH?

UH... YEAH.

SINCE THEN, I'VE TURNED TO HIM FOR ADVICE NOW AND AGAIN.

DOES ANYONE **REALLY** BELIEVE WE'RE SAFE IN THIS BIG CITY?

WE'VE BEEN UNDER ATTACK ON EVERY ROUTE AND IN EVERY FACIL-ITY SINCE WE STARTED THIS JOURNEY.

HUH ?

ARE YOU SURE YOU CAN TRUST THIS MAN?

I GUESS THIS PROFESSOR'S COOL THEN. ALL WE NEED TO DO IS LOOK UP HIS ADDRESS IN THIS CITY TO FIND HIM.

UMM ...

I'LL COME ALONG IF I BELIEVE THAT PRO-FESSOR IS TRUST-WORTHY.

YOU'RE THE REASON WE'RE IN THIS MESS, YOU KNOW! AND DON'T YOU FORGET IT!

CAFÉ INTROVERSIO

I'M GOING TO STAY HERE AND THINK ABOUT IT FIRST...

RSTL RSTL

I WON'T LET YOU DO THAT!

"DON'T GO ANYWHERE WITH GROWN-UPS YOU DON'T KNOW."

"...LEAVE YOUR FRIENDS. THE FIVE OF US MUST ALWAYS STAY TO-GETHER."

"DON'T ...

WE'D LIKE IT BACK.

CALM DOWN, Y...

THIS IS SOMEONE TREVOR KNOWS. AND HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO FIGURE OUT IF WE CAN TRUST HIM OR NOT IF WE DON'T AT LEAST MEET WITH HIM?

THAT CHAR-MANDER YOU STOLE...

WHO ARE THEY ?!

FWSSSH

YOINK

HIYA!

T-TMP

DID THEY SAY, "STOLE" ?!

"STOLE" ?!

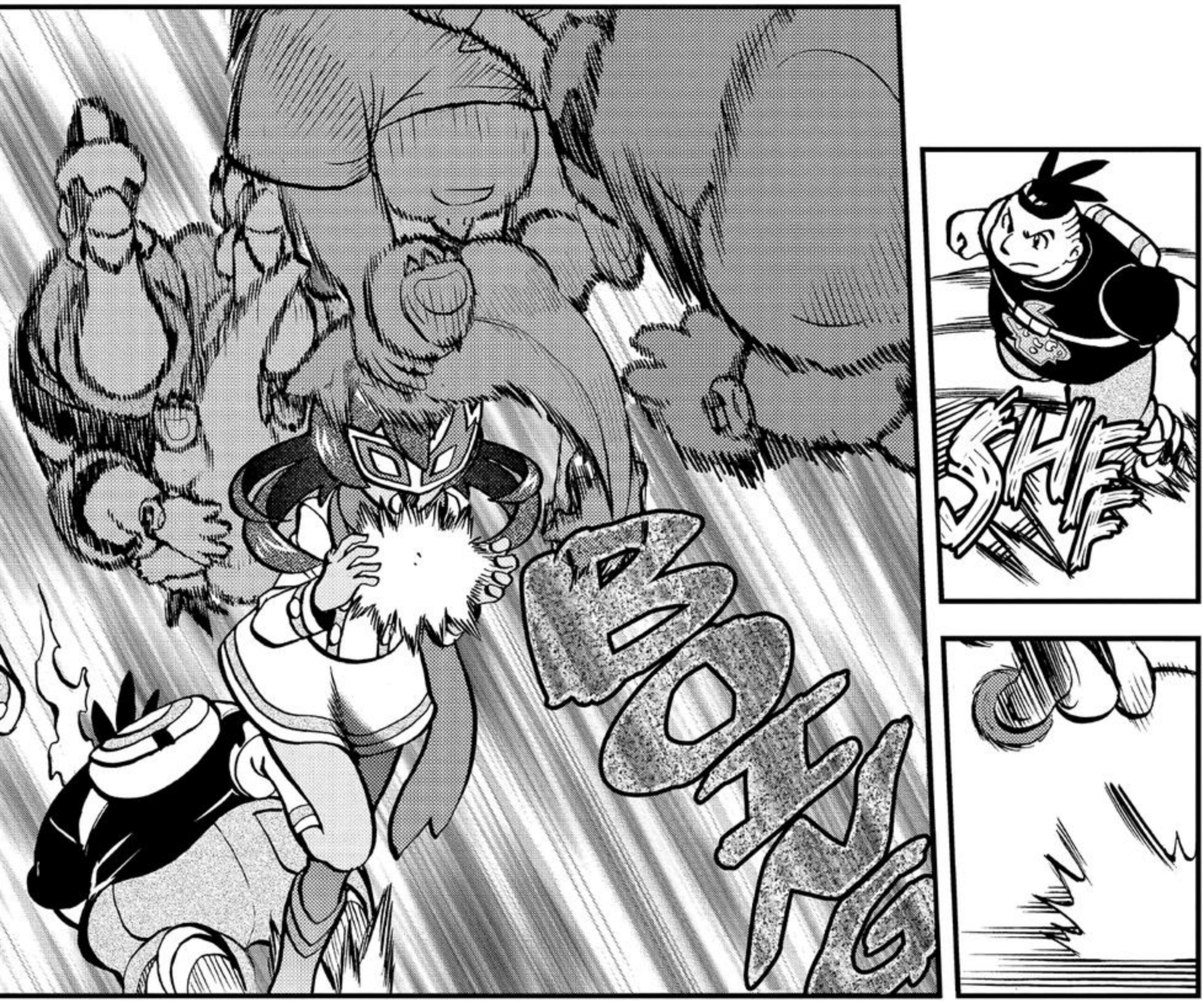
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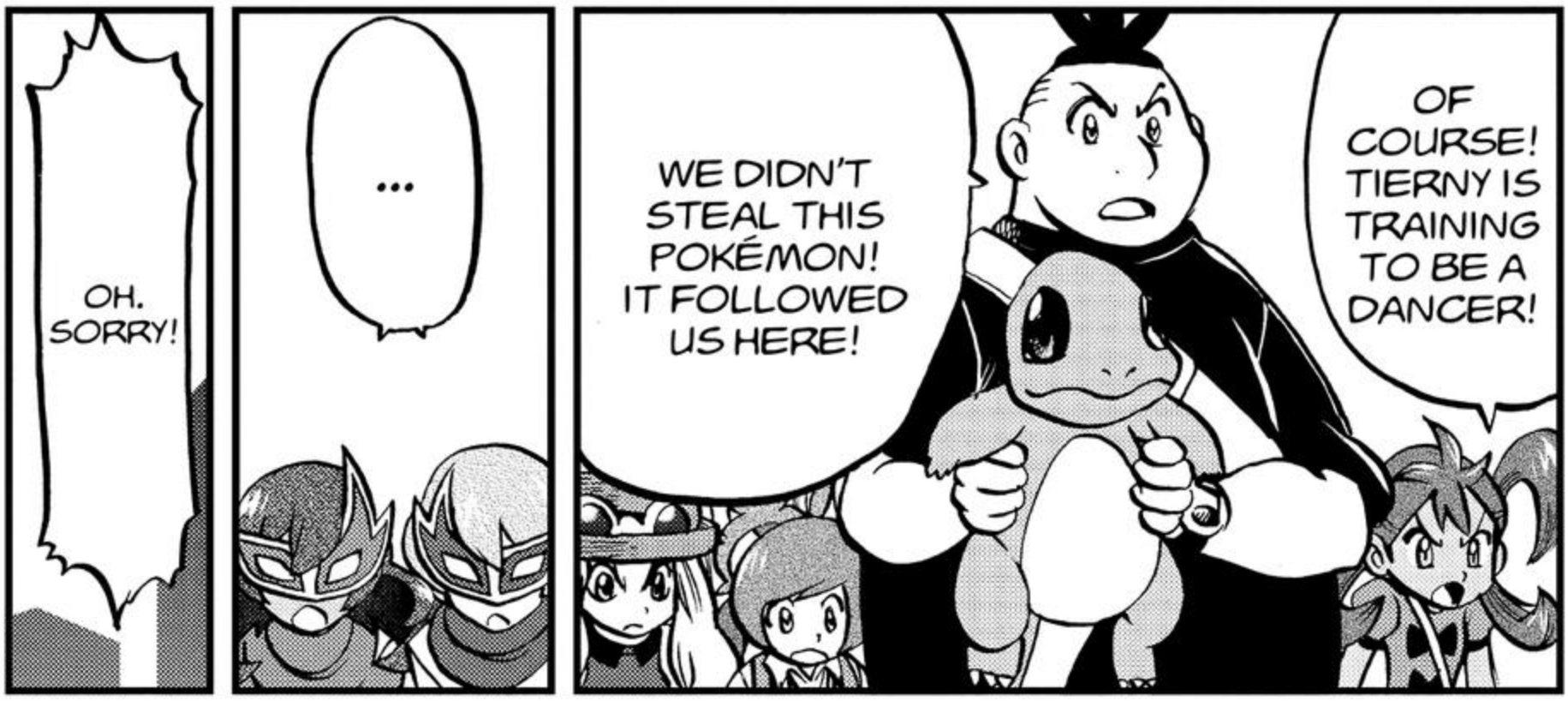
T-TWRZY-!

WZZZ

HUH ?!


SHF
BOING


WHAT GRACEFUL MOVES!


OH. SORRY!
...
WE DIDN'T STEAL THIS POKÉMON! IT FOLLOWED US HERE!
OF COURSE! TIERNY IS TRAINING TO BE A DANCER!

I'VE BEEN WORRIED ABOUT YOU EVER SINCE THAT INCIDENT IN YOUR HOME-TOWN, TREVOR!

YOU'VE TRAVELED SUCH A LONG WAY!

PRO-FES-SOR ...

YOU MUST HAVE HAD A DIFFICULT TIME GETTING HERE...

I'M SO GLAD YOU'RE ALL RIGHT!

WE'VE HAD OUR OWN TROUBLES IN THIS CITY RECENTLY... LIKE MYSTERIOUS BLACK-OUTS.

OH, THAT WAS JUST A COINCI-DENCE...

I SEE YOU'VE CAPTURED THE CHARMANDER WHO ESCAPED FROM MY LAB A FEW DAYS AGO...

GULP

KOIE

WHY? WHAT COULD POSSIBLY MAKE YOU SUSPI-CIOUS OF ME...?

I HEARD YOU ARGUING ABOUT WHETHER I COULD BE TRUSTED OR NOT.

BY THE WAY ...

PLENTY OF STUFF.

I SEE.

...

...BUT **WE** DON'T.

TREVOR MIGHT KNOW YOU...

X, THAT'S ENOUGH ...

I'M SURE THESE POKÉMON DON'T WANT TO LIVE LIKE THAT.

THEY'LL GET ATTACKED.

THEY'LL GET CHASED BY PAPARAZZI.

THERE'S NO ADVANTAGE TO BECOMING MY POKÉMON.

THAT'S ANOTHER STORY ...

IT APPEARS FROAKIE AND CHESPIN STILL DON'T HAVE A TRAINER...

YOU DON'T TRUST ME. AND THAT'S WHY YOU HAVEN'T ACCEPTED THESE POKÉMON AS YOURS YET.

HMM.

I GUESS THAT SEEMS AN INEVITABILITY TO YOU, EH? AFTER ALL, THAT HAS BEEN YOUR EXPERIENCE SO FAR.

ON THE OTHER HAND ...

HAVE YOU...

...GIVEN ANY THOUGHT TO...

...CHANGING YOURSELF?

HMPH ...

THAT'S ANOTHER WAY OF LOOK-ING AT IT, RIGHT?

YOU JUST NEED TO BECOME THE TYPE OF TRAINER WHO INSPIRES THAT LEVEL OF CONFI-DENCE.

THEY MIGHT FEEL SAFE WITH YOU EVEN IF THEY ARE ATTACKED.

LET YOUR POKÉMON CHOOSE. THEY MIGHT WANT TO BE WITH YOU EVEN IF THEY DO GET CHASED AROUND.

AND I'LL USE CHARMAN-DER. LET'S HAVE OUR-SELVES A BATTLE!

...YOU USE CHESPIN.

LET'S SEE ...

HOW ABOUT THIS...?

OKAY THEN...

THIS IS MY LAB! I DECIDE THE RULES!

"HOLD ON"? THAT'S MY LINE!

HOLD ON! IF WE'RE GOING TO HAVE A POKÉMON BATTLE, I'LL USE KANGA.

BY THE WAY, I'M NO GOOD AT POKÉMON BATTLES.

Rules

- A single battle using one Pokémon.
- The use of items is permitted.
- The winner or loser will be decided according to...

OOH... NICE HAND-WRITING.

...I **CAN** TEACH YOU HOW TO THINK.

BUT ...

I'LL CALL AHEAD SO THEY KNOW TO EXPECT YOU.

YOU'LL FIND SOMEONE THERE WHO'S AN ABSOLUTE WHIZ WITH HOLO CASTERS.

GO DOWN THE STREET IN FRONT OF THIS BUILDING, PASS THE TOWER, AND YOU'LL SEE A BRIGHT RED CAFÉ TO YOUR LEFT.

TIME IS MONEY, YOU KNOW!

...GO GET YOUR BROKEN HOLO CASTER RE-PAIRED?

IN THE MEAN-TIME... TREVOR, WHY DON'T YOU...

OH. OKAY!

I'VE DIVIDED THEM INTO FOUR GROUPS.

PHOTOS WITH WINGED POKÉ-MON.

PHOTOS WITH ANT-LERED POKÉ-MON.

PHOTOS OF BROKEN BUILDINGS.

AND PHOTOS OF PEOPLE RUNNING AWAY.

I GUESS THE REPAIR PERSON ISN'T HERE YET...

WE MIGHT AS WELL LOOK THROUGH THE PICTURES VIOLA GAVE US WHILE WE'RE WAITING...

I'VE TRIED LOOKING FOR SOME PATTERN OR CLUE... BUT THIS IS PRETTY MUCH ALL I'VE NOTICED.

MAYBE I'M UNCON-SCIOUSLY MISSING SOMETHING BECAUSE I DON'T WANT TO REMEMBER IT?

WHAT ABOUT **THIS** PIC-TURE ...?

OH...

...THAT ONE DOESN'T REALLY FIT WITH THE OTHERS.

YOU MUST BE...

BUT ...

IF IT **IS** A PERSON, IT COULD BE ONE OF THE ENEMY!

IT KIND OF LOOKS LIKE A PERSON... BUT MAYBE IT'S SOME-THING ELSE...

WHAT'S THAT SHADOW ON THE LEFT SIDE?

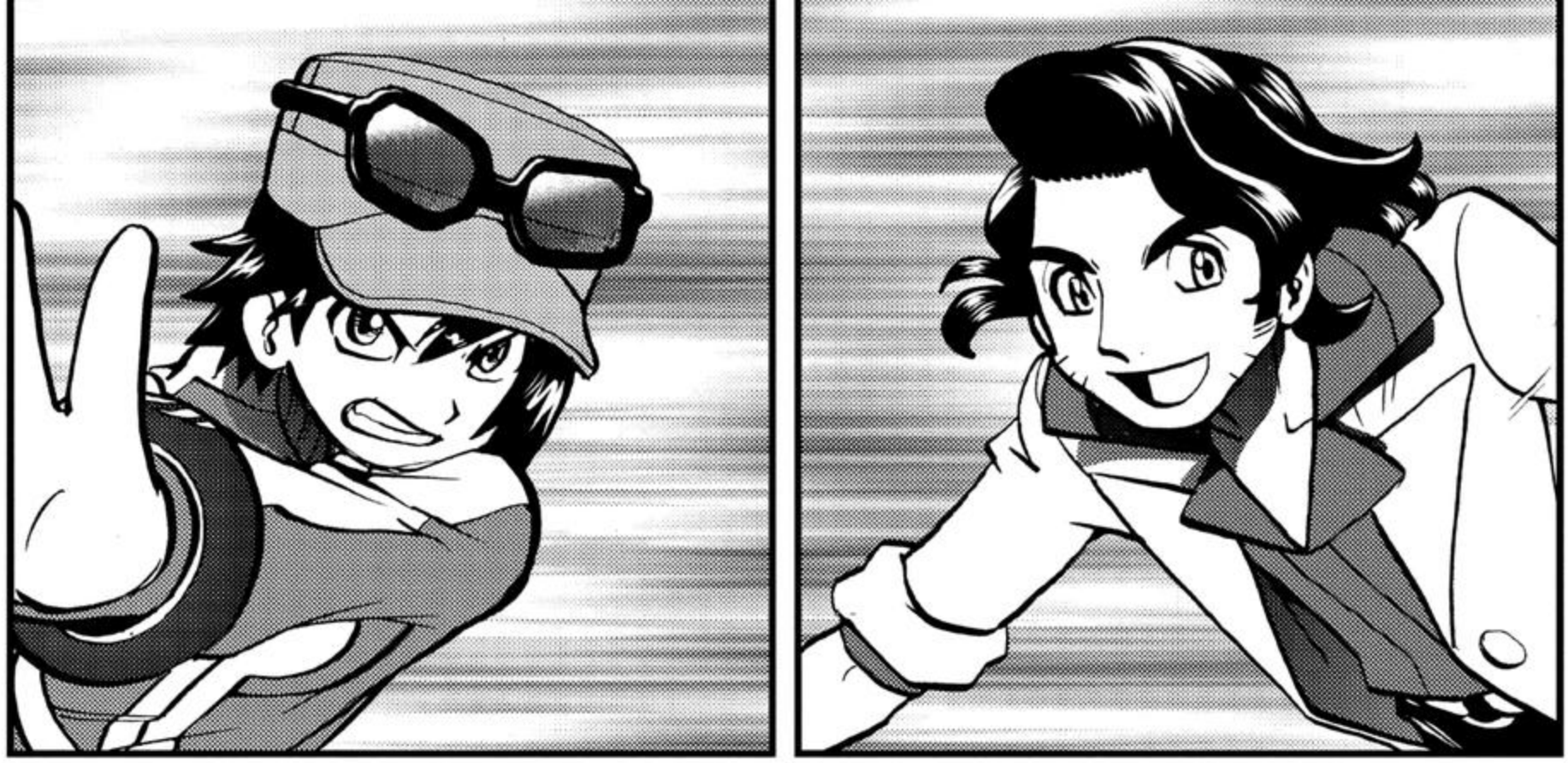
...IF THEY'RE SOMEHOW CONNECTED TO IT...

I WONDER IF PEOPLE CAN SENSE WHAT YOU'RE THINKING...

...THE CHILDREN WHO'VE COME TO REPAIR THEIR HOLO CASTER.

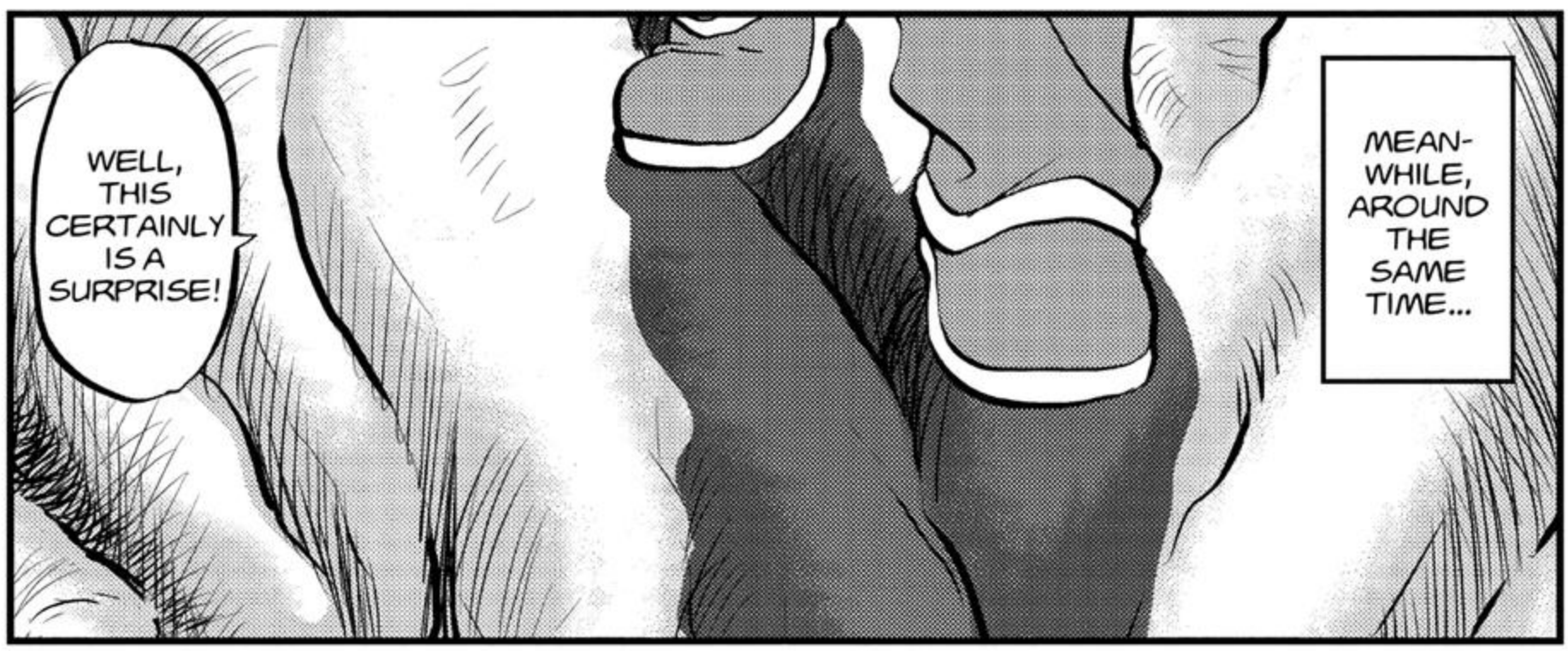
WHILE X WAS FIGHTING A POKÉMON BATTLE, WE CAME FACE-TO- FACE WITH...

LET ME SEE IT...








WELL, THIS CERTAINLY IS A SURPRISE!
MEAN-WHILE, AROUND THE SAME TIME...

AT ANY RATE, THIS IS A RELIEF.

I GUESS THE HIBERNATION PHASE WE HEARD ABOUT IN THE LEGEND WAS TRUE.

...

YOUR BLOOD FLOW, YOUR BREATH ...

AFTER ALL, EVERY-THING ABOUT YOU HAS STOPPED.

MAYBE "LIVING" ISN'T THE RIGHT WAY TO PUT IT.

WELL ...

I NEVER EXPECTED TO FIND YOU LIVING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS.

YOU MIGHT LOOK LIKE A TREE...

...BUT I'VE FOUND YOU...

...XERNEAS!

Current Location

Route 4
Parterre Way

This famed path's perfectly designed and executed gardens are its highlight and a special point of pride.

Lumiose City

A dazzling metropolis of art and artifice, located in the very heart of the Kalos region.



Adventure #11
Chespin Sows the Seeds of Change

XY

I...

...AM LYSAN-DRE.

YOU MUST BE THE CHILDREN WITH THE BROKEN HOLO CASTER PROFESSOR SYCAMORE TOLD ME ABOUT.

THE DEVELOPER OF THE HOLO CASTER.

HE LOOKS JUST LIKE THE SHADOW IN THE PHOTO-GRAPH!

COULD IT BE ...?!

THIS... OWW ...

YES! UMM...

UR

RK

HEY! THEY'RE PLAY-ING A MOVIE!

WHAT SHOULD WE DO WHILE HE'S FIXING IT?

SMAK

WOW, TREVOR! THE INVEN-TOR OF THE HOLO CASTER IS GOING TO REPAIR YOURS FOR YOU!

DOESN'T Y FIND HIM SUSPI-CIOUS AT ALL?

AND IT'S MY FAVORITE! ♡

IT'S NO USE! I CAN'T GET THE WORDS OUT!

JRK JRK

YEAH... JUST ASK HIM, TREVOR!

...HE WAS IN VANIVILLE TOWN THAT DAY...

I JUST NEED TO ASK HIM IF...

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THAT GUY?

YOU'RE SWEAT-ING.

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, TREVOR?

PS ST PS ST PS ST PS ST

OF WHAT? MAY I SEE...?

I NOTICED YOU LOOKING AT SOME PHOTO-GRAPHS...

EXCUSE ME...

FOR SOME REASON, HE COM-PLETELY TERRIFIES ME...

WE CAN'T STAY HERE! WHAT SHOULD WE DO...?!

HE KNOWS!

BOM BOM BOM

PSST Y! Y!

JUST WALK AWAY SLOWLY ...

PSST

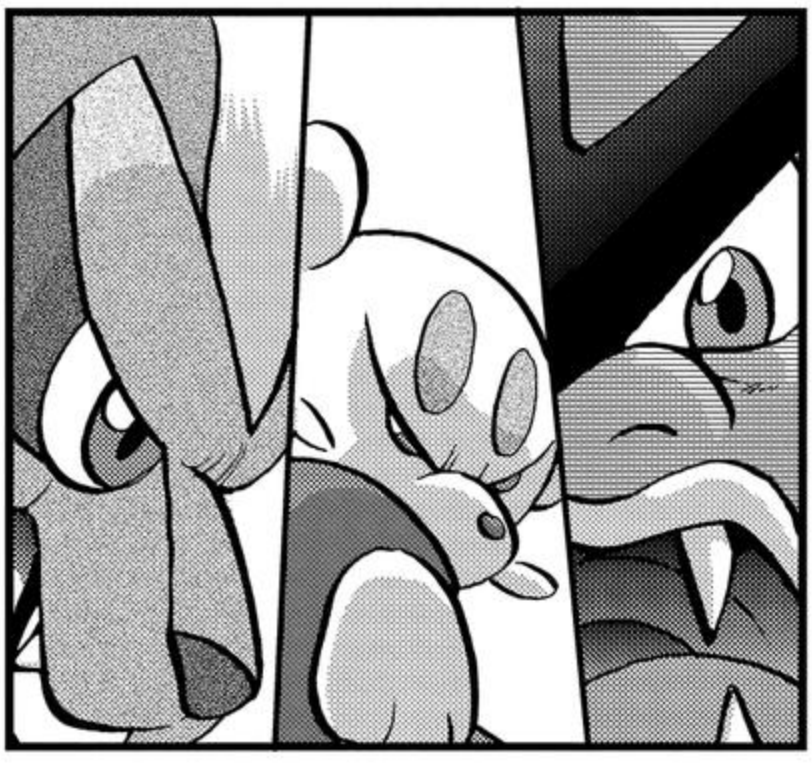
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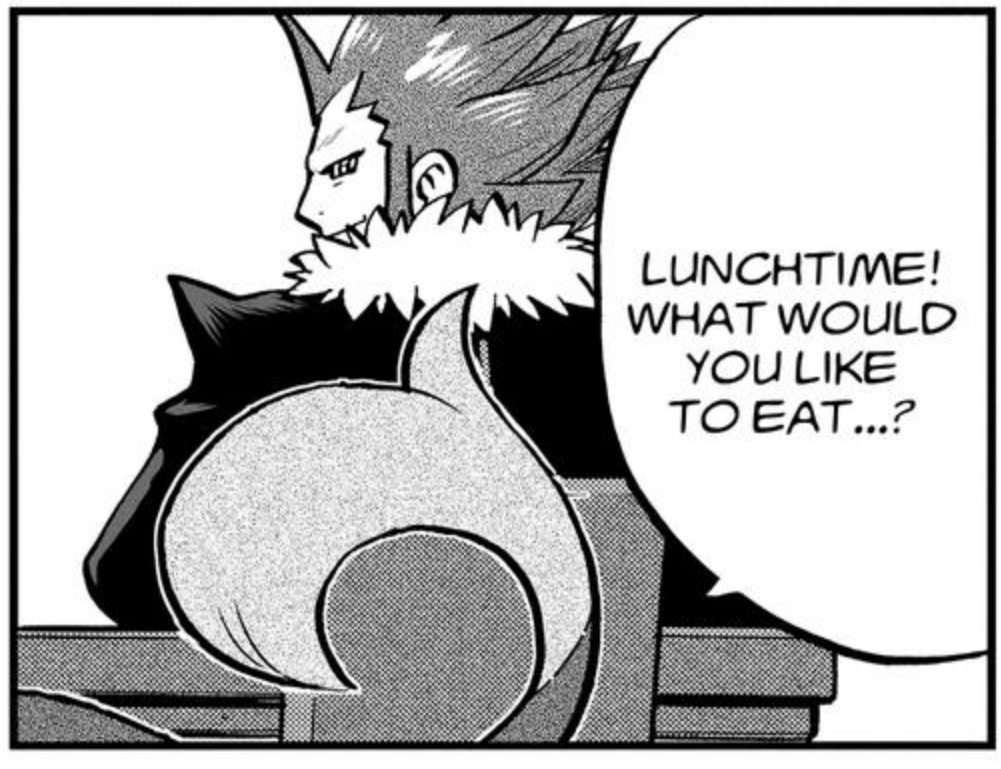
HMPH. YOU'RE SUCH A WIMP.

HUH?

PSST

TIERNO, SHAUNA— COME ON!




LUNCHTIME! WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO EAT...?

URK!

SMAK

PUSH

YOU USED TO BE SUCH A KLUTZ, BUT YOU'RE LIKE A WHOLE NEW POKÉMON NOW!

WELL DONE, CHAR-MANDER!

KLAP KLAP

CHAR-MANDER! ATTACK WITH **EMBER**!

FWOOSH

I SEE THAT EVEN CHESPIN'S TOUGH SHELL IS NO MATCH FOR YOUR FIRE!

KRCKL KRCKL

...DO YOU, X?

YOU DON'T CARE WHETHER YOU WIN OR LOSE THIS BATTLE...

THIS IS SUCH A ONE-SIDED BATTLE... AND NOT JUST BECAUSE I HAVE AN ADVANTAGE OVER YOU WITH MY POKÉ-MON TYPE.

HM ...

HF

HF

IF YOU LOSE, YOU CAN ALWAYS BLAME IT ON THE FACT THAT YOU NEVER WANTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FIRST PLACE.

I CHALLENGED YOU TO THIS BATTLE. I CHOSE THE RULES. AND I BEGAN BEFORE YOU COULD PREPARE YOURSELF.

...

I HAD A FEELING IT WOULD GO LIKE THIS.

SIGH ...

U

RRK

URRK

I KNOW HE'S NOT OUR ENEMY...BUT I'M SICK AND TIRED OF THIS KIND OF THING.

I HATE PEOPLE WHO DO THAT.

THAT CLICHÉ TECHNIQUE OF PROVOK-ING YOUR OPPONENT TO GET THEM FIRED UP...

FWIP

STOP IT.

JUST CALM DOWN.

HEY.

COME ON...

I'M THE ONE HE'S TRYING TO PROVOKE... I DON'T CARE IF THE BATTLE ENDS LIKE THIS!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO TRY SO HARD. PLEASE!

...THAT'S FINE WITH...

IF YOU DID YOUR BEST...

IT DODGED THE ATTACK!

KWBAM

BOF

FWP

FWP

GO BEHIND IT!

NOW IS THE PER-FECT MO-MENT TO...

FWP

ROLLOUT!

BOING

KA

DASSP

YOU GET FIRED UP **AFTER** THE BATTLE IS AT ITS PEAK, DON'T YOU?!

HA HA...

I DIDN'T MEAN TO...

AHHH!

CHESPIN

CHESPIN TOOK A LOT OF DAMAGE IN THE FIRST HALF, SO THE BEST IT COULD MANAGE WITH THAT LAST ATTACK WOULD BE A DRAW...

OR...

BUT... I KNOW POKÉMON BATTLES AREN'T EASY.

WELL... YEAH...

...A LOSS.

SURE. AND IT'S NOT LIKE I MIND LOSING. I NEVER WANTED TO DO THIS TO BEGIN WITH.

THANK YOU FOR BATTLING ME.

MARISSO...?

EX-CUSE ME?

...MARISSO.

NICE WORK...

I'VE BEEN THINKING WHAT I WOULD NAME IT IF I EVER DECIDED TO KEEP IT AS ONE OF MY POKÉ-MON.

THAT'S CHESPIN'S NICKNAME. WHAT ABOUT IT?

OH, TREVS... HE'S EVEN CLEVERER THAN YOU TOLD ME!

IT'S NOT LIKE EVERYONE TELLS YOU EXACTLY WHAT THEY'RE THINKING, YOU KNOW...

YES, BUT X... YOU JUST SAID YOU WEREN'T INTERESTED IN ACCEPTING IT AS YOUR POKÉMON!

I COULDN'T ASK FOR MORE!

KOFF

ANYHOW...

DADUM

WHAT?!

IF YOU DON'T MIND, I'D LIKE TO HAVE THAT CHARMANDER TOO.

...THAT CHARMANDER IS...

FROM WHAT I CAN TELL...

...THAT SOME-THING BAD HAS HAPPENED TO TREVOR AND THE OTHERS!

I HAVE A HUNCH...

HMM... IT MIGHT JUST BE MY IMAGI-NATION, BUT...

WHAT'S WRONG, X?

I'M ONLY ASKING YOU TO SHOW ME THOSE PHOTO-GRAPHS.

THAT'S A FUNNY QUES-TION...

...ARE YOU GOING TO DO TO US?

W-W-W-W...

WHAT...

STOP IT, LYSAN-DRE!

KLP

TREVOR...? WHAT'S WRONG...?

WHO ARE YOU?!

ZOOM

LURCH

TREVOR?!

NOT ENOUGH ROOM!

THIS IS THE **MEN'S** REST-ROOM!

JUST LIS-TEN ...!

I WAS ONLY GOING TO DRINK A CUP OF TEA AND LEAVE, BUT I COULDN'T HELP NOTICING THESE CHILDREN.

I KNOW.

I DIDN'T NOTICE YOU WERE HERE.

CAN YOU SEE THAT GUY?! WHAT'S HE DOING ?!

...THE WAY YOU WERE **LOOKING** AT THESE CHILDREN.

OR TO BE EXACT ...

BOM

GRRR...

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

HA HA!




BUT YOU WOULD HAVE!
...YET.
CALM DOWN! I HAVEN'T DONE ANY-THING.
AH... AH... AH...!

DEFI-
NITELY
...

...UN-
ATTRAC-
TIVE.

THOSE
CHILDREN
WERE
FRIGHT-
ENED...

AND NO
WONDER!
YOU HAD THEM
SURROUNDED
BY YOUR
POKÉMON.
WHAT...
UNATTRACTIVE
BEHAVIOR.

"UN-
ATTRAC-
TIVE,"
EH...?

THAT'S
QUITE A
JUDGMENT
FROM A
WOMAN AS
ATTRACTIVE
AS YOU.

AFTER
ALL, YOU
ARE ONE
OF THE
CHOSEN
ONES.

"WOULDN'T
YOU LIKE
TO REMAIN
YOUNG AND
BEAUTIFUL...
AND PLAY
SUCH
ROLES
FOREVER?"

YOU
ASKED
ME THAT
ONCE.

THEN
AGAIN...
EVERYONE
HAS THEIR
OWN STAN-
DARD OF
BEAUTY.

FOR EXAMPLE,
I THOUGHT YOU
WERE THE MOST
BEAUTIFUL ACTRESS
ON THE SILVER
SCREEN WHEN YOU
MADE YOUR DEBUT
AS THAT INGENUE
SO LONG
AGO...

DEBUT
...?

ROLE
...?

YOU CLAIMED THAT YOUTH AND BEAUTY WERE NOT THE SAME THING.

AND YOU LAUGHED IT OFF. YOU THOUGHT IT WAS A STRANGE IDEA.

THAT'S WHEN I REALIZED WE WOULD NEVER COME TO AN UNDER-STAND-ING...

BUT I WISH TO MAKE THIS WORLD UNCHANGING AND ETERNAL— TO PRESERVE ITS BEAUTY **FOREVER.**

I HAD TO CONTACT YOU RIGHT AWAY! I'VE FOUND IT!

WHAT IS IT?

EXCUSE ME.

IT'S A CALL FROM MY TROOPS.

RING RING

BZZT

WHAT DO YOU SAY...
...BOSS?

IT'S TRANSFORMED ITSELF INTO A TREE, AND IT'S ASLEEP— JUST LIKE IN THE LEGEND. BUT THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT IT! THIS IS XERNEAS!

I'D LIKE TO CARRY IT TO OUR BASE WHILE IT'S STILL IN THIS STATE OF HIBERNATION.

BUT FIRST I WANTED TO GET YOUR PERMISSION.

KYUK

I'LL LEAVE IT HERE FOR YOU.

YOUR HOLO CASTER IS FULLY FUNC-TIONAL AGAIN.

TMP

WHOA!

SLAM

CHILDREN ...

I HAVE URGENT BUSI-NESS TO ATTEND TO. I MUST GO.

I CAN'T BEAR THE THOUGHT OF THE WORLD BECOMING UGLY.

AND IT'S THE DUTY OF THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN CHOSEN TO PREVENT THAT FROM HAPPENING.

TREVOR! THANK HIM!

WHAT? HUH?!

RIGHT... YOU SHOULD AT LEAST THANK HIM FOR FIXING IT.

SHEESH...

THANK... YOU.

IT WAS NOTH-ING.

...SO YOU MUST HAVE THE POTENTIAL TO BECOME THE CHOSEN ONES YOURSELVES.

YOU WERE CHOSEN BY PROFESSOR SYCAMORE...

TILL WE MEET AGAIN ...

... DIANTHA.

THAT GOES FOR YOU TOO ...

YOU'RE REALLY HER!

OOOH!

Y!

NO WAY!

"DIAN-THA" AS IN ...?!

"DIAN-THA" ?!

DIANTHA... HERE?! IN PERSON?!

THE FAMOUS ACTRESS! THE KALOS REGION'S GIFT TO THEATER AND FILM!

AIIEE! EEEEK!

WOOO

IT'S REAL-LY HER!

DIANTHA IS HERE?!

WHAT? DIANTHA ?!

MUR

MUR

MUR

I WAS JUST WATCHING THIS OLD MOVIE OF YOURS! IT'S YOUR FIRST ROLE? BUT YOU'RE STILL SO, SO...PRETTY!

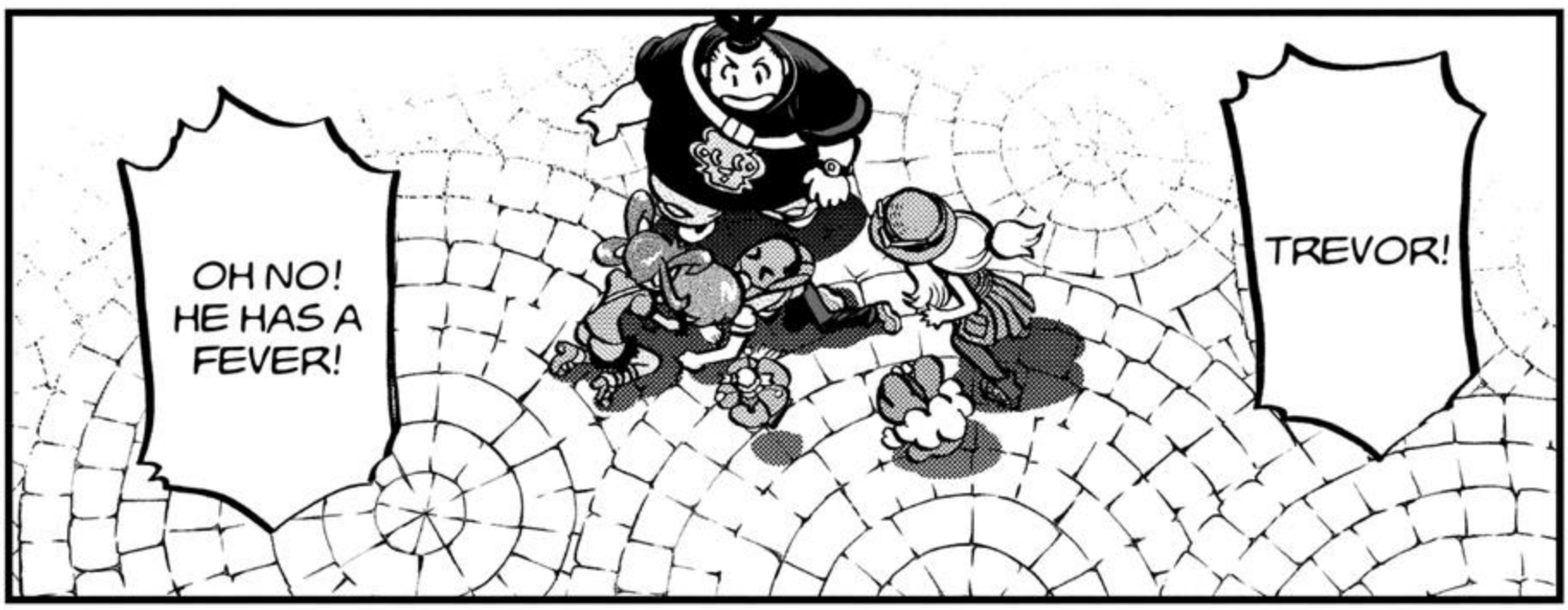
THANK YOU.

LET'S ESCAPE THROUGH THE BACK DOOR. FOLLOW ME!

LOOK WHAT YOU'VE DONE! YOU AND YOUR BIG MOUTH, Y-EY!


BYE BYE!


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SLAP
MAYBE THAT MAN WITH THE PYROAR HEAD ISN'T THAT BAD AFTER ALL?
THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT!
PHEW. I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO FOR A MOMENT THERE...


OH NO! HE HAS A FEVER!
TREVOR!


...I'VE MET SOMEONE SO FAMOUS— WITH SUCH A COMMANDING PRESENCE!
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME...

...I'VE BEEN OBSESSING ABOUT MEGA EVOLUTION AND HAVING ALL KINDS OF STRANGE NEW EXPERIENCES. MAYBE MY HEAD IS JUST FULL TO BURSTING AND CAN'T ABSORB ANY MORE...

COME TO THINK OF IT... EVER SINCE I BEGAN THIS JOURNEY ...

YOU WITNESSED A MEGA EVOLUTION BEFORE YOUR VERY EYES.

I UNDERSTAND.

YOUR TIME WILL COME.

BUT NOT TO WORRY!

THAT INCIDENT SEEMS TO HAVE AGITATED YOU.

WHAT'S WRONG, GYARADOS ...?

...ARE A CHOSEN ONE.

FOR YOU TOO...

X!

HEY!

TO BE CONTINUED...


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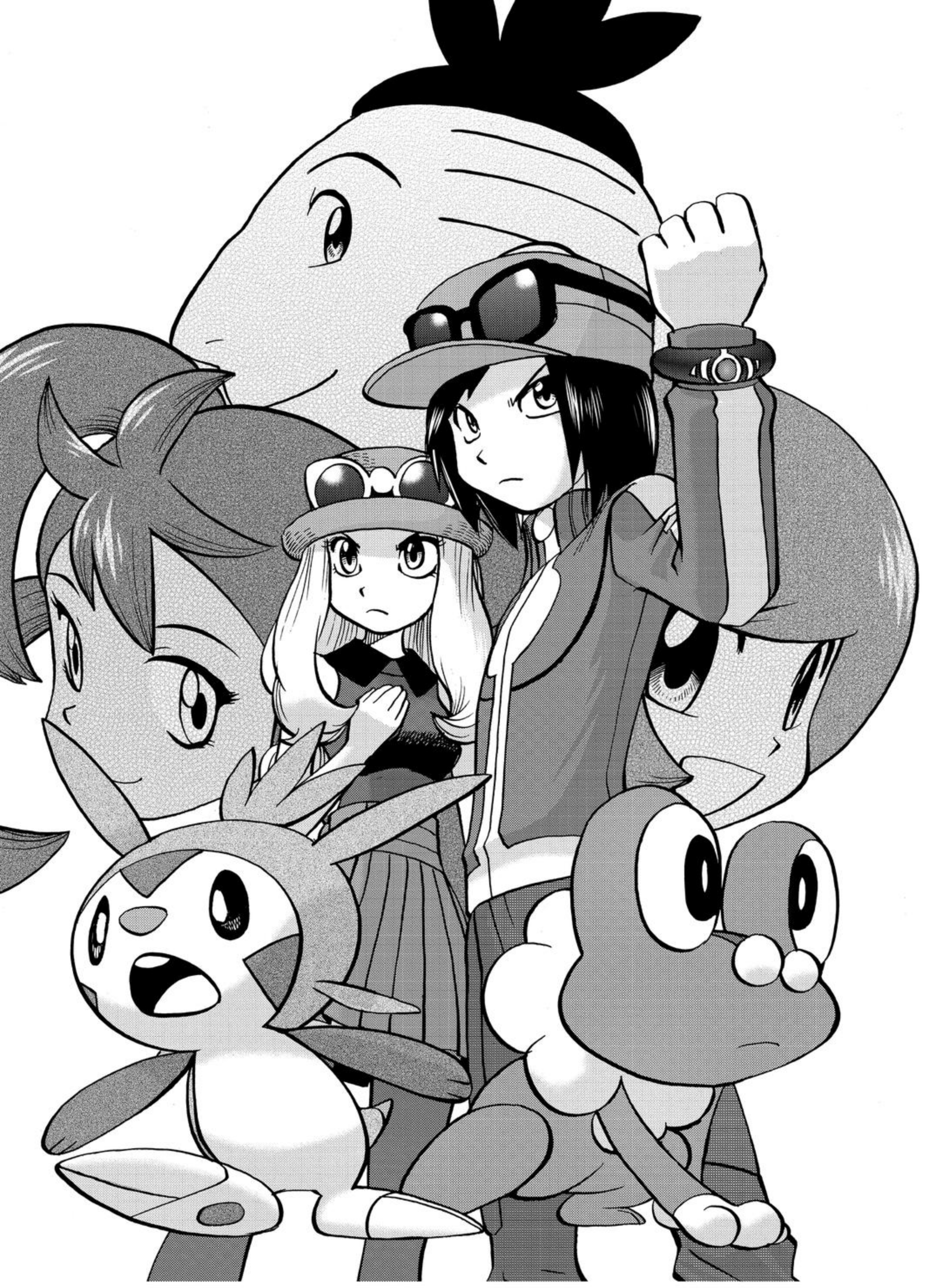
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▲ I was so surprised when Li'l Kanga jumped out of Kanga's pouch and transformed!

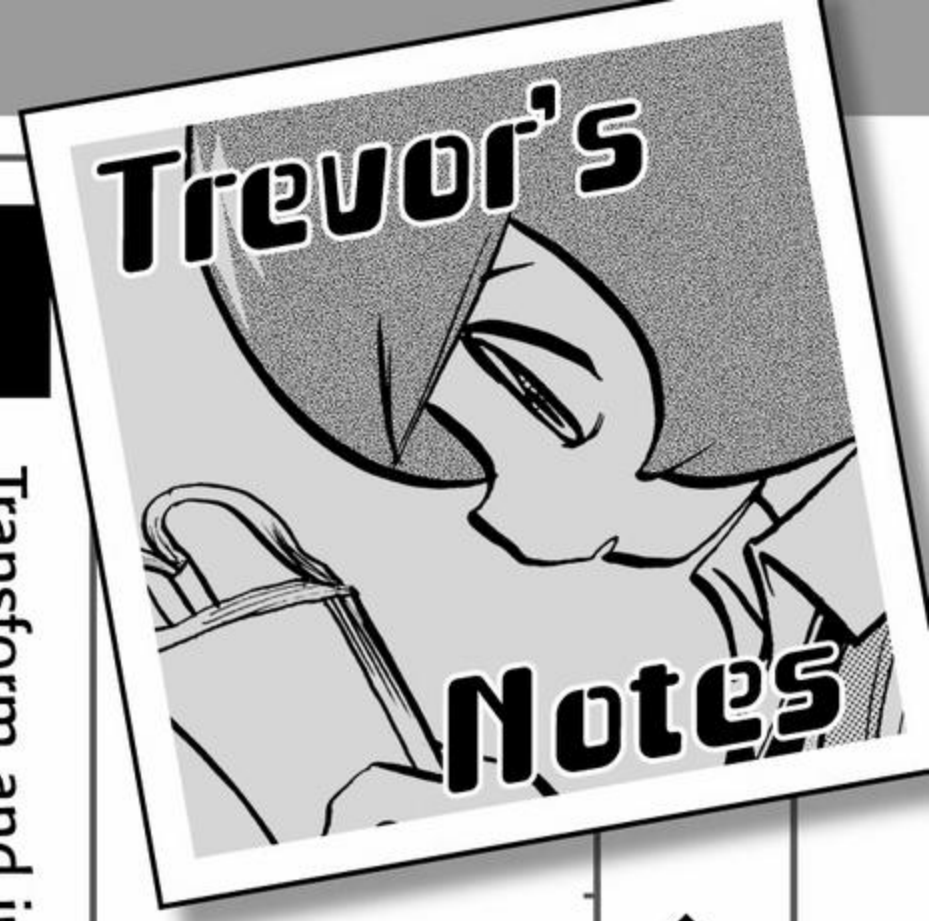
The first time I saw a Mega Evolution was during the attack on Vaniville Town when X's Pokémon, Kanga, transformed. I didn't know what it was but later, the Red Suits called it Mega Evolution when they attacked us at the inn.

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Transform and increase in power!

This is called a Mega Evolution.

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I have decided to record the things I discovered on this journey. It helps me to track my research so I can unlock the mysteries of the Pokémon!!

◆

Current Data

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【Inn Incident】 ×/▲ ◆◆◆◆◆



This was the first thing that happened when we left our hometown. The kind-looking old lady at the inn turned out to be our enemy too! We cannot trust anyone.

【Attack on Vaniville Town】 ○/× ◆◆◆◆◆

We were living peacefully and minding our own business when our hometown was destroyed by this attack.

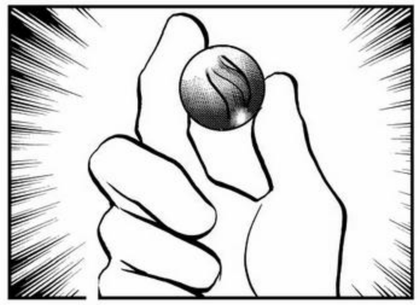


2 A stone triggers Mega Evolution.

The Pokémon and Trainer must both be holding a stone for Mega Evolution to occur.

After further observation, I discovered that you need a special item to trigger Mega Evolution.

(The Pokémon's Stone) **Mega Stone**



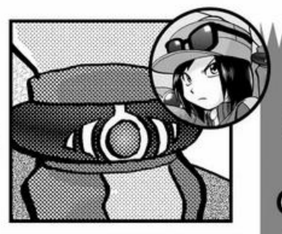
▲ A pattern is visible inside the sphere. The sphere is yellowish in color and the pattern inside is purple.

Kanga's pouch was slightly glowing. I searched inside it and discovered this. A pretty sphere about 0.8 inches in diameter.

(The Trainer's Stone) **Key Stone**

Korrina told me the name of the stone.

X's Item **Mega Ring**



Kor-rina's Item **Mega Glove**



Dian-tha's Item **Mega Charm**



Key Stones are embedded in items you wear, like bracelets and gloves.

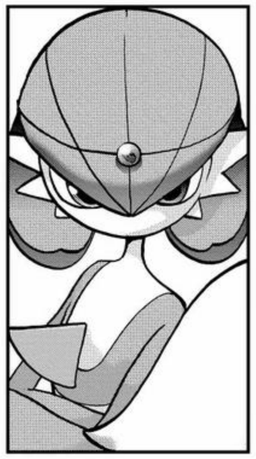
3 Mega Evolutions greatly differ from the Pokémon evolutions we usually see.



▲ We still didn't know about how Mega Evolution worked, so it ended in failure...

(Mega Evolution doesn't always succeed.)

It failed during the battle against Diggersby in the Inn Incident. The transformation did not happen.



▲ Diantha's Gardevoir transformed inside the bright red café in Lumiose City.

(They change back into their original form after battle.)

This phenomenon occurs only during a battle and their Mega Evolved form is not permanent.

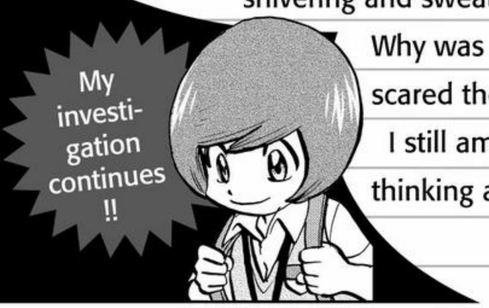


Naming the Mega Evolved Pokémon.

▲ Korrina told me about this. I learned a lot from meeting a well-trained Mega Evolution wielder.

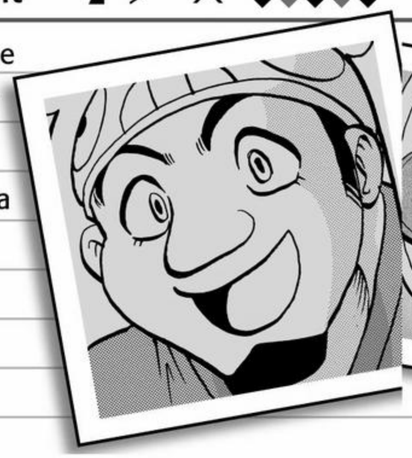
【 Bright Red Café Incident 】 ×/●

When we met Mr. Lysandre, the developer of the Holo Caster, I couldn't stop shivering and sweating. Why was I so scared then? I still am, just thinking about it!



【 Super Training Incident 】 ×/×

We accepted the invitation to try out the facility. The battle was a tough one. Luckily the publicist was a nice person.



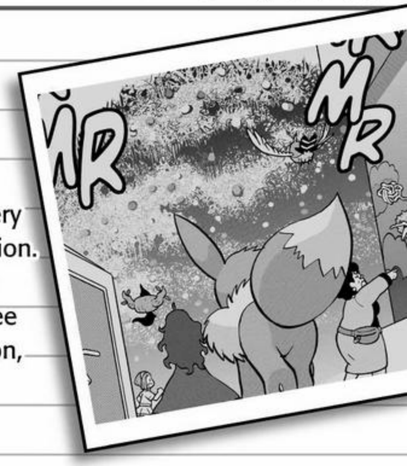
【 Aegislash Incident 】 ×/□

A scary case of Shauna being mind-controlled. If Korrina hadn't showed up, we would have lost.



【 Pokémon-Amie Incident 】 ×/○

This occurred during the Pokémon-Amie at Route 2. Y barely managed to get out of a very dangerous situation. I was scared but also excited to see her new Pokémon, Veevee, and its evolution.




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X·Y



Message from
Hidenori Kusaka

Pokémon X·Y is set in the Kalos region, which is modeled after France. France is a country that invited us for an autograph session twice, so I have very fond memories of that nation. The details and colors of the cityscape were very beautiful, and the food was good too...! I will never forget the French editors and fans who love Pokémon and Japan's manga culture.

Message from
Satoshi Yamamoto

At the end of 2012, the *Pokémon Adventures* series was set to be published in France. An autograph session was scheduled as a part of the promotion for the series, so Kusaka Sensei, the chief editor of *Pokémon Fan Magazine*, and I flew to France. It was shortly after I returned to Japan that I discovered that the next game, *Pokémon X·Y*, would be set in a region modeled after France, which was a pleasant surprise.

Hidenori Kusaka is the writer for *Pokémon Adventures*. Running continuously for over 20 years, *Pokémon Adventures* is the only manga series to completely cover all the Pokémon games and has become one of the most popular series of all time. In addition to writing manga, he also edits children's books and plans mixed-media projects for Shogakukan's children's magazines. He uses the Pokémon Electrode as his author portrait.

Satoshi Yamamoto is the artist for *Pokémon Adventures*, which he began working on in 2001, starting with volume 10. Yamamoto launched his manga career in 1993 with the horror-action title *Kimen Senshi*, which ran in Shogakukan's *Weekly Shonen Sunday* magazine, followed by the series *Kaze no Denshosha*. Yamamoto's favorite manga creators/artists include FUJIKO F FUJIO (*Doraemon*), Yukinobu Hoshino (*2001 Nights*) and Katsuhiro Otomo (*Akira*). He loves films, monsters, detective novels and punk rock music. He uses the Pokémon Swalot as his artist portrait.



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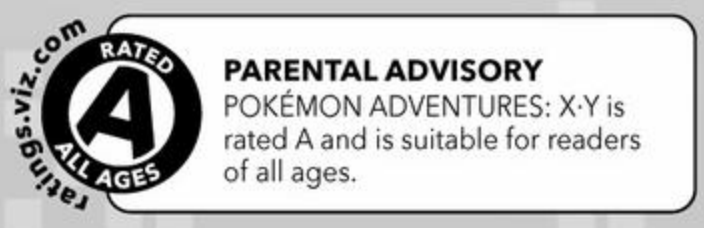
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