

CHAPTER 38: KING, BLADING PRODIGY, ENTERS THE ARENA!



WAAAAH.

THIS IS IT!
HOLD ON,
SAGITTARIO
!

THE THIRD
BATTLE OF
THE THIRD
ROUND OF
THE ULTIMATE
BLADERS
TOURNAMENT.

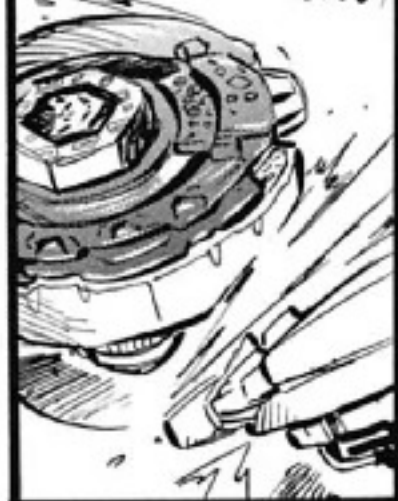


KENTA
IS ON
DEFENSE, BUT
VALIANTLY
WITHSTANDS
THE FURIOUS
ATTACKS
OF HIS
OPPONENT
JOHANNES
!



HERE AT
THE BALI
STADIUM,
WE ARE
WITNESSING
A TRULY
THRILLING
BATTLE
!!

SCAM
SCAM SCAM





HE STILL MADE IT INTO THE THIRD ROUND, BUT DOES HE HAVE MUCH MORE IN HIM ?!



OF THE 64 PARTICIPANTS SELECTED FOR THIS TOURNAMENT, OUR YOUNG FRIEND HERE HAS THE FEWEST NUMBER OF BEY-POINTS ...



THAT I HAPPEN TO BE BATTLEING THIS RUNT ...

I'M LUCKY ...



GO FOR IT, KENTA !!



COME ON, BEAT LYNX! CRUSH SAGITTARIO TO PIECES !!



SK

AAAM



AMAZING!
BEAT LYNX
SENDS HIS
OPPONENT
FLYING INTO
THE AIR!
IS IT ALL
OVER
?!





NYAH HA HA
HA HA! THIS
WAS TOO
EASY
!



THIS
WAS JUST
...

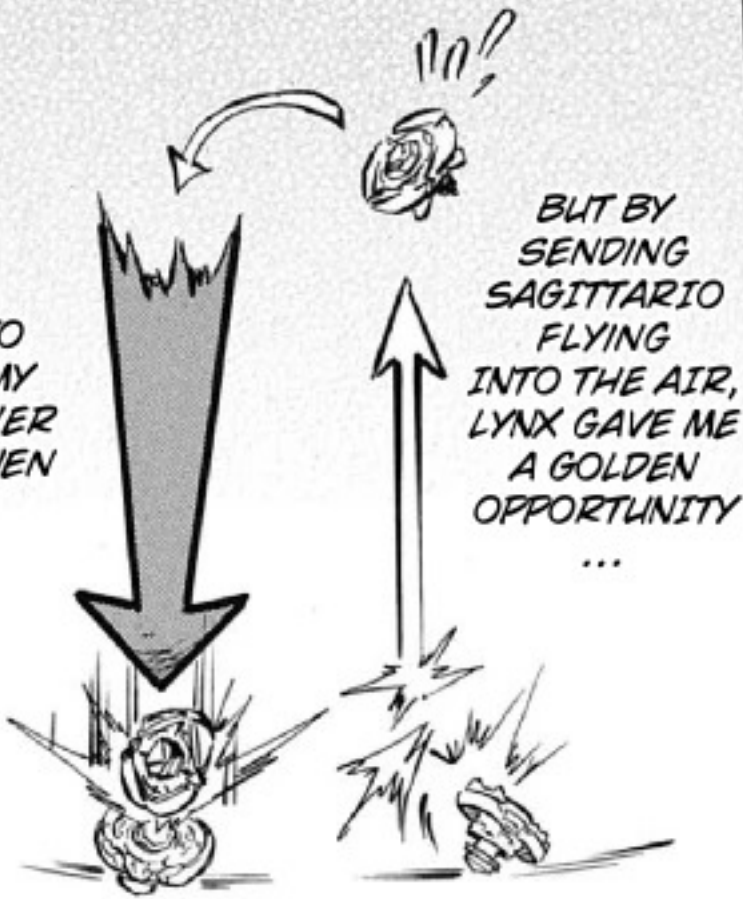
YOU FELL
RIGHT
INTO MY
TRAP.



THE MOMENT
I'VE BEEN
WAITING FOR
!

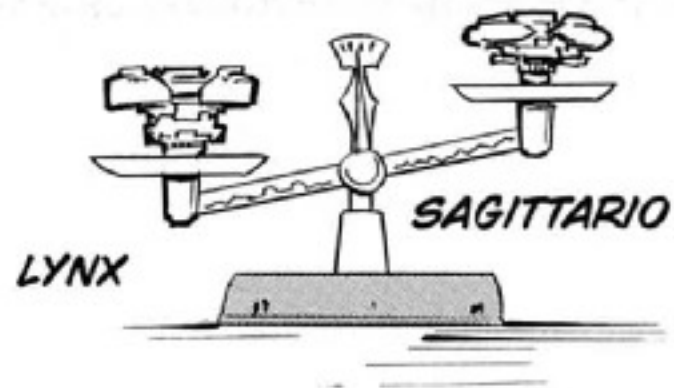
WHAT
?!

TO USE GRAVITY TO MULTIPLY MY IMPACT POWER TENFOLD WHEN LANDING ON LYNX!



BUT BY SENDING SAGITTARIO FLYING INTO THE AIR, LYNX GAVE ME A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY ...

MY BEY IS MADE UP OF LIGHT-WEIGHT PARTS, AND DOESN'T HAVE AS MUCH POWER.



NOOOO!



SPECIAL MOVE!



I'M NOT FINISHED YET!



**SAGITTARIO
DIVING
CLAW**

!!!



GREAT JOB,
KENTA! YOU
WERE REALLY
GREAT OUT
THERE
!!

WHAT
A
COME-
BACK!
KENTA
IS
THE
WINNER
!!

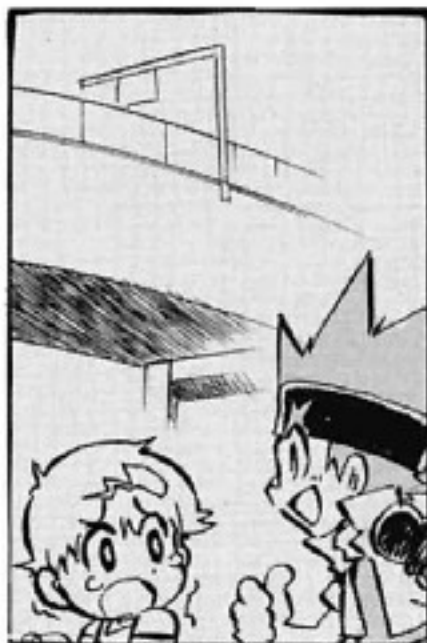
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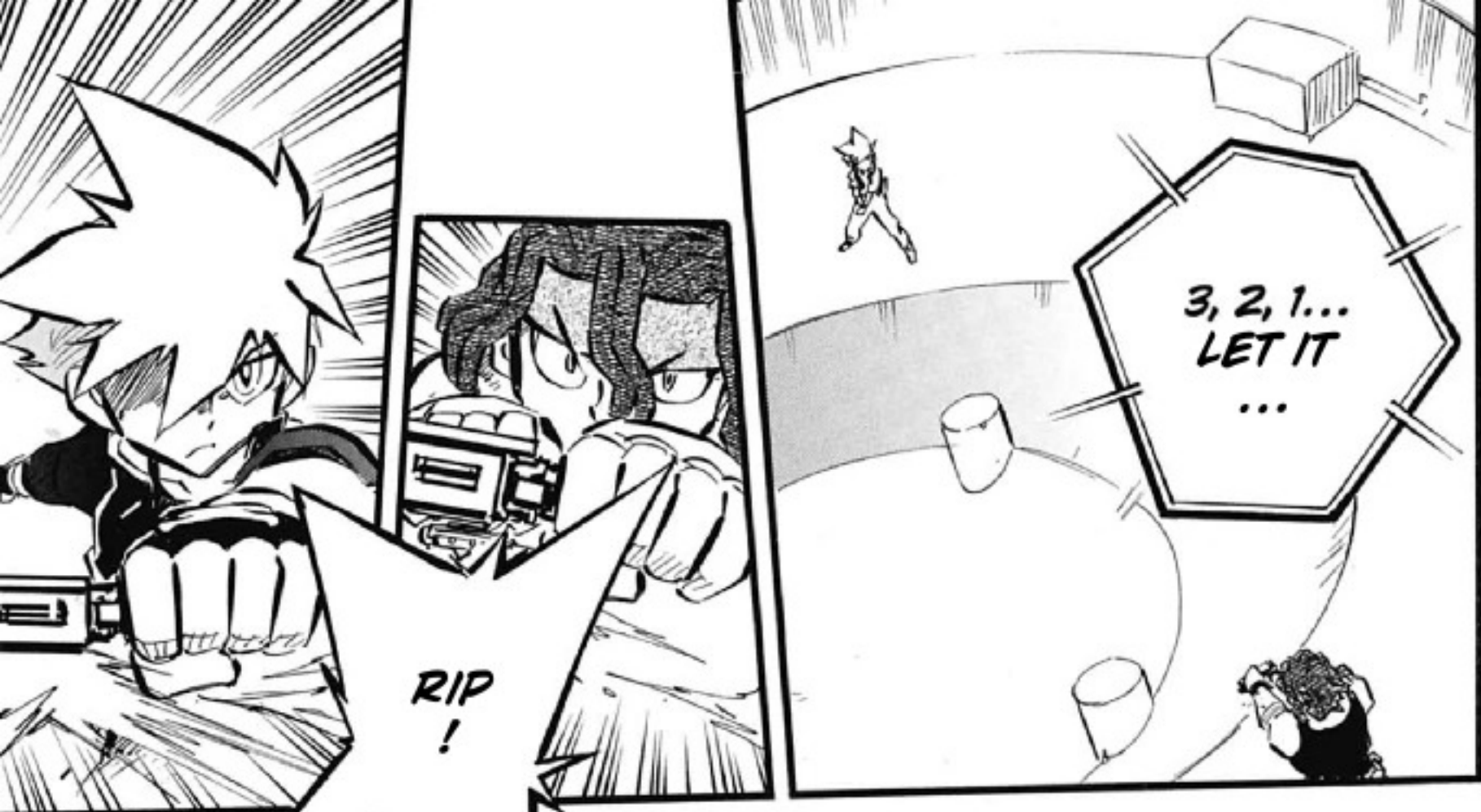


OOOH!

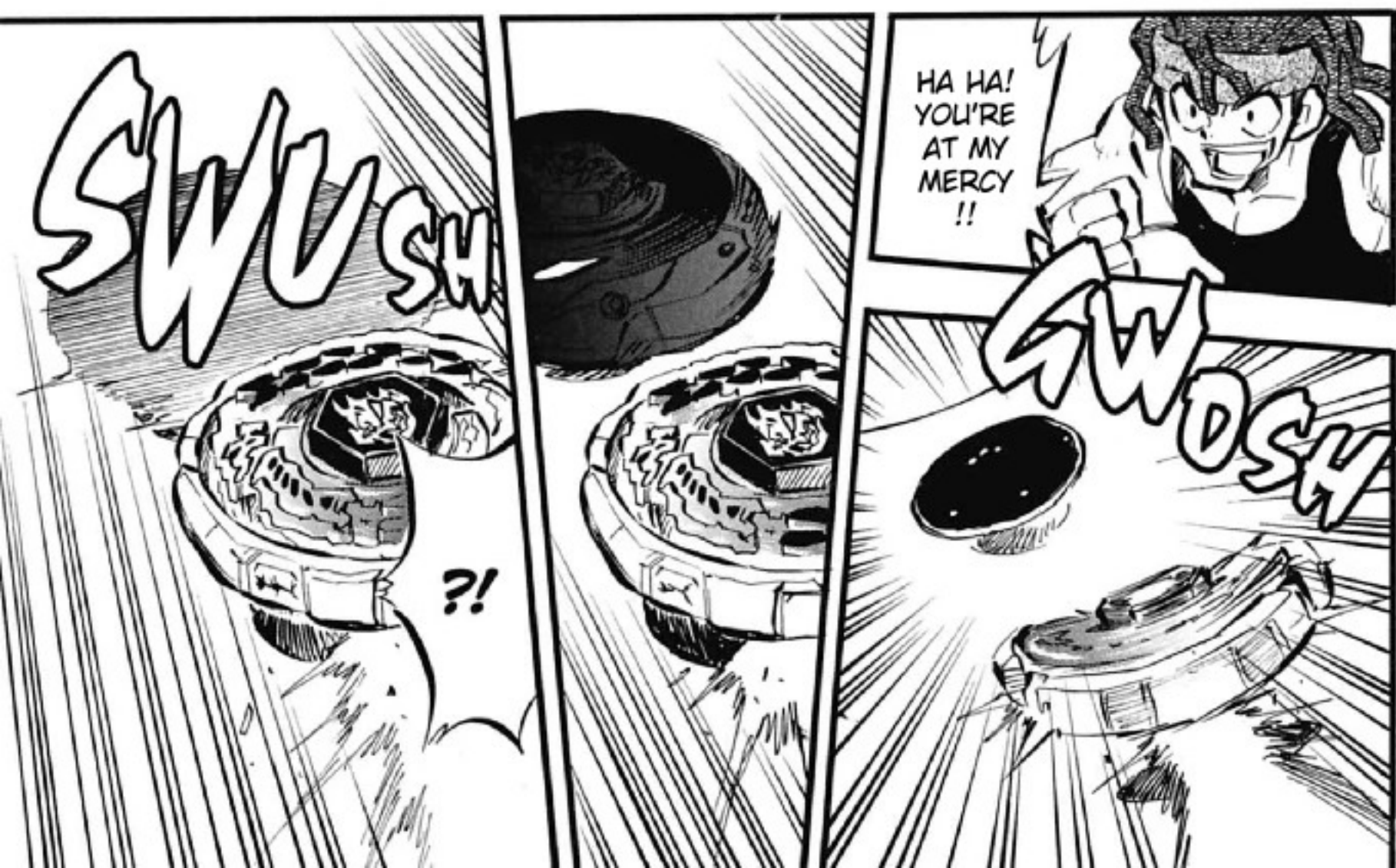
KSHAF







RIP!



HA HA!
YOU'RE
AT MY
MERCY
!!









AND THAT DECIDES THE THIRD ROUND OF THE ULTIMATE BLADERS TOURNAMENT!



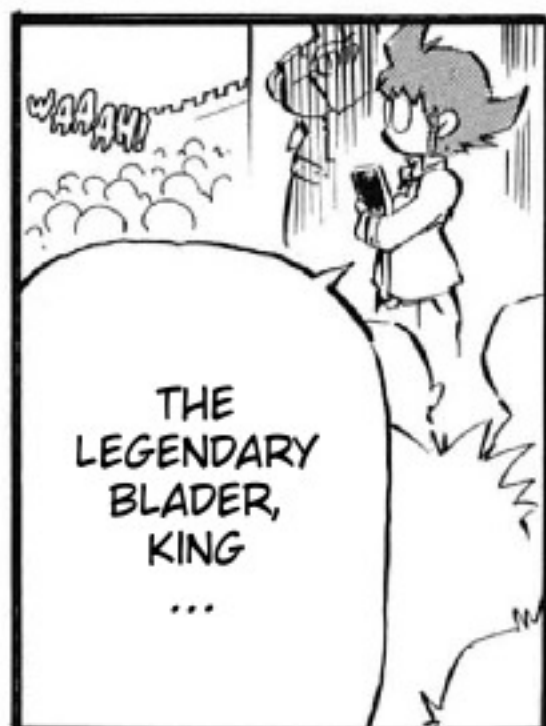


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YOU ARE NOW LOOKING AT THE EIGHT BLADERS WHO WILL TAKE PART IN THE QUARTER-FINALS !!







BUT ...

THAT MAY BE TRUE ...

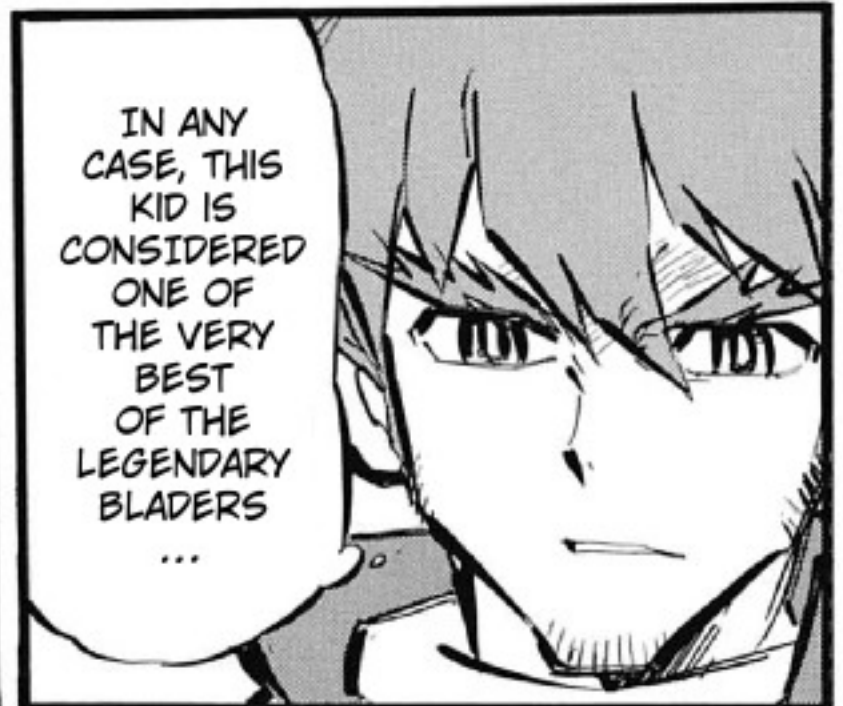
HE'S A TRUE BLADING PRODIGY !!



GINGKA,
CAN YOU
SURPASS
THIS GENIUS?



ONLY THE
STRONGEST OF
BLADERS WILL BE
ABLE TO DEFEAT
NEMESIS WHEN THE
DAY COMES TO FACE
HIM.



IN ANY
CASE, THIS
KID IS
CONSIDERED
ONE OF THE VERY
BEST
OF THE
LEGENDARY
BLADERS
...



ZA

GET
READY
!

AAM





SHWOOD

KING'S BEY,
VARI ARES,
JUMPS
INTO
ACTION
!!



ATTACK,
PEGA-
SUS
!!

WOODH!





WHAT
?!

KWUSH

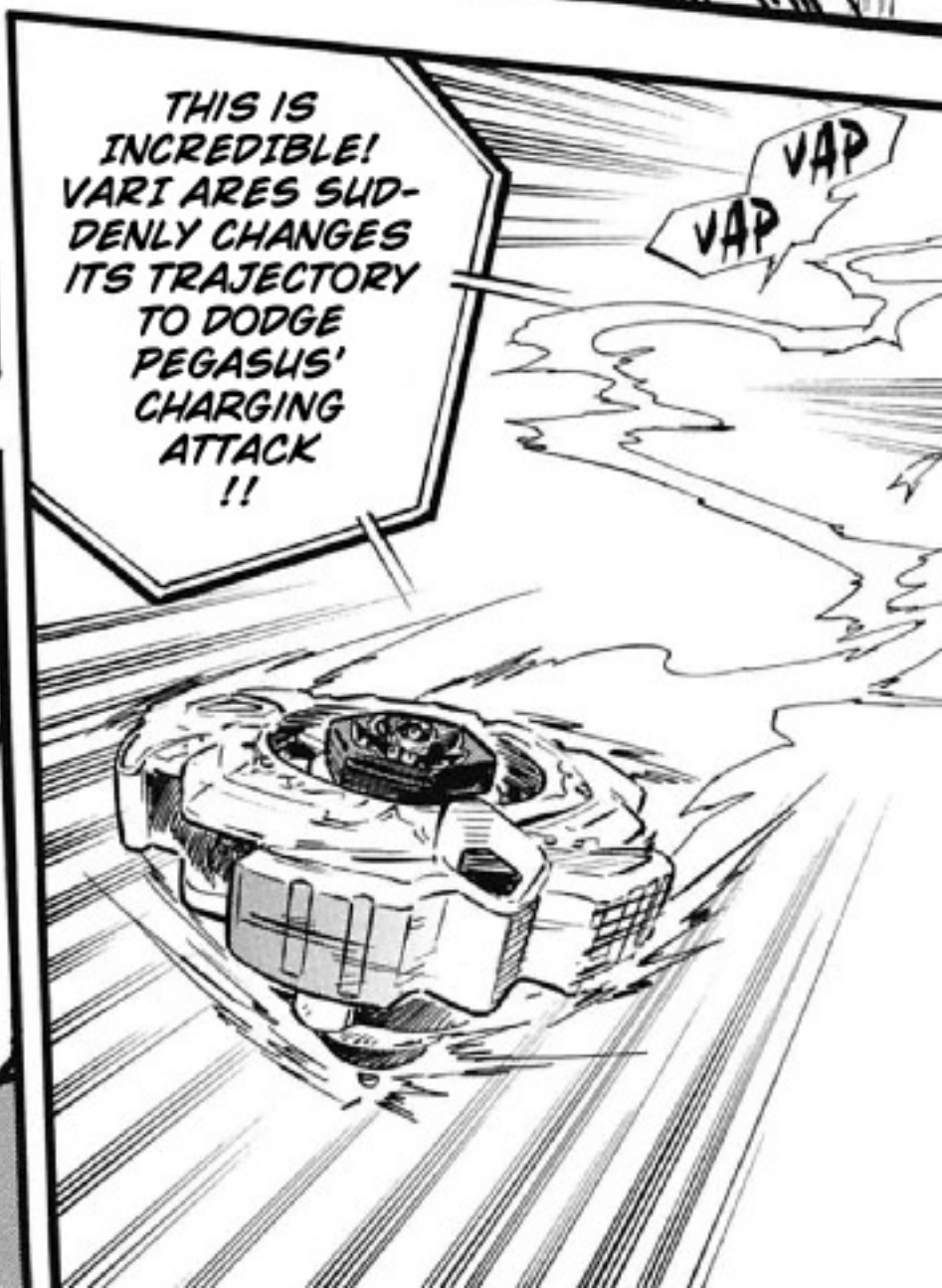
SHWUURI

STAP

SGAM



I'VE SEEN
THAT MOVE
BEFORE
!!



THIS IS
INCREDIBLE!
VARI ARES SUD-
DENLY CHANGES
ITS TRAJECTORY
TO DODGE
PEGASUS'
CHARGING
ATTACK
!!

VAP
VAP
VAP



I'VE
GOT IT
!!



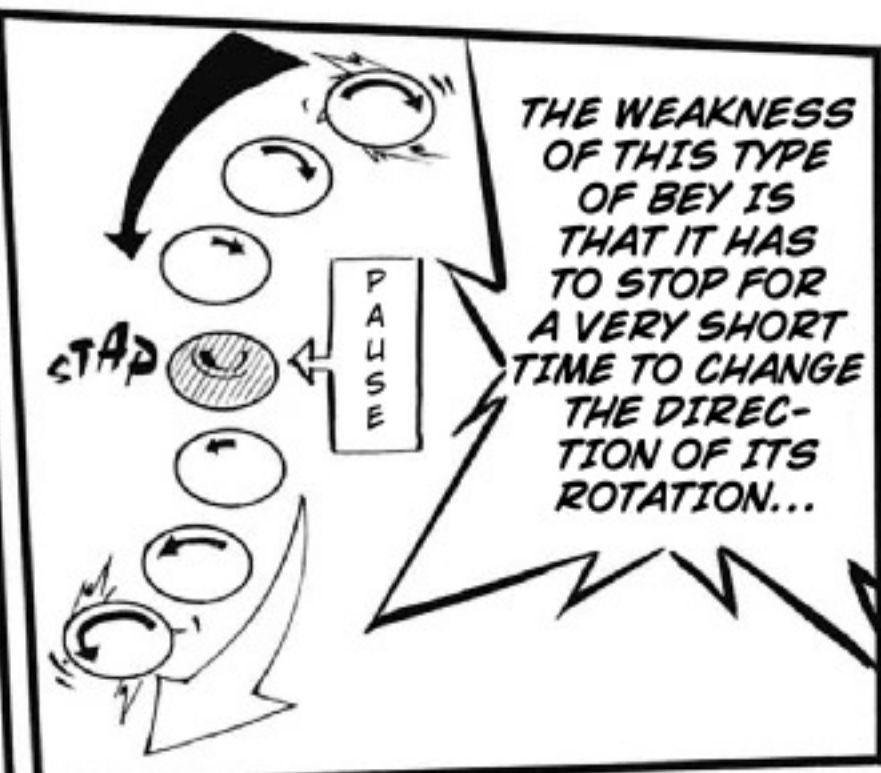
BUT NOW THAT I UNDERSTAND THAT, I KNOW HOW TO COUNTER IT !



VARI ARES CAN ROTATE BOTH LEFT AND RIGHT !



ALL I HAVE TO DO IS ATTACK AT THAT EXACT MOMENT TO WIN !



THE WEAKNESS OF THIS TYPE OF BEY IS THAT IT HAS TO STOP FOR A VERY SHORT TIME TO CHANGE THE DIRECTION OF ITS ROTATION...



CHANGE TIPS !

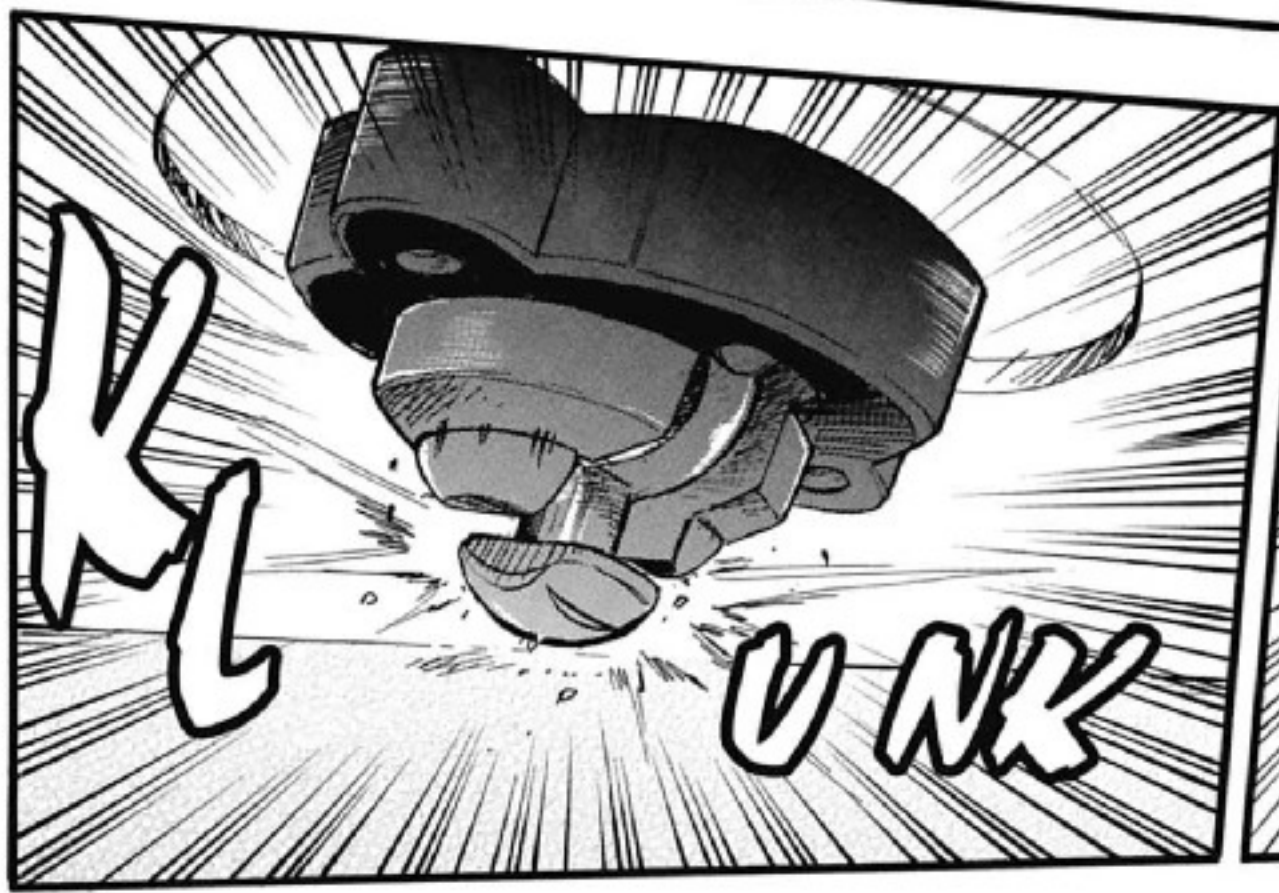


GO, PEGASUS !!





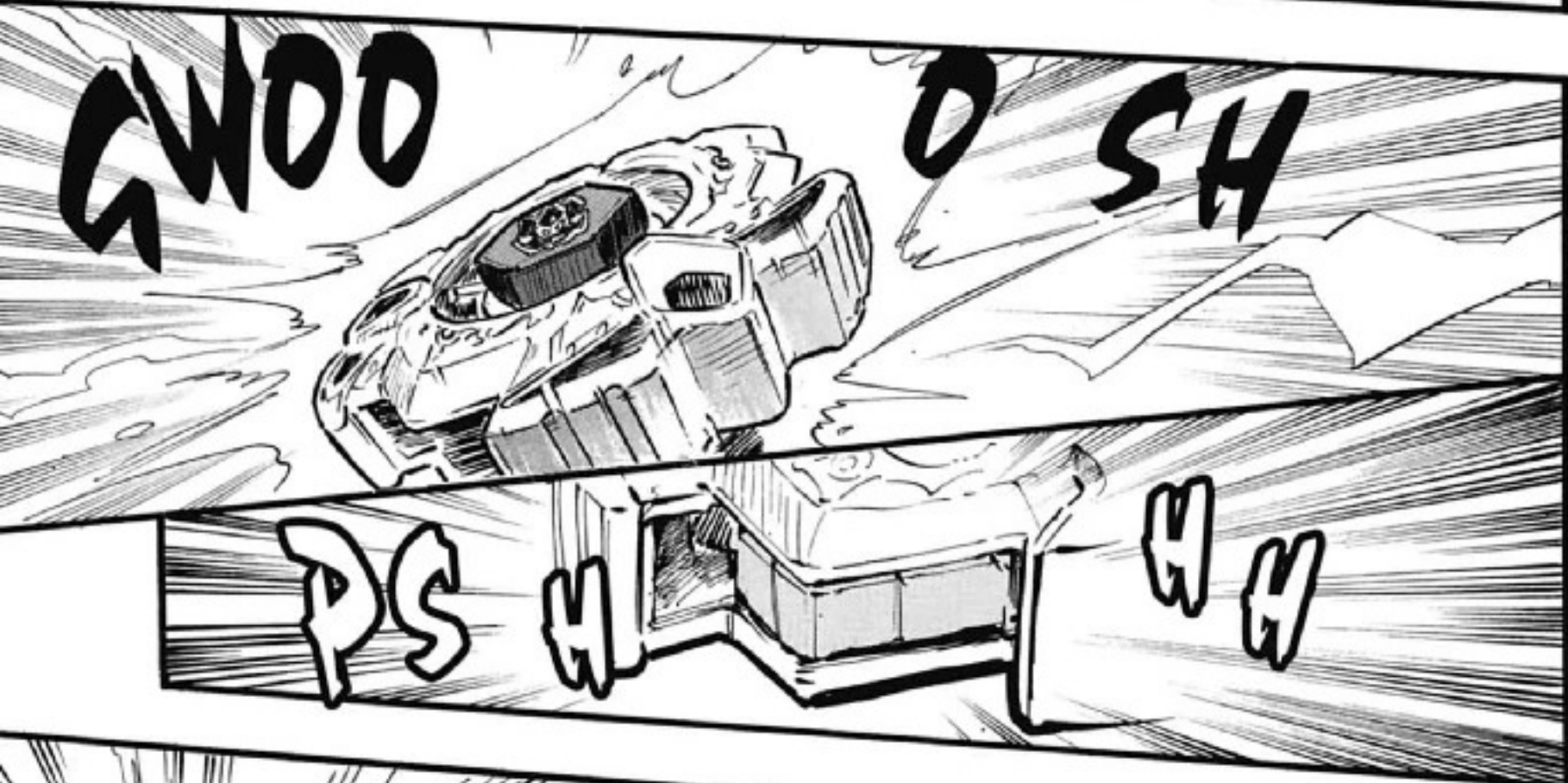
WHAT?!



IT SWITCHED FROM A "FLAT" PERFORMANCE TIP TO A "WIDE BALL" PERFORMANCE TIP !!



AND THAT'S NOT ALL !!



GWOO

O SH

PS

HI

HI

HI



W

ISH

HUH?!
ITS
WHEEL
TOO
?!

SHLAK



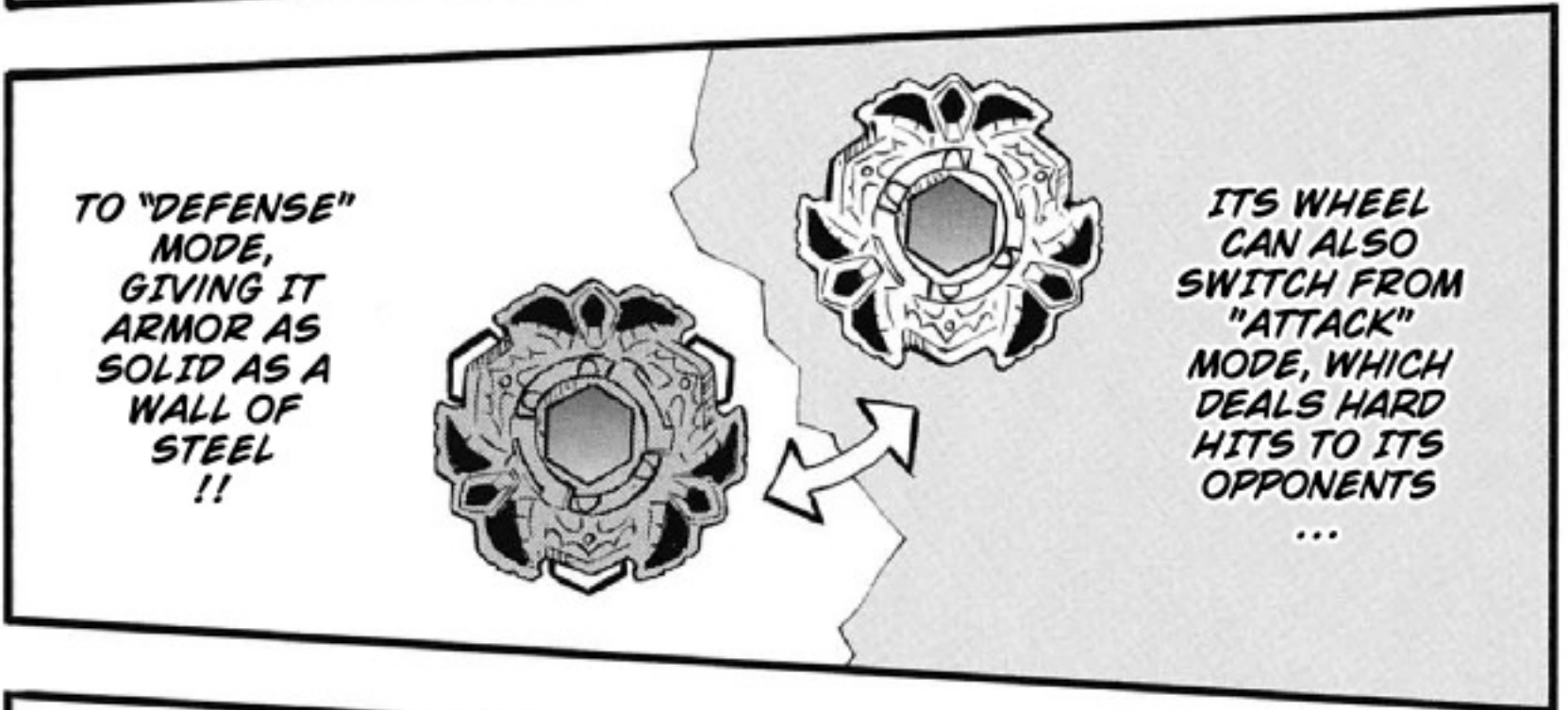
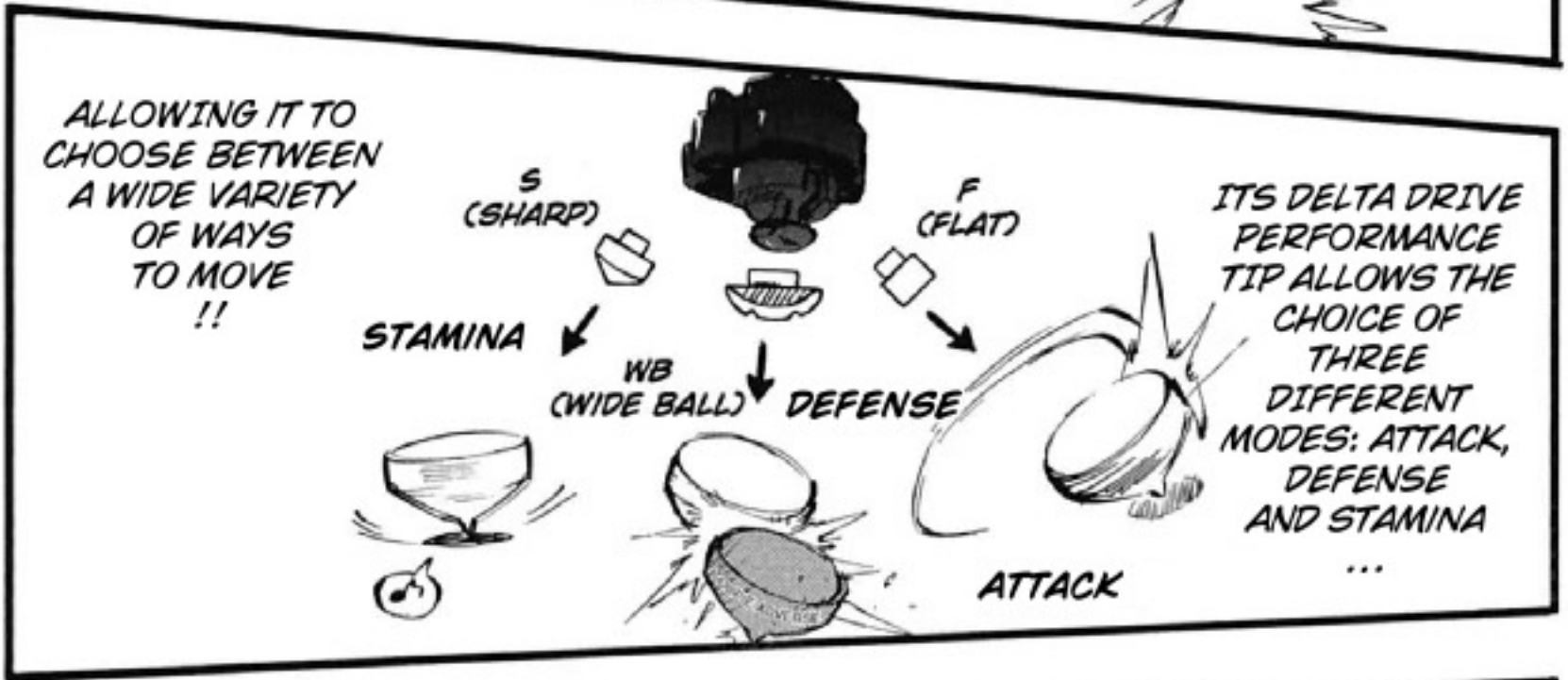
**OHHHH!
WHAT A
SHOCK
!!**

**THAT'S NOT
POSSIBLE!
JUST HOW MANY
DIFFERENT
MODES DOES
THIS BEY HAVE
?!**

**PEGASUS
HAS JUST
BEEN
DEALT A
TERRIBLE
BLOW
!!**

ZWAK

**ALLOW
ME TO EN-
LIGHTEN
YOU
...**





**ITS TWELVE
DIFFERENT
COMBINATIONS
MAKE IT A
COMPLETELY
INVINCIBLE
BEY
!!**



THE
POWER OF
THAT BEY IS
TRULY
FRIGHTENING
...

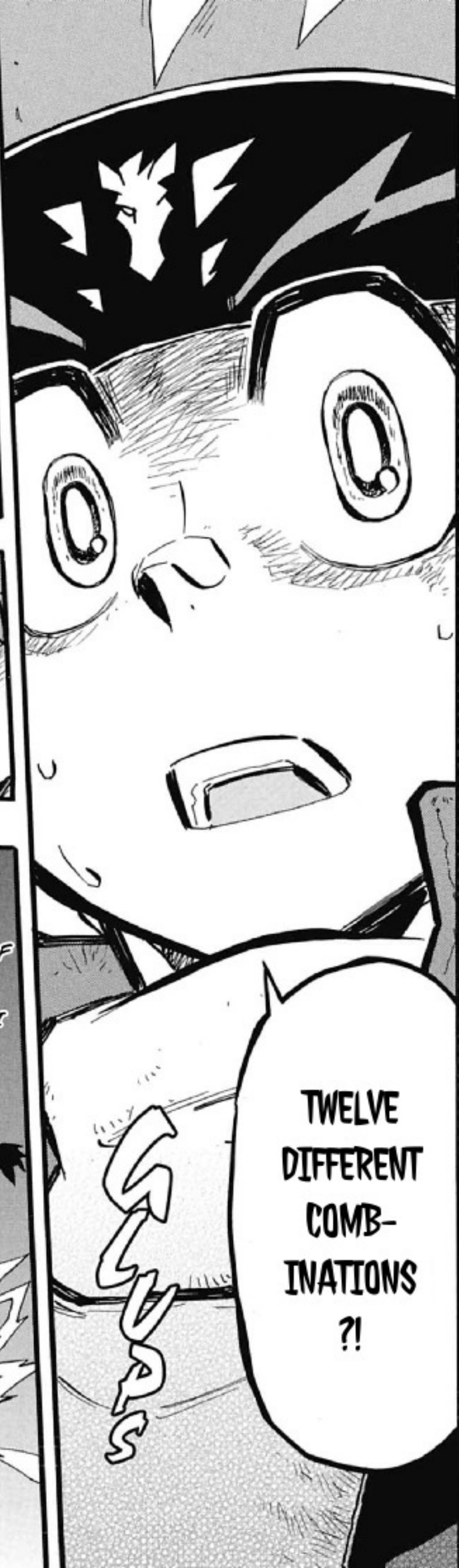


NO, KING
IS THE ONE
WHO'S
FRIGHTENING.



AND CHOOSE
THE APPROPRIATE
MODE TO
ADAPT TO THE
SITUATION
INSTANTLY
!

HE IS ABLE TO
MAKE THE MOST OF
ALL THE
COMBINATIONS
OFFERED BY VARI
ARES
...



TWELVE
DIFFERENT
COMB-
INATIONS
?!

SHOCK

HE LIVES UP
TO HIS
REPUTATION
AS A BLADING
PRODIGY
!!



ANYWAYS,
HERE
WE COME
!

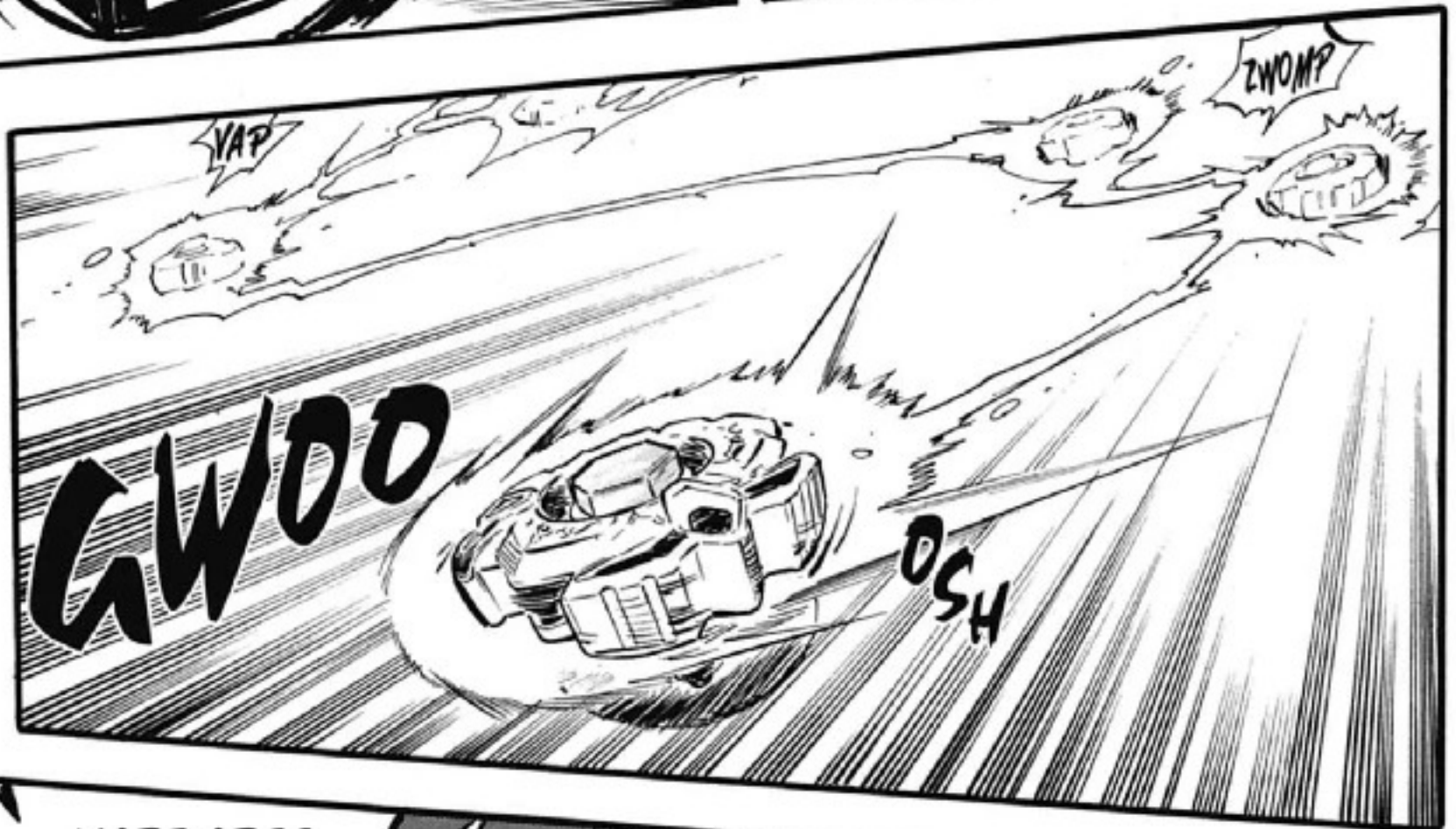
BY CLEVERLY
USING THESE
TWELVE
COMBINATIONS, I
CAN ADAPT TO ANY
SITUATION, AND
GAIN THE UPPER
HAND OVER MY
OPPONENT
!



ZWOMP

HAVE A
TASTE OF
MY
SPECIAL
MOVE
!!

ATTACK
VARI ARES
!!



VARI ARES
STRINGS
TOGETHER
ITS TWELVE
COMBINA-
TIONS TO
DELIVER A
FATAL
COMBO!

AS IT
COLLIDES
WITH ITS
OPPONENT
...

GWOOOSH



FLAWLESS

FIGHT!!





ZWO

WAAAH !!

UUUSH

LOOK!
PEGASUS IS
REALLY
TAKING A
BEATING
!!



NOT GOOD!
DID YOU SEE
THE NUMBER
OF BLOWS IT
TOOK?!
VARI ARES
WAS ABLE TO
LAND EVERY
SINGLE
COMBO!



I DIDN'T
SEE IT
BEFORE
...



URGH
...

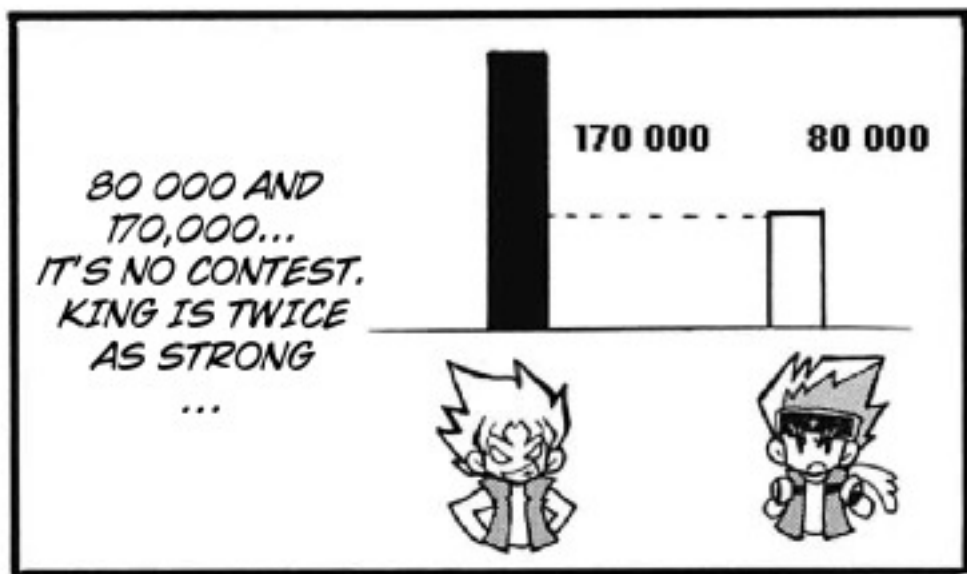
FWUM

FWUM



SO
THIS IS
THE TRUE
POWER
...

OF THE
PRODIGY OF
THE LEGENDARY
BLADERS
?



80 000 AND
170,000...
IT'S NO CONTEST.
KING IS TWICE
AS STRONG
...



LET'S SEE
WHAT THE
DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN
GINGKA AND
KING'S
POINTS IS
...

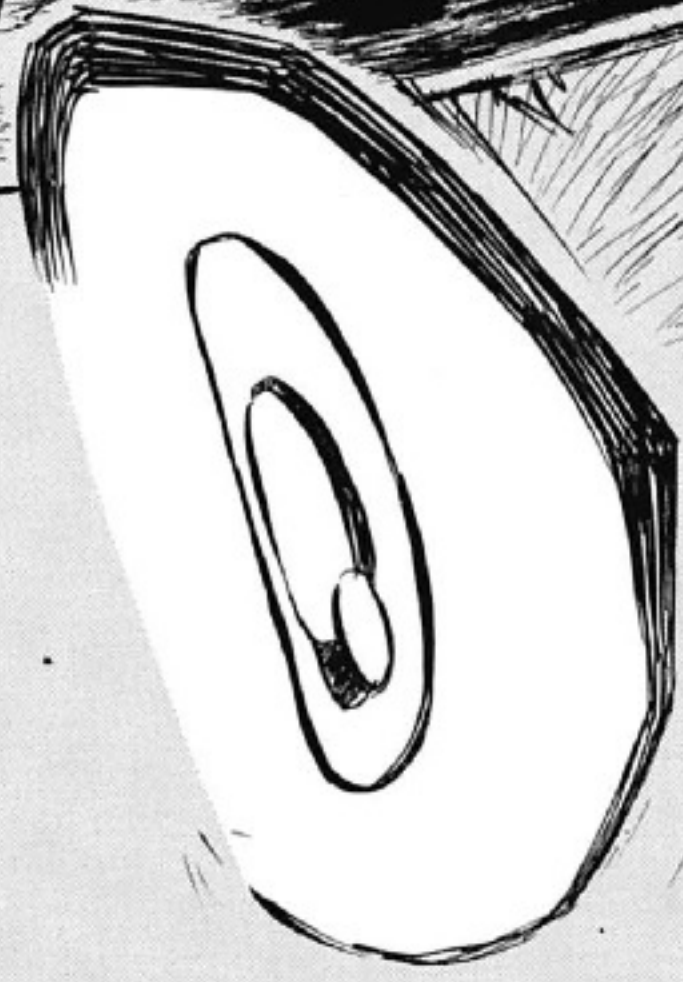


IS THIS IT?
IS THE TOUR-
NAMENT OVER
FOR ME
?



I DON'T STAND
A CHANCE AGAINST
AN OPPONENT
LIKE THAT
...

**FOR
GOODNESS'
SAKE,
GINGKA!
WHAT ARE
YOU DOING
OUT THERE
?!**



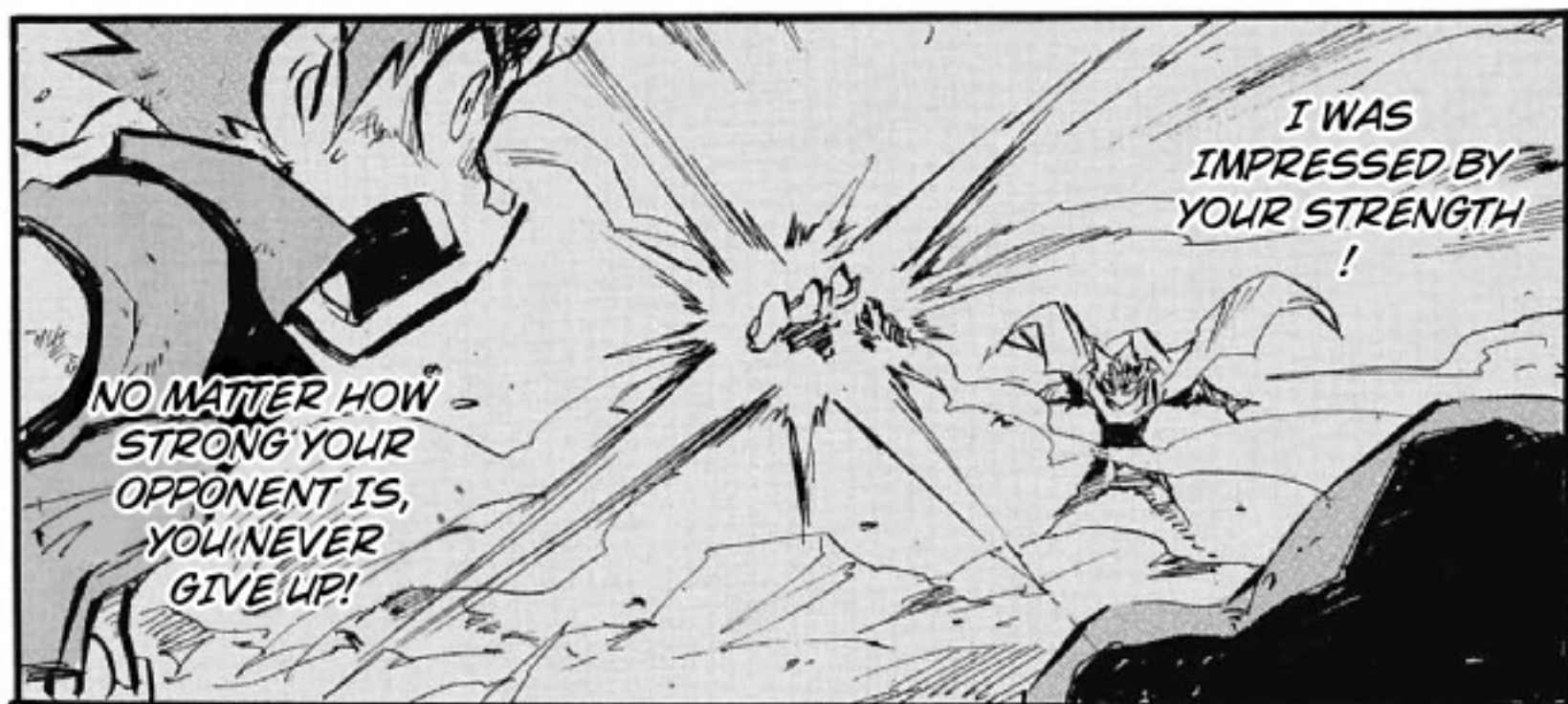


WELL,
WHEN
I MET
YOU
...



HOW I
BECAME
THIS
STRONG
...

EARLIER,
YOU
ASKED ME
...



NO MATTER HOW
STRONG YOUR
OPPONENT IS,
YOU NEVER
GIVE UP!

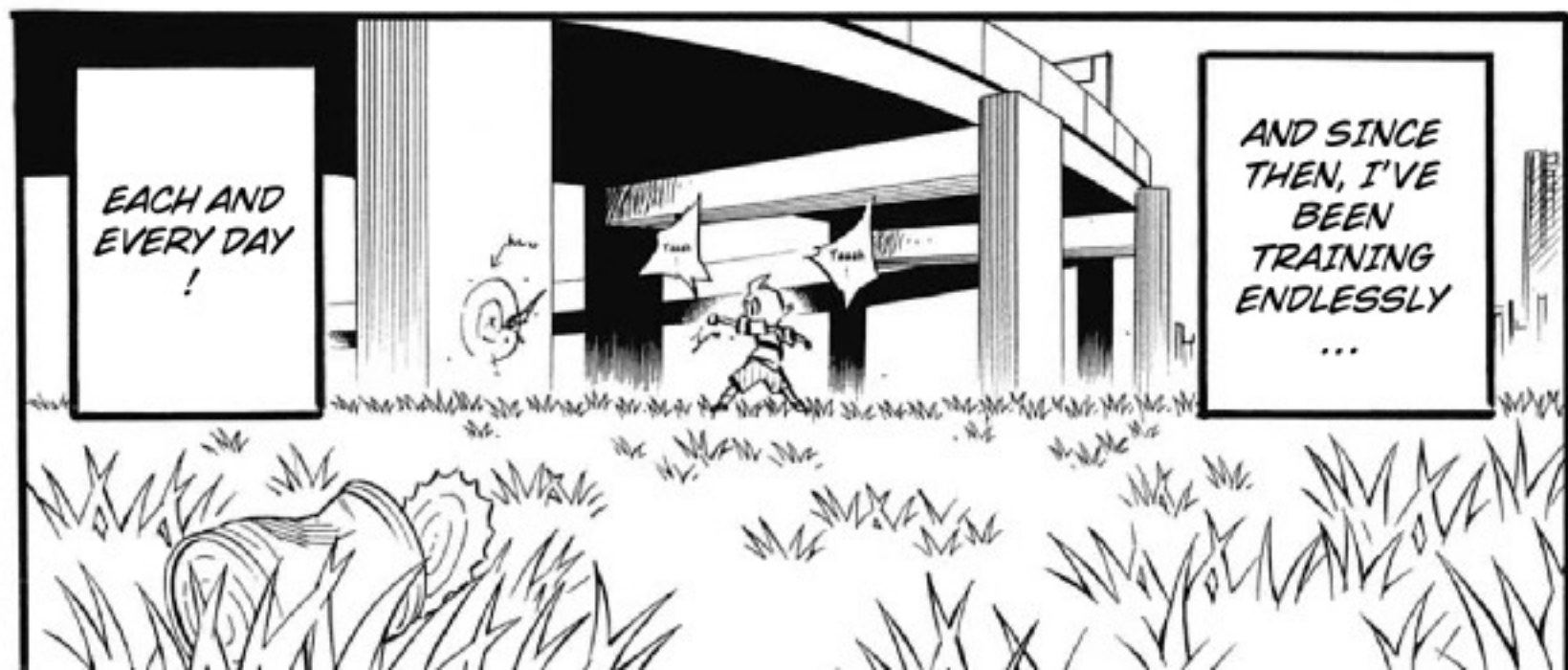
I WAS
IMPRESSED BY
YOUR STRENGTH
!



WATCHING
YOU BATTLE
MADE ME WANT
TO BECOME
STRONG,
TOO.



MY
STRENGTH
...



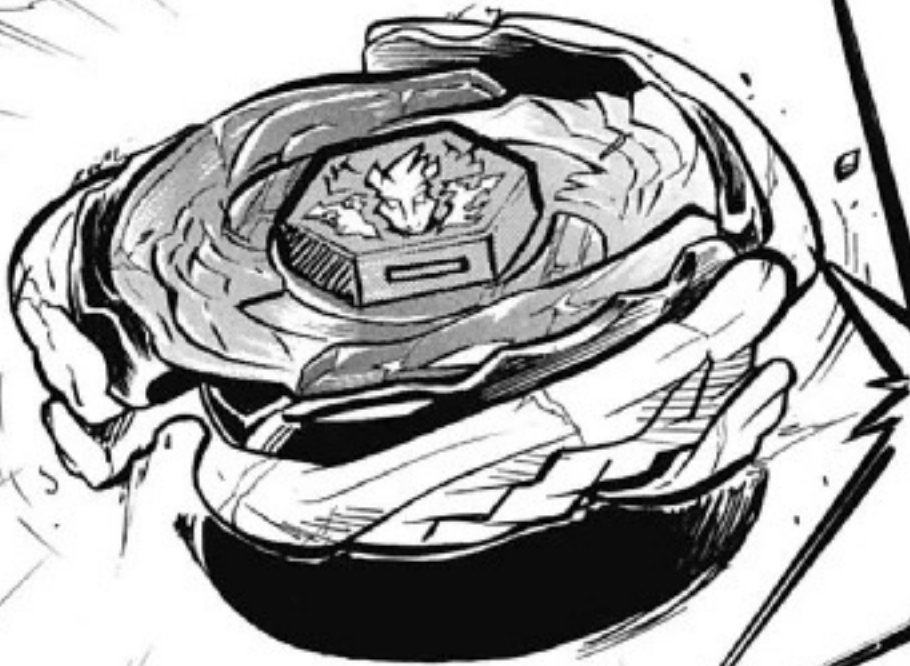
EACH AND
EVERY DAY
!

AND SINCE
THEN, I'VE
BEEN
TRAINING
ENDLESSLY
...

SO
...

IT'S THANKS
TO YOU
THAT I'VE
GOTTEN
STRONGER
!

THERE'S
NO WAY YOU
CAN LOSE
HERE
!!





YOU'RE
RIGHT
...



HMM
...



OH,
YOU'RE
GETTING
BACK UP
?



THE
STRONGER
THE
OPPONENT,
THE BETTER
!!

FOR ME
AND
PEGASUS
...

BRAND NEW

THEN I,
TOO, WILL
FIGHT TO
THE
BITTER
END

THE BLADERS WILL BE BACK
IN VOLUME 10!