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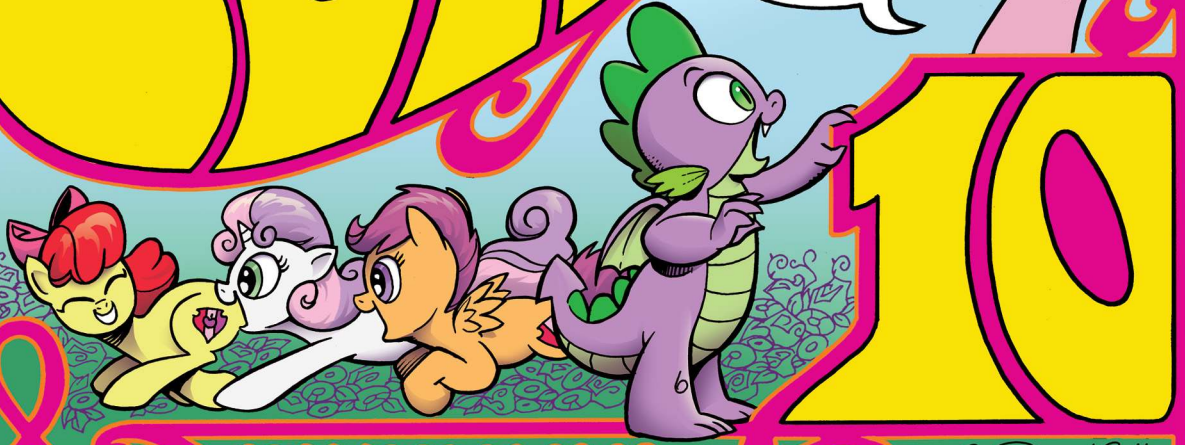
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TWILIGHT'S FIRST SUNRISE

EVENTS
BEGIN
AT
6:00 AM
YEAH EASY,
SORRY
BOOT TIME.
-TS

WHINNY & NEIGH

THE
SADDLERY

WINNER

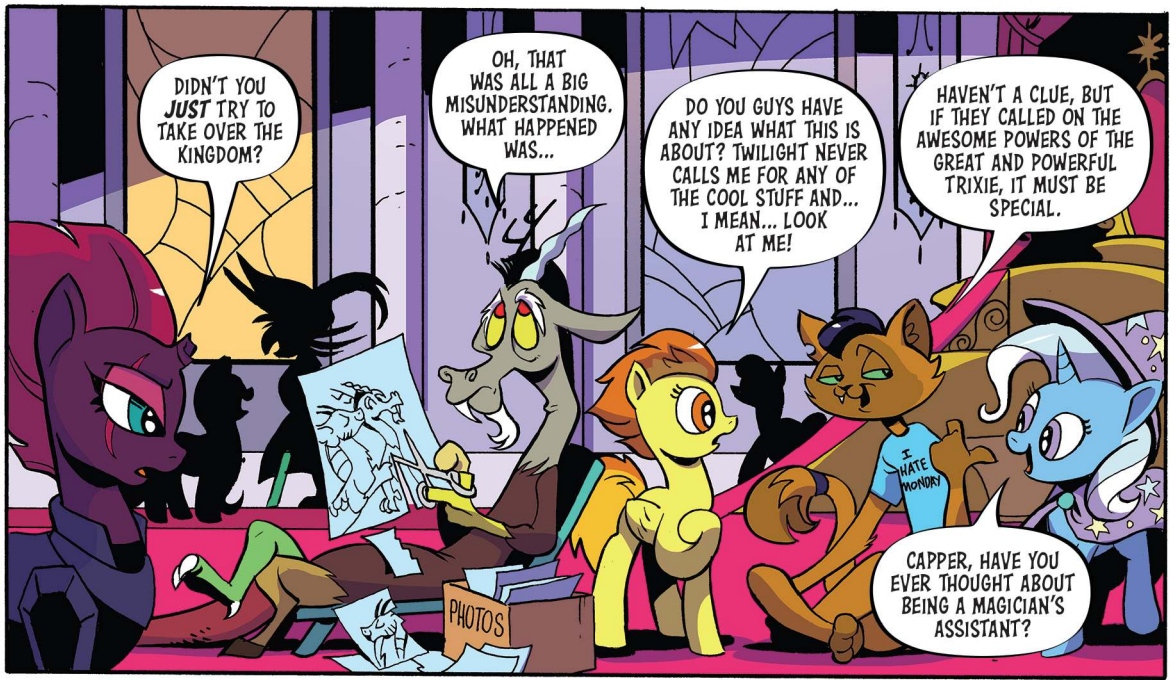
KEEP
ANTERLOT
CLEAN

YOU'VE GOTTA
BE KIDDING, THEY
INVITED YOU?!

PARDON ME,
DO WE EVEN KNOW
EACH OTHER?

LIKE...
COOL.







GOOD MORNING, EVERYPONY.

THANK YOU ALL FOR COMING ON SUCH SHORT NOTICE.



WHEN THE CROWN PRINCESS OF EQUESTRIA CALLS, ROCKHOOF ANSWERS.

SHE RAISES THE SUN ONCE AND NOW EVERYPONY THINKS SHE'S SPECIAL.



SINCE I'VE TAKEN OVER AS PRINCESS OF EQUESTRIA, I'VE BEEN DOING A LOT OF THINKING ABOUT MY REIGN.

I NEARLY MISSED RAISING THE SUN BECAUSE I WAS SO WORRIED ABOUT WHAT WILL SET ME APART.

BUT THEN A GOOD FRIEND REMINDED ME THAT I ALREADY KNEW THE ANSWER.



I MEAN, THAT IS KINDA MY JOB.



SO, I HAD A CHAT WITH THE SMARTEST PONIES I KNOW ABOUT HOW TO DO IT, AND WE CAME UP WITH A PLAN FOR WHAT TO DO AND WHO COULD HELP US.

AND YOU'RE ALL HERE BECAUSE YOUR NAMES WERE ON THE LIST.

STARSWIRL, WOULD YOU DO THE HONORS?





MOST OF THESE CHANGES, THESE NEW FRIENDSHIPS AND EXPLORATIONS I LISTED, WERE A RESULT OF ADVENTURES I HAD WITH MY FRIENDS.

THESE FIVE PONIES IN FRONT OF YOU.

AND SPIKE, OF COURSE.



BUT THINGS HAVE CHANGED. I AM NEEDED HERE.

AS THE PRINCESS OF EQUESTRIA, I JUST CAN'T GO RUNNING OFF TO EXPLORE A NEW COUNTRY BECAUSE I WANT TO.



BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN MY FRIENDS CAN'T DO IT.

AND IN THE SPIRIT OF STRENGTHENING FRIENDSHIPS AND MAKING NEW ONES, I HAD THEM CHOOSE THEIR OWN NEW GROUP OF FRIENDS TO TAKE WITH THEM.



LADIES, TAKE IT AWAY.

FIRST, AND OBVIOUSLY THE BEST TEAM, TEAM RAINBOW DASH. WE'LL BE GOING TO MEET CAPTAIN CELAENO'S PEOPLE IN THE PARROT PEAKS!



RAINBOW DASH
SPEEDSTER. WONDERBOLT. LOYAL.

LYRA HEARTSTRINGS
MUSICIAN. SECRET AGENT.

SWEETIE "BONBON" DROPS
MONSTER HUNTER. SECRET AGENT.

CAPTAIN CELAENO
PIRATE. PARROT. PILOT.

SPITFIRE
FAST AND FURIOUS.



HONESTLY, I WASN'T REALLY COMFORTABLE WITH THE IDEA OF LEADING A GROUP ON MY OWN, SO...

FLUTTERSHY
A FRIEND TO ALL ANIMALS. KIND.

CAPPER
WE'RE GOING WHERE HE'S FROM!

DISCORD
I CAN WRITE MY OWN PITHY CAPTION, THANK YOU!

WE'RE ROAD TRIPPIN' TO SEE THE ABYSSINIANS TOGETHER!

PINKIE PIE
THE BEST.

TRIXIE
GREAT. POWERFUL.

OF COURSE, THE FIERCEST AND MOST FASHIONABLE TEAM WILL BE TEAM RARITY. WE'RE GOING TO THE HIDDEN KINGDOM OF THE DIAMOND DOGS.



BIG MAC
THE MUSCLE.

RARITY
DESIGNER. ENTREPRENEUR. GENEROUS.

MAUD
THE BRAINS.

MAGE MEADOWBROOK
THE MAGIC.

AND THAT JUST LEAVES THE TEAM THAT'S GONNA GET THE JOB DONE AND RIGHT THE FIRST TIME. WE'RE HEADED TO THE ZEBRA HOMELAND.



HAD YOU TOLD ME WHERE WE GO, THEN I WOULD HAVE ANSWERED NO.

APPLEJACK
I DON'T NEED A FANCY DESCRIPTION, HONEST.

ROCKHOOF
HE SHOVELS WELL.

TEMPEST SHADOW
FORMER GENERAL. POWERFUL MAGE.

ZECORA
ZEBRA AND... WHERE IS SHE GOING?





YOU LISTEN TO ME AND YOU LISTEN WELL, BECAUSE I WILL NOT REPEAT THIS.

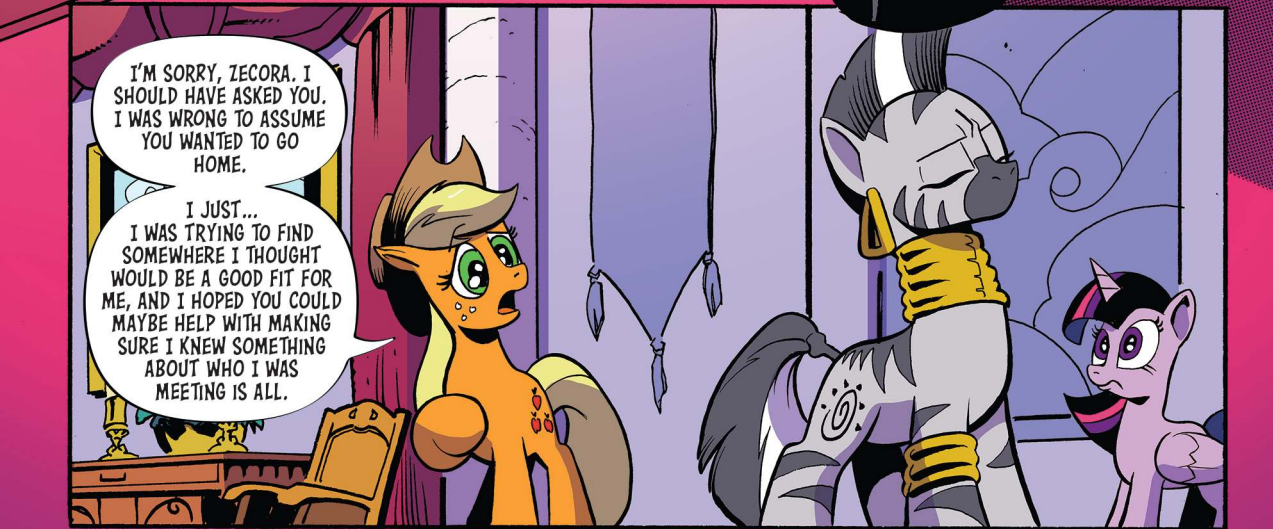
YOU KNOW NOTHING ABOUT MY LIFE OR WHERE I COME FROM. YOU KNOW NOTHING ABOUT WHO I WAS BEFORE I CAME TO EQUESTRIA. YOU KNOW NOTHING.

FOR ALL YOU KNOW, YOU ARE ASKING ME TO WALK INTO A PLACE WHERE I AM NOT WANTED, OR I AM IN DANGER.

AND YOU PRESUME TO ACT AS IF I SHOULD BE GRATEFUL THAT YOU HAVE GIVEN ME SO LITTLE THOUGHT.

THINK EVEN OF YOUR OWN LIFE FOR A MOMENT. WHAT IF I INVITED YOU TO AN EVENT TO WHICH YOU WERE TO BRING YOUR MOTHER?

AND WHEN YOU TOLD ME ABOUT YOUR MOTHER, I CHIDED YOU FOR NOT BEING HAPPY.



I'M SORRY, ZECORA. I SHOULD HAVE ASKED YOU. I WAS WRONG TO ASSUME YOU WANTED TO GO HOME.

I JUST... I WAS TRYING TO FIND SOMEWHERE I THOUGHT WOULD BE A GOOD FIT FOR ME, AND I HOPED YOU COULD MAYBE HELP WITH MAKING SURE I KNEW SOMETHING ABOUT WHO I WAS MEETING IS ALL.



APPLEJACK, MY PONY FRIEND, OUR ARGUMENT IS AT AN END. YOU HAVE CAUGHT ME BY SURPRISE, AND YOUR POSITION WAS UNWISE.



MY PRIVATE LIFE I KEEP MY OWN, AND THAT INCLUDES MY FAR-OFF HOME. I LEFT A FOAL WITH GREAT FRUSTRATION, SO, A RETURN IS NO VACATION.

BUT IF IT IS A SERVICE, I CAN PROVIDE, I WILL PUSH DOWN ANGER AND PRIDE. YOU'VE BEEN A GREAT FRIEND, APPLEJACK, AND ON THIS QUEST, I HAVE YOUR BACK.



I APPRECIATE THAT, ZECORA. AND I'M SORRY I SPRUNG THAT ON YOU.

I THOUGHT YOU'D BE EXCITED, BUT I REALLY NEED YOUR HELP, TOO.

LOOK AT THAT, SUCH PERFECT TIMING. WE MAKE UP AND YOU START RHYMING.



HEH... I GUESS I DID! I DIDN'T REALLY... WAIT!

WHEN YOU WERE YELLING AT ME, NONE OF THAT RHYMED!



WHY DIDN'T IT RHYME?!

IF TO MY HOME WE'RE GOING TO GO, REALIZE HOW MUCH YOU DO NOT KNOW.

FAIR 'NUFF.



EH, I GUESS IT'S PRETTY COOL.

I MEAN, OUR SHIP FLIES, BUT...

RAINBOW DASH, DID YOU COME TO WISH ME CLEAR SAILIN', OR JUST TO BRAG ABOUT YOUR AIRSHIP?

I DON'T SEE WHY IT CAN'T BE BOTH. ANYWAY, I KNOW YOU'LL BE FINE. YOU CAN HANDLE ANYTHING.



NOW, YOU BE SURE TO BRING ME BACK SOMETHING COOL, BIG SISTER. NONE OF MY FRIENDS HAVE ANYTHING FROM THE ZEBRA HOMELAND.

HEH, WELL, I'LL BE SURE TO FIND YOU SOMETHING.



YOU KNOW I'LL BE RIGHT BACK, RIGHT?

YUP.

WHAT'S YOUR HOME CALLED, ANYHOW?

MY HOME IS ON THE FARASIAN COAST. AND WE'LL FIND YOU A PRESENT, SO YOU CAN BRAG.

HEY, FEARLESS LEADER--



ARE YOU PLANNING ON SAILING TODAY OR JUST HUGGING, BECAUSE ROCKHOOF AND I CAN HANDLE THIS ON OUR OWN IF YOU'D LIKE.

VERILY!



WE'RE COMING, TEMPEST! YOU SURE YOU'RE A UNICORN AND NOT A DONKEY?

HEY NOW--



I VOLUNTEERED MY BOAT FOR THIS JOURNEY, I'LL NOT HAVE YOU COMPARING US TO THIS WOULD-BE TYRANT.

APOLOGIES, CRANKY, I DIDN'T MEAN NOTHIN' BUT THAT SHE'S STUBBORN.

WELL, THAT I'LL GRANT YOU. RAGAMUFFIN!



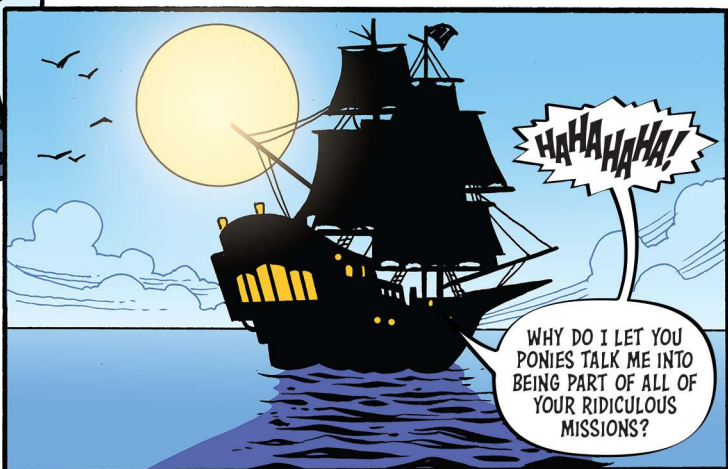
DID HE JUST CALL ME A RAGAMUFFIN?

NAH, MISS, HE'S CALLING ME! S'MY NAME, RAGAMUFFIN, YEAH? I'LL BE YOUR FIRST MATE, WHA?



THAT'S A PURTY CRAZY ACCENT HE'S GOT.

AYE, IT IS A MITE... UNUSUAL.



Dear Lil Sis,
We've been at sea for a week now,
and things have been pretty weird.

The first night, we ran
into a nasty storm.

Cranky told everyone to get below
deck, but Tempest decided she
was gonna fight it.

Y'all will be as surprised as I
was to learn that it worked.

IS THAT ALL YOU
GOT?! YOU'RE BARELY
A SPRINKLE!

I still can't reckon
just how she did it.

On the third day, we were
attacked by pirates, but
not the normal pony pirates.

LET'S
TAKE THEIR SHIP,
SALTY DOGS!



That's when we found out about the secret member of the crew that Cranky had brought along.

LISTEN HERE, YOU LITTLE DOGGIES, I CAN'T LET YOU ATTACK MY BEST BUDDY CRANKY'S SHIP!

GOOD SAVE, STEVEN!

And day five brought us into angry narwhal territory.

They had put holes all in the ship before we could change our course.

Ya might think that woulda been the end of our journey, right?

But honestly, I've never seen Rockhoop happier.

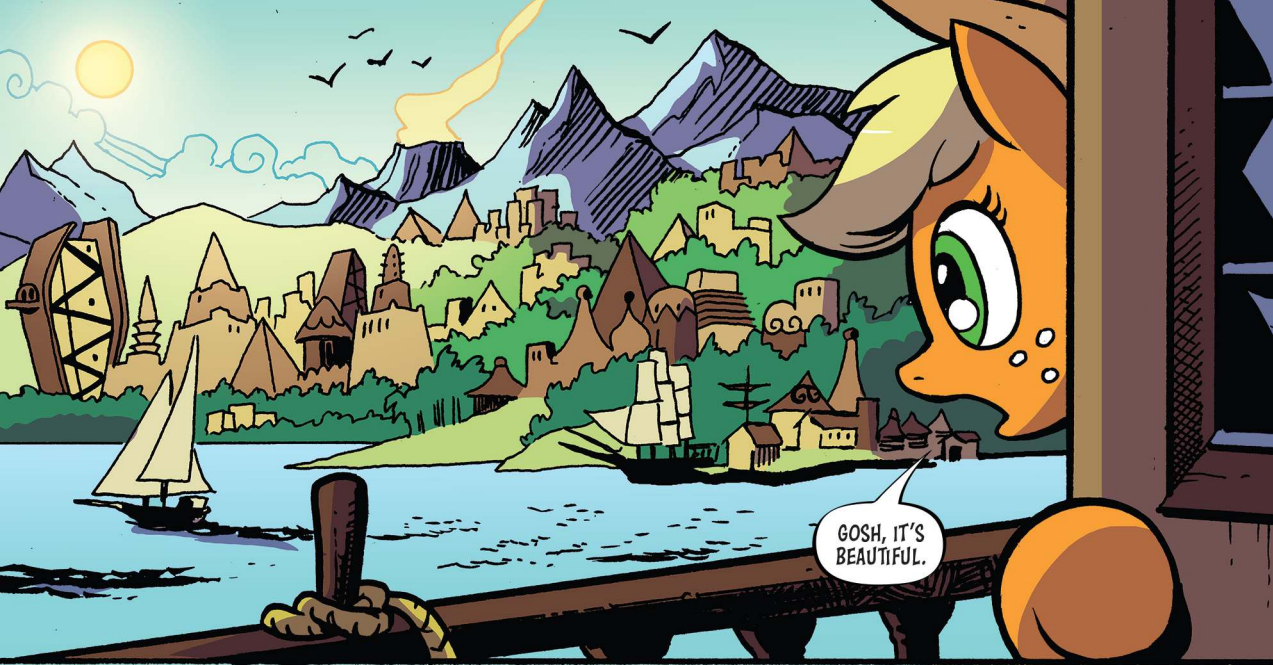
FINALLY! A PROBLEM I CAN SOLVE WITH A SHOVEL!

As I write this, we are approaching the coast of Farasi, and I hope to find some way to send--

APPLEJACK, ARE YOU... WHY ARE YOU SITTING IN THE DARK?

WELL, IT WAS FOR DRAMATIC EFFECT, UNTIL YOU SHOWED UP.

WHATEVER. WE'RE ALMOST THERE. YOU SHOULD PROBABLY COME UP.



GOSH, IT'S BEAUTIFUL.



UH-OH.



YOU OKAY?

APPLEJACK, I'VE MADE AN ERROR. NOW MY HEART IS FILLED WITH TERROR.



LISTEN, I KNOW YOU SAID YOU DON'T WANNA TALK ABOUT IT, BUT IF YOU CHANGE YOUR MIND, I'M RIGHT HERE.

AT THIS MOMENT, ON THE BRINK, ALL I WANT TO DO IS THINK. WHEN I'VE DECIDED WHAT TO SAY, I... I'LL...

I WILL LET YOU KNOW.



TAKE YOUR TIME.

BUT YOU SHOULD KNOW TWILIGHT HAS ARRANGED FOR SOMEONY FROM YOUR TOWN TO MEET US.

WHAT?! WHO?!





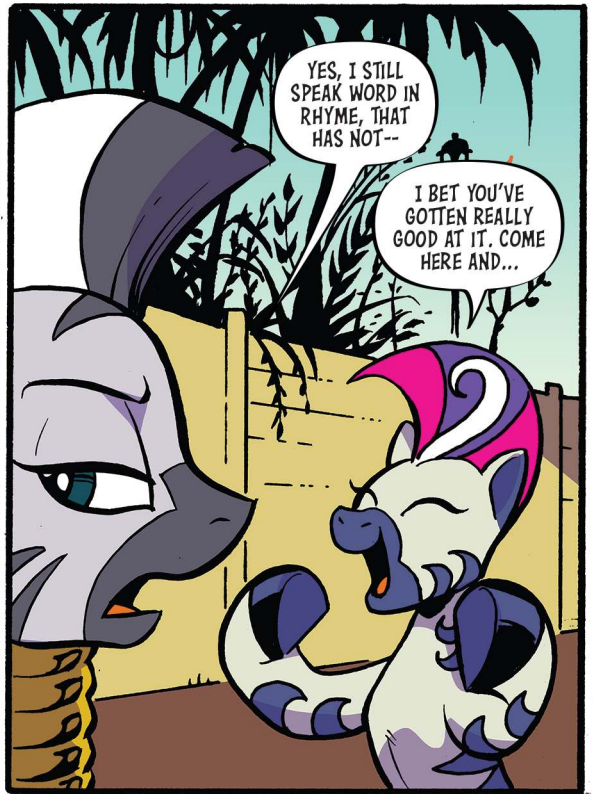
KID, IT'S BEEN YEARS! YOU LOOK SO DIFFERENT!

GET OVER HERE AND GIVE YOUR BEST FRIEND A HUG!



HELLO, MARINI,
AS YOU CAN SEE, I
HAVE BROUGHT SOME
FRIENDS WITH
ME.

OH GOSH, ARE
YOU STILL DOING
THAT?! WOW!



YES, I STILL
SPEAK WORD IN
RHYME, THAT
HAS NOT--

I BET YOU'VE
GOTTEN REALLY
GOOD AT IT. COME
HERE AND...



NO!

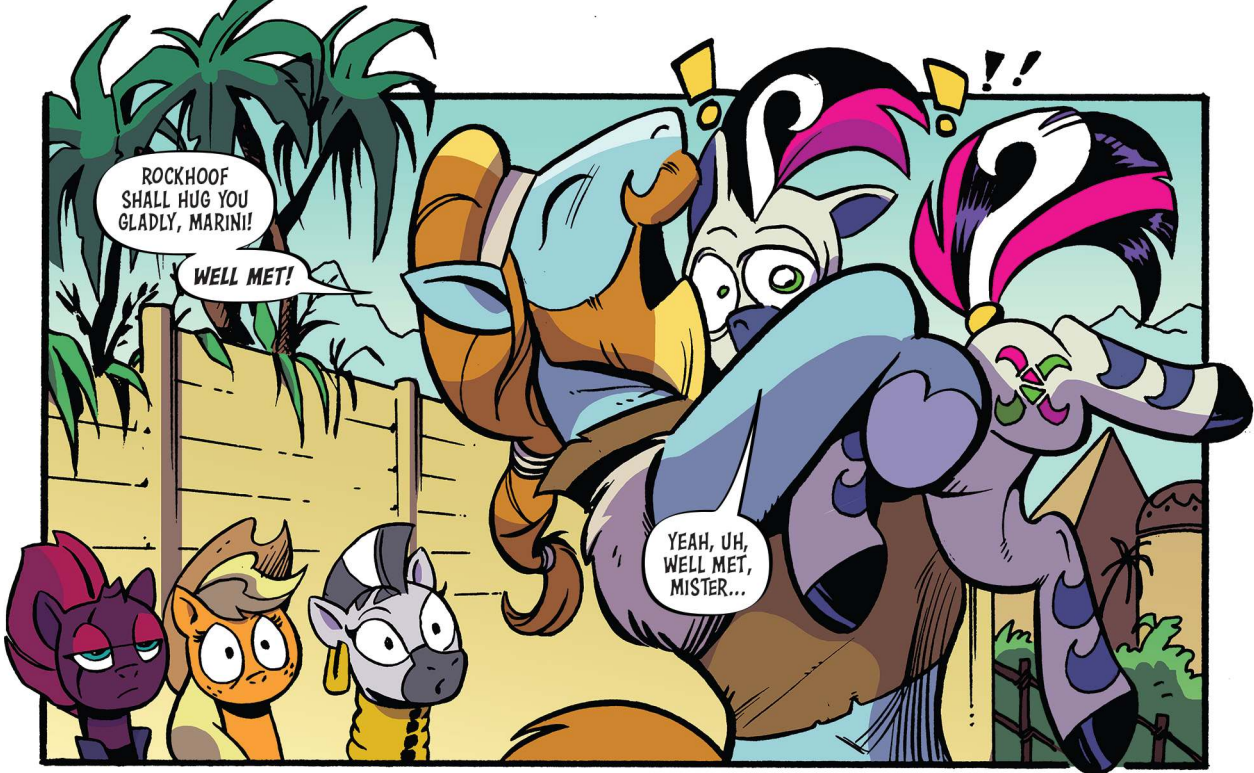
IT'S BEEN
YEARS SINCE I'VE
SEEN YOUR FACE, I
DO NOT WISH FOR
THIS EMBRACE.



LISTEN, I'M A
PRO AT SHUTTING
DOWN HUGS, AND
THAT WAS NEXT
LEVEL.

YEAH, I
GOT THAT TOO.
I DON'T KNOW
WHAT--

HAIL!



ROCKHOOF SHALL HUG YOU GLADLY, MARINI!

WELL MET!

YEAH, UH, WELL MET, MISTER...

DID YOU SAY ROCKHOOF? LIKE, FROM THE LEGENDS?

YE'VE HEARD OF ME?

I HAD A BOOK ABOUT YOU AS A KID! MY MOM USED TO READ IT TO ME ALL THE TIME.

I THOUGHT ROCKHOOF HAD DISAPPEARED A THOUSAND YEARS AGO?!

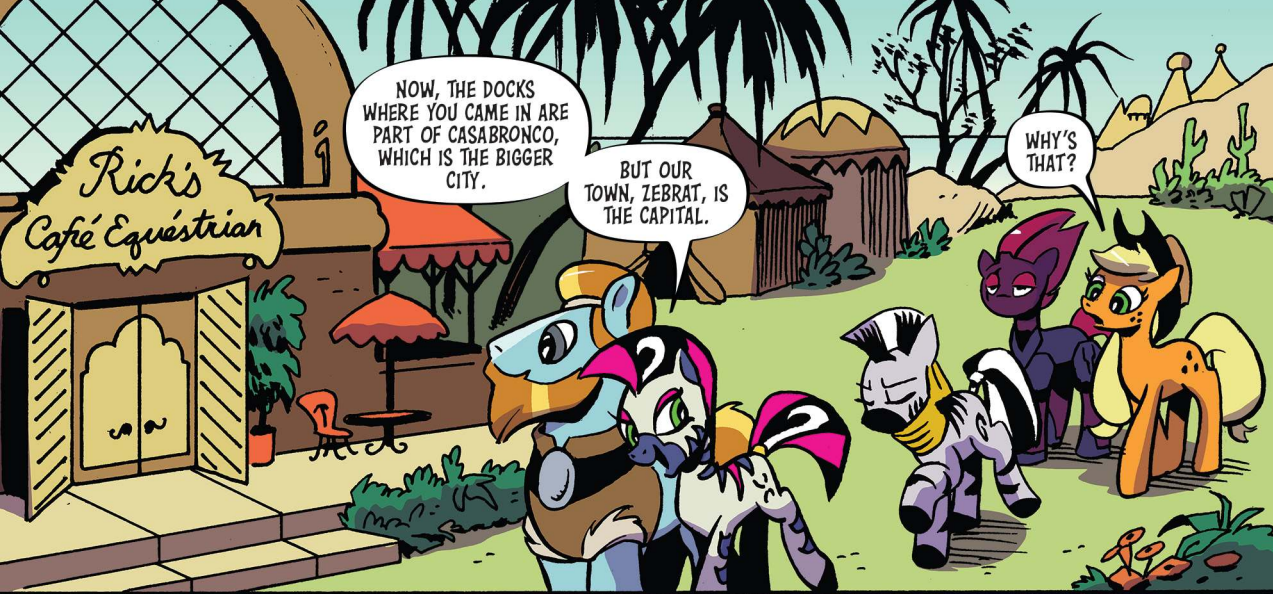
FUNNY STORY THAT IS! YOU SEE, THERE WAS THIS WELL...

THIS IS GOING TO BE A LONG TRIP.



~SIGH~

YEAH, IT'S GONNA BE SOMETHIN' ALRIGHT.



NOW, THE DOCKS WHERE YOU CAME IN ARE PART OF CASABRONCO, WHICH IS THE BIGGER CITY.

BUT OUR TOWN, ZEBRAT, IS THE CAPITAL.

WHY'S THAT?



OH, I THOUGHT FOR SURE ZECORA WOULD HAVE TOLD YOU.

IT'S THE HOME OF PRINCE ABRAXAS, ONE OF THE FOUR PRINCES OF FARASI.



OH, GOSH, DIDN'T KNOW I'D BE MEETING A PRINCE. MAYBE TWILIGHT SHOULD'A SENT SOMEONY ELSE.

IN MY EXPERIENCE, MOST ROYALTY IS DISAPPOINTING. FOR A WHILE THERE I WAS TURNING A PRINCE OR PRINCESS TO STONE ONCE A WEEK.



YOU DON'T PLAN ON TURNING THIS ONE TO STONE, DO YOU?

NOT UNLESS HE GETS ON MY NERVES.

SO... ABOUT A FIFTY-FIFTY CHANCE.

OH, LOOK WHO IT IS!

IT'S THE WHOLE WELCOME WAGON!

OH, MY STARS.

THE WHOLE VILLAGE
CAME TO GREET YOU ALL, BUT
ZECORA AND MY OLD FRIENDS
WERE PARTICULARLY EXCITED.
MAY I INTRODUCE--

DUST DEVIL.

OH MY GOSH!
IT'S REALLY
YOU!

CACTUS ROSE.

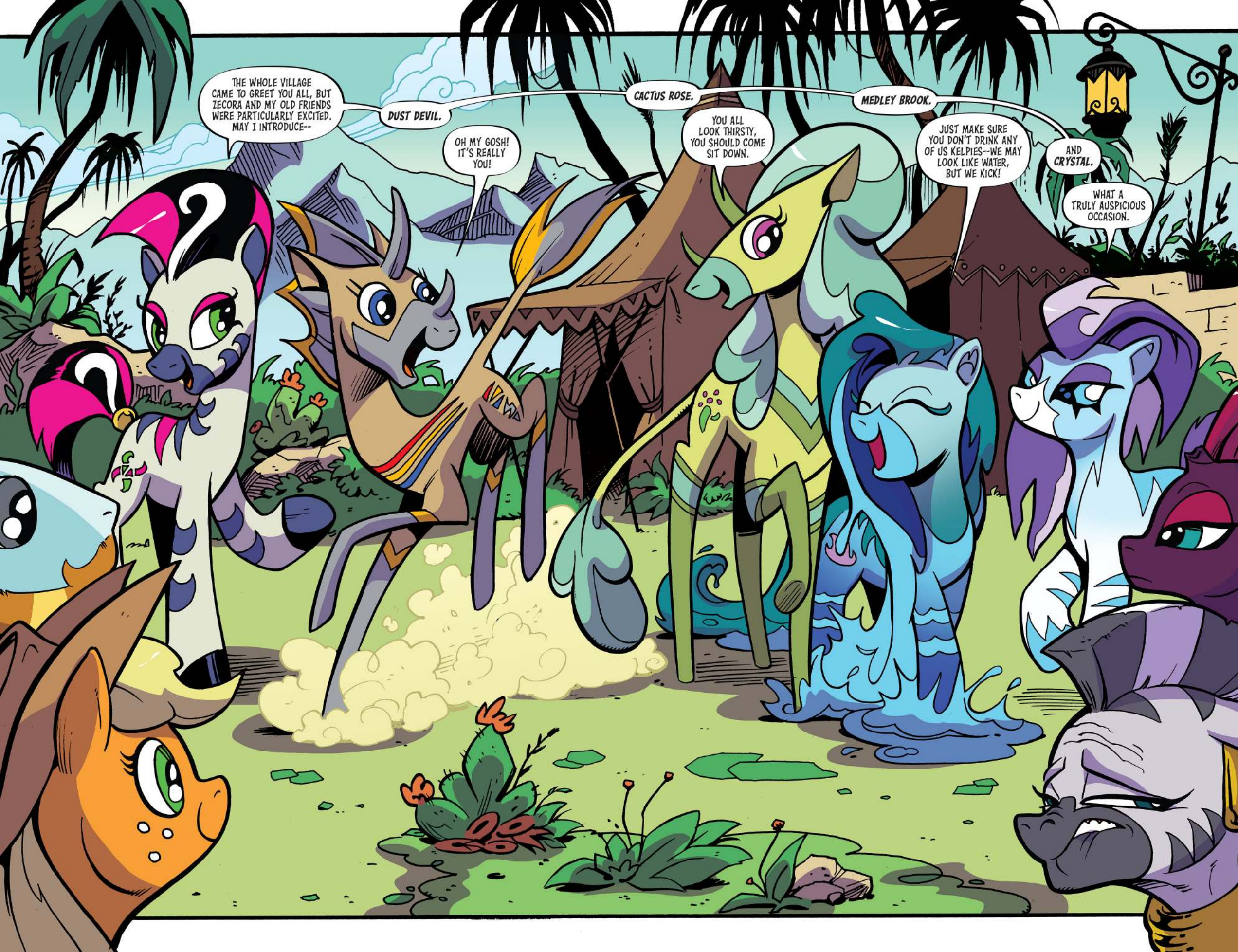
YOU ALL
LOOK THIRSTY,
YOU SHOULD COME
SIT DOWN.

MEDLEY BROOK.

JUST MAKE SURE
YOU DON'T DRINK ANY
OF US KELPIES--WE MAY
LOOK LIKE WATER,
BUT WE KICK!

AND
CRYSTAL.

WHAT A
TRULY AUSPICIOUS
OCCASION.



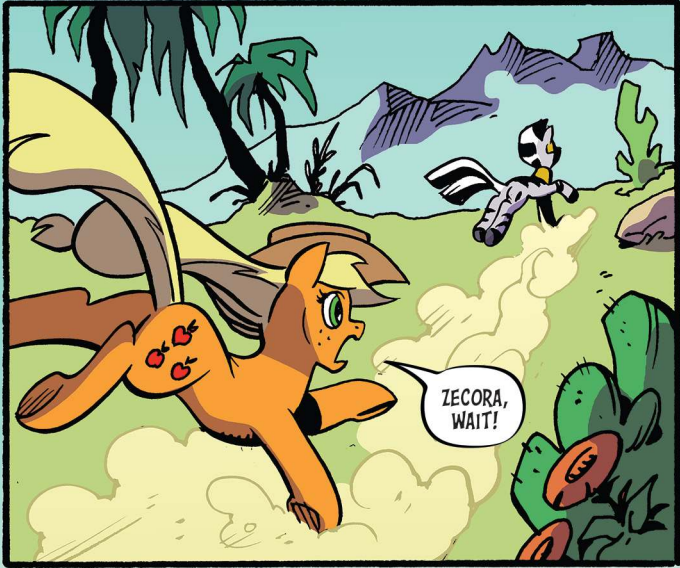


WELL, AREN'T YOU GOING TO SAY "HI" TO YOUR OLD FRIENDS?



ZECORA, ARE YOU OKAY?

NO...



ZECORA, WAIT!



WHO WANTS TO HEAR A TALE OF THE GREAT ROCKHOOF?!

SIGH:

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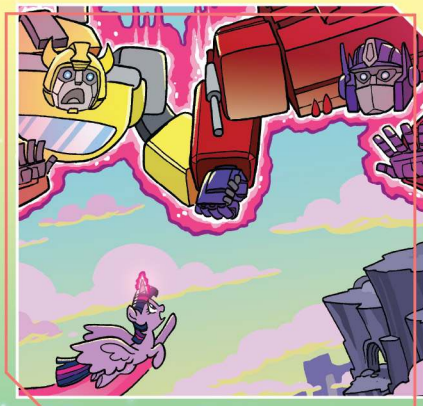
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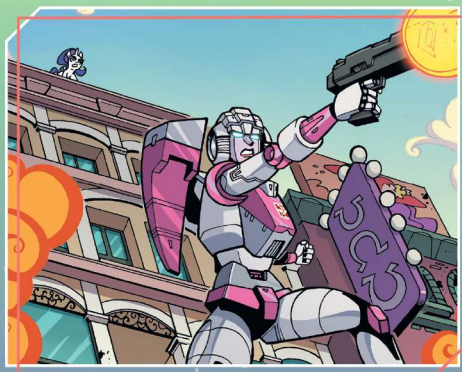
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EQUESTRIA





YES! IT'S WORKING!

KEEP SPELLCASTING, MY LOYAL CHANGELINGS!

SOON, EQUESTRIA WILL PAY! NOT JUST FOR MY MOST RECENT IMPRISONMENT--

--BUT FOR FAILING TO KNEEL BEFORE QUEEN CHRYSALIS!



BUT HURRY IT UP.

I KNOW WE'VE NEVER ATTEMPTED THIS BEFORE, BUT I CERTAINLY WASN'T EXPECTING IT TO BROADCAST SUCH OBVIOUS RED FLAGS.



--BUT OUR MAGICS WILL BRING FORTH FELLOW CHANGELINGS FROM OTHER WORLDS!

BEINGS WHO POSSESS A NATURE AND POWER OUTSIDE ANYTHING THIS WRETCHED PONY-FILLED WORLD HAS EVER SEEN!



THERE! I FEEL IT!

THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN WORLDS IS CRACKING!

WE MAY BE OUTNUMBERED HERE--

CYBERTRON

AUTOBOTS! IF THE DECEPTICONS WANT THE FAULTY SPACEBRIDGE--IT CAN'T BE FOR ANYTHING GOOD.

WE'LL STOP 'EM, OPTIMUS!

THE ONLY THING YOU'LL BE STOPPING, AUTOBUM, IS--

--ANOTHER STARScream EGO-TRIP?

GOOD!

REPORT, SHOCKWAVE! IS THIS TRULY WORTH BURNING ENERGON FOR?

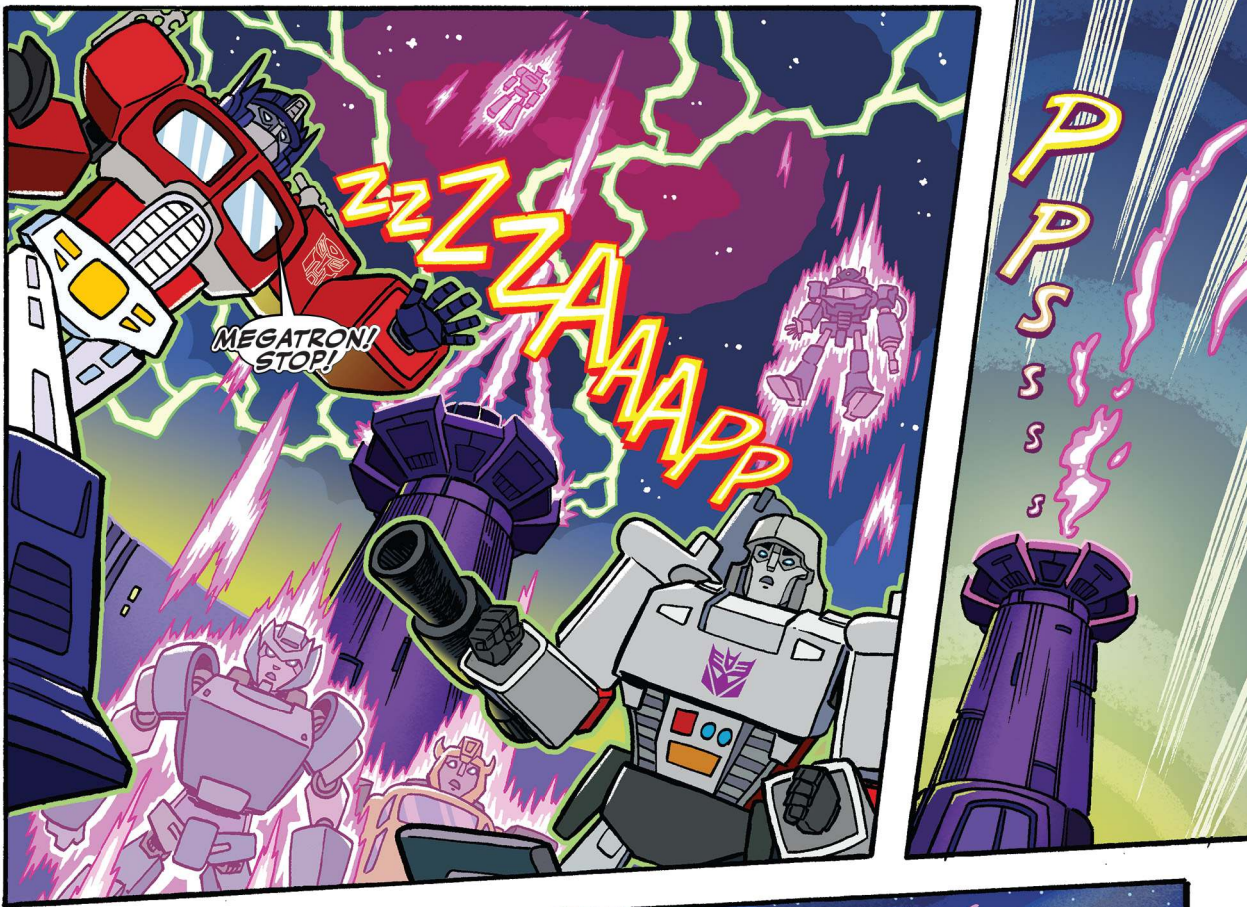
YES, LORD MEGATRON! THE DATA FROM THIS MALFUNCTIONING UNIT IS UNLIKE ANYTHING WE'VE SEEN!

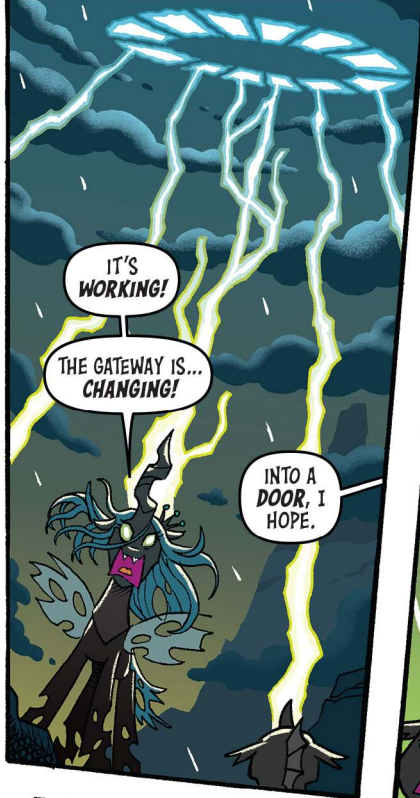
THIS SPACE BRIDGE WAS NOT REACHING OUT ACROSS THE STARS--

--IT WAS CRACKING A BREACH TO OTHER DIMENSIONS!

DON'T ACTIVATE IT NOW, YOU FOOL!

I MERELY REQUIRE A COORDINATE DATA CYCLE IN ORDER TO--





IT'S WORKING!

THE GATEWAY IS... CHANGING!

INTO A DOOR, I HOPE.



ONE THAT YOU AND YOUR DAY-DARKENING FRIENDS MIGHT SEND THAT STORM BACK THROUGH?

PRINCESS TWILIGHT?!



I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU BROKE OUT, OR WHAT YOU'RE UP TO, CHRYSALIS.

BUT AFTER ALL THE TROUBLE YOU'VE CAUSED, WE WON'T WAIT TO FIND OUT.



OH! BUT THE WAIT IS ALREADY OVER, PRINCESS!

I CAN SHOW YOU RIGHT NOW--

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