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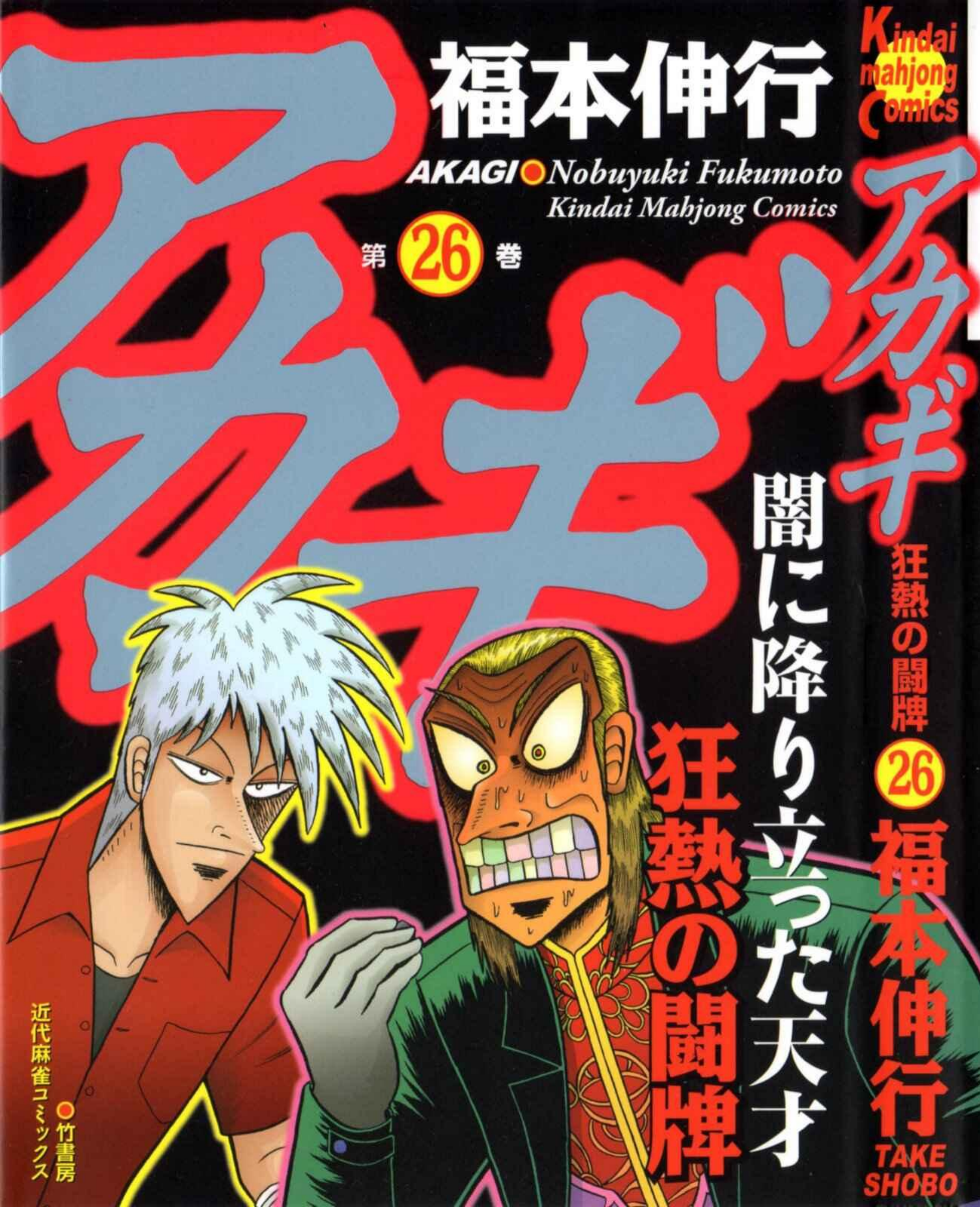


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王の狂熱で戦場は溶鉱炉のように熱く滾っている。  
王自身もその熱で灼けて破裂しそうだ。

そんな焦熱のなかで、王はめくるめくようなエクスタシーを味わっているのかもしれない。

白髪の男もまた、死と隣り合わせの実存を楽しんでいるようだ。

彼らは狂気自治区の住民だ。

結果は分らない。どちらかがタナトスに召され、あるいは二人とも…。

白髪の男はそれでも微笑む。狂気の向こう側にあるものを見つめながら。

後に神域の男と呼ばれ、裏社会に君臨する赤木しげるだった。

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●アカギ●福本伸行●「近代麻雀」好評連載中!!







鷲巣が引くは、アカギの本命!  
もし打てば、限りなく死っ...!!

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麻雀

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# 登場人物



権力を利用して巨万の富を築いた老人。麻雀で若者の命をもてあそぶ。

鷺巣



不良刑事。アカギを立てて鷺巣の資産5億円を奪おうとしている。

安岡



稲田組の若頭。安岡の誘いに乗りアカギを使って鷺巣に挑戦する。

仰木



鷺巣の部下たち。

鈴木

岡本

## 【鷺巣麻雀概要】

アカギが半荘6回戦を戦い抜けばアカギ側の勝利。途中でアカギが絶命すれば、それまでに得た現金も全て没収、鷺巣側の勝利となる。

●レート:1000点=100万円=血液100cc。アカギと鷺巣のサシ勝負。ウマ(1万・3万)・オカを加算したポイント差で半荘ごとに精算。アカギの致死量2000ccは点棒2万点に相当し、鷺巣の現有資産5億円は50万点に相当する。

●ガラス牌:1種4牌のうち3枚が透明ガラス牌。

●ボーナス払い:半荘精算時以外にも、アカギと鷺巣の間で直接点棒の移動があった場合には、その局ごとに血液or現金をやりとりする。

●鷺巣側の特例:半荘2回を区切りとして勝負を続行するか、途中終了するかを、鷺巣側のみ選択できる。

●5回戦終了時、新たに順位負けの血液精算とチョンボの支払いをアカギと鷺巣のサシで支払う取り決めを追加。

# 赤木しげる



## あらすじ

昭和33年。チキンランを生き残った少年・赤木しげるは、初めて打つ麻雀でも異才を発揮し、ヤクザ相手の勝負に次々と勝利を収めてゆく。昭和40年。退屈に倦んだ資産家・鷺巣は、血液を賭ける狂気の麻雀を行っていた。アカギ・仰木・安岡の3人は、殺人鬼・鷺巣を狩るため、生き血を賭けた勝負・鷺巣麻雀に挑む。現在6回戦南3局。アカギは血液2300ccを失い、鷺巣は6億円と1100ccの血液を失っている。「南4局など端からやる気なし」と宣言したアカギの配牌はクズ手だったが、黒牌を6回引き入れ鷺巣を攪乱する。しかし鷺巣が引けば勝つ状況に変化はなし！



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## Chapter 222: LINE OF FIRE

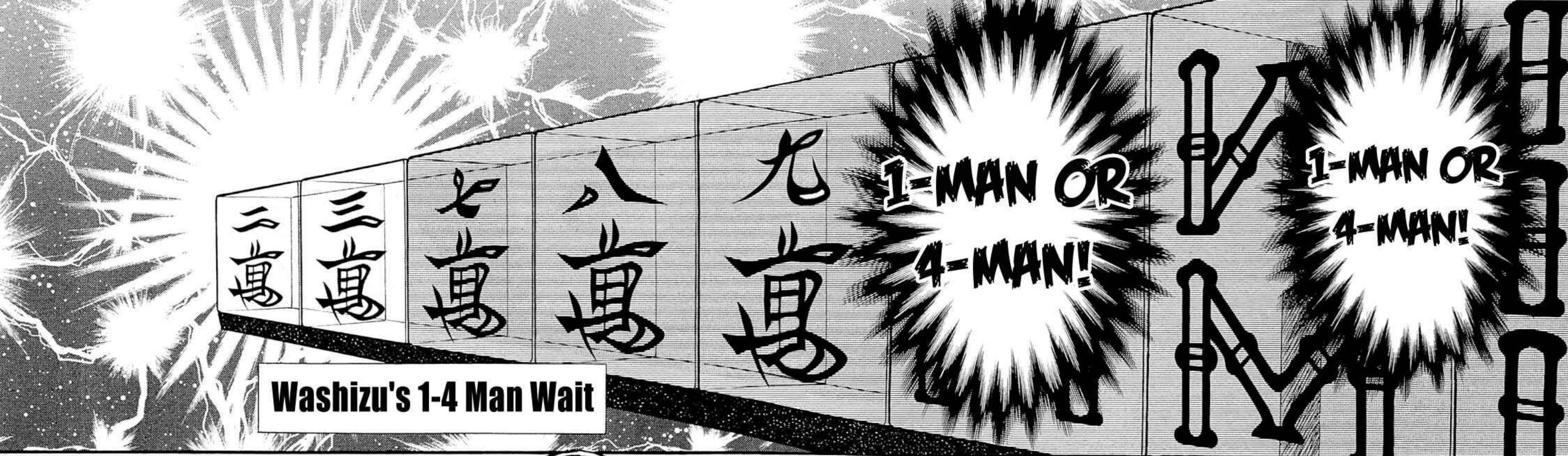
**GNGH!!**

**COME ON!**

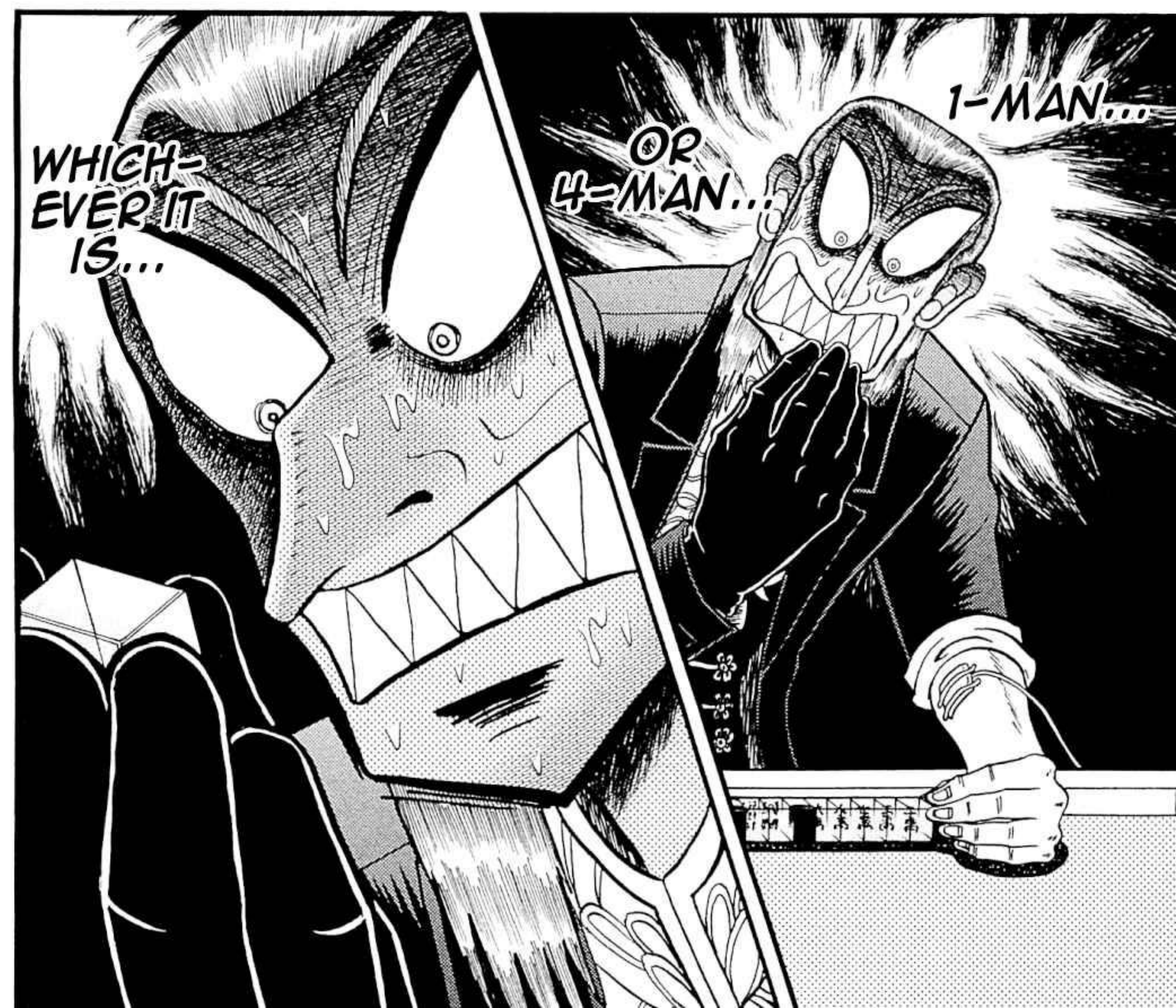
RRN-  
GHR-  
RGH!

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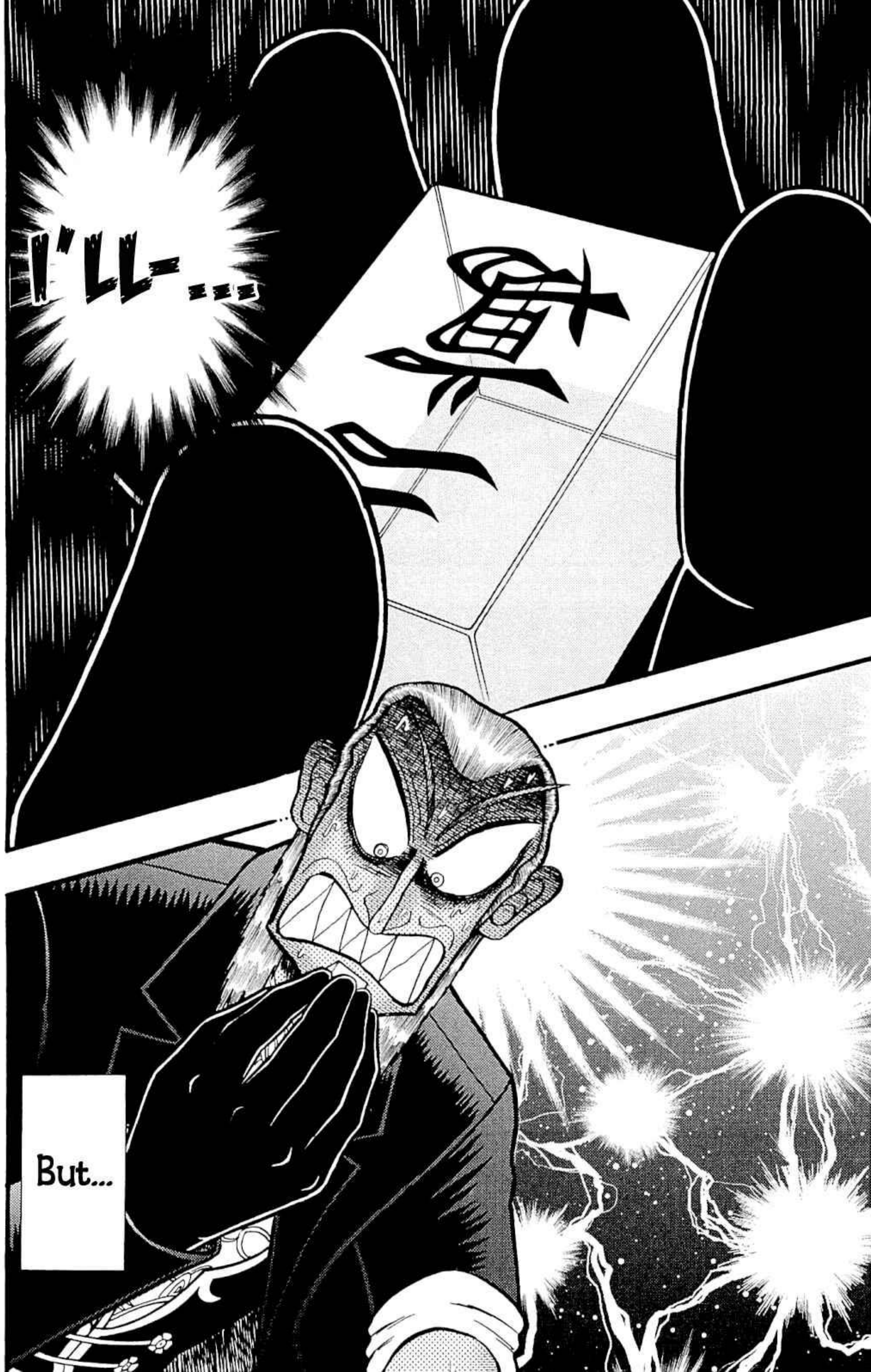




Washizu's 1-4 Man Wait

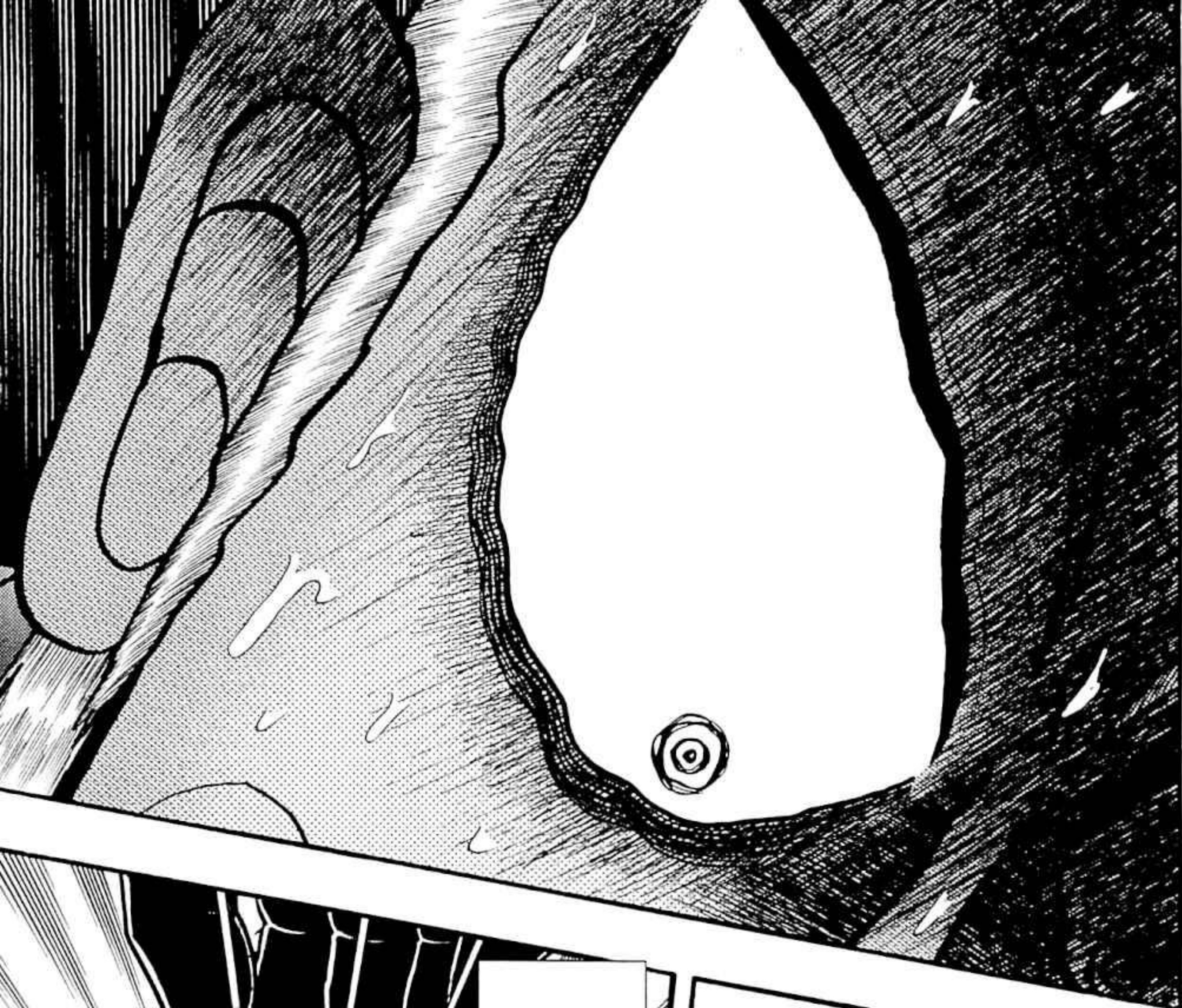






But...





He did not  
draw 1- or  
4-Man!

GNGH!

It  
was no  
use!

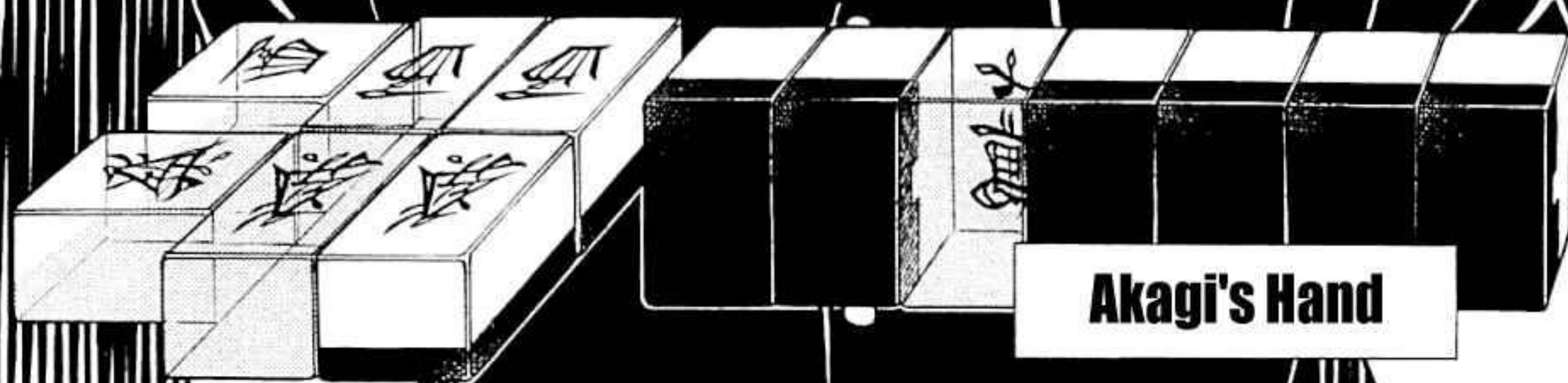
The tile he  
drew was  
a 2-Man!





Akagi's  
line of  
fire!

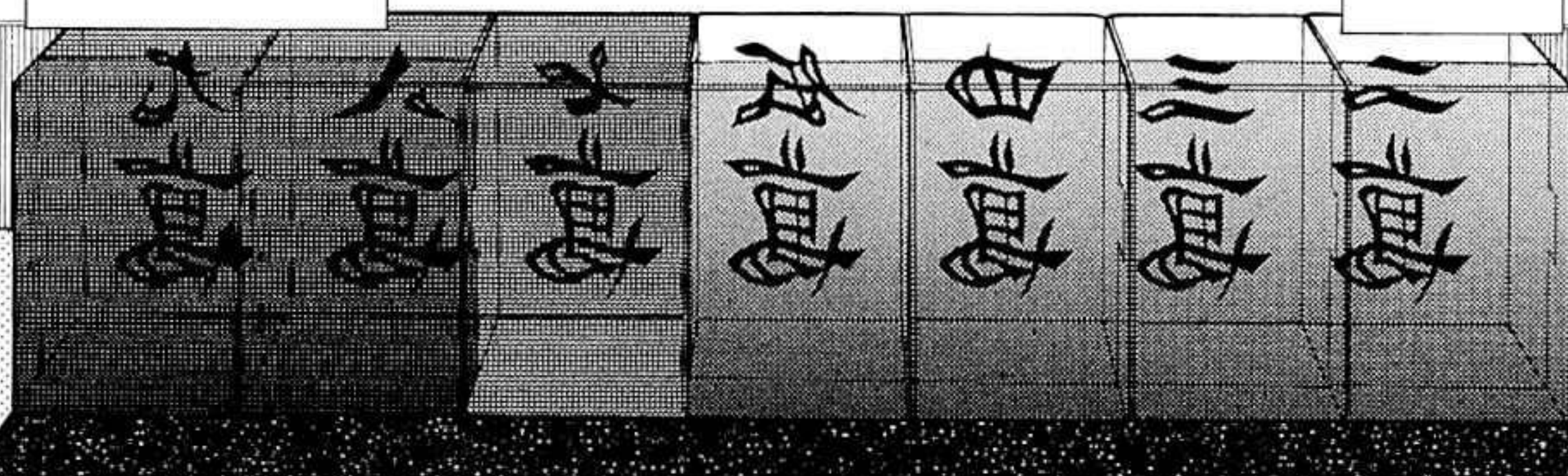
A tile  
directly  
in...



**Akagi's Hand**

A Manzu  
Hon Itsu  
hand...

2-Man!

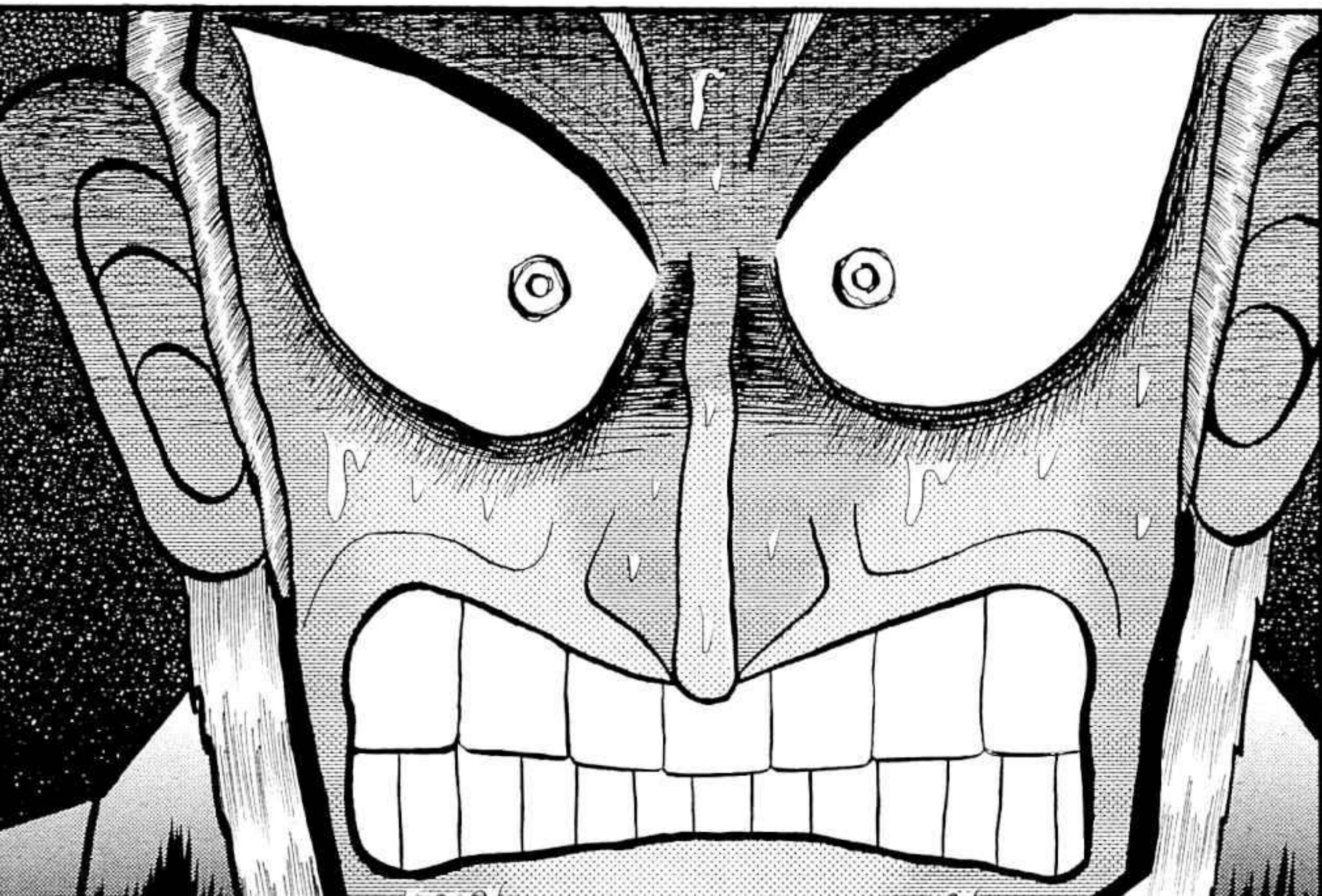






THIS  
2-MAN!!

MIGHT  
VERY  
WELL  
NEED...







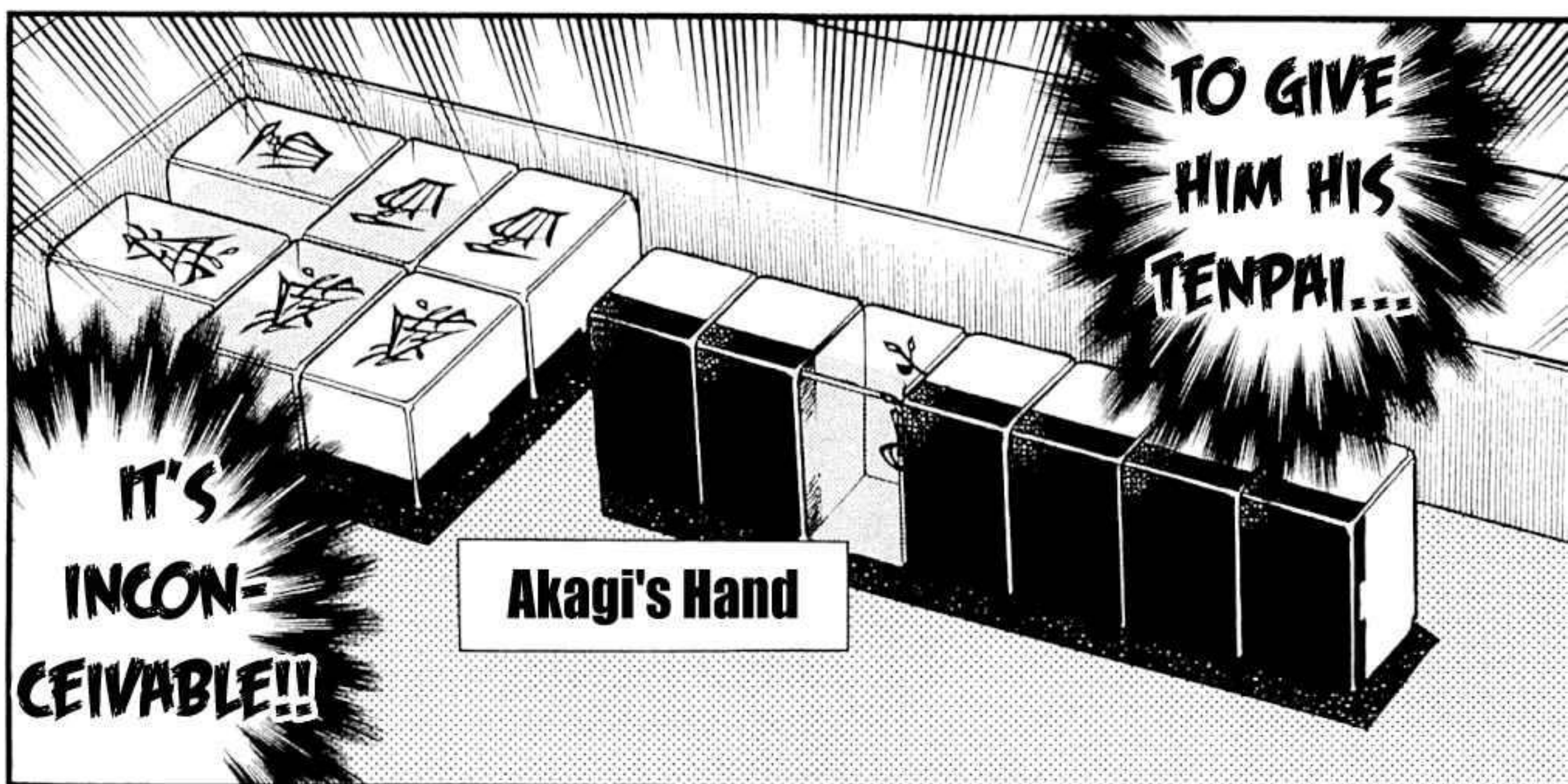
IT CAN'T  
BE TRUE!

NONSENSE!  
IT'S IMPOS-  
SIBLE!

FOR THE  
OPAQUE TILES  
TO ALL LINE UP  
SO NEATLY...



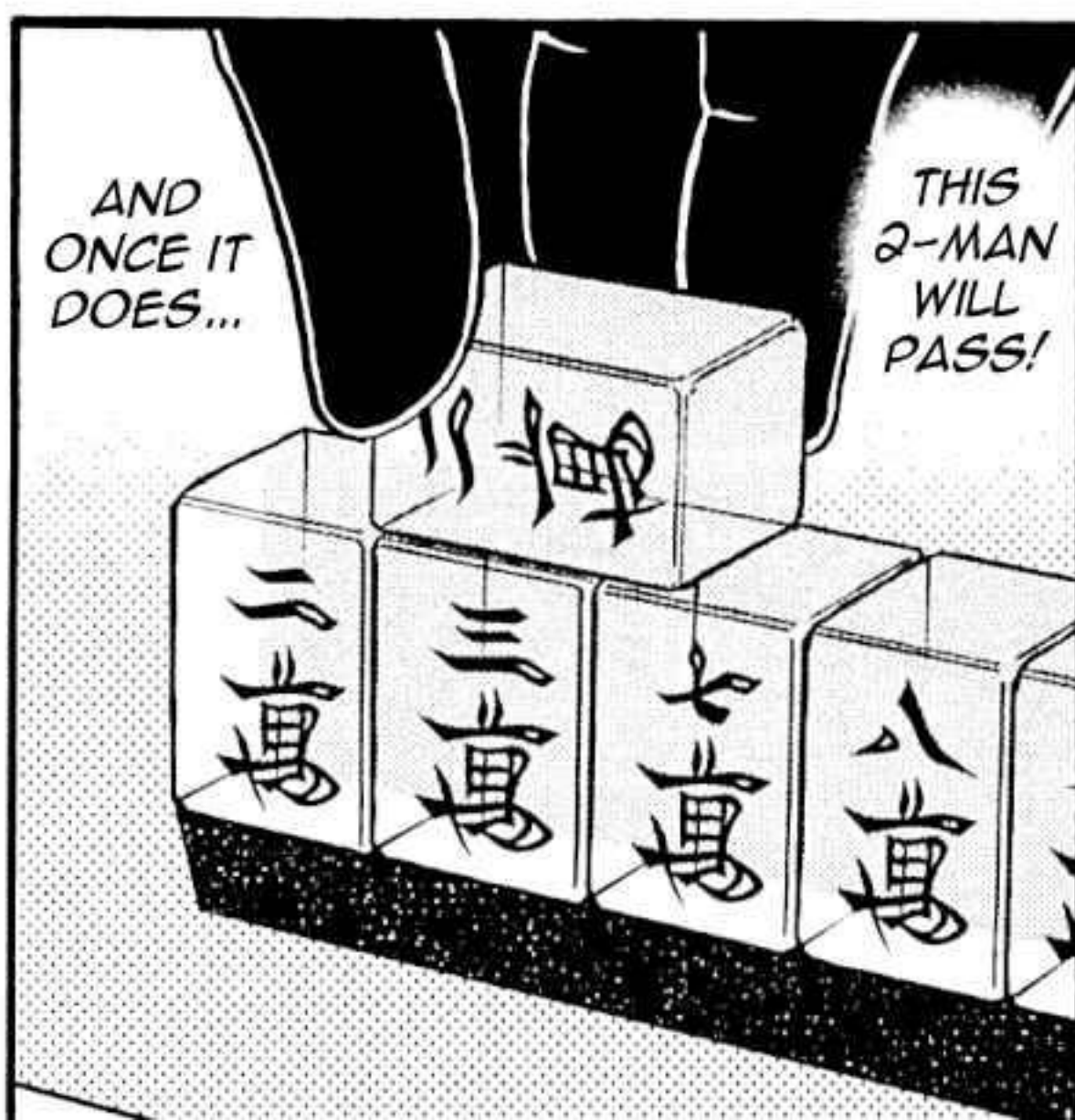
BAH!!



TO GIVE  
HIM HIS  
TENPAI...

Akagi's Hand

IT'S  
INCON-  
CEIVABLE!!



AND  
ONCE IT  
DOES...

THIS  
2-MAN  
WILL  
PASS!



WHICH IS  
WHY...

HE HAS  
TO BE IN  
NOTEN!!

IT'S  
NOTEN!





AND BRING  
THIS ROUND TO  
A CLOSE, THEN  
AND THERE!

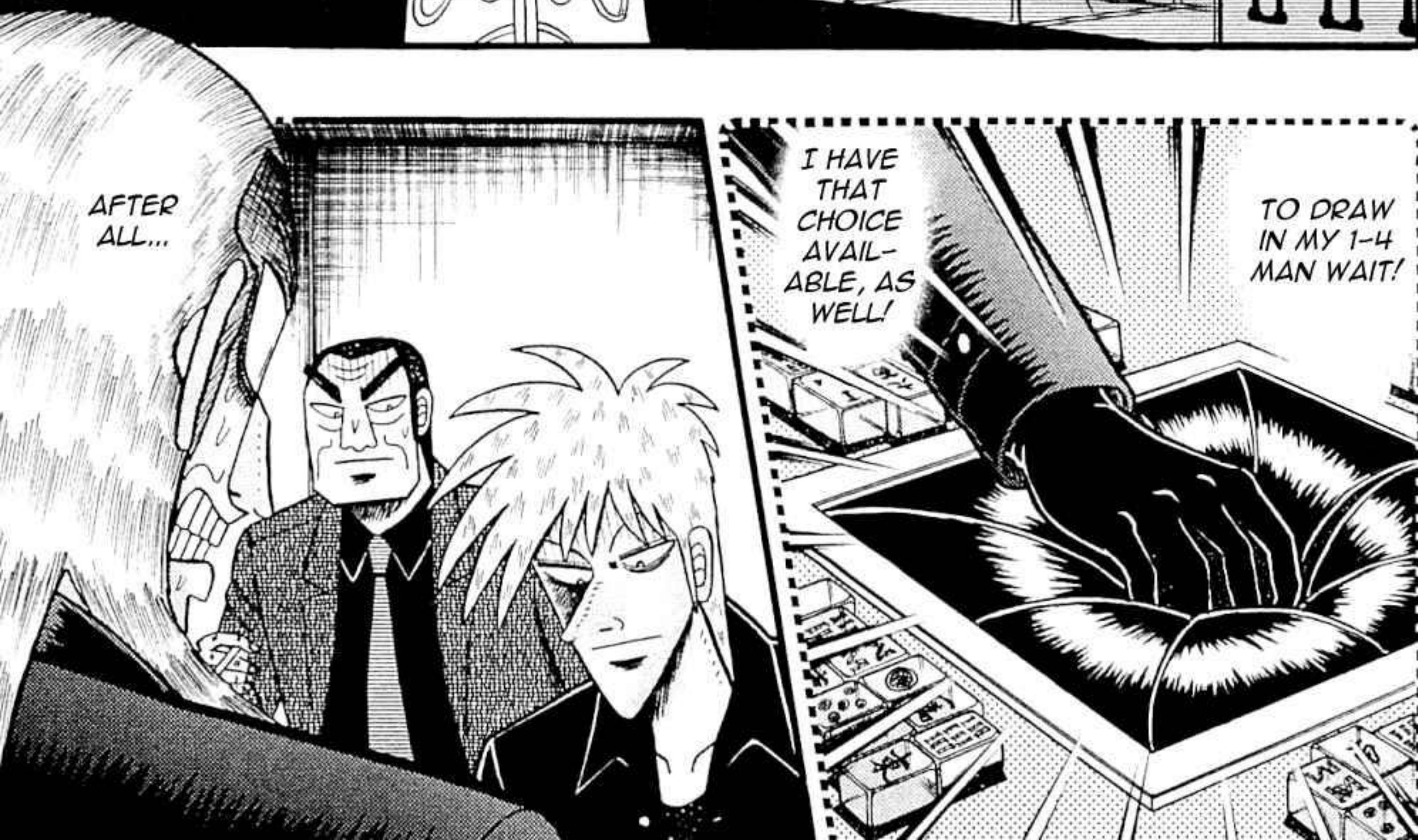
OR  
ALTERNAT-  
TIVELY...

I CAN HAVE  
SUZUKI DEAL  
IN WITH HIS  
1-MAN...



AND TRY  
TO WAIT  
A BIT...

I COULD  
TAKE THE  
STRONGER  
ROUTE...



AFTER  
ALL...

I HAVE  
THAT  
CHOICE  
AVAIL-  
ABLE, AS  
WELL!

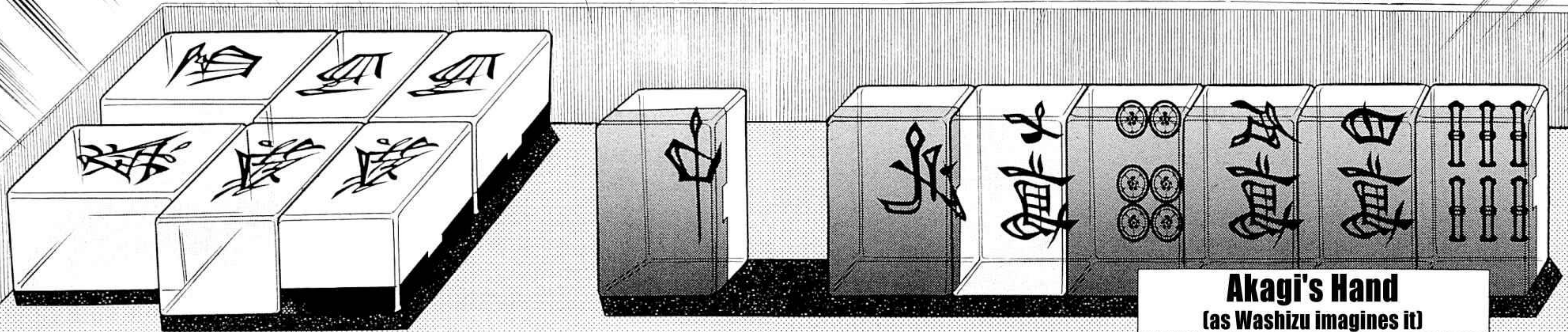
TO DRAW  
IN MY 1-4  
MAN WAIT!



THAT IS...

HIS HAND  
IS A MESS!

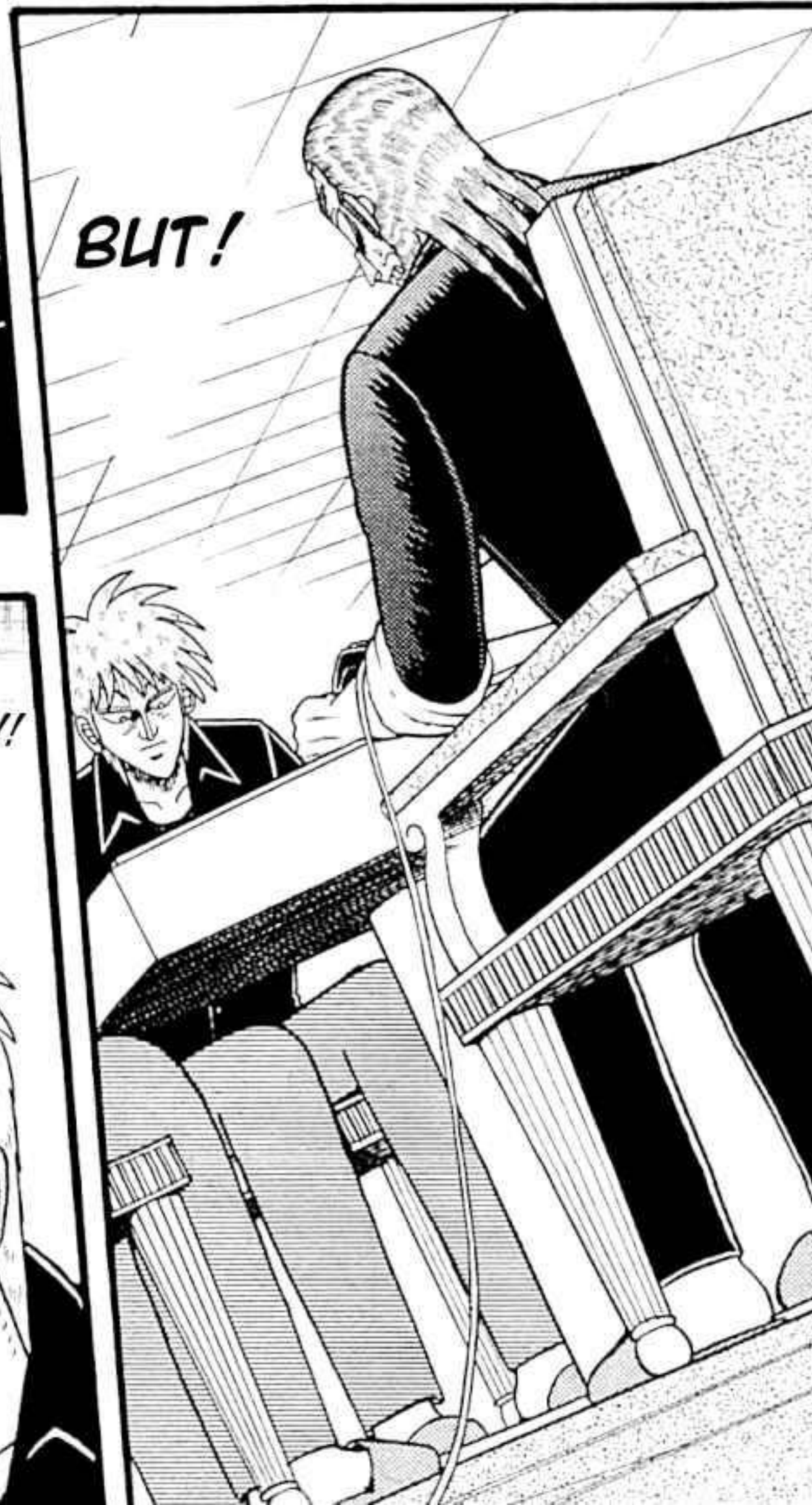
HE'S NOWHERE  
NEAR TENPAI!



**Akagi's Hand**  
(as Washizu imagines it)



BUT!



BUT!



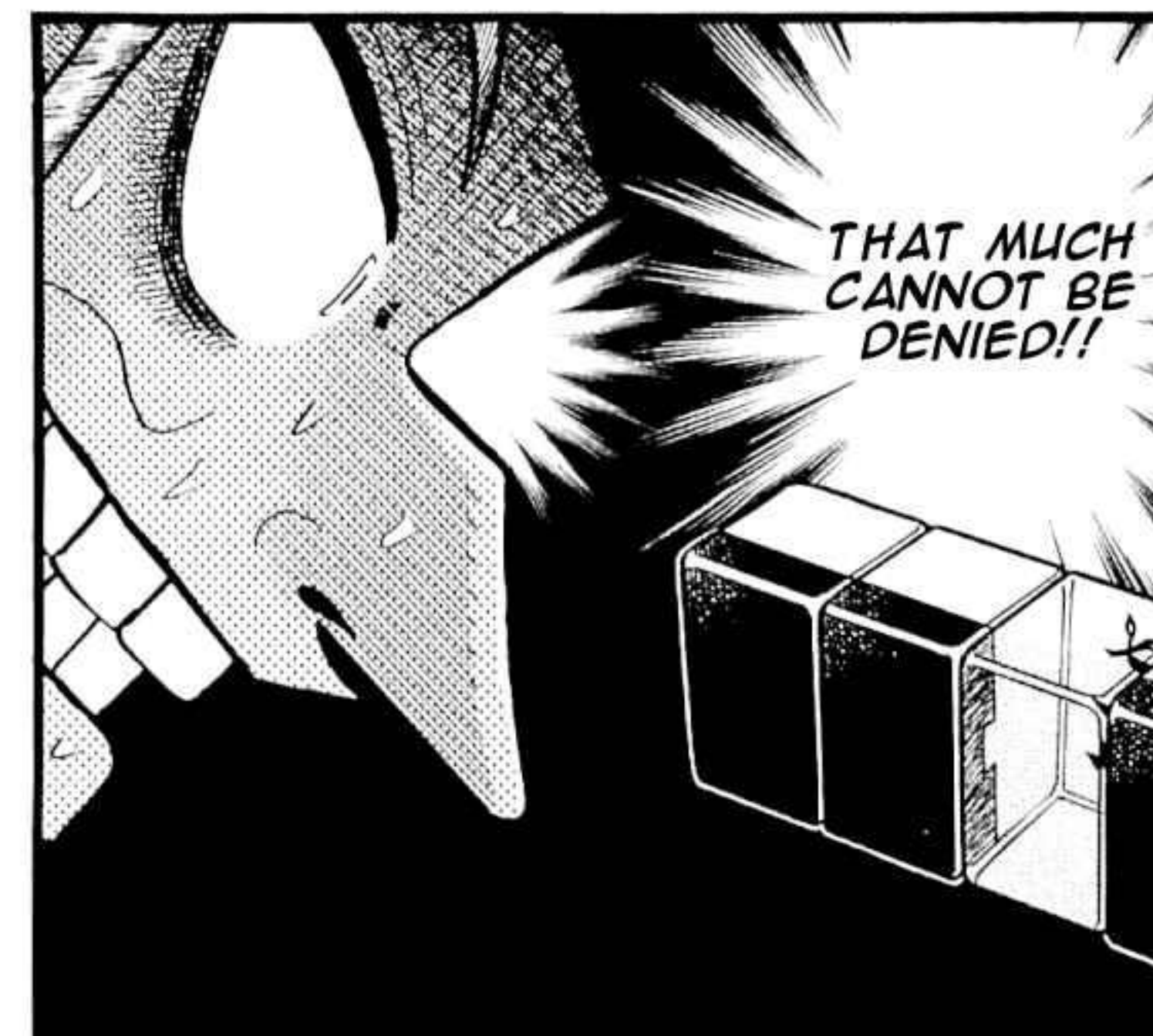
IF  
IT IS...

IF!

BUT!!



THAT  
MUCH...



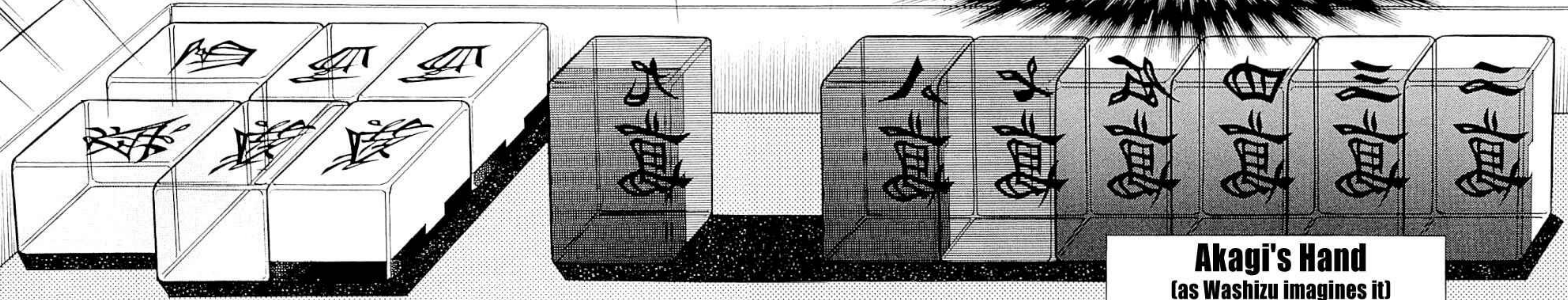
THAT MUCH  
CANNOT BE  
DENIED!!



MOST  
LIKELY!!



THAT HAND IS IN TENPAI!!!



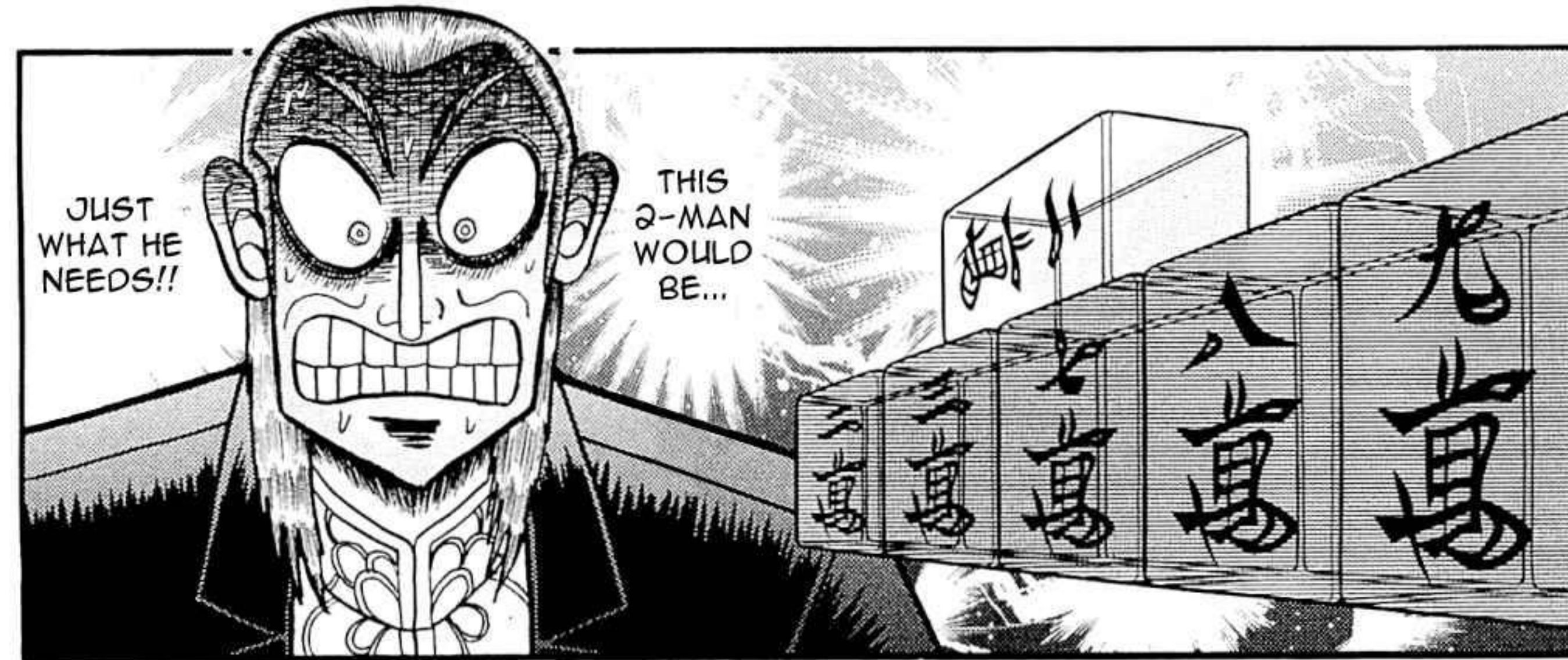
Akagi's Hand  
(as Washizu imagines it)

OR A 3-6-9  
MAN WAIT!!



JUST  
WHAT HE  
NEEDS!!

THIS  
2-MAN  
WOULD  
BE...



I  
DEAL  
IN...

IF...

FROM  
THERE...

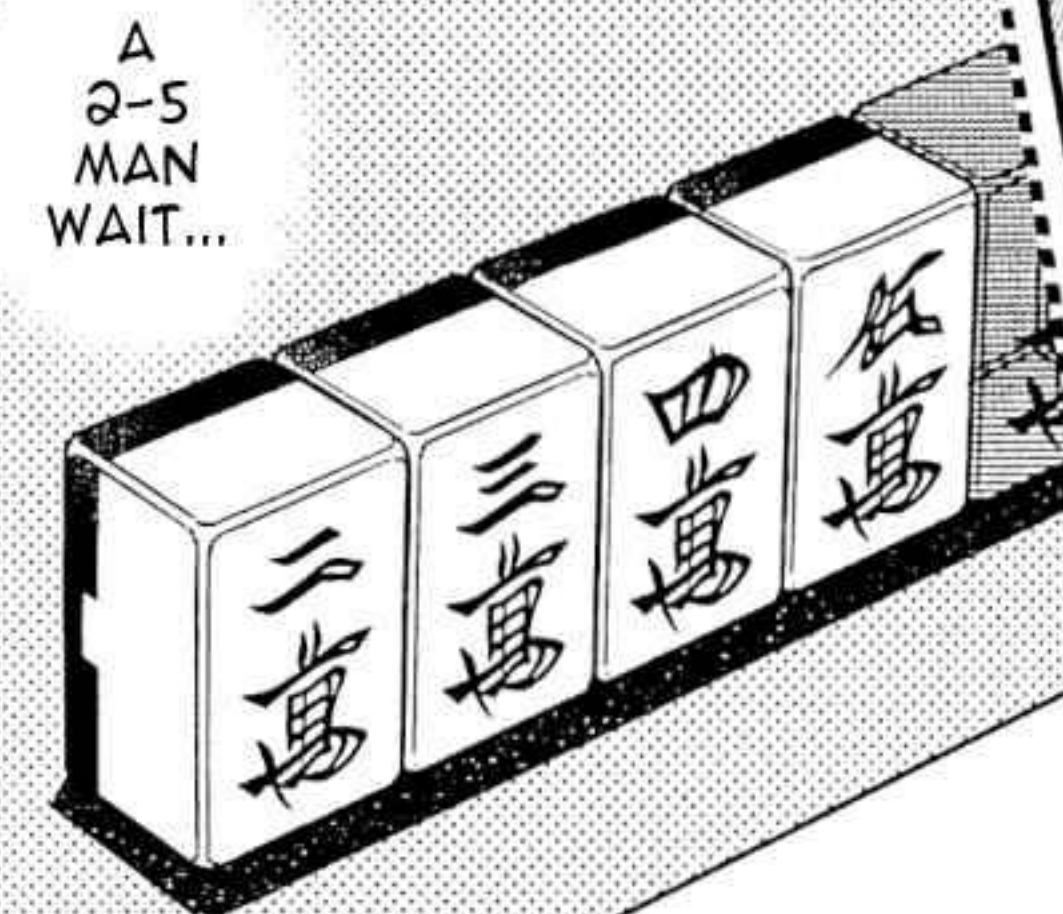


IN ALL  
LIKELYHOOD!!

IT  
WOULD  
BE ONE  
OF  
THOSE  
TWO...



A  
2-5  
MAN  
WAIT...



HIS  
TENPAI  
WOULD  
BE...





MEANING...

AND HON  
ITSU, FOR A  
MANGAN HAND!!

IT WOULD  
BE HATSU,  
XIA...

I'D  
LOSE  
800  
CCS OF  
BLOOD!

THAT  
WOULD  
TOTAL  
TO  
1900  
CCS!!

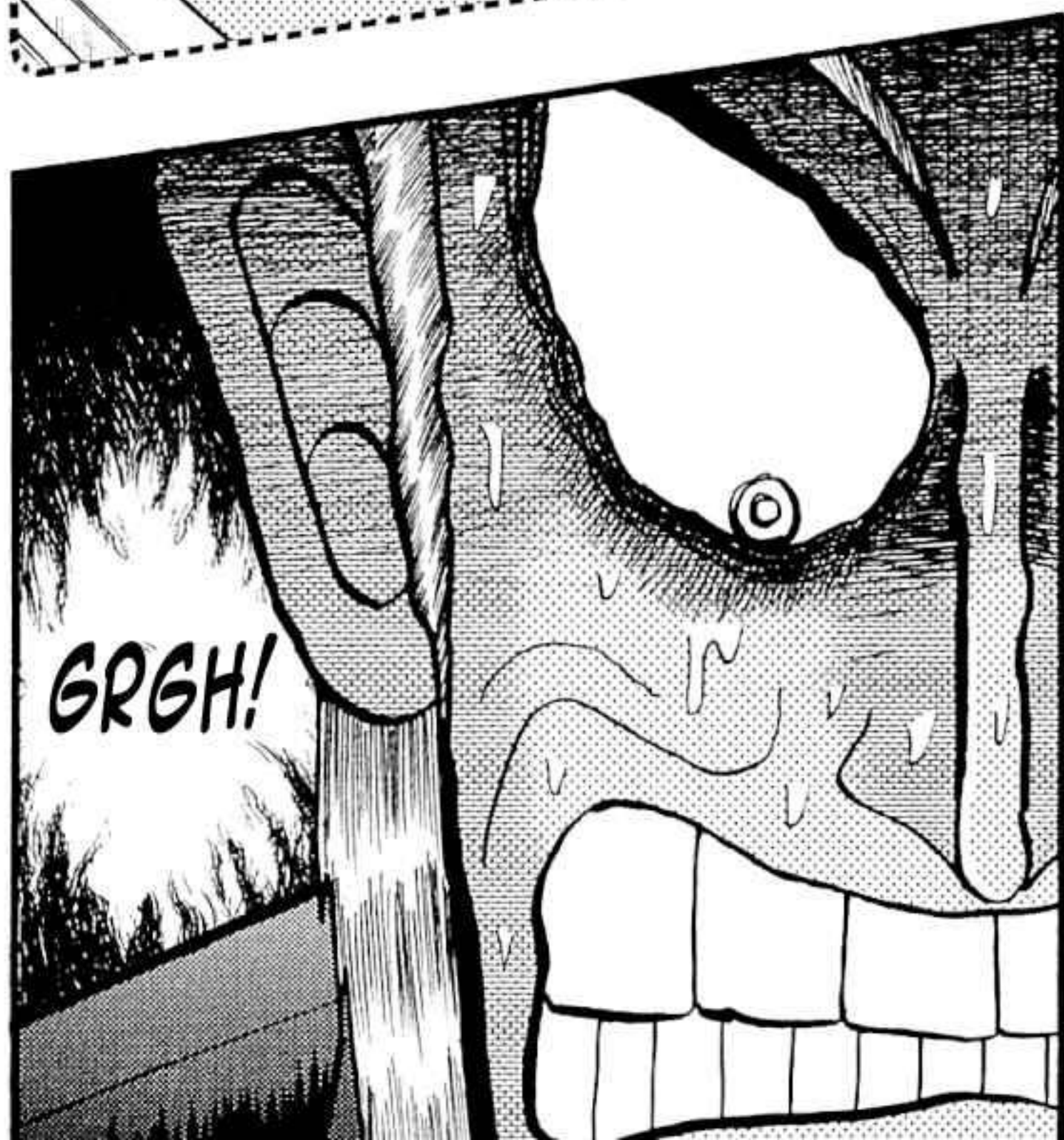
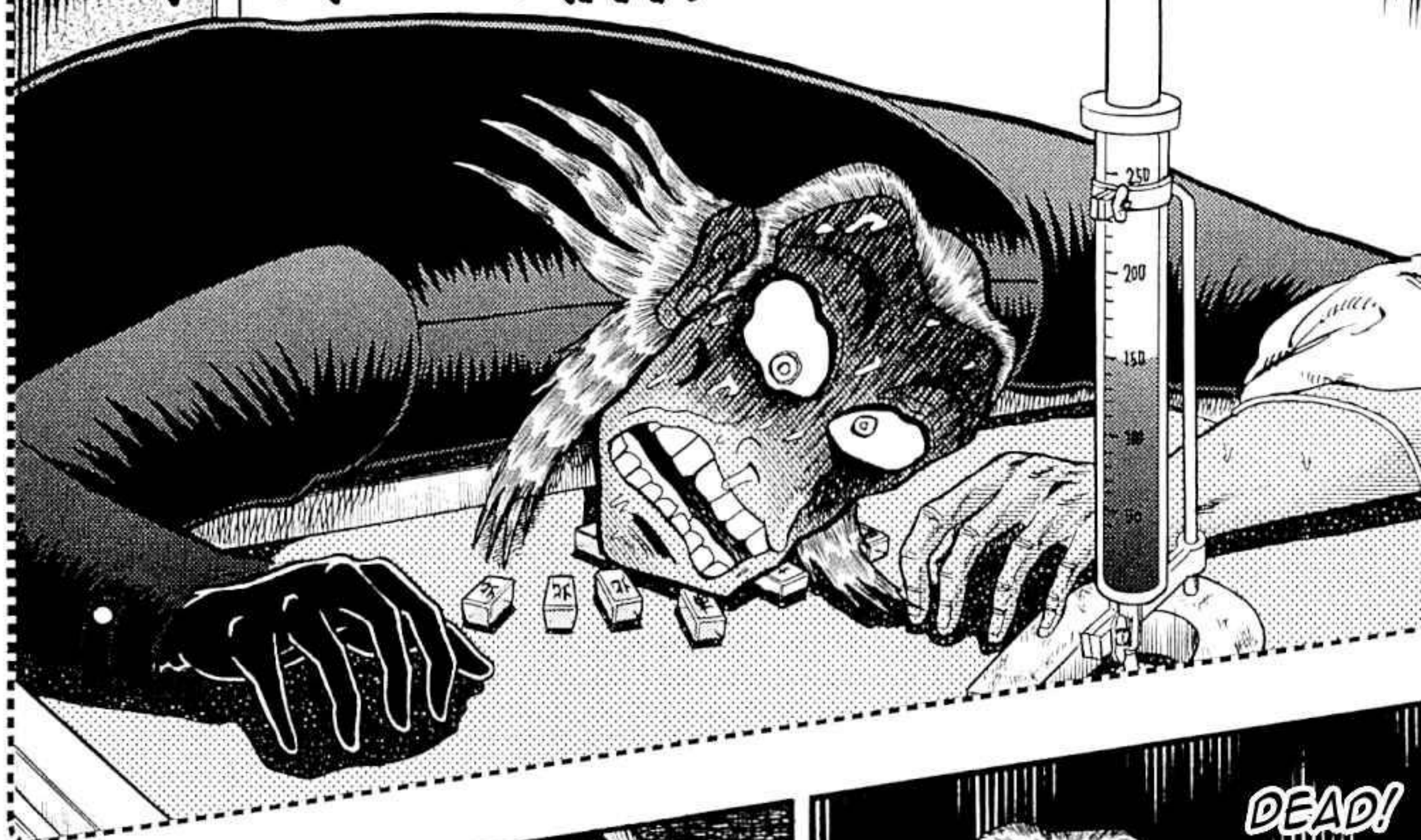
MEAN-  
ING...





I'D BE DEAD  
FOREVER...!

I'D DIE!!



GRGH!



DEAD!

DEAD!

DEAD!

DEAD!





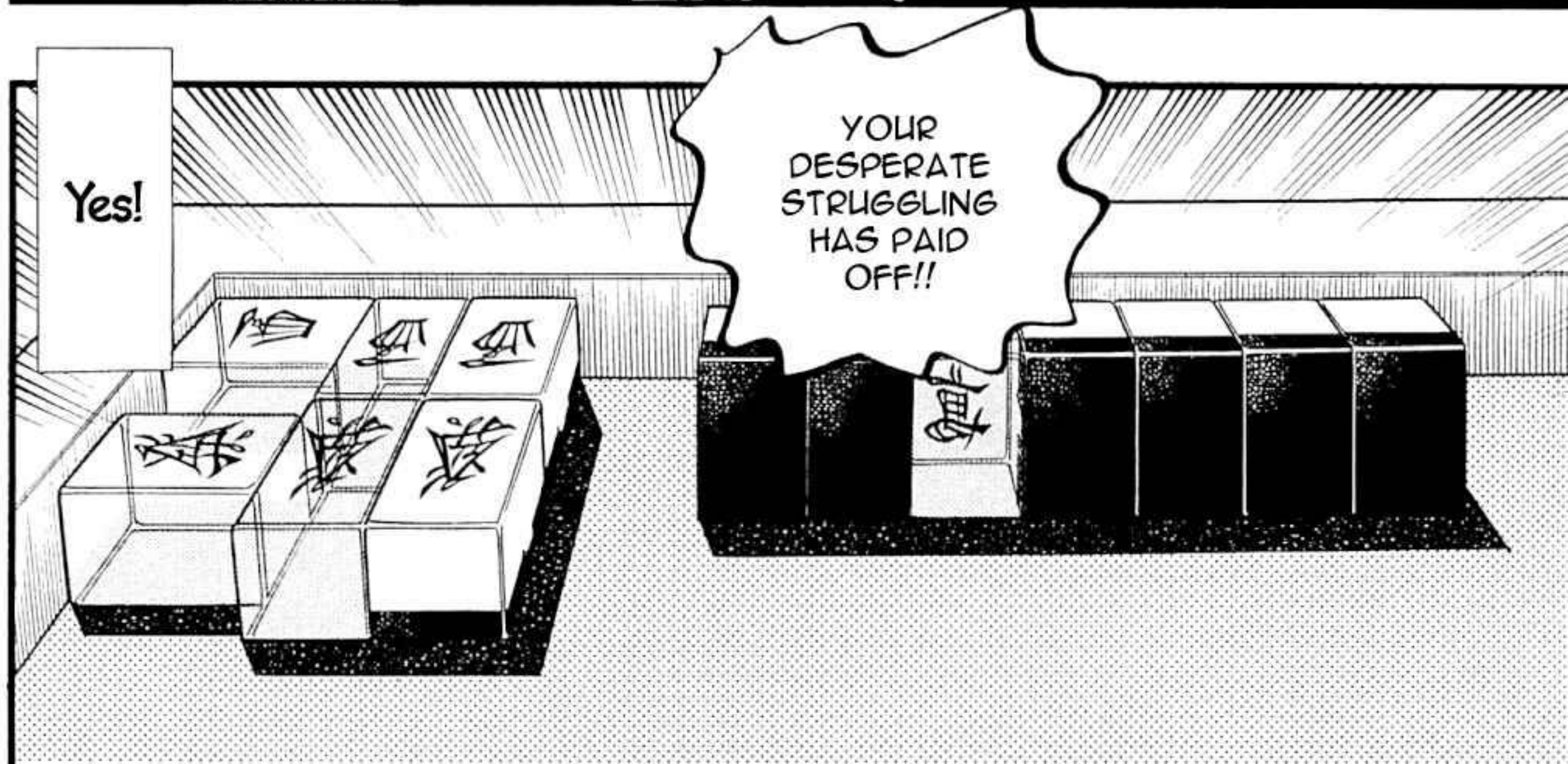
















It  
is his  
life!



Is  
no longer  
merely his  
fortune.

What  
Washizu  
is now  
betting...



In which  
case, he  
cannot  
cut it!

He is  
betting his  
very life!



By simply  
putting up  
a perfect  
defense!

Washizu  
has a  
perfectly  
valid path  
to victory...

For, even  
without taking  
on that risk...

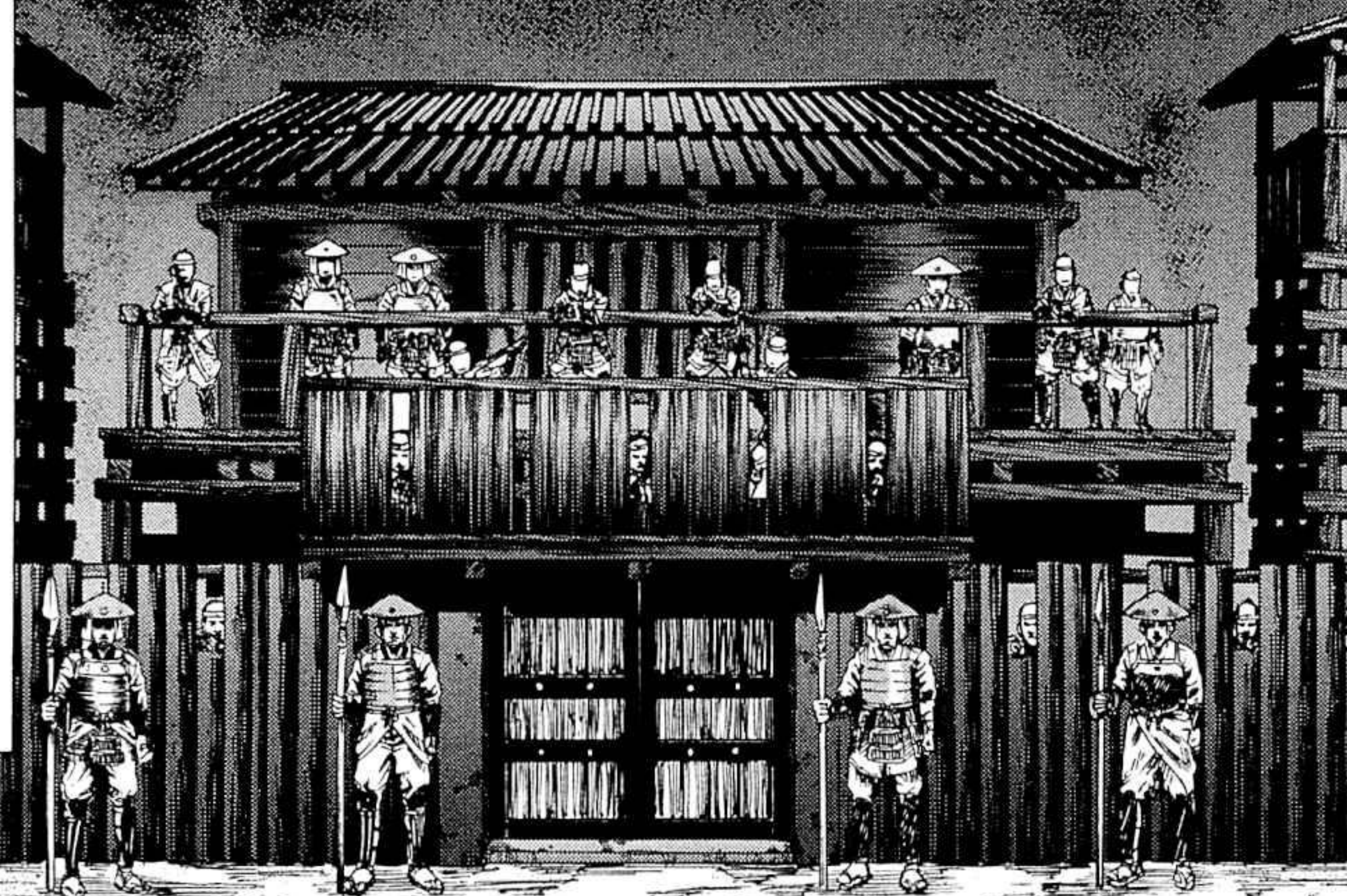
He cannot  
wage war  
with Akagi  
even once!

There-  
fore...

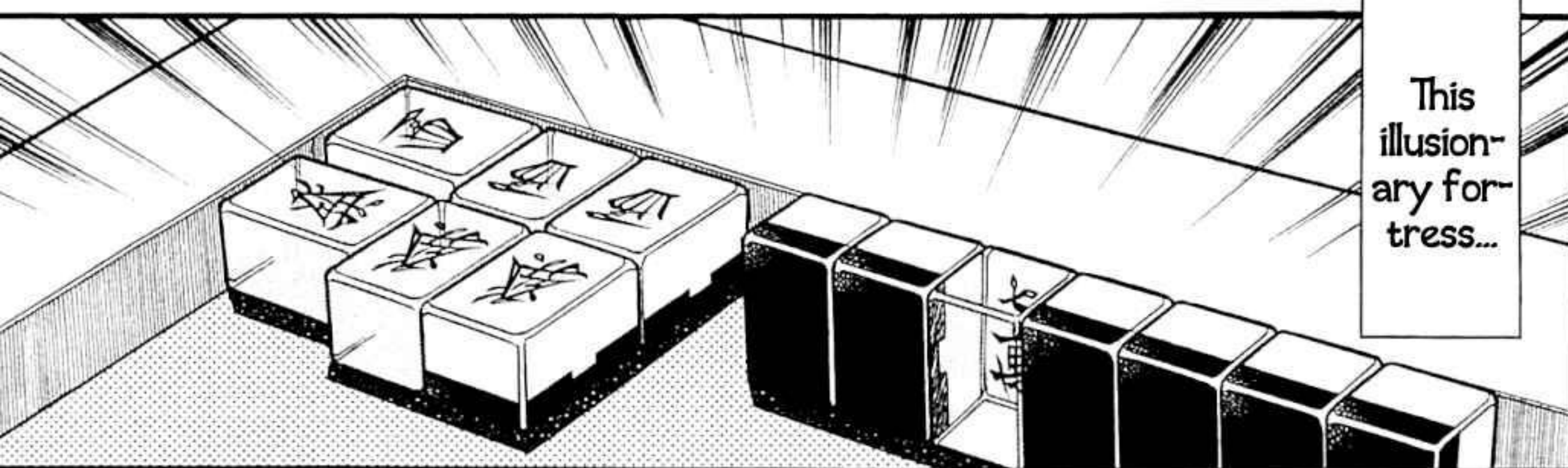




He cannot  
invade Akagi's  
fortress  
shrouded in  
darkness!



He  
cannot  
invade!



This  
illusion-  
ary for-  
tress...



A  
fleeting  
mirage...



And  
vanish...

It  
would  
dis-  
tort...



With a  
strong  
gust of  
wind...

Even  
if...



Even  
knowing  
it to be true,  
he cannot...!!







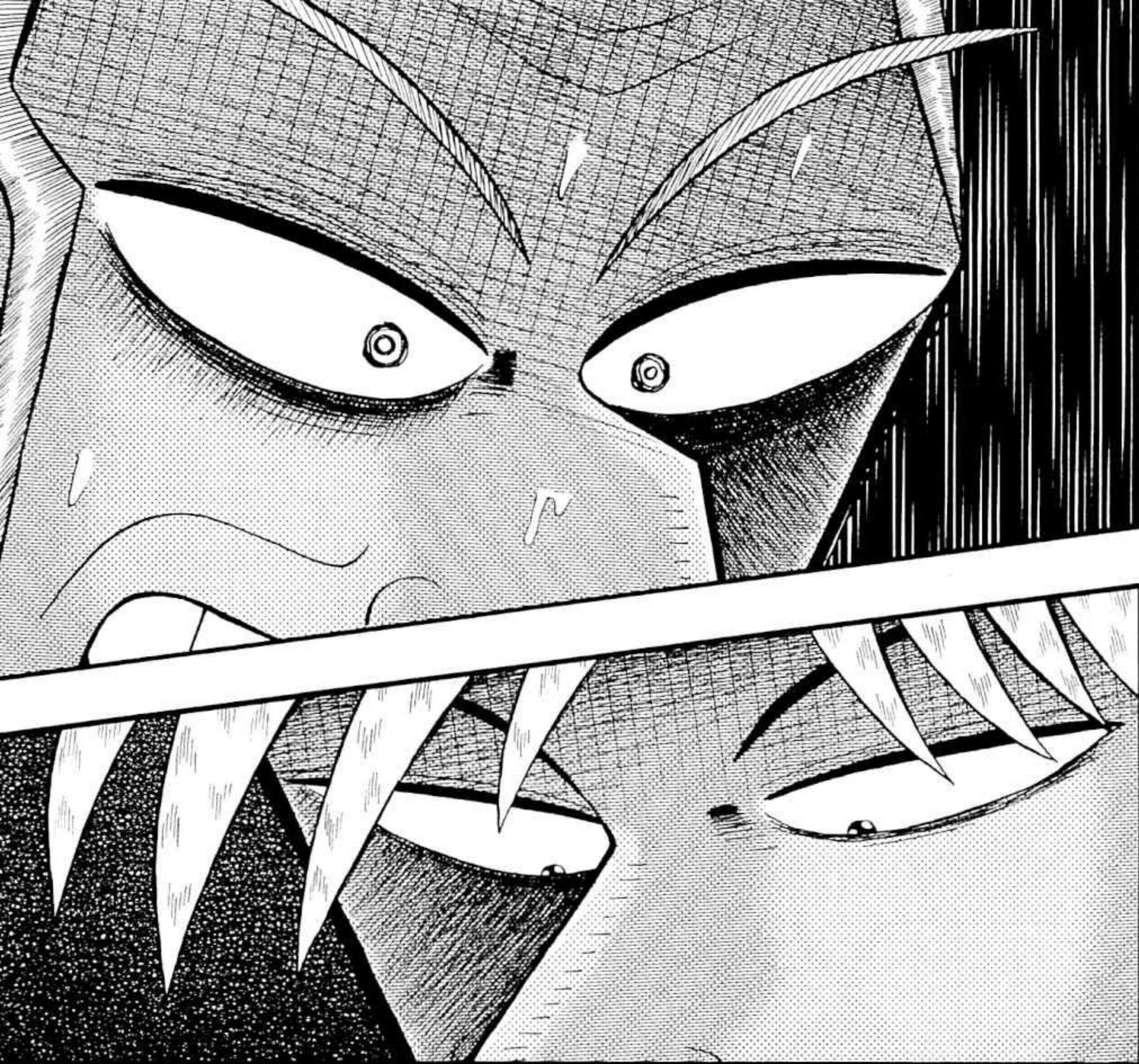
TOHAI DENSETSU AKAGI:  
YAMI NI ORITATTA TENSAI

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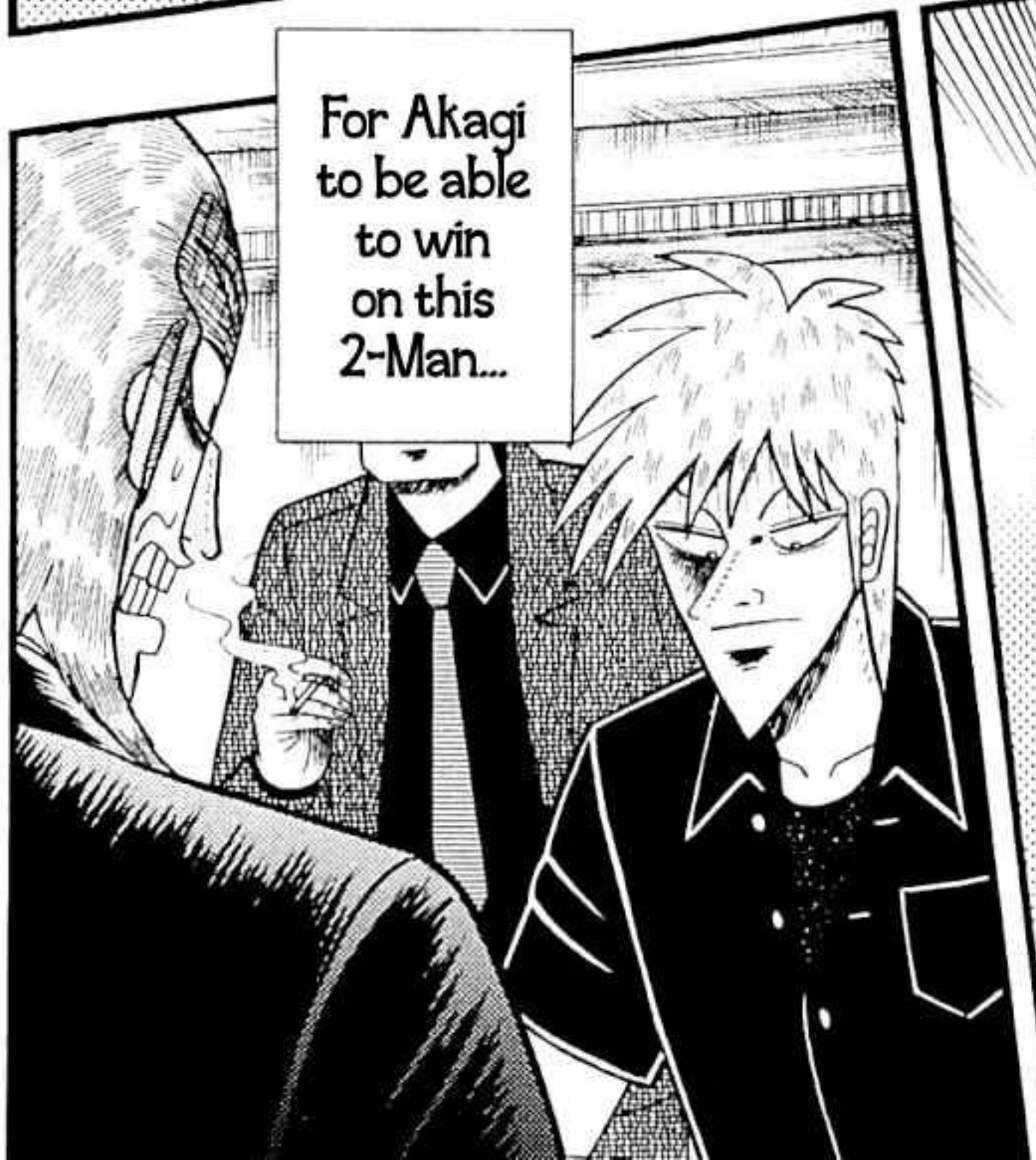
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**第223話 自制**



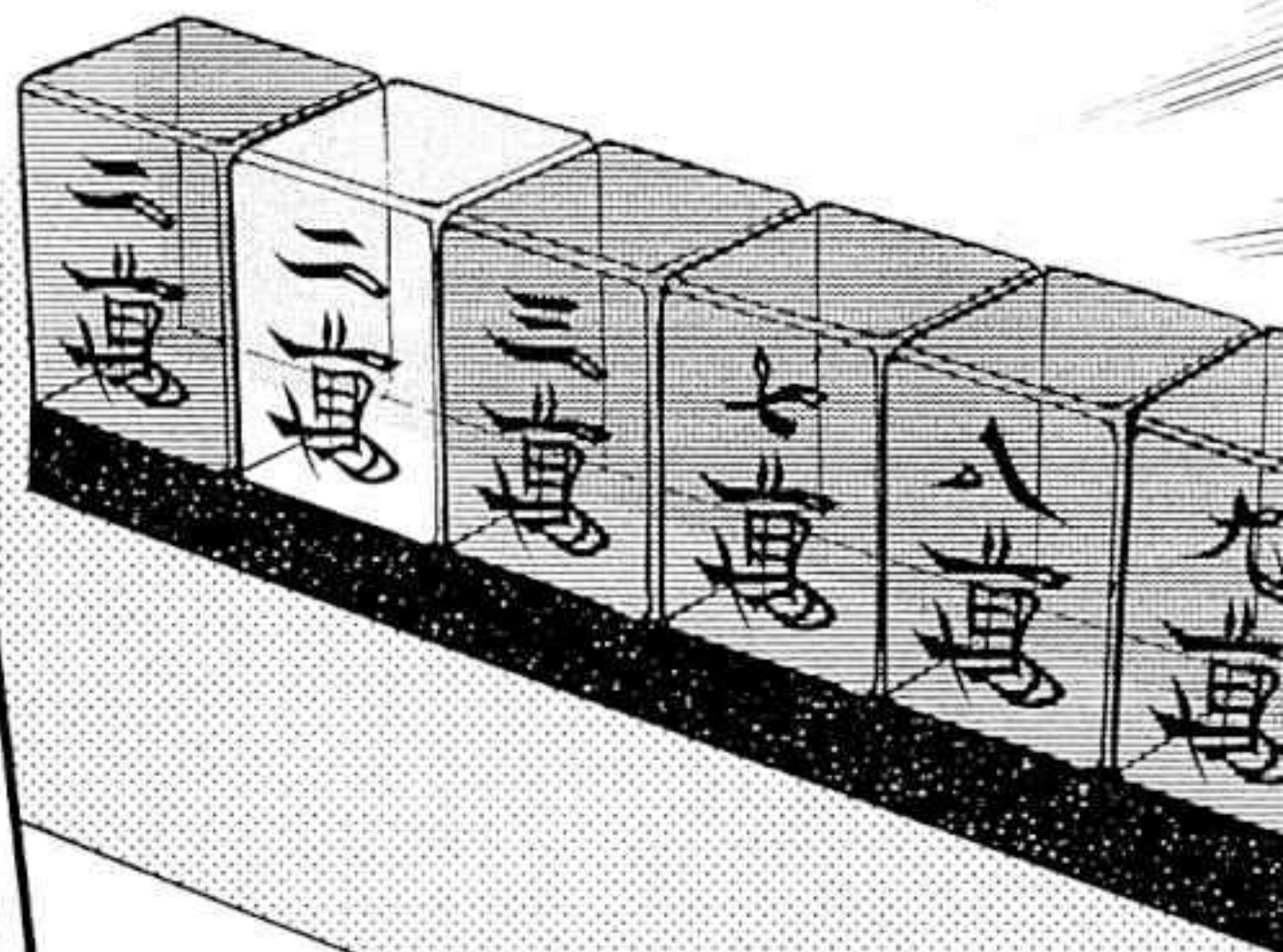


He held  
himself  
back!

Washizu  
was pruden-  
dent...

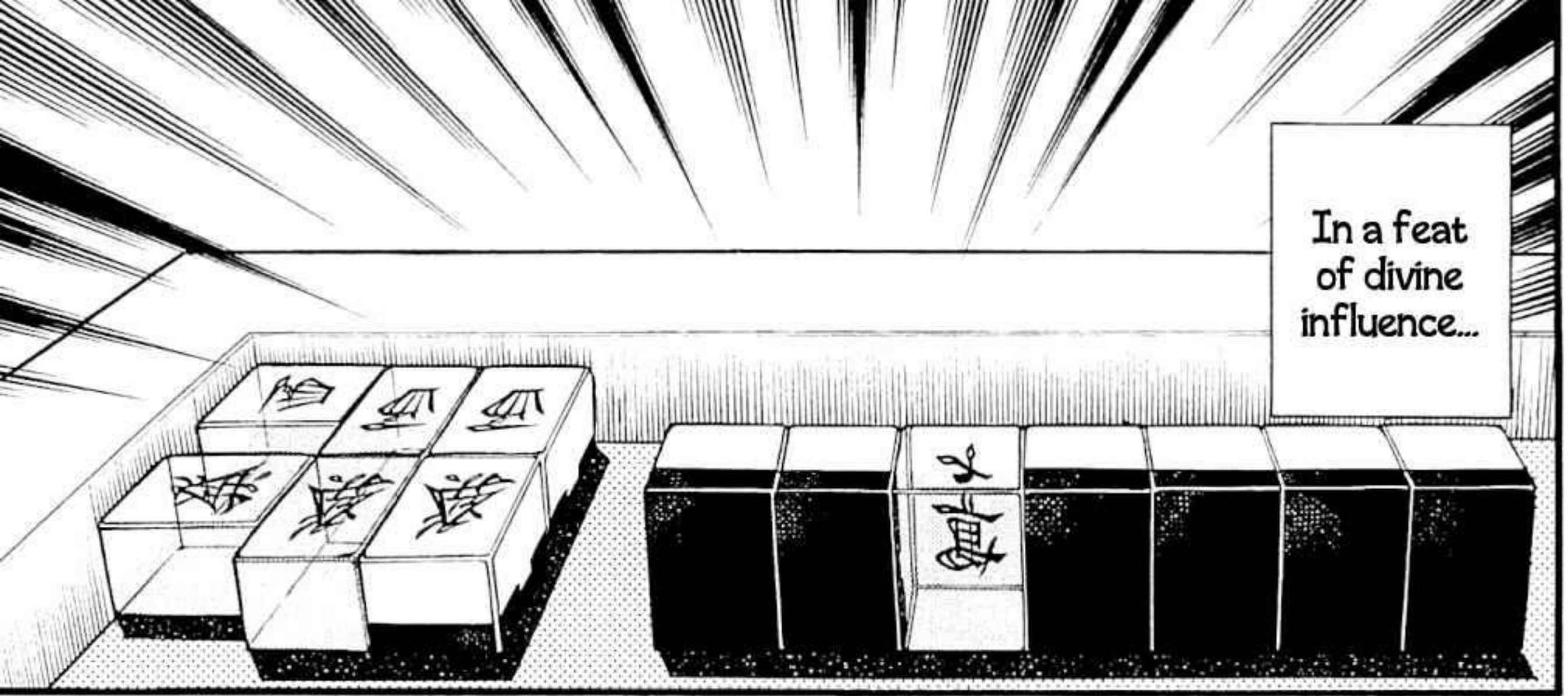


For Akagi  
to be able  
to win  
on this  
2-Man...

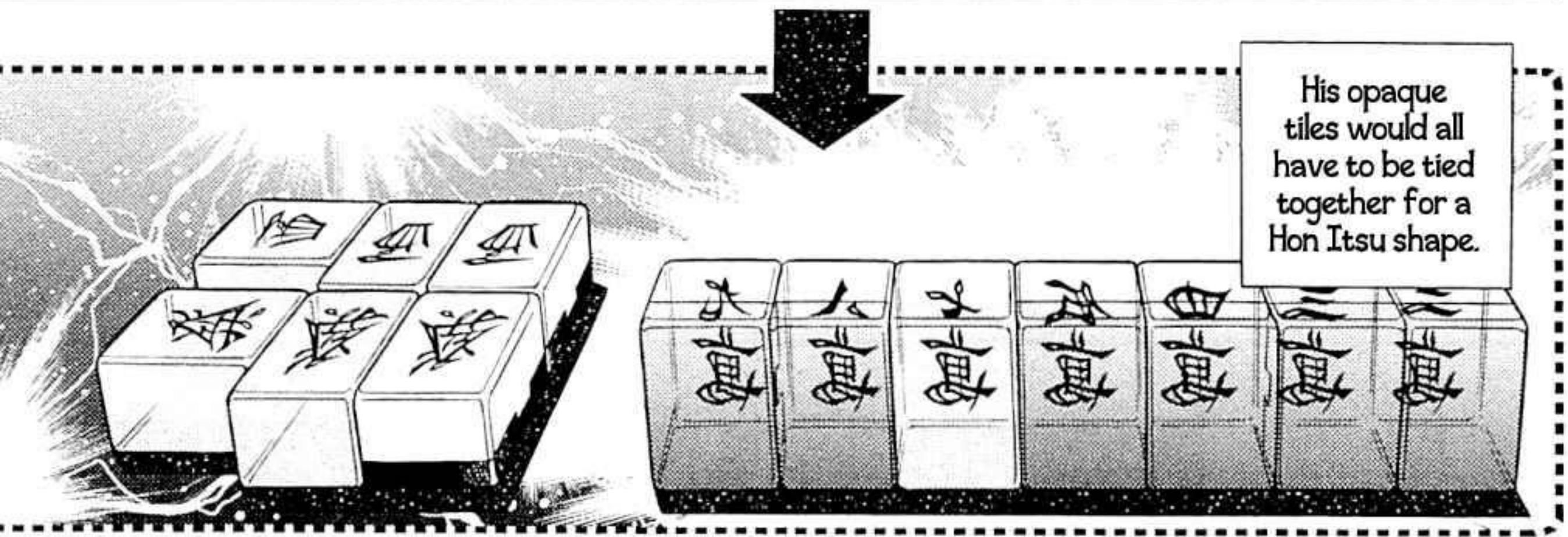


He stopped  
himself from  
playing the  
dangerous  
2-Man!





In a feat  
of divine  
influence...



His opaque  
tiles would all  
have to be tied  
together for a  
Hon Itsu shape.



It would  
be a near  
impossibility.

Normally  
it would  
be fine to  
ignore this.



Washizu  
chose to  
fold.

But...



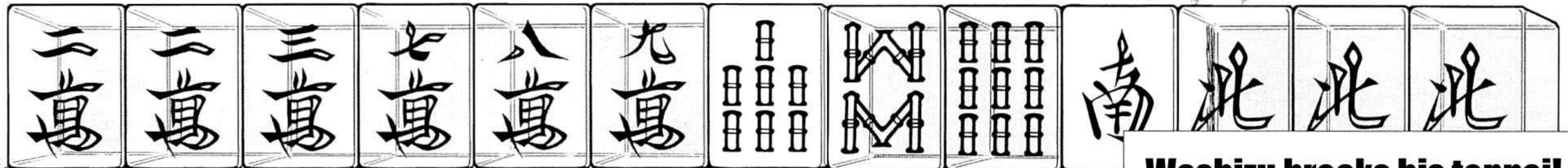
He  
made...

He  
fell  
back!

Even  
so...



A prudent decision!!



Washizu breaks his tenpai!

If he  
deals in,  
he will  
die!

He  
has no  
room  
to  
work  
with.

Washizu  
is truly  
on the  
edge of  
defeat.

This  
decision  
is only  
natural.

That  
is  
why...

As he  
thought...  
Akagi's  
hand is,  
in fact...

But...

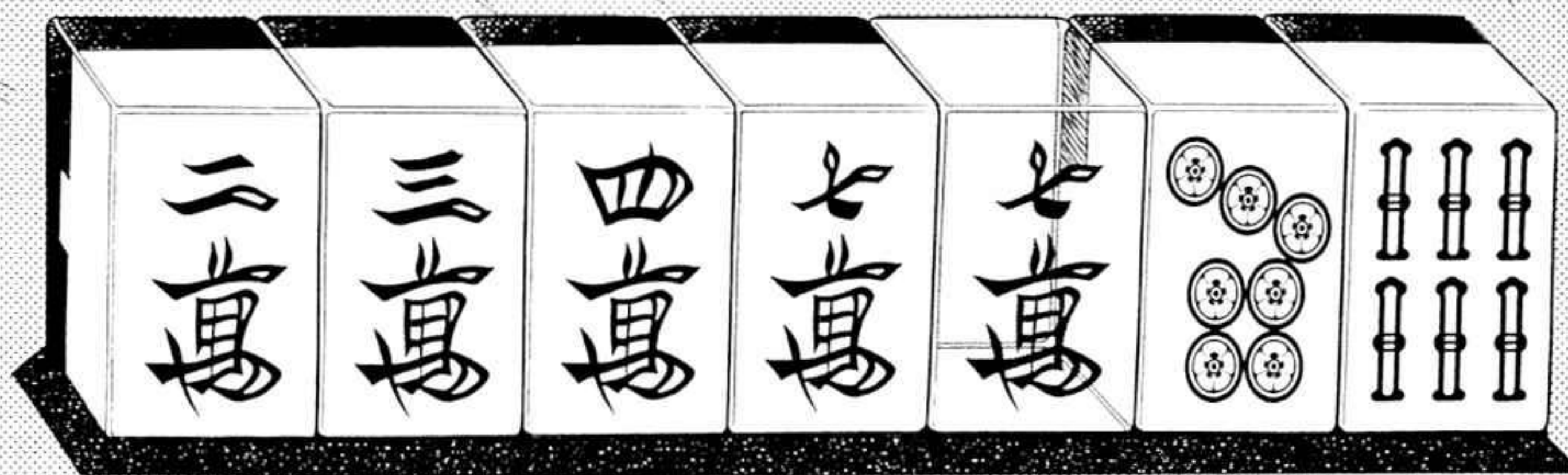
This  
decision is  
natural!  
Inevitable!  
By-the-book!

He  
expected  
perfection!

A  
perfect  
defense!

He  
would not  
bear the  
slightest  
risk of  
dealing  
in...





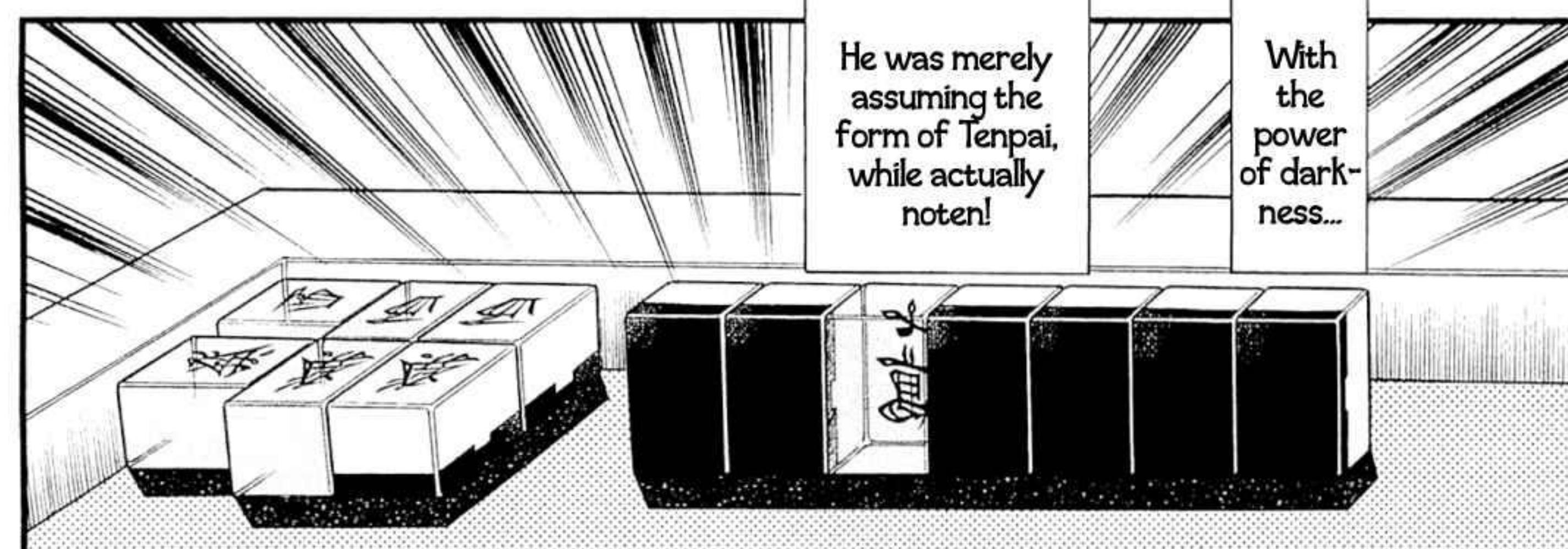
Akagi's Hand

NOTEN!



And plays the opaque 6-sou from within his hand.

Draws in yet another opaque tile...



He was merely assuming the form of Tenpai, while actually noten!

With the power of darkness...



One way or another...

The fact that he replaced something means...

There is no way of telling what he got, but...

Exchanging an opaque for an opaque means...



Akagi...





SHIT!



And then...



His draw is...

On the 11th turn...

As expected,  
it was Noten!!

Just now,  
he was in  
Noten!





**4-MAN!**

**THE  
4-MAN THAT  
WOULD HAVE  
BEEN HIS  
WINNING  
TILE!**

**THIS 4-MAN  
WOULD HAVE  
SETTLED IT!**

**HAD HE  
KEPT HIS  
TENPAI IN  
PLACE...**

**Washizu's Hand  
(as it was)**





**I COULD HAVE  
SETTLED IT!!**



AND MADE  
THAT 2-MAN  
PASS, THEN...

IF BACK THEN...  
I'D BEEN JUST  
A LITTLE BIT  
BRAVE...



**I WOULD  
HAVE GOTTEN  
A TSUMO!  
A TSUMO!  
A TSUMO!!**

WITH THIS  
DRAW OF  
4-MAN...







**GNGH!!**

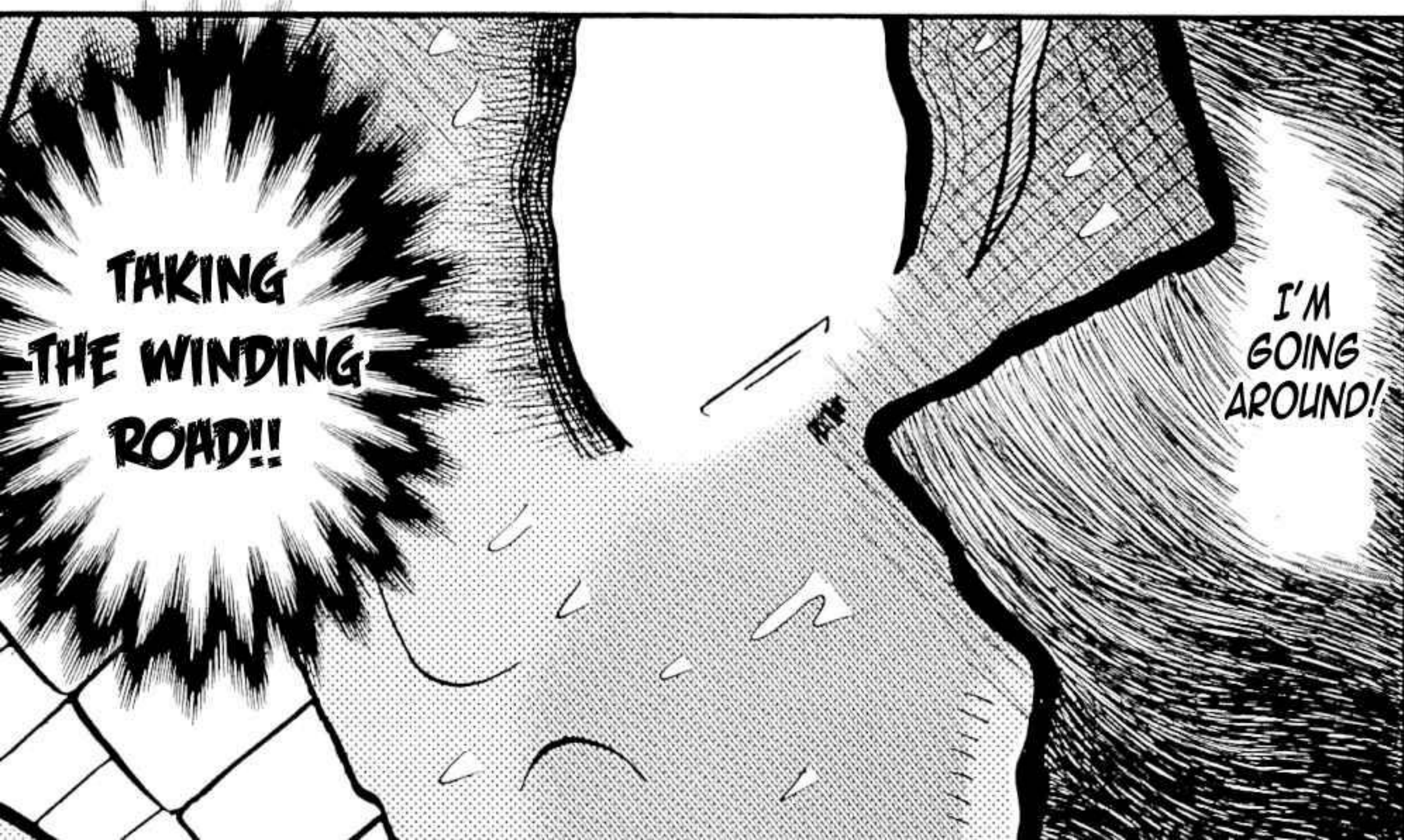
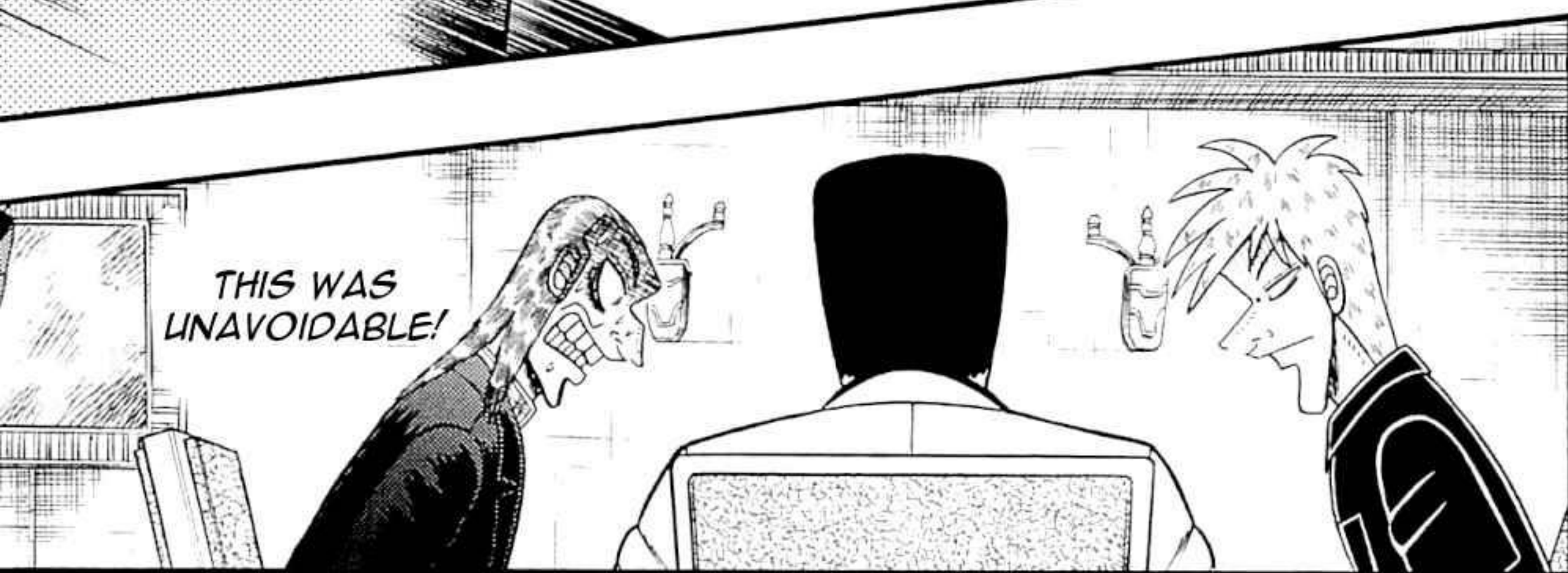


**NO,  
NO,  
NO!!**



**NO!**









AND IF I  
WERE TO  
MAKE IT...

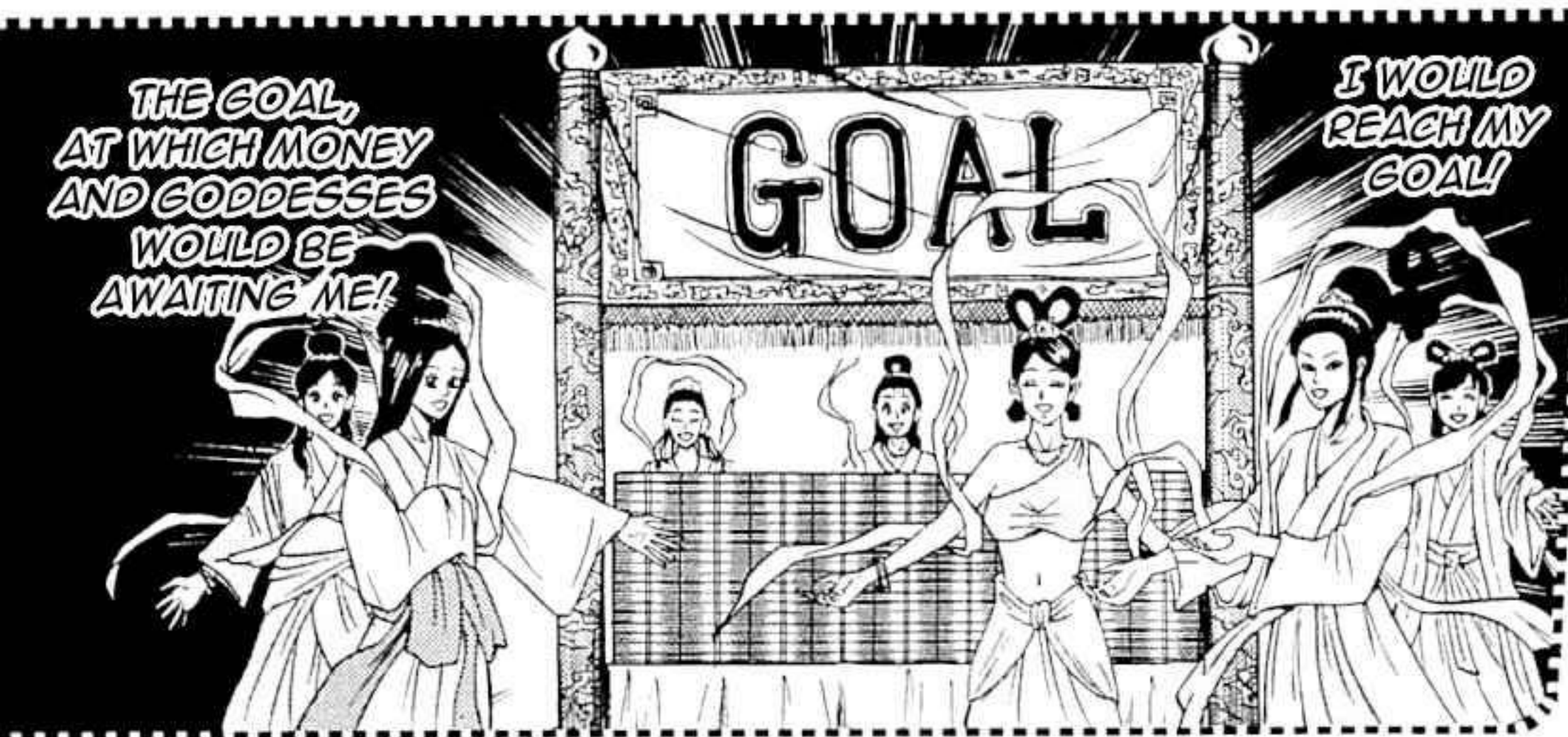
IT'S  
A JUMP  
I COULD  
CERTAINLY  
MAKE!

THE GAP  
IN FRONT  
OF ME WAS  
SMALL...



BACK  
THEN!

I  
DECIDED  
TO TAKE  
THE LONG,  
WINDING  
ROAD...



THE GOAL,  
AT WHICH MONEY  
AND GODDESSES  
WOULD BE  
AWAITING ME!

I WOULD  
REACH MY  
GOAL!



I'LL  
TAKE  
THE  
LONG  
WAY!

AVOID-  
ING  
THAT  
RISK...

BUT...





TO  
REACH  
THE  
GOAL!

I  
CHOSE TO  
TAKE THE  
LONG WAY  
AROUND...

SO  
LONG AS  
I JUST  
AVOID  
DEALING  
IN...

I WILL  
MOVE  
FORWARD!

STEP  
BY  
STEP...

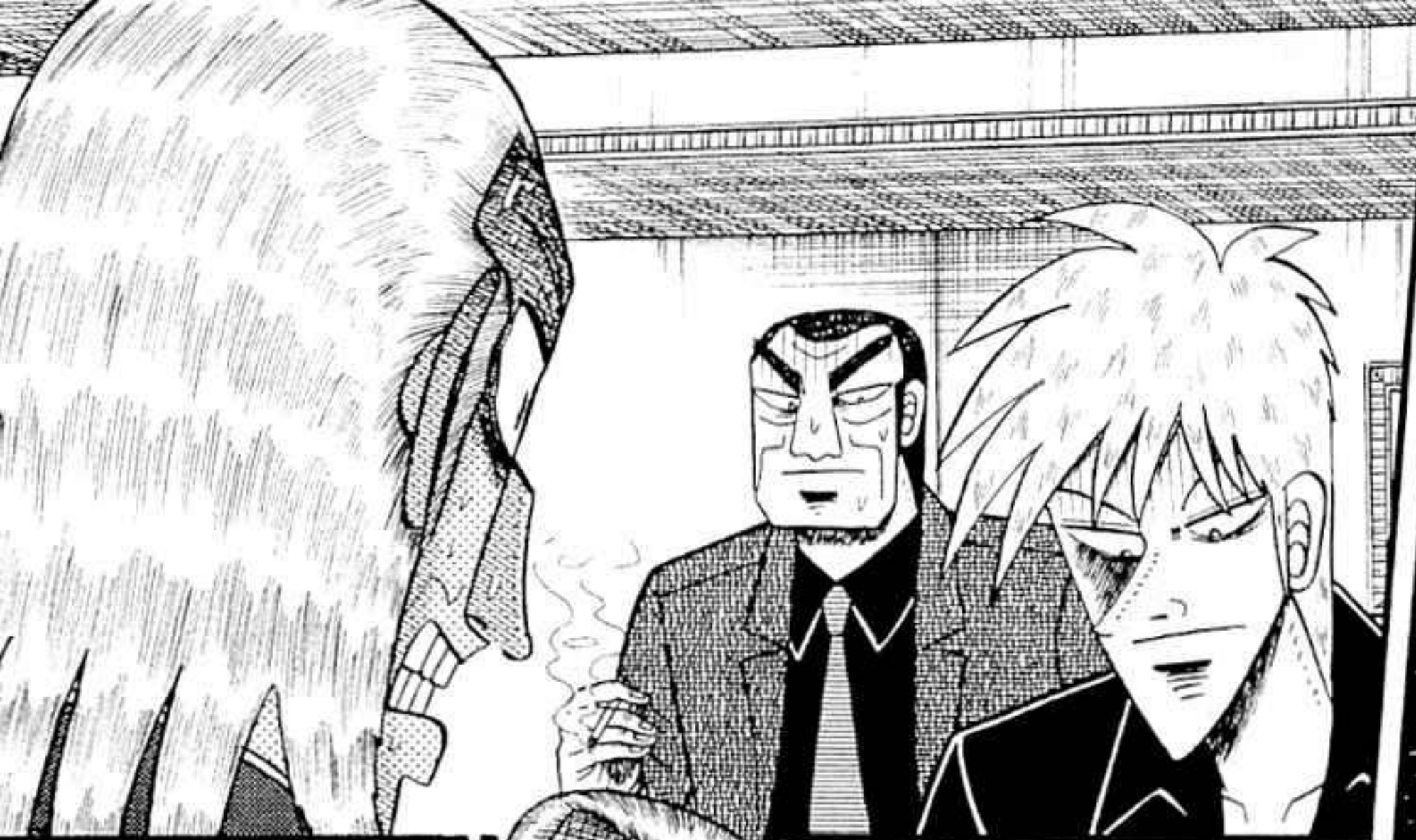
STEP  
BY  
STEP...

SO,  
THEN...

I  
WILL  
WIN!!

PLAY IT SAFE  
THROUGH AND  
THROUGH...





Having  
said  
that...



Which,  
once  
again...

Had drawn in  
the tile that would  
have allowed him  
to win...

Washizu's  
fearsome  
luck...

Brought  
him to  
tenpail!

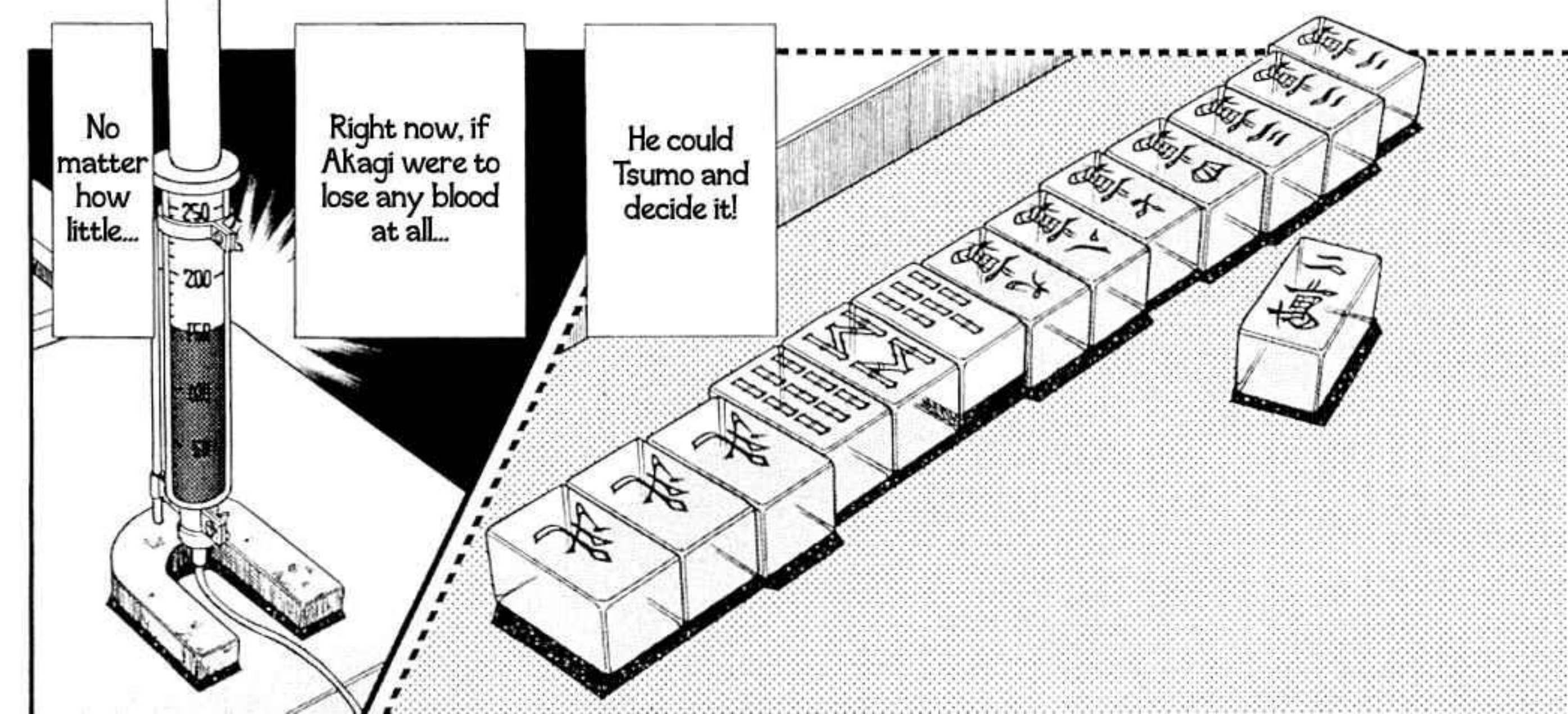


AKAGI?!

ISN'T  
THAT  
RIGHT...



On a 2-5 Man wait!!





But with  
that air  
hanging  
about this  
11th turn...

He is in  
an over-  
whelmingly  
dire  
situation!

Akagi  
has...



An explosive!

Concealed in his hand...

And the fuse of that explosive...

Is about to be lit!

AH!



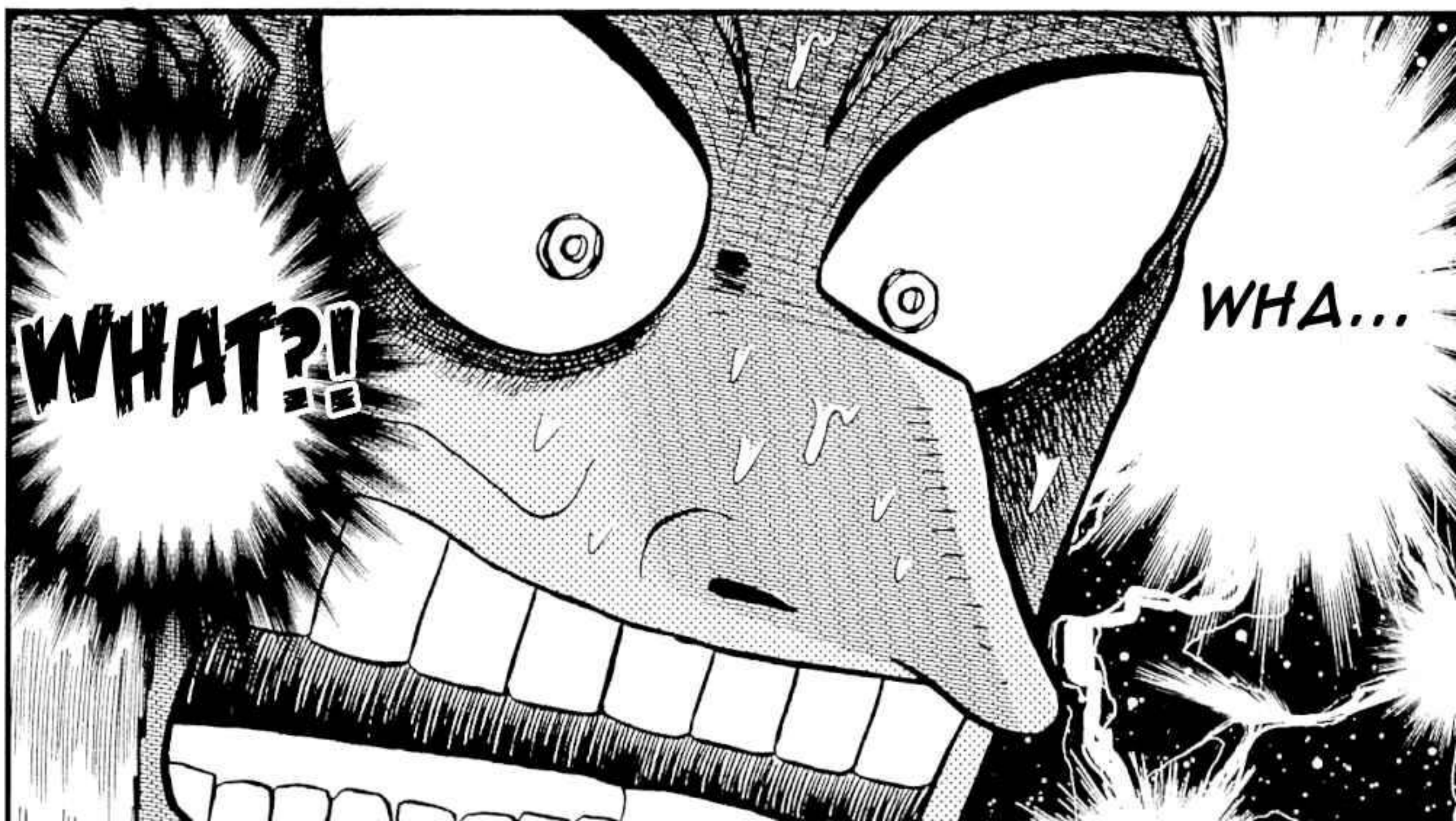


**KAN!!**



He once  
again makes  
a move!

Akagi  
moves!



**WHAT?!**

WHA...



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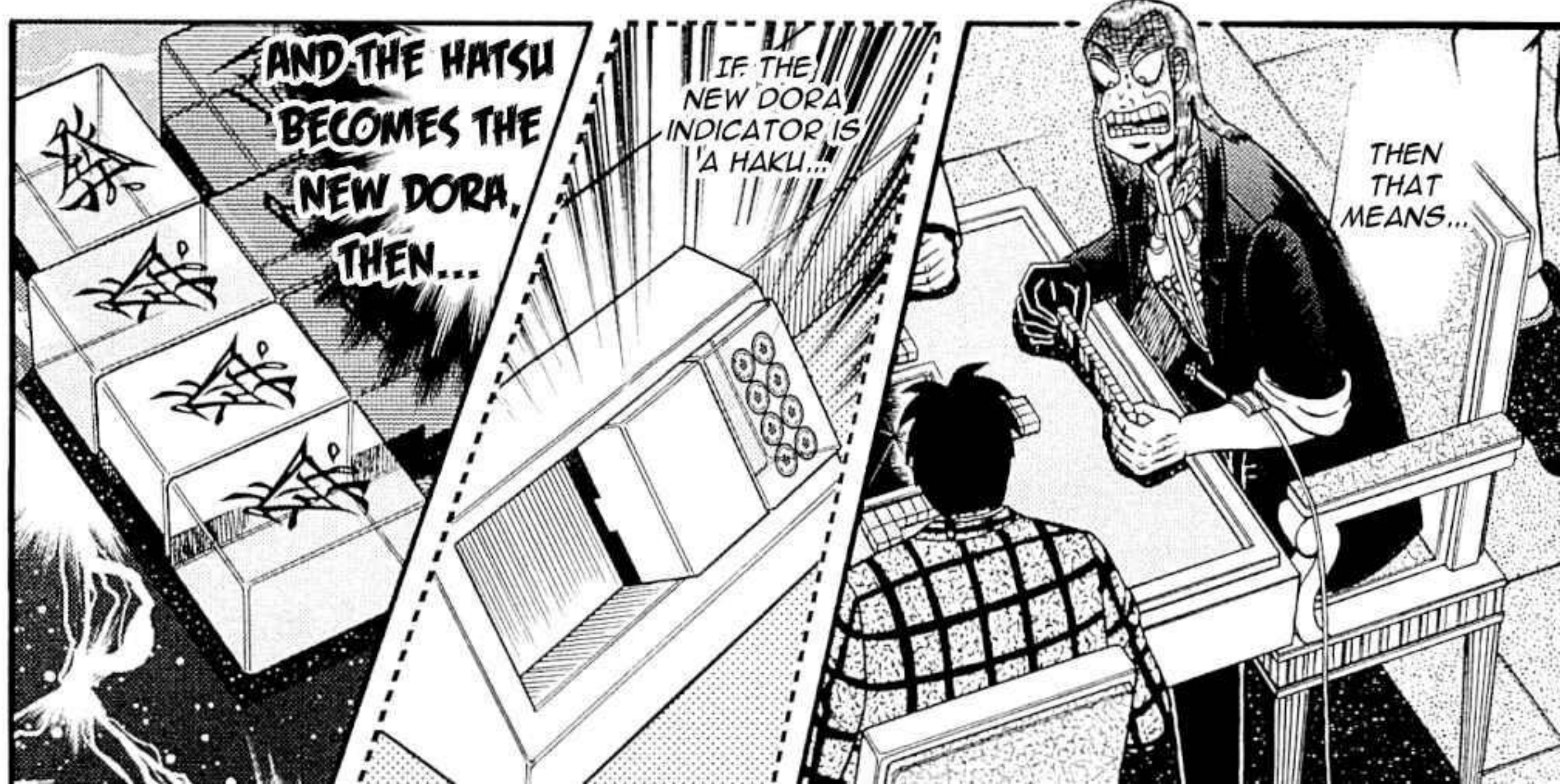
# 第224話 爆薬

## Chapter 224: EXPLOSIVES

WHAAAT?!









IT WOULD BE  
HATSU, XIA, HON ITSU,  
WITH 4 DORA,  
FOR 8 HAN!

IT'S...

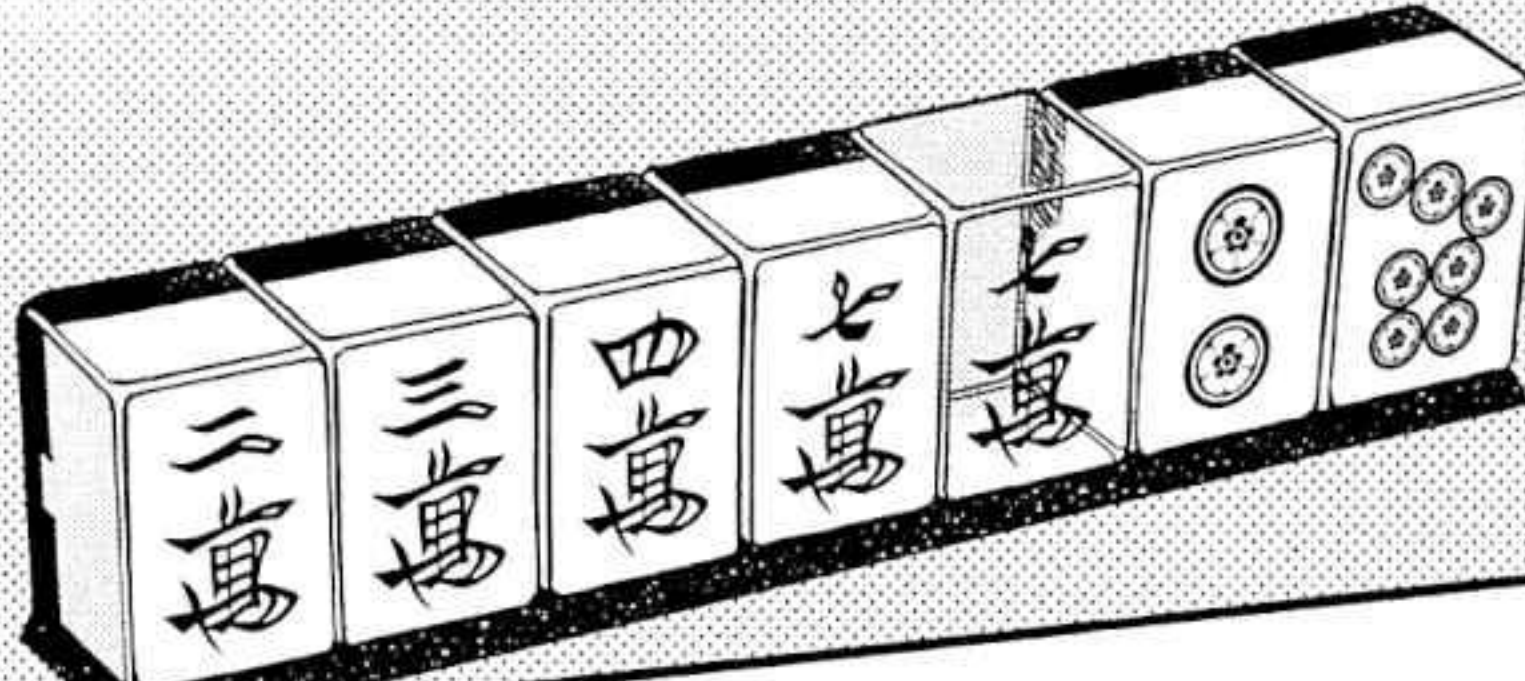
THAT  
WOULDN'T JUST  
BE AT THE  
LEVEL OF A  
MANGAN!

BAIMAN?!

No!

ARE YOU  
TELLING ME  
HE COULD  
GET A  
BAIMAN?!





Akagi's hand  
is still like this!

Baiman  
would be  
hopeless!

At  
pres-  
ent...

But...

It is not in  
a Hon Itsu  
shape!

THE  
HAND  
I WAS  
HOPING  
FOR  
AT THE  
START...

HATSU, XIA,  
4 DORA, FOR  
HANEMAN!

THERE'S  
HANE-  
MAN!



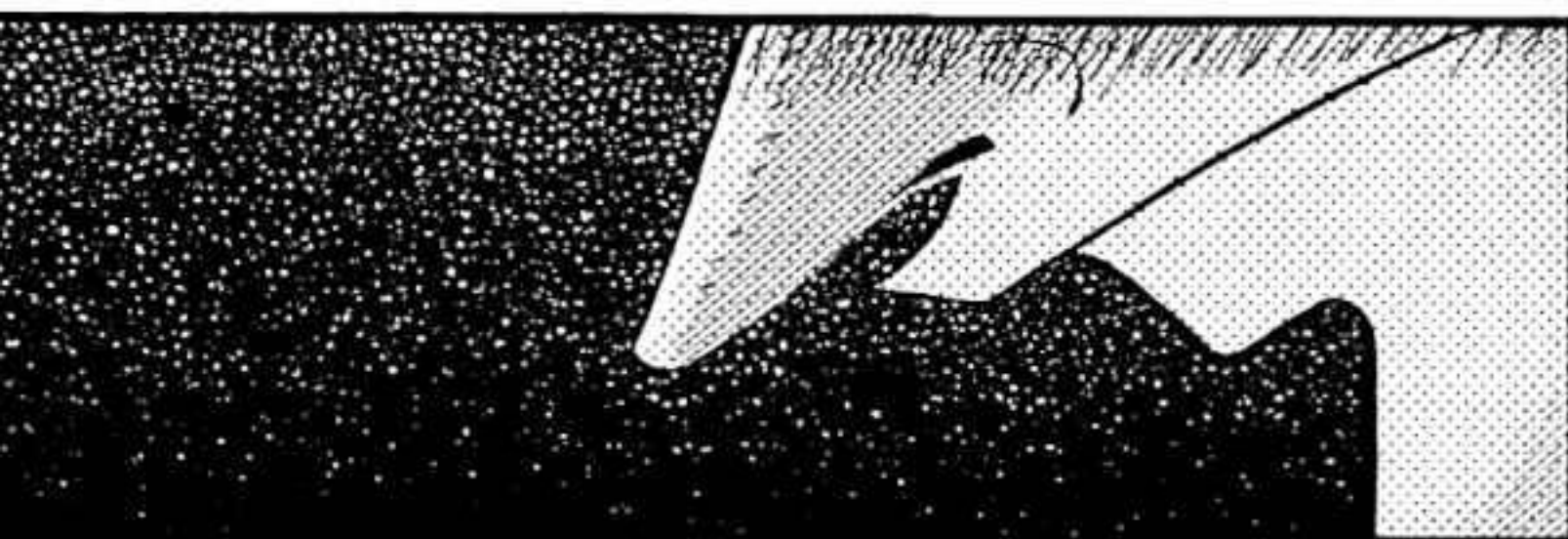


A  
HANEMAN  
TSUMO IS  
POSSIBLE!

IF THIS  
KAN OF  
HATSU...

FIRST...

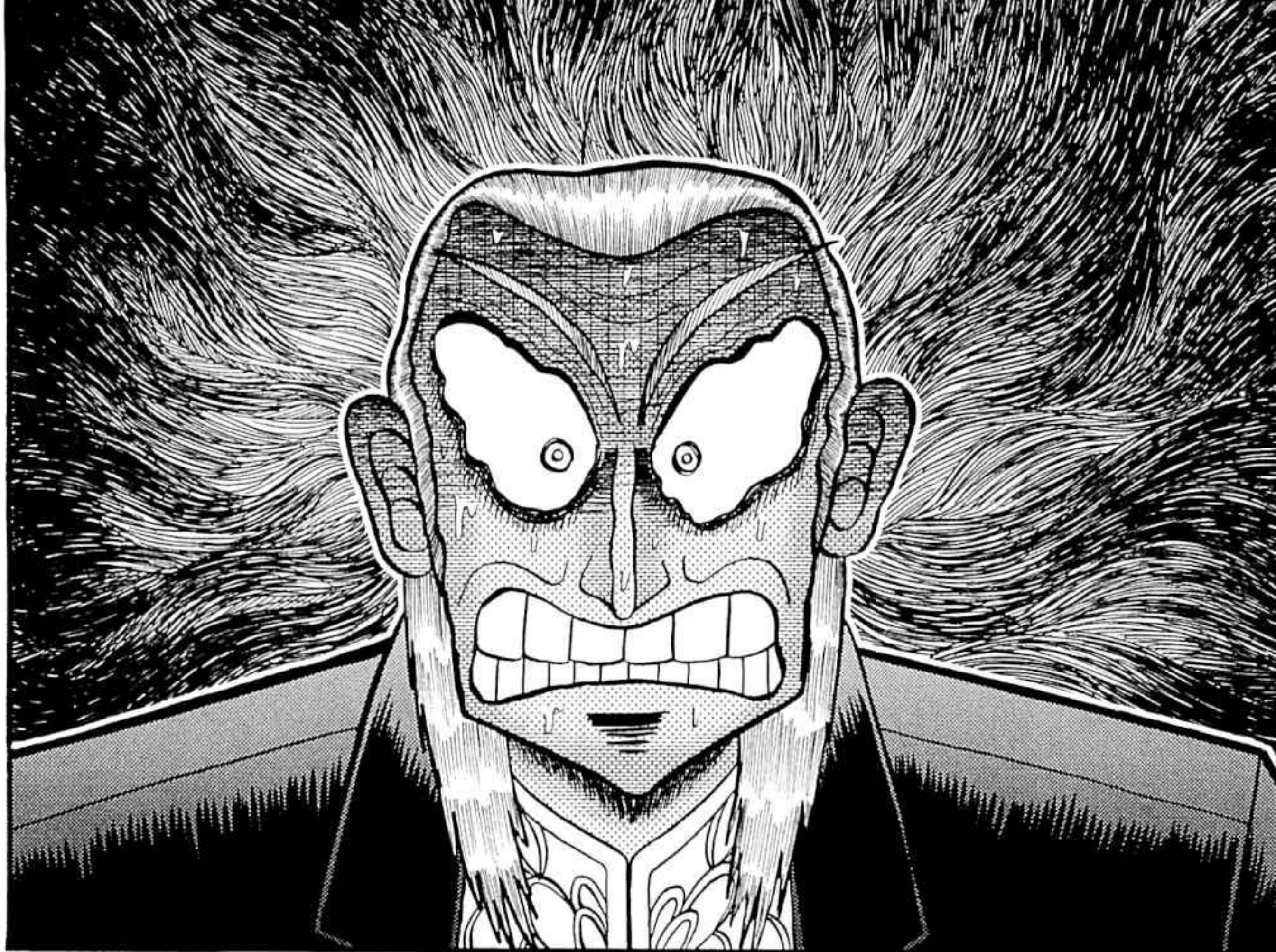
BECOMES  
THE DORA...!!



THE  
NEW  
DORA  
INDICA-  
TOR.











If the tile  
in Akagi's  
hand...

Is a Haku,  
he will have  
4 Dora!



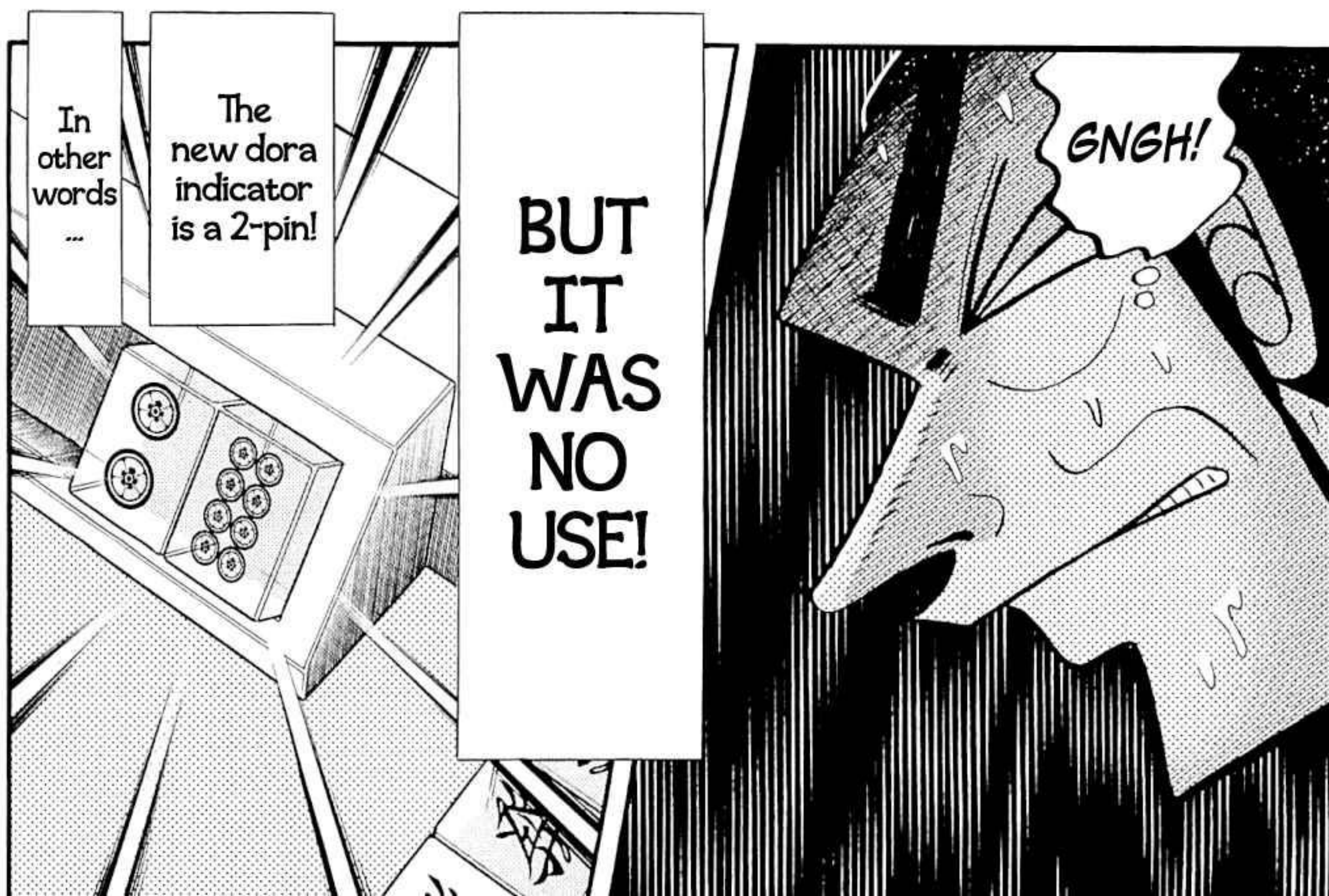
The  
Haku  
would  
give  
him...

The  
Haku!





4  
DORA!!!



In  
other  
words  
...

The  
new dora  
indicator  
is a 2-pin!

BUT  
IT  
WAS  
NO  
USE!

GNGH!





KHEH...

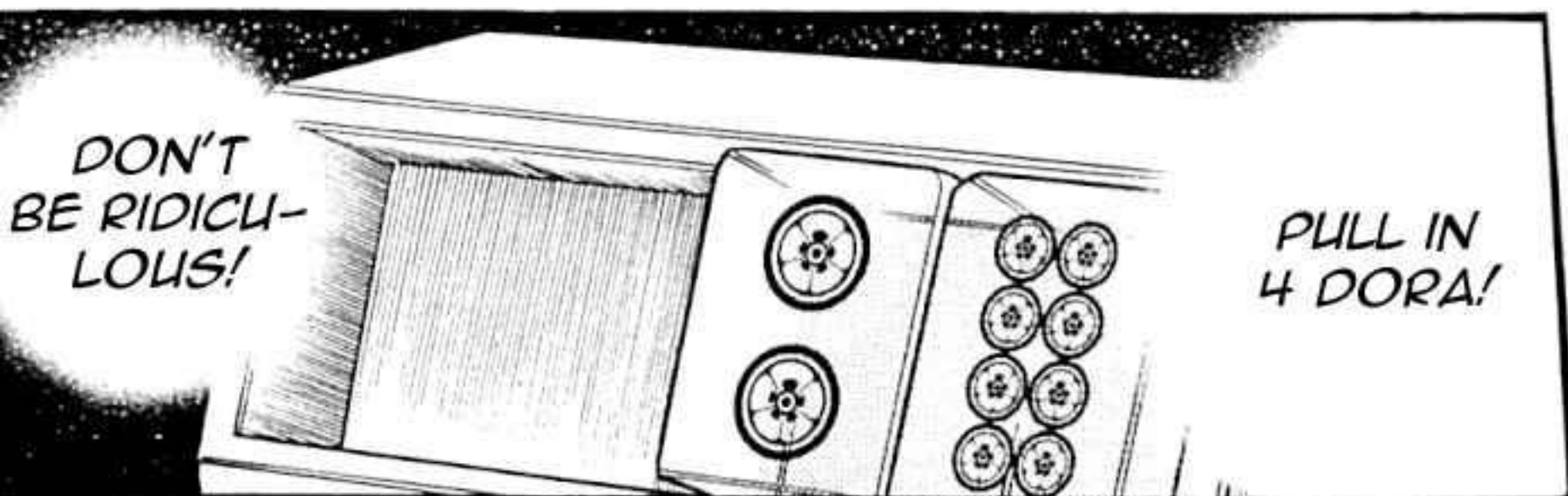


The new  
dora is  
3-pin!



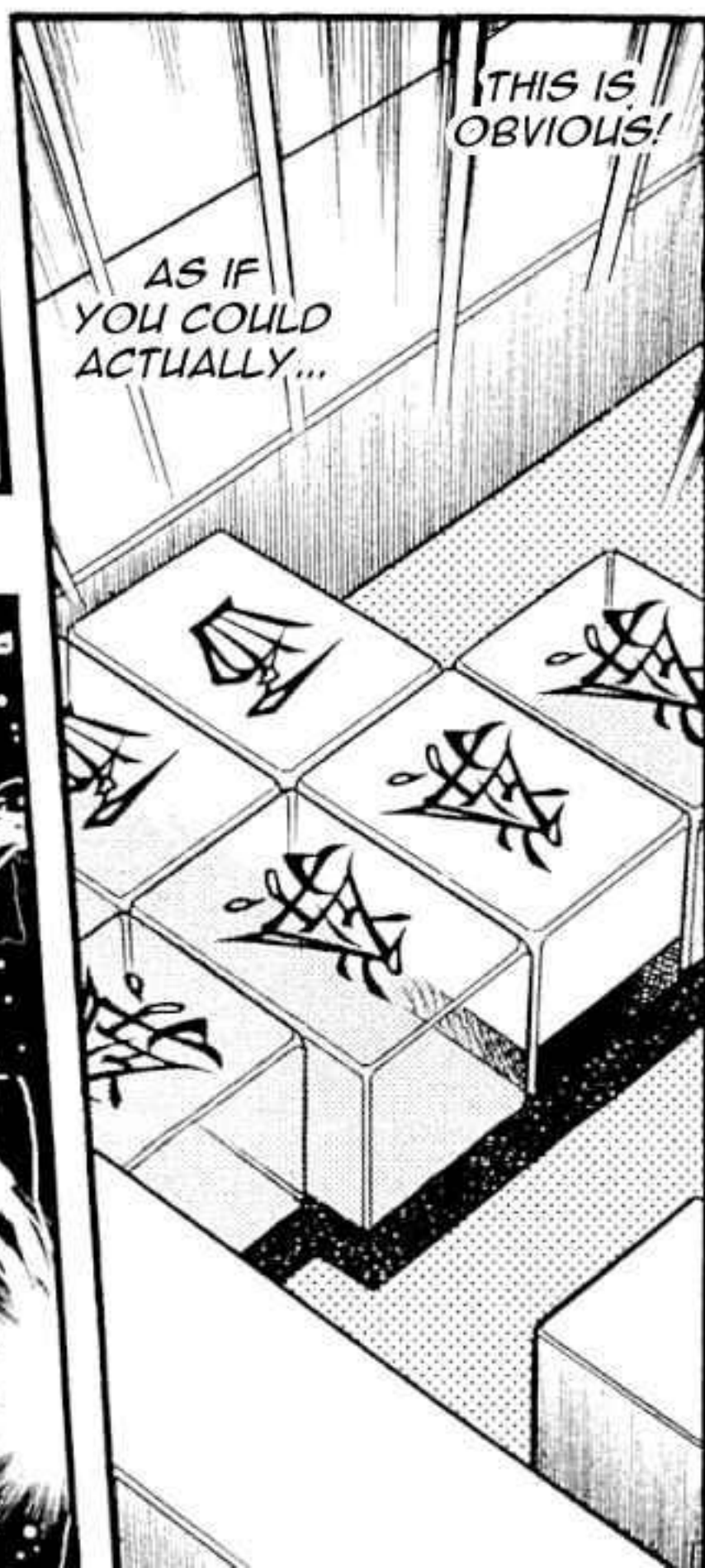
WELL, OF  
COURSE!

KHEH-  
HEH-  
HEH-  
HEH...



DON'T  
BE RIDICU-  
LOUS!

PULL IN  
4 DORA!



THIS IS  
OBVIOUS!

AS IF  
YOU COULD  
ACTUALLY...



HOW ABSURD  
THAT I WAS  
ACTUALLY  
WORRIED!





**SUCH A  
NAIVE DREAM  
AS THAT!**

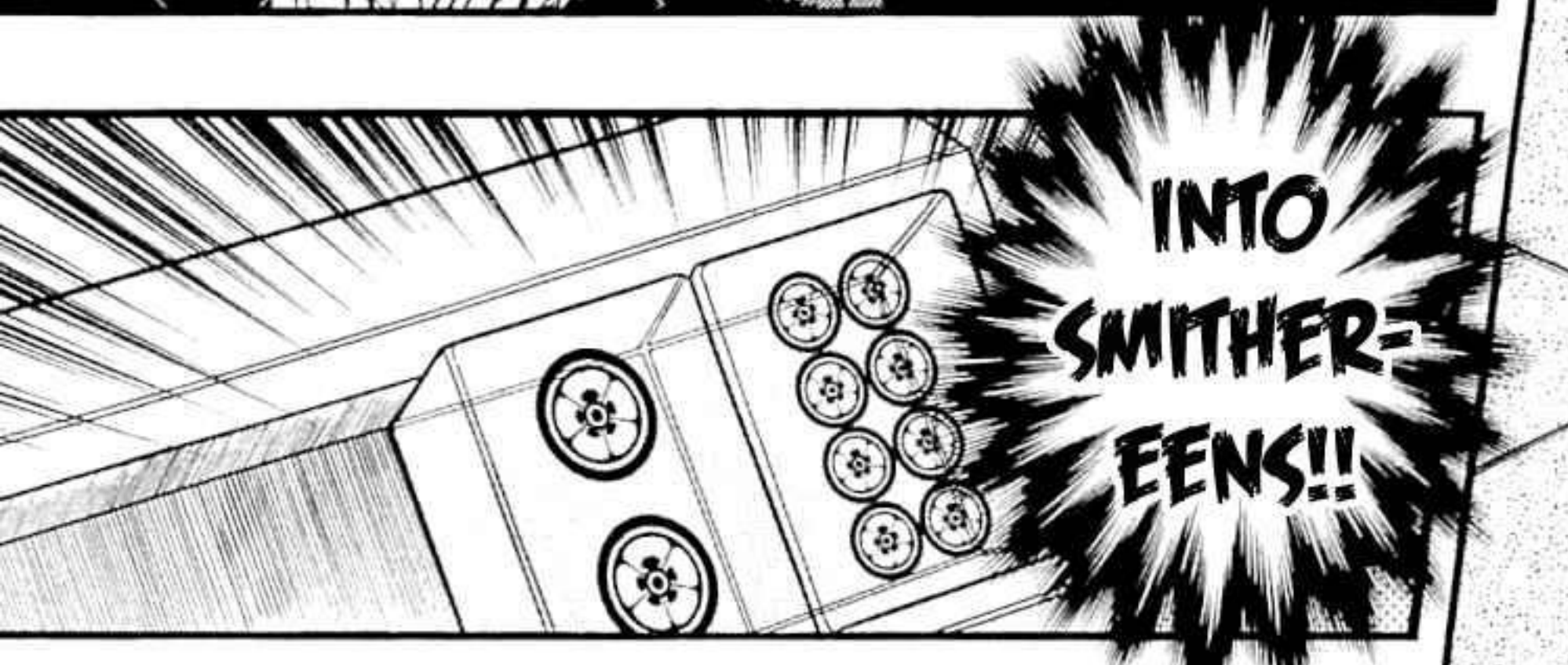
**THEY  
WOULD  
NATURALLY  
IGNORE...**

**THEY  
ARE SUCH  
UNFEELING  
BEINGS!**

**THE  
FATES ARE  
HEARTLESS!**



**WITHOUT  
REMORSE  
OR MERCY...  
THEY  
SHATTERED  
IT...**



**INTO  
SMITHER-  
EENS!!**

**IN  
THE HUMAN  
WORLD, IN  
HUMAN LUCK,  
IN HUMAN  
DESIRES!**

**THEY  
HAVE NO  
INTEREST...**

**OF  
COURSE  
THEY DID!**





**OUTSIDE  
OF ME,  
THAT IS!!!**

A  
misfire!

KHEH-  
HEH-  
HEH!





But...

His  
Promoted  
Kan  
misfired!

Akagi's  
explosive...

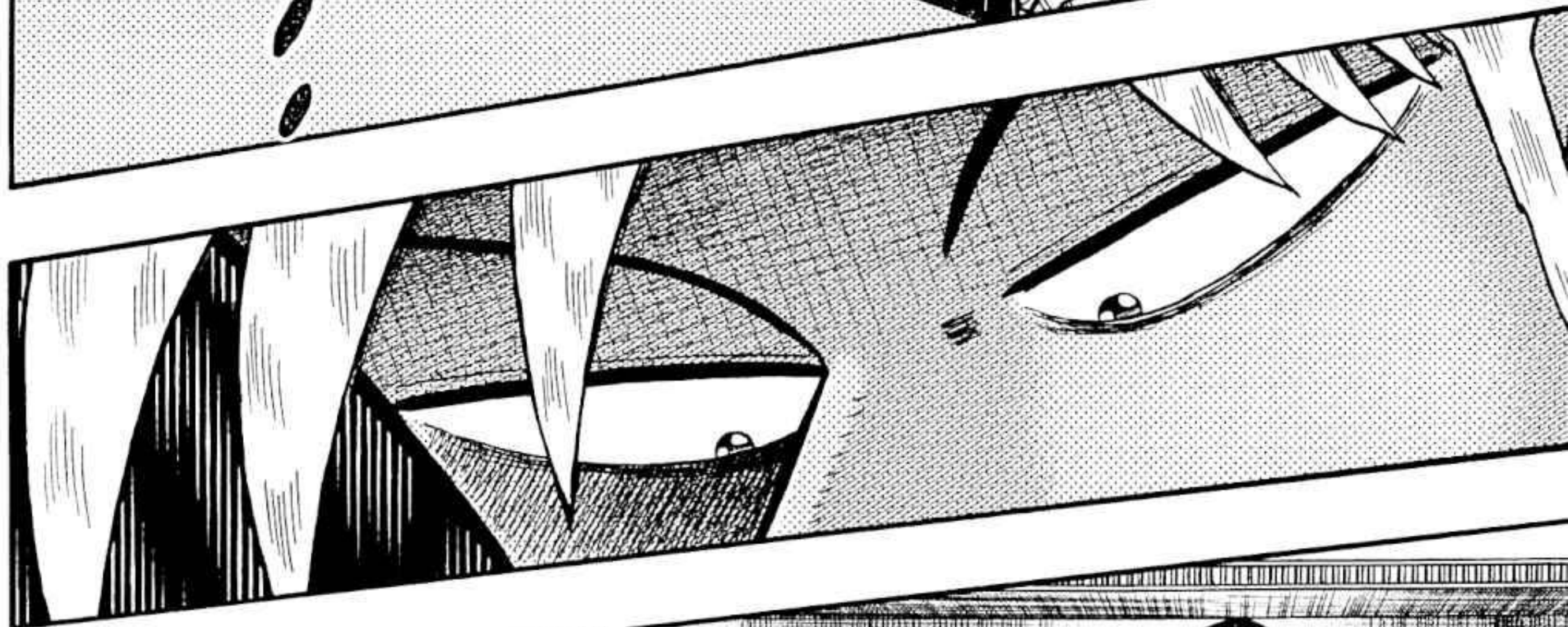
But...!

But!

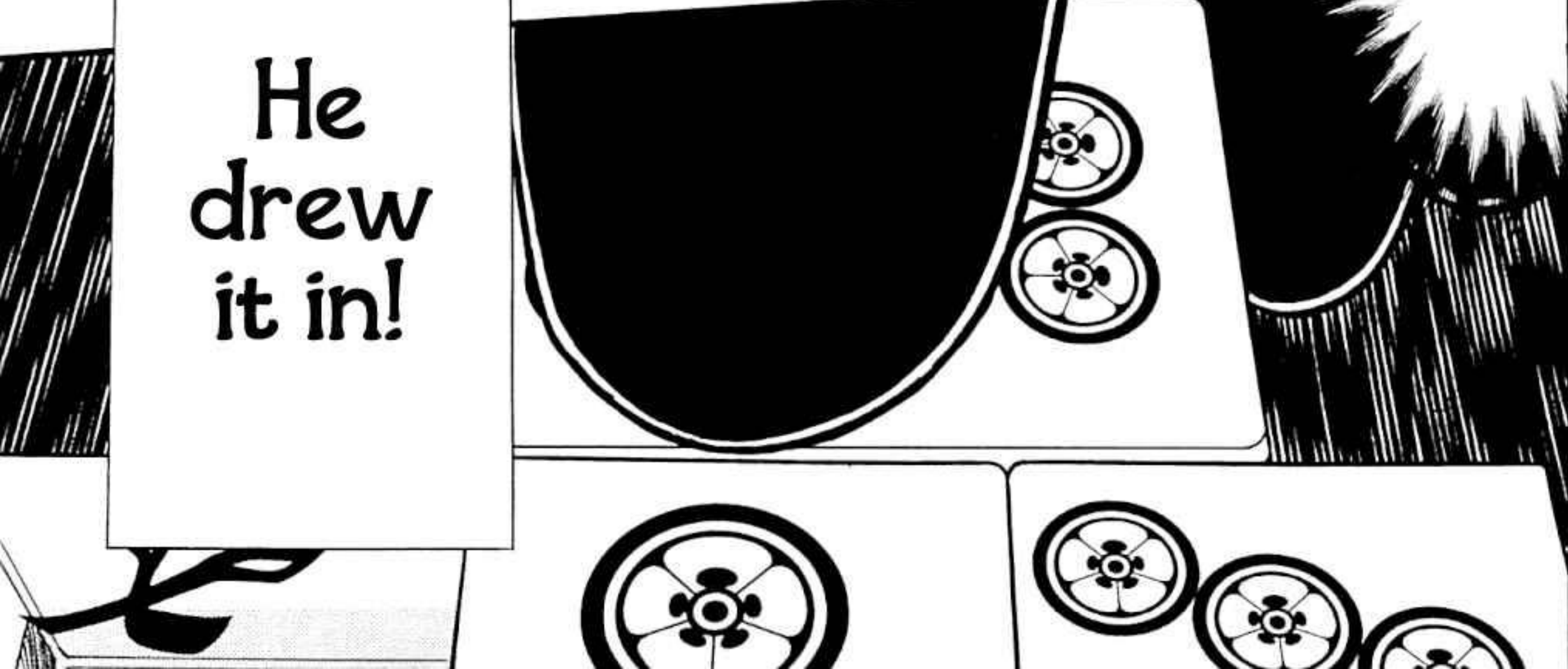
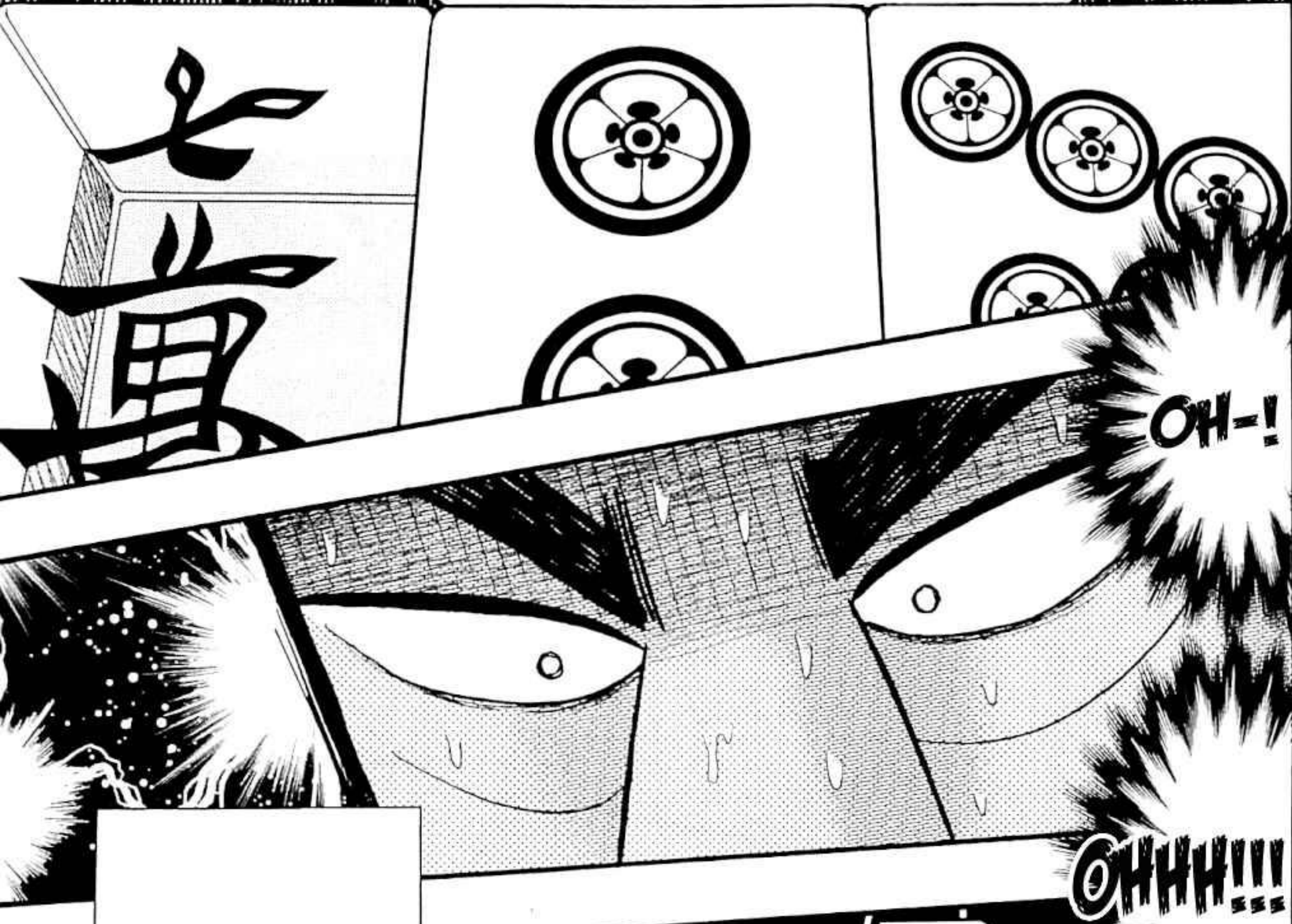
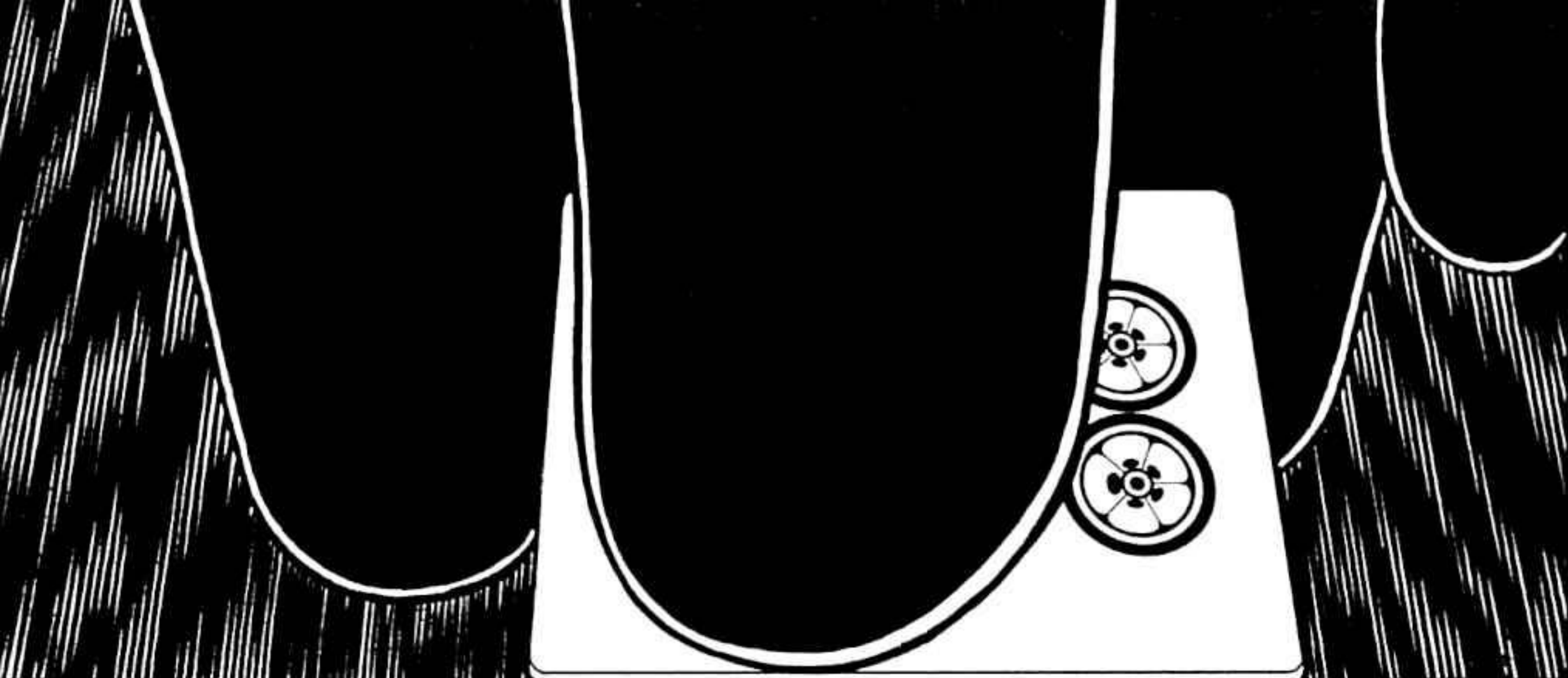


On the  
following  
dead wall  
draw...







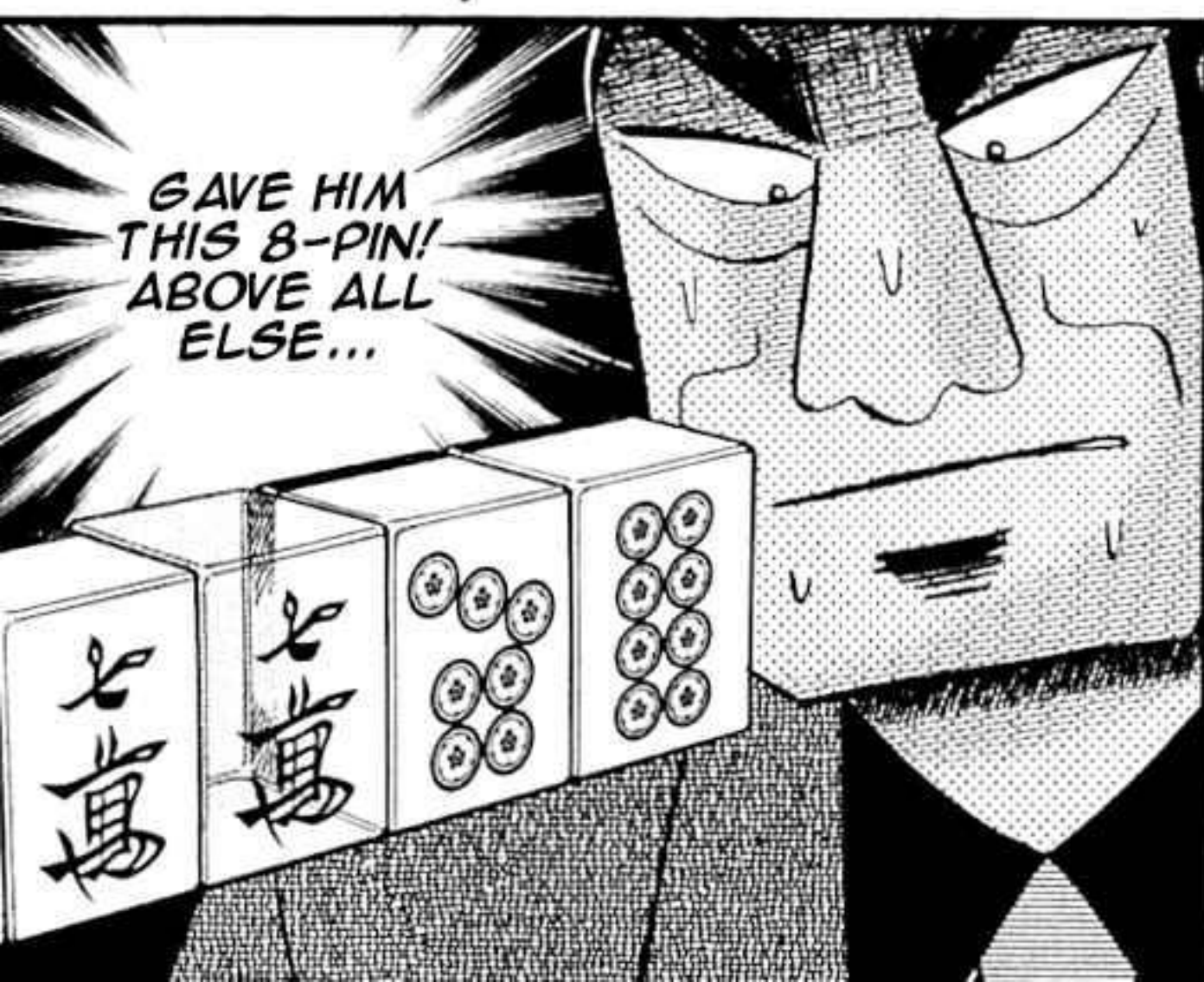
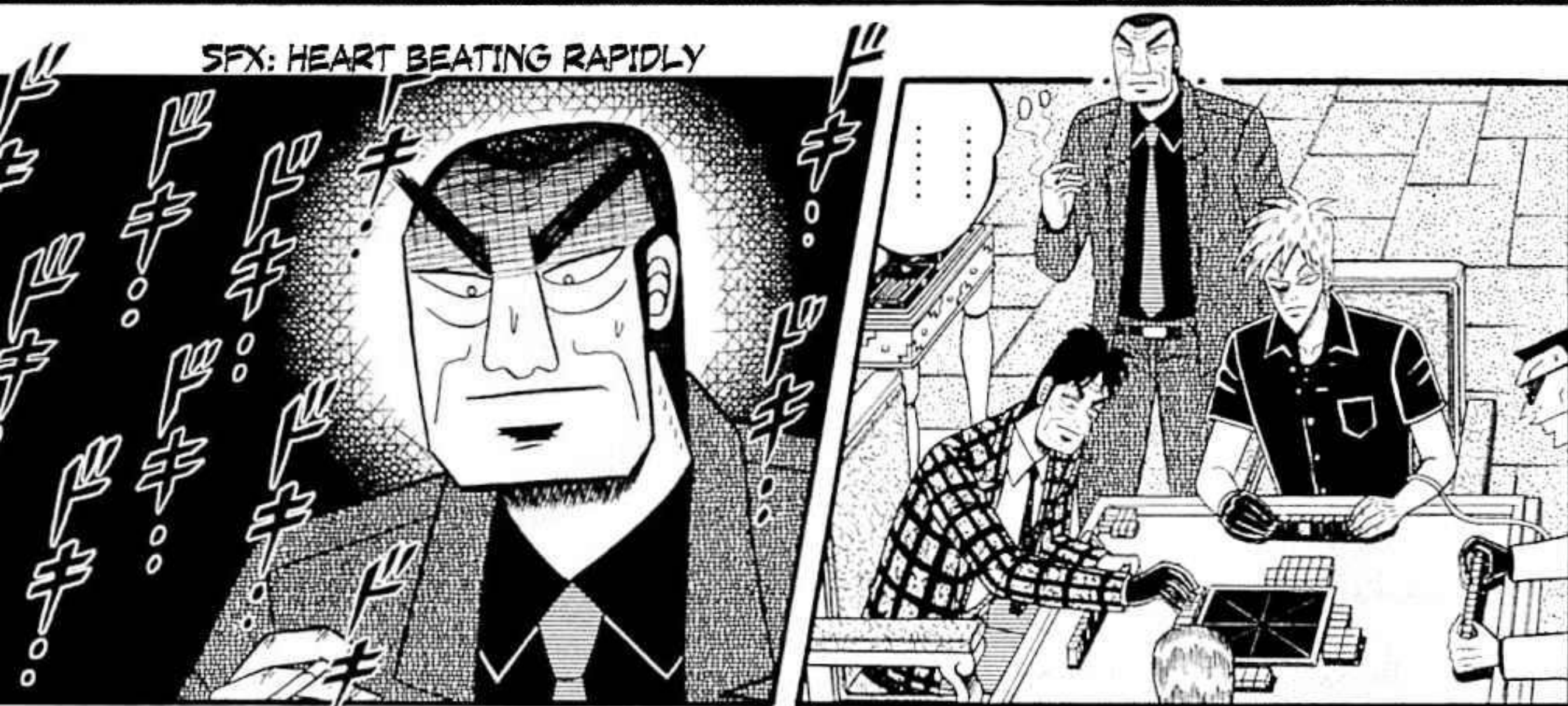


He  
drew  
it in!

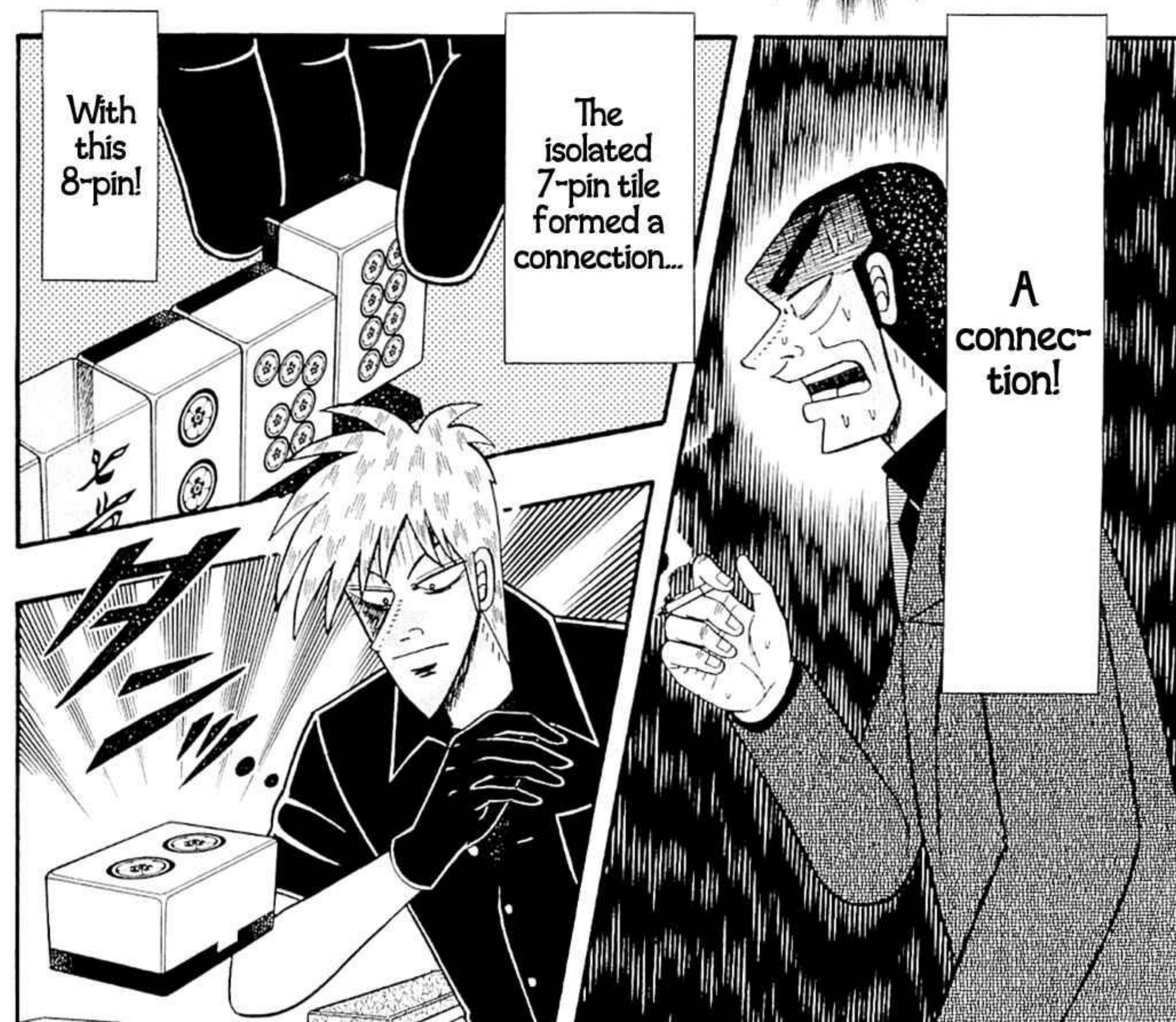
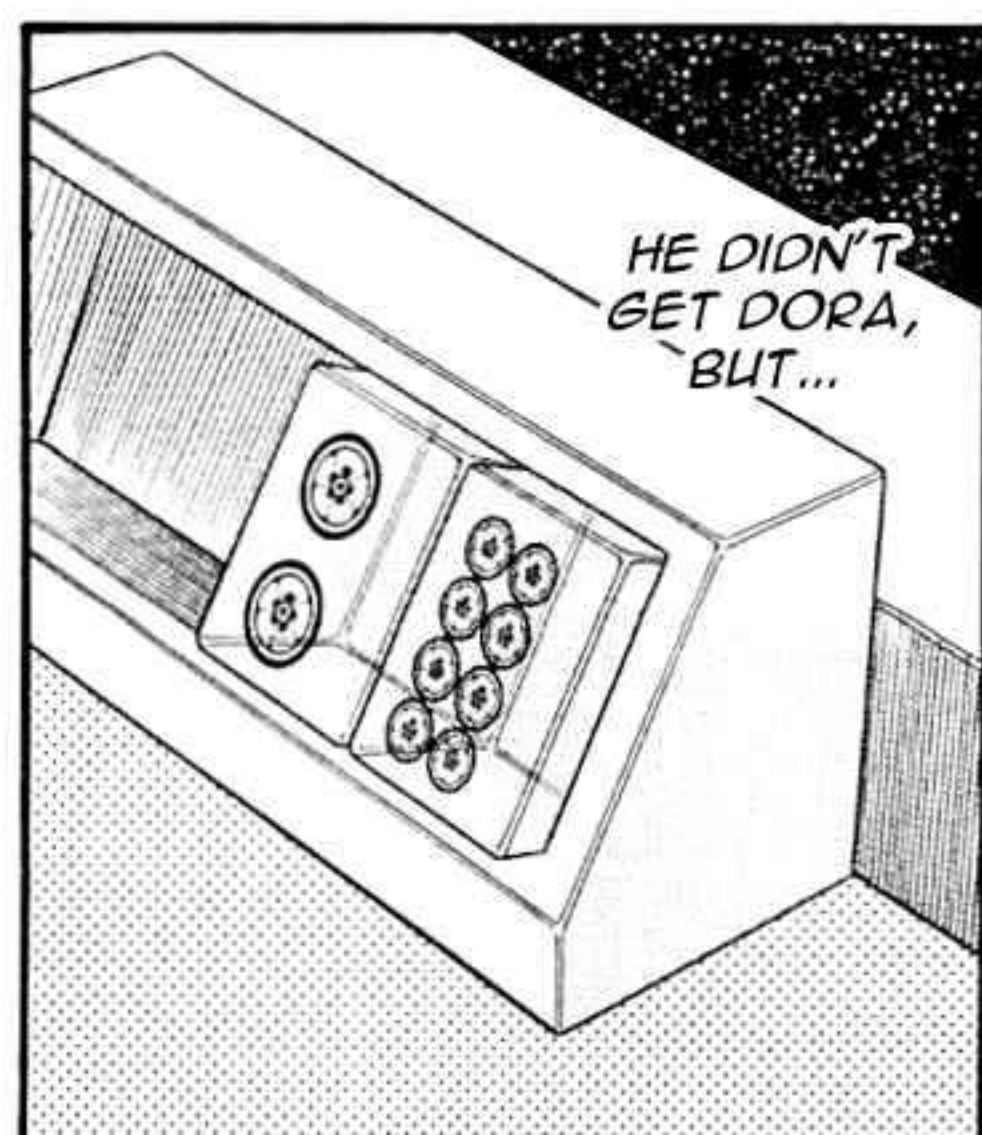
OH-!

OH!!!



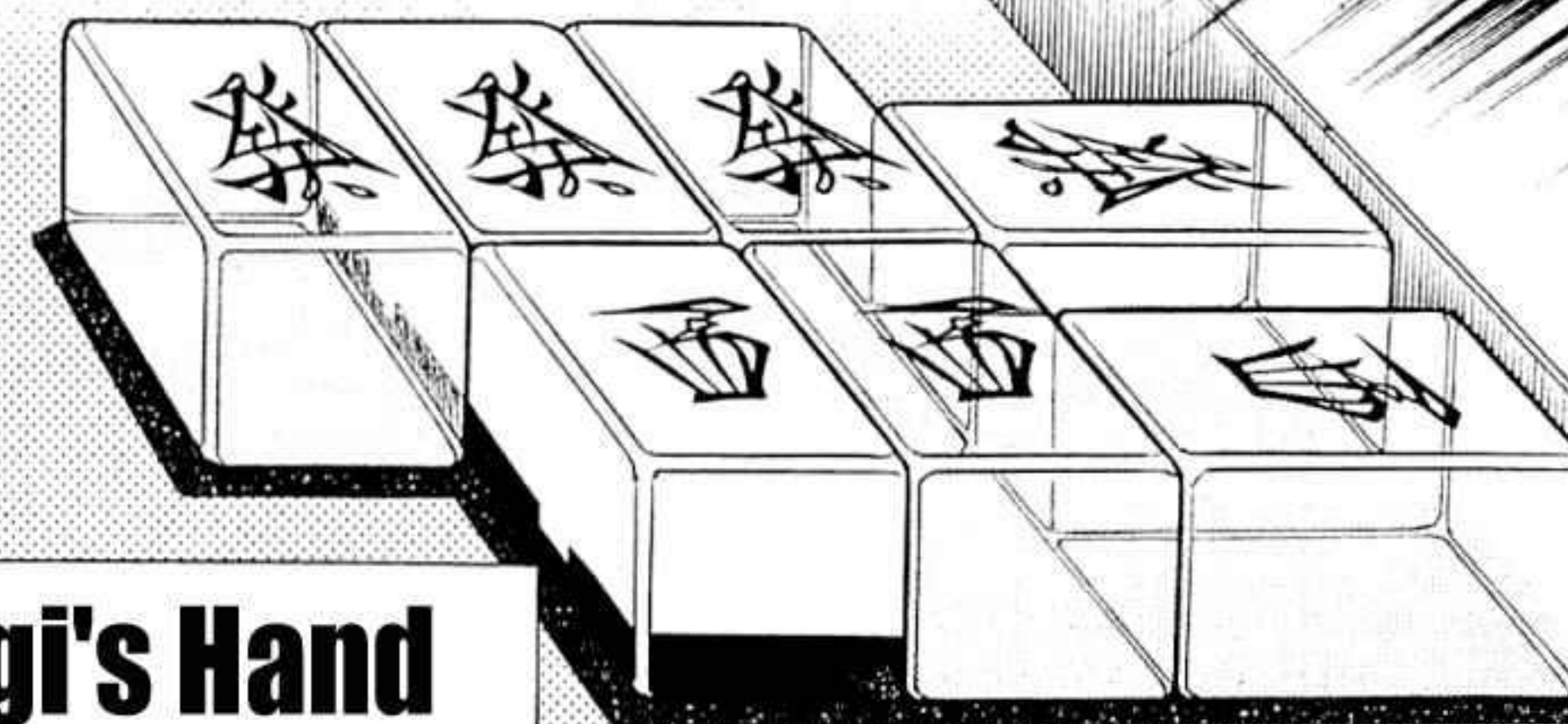


THE DEAD WALL DRAW ITSELF...





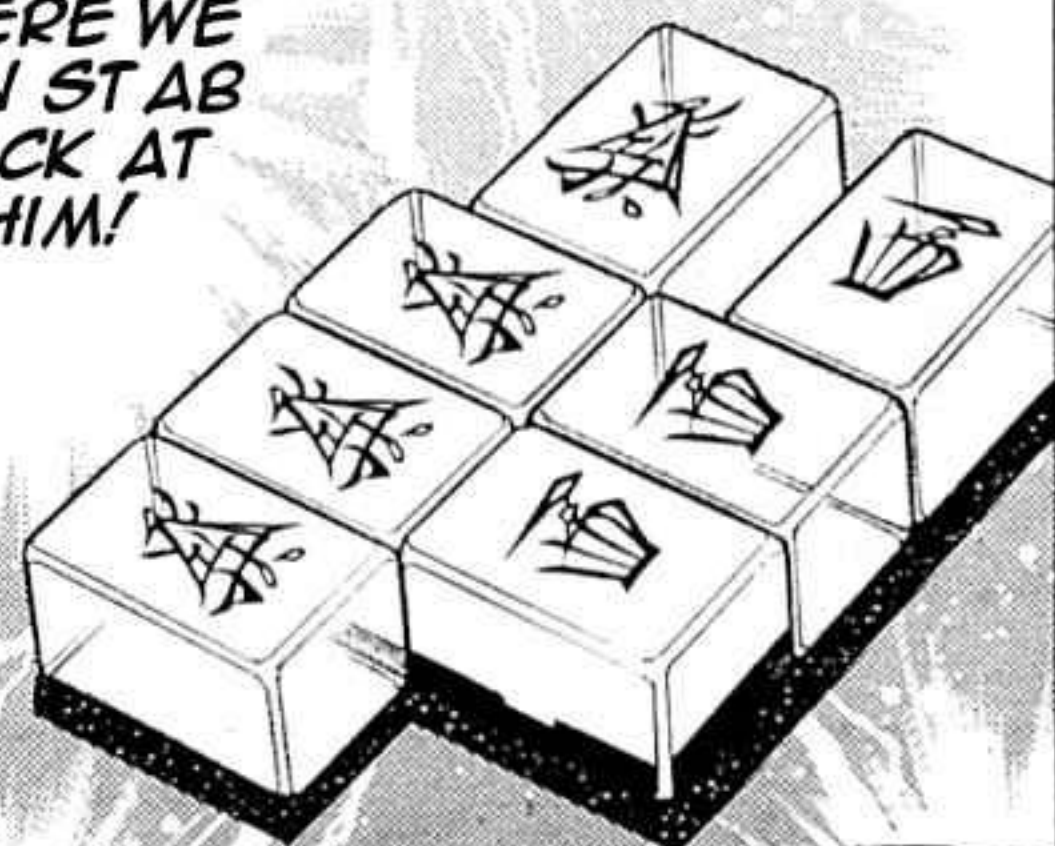
# HE'S IN TENPAI!!!



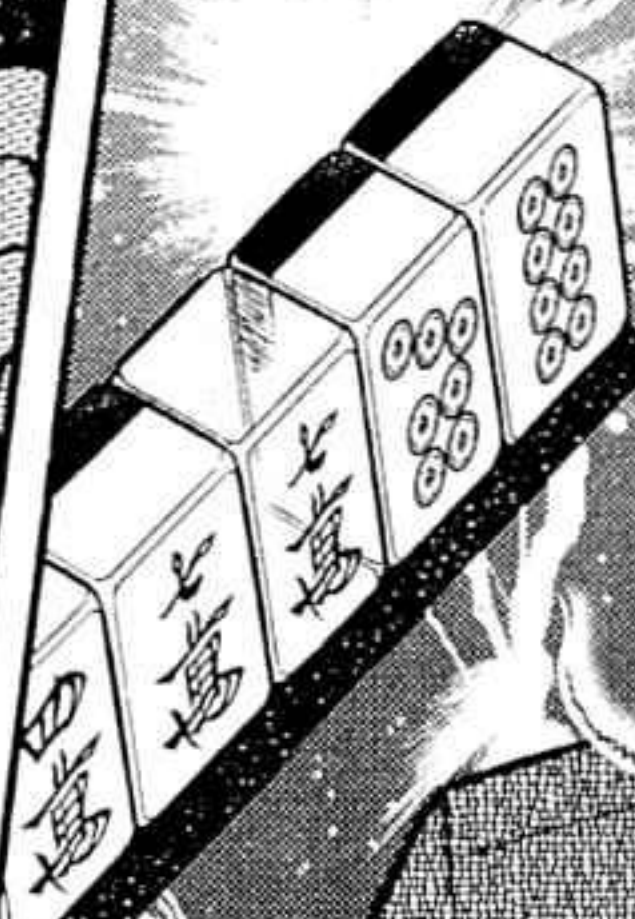
**Akagi's Hand**



WHERE WE  
CAN STAB  
BACK AT  
HIM!



WHO  
KNOWS  
WHAT MIGHT  
HAPPEN,  
NOW!



AND WHILE  
WASHIZU...

HE'S AT  
LEAST IN  
TENPAI,  
NOW!

IT'S NOT  
FOR HON  
ITSU, BUT...



RIGHT  
UNDER  
HIS  
NOSE...

IS STILL  
THINKING  
WE'VE GOT  
A WAYS  
TO GO...

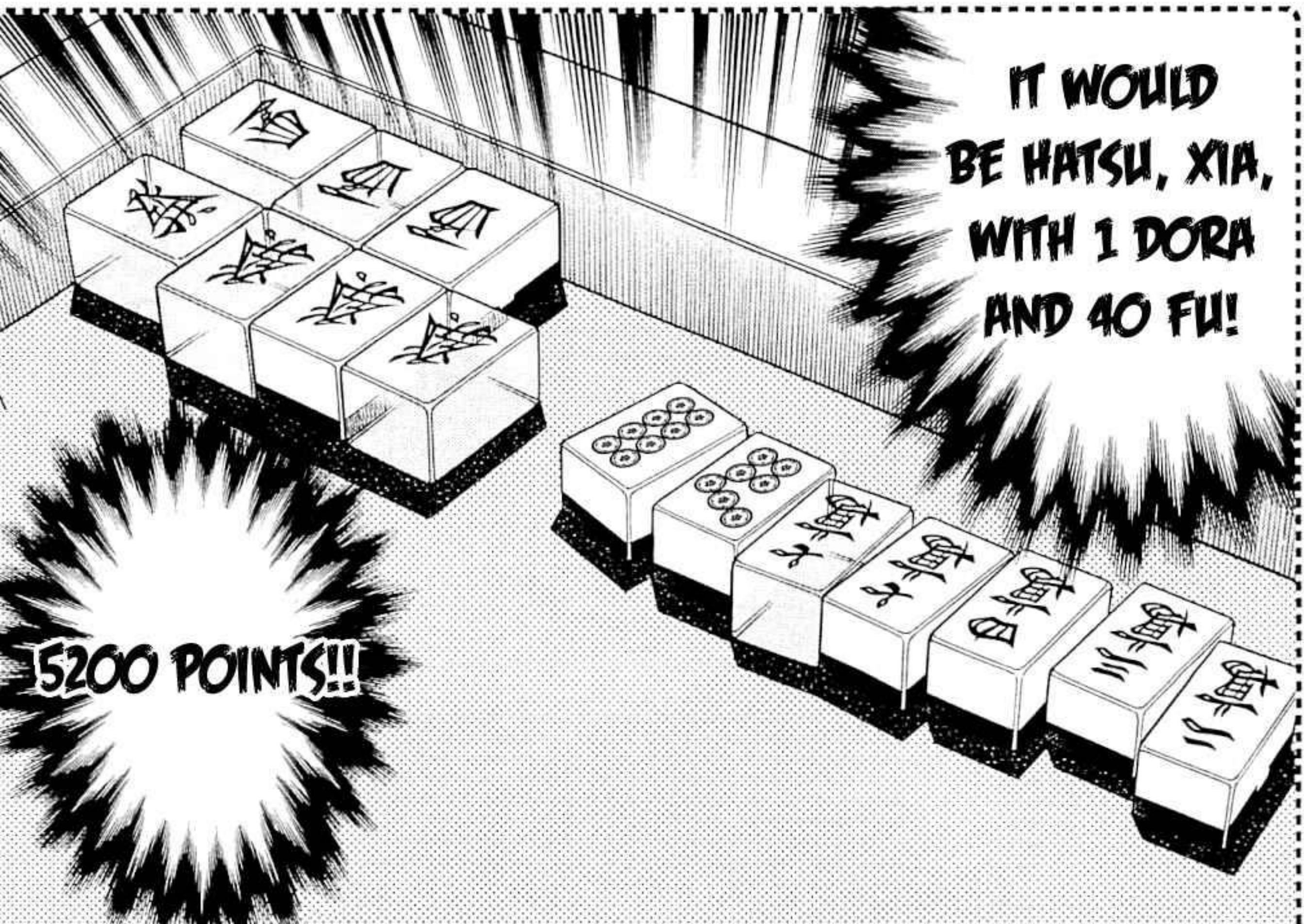
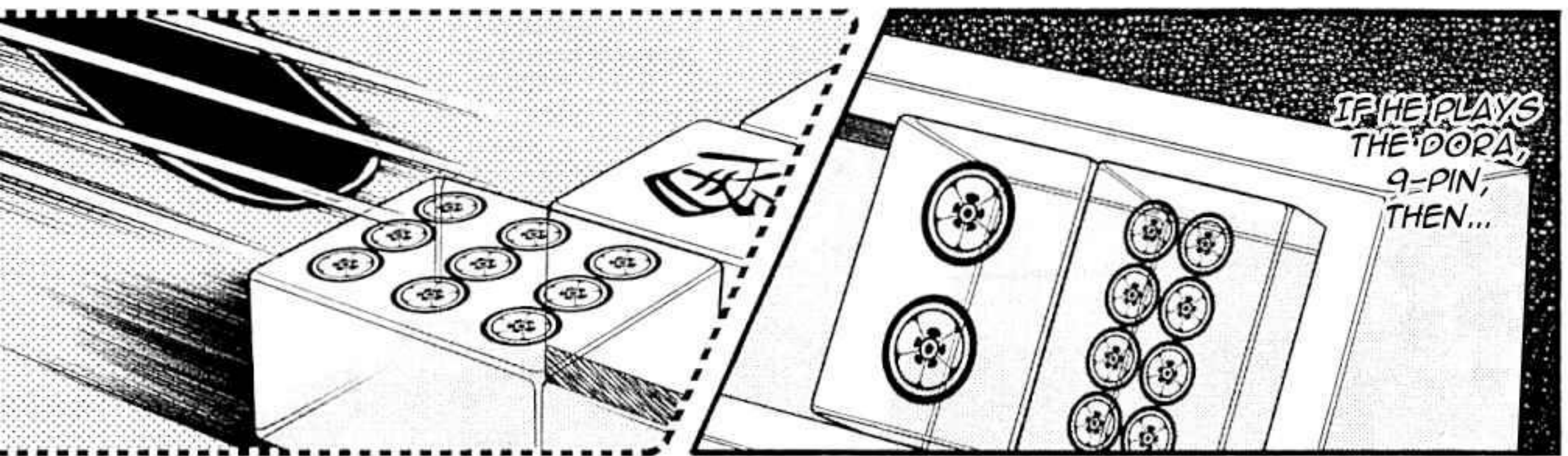


WE'VE  
GOTTEN  
TO A  
POSITION...











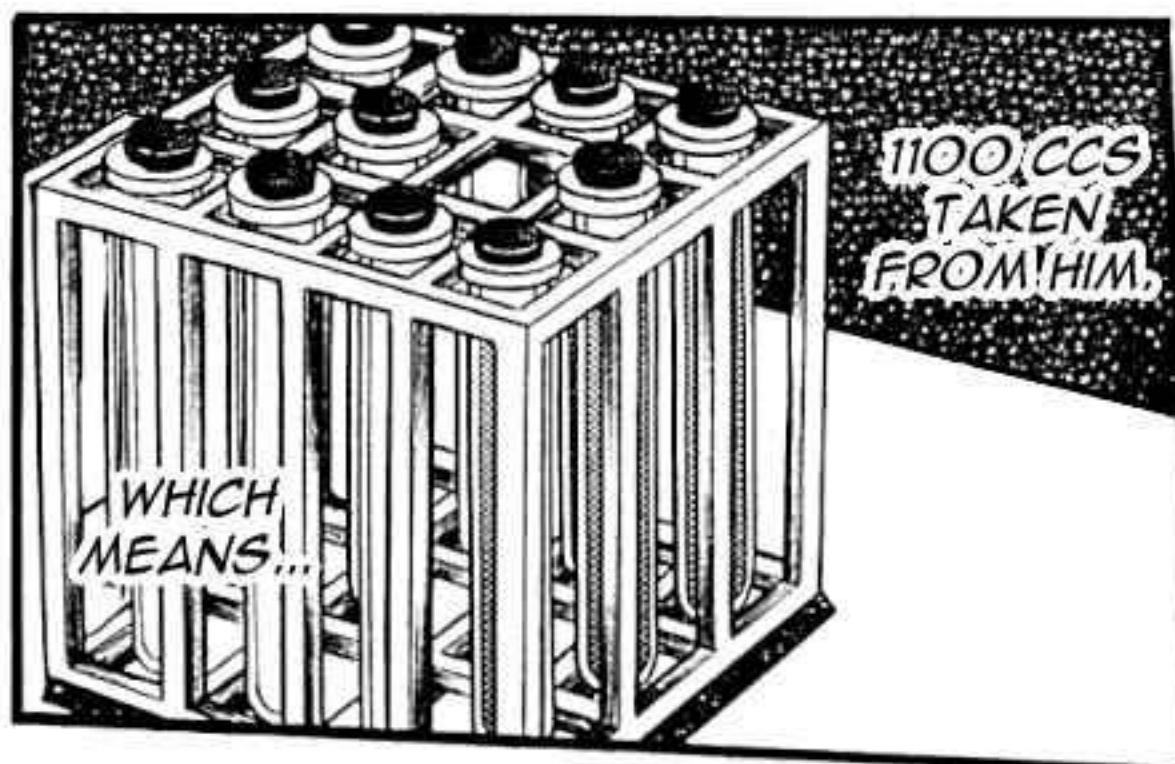


WASHIZU  
HAS  
ALREADY  
HAD...



520  
CCS OF  
BLOOD!

MEANING  
WASHIZU  
WOULD  
LOSE...



1100 CCS  
TAKEN  
FROM HIM.

WHICH  
MEANS...



CONSIDERING  
WASHIZU'S  
AGE...

THAT  
WOULD BRING  
THE TOTAL TO  
1620 CCS!

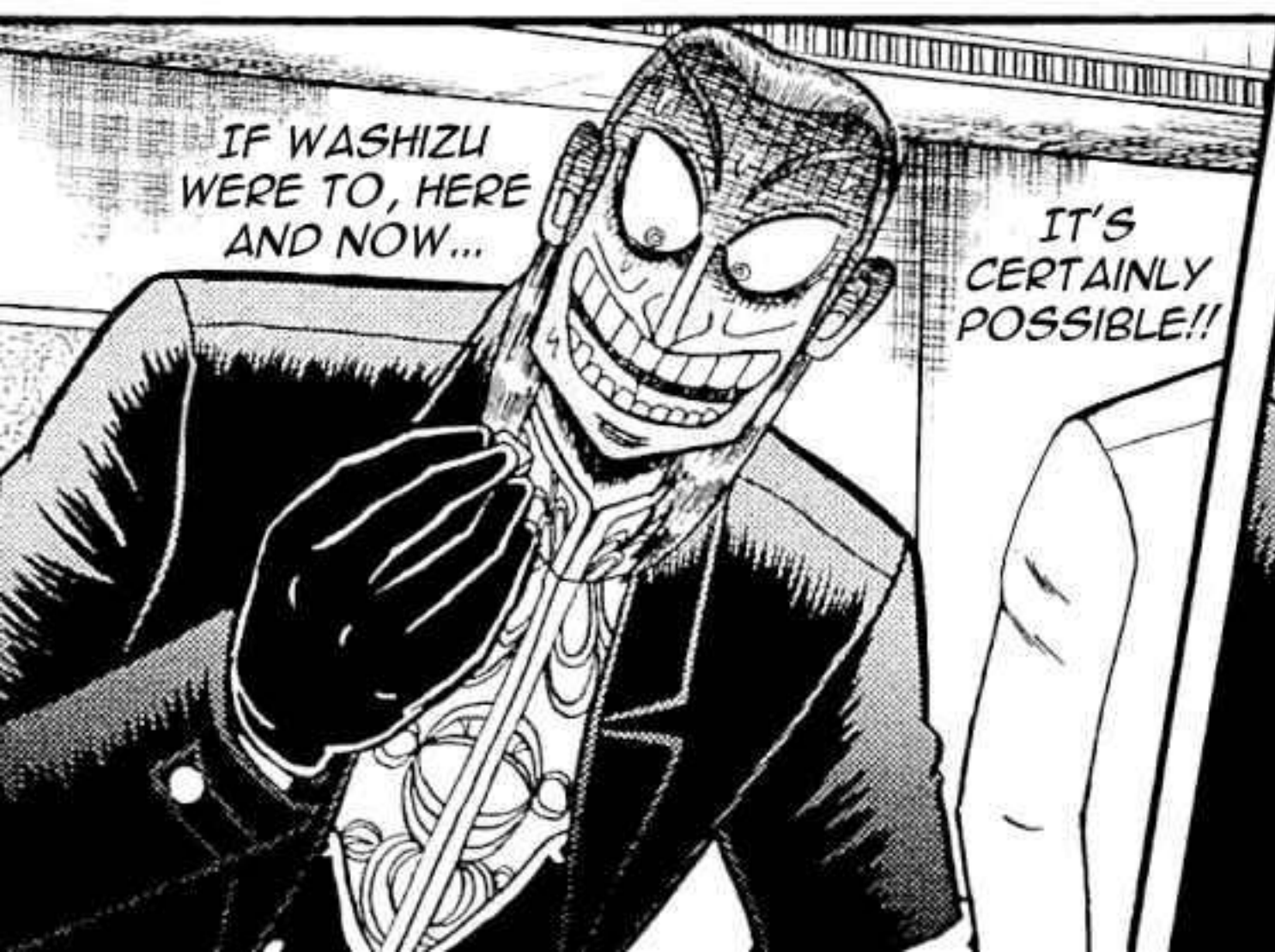




**EVEN  
1620  
CCS...**



**COULD  
SETTLE  
IT!!**

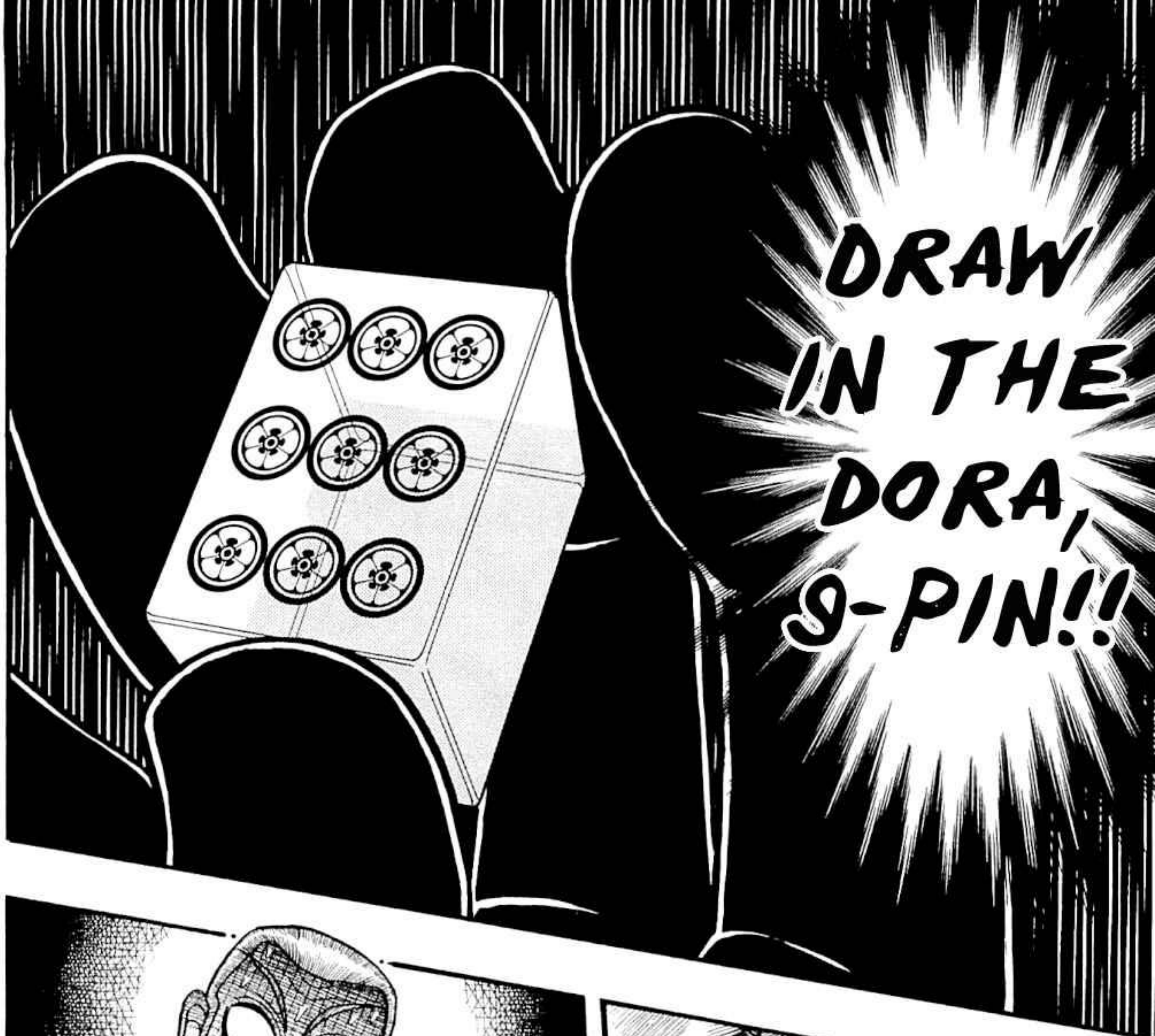


IF WASHIZU  
WERE TO, HERE  
AND NOW...

IT'S  
CERTAINLY  
POSSIBLE!!











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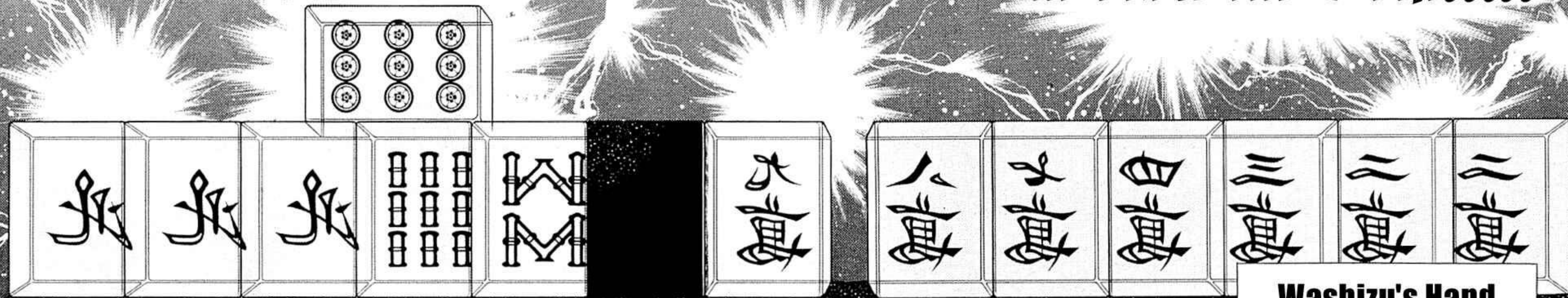


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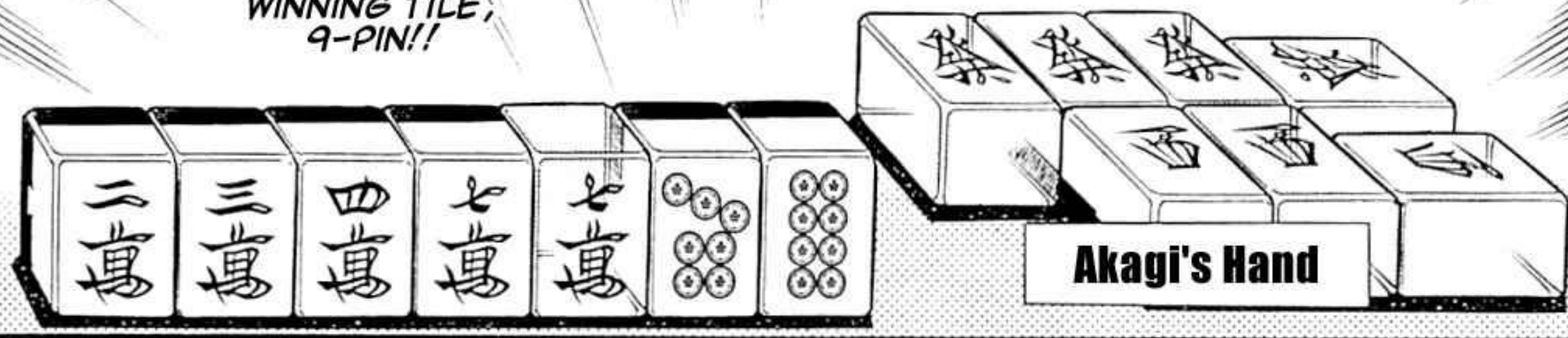


**HE DREW THE 9-PIN....!!**



**Washizu's Hand**

**AKAGI'S  
WINNING TILE,  
9-PIN!!**



**Akagi's Hand**







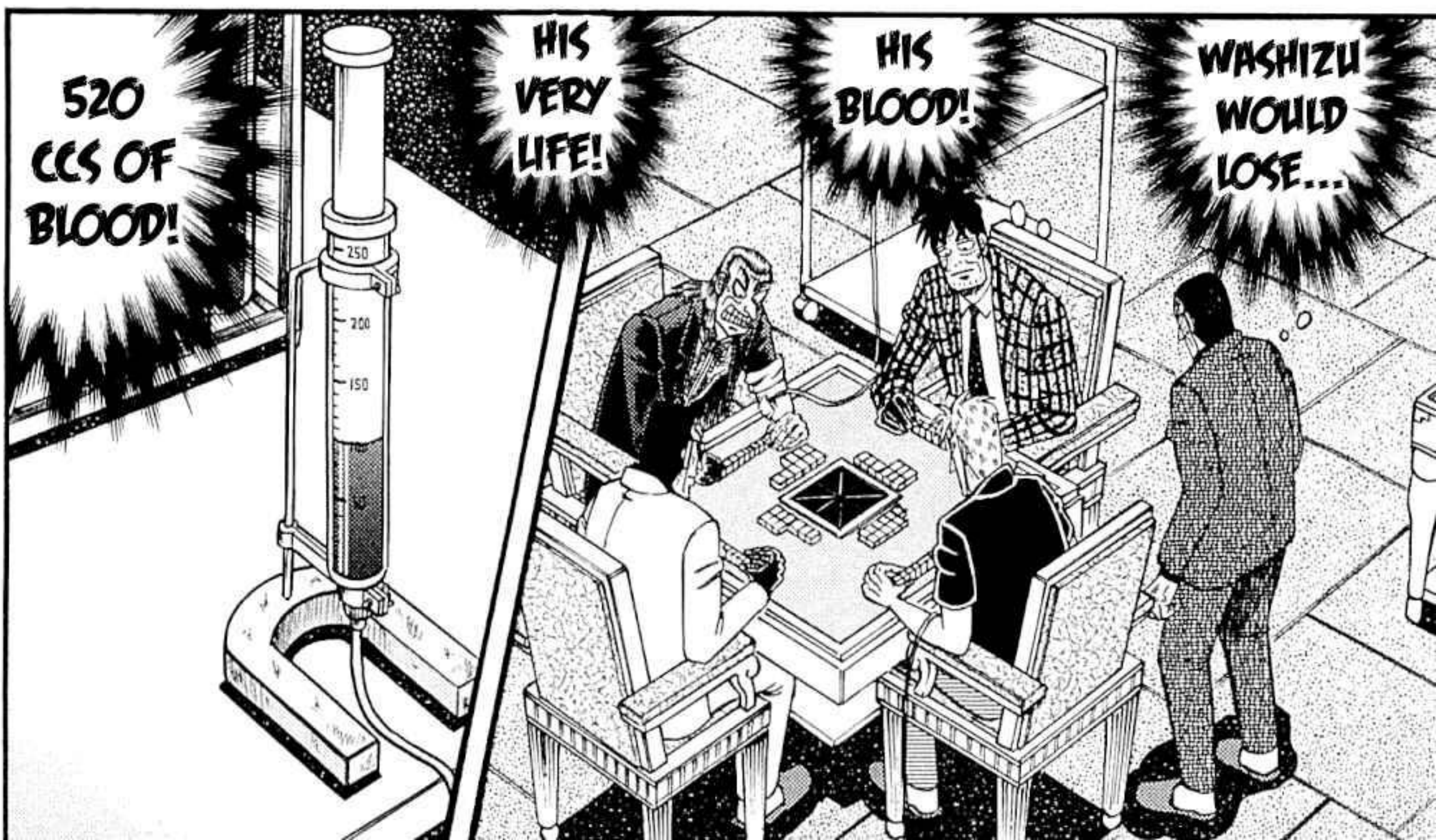
**THE  
DORA,  
9-PIN!!**



**IT'LL BE  
XIA, HATSU,  
WITH 1  
DORA!**

**IF HE  
PLAYS IT  
NOW...**

**5200  
POINTS!**



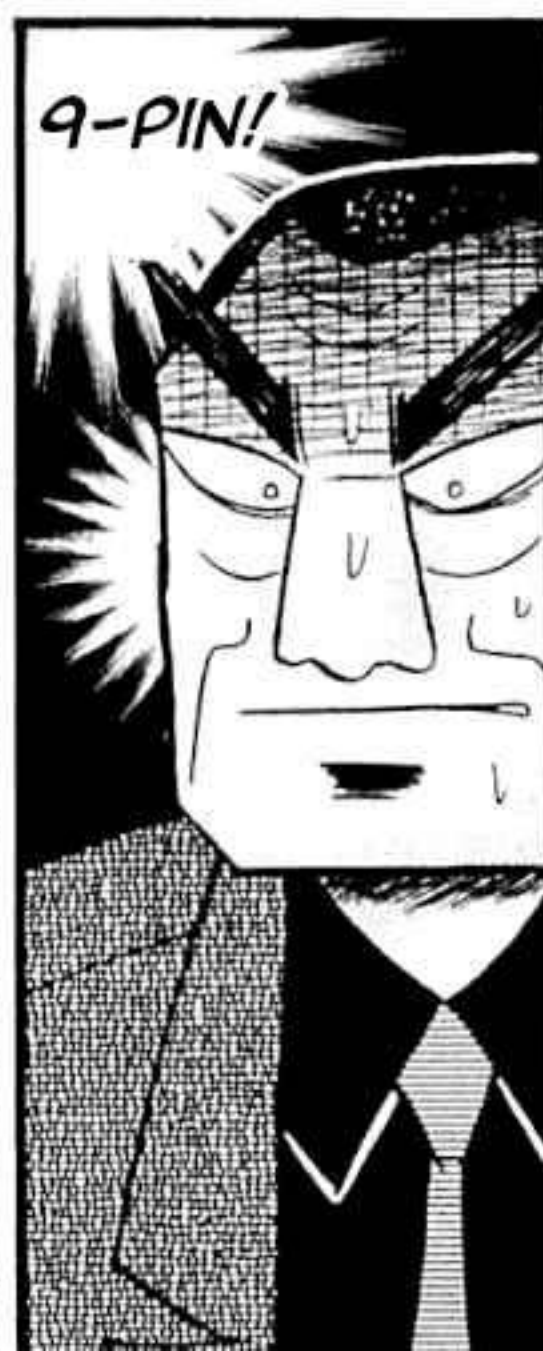
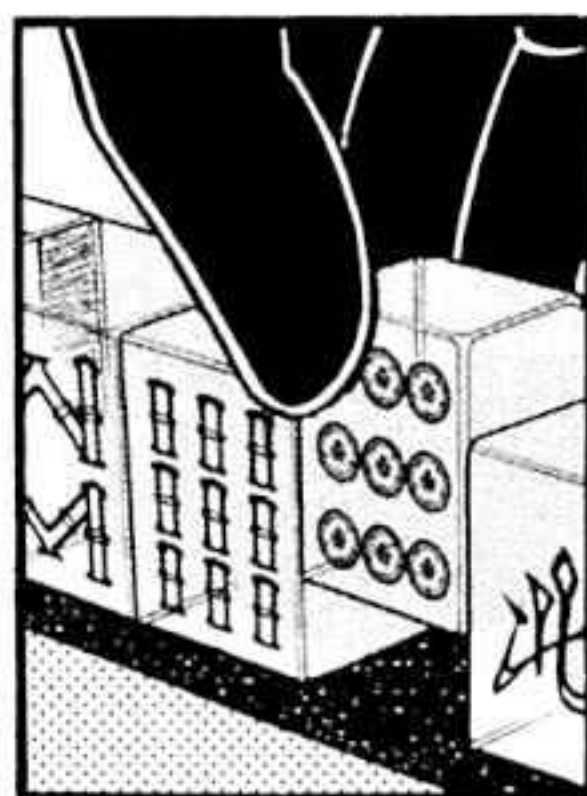
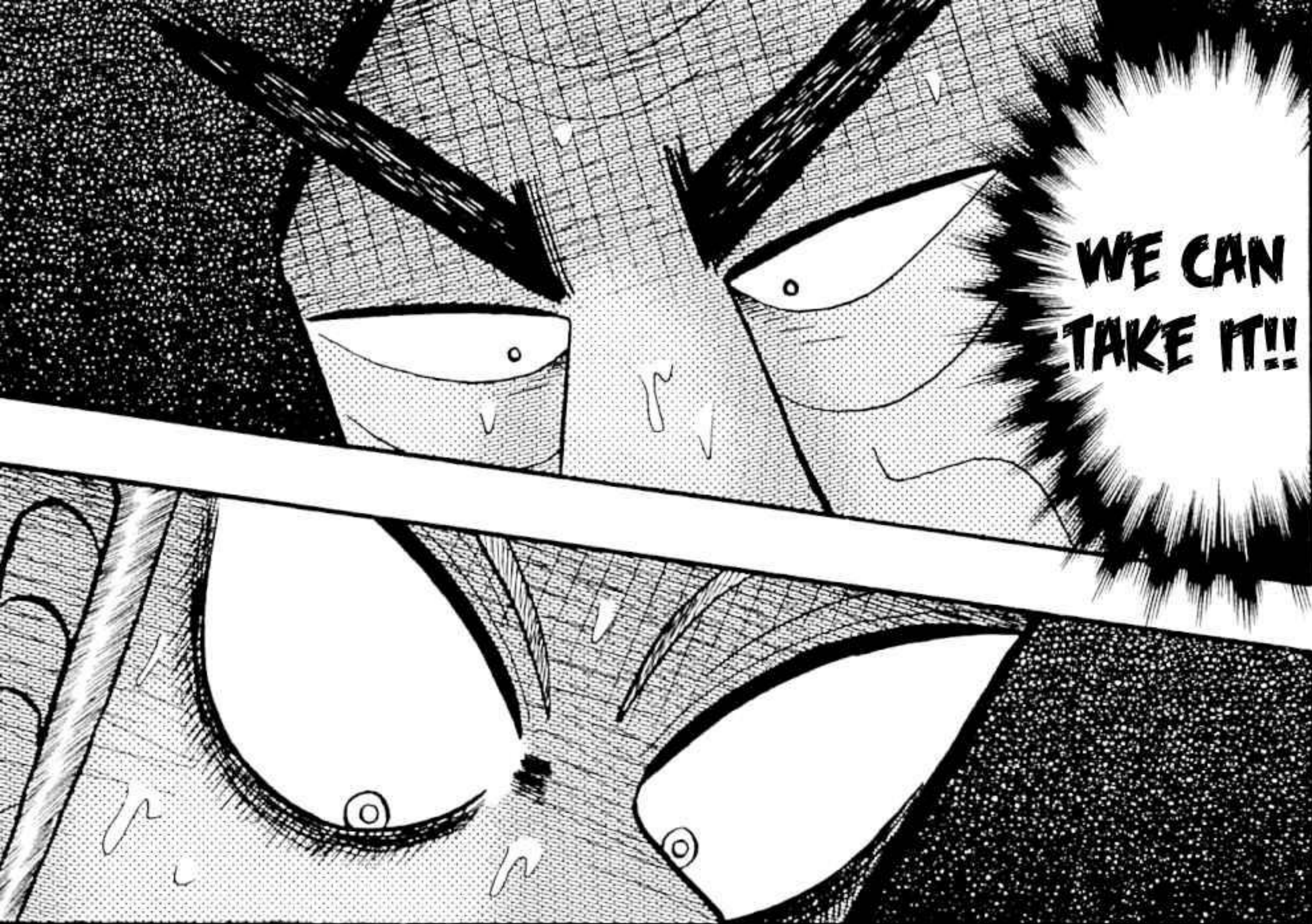
**520  
CCS OF  
BLOOD!**

**HIS  
VERY  
LIFE!**

**HIS  
BLOOD!**

**WASHIZU  
WOULD  
LOSE...**





**IF IT  
COMES  
OUT  
HERE!!!**









Washizu  
does not let  
go of it!

It was  
useless!

But...

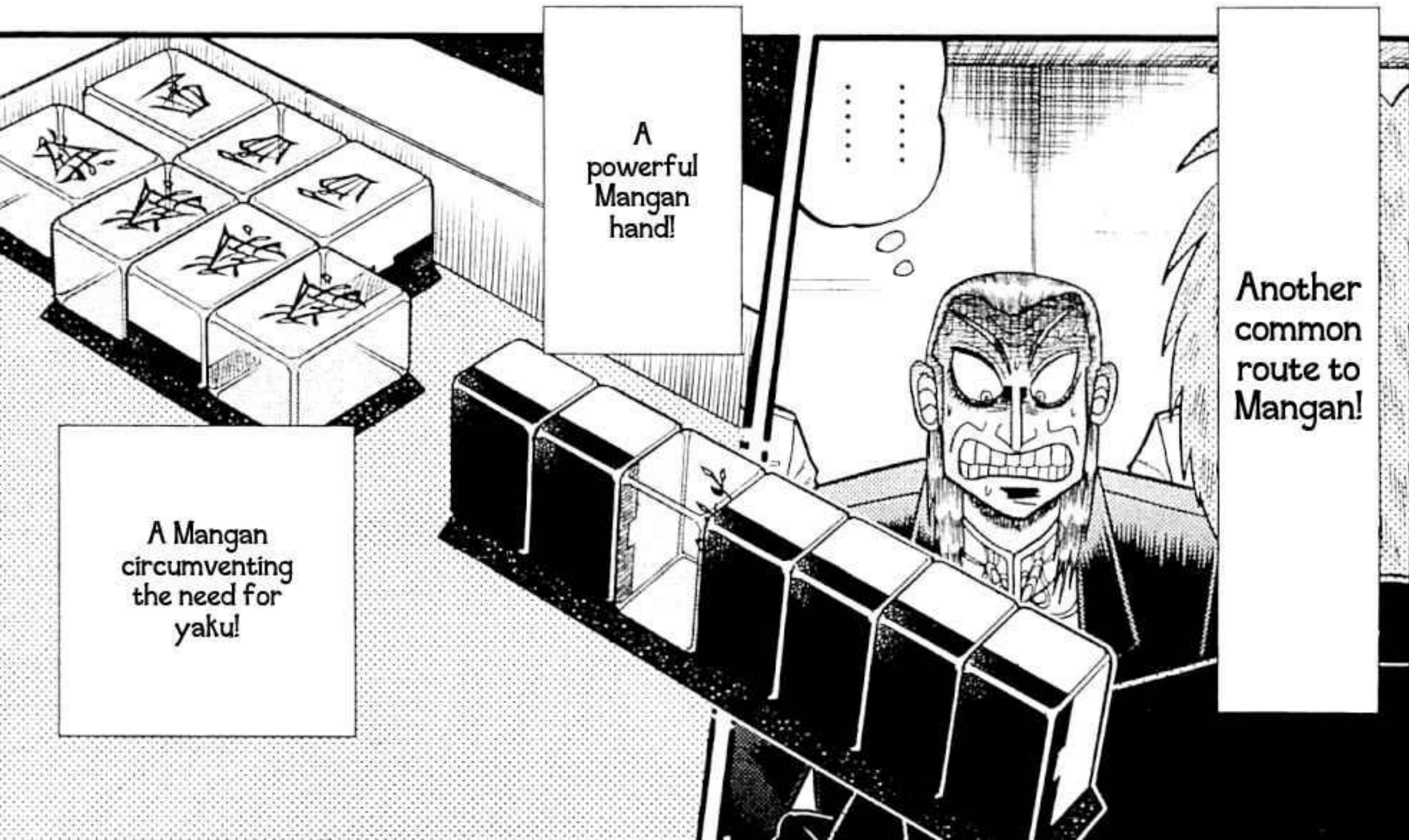
For,  
while  
Akagi's  
hand...

GNGH!



There  
is yet  
another  
way...

Certainly seems  
to have a Manzu  
Hon Itsu shape...



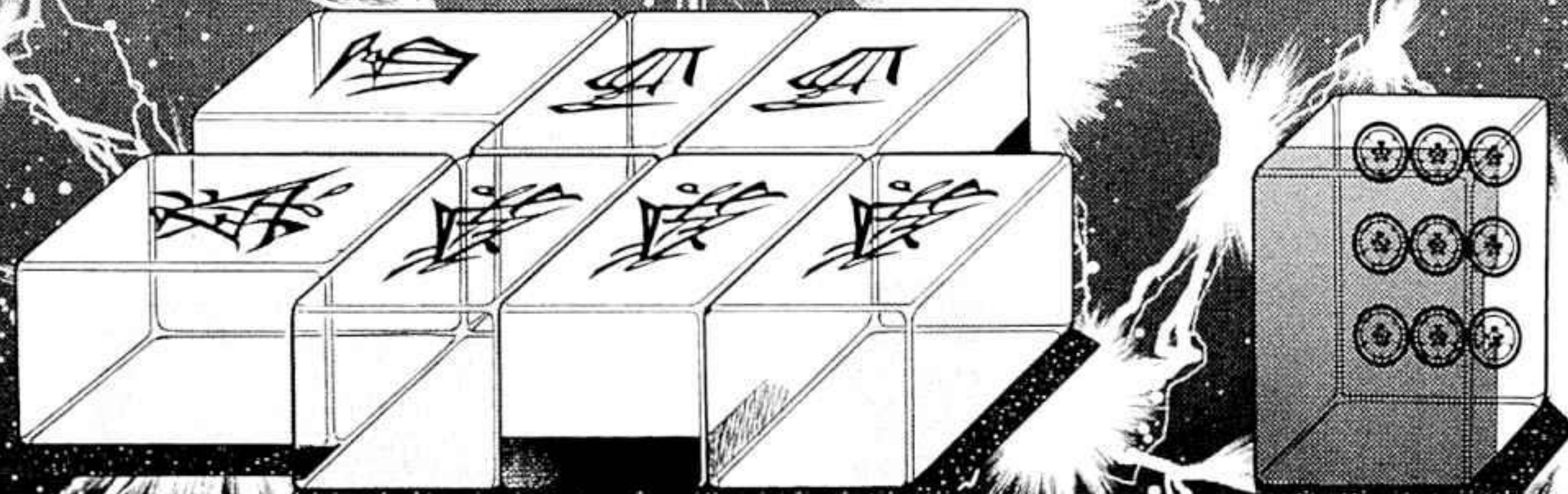
A  
powerful  
Mangan  
hand!

Another  
common  
route to  
Mangan!

A Mangan  
circumventing  
the need for  
yaku!



**Xia, Hatsu, with 2 Dora...!!**



**Akagi's Hand**  
as Washizu imagines it

Washizu fears...

More than this 6-9 pin wait that can use the dora...

More than Akagi's actual hand...



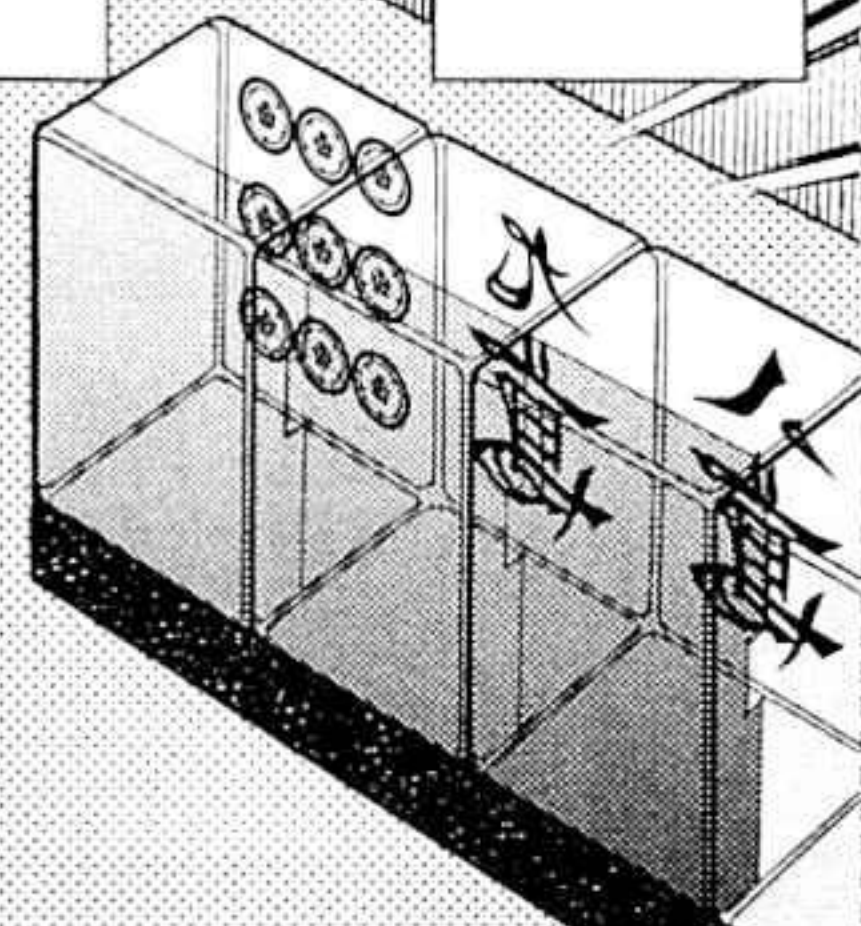
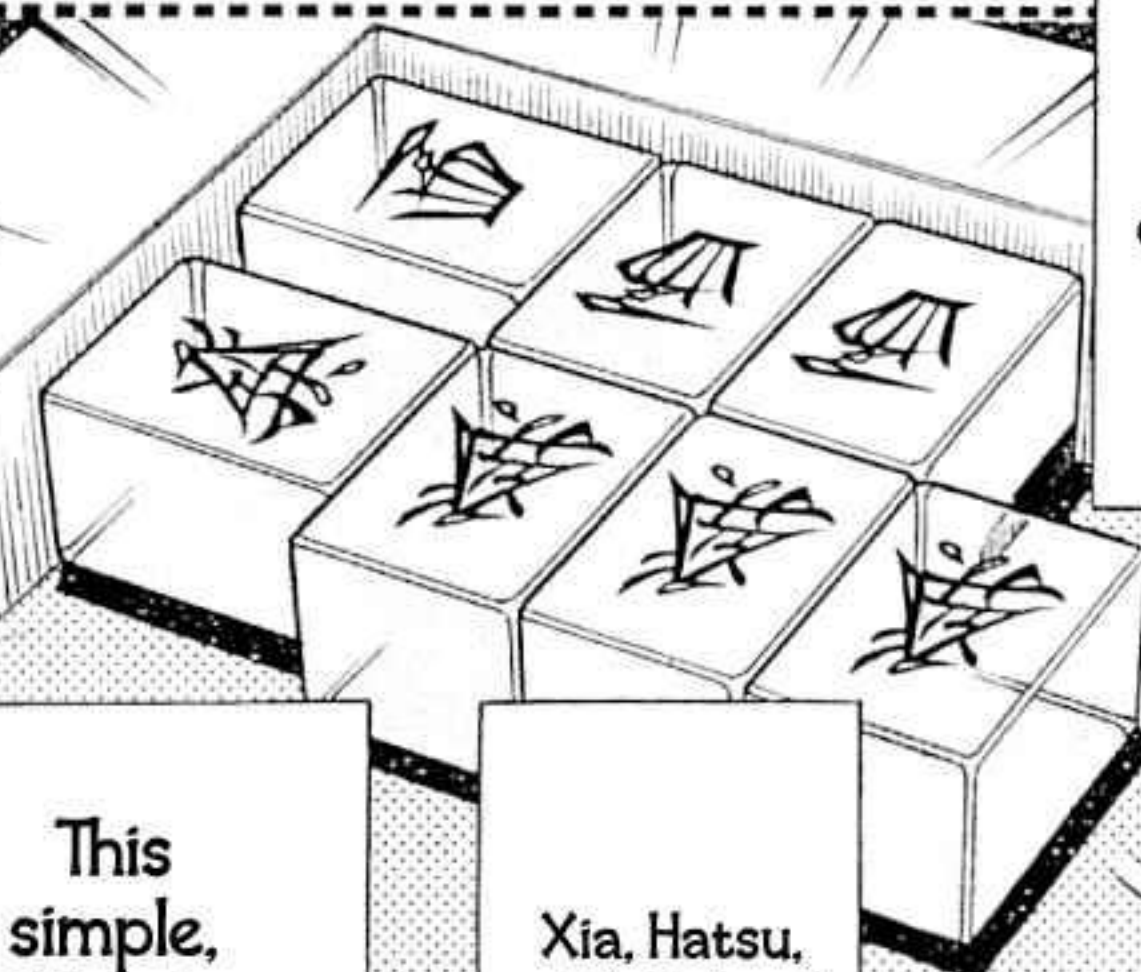
**Akagi's Hand**

He is considering this kind of hand!

A Dora single wait!

This simple, effective mangan!

Xia, Hatsu, with 2 dora!



**This, too, is possible!**







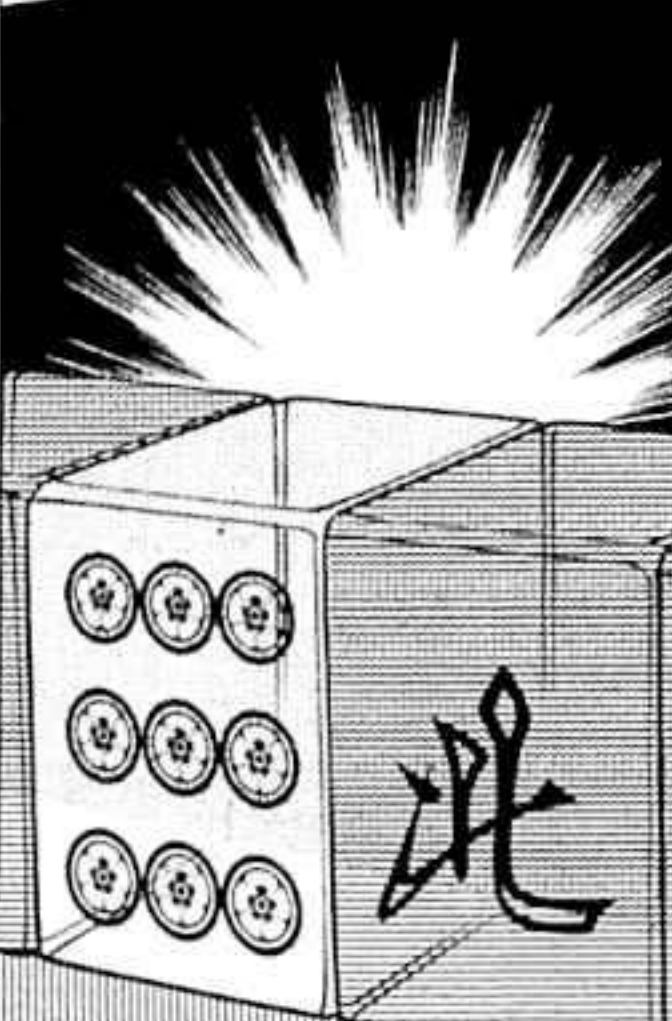
The  
threat  
of that  
hand is  
real!

He  
fears  
that  
hand!

He  
cannot  
let it go!

There is  
no reason  
for it!

If he deals  
in with this  
9-pin dora,  
he dies!

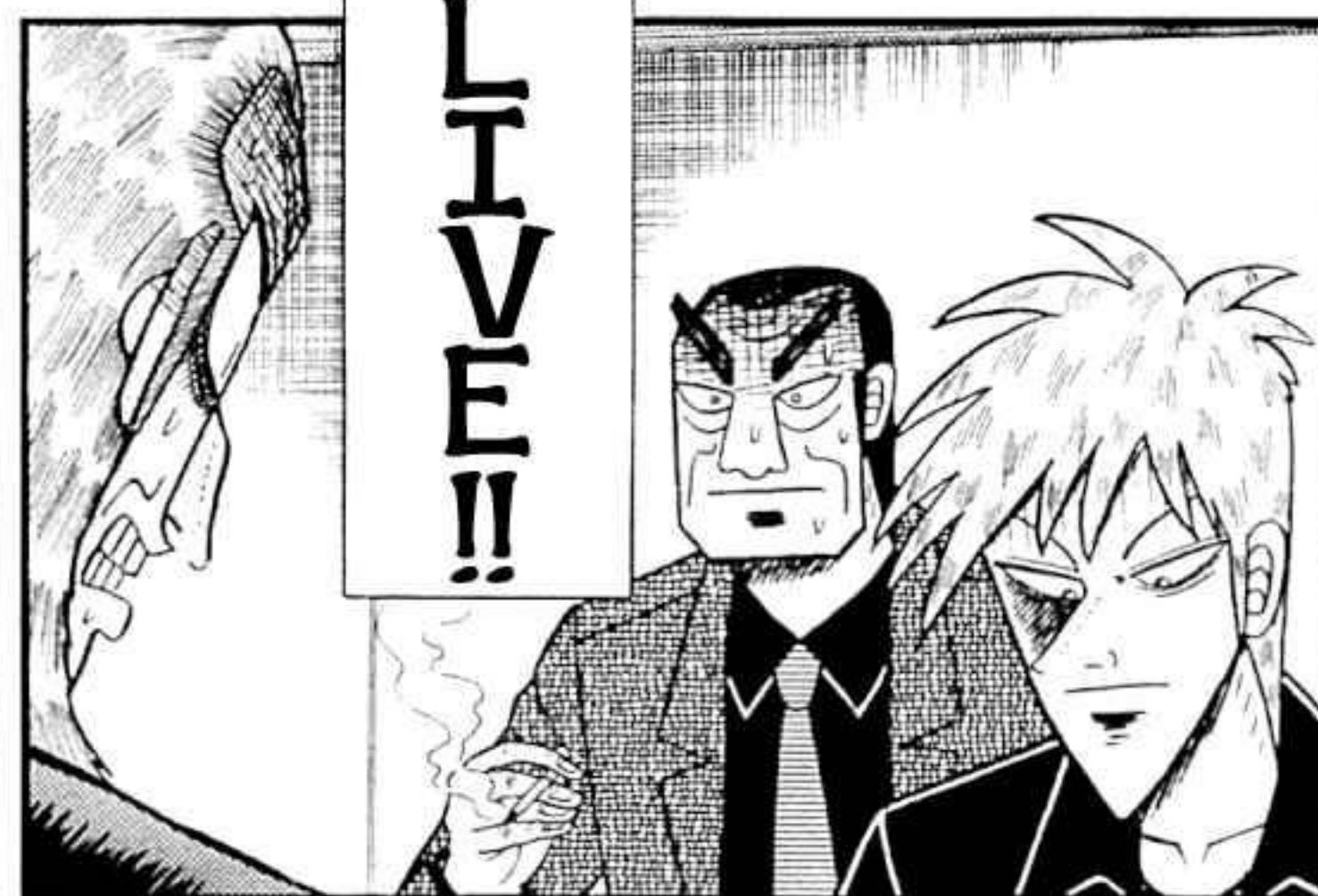






WANTS  
TO

IF  
HE



LIVE!!



THAT'S  
FOR  
SURE!

HE  
CAN'T  
PLAY IT  
HERE!

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
HE CAN  
PLAY  
IT.

IT'S  
OBTI-  
OUS...

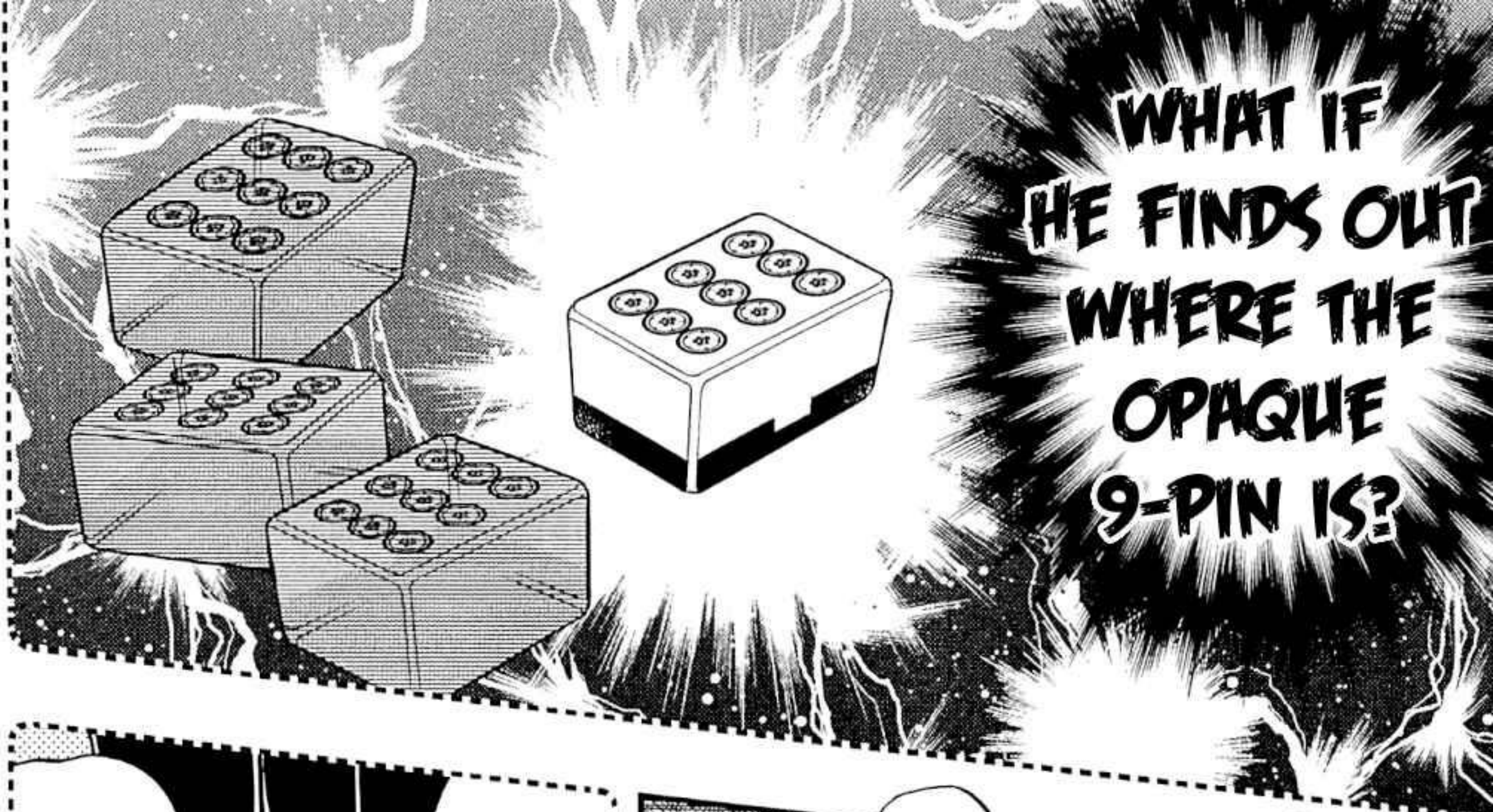


BUT  
...

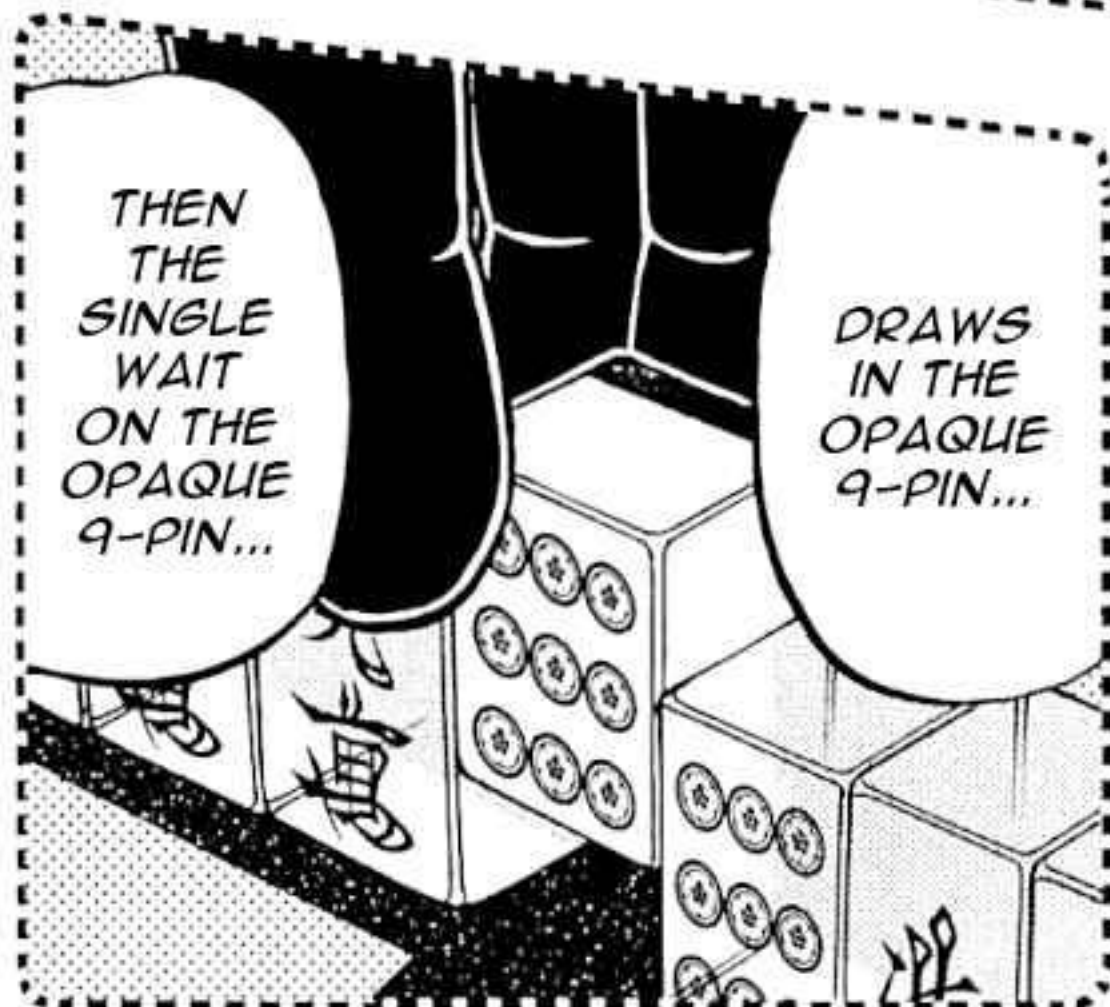


I  
SEE...





**WHAT IF  
HE FINDS OUT  
WHERE THE  
OPAQUE  
9-PIN IS?**



THEN  
THE  
SINGLE  
WAIT  
ON THE  
OPAQUE  
9-PIN...

DRAWS  
IN THE  
OPAQUE  
9-PIN...



OR  
SUZUKI...

IF WA-  
SHIZU...



IF THAT  
HAPPENED...  
IT WOULD STILL  
BE POSSIBLE!

THAT  
POTENTIAL  
WOULD DISAP-  
PEAR!

FOR  
HATSU, XIA,  
& DORA...

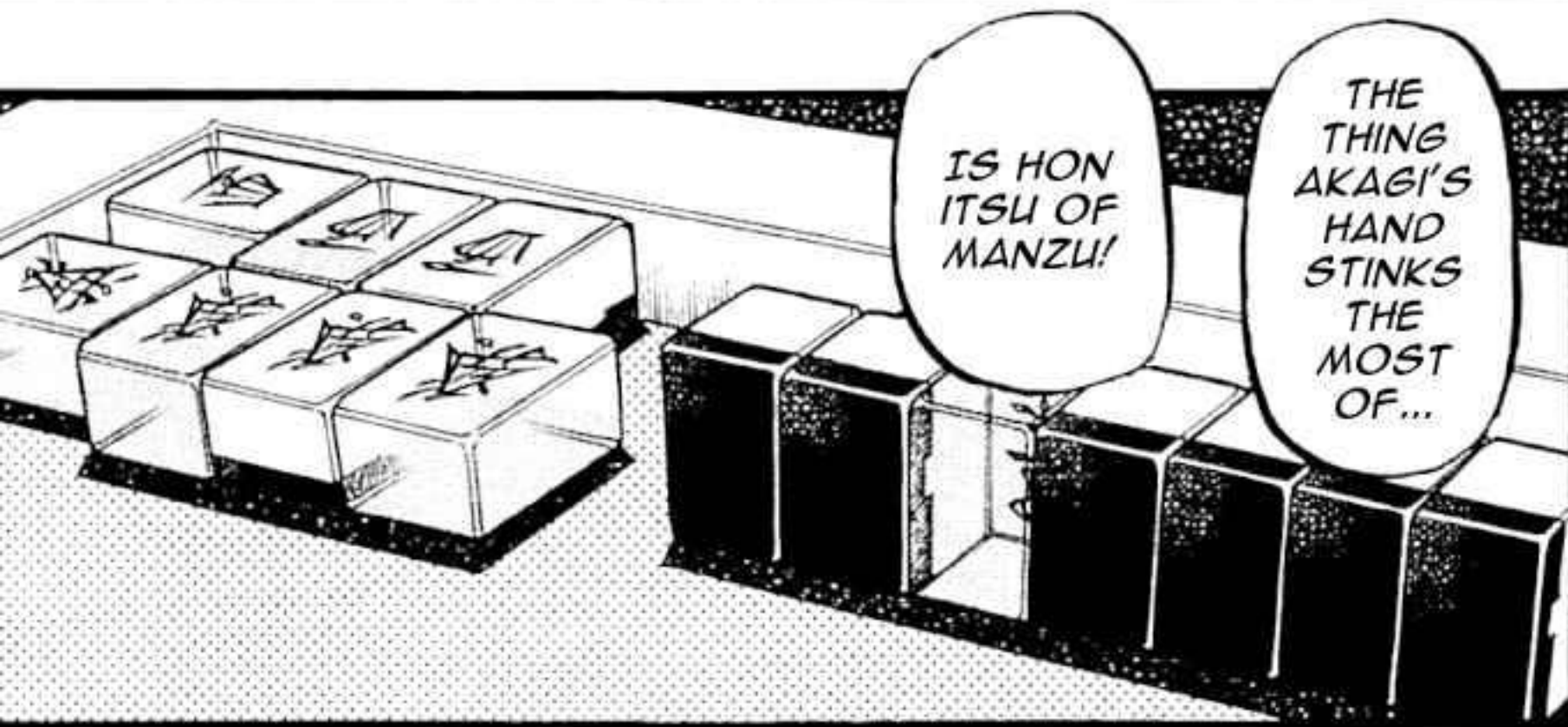




AFTER  
ALL...



FOR  
HIM TO  
PLAY  
9-PIN!



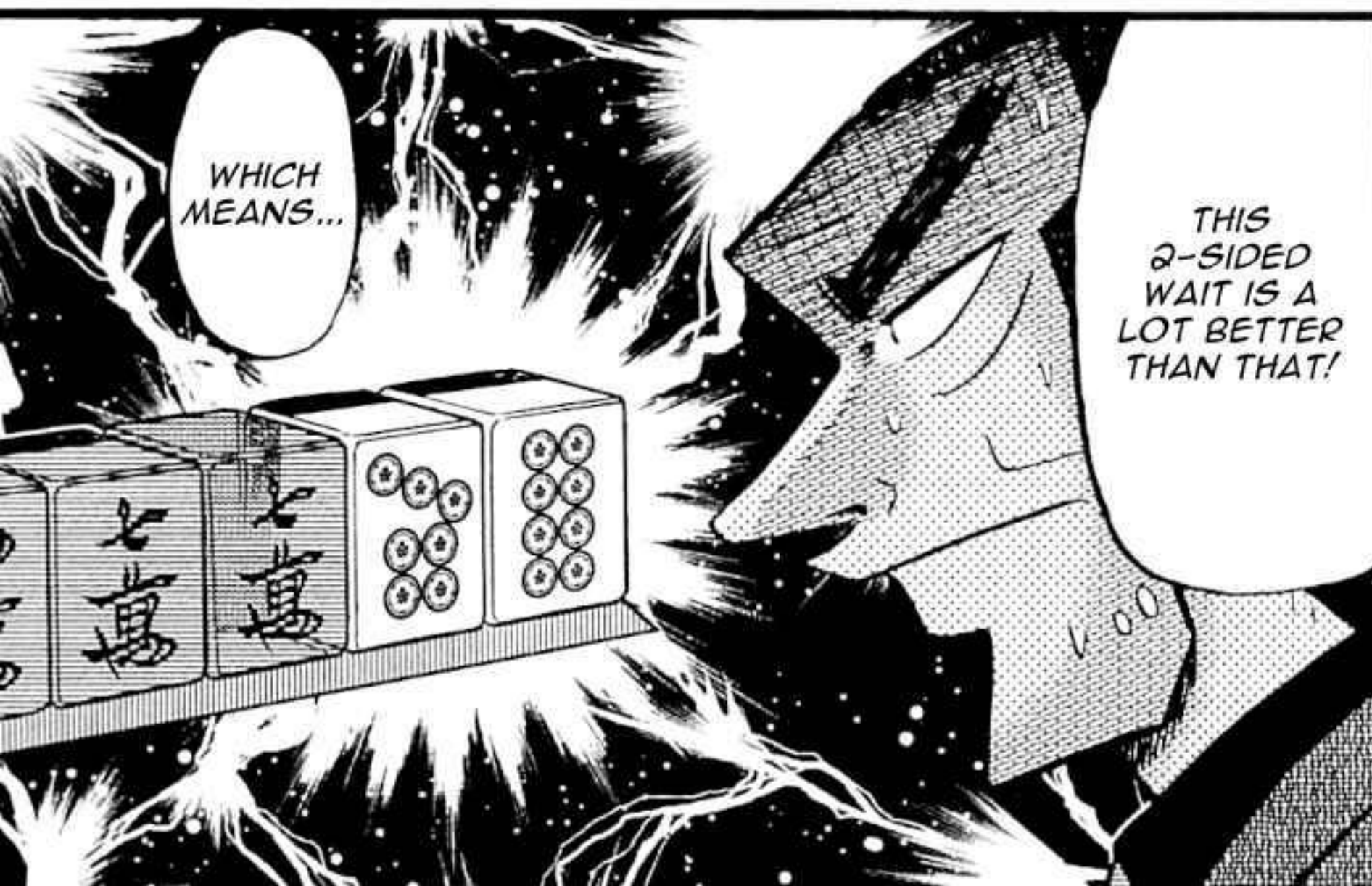
IS HON  
ITSU OF  
MANZU!

THE  
THING  
AKAGI'S  
HAND  
STINKS  
THE  
MOST  
OF...



THAT'S  
8000  
POINTS!

NO MATTER  
HOW IT HAPPENED,  
IT'D BE XIA, HATSU,  
HON ITSU FOR  
MANGAN.



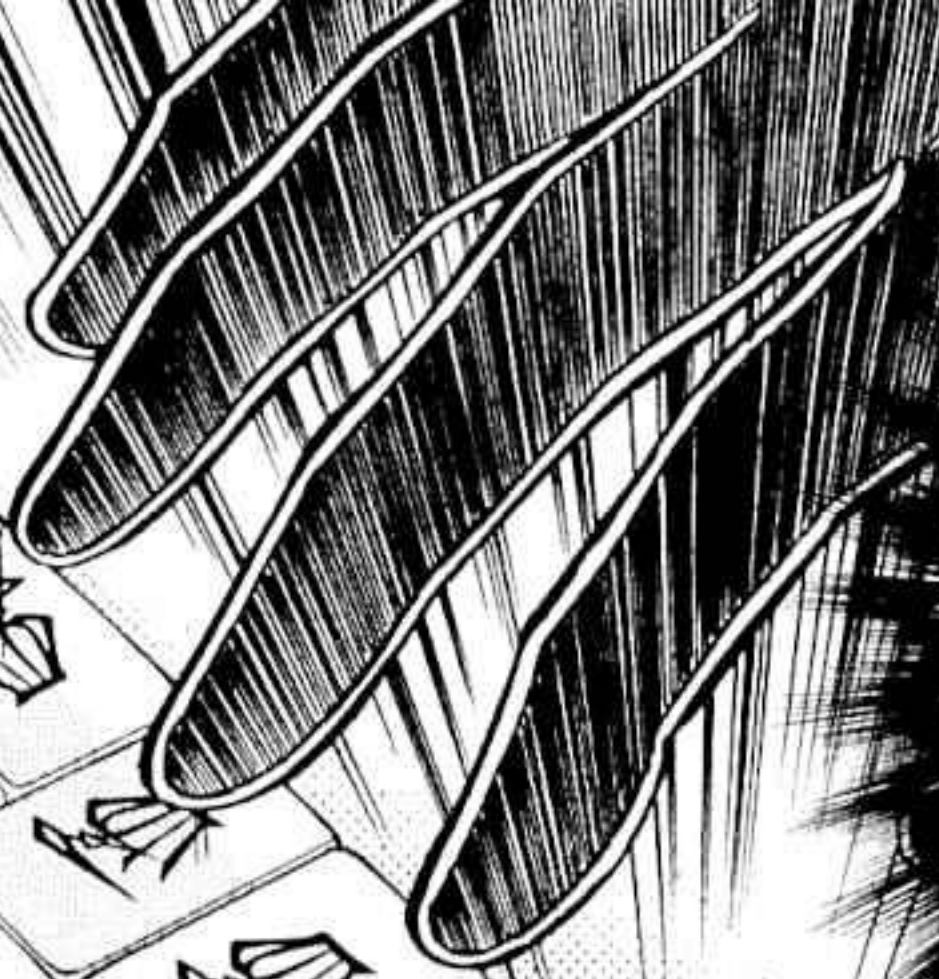
WHICH  
MEANS...

THIS  
2-SIDED  
WAIT IS A  
LOT BETTER  
THAN THAT!



CONSID-  
ERING  
THAT WE  
NEED HIM  
TO DEAL  
IN...





**IT'S  
POSSIBLE!**

**A  
5200-POINT  
DIRECT HIT  
IS WITHIN  
REASON!**

**WASHIZU  
MIGHT PLAY  
THE DORA,  
9-PIN!**









His draws  
must corner  
him!

He  
must be  
cornered!



Were to  
draw in  
enough  
safe  
tiles...

If Wa-  
shizu...

No... Even  
without  
getting  
safe tiles...

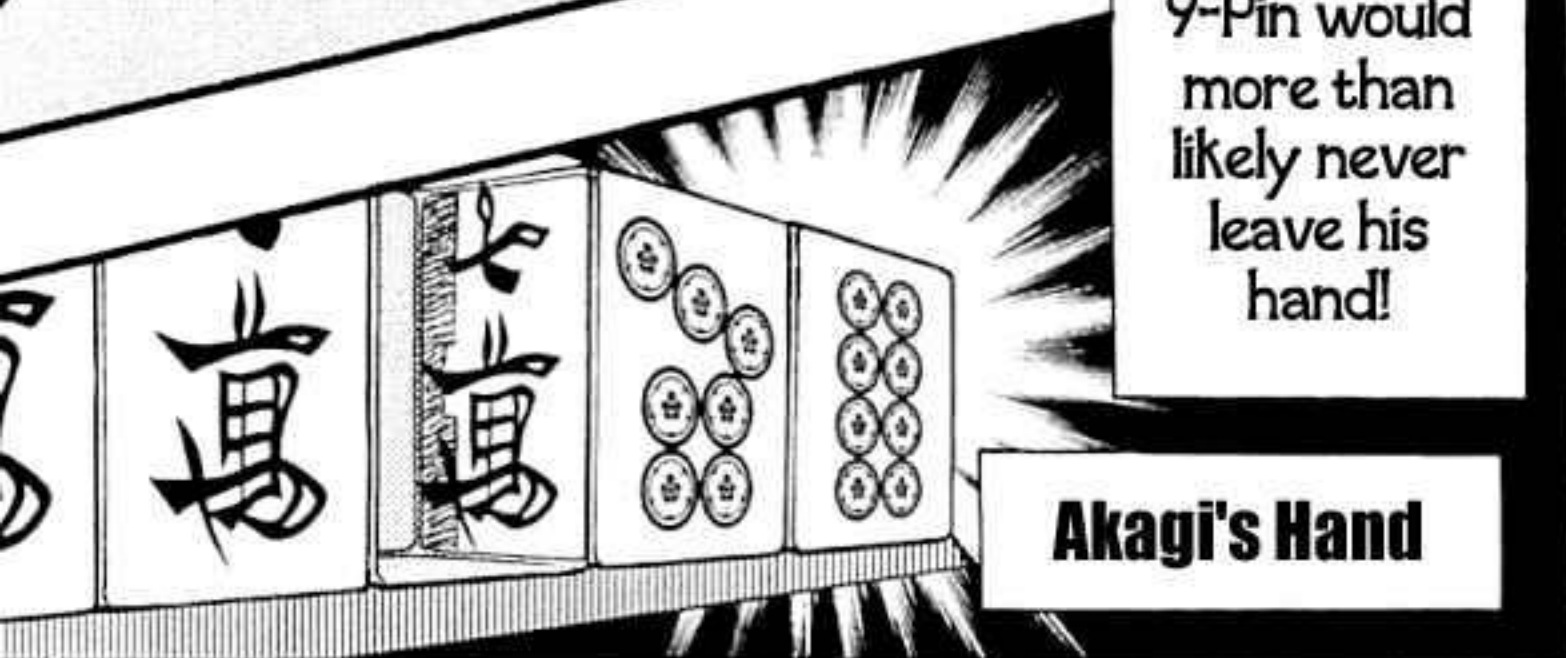






Any Pinzu  
or Souzu tiles  
that would cause  
no problems for  
him if he dealt  
in...

If he  
were to  
draw in...

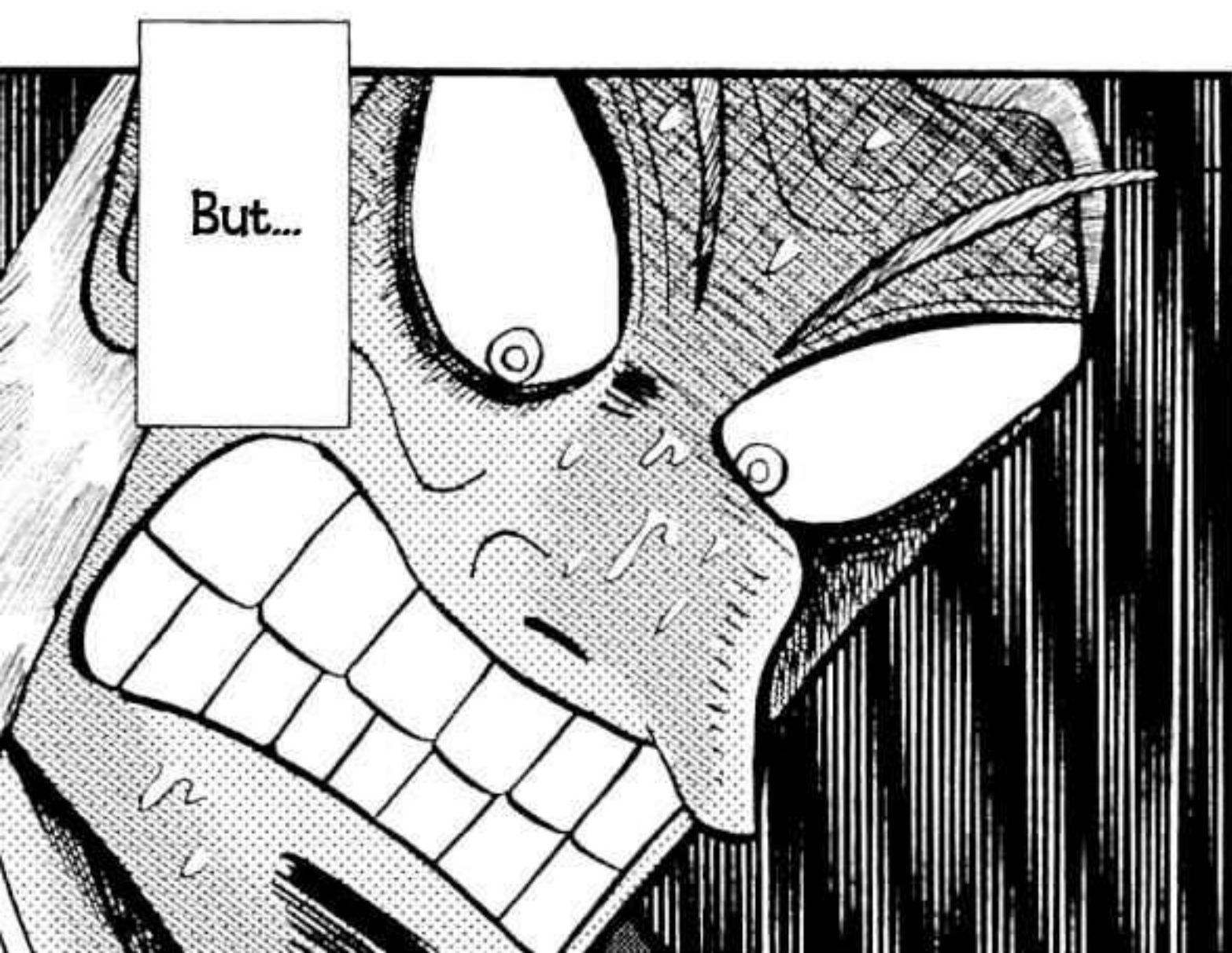


The Dora,  
9-Pin would  
more than  
likely never  
leave his  
hand!

**Akagi's Hand**

In that  
event, then  
naturally...

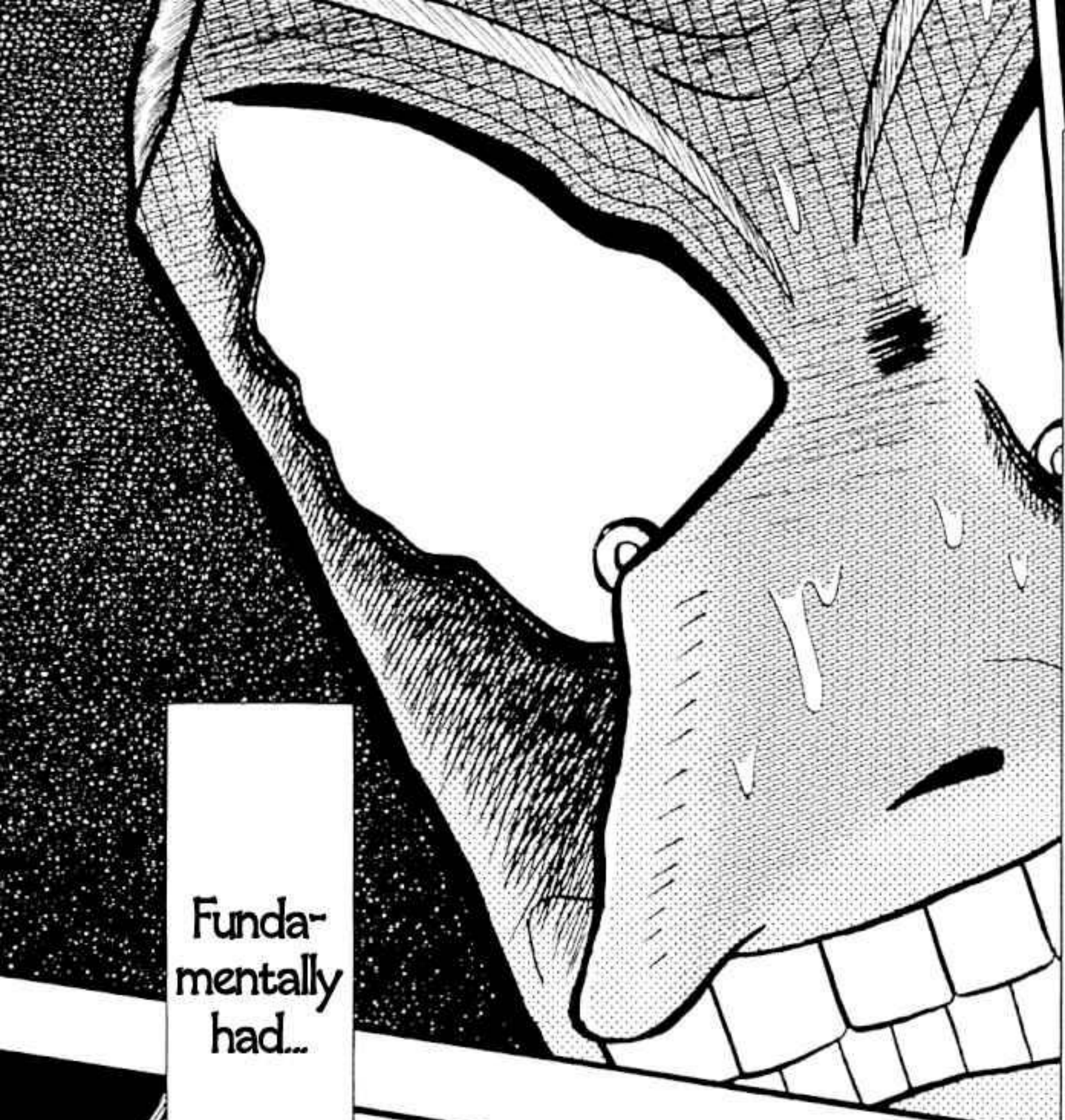
This hand  
would amount  
to nothing!



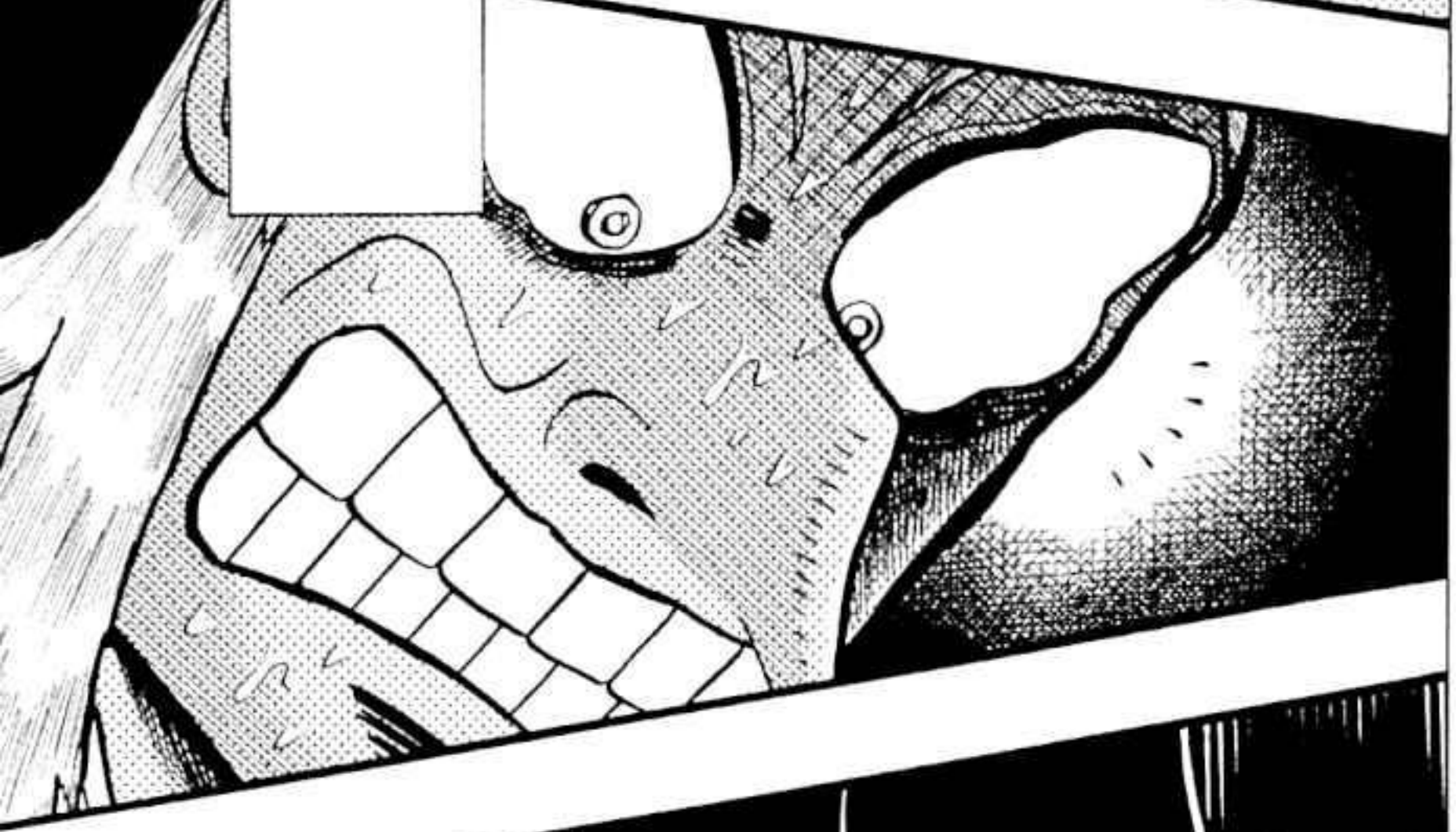
But...







Funda-  
mentally  
had...



The man  
named  
Washizu  
Iwao...



Good  
luck!



Washizu...



No...

GNGH!

Extraordi-  
nary level of  
phenominal,  
god-like luck!

He has  
a much  
more  
powerful...

The term  
"Good Luck"  
itself does  
not describe  
the half  
of it!

Extreme  
Luck!

An  
extreme,  
drastic,  
outrageous  
level of  
luck!!!





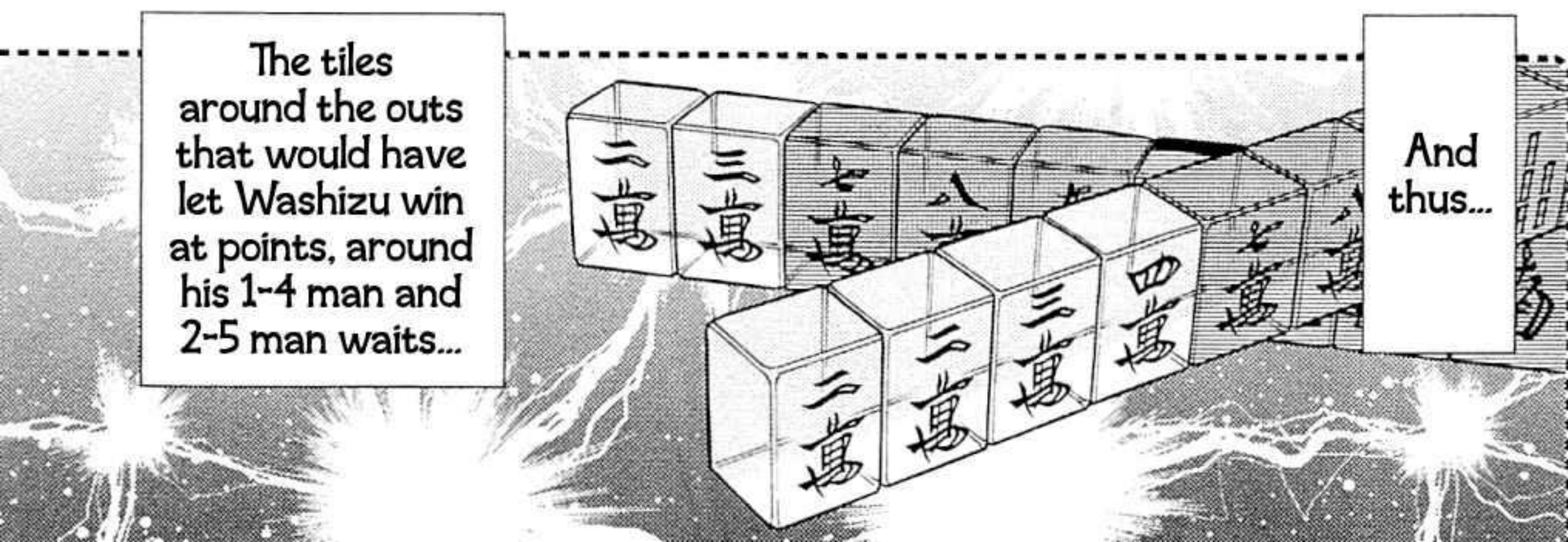
A  
magnetic  
field!

In  
words...



One  
after the  
other!

A magnetic  
field that pulls  
in all winning  
tiles to him...



The tiles  
around the outs  
that would have  
let Washizu win  
at points, around  
his 1-4 man and  
2-5 man waits...

And  
thus...



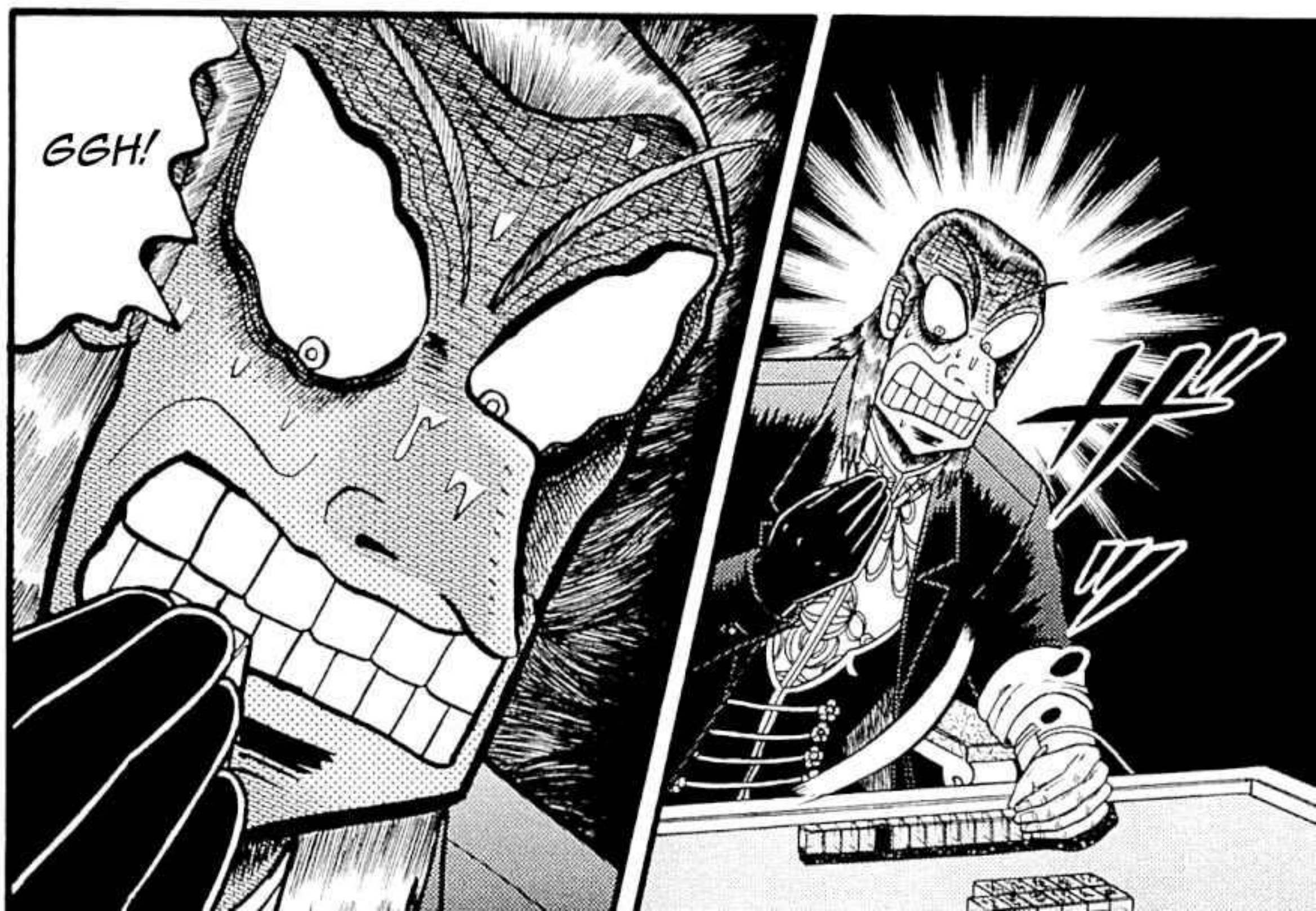


The  
heav-  
ens...



Sent  
down to  
Washizu...

**WITHOUT CONSIDERATION!**



GGH!





Yes!



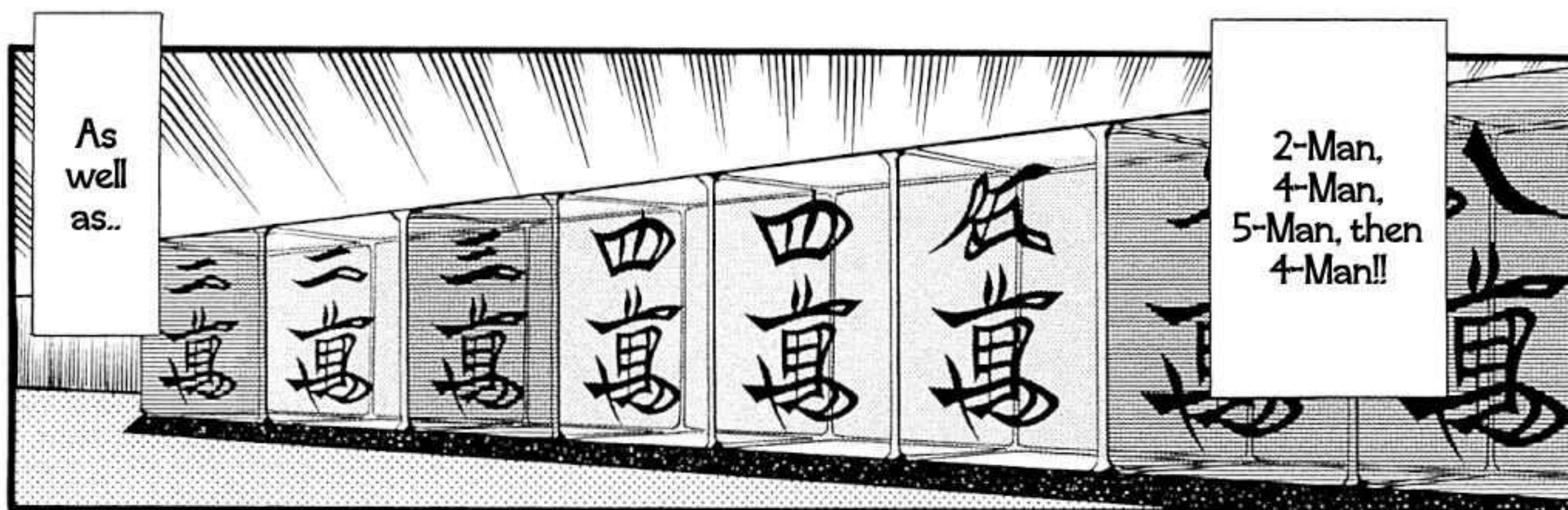


They  
were all  
Manzu!

Were the  
same suit as  
Akagi's Hon  
Itsu...

His  
draws...

Before  
he knew  
it...



As  
well  
as..

2-Man,  
4-Man,  
5-Man, then  
4-Man!!



His draws  
were only  
of Manzu...

Due to  
his good  
luck...

The  
Dora!

and  
Dora  
tiles!!



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Chapter 226:  
第226話 萬子





**I  
DON'T  
NEED  
THEM!!**

**I  
DON'T  
WANT  
ANY  
MANZU!!**

**THIS  
IS ASI-  
NINE!!**





WHY?  
WHY?!

WHY AM I ONLY  
DRAWING MANZU,  
THE DANGEROUS SUIT  
AGAINST AKAGI?!

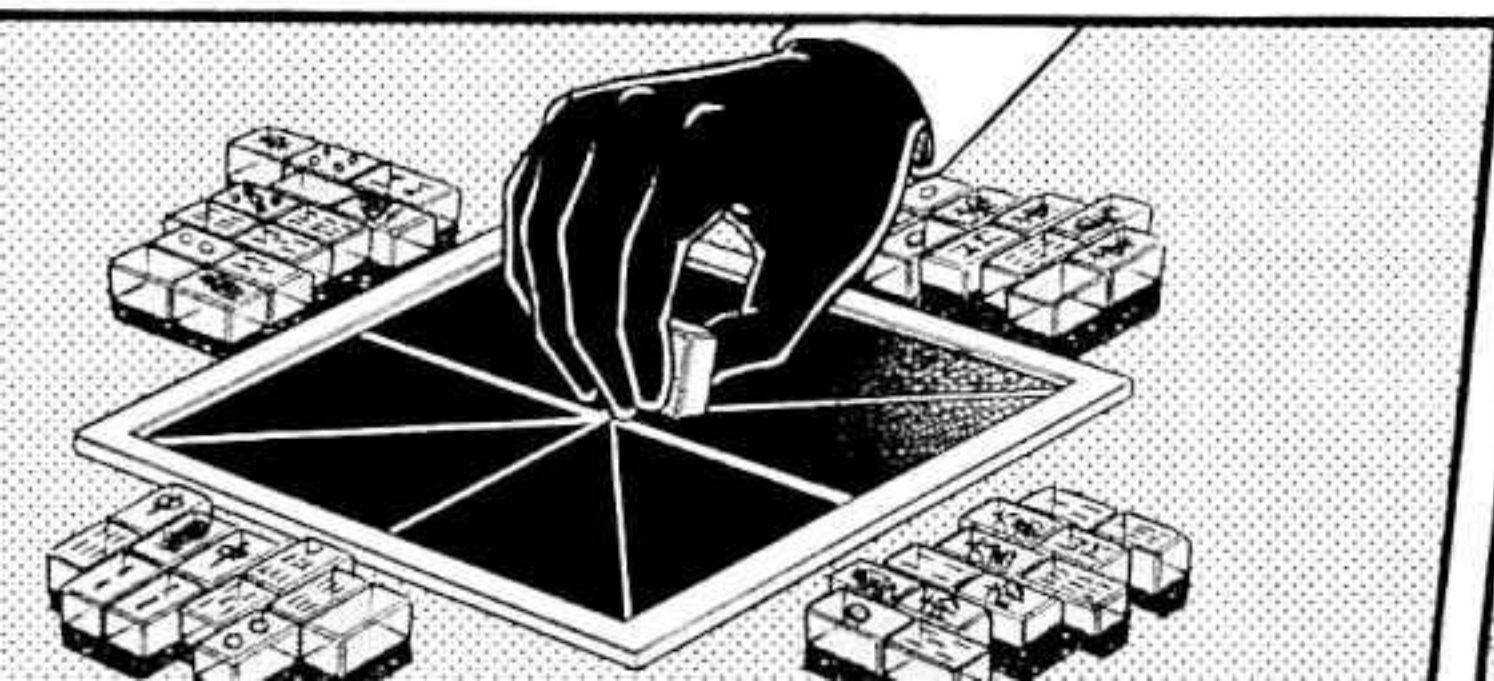
Akagi's Hand

WHY?!

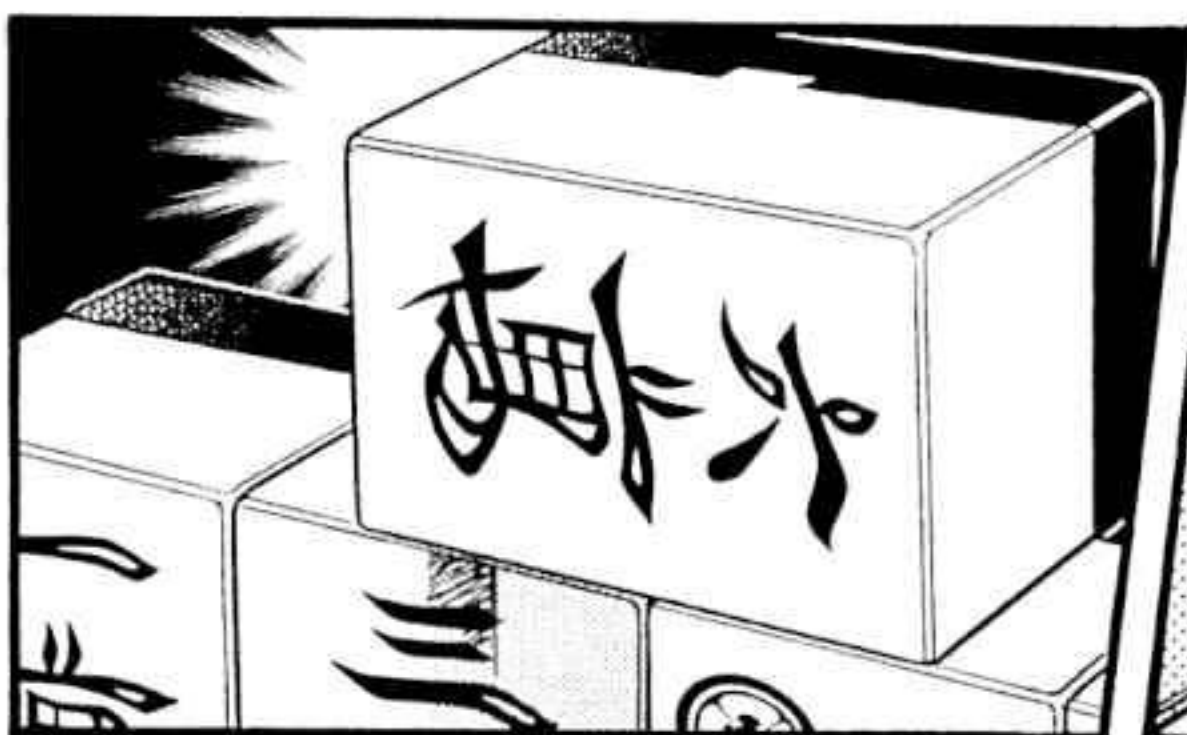


WHY IS  
IT SO  
BIASED TO  
MANZU?!

IT'S  
SO BI-  
ASED!!













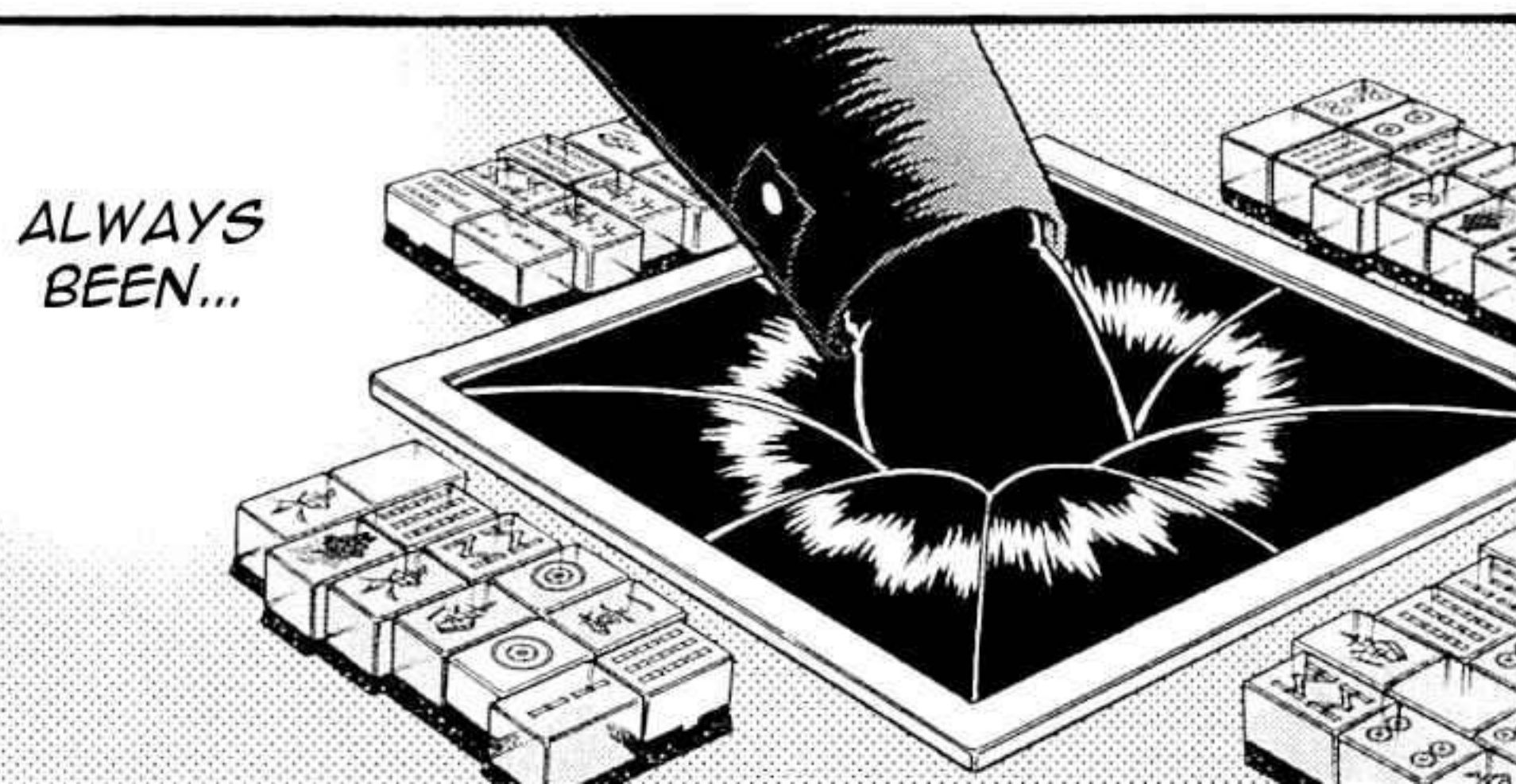


I  
**DEMAND  
TO KNOW  
WHY!!!**





**WHY  
IS IT?!**





**THROUGH AND THROUGH!!  
IT WAS A ONE-SIDED GAME!!  
I HAD COMPLETE VICTORY!!  
A FLAWLESS SUCCESS!!**

**AN ADVANTAGE!**

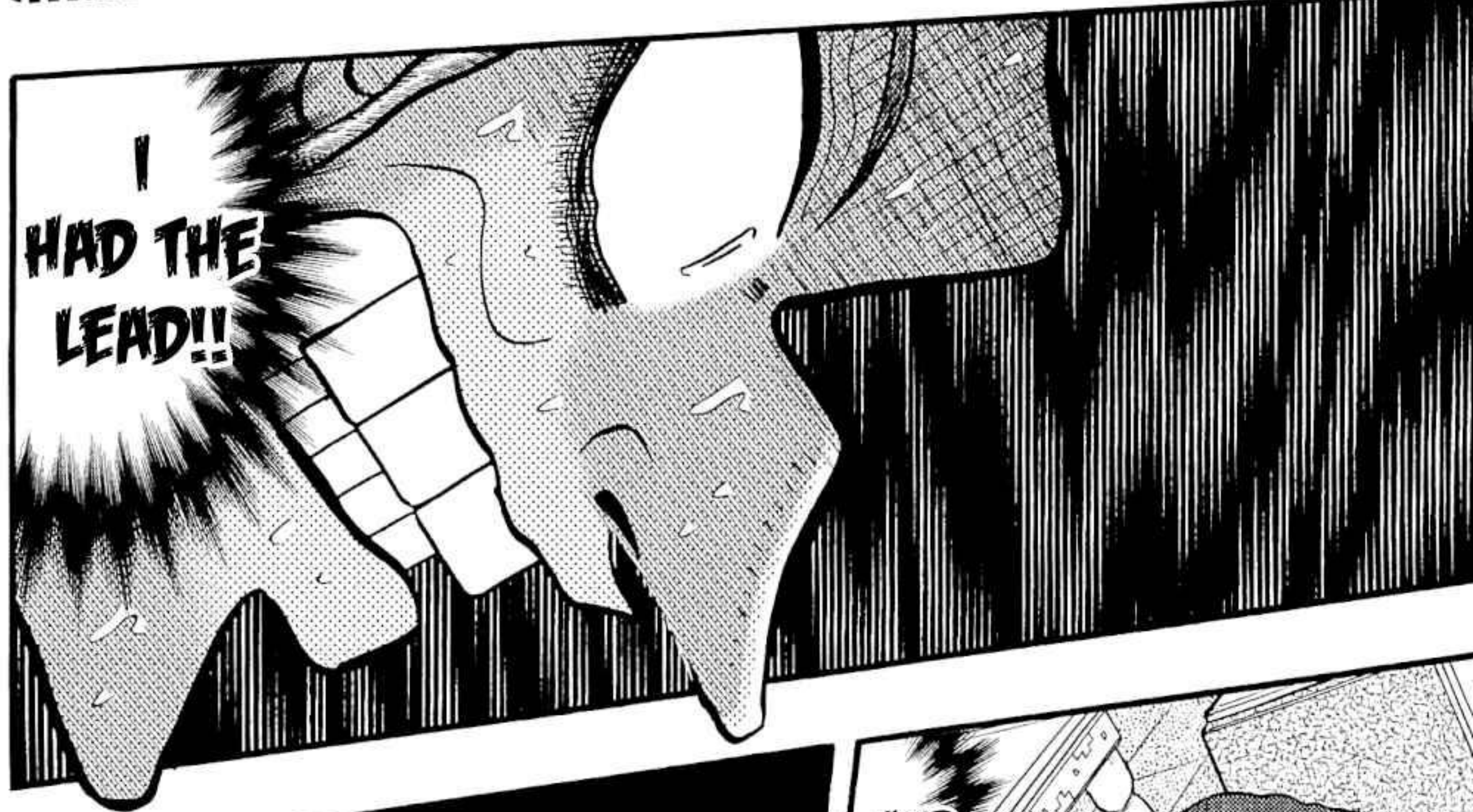
**ADVANTAGE!!**

**ADVANTAGE!!!**



**I DOMI-  
NATED!!**





**HOW DID I FIND MYSELF IN THIS PREDICAMENT?!**

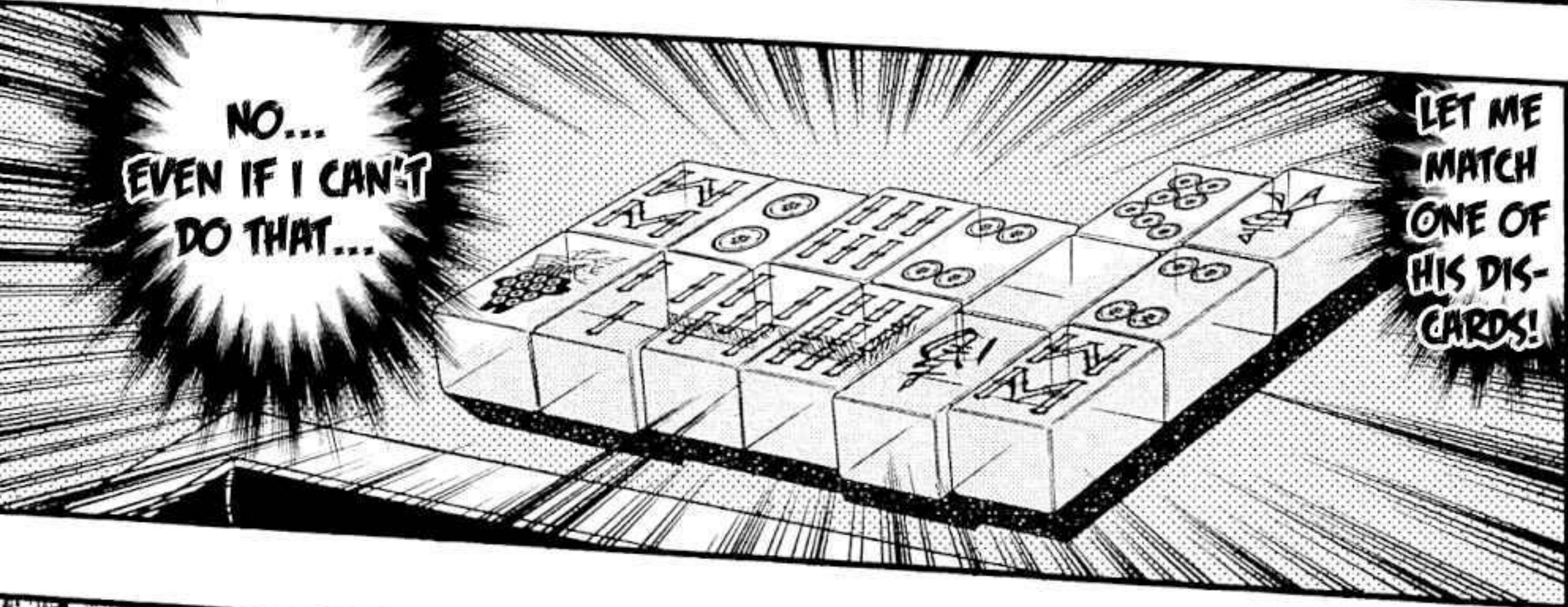




**PLEASE!!**

**P...**

**KGH!**



**NO...  
EVEN IF I CAN'T  
DO THAT...**

**LET ME  
MATCH  
ONE OF  
HIS DIS-  
CARDS!**



**3-PIN  
OR 9-PIN!!**

**ANYTHING  
BUT A  
MANZU  
TILE...**



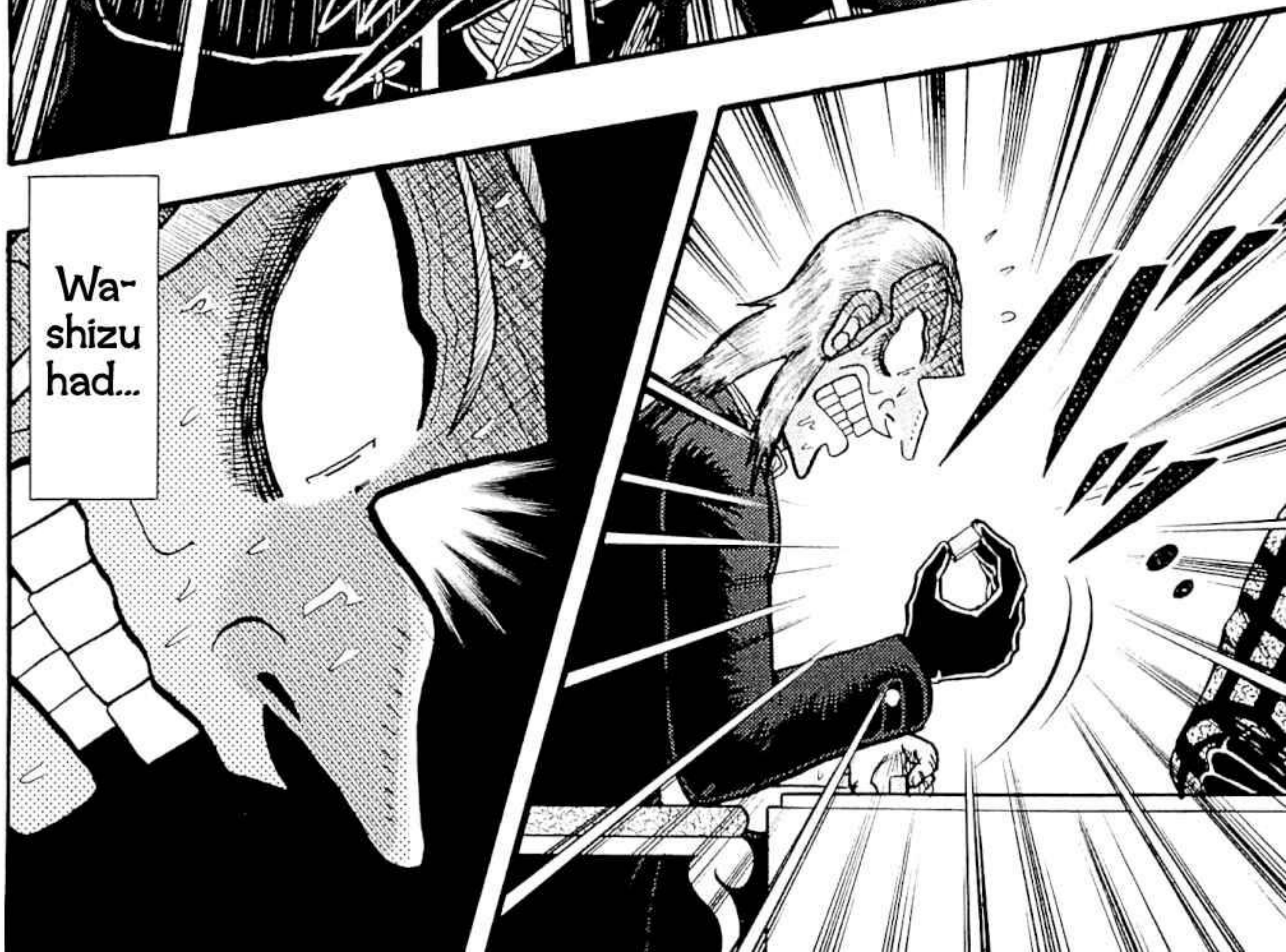
**AT LEAST  
GIVE ME  
SOMETHING  
OTHER THAN  
MANZU...**

**OR  
DORA  
TILES!!**





Wa-  
shizu  
had...





Gotten a surge  
of 5 consecutive  
dangerous tiles!

On the  
previous  
10th, 11th,  
13th, 14th,  
and 15th  
turns...

\*The 12th  
turn was used  
up by Akagi's  
promoted kan.

He had only  
drawn the  
Dora, 9-Pin,  
and Manzu  
tiles!

**Washizu's Hand**

On the  
16th turn  
where he  
wanted  
to break  
the chain...!

And  
then, on  
the 16th  
turn...

That  
he could  
not play  
against  
Akagi!

Only  
Dora and  
Manzu  
tiles...

**Akagi's Hand**





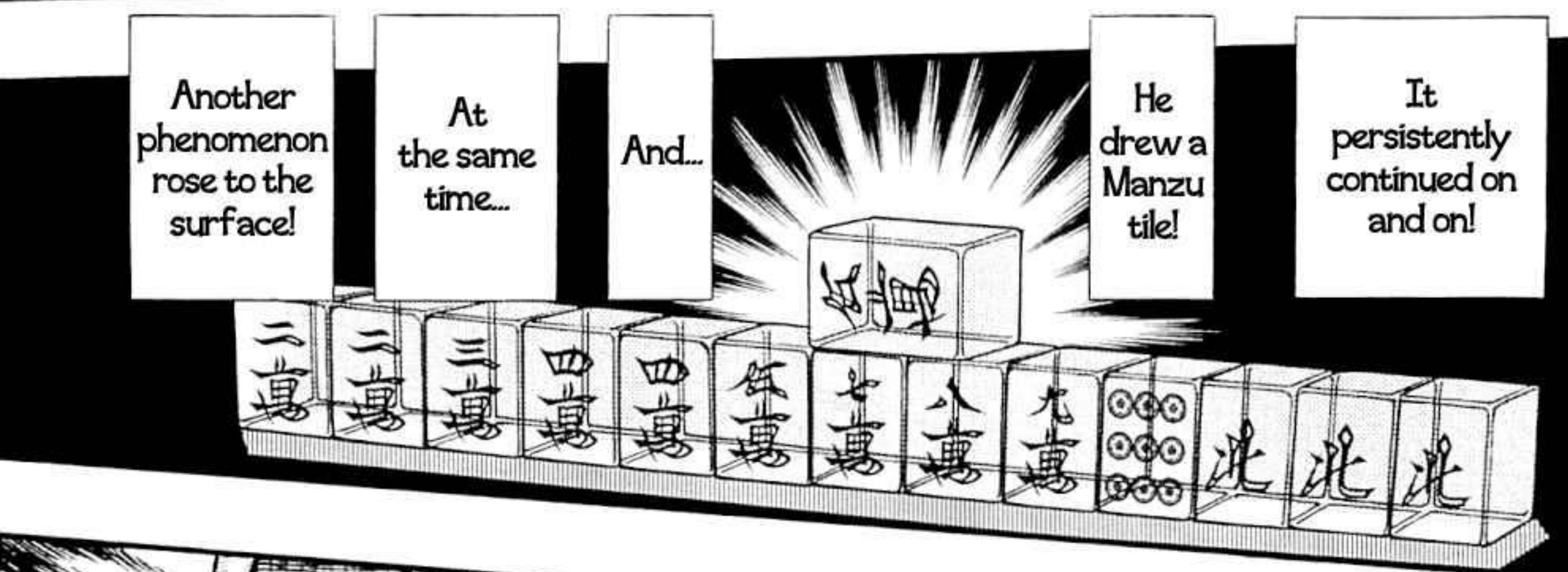
毎萬

A  
Manzu  
tile!!

It  
contin-  
ued!!

GNGH!







It would be Tenpai!!



Washizu has a 3-6 Man Wait



TIME  
AND TIME  
AGAIN!!



SHHHHHH!!!



For  
a third  
time!

Tenpai...







**TO  
FOLDING!!**

**NOT  
REALLY  
USED...**



**I'VE  
ALWAYS...**

**YES...  
YES,  
THAT'S  
RIGHT!**



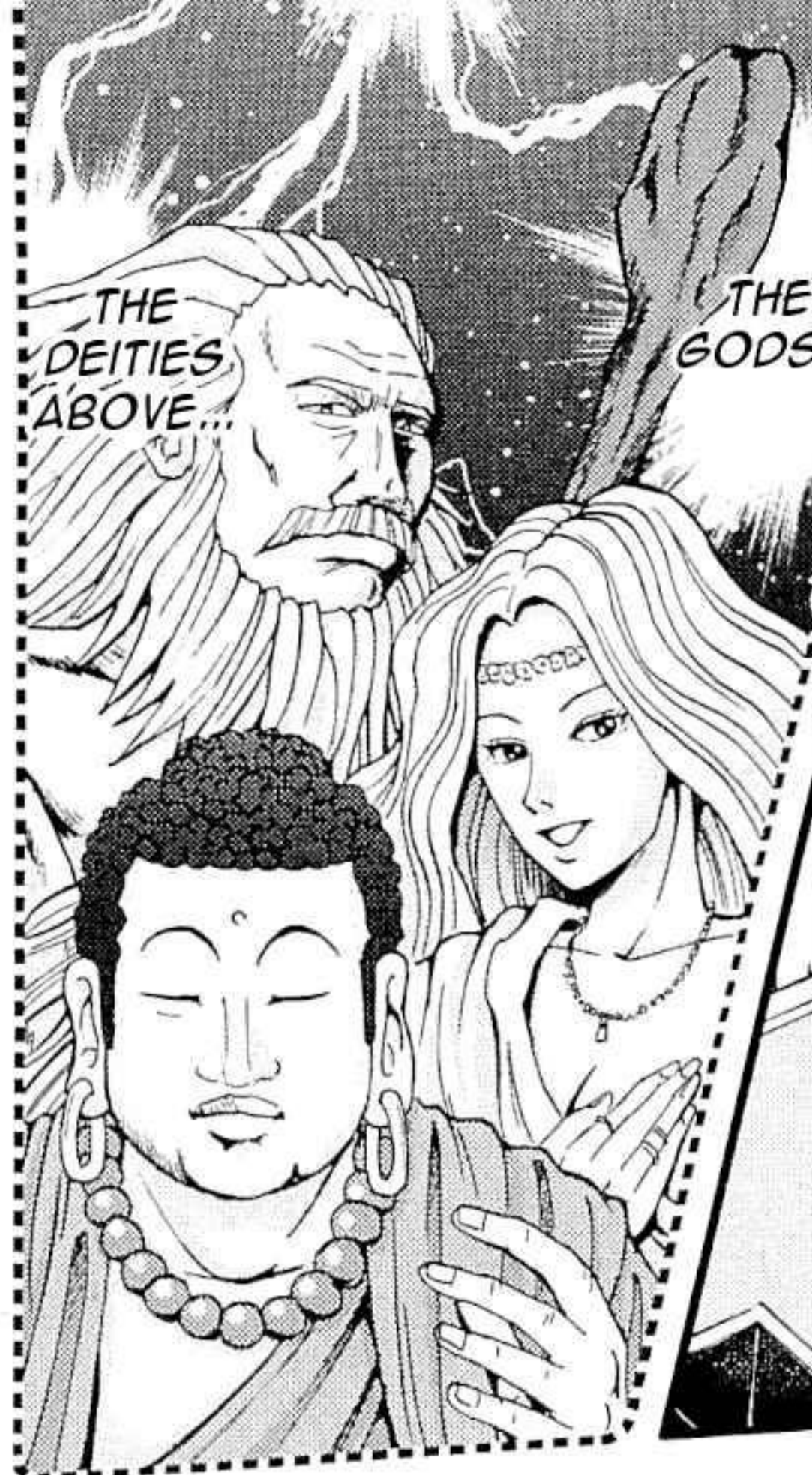




**TAKEN THE  
OFFENSIVE!!**

**IT'S BECAUSE  
I'VE ALWAYS  
WON WITH  
OFFENSE...**



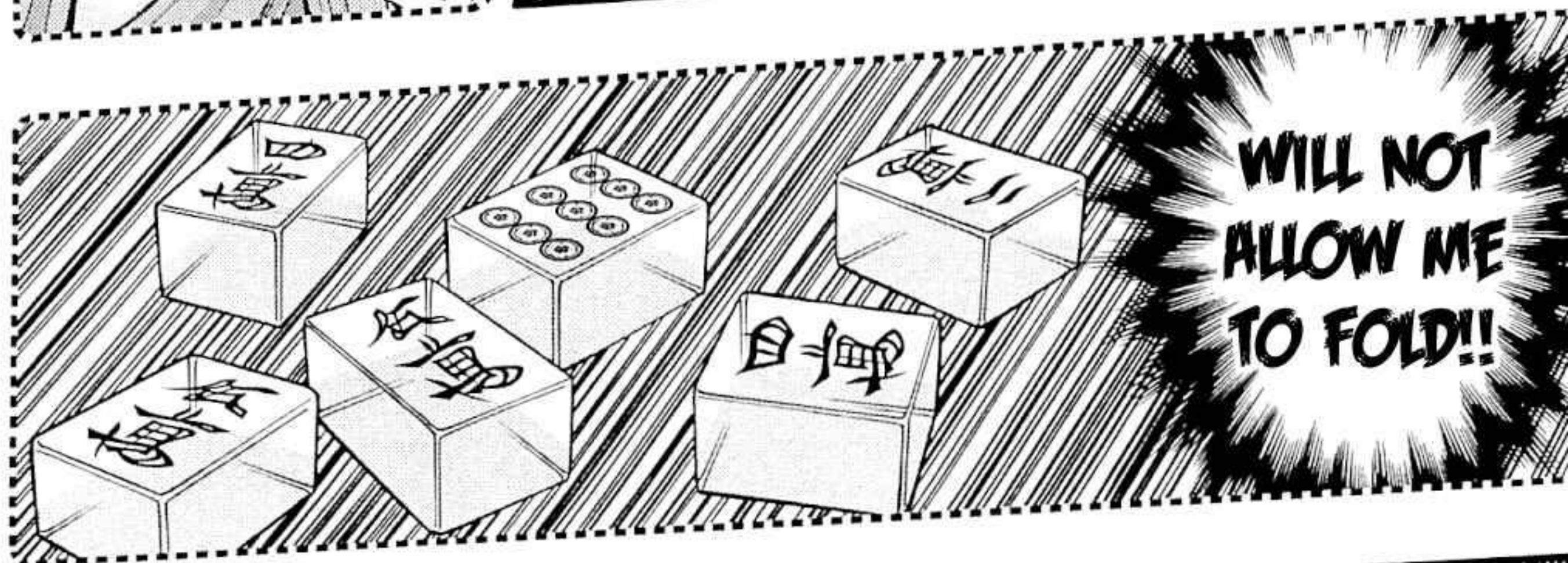


THE  
DEITIES  
ABOVE...

THE  
GODS...



THAT  
IT WAS  
FUTILE,  
FROM  
THE  
START!!



WILL NOT  
ALLOW ME  
TO FOLD!!

USELESS TILES,  
NORMAL TILES,  
OR SAFE TILES!

AND THAT RESULT...



I  
CANNOT  
DRAW  
THEM!



I GET TO  
TENPAI TIME  
AND TIME  
AGAIN!

CAN  
BE SEEN  
HERE!!

Washizu's Hand

THERE WILL  
BE A CHANCE  
OF DEALING  
INTO A  
MANGAN!

AND NO  
MATTER  
WHAT  
I DEAL,  
HERE...

Akagi's Hand

EVERY  
TILE...

Washizu's Hand



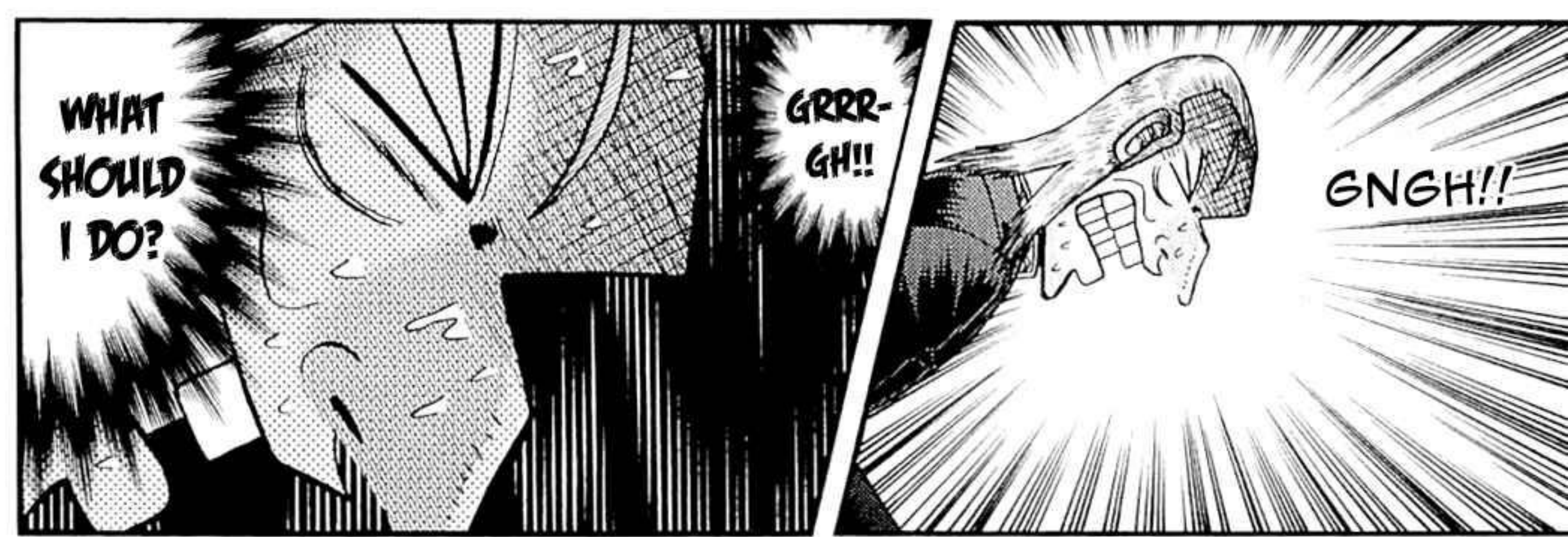


IS A ONE-WAY  
TICKET TO THE  
UNDERWORLD!!

Washizu's Hand



I WILL BE IN  
TENPAI WITH A  
3-6 MAN WAIT,  
WITH A CHANCE  
FOR II PEI KOU!



WHAT  
SHOULD  
I DO?

GRRR-  
GH!!

GNGH!!



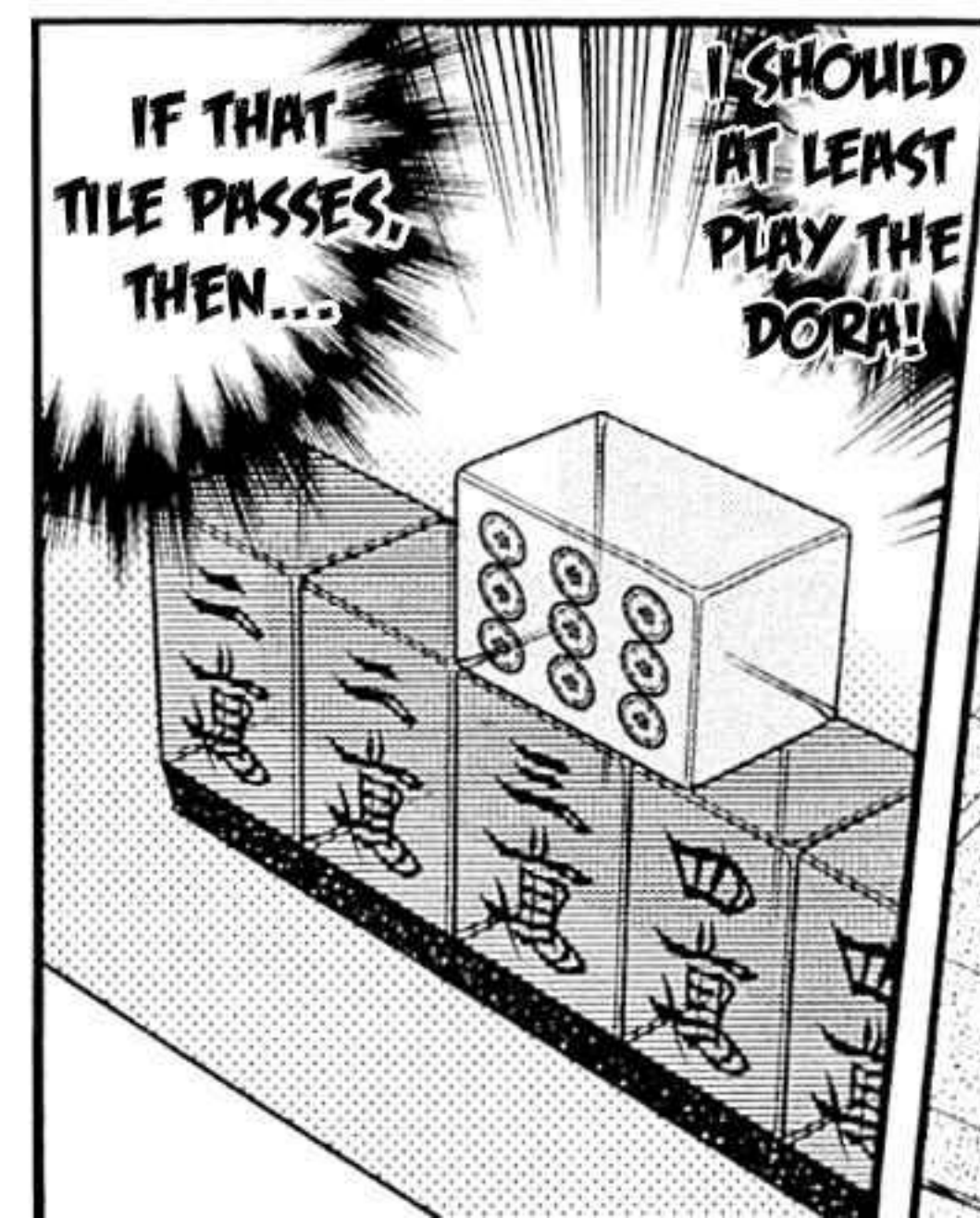
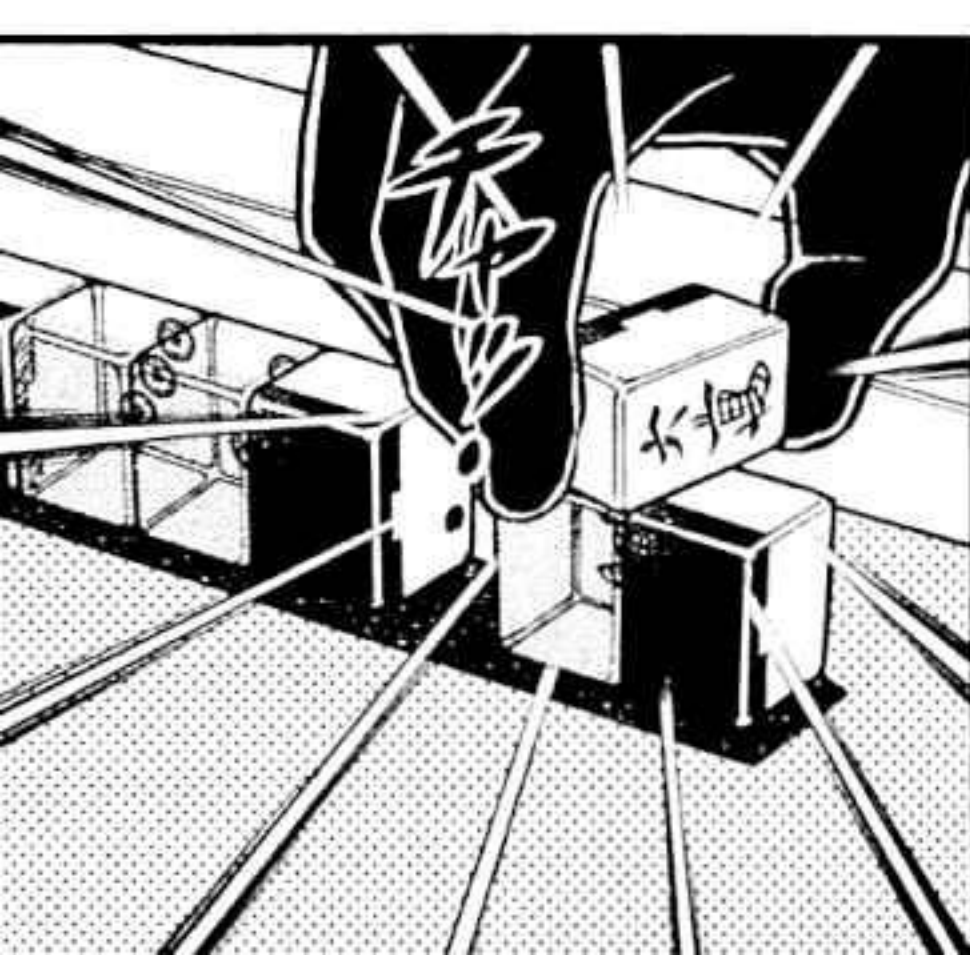
L-LOOK  
AT THIS!!

HUH?



W-!  
WA-  
SHIZU-  
SAMA!!

AND  
WASN'T  
THERE A  
3-MAN  
IN...



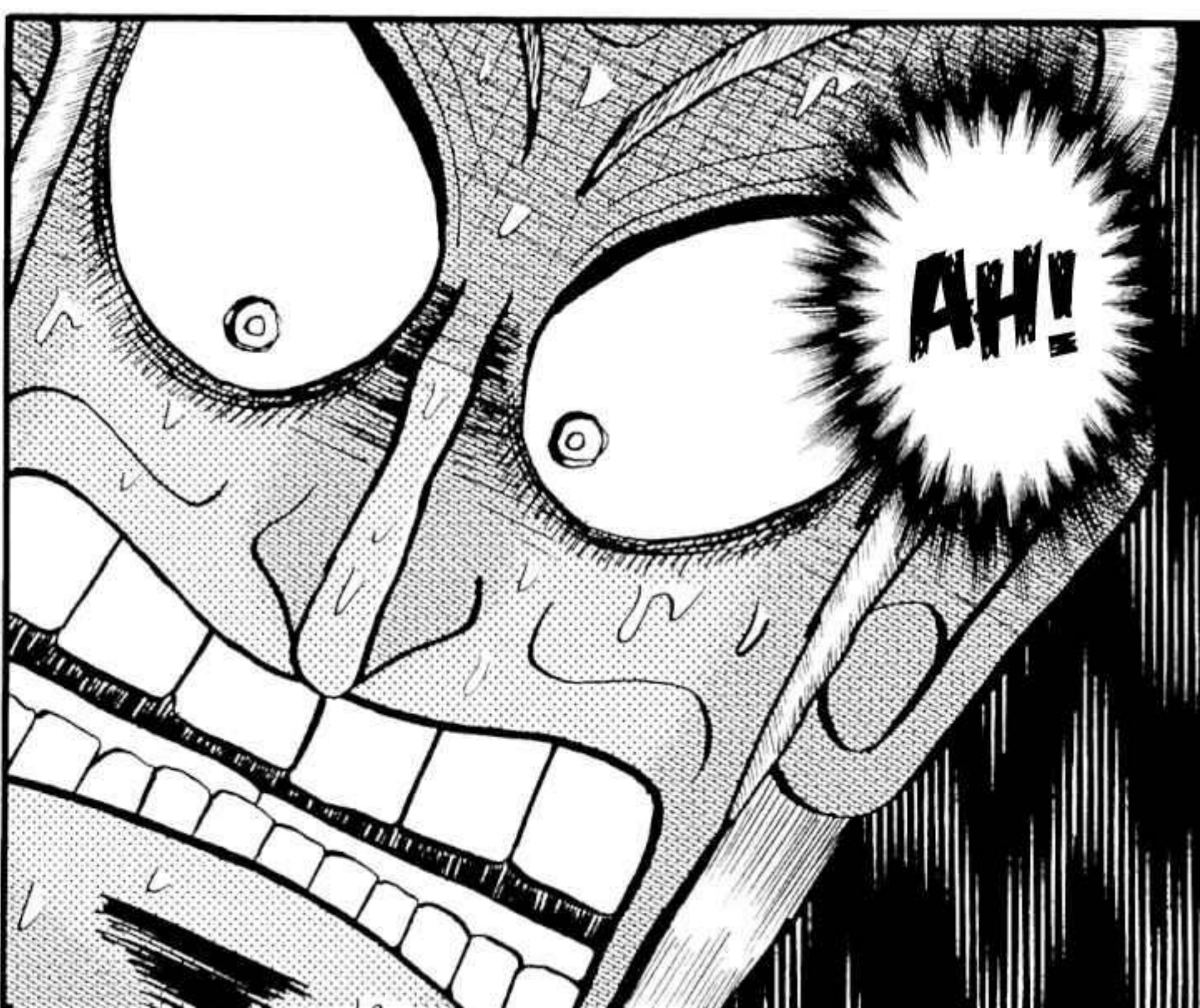
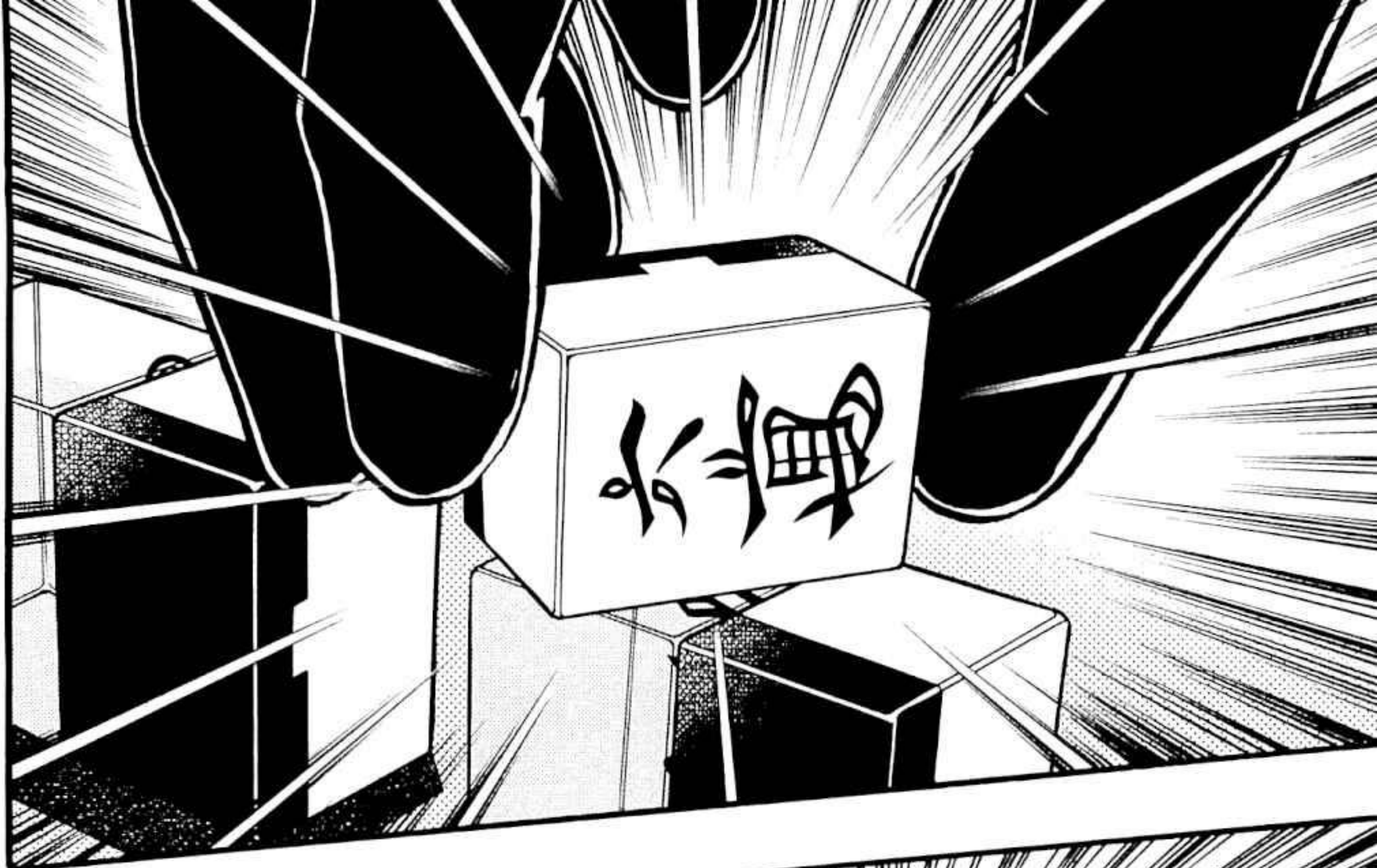
IF THAT  
TILE PASSES,  
THEN...

I SHOULD  
AT LEAST  
PLAY THE  
DORA!



IF I MIGHT  
DEAL INTO  
A MANGAN  
WITH ANY  
TILE...









**THE  
OPAQUE  
6-MAN!!**

**THAT'S  
OPAQUE...!!**



**HIS MOSTLY  
OPAQUE HON  
ITSU HAND...**

**AKAGI'S  
HAND  
THERE...**

**THEN  
THAT  
MEANS...**



**EVEN IF IT  
IS A MANZU  
HON ITSU...**

**IN  
OTHER  
WORDS  
...**

**CANNOT  
INCLUDE  
THE 6-MAN  
THANKS TO  
THAT!**

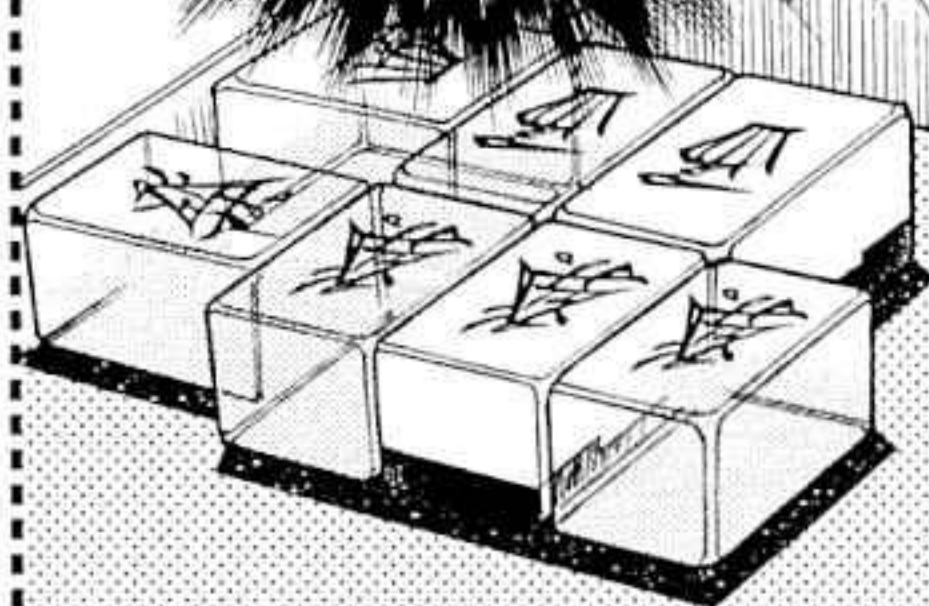




**HAS BEEN  
SEVERED!  
DIVIDED!!**

**THE  
CONNECTION  
BETWEEN THE  
TILES...**

**IT'S SOME-  
THING LIKE  
THIS!!**



**HAS BEEN  
NARROWED DOWN  
A LOT!!**

**THE SHAPE  
IT CAN BE IN...**



**GOOO-  
OOD!!**

**GOOD,  
GOOD,  
GOOD!**



**GOOD!**





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# Chapter 227: BONFIRE

## 第227話篝火

GOOO-  
OOOD!!

THIS IS THE  
FIRST TIME THIS  
ROUND YOU'VE  
HELPED ME!

WELL  
DONE,  
SUZUKI!







ADrift  
IN A BOAT  
WITH NO CLUE  
FROM WHERE  
I'D COME!

I WAS  
LOST IN A  
PITCH-BLACK  
DARNESS AS FAR  
AS THE EYE  
COULD SEE...



THAT'S  
WHEN YOU  
SET UP...







A  
BONFIRE TO  
SAVE ME!

A  
LIGHT!!



GOOD!



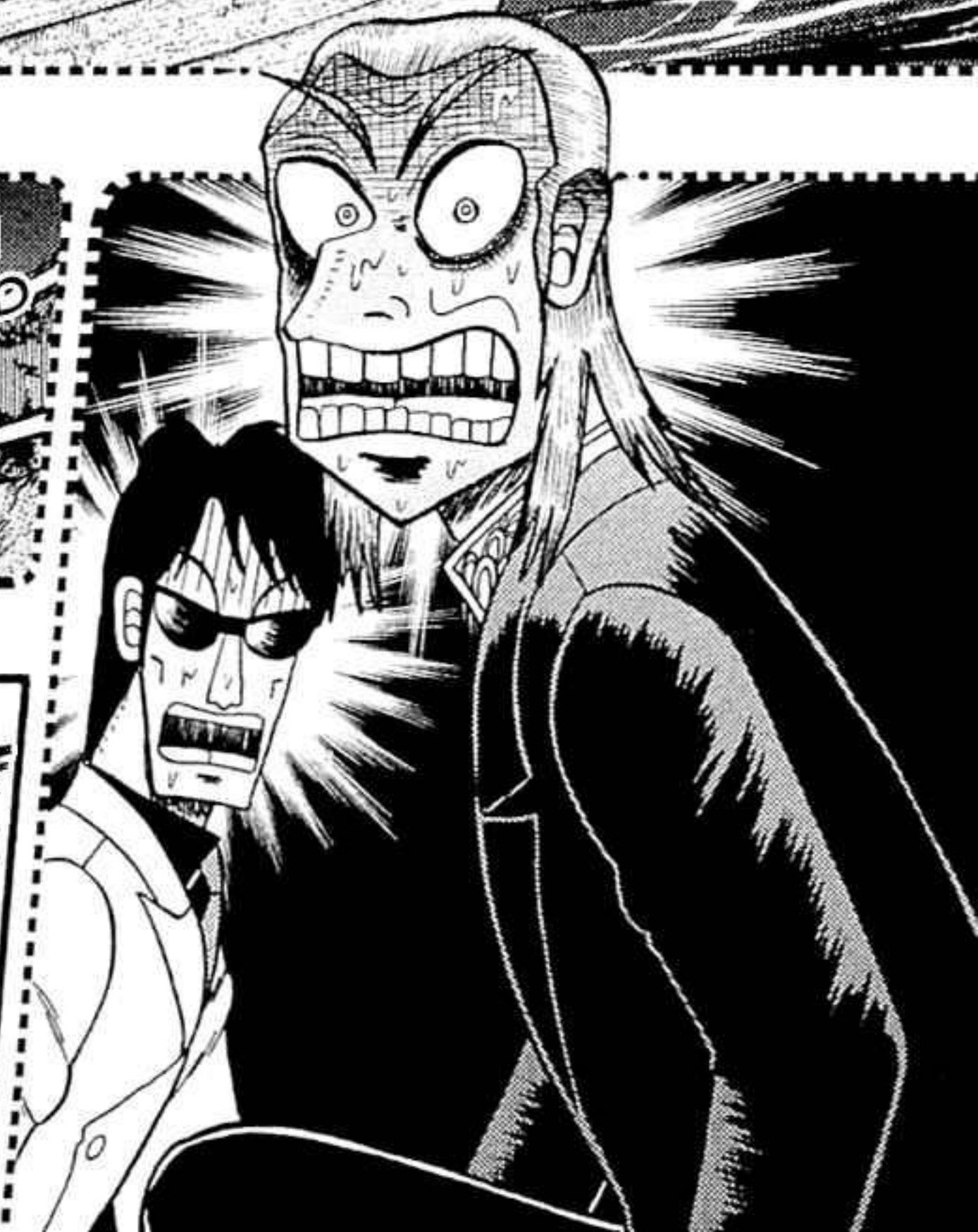
I NOW  
KNOW TO  
WHERE I  
SHOULD  
START  
ROWING!



YOU  
SAVED  
ME!



THE LIGHT OF  
THAT 6-MAN  
SAVED ME!



I SHOULD  
BE ABLE  
TO FORCE  
MY WAY  
THROUGH...

NOW THAT I  
CAN FOLLOW  
THAT LIGHT...

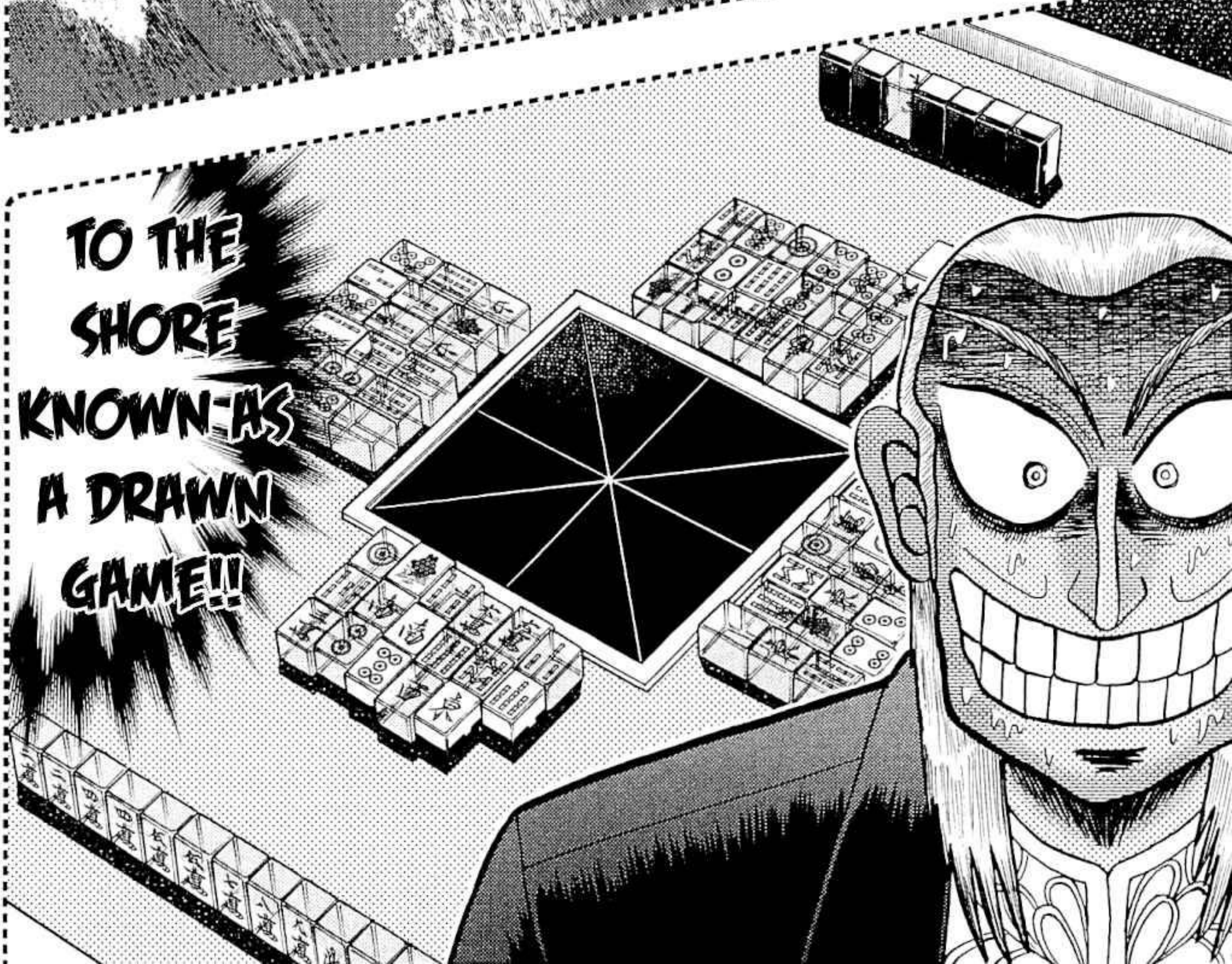
I'M  
SAFE!



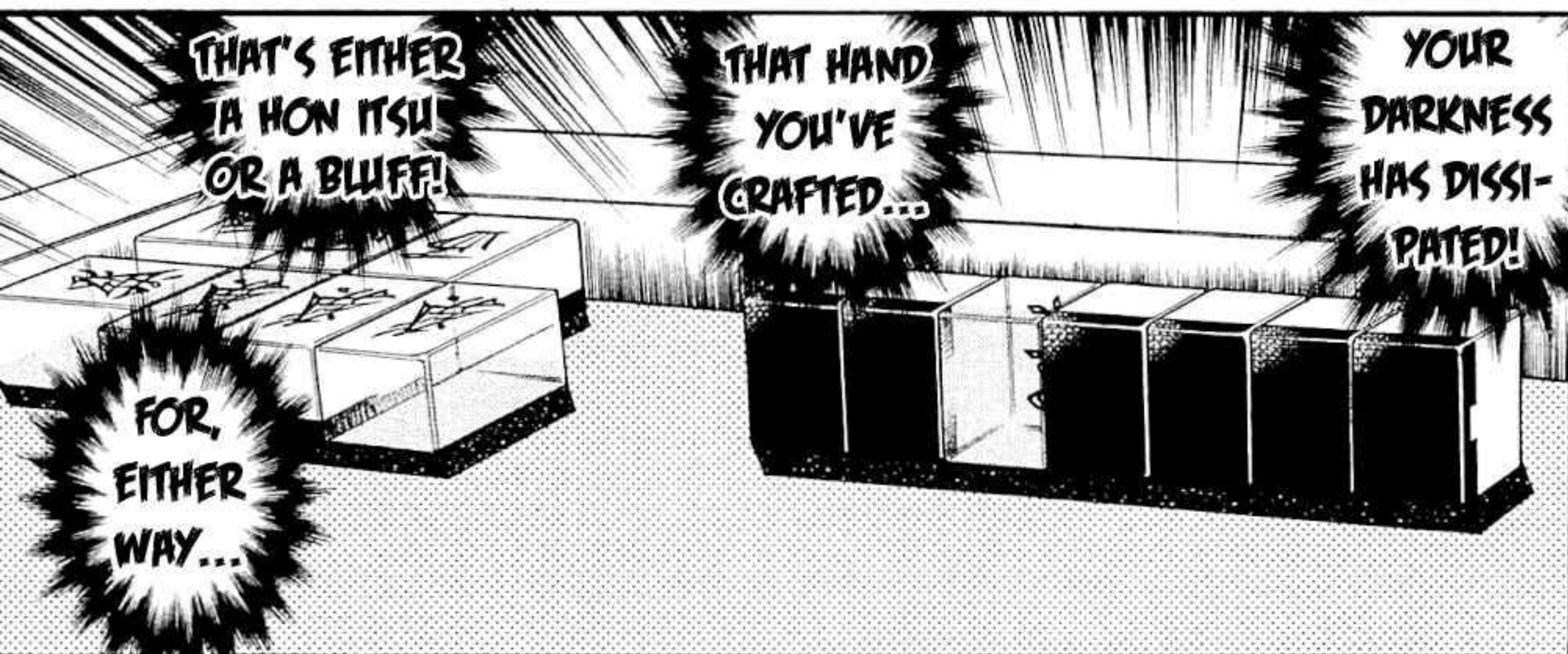
**TO THE  
HARBOR!!**



**TO THE  
SHORE  
KNOWN AS  
A DRAWN  
GAME!!**











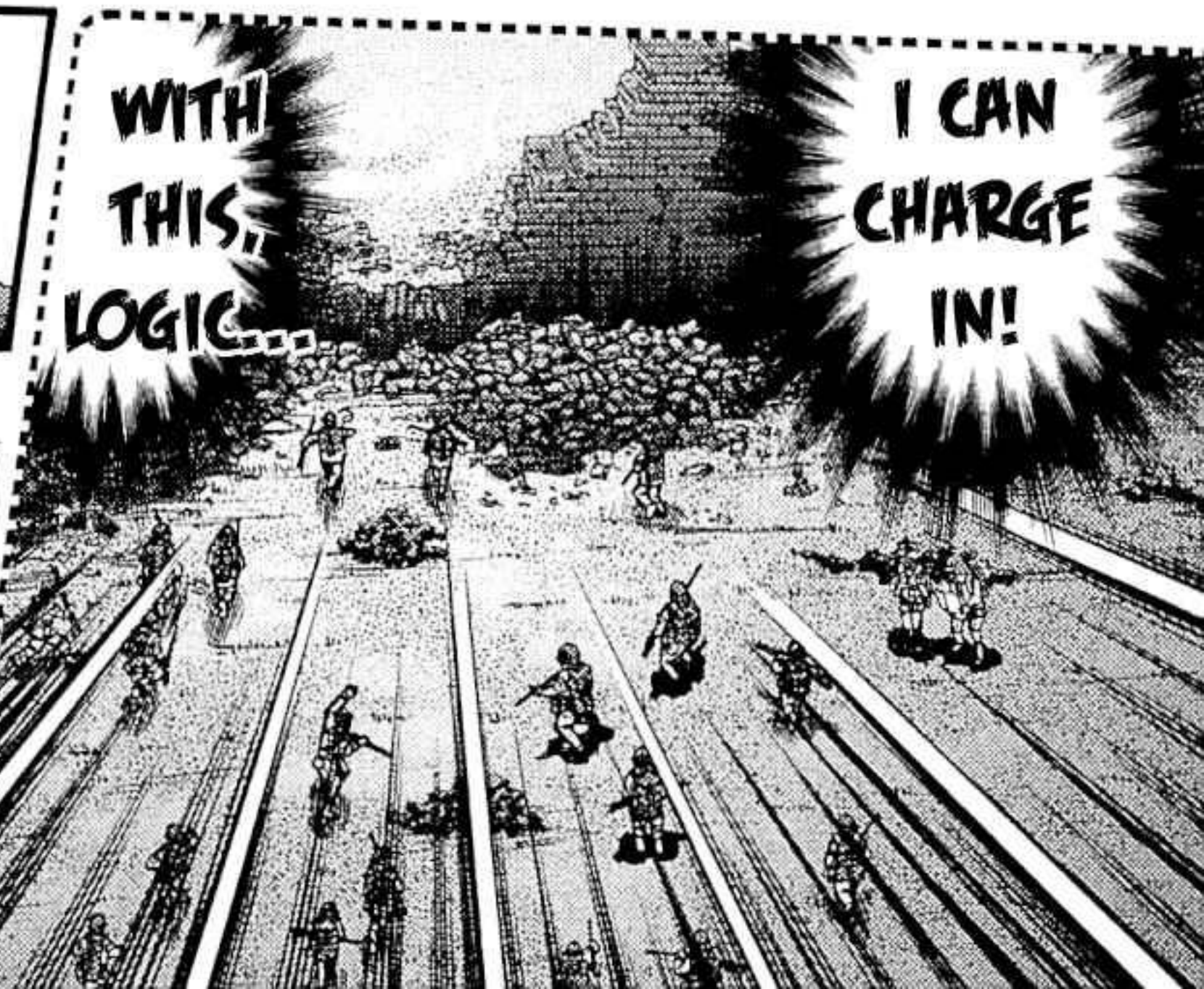
**HAS  
COLLAPSED!!**



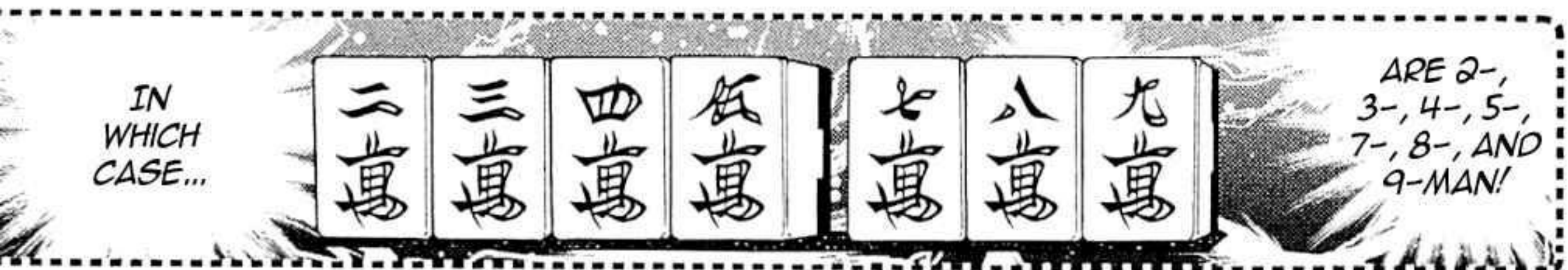
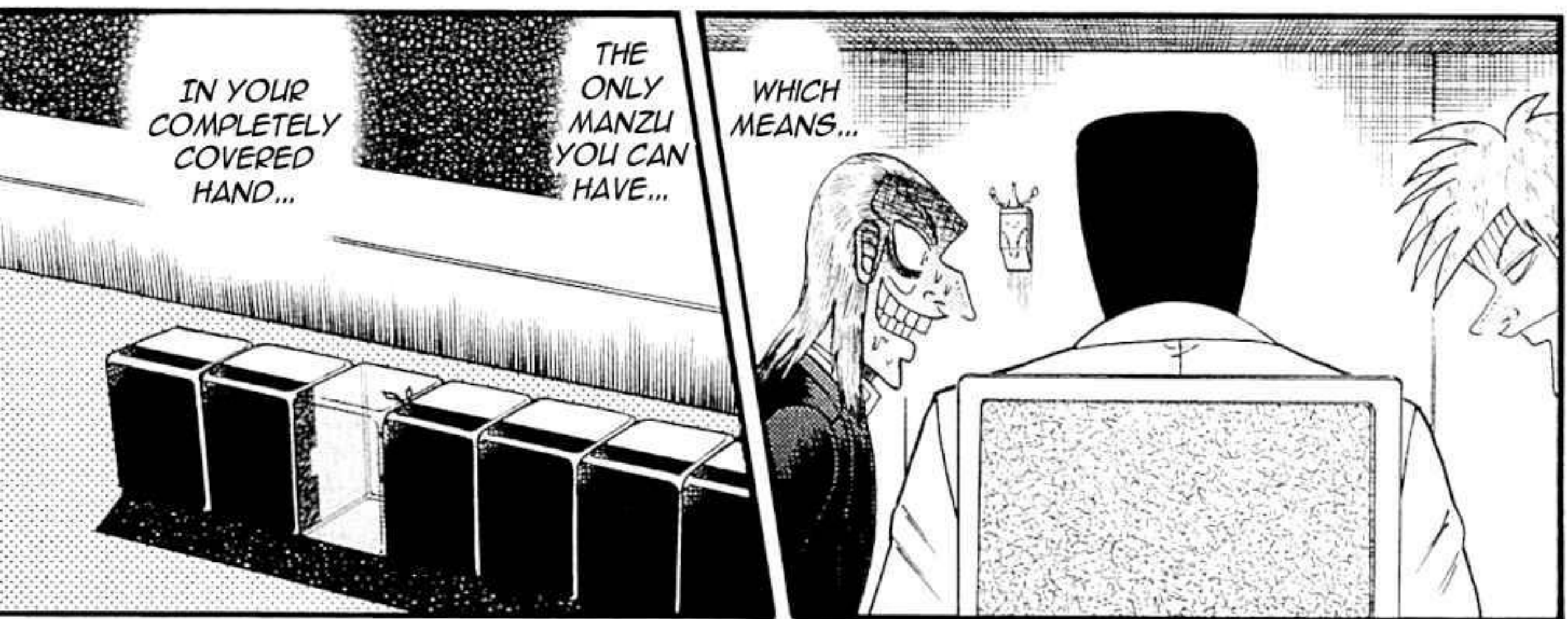
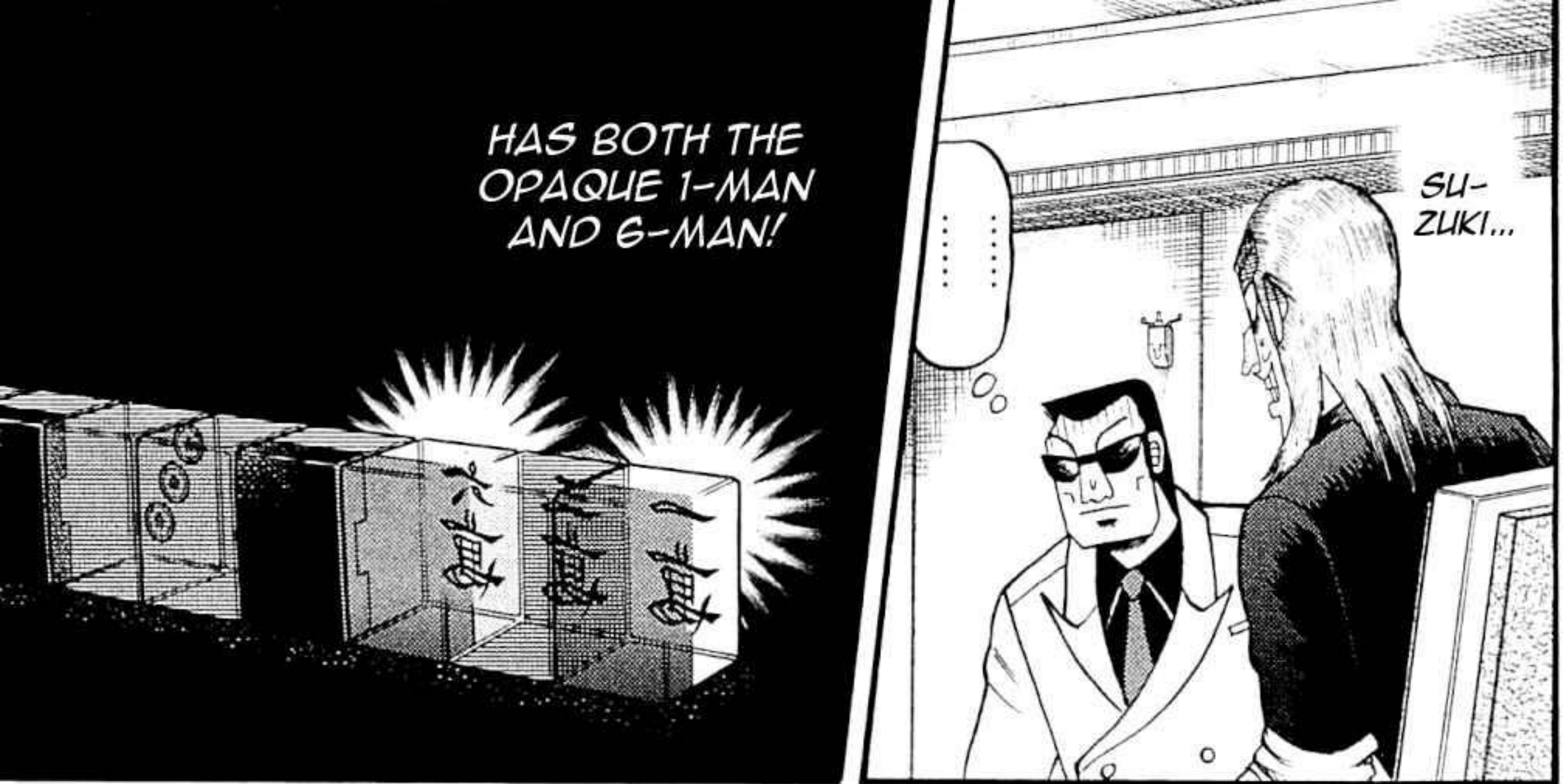
CAN BE  
SET IN  
PLACE!

WITH  
THIS  
LOGIC...

I CAN  
CHARGE  
IN!

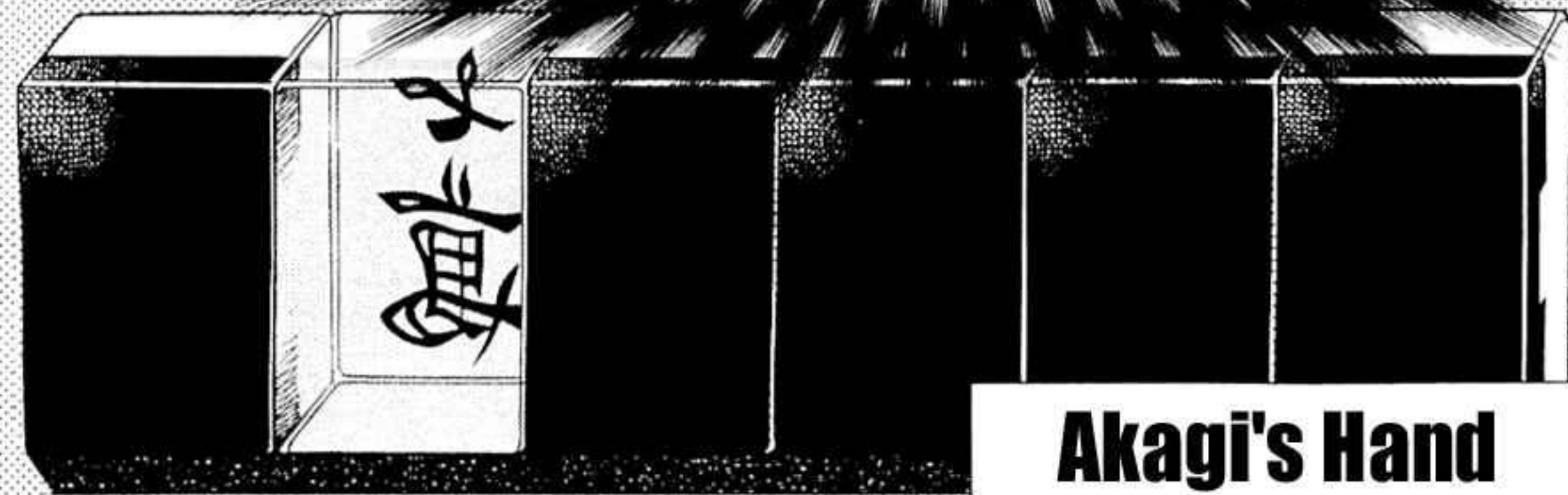
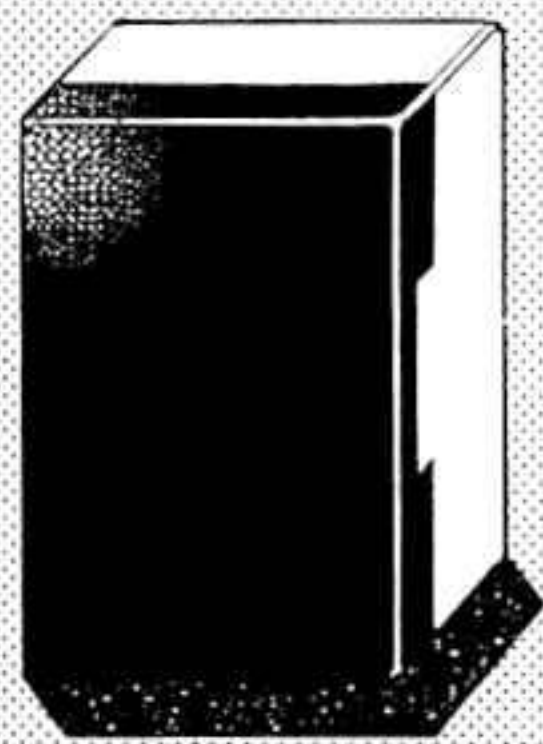
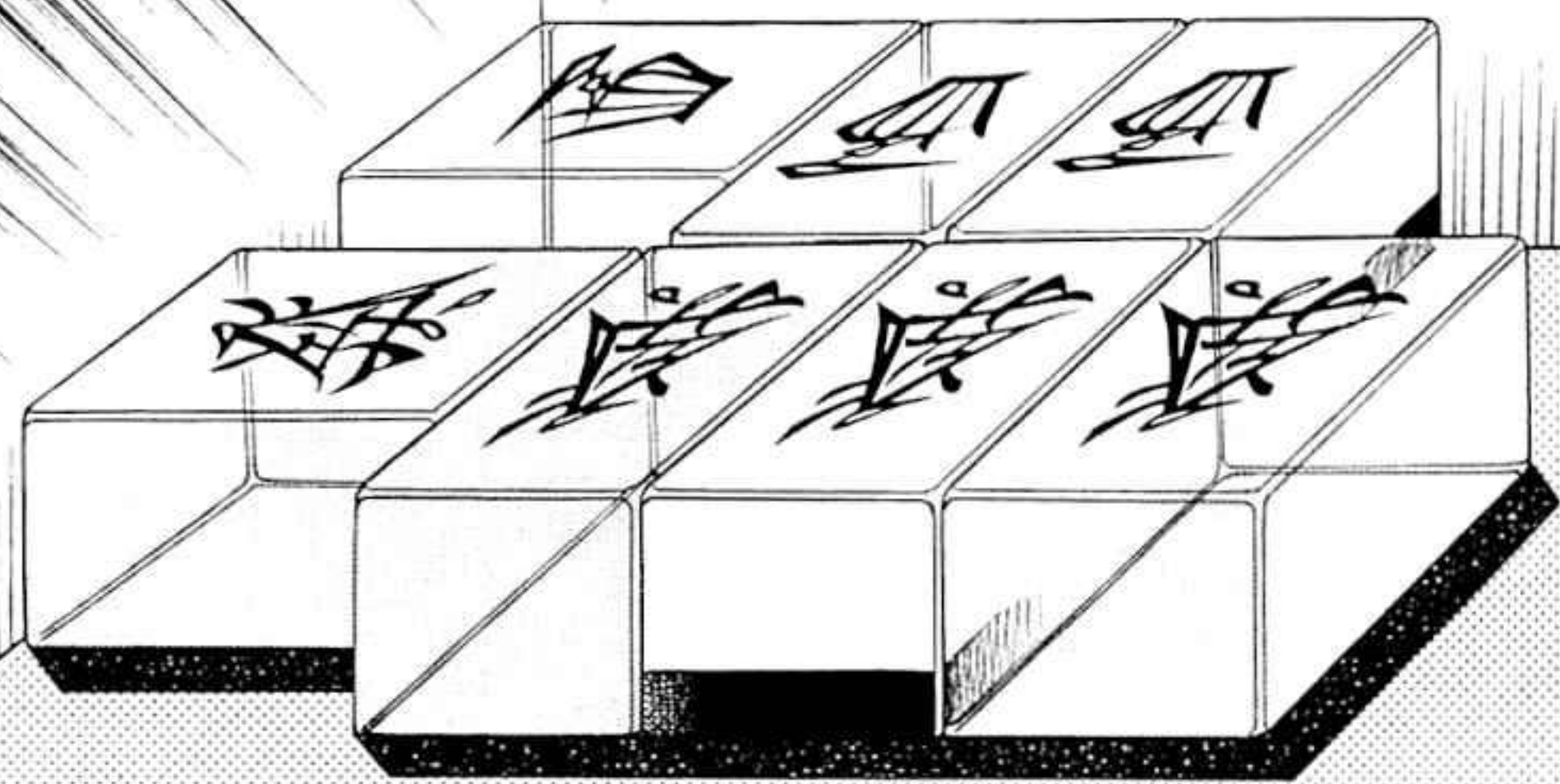








**AKAGI'S HAND CAN  
BE NARROWED DOWN  
THOROUGHLY!!**



**Akagi's Hand**

BE IT THE 3-, 4-, 8-, OR 9-MAN...

WHICH MEANS, ANY MANZU TILE I HAVE OTHER THAN THE 2-, 5-, AND 7-MAN...

**Washizu's Hand**

CAN BE NARROWED DOWN TO THESE TWO SHAPES!

**A 2-5 Man Wait**

**A 7-Man Wait**

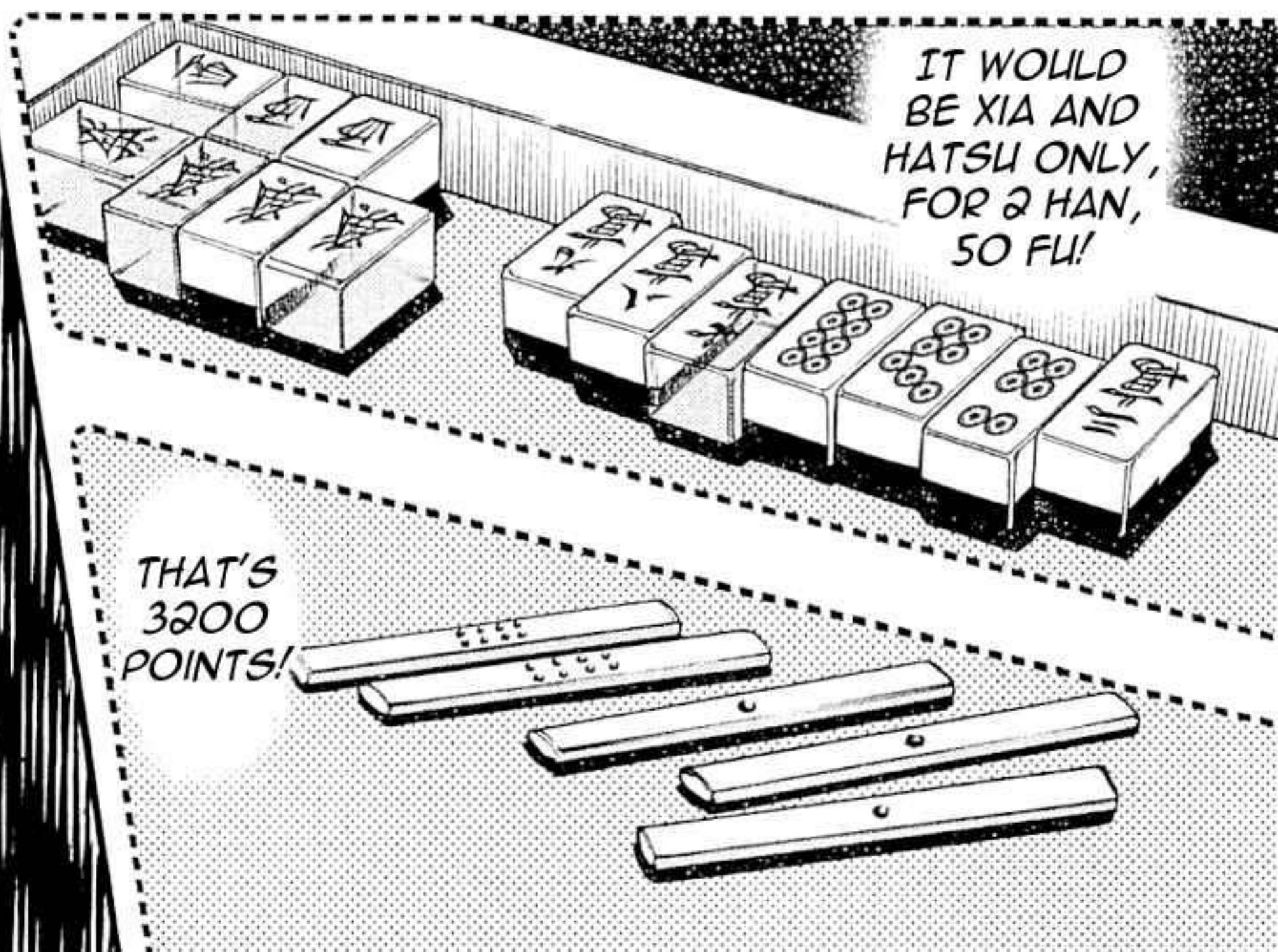
EVEN IF HE LAYS DOWN HIS HAND...

EVEN IF I DO DEAL IN...

OR OTHERWISE, A SINGLE WAIT ON AN HONOR TILE!

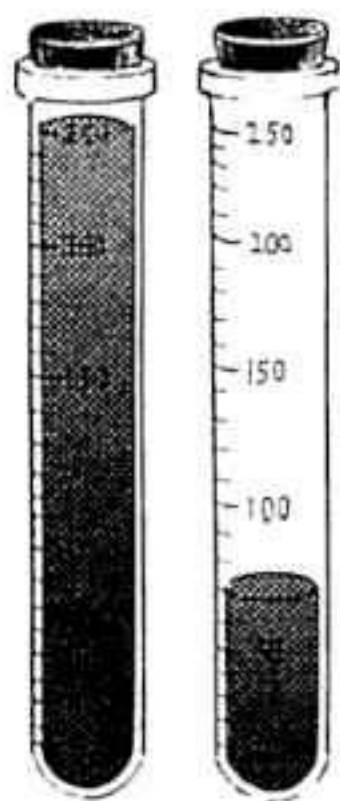
IF HIS HAND HAPPENS TO BE MANZU HON ITSU, THEN THE WAIT...







WITH  
ONLY 320  
CCS...



WITH  
JUST  
3200...

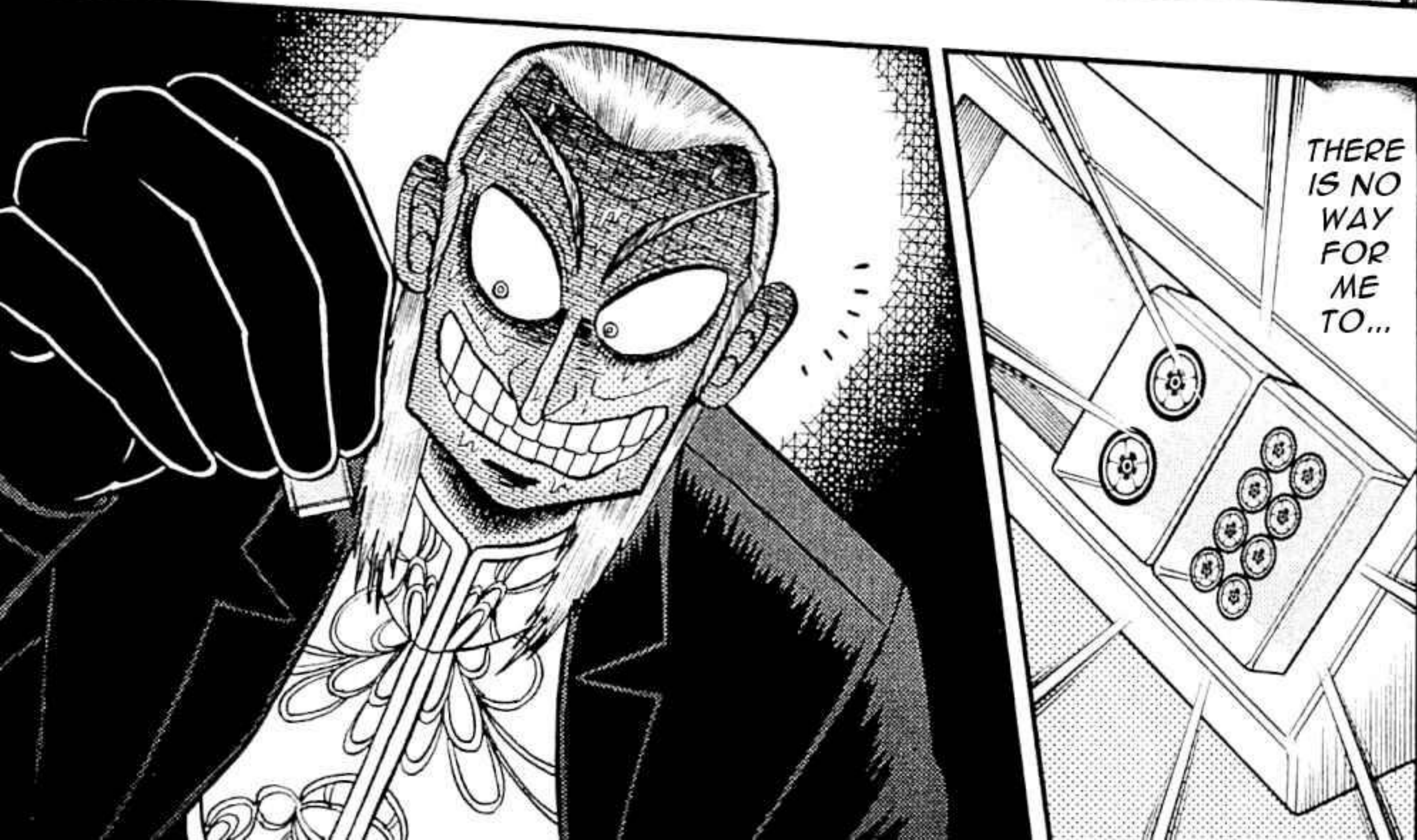


I  
WON'T  
DIE!

EVEN  
IF I DEAL  
IN...



THERE  
IS NO  
WAY  
FOR  
ME  
TO...





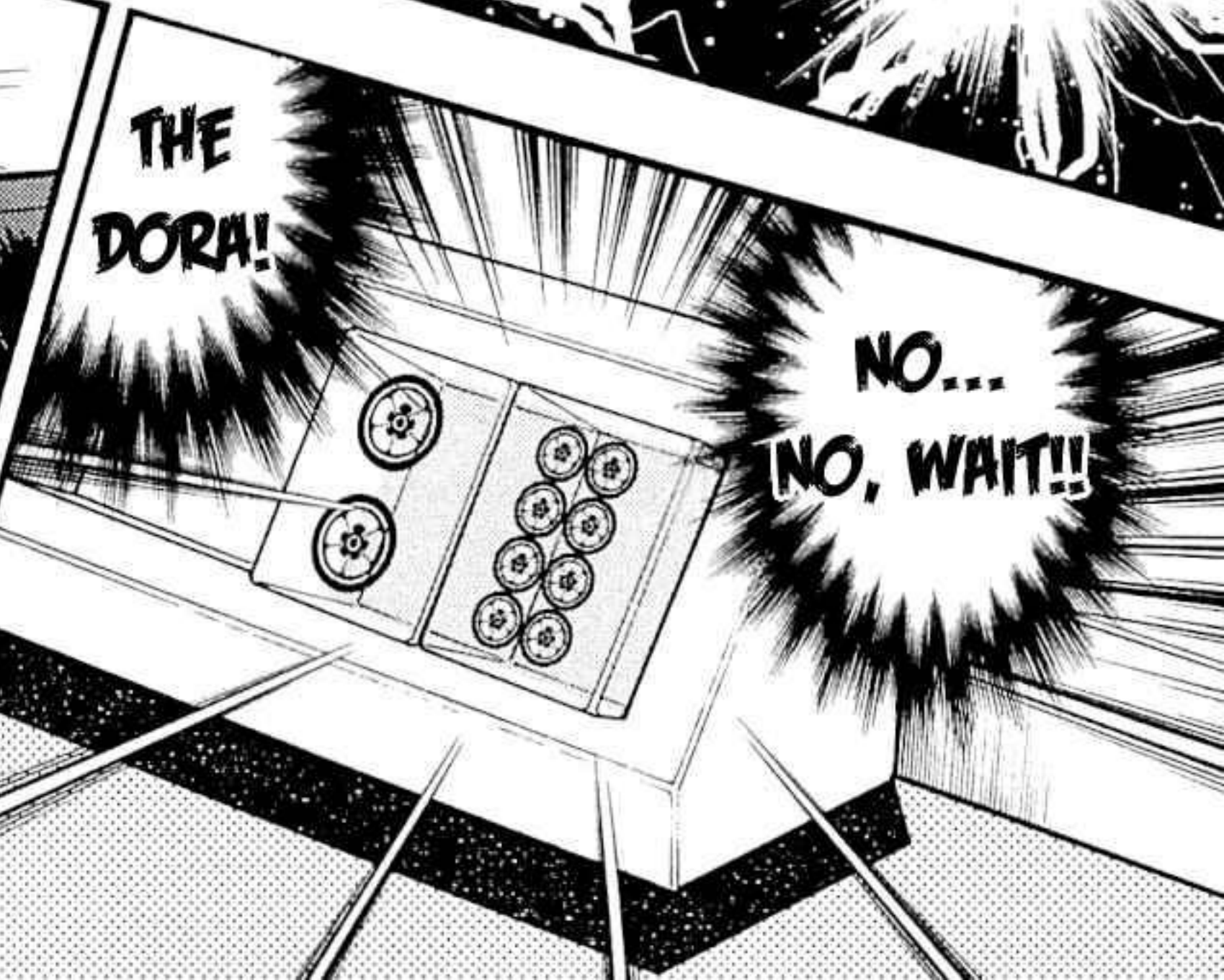


**AH!**



**THERE'S  
STILL  
DORA!**

**THE  
DORA!**



**NO...  
NO, WAIT!!**





INCLUDES  
A DORA, IT  
WOULD BE XIA,  
HATSU WITH 1 DORA  
FOR 6400!

IF  
THAT  
HAND...



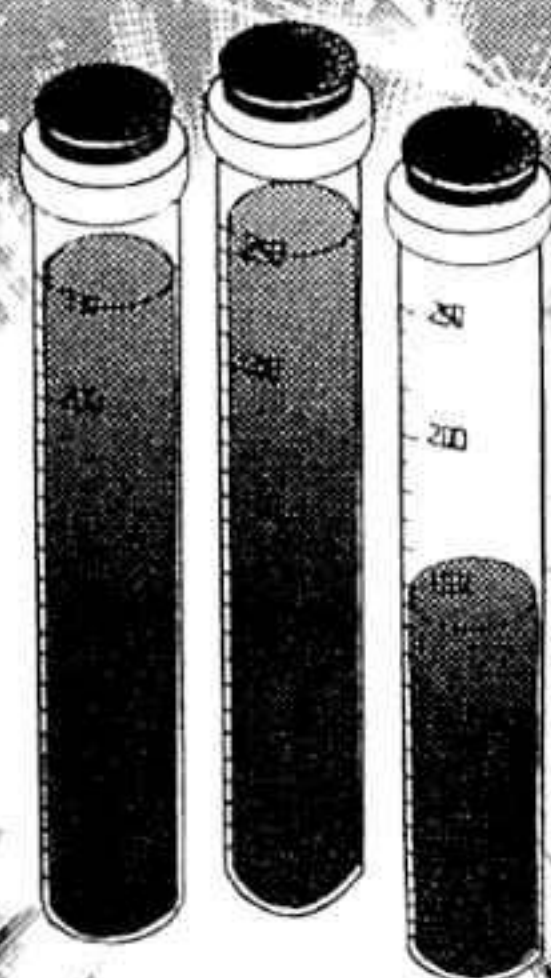
6400 IS  
POSSIBLE!!  
IN OTHER  
WORDS...



GNGH!!

WITH  
ALL THE  
BLOOD  
DRAWN  
FROM ME  
TO NOW,  
THAT  
WOULD  
TOTAL  
1740  
CCS!

640  
CCS!







**I  
MIGHT  
DIE!!**



**WOULD  
BE  
ROUGH!**

**A  
6400-  
POINT  
HAND...**



**TO  
KILL  
ME?!**

**WOULDN'T  
THAT BE  
ENOUGH...**



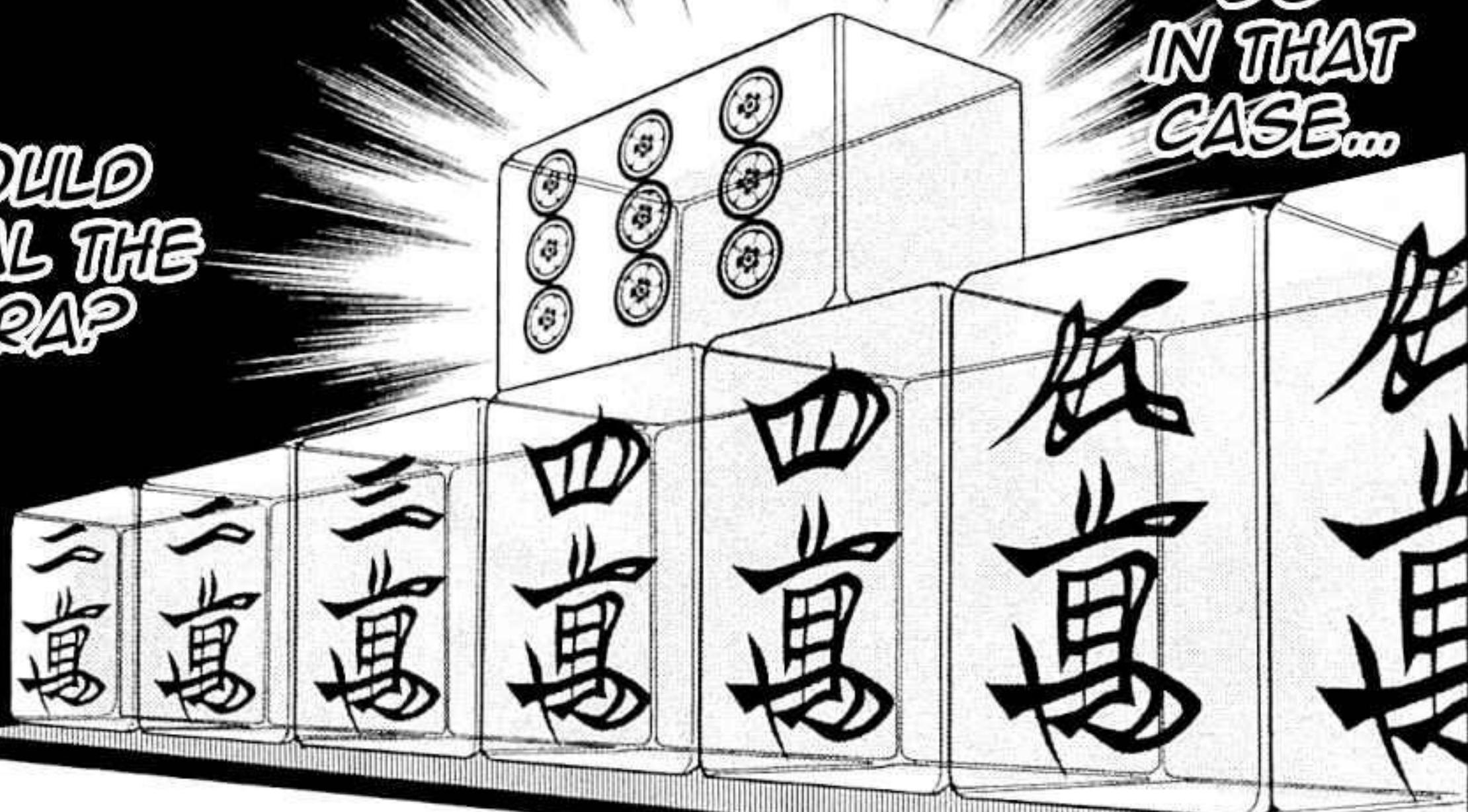
**NGH!**





SHOULD  
I DEAL THE  
DORA?

SO  
IN THAT  
CASE...



IT  
WOULD  
END!

SUZUKI  
CAN DEAL  
IN, RIGHT  
AWAY!

IF IT  
GOES  
THROUGH,  
THEN...

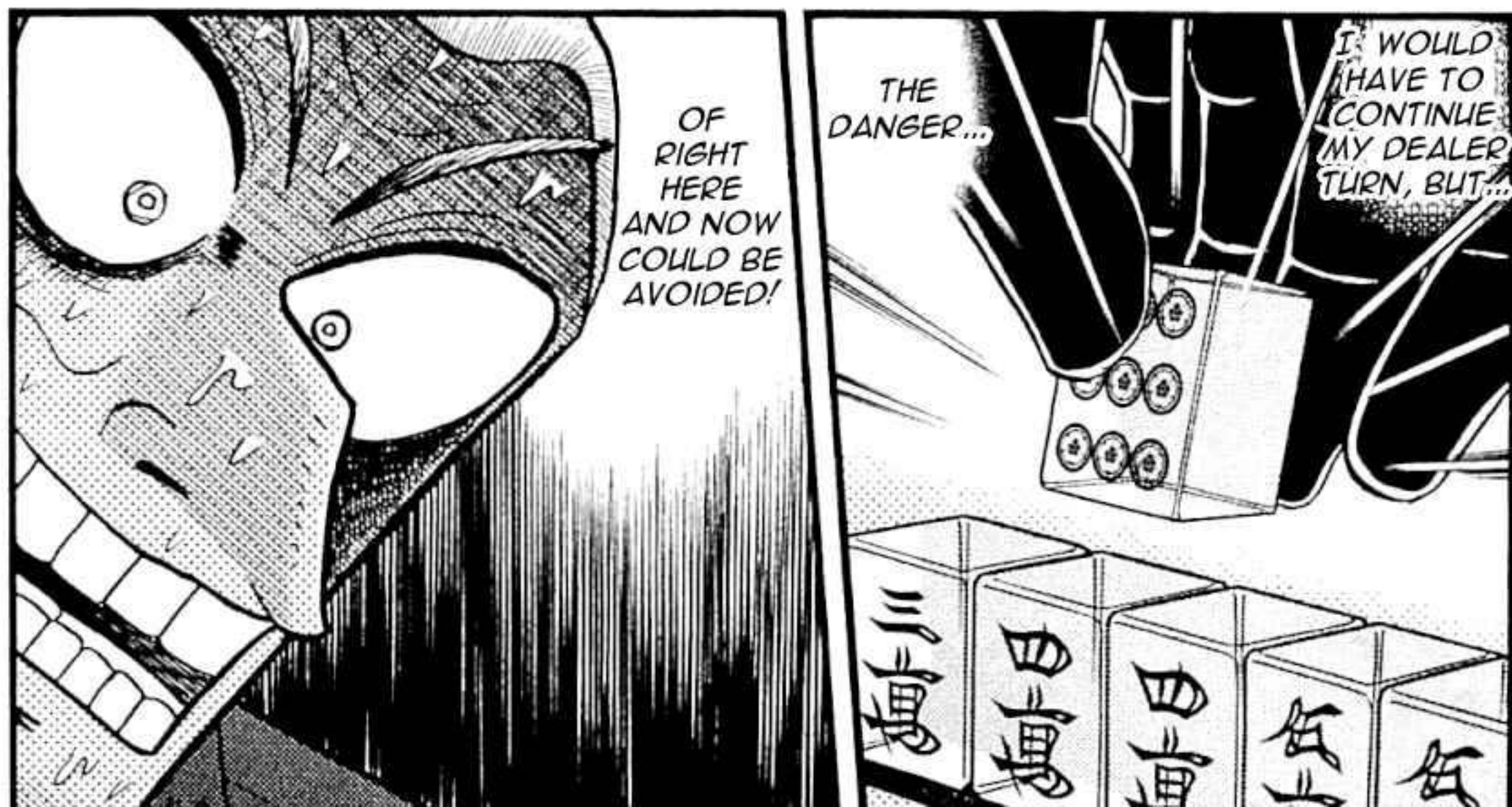


BUT...

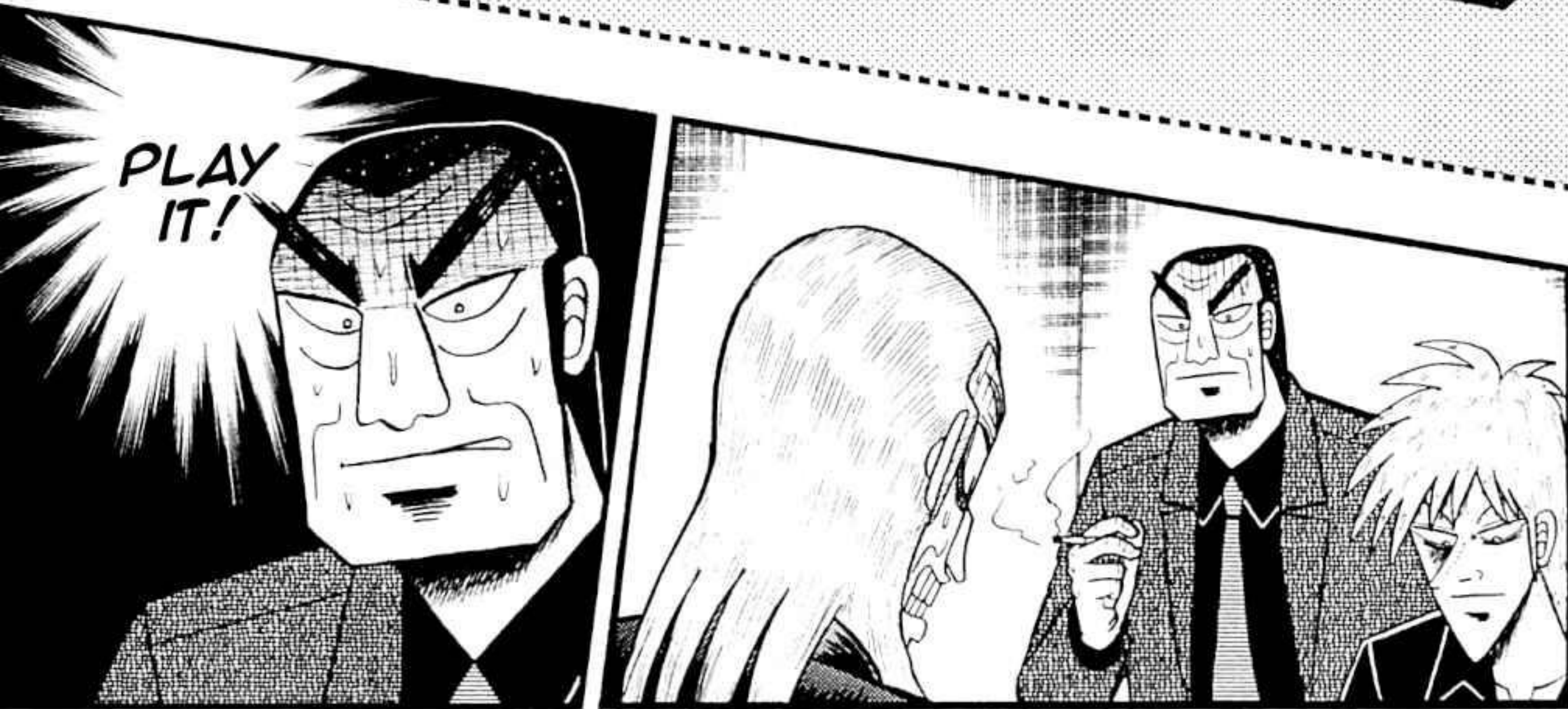
OF  
RIGHT  
HERE  
AND NOW  
COULD BE  
AVOIDED!

THE  
DANGER...

I WOULD  
HAVE TO  
CONTINUE  
MY DEALER  
TURN, BUT...







**GRRRRGHHH??**







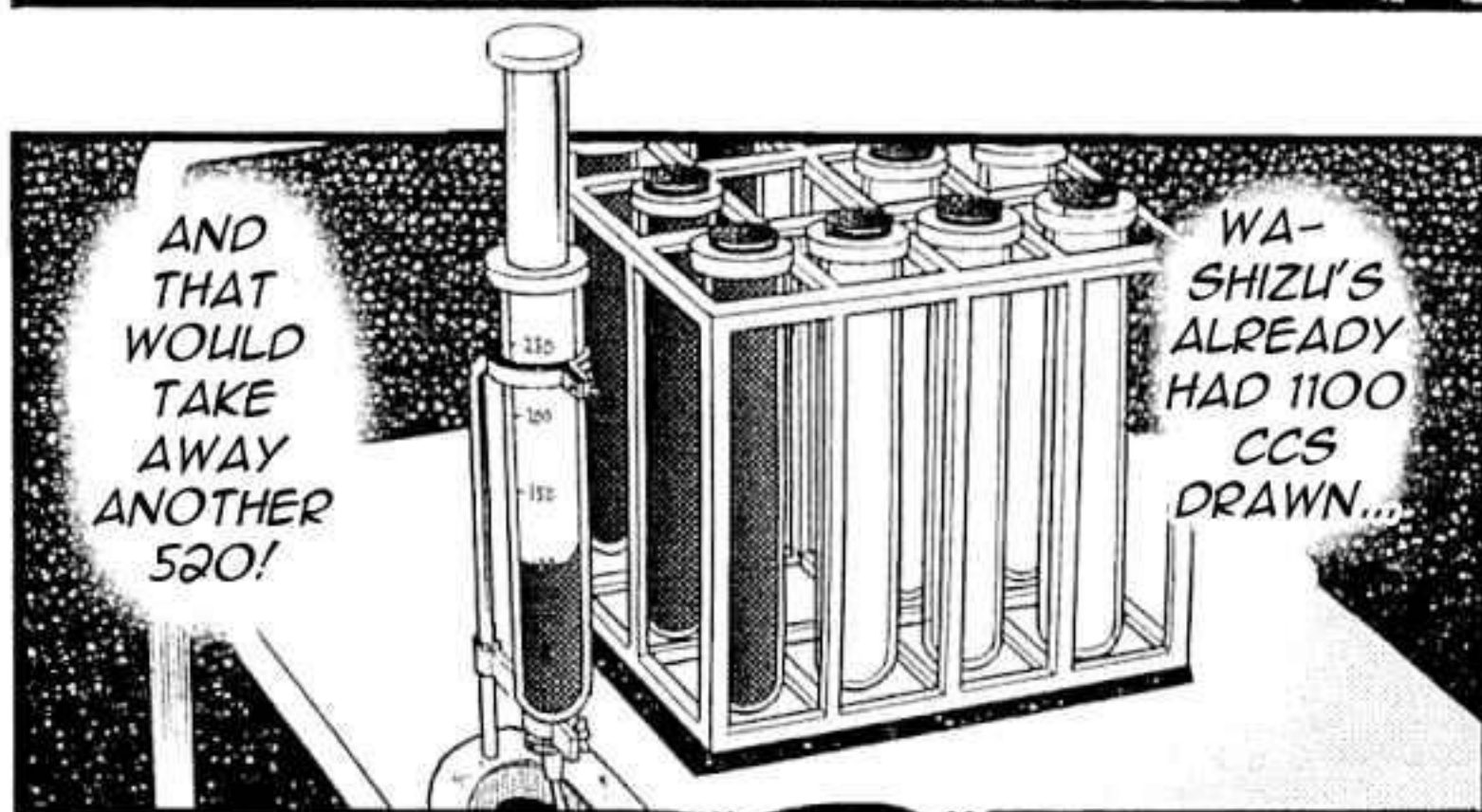
IF HE  
DEALS  
IN, IT'LL  
BE 5200!



WE  
MIGHT  
HAVE TO  
GO...

IT  
WOULDN'T  
ASSURE A  
FINISHING  
BLOW!

SURE,  
5200  
MIGHT BE  
A LITTLE  
DICEY...



AND  
THAT  
WOULD  
TAKE  
AWAY  
ANOTHER  
520!

WA-  
SHIZU'S  
ALREADY  
HAD 1100  
CCS  
DRAWN...



PLUS,  
WASHIZU'S  
AN OLD  
MAN!

THAT'S  
A TOTAL  
OF 1620  
CCS!



BUT  
STILL...

INTO  
ANOTHER  
ROUND  
AFTER  
THAT!



HIS  
VISION  
WOULD  
BLUR AND  
HE'D HAVE  
TROUBLE  
THINKING!

SO  
EVEN IF  
HE DOESN'T  
DIE... HE'D  
BE DIZZY AND  
UNSTABLE...



THEN  
IN THE  
SOUTH 4TH  
ROUND...

IF THAT  
HAPPENS...



HE'D  
BE SURE TO  
MAKE LOTS OF  
MISTAKES!



HE  
WOULDN'T  
BE ABLE  
TO PLAY HIS  
BEST GAME!!





**VICTORY  
WOULD JUST  
BE A STEP AWAY  
FROM AKAGI!!**

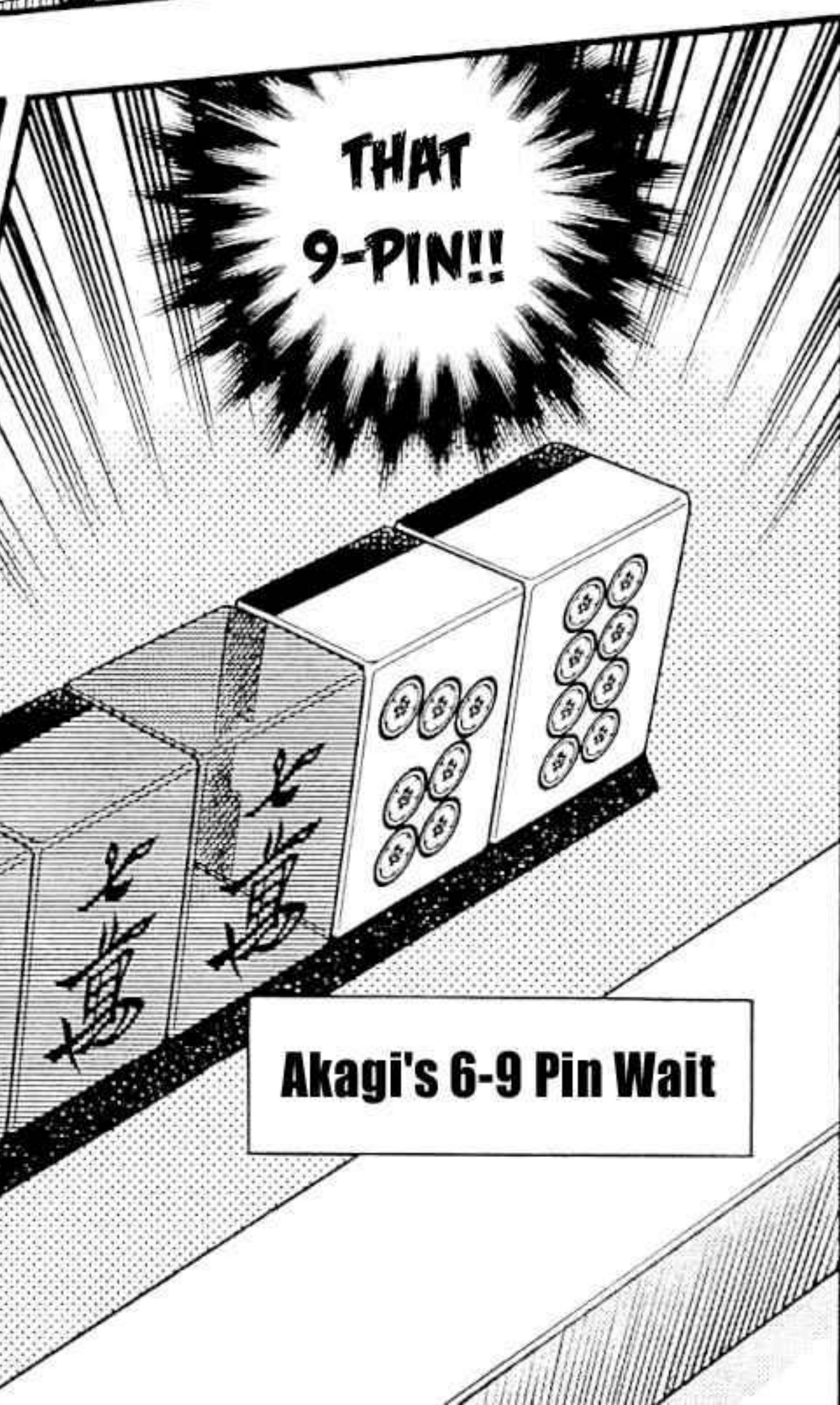


**PLAY  
IT!!**

**SO THAT'S  
WHY YOU HAVE  
TO PLAY IT!**







Akagi's 6-9 Pin Wait







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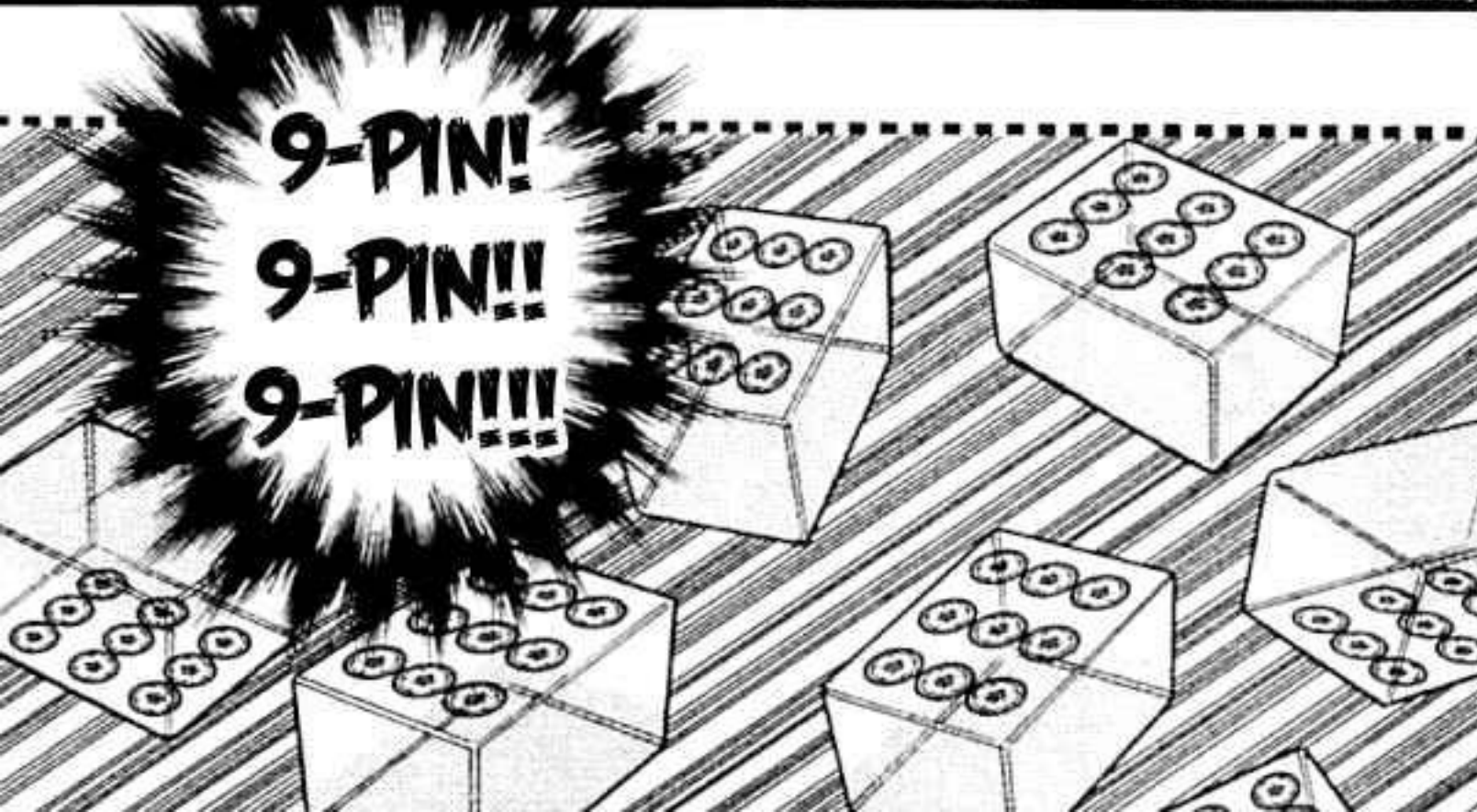
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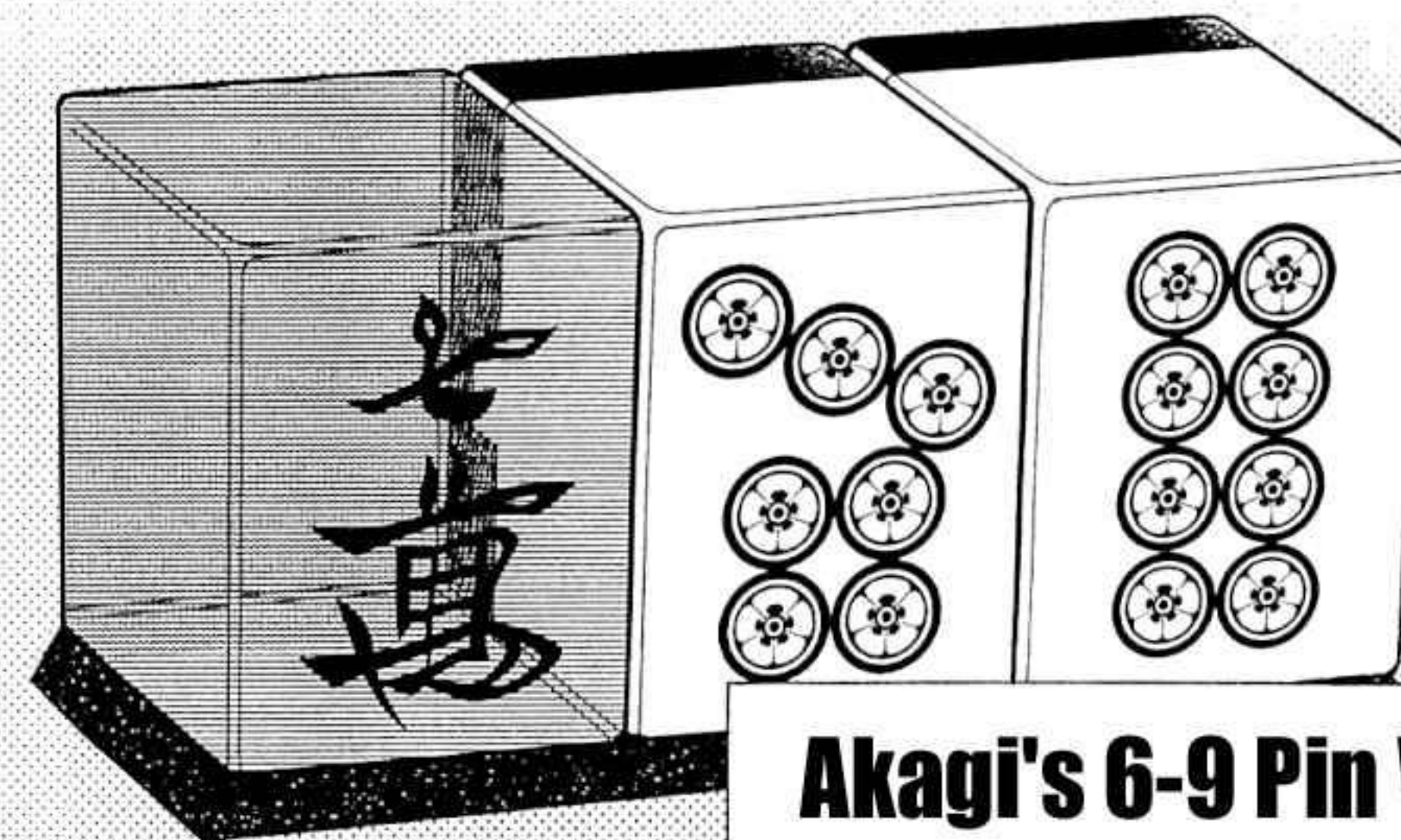
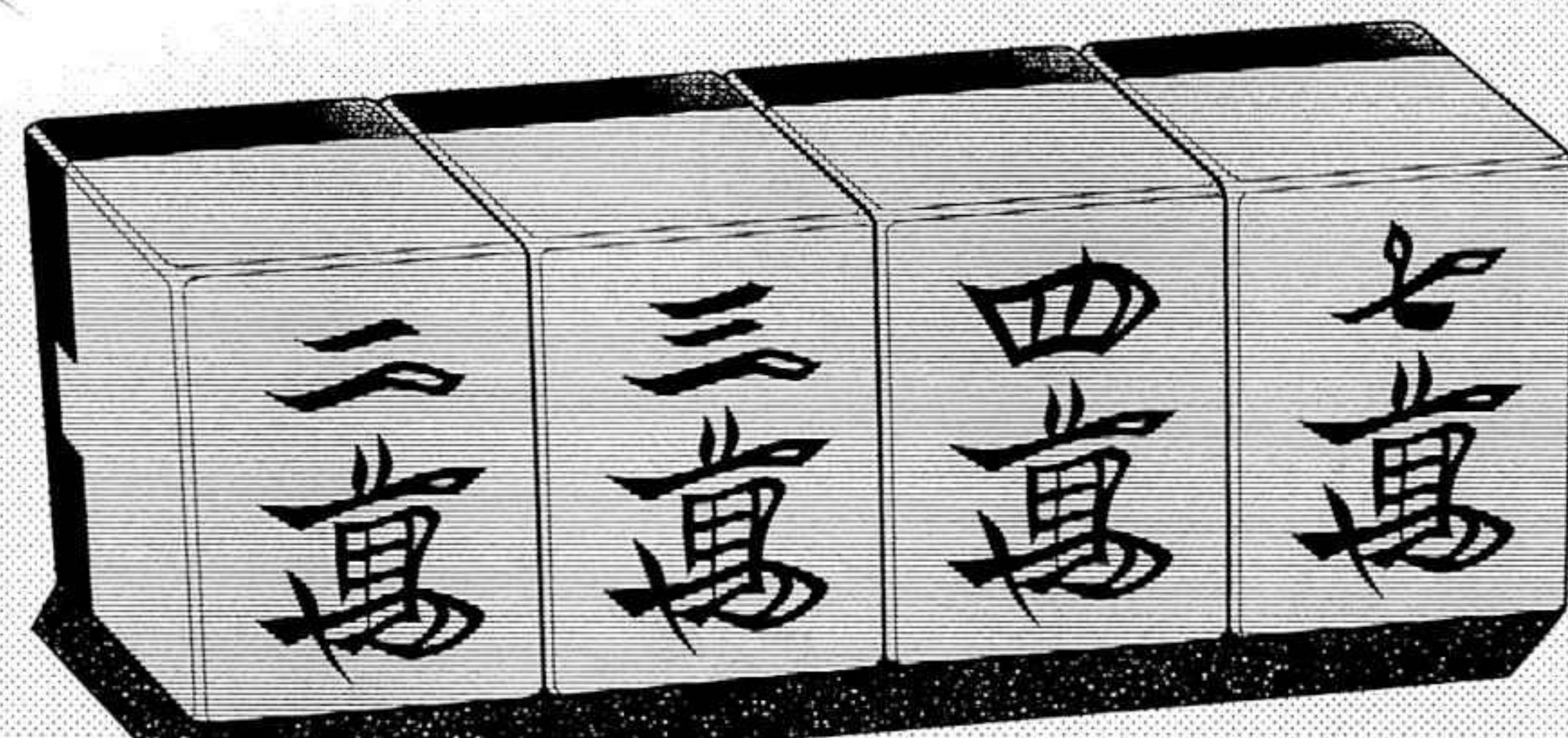




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**第228話 博徒**

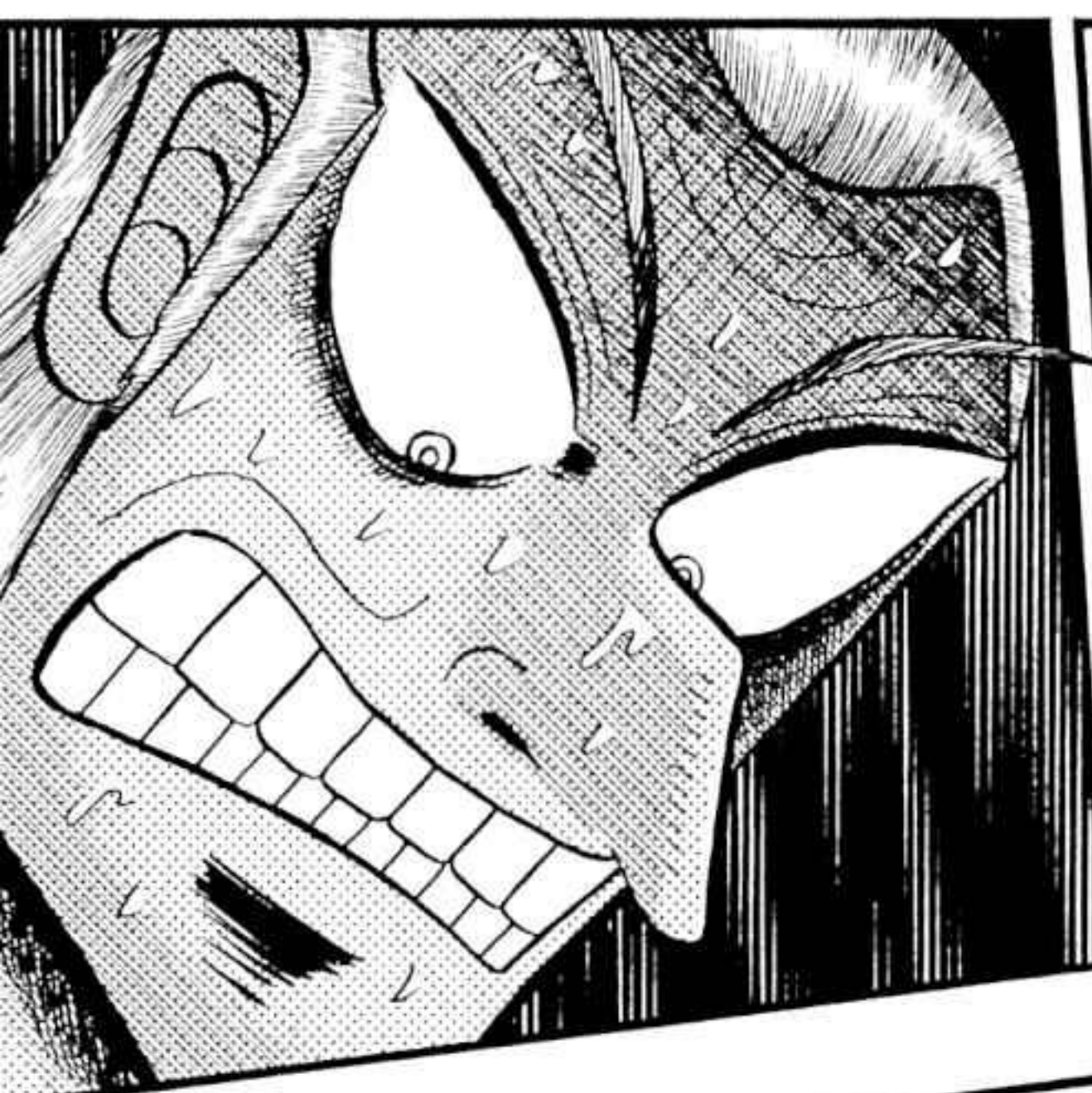






Akagi's 6-9 Pin Wait

AKAGI'S  
WINNING TILE,  
THE DORA,  
9-PIN!



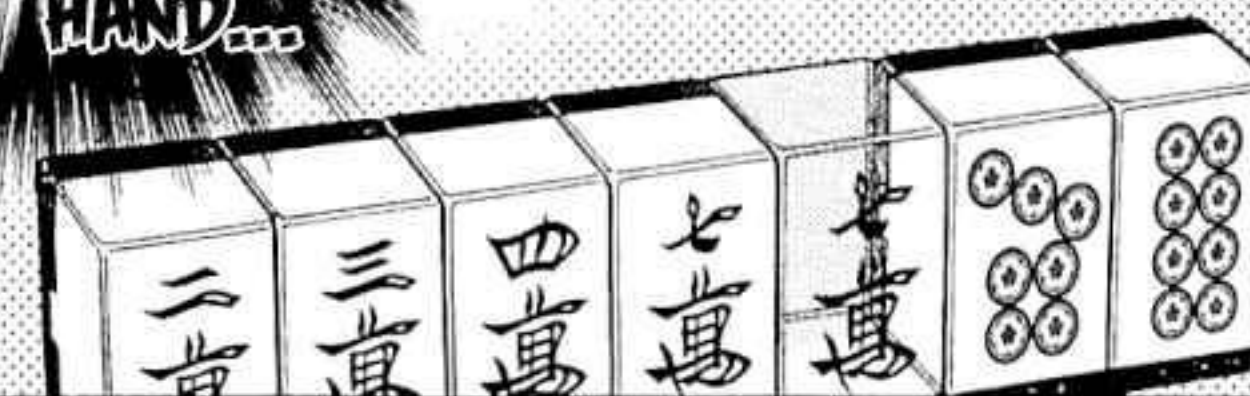
PLAY  
IT....!!



WASHI-  
ZU!!

PLEASE  
PLAY IT!

DEAL INTO  
AKAGI'S XIA,  
HATSU, 1-DORA  
5200-POINT  
HAND...

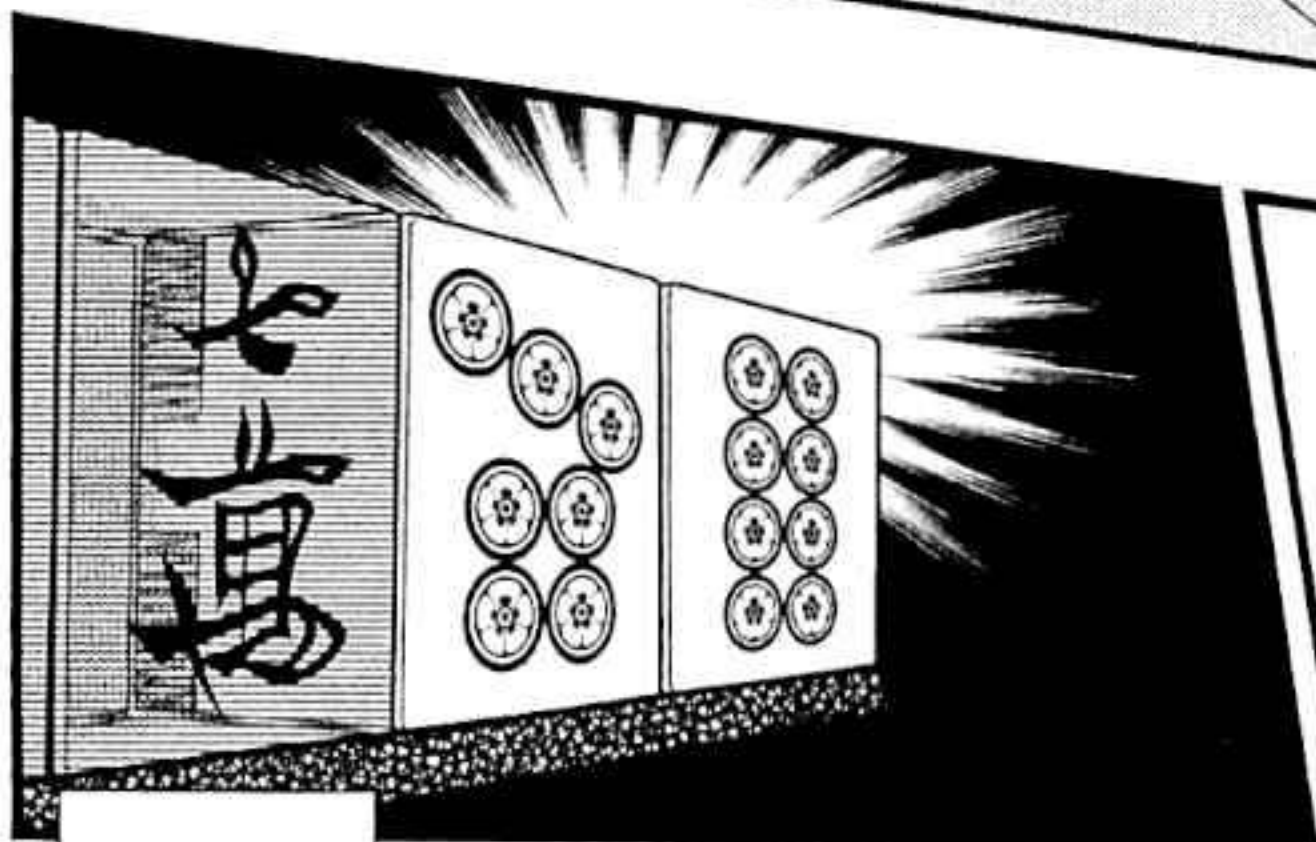


PLEASE...!!



WITH  
THE  
9-PIN!!





But it was no use!



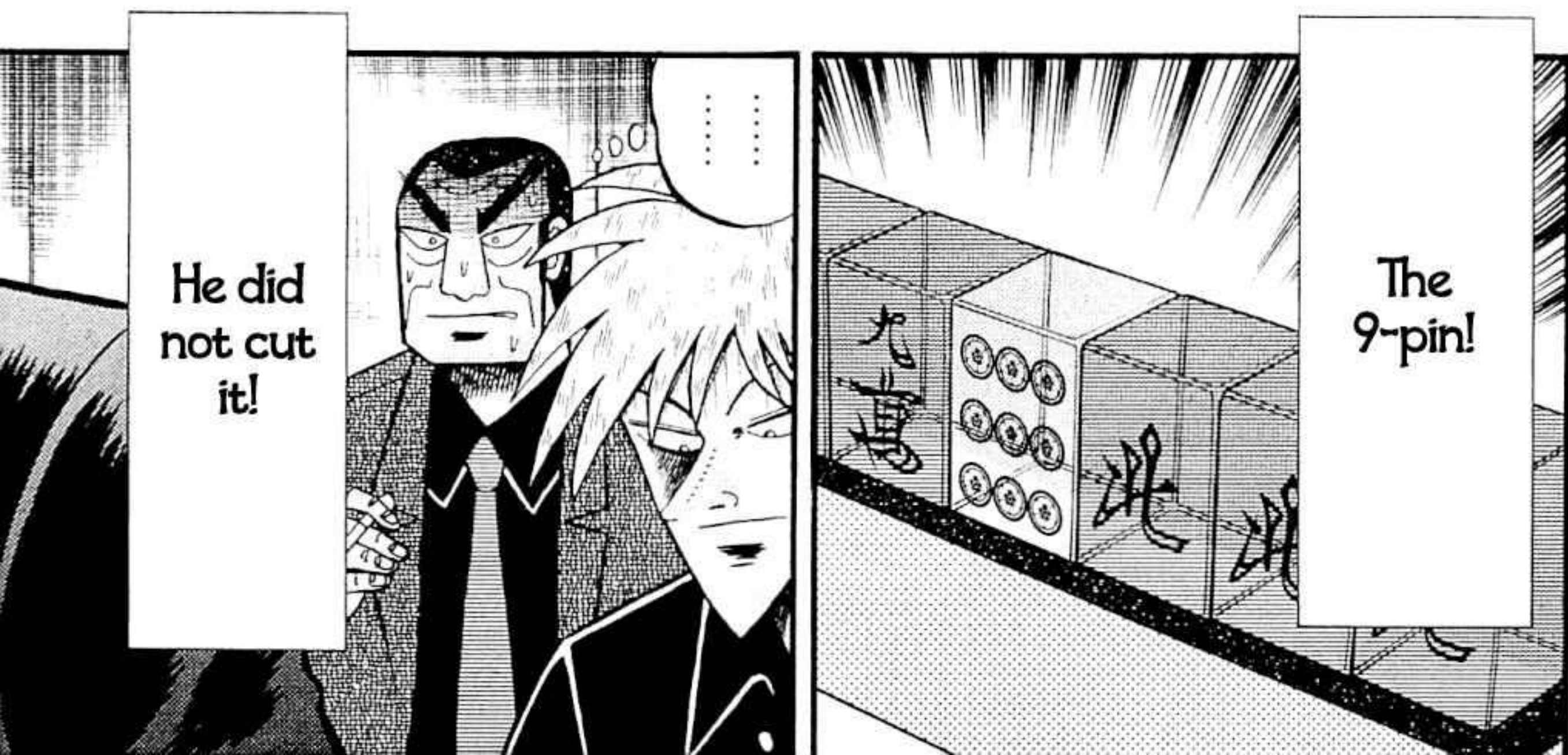




It was  
not the  
Dora!

From  
playing  
Akagi's  
winning  
tile...

Washizu  
managed  
to stop  
himself...



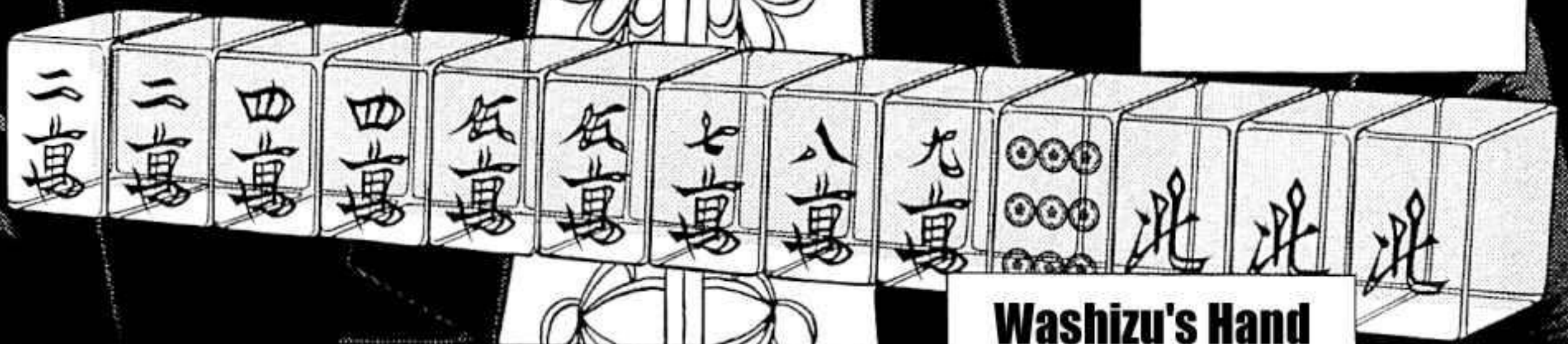
He did  
not cut  
it!

The  
9-pin!



Of  
his Dora  
tile!

He  
would not  
let go...



Washizu's Hand

WASHIZU  
WON'T LET  
GO OF IT!

IT'S  
COM-  
PLETELY  
HOPE-  
LESS!

IT'S  
HOPE-  
LESS!

FINE,  
I GET  
IT!

WASHI-  
ZU...

HE  
WON'T  
GIVE UP  
THAT  
9-PIN!





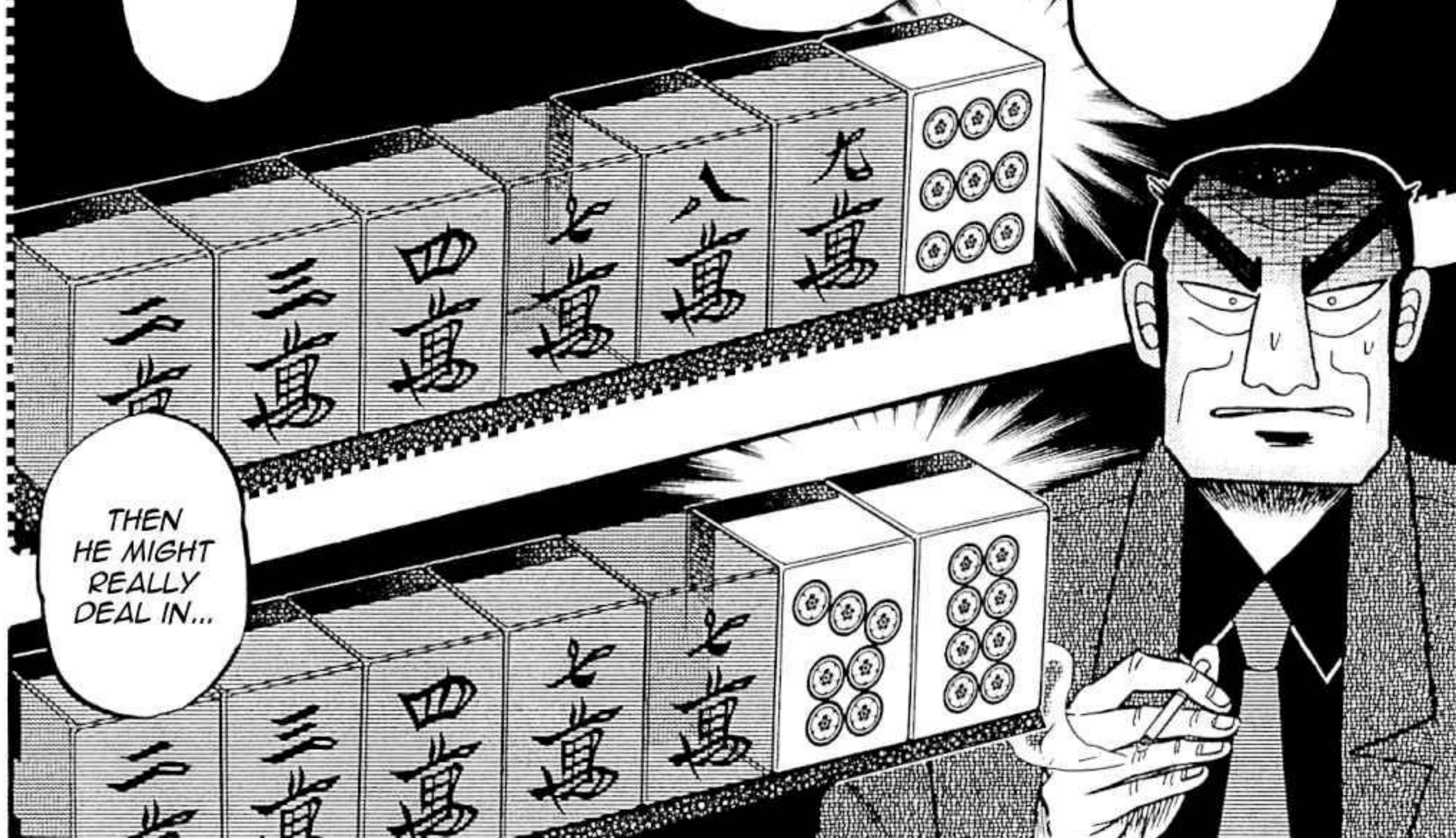


BUT IF IT  
DOES...

THAT'S THE  
ONLY WAY IT CAN  
HAPPEN!

TO MAKE  
THAT DORA  
SINGLE WAIT  
IMPOSSIBLE!

THEN  
HE MIGHT  
REALLY  
DEAL IN...

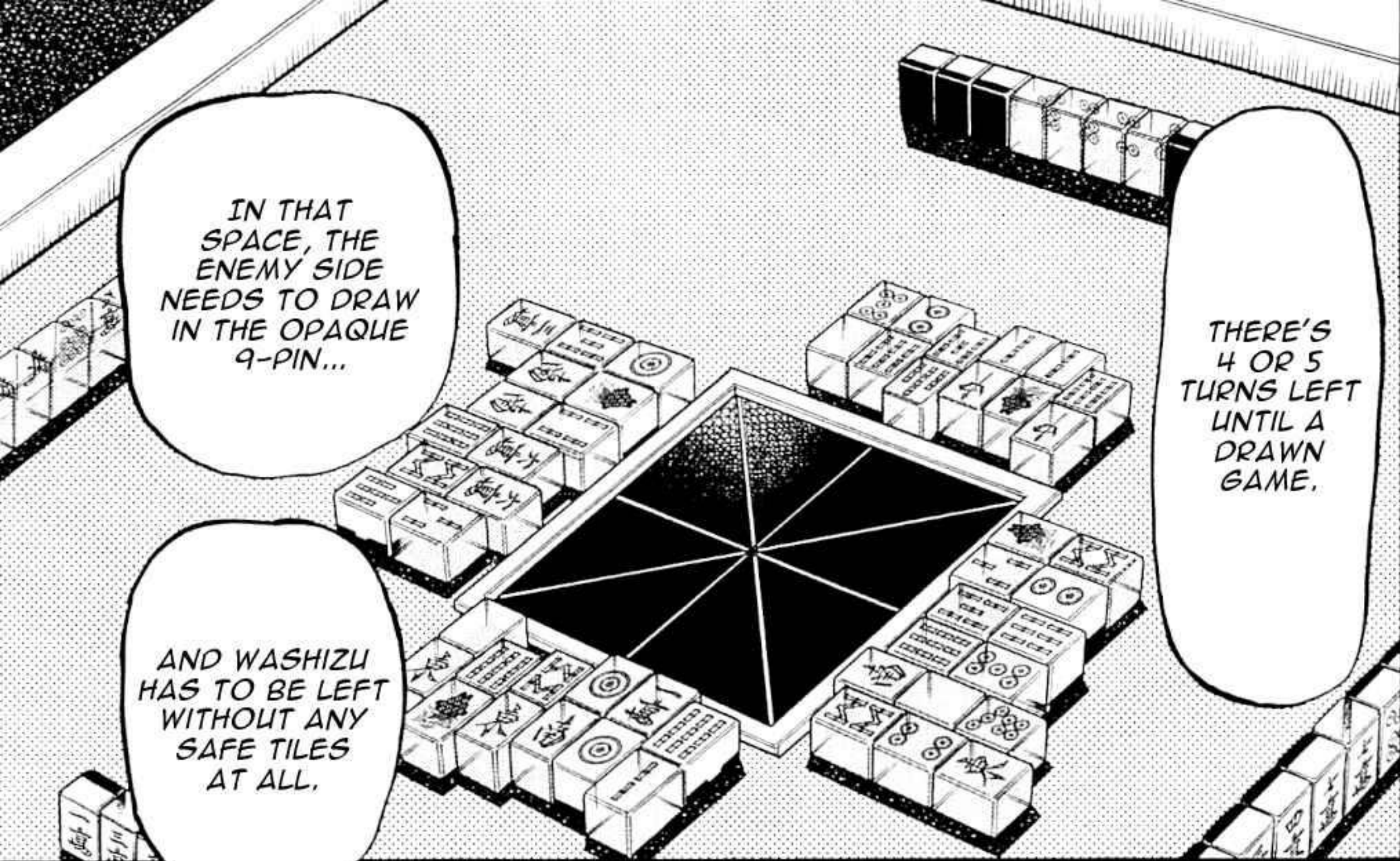


TO THAT  
6-9 PIN  
WAIT!

SO WE  
HAVE TO  
WAIT!











IF  
THAT HAP-  
PENS...

EVEN IF  
IT'S HIS BETTER  
OUT, THE DORA,  
THAT'S STILL JUST  
A 6400-POINT  
TSUMO.

IF HE DRAWS  
IT, THEN THE  
JIG IS UP.

BECAUSE  
HE'S THE  
DEALER,  
WASHIZU'S  
LOSSES  
WOULD  
ADD UP TO  
3200!



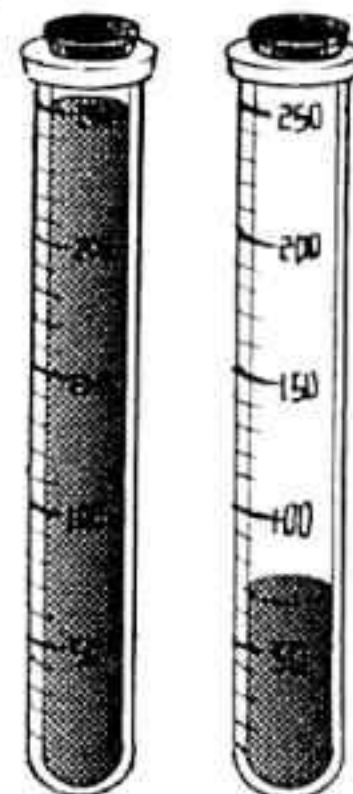
HE  
WOULDN'T  
DIE, BUT...



WASHIZU  
WOULDN'T  
DIE FROM  
THAT!

320  
CCS  
FROM  
HIM!

SO WE  
COULD  
ONLY  
GET...





**THERE  
MIGHT NOT BE  
ANY OTHER  
CHOICE!**

**WELL...**

**THAT MIGHT  
BE THE ONLY  
THING WE  
CAN DO!**

**FOR  
NOTHING  
TO  
HAPPEN!**

**THE  
WORST  
OUT-  
COME  
WOULD  
BE...**

**IT  
WOULDN'T  
BE THE  
WORST!**

**FOR THE  
ROUND TO  
SIMPLY  
END...**





WITHOUT  
AKAGI'S HAND  
AMOUNTING TO  
ANYTHING!

HE HAS TO  
STOP THAT  
FROM HAP-  
PENING, AT  
THE VERY  
LEAST!



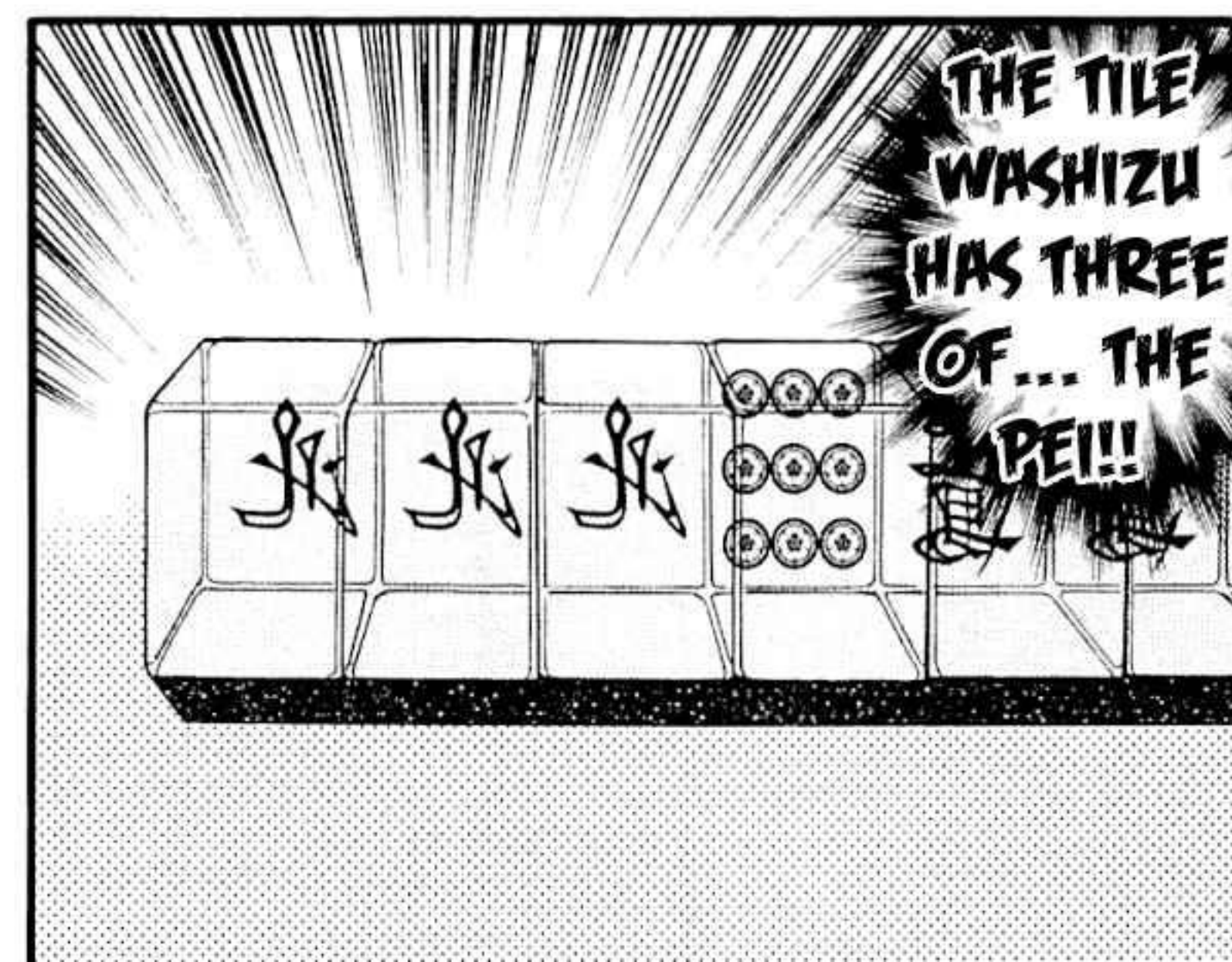
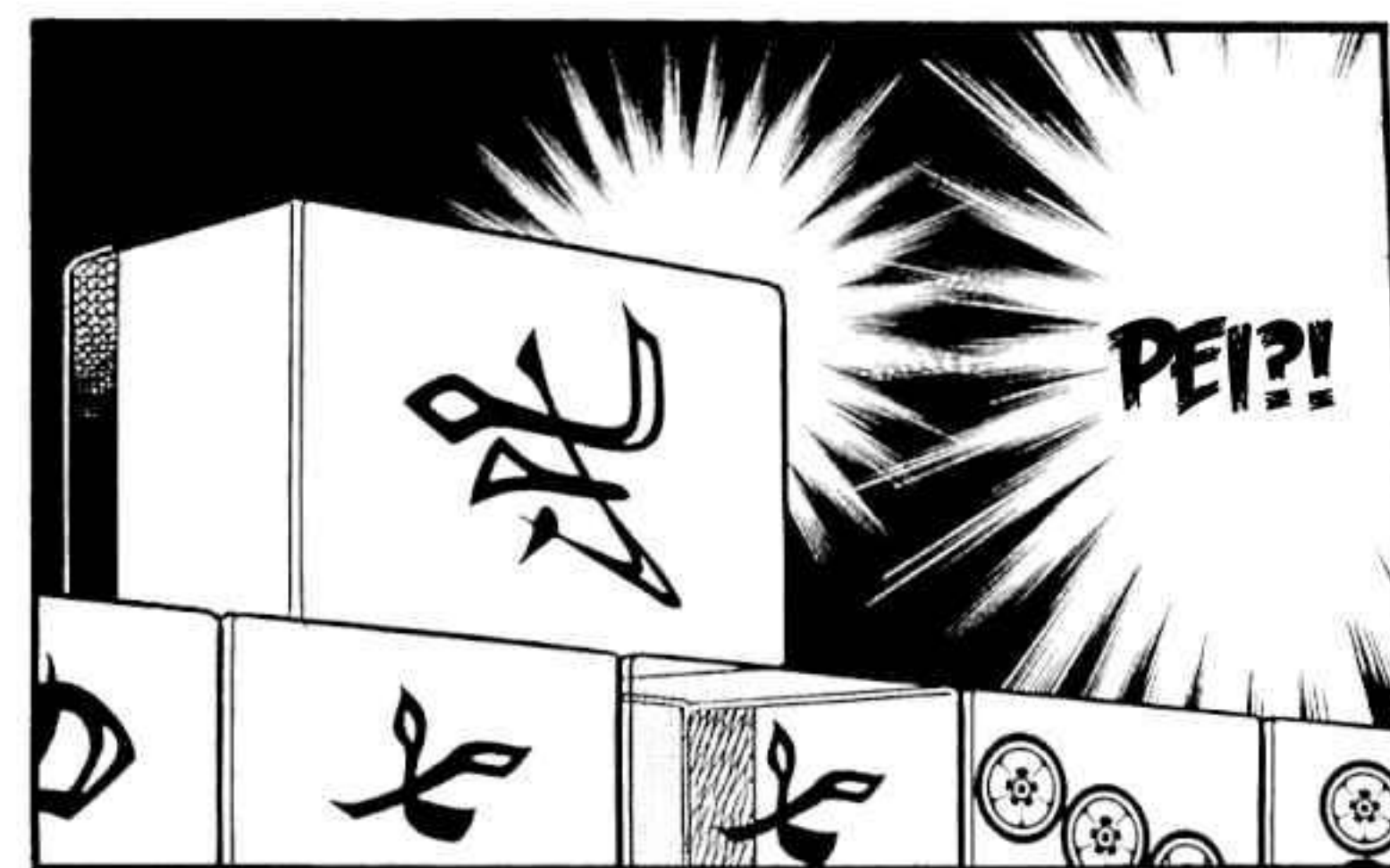
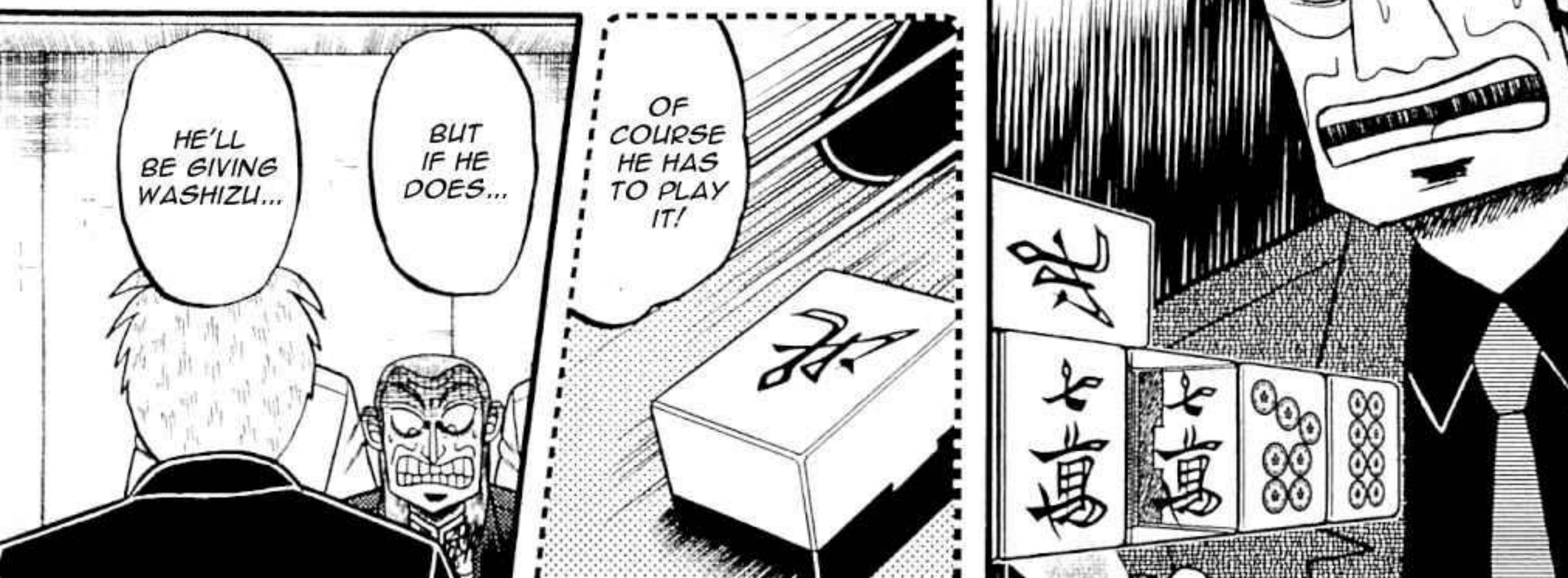
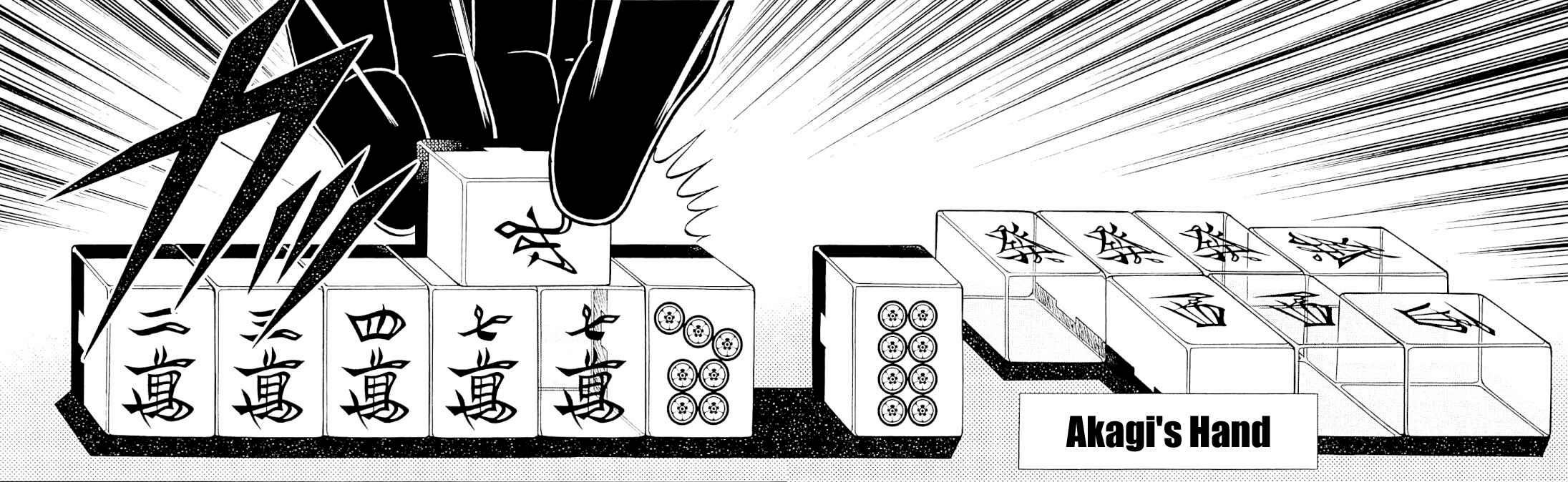




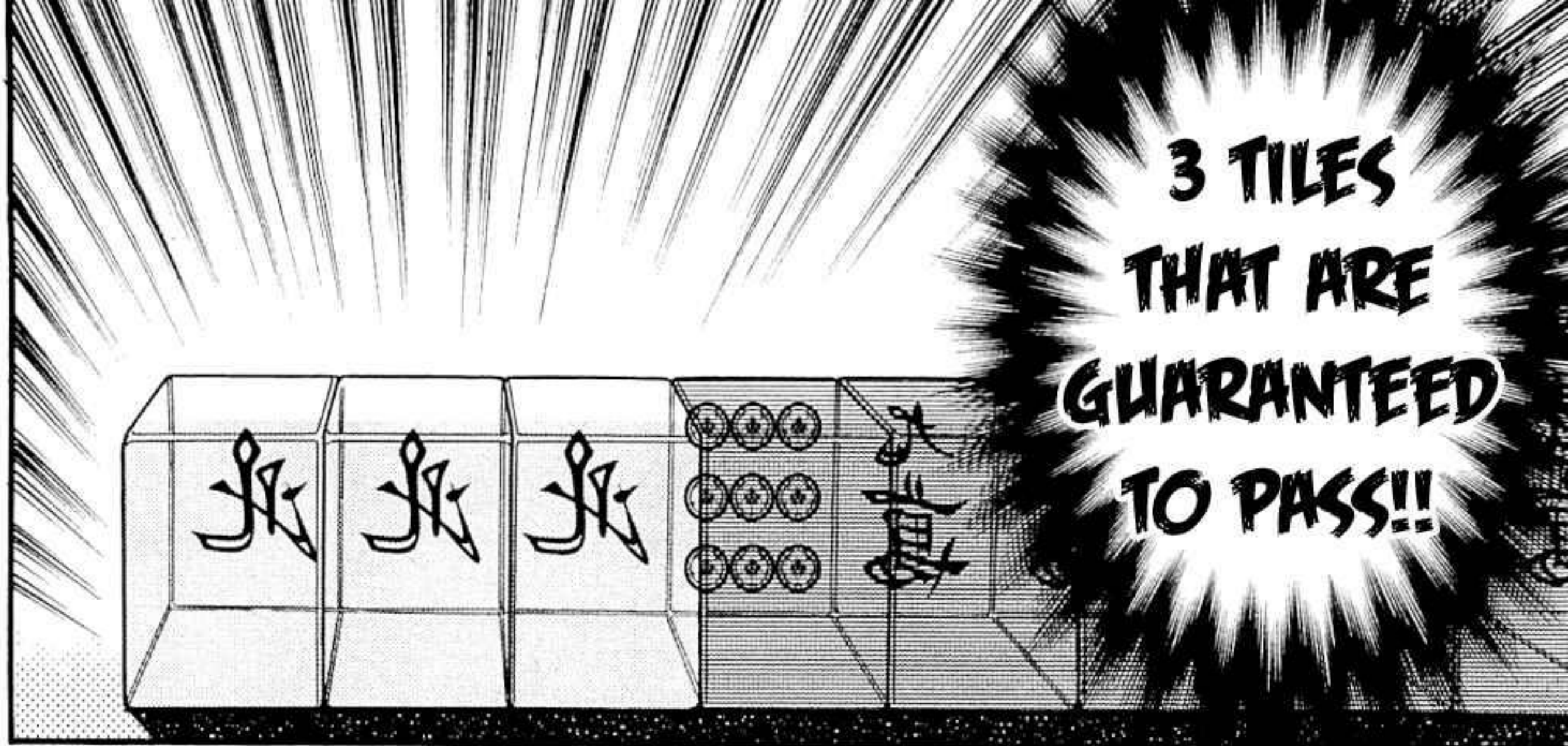
**HE  
MIGHT  
HAVE TO  
TSUMO!**











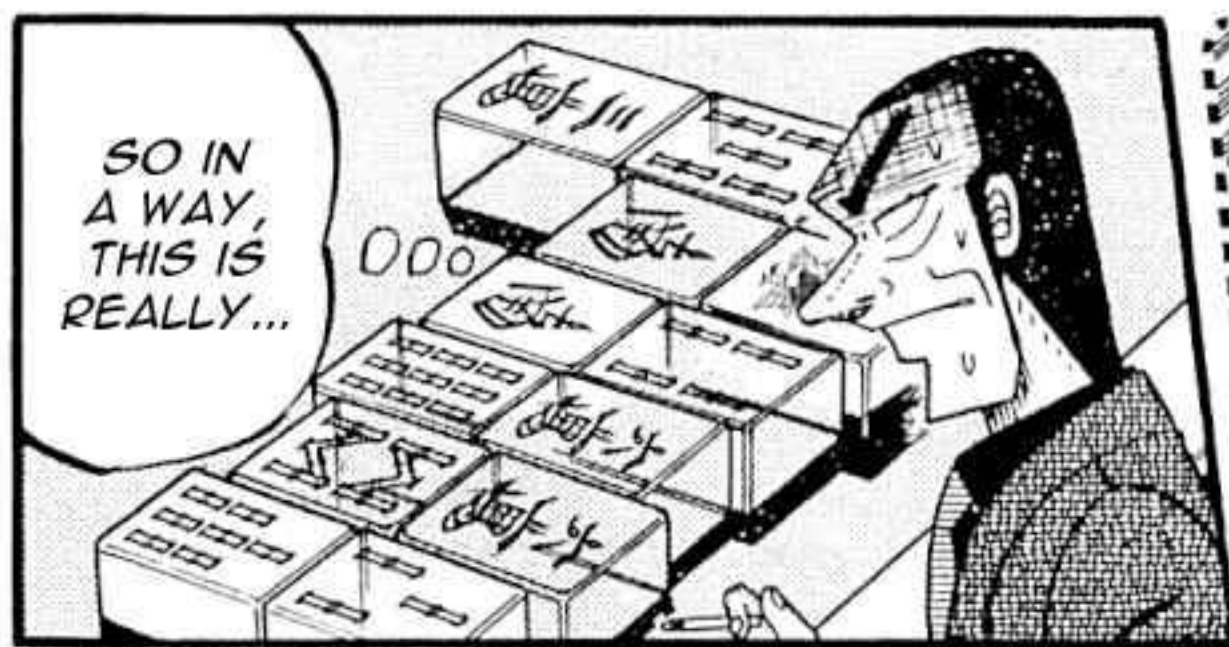
**3 TILES  
THAT ARE  
GUARANTEED  
TO PASS!!**



**3 OF  
THOSE WILL  
BE SAFE FOR  
HIM...!!**



OF THE  
4 OR 5  
DRAWS  
HE HAS  
LEFT...



SO IN  
A WAY,  
THIS IS  
REALLY...

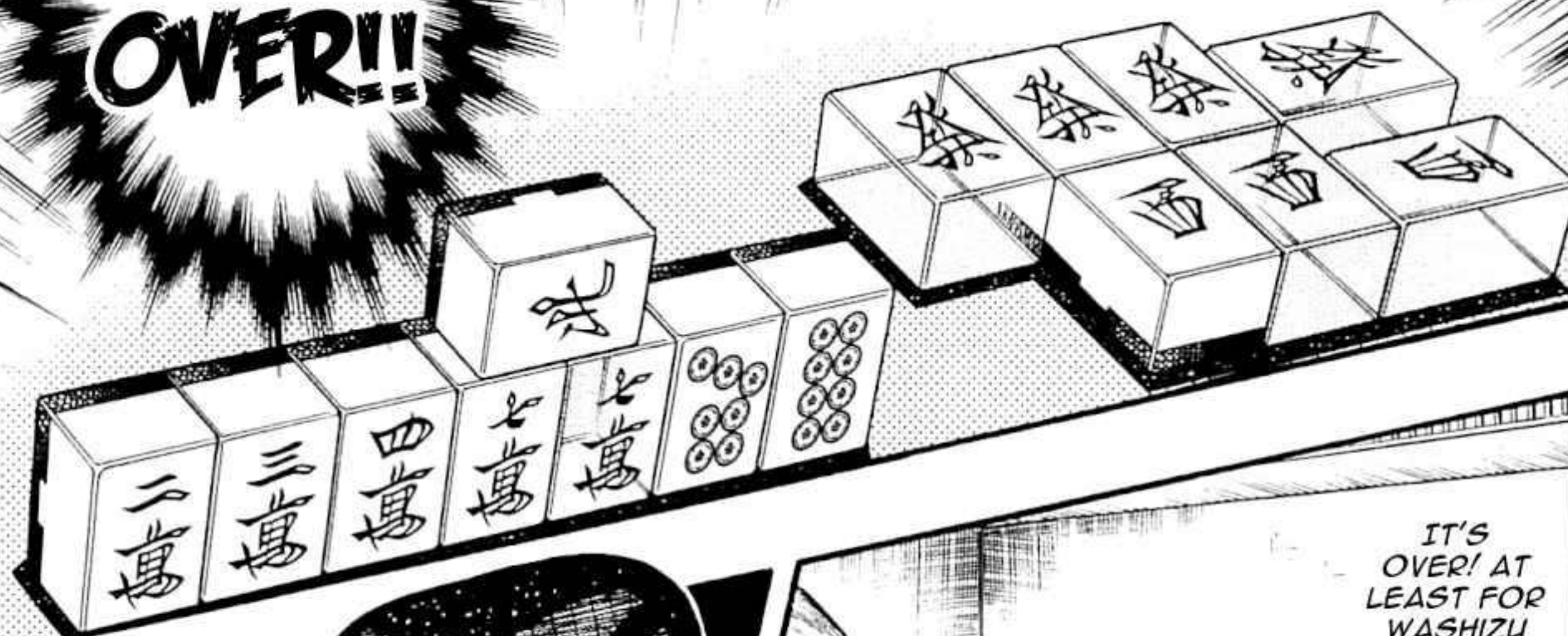


THERE'S  
A GOOD  
CHANCE HE'LL  
DRAW IN EVEN  
MORE SAFE  
TILES...

AND IN  
THOSE 3  
TURNS...



**GAME  
OVER!!**



HAS NOW  
COMPLETELY  
VANISHED!



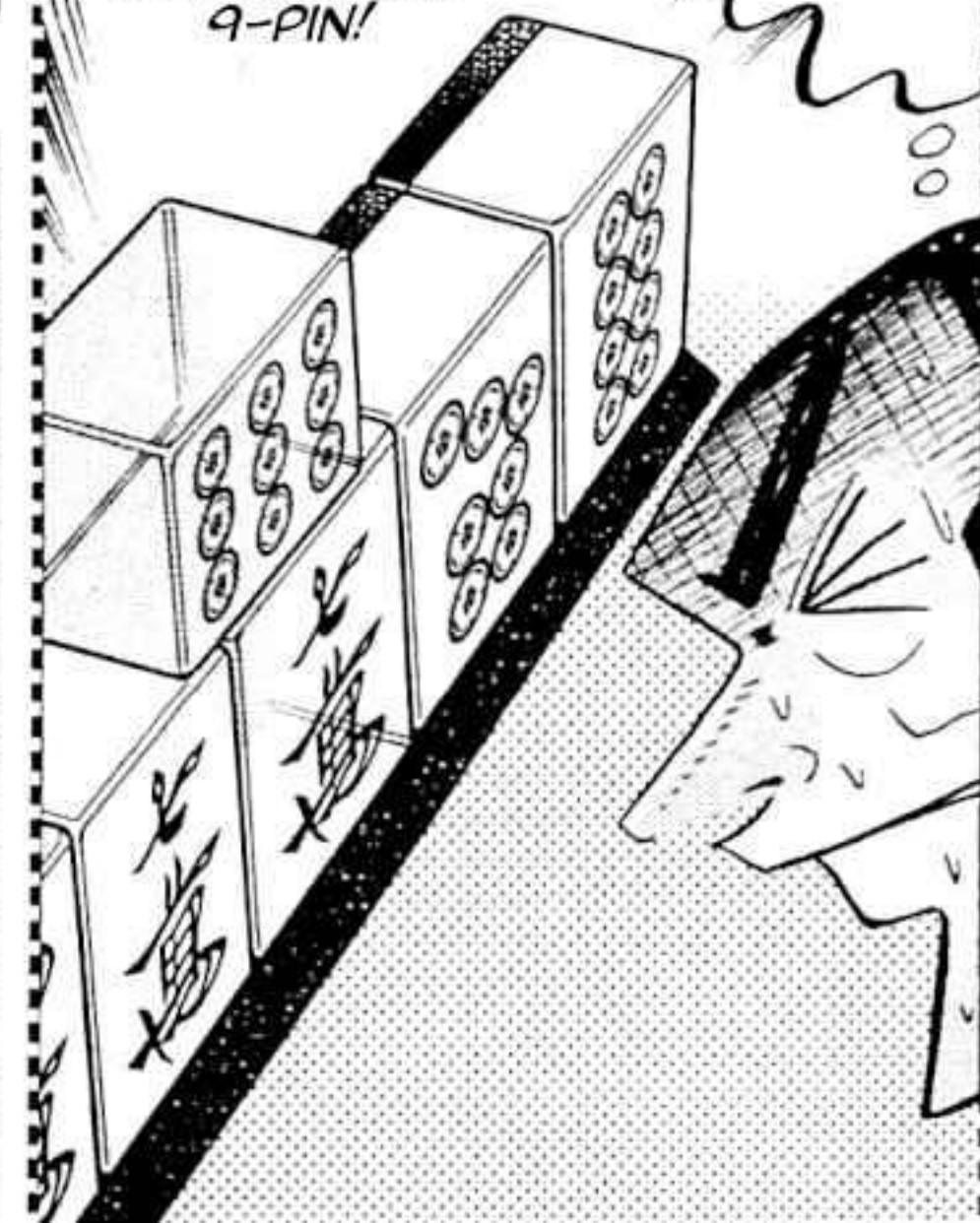
THAT  
POSSIBILITY...

IT'S  
OVER! AT  
LEAST FOR  
WASHIZU  
DEALING  
IN...



THE ONLY  
WAY LEFT NOW  
IS TO TSUMO...  
TO DRAW THE  
9-PIN!

KGH...!!







OUR ONLY  
HOPE IS TO  
BET ON-...

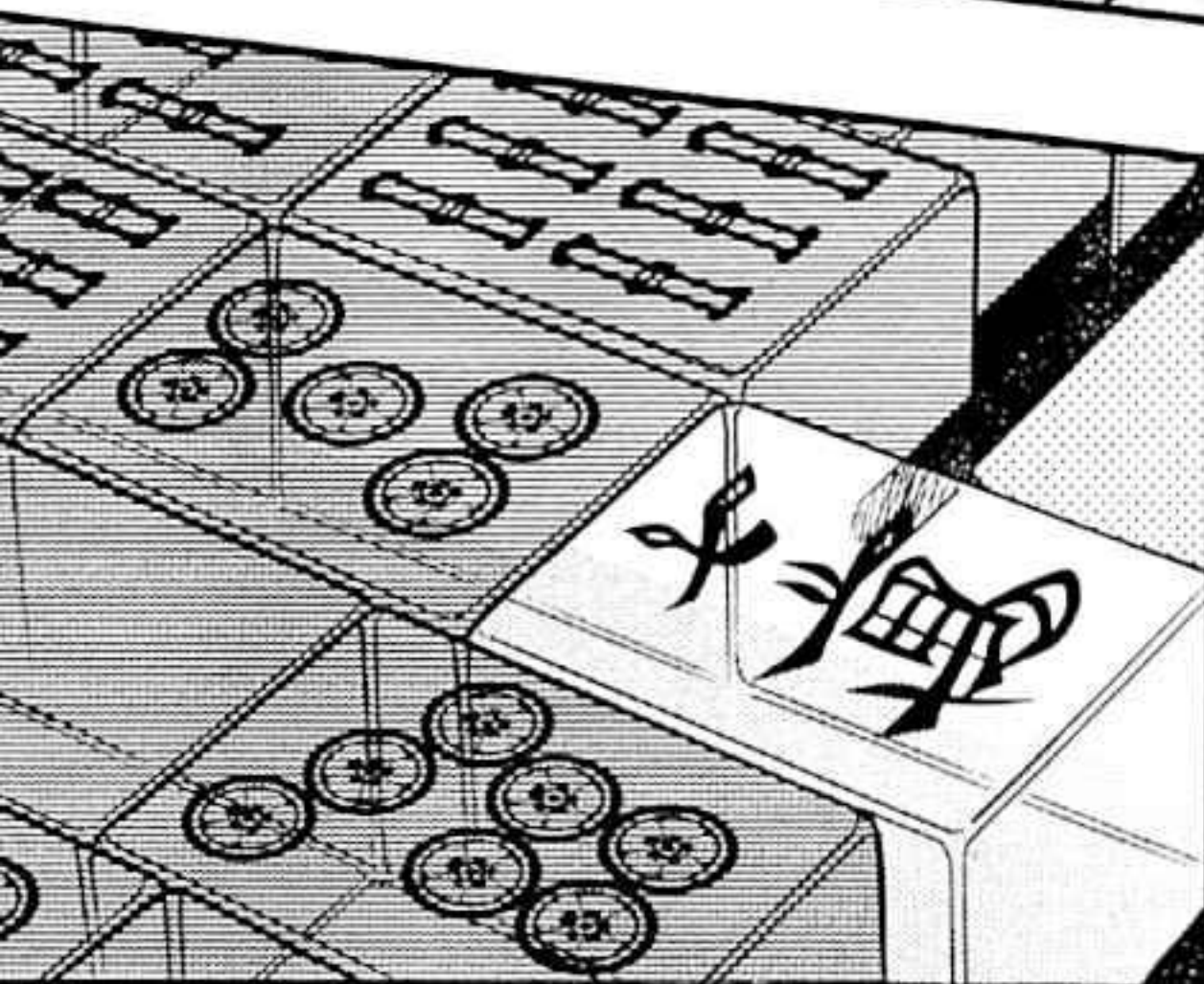


HUH...?

Aka-  
gi...

But...





DEALS  
7-MAN!!



Meaning...



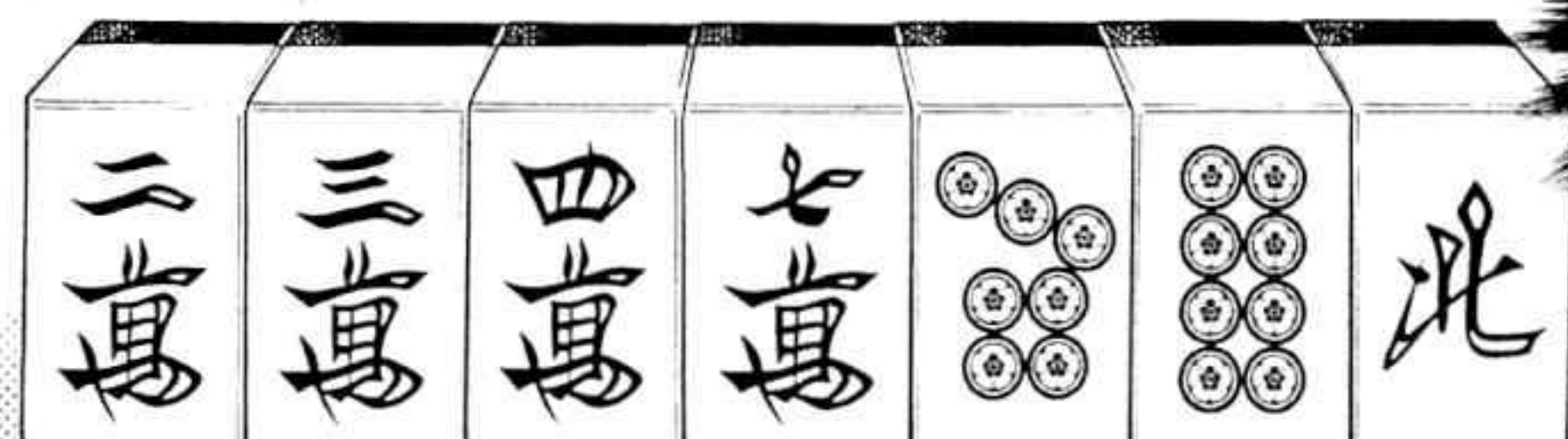


**YOU IDIOTTTTTT!!**



He keeps  
the Pei!

**Akagi's Hand**



**YOU  
JUST PUT  
YOURSELF BACK  
IN NOTEN!!**

**AKAGI!!**

**ARE YOU  
RETARDED?!**  
**WHAT THE  
FUCK ARE  
YOU DOING?!**

**AAH-  
UGH-  
HH!!!**

The  
situation  
at a  
glance...

**AKAGIIIIII!!**

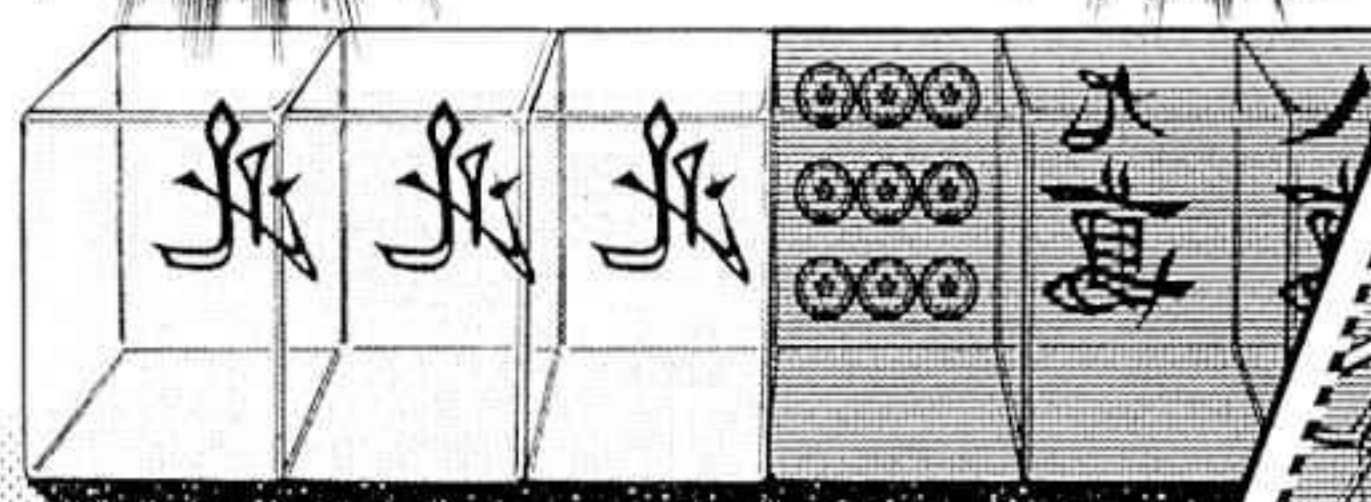
THE GAME'S  
GONNA BE  
OVER IN 4  
OR 5 MORE  
TURNS!!

YOU DON'T  
HAVE TIME TO  
BE DOING SHIT  
LIKE THAT!

**BUT EVEN  
STILL...**

**YOU'D BE  
GIVING WASHIZU  
3 NEW SAFE  
TILES....!!**

**I MEAN,  
SURE, IF YOU  
DEAL THE PEI  
NOW...**



1 Pei



The fact  
that he is, at  
present, in  
Tenpai...

What is  
visible to  
him imme-  
diately...

About  
such  
vested  
truths as  
these!

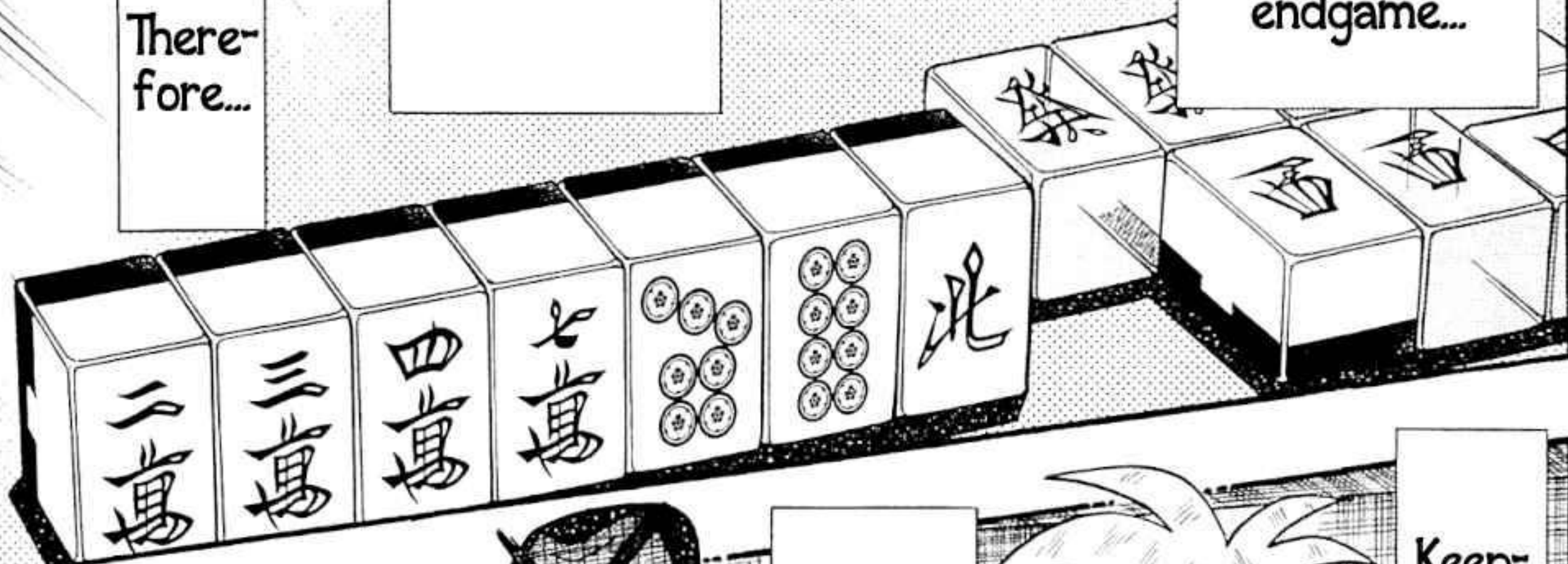
Akagi  
is not  
particu-  
lar...



Therefore...

He may not  
be able to get  
it back again.

Certainly,  
if he breaks  
up his Tenpai  
now, in the  
endgame...



Preserving  
his current  
Tenpai...

Just as  
it is...

Keep-  
ing his  
hand...



How-  
ever...

Normally,  
that  
would  
be the  
correct  
mode of  
thought!

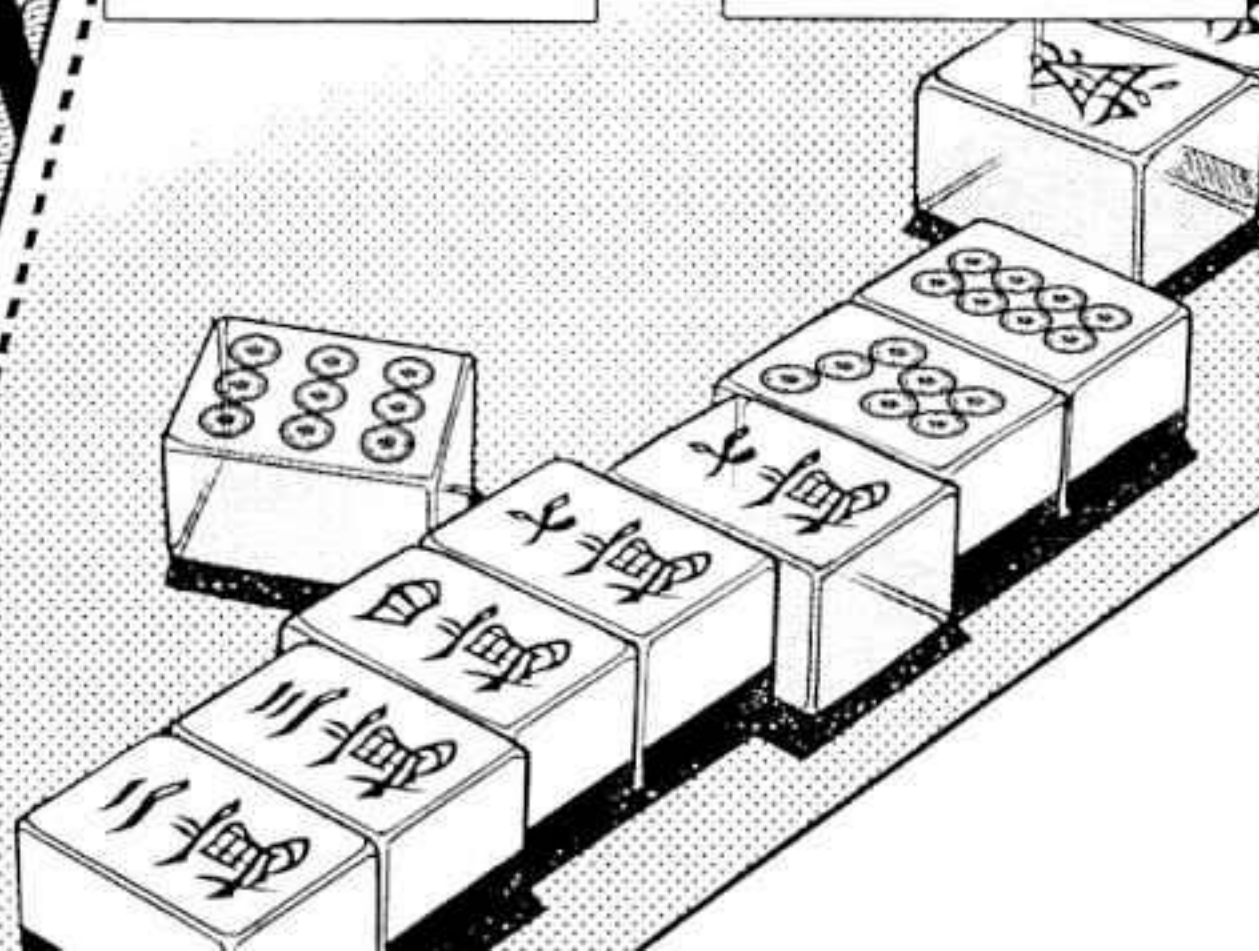
That  
method is  
certainly  
prudent!

It is  
pru-  
dent!

Even if it  
has no chance  
at toppling  
Washizu...

And betting  
on a Tsumo  
win is a  
profitable  
plan!

Akagi...







Is not  
persuaded  
by that  
notion!

For  
he is a  
gambler!



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Chapter 229: UNEXPECTED

A  
gambler!

A  
gambler!

A  
gambler!





The  
blood of  
a gambler  
was what  
compelled  
Akagi to  
make...

This  
discard!!





Breaking  
his Tenpai  
in the  
process!!

He  
holds on  
to the  
Pei...



WHY?

THERE'S ONLY  
4 OR 5 DRAWS  
LEFT, SO...

WHY  
PLAY THE  
7-MAN?!



THAT'S  
JUST  
STUPID!



**BREAKING  
UP TENPAI  
HERE IS TOO  
RECKLESS!!**

It  
can't be  
helped!

**Akagi's Hand**

For  
them...

Reckless  
actions  
are the life  
blood of  
gamblers!

Enough  
money  
to last  
them the  
rest of  
their lives...

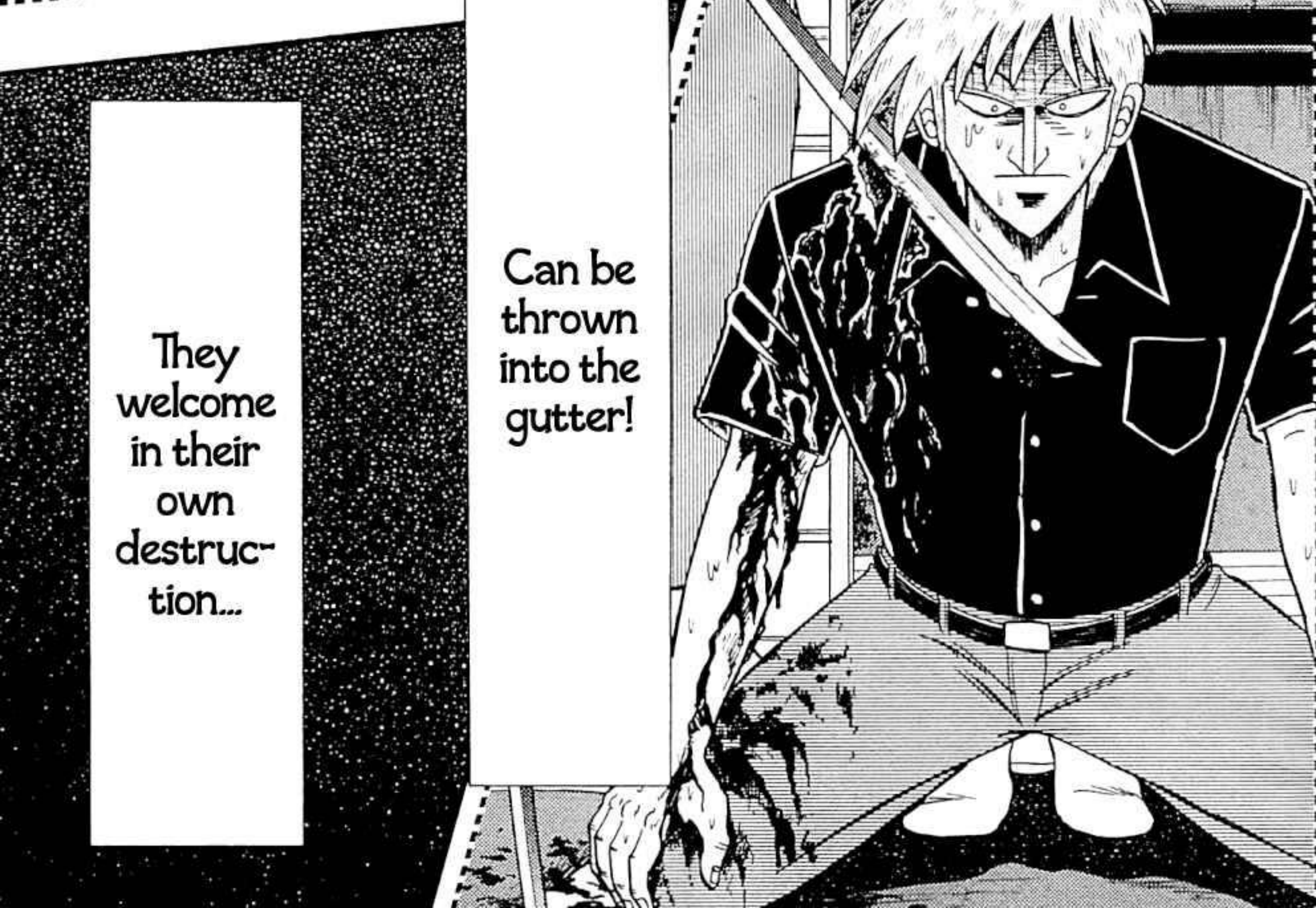




Their  
very  
lives...

Their  
fates...

Can  
be  
tossed  
away  
with  
ease!



They  
welcome  
in their  
own  
destruc-  
tion...

Can be  
thrown  
into the  
gutter!





They are lunatics!

What they respect more than anything else...



is instinct!





They are  
prepared  
to bet it all on  
their intuition!

And...

They  
understand  
the unex-  
pected may  
happen!





That  
all may not  
go as they  
plan!

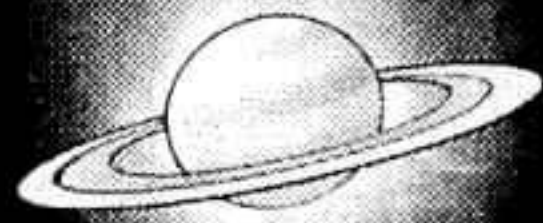
Are, in  
the end, still  
undecided.

Conclusions  
reached by  
so-called wise  
judgements...

Common  
sense...

Prob-  
ability...





All is within  
the darkness  
of the  
unexpected!

Everything  
is based in  
darkness!

How-  
ever...

Mean-  
ing...

And Akagi  
knows that  
better than  
anyone.

It may be  
unknown,  
but it is  
finite.

Is a pre-  
dictable  
darkness!

Even  
so, that  
darkness...

He knows  
what is possible  
and what is  
impossible.





At the  
edge  
of the  
darkness.

He  
recklessly  
aims at a  
possible  
point...

Without  
stopping  
to think  
for a  
moment...

Without  
fearing  
the  
darkness,  
he strains  
his eyes...

He is  
awak-  
ened!

Trying  
to reach  
that very  
point...

IS HIS  
PURPOSE!!

Which  
can  
only  
mean...

Is a  
genius at  
exactly  
that!

Aka-  
gi...

二萬

三萬

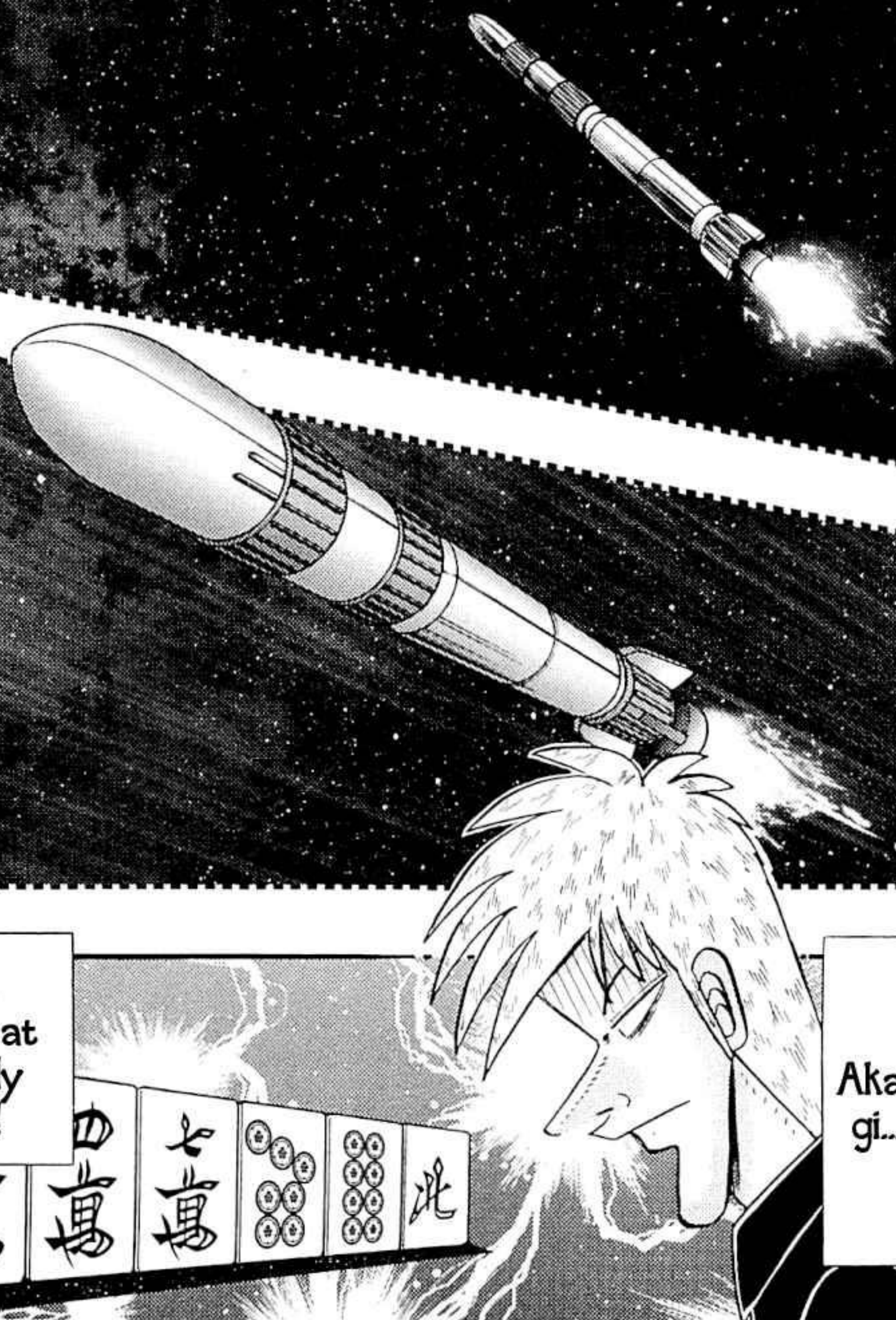
四萬

五萬

六萬

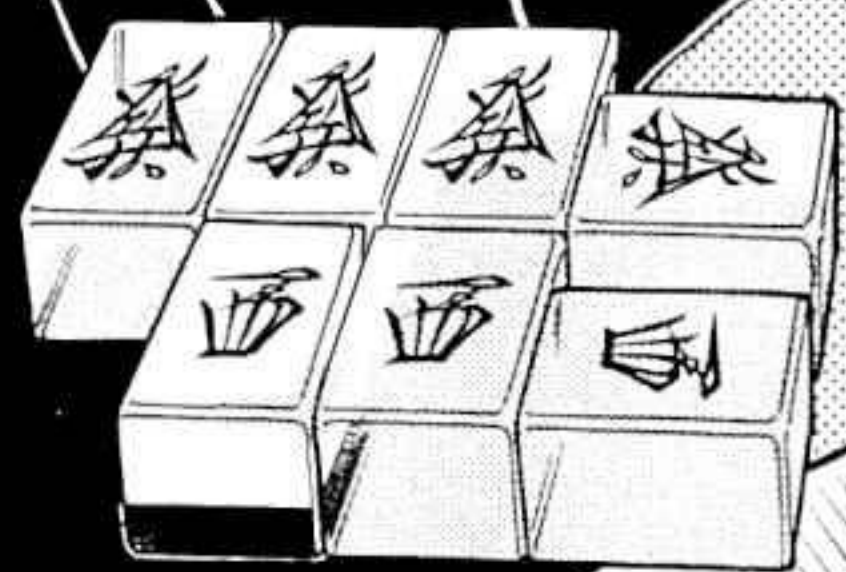
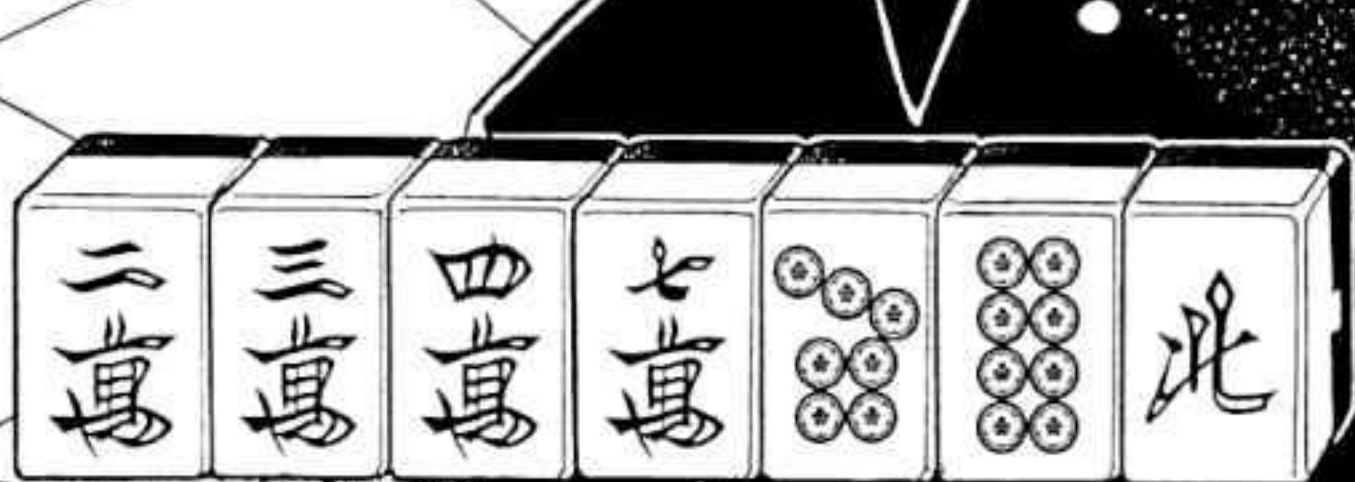
七萬

八萬





**THERE  
IS STILL  
A WAY!**



It is  
thin.



It  
does not  
break...

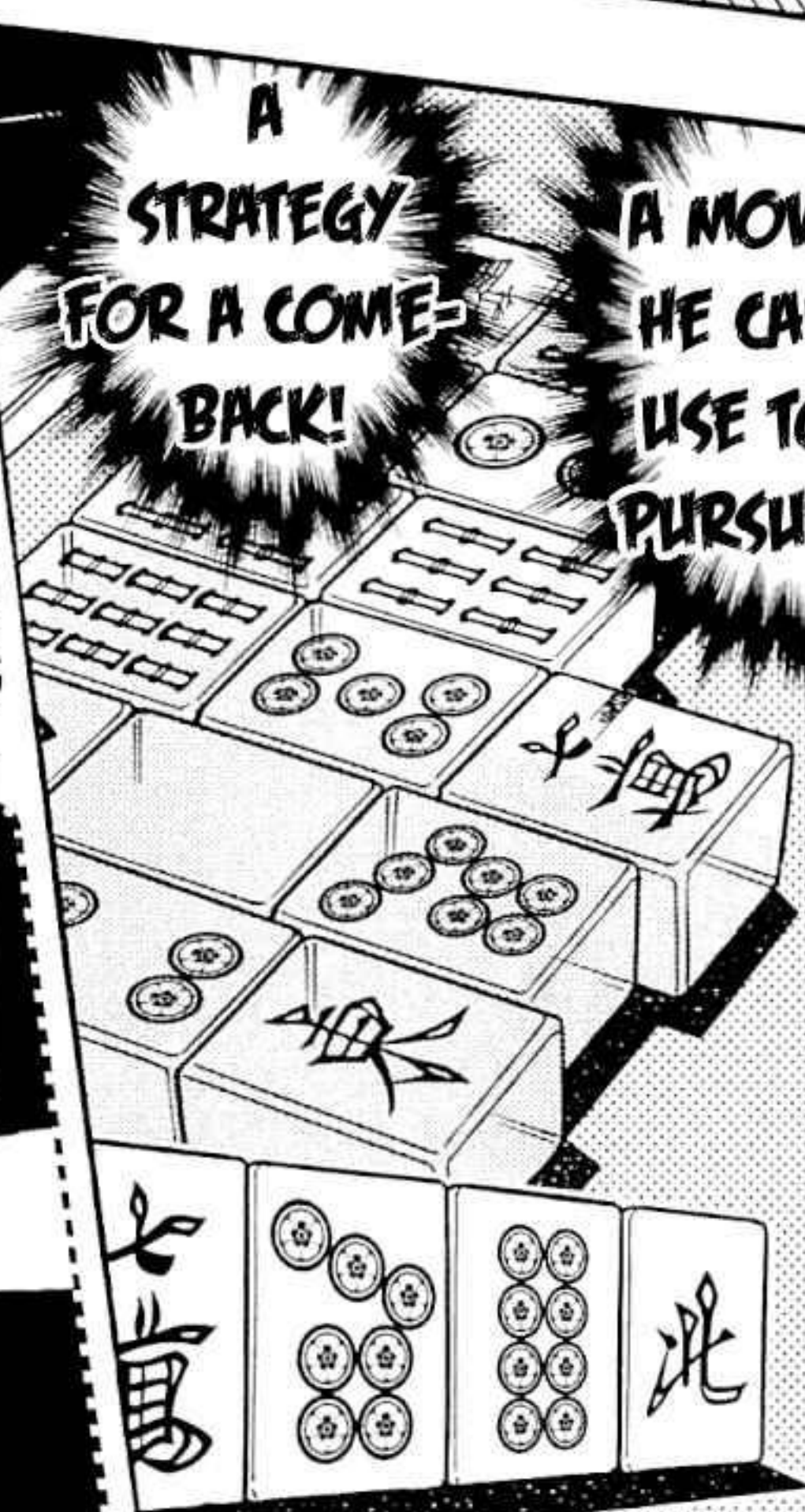
It is  
a very  
thin  
thread,  
but...

And it is  
connected  
to some-  
thing!



**A  
STRATEGY  
FOR A COME-  
BACK!**

**A MOVE  
HE CAN  
USE TO  
PURSUE!**







LYING AT  
THE END OF  
THIS THIN  
THREAD...

MIGHT  
BE A  
COME-  
BACK!!

SO...

AND  
CHASE  
AFTER  
IT!

I'LL  
THROW  
MY LIFE  
INTO THE  
GUTTER...

I'LL  
PULL IN  
WHAT-  
EVER'S  
WAITING  
FOR ME!

I'LL  
PULL  
IT IN!

THERE'S  
NO WAY I  
COULD!

SO...  
I STILL  
DON'T  
KNOW.







**CHASE  
AFTER  
VICTORY!!**



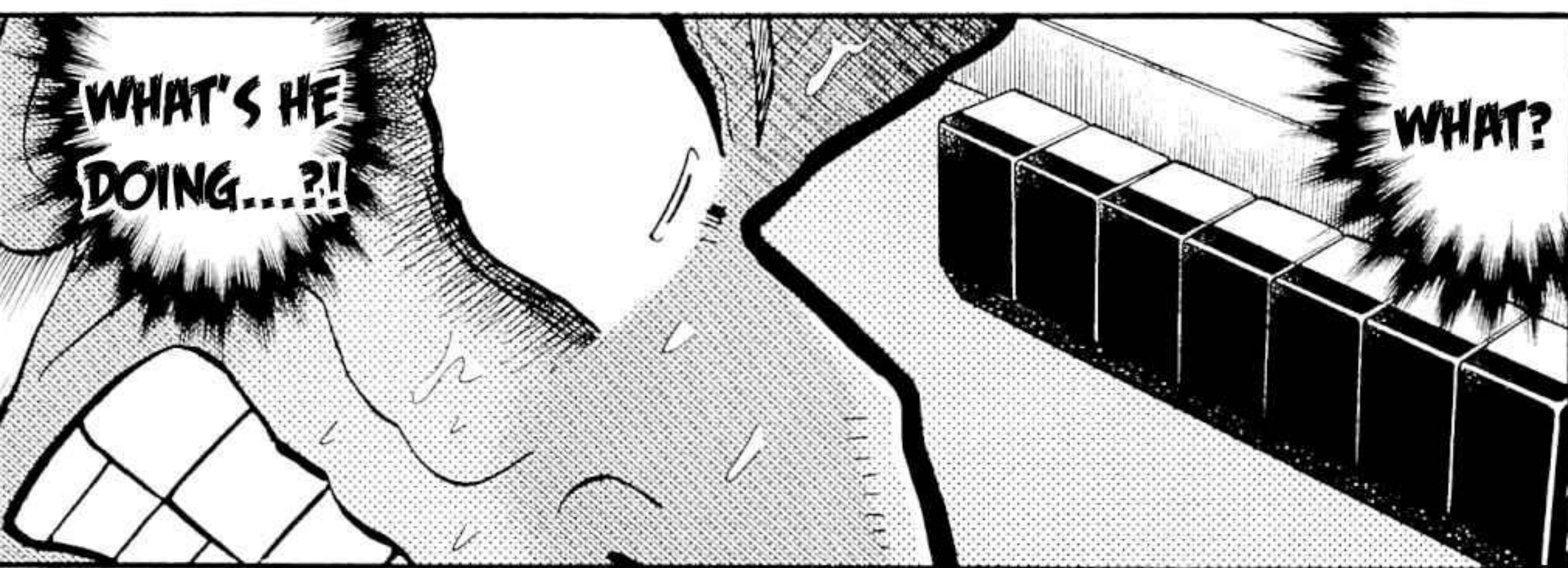
He  
presses  
ahead!

And,  
with this  
insane  
decision  
of  
Akagi's...

GNGH  
...!





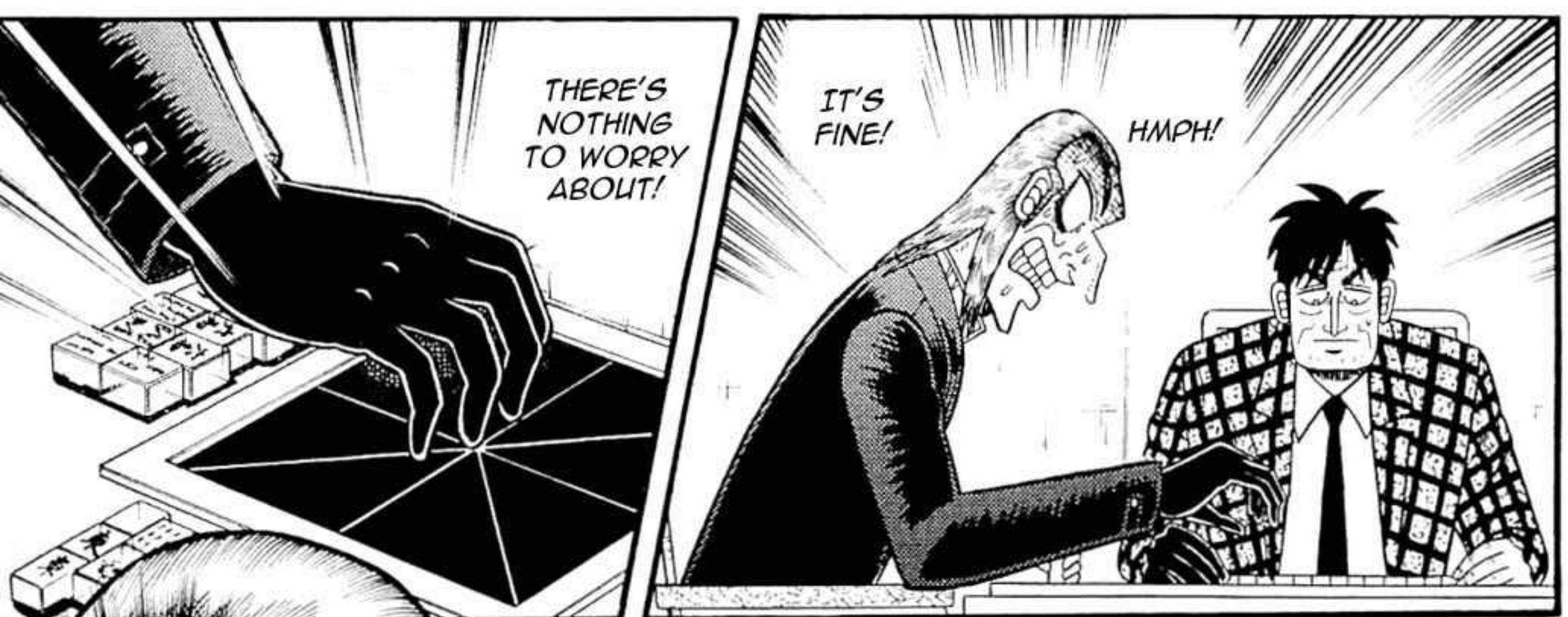






**ONLY  
DARKNESS  
REMAINED!**

**Akagi's Hand**



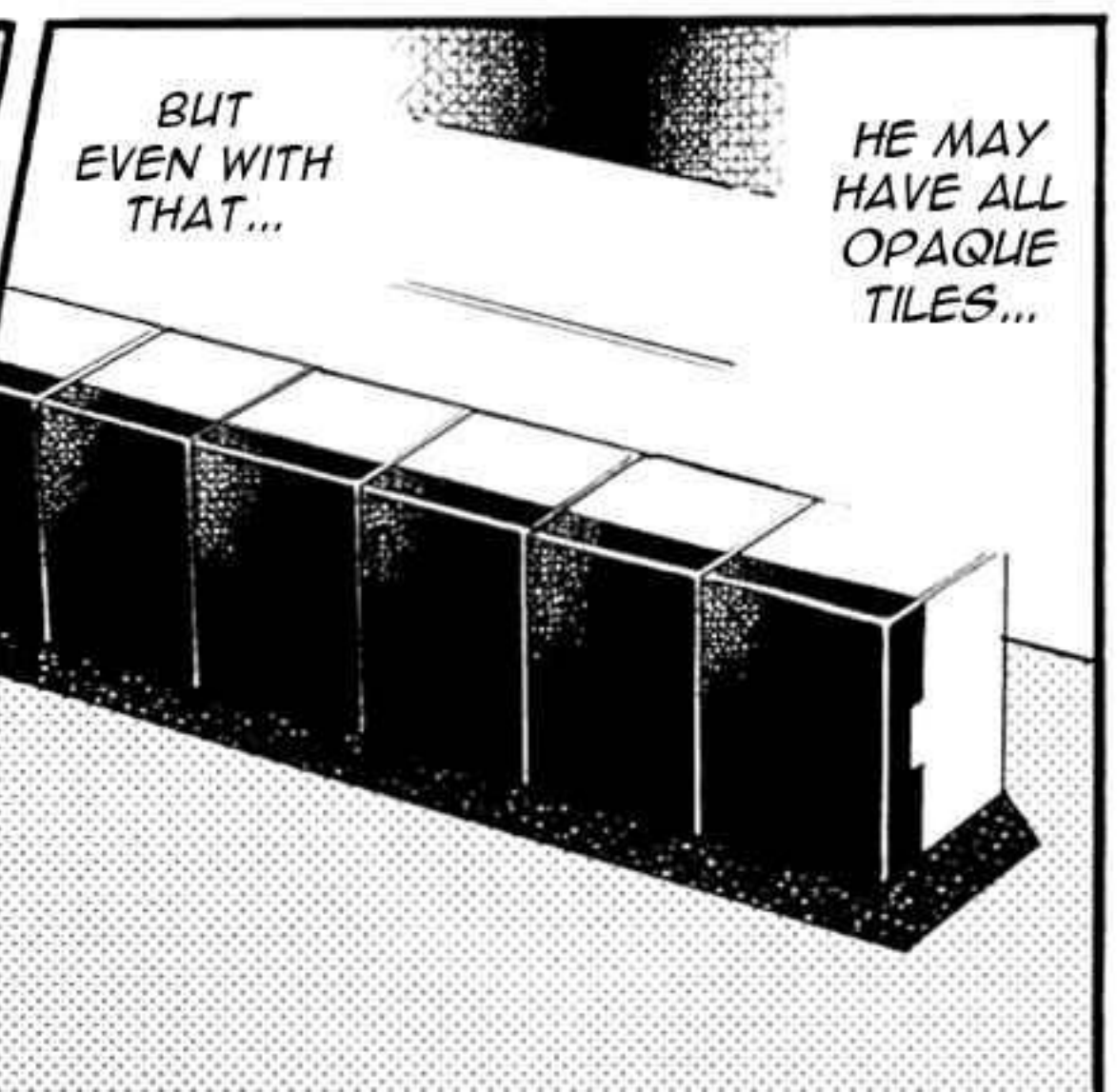
THERE'S  
NOTHING  
TO WORRY  
ABOUT!

IT'S  
FINE!

HMPH!

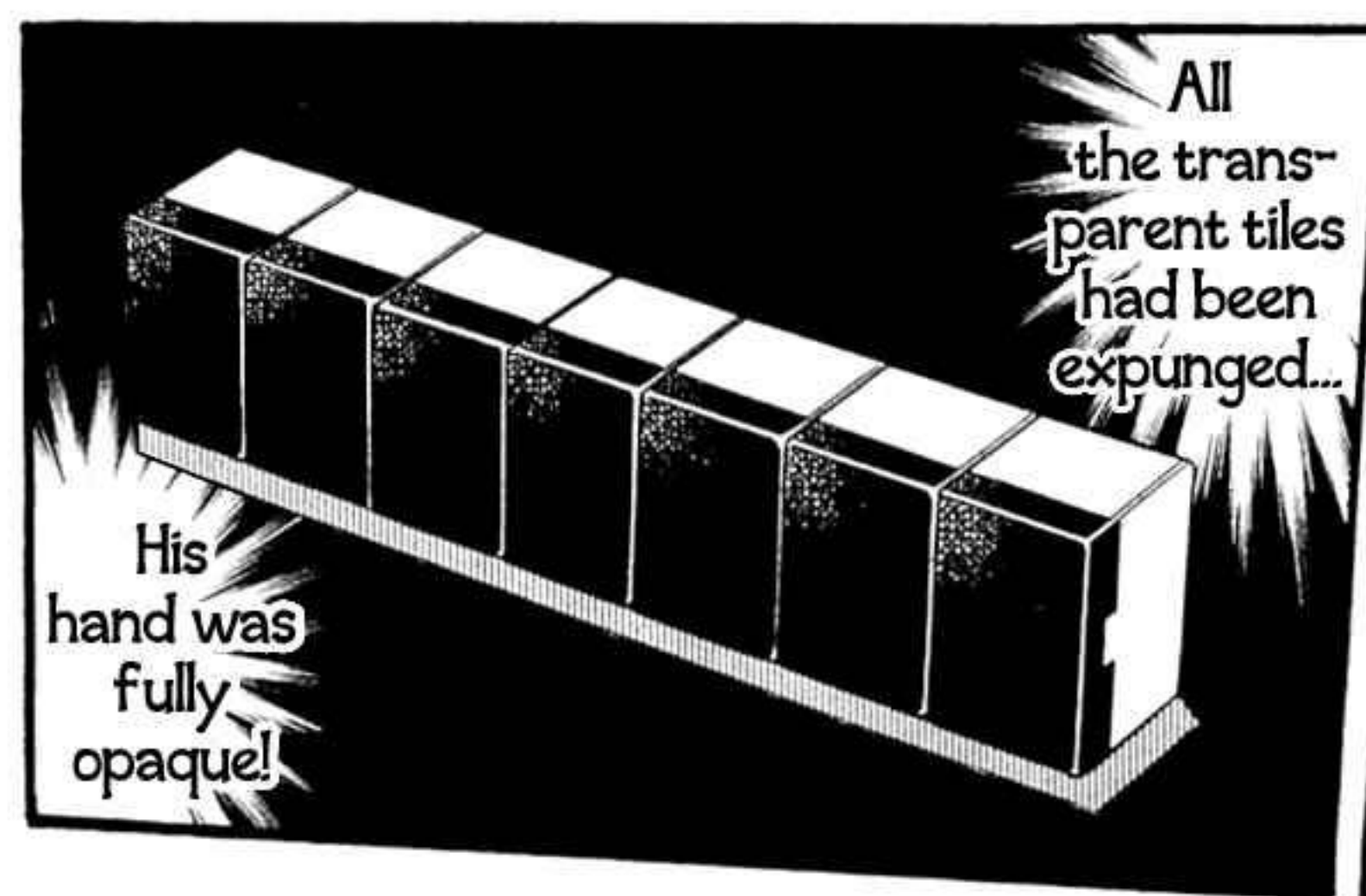


**HE'S STILL  
LIMITED!**



BUT  
EVEN WITH  
THAT...

HE MAY  
HAVE ALL  
OPAQUE  
TILES...



All  
the trans-  
parent tiles  
had been  
expunged...

His  
hand was  
fully  
opaque!

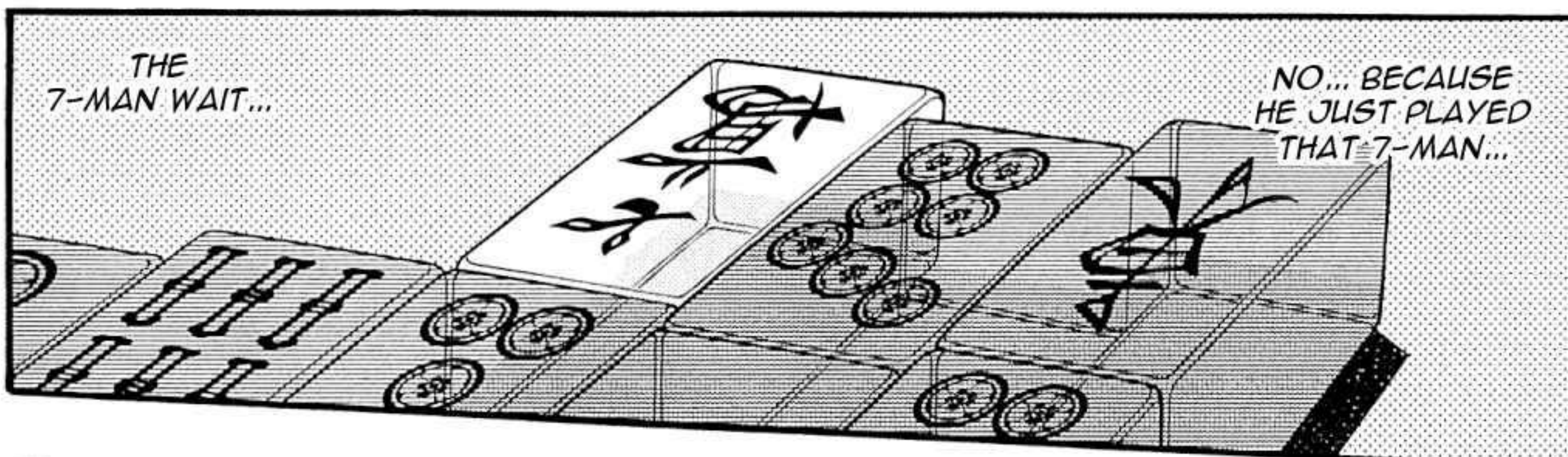


They had  
vanished!!





HIS  
HAND IS STILL  
NARROWED  
DOWN ALL  
THE SAME!



THE  
7-MAN WAIT...

NO... BECAUSE  
HE JUST PLAYED  
THAT 7-MAN...



FOR HIS  
MANZU  
HON ITSU  
HAND IS  
GONE!



IN THE  
END...



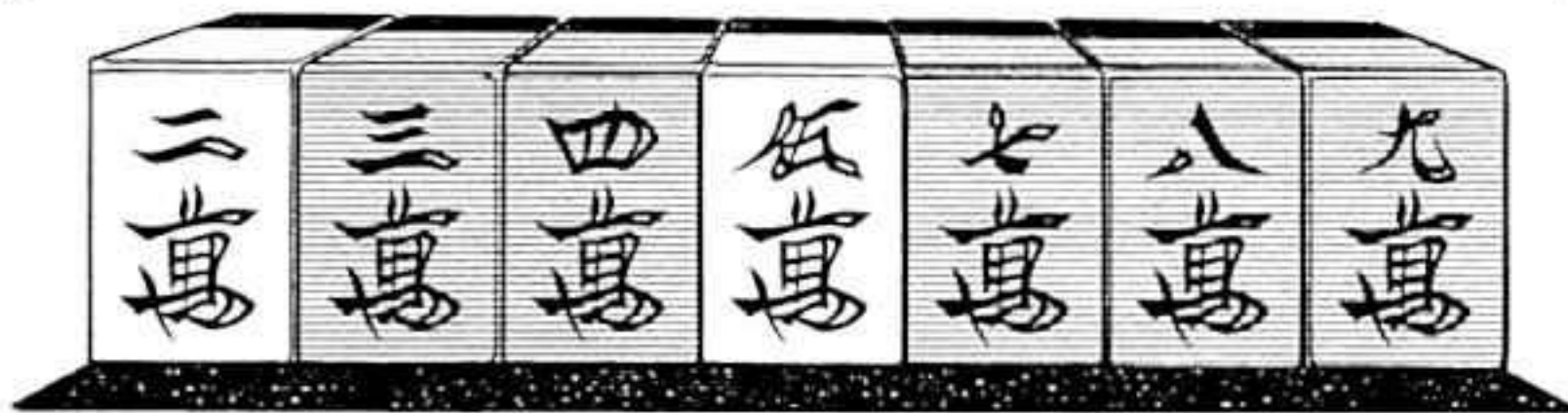
WHAT  
HE CAN  
BE WAITING  
ON IS NOW  
EVEN MORE  
LIMITED!

SO IF HE  
HAS A HON  
ITSU HAND...



EITHER  
A 2-5 MAN  
WAIT...

AKAGI'S HAND  
CAN ONLY BE IN  
THESE TWO  
SHAPES!



CONSIDERING  
THAT SUZUKI  
HAS THE  
OPAQUE  
1-MAN AND  
6-MAN  
TILES...



ORA  
HONOR  
TILE  
SINGLE  
WAIT!



THERE'S  
NOTHING TO  
FEAR IN AN  
ALL-OPAQUE  
HAND!!

AND  
MORE-  
OVER...



THAT'S  
IT!!





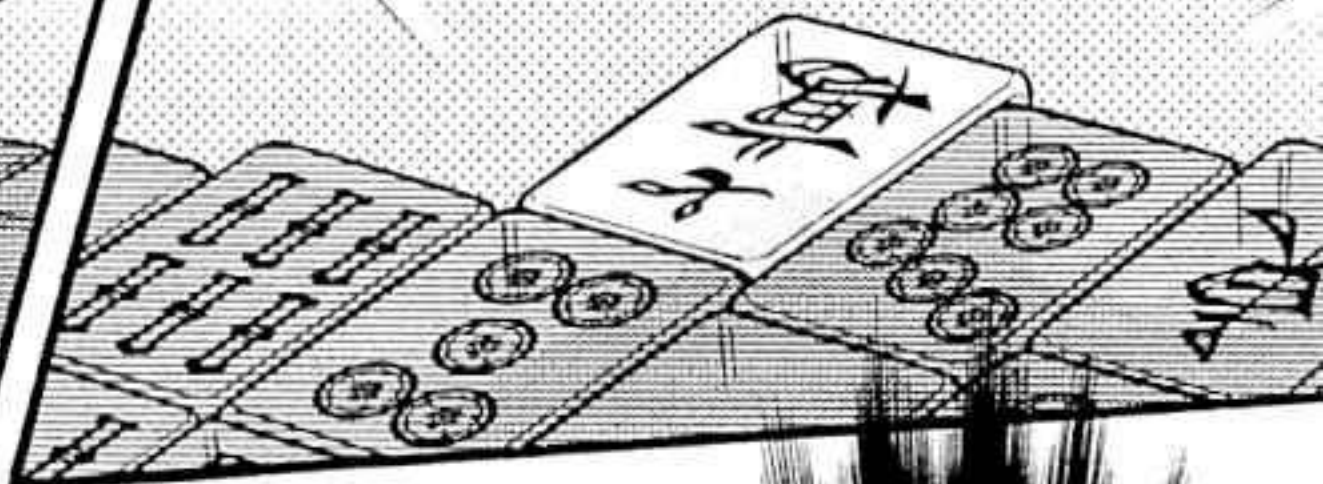
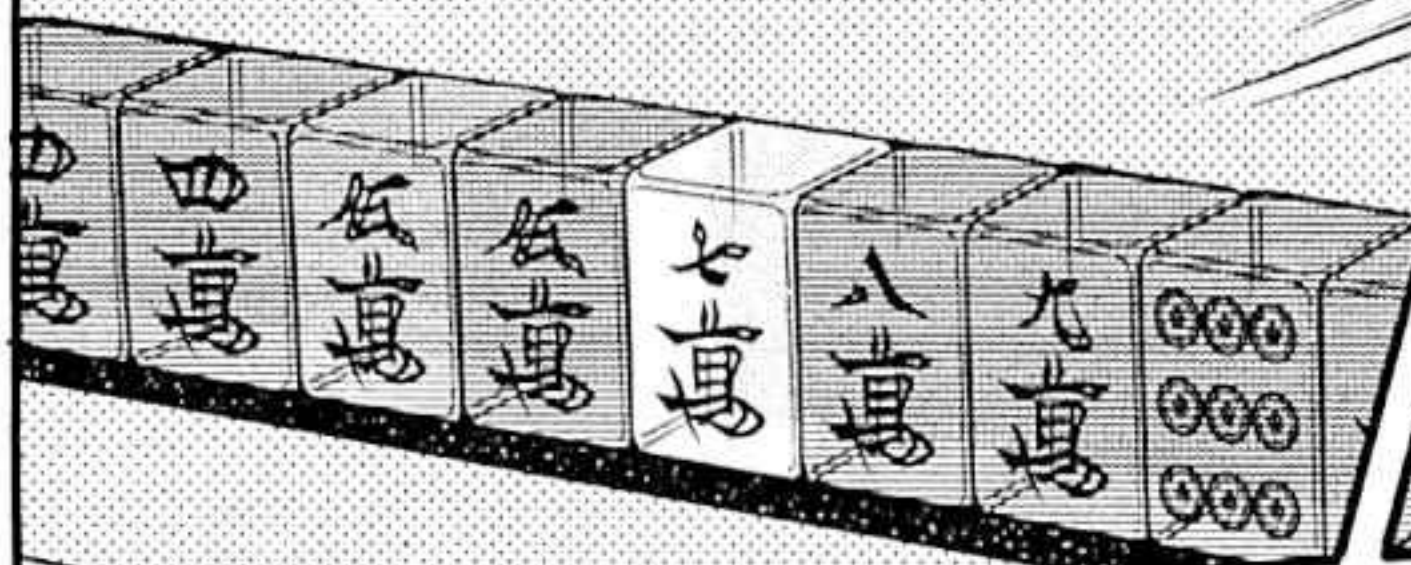
AKAGI  
JUST  
GAVE  
ME...

MEANING...

I CAN  
MATCH  
IT!!

IS  
SOMETHING  
I HAVE IN  
MY HAND!

THE 7-MAN  
TILE HE JUST  
PLAYED...



I HAVE A  
CHANCE TO  
ESCAPE!!!

AN OPENING!  
A CHANCE!!





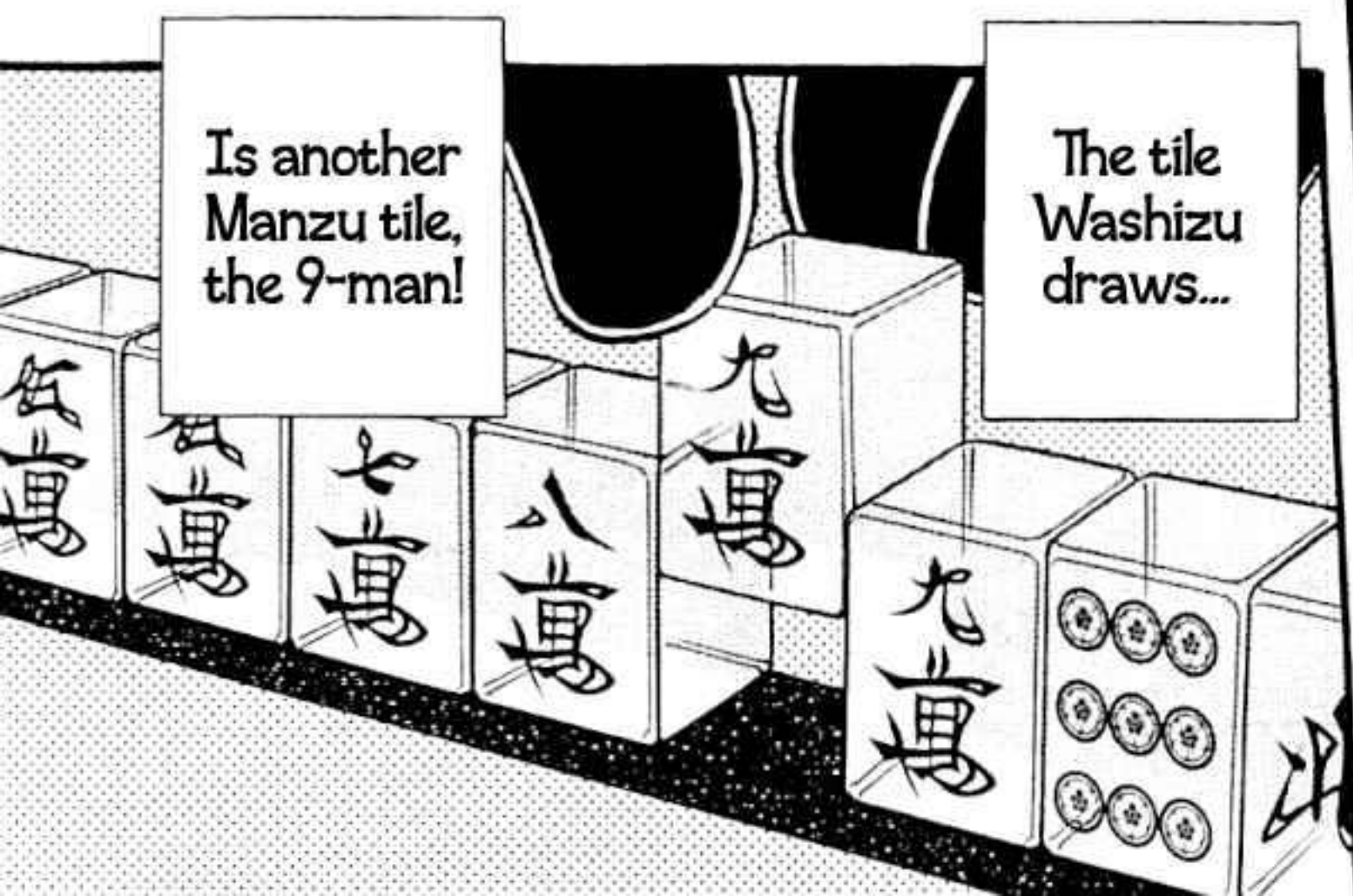


But...

GNGH!!

Is another  
Manzu tile,  
the 9-man!

The tile  
Washizu  
draws...





Except  
for the one Dora  
tile, all his draws  
were manzu!

do not  
stop!

His  
manzu  
draws...

Is the  
7-man that  
Akagi just  
played.

The  
only com-  
pletely  
safe tile  
he has...

6  
Manzu  
tiles!!

KGH!

He  
plays  
his safe  
tile!!

So  
naturally  
he discards  
it!

WE'RE  
SAVED...









**THERE'S  
NOTHING THAT  
AKAGI CAN DO  
WITH HIS HAND  
LIKE THIS!**

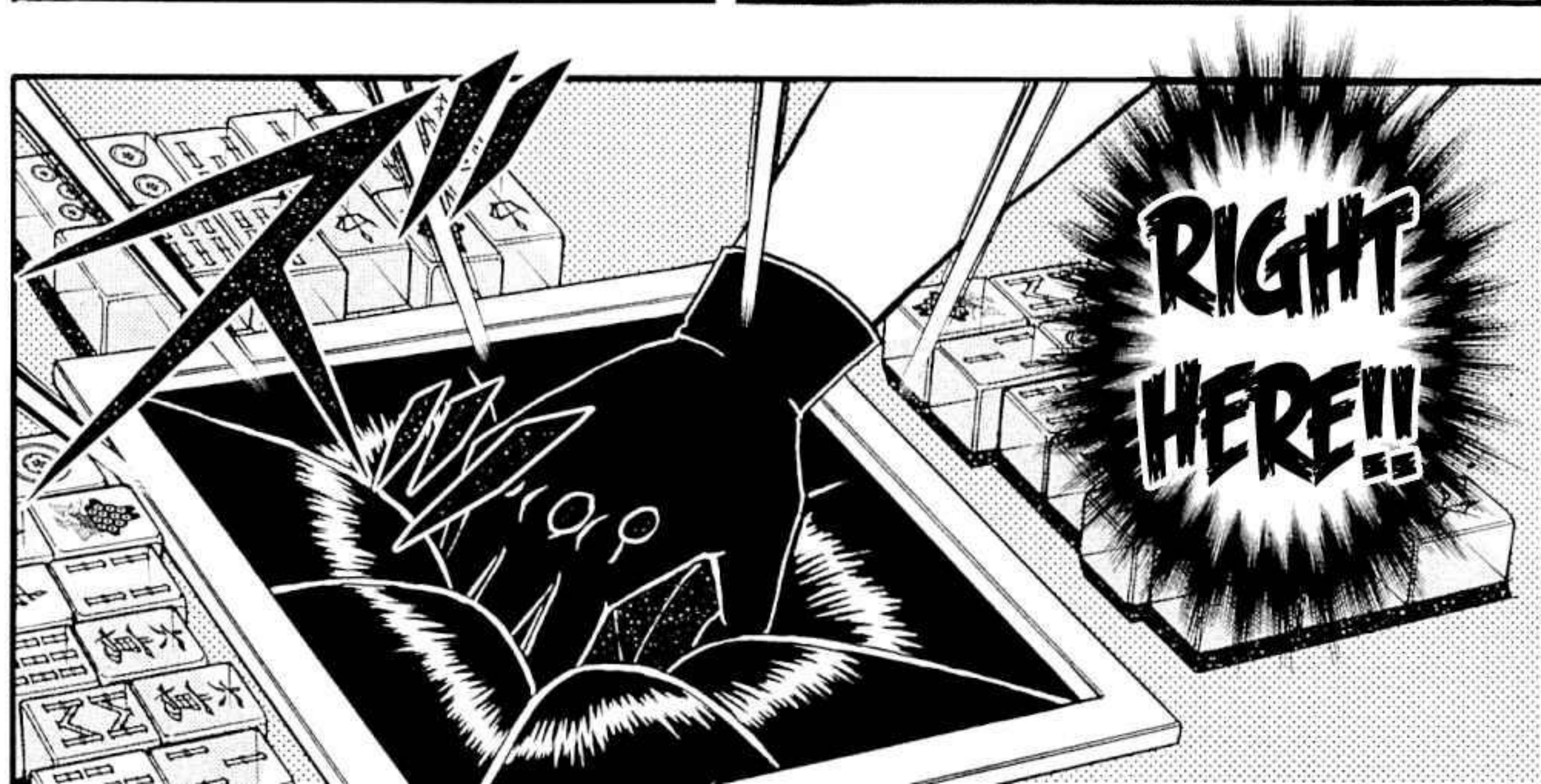
**Akagi's Hand is in Noten!!**



**HE AT  
LEAST  
NEEDS TO  
GET TO  
TENPAI...**



**IT  
NEEDS  
TO BE  
TENPAI!**



**RIGHT  
HERE!!**



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TENPAI!!

TENPAI!!

TENPAI!! TENPAI!!

TENPAI!!

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TENPAI!!

TENPAI!!



Chapter 230: NIGHTMARE  
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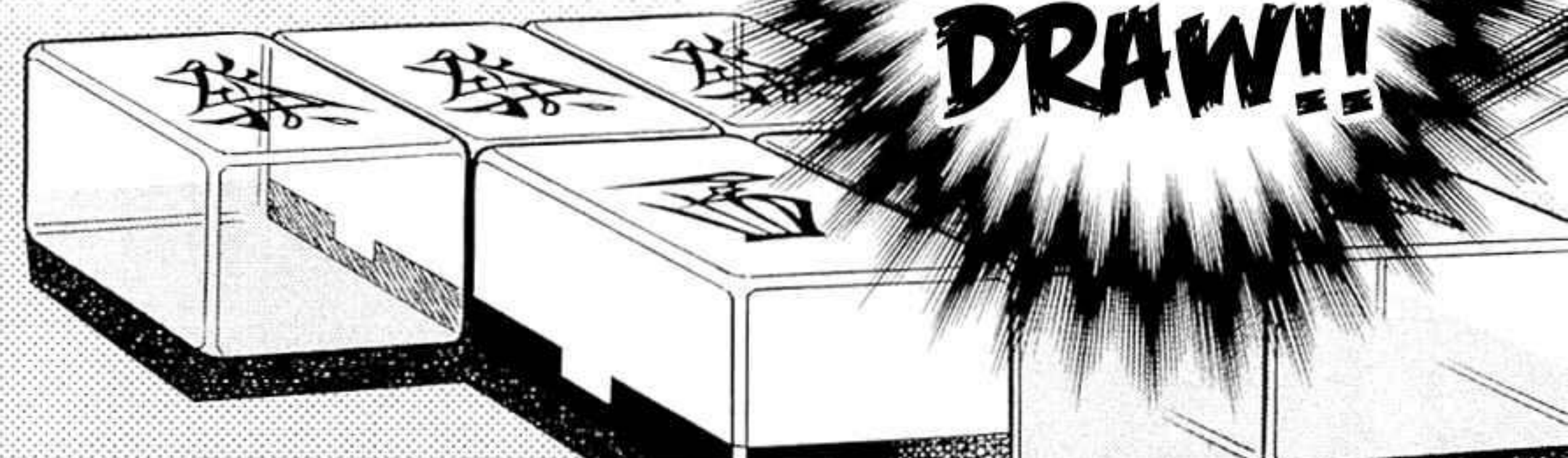
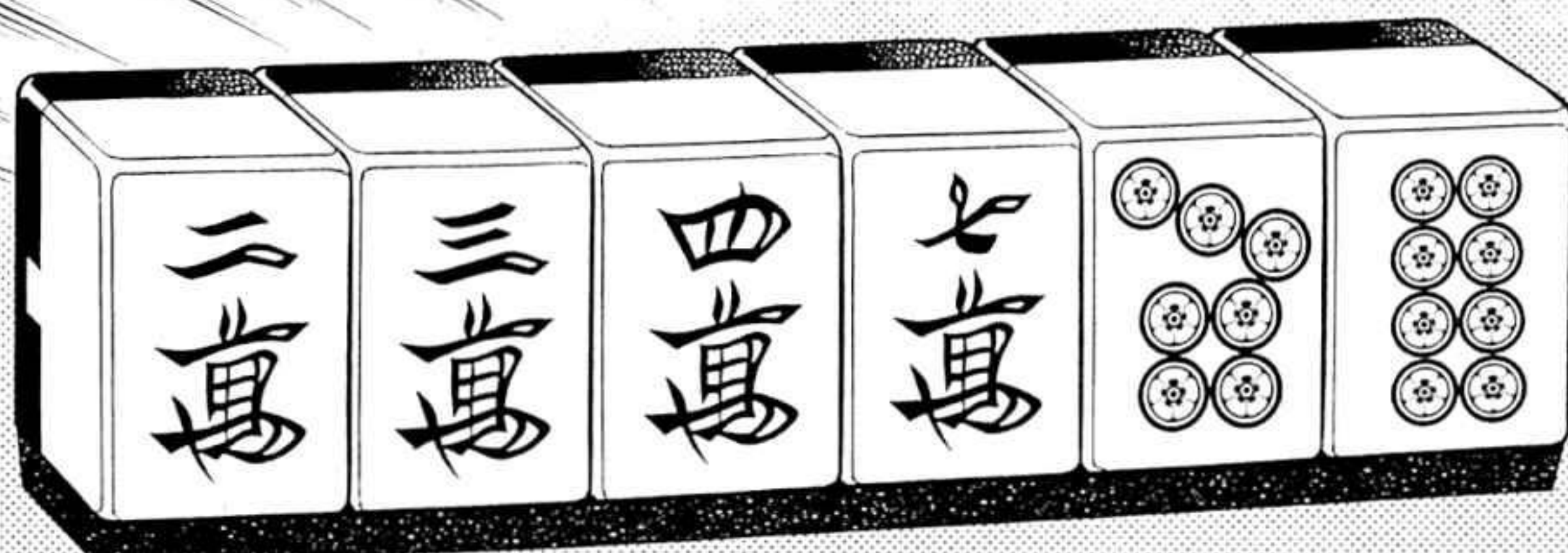
HE  
HAS TO  
GET TO  
TENPAI  
...



RIGHT  
NOW!



**WITH  
THIS  
DRAW!!**



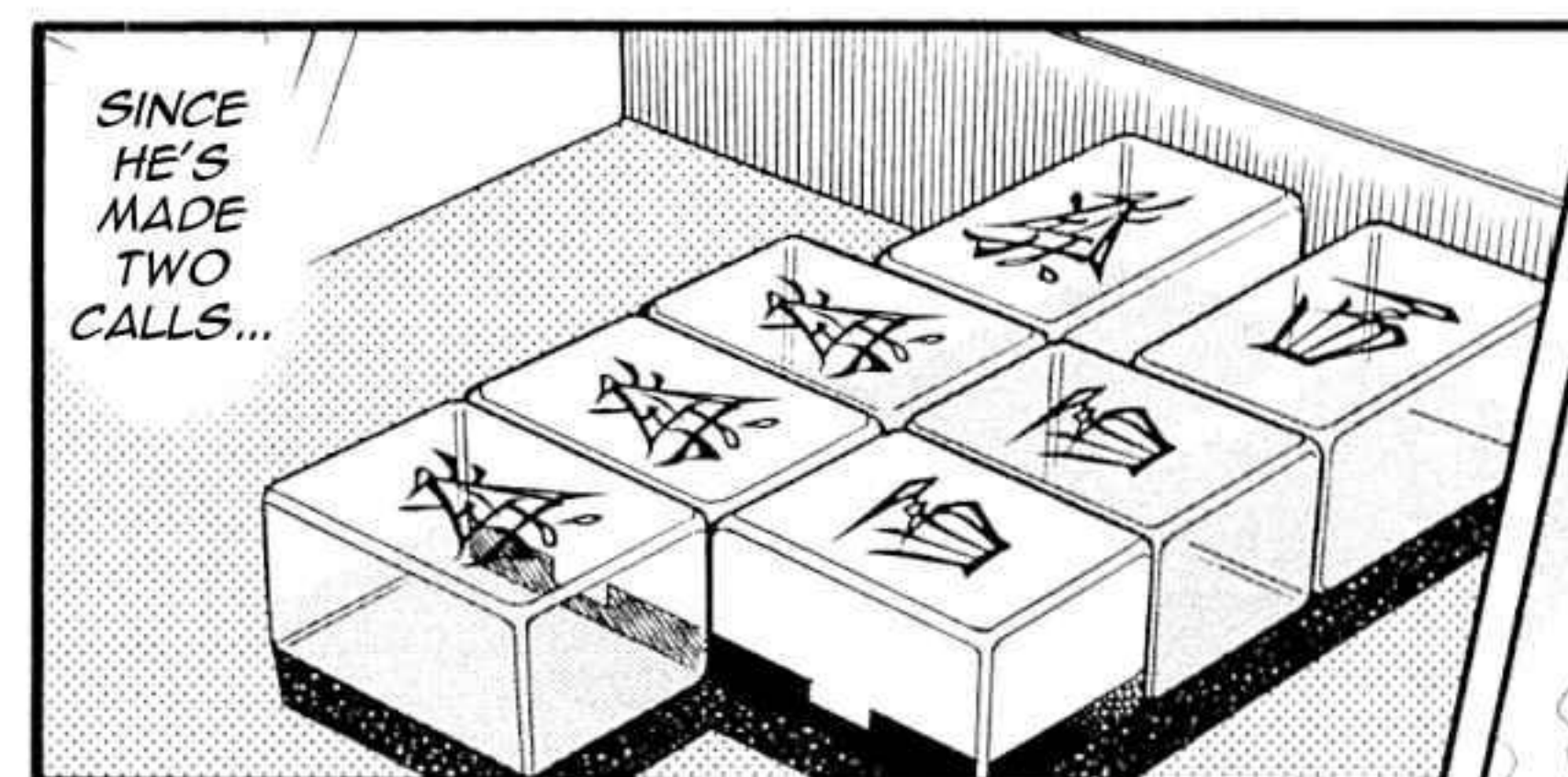
**Akagi's Hand**



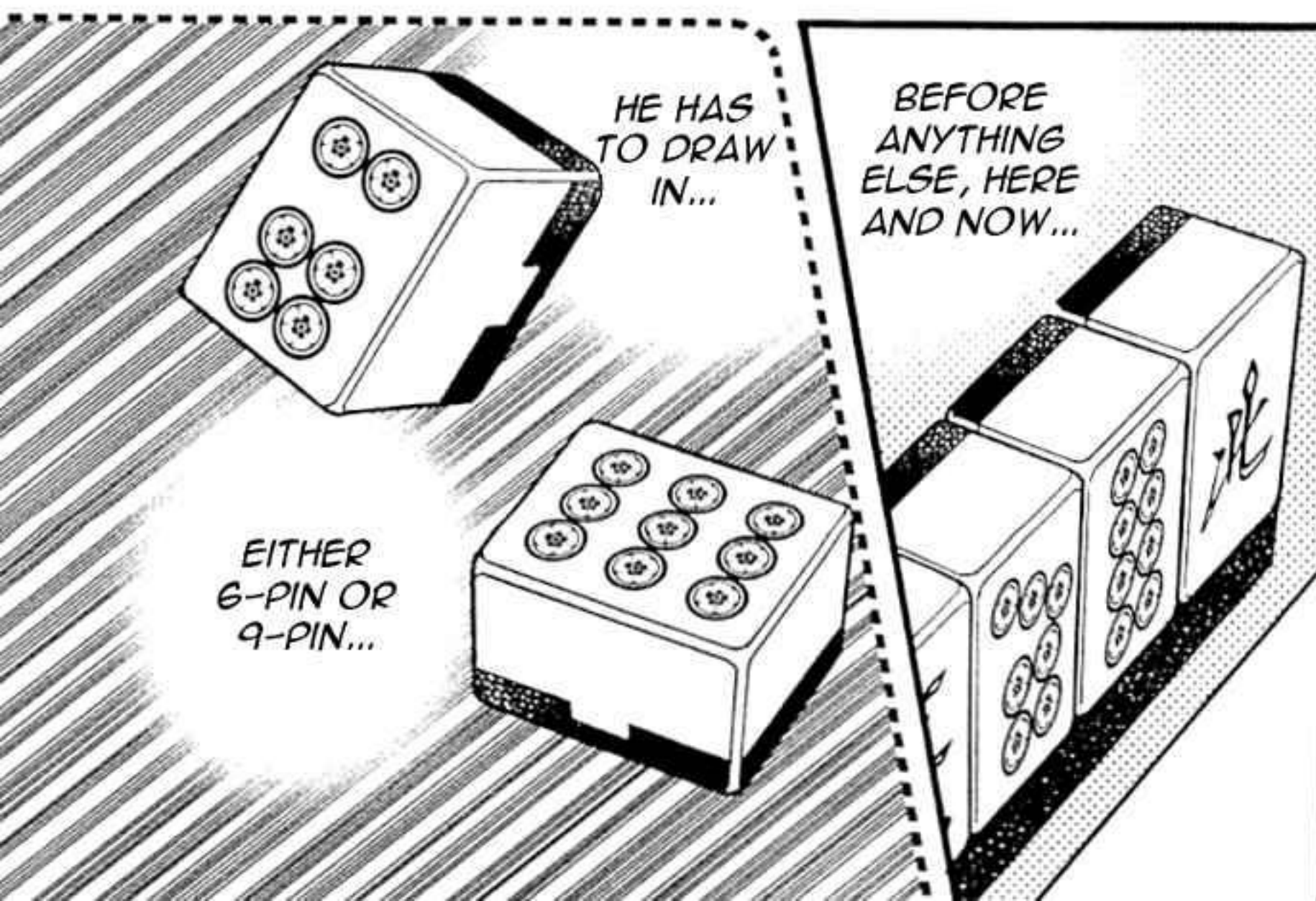
RIGHT  
HERE...



4  
MORE  
DRAWS!



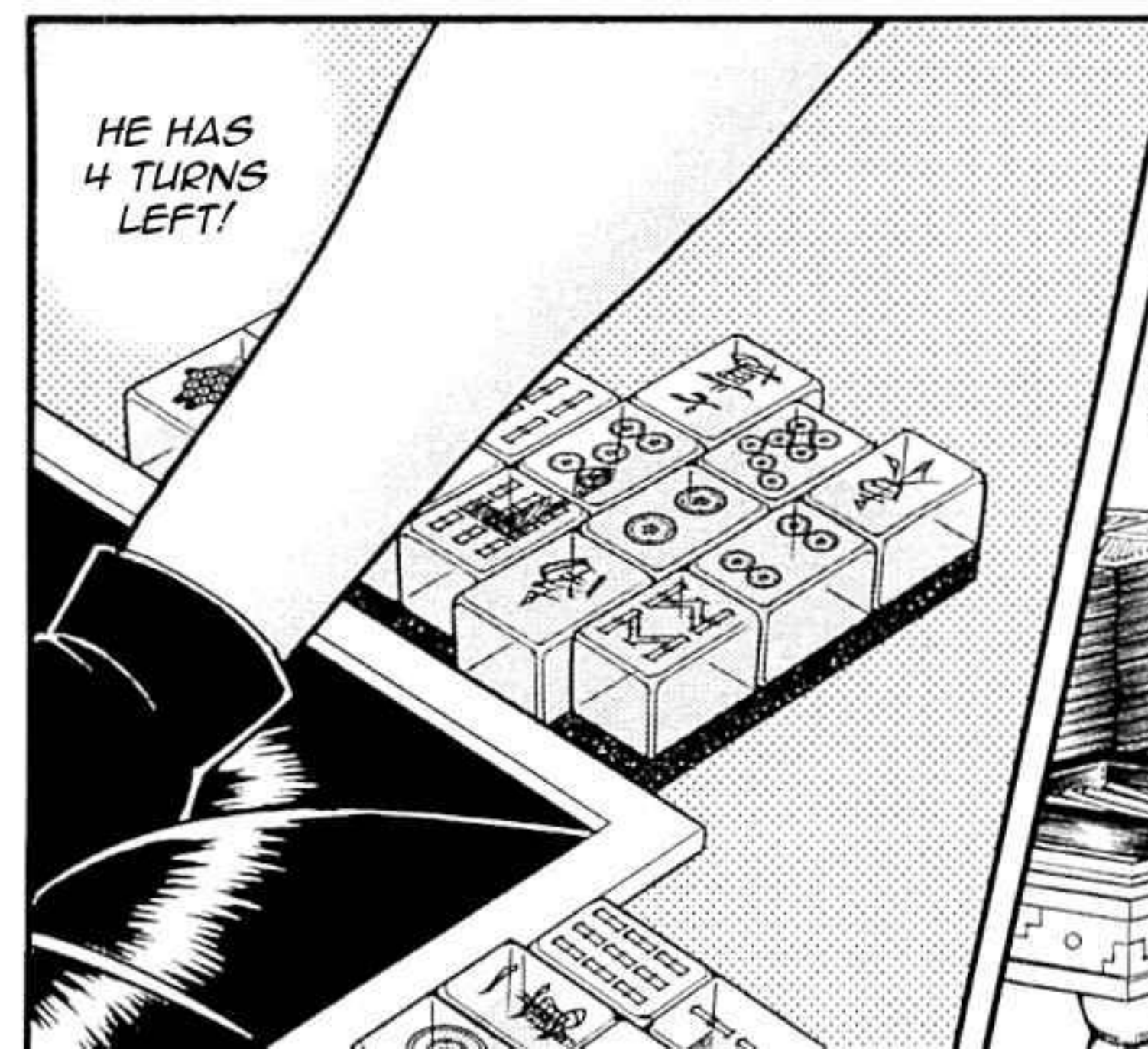
SINCE  
HE'S  
MADE  
TWO  
CALLS...



HE HAS  
TO DRAW  
IN...

BEFORE  
ANYTHING  
ELSE, HERE  
AND NOW...

EITHER  
6-PIN OR  
9-PIN...



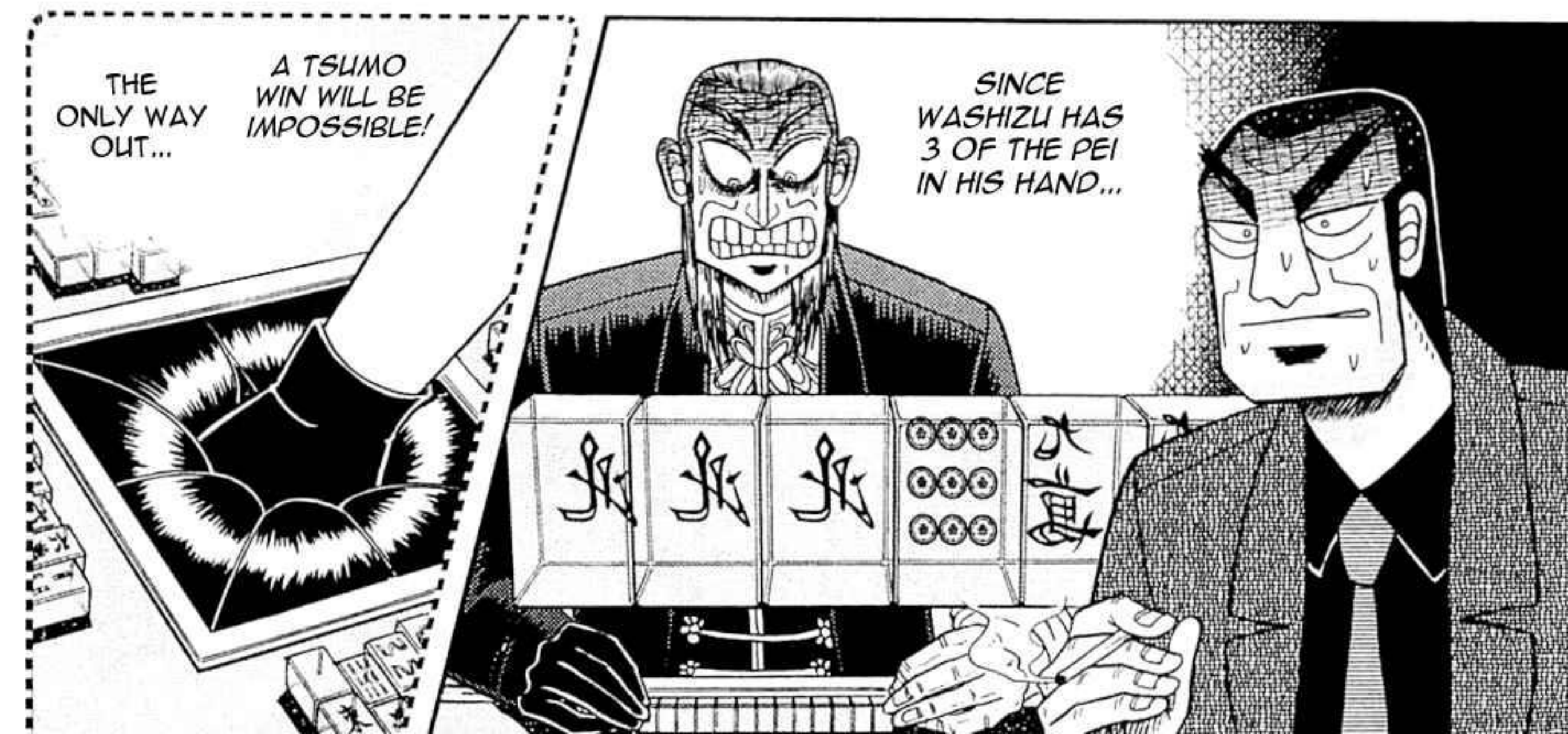
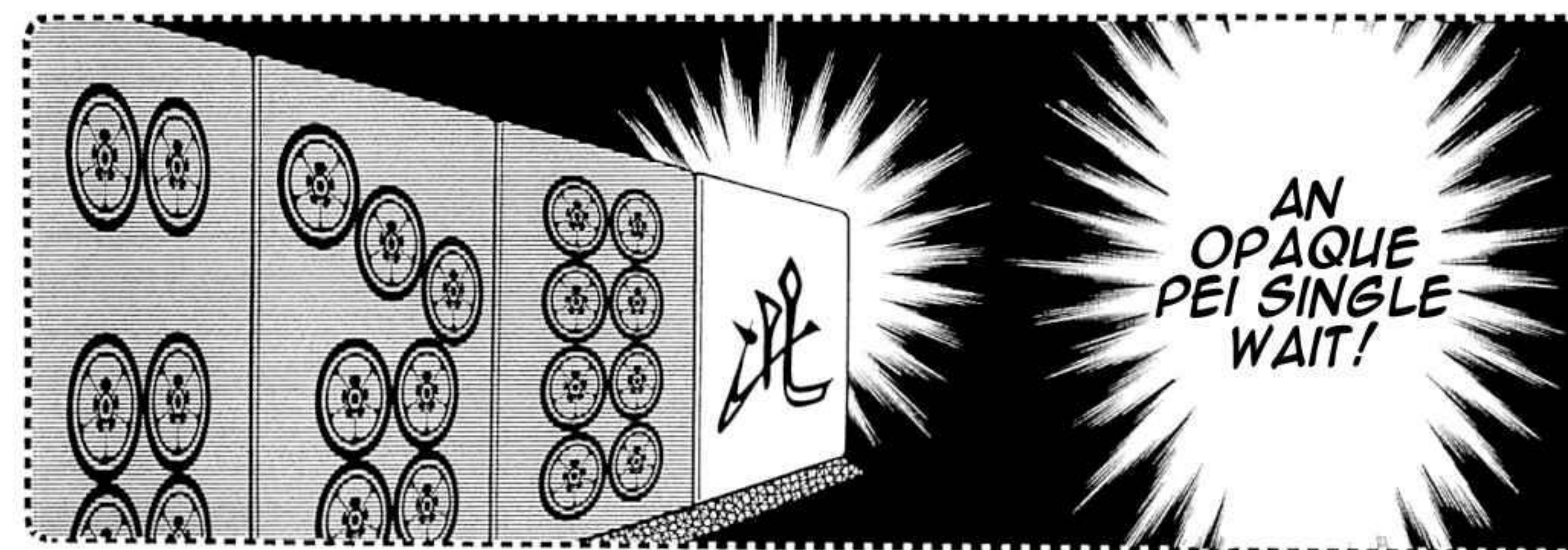
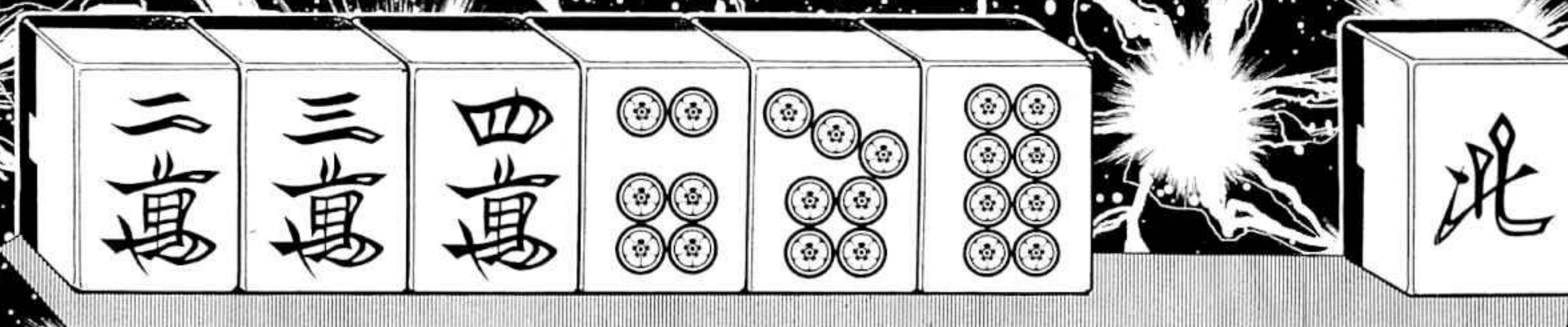
HE HAS  
4 TURNS  
LEFT!





**A SINGLE WAIT ON THE PEI!**

**AND  
GET THIS  
HAND!**







A VERY  
DIFFICULT  
WAIT... IT  
WOULDN'T  
WORK OUT!

OF  
COURSE, THAT  
WOULD BE...

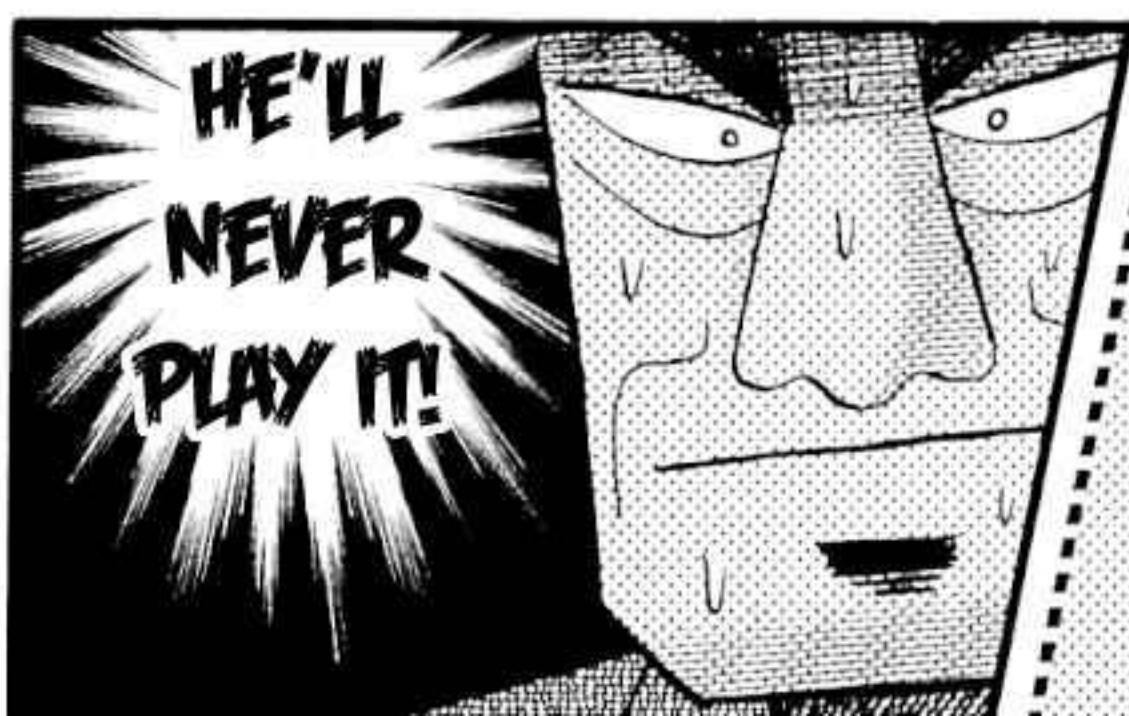


AKAGI'S  
MOST LIKELY  
HAND...

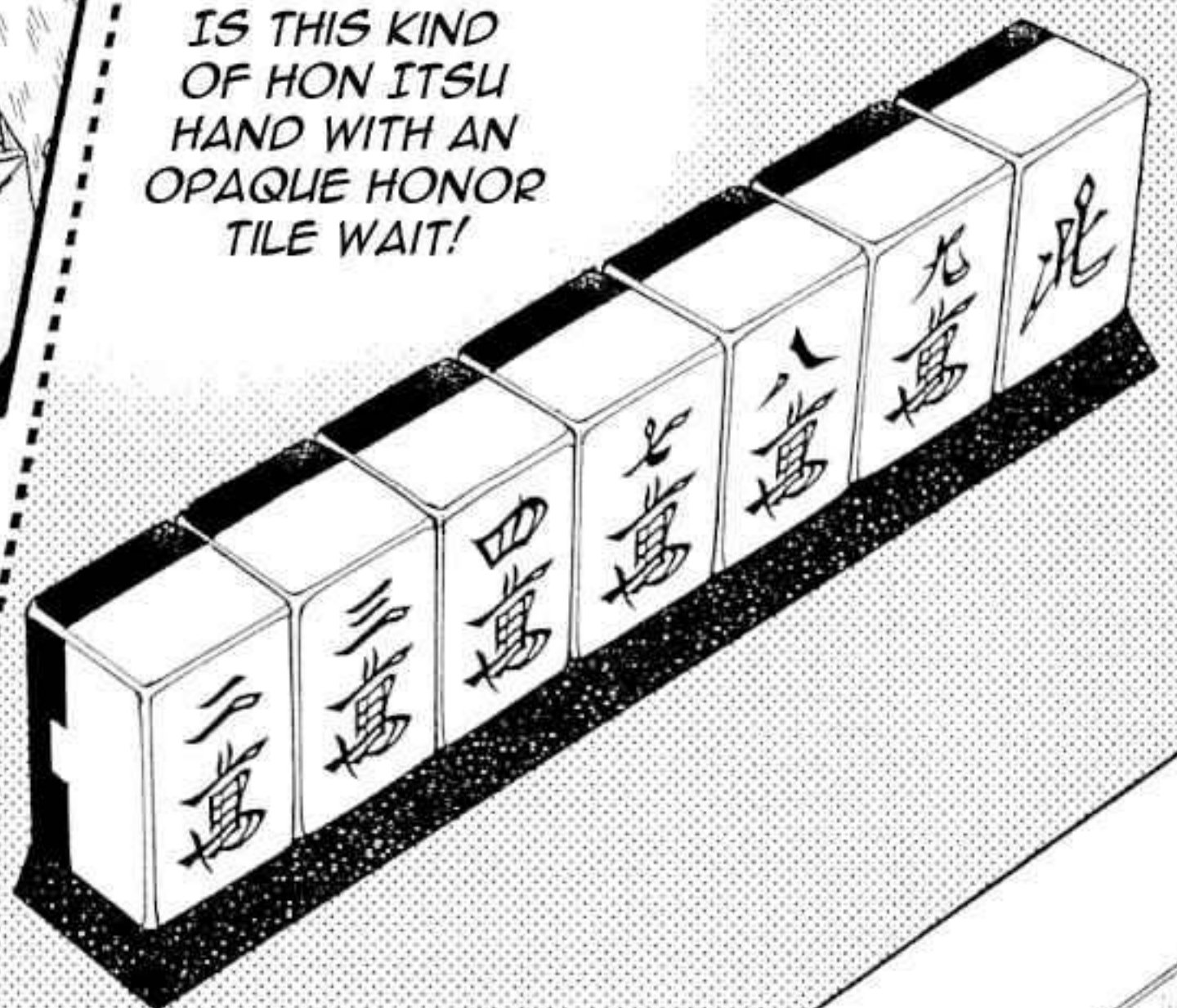
IN  
WASHIZU'S  
MIND...



IS THIS KIND  
OF HON ITSU  
HAND WITH AN  
OPAQUE HONOR  
TILE WAIT!



HE'LL  
NEVER  
PLAY IT!





**BE  
THAT AS  
IT MAY...**

**EVEN  
WITH THAT  
IN MIND...**

**BUT!**

**EVEN IF  
THAT'S THE  
CASE...**

**IF NOT, THERE'S  
NOTHING TO  
CONSIDER!**

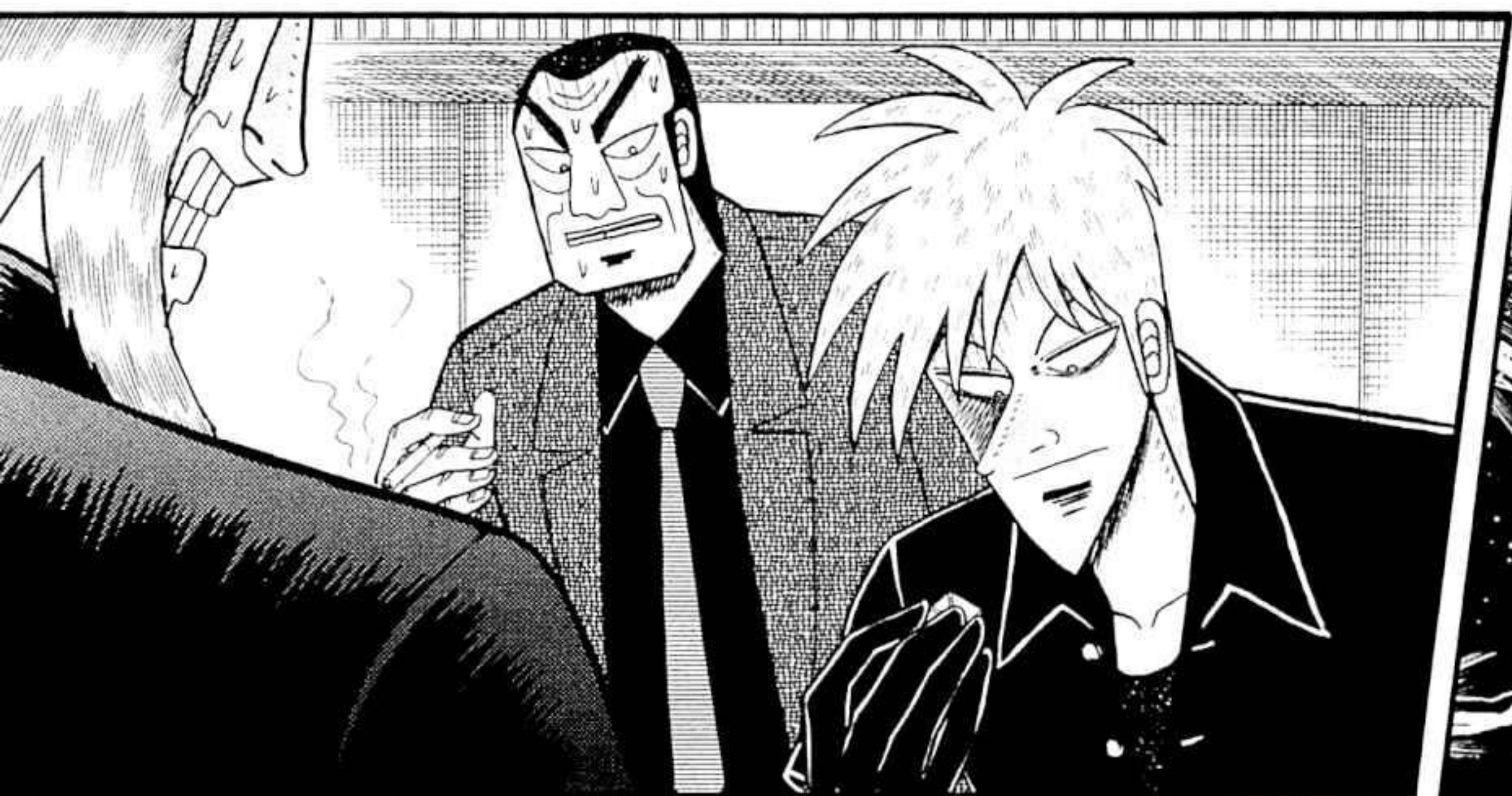
**HE HAS  
TO GET TO  
TENPAI!**

**HE STILL  
HAS TO  
DRAW  
ONE!**

**THERE'D  
BE NO  
POSSIBILITY...**

**IT'S  
HOPE-  
LESS!**





**OF  
EVEN A  
MILLION-  
TO-ONE  
MIRA-  
CLE!!**





But it  
was no  
use!

GNGH!



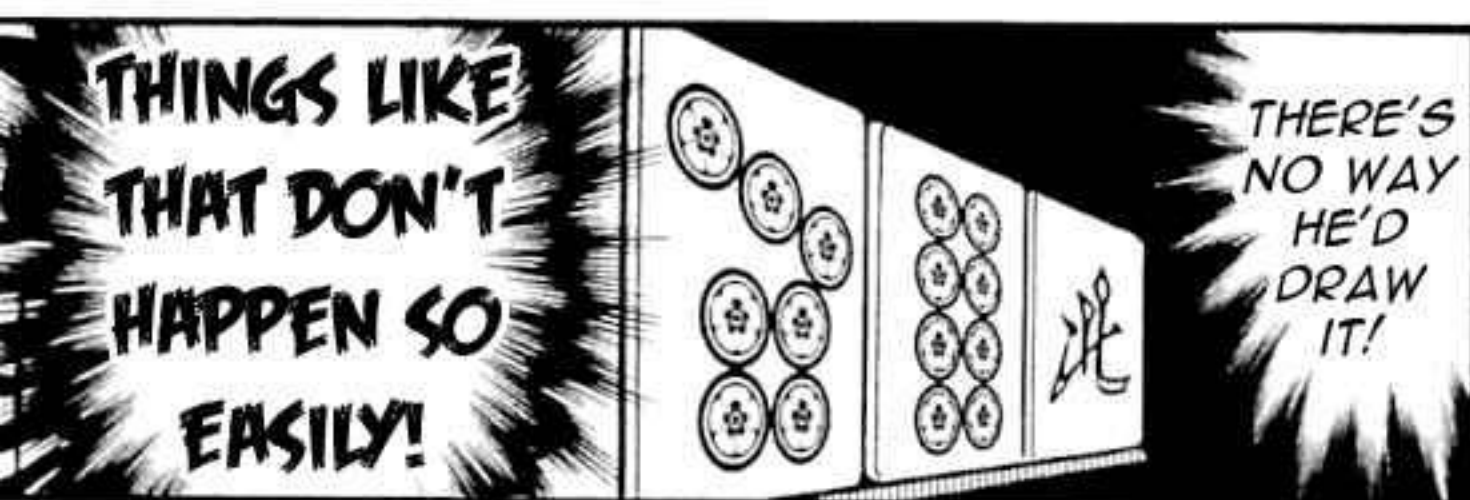


He  
could  
not  
draw  
it!!



IT'S  
HOPELESS,  
AFTER ALL!!

IT'S  
HOPELESS!!



THINGS LIKE  
THAT DON'T  
HAPPEN SO  
EASILY!

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
HE'D  
DRAW  
IT!

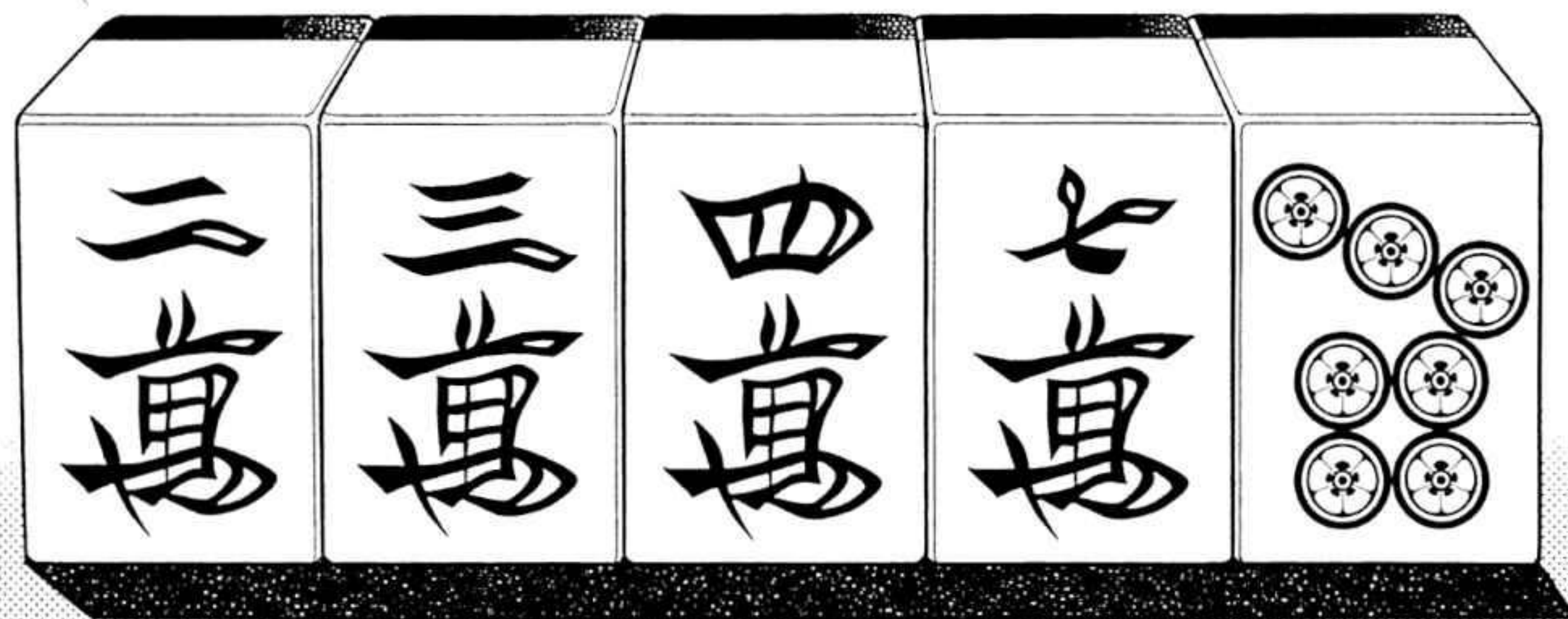
OF  
COURSE  
IT IS!



JUST  
AS I  
THOUGHT...







**BREAKING  
UP TENPAI  
WAS TOO  
RECKLESS!!**

This is fact!

He is in no shape to be fighting...

He only has a short time left, but he is still Noten...

That Akagi's position is painful.

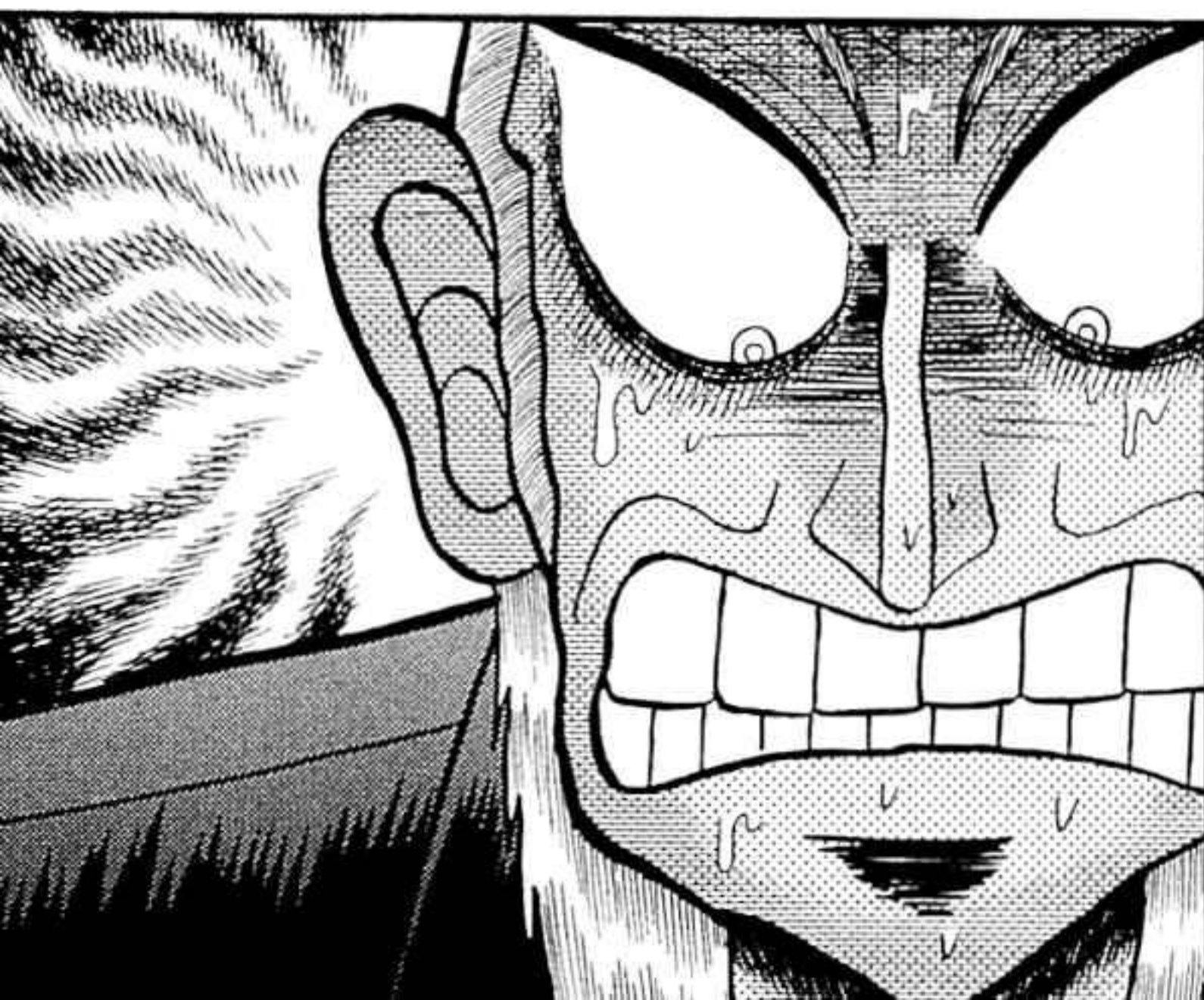
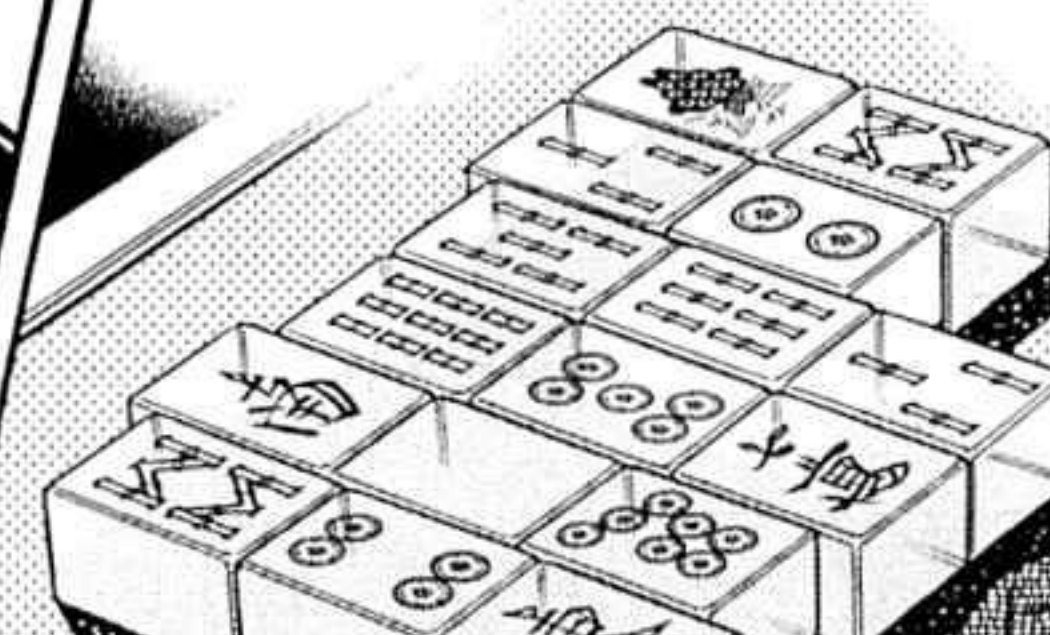
It goes without saying...



Yes!

THERE'S ONLY 3 TURNS LEFT, NOW...

I MEAN, IT'S THE FINAL STRETCH!



But...

Akagi is in trouble!





**WASHIZU, TOO, IS IN TROUBLE!**



**BUT  
THE ONLY  
TILES HE  
GETS...**

**AND  
DRAWS  
SOME  
MORE!**

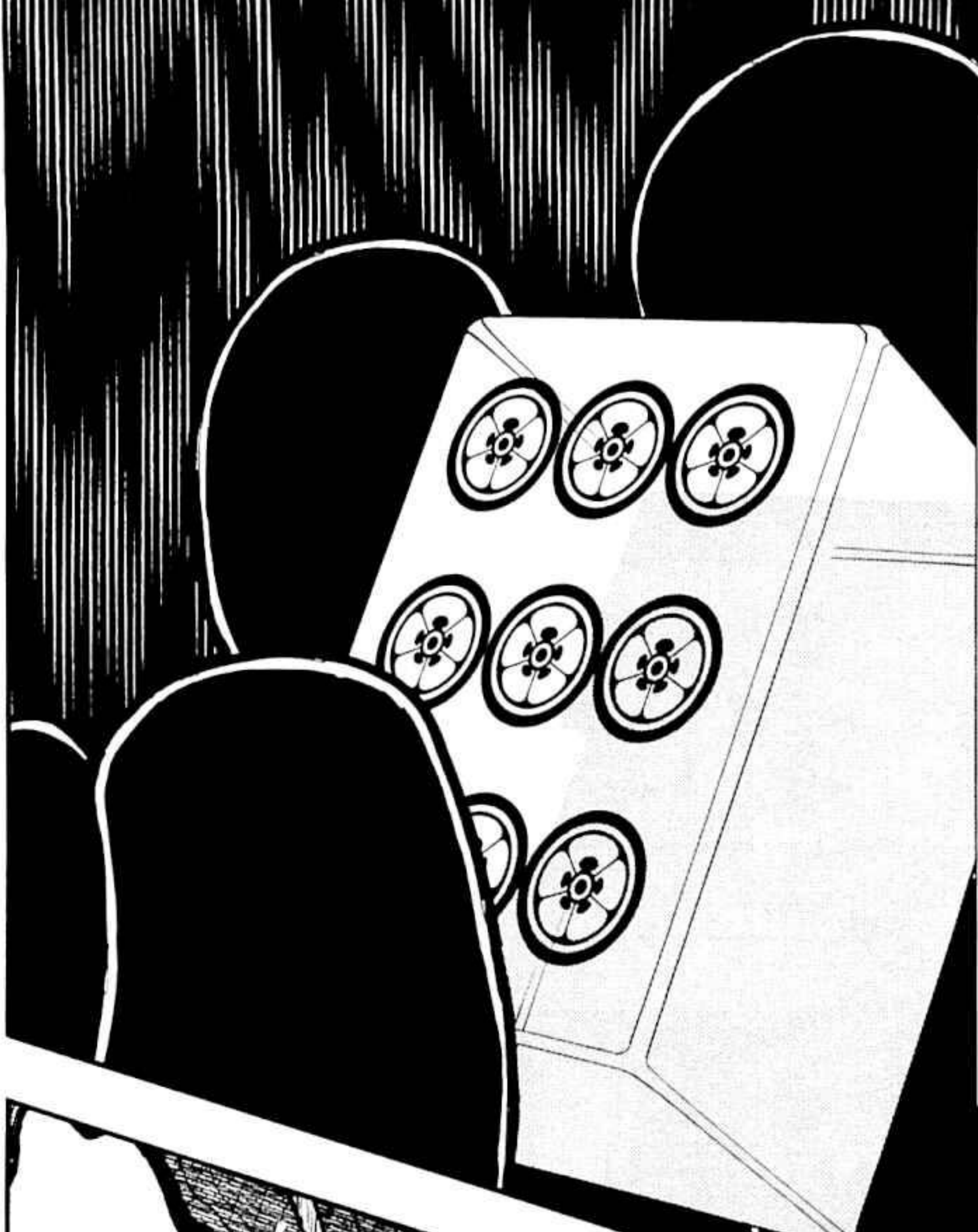
**AND  
DRAWS!  
AND  
DRAWS!**

**He  
draws!**

**ARE  
MANZU...**







AND  
DORA  
TILES!!



It is  
like a  
curse!

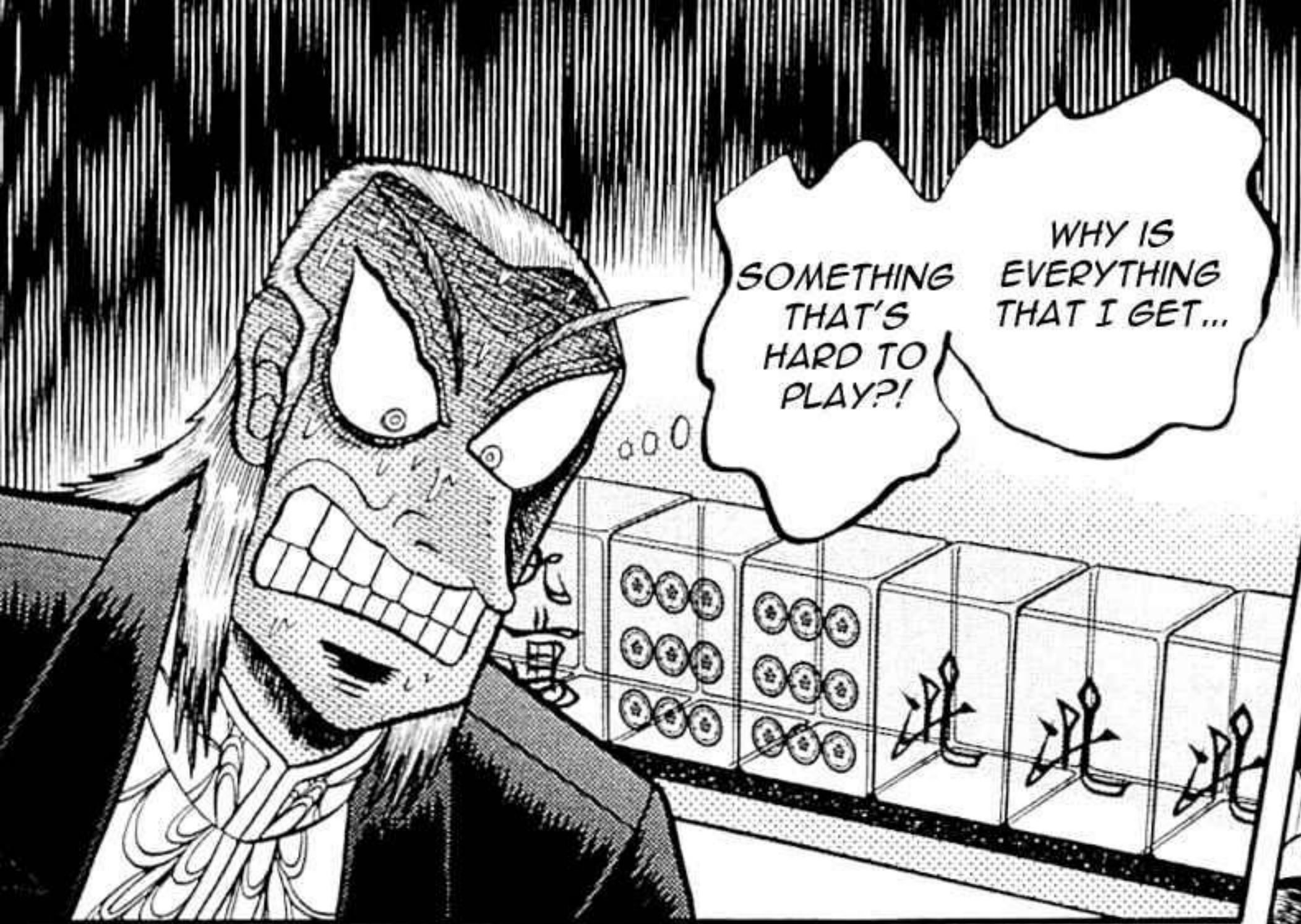


GNGH!









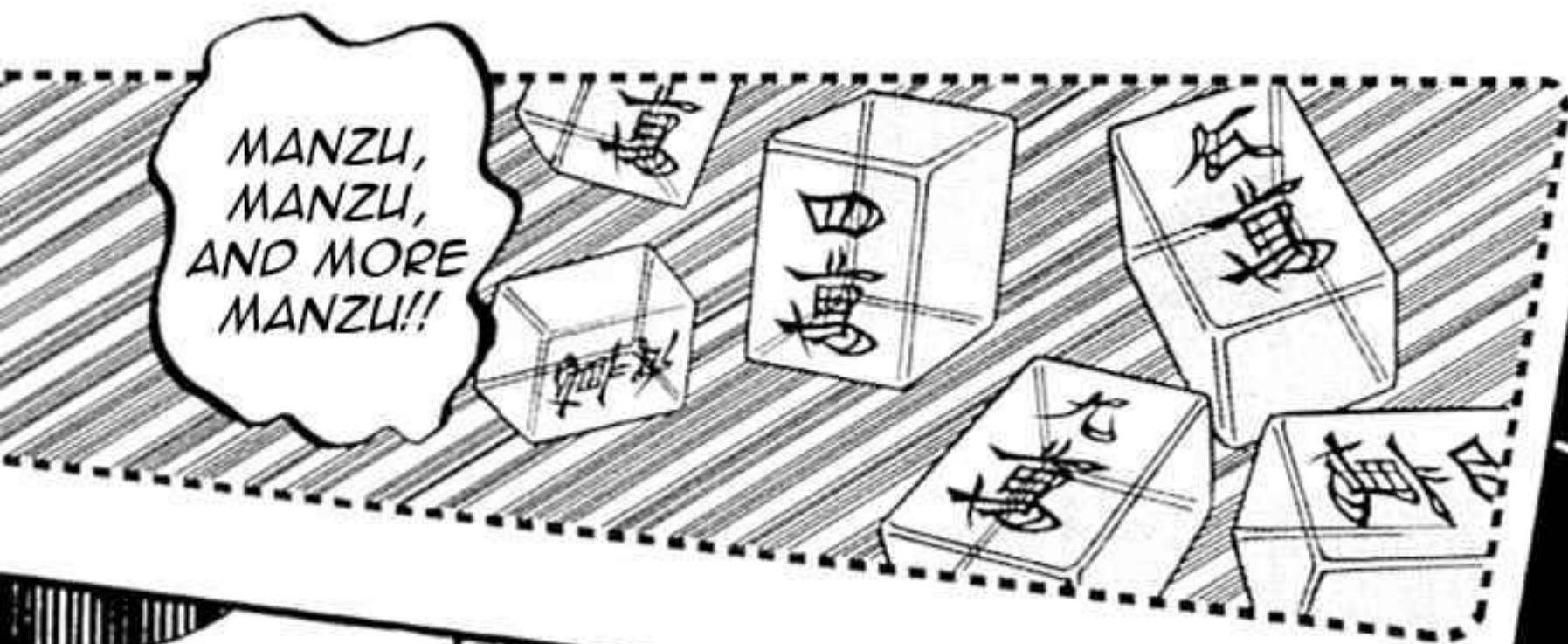
SOMETHING  
THAT'S  
HARD TO  
PLAY?!

WHY IS  
EVERYTHING  
THAT I GET...



OR  
A TILE  
FOR HIS  
MANZU  
HON  
ITSU!!

IT'S  
EITHER A  
DANGEROUS  
DORA TILE...



MANZU,  
MANZU,  
AND MORE  
MANZU!!



KGH!!



IS  
CLINGING  
ON TO ME!!

THE  
GRIM REAPER  
HIMSELF...

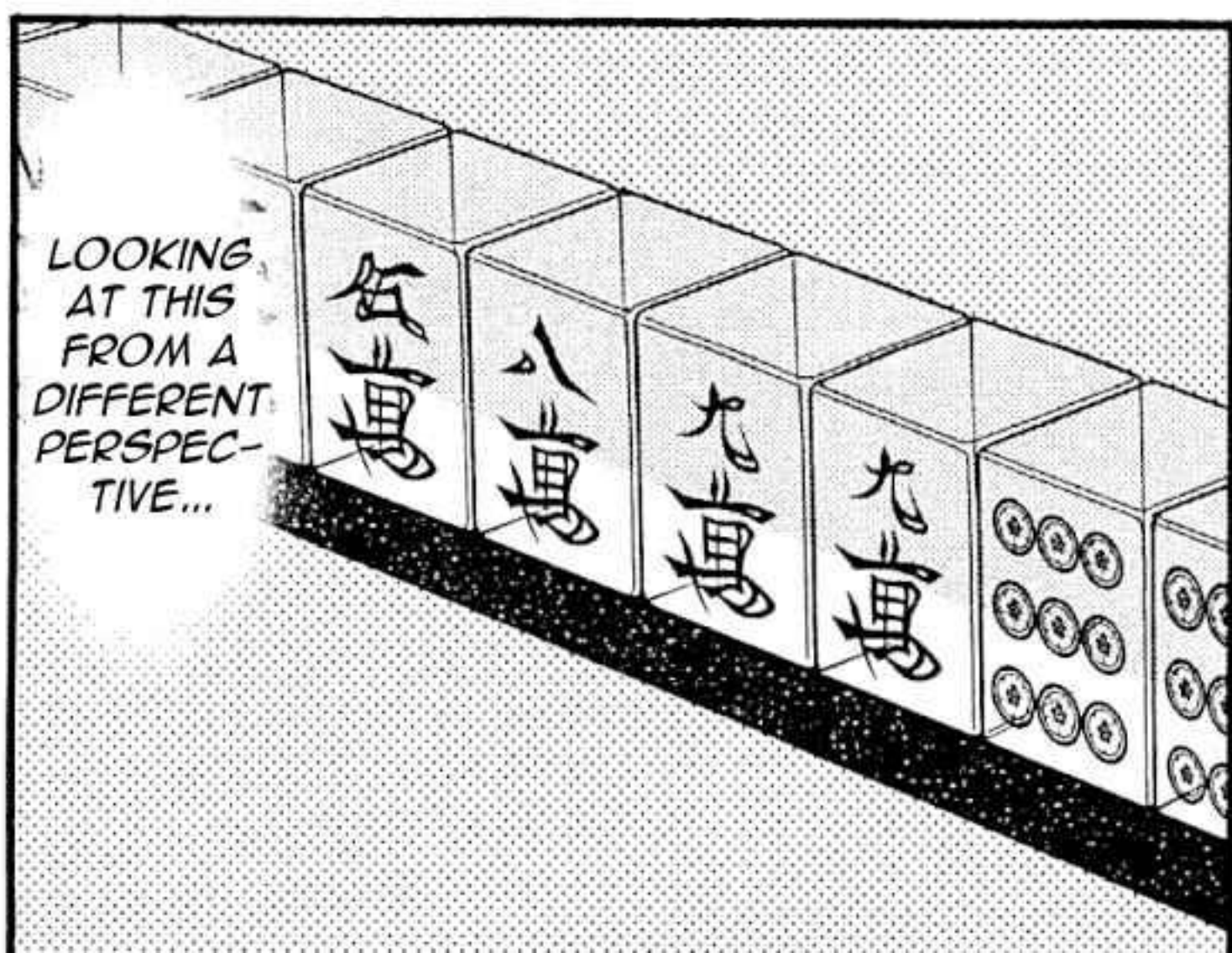




IS  
THIS BAD  
LUCK...?



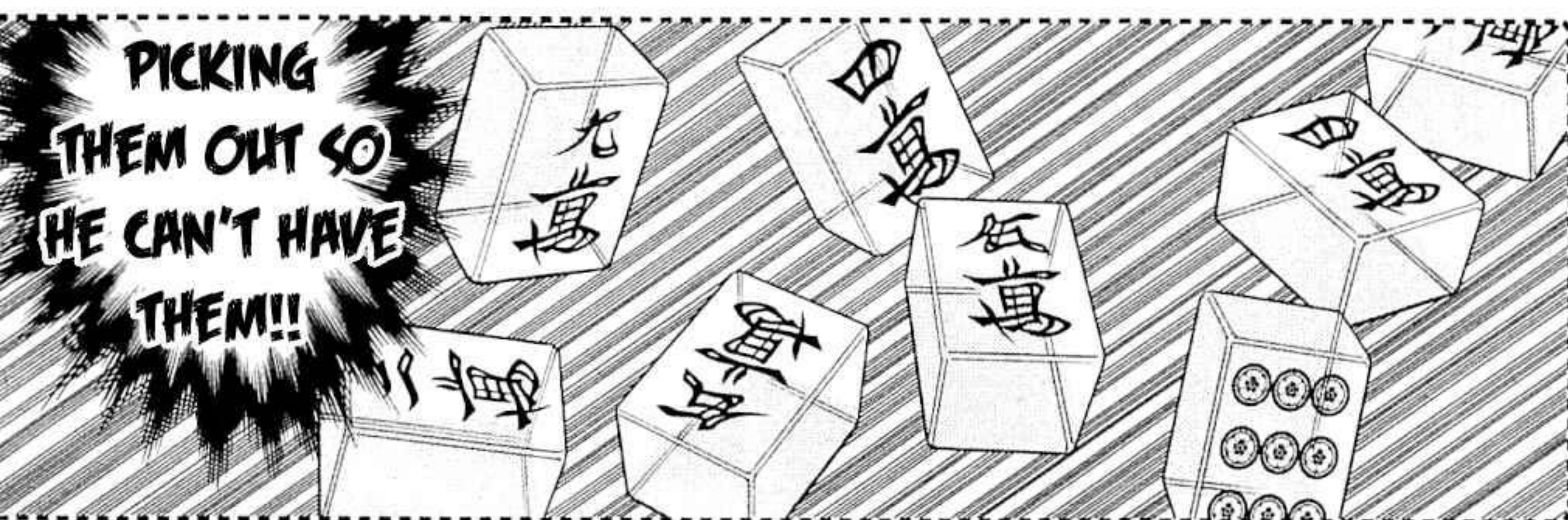
NO...



LOOKING  
AT THIS  
FROM A  
DIFFERENT  
PERSPEC-  
TIVE...











**HIS  
VERY  
LIFE!!**

**I AM  
CONSUMING...**



THE 2-  
AND 5-MAN  
TILES ARE  
OUT, BUT...

**HIS  
ODDS  
OF SUR-  
VIVAL!**



IF I DEAL  
IN WITH THE 4,  
8, OR 9-MAN  
TILES...

**EVEN THEN,  
IT WON'T BE  
HON ITSU!**



**WOULD  
MAKE HIS HAND  
SOMETHING  
LIKE THIS!**

SO  
WINNING  
ON THE  
8-MAN...

SUZUKI  
IS HOLDING  
ON TO THE  
OPAQUE  
1- AND  
6-MAN  
TILES...

**EVEN AT  
WORST, IF IT  
WORKED IN  
THE DORA...**



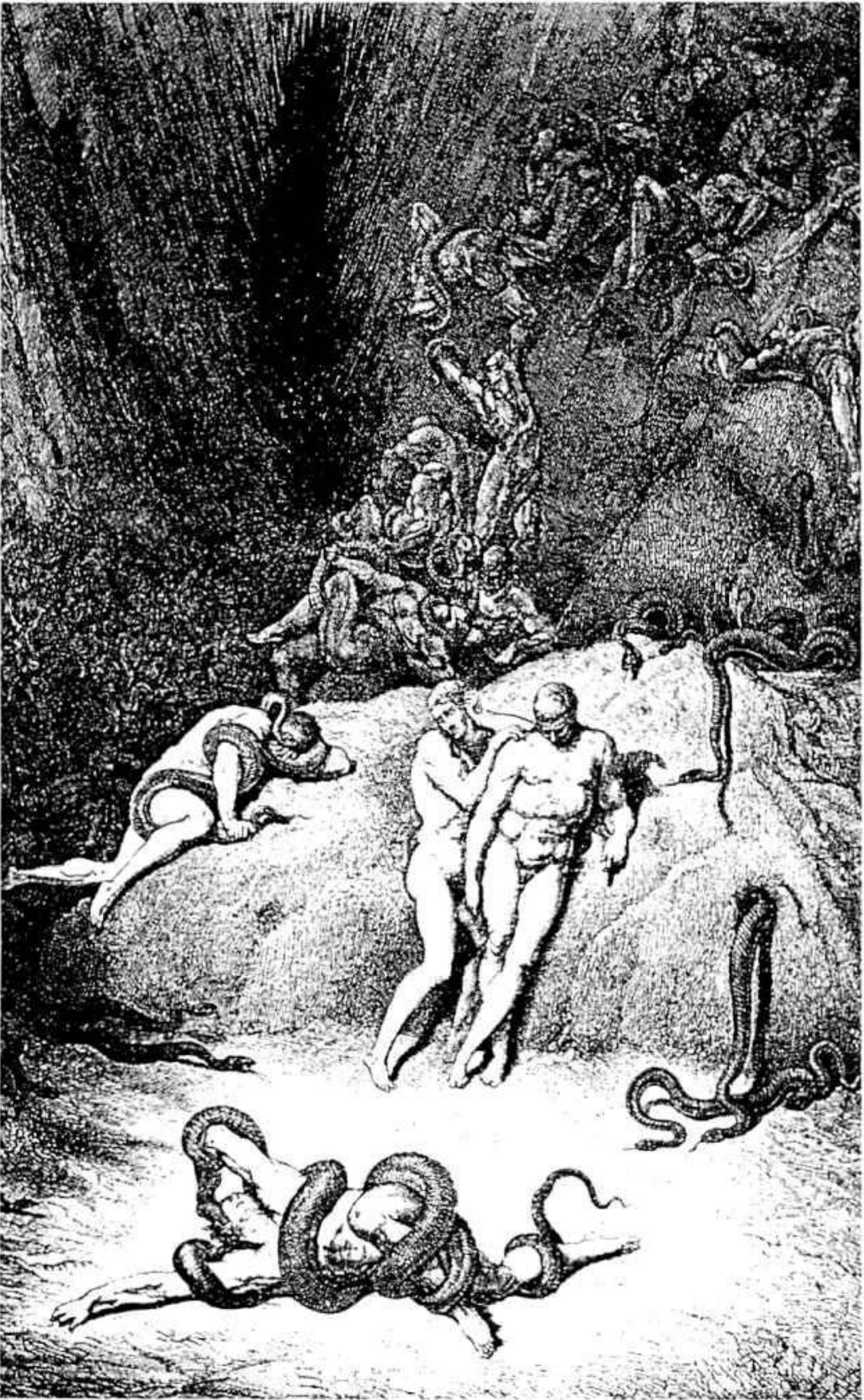


**THAT  
WOULD BE  
6400!!**



**ISN'T  
THAT RIGHT,  
AKAGI?!**







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