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THE SEVEN WIVES CLUB

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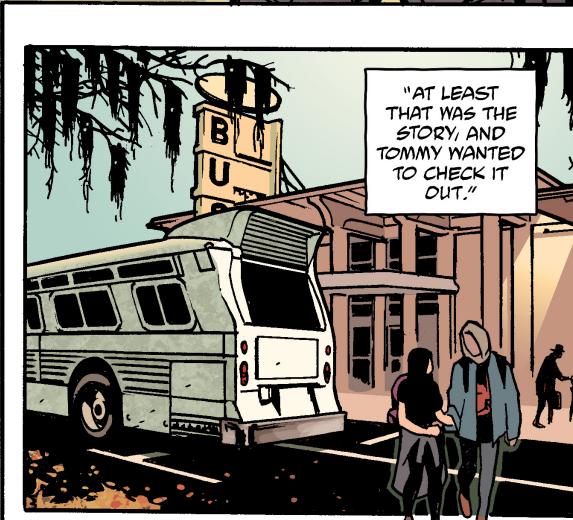
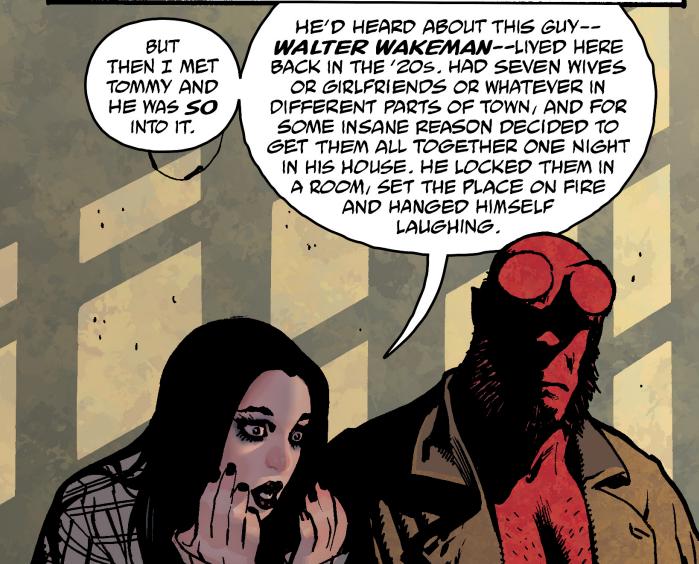
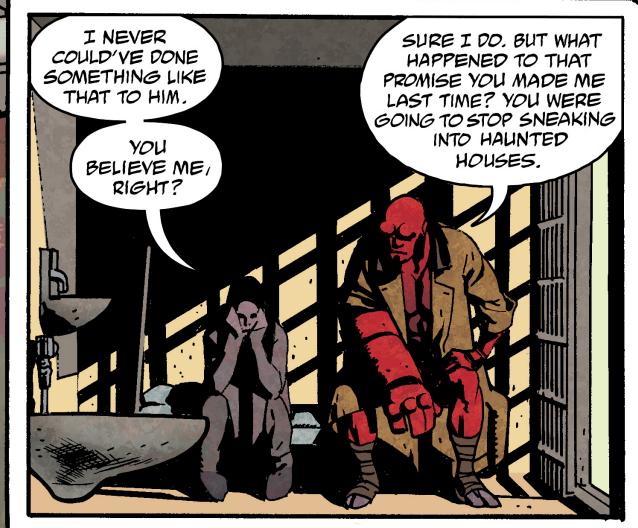
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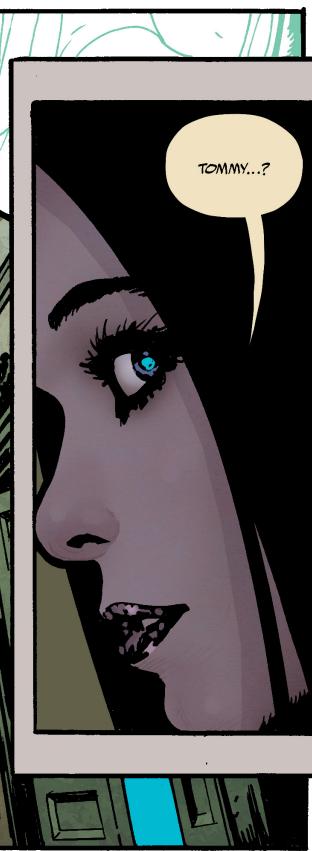
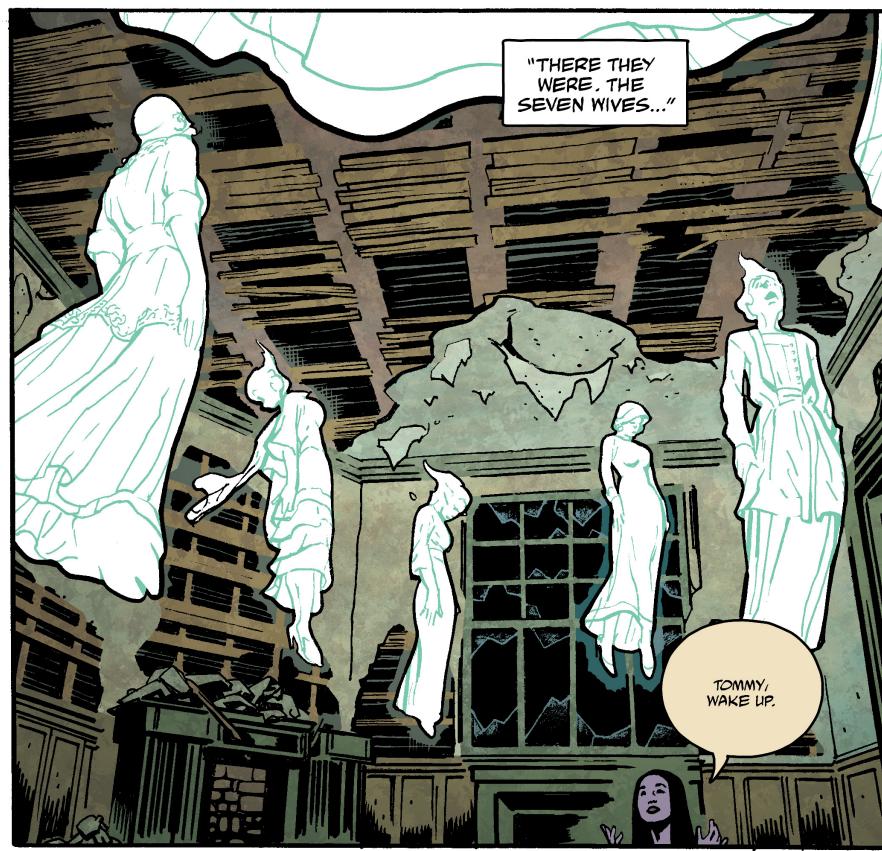
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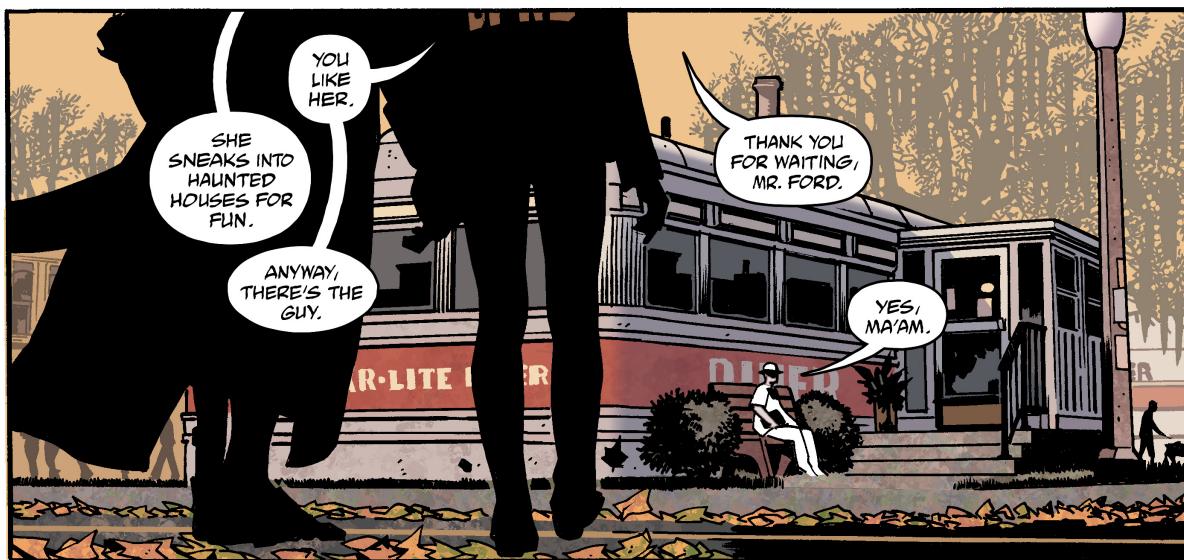
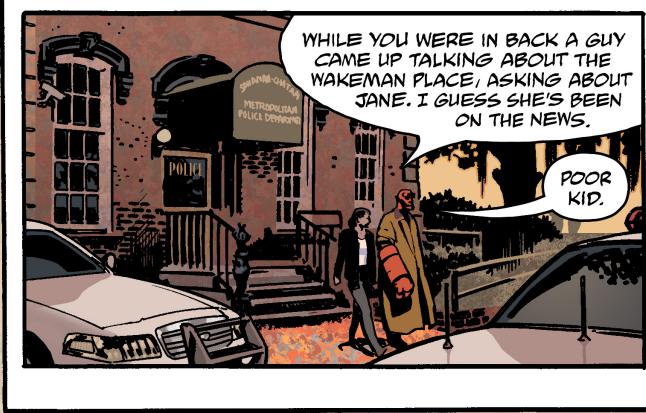
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"THERE
WAS SOME-
BODY ELSE
THERE BUT
IT WASN'T
TOMMY."









THEN, OF COURSE, SHE AND HER FRIENDS STOLE HIS BODY.

EXCUSE ME?



"SOUNDS BAD, I KNOW, BUT AT LEAST IN THE BEGINNING I THINK IT WAS JUST A PRANK."



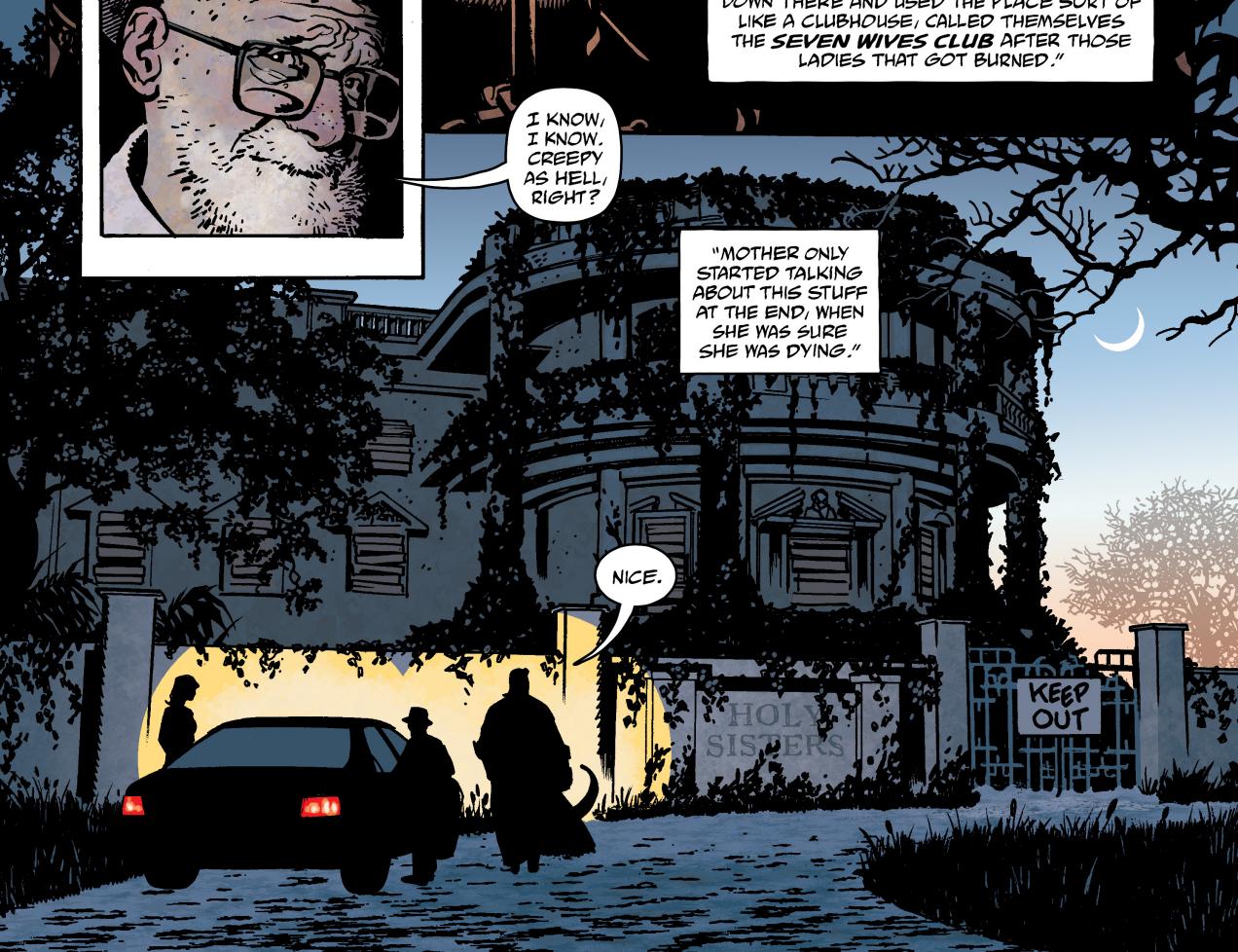
"THERE WERE SEVEN OF THEM. THEY'D FOUND A ROOM IN THE BASEMENT NOBODY KNEW ABOUT. THEY STASHED WAKEMAN DOWN THERE AND USED THE PLACE SORT OF LIKE A CLUBHOUSE, CALLED THEMSELVES THE SEVEN WIVES CLUB AFTER THOSE LADIES THAT GOT BURNED."



I KNOW, I KNOW. CREEPY AS HELL, RIGHT?

"MOTHER ONLY STARTED TALKING ABOUT THIS STUFF AT THE END, WHEN SHE WAS SURE SHE WAS DYING."

NICE.





NOTHING GOOD, I GUESS.

AND I GUESS THAT'S WHEN THINGS STARTED TO GO WRONG HERE, WHEN THEY STARTED UP THAT CLUB.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

ACCIDENTS...

"AT FIRST MOSTLY IT WAS FIRES. SOME OF THE GIRLS GOT BURNED PRETTY BAD..."

"ONE OF MOTHER'S FRIENDS FELL DOWN SOME STAIRS AND BROKE HER NECK..."

"ANOTHER ONE WRECKED HER CAR OUT FRONT AND GOT KILLED."

"ACCIDENTS."

SCHOOL OPENED IN 1917. WAKEMAN SHOWED UP IN 1920. MOTHER STAYED ON TIL 1922, BUT BY THEN THINGS HAD GOTTEN PRETTY BAD. MOST OF THE GIRLS HAD LEFT. THEY CLOSED THE PLACE JUST A FEW YEARS LATER.

MOTHER GRADUATED BUT NEVER BECAME A DOCTOR. SAID SHE'D JUST LOST HER TASTE FOR IT.

STAIRS OVER HERE.

BASEMENT.

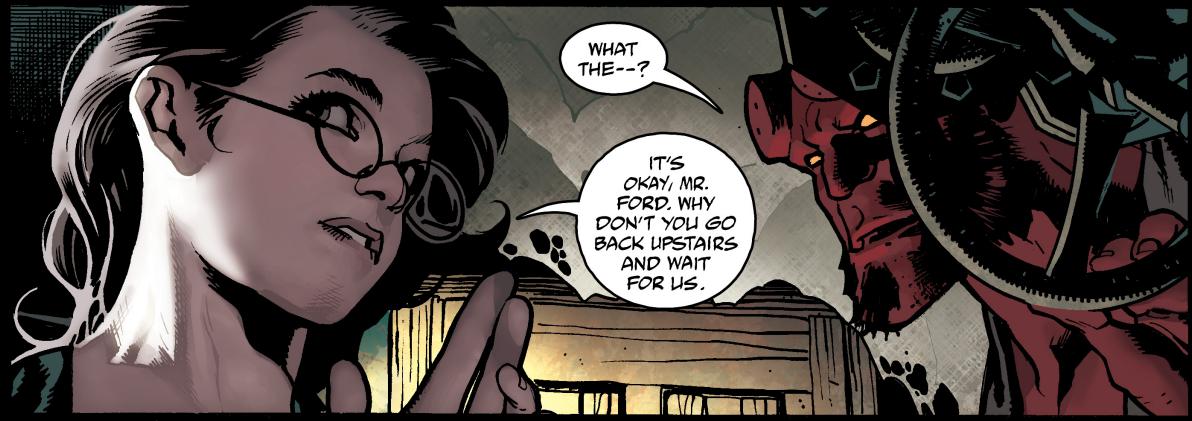
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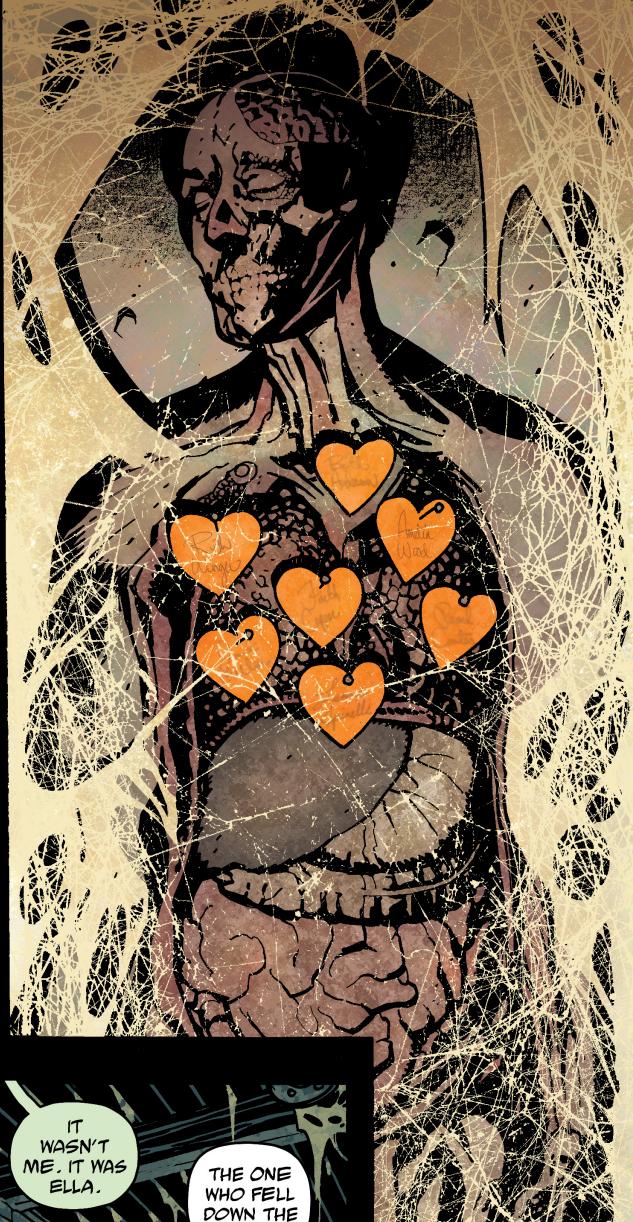
JOEY, YOU DON'T GO IN THERE.

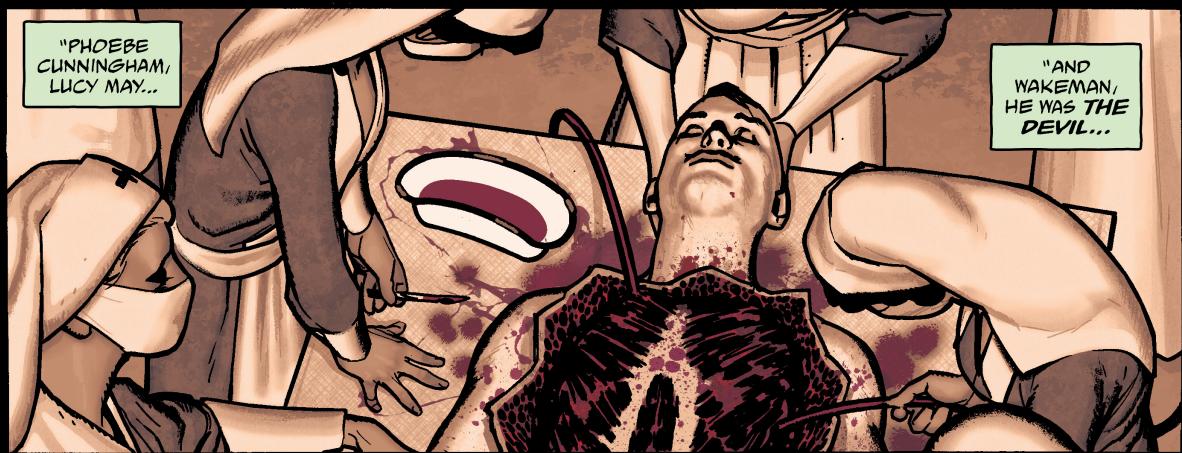
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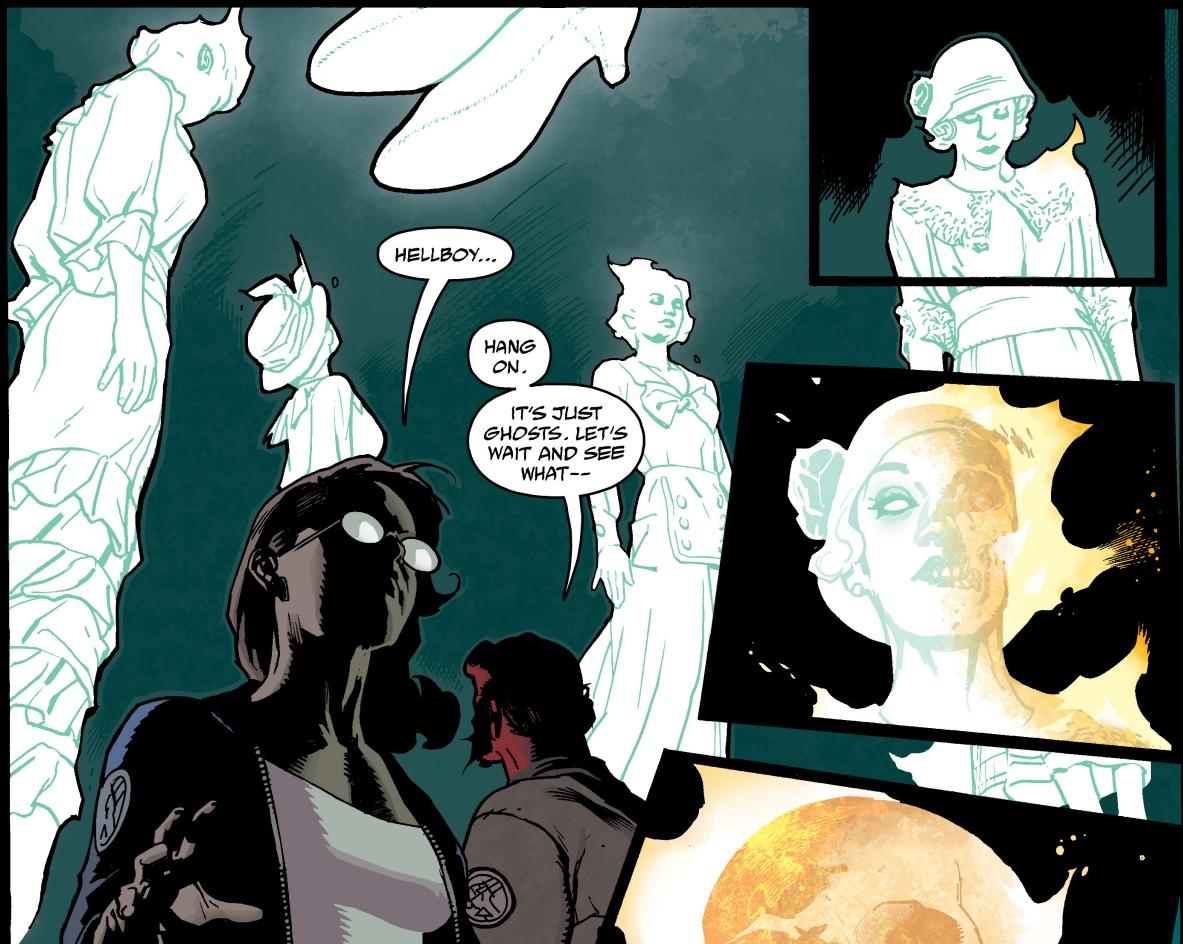


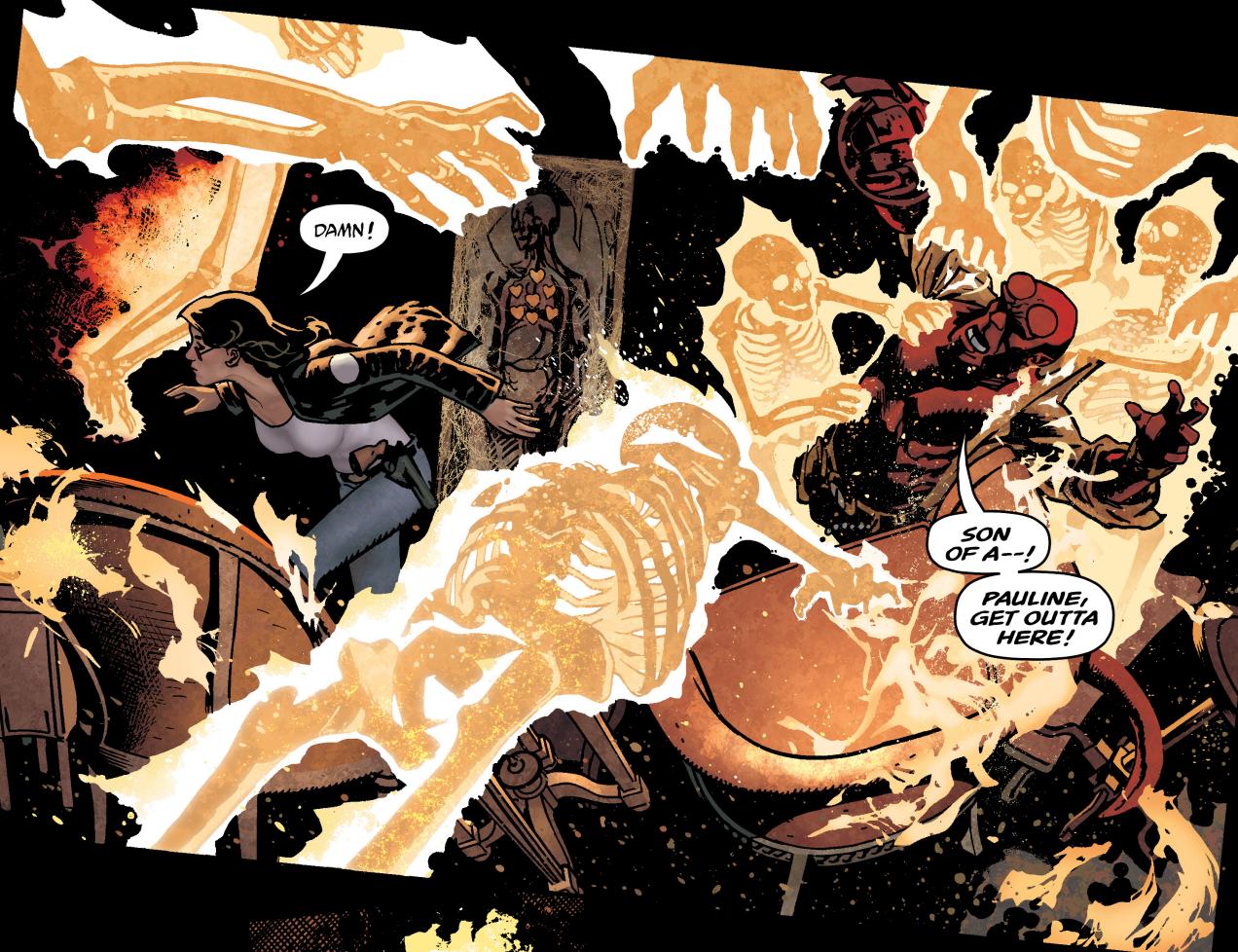


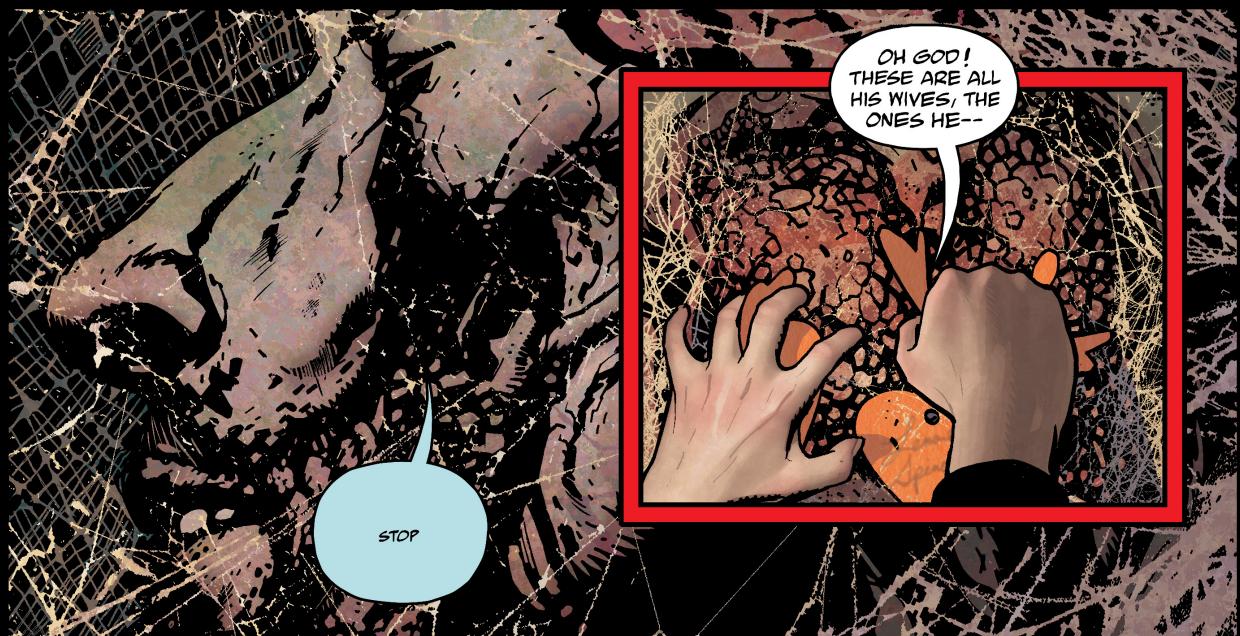




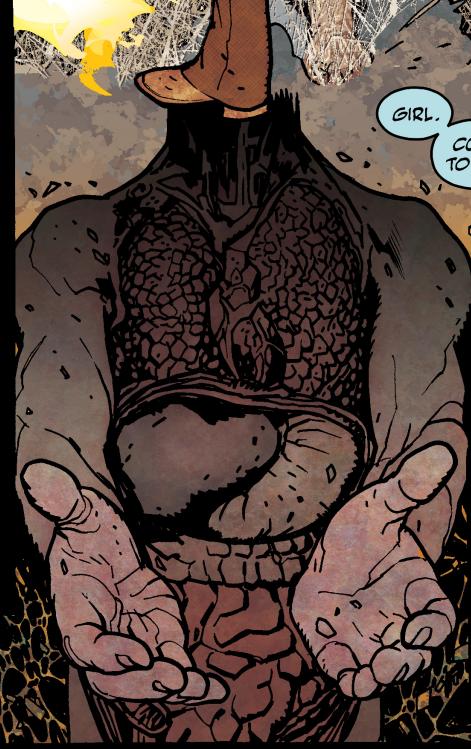








STOP



GO
TO HELL,
YOU--

BLA
BLA
BLA

RRUUAAAAM

HANG
ON!

AHH!

BAW



TUM



BAW

BOOM

OOF!

SMASH







THANKS TO B.P.R.D. TESTIMONY, JANE HOWELL WAS EVENTUALLY CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES IN THE DEATH OF THOMAS (TOMMY) NILES.

