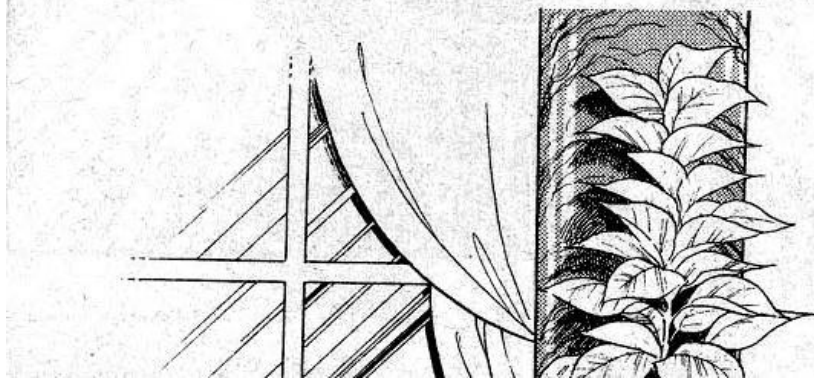
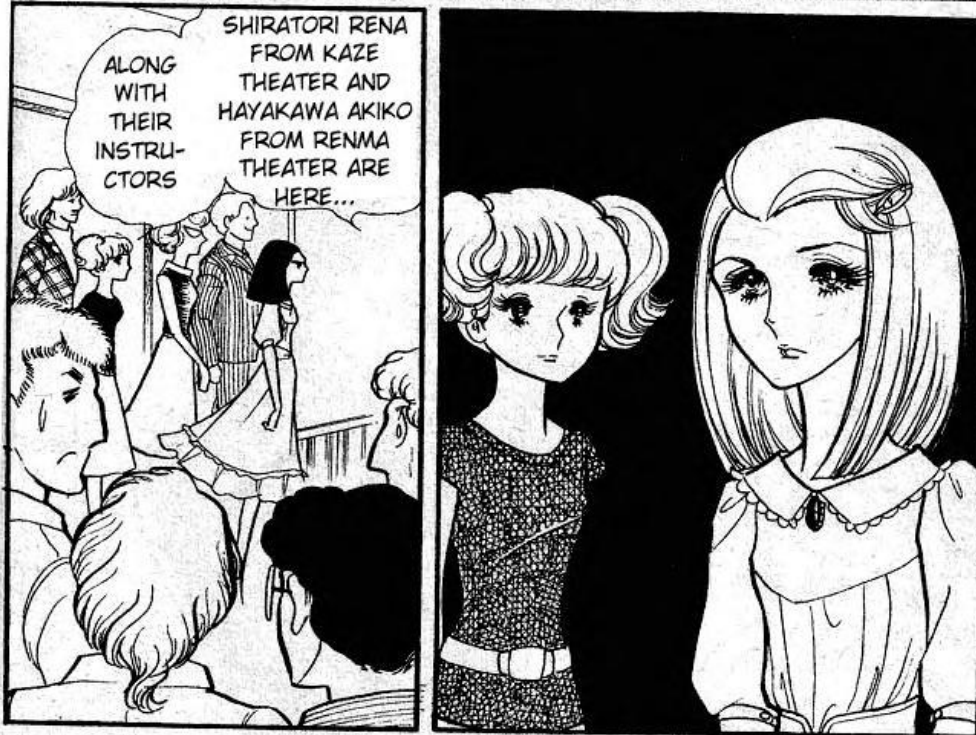
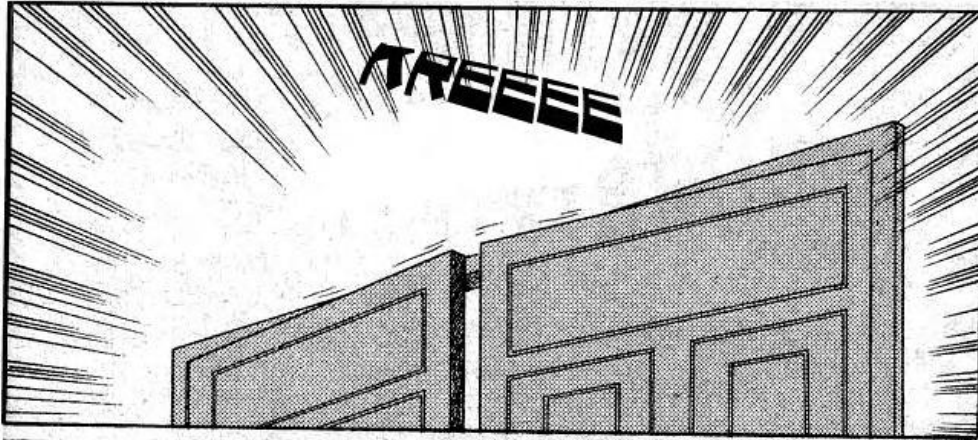




HERE ARE
THE FIVE
CANDIDATES!

PLEASE
COME IN!





THEY MUST TRAIN REALLY HARD

THEY LOOK TIRED FROM THE TRAININGS



HMM ..

SHE LOOKS LIKE A WOLF WITHOUT ANY RIVAL, DOESN'T SHE?



HERE IS KANAYA EMI

SHE DOESN'T LOOK TIRED AT ALL

AFTER GATHERING SOME INFORMATION, SHE TRAINED SERIOUSLY

SHE'S FROM A HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB, AND IS VERY TALENTED



TRAINING AS HELEN, THE GIRL WITH THREE DISABILITIES...

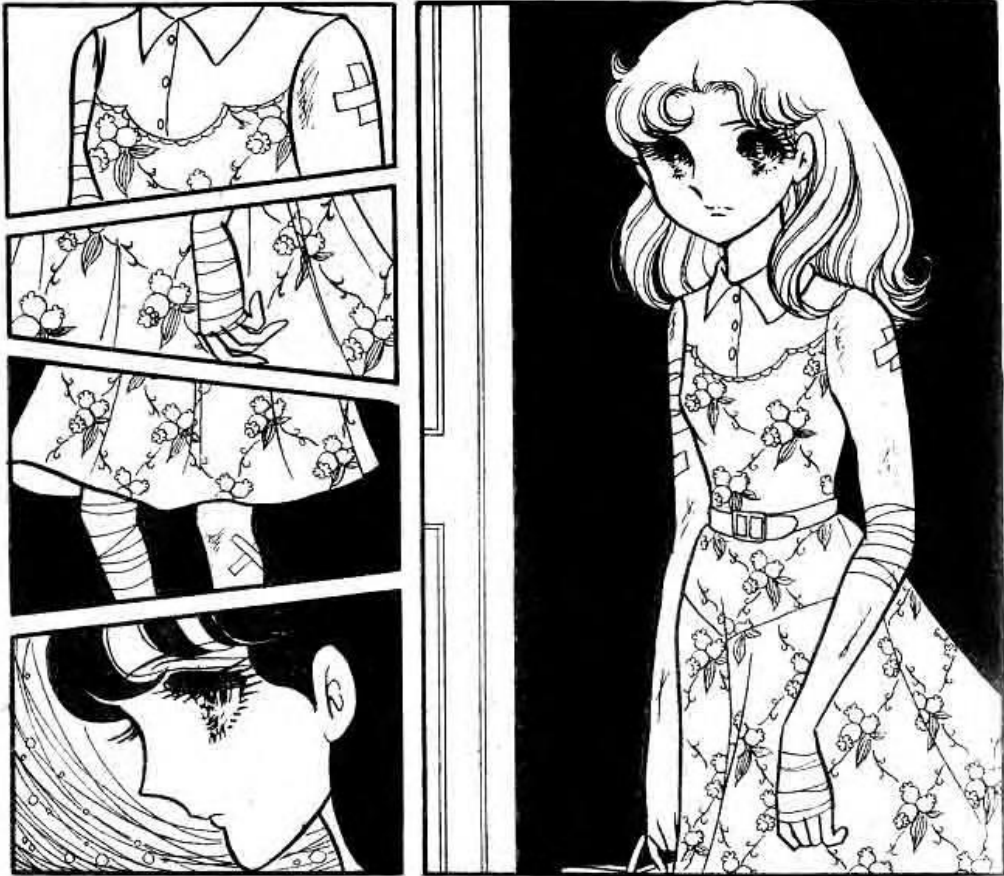
MUST BE DIFFICULT, HUH?

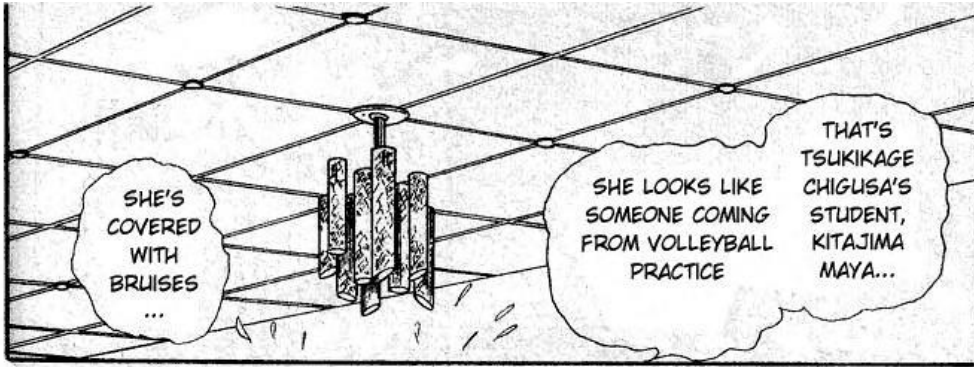
HEY, LOOK!



OH!



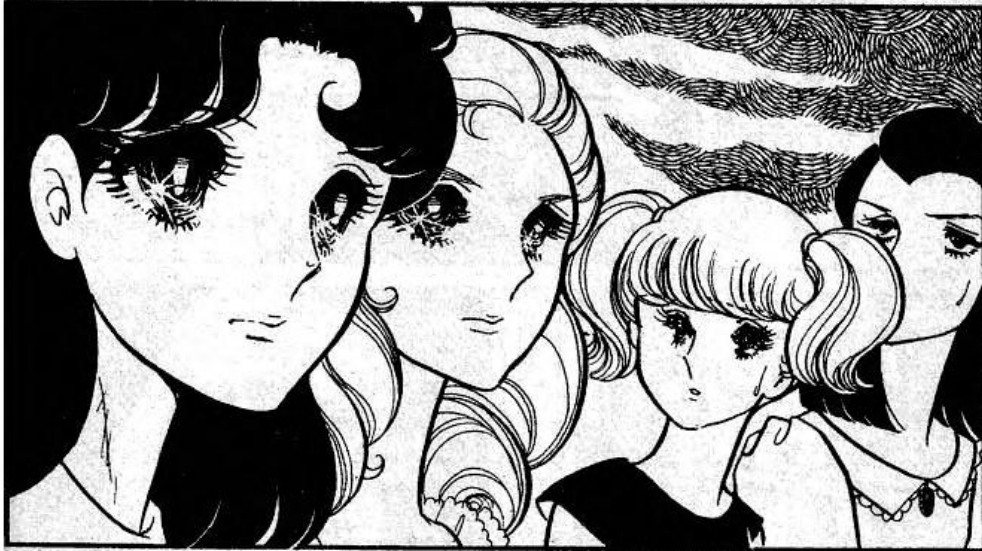




SHE'S COVERED WITH BRUISES ...

SHE LOOKS LIKE SOMEONE COMING FROM VOLLEYBALL PRACTICE

THAT'S TSUKIKAGE CHIGUSA'S STUDENT, KITAJIMA MAYA...

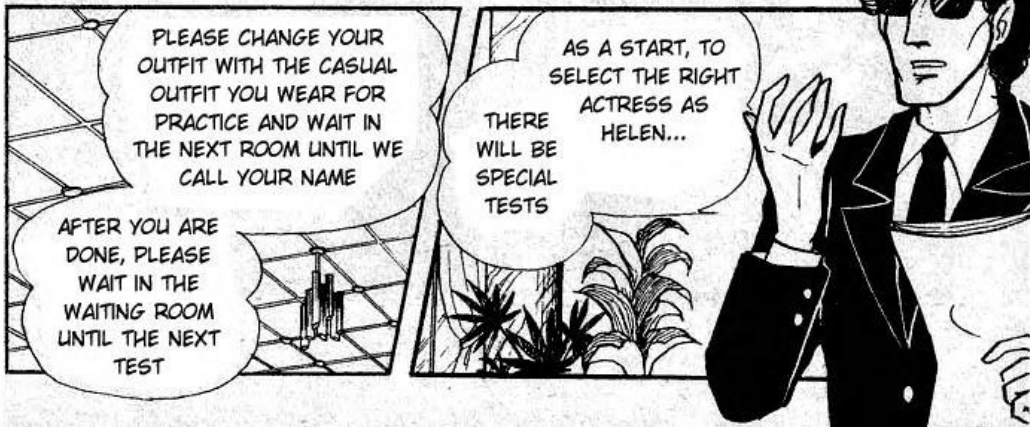


SHE WILL JOIN US SOON

THE ACTRESS FOR ANNIE SULLIVAN, HIMEKAWA UTAKO, WILL COME AFTER HER SHOOTING IS DONE

THERE ARE SIX JUDGES

THE AUDITION TO SELECT THE ACTRESS FOR HELEN WILL BE STARTING SOON!

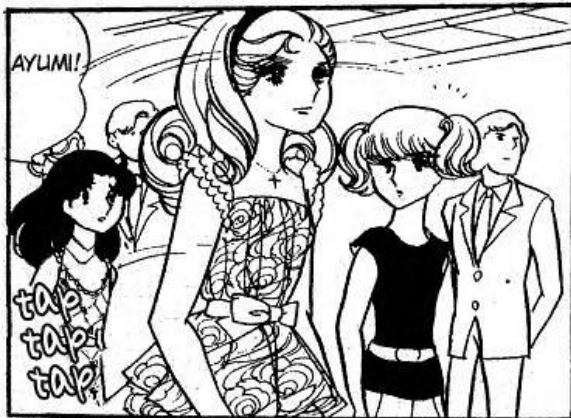


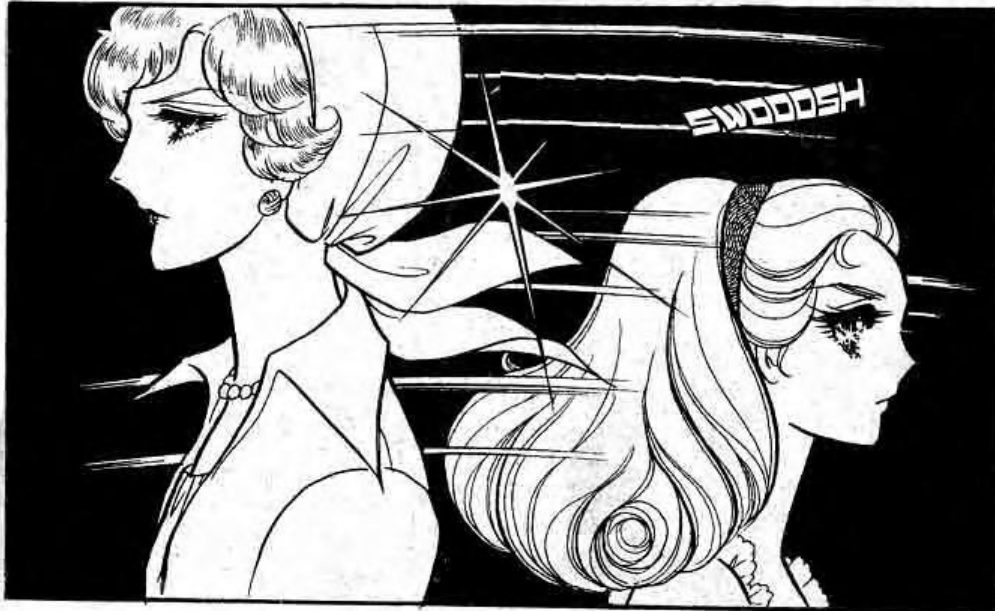
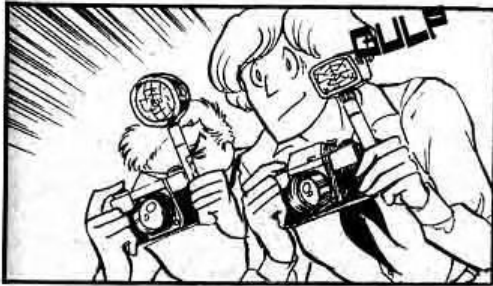
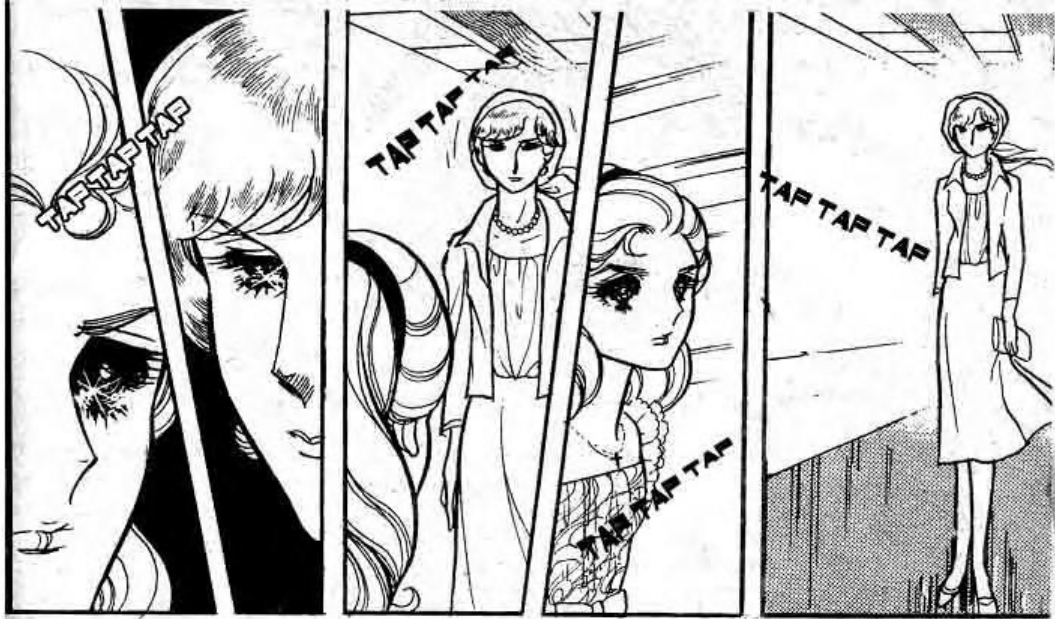
PLEASE CHANGE YOUR OUTFIT WITH THE CASUAL OUTFIT YOU WEAR FOR PRACTICE AND WAIT IN THE NEXT ROOM UNTIL WE CALL YOUR NAME

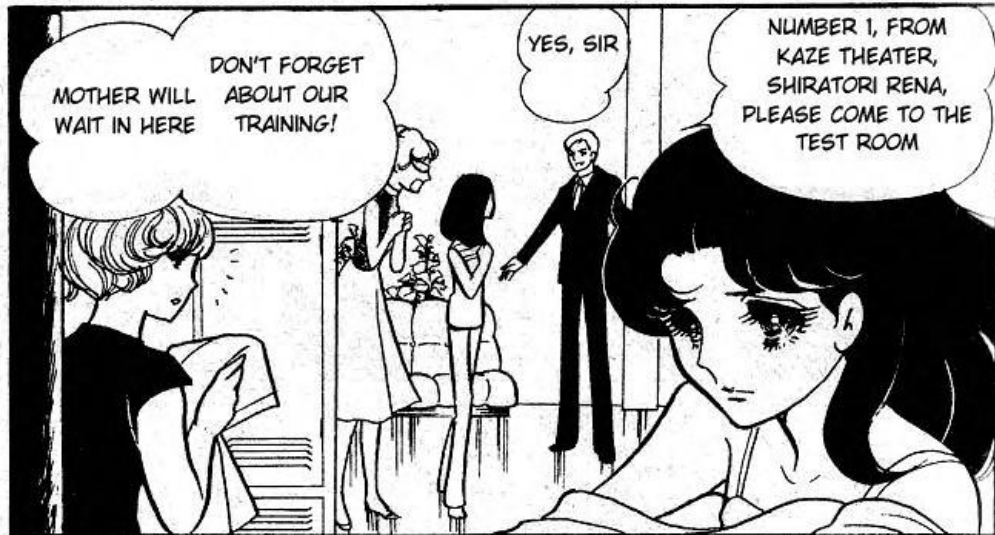
AFTER YOU ARE DONE, PLEASE WAIT IN THE WAITING ROOM UNTIL THE NEXT TEST

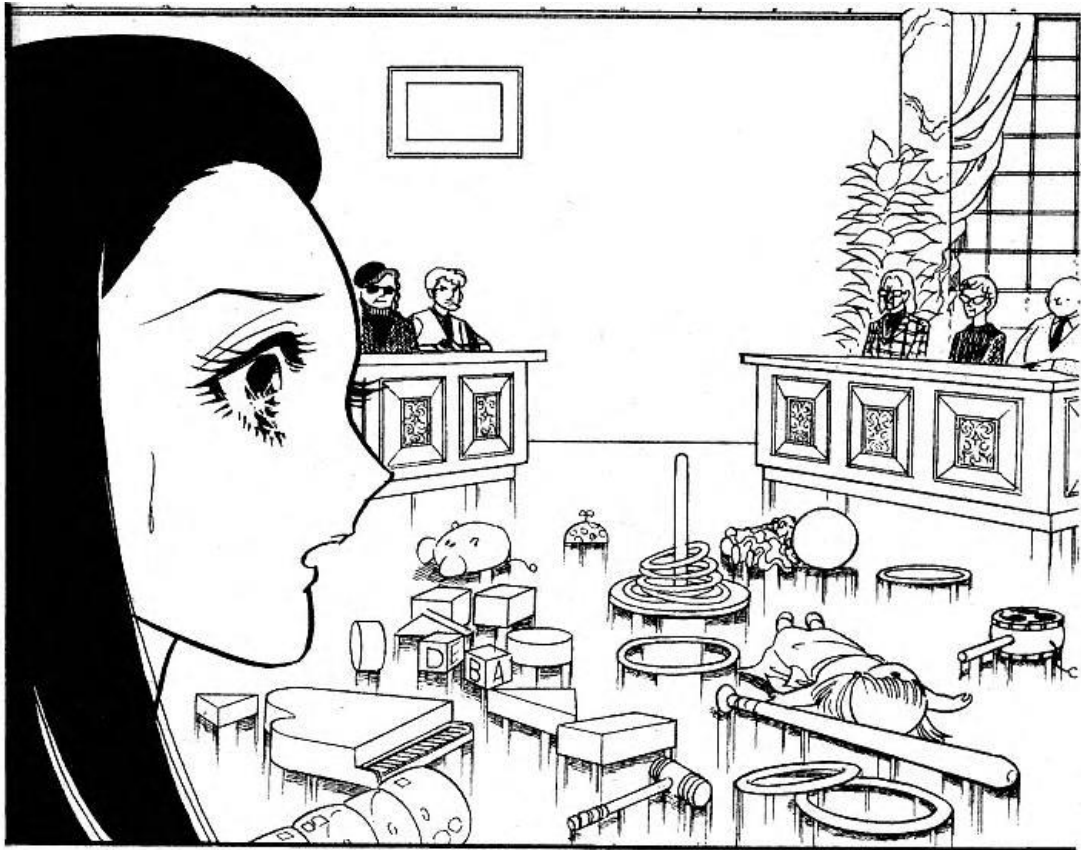
AS A START, TO SELECT THE RIGHT ACTRESS AS HELEN... THERE WILL BE SPECIAL TESTS

AS A START, TO SELECT THE RIGHT ACTRESS AS HELEN...











Y-YES!

NUMBER 2, RENMA THEATER'S HAYAKAWA AKIKO

I WONDER WHAT THEY WILL ASK ME TO DO IN THERE...

waiting room

HOW WAS THE TEST?

HOW DID YOU DO?

THAT'S ..

I THINK I DID OKAY

AND THEN I ACTED AS HELEN PLAYING WITH THE DOLL...

I WAS ASKED TO PLAY AS HELEN...

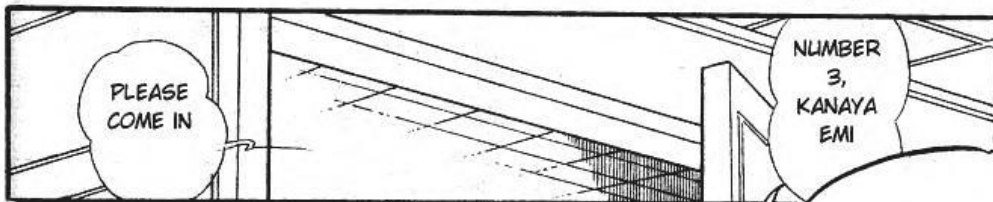
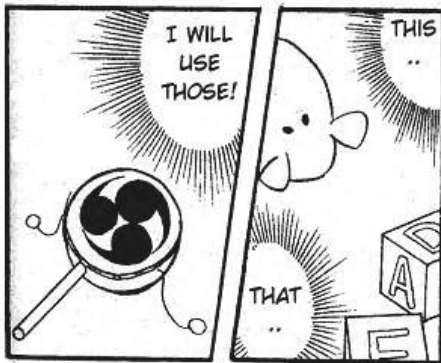
FROM ALL THE TOYS ON THE FLOOR, I PICKED THE DOLL...

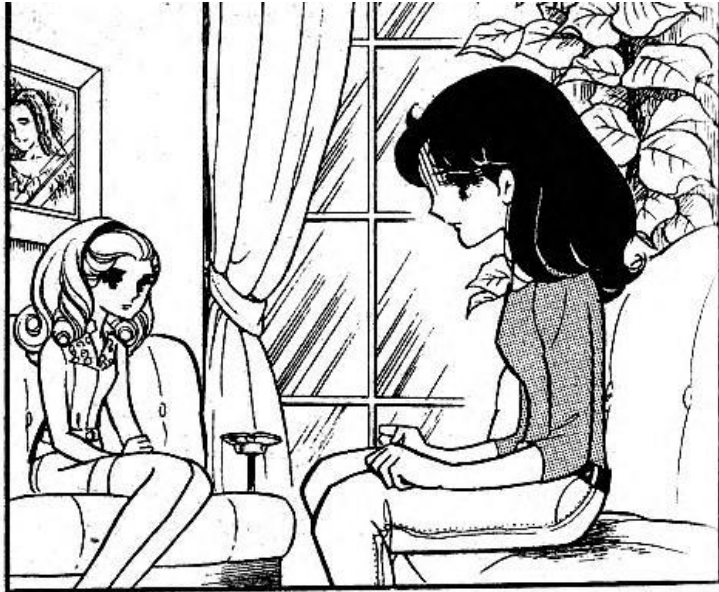
IN HE-RE.. ?

WHAT? TO PLAY AS HELEN?

HELEN LIKES DOLLS, RIGHT?

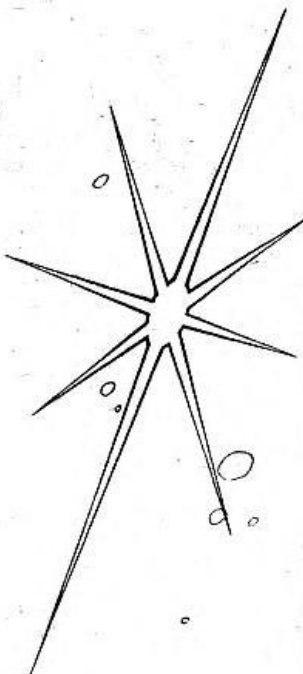
IT'S GOOD IF YOU DID OKAY





IF I FAIL THIS
AUDITION, I
WILL BE FIRED

HELEN
KELLER
...



I DON'T WANT I GIVE
TO THINK OF UP..
THE CONSE-
QUENCE...

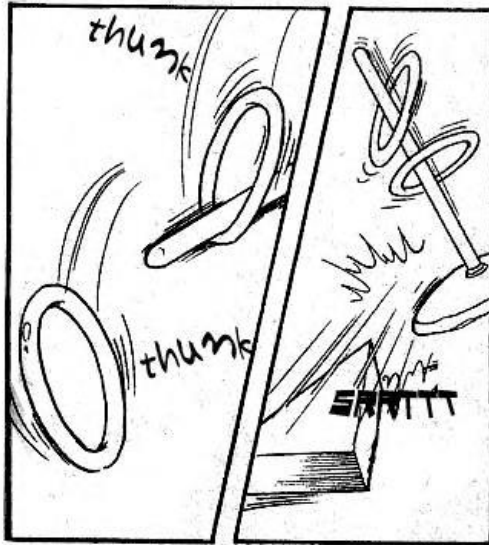
THERE'S NO
POINT TO BE
WORRIED...

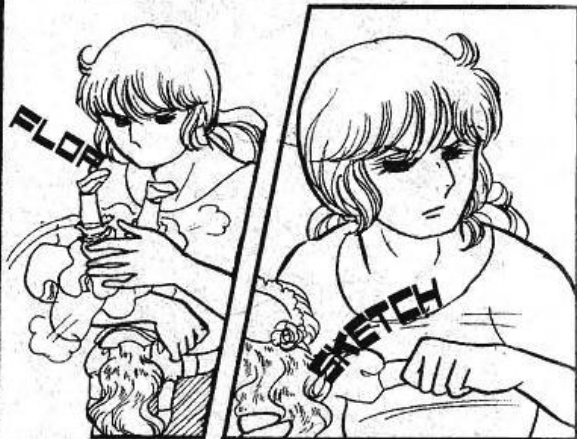
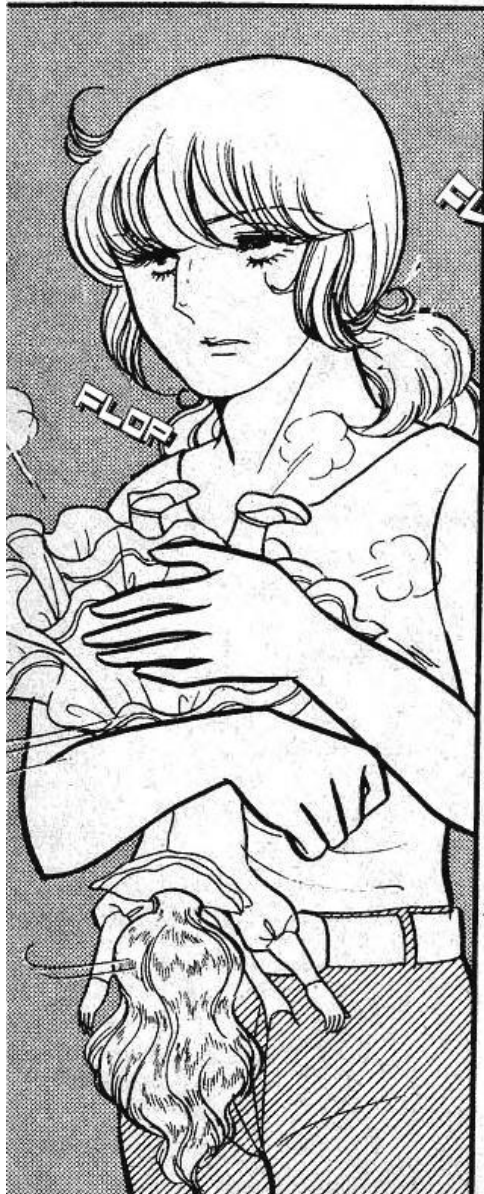
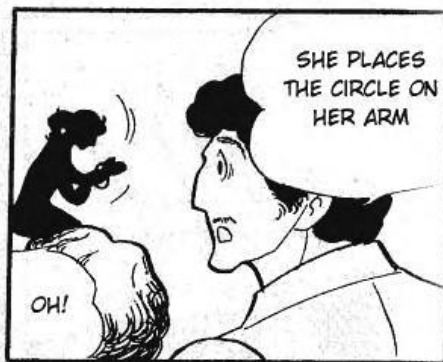
I AM
HELEN
KELLER!

EVERYTHING
WILL BE BASED
OFF TODAY'S
RESULTS

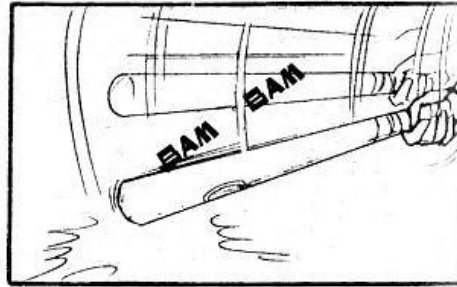












SHE TRIES EVERY SINGLE TOYS IN THIS ROOM!
AMAZING ...

SHE ENJOYS PLAYING WITH HER HANDS...



HER HELEN IS SO DYNAMIC

WE DON'T GET BORED BY HER PERFORMANCE
SHE IS REALLY SERIOUS...



RIGHT NOW SHE'S JUST A CANDIDATE FOR HELEN

THAT'S FINE.. CALL HER IN

OOPS

I DON'T CONSIDER HER AS MY DAUGHTER

THE NEXT ONE IS HIMEKAWA AYUMI

character character

