

**A HUNTER-GATHERER SETTLEMENT.
THIRTY YEARS AGO.**

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HOW LONG
HAVE THE MEN
BEEN GONE
HUNTING?

IT'S BEEN
A WEEK.

WHAT IS IT,
PEARL?

THOSE
GRAVELBERRY
BUSHES...

"ISN'T THIS THE SAME SPOT
WHERE WE WENT ON THAT EPIC
BERRY BINGE LAST YEAR?"

**THE
MEN
ARE
BACK!**

I'M BEGINNING
TO NOTICE A
CONNECTION--

**THE
LEISURE
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OH, THRAK!
DID YOU GUYS
CATCH
ANYTHING?

OF COURSE,
BABY. YOU KNOW
YOUR HUNTERS
ALWAYS COME
THROUGH.



BIA-DAM!

OH,
THAT'S
IT?



THRAK, LISTEN!
ACCORDING TO MY THEORY,
IF WE PLANT SEEDS ALONG
OUR MIGRATION ROUTE, THE
NEXT YEAR THERE WILL BE
FRUIT WAITING
FOR US--

WHATEVER YOU SAY,
GORGEOUS. HEY, BE A
GOOD GIRL AND CLEAN
THIS, WON'T YOU?

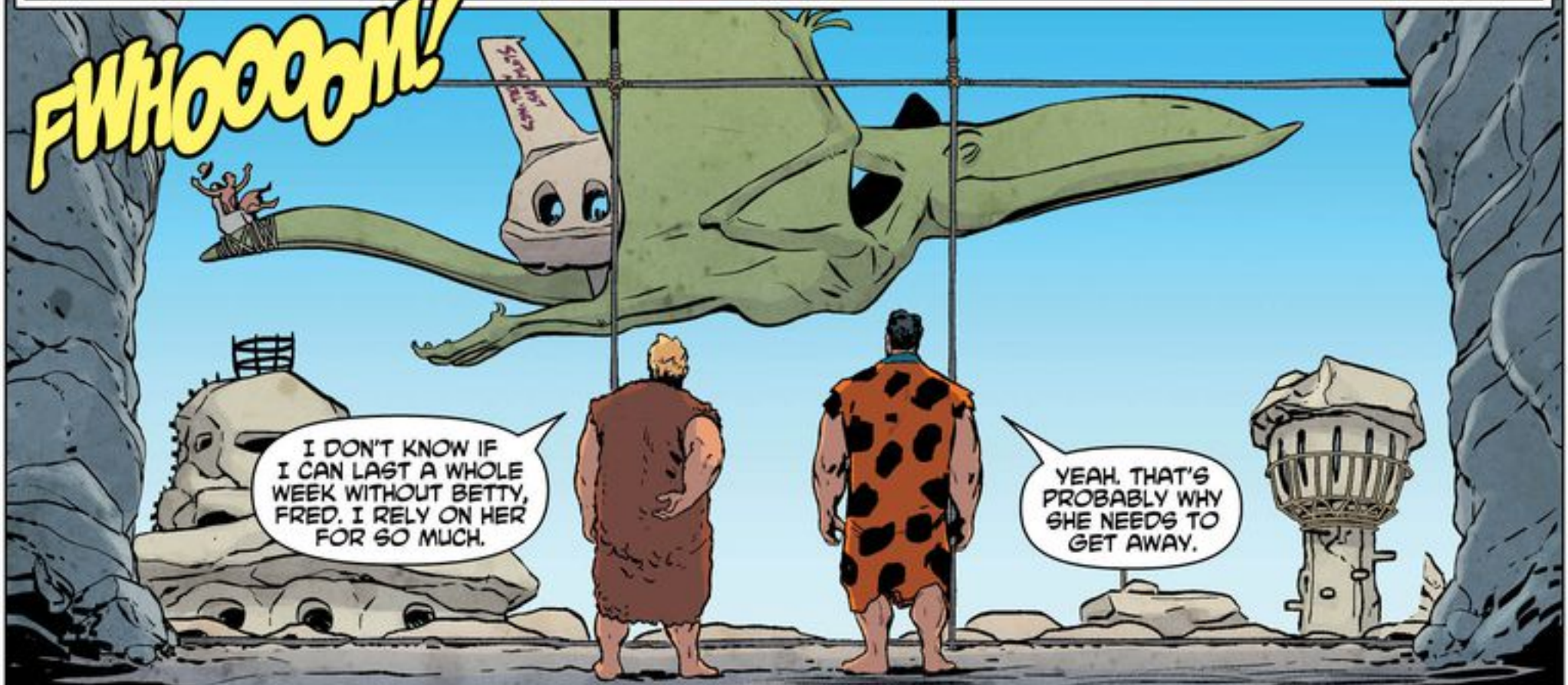


ANOTHER
AWESOME FEAST,
BROS! TO THE
BRINGERS OF
MEAT!

HAVE
SOME MANGO,
WILMA.



**BEDROCK AIRPORT.
PRESENT DAY.**





HEY, BAMB-BAMB. WHAT ARE YOU DOING TODAY?

UH... GOING TO SCHOOL?



OH, THAT'S RIGHT. IT'S WEDNESDAY. HAVE FUN.

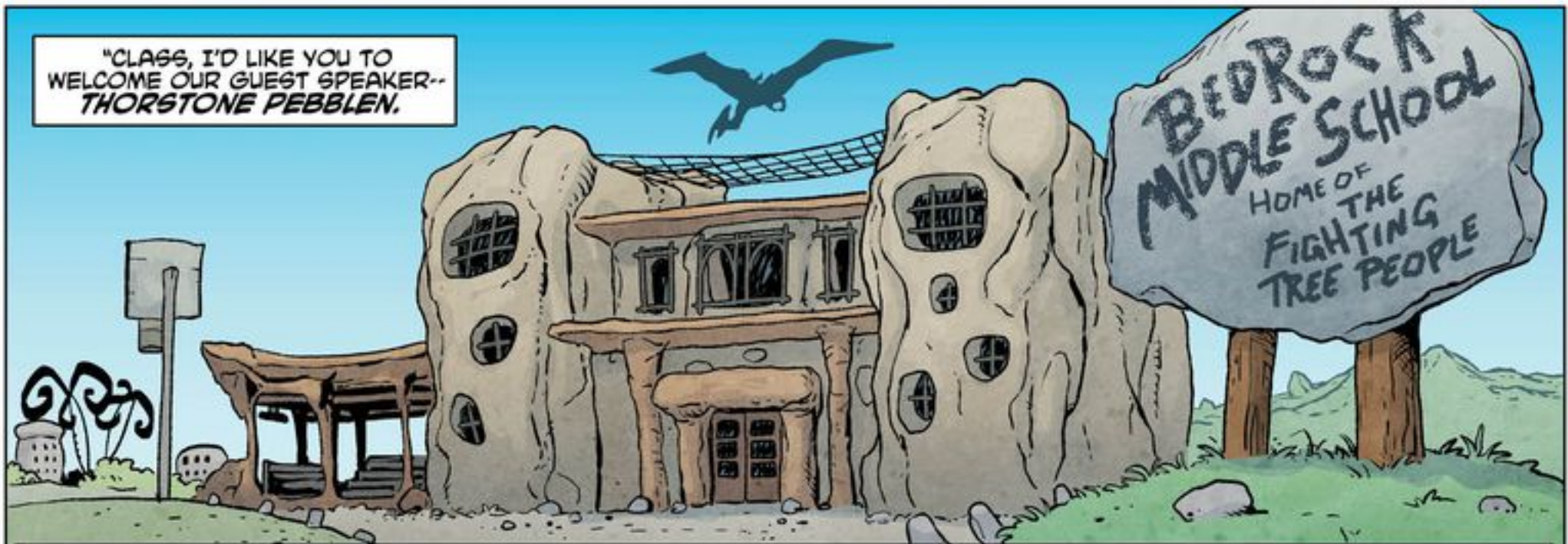


WELL? AREN'T YOU GOING TO MAKE MY LUNCH? MOM ALWAYS DOES.



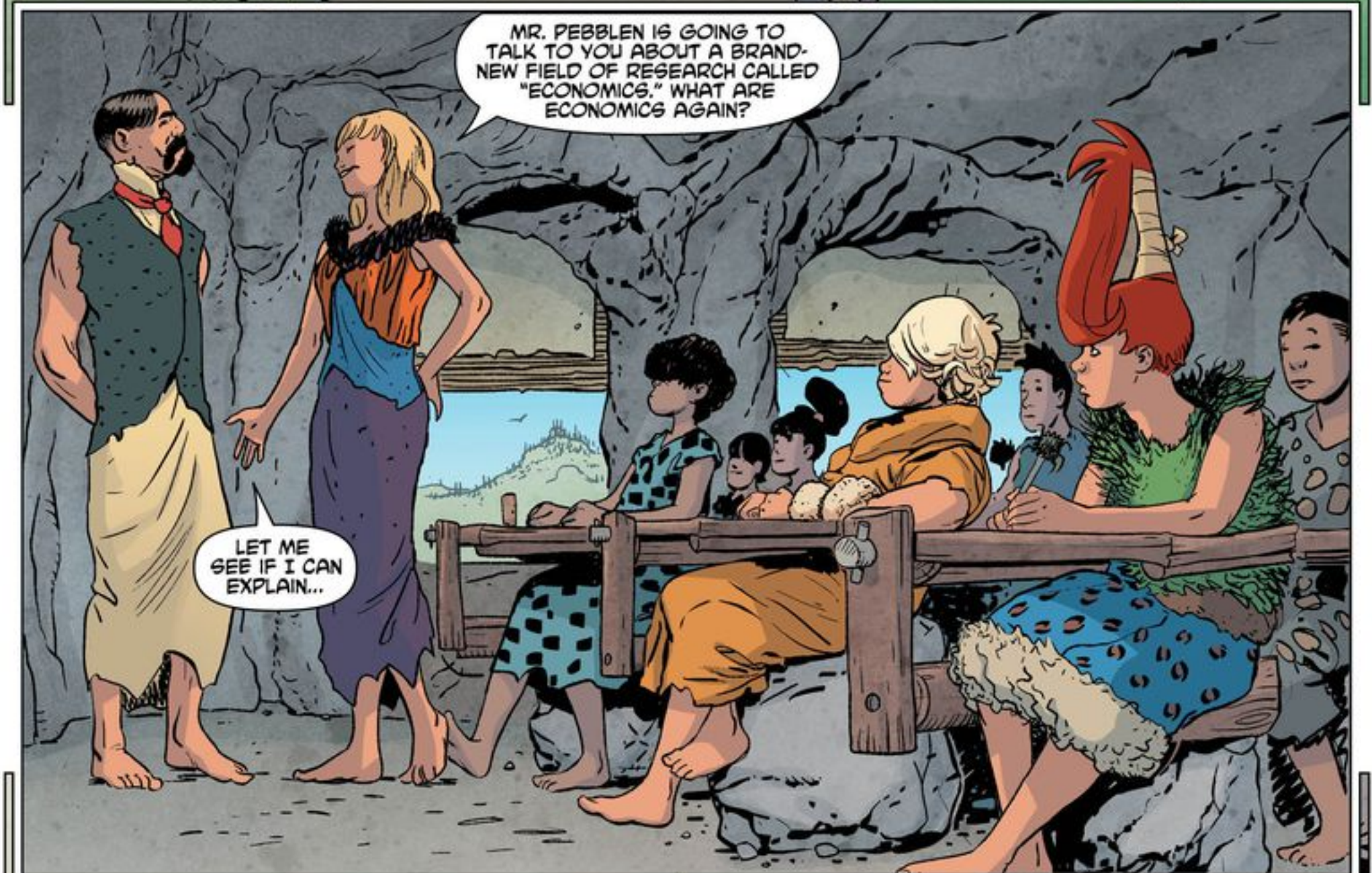
YOU SUCK, DAD.

"CLASS, I'D LIKE YOU TO WELCOME OUR GUEST SPEAKER--
THORSTONE PEBBLEN."



MR. PEBBLEN IS GOING TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT A BRAND-NEW FIELD OF RESEARCH CALLED "ECONOMICS." WHAT ARE ECONOMICS AGAIN?

LET ME SEE IF I CAN EXPLAIN...



"WHEN YOU TRICK SOMEBODY INTO PARTICIPATING IN A SMALL-TIME FRAUD, IT'S CALLED A 'SCAM.'"

SORRY!
THE PEBBLE WAS UNDER THIS SHELL.



"BUT WHEN THE SCAM IS SO BIG THAT PEOPLE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO PARTICIPATE, IT'S CALLED 'ECONOMICS.'"

A RENT INCREASE?
BUT I JUST GOT A RAISE!

YEP.
THAT'S WHY IT'S GOING UP.

