

WOAH!
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THE BOMB SQUAD IS ON THEIR WAY, MR. LAYTON.

MY SHITS ARE MORE USEFUL THAN THEY'VE BEEN.

THIS IS MY THIRD BUILDING THAT... WHOEVER HAS DECIDED TO BLOW UP. AND THE GCPD STILL HAS NOTHING!

THIS HAS GONE ON FOR FAR TOO LONG. TIME TO CALL IN THE BIG GUNS. I NEED YOU TO CONTACT MY--

"ONCE UPON A TIME, THERE WAS A DRAGON.

"AND I SLAYED IT.

BOOM!

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"THAT SHOULD BE THE END OF THE TALE.

"BUT IT ISN'T. FAR FROM IT, IN FACT.

BROKEN THINGS PART 3



"BECAUSE THERE'S STILL THE MATTER OF THE PRINCESS."

"EVERY STORY HAS TO HAVE A PRINCESS OR TWO. A PRISONER. A PRIZE."



"A ONCE UPON A TIME. A HAPPILY EVER AFTER. THE PATH THROUGH THE WOODS BETWEEN TWO POINTS."

"THERE ARE RULES TO THESE THINGS."



"BUT WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THE PRINCESS VIOLATES THE LAWS OF THE STORY?"



"WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU STRAY FROM THE PATH?"

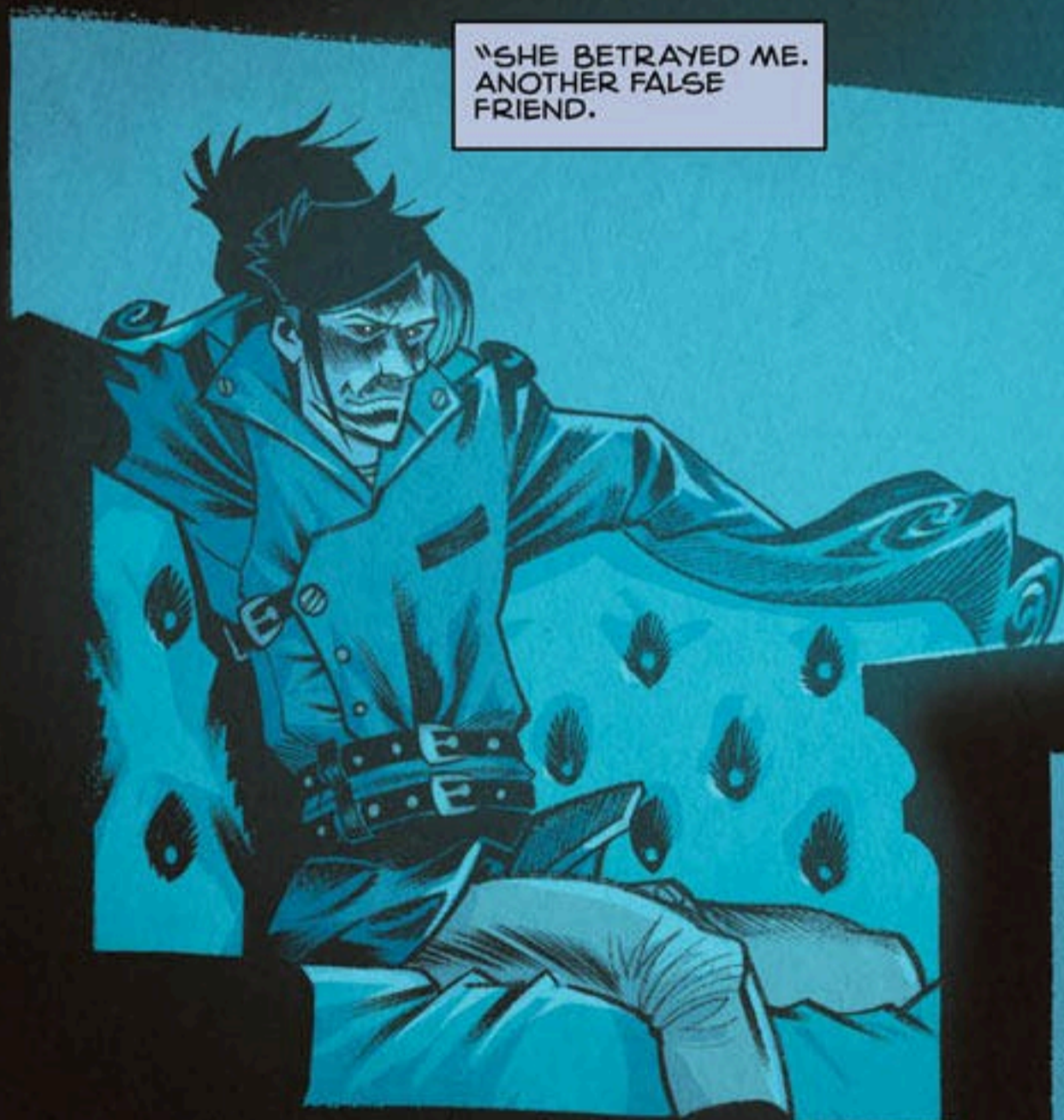




"CURSED BY A WITCH?
EATEN BY A WOLF?"

LOOKS LIKE
GOTHAM'S
ANGRIEST
CELEBUTANT
IS AT IT
AGAIN.


YOU THINK
THE PROBLEM
IS TOO MUCH
COKE, OR NOT
ENOUGH?



"SHE BETRAYED ME.
ANOTHER FALSE
FRIEND.



"AND THERE ARE
RULES FOR THAT,
TOO.



"WE LEARNED THEM
IN THE SAME
STRANGE CASTLE,
ME AND HER."



"AT GATHER HOUSE,
EACH ONE OF OUR
CLASSROOMS WILL
BE A GARDEN WHERE
TOMORROW BLOOMS!"

SLAM!



"BUT SO MANY
FLOWERS HAVE
THORNS. STAB.
STAB. STAB."



CLAP CLAP CLAP

"PERHAPS
EVEN
VIOLETS."



"SNIP. SNIP.
I'LL CUT YOU
YET."