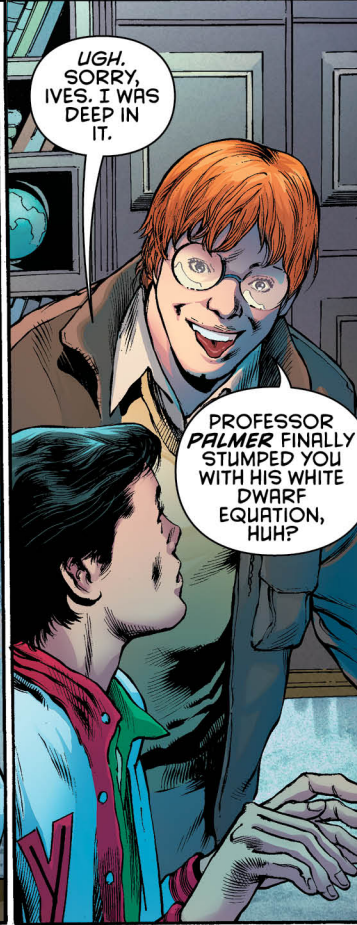


IVY UNIVERSITY. A FEW YEARS FROM NOW.

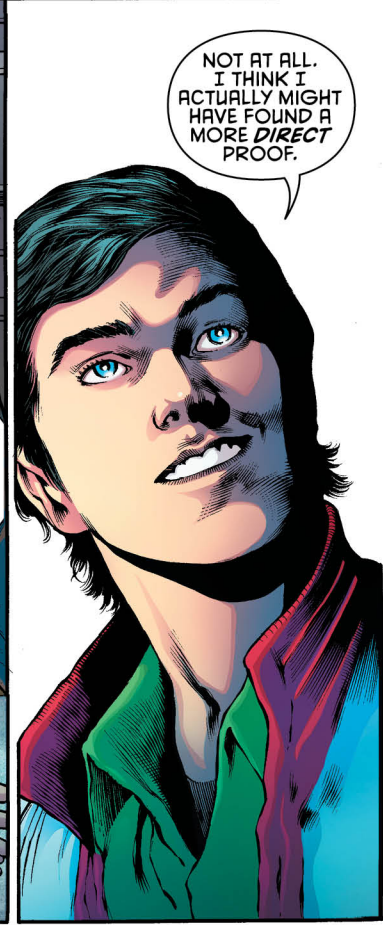


TIM DRAKE.
EARTH TO
TIM DRAKE.
DO YOU
COPY?

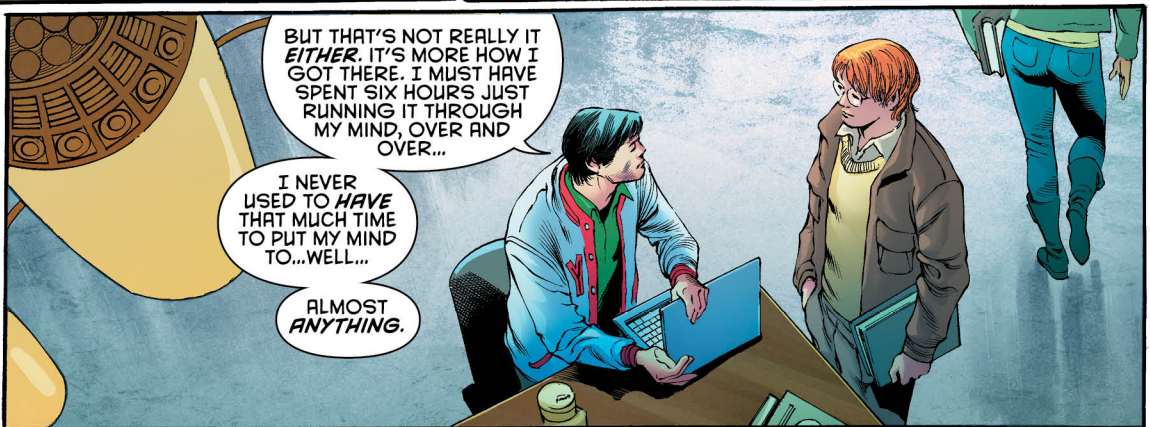


UGH,
SORRY,
IVES. I WAS
DEEP IN
IT.

PROFESSOR
PALMER FINALLY
STUMPED YOU
WITH HIS WHITE
DWARF
EQUATION,
HUH?



NOT AT ALL.
I THINK I
ACTUALLY MIGHT
HAVE FOUND A
MORE DIRECT
PROOF.



BUT THAT'S NOT REALLY IT
EITHER. IT'S MORE HOW I
GOT THERE. I MUST HAVE
SPENT SIX HOURS JUST
RUNNING IT THROUGH
MY MIND, OVER AND
OVER...

I NEVER
USED TO *HAVE*
THAT MUCH TIME
TO PUT MY MIND
TO...WELL...

ALMOST
ANYTHING.



EH, I STILL THINK YOU COULD TAKE IN A MOVIE OR TWO. YOU'VE MISSED **ALL** MY TERROR TUESDAYS THIS YEAR.

AFTER SOME OF THE THINGS I'VE SEEN, I CAN'T REALLY IMAGINE HAVING **FUN** WATCHING PEOPLE DIE.

WANT TO HEAR ABOUT THE TIME I WENT TO ANOTHER DIMENSION?

EVERY NOW AND THEN YOU SAY SOMETHING THAT MAKES IT SOUND LIKE YOU WERE SOME KIND OF **TEENAGE SUPERSPY**.

OH, SHUT THE HELL UP.



DRAKE!

VALENTINE? WHAT'S WRONG?

HAVE YOU SEEN THE **NEWS?**



GOTHAM'S BEEN RE-DECLARED A **NO-MAN'S-LAND**. THEY'RE FINALLY DOING IT. THE **PRESIDENT** JUST SIGNED THE ORDER.

THEY'RE MOVING IN AGAINST HIM **NOW**. THE ORDER SAYS **DEAD OR ALIVE**.



THIS IS THE **END** OF BATMAN.



PRESIDENT DEPLOYS COLONY IN GOTHAM

**LIVE
CBN**



BRUCE
WAYNE.

HH.
MAKE
ME.



WE ARE
HERE ON
ORDER OF THE
PRESIDENT OF
THE UNITED
STATES.

YOU WILL
DEACTIVATE
ALL DEFENSIVE
WEAPONRY, REMOVE
ALL EXPERIMENTAL
TECHNOLOGY FROM
YOUR BODY, AND
EXIT THE MANSION
WITH YOUR
HANDS
UP.

BROTHER EYE.
STATUS?

UPLOAD
AT 47
PERCENT.

REROUTE
BACKUP
DRIVERS TO
THE UPLOAD.
KEEP
PUSHING.

