



I'M HAN SOLO AND YOU'RE CHEWIE, MOM!

MORE POWER TO THE REAR SHIELDS!

I THINK YOU MEANT GENERAL LEIA.

'MORNING, SLEEPYHEADS!

FIGURED WE'D BYPASS THE HIGHWAY AND MAKE UP SOME TIME!

NEXT STOP: WASHINGTON, D.C.

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WHAT DID YOU FIND THE MOST INTERESTING, JON?

THAT LITTLE SUBWAY THAT CARRIES SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES AROUND WAS PRETTY COOL.

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IT'S GETTING LATE, WE'VE GOT TIME FOR ONLY ONE MORE STOP.

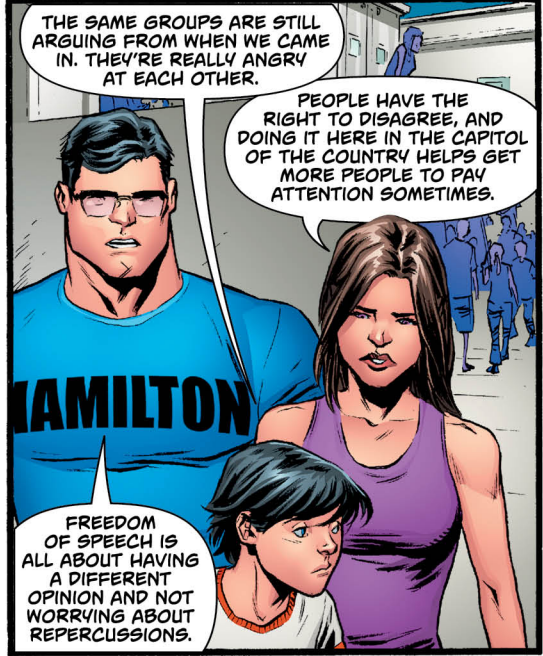
NATIONAL ARCHIVES OR THE SMITHSONIAN?

NO NEED TO FLIP.

I KNOW JON WANTS TO SEE THE AIR AND SPACE MUSEUM.

BUT YOU GUYS WANNA SEE THE ARCHIVES.

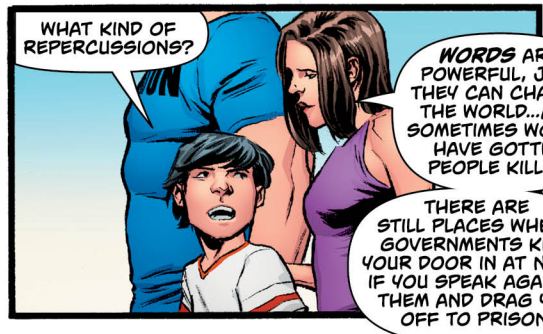
WE CAN GO NEXT TIME.



THE SAME GROUPS ARE STILL ARGUING FROM WHEN WE CAME IN. THEY'RE REALLY ANGRY AT EACH OTHER.

PEOPLE HAVE THE RIGHT TO DISAGREE, AND DOING IT HERE IN THE CAPITOL OF THE COUNTRY HELPS GET MORE PEOPLE TO PAY ATTENTION SOMETIMES.

FREEDOM OF SPEECH IS ALL ABOUT HAVING A DIFFERENT OPINION AND NOT WORRYING ABOUT REPERCUSSIONS.



WHAT KIND OF REPERCUSSIONS?

WORDS ARE POWERFUL, JON. THEY CAN CHANGE THE WORLD..AND SOMETIMES WORDS HAVE GOTTEN PEOPLE KILLED.

THERE ARE STILL PLACES WHERE GOVERNMENTS KICK YOUR DOOR IN AT NIGHT IF YOU SPEAK AGAINST THEM AND DRAG YOU OFF TO PRISON.



AND JUST AS IMPORTANT AS WORDS ARE IN CHANGING THE WORLD...

...SO ARE DEEDS.

AND HERE ARE SOME OF THE BEST.

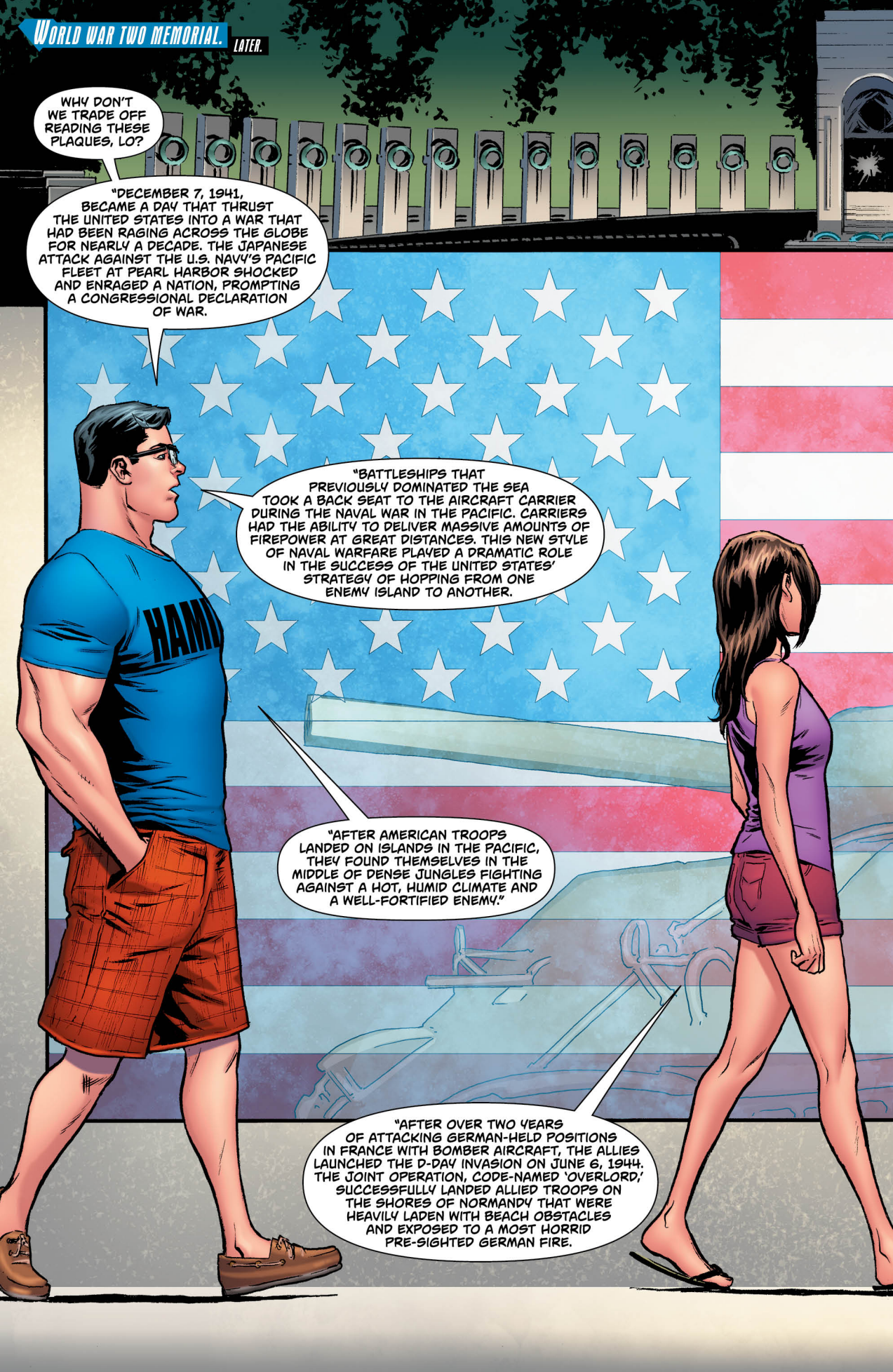
WHY DON'T WE TRADE OFF READING THESE PLAQUES, LO?

"DECEMBER 7, 1941, BECAME A DAY THAT THRUST THE UNITED STATES INTO A WAR THAT HAD BEEN RAGING ACROSS THE GLOBE FOR NEARLY A DECADE. THE JAPANESE ATTACK AGAINST THE U.S. NAVY'S PACIFIC FLEET AT PEARL HARBOR SHOCKED AND ENRAGED A NATION, PROMPTING A CONGRESSIONAL DECLARATION OF WAR.

"BATTLESHIPS THAT PREVIOUSLY DOMINATED THE SEA TOOK A BACK SEAT TO THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER DURING THE NAVAL WAR IN THE PACIFIC. CARRIERS HAD THE ABILITY TO DELIVER MASSIVE AMOUNTS OF FIREPOWER AT GREAT DISTANCES. THIS NEW STYLE OF NAVAL WARFARE PLAYED A DRAMATIC ROLE IN THE SUCCESS OF THE UNITED STATES' STRATEGY OF HOPPING FROM ONE ENEMY ISLAND TO ANOTHER.

"AFTER AMERICAN TROOPS LANDED ON ISLANDS IN THE PACIFIC, THEY FOUND THEMSELVES IN THE MIDDLE OF DENSE JUNGLES FIGHTING AGAINST A HOT, HUMID CLIMATE AND A WELL-FORTIFIED ENEMY."

"AFTER OVER TWO YEARS OF ATTACKING GERMAN-HELD POSITIONS IN FRANCE WITH BOMBER AIRCRAFT, THE ALLIES LAUNCHED THE D-DAY INVASION ON JUNE 6, 1944. THE JOINT OPERATION, CODE-NAMED 'OVERLORD,' SUCCESSFULLY LANDED ALLIED TROOPS ON THE SHORES OF NORMANDY THAT WERE HEAVILY LADEN WITH BEACH OBSTACLES AND EXPOSED TO A MOST HORRID PRE-SIGHTED GERMAN FIRE.





"FOLLOWING THE INVASION OF NORMANDY, ALLIED AND AMERICAN TROOPS LAUNCHED OPERATION 'COBRA,' BREAKING THROUGH GERMAN DEFENSES. TANKS AIDED THE INFANTRYMEN AND PLAYED AN INTEGRAL PART IN THE 'BREAK-OUT' INTO FRANCE.

ANOTHER WAR TO END ALL WARS...

"AFTER MORE THAN FOUR MISERABLE YEARS OF HARD FIGHTING AGAINST A DETERMINED FOE, WORD OF A JAPANESE SURRENDER ARRIVED ON AUGUST 14, 1945, THREE MONTHS AFTER NAZI GERMANY. ABOARD THE U.S.S. MISSOURI, JAPANESE GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES SIGNED DOCUMENTS OFFICIALLY ENDING THE WAR FOREVER KNOWN AS V-J DAY."



KILLROY WAS HERE