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WHO IS THE EMERALD ARCHER?

SEATTLE'S DEFENDER? A DOMESTIC TERRORIST? A RECKLESS VIGILANTE? OR A COSTUMED WANNABE?

I'M VICTORIA MUCH, AND THIS SEGMENT KICKS OFF A LARGER INVESTIGATIVE SERIES ABOUT THE MAN WHO CALLS HIMSELF THE GREEN ARROW.



EMERALD OUTLAW PART ONE

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SEVERAL WEEKS AGO, GREEN ARROW BROKE INTO **QUEEN INDUSTRIES**. SECURITY FOOTAGE CONFIRMS THIS.

BUT WHAT HAPPENED NEXT IS STILL IN QUESTION. HE **ALLEGEDLY** ATTACKED SEVERAL SECURITY GUARDS AND SET OFF A BOMB IN THE OFFICE OF CFO **CYRUS BRODERICK**.



THE **KOMA 2** CHOPPER WAS ON THE SCENE FOR THE POLICE CHASE THAT FOLLOWED.

AND YOU CAN SEE HERE OUR EXCLUSIVE FOOTAGE OF GREEN ARROW **ASSAULTING** SEVERAL OFFICERS.



AND THE CITY IS STILL CLEANING UP AFTER THE DISASTROUS WRECK OF THE **EMPIRE EXPRESS**. THERE ARE CONFLICTING REPORTS AS TO WHAT HAPPENED ON BOARD...

...BUT GREEN ARROW REMAINS A PERSON OF INTEREST IN BOTH THE ASSASSINATION OF **AMIN MUSTAFA**-- THE SAUDI DIPLOMAT WHO HOPED FOR A NINE-NATION PEACE TREATY-- AND THE DESTRUCTION OF THE HIGH-SPEED TRAIN.



DO YOU THINK GREEN ARROW IS A FRIEND OR FOE OF SEATTLE?

HE BROKE A POLICE OFFICER'S ARM, DIDN'T HE? HE'S RESPONSIBLE FOR MILLIONS IN PROPERTY DAMAGE, ISN'T HE? SURE AS HECK SOUNDS LIKE A CRIMINAL TO ME.

KOMA NEWS 2
Sergeant Scott Notting, Seattle PD

TWO BOYS STOLE MY PURSE, AND YOU KNOW WHO SMACKED THEM AROUND AND GOT MY MONEY BACK?

GREEN ARROW. GLAD SOMEBODY CARES ABOUT THIS ZIP CODE. WE'RE INVISIBLE OTHERWISE.

KOMA NEWS 2
Shanda Gates, Pennytown resident

NO SUCH THING AS GREEN ARROW. ALL THEM PHOTOS IS DOCTORED.

THE LIBERALS WISH THEY HAD A BOGEYMAN TO SIC ON US.

ARE YOU KIDDING? HE'S A NORMAL DUDE-- NO POWERS--WHO FIGHTS FOR THE DISENFRANCHISED. HE'S THE GREATEST HERO OUT THERE!

KOMA NEWS 2
Earl Tapper, Redmond Resident

INCORRECT. BATMAN IS. GREEN ARROW IS A SECOND-RATE BATMAN.

BATMAN IS MEAN, IMO. AND HAS, LIKE, A CONSERVATIVE IDEOLOGY THAT IS TOTALLY AT ODDS WITH ARROW'S SJW BIG-HEARTEDNESS.

I LOATHE SJWs. ALSO, BATMAN WOULD WIN IN A FIGHT. JUST SAYIN'.

KOMA NEWS 2
Emerald Con attendee

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THE RUMORS THAT HE AND BLACK CANARY ARE AN ITEM?

THEY'RE HOT. BLACK CANARY IS PRETTY MUCH THE ULTIMATE BADASS, YEAH? SHE WOULDN'T HOOK UP WITH JUST ANYBODY.

KOMA NEWS 2
Juniper Horton, Barista

THAT DISGUSTING MAN BROKE INTO MY HOUSE... AND AIMED AN ARROW AT MY HEART... AND DEMANDED THAT I DONATE HALF MY SALARY AND A TRUCKLOAD OF EPI-PENS TO THE CITY HOSPITAL.

I DON'T CARE IF IT WAS TAX DEDUCTIBLE-- IT WAS ROBBERY ALL THE SAME.

KOMA NEWS 2
Maureen Lynch, Pharmaceutical CEO

THE UNDERGROUND MEN CAME FOR MY FAMILY. TRIED TO SELL THEM AS SLAVE LABOR.

ARROW AND CANARY, THEY CARED IN A WAY NO ONE ELSE HAS. THEY SAVED MY FAMILY!

KOMA NEWS 2

THERE ARE MORE OPINIONS ON GREEN ARROW THAN THERE ARE ARROWS IN HIS QUIVER.

SHOULD WE FEAR HIM? OR CELEBRATE HIM AS A HOMETOWN HERO?

MY INVESTIGATION CONTINUES AS I CHASE SIGHTINGS AND RUMORS AROUND THE CITY, ALL WHILE ASKING, WHO IS THE EMERALD ARCHER--AND WHERE DOES HE HIDE AMONG US?

KOMA NEWS 2

RAINIER WILDERNESS
OUTSIDE SEATTLE.



YO, OI!
WHERE ARE
YOU?

GET
YOUR
ASS DOWN
HERE!

ALLOW
ME.

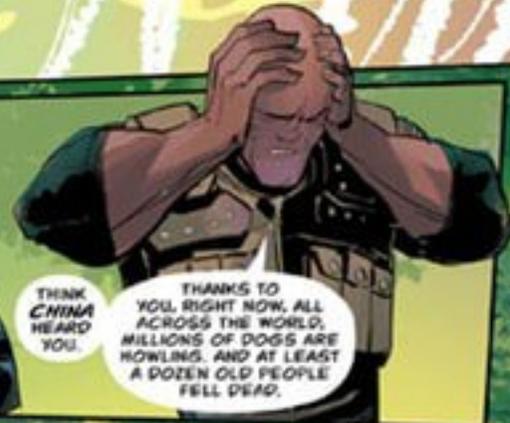


OLL'N'NEEEEEE

THINK
HE HEARD
ME?



THINK
CHINA
HEARD
YOU.



THANKS TO
YOU, RIGHT NOW, ALL
ACROSS THE WORLD,
MILLIONS OF DOGS ARE
HOWLING, AND AT LEAST
A DOZEN OLD PEOPLE
FELL DEAD.

WHEN A
PRETTY BIRD
CALLS...
...I
ANSWER.



HERE HE
COMES.



I STAGGERED
THE MOTION SENSORS
ALONG A FIVE-ACRE
PERIMETER.

GREAT, I
FEEL SO MUCH
SAFER. NO
BLOODTHIRSTY
RACCOONS CAN
SNEAK UP ON
US NOW.



NEED
YOUR HELP
WITH A
WALKWAY

BUT...
SNUGGLES.

PLEASE
DON'T EVER USE
THAT WORD AGAIN,
I JUST THREW UP
IN MY MOUTH.