

THINGS AREN'T
WORKING OUT LIKE
I HOPED.

MORE LIKE
"EXPECT
THE WORST"
TERRITORY.

BADOW

BADOW

KERRASH

BADOW

BRADOW

BRAPP

BADOW

**THE PLAIN NEWS
KILLER "HERO"
STILL AT LARGE**



JEFFERSON PIERCE, A MAN WHO CAME HOME AND FOUND THAT HOME STRUGGLING WITH TROUBLES OLD AND NEW. NOW HE FIGHTS FOR THE FUTURE ON TWO FRONTS: IN THE CLASSROOM AS A DEDICATED TEACHER AND ON THE STREETS AS...

BLACK LIGHTNING

KEEP YOUR HEADS DOWN! I'LL KEEP YOU SAFE!

WE CAN TAKE THIS FOOL OUT!

THE KIDS ARE AS TERRIFIED OF ME AS THEY ARE OF THESE GUYS TRYING TO ROB THIS BODEGA.

THEY THINK I FRIED THE LAST THUGS WHO CALLED ME OUT WITH THEIR SCI-FI GUNS.

SHHNN

AHHHH!

I DIDN'T, BUT 'SCARY BLACK MAN' BOOSTS RATINGS ACROSS THE MEDIA BOARD.





YEAH!
COLLECT THE
REWARD ON
HIS BUTT!

WHAT SCARES ME IS THAT THIS
NEW SCI-FI GUN IS SMALLER
THAN THE LAST ONES.

WHAT KIND OF
ARMS RACE IS
GOING ON HERE?



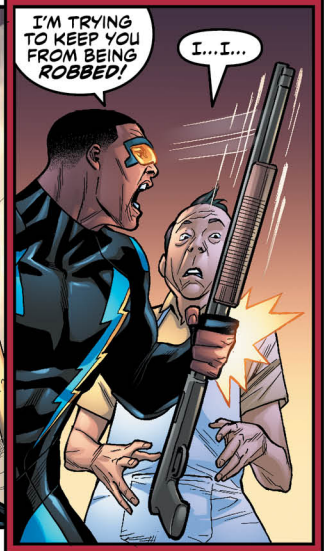
BOOM

ARRRRRE



NOT SO SUPER NOW, ARE YOU, KILLER?

ARE YOU INSANE?



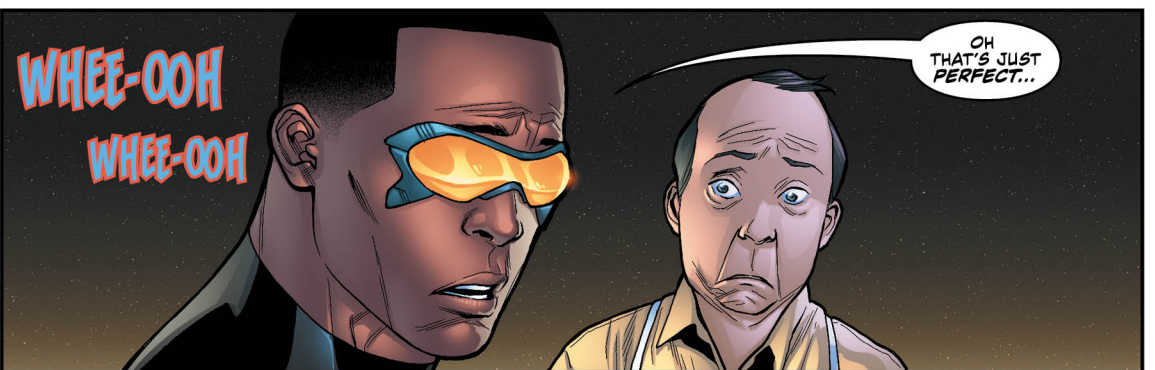
I'M TRYING TO KEEP YOU FROM BEING ROBBED!

I...I...



THEN THIS IS GONNA BE A BIG LOSS FOR YOU, LIGHTNING BUG.

'CAUSE WE'RE GETTIN' PAID TONIGHT!



**WHEE-OOH
WHEE-OOH**

OH THAT'S JUST PERFECT...

