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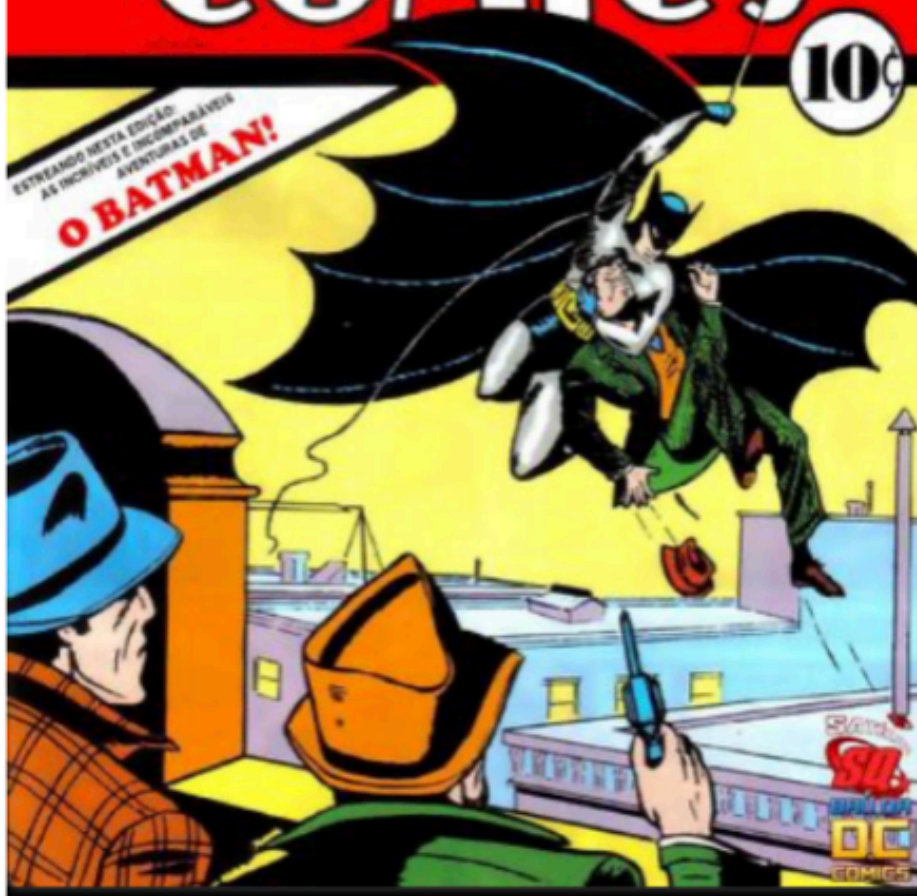
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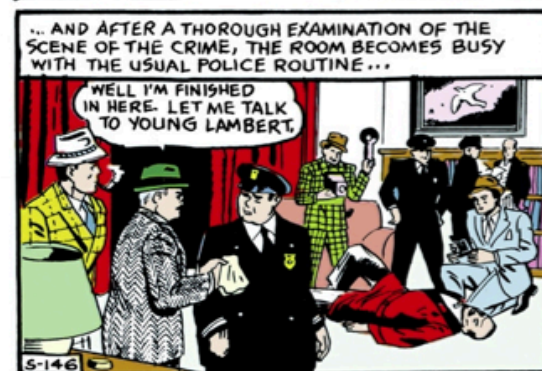
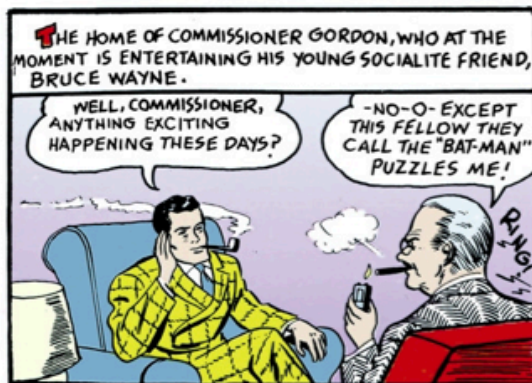


WHAT IS
A WRIT
OF
HABEAS
CORPUS ?

ANSWER - A WRIT DIRECTED
TO THE PERSON DETAINING
ANOTHER, COMMANDING
HIM TO PRODUCE THE
BODY OF THE PRISONER
AT A CERTAIN TIME
AND PLACE -



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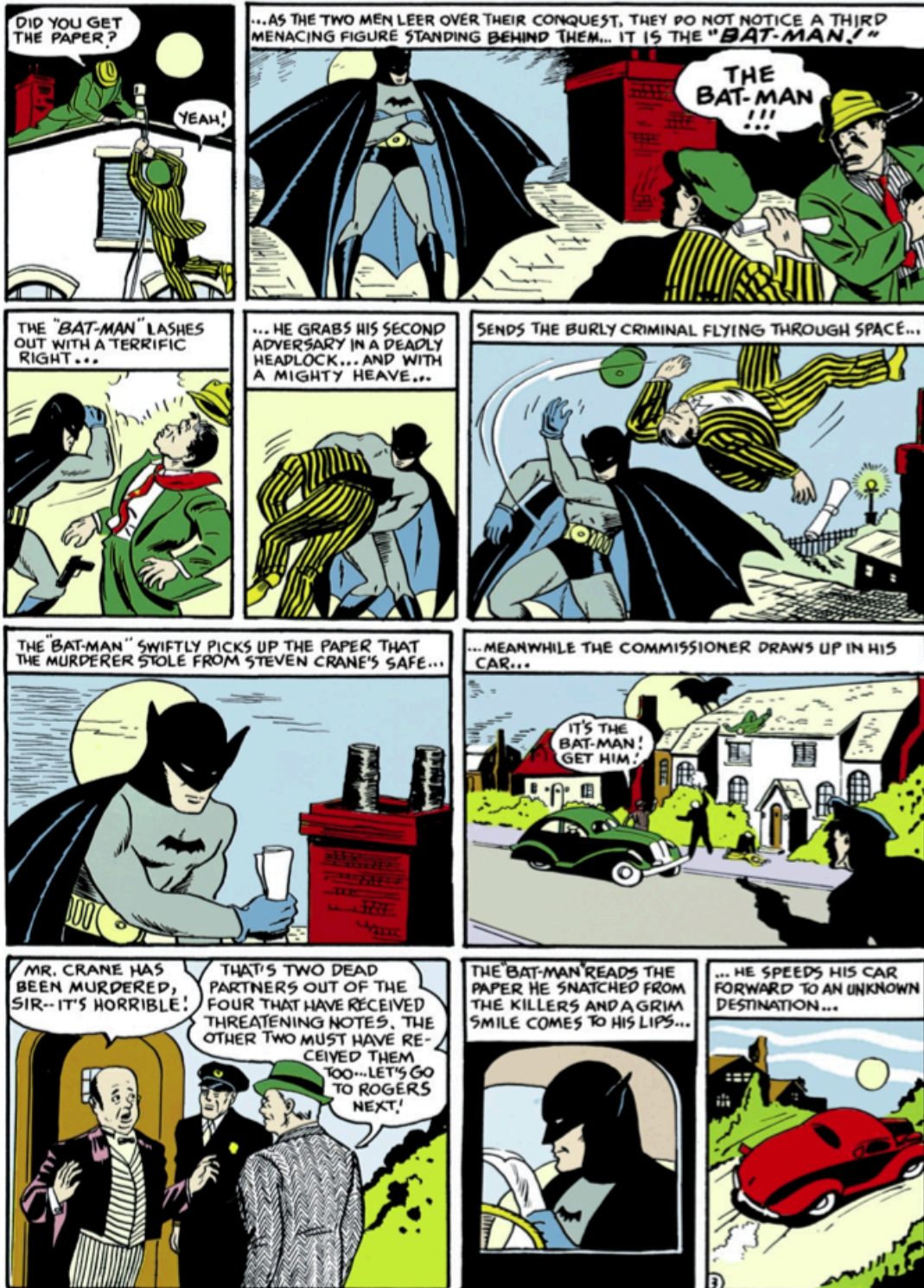


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...MEANWHILE ROGERS, WHO HAS LEARNED OF LAMBERT'S DEATH BY NEWS BROADCAST, HAS ALREADY GONE TO THE NEIGHBORING LABORATORY OF HIS ERSTWHILE PARTNER, ALFRED STRYKER...

HELLO, JENNINGS. I MUST SEE STRYKER QUICKLY.

WON'T YOU COME IN?

sock!

JENNINGS, STRYKER'S ASSISTANT, CARRIES ROGERS TO THE BASEMENT OF HIS LABORATORY...

HEH, HEH! ONE MORE OUT OF THE WAY-- SOON I'LL CONTROL EVERYTHING!

THIS IS THE GAS-CHAMBER I USE TO KILL GUINEA PIGS, TO EXPERIMENT WITH-- BUT NOW YOU ARE MY GUINEA PIG! HEH-HEH! WHEN THIS GLASS LID COVERS YOU ENTIRELY, GAS WILL COME THROUGH THE JET AND KILL YOU (HEH-HEH)!

YOU FIEND!

JENNINGS PULLS A BRAKE WHICH STARTS THE GLASS DOWN OVER ROGERS AND CERTAIN DOOM...

I'M GOING DOWN NOW TO TURN THE GAS ON... SLEEP WELL... HEH-HEH!

AT THAT MOMENT THE "BAT-MAN" LEAPS THROUGH AN OPEN TRANSOM...

...THE "BAT-MAN" SEIZES A WRENCH FROM A TABLE AND LEAPS FOR THE GAS-CHAMBER...

THE "BAT-MAN" QUICKLY PLUGS THE GAS-JET WITH A HANDKERCHIEF, AS THE GAS CHAMBER DESCENDS ENTIRELY OVER THEM...

...HE THEN UNTIES ROGERS, AND WITH A POWERFUL SWING...

CRASH



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JENNINGS RETURNS AND IS STARTLED BY THE BAT-MAN ... HE REACHES FOR HIS GUN ...

WHAT TH--?

...THE "BAT-MAN" GREET'S JENNINGS WITH A FLYING TACKLE...

MEANWHILE, ALFRED STRYKER HAS HEARD THE CRASH OF THE GAS-CHAMBER... AS HE ENTERS THE LABORATORY...

ROGERS? WHAT HAPPENED?

YOUR ASSISTANT, JENNINGS, TRIED TO KILL ME!

HOWEVER, STRYKER HAS NOT NOTICED THE "BAT-MAN" WHO HAS SECLUDED HIMSELF IN THE SHADOWS...

SO HE DIDN'T GET YOU AFTER ALL... WELL, I'LL FINISH YOU AND THEN THROW YOUR BODY IN THE ACID TANK BELOW.

YOU?

OH!! MY HAND~

WHAT'S THE IDEA? WHY DID HE TRY TO KILL ME?

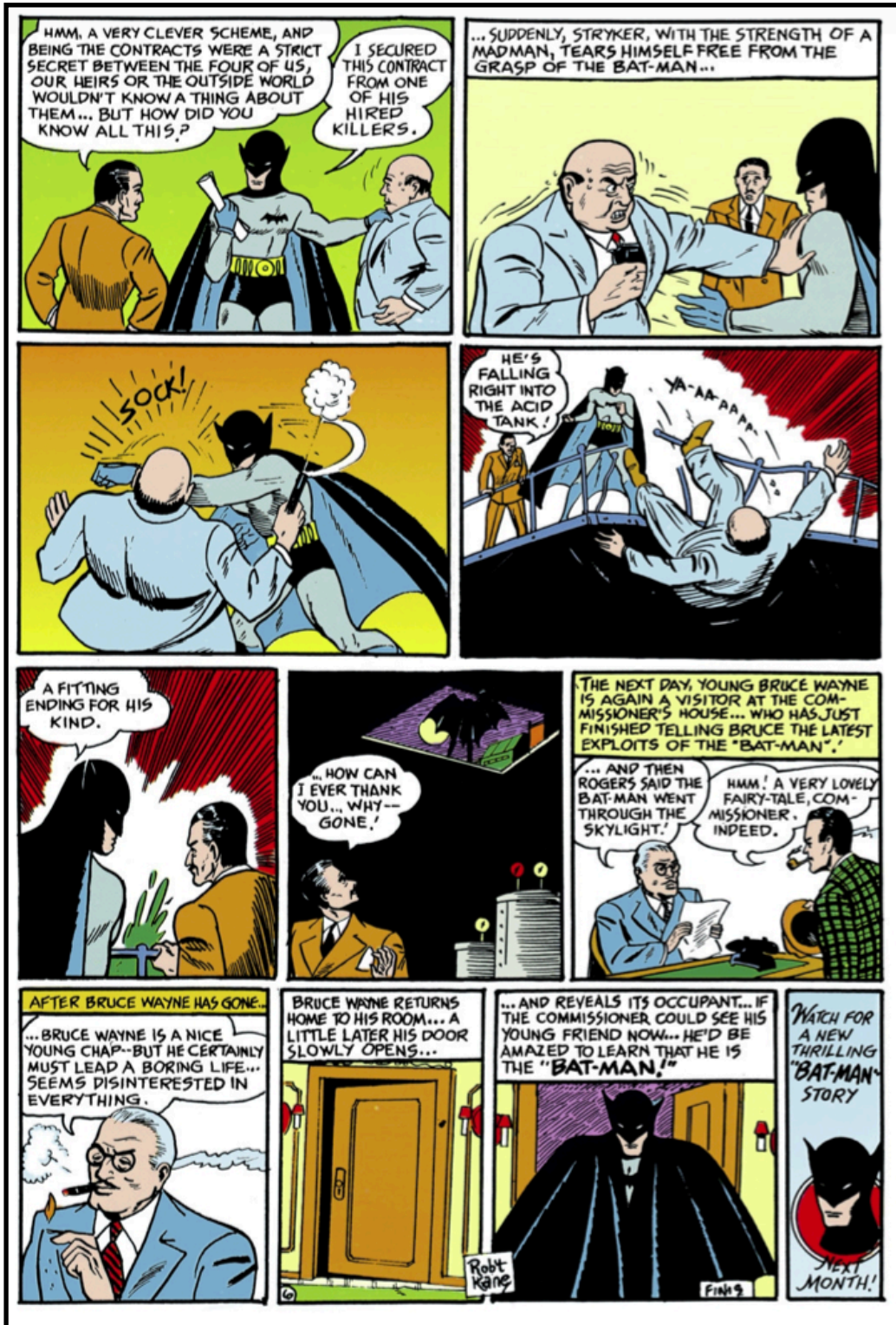
THIS RAT WAS BEHIND THE MURDERS. YOU SEE, I LEARNED THAT YOU, LAMBERT, CRANE AND STRYKER, WERE ONCE PARTNERS IN THE APEX CHEMICAL CORPORATION...

... STRYKER, WHO WISHED TO BE SOLE OWNER, BUT HAVING NO READY CASH, MADE SECRET CONTRACTS WITH YOU, TO PAY A CERTAIN SUM OF MONEY EACH YEAR UNTIL HE OWNED THE BUSINESS. HE FIGURED BY KILLING YOU AND STEALING THE CONTRACTS, HE WOULDN'T HAVE TO PAY THIS MONEY.



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