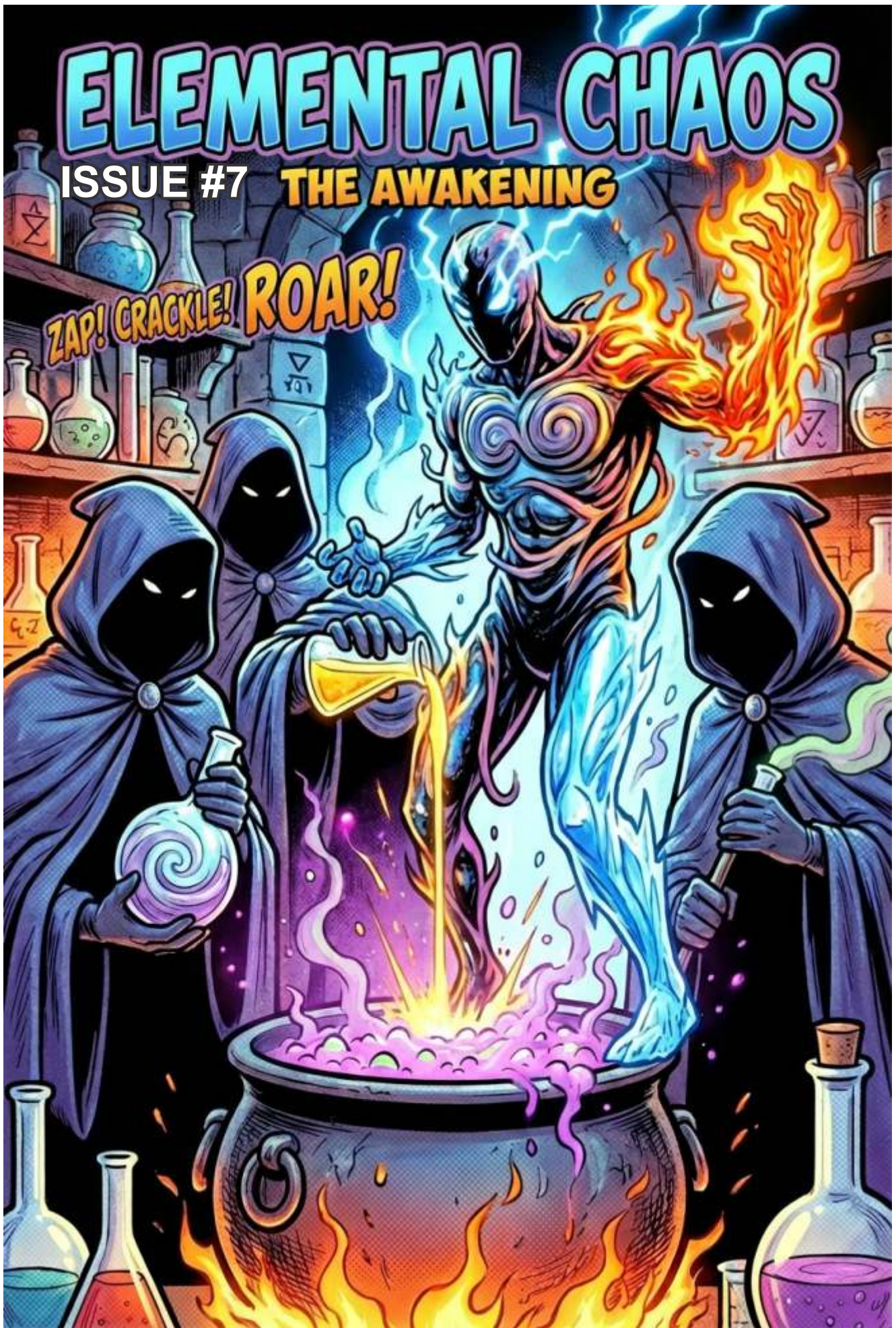


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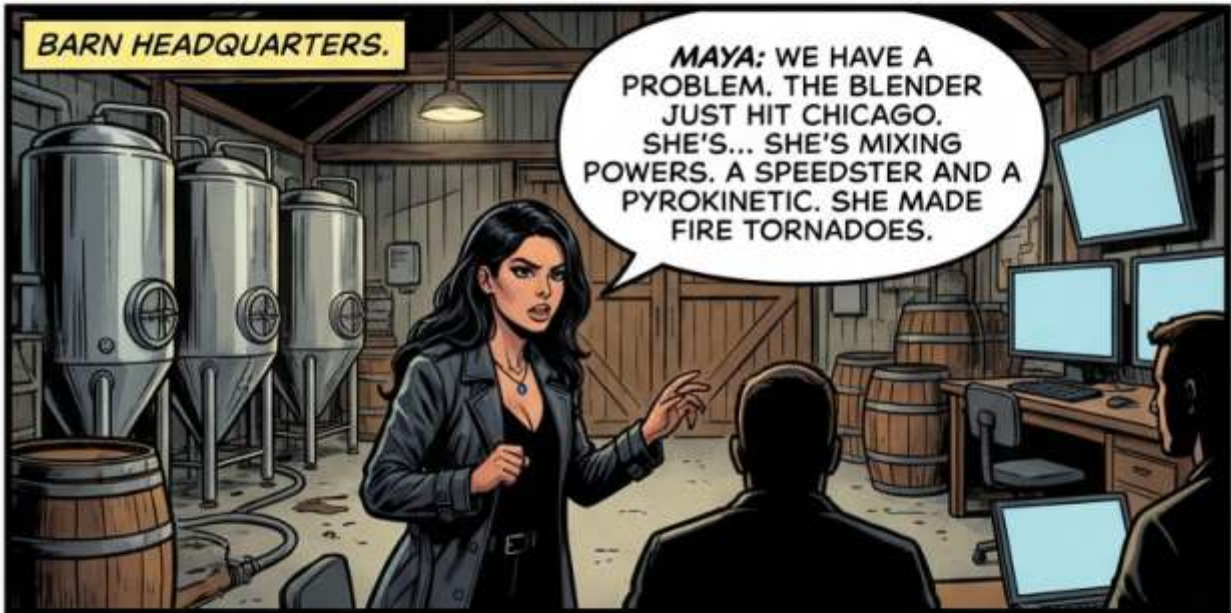
ISSUE #7 THE AWAKENING

ZAP! CRACKLE! ROAR!









THE TRAP





NO!
You can't do this!



You protect this village. I want to see what happens when you can't protect it all.



When you're blended too thin.



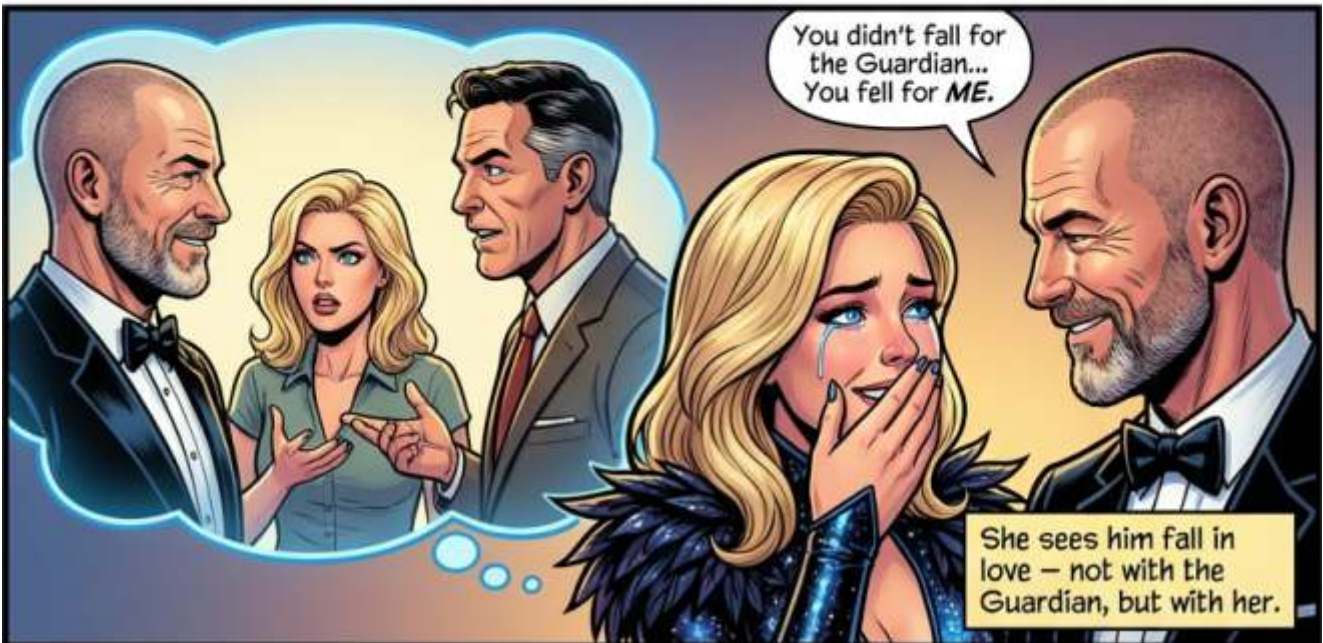
Lisa takes a sip. It's Tim's first successful beer — but also the one brewed on the day they met.



She sees through his eyes. A woman in a tasting room, nervous, asking intelligent questions, defending his work to a critic. She sees herself.



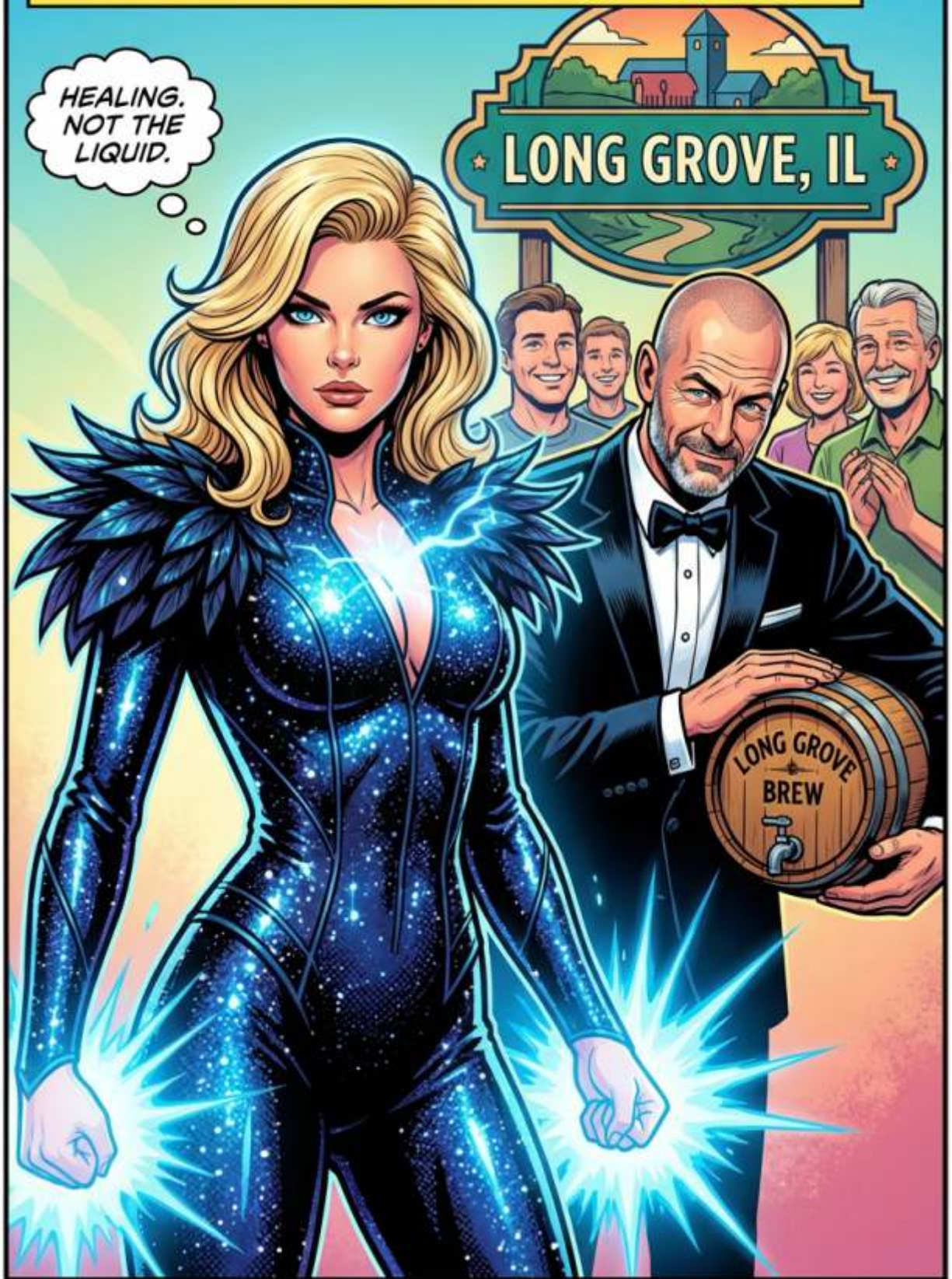
You didn't fall for the Guardian... You fell for ME.



She sees him fall in love — not with the Guardian, but with her.

HER POWERS SURGE – NOT FROM THE LIQUID, BUT FROM HEALING. HER HEARTBREAK WEAKNESS ISN'T GONE, BUT IT'S INTEGRATED. SHE IS STRONG BECAUSE SHE LOVES TIM KOVAC AND THE PEOPLE OF LONG GROVE, IL.

HEALING.
NOT THE
LIQUID.











Evening inside the bustling,
Spirit Water Brewery and
Distillery in Long Grove, IL.

A toast,
friends.



To the Guardian.
Who protects us.
And to Lisa — who
sees us.



LONG GROVE INTEGRATION



LONG GROVE, IL: A PLACE OF CHARM... AND SECRETS.



THE COVERED BRIDGE

LISA'S PROTECTION!



LONG GROVE CONFECTIONERY

VILLAGE TAVERN & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

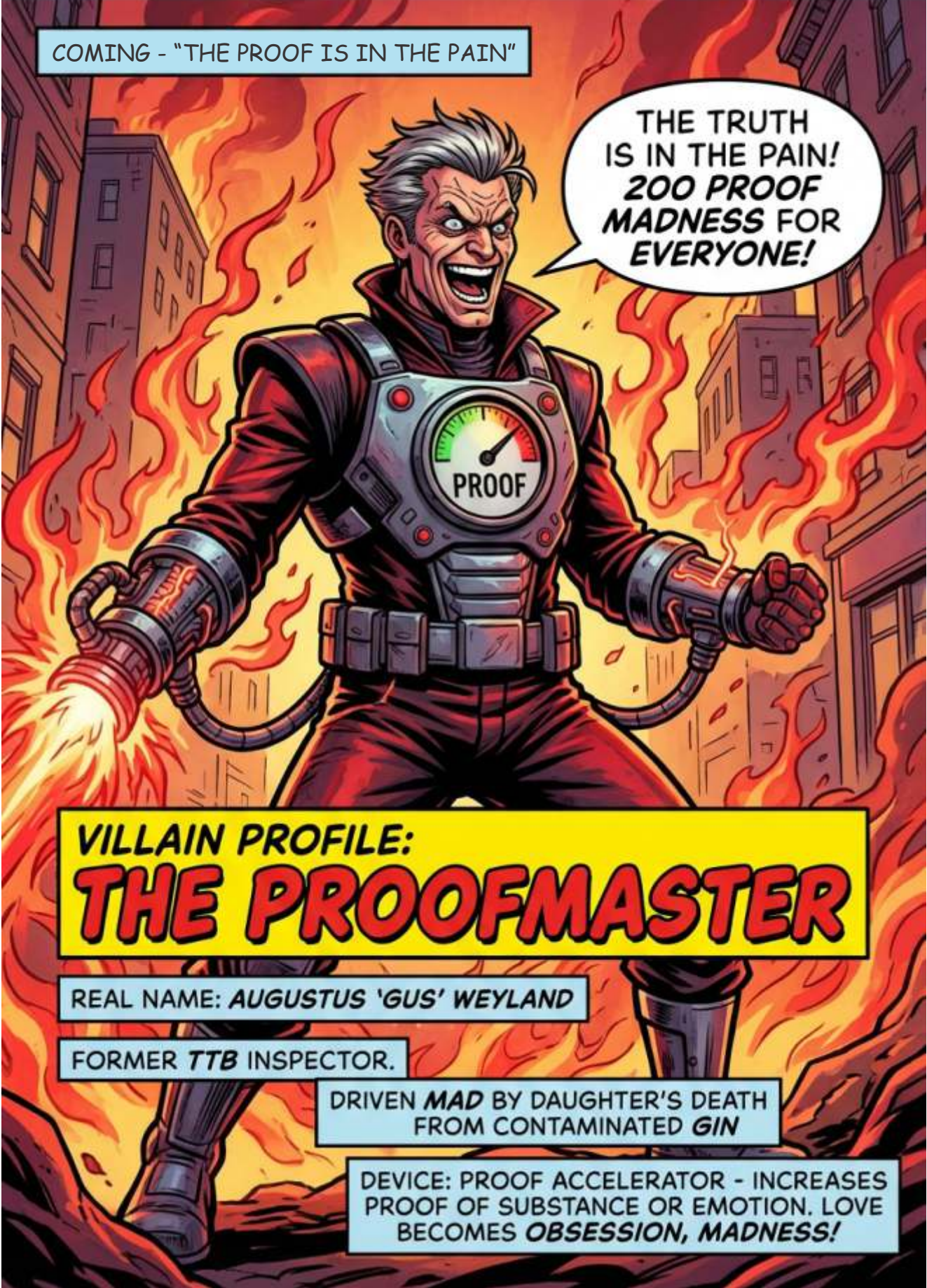
RESEARCHING THE PAST.

THE APPLE HAUS

SEASONAL POWER-UP!

THE PROOFMASTER: '100 PROOF HEARTBREAK'

COMING - "THE PROOF IS IN THE PAIN"



THE TRUTH
IS IN THE PAIN!
200 PROOF
MADNESS FOR
EVERYONE!

VILLAIN PROFILE:

THE PROOFMASTER

REAL NAME: AUGUSTUS 'GUS' WEYLAND

FORMER *TTB* INSPECTOR.

DRIVEN *MAD* BY DAUGHTER'S DEATH
FROM CONTAMINATED *GIN*

DEVICE: PROOF ACCELERATOR - INCREASES
PROOF OF SUBSTANCE OR EMOTION. LOVE
BECOMES *OBSESSION, MADNESS!*