

SHOW 14 - STRANGE ENCOUNTER OF THE REPTILE MEN (RE-TITLED) MYSTERY IN SPACE



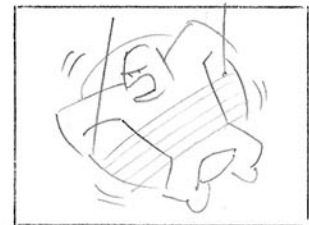
Fade in on Grodd



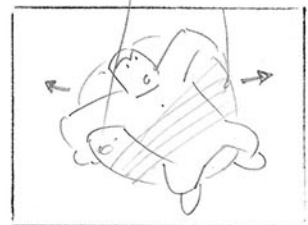
Shake head



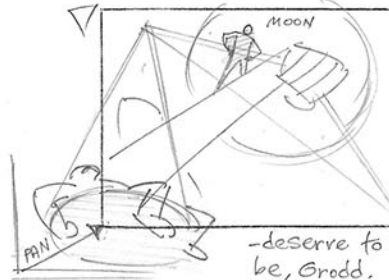
Fast T.O. from face
① Struggle walla



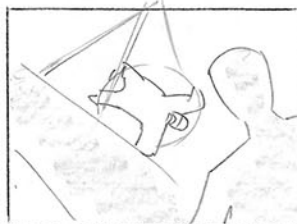
② Where am I?
③ E: Exactly



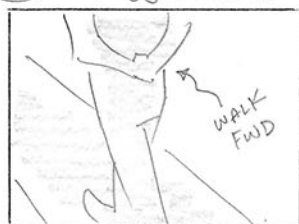
where you



-deserve to be, Grodd.



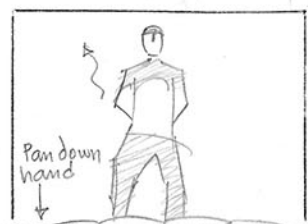
④ G: I'll crush your miserable human skull
⑤ E: I'm afraid your-



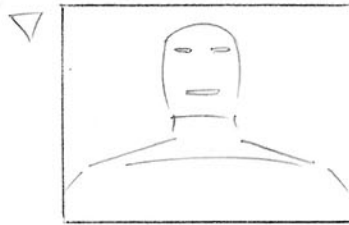
-latest plan for global conquest-



-would disturb the equilibrium-



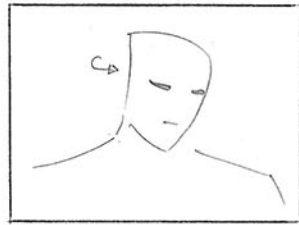
And for that-



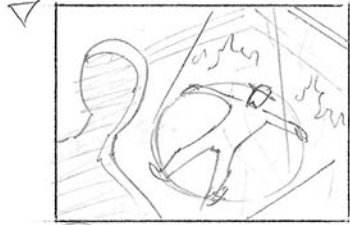
-you must be



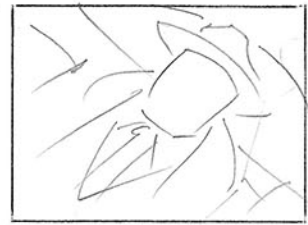
-eliminated from the equations. ⑥ The (vo)



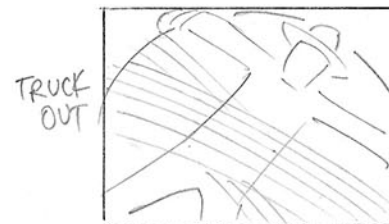
question is...



⑦ -what am I doing here?

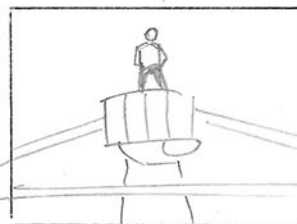


I was trying to put a stop to Grodd's scheme.

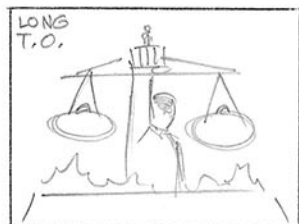


TRUCK OUT

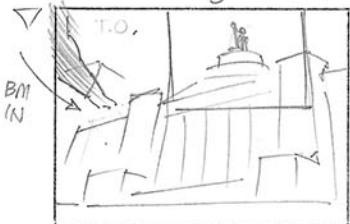
Why destroy me?



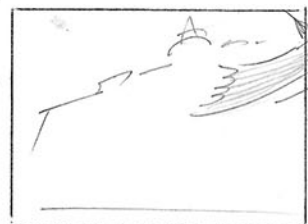
⑧ E: Ah, question. To keep everything equal, of course.



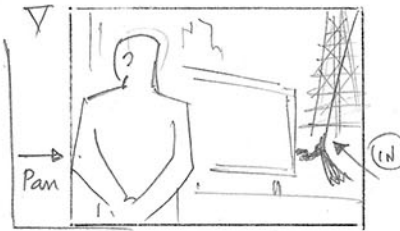
LONG T.O.
if I eliminate a black pawn, a white pawn must go, too.



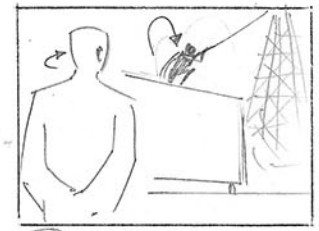
It's an essential part of my



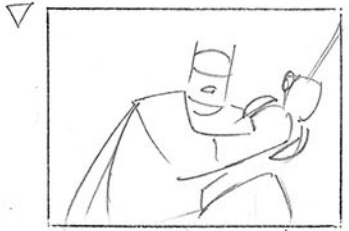
quest to bring the world into complete balance.



8 E: ...



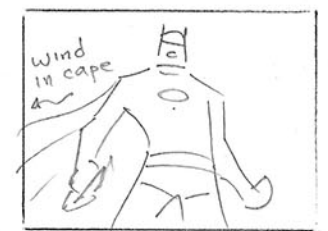
9 BM: Funny-



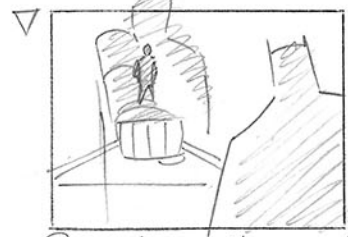
-you sound like the-
balanced person I've met-



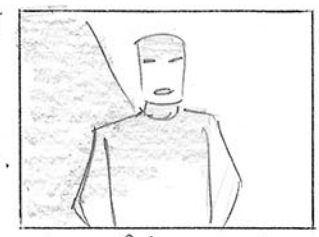
To, as he rises
-least balanced person I've met-



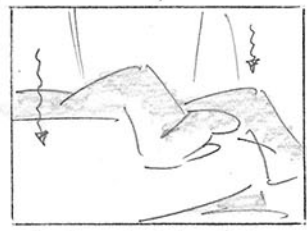
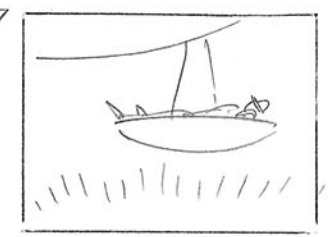
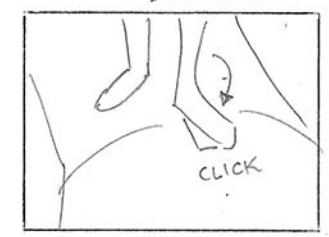
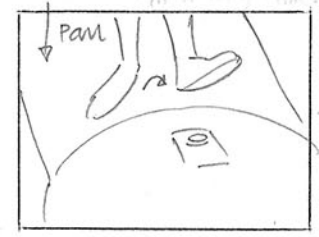
-in a long time.



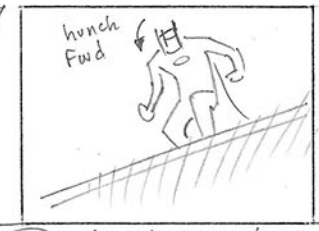
11 E: Batman. Your arrival has offset my-



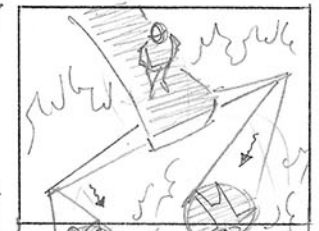
-beautiful equipoise.



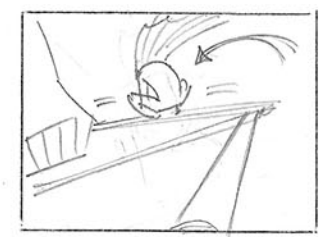
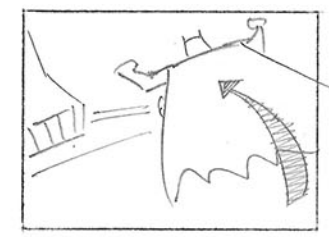
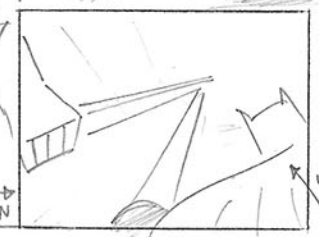
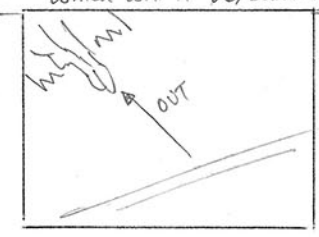
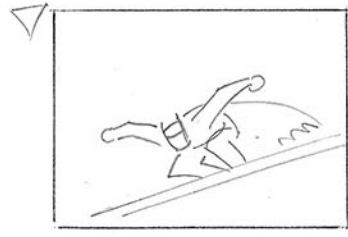
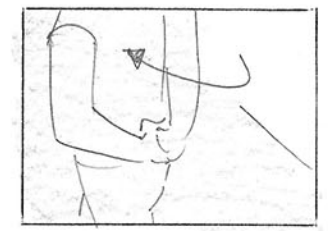
both start to drop

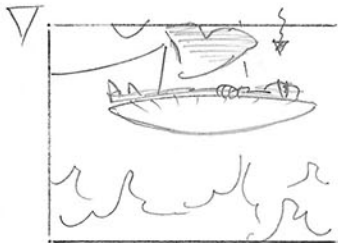


12 E: You only have time to save one of them. Which will it be, Batman...

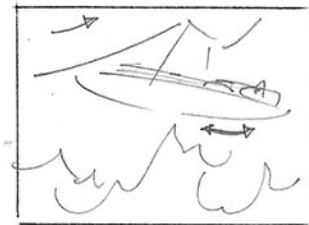


God or evil?

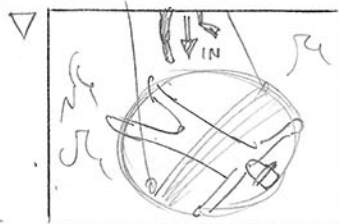
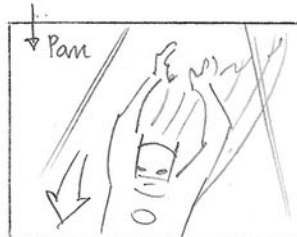
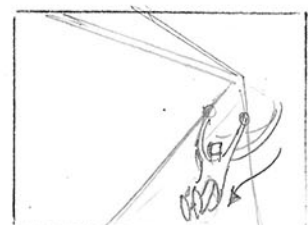
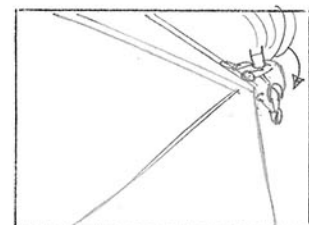
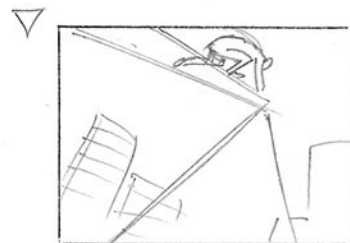




Scale descends



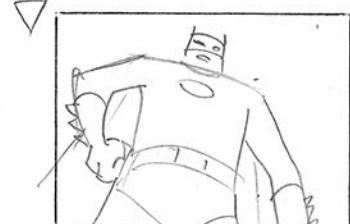
STOPS & sways just above flames



13 Q: How'd you



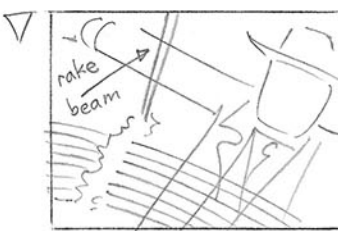
know that would stop it?



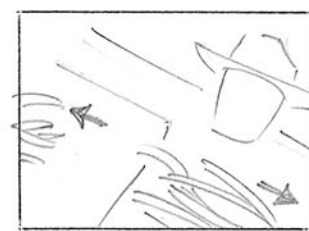
14 BM: Whoever he is, anyone



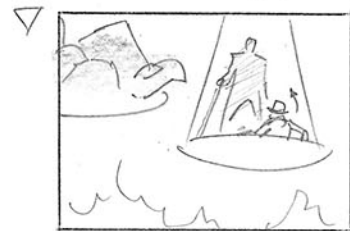
-that obsessed with balance-



-would never allow



an unequal amount



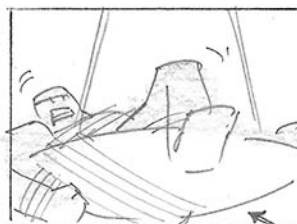
-of good and evil to be destroyed.



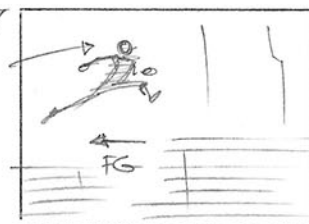
Come on!



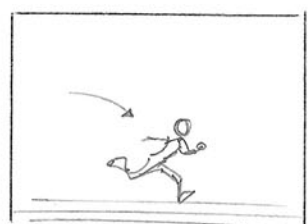
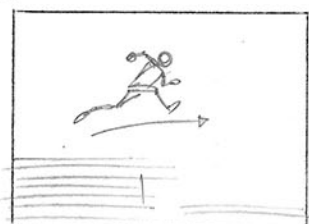
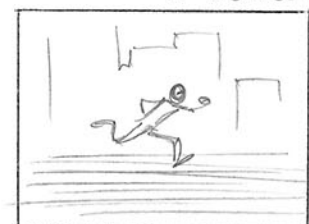
both out

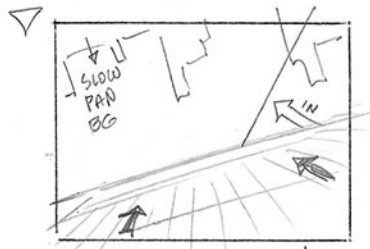
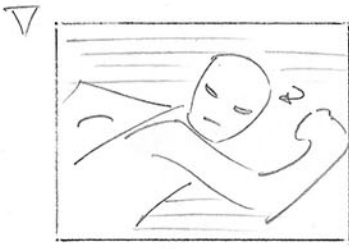


Pan to see Grodd still struggling

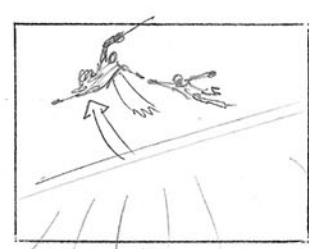


Track with E running over rooftops

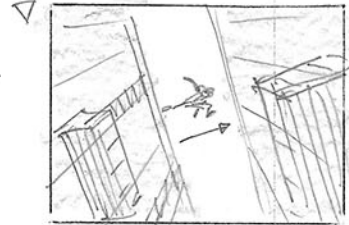
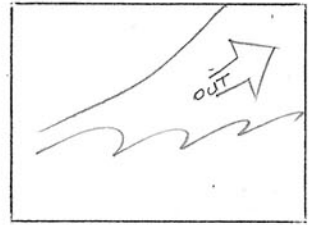
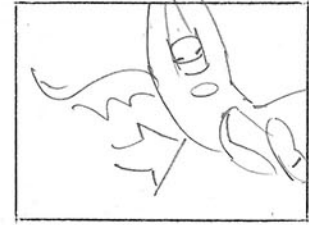
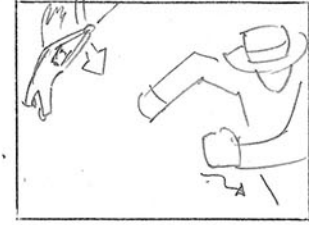
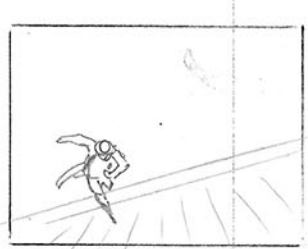
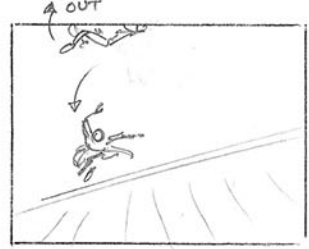




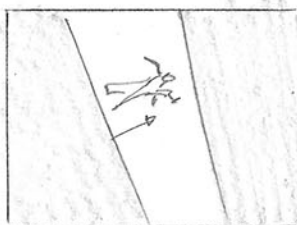
POV backward



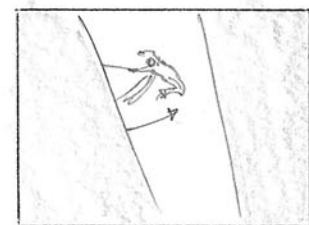
BM & Q swing into view



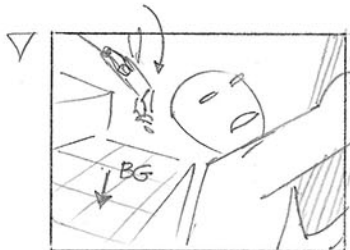
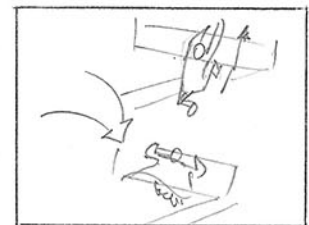
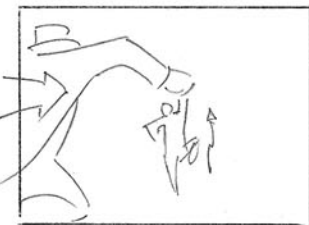
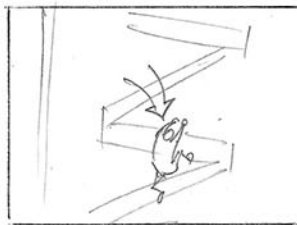
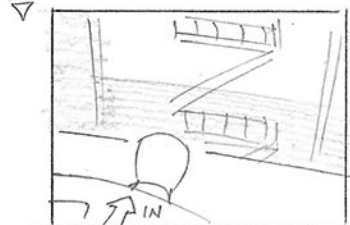
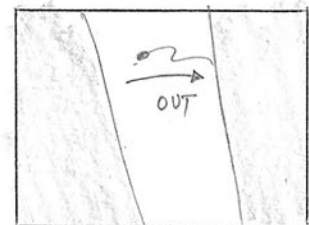
E leaps over alley



followed by Q -



- then BM



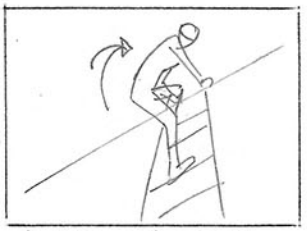
(15) E: 2 against 1.



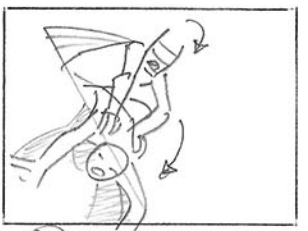
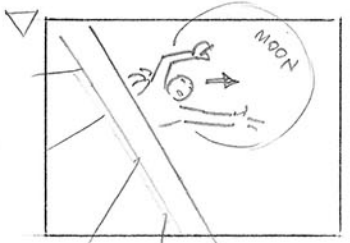
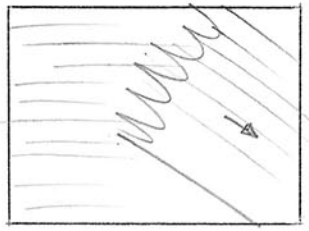
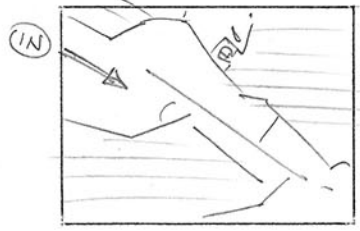
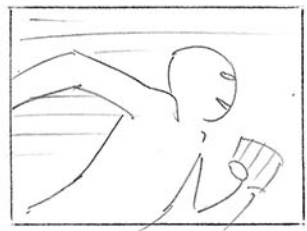
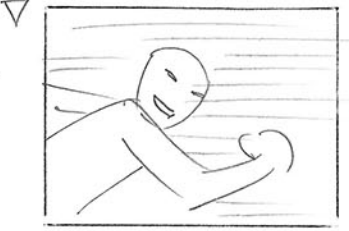
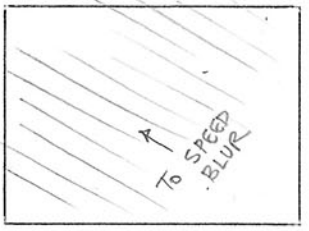
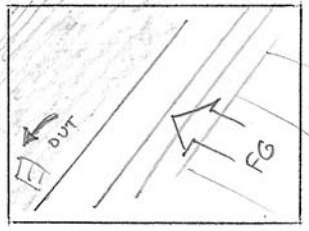
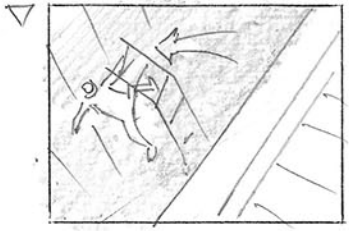
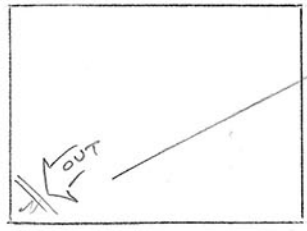
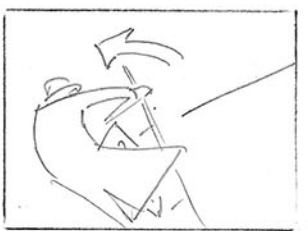
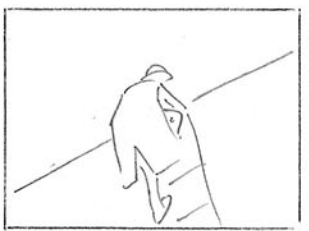
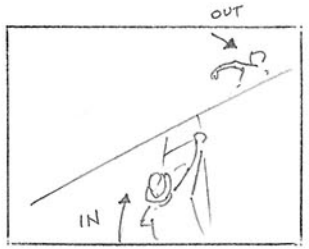
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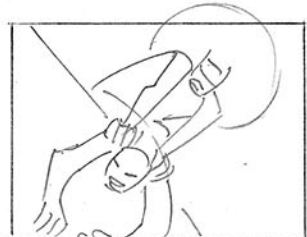
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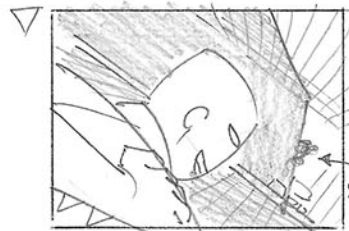
of fate will restore the balance.



17 BM: It's over.



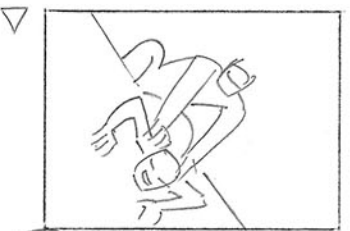
18 E - This is just the way I like it, Batman.



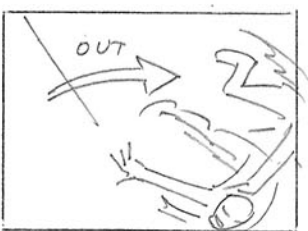
Perfectly balanced. Because either you release me now -

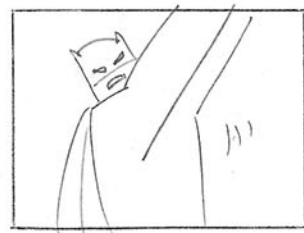
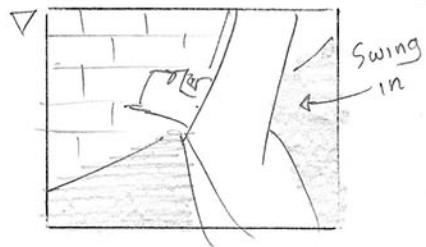
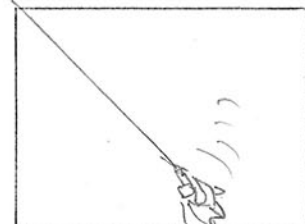
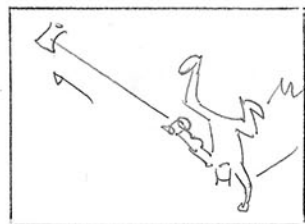
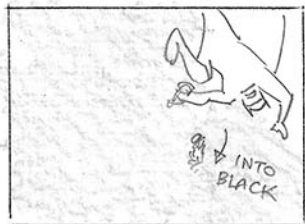


-and we both go free or...



19 -we both meet our doom.



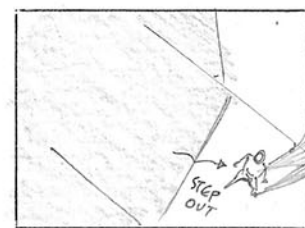


POV DOWN

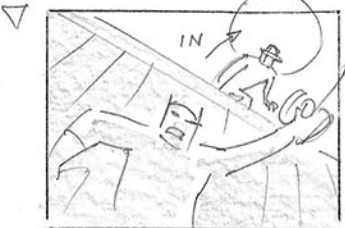


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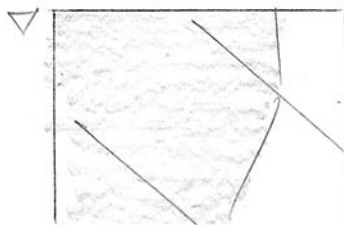
SFX: WUMP!



(20) E: But don't worry, Batman.



VO: When the time is right, you will again meet-



EMPTY BG
VO: Equinox. (echoey)



(21) Q: Who was that guy?



(22) BM: Excellent question.

