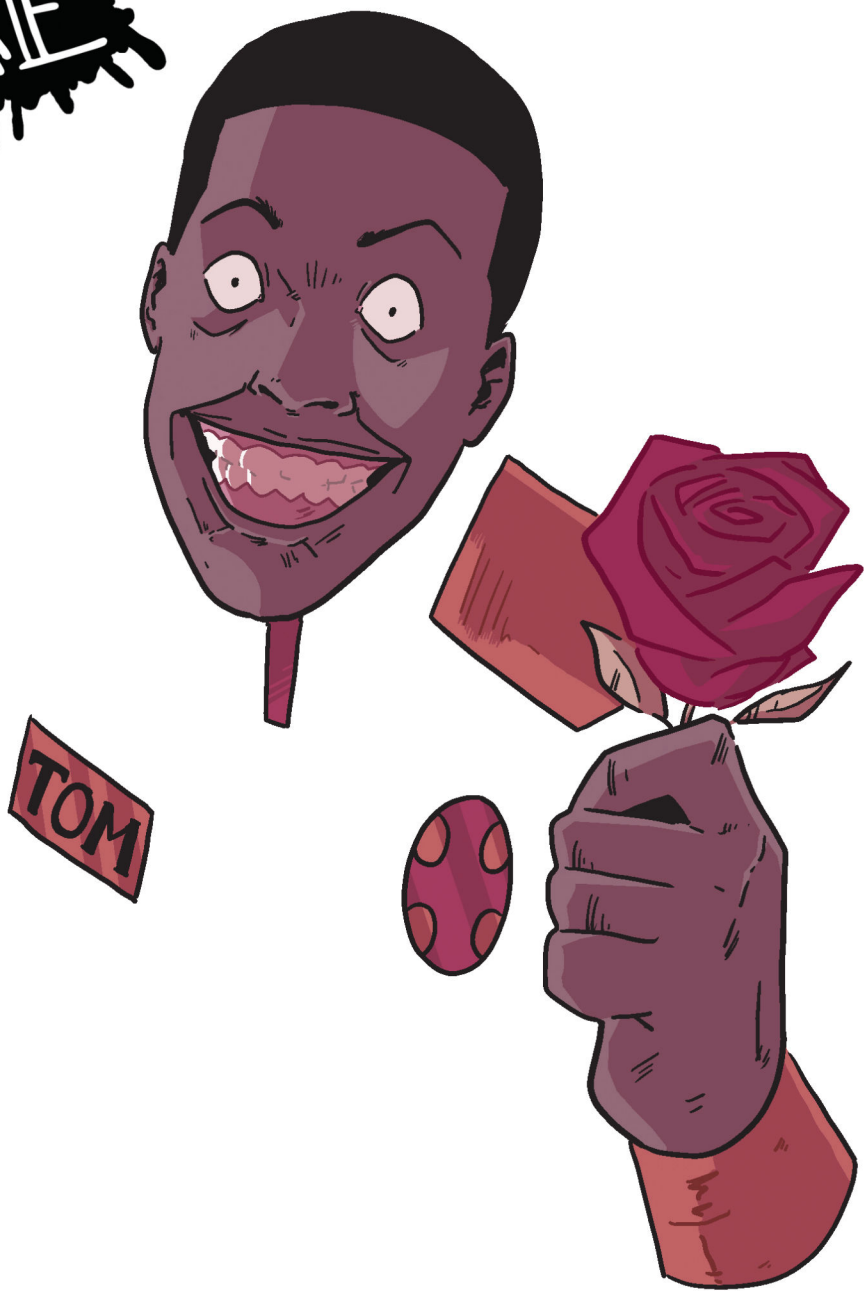


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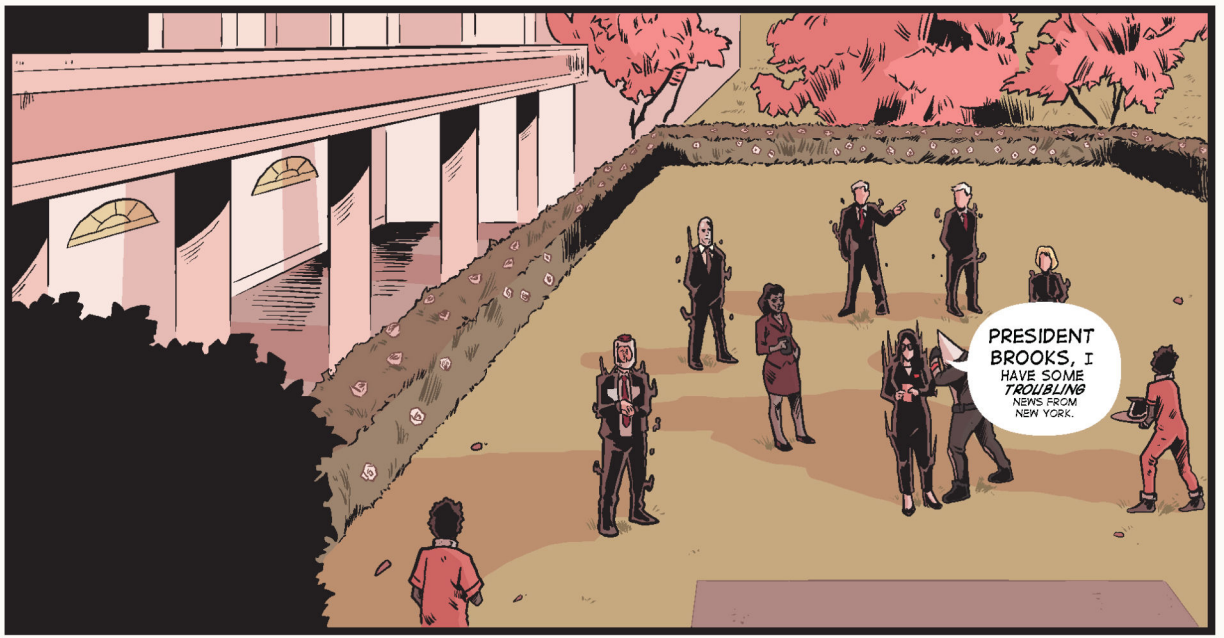


TOM

KJ!







PRESIDENT BROOKS, I HAVE SOME TROUBLING NEWS FROM NEW YORK.



GREAT WAY TO START MY DAY. THANK YOU. SHOO, SHOO.



TINK  
TINK  
TINK

GIRL  
BOSS

I'VE JUST BEEN BRIEFED ON THE INSURRECTION AT GRAND CENTRAL YESTERDAY AND TO SAY I'M DISAPPOINTED IS AN UNDERSTATEMENT, *THOUGH* I'M NOT SURPRISED. FROM WHAT I HEARD, DIRECTOR FRIEDRICH WAS FOILED BY A WOMAN. *PURR*.

BUT, THERE HAS TO BE AN EXAMPLE. AMERICA HAS **ZERO** TOLERANCE FOR INSURRECTIONISTS.





WELCOME TO THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD. AN ESCAPE FROM THE OPPRESSION THAT AFRICANS FACE ABOVE GROUND.

CONSTRUCTION FIRST BEGAN DURING THE 1800S AND WHILE INITIALLY UNSTABLE, IT PROVIDED A PLACE TO MOMENTARILY HIDE FROM OVERSEERS ON THE PATH TO FREEDOM.

WITH FURTHER CONSTRUCTION, THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD WOULD BECOME A BUDDING UTOPIA FOR AFRICAN PEOPLES IN AMERICA.

NO CURRENCY IS USED HERE; THERE IS NO CAPITAL. WE ARE ALL DEDICATED TO THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD'S EFFECTIVENESS AS A SYSTEM MEANT FOR THE PRESERVATION AND LIBERATION OF AFRICAN PEOPLE.

WITH THE ABANDONMENT OF THE RAILWAY SYSTEMS AS WHITE CONSUMERISM GREW, AFRICAN FREEDOM TO TRAVERSE THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD INCREASED. MORE CARS NOW EXIST IN THE UNITED STATES THAN ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE WORLD.

AS THE GOVERNMENT ENTIRELY ABANDONED RENEWABLE ENERGY FOR FOSSIL FUELS AND BLACKNESS, THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD WAS ABLE TO UTILIZE HYDROELECTRICITY, SOLAR, AND WIND TURBINE ENERGY FOR ALL ITS FUNCTIONS.

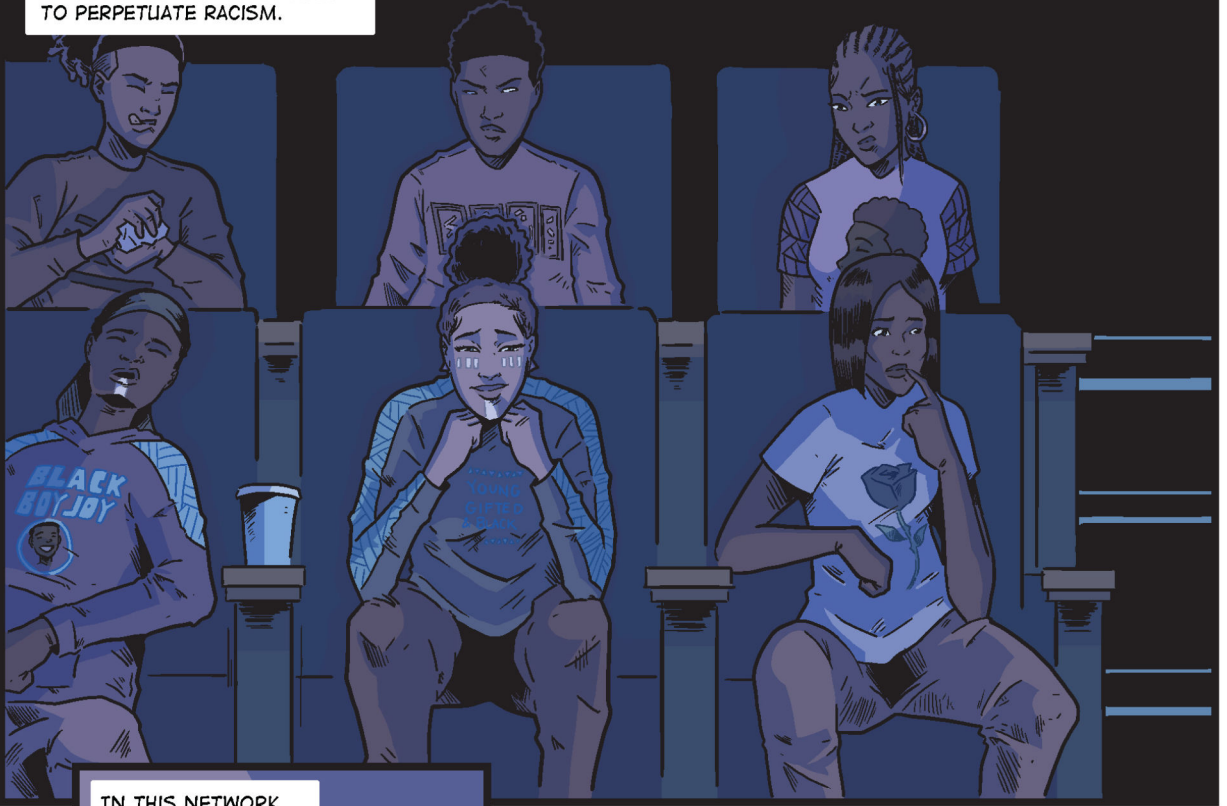
THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD EXISTS AS A NATIONAL NETWORK WITH THREE MAJOR HUBS: THE EAST OR "URSA MINOR" IS GOVERNED BY OCTAVIA X, MIDDLE AMERICA OR "CRUX" IS GOVERNED BY ALICE X AND THE WEST OR "ORION" IS GOVERNED BY NORA X.



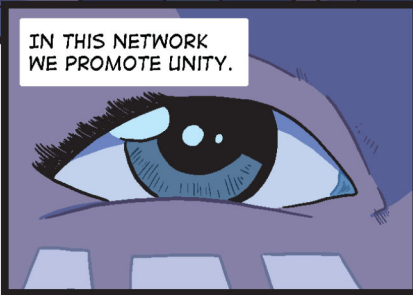
THIS IS MEANT TO BE A UTOPIA FOR ALL AFRICAN PEOPLES. THOUGH AS IT STANDS, IT IS IMPERFECT AND WE MUST WORK TOGETHER AS PEOPLE TO MAKE OUR HOME A SAFE HAVEN, TO FULLY REALIZE UTOPIA.

**POWER**  
TO THE  
**PEOPLE**  
A DOCUMENTARY  
DIRECTED BY [X]

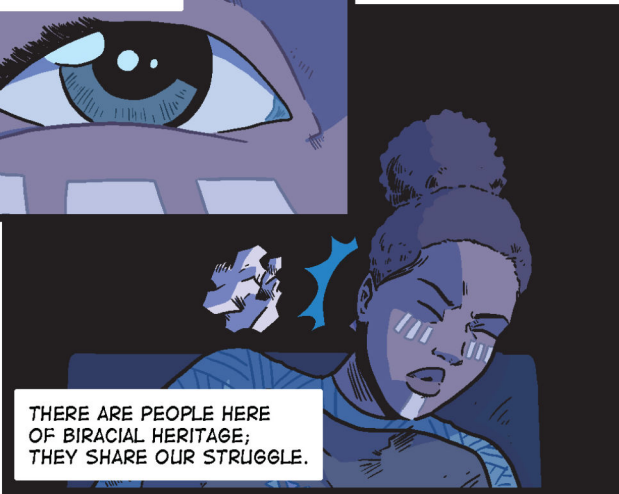
IN THIS NETWORK WE DO NOT FACILITATE PRIVILEGE BASED ON PRINCIPLES OF COLORISM; THAT IS A TOOL OF THE OPPRESSOR TO PERPETUATE RACISM.



IN THIS NETWORK WE PROMOTE UNITY.



THERE ARE PEOPLE HERE OF BIRACIAL HERITAGE; THEY SHARE OUR STRUGGLE.

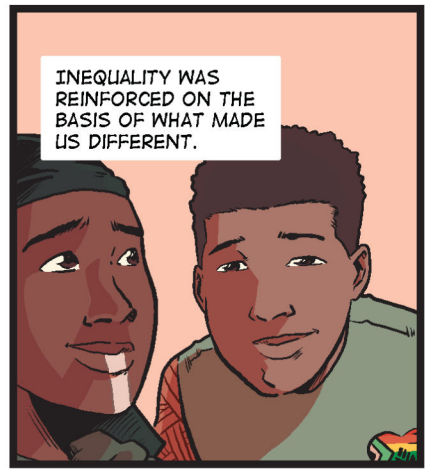


THE OPPRESSOR WOULD TRY TO CONVINCE EVERYONE OTHERWISE.

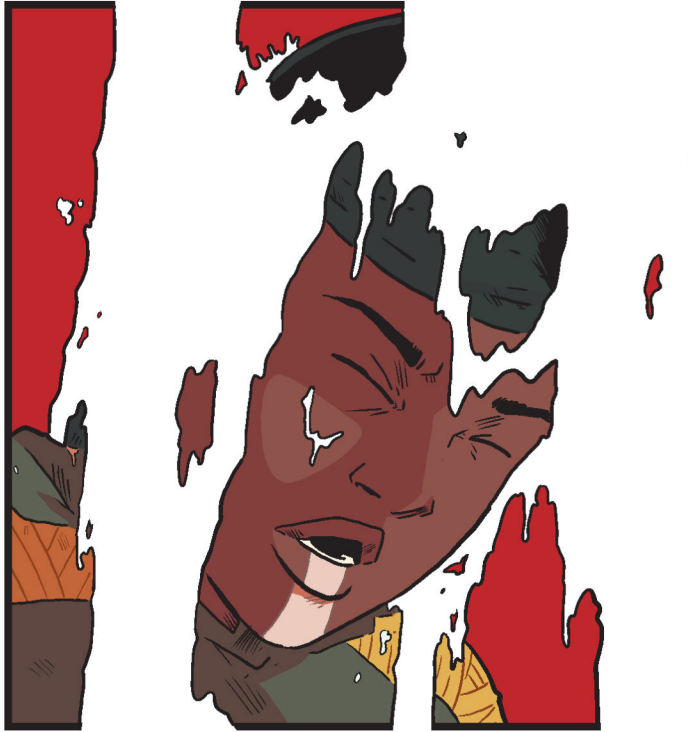




IN ESCAPING OUR OPPRESSION WE MUST NOT BECOME OPPRESSORS OURSELVES.



INEQUALITY WAS REINFORCED ON THE BASIS OF WHAT MADE US DIFFERENT.



ON THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD WE CELEBRATE THOSE DIFFERENCES.



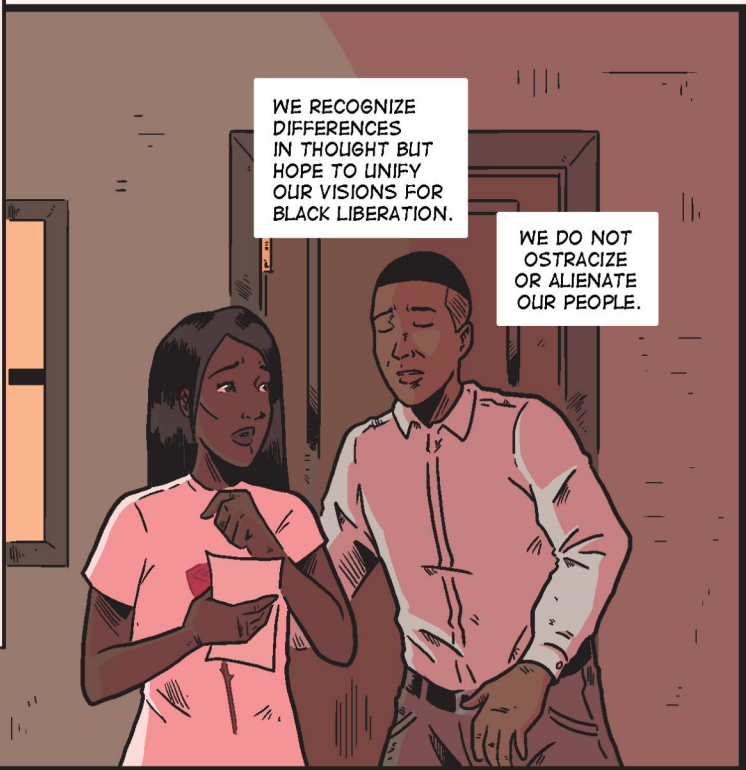
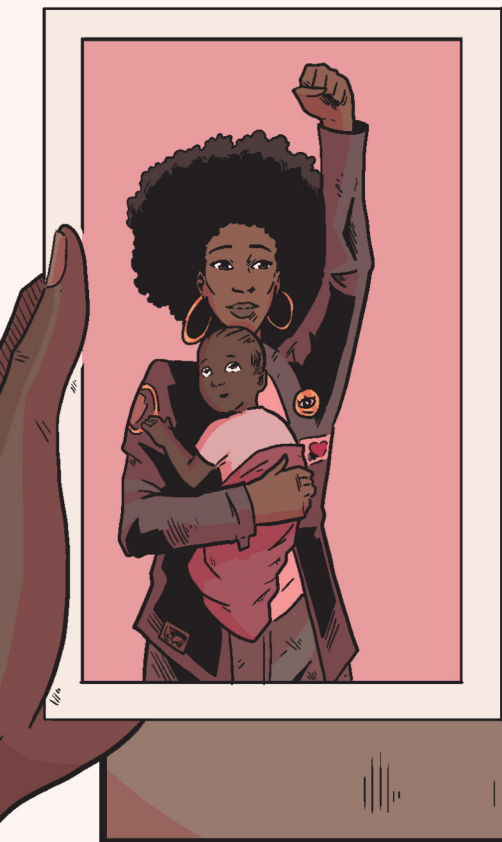
ALL SEXUALITIES, ALL GENDER IDENTITIES ARE INCLUDED IN OUR LUNTY.



BIGOTRY IS TAUGHT, LEARNED.



IN THIS SYSTEM WE WILL UNLEARN IT.



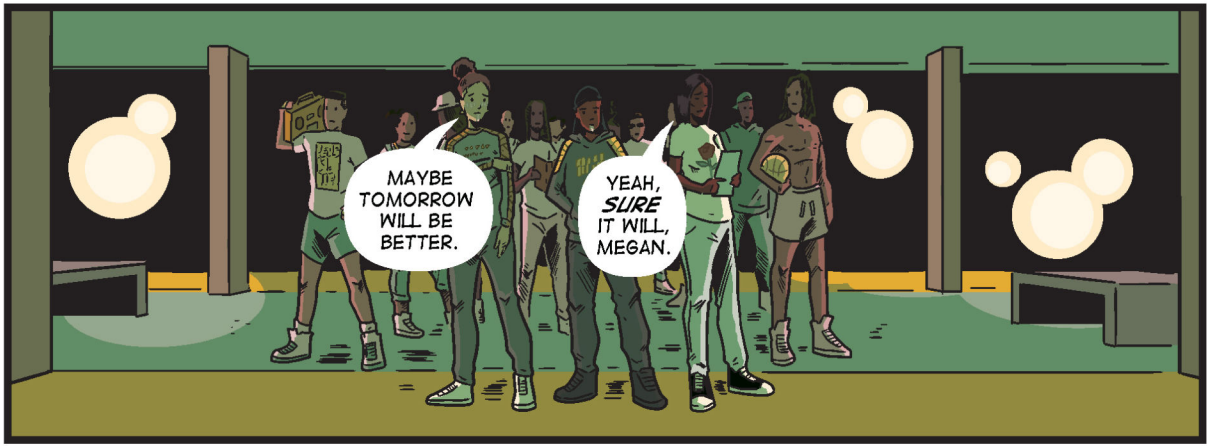
WE RECOGNIZE  
DIFFERENCES  
IN THOUGHT BUT  
HOPE TO UNIFY  
OUR VISIONS FOR  
BLACK LIBERATION.

WE DO NOT  
OSTRACIZE  
OR ALIENATE  
OUR PEOPLE.

REMEMBER, THE CHILD  
WHO IS NOT EMBRACED  
BY THE VILLAGE WILL BURN  
IT DOWN TO FEEL ITS WARMTH.









THEY'RE SETTING UP NEAR WHERE BLACK FOLKS LIVE. THIS MIGHT BE RETALIATION FOR GRAND CENTRAL.



I KNOW YOU JUST GOT BACK BUT, I NEED YOU TO GO BACK TO THE SURFACE AND EVACUATE AS MANY PEOPLE AS YOU CAN.

*BUT---*

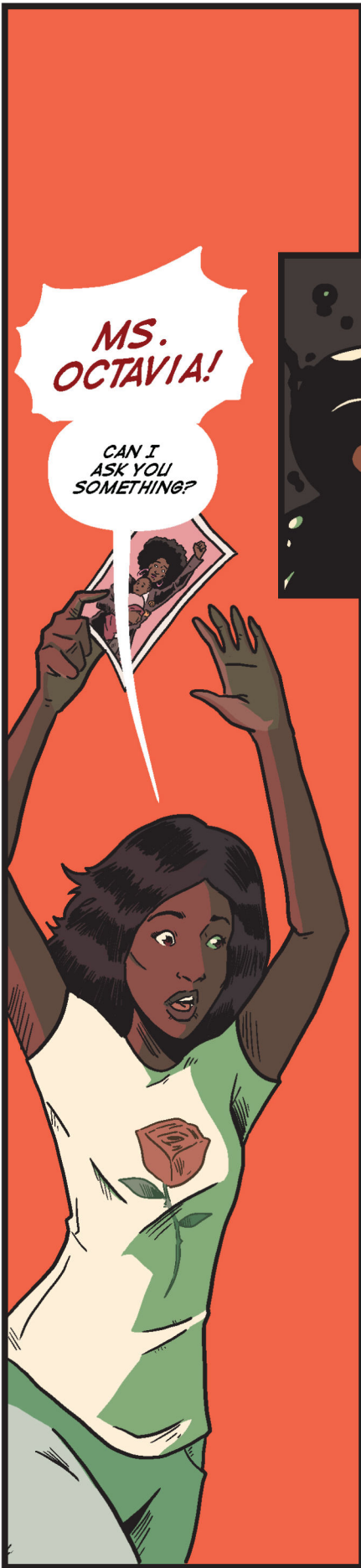
YES MA'AM.



OKAY EVERYONE, FOLLOW ME.

WELCOME TO THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD!

YO, WHAT THE HELL IS THAT THING?



**MS.  
OCTAVIA!**

CAN I  
ASK YOU  
SOMETHING?



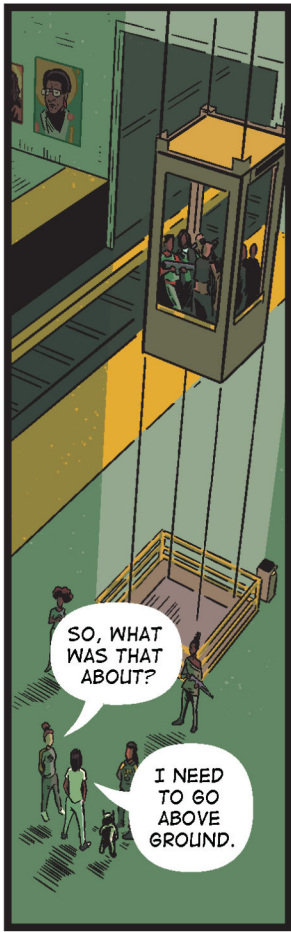
MY DAD LEFT  
SOMETHING  
**REALLY**  
IMPORTANT.

I DON'T FEEL  
LIKE I'M **FITTING**  
IN DOWN HERE AND  
I FEEL LIKE IT  
WOULD HELP...



I'M SORRY, SHAY.  
I **REALLY AM** BUT,  
I'VE ALREADY ASKED  
MY GRANDSON FOR  
TOO MUCH. I CAN'T ASK  
HIM TO RISK HIS LIFE  
FOR ANYTHING MORE.





SO, WHAT WAS THAT ABOUT?

I NEED TO GO ABOVE GROUND.



WOAH, I KNOW WE HAD A ROUGH COUPLE OF DAYS DOWN HERE BUT--

ROUGH COUPLE OF DAYS? GIRL, I'VE BEEN CALLED A COON REPEATEDLY.



WHAT? SO NOW YOU WANT TO GO KICK IT WITH YOUR WHITE SUPREMACIST HOME GIRLS?



HOW WELL ARE YOU FITTING IN DOWN HERE?

I'M NOT RADICAL ENOUGH.



YOU'RE NOT BLACK ENOUGH.



AND HE'S NOT STRAIGHT ENOUGH.





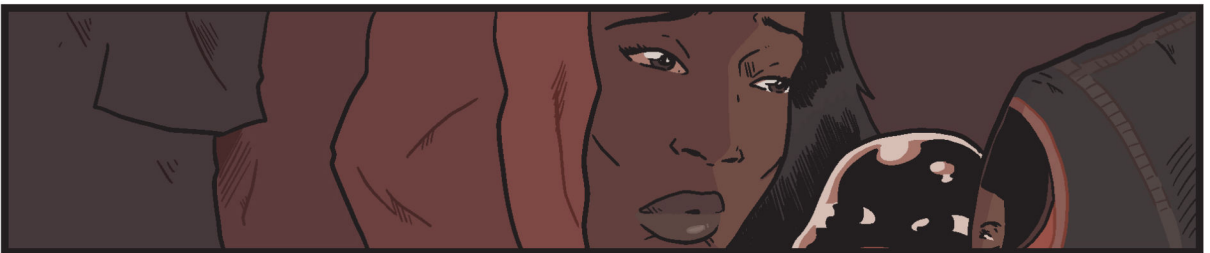
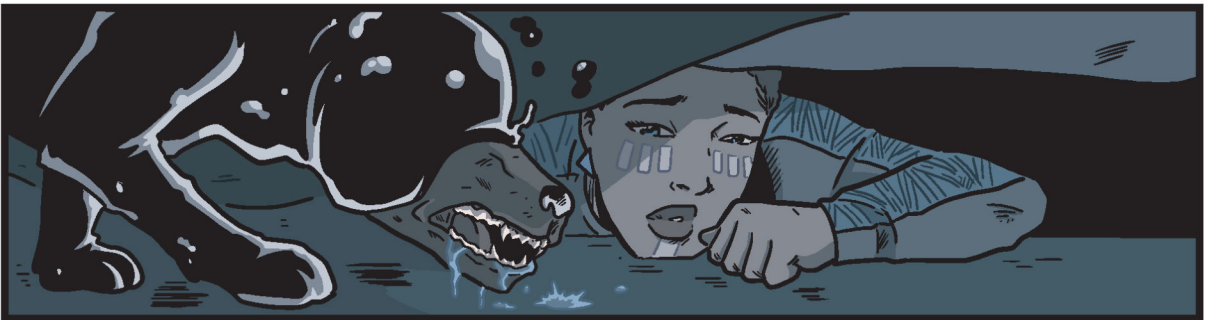






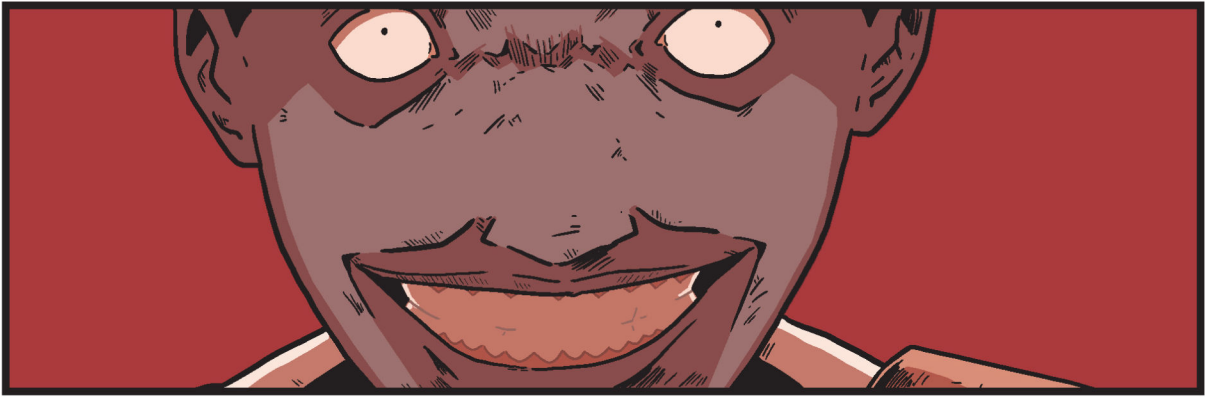
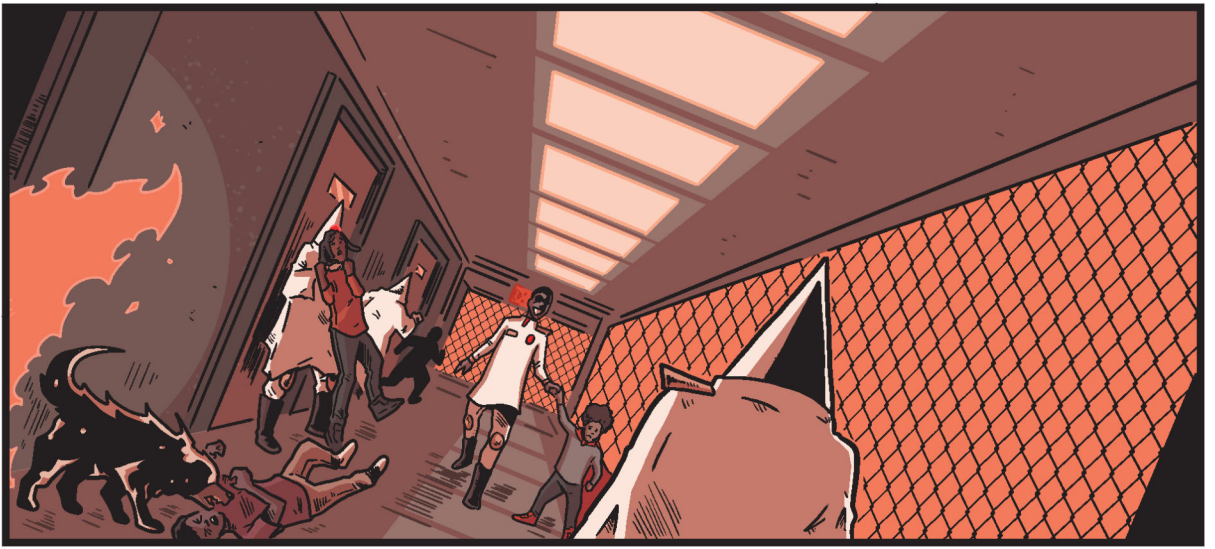










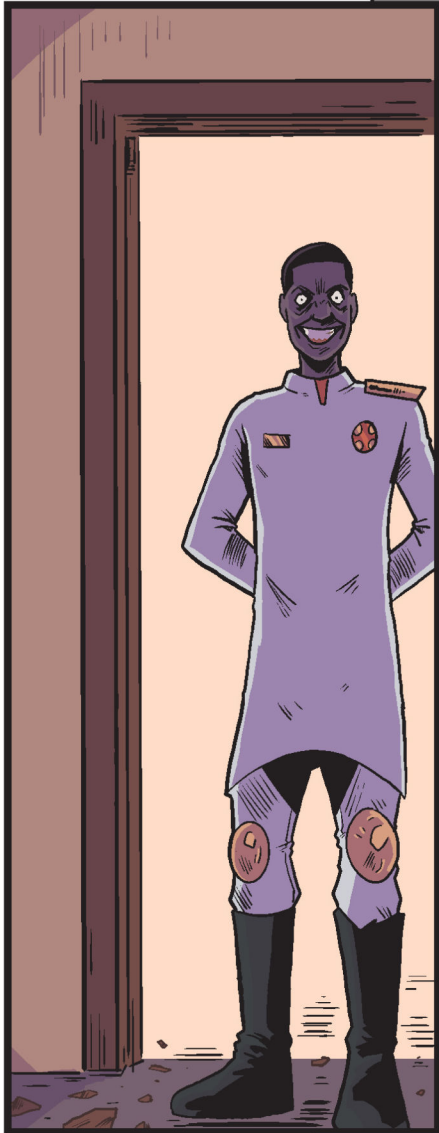








LITTLE  
BLACKNESS,  
A LITTLE HELP  
PLEASE!

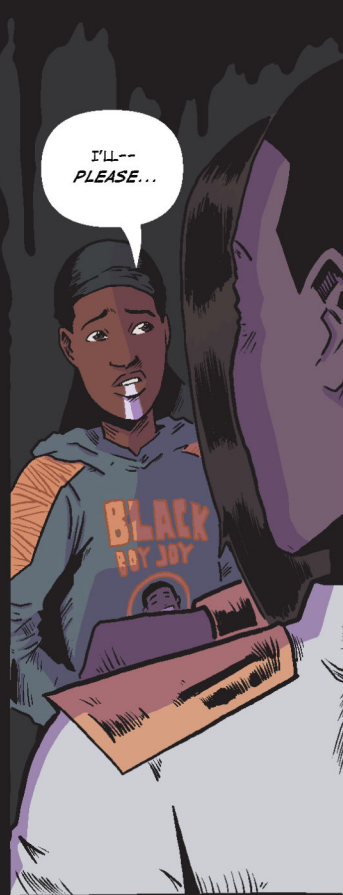
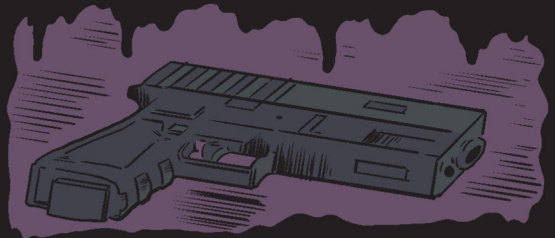


AGH,  
MY  
LEG!

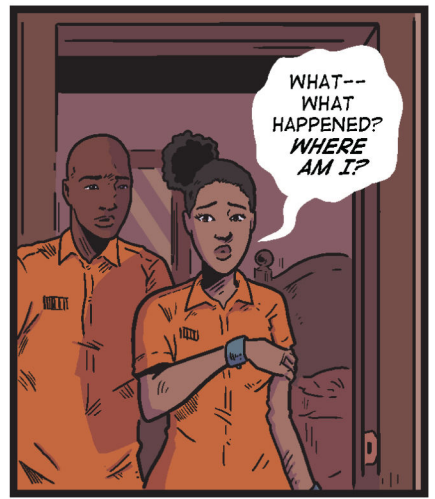
I CANT!

MAN MAN, DO  
SOMETHING!







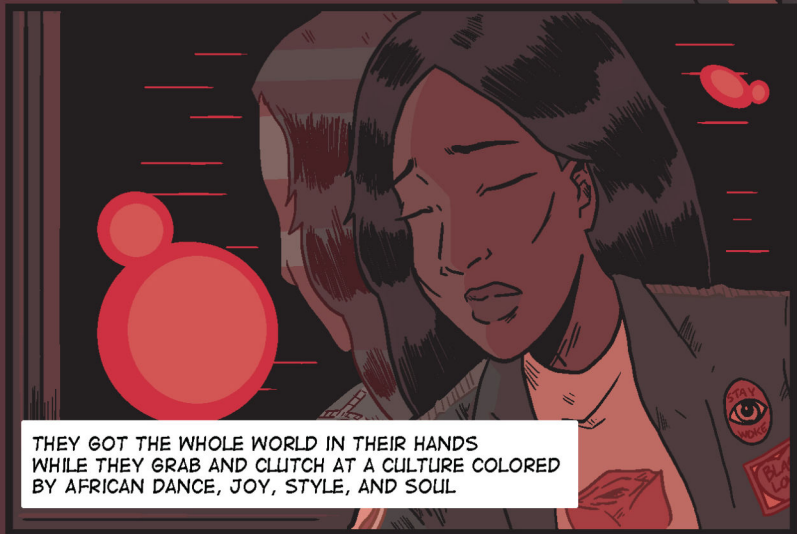




THEY GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN THEIR HANDS  
AND THEY DON'T PLAN ON SHARING OUR BROWN  
MOTHER EARTH WITH HER BEAUTIFUL BROWN CHILDREN

THEY GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN THEIR HANDS  
AND LEAVE THE POOR AND TIRED TO FEED  
FROM THEIR HALF-EATEN ROTTED BROWN SCRAPS

THEY GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN THEIR HANDS  
AS THEY HOLD BROWN BABIES IN MUDDY WATERS  
TO TEACH THEIR PROUD MOTHERS THE ACT OF SUBMISSION



THEY GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN THEIR HANDS  
WHILE THEY GRAB AND CLUTCH AT A CULTURE COLORED  
BY AFRICAN DANCE, JOY, STYLE, AND SOUL





THEY GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN THEIR HANDS  
AND THEY'RE BUILDING A NEW PALE FUTURE WITH BROWN  
BRICKS CAST IN THE BLOOD AND FLESH OF OUR YOUNG BROTHERS

THEY GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN THEIR HANDS  
BUT NOT FOR LONG

TO BE CONTINUED...





THANK YOU, PATRONS

EMILY TODD

XAVIER JACOBS

BLAKE WILSON

IMANI CARSON

JAIME FIELDS

KATHRYN FRANK

SAYVON

TREY LAPINE

