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# MONKEY MEAT #1

## THE SUMMER BATCH



**YOUR  
FACE  
HERE**

*The tasty  
anthology is back!  
Now with two  
stories per issue,  
and games!*

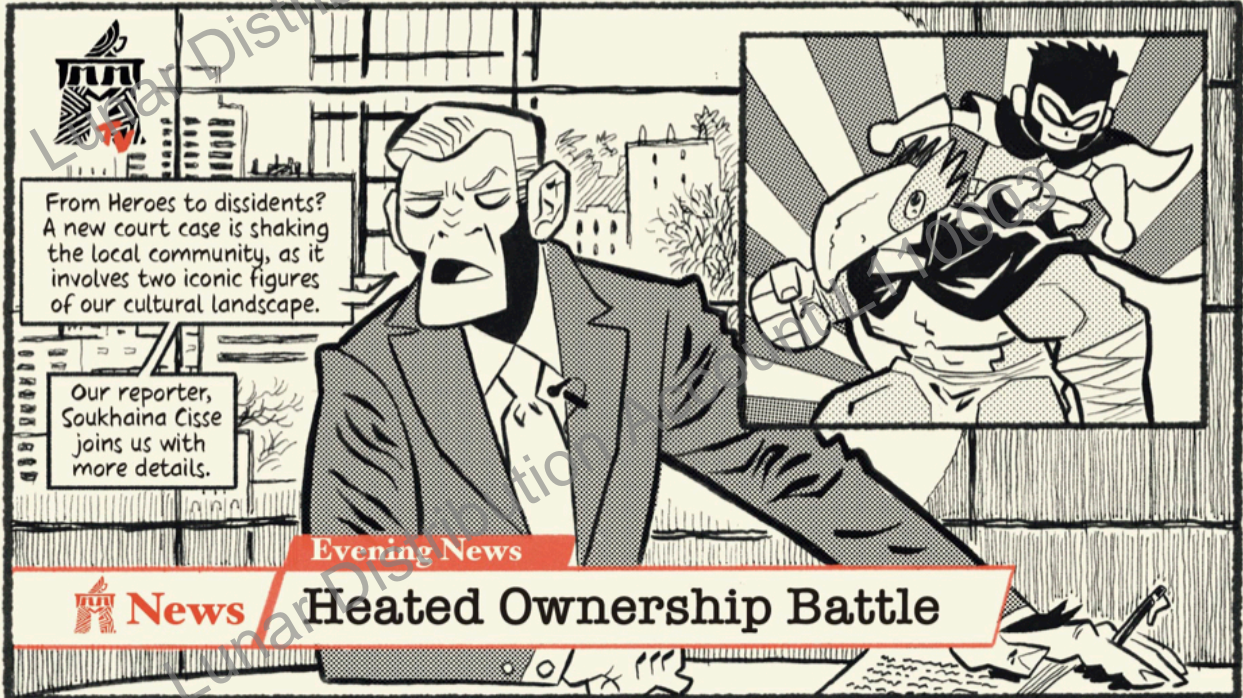
*This summer,  
come enjoy our  
exotic island!*



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Monkey Meat presents:

# The Evening News



From Heroes to dissidents? A new court case is shaking the local community, as it involves two iconic figures of our cultural landscape.

Our reporter, Soukhaina Cisse joins us with more details.

Evening News

**News** Heated Ownership Battle



SINCE ITS INCEPTION, THE MONKEY MEAT COMPANY HAS MADE IT ITS BUSINESS TO FEED OUR MINDS AS WELL AS OUR BELLIES.

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IT'S TO THAT PURPOSE THAT THEY SOLD THE COMICS OF **MONKEABLE** AND **MONKEY-GIRL**.

FICTIONAL HEROES DEFENDING THE INNOCENT AND SPREADING GOOD VALUES... AND RACKING IN BILLIONS A YEAR IN MERCH AND FILMS.



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UNTIL DISGRUNTLED FANS VISITED THE ISLAND, AND USED **MAGIC** TO BRING THEIR HEROES TO **LIFE** OUT OF THE MANY ITERATIONS MADE OF THEM OVER THE DECADES. ALL THESE VERSIONS MEMORIES MERGING INTO ONE PERSON. LEADING TO INSTANT **MENTAL BREAKDOWNS**.



EVEN WEIRDER, ANY AND ALL COMICS, FILMS OR MERCH SPORTING THESE CHARACTERS IS NOW BLANK.

AS IF THEM BECOMING REAL ALSO KEEPS ANYONE FROM SELLING ANY NEW VERSIONS OF THEM.



THE HORRORS OF SENTIENCE WOULDN'T END THERE HOWEVER, AS BOTH CHARACTERS DISCOVERED THAT, UNDER MONKEY MEAT LAW, THEY REMAIN THE **PROPERTY** OF THE COMPANY THAT PUBLISHES THEM.

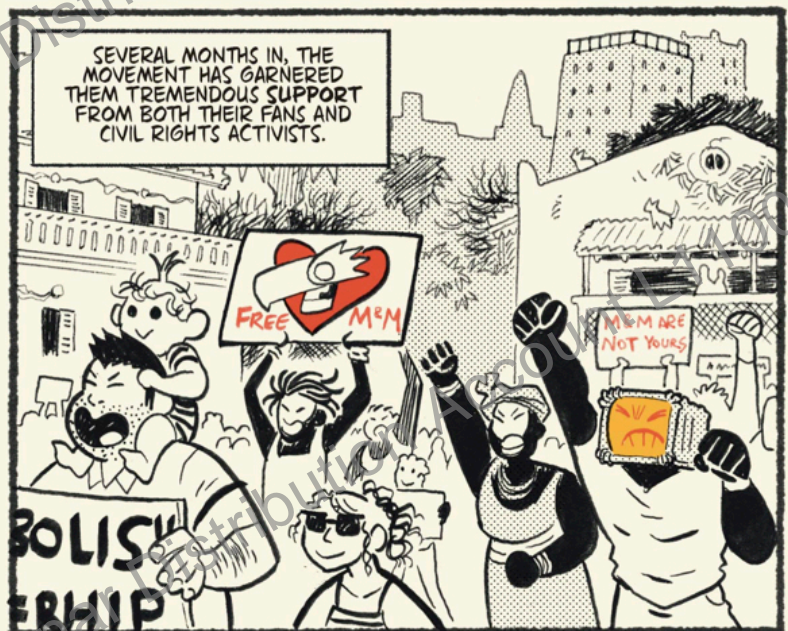


**PROPERTY OF THE MONKEY MEAT COMPANY**

PROMPTING THEM TO START A MOVEMENT TO RECLAIM THEIR **INDEPENDENCE** FROM THE MONKEY MEAT COMPANY.



SEVERAL MONTHS IN, THE MOVEMENT HAS GARNERED THEM TREMENDOUS SUPPORT FROM BOTH THEIR FANS AND CIVIL RIGHTS ACTIVISTS.





WHEN ASKED WHY THEY DID IT, THE THREE FANS HAD THIS TO SAY:

I dunno... THEIR STORIES WERE GETTING SO SAMEY, y'know?

NOW THEY CAN FINALLY DO WHAT THE FANS WANT INSTEAD OF THE COMPANY KEEPING THEM FROM IT.

NAH MAN! THEY'RE KIDS CHARACTERS!

LIKE EAT P\*SSY!



GO RAT A D\*CK GATEKEEP

YOUR OPINION IS IN A NE

Riiight... 'S IS ALL

CONGRATULATIONS ON BEING A FAN

COME BACK W/ READ ALL

SHUT UP!! THEY'RE TASTY DEEP MYTHOLOGY FOR ADULTS!

LISTEN TO AN OF M&M'S!!

OH PL HAVEN TASTE



THE COMPANY HAD ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD DEAL WITH THIS AS CAREFULLY AS THEY HANDLED THINGS WHEN THEIR MASCOT SOUL JUICE MAN HAD HIS NERVOUS BREAKDOWN.

BUT LUG THE GROUNDSKEEPER HAVING DISAPPEARED IN A TIME TRAVEL ACCIDENT, ANY...HUM... DEEP CLEANING WAS OUT OF THE QUESTION.



INSTEAD THE COURTROOM WOULD BE THEIR BATTLEFIELD, AND THE LAWYER HECTOR SALAMONKEY WOULD BE THE PLAINTIFF'S CHAMPION.



ONE WHO IS SUSPECTED OF MERELY USING THEIR HIGH PROFILE CASE TO HIS OWN BENEFIT.



BUT FACED WITH A SHORTAGE OF LAWYERS INDEPENDENT FROM THE COMPANY...



...HE WAS THEIR ONLY OPTION.