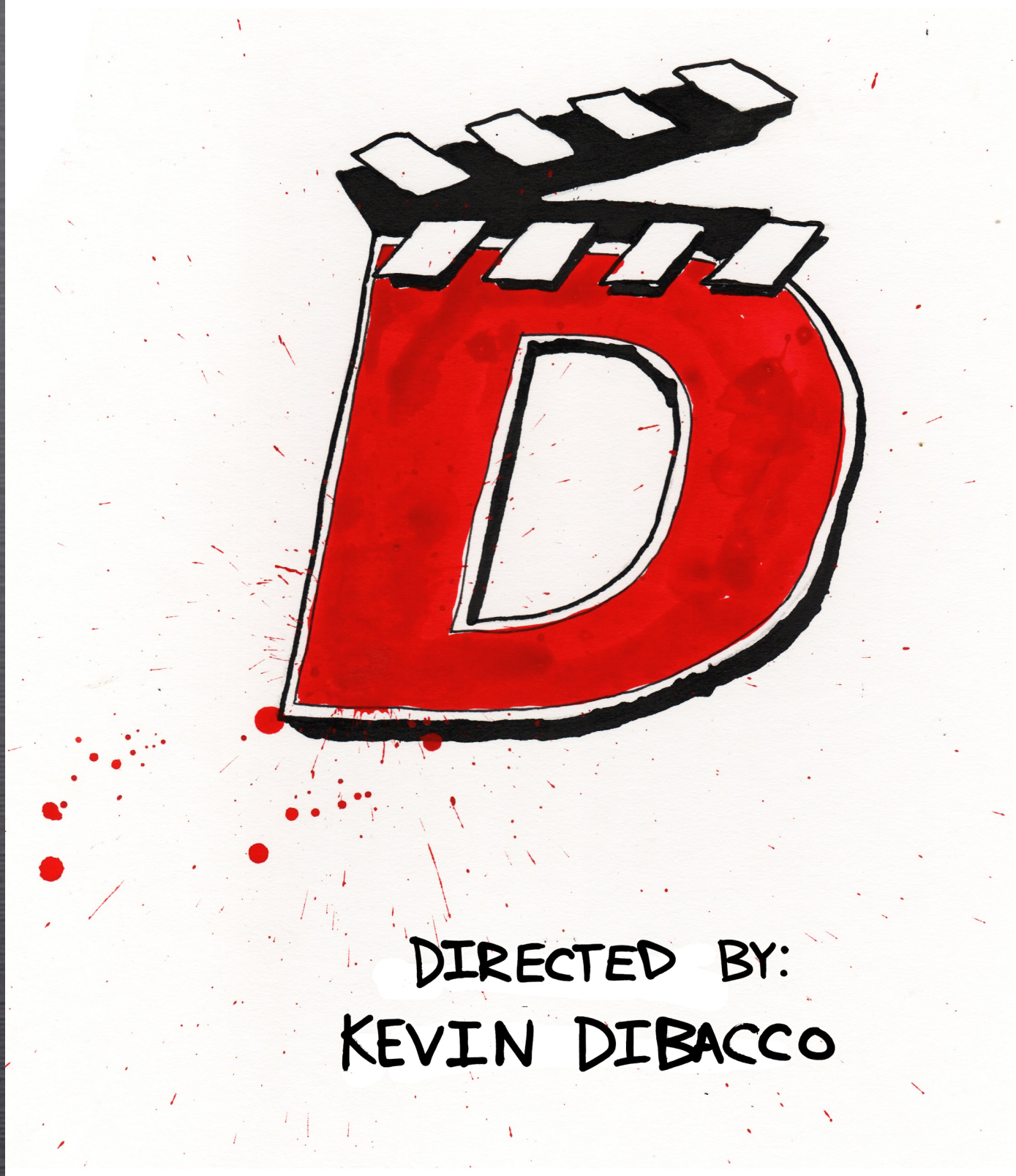
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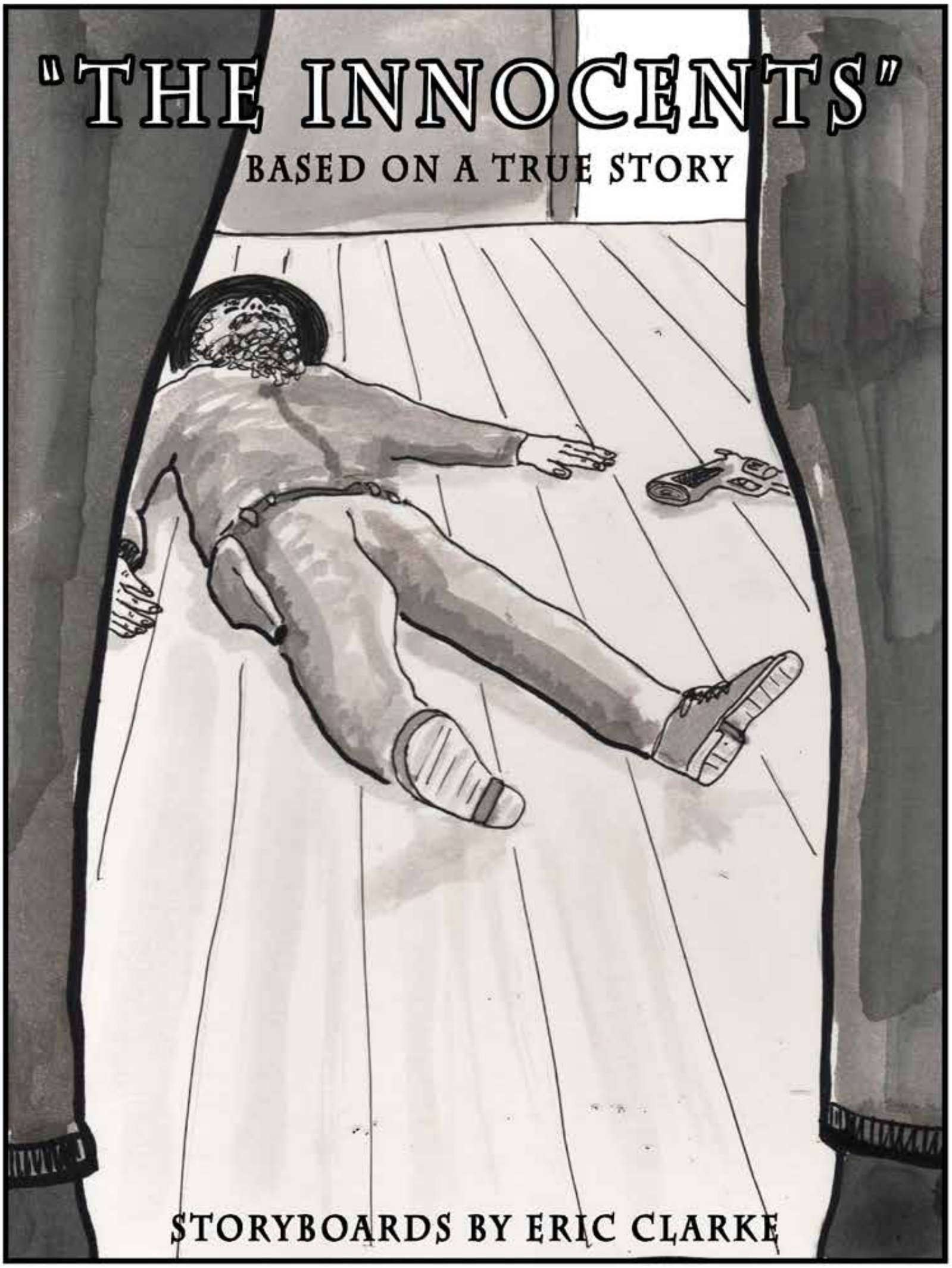

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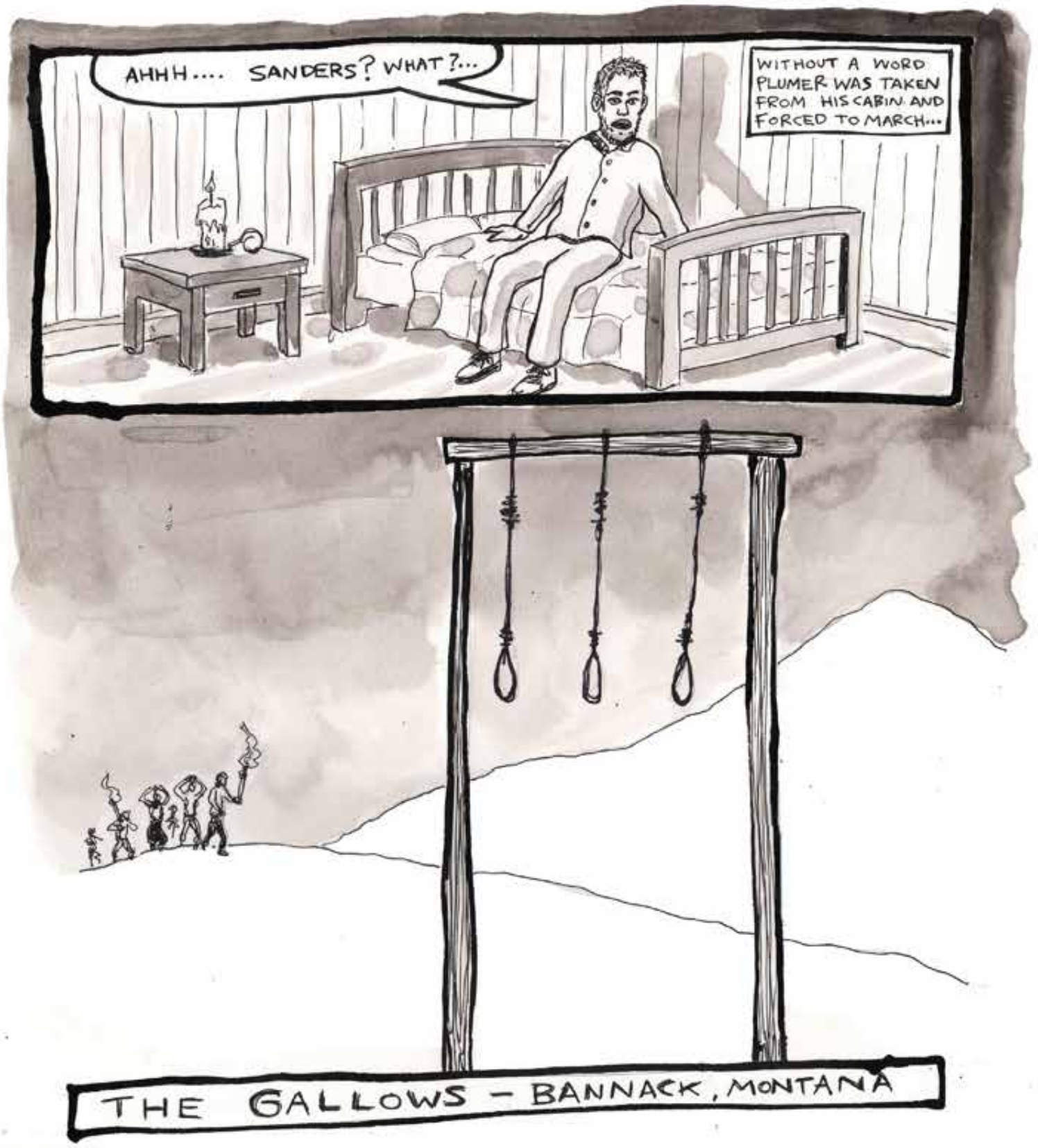
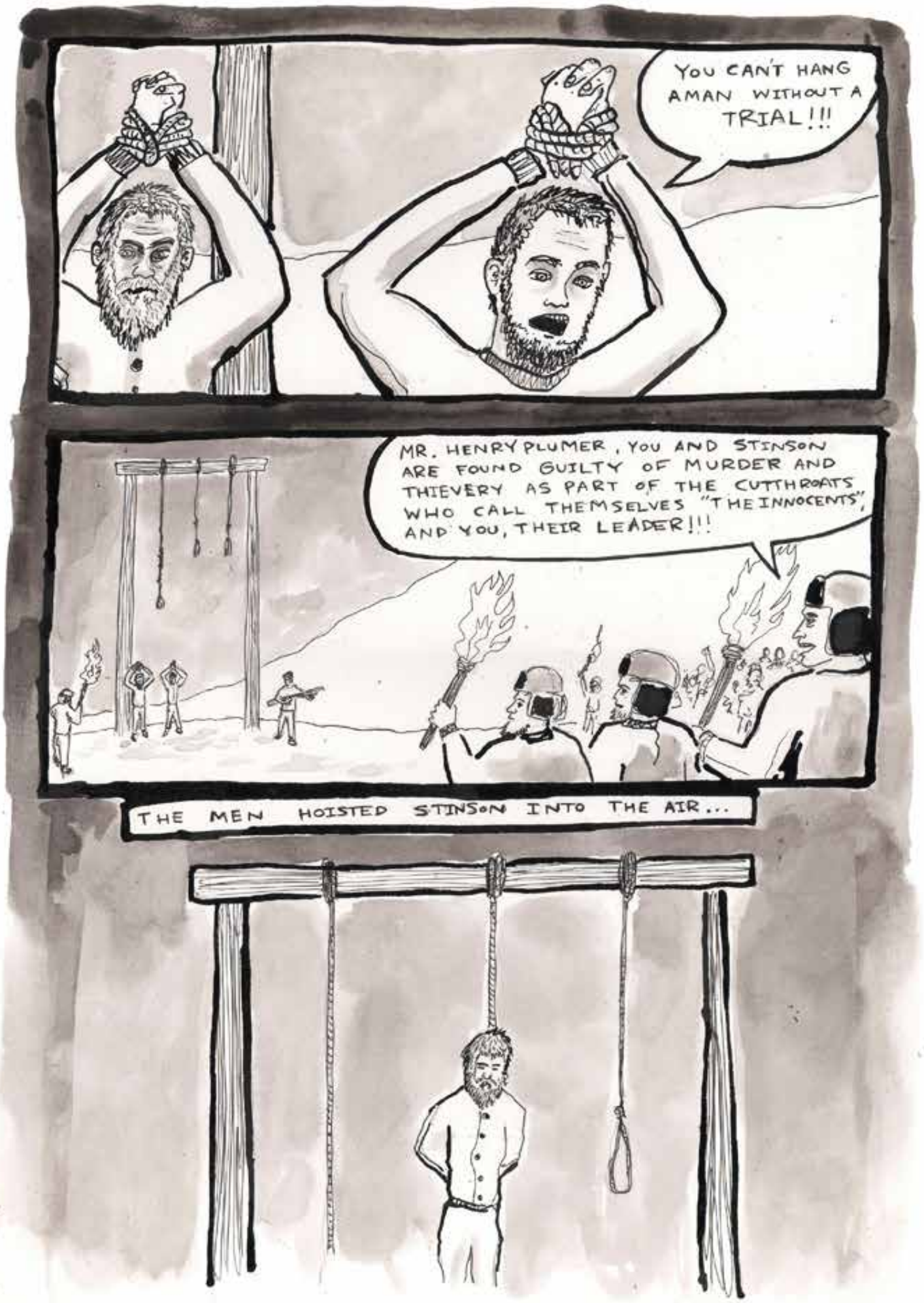
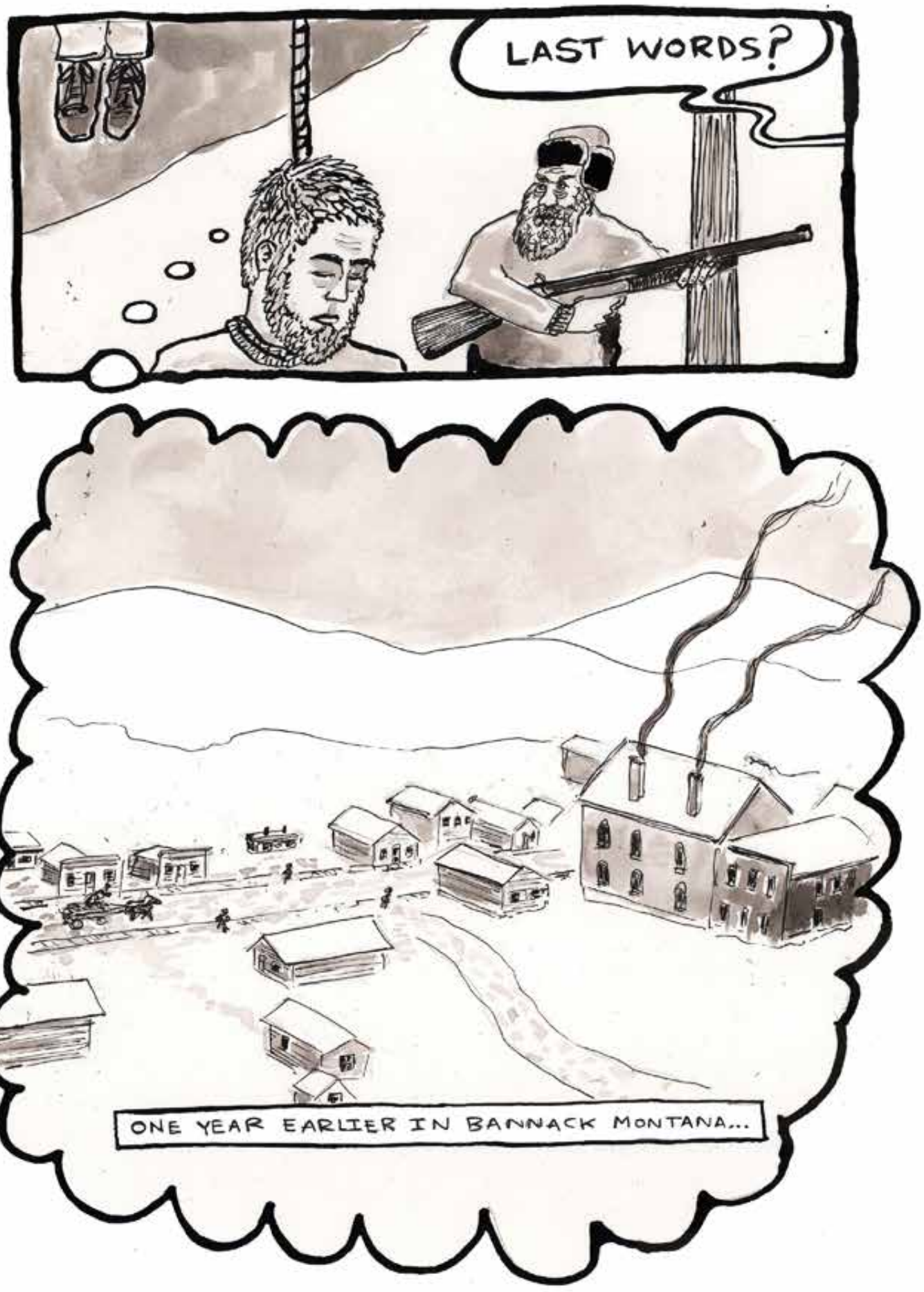
HEAVY BOOTS CRUNCH SNOW...

MAY I HELP YOU?

PLUMER VAILABLE?


AHHH.... SANDERS? WHAT?...
WITHOUT A WORD PLUMER WAS TAKEN FROM HIS CABIN AND FORCED TO MARCH...
THE GALLOWS - BANNACK, MONTANA


YOU CAN'T HANG A MAN WITHOUT A TRIAL!!!
MR. HENRY PLUMER, YOU AND STINSON ARE FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER AND THIEVERY AS PART OF THE CUTTHROATS WHO CALL THEMSELVES "THE INNOCENTS", AND YOU, THEIR LEADER!!!
THE MEN HOISTED STINSON INTO THE AIR...


LAST WORDS?
ONE YEAR EARLIER IN BANNACK MONTANA...

PLUMER!
JUST OUTSIDE OF BANNACK, IT WAS A COLD, GRAY DAY...

MR. HIGH AND MIGHTY! YOU MAY HAVE FOOLED MS. BRYAN, BUT YOU AIN'T FOOLED ME!
WATCH YOURSELF CLEVELAND!

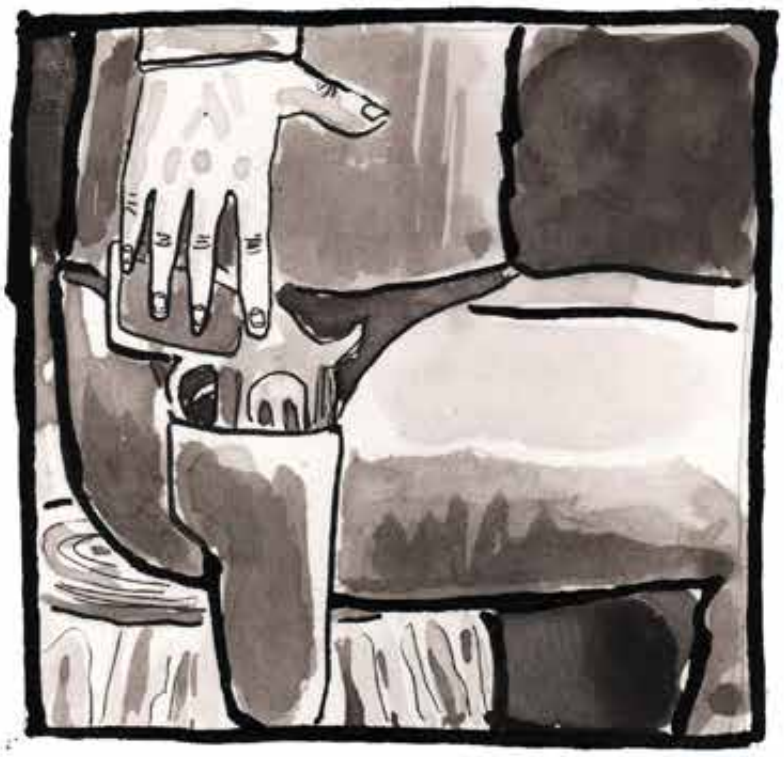
OR WHAT? YOU GONNA KILL ME LIKE YOU DID TO THOSE OTHERS?

AWFULLY TEMPTING...

SEVERAL DAYS LATER AT THE GOODRICH HOTEL SALOON.

CLEVELAND STUMBLES IN ON PLUMER AND FRIEND, PERKINS.

PERKINS, YOU OWE ME $40!
NO I DONT!



NOW YOU'RE A LIAR TOO!

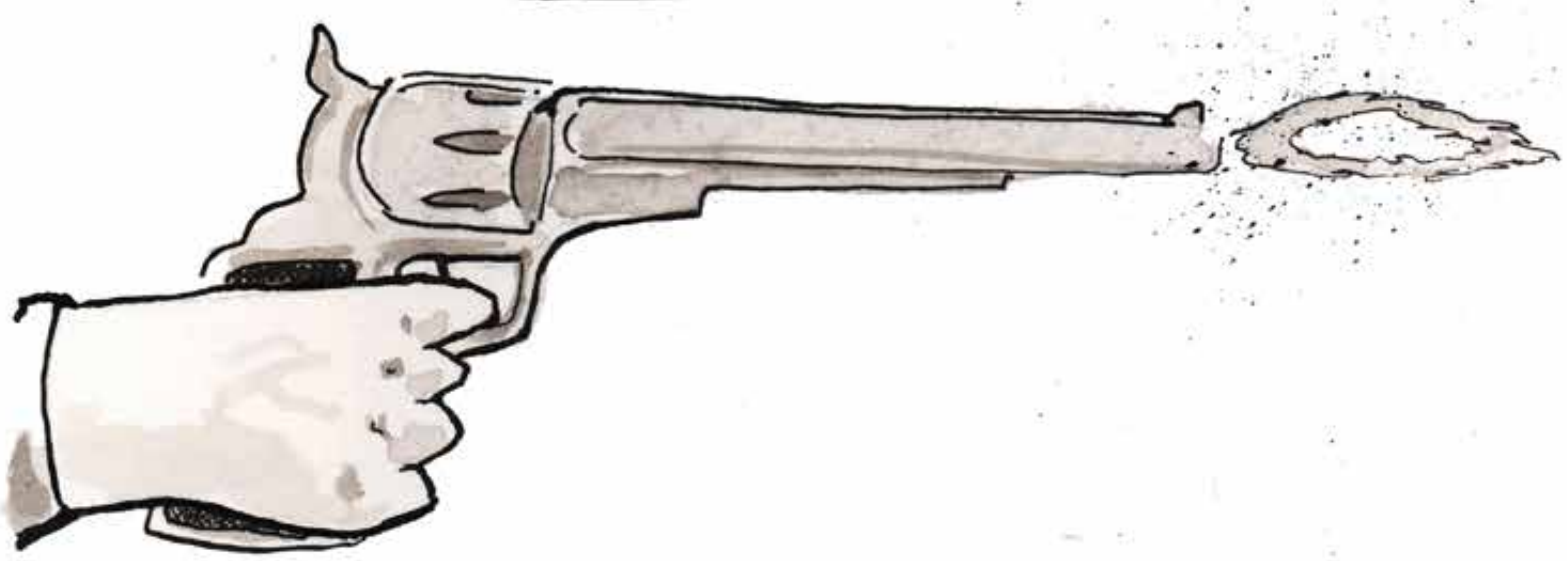
LEAVE IT ALONE CLEVELAND, YOU GOT YOUR MONEY!

YOU AIN'T THE SHERIFF ROUND HERE! THIS AIN'T YOUR BUSINESS!

I AIN'T AFRAID OF YOU OR ANY OTHER COWARDS IN THIS HERE SHIT HOLE!

PLUMER PULLS OUT HIS WEAPON AND FIRES A SHOT IN THE CEILING AND YELLS...
I'M TIRED OF THIS!
IT'S TIME YOU GO CLEVELAND!
CLEVELAND TURNS AND STARTS TOWARDS THE DOOR, SUDDENLY HE SPINS AROUND FIRING A SHOT AT PLUMER. INSTEAD, IT HITS THE WALL...

PLUMER FIRES BACK HITTING CLEVELAND IN THE LEG...

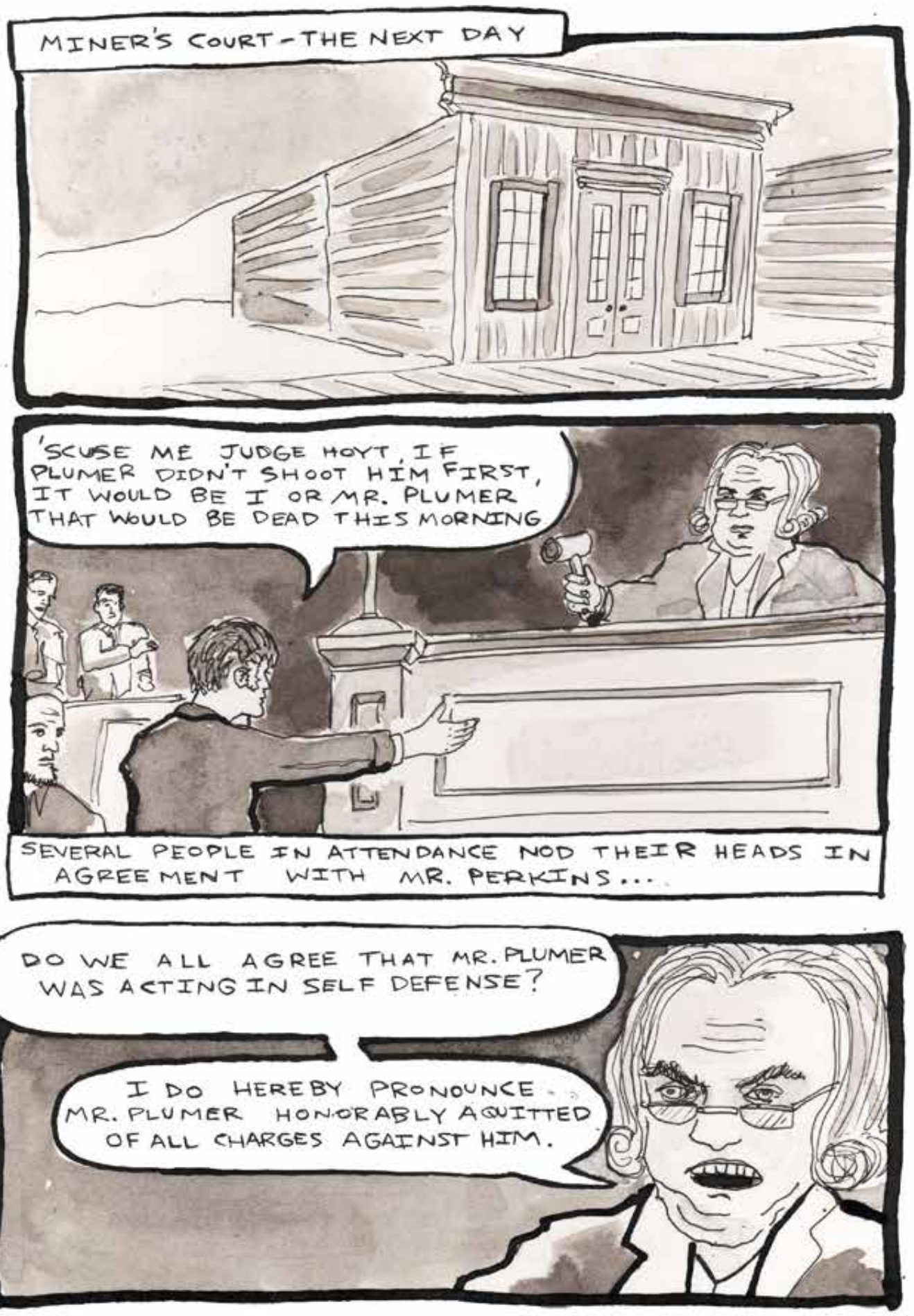


PLUMERS QUICK HAND LANDS TWO MORE SLUGS IN CLEVELAND. ONE IN THE RIBS, AND ONE JUST BELOW HIS EYE...

CLEVELAND GOES DOWN FOR GOOD THIS TIME

STILL ALIVE, SHERIFF CRAWFORD AND FELLOW GAMBLER RUSH TO CLEVELANDS AID. WITH MUCH EFFORT THEY HAUL HIS BODY ACCROSS THE STREET TO THE SHERIFFS BUTCHER SHOP

THEY PULL CLEVELANDS BODY ONTO THE BUTCHERS TABLE...

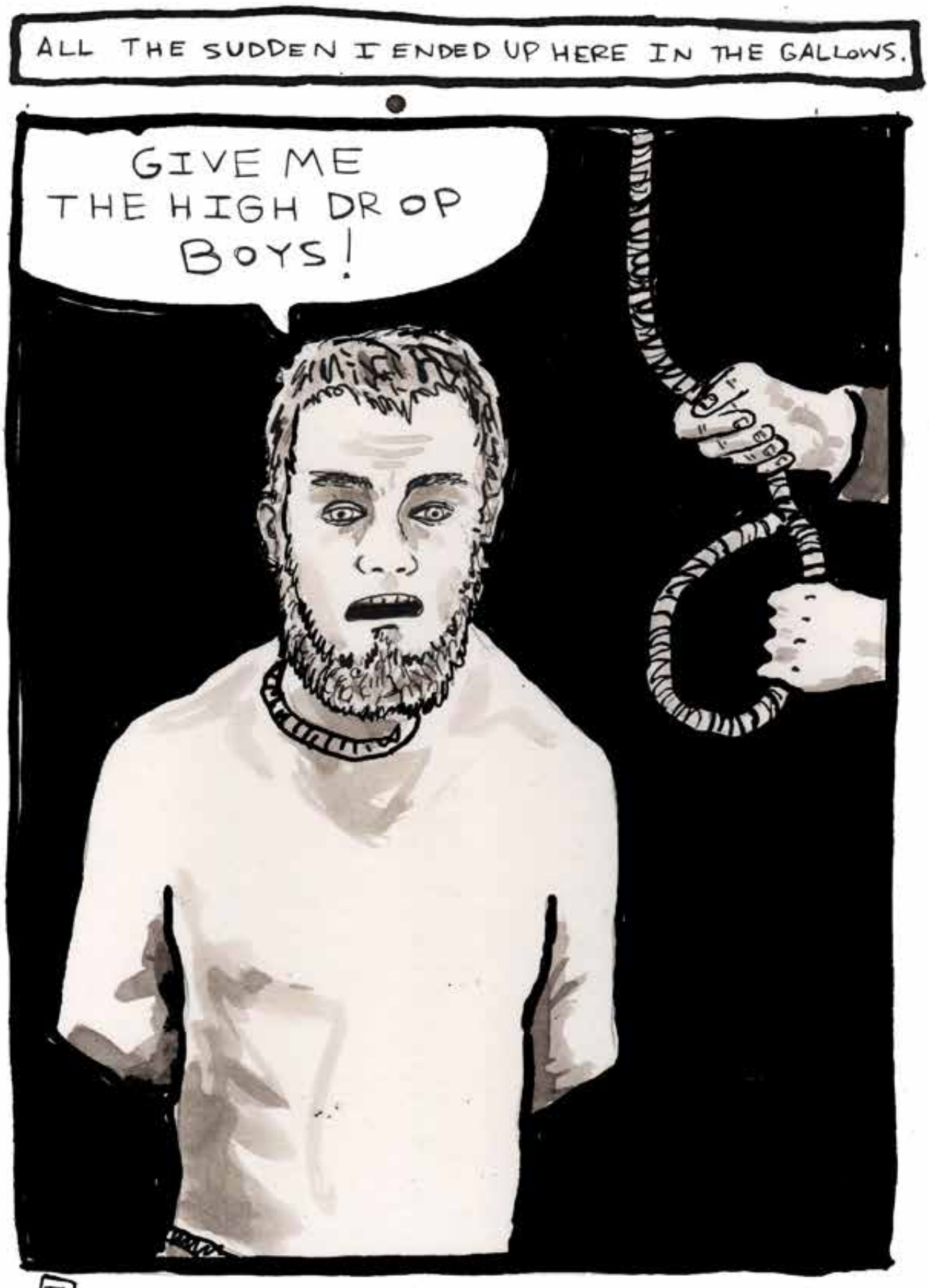

MINER'S COURT - THE NEXT DAY
'SCUSE ME JUDGE HOYT, IF PLUMER DIDN'T SHOOT HIM FIRST, IT WOULD BE I OR MR. PLUMER THAT WOULD BE DEAD THIS MORNING
SEVERAL PEOPLE IN ATTENDANCE NOD THEIR HEADS IN AGREEMENT WITH MR. PERKINS...
DO WE ALL AGREE THAT MR. PLUMER WAS ACTING IN SELF DEFENSE?
I DO HEREBY PRONOUNCE MR. PLUMER HONORABLY ACQUITTED OF ALL CHARGES AGAINST HIM.

MEANWHILE IN WASHINGTON D.C.
PRESIDENT LINCOLN IS EXAMINING TWO GOLD NUGGETS PLACED ON HIS DESK...
AND YOU SAY THERE IS MORE COLONEL FISK?
MUCH MORE!
PACK YOUR BAGS, YOURE LEAVING IN THREE DAYS TO GET THEREST.

AS SOON AS WORD SPREAD ABOUT THE RICHES OF ADLER GULCH, MOST PEOPLE LEFT TOWN, INCLUDING SHERIFF CRAWFORD.

ALL THE SUDDEN I BECAME SHERIFF

ALL THE SUDDEN I WAS SET UP AND ACCUSED OF MURDER



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