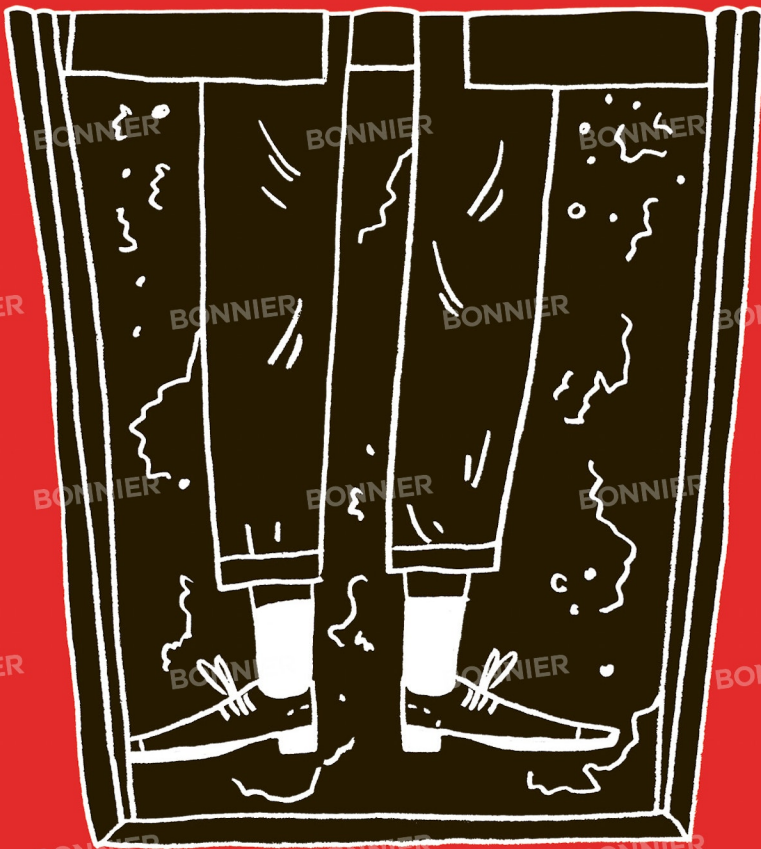




DRACULA
BRAM STOKER

ILLUSTRATED BY ISOBEL LUNDIE



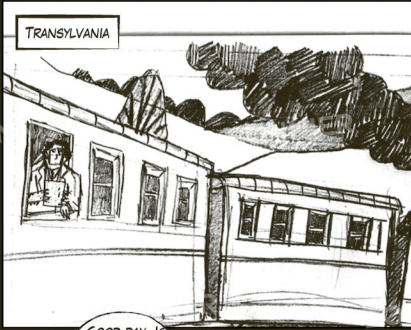


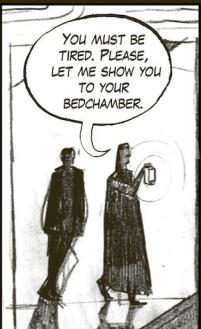
MR JONATHAN HARKER
BUDAPEST

MY FRIEND,
WELCOME TO THE CARPATHIANS. I AM ANXIOUSLY EXPECTING YOU. SLEEP WELL TONIGHT. AT THE BORGÓ PASS MY CARRIAGE WILL AWAIT YOU AND BRING YOU TO ME. I TRUST THAT YOUR JOURNEY FROM LONDON HAS BEEN A HAPPY ONE, AND THAT YOU WILL ENJOY YOUR STAY IN MY BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY, TRANSYLVANIA.

YOUR FRIEND,
DRACULA

CHARACTER PAGE





PLEASE, EAT AND DRINK.

WON'T YOU JOIN ME?

I'M AFRAID NOT...

RESHAPE SPEECH BUBBLES AS DISCUSSED

HOOOOWWWWL!!!!

LISTEN... AH, THE CHILDREN OF THE NIGHT. WHAT MUSIC THEY MAKE!

WELCOME TO MY HOUSE! ENTER OF YOUR OWN FREE WILL.

HIS PALMS ARE SO HAIRY AND WHAT SHARP NAILS HE HAS!

YOU MUST BE TIRED. PLEASE, LET ME SHOW YOU TO YOUR BEDCHAMBER.

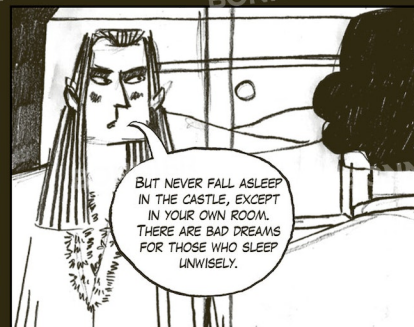
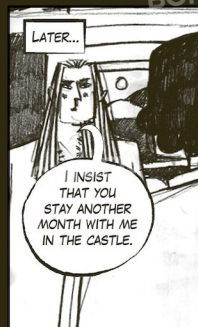
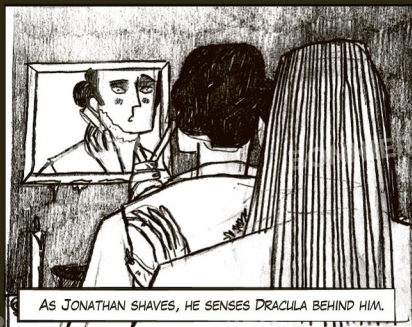
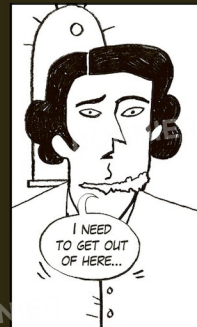
HIS FINGERS ARE COLD - IT'S LIKE TOUCHING A DEAD MAN'S HAND!

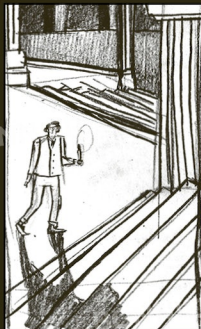
LET ME SEE TO YOUR NEEDS...

THE NEXT DAY...

I'VE BEEN HERE ALONE ALL DAY AND NOW THE SUN IS SETTING. WHERE HAS DRACULA GOT TO?

STRANGE... ALL THE BOOKS IN HIS LIBRARY ARE ABOUT ENGLAND!





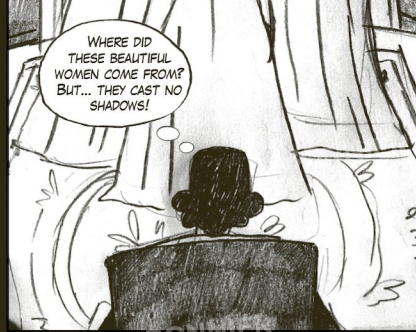
WHO CARES WHAT DRACULA SAYS I'M GOING TO EXPLORE.

MY GOD, IT'S DRACULA!

NO HUMAN COULD CLIMB A WALL LIKE THAT!

DRACULA TOLD ME NOT TO SLEEP ANYWHERE EXCEPT MY OWN ROOM...

BUT I'M SO TIRED.

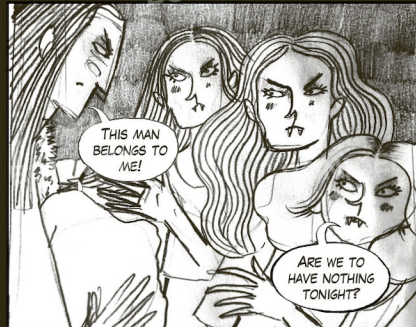


HE IS YOUNG AND STRONG: THERE ARE KISSES FOR US ALL!

YOU GO FIRST, AND WE SHALL FOLLOW.

WHERE DID THESE BEAUTIFUL WOMEN COME FROM? BUT... THEY CAST NO SHADOWS!

DON'T DARE TO TOUCH HIM!

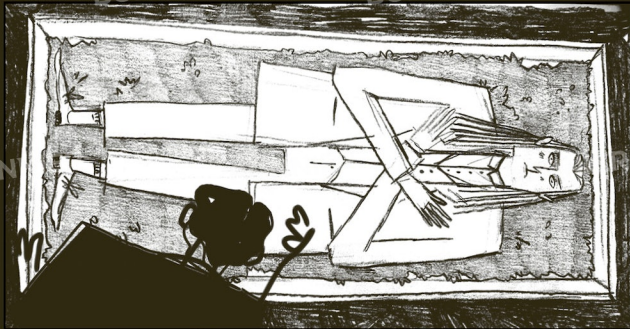


THIS MAN BELONGS TO ME!

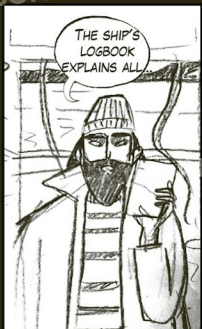
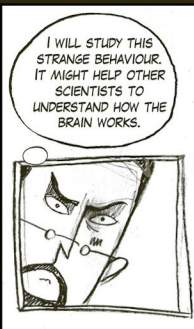
ARE WE TO HAVE NOTHING TONIGHT?

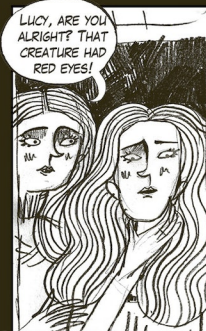
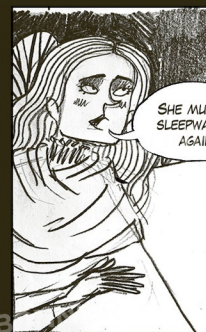
WHEN I AM DONE WITH HIM, YOU MAY KISS HIM AT YOUR WILL.













A LETTER FROM JONATHAN AT LAST! HE IS IN A HOSPITAL IN HUNGARY. I MUST GO TO HIM.



19TH AUGUST, 1897



JONATHAN!

MINA!



LET'S WAIT NO LONGER TO BE MARRIED.



LET'S MARRY NOW!



MEANWHILE, BACK IN WHITBY...

LUCY, I'M HERE TO TAKE CARE OF YOU.



OH ARTHUR! I FEEL SO MUCH BETTER NOW. SO FULL OF LIFE!

DR SEWARD'S HOSPITAL

MY PATIENT RENFIELD IS BEHAVING MADLY. HE CRAWLS ON ALL FOURS SNIFFING THE GROUND...



AND FIGHTING THE NURSES.



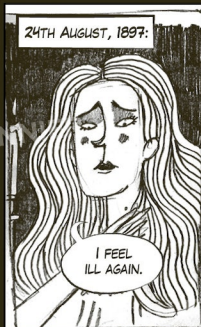
MY MASTER IS CLOSE!

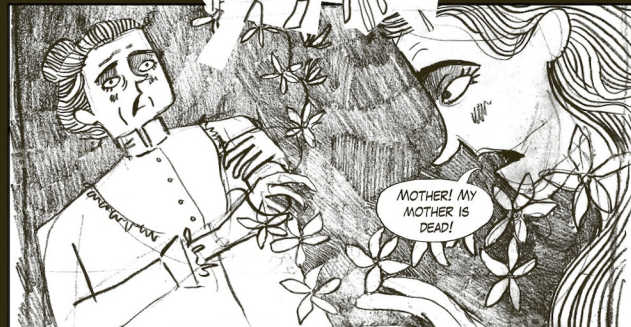
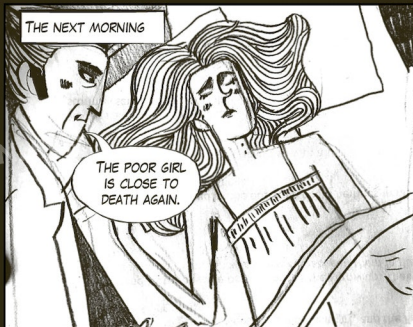


I HAVE WORSHIPPED YOU!



NOW YOU ARE NEAR I SHALL BE PATIENT, MASTER. IT IS COMING!



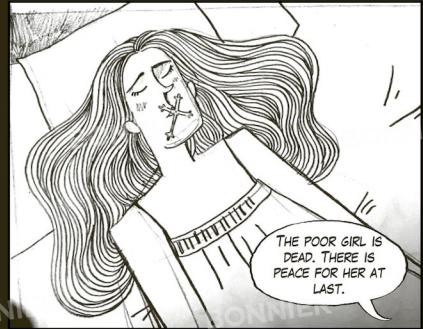


IT IS NOT YET TOO LATE. A BRAVE MAN'S BLOOD IS THE BEST THING ON EARTH.

TAKE MY BLOOD NOW.

A BAT...

18TH SEPTEMBER, 1897:



19TH SEPTEMBER

SHE IS DYING. IT WILL NOT BE LONG NOW.

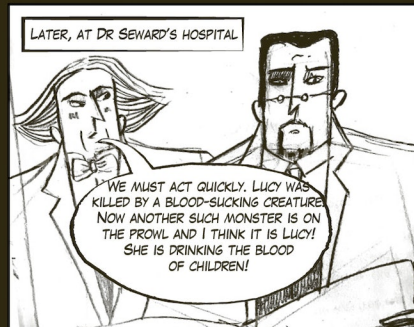
ARTHUR, MY LOVE, KISS ME FAREWELL.

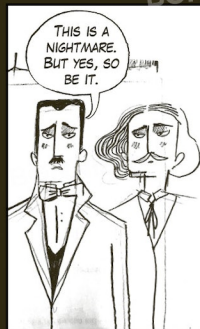
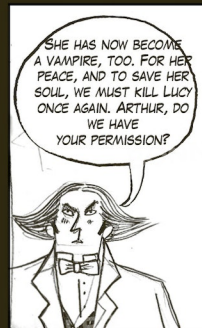
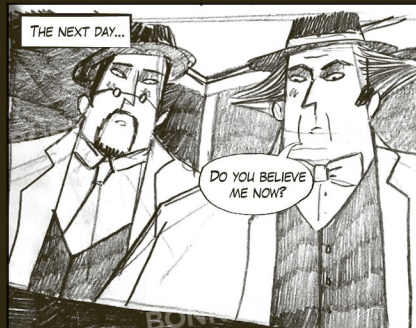
NO... NOT FOR YOUR LIFE!

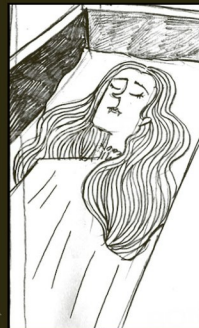
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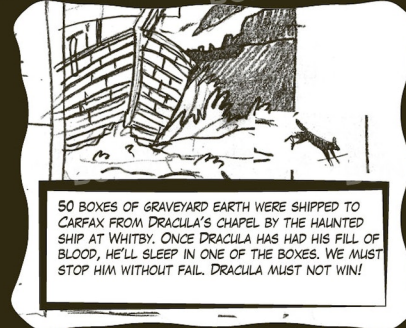
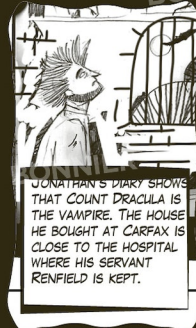
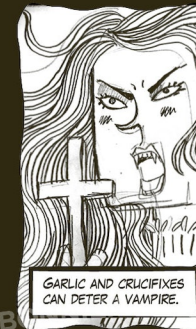
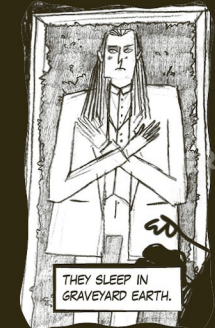
MY DEAR JONATHAN - IT'S WONDERFUL TO HAVE YOU BACK IN ENGLAND AGAIN.

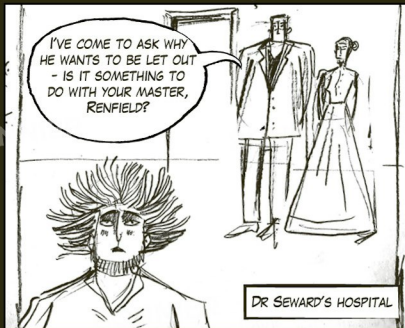
WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT?







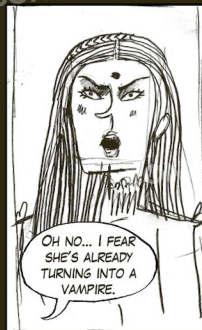
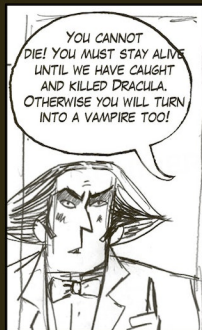
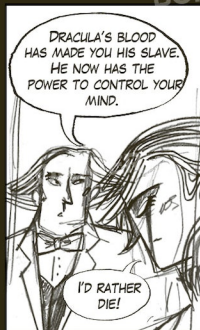
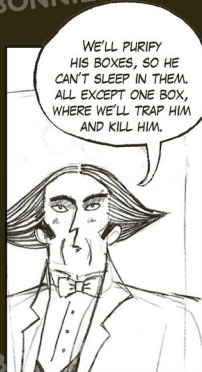








STILL NEEDS TO BE MORE OBVIOUS MINA IS DRINKING FROM A WOUND IN DRACULA'S BODY



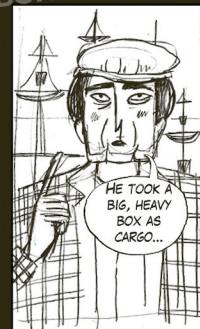
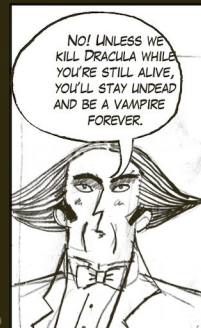
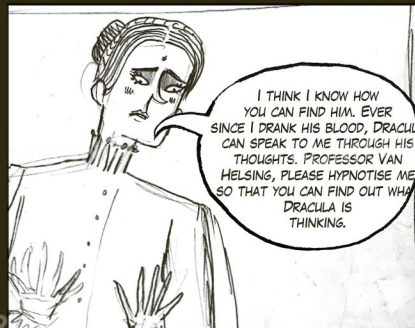


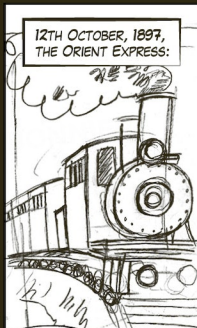
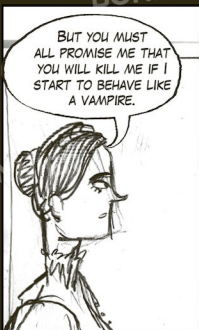
3RD OCTOBER, 1897, CARFAX:





I KNOW THAT YOU MUST FIGHT DRACULA, BUT... YOU MUST HAVE PITY ON HIM, TOO!





NOVEMBER 4TH, 1897:

VAN HELSING AND MINA IN A WILD FOREST.

WE ARE NEAR DRACULA'S CASTLE, MINA. I WILL SURROUND YOU WITH HOLY WAFERS FOR PROTECTION.



COME, SISTER! COME TO US! COME!

I CAN FEEL MYSELF BECOMING ONE OF THEM...

THIS WILL BE ZOOMED OUT VERSION OF THIS IMAGE - SHOWING 3 LADIES STANDING OUTSIDE THE CIRCLE



5TH NOVEMBER, 1897:



I MUST LEAVE YOU HERE, MINA, AND GO TO MY TERRIBLE WORK!

DRACULA'S CASTLE



THE CHAPEL



NEEDS TO BE CLEAR THAT THIS IS 3 WOMEN IN COFFINS. MAYBE MAKE COFFINS MORE COFFIN-SHAPED?



THINK WE NEED TO SEE VAN HELSING STABBING 3 VAMPIRE WOMEN WITH STAKE

