



SOMEWHERE IN GODWANALAND, ABOUT 600 BC, A SUGAR PRINCESS WAS BORN TO THE MOTHER OF ALL SUGARS. LOCAL TRIBESMEN ATE THE SUGAR QUEEN MOTHER AND CONSIDERED EATING THE SUGAR BABY AS WELL ...



BUT THE TRIBESMEN LET HER GROW INTO A BEAUTIFUL
NUBILE SUGAR GIRL/WOMAN KNOWING SHE'D TASTE
BETTER THAT WAY.....



SENSING THE TRIBESMENS' GROWING DESIRE TO EAT HER, THE SUGAR GIRL/WOMAN FLEES THE GARDEN OF EDEN IN THE DARK OF NIGHT ON A RAFT OF SUGAR CANE.....



SHE DRIFTS TOWARD ASIA.....



AND IS FINALLY WASHED ASHORE ON THE EAST COAST OF SRI LANKA WHERE SHE FORMS A CLOSE RELATIONSHIP WITH THE LOCAL COBRA WORSHIPPERS. THIS MEETING WILL HAVE COMMERCIAL REPERCUSSIONS IN THE MID TO LATE TWENTIETH CENTURY.



SOME CENTURIES LATER, A PRINCELING OF THE
NANDI DYNASTY VISITS SRI LANKA, FALLS IN LOVE
WITH THE SUGAR PRINCESS AND SPIRITS HER AWAY
FROM THE COBRA WORSHIPPERS TO THE FAR NORTH
OF INDIA.



WANDERING THROUGH THE JUNGLES OF NORTHERN INDIA,
THE SUGAR PRINCESS , STILL IN HER RAW STATE
MEETS BUDDHA , NOW AN OLD MAN PREPARING FOR
HIS DEATH. HE FINDS HER TO BE EXTRAORDINARILY
MEDICINAL AND SWEETER THAN ORPHEUS.....



STILL UNADULTERATED, THE SUGAR PRINCESS TRAVELS TO BAGHDAD WITH ALEXANDER THE GREAT. WHETHER ALEXANDER CHEWED ON HER IN HIS LAST HOURS IS UNKNOWN. PLINY THE ELDER, IN HIS 'NATURALIS HISTORIE' CLAIMS THAT SHE IS QUITE MEDICINAL AT THIS TIME IN HER LIFE.



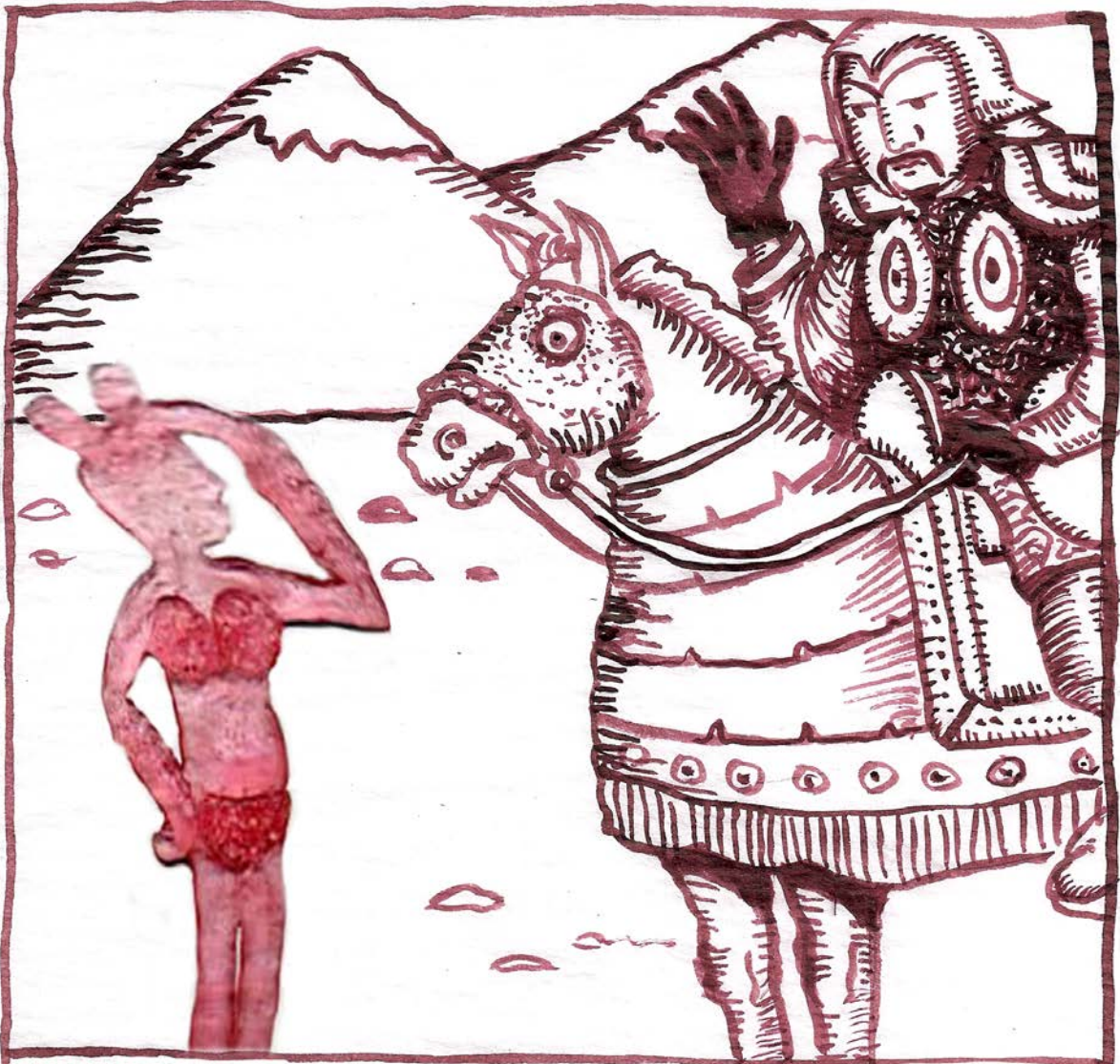
PART OF HER HAD ALWAYS REMAINED IN INDIA, AND IT WAS HERE THAT SHE WAS TO HAVE HER FIRST TRANSFORMATIVE EXPERIENCE; FOR IT WAS HERE THAT SHE BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH KALI MA, THE HOLY MOTHER.....



UNFORTUNATELY KALI MAKES A POWERFUL IMPRESSION ON THE SUGAR PRINCESS AND IS INSTRUMENTAL IN INSTIGATING A MAJOR RITE OF PASSAGE - KALI BOILS HER AND TURNS THE SUGAR PRINCESS INTO CRYSTALLINE FORM! THIS IS PROBABLY AROUND 350 A.D.

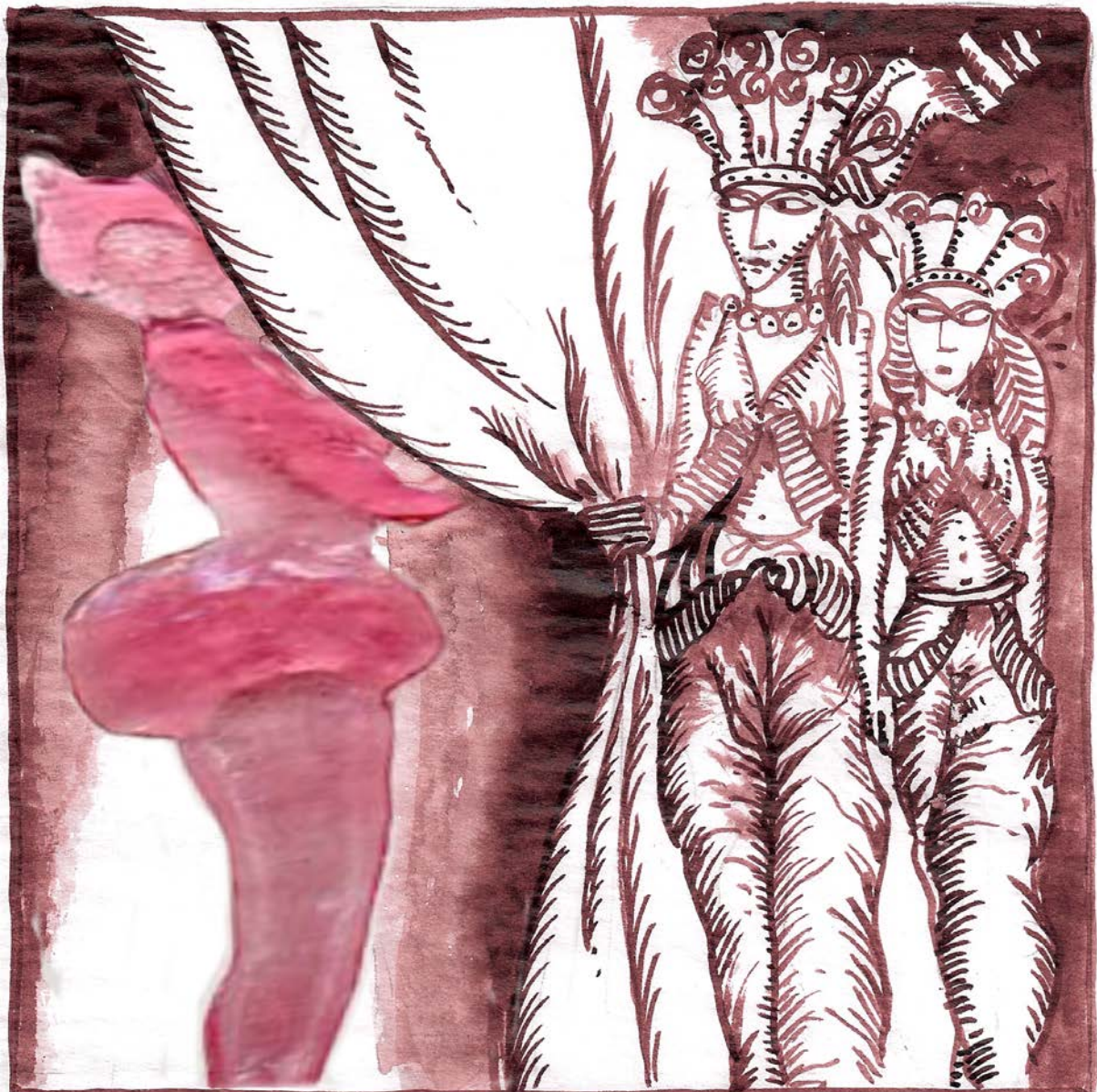


SHE IS ALSO PRIVILEGED TO MEET SOME BUDDHIST MONKS WHO ARE IN COMPLETE AGREEMENT WITH PLINY AND FIND HER QUITE MEDICINAL. THEY TAKE PIECES OF HER (IN CRYSTALLINE FORM) TO CHINA.....



CHINA IS SO DELIGHTED WITH THE PIECES OF THE SUGAR PRINCESS, THE EMPEROR TAI-TSUNG SENDS AN AMBASSADOR TO NORTH INDIA TO MEET THE SUGAR PRINCESS IN HER ENTIRETY





DESPITE HER TRAVELS TO FARAWAY LANDS, SHE IS
REGARDED AS AN INDIAN DELICACY AND HER MANUFACTURE
IS GUARDED WITH SECRECY BY BOTH THE
INDIANS AND THE PERSIAN EMPEROR, CHOSROES II



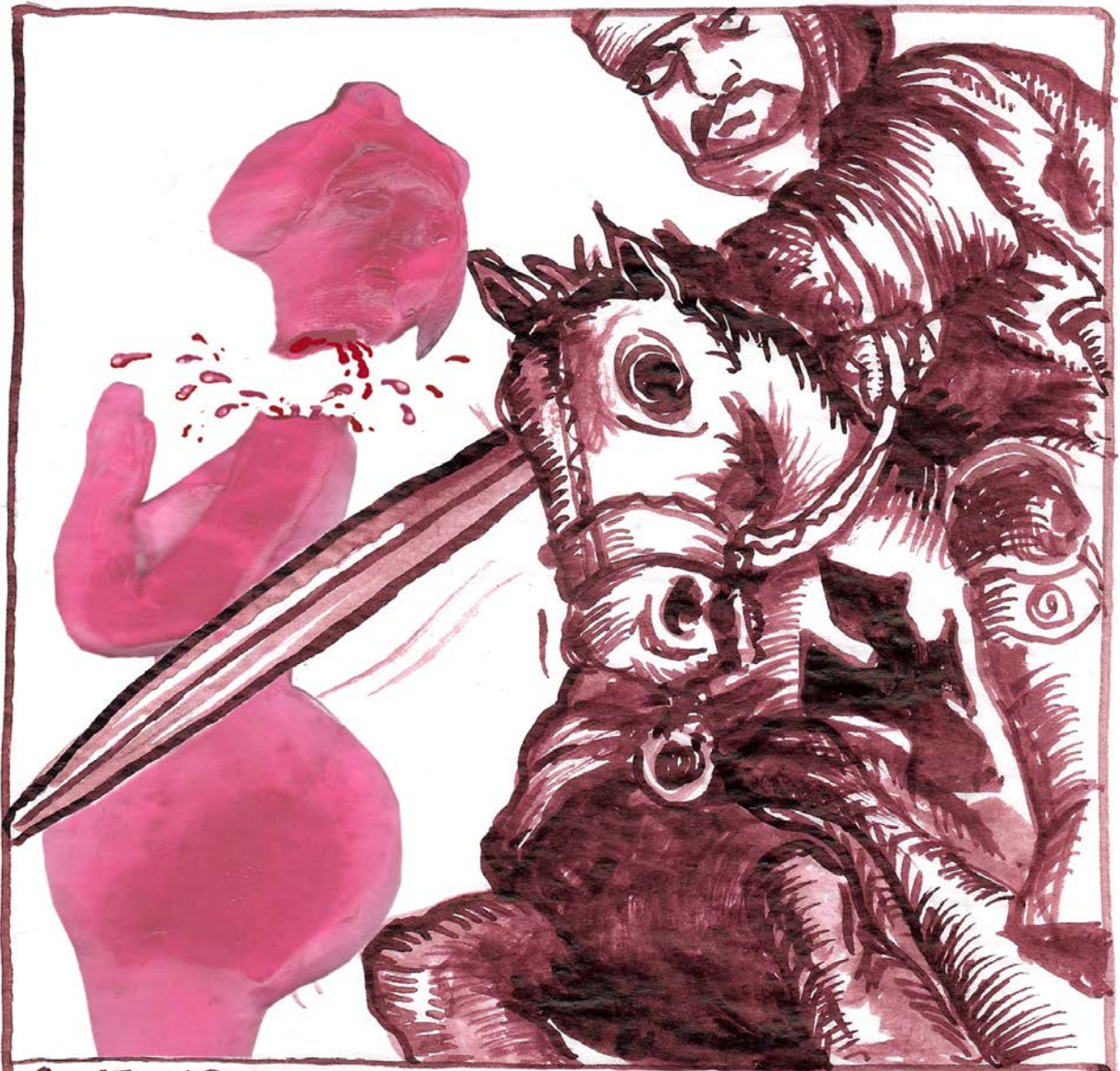
BUT AFTER CHOSROES II IS DEPOSED, THE SUGAR QUEEN IS TAKEN AS BOOTY BY THE MARAUDING SARACENS AND NOW BECOMES ACQUAINTED WITH ISLAM. SHE IS TAKEN BY THE ARABS THROUGH AFRICA



...TO ANDALUCIA. THE ARABS REFINE HER FURTHER
AND MILL HER AND EXPOSE HER TO FACTORY LIFE,
CONSEQUENTLY SHE LOSES SOME OF HER FORMER
FAMED DELICACY AND NON PAREIL.



DESPITE BEING CONSTANTLY CRUSHED AND BOILED, THE SUGAR QUEEN'S INFLUENCE SPREADS HAND IN HAND WITH A RESURGENT ISLAM. IN AN ATTEMPT TO REFINE HERSELF, SHE ENROLS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CORDOBA AND DISCUSSES THE FINER POINTS OF ALGEBRA ASTROLOGY, ASTRONOMY AND ARISTOTLE WITH AVERROES



SOMETIME DURING THE 10th CENTURY, THE SUGAR QUEEN BECOMES ACQUAINTED WITH THE TEMPLAR KNIGHTS AS THEY RAMPAGE THROUGH THE HOLY LANDS. THEY TAKE HER BACK TO THOSE PARTS OF EUROPE STILL LANGUISHING IN THE DARK AGES.



UNFORTUNATELY, ALONG WITH THE TEMPLAR KNIGHTS, SHE IS MELTED ALIVE, FIRST BY PHILIP THE FAIR AND THEN BY THE SPANISH INQUISITION. HER FREQUENT IMMOLATIONS ULTIMATELY LEAD TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF CRÈME BRULÉE AND CREMA CATALANA.



CUT, CRUSHED, BOILED AND BURNT, THE SUGAR QUEEN
SUCCUMBS TO THE BLACK DEATH AROUND 1341
AND IS COVERED IN STINKING BUBOES AND
TRANSFORMS INTO A NORTHERN SWEET-THE BREAD PUDDING!



MEANWHILE , DESPITE HER TRANSFORMATION INTO A
....BREAD PUDDING , THE FRENCH FALL IN LOVE
WITH HER NEW DUSKY LOOK , AND IN 1353
SHE'S PROCLAIMED TO BE , BY ROYAL DECREE,
BETTER THAN HONEY!



NOT LONG AFTER, THE PORTUGUESE, EQUALLY ENCHANTED, TAKE THE SUGAR QUEEN TO THE ISLANDS OF THE DOGS (LATER CALLED THE CANARY ISLANDS) WHERE THEY PLY HER WITH SLAVES...



ISABELLA AND FERDINAND II OF SPAIN, HAVING FINALLY PUSHED THE MOORS OUT OF IBERIA, TRY TO PERFECT CREMA CATALANA WITH FREQUENT BURNINGS OF THE SUGAR QUEEN AT THE STAKE OSTENSIBLY FOR HER HERETICAL ASSOCIATION WITH THE TEMPLARS BUT REALLY BECAUSE THEY'VE BECOME ADDICTED TO TOFFEE.



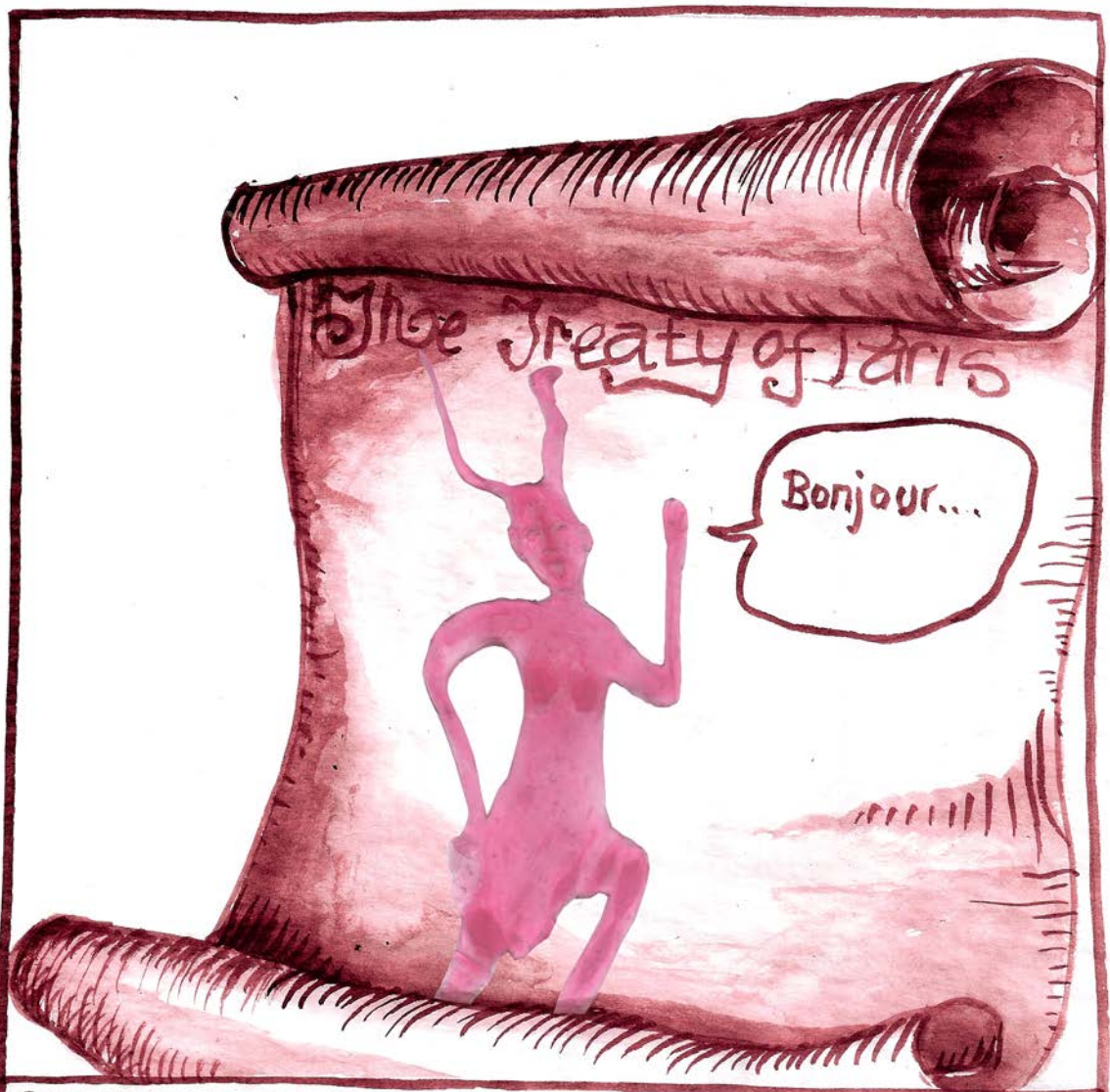
ISABELLA AND FERDINAND BECOME SO BESOTTED WITH HER, THEY SECRETLY EMPLOY THE GREAT ALCHEMIST HEINRICH CORNELIUS AGRIPPA TO TRANSFUSE THE SUGAR QUEEN WITH CELESTIAL ESSENCE. SHE IS CARRIED THROUGH THE STREETS ON A BIER BY ADORING PENITENTS WHO ONLY RECENTLY HAD BURNT HER AT THE STAKE AND BOILED HER IN OIL. SHE SHEDS TEARS FOR THE WAYWARD HYPOCRISY OF HUMANITY.



TO FIT IN WITH THE LOCALS, THE SUGAR QUEEN TURNS HERSELF INTO A VOODOO QUEEN, CHOPS A FEW HEADS OFF SOME CHOOKS, MAKES SOME THREE KING CAKES AND ATTENDS MARDI GRAS IN NEW ORLEANS.



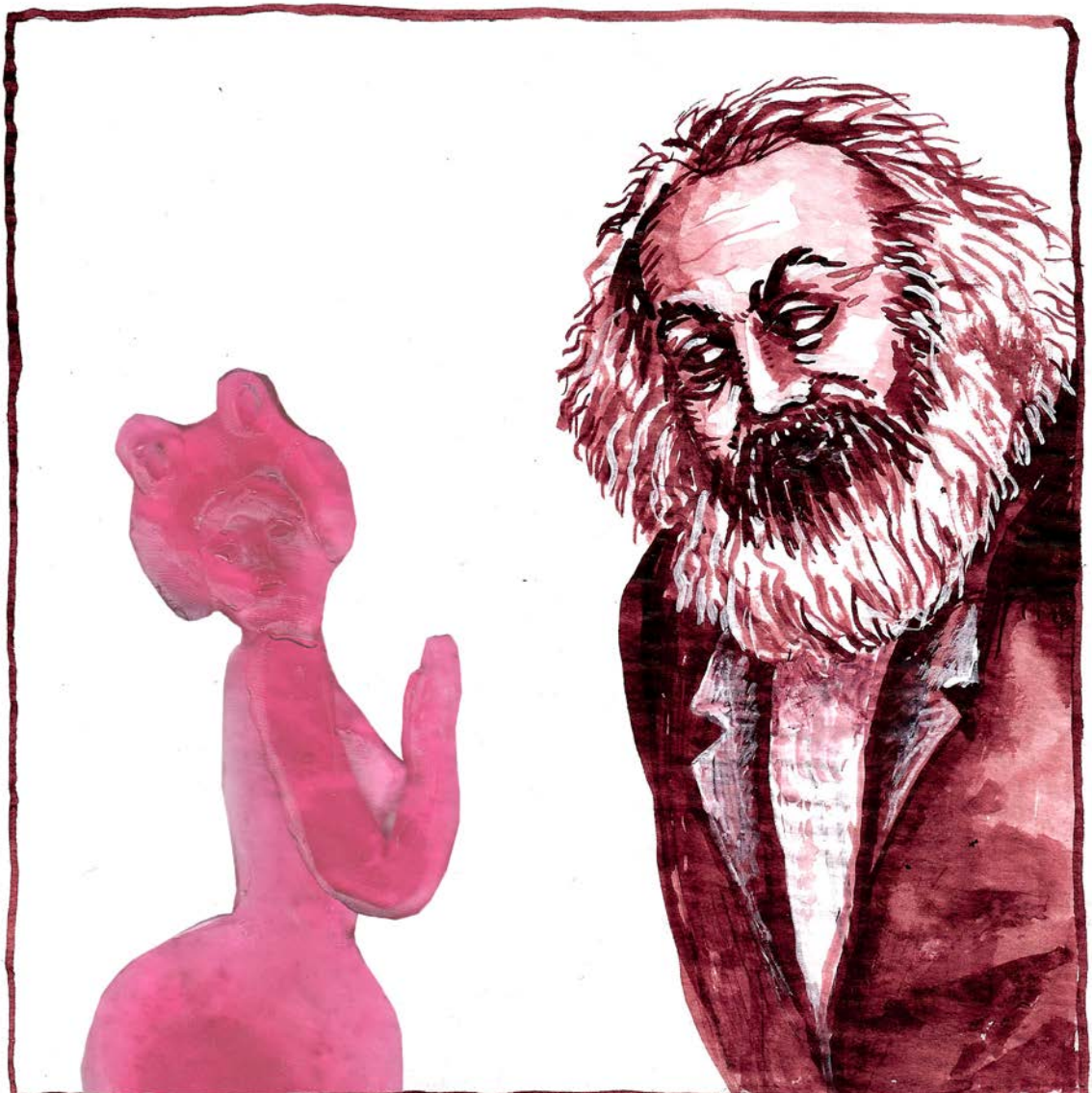
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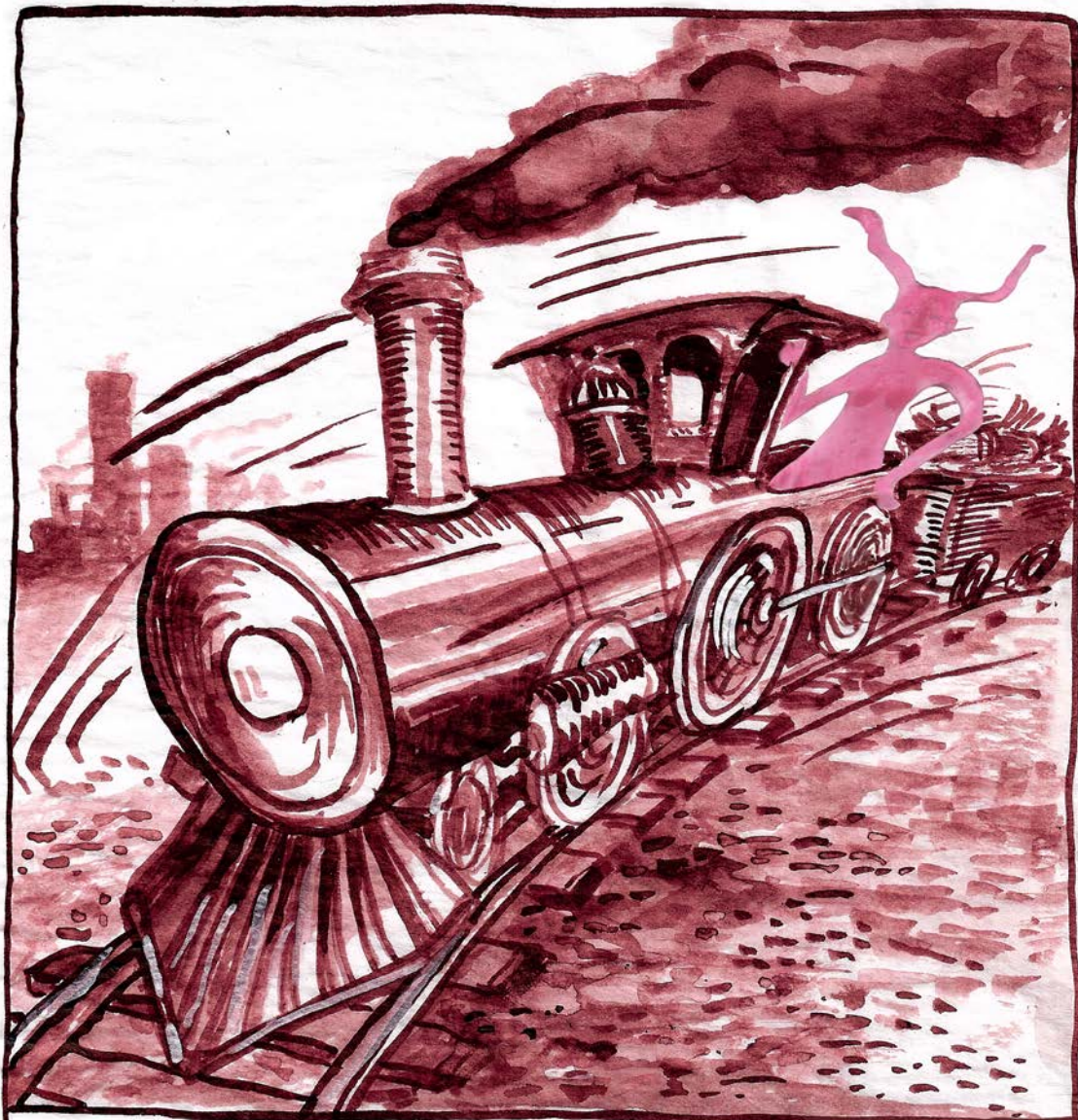
BUT IT'S NOT ALL FUN AND GAMES. THE FRENCH BECOME SO ADDICTED TO SUGAR, THEY CEDE CANADA TO BRITAIN IN ORDER TO GET BACK THEIR SUGAR ISLANDS IN THE WEST INDIES AFTER LOSING THE SEVEN YEARS WAR IN 1763



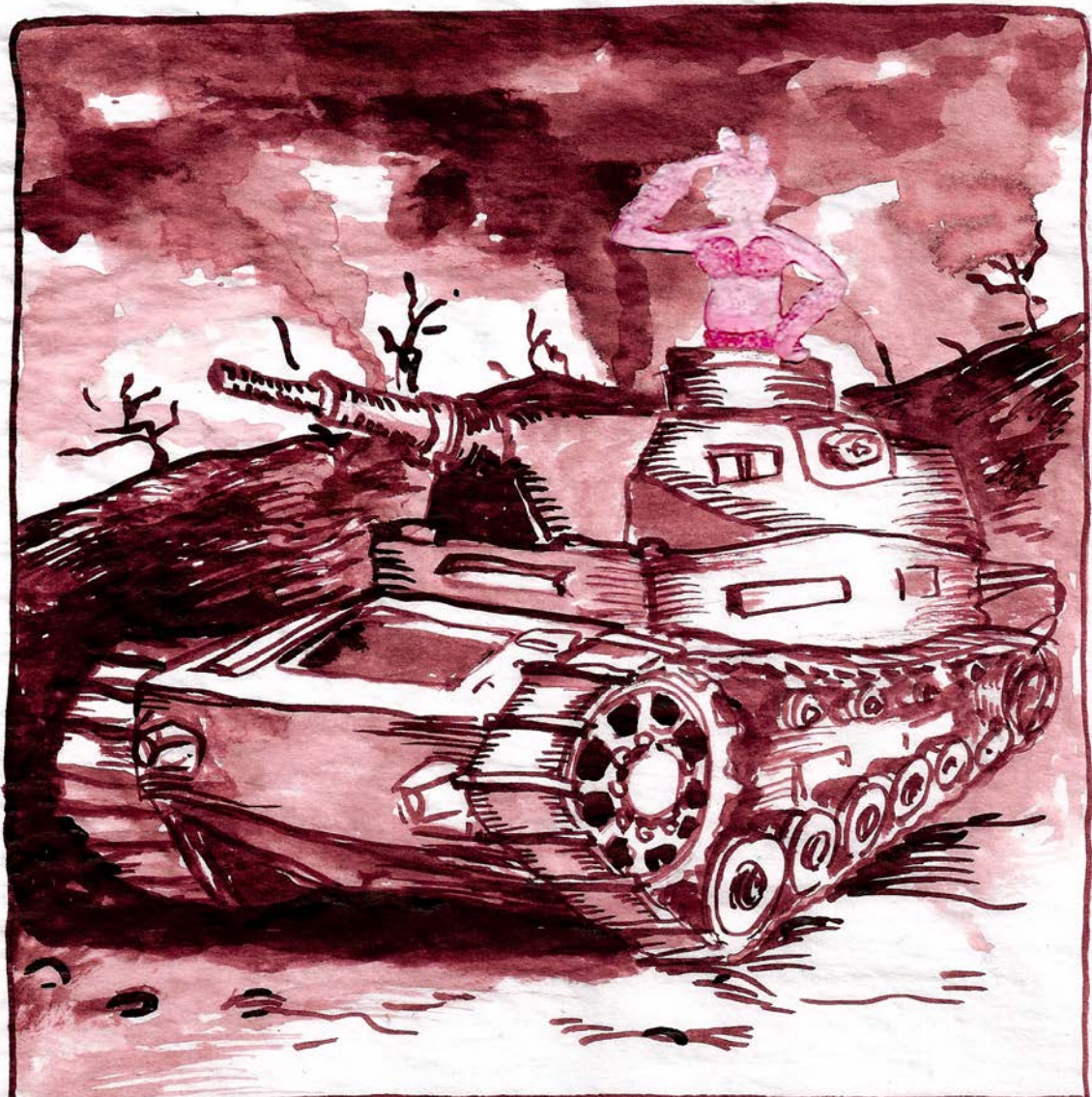
THE SUGAR QUEEN HAS BECOME SO PREVALENT, THERE IS AN UNPRECEDENTED DEMAND FOR CAST IRON GEARS AND COGS AND MACHINERY TO BUILD MORE AND MORE SUGAR MILLS. HAVING SHAMELESSLY CULTIVATED MASS SLAVERY IN THE COLONIES SHE NOW FOSTERS WORKER EXPLOITATION WITH THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION BACK IN EUROPE.



AS BEFITS HER ROLE AS FACILITATOR TO THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION, THE SUGAR QUEEN DISCUSSES THE MEANS OF PRODUCTION WITH KARL MARX AND THE THEORY OF THE DIALECTIC WITH HEGEL. THE PRICE OF SUGAR DECREASES



WESTERN CIVILISATION IS NOW A RUNAWAY TRAIN
FUELLED BY THE SUGAR QUEEN...



THE SUGAR QUEEN HAD BEEN KILLING HUMANS EVER SINCE SHE WAS CRUSHED IN THE FIRST MILLS AND SO IT IS IN KEEPING THAT SHE FUELS THE GERMAN WAR MACHINE IN THE 1940'S....

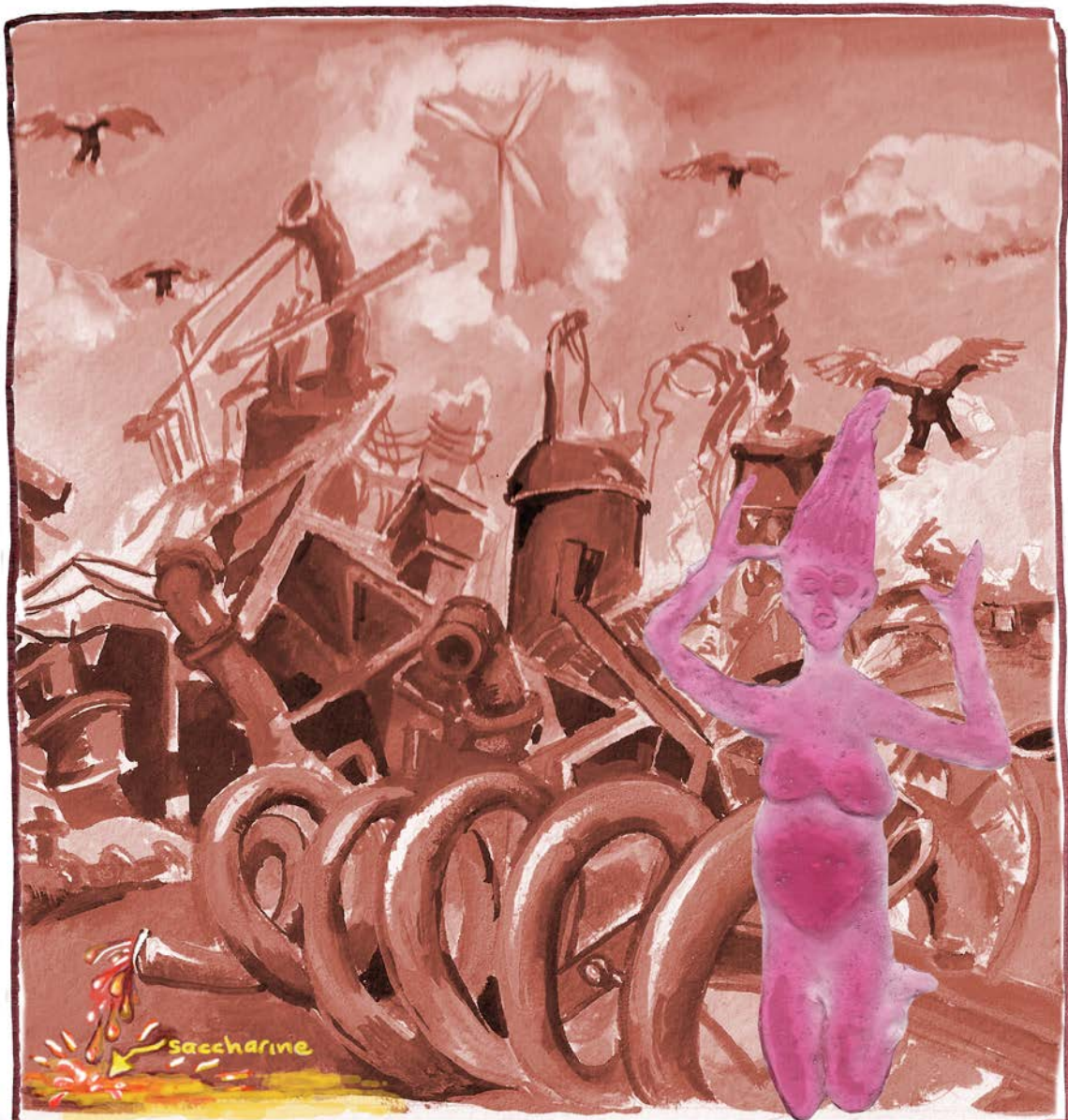


WORLD WAR II FINISHES BUT BATTLE LINES ARE
DRAWN BETWEEN THE SUGAR QUEEN AND THE
CORN QUEEN.



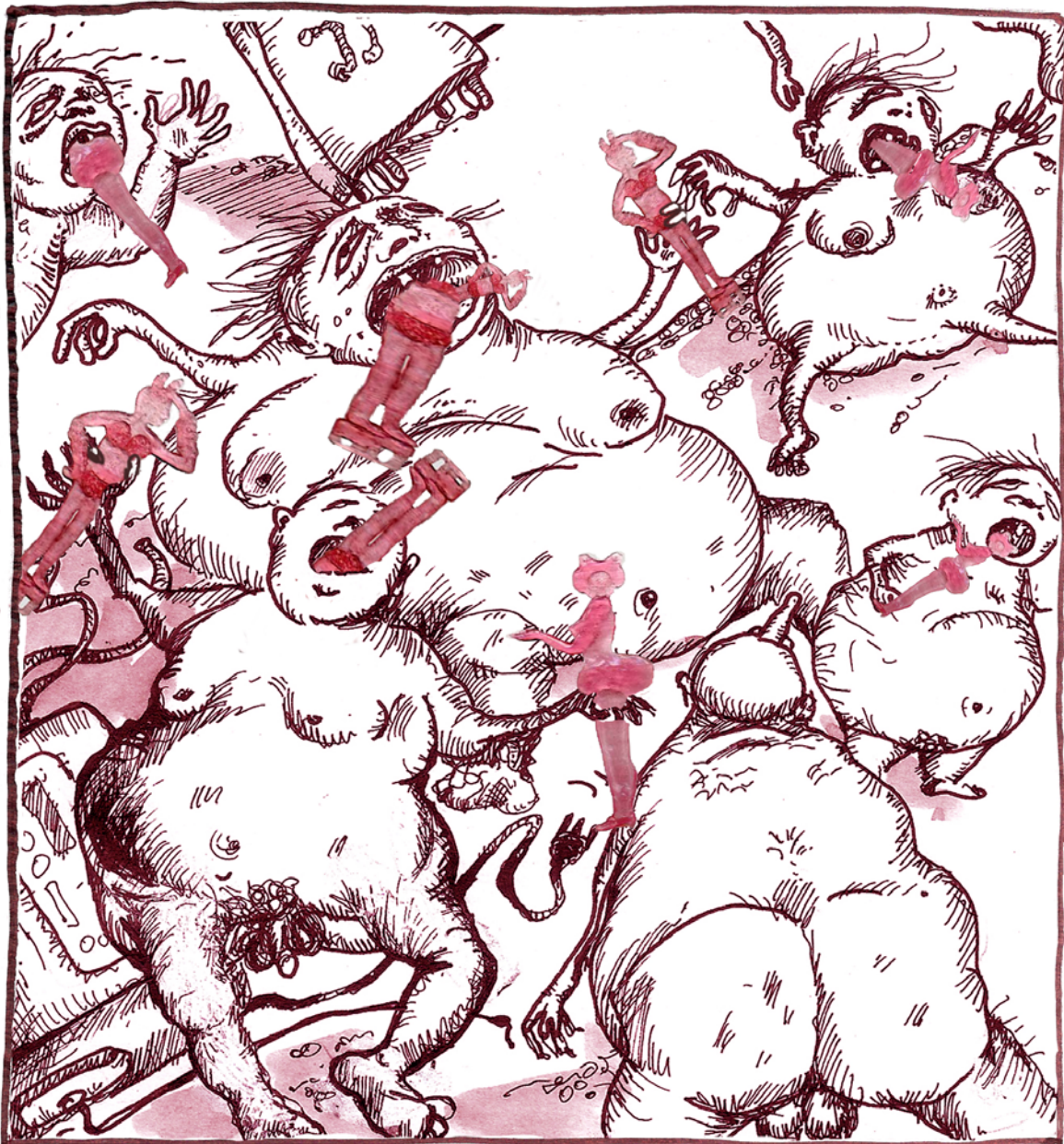
that has to be
done yesterday!

EVERYONE IS GOING FASTER AND FASTER AND
GETTING FATTER AND FATTER.

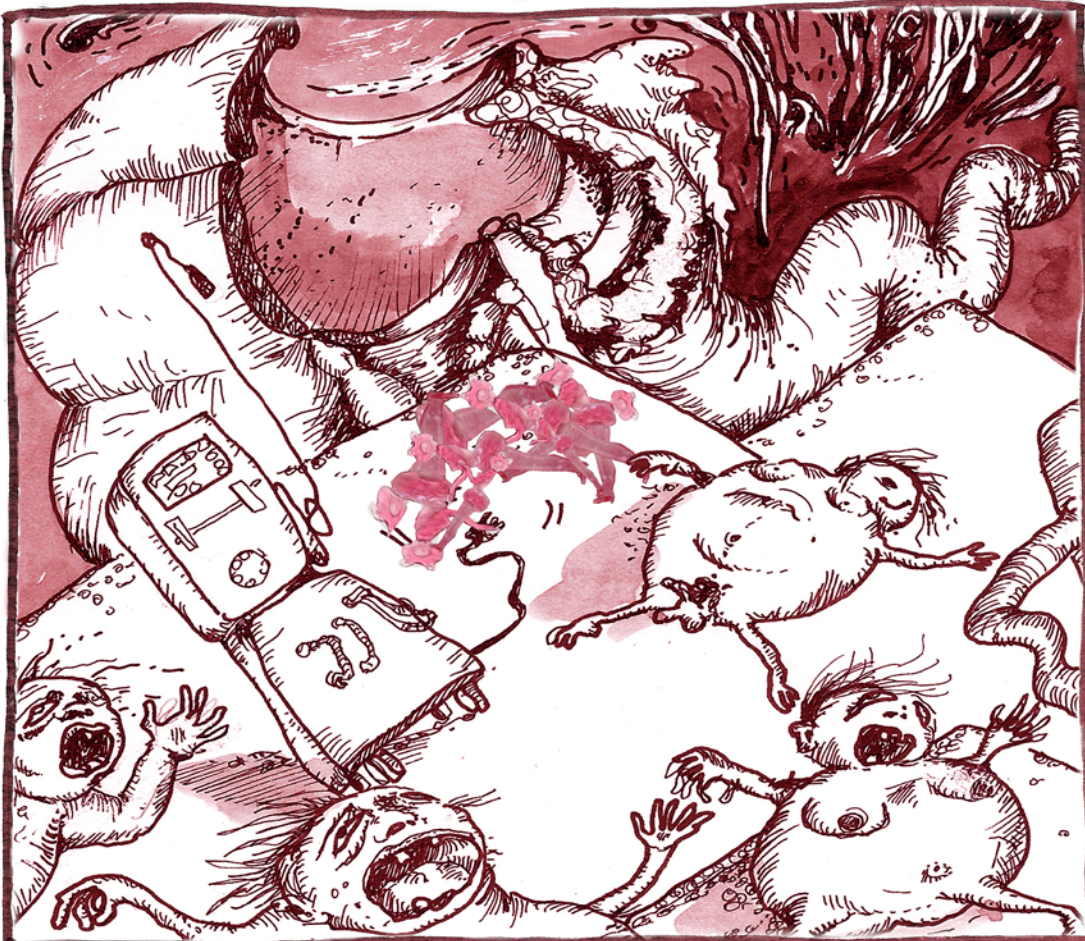


IMPOSSIBLY, ANOTHER THREAT EMERGES FOR THE SUGAR QUEEN - CHEMICALLY DERIVED SWEETENERS!





A PANDEMIC OF OBESITY ENGLUPHS THE PLANET - 240 MILLION PEOPLE CONTRACT 'THE WHITE DEATH'-DIABETES



THE SUGAR QUEEN HAS TRAVELLED FAR FROM THE LIGHT FILLED, FECUND HEAVENLY GARDEN OF EDEN. SHE DESCENDS INTO A FOUL AND FOETID HELL OVERRUN WITH FLATULENT DISTENDED ENDOMORPHS WHO EAT THEIR YOUNG. FROM HEAVEN TO HELL, FROM EDEN TO END OF DAYS... NOW WE WAIT FOR KALI TO RISE, PHOENIX LIKE, RANCOROUS AND RAMPAGING, FROM THE SULPHUROUS ASHES OF THE OVERLY REFINED SUGAR QUEEN.