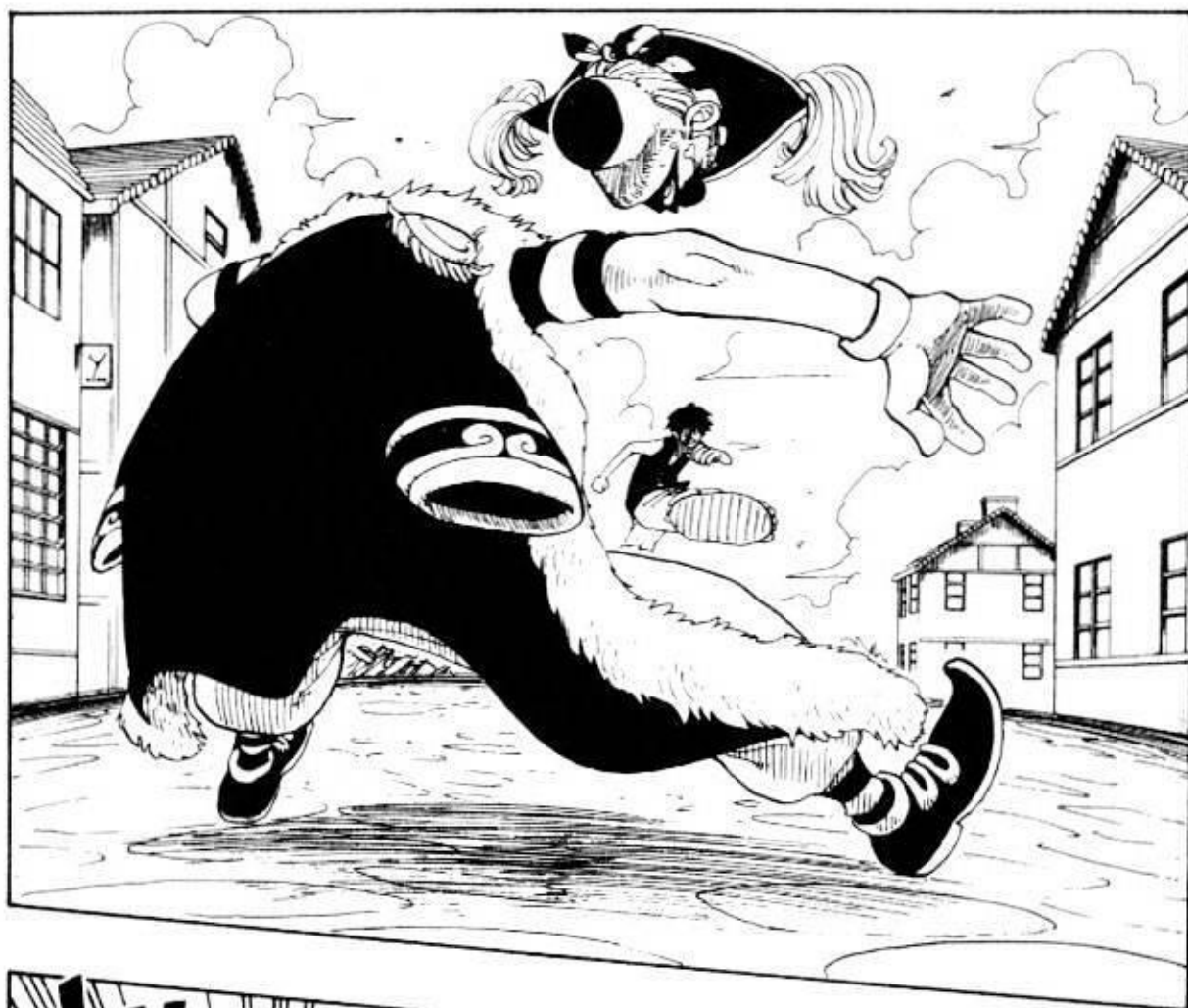


CHAPTER 19

"DEVIL'S FRUIT"





ONE PIECE 3



SFX: STRETCH...!!





HEU-
KAHCK!!!

STAY
STILL...
!!

SFX: CHOP!



...
MOST
LIKELY!

DO YOU THINK
CAPTAIN BUGGY
WILL ACTUALLY
LOSE? CAPTAIN'S
REAL SKILLS
WILL START NOW!



D...DON'T
SAY SUCH
STUPID
THINGS!

ISN'T OUR
CAPTAIN...
KINDA
LOSING...?!

.....
HEY...



I'VE GOT TO
QUICKLY
STEAL THE
WAREHOUSE
TREASURE
AND RUN
AWAY!

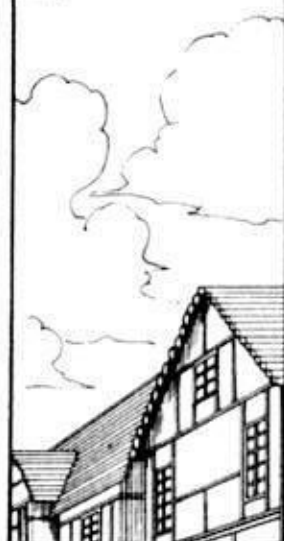
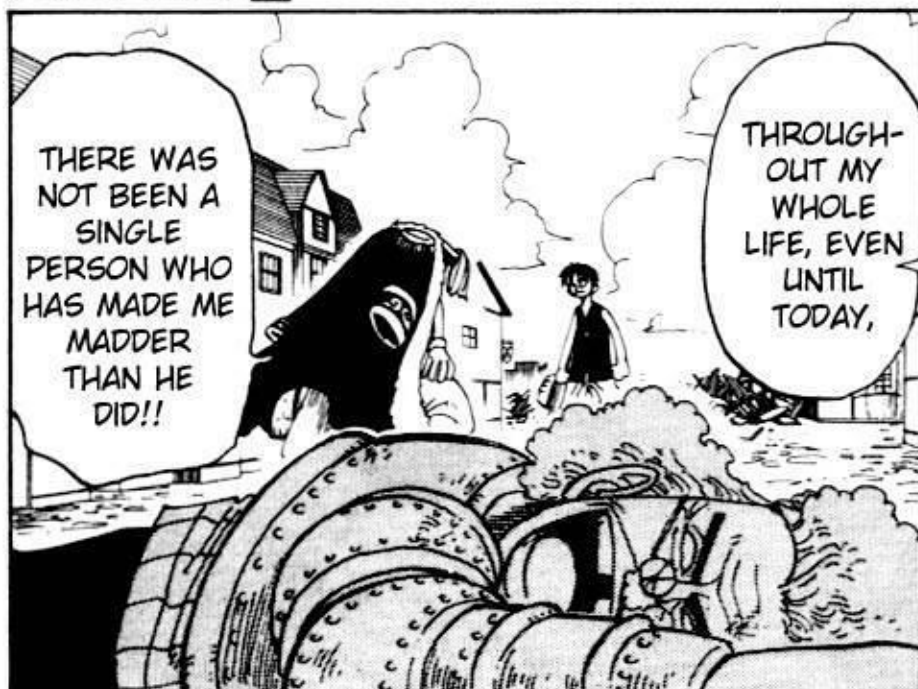
はっ!
AIYAYAH...
I WAS SO
FASCI-
NATED, I
KEPT ON
WATCHING







ONE PIECE 3





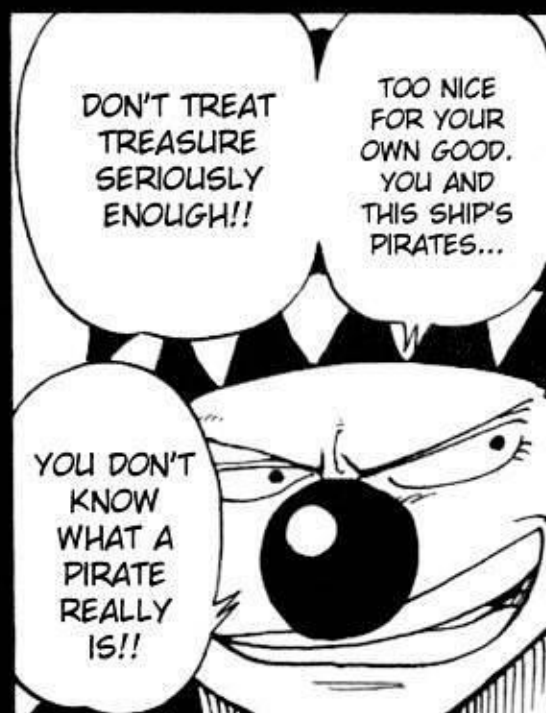
SFX: DONK! DONK!



SFX: BOKA! BOKA! BOKA!

SFX: HA! HA! HA! HA!







SFX: WAAAAAAAAAAHH....



SFX: CLASH CLASH!



MY LIFE'S
WORRIES
WILL END
AND HAPPI-
NESS WILL
COME!!

YAHOO!!

FROM
NOW
ON....!

KUHAHAHA
WHO
WOULDN'T
KEEP THIS
TO THEM-
SELVES

AAHAAAA,
NO ONE
COULD'VE
SEEN

S
A
A

DRINK, DRINK TO
YOUR HEART'S
CONTENT,
RAISE YOUR
VOICES AND
SING!!

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TODAY WE
HAVE
ANOTHER
DELIGHTFUL
VICTORY!!

HAHAHA-
HAHAHA!

SFX: HAHAHAA...

SFX: SLAM!

WHATCHA
TALKING
ABOUT?

?

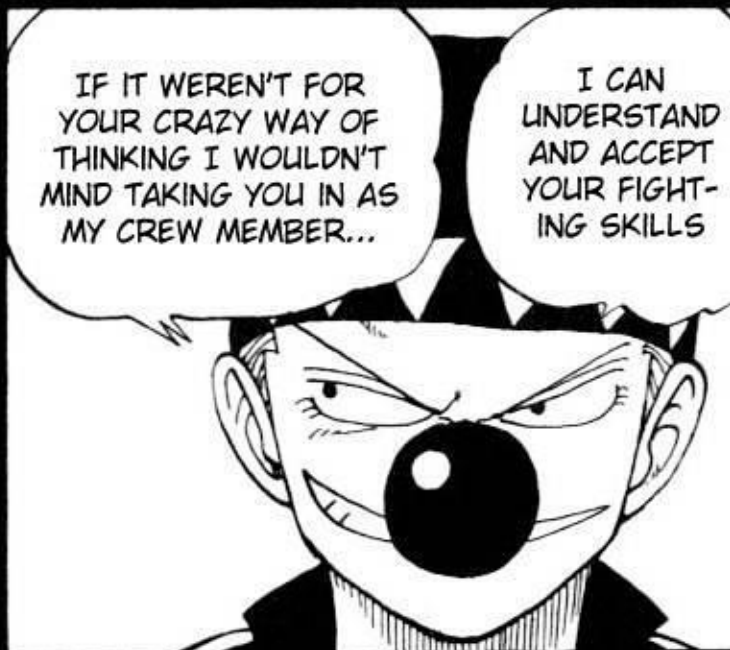
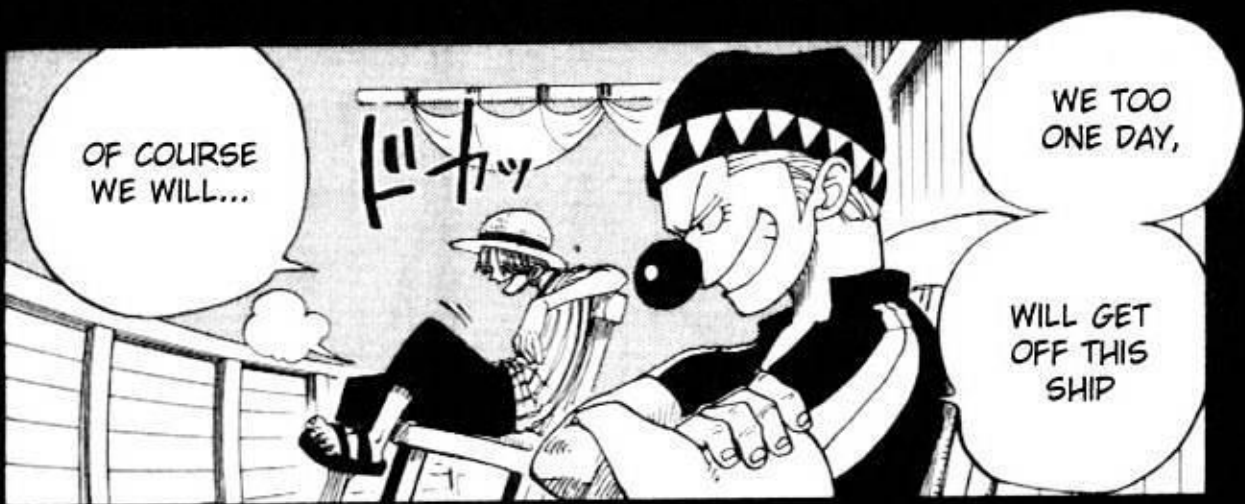
I
DON'T
KNOW
ANY-
THING
!!

W... W...
WHADDYA
MEAN TREA-
SURE... I
DIDN'T DO
ANYTHING AT
ALL!!

OI BUGGY...
LET'S CELEBRATE
TOGETHER!
WE FOUND A WEIRD
TREASURE, TOO!

ガチャッ!

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KUHHAHAHAHA!
DON'T WANNA
EAT THAT
SORTA THING
AND END UP
UNABLE TO
SWIM FOR THE
REST OF MY
LIFE...

THE CAPTAIN
SAID THAT
WHOEVER
WANTS TO
TO EAT IT
CAN HAVE
IT.....



IF YOU EAT IT
YOU'LL GAIN A
SPECIAL ABILITY,
BUT YOU WON'T
BE ABLE TO SWIM

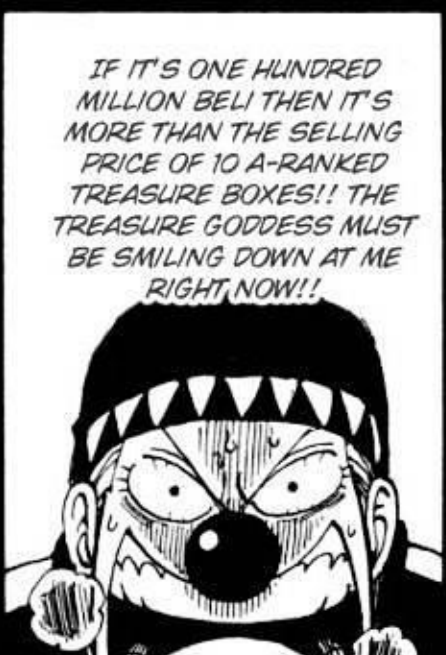
I ONCE HEARD
THAT THE
DEVIL'S FRUITS
ARE ALL THE
SEA-DEVIL'S
INCARNATIONS



IF THERE'S A
TREASURE LYING
ON THE SEABED
AND YOU CAN'T
SWIM, THEN YOU
CAN'T GO AND
GET IT!

FLIP

HUEH...
SCARY...
ANYONE WHO
EATS THAT
SORT OF
THINGS IS NO
DOUBT A REAL
IDIOT



IF IT'S ONE HUNDRED
MILLION BELI THEN IT'S
MORE THAN THE SELLING
PRICE OF 10 A-RANKED
TREASURE BOXES!! THE
TREASURE GODDESS MUST
BE SMILING DOWN AT ME
RIGHT NOW!!



WHAT?
IS
THAT
TRUE!!

TURNS OUT IT
SELLS FOR
AROUND 100
MILLION BELI
IF YOU CAN
BELIEVE IT



BUT THAT
ODD
FRUIT...



SFX: GULP!!



SFX: SILENCE...



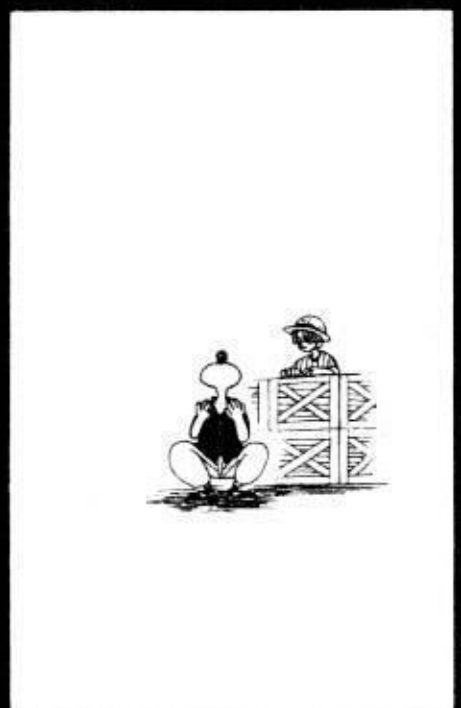


SFX: SHOCKED!!!



AAAAAA-
AAAAAH-
HHHHH-
HHHHH-
HHHHH

SFX: AAAAAAAAAAAAAA....



AAAAH-
HHH,
MY
MAP!!!

WHAT IS
THAT?
THAT
PIECE OF
PAPER



I...
AA...
AAAAHH
!!

YOU...
YOU...
YOU
BASTARD,
I... I...!



WHAT
THE...
MY BODY
CAN'T
MOVE
PROP-
ERLY...

!!!?



HEY!!
BUGGY
?!



EEEH?
WHAT'S
THAT
GUY
DOING?

WHAT THE?
WHAT'S
GOING ON,
SHANKS?

HEY, MAN.
WHATCHA
DOING?!
SWIMMING'S
YOUR SPE-
CIALTY!



SOME
ONE
SAVE
ME...
!!!

HE...
HELP...!!
GULP..
GULP...
!!!



SO I... ATE A
ONE HUNDRED
MILLION BELI
WORTH FRUIT...
AND BECAME
UNABLE TO
SWIM!!
AND I ALSO
MISSED THE
TREASURE
LYING ON THE
SEABED!!

LOOK,
SHANKS
!!

I'LL
SAVE
YOU...



BECAUSE
OF THAT
IDIOT MY
FUTURE
LIFE
PLANS
WERE
POST-
PONED
FOR TEN
YEARS!!!



I'M NOT
TALKING
ABOUT THAT
PART!!!

OH... SO
SHANKS
SAVED
YOUR LIFE



WITH
THIS
DEVIL'S
FRUIT
POWER
!!

SO THAT'S WHY
I PROMISED
MYSELF!!
IF I CAN'T GET
ANYTHING
UNDER THE
SEA THEN I'D
SETTLE FOR
EVERY TREA-
SURE ABOVE
IT!!!



WHOEVER
THAT IS I
NEVER...!

BECAUSE
OF THAT
WHO EVER
TOUCHES
MY TREA-
SURE...



EH?

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LEAVE
THEM
ALIVE
!!!

AA...

BUGGY, "THE CLOWN PIRATE"

THE PROCESS OF GETTING ON THE STAGE!!

Part 1



- ✦ ABOUT THE PICTURE ON PAGE 26 (OP018-20.JPG). WHY IS IT [BUGGY*]? I BELIEVE A LOT OF READERS WERE PUZZLED BY THAT. HOWEVER, THE PICTURE WAS CONSISTENT WITH WHAT I ORIGINALLY NAMED THE CURRENT BUGGY PIRATE FLEET, WHICH MEANS THAT BUGGY WAS INITIALLY GIVEN THE NAME [BUGGY*]
 *U SOUNDS AS IN "TOO" NOT AS IN "CUP"
 THE NAME [BUGGY] IS WRITTEN IN KATAKANA: BUGI- AND BUGGY IS WRITTEN IN KATAKANA: BAGI-
- ✦ THEN WHY DID IT BECOME BUGGY INSTEAD? WELL, ONE DAY, I WATCHED THIS MOVIE, AND IN THE MOVIE, THERE WAS SOME GUY CALLED PUGGY. "HEY! THAT'S THE SAME AS THE NAME I AM GOING TO USE! DAMN IT! I DON'T WANT THE NAME [BUGGY] ANYMORE!" SO I CHANGED THE NAME TO BUGGY.
- ✦ WHY IS BUGGY'S NOSE ROUND? THAT'S TO GO ALONG WITH HIS IMAGE AS A CLWON.
- ✦ THEN WHO'S THE GUY ON THE LEFT MOST CORNER OF THE PICTURE? WHO IS IT? ACTUALLY AT THAT TIME, I HAVENT THOUGHT OF THE NAMES OF THE THREE PEOPLE BEHIND HIM. I WAS ONLY THINKING THEM AS: A MUSCLEMAN, A BEAST TRAINER AND A WEIRD SWORDSMAN. THAT TIME, WHILE THEY WERE STILL FAR FROM BEING ON STAGE (IMPORTANT PART OF THE STORY), SO THEY WERE STILL UNDEVELOPED.