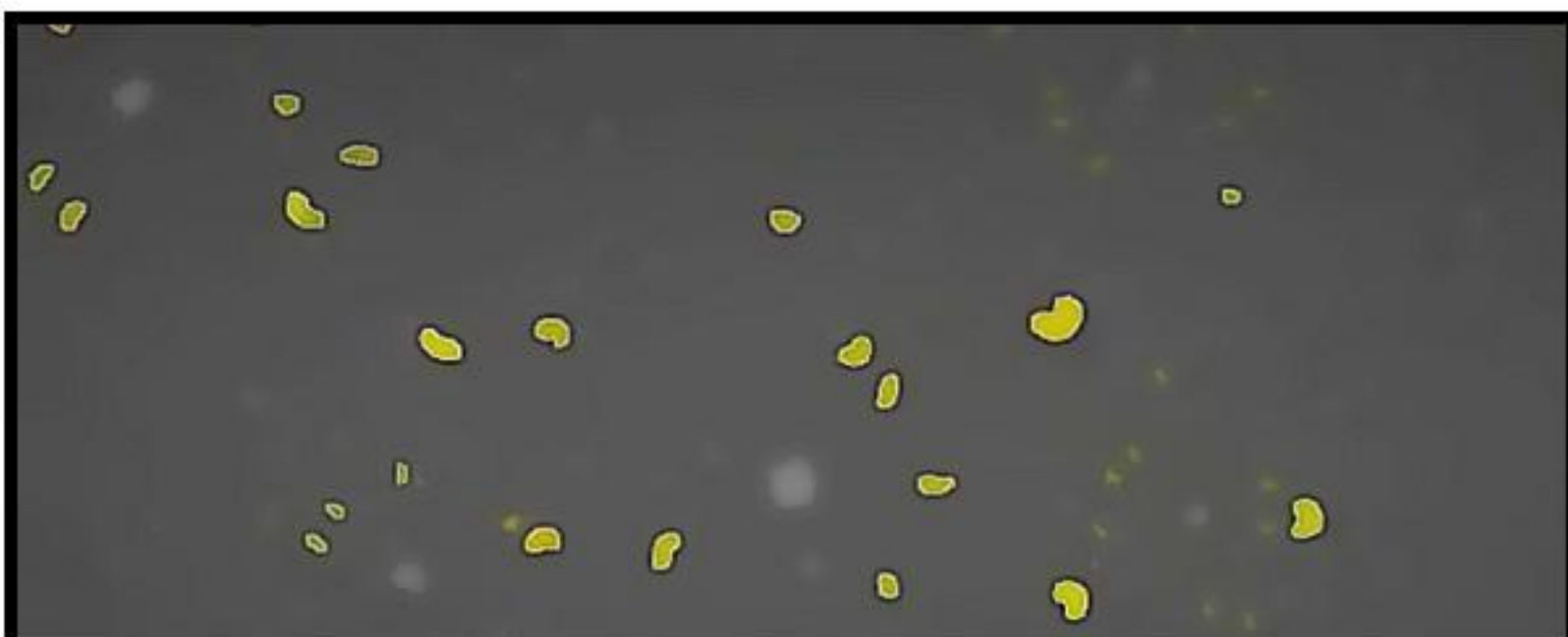
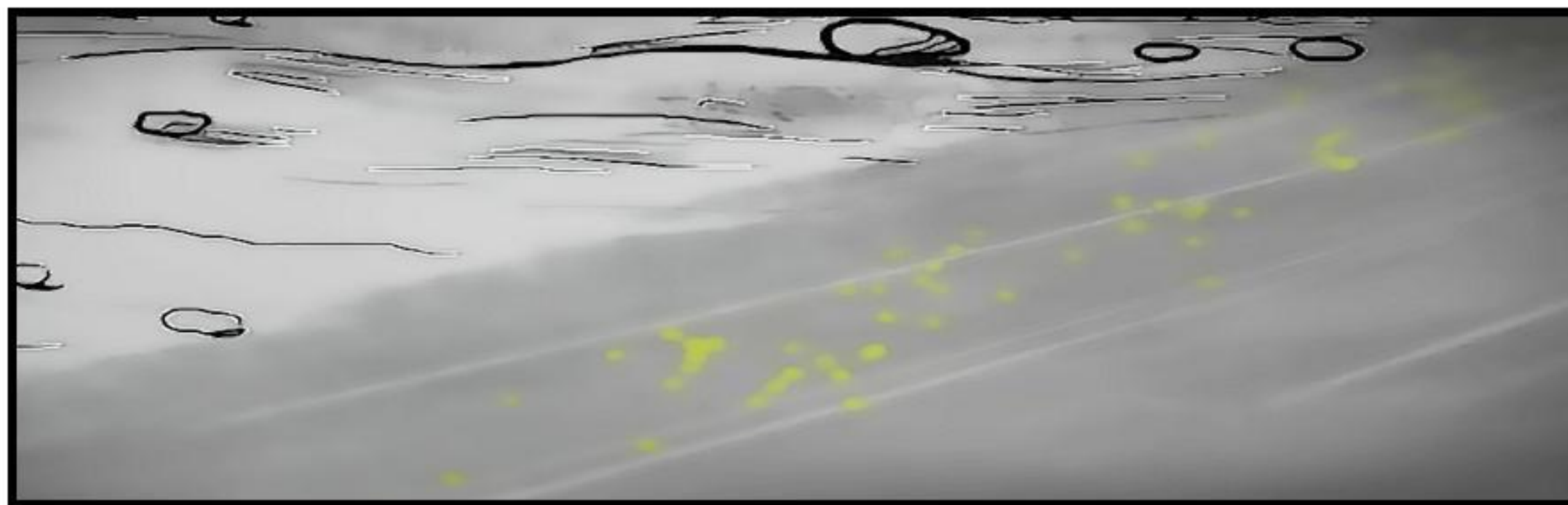
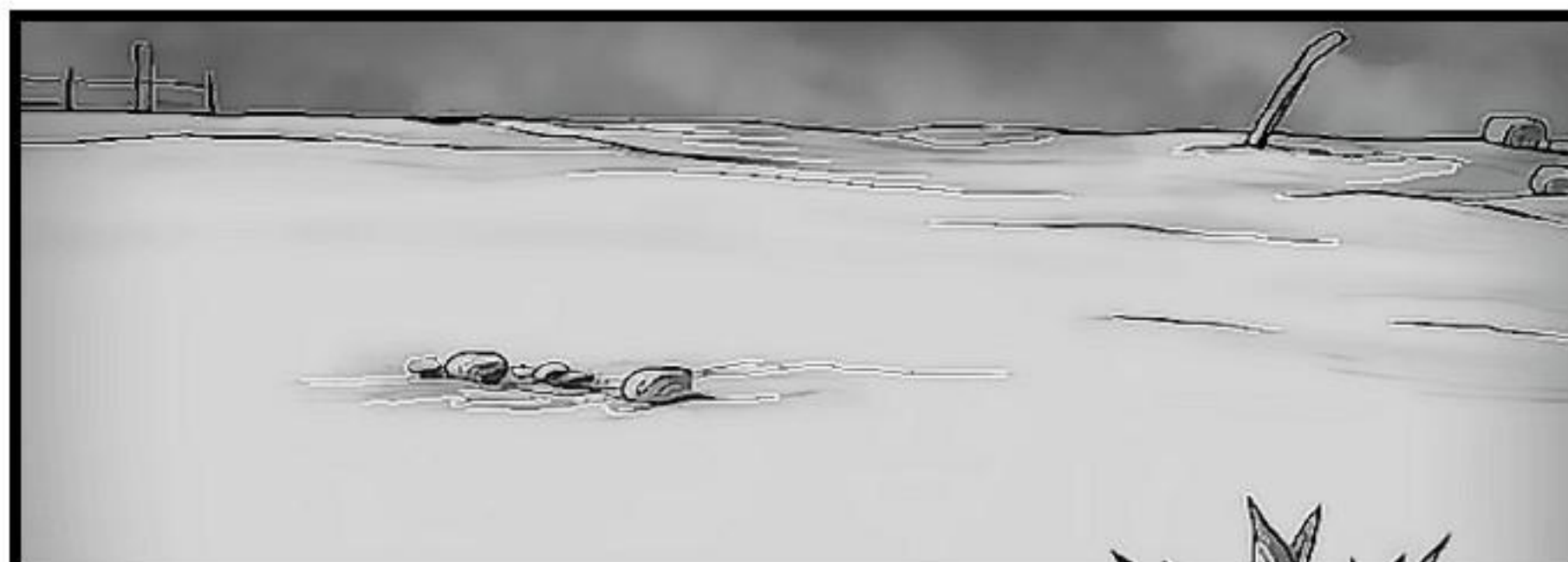




TINY DRUMS OF CHOLERA, TOO SMALL TO SEE, SPREAD THROUGH THE RIVER.



WITHOUT REALIZING, WOMEN CARRIED CHOLERA HOME IN THE WATER. FLIES CARRIED THE DISEASE ON THEIR FEET.



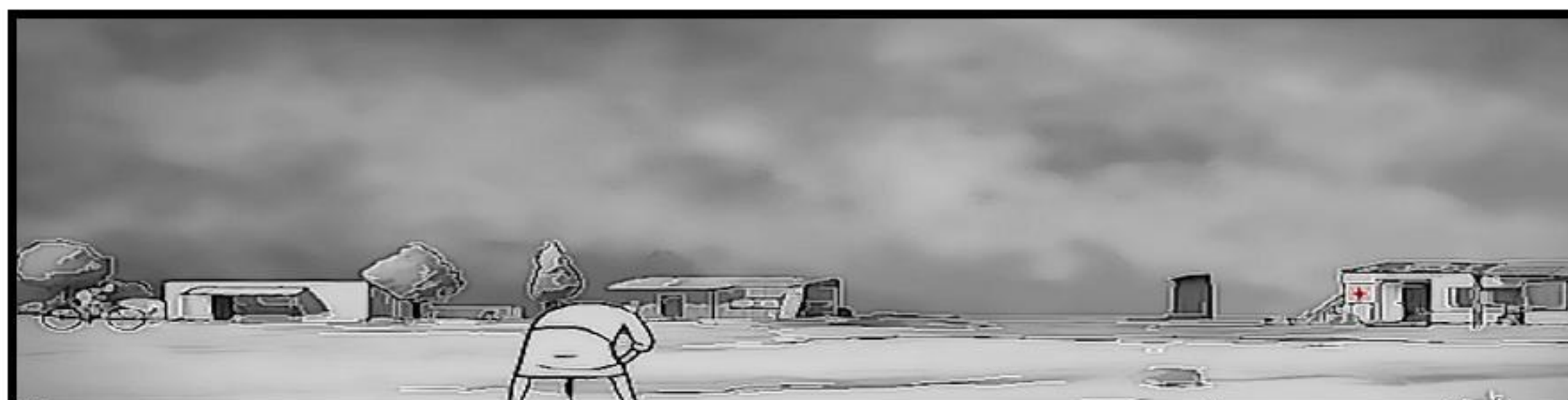
WE SWALLOWED CHOLERA GERMS IN OUR WATER, ON OUR FOOD AND ON OUR FINGERS. UNWASHED HANDS SPREAD IT TOO. IT HAPPENED SO FAST.



MY FATHER HAD DIARRHEA THAT LOOKED LIKE RAINWATER AND POURED OUT OF HIM. BY MORNING, MY FATHER WAS VERY SICK.



"I WAS SO SCARED. I WENT FOR HELP," SHE SAYS. "I'M SO GLAD I DID"



"I NEVER RODE SO FAST. I NEVER RIDE SO FAST," HE SAID. "I'M SO PROUD OF YOU. I LOVE YOU."



"ONE LOOK AT MY FATHER AND THE NURSE KNEW IT WAS CHOLERA. ONE LOOK AT HIS FACE AND THEY KNEW," SHE SAYS.



"WE HAD TO WORK FAST TO SAVE HIM. WE MADE A SPECIAL DRINK TO HELP HIM"



"I WORRIED MY FATHER WOULD DIE BEFORE MY EYES, BUT HE SOON FELT A LITTLE STRONGER" "NOT EVERYONE WHO SWALLOWS CHOLERA GERMS GETS SICK LIKE MY FATHER, BUT THEY CAN STILL SPREAD THE DISEASE"



I TOLD HER SHE COULD MAKE THE WATER SAFE BY ADDING CHLORINE DROPS AND WAITING HALF AN HOUR.



"THERE WAS A MAN ABOUT TO EAT WITH UNCLEAN HANDS. I TOLD HIM TO ALWAYS WASH HIS HANDS WITH SOAP AND SAFE WATER"



ONLY WITH CLEAN HANDS COULD HE EAT SAFELY. ONLY WITH CLEAN HANDS COULD HE EATING SAFELY.



I SAW VILLAGERS SPREADING CHOLERA INTO A RIVER. I TOLD THEM WE NEEDED TO DIG LATRINES FAR FROM THE RIVER, AT LEAST 30 METERS AWAY. THIS WAS IMPORTANT TO KEEP OUR VILLAGE CLEAN. I FOUND THE MOTHER PREPARING UNSAFE

WE HAD TO WASH AND PEEL THE FOOD, COOK IT AND ALWAYS EAT IT HOT AND PROTECT IT FROM FLIES. I SPREAD THE WORD THROUGHOUT MY VILLAGE AND RAN TO FIND MY FATHER.



"I WAS SO HAPPY TO SEE HE WAS BETTER. I WAS SO PROUD OF HIM," SHE SAID. "I'M SO HAPPY FOR HIM"



OUR VILLAGE BECAME HEALTHY. NOW WE FILTER AND OIL OUR WATER TO MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE.



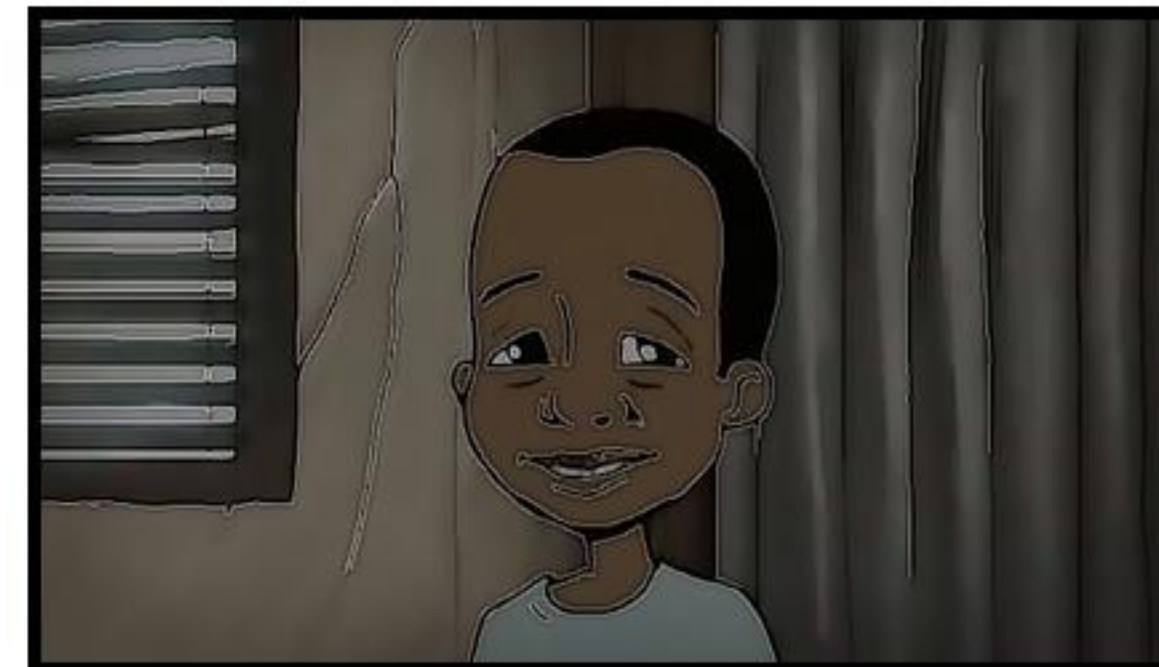
"WE ALWAYS USE LATRINES AND ALWAYS WASH OUR HANDS AFTER. WE ALWAYS USE THE LATRINE AND ALWAYS USE IT PROPERLY," HE SAID. "WE DON'T GO TO THE TOILET IN PUBLIC PLACES," HE ADDED.



WE ALWAYS WASH OUR HANDS BEFORE COOKING AND EATING. THROUGH THE SAFE FROM FLIES WASHED AND PEELED AND COOKED.



WE MADE OUR VILLAGE SAFE FROM CHOLERA. SPREAD THE WORD. YOUR VILLAGE CAN BE SAFE TOO.



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