Proposal

The fictitious truth I have to propose is solid clouds. These are clouds that are meant to float in the air while being able to hold up structures and people on top of it. The company in charge of this is CLOUDS, and abbreviation for Concentrated Lumps of Unaging Durable Surfaces. Their goal is to create a giant mass of these concentrated clouds so that humans can venture and inhabit the skies. They plan on a vision of seeing cities floating in the sky and entire neighborhoods or even countries to allow for more surface area for people to live.

Now this would be the ideal scenario, but the process of creating these lumps of clouds is currently being rushed as somewhere else in the world a group of miners accidentally made an opening into a large cavern underground of unknown scale. The cavern has been exuding a slow-moving gas that provides harmful effects to all matters of life that inhale it. Scientists from around the globe have researched the gas and predicted that it will cover the entire surface of the globe in about ten years. But during this time, more and more will be known about the gas that will slowly bring into question it’s origin.

With this new urgency set in place, all eyes are now on CLOUDS, eager to see the improvements they have made so far with constructing these high-density clouds so that people can live above the dangerous gas. In order to keep the support and comfort of the people relying on them, CLOUDS have started to give public updates to let people know about their developments in achieving a goal not just for them, but for the sake of everyone. On their debut, the company was able to show a five-foot radius cloud that was able to hover around three feet above the surface. This cloud was able to withstand the weight of a fully grown man, as shown with a recording of an employee of CLOUDS stepping on to and standing on the cloud without falling through or the cloud showing any signs of dissolving or descending.

I chose to tackle this very fantastical setting because I’ve been self-inspired by ongoing material that I am currently working on. The story I’m tackling takes place as a result of these two great events, but there is still so much story that I could tell in order to flesh out my imaginary world. So, I’m taking liberty in making this fictitious truth seem as real as possible and find an excuse for me to continue world building. Luckily, I already have a pretty solid idea of all the content I want to include. Which will hopefully mean that the only thing I would have to worry about is making the website look pretty.

How this could become a benevolent truth could pose some insight about having one company hold a monopoly on the lives of humanity. In hindsight, it seems insane to place so must trust in a company’s product. I mean, it’s a completely capitalist company. They aren’t doing it for the sake of humanity. They are doing it first, so they can save themselves, and then second, so they can make as much money as possible in order to save the lives of everyone else who chooses to live on CLOUDS’ high-density clouds. So, it could be a commentary of sorts, just for people to be aware if a similar situation of it ever arises in the future. It’s a good idea for the masses to hold their own individual power, rather than having to rely on one unreliable to do so.