



A WORD.

A WORD WITH ME, CHIEF CONWAY?

YOU ARE A GOOD DETECTIVE.

NO, I MEAN, ME AND NOT CAPTAIN CROSS?

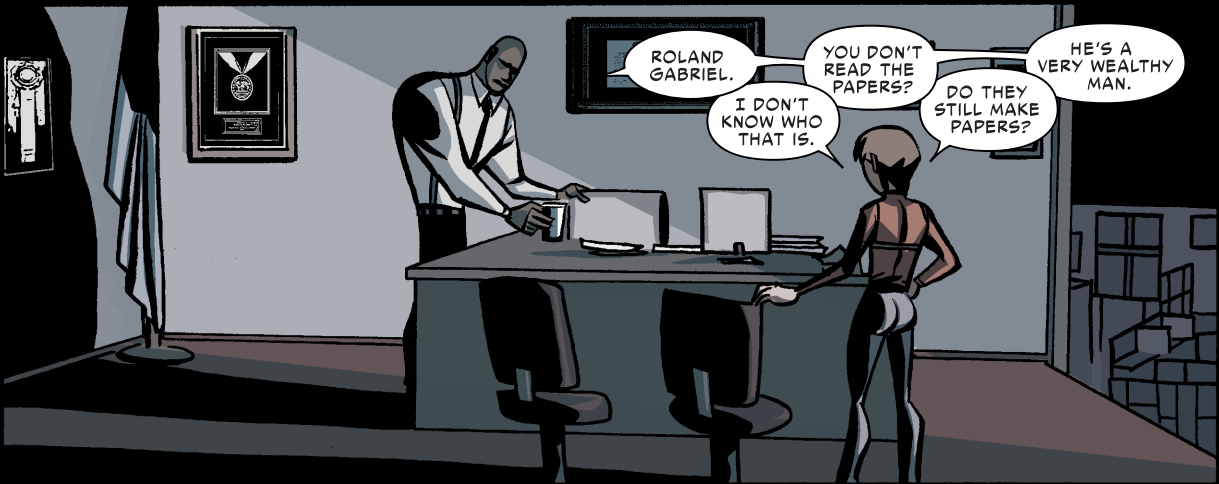


NO, YOU.

JUST YOU.

OK.

OK.



ROLAND GABRIEL.

YOU DON'T READ THE PAPERS?

HE'S A VERY WEALTHY MAN.

I DON'T KNOW WHO THAT IS.

DO THEY STILL MAKE PAPERS?



ARE YOU SETTING ME UP WITH HIM, OR...?

HE'S DEAD.

OK.

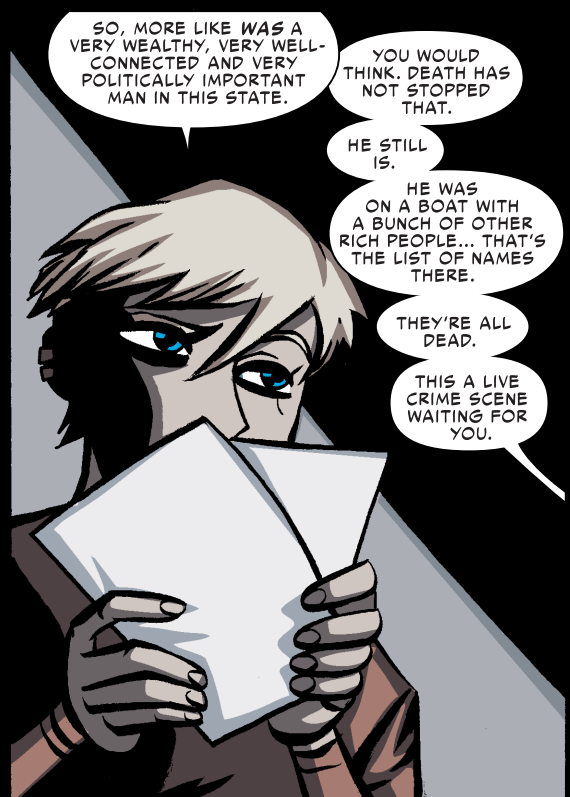
I'M SORRY TO HEAR THAT.

WAS HE A FRIEND?

I DON'T HAVE ANY FRIENDS.

NO.

HE'S A VERY WEALTHY, VERY WELL-CONNECTED AND VERY POLITICALLY IMPORTANT MAN IN THIS STATE AND HE IS DEAD.



SO, MORE LIKE WAS A VERY WEALTHY, VERY WELL-CONNECTED AND VERY POLITICALLY IMPORTANT MAN IN THIS STATE.

YOU WOULD THINK. DEATH HAS NOT STOPPED THAT.

HE STILL IS.

HE WAS ON A BOAT WITH A BUNCH OF OTHER RICH PEOPLE... THAT'S THE LIST OF NAMES THERE.

THEY'RE ALL DEAD.

THIS A LIVE CRIME SCENE WAITING FOR YOU.



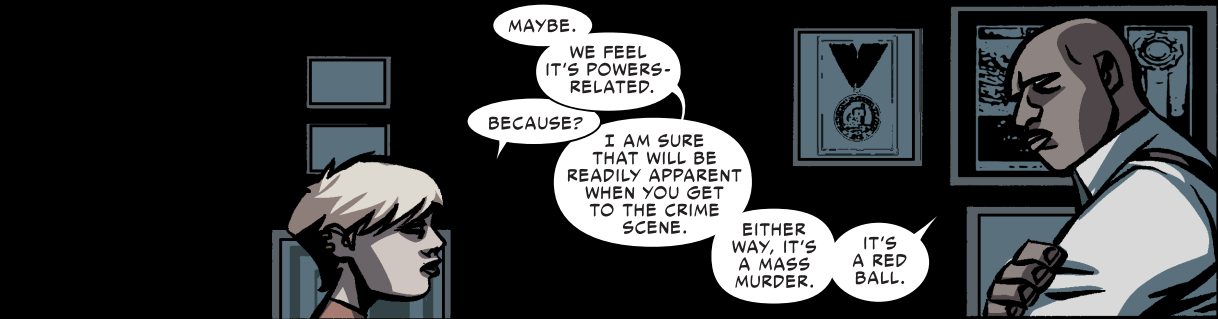
ALL OF THESE PEOPLE?

EVERY ONE.

JESUS. THEY ALL DIED AT THE SAME-

YES.

POISONED?



MAYBE.

WE FEEL IT'S POWERS-RELATED.

BECAUSE?

I AM SURE THAT WILL BE READILY APPARENT WHEN YOU GET TO THE CRIME SCENE.

EITHER WAY, IT'S A MASS MURDER.

IT'S A RED BALL.



I NEED MY BEST ON IT. THAT IS YOU.

I WANT YOU TO HEAR FROM ME HOW IMPORTANT THIS IS.

NOT YOUR CAPTAIN'S INTERPRETATION OF HOW IMPORTANT HE THINKS THIS IS.

THIS- THIS IS IMPORTANT. YOU'LL HAVE ABOUT TEN MINUTES HEAD START ON THE PRESS.

IF THAT.

OK.



THE PEOPLE ASKING FOR THIS COULD GET RID OF US.

NO QUESTIONS ASKED.



YOU MEAN FIRE US?

SURE.

LET'S GO WITH THAT.