





...AND THIS ONE'S **BAD**. EVERYONE WITHIN A HUNDRED MILES IMMEDIATELY... AH...

...WENT INSANE.

THE MUMBLING, IMMOBILE, **NON-VIOLENT** KIND, FORTUNATELY.

ALONG WITH A FORTY PERCENT LOSS OF LIFE, CAUSE OF DEATH YET TO BE DETERMINED.

A SQUAD FROM MCCONNELL HAS SEVENTY VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY WORKERS GETTING THE SURVIVORS OUT.

B.P.R.D. HEADQUARTERS



VOLUNTEERS. GREAT.

THE CREATURE'S NOT MOVING, SO THE JOINT CHIEFS WANT TO FINISH THE EVAC AND DROP A BOMB ON IT TO SEE WHAT HAPPENS.

I DON'T WANT NUKES GOING OFF IN THE CORN BELT JUST BECAUSE WE WEREN'T CREATIVE ENOUGH.

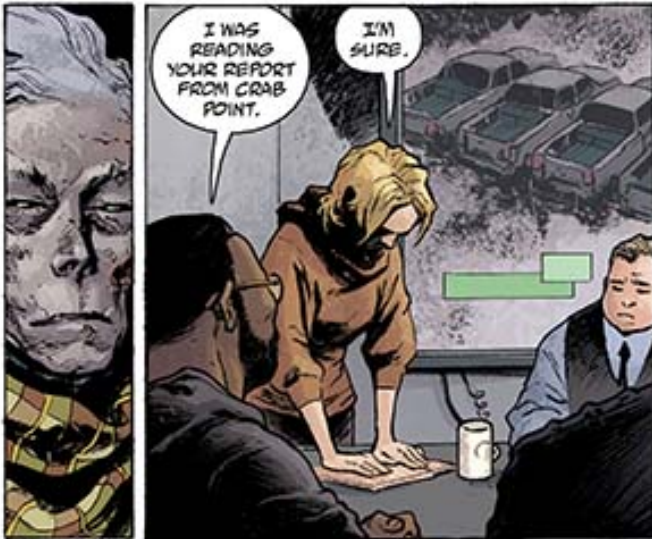
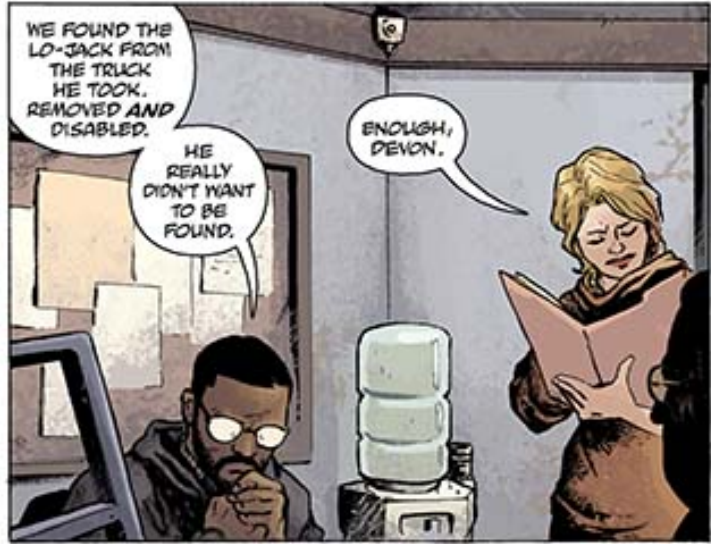


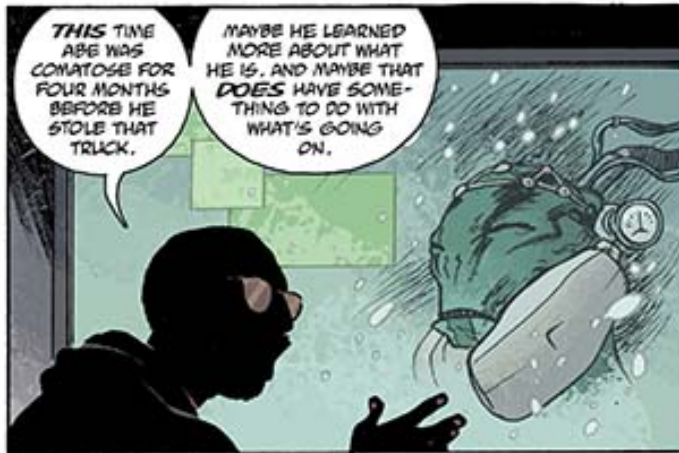
MANNING SAYS SOUTH FLORIDA IS D.H.S.'S MESS NOW. **THEIR** FUNDING KEEPS GOING UP.

SO I'M SENDING MCPHAIL AND DAVIES UP TO NEW YORK. I WANT TO FIND OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THERE...



ANYTHING ON ABE SAPIEN?





THIS TIME ABE WAS COMATOSE FOR FOUR MONTHS BEFORE HE STOLE THAT TRUCK.

MAYBE HE LEARNED MORE ABOUT WHAT HE IS, AND MAYBE THAT DOES HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH WHAT'S GOING ON.

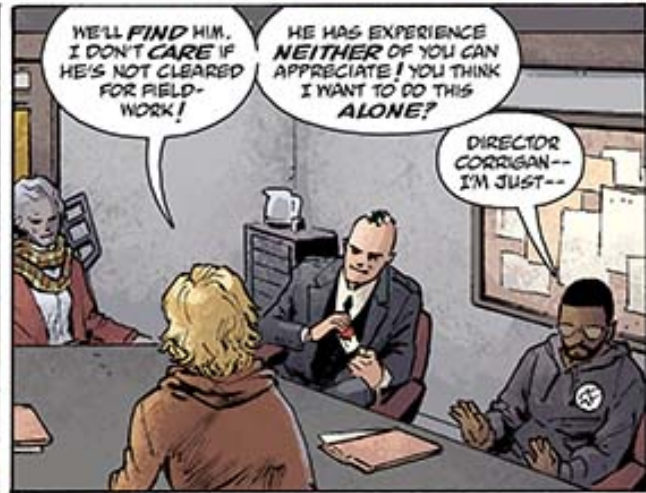


DEVON, WE'VE GOT OTHER THINGS TO WORRY ABOUT, AS YOU POINT OUT, ABE SAPIEN HAS BEEN INACTIVE FOR MONTHS.



WE'RE STRETCHED TOO THIN TO DEVOTE RESOURCES TO FINDING AN AWOL AGENT WHO SPENT THE LAST--

WILL YOU TWO SHUT UP!



WE'LL FIND HIM. I DON'T CARE IF HE'S NOT CLEARED FOR FIELD-WORK!

HE HAS EXPERIENCE NEITHER OF YOU CAN APPRECIATE! YOU THINK I WANT TO DO THIS ALONE?

DIRECTOR CORRIGAN-- I'M JUST--



I DON'T CARE WHAT YOU THINK, DEVON!

YOU'RE DISMISSED!

GO FIND THAT LITTLE CRUST PUNK YOU'RE OBSESSED WITH!



NATIONAL FOREST,
GUNNISON, COLORADO.

OKAY, MEN,
I THINK WE CAN
SCORE THIS ONE
A WIN FOR THE
GOOD GUYS.

WE'RE GONNA
PACK IT IN IF
THERE'S NO
FURTHER SIGNS
OF THESE UGLY
SONS OF
BITCHES.

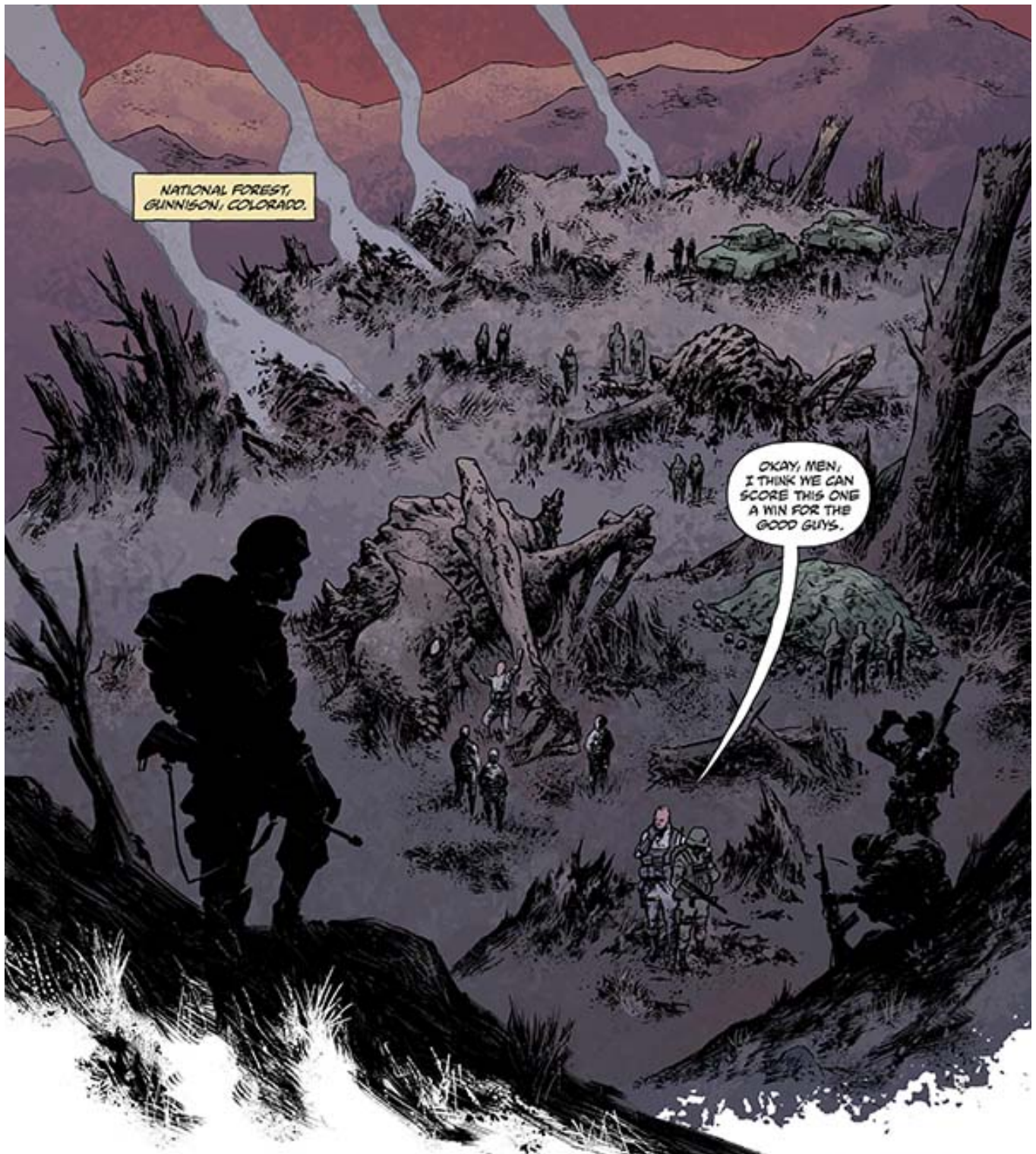
CHAN?

CLEAR,
SIR.

HOW
'BOUT YOU,
FARRIS?

ALL
CLEAR,
SIR.

VAUGHN?





CAN WE GO HOME?

NO MONSTERS HERE, SIR.

Accept Jesus Christ
and you shall be saved.
or regret it forever.



NO SIGN AT ALL.



BUT I ACTUALLY THINK I FOUND THAT TRUCK H.Q. WAS LOOKING FOR.



HEY,
YOU KNOW IF THE TRAINS ARE STILL RUNNING OUT HERE, SIR?



"I WAS IN GEORGIA TILL ABOUT TWO MONTHS AGO, MAYBE THREE."