

NAVY HQ OFFICER DEAD!

VICE ADMIRAL T-BONE KILLED

NEWS OF
HIS DEATH
SHOCKED THE
WORLD...

BUT THE NAVY
REFUSED TO
COMMENT ON THE
DETAILS OF THE
INCIDENT.

VICE ADMIRAL
T-BONE WAS
ADORED BY
CIVILIANS AND
MARINES ALIKE...

AN OBITUARY
MAKES THE
FRONT PAGE!

THE CIVILIANS
WE'RE SWORN
TO PROTECT...
ARE STABBING US
IN THE BACK...

WHAT'S
THE WORLD
COMING TO,
OTSURU-
CHAN?

BUT WE'RE
CERTAIN THE
CULPRIT'S FAMILY
IS BOUND TO BE
PRETTY WELL OFF
AFTER THIS...

NOPE,
NOT
YET.

HAVE THEY
CAUGHT THE
MAN WHO
DID IT?

NAVY HQ

IT'S
UNBEAR-
ABLE.

POVERTY
AND WEALTH...
WE ALL ADAPT
TO OUR CIRCUM-
STANCES.

ESPECIALLY IN A PLACE
LIKE PEPE KINGDOM WHERE
OVER A THOUSAND DIE OF
STARVATION EVERY YEAR.
IT'S NO WONDER HE
WAS KILLED THERE.

IT'S ONLY
NATURAL
FOR PEOPLE
TO COME
AFTER US.

WE
MARINES
HAVE
BOUNTIES
ON OUR
HEADS
NOW...

PIRATES
AREN'T THE
ONLY ONES
INTERESTED
IN MONEY,
Y'KNOW.

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