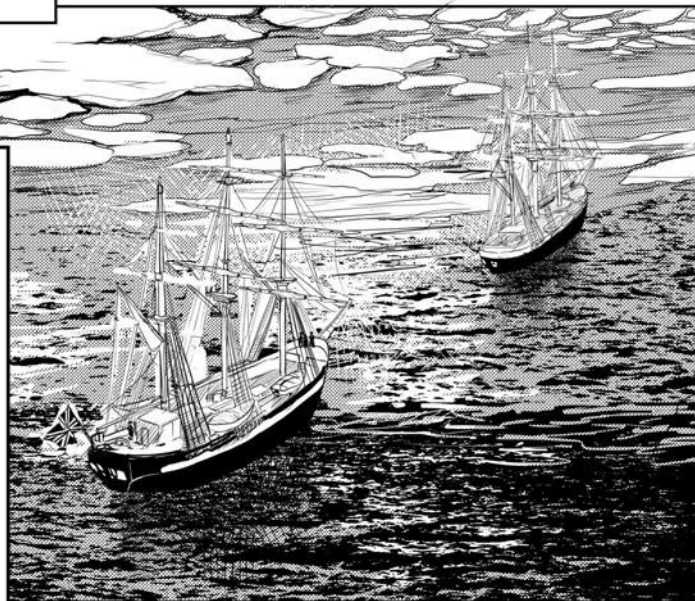


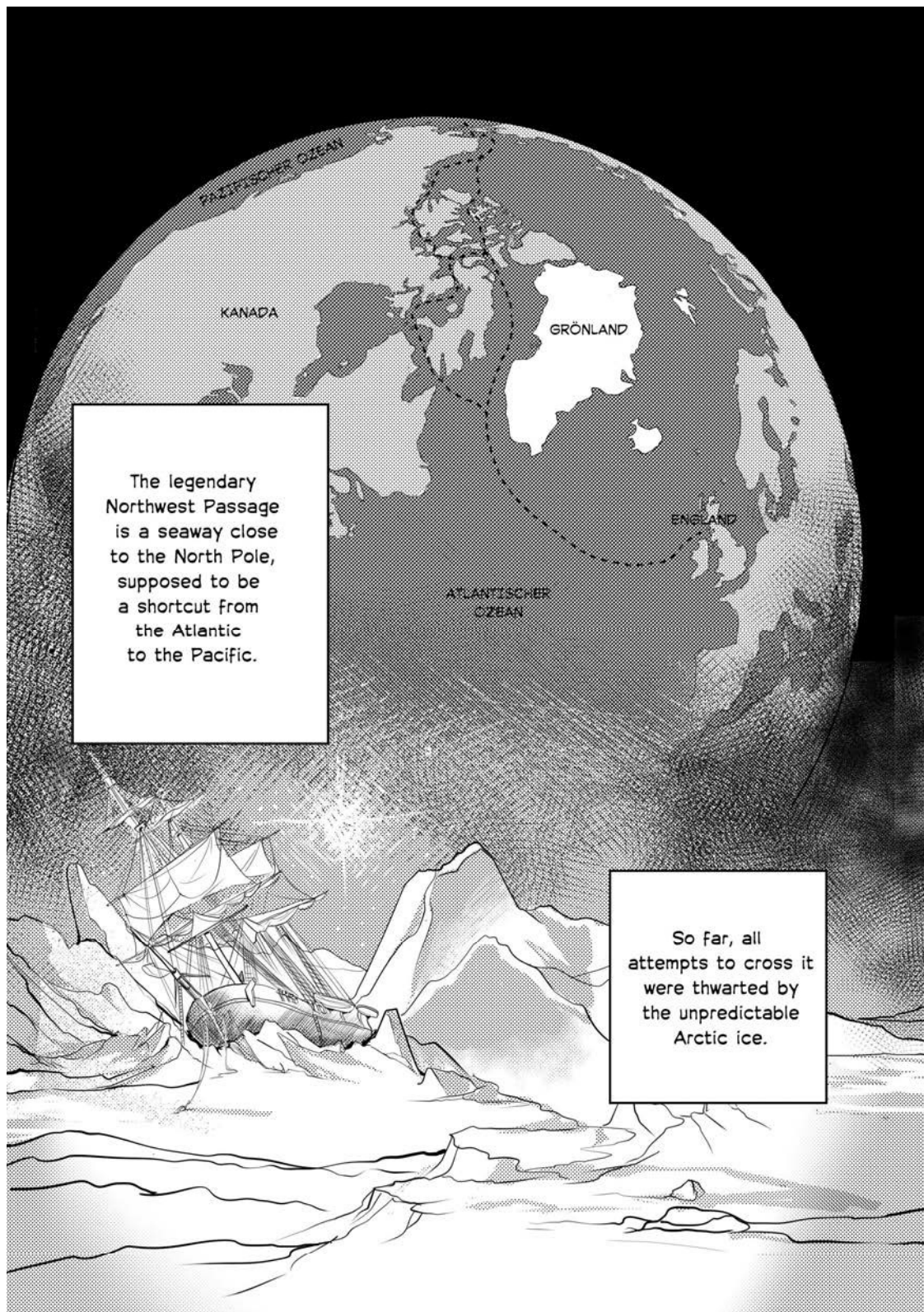
Sir John Franklin.
After a previous
expedition, on which
he had almost starved
to death, also known
as "The Man Who
Ate His Boots."

Although close
to sixty years
old now, he is
still obsessed
with exploring
the Arctic.
At last the
Admiralty
grants him a new
opportunity.



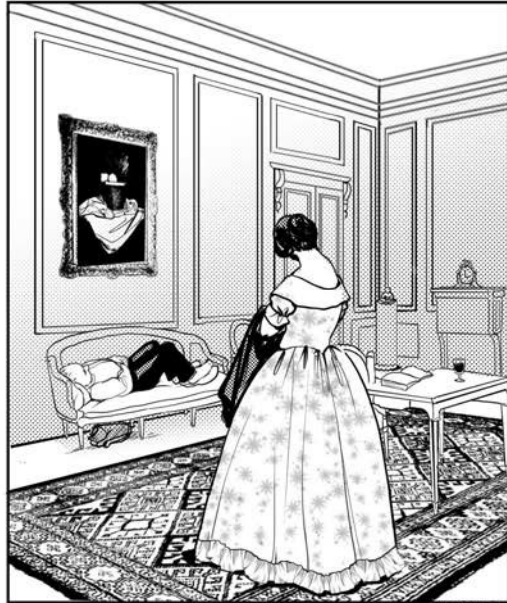
With the ships
Erebus and *Terror*
he will lead a crew
of 133 men through
a presumed North-
west Passage, to
be the first to
discover it and claim
it for the glory of
England.

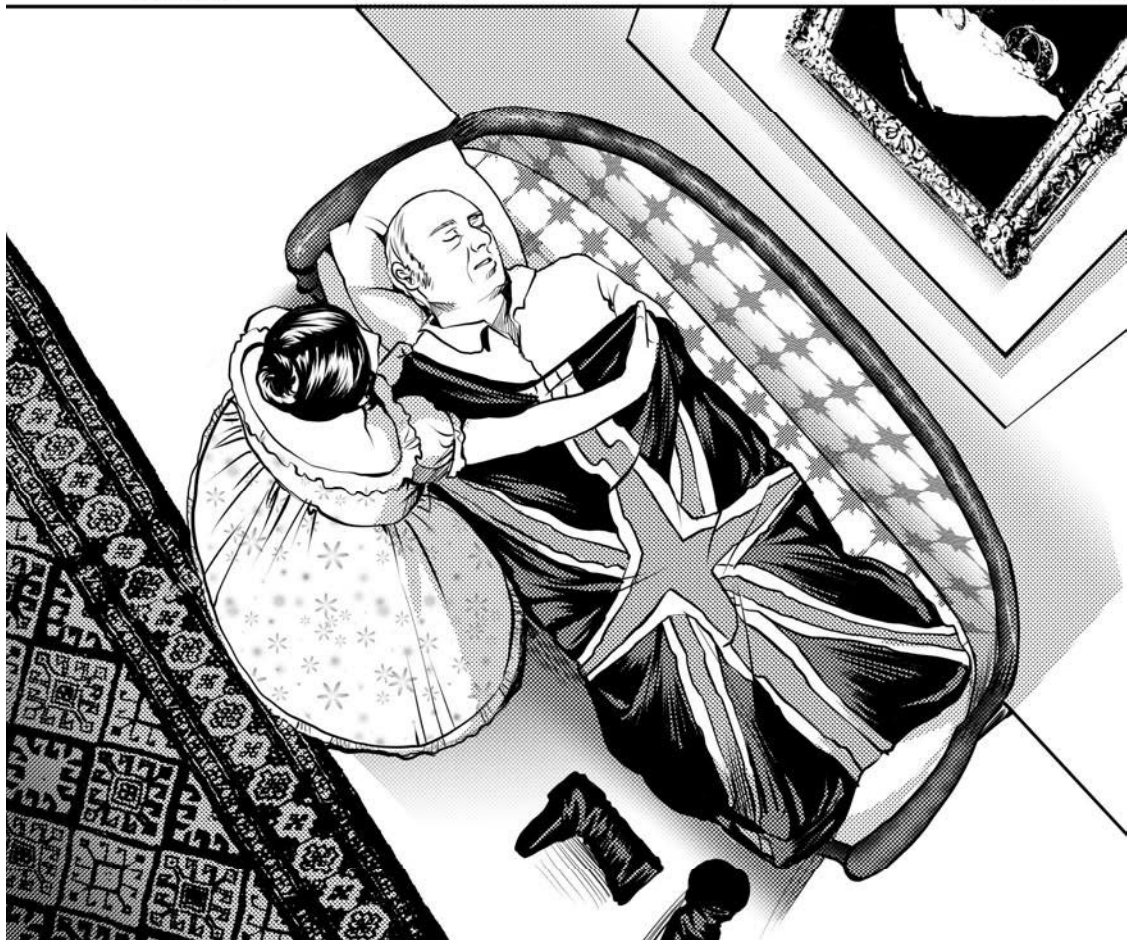
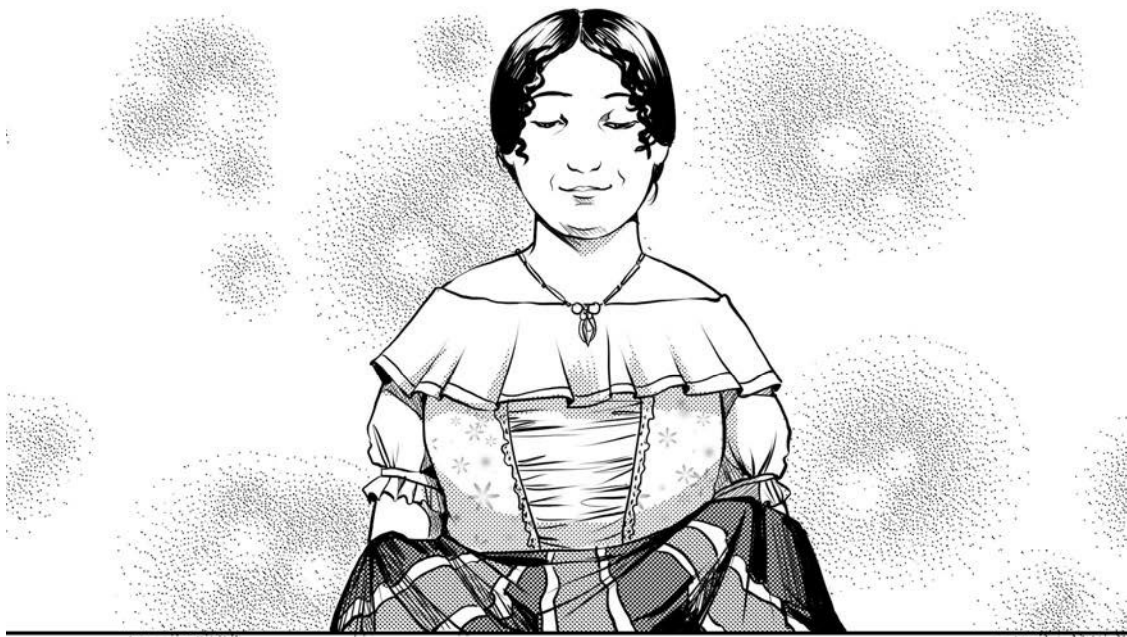


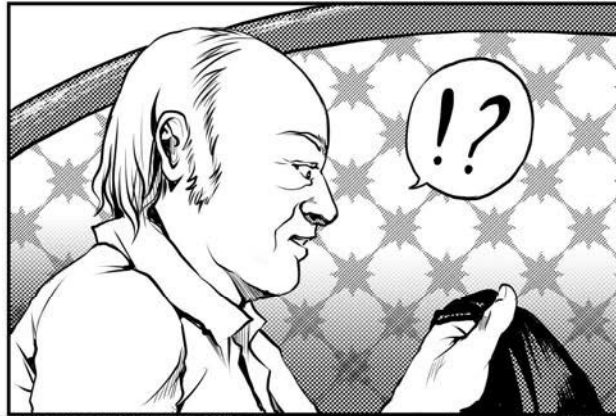


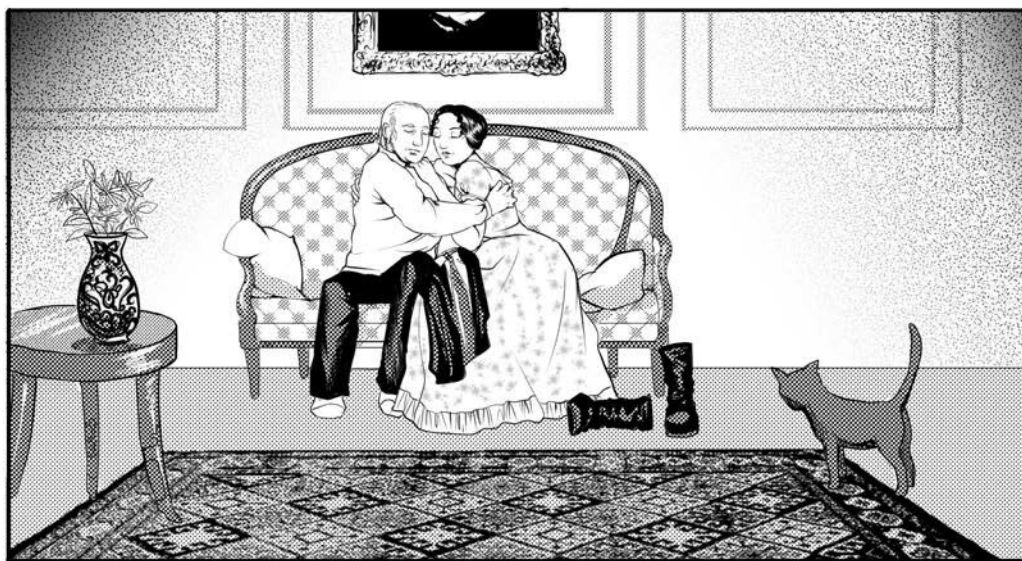
The legendary Northwest Passage is a seaway close to the North Pole, supposed to be a shortcut from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

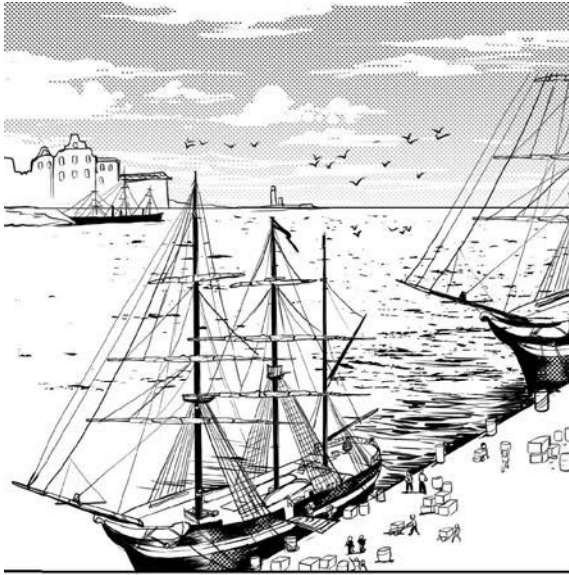
So far, all attempts to cross it were thwarted by the unpredictable Arctic ice.











'16.884 pounds
biscuit,
56.252 pounds
flour,
31.344 pounds
salt meat,
15.664 pounds
canned
meats ...'



'10.499 liters
West Indian rum,
10.452 pounds
canned
vegetables,
6859 pounds
sugar.
4573 pounds
chocolate ...'



