

## **It's all about the ineffable tragedy of inevitable aging.**

In the year 20XX Japanese scientists discovered a source of Helium-3 on one of Jupiter's moons that would change history. A robot named Praeda-52 was created from this discovery in order to help keep the Yakuza and other syndicates who sought control at bay. The Yakuza had other ideas and upon learning about Praeda-52 they funneled money into projects in hopes of capturing and reprogramming Praeda-52 to work for them. After decades of conflict, the Yakuza came out on top. They soon discovered that Praeda-52 had a secret and this secret garnered more power than they had anticipated. The Yakuza reigned supreme for a millenia.

Now, in the year 30XX, Praeda-52 has had countless minds sacrificed and uploaded into his neural circuitry. He uses a human by the name of Byrnes as a talking head for the organization to keep this a secret. Praeda-52 behind the scenes has ruled with an iron thumb, ruthlessly taking out all that oppose him. But somehow...

The Circuits and their new robo, Luciole, have learned through insider information that Byrnes is only a figurehead and has no power. Their sights are now set on Praeda-52 and this unbelievable technology that could provide them with power and immortality.

Unbeknownst to the Circuits, they have a trader in their midst. Someone has been passing intel to a third family, the Techos.

The Techos are notoriously violent and aggressive. They have developed a method of uploading their robo, Chonker, with a dangerous combination of viruses that attack its central processing chip and cause it to rampage; killing anything in its path. It's unknown if they are looking to seize control over the production of Helium-3, immortality, or if they just love chaos and destruction and want to throw everyone into a frenzy so that they can satiate their bloodlust.

The three families' cunning, power, and wit will be fully tested and the victor will be all powerful.