

FRENCH COLONIAL POLICE AND ARMY IN KANAKY



France has sent huge amounts of military forces and weaponry to Kanaky since the May uprising, to a country that was already heavily militarised.

There are now about **4500 military personnel in Kanaky**, representing **1 for every 24 Kanaks**.

France also sent heavy weaponry and military resources, such as the new Centaur tanks.



Tanks and military convoys are all over the roads, a constant reminder that Kanaky is occupied and that it is at war.



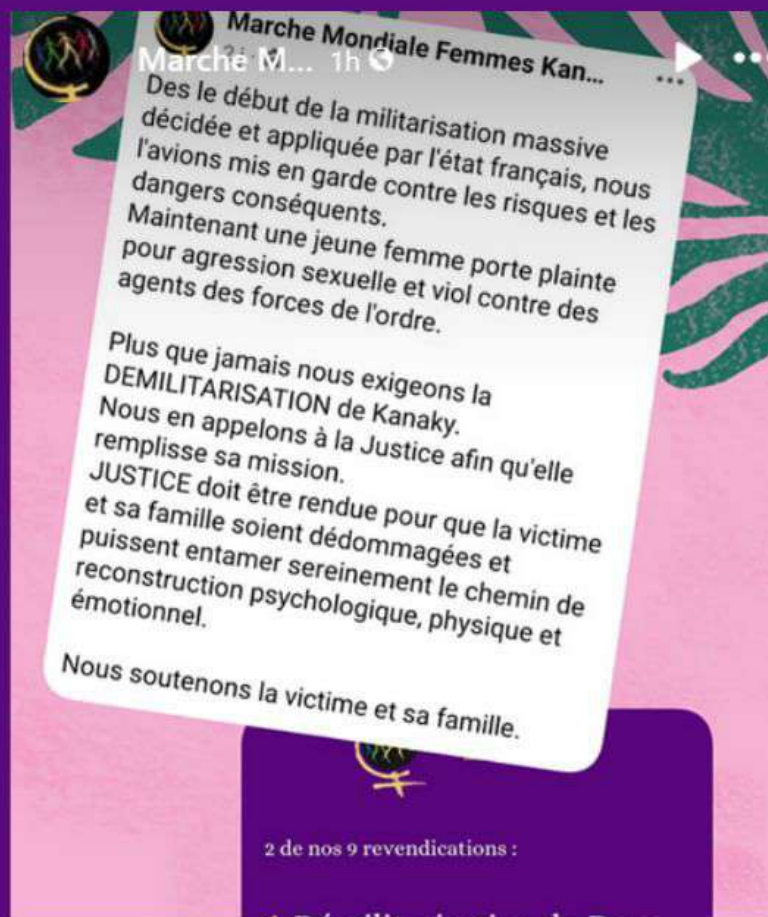
MILITARY MEN HAVE SEXUALLY ASSAULTED AND RAPED YOUNG KANAK WOMEN AND TEENAGERS IN BARS AND CLUBS.



A week ago, a young Kanak woman officially reported being raped by French military men. This is the first official complaint, but we know there are many more cases. We stand in solidarity with the victims.

Kanak feminist organisations are calling for **justice** for the victims and demanding the **demilitarisation** of Kanaky.

All over the world, militarisation is associated with **increased male violence** against women.



French forces are trying to invade Kanak tribal villages. They surround the villages, blocking entrances and exits.

- They **harass** people coming in and out.
- They tell them that they have **proof they committed crimes they haven't.**
- They have **killed Kanak people** while trying to invade.



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Military personnel have been trying to bribe people to name Kanak activists.



This bribery takes place in a context where the French state has withdrawn most welfare payments, healthcare has become inaccessible, unemployment is high and food is difficult to access.

Notably, the Nazis used similar techniques when they occupied France during WWII.

FRENCH FORCES ARREST KANAK PEOPLE EVERY DAY



Every day:

- Kanak people are randomly arrested and charged.
- The French State makes it harder for Kanak people who are arrested to get proper legal representation
- Police encourage Kanak people who are arrested to plead guilty

THESE ARE ALL COLONIAL STRATEGIES

Similar strategies have been used and continue to be used against Indigenous people in so-called Australia.

Oppose colonialism in Kanaky!
Abolish Australia!

The colonies will fall.



SUPPORT KANAKY'S FIGHT FOR LIBERATION!

KANAKY FUNDRAISER

Legal fees & Community resources



<https://chuffed.org/project/112521-free-kanaky12>



The donations will go towards legal fees and other resources and will be given to on the ground Kanak groups.