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Synopsis

Sri Rama, Laksmana, and Wibisana are preparing to depart to Swela Mountain to battle with the army of Rahwana, king of Alengka. As they reached Swelagiri, Sri Rama is impressed with the beauty of the forest and the animals which lived in harmony. His sadness is cured by the happiness of the monkeys which are led by Sugriwa, Anoman, and Anggada. Suddenly an odd monkey is spotted gathering amongst the group of monkeys. Wibisana knows that the monkey is no other than the giant Sukrasana in disguise as a monkey. Anggada then captures and brought him to Sri Rama. By the order of Sri Rama, Sukrasana is not killed but summoned him to return to Alengka and report to Rahwana. Anggada is ordered by Sri Rama to go to Alengka to tell Rahwana to free Dewi Sita.

In the kingdom of Alengka, king Rahwana is conducting a meeting while waiting the report from Sukrasana. All of a sudden Anggada bursts into the room and tells Rahwana to free Sri Rama's wife. Being drunk by alcohol given to him as a gesture of hospitality, Rahwana brainwashed Anggada not to take sides with Rama, because his father (Subali) was murdered by Rama himself. When Anggada came back, he went into rage against the army of Sri Rama, but then after explaining the truth he came into sanity and eventually fought with Sri Rama's side heart fully.

Chapters

Chapter I:

1. Prolog
2. Peaceful atmosphere in Swela Mountain (forest, animals)
3. The monkeys and *Palagawa* play happily

4. Anoman, Anggada, and Sugriwa leads the army of monkeys to report to Sri Rama
5. Sri Rama, Laksmana, and Wibisana enjoys the beauty of Swelagiri
6. The monkey (the transformation of Sukrasana) acts weird, known by Wibisana and reports to Sri Rama
7. Anggada leaps to attack Sukrasana but is obstructed by Sri Rama
8. By the words of Sri Rama, Sukrasana is not killed, but is freed to return to Rahwana
9. Sri Rama then orders Anggada (*Anggada Duta*) to Alengka so that Rahwana is willing to free Dewi Sita
10. Witnessed by all of the monkeys, Anggada dismisses himself from Sri Rama and heads to Alengka

Chapter II:

1. Servants welcomes the presence of Dewi Sita in Angsoka Garden
2. A happy situation in Alengka, the giants having a party
3. The ministers reports to king Rahwana
4. The meeting is disturbed by the presence of a red monkey, Anggada with the intention to tell Rahwana to free Dewi Sita
5. Rahwana in the contrary acts gentle welcomes Anggada to the party and entertains him with delicious foods and alcohol. After being half drunk, Rahwana brainwashed Anggada not to take sides with Rama, because his father (Subali) was killed by Rama himself
6. Because of Rahwana's trickery, Anggada became outraged because the memory of his father's death came to him again. Anggada then asks an army of giants from Rahwana to attack Sri Rama at Swelagiri

Chapter III

1. The army of monkeys was shocked by the presence of Anggada with the giants of Alengka who destroys the forest and killing the monkeys
2. The *Palagawa's* are confused witnessing Anggada's behavior, and even they are also attacked

3. Anoman came to separate the fight but he is also attacked by the rage of Anggada
4. Sugriwa then came to action, ties Anggada and then drags him to the face Sri Rama
5. Sri Rama then explains the truth to Anggada that he was brainwashed by Rahwana
6. Ending: Sri Rama then says "...when a man's faith is weak, he can easily be penetrated by misleading teachings"

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