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DISTRACTIONS

Editor: Darlene Hannah Deadline: Tuesday Noon Send your original comics and poetry to Room 35 SUB.

From Litterbox

s the several suns progressed towards their respective zeniths, I suddenly became very bored. I walked towards a rather interesting looking machine, wondering what use it could possibly have. I couldn't understand the words written on the machine, but it would seem that a skull and cross-bones is widely used, at least by those organisms that have a head. There were many other symbols that seemed to depict some sort of impending doom, the gist of which, I gathered, was don't touch this machine.

I hit the red button.

Suddenly, nothing happened. I turned around quickly, and nothing happened again. Then, acting on impulse, I turned around once more. I began to get dizzy, so I kicked the machine.

A big screen on the machine flashed the message:

-PLEASE DON'T KICK ME.

What startled me most was that the message was in English. I offered my apologies, and it didn't respond. I kicked it again.

-PERHAPS I SHOULD HAVE SAID "DON'T KICK ME AGAIN"!

Just then, I noticed an interesting looking space-time distortion not more than three meters in front of me. I walked towards it, wondering what it was. Gosh, will the mysteries on this planet never cease? What a curious looking object, I thought. What ever could it be?

Then, some type of creature that I had never seen before came along and appeared to threaten me with what I can only describe as a rather intimidating looking object. It put me in a smelly sack, and carried me aboard, what was, I later learned, a very fast, and expensive, spaceship.

When it took me out of the sack, it identified itself as a member of the Royal Canadian Mutant Police, and claimed that many people back on Earth needed my help. After I escaped back to the planet from whence I was abducted, I began to have second thoughts. Perhaps I was needed, perhaps there were people depending on me.

Just then, an alien appeared with a chitty-chitty barbarian.
In a minute, I thought, I'll leave for Earth in a minute.

MEMO

TO: Bob

FROM: Bob (no relation)

RE: next issue of Nat'l Enq.

Run this baby!!!!! Its a story by that new guy. He swears it true, but that doesn't matter. Use the header:

I WAS ABDUCTED BY ALIENS: EXCERPTS FROM THE DIARY OF SOMEONE WHO SURVIVED.

From the Deneb 6 Solar News

Minaw (BPI) No Vghiertains were injured when an unidentified biped ran amok during the WEredzxc festivities held in the town polygon this afternoon.

Witnesses report that the biped first held a portible toliet hostage then ran among the crowd shouting something in a language that most creatures have never heard. The biped then disappeared.

An expert from someplace suggested that the creature was speaking in a language called

"English" which is spoken only on an insignificant planet called "Dirt" in the Pussendokic system.

INVISIBLE

GUY IN:

THE

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WORLD

Officials at Intergalactic SpaceLines and Hedge Clippers, Ltd. refused to speculate on whether the theft of one of their craft was in any way related to the anonymous biped.

Local police spokescreatures released a statement denying everything, including their own existence, and their denial of this statement.





