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STAR TREK The GHOST PLANET

PART I

HIGH ABOVE THE STRANGE UNPOPULATED WORLD THE CREW OF THE STAR SHIP ENTERPRISE BATTLE TO SAVE A DOOMED PLANET... BUT THEY CANNOT KNOW OF THE FATE THAT AWAITS THEM ONCE THEY SUCCEED!

OUR MAGNETIC PULL HAS SMASHED THE DEADLY RAINBOW BANDS, CAPTAIN KIRK!

YES, MR. SPOCK! BUT CUT POWER BEFORE THOSE BANDS REACH US OR THEY'LL PENETRATE THE ENTERPRISE!

THE VISITORS APPEAR TO HAVE FREED OUR PLANET... AND IF SO THEY MUST DIE!

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CAPTAIN'S LOG, STAR DATE 26106.4--
ENTERPRISE MOVING DEEP INTO GALAXY
ZELTA... WE HAVE SIGHTED A STRANGE
RINGED AREA... IT MAY CONCEAL A PLANET
...INVESTIGATION UNDER WAY...

WHAT DO YOU MAKE
OF IT, MR. SPOCK?
THEY'RE SIMILAR TO THE
RINGS OF SATURN-- BUT
NO PLANET IS INDICATED!

I'M CHECKING THEM
ON THE SPECTROSCOPE
NOW, CAPTAIN KIRK!

THE RINGS ARE
COMPOSED OF A
COPPER CONTENT,
CAPTAIN! THEY
ARE CIRCULATING
AROUND A...
PLANET!

ARE YOU
CERTAIN,
MR.
SPOCK?

AFFIRMATIVE,
THE EVIDENCE
ON THE
SPECTROSCOPE
IS UNASSAILABLE!

A PLANET
WRAPPED IN
RAINBOW RINGS!

ROCKETS
ON FULL!
SAME
COURSE!

NEARING THE SPEED OF LIGHT, THE QUEEN
SHIP OF THE STAR FLEET PLUMMETS TOWARD
THE UNKNOWN PLANET...

THE COPPER
CONTENT... IS IT
DANGEROUS
TO US?

NO! THERE IS A MINOR
MAGNETIC FIELD BUT
WE HAVE THE THRUST
TO OVERCOME IT!

HOWEVER, THERE
WILL BE
TURBULENCE!

SECURE
SEAT
BELTS!

LIKE A GIANT, FIRE-BREATHING ANIMAL THE ENTERPRISE WHIPLASHES INTO THE MULTICOLORED
MAGNETIC FIELD RINGS...

STABILIZERS! RIG THE
STABILIZERS FOR
EXTREME PRESSURE!
MR. SPOCK! WHAT IS THE
DEPTH WE MUST PENETRATE?

TWO LUNAR MILES! OBSERVE!
THERE TO STARBOARD A
SECTION OF PLANET IS
COMING INTO VIEW!

THEN, THE TURBULENCE CEASES... AND THE SPACE CRAFT CAREENS
FREE ABOVE A MAJESTIC NEW WORLD...

GR-GREAT NOVAS! YOU WERE
CORRECT, MR. SPOCK-- A BRAND
NEW PLANET LOCKED BEHIND
THOSE RAINBOW RINGS!

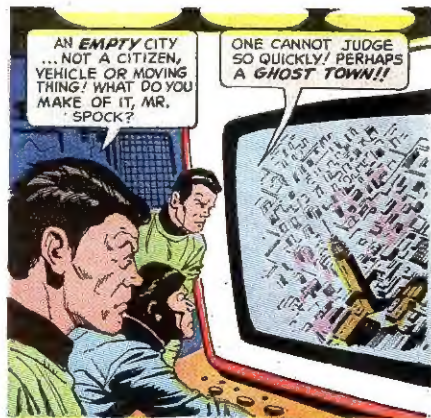
AND A MOST UNUSUAL
ONE, CAPTAIN! I'M GETTING
RADIOACTIVE IMPULSES!



RADIOACTIVITY! CAN YOU PINPOINT IT?

NO, IT IS VERY FAINT! BUT IT IS PRESENT!

TRIGGER TELESCOPIC VIEW CAMERA!



AN **EMPTY** CITY ... NOT A CITIZEN, VEHICLE OR MOVING THING! WHAT DO YOU MAKE OF IT, MR. SPOCK?

ONE CANNOT JUDGE SO QUICKLY! PERHAPS A **GHOST TOWN!**



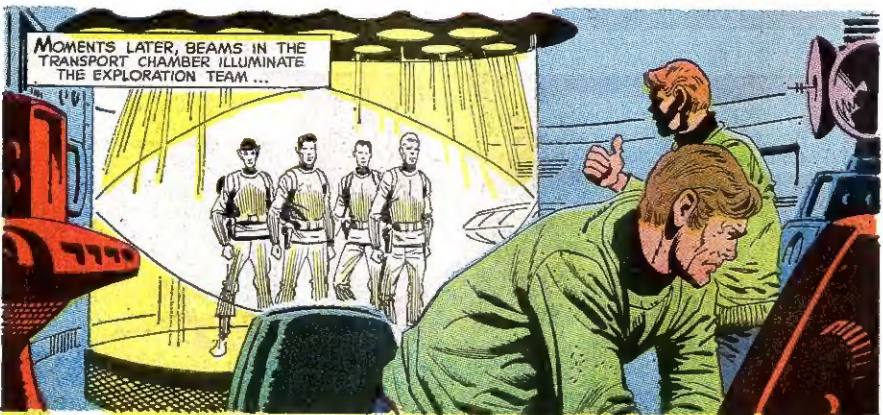
SHALL WE RECONNOITER THE AREA FOR A FEW HOURS, CAPTAIN?

NO...

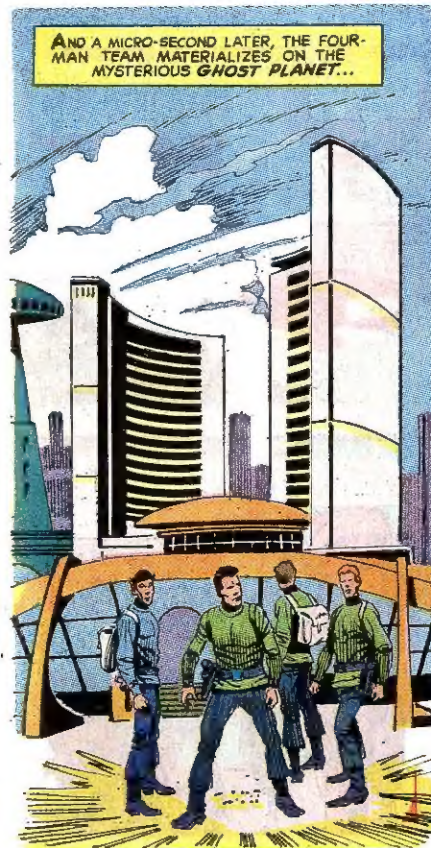


...THAT WOULD JUST MAKE OUR PRESENCE **POSITIVELY** KNOWN ... IF IT ISN'T **ALREADY** WELL BEAM DOWN!

PICK TWO MEN FROM THE CREW AND COME WITH ME, MR. SPOCK / DR. MCCOY, YOU KEEP CONTACT WITH US FROM HERE!



MOMENTS LATER, BEAMS IN THE TRANSPORT CHAMBER ILLUMINATE THE EXPLORATION TEAM ...



AND A MICRO-SECOND LATER, THE FOUR-MAN TEAM MATERIALIZES ON THE MYSTERIOUS **GHOST PLANET...**



SUDDENLY, A HOLLOW VOICE BOOMS OUT IN THE EMPTY SQUARE...

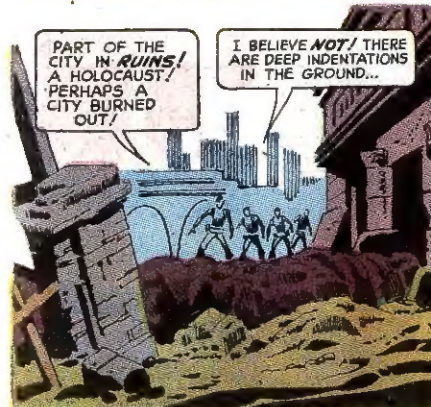
WELCOME, VISITORS! TRANSPORTATION IS ENROUTE FOR YOU!



WHAT DO YOU MAKE OF IT, MR. SPOCK? SOME TYPE OF MECHANIZED CIVILIZATION?

NEGATIVE, CAPTAIN! IF YOU NOTICE, THE AREA DOES NOT APPEAR **LIVED** IN!

... AND LOOK OVER THERE!



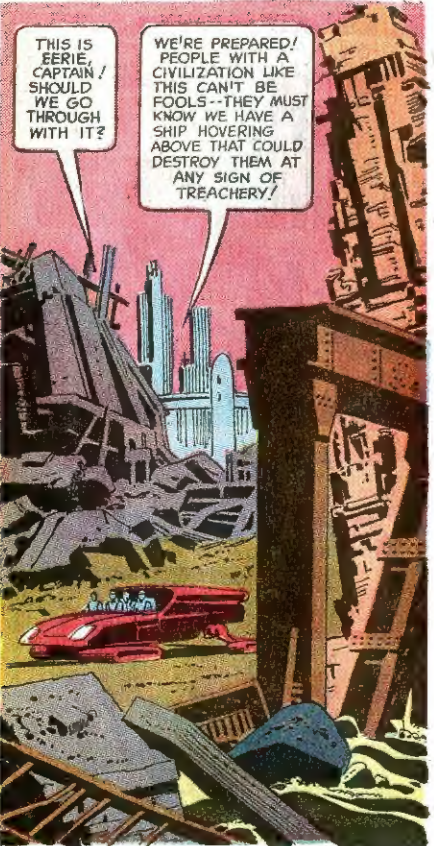
PART OF THE CITY IN **RUINS!** A HOLOCAUST! PERHAPS A CITY BURNED OUT!

I BELIEVE **NOT!** THERE ARE DEEP INDENTATIONS IN THE GROUND...



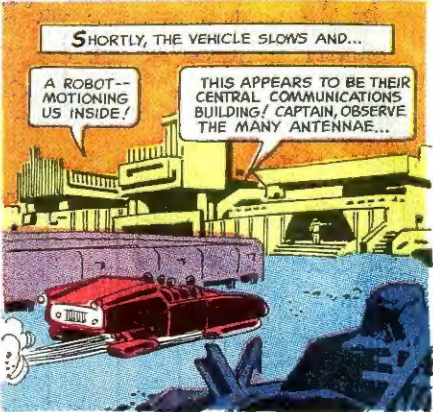
... SIMILAR TO THOSE MADE BY BOMBING DURING A WAR!

HERE'S OUR VEHICLE! ROBOT CONTROLLED! KEEP YOUR PHASERS READED, PEOPLE!



THIS IS
ERIE,
CAPTAIN!
SHOULD
WE GO
THROUGH
WITH IT?

WE'RE PREPARED!
PEOPLE WITH A
CIVILIZATION LIKE
THIS CAN'T BE
FOOLS--THEY MUST
KNOW WE HAVE A
SHIP HOVERING
ABOVE THAT COULD
DESTROY THEM AT
ANY SIGN OF
TREACHERY!



SHORTLY, THE VEHICLE SLOWS AND...

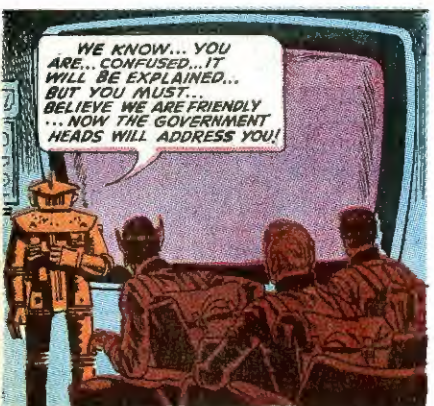
A ROBOT--
MOTIONING
US INSIDE!

THIS APPEARS TO BE THEIR
CENTRAL COMMUNICATIONS
BUILDING! CAPTAIN, OBSERVE
THE MANY ANTENNAE...

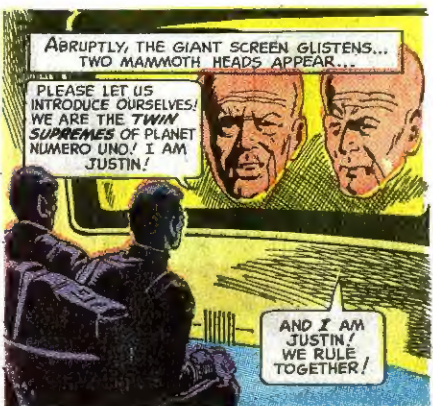


PLEASE... TAKE
YOUR... SEATS!

VERY DRAMATIC! AT
LEAST THEY SPEAK
THE INTERPLANETARY
LANGUAGE ESPERANTA!



WE KNOW... YOU
ARE... CONFUSED...IT
WILL BE EXPLAINED...
BUT YOU MUST...
BELIEVE WE ARE FRIENDLY
...NOW THE GOVERNMENT
HEADS WILL ADDRESS YOU!



ABRUPTLY, THE GIANT SCREEN GLISTENS...
TWO MAMMOTH HEADS APPEAR...

PLEASE LET US
INTRODUCE OURSELVES!
WE ARE THE TWIN
SUPREMES OF PLANET
NUMERO UNO! I AM
JUSTIN!

AND I AM
JUSTIN!
WE RULE
TOGETHER!



AND I AM CAPTAIN
KIRK OF THE STAR
SHIP ENTERPRISE!
OUR MISSION IS TO AID
THOSE OF THE PLANETARY
SYSTEM WHO MAY BE IN
NEED!

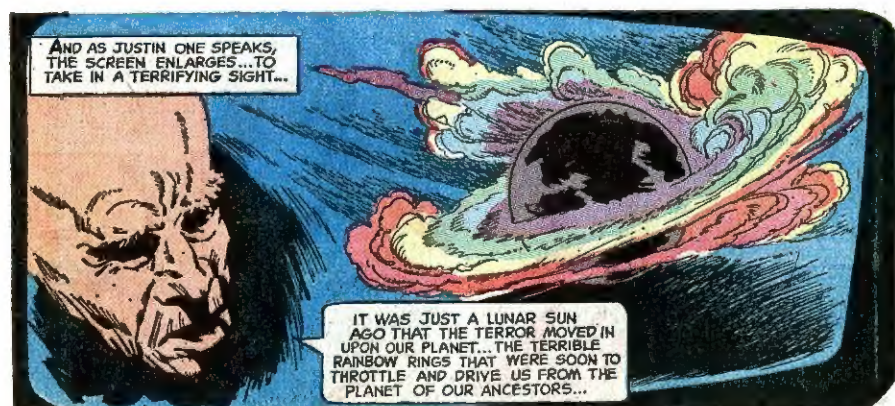


BUT THE TREATMENT
YOU OFFER IS INSULTING!
EITHER IDENTIFY YOUR-
SELVES PROPERLY OR
WE WILL LEAVE!



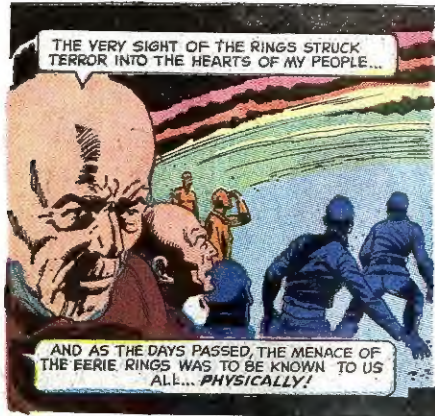
PLEASE... I APOLOGIZE...
WE APOLOGIZE! CAPTAIN
KIRK--IF YOU WILL BE
PATIENT AND HEAR OUR
TERRIBLE STORY YOU WILL
UNDERSTAND!

VERY
WELL!
SPEAK!



AND AS JUSTIN ONE SPEAKS,
THE SCREEN ENLARGES...TO
TAKE IN A TERRIFYING SIGHT...

IT WAS JUST A LUNAR SUN
AGO THAT THE TERROR MOVED IN
UPON OUR PLANET...THE TERRIBLE
RAINBOW RINGS THAT WERE SOON TO
THROTTLE AND DRIVE US FROM THE
PLANET OF OUR ANCESTORS...

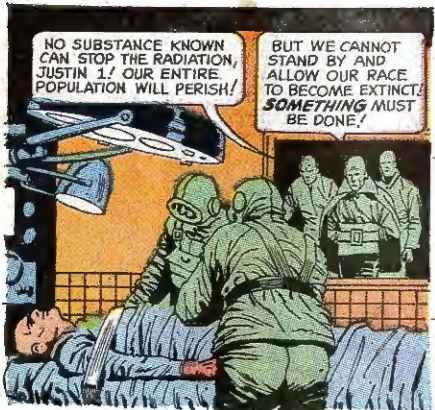


THE VERY SIGHT OF THE RINGS STRUCK TERROR INTO THE HEARTS OF MY PEOPLE...

AND AS THE DAYS PASSED, THE MENACE OF THE FERIE RINGS WAS TO BE KNOWN TO US ALL... PHYSICALLY!



FOR THE OBVIOUS BANDS EMITTED A STRANGE COPPER RADIATION THAT AFFECTED OUR BODIES!



NO SUBSTANCE KNOWN CAN STOP THE RADIATION, JUSTIN 1! OUR ENTIRE POPULATION WILL PERISH!

BUT WE CANNOT STAND BY AND ALLOW OUR RACE TO BECOME EXTINCT! SOMETHING MUST BE DONE!



THE BUILDING OF TWO ARTIFICIAL SATELLITES WENT UNDER EMERGENCY CONSTRUCTION...

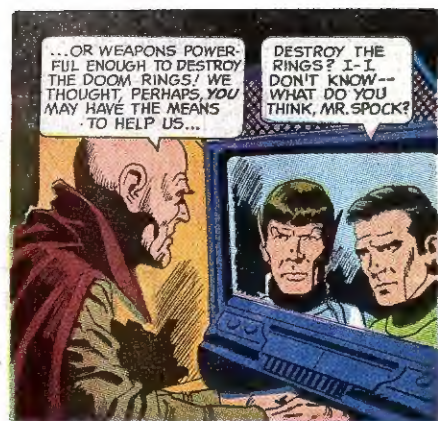


AND WITHIN A MONTH'S TIME, THE UNOITE EXODUS TO THE SATELLITES WAS UNDERWAY! IT WAS EXTREMELY SUCCESSFUL...



SOON, AN OBVIOUS DANGER WAS UPON US --OVER-POPULATION! EVERY SQUARE INCH OF THE SATELLITES IS BEING UTILIZED...

OUR LAND CANNOT FEED THE MASSES! AND WE DO NOT HAVE THE MEANS TO CONSTRUCT OTHER SATELLITES...



...OR WEAPONS POWERFUL ENOUGH TO DESTROY THE DOOM RINGS! WE THOUGHT, PERHAPS YOU MAY HAVE THE MEANS TO HELP US...

DESTROY THE RINGS? I-I DON'T KNOW--WHAT DO YOU THINK, MR. SPOCK?



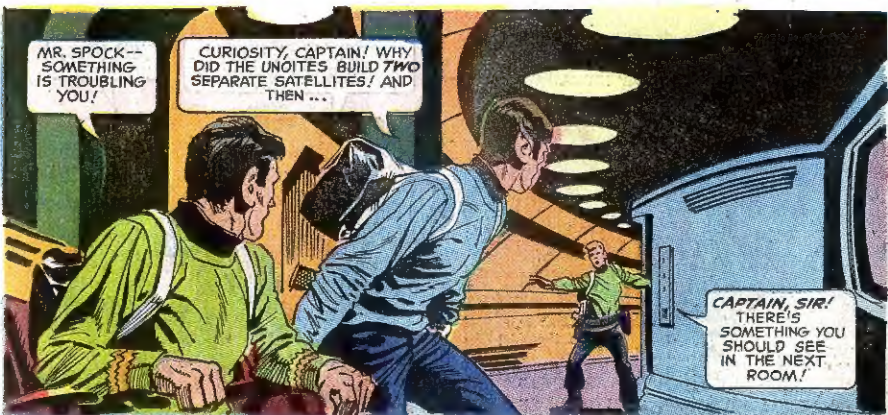
LASER BEAMS WOULD MOST CERTAINLY SHATTER THE RINGS, CAPTAIN-- BUT THE CONTAMINATED MATTER WOULD STILL ORBIT THE PLANET...

THE ONLY POSSIBLE SOLUTION WOULD BE TO MAGNETICALLY PULL THE RINGS AWAY FROM THE PLANET AND INTO DEEP SPACE...



BUT I AM NOT SURE OUR SPACE-CRAFT CAN DO THE JOB! I WILL NEED TIME FOR CALCULATIONS...

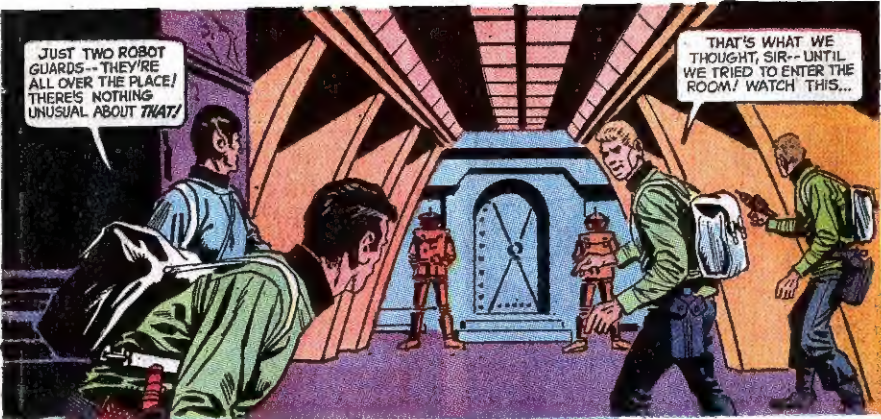
THEN BY ALL MEANS, TAKE THE TIME--WE WILL MAKE CONTACT AGAIN IN A LUNAR HOUR--AND GOOD LUCK!



MR. SPOCK-- SOMETHING IS TROUBLING YOU!

CURIOSITY, CAPTAIN! WHY DID THE UNOITES BUILD TWO SEPARATE SATELLITES! AND THEN ...

CAPTAIN, SIR! THERE'S SOMETHING YOU SHOULD SEE IN THE NEXT ROOM!



JUST TWO ROBOT GUARDS-- THEY'RE ALL OVER THE PLACE! THERE'S NOTHING UNUSUAL ABOUT THAT!

THAT'S WHAT WE THOUGHT, SIR-- UNTIL WE TRIED TO ENTER THE ROOM! WATCH THIS...



ENOUGH! AND NOW LET'S GIVE THESE ROBOTS A HOT FOOT!

I GET IT-- THE WATER WILL ACT AS A CONDUCTOR FOR THE HIGH FREQUENCY BATTERY CHARGES OF OUR TRANSISTORS! BUT WILL THE CHARGE BE STRONG ENOUGH?



AT LEAST IT'S GIVING THEM A GOOD JOLT...



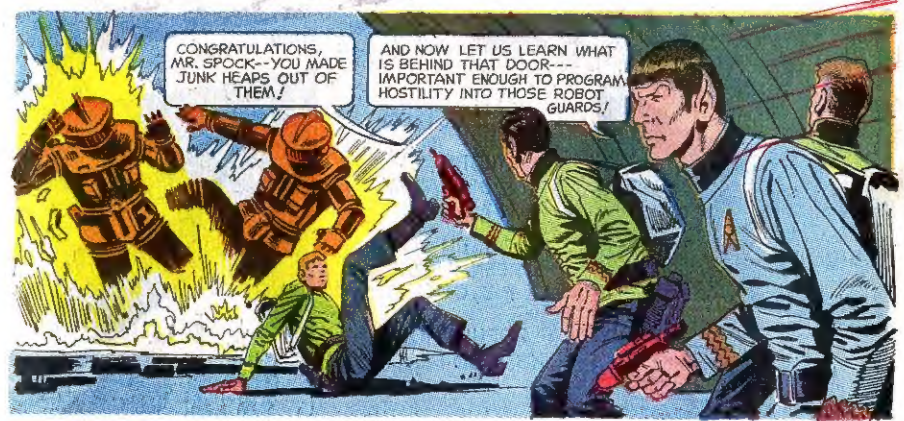
ALL THE OTHER TIN MEN HAVE BEEN FRIENDLY! BUT WHEN WE MOVED TOWARDS THE DOOR LIKE THIS...

LOOK OUT! THEY'RE LUNGING FOR YOU...



Y-YIPES!

THEY'VE... SHARED HIM!



CONGRATULATIONS, MR. SPOCK-- YOU MADE JUNK HEAPS OUT OF THEM!

AND NOW LET US LEARN WHAT IS BEHIND THAT DOOR-- IMPORTANT ENOUGH TO PROGRAM HOSTILITY INTO THOSE ROBOT GUARDS!



WE CAN'T RISK A SHOT AT THOSE ROBOTS-- WE MAY HIT OUR MAN!

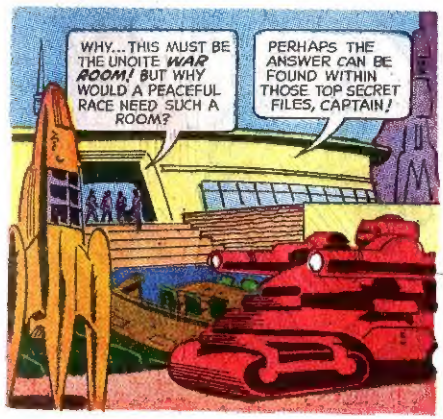
AND THEY MAY KILL HIM INSTANTLY... BEFORE WE CAN ACT!

HMM-M... I HAVE AN IDEA, CAPTAIN! LET ME HAVE YOUR COMMUNICATIONS TRANSISTOR...



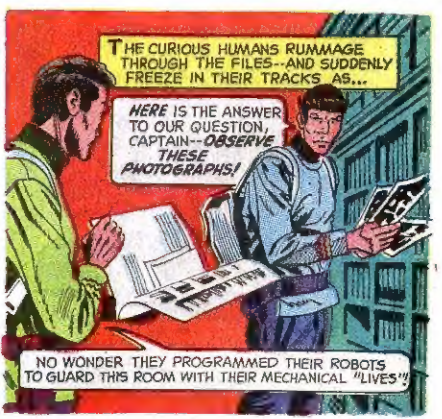
DENTON! YOUR CANTEEN WATER... SPLASH IT AT THE FEET OF THE ROBOTS...

YES SIR, MR. SPOCK!



WHY... THIS MUST BE THE UNITE WAR ROOM! BUT WHY WOULD A PEACEFUL RACE NEED SUCH A ROOM?

PERHAPS THE ANSWER CAN BE FOUND WITHIN THOSE TOP SECRET FILES, CAPTAIN!



THE CURIOUS HUMANS RUMMAGE THROUGH THE FILES-- AND SUDDENLY FREEZE IN THEIR TRACKS AS...

HERE IS THE ANSWER TO OUR QUESTION, CAPTAIN-- OBSERVE THESE PHOTOGRAPHS!

NO WONDER THEY PROGRAMMED THEIR ROBOTS TO GUARD THIS ROOM WITH THEIR MECHANICAL "LIVES"!



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RETALIATION AGAINST GREEN REBELS



THE PLANET NUMERO UNO WAS ENGAGED IN A DEADLY WAR! THESE ARE NOT THE HELPLESS PEACE-LOVING PEOPLE THEY FEIGN TO BE!

THAT WOULD SEEM LOGICAL!



IT FOLLOWS THAT THEY WERE FORCED TO CALL A TRUCE WHEN THE DEADLY RINGS ENCIRCLED THE PLANET!

YES...



... AND ONCE WE HAVE FREED THEM OF THE YOKE OF PEACE, THEY WILL CONTINUE THE FIGHT! WE'LL HAVE TO SHAKE THEM UP A BIT!

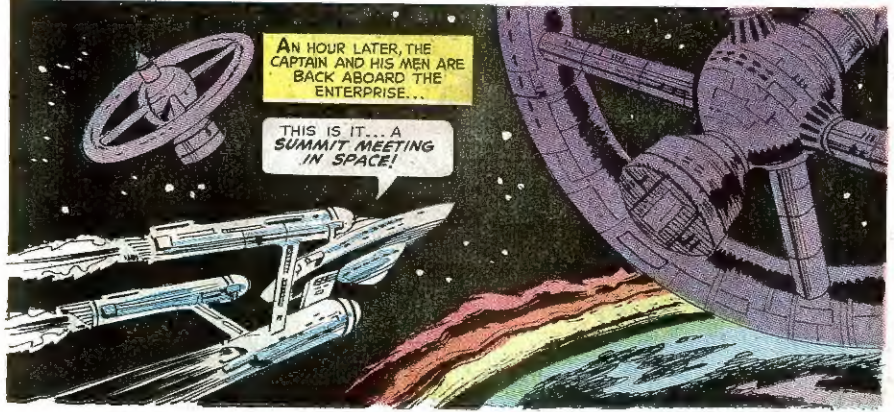


AND AS THE TWIN SUPREMES APPEAR ON THE SCREEN AGAIN...

WHAT NEWS CAN YOU HELP US?

ER... VERY WELL, CAPTAIN!

MEET US ABOARD OUR SHIP IN ONE HOUR! THIS IS URGENT! BE THERE!



AN HOUR LATER, THE CAPTAIN AND HIS MEN ARE BACK ABOARD THE ENTERPRISE...

THIS IS IT... A SUMMIT MEETING IN SPACE!



IF WE ELIMINATE THE DEATH RINGS FOR THEM WE WILL, IN ACTUALITY, BE **STARTING A WAR!**

QUITE LOGICAL!



BUT IF WE DO **NOT** AID THEM WE ARE, TECHNICALLY, **KILLING THEM!**

THAT LOGIC OF YOURS CAN BE DISTURBING AT TIMES, MR. SPOCK! **OPEN THE AIR LOCKS!**



THEN, A GRIM-FACED CAPTAIN CONFRONTS THE TWIN SUPREMES...

TAKE SEATS! I WILL BE ABRUPT AND TO THE POINT! I ACCUSE YOU OF **DECEPTION...**



I HAVE REASON TO BELIEVE YOU WANT YOUR PLANET POPULATED AGAIN ONLY TO **DESTROY THE CITIZENS IN HARM!**

B-BUT THAT IS NOT TRUE, CAPTAIN! WE WISH TO **SAVE** OUR PEOPLE!



YOU LIE! THESE PHOTOS **PROVE** YOU HAVE BEEN WARRING AGAINST EACH OTHER FOR HALF A CENTURY!

CAPTAIN! THEY ARE REACHING FOR WEAPONS!

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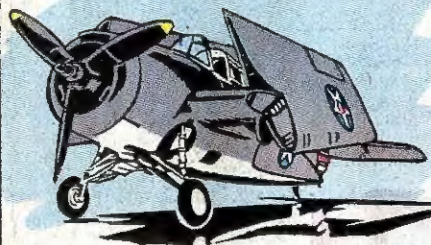
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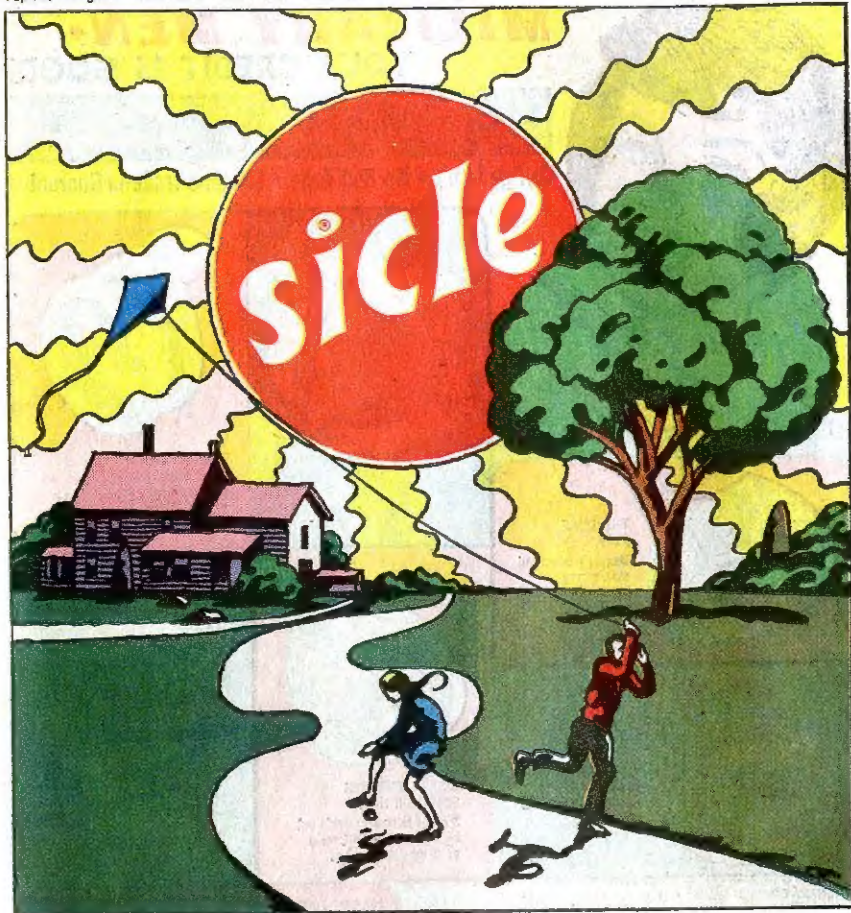
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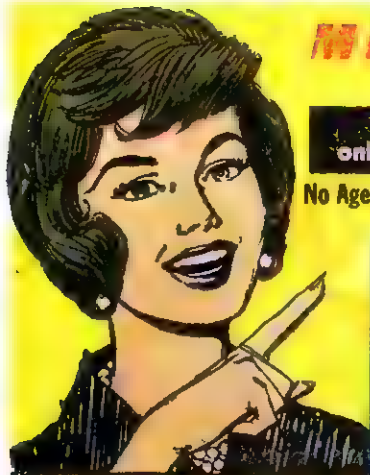
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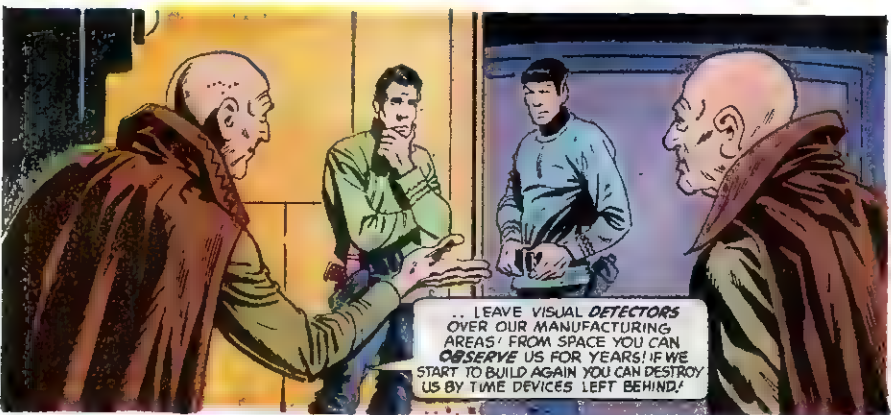
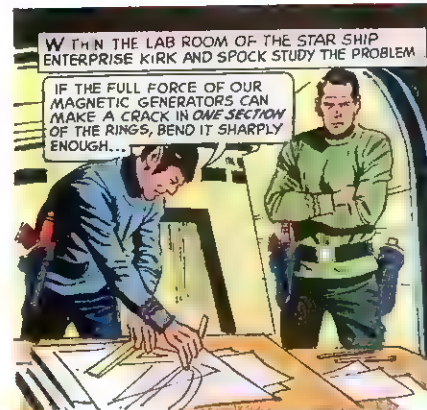
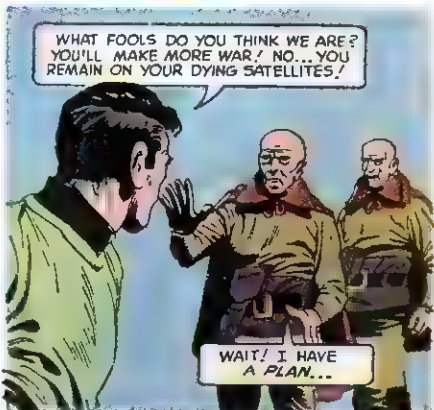
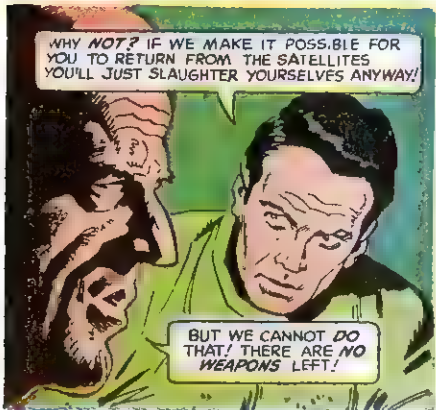
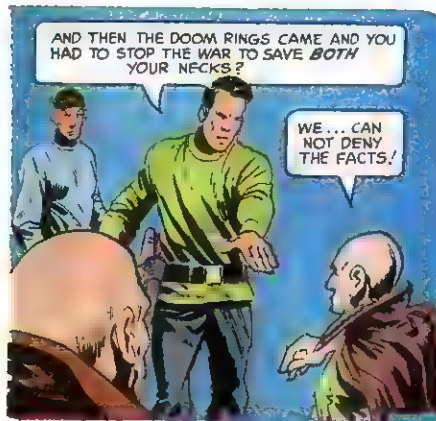
AS TWIN SUPREMES OF THE PLANET NUMERO UNO ENTER THE ENTERPRISE, KIRK CONFRONTS THEM WITH THE PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE THAT THEY WERE AT WAR AND...

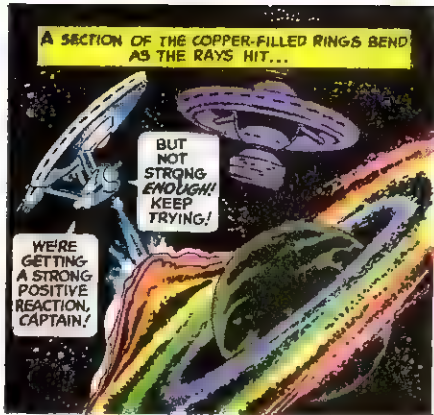
CEASE! I-I WILL NOT RESIST FURTHER!

INDEED, THEY ARE INSTINCTIVELY BRACED TO DO BATTLE! THE MOMENT YOU SHOWED THEM THE PHOTOGRAPHS THEIR HANDS FLEW TO THEIR WEAPONS, CAPTAIN KIRK!

ALL RIGHT, YOU TWO CHARACTERS! YOU WERE BATTLING EACH OTHER, WEREN'T YOU? EACH FIGHTING FOR CONTROL OF PLANET NUMERO UNO!

Y-YES...

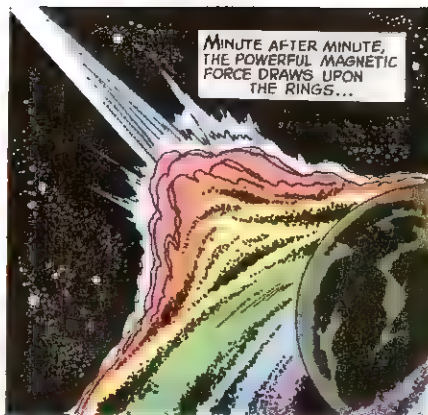




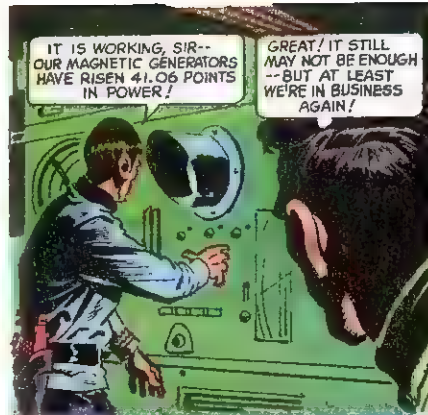
A SECTION OF THE COPPER-FILLED RINGS BEND AS THE RAYS HIT...

BUT NOT STRONG ENOUGH! KEEP TRYING!

WE'RE GETTING A STRONG POSITIVE REACTION, CAPTAIN!

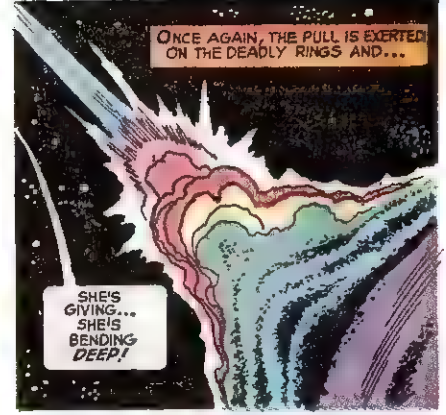


MINUTE AFTER MINUTE, THE POWERFUL MAGNETIC FORCE DRAWS UPON THE RINGS...



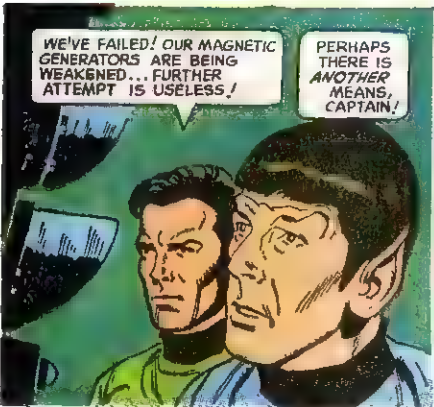
IT IS WORKING, SIR-- OUR MAGNETIC GENERATORS HAVE RISEN 41.06 POINTS IN POWER!

GREAT! IT STILL MAY NOT BE ENOUGH -- BUT AT LEAST WE'RE IN BUSINESS AGAIN!



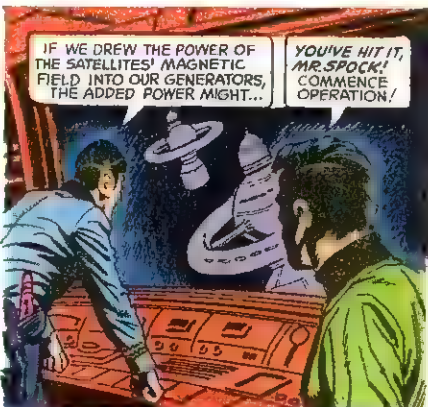
ONCE AGAIN, THE PULL IS EXERTED ON THE DEADLY RINGS AND...

SHE'S GIVING... SHE'S BENDING DEEP!



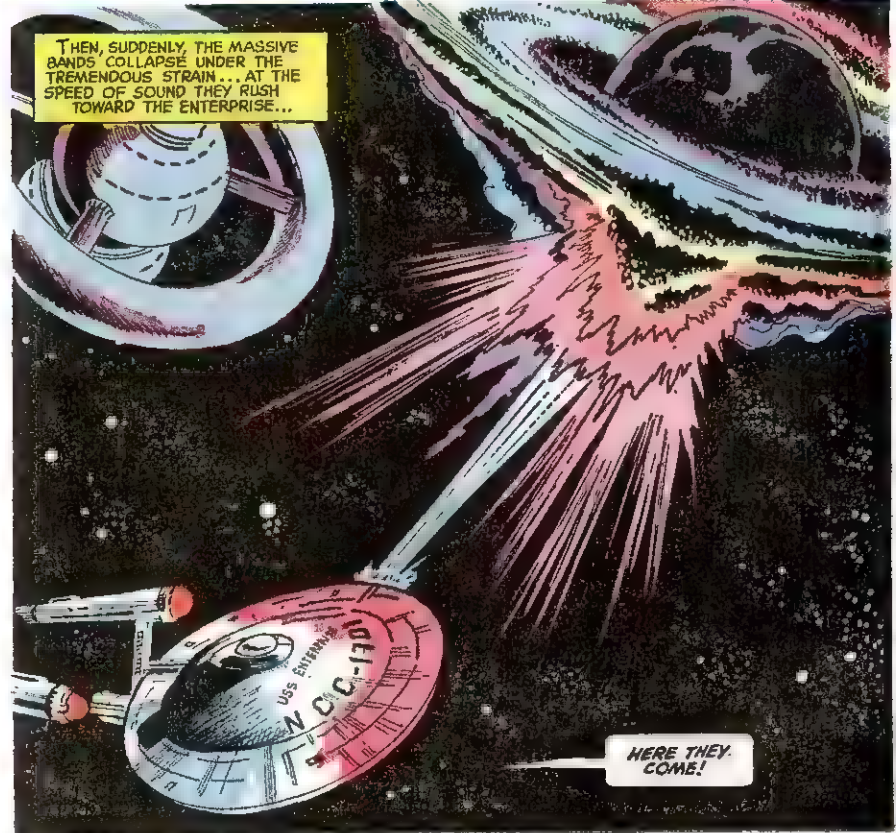
WE'VE FAILED! OUR MAGNETIC GENERATORS ARE BEING WEAKENED... FURTHER ATTEMPT IS USELESS!

PERHAPS THERE IS ANOTHER MEANS, CAPTAIN!



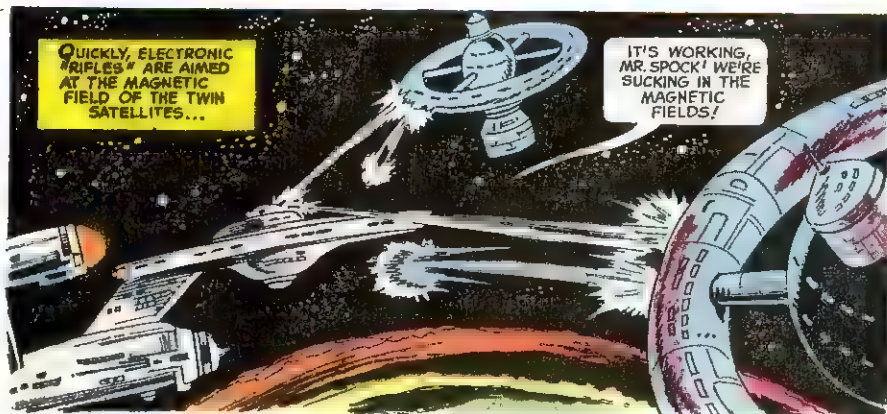
IF WE DREW THE POWER OF THE SATELLITES' MAGNETIC FIELD INTO OUR GENERATORS, THE ADDED POWER MIGHT...

YOU'VE HIT IT, MR. SPOCK! COMMENCE OPERATION!



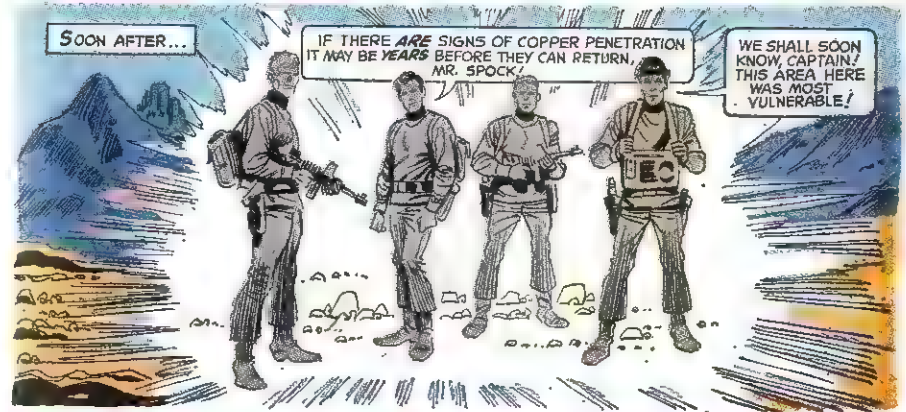
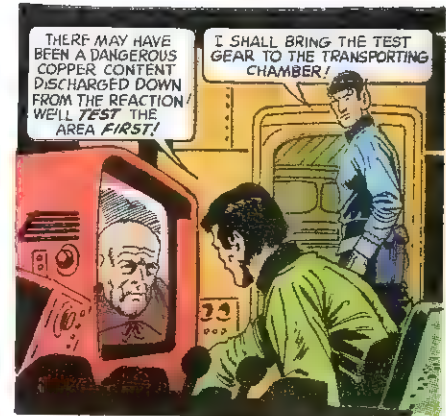
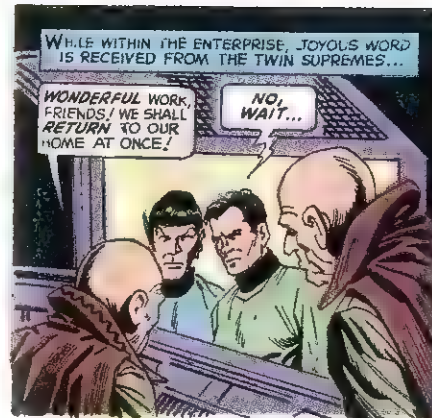
THEN, SUDDENLY, THE MASSIVE BANDS COLLAPSE UNDER THE TREMENDOUS STRAIN... AT THE SPEED OF SOUND THEY RUSH TOWARD THE ENTERPRISE...

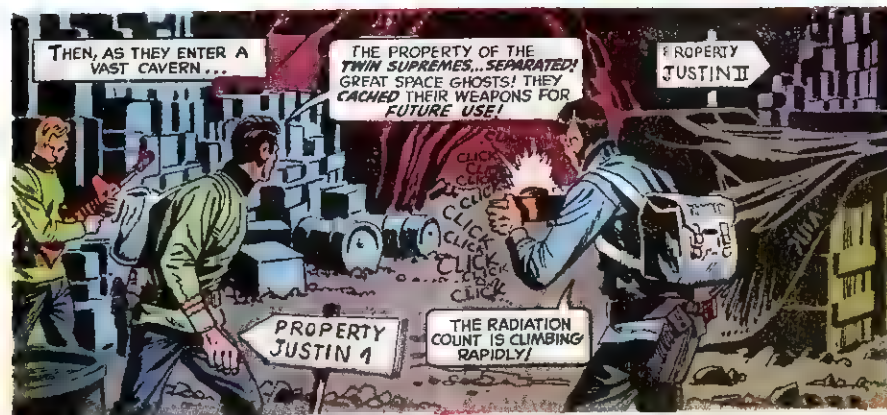
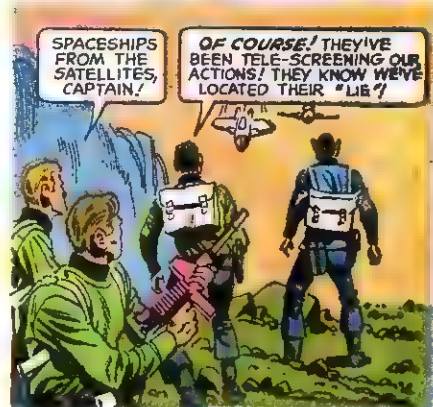
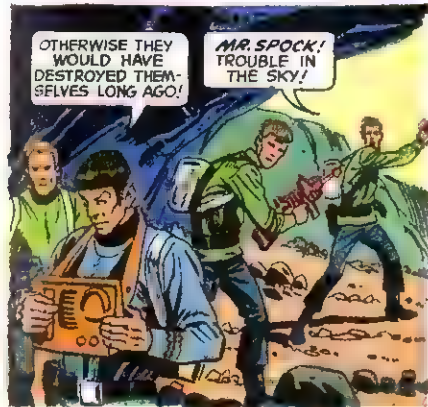
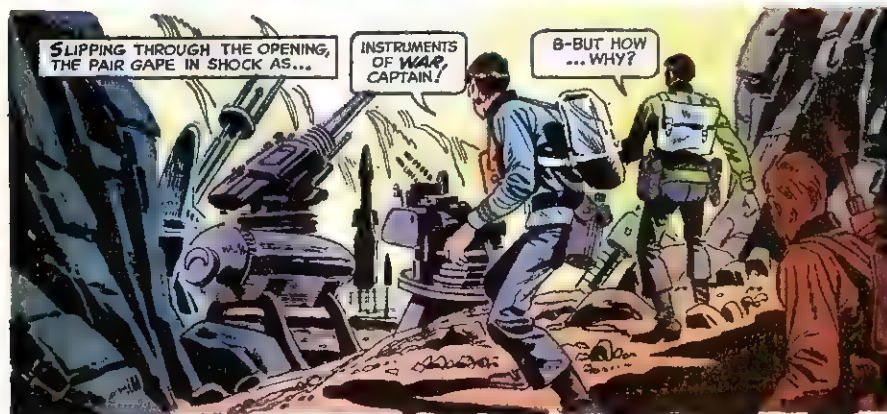
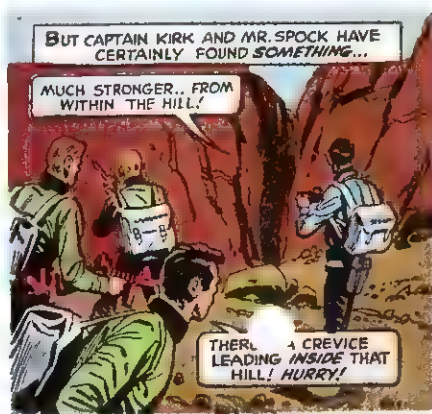
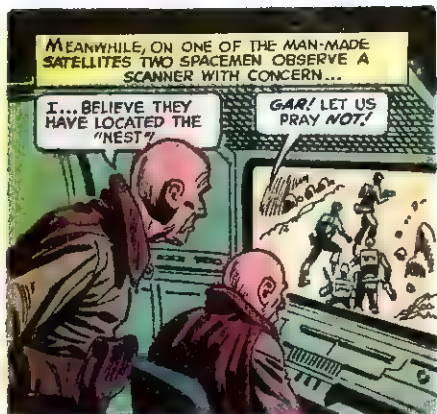
HERE THEY COME!

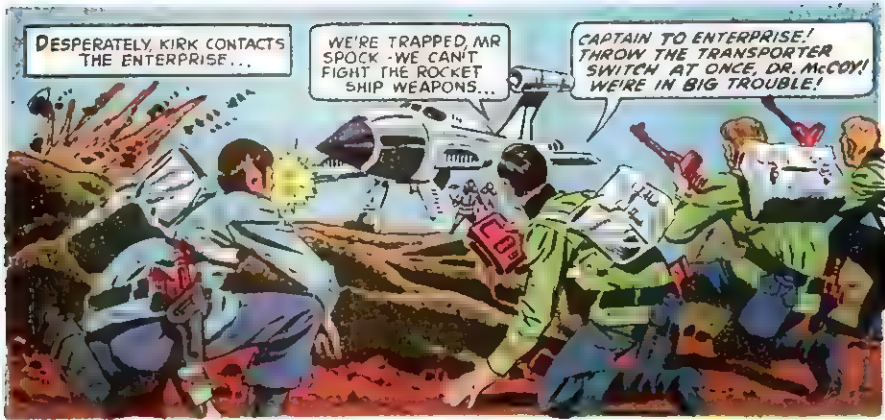


QUICKLY, ELECTRONIC "RIFLES" ARE AIMED AT THE MAGNETIC FIELD OF THE TWIN SATELLITES...

IT'S WORKING, MR. SPOCK! WE'RE SUCKING IN THE MAGNETIC FIELDS!







DESPERATELY, KIRK CONTACTS THE ENTERPRISE...

WE'RE TRAPPED, MR SPOCK - WE CAN'T FIGHT THE ROCKET SHIP WEAPONS...

CAPTAIN TO ENTERPRISE! THROW THE TRANSPORTER SWITCH AT ONCE, DR. MCCOY! WE'RE IN BIG TROUBLE!



BUT A MOMENT LATER...

I... CAN'T GET THROUGH, SIR! THE TRANSPORTER IS JAMMED SOMEHOW!

WE'VE HAD IT, SPOCK... THE SHIP'S ELECTRONIC FIELD HAS US STYMIED!



FACE DEATH LIKE MEN STRANGERS FROM SPACE / YOU CANNOT HIDE!

SIR! I HAVE A THOUGHT... QUICKLY... I MUST SPEAK TO THE SHIP! NO TIME TO EXPLAIN! TRY TO STALL THEM A MOMENT!



WHAT DOGS OF SPACE DESTROY THOSE WHO SAVE THEM, JUSTINS!

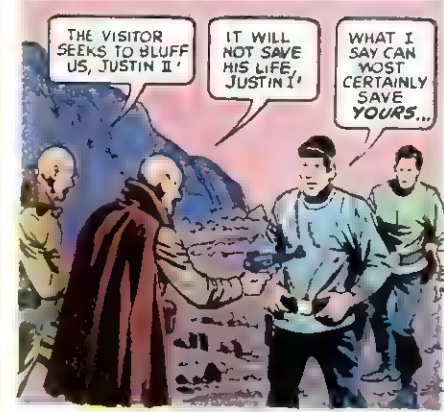
OF SUCH TRICKS ARE CONQUERORS MADE, KIRK! HA, HA!



SUDDENLY...

SPOCK??

HOLD FIRE! SHOOT AND YOU DESTROY YOURSELVES!



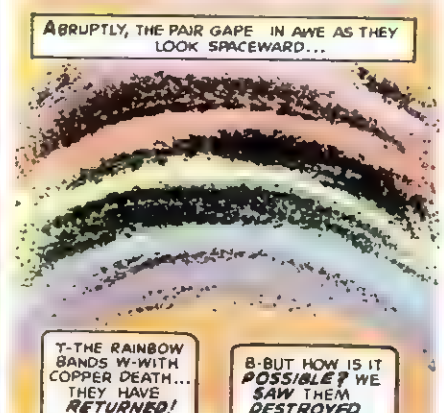
THE VISITOR SEEKS TO BLUFF US, JUSTIN I'

IT WILL NOT SAVE HIS LIFE, JUSTIN I'

WHAT I SAY CAN MOST CERTAINLY SAVE YOURS...



... OBSERVE FOR YOURSELVES... THERE IN THE HEAVENS ABOVE YOUR PLANET!



ABRUPTLY, THE PAIR GAPE IN AWE AS THEY LOOK SPACEWARD...

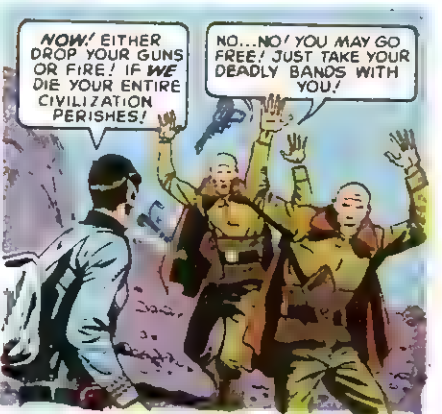
T-THE RAINBOW BANDS W-WITH COPPER DEATH... THEY HAVE RETURNED!

B-BUT HOW IS IT POSSIBLE? WE SAW THEM DESTROYED IN DEEP SPACE!



WH-WHAT IN THUNDER?

WHILE DESTROYING THE BANDS WE SOLVED THEIR SECRET! AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE WE CAN ENCIRCLE YOUR PLANET AGAIN WITH THEM!



NOW! EITHER DROP YOUR GUNS OR FIRE! IF WE DIE YOUR ENTIRE CIVILIZATION PERISHES!

NO... NO! YOU MAY GO FREE! JUST TAKE YOUR DEADLY BANDS WITH YOU!



MUST CLEAR THE ELECTRONIC FIELD FOR TRANSPORTING!

VERY WELL, JUSTINS. WE WILL ELIMINATE THE BANDS! BUT FIRST YOUR CRAFT MUST BE DISABLED TO KEEP YOU HERE!



HOWEVER SPOCK DID IT, I'D BEST FOLLOW THROUGH WITH HIM!

AND THEN YOUR SECRET WAR SUPPLIES MUST BE DESTROYED!



WE SHALL LEAVE A DETECTION DEVICE IN SPACE! SHOULD YOU WAR AGAIN THE DEATH BANDS RETURN FOREVER!

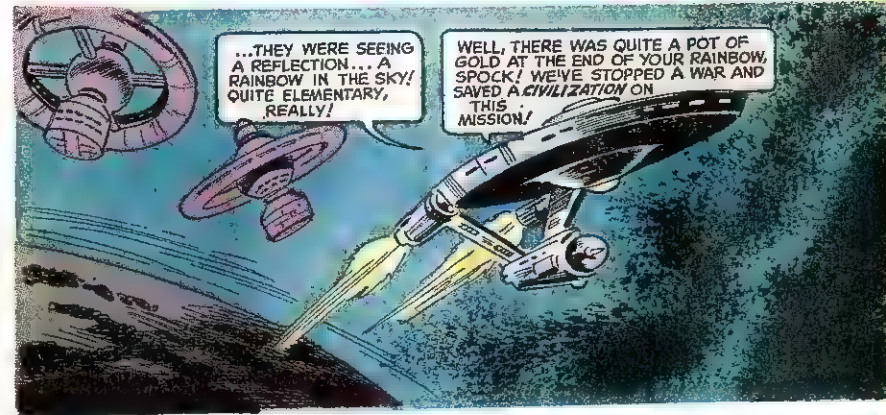
WHEW! SPOCK REALLY PULLED A RABBIT OUT OF THE HAT THIS TIME!



AND LATER...

THEY WERE TERRIFIED... THEY'LL CERTAINLY NEVER WAR AGAIN! BUT... HOW DID YOU RECREATE THOSE BANDS, SPOCK?

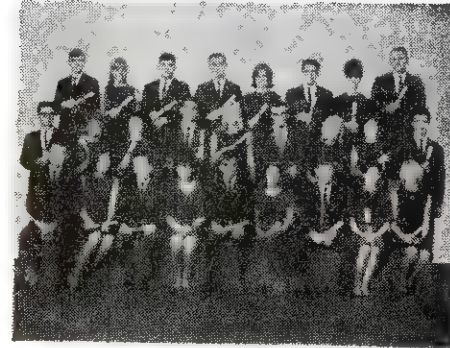
A MERE VISION, CAPTAIN KIRK! I HAD DR. MCCOY PLAY THE FILMS WE MADE OF THE OPERATION BACK INTO THEIR ATMOSPHERE!



...THEY WERE SEEING A REFLECTION... A RAINBOW IN THE SKY! QUITE ELEMENTARY, REALLY!

WELL, THERE WAS QUITE A POT OF GOLD AT THE END OF YOUR RAINBOW, SPOCK! WE'VE STOPPED A WAR AND SAVED A CIVILIZATION ON THIS MISSION!

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