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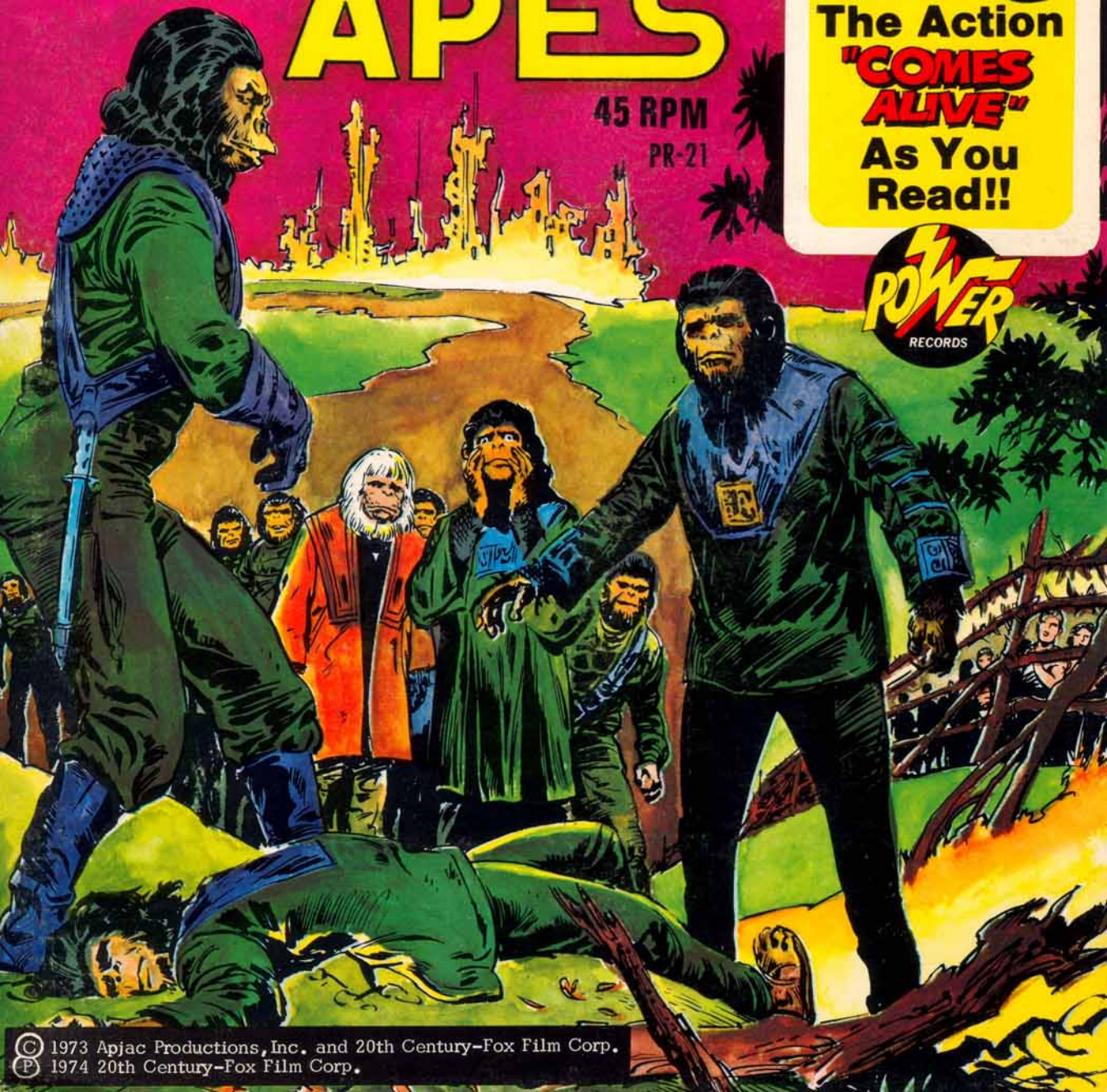
BATTLE FOR THE PLANET OF THE APES

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The Action
**"COMES
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RATTLE FOR THE PLANET OF THE APES

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THE YEAR IS 2670 A.D.
THE PLACE NORTH
AMERICA. IN A
CEREMONIAL SETTING
AN ANCIENT LANGIVER
BEGINS TO READ...

IN THE BEGINNING MAN AND
BEAST DWELT IN PEACE. IN TIME
EVIL MEN WAGED WAR BOTH
AGAINST THEIR OWN KIND AND
THE APES, WHOM THEY
PLACED IN SLAVERY...

THEN A LEADER
APPEARED TO
DELIVER HIS
FELLOW APES
TO FREEDOM.
MAN, IN THE
VILEST OF ALL
WARS, DESTROYED
HIS OWN CITIES
AND HIS
CIVILIZATION...

THE LEADER LIVED
THROUGH THE HOLOCAUST...
ALONG WITH A PRECIOUS
HANDFUL OF SURVIVORS. HE
BROUGHT THEM OUT OF THE
MOLTEN CITY TO GREENER
PASTURES, WHERE APE
AND HUMAN COULD
LEARN TO LIVE IN
HARMONY. HIS
NAME WAS CAESAR,
AND THIS IS HIS
STORY...



CAESAR, IN A FEW SHORT YEARS YOU HAVE CARVED A PARADISE OUT OF THE WILDERNESS.

PARADISE? THAT WOULD MEAN HAPPINESS FOR ALL, WOULD IT NOT?

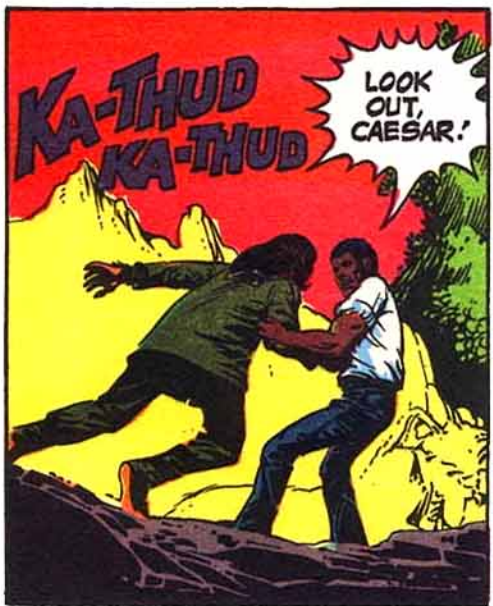


MACDONALD HAS APE PRIVILEGES, BUT THERE'S NO EQUALITY FOR US.

MAYBE YOU'RE NOT OLD ENOUGH TO REMEMBER HOW HUMANS USED TO TREAT THE APES.



I SENSE RESTLESSNESS AND DISCONTENT AMONG THE HUMANS, AND THE GORILLAS HAVE NO LIKING FOR PEACE AND ORDER.



KA-THUD KA-THUD

LOOK OUT, CAESAR!



HAIL, MIGHTY CAESAR!





FORGIVE ME, DEAR FRIEND. THE BURDENS OF LEADERSHIP ARE HEAVY. IF ONLY I COULD SEE WHAT LIES AHEAD.



I'VE HEARD THAT MY PARENTS KNEW THE FUTURE. DID YOU EVER HEAR THAT?



YOUR PARENTS ARE HALF LEGEND AND HALF MYTH, CAESAR. I'VE HEARD THAT THEY CAME FROM THE FUTURE IN A SPACESHIP THAT PASSED THROUGH A TIME WARP IN SPACE AND LANDED IN CALIFORNIA BACK IN 1973...

AND THAT MEN... CIVILIZED MEN... WERE SO FRIGHTENED BY TALKING APES...



EASY, CAESAR... WE'VE ALL PAID FOR OUR FOLLY...

... THAT THEY MURDERED THEM.



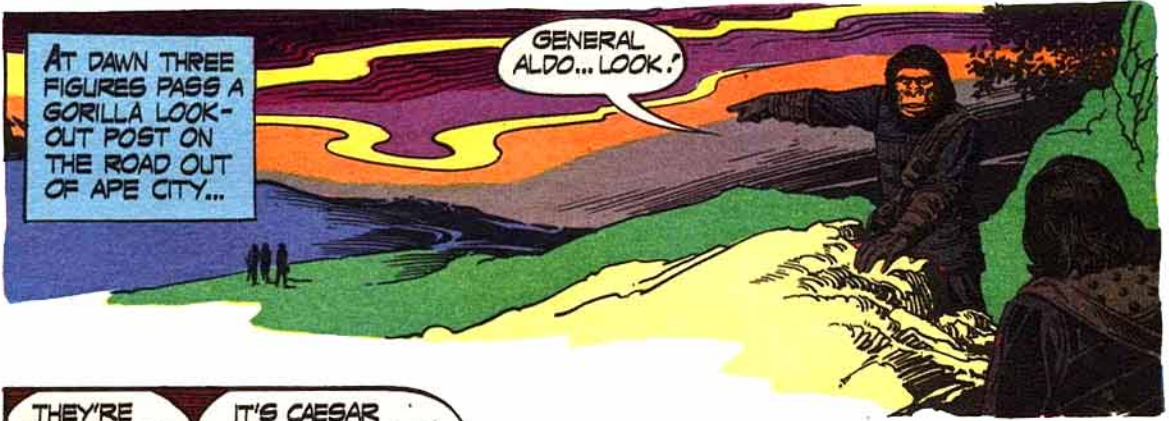
AGAIN FORGIVE MY EMOTIONS. I NEVER REALLY SAW MY PARENTS. THEY WERE SLAIN WHEN I WAS A BABY.

YOU MEAN YOU NEVER SAW THE VIDEOTAPES OF THEIR INTERVIEW AFTER THEY LANDED? THEY WERE IN THE ARCHIVES IN THE FORBIDDEN CITY...



MacDONALD! COULD THE TAPES STILL EXIST?

YOU CAN'T BE THINKING OF SEARCHING FOR THEM. YOU YOURSELF DECLARED IT A FORBIDDEN CITY, CAESAR!



AT DAWN THREE FIGURES PASS A GORILLA LOOK-OUT POST ON THE ROAD OUT OF APE CITY...

GENERAL ALDO... LOOK!



THEY'RE GOING TOWARD FORBIDDEN CITY!

IT'S CAESAR HIMSELF BREAKING CAESAR'S RULE! I HOPE HE NEVER MAKES IT BACK!

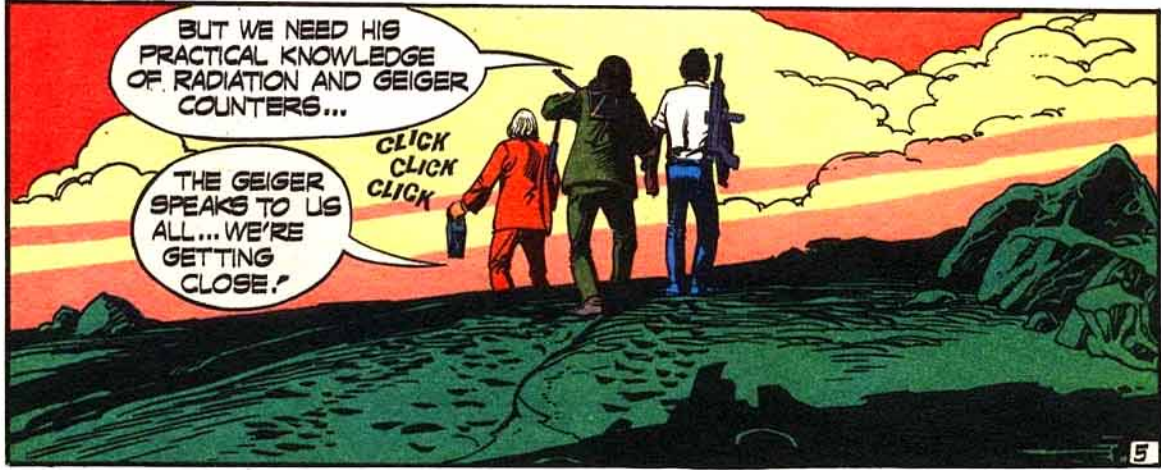
LOOK AT THOSE GUNS! THEY MAKE MY MOUTH WATER!



CAESAR, WHEN YOU MOVE YOU MOVE! YOU'VE COMMANDEERED WEAPONS AND A GEIGER COUNTER FROM THE ARMORY AND PROFESSOR VIRGIL FROM HIS CLASSROOM, AND WE'RE TWO DAYS INTO THE DESERT BEFORE MY EYES ARE FULLY OPEN!



VIRGIL'S STUDENTS NEED A REST FROM HIS FANCY THEORIES. HE TEACHES THAT TIME IS A CIRCLE AND ETERNITY A STRAIGHT LINE AND THEIR BRAINS TURN TO LEAD!

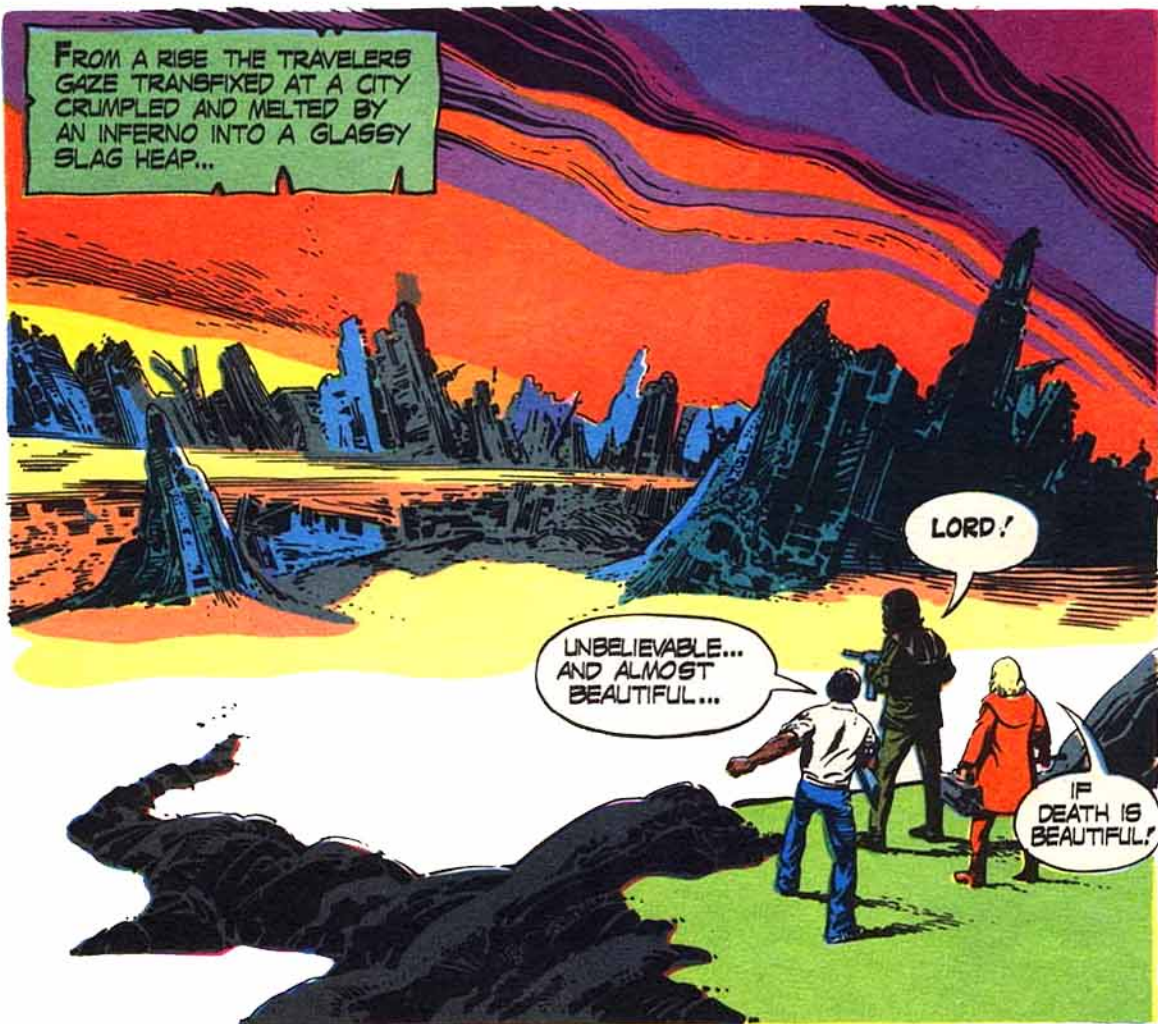


BUT WE NEED HIS PRACTICAL KNOWLEDGE OF RADIATION AND GEIGER COUNTERS...

THE GEIGER SPEAKS TO US ALL... WE'RE GETTING CLOSE!

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FROM A RISE THE TRAVELERS
GAZE TRANSFIXED AT A CITY
CRUMPLED AND MELTED BY
AN INFERNO INTO A GLASSY
SLAG HEAP...



LORD!

UNBELIEVABLE...
AND ALMOST
BEAUTIFUL...

IF
DEATH IS
BEAUTIFUL!



FIND YOUR
SUBTERRANEAN VAULT
QUICKLY, MacDONALD!
THIS RADIATION IS
DEADLY!

click
click
click



HURRY!
TELL
KOLP!