PLANT OF THE APES
AND DRACULA LIVES

SEE: MAN BATTLE KILLER APES IN--
The Laboratory Of DEATH!
FOLLOWING A TRIP FROM THE ISLE OF AVEODON AND A JOUST WITH A CHIMPANZEE WHO CALLS HIMSELF ROBIN HOOD, DEREK ZANE AND HIS NEW COMPANION FIND THEMSELVES ON THE MAINLAND, EMBROILED ON A DEADLY QUEST INTO THE DOMAIN OF THE APES OF GENERAL ZAYNOR, LITTLE REALISING THEY MUST FIRST...

EASY WITH THAT ROPE, ROBIN! I'M NOT REALLY YOUR PRISONER! THIS IS JUST AN ACT, REMEMBER...

...TO GET US INTO DR. CASSIUS' LABORATORY!

TRUE, FRIEND DEREK! STILL I MUST MAKE OUR ACT CONVINCING! AND IF THAT CAUSE YOU SUFFERING, SO BE IT!

YOU DON'T MISS A TRICK, DO YOU?

NO. SIR DEREK... I DO NOT?

STORY BY DOUG MOENCH
ART BY HERB TRIMPE, DAN ADKINS AND SAL TRAPANI
From riches to rags in twenty centuries flat, my mind dipped into the past again, further back this time... to the era in which I was born...

"The dreamless time I despised..."

There was my last meeting with Michele, in the outdoor cafe... realize now that you'll never buckle down, Derek...

"Never leave your personal cloud nine long enough to cope with reality..."

"Say goodbye."

Then the meeting at NASA, with Mr. High and Mighty Aringsten...

"Time machines? Hasslein's theories of dimensional machines and infinite regression! Do you take me for an idiot, Mr. Zane?"

"But I can find the four missing..."

OUT—GET OUT!

Then my initiation to this brave new world of 3775...

BLAM

Hunted—like an animal—by Gorokin and his gorilla thugs.

The final memory is the one which gizzles the most—the one I'll never forget, Gordon brutally murdering a fellow ape, merely to further his own power.

They were just like us...

And now, I was letting myself be dragged right into their midst—All to get four feet...from the time which abused and rejected me.

We live in separate worlds, Derek—I need a man I can respect. A man with a future. I need security, Derek, and that's why we must...

"Yeah, man... guess you're right."

The only way to save Taylor and the others—to keep well as my own sanity...

"We'll show in old buddy—we'll show 'em all!"

The last moments in the sleazy apartment, with my time machine...

Then the trip horrible and yet the only salvation...

Then my initiation to this brave new world of 3775...
On the other hand, I hated it... and more, feared it.

Robin said nothing as we entered this Weirsville, though he must have been awed—this being his first trip to the mainland...

"Though he did believe a little emotion when the gorilla thundered toward us..."

Where are you going with that human-scum-2?

To the pen for target practice?

No—'m taking this animal to the virology lab.

What—again?!

Those lousy chimp surgeons have all the specimens they need.

I don't care what they say—I say this human is going to be used for any other target practice.

On your guard, sir Derek!

Man, was he ugly!

And he looked more than a little mean...

You say—2 and who are you?

I almost groaned...
...because Saucy Robin really blew it that time.

WHO AM I???

Oh, of course, General Zaynor--I've heard much about you, but unfortunately I've never seen you before.

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN HIDING, FOOL??! I'M GENERAL ZAYNOR--AND I'VE BEEN THE GENERAL EVER SINCE THAT IDIOT GORDON DISAPPEARED WITH THE HUNDRED GORILLAS ON HIS FOLLY OF VENGEANCE!

YOU SEE, I'VE BEEN STUDYING IN A CITY TO THE EAST FOR SOME TIME NOW! BUT IN ANY CASE, I'M AFRAID THIS HUMAN MUST GO TO THE LABS--BY AUTHORITY OF DR. CASSIUS.

I AM CASSIUS AGAIN, EH?? VERY WELL--TAKE THE BEAST AWAY...

Robin's bluff worked. Cassius was still around, as I'd hoped...but out of spite and a sadist's disappointment.

--Zaynor clobbered me in the chops.

WOK!

--and it was return to blow it...

WHY YOU D--

WHAT?? Did you hear that??

This human spoke!!

OH, I DOUBT THAT VERY MUCH, GENERAL ZAYNOR, SIR. PROBABLY JUST A GROWL, HOWEVER, THERE IS SOME SLIGHT REASON TO BELIEVE THE HUMAN MIGHT BE CAPABLE OF SPEECH...

HMMM...

...and in view of that, I'm sure you'll understand Dr. Cassius' desire to study him.
I'd learned the location of the labs during my first visit to the city, and after I'd whispered directions to Robin...

Good morning, guard. Delivery for Dr. Cassius here...

I'm Dr. Cassius...

...but I ordered no delivery...

You see, Dr. Herkimer from the city to the east asked me to bring this particular specimen to you...

He has reason to believe the human may be intelligent -- and thought you might wish to study him.

Dr. Herkimer, funny I don't recall any doctor by that name -- never heard of a Herkimer.

Oh, but Herkimer has heard of you, Dr. Cassius, and who hasn't? Indeed, you're the most renowned animal surgeon in the world!

Strap the specimen onto the operating table over there...

My assistant, Pekides, will help you, should the beast put up a struggle.

Of course I am -- but I want the animal restrained while I do so. Now don't question my orders any further.

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I could tell Robin was worried...

Well, see you around...

...Doctor.

Operating table? But, uh... aren't you even going to, uh, test his intelligence first...?
WELL, WHAT DO YOU THINK, DR. CASSIL---SHALL WE USE THIS ONE FOR A LOBOTOMY EXPERIMENT?

I'M SURPRISED THEY DIDN'T HEAR ME GULP.

---OR ZAYNOR TAKES HER AWAY FROM US AND WE GET NOTHING.

NO, PLEXIDES---THIS IS ANOTHER SUPPOSEDLY "INTELLIGENT" HUMAN...

OH, THAT REMINDS ME, DOCTOR---ZAYNOR SAYS IF WE DON'T FINISH UP WITH OUR OTHER TALKING HUMAN, HE'S GOING TO GET CUSTODY ORDER FROM MAGISTRATE HASTUS.

ANOTHER TALKING HUMAN! THAT WAS BINGO NUMBER THREE!

BUT I'M NOT READY TO FINISH UP WITH THE BEAST---I WANT TO DO MORE TESTING!

NEVERTHELESS, EITHER WE FINISH TODAY AND GET SOME USE OUT OF THE ANIMAL---

A WOMAN---ZAYNOR IT COULDN'T BE ONE OF THE---

BUT THEN I REMEMBERED---THERE WAS A WOMAN AMONG THE FOUR ASTRONAUTS---STEWART, IF I REMEMBERED RIGHT...

FOR A MOMENT, I FLASHED ON THE JACKPOT AGAIN...BUT THEN, AS I WATCHED THE GIRL BRIGHTENED ANIMAL-LIKE ATTITUDE...

NO--HURT! NO HURT!! A DIT---SHE DOES SEEM TO POSSESS RUDIMENTARY INTELLIGENCE...

They were blunt, jagged, and rusty.

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No, I'm afraid the best we can do is remove her larynx---

...at least the ability to mimic our speech. Here, Dr. HASTUS---better strap her in while I get the SCALPELS...

HASTUS WOULD NEVER LISTEN TO OUR APPEALS. HE'S GONE OVER TO THE GORILLAS' SIDE---HE'S AFRAID OF THE GORILLAS. BUT US---WHO'D BE AFRAID OF PEACEFUL CHIMPANZEEES?

NO--HURT!

He moved the rusty thing toward her throat...
I CANNOT STAND IT.

NOOO!!

WHAT THE--??

THEY DROPPED IN EMBARRASSMENT AND SMUGLY
FORGOT ABOUT THE GIRL
... AS THEY MOVED TOWARD ME...

YOU CAN'T DO IT--
IT'S MURDER! IT'S
COLD-BLOODED MURDER!!

YOU ... YOU SPOKE--COHERENTLY
FORMED ENTIRE SENTENCES!

OF COURSE I DID--
AND YOU'VE GOT TO
LISTEN TO ME!

HUMANS ARE NOT BEASTS--
WE'RE JUST AS INTELLIGENT
AS YOU! AT ONE TIME, WE
WERE FAR MORE INTELLI-
GENT THAN APES.

YOU'VE GOT TO HELP
ME, DR. CASSIUS--YOU
SHOWED A SPARK OF
DUTY FOR THE GIRL, NOW
HAVE PITY ON OUR
WHOLE RACE!

--AND TEACH THE APE TO
STOP KILLING HUMANS.

THIS IS AMAZING,
PLEKIDES--QUIT A NOVELTY...

I DON'T KNOW WHO YOU ARE,
WHY YOU'RE HERE, OR HOW IT IS
YOU CAN REASON AND SPEAK--
BUT NO, I WILL NOT "HELP" YOU
THE GIRL IS A BEAST, AND I
HAVE NO PITY FOR BEASTS.

TO HELP YOU OR
HER WOULD CON-
STITUTE HERESY,
AND I'LL HAVE
NO PART OF IT.
IN FACT I'M
TEMMPTED TO
KILL YOU RIGHT...

AGHKK!!

DR. CASSIUS
HAD LIVED
BY THE
SCALPE...

SHUT UP AND
ANSWER ME, FOR
GODS SAKE,
WHY YOU HELP
ME OR NOT!!

SHE WAS MOVING CLOSER, A
JAGGED PIECE OF RUST IN
HER HAND...

But his assistant
was still alive...

FREE--FREE YOU!!

But thank
God Plokides
was too stunned
to move for a
moment--it
gave the girl
time to cut one
of my ankle
straps...
...and by the time he could move, and lunged at us --

CHUD!

--I kicked him out of the running.

FREE -- you must FREE

YOU said a MOUTHFUL, BABE -- that INTELLIGENCE must be in your genes.

MY name is ZANE, TOOTS -- ZANE -- and remember that, HONEY.

DON'T suppose you have a name, though...

NEVER MIND -- our FIRST concern is making it to the --

I used to play football.

SORRY to barge through, fellas...

...but us animals are kinda short on manners!

--Heard him with my own ears, HASTUS -- the HUMAN spoke... and CASSIUS is harboring him under false pretenses...

WE'LL soon see about that general ZAYNOR...

--door.

Uh oh.

THEN I remembered...

GUARDS!! S SOLDIERS!!!

ZAYNOR!!

SOMEbody capture them! capture the escaping humans...!!

WHAT a big-mouth -- guess he didn't like getting dumped on his butt...

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK!
D
one. The Task was done. I slid
shut the cover of the final,
massive leather tome, choking
on a cloud of dust, and looked over at
my carefully gathered pile of scrawled
notes. Done!

All that remained, I thought, was a
little organization, a little typing—
hardly anything at all. Oh, certainly
not a world-shaking piece of scholar-
ship, but something I’d enjoyed and
thought others would; a complete
glossary to the characters, places, events and items of the incredible
PLANET OF THE APES series. To
gather information I’d gone to every
source available. The movies, the
novelizations, the book adaptations
from the TV show, even the original
novel by Pierre Boulle, all of these had
been absorbed and studied.

Finally to make it really complete I
decided to incorporate Marvel’s own
Ape Masterpieces, like EVOLU-
TION’S NIGHTMARE and TERR-
ROR ON THE PLANET OF THE
APES. Which is where I hit the snag.

I mean, have you ever tried to keep
up an accurate listing of a world
when, no matter how fast you work,
Doug Moench is filling in the blank
spaces with his dazzling invention
even faster? It’s the stuff of nervous
breakdowns!

But no matter. Here, as up-to-date
as possible, is a mass of tidbits
extracted from a dozen different
sources, all set up in easy alphabetical
listing. Items which deal with the
actual production of the apes stories
will be set in italics: like this. So read
on and enjoy!

And say, what were the names of
the mutants who ran New York City
in BENEATH, anyway?

A
ABE: Teacher’s real name, from
BATTLE.
ACHILLES LIST: Governor Jason
Breck’s equivalent of the Nixon
“Enemies” List. This one had the
names and codes of all the apes in
his city ever reported for disobedi-
ence. From CONQUEST.

DR. ADRIAN: The name taken by Galen when he masqueraded to save Virdon's life in "The Surgeon" TV episode.

AKIN'S, CLAUDE: Well-known character actor. Donned appliances to play General Aldo in BATTLE.

ALAR: Virdon's false name, given by Galen to confuse the blind chimpanzee girl in "The Deception" TV episode.

ALBINA: The strikingly beautiful—on the surface—female member of the mutant council in BENEATH. (Well, that's one!)

ALDO: In ESCAPE, the name of the legendary ape revered as the first to say "no" to a human; in CONQUEST, Caesar's accomplice in revolt, a battered messenger Gorilla; in BATTLE, the fierce General Aldo, who broke the apes' most sacred law.

ALEXANDER: The young chimpanzee protagonist of Marvel's TERROR. Friend of the human Jason.

ALL-ANTIK: The Lawgiver's name for the mythical eastern ocean in Marvel's TERROR.

ALMA: Kolp's secretary and lover, a radiation-scared madwoman. From BATTLE.

ALPHA BOULEVARD: The street that Caesar's disorganized army of rebel apes used to enter the city in CONQUEST. Site of the first massacre.

ALPHA-OMEGA NUCLEAR DEVICE: "phttt* The end of everything. Aimed by Kolp in BATTLE and triggered, 2000 years later and three films earlier, in BENEATH.


PROFESSOR ANTELLE: The scientist who designed and guided a rocketship from Earth to another star, in original PLANET OF THE APES novel. He hated mankind and found what he wanted...

ANTO: Hotheaded eldest son of a country ape, from "The Good Seeds" TV episode. He got twice the bull he hoped for!

APE CITY: Name used in several times and several places for a town run by the uneasy ape tripartite.

APE MANAGEMENT: The organization that "trained" apes to be good, obedient slaves. From CONQUEST.

APE SUPREMACISTS: Organization of anti-human Gorillas operating like the Klu Klux Klan. From Marvel's TERROR.

ARCHIVES SECTION: The information vaults in the dead city that held tapes of Caesar's parents. Its address was an in-joke: located on Ackerman Street, with the correct vault numbered 48J. Long the signature of well-known SF & Horror authority Forrest J. Ackerman. BATTLE.

ARMANDO: Owner of "Armando's Sensational Circus" in ESCAPE, he hid the baby Milo and raised him in secrecy. By CONQUEST it was Armando's Old-Time Circus." He gave his life to try and protect Caesar.

ARN: Tomar's widow, used by Zaius to remind Virdon of his wife in "The Legacy" episode.

ASHER: Name of the human slave of Haman the Gorilla, whose cart was stolen by "Dr. Adrian" in "The Surgeon" TV episode.

ASHMEAD, GORDON: Surgeon Lt. Commander under "Snapper" Jarobi in ESCAPE. On board recovery ship that picked up the "ape-onaughts."

AUTHENTICATOR: Sophisticated truth device used by Kolp and Hossyns against Armando. CONQUEST.

AVALLONE, MICHAEL: Wrote novel adaptation of BENEATH THE PLANET OF THE APES.

AYRES, Llew: Played Mordus, Conscience of the Armory, in BATTLE.

B

BARGA: Gorilla officer at a country outpost. From "The Good Seeds" TV episode.

BARLOW: The prefect of Venta, in "The Horse Race" TV episode. After his actions the track will never be the same!

BATES, LARRY: The nasty and insulting NSA inquisitor, partner of Amalfi. ESCAPE.

BATTLE FOR THE PLANET OF THE APES: Fifth and final Apes film.

BE-ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR, and FIVE: The five-brained, five-voiced master of the mutants called The Inheritors in TERROR.
APES: Second (and in one way last) Ape film.
BURKE, PETE: Astronaut protagonist in TV series. More easy-going than Virdon, he has accepted their situation and wants to make the best of it.
BURKE: One of Anto’s two bull calves from “The Good Seeds” TV episode. Named after Pete Burke.

CAESAR: From the latin, “A King.” Caesar’s chosen name for himself. Born Milo, raised by a chimpanzee and Armando the Circus Owner, he led the first ape revolution and settled the first Ape City. His parents were from one of his possible futures. CONQUEST, BATTLE.
CAMP PENDLETON: Site of the interrogation of Cornelius and Zira by the NSA, ESCAPE.
CASPAY: The green-robed elder statesman member of the Mutant council that ran New York City in BENEATH. (See? One more! Stick with me and I promise the rest . . .)
CELA: The village that Barlow, prefect of Venta in “The Horse Race” TV show, met Galen in while ruling.
CENTRAL CITY: Name for major ape civilizations central areas in TV show.
DR. CHAMBERLAIN: The authoritarian and somewhat inefficient head of Ape Management. ESCAPE.
CHAMBERS, JOHN: Creator/designer of the famous makeups used in the Ape movies and many other films (most recently, the horror shocker PHANTOM OF THE PARADISE.)
CHARLES: Mrs. Riley’s gigolo. Or Good Friend, if you want to be complimentary. From one short bit in CONQUEST: (I told you this was a complete glossary. Now do you believe me?)
CHILLOT: a chimpanzee member of the Dragoons in “The Deception” TV episode.
CHIMPANZEE: The pacific and openly intellectual branch of simian evolution. Identifying color: green.
CLEON: General Urko’s aide in “The Surgeon” TV episode.
COLEMAN, BOOTH: Actor famous for, among other things, his Shakespearean roles. Played Orangutan in the Apes TV series.
COMMAND POST: The nerve centre of operations of Breck’s city. Caesar, Lisa, and Aldo all served there at one time or another. CONQUEST.
CORNEILIUS: A dedicated and visionary archaeologist, husband of Zira, and friend of the humans Taylor and Brent in PLANET and BENEATH. Escaped back in time to father his own race’s saviour. ESCAPE. Murdered at end of third film.
CORNEILIUS: The son of Caesar, by Lisa, and grandson of the original Cornelius. Foully murdered while still young by the hulking, dimwitted General Aldo. BATTLE.
CORRINGTON, JOHN WILLIAM AND JOYCE HOOPER: authors of screenplay for BATTLE, based on story by Paul Dehn.
CUMMINGS, BILL: Reporter sent to interview Cornelius and Zira for Men’s Hunting And Outdoors. He took no pelts. ESCAPE.
THE CURE: One of TV episodes fictionalized in paperback form. About a malaria attack in the human village of Trion.
DARDEN, SEVERIN: Actor who played the madman Kolp in BATTLE. His style was one of deliciously well-placed snorts. Decadent!
DATH: Barlow’s human side in “The Horse Race” TV episode.
THE DECEPTION: TV episode adapted to print by George Alec Effinger, and dealing with love and illusions and the thunder of menacing ape supremacists.
DEHN, PAUL: Writer for screen and stage who wrote story and screenplay for BENEATH, ESCAPE, CONQUEST, and the story for BATTLE. Most recently, he was nominated for the Academy Award for his screenplay of MURDER ON THE ORIENT EXPRESS.
DIXON, LEWIS: Doctor of Animal Psychiatry at LA Zoo in ESCAPE. Becomes member of the Presidential Commission of Inquiry and eventually, in friendship, tries to help Cornelius and Zira escape. Second human to be kissed by Zira. It gets easier every time. ESCAPE.
DOCTOR: The only name given for human female with medical training in Ape City at the time of BATTLE. On the side she cooks a fine rabbit—but make sure the shades are drawn!
DODGE: Astronaut, fellow member of Taylor’s crew. Captured in Gorilla charge, Dodge is stuffed and mounted because of his unique black coloration. From PLANET film.
DOOMSDAY BOMB: Taylor’s simpler name for the Alpha-Omega Device in BENEATH. Again, “phhht” — need I say more?
DOSWA: An orangutan, and one of the TV Zains’ most reknowned predecessors.
DRAGOONS: The militant, raiding ape supremacist band in “The Deception” TV episode.
DRONE ESS: Mutant drone sent along with Brutus by the Inheritor’s Gestalt Mind, to aid in capture of the fugitives. TERROR.
DURLIN: Tomar’s brother, who provides shelter for Arn and Kraik at
the end of “The Legacy” TV episode.

MISS DYKE: Secretary at the Central Communications desk in Ape Management. From CONQUEST.
Described as “lantern-jawed.”
(Try this one on the next trivia quiz you give a friend!)

E:

EBONY: The magazine. In ESCAPE, they sent reporter Joe Simpson who asked some difficult questions.
EFFINGER, GEORGE ALEC (“Piglet”): The writer of several science fiction novels and three Planet of the Apes TV adaptations: MAN THE FUGITIVE, ESCAPE TO TOMORROW, and JOURNEY INTO TERROR. Wrote several things for Mighty Marvel a few years ago, remember?
ESCAPE TO TOMORROW: 2nd volume of the Awards Books paperback TV adaptations, written by George Alec Effinger and containing “The Surgeon” and “The Deception.”
EVANS, MAURICE: Yet another astounding actor! Could it be something primal at work? Evans played Zatius in PLANET and BENEATH.
EVOLUTION’S NIGHTMARE: A lengthy scene from the earlier days of man/ape war, written by Moench and drawn by Hannigan for Marvel Comics.

F:

F-6 Here we are again at Planet of the Trivia. F-6 was the code designation for the corridor that Caesar, Virgil, and MacDonald “invaded” the dead city through. (Just ask the mathematician if you don’t believe me...)
BATTLE.
THE FAT MAN: Third of the mutant council in BENEATH. (Two to go!)
FAUNA: The blind chimpanzee, daughter of the murdered Sestus, who falls in love with Burke in “The Deception TV episode.
FIRST LAW: There are, really, two. For apes it is “APE SHALL NEVER KILL APE” and for humans, “HUMANS SHALL NEVER SAY NO TO AN APE.” Enforced by Caesar, and major elements of BATTLE.
FORBIDDEN ZONE: A term for radiation-disfigured lands throughout the Apes series. A Forbidden Zone can be desert or swamp, city or sea. It just has to be dead as well. (It would seem that each Forbidden Zone has to maintain a certain quota of mutants, also.

Study of this latter supposition isn’t finished yet, Doug?
FUR AND FEATHER: Name of the pet magazine that sent Jeanna Robbins to interview Zira in ESCAPE.

G:

GALEN: Chimpanzee outcast and companion of Virdon and Burke in the Apes TV series.
GERROLD, DAVID: Author of novelization of BATTLE FOR THE PLANET OF THE APES. He also served as an extra ape in the film. Writer of several science fiction novels, and scripts for STAR TREK.

“THE GOOD SEEDS”: One of the TV episodes fictionalized by Effinger. About back-country apes, agrarian progress, unreasoning prejudice, and an expectant cow. Really!
GORILLA: One of the major branches of simian evolution. Less intellec-
tual, more aggressive, warlike, unreasoning. Identifying color: black.
GORILLA CITY: General Aldo’s fanciful re-naming of Ape City after he drives off mutants in BATTLE, just before his own fall.
GRAPE JUICE PLUS: Zira’s name for champagne. From ESCAPE.
GRIMALDI: A volatile Gypsy chimpanzee from TERROR; dancing partner for Malaguenia, jealous enemy for Jason, sitting duck for Brutus.
GUNPOWDER JULIUS: From TERR-
OR. In his own words: I’m Gunpowder Julius—the meanest, maddest, ornierest, toughest, fight-in’est, twice-cussed-on-sunday, bar-grinnin’, polecat axin’, barehanded tree-choppin’, raccoon-wrasslin’, son-of-a-mountain-aperiverboat runner you’ve ever seen...” And I, for one, won’t argue.
HAMILTON, RAYMOND: Major General USAF, divisional commander of SAC at opening of ESCAPE: Called upon to decide if this strange vehicle is the opening shot in a nuclear war.

HAMMER, ROBERT: Author of TV episode entitled “The Legacy.”

HANSON CLINIC: the clinic in which Dr. Walter Mather, whose book was to save Virdon’s life so many centuries later, worked in the 20th Century. From “The Surgeon” TV episode.

HANSON POINT: The climactic location of “The Deception” TV episode. It was known to Burke and Virdon from their having trained there in their own time.

HARISTAS: In Boule’s novel the ape who, centuries before, had set up the dogma that was still faithfully perpetrated in Orangutan teaching.

HARPER, RON: Actor playing the role of Alan Virdon in Apes TV series.

HARRISON, LINDA: Actress who so nobly filled Nova’s skanty skins in PLANET and BENEATH.

HARTLEY: Lt. Commander under “Snapper” Jardin, in ESCAPE.

HARTLEY, RADAK: Also from ESCAPE. Doctor of Zoology and titular chairman of the Presidential Commission of Inquiry.

HASKINS, JIM: Student worker at LA Zoo who first notices odd behavior of Cornelius, Zira, and Milo. ESCAPE.

HASSLEIN, VICTOR: Doctor of Physics, and theoretician the Hasslein Time Curve was named after. His fear of Cornelius and Zira motivates him to suspect and, eventually, destroy them. His murder of Zira was avenged when Cornelius shot him a moment later, just before that chimpanzee’s own death. ESCAPE.

HECTOR: The pet chimpanzee carried along for the journey in Boule’s PLANET novel. It is strangled to death by Nova, of all people.

HELIUS: In Boule’s novel again. The young chimp genius heading up the Institute’s Encephalic Studies.

HELOISE: The female chimpanzee who served as baby Milo’s temporary mother in Armando’s circus. ESCAPE.

HESTON, CHARLTON: Well-known actor and Messiah-Figure-About-Town. Played the astronaut Taylor in PLANET and BENEATH.

HONORIUS: Deputy Minister of Justice in the prosecution of Taylor in PLANET.

HOSKYNS, INSPECTOR: The lean and emotionally-cool working partner of Kolp in State Security, under the administration of Governor Breck. From CONQUEST.

HOUSTON, TEXAS: Alan Virdon’s home.

HUNTER, KIM: Actress who played Zira in first three Apes films. Her “ape-ups” were perhaps the most astounding of all.

HUSTON, JOHN: Better known for his roles behind the cameras as a director, Huston sat in the makeup chair long enough to play the role of Lawgiver in a framing sequence in BATTLE.

INDONESIA: Nation from which came shipment of wild orangutans that Caesar hid himself among and thus entered ape Management with CONQUEST.

THE INHERITORS: Self-styled title for the colony of mutant drones and their leader, the Five-Brain-Gestalt-Mind, in Marvel’s TERROR.

INTA: Chief assistant to Zoran, Chief Medical Officer of the Supreme Council in “The Cure,” one of the TV series episodes.

JACKSON COUNTY: The area of Texas in which astronaut Alan Virdon was raised. Near Houston.

JACOBS, ARTHUR P.: Producer of the now world-famous Planet of the Apes movie series.

JACK: The young human who inadvertently insults General Aldo in early scenes of BATTLE.

JAKES, JOHN: Author of the novelization of CONQUEST. Also creator of BRAD THE BARBARIAN, a sword-and-sorcery character who can be seen occasionally in one of Marvel’s own titanic magazines!

JARDIN, GEORGE “SNAPPER”: Admiral in US Navy, commander of recovery crew that picks up Cornelius, Zira and Milo when they land on Earth. ESCAPE.

JASCO: Virdon, Burke and Galen’s human friend in “The Deception” TV episode who is killed by the dread Ape Dragoons.

JASON: Human hero of TERROR, friend of the chimpanzee Alexander. A youth with a great deal of strength and a great deal of anger, trying to find a place for himself in a universe where the cards have been stacked—by his own kind.

JILLIA: Daughter of the country farming ape Alar, she helps tend to Galen’s injured leg in “The Good Seeds.” She grows extremely fond of the outcast chimp.

JIMMY: The name of Cornelius’s young human playmate. BATTLE.

JINN: Poet and wandering spacefarer, husband of Phyllis, from the farming sequence of Pierre Boule’s PLANET OF THE APES novel.
JOLLY'S: The bookstore in which Caesar first meets Lisa, his future wife. CONQUEST.
JOURNEY INTO TERROR: Title of the third volume of George Alec Effinger TV episode adaptations, containing "The Legacy" and "The Horse Race.
JOVAN: The black human survivor of a great war on the outskirts of the Forbidden Zone, from Marvel's "Evolution's Nightmare." Forced to join forces with a gorilla survivor whose arms do not function.

K
KAVA: Gorilla who almost dies of malaria but is cured by Virdon's quinine solution. From "The Cure," TV episode.
KINGDOM ON AN ISLAND OF THE APES: A special original story for Marvel written by Doug Moench and brought to visual life by Rick Hoberg.
KIRA: Doctor Kira, to you. . . Galen's one-time flame, and a surgeon in the Central City hospital. She saves Virdon from death by a bullet wound and expands her consciousness about humans and apes in "The Surgeon" TV episode.
KRAIK: The boy who betrays Virdon to General Urko in "The Legacy" TV episode.
KRONO: One of the gorillas who urged the crowd at Lucien's funeral to rise and kill all humans; later, a member of the Dragonmen. From "The Deception."
KOLP: Chief Inspector of State Security under Governor Breck in CONQUEST. By the time of BATTLE he has become leader of what remains of the city population; hopelessly scarred and maddened by the cumulative effects of radiation, he mounts a final attack on Ape City and dies in it. BATTLE.

L
LAFER: One of the human survivors of the hospital in "The Surgeon" TV episode. He and Burke fight over Lafer's right to be the nameless girl.
LANDON: One of the four astronauts first launched from Earth. He survives crashing on the Planet of the Apes but is injured in Gorilla attack and later lobotomized at Zaius' command.
LAKSO, EDWARD, J.: Author of the TV teleplay for "The Cure."
LAWGIVER: A title of authority in ape society, given to only the holder of one specific and powerful office. The first Lawgiver is embroiled in the trickery of Brutus in Marvel's TERROR, but much later in ape history another surveys the degeneration of mankind and writes the highly damning Sacred Scrolls.
LAWRENCE, ANTHONY: The author, along with Ken Spears and Joe Ruby, of "The Deception" TV episode.
LEANDER: Administrative chief of the hospital in "The Surgeon" TV episode. Though not convinced, fully, he saves Virdon's life by keeping him from the investigating gorilla force.
THE LEGACY: One of the TV episodes, this one written by Robert Hammer. In it the three fugitives get their first taste of the hidden scientific caches.
LENARD, MARK: Actor who plays General Urko in TV series. Previously best-known for his role as Sarek, father of Mr. Spock, in STAR TREK.
LENSKI, ROBERT W.: Author of the teleplay "The Good Seeds."
LEVAIN, ARTHUR: The young physician brought as one of the three members of the expedition in Boule's PLANET novel. He loses his head and falls to the hunter's guns quickly, but his death allows Merou a chance to escape. Female ape strikes a pose sitting on his corpse for a chimp photographer.
LEWIS, DAVID P.: Author, with Booker Bradshaw, of the TV episode entitled "The Horse Race."
LISA: Mrs. Riley's servant chimpanzee in CONQUEST. Her intelligence and beauty capture Caesar's eye. Later she marries him, and "bears" Cornelius, a son. BATTLE.
LOS ANGELES ZOO: All the comforts of home, including a murderous Gorilla in the next cage. Cornelius, Zira and Milo are kept there in beginning of ESCAPE.
LUCIAN: Father of Fauna, victim of Zon. He was a thoughtful chimpanzee who trusted mankind instead of fearing or enslaving them. From "The Deception" TV episode.
LUCIUS: Zira's nephew, a young and intelligent chimpanzee. PLANET.
LUPUK: Country Gorilla-officer who sights Virdon and Burke at Polar's farm in "The Good Seeds" TV episode.

M
MACDONALD: Governor Breck's number one assistant in CONQUEST. He sympathizes with Caesar and aids him, and in return is spared during the revolution.
MACDONALD: Brother of the previous MacDonald. After the war, which apparently the first did not survive, this MacDonald became Chief Human Advisor to Caesar. (The whole family runs like that, I swear.) BATTLE.
CARDINAL MacPHerson: Jesuit Prelate on the Presidential Inquiry Commission in ESCAPE.
McDOWELL, RODDY: A man who has acted in just about every possible medium, most famous for variations on a role that he has played over a seven year period: CORNELIUS in PLANET and ESCAPE, CAESAR in CONQUEST and BATTLE, and now GALEN on the TV series.
MACOR: Krono's fellow gorilla rambler and Dragon member, from "The Deception."
MALAGUENA: A beautiful gypsy girl, human, from TERROR. She wears no obvious pigtails but for Jason the cost of a smile was very nearly death!
MAMA LENA: The wizen and wiley matriarchal leader of the Gypsy encampment, from TERROR. A chimpanzee named DORMER.
MAN THE FUGITIVE: Title of published fictionalization of two Apes TV episodes; "The Cure" and "The Good Seeds." Done remarkably well by George Alec Effinger and published by Award Books.
MANDEMUS: Fund of rambling philosophical discussions of the afterlife, the orangutan serving as the " conscience" for Caesar's armory. BATTLE.
MARCUS: Gorilla aide to Dr. Zaius at end of PLANET.
MARTIN: The blacksmith human in the village of Venta, whose son Gregor's life was imperiled when the son rode for serum to save Galen's life. From "The Horse Race" TV episode.
MARY LYNN: Name of the president's secretary in ESCAPE.
MASON: The human who tells Burke, Virdon, and Galen of the malarial plague in Trion. From "The Cure"
TV episode.

MATHER, WALTER: The Doctor whose book, PRINCIPLES OF SURGERY, survived the ages to help Virdon survive for a few more episodes. In the 20th Century he was a famous man working out of the Hanson Clinic.

MAX: One of the officers beating on Aldo in front of the Civic Centre. This is the cruelty that forces Caesar to speak out and put his life in jeopardy. CONQUEST.


SARGEANT MIESSNER: Aide to Hasslein in ESCAPE, and the actual killer of Cornelius.

MEN'S HUNTING AND OUTDOORS: Magazine represented by reporter Bill Cummings in ESCAPE.

MENDEZ: Kolp's security chief in BATTLE. He favors leaving the apes alone, but is unheeded by the madman. After Kolp is dead he takes over what is left of the city.

MENDEZ XXVI: The mutant descendent of the first Mendez. Phisically maimed by radiation damage but mentally superhuman. Leader of the city in BENEATH.

MEROU, ULYSSE: The young journalist who accompanied Antelle and Levin to the giant red sun, Betelgeuse. Boule's novel of PLANET. His first-person journal, making up the bulk of the book, is floating idly through interstellar space in a cheap glass bottle, looking for a publisher.

MI: An honorific in the ape language, as in "Mi Zaius." From the Boule novel.

MIKKO: Young chimpanzee in BATTLE.

DR. MILO: The chimpanzee physicist who found Taylor's ship clandestinely and managed to get himself, Cornelius and Zira into orbit with it. In the nick of time. Behind them: *phht* ESCAPE. (Unfortunately for Milo not all the Mad Gorillas are in the future.)

BABY MILO: Name given her son by Zira. Baby hidden in the safekeeping of Armando and a chimp named Heloise. ESCAPE.

MINISTRY OF SCIENCE: The institution holding Taylor captive in PLANET film.

MONTALBAN, RICARDO: Famous actor whose roles often have names ending in "o." Funny thing about that. Played Armando in both ESCAPE and CONQUEST.

MORDECAI: The part-sap, part-human hermit living in the hills some twelve miles north of San Francisco. His philosophy changed two lives in Marvel's "Evolution's Nightmare."

MORGAN: An aide of Governor Breck in CONQUEST and the compiler of the CHIRON'S LIST.

MORRIS: Caesar's handler in preliminary conditioning at Ape Management. A human with more kindness than most. Caesar is unable to save him in time during the revolt. CONQUEST.

MURRAY, DON: Actor who played the part of Governor Breck in CONQUEST.

MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY: In Los Angeles. Site used by Dr. Hasslein to burn Zira off her guard during a seemingly casual questioning. ESCAPE.

MUTANT: A distorted creature, marred by the radiation levels remaining after nuclear war. Some are bestial and some are brainy. They generally live in Forbidden Zones and do not seem to be very nice. (Which describes a fair amount of the staff here, come to think of it.)

N

NSA: National Security Agency. The organization Dr. Hasslein calls in to interrogate Cornelius and Zira. ESCAPE.

NATIONWIDE EMPLOYMENT INC., CIVIC CENTRE BRANCH: The offices in front of which the gorilla Aldo was beaten. CONQUEST.

NAUGHTON, JAMES: Actor who played Pete Burke, astronaut, in TV series.

NEESA: The first and only ape, one of Urko's gorillas, to die from malaria in the epidemic at Trion. From "The Cure."

THE NEGRO: The last member of the mutant council in BENEATH (at last!) and its enforcer. This mutant caused the pain felt by Brent and forced him to fight a death-duel with Taylor.

NEW JERSEY: The birthplace and home of young Pete Burke.

NEW YORK CITY: Home of the mutants in BENEATH and largest major ruins near the Ape City that PLANET and BENEATH deal with. (The Marvel offices are there too, but we don't worship bombs. Just paycheck day.)

NEW TERRITORY: One of the regions surrounding Ape-controlled lands that Urko thinks the fugitives might have escaped into in the course of "The Surgeon" TV episode.

"NO!" Virgil called it the negative imperative. The word that man conditioned apes to cower and/or dissemble at CONQUEST. See the "First Law."

NORTH MOUNTAINS: Another of the suspect areas, like the New Territory mentioned above.

NOVA: The love interest of Merou in the book and Taylor in the film; a mute and stupid but physically perfect specimen of homo sapiens female. In her contact with rational humans in either medium she made tremendous learning progress. Not just another pretty face at all, she too was instrumental in the destruction of the world. PLANET and BENEATH.

O

O: Virdon's bloodtype, from "The Surgeon" TV episode.

OAKLAND SCIENCE CENTER: The building whose gutted remains hold the holographic projector discovered by the fugitive in "The Legacy." One of many caches around the country of scientific information left by an earlier day. ORANGUTAN: The third branch of simian evolution, towards a conservative mode of thought with extremely developed memory and a distrust of the radically new. Identifying color: tan.

ORINGER, BARRY: Author of "The Surgeon" TV episode, in which two more influential converts — and friends — are gained among the apes.

ORNAN PERIOD: Period of southwestern Ape Culture's history in which a plague ravaged several outlying areas of humans.

MAJOR OSGOOD: One of Dr. Hasslein's aids in the search for the fugitive apes. ESCAPE.

P

S.S. PACIFICA: A ship of Atomic General Lines, and the carrier for the load of orangutans that Caesar had stowed in CONQUEST.

PAG: Name quickly given to Burke by Galen when the deception of blind chimpanzee girl Fauna occurs (mostly by accident) in "Deception" TV episode. It is under that name that Fauna falls in love with Burke.

PEGLEG PYTHAGORAS: Gunpowder Julius' last real opponent before Brutus in Marvel's TERROR.

PERDIX: The local gorilla constable in "The Deception." Uneasy ally — in both directions! — of the fugitives in their bid to uncover and smash the Dragoon ring.

THE PET MEMORIAL: Statue in the city of CONQUEST memorializing the death of all dogs and cats in the Plague of 1982. The idealized representations are labeled "Rover" and "Tabby."

PHEOBUS: The name Galen adopts for himself for his several levels of acting in "The Deception" TV
ROBBINS, JEANNA: Reporter for \textit{Pur and Feather} magazine in \textit{ESCAPE}. She thought Zira was "an absolute nut", but the vote isn’t in on how she meant it.

S

SAC: Strategic Air Command

SACRED SCROLLS: The formal laws written down by an orangutan in the office of Lawgiver in approximately 2700. They aren’t very complimentary to humans, but then, the humans of that time did deserve many compliments.

SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI: Baby Milo’s patron saint, by proclamation of Armaud at the end of \textit{ESCAPE}.

SAN SIMIAN SENTINEL: Somewhat embarrassing promotional 4-page newspaper distributed free to first-run viewers of \textit{BATTLE}.

SARABAND: The tall, smiling gypsy who was born across the sea and who gave his life to destroy one of the engorged mutant brains in \textit{Marvel’s TERROR}. A young ward, Trippo, survives him.

SCHAFFNER, FRANKLIN: Director of \textit{PLANET OF THE APES} movie.

STERLING, ROD: Famous creator of \textit{TWILIGHT ZONE} and \textit{NIGHT GALLERY}, he co-authored \textit{PLANET} film.

SERVICE LEVELS SECTOR GAMMA 9-11: The underground maintenance corridors in which Caesar made his escape from initial pursuit. \textit{CONQUEST}.

SESTUS: Fauna’s uncle, Lucian’s brother, from “The Deception.” A chimpanzee, he becomes embroiled in the Dragoons and only later realizes the error of his silence.

SHAGGY: A mute man/ape mutation, murdered by Brutus when a shot meant for Jason went awry. From \textit{TERROR}.

SHIPMENT FIVE-OH-SEVEN I-FOR-INDONESIA EX BORNEO: official code designation for truckload of wild orangutans Caesar hid in. (And thus entered Ape Management by accident) \textit{CONQUEST}.

SIMIAN: Name of Gunpowder Julius’ keelboat, from \textit{TERROR}. As a general term it means "of or pertaining to apes.”

SIMPSON, JOE: The reporter sent by \textit{Ebony} to interview the apes from the future in \textit{ESCAPE}.

SIRIUS: In most places, the name of a star. But in the novel by Pierre Boule he name given the son of Ulysses Merou and Nova.

SIZZLE-WEAPON: Alex and Jason’s phrase for the mutant blasters — and a very picturesque (and accurate!) phrase it is, too.

SKIPPER: The only name we have for Brent’s fellow astronaut, who dies in their crashlanding in \textit{BEYOND}. (If this rash of accidents ever gets back to the Insurance people, astronaut rates will zoom sharply.)

SOLomon: The huge Gorilla warrior who survives the battle but loses usage of his arms, in Marvel’s “evolution’s Nightmare.”

SONIC DETERRENT: The Mutant name for when they blast your brains with non-existent sound. Not friendly but quite efficient, it’s from \textit{BENEATH}.

SOROR: Latin for “sister.” The name given the second planet of Betelgeuse, where Merou and his companions land in Boule’s novel, because of its generally earth-like qualities.

STATE SECURITY: Official security organization under Governor Breck. \textit{CONQUEST}.

STATION M: Special emergency scrambled code telephone line. \textit{CONQUEST}.

STEELY DAN: See listing for “Gunpowder Julius,” substitute “man” for “ape” and you’ve got him. He’s Julius’ best friend, too. From \textit{TERROR}.

STEWART: The sole woman astronaut in Taylor’s mission. She died when her cryo-capsule leaked in flight. \textit{PLANET}.

DR. STOLE: Dr. Leander’s assistant, and a bright and able chimpanzee surgeon in his own right, from “The Surgeon” \textit{TV} episode.

STOKER, AUSTIN: Actor who played MacDonald in \textit{BATTLE}.

THE STORY OF SERVANT’S LIB: by Herbert Sempouse. The book obtained by accident (?) by orangutan in Jolly’s Bookshop when Lisa’s mistress actually requested “A Young Queen Falls.” Cheap but effective symbolism. \textit{CONQUEST}.

STRIPEKE, DAN: Twentieth-Century Fox’s makeup chief for...
Apes TV series
SUPREME COUNCIL OF ELDERS: The ruling organization in the southwestern Apes world at the time of the TV series. Two major factions exist, headed by Dr. Zaius and General Urko.

T
TALBERT, AMY: Daughter of the first human to die in Tron's malaria outbreak; and also, human whom Alan Virdon has confided the truth to, jeopardizing himself and his friends in "The Cure" TV episode.
TALBERT: Her father. The first dead; and not the last, before a cure is found.
TAYLOR: Misanthropic astronaut who crashlands on what he thinks is an alien world in PLANET. In BENEATH it is his hand that rings down the final nuclear curtain. (With a little help from his friends and enemies.)
TAYLOR, DON: Director of ESCAPE.
TEACHER: Human who runs the ape/human school in the early days of the first Ape City. Actually named Abe. He accidentally breaks First Law and is saved only at the last minute by Caesar. BATTLE.
TERROR ON THE PLANET OF THE APES: Marvel's original storyline of apes and humans in a world they never made.
THOMPSON, J. LEE: Director of CONQUEST and BATTLE.
TIGER SCORPION: Odd little beast from "The Horse Race" TV episode who makes a off-screen appearance and then later uses a wooden stand-in. It bites, not stings, which is certainly odd for a scorpion.
TOMAR: Arn's dead husband, and a good man reminiscent to her of Virdon. From "The Legacy" TV episode.
TRAVIN: The head of the human compound near the Central City Hospital in "The Surgeon." It is his daughter who is nameless and cast out because of superstition about her "bad blood."
TRION: Human village on the outskirts of Southwestern Ape Civilization. Location of a malarial outbreak and the events of "The Cure" TV episode.
TRIPPO: Saraband's odd little chimp sidekick, from Marvel's TERROR.
TRUNDY, NATALIE: Actress who played Lisa, Caesar's wife, in BATTLE.
TUSAN: Urko's prime racehorse, ridden by Kagan against Virdon on Woda in "The Horse Race" TV episode.
TWENTIETH - CENTURY FOX: Studio which produced the five apes films and the TV series. Also, the title of a hit song by the Doors some years back. (No, it doesn't have anything to do with PLANET OF THE APES. But it was a nice song, wasn't it?)

U
GENERAL URKO: Head of the Gorilla Army of Southwestern Ape Civilization, and a major character in the TV series.
GENERAL URSUS: The military leader of Ape City in BENEATH, possessed of an insane vision of conquest.

V
VAN THAL: The couple who purchased the ape offered for sale just before Caesar was put on the block in CONQUEST.
VENTA: The village in which the events of "The Horse Race" take place.
VIRDON, ALAN: Astronaut lost on what he considers a mad world, with only one purpose: to return to his proper home in space and time. He is accompanied by fellow astronaut Burke and chimpanzee friend Galen.
VIRDON: Name given one of Anto's two bull-calves after Virdon arranged a safe delivery, in "The Good Seeds" TV episode. Chalk one up for the farmboy astronaut! (Better get, chalk two.)
VIRDON, CHRIS: Virdon's son, still back in the 20th century.
VIRGIL: The young orangutan who, in Caesar's words, "knows everything about everything." From BATTLE.
VISUAL DETERRENT: The term used by the mutants of BENEATH for their projected hallucinations.

W
WARKO: Brutus' first lieutenant in Ape Supremecia. Temporary ally of Jason and Alexander in the Mutant's monster pit. From TERROR.
WILLIAMS, PAUL: "Singing and composing song as described as a "corrupted and erotic teddy bear." Played the intellectual Virgil to great effect in BATTLE.
WILSON, MIKE: Co-author of first Ape movie screenplay.
WILSON, RAYMOND: Doctor, and naturalist specializing in the great apes. Member of the Inquiry Commission. ESCAPE.

X
XAVIER: Lawgiver's ineffectual brother orangutan, left in charge of the Council when Brutus lures Lawgiver out of the city. From TERROR.
XIRINUS: Another gorilla aide of Dr. Zaius at the end of PLANET.

Y
SENATOR YANCY: Member of the Armed Forces Committee and part of the Investigatory Commission in ESCAPE.

Z
DR. ZAIUS: Head of the council and one faction within it during the TV series, which is set in a southwestern Ape Civilization.
DR. ZAIUS: Some nine hundred years and three thousand miles away, this Zaius was head of Institute and Taylor’s chief obstacle to survival in the PLANET movie. (He was also a character in The Boule novel; an orangutan of singular cunning with an utter inability to believe in anything new. And once more, the main enemy of the astronaut figure, who was Yusses Merou.)
ZANAM: One of Merou’s friendly gorillas in the Boule novel.
ZANTES: Wife of Pola the farmape. Raised in the city, she puts aside her prejudice more easily and aids the astronauts in Galen in "The Good Seeds."
ZEKE: Drunken, illiterate hobo who was Dr. Hasslein’s clue to the location of Zira and Cornelius at the end of ESCAPE. The world turns on the most unlikely wheels, sometimes...
ZELDA: The chimp owned by Mr. Phyllis and employed in his hairdressing shop in CONQUEST.
ZENA: Brutus' wife in TERROR. Murdered by Brutus when she threatens to expose him as leader of the Ape Supremecists. Brutus then lays the blame on Jason and a series is begun...
ZIRA: A psychiatrist and experimenter in the Ape City of 3975. Wife of Cornelius, and eventually mother of Milo/ Caesar, she is the first to discover that Taylor is more than he seems. A main character in PLANET, BENEATH, and ESCAPE. Her words make a cameo appearance in BATTLE. (In the Boule novel she has the same role in relation to Merou but is only the fiancée of Cornelius. But, unlike the Zira of the movies, she never can manage to kiss a human being. [Mais oui, forbidden passion!]
ZORAN: The Chief Medical Officer of the Supreme Council of Apes in the TV series. He tries to use his ridiculous theories to cure the plague in "The Cure" and ends up learning a trick or fourteen.
IT'S A STUNT... IT MUST BE. HUMANS DON'T WRITE...

DEAR, YOU'RE A SCIENTIST... AND YOU KNOW THAT THE FOUNDATIONS OF SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLE LIE IN OBSERVATION...

LOOK AT HIM... HE'S WRITING. OR DON'T YOU BELIEVE YOUR OWN EYES?

WHERE DID YOU LEARN TO DO THIS... TO WRITE?

JEFFERSON PUBLIC SCHOOL
FORT WAYNE INDIANA
AND I SUPPOSE THIS "JEFFERSON PUBLIC SCHOOL" IS BACK ON THAT PLANET HE CLAIMS TO COME FROM...

I CONCEDE HE MAY BE ABNORMALY INTELLIGENT, ZIRA, BUT HE'S ALSO MAD.

I'M BEGINNING TO THINK HE'S A MARVELOUS JUDGE OF CHARACTER, CORNELIUS.

AND, YOU'RE A FOOL!

NOW JUST A MINUTE--

OH, CORNELIUS, BE QUIET.

QUIET? YOU LISTEN TO THIS... THIS HUMAN WHO NOT ONLY CLAIMS TO BE INTELLIGENT, BUT WHO CLAIMS THERE WERE TWO OTHERS AS INTELLIGENT AS HIM... AND THAT THEY ALL JUST FELL OUT OF THE SKY... AND THEN YOU TELL ME TO BE...

CORNELIUS-- HE'S WRITING SOMETHING ELSE.

FLIGHT IS A SCIENTIFIC IMPOSSIBILITY.

IT SAYS, 'NOT FELL-- FLEW!'

YES-- AND EVEN IF IT WEREN'T-- WHY FLY? WHERE WOULD IT GET YOU--?
YES--HERE, HE'S TRYING TO DEMONSTRATE TO US THAT FLIGHT GOT HIM HERE, CORNELIUS! AND HE'S DONE IT MOST INGENIOUSLY, DON'T YOU THINK?

WELL, NOW ZIRA, I DON'T THINK WE SHOULD JUMP TO...

HUSH, CORNELIUS--AND PULL DOWN THE MAP.
I THINK HE WANTS TO SHOW US WHERE HE AND HIS TWO COMPANIONS FELL TO OUR WORLD...

OH, REALLY, ZIRA... THIS IS QUITE INSANE...

DO YOU HAVE MAPS?

QUIT INSANE INDEED.
NO, IT'S NOT INSANE, CORNELIUS. HE'S POINTING TO THAT LAKE...

OUT-OF-THE-QUESTION.

SAVANNA
APE CIVILIZATIONS
DESERT
THE FORBIDDEN ZONE
DESERT

HE'S TRYING TO TELL US THAT'S WHERE HE CAME FROM.

IS IT PROVOKING HIM TO SIMPLY STATE--

--THAT NO CREATURE CAN SURVIVE IN THAT PART OF THE FORBIDDEN ZONE? I'VE BEEN THERE, ZIRA--I'VE SEEN IT.

BELIEVE ME, NOTHING COMES FROM THERE.

I DON'T, AND I'M NOT GOING TO TRY.

APE CIVILIZATIONS
DESERT

BUT WHAT ABOUT YOUR THEORY--? THE EXISTENCE OF SOMEONE LIKE TAYLOR MIGHT PROVE IT.

THEN HOW DO YOU ACCOUNT FOR TAYLOR?

ZIRA, ARE YOU TRYING TO GET MY HEAD CUT OFF? WATCH WHAT YOU SAY--!

DON'T BE FOOLISH, IF IT'S TRUE, THEY'LL HAVE TO ACCEPT IT.

NO, THEY WON'T--
TAYLOR, CORNELIUS Has DEVELOPED a Brilliant Hypothesis—

IT'S PROBABLY WRONG!

--THAT THE APE EVOLVED FROM A LOWER ORDER OF PRIMATE, POSSIBLY MAN, IN HIS TRIP TO THE FORBIDDEN ZONE, HE DISCOVERED TRACES OF A CULTURE OLDER THAN RECORDED TIME--

THE EVIDENCE WAS VERY MEAGER--

THAT WAS BEFORE DR. ZAIUS AND HALF THE ACADEMY SAID THE IDEA WAS HERESY.

YOU DIDN'T THINK SO AT THE TIME.

HOW CAN SCIENTIFIC TRUTH BE HERESY? WHAT IF TAYLOR IS EXACTLY THE PROOF YOU NEED? A MUTATION... A MISSING LINK BETWEEN THE UN-EVOLVED PRIMATE AND THE APE--

HE'S TOUGH, ISN'T HE?

OH, THERE GOES WITH HIS SCRIBBLING AGAIN.

IF HE'S SO SMART, WHY DOESN'T HE JUST TALK?

IT SAVES TIME--BECAUSE ONE OF YOU STINKING APES SHOT ME IN THE THROAT--AND I AM NOT A MISSING LINK--

OF COURSE HE ISN'T--BECAUSE IF HE WERE A MISSING LINK, THE SACRED SCROLLS WOULDN'T BE WORTH THE PARCHMENT THEY'RE WRITTEN ON.

WELL, MAYBE THEY'RE NOT.

NO THANK YOU! I'M NOT GETTING INTO THAT BATTLE.

I REFUSE TO DISCUSS POLITICS OR RELIGION.
OH, CORNELIUS, SHOW SOME STRENGTH FOR A CHANGE!

ZIRA, LISTEN TO ME--WE'VE GOT A FINE FUTURE AHEAD OF US, MARRIAGE, STIMULATING CAREERS, I'M EVEN UP FOR A RAISE--

RAP RAP RAP

DR. ZAIUS...

DID YOU FORGET OUR APPOINTMENT, CORNELIUS?

OH--OH NO, SIR! I WAS JUST ASSEMBLING MY NOTES...

YOU KNOW DR. MAXIMUS, OUR COMMISSIONER FOR ANIMAL AFFAIRS?

CERTAINLY SIR. IT'S A PLEASURE TO SEE YOU AGAIN.

WHAT IS THAT?

A MAN, DR. MAXIMUS.

YES, SIR. BUT THIS CREATURE IS A SPECIAL CASE.

WHY SPECIAL?

WE'RE CONDUCTING A NEW EXPERIMENT.

I'LL JUST GET MY NOTES...

I KNOW IT'S A MAN, AND YOU KNOW THE RULES, NO ANIMALS OUTSIDE THE COMPOUND-- AND MOST CERTAINLY NOT WITHOUT A LEASH.

WOULDN'T IT BE MORE PROPERLY CONDUCTED IN YOUR OFFICE.
YES, SIR.

GUARDS!

RETURN THIS BEAST TO THE COMPOUND.

WHAT'S THIS?

A TOY. IT FLOATS ON THE AIR.

TRY IT.

ZIRA...

UTTER NONSENSE, MY DEAR.

GOOD DAY.

NONSENSE.

NEXT WEEK -
THE SWEET BREATH OF FREEDOM!