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1-21: SUDAN TAKES OFF ON TIME! ABOARD ARE PILOT BINK, PASSENGER CHATTY ELLIS - "HYPNOTIZED" BY KRULL'S STOOGE INTO VISITING HER FATHER, AND SCORCHY - CURIOUS ABOUT THE PERFORMED BAG AND KRULL'S PLANS!

1-22: HEY, YOU TWO, IF YOU'RE TIRED OF THE BUCKET SEATS, COME ON UP TO THE FRONT OFFICE, I'M LOVELY!!

1-23: THREE'S A CROWD. NO ALIBIS, BY MYSELF HERE, I FEEL LIKE THE BARON'S BREATHING DOWN MY NECK!

1-24: ANY MINUTE NOW, THAT SUDAN PILOT AND HIS ELUSIVE WILL GET THE SURPRISE OF THEIR SHORT LIVES...!!

1-25: SOLVE THE MANPOWER SHORTAGE AND RIDE CO-PILOT, HUH SCORCHY?

1-26: CHATTY'S BEEN BOUNCING IN THAT BUCKET SEAT! LET HER REMOVE IN THE CO-PILOT'S CHAIR...

1-27: I'LL PERCH ON THIS PE-LIVE METAL AIRPLANE, LUGGAGE, THE TERRIBLE TWOSOME GAVE CHATTY!

1-28: YEAH! WHEN IS THE BARON GONNA SPRING HIS LITTLE SURPRISE?

1-29: WHAT CAN BE THE DELAY? IT'S ALREADY FLAMES SHOULD BE BELCHING FROM THAT FLYING COFFIN!!

1-30: BROTHER! I CAN FEEL THAT DESERT HEAT NOW!

1-31: NO WONDER! WE'RE OVER THE SUDAN, SCORCHY!

1-32: INSIDE THE OVERNIGHT CASE - PERFUME AND NAIL POLISH ARE REALLY ACID, THE FACIAL CREAMS ARE NEPALM COMPOUND, THE "PLASTIC" ITEMS ARE CELLULOSE, THE METALS - THERMITE AND MAGNESIUM...

1-33: YEE-O-W!

1-34: SO THAT'S WHAT KRULL GAVE CHATTY! A KING-SIZE INCENDIARY!!

1-35: MAYBE WE'RE WORRYING ABOUT NOTHING, SCORCHY!

1-36: MAYBE THE BARON FEELS THE HOT BREATH OF THE LAW AND IS JUST AIMING TO SEND THE WITNESSES SAFELY OUT OF TOWN...

1-37: NOPE! I THINK KRULL IS A DO-OR-DIE BOY! WE'RE TRYING TO TRAP HIM BY WALKING INTO HIS TRAP OURSELVES!

1-38: FUMES FROM THE "INNOCENT" OVERNIGHT CASE GIVEN TO CHATTY BY THE SABOTEURS: THE PERFUME IS NOT PERFUME, THE NAIL POLISH IS NOT NAIL POLISH AND THE ACCESSORIES ARE NOT MERELY PLASTIC.

1-39: MINIMUM AIRSPEED, SCORCHY, ANOTHER MILE N' SHE STALLS!!

1-40: WE GOTTA GET THE WIND PRESSURE DOWN TO GET THAT DOOR OPEN!

1-41: THE TIME IS NOW!!

1-42: ?!?

1-43: BAH!

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1-23: OAKY HAS RETURNED TO THE ROYAL CASTLE AND IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S IN FOR A PECK OF TROUBLE!

1-24: WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?

1-25: I'M GOING TO GET INTO MY NEWEST DRESS, LADY HELMA!

1-26: I GOT THIS TO WEAR TO TEAS!

1-27: WHILE YOU'RE GETTING READY TO TEASE, I'LL WELCOME SIR OAKY!

1-28: SEE YOU LATER, PRINCESS POMONA!

1-29: HEY, WAIT!...

1-30: ...OAKY DOAKS IS MINE! I KNEW HIM FIRST!!

1-31: HAH! SO LADY HELMA THINKS SHE'S GOING TO GREET OAKY BEFORE I DO!

1-32: I'LL USE THIS STAIRWAY AND GET TO THE CASTLE ENTRANCE FIRST!

1-33: WELCOME BACK, SIR OAKY!

1-34: THANKS, BEECHAM! IT'S SWEET TO BE BACK!

1-35: SIR OAKY!

1-36: OAKY!!

1-37: OAKY! MY HERO!

1-38: AND LADY HELMA! WELCOME HOME!

1-39: SMACK! SMACK!

1-40: LADIES! LADIES! PLEASE!

1-41: WILL YOU TAKE IT FROM HERE, BEECHAM? I'VE GOTTA SEE KING CORNY!

1-42: BUT WHY ISN'T KING CORNY SITTING ON HIS THRONE TODAY?

1-43: 'CAUSE HE'S LYIN' DOWN!

1-44: WHERE'S HE LYIN' DOWN?

1-45: IN HIS BED, O' COURSE!

1-46: G-GOSH! 'CAUSE HE'S GOT WHY IS HE IN BED? A COLD IN HIS HEAD! AN' IT SERVES HIM RIGHT!

1-47: HE'S OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW BETTER'N TO GO GALLIVANTIN' AROUND AT NIGHT 'TOUT HIS CROWN!

1-48: GEE, KING CORNY I'M SORRY YOU'VE GOT A COLD!

1-49: I DID HAVE, OAKY! BUT NOW I'M RECUPERATING FROM ONE OF MY ROYAL WIZARD'S MAGIC CURE-ALLS!

1-50: SAY! WHERE ON EARTH DID YOU GET THAT SWORD?

1-51: FROM SIR ICHABOD CRUM!

1-52: HE DOESN'T WANT IT ANY MORE, SO I BROUGHT IT TO YOU!

1-53: A KING-SIZE SWORD FOR MY KING!

1-54: WELL, WELL! THAT WAS NICELY PUT, OAKY!

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1-25: NEAR KINGSTON, IN THE ANCIENT DAYS, WAS THE STRANGEST OF THE WORLD'S CITIES, PORT ROYAL, WHERE THE CITIZENS WERE PIRATES!

1-26: FAMOUS BUCCANEERS WALKED THE STREETS, OR BRAWLED IN THE TAVERNS AND SHOPS.

1-27: MURDERS WERE AS COMMON AS PIECES OF EIGHT---

1-28: THEN, TO THIS VICIOUS CITY, CAME A STARTLING FATE!

1-29: DICKIE'S CABOT AND THE "VIDEO" ARRIVED IN KINGSTON, JAMAICA, ABOUT THE SAME TIME---

1-30: JUNE 7, 1642, WAS JUST A ROUTINE DAY IN THE OLD PIRATE CITY, PORT ROYAL---

1-31: I LOVE YOU.

1-32: SUDDENLY--A SHARP SOUND AN EARTH QUAKE

1-33: SURROUNDED WITH WATER, THE PIRATICAL BABYLON WAS SHAKEN TO PIECES---

1-34: ...AND DISAPPEARED UNDER THE WAVES! HERE IS PORT ROYAL AS IT LOOKS TODAY.

1-35: MUCH TREASURE MUST BE BURIED NEARBY--SO WATCH---

1-36: FRIENDS, OUR OLD WOMAN KNEW JAMAICA! WE'VE PASSED THROUGH THE "TWIN ELEPHANT" MOUNTAINS --- RIGHT AHEAD IS "BIBLE ROCK," OBVIOUSLY! NOW FOR "NOAH'S SEAT"

1-37: THERE GOES OUR DR. SMITH! IF HE SLIPS HE'LL FOLD UP AND ROLL SAFELY DOWN.

1-38: SOMETHING CUT IN THE ROCK, FOLKS! KIND OF CRUDE BOAT

1-39: OUR MR. NOAH - DR. SMITH - IS SITTING ON NOAH'S SEAT, POINTING TO THE SOUTH EAST

1-40: ALONG WHICH 50 PACES ARE BEING TAKEN BY MARK ABLE, EXPEDITION HE-MAN, WHO WILL DO THE DIGGING

1-41: THIS IS A BONIFIDE TREASURE HUNT, FOLKS! NOTHING HAS BEEN BURIED BY US ---

1-42: REMEMBER, WE DON'T GUARANTEE TO FIND ANY --- WHOOPS

1-43: WE'RE IN KINGSTON, JAMAICA--OUR MAP SAYS "TROUGH THE TWIN ELEPHANTS TO BIBLE ROCK"

1-44: NO ONE SEEMS TO KNOW WHERE OR WHAT THE "TWIN ELEPHANTS" ARE--- WE'LL ASK THIS VERY OLD WOMAN

1-45: ANOTHER PART OF KINGSTON ASK THAT OLD FELLOW, DICKIE! HE'S SURE TO KNOW ABOUT THE ELEPHANTS!

1-46: HEY, MISTER

1-47: NO SAR, NEVER I HEARD 'BOUT TWIN ELEPHANTS-- NOTHER GEN'WMAN ASKED ME SAME THING!

1-48: HURRY, FELLEES THAT TELEVISION GANG FOUND THE TREASURE!

1-49: WHAT A SIGHT! FOLKS, DR. SMITH IS AN EXPERT LOCKSMITH, SO STAND BY---

1-50: IT'S--- IT'S EMPTY--- ONLY A SHEET OF PAPER INSIDE WITH TYPENWRITING ON IT--- LOOK

1-51: Better luck next time P.S. We took a load off your chest