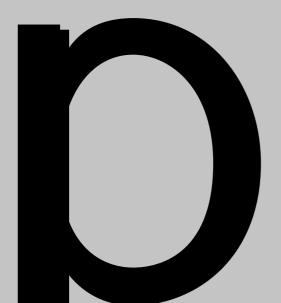
DOCTOR WHO

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We're looking at The Drum. An underwater base, maybe a mile in diameter. The cutting edge of sub-aquatic mining.

BENNETT (O.C.) Shouldn't there be a cockpit. Spaceships in films have cockpi



PRITCHARD Pretty much background level.

LUNN
Well if it's not safe, how come you got

Prentis, the strange mole creature,
. Pritchard yelps and springs back away from the creature. Prentis lunges forward and presses one of the buttons on the control panel.

CUT TO:

O'DONNELL

We can't just leave him!

PRITCHARD

There was something in the spaceship, I saw it!

Black. Light. Black. Light.

BENNETT

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Nope, noth

CLARA I want another adventure! You feel the same. You're itching to run down a corridor, I know it.

CUT TO:



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The Doctor and Clara skirt around a corner. They stop, flaten themselves against the wall. They peek back around the corner. No sign of the ghosts.

And then

THE DOCTOR (psychic paper)
This is Clara, I'm the Doctor.

Pritchard snatches it away, examines it.

PRITCHARD You're from UNIT.

THE DOCTOR If that's what it says.

PRITCHARD I'm Pritchard, this is Bennett.

O'Donnell grabs the Do



CLARA Weird how that's not comforting.

The Doctor marches out, followed by the others.

CUT TO:

THE DOCTOR

So we're fighting an unknown homicidal force that has taken the form of your commanding officer and a cowardly alien, under water in a nuclear reactor. Anything else I should know? H

PRITCHARD
I mean powerful. Those power cells.
I imagine they're pretty powerful.

THE DOCTOR
They can zap a vessel from one side of the galaxy to the o

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D) Calm, Doctor, calm. You were like this when you met Shirley Bassey.

He jumps back up and starts pacing.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D) Okay. Question 1: what a g

THE DOCTOR Where are you going?

CLARA

Out there, where the action is. (beat) What?

THE DOCTOR
Look. It's my own fault. I like adventures as much as the next If the next man is a man who liadventures. Even so. Don't go native.

CLARA What do you mean? I'm

I'm not even sure what rank I am. I could be like an admiral or something.

CLARA (laughs - then) Oh there you

THE DOCTOR We're coming b THE DOCTOR

We have a hazardous and undefined contagion on board and this base is now under quarantine.

He tosses the mi

THE DOCTOR Argh. The answer's there

Clara takes flight.

CUT TO:

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Hi. Yes. T

LUNN Guys. I'm nearly at my doo 56 56

With a hiss and a clunk, the door slid

The ghost of Pritchard Looms

LUNN It didn't hurt me. I'm okay.

Again she steps forward, takes

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THE DOCTOR (CONT'D) What does that mean? What are you telling me, big man?

Then a thought hit

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)
The Forsaken: The empty or abandoned or town. See? A , beaming out to someone or

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Blank looks all round.

THE DOCTOR (CONT'D)

Oh come on, really? None of you?

Doesn't just being around me make you cleverer by osmosis? What is the Other Qu

The crew absorb that. Though Cass

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The Doctor scampers back out and grabs Lunn.

THE DOCTOR You translate: (turns THE DOCTOR

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