

The Qyleiryn Incident

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INT. NEWS ROOM - NOON

A News broadcast. Two anchors, BENJAMIN EDER and PAMELA DeFARGO speak. A small picture of a kitten is in the upper corner.

BENJAMIN EDER

And if you see this kitten around, please don't hesitate to call the authorities.

PAMELA DEFARGO

In other news today, the small nation of Qyleiryn is going to have their VERY FIRST presidential election since the Great War! Congratulations, guys!

BENJAMIN EDER

This means, of course, that the current Happy President Yms will NOT be able to run. Critics of the Happy President are rejoicing, as perhaps it may mean an end to a rule punctuated by hunger and crime rates.

PAMELA DEFARGO

Really, guys, good job! You should be really *really* happy!

BENJAMIN EDER

But not like the President, am I right Pamela?

PAMELA DEFARGO

You sure are Ben!

They chuckle.

INT. NEWS ROOM - NOON

Benjamin and Pamela give the news. A Picture of a small panda in a field of flowers is in the upper corner.

BENJAMIN EDER

Scientists say that the new tiny pandas will also act as bees.
Pamela?

PAMELA DEFARGO

Thanks Ben. Qyleiryn Happy
President Yms' announcement last
week of creating an atom
re-aranging machine has caused
"panda" monium throughout the
Earth!

BENJAMIN EDER

That's a nice segue, Pam.

PAMELA DEFARGO

Thanks Ben. The Rearrangement,
scheduled for a week from now,
would cause devastation seen only
by The Russians, The Japanese, and
The Dinosaurs. With a week to go,
will The New League of Nations
successfully stop the Happy
President? Only time will tell.
Over to you again Ben!

BENJAMIN EDER

In other news today, the new
military Nation-state of Dakota has
invaded Wisconsin. More of this as
the story develops.

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"**COUNTDOWN TO DEATOMIZATION**" is written across the screen.
Pamela turns to face the camera.

The Countdown reads **14h 23m 45s**

PAMELA DEFARGO

Hello. I'm Pamela DeFargo, and
welcome to our continuing coverage
on what is becoming known as "The
Deatomization", where an area the
size of six Africas will have their
atoms completely broken down and
rearranged. We now join Benjamin
Eder in the field in Beijing, on of
the cities in the "field of
deatomization". Ben?

EXT. BEIJING - EVENING

Benjamin stands in front of a gigantic golden tower. He wears a woolen hat.

BENJAMIN EDER

Thank you Pam, I'm here in Beijing where not even the tiny pandas are safe. In an effort to try and control the deatomization, the magnificent Chinese government is attempting to hand out "Designer pods". They act much like the rearrangement pod Yms will be using to change his form, however with they only have about a 35% chance of actually working. I wish I could say things are looking up, Pam, but with no word from the New League of Nations the deatomization is an almost definite event.

PAMELA DEFARGO (OS)

Well you better get out of there, Ben, you only have fourteen hours left!

BENJAMIN EDER

I am not going to try and escape from Beijing, Pam. I will continue to give ongoing coverage here, and hope to God that I become a mighty condor. Good night.

INT. LABORATORY - NIGHT

HAPPY PRESIDENT YMS walks into the laboratory with DR. PIXR. PROF. MYPI and DR. *Ø wait for them.

DR. PIXR

Welcome to our lab, Happy President thank you. Please do enjoy it.

HAPPY PRESIDENT YMS

Yes thank you. I have been hearing that you will test here?

PROF. MYPI

That is correct thank you. Dr. *ø
and I shall turn an apple into an
orange. Dr. *ø may you please place
the orange into the rearrangement
machine please thank you.

Dr. *ø nods. He takes an apple from a counter and walks
through a sliding door. Prof. Mypl presses a button, and the
wall opens up to reveal the Atom Rearrangement Room.

The ARR is a ring like object with glowing blue lights. It
swirls around a lead pedestal. Dr. *ø enters into the room
and places the apple on the pedestal.

HAPPY PRESIDENT YMS

The pedestal and the machine
themselves, they will not break?

DR. PIXR

Thanks to science we have found the
lead does not arrange its atoms in
small bursts.

HAPPY PRESIDENT YMS

Small bursts?

PROF. MYPI

With a rearrangement the size of a
person, even lead may break apart.
It would be much more stable than
flesh, but certainly all lead in
Qyleira will change.

Dr. *ø gives a thumbs up. Prof. Mypl presses buttons and
flips a switch. The ARR swirls faster and faster.

Dr. *ø fumbles to open the door.

PROF. MYPI

Fifteen seconds until rearrangement
thank you.

Dr. *ø cannot open the door.

He yanks on it. Finally, it becomes unjammed.

Dr. *ø runs out of the room, but it is too late. A
brilliant blue light shoots through the room.

The light fades. The apple has become a delicious orange.

Dr. *ø has become a hideous monster that appears to be a mixture of a humanoid lizard and an apple tree. Dr. *ø vomits a clear amber liquid and begins convulsing. It lets out a hideous screech.

Dr. Plxr claps.

DR. PIXR
It was a success.

INT. REMBRANT'S OFFICE - EVENING

Rembrant sits in his office. He reads a book out loud.

REMBRANT
This is a dagger which I am seeing
in front of me, yes?
The soft part is near to my hand?
Please let me be holding you thank
you.
I am not holding you yet, but I am
still to be seeing you.
You are not being, please evil
apparition, however I must ask,
Will you not be tangible as I am
seeing you? Perhaps you can
To be a a dagger of the head, a
mental projection yes?
To be coming from my brain as it is
being held by heat thank you?
I am still to be seeing you, and
your being is very much so
As this dagger which I am to be
drawing now please.
You are to be showing the way to
which I was to be going;
And I am very much wanting to be
using you thank you.
My eyes are becoming unwise being
compared with mine other senses.
Or perhaps you are becoming akin to
the others; I am still to be seeing
you.
And upon the blade of yours and the
soft part a piece of the blood
Which was not to be there before,
yes? I am not believing you to be
existing:
It is being the doings in blood
which are telling

REMBRANT

All of the information to my eyes
 thank you. Now on this the one half
 of the world
 Nature is being dead please, and
 the nightmares are abusing
 The sleep in the covers;
 Witchcraft is happy to be
 The gifts to the white Hecate, and
 this the melting murder,
 Being woken by a watchman, a wolf
 yes,
 Who is having a howl for a watch,
 and has a silent walk as well thank
 you.
 With the Tarquin's vigorous walk,
 going to the thoughts of him
 He does move like a ghost yes.
 Earth, you are being tall and
 hardy,
 So am wishing for you not to be
 hearing my footsteps, nor the way
 for which they are walking, because
 I am having great fear
 Your stones discuss to eachother
 where I am being,
 And you are taking the fear now
 from this time,
 Which is bedfellows with it yes
 thank you. While I am making
 curses, The king he is living:
 These words of fire for the doing
 very much frigid breath is giving.
 Thank you.

INT. REMBRANT'S OFFICE - EVENING

Rembrant sits in his office. He reads a book out loud.

REMBRANT

It was being the best times, it was
 being the worst times, it was being
 a wise time, it was being being a
 fool time, it was being the age of
 the believing, it was being the age
 of the skeptic, it was being a
 season of the light, it was being a
 season of the dark, it was being a
 springtime with the hope, it was
 being a wintertime with the
 sadness, we were to be having much
 in front of us, we were to be

REMRANT

having nothing very much in front of us, we were going to a Heaven, we were not going to a Heaven- to be brief, this period to which is describing was to be far like a current time, that some of the critics with the tallest of pride would be insisting on that being received, with a good or with the evil, in the exaggerated type for the comparison yes thank you.