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Editor)(John Peter Drummond; R. C. Walker; John S High Adventure (John Gunnison : High Adventure #71 (No. 71) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised High Adventure #71 (No. 71):

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. One of the best Ki-Gor adventures ever publishedBy James Elfers"The Beast-Gods of Atlantis" may be one of the best Ki-Gor adventures ever published. The jungle Lord himself, his flame-haired bride, Helene and his friends, Tembu George, a Masai warrior, and N'Gesso a pygmy stumble into the decayed and immoral remnants of the lost civilization of Atlantis!. This is what great pulp fiction was all about. Implausible as hell, breathlessly dramatic, endlessly satisfying. Of course, there is a beautiful white Empress. Of course, there is a corrupt priest and an adversarial stalwart soldier. Of course, Helene is stripped by the bad guy. That Ki-Gor will succeed is not the question, the fun is in the ride. These stories are NOT politically correct. They are full of the sorts of casual and overt racism, that no one would publish today. To me, it is part of the authenticity of the experience. Placing yourself in the mindset of a prior generation makes these tales more palatable. If you are new to Ki-Gor, this adventure is a nice place to start.Also in this issue are five other stories, none of which is anywhere near as much fun as the Ki-Gor tale. First up is "Madman's Trek" by R. C. Walker about a brave missionary on a dangerous mission. "The Red Trail To Zanzibar" is a he-man tale of revenge and cannibals with a twist ending. "Matto Grosso Fury" by Gordon MacCreach is set in South America where a cowardly Yanqui must alter his perspective of non-violence."Blood for the Juju" is a rather tired tale of white soldiers of fortune in Africa. This one fairly crawls by. Last is "Serpent's Fetish" by James Blish. It certainly reads as if it was composed by the great science fiction author. An

expedition is on its way to search for the mokele-mbembe, dinosaurs. This poses a problem for Kit Kennedy, expatriate American and friend to the local people. An interesting premise marred by the only appearance in the book of the dreaded N word. The supporting stories range from four stars to two stars but the Ki-Gor adventure alone merits the five stars from this book. As always Adventure House is to be praised for making these tales available once more.

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