

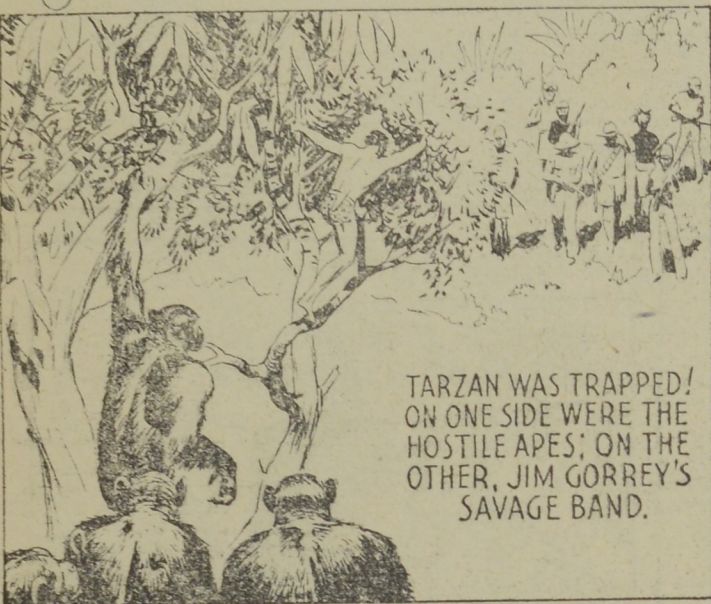
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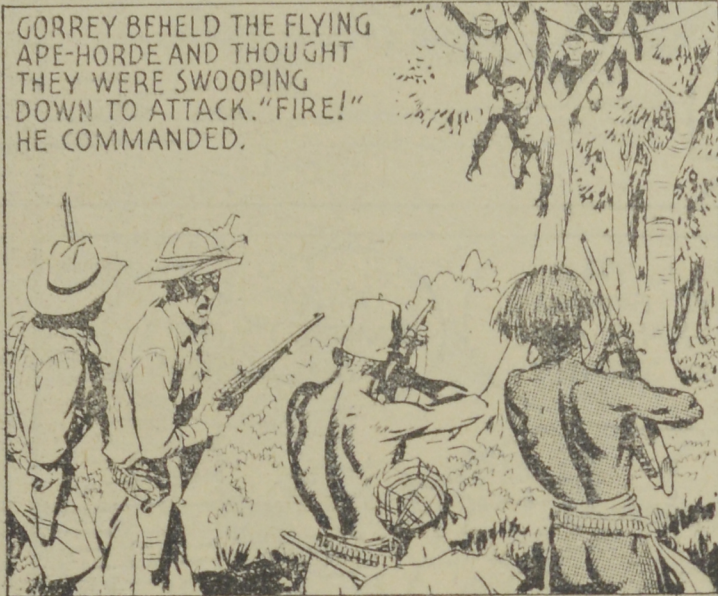
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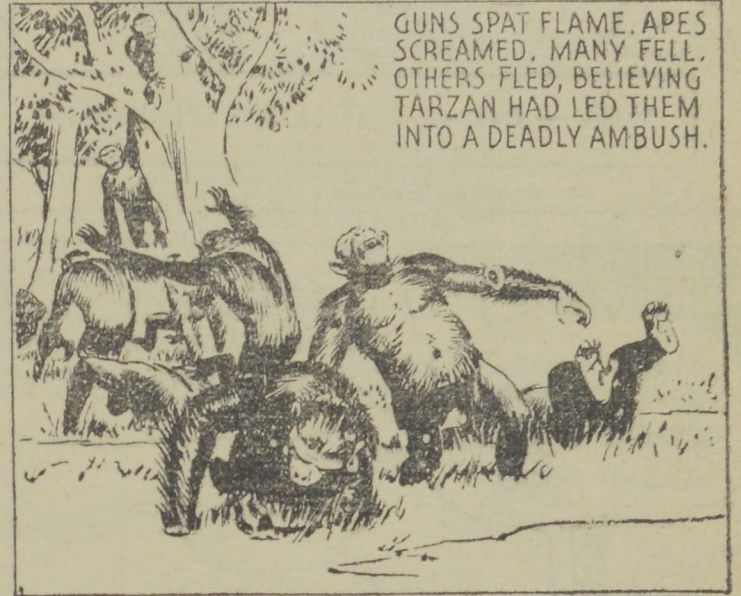
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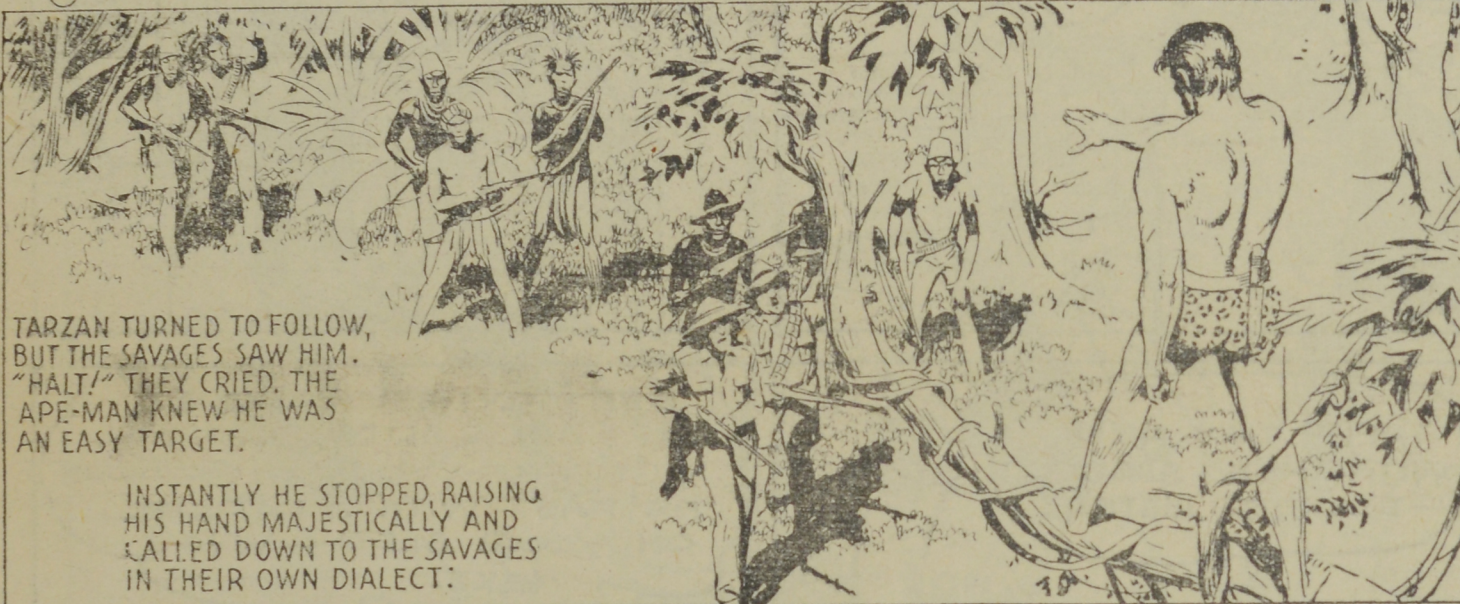
TARZAN WAS TRAPPED! ON ONE SIDE WERE THE HOSTILE APES; ON THE OTHER, JIM GORREY'S SAVAGE BAND.



GORREY BEHELD THE FLYING APE-HORDE AND THOUGHT THEY WERE SWEEPING DOWN TO ATTACK. "FIRE!" HE COMMANDED.

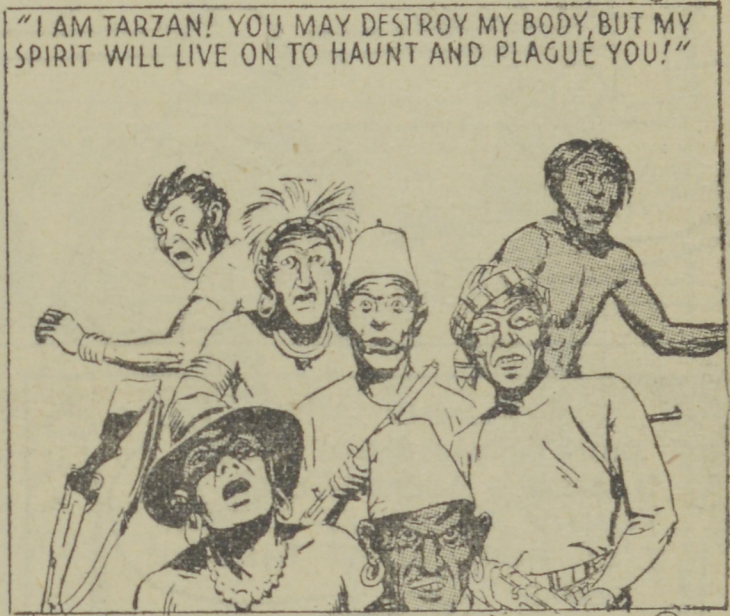


GUNS SPAT FLAME. APES SCREAMED. MANY FELL. OTHERS FLED, BELIEVING TARZAN HAD LED THEM INTO A DEADLY AMBUSH.



TARZAN TURNED TO FOLLOW, BUT THE SAVAGES SAW HIM. "HALT!" THEY CRIED. THE APE-MAN KNEW HE WAS AN EASY TARGET.

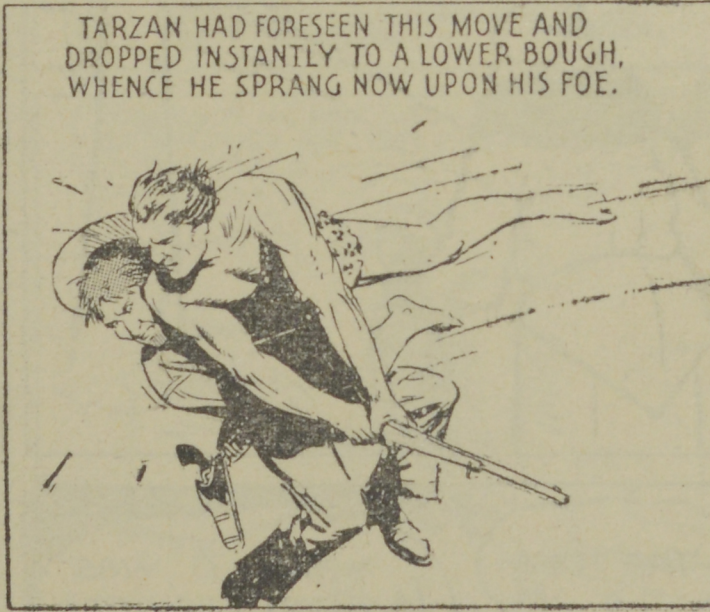
INSTANTLY HE STOPPED, RAISING HIS HAND MAJESTICALLY AND CALLED DOWN TO THE SAVAGES IN THEIR OWN DIALECT:



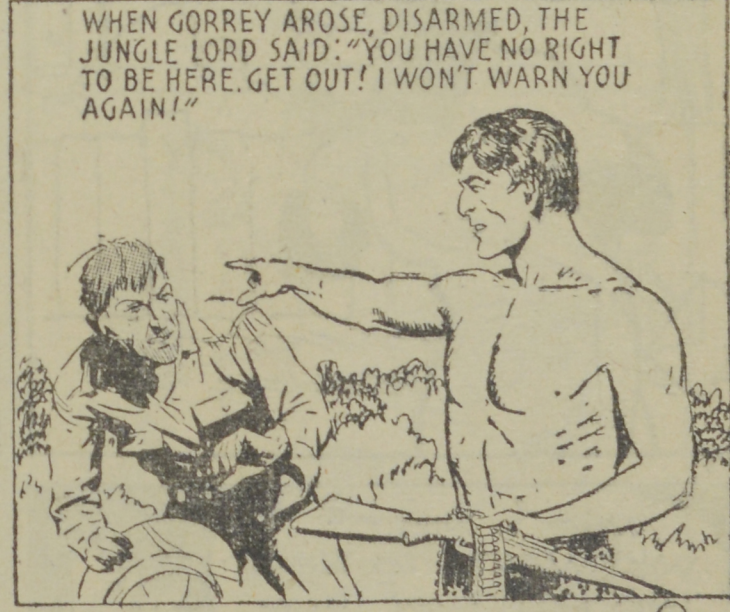
"I AM TARZAN! YOU MAY DESTROY MY BODY, BUT MY SPIRIT WILL LIVE ON TO HAUNT AND PLAGUE YOU!"



THE SUPERSTITIOUS BLACKS HAD HEARD THE LEGEND OF HIS MIRACULOUS POWERS, AND NOW THEY FLED IN AWE. BUT JIM GORREY FIRED:



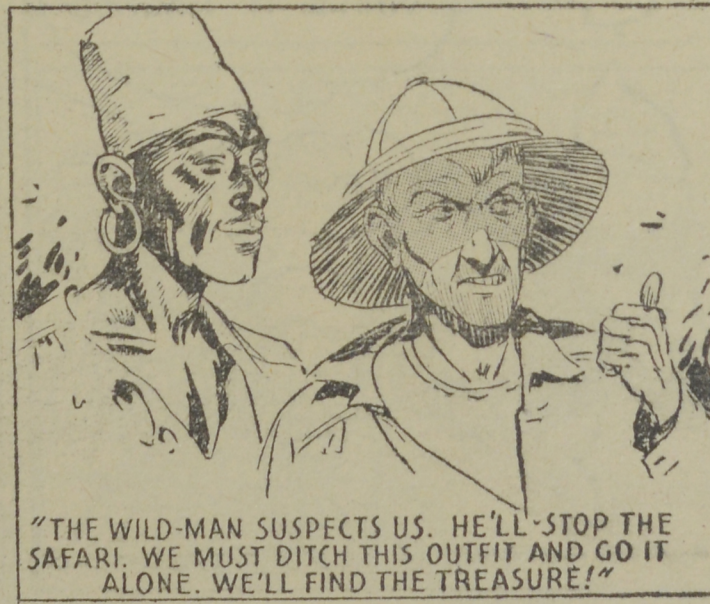
TARZAN HAD FORESEEN THIS MOVE AND DROPPED INSTANTLY TO A LOWER BOUGH, WHENCE HE SPRANG NOW UPON HIS FOE.



WHEN GORREY AROSE, DISARMED, THE JUNGLE LORD SAID: "YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO BE HERE. GET OUT! I WON'T WARN YOU AGAIN!"



SILENTLY GLADLY GORREY HURRIED AWAY. NEAR HIS CAMP HE MET HIS HALF-BREED HENCHMAN ZACKA AND SAID:



"THE WILD-MAN SUSPECTS US. HE'LL STOP THE SAFARI. WE MUST DITCH THIS OUTFIT AND GO IT ALONE. WE'LL FIND THE TREASURE!"



"TONIGHT," HE EXPLAINED, "WE'LL GRAB FLINT'S MONEY, THE MAPS, AND -- THE GIRL. IF ANYBODY INTERFERES -- SHOOT TO KILL!"

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