Session/Game: Savage Worlds Mutants 14 Date: August 18, 2013

Mutants and Muskets, Episode 14: "I'm taking a shot at a crab person to try to save Frank Sinatra's Life."

Campaign Date: May, 2056

Characters:

Pooh-Bear Shatner, veteran, negotiator (Marlon Kirton)

Bruce Leeroy, seasoned, beater (Marlon Kirton)

Green Squad, militia men x5 (NPC)

Jock Johnson, seasoned, beater (Robert Swan)

Turd Fergusson, seasoned, beater (Robert Swan)

Yellow Squad, militia men x5 (NPC)

Max Bemis, veteran, mutant (Zach Kleiser)

Dean Martin, novice, beater (Zach Kleiser)

Blue Squad, militia men x5 (NPC)

Professor Elemental, veteran, weird scientist (Jason Liebert)

Bulk Logan, seasoned, mutant (Jason Liebert)

Red Squad, militia men x5 (NPC)

Lightning Jack Smackdown, veteran, beater (Bob LaForge)

Mouthy Lou, seasoned, beater (Bob LaForge)

Old Cookie Swanson (NPC)

Spuds Markey (NPC)

GM: Dave Nelson

Prologue: The alien scientist, nicknamed Nut-Spanky, having twice severely injured Jock Johnson in the groin in revenge for his destruction of Spanky's experimental hareballs, vowed a final reckoning. Over several weeks, mutants began raiding the outskirts of Scarptown, until finally on May 17, Nut-Spanky commanded a joint force of other Spanky aliens and mutants on a massive assault on Scarptown. The town militia and marshals were deployed all around town, with the Outlander squad and 20 militia men detailed to guard the central town crossroads...

Log:

1—Order of Battle, Scarptown Forces

Max, Dean, Jock, Blue Squad, Yellow Squad: crossroads, facing East Professor, Bulk, Lightning, Mouthy, Red Squad: crossroads, facing South Pooh, Bruce, Green Squad: dug-in foxhole facing North West Turd, Cookie, Spuds, cannon, machinegun, on top of marshal's blockhouse

2—Order of Battle: Alien/Mutant Forces

Nut Spanky, 14 hareballs—South East
Captain Kong, ape-men x12, wagon with machinegun—East Road
Crab Wagon and 8 dismounted crab people, North East
Gray Crusher Mutants x16, North West
Spankies x14, rocket launcher, landing ship, South West
30 Mutant Cannibals, South Road

3—The Opening Moves

In the opening moves of the battle, the Spankies managed to take Old Cookie Swanson and Spuds Markey out of the fight by means of an air-burst rocket over the marshal's blockhouse. Professor Elemental slowed down the advance of the Mutant Cannibal Horde by using his Tesla Projector, but failed to kill them. Max Bemis and Dean Martin managed to kill almost the entire Ape-man squad with flame-thrower attacks and laser eye beams. The Gray Crusher Mutants began a long stale-mate fight against Pooh-Bear, Bruce Leeroy and the Green Squad. Lightning Jack raced out to meet the Spankies with sword attacks, but was at first very unsuccessful.

4—Contact is Made

2 of the Green Squad, and Mouthy Lou rushed up to the roof of the Marshal's blockhouse to assist Turd Fergusson. They managed to blow up the wagon with the ape-man machinegun using the roof cannon. One of the militia men used the roof machinegun to pin down some Spankies. The Crab people completely slaughtered the Blue Squad to a man. The Yellow Squad, deployed behind the blues, fired a musket volley and withdrew around the corner. The Red Squad, meanwhile, engaged in a long, slow struggle against the horde of mutant cannibals. Dean Martin rushes to engage the Hareballs, while Max Bemis leaps into the middle of the Crab People. Nut-Spanky catches sight of Jock Johnson and once again shoots him in the groin, dropping him like a stone. Bruce Leeroy is cut-off and surrounded by Gray Crushers.

5—The Meat Grinder

Bruce Leeroy is smashed to the ground, out of the fight, but finally the Green Squad flame throwers manage to destroy a large number of the gray crushers. Bulk Logan uses his mutant powers to grow to tremendous size, grabbing the alien lander and hurling it across town into the crab wagon, destroying both vehicles. However, as he turns away to attack the Spankies who were firing into the flank of Pooh-Bear and the greens, the remaining Spankies kill Lightning Jack with laser fire. The last two ape men recover their machinegun and rake the roof of the marshal's blockhouse, killing two of the green squad. Two others are seriously injured by the last 2 gray crushers. Professor Elemental uses his hip flask to revive Jock Johnson, who comes to grips with the mutant cannibals, aiding the nearly wiped out Red Squad. They are aided by a big black bomb thrown down by Mouthy Lou. Nut Spanky then shoots Dean Martin dead with his laser gun.

6—The Tide Turns

While Mouthy Lou and Turd Fergusson wear down the last few Spankies, Bulk Logan feels his growth power about to expire and vaults over the marshal's blockhouse and comes down with a huge body-slam right on top of all the hareballs and Nut-Spanky, killing them all. The Yellow Squad fires another musket volley into the crab people. Then, a normal-sized Bulk Logan, the Yellow Squad and Max Bemis manage to kill the rest of the crab people and the last 2 apes. Jock Johnson achieves final victory over the mutant cannibals. And the last few Spankies and Gray Crushers are finished off.

7—Butcher's Bill

Lighting Jack—killed by Spankies

Mouthy Lou—uninjured

Old Cookie Swanson—wounded by rocket launcher

Spuds Markey—wounded by rocket launcher

Bruce Leeroy—wounded by gray crushers

Pooh-Bear—injured—2 wounds by Spanky fire

Green Squad—2 killed by ape machinegun, 2 wounded by Spankies, 1 OK

Jock Johnson—wounded by Nut-Spanky but healed

Turd Fergusson—injured—1 wound from rocket launcher

Yellow Squad—no wounds

Max Bemis—injured—1 wound by crab people

Dean Martin—killed by Nut-Spanky

Blue Squad---all killed by Crab people

Professor Elemental—no wounds

Bulk Logan---1 wound from falling on Nut Spanky

Red Squad—1 killed, 4 wounded by mutant cannibals

Epilogue:

It was discovered in the wreckage of the Spanky lander that the aliens were indeed behind the destruction of Earth Civilization and the spread of the mutagenic effect. Professor Elemental, realizing his work was done, put on his time-travel trousers and departed (or were those his dimensional trousers?).