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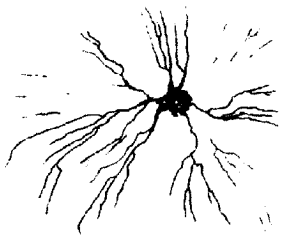
2020 By Taral

By the 21st century Man had come a long way. He had mastered the Solar System and had begun to adventure among the stars.

There was more to see there than strange sights; there were intelligent beings, and, being what he is, Man tried to master them also. But Man could never master himself let alone others.

For although science and technology had inexorably progressed, Man's nature had not. He was still the sad and noble creature he had always been.



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PASSIM - Per Astra: June 21st is the summer solstice I believe. The occasion is also the 252th parturition day of Saara Mar, (Inkjuula Saara!), and you might give a thought to her. Friends will be invited to her party and abjured to come only in costume. It ought to be interesting, especially to see if I have the nerve to appear as I promised. The more weight I lose, the more likely I will. (See Down With! 3). O! SI SIC OMNIA! Jim Allan, normally of the opinion that nastiness is the last resort of the incompetent, comments on DNQ that we've passed over the less savory facets of