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On the Comet

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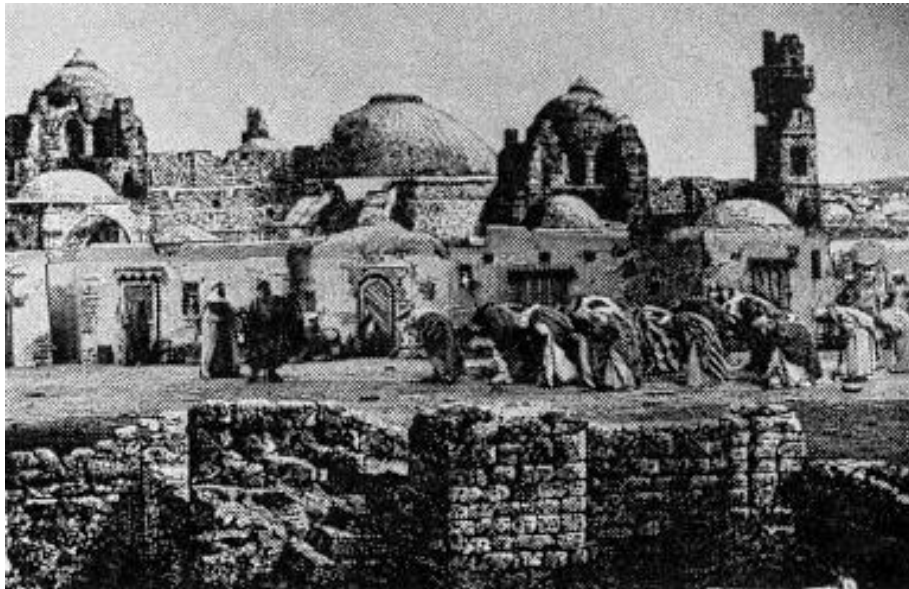
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NFT bulletin – August/September 1972 – review:

“ **"ON THE COMET"** (Czechoslovakia 1970) is a wonderful adaptation of the Jules Verne fantasy by the creator of **"BARON MUNCHHAUSEN"**, again using both animation and live characters. A piece of Earth is sent flying into the cosmos as a comet and the people trapped on it have a chance for mutual understanding.”

[no listing in "Halliwell's Film Guide", "Leonard Maltin's Movie and Video Guide 2001", "Speelfilm Encyclopedie", "The Critics' Film Guide", "The Good Film and Video Guide", "Movies on TV and Videocassette 1988-89", "Rating the Movies (1990)", "The Sunday Times Guide to Movies on Television", "The Time Out Film Guide", "TV Times Film & Video Guide 1995", "Variety Movie Guide 1993", "Video Movie Guide 1993" or "The Virgin Film Guide"]

No further information currently available. Shown as part of the NFT's first International Children's Film Festival in 1972. This would not necessarily establish it as a bona fide

children's film, but director Zeman has certainly made other children's titles, so it is included here on that basis.

See also Terry Gilliam's disappointing baroque fantasy "**THE ADVENTURES OF BARON MUNCHHAUSEN**" (89), too disjointed and over-larded with star "guest appearances", and see subject index under **EASTERN EUROPE / SOVIET BLOC, FANTASY, LIVE ACTION / ANIMATION COMBINATIONS** and **SCIENCE FICTION**.