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SPIKER

(looking into binoculars)

Why, wait a bit... that looks like... a giant peach.

SPONGE

That's OUR peach—

SPIKER

And that's James!

SPONGE

(yelling towards JAMES)

James Henry Trotter! Bring us back our peach!

SPIKER

He can't hear you.

SPONGE

(gobsmacked)

So what we gonna do, Spikes?

SPIKER

Spongers, my dear, we've got to—

SPIKER, SPONGE

Follow that peach!

*SPIKER, SPONGE and LADAHLORD exit. #37 –
FOLLOW THAT PEACH begins.*

SCENE TEN:

The Deck of the Peach

START

CENTIPEDE crosses into the scene. He's not feeling well.

CENTIPEDE

Hey! Is anyone else feeling a little burpie in the intestines?

SPIDER

You probably ate too much peach.

CENTIPEDE

It's these waves, they're making me feel – oh, oh, no! Oh, no!

SPIDER

Are you alright?

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CENTIPEDE vomits off the back of the peach.

CENTIPEDE

(wiping his mouth)

That's much better.

#38 – TROUBLE ON THE HIGH PEACH *begins.*

(CENTIPEDE)

(spotting something in the ocean)

Look! Over there! It's a sea monster! It's a sea monster!

EARTHWORM

What is that? WHAT IS THAT?!

JAMES

They're sharks!

INSECTS

Sharks?!

JAMES

There are hundreds of them! And they're coming this way!

The SHARKS ram the peach.

ALL

Whoah!

EARTHWORM

What do they want? WHAT DO THEY WANT?

JAMES

I think they're eating the peach.

EARTHWORM

But, they'll sink the ship!

LADYBUG

We must do something!

CENTIPEDE

I'm not feeling so well! Oh, no! Oh, oh, no!

CENTIPEDE vomits again.

The sound of thousands of seagulls swarming is heard.

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SPIDER

(peering overboard)

You must see this! There are thousands of seagulls eating Centipede's vomit!

CENTIPEDE

Shoo! Shoo! Stupid seagulls!

EARTHWORM

Seagulls!? I'm terrified of seagulls!

JAMES

Hold on everyone! The sharks are coming back!

The SHARKS ram into the peach, sending everyone flying.

INSECTS, JAMES

Whoah!

LADYBUG

Is there nothing we can do?

JAMES

There is something—

EARTHWORM

Tell us!

JAMES

If an aeroplane can take to the sky, why can't a peach?

CENTIPEDE

Because an aeroplane has engines and wings!

JAMES

And so do we.

LADYBUG

The seagulls!

JAMES

Exactly! They can be our engines and our wings!

CENTIPEDE

How's that gonna work?!

JAMES

Spider, is your web strong?

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SPIDER

The strongest in the world.

JAMES

And can you make lots of it?

SPIDER

I can spin all the web you need!

JAMES

Perfect! We'll loop Spider's web around the seagulls' necks, and then we'll tie the other end to the stem of the peach.

CENTIPEDE

And how are you going to get those seagulls down here?

JAMES

Bait!

The INSECTS look pointedly at EARTHWORM.

EARTHWORM

I find that term incredibly insensitive.

JAMES

But you are the biggest, juiciest earthworm in the entire world.

EARTHWORM

I am not about to be pecked to death by a flock of seagulls.

JAMES

I won't let them touch you, Earthworm. I promise.

EARTHWORM

Fine... I'll do it. For you, James.

JAMES

Thank you, Earthworm. Action stations everyone! We've not a moment to lose!

CENTIPEDE

This is never gonna work!

END

#39 – PLUMP AND JUICY begins.