

Per Johan Moe, in the Jules Verne Forum, 10 March, 2026

... Impressive work, timely presented as: "This edition the first ever to appear as the author wished", as it covers 'TL' & 'AL' together.

Both the translation, and, to me above all, the truly interesting critical material, with Introduction and Appendix which clarifies the novel's inception and development, makes this a SciFi Milestone.

What is also noteworthy, is the focus on those different published versions that exist in French. (Not to mention the adapted 'translations' - on which commentators previously have misjudged the novel)