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BULLY scoffs at "THAT DEEP, DARK SECRET!"



SAY, WHAT'S THE MATTER, TOMMY? YOU LOOK AS IF YOU'VE LOST YOUR BEST GIRL!

YOU HIT IT ON THE HEAD, BUZZY! SOMETHING'S EATING MARGIE -- I HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO SPEAK MORE THAN TWO WORDS TO HER!



SHE ACTS AS IF SHE'S TRYING TO AVOID ME!

HMMM... I THINK I KNOW WHAT'S BOTHERING HER. HER FOLKS AND MINE ARE GOOD FRIENDS. THEY'RE ALL UPSET ABOUT HER UNCLE KENNETH, WHO LIVES WITH THEM. HE GOT SICK AND WENT TO ONE OF THOSE MENTAL HOSPITALS



THEY SEEM TO BE -- WELL, KIND OF ASHAMED -- AFRAID OF WHAT PEOPLE WILL SAY.

GOSH! THEN MARGIE ISN'T REALLY MAD AT ME! BUT IT'S SILLY FOR HER TO GO AROUND THAT WAY!



IT SURE IS! SAME THING HAPPENED TO SUSIE'S COUSIN WHEN HE CAME OUT OF SERVICE -- AND HE'S FINE NOW!

SAY, MAYBE YOU CAN GET SUSIE TO TALK TO MARGIE -- GIRL TO GIRL!



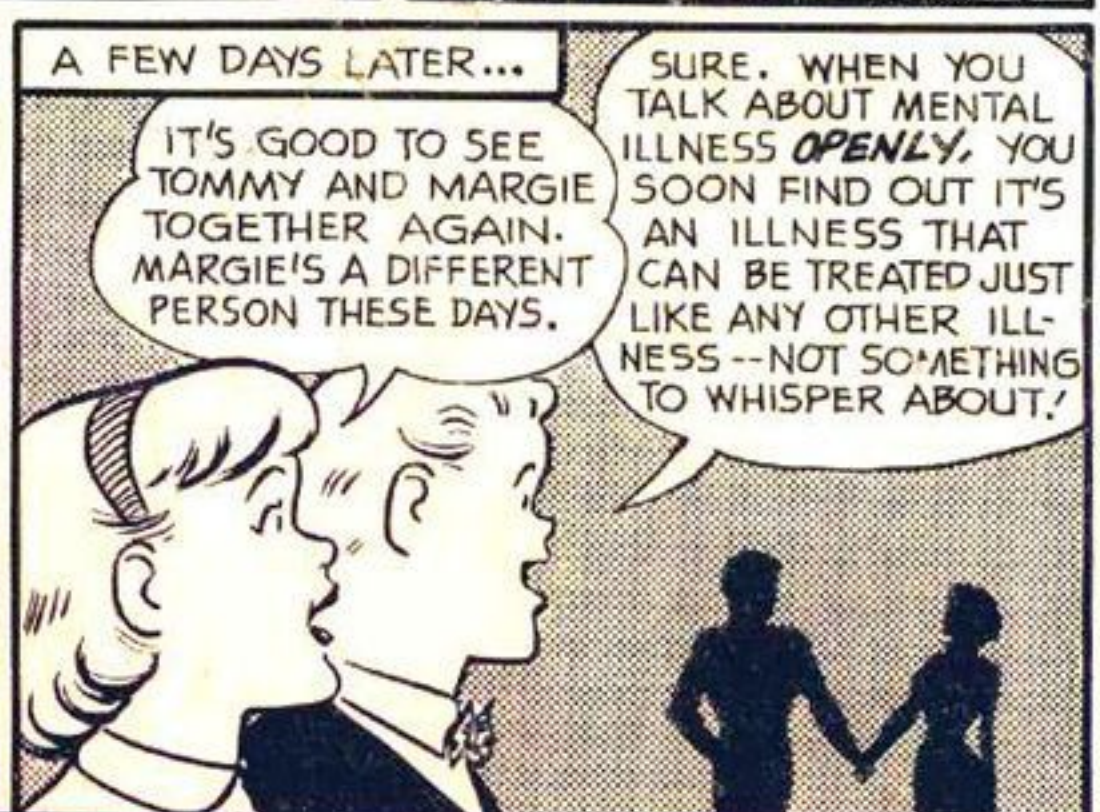
AND SO... THANKS A LOT, SUSIE. I FEEL SO MUCH BETTER, BEING ABLE TO TALK ABOUT IT WITH SOMEBODY WHO UNDERSTANDS.

IT'S NOT JUST ME, MARGIE. YOU DON'T HAVE TO AVOID ANYBODY! PEOPLE UNDERSTAND IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU! YOUR UNCLE IS JUST SICK, THAT'S ALL.



GOSH, I WISH SOMEBODY WOULD TALK TO MY MOTHER. SHE'S KIND OF OLD-FASHIONED ABOUT THOSE THINGS, MAYBE YOUR MOTHER...

JUST THE THING! I'M SURE MOTHER WILL BE GLAD TO HELP.



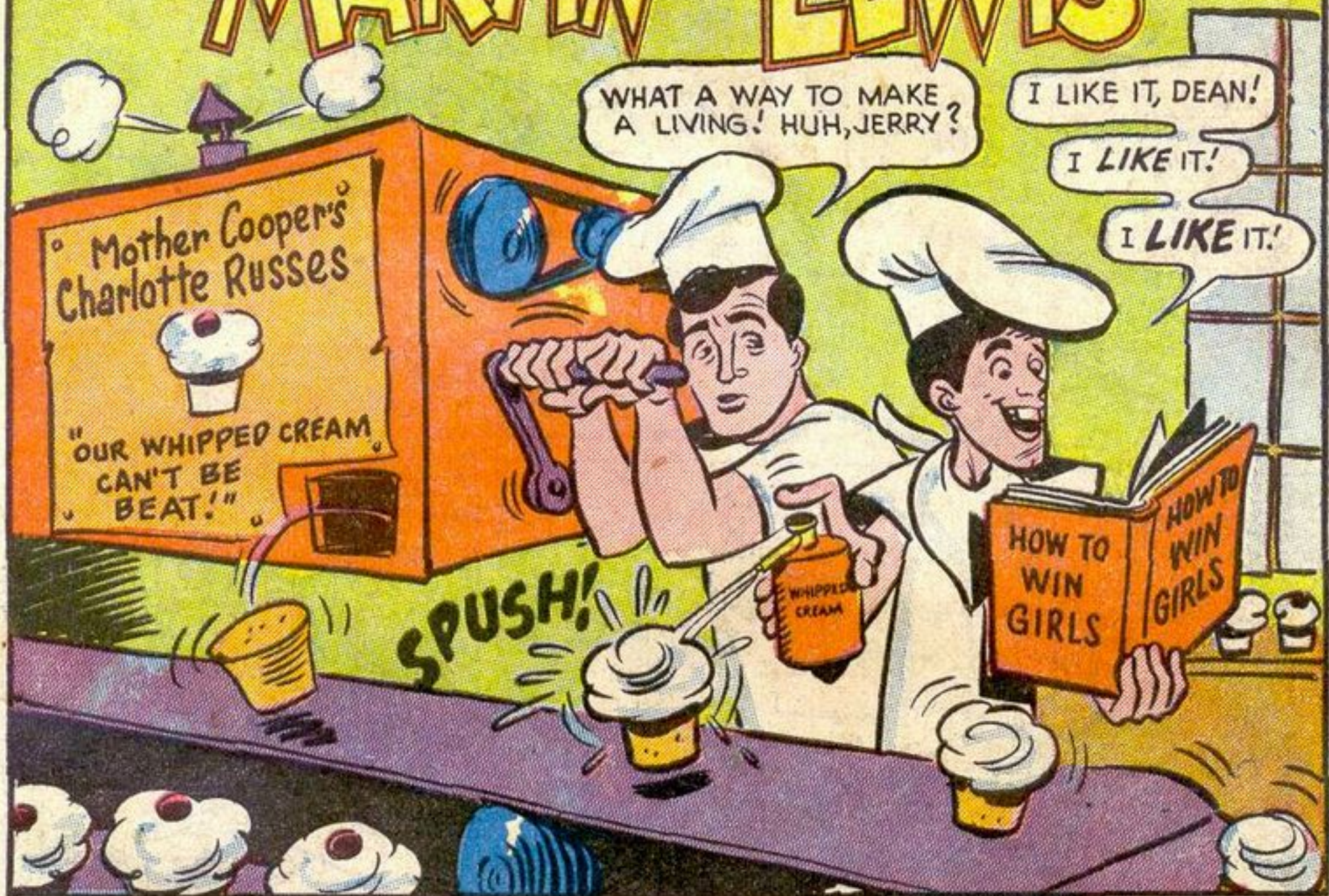
A FEW DAYS LATER...

IT'S GOOD TO SEE TOMMY AND MARGIE TOGETHER AGAIN. MARGIE'S A DIFFERENT PERSON THESE DAYS.

SURE. WHEN YOU TALK ABOUT MENTAL ILLNESS OPENLY, YOU SOON FIND OUT IT'S AN ILLNESS THAT CAN BE TREATED JUST LIKE ANY OTHER ILLNESS -- NOT SOMETHING TO WHISPER ABOUT!

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WHAT A WAY TO MAKE A LIVING! HUH, JERRY?

I LIKE IT, DEAN!

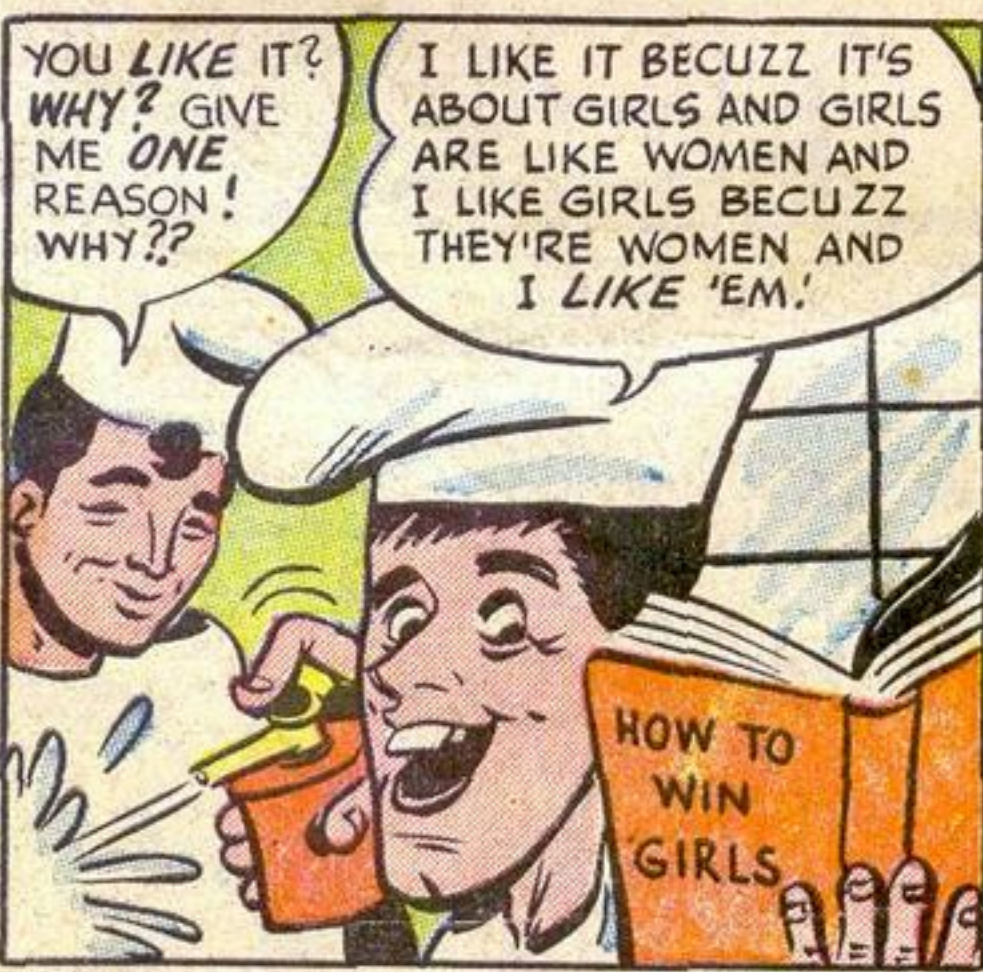
I LIKE IT!

I LIKE IT!

Mother Cooper's
 Charlotte Russes
 "OUR WHIPPED CREAM
 CAN'T BE
 BEAT!"

SPUSH!

HOW TO
 WIN
 GIRLS



YOU LIKE IT?
 WHY? GIVE
 ME ONE
 REASON!
 WHY??

I LIKE IT BECUZZ IT'S
 ABOUT GIRLS AND GIRLS
 ARE LIKE WOMEN AND
 I LIKE GIRLS BECUZZ
 THEY'RE WOMEN AND
 I LIKE 'EM!

HOW TO
 WIN
 GIRLS



AW, SHUT UP
 AND START
 SQUIRTING
 THAT CREAM!

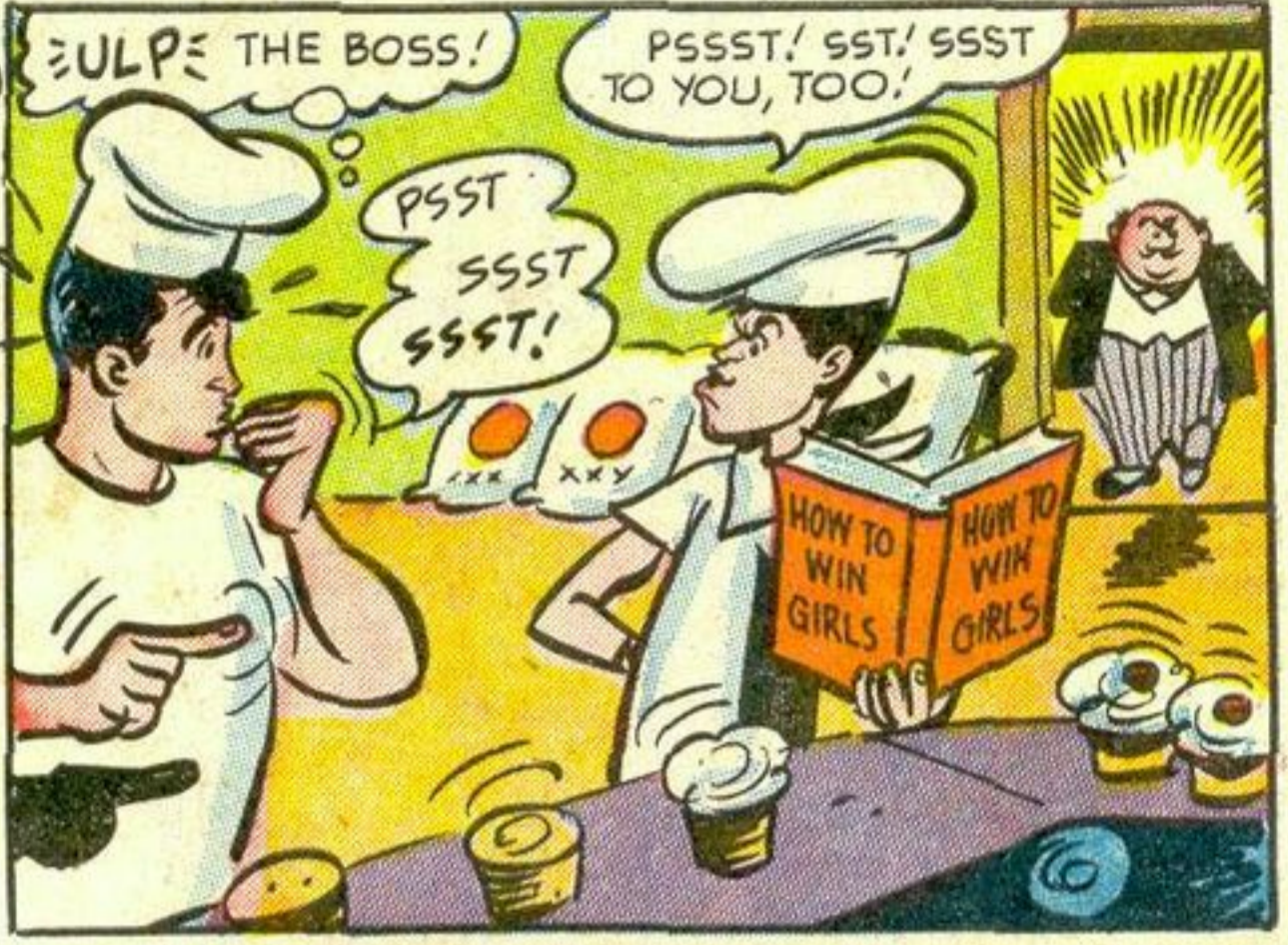
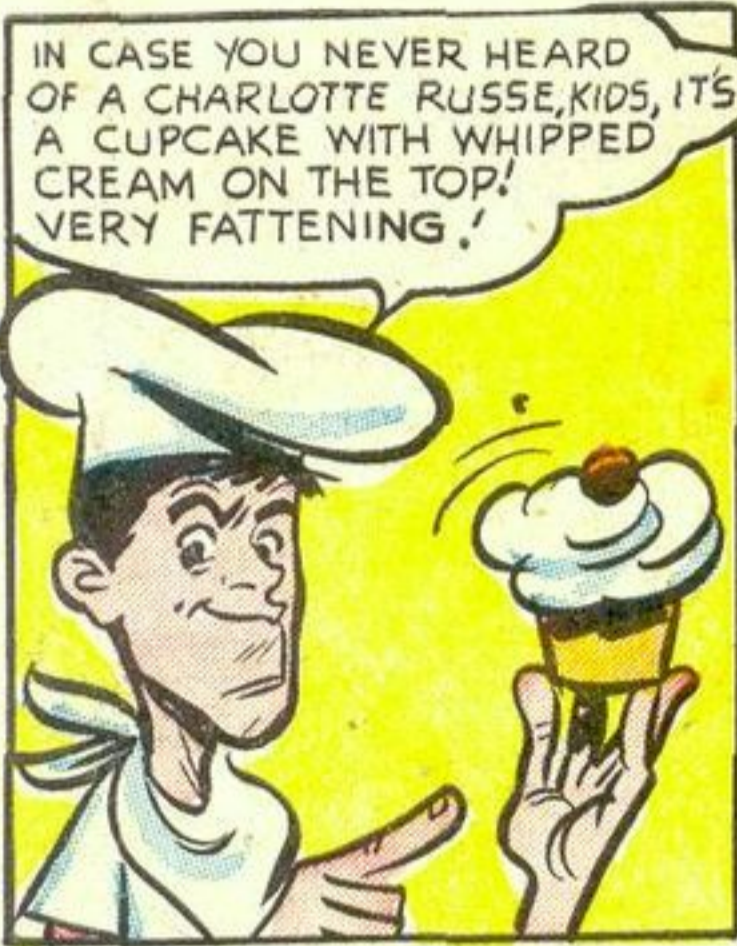
YOU'RE JUST JEALOUS
 CUZZ I'VE GOT A
 MAGNETIC STARE
 AND YOU HAVEN'T!

BIG MAN!
 BIG DEAL! BIG
 SHOT CHARLOTTE
 RUSSE MAKER!

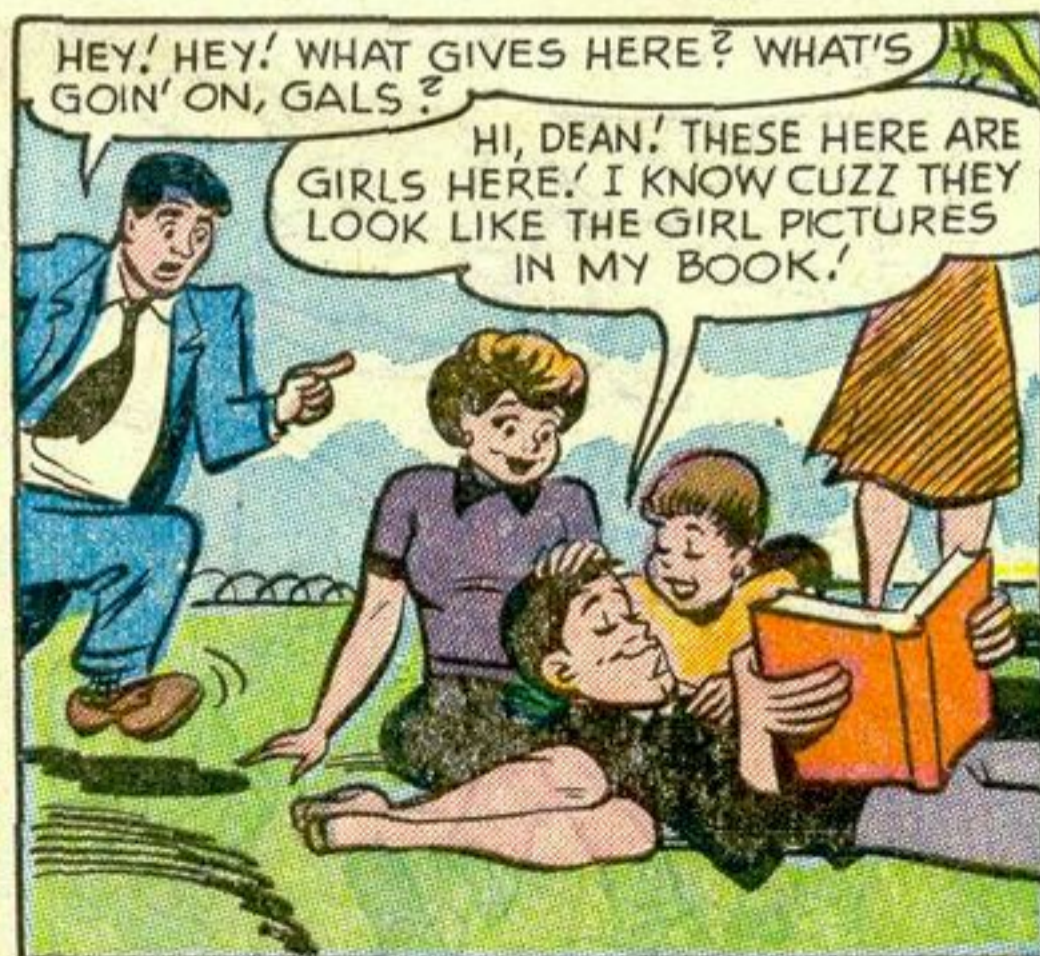
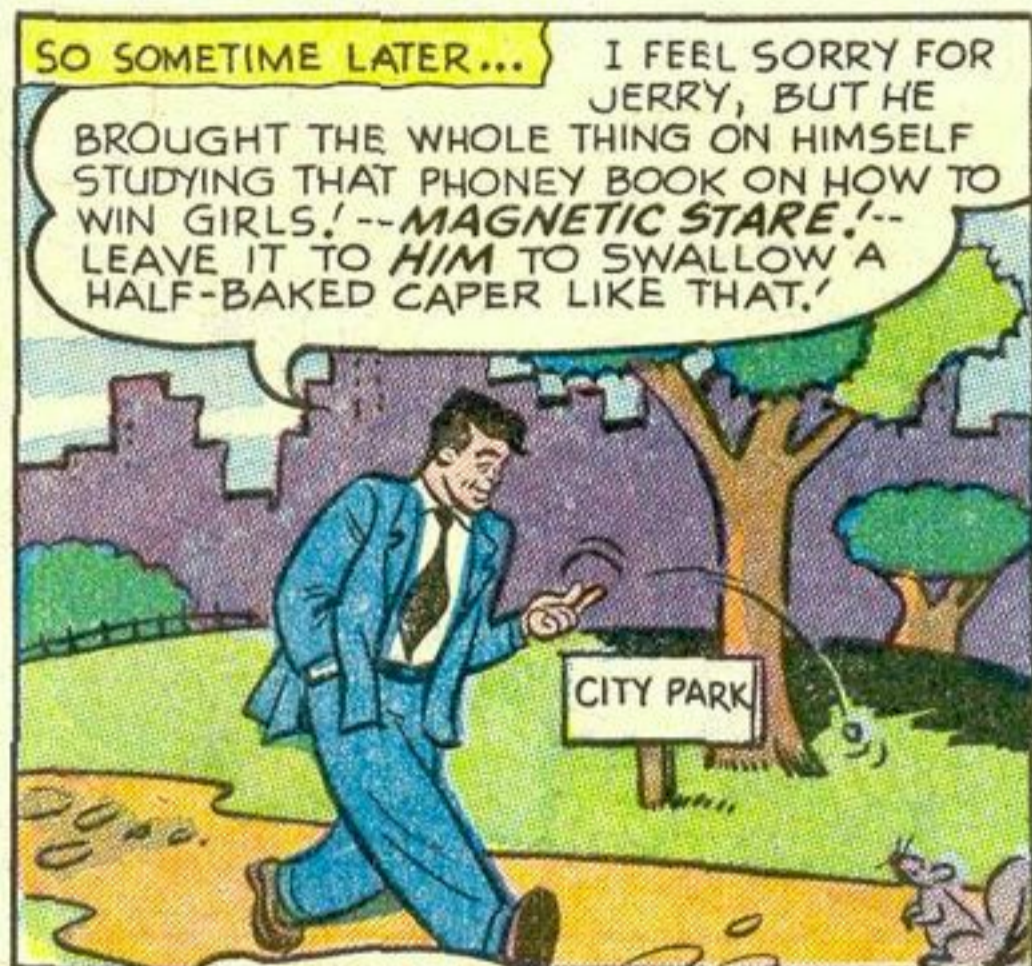
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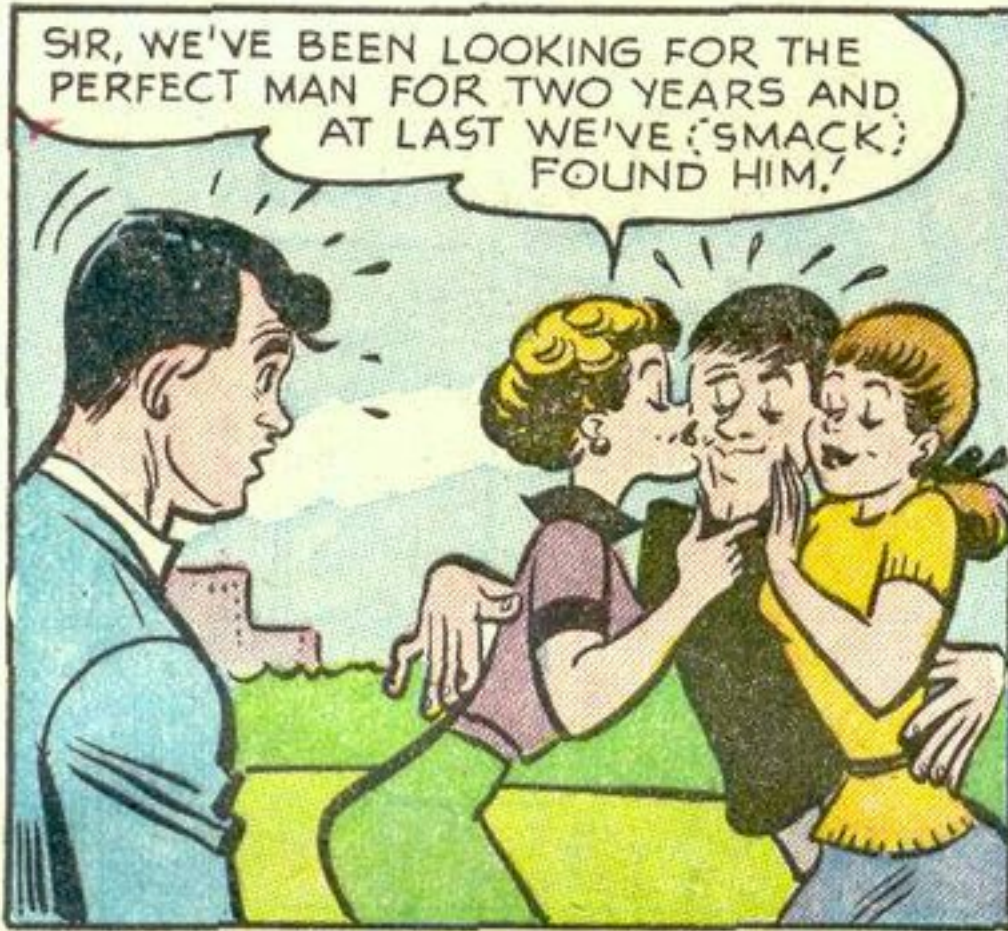
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SIR, WE'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR THE PERFECT MAN FOR TWO YEARS AND AT LAST WE'VE 'SMACK' FOUND HIM!



THIS IS THE PERFECT MAN?!!

YOU THINK SO TOO, HUH, DEAN?



WON'T YOU PLEASE COME WITH US? WE WANT TO SHOW YOU TO THE OTHERS!

WHAT ARE OTHERS? IF OTHERS ARE ANYTHING LIKE GIRLS, I'LL GO! I'LL GO!

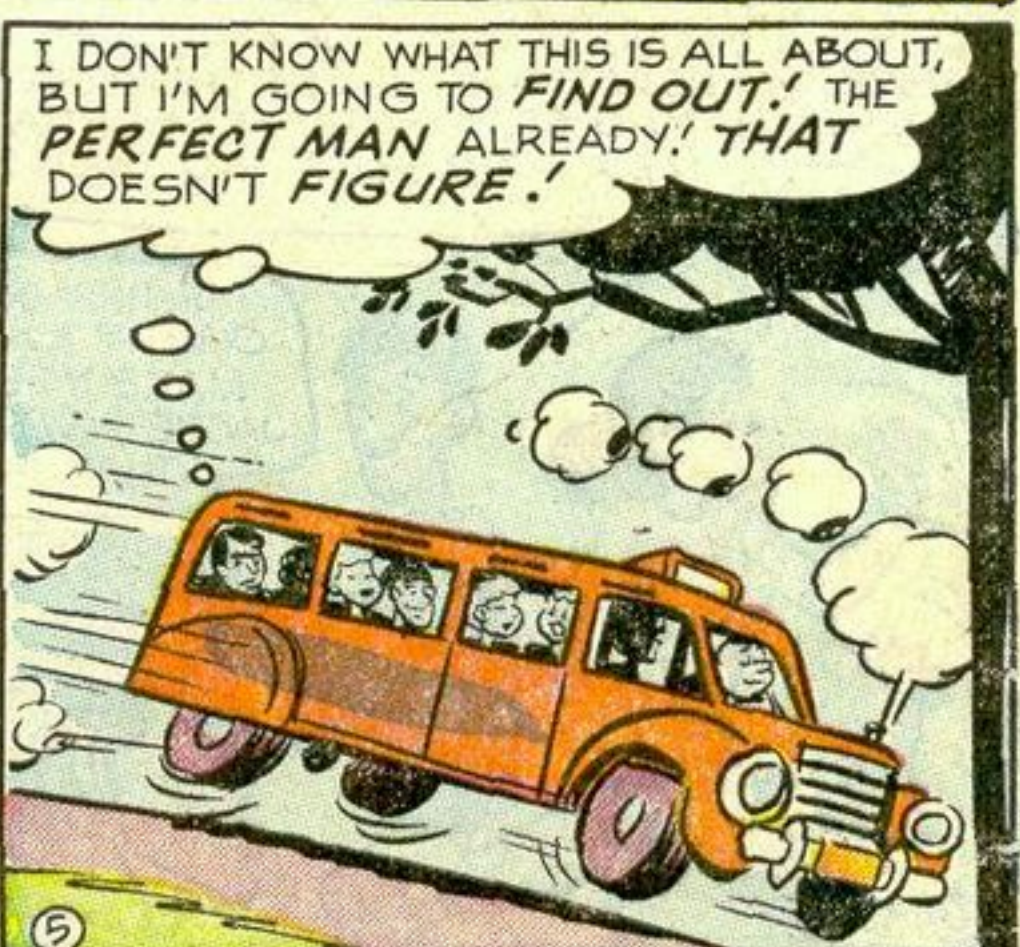


JUST A MINUTE, GALS! AH--ER--JERRY IS MY PARTNER, MY BEST FRIEND, SO TO SPEAK, AND--WELL, IF YOU DON'T MIND, I'D LIKE TO GO ALONG JUST TO KEEP AN EYE ON HIM!



VERY WELL, MR. MARTIN! COME ALONG!

WHY YOU WANNA KEEP AN EYE ON ME, DEAN? ISN'T IT BETTER TO KEEP IT IN YOUR HEAD?



I DON'T KNOW WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT, BUT I'M GOING TO FIND OUT! THE PERFECT MAN ALREADY! THAT DOESN'T FIGURE!



HERE WE ARE, BOYS! MADAME BLODGETT'S... YOU'LL STAY FOR DINNER, NATURALLY!

I'LL EVEN STAY UNNATURALLY

YOU COULDN'T DO IT ANY OTHER WAY!

MADAME BLODGETT! MADAME BLODGETT! WE'VE DONE IT! WE FOUND THE PERFECT MAN!



WONDERFUL, GIRLS! WE MUST CHECK HIS MEASUREMENTS IMMEDIATELY!

I GOTTA REMEMBER NOT TO LET MY MAGNETIC STARE WANDER IN HER DIRECTION!



ARM LENGTH 33! PERFECT!

LEG, 36... PERFECT!

YOU MIGHTA KNOWN!



TOES, FINE!

PERFECT!

WODDEYA TH... OF MY MAGNETIC STARE NOW, DEAN? THESE CHICKS ARE SO MAD FOR ME, THEY'RE GONNA MAKE ME A NEW SUIT AND SHOES!

IF THEY DO, THEY OUGHT TO JUST MAKE YOU A JACKET-STRAIT, THAT IS!



WAIST, TWENTY-SEV--

HA! YEEAH HA HA

HO





CHAMPION **LARRY** YOGI **BERRA**
SPARKS
YANKEES!

IT'S THE NINTH INNING
 OF A CRUCIAL GAME
 --THE YANKEES HAVE
 RALLIED AND THE TYING
 RUN IS ON FIRST BASE!

I GOTTA KEEP THIS
 RALLY GOING!

SPARK
 IT UP,
 YOGI!

WHEW!
 THAT WAS
 CLOSE!

IT'S A
 HIT!

WOW! HE REALLY
 HAD HIS WHEATIES!

CRACK!

THE GAME'S ALL
 TIED UP

YEA, YOGI'S GOT THAT
 SPARK!

GOLLY CAN I
 STRETCH IT TO
 A DOUBLE?

SLIDE YOGI,
 SLIDE!

SAFE!

THAT'S SHOWING
 'EM YOGI!

A SINGLE SCORES BERRA - YANKS
 WIN!

YOUR DOUBLE REALLY
 SPARKED US,
 YOGI!

GOOD THING
 I HAD A DOUBLE
 HELPING OF
 WHEATIES!

TERRIFIC GAME
 YOGI! HOW ABOUT
 A PICTURE?

OKAY, BUT GET
 WHEATIES IN
 IT TOO!

NO FOOLIN'
 YOGI, DO
 WHEATIES
 REALLY GIVE
 YOU ENERGY?

THEY SURE SPARK
 ME. AND NO WONDER--
 THERE'S A WHOLE
 KERNEL OF WHEAT
 IN EVERY
 WHEATIES FLAKE!

WHAT SPARKS A CHAMPION
 SPARKS YOU! AND CHAMPIONS
 CHOOSE WHEATIES!
Breakfast of Champions!

Turns Terrific Clout into Out!

ANOTHER JIM WISE "P-F" ADVENTURE STORY

JUST LOOK AT SANDY NOT EVEN CLOSE TO THAT FLY

WE'LL NEVER WIN TOMORROW'S GAME WITH THAT KIND OF BASEBALL

oops!

SORRY JIM, I JUST DON'T HAVE ANY SPEED LEFT

BETTER WEAR YOUR "P-F's" TOMORROW. YOU'LL NEED ALL YOUR SPEED EVERY INNING TO HELP US WIN

PRACTICING FOR THE BIG GAME...

JIM WISE TELLS WHY "P-F" CANVAS SHOES HELP YOU GO FULL SPEED LONGER!

1. THE IMPORTANT "P-F" RIGID WEDGE HELPS KEEP THE WEIGHT OF THE BODY ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE NORMAL FOOT...DECREASING

FOOT AND LEG MUSCLE STRAIN, INCREASING ENDURANCE.

2. SPONGE RUBBER CUSHION.

"P-F" MEANS POSTURE FOUNDATION®

DAY OF "THE BIG GAME." WE WERE LEADING 4-3 IN THE LAST HALF OF THE 9TH WITH 2 OUT AND RUNNERS ON SECOND AND THIRD...WHEN...

WHAT A WALLOP!

LOOKS LIKE A SURE TRIPLE!

BUT LOOK AT THAT CENTER-FIELDER!

GOT IT! GOOD THING I WAS WEARING MY "P-F's"

GREAT CATCH, SANDY. YOUR SPEED SAVED THE OLD BALL GAME!

AND "P-F's" HELPED ME PLAY AT MY BEST RIGHT THROUGH THE GAME

TAKE A TIP FROM JIM WISE!

GET YOUR "P-F" CANVAS SHOES TODAY AND SEE FOR YOURSELF HOW THEY HELP:

- ... LESSEN FOOT AND LEG MUSCLE STRAIN
- ... INCREASE ENDURANCE
- ... YOU GO FULL SPEED LONGER



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DEAN, I'M ALL EMPTY
DOWN HERE!--DOWN
HERE!

QUIT REPEATING
YOURSELF!

I'M NOT DEAN!--
DEAN!

THERE! YOU DID IT AGAIN!



THAT'S NOT ME, IT'S THE
ECHO COMIN' OUT!
LISTEN!
HELLO-O-O!

ALL RIGHT! ALL
RIGHT! SO TAKE
IN YOUR BELT
TILL THE EMPTY
FEELING GOES
AWAY!

HELLO-O-O!



THERE! IT'S
GONE, ISN'T
IT?

YEAH!-- BUT NOW MY
BELT BUCKLE'S HURTIN'
MY BACKBONE, DEAN!





WILL YOU STOP THAT COMPLAINING ABOUT *TRIFLES!* YOU WANT THESE BEAUTIFUL DOLLS TO THINK THAT *MY* FRIEND ISN'T A PERFECT MAN? IT'S EMBARRASSING!

YOU DON'T LIKE ME, YOU TALK MEAN TO ME!



A *REAL* ROCKET? A *SKYROCKET*? CAN I LIGHT IT? I WANNA LIGHT IT, CAN I DEAN? LEMME LIGHT IT!--

ROOF



GIRLS! I THINK WE SHOULD TAKE THE BOYS UP ON THE ROOF AND SHOW THEM THE *ROCKET* AND CHECK THE MEASUREMENTS WHILE WE'RE AT IT!

WONDERFUL! COME ON, JER, YOU DOLL!

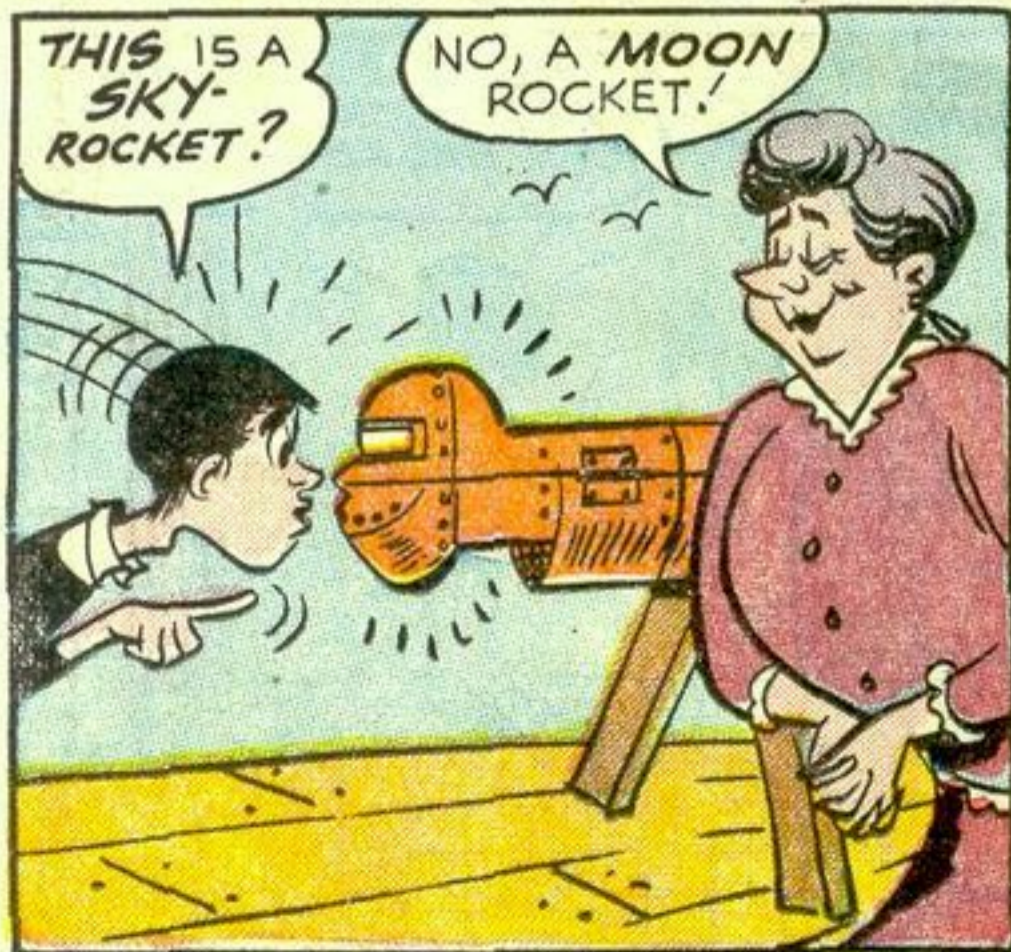
WE'RE GOING UP AND SEE THE ROCKET!

A *ROCKET*?



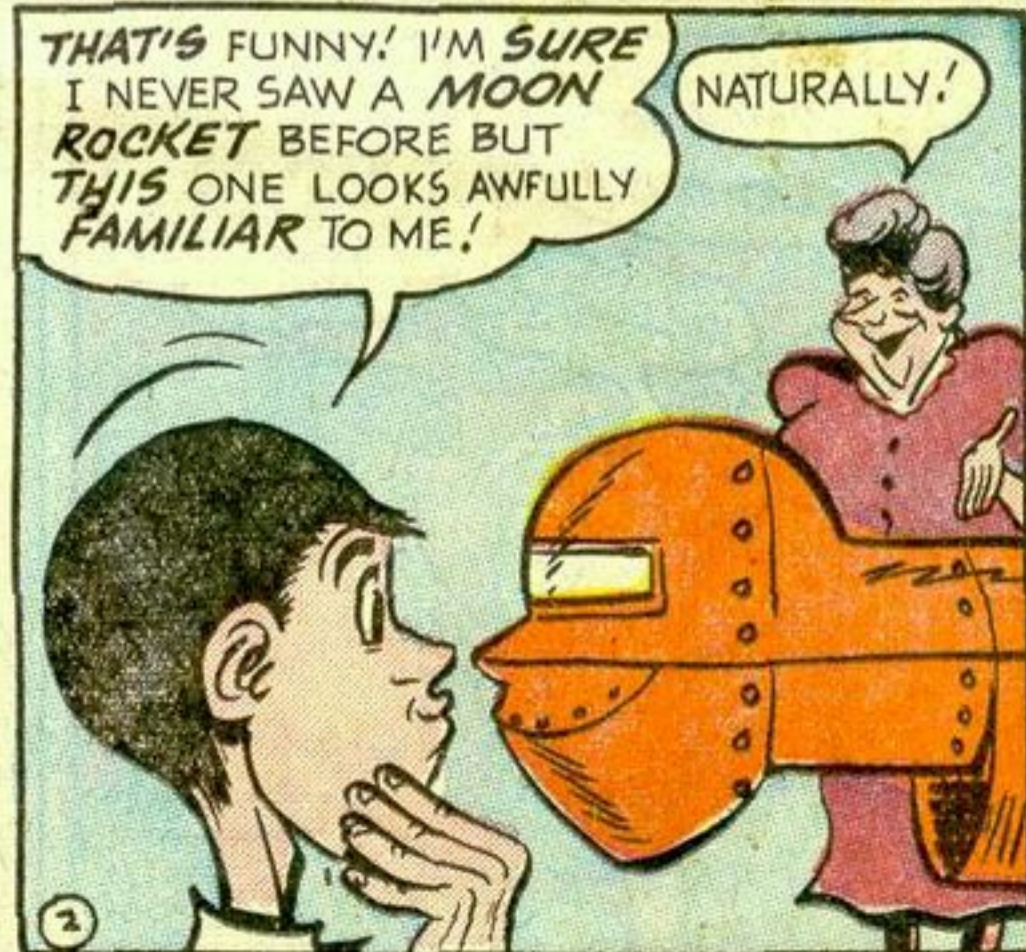
I WANNA LIGHT--

HERE IT IS!



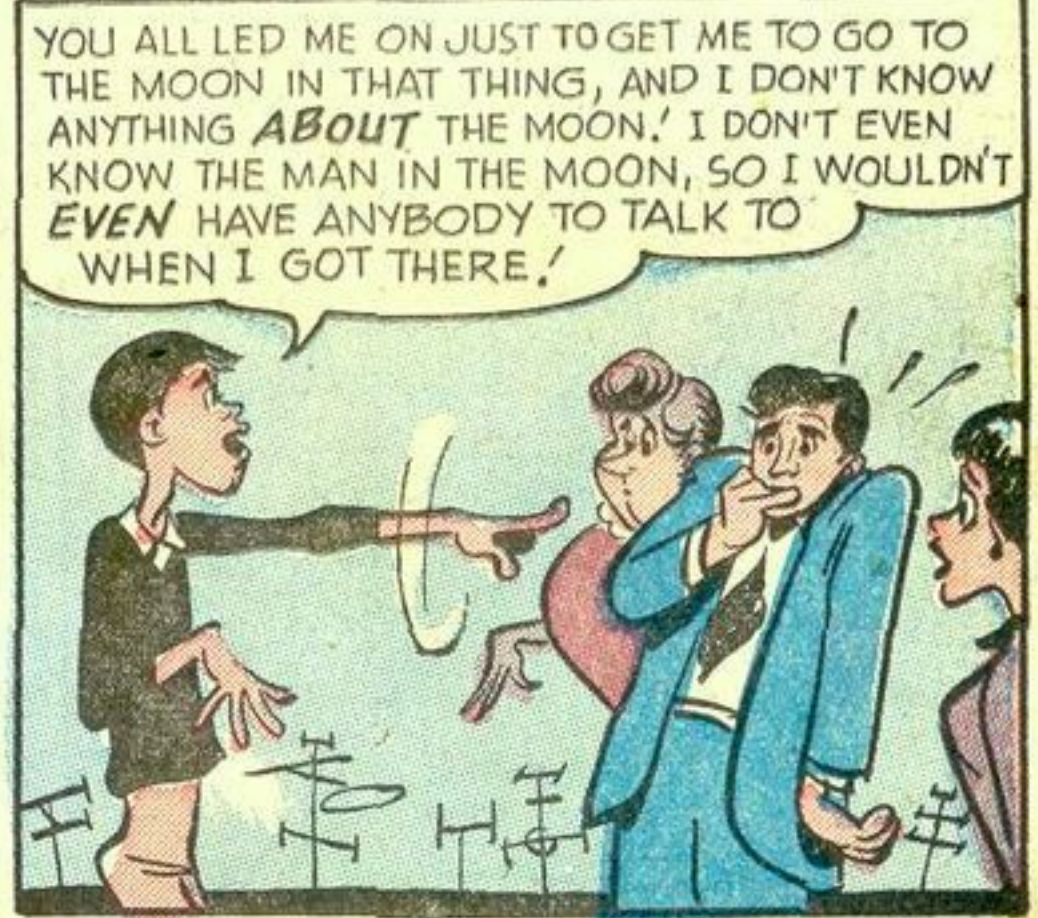
THIS IS A *SKY-ROCKET*?

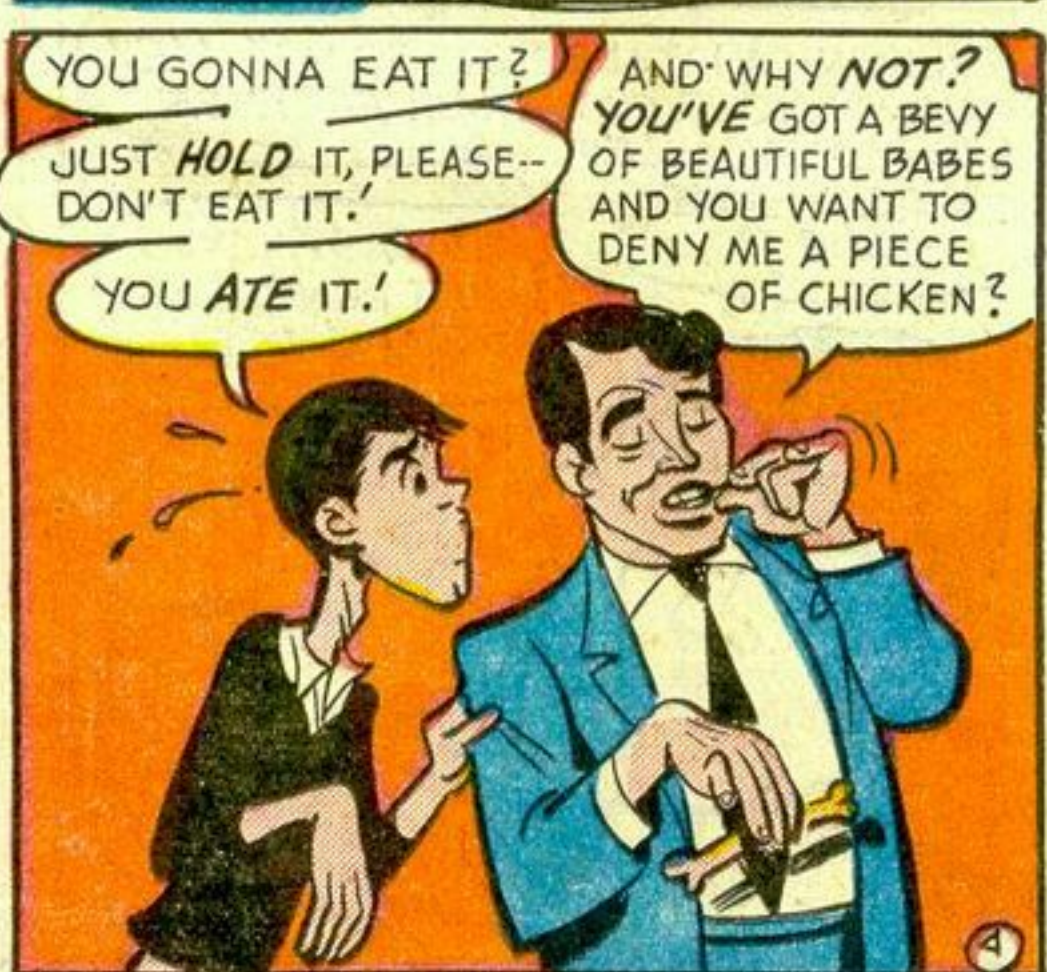
NO, A *MOON* ROCKET!

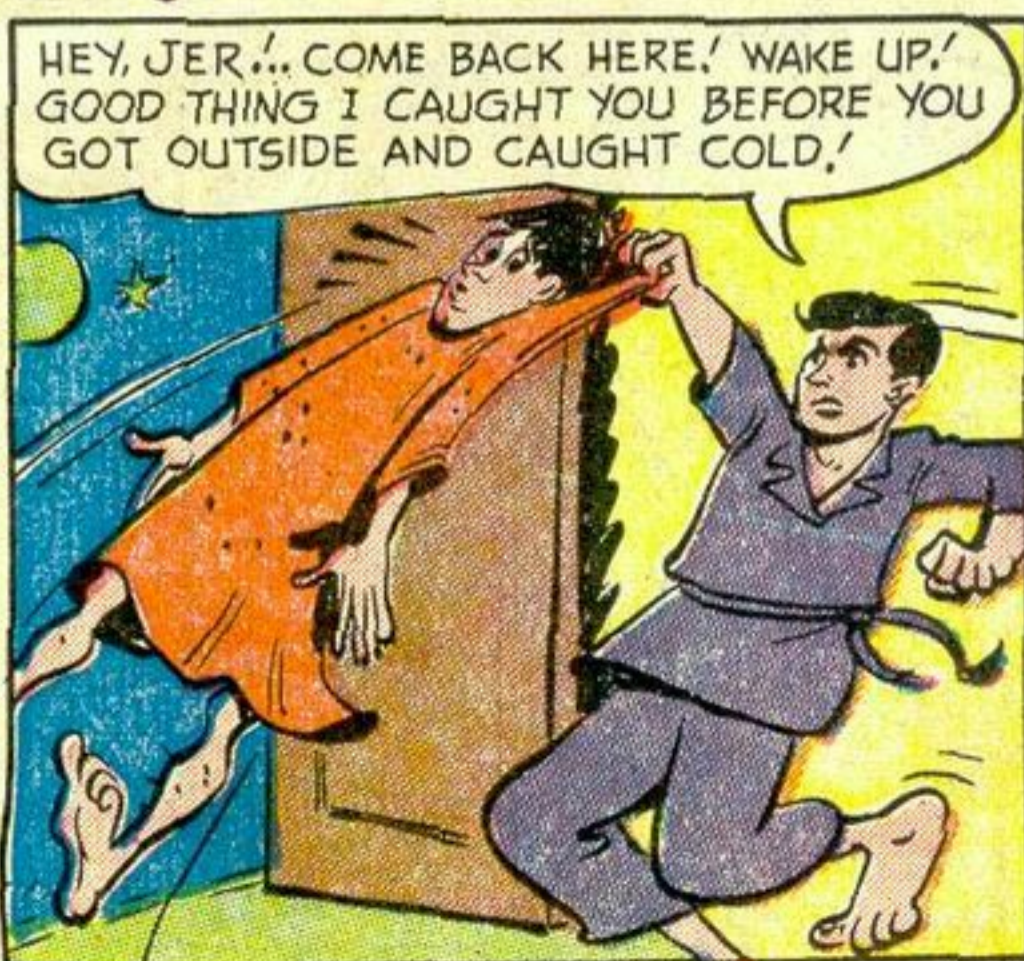


THAT'S FUNNY! I'M *SURE* I NEVER SAW A *MOON* ROCKET BEFORE BUT *THIS* ONE LOOKS AWFULLY FAMILIAR TO ME!

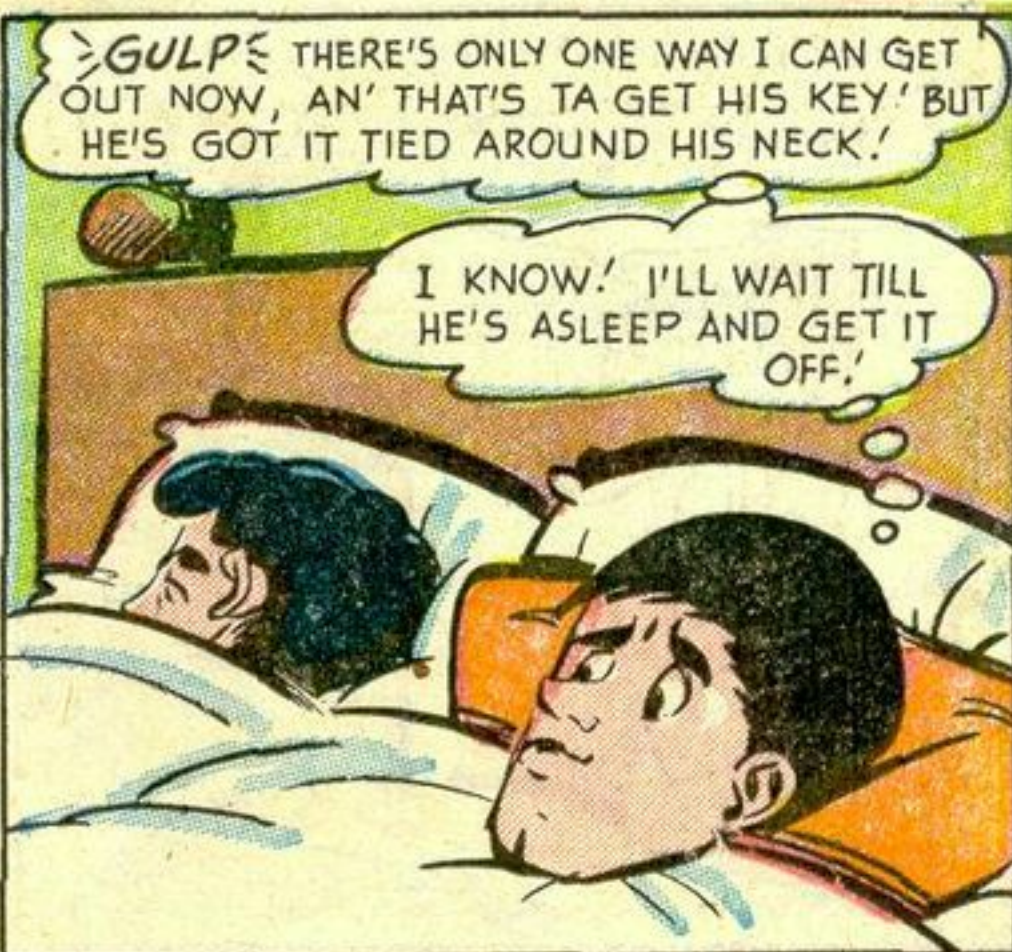
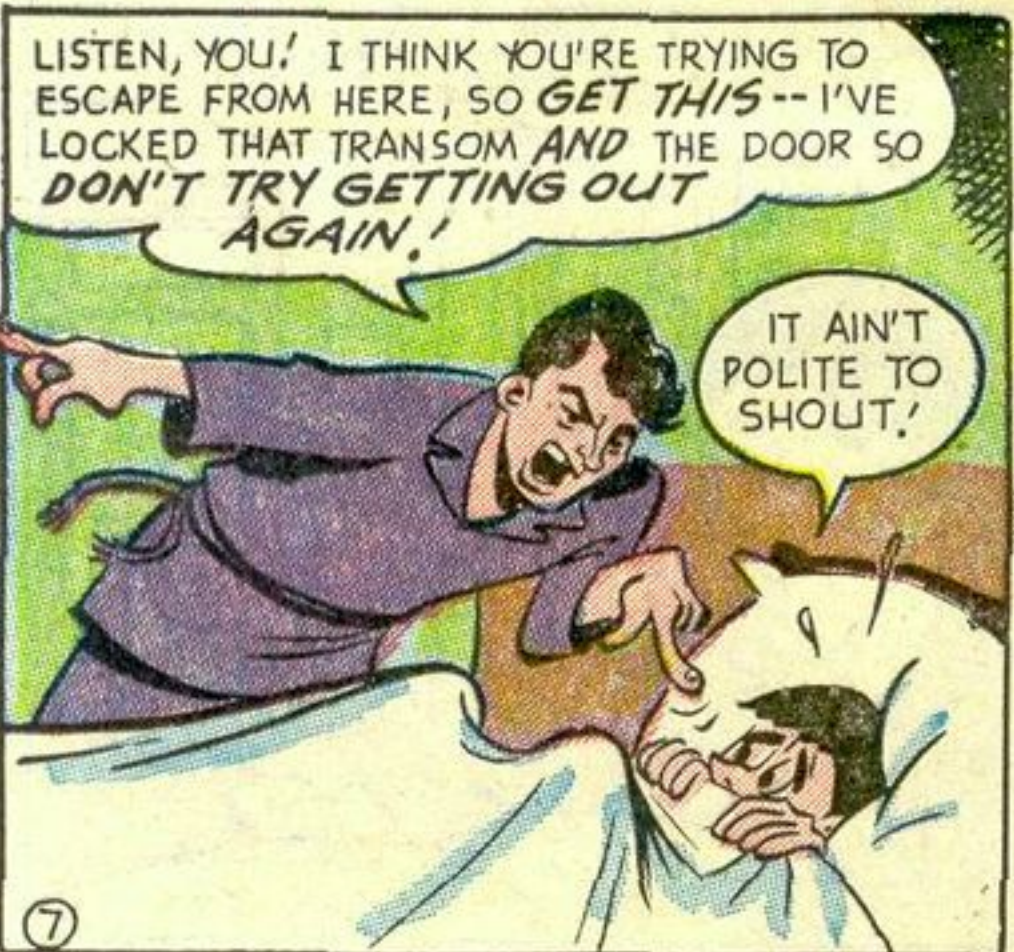
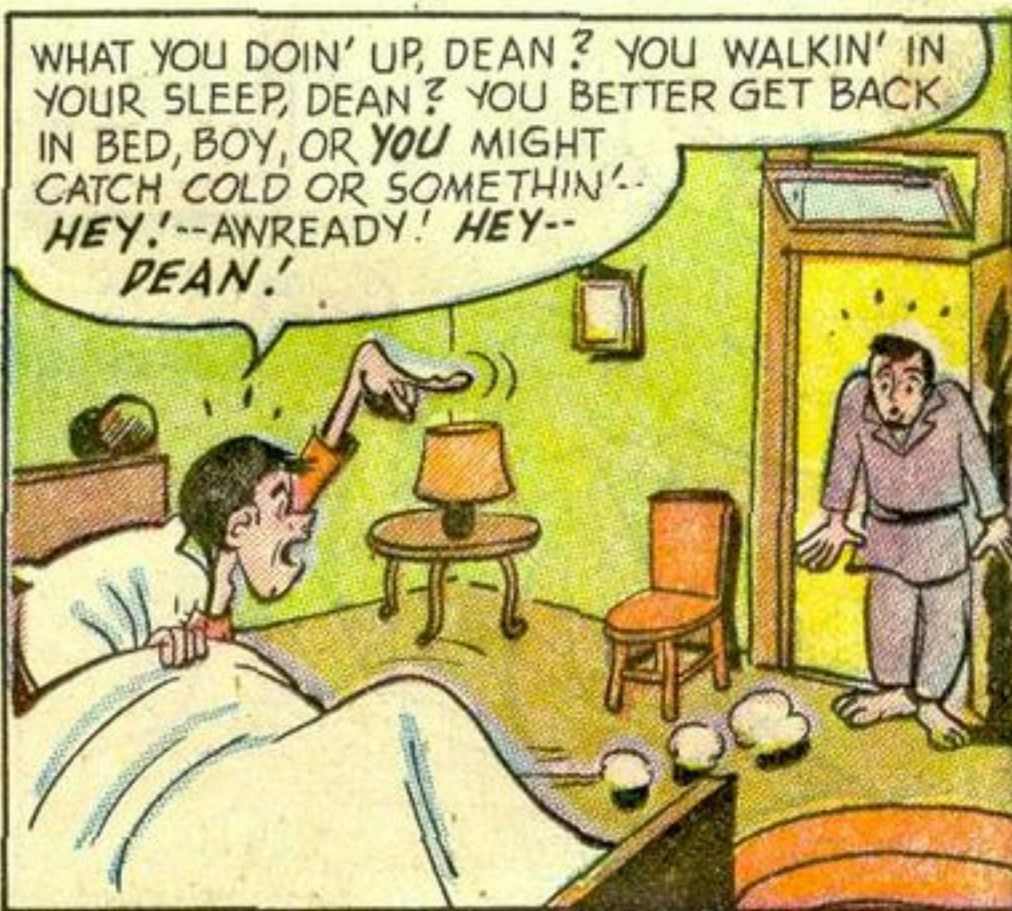
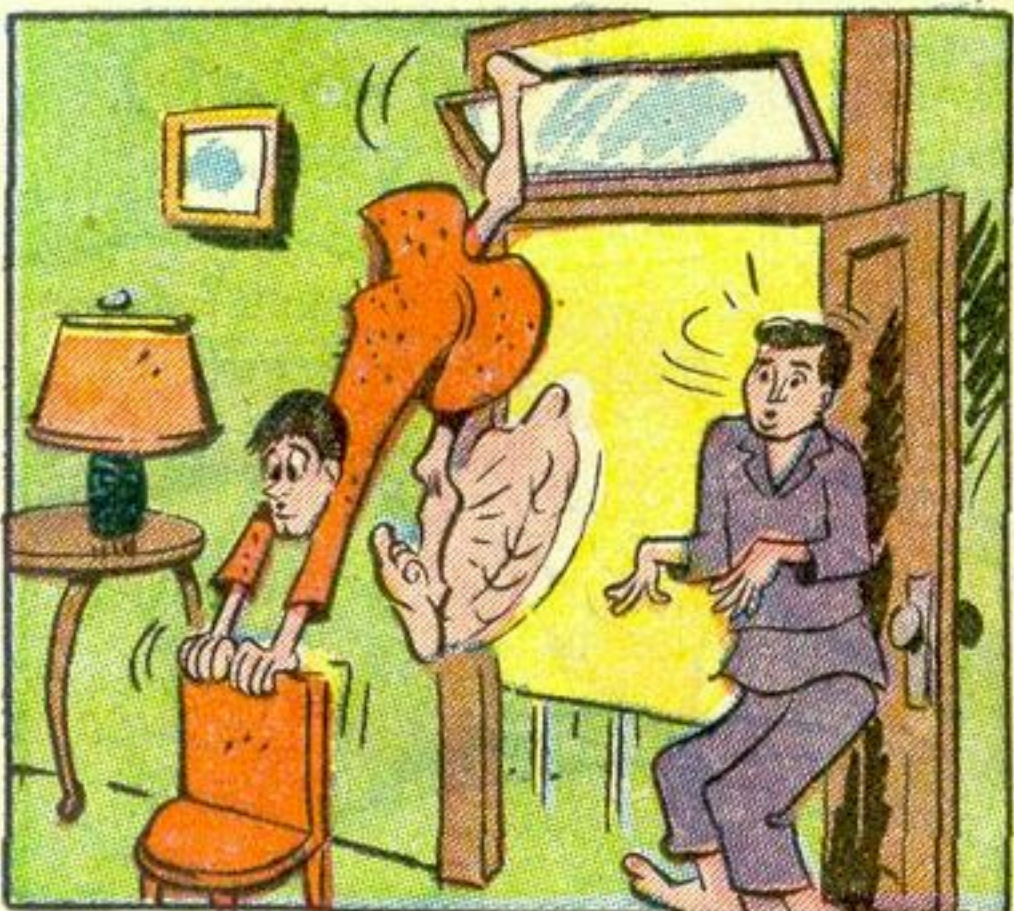
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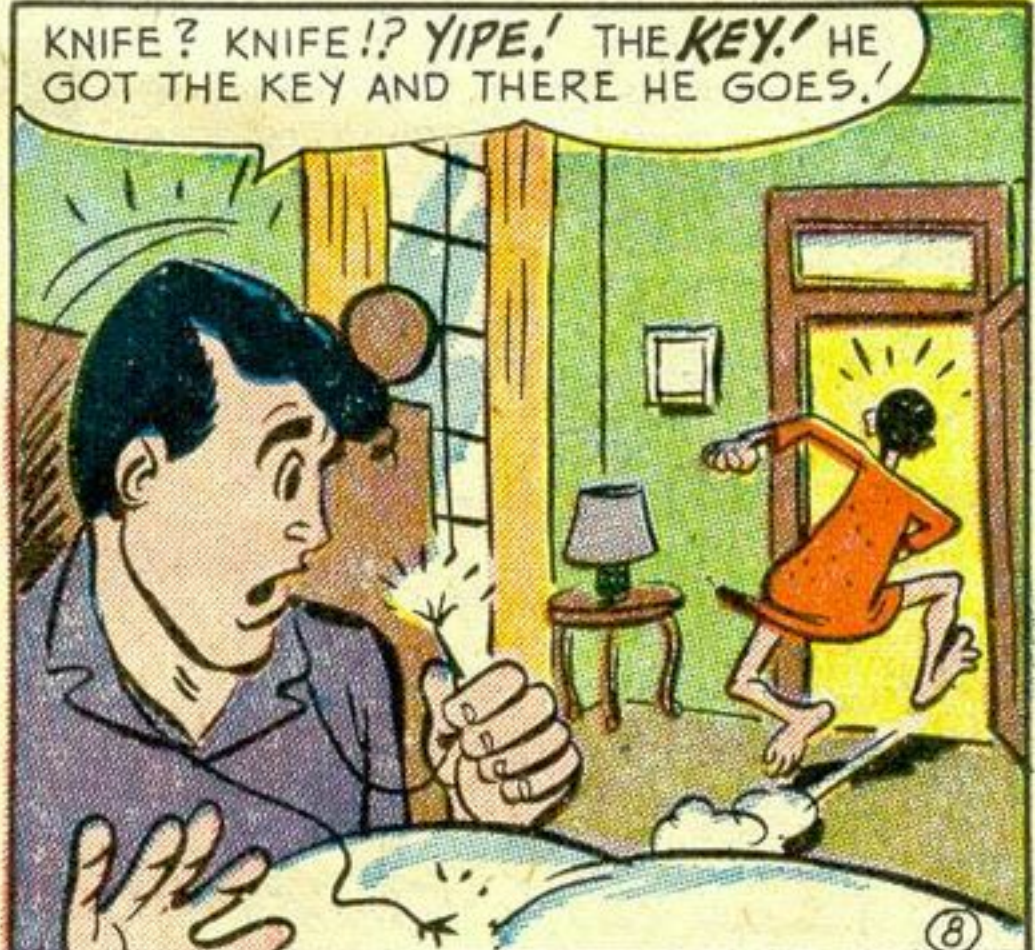
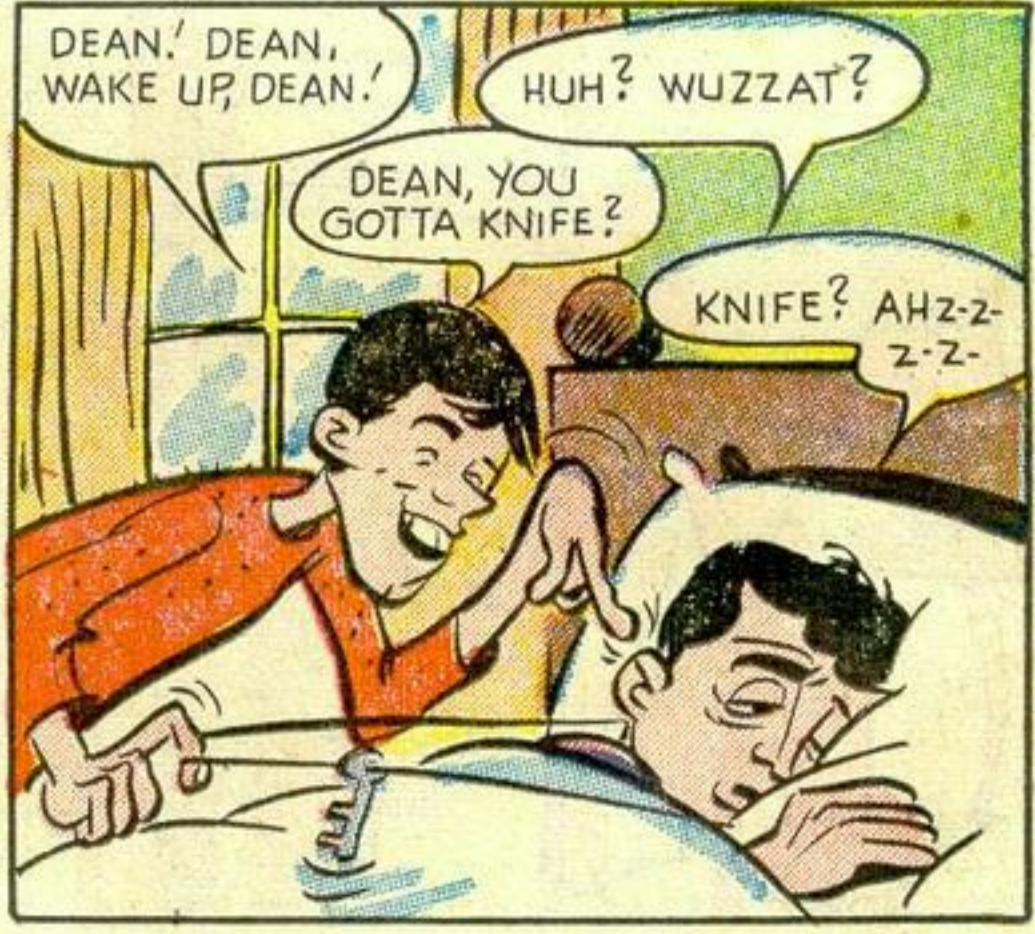
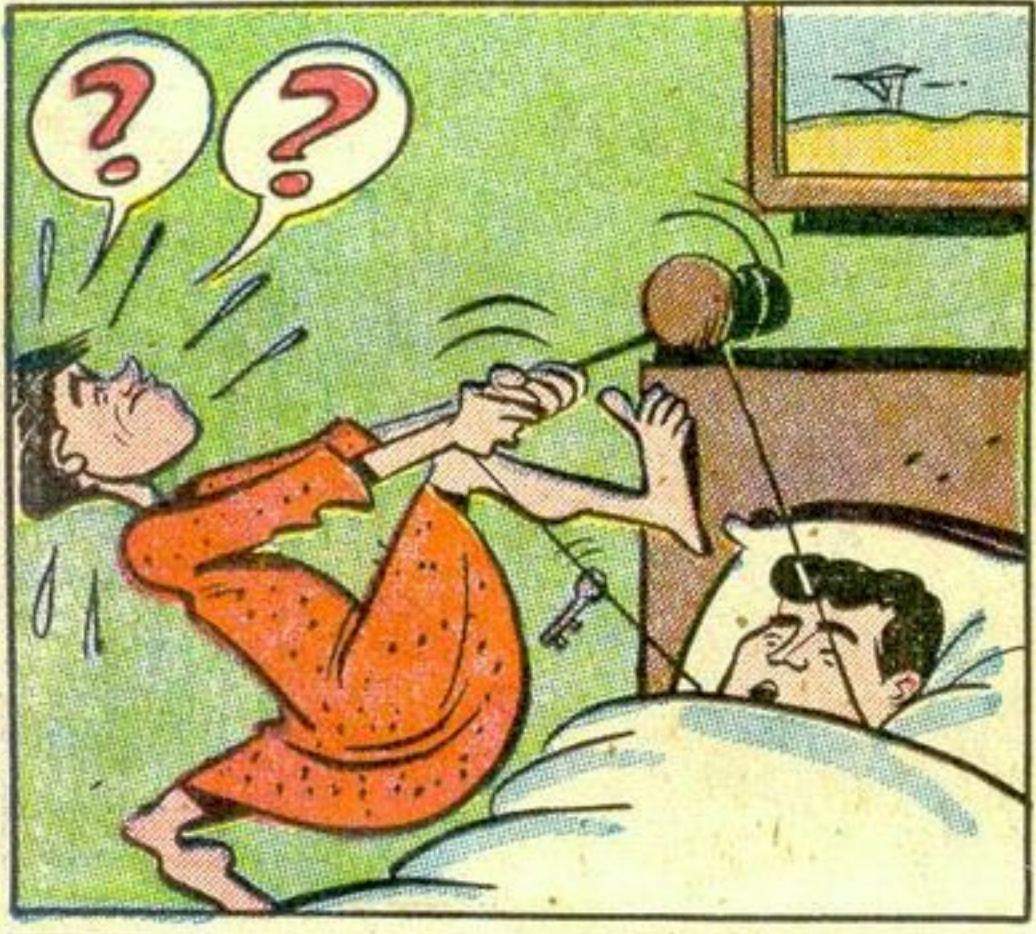
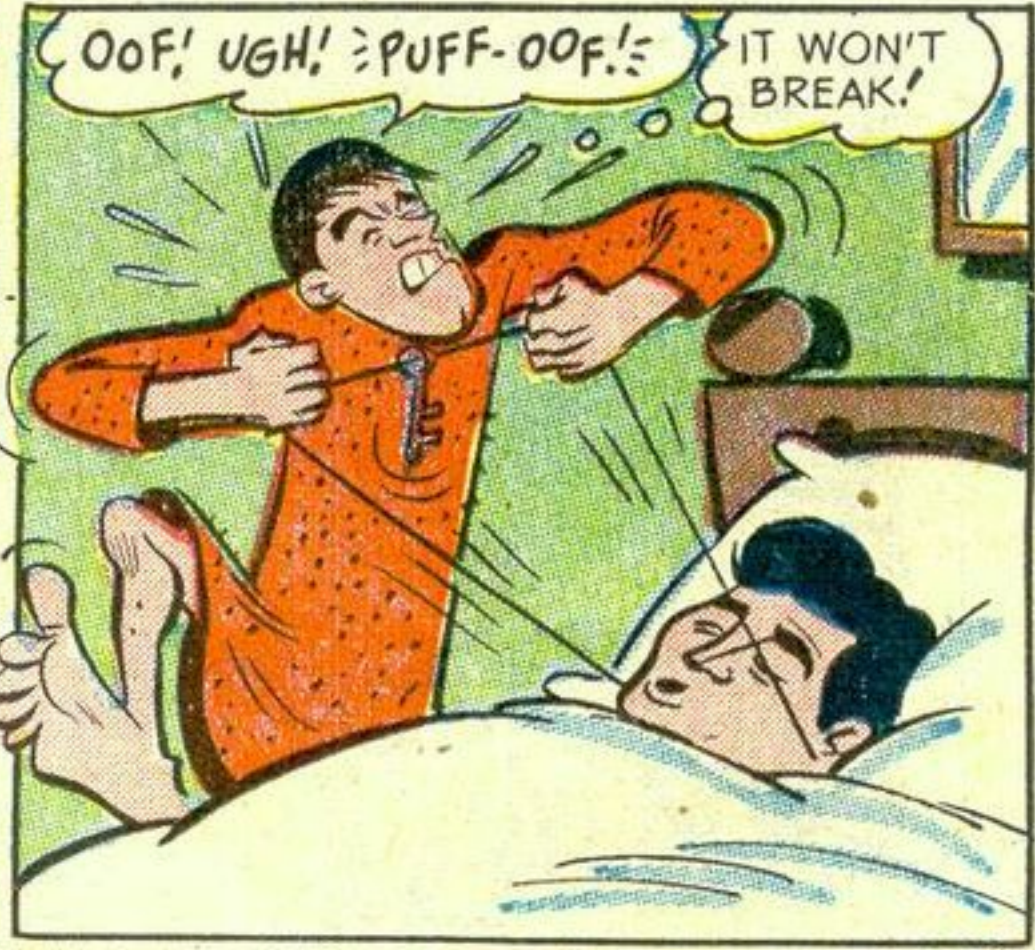


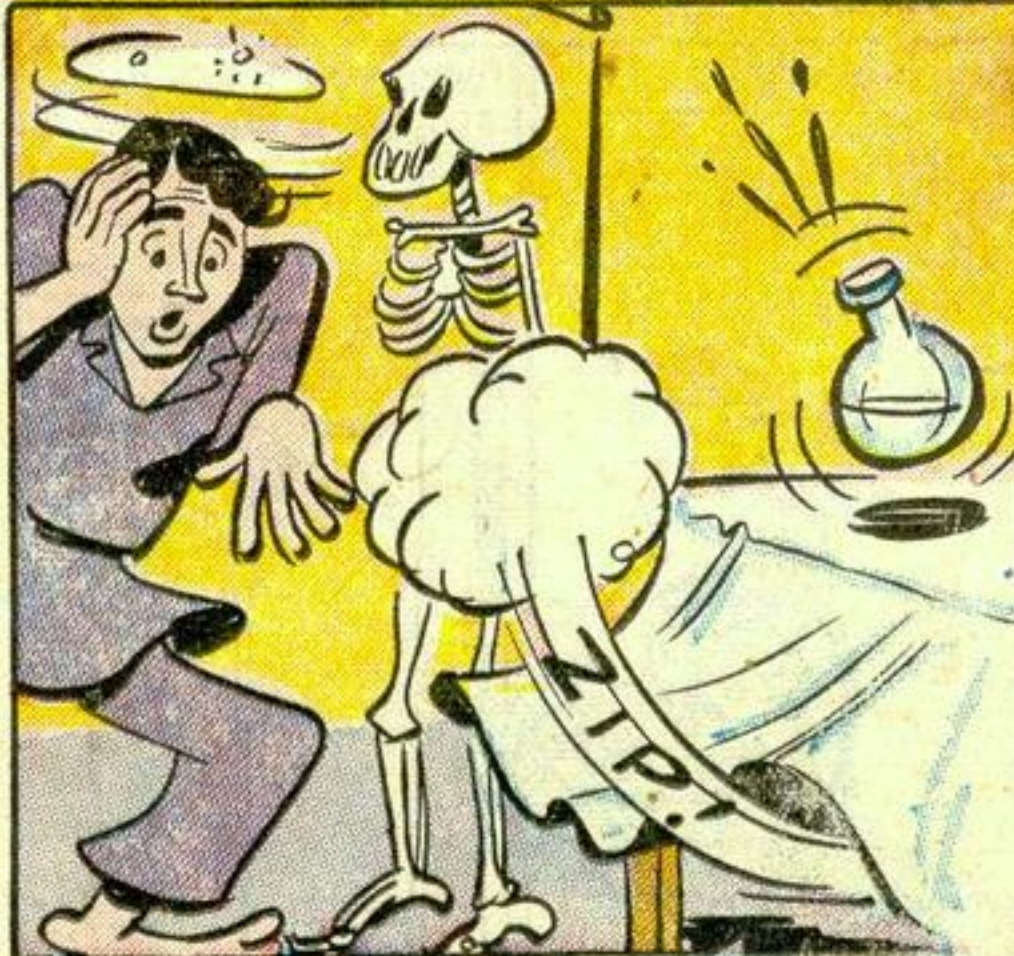
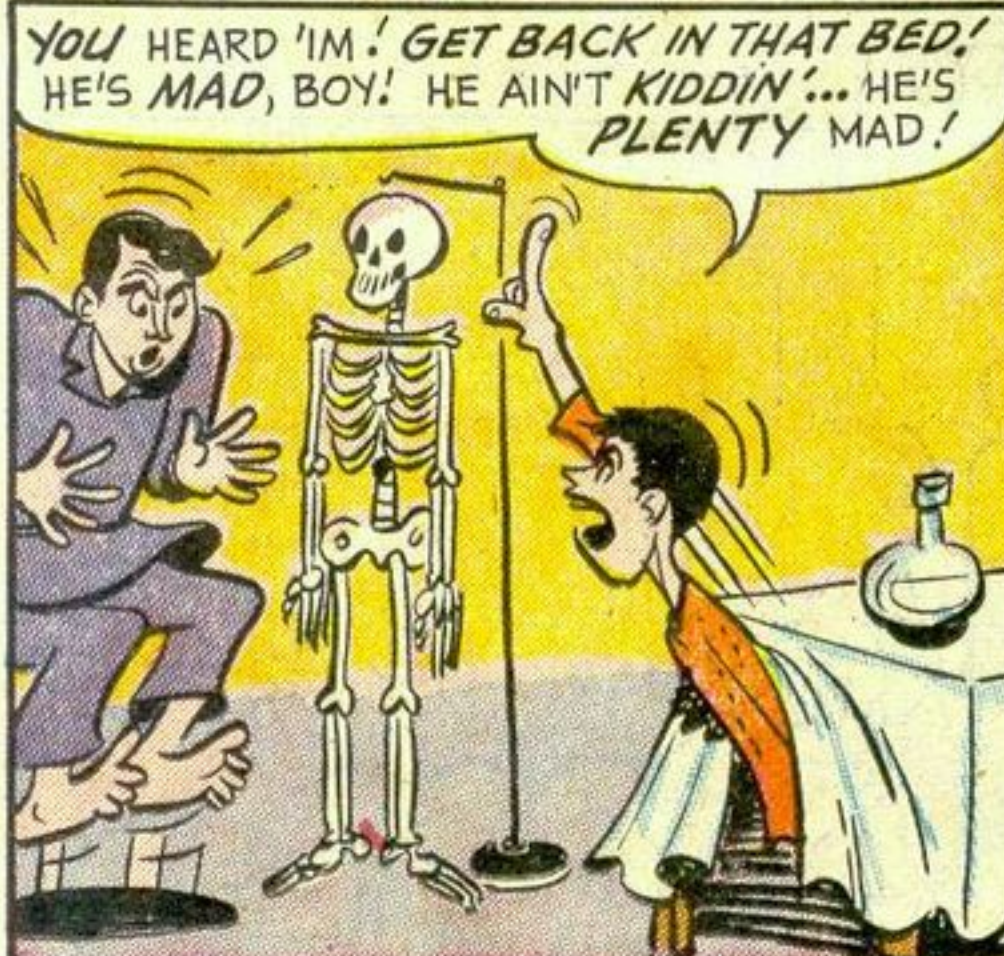
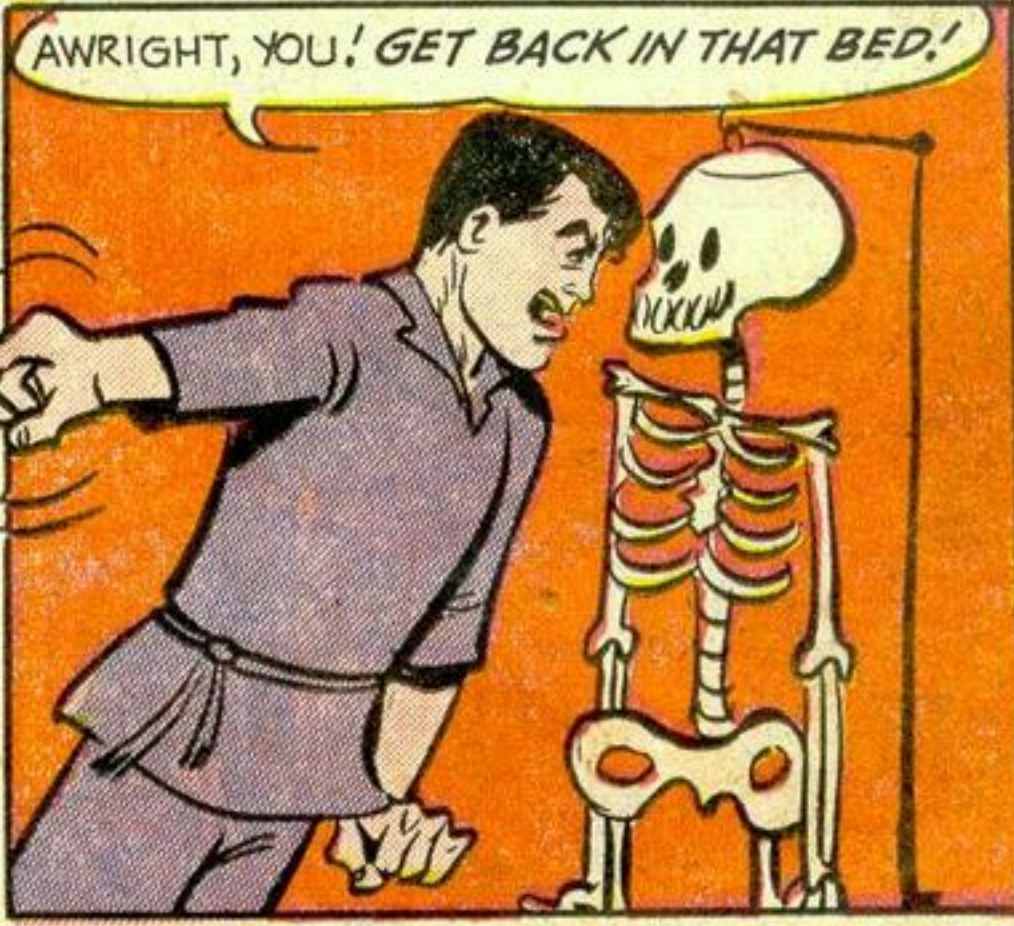














MARTIN & LEWIS



COME OUT OF THERE, YOU BIRDBRAIN!

HOW'D YOU KNOW I WAS IN HERE, DEAN?

SO YOU WERE GOING TO **RUN OUT** ON ALL OF US AFTER **PROMISING** TO MAKE THE TRIP TO THE MOON! WHAT DO YOU THINK THOSE BEAUTIFUL BABES ARE GOING TO SAY IF THEY HEAR ABOUT THIS?--YOU KNOW WHAT THEY'LL SAY **YOU ARE?**

YELLOW?

RIGHT! AND YOU KNOW WHAT THEY'LL CALL YOU?

A COWARD?

EXACTLY! NOW DO YOU WANT ME TO TELL THEM WHAT YOU'VE DONE?

WOULD YA, DEAN? I HAVEN'T GOT THE NERVE TO TELL 'EM MYSELF! **BESIDES,** I WON'T BE THERE!

A FEW MINUTES LATER...

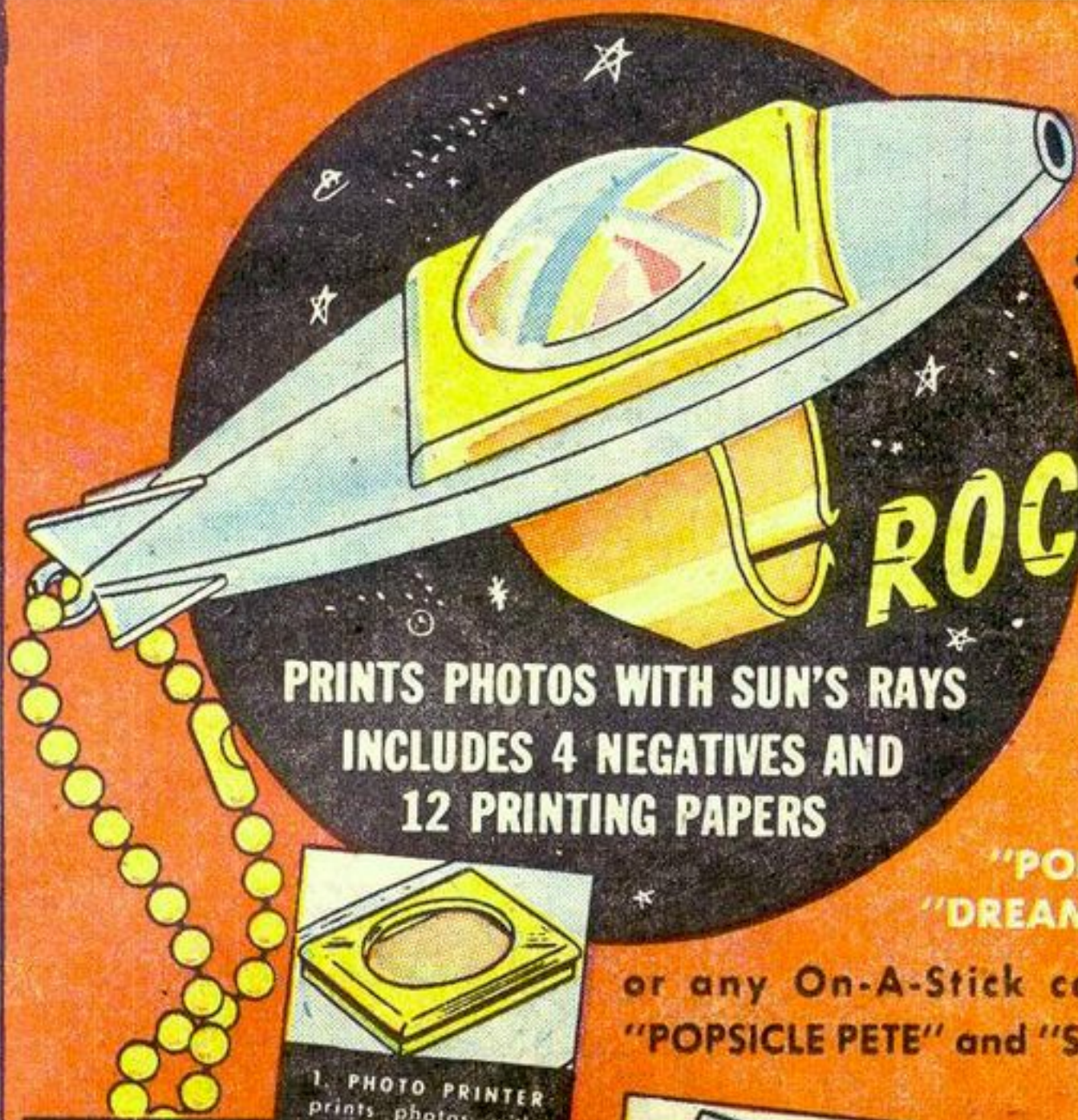
I HEARD YOU MOVING AROUND DOWN HERE, MR. MARTIN! IS THERE ANYTHING WRONG?

WRONG? OH NO, MADAME BLODGETT! NOTHING WRONG! JERRY WAS RESTLESS AND HAD SOME TROUBLE STAYING IN BED!

OH? WELL--IS HE ABLE TO STAY IN BED NOW?

OH, YES, MA'AM! HE'S STAYING IN BED PERFECTLY NOW! GOOD NIGHT!

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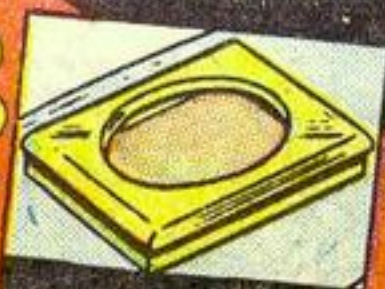
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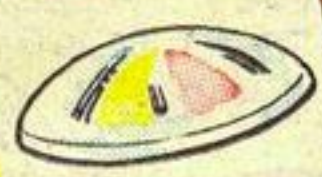
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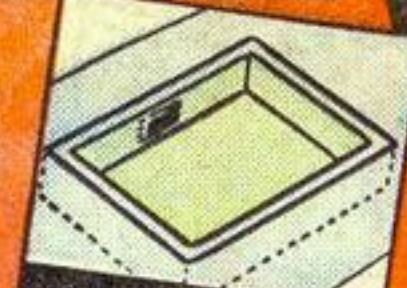
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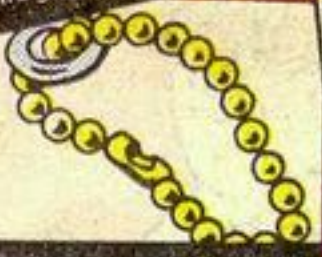
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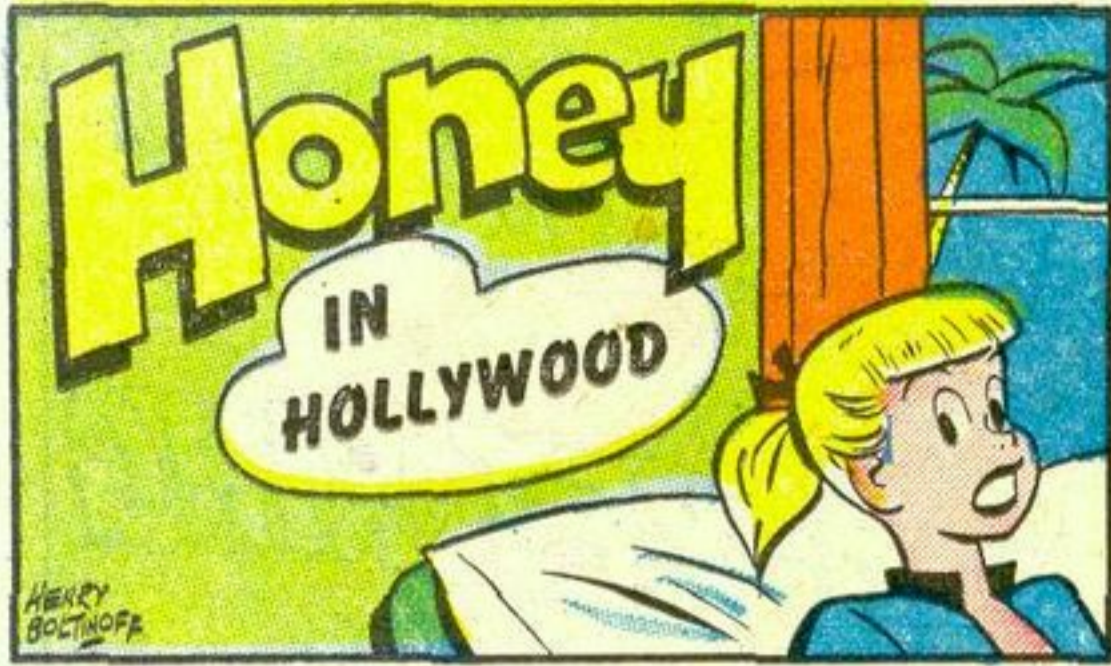
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WHAT IS SOMETIMES LIVED ON AND SOMETIMES LIVED IN BUT IS ONLY GOOD WHEN BROKEN?

GIVE UP? SEE BELOW*

ANSWER: AN EGG*

FOR A REAL TREAT BREAK OPEN A ROLL OF **Necco** WAFERS... THE ORIGINAL SUGAR WAFER CANDY!

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DOZENS 'N DOZENS IN EVERY ROLL!

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THIS IS IT, JER, BOY! **THE BIG DAY!** YOU'RE GOING TO THE MOON IN A ROCKET AND GET A **WHOLE HUNDRED BUCKS** FOR IT! THANKS TO **MY ARRANGING** EVERYTHING FOR YOU!

I DON'T KNOW HOW I'D GET ALONG WITHOUT YOU, DEAN... BUT I'D LIKE TA **TRY!**



IS THAT ANY WAY TO SHOW YOUR GRATITUDE? I GET YOU A JOB MAKING A **HUNDRED BUCKS** THE **EASY** WAY AND YOU GET NASTY ABOUT IT!

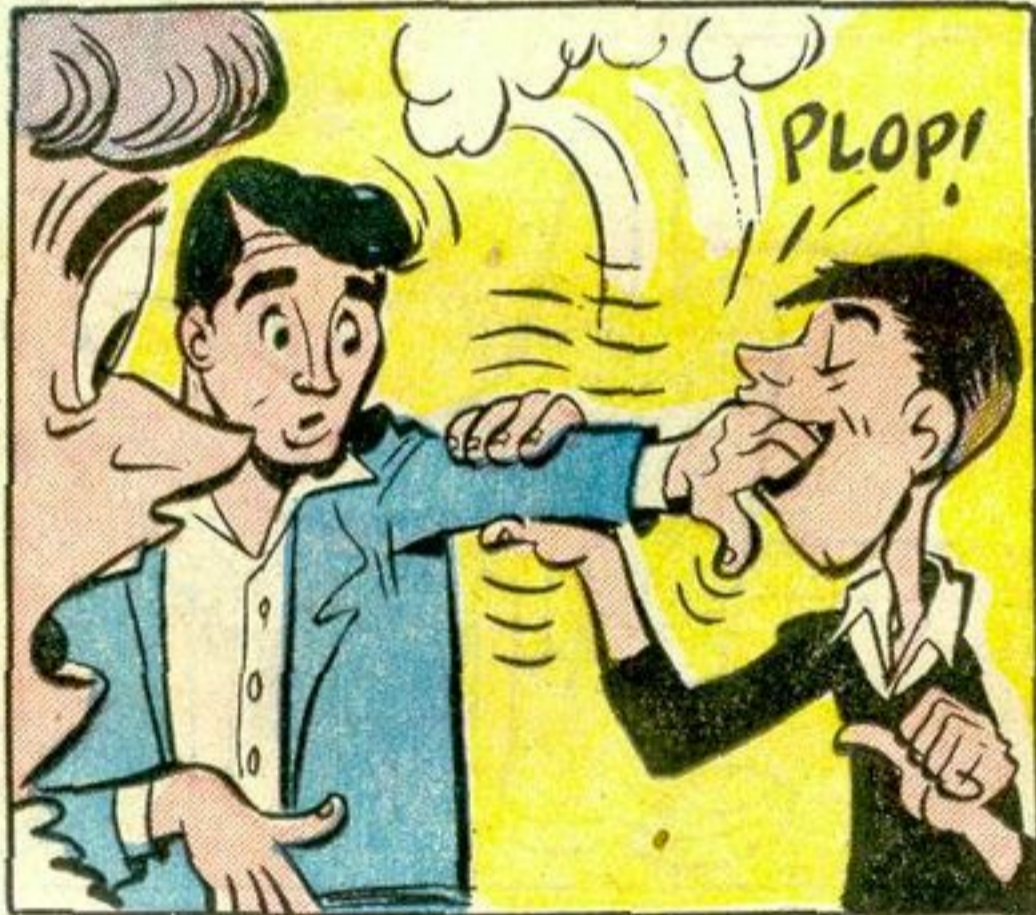
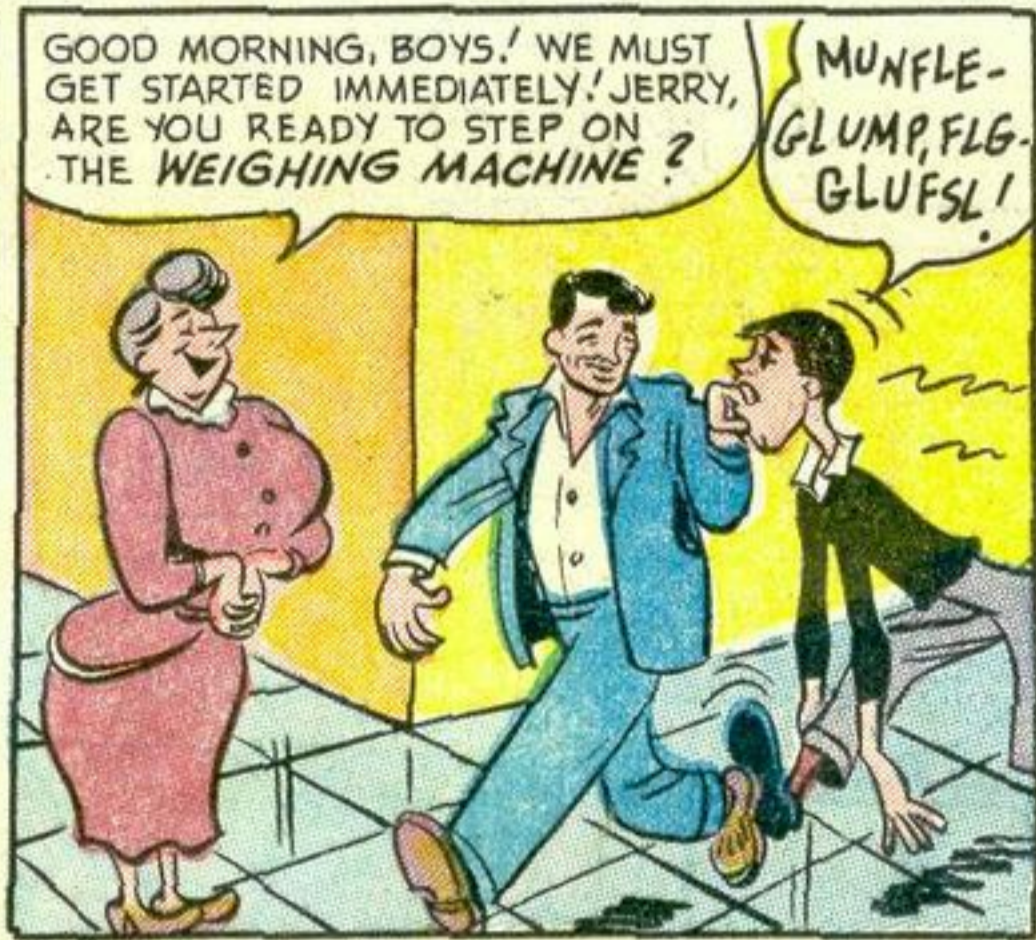
I'M NOT NASTY ABOUT IT, DEAN! HONEST! I'M NOT NASTY! I'D JUST RATHER MAKE IT THE **HARD** WAY, DEAN!

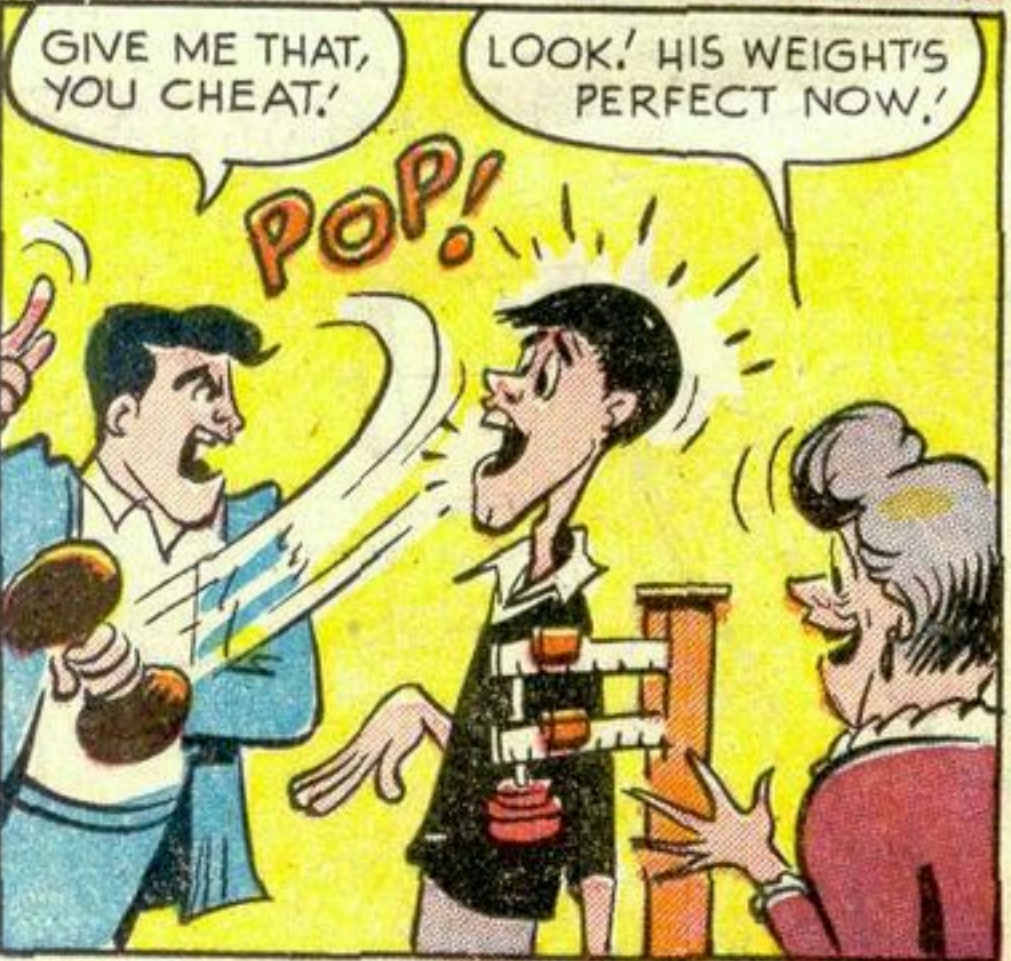
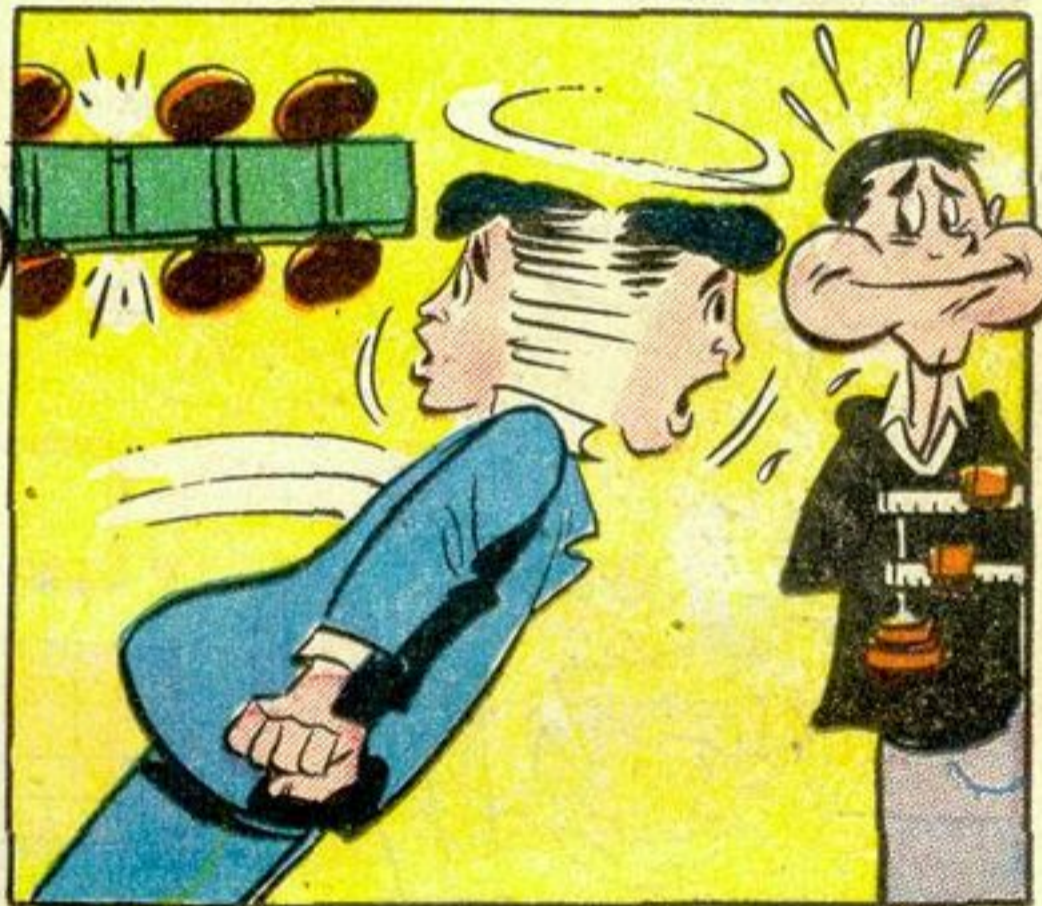
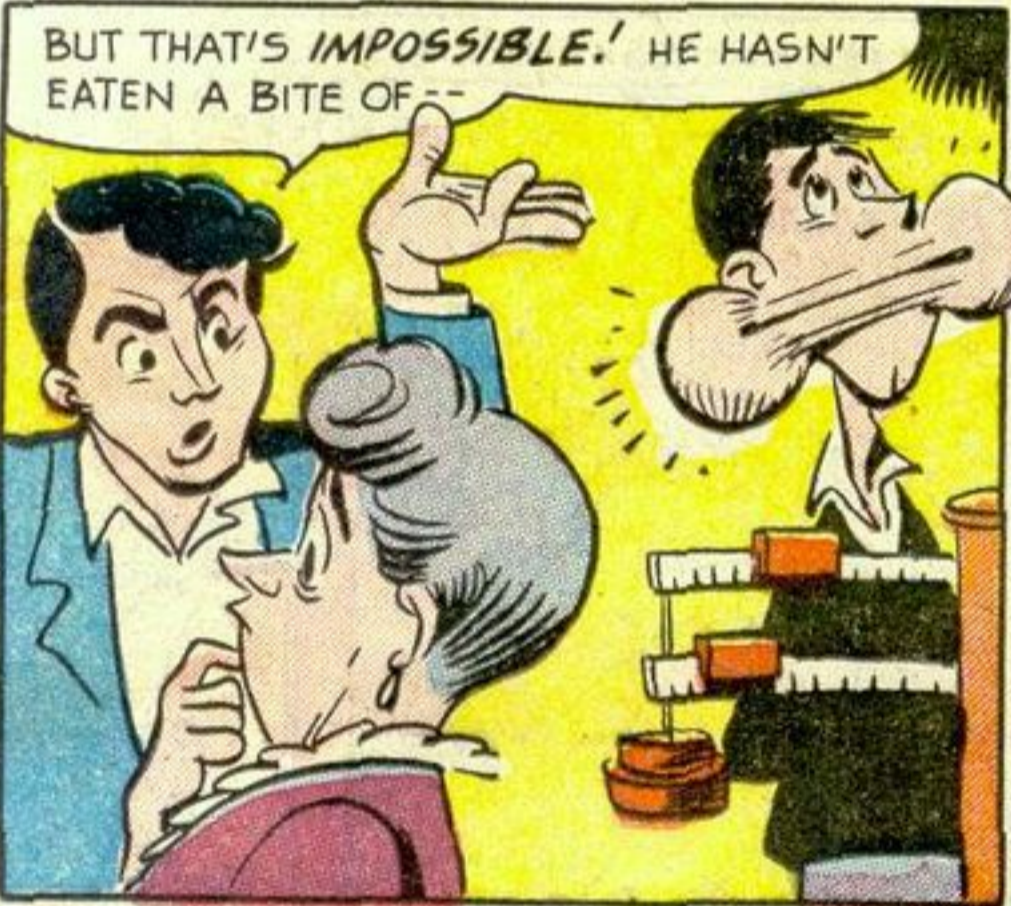
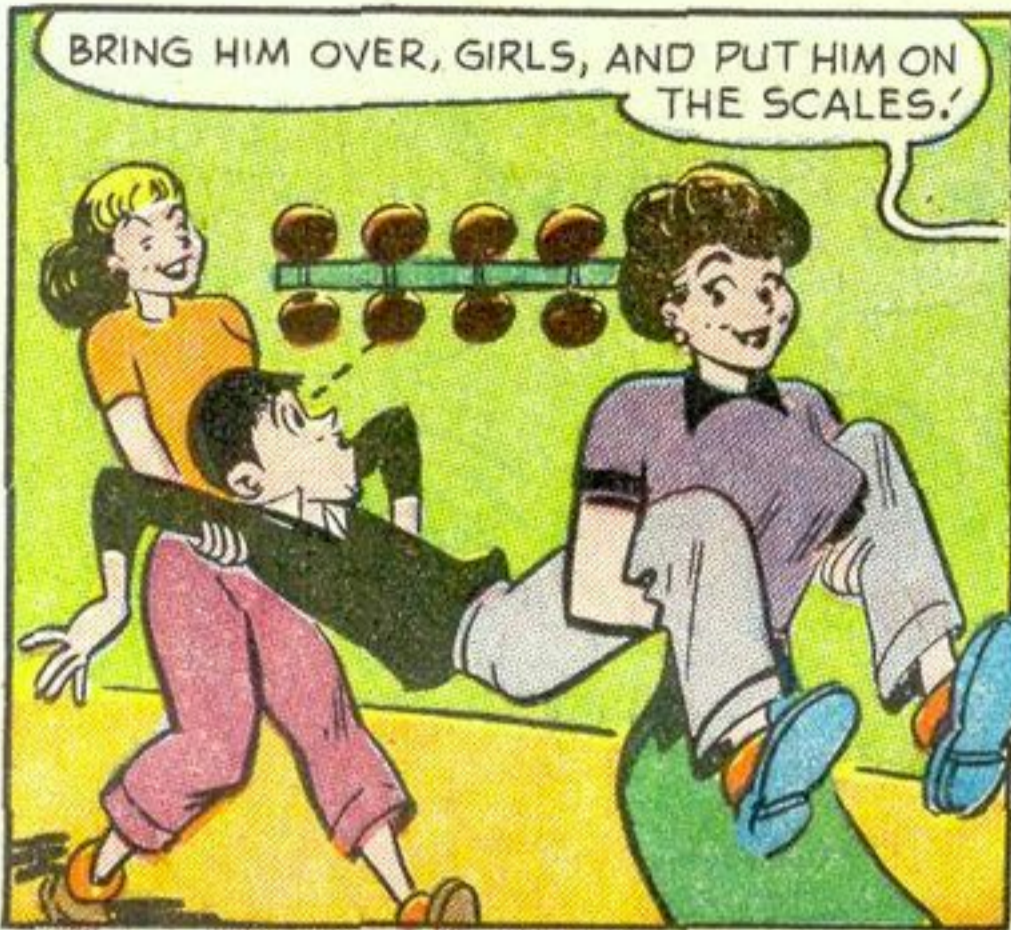
SO WHAT SAY YOU GET ME A **HARD JOB**, DEAN! I **LIKE** TO MAKE MONEY THE **HARD WAY!** MAKIN' MONEY THE **HARD WAY'S** FUN, DEAN! I **LIKE** IT! I **LIKE** IT!

LOOK! WE'RE PARTNERS, RIGHT?

YEAH, YEAH, WE'RE PARTNERS, BOY!









FORGET IT! PICK IT UP WHEN YOU GET BACK!

GLUB BUT WHAT IF I DON'T COME BACK, DEAN?



IN THAT CASE YOU WON'T NEED YOUR LAUNDRY! EVEN YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO FIGURE THAT, BUB!

HEY! SURE! I WON'T NEED IT, WILL I, DEAN? AH-AH! I'M STUPID! I SHOULD'VE THOUGHT OF THAT, HUH, DEAN? AH-AH-AH!



BUT I STILL CAN'T MAKE IT DEAN, BECUZZ I GET DIZZY WHEN I GET IN HIGH PLACES, AND IF I GET DIZZY, I MIGHT FALL DOWN, DEAN!

ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS CLOSE YOUR EYES! NOW HOLD STILL SO I CAN GET THESE CLOTHES ON YOU!

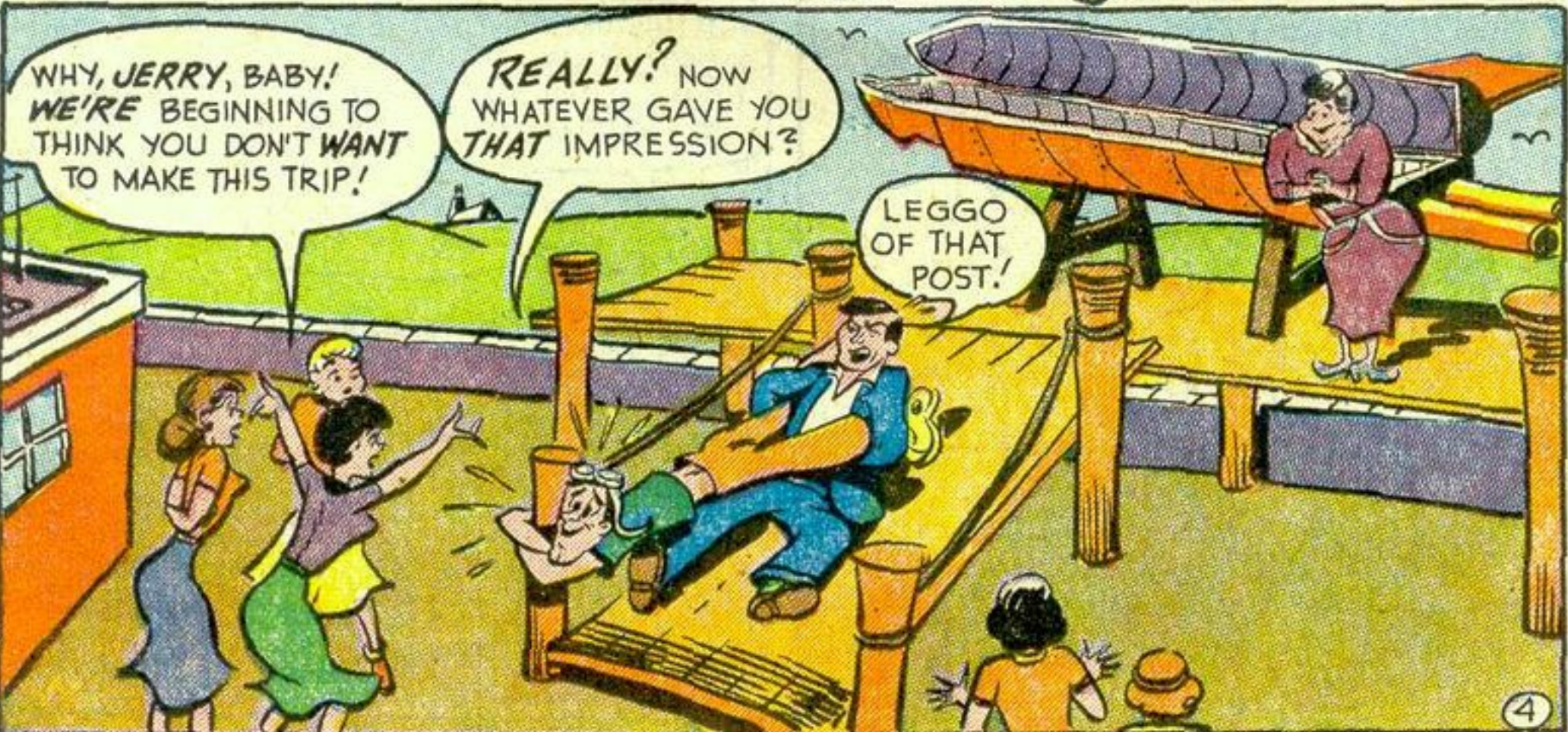


SO A FEW MINUTES LATER...

HERE HE COMES! OUR PERFECT MAN! HISTORY'S FIRST PILOT OF A MOON ROCKET!

I GOTTA STREET-CAR TRANSFER THAT I GOTTA USE BEFORE IT EXPIRES, DEAN! CAN'T I USE IT NOW, DEAN? IT'S ONLY GOOD FOR 20 MINUTES MORE! PLEASE!

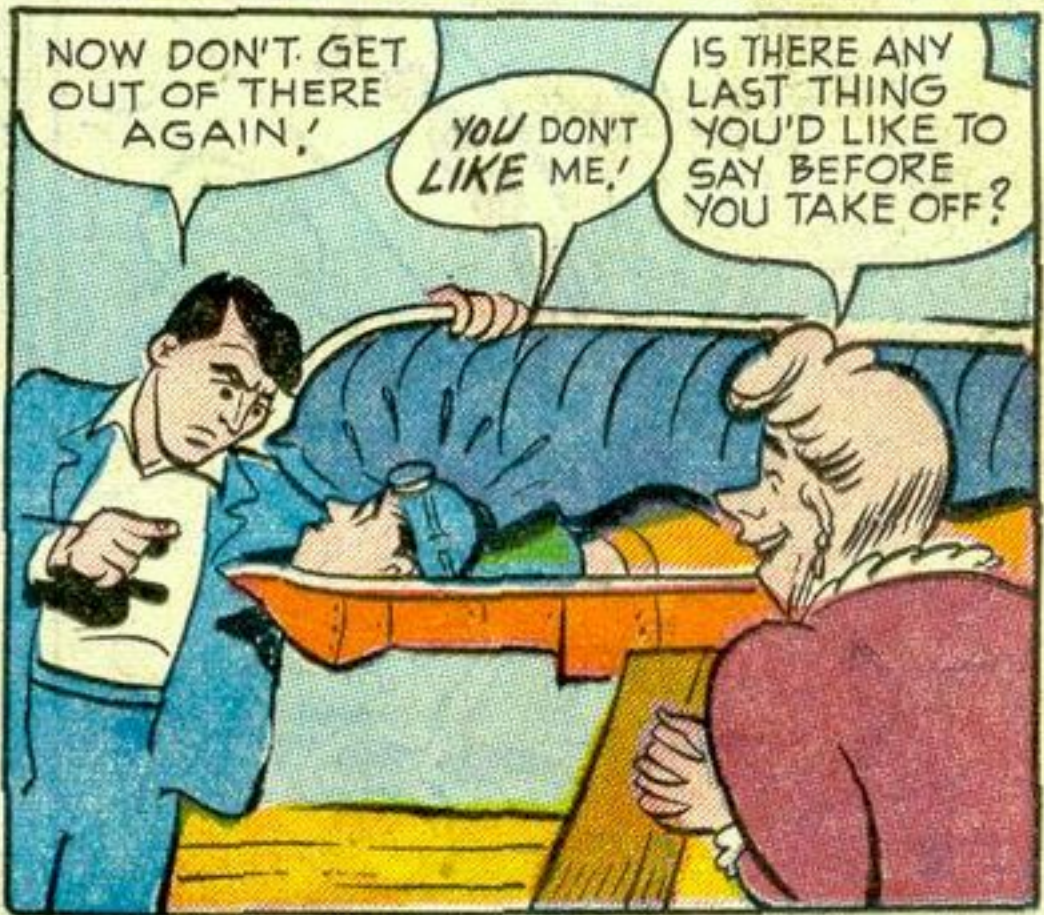
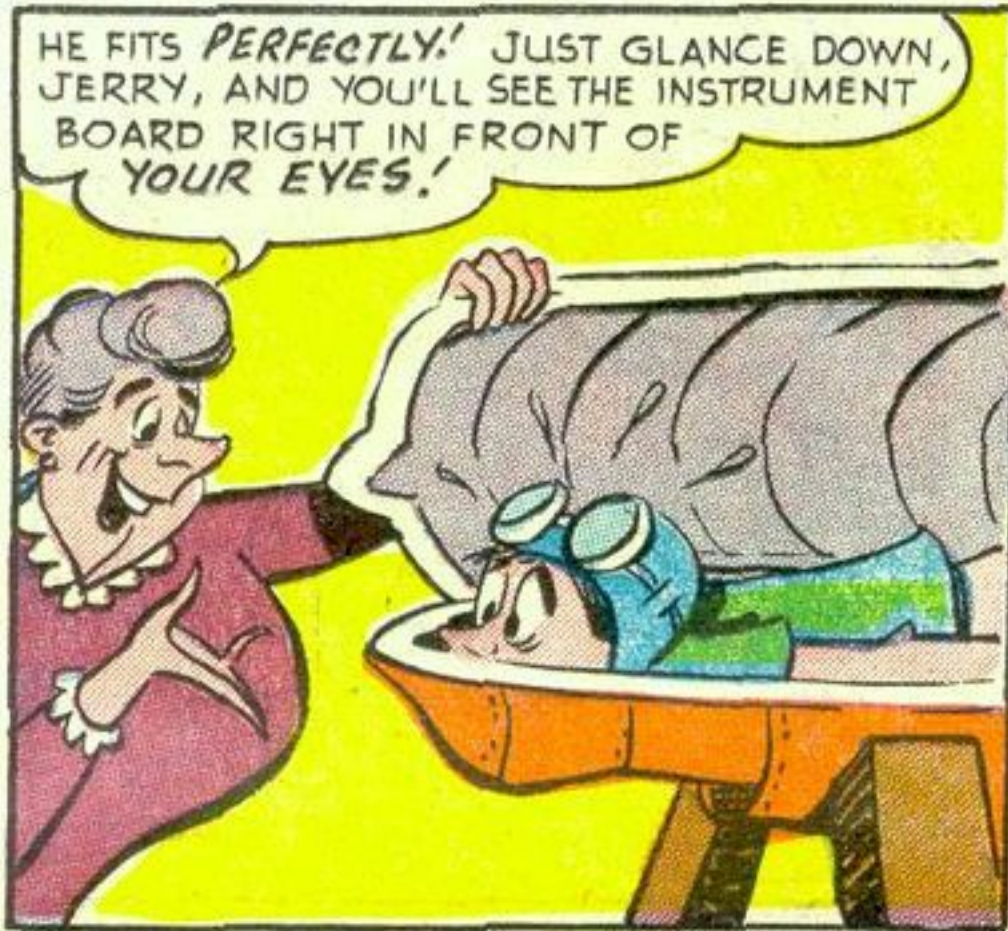
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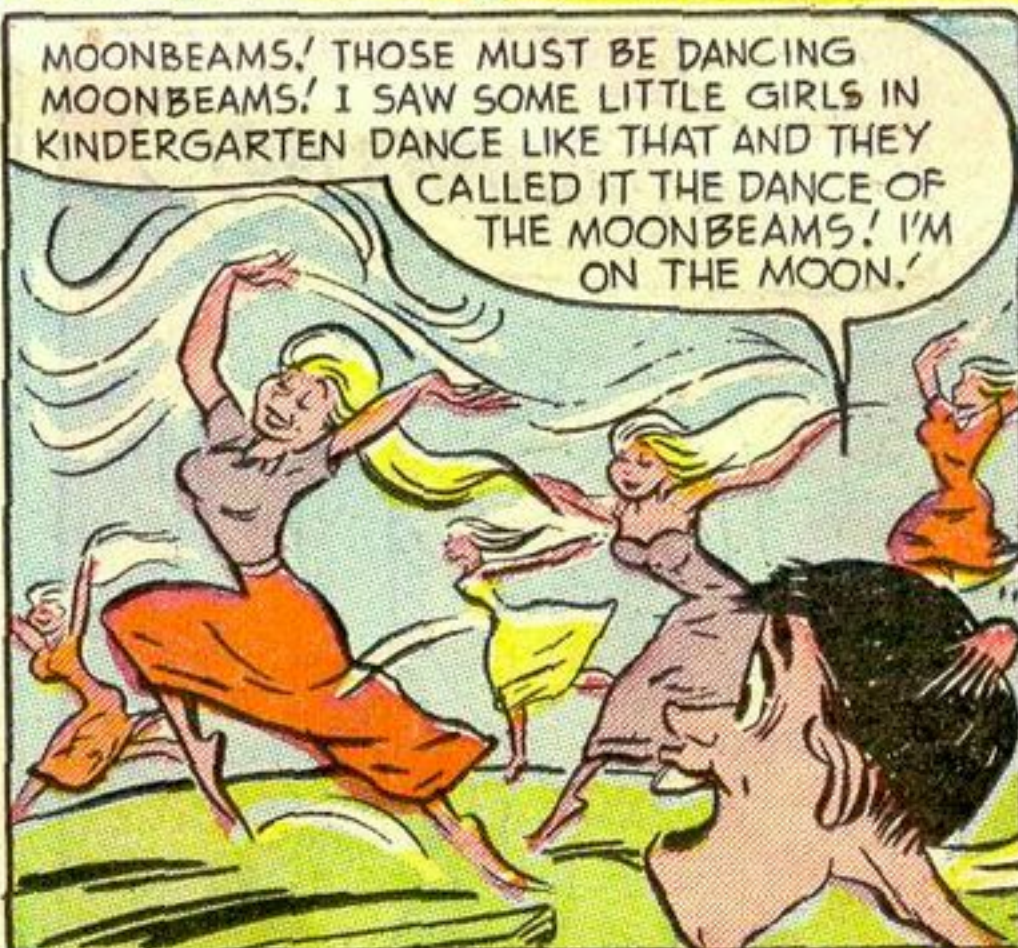
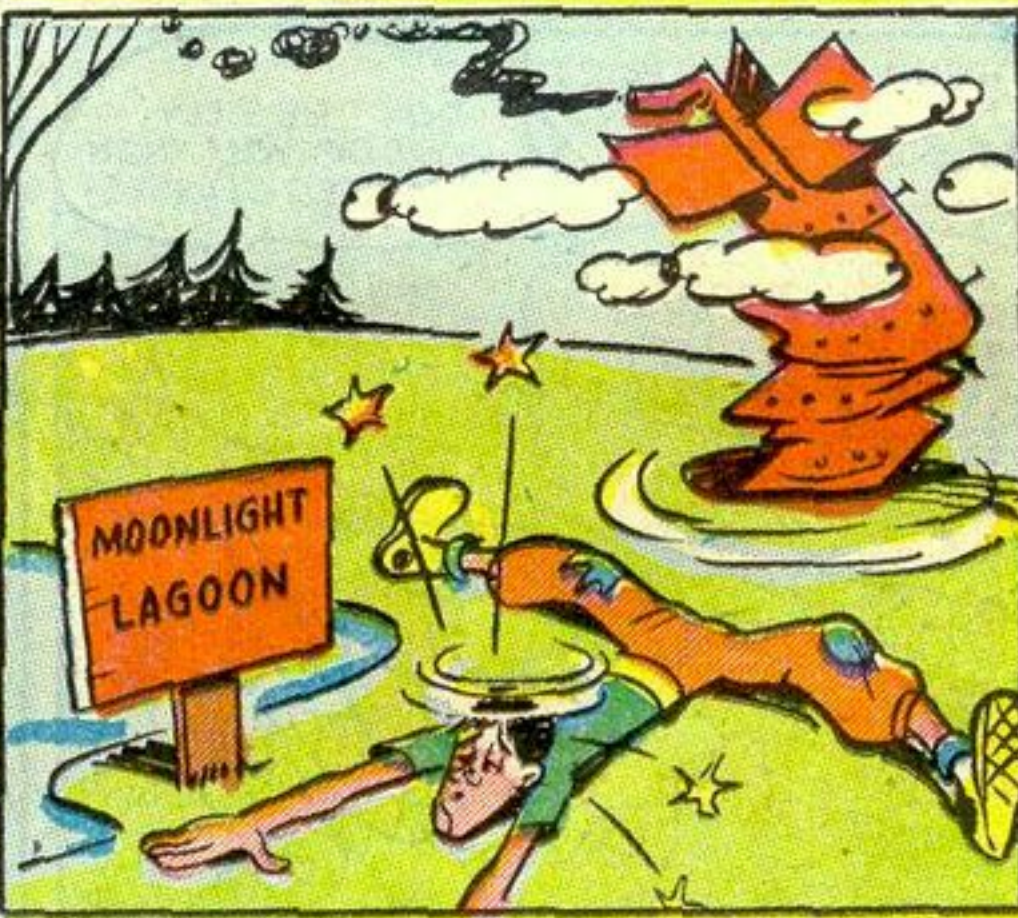
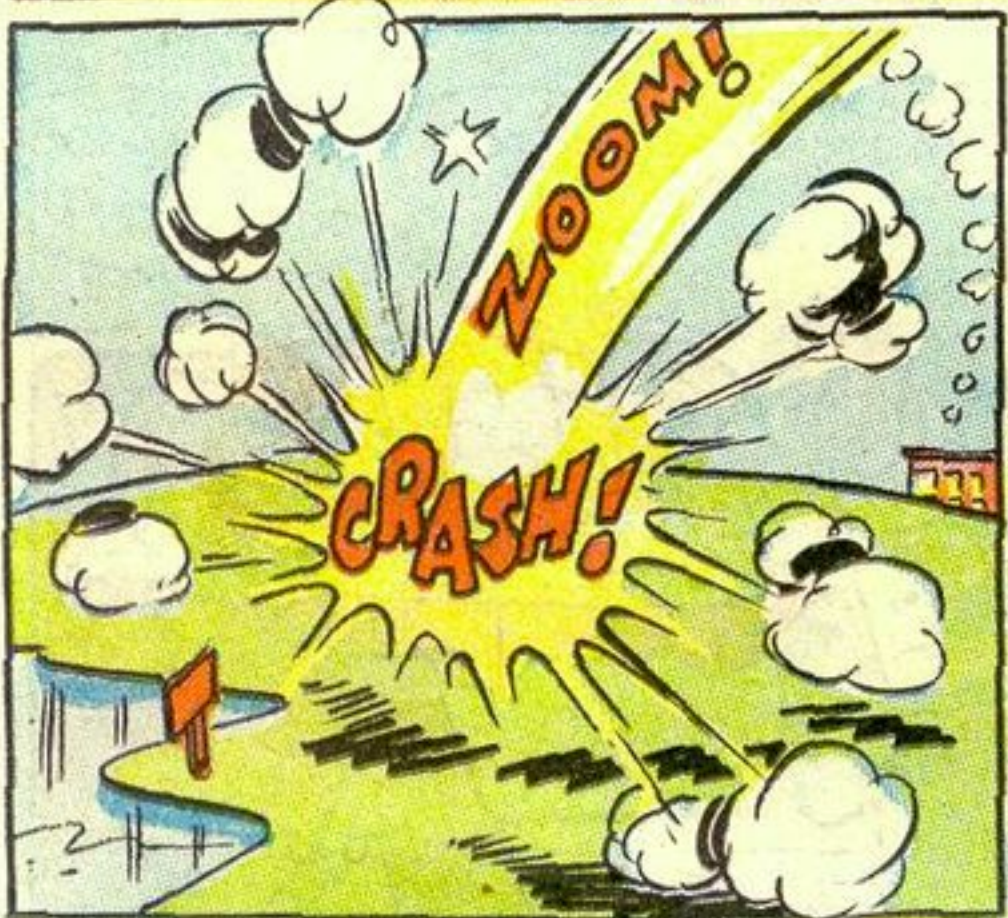
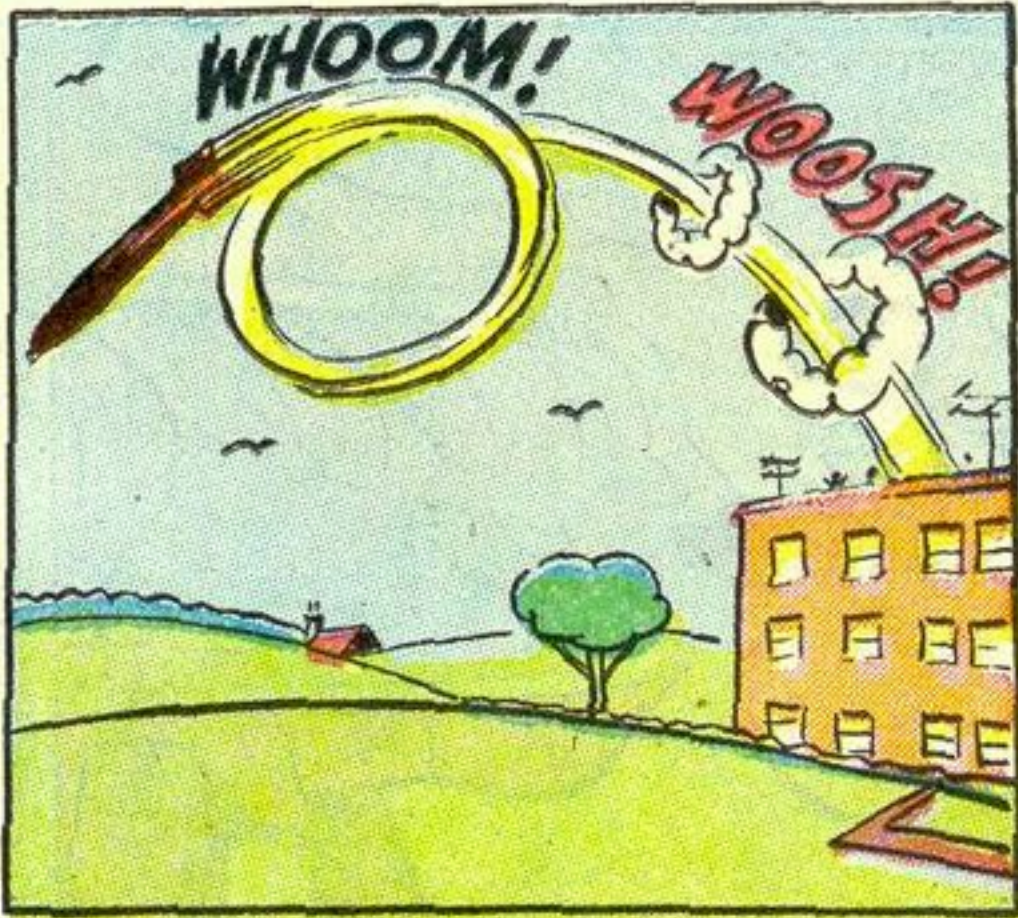
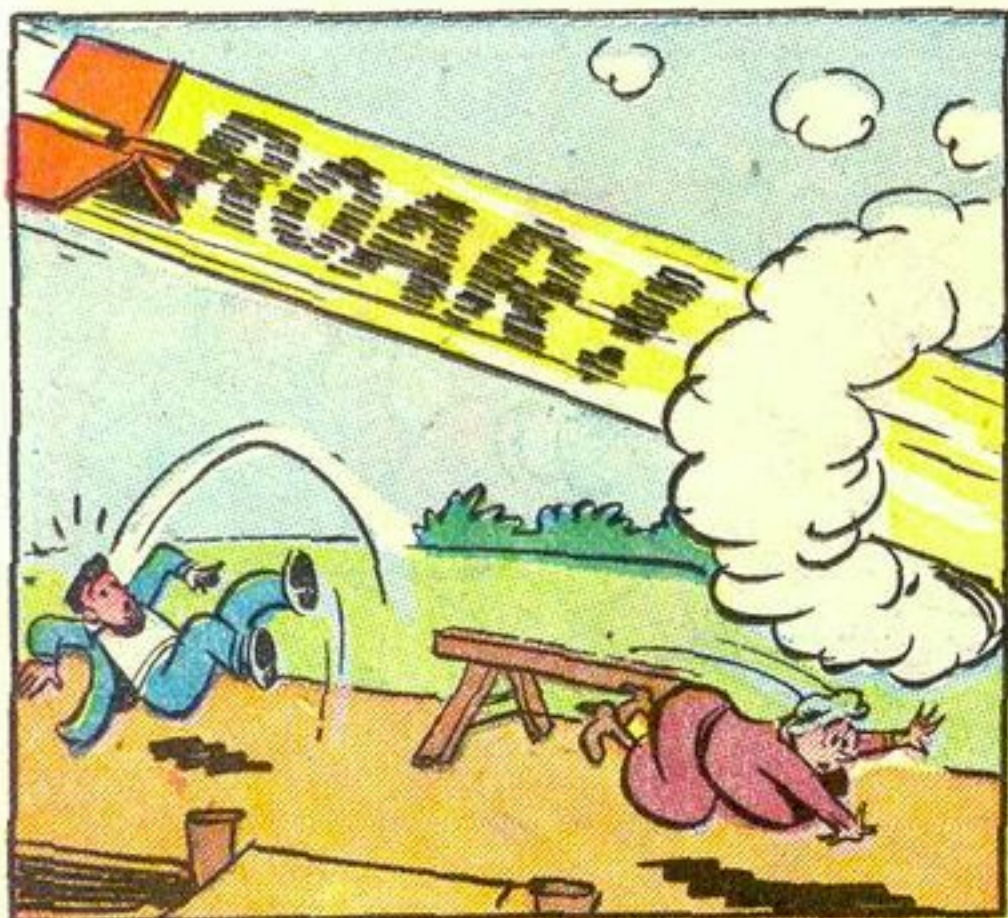


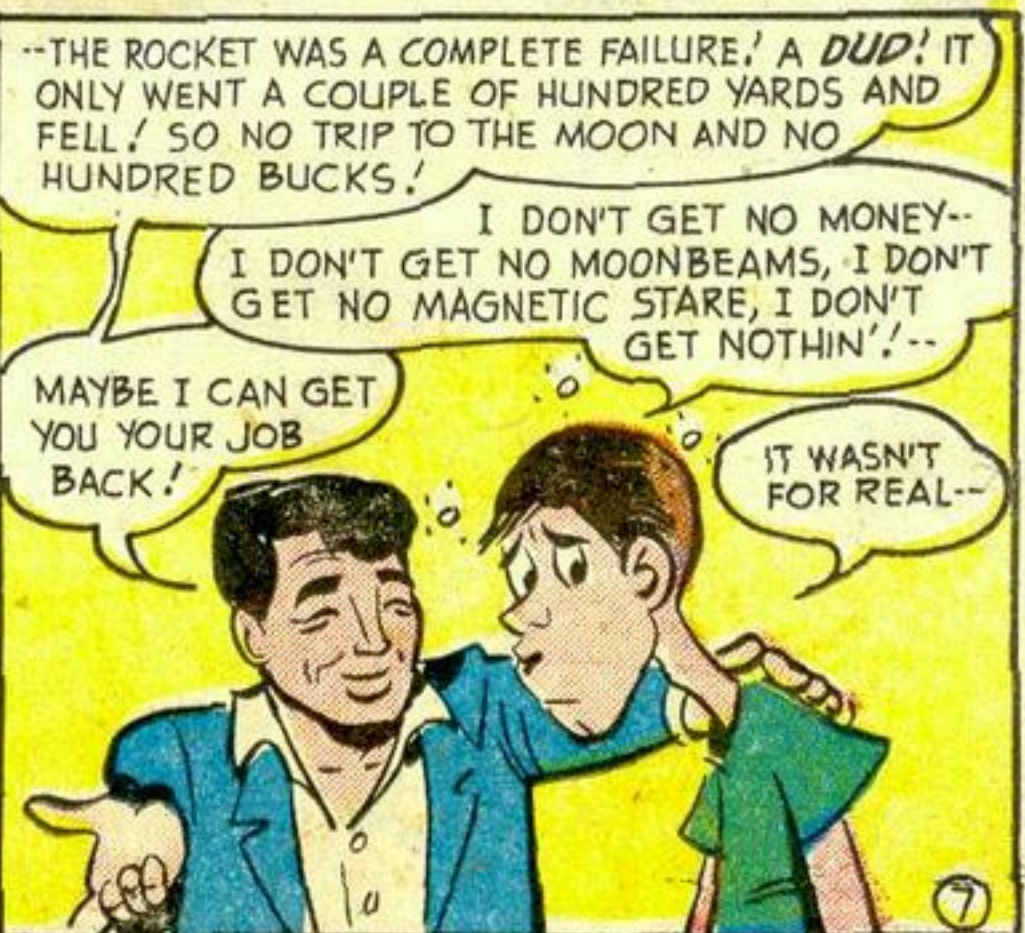
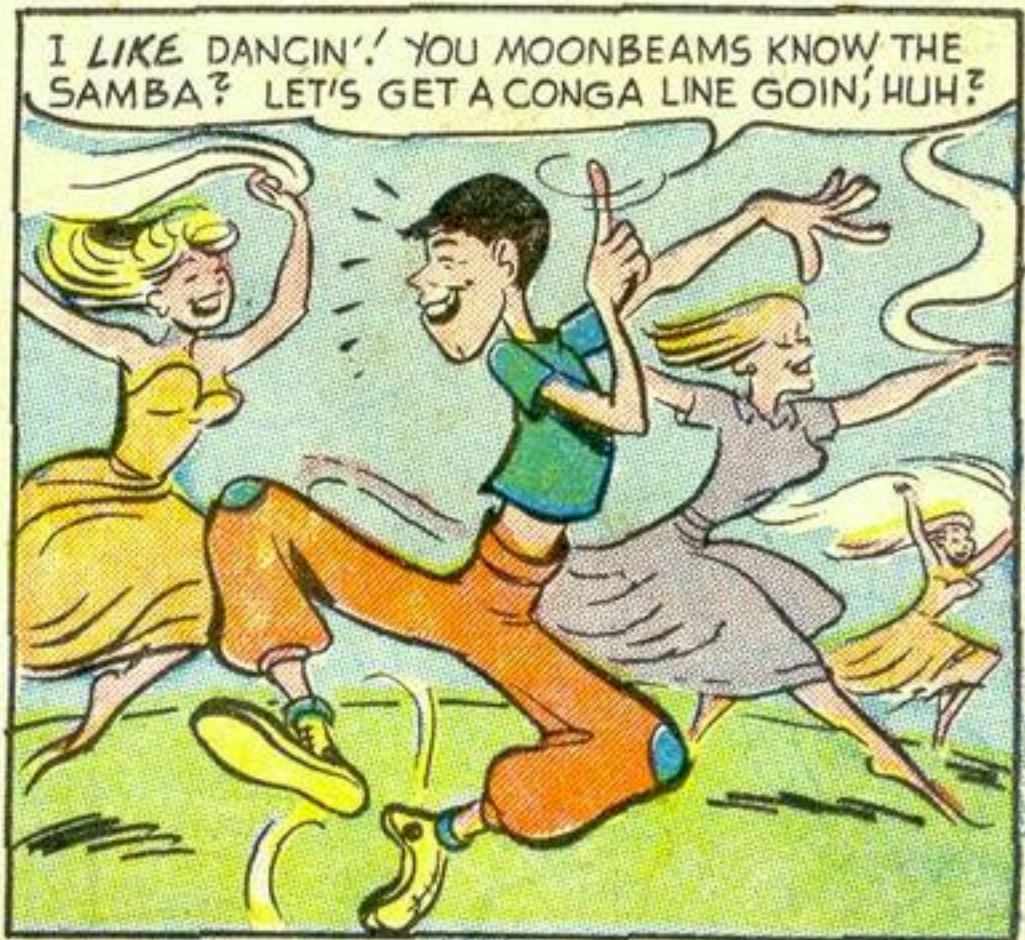
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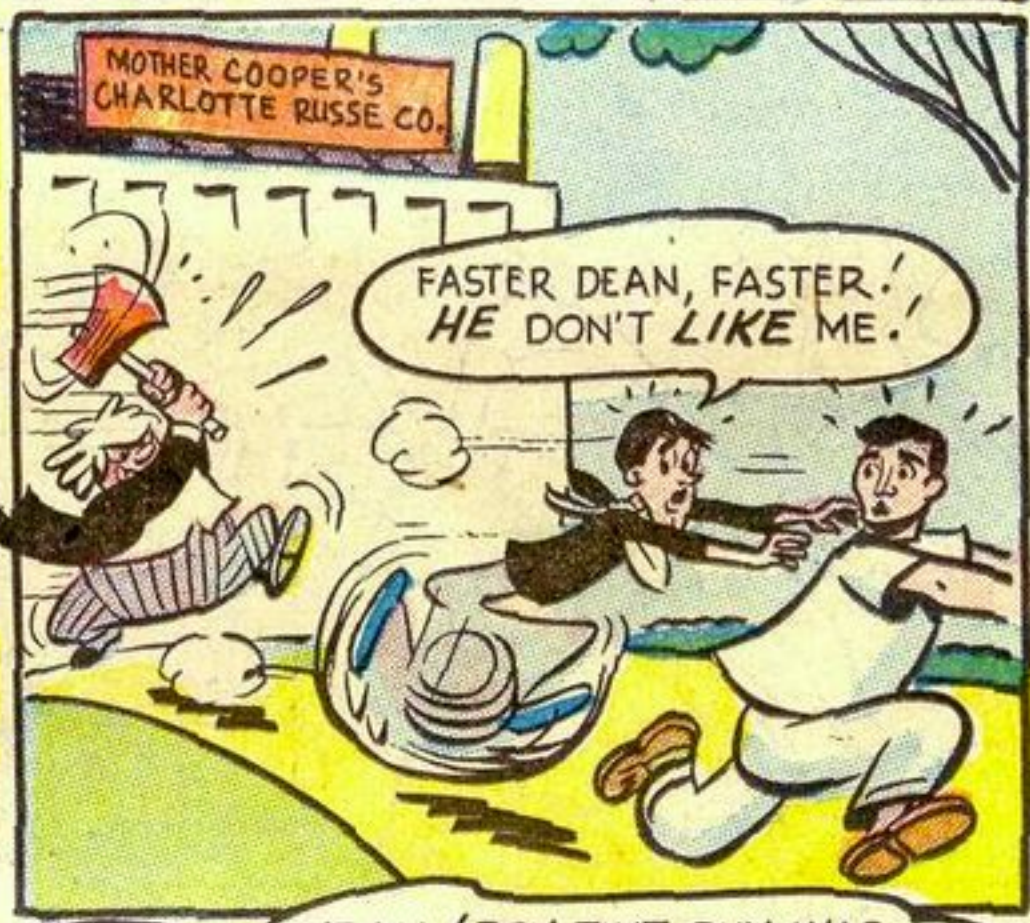
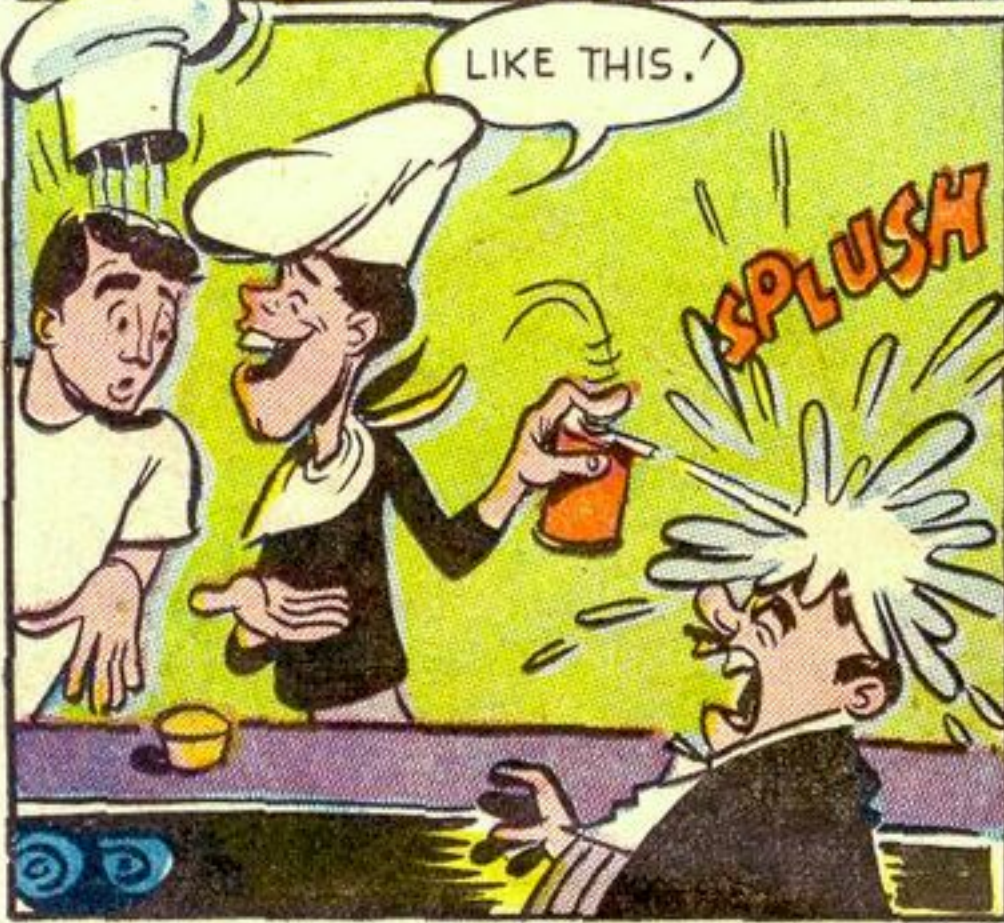
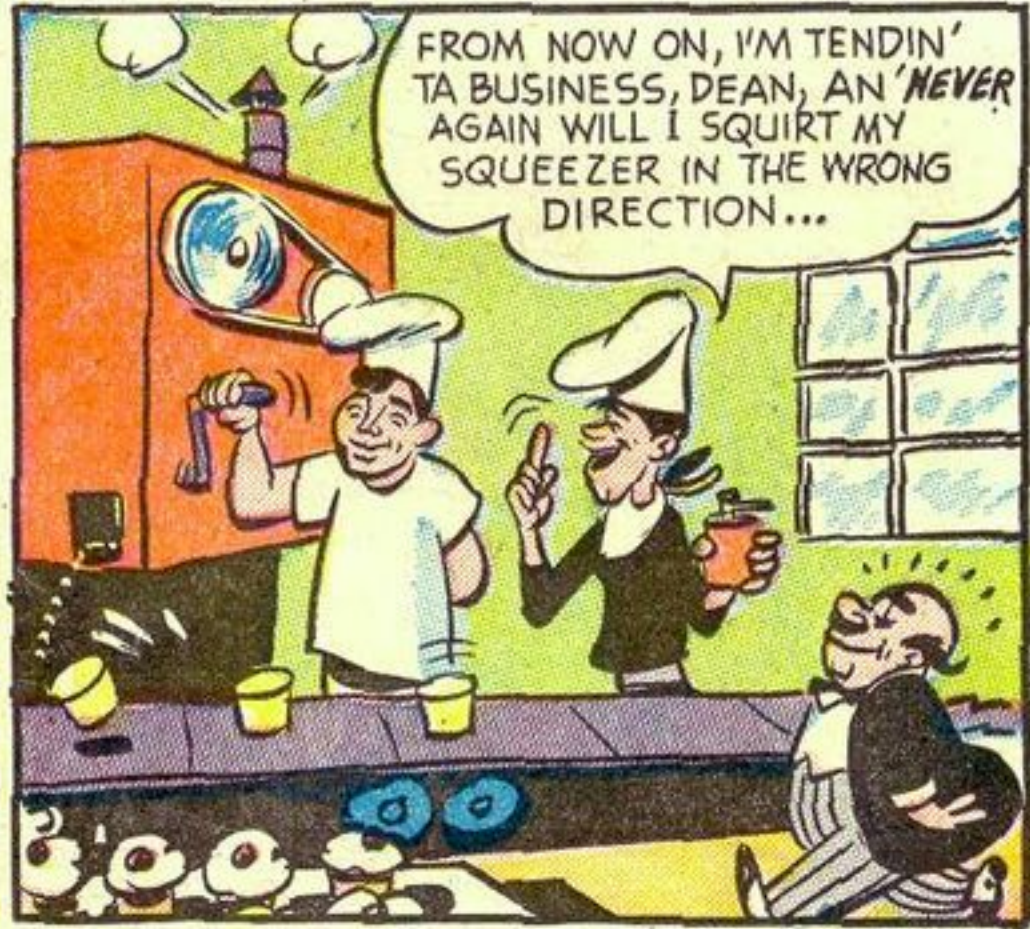
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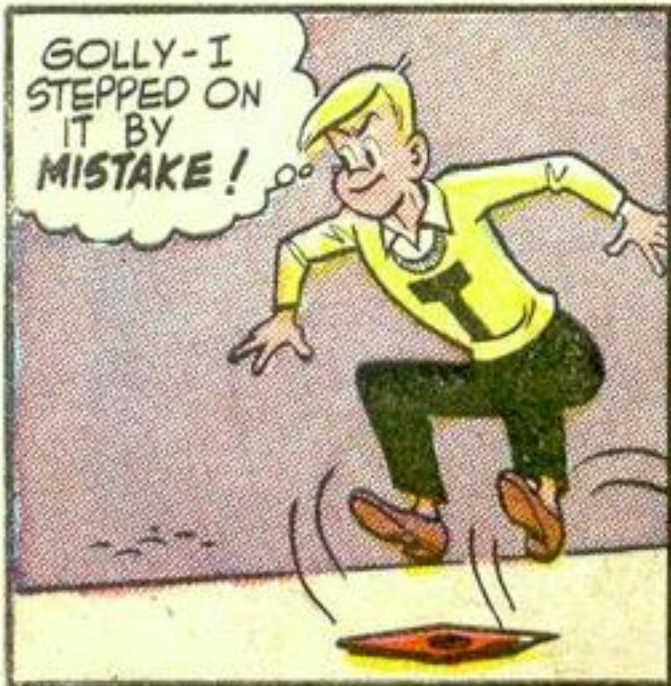
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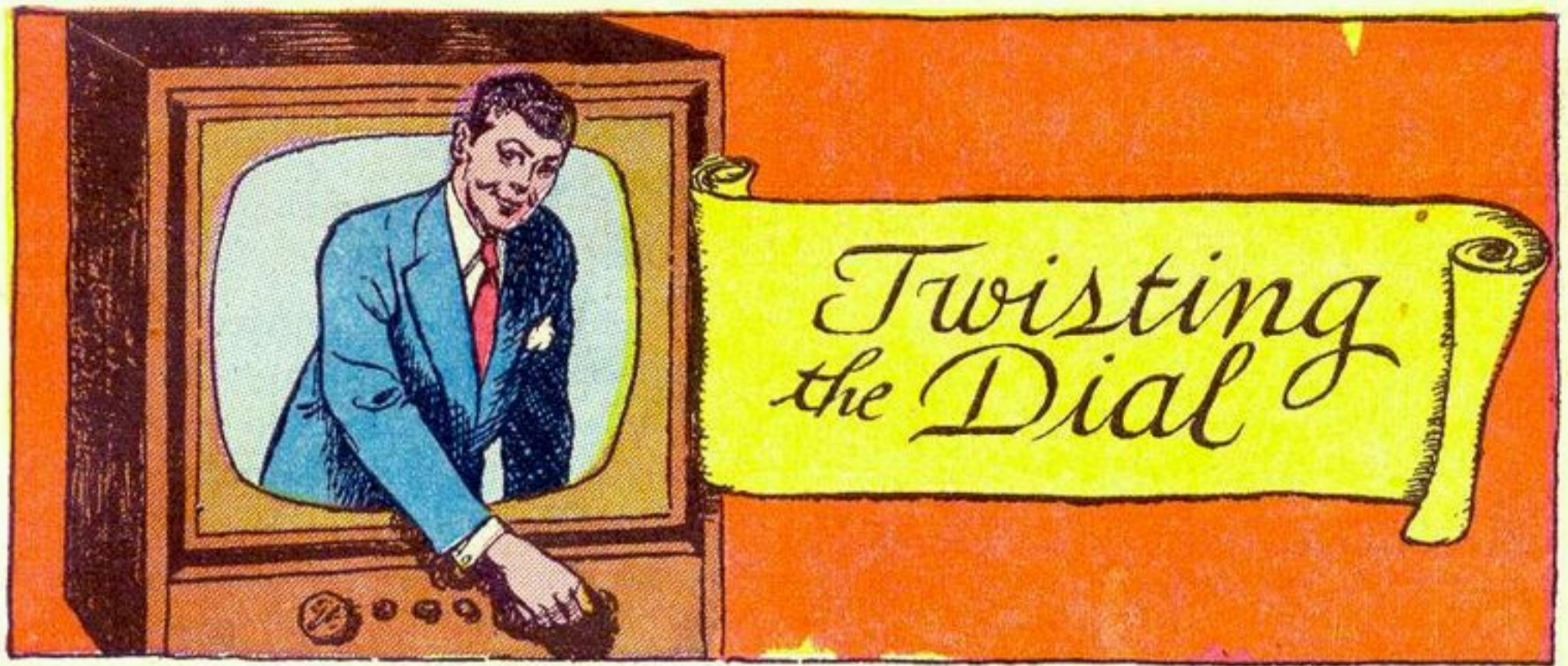


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Captain Video's Offspring Are Interplanetary Experts

Two most envied youngsters on their block are Lois and Johnny Hodge, eleven and seven years old, respectively. They are the children of video's Al Hodge, who is "Captain Video" on DuMont's television thriller of high adventure among the planets. The younger Hodges admit to being pretty proud of Dad—but also to being somewhat on the spot, since all their playmates expect *them* to be as knowledgeable as the Captain about rocket ships, space guns, and all the other paraphernalia incidental to an electronic age!

Whiteman Always Ate

Maestro Paul Whiteman, star of his own Sunday night ABC-TV musical, the "Paul Whiteman Revue," was reminiscing recently about one of his earliest jobs—playing in a small club in San Francisco. Said "Pops," "There was a barrel into which the audience tossed coins—if they liked you. If they didn't you didn't eat."—Whiteman always ate.

Friendly Rivals

Jennifer Bunker, actress wife of Hugh Reilly, the David in the NBC-TV

"Claudia" series, was in the running for the "Claudia" role opposite her husband. One of her friends, Joan McCracken won the role and Jennifer was happy at the choice. Joan and Jennifer played together in the touring company of "Peter Pan" as "Peter Pan" and "Wendy" respectively.

Add One Cop

A jail-break on an upcoming "Mr. District Attorney" telecast calls for 39 hardened criminals being at large in the "D.A.'s" community. Normally this would make it necessary for Director Ed Byron to add to his cast. Still, so strange is the way of TV, he's adding but one actor—to play a policeman. The fugitives are never seen on camera.

Quarantine Scare

Norman Tokar, director-producer of NBC-TV's "Young Mr. Bobbin" show, gave a pre-New Year's party for his five-year-old daughter, Deborah, but little did he realize that a quarter of a million dollars' worth of radio talent would be endangered. The reason, two days after the party Deborah came down with the measles and his thespian friends and other guests had to be quarantined.

Reputations

Talk last week veered to politics, and during rehearsals of ABC-TV's "Herb Shriner Time," Shriner recalled a story about a politician in his home town. "He was elected on his reputation," said Herb, "but it wasn't his reputation that got him elected—it was just that his opponent had such a bad one."

Accidental Songstress

Betty Ann Grove, pert songstress on the CBS-TV "Bert Parks Show," took up singing quite by accident. At the age of eleven, she was doing a dance number before a gathering of Elks, and sprained her ankle. Despite her tender age she proved herself a real trouper, and finished out her number vocally. She made such a hit that soon Betty was singing more and dancing less, and now she is one of television's top vocalists.

Prof Writes Script

Ronnie and Benita Colman have received a most unusual "fan letter." Clyde W. Park, Professor Emeritus of English of the University of Cincinnati, wrote a script for "The Halls of Ivy" in lieu of a letter, dubbing it a "relief from editing textbooks and encyclopedias." It turns out that Dr. Park has a real dramatic flair. The Colmans polished up the lines and his story was heard on an "Ivy" broadcast.

Vivian Blaine Does

"Those Two" Show In Silence

Vivian Blaine, lovely and vivacious singer-comedienne on "Those Two," seen Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays over NBC-TV at 7:30 P.M., developed a cold and lost her voice recently. The script for the show was revised so that

Pinky Lee carried the bulk of the show, including all the musical numbers, while Vivian sat there looking beautiful and hiccupping, as called for by the revised script.

Pearls Of Wisdom

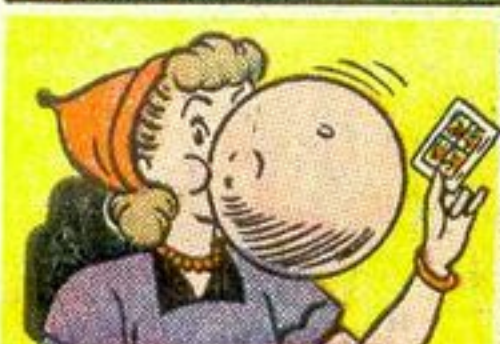
When asked what advice she would give to her daughter who is about to go on the stage, theatre-bred Nydia Westman, "Aunt Bertie" on NBC-TV's "Young Mr. Bobbin" show, quoted this bit of homespun philosophy passed down to her by her grandmother, "Don't act off stage; save it for when you're on."

Here's How Cantor Feels

On his arrival in New York a few days before his 60th birthday, Eddie Cantor told reporters, "I feel wonderful—not a day over 59!"

"Mama's" Dagmar Has Week-Long Birthday

Robin Morgan, "Dagmar" on CBS' Friday evening television show "Mama," turned ten recently, and she, through the efforts of the show's cast, was able to celebrate it for a whole week. The festivities began when Robin's mother brought miniature birthday cakes and candy to everybody on the show. On Robin's actual birthday she was feted at a genuine Italian dinner prepared in her honor by Dickie Van Patten's mother. Dickie plays Nels, Dagmar's oldest brother, on the show. Then Peggy Wood presented young Robin with her first view of grand opera—from a box seat at a Met performance of "Carmen." The entire celebration was climaxed when Robin received an authentic Norwegian birthday cake concocted by the two cooks employed by Carol Irwin, the producer of "Mama."



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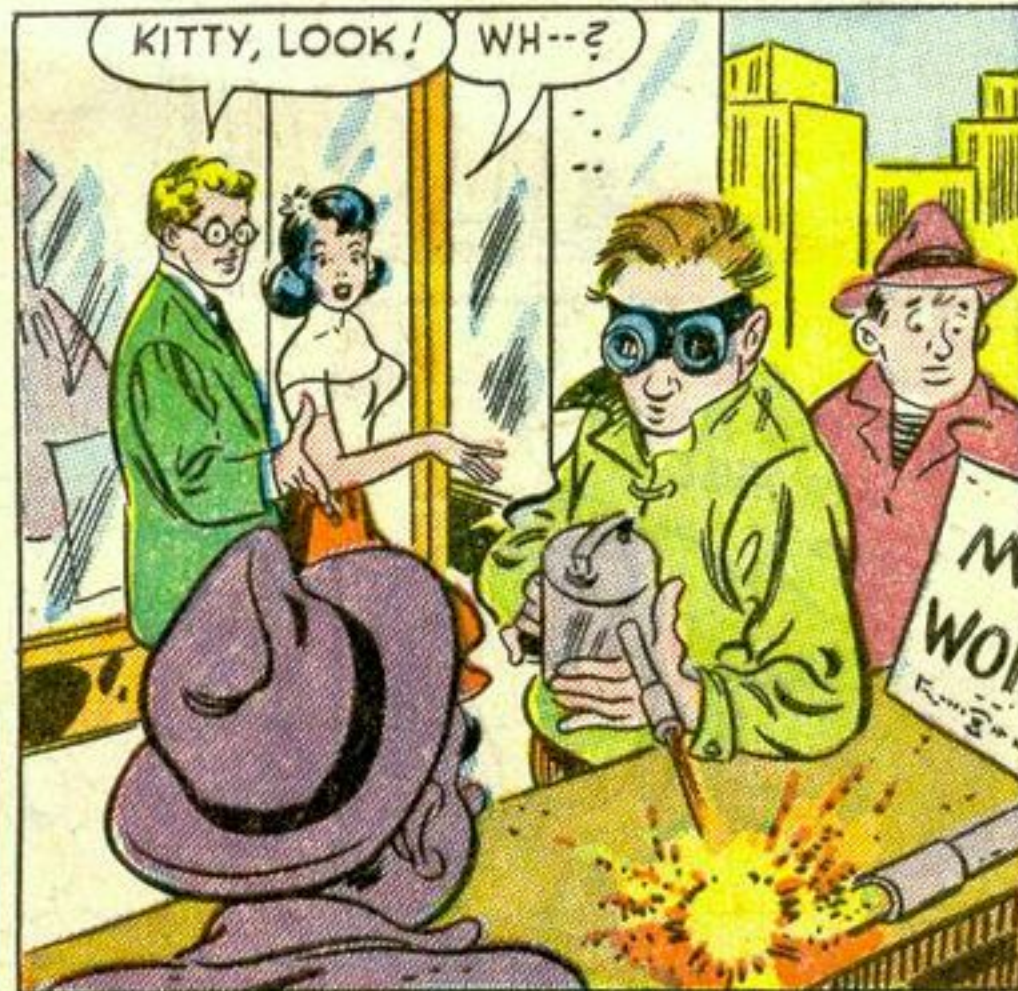
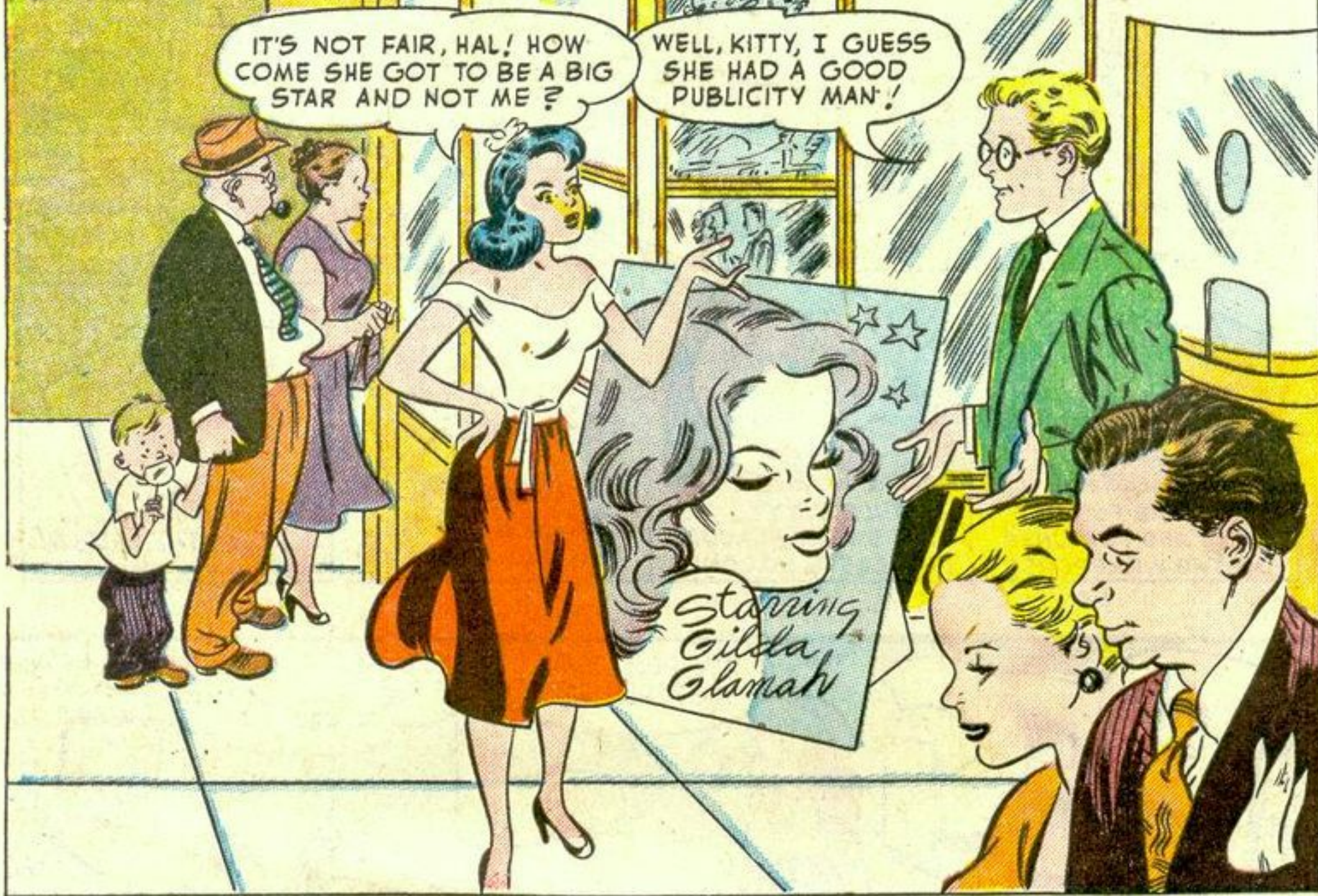
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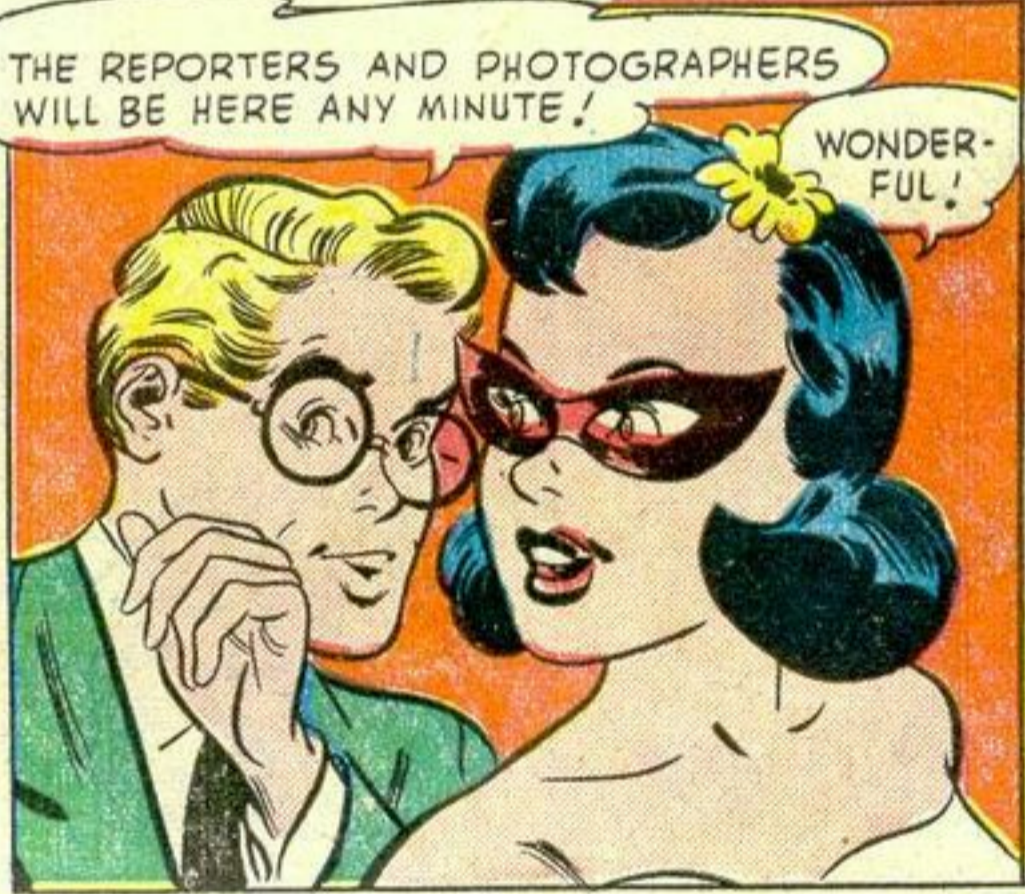


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Kitty Karr OF HOLLYWOOD









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SURE! BE HERE TOMORROW AT 2:00 P.M. SHARP AND WE'LL REVEAL HER NAME!



BUT, HAL... WHY WAIT UNTIL TOMORROW TO TELL THEM WHO I AM ?

SUSPENSE, KITTY! SUSPENSE!



LATER...

OH, HAL! THAT'S TERRIFIC!

WAIT'LL I READ YOU THE STORY ON THE NEXT PAGE--

WEST COAST STAR
WHO IS SHE?
THE MASKED BEAUTY
STORY ON PAGE 2



TOMORROW AT 2:00, THE MASKED BEAUTY WILL REAPPEAR AT THE CORNER OF HOLLYWOOD AND VINE AND REVEAL HER IDENTITY--

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WAIT! THERE'S MORE!



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GOSH! WHICH STUDIO SHOULD I SIGN WITH ?

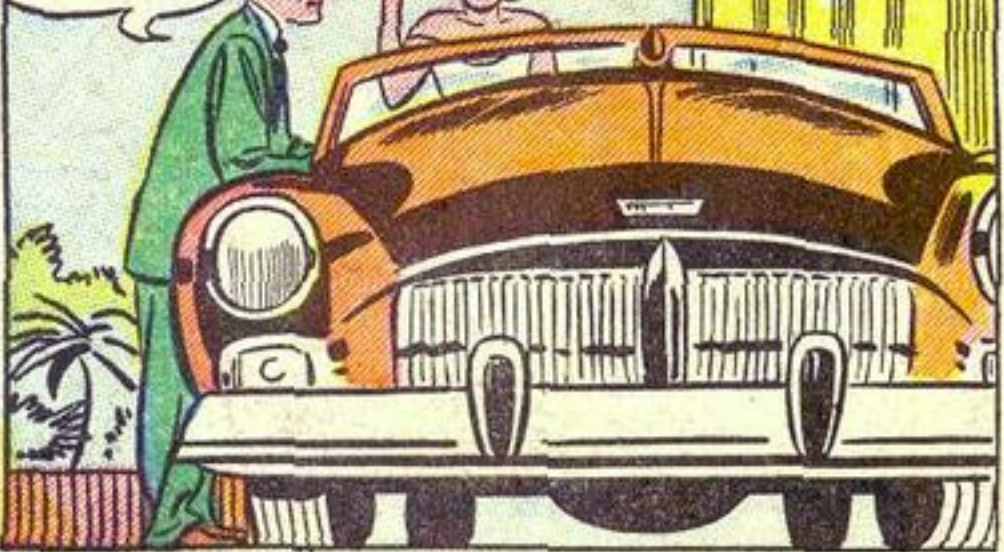


THE HIGHEST BIDDER! OF COURSE!

NEXT DAY - 2:00 P.M.

WE'D BETTER HURRY, HAL! I DON'T LIKE TO KEEP ALL THOSE NEWSPAPER-MEN AND BIG PRODUCERS WAITING!

THEY LOVE IT, KITTY! SUSPENSE!



OH-HAL! IT'S ALL SO WONDERFUL! I JUST KNOW I'M DREAMING!

WELL, WAKE UP AND PUT YOUR MASK ON WE'RE ALMOST THERE!



?!

LOOK! HERE COMES ANOTHER ONE TRYING TO GET ON THE BANDWAGON!

YEAH!

I'M GOING HOME!

ME, TOO!

BUT, MR. SELWYN! DON'T I LOOK LIKE HER?

YES! AND SO DO A HUNDRED OTHERS!



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