







THE AMAZING TALE MOOSE KID!!

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Once upon a time there were three friends: Malph, Hodge, and Kid. Malph loved being mean and grumpy, Hodge loved science and learning, while Kid loved sticky jam sandwiches. Oh, and something else -



COMICS! Kid couldn't get enough of them. He'd read them at school, he'd read them in bed, he even read them while walking down the road.



Suddenly, a wizard appeared. He began to shout at Kid. "You kids wasting your lives, reading silly comics! Get a proper job! You wouldn't catch ME having fun, I live in the real world, mate!"



In fact, the wizard was so busy ranting at Kid, he didn't see the runaway steamroller thundering down the road towards them. Nor did he have time to get out of the way -



SQUISH! As the wizard was being run over, he yelled out, "Gahhh! Because of you, I'm being squished flat! I put a curse on you, kid! I'll turn you into a MOUSE!"



Well, the wizard SAID 'mouse' but since he was being flattened, it came out as "MOOOOOSE!" So, Kid was magically transformed into a moose.



Being a moose didn't really bother Kid. He still kept reading comics, still kept eating sticky jam sandwiches.



But not everyone was happy. The WIZARD HIGH COUNCIL, angry that one of their wizards had been flattened, decided that this 'Moose' Kid hadn't been



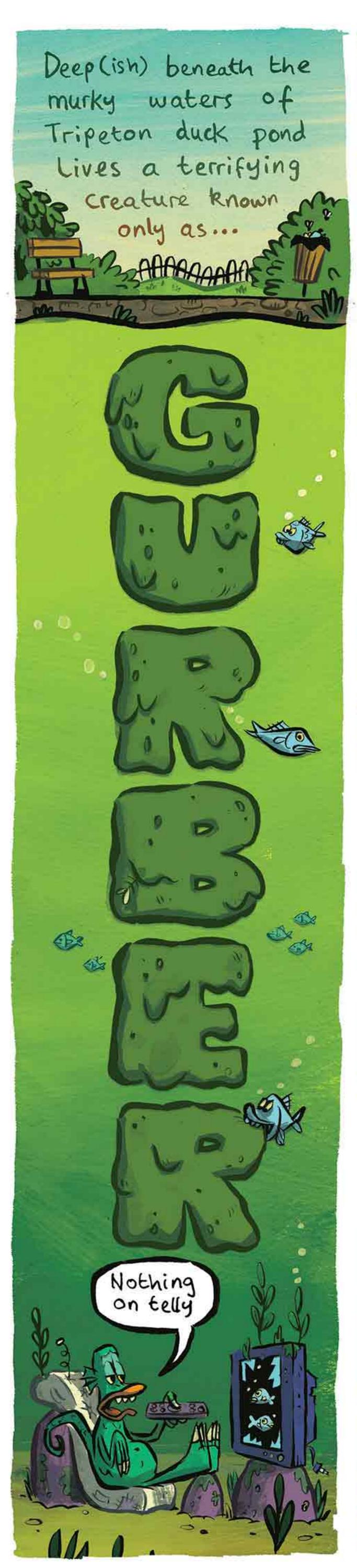
Lord Wizardy Wizard, grumpiest of all the wizards, vowed

each Moose Ki sson he would never forget. punished enough.

"If you like comics so much..." Lord Wizardy Wizard shrieked, zapping Moose Kid with his wizardy powers. "Then maybe you should spend the rest of you life stuck INSIDE one!"





















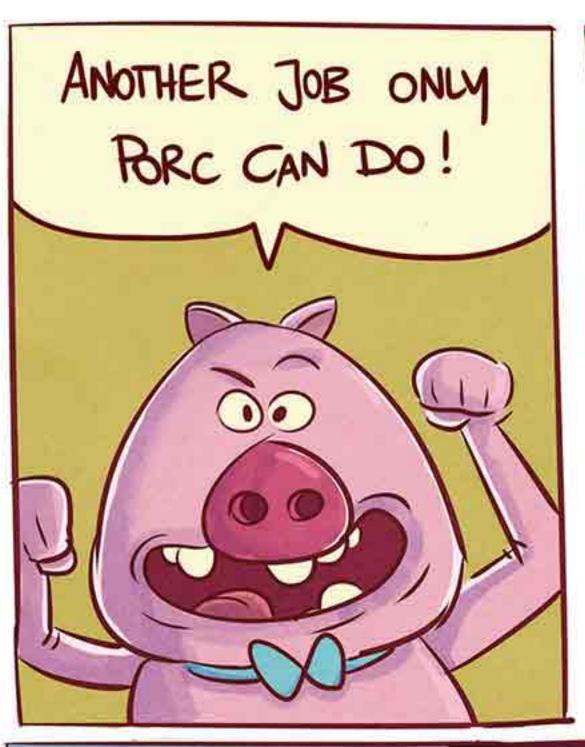












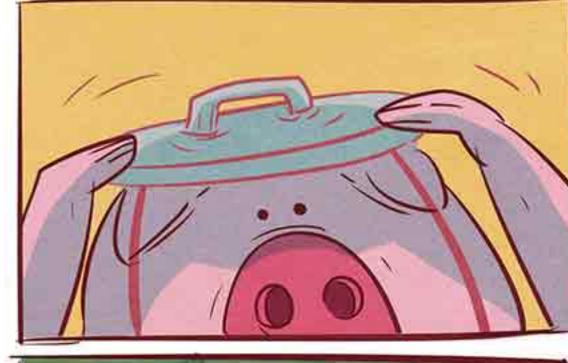
















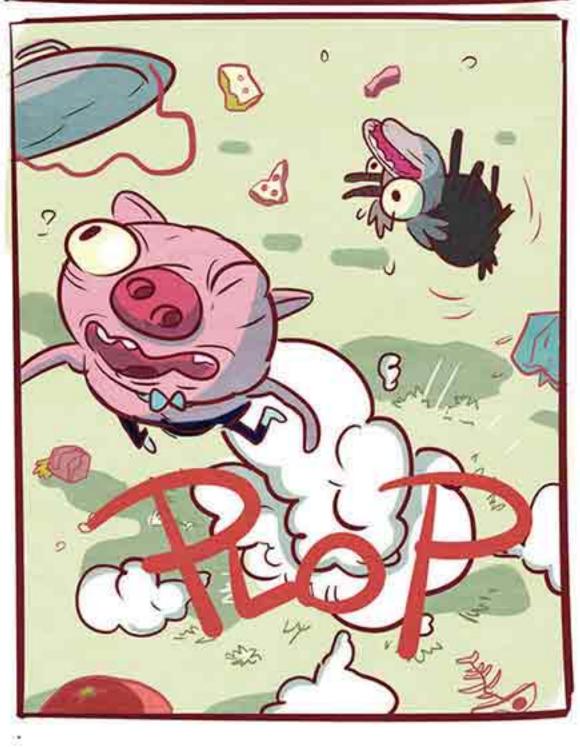










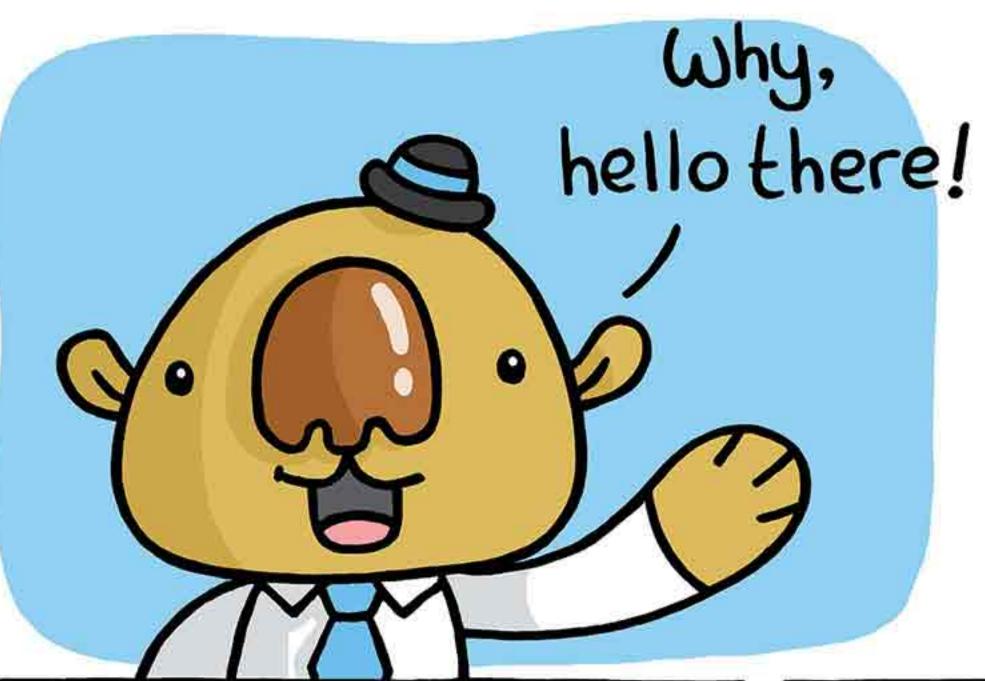










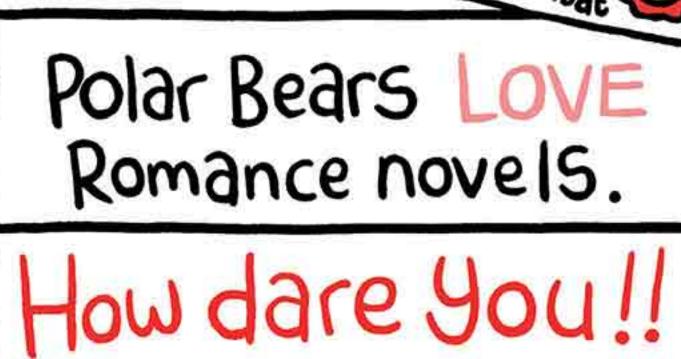


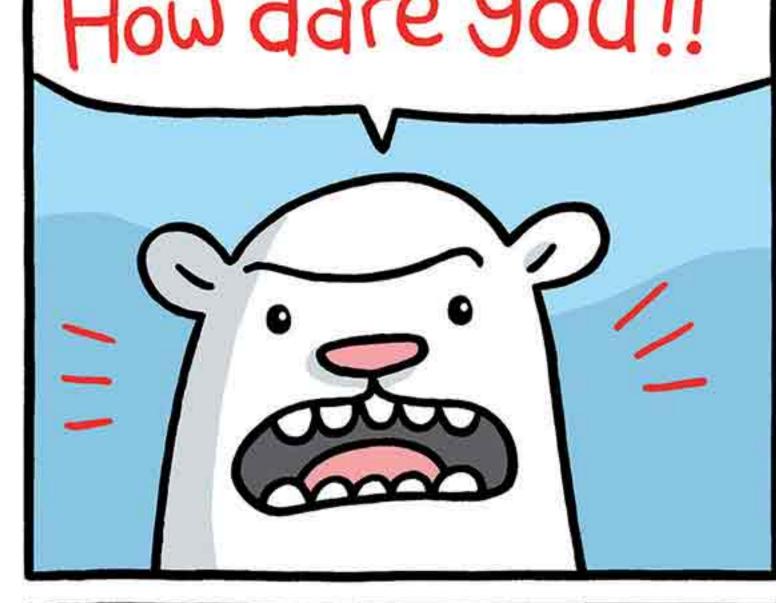








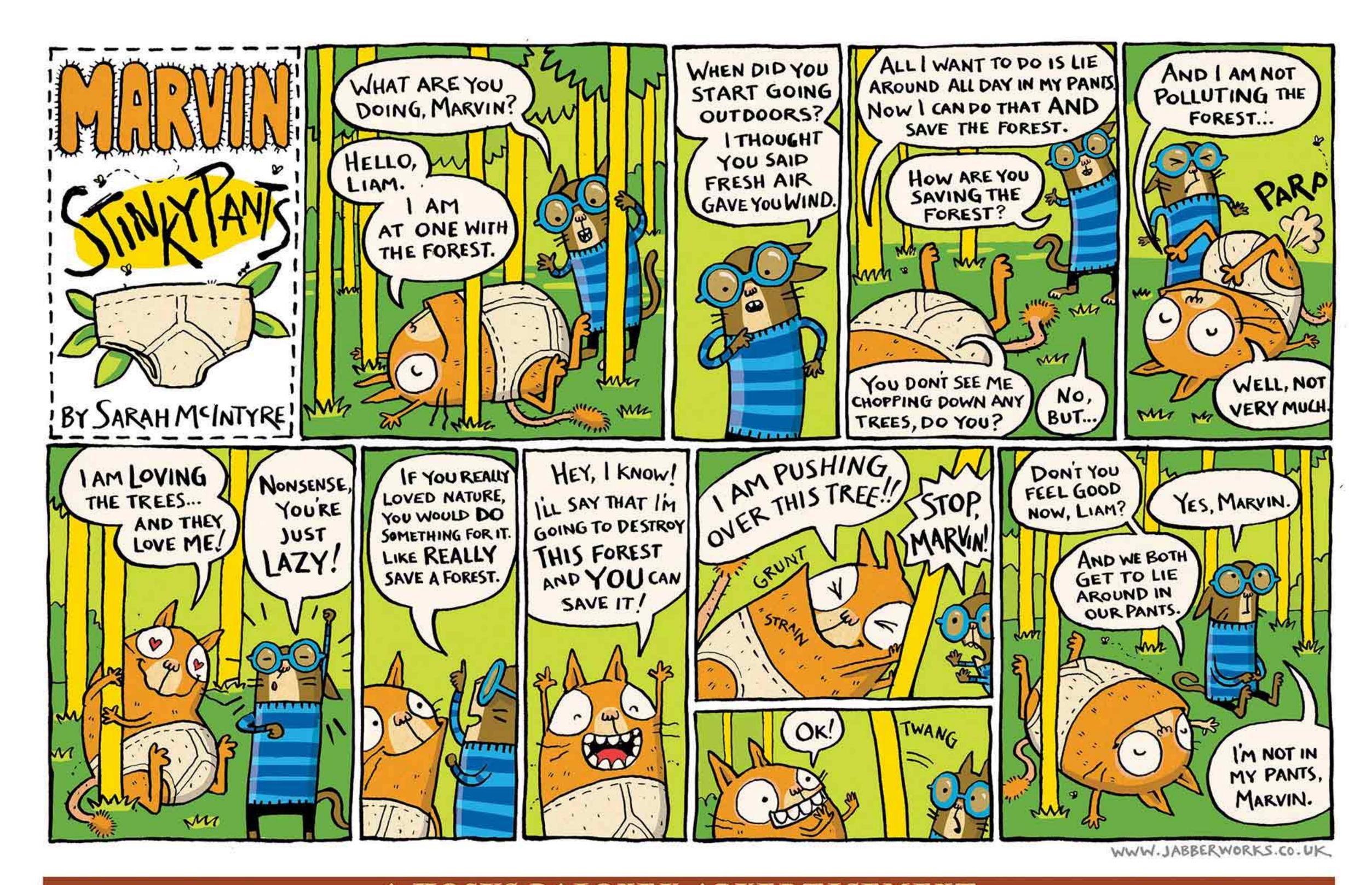




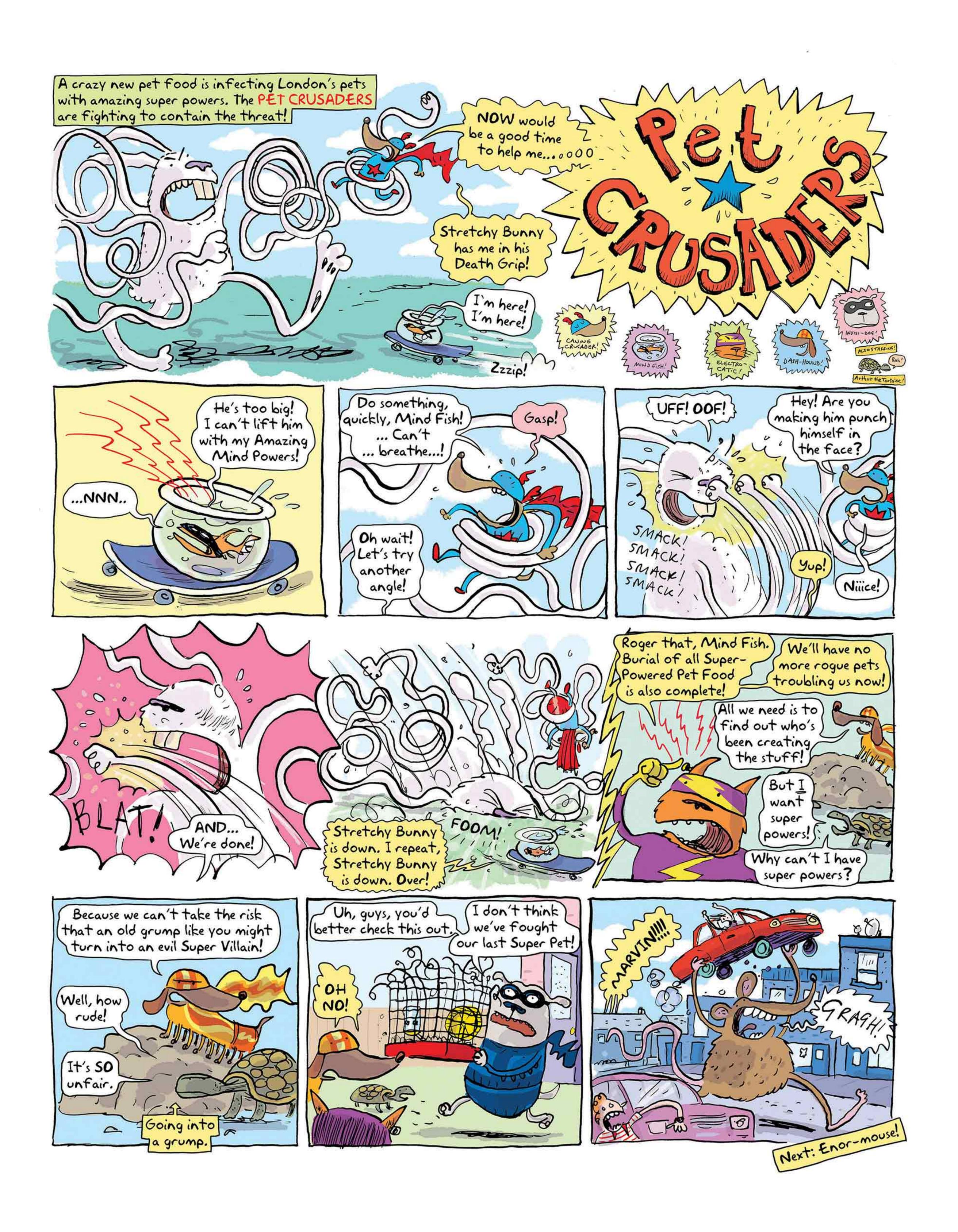














BACK IN THE REAL WORLD ...



"This won't do," Lord Wizardy Wizard shouted, staring into his crystal ball. "This won't do at ALL!"



"Look at them all, having 'fun'... and 'laughs'... and 'adventure'. This was supposed to be a PUNISHMENT for Moose kid, but we've done exactly what he WANTED!"



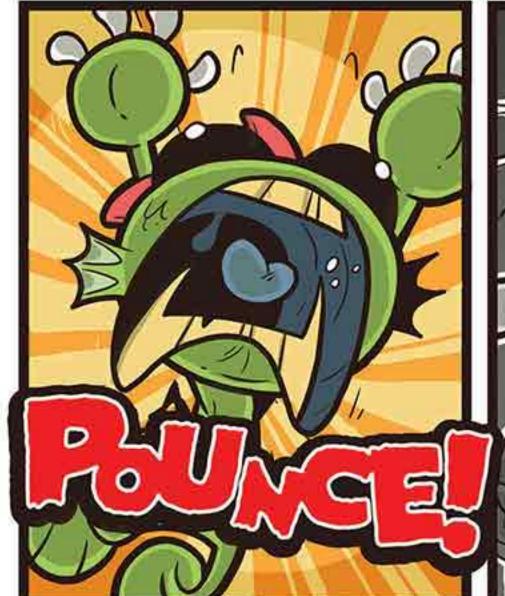














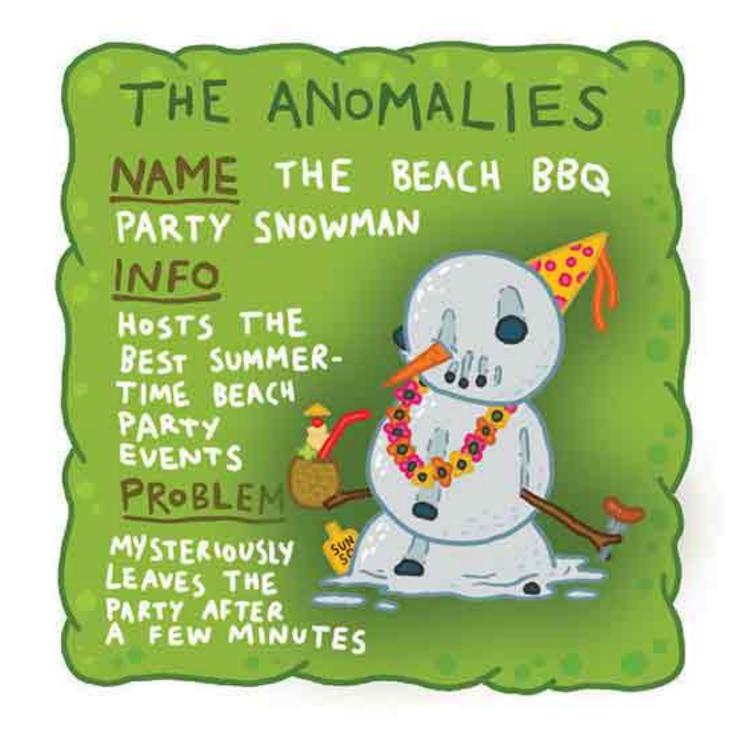










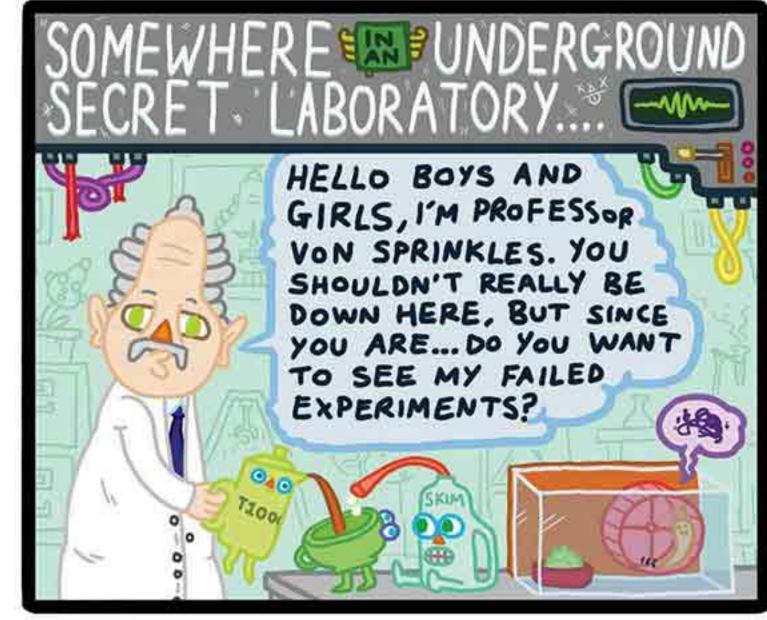




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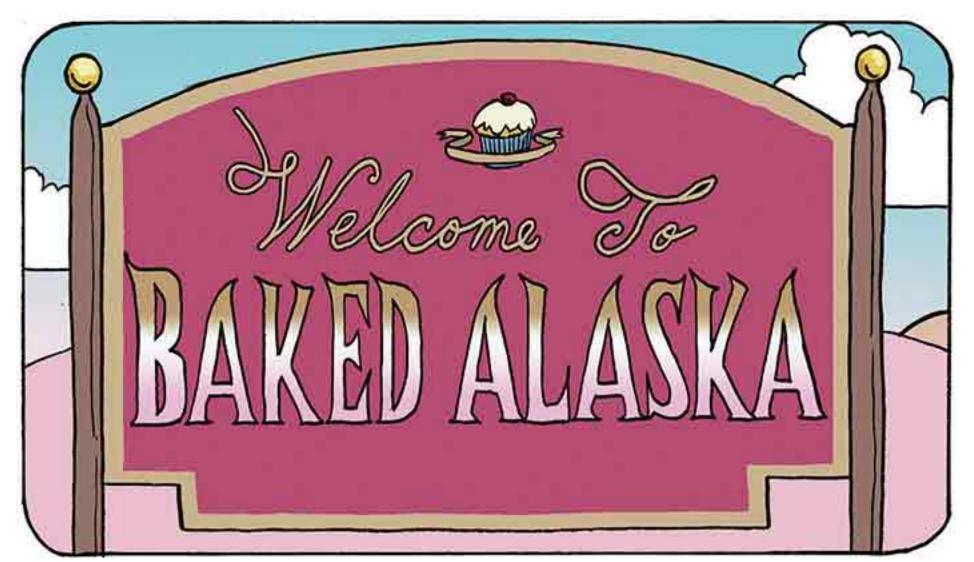


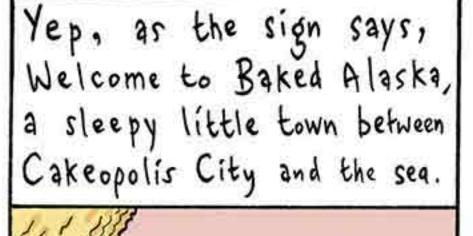
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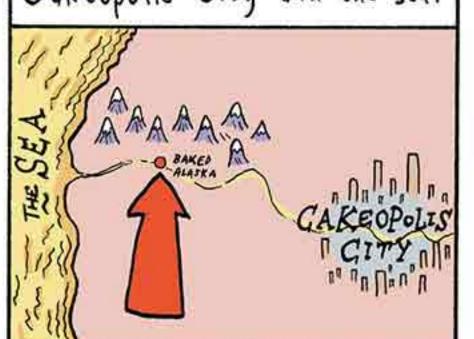






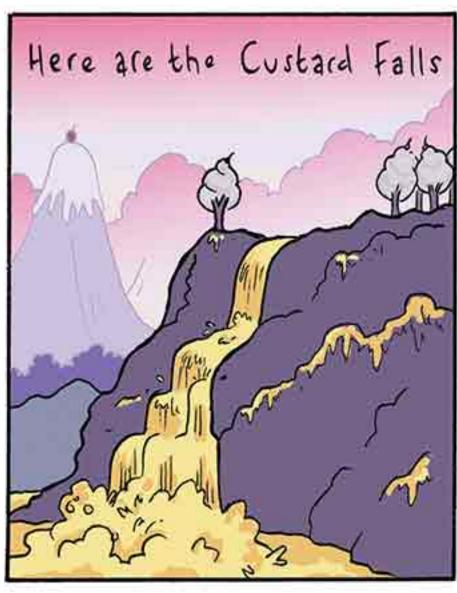


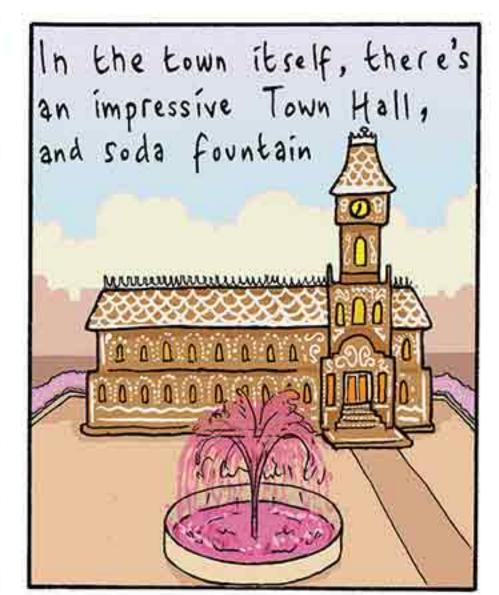








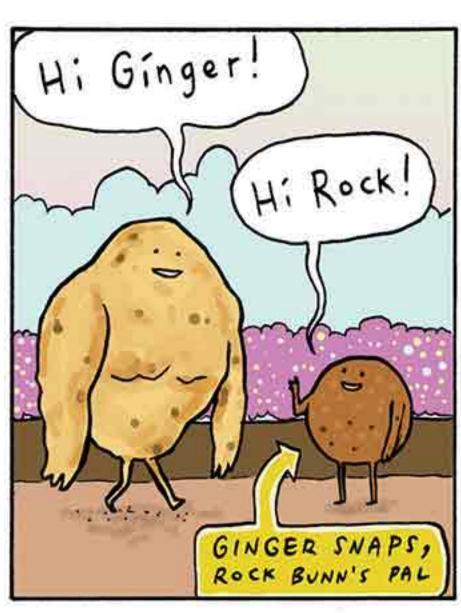










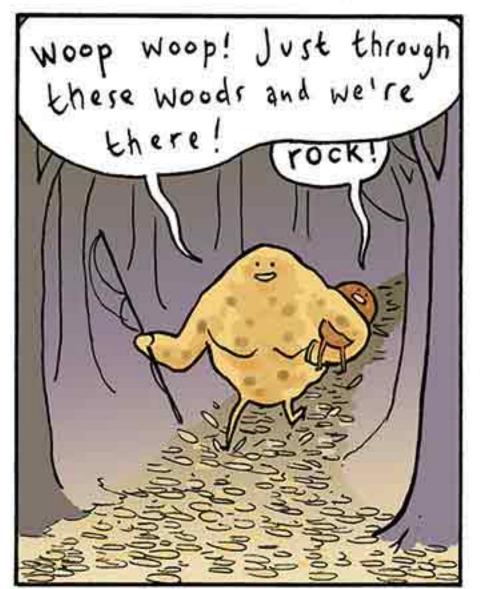






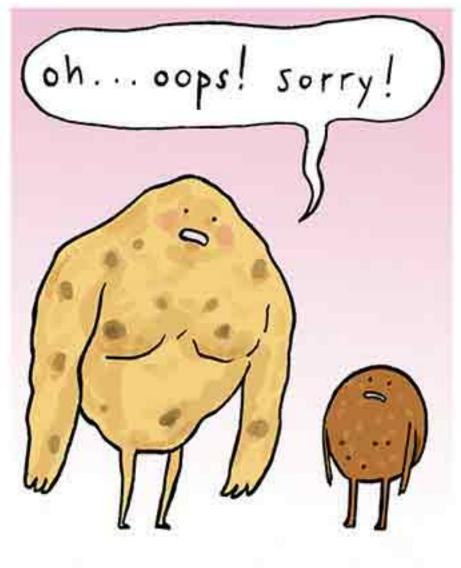




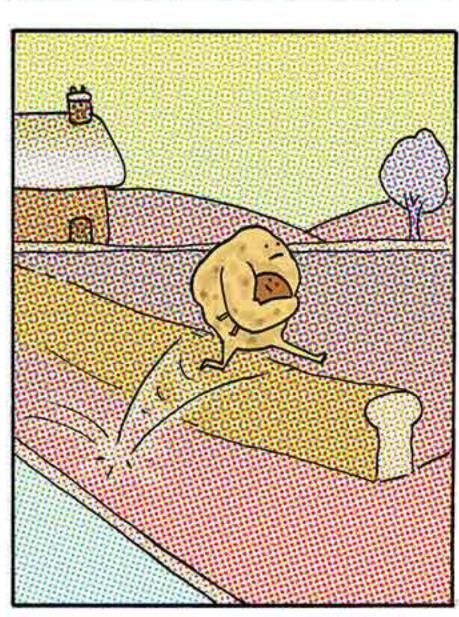


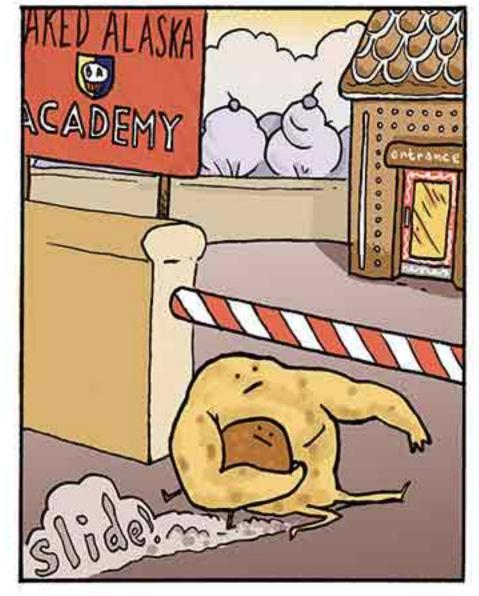






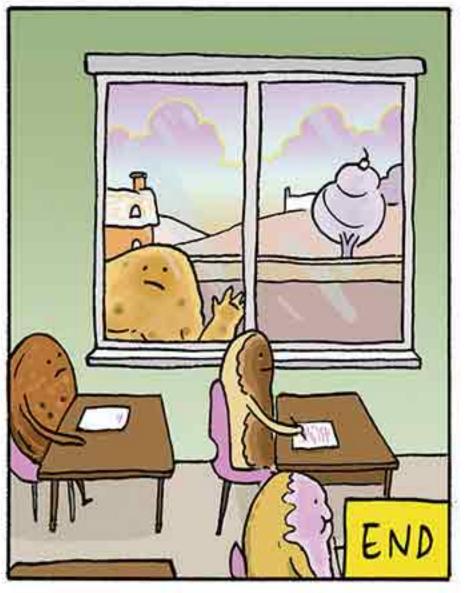


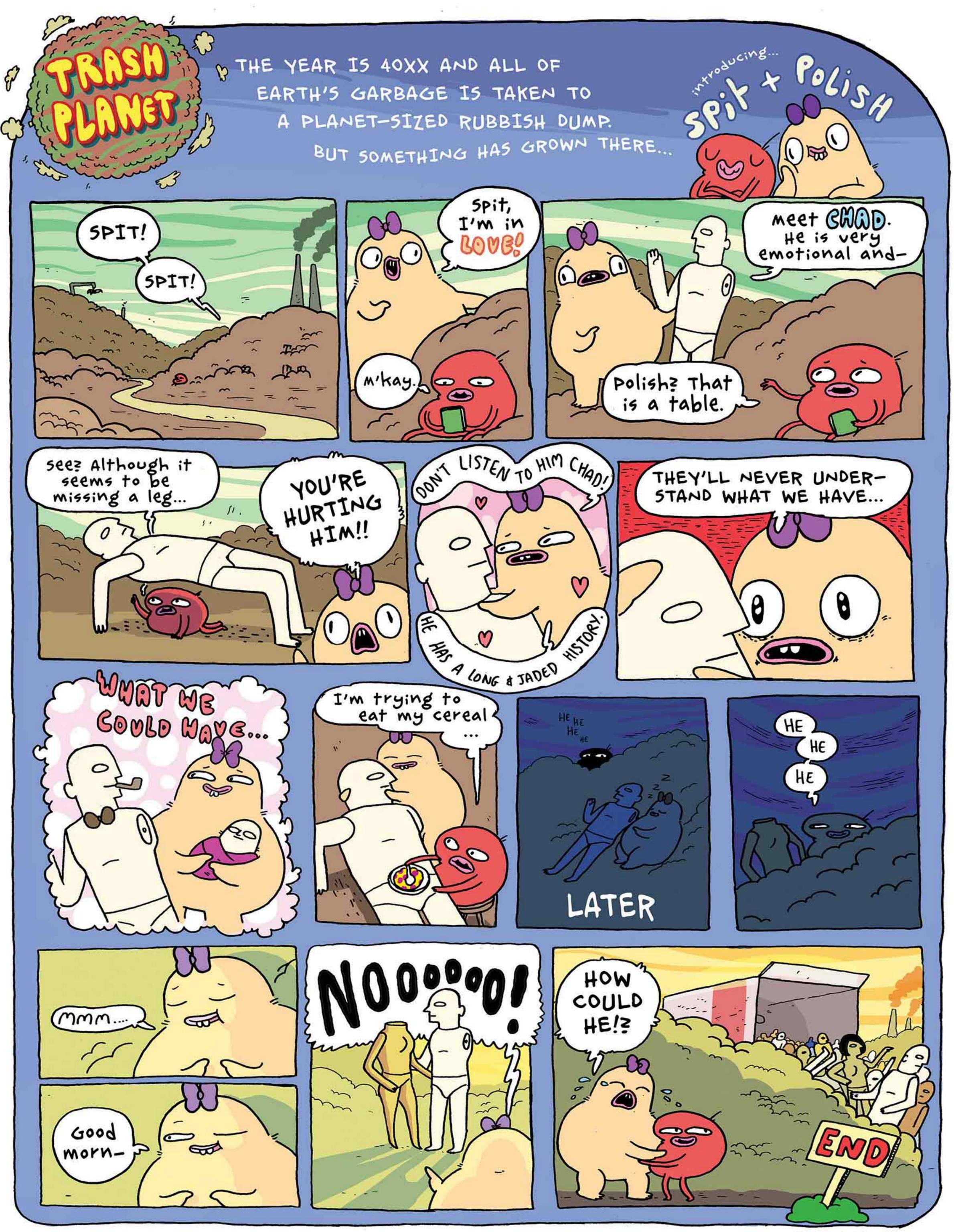




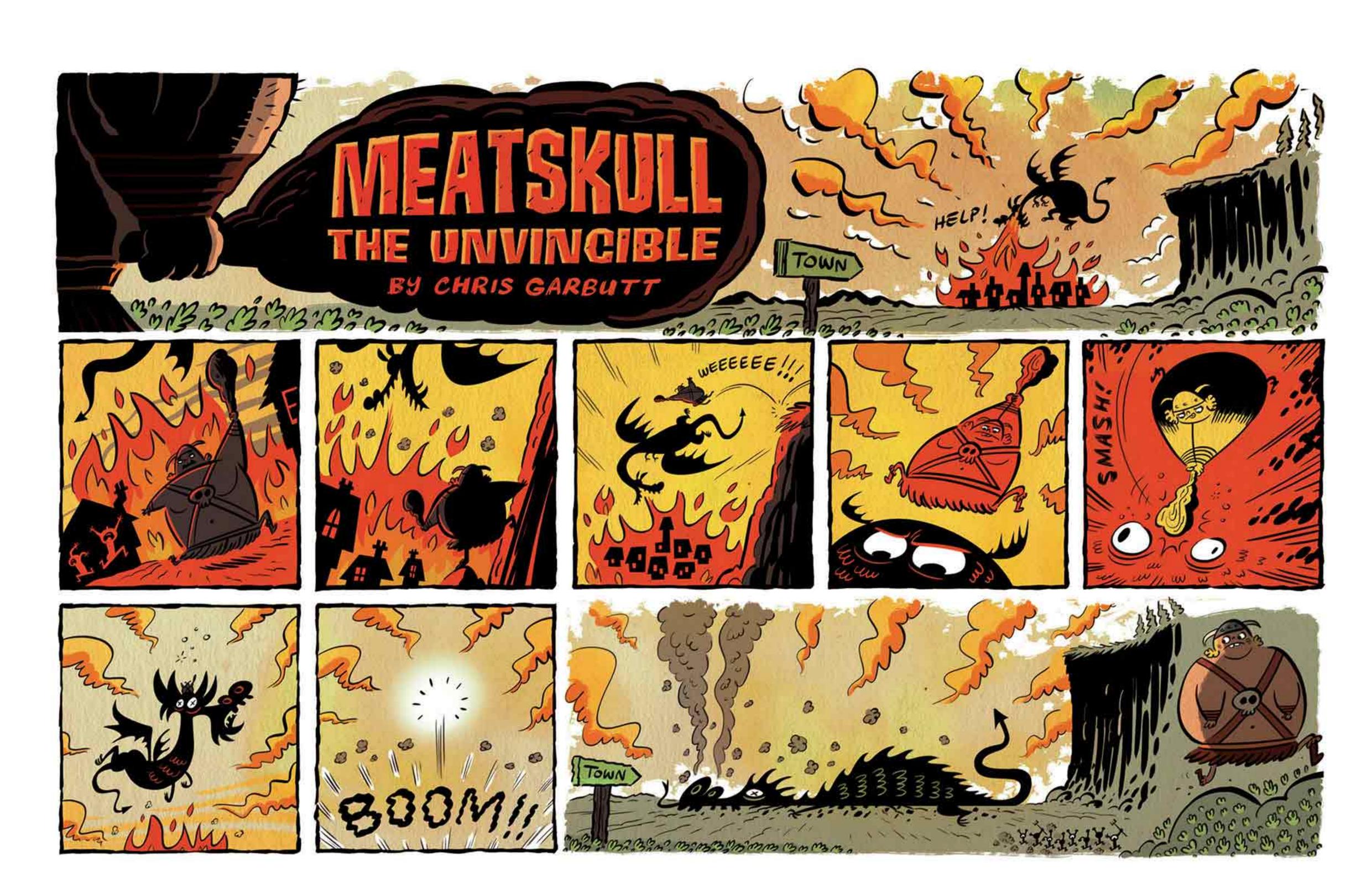


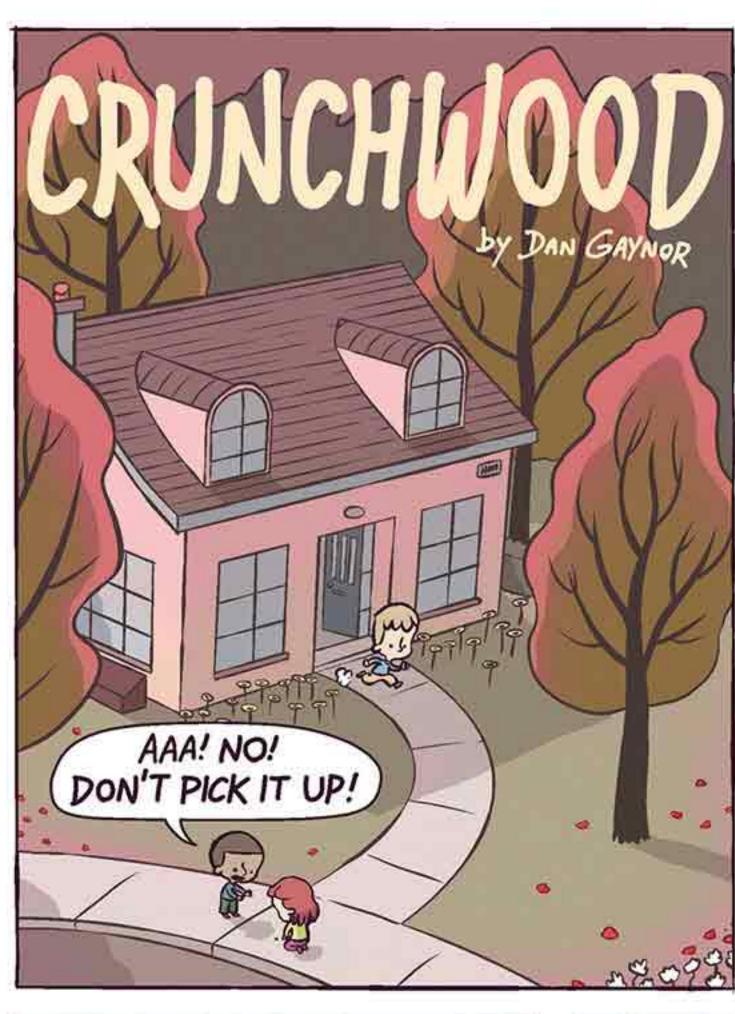






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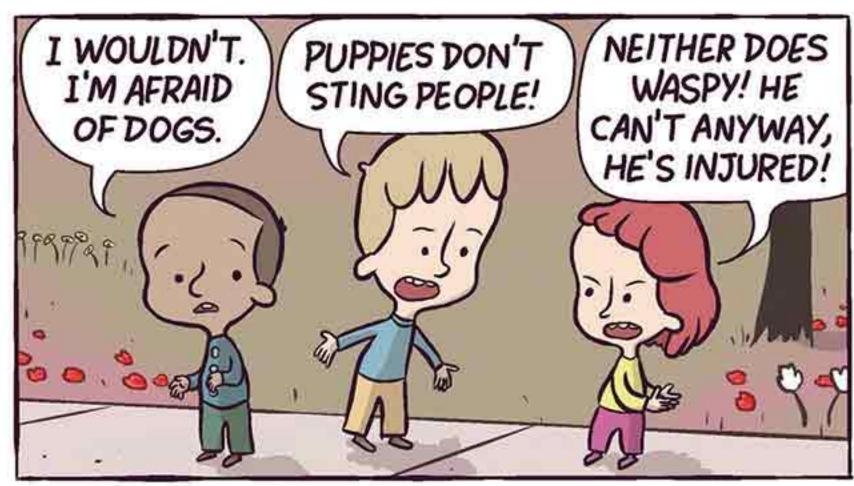


















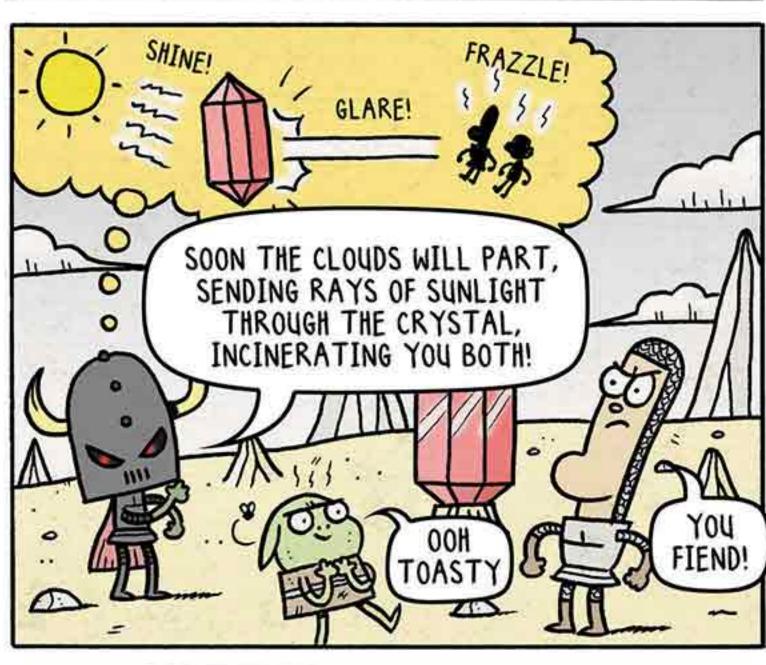






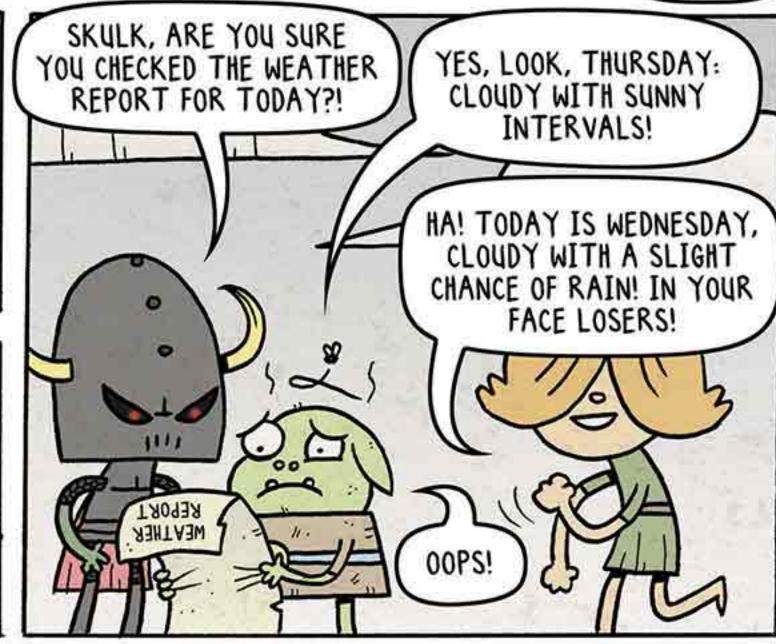






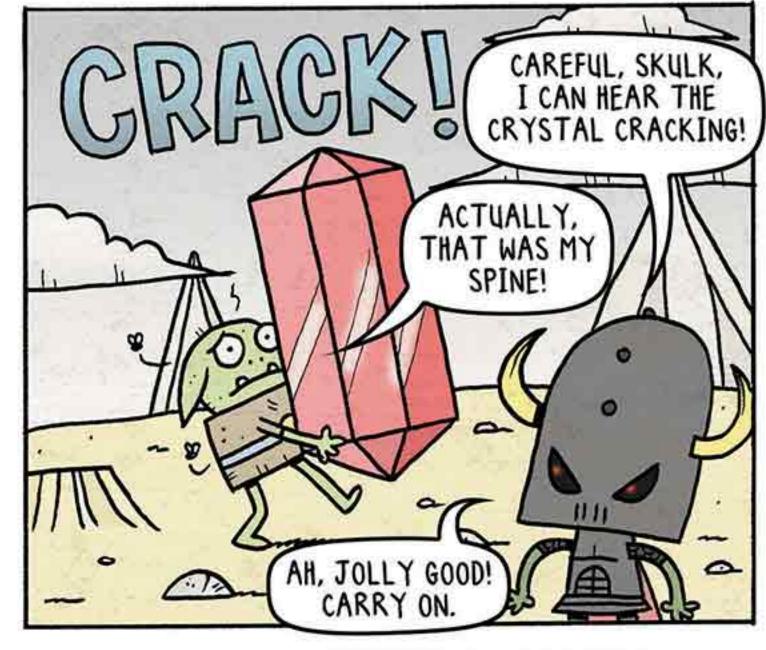










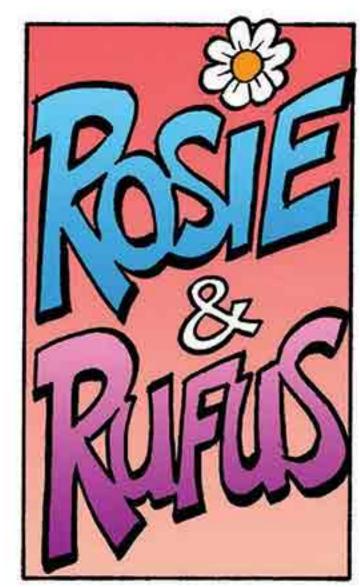






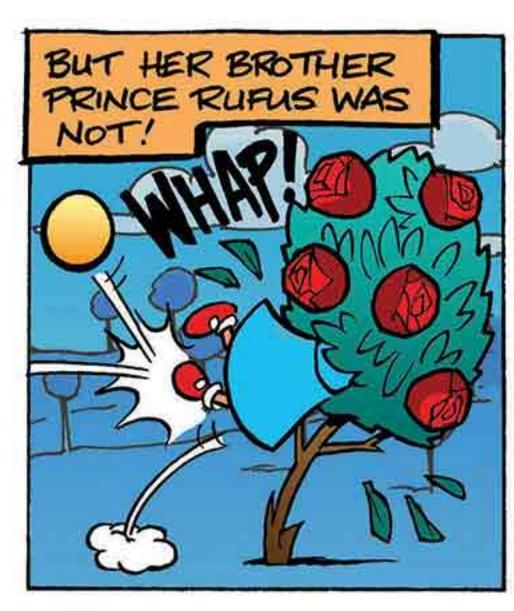






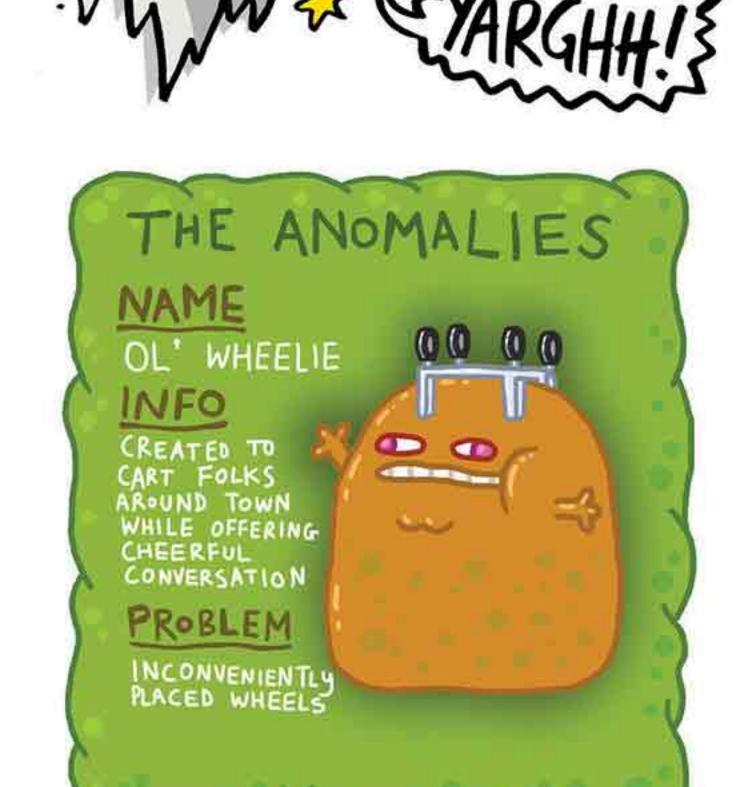












YOU GET

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BUT THIS

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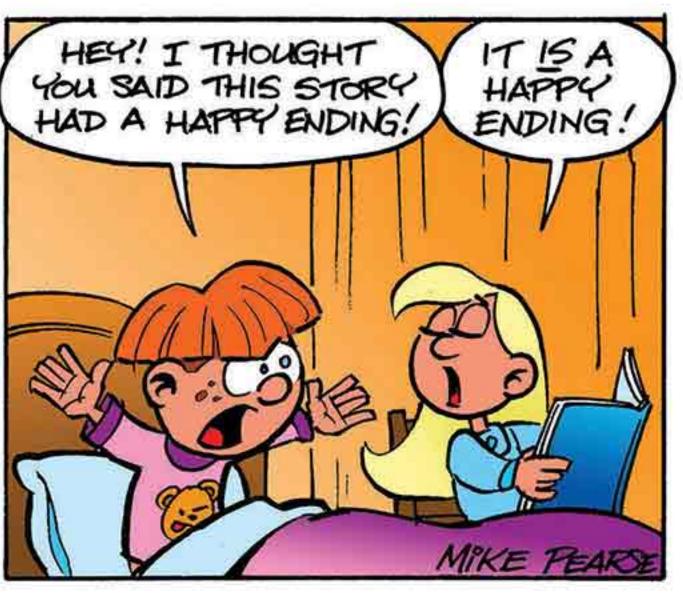
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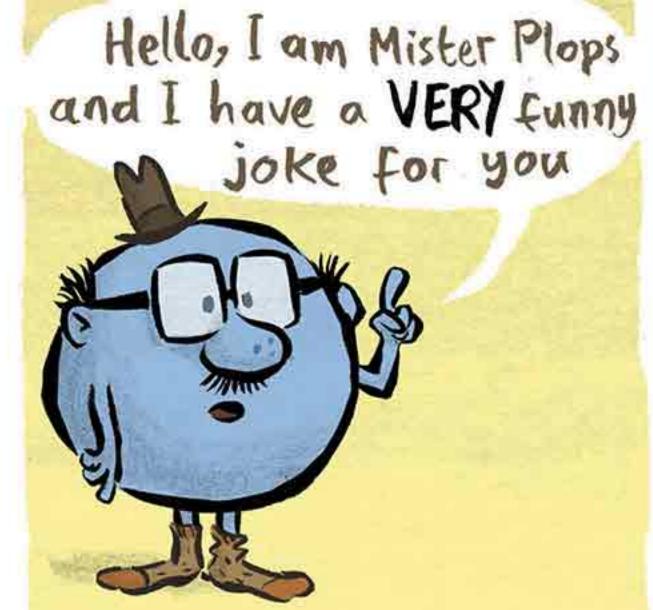


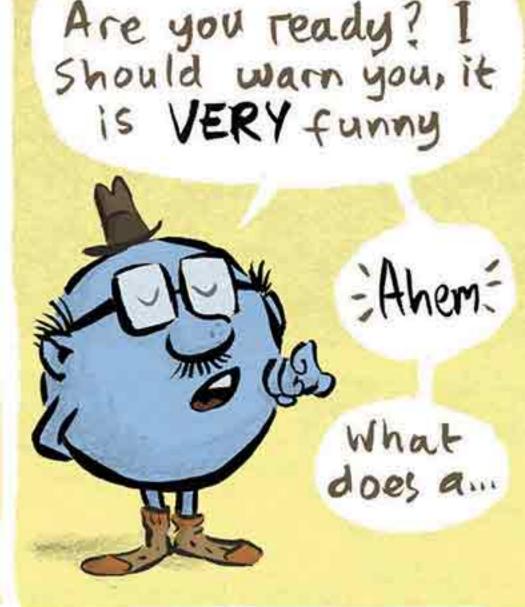




ONE TIME THEY TRIED TO GIVE ME A HAIRCUT BUT THE HAIR FOUGHT BACK AND WENT ON A CRIME SPREE AND NOW I'VE GOT MILLIONS!

Mister Plops























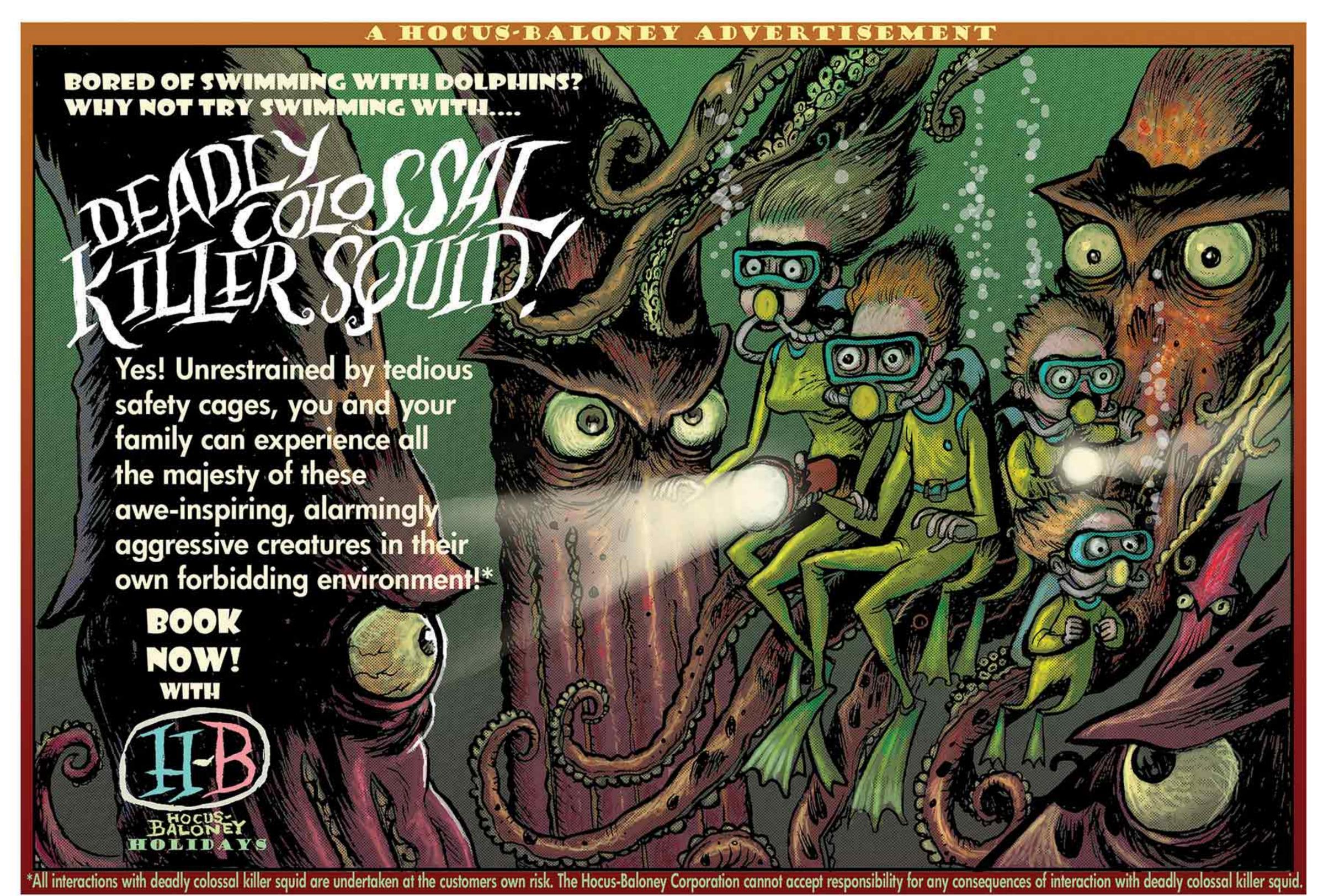


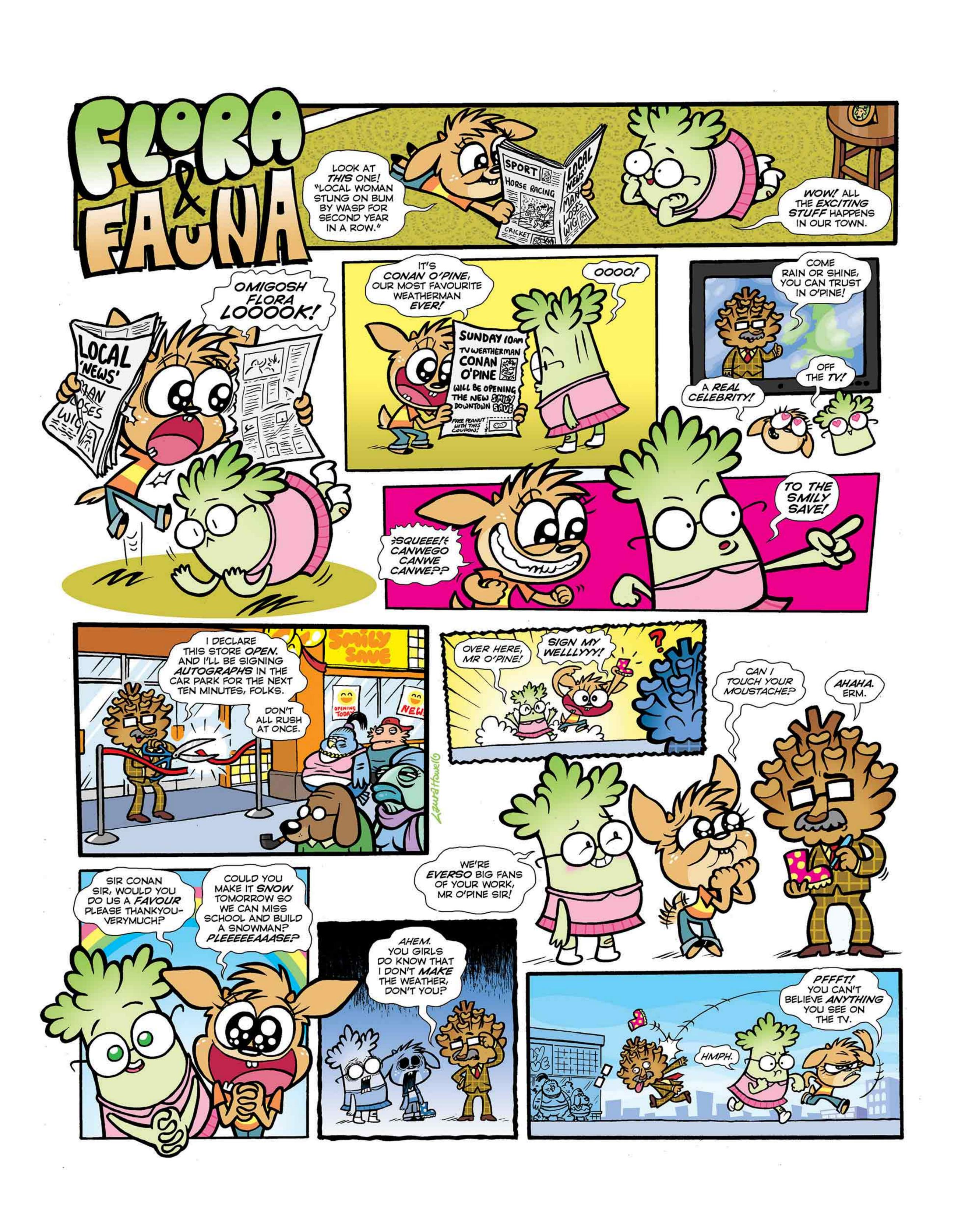


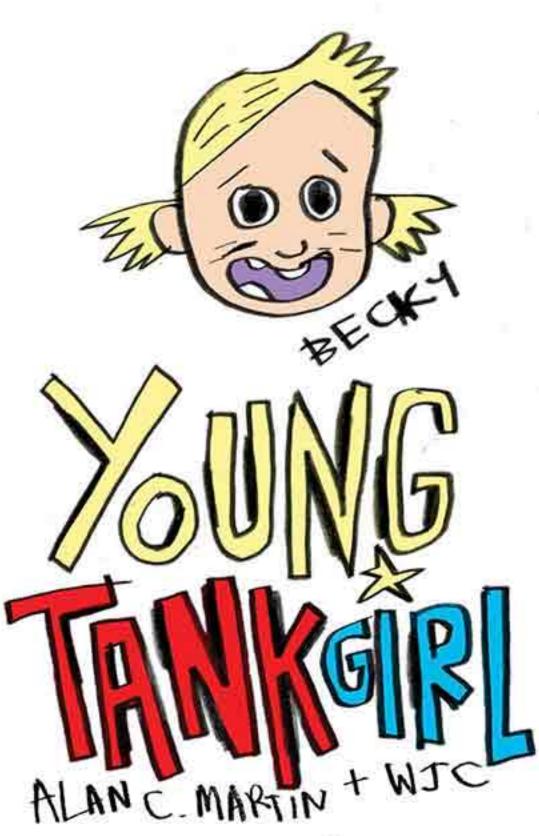










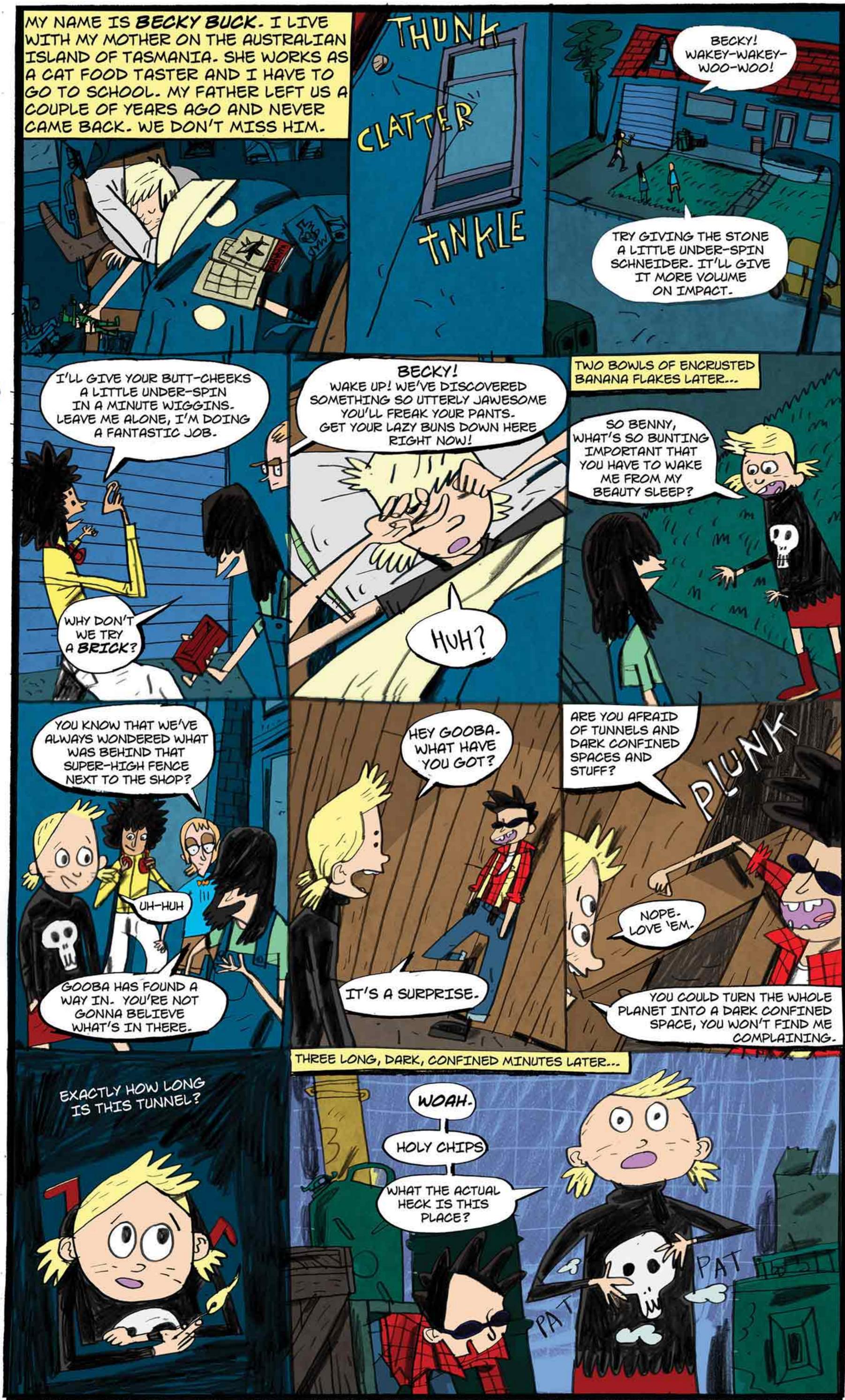






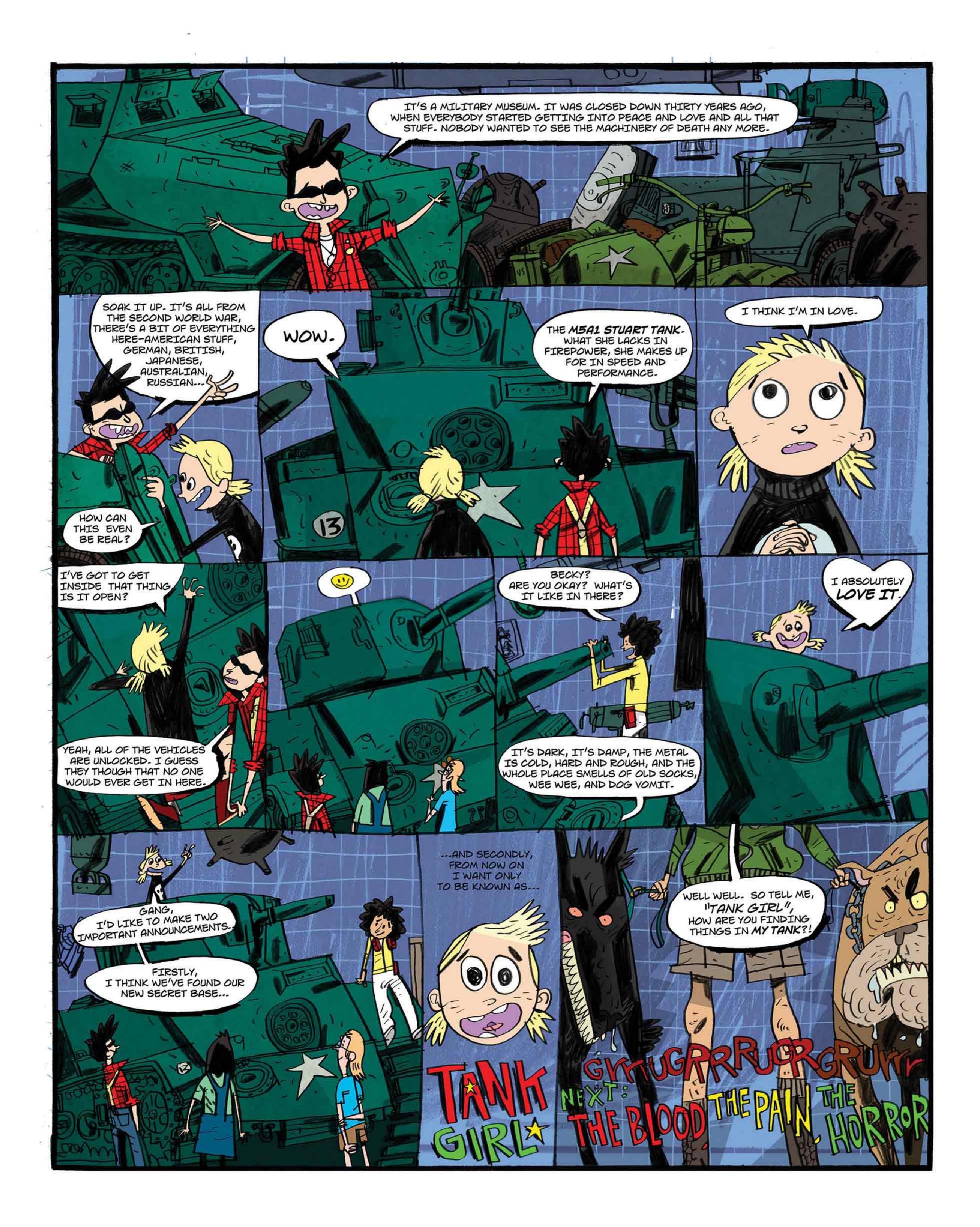






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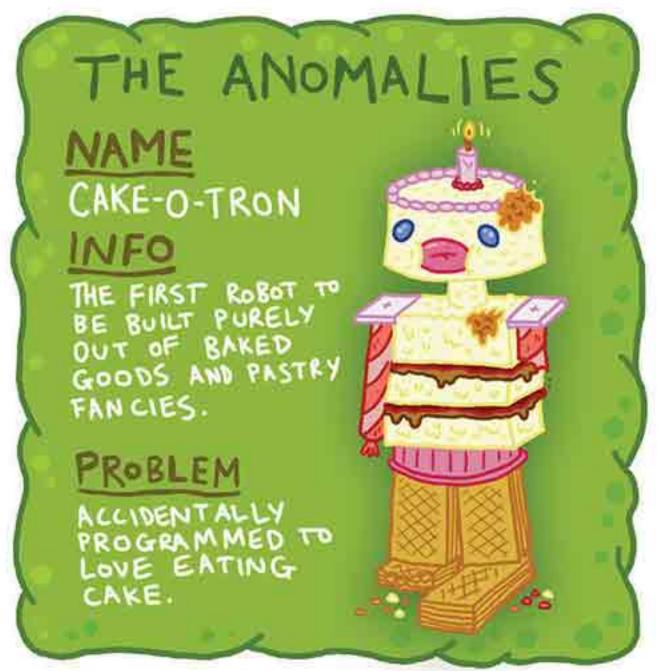
YOUNG TANK GIRL @ JOHNSON-CADWELL & MARTIN 2014

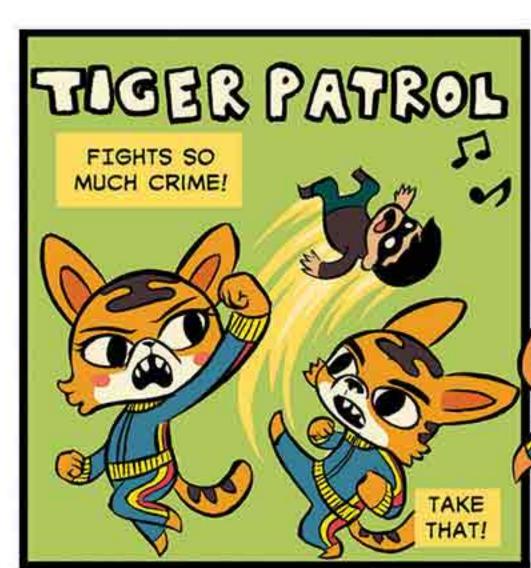




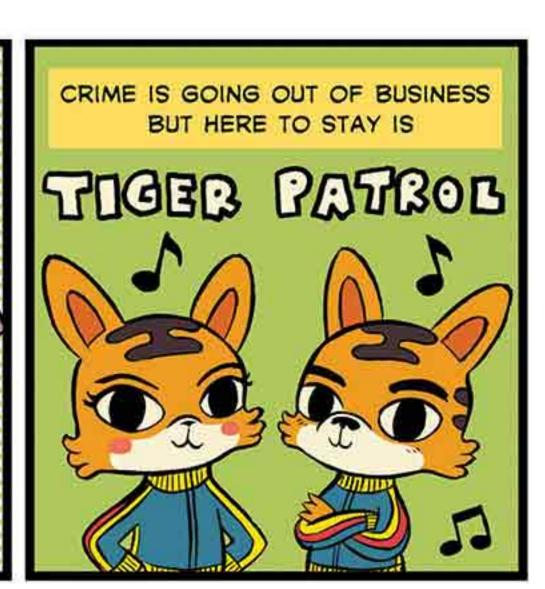
ONE TIME GRANNY KISSED ME ON THE HEAD AND A TINY OLD LADY POPPED OUT AND NOW SHE'S YELLING ABOUT VEGETABLES ALL DAY !!













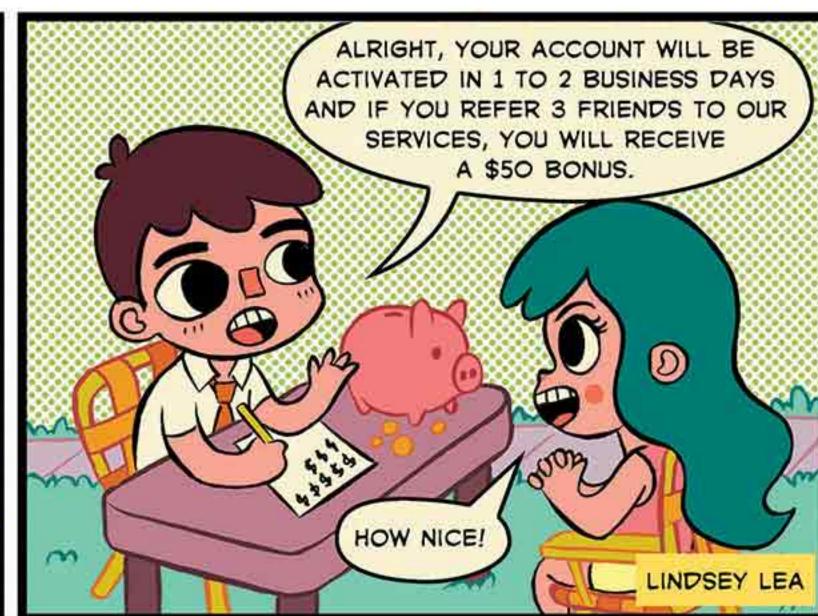












Bite-sized battles between Man and Munchables.





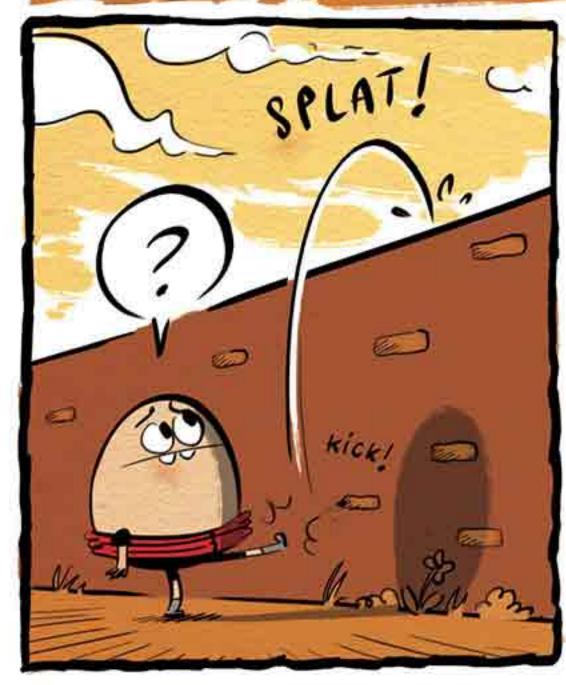




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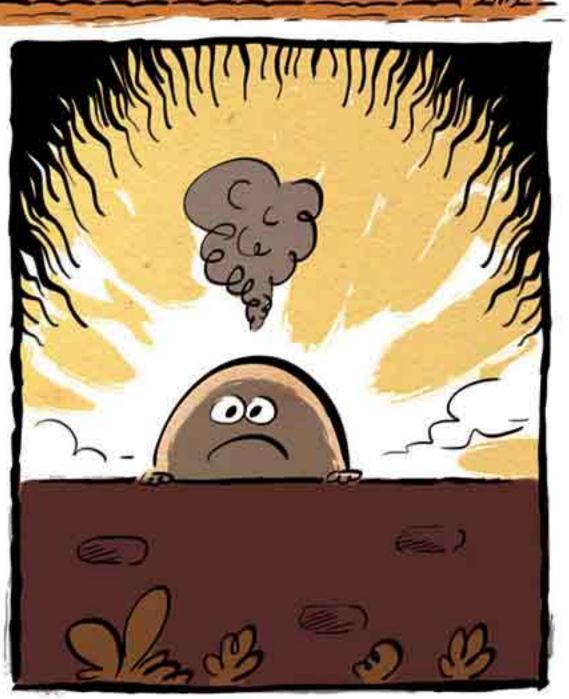
HE'S A GOOD EGG ... ON THE INSIDE!

SCRAMBLES





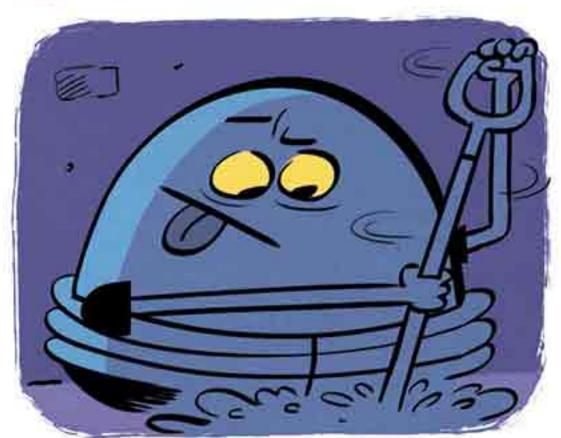




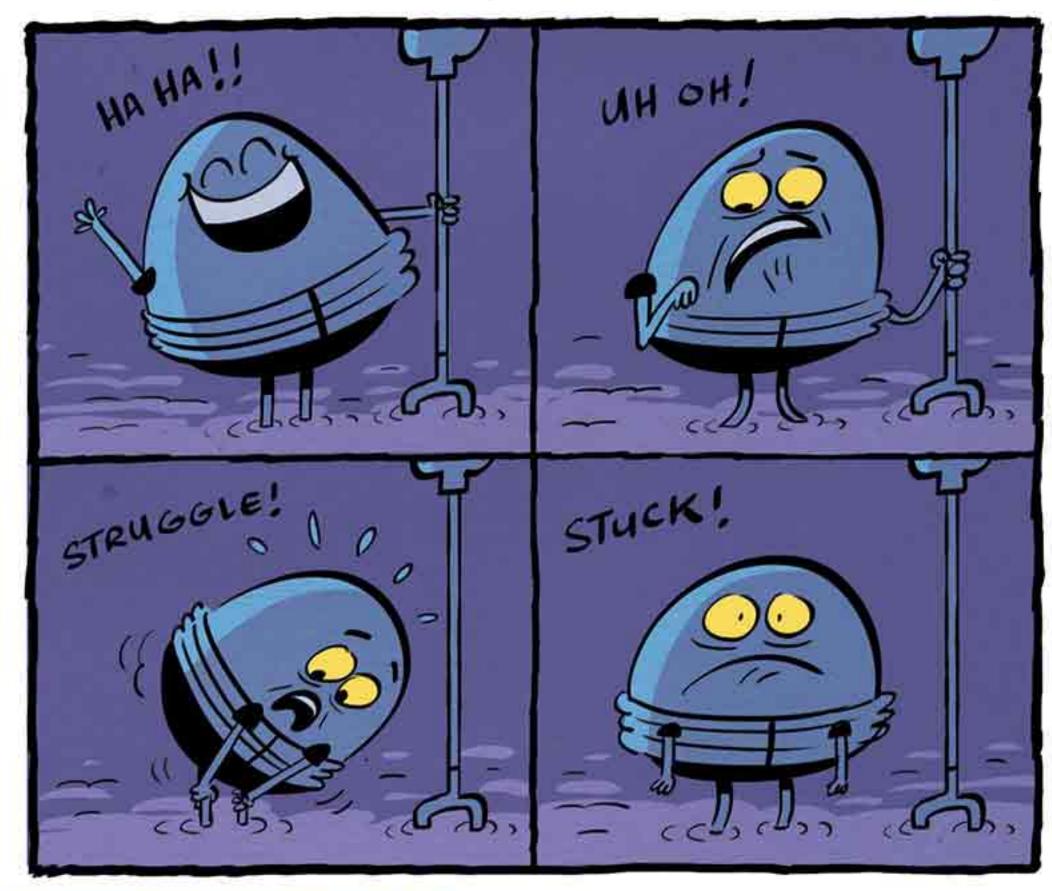










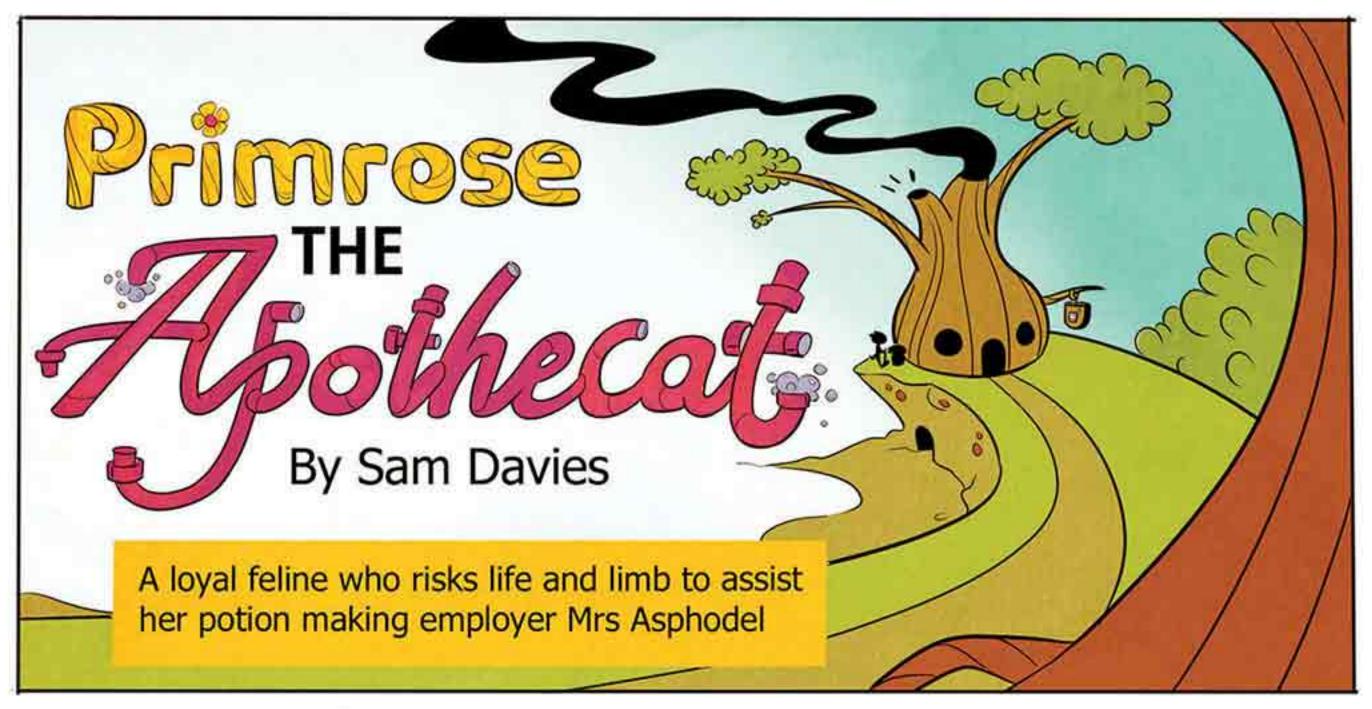




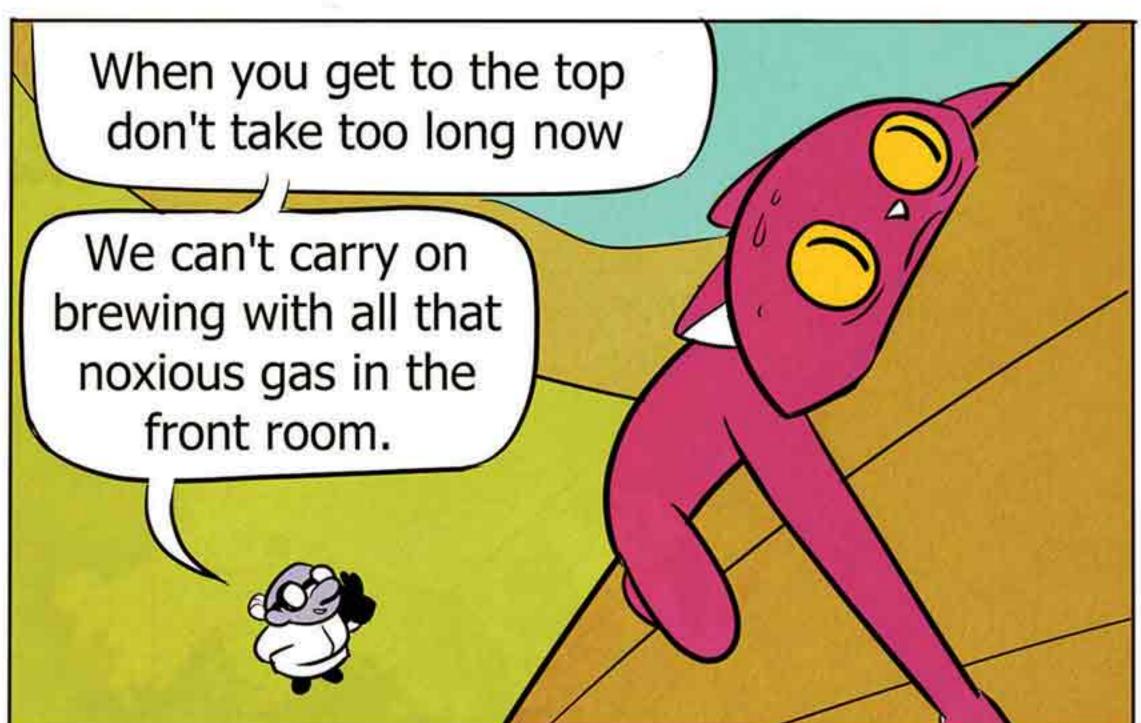




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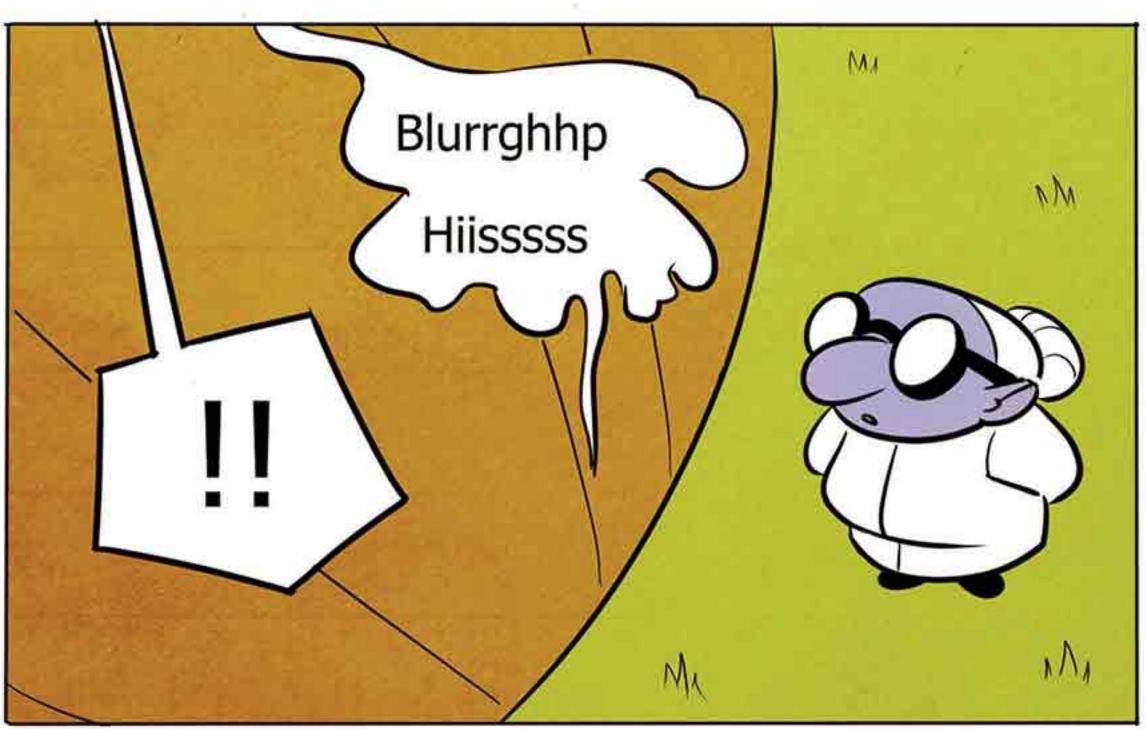




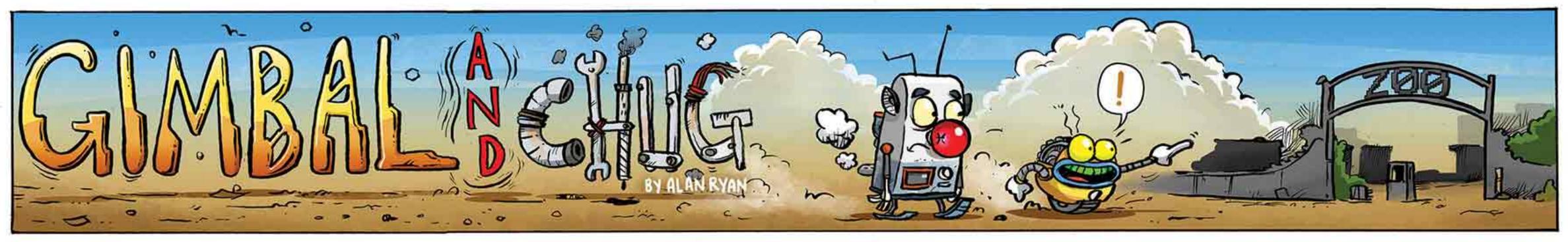


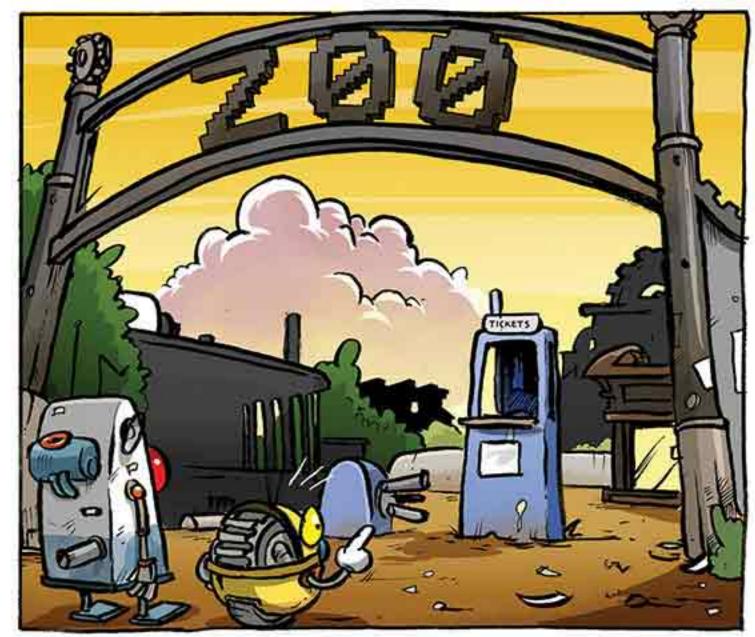




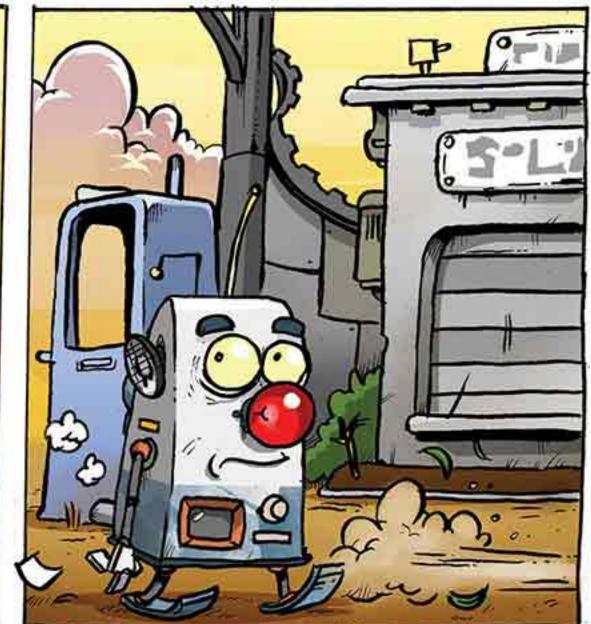


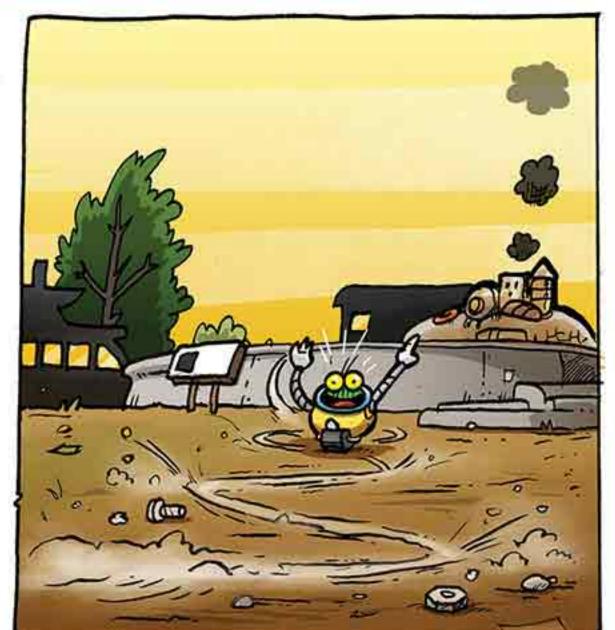


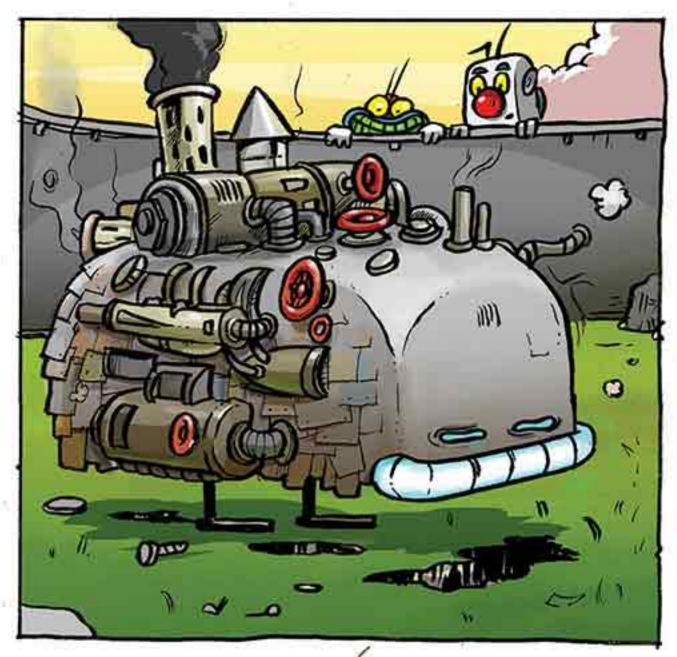


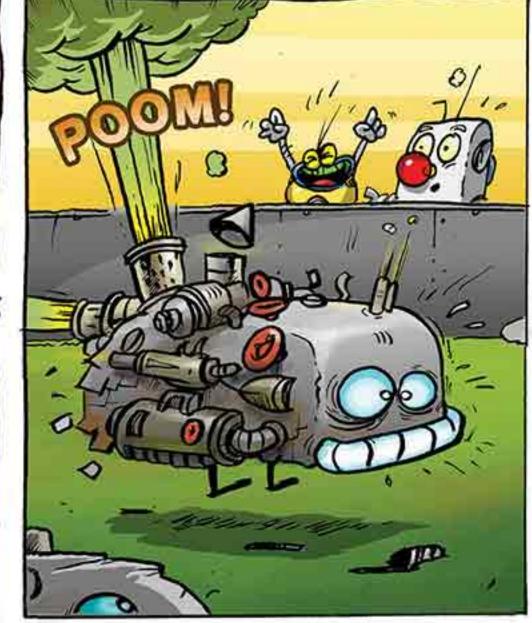




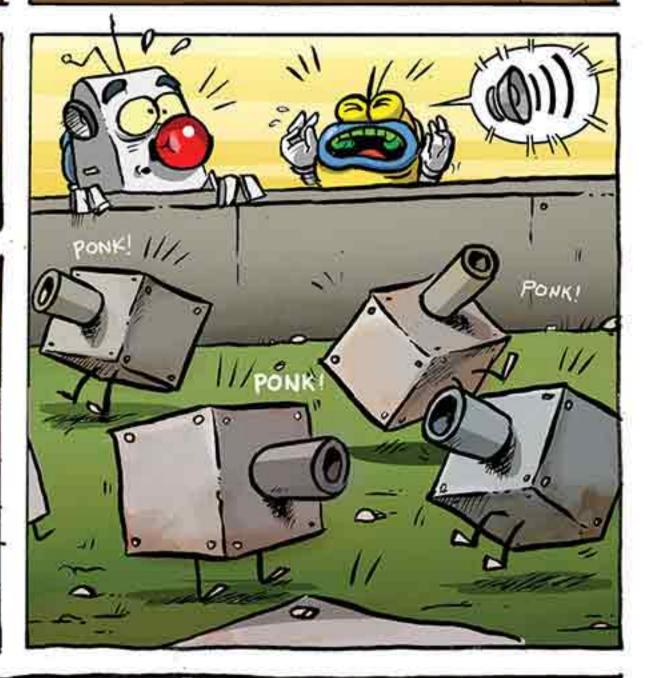
















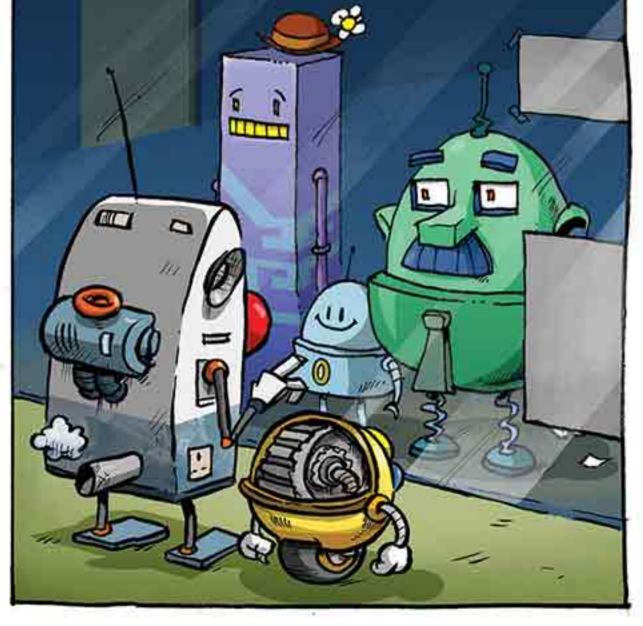


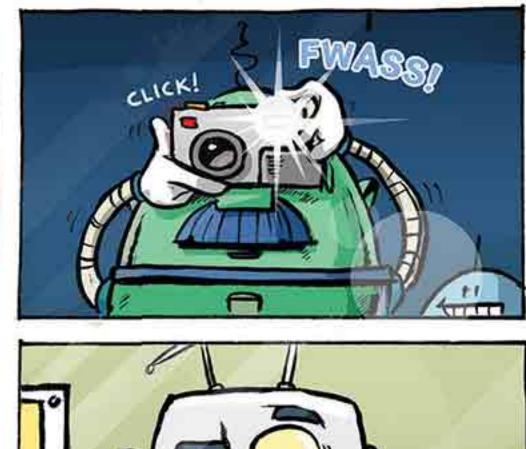


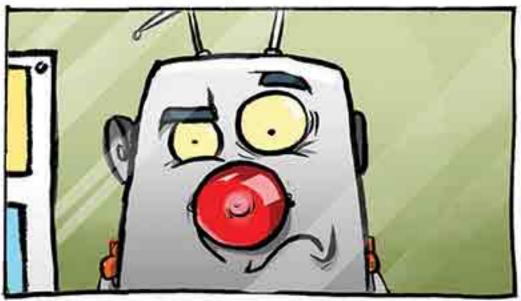




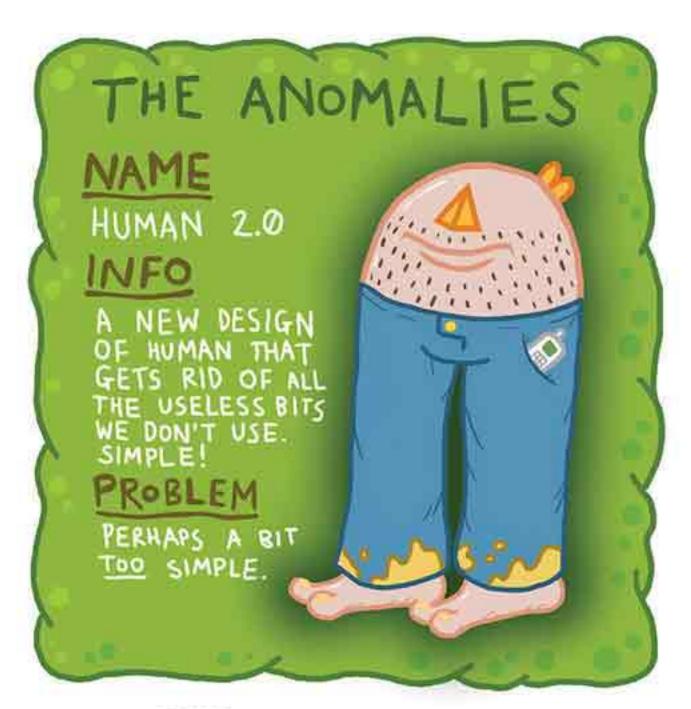




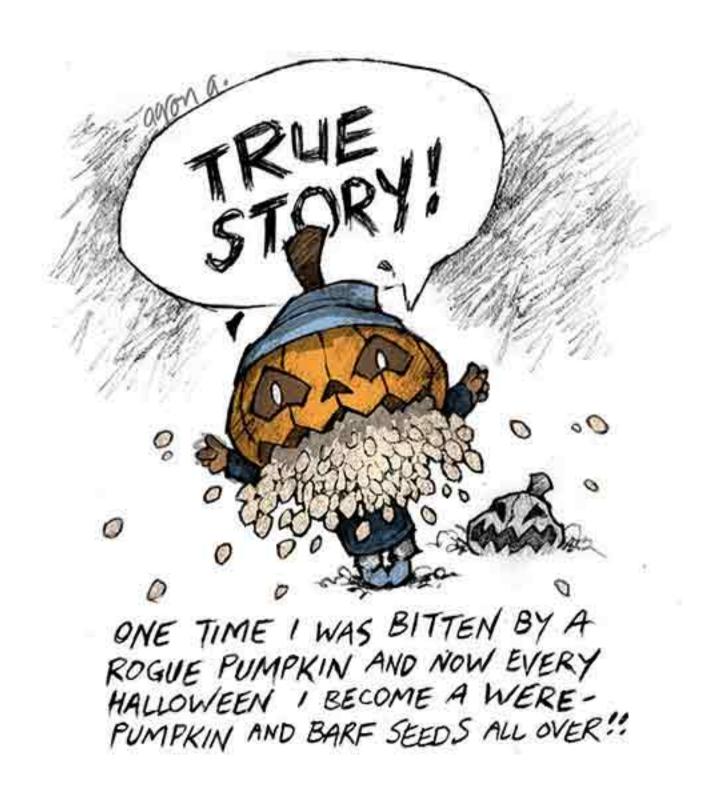


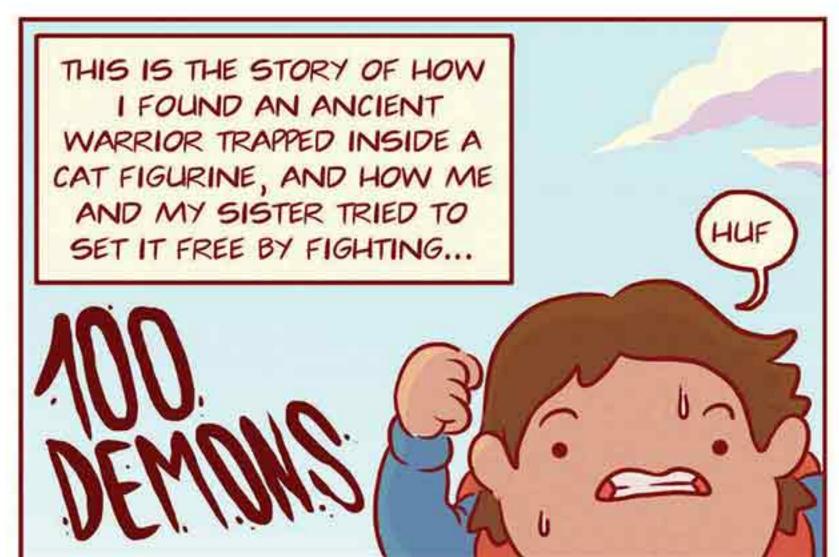






















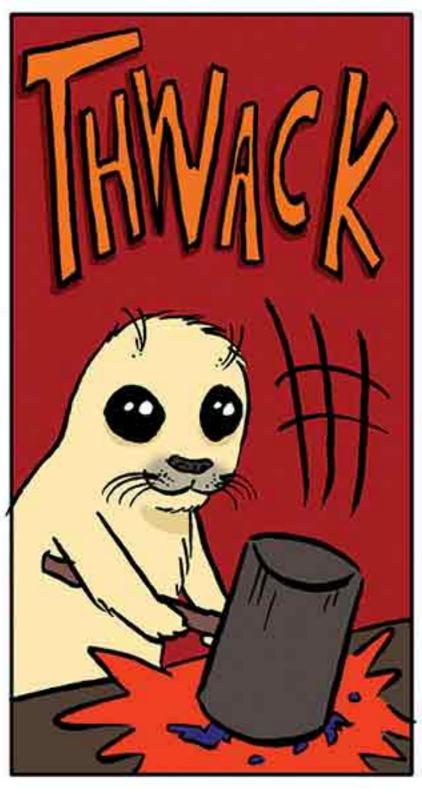






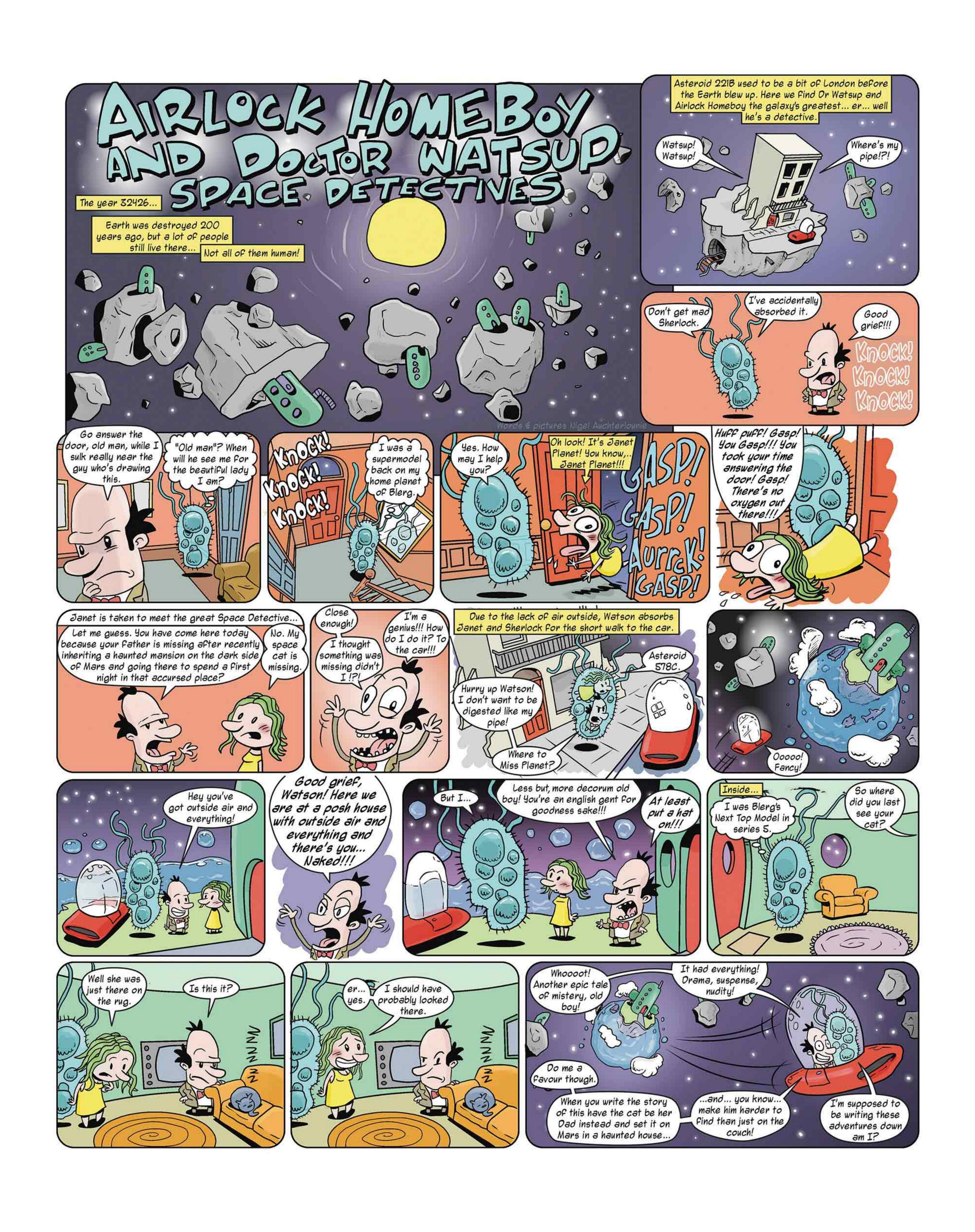












HIDING BEHIND SMALL THINGS

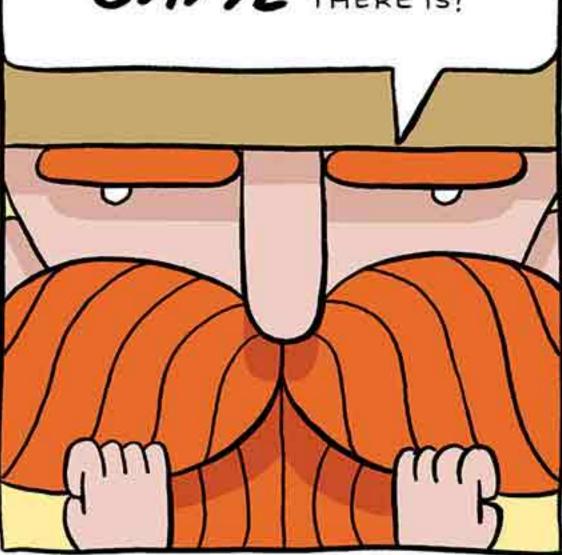
With your host Sin Tiny Smallbottom



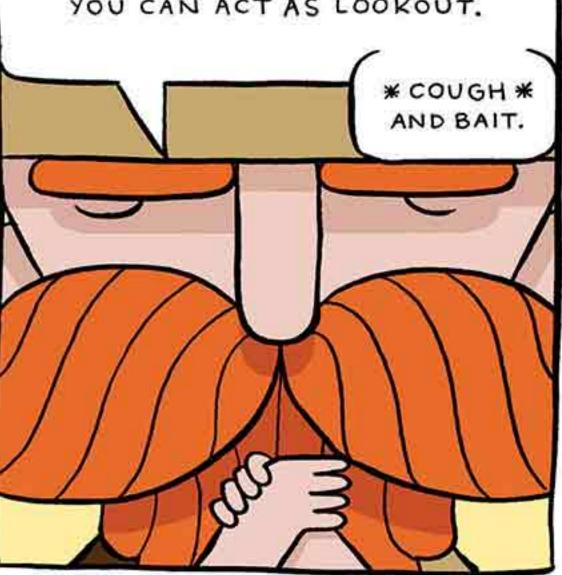
WHAT-HO CHAPS! I AM SIR TINY SMALLBOTTOM, WORLD-RENOWNED EXPLORER AND HUNTER OF BIG GAME.





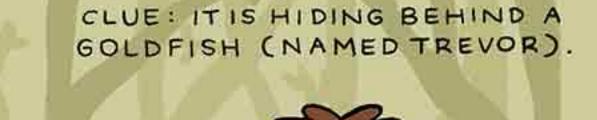


I SAY, WHY DON'T YOU JOIN ME ON MY HUNT FOR GIANT CREATURES? YOU CAN ACT AS LOOKOUT.



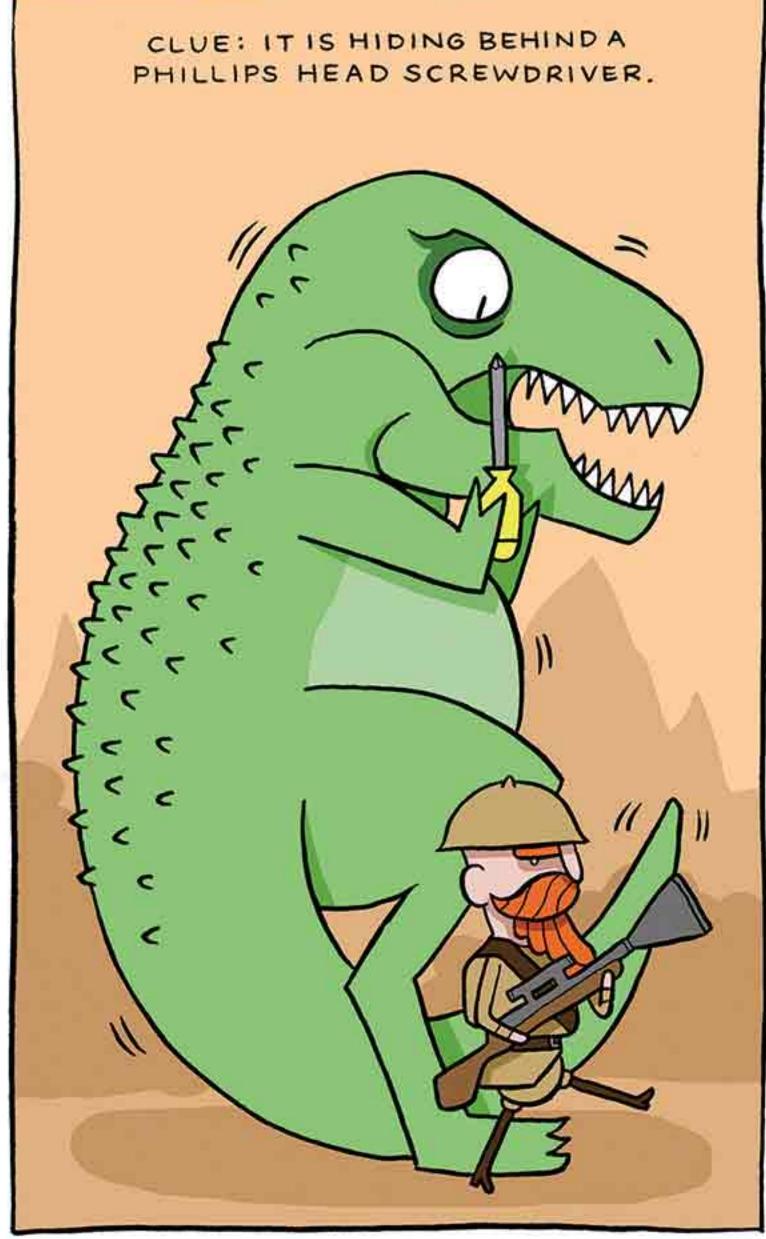
WATCH OUT THOUGH, THESE BLIGHTERS CAN BE SNEAKY. MASTERS OF DISGUISE, AS THEY SAY.





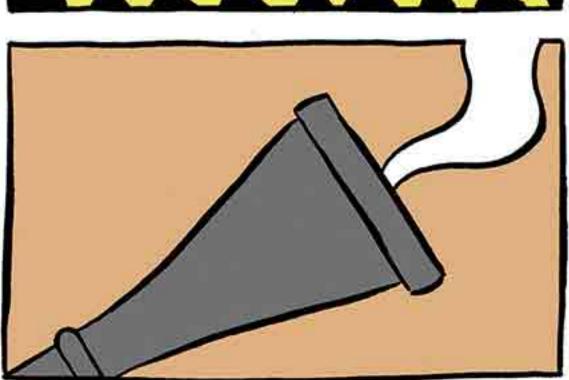






HANG ON ... THERE'S ONE! FIRE!



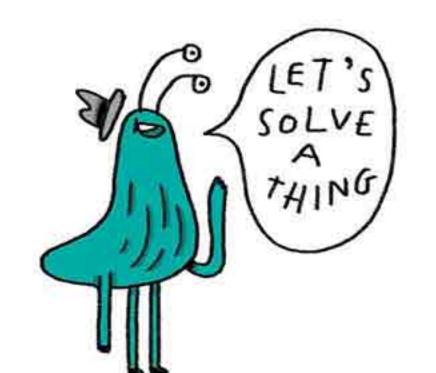


NEVER MIND. FALSE ALARM. JUST A MOUSE HIDING BEHIND A SMALL ROCK.



WELL, CLEARLY NO MONSTERS LURKING TODAY. BUT NEVER FEAR-I'LL BE ON THE HUNT AGAIN SOON. UNTIL THEN ...

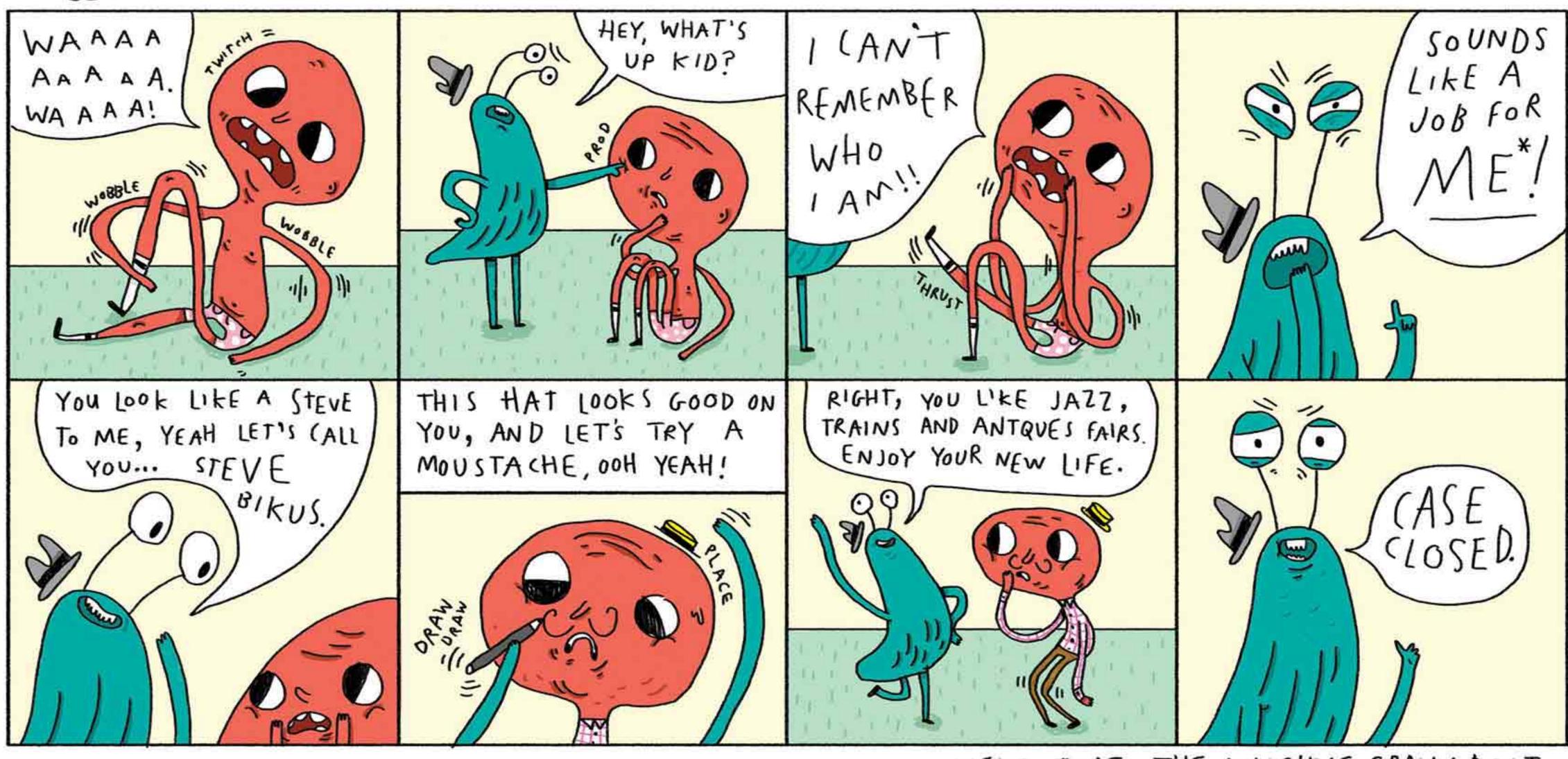




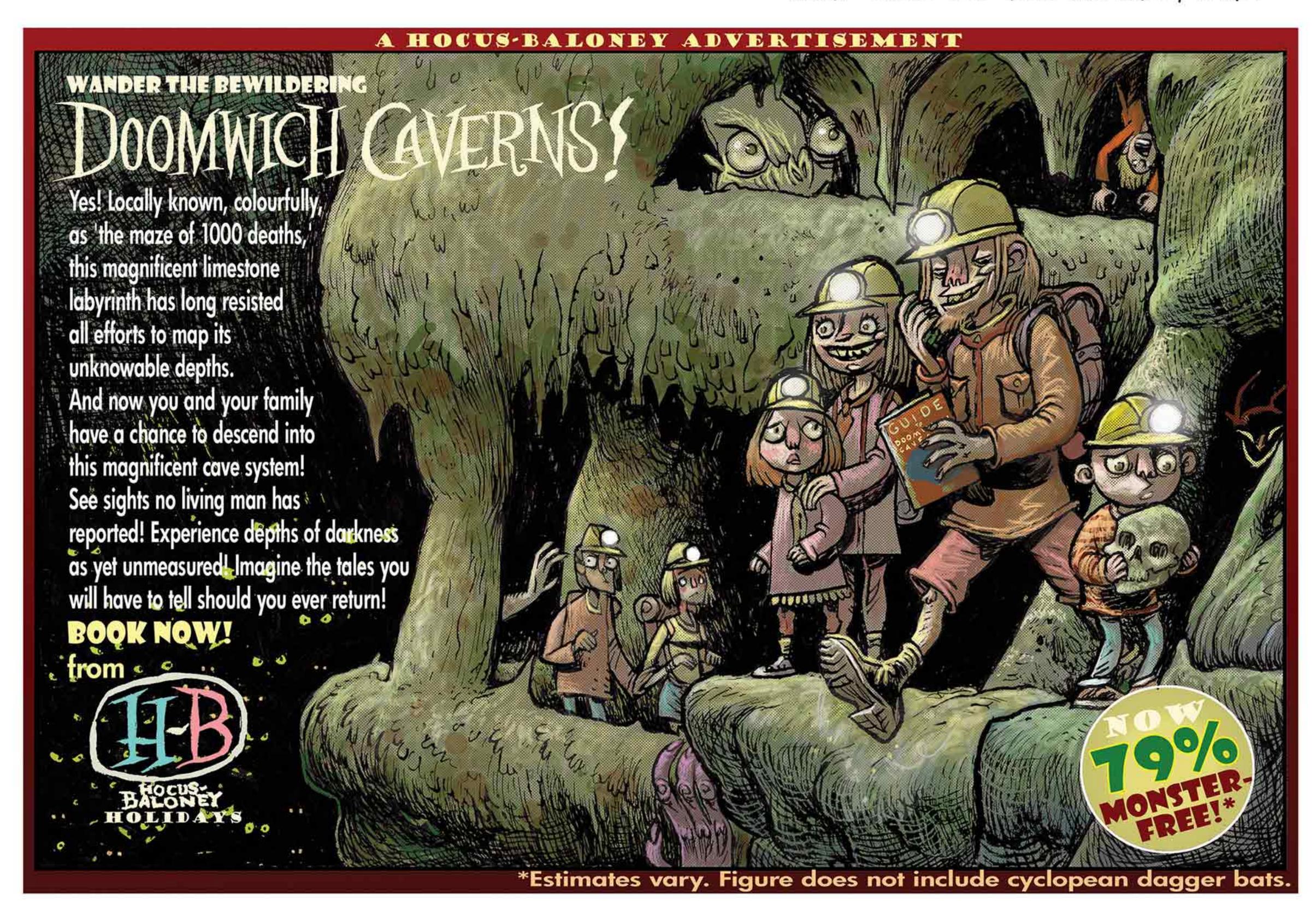
HIT BY AN ASTEROID IN THE MID 90'S A SLUG GREW ARMS AND LEGS AND THE ABILITY TO DETECT. HIS NAME IS...

DOUG SLUGMANPI.

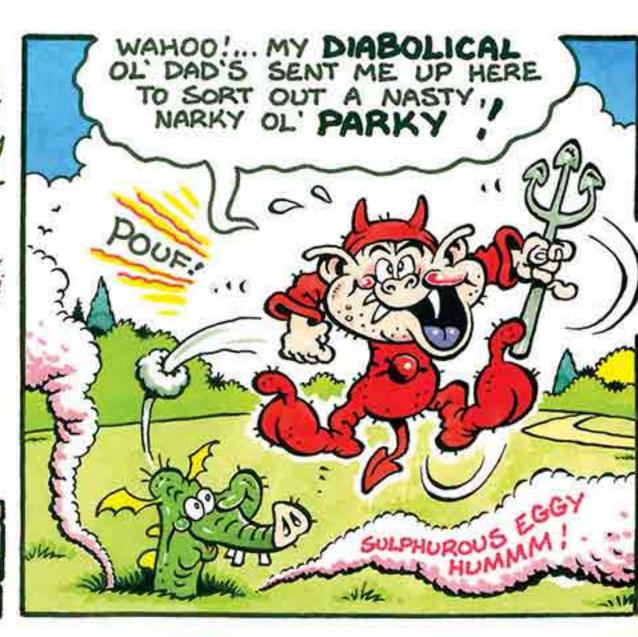


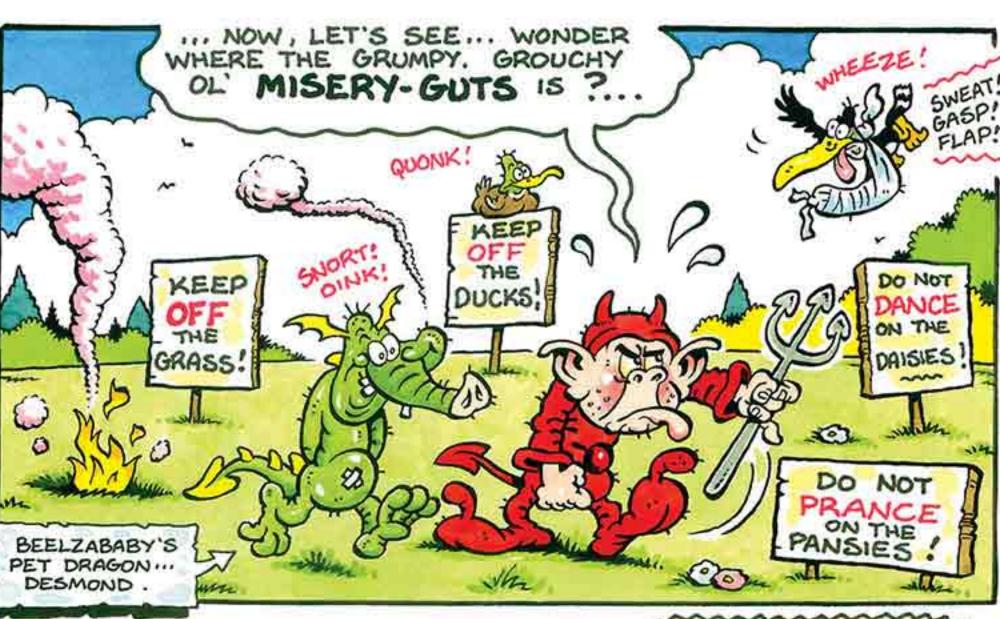


NEXT TIME: THE INVISIBLE GRAVY BOAT.

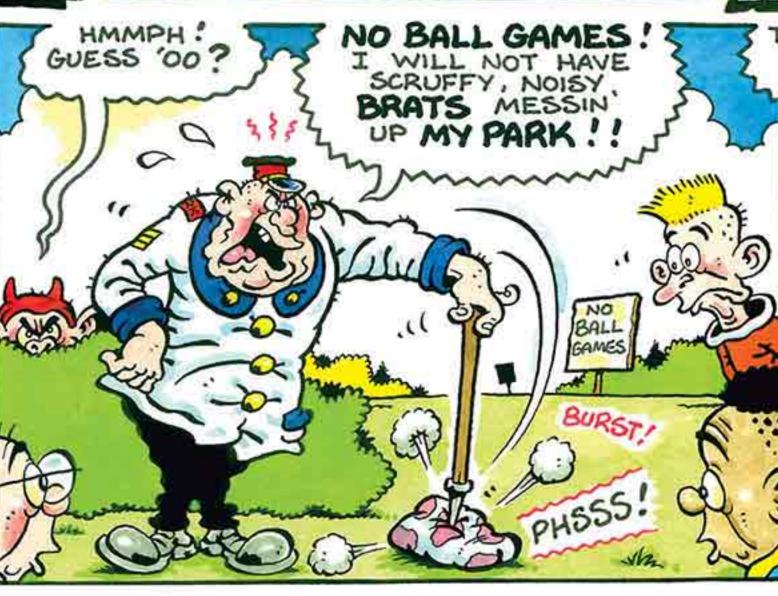








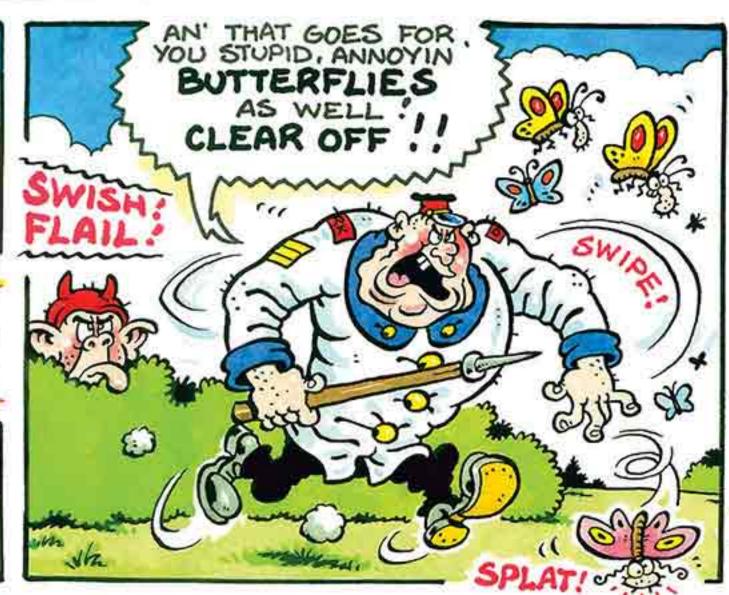




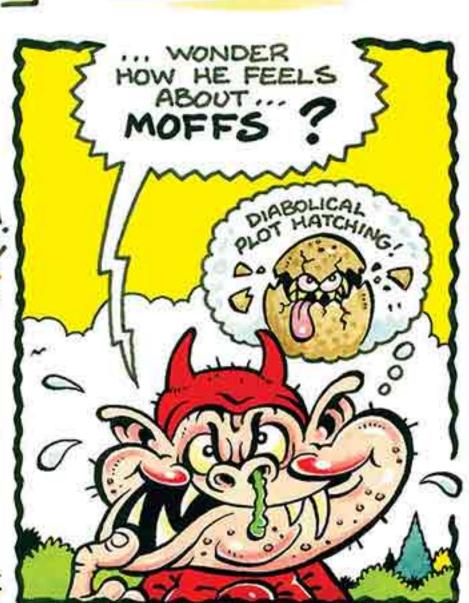




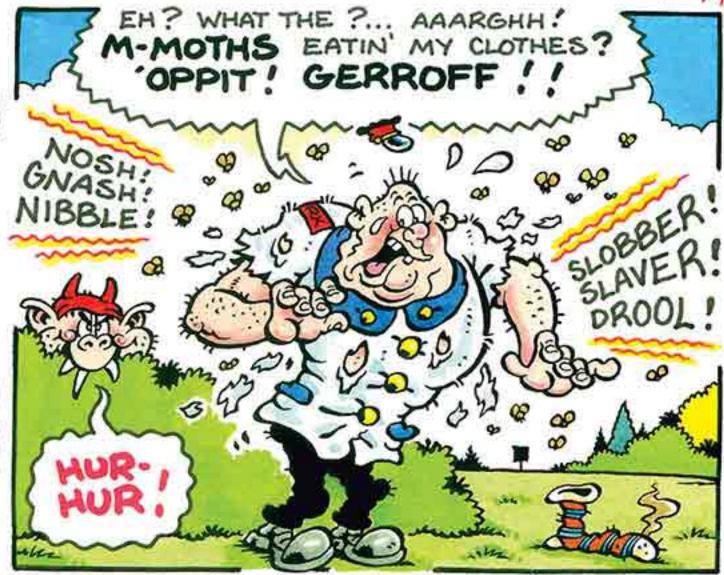


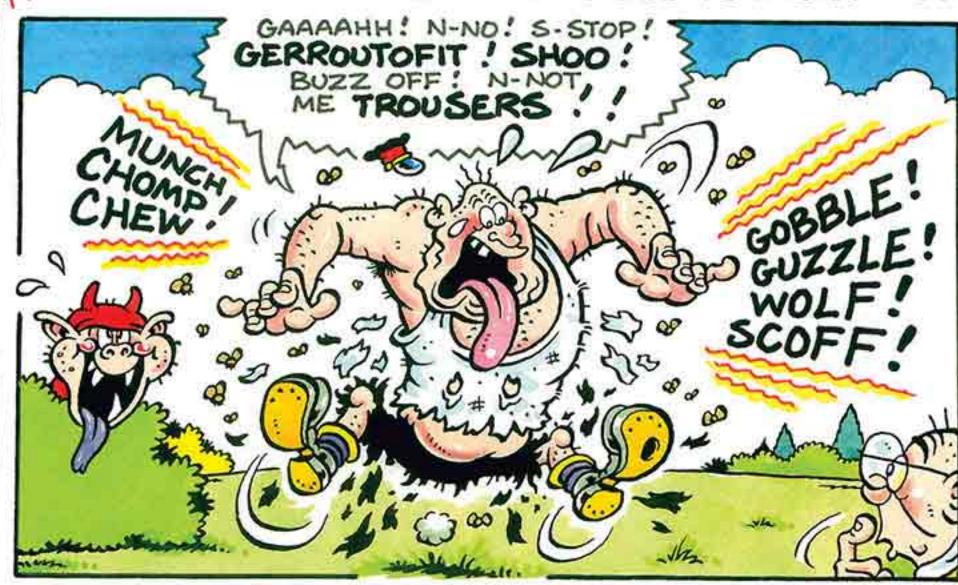


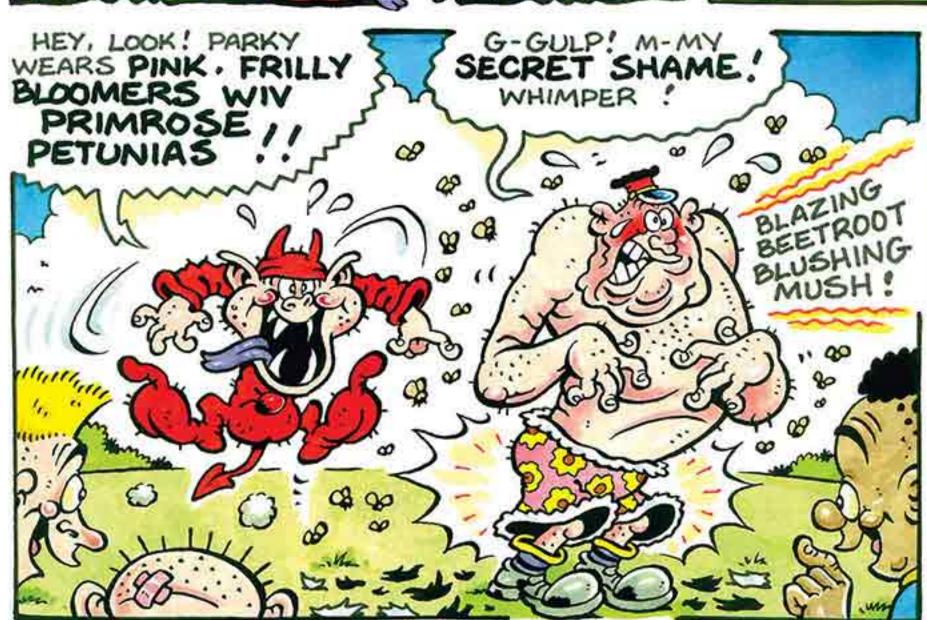


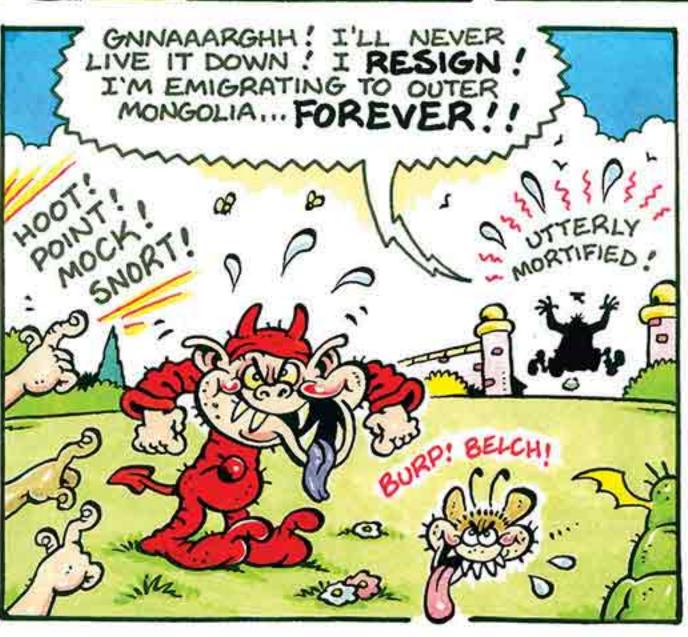


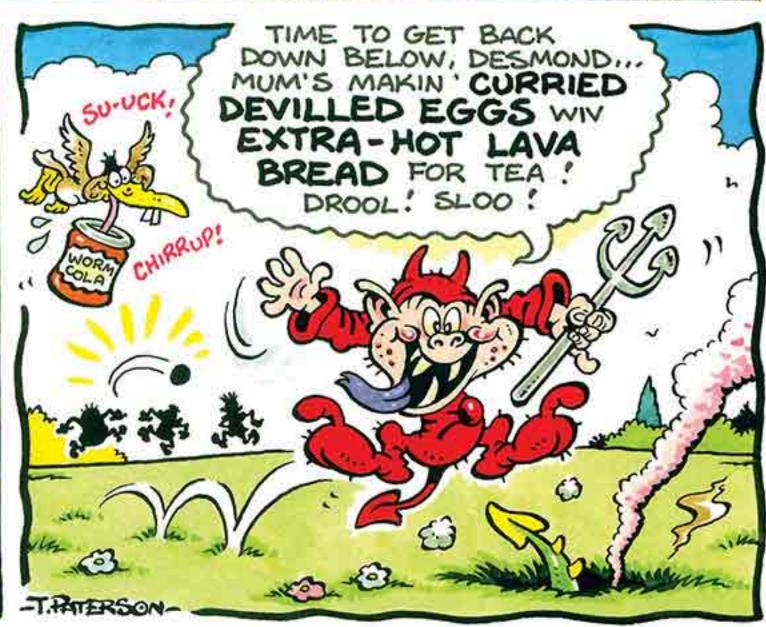


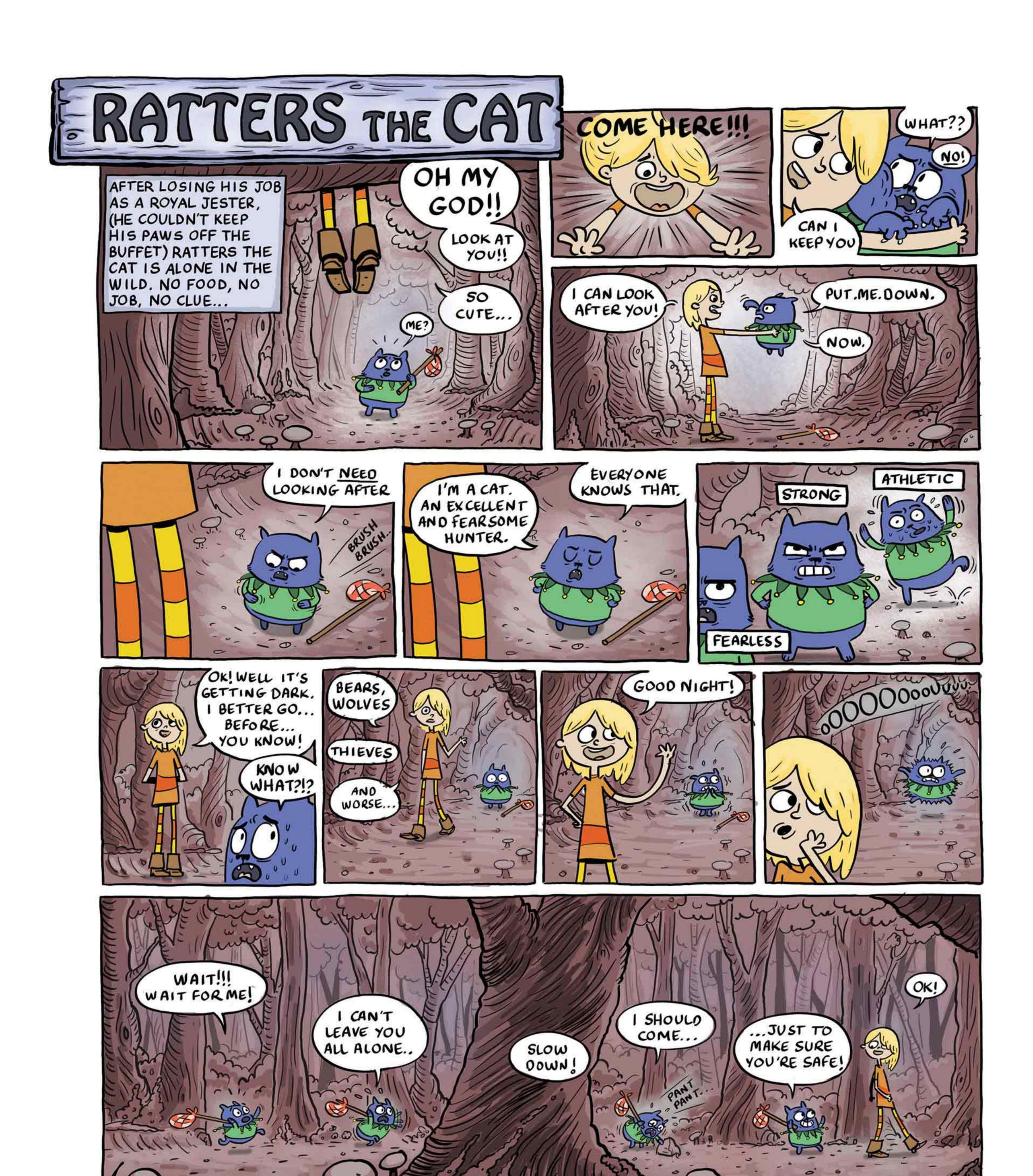








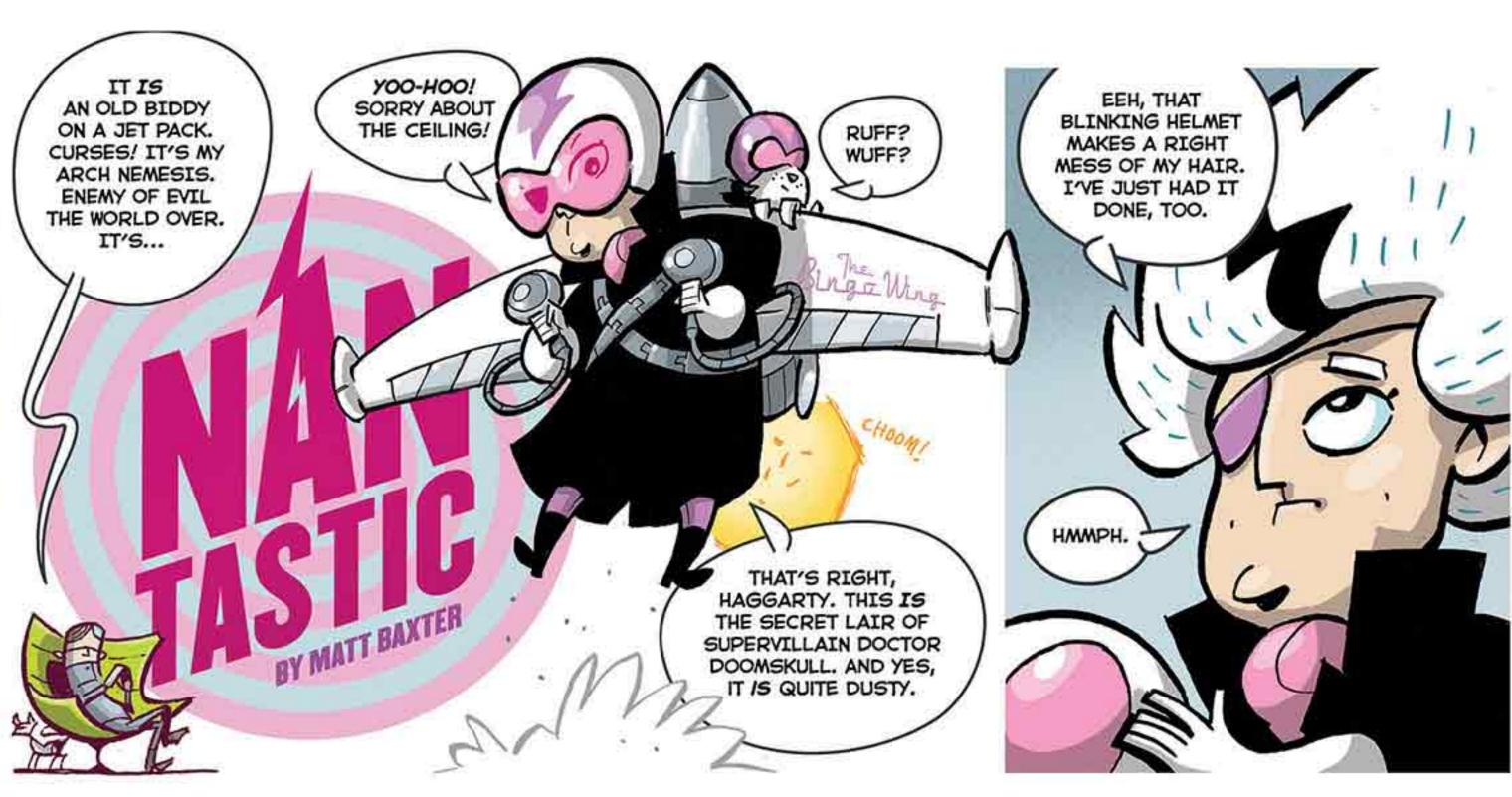




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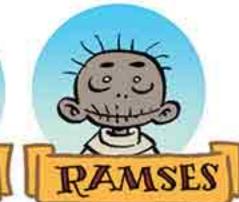


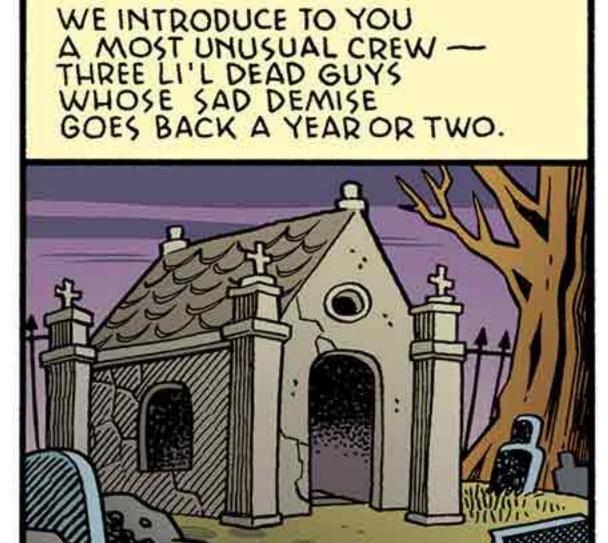


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THE CHILDREN KEEP AT BAY. THEY WON'T COME OUT TO PLAY.
THEY'RE NOT UNWELL —
IT'S JUST THE SMELL
THAT MAKES THEM RUN AWAY.







BADGERS OF EURIOUS









