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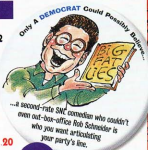
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THE BIG TEACHER'S PET

When I was done with a test in school, I began reading a MAD. My teacher caught sight of the cover and yelled "What's that?" She grabbed the issue right out of my hands, looked at it more closely and sent me to the principal's office. I was suspended for two days because I'd been given warnings before about bringing MAD to school and this was the last straw, they said!

Edward Mjelde, San Diego, CA

Special Ed — Thank you for your eye-opening tale. We're sure that our readers will learn a great deal from your experience. Namely, that reading MAD in class is a sure-fire way to land a long weekend. No need to thank us! —Ed. If any of you have stories involving teachers and MAD, send them to: Amy "The Big Teacher's Pet" c/o MAD Magazine, 1700 Broadway, New York, NY 10019!

MUCH ADO ABOUT HUTCHINGS

I was stoked to see my envelope in MAD #441. Everyone in group thought it was wicked cool. Seeing my "art" inspired me to send this next envelope. My Alfred E. is coming along nicely (now it actually looks like him). Soon I will begin placing said Idiot kid's mug on many and various people, animals and objects. Jim Hutchings will weep in bitter lament over his downfall. Prepare for the age of the Root, an age of black ink and stamps and envelopes and MAD magazine.

Dan Root,
Pittsfield, MA



You Can't Handle the Root — Normally we love when someone tries to out-envelope the unstoppable force known as Jim Hutchings. True, Jim's contributions sometimes leave us a little unsettled. But yours, Dan, chills us to our very souls. Simply put, Jim is the lesser of two evils — and that's really saying something! We'll print your Alfred, but the rest of the envelope will be sent to the proper authorities! Thanks for writing! —Ed.



The Big Easel

I'm a big dork! So my "Big Easel" entry is some ASCII art. It's Alfred E. Neuman. I hope this is the only entry you get so my pathetic attempt will make print.

Logan Feeley,
Concord, NC

Touchy Feeley — Thank you for your submission — and for saving us the trouble of labeling you a big dork! We can safely say that yours will be the only ASCII art submission we will ever get. But if you squint at our response to B.J. Kuxhausen, you can make out a startling portrait of MAD artist John Caldwell!! —Ed.

P.S. Think you can do better than Logan? Send in the pictures of your Alfred creations using uncommon and unconventional art materials to: Amy "The Big Easel" c/o MAD Magazine, 1700 Broadway, New York, NY 10019!

MAD CELEBRITY SNAPS

When my previous three-year subscription to MAD (thanks to a picture of Spike Lee and I in issue #398) ran out last November, I felt a lot of emotions — most strongly, cheapness. Currently lying for *Star* magazine in Los Angeles, I figured I could probably get a copy of a celebrity holding MAD in the seconds before they and/or their publicists punch me in the face. Then I remembered that Jonny Fairplay's in love with my boss and decided it would be easier to just exploit that relationship. Jonny complained that **THE ED'S NIFTY FIFTY** list had "Johnny (sp) Fairplay or Rupert Boneham" and I tried consoling him by saying that I didn't make the list at all — but that didn't make him feel any better. He then took both the issue with the **THE ED'S NIFTY FIFTY** list and the issue I had him hold (where he's mentioned in Monroe) and sojourned with my boss (whom I'm also in love with). She may care about him more for almost winning *Survivor*, but let's see how she feels for someone who does win a three-year subscription to MAD.

Josh Herman, Los Angeles, CA

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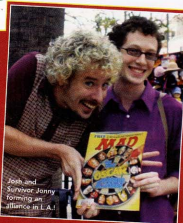
I have a wish for the *Make A Dumb Wish Foundation™*. I'm an eighth grader right now, and am going to be a freshman soon. I can't wait until high school, because I will soon be able to drive — but that's the problem. I recently inherited a 1976 Datsun 710 station wagon and it really isn't a "pimp mobile." I was hoping, using your highly advanced computer graphics, that you could soup up my ride and give me a good reason to attend high school next year.

B.J. Kuxhausen, Glenwood, IA



Let it B.J. — You're in luck! The board of the *Make A Dumb Wish Foundation™* loved the idea of "pimpin' your ride"! We hope you like the improvements! For starters, we changed your oil and filters; we realigned your tires; we replaced your brake pads; we gave you some fly new fan belts; we topped off your anti-freeze and gave you some new wiper blades! We know your new tricked-out Datsun will have the shorties buggin'! Thanks for writing to the *Make A Dumb Wish Foundation™* —Ed.

P.S. to readers: Think you can do a better job pimpin' out B.J.'s car? Just send a picture of your designs (please include your e-mail address) to: Amy "The Big Pimp Out" c/o MAD Magazine, 1700 Broadway, New York, NY 10019!



Josh and Survivor Jonny forming an alliance in L.A.!

Osh Kash B.Josh — We're gonna give you the three-year subscription. However, clearly the real winner is your boss — who has somehow managed to snap up two of California's most eligible bachelors in one fell swoop! Not since Charles Manson has a single person so captivated a bunch of wackadoos! Congrats! —Ed.

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WHO WILL BE PRESIDENT OF THE MONROE FAN CLUB?

In MAD #441 we asked readers to send in their names and a brief explanation as to why they should be the new President of the Monroe Fan Club and not Robert Driver (who is trying to oust current ne'er-do-well President Ken McClelland). The response was overwhelming! What follows are the platforms of the candidates. But first, we begin with a missive of dissent:

First off, I would just like to respond to the obviously misinformed Robert Driver that there is no sense in replacing Ken McClelland as the President of the Monroe Fan Club, for it has already been done, and I was elected the Chief of Monroe a mere year ago (MAD #428). I would love to accept that trigger-happy Driver, but as the Constitution of Monroe has been stated in Article Z, Rule 238 — "There shall be no reelection to the duties of President for three complete years unless the nominee declines the votes" — sorry, but no go! Zeb Williams, Candler, NC

Lil' Zebbie — It's true, we did forget you were the duly elected President of the Monroe Fan Club, but can you blame us? If you were a team player, if you had done a single thing for your constituents, you wouldn't be in the same revered position as your ne'er-do-well predecessor, Ken McClelland. Your mad grab for power is shameful and has all been for naught! In the immortal words of Donald Trump: "We're letting you go!" —Ed.

I hereby nominate myself, Gloria Tarantino, to be President of the Monroe Fan Club. I promise to be a fair leader. I will be active in the everyday events and lives of all the people, unlike that lazy, sorry loser of a President we have now, Ken McClelland. I promise that if any shady dealings go on while I am in office I will, in true political fashion, deny any wrongdoing until my dying day. I will be a woman for the people. As leader, I promise that Monroe will get the respect and the last name he deserves! Power to the Monroees! Vote Tarantino in 2004!

Gloria Tarantino, Gladwin, MI

I believe that I, Marion Czechowski, should be the new President of the Monroe Fan Club! Why, you ask? I am only 12 years old and so I won't just up and die like some old-timers!

Marion Czechowski, Forestville, NY

I'm really excited to get the once-in-a-lifetime chance to run for President of the Monroe Fan Club. I am the person you want because I don't use big words (don't believe in them) and I was the first member to join back in April, 2002. Never did I know it would change my life as little as it did.

Andy Anderson, Lakeland, FL

I hereby nominate myself to be the new President of the Monroe Fan Club. I'm 41 and probably won't become President of the United States, but this could be the next best thing for me. It would make my mom proud!

Tom Cutrofello, Woodside, NY

Like Robert, I also believe that Ken McClelland should be impeached and that I should take his spot. A look at my résumé easily shows that I am perfect for the job. Among other things I shouldn't be proud about, I was the winner of the Alfred E. Neuman look-a-like contest in the June, 2002, issue. I'm also looking forward to my possible career future (I'm either going to be a toilet cleaner at a local gas station or a janitor at the local high school). As President of the Monroe Fan Club, I promise to be a great leader for about two months and only after that start becoming lazy and inactive like Ken! Vote Pritzlaff in 2004!

John Pritzlaff, Milwaukee, WI

I think I should replace Ken as the President of the Monroe Fan Club. The reason is, I have lived very close to a kid just like Monroe for about three years. The similarities between them are creepy, right down to the bad haircut! So, I could understand exactly what Monroe and his family wants and needs. So vote Jeremy Flint for Monroe Fan Club President!

Jeremy Flint, Cocoa, FL

I have been a subscriber and reader of MAD for many years, Monroe and I go way back! So, if you all choose me to be the President of the Monroe Fan Club, I will not be scared, like Ken, and will pursue my duty as President.

Donnah Gordon, Bethel Island, CA

I am nominating myself as President of the Monroe Fan Club. As a charter member of the fan club, I have been eagerly waiting for Ken McClelland to begin activities, to no avail. Anyway, the first thing I would do, if elected, is encourage all readers of Monroe to read the panels of the stories all on one page first, instead of across the crack of the magazine, the way it is intended to be read, because it makes for a more amusing story. The second thing I would do is to have a contest for all fan club members to decide what it is that Monroe has on top of his head. Third, I would encourage fan club members to write in and tell why their lives are more pathetic than Monroe's. I would have prizes, give-aways, balloons and maybe even an autographed picture of Ken McClelland!

Darryl Gonzalez, Severn, MD

I would give anything in the world to replace the lazy, good-for-nothing Ken McClelland as President of the Monroe Fan Club. I strongly believe that Monroe is the glue (or in this case the staples) that hold our hilarious magazine together. Elect me, Miles Trahan, and I will give the growing number of Monroe fans a voice. P.S. In memory of Howard Dean, I'd like to leave you with my closing statement, "Yaaaaaahhh!"

Miles Trahan, Port Washington, NY

Oh come on, a recall election? Please just let me lose my administration. The voters have spoken the first time!

Ken McClelland, Reston, VA

VOTE FOR THE MONROE FAN CLUB PRESIDENT!

OK readers, it's time for you to vote! Please mark the name of the candidate you'd most like to see as the next President of the Monroe Fan Club:

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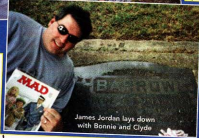
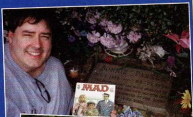


MAD CEMETERY SNAPS



After seeing your contest about celebrity graves, I started looking long and hard in the Dallas, Texas area. I found that Bonnie Parker and Clyde Barrow are resting peacefully somewhere in Dallas. I had seen that MAD #119 did "Balmy and Cloyd." I grabbed a copy of this issue at a local comic book store and started hunting for the final resting place of the young bloody bandits. Bonnie was easy to find, she is in a public cemetery in Dallas, but Clyde was another issue altogether. He is buried in a private cemetery in Dallas. I called around to get access to the property and had no luck. I found a Bonnie and Clyde tour that would take me to the private cemetery where Clyde is buried. I grabbed the issue, my camera and jumped on the tour bus. You can just imagine the looks on the faces of the over 45-year-old crowd standing around looking at the grave as I plopped down on the ground and my wife snapped the pictures. I never laughed so hard as I did getting back on the bus. I got to do it all over again an hour later at Bonnie's grave. James Jordan, Lewisville, TX

Soup du Jordan — While we applaud your efforts to receive a one-year subscription for your Cemetery Snaps, we must question your fiscal logic. Bear with us as we do a little arithmetic. The cost of MAD #119: \$10; bus tour tickets for you and the missus: \$30; and film development and processing: \$12.50. This brings the total cost of your "free" subscription to \$52.50! We're not even figuring in the price of bail money and marriage counseling. Ironically, your scheme to get a subscription took more planning and dangerous risks than any of Bonnie and Clyde's actual bank robberies! All you had to do was simply dial 1-800-4MADMAG! —Ed.



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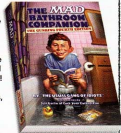
Tilman Breitenstein, Wallingford, Ct

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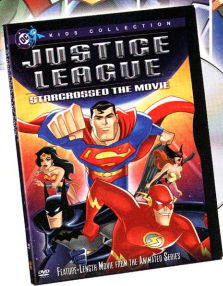
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Bradford, age 45,
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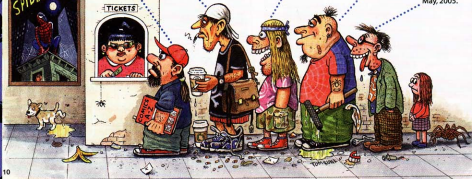
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in the wildly out-
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that feature Peter
Parker's boss smoking
cigars in a New York
City office building.

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who grew up
reading Spider-Man
comics and not
much else. Which
explains why he
has to call in sick
to the car wash in
order to be here.

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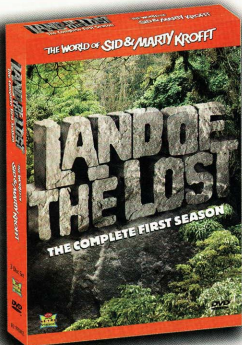
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Ring a ding ding! The Rat Pack is back! I'm Frank Sinatra, here with the ghosts of Dean Martin, Sammy Davis Jr., Peter Lawford and Joey Bishop to check out Sin City. OUR city—Las Vegas, Nevada!

Man, have things changed! Roller coasters? Theme restaurants? Where are the \$2 crap tables and the \$20 hookers? In my day, if you wanted a nightcap, you'd call room service and they'd send up a girl!

She'd have your night-cap? No, she WAS the night-cap!

Ha ha ha! You know, when I was around, I could sing. I could act. I could dance, but with these cool cats, I was a straight man! Watch, I'll do it again.

Way back when, the casinos were for gambling, drinking and music period! And what's that hairy beast doing in here?

Dino, that's a white Siberian tiger! I was talking to the tiger!

Vegas was the first city in America where you could get a shrimp cocktail at 2 p.m. or 2 a.m. I Although at 2 a.m., it'll be the same shrimp cocktail that'd been sitting out in the open, unrefrigerated since 2 p.m. And that was the charm of this town—keep the roulette wheels and the stomachs turning!

Why am I a ghost? I'm Joey Bishop and I'm still alive! It's only my career that's dead! And why did NBC take a glittery, exciting casino hotel setting and turn it into a dull and boring TV show? As our friends in Mexico might say, I haven't...

LAS VAGUEST



I'm Big Dread Decline, head of the surveillance team here at the Moneyseeko Casino and Resort! No dink's gonna run a scam or pull a heist in my casino or I'll break his face! I've been in Vegas a long time, ever since my brothers Michael and Fredo came here and made Moe Greene an offer he couldn't refuse! You see, Tagtaglia and Barzini were muscling in on our action in New York, and after Tessio turned on the family we...hey, what movie did you THINK I was gonna talk about, that stinker I made with Bette Midler. For the Boys?

I'm Dandy McBoy, Dread's right-hand man! I'm happy being the official casino pretty boy, but I work here so many hours that I need a vacation! I can't take Vegas anymore! I need to get away from the lights, the noise, the glitz! So tomorrow I leave for a week in Reno!

I'm Big Dread's daughter, Delinter! I wake up every morning and give thanks! Not because my father got me this glamorous job, and not because I work in the most exciting city in America! No, I give thanks because there's absolutely no family resemblance between my father and me!



I'm Merry Conical and this is Scam Pain! We're the busty, uh, I mean busy social directors at the Moneyseeko! I oversee all the conveniences that stay at our resort every year and Scam caters to the needs of the high rollers who visit the casino to gamble hundreds of thousands of dollars! Our official title here is E.C.I.

Does that stand for Entertainment Coordinators?

No, Eye Candy! If it wasn't for our short skirts, low-cut tops, D-cups and fashion model looks, we'd be calling Keno numbers in a Wyoming Indian casino!

I'm Psyche Common, resident electronics expert and hotel valet! What's up with that? That's like Michael Eisner being both Disney's CEO and the guy who wears the Pluto costume! I'll give you an idea as to how wired for surveillance this casino is... it has almost as many cameras as Paris Hilton's bedroom!

I'm the pit boss, Flesha Dotti! Nothing happens on the casino floor that I'm not aware of! Right now you'll have to excuse me, a drunken gambler just threw up on the roulette table... besides red and black, people are starting to bet on green, brown and yellow! Yecchi!

I caught you sleeping with my only daughter! Now if I catch you sleeping with someone else, you're going to have to answer to me, and I talk with my fists!

So it's okay if I fool around with your daughter, but not other women?

Exactly! All those other dames, they're sluts!

Listen to this! Britney Spears is getting married in the hotel chapel right now!

Wait a minute! I saw her on TV making out with Madonna! She's not trying to marry a woman, is she?

No, it's a man, but she's in torn jeans, a stained shirt, a dirty cap, she's giggling nonstop and she's drunk as a skunk!

Okay, as long as it's a man! I just don't want some gay flakes making a mockery of the sanctity of a Las Vegas marriage in MY casino!

Look! That guy at table three is cheating!

How can you tell? I just see his face!

Yes, but I've positioned the camera so if you look in his eyes, you can see the reflection off the cufflinks of the player next to him! In the cufflinks I can see the patterns on the king's robes in his hand are different! He's using cards from different decks!

Why didn't you just aim the camera at his cards?

Um, I didn't think of that!

So where is the camera?

You see that showgirl on the left? I bought her pasties at Circuit City!

BANG!

Boss, one of our guests has been shot!

Where was he shot?

All right, comp the guy a liver!

We have to find out who the shooter is!

I saw him on the surveillance camera! He was dressed like a hobbit and had a potbellied pig on a leash!

Sounds like he'll be pretty easy to find! Scam, where are you going?

I have to set up the main ballroom — the Convention of Potbellied Pig-Owning Lord of the Rings Fans is meeting here!

Damn the bad luck!

This room is a shambles! A high-roller just checked in and I promised him this suite! He's having dinner and he's going to be up here in an hour! How are we going to get it clean in time?

Just leave it to me. I have an idea...



LATER...

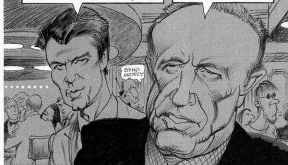
Wow!
How did
you get
this room
so
spotless?

Simple! I called up Gil Grissom and
the CSI team and told them there was
a grisly, unsolved murder in here...
they showed up and removed every hair,
every dust speck, every mysterious stain...
they're better than a dozen maids!



You're in Las Vegas, Dread! The
shows! The lights! The excitement!
The glamour! Yet you have a
sourpuss expression every day and
never so much as crack a joke!

Yeah, imagine how I'd
be if I worked in some
dull, culturally bereft
hellhole like Raleigh-
Durham, North Carolina!



What'll you men
be having?

I'll
have a
three-
minute
egg!

I'll have a bowl
of broken
glass...with
whole milk!

Whole milk? Man,
you're a tough
guy, Dread!

I was in
the CIA,
you know!

What
sort of
operations
did you do?

Mostly in
Latin countries...
Panama,
El Salvador,
Spain...

What did you
do in Spain?

Let's just say
you never
heard anything
else from
those guys who
recorded "The
Macarena"
...you follow?

Here's your
food, guys!

Wait a minute!
This is hard-
boiled! I said
I wanted a three-
minute egg!

Sorry
fella,
there
aren't any
clocks in
Vegas!
I do the
best I can!



A woman in
the casino
just took off
her shirt and
is dancing
topless
on the
casino floor!

Quick! There's
only one way to
handle this:
charge everyone
in the area a
cover and a two-
drink minimum!

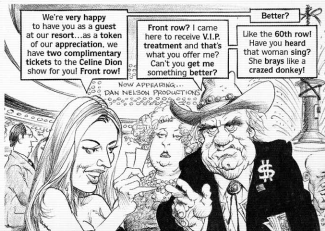
Okay,
boss!
Wow,
that's
why he
makes the
big money!

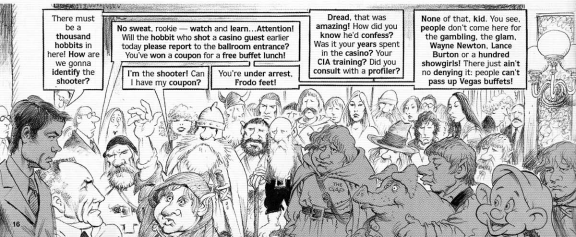
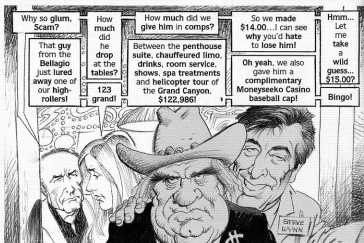
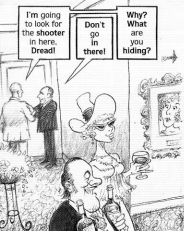
We're very happy
to have you as a guest
at our resort...as a token
of our appreciation, we
have two complimentary
tickets to the Celine Dion
show for you! Front row!

Front row? I came
here to receive V.I.P.
treatment and that's
what you offer me?
Can't you get me
something better?

Better?

Like the 60th row!
Have you heard
that woman sing?
She brays like a
crazed donkey!





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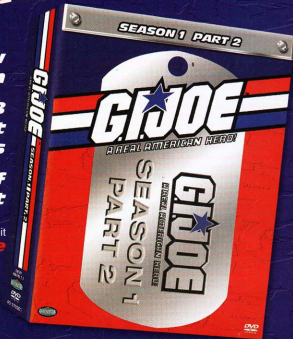
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MAD: HEROICALLY-AWFUL SPIDER-MAN 2 OUTTAKES



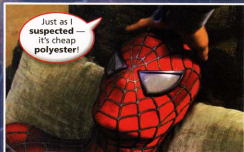
WINTER, DICK DEBARTELO



The only **downside** is that finding a **chiropractor** to treat me is a real **bitch**!



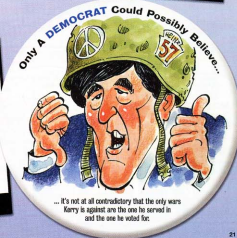
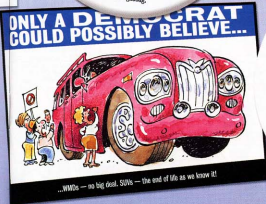
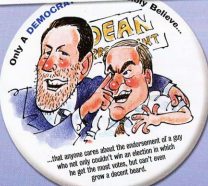
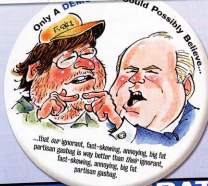
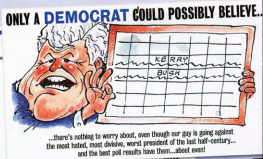
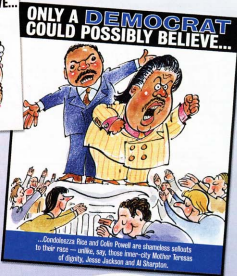
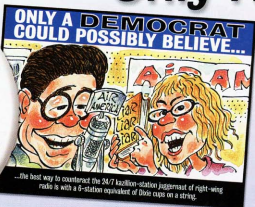
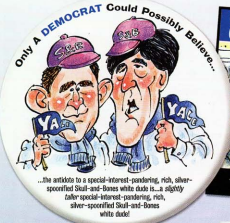
I did the **right thing**, chucking my **Spider-Man costume** in the trash with all those **unwanted DVDs** of *The Hulk*!



Now I know how **Ashton Kutcher** feels!

The symbol of the Democratic party is a donkey...a skittish, stubborn, seldom-lauded beast with an annoying bray...how apropos! To even better understand the twisted minds of left-wing Democratic dingbats, read...

Only A DEMOCRAT Could Possibly Believe...



If you thought they hated us before, wait until this export. Don't forget your passport, it's...

Monty and... EUROPE PART ONE





SO WE ARE SETTLED?

SURE! IN FACT, SINCE IT'S YOUR DUE, WE'D LIKE TO BOUNCE AROUND AND USE BARS AND AMSTERDAM AND ALL THOSE GREAT COUNTRIES WHERE YOU CAN STILL SMOKER A CIGARETTE.



WHY NOT? A WHIRLWIND TOLD OF EUROPE FOR THE NEXT HEAD OF STATE!

I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO PUKE CHAMPAGNE OFF THE EFFEL TOWER.



I'LL SEE EVERYONE SAYING GOOD DAY... SIRE.

LATER!



THAT'S AMAZING! MONROE! JUST LIKE THE GIRL IN *The Princess Diaries*!

MUSTA MISSED THAT ONE.



HELLO? JULE ANDREWS? HECTOR ELBONDO? CLASSIC!

WHATEVER.



IT'S GREAT. EVERYONE HATES THIS WEIRD GIRL AND THEN SHE FINDS OUT SHE'S A PRINCESS AND EVERYONE LOVES HER.

REALLY?



SURE WATCH THIS! HEY, DYLAN! DID YOU HEAR? LOOKS LIKE MONROE IS A PRINCE!

PRINCE, WELL LET ME INTRODUCE YOU TO THE EARL OF SANDWICH, **KNUCKLE SANDWICH**.



GOOD ONE, DYLAN!

YOU CAN'T ATTACK A PRINCE!



WOULD YOU RATHER I CROWN YOU, QUEENIE?

O-CARRY ON.



WAIT THE HELL HAPPENED TO YOUR ENGINE FOR BEING 7 MINUTES LATE? GET TO WORK!

I GOT BEEN UP.



SO THAT'S AN ENGINE FOR BEING 7 MINUTES LATE? GET TO WORK!

YEAH, ABOUT THAT... I'M GONNA NEED SOME TIME OFF - I'M GOING TO EUROPE TO RECLAIM THE FAMILY CROWN. I'M GOING TO BE KING!



KING, ALREADY IN THAT CASE, HOW ABOUT GIVING THE OLD **Royal Chrono** A NICE GO-ROUND WITH THE SCOOTER BEFORE YOU HEAD OUT?

ENJOY. DOES THIS GUY KNOW ANY OTHER KINGS?



PRINCE... ALL I AM TELLING YOU IS THIS YOUNG MAN IS EUROPEAN ROYALTY AND WOULD NOT BE IN THROUGH THE SAME SECURITY HOOPS AS THE COMMON TRAVELER.

THAT RIGHT? HEY, BUCK, THIS HERE FELLER THINKS HE'S BETTER THAN US!



WHAT'S THAT? MR. EUROPE'S GOT SOME EXPLOSIVES? LOOKS LIKE IT'S BODY CAVITY SEARCH TIME, VERN.

WHAT? NO! I LOVE IT! THE FOURTH OF JULY HAWAIIAN-STYLE! M-BOS!



YOU WANT IMPUDENCE?

TWO HOURS LATER...



I ASSURE YOU, MY LORD, THOSE MEN WILL BE AS DOWN FOR THIS 12-HOUR FLIGHT.

GREAT, NOT SURE HOW THAT WILL HELP ME BE AS DOWN FOR THIS 12-HOUR FLIGHT.



I'M NOT TOUCHING THAT THING! IT'S DISGUSTING... IT SMELLS!

WAIT - DO YOU MEAN GRANDPA OR THE DONUT? EITHER WAY, SHUT IT.



...CAUSE, **EUROPE, HERE WE COME!**

TONY B. + B.W. TO BE CONTINUED...

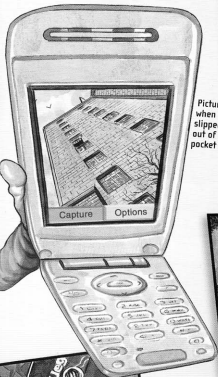


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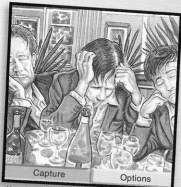
The Last Supper
CIRCA 2004

Probably the hottest new consumer electronics gadget these days is the "cheep cell phone-that-takes-pictures," a device that unites TWO of the most irritating types of human behavior: yacking away on the phone in inappropriate places and snapping unwanted photos! And, given that combination, there's likely to be a certain, uh, predictability in the kind of cell phone photos taken by all the loathsome jerks who'll now be engaging in both at the same time! It'll all become clearer than the voice reception on any cell phone you've ever used when you peruse selected images from...

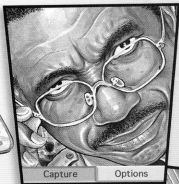
A CELL PHONE-CAMERA GEEK'S PHOTO ALBUM



Picture taken when phone slipped out of my pocket — again!



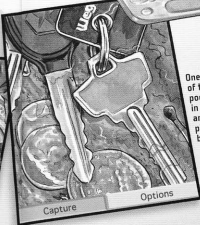
My friends listening as I play them all 58 different ringer tones on my phone!



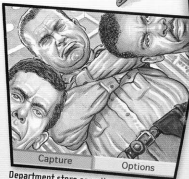
Close-up of airport Homeland Security guard checking out phone before allowing it on my flight!



Ex-wife flirting with busboy she eventually left me for, while I take a long, pointless call from a buddy of mine during our anniversary dinner!



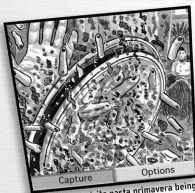
One of over 800 photos of the inside of my pocket [as I reached in to get my phone and hit the "take picture" button by mistake]!



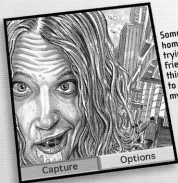
Department store security guards catching me trying to slip my camera-phone under the ladies' fitting room door!



Free photo from skin mag I was too cheep to buy — and the 7-Eleven clerk who objected to my snapping it!

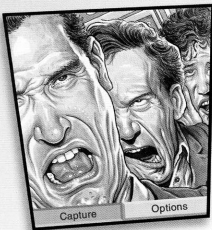


A plate of exquisite pasta primavera being hurled at me by one of several other restaurant patrons after I annoyed them by talking loudly on my phone!



Some schizophrenic homeless person trying to make friends 'cause she thinks I'm talking to the "voices in my head," too!

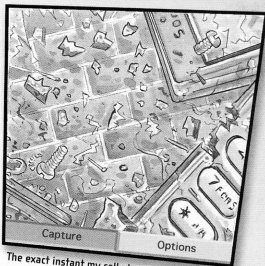




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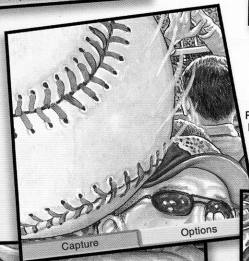
On an elevator, the complete strangers I'm forcing to listen in on my conversation with my proctologist!



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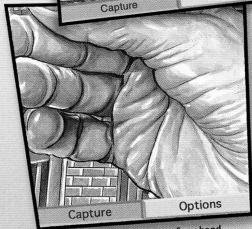
The exact instant my cell phone hit the wall and smashed to bits, after I hurled it for losing the battery charge in the middle of a call (again)!



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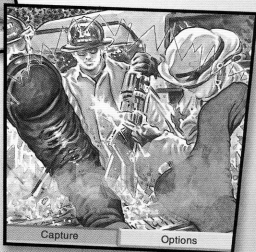
Foul ball just microseconds before it knocked me out cold, while I was distracted taking a call at a baseball game!



Capture

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One of 2,874 photos of my hand I accidentally snapped while talking!



Capture

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Rescuers with the "Jaws of Life," coming to pry me out of my car after I wrapped it around a pole while driving and talking on my phone at the same time!

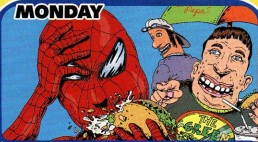


SPIDER-MAN HAS A BAD WEEK!



The week gets off to a bad start. A day trip to Atlantic City is ruined when his "Spidey Sense" gets him tossed out of five different casinos.

MONDAY



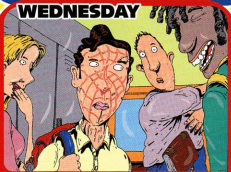
The webbed superhero is mortified when, for what seems like the zillionth time, he forgets to lift his mask before attempting to eat a taco.

TUESDAY



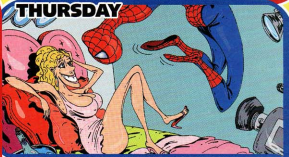
In a bizarre accident more disturbing than any caused by a supervillain, he's profusely hugged by Michael Jackson, who has mistaken him for one of his own mask-wearing children.

WEDNESDAY



Another mortifying moment, this time at school. In his rush to get to class, the boy-turned-superhero doesn't realize his costume has left pockmarks on his face.

THURSDAY



With money tight, he has no choice but to use his acrobatic spider skills in an upcoming porno flick, *Kiss of the Spider-Man*.

FRIDAY



He narrowly escapes serious injury when the wallpaper on the wall he's crawling up starts to peel.

SATURDAY



He finds it necessary to pop several Zolof to help ease the emotional pain after he accidentally steps on a real spider.

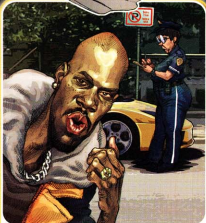
In the world of hip-hop, "keeping it real" is crucial to boosting an artist's sales, even if it's obvious to everybody except the guy's white suburban fan base that he's about as "real" as Richard Simmons (unlike us stupid fresh homies here at Mizz-AOL). Continued career success has become a problem for stars who have to write songs about the roughness of their surroundings, even when the last time they saw their 'hood was from the window of their private Learjet! But how do you know for certain when someone's gone from Ice-T to Iced Tea with a spritz of lemon? Wonder no more!



YOU KNOW A RAPPER'S GONE SOFT WHEN...



He's switched allegiances from Eminem and Dr. Dre to Oprah and Dr. Phil.



His new anti-police song is mostly a series of vitriolic complaints about the inconvenience of alternate-side parking.



Will Smith calls him a "sellout."



His excuse for not showing up at a battle was that he was already penciled in for a guest spot on *The View*.



In one song, he passionately mourns the tragic losses of "Biggie, Tupac and R. Kelly."



He's been hanging with Clay Aiken in hopes of boosting his "street cred."



His new urban clothing line features something called "Ghetto Culottes."



He barely even flinched when Lisa Kudrow snatched the last sautéed truffle at Nathan Lane's annual Hamptons bash.



One of the oily, gyrating pole-dancers in his latest video appears to be Tipper Gore.



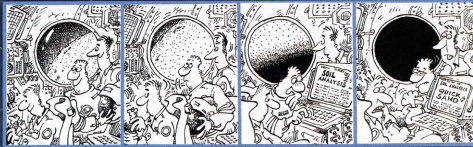
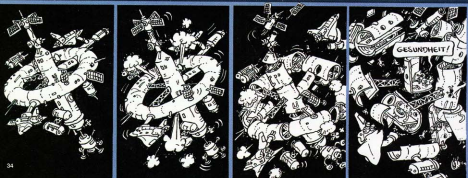
The sampled bits of violent dialogue from *Scarface* on his old albums have now given way to boring snippets from *Cold Mountain*.

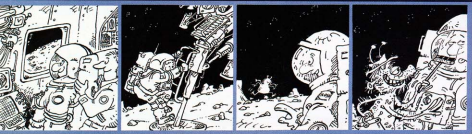
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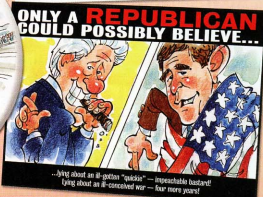
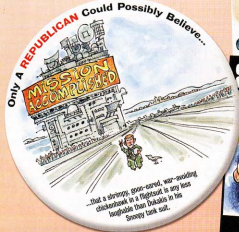
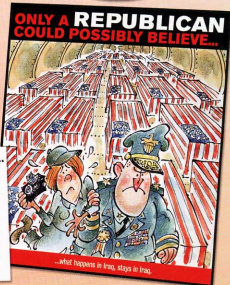
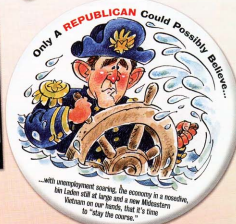
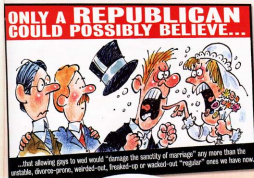
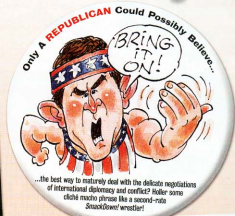
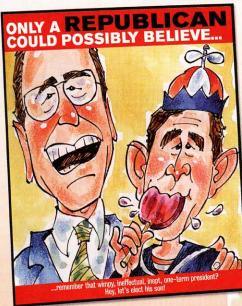
SPACE EXPLORATION





The symbol of the Republican party is an elephant...an obese, slow, lumbering behemoth that mindlessly crushes anything that gets in its path...how apropos! To even better understand the twisted minds of right-wing Republican morons, read...

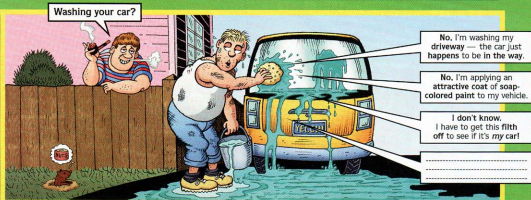
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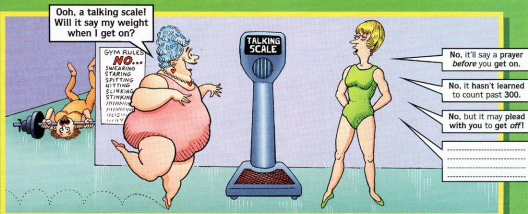
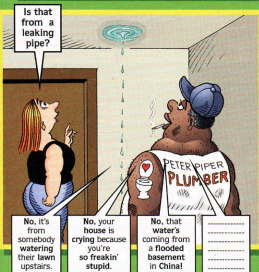




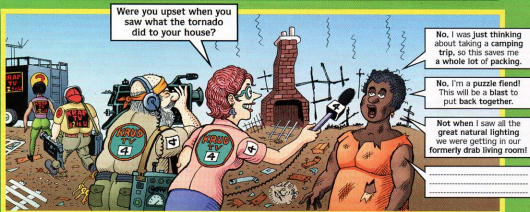
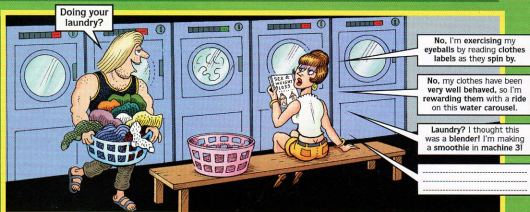
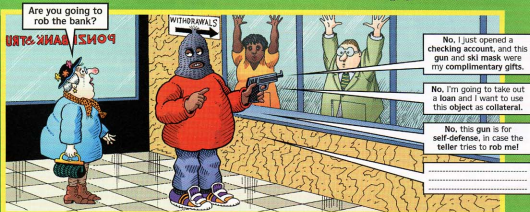
And now, because Al Jaffee needs money to pay for a new summer wardrobe, we present...

SNAPPY ANSWERS TO STUPID QUESTIONS





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Duke Bissell's TALES OF UNDISPUTED INTEREST

A FEW WEEKS AGO I WAS SO DISTRESSED AFTER HAVING MY APARTMENT BURGLED, I COULD DO NOTHING BUT WANDER THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

DIDN'T THIS USED TO BE YE OLD DONUT SHOPPE?

YE OLD WITCHCRAFT SHOPPE
SPELLS, INCANTATIONS
SUGAR-FREE CANDY

NOT WANTING TO BE AN UNFRIENDLY NEIGHBOR, I STEPPED INTO TO SAY HI.

WE'RE HAVING A SALE THIS WEEK ON SUMMONING UP ALL THE DEMONS OF HELL FOR PERSONAL AND HOME PROTECTION

THIS STUFF LOOKS JUST LIKE THE STUFF THAT WAS STOLEN FROM MY APARTMENT, ONLY IN POWDERED FORM.

BUT BEFORE I COULD VOICE MY CONCERN, THE PROPRIETOR BLEW SOMETHING INTO MY FACE AND THE NEXT THING I KNEW I WOKE UP IN VERY UNFAMILIAR SURROUNDINGS.

HAIL SATAN!
HAIL SATAN!

ARE THOSE MASKS MADE OF THE UPHOLSTERY FROM MY COUCH?

ARE WE SURE HIS SOUL IS WORTH TAKING?

EVENTUALLY I PASSED OUT AGAIN AND WOKE UP IN EVEN MORE UNFAMILIAR SURROUNDINGS.

EXCUSE ME BUT DO YOU KNOW WHERE I CAN GET THE CROSSTOWN BUS?

IF YOU GIVE ME ENOUGH SPARE, CHANGE FOR A MEAL, I WON'T SPIT UP STINKING GOBS OF DISEASED MUCOUS ALL OVER YOUR SUPPLE LIPS.

FORGET IT, FRANK. HE'LL BREAK YOUR HEART IN THE END.

WHEN I FINALLY GOT HOME MY APARTMENT INSURANCE HAD COME THROUGH.

\$38.00? TOO BAD I WASN'T HOME DURING THE BURGLARY. MY AGENT TOLD ME I WOULD HAVE GOTTEN TWICE AS MUCH IF I WAS MAIMED OR MUTILATED BY THE BURGLAR.

\$38.00 WOULDN'T GO FAR, BUT I ALWAYS DID HAVE THE NOSE FOR A BARGAIN.

DIDN'T THIS USED TO BE YE OLD WITCHCRAFT SHOPPE?

YE OLD FURNITURE SHOPPE

LAMPS, PLASTIC COVERED SIDE TABLES
SUGAR-FREE CANDY

P.C. VEY

HOW TO THINK

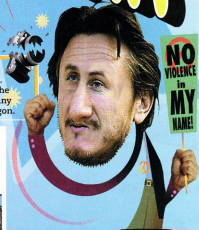
A collage featuring a caricature of James Cameron with glasses, a speech bubble, a movie poster for Planet of the Apes, and a film camera. The speech bubble contains the text: "My only complaint about the fabulous original version of Planet of the Apes that I didn't personally profit from it. My 'retelling' corrects that."

Pompously inform young actors that it takes years of study and training to become an experienced and seasoned thespian...but confidently feel that just six weeks of researching a role for some shoddy cable docu-drama makes you an expert on the criminal justice system.



After researching the role, it's perfectly clear to me that the only solution to the 50-year-old problem of urban crime is tougher policing and zero tolerance for...

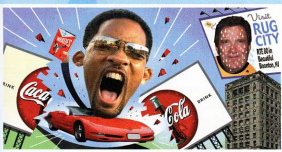
Never hesitate to punch out middle-aged photographers... but still present yourself as the next Gandhi by hopping on any Hollywood anti-war bandwagon.



Sincerely praise the movies, songs or TV shows that influenced and inspired you...but feel free to remake them so badly that future generations will never want to see them again.



Grow incensed over the type of censorship the government practices when it refuses NEA grants to artists...but not give a flying stool about censorship when handing journalists a 50-page list of topics that are "off limits" during an interview.

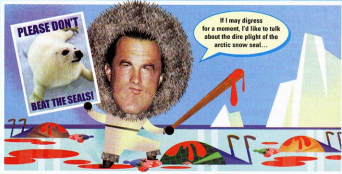


Refuse to do commercials on the grounds that it is beneath you and cheapens your image as an "artist"... but happily appear in movies that are crammed with endless product placements and more plugs than William Shatner's giant, sweaty head.



Spend years deliberately crafting a "bad boy" image and defining yourself as a rebel...but then act shocked and outraged when the same establishment you've deliberately alienated doesn't bestow some stupid award on you.

Firmly state that appearing in dozens of movies that glorify violence absolutely, positively has no impact on even the most impressionable kids...but passionately believe that making a single, bloated, self-important ten-minute speech about saving the environment somehow will.



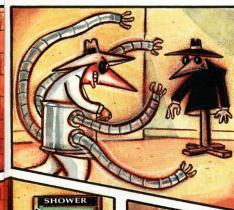
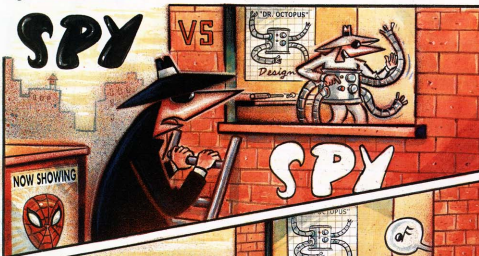
Always act coy and embarrassed when talk show hosts reveal film clips from one of your early projects... but proudly hype your new cinematic debacle, despite the fact that it is every bit as ass-trociuous.



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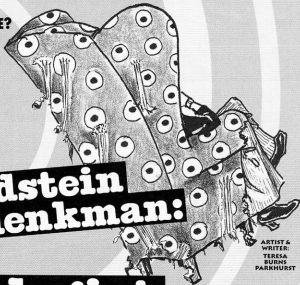




**IS YOUR LIFE A BITCH?
HAS THE CAT GOT YOUR TONGUE?
YOU'RE NOT ALONE...**

**From
the
Case
Files
of**

**Wanda Goldstein
Flenkman:
Pet
Psychologist**



ARTIST &
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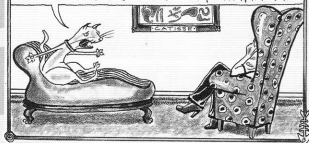
I can't get a job! MY resume is impeccable, but EVERYTIME I'm passed over for a DOG! I mean, I can smell a bomb! Gimme a bomb-I'll smell it! I can get a blind guy across the street! I can pull a cart!

That's an ox.

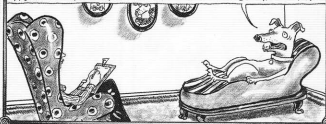
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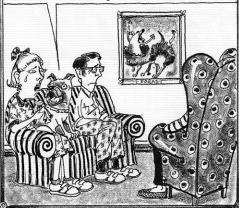
TWENTY-EIGHT FREAKIN' CATS IN THE HOUSE!!! I keep tellin' her. IT AIN'T NORMAL! She says "oooh I love my babies!" I say she loves the stink a' cat pee on her toaster!



I've known it since I was a pup. I never wanted to bite the mailman, I wanted to BE the mailman... Can I smoke in here?



If I'm NOT adopted how come everyone else in the family LOVES to read? How come I'm the ONLY one that can carry a tune? HUH? And NO one but me gnaws at their ass!!



It's called "MULTIPLE LIFE DISORDER". 5 of your 9 lives are happening simultaneously. Is this Margaret I'm speaking with right now?



No Ma'am. Margaret is the foul-smelling tramp who's been had by all the dogs of the alley. I'm KIP-I have a hairball fetish.



Just when things are going great between me and some really nice, new stuffed toy, I shake it to smithereens! EVERYTIME! I know it's self-sabotage, but I CAN'T STOP!



I guess the "bottom" for me was when they had to use the jaws of life to extract my head from the john... that's when I knew my toilet drinking was out of control.



Dave, what is it you are trying to communicate each time you relocate your turds from the box to other, special places in your house?

They... represent my father?

EXACTLY.

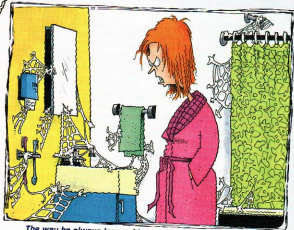




When a girl dates a superhero, she has to be prepared for a certain amount of out-of-the-ordinary activity that wouldn't happen with a regular guy. But there's also a limit to a girl's patience. In fact, we're not completely sure that a girl can find true happiness with a superhero — especially a neurotic guy like Spider-Man, who dresses like it's Halloween 365 days out of the year! So if you or someone you know are thinking of hitting on Aquaman, Hawkman or any other similarly costumed freak, we suggest you first read...

JOHN CALDWELL'S PET PEEVES OF SPIDER-MAN'S GIRLFRIEND

HELLO?!
SAME WATER TOWER
WE PASSED TWENTY
MINUTES AGO, MORON!

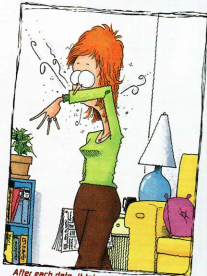


The way he always leaves his web in the sink...and elsewhere.

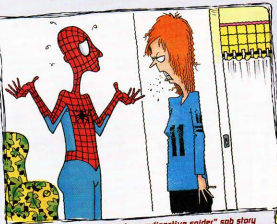
His insistence on
never asking directions.



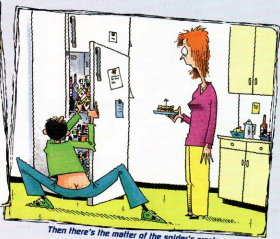
His renowned, trusty "Spidey Sense" never seems
to tingle on anniversaries or your birthday.



After each date, it takes a week to get that
gamey spandex smell out of your clothes.



He rolls out the "bitten by a radioactive spider" sob story every time he's busted for peeing on the toilet seat.



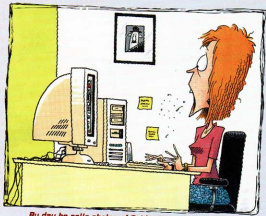
Then there's the matter of the spider's crack.



The one spider power you never signed on for — his brachniffatulence.



He regularly uses the "no pockets in my costume" excuse to stick you with the check.

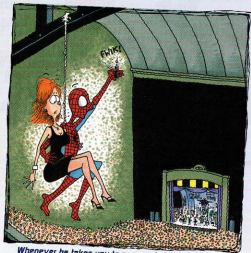


By day he sells photos of Spider-Man in action to the local newspaper, but by night he's selling photos of Spider-Man getting it on with you on the Internet.

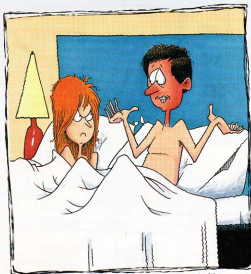




Whenever you make plans for a weekend of antiquing in the country, some archvillain invariably threatens to blow up a nearby orphanage.



Whenever he takes you to a concert, you can bet your sweet ass you'll be in the nosebleed section.



That (ahem) adverse sexual side effect to his habit of dangling upside down for hours, with the blood rushing to his head.



You wouldn't think so, but he really sucks at charades.



WHAT WILL BE
THE MOST
GRUELING EVENT
IN THE UPCOMING
OLYMPICS?

HERE WE GO WITH ANOTHER RIDICULOUS MAD FOLD-IN

The Olympics showcase the world's most disciplined and talented athletes, competing and pushing their bodies to the limit. Watching the competitions can be as draining for the audience as it is for the participants. There is one event, however, that takes the greatest toll on all those involved. To find out what it is, fold page in as shown.



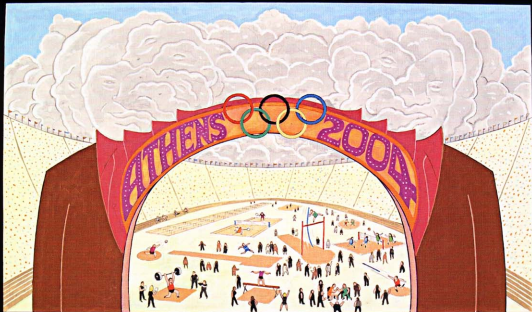
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PROJECTION TV



LISTLESS OLYMPIC ACTIVITIES CAN BE DISHEARTENING TO BOTH FANS AND ATHLETES. IN ORDER TO CURB COSTLY INJURIES, CAUTION IS RULE ONE. THIS HAS DRIVEN REFEREES AND UMPIRES CRAZY. EVERY ONE ON AND OFF THE FIELD HOPES THIS ACTION ENDS SOON



ARTIST AND WRITER: AL JAFFEE

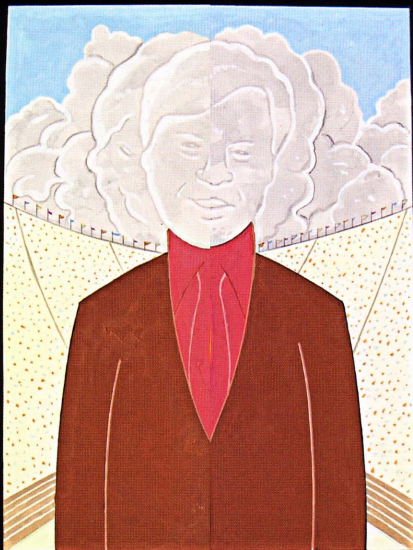


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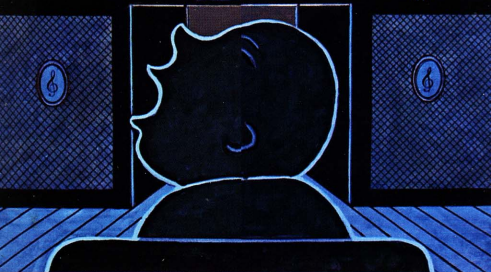


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