

# ODDD

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FRANKEE

THAT'S MY HOME SWEET HOME

READ MAD

GO ON A PEEN

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LETTERS

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As of now The Herring Publishing Company is relocating (neighbors complained about wild, horrible noises and people). If you wish to establish contact with us in the future, other than by mental telepathy, please send your letters and time bombs to:

Dave Herring  
Granada Hotel  
Brooklyn, N.Y.

I don't think the new owners will appreciate explosive mail, so if it is a time bomb please allow enough time so that it may be forwarded in case you forget the new address. Thanks.

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Dear Herring Bros.,

Let me say right here that my purpose for writing is not to applaud The Cosmic Ray, and rush in my order for Super Adventures #1.

Meaning no personal harm, may I say that The Cosmic Ray seems to be too much like hundreds of other amature heros.. But what I am really writing this letter about is ODD...

Also I am inquiring about ODD...ODD seems to be a copy of MAD (from one of our ads)...MAD hasn't been getting any letter and I wish that

they would overhaul the stagnant format which they have had for about 9 or 8 years!

*Jay Kinney*

(Jay Kinney)  
Naperville, Ill.

WE THINK THAT YOU'LL FIND, ESPECIALLY AFTER READING ODD #5 WITH "THE GOLDEN AGE OF MAD" (MAD OF 11 & 12 YEARS AGO), THAT WE'RE ON YOUR SIDE, JAY.

SUPER ADVENTURES HAS BEEN RECOGNIZED AS BOTH A FINE HERO ZINE AND ANOTHER RUN-OF-THE-MILL AMATEUR COMIC. WE REALIZE THAT THE HERO MARKET IS REALLY FLOODED, SO WE ARE TURNING OUR ATTENTIONS MORE TO OUR FAVORITE SPORT, LUNACY, OR, MAKING ODD.

WE COPIED JAY'S SIGNATURE BECAUSE YOU FOLKS AT HOME MIGHT COLLECT FANCY ARTIST SIGS; MAINLY BECAUSE WE NEED TO FILL UP THE SPACE.

-ED

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Just received ODD #5. Boy oh boy, don't you giys ever give up? Seems like only last week I got ODD#4. Are you publishing weekly? Anyway, down to the comments on ODD#5...

Seems as if I'm saying that "this issue was better than the rest" in all my letters, but it's true. This issue far surpassed the other four issues of ODD. The cover wasn't one of the best, but the rest of the issue made up for that.

THE GOLDEN AGE OF MAD was very informative, because I'm not a MAD reader (just an ODD one) and this cleared up a few points I had questions concerning. How To Be A Monster was not one of the best articles you've had in the past four issues, but it will pass. But the one thing I must commend you on is "The Figtive". I follow him each week on television and the way you plugged 77 Sunset Strip was excellent. The ODD QUALITY TESTS tempted me to find out if all my copies of ODD were genuine. Now, I have five chewed, wet, smelly issues of ODD. Oops, skipped FANDOM and COMICDOM in the U.S.S.R. Verrrrrry good. (by the way, how did that copy of ODD get there?) Anyway, keep up the good work, and I'll be waiting for ODD#6. I just hope it doesn't come tommorrow!

Howard Brenner  
Rochester, N.Y.

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I wish to thank you for the public service you are doing for us readers with your DO-IT-YOURSELF features.

I would have become a monster as outlined in ODD#5, but I already became a Super-Hero as outlined in ODD#3. I would have liked to use your monster ideas on my little brother, but he's already a monster.

John Wilmont  
Carmel, N.J.  
(alias, The Super Marvel)

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# ODD

"A pastime for those who are desperate"

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Hello there again kiddies or whatever else may be reading this magazine and welcome to the sixth brain warping issue of...er..what's the name of this rag?...Oh yes, The Saturday Evening Post. Wait a minute, that can't be it, we're still only 15¢...Now I recall it's called ODD. Well, what ever the name of this zine is, you will notice that in this issue we have the work of some new contributors. Yes we finally found some guys who can draw and write as nutty as we can. It really wasn't too hard to find them, we just picked the first two guys we found scrounging around our garbage cans. Seriously though folks, we are glad to have the work of Marv Wolfman and Jay Kinney in this issue and are looking forward to their further contributions or anyone elses contributions, we're pretty desperate. In our next issue you can definitely expect the long needed satire of Wonder Woman, written by the same Merry Marvelous Marv Wolfman who lampoons Batman in this issue, and drawn by myself, Dave Herringfish.

About our address for ordering further copies of ODD, subscribing or writing to our letter column PLEASE DISREGARD THE HOTEL GRANADA ADDRESS appearing elsewhere in this issue. When the cops learned of our original address we had to skip to the Hotel Granada. Now they know that address so we'll have to set up shop somewhere else. In the meantime address all letters to our original address which is...

ODD MAGAZINE  
97-20 164 Ave.  
Howard Beach, N.Y.  
11414

## HAVE YOU LOST YOUR PRECIOUS BACK ISSUES?



ODD#3



ODD#4



ODD#5



S.A.#1

If so you can now get ODD#3,4&5 singly at 15¢ each. If you buy 3 copies just send 35¢. ODD#3 is only 10¢ if you buy something else with it. For the Super Hero fan we still have plenty of copies of our fabulous SUPER ADVENTURES

for only 25¢ each.. Remember ODD& S.A. make perfect gifts for your enemies. If you give'em to your friends they too will become your enemies.

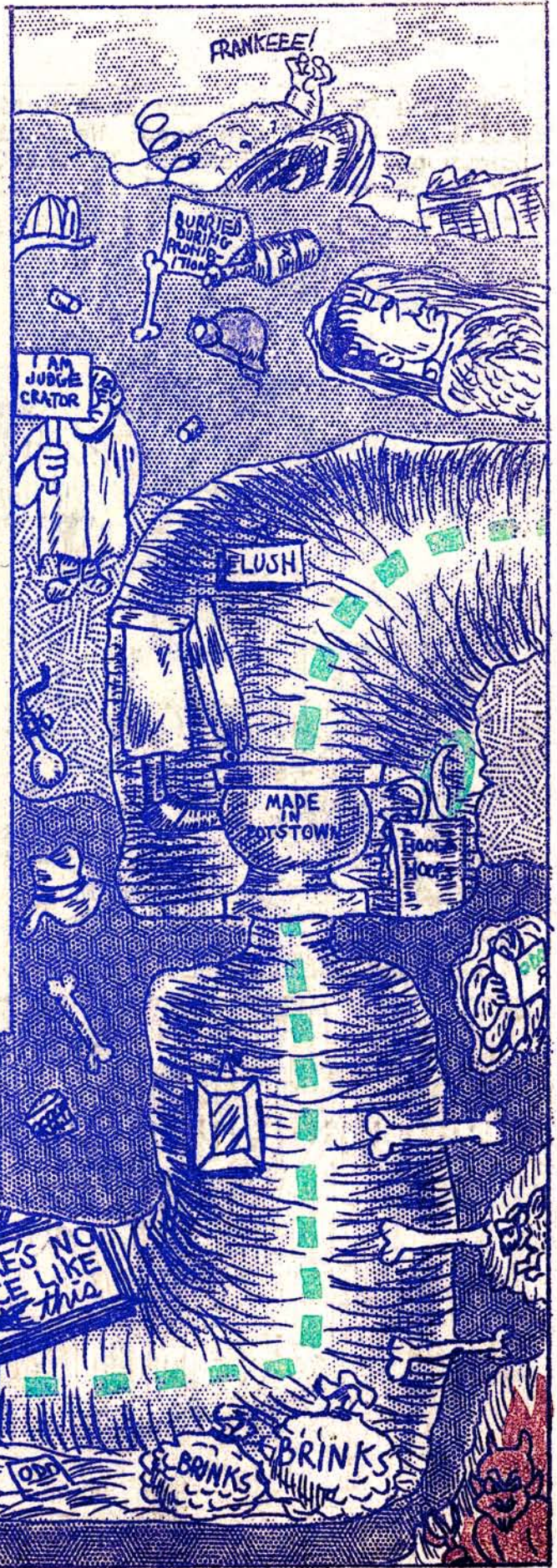
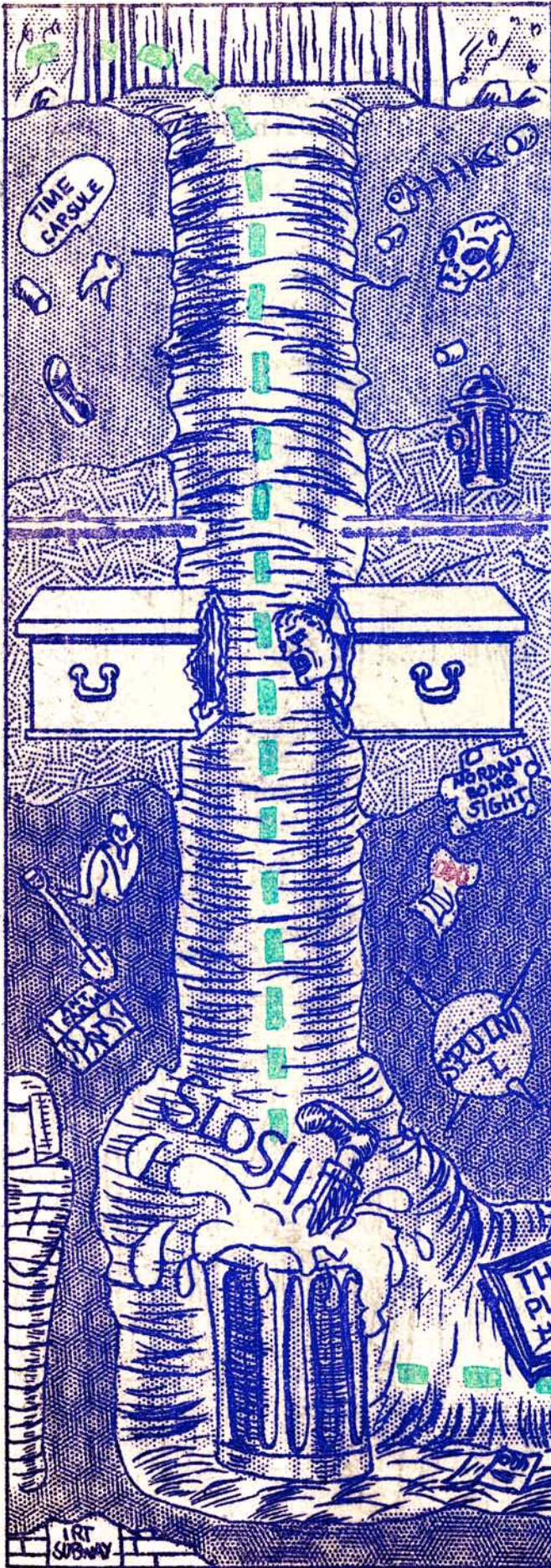


VISITING DEPT.: You may have noticed the bald headed guy with a sign sticking out of his head. Well his name is Hiemy Duthinbacher better known as the ODD Bomber. In this exclusive report we are going to visit his home...As we call it, the ODD Bomber's.....

# JOINT!



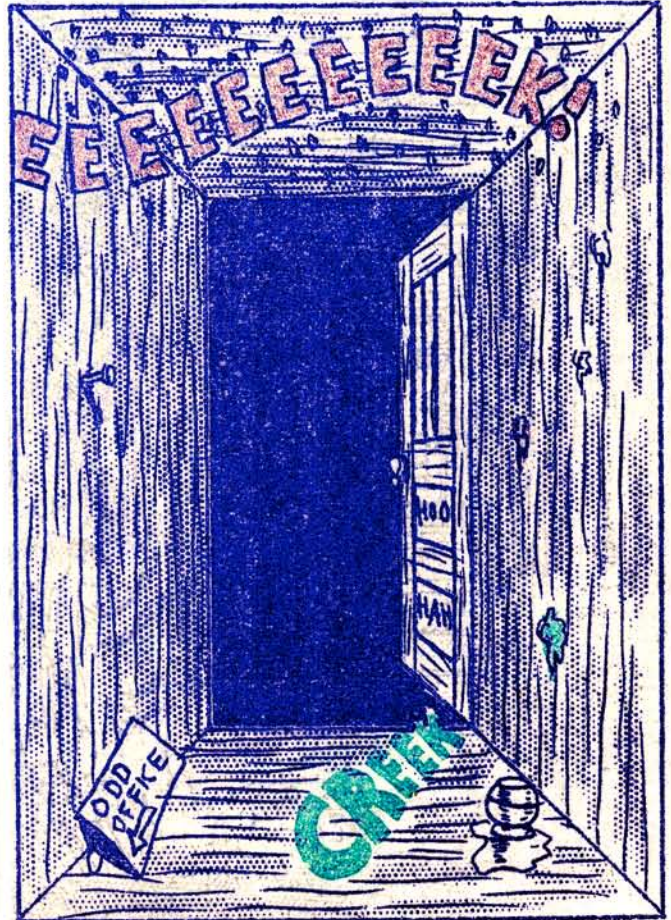
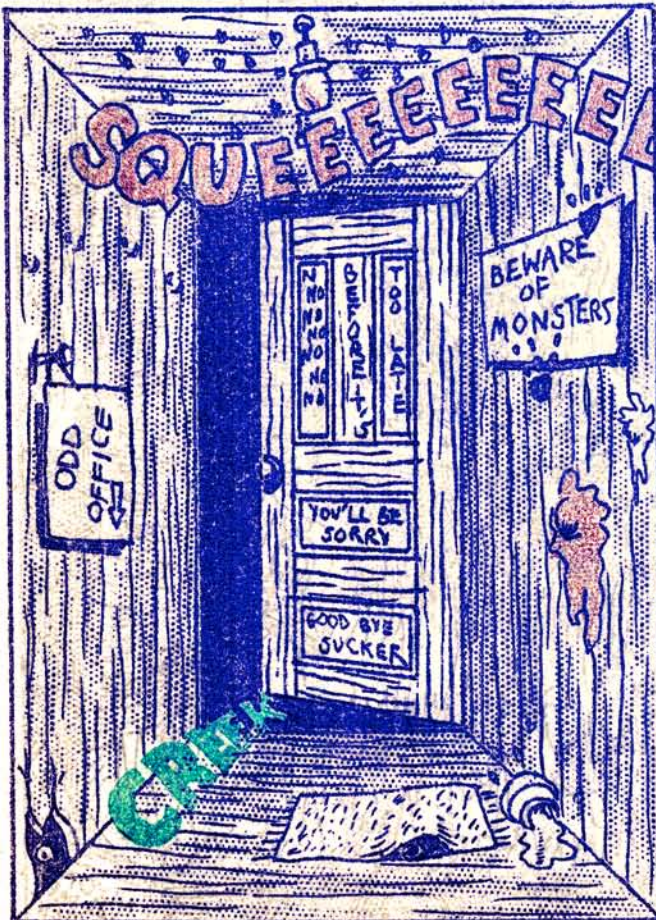
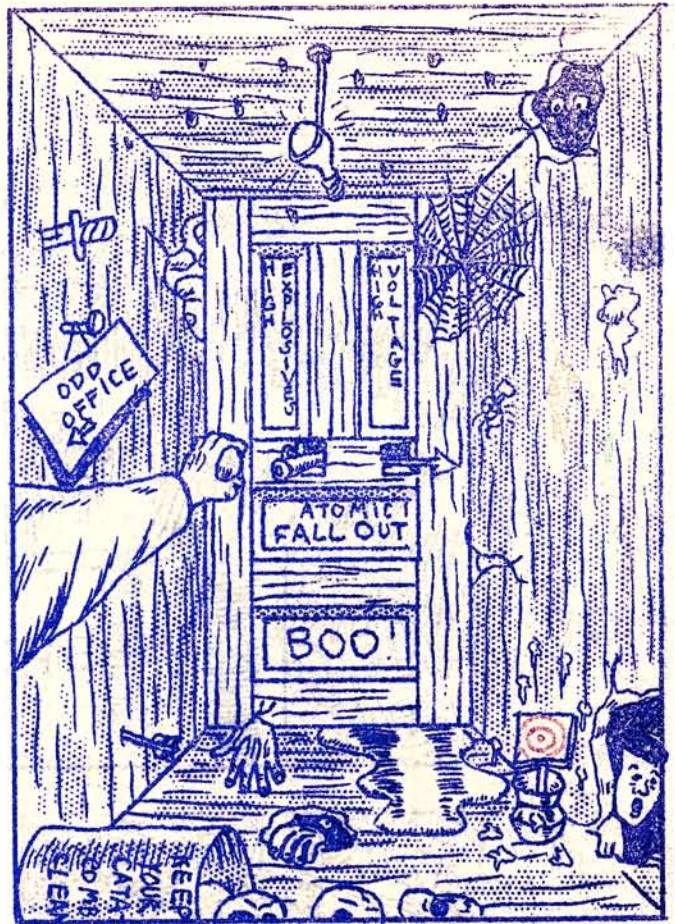
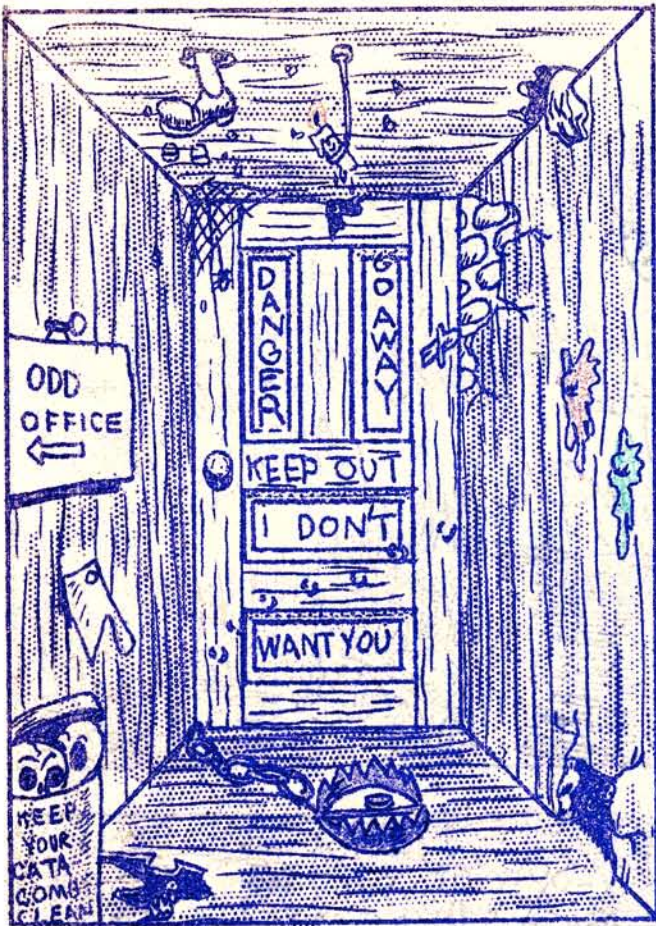




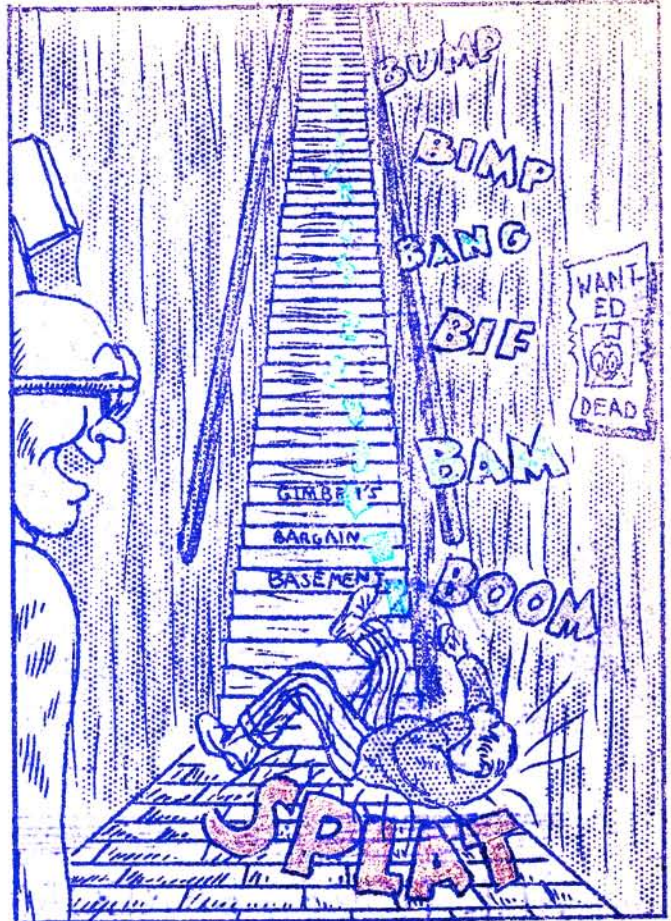
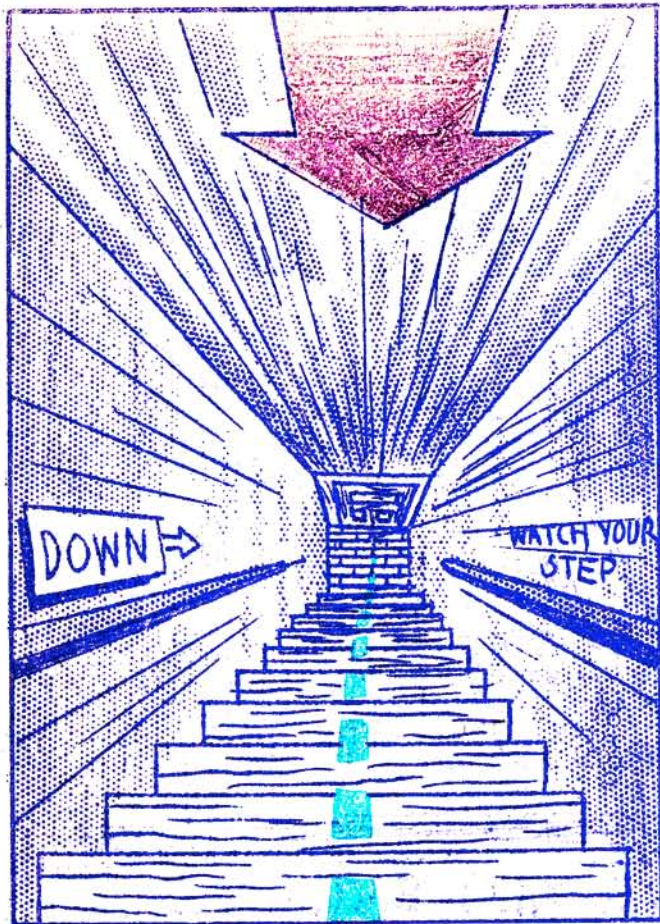




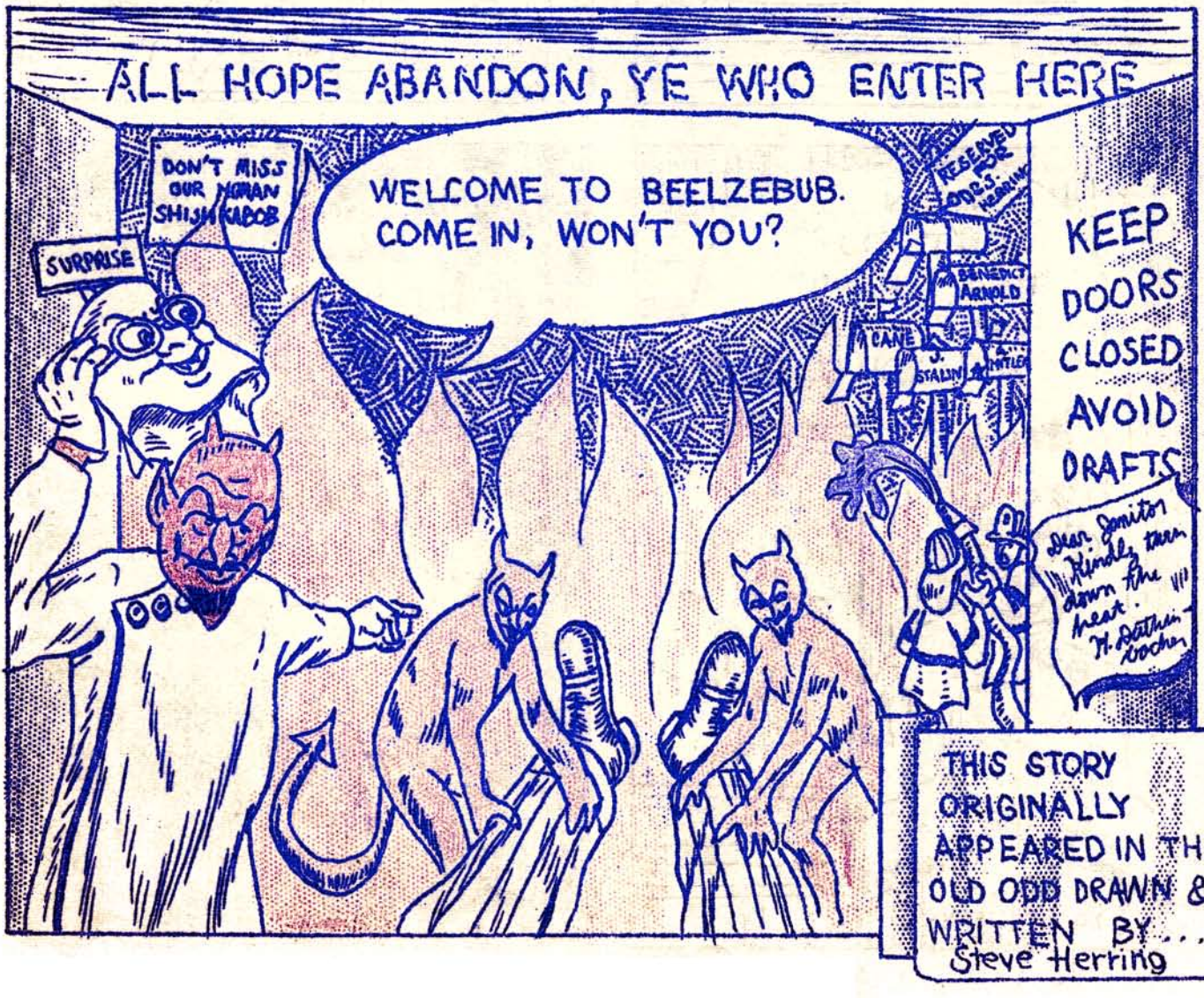
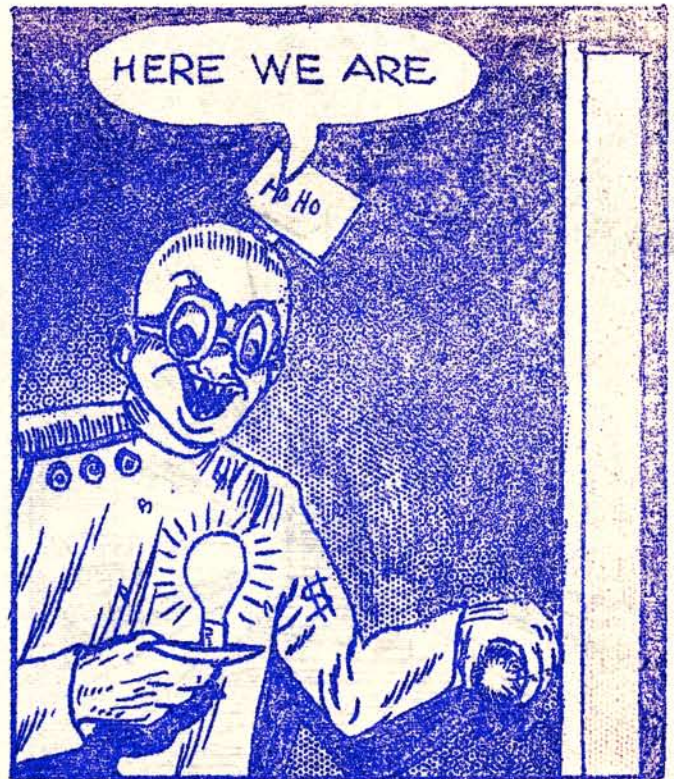




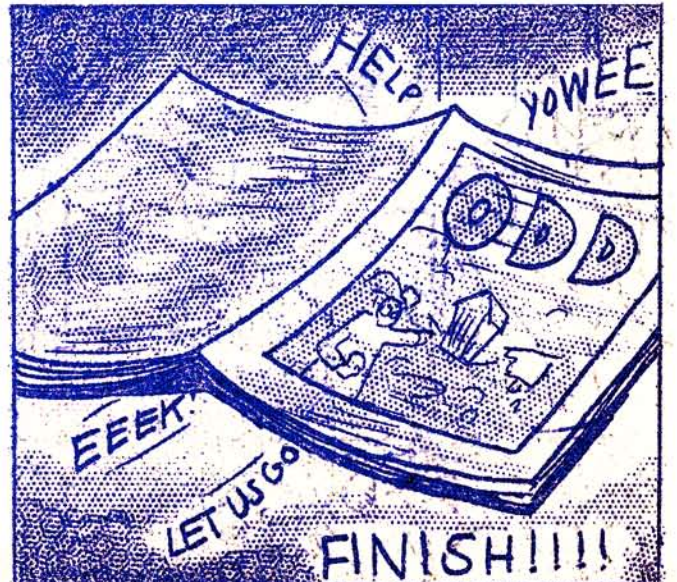












WARNING: DON'T GET TOO CLOSE TO THE PAGE!



# BATMANIAC

WITH  
**BOBIN**  
THE BLUNDERING BOY

AND NOW, WE AT ODD PRESENT THE NEW BATMANIAC. YES, NO LONGER DO WE HAVE THE OLD STUPID STORIES OF BATMANIAC. BUT WE NOW HAVE NEW STUPID STORIES. BATMANIAC TODAY FINDS HIMSELF CAUGHT IN A PERILOUS TRAP ONLY TO FIND THAT HIS BRAVE COMPANION, HIS PROTEGE, HIS EVER LOVIN' WARD, DUKY GRAYSON IS OF ABSOLUTELY NO HELP TO HIM AT ALL. READ...



## THE CREATURE THAT DEVoured ROTHAM CITY



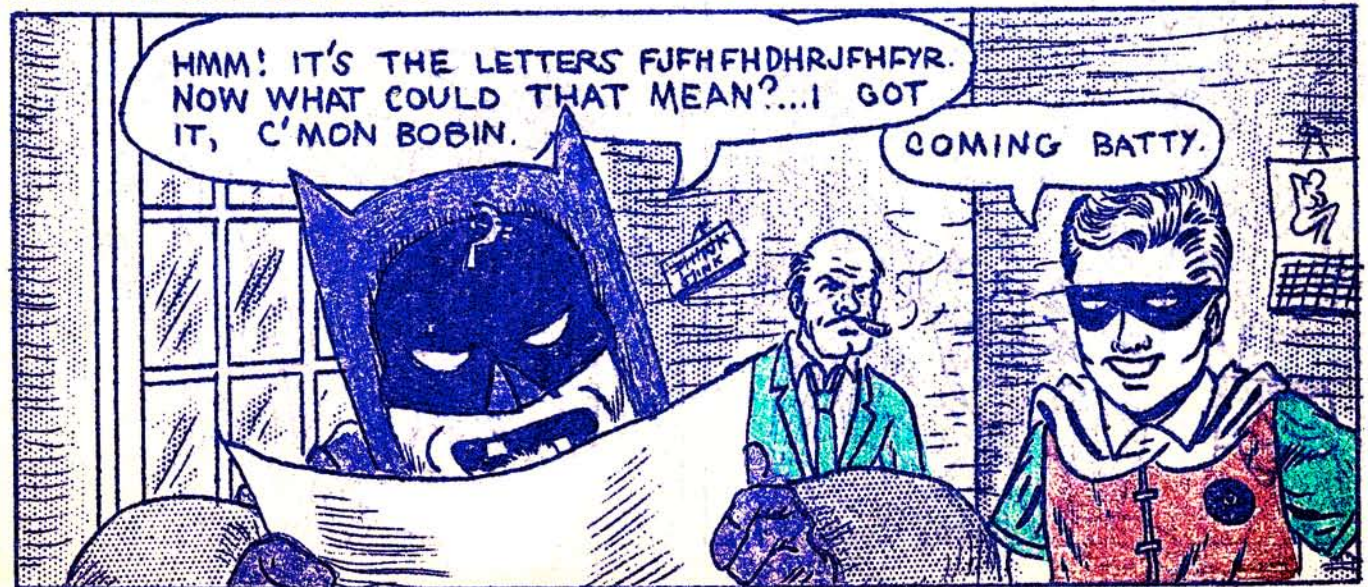
STORY WRITTEN WITH THE EXCELLENCE THAT COMES ONLY ONCE IN A LIFETIME, BY THE MERRY MARVELOUS MARV WOLFMAN. ART SO PAINSTAKINGLY DONE, THAT MIKE ANGELO (THE BUTCHER) WOULD RAVE. BY DAVE HERRING.

BATTY, I GUESS THIS IS GOING TO BE ANOTHER ONE OF THOSE DAYS HUH??

YEAH, I HATE THESE QUIET ONES. BORES ME YA KNOW.







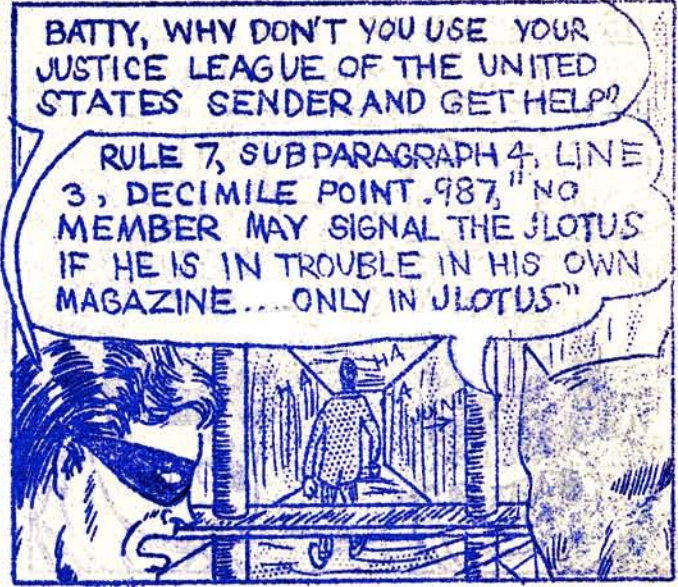






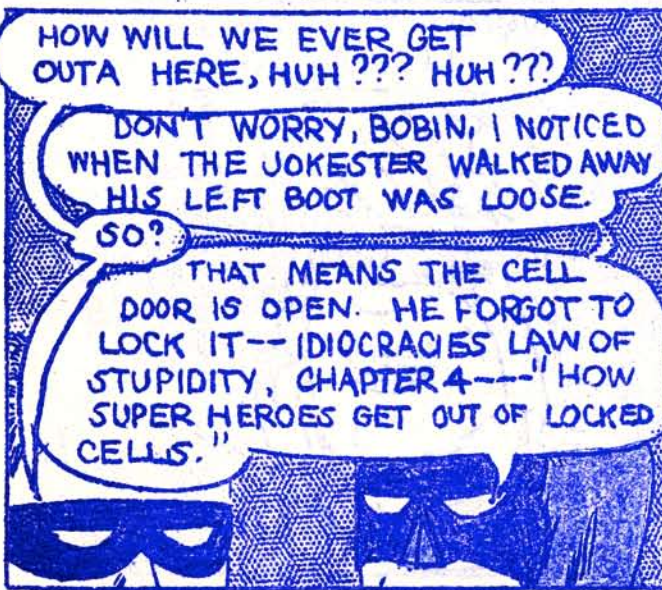


I GOT YOU BATTY. I GOT YOU. HAH HA HA NYAKHA



BATTY, WHY DON'T YOU USE YOUR JUSTICE LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES SENDER AND GET HELP?

RULE 7, SUBPARAGRAPH 4, LINE 3, DECIMILE POINT .987, "NO MEMBER MAY SIGNAL THE JLOTUS IF HE IS IN TROUBLE IN HIS OWN MAGAZINE... ONLY IN JLOTUS"



HOW WILL WE EVER GET OUTA HERE, HUH ??? HUH ???

DON'T WORRY, BOBIN, I NOTICED WHEN THE JOKESTER WALKED AWAY HIS LEFT BOOT WAS LOOSE. SO?

THAT MEANS THE CELL DOOR IS OPEN. HE FORGOT TO LOCK IT-- IDIOCRACIES LAW OF STUPIDITY, CHAPTER 4----" HOW SUPER HEROES GET OUT OF LOCKED CELLS."



THROUGH THE DOOR!

COMING BATTY

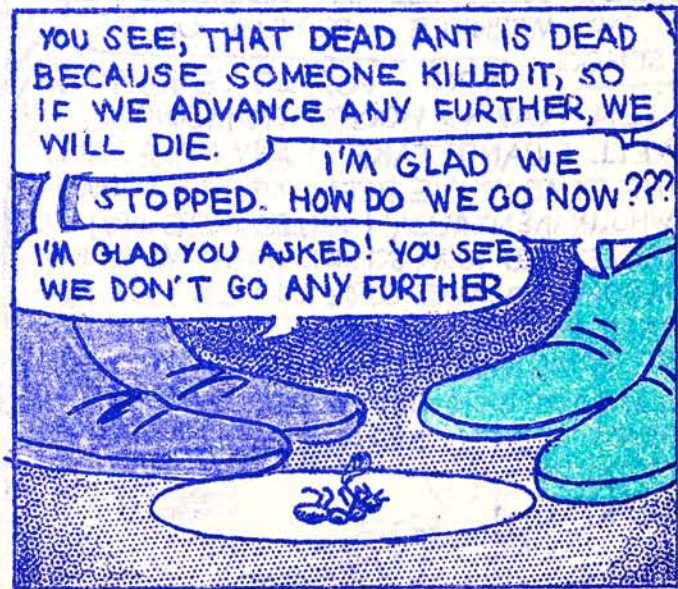


WAIT! WE CAN'T GO AHEAD WHY?

WHY NOT?

HMMM.

MAINLY BECAUSE OF THAT DEAD ANT.

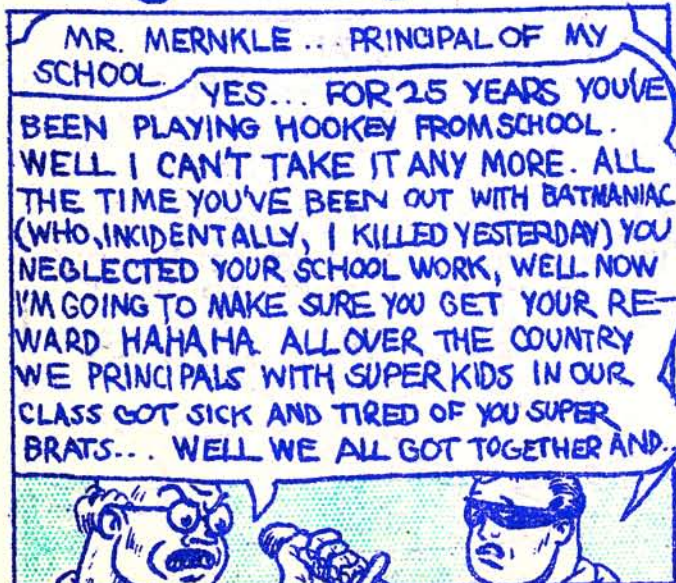


YOU SEE, THAT DEAD ANT IS DEAD BECAUSE SOMEONE KILLED IT, SO IF WE ADVANCE ANY FURTHER, WE WILL DIE.

I'M GLAD WE STOPPED. HOW DO WE GO NOW ???

I'M GLAD YOU ASKED! YOU SEE WE DON'T GO ANY FURTHER











HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO START YOUR OWN ODD FAN CLUB



ODD CUFF LINKS

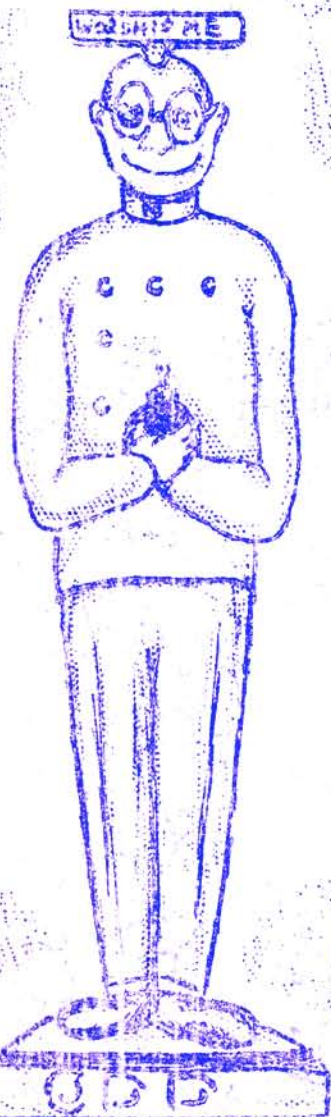
Be the center of attraction with this pair of iron "bomb" cuff links. When attacked by MAD Fan Clubs light fuse and throw in their midst. \$10



DAVE (HERRING)

Steve Herring

Genuine autographs of ODD artists- ready for framing. Cut from old "Osgood's Chicken Fat" posters which they made before ODD. \$5



ODD BOMBER STATUE

Three foot hollow bronze figure can be used to stash hot loot, jewelry, booze and Odd's. Also can scare away evil spirits. \$25



ALTAR

Cast imitation gold with A-Bomb seal and incense burner for sacrifice of Mad, Humbug, Help, Cracked and other such trash. You can brew various mixtures in it since it's burner is copper lined. Copper coils extra.

\$25 (plus blackmail)



ODD WALL PAPER

Add real class to your clubhouse with these colorful pages from ODD back issue rejects taped together sloppily to add extra charm.

May also be used as table cloths and napkins at ODD Party. 25¢ per sq. ft.



ODD ARTISTS SING

LP record of the famous ODDBALLS. Recorded without their knowledge at our last Christmas office party. Also being sold without their permission. We will send it in a plain wrapper. \$5

Be a cool cat in a ODD SWEAT-SHIRT



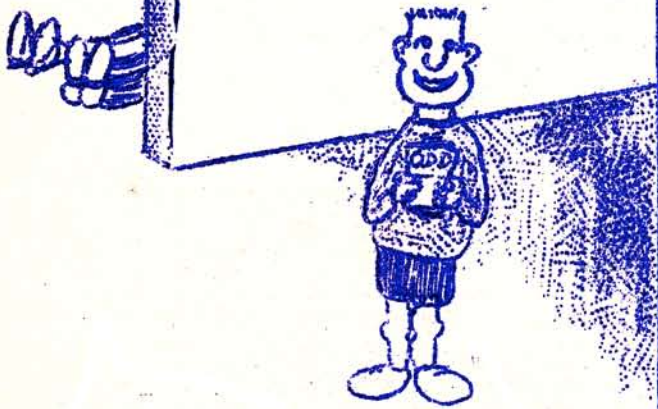
Beautiful burlap sweatshirt with arm padding so that those Mad Fan Club guys will think twice before

attacking. Can be easily disguised as a rag in tight spots. \$5



CHILDHOOD

MY PARENTS SAID THAT  
I COULD ONLY READ  
ODD OVER THEIR DEAD  
BODIES... SO...



YOUTH

YOU LISTEN GOOD, POP! YOU  
BETTER START SELLING ODD  
OR WE'LL USE YOUR  
STAND FOR A  
SACRIFICE.



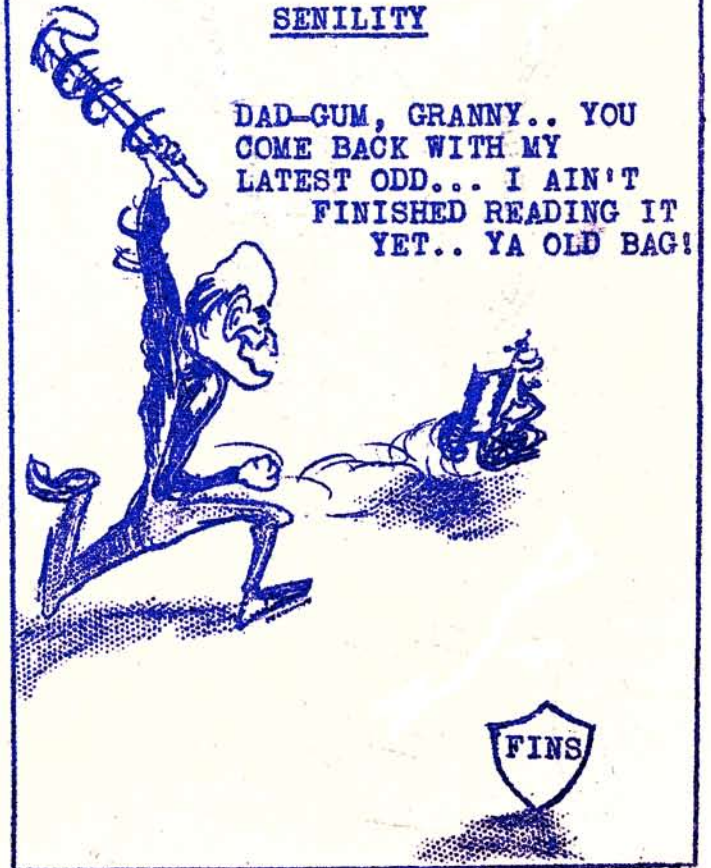
ADULTHOOD

BURP!



SENILITY

DAD-GUM, GRANNY.. YOU  
COME BACK WITH MY  
LATEST ODD... I AIN'T  
FINISHED READING IT  
YET.. YA OLD BAG!





Jay Kinney, our roving reporter has dug up this campaign poster for a

little known candidate in the past election in one of his favorite garbage cans. His research shows that Oscar got exactly 3 votes: Goldwater's, Johnson's and his mother's.

OSCAR Z. FREEM FOR PRESIDENT!! EVERYBODY'S CANDIDATE!!

OSCAR SAYS:

"I do not drink and drive, nor smoke more than one pack of cigarettes per day, nor brush my teeth with tooth-pastes not endorsed by the A.M.A."

FACTS ABOUT OSCAR THAT EVERYBODY SHOULD KNOW:

When the John Birch Society was asked about their feelings toward Oscar, they replied, "No Comment!"

Oscar is a member of both the K.K.K. and the N.A.A.C.P. He has also sent in an application to the American Nazi Party.

Oscar describes himself as a moderately conservative liberal.

Oscar is a Registered Independent.

Among Oscar's many hobbies are: Pencil sharpening, Berry picking, Emptying the wastebaskets and writing letters to the editor.

Oscar's family consists of his wife, Wendle, and his twenty charming children.

Oscar is a distant relative of Ringo Starr.

WHAT THE PRESS THINKS OF OSCAR:

N.Y. POST: "GOOD SHOW."

N.Y. TIMES: "ALL THE NEWS THAT'S FIT TO PRINT..."

L.A. COURIER: "WE THINK..."



VOTE: OSCAR Z. FREEM FOR PRESIDENT