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NO. 5

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# ANDY HARDY





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HERE COMES JOE FIGBY!

NO! NOT HIM AGAIN! HE'S THE BIGGEST MOOCHER IN TOWN!

WHAT A PEST! HE ONLY COMES AROUND WHEN HE WANTS TO BORROW SOMETHING!

HE'S PRETTY TRICKY! BUT HE ISN'T BORROWING ANYTHING FROM ME! WATCH HOW I HANDLE HIM!

HI, ANDY!

I'M GOING TO SPEND THE WEEK END FISHING OUT AT CARSON'S POND!

HOW NICE!

TROUBLE IS... I'M SHORT OF MONEY FOR BUS FARE!

TOO BAD! I'M BROKE, TOO!

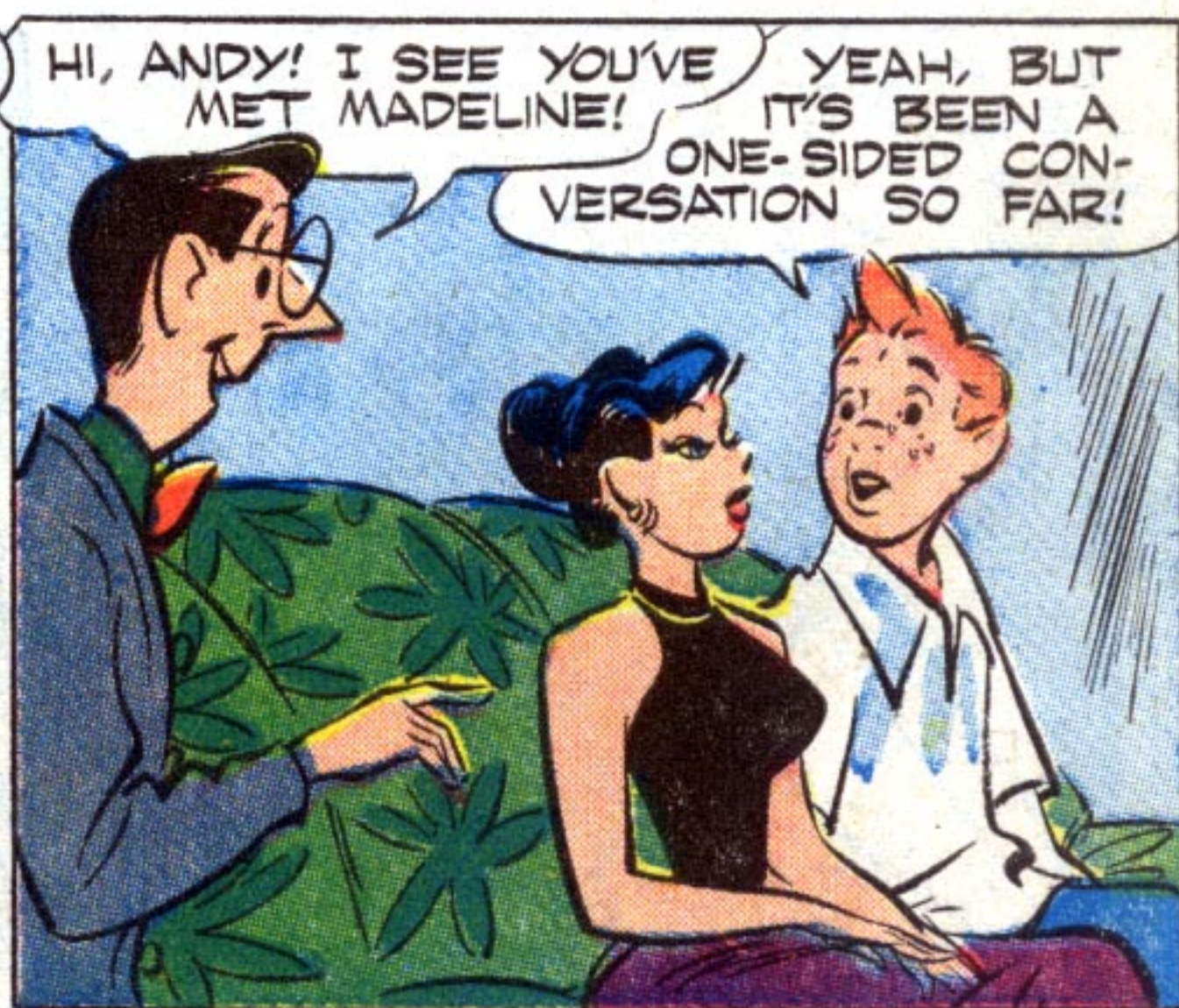
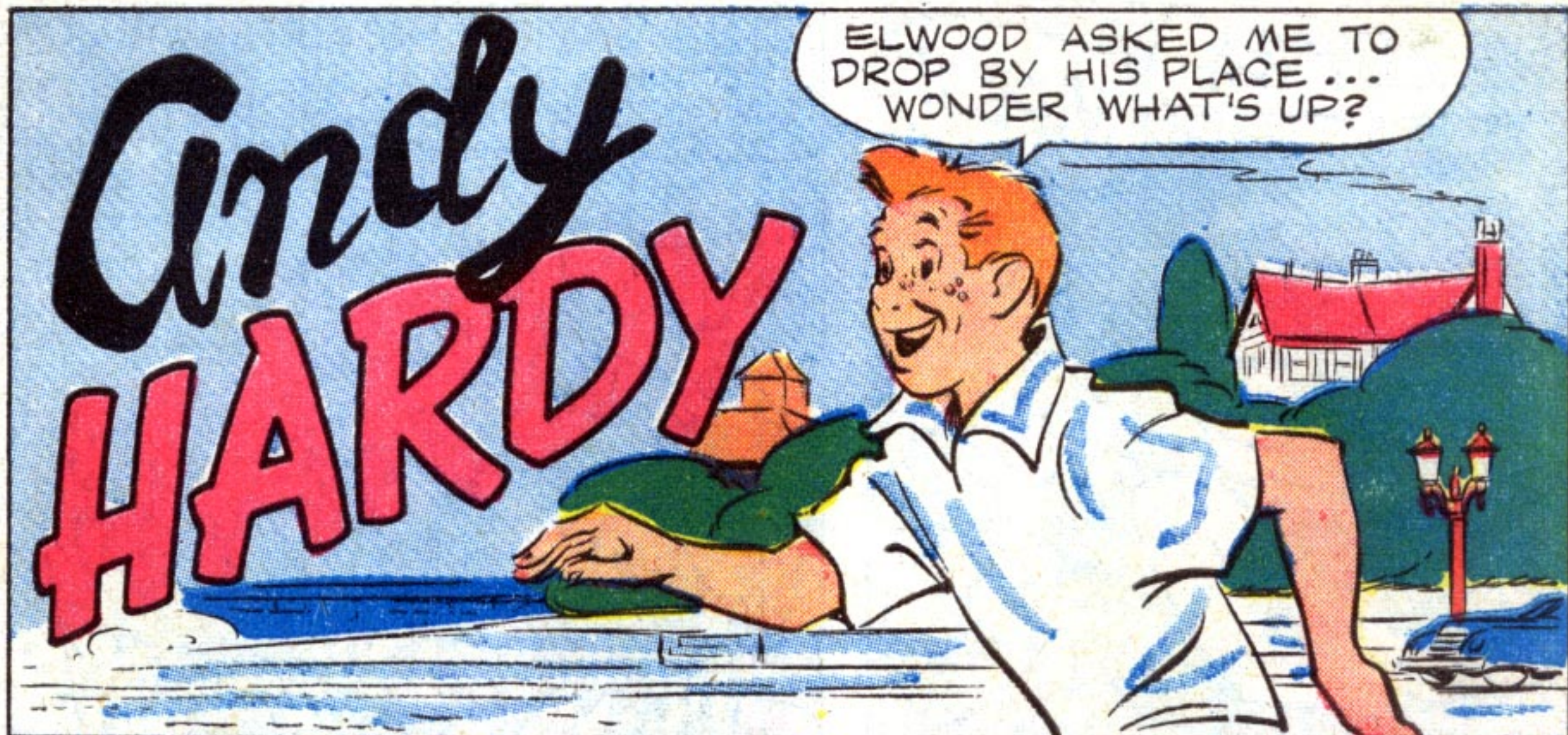
WILL YOU BE USING YOUR CAR OVER THE WEEK END, ANDY?

YEAH! I'M USING IT ALL DAY TODAY AND TOMORROW!

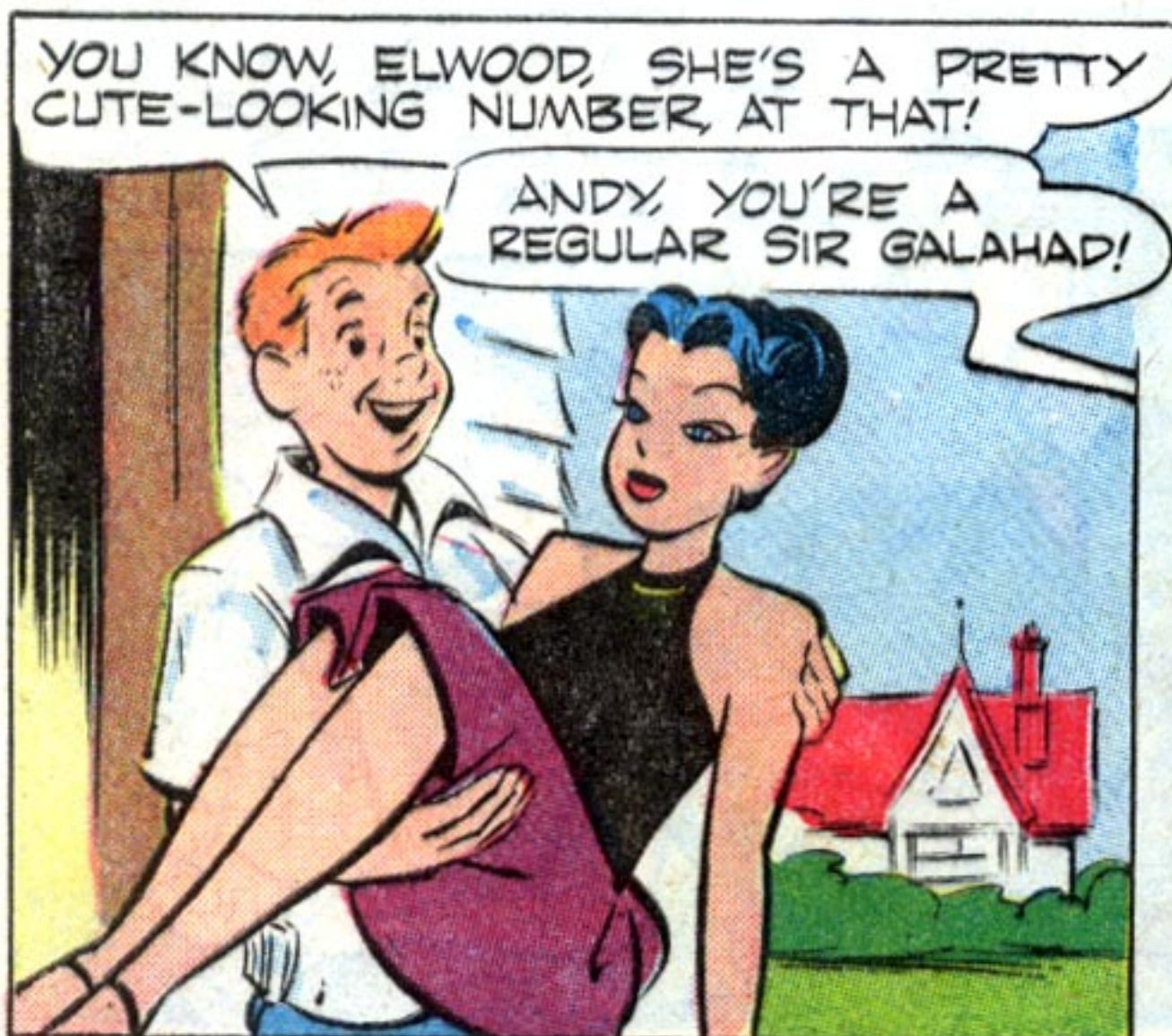
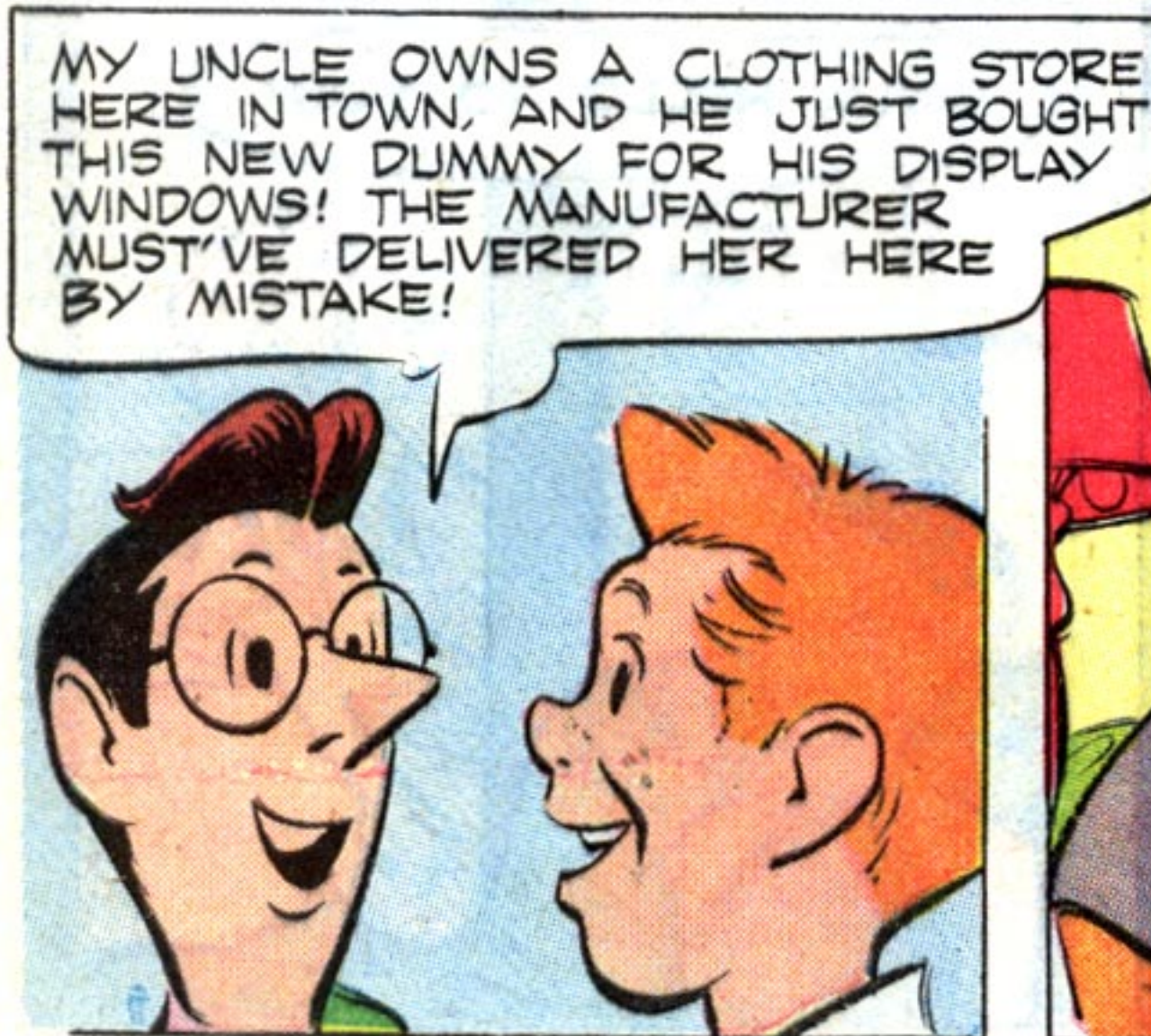
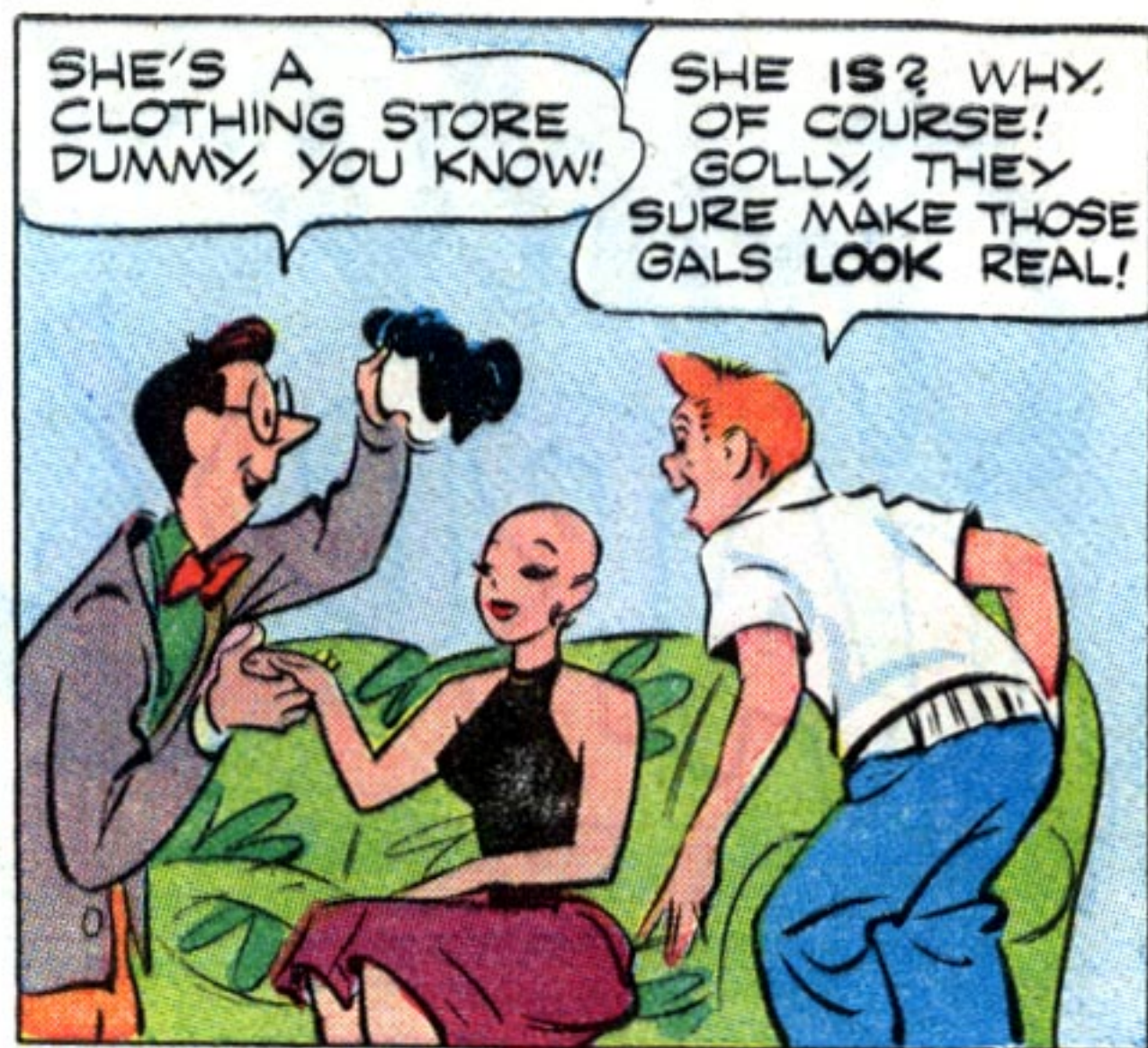
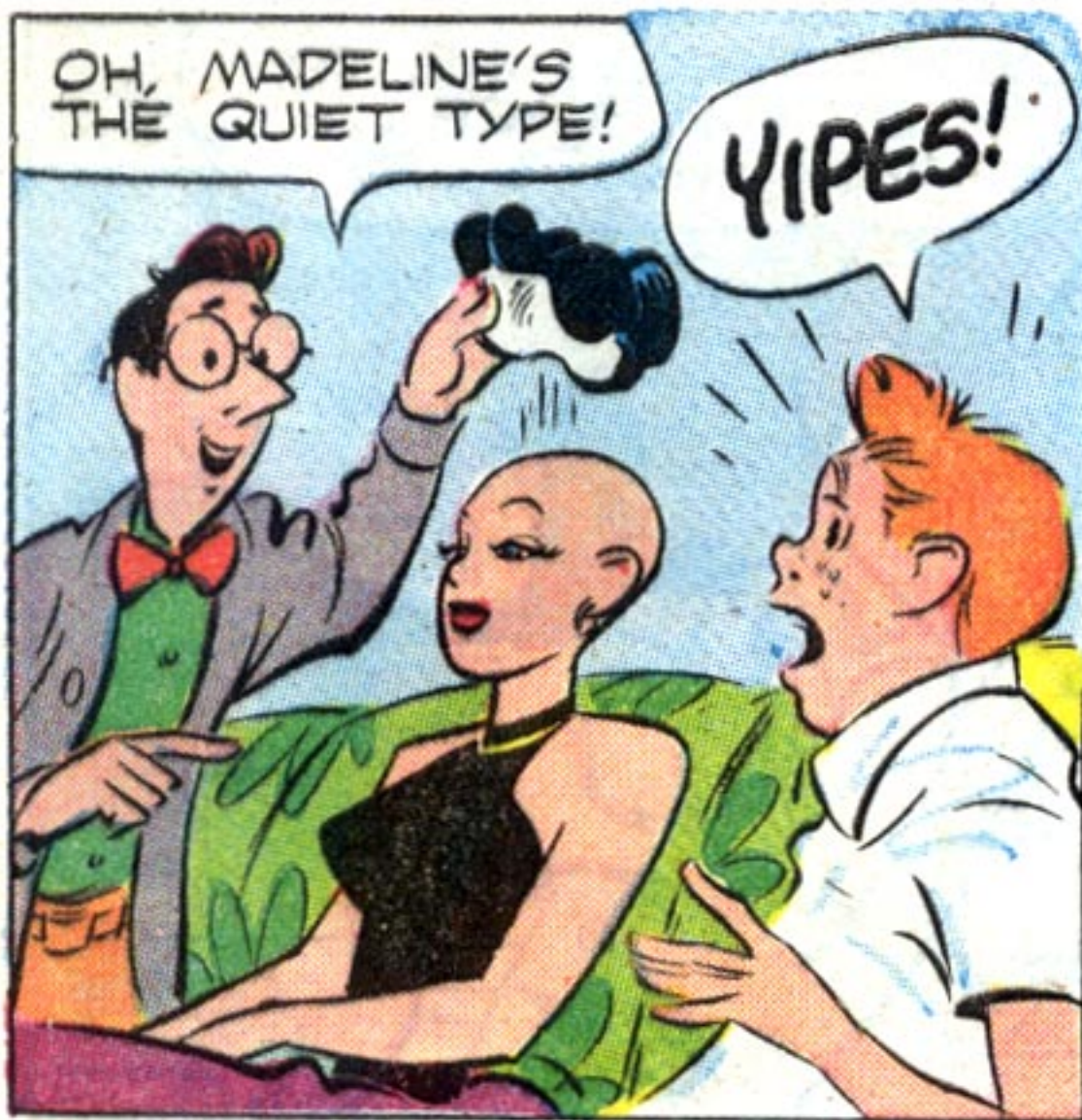
IN THAT CASE, YOU WON'T MIND IF I BORROW YOUR **BIKE**! THAT'S WHAT I CAME OVER FOR!

YOU SURE KNOW HOW TO HANDLE HIM, ANDY!

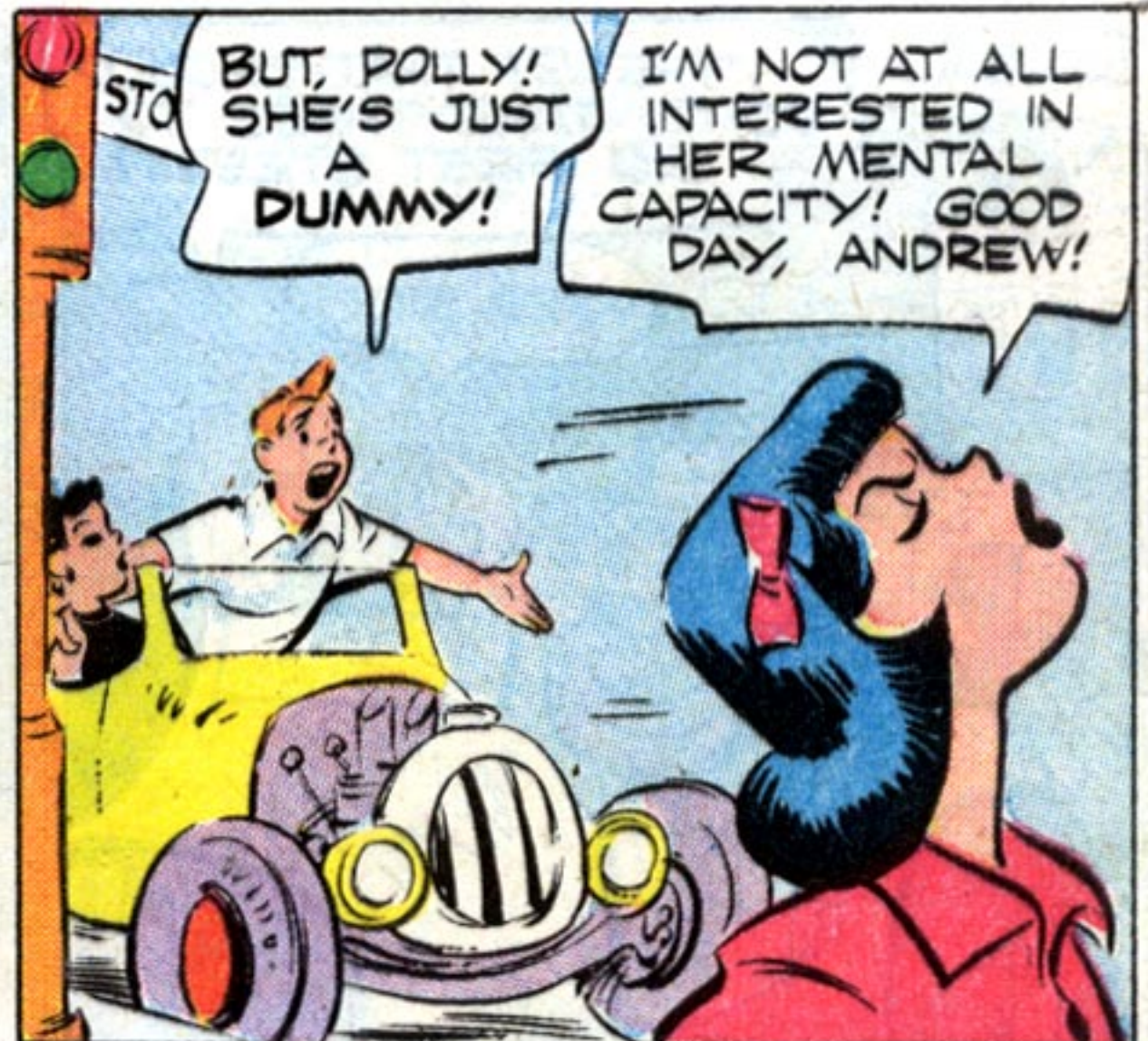
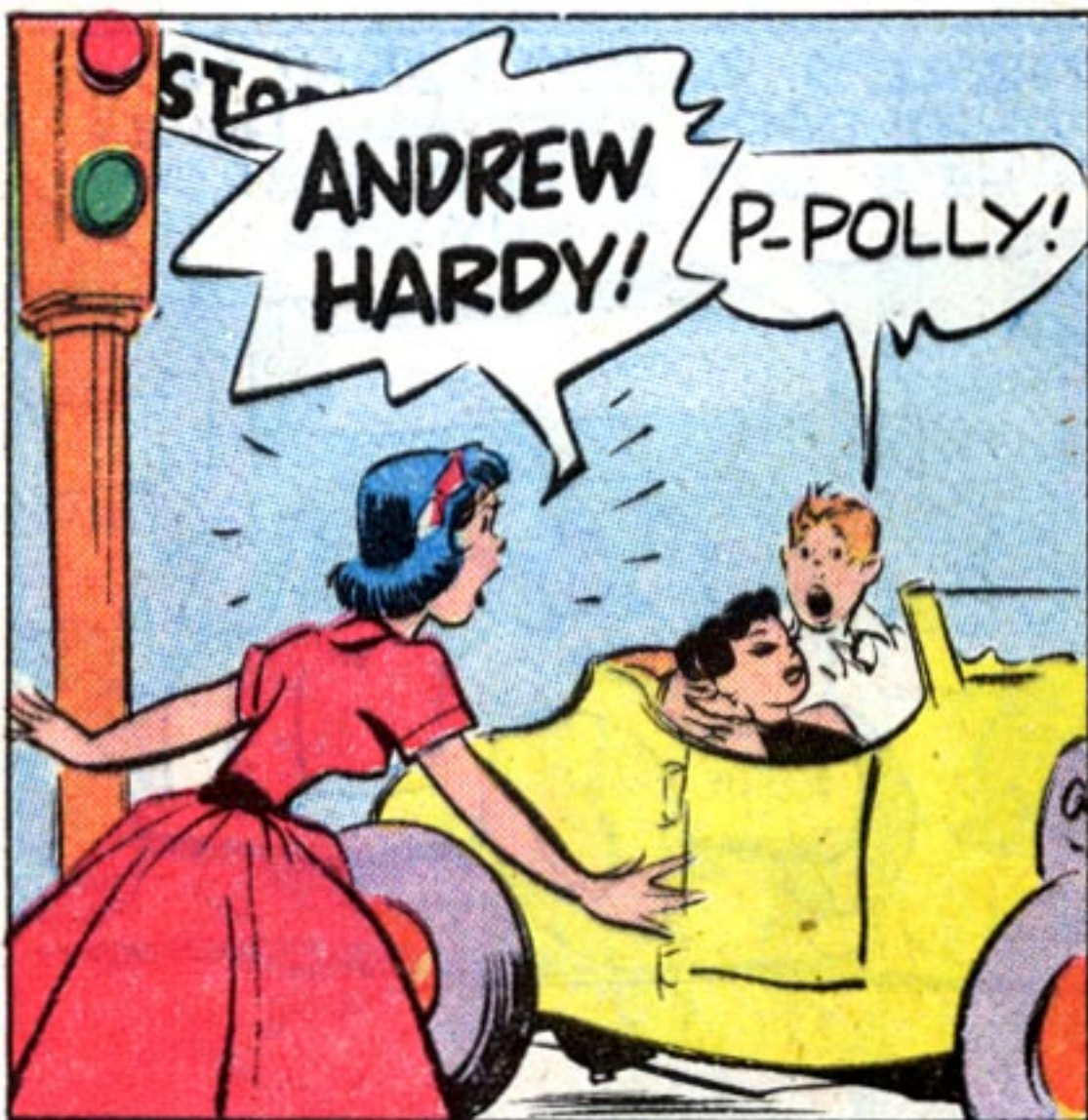
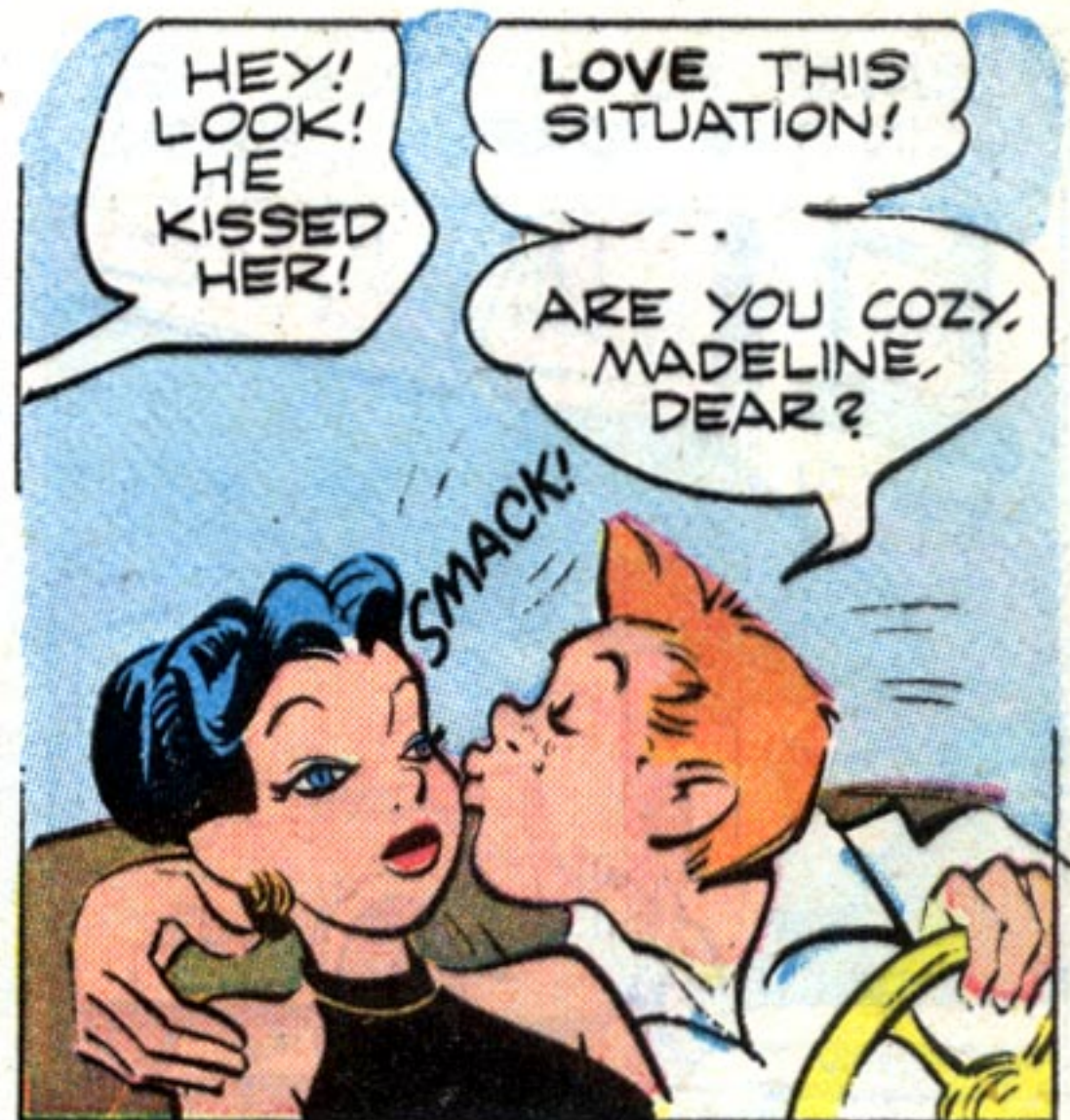
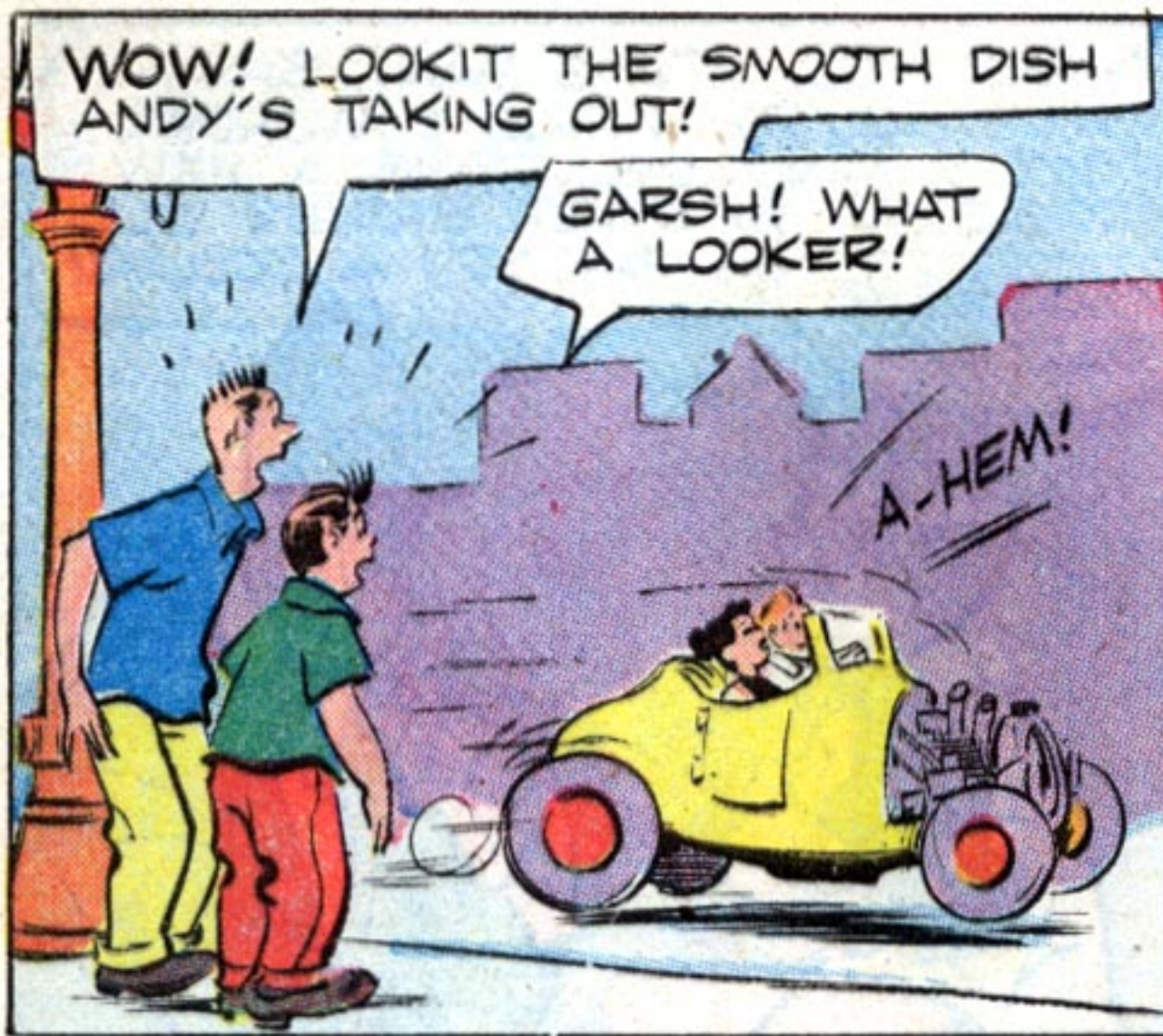






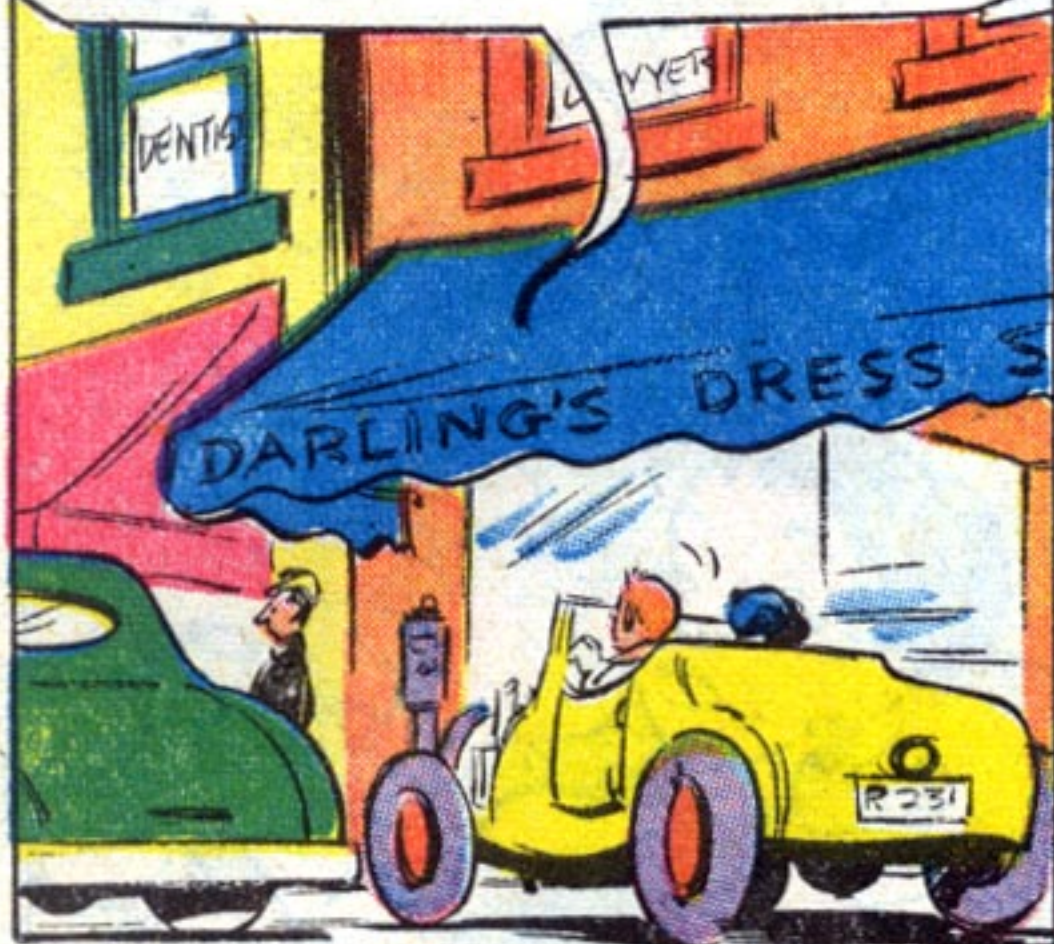






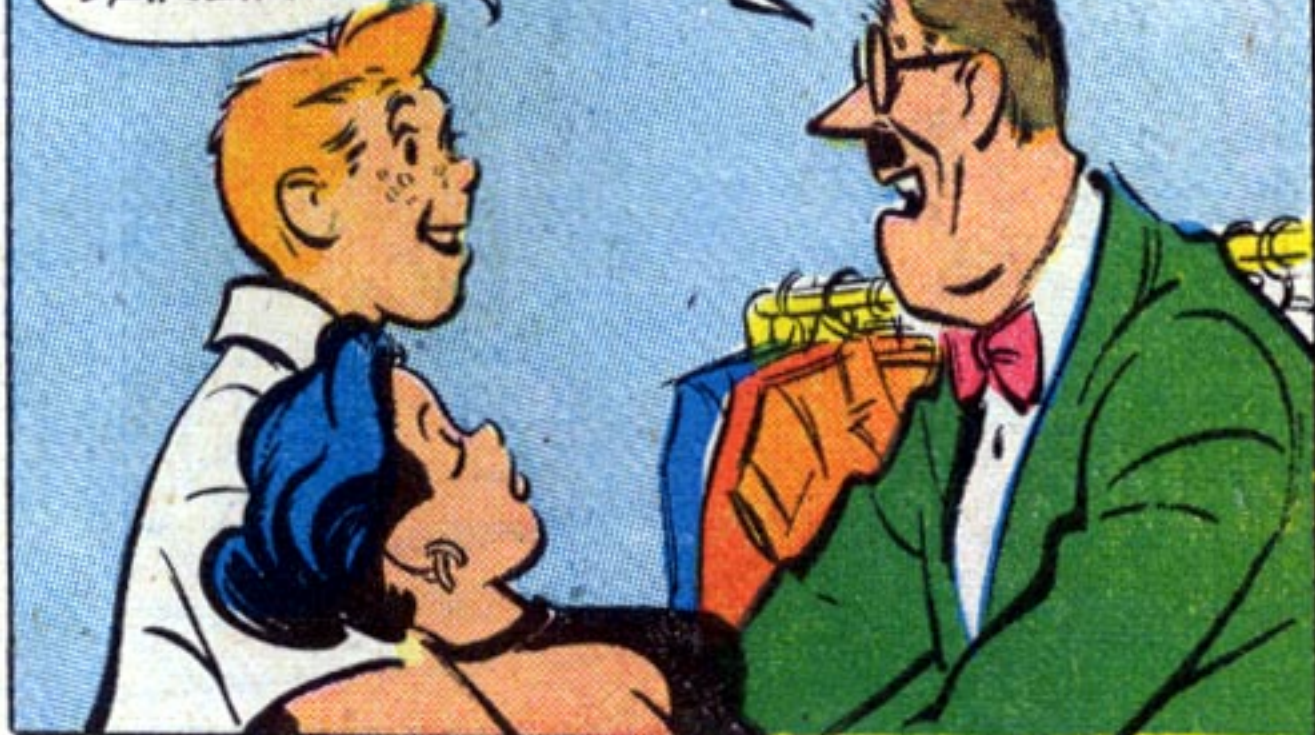


RATS! NO WONDER MEN JOIN THE FOREIGN LEGION!



THANK YOU, YOUNG MAN! SAY, WHILE YOU'RE HERE, I WONDER IF YOU'D MIND DELIVERING A FEW MODELS TO MY OTHER STORE? I'LL PAY YOU A DOLLAR!

OKAY, MR. DARLING!



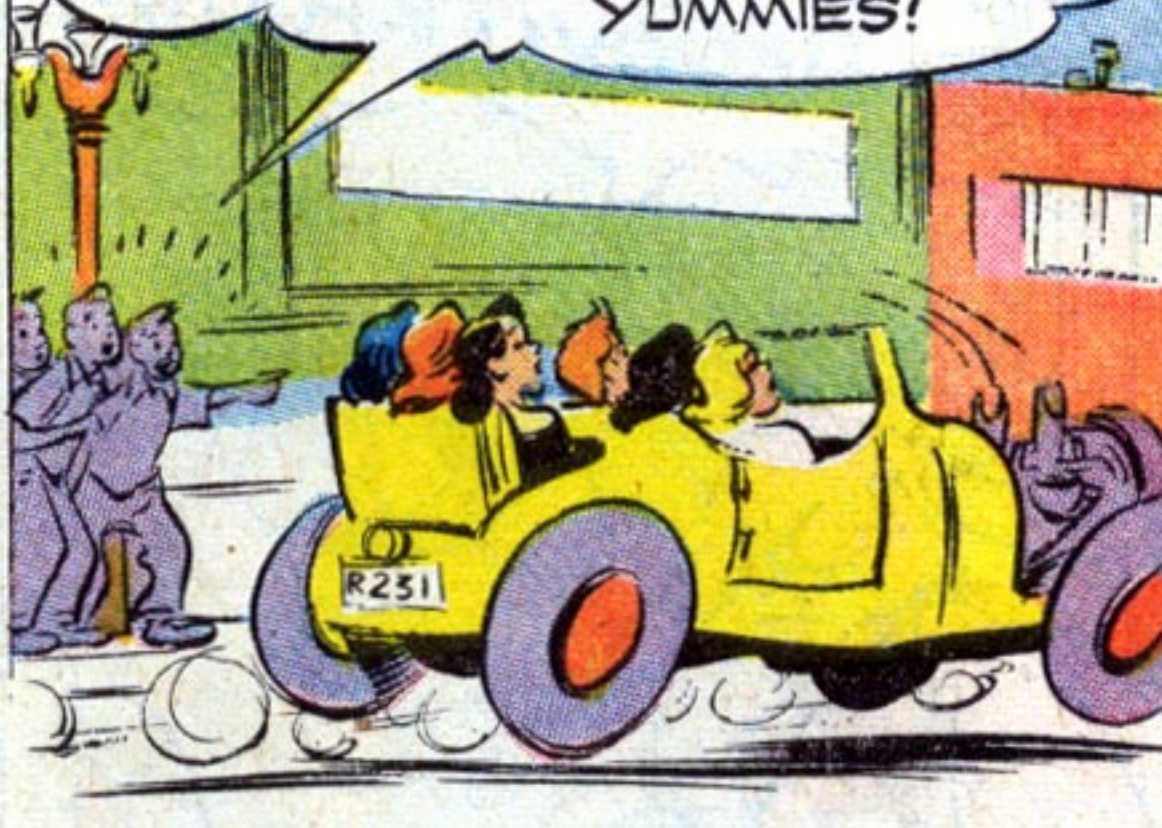
LATER...

THERE! THAT SHOULD DO IT! TAKE THESE TO 810 FIRST STREET!

YES, SIR!



THERE'S ANDY AGAIN! WOW! WHAT DOES THAT MAN HAVE? HE'S GOT A CAR FULL OF YUMMIES!



DID YOU SEE THE HAREM ANDY'S CARTING AROUND?

ZILLIONS OF DOLLS! THEY STICK TO HIM LIKE FLY-PAPER!

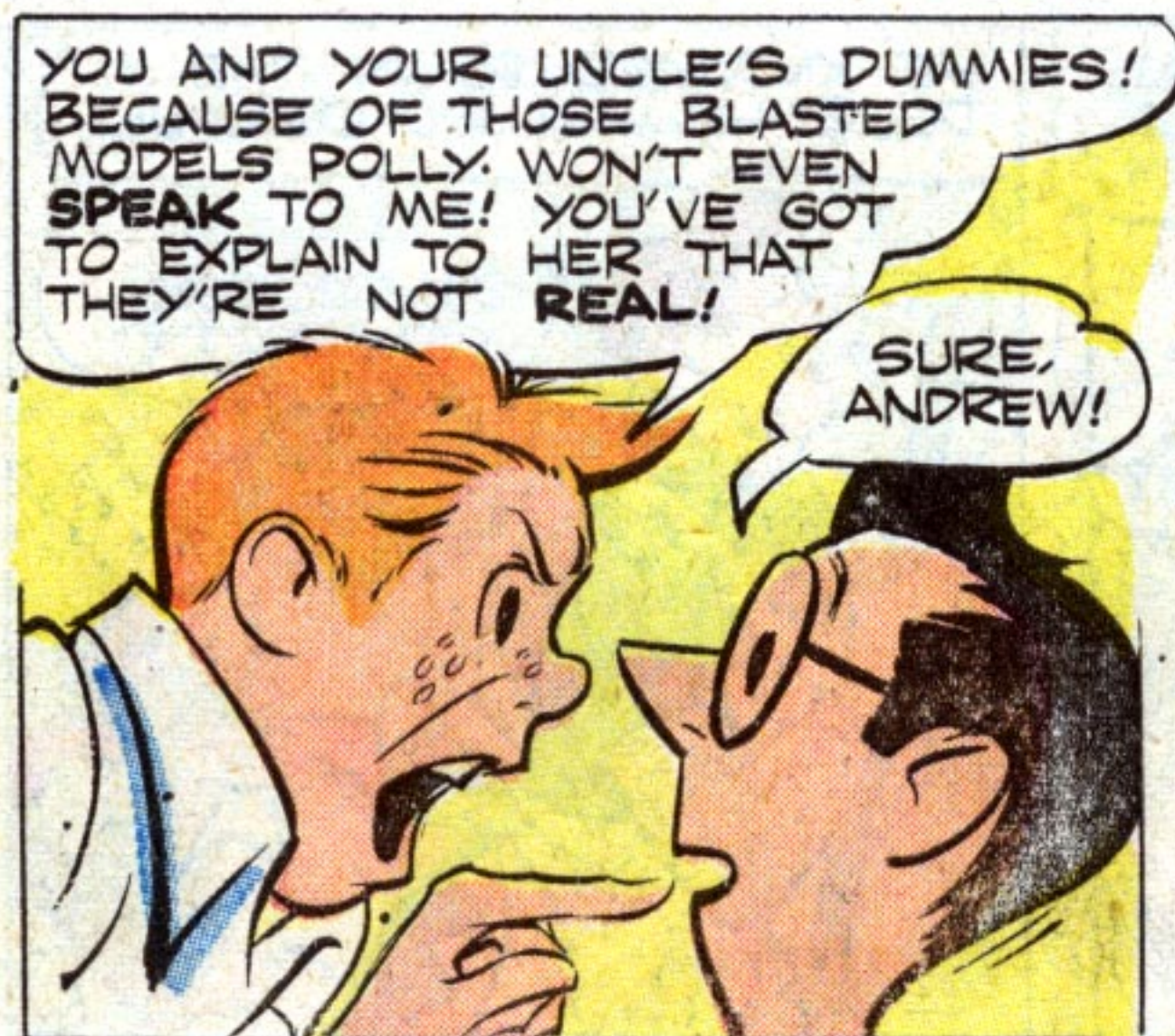


IT'S ALL OVER TOWN, POLLY! HE'S BEEN SEEN WITH SCADS OF BEAUTIFUL GIRLS!

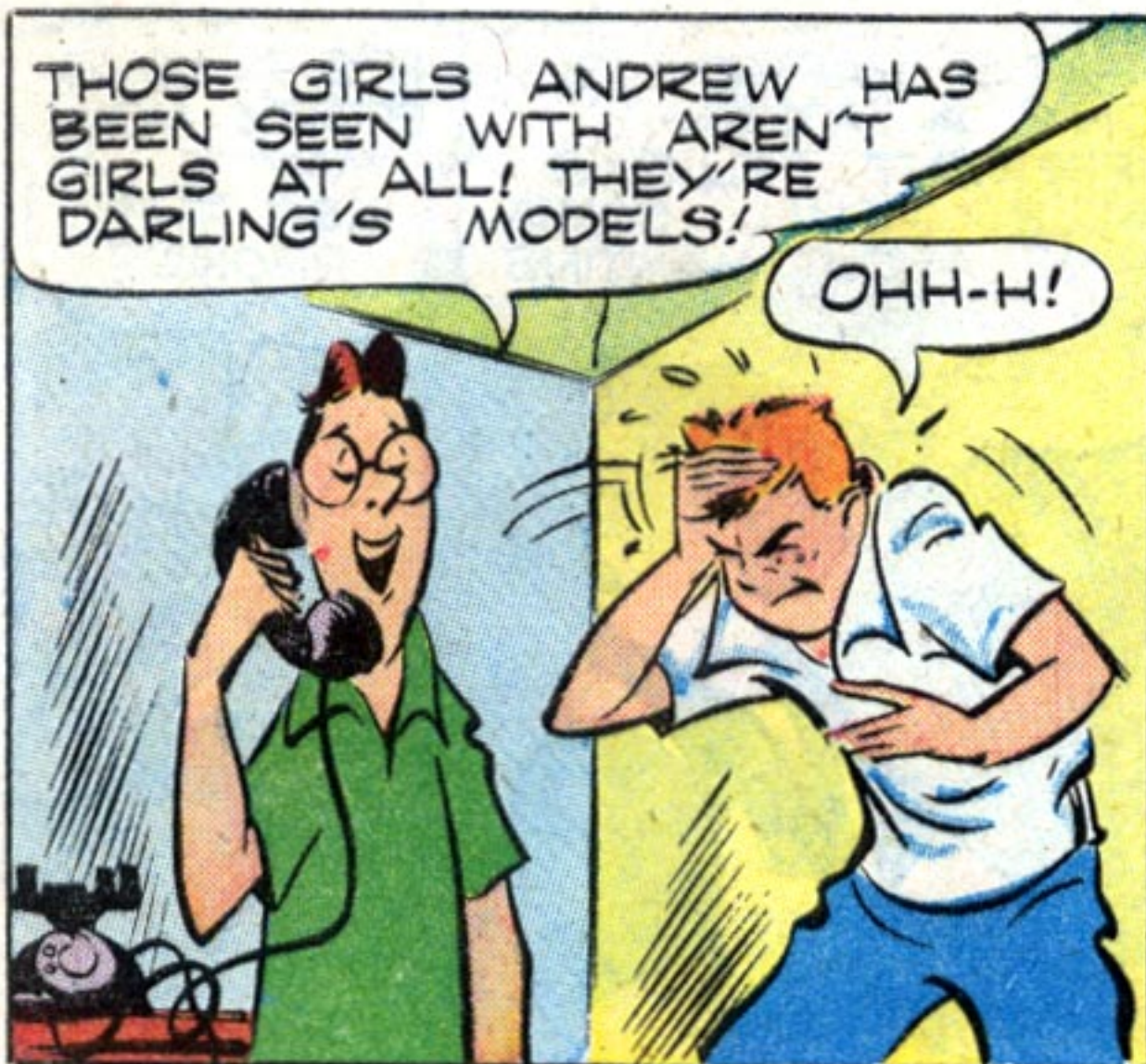
I'M SURE I'M NOT IN THE LEAST INTERESTED!











THOSE GIRLS ANDREW HAS BEEN SEEN WITH AREN'T GIRLS AT ALL! THEY'RE DARLING'S MODELS!

OHH-H!



I DON'T CARE IF THEY ARE DARLING! GOOD-BYE!

BIG HELP YOU ARE!

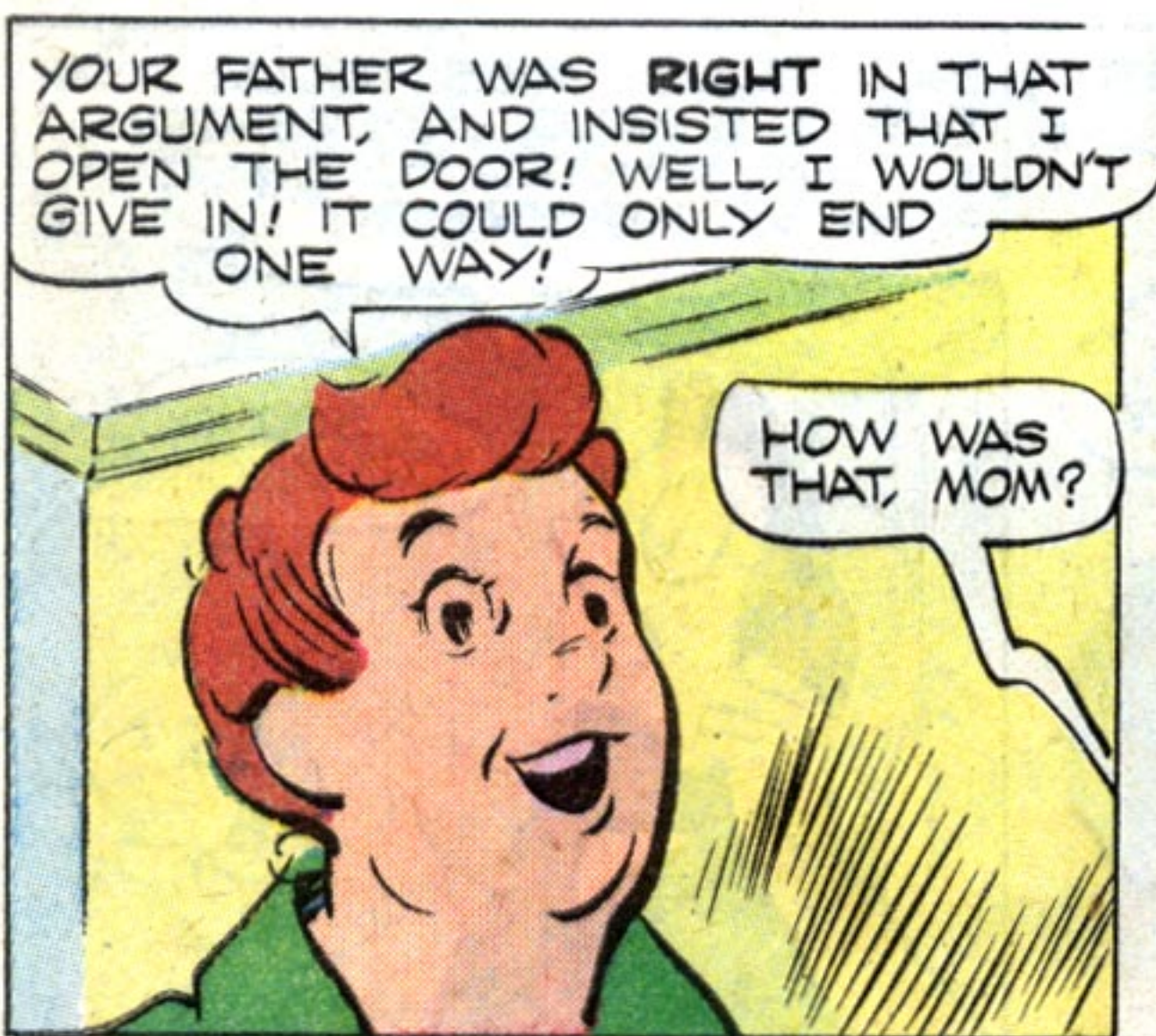


BUT, ANDREW! HOW WAS I TO KNOW THAT SHE'D MISTAKE DARLING FOR AN ADJECTIVE INSTEAD OF A PROPER NOUN!



I'LL NEVER FORGET ONCE WHEN I WAS MAD AT YOUR FATHER! I WENT INTO THE BEDROOM AND LOCKED THE DOOR... I WAS SO ANGRY!

AND?



YOUR FATHER WAS RIGHT IN THAT ARGUMENT, AND INSISTED THAT I OPEN THE DOOR! WELL, I WOULDN'T GIVE IN! IT COULD ONLY END ONE WAY!

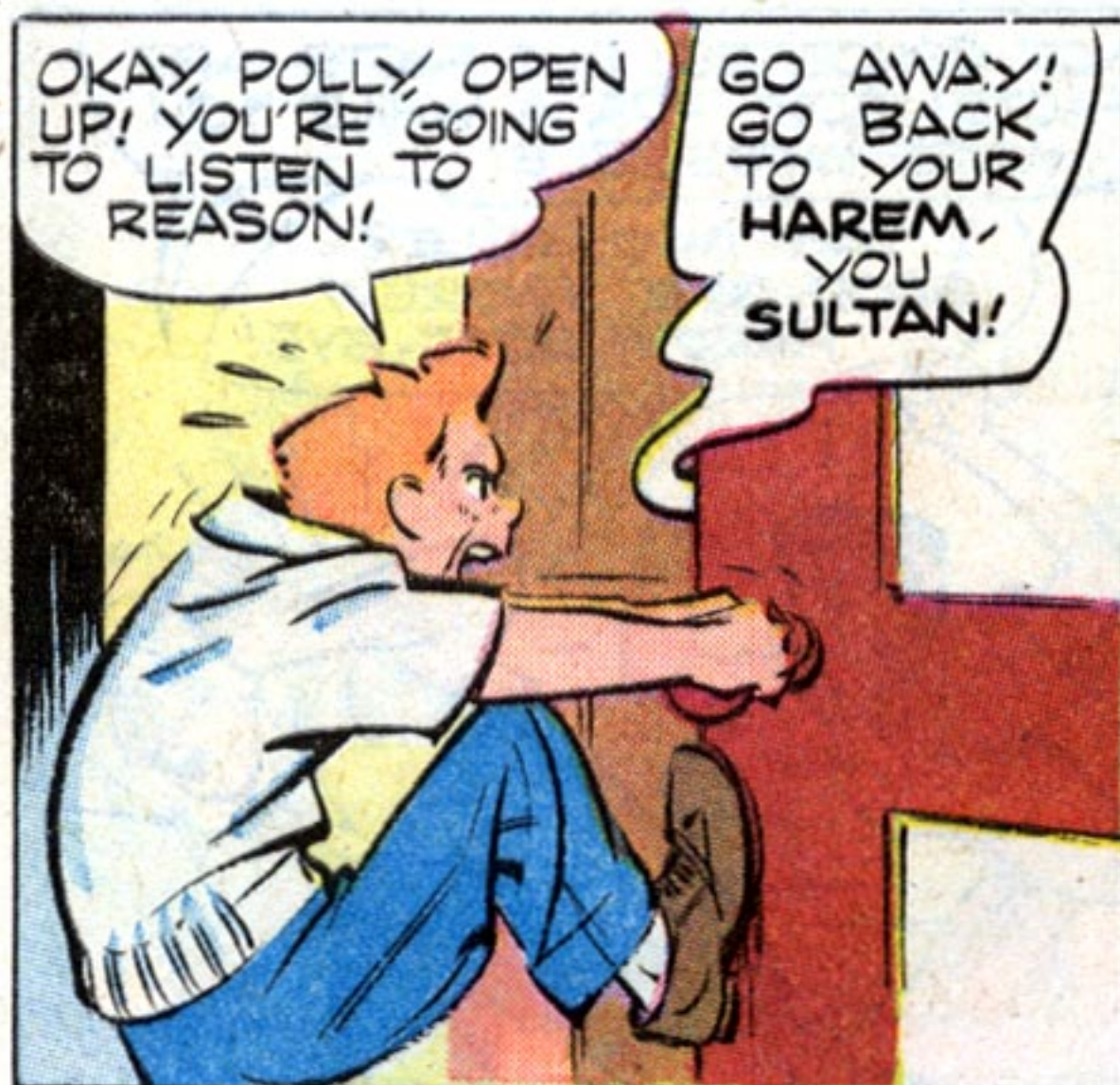
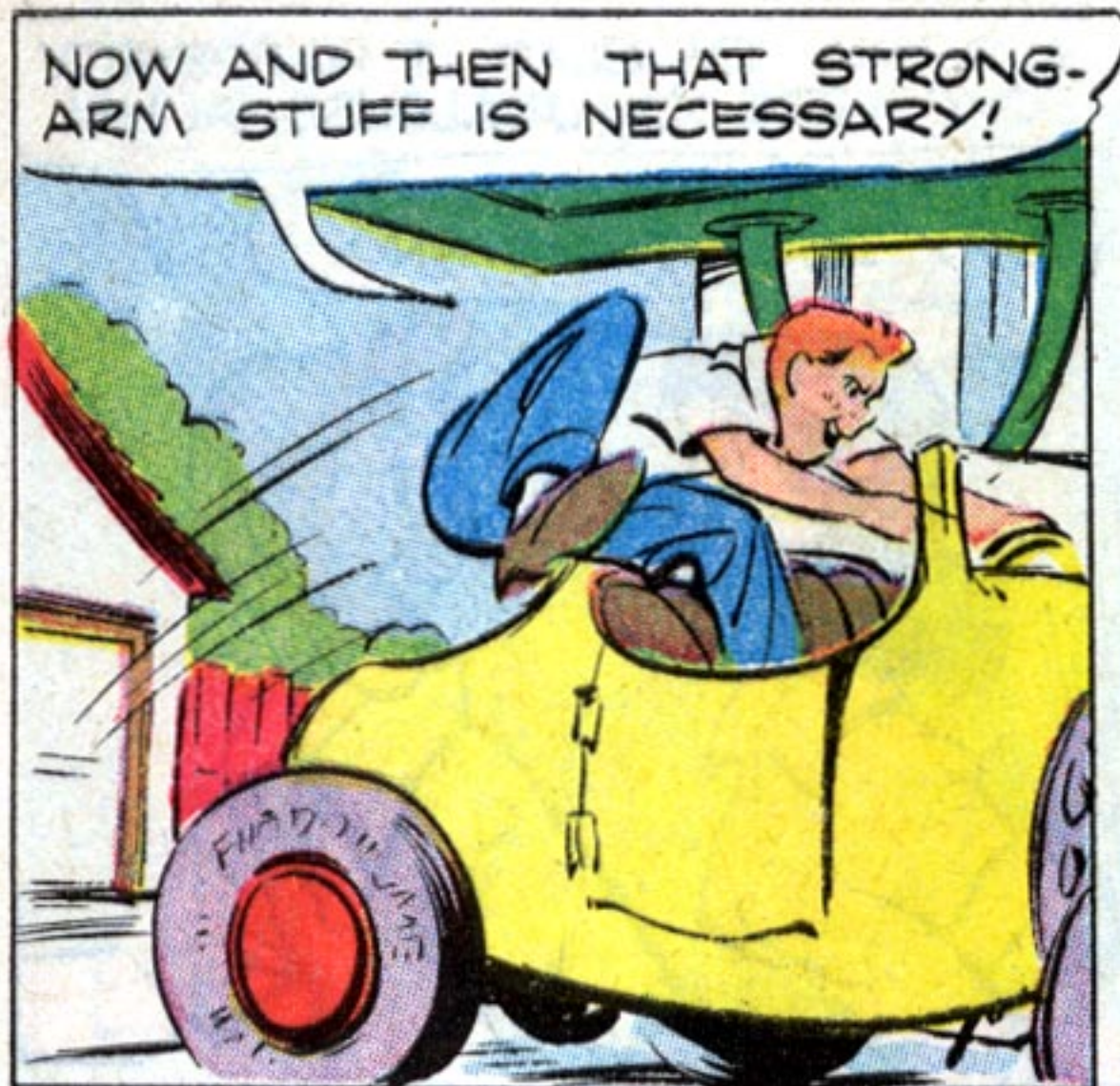
HOW WAS THAT, MOM?



HE KNOCKED DOWN THE DOOR! HE WAS WONDERFUL!

BY GEORGE... WHY NOT?







THOSE WEREN'T GIRLS AT ALL...  
JUST STORE WINDOW DUMMIES  
FOR DARLING'S DEPARTMENT STORE!

YOU WERE RIGHT  
AND I WAS  
WRONG, ANDY  
DEAR!



IN A WAY I'M GLAD IT HAPPENED!  
BOY! WERE YOU JEALOUS!! HA! HA!

ME? JEALOUS?!  
WHY, I MOST CERTAINLY  
WAS NOT!



ER...NO OFFENSE, POLLY! I JUST  
MEANT THAT YOU MUST BE REAL  
GONE ON ME TO ACT LIKE YOU DID!

OHH-H!  
OF ALL THE  
CONCEITED...



NOT CONCEITED! BUT FACTS ARE  
FACTS! BOY! FOR A WHILE YOU  
WERE IMPOSSIBLE!

I WAS IMPOSSIBLE?  
GOOD-BYE, ANDREW  
HARDY! GOOD-BYE!



AND YOU CAN HAVE  
BACK YOUR HORSESHOE  
NAIL RING, TOO!

CLUNK!



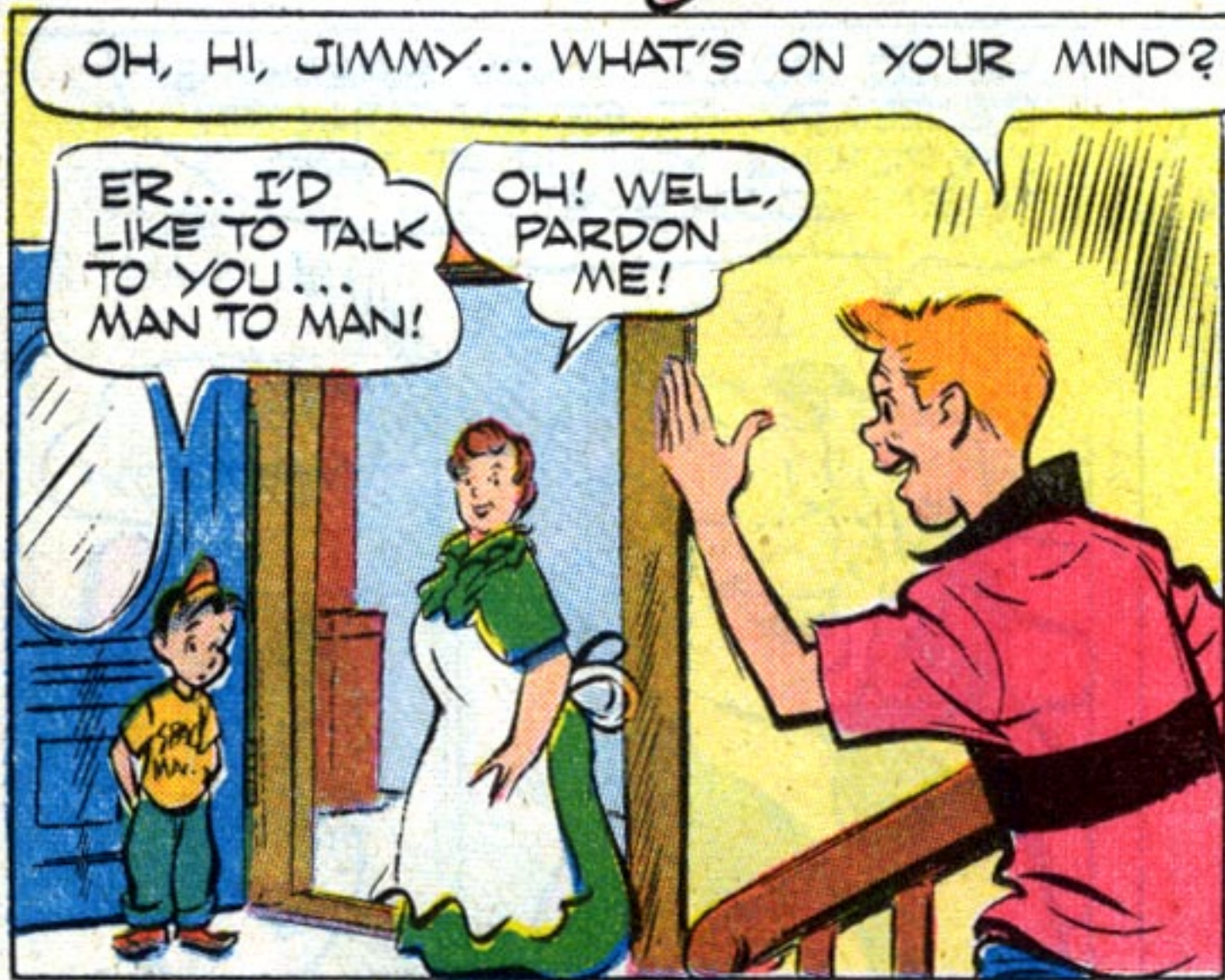
JOIN THE  
FOREIGN  
LEGION  
TODAY!

SORRY,  
YOUNG MAN!  
YOU'LL HAVE  
TO WAIT A  
FEW YEARS!





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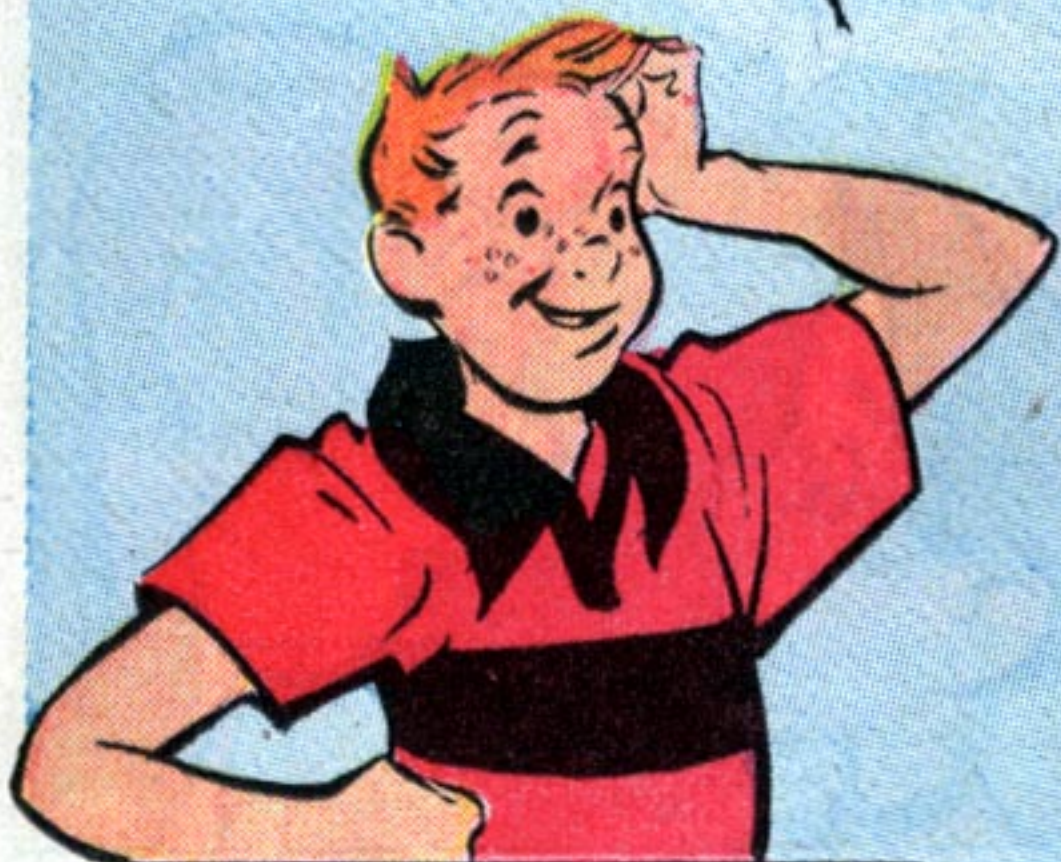




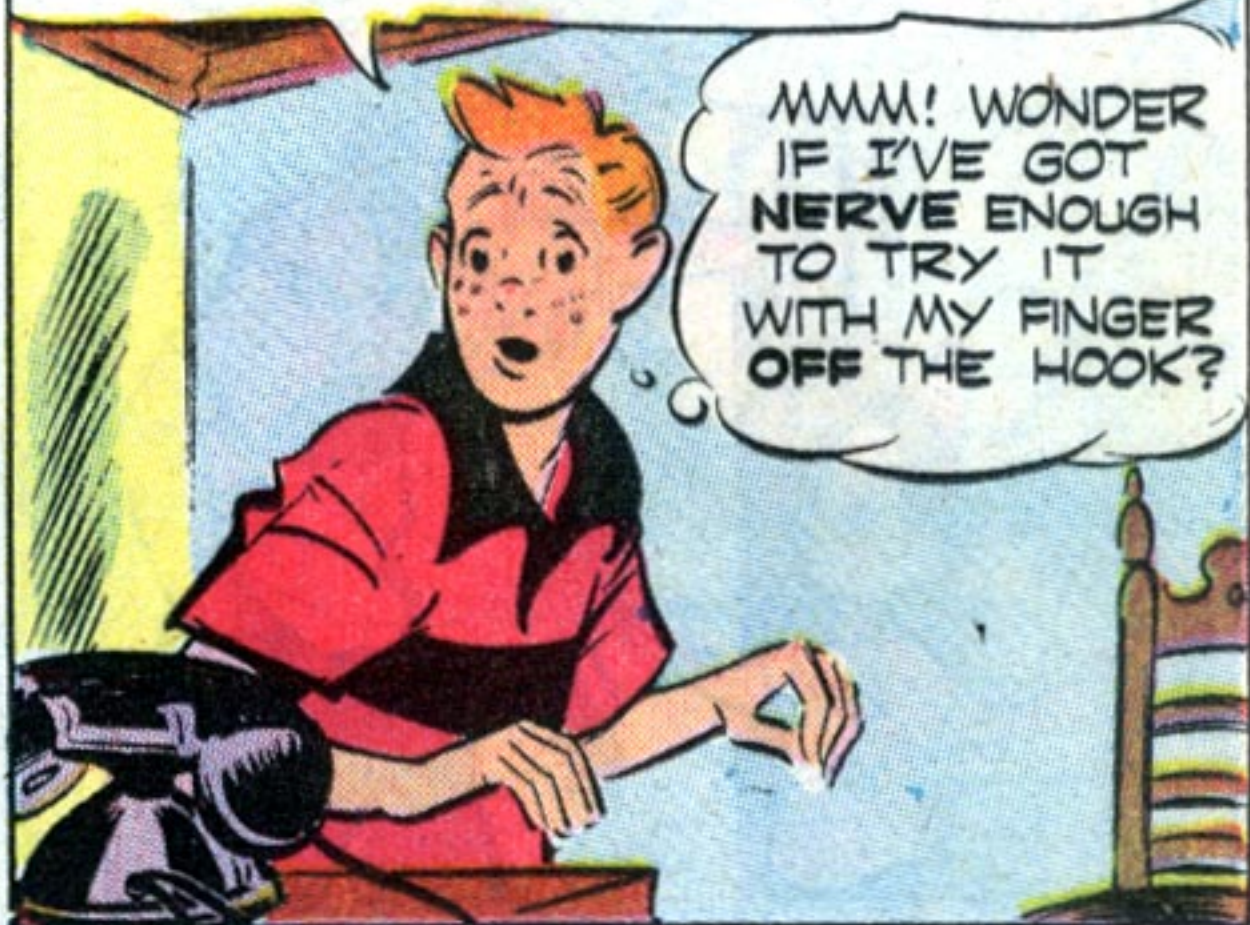




THAT POOR LITTLE MIXED-UP  
KID! HAS HE GOT A LOT  
TO LEARN!



IF ONLY IT WAS THAT SIMPLE...  
TROUBLE IS THAT A FELLA ALLOWS  
HIMSELF TO GET BEAT DOWN!



NOTHING VENTURED, NOTHING GAINED!  
I'LL DO IT! WHY PUSSYFOOT AROUND  
FOR A DATE? SO WHAT IF I WAS  
FORCED TO BREAK THE LAST DATE  
I HAD WITH HER!



HELLO, POLLY! THIS IS  
ANDY! I'M CALLING TO...

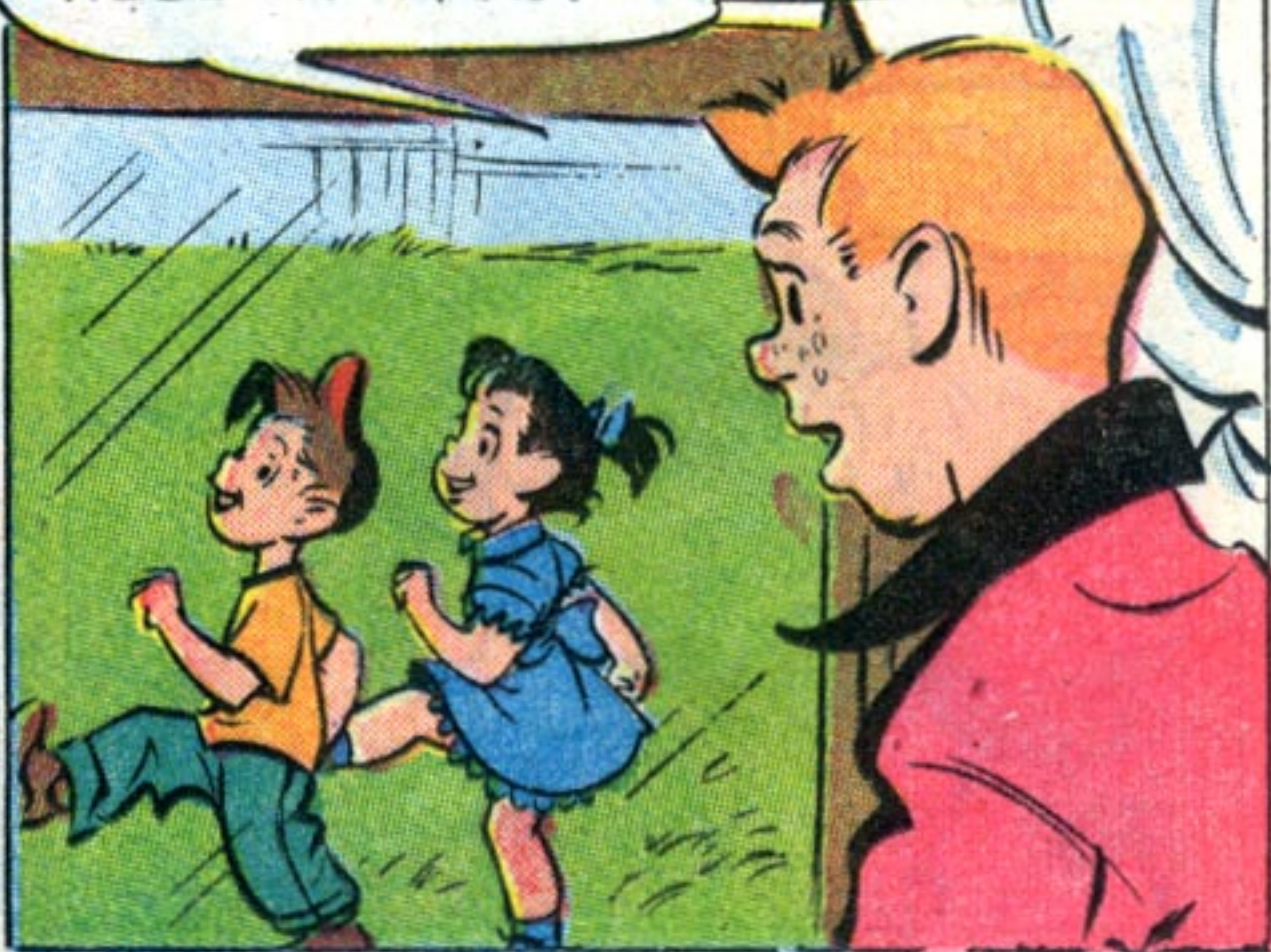


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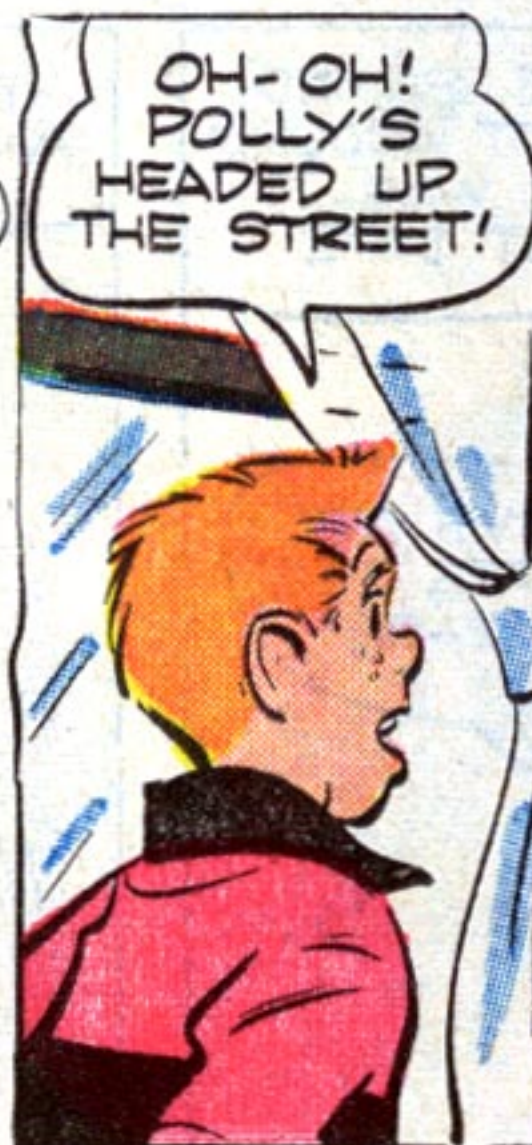
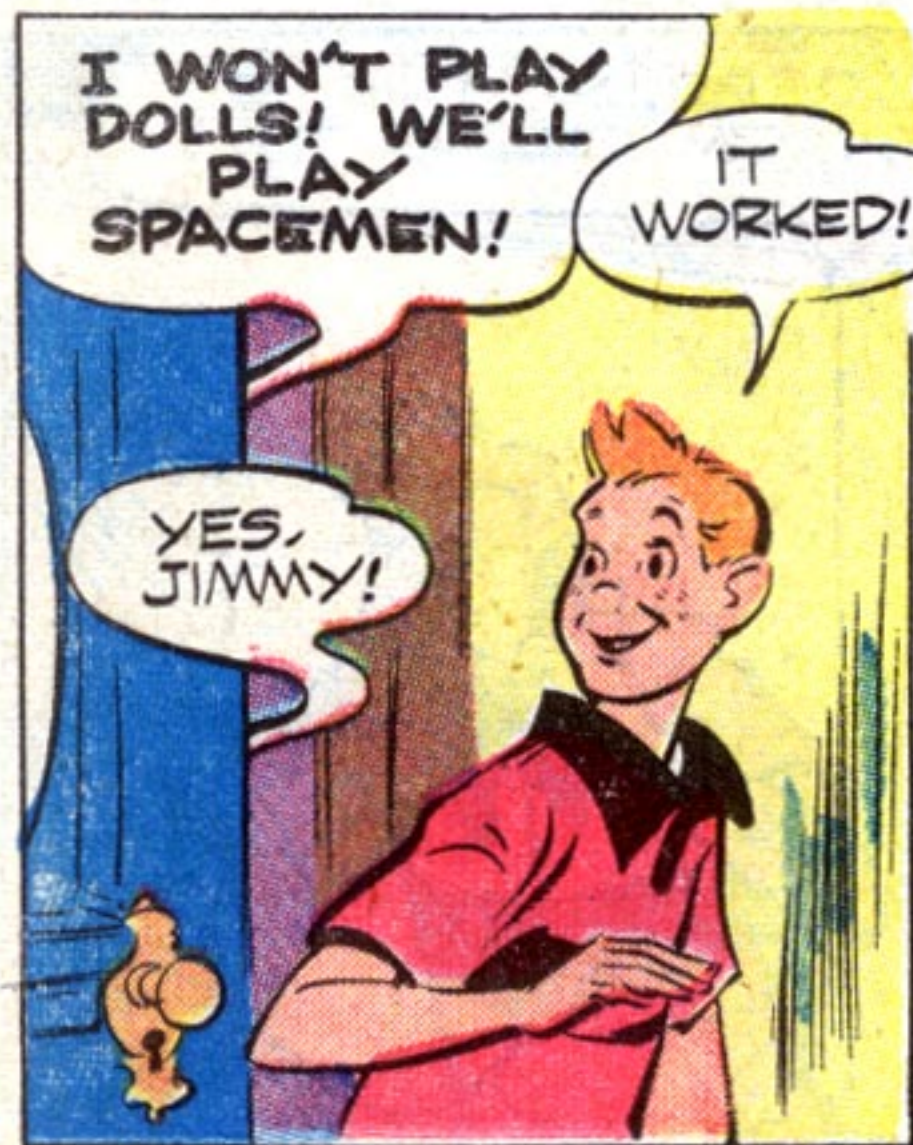
OH HH!  
MY ACHING  
DRUMS!



WELL, ANYWAY, JIMMY APPEARS  
TO HAVE THE SITUATION  
WELL IN HAND!

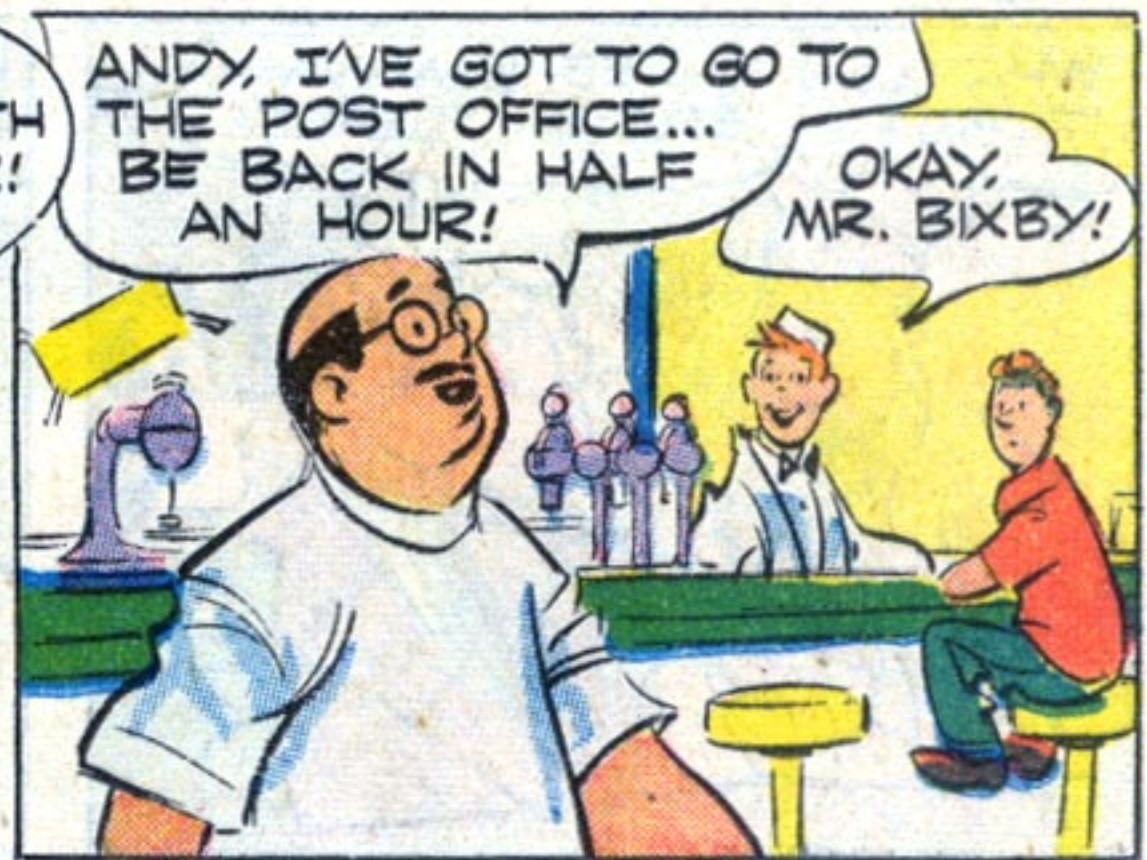




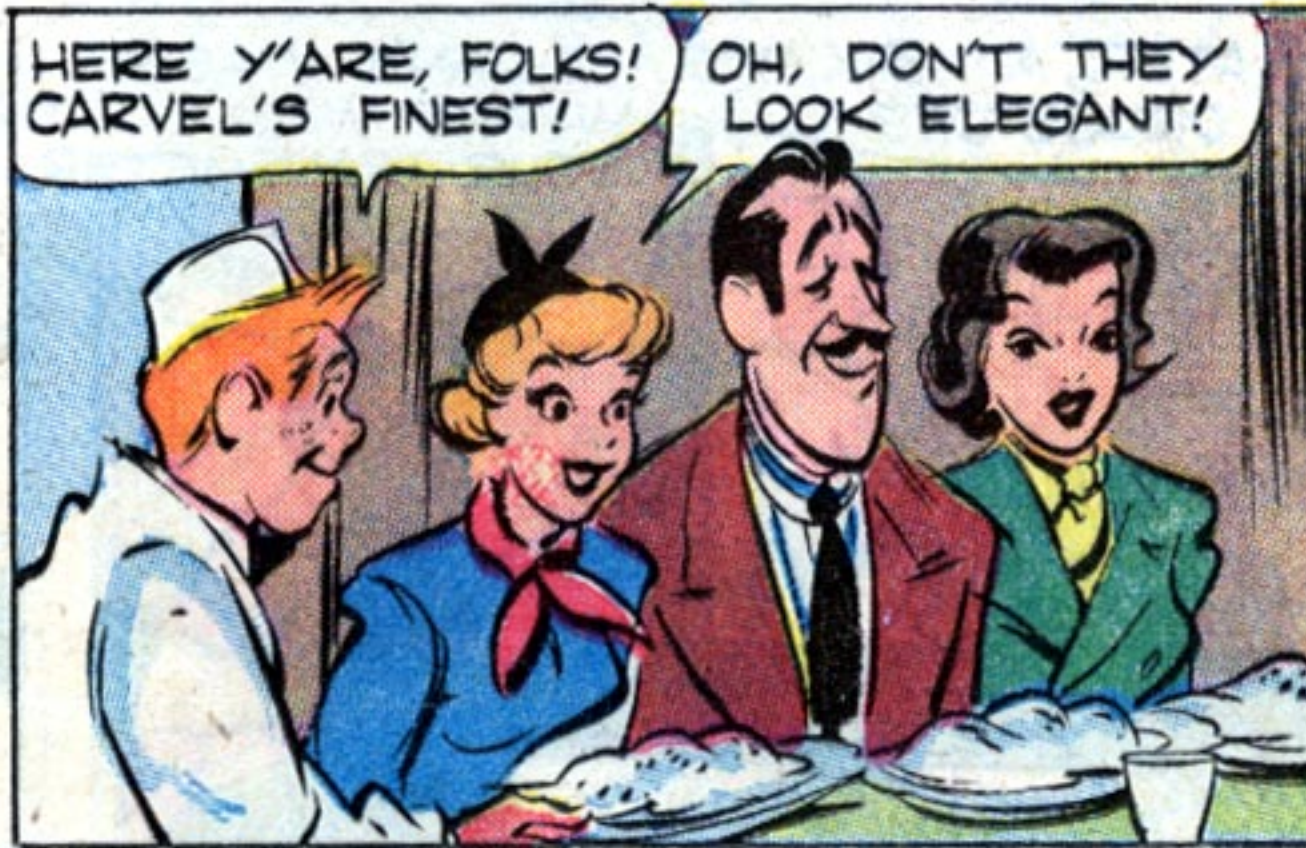
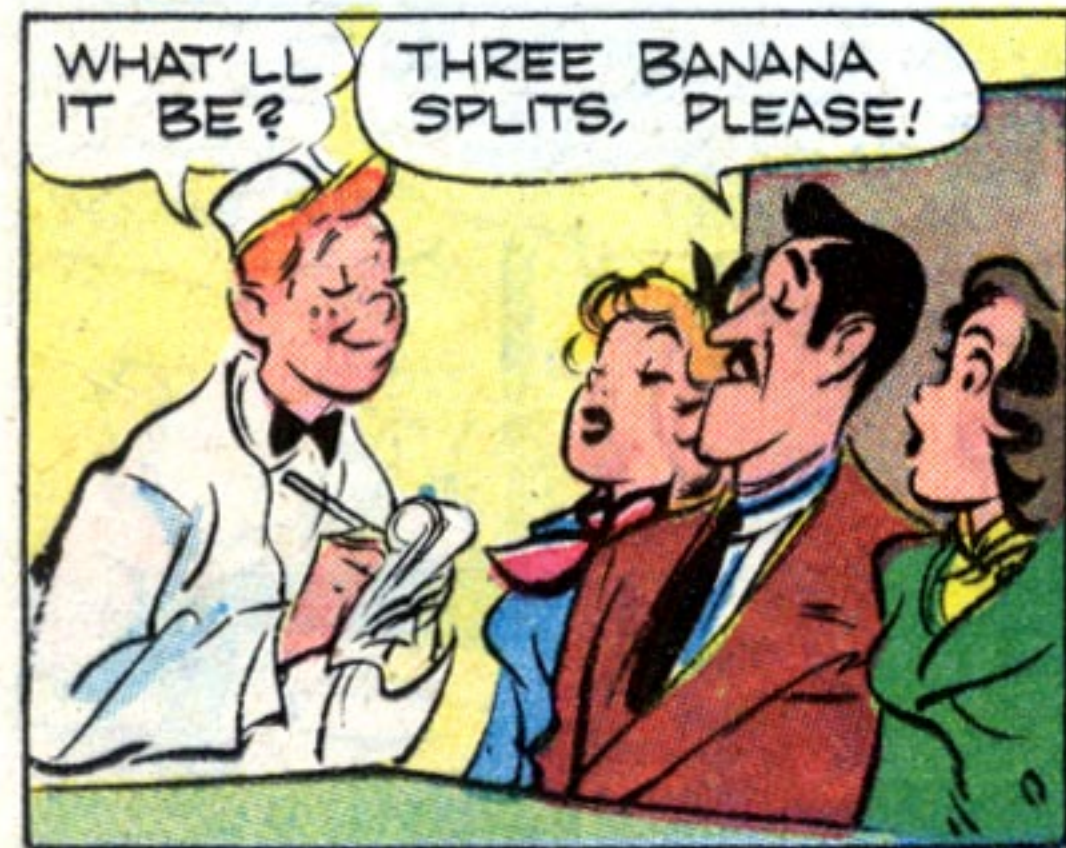
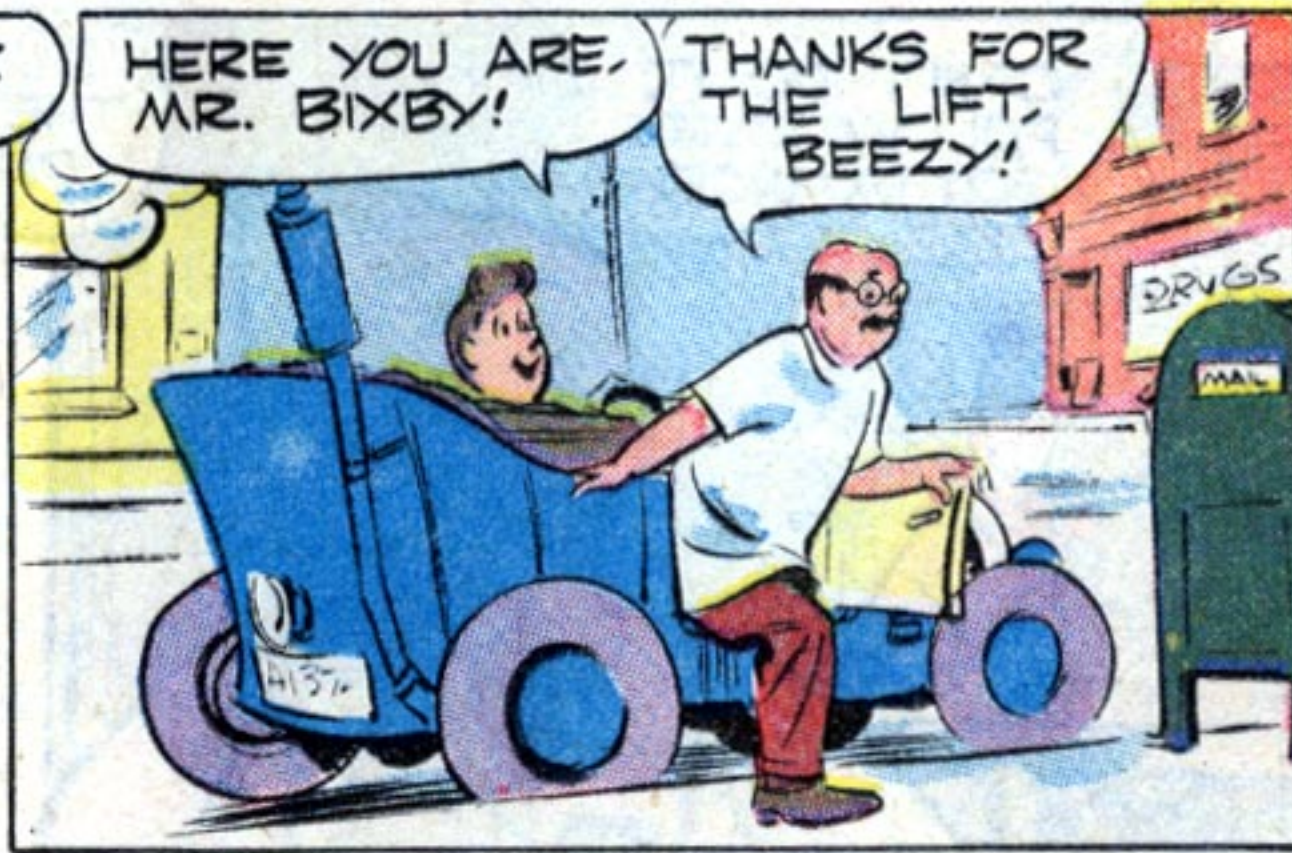
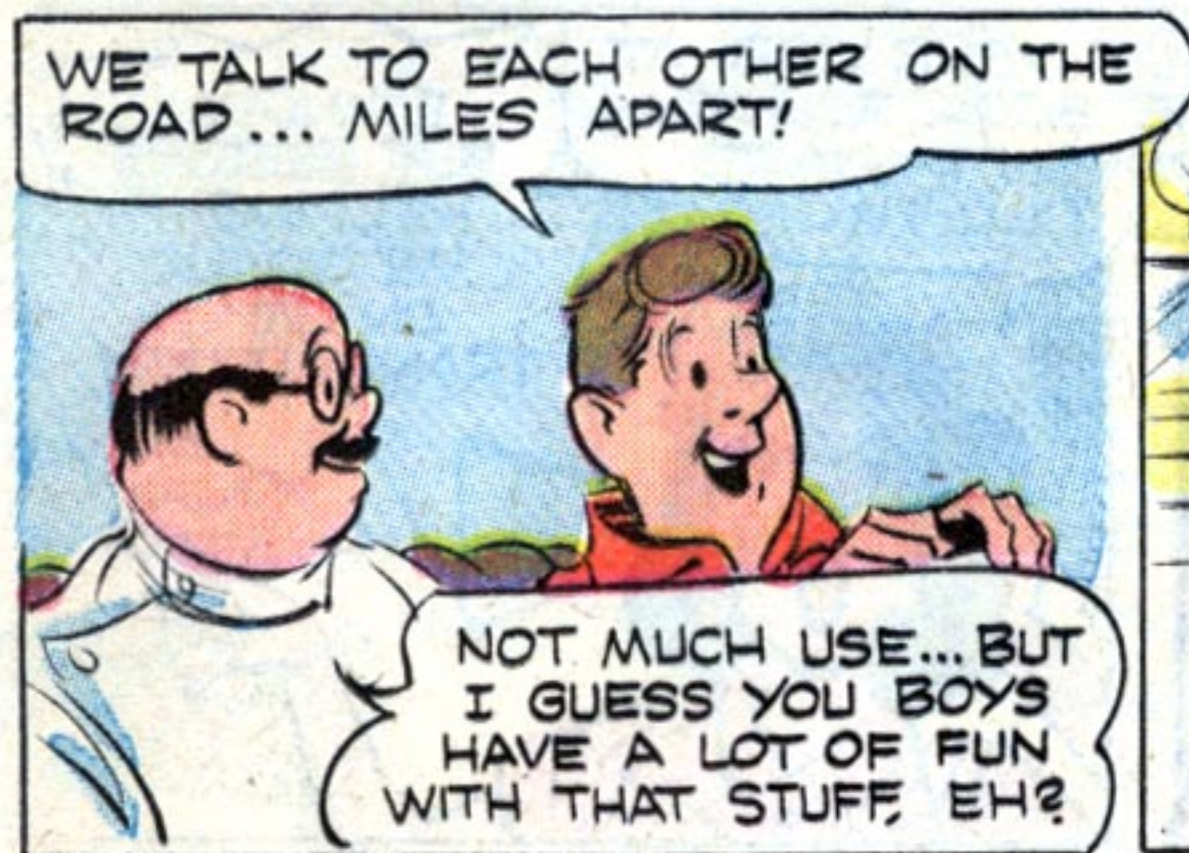
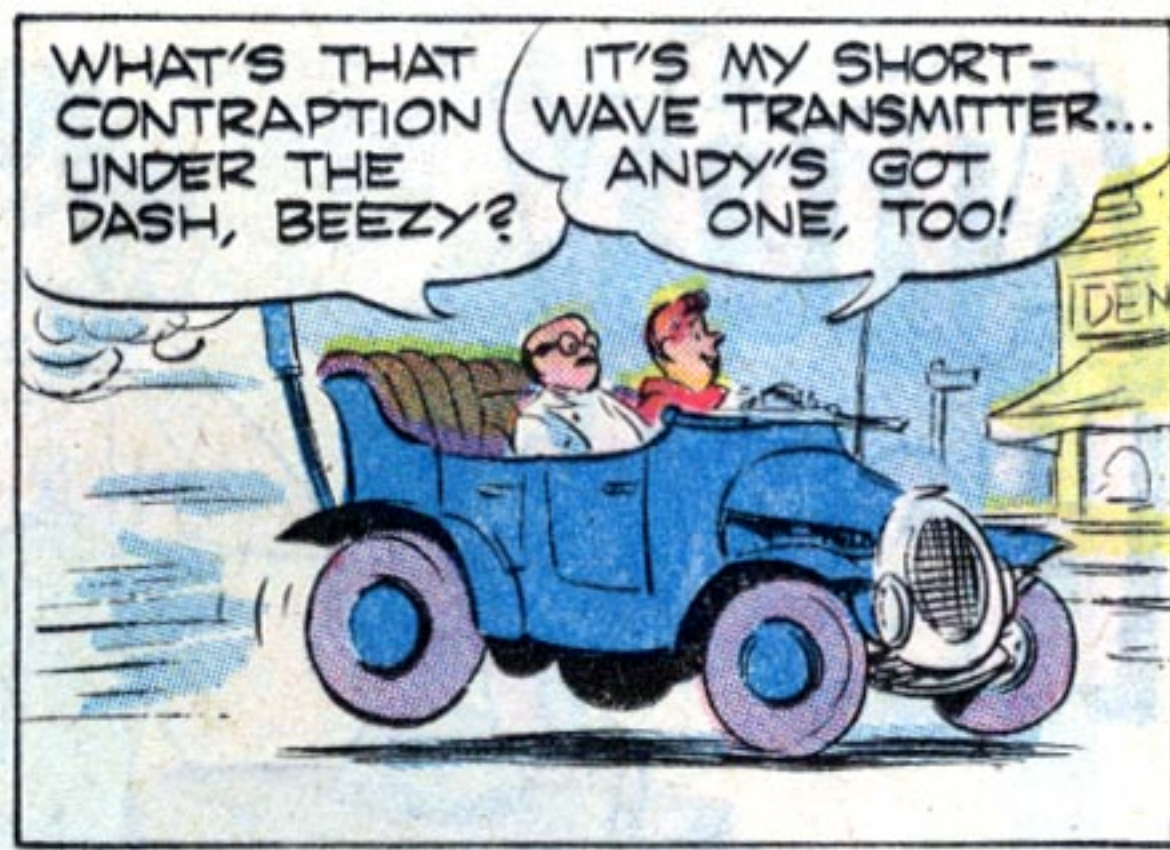




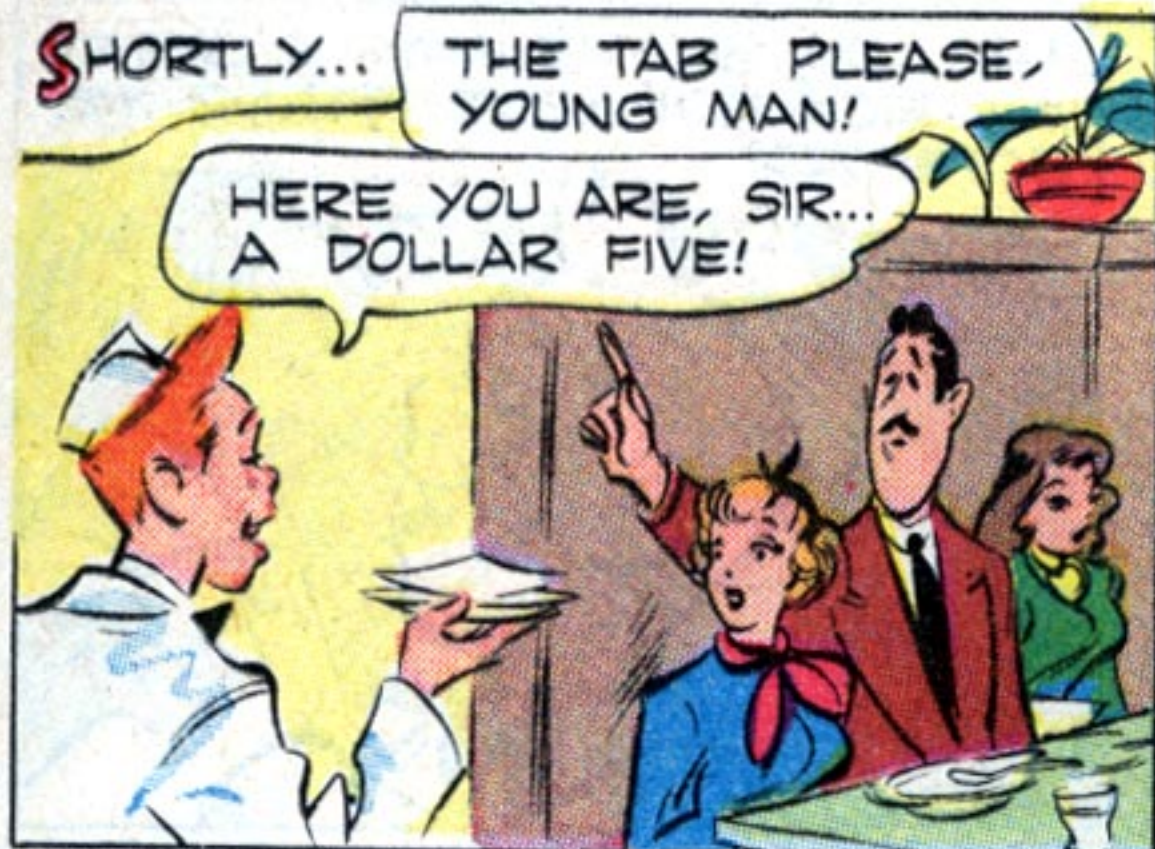
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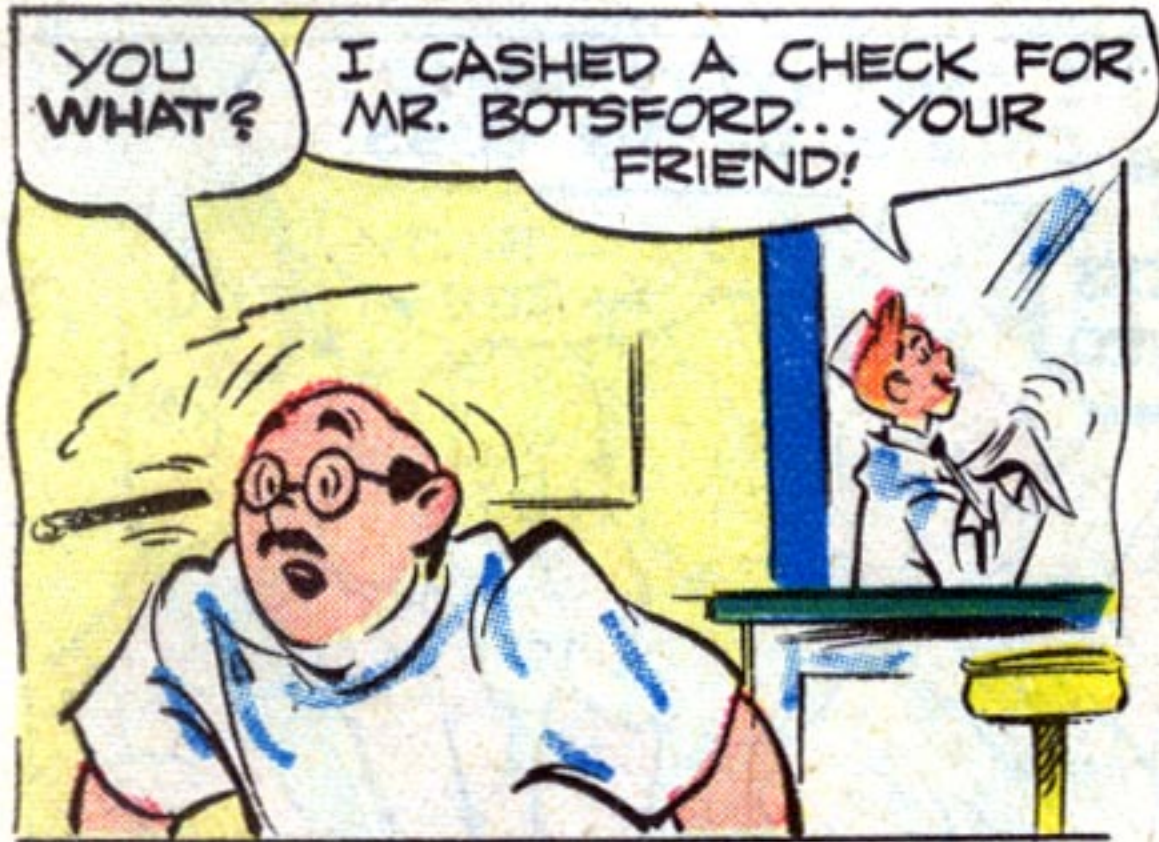


HI, ANDY... ANY BUSINESS?

FAIR, MR. BIXBY... A CHERRY SQUASH AND THREE BANANA SPLITS!

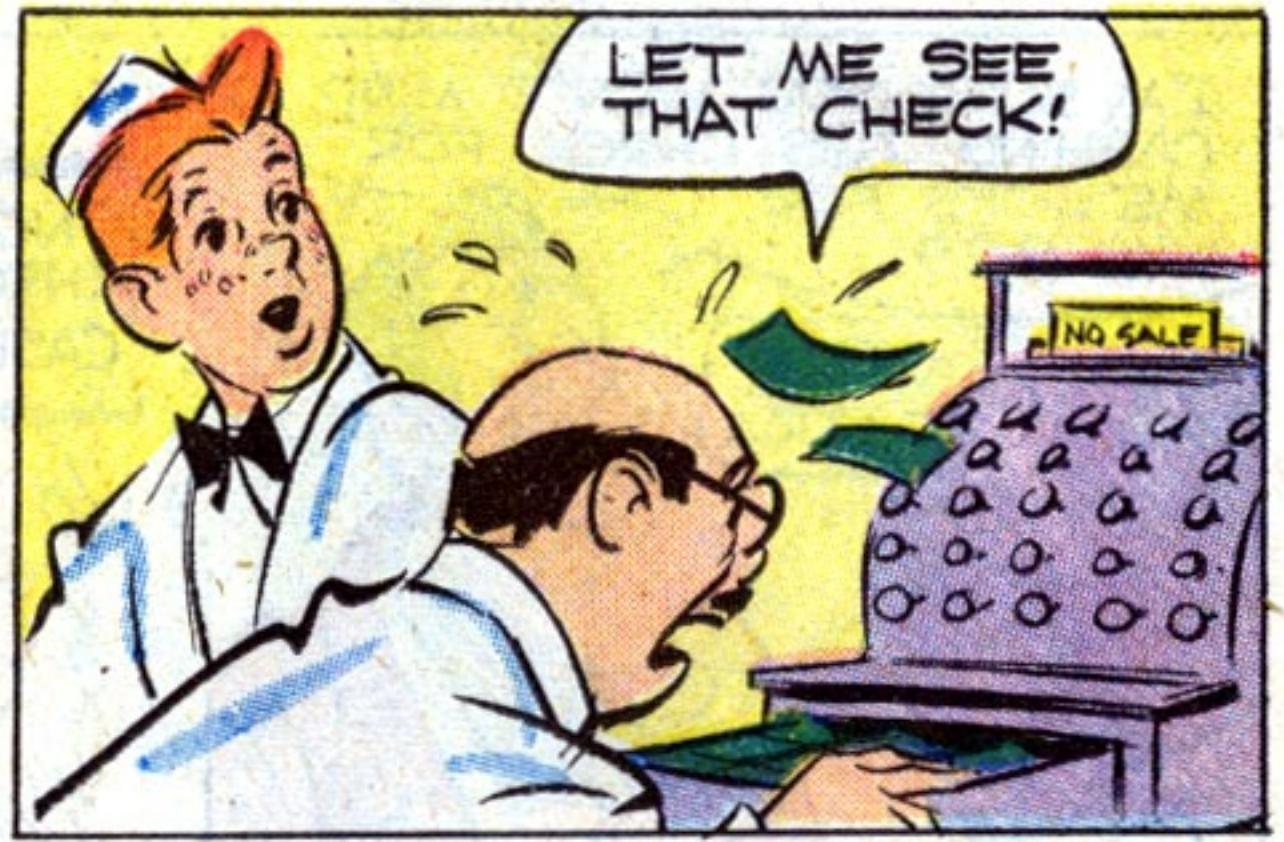


AND... OH, BY THE WAY... I CASHED A CHECK FOR YOUR FRIEND, MR. BOTSFORD!



YOU WHAT?

I CASHED A CHECK FOR MR. BOTSFORD... YOUR FRIEND!



LET ME SEE THAT CHECK!

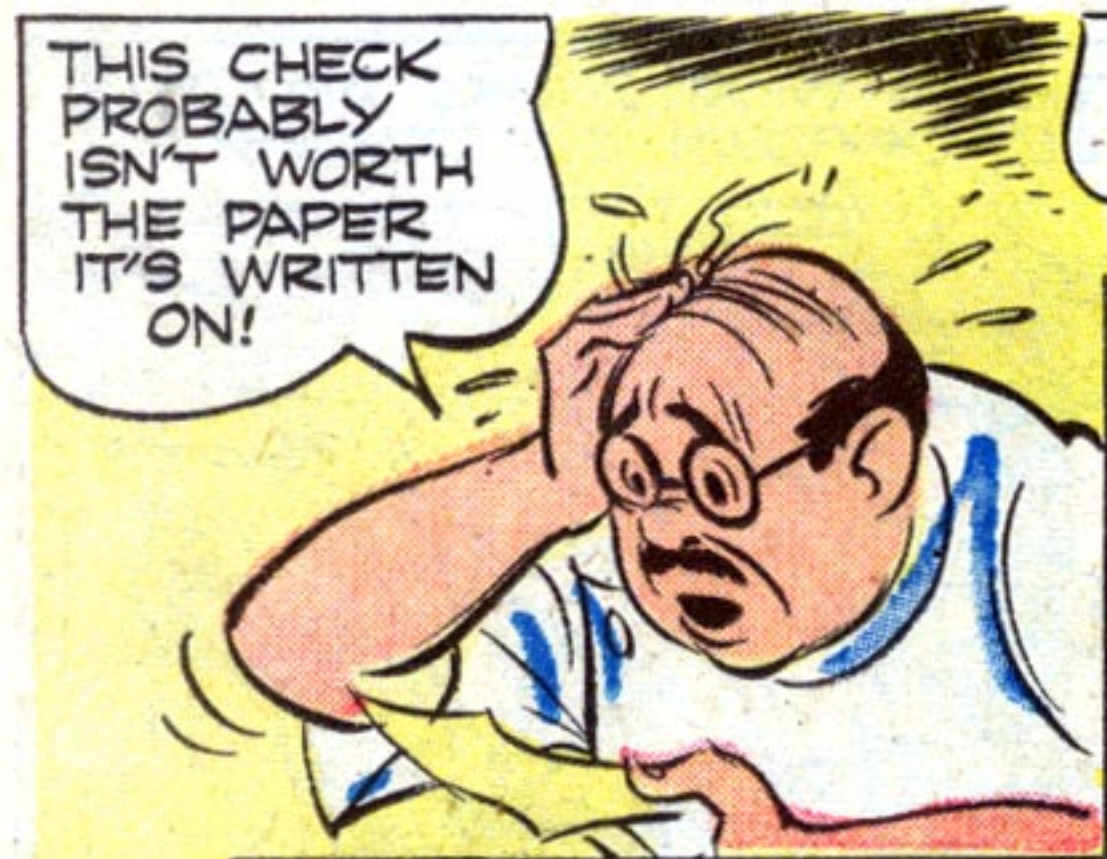


SEE... THERE'S HIS NAME RIGHT THERE... AMOS J. BOTSFORD!



BUT I'VE NEVER KNOWN ANYBODY IN MY LIFE NAMED BOTSFORD!

NOW DON'T GET EXCITED, MR. BIXBY!



THIS CHECK PROBABLY ISN'T WORTH THE PAPER IT'S WRITTEN ON!

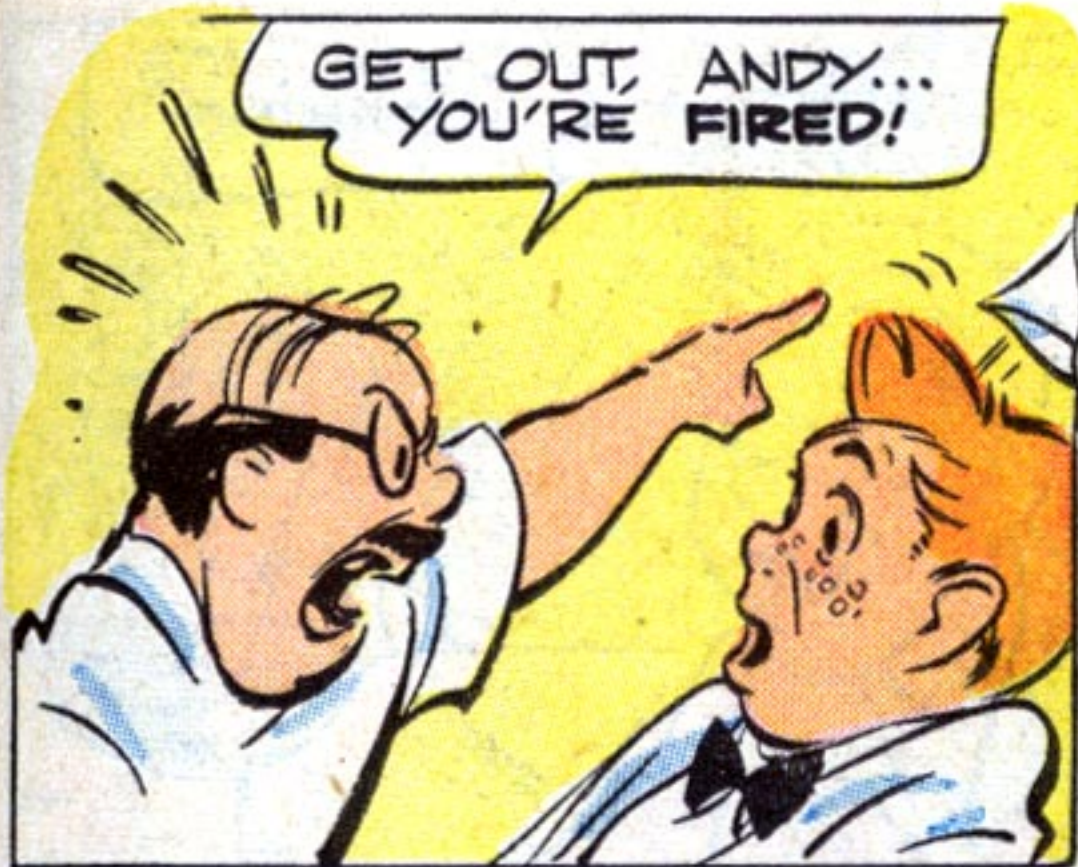


ANDY HARDY! I'VE TOLD YOU... WE DON'T CASH CHECKS!

BUT HE SEEMED LIKE SUCH A NICE FELLOW!



GET OUT, ANDY...  
YOU'RE FIRED!



HELLO, OPERATOR!  
I WANT TO TALK  
WITH CHIEF BRADY!



YES, CHIEF... AND  
IT'S SIGNED  
AMOS J.  
BOTSFORD...

HOLD ON!  
I'LL CHECK  
MY  
FILES!



BIXBY, I'M AFRAID YOU'VE  
BEEN "TAKEN" BY  
"PENMAN PARKER"...  
HE'S A SLICK ONE,  
I'LL TELL YOU!



WELL... YOU'RE GOING TO  
APPREHEND HIM, AREN'T YOU?



HE'S PROBABLY MILES  
FROM HERE BY NOW!  
I'LL START PHONING  
THE NEARBY TOWNS,  
BUT...

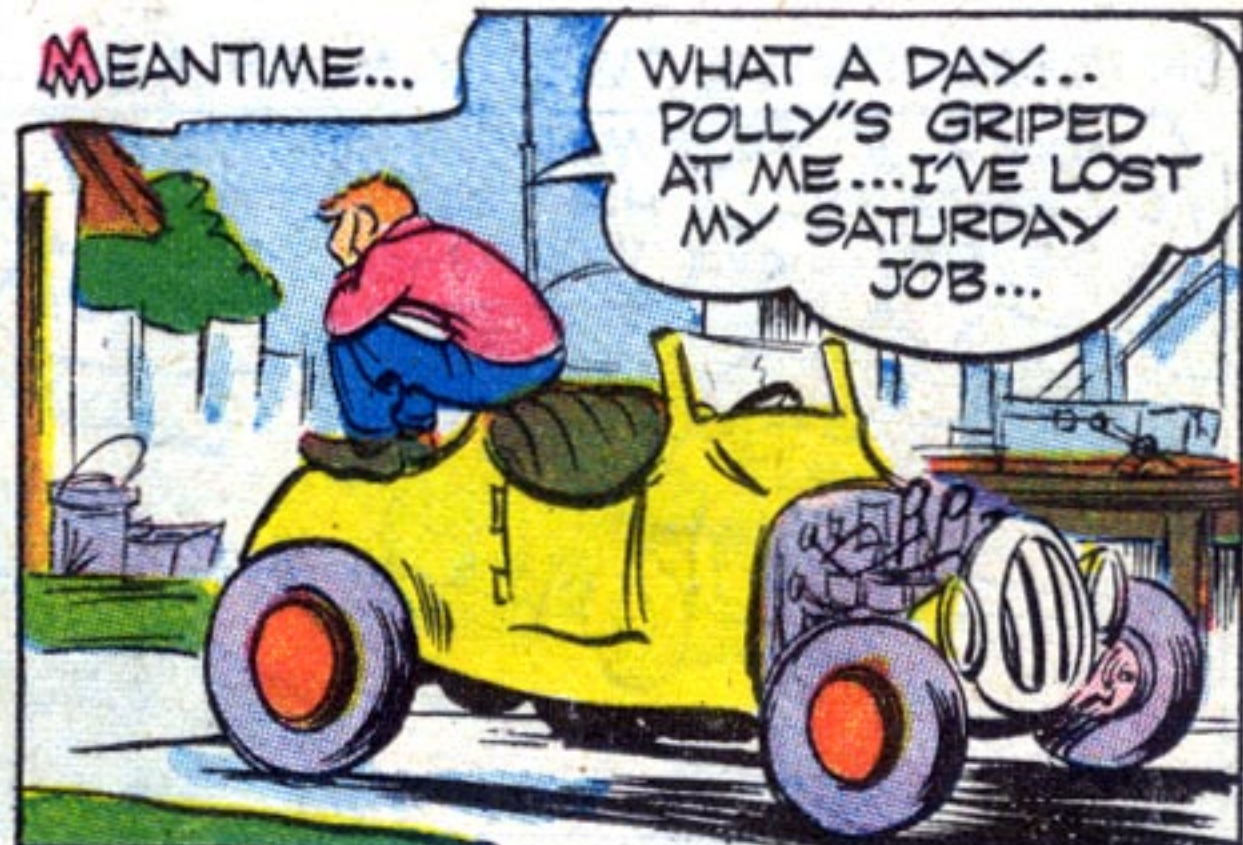


PHONING, BAH! OUR POLICE  
DEPARTMENT SHOULD HAVE  
TWO-WAY RADIO CARS LIKE  
IN THE BIG  
CITIES!

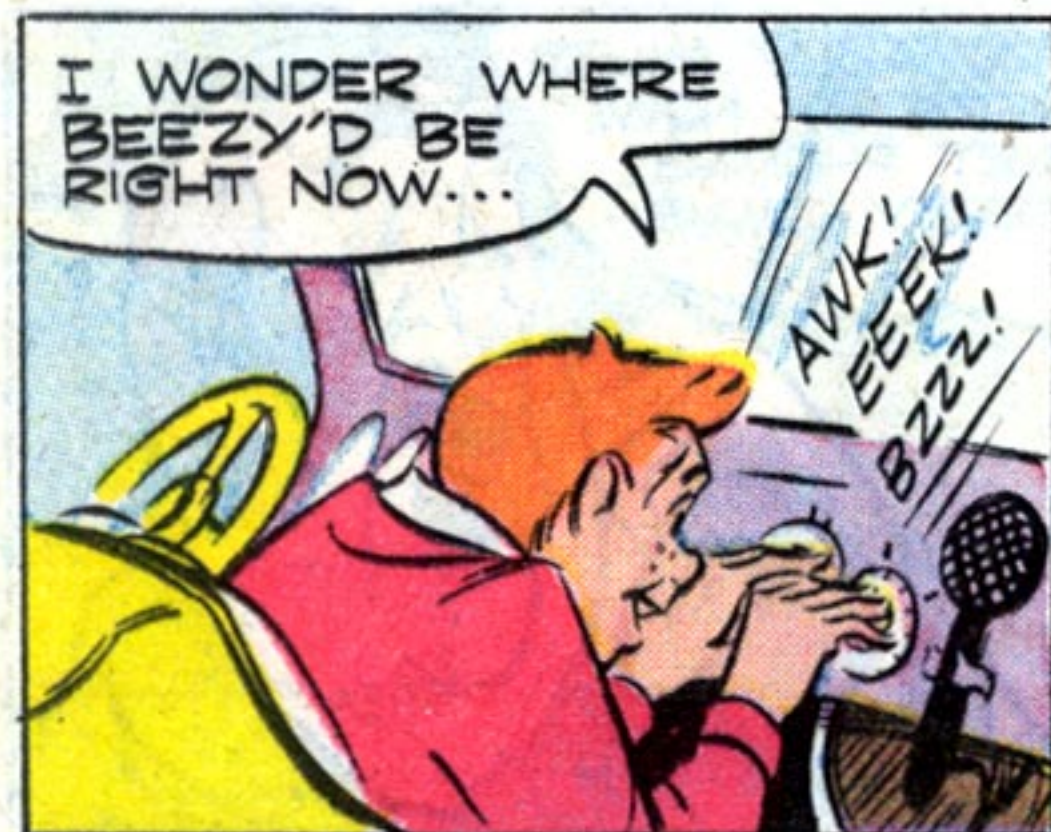
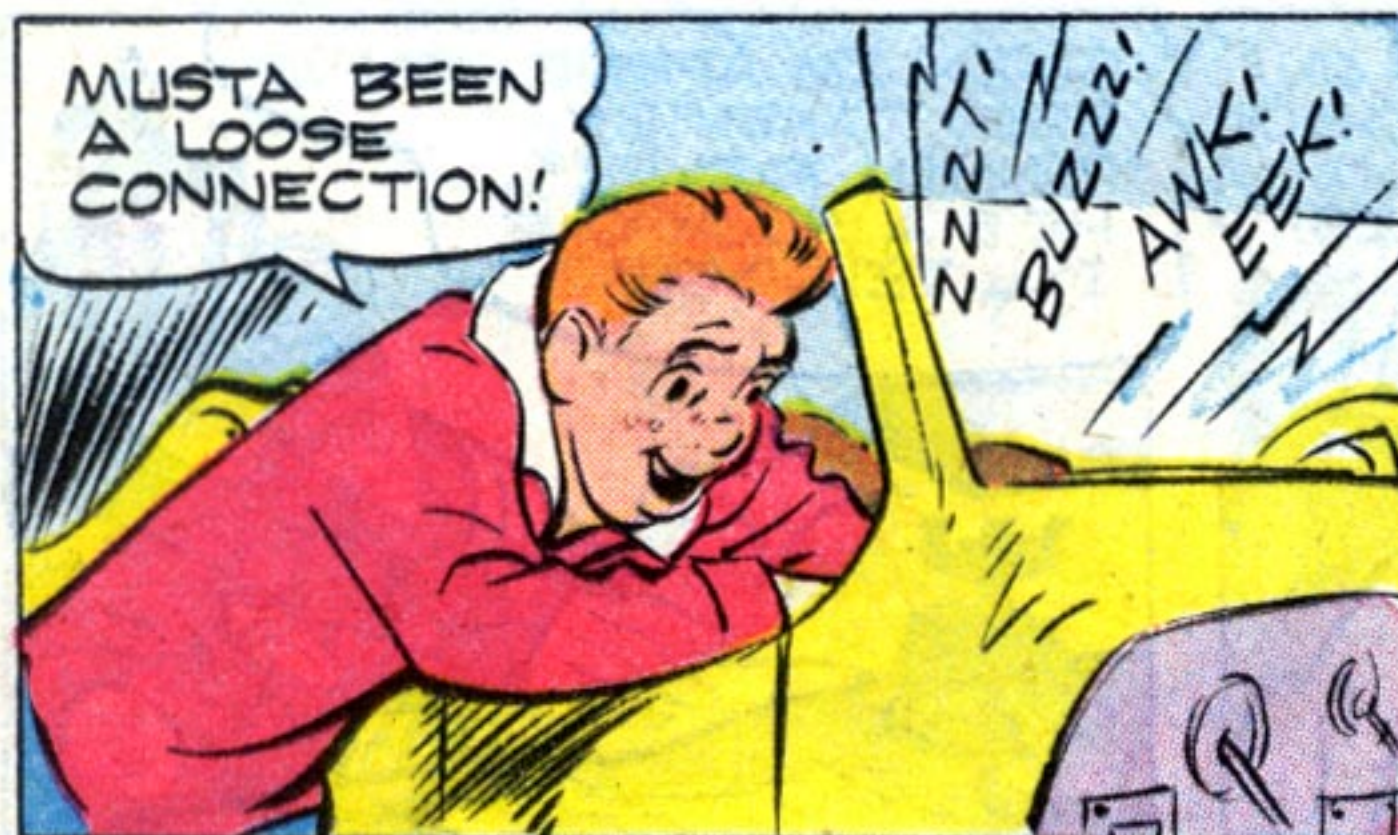
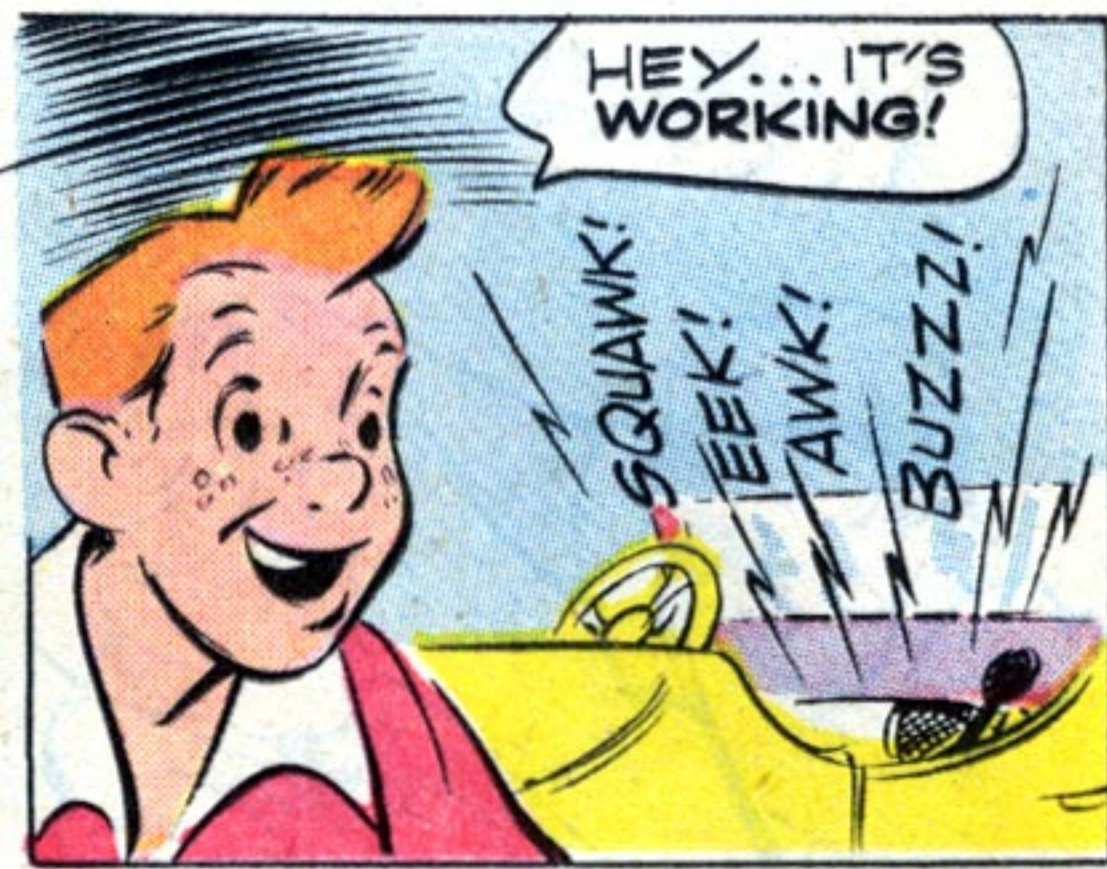
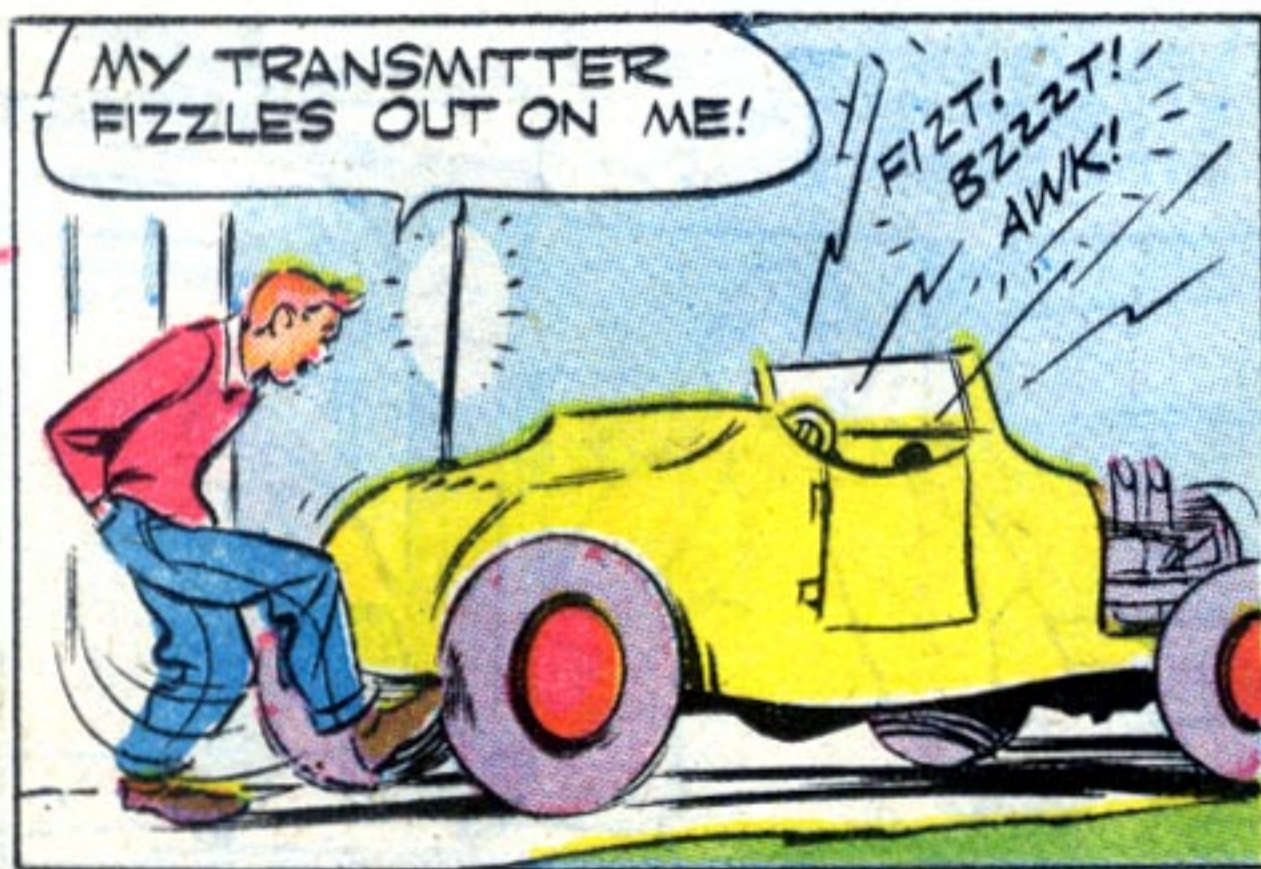


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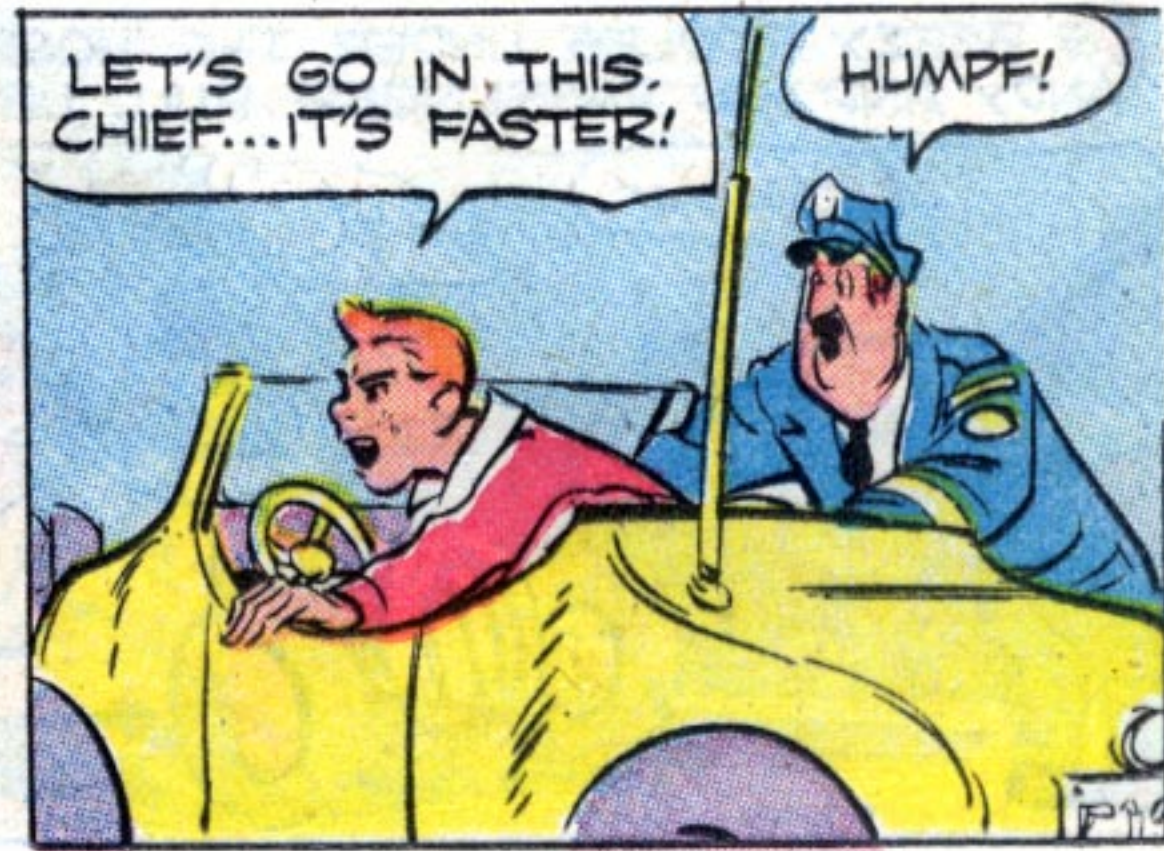
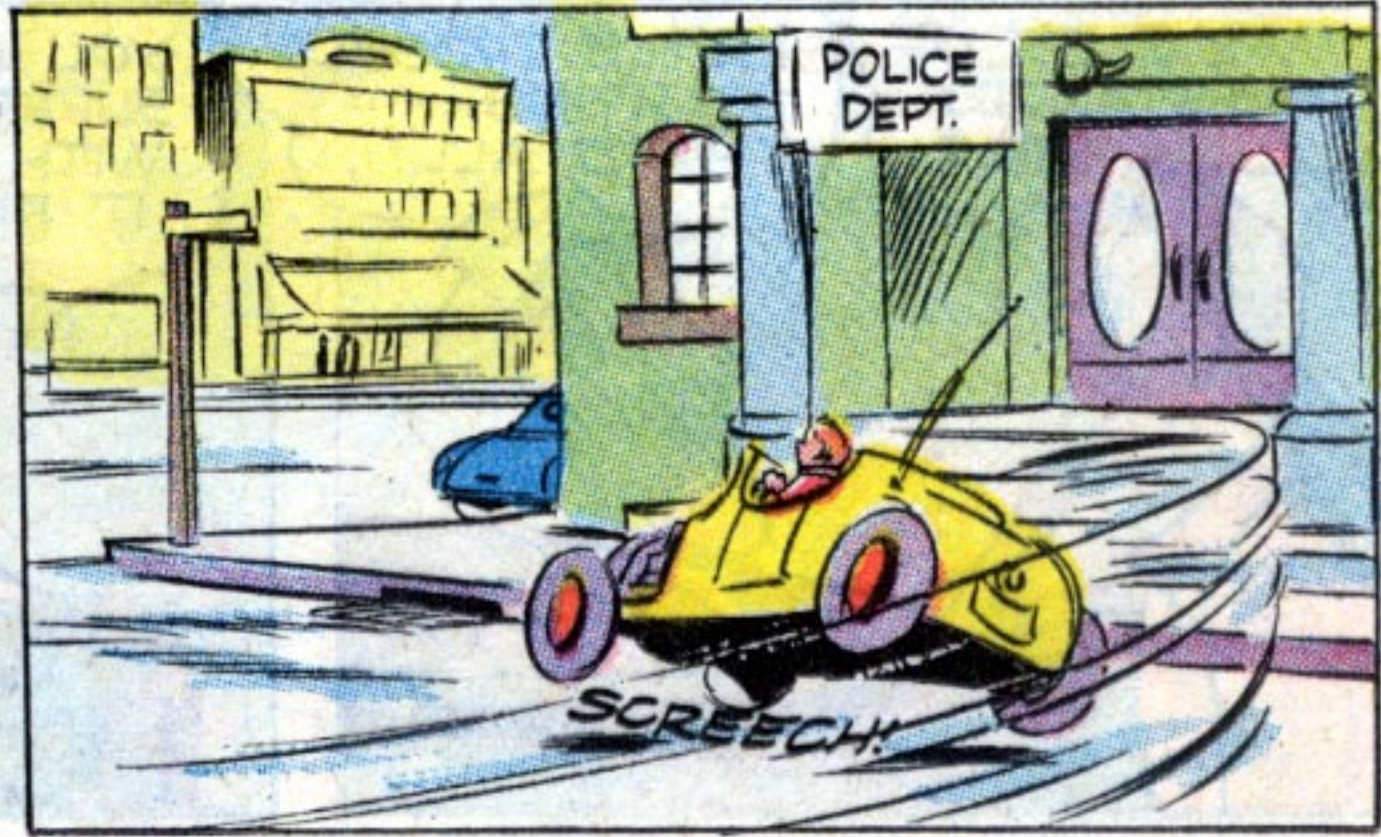
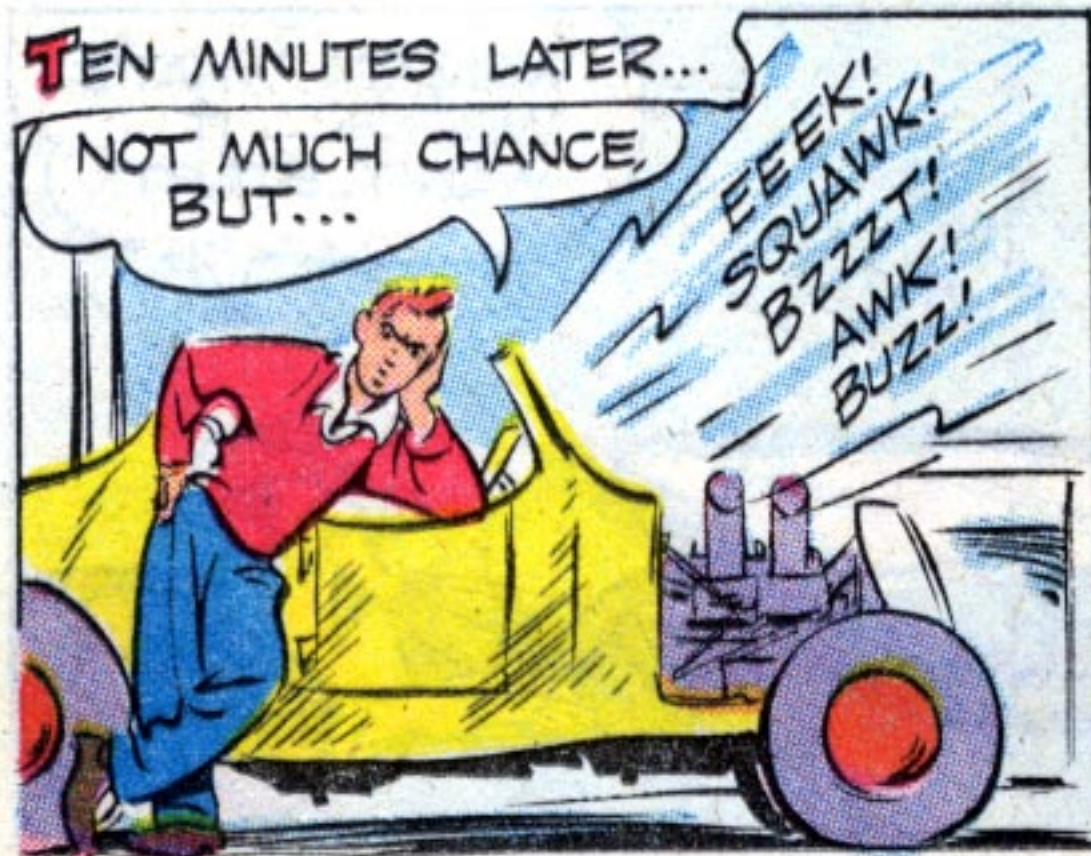
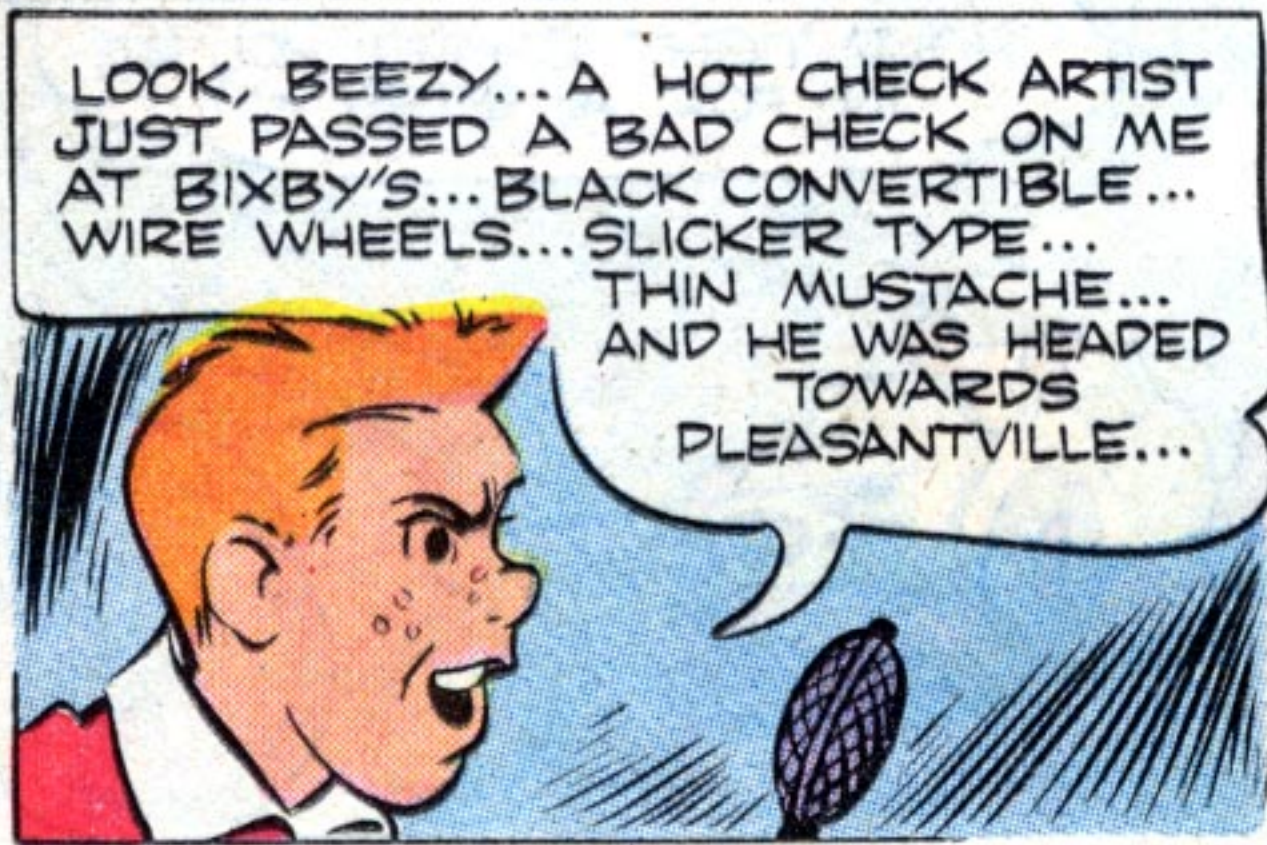
WHAT A DAY...  
POLLY'S GRIPED  
AT ME... I'VE LOST  
MY SATURDAY  
JOB...



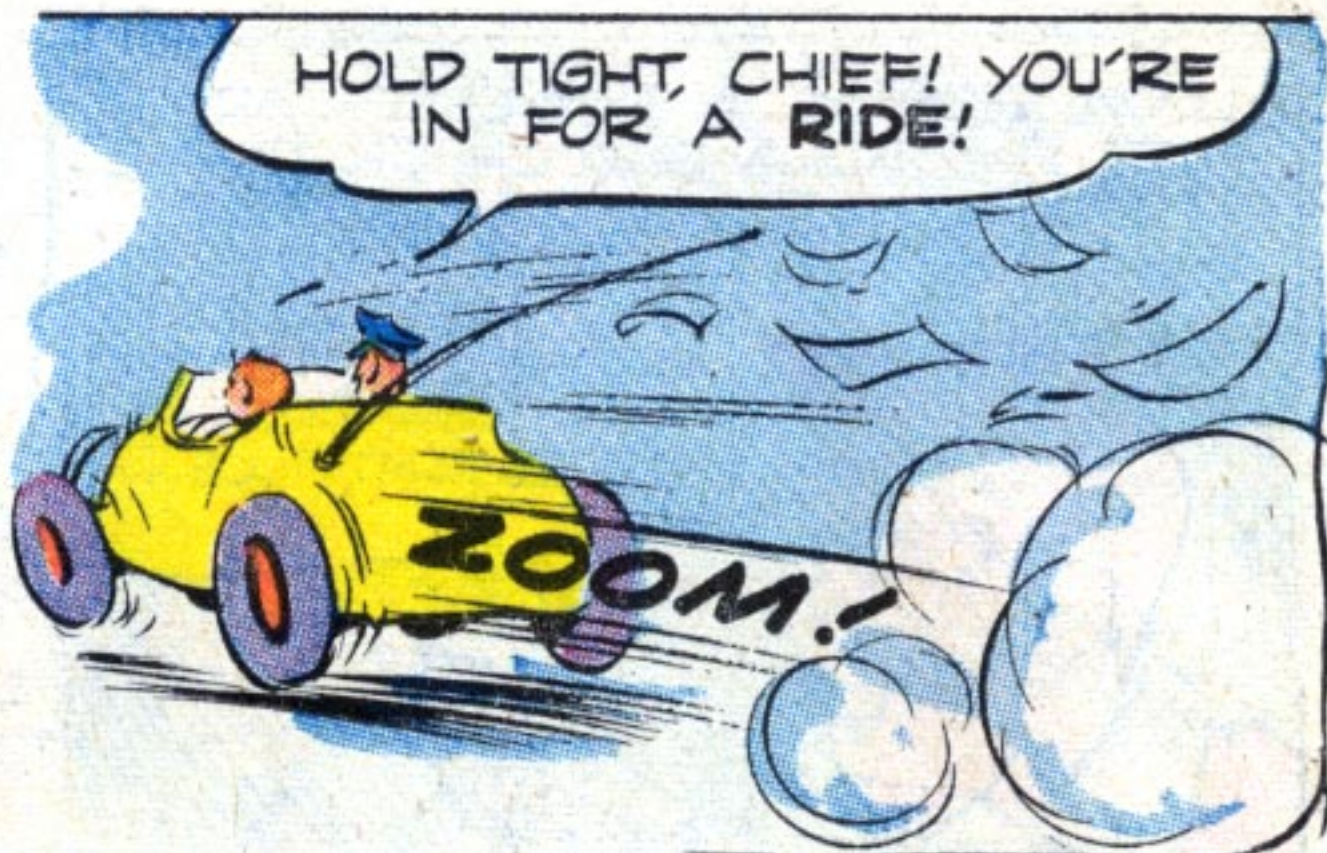
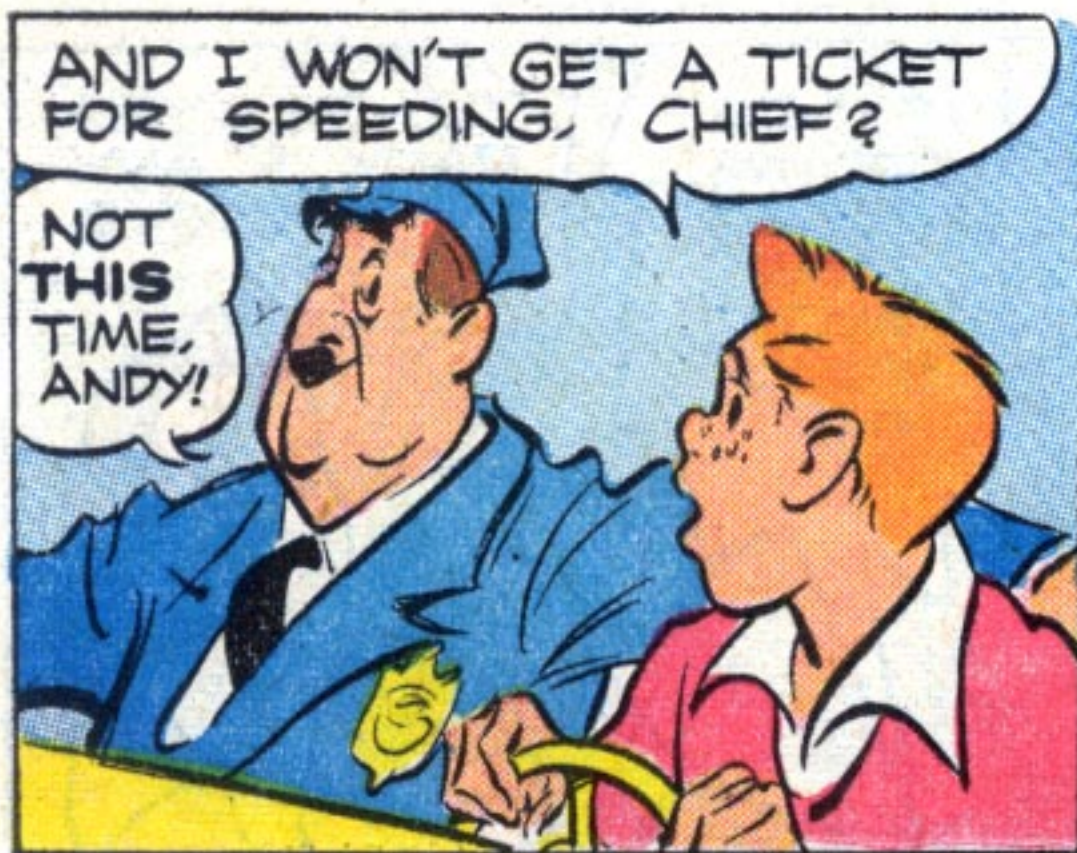




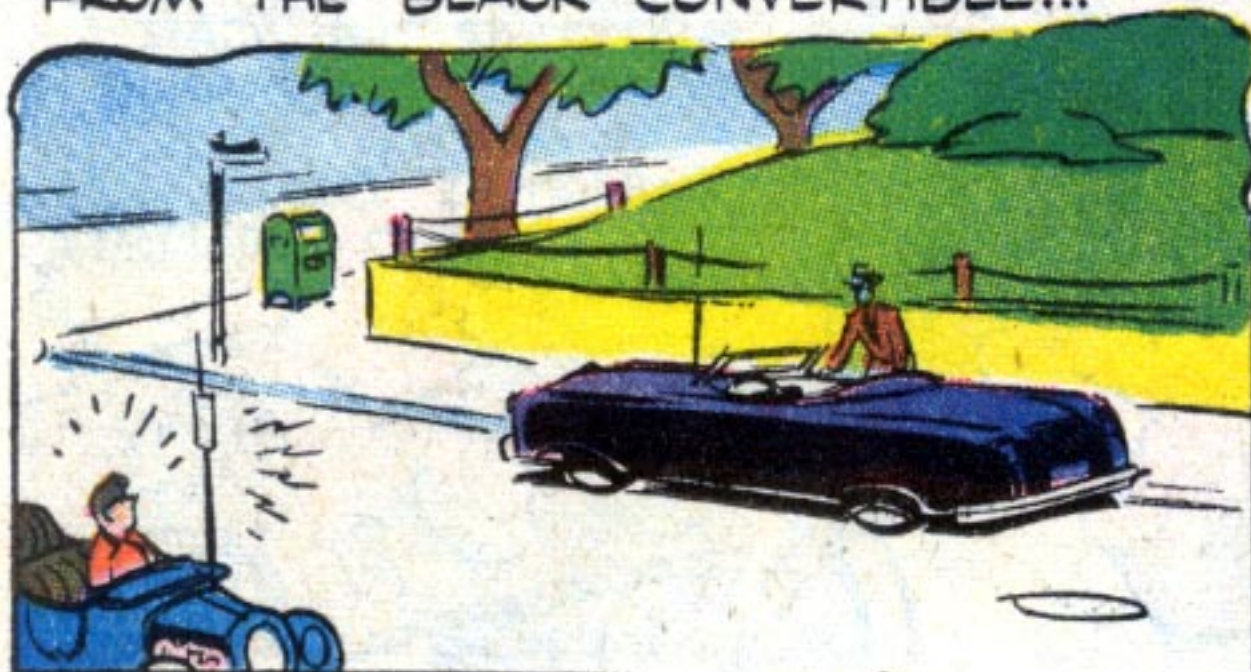




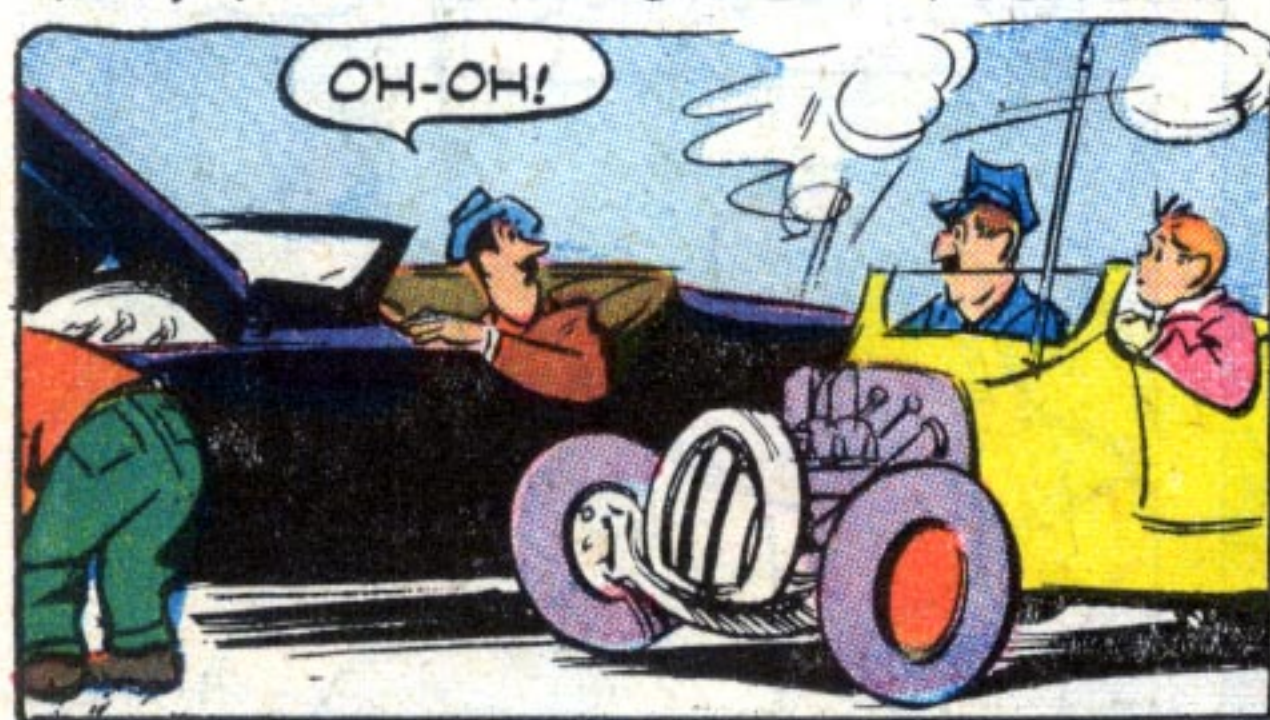




IN PLEASANTVILLE, BEEZY HAS BEEN PARKED VIGILANTLY ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE BLACK CONVERTIBLE...



AS BEEZY FIDDLES UNDER THE HOOD, ANDY AND HIS PASSENGER PULL UP...





YOU'RE GOING TO BE ON  
YOUR WAY TO JAIL,  
"PENMAN PARKER"!

THAT'S  
THE GUY,  
CHIEF!

RIDICULOUS! MY  
NAME IS AMOS J.  
BOTSFORD AND  
I CAN PROVE  
IT!

THIS CARD AND PHOTO  
PROVE YOU ALSO ARE  
"PENMAN PARKER,"  
WANTED IN FOURTEEN  
STATES FOR FORGERY  
AND BAD CHECKS!

GOOD WORK, BOYS... IF THERE  
IS A REWARD, I'LL SEE  
THAT YOU GET IT!

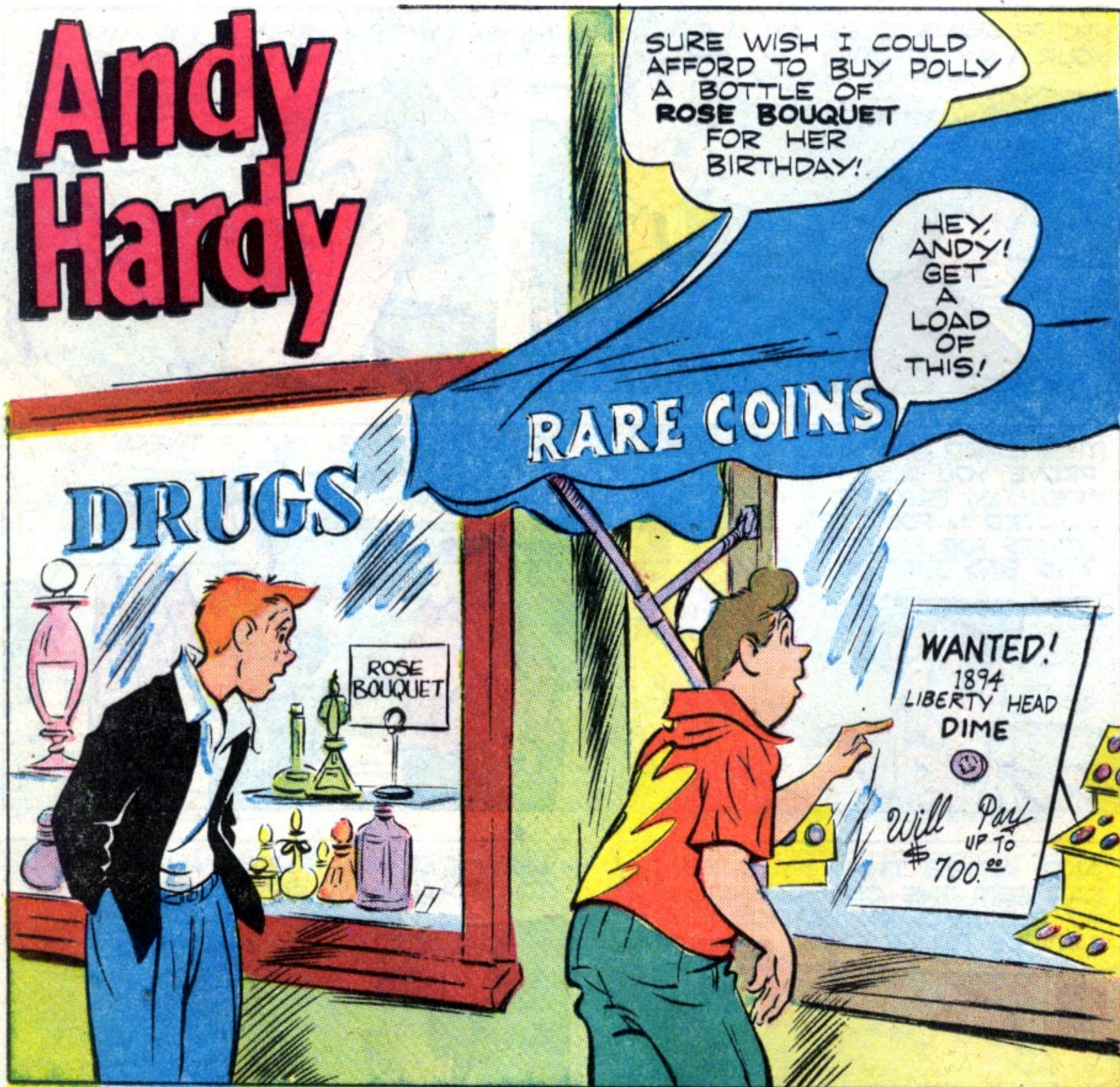
AND AFTER THIS, I'M SURE I  
CAN GET THE CITY COUNCIL  
TO PUT TWO-WAY RADIOS IN  
CARVEL'S POLICE CARS!

HOW DID YOU EVER MANAGE  
TO STALL HIM SO LONG?

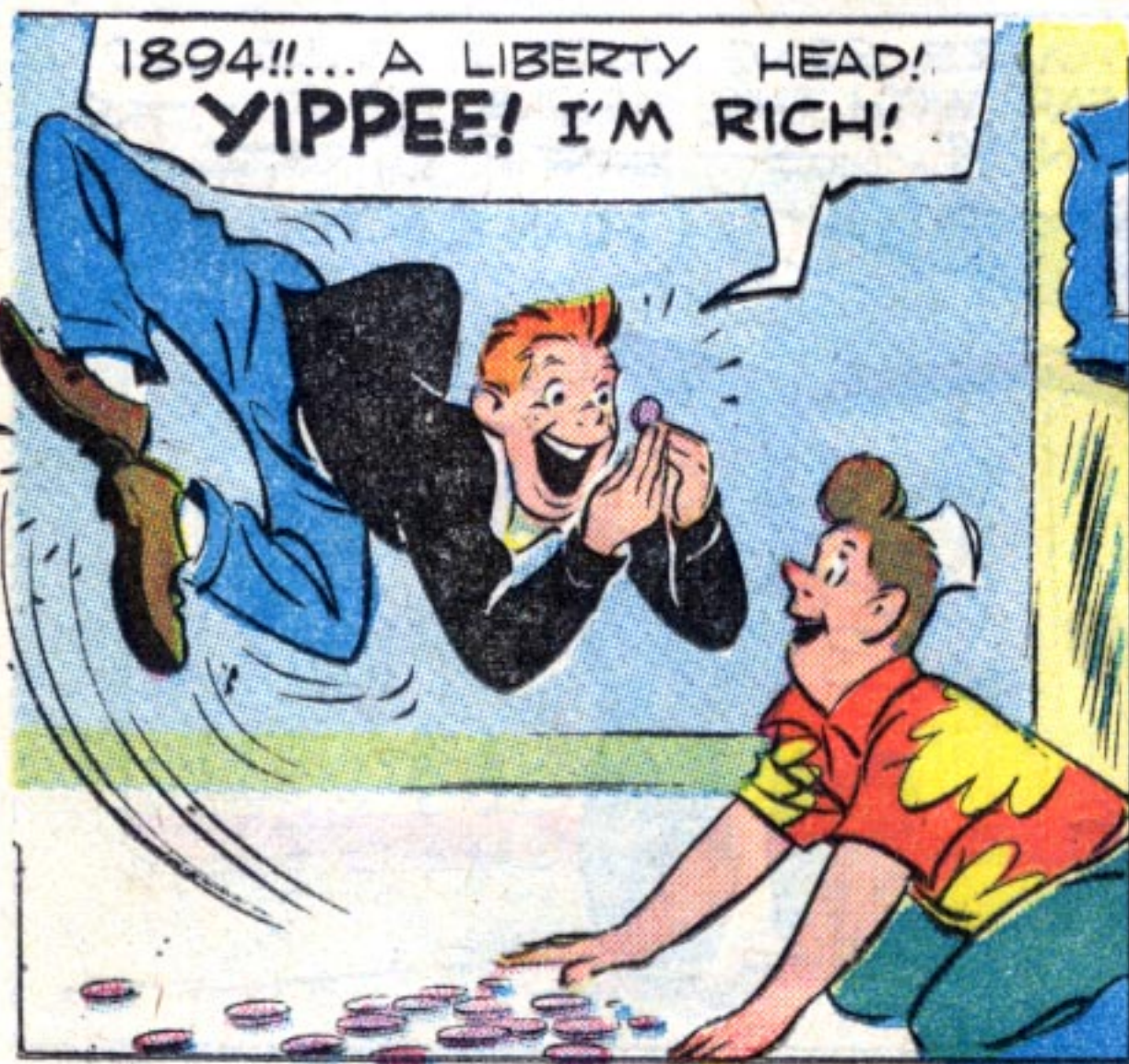
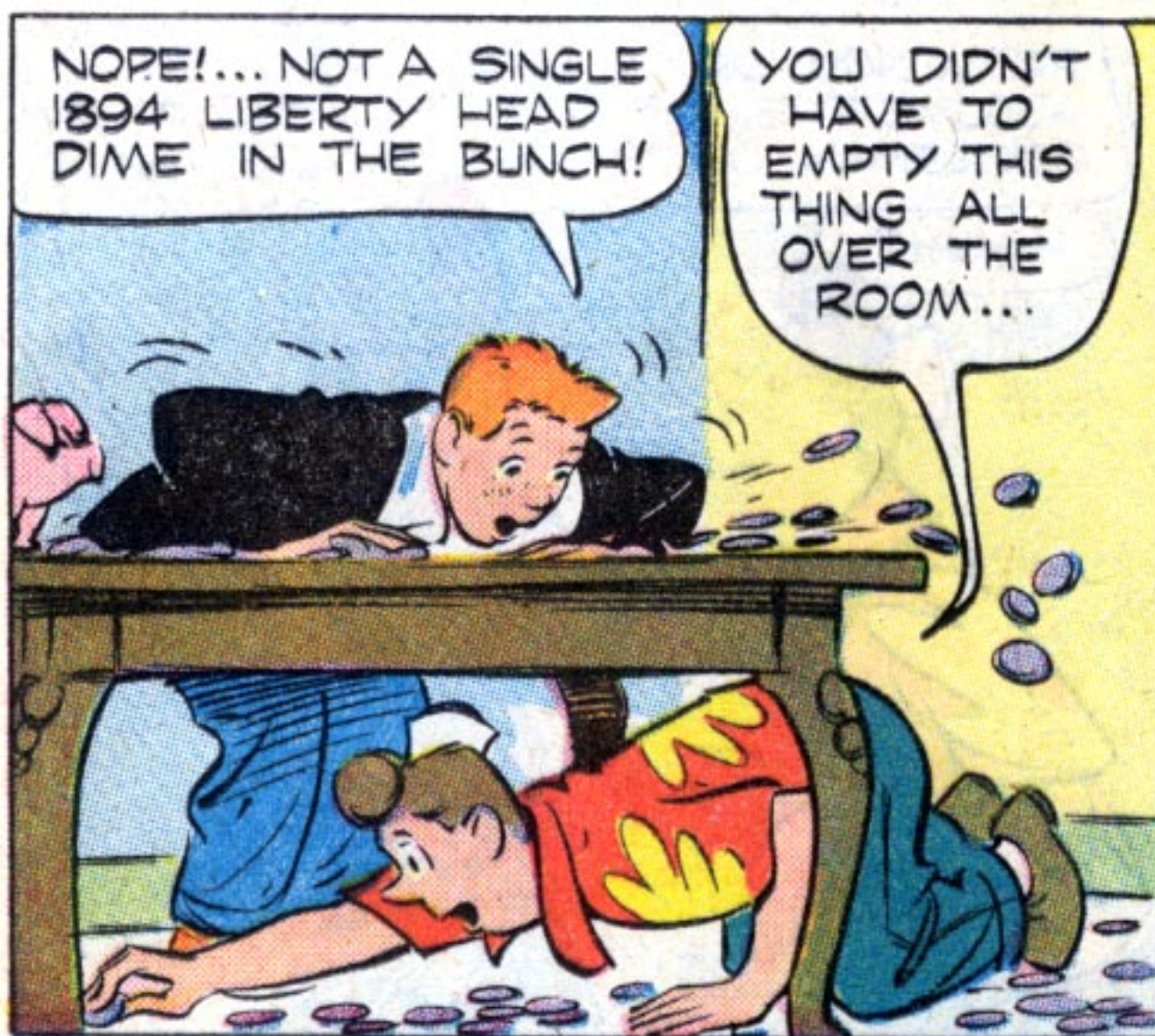
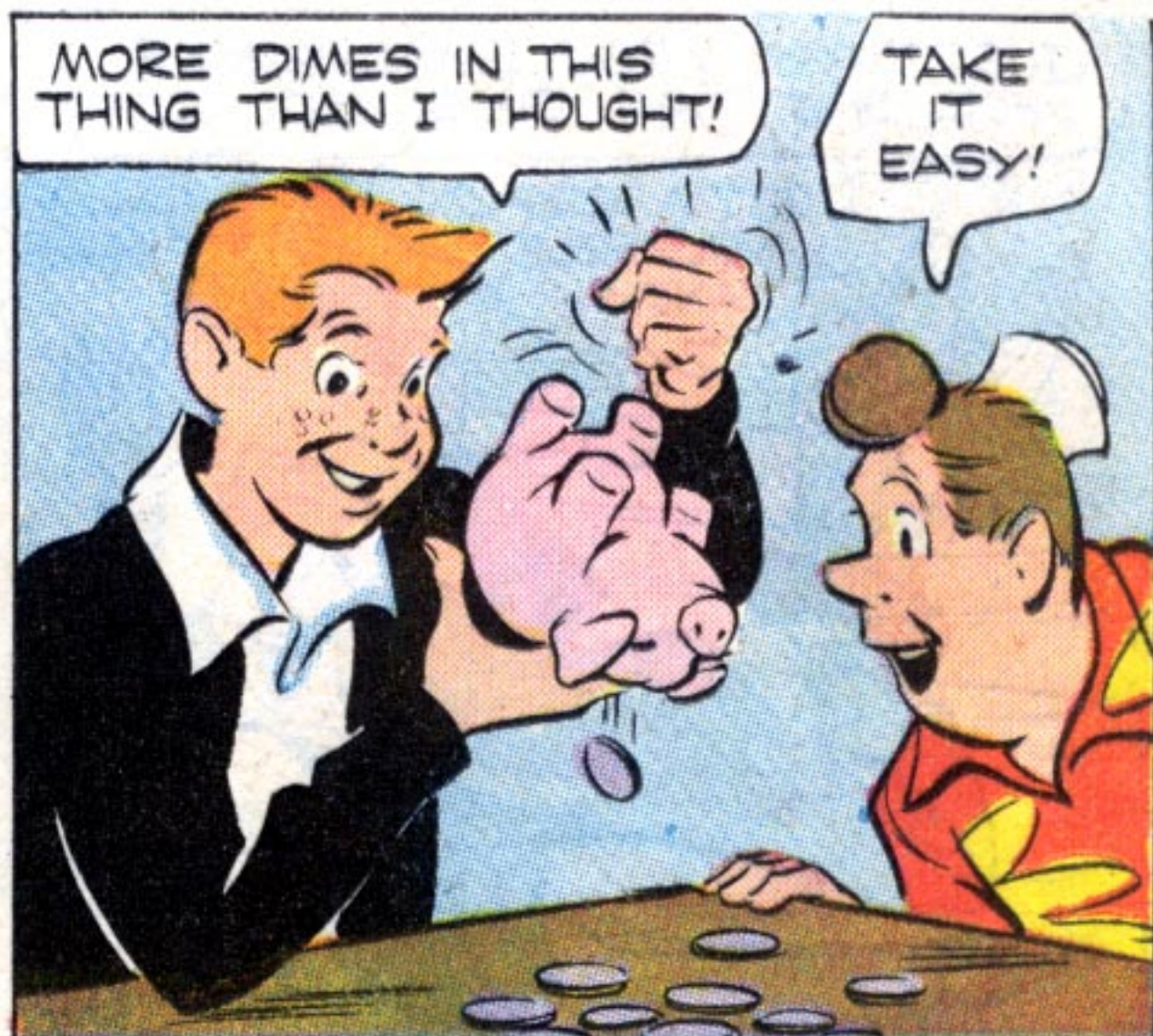
WELL, IF A CARBURETOR  
CAN BE FIXED... IT  
CAN ALSO BE FOULED  
UP... CAN'T IT?



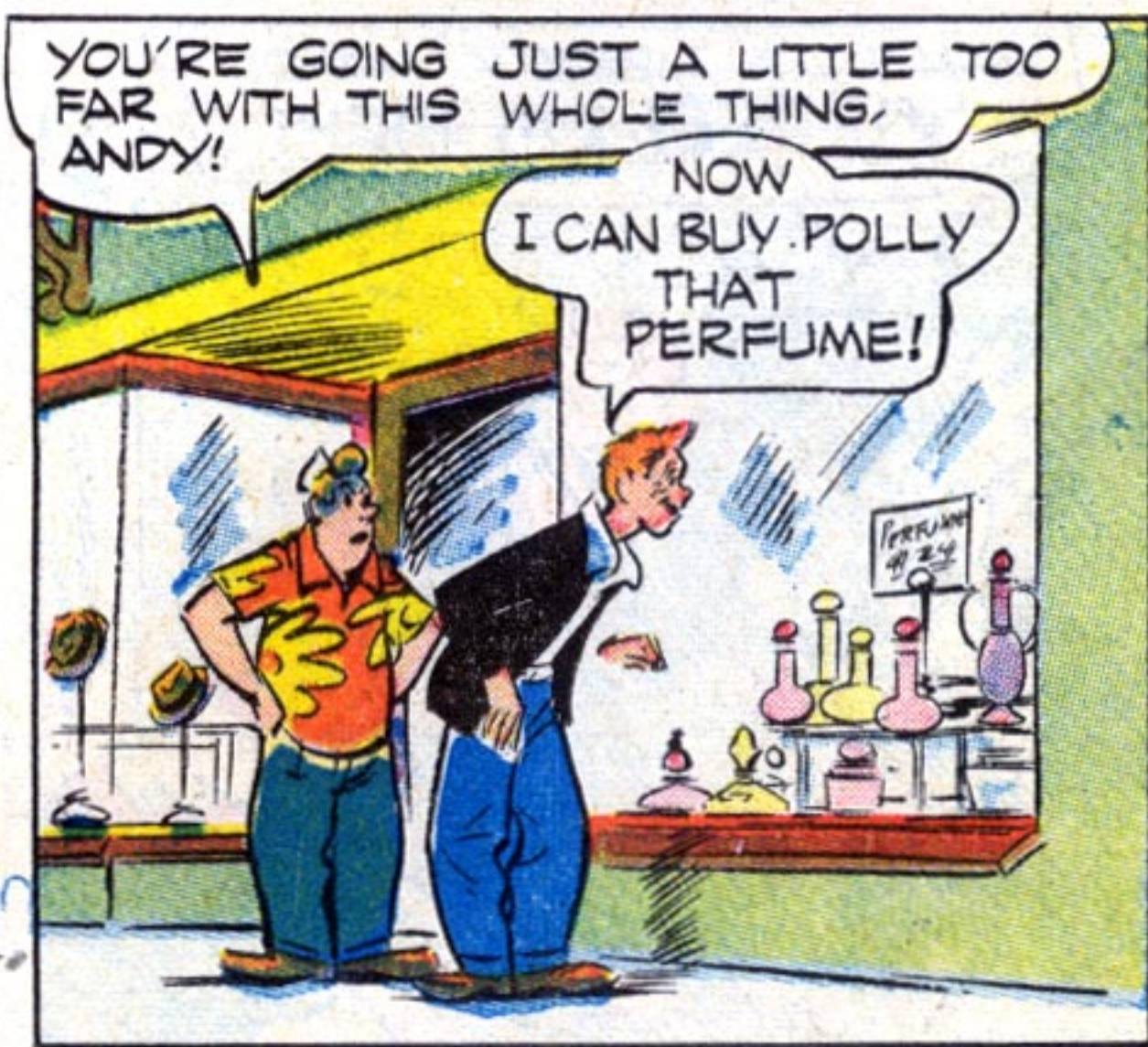
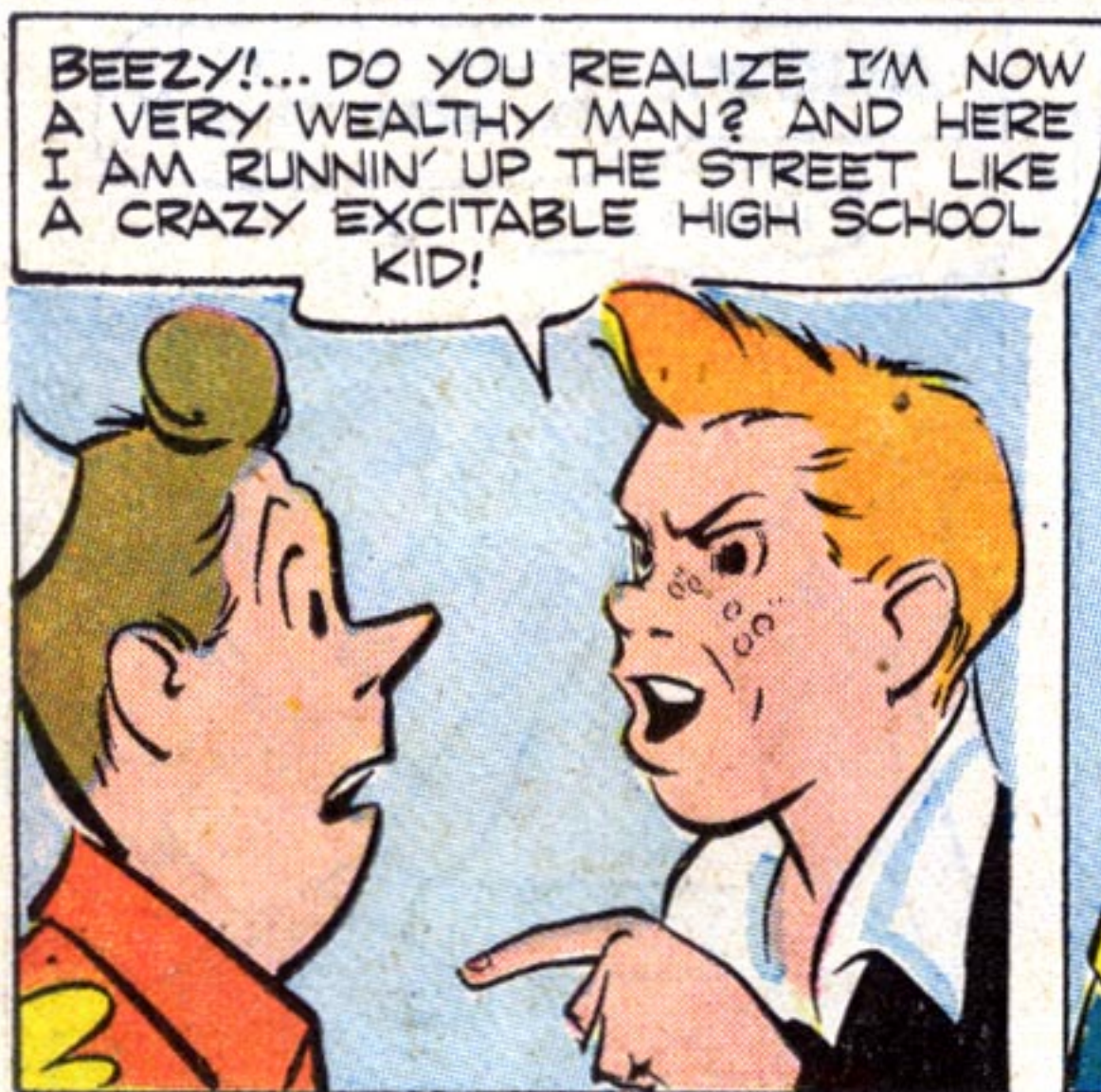
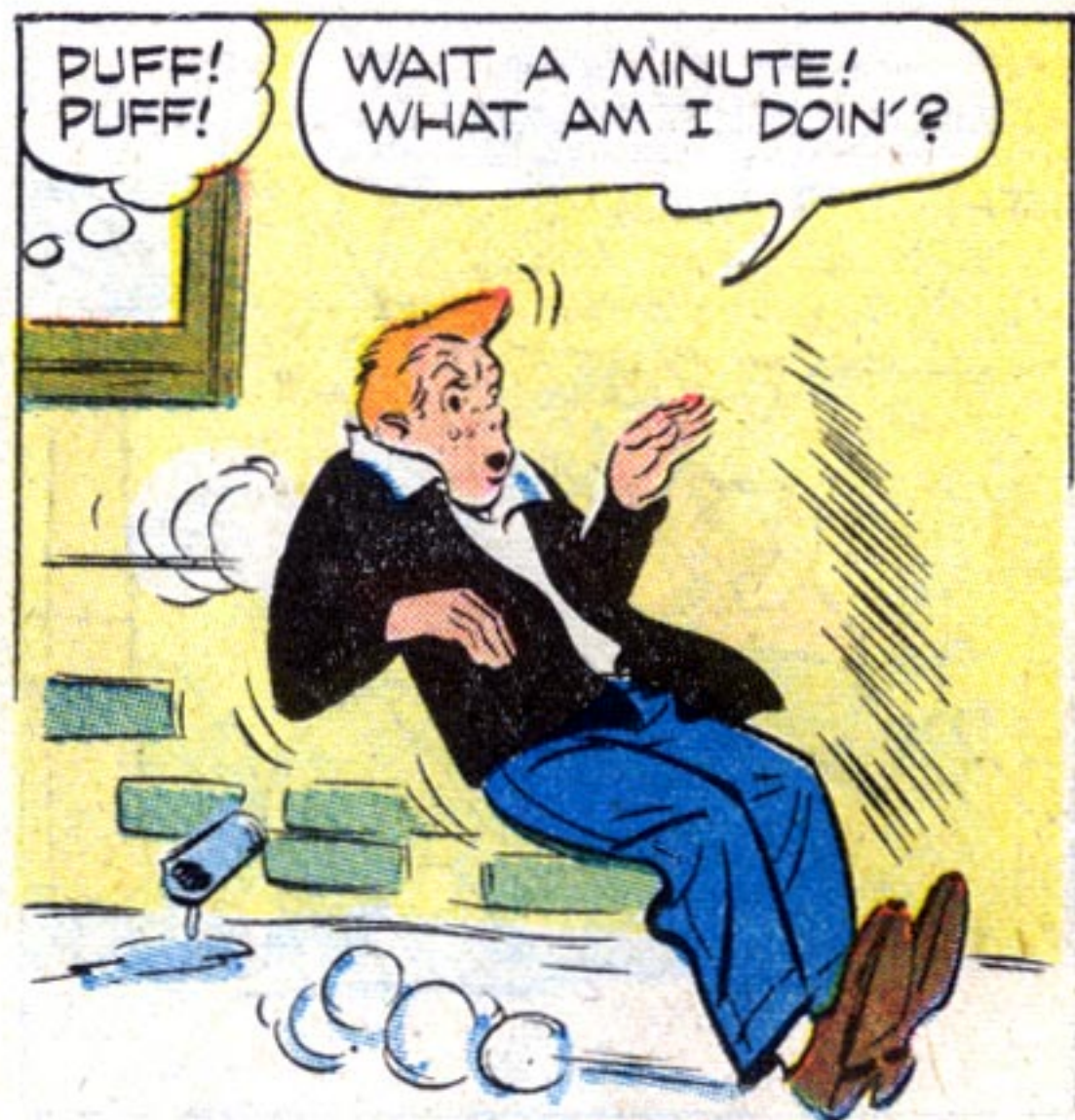
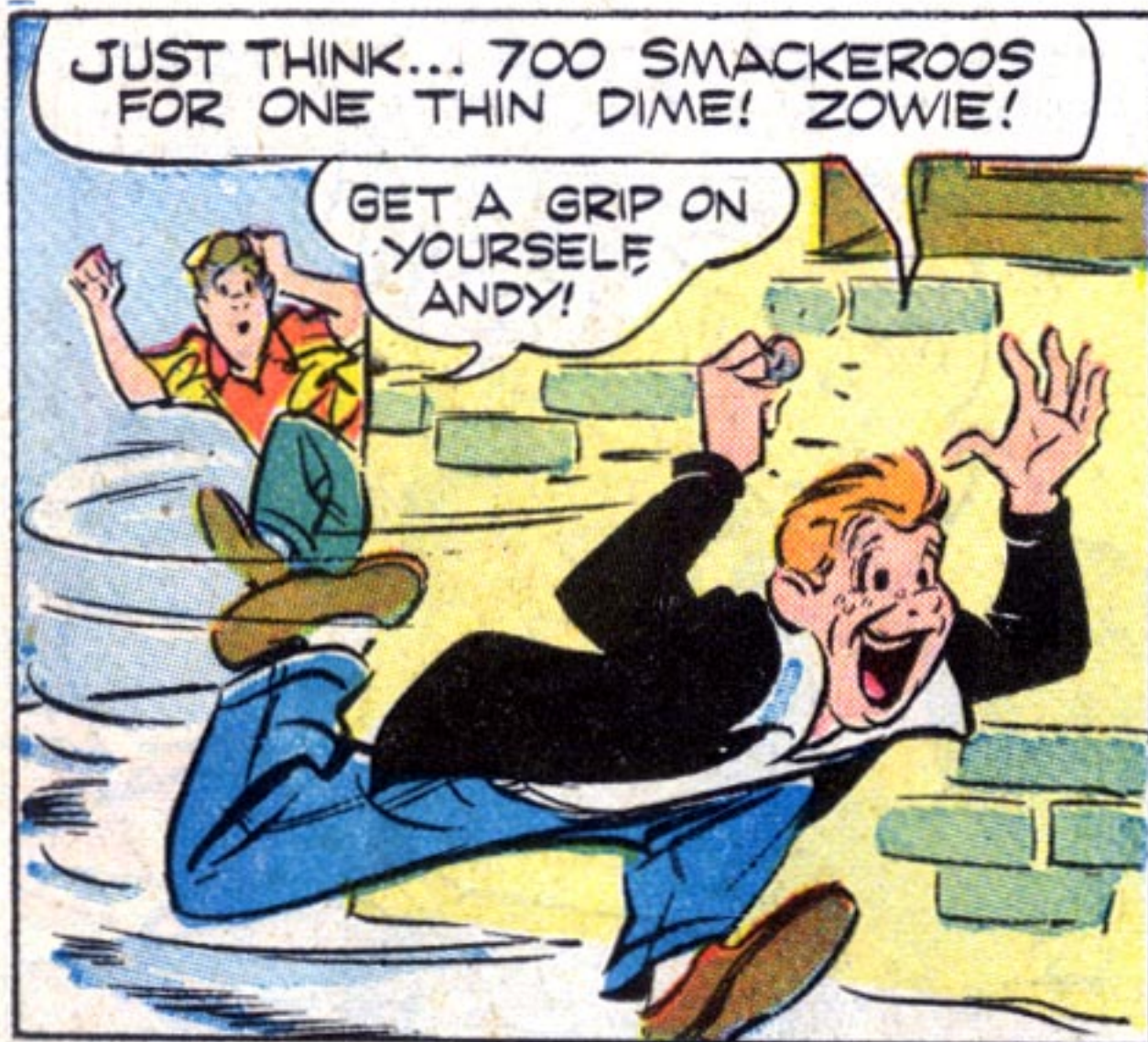
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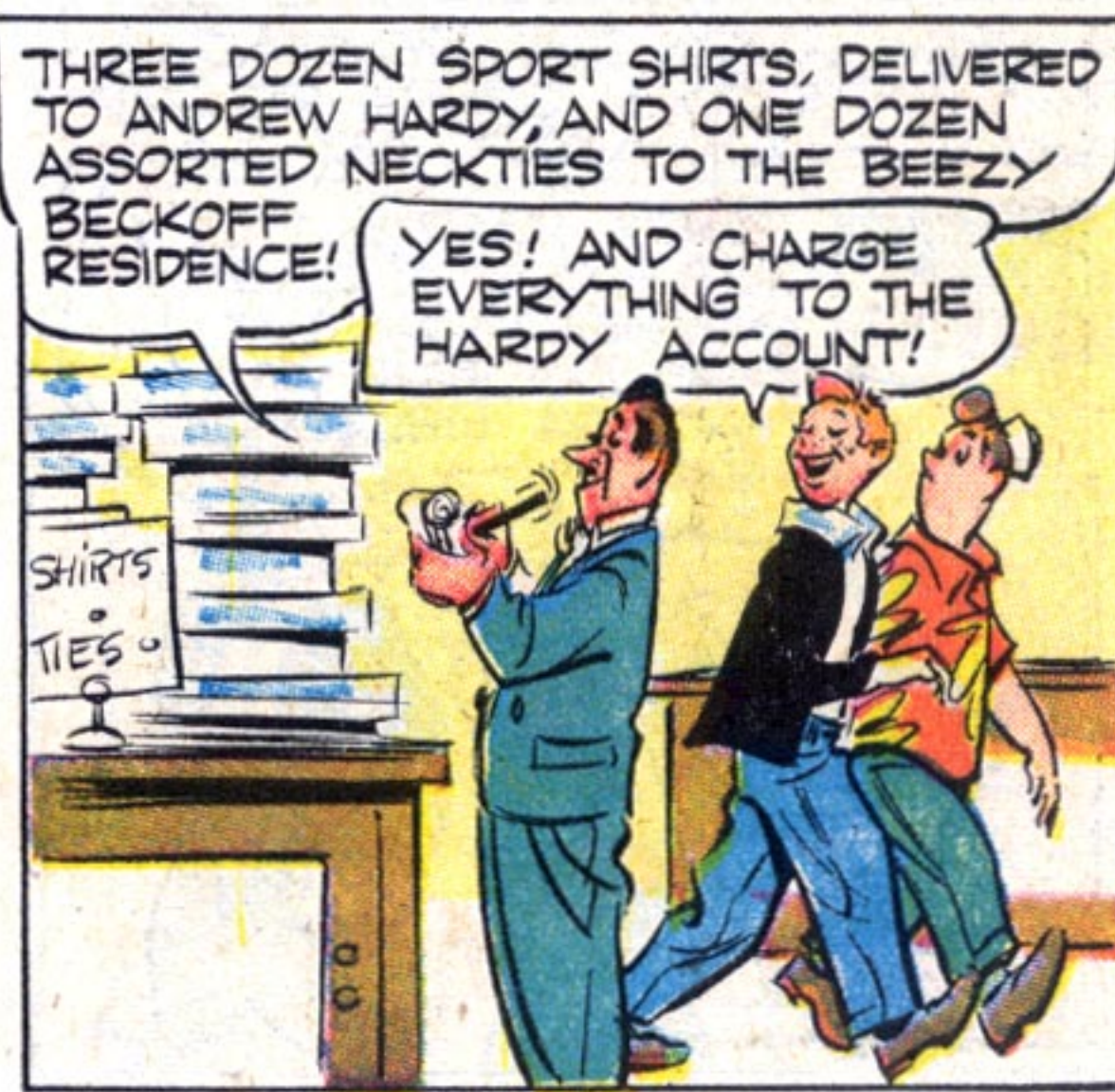
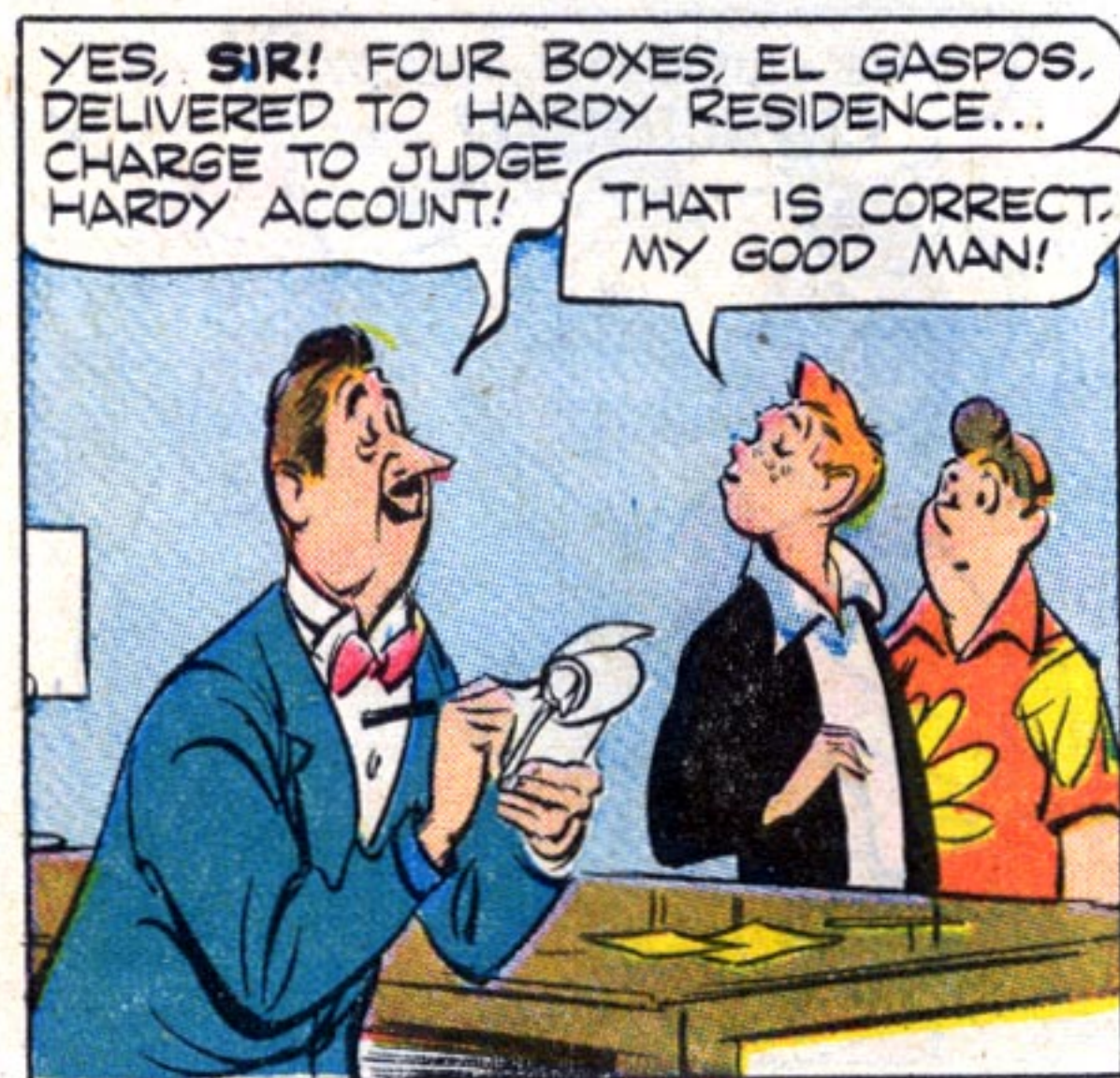
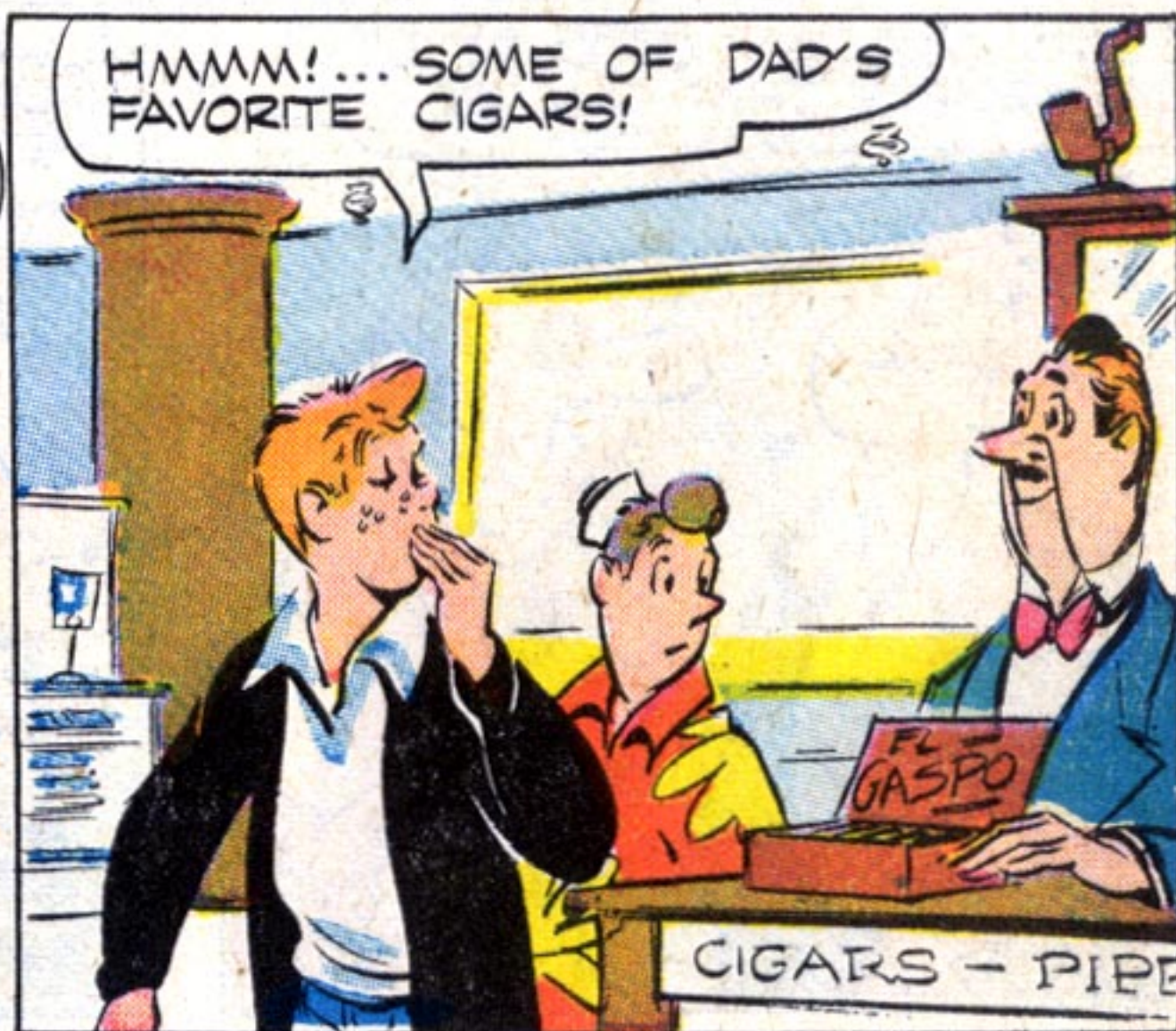
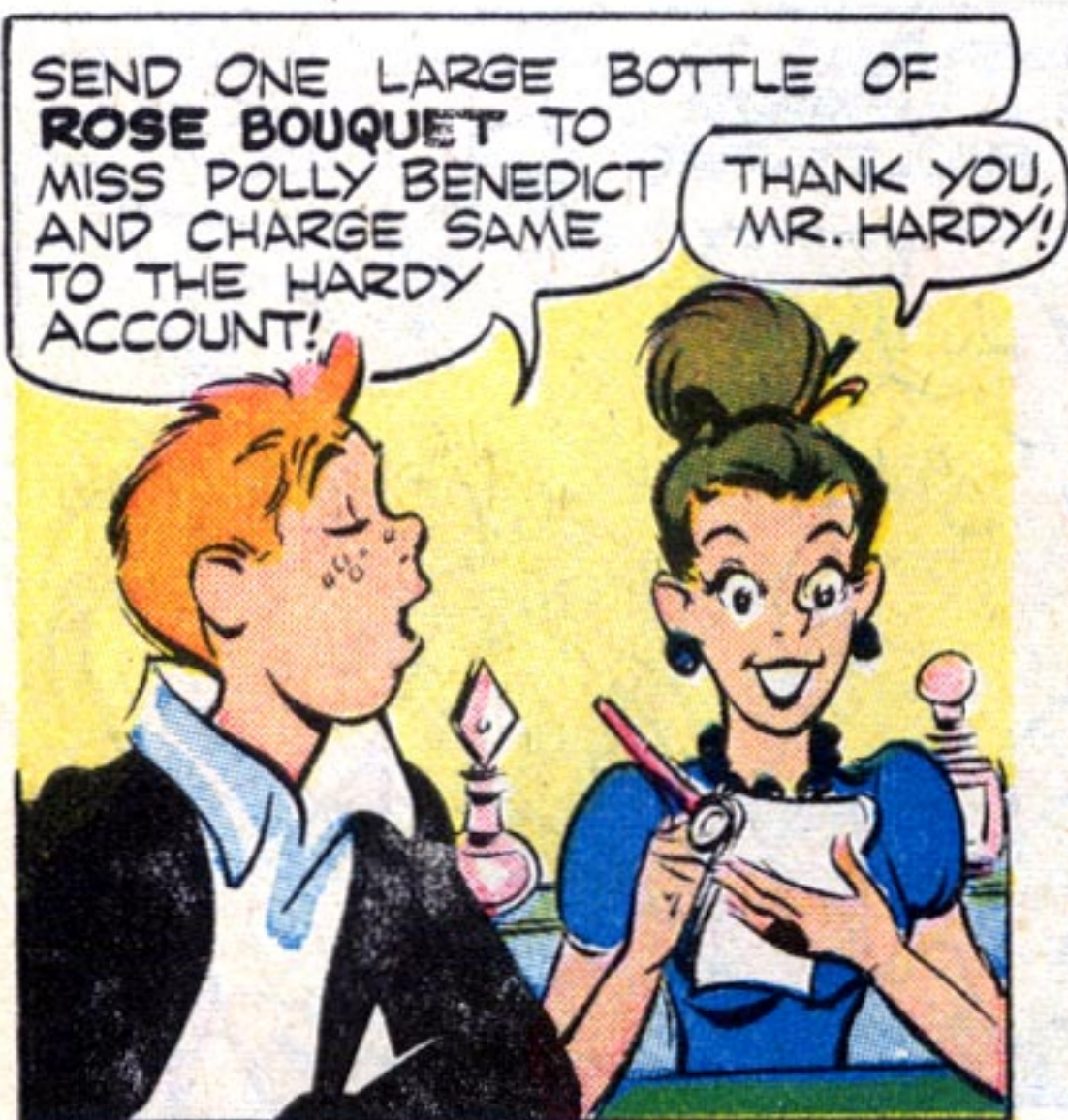
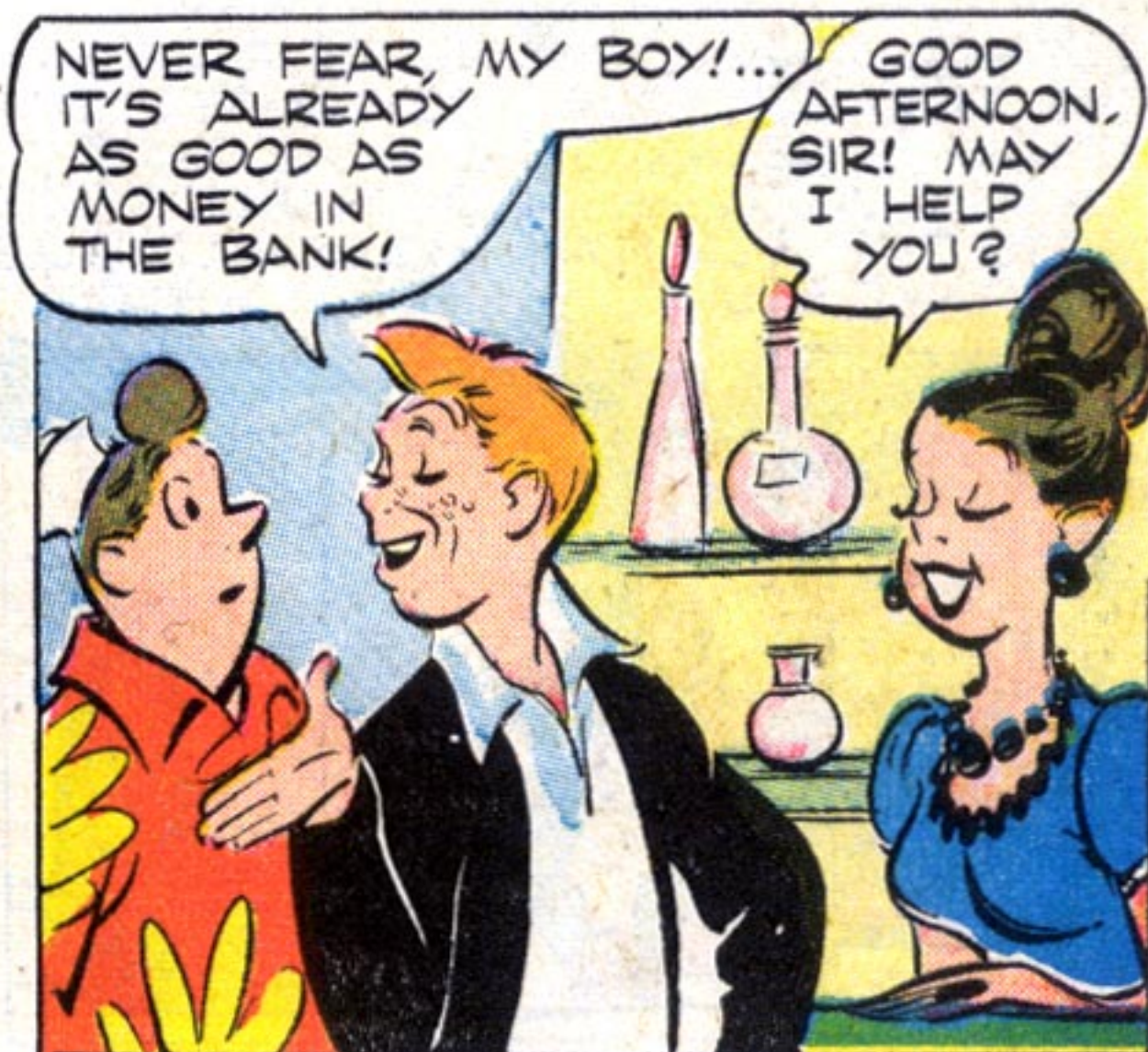








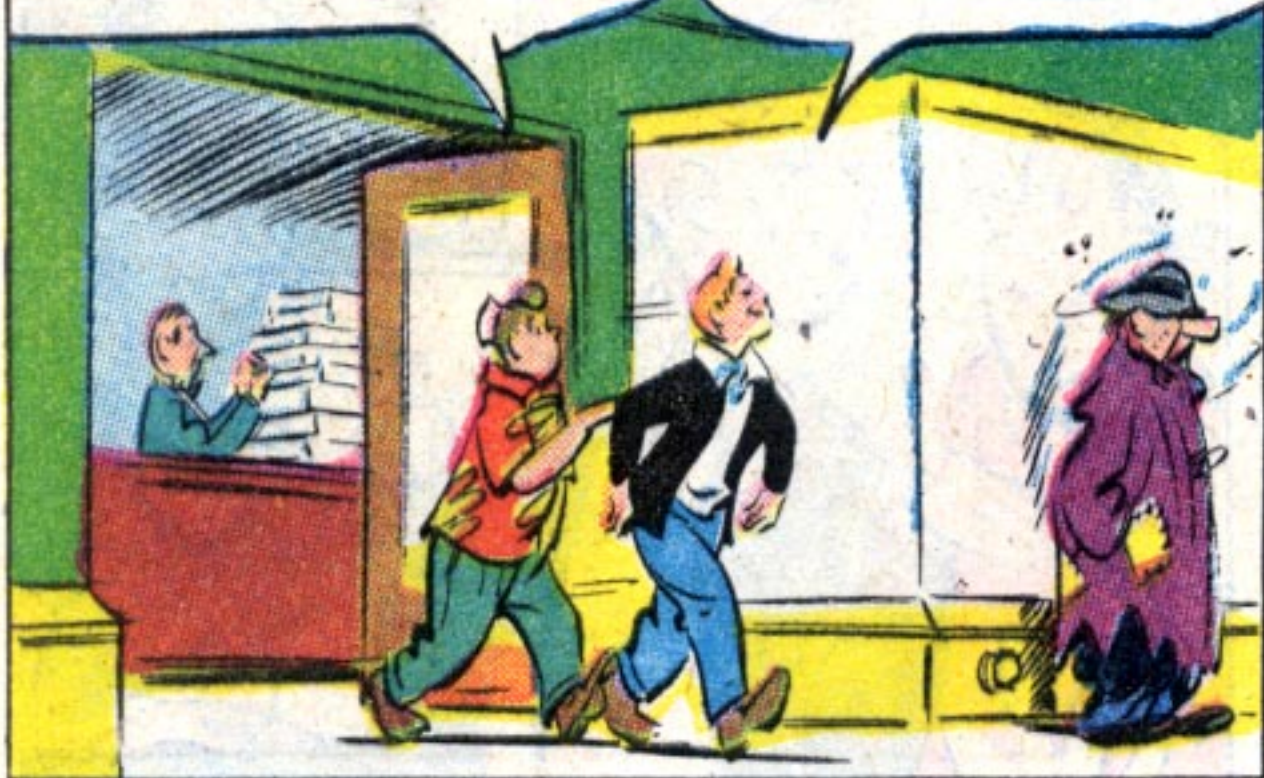




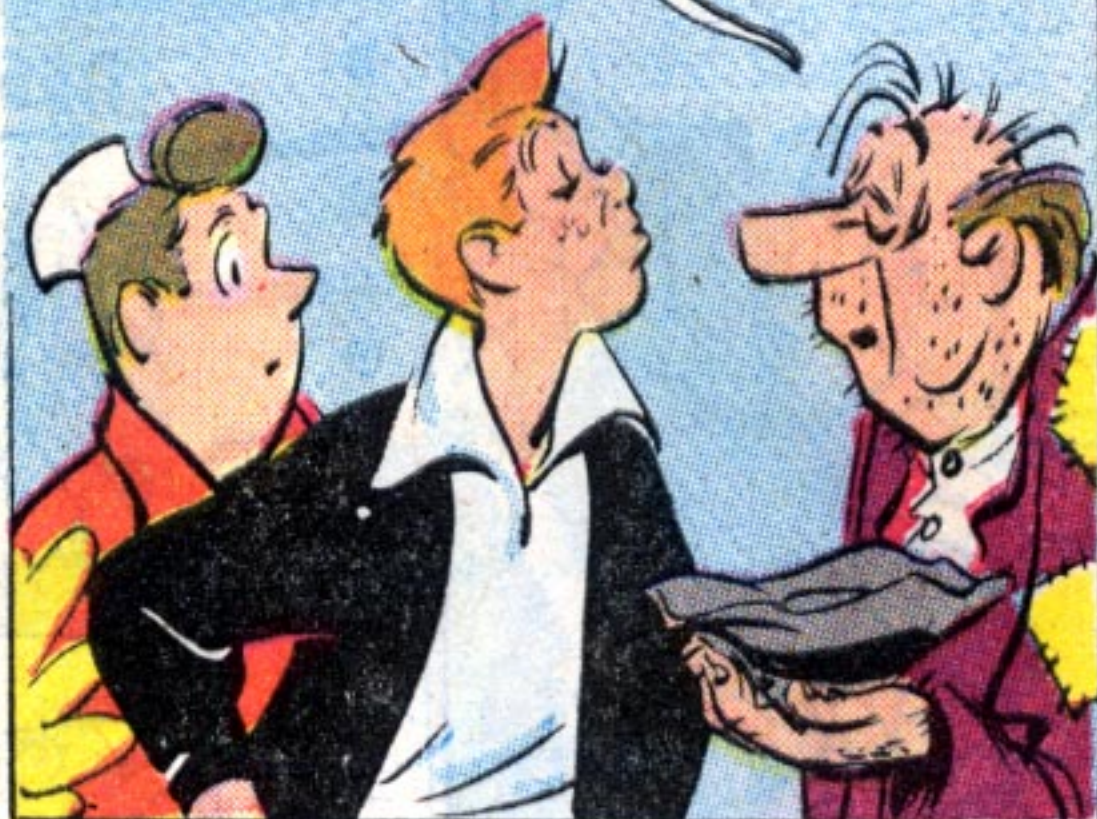


GOSH! THANKS FOR THE TIES, BUT YOUR DAD ISN'T GONNA LIKE IT WHEN HE GETS THE BILL FOR ALL THAT STUFF!

NEVER FEAR, MY BOY! AFTER TODAY, I SHALL TAKE OVER ALL THE HOUSEHOLD BILLS FOR A WHILE!



HEY PAL... CAN YUH SPARE A DIME FOR A CUP O' COFFEE?

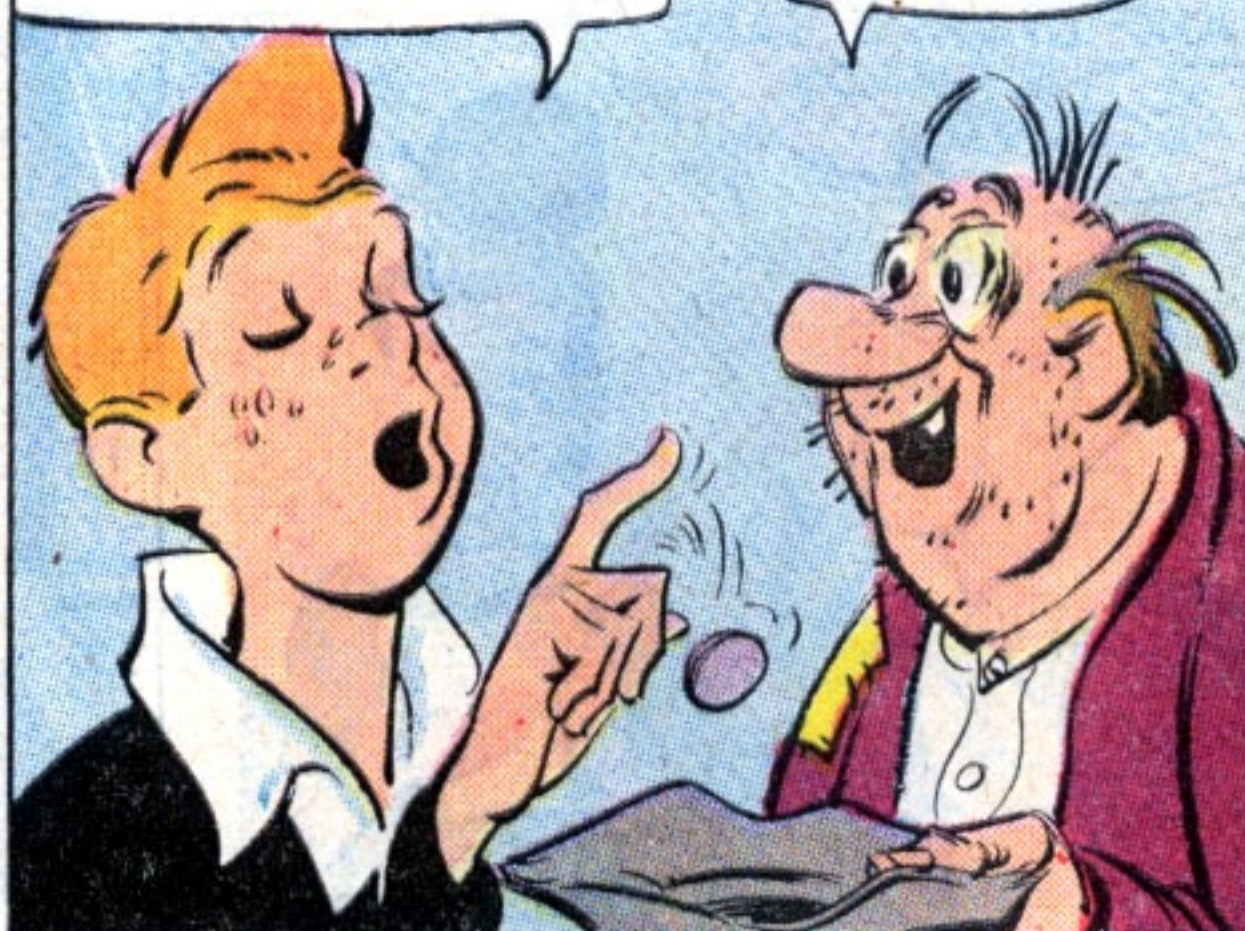


WHY, YES, MY GOOD FELLOW!... I BELIEVE THAT CAN BE ARRANGED!



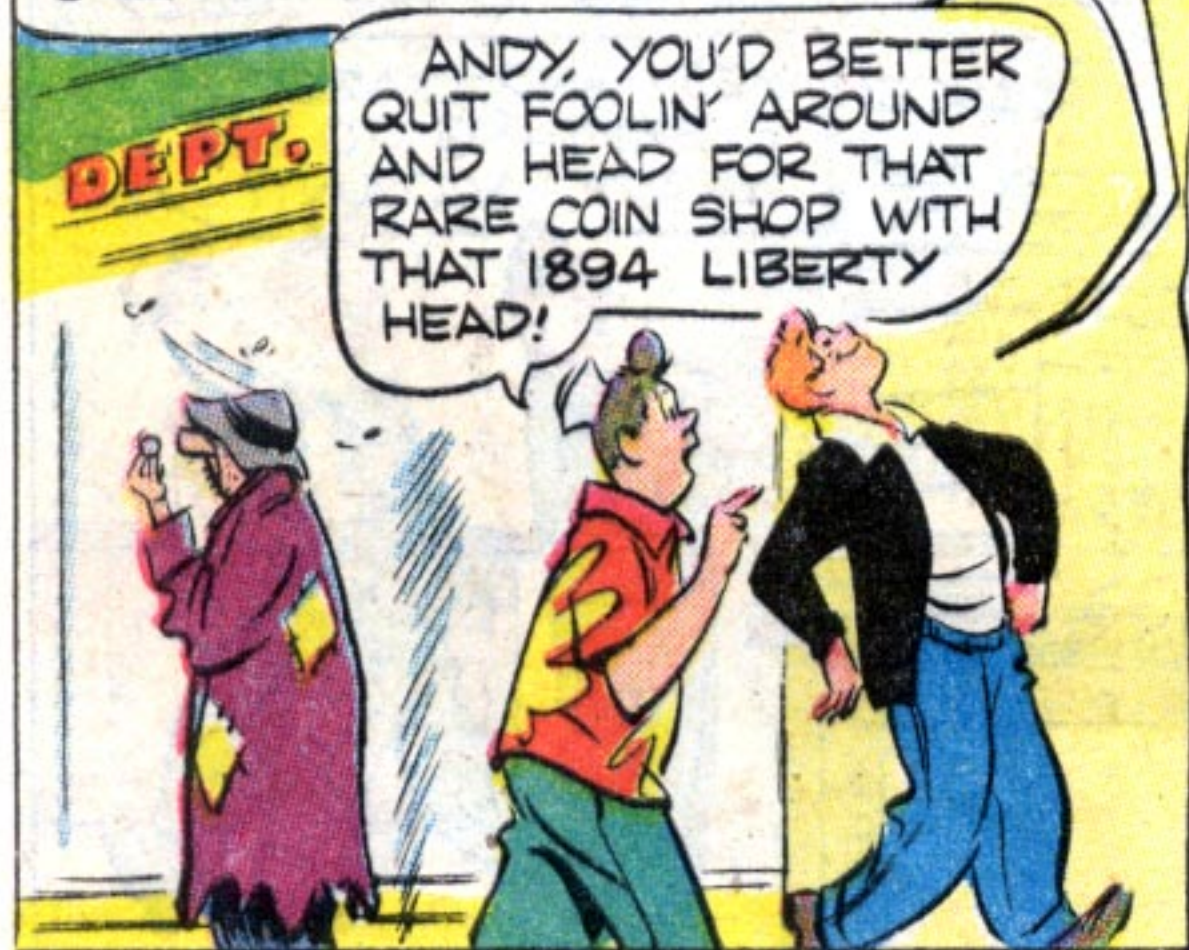
ALWAYS GLAD TO HELP A MEMBER OF THE PROLETARIAT!

THANK YUH, SIR! THANK YUH KINDLY!



ANDREW HARDY, THE BENEFACITOR! YEP, POSTERITY'S GONNA RECORD GREAT THINGS ABOUT ME!

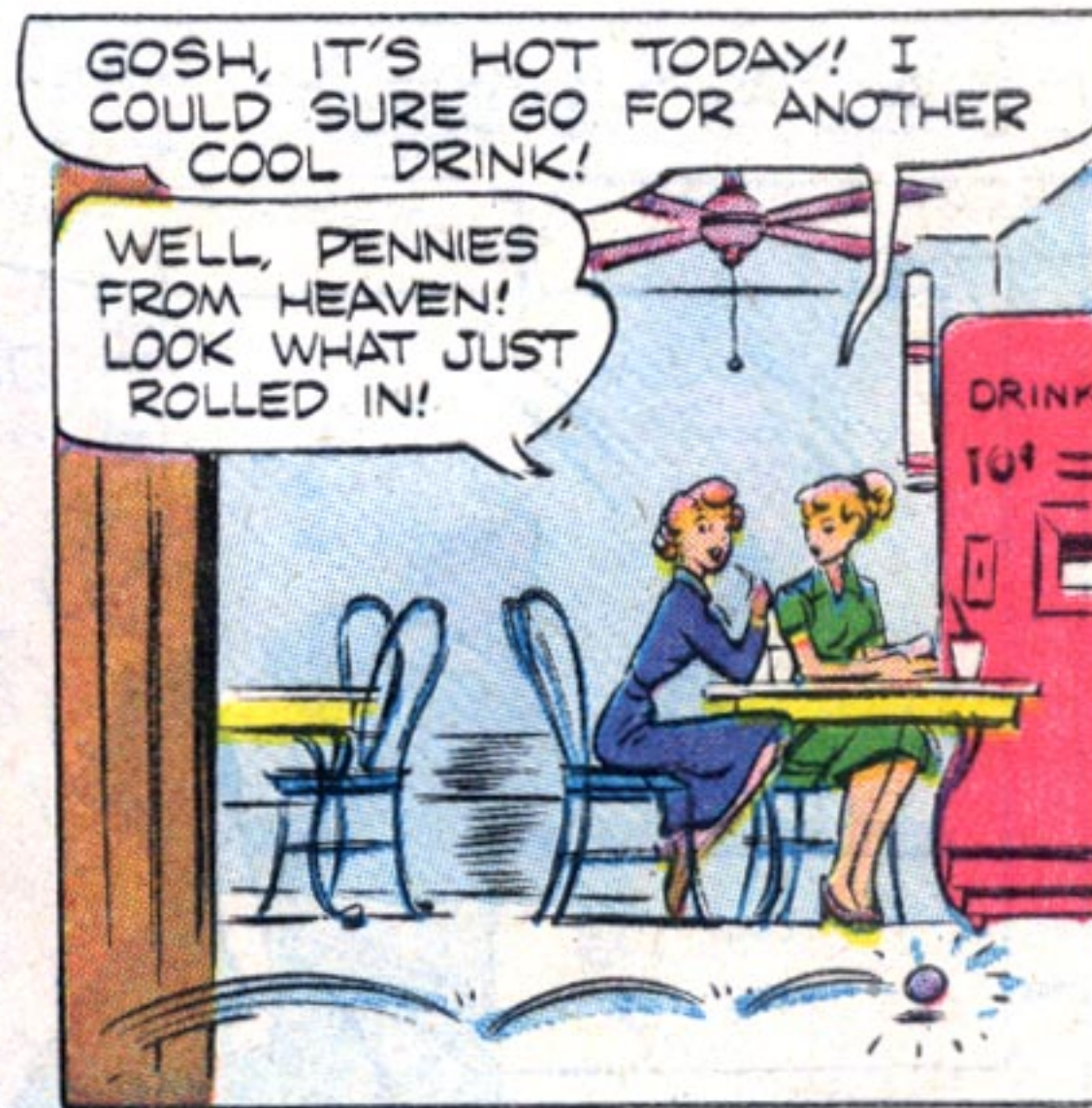
ANDY, YOU'D BETTER QUIT FOOLIN' AROUND AND HEAD FOR THAT RARE COIN SHOP WITH THAT 1894 LIBERTY HEAD!



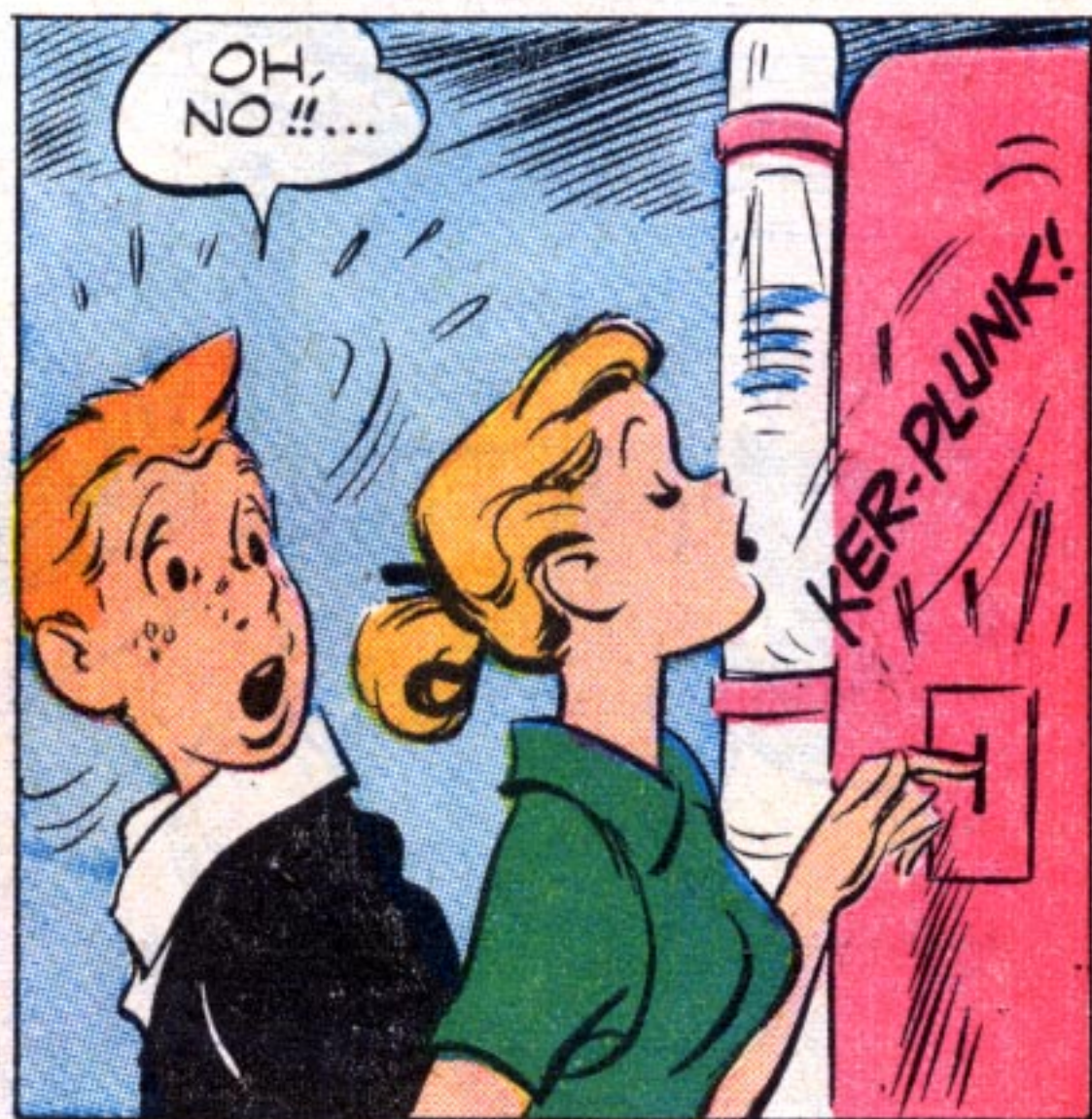
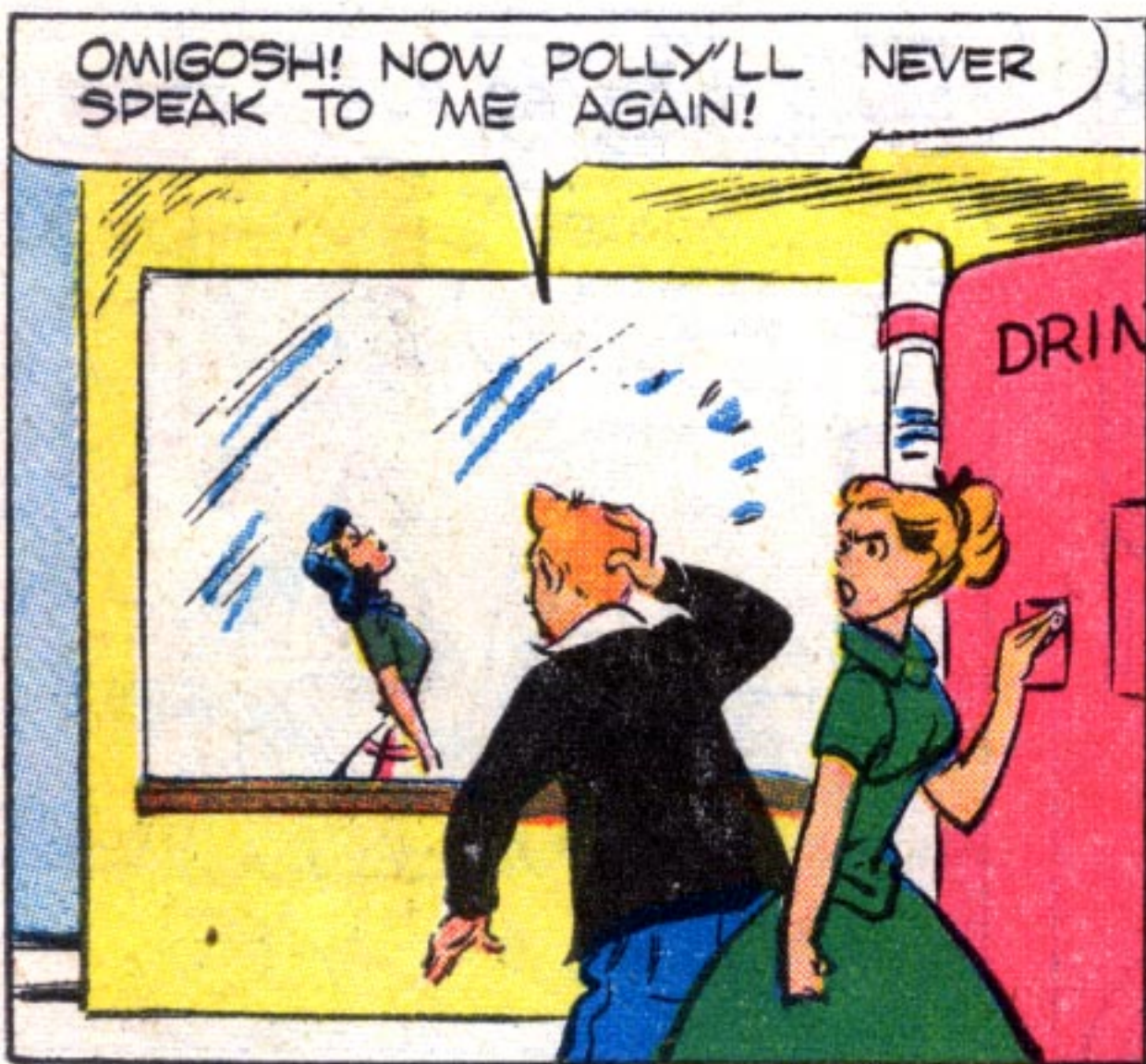
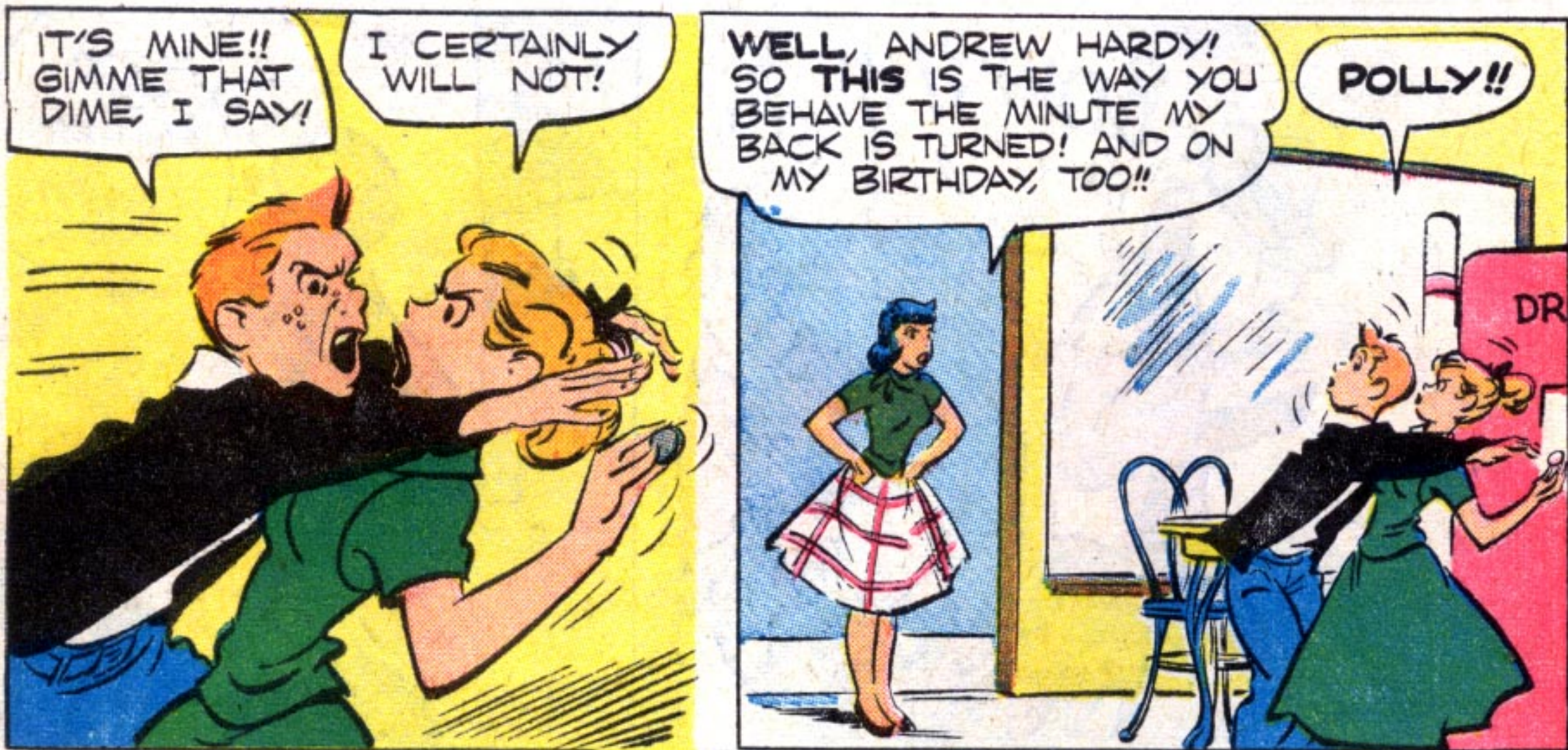
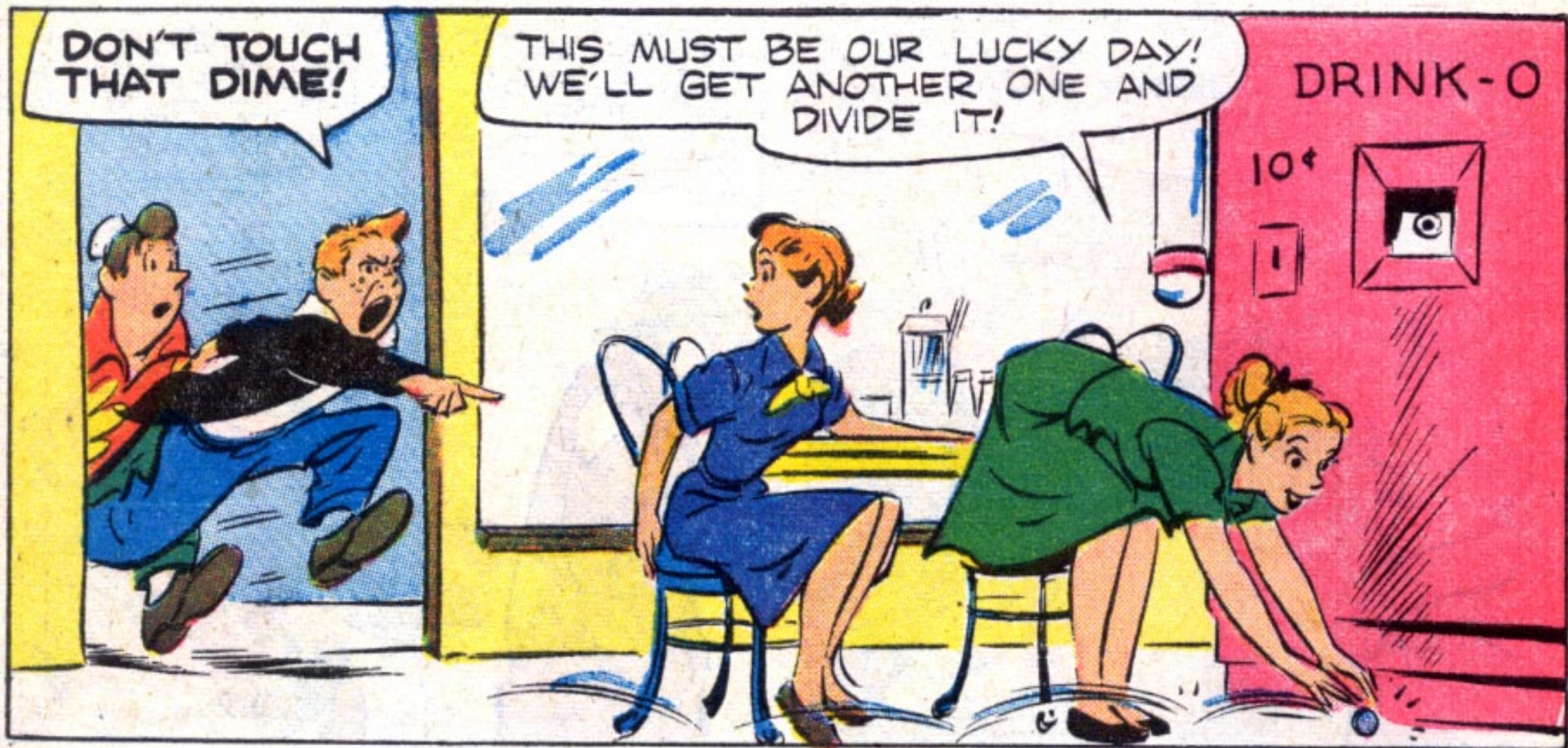
THE LIBERTY HEAD...  
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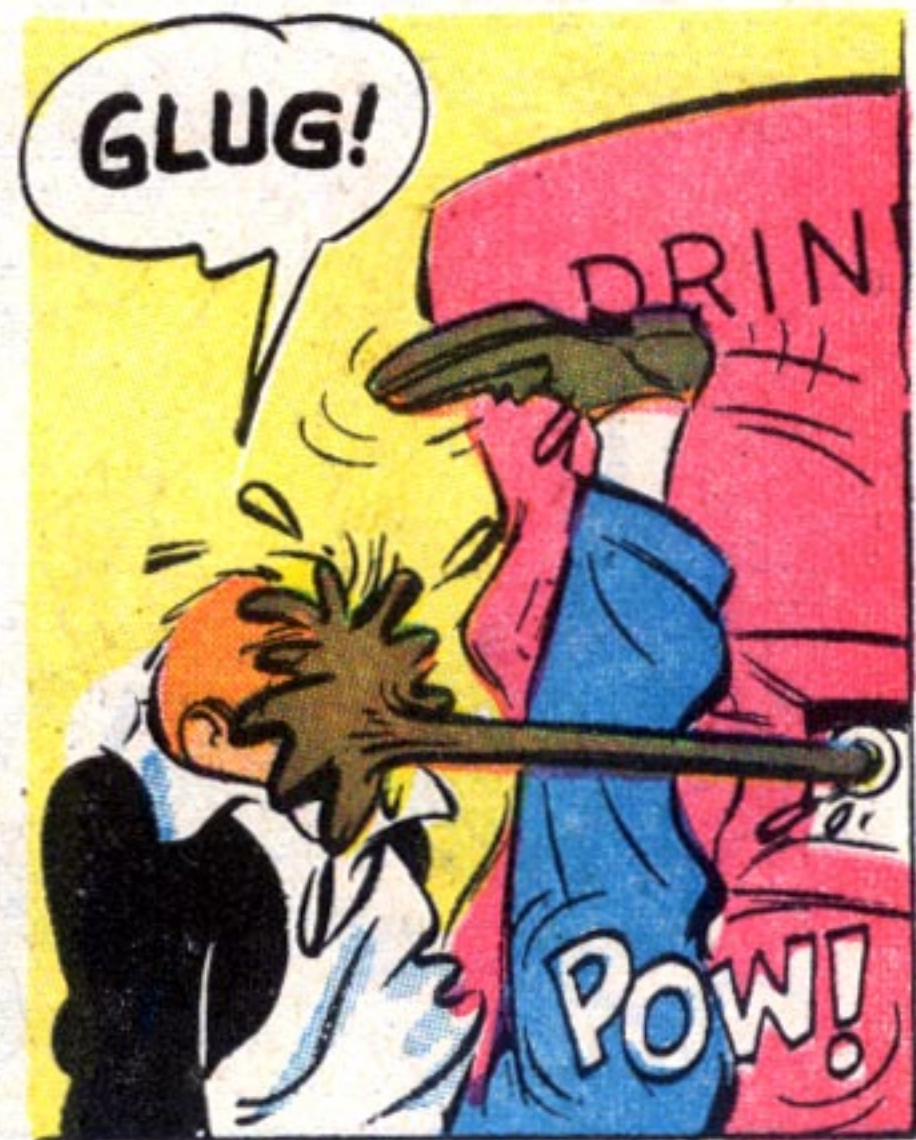
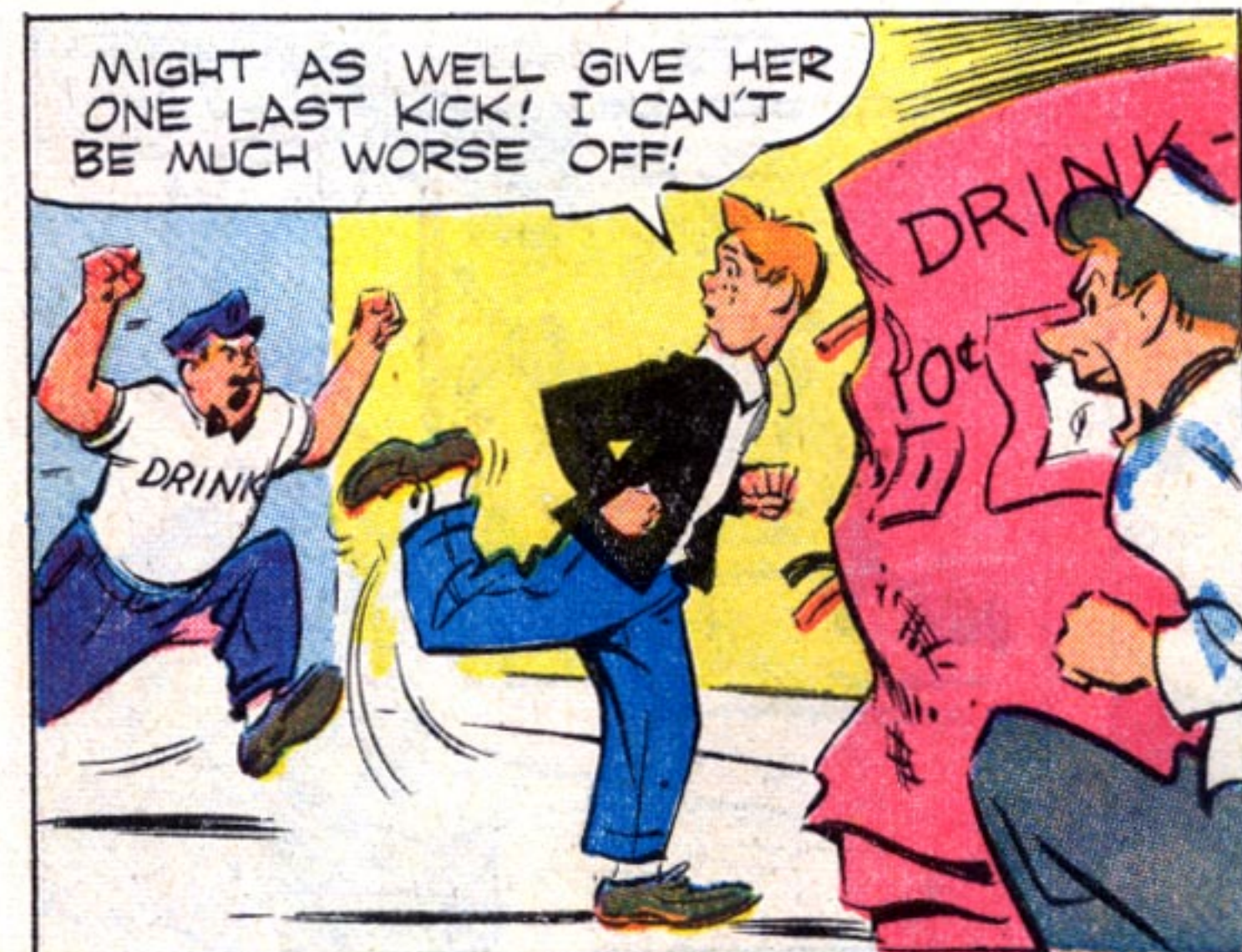




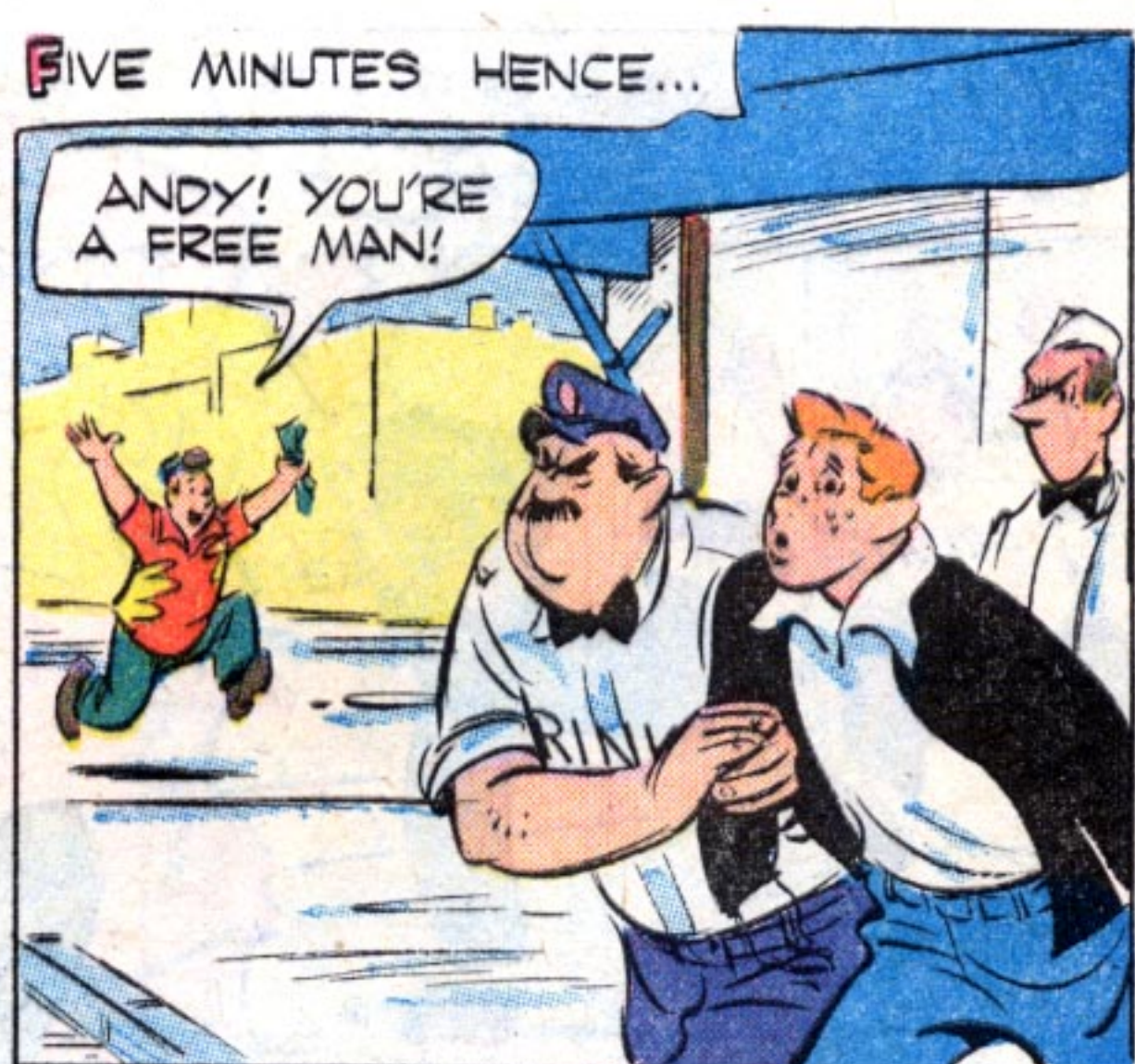
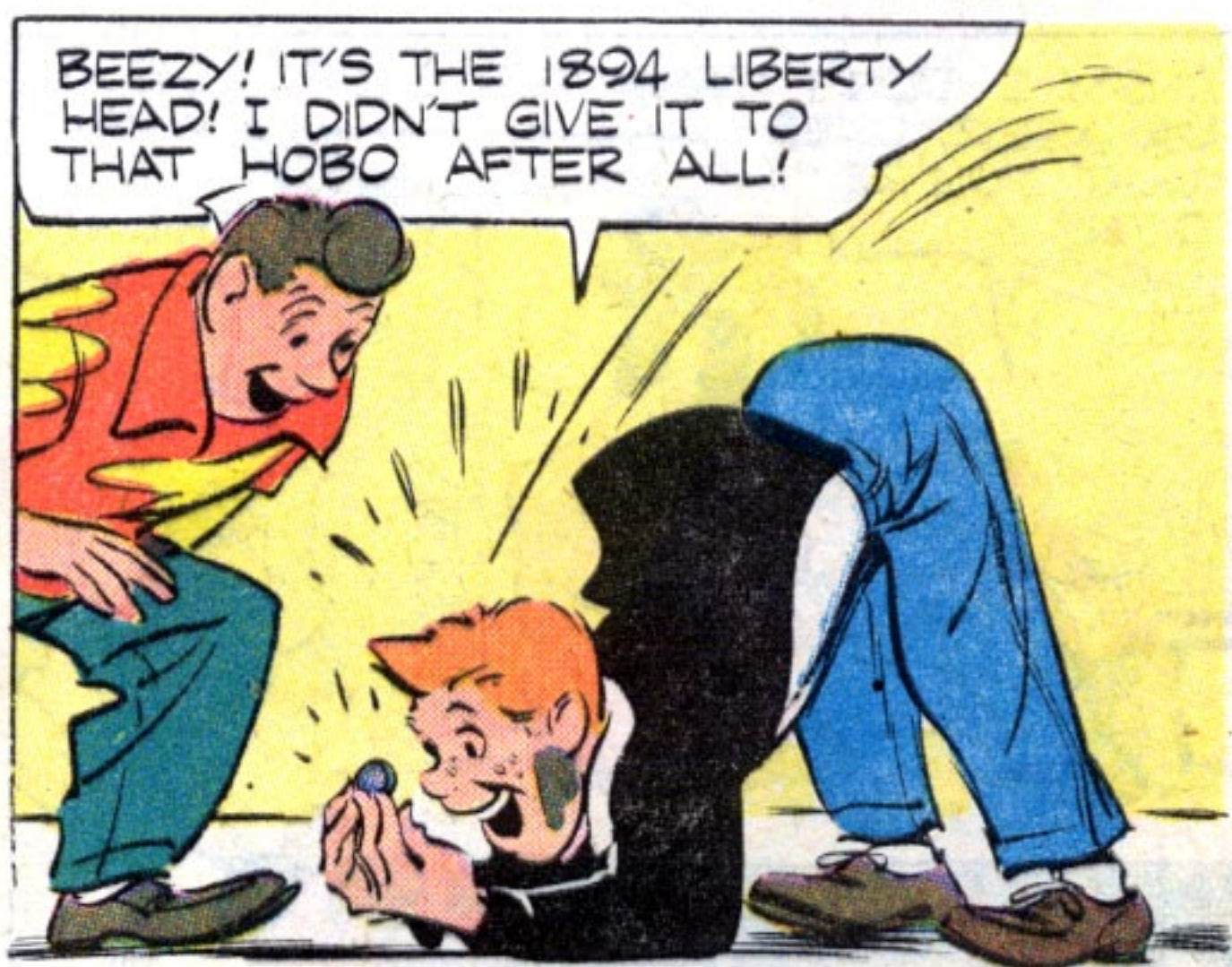
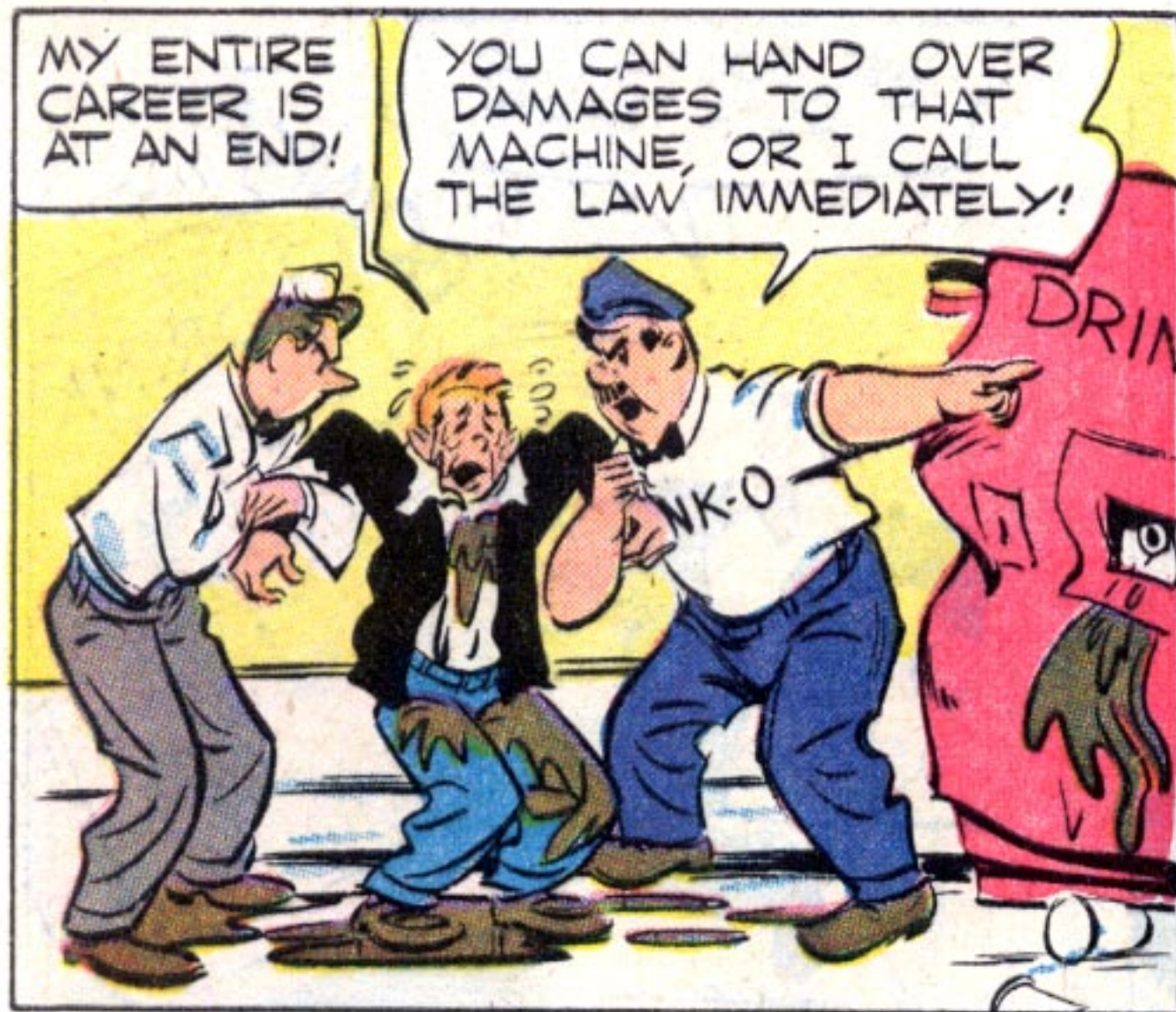




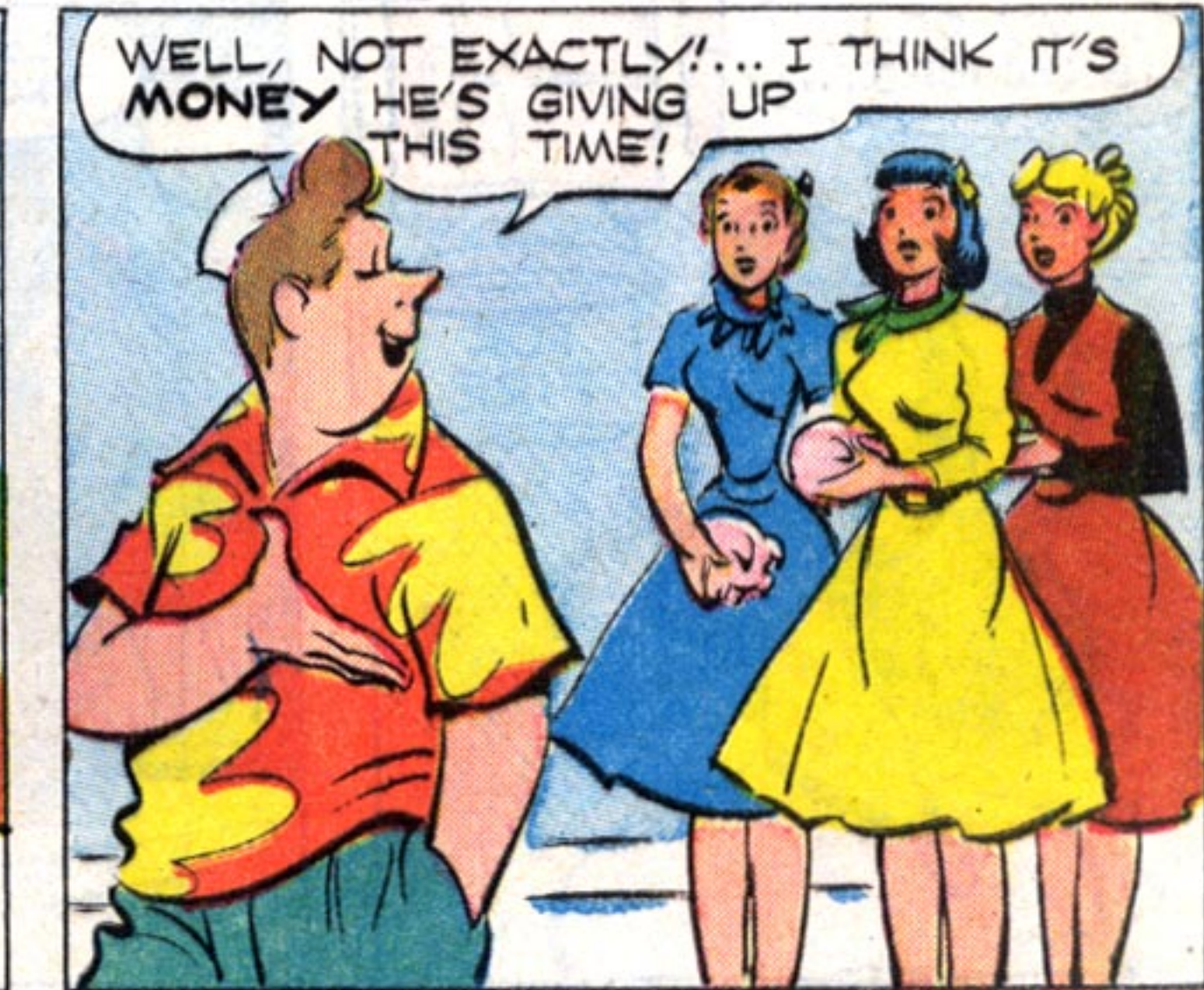
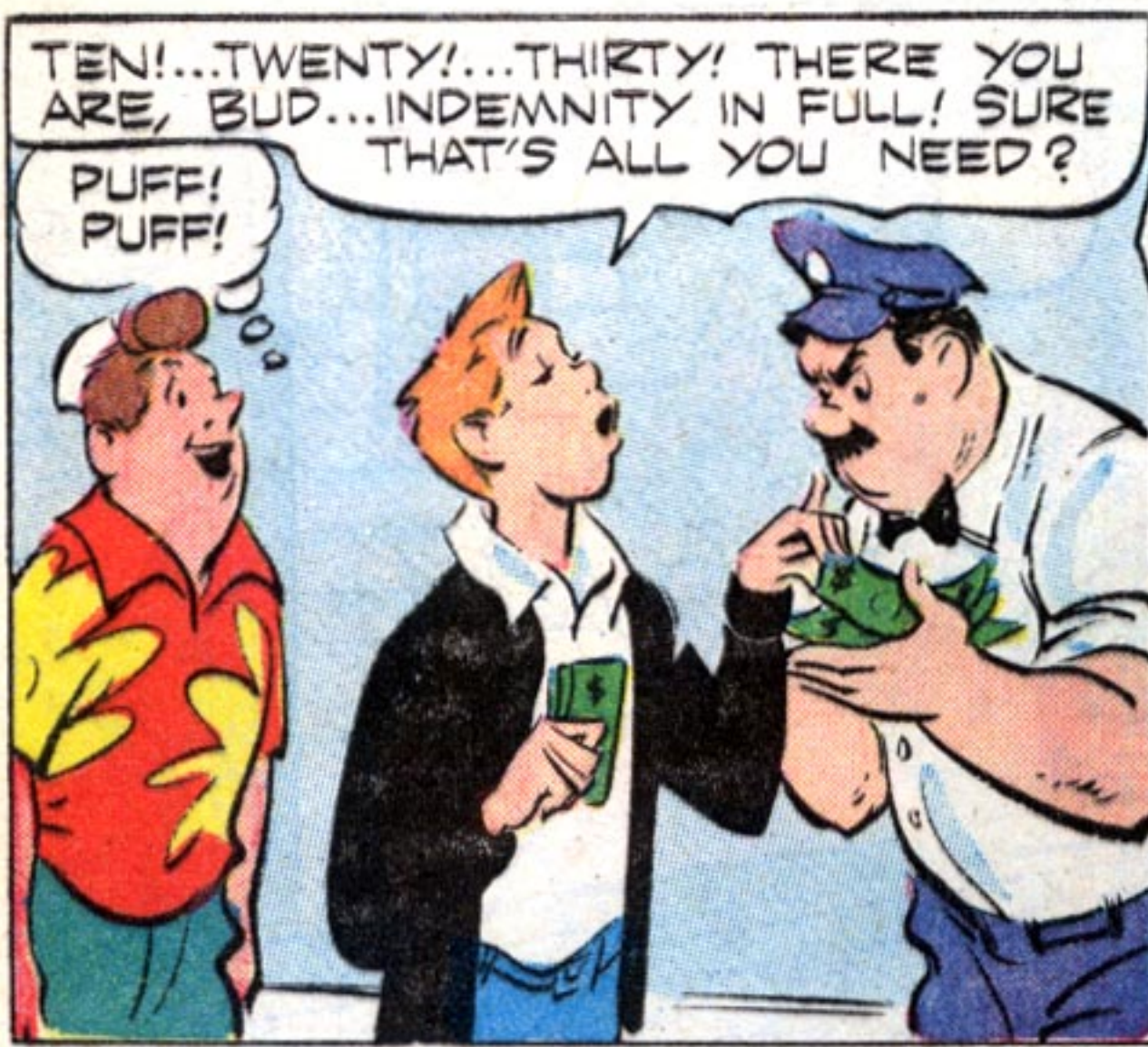






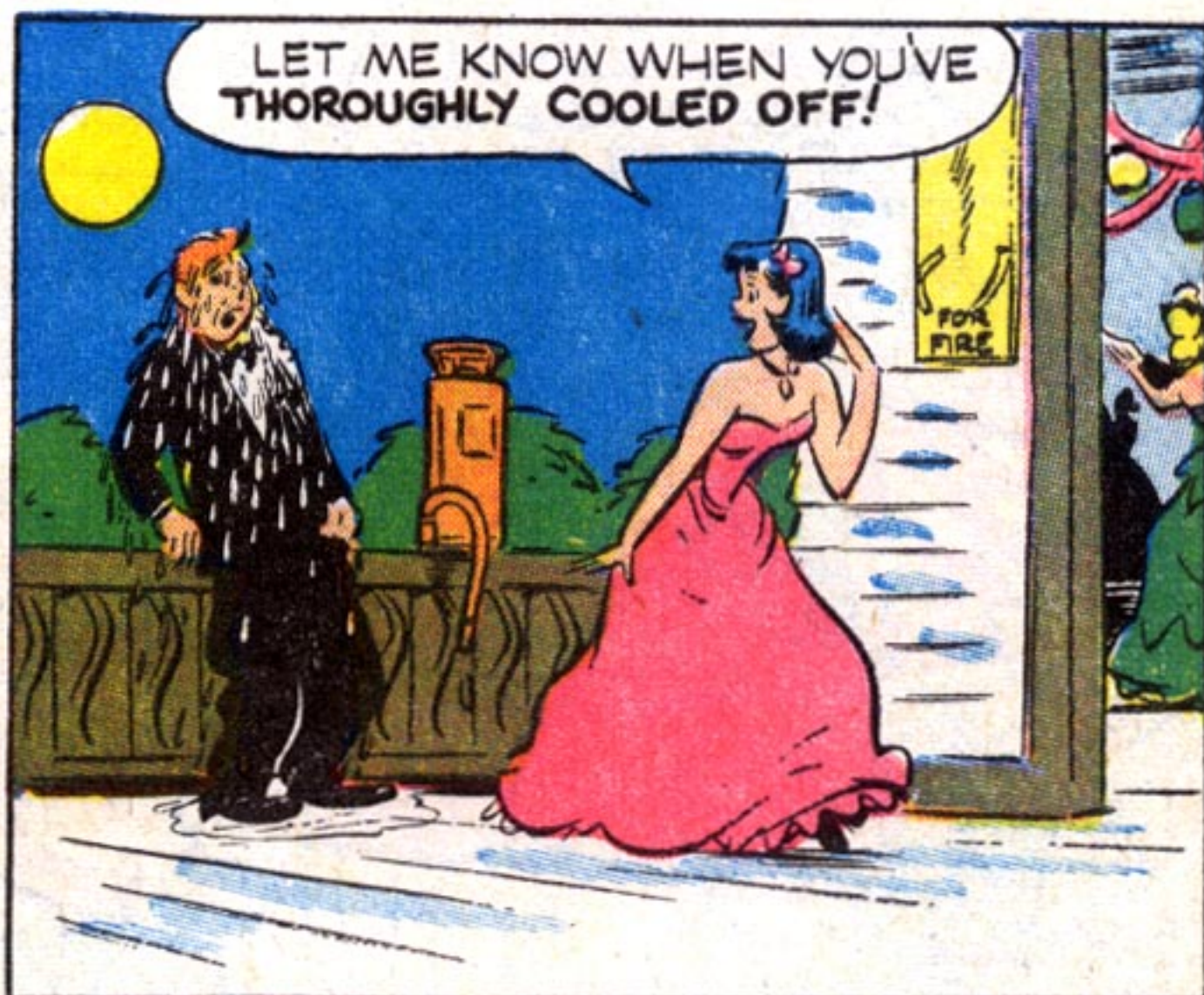
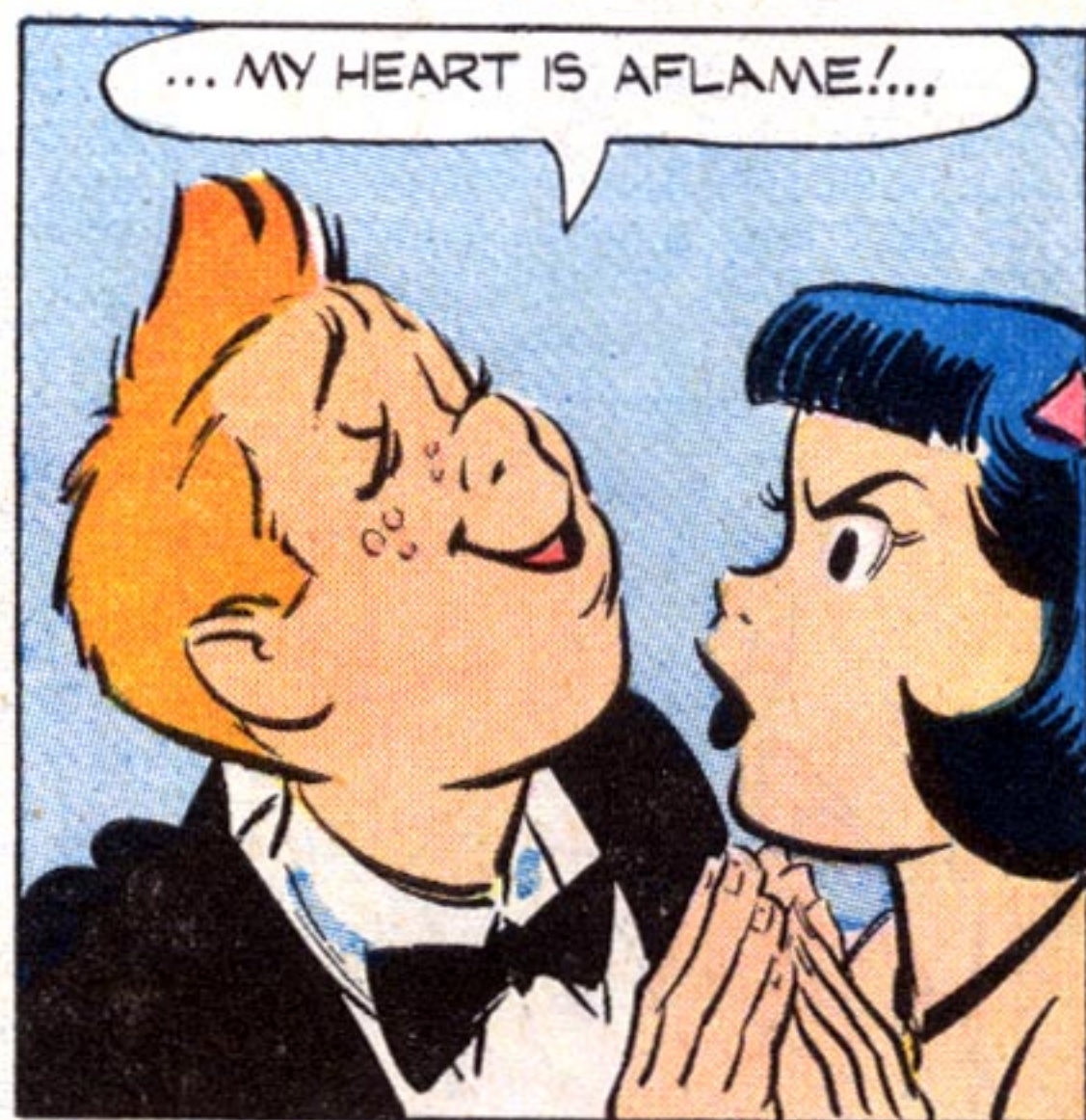
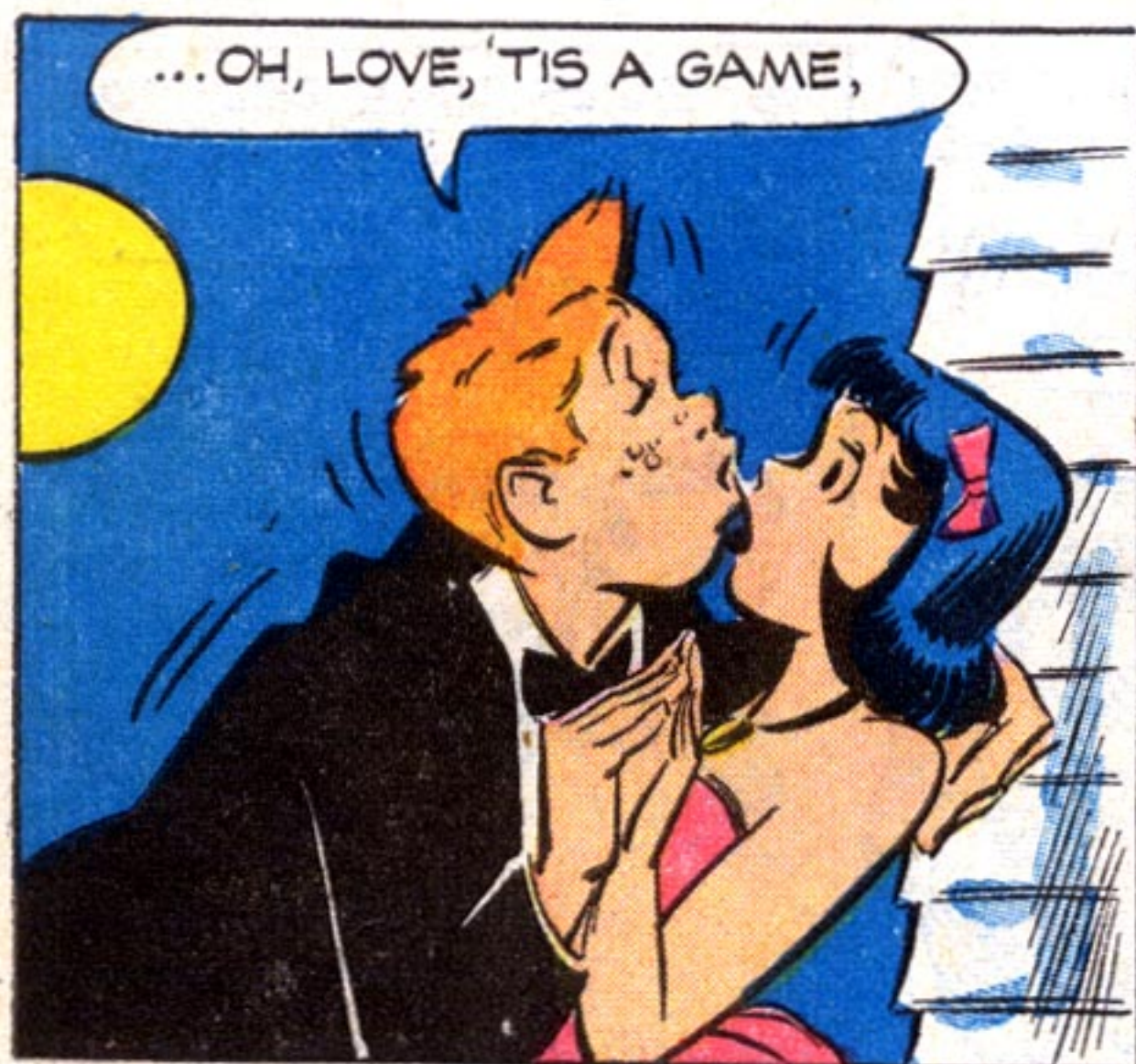
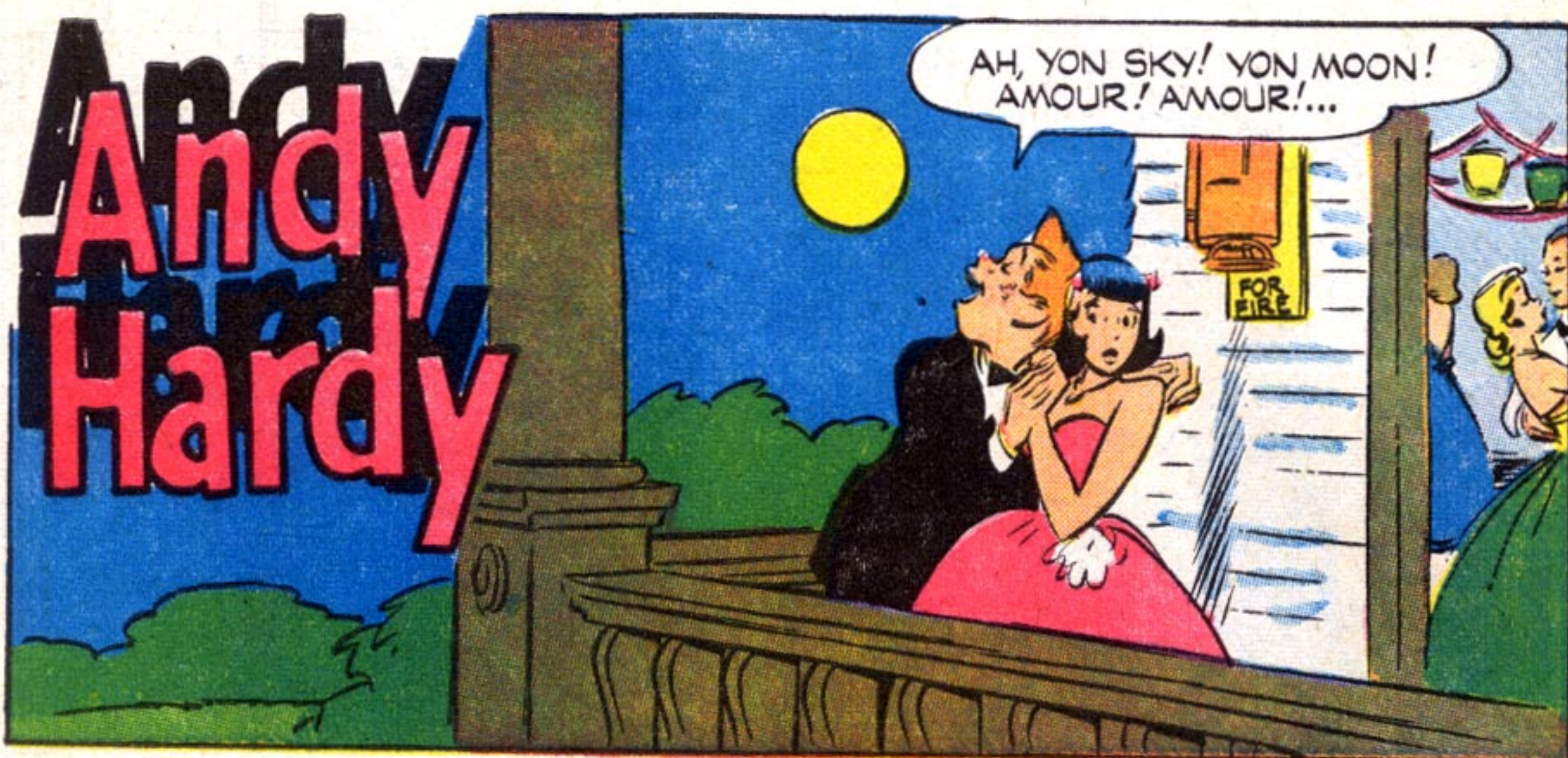








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HOW ABOUT IT,  
POLLY?... MY  
TREAT!

SODAS  
SUNDAES

LET'S TRY  
TWO  
'LOVERS'  
DELIGHTS!

HEY... THOSE  
COST TOO  
MUCH! BETTER  
PICK OUT  
SOMETHING  
ELSE!

THE "PARADISE  
SPECIAL" SOUNDS  
HEAVENLY!

BETTER LOOK  
AGAIN... I  
DON'T HAVE  
THAT KINDA  
DOUGH!

A  
"FRANTIC FIZZ"  
PERHAPS...  
WITH TWO  
STRAWS?

NOPE!  
STILL  
TOO MUCH!

JUST WHAT **CAN**  
YOU AFFORD,  
ANDREW HARDY?

STICK OF GUM,  
POLLY?

I JUST LOVE GOING  
OUT WITH YOU, ANDY!  
YOU MAKE IT **SO EASY**  
FOR A GIRL TO STAY  
ON A DIET!



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