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Charlie MCCARTHY,

**COWBOY
DETECTIVE**



cast of Characters in *Charlie* **McCarthy,** **COWBOY** **DETECTIVE**

The Heroes

CHARLIE, OF COURSE,
WITH HIS TRUSTY
SIX-SHOT
WATER PISTOL

and

MORTIMER SNERD,
WHO'S "SORTA
HARD-OF-THINKIN'"
BUT MEANS WELL.

The Heroines

**THE YOUNG
NEWSPAPER
PUBLISHER**,
WHO FINDS OUR
HEROES STAUNCH
FRIENDS IN
HER TIME
OF DISTRESS

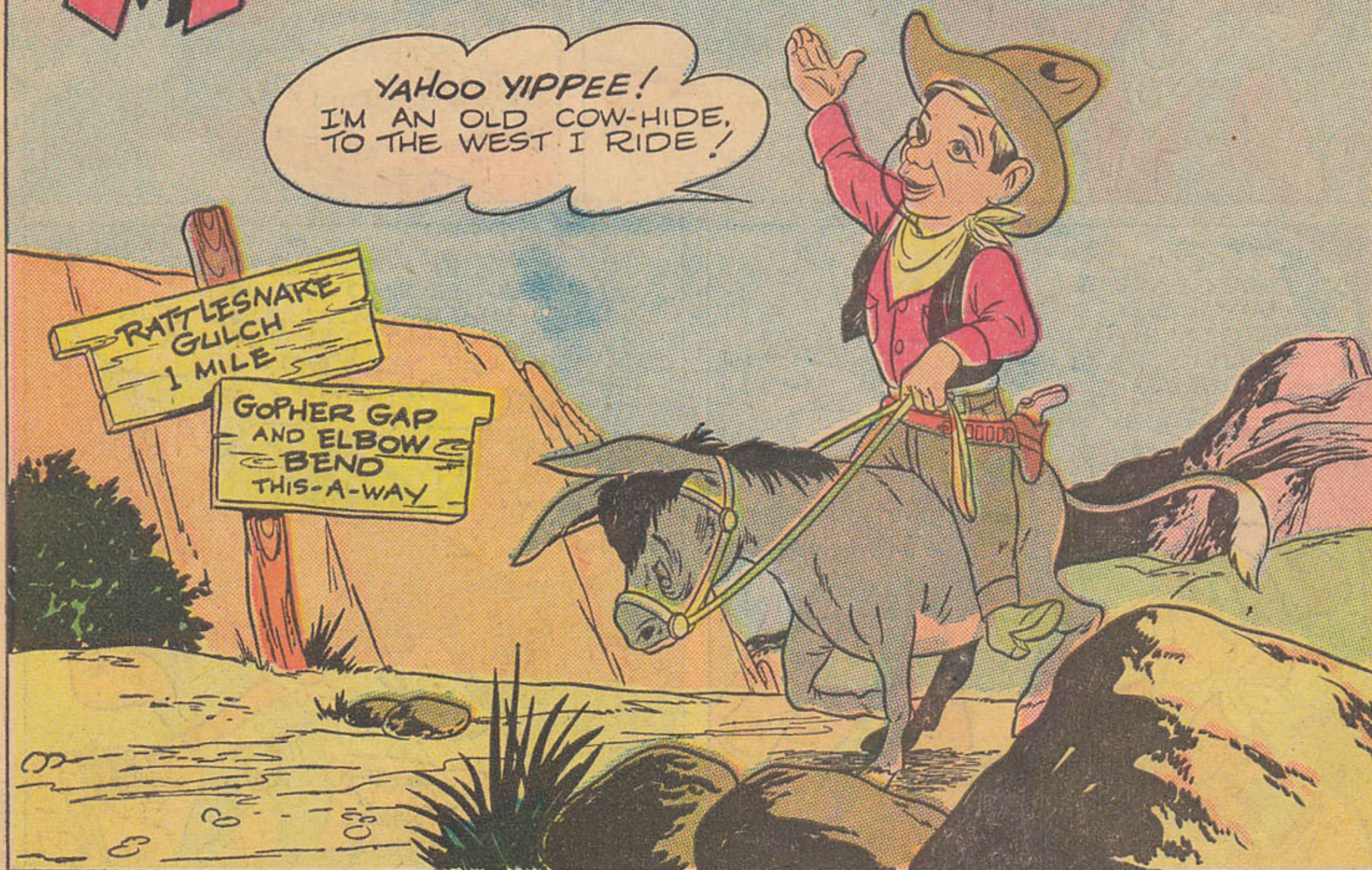
and **BESSIE**, MORTIMER'S COW,
WHO PROVES HERSELF THE **REAL**
HEROINE, BY SAVING THE DAY
FOR EVERYONE.

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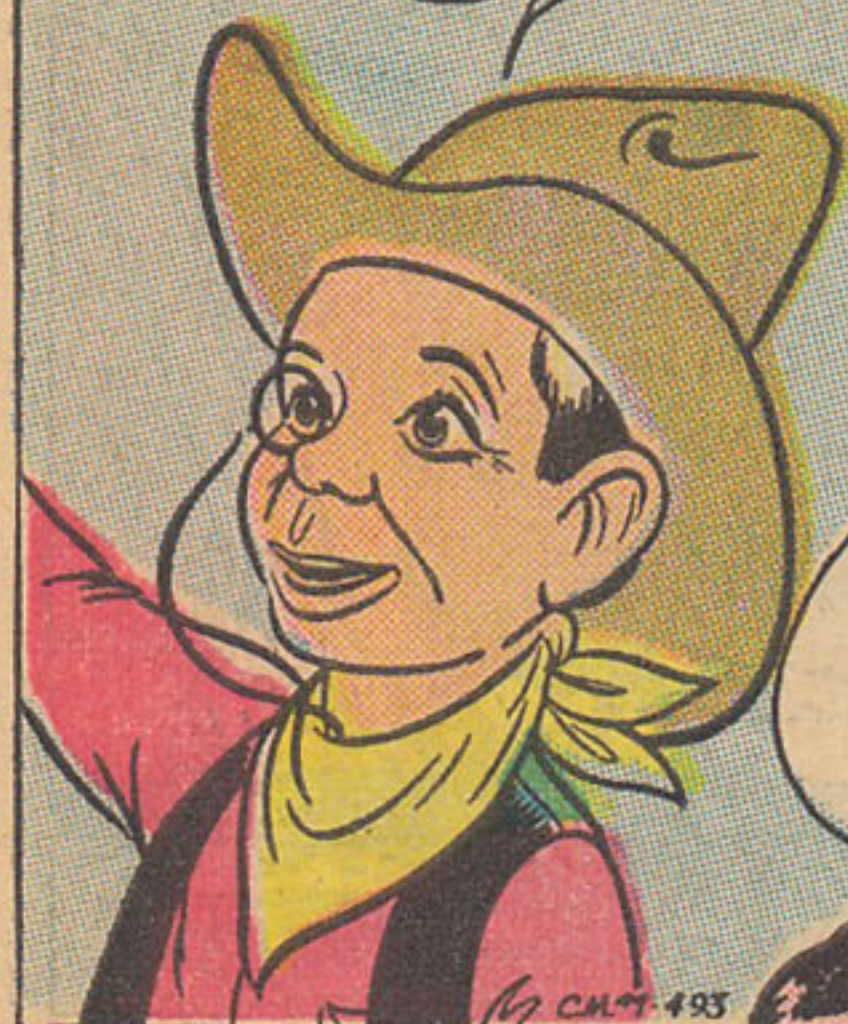
Charlie McCarthy

COWBOY
DETECTIVE

YAHOO YIPPEE!
I'M AN OLD COW-HIDE,
TO THE WEST I RIDE!



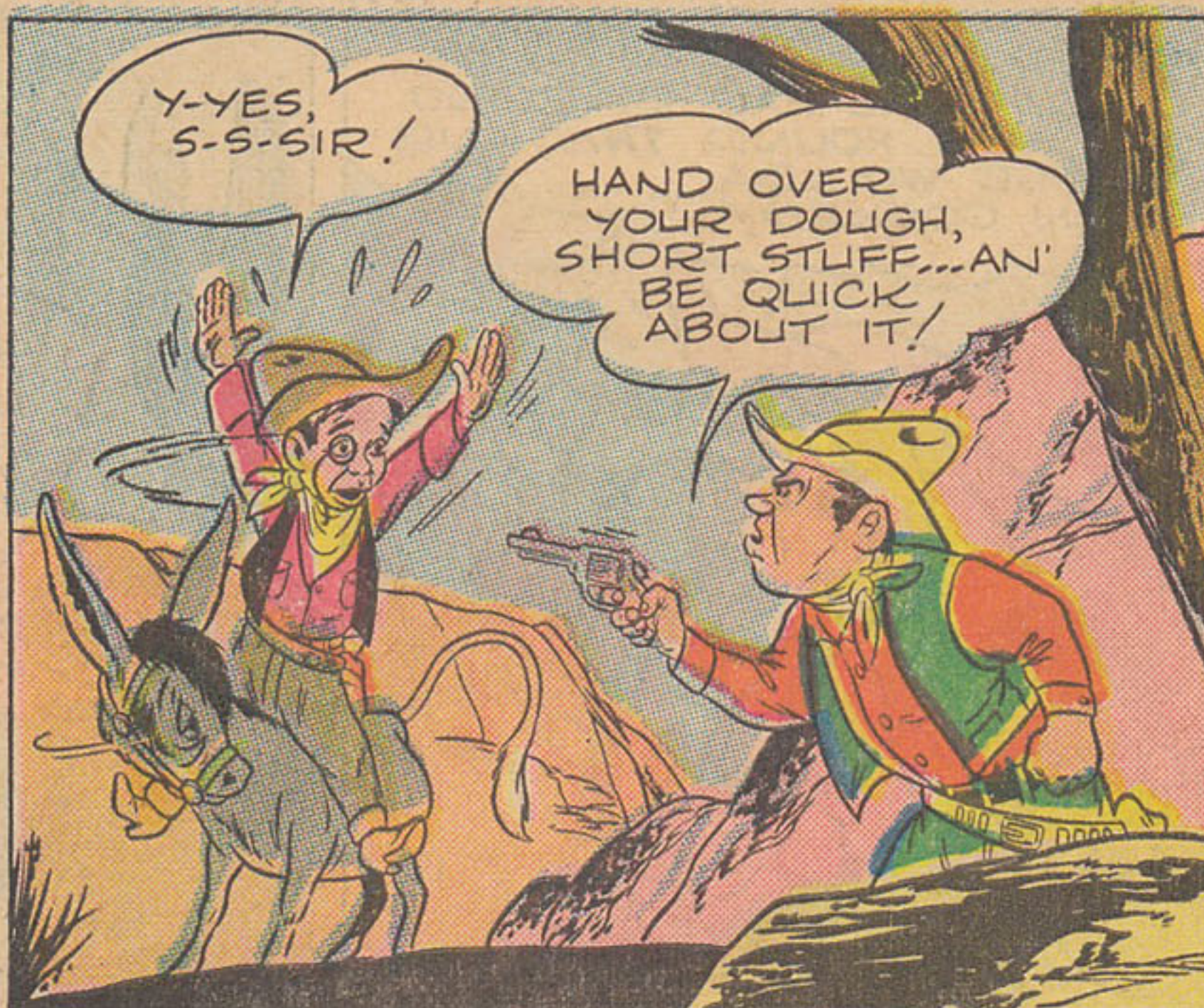
I'M A
ROOTIN',
TOOTIN',
HIGH-FALOOTIN'...



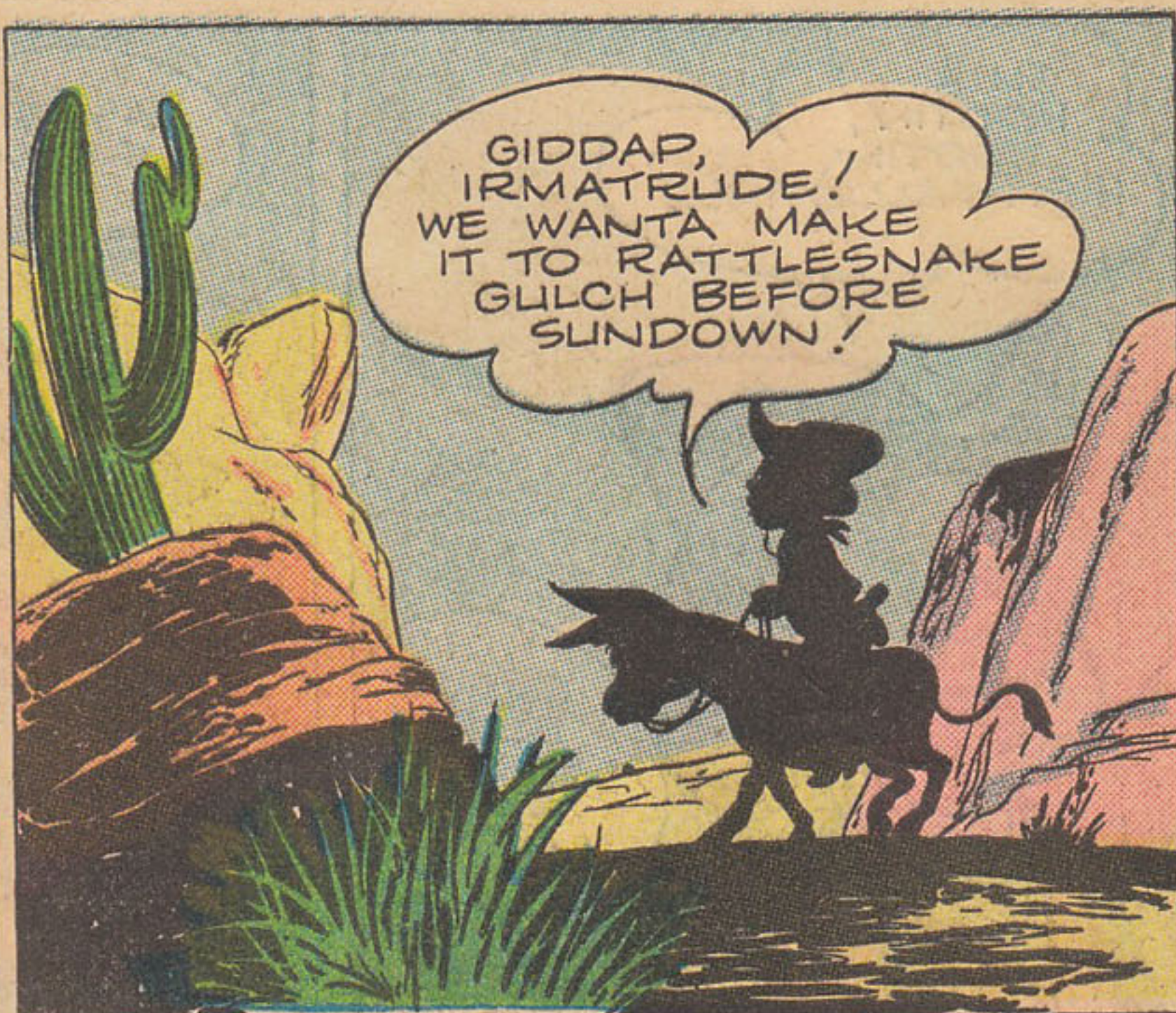
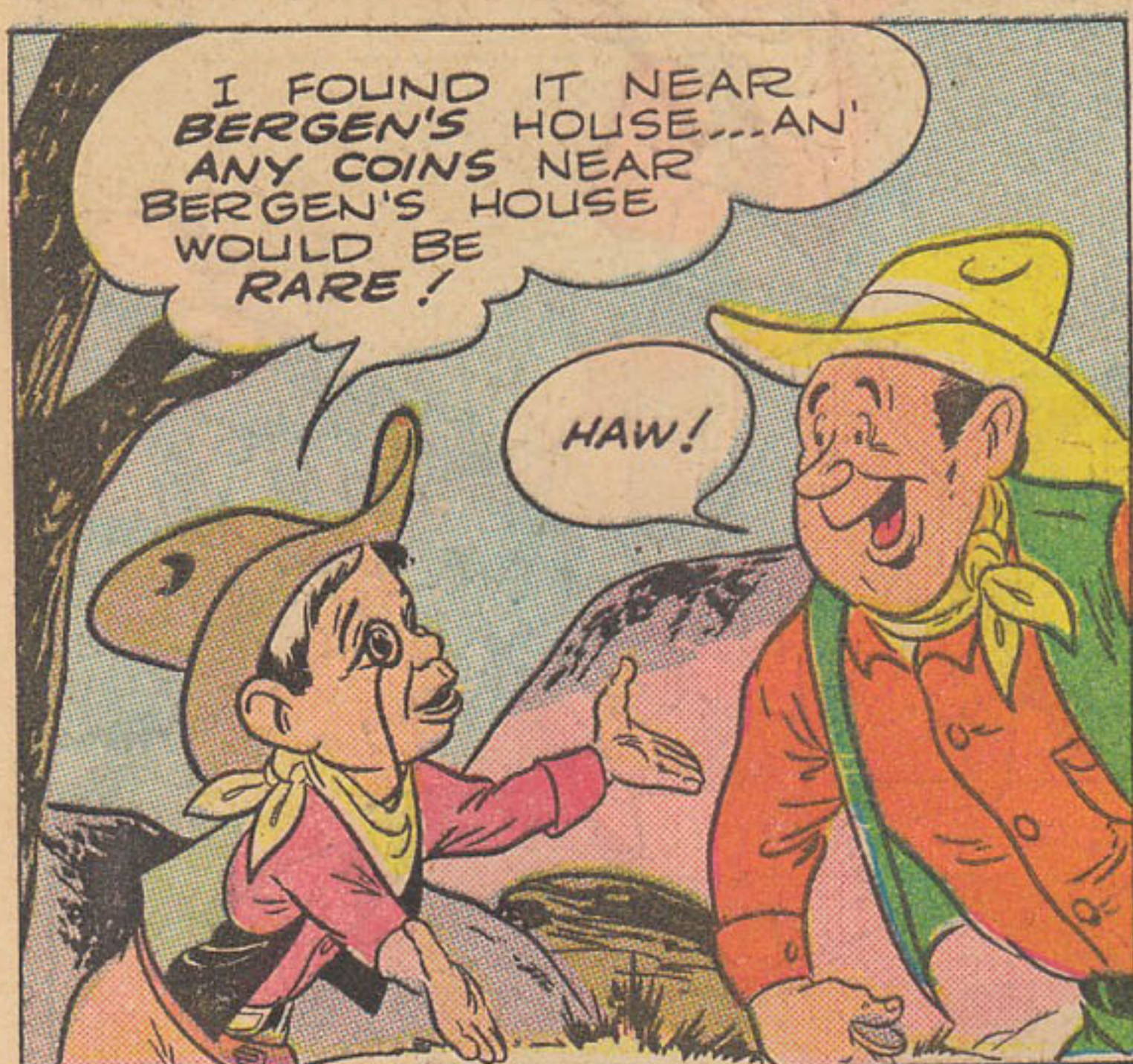
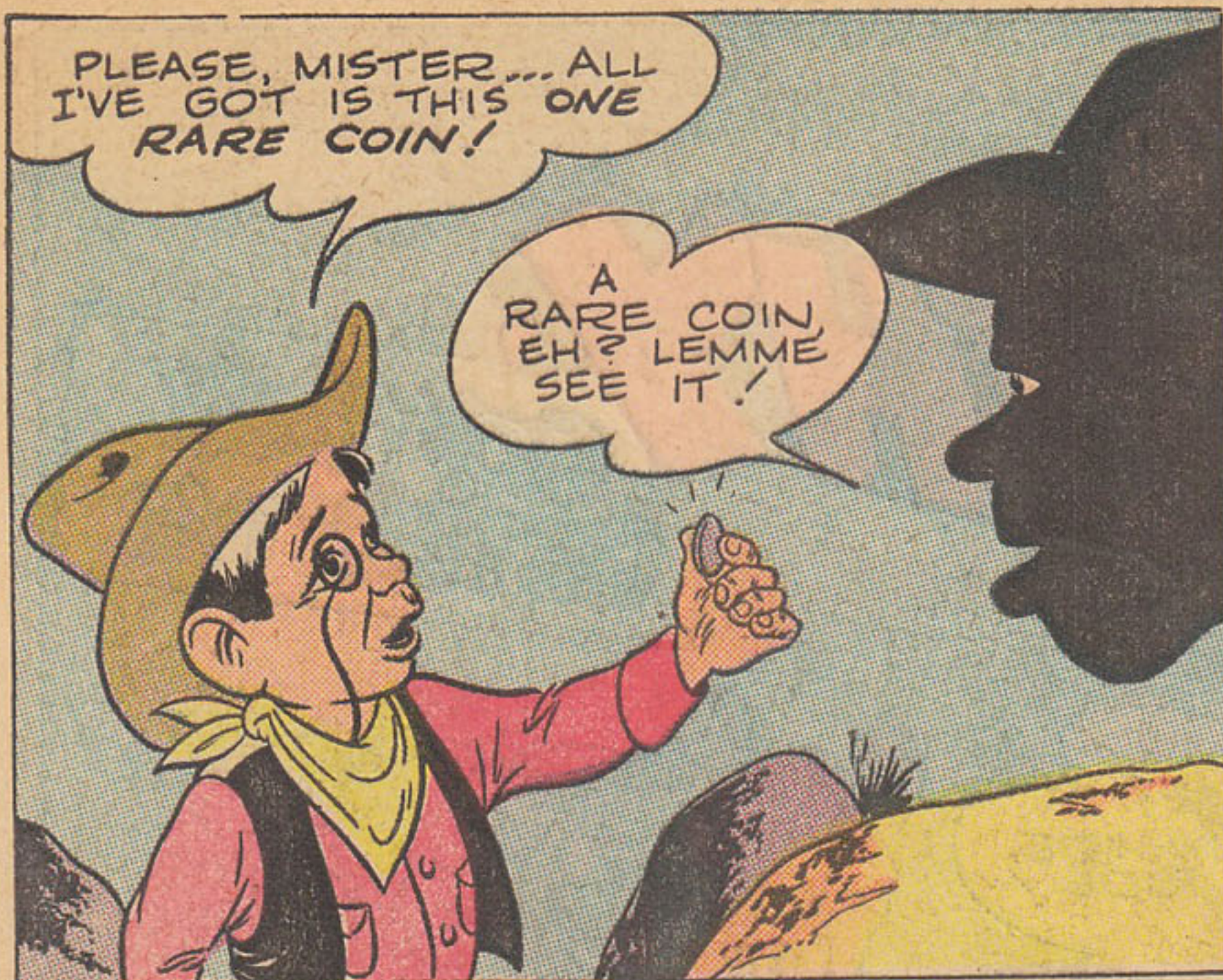
OKAY,
BLUB...
STICK
'EM
UP!

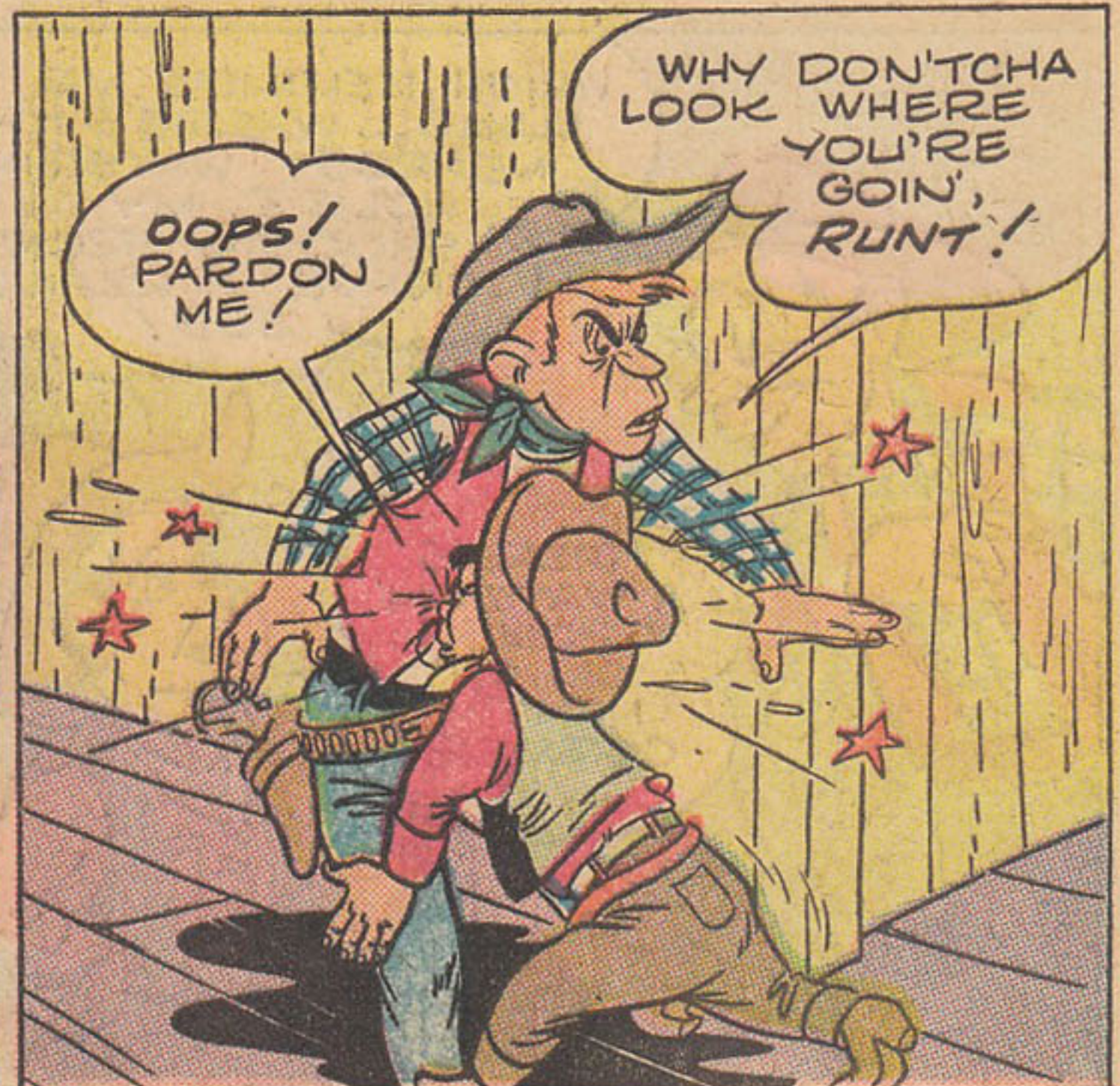
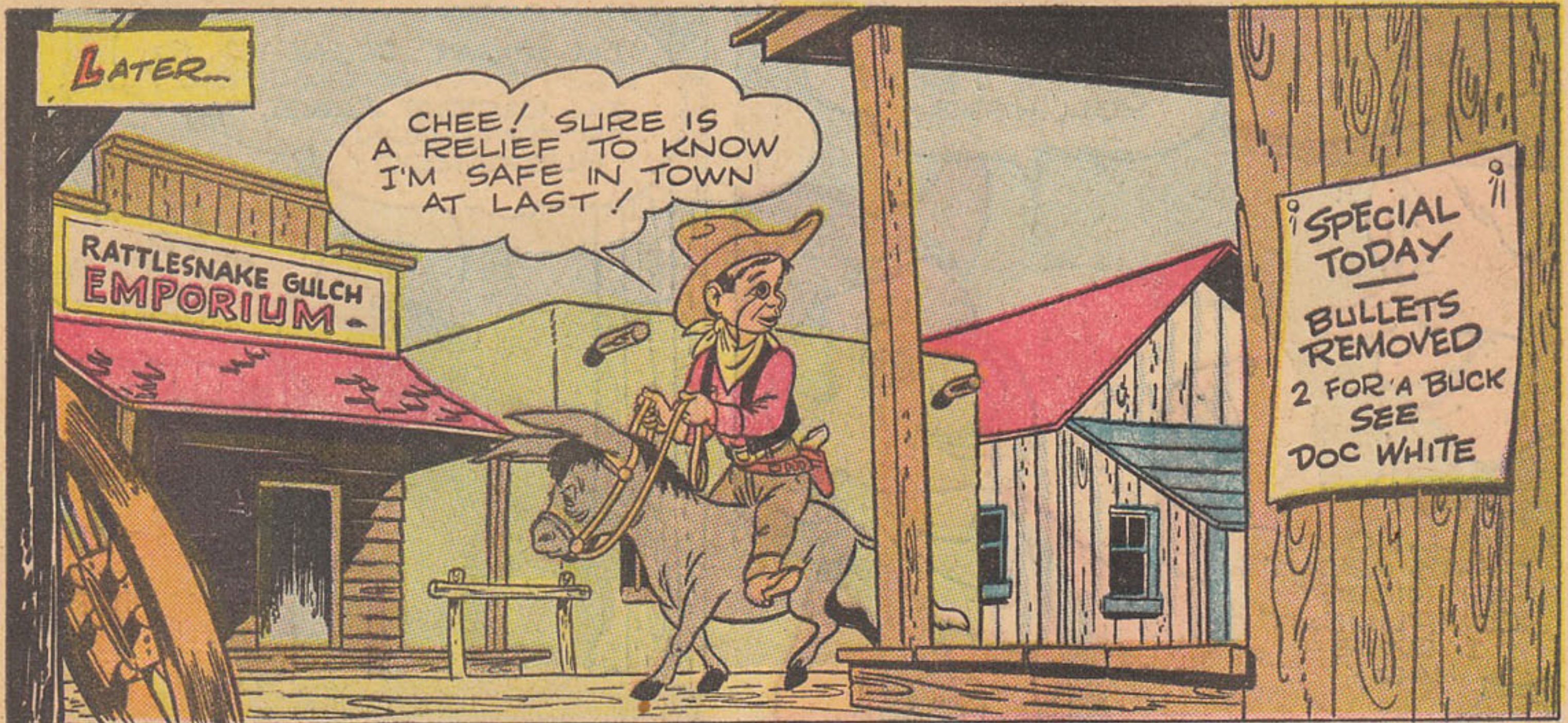
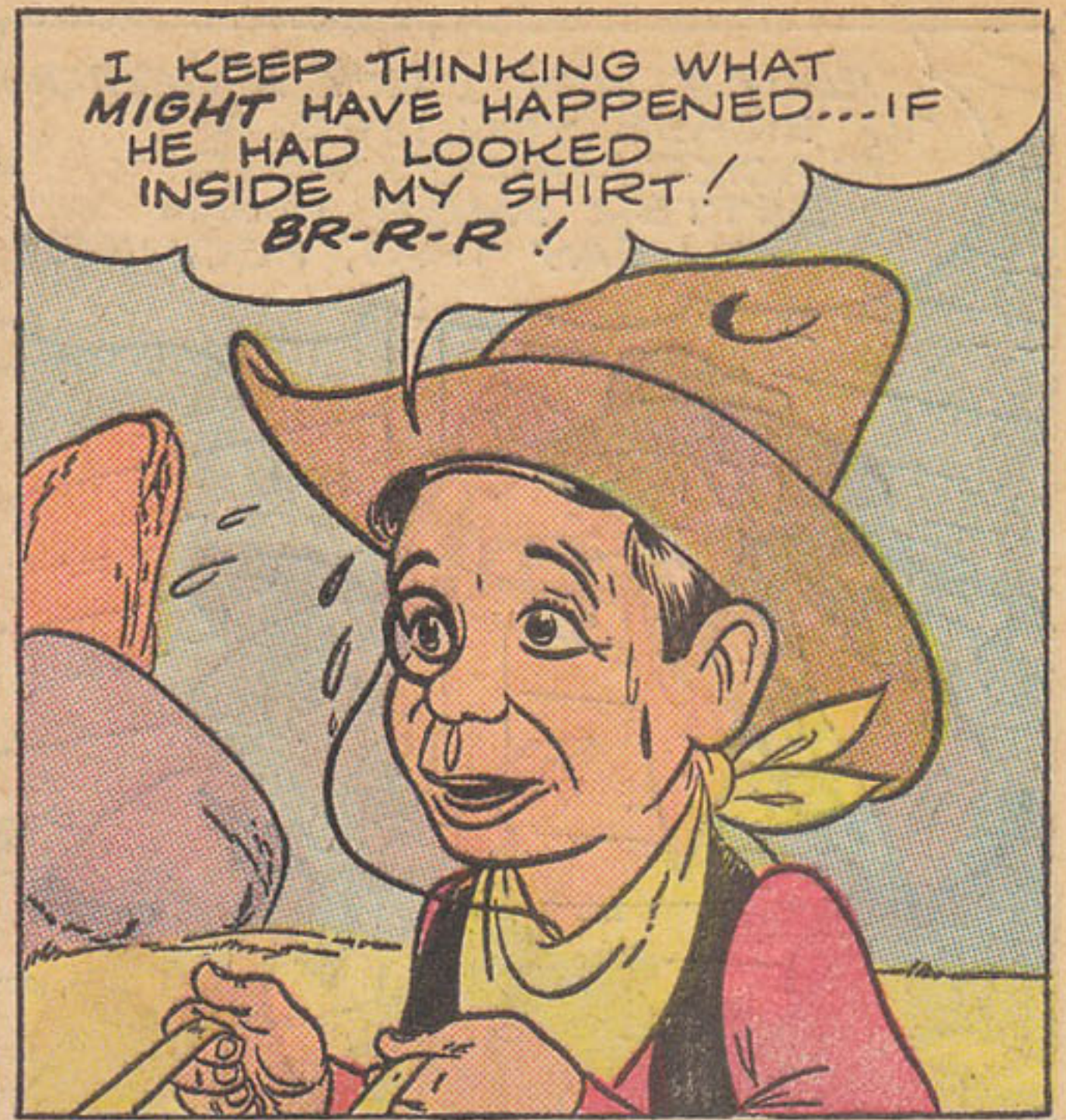
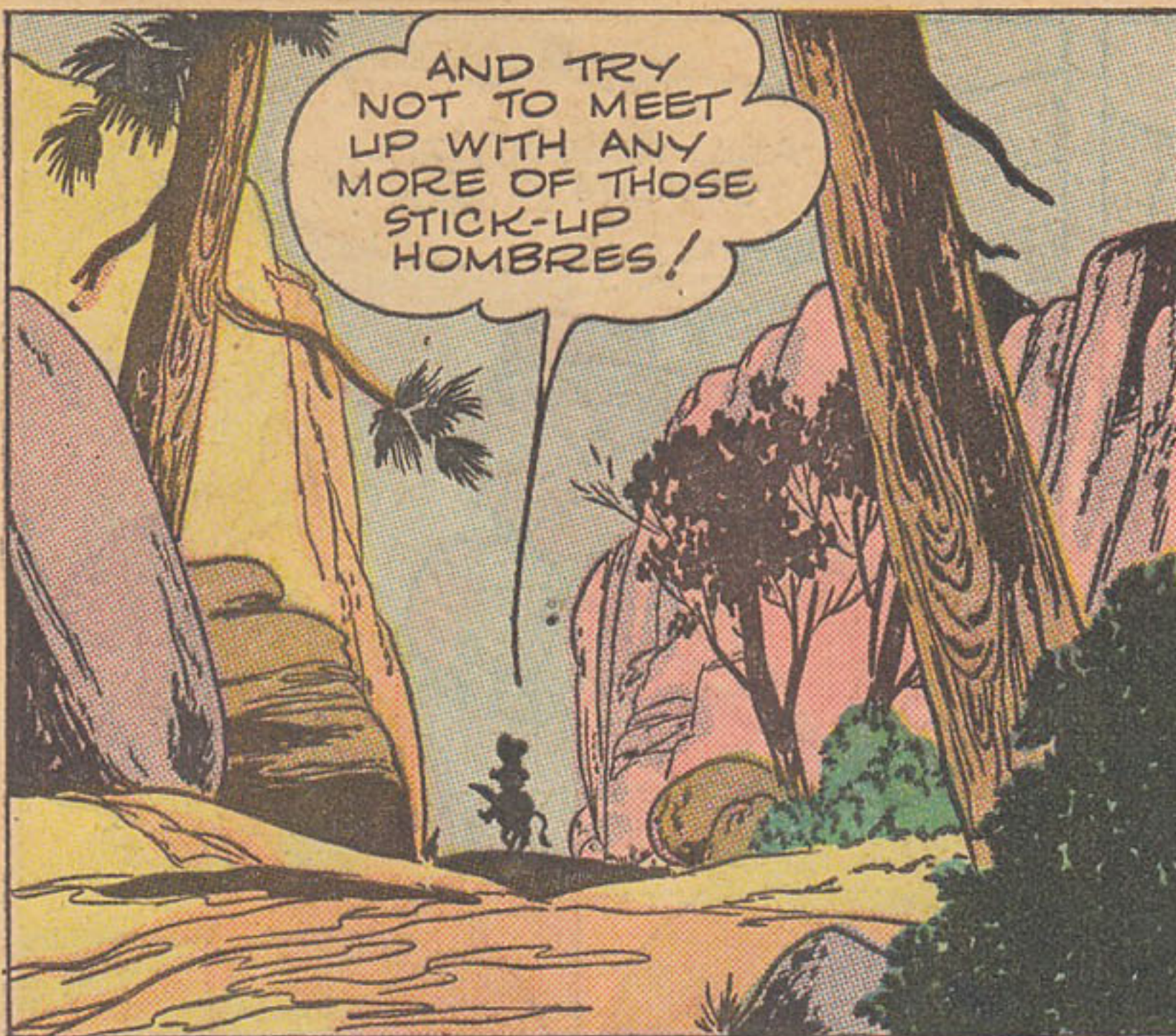
Y-YES,
S-S-SIR!

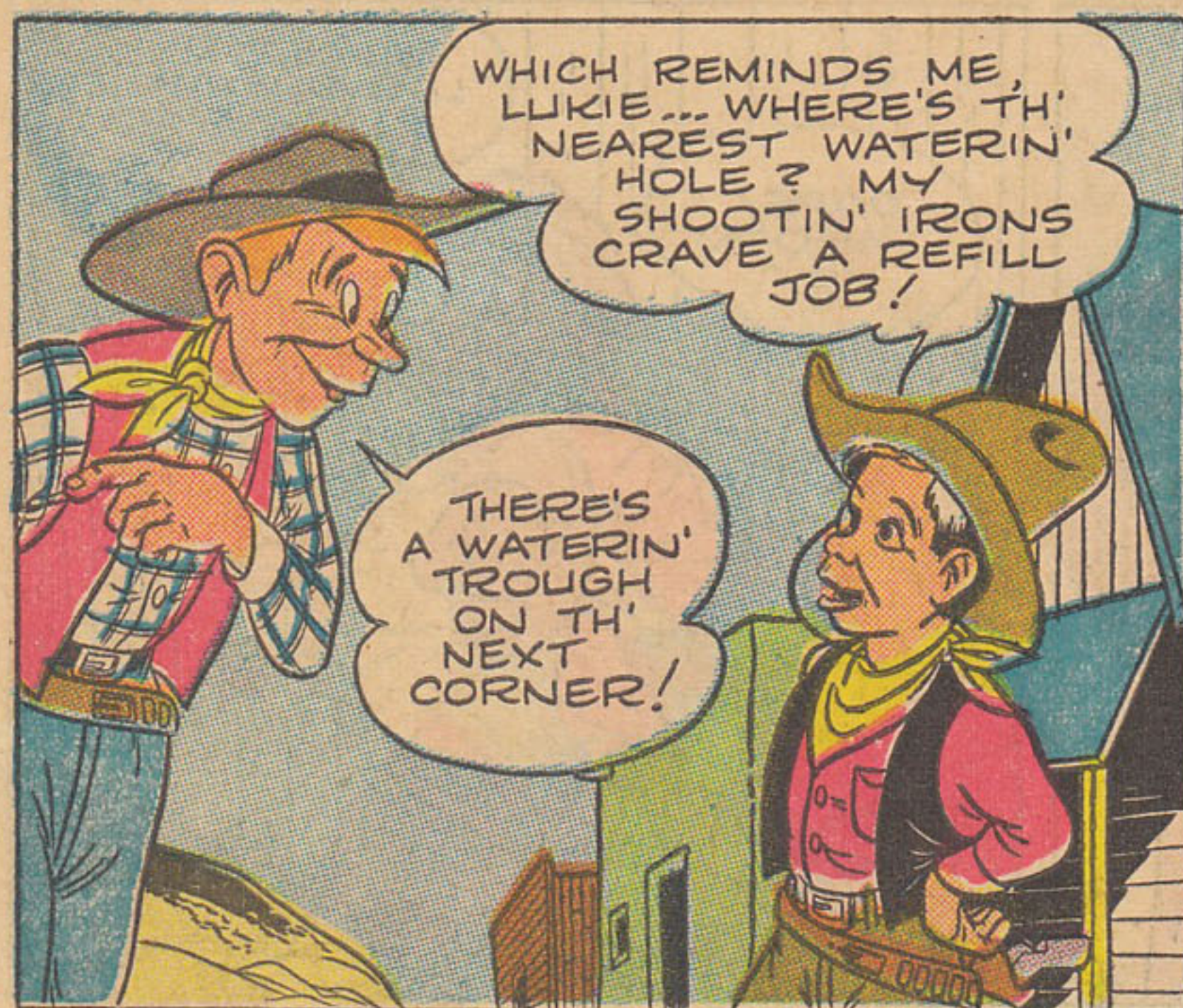
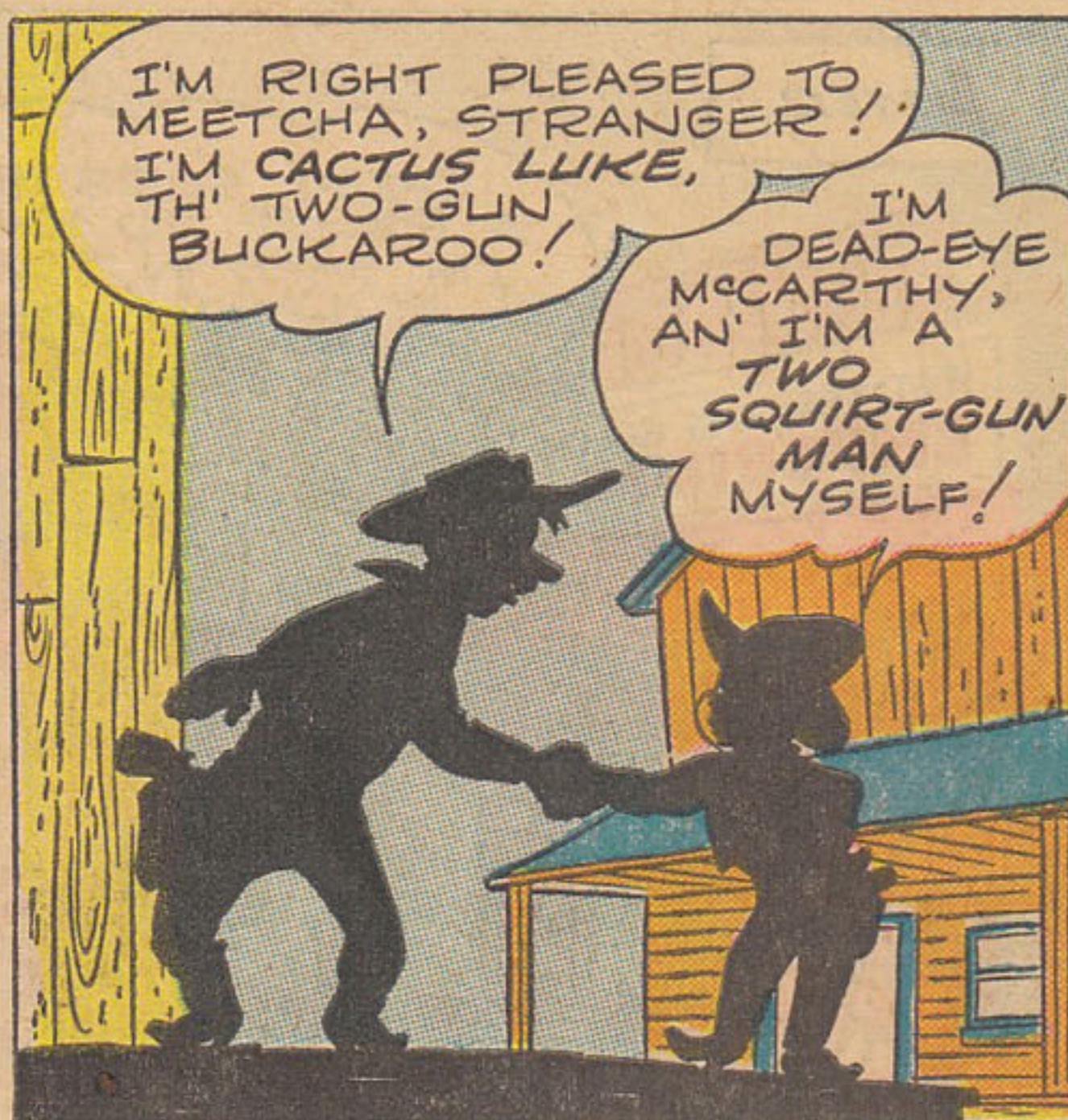
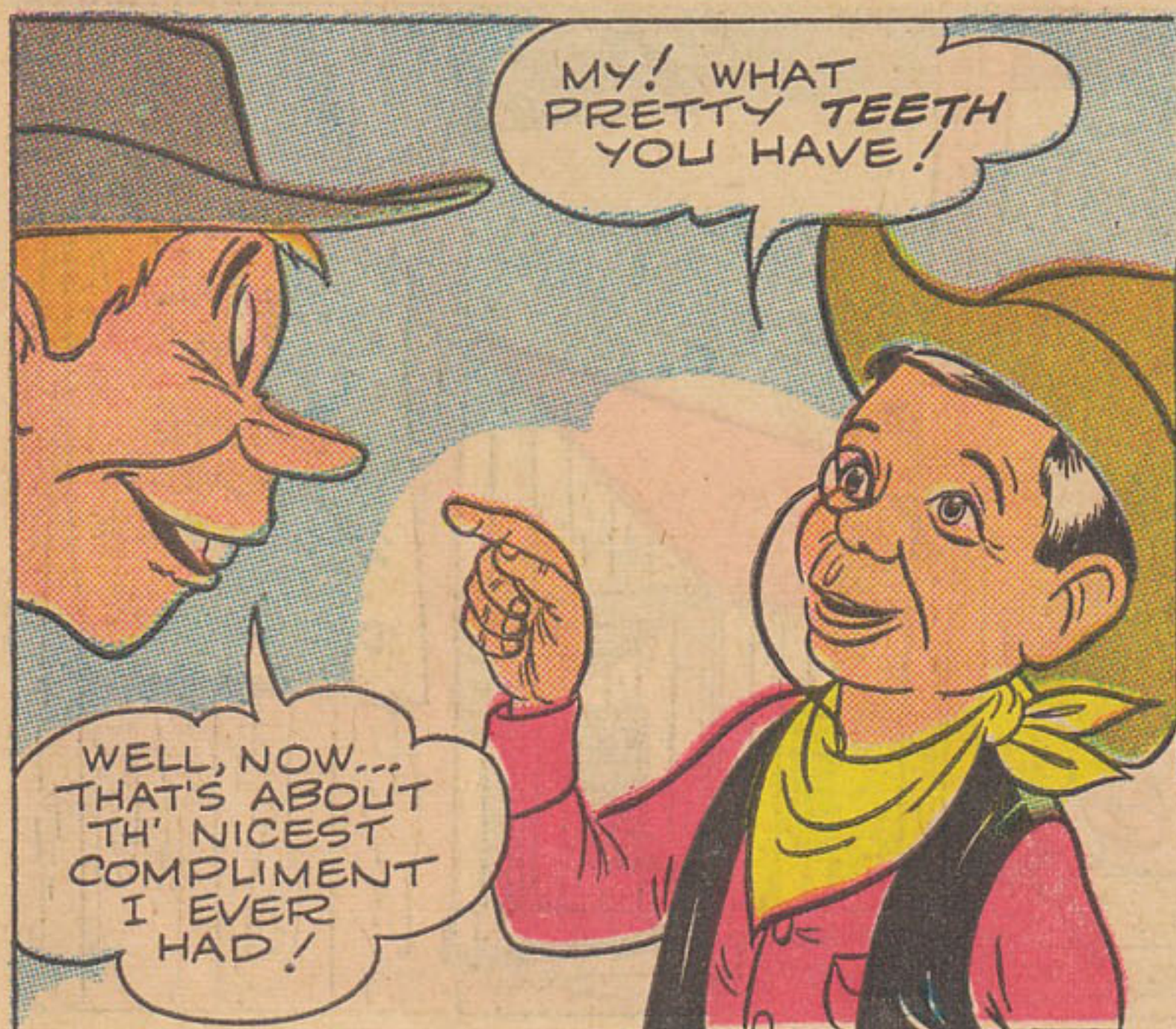
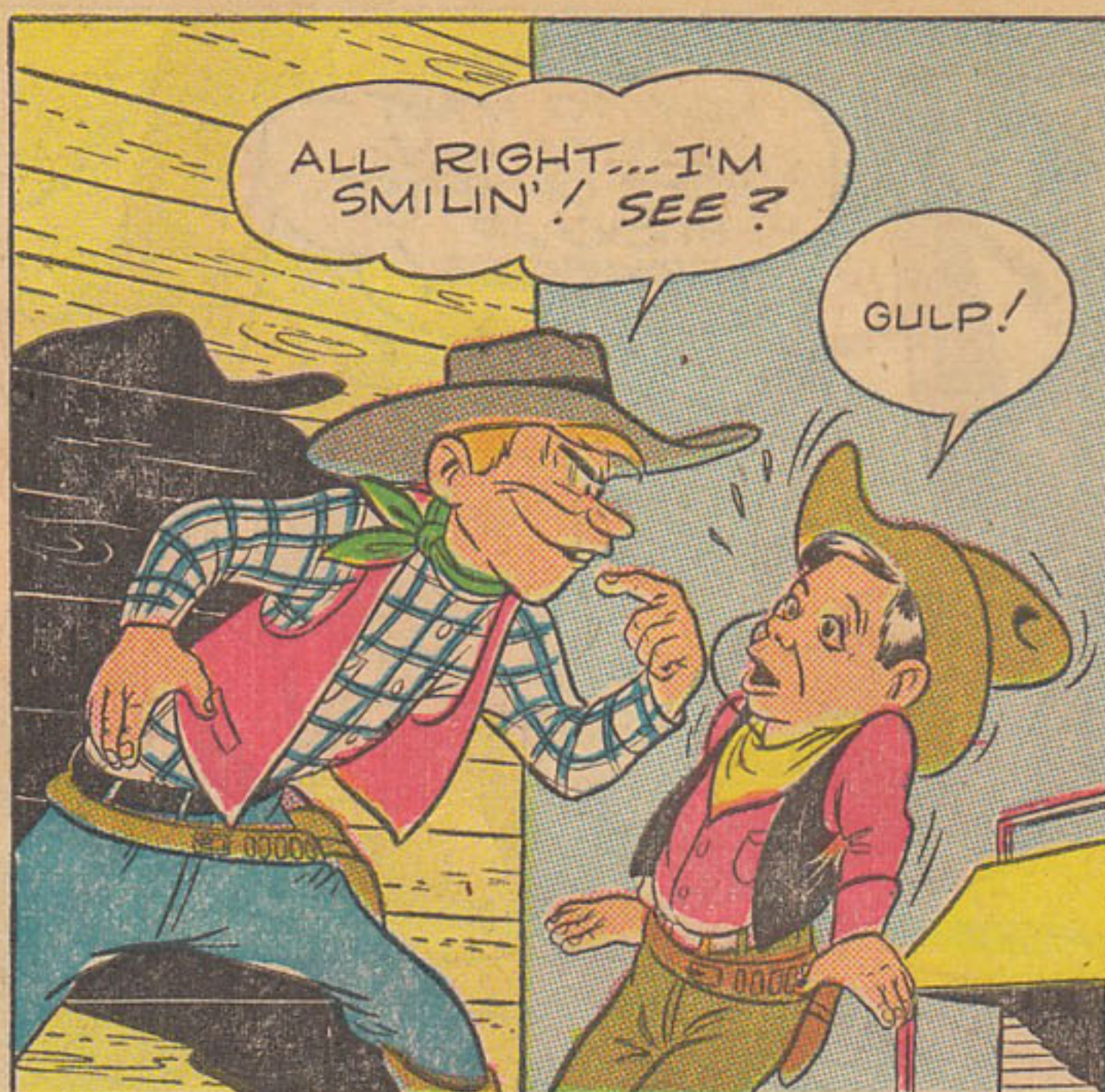
HAND OVER
YOUR DOUGH,
SHORT STUFF...AN'
BE QUICK
ABOUT IT!

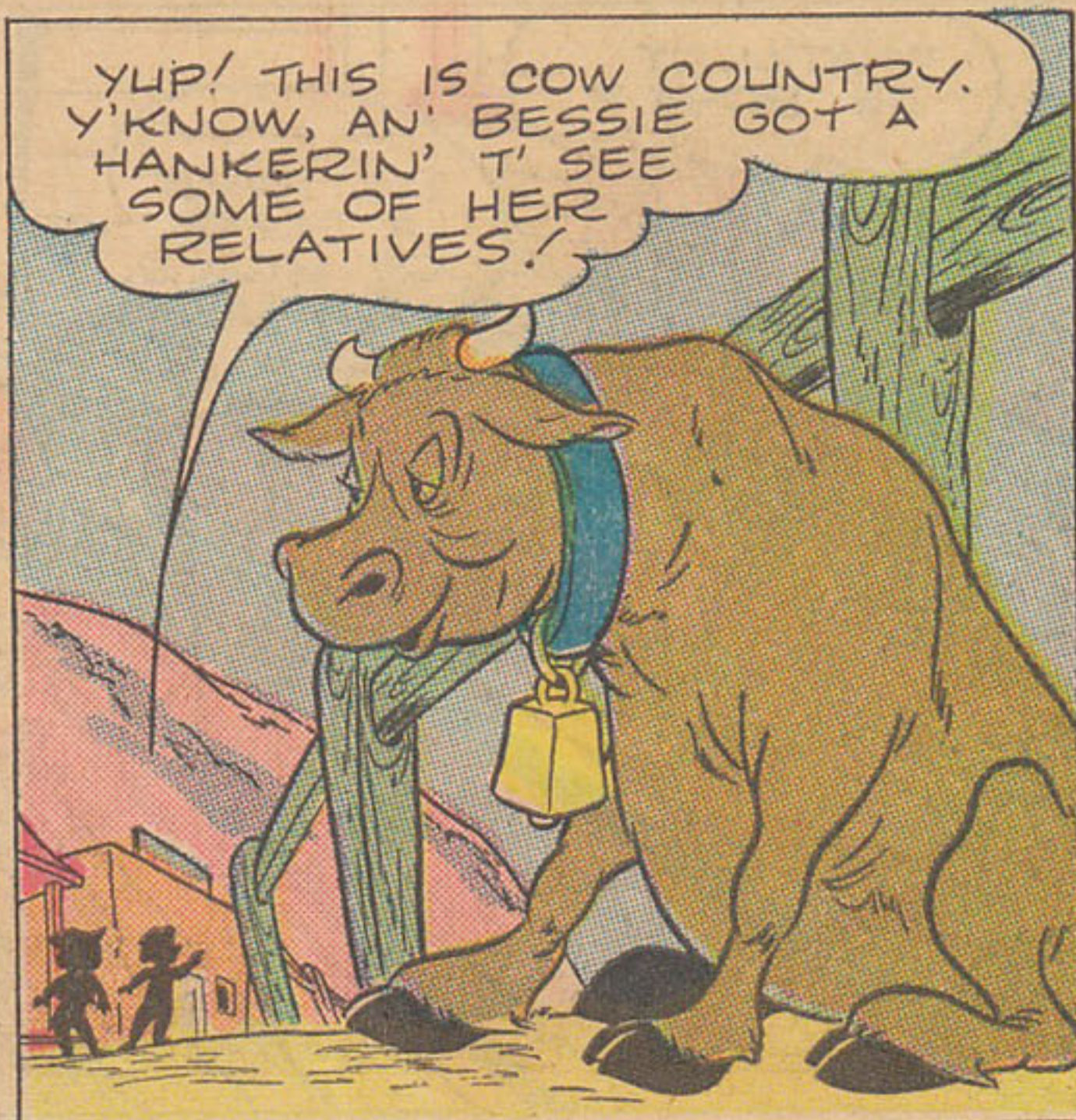
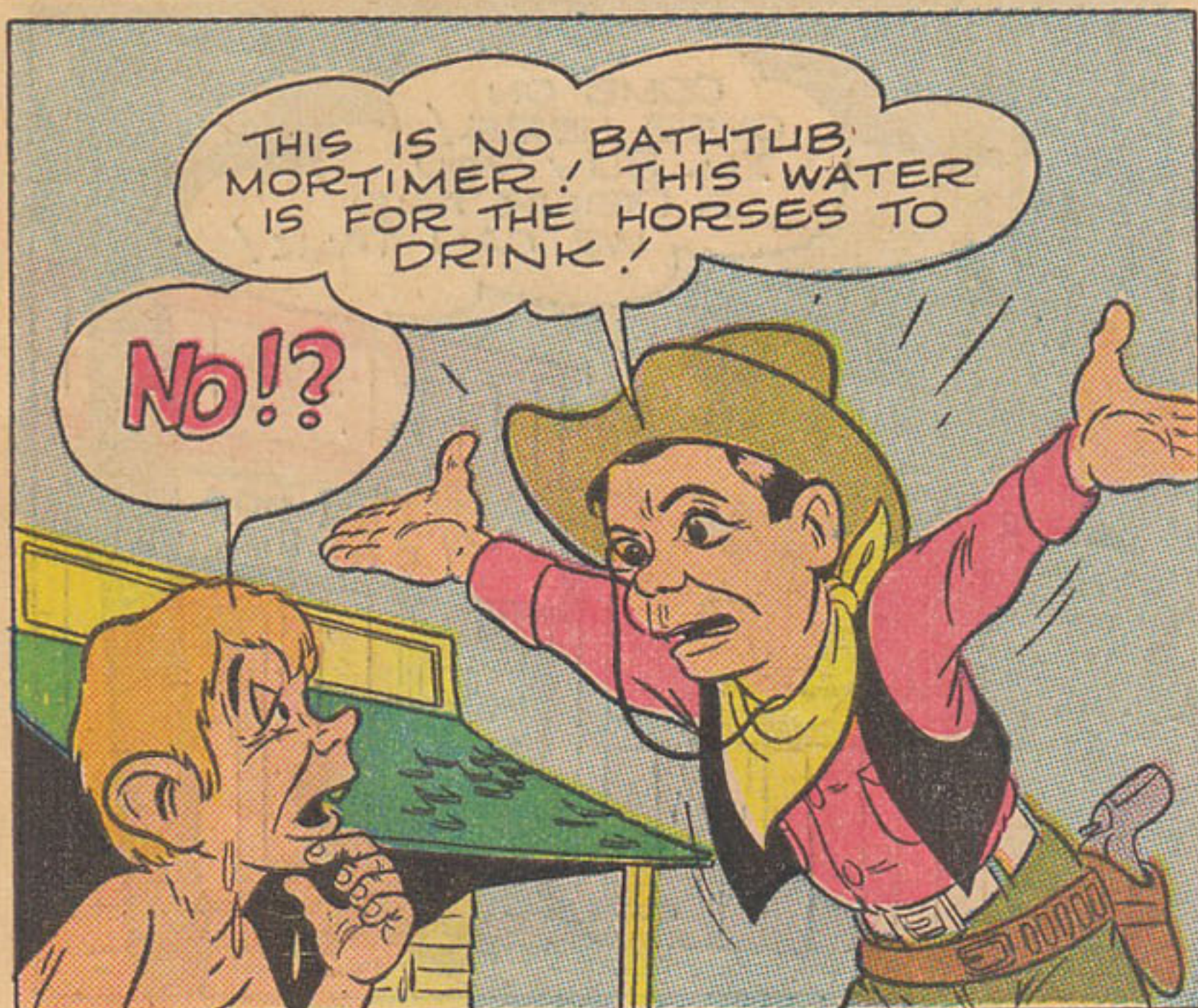
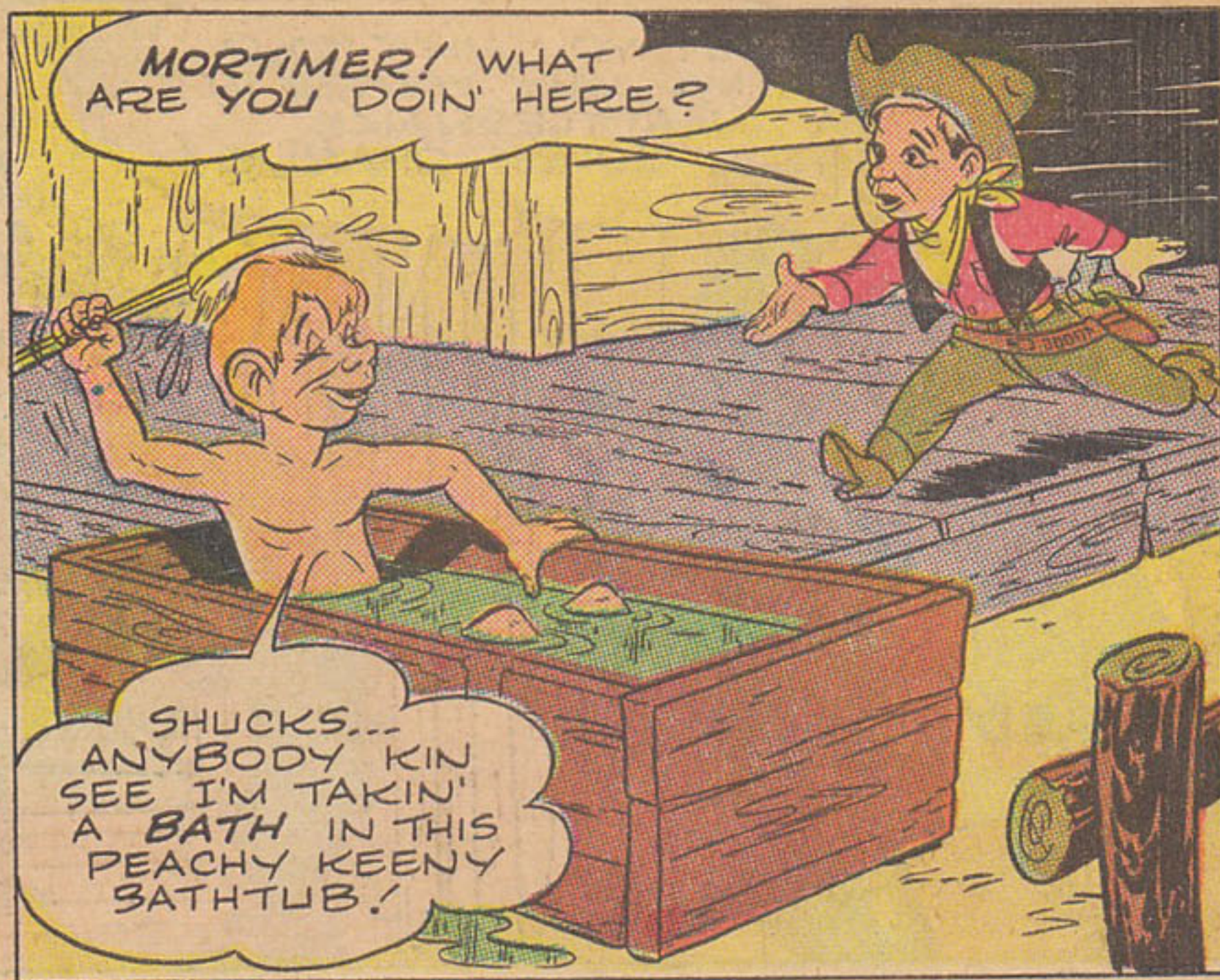


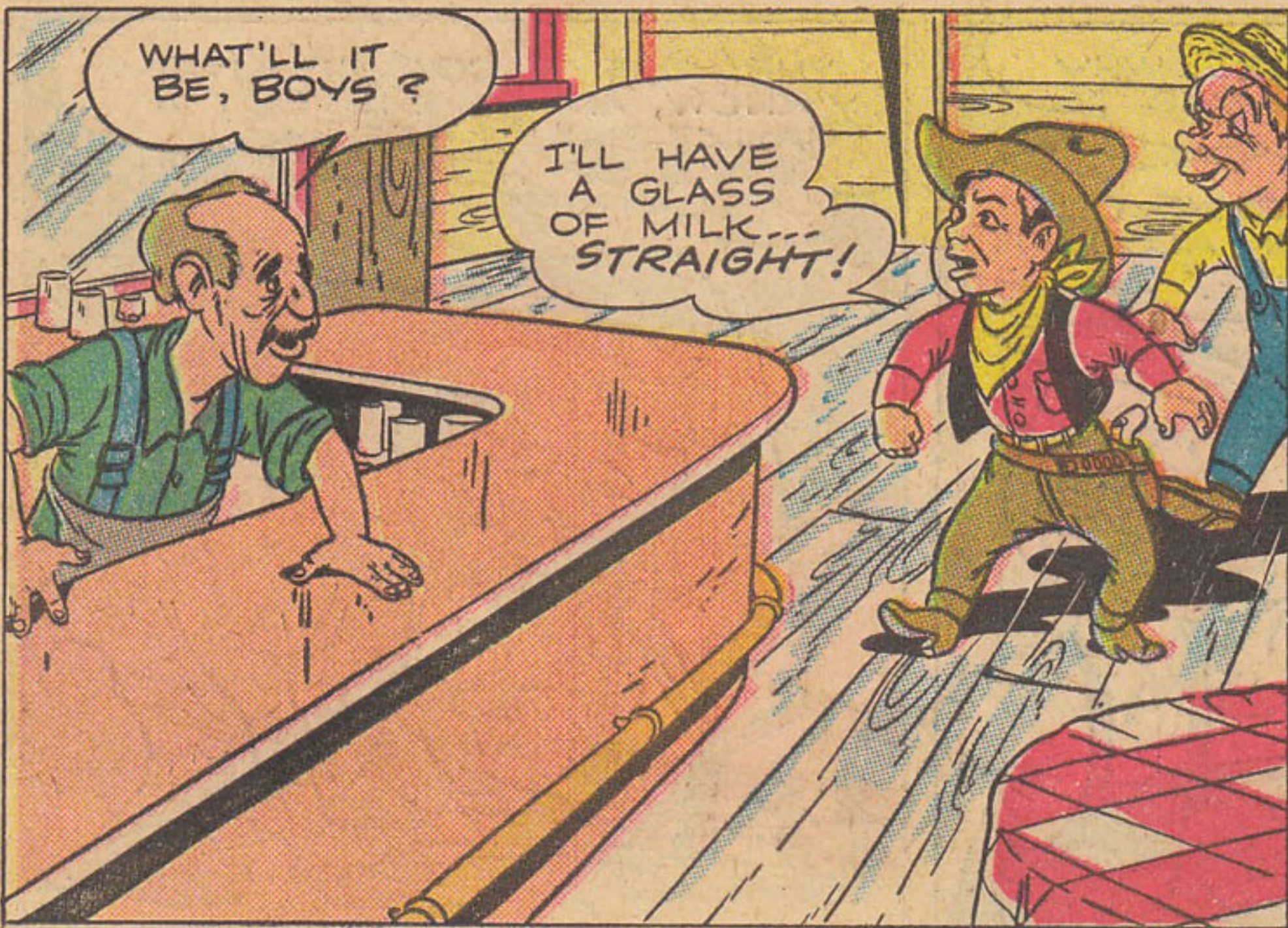
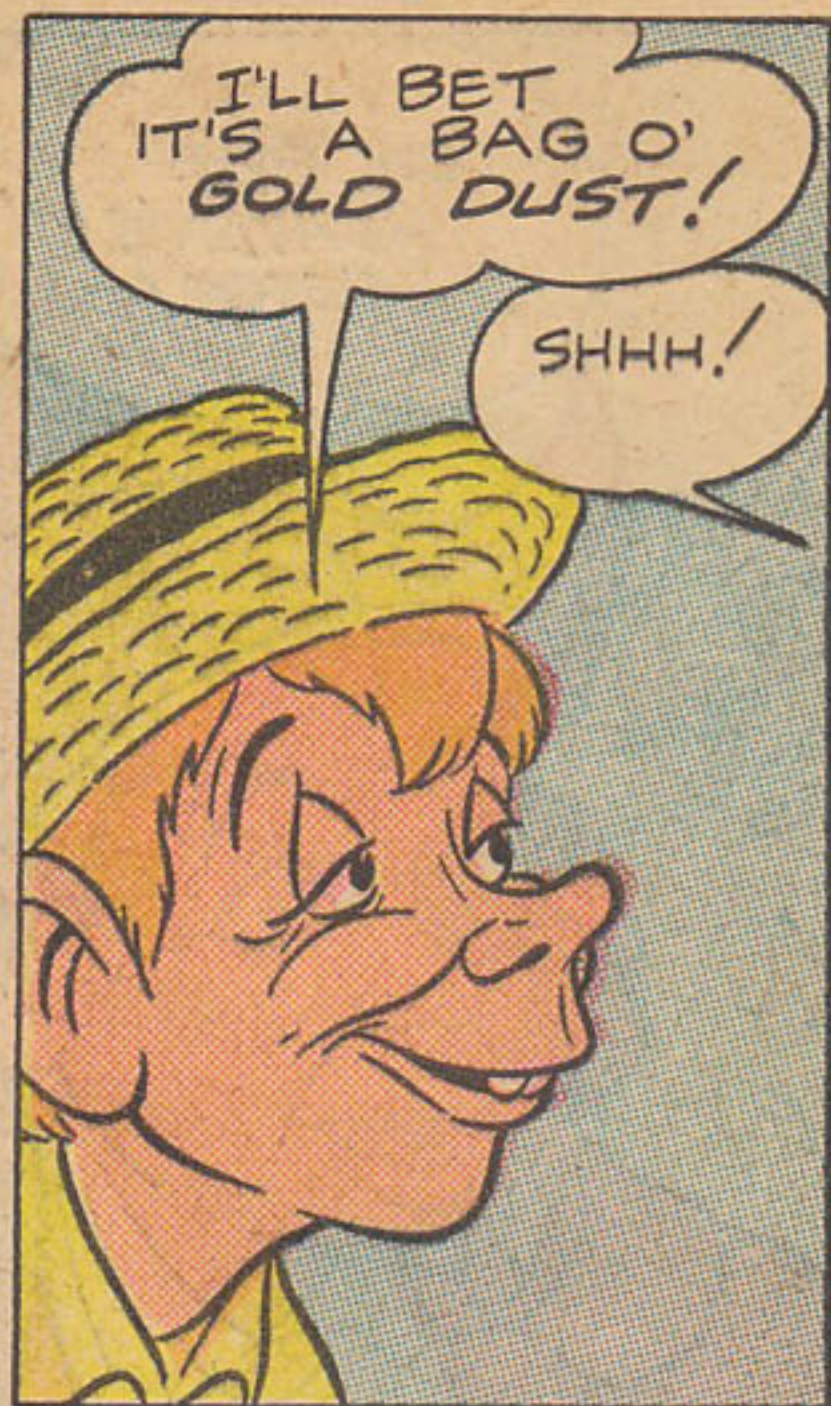
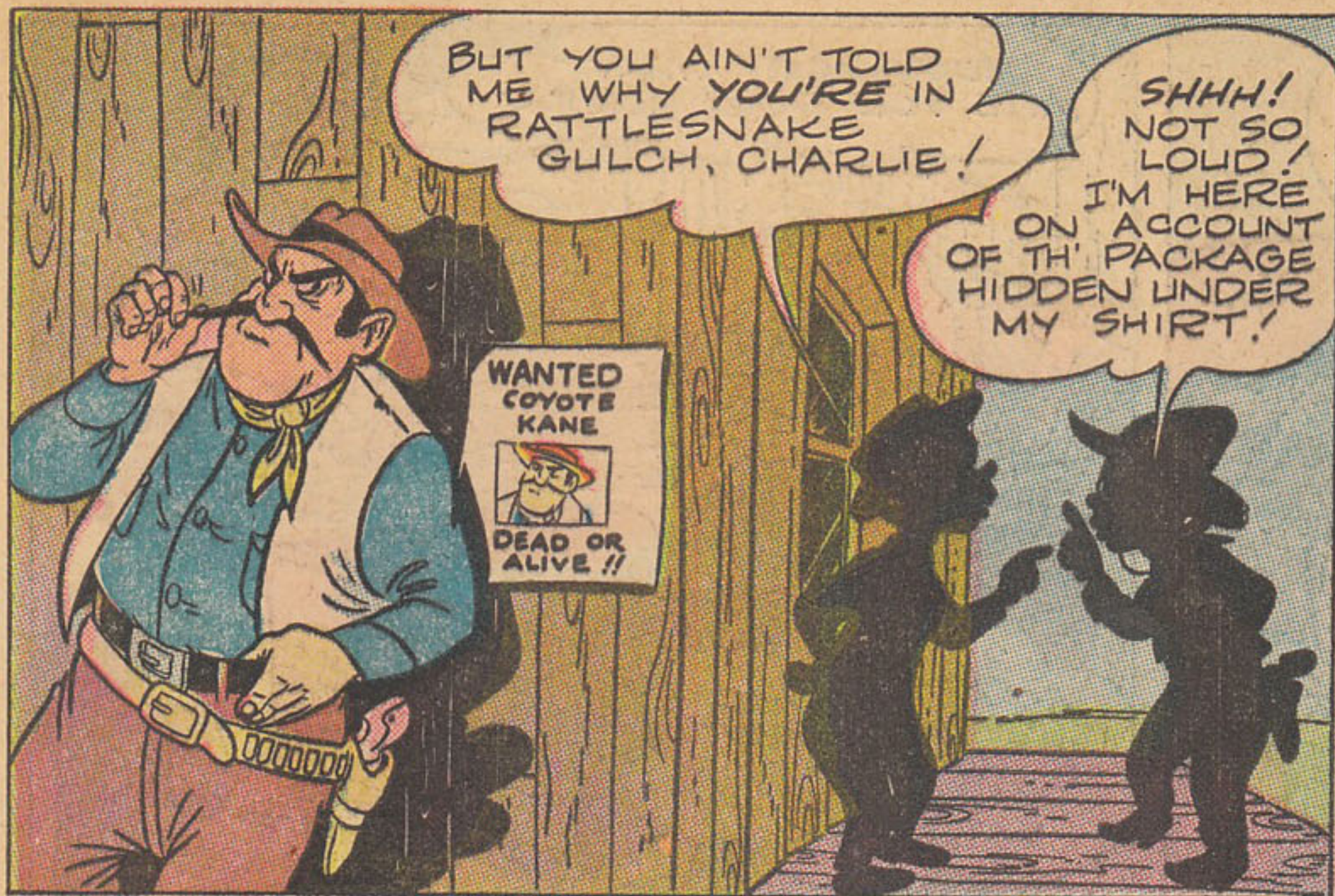
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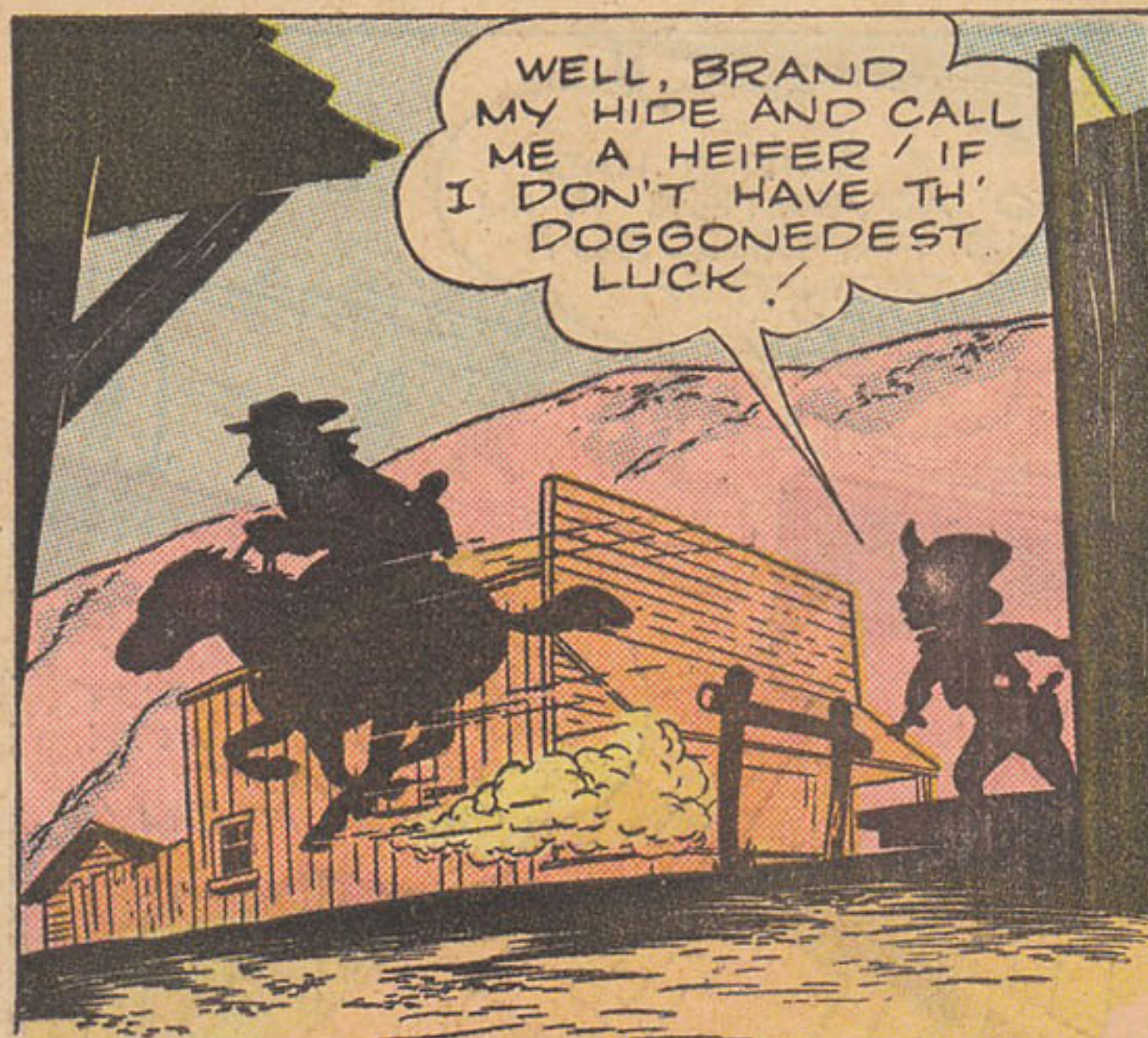
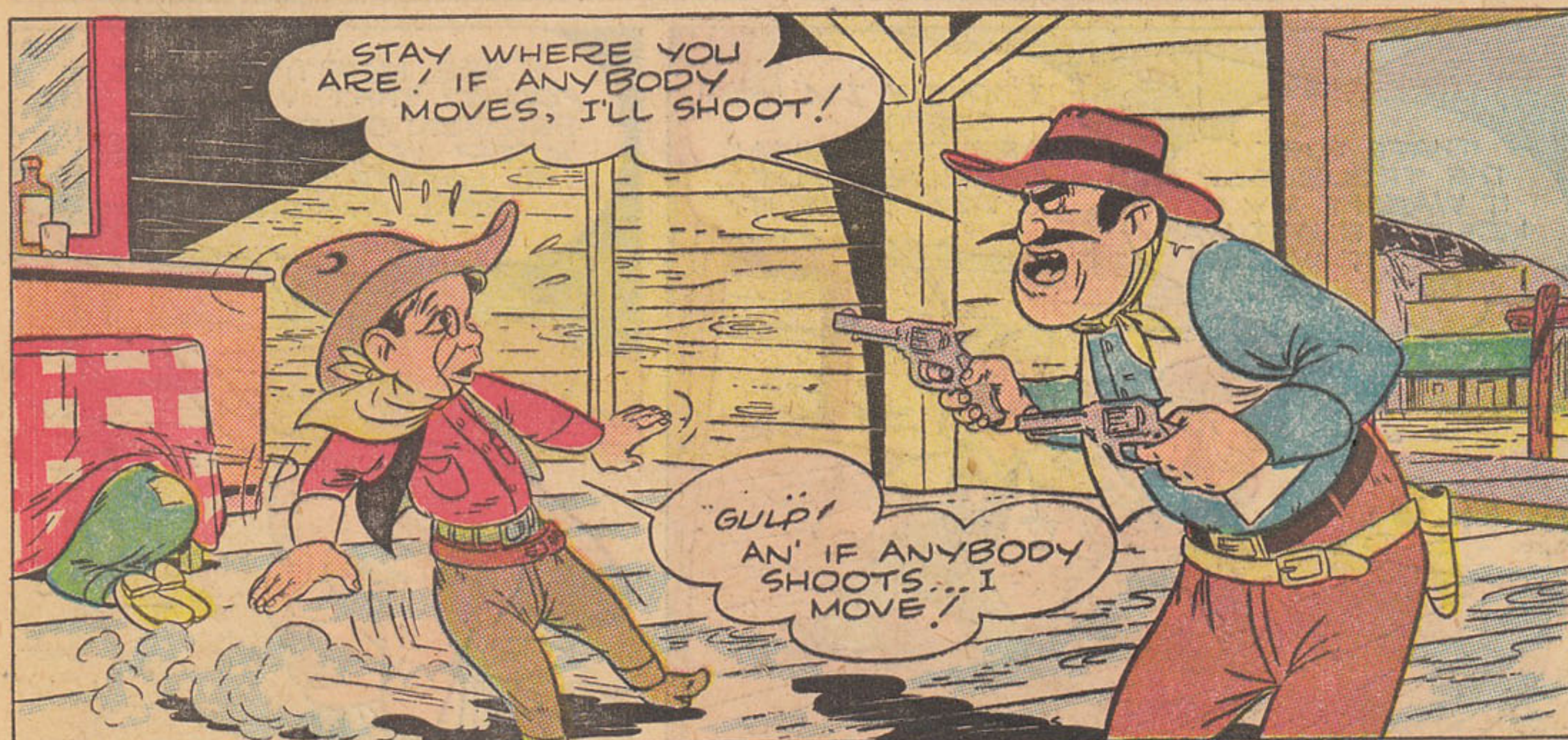
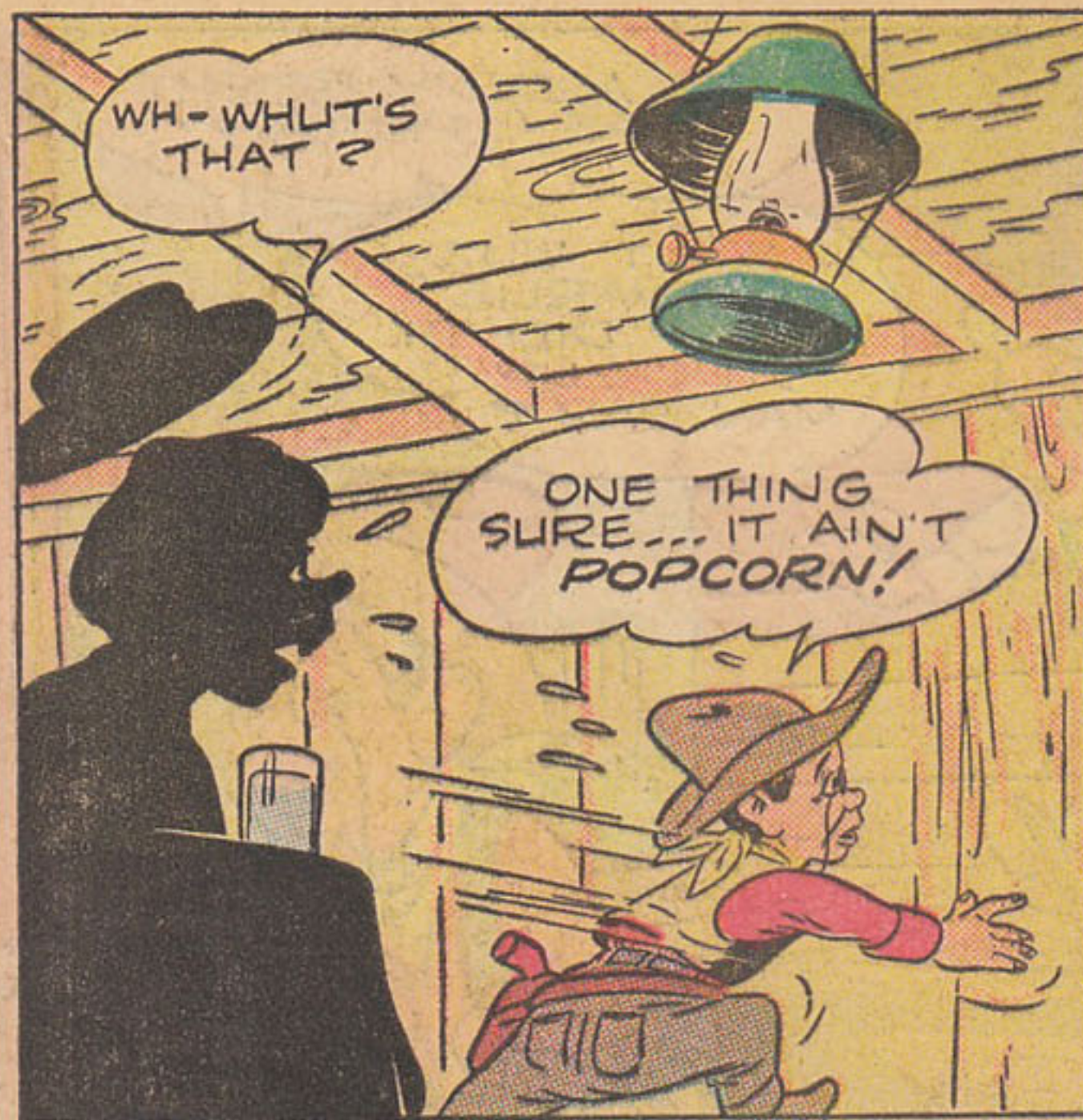
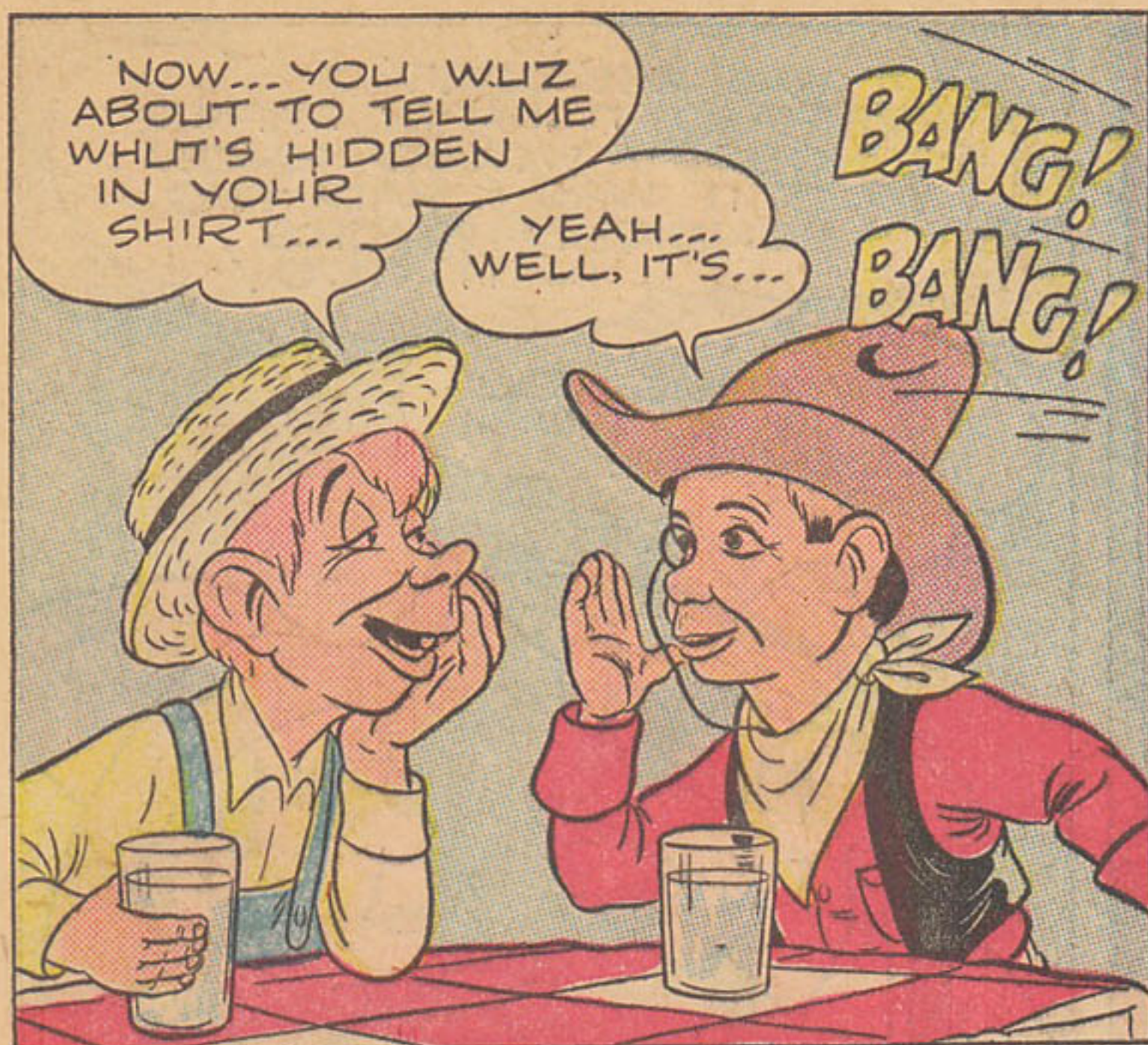


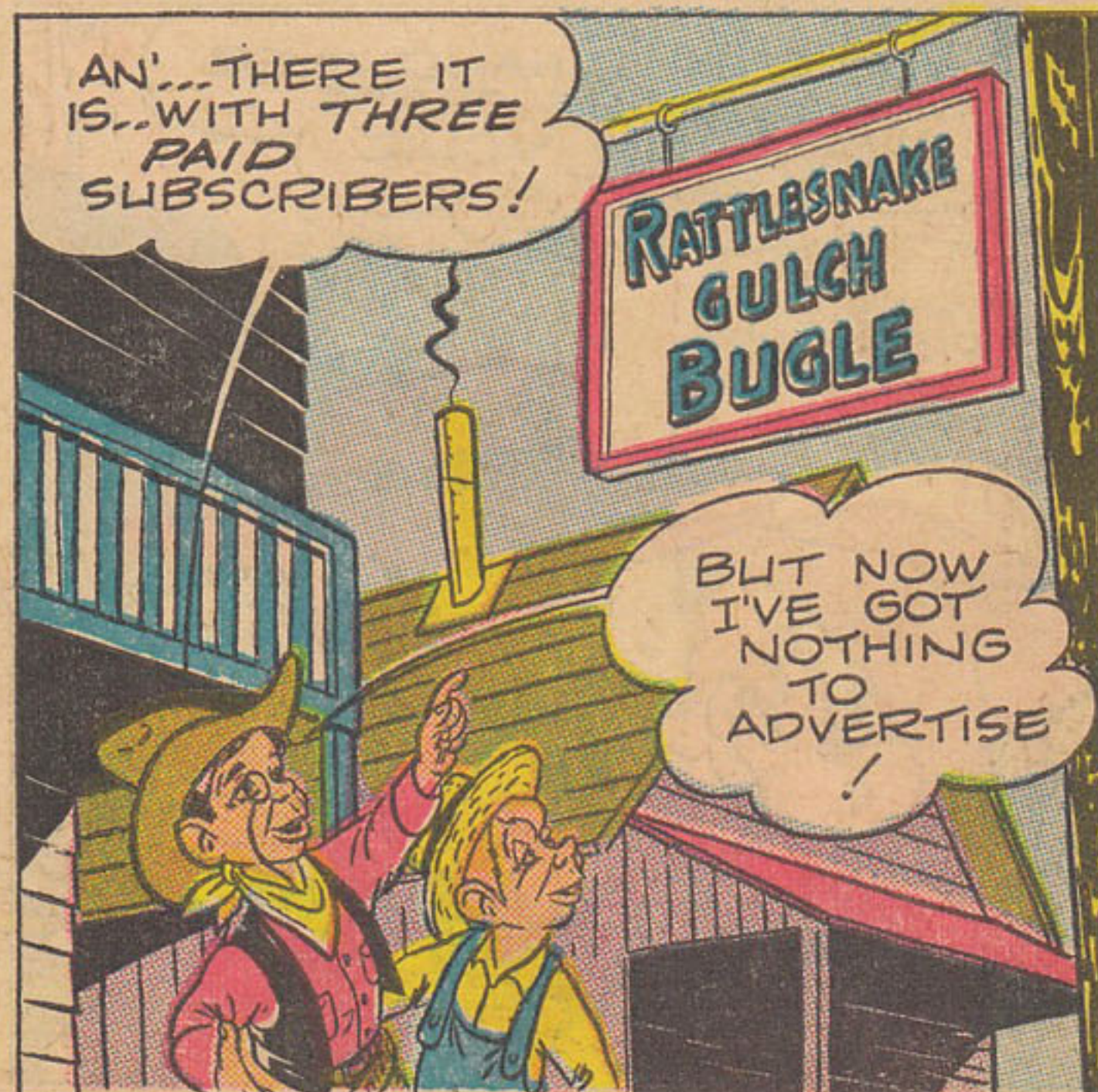
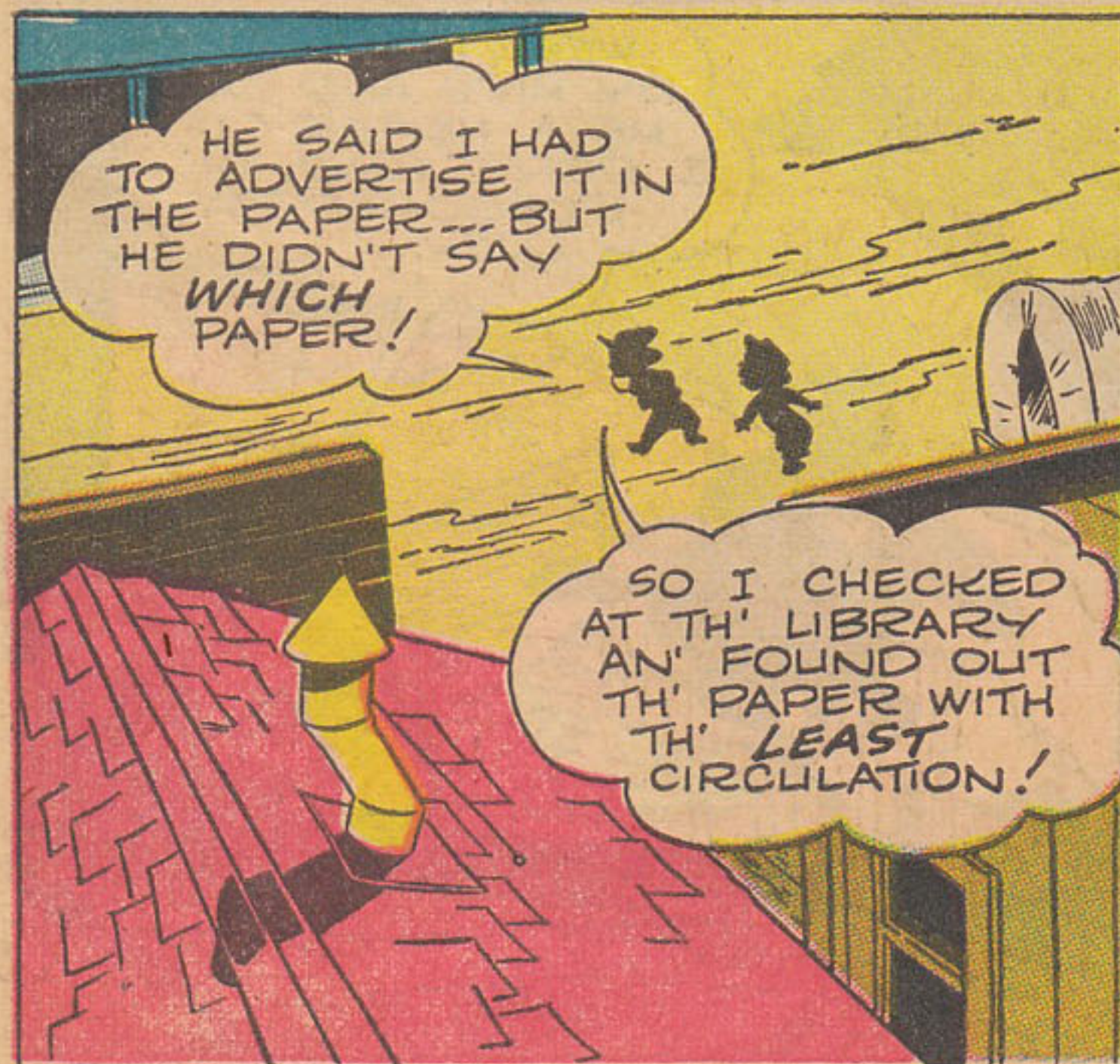
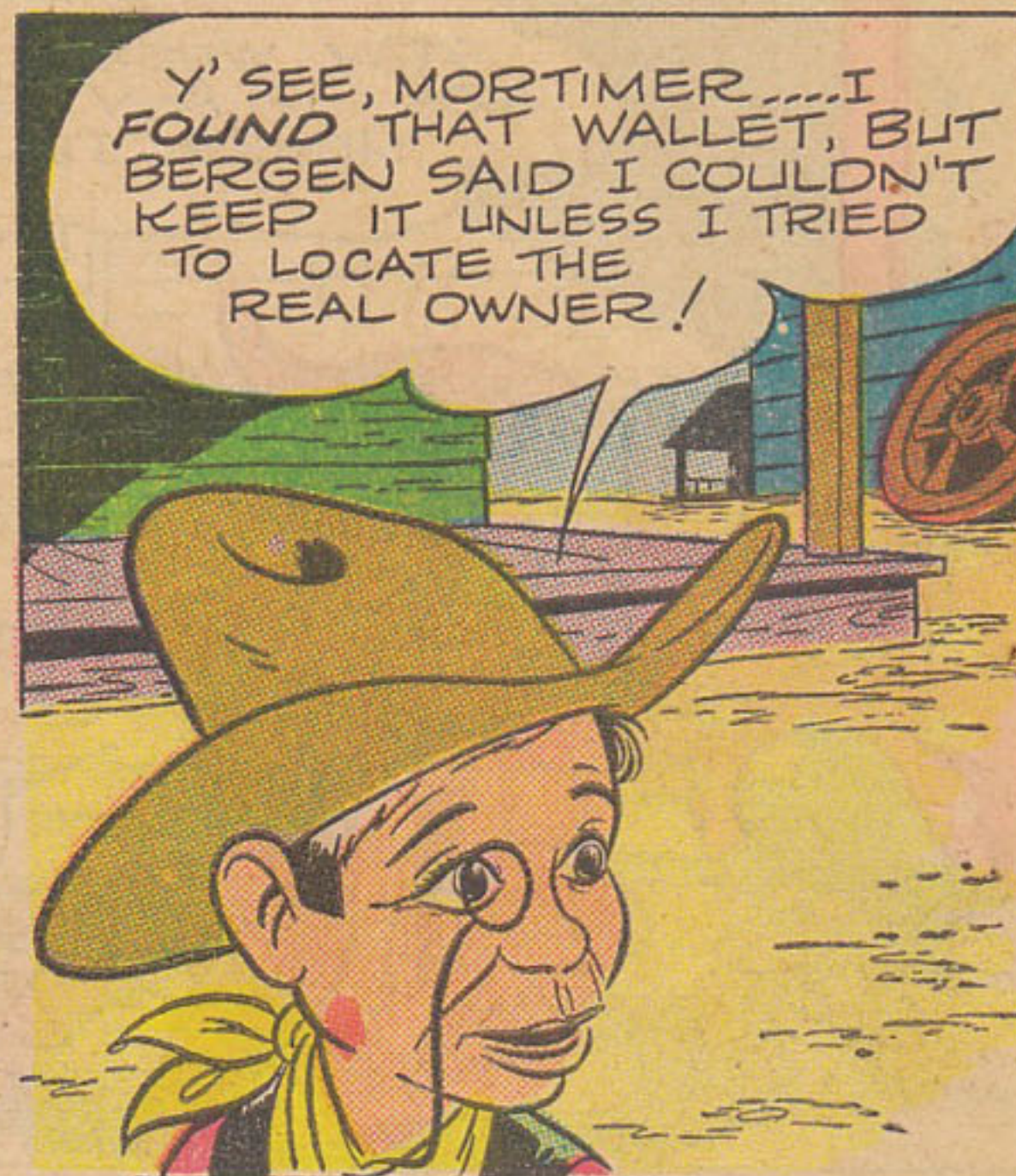
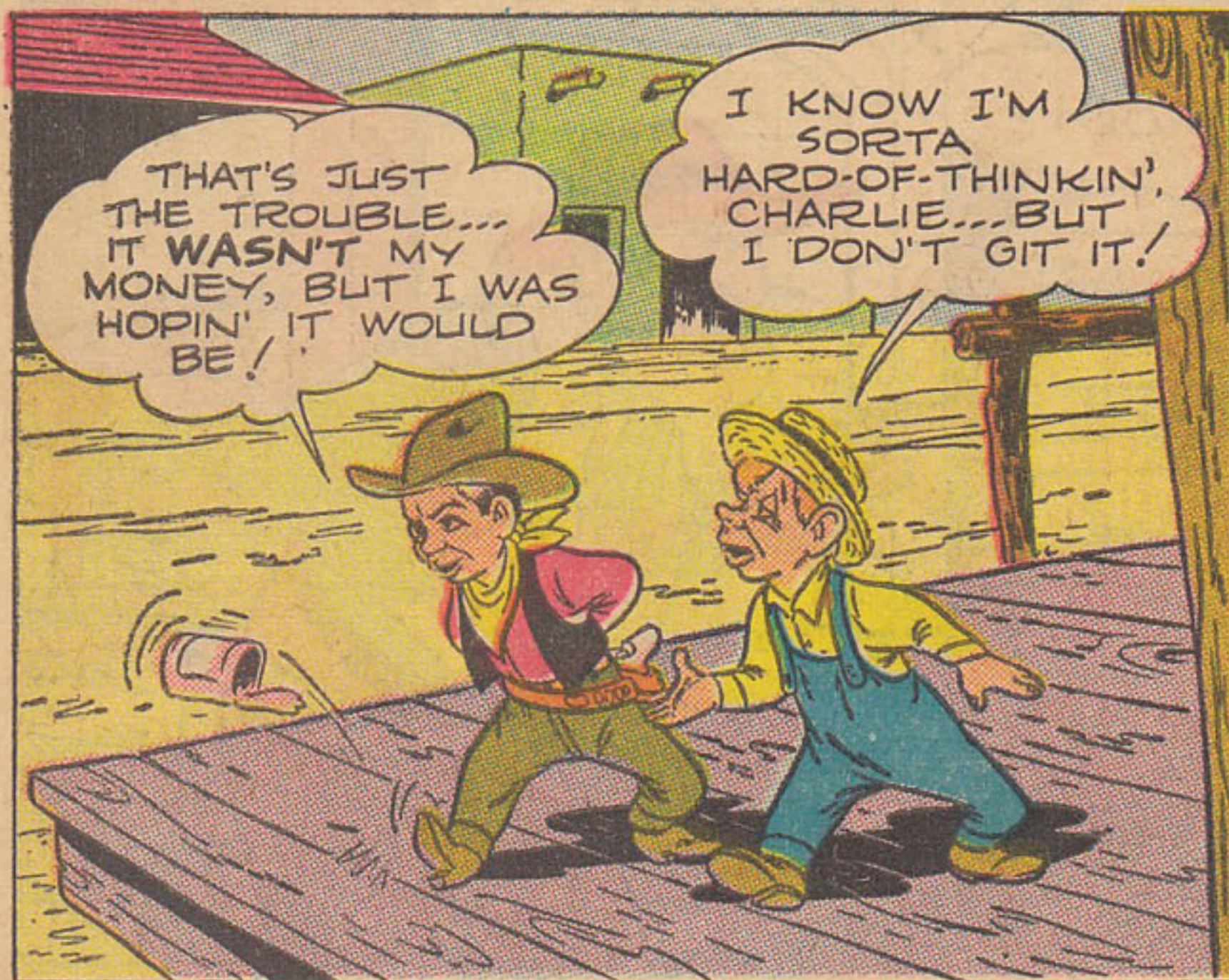
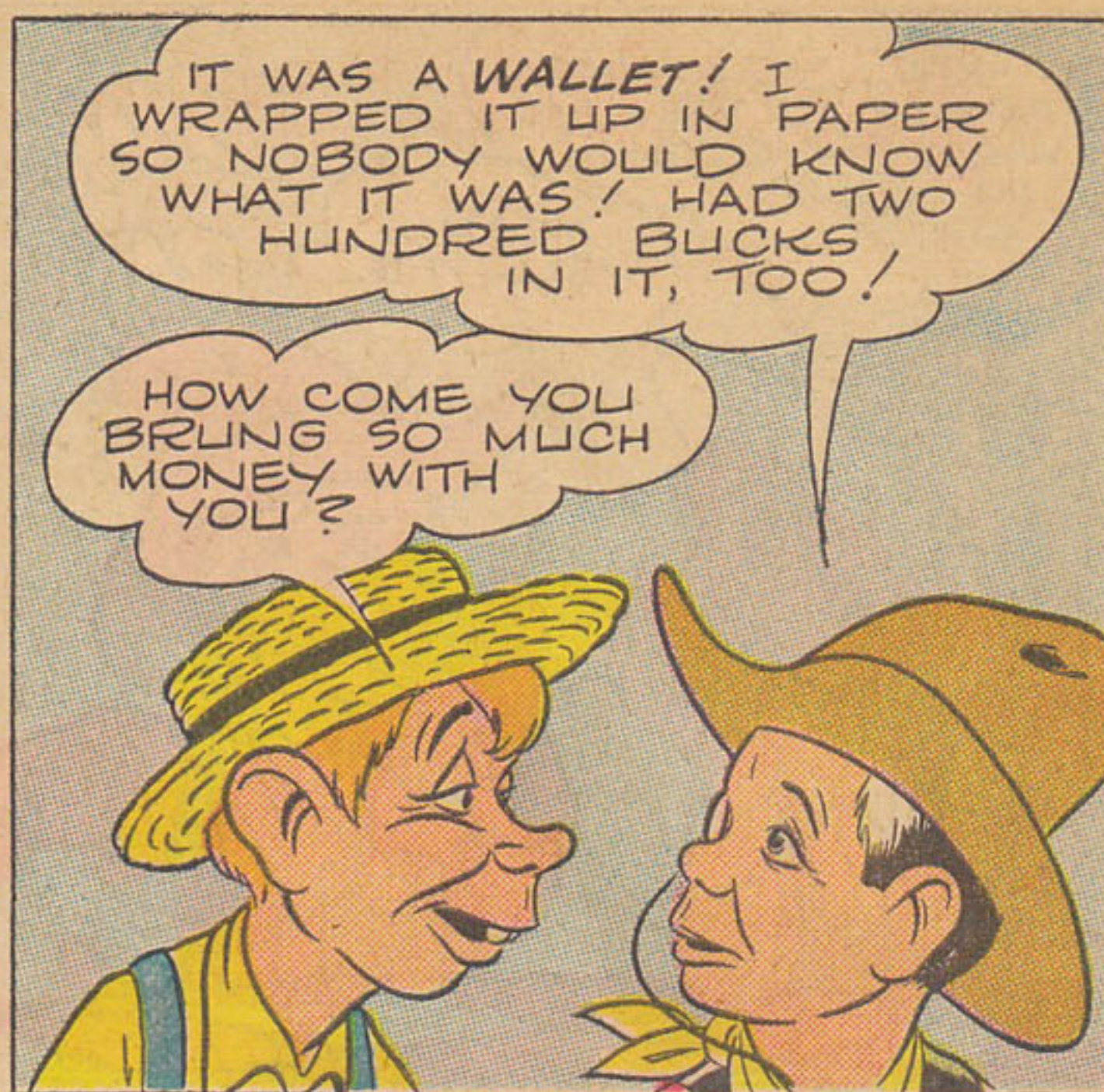
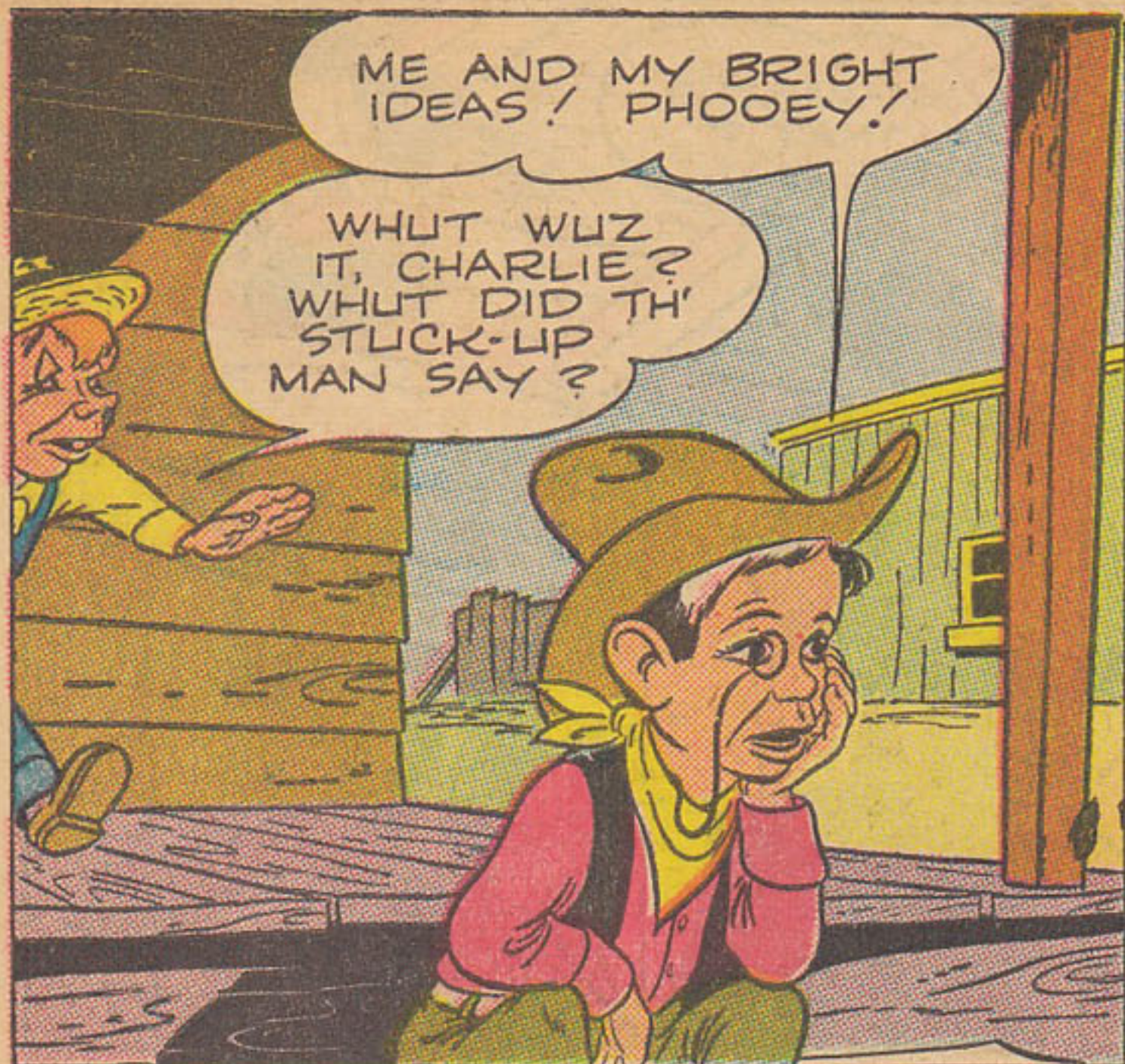


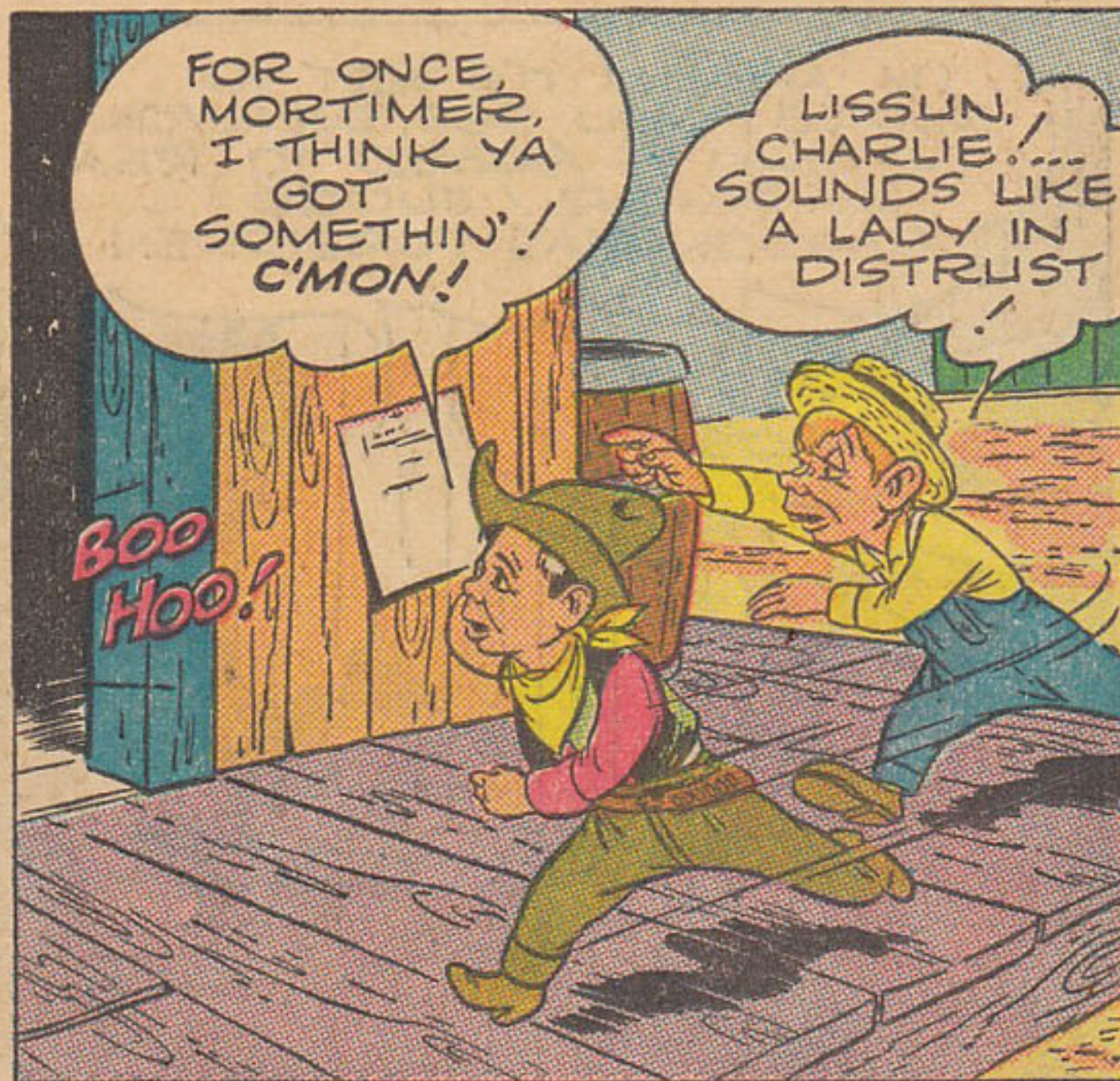
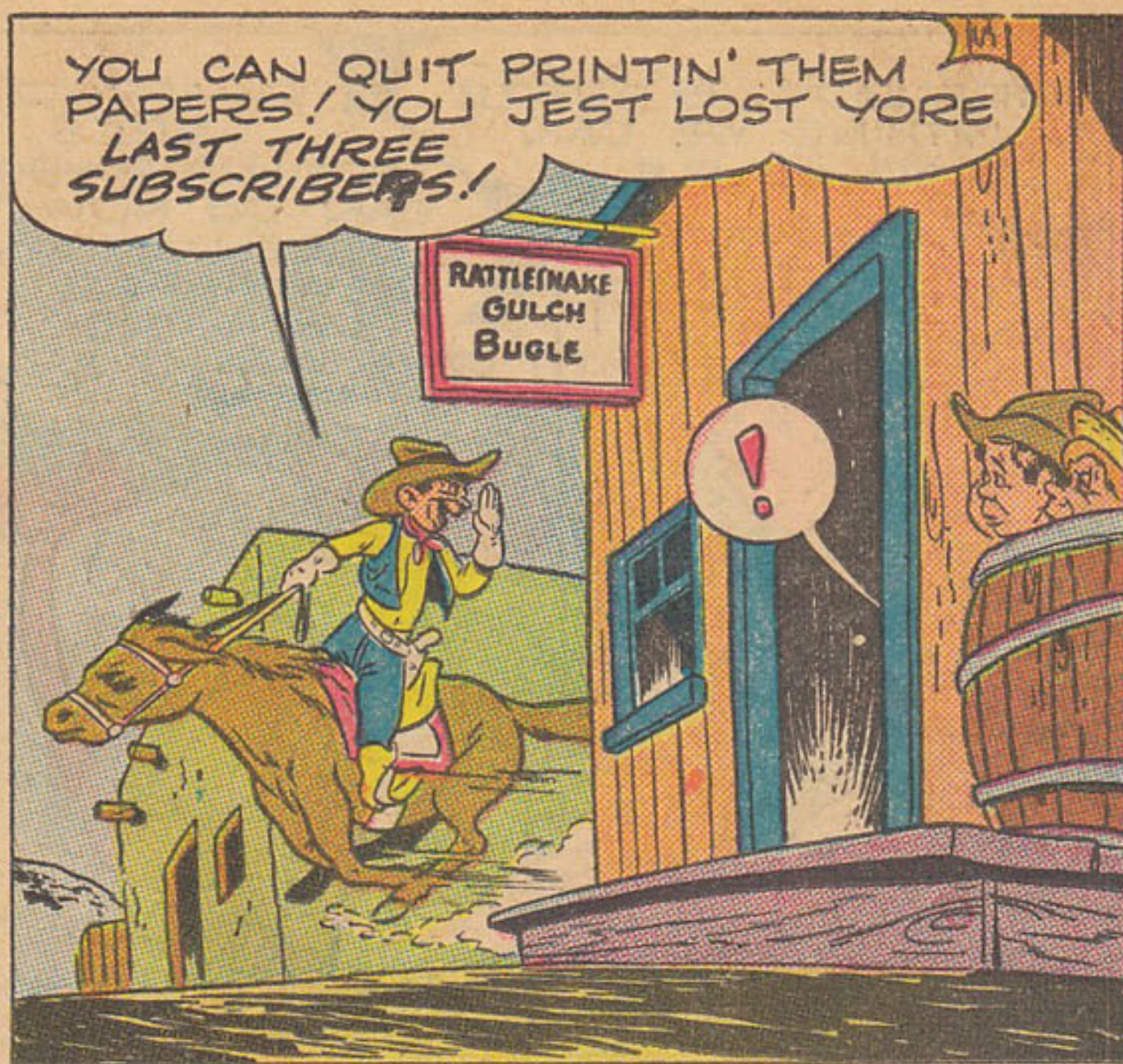


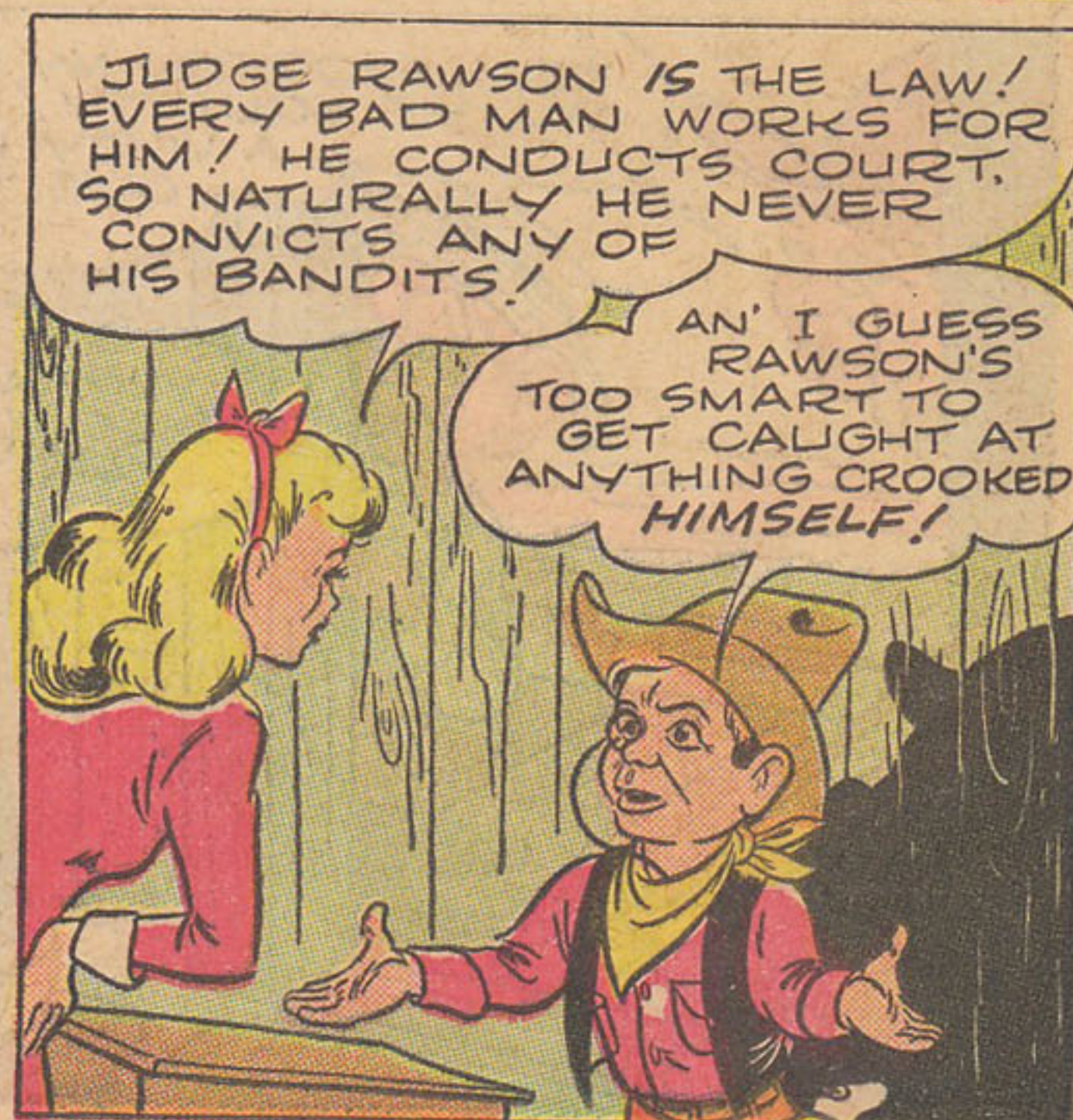
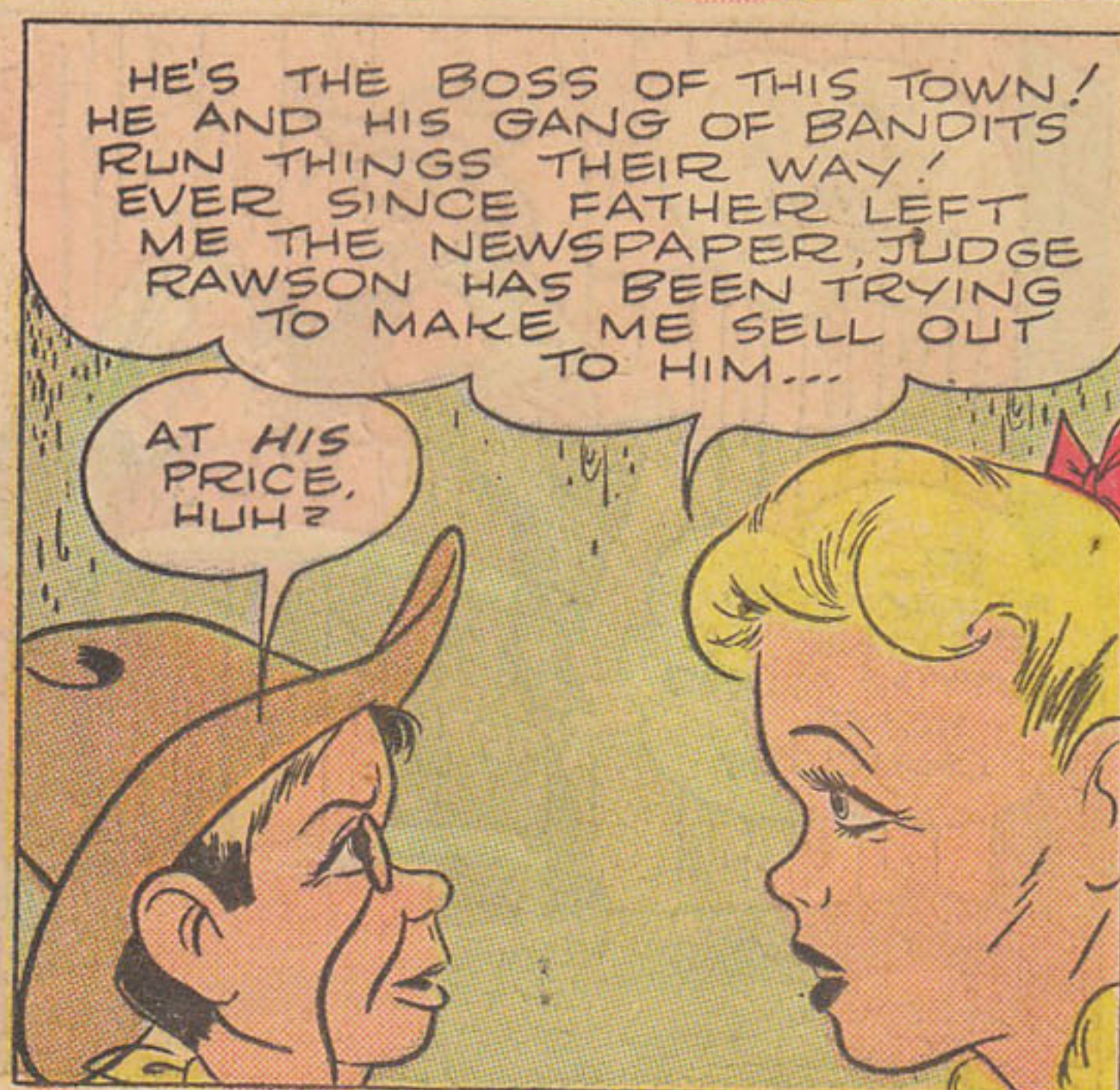
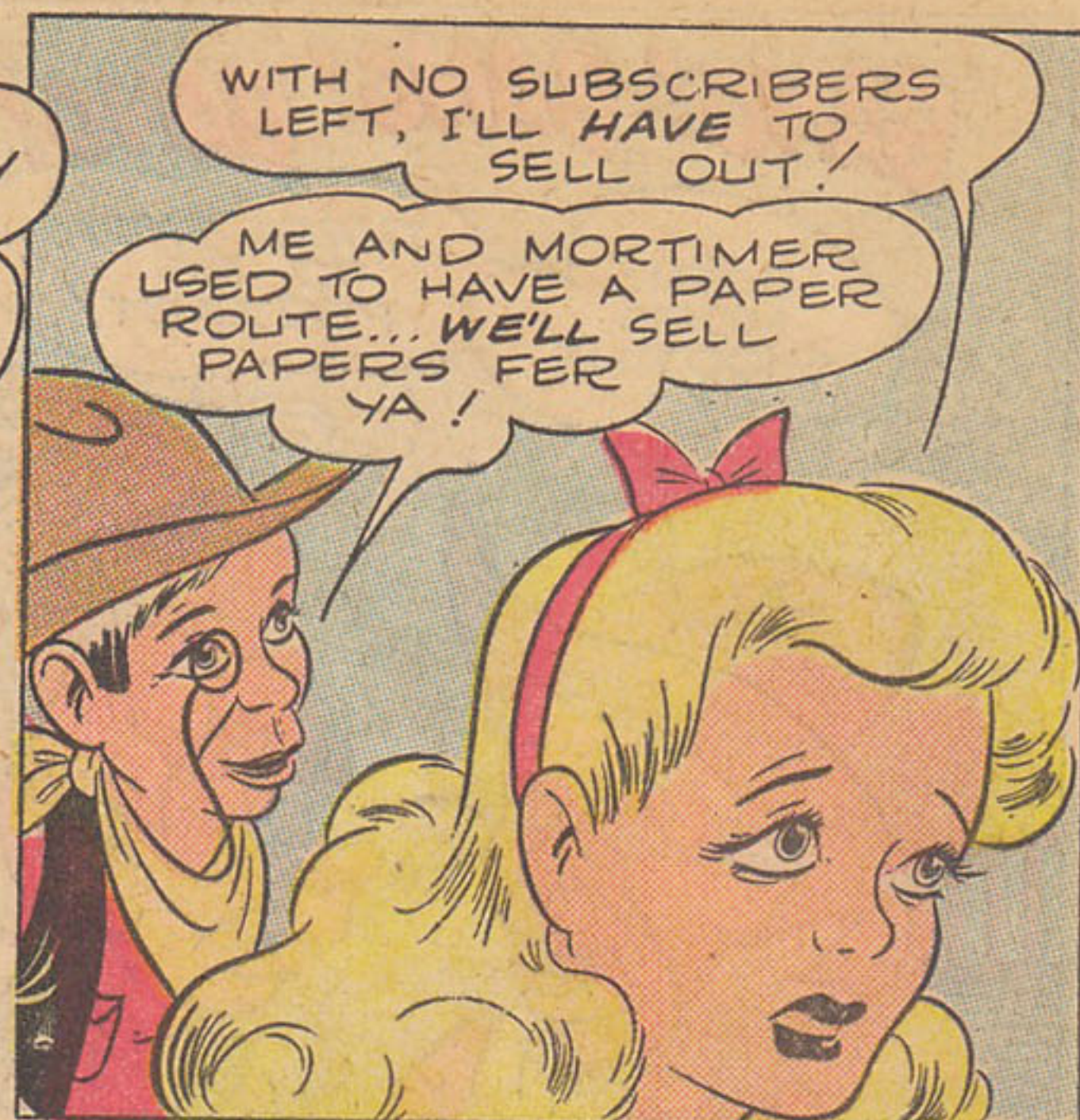
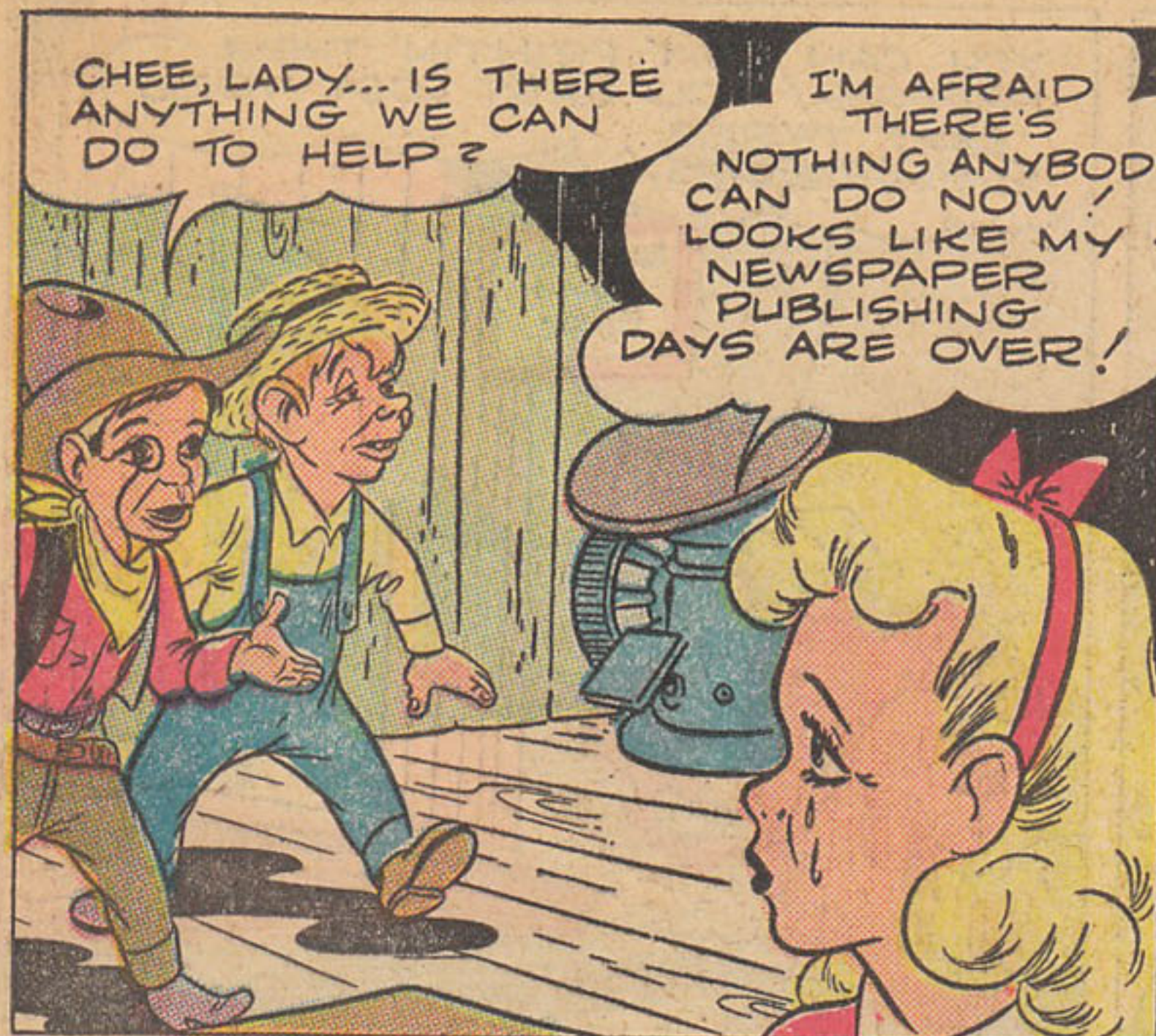


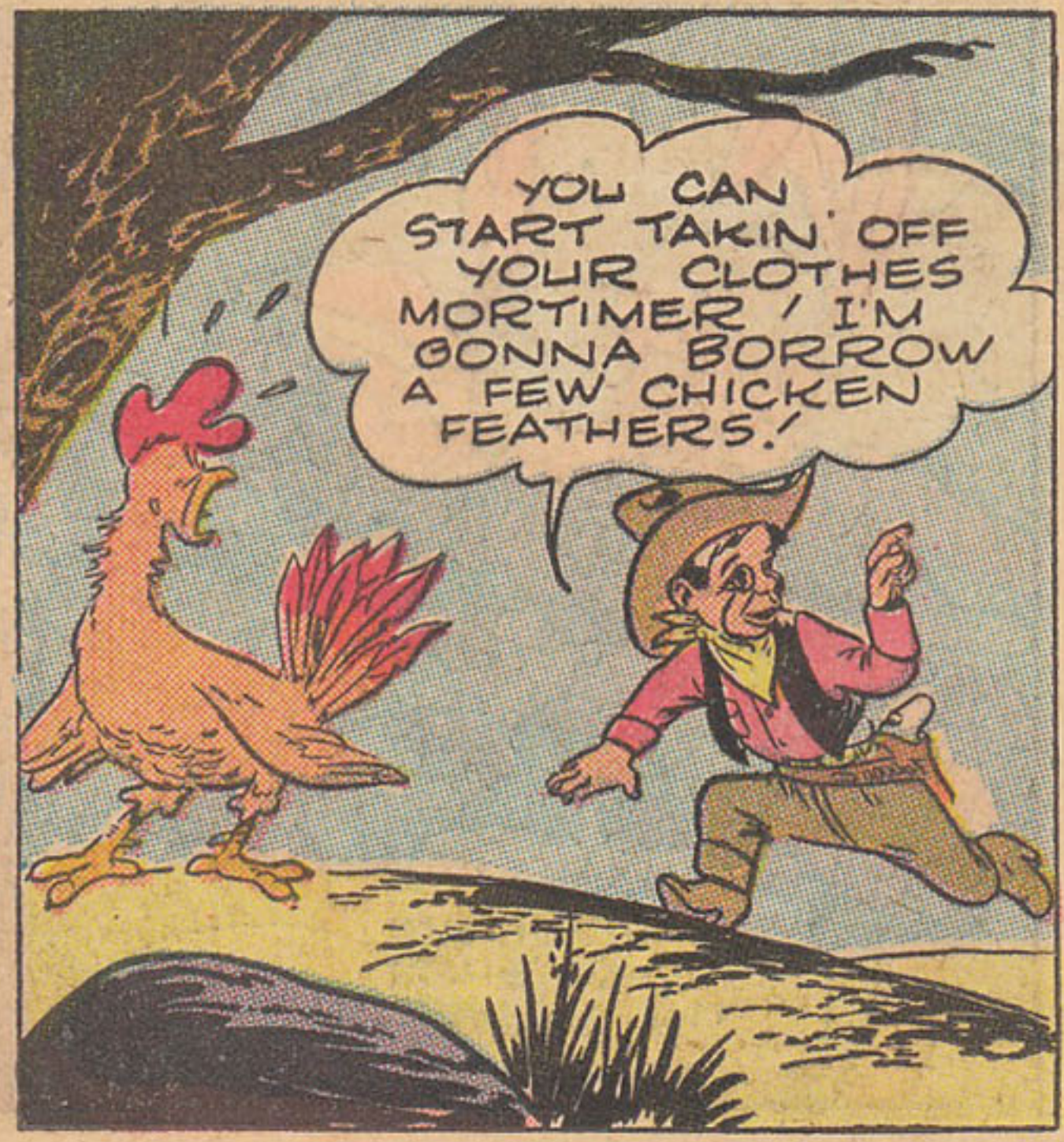
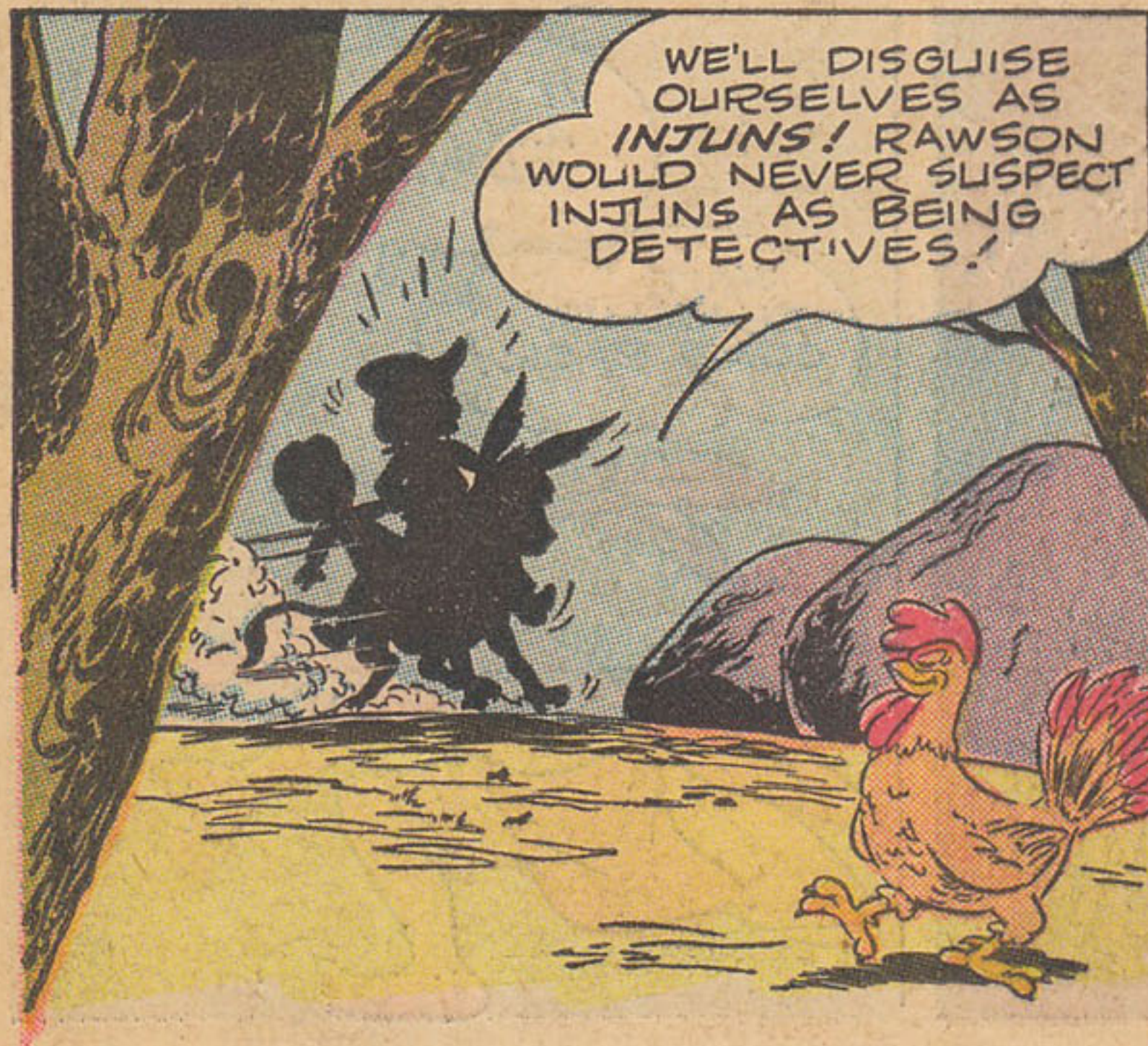
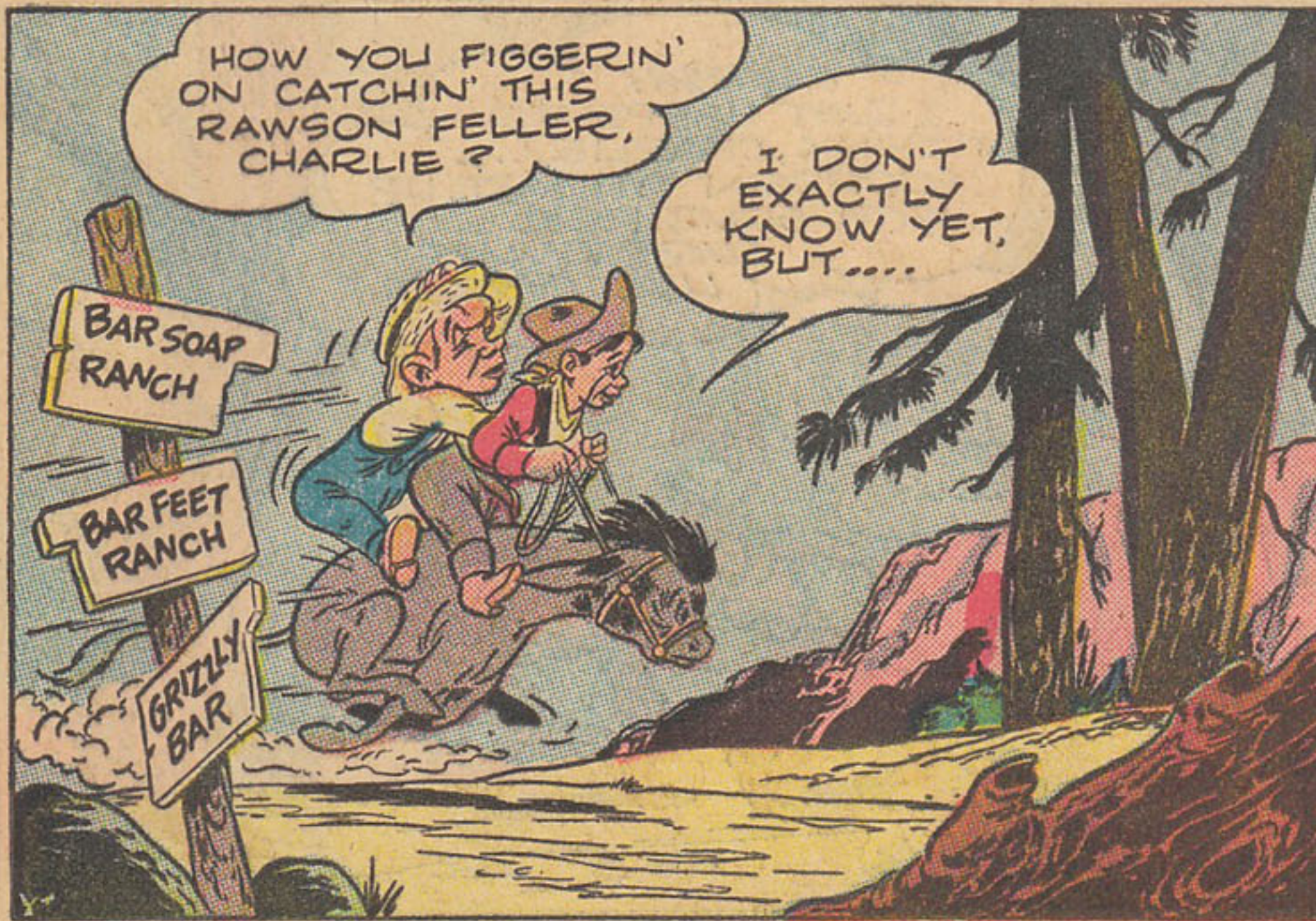
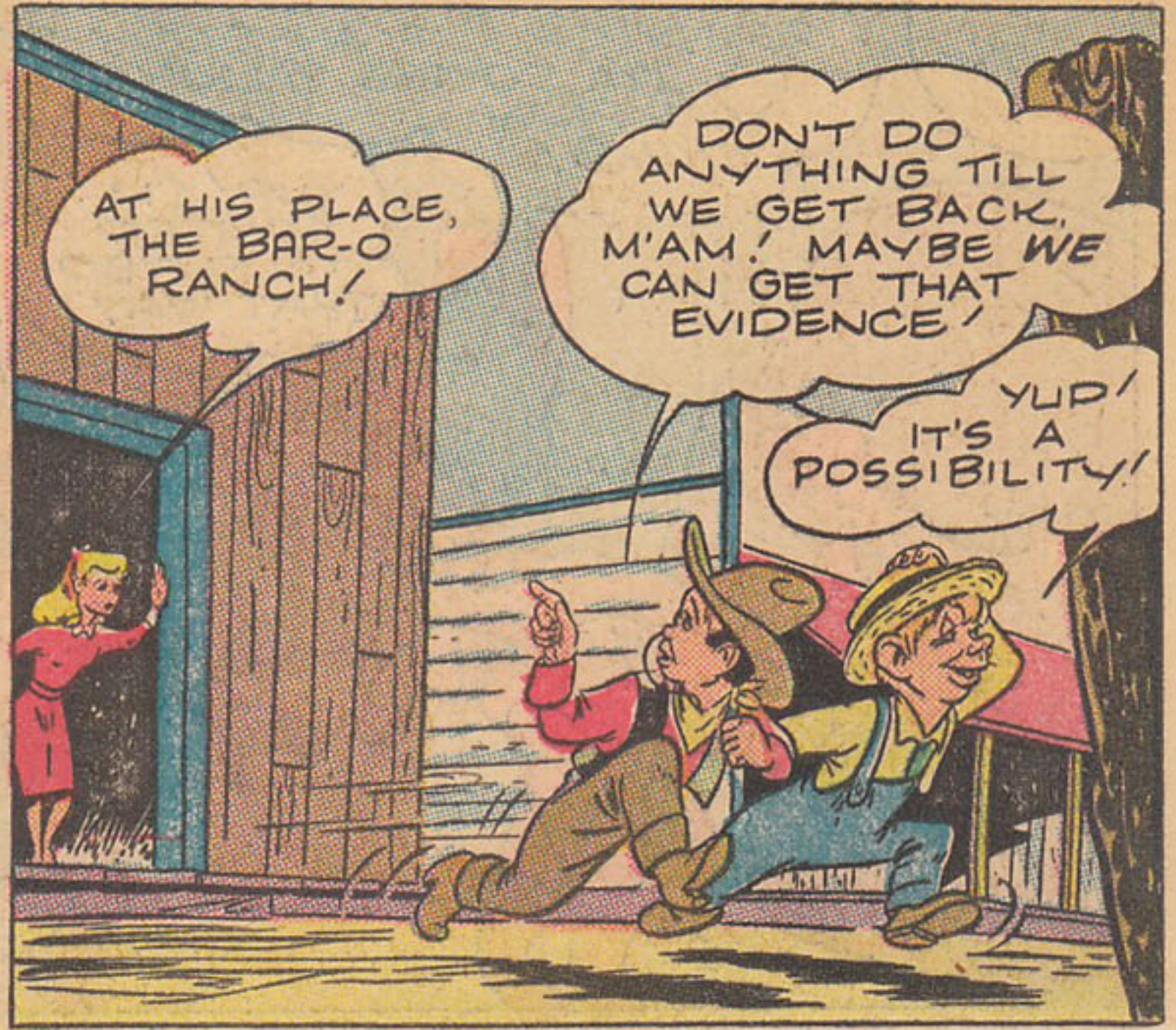
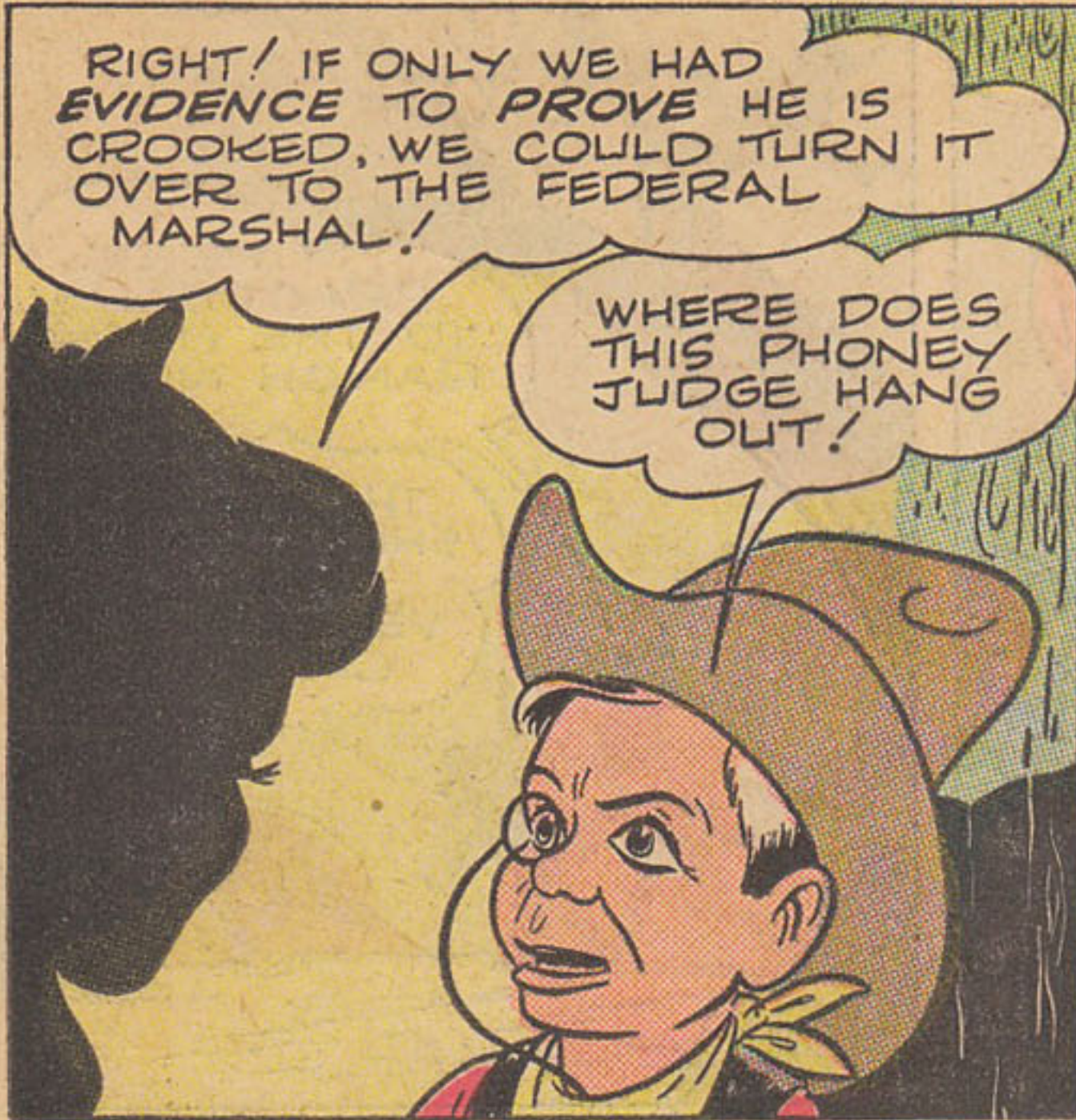


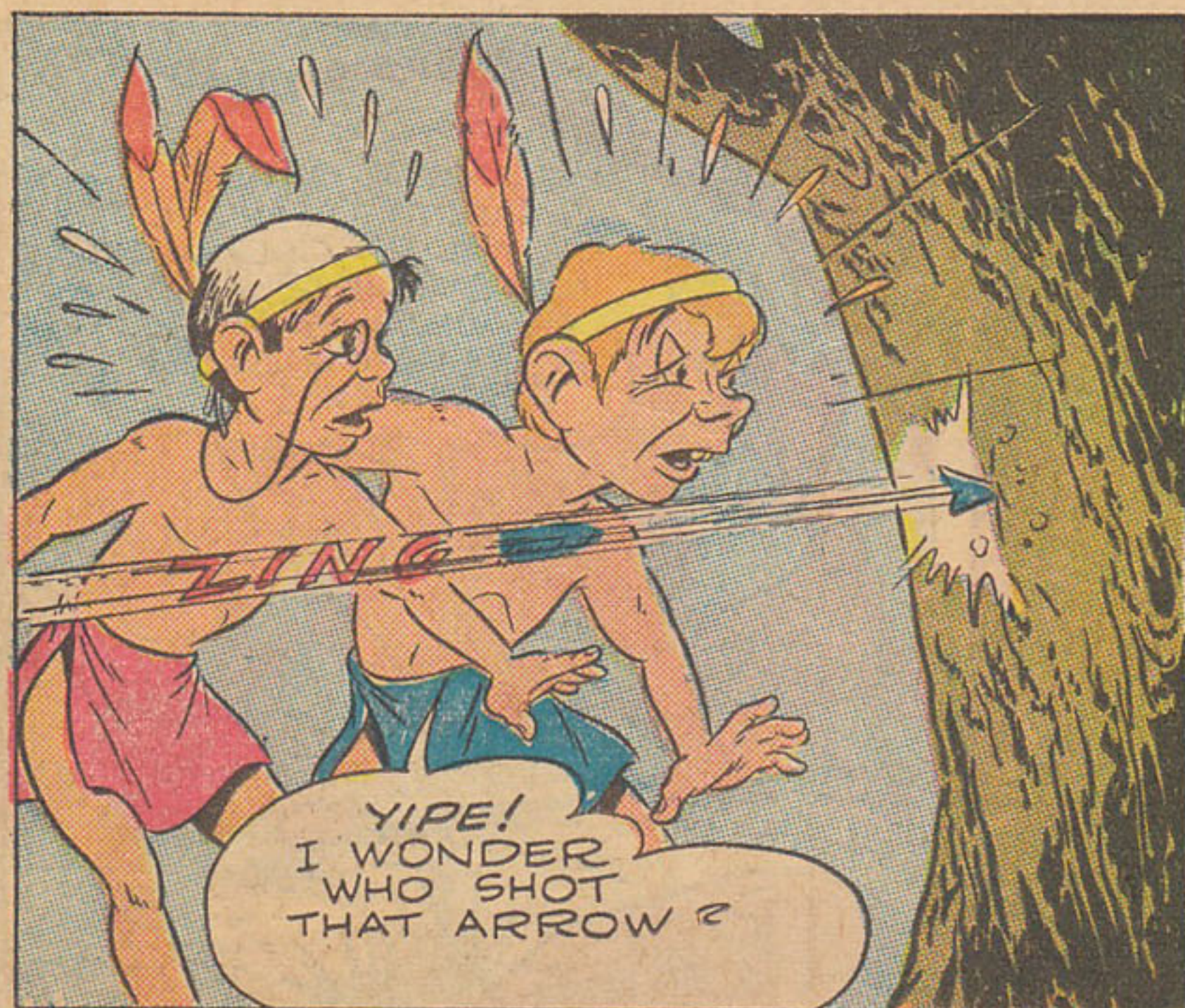
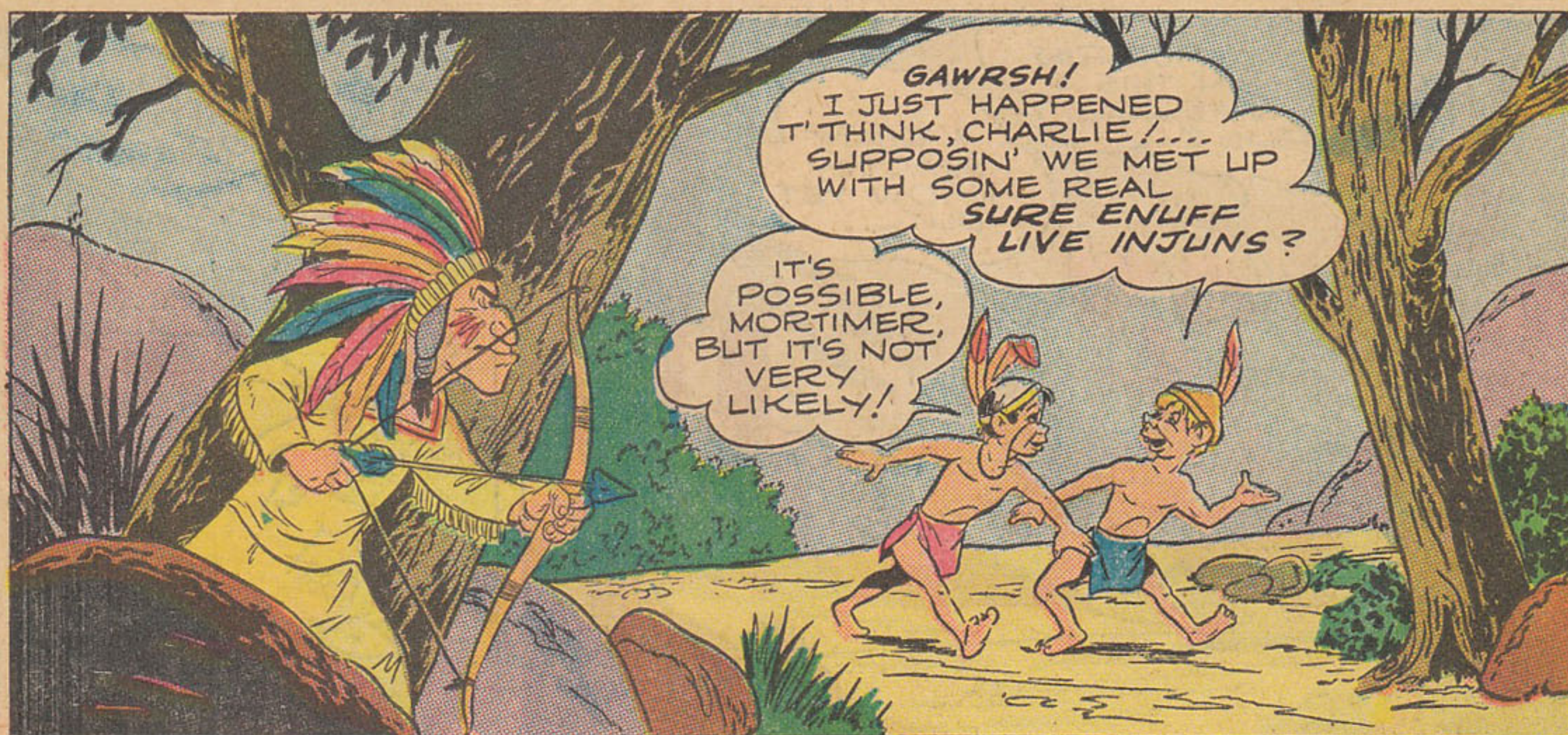
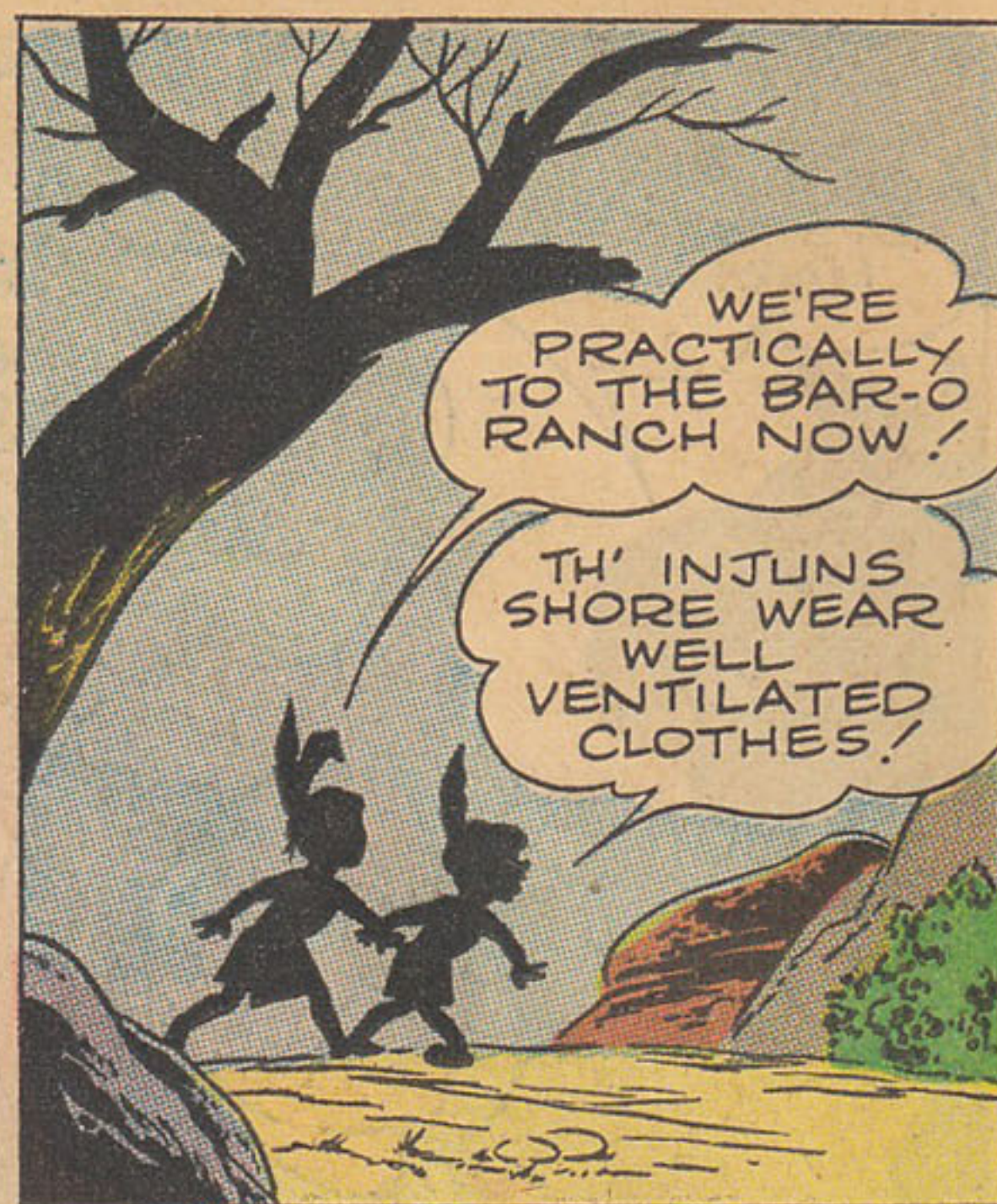
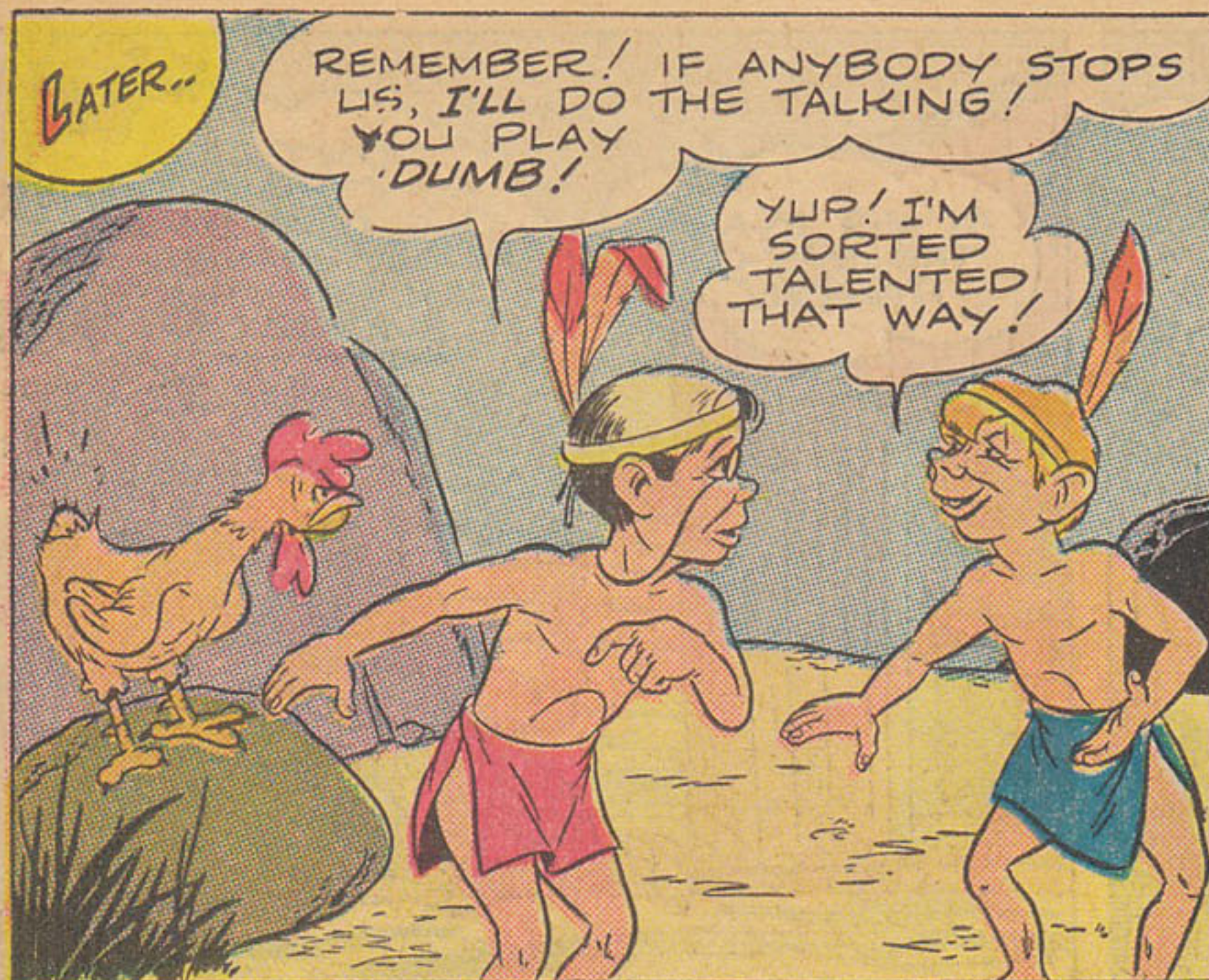


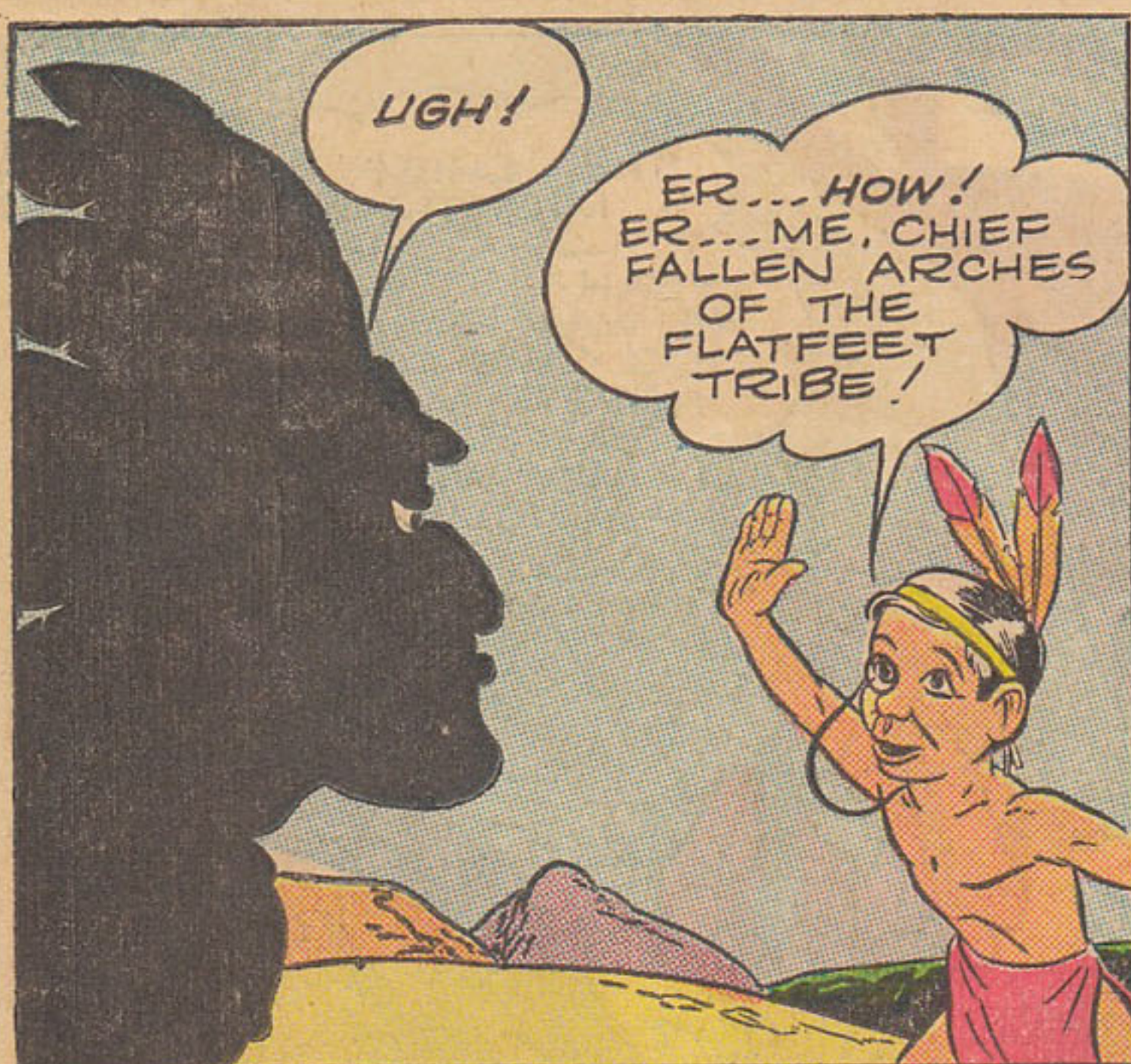
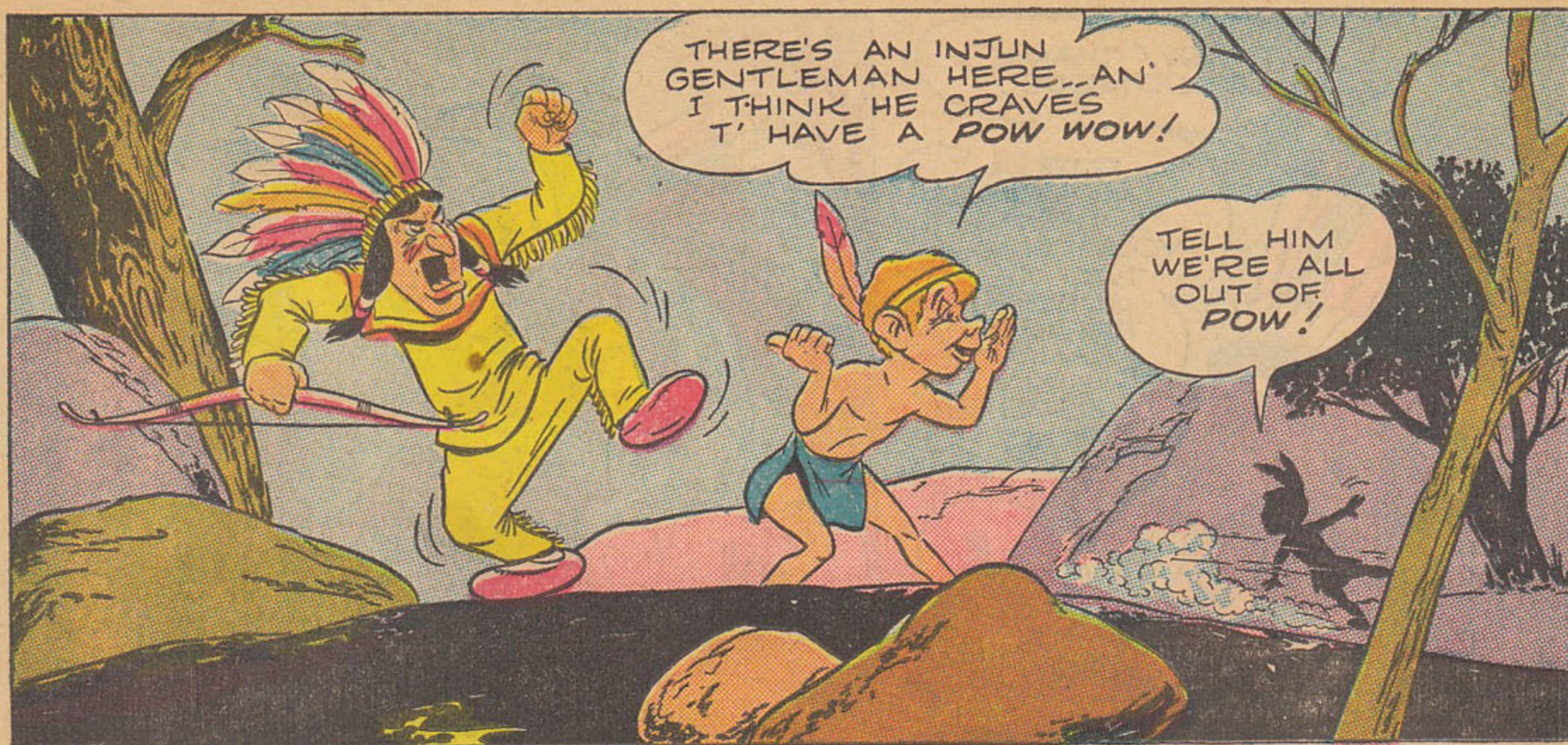


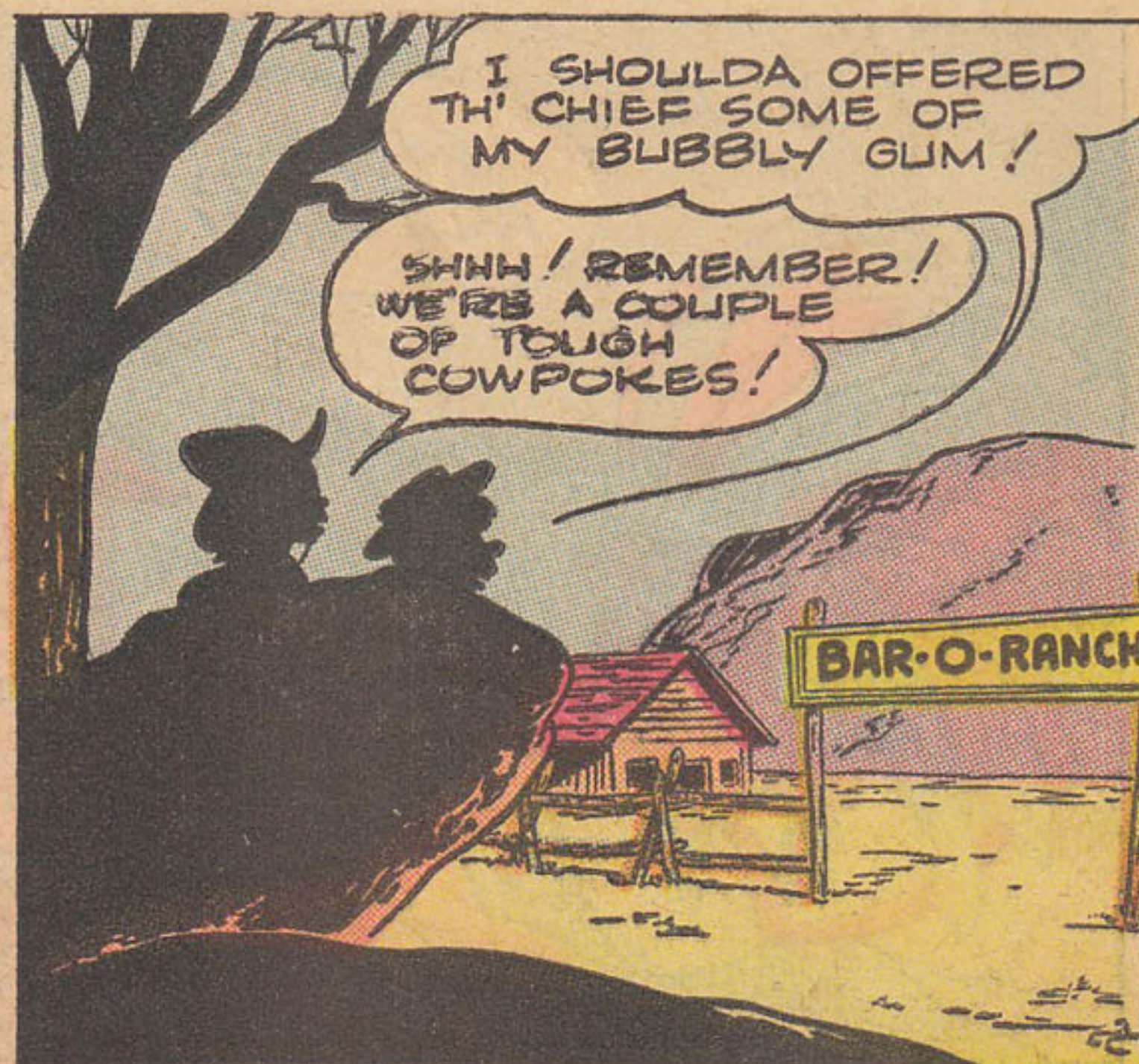
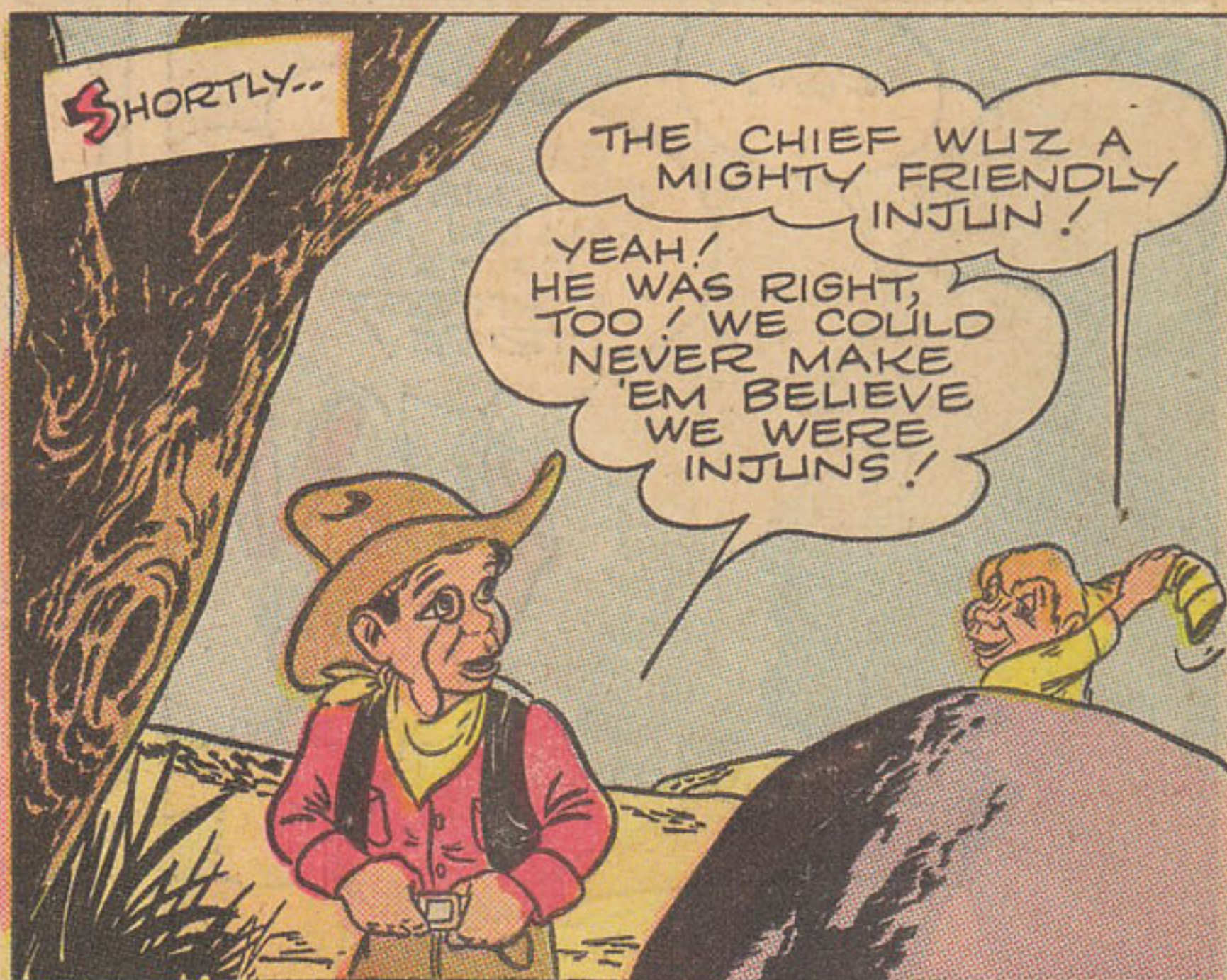
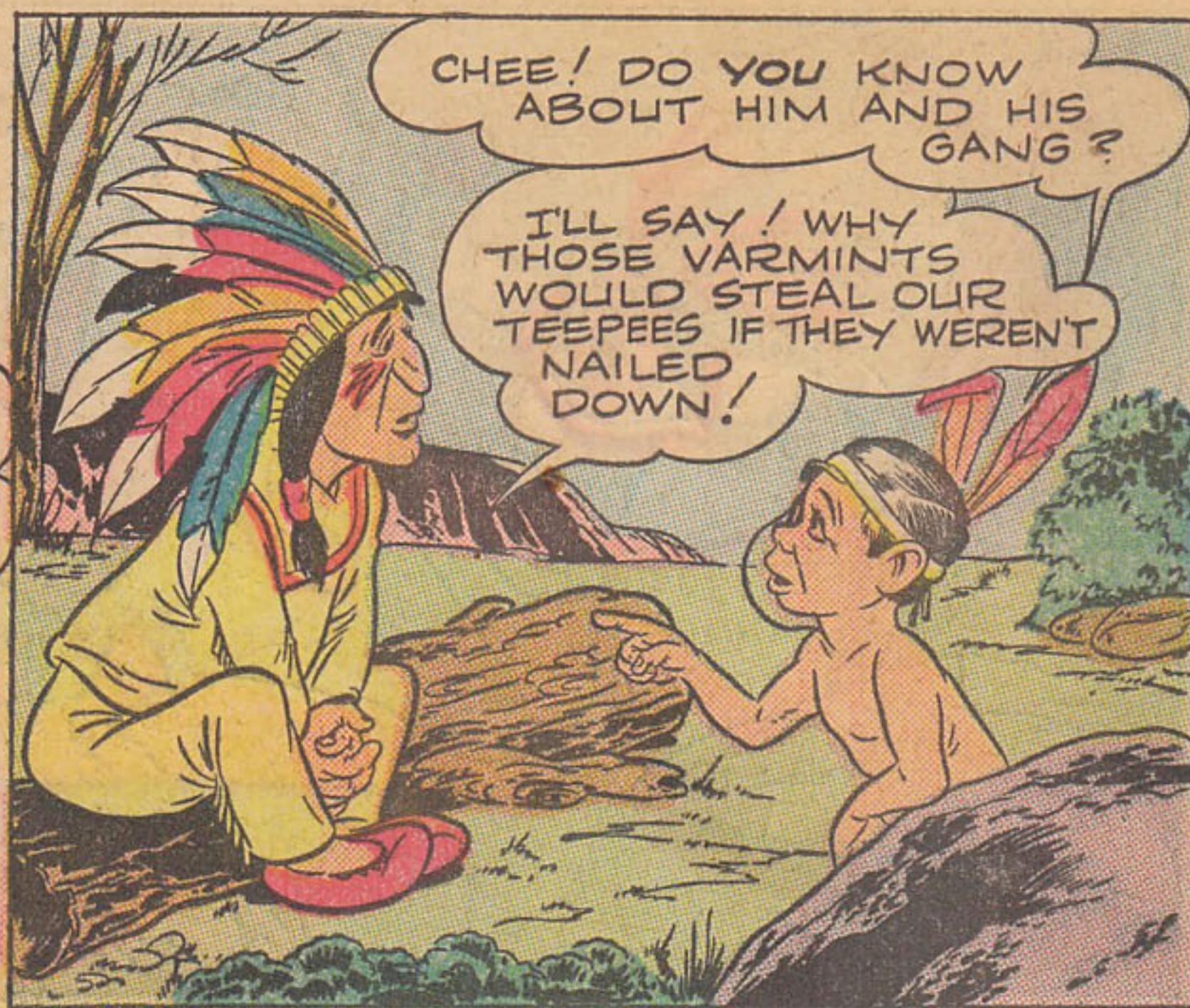


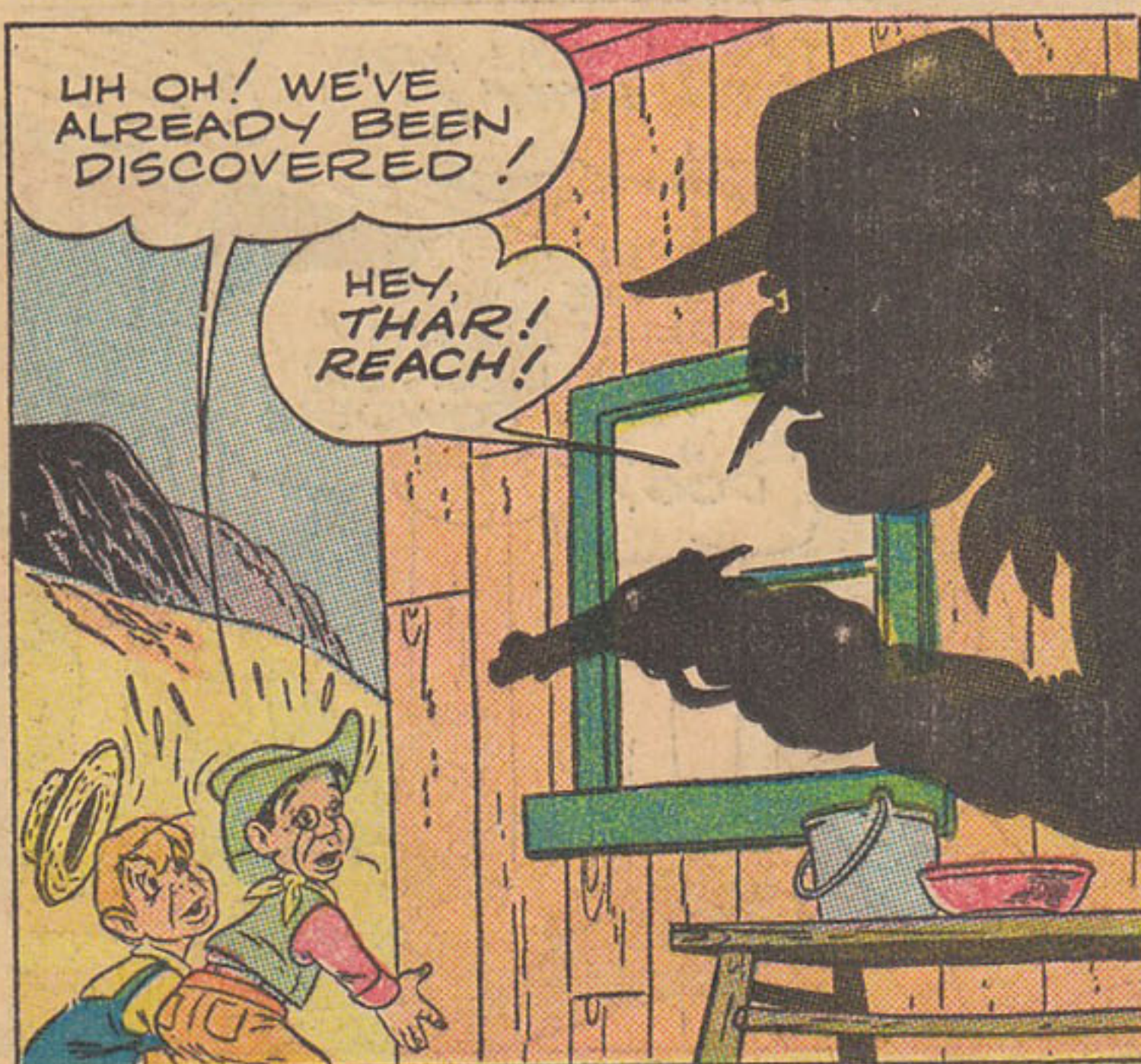
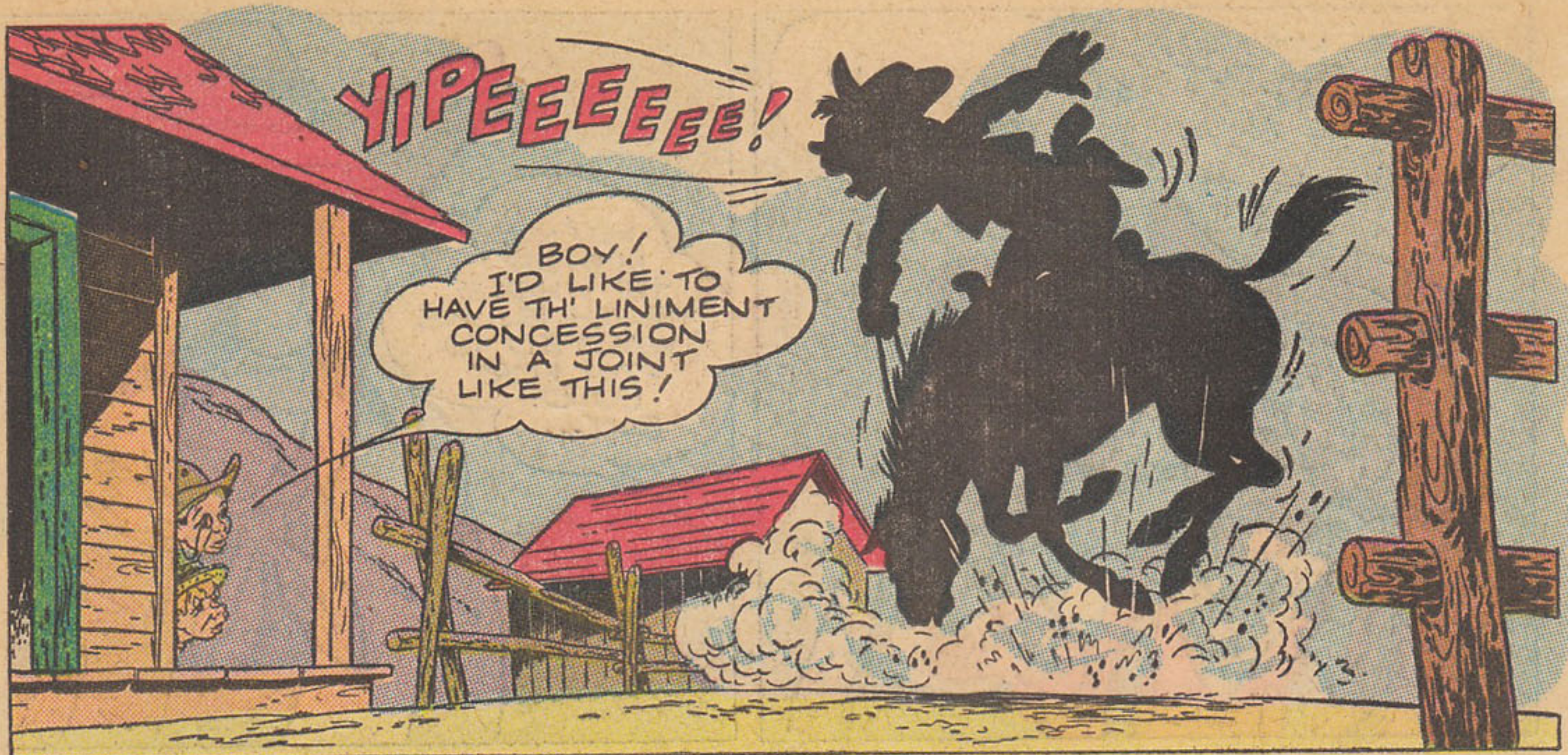


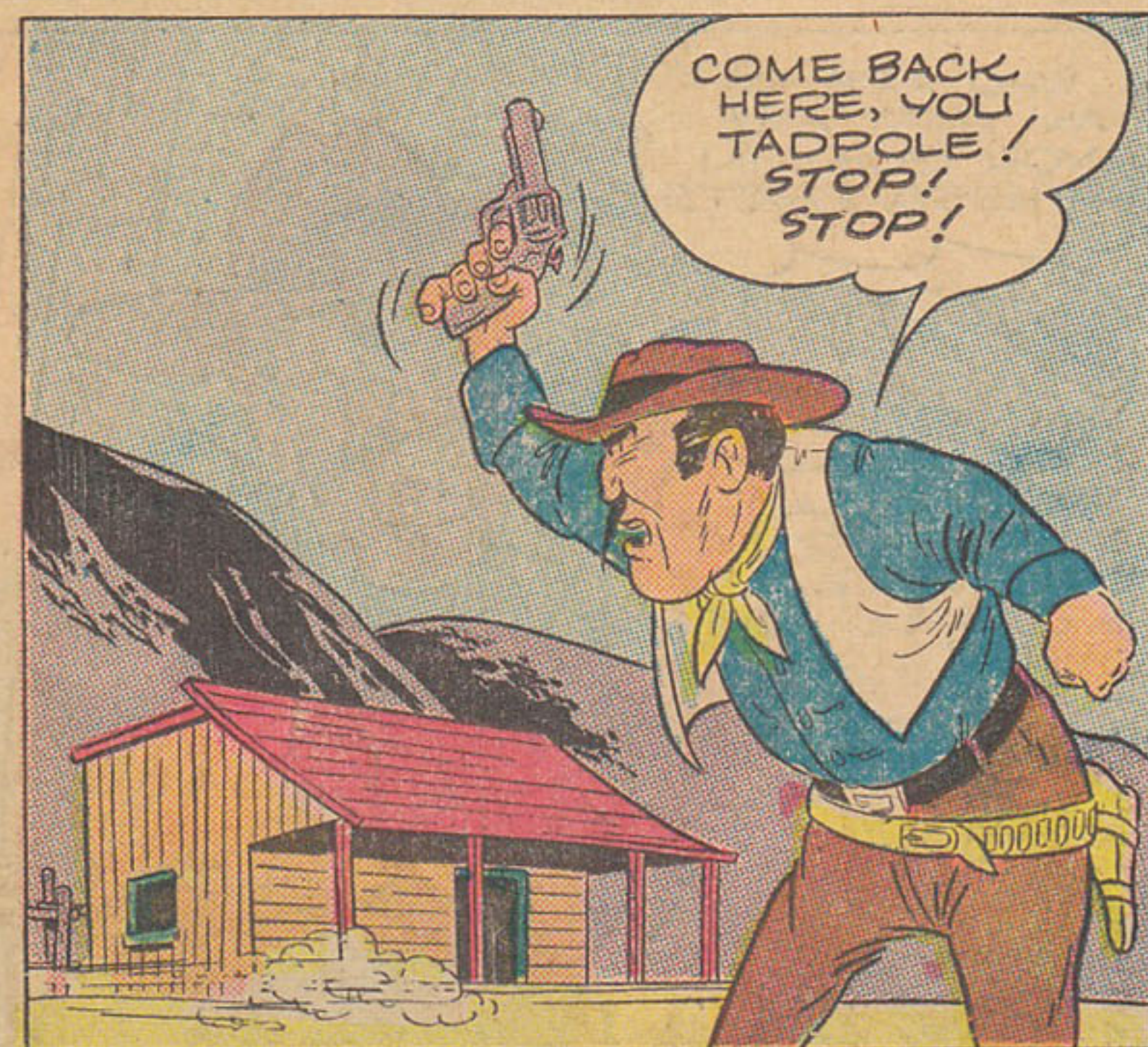
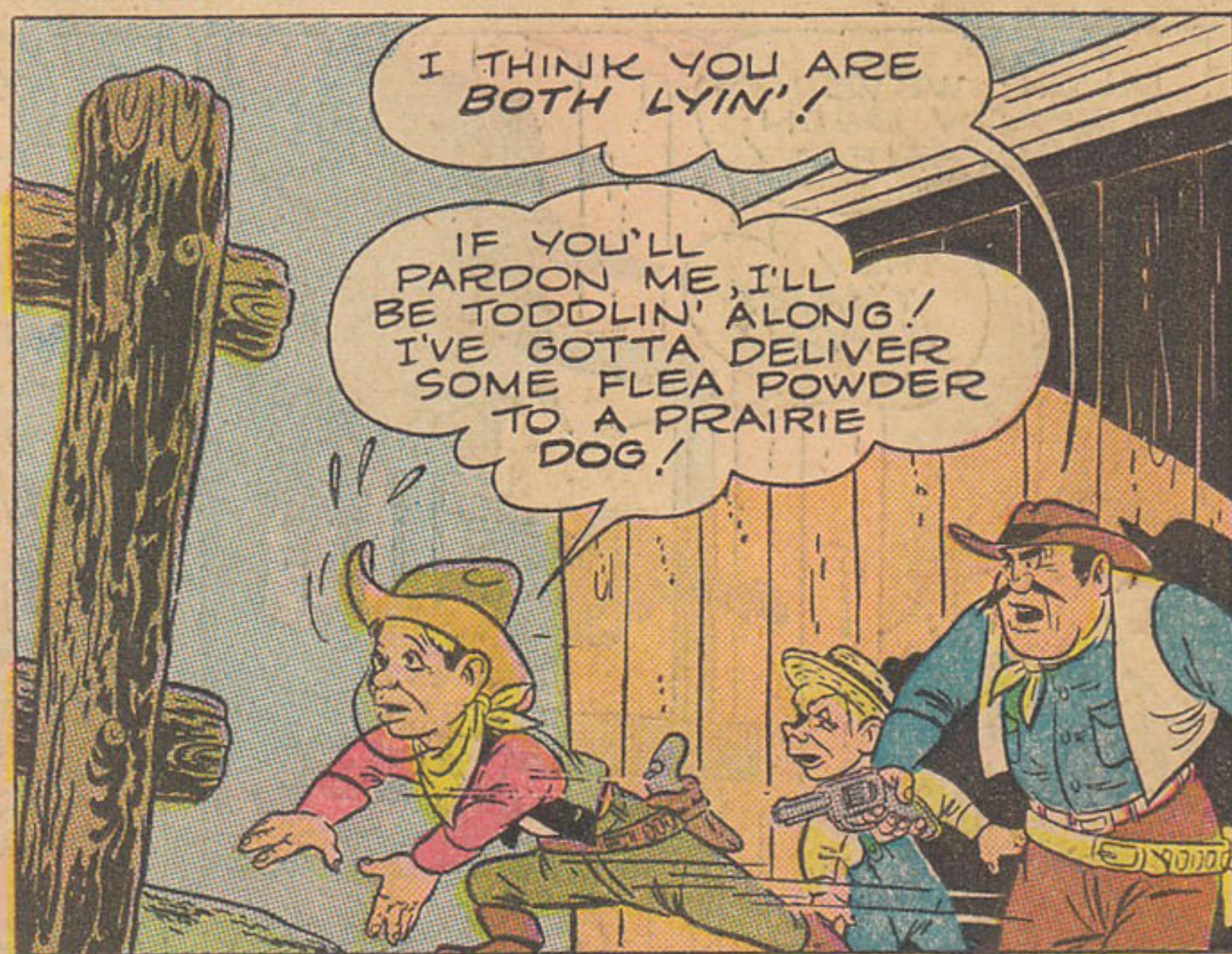
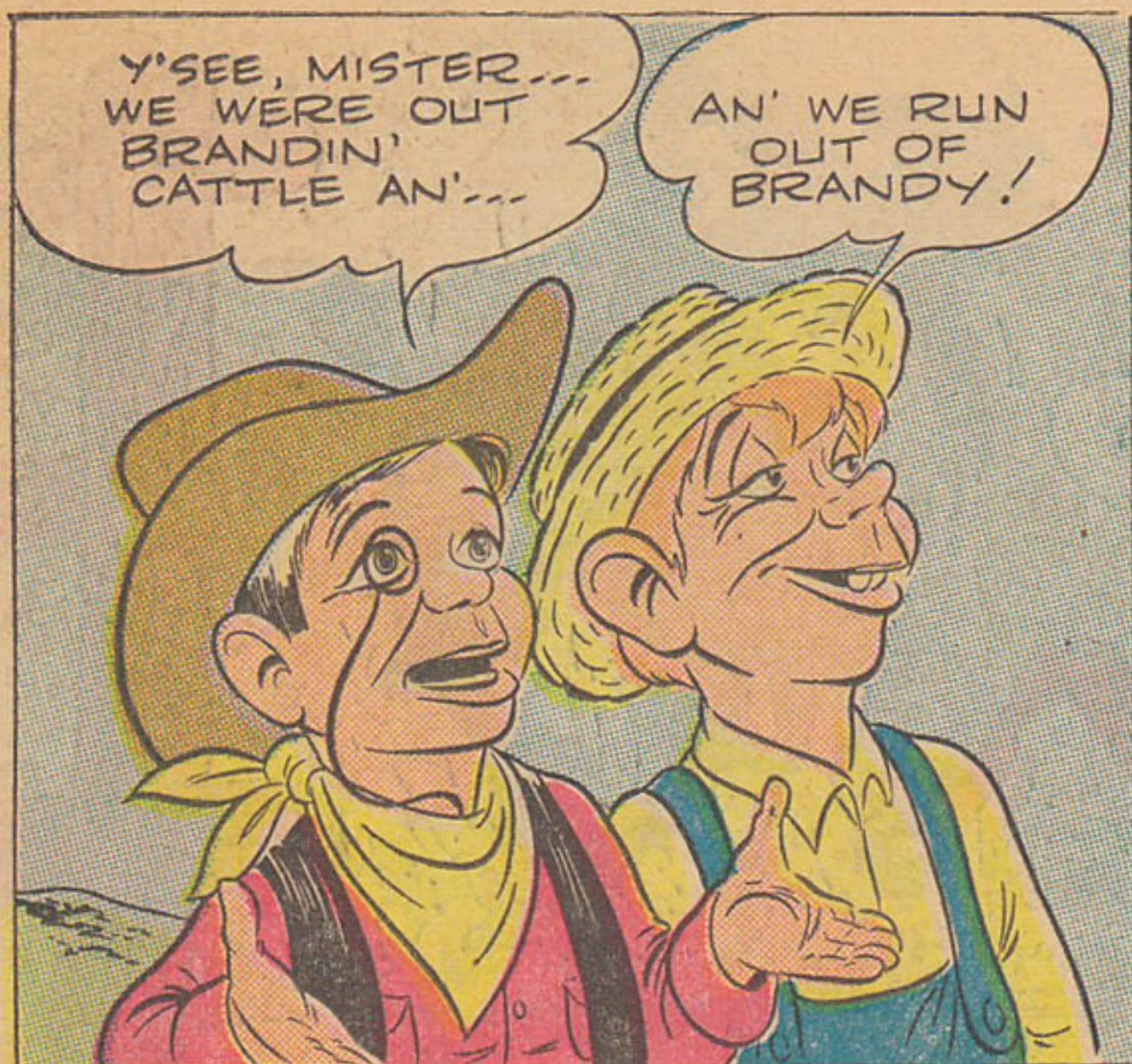




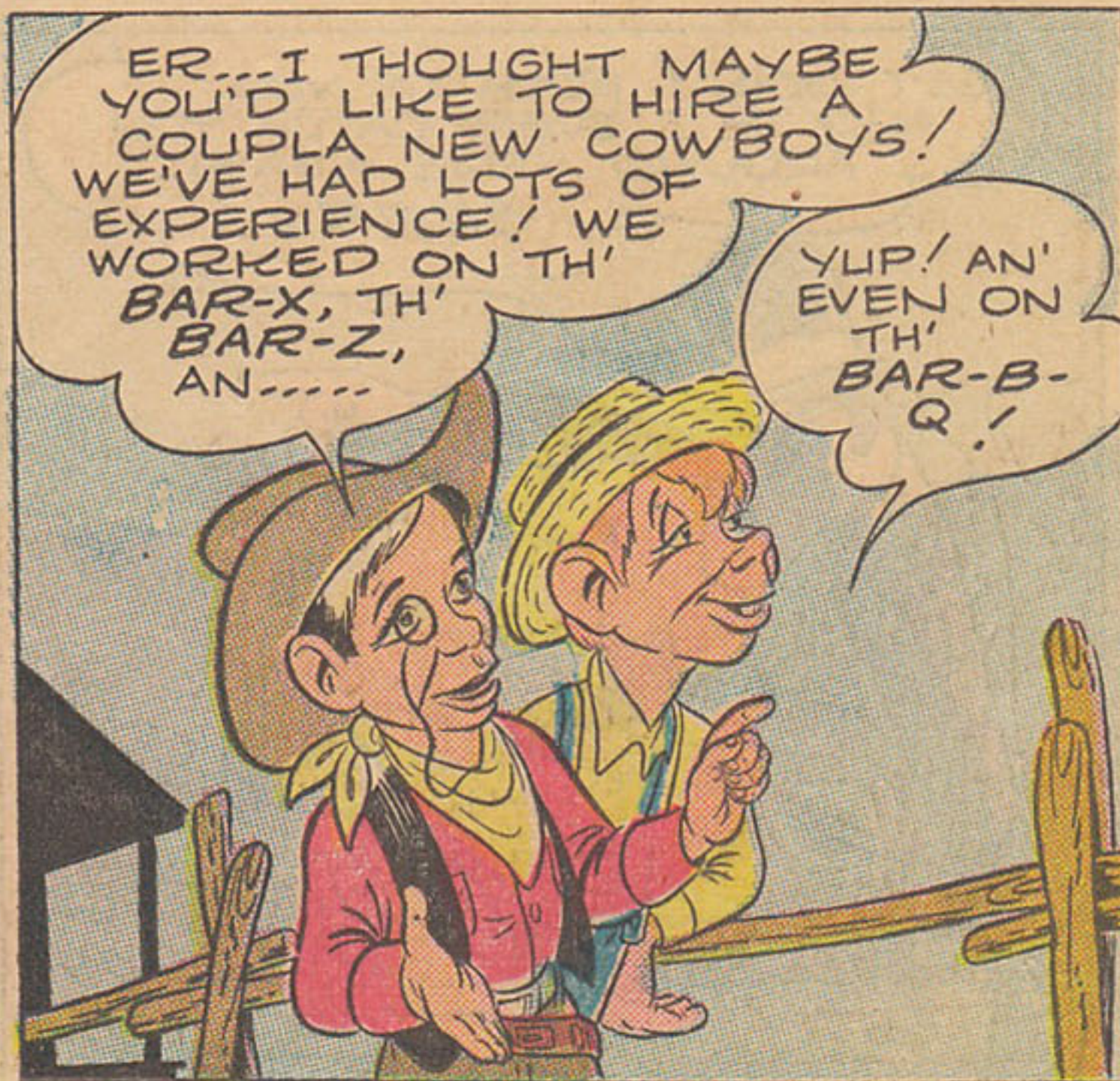
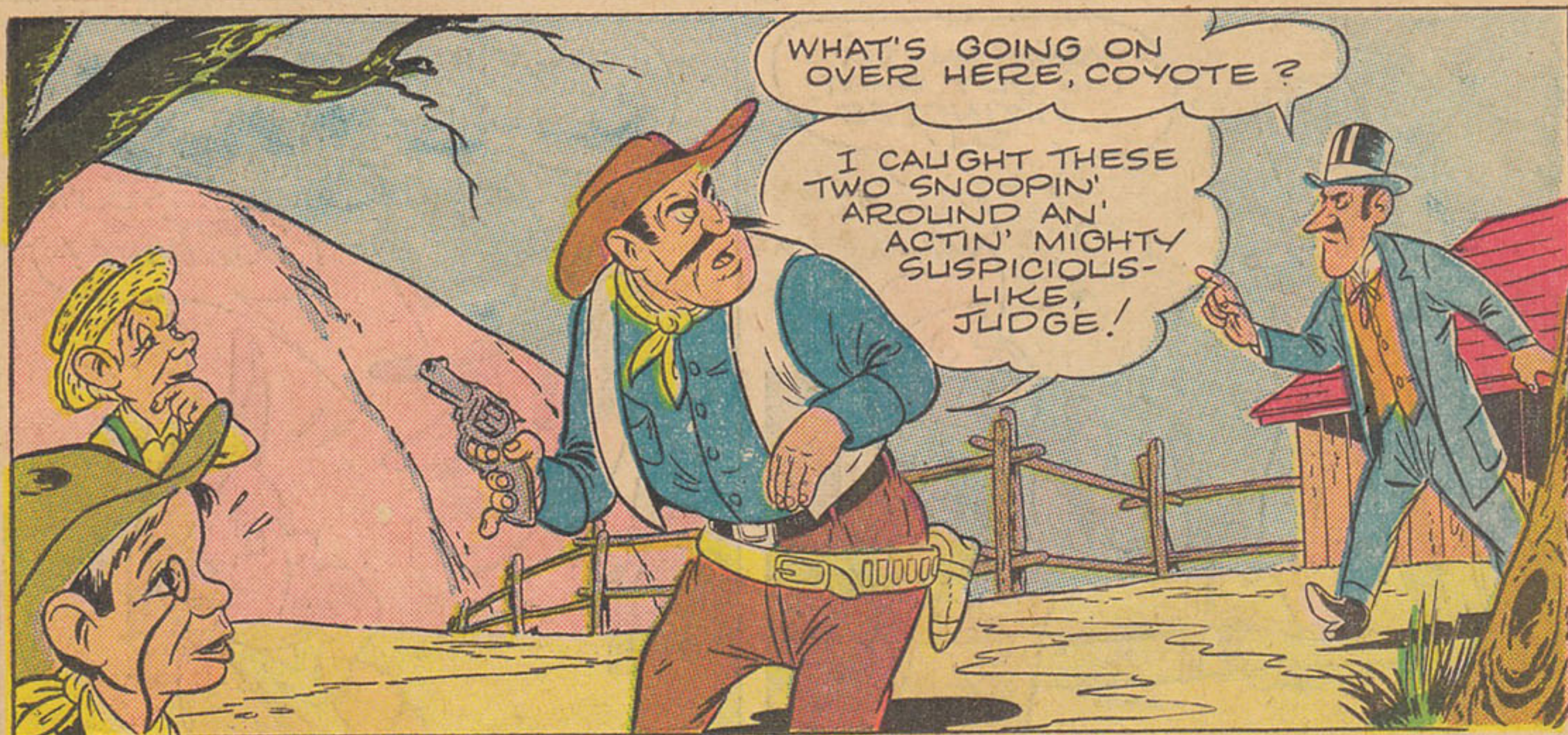








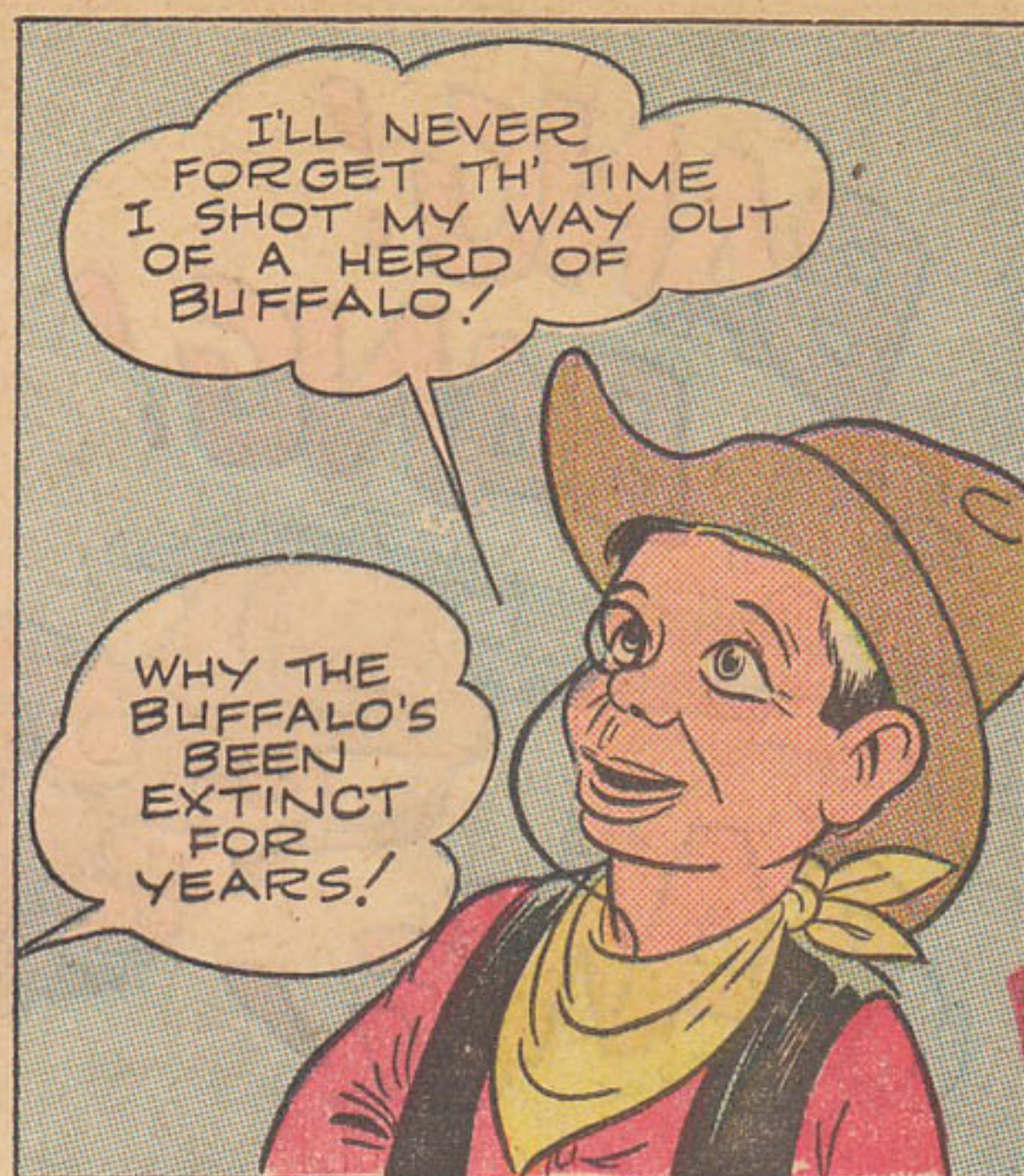
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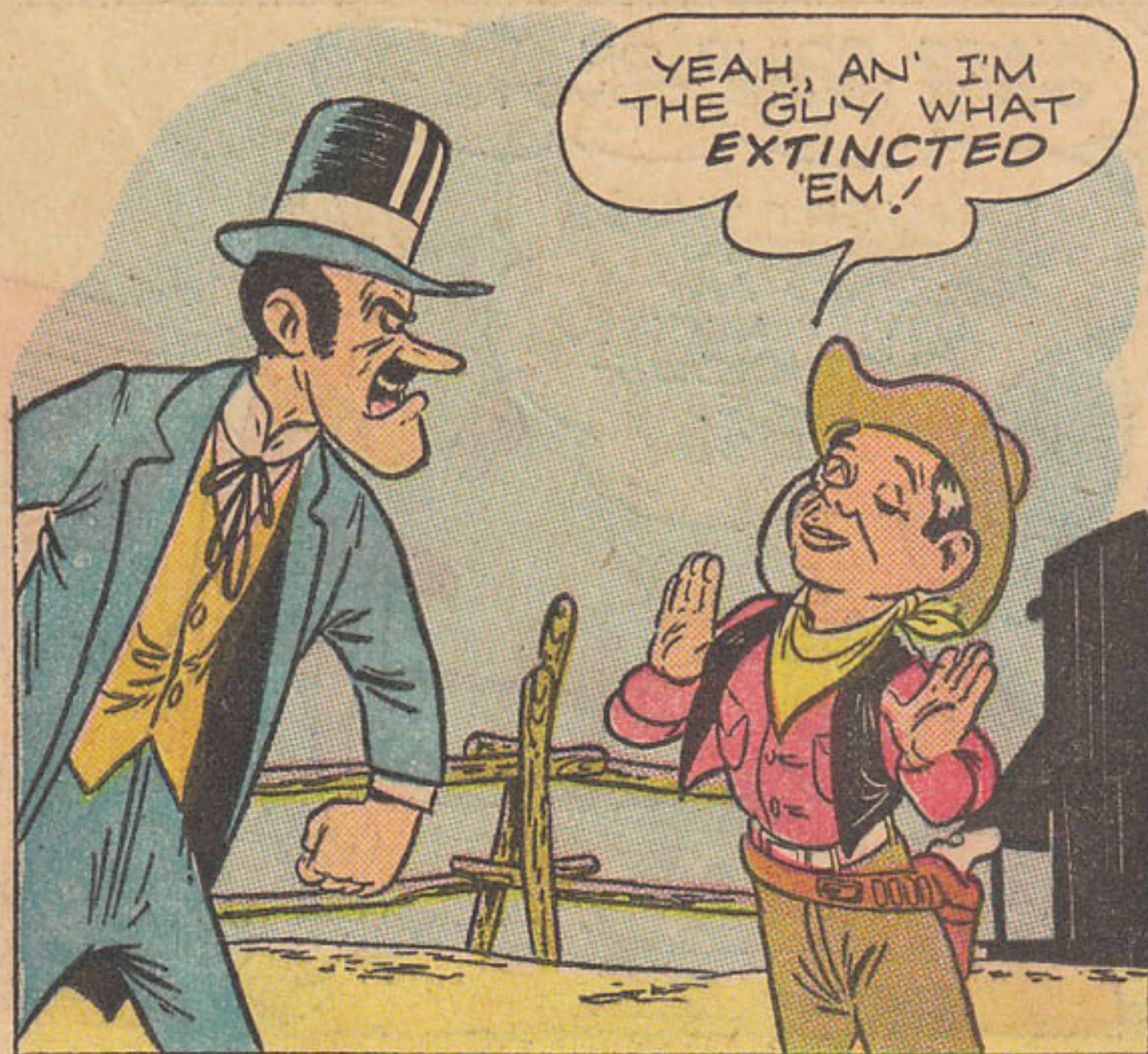
SO YOU
WANT TO WORK
FOR ME, EH?
ARE YOU A
GOOD SHOT?

AM I?
WHY WITH A
THIRTY-THREE,
I CAN SHOOT
LIKE SIXTY!

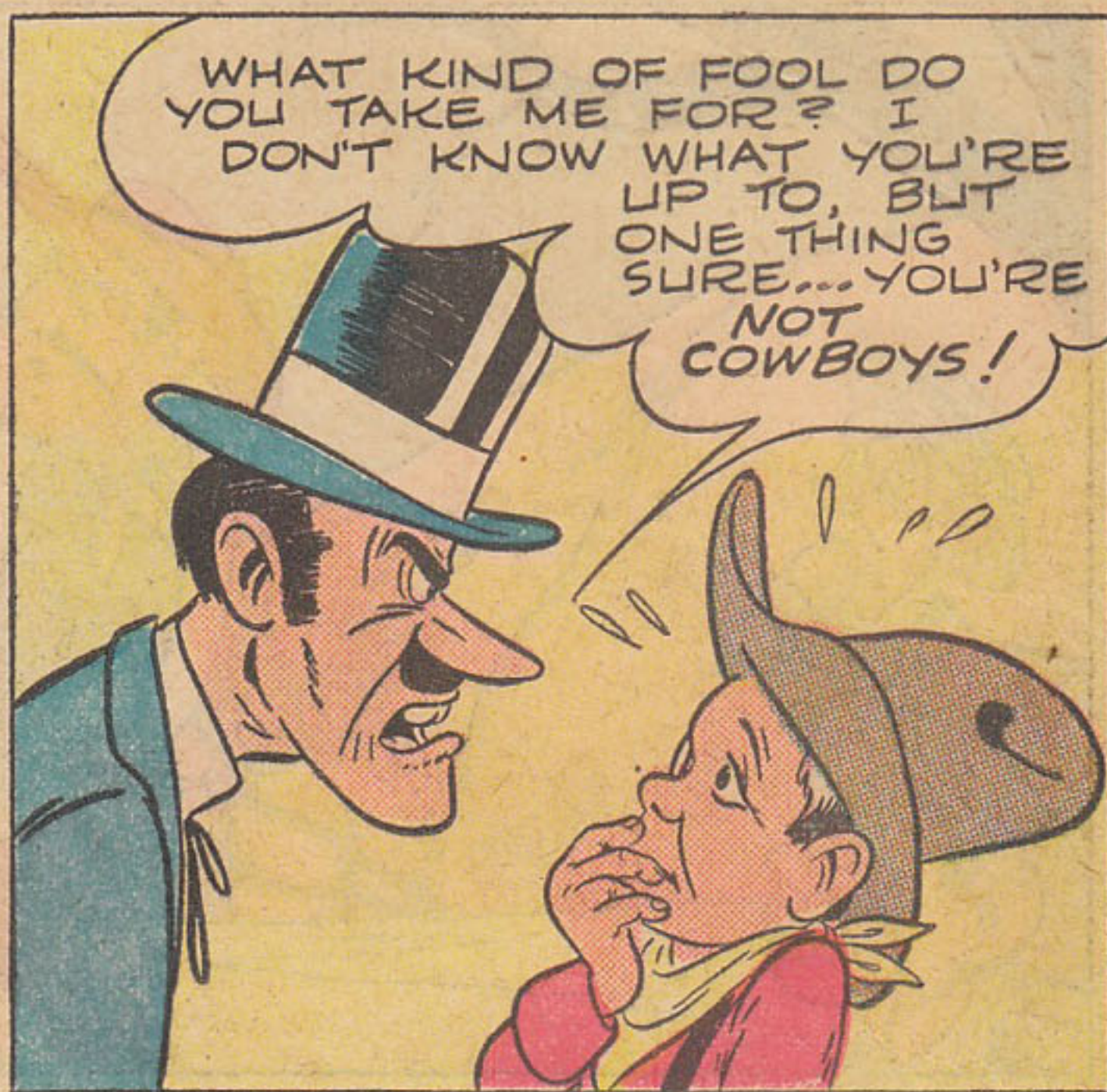


I'LL NEVER
FORGET TH' TIME
I SHOT MY WAY OUT
OF A HERD OF
BUFFALO!

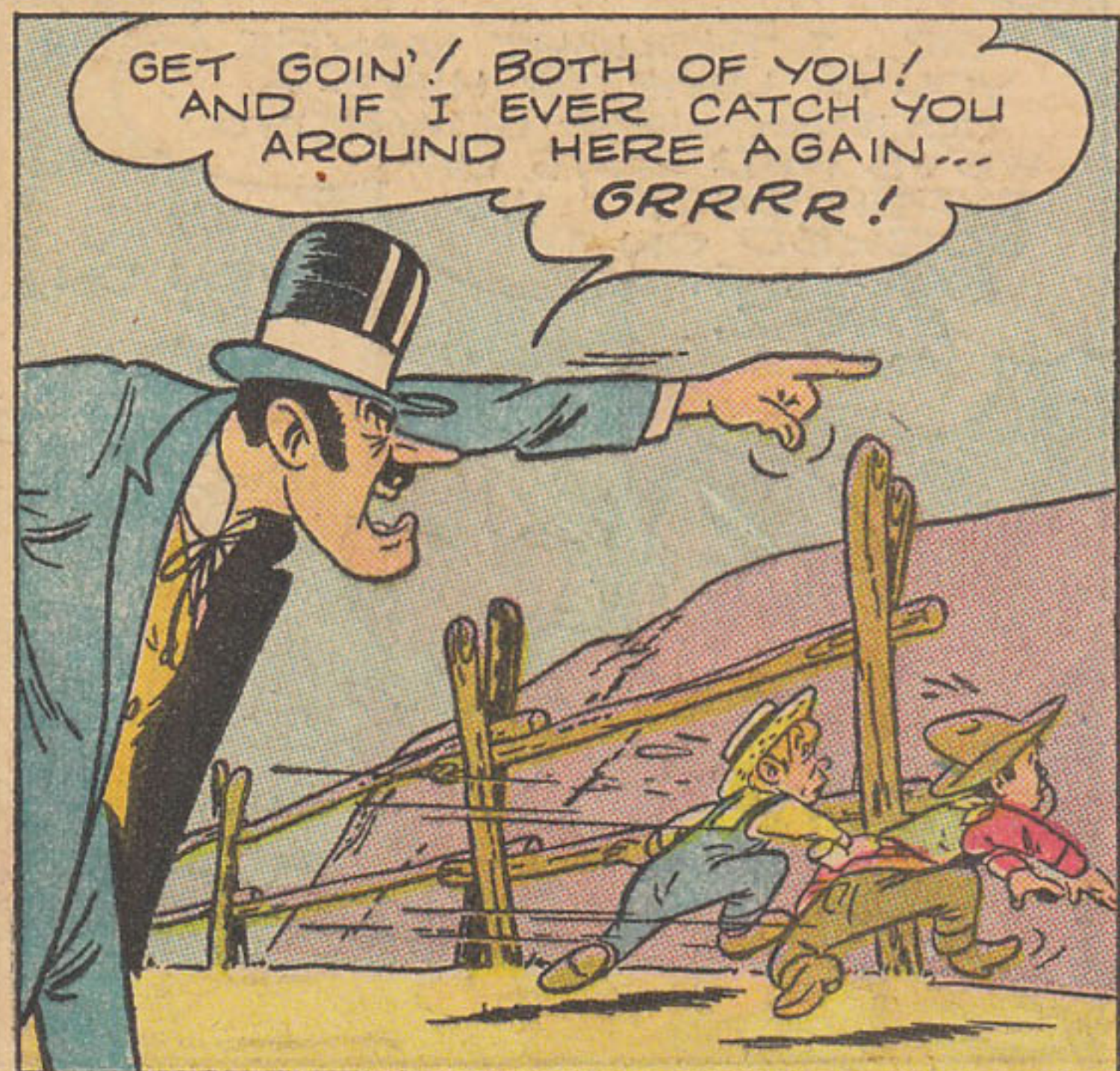
WHY THE
BUFFALO'S
BEEN
EXTINCT
FOR
YEARS!



YEAH, AN' I'M
THE GUY WHAT
EXTINCTED
'EM!



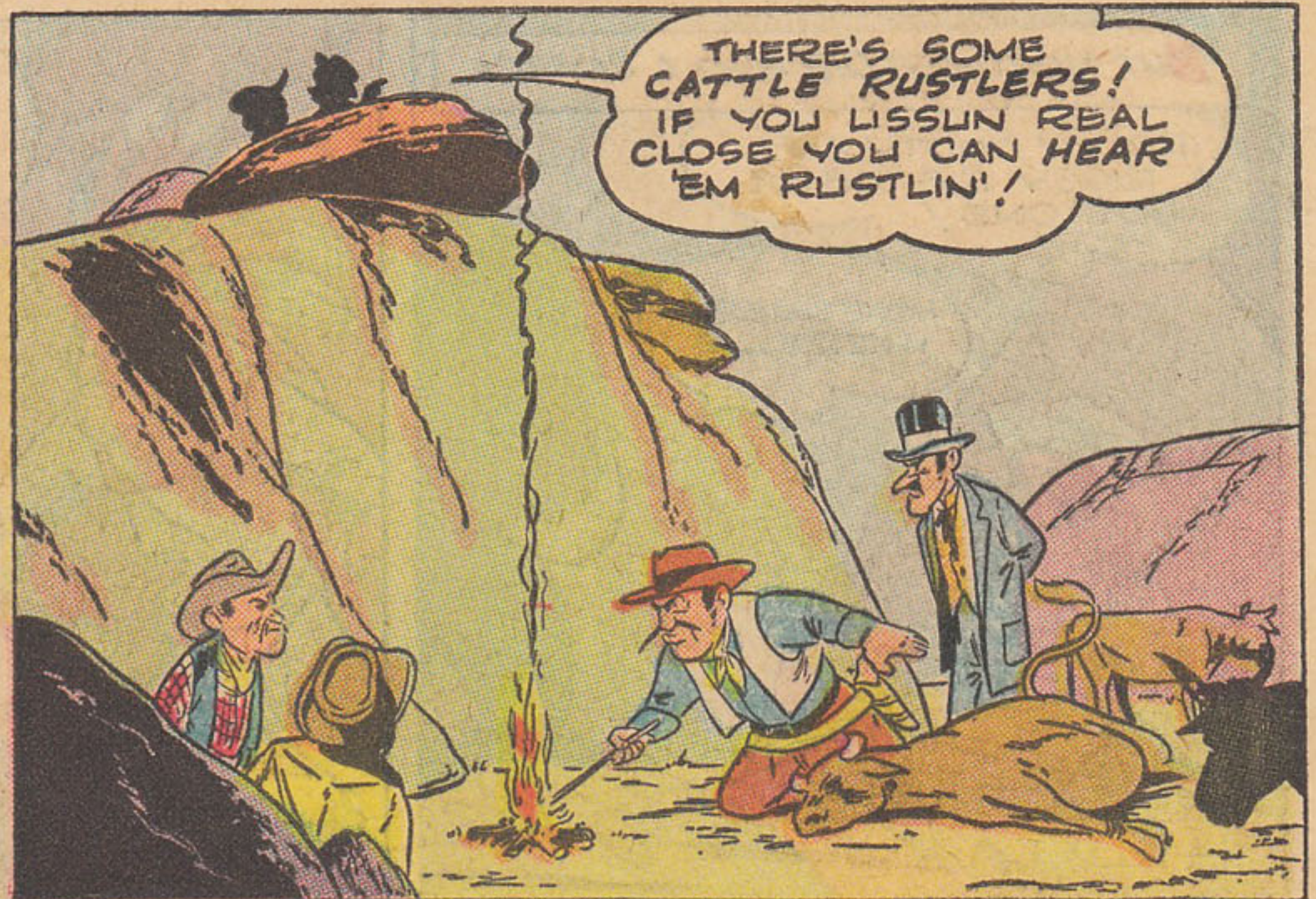
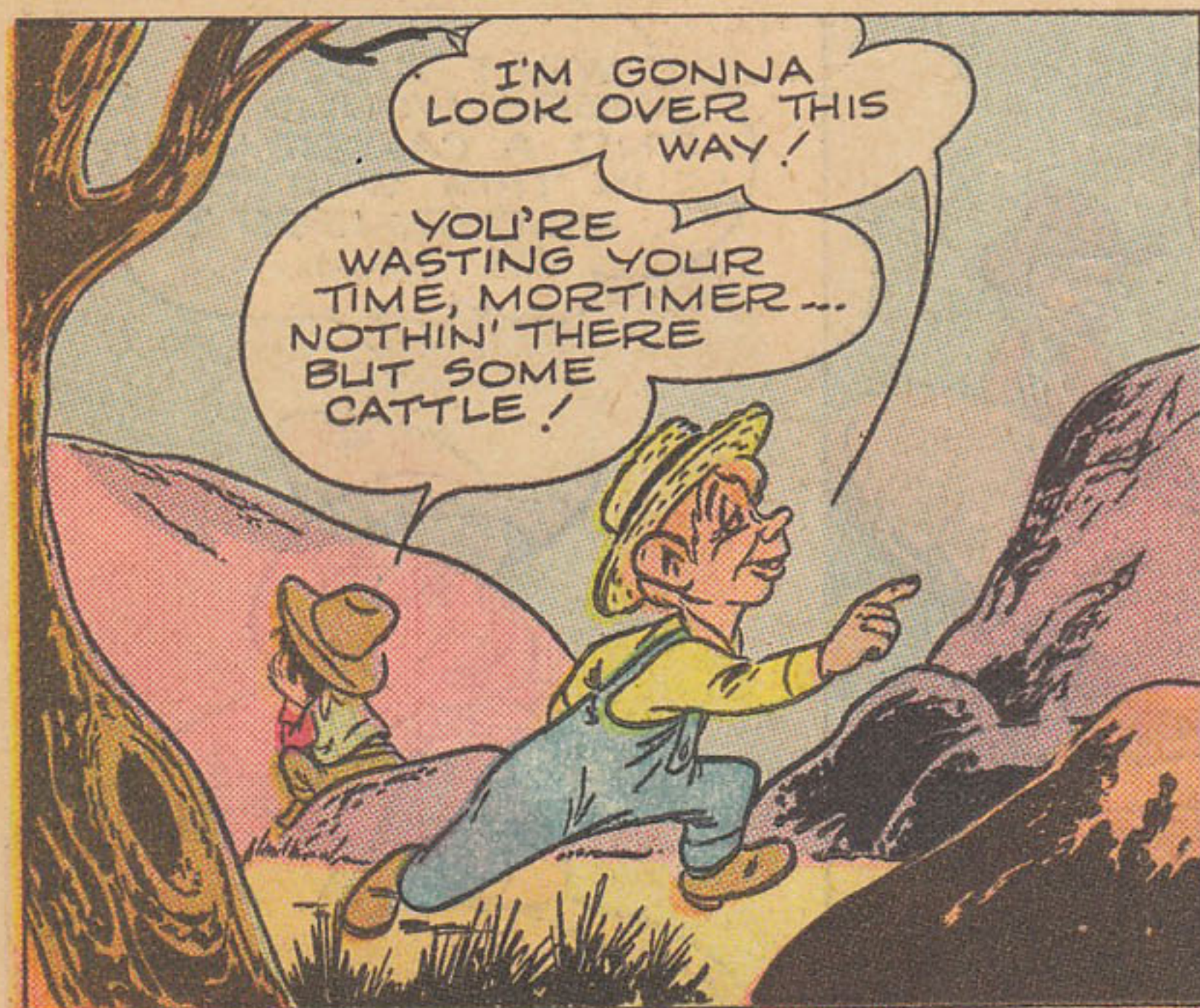
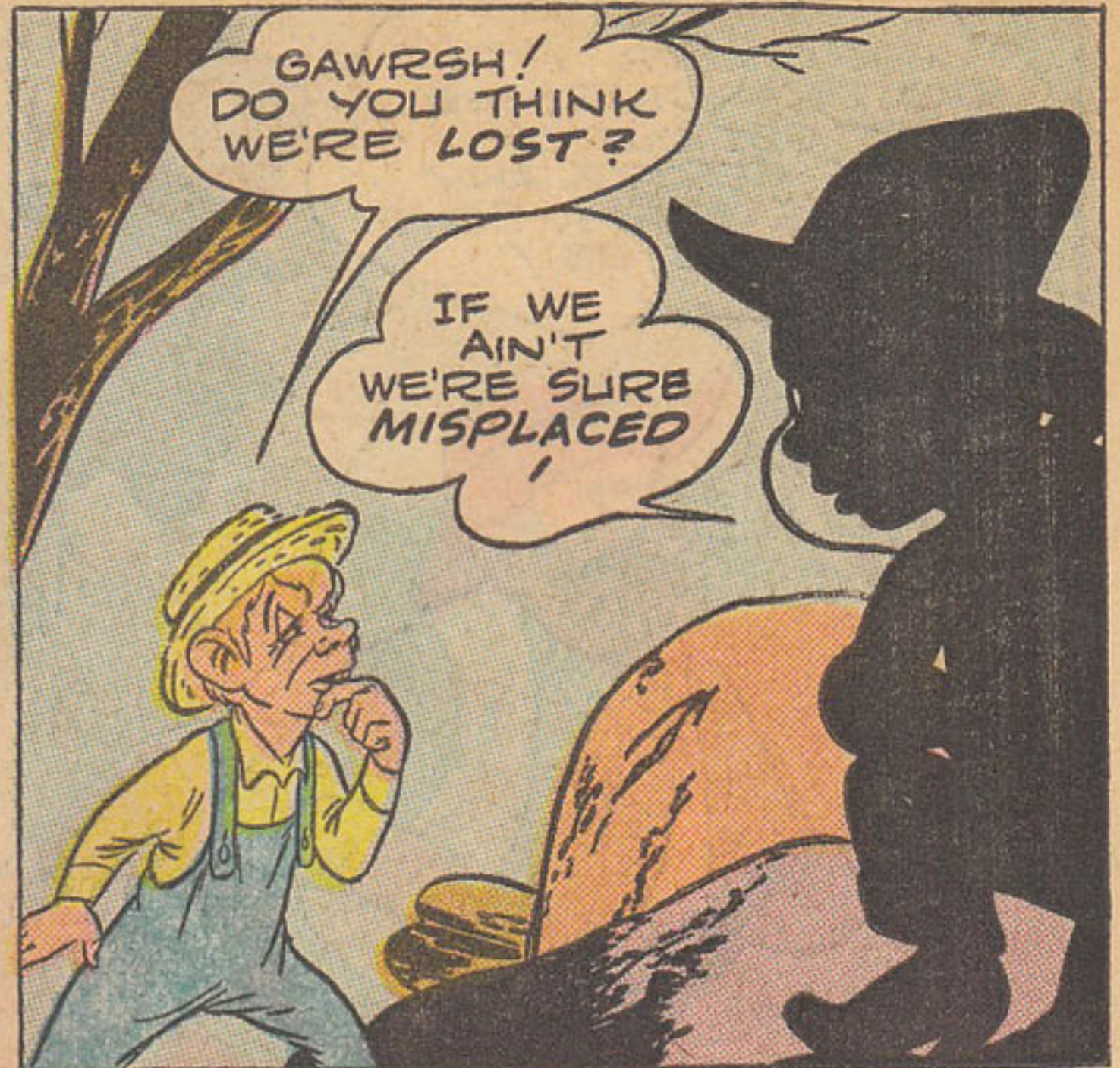
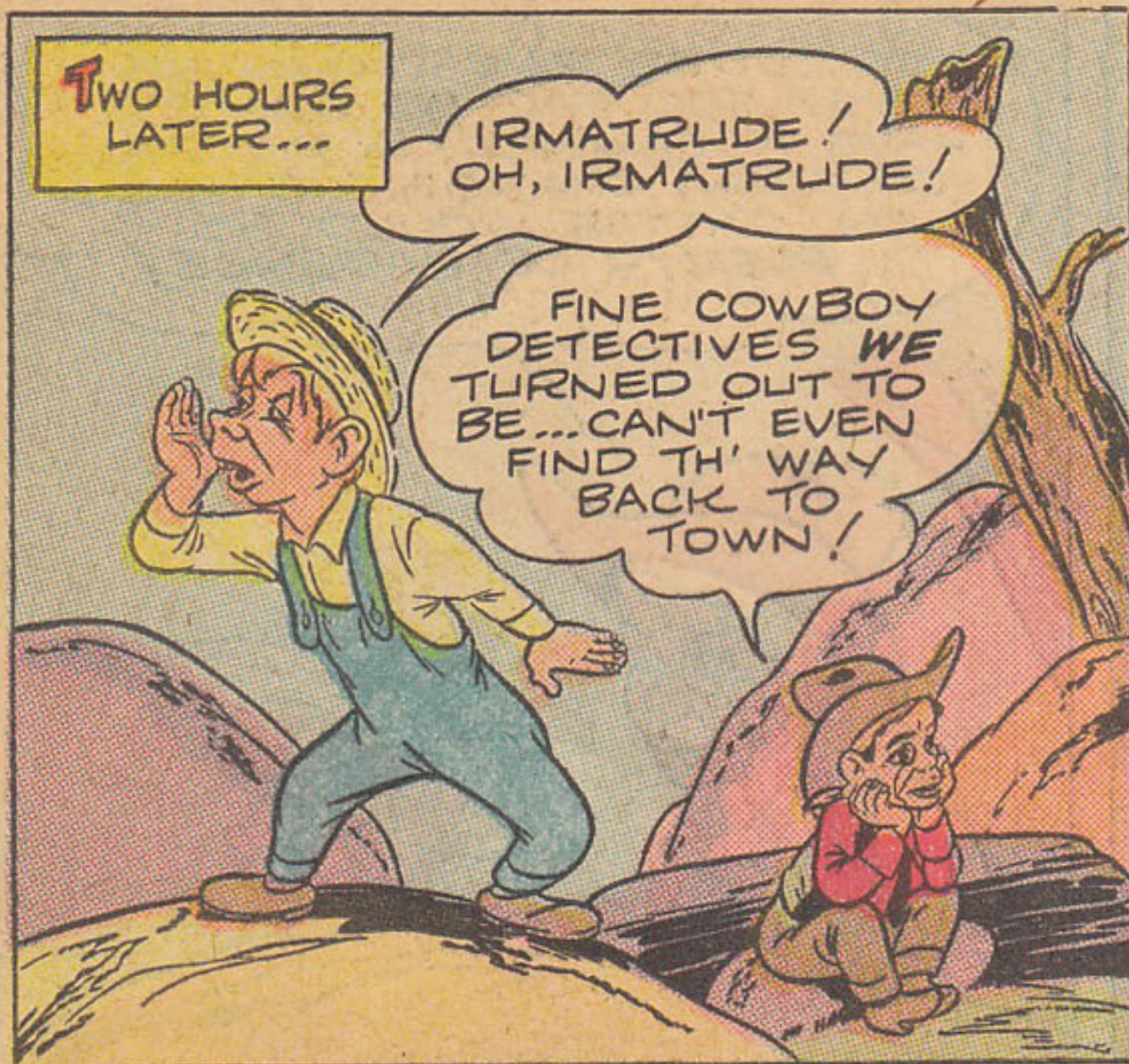
WHAT KIND OF FOOL DO
YOU TAKE ME FOR? I
DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE
UP TO, BUT
ONE THING
SURE... YOU'RE
NOT
COWBOYS!

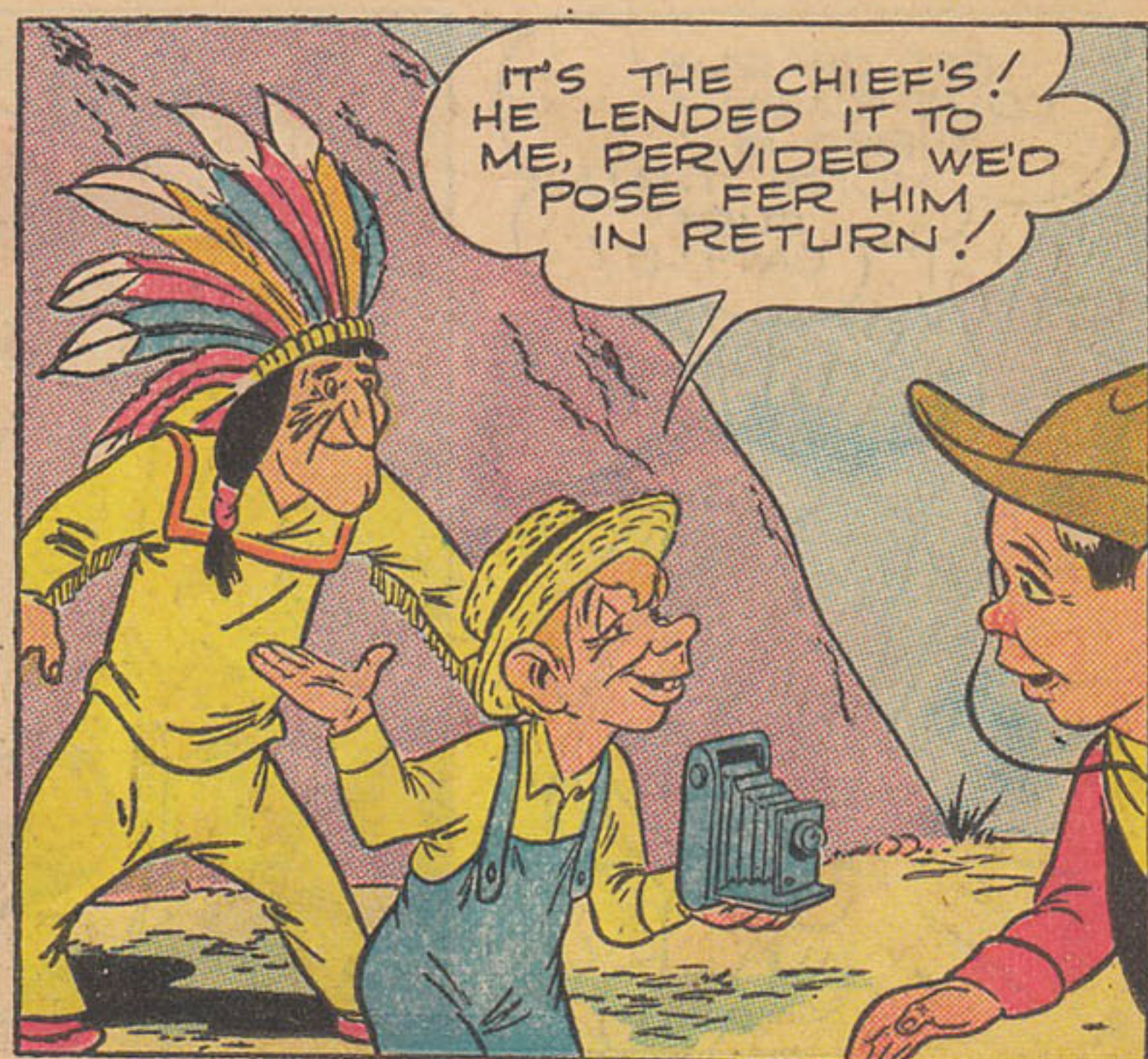
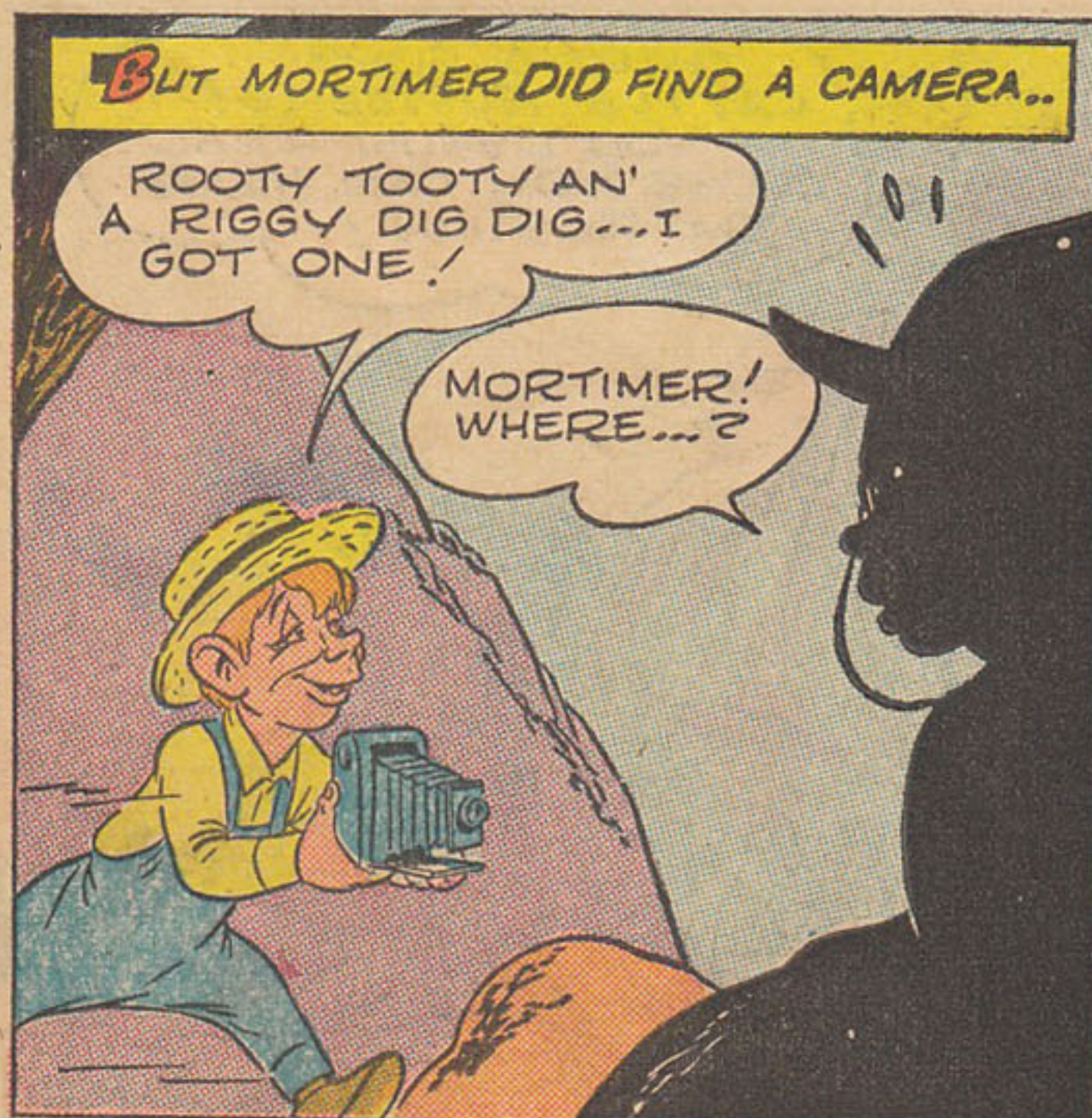
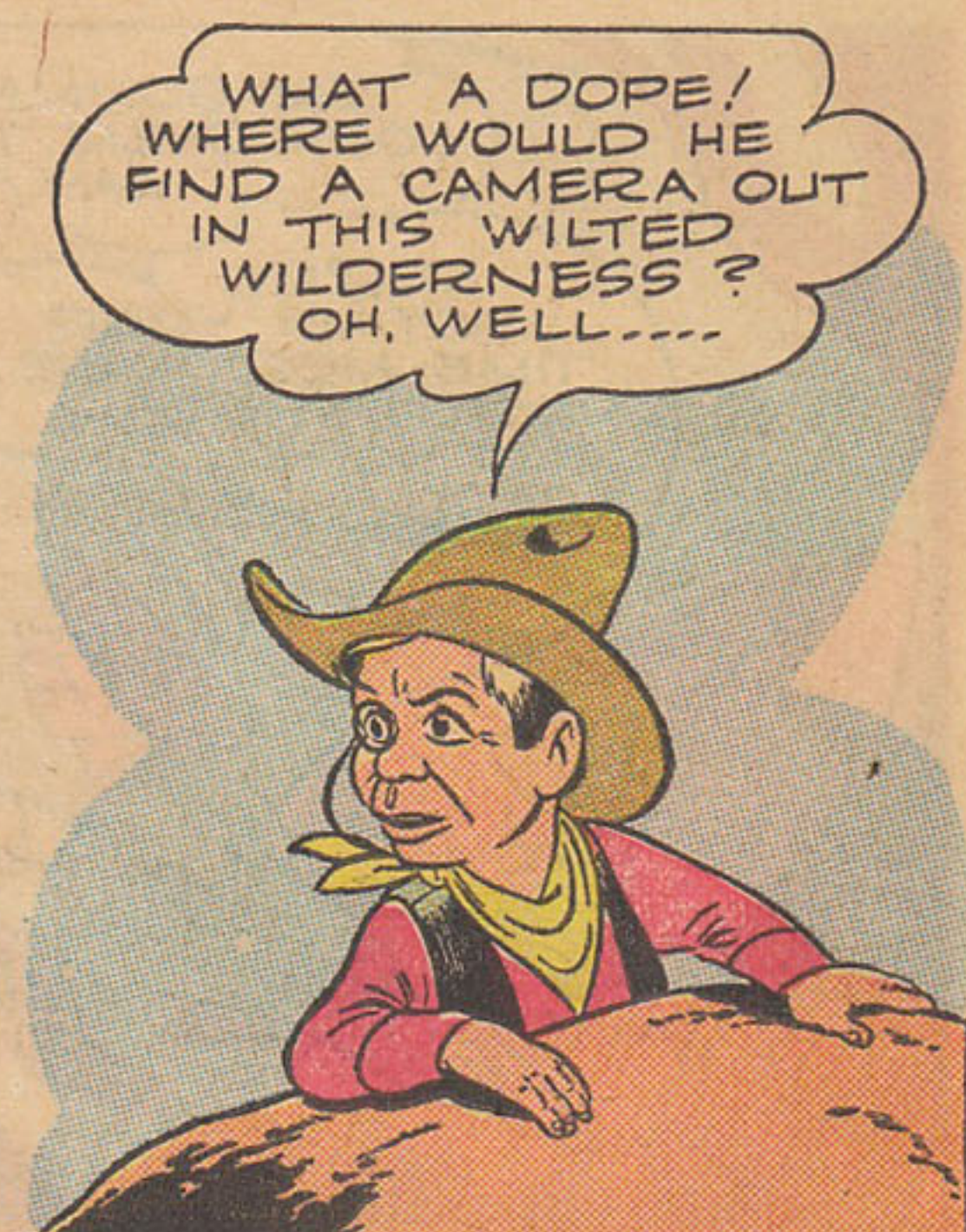
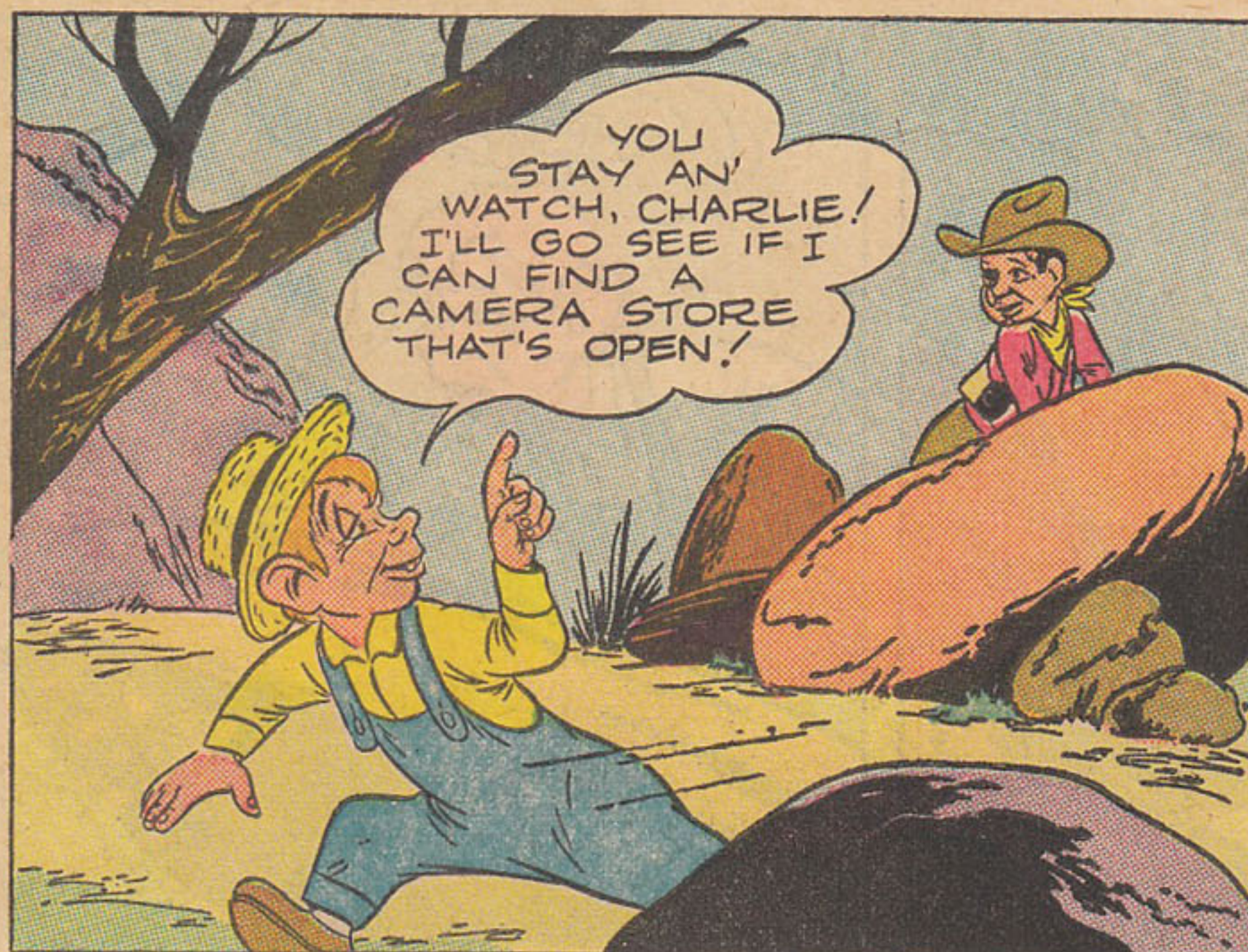
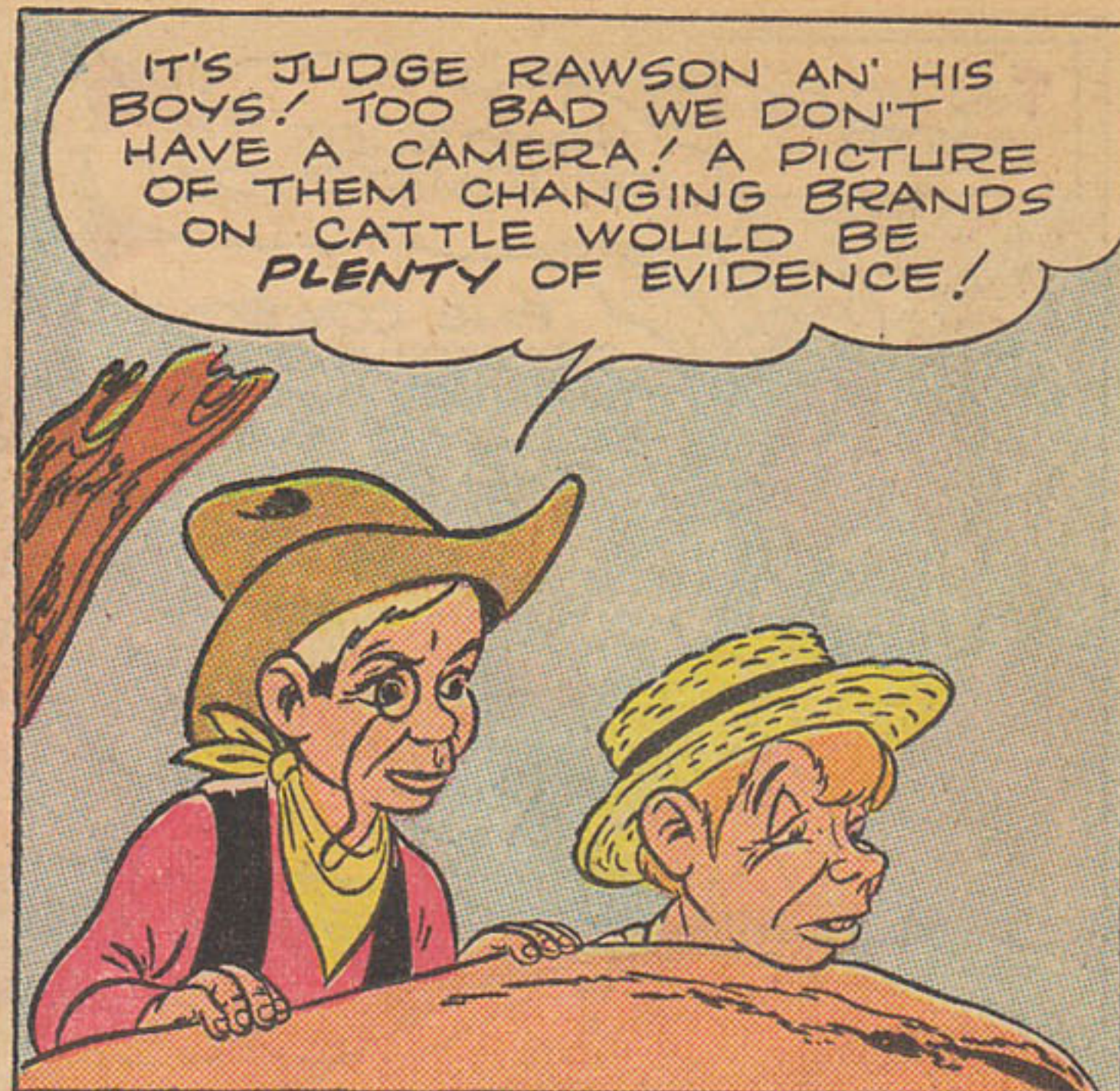
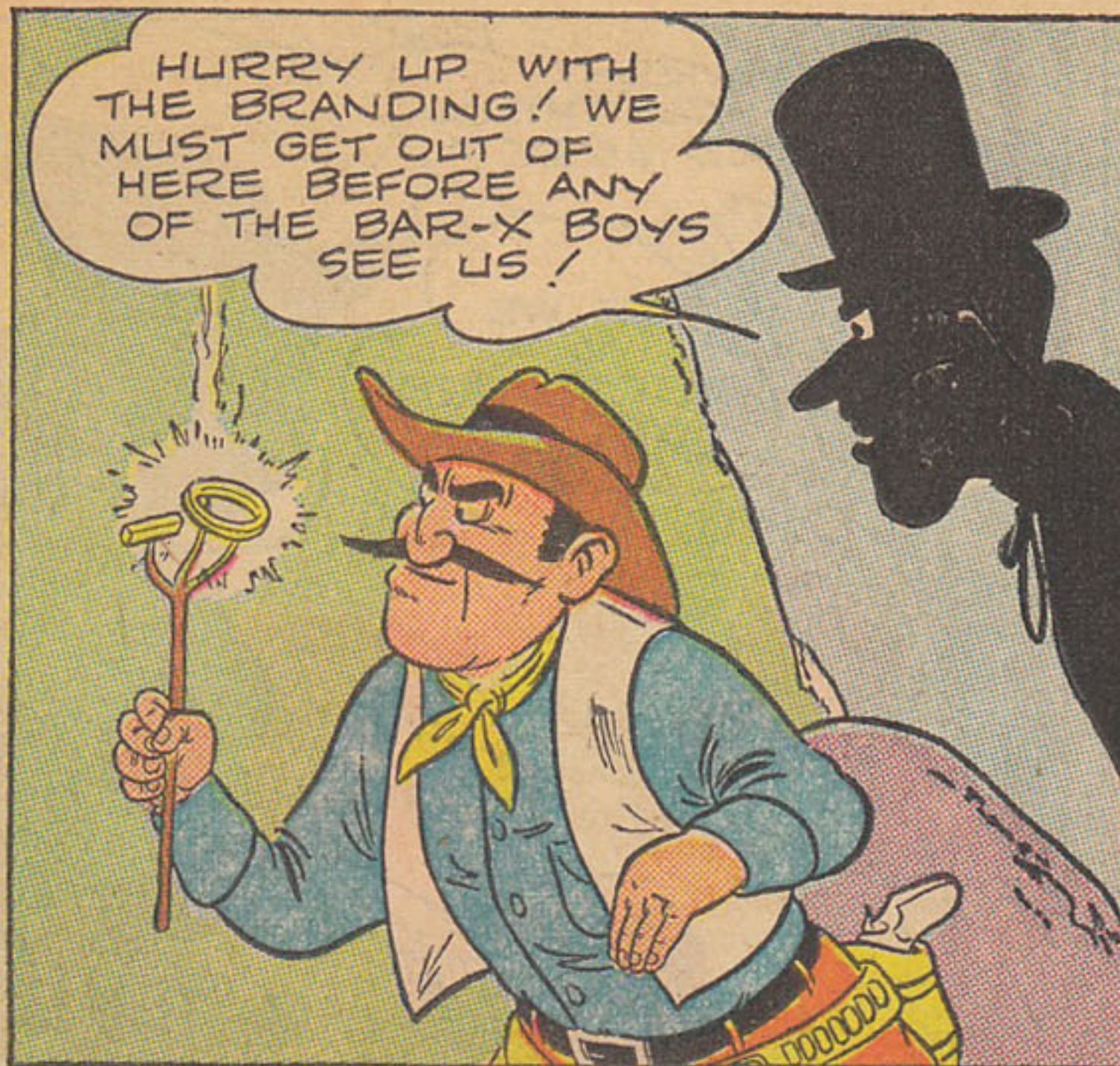


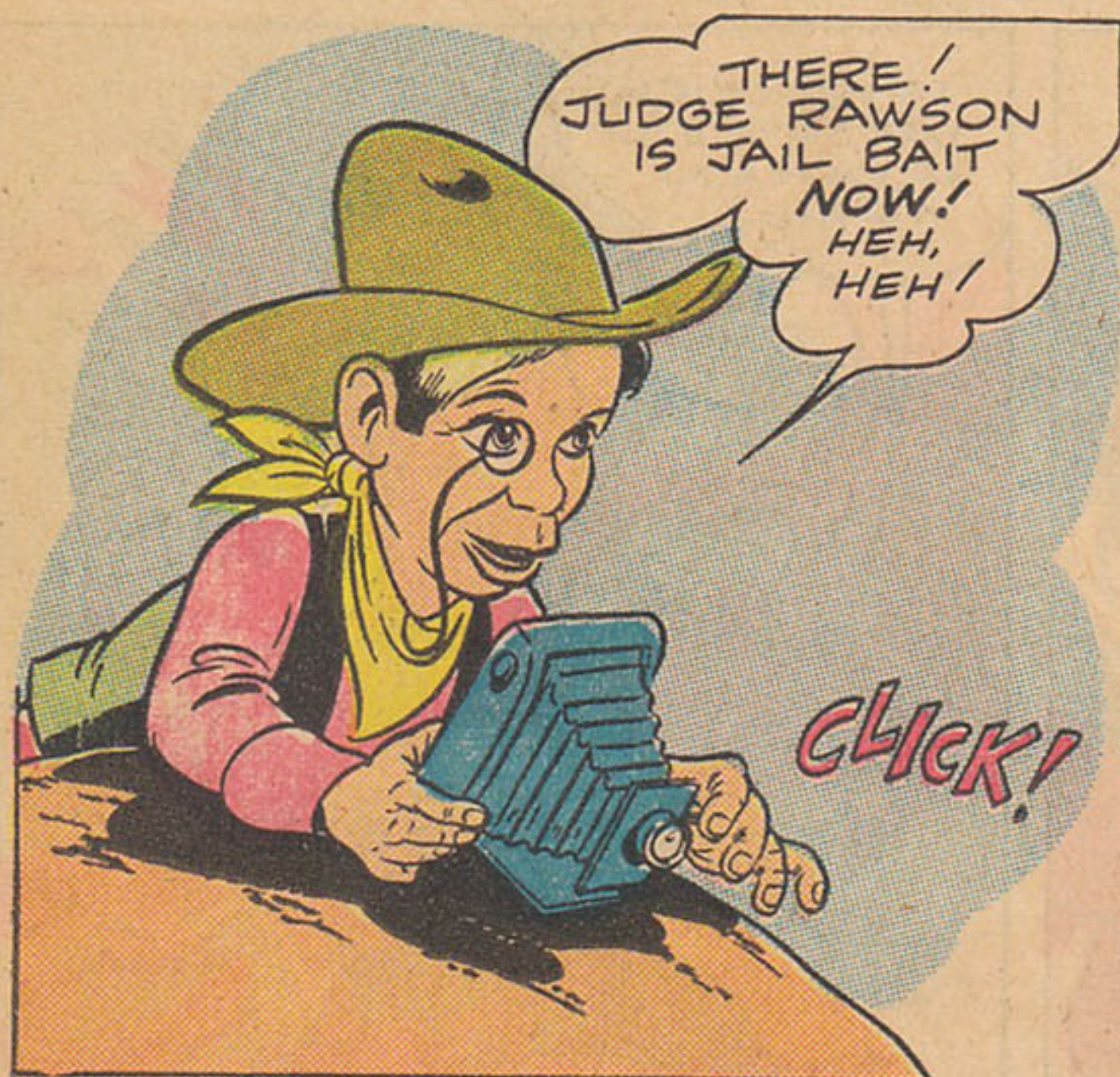
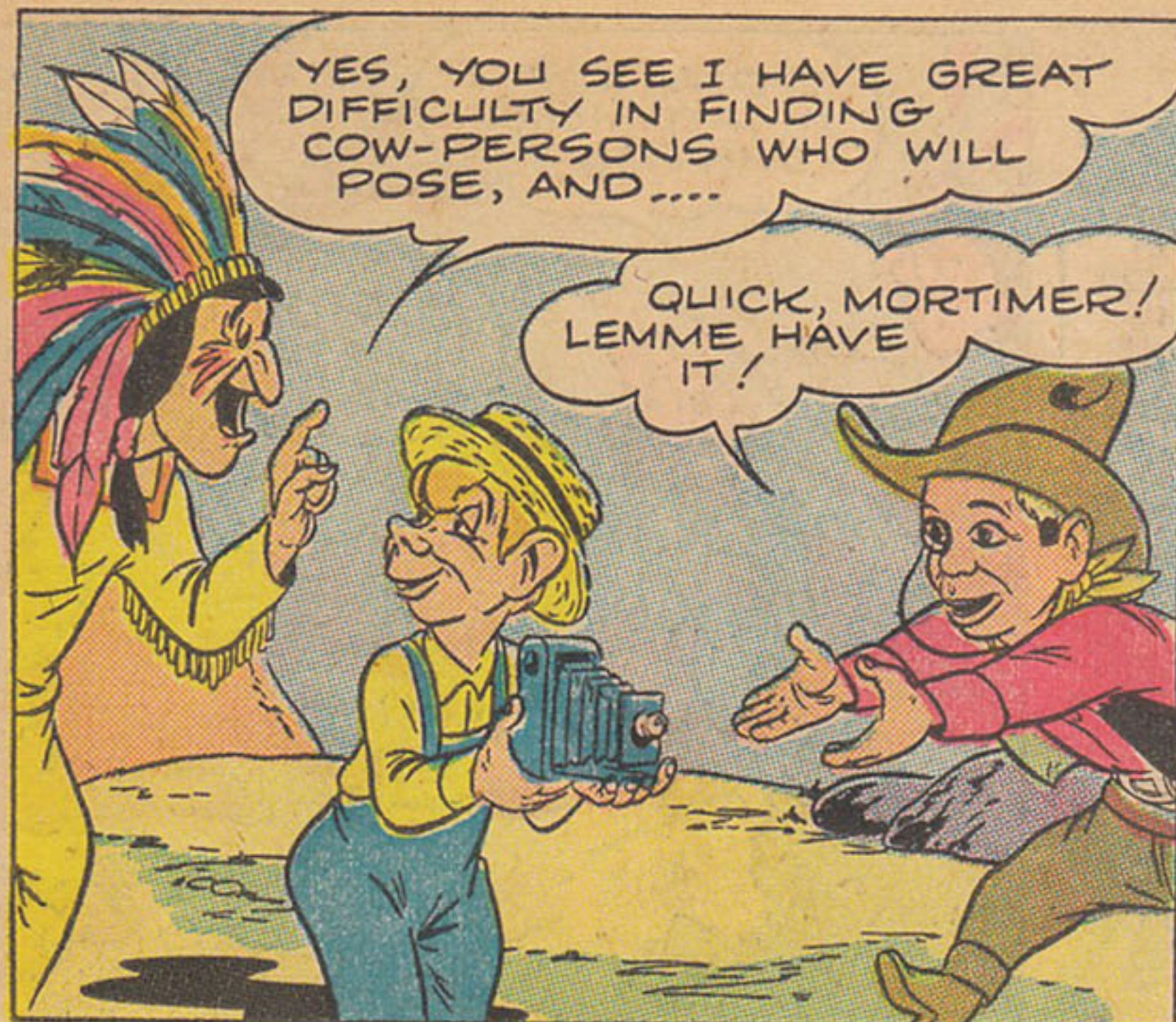
GET GOIN'! BOTH OF YOU!
AND IF I EVER CATCH YOU
AROUND HERE AGAIN...
GRRRR!

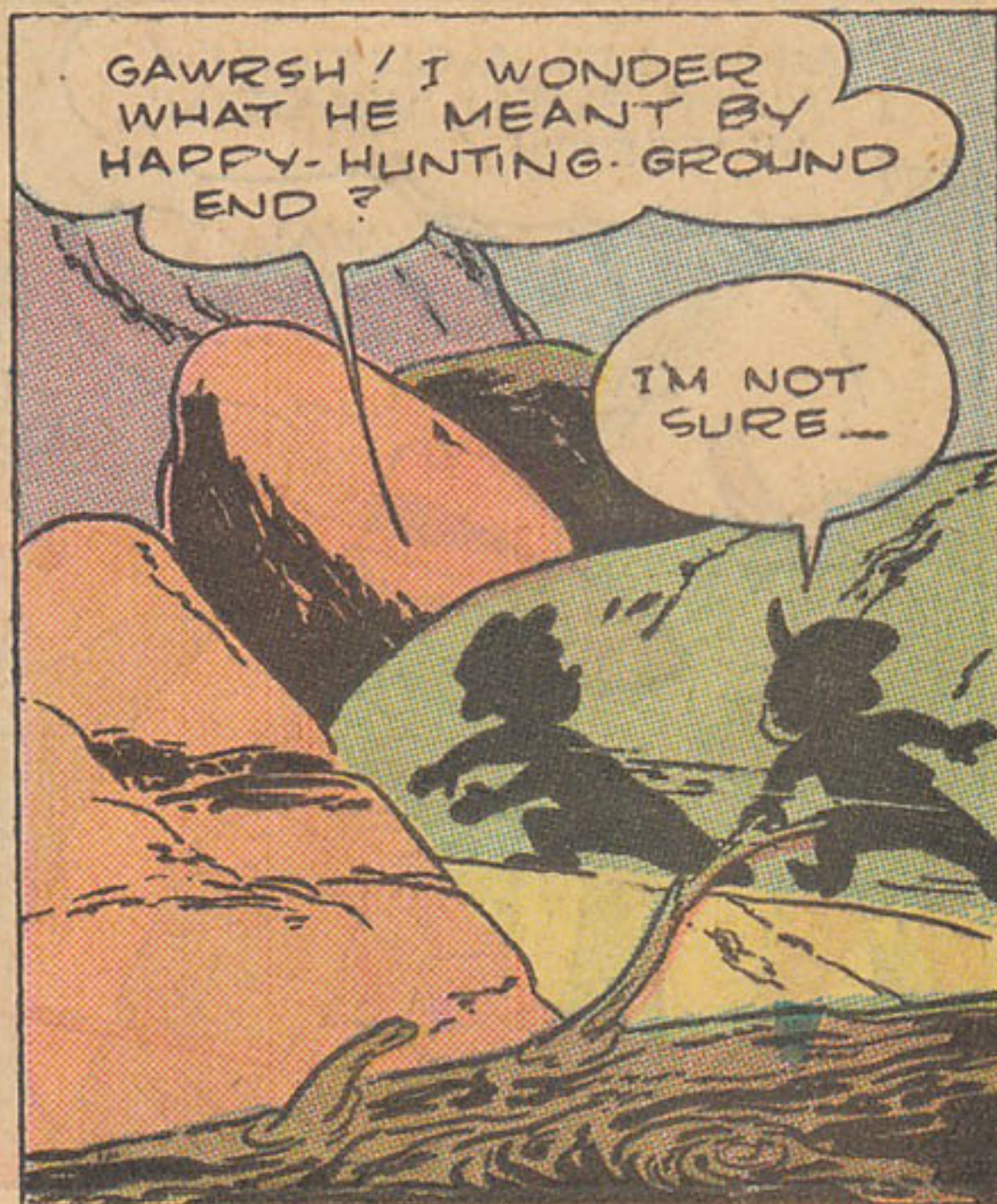
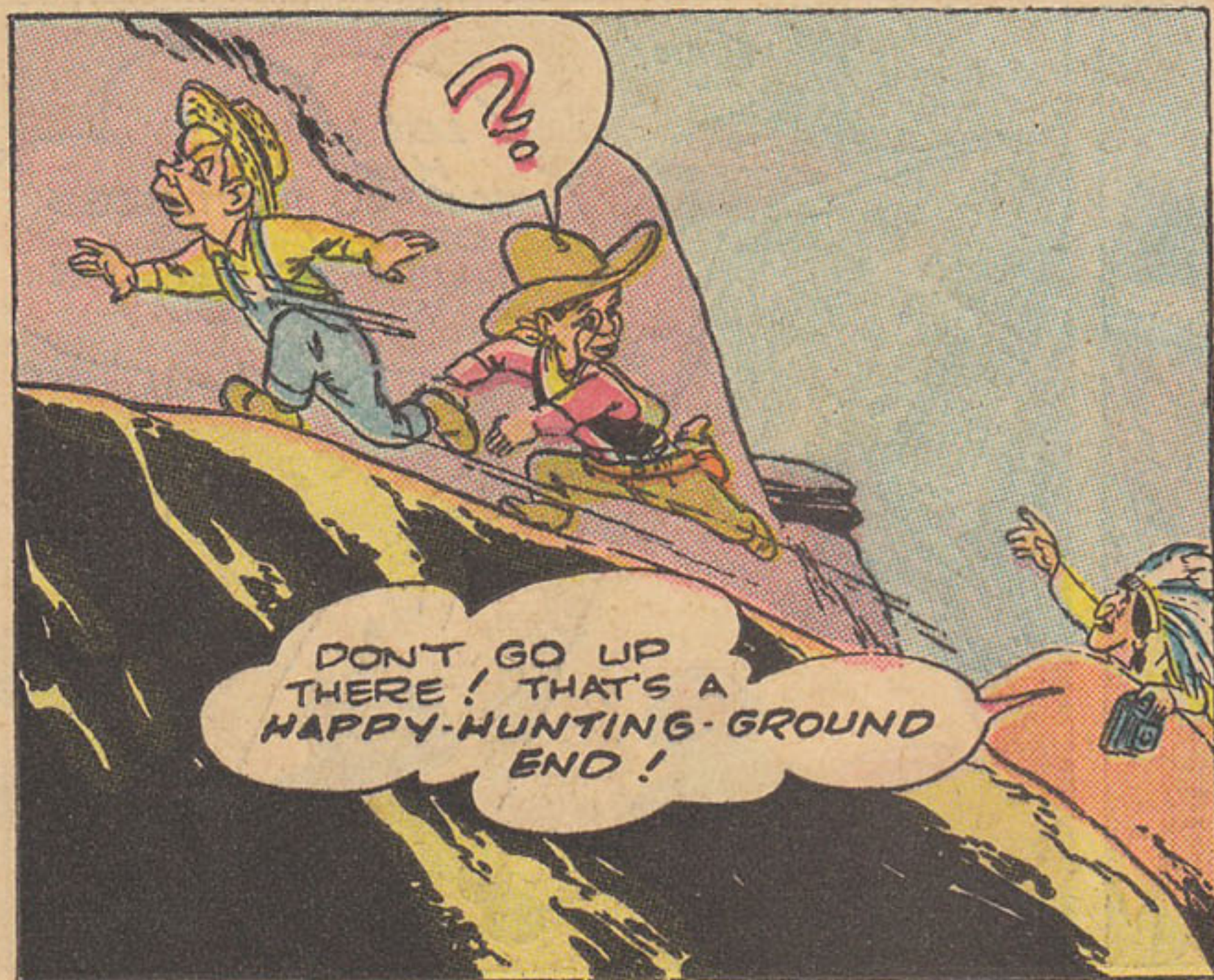
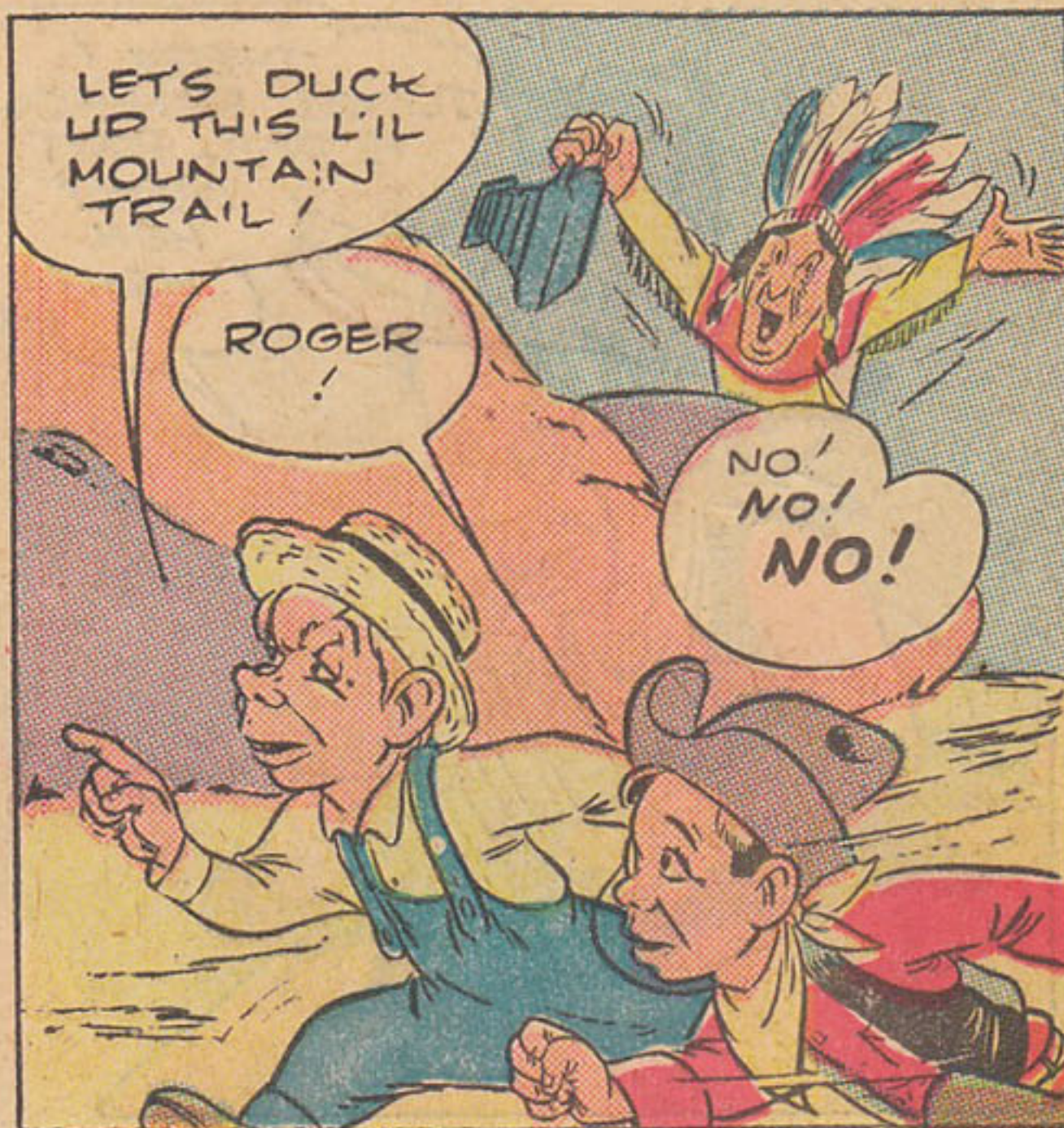
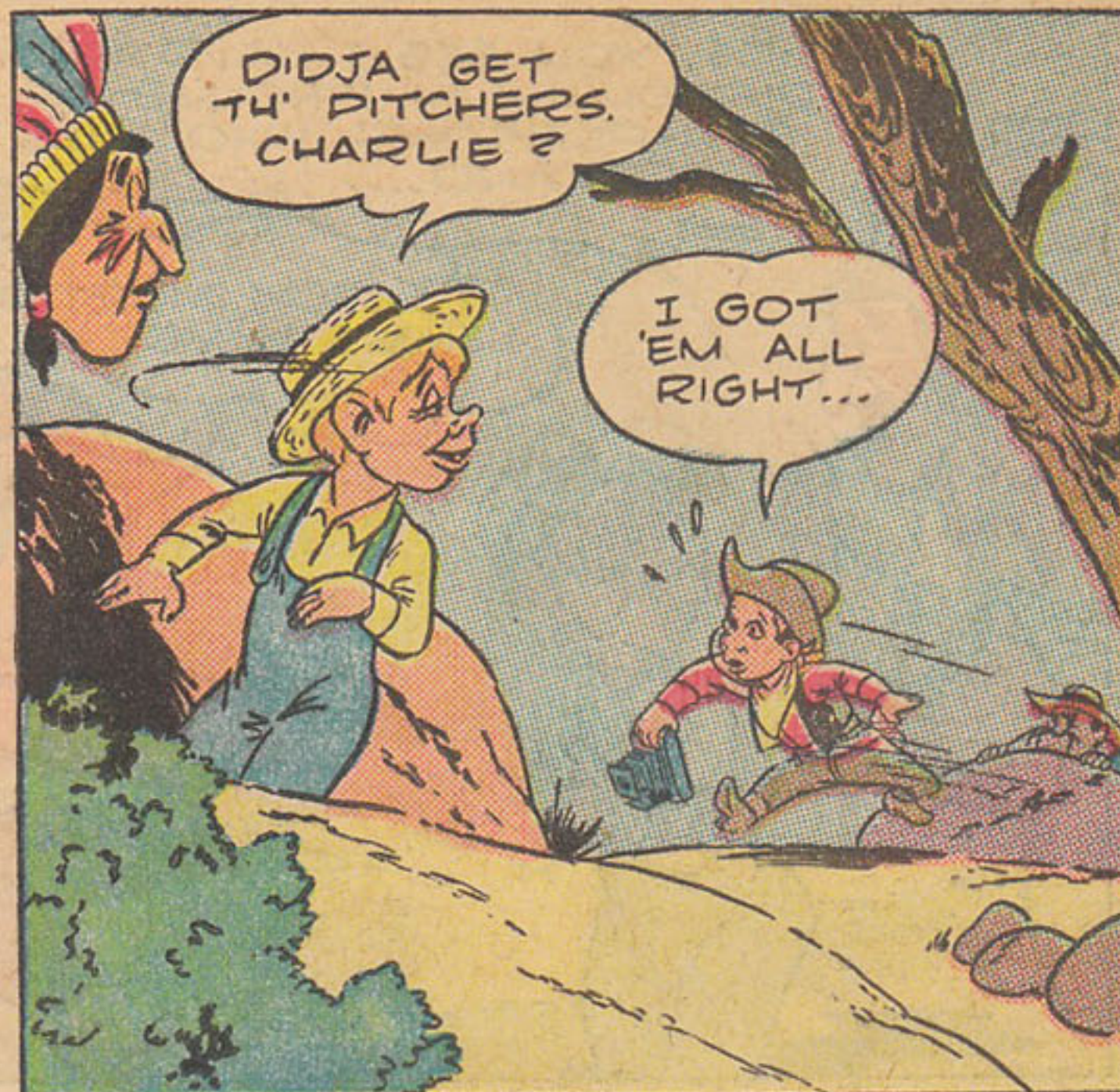
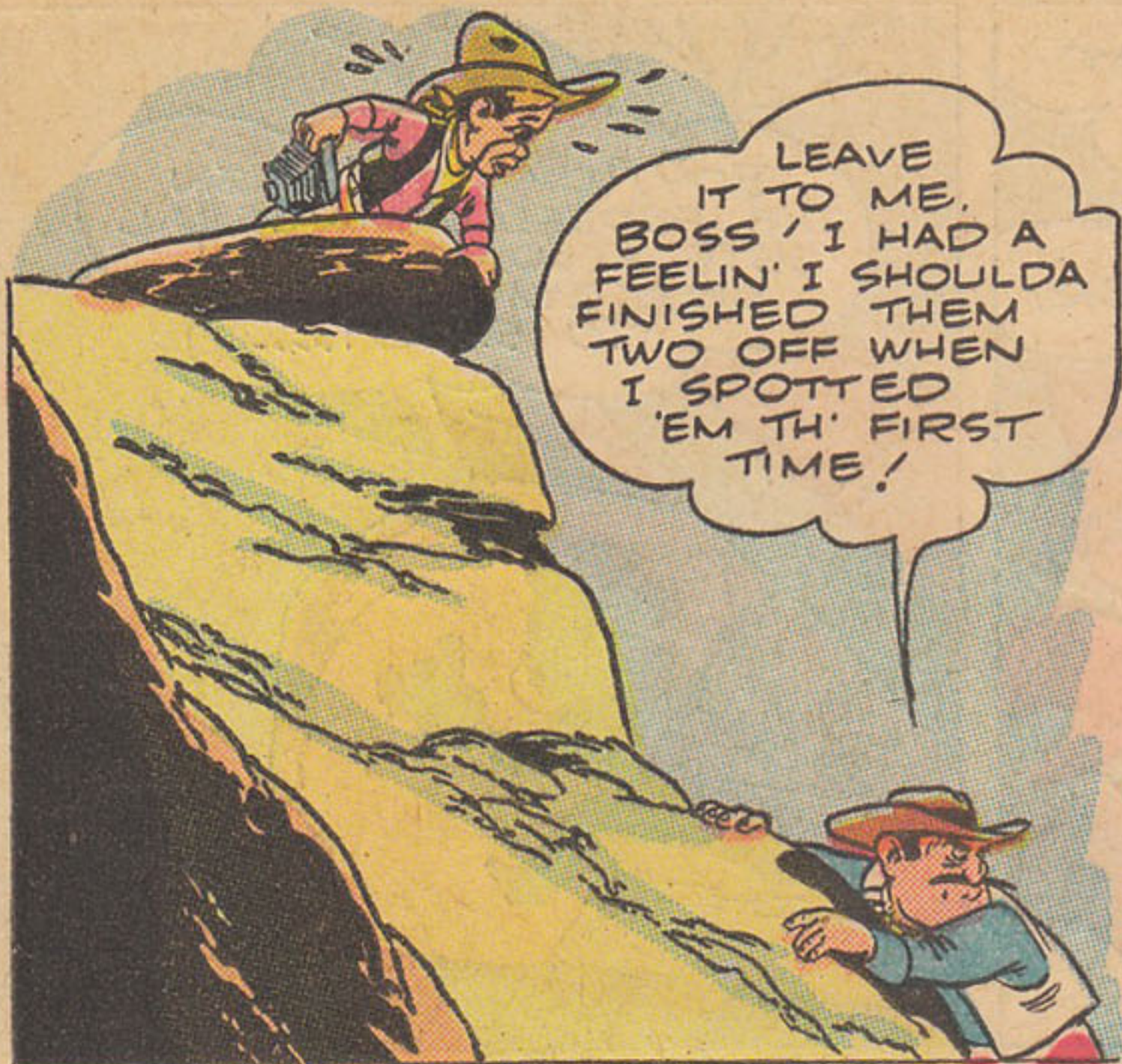


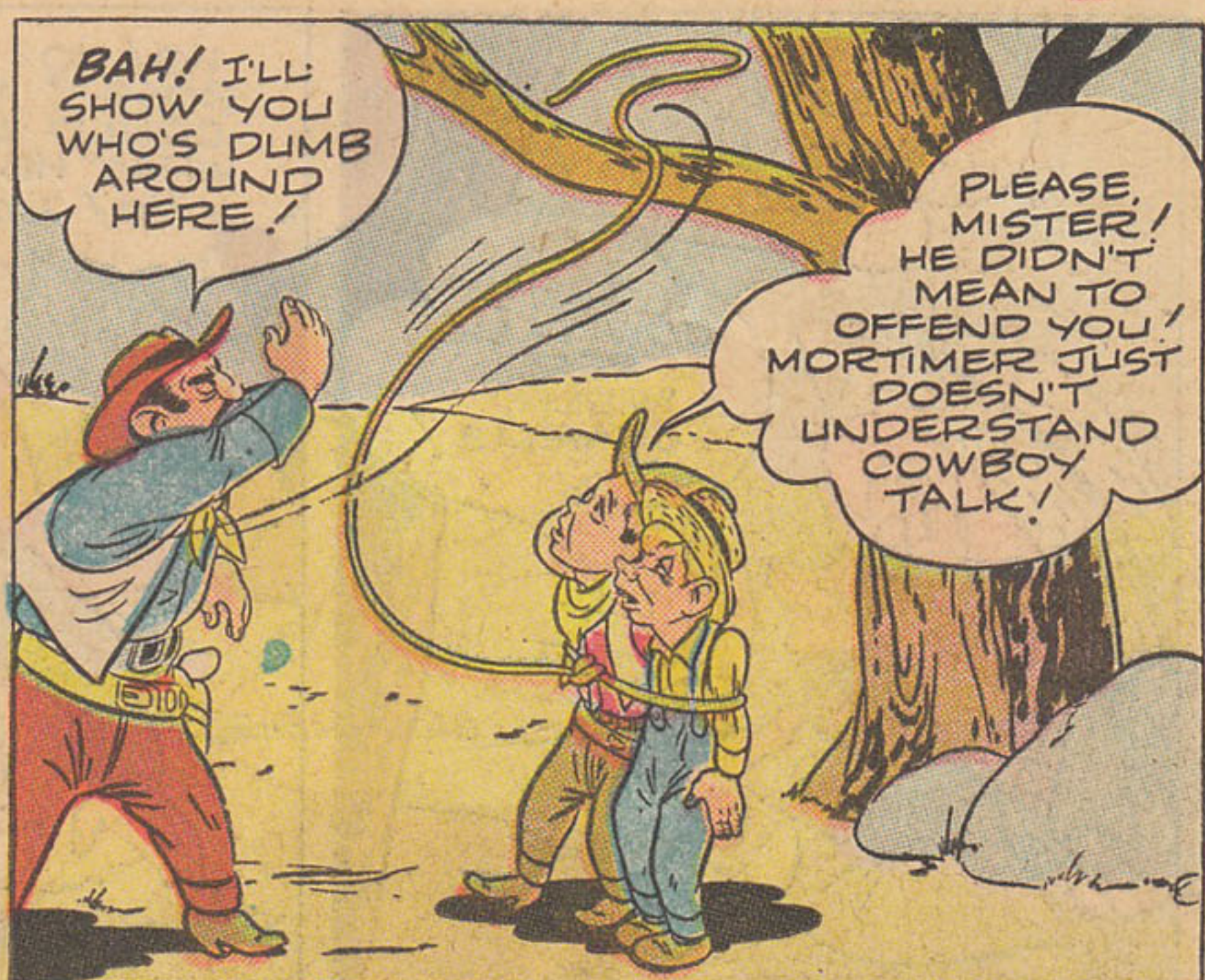
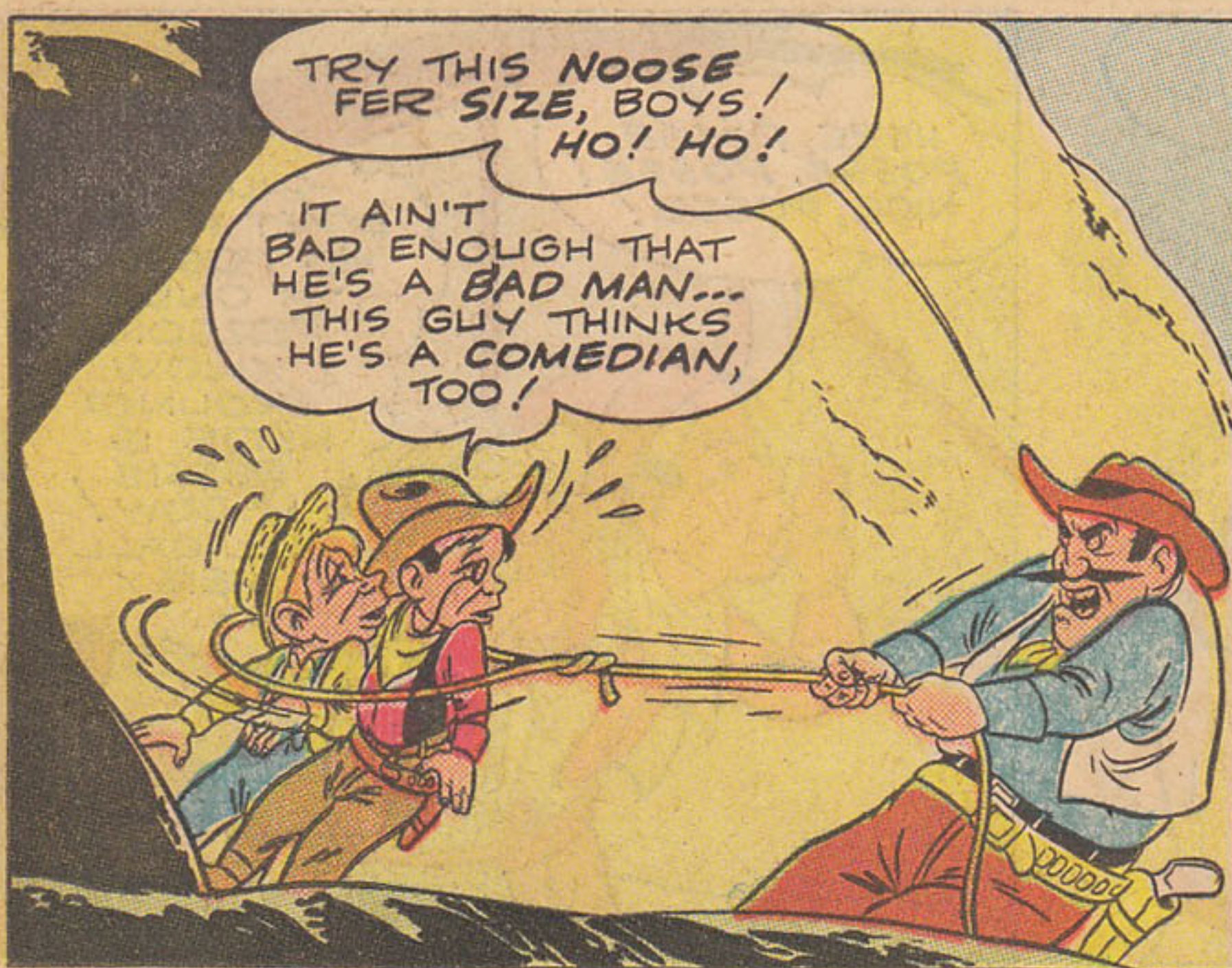
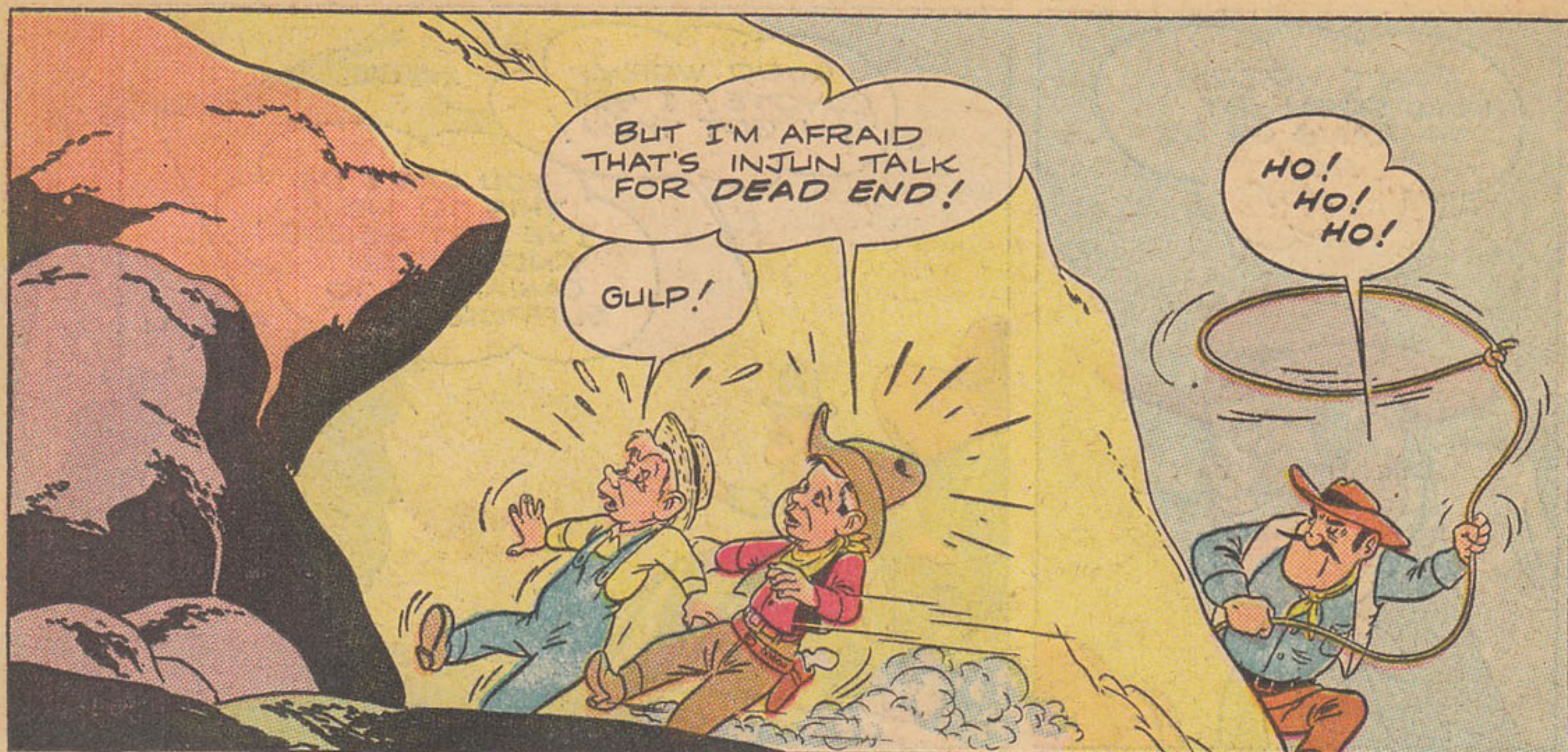
JEEPERS!
WHAT A SOREHEAD!
HE MUST HAVE GOTTEN
UP ON THE WRONG
SIDE OF HIS
HORSE THIS
MORNIN'!

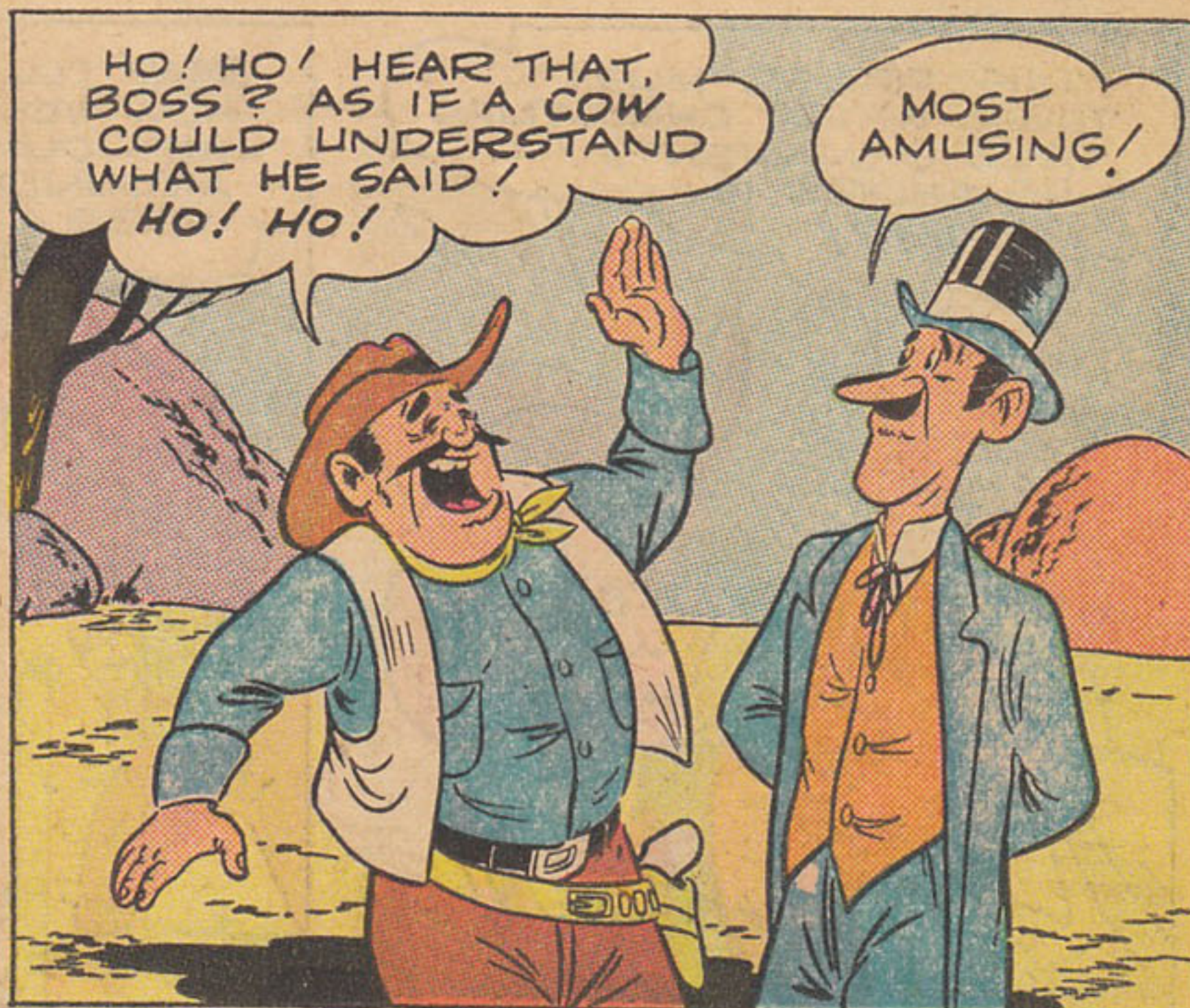
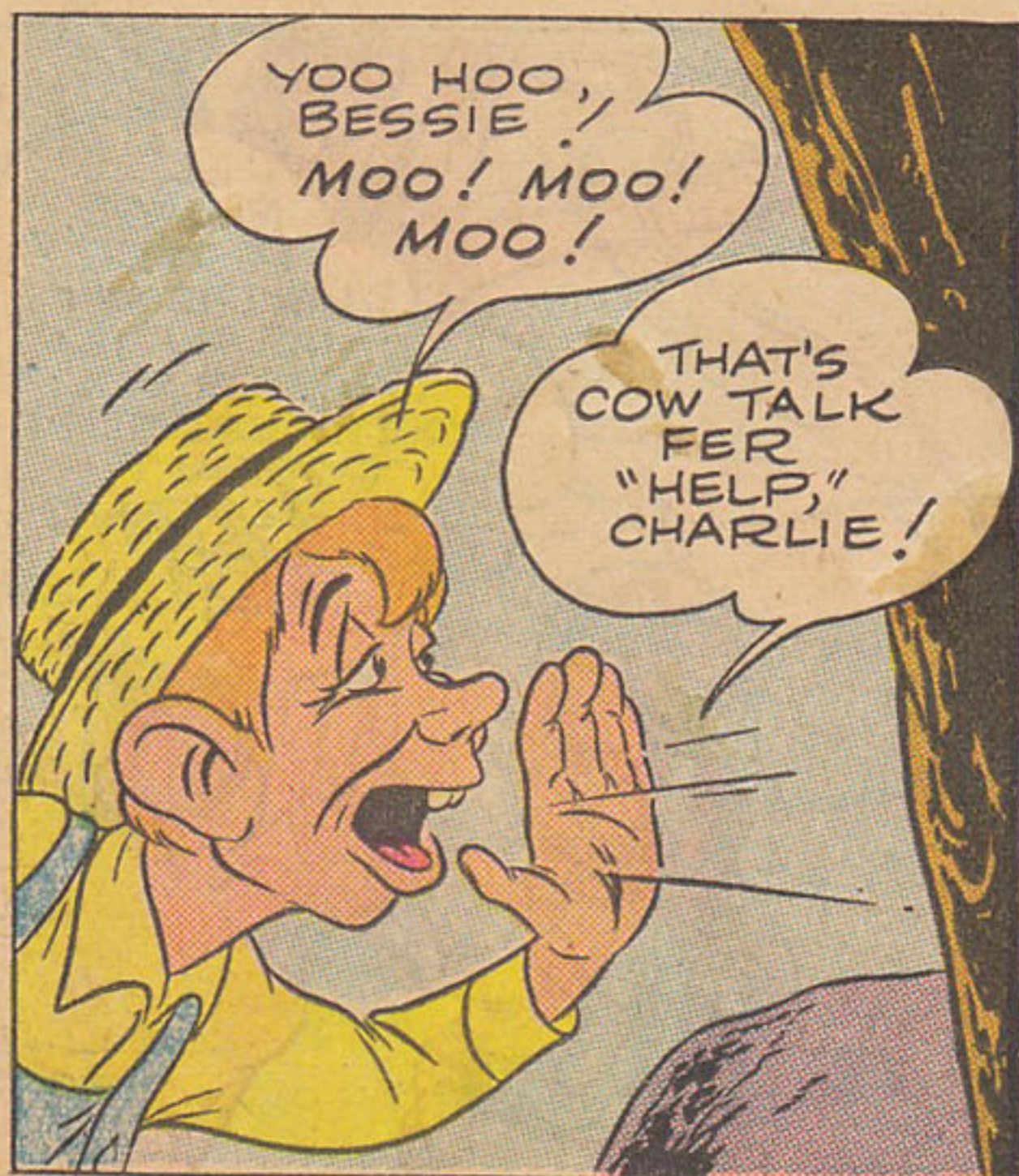
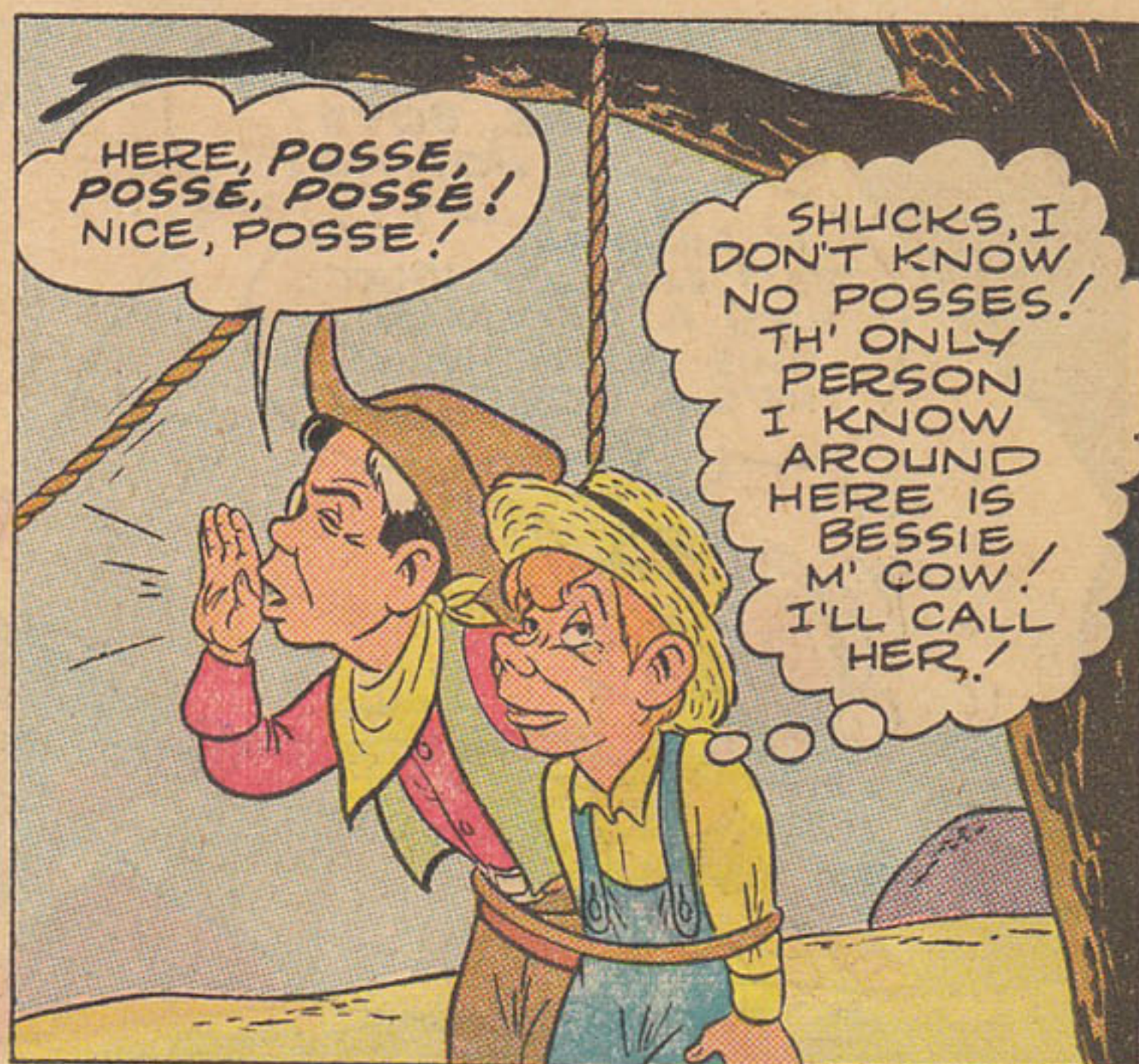
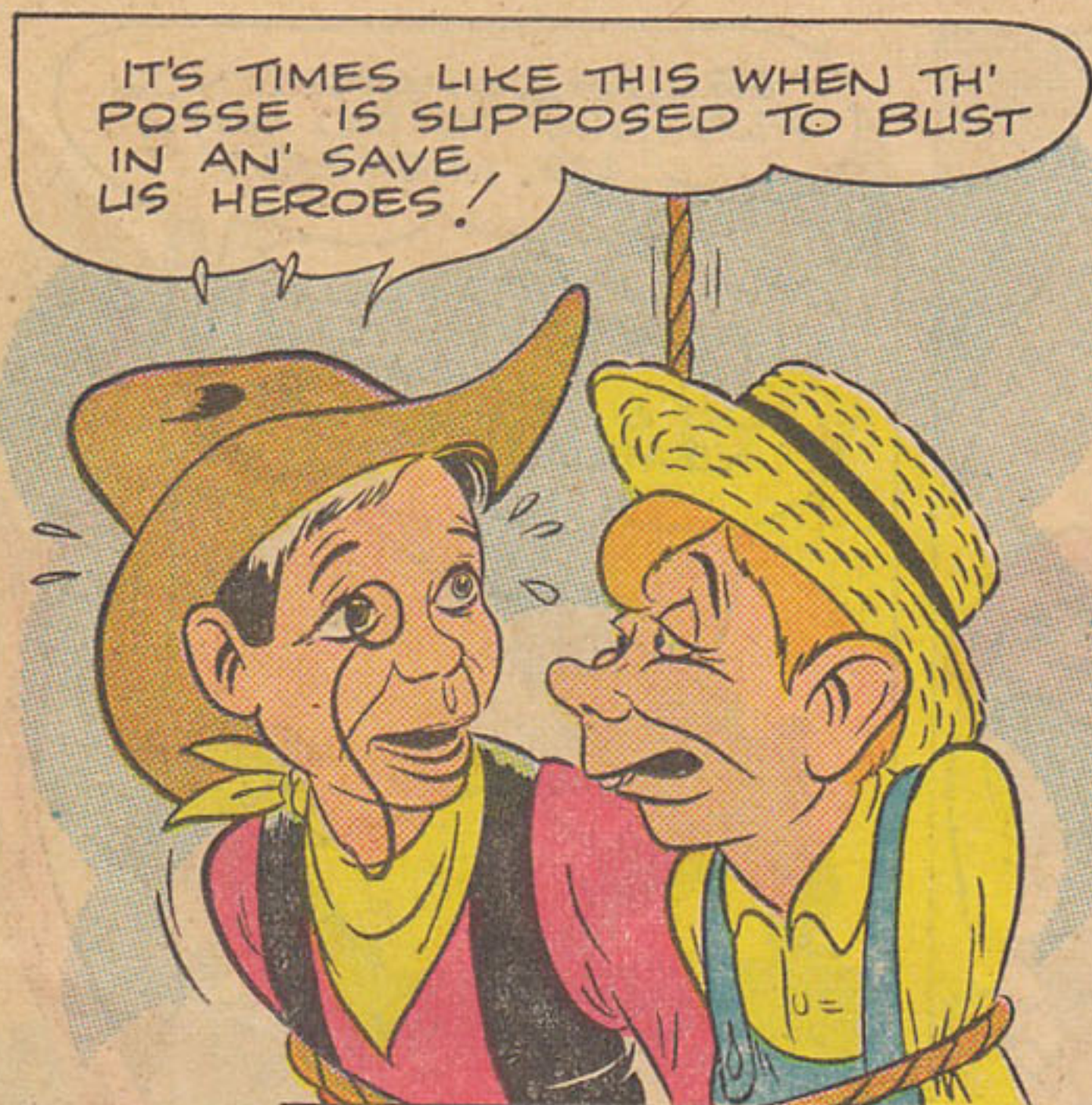
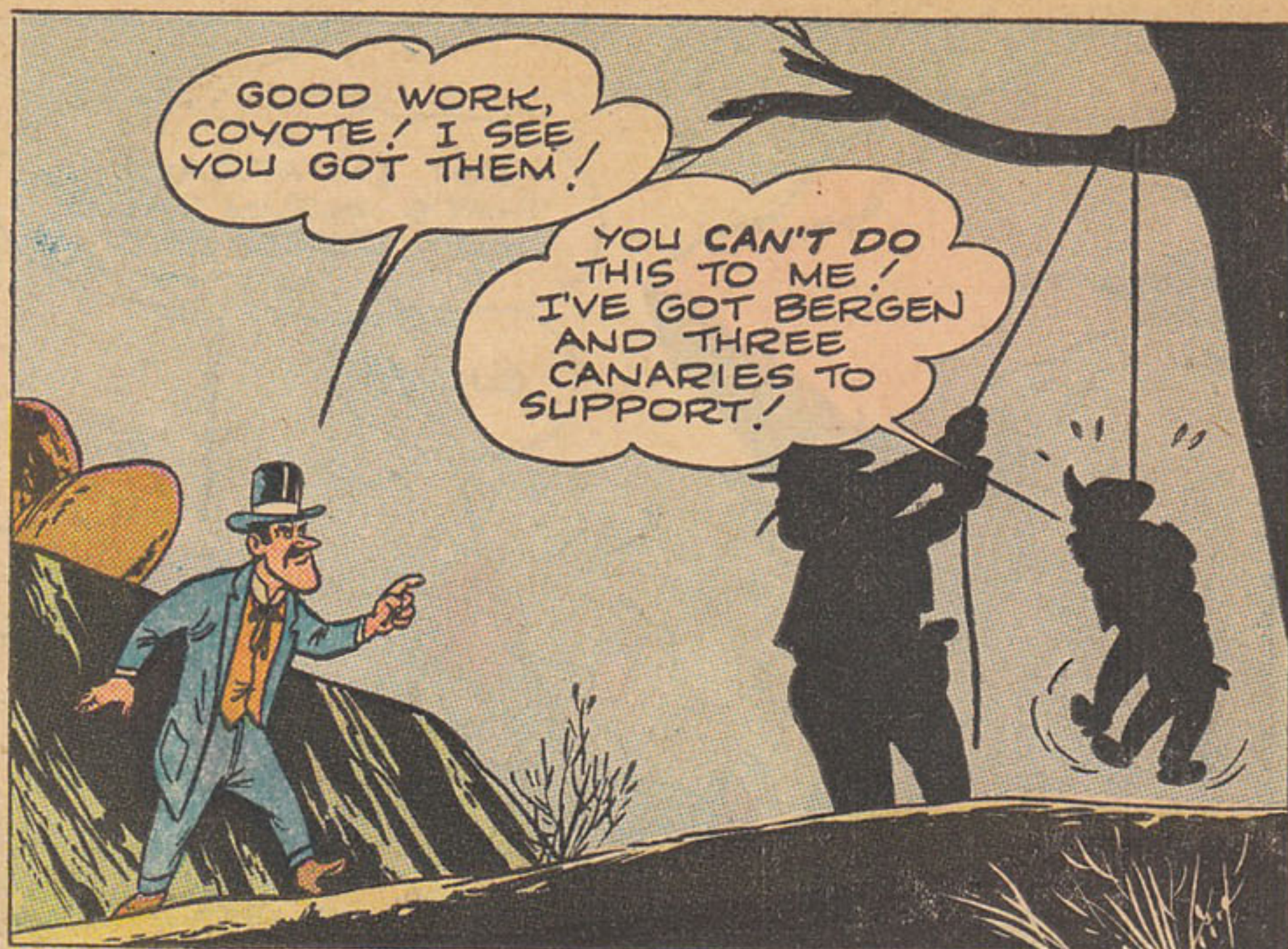
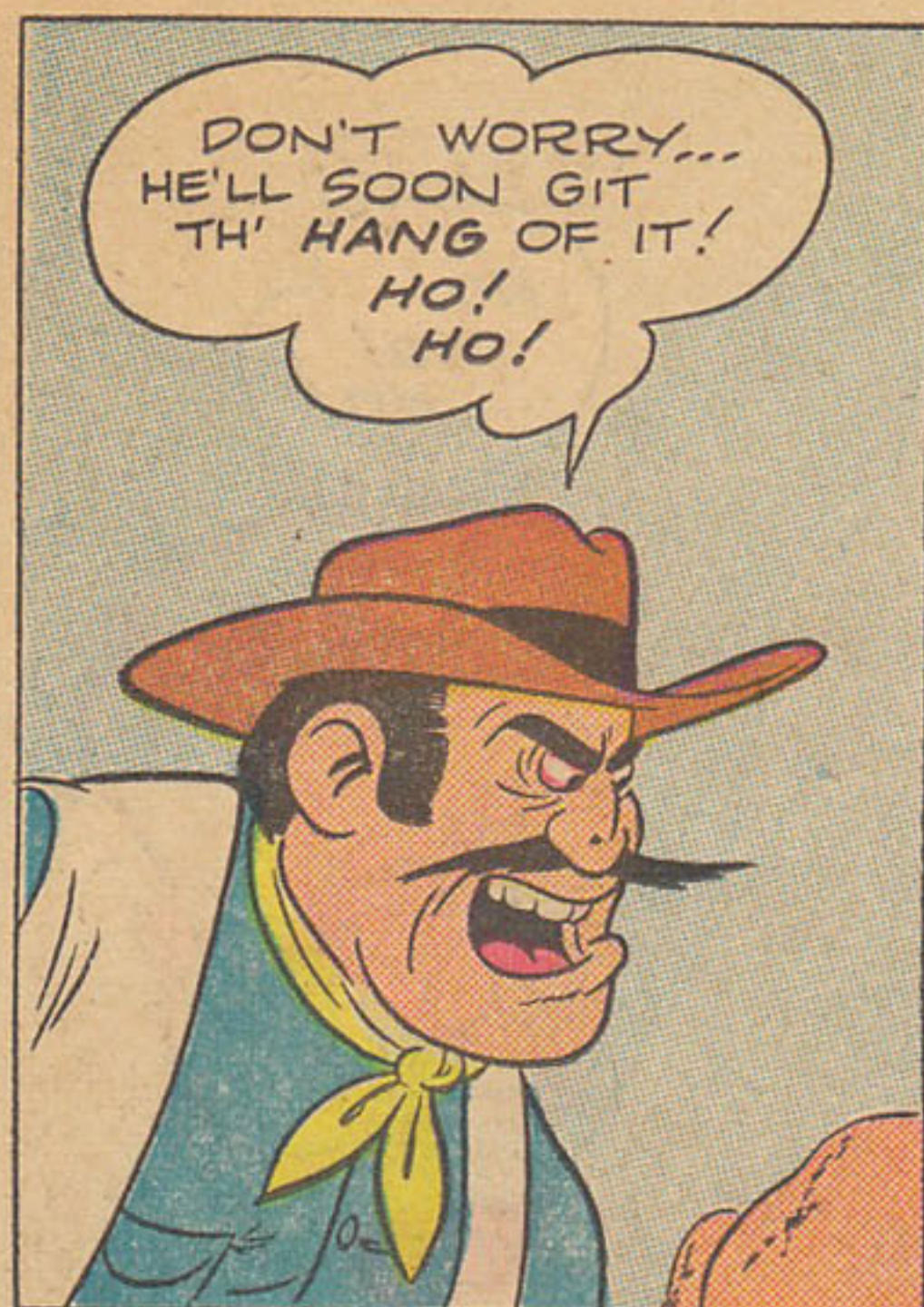


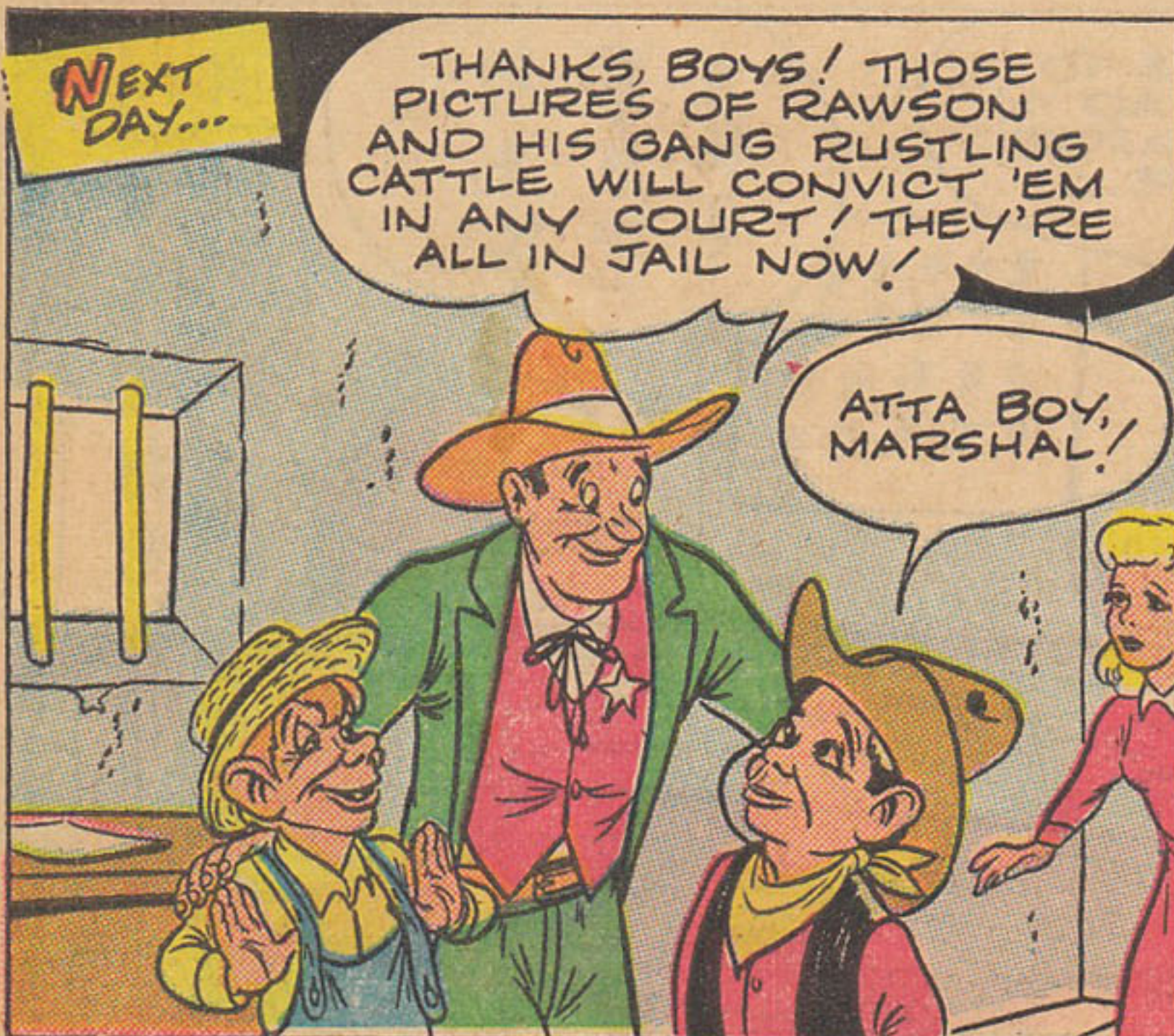
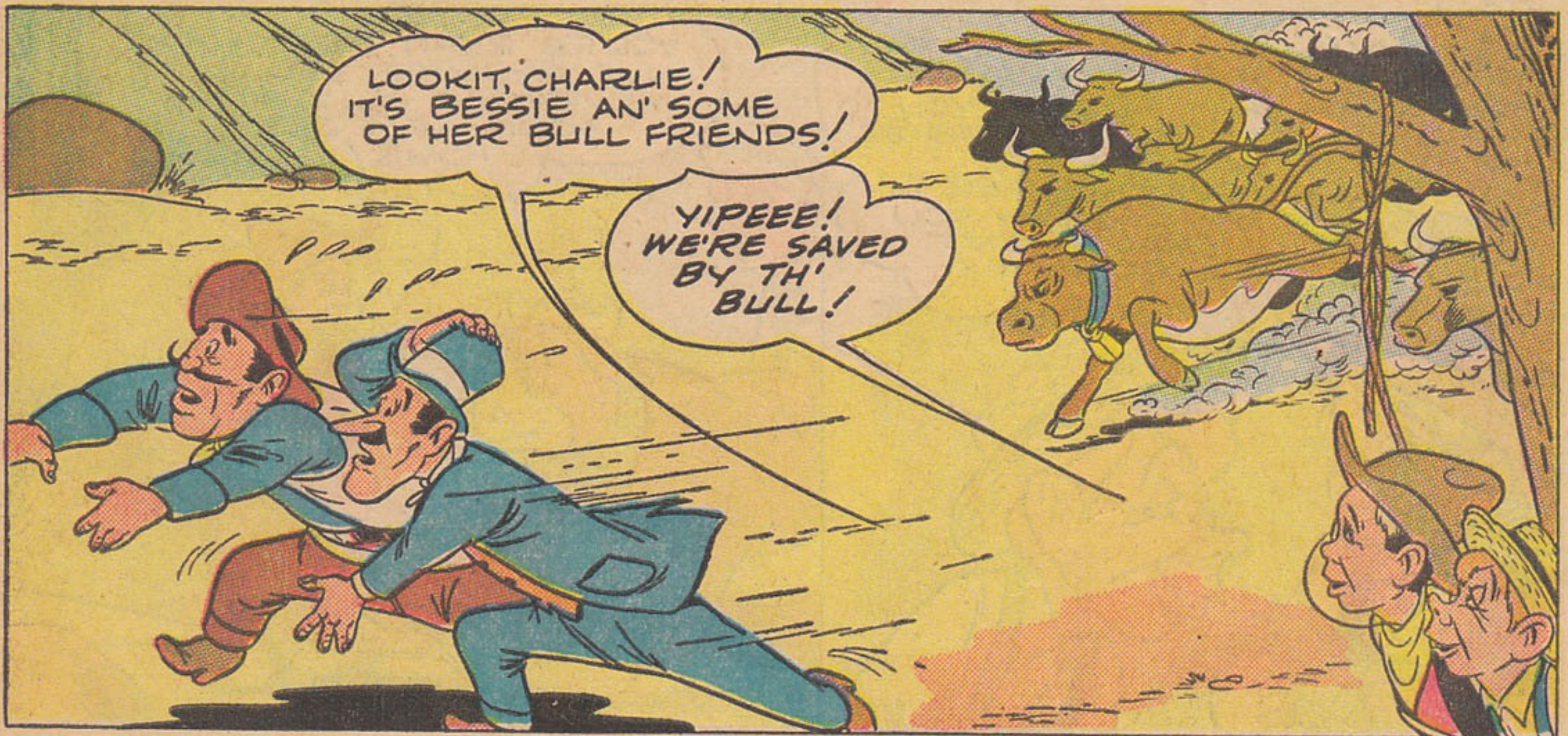
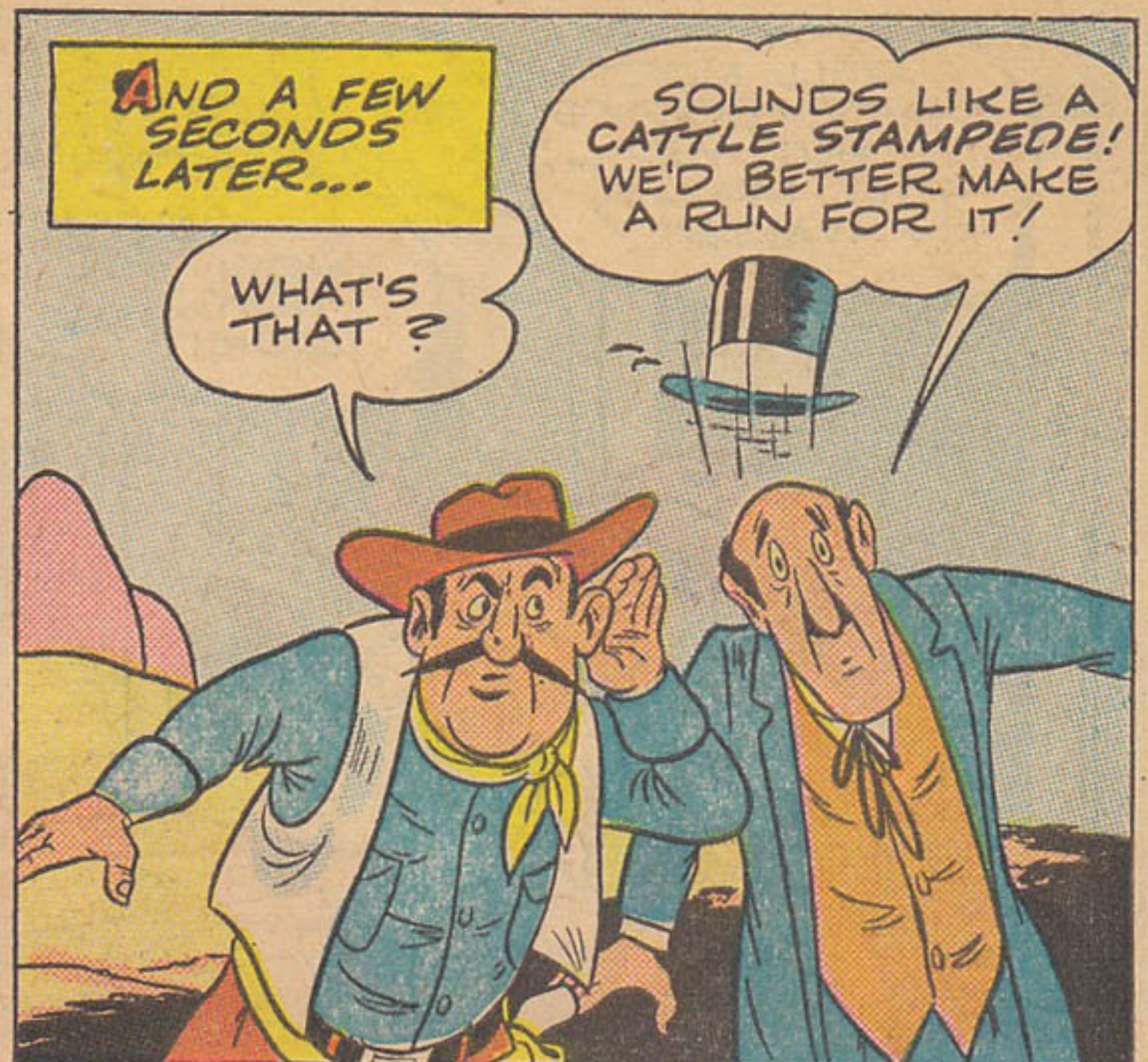
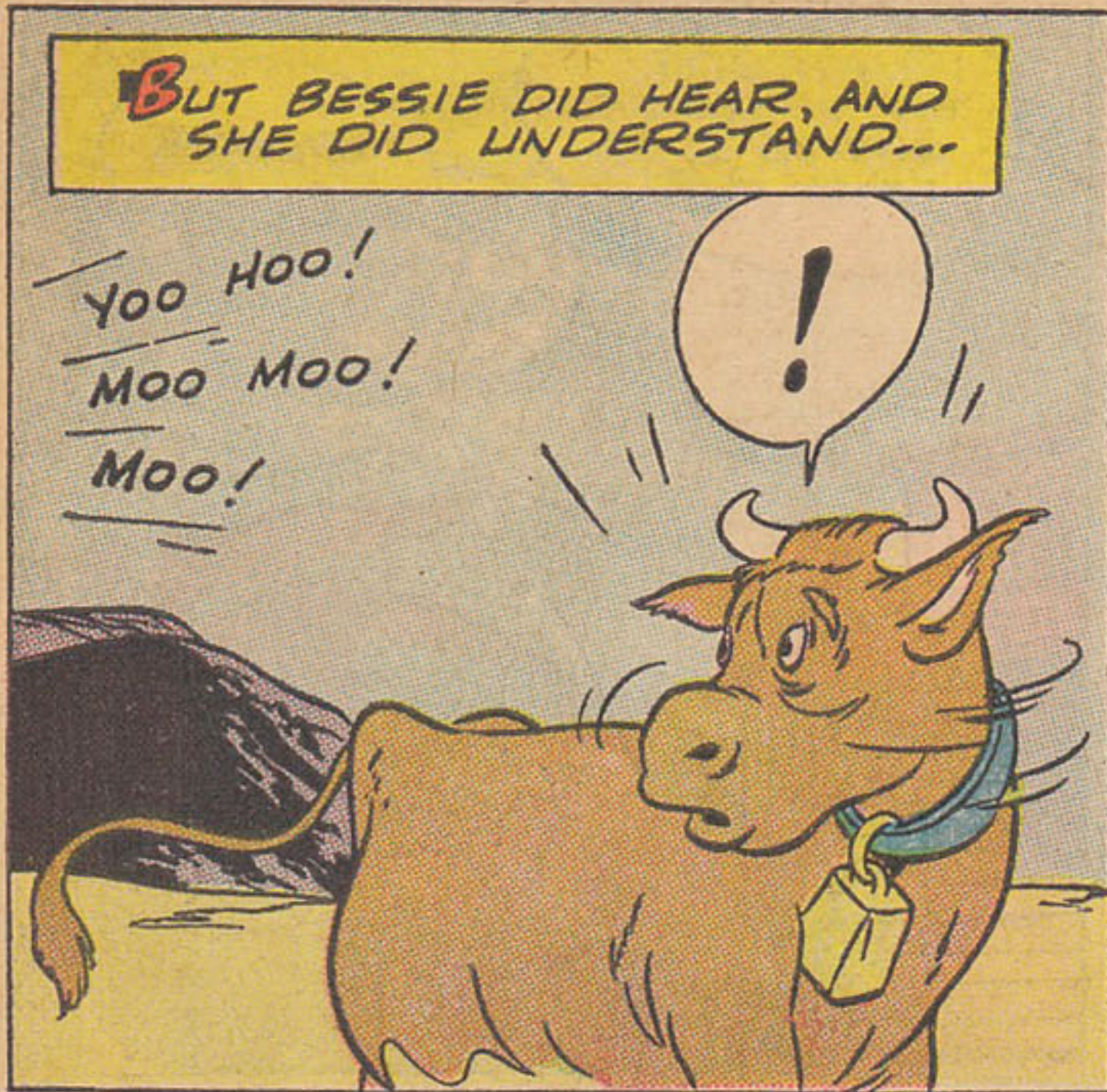


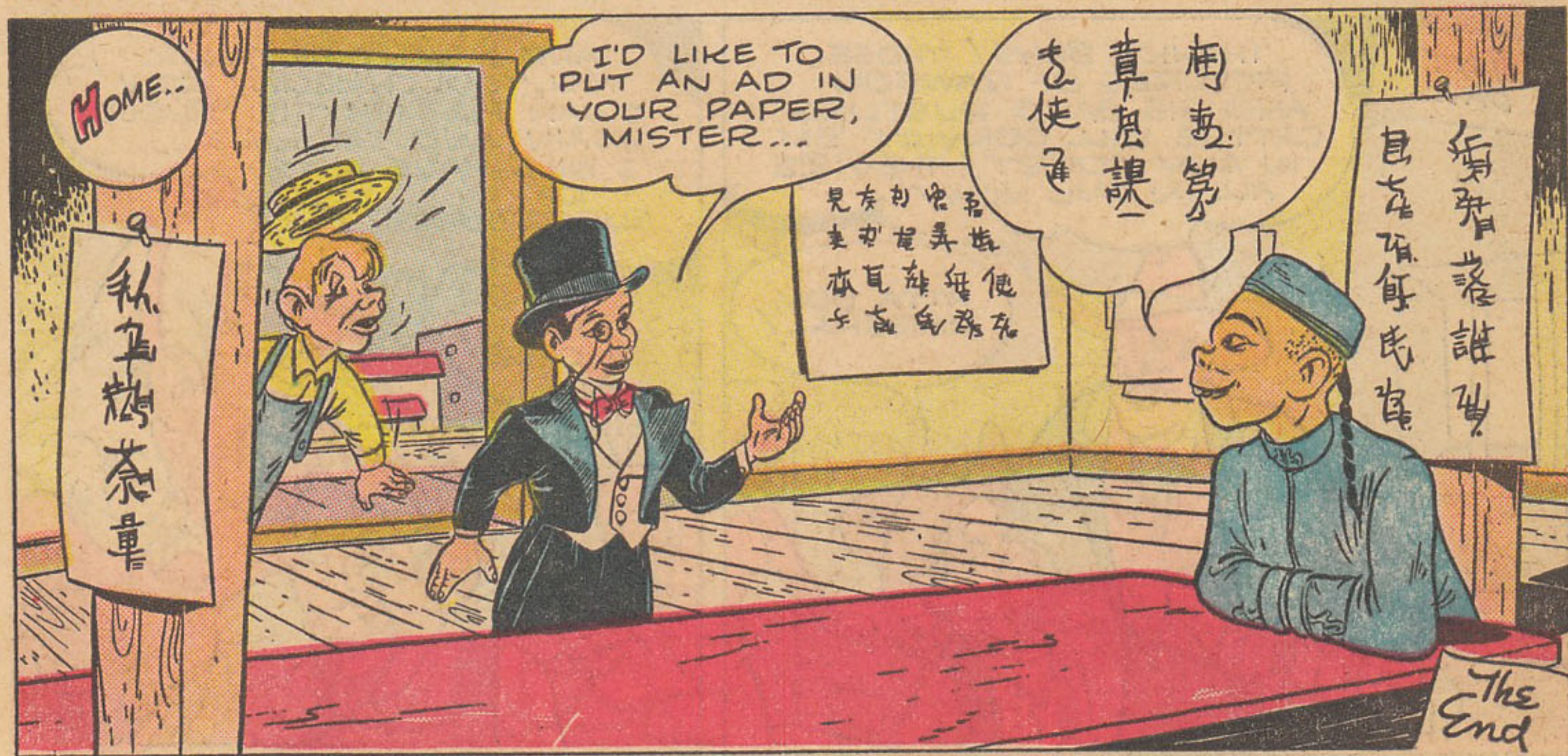
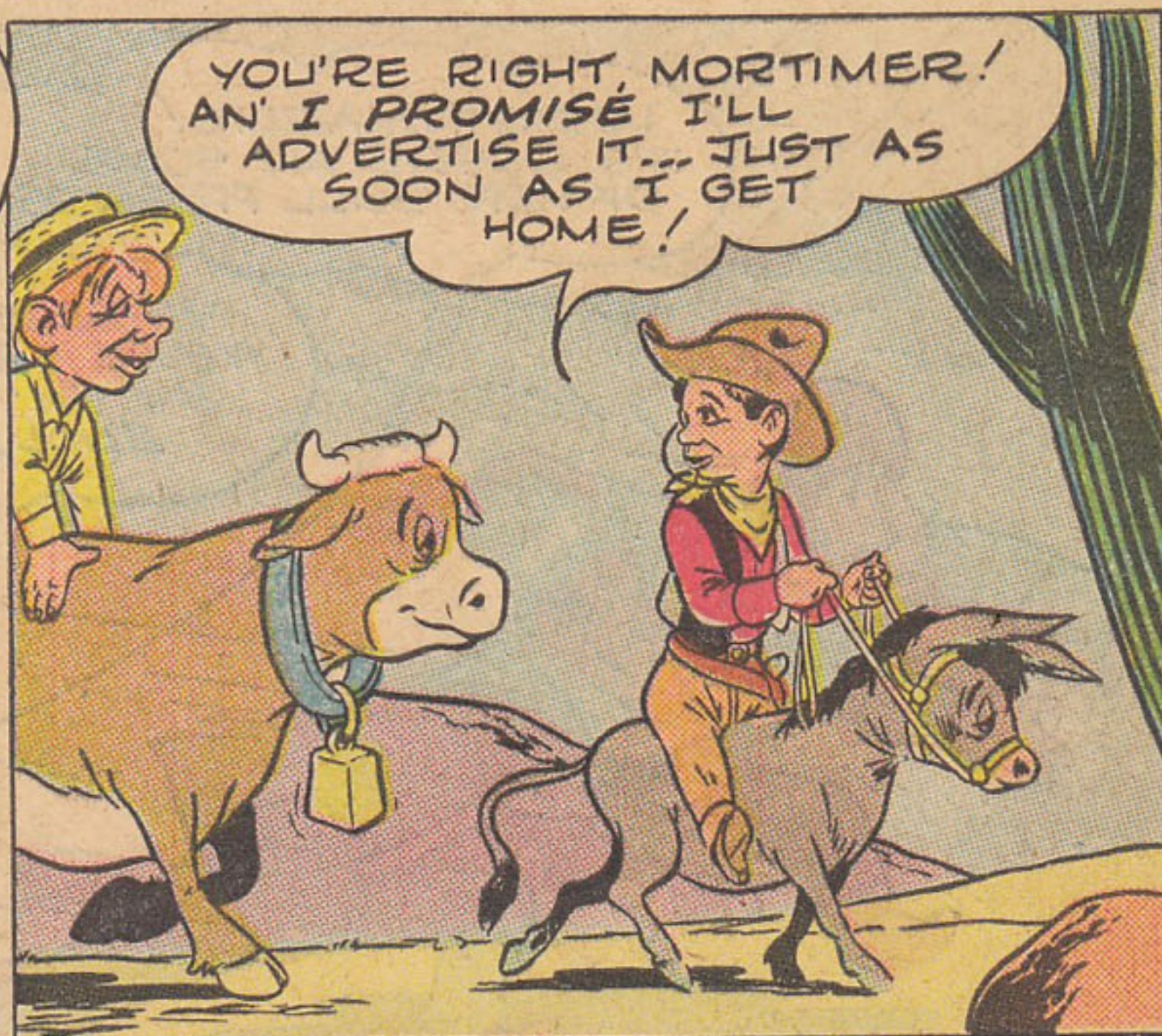
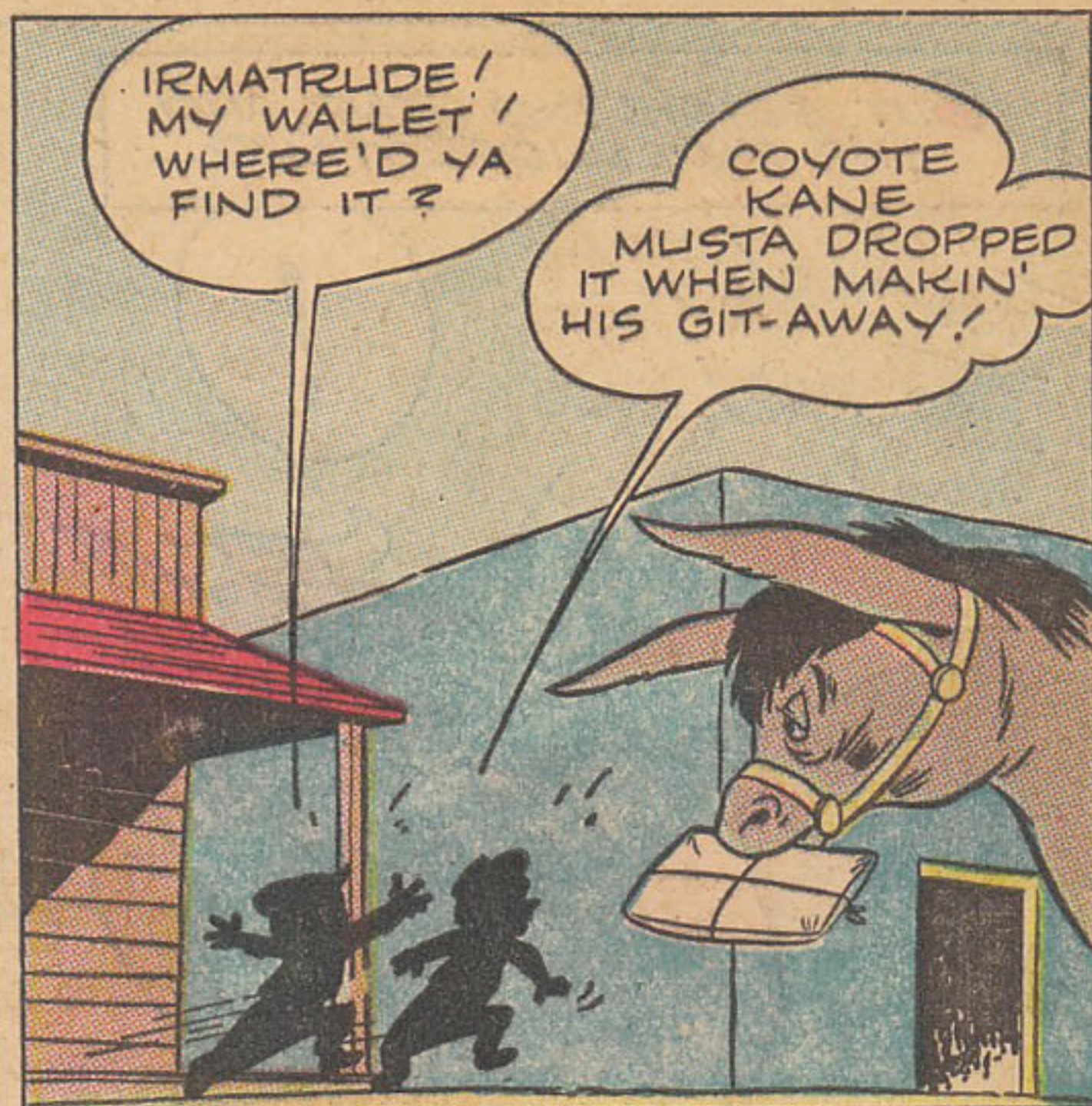
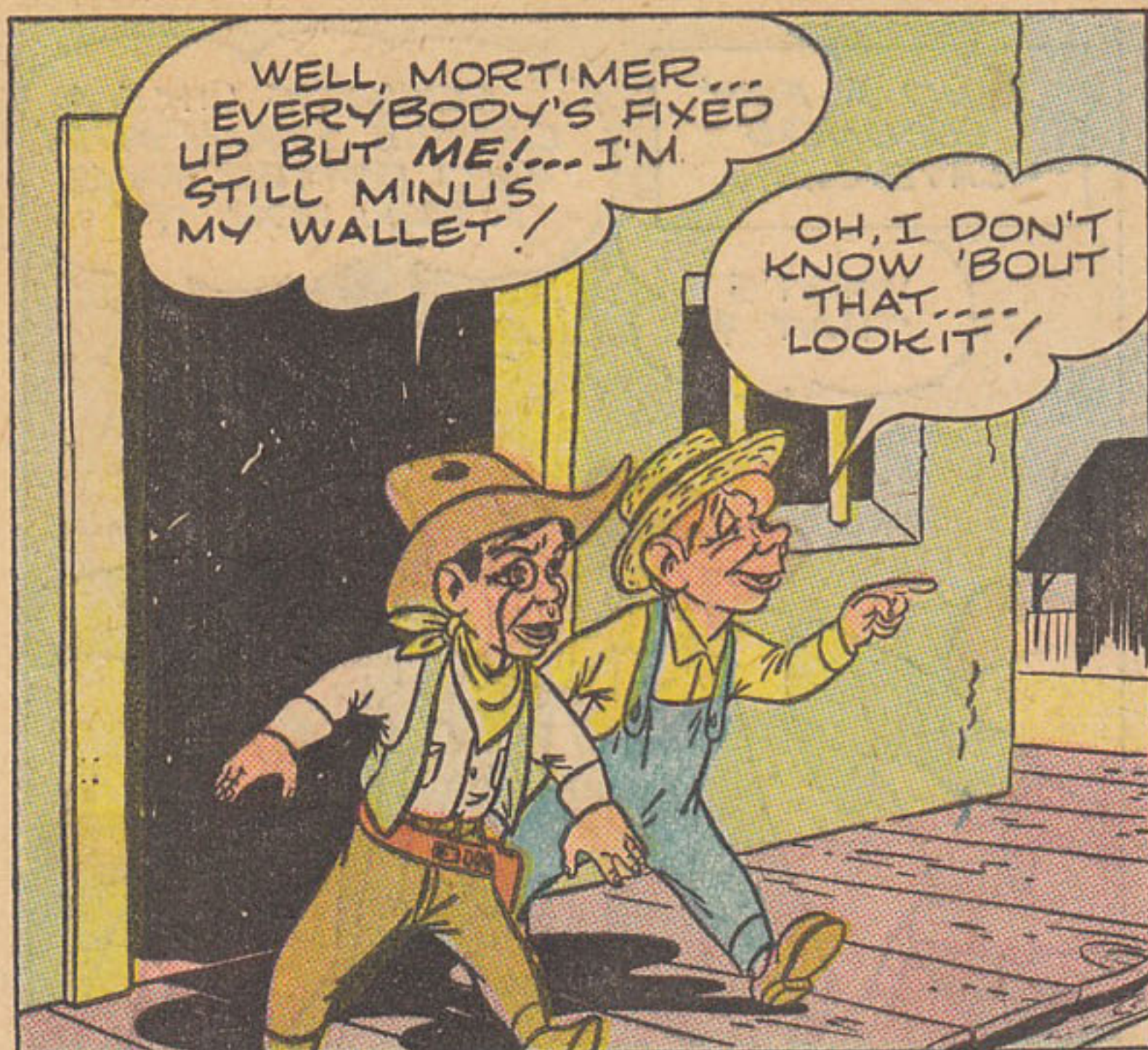


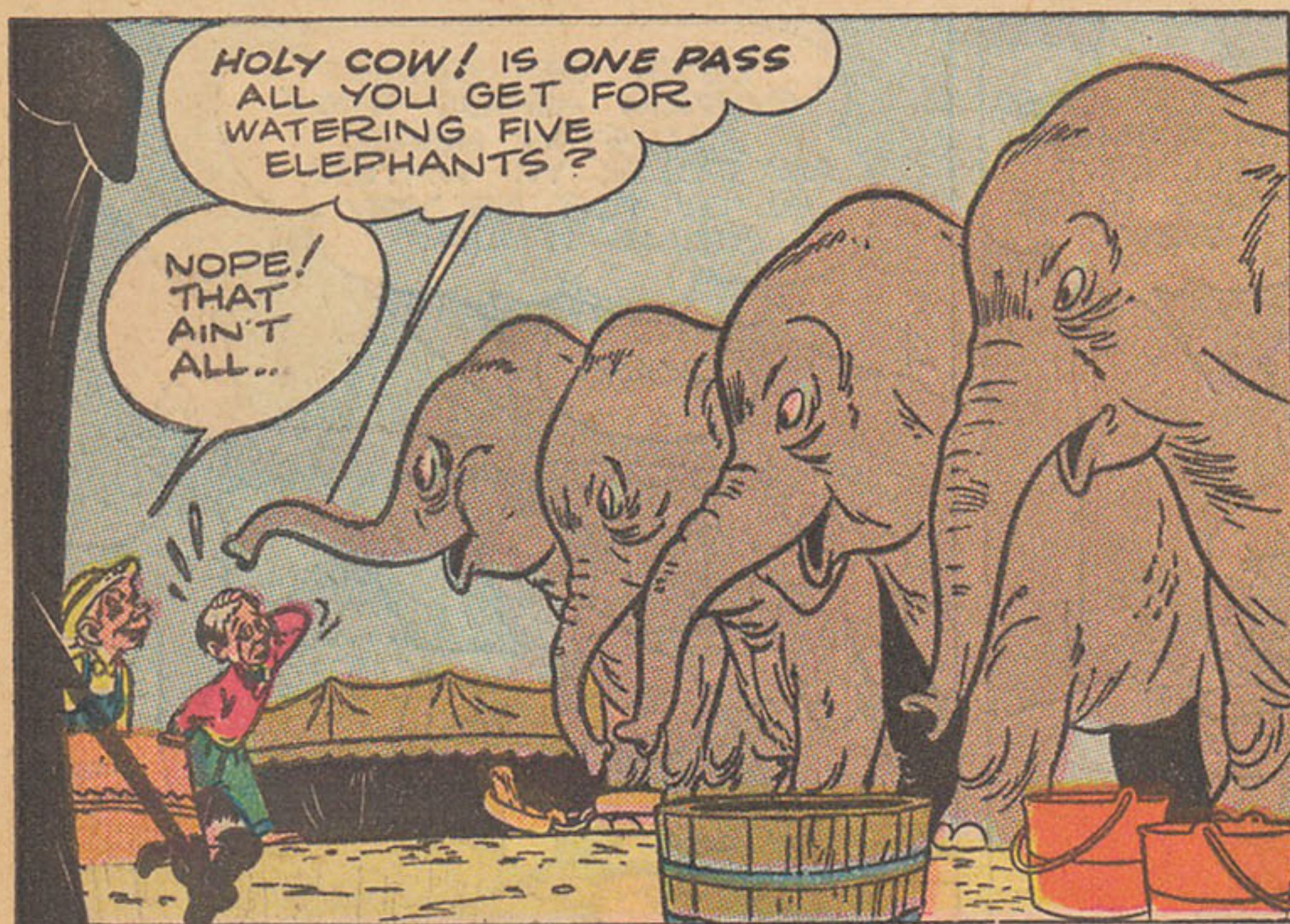
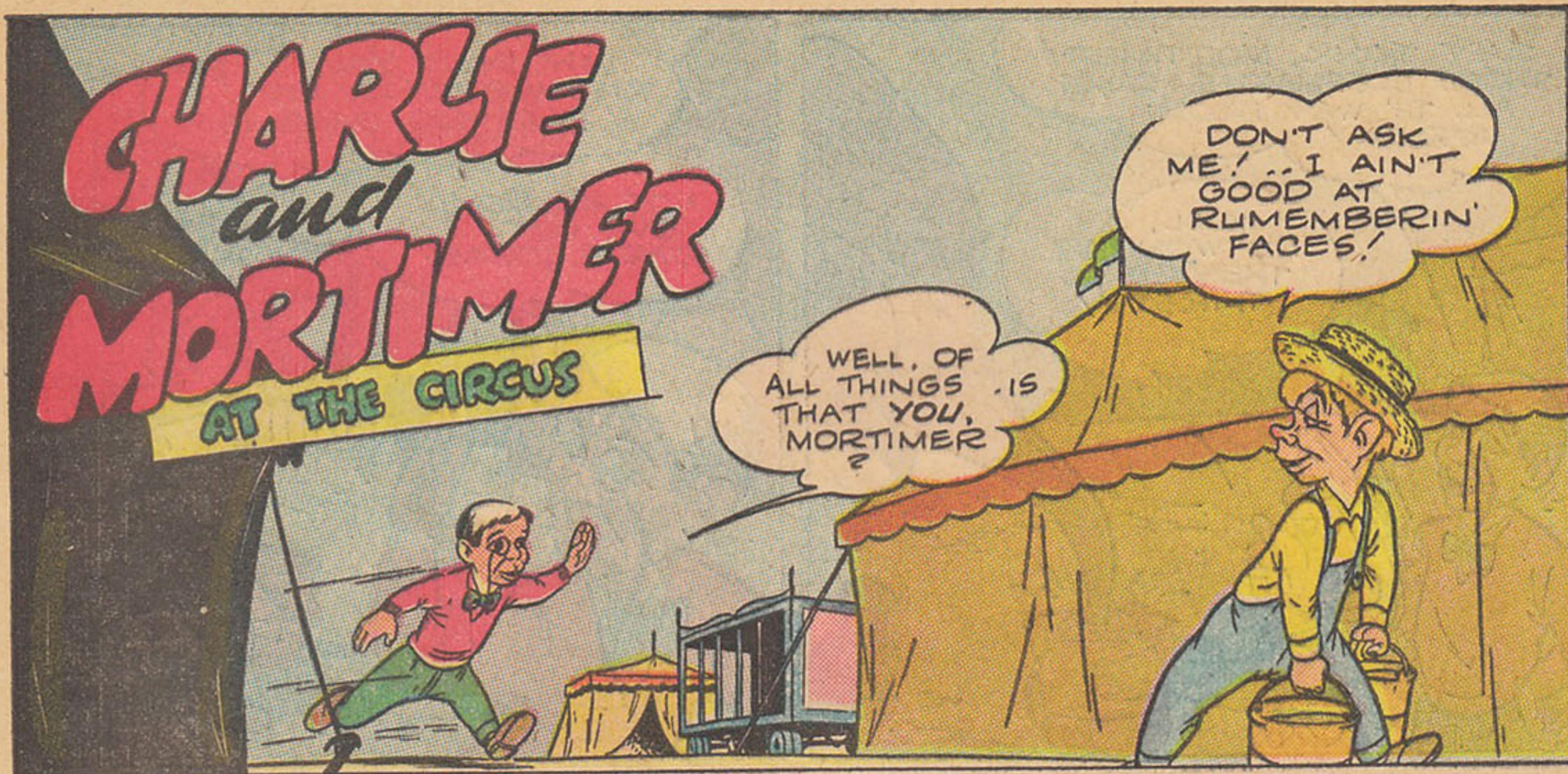


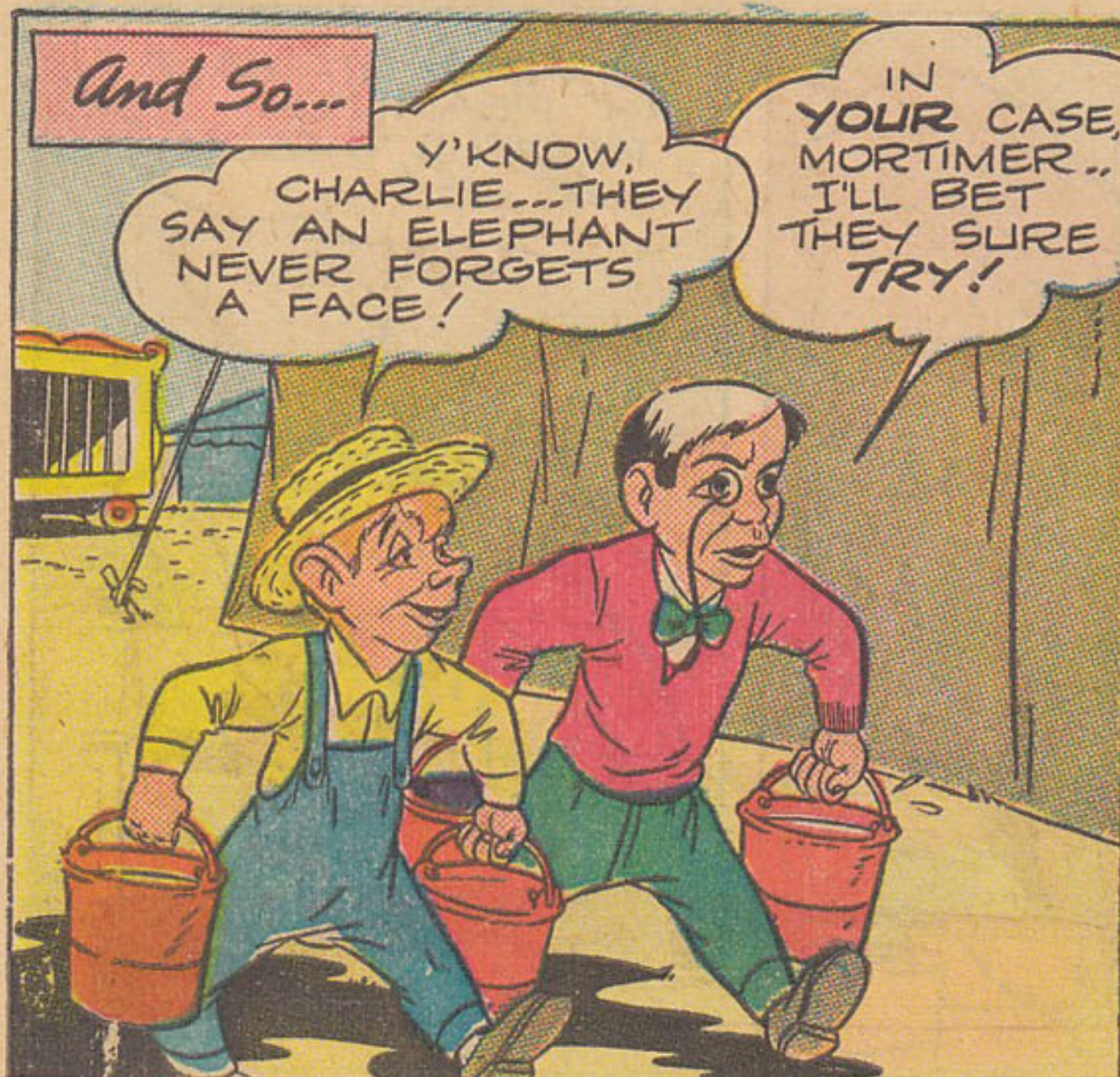
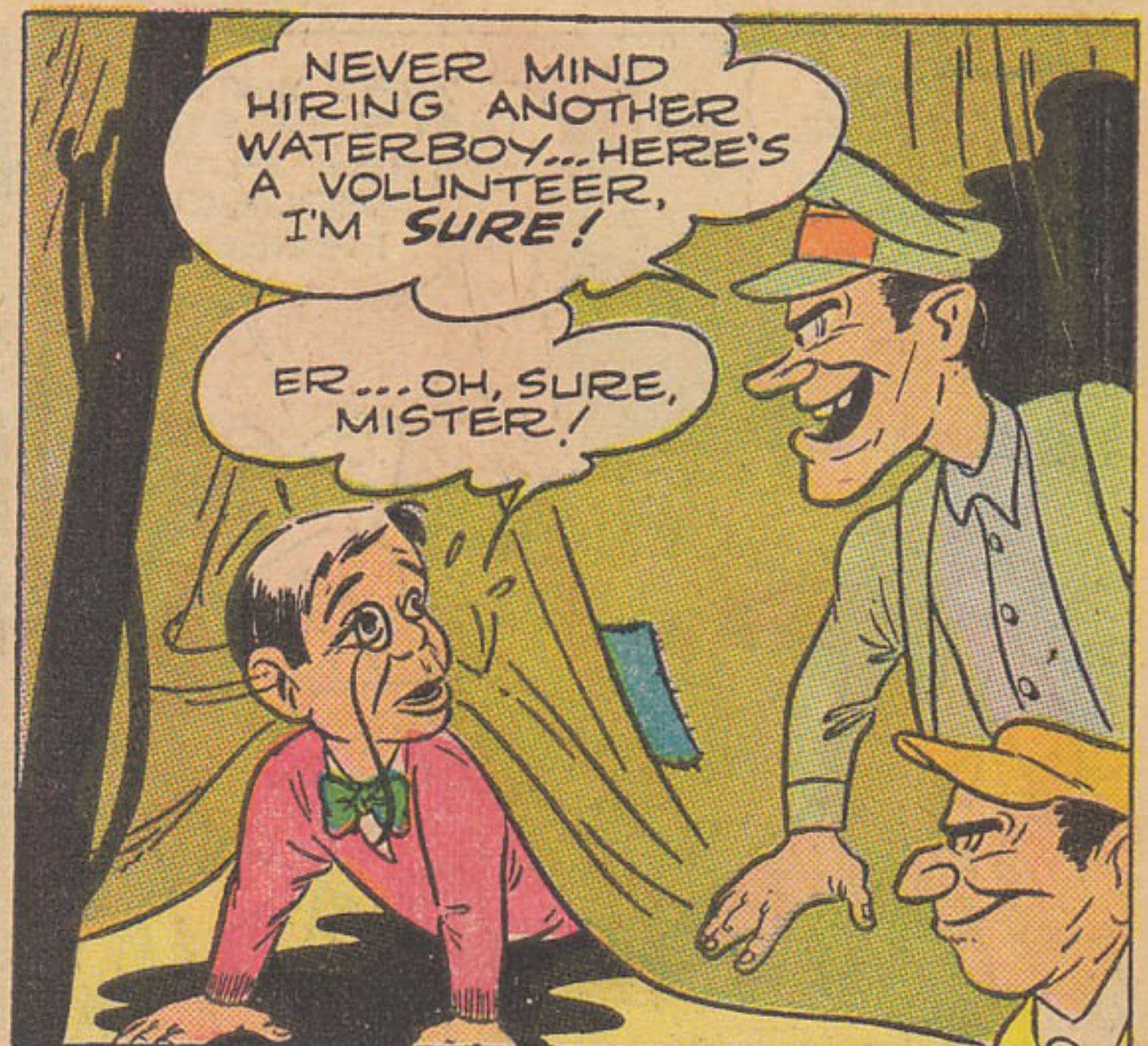
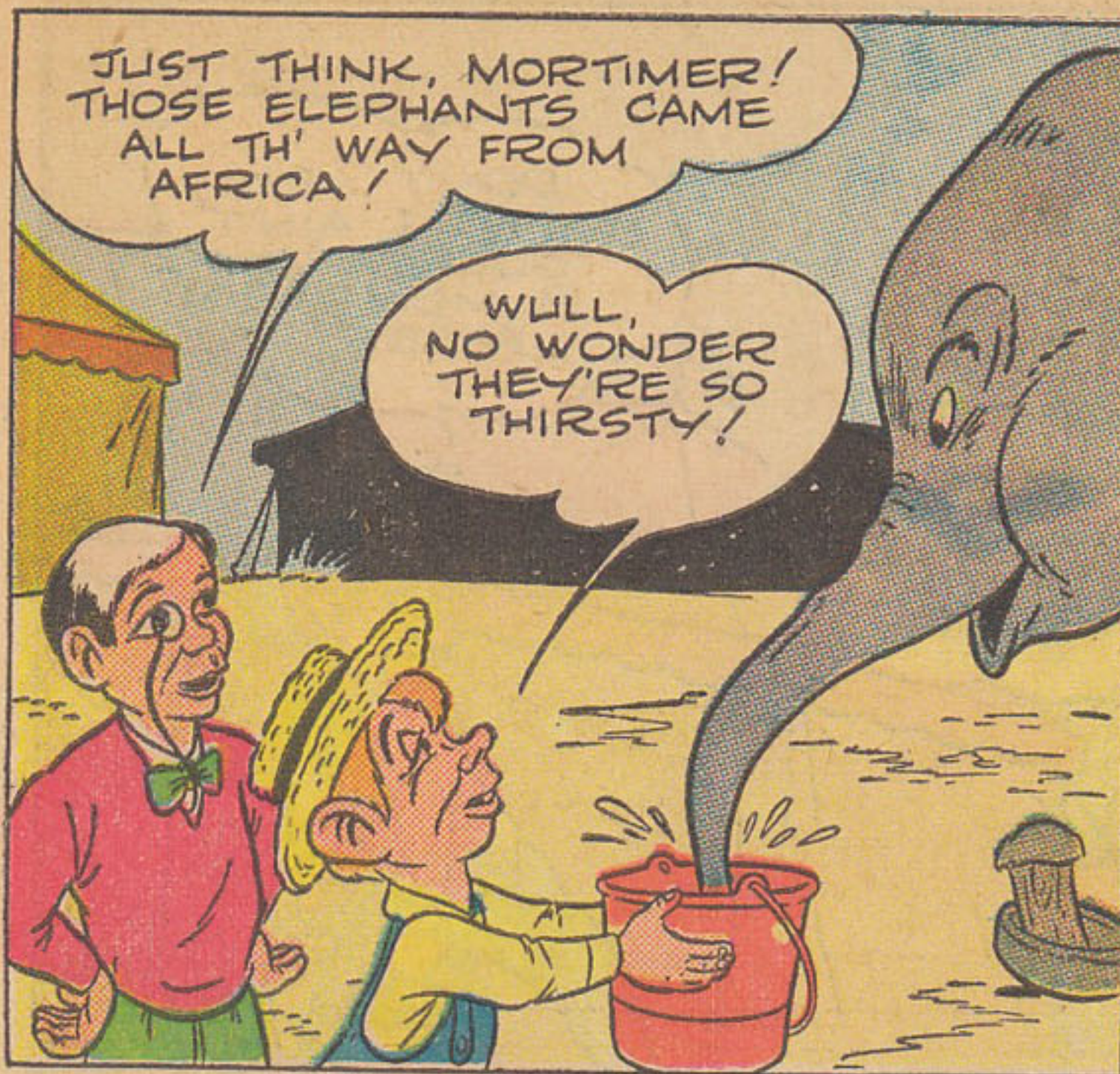


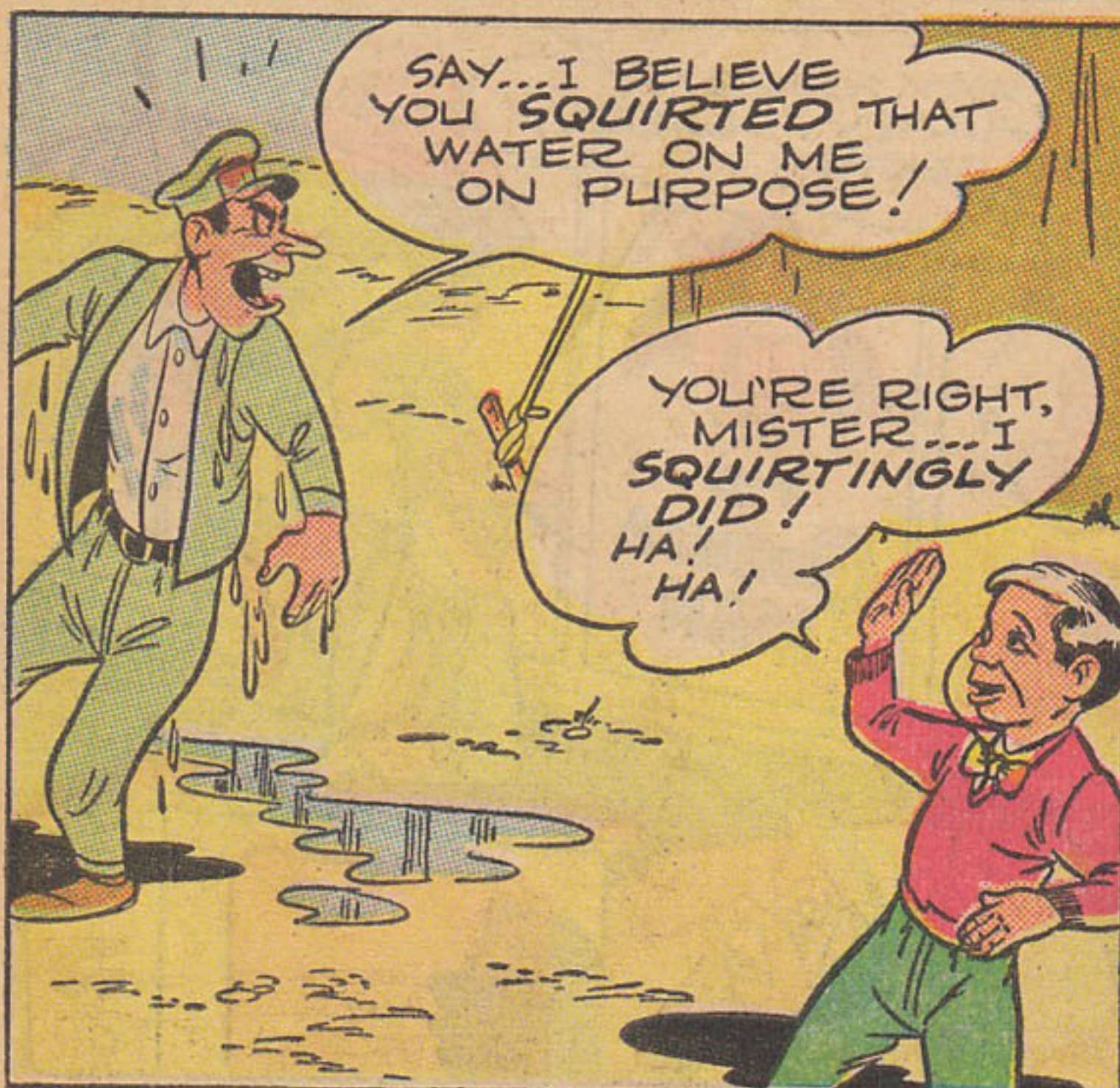
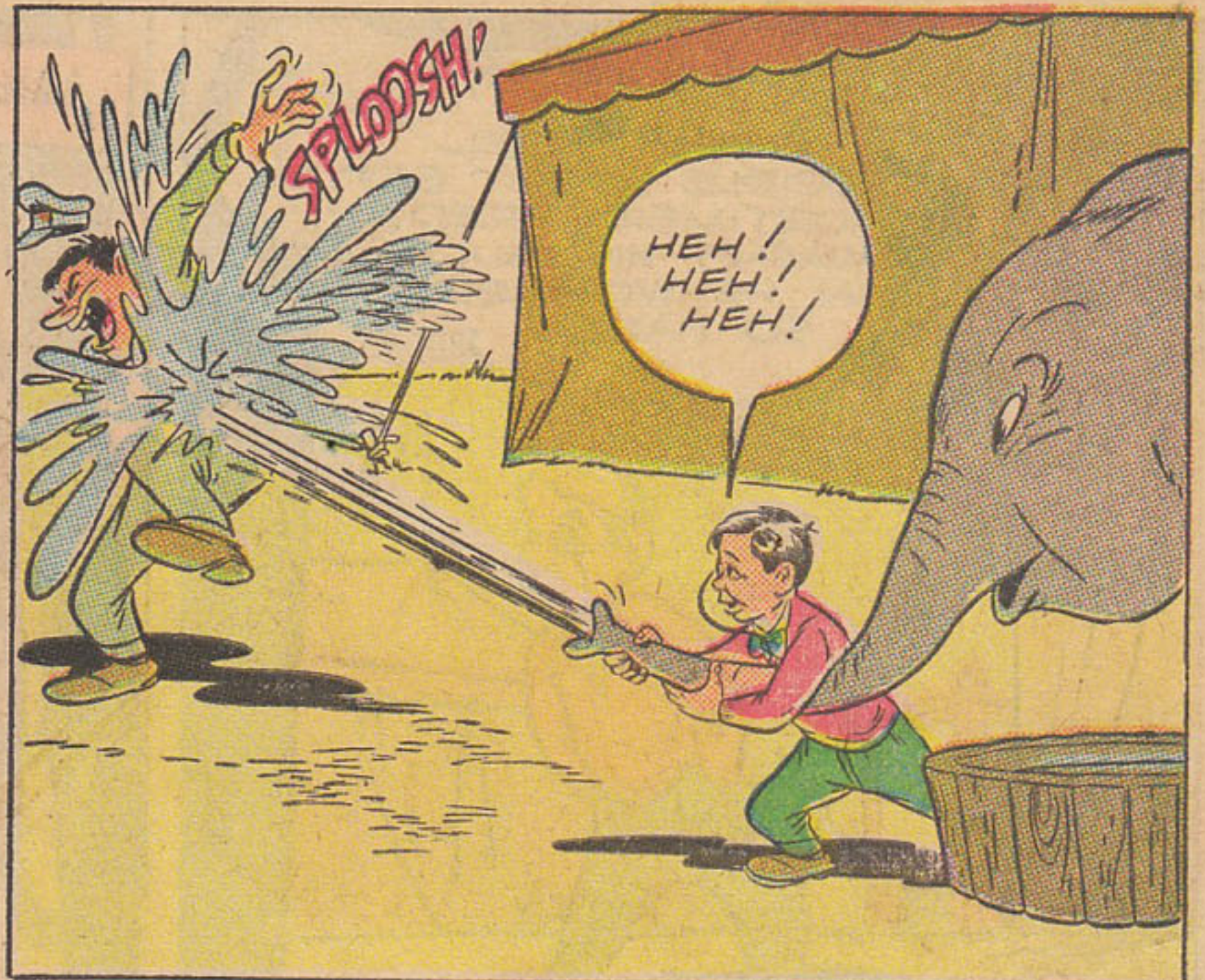
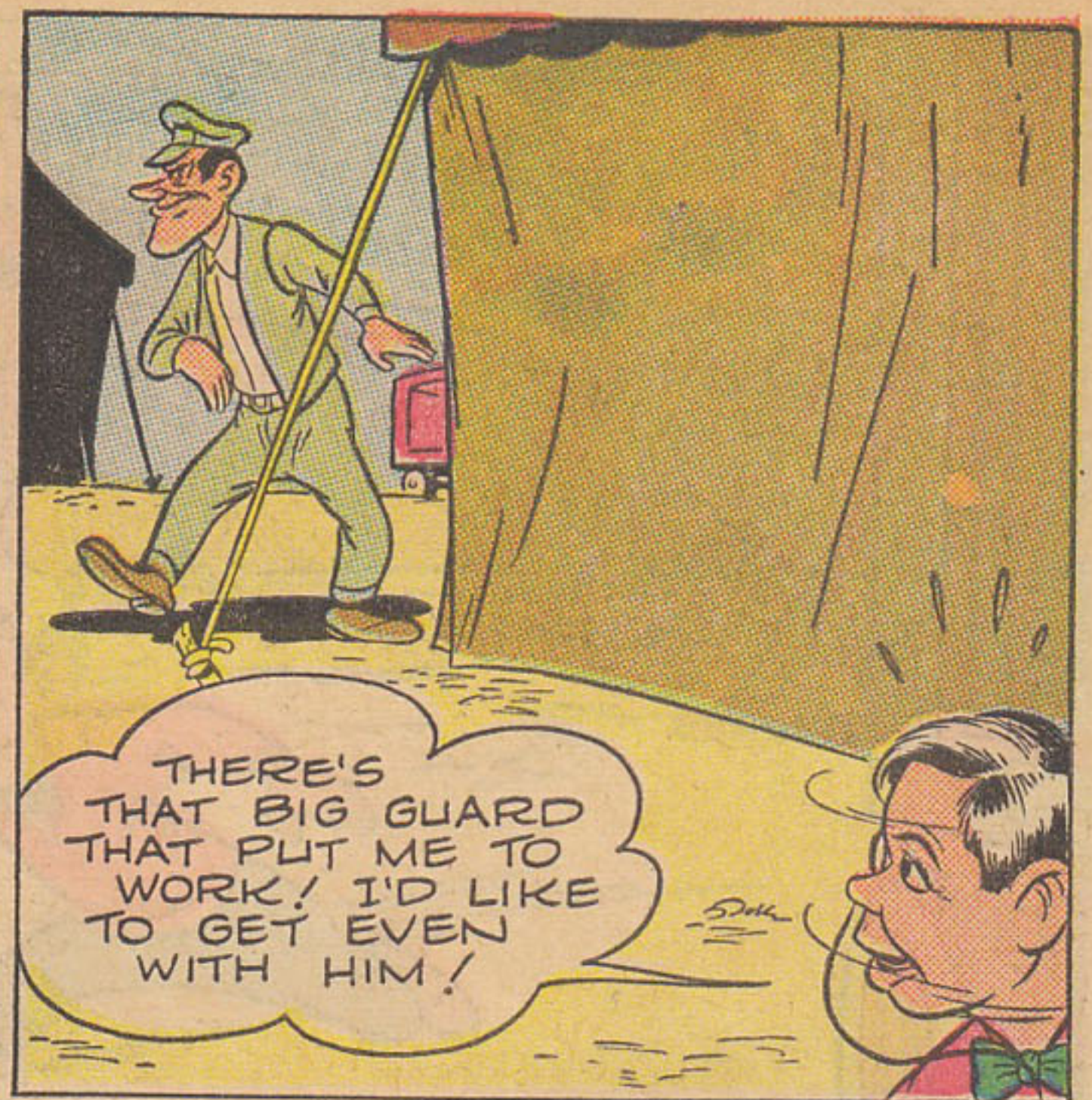
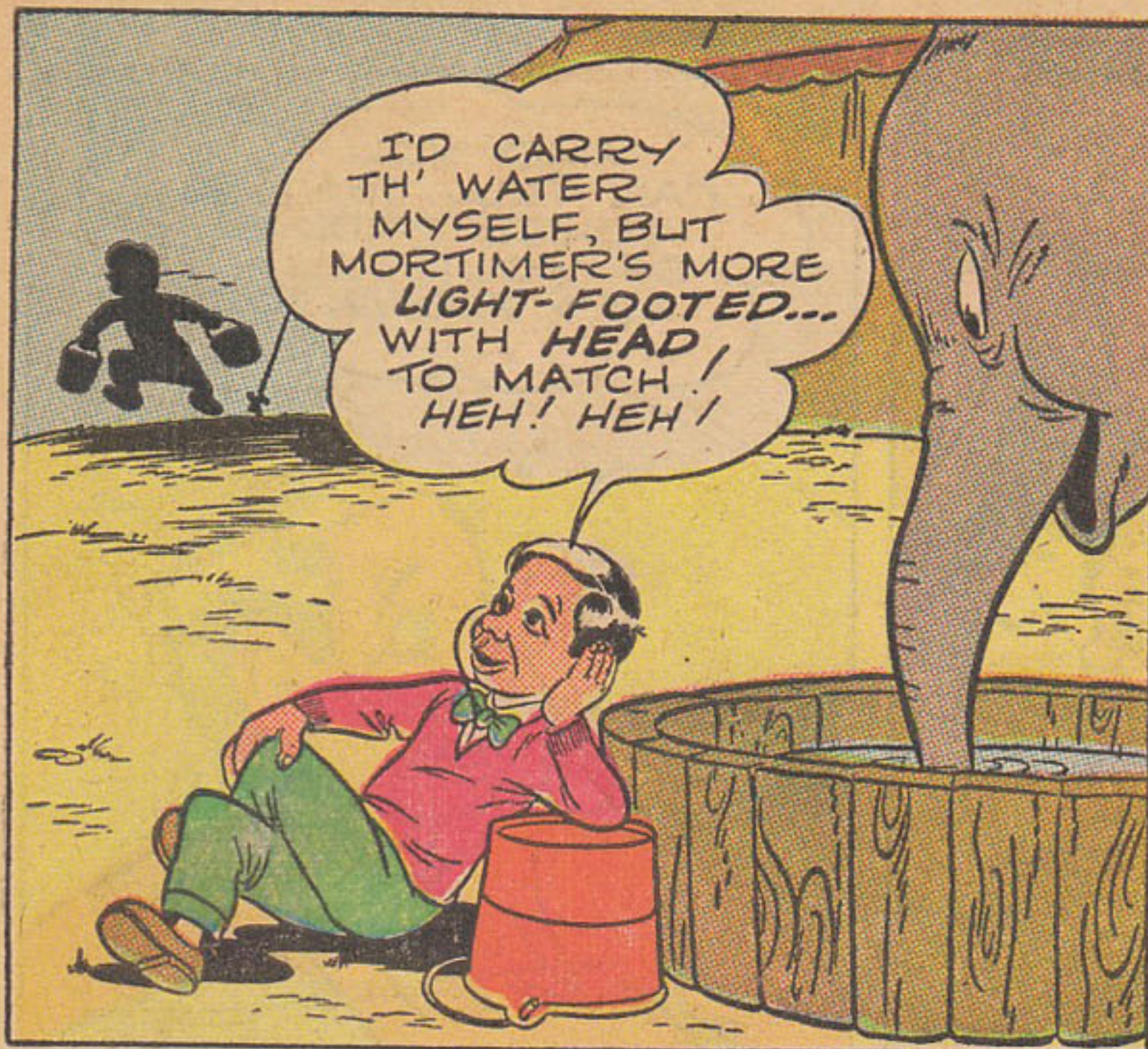


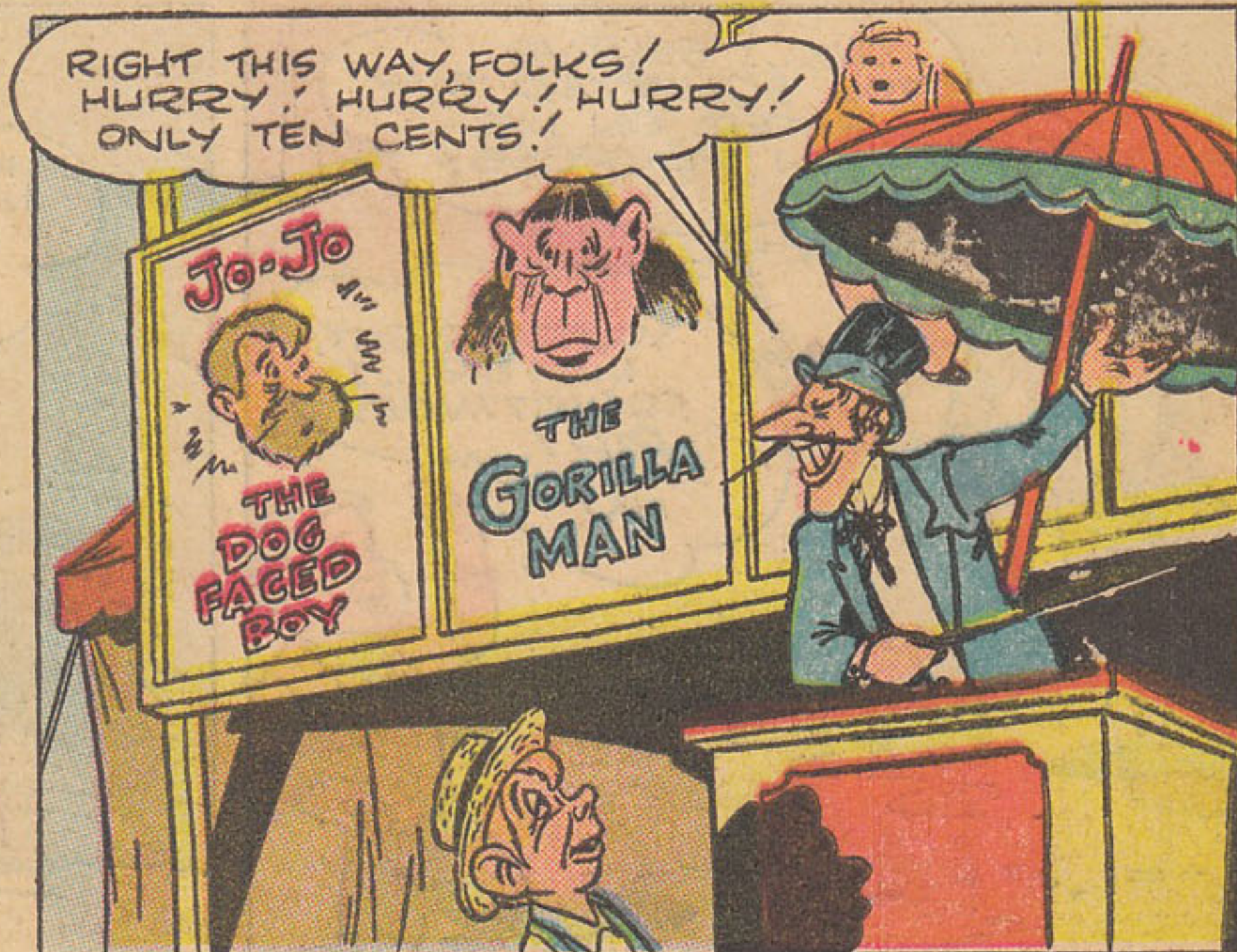


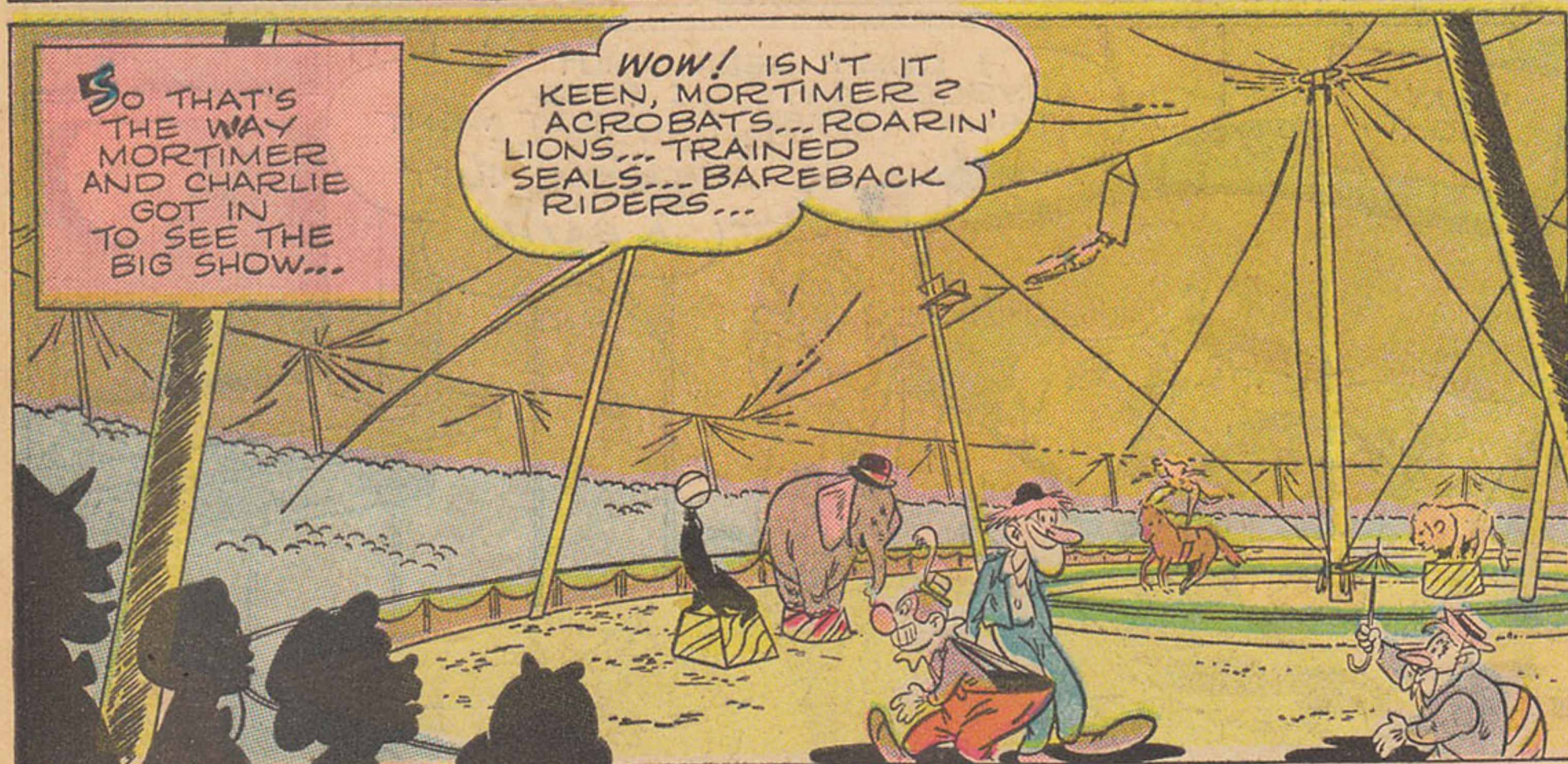
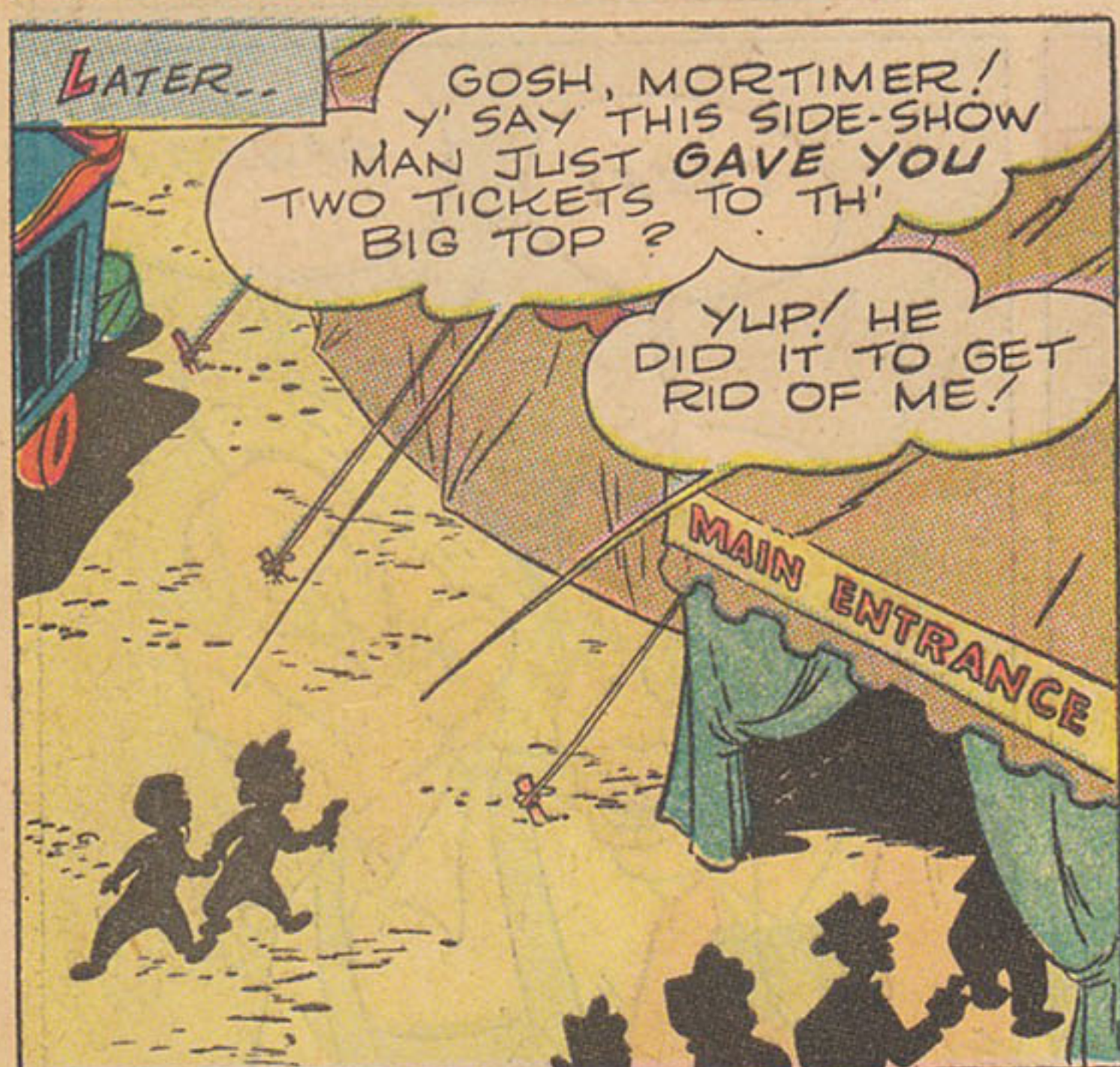
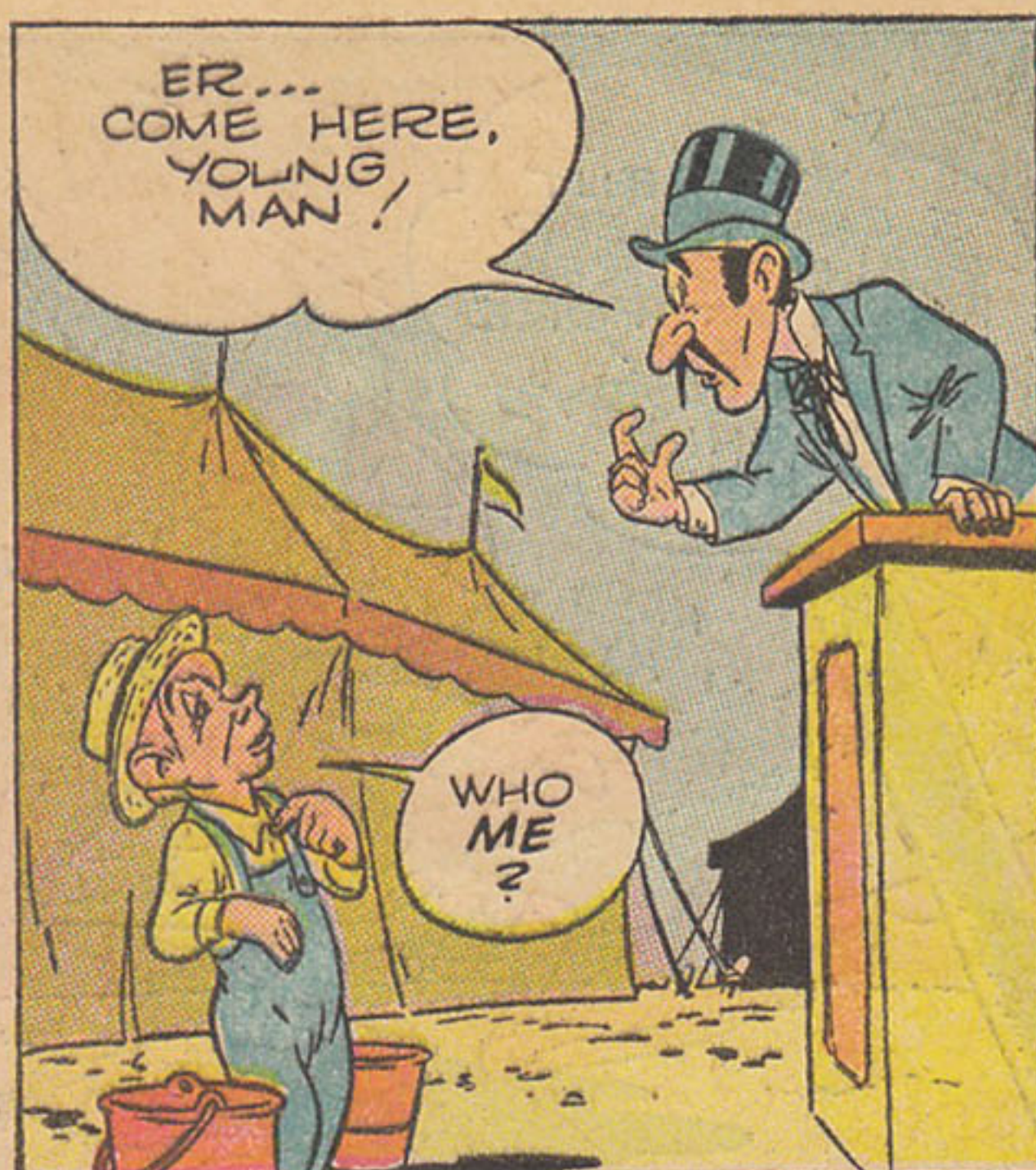


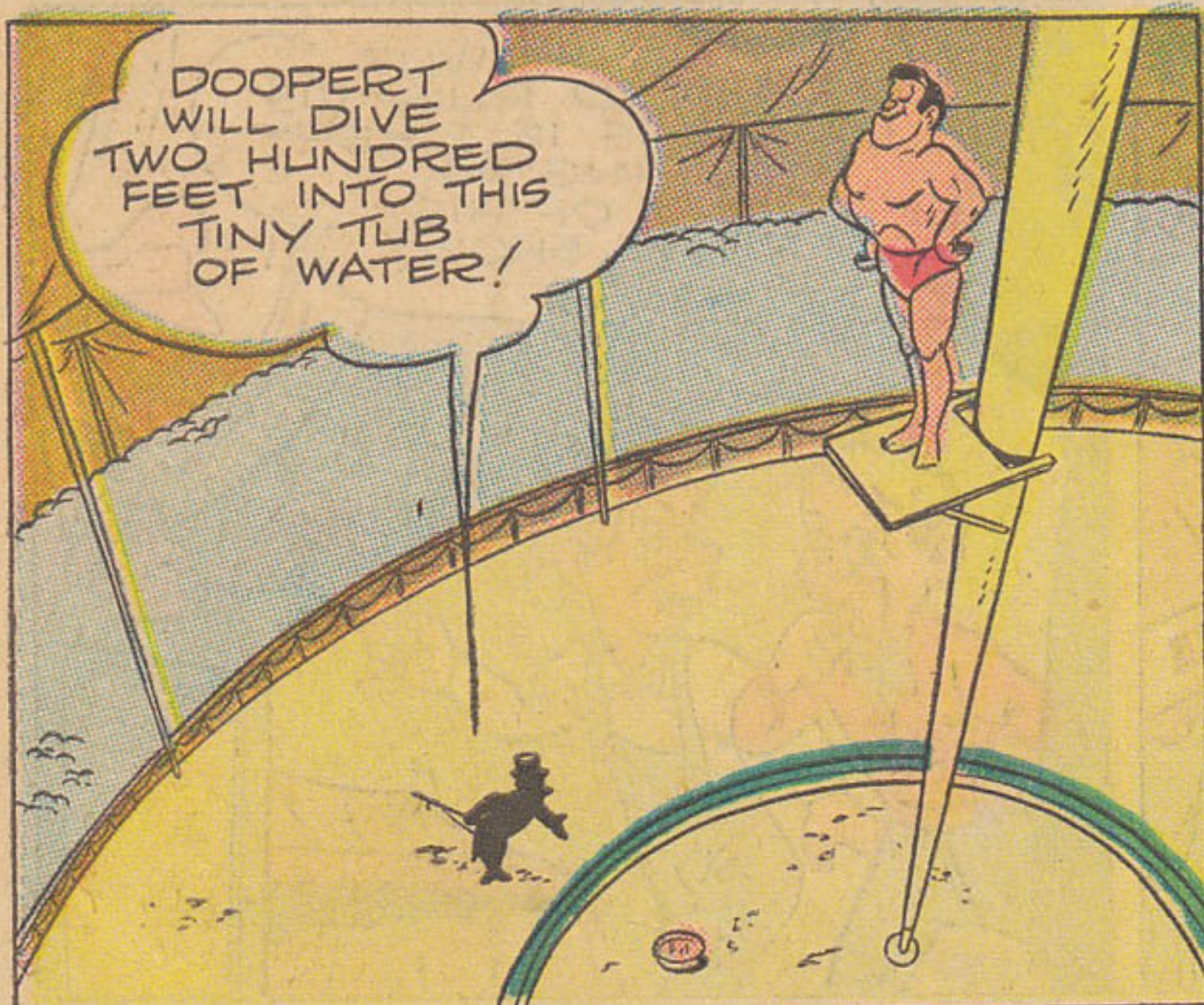
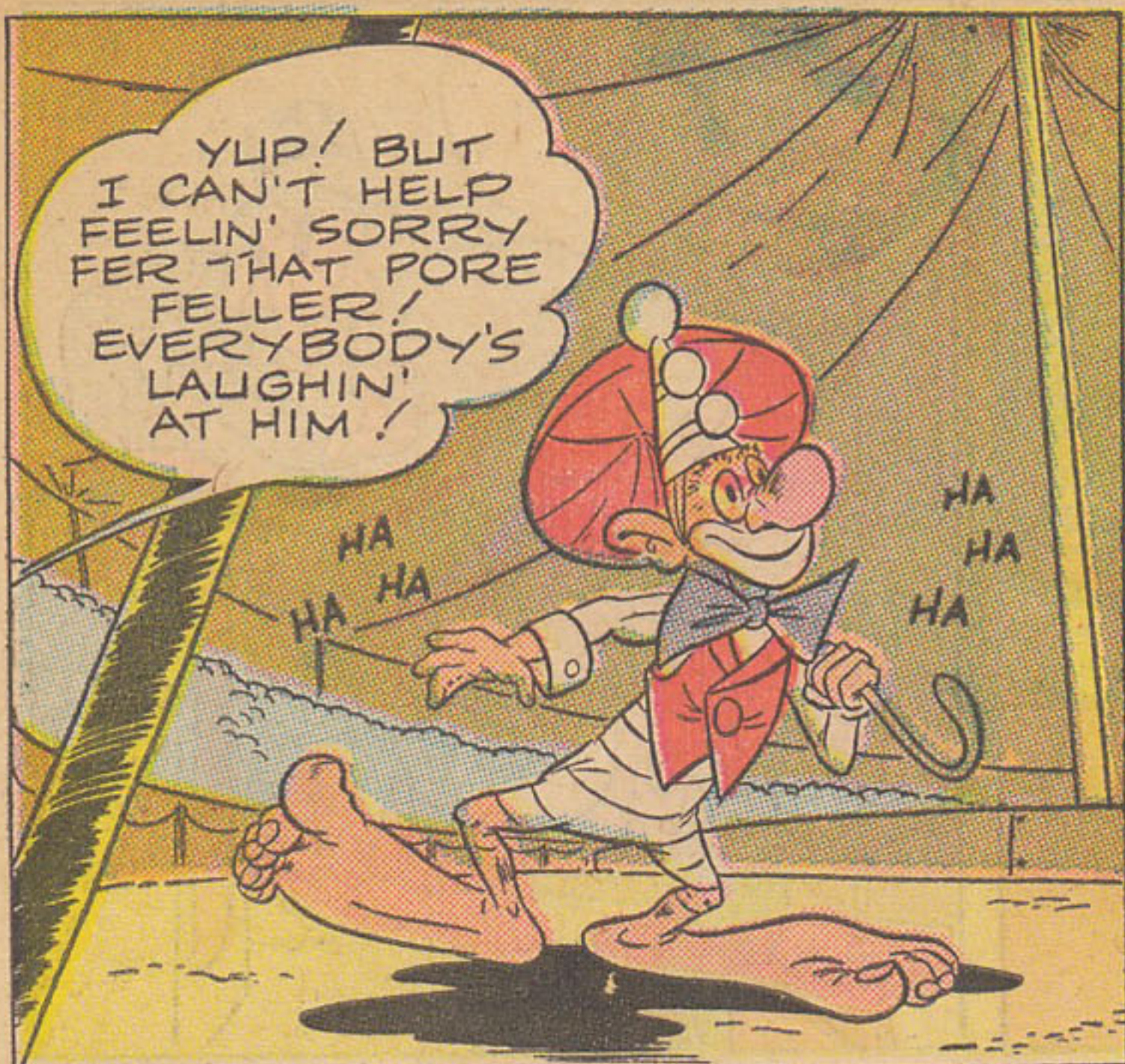






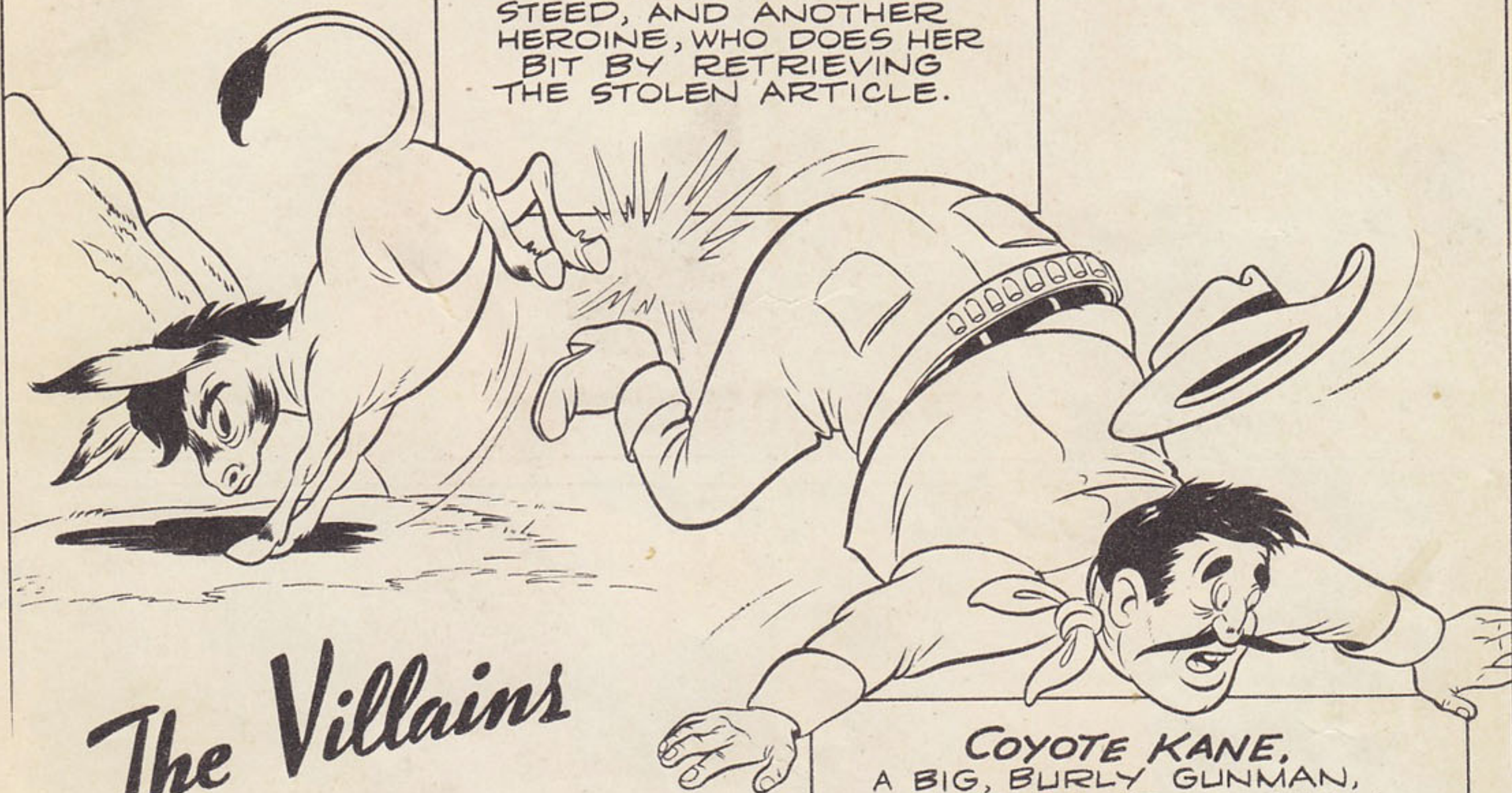






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A BIG, BURLY GUNMAN,
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JUDGE RAWSON,
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AND RUNS THINGS
FOR HIS OWN
BENEFIT.



and **HONORABLE MENTION**
TO THE INJUN CHIEF AND
BESSIE'S FRIENDS---
THE BULLS.



