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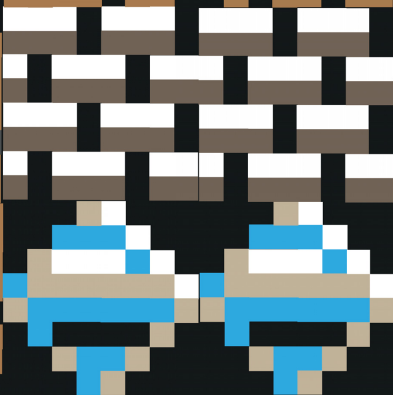
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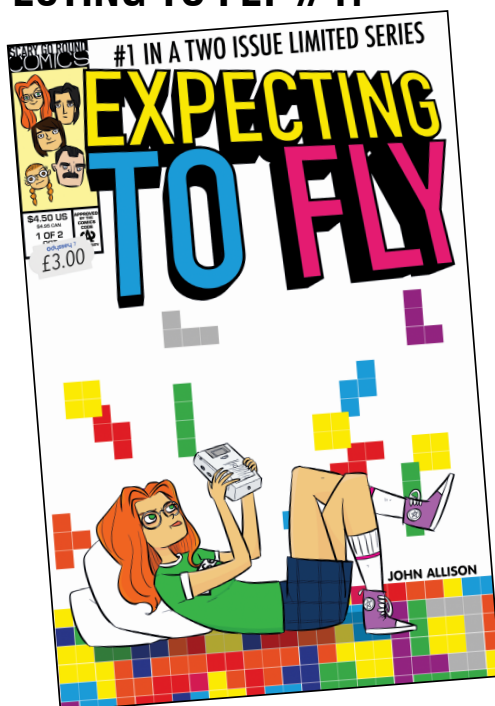
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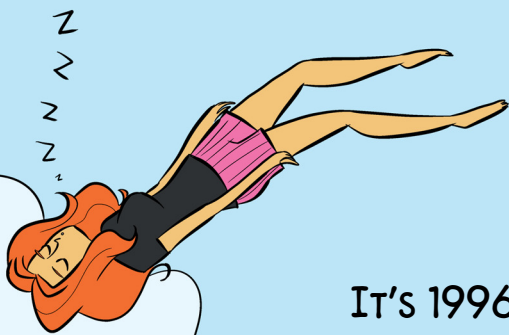
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SHELLEY WINTERS' BEST FRIEND IS DEAD, AND RYAN BECKWITH'S OLD MAN IS WRITING THE BOOK ON HOW NOT TO BE A FATHER. YET THE SKY OVER TACKLEFORD REMAINS A VICIOUS SORT OF BLUE.



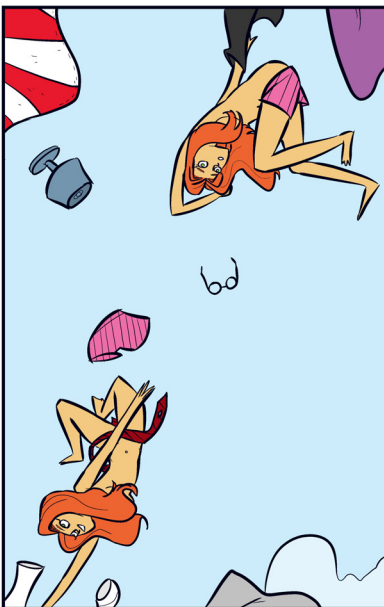
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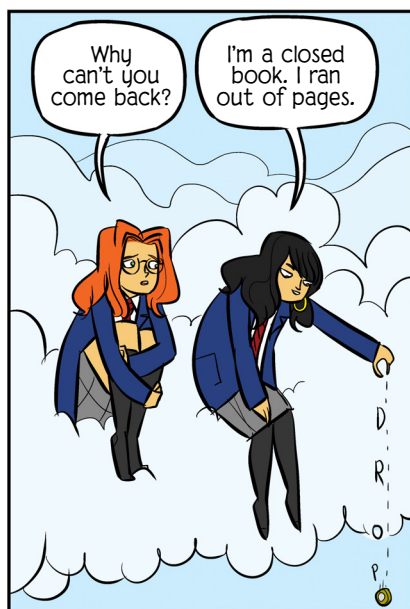
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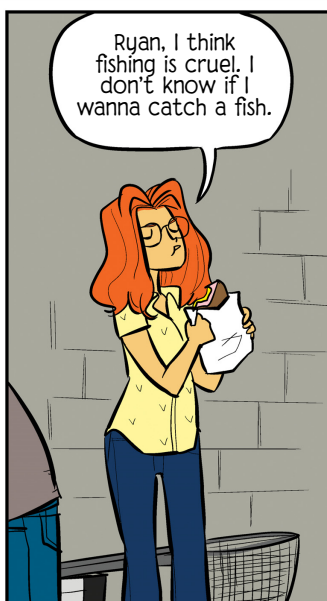
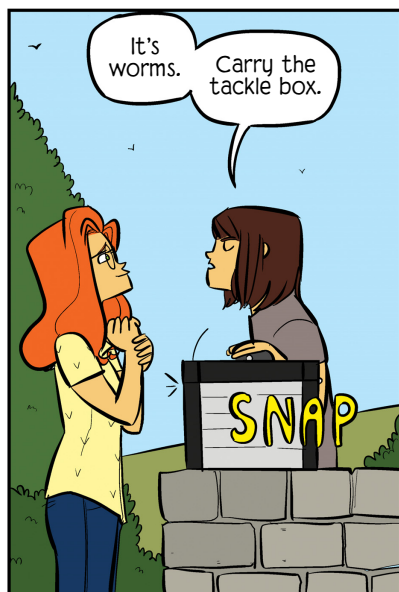
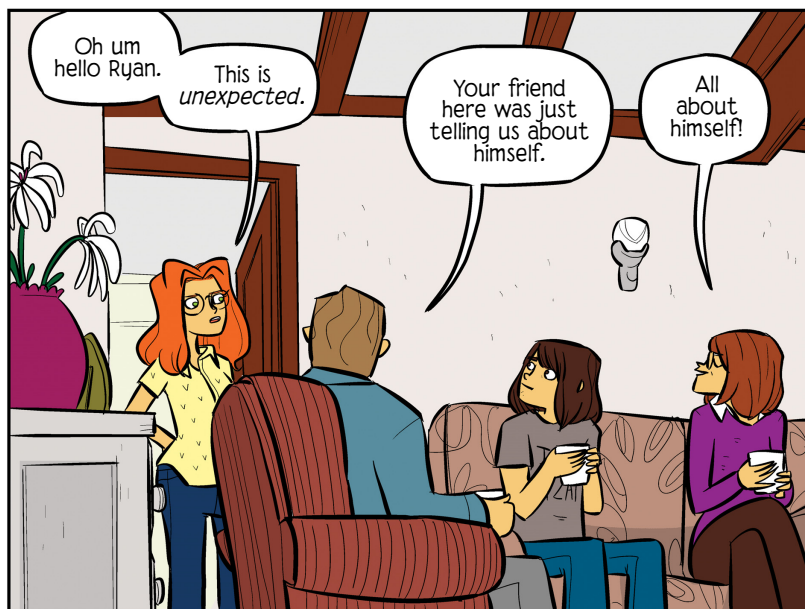
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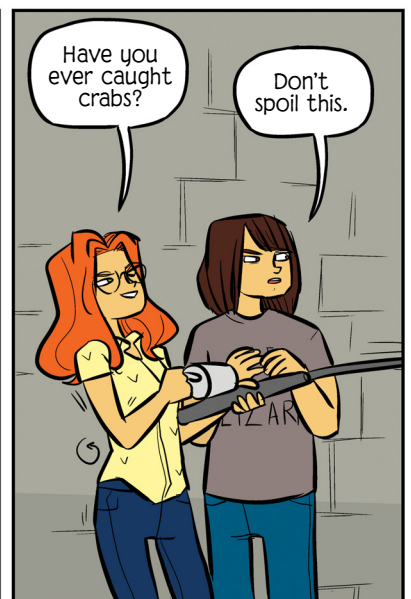
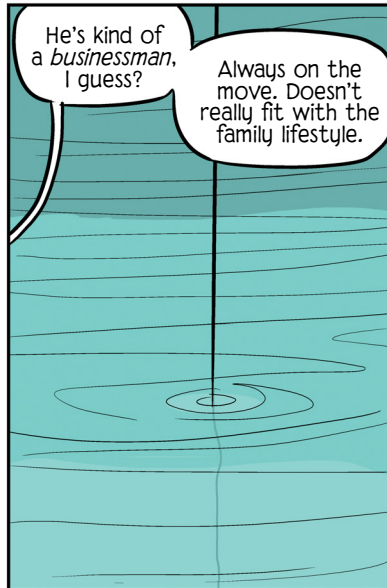
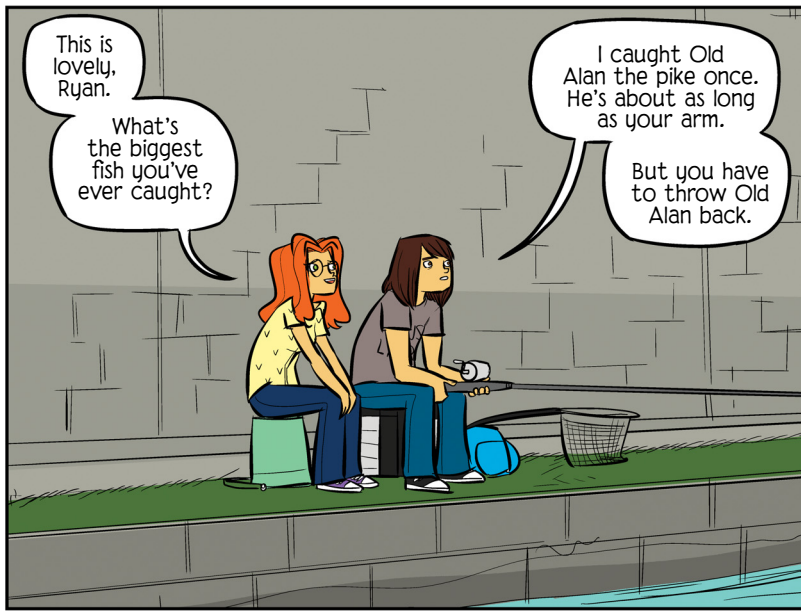
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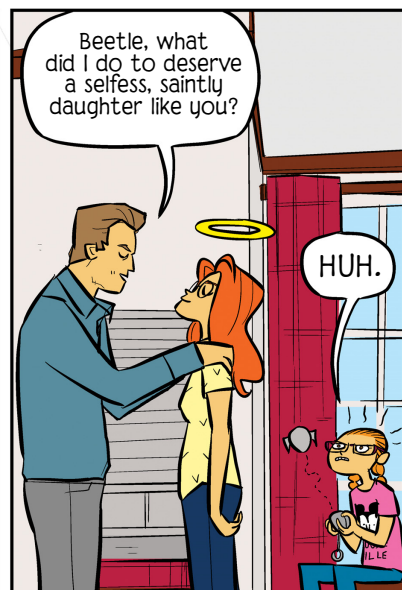
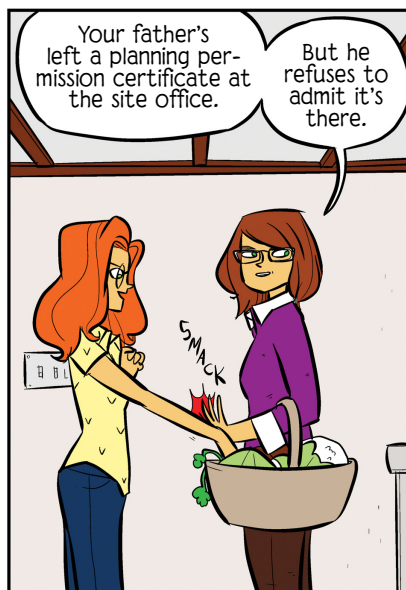
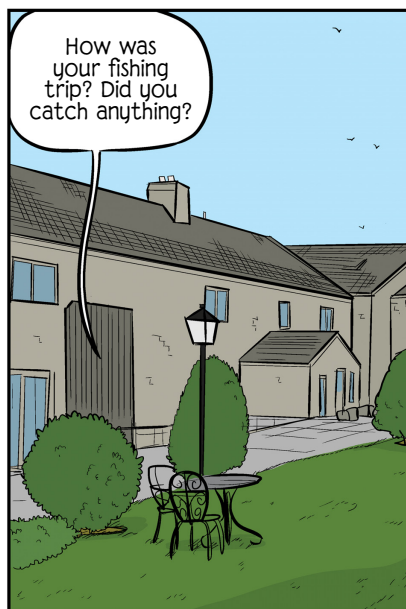
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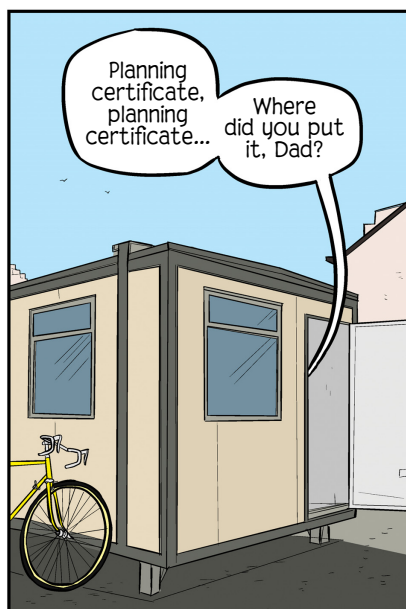












Planning certificate, planning certificate... Where did you put it, Dad?



Planning certificate!

Shelley, you are such a good daughter.



I'm sure I'm allowed to be... ...SLIGHTLY BAD now.



Okay God, here's the deal.

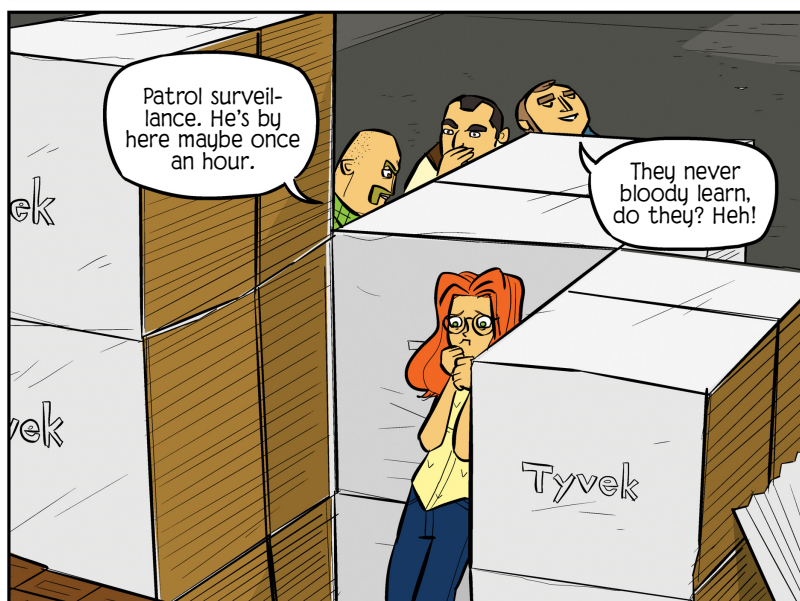
If you want me to stop smoking, give me a SIGN.



I'm telling you mate, there's eight, nine grand's worth of lead in there, barely locked down.

We'll be in, out in fifteen minutes.

What's security like?



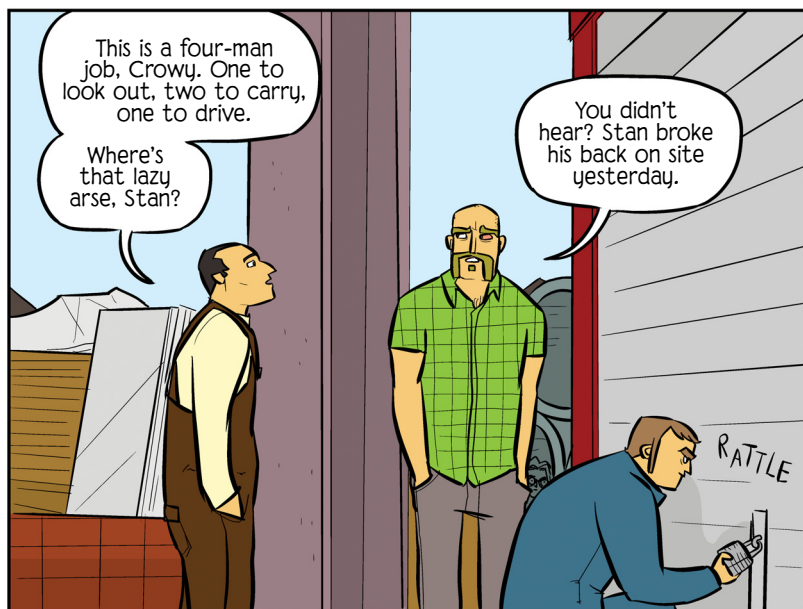
Patrol surveillance. He's by here maybe once an hour.

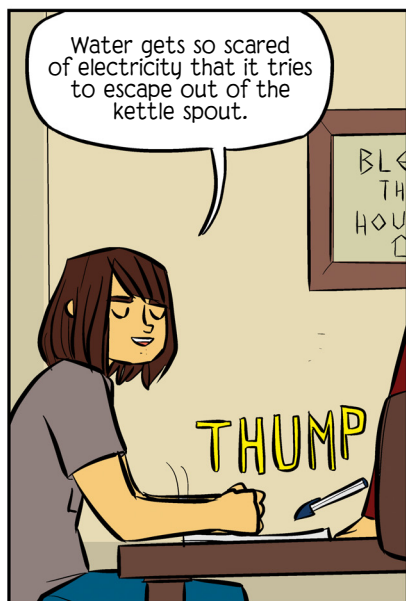
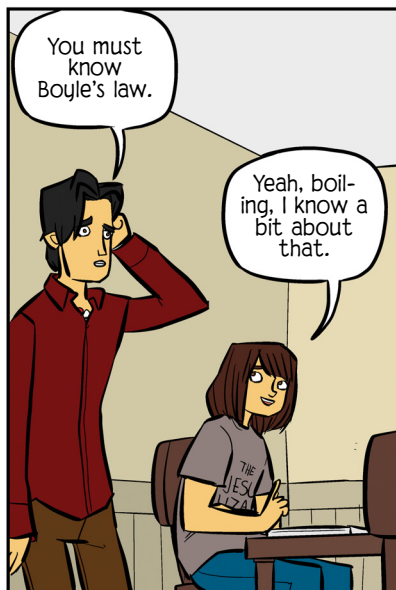
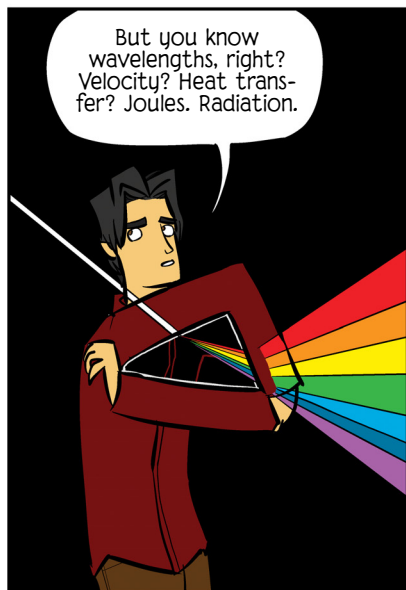
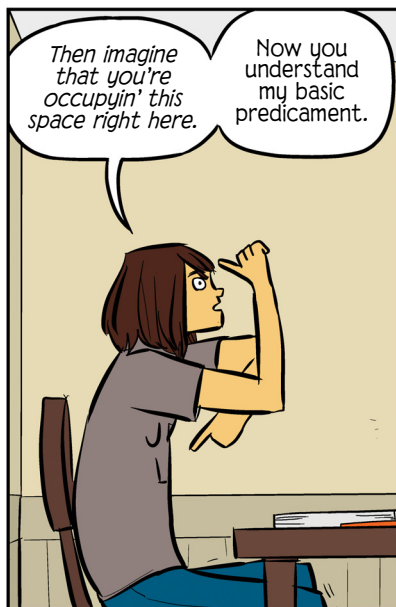
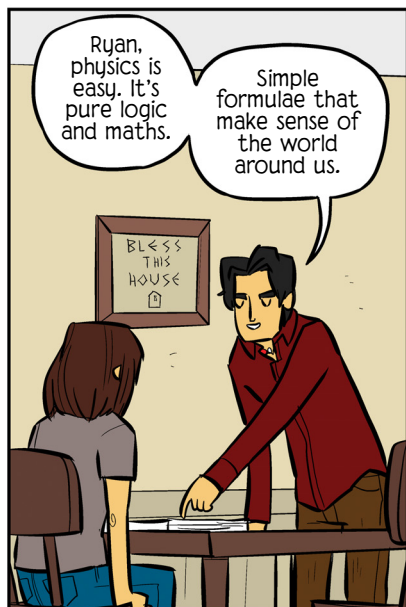
They never bloody learn, do they? Heh!

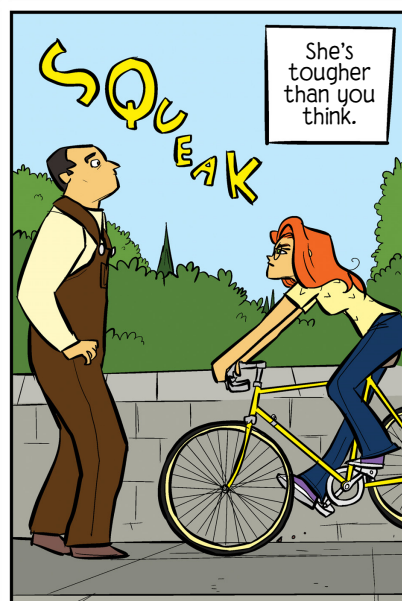
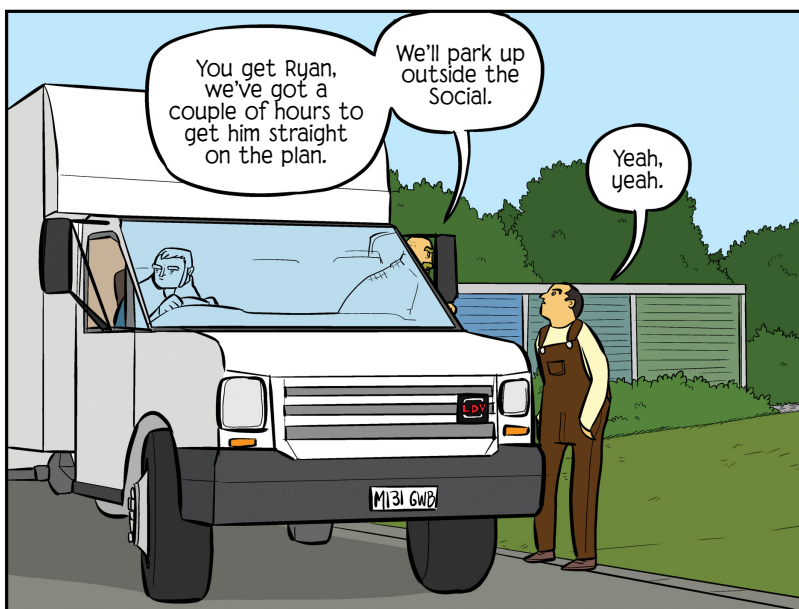


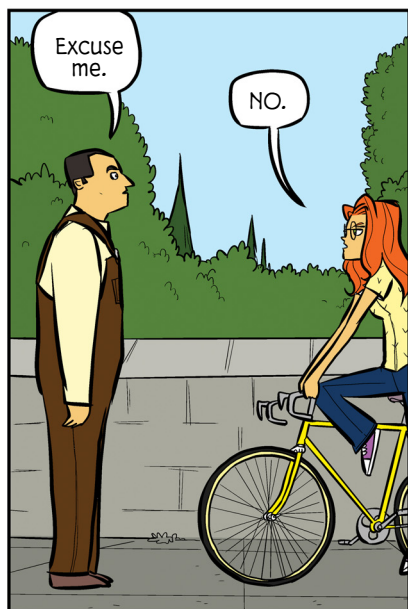
God, does this mean I should stop smoking, or smoke MORE?

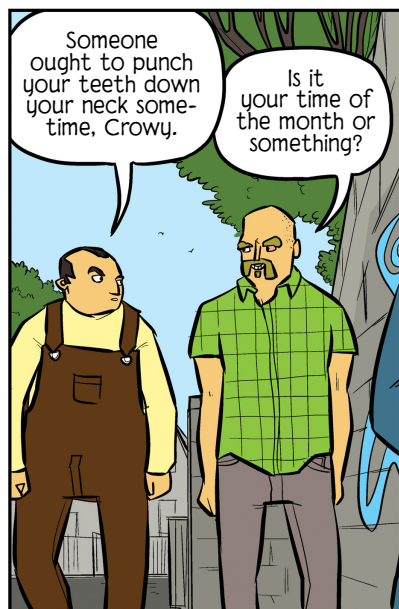
Because my nerves are totally SHOT.

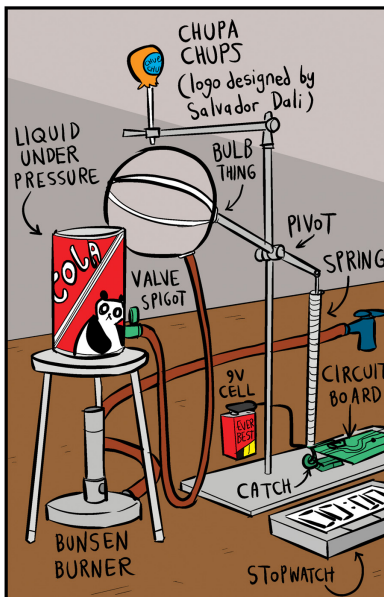
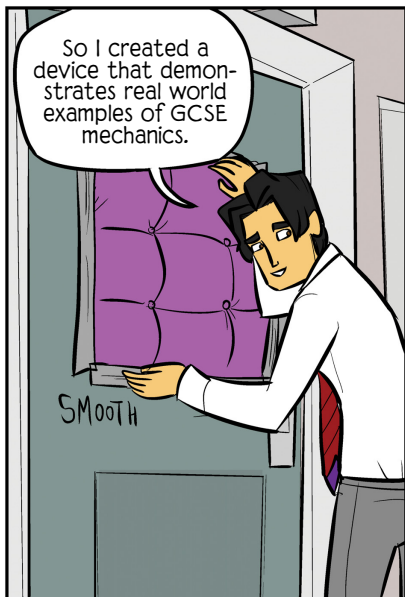


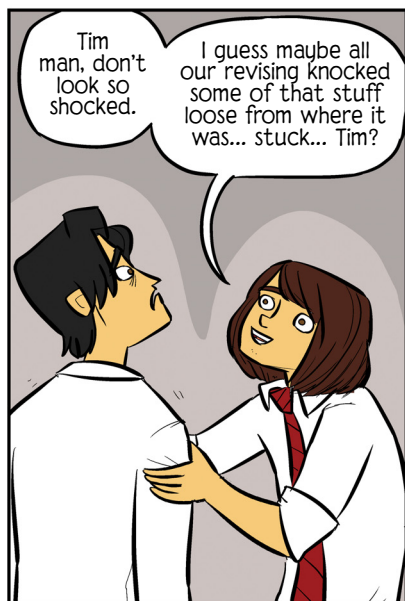
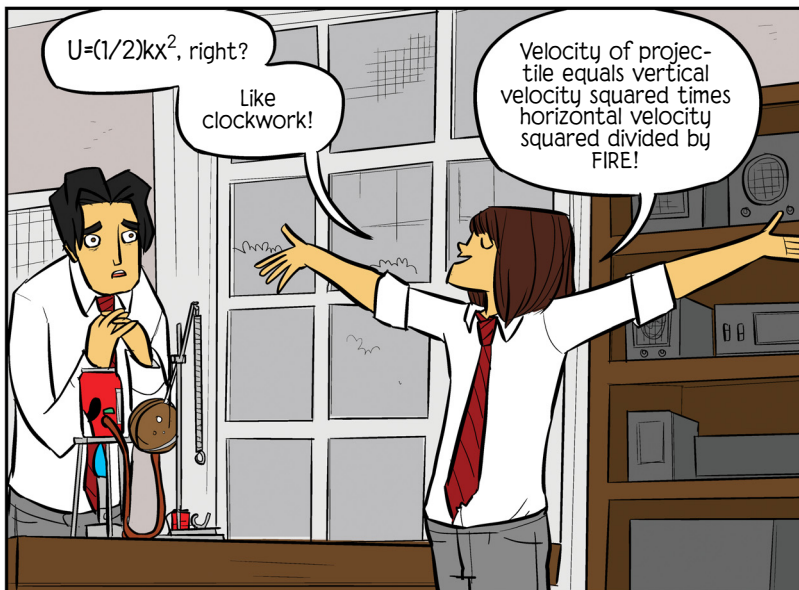
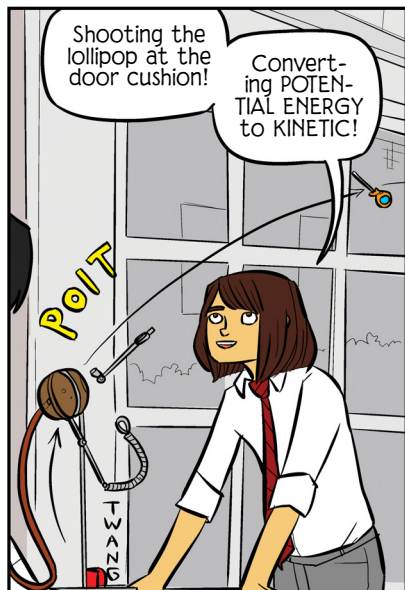
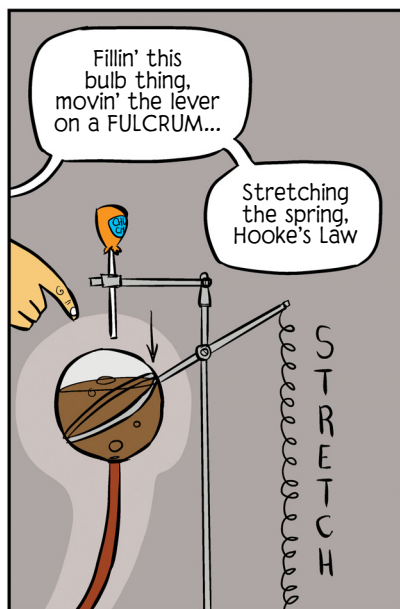
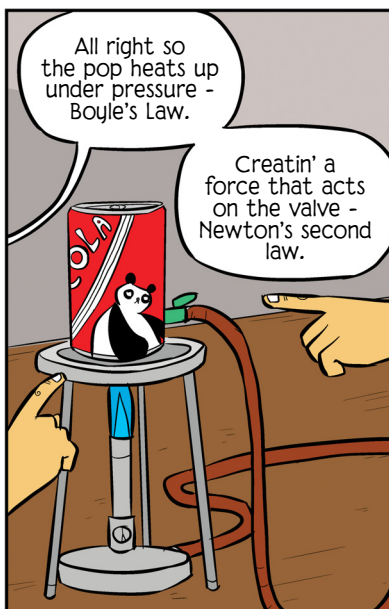












BLOVIATIONS

QUOTE OF THE MONTH:

"Zeebus, go back to your room until whatever... *that is...* has subsided!"

— THE MOTHER UNIT, ZEEBUS WARRIOR CHILD #15

CHET'S CHIN MUSIC

Howdy, Super-Allies! Chet Charles back with you after two NUTTY months in La-La Land! No, I've not been sucking on the old opium pipe (I never touch the stuff - it's a killer!) - your old buddy has been in Los Angeles, talking Hollywood deals over dinner with cigar-chomping big-wigs!

If you saw last fall's sensational made-for-TV FUNGOID special starring laughing LUKE PERRY and exquisite ELAINE STEVENS, you know that SGR is in the movie business for keeps! So what have we got for ya?

First off, the word-processor warping writing wizards have just finished putting together the SURFEIT mini-series! We know you love those battling priests, cardinals and popes, and the whole crazy bunch of 'em will be on your screens in April. Who will be playing Pope Montague? Two words

which quicken the Charles ticker - HERVE VILLECHAIZE!

Nothing gets my fingers snapping like that modern beat music, so I'm even happier to say that SYNTH will be appearing in a dynamite, out of sight, STRAIGHT-TO-VHS MOVIE FEATURE! With new songs written by LOVEBUG STARKSKI and a stellar cast including TOM PEPPERDINE, AMANDA BEINES-KAZINSKY and WALTON GOGGINS! Who's playing Synth's deadly foe, Roland? I'm not allowed to tell, but let's just say that fans of pro wrestling won't be totally disappointed!

But the project that has old Chet up nights and sweating like a junkie going cold turkey (not that I'd have any idea what that feels like) is our first ever theater release. The one, the only NEMS will be coming to the big screen in the spring. Get ready to see all your

favourite characters up there - Brian, John, Paul, George and Richard, not to mention Cilla, and the guy you all love to hate - Gerry Marsden! And I'm over the moon to tell you that Pete Best will be played by TV's *Captain Proboscis* himself - DON LEMON!

I think that's all the news your overheated heads will take! Take a long cool drink and I'll see you in thirty!

KEEP SMILIN'!



ITEM! Meet your favourite creators, including SGR editors *Rascal Timmons*, *Portnoy Weston* and *Jill Tolkein*, plus Publisher Emeritus *Chet Charles* at SACRAMENTO DELUXE-CON on January 3rd, 4th & 5th 1997. Chucklin' Chief Chet will be hosting a panel called "how to break into comics using only a natural gift for alliteration" - book early.

HYPE BOX



ENTER TAXMAN #1 & 2 — It's the event you've all been waiting for, the one we've been teasing for months! ENTER TAXMAN is a 12-issue series that crosses over with every Scary Go Round comic, leaving no hero unchanged! And it's all from the mind of our fearless leader, CHET CHARLES!

"Every year, the IRS turn me inside out. They work me over like a sailor's Johnson on shore leave. I heard that possession is 9/10 of the law, but try telling that to them!"

So when I was sunning myself at the Charles cabana in the Cayman Islands (where I do my creative think-

ing for nine months of the year), I thought, how would the SCARY GO ROUND UNIVERSE deal with these snooping savages? With the help of my nurse Bonita, soon I was scribbling down the mad musings and revenue-centric ramblings that form the series you're about to read! And I couldn't be happier than to have my old ally, gallopin' GUS GUNDERSON on art chores, with loopy LOU MACKLEMORE editing. Keep smilin'!"

So be sure to pick up ENTER TAXMAN bi-weekly, November thru March. And remember, whatever you do - KEEP THE RECEIPTS.

THE SGR COMICS CHECKLIST

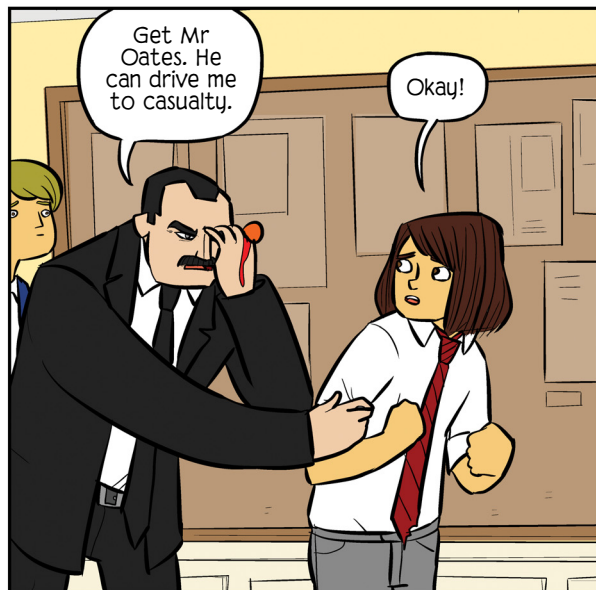
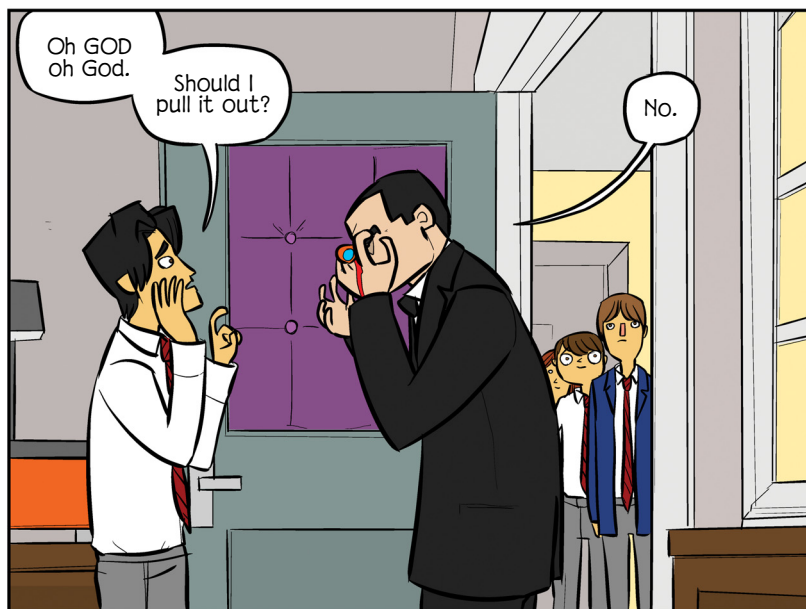
- ☐ **AWESOME ARCHITEKT #113** — Architect and his son attempt a tearful reconciliation in the Subterranean Megalopolis.
- ☐ **SURFEIT #52** — Cardinal Hess accuses the Montague Papacy of simony and treason.
- ☐ **BONANZA #71** — Little Joe finds gold - and a comely new friend!
- ☐ **FUNGOID #289** — Fungoid 4 is destroyed on a routine mission to Accident Planet!
- ☐ **XXXXX #8** — Part 1 of ENTER TAXMAN! Sensuala is drawn away from the Intimate Olympiad.
- ☐ **IMPRESSARIO #14** — Impressario is in the market for a new hat.
- ☐ **NEMS #197** — Part 2 of ENTER TAXMAN! Brian struggles with Cilla Black's escalating demands.
- ☐ **MORDAWWA #60** — Part 3 of ENTER TAXMAN! Mordawwa must explain her profligate spending to a skeptical Taxman.
- ☐ **FOLK TRIO #172** — Folk Trio clash with producer Joe Boyd over an avant-garde string arrangement.
- ☐ **A LA CARTE #91**

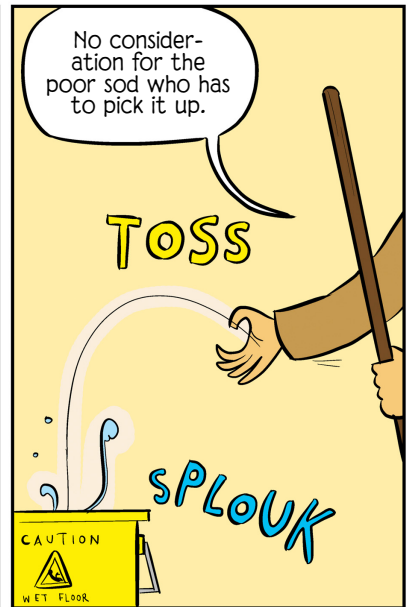
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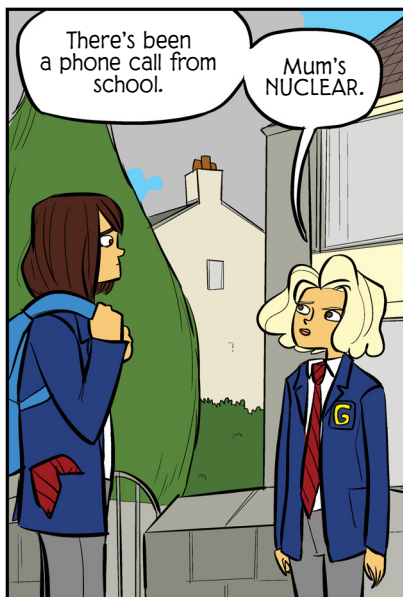
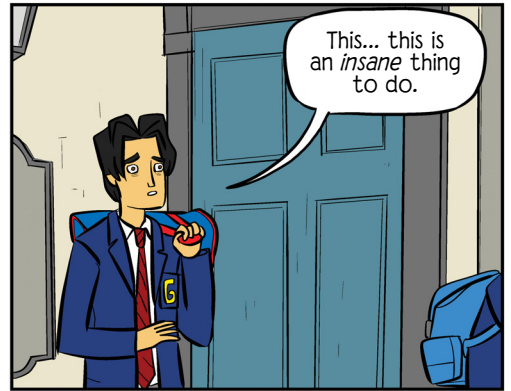
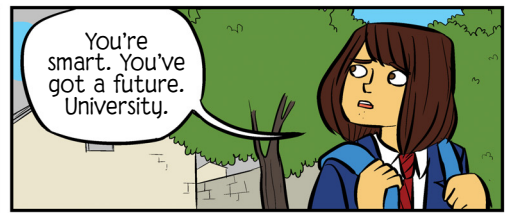
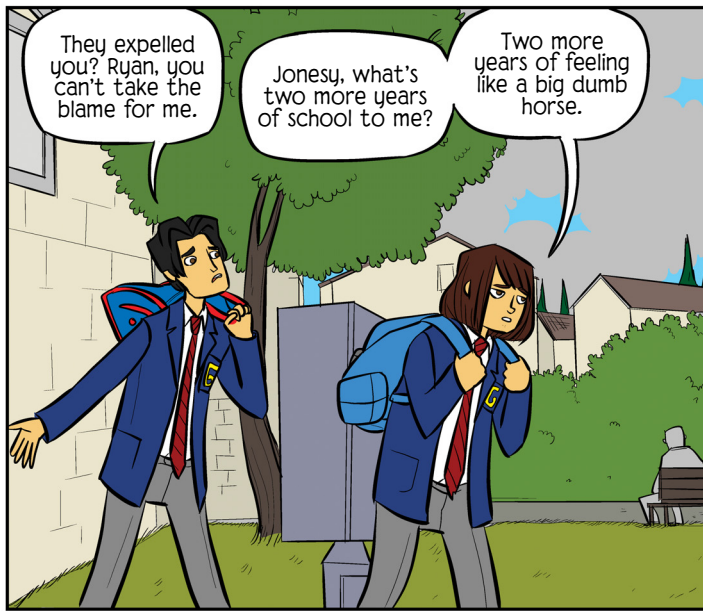
- ☐ **ROBERT COP #101** — Part 4 of ENTER TAXMAN! O'Halloran's "accountant friend" draws Robert into the Taxman's web of red tape!
- ☐ **SYNTH #89** — Part 5 of ENTER TAXMAN! Suresh and Synth regret claiming Korg and Fairlight as depreciating assets!
- ☐ **SALAMANDER #25** — Toad returns much changed from the Mulch Wars.
- ☐ **TOWNSHEND, PI #9** — Townshend and Bluey attend a stag party.
- ☐ **TYREE #4** — It's Tyree's birthday!
- ☐ **WORLD WINDOW #335**
- ☐ **D45-9-34Q #20** — The intermeshing of Reality 4 and Continuity-Q11A pose a threat to Earth!
- ☐ **Z-WEB #171**
- ☐ **EXPECTING TO FLY (Limited Series) #2** — The Brit series concludes with an ocular trauma. Lumme guv' nor!
- ☐ **INTELLIGENTSIA #167**
- ☐ **BUSTER CUTLASS (Limited Series) #4** — Buster suffers a painful head wound. Final issue!
- ☐ **ROBERT COP CLASSICS #8**

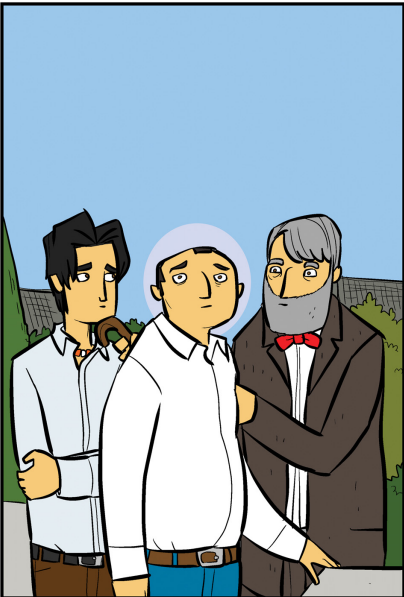
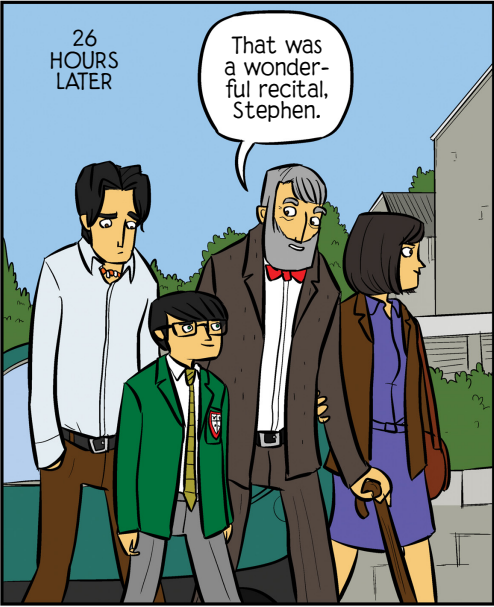
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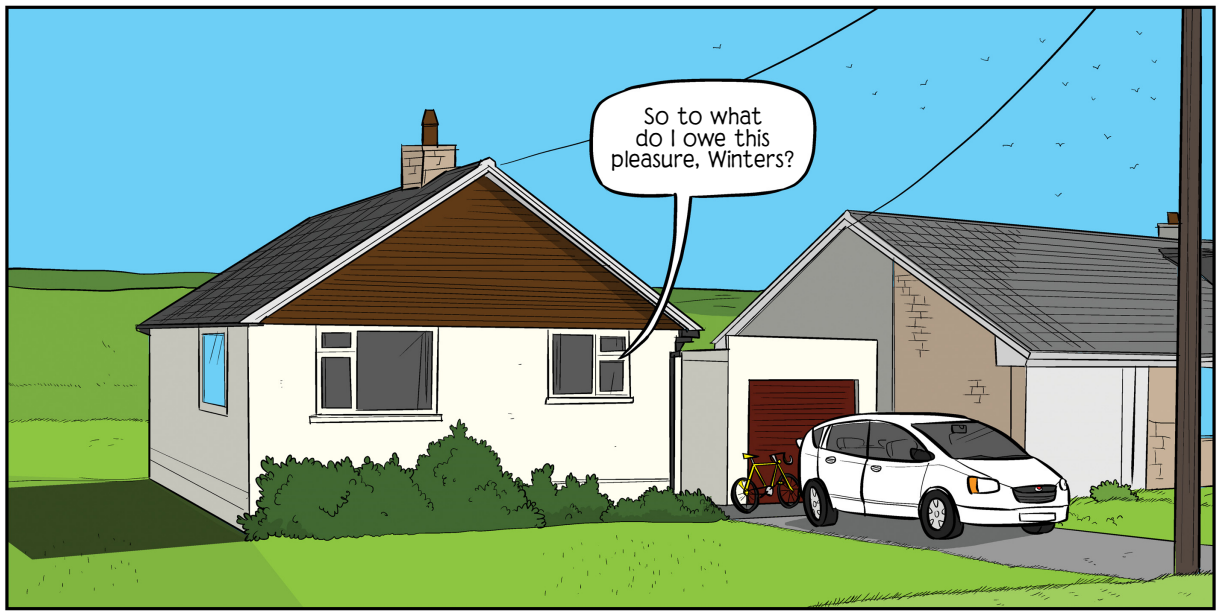
- ☐ **ENTER TAXMAN #1 (Limited series)** — See HYPE BOX!
- ☐ **ARCHITEKT #31** — Part 6 of ENTER TAXMAN! Architekt fills in his W8-BEN incorrectly - with some truly dreadful results.
- ☐ **EMPHASIS: NORTON #6** — Norton gazes into the sun for eight hours.
- ☐ **AFRICA FORCE #10**
- ☐ **THE MAGNIFICENT #12**
- ☐ **SKYFORCE '44 #4**
- ☐ **WONDER OF FRUIT #7** — A fresh journey into nectarines and starfruit.
- ☐ **ZEEBUS, WARRIOR CHILD #15** — Zeebus' dormancy ends. Who will survive 'The Great Ejaculation'? A story in three parts by WALLACE & SPUNT!
- ☐ **KARATE! #45** — The arrival of the Grand Panther (on the same day that Hiro gets his yellow belt) causes a stir in the Dojo.
- ☐ **ENTER TAXMAN #2**
- ☐ **DOCTOR SNODDY #2**
- ☐ **ROBERT COP SPECIAL CASES #10** — Robert Cop investigates the lethal Gary Puckett and his deadly Union Gap!











So to what
do I owe this
pleasure, Winters?



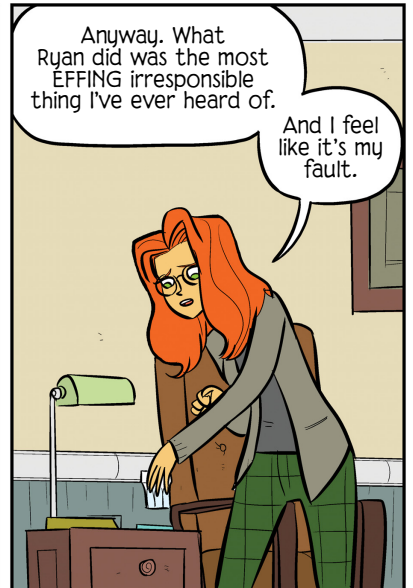
I just wanted
to come and see
how you were.

Because, er...
permission to
speak freely?



This isn't the
army, Winters.

Well I only ask
because you're
still calling me by
my surname.



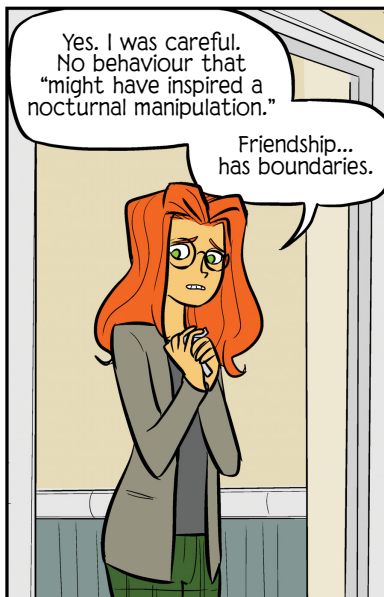
Anyway. What
Ryan did was the most
EFFING irresponsible
thing I've ever heard of.

And I feel
like it's my
fault.



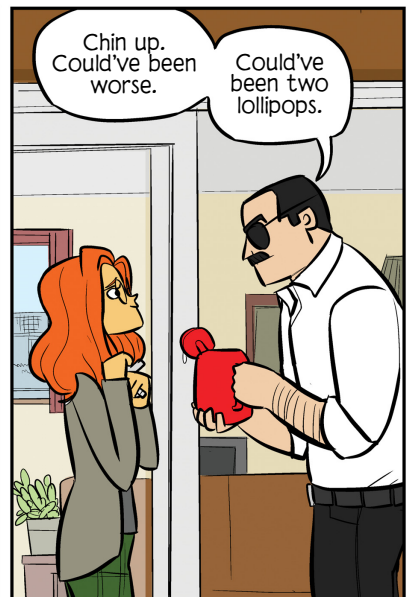
You told me
he was vulnera-
ble, that I should
look out for him.
And I tried.

I'm sure
you did your
best. Did you
follow my
rules?



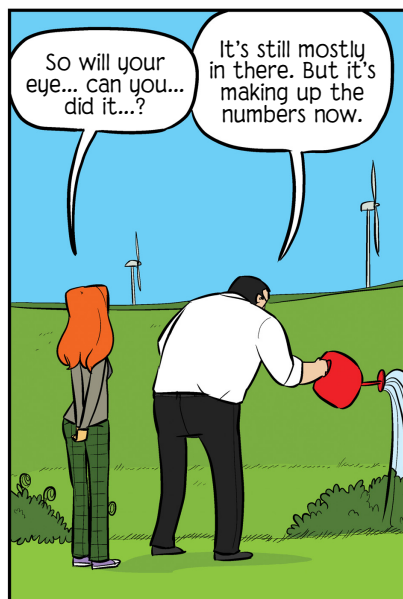
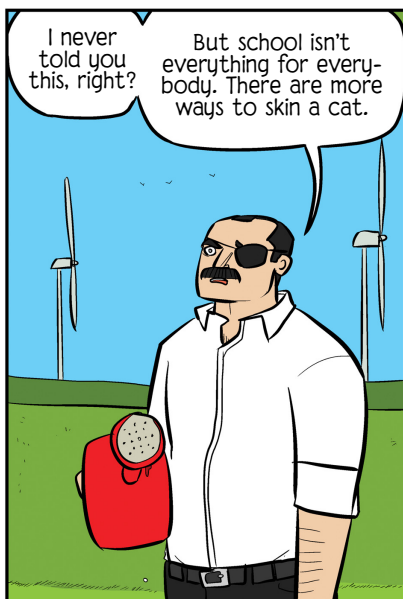
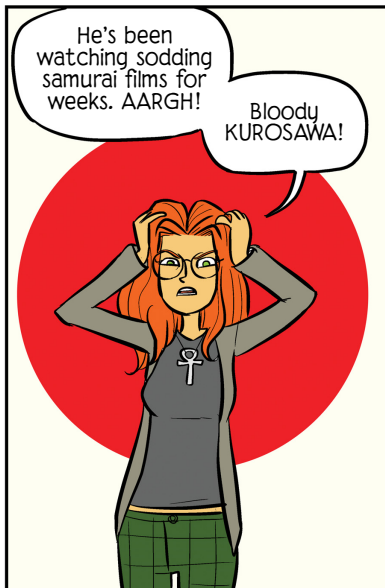
Yes. I was careful.
No behaviour that
"might have inspired a
nocturnal manipulation."

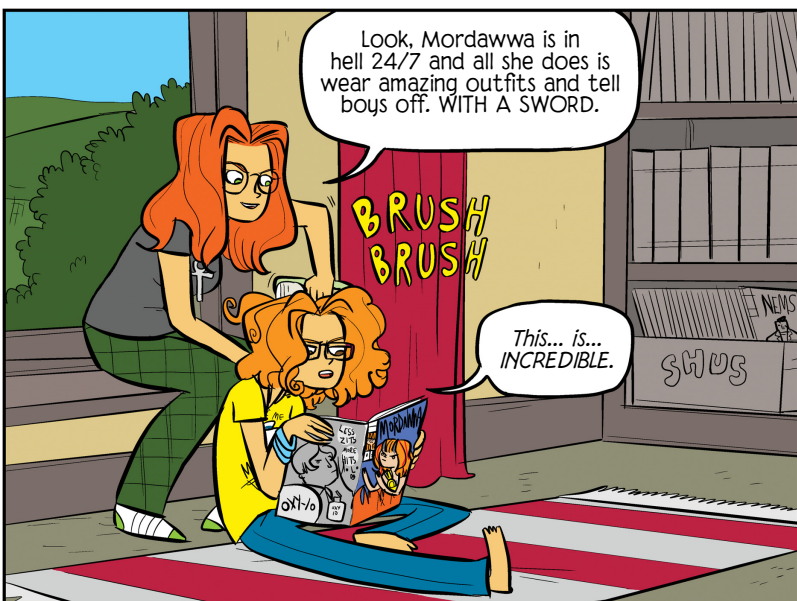
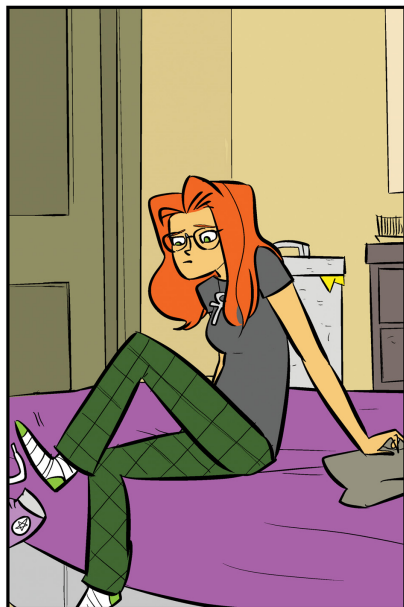
Friendship...
has boundaries.

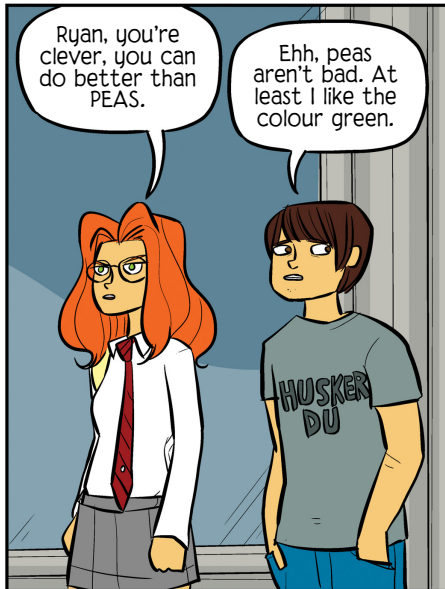
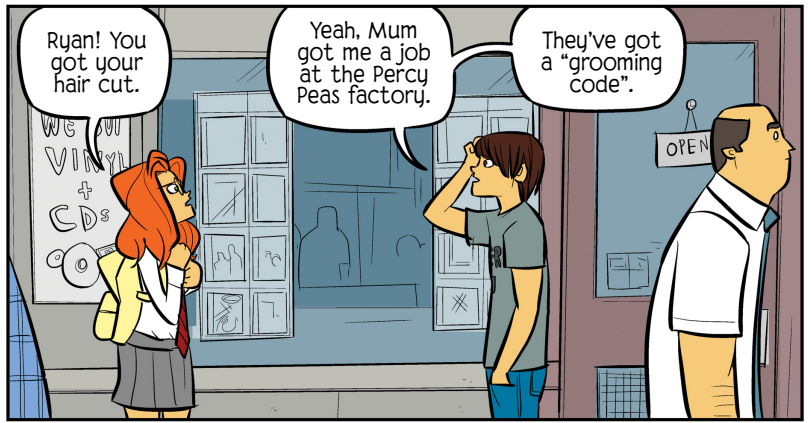


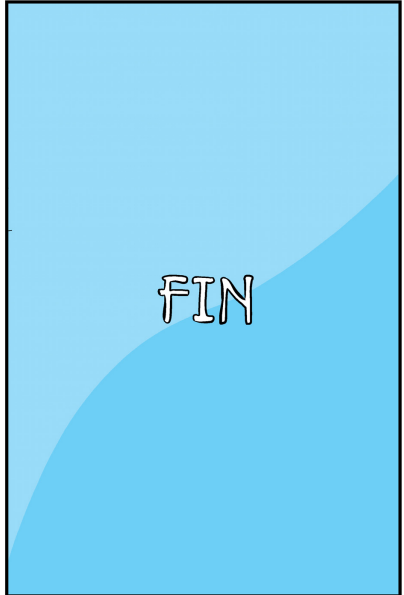
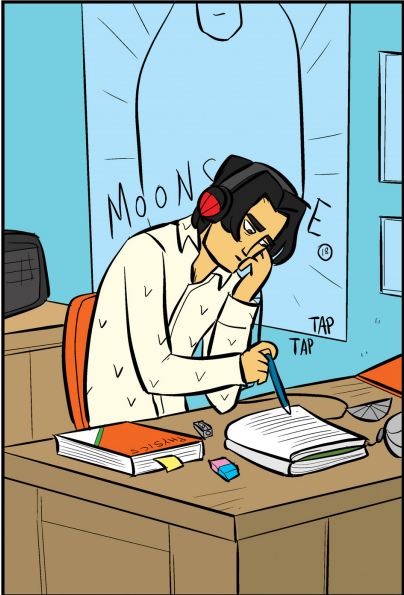
Chin up.
Could've been
worse.

Could've
been two
lollipops.



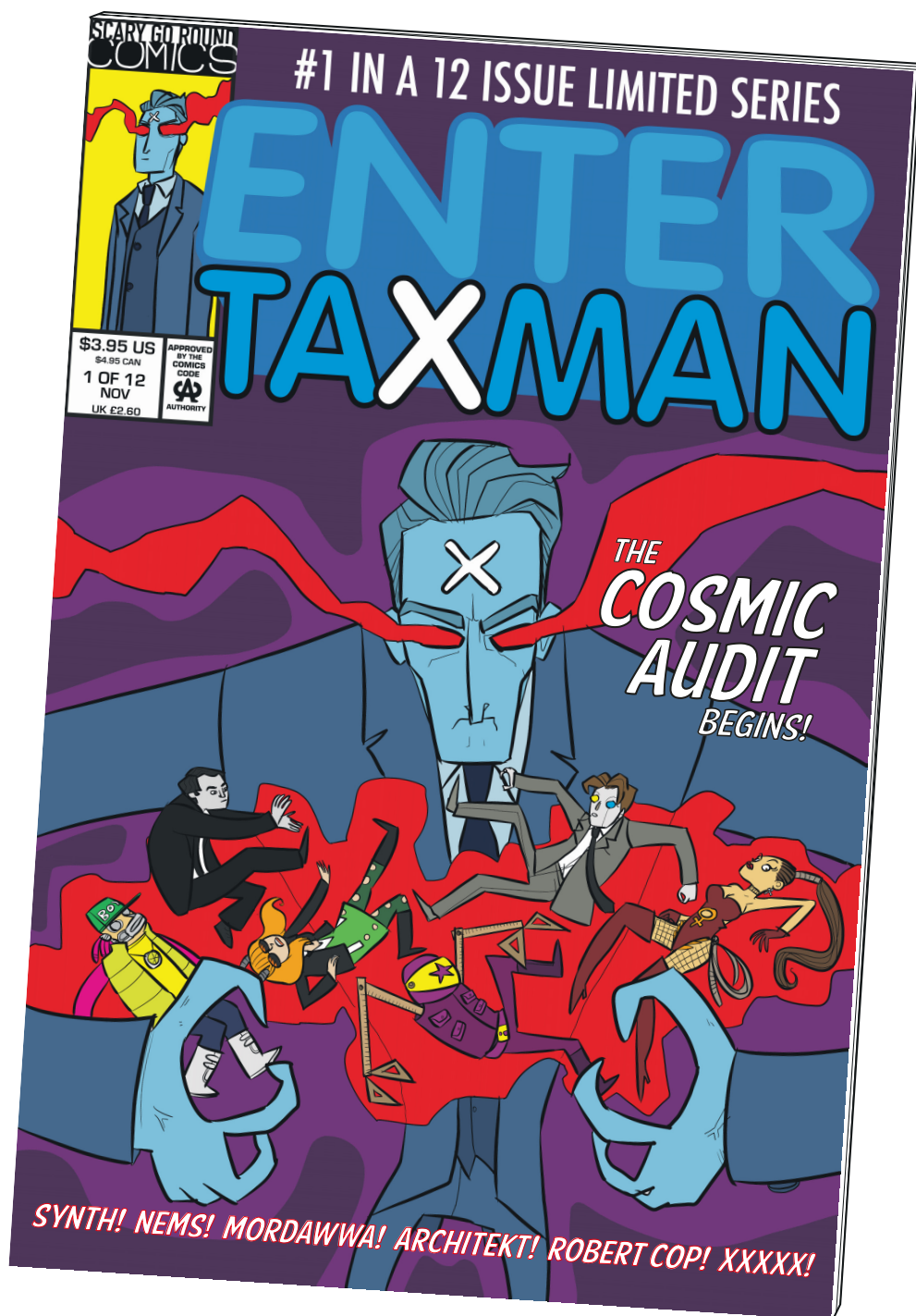




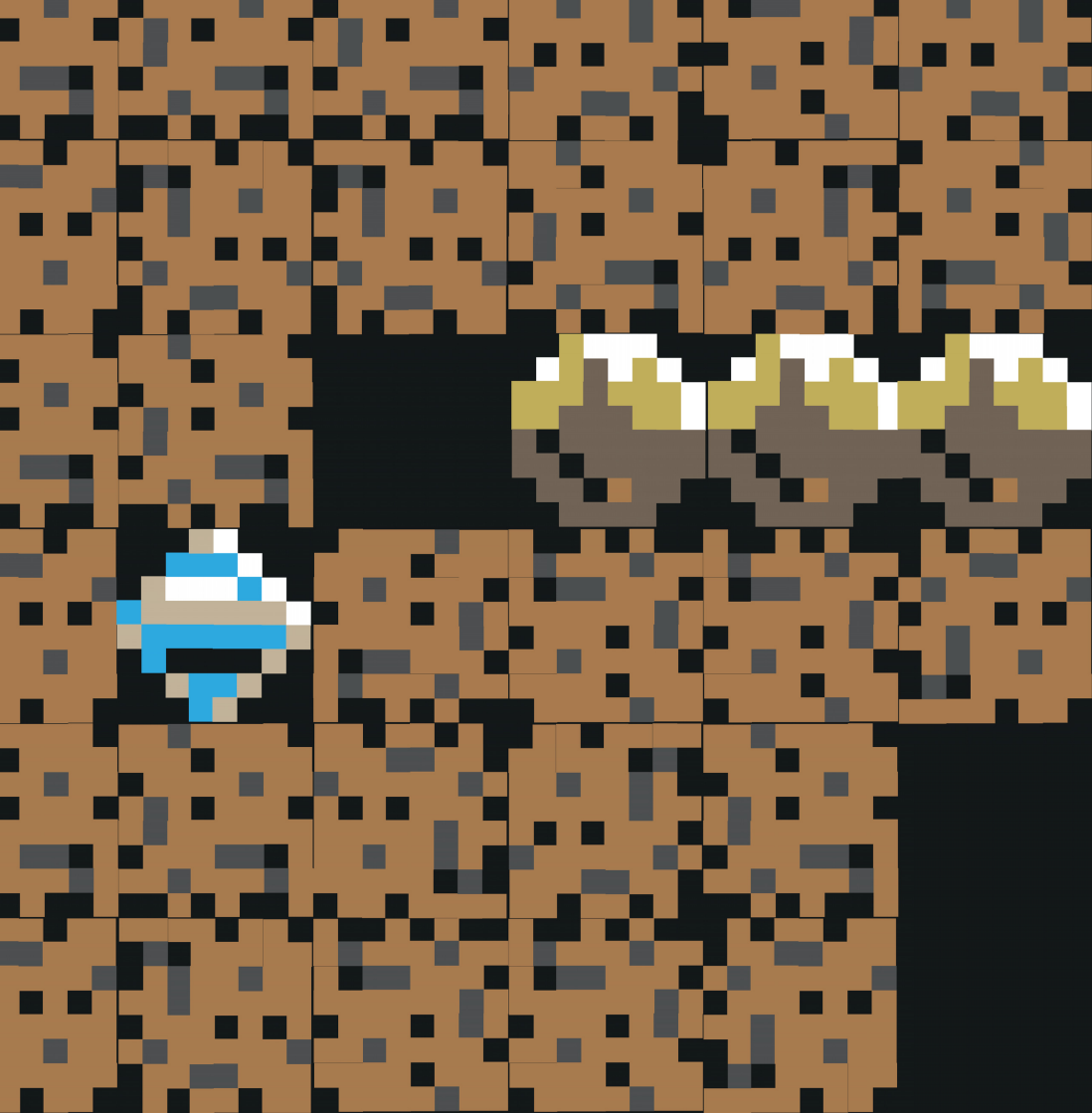


THE DAY OF RECKONING IS HERE...

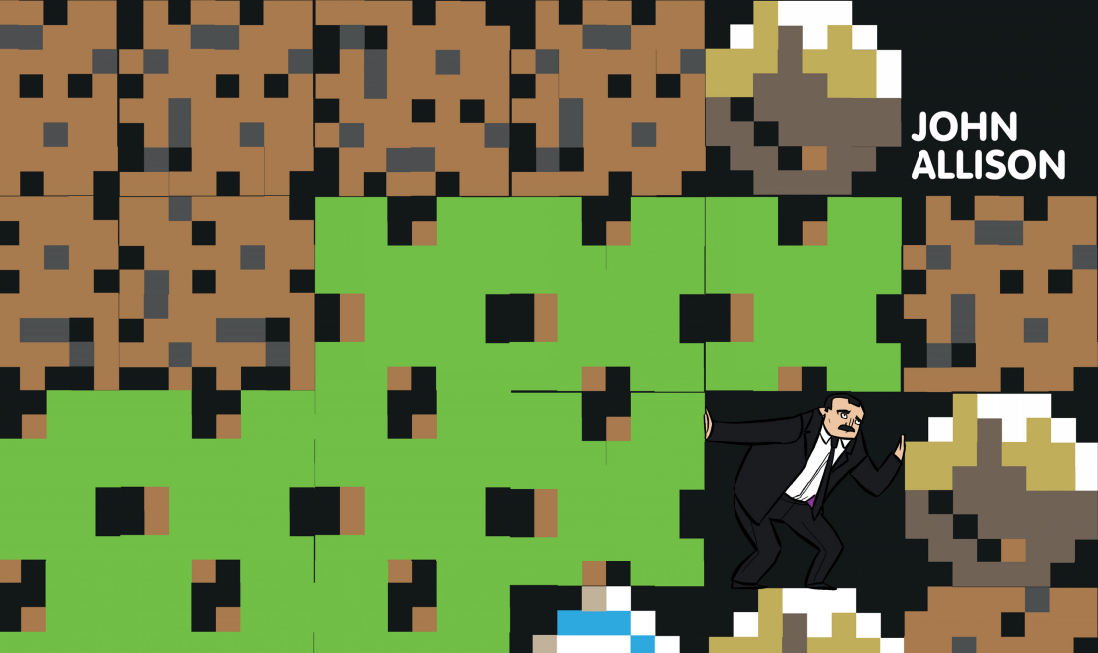
A representative of the Intergalactic Revenue Service comes calling on Earth, and the Scary Go Round universe might just be a **write-off!**



1ST BI-WEEKLY ISSUE! And continuing in SYNTH #89, XXXXX #8, ROBERT COP #101, MORDAWWA #60, ARCHITEKT #31 & NEMS #197



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