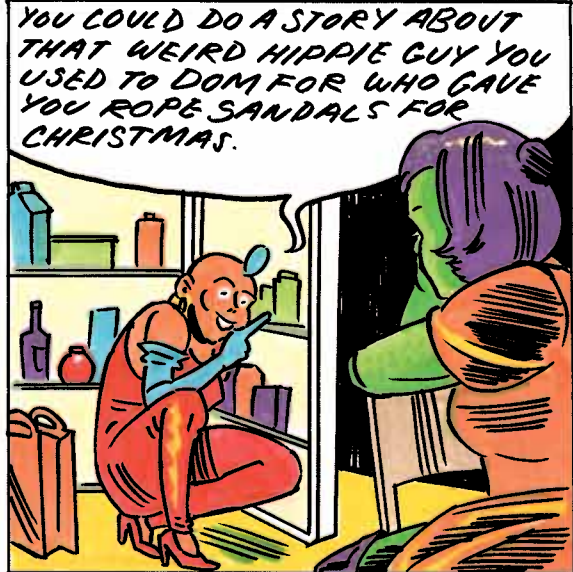


BAND for LIFE

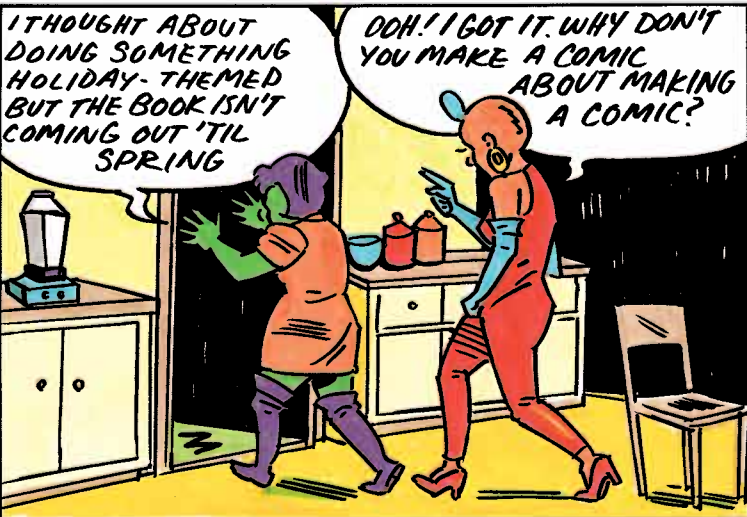




I KNOW I'VE GOT TO FIND A WAY TO ADDRESS HIM IN MY WORK BUT EVERY TIME I THINK OF TRUMP I JUST WANT TO PICK UP A GUN & SHOOT MYSELF



YOU COULD DO A STORY ABOUT THAT WEIRD HIPPIE GUY YOU USED TO DOM FOR WHO GAVE YOU ROPE SANDALS FOR CHRISTMAS.



I THOUGHT ABOUT DOING SOMETHING HOLIDAY- THEMED BUT THE BOOK ISN'T COMING OUT 'TIL SPRING

OOH! I GOT IT. WHY DON'T YOU MAKE A COMIC ABOUT MAKING A COMIC?



NO WAY! NEVER! I HATE THAT KIND OF NAVEL-GAZING, SELF REFLEXIVE CARTOONING!



GEEZ LOUISE I KNOW YOU'RE STRESSED BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE MEAN

YOU'RE RIGHT. I'M SORRY. LET'S CHANGE THE SUBJECT. HOW'S THE BAND?



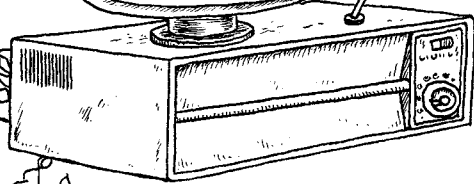
WE'RE GOOD. WE'VE BEEN SHOOTING A MUSIC VIDEO FOR "STRANGLER WITH A KNIFE"

OH YEAH?

BUT...
BUT CHET!

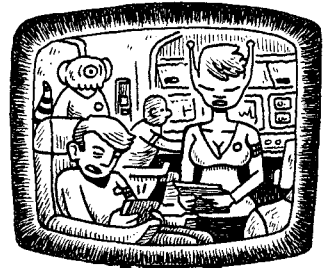
ZIP IT, BELINDA.

AND YOU CAN LEAVE
YOUR DAMNED PRE-
CIOUS DIGNITY AT
THE DOOR.



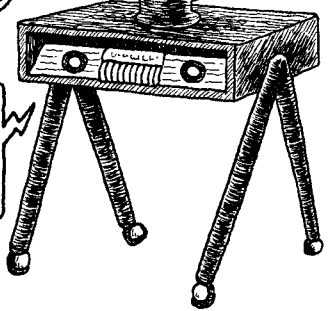
OH! OH!! CAUCS WIN!
THEY WIN THE BIG ONE!
OH! A... A MOMENTOUS
DAY FOR... OH! OH!...

CHRIST, GREG. COOL YOUR JETS.
YOU'RE GETTING PISS ALL OVER...



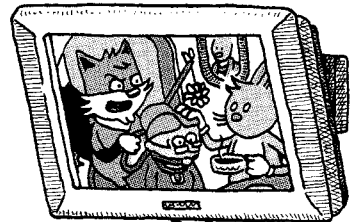
WE'RE APPROACH-
ING DIMENSION
SEVEN, CAPTAIN.

WHO CARES? I
DON'T CARE. WHAT'S
THE POINT? WHY
BOTHR?

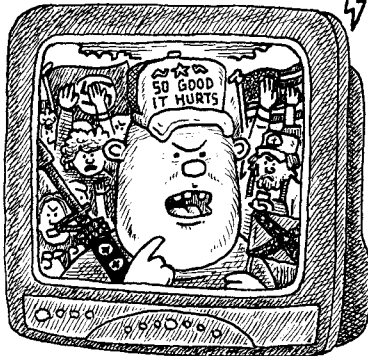
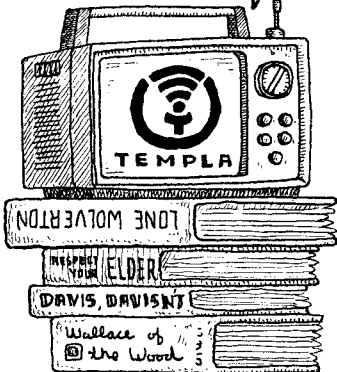


THINK TEMPLA.

SEZ JESUS, LORD, SAVIOR'N
PROUD PATRIOT, 'THESE HER
COLORS DON'T RUN. 'REST'A
THEM COLORS? BEST GET
'TA RUNNIN'. 'FREEDOM
AIN'T FREE, Y'KNOW.



OH, AND I SUP-
POSE THIS MAKES
YOU THE BETTER
MAN?



... MAYBE THE RF CAVITY THRUSTER, THE SO-CALLED 'IMPOSSIBLE' EM DRIVE PROPELLING THE DAWN AQUILA, MAYBE IT DOESN'T VIOLATE NEWTON'S THIRD. MAYBE THE INITIAL ACTION IS, IN FACT, POSSIBILITY?

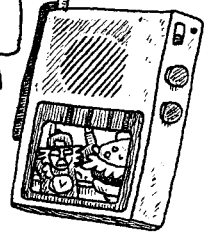
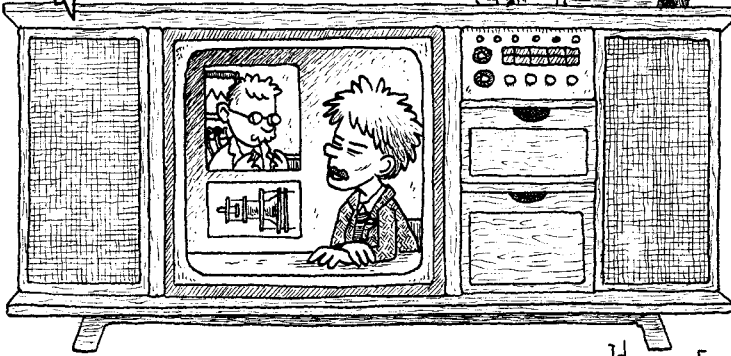
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THAT'S STUPID.

CHUCK.

CHUCK.

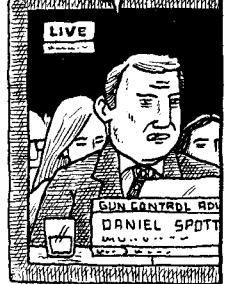
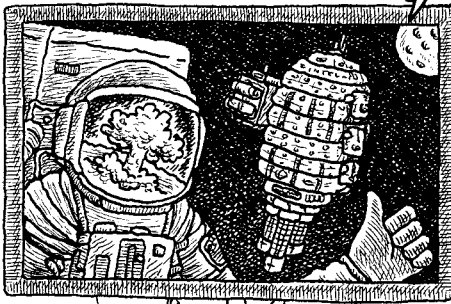
CHUCK WAGON.



THE ISS2: THINGS ARE SOMEWHAT LESS MISERABLE UP HERE.

SHUTTLES BOARDING NOW.

THAT'S MORE THAN TWO-HUNDRED CHILDREN SHOT DEAD, SENATOR.



UH-HUH. SO...

WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL?

THE BIG DEAL?! THE BIG DEAL IS

BRAA
AAA
AAP

AH HA HA HAA

SENATOR, I

BRAAAA

HA HA
HAA H



INTERLUDE

