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ARCHIE TALKS TUNE IN YOUR RADIO
OVER THE BLUE NETWORK

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SHIELD G-MAN CLUB

EMERGENCY BULLETIN NO. 21

Boy, we're declaring this a holiday from our usual official business. And I don't have to tell you why. The cover explains everything.

ARCHIE ANDREWS IS ON THE RADIO!

Here's a personal message: Archie has asked Dusty and me to relay to all you members of the Shield G-Man Club a million million thanks. He is on the air because *you* wanted him on. You and the millions of other ARCHIE fans who snapped up ARCHIE COMICS magazines as soon as they appeared on the newsstands.

Yes! Now you can hear PEP's Bad Boy over the Blue Network of the National Broadcasting System—Monday through Friday. Consult your local newspapers for time of program, or call your radio station.

So, friends, if you want to keep laughing with Archie and his gang, tune in on your radio.

Sincerely,

*Joe Higgins
(The Shield)*

USE THIS ENTIRE COUPON!!

JUST PRINT PLAINLY ON THIS COUPON, YOUR NAME, ADDRESS, AGE AND SEND IT TO ME WITH 10c TO COVER COST OF MAILING AND HANDLING.

**Joe Higgins
Room 315
60 Hudson St.
New York City**

Dear Joe:

Please enroll me as a member of the **SHIELD G-MAN CLUB**. I am enclosing this coupon together with Ten Cents to cover the costs of handling and mailing my Badge and Identification Card.



NAME.....

ADDRESS..... AGE.....

CUT ON THIS LINE

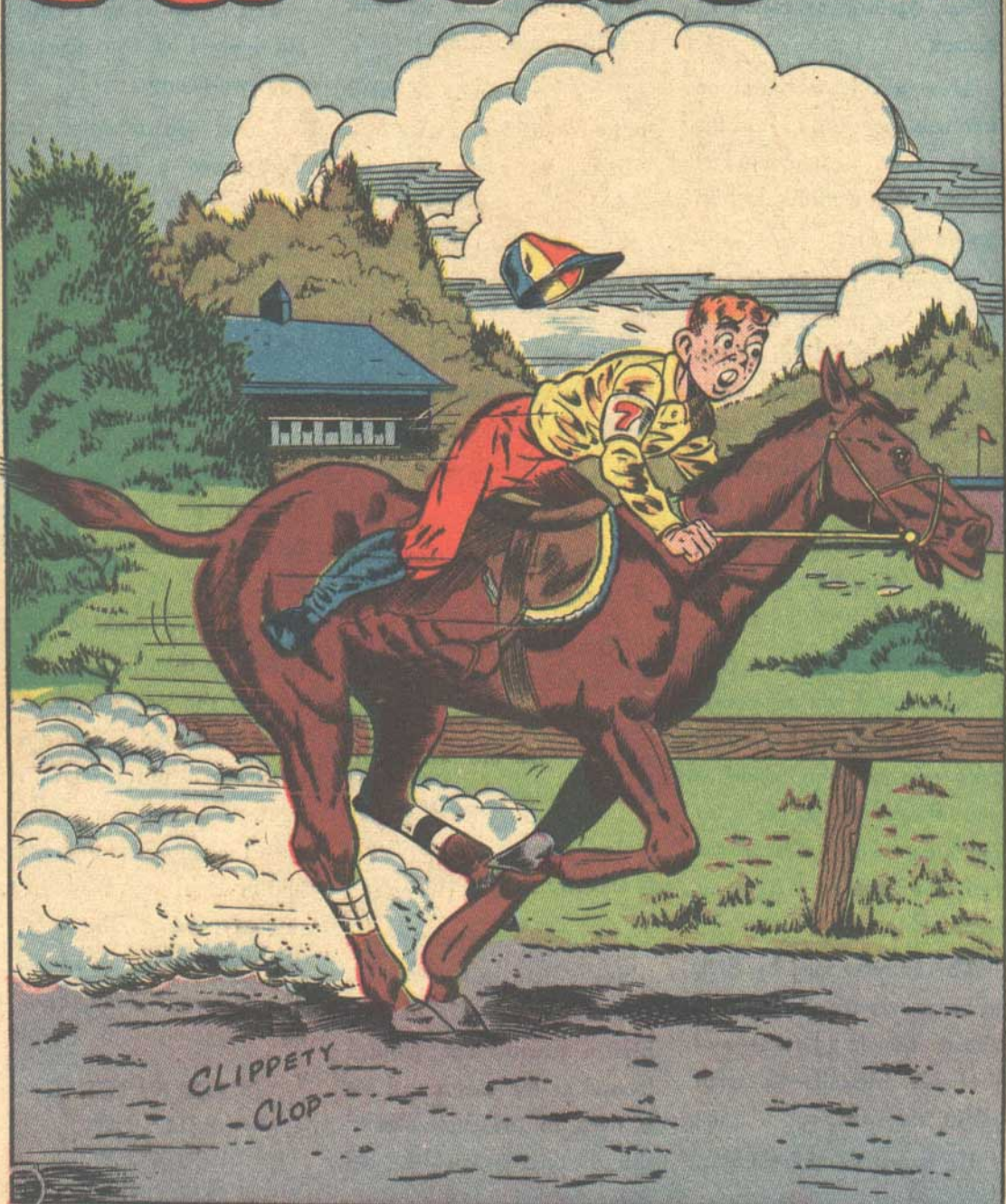
EXACT COPY OF BADGE
IN THREE COLORS
RED—WHITE—BLUE

WOW! THE TROUBLE
THAT KID **ARCHIE**
GETS INTO IN THIS
LATEST
ARCHIE
COMICS!



Archie

in



CLIPPETY
- CLOP -

Archie The Jockey

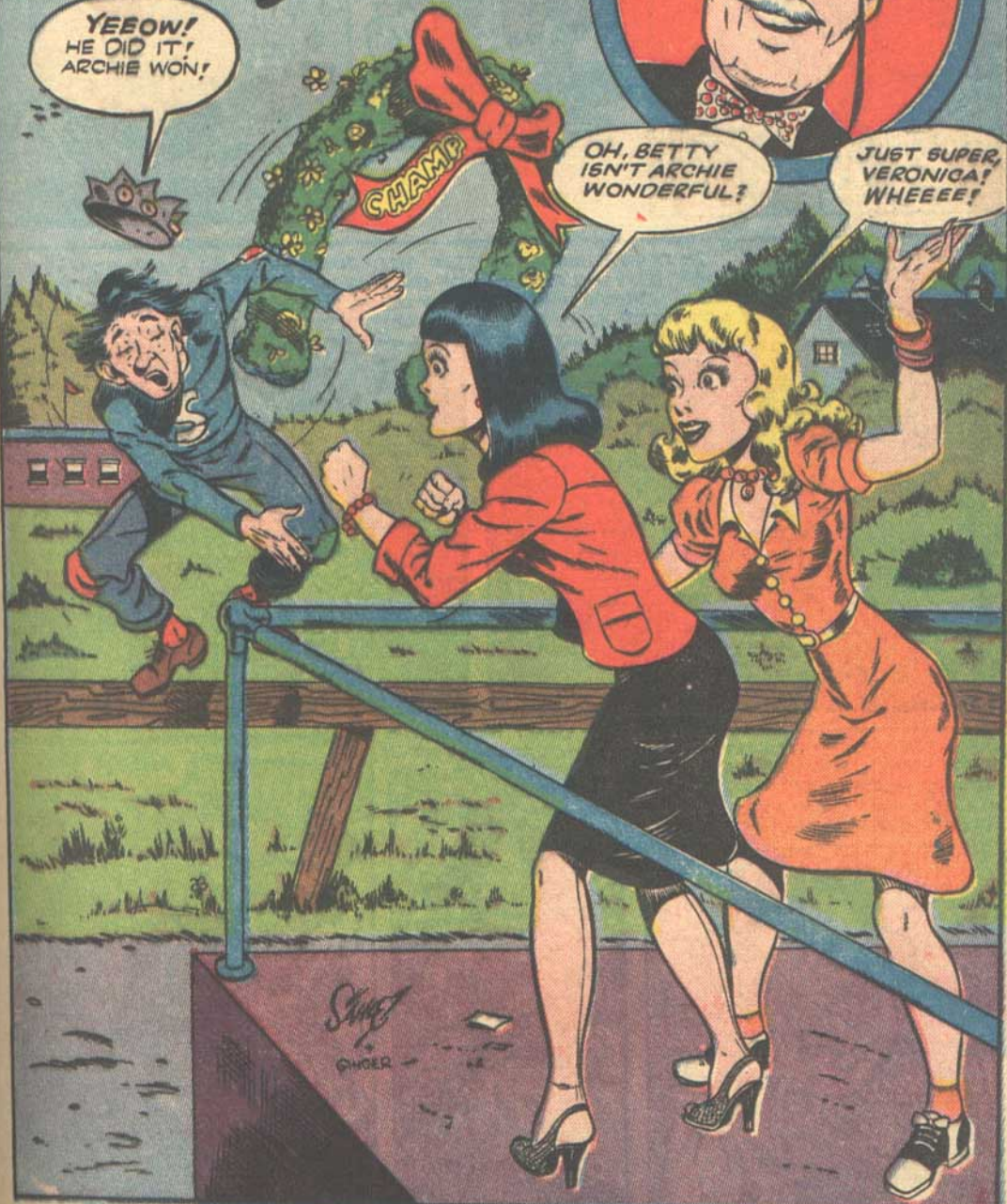
INTRODUCING
ARCHIE'S LATEST VIC-
TIM -- VERONICA LODGE'S
FATHER, LODGE LODGE
THE THIRD!



YEEOW!
HE DID IT!
ARCHIE WON!

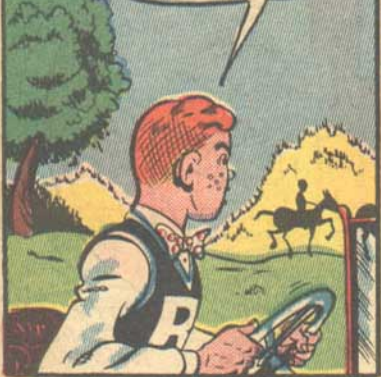
OH, BETTY
ISN'T ARCHIE
WONDERFUL?

JUST SUPER,
VERONICA!
WHEEEE!

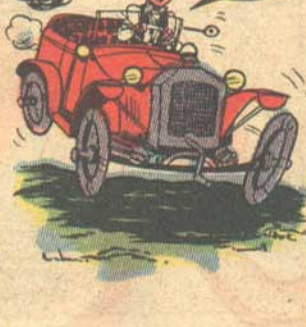


Shuey
GARDNER

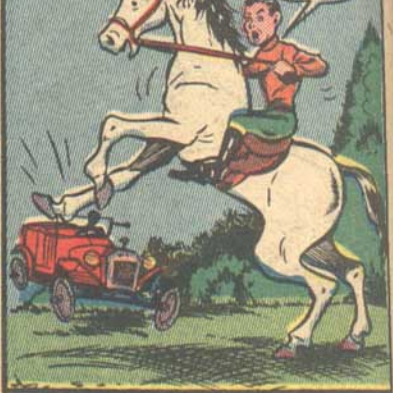
SAY! THAT LOOKS LIKE VERONICA RIDING THAT HORSE--- AND THAT'S REGGIE MANTLE WITH HER--THE STUFFED SHIRT!



DATE VERONICA WHEN MY BACK IS TURNED WILL HE! I'LL TELL THAT BIRD A THING OR TWO!



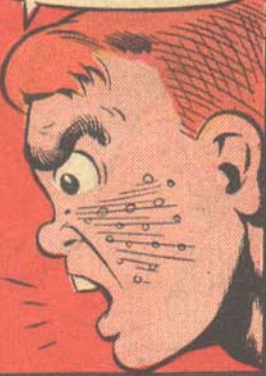
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU? GET THAT MECHANIZED ASHCAN OFF THE BRIDAL PATH WHOA BOY!



IF YOU HAD ANY BRAINS YOU'D KNOW BETTER THAN TO SURPRISE A HORSE LIKE THAT!



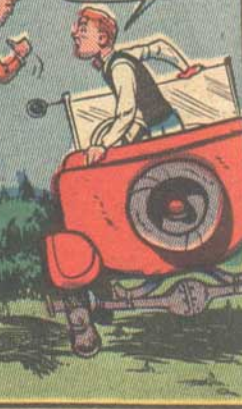
OH YEAH? LISTEN WISE GUY---I RODE REAL HORSES WHEN YOU WERE PLAYING WITH HOBBY HORSES!



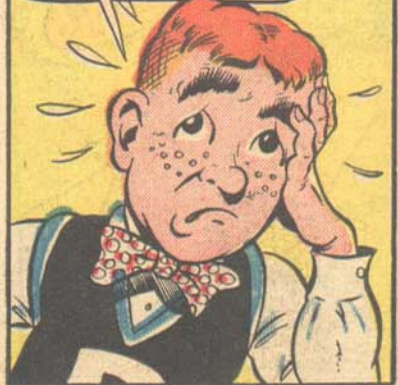
IZZAT SO!-- SUPPOSE YOU HOP ON THIS NAG AND SHOW US HOW GOOD YOU ARE!



HUH!-- Y-- YOU MEAN RIGHT N--NOW?



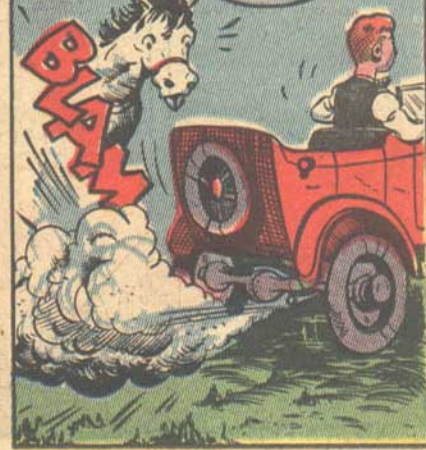
O-BOY! NOW I DID IT! I COULDN'T EVEN STAY ON A MERRY-GO-ROUND HORSE! BOY--WILL I MAKE A GAP OF MYSELF IN FRONT OF VERONICA!



I--A-- CAN'T NOW, REGGIE--GOT (GULP) AN ER-RAND TO DO, HEH, HEH! WELL, S'LONG FOLKS!



HEY!





WHOA BOY!
STEADY,
BOY!

NNNNY YAAAAY



YEEOWW--HE'S RUNNING
AWAY! I'LL HAVE TO
LET HIM HAVE
THE REINS!



ARCHIE, YOU SHOULD BE
ASHAMED OF YOURSELF
SCARING REGGIE'S HORSE
THAT WAY!

BUT GEE
WHIZ
VERONICA!



I DIDN'T DO
IT ON
PURPOSE!

AND BESIDES, A REAL
HORSEMAN KEEPS A
SPIRITED ANIMAL
UNDER CONTROL
AT ALL
TIMES,
I KNOW!



ARCHIE, DO YOU MEAN
TO SAY YOU REALLY
CAN RIDE?

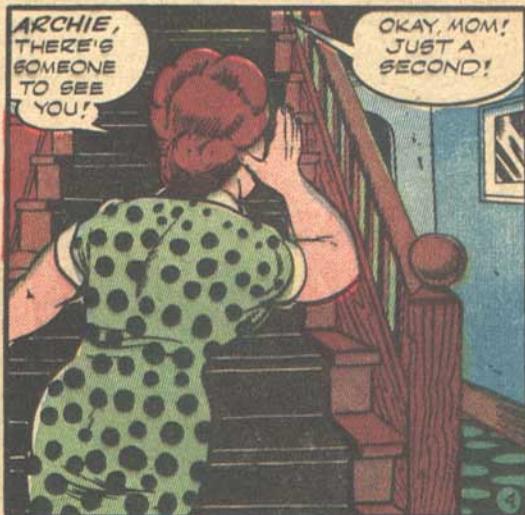
RIDE!--WHY--UH--
SURE VERONICA! YOU
SHOULD'VE SEEN ME
ON A HORSE WHEN
I WAS THIS HIGH!
HEH! HEH!



THE
NEXT
DAY

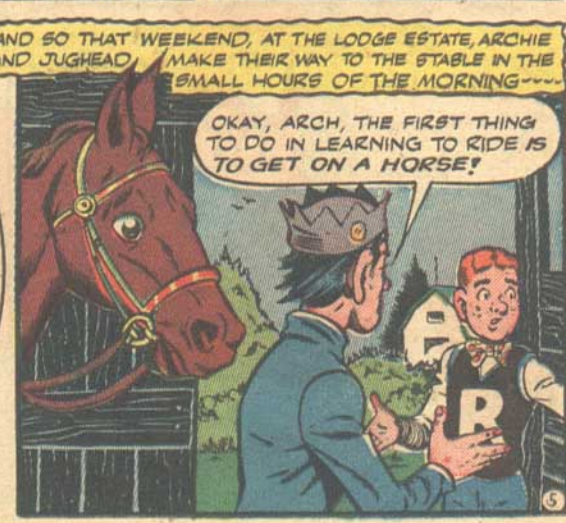
HELLO, MRS.
ANDREWS,
IS ARCHIE
HOME?

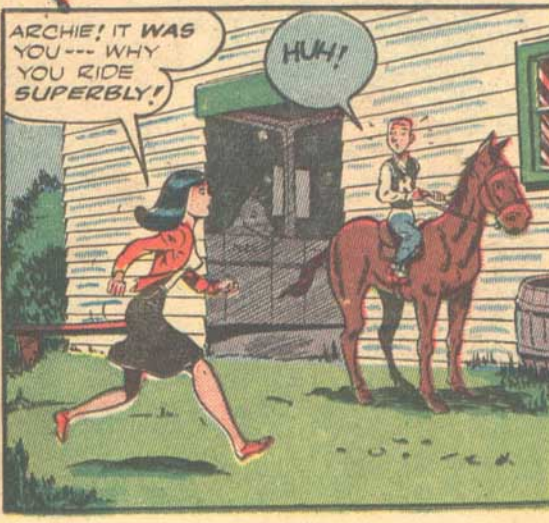
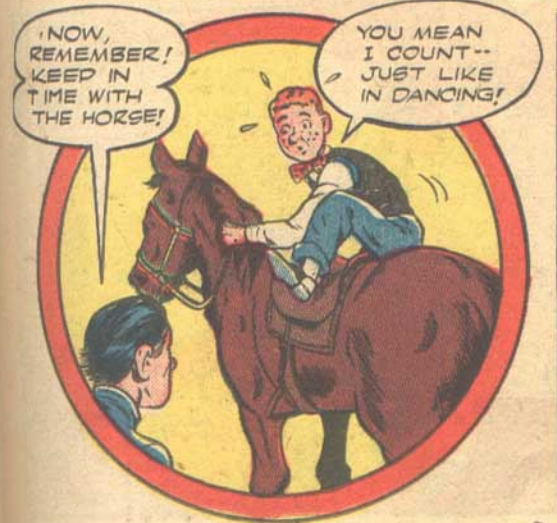
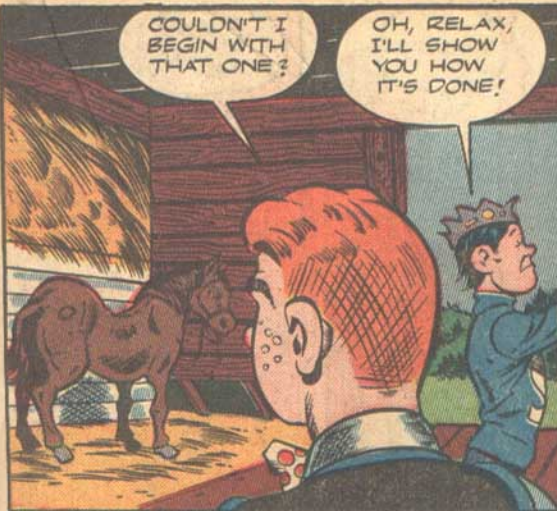
WHY, YES
VERONICA---
COME RIGHT
IN!



ARCHIE,
THERE'S
SOMEONE
TO SEE
YOU!

OKAY, MOM!
JUST A
SECOND!





THAT WAS WHIRLADAY YOU WERE RIDING! DAD'S BEST RACE HORSE. BUT YOU HANDLED HIM BETTER THAN THE JOCKEY!



YOU'LL HAVE TO EXCUSE DAD, ARCHIE, HE'S ALL EXCITED ABOUT THE BIG RACE!



HE WHAT?

OH MIGOSH! NO! NO! HE COULDN'T!



OHHHH! HE BROKE HIS LEG-- MY ONLY JOCKEY AND THE BIG RACE ONLY TWO DAYS AWAY!



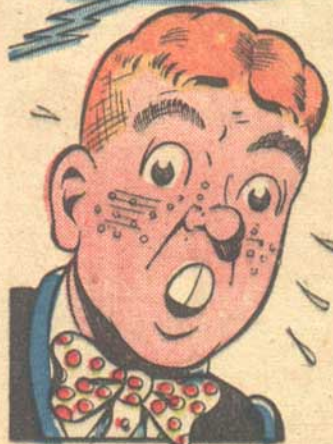
ALL THE GOOD JOCKEYS ARE IN THE ARMY! IF ONLY---



BY GEORGE I'VE GOT IT!



ARCHIE, YOU'LL RIDE WHIRLADAY!



JUGHEAD-- HOW COULD YOU DO SUCH A THING TO ME-- YOU AND YOUR FANCY RIDING!



WELL, YOU ASKED ME TO HELP YOU DIDN'T YOU!

HELP ME! GOOD GOSH! DON'T YOU REALIZE WHAT A JAM YOU'VE PUT ME IN? I'M A JOCKEY! JUGHEAD, A JOCKEY! WHY I'M LIABLE TO BE KILLED OR KILL THE HORSE! OR BE MURDERED BY MR. LODGE! OR WORST OF ALL VERONICA'LL NEVER TALK TO ME AGAIN! WHAT'LL I DO, JUGHEAD? YA GOTTA HELP ME!



WHAT HAPPENS IN THE NEXT PER...

CAPTAIN COMMANDO

and the
**BOY
SOLDIERS**



YOU ADOLF HITLER ARE ON TRIAL FOR YOUR LIFE! ON TRIAL BEFORE THE VERY PEOPLE WHO SUFFERED SO TERRIBLY AT YOUR HANDS! YOURS IS HUMANITY'S GREATEST CRIME! THE CRIME OF ATTEMPTING TO ROB THE FREE PEOPLES OF THIS EARTH OF THOSE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF FREE GOVERNMENT! GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE! BY THE PEOPLE! AND FOR THE PEOPLE!



YOUR DAY OF RECKONING HAS COME, ADOLF HITLER! THE LIBERATED PEOPLES OF THIS EARTH ARE NOW YOUR JUDGE AND JURY!



I PROSECUTED AGAINST SLAVERY DURING MY LIFE TIME ON THIS EARTH! SO IT IS ONLY FITTING AND RIGHT THAT I PROSECUTE THE MOST MONSTROUS SLAVE MASTER OF THEM ALL -- NOT EVEN THE GRAVE COULD KEEP THAT FROM ME!



BAILIFF, PLEASE BRING IN THE WITNESS!

YES, SIR, MR. LINCOLN!



NEIN! NEIN! IT COULDN'T BE POSSIBLE! CAPTAIN COMMANDO!



YOU BET! WE'VE MET A FEW TIMES, IN THE PAST, HAVEN'T WE, ADOLF... INDIRECTLY OF COURSE!



WE'VE GIVEN YOU PLENTY OF TROUBLE IN THE PAST, ADOLF! BUT NOTHING LIKE THE TROUBLE WE'RE GOING TO HAND YOU NOW! WE'VE WON THE FINAL BATTLE AT LAST!



WE'VE WON FINAL BATTLE TROUBLE WON WON WON



NO!
NO!

WASS IST?
MEIN
FEUHRER!

WHERE ARE
DEY, HERMAN?
DER COMMANDOS
DEY WANT TO
KILL ME!

BUT, MEIN FEUHRER,
DERE IS NO VUN HERE!
YOU MUST HAFF BEEN
DREAMING!

HMM-- JA NIGHT-
MARES-- DOSE VER-
DAMMTE--COMMANDOS
HAFF BEEN NIGHT-
MARES TO ME SINCE
DEY VERE ORGAN-
IZED!-- HERMAN,
SUMMON MY CHEN-
ERAL STAFF AT
VUNCE!



CHENTLEMEN, DERE
IS ONLY VUN SOLU-
TION--VE MUST
CAPTURE KAPITAN
COMMANDO AT
ANY COST!

BUT HOW, MEIN FUEHRER?
HE IS AS HARD TO GET AT
AS DER DEVIL HIMSELF!



BUT HE NEF-
FER SEEMS TO
HAFF MUCH TROUBLE
GETTING AT US!
DER SUPER-
RACE! DUMKOPFS!
I TELL YOU HE
MUST BE CAPTURED!
I DON'T CARE
HOW!

IF NECESSARY
WE WILL STAGE
A COMMANDO
RAID OF OUR
OWN, UND---

MEIN FUEHRER! DOT ISS
A BRILLIANT IDEA! VY
SHOULDN'T VE CHERMANS
STAGE A COMMANDO RAID
OF OUR OWN?

SHORT WHILE LATER ---

DIS IS DER COMMANDO PRISONER
WE TOOK IN DER LAST RAID,
HERR KAPITAN!



YOU VERE VUN
OFF CAPTAIN
COMMANDO'S
MEN! YOU VILL TELL
ME DER LOCATION
OF HIS PRESENT
BASE!

SURE, YOU
GO STRAIGHT
UP, UNTIL
YOU HIT
THE VALLEY
OF THE
MOON! THEN--



HA-- YOU
HAFF A
SENSE OF
HUMOR, I
SEE! GOOT
YOU VILL
NEED IT!

TALK! VER-
DAMMTE
SCHWEIN,
TALK!



AFTER HOURS OF HORRIBLE LASHING
AND AGONIZING TORTURES ----



BAH-- HE HAS TAKEN
THE PUNISHMENT
OF TEN MEN
AND HE
WON'T
TALK!

UND SO, MEIN
FUEHRER, OUR PLAN
WOULD BE ASSURED OF
SUCCESS IF ONLY DOT
PRISONER WOULD GIFF
US DER IN-
FORMATION!

HMM-- QUIET,
HERMAN, MY
INTUITION ISS
AT VORK!



I HAF A PLAN MEIN FUEHRER!
LET DER PRISONER ESCAPE
DEN OUR MEN VILL
FOLLOW HIM TO DER
COMMANDO HIDE-
OUT!

DUMKOPF!
YOU STOLE
DER VORDS
RIGHT FROM
MY MOUTH!

SEE DOT MINE
PLANS ARE CARRIED
OUT IM-
MEDIATELY! JA MEIN
FUEHRER!

THAT NIGHT, THE PRISONER
FINDS HIS DOOR UNGUARDED
AND UNLOCKED----



THE ESCAPED COMMANDO IS PROVIDED
WITH A BOAT BY A GERMAN SPY
POSING AS A FRENCH FISHERMAN----



THERE EES THE BOAT
ZAT WEEL TAKE YOU
SAFELY BACK TO
ENGLAND!

THANKS,
OLD BOY!



HUGE NAZI IN-
VASION BARGES
SLIP OUT INTO THE
MOONLIT SEA IN
PURSUIT OF THE
SMALL CRAFT---

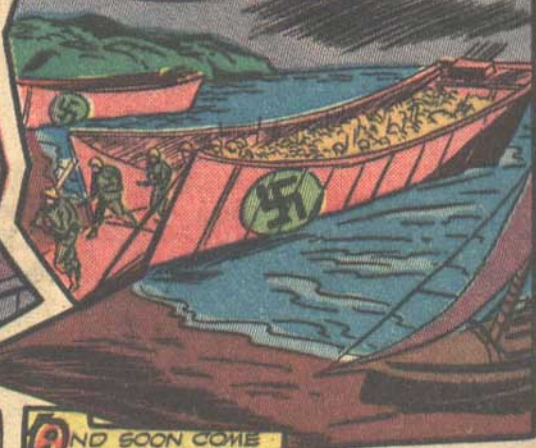


EFFERYTING IS VORKING ACCORDING TO PLAN--MY PLAN--DER FOOL IS LEADING US STRAIGHT TO OUR QUARRY!



ENGLAND! I NEVER THOUGHT I'D SEE IT AGAIN!

VE HAFF ARRIVED! PREPARE FOR DIS-EMBARCKING--QUIETLY! VE VILL OUT COMMANDO DER COMMANDOS, JA!



BAYONETS AND HELMETS GLEAMING IN THE MOONLIGHT, THE GERMANS FOLLOW THE TRAIL OF THE COMMANDO--



AND SOON COME UPON THE COMMANDO BARRACKS!

BEFORE VE START DER ATTACK, I VILL DRINK TO OUR SUCCESS--HANS, PASS DER CONTAINER OF BEER!



JA, HERR KAPITAN!

GLUG-GLUG---
SPLAT--SPLAT!



BURP



SH-SH-SH--
VE VILL BE
OVERHEARD,
MEIN KAPITAN!

NEIN! I
DON'T TINK
DER SCHWEIN
HEARD!



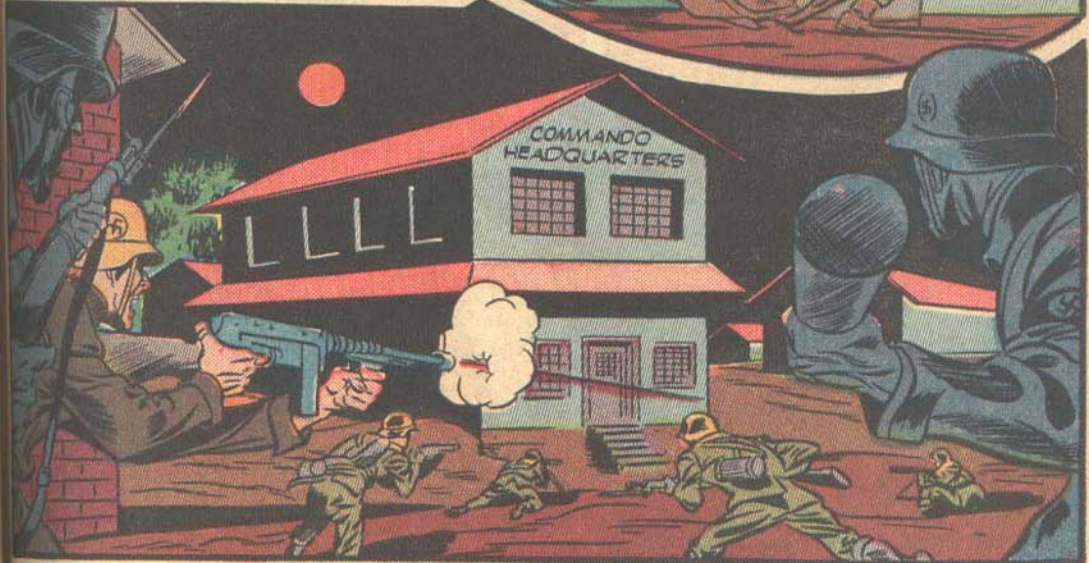
ATTACK!



CRACK



COMMANDO
HEADQUARTERS





SHTOP!
WHAT ARE WE
FIRING FOR?
DERE'S NO-
BODY HERE!



I'M NOT SURE! BUT I
TINK SOMETHING IS
WRONG! VENNEFFER
DER COMMANDOS
VISIT US -- VE
ARE ALWAYS
DERE!



HERR KAPITAN, OUR
ATTACK MUST HAVE
COME AS A COMPLETE
SURPRISE, DEY WERE
SCHLAZED AWAY FROM
DEIR SUPPERS!

HMM-- IS
DOT SO!



JA-- DEY MUST HAFF
BEEN TAKEN BY SUR-
PRISE TO HAFF LEFT
SUCH A MEAL! ACH I
DIDN'T REALIZE I
VAS SO HUNGRY!

THEIR EQUIPMENT AND GUNS
PILED HELTER-SKELTER ON THE
FLOOR, THE NAZIS GET TO WORK
GORGING THEMSELVES WITH FOOD
AND WINE---



THEY FELL FOR IT
HOOK LINE AND
SINKER! GET READY
MEN!



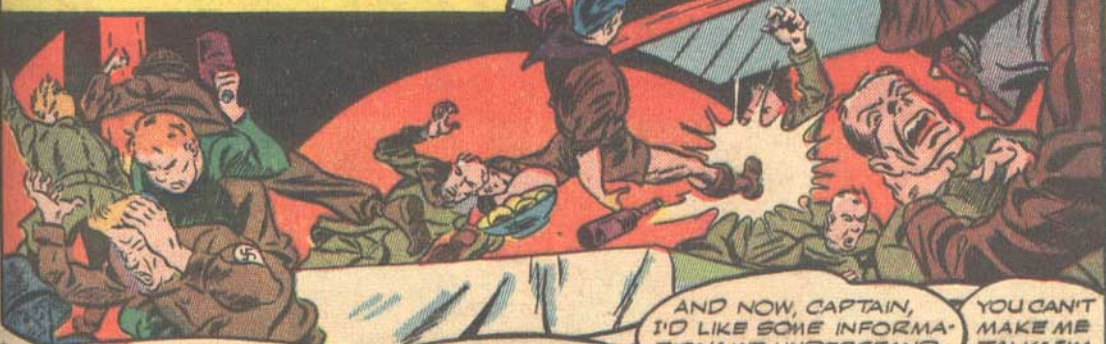
GO!

VOSS
ISS?



WHAM!

STUPIFIED BY THE SUDDEN ONSLAUGHT AND LOLLED INTO A STATE OF COMPLACENCY BY THE EXCELLENT FOOD AND WINE, THE NAZIS FALL EASY PREY TO THE COMMANDOS--AND ARE QUICKLY SUBDUED!



AS LONG AS YOU'RE THINKING OF GOING INTO THE BUSINESS, CAPTAIN, LET ME GIVE YOU A FEW POINTERS ON COMMANDO TACTICS! ALWAYS BLACKEN YOUR FACE AND HANDS AND NEVER DRINK BEER!--TOO MANY SOUND EFFECTS!

FUTHERMORE, BE CAREFUL OF CRACKING TWIGS! NEVER ALLOW THE MOONLIGHT TO GLINT OFF YOUR STEEL HELMET-- AND ABOVE ALL NEVER BE SIDE-TRACKED FROM YOUR OBJECTIVE!

AND NOW, CAPTAIN, I'D LIKE SOME INFORMATION! WE UNDERSTAND THAT HITLER IS SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE! TELL US WHERE HE IS!!

YOU CAN'T MAKE ME TALK! I'M A PURE ARYAN!



SUIT YOURSELF! REMEMBER THIS COMMANDO? HE'S THE SAME ONE YOU TORTURED--AND THEN GET FREE IN ORDER TO FOLLOW HIM TO OUR BASE! NOW HE'S GOING TO TRY TO PERSUADE YOU TO TALK!

NO, NO! DON'T! SHTOP HIM-- I'LL TALK. I'LL TALK!

DE PURER DE ARYAN, DE FASTER DEY TALK!



NEXT NIGHT-- SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE--



ACH, MEIN HEAD! I CAN'T SHLEEP! I THINK I GO TAKE A SHLEEPING PILL!



NOW I CAN GO TO SLEEP! MAYBE -- AND NO MORE DREAMS ABOUT COM-MANDO SCHVINE!

GULP! YOU AGAIN! HOW DID YOU GET INTO MINE BEDROOM?

YOUR COMMANDOS OBLIGINGLY TOLD US ABOUT THE SECRET ENTRANCE, ADOLF, AND WE DECIDED TO REPAY YOUR POLITE SOCIAL VISIT!

NEIN!-- DIS CAN'T BE! MY MEN WERE SUP-POSED TO CAPTURE YOU! DIS IS ANOD-DER HORRIBLE NIGHTMARE!

I'LL PUT YOU OUT OF YOUR MISERY SWEET DREAMS, SCHICKLEGRUBER!

AW WHY DON'T WE JUST KNOCK HIM OFF NOW WHILE WE GOT THE CHANCE!

NO! THERE ARE OTHERS WHO DESERVE FIRST CRACK AT HIM, I WOULDN'T WANT TO CHEAT THEM OF THEIR REVENGE! WE'VE ACCOMPLISHED OUR OBJECTIVE! NOW LET'S BREEZE!

IT VUZ ALL ANODDER HORRIBLE NIGHTMARE! BUT IT ALL SEEMED SO REAL! EVEN MY EYE SEEMS TO HURT VERE CAPTAIN COMMANDO STRUCK ME!

DON'T HIT ME AGAIN, PLEASE, CAPTAIN COMMANDO! V-VOT DEY'RE GONE!

THE END