

SHELTER DOG!

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In memory of Larned Justin, a champion of small press and a great guy. Shelter Dog wouldn't have flown without his help. He is greatly missed by all who had the good fortune to know him.

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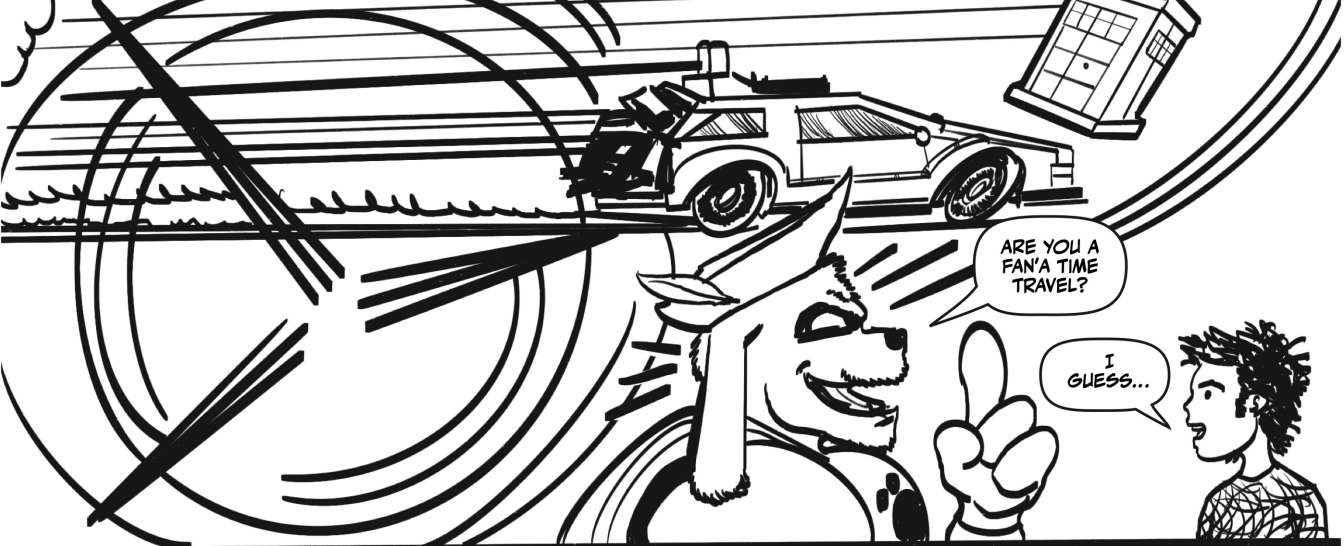
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SHELTER
DOG!**

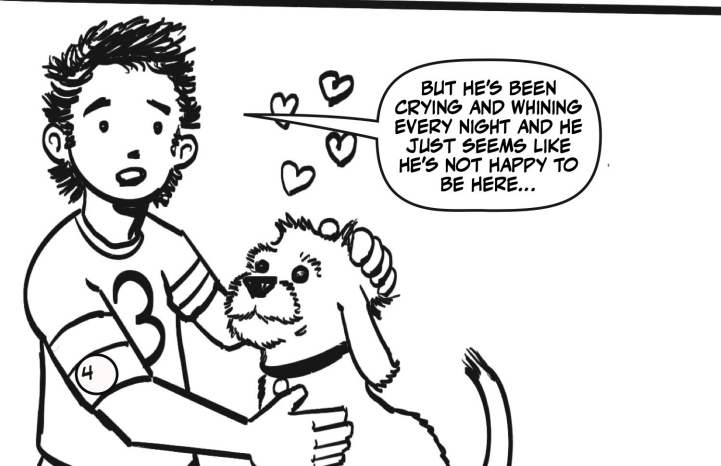
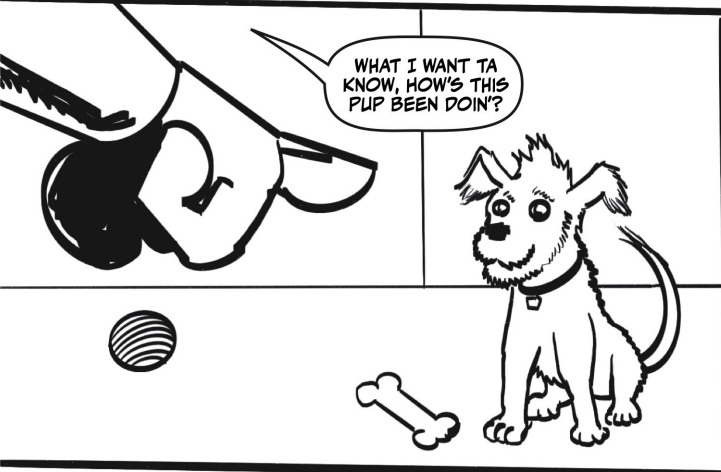
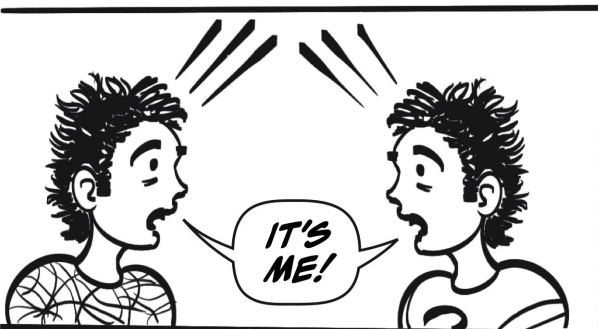
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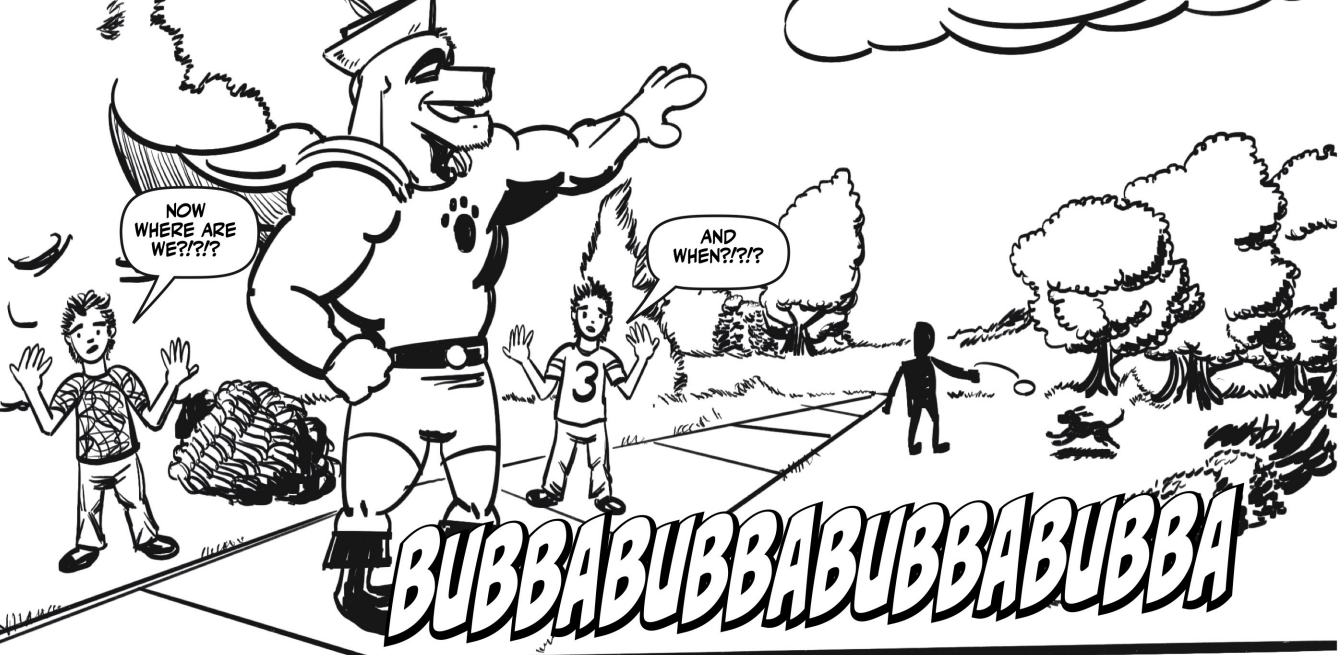
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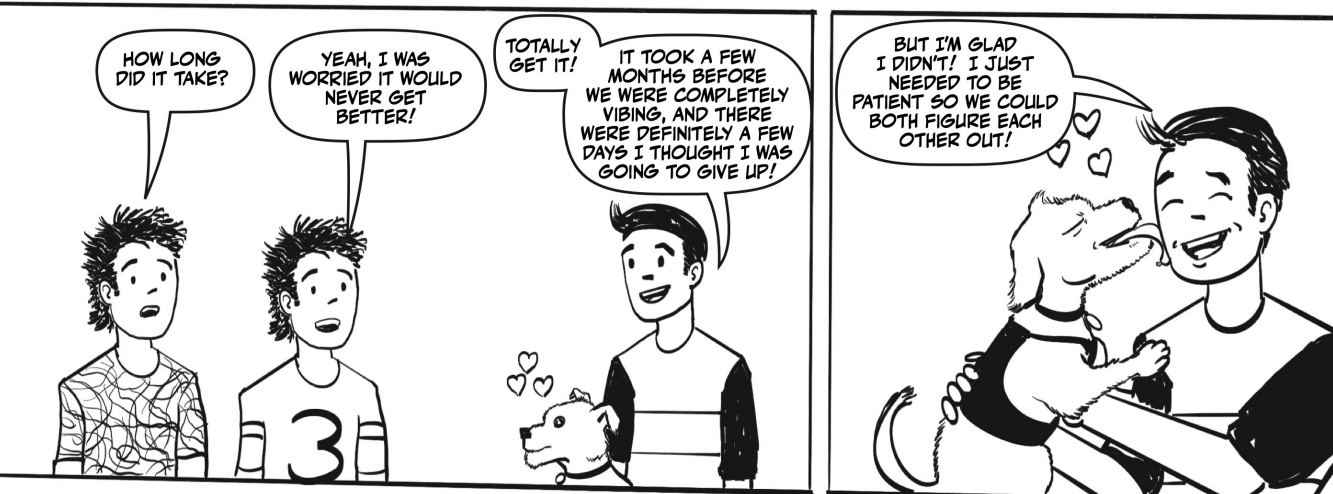
LETTERS BY
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**WE
DO!**

≡WUFF RUFF WUFF!!!≡



HOPE Y'ALL LIKE
PINEAPPLE AND
KIBBLE ON YOUR
PIZZA!

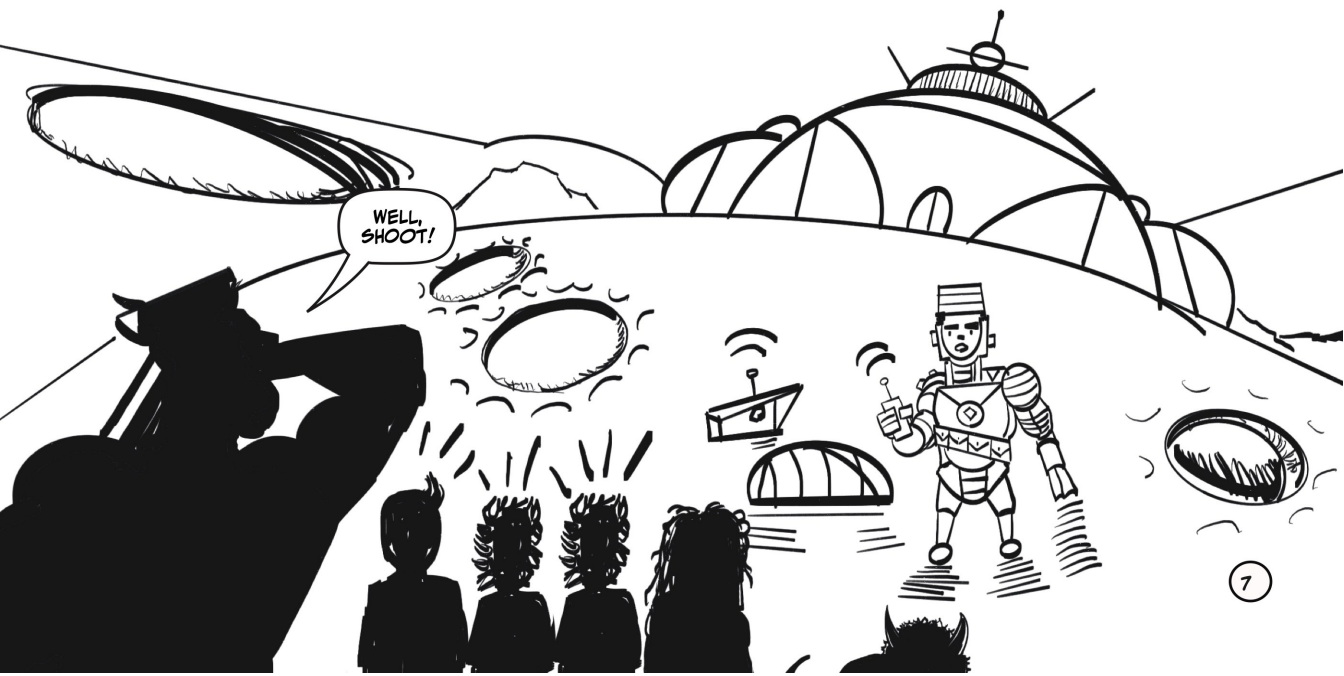
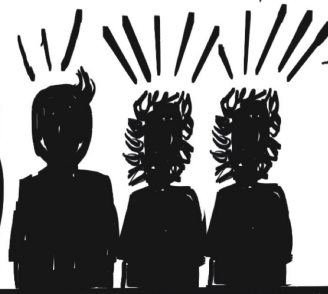
EWWWW!



BUBBABUBBABUBBABUBBA



THIS DON'T
LOOK
RIGHT...



WELL,
SHOOT!



MUCH LATER...

AND HOW
MANY IN YOUR
PARTY?



PIZZA TIME



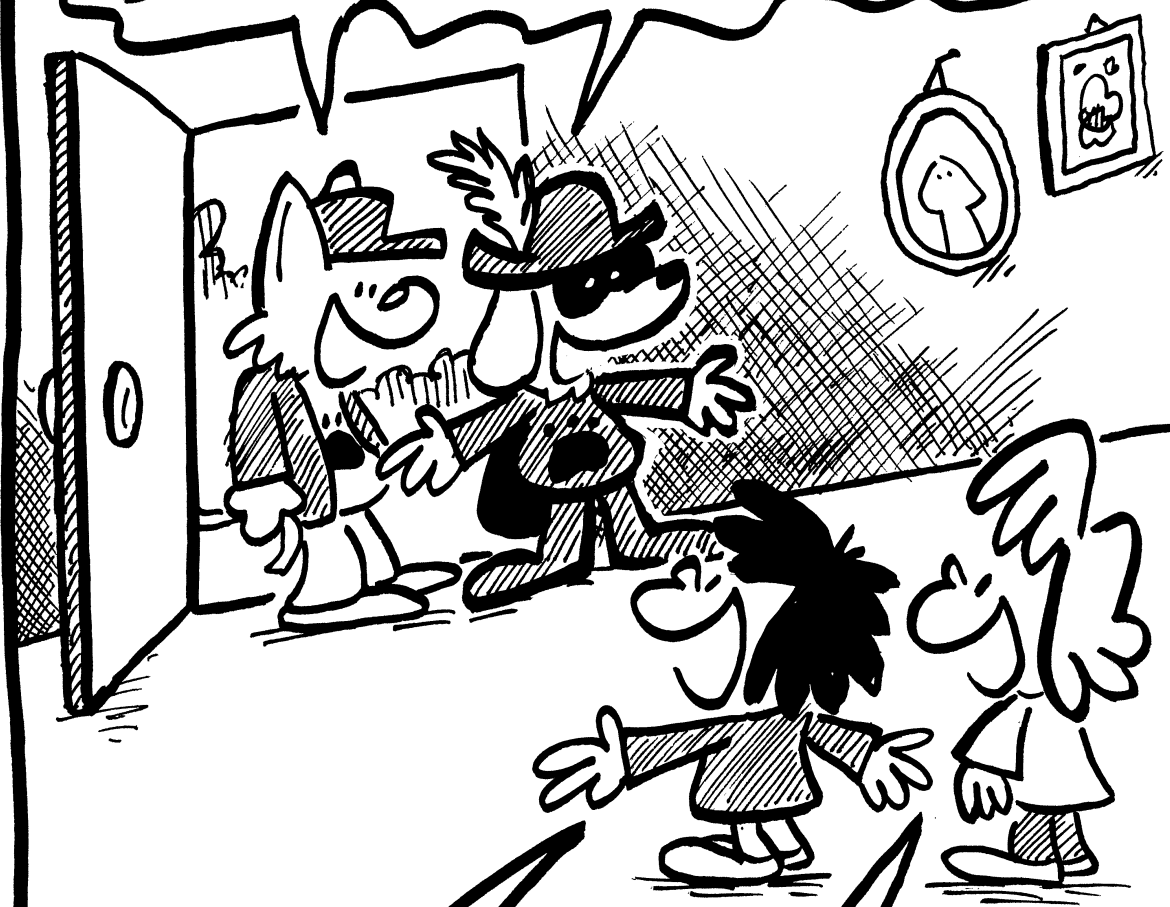
THE END!

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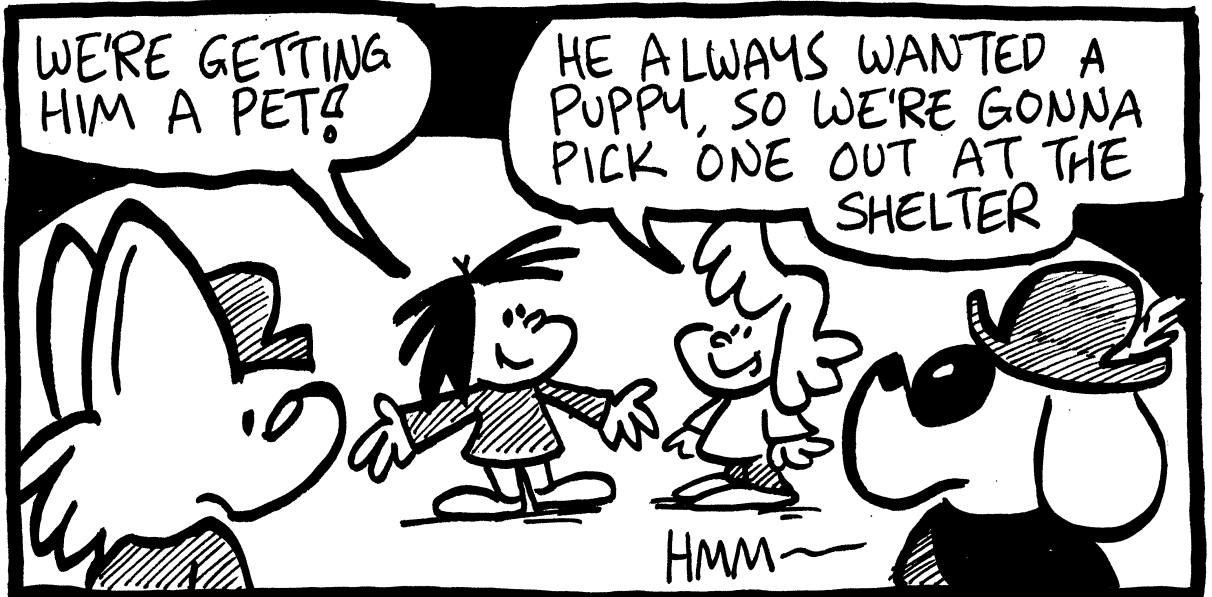
IT'S A

SURPRISE!



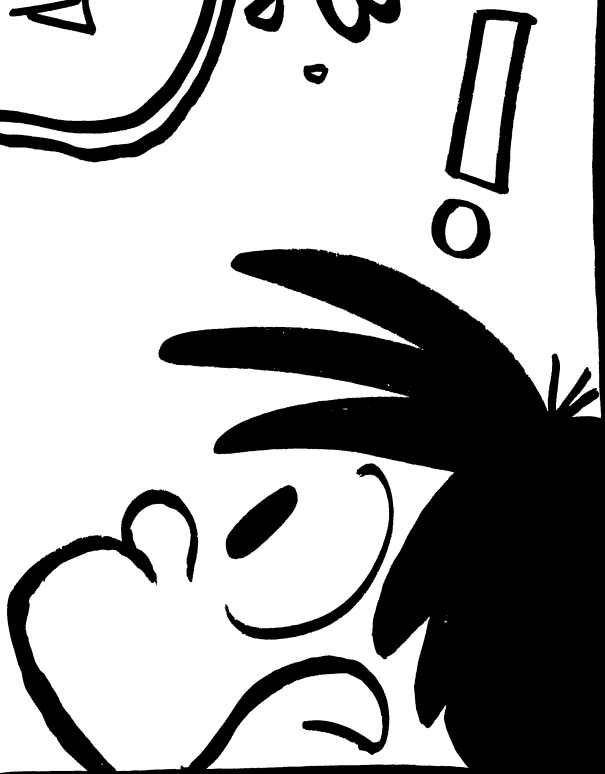
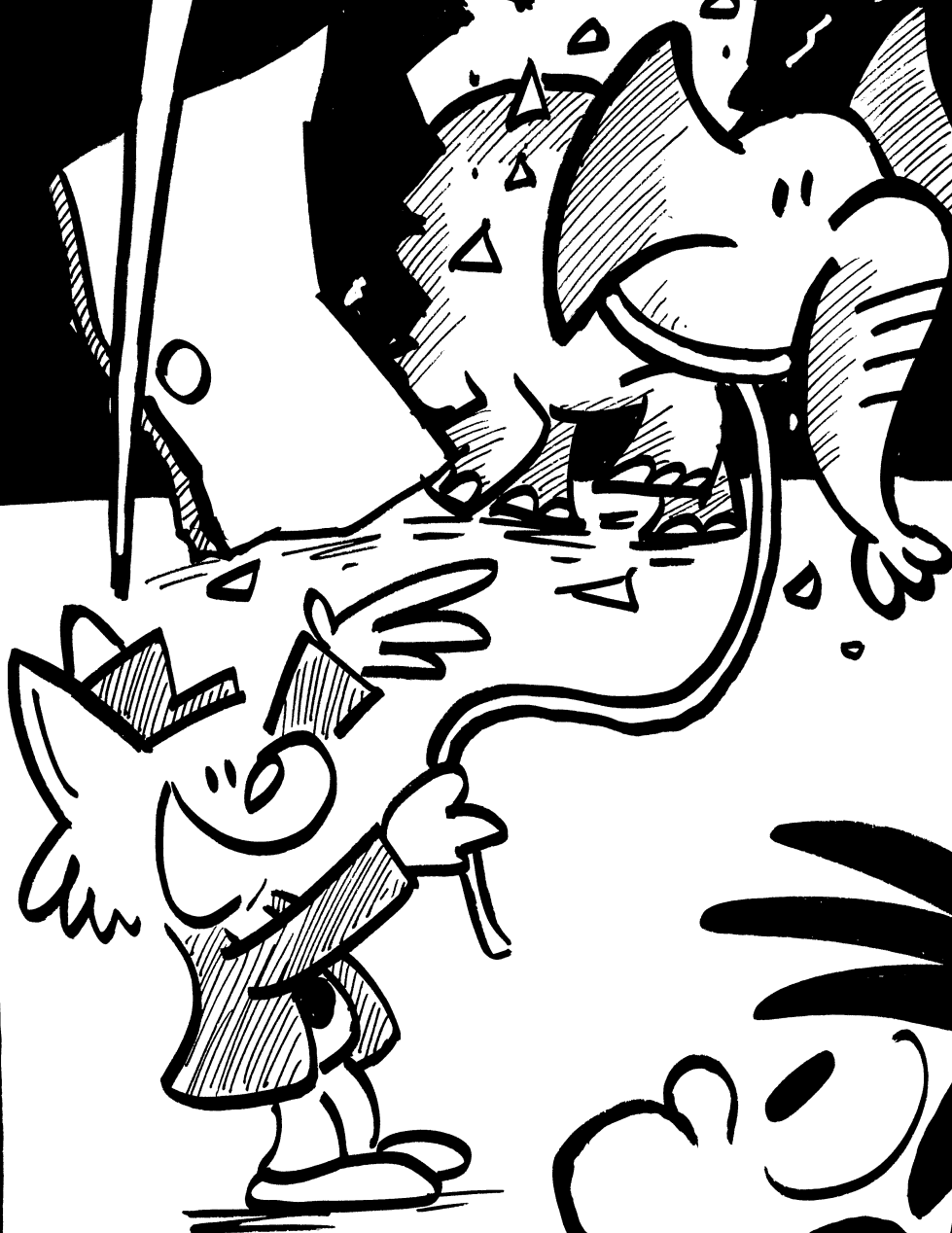
SHELTER CAT?
SHELTER DOG?

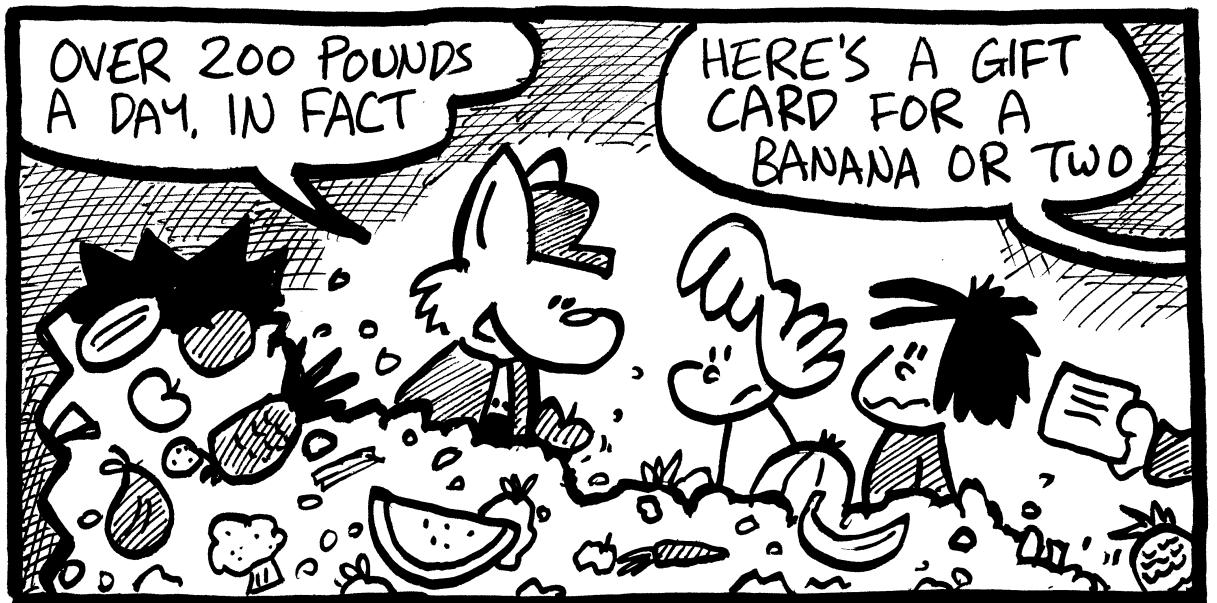
WHAT'RE YOU
DOING HERE??

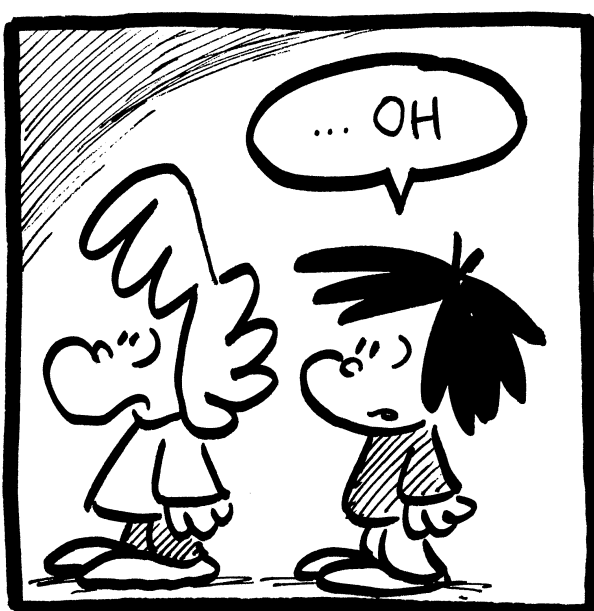
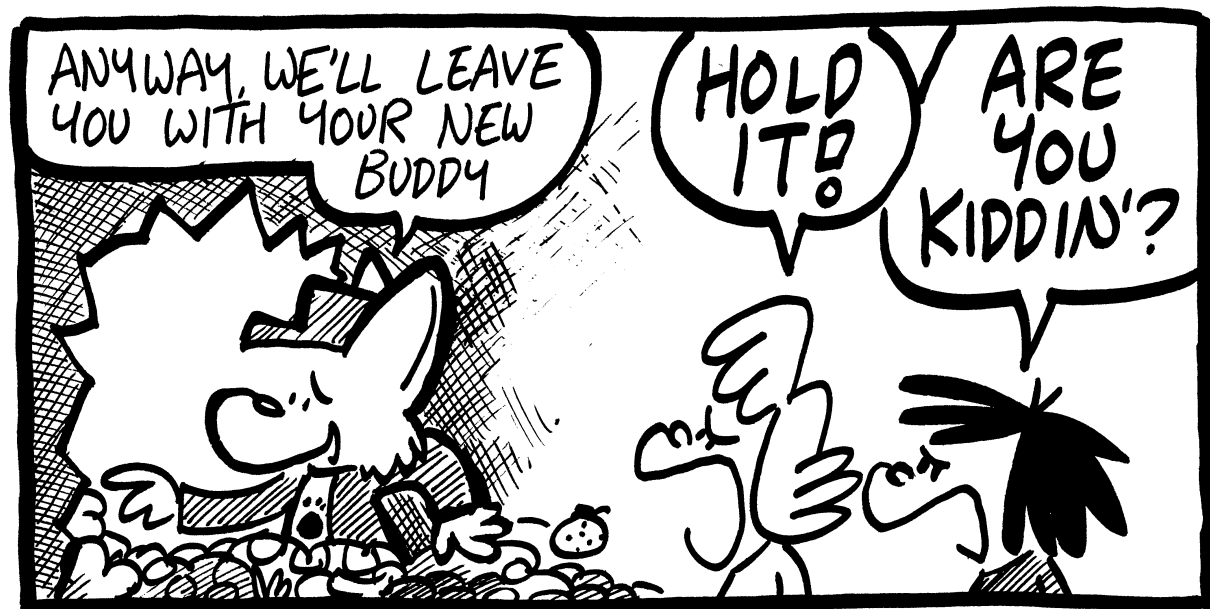
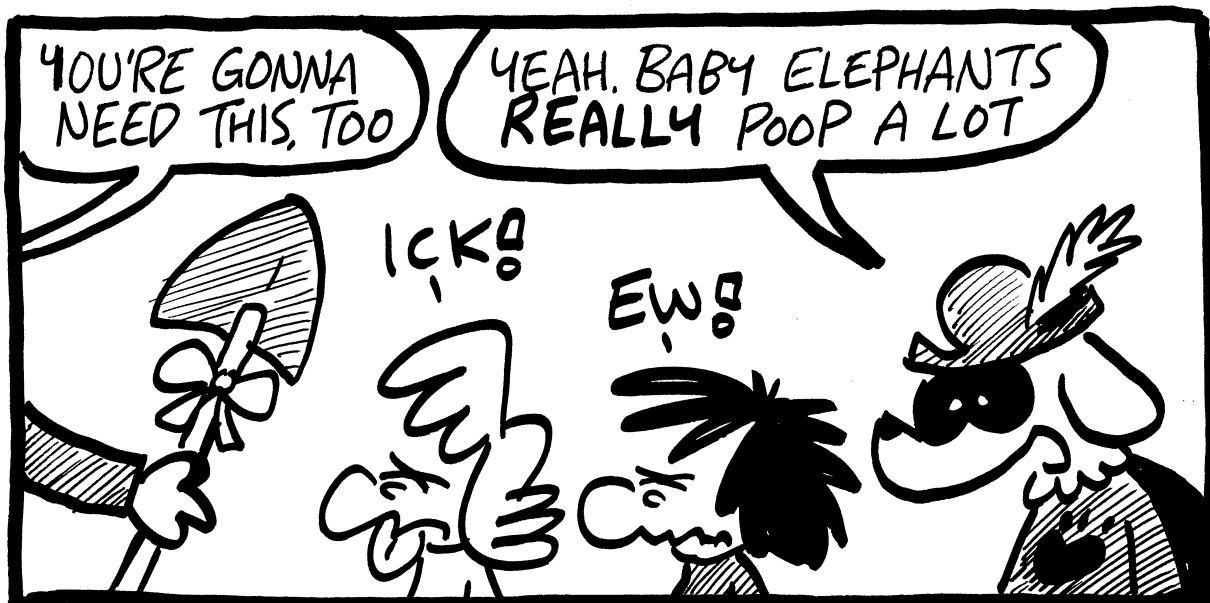


TADA!

SMASH







I'M STARTING TO SEE
WHAT YOU'RE GOING FOR

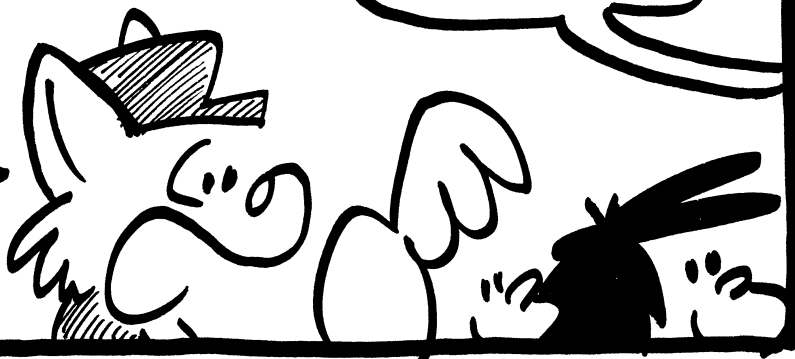
YOU GOT IT?

HUH?

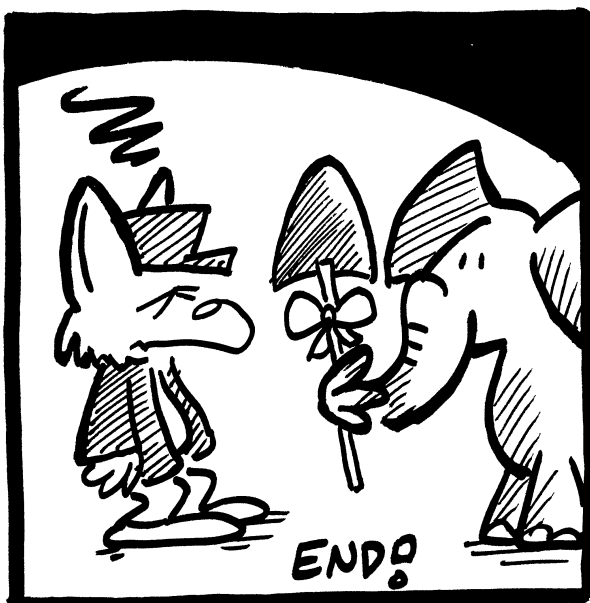


YOU SHOULDN'T SURPRISE ANYONE WITH A
NEW PET BECAUSE IT'S A LOT OF RESPONSIBI-
LITY AND THEY MIGHT NOT BE UP FOR
THE TASK

IT WASN'T
SUPPOSED
TO BE
A GIFT??



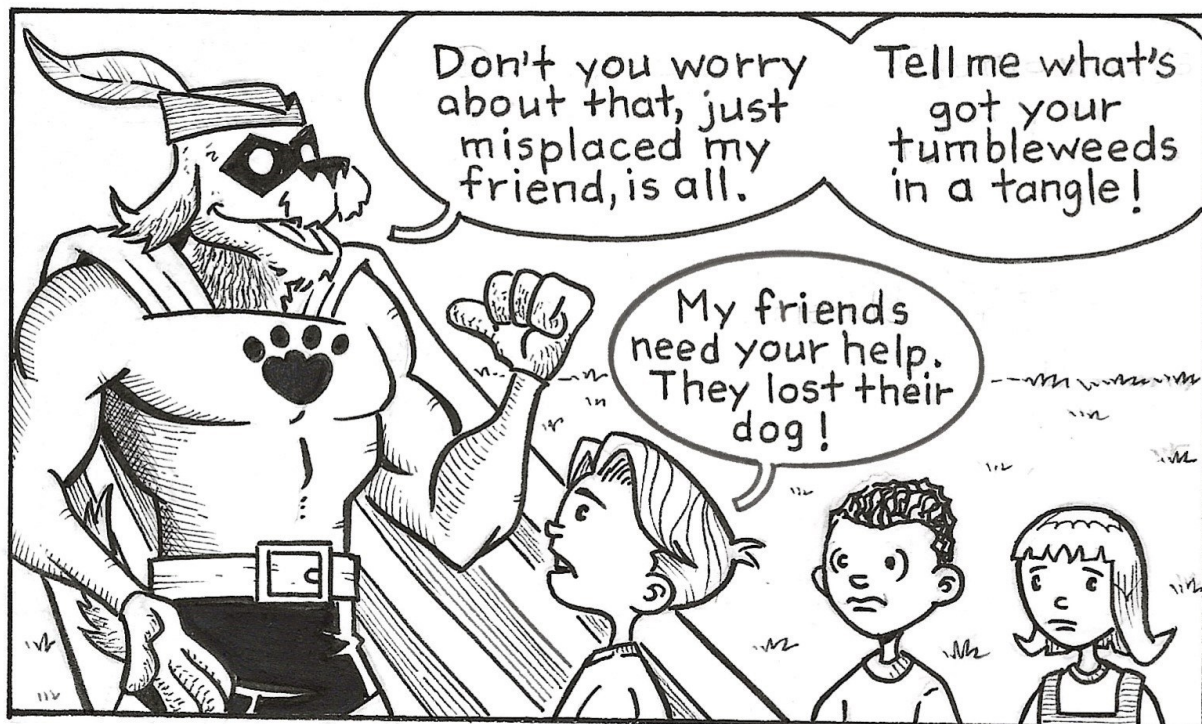
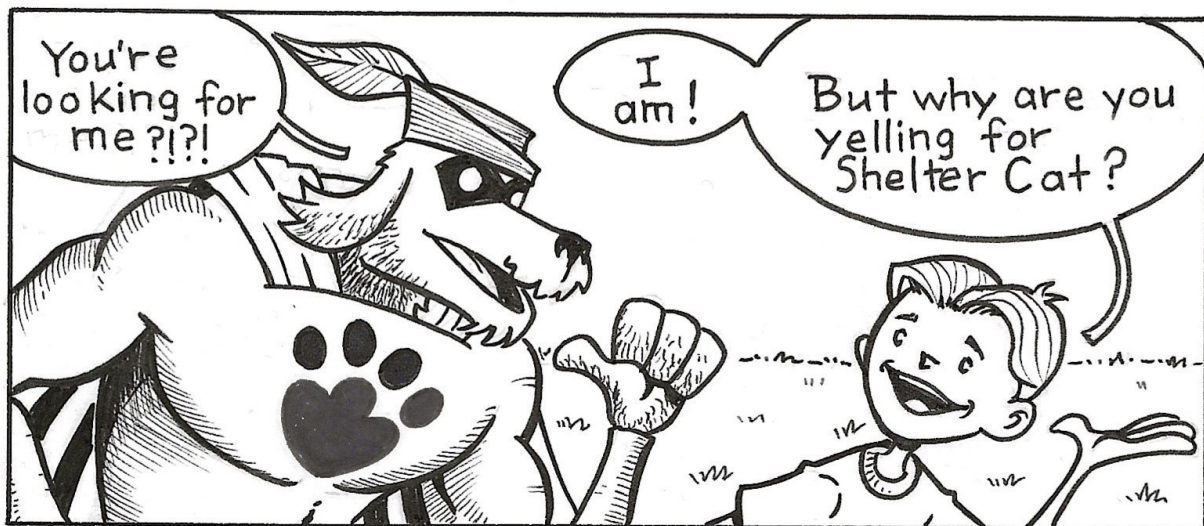
WELL, NOW WHAT DO
WE DO WITH THE
ELEPHANT??

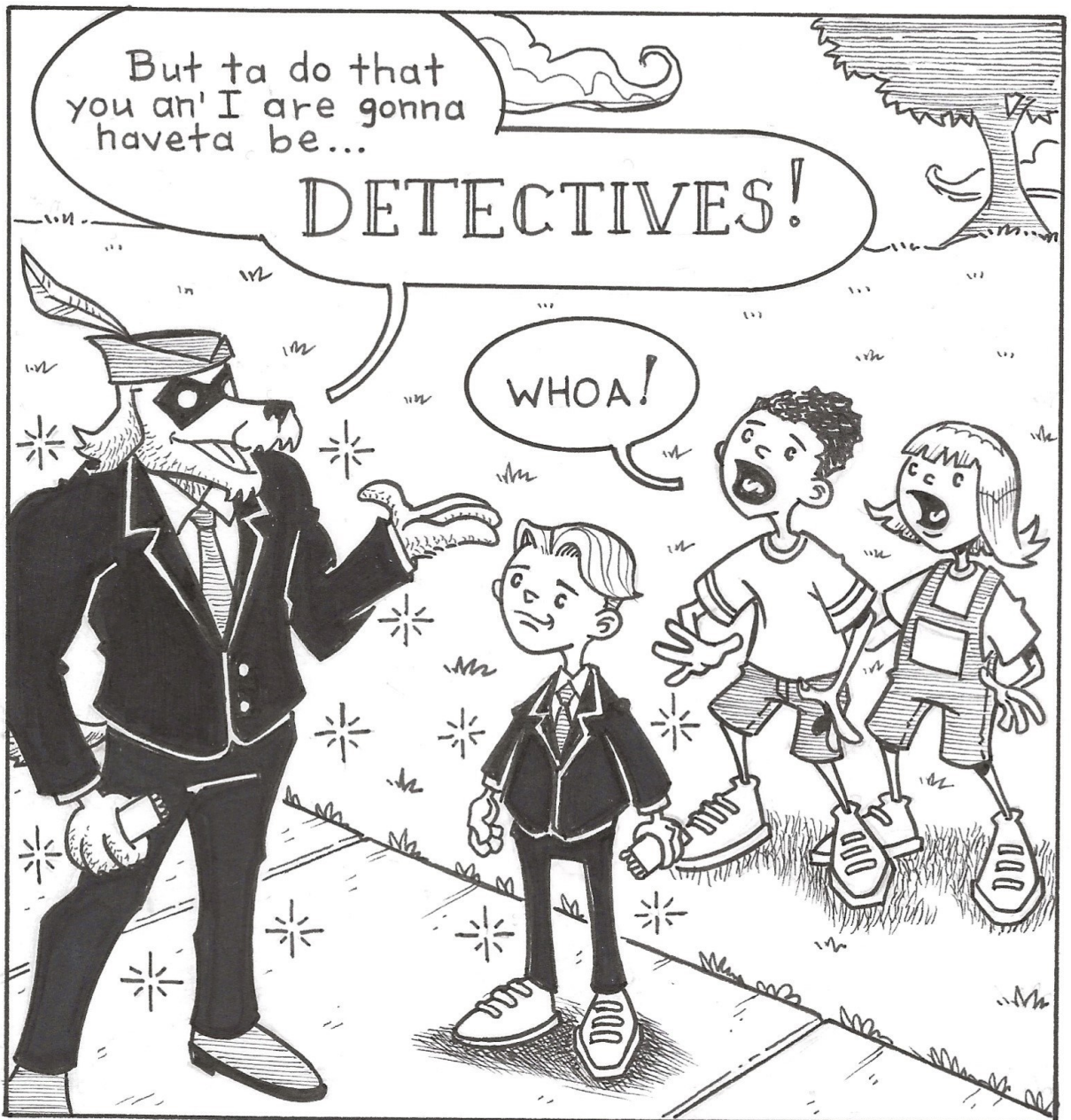


SHELTER DOG and (maybe) SHELTER CAT
in

The Case of THE NAKED DOG!







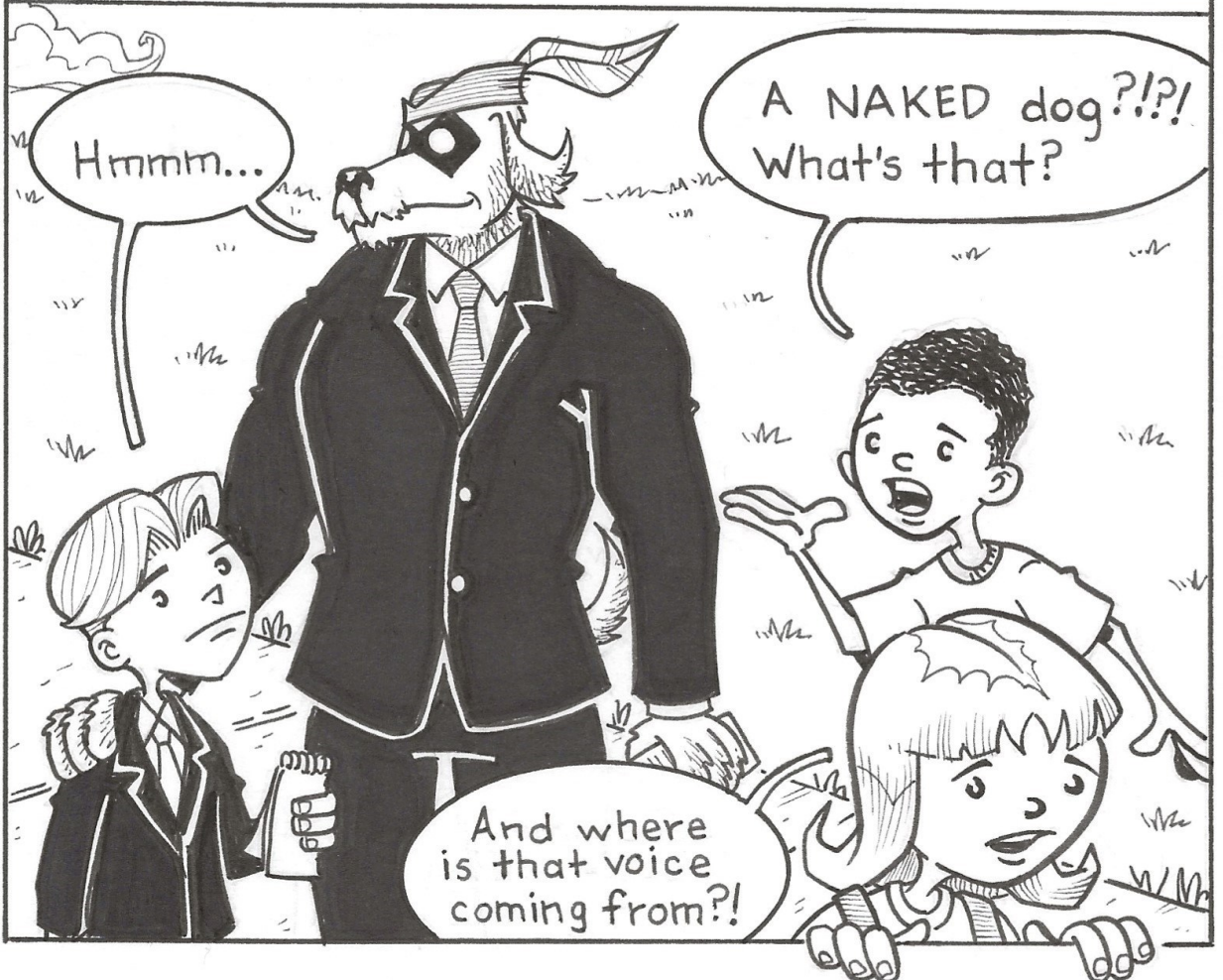
There are a million tails in the city, and when one of those tails goes missing, it's up to my partner and I to bring 'em home safe....

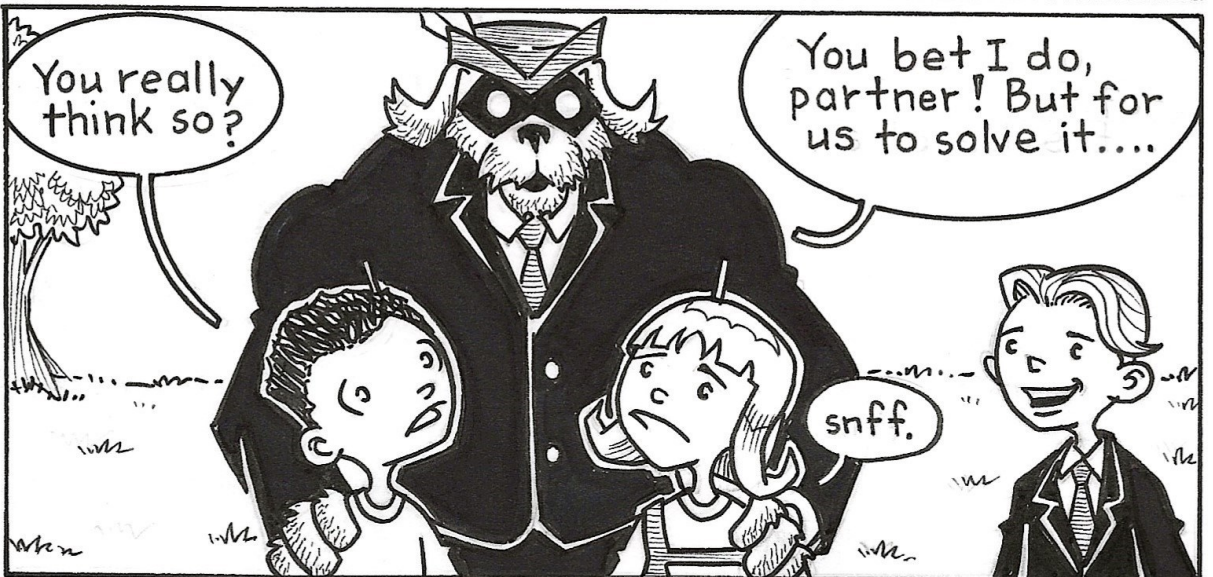
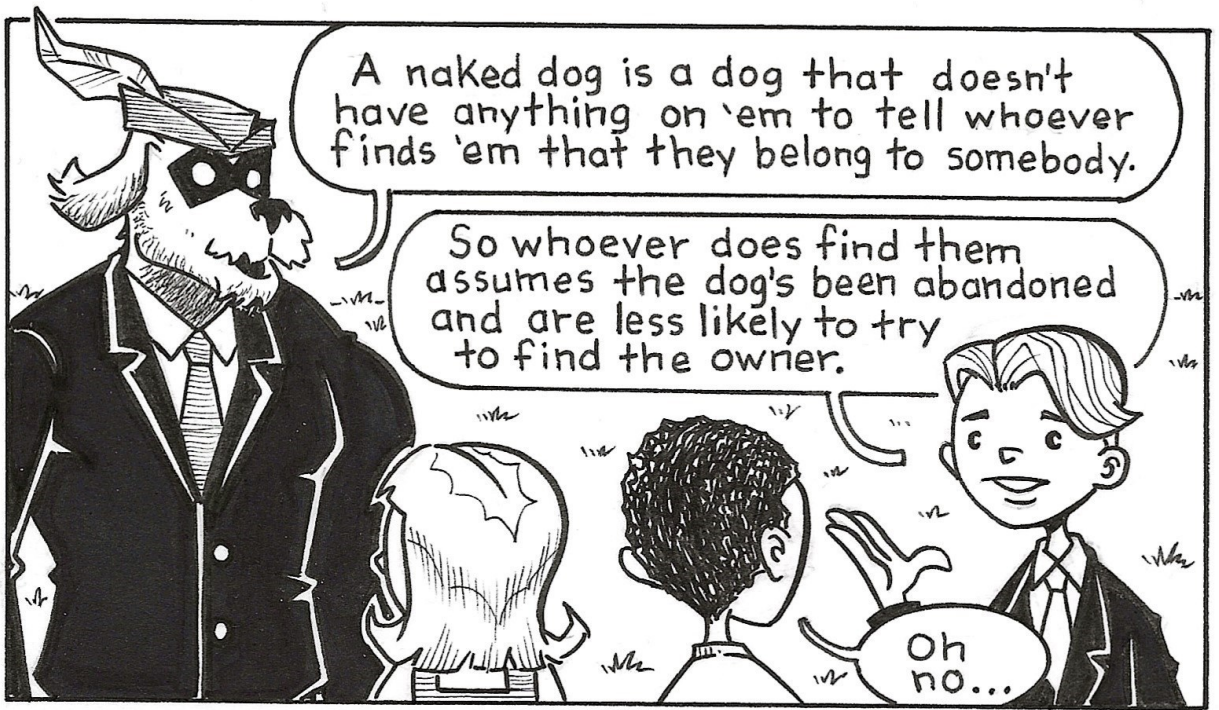


"...and to do that we had to ask the hard questions."



"No collar. No microchip. And no surgery. It looked like we were dealing with a NAKED DOG."







"We're ALL gonna havèta be
DETECTIVES!!"

"Finding a naked dog ain't no day at the park, but me and my fellow detectives were up to the challenge."

We put flyers up.

MISSING
DOG

MISSING
DOG

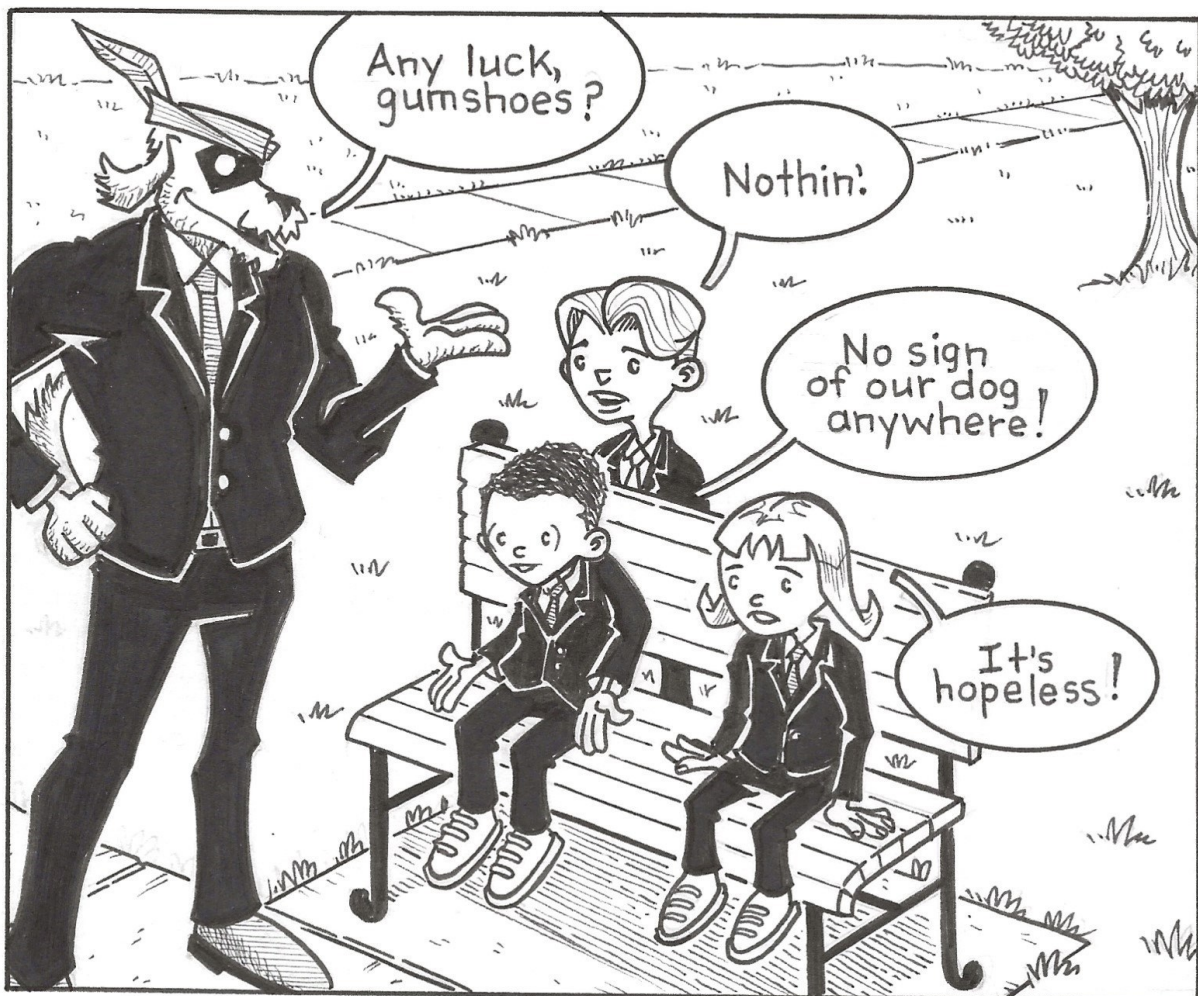
We posted all over
the internet.

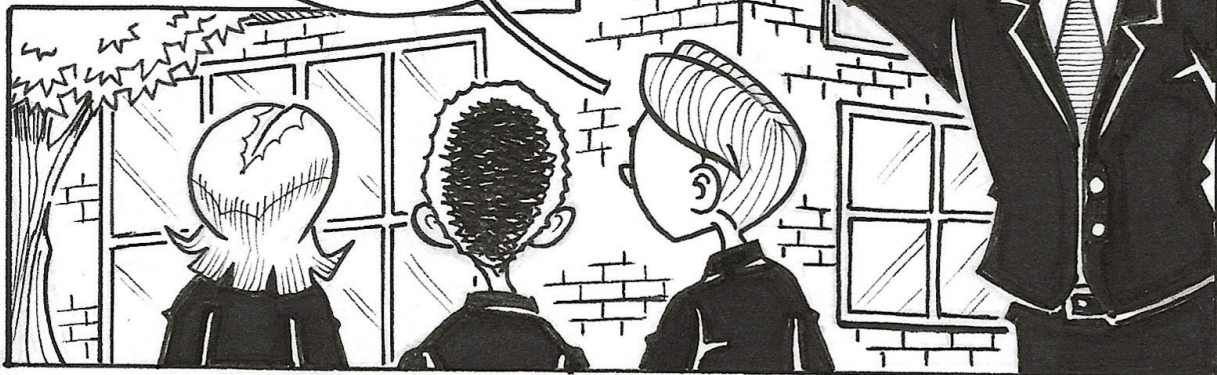
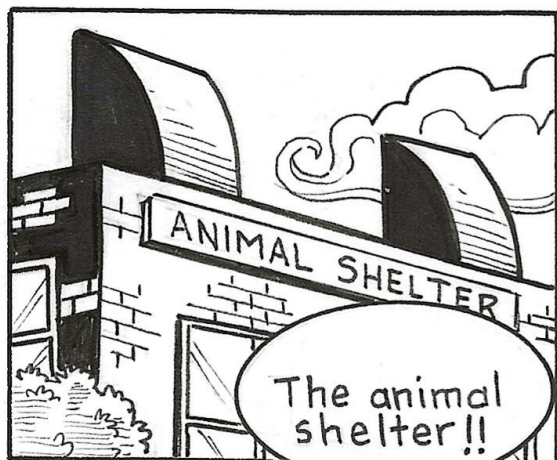


We knocked on every
door in the neighborhood
asking if anyone had seen
the misplaced pooch.

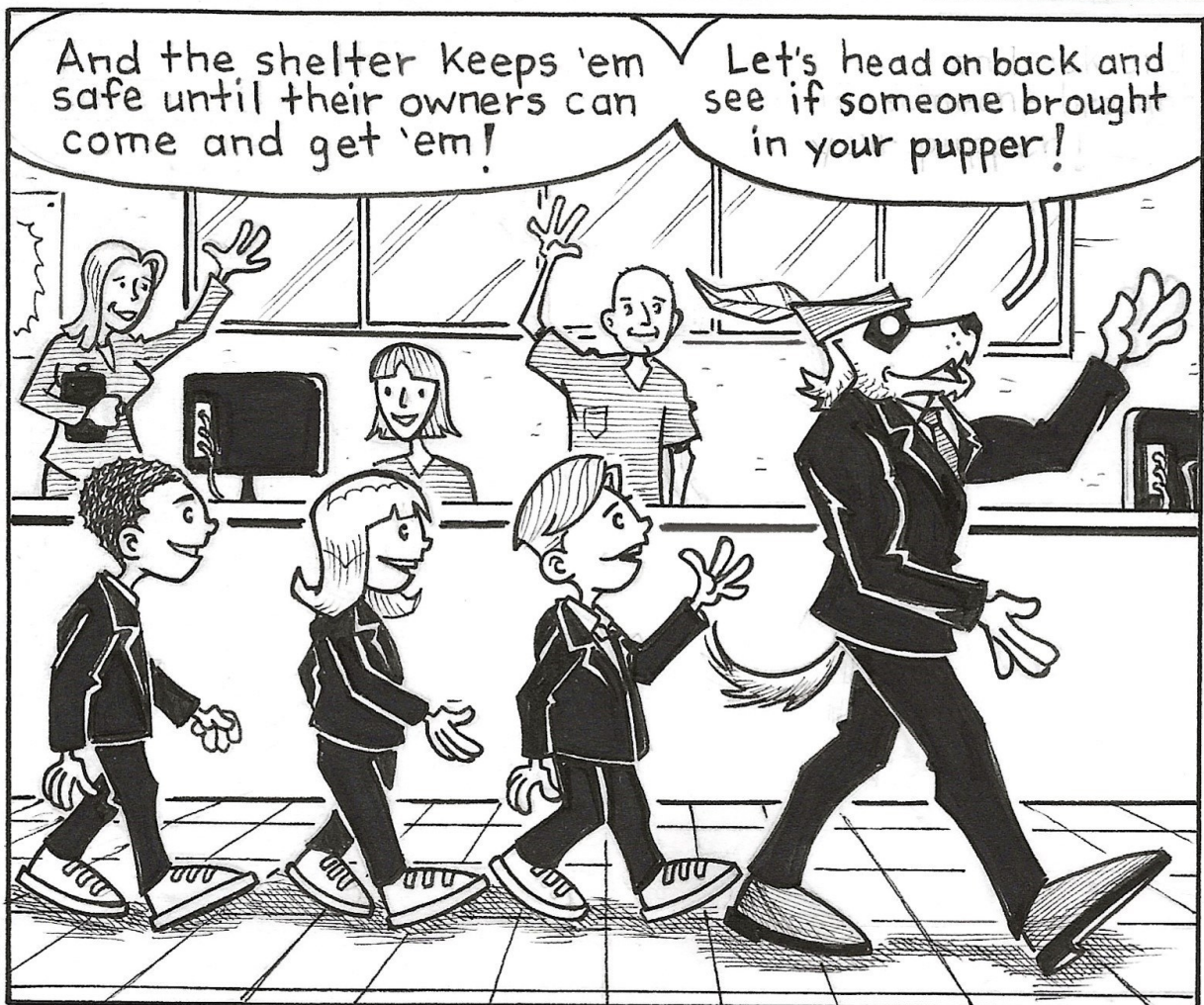


We did all the things.



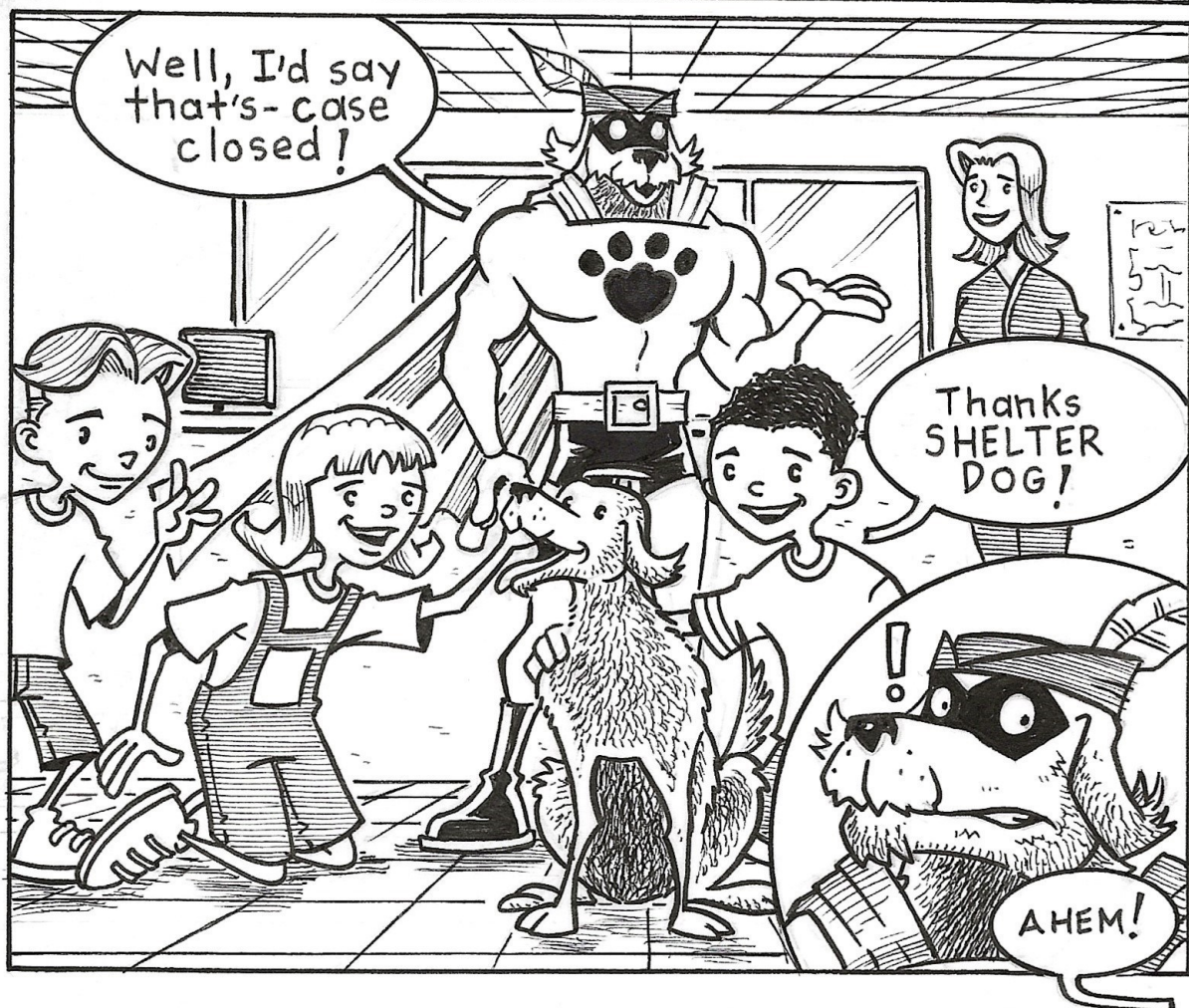
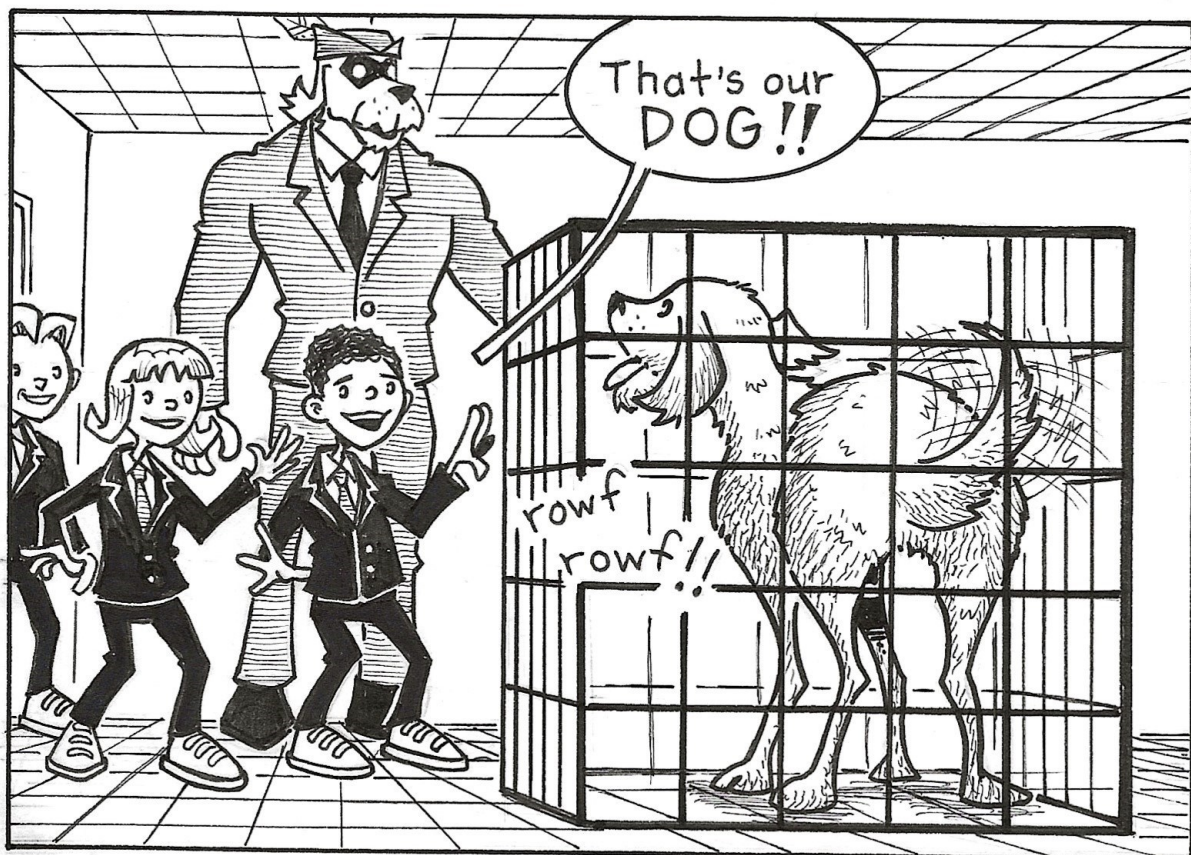


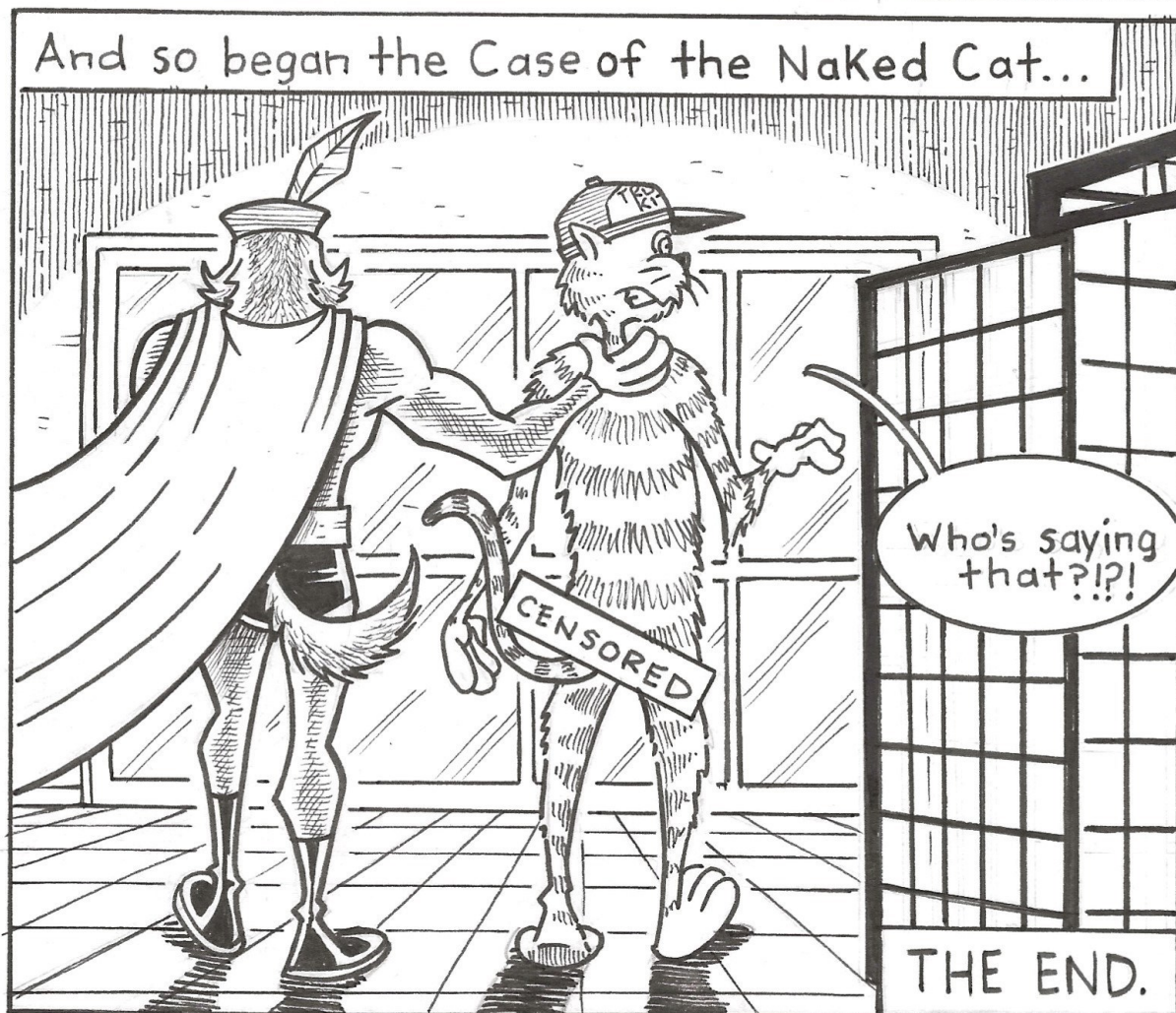
Claro que si, my intrepid sleuth-hounds!
If someone finds a critter they can't keep, they can bring 'em to the animal shelter!



And the shelter keeps 'em safe until their owners can come and get 'em!

Let's head on back and see if someone brought in your pupper!





SHELTER DOG AND SHELTER CAT

I GIVE UP!
I'M TAKING THEM
BACK TO THE
SHELTER!



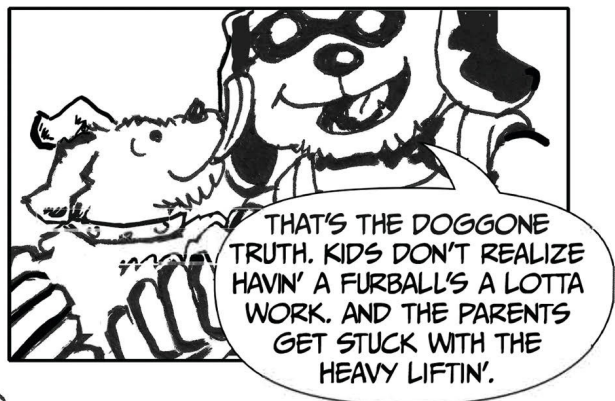
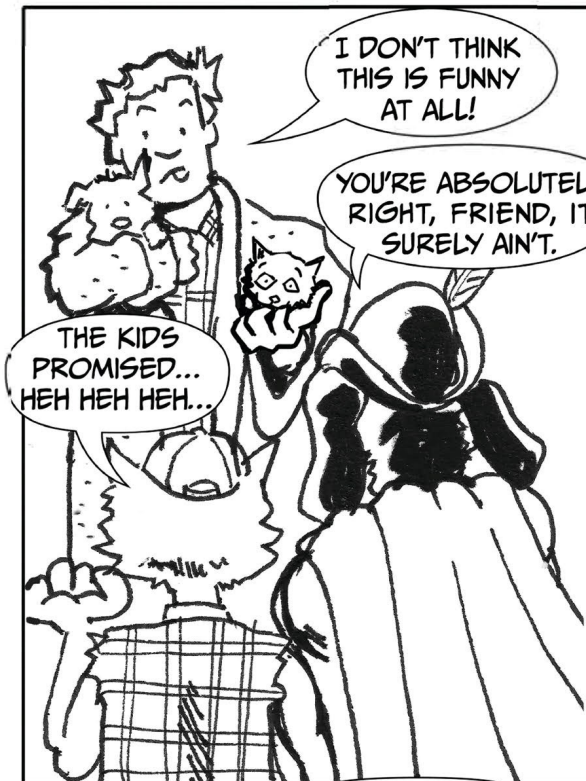
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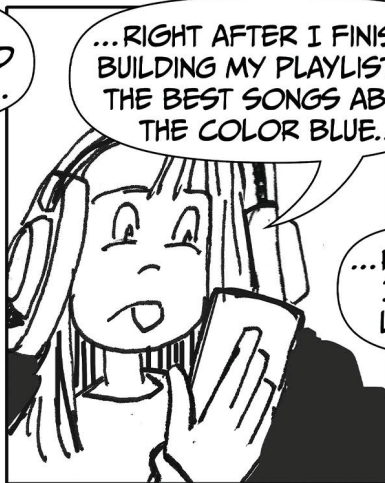
The Ol' Switcheroo!

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WHAT THE...?

AGH! I'M LATE
FOR WORK!

I MIGHT BE HOME LATE
SO MAKE SURE TO FINISH
YOUR CHORES BEFORE
I GET HOME!

SURE, YEA,
TOTALLY...

THAT EVENING...

SO MANY
T.P.S. REPORTS...

OH NO...

YOU'RE
HOME!
FINALLY!

I GOTTA
PEE SO BAD!

WHY DIDN'T
YOU JUST USE THE
BATHROOM?

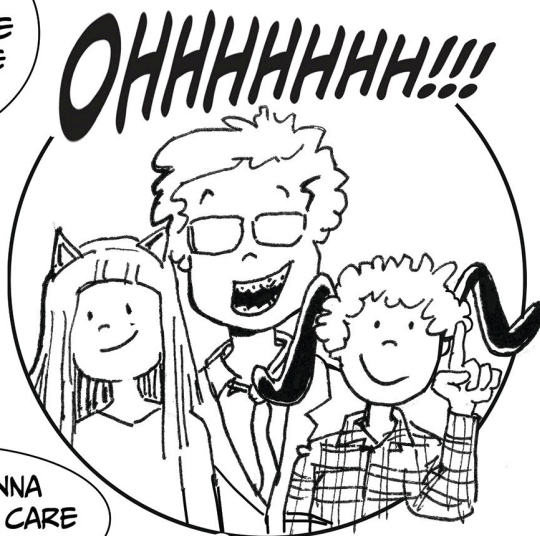
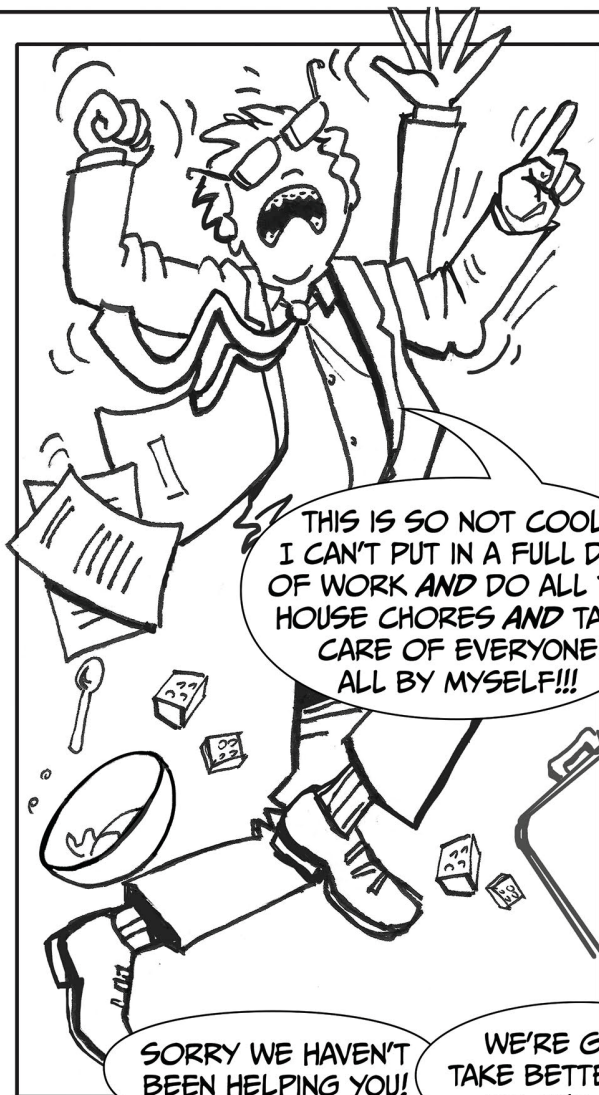
I CAN'T! I'VE GOTTA
GO OUTSIDE FOR
SOME REASON!

DIDN'T YOU
DO **ANYTHING**
WHILE I WAS
AT WORK?

TOTALLY.
ATE A BURRITO
AND CRUSHED
LEVEL 42...

OH, I JUST
WENT IN THE
LITTER BOX IN
THE CLOSET.

ELEEWWWWW!!

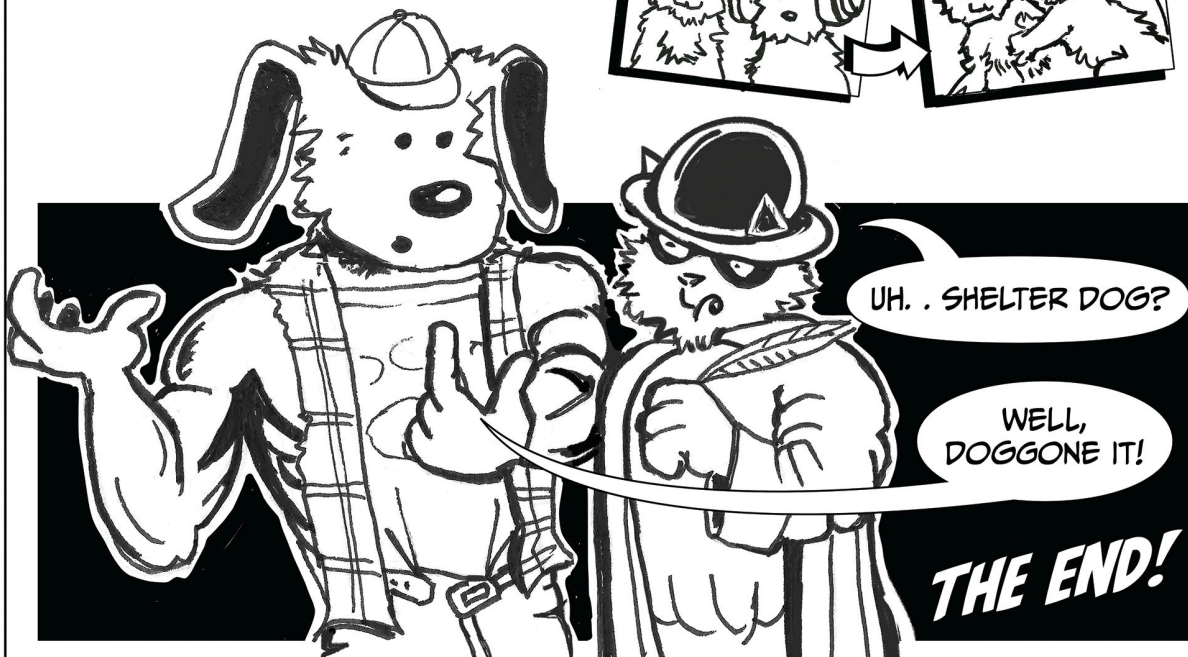
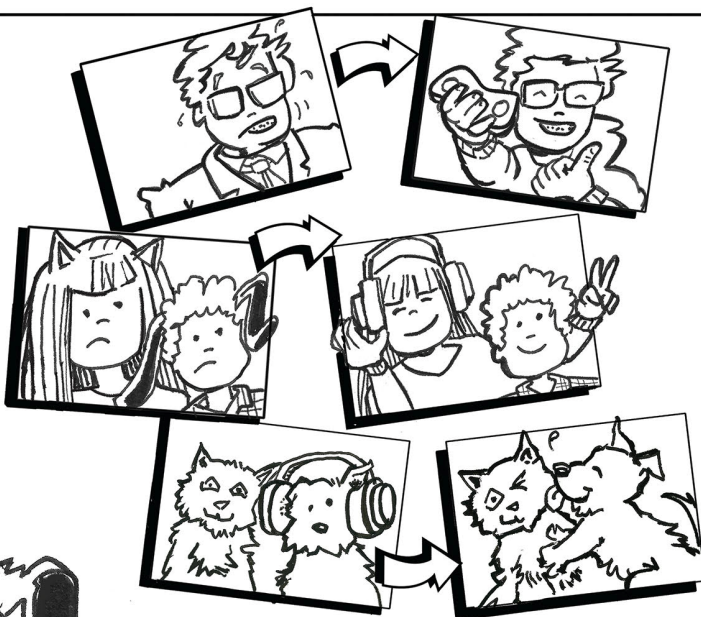


THANKS FOR ALL
YOUR HELP!

IT'S OUR DOWN-
RIGHT PLEASURE,
MEIN FREUND! NOW
LET'S GET Y'ALL BACK
TO YER NEW NORMAL!



AN' NOW
EVERYBODY'S RIGHT
AS RAIN!



UH. . SHELTER DOG?

WELL,
DOGGONE IT!

THE END!

SHELTER DOG! & SHELTER CAT! IN READ THE ROOM



ANIMAL
SHELTER

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JASON DEGROOT

ILLUSTRATED BY
DAVID BRANSTETTER





KONNICHIIWA,
COMPADRE!



HEY...
SHELTER
DOG...

WHY SO GLUM,
CHUM? ARE YOU
DROPPIN' THIS GAL
OFF AT THE SHELTER?




WHAT?
NO!
I JUST
ADDOPTED
HER!



WELL ALL RIGHT!!!
YOU'RE MY NEW
HERO!!!

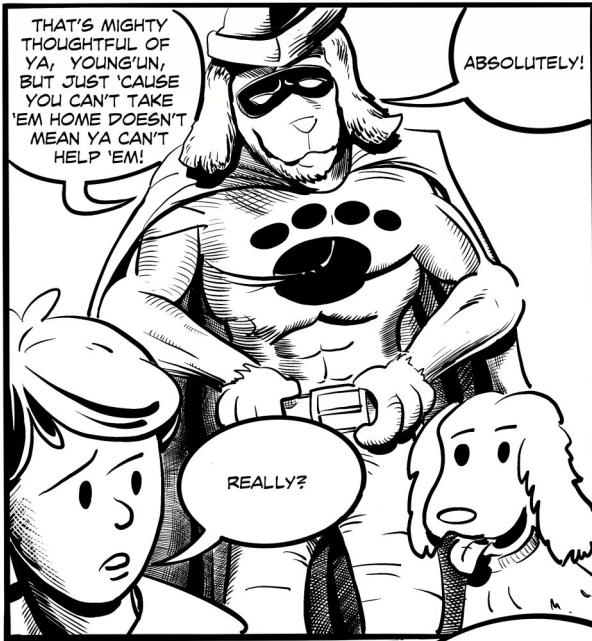
HEH.
THANKS...

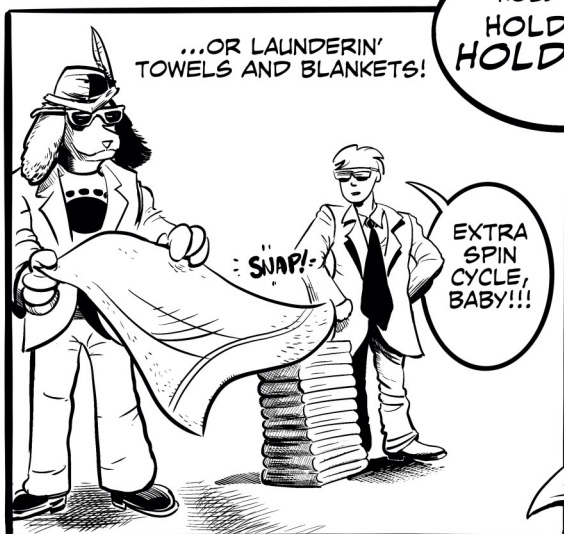


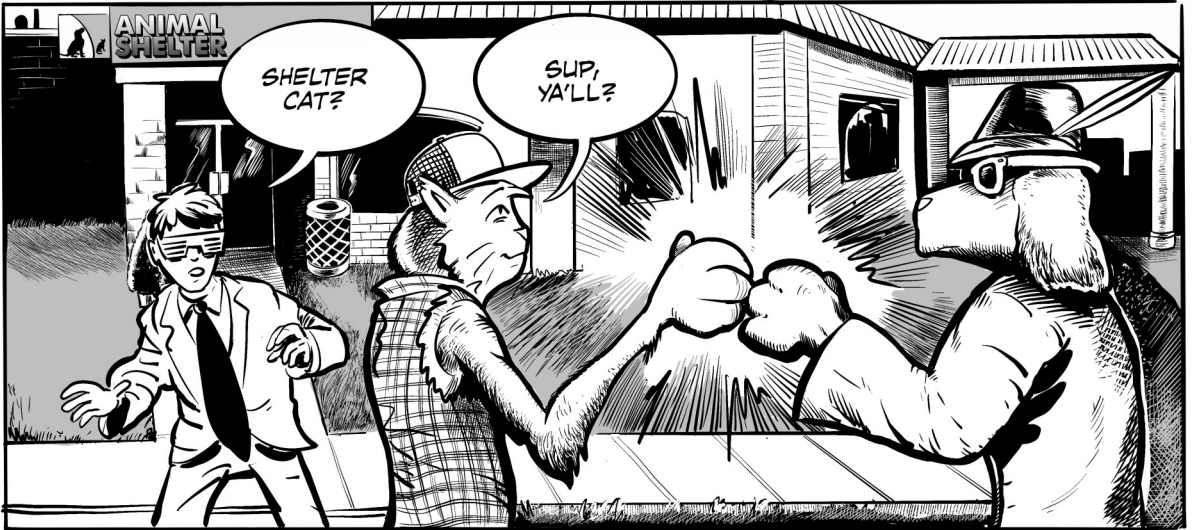
BUT YOU GOT ME
PUZZLED PARTNER,
WHY ALL THE
DISCONSOLATION?

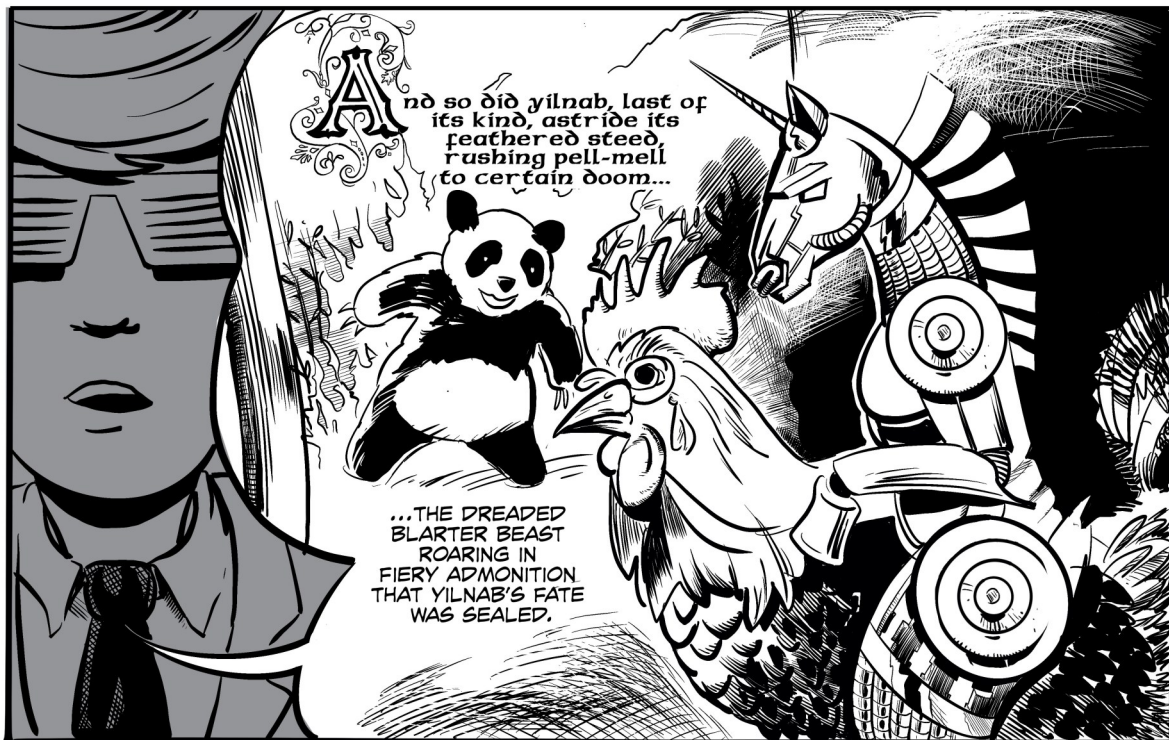


GUESS
I'M JUST
FEELING
KINDA HOPELESS
THAT I CAN'T
DO MORE
FOR THEM...

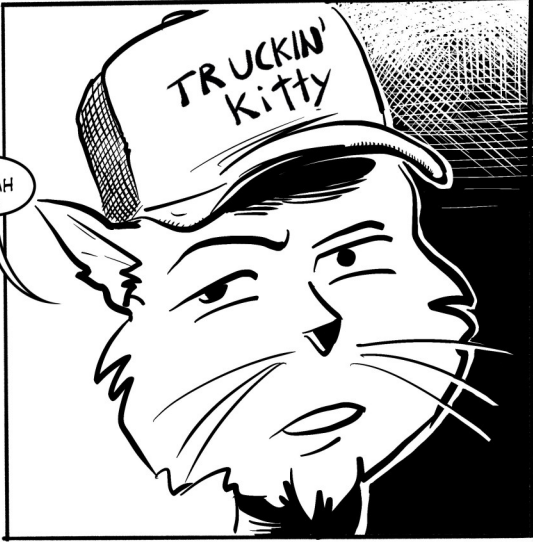


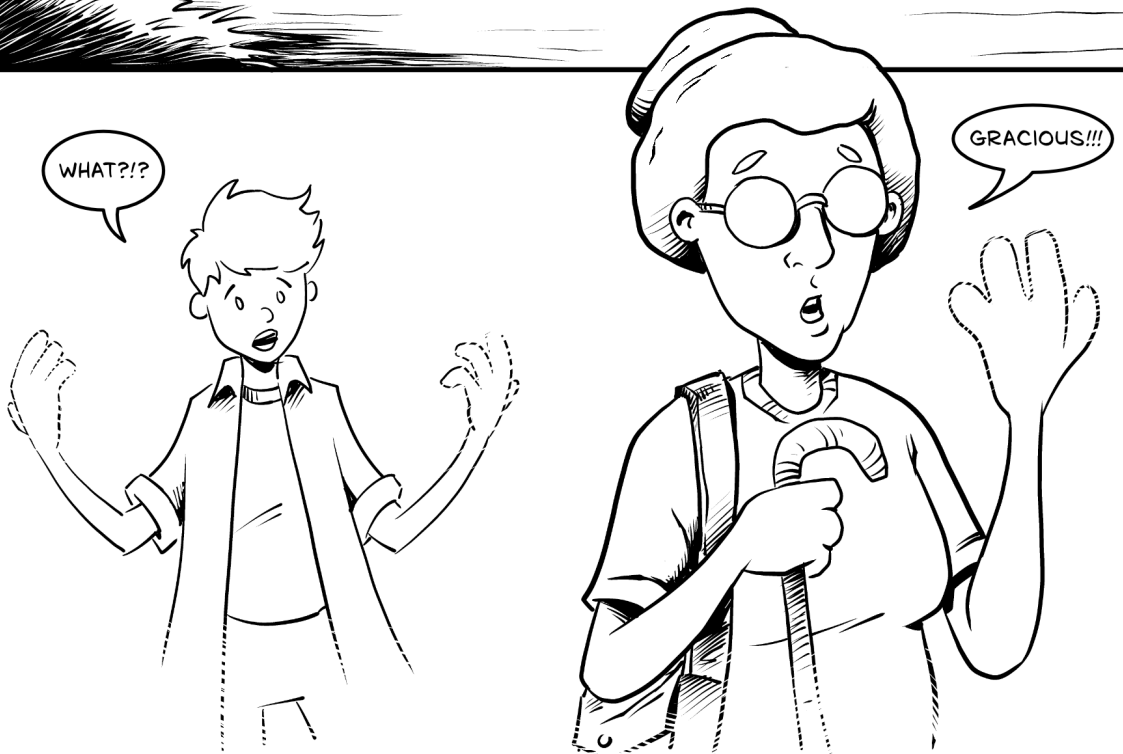












IT'S TIME FOR EVERYBODY'S
FAVORITE GAME SHOW...

THAT'S RIGHT, FOLKS, IT'S
WHEEL OF FOSTER, WHERE
EACH LUCKY CONTESTANT
SPINS THE WHEEL AND GETS
THEMSELVES A FOSTER PET
OF THEIR VERY OWN!

I'M YOUR HOST,
BOB BARKER!

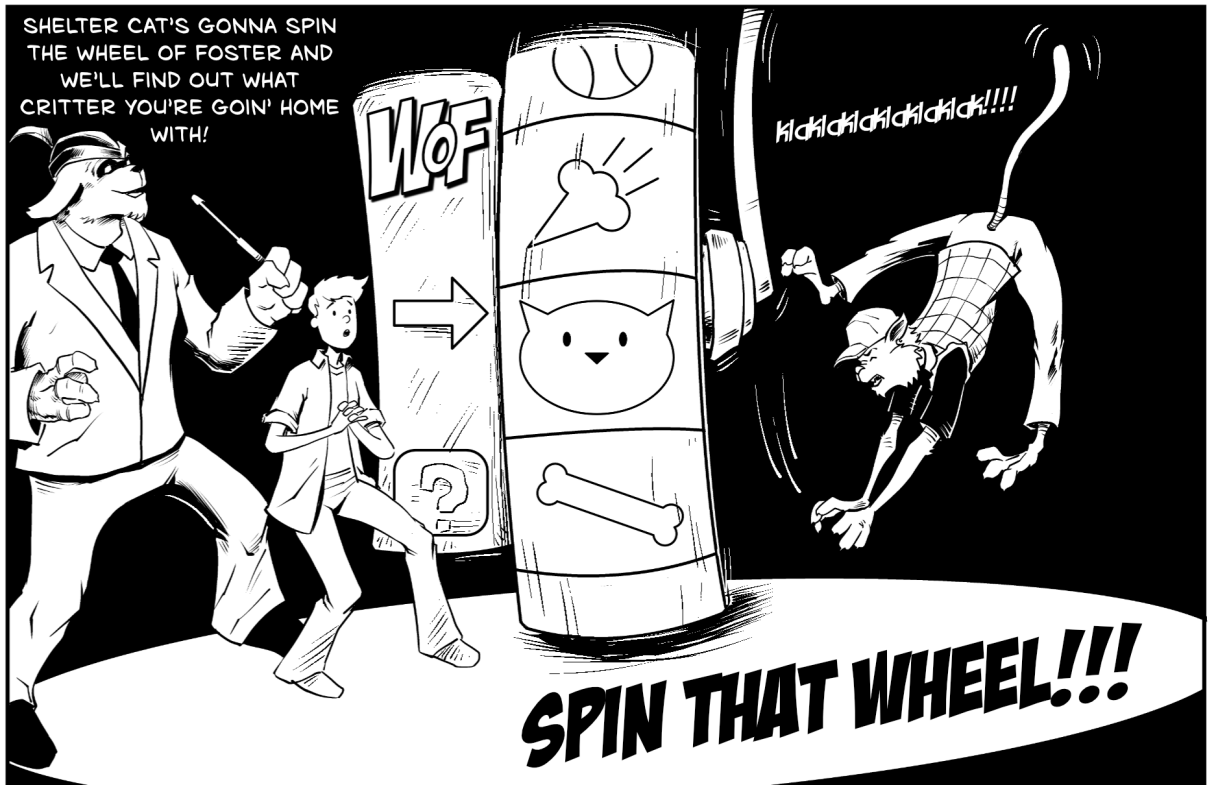
JUST KIDDIN'!
I'M **SHELTER**
DOG,
A'COURSE!

AN' WITH ME AS
ALWAYS IS MY BEST
PAL SHELTER CAT!

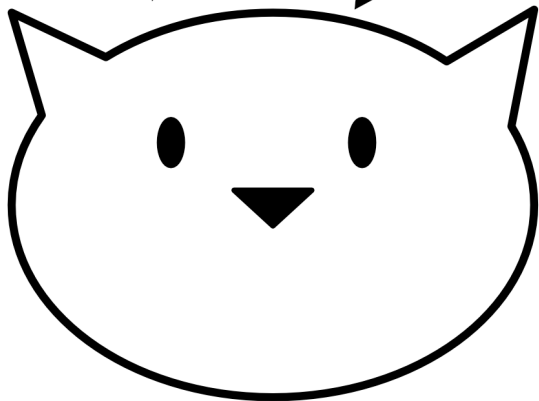
SUP,
Y'ALL!



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ART & LETTERS BY JOHN MULLER



KITTEN



KABOODLE!!!

YOU LANDED ON
KITTEN KABOODLE,
YOU LUCKY DUCK!

SHELTER CAT, TELL
US WHAT THEY'VE
WON!



THAT'S RIGHT, YOU'VE WON THE KITTEN
KABOODLE, A MAMA CAT AND HER BABY
KITTENS! PLUS ALL THE FOOD AND LITTER
YOU'LL NEED!



JUST SET HER UP IN A NICE QUIET ROOM AND
SHE'LL TAKE CARE OF THE REST! THE
PERFECT FOSTER FOR A BUSY COLLEGE
STUDENT!

LET'S GIVE A BIG
ROUND OF APPLAUSE
TO OUR LATEST
WINNER AND GET
READY TO MEET OUR
NEXT CONTESTANT
ON...

YAY!

WOOO!



WHEEL OF FOSTER!



WELCOME TO
WHEEL OF
FOSTER, MON AMI!
TELL US WHY
ADOPTION'S NOT
AN OPTION FOR
YOU!

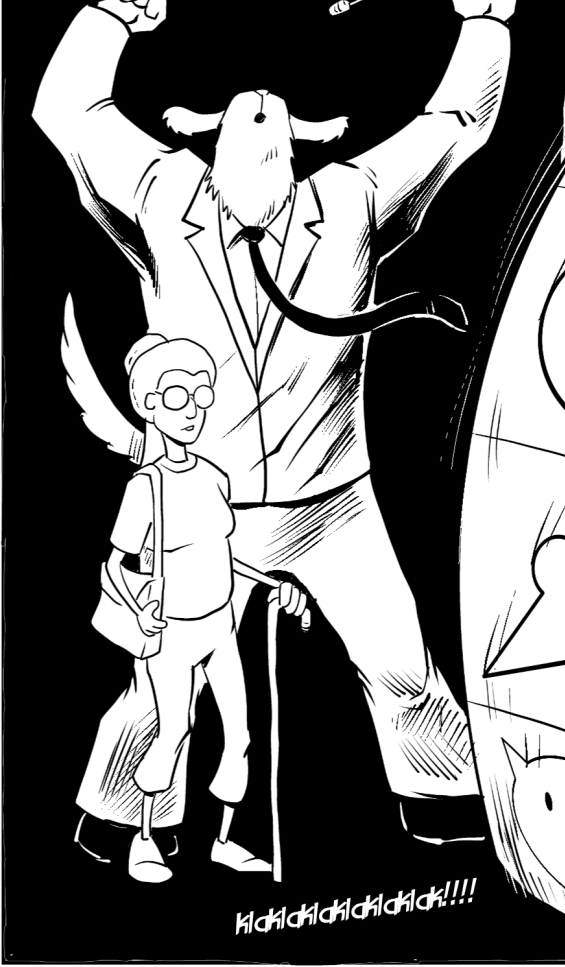


WE APPRECIATE ALL THE PUPS
YOU'VE CARED FOR OVER THE
YEARS, WE SURELY DO! LET'S
SEE WHAT THE WHEEL OF
FOSTER HAS FOR YOU!

I LOVE DOGS, ALWAYS
HAD ONE, BUT I'M
GETTING OLDER, AND I
JUST DON'T HAVE THE
ENERGY FOR A DOG
LIKE I USED TO.

**WHEEL OF
FOSTER!**

SPIN THAT WHEEL!



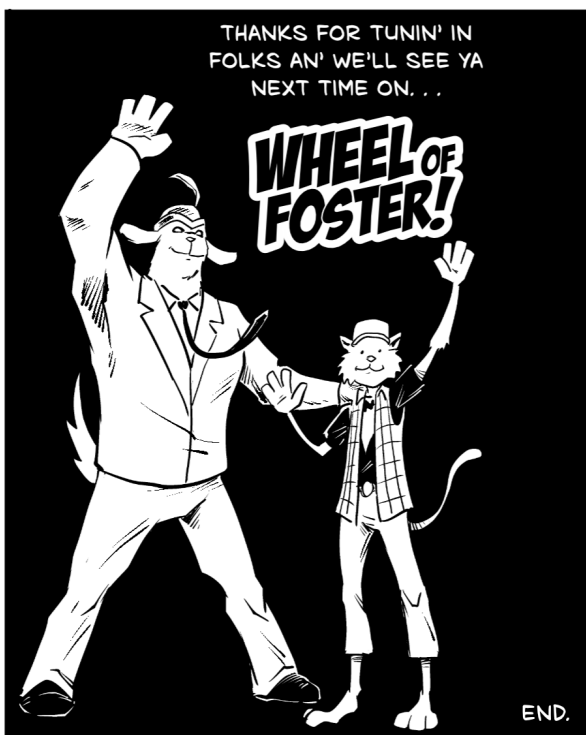
klickklickklickklick!!!!







FOSTER FAIL!



SHELTER DOG VS MEGAPETZ!

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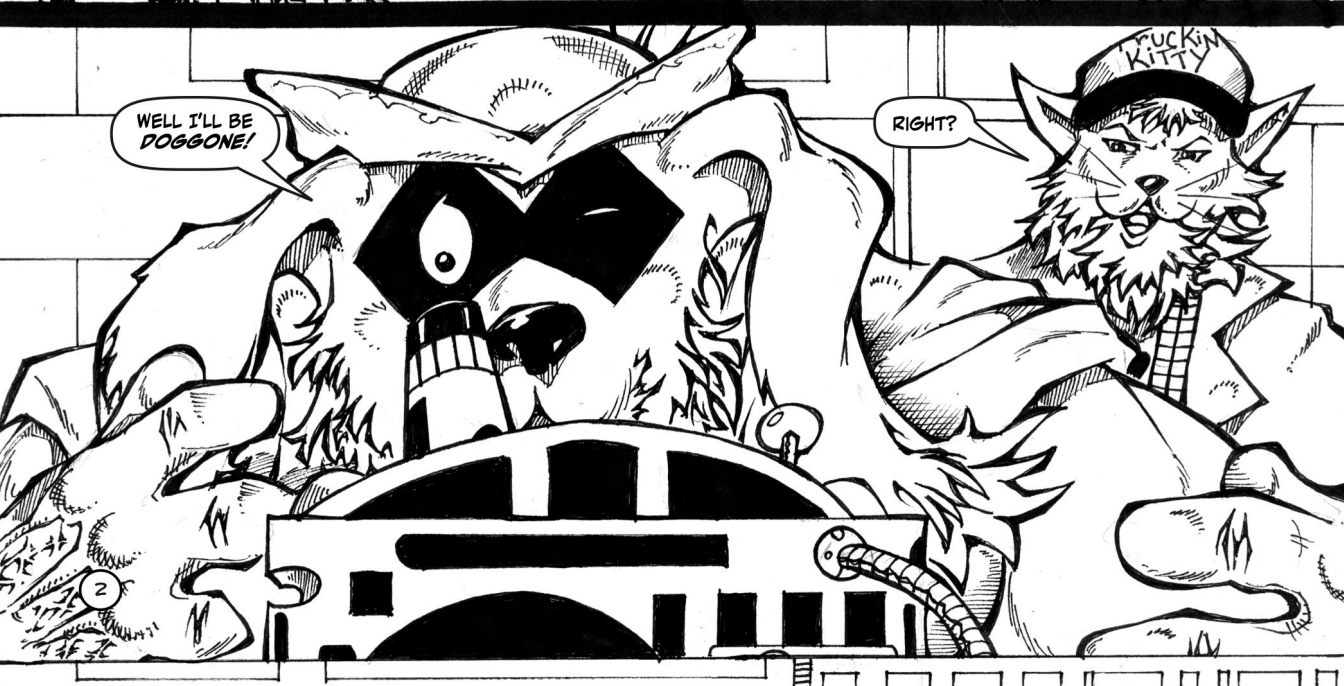
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PEDRO LABOY

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CITIZENS FLEE IN TERROR FROM
THE MONSTROSITY THAT IS...

MEGAPETZ!!!

IN THIS, OUR MOST DIRE OF HOURS,
ONLY *SHELTER DOG* CAN STOP ITS
PATH OF DESTRUCTION!!!



MEGAPETZ IS MADE
UP OF ALL THE DOGS
AND KITTIES THAT
ARE LOOKIN' FOR
A HOME!



YA KNOW WHAT
THIS MEANS,
DON'T YA?



I DO...

ACTIVATE
THE SHELTER
LEAGUE!



AND SO SHELTER DOG SENDS THE
SECRET SHELTER SIGNAL TO HIS
FRIENDS ALL ACROSS THE GLOBE!



HOWDY, FRIENDS!
THE DAY WE'VE BEEN
PREPARIN' FOR IS
HERE!



Y'ALL WERE CHOSEN FOR THE SHELTER LEAGUE BECAUSE YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO PROVIDE A GREAT HOME TO A SHELTER PET!

YOU'RE READY TO GO FOR WALKS, VISIT THE VET AND PICK UP POOP!

YOU'RE COMMITTED TO GIVING HUGS AND SNUGS AND BATHS!

YOU'RE PREPARED FOR CHEWING AND SCRATCHING AND SLOBBER!

YOU ARE THE SHELTER LEAGUE!!!

NOW COME ON AND HELP ME TAKE ON MEGAPETZ!!!



GREAT
SPEECH.

ARIGATO,
TOMODACHI!

TRUCKIN'
KITTY



THE SHELTER
LEAGUE IS GONNA
BE A BIG HELP, BUT
ME AN' THE GANG
WHIPPED UP A LITTLE
SOMETHING EXTRA
FOR YOU.



YABAI!!!





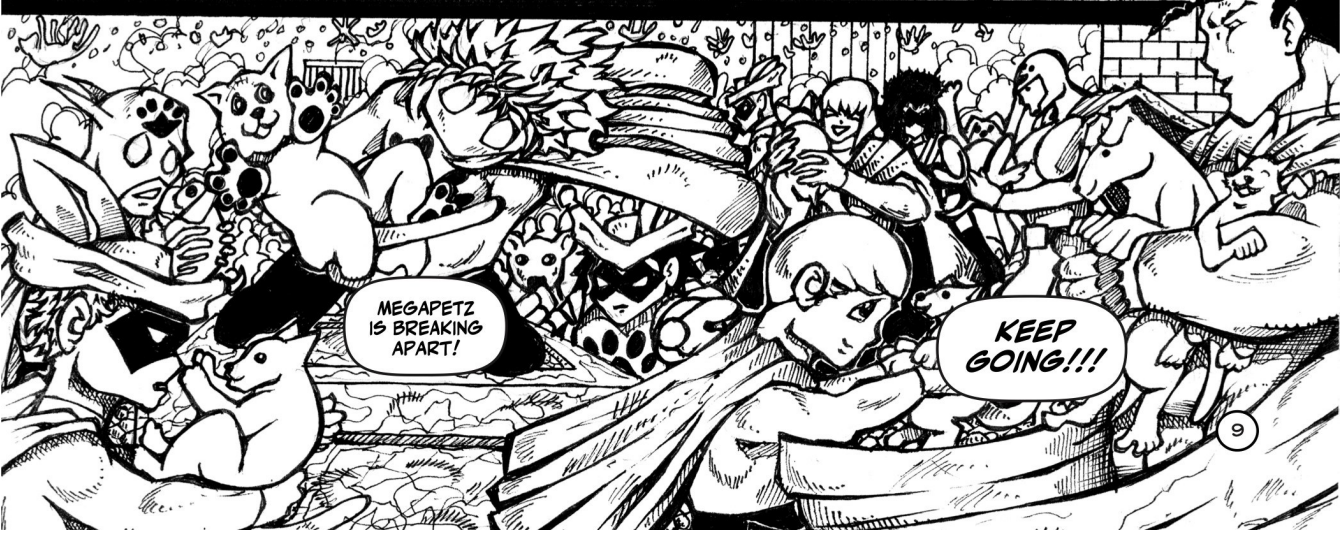
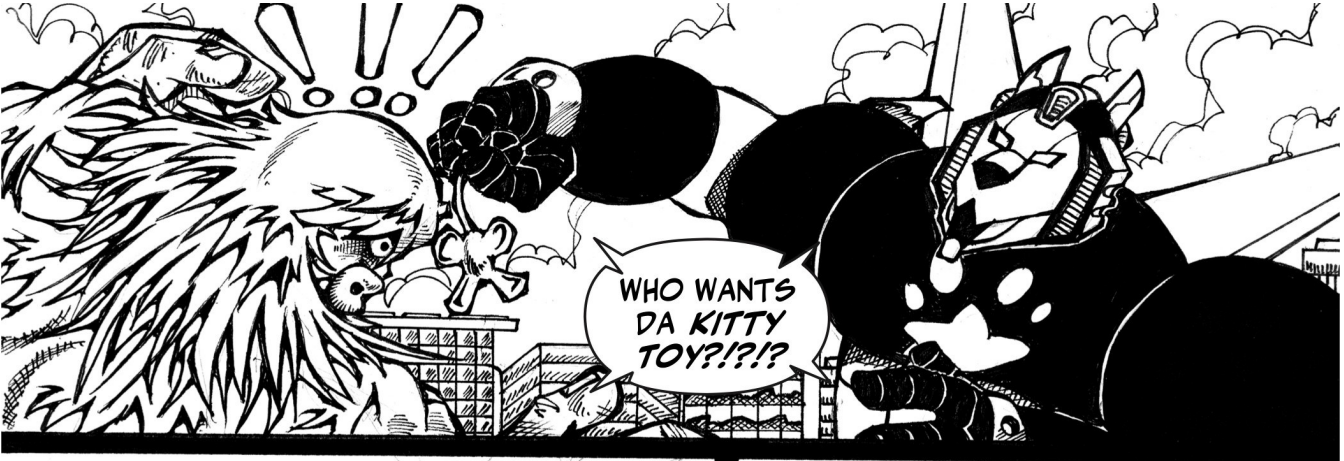
I...AM...
**SHELTRON
3000!!!**

NICE.

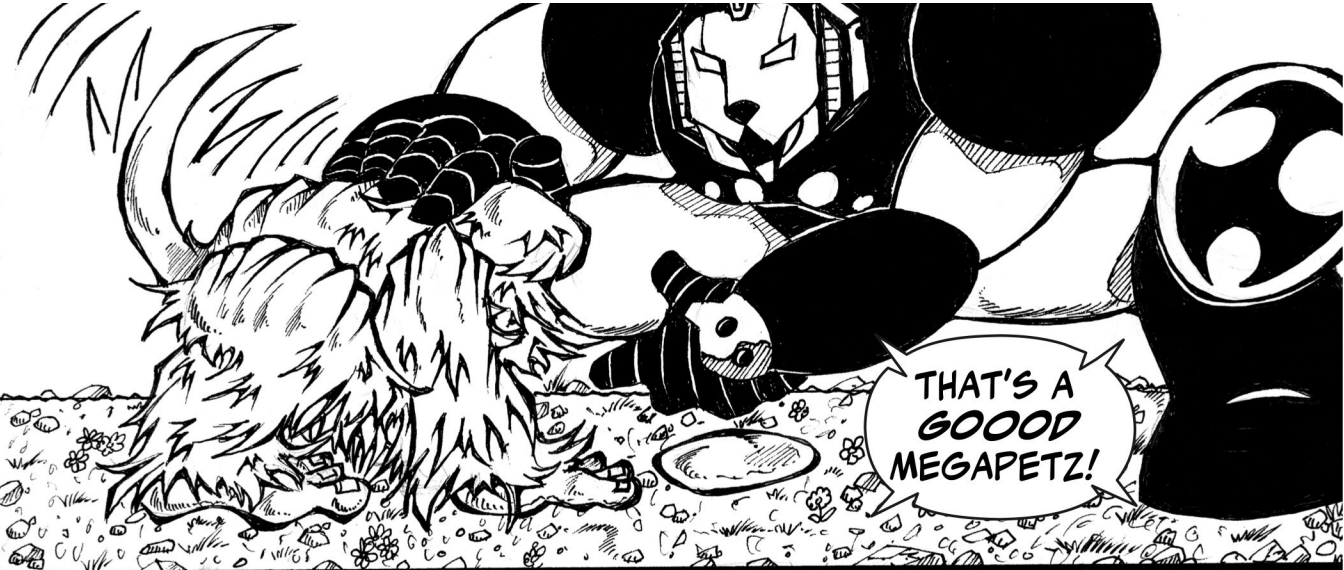
IT JUST
FELT RIGHT.



LET'S
DANCE!

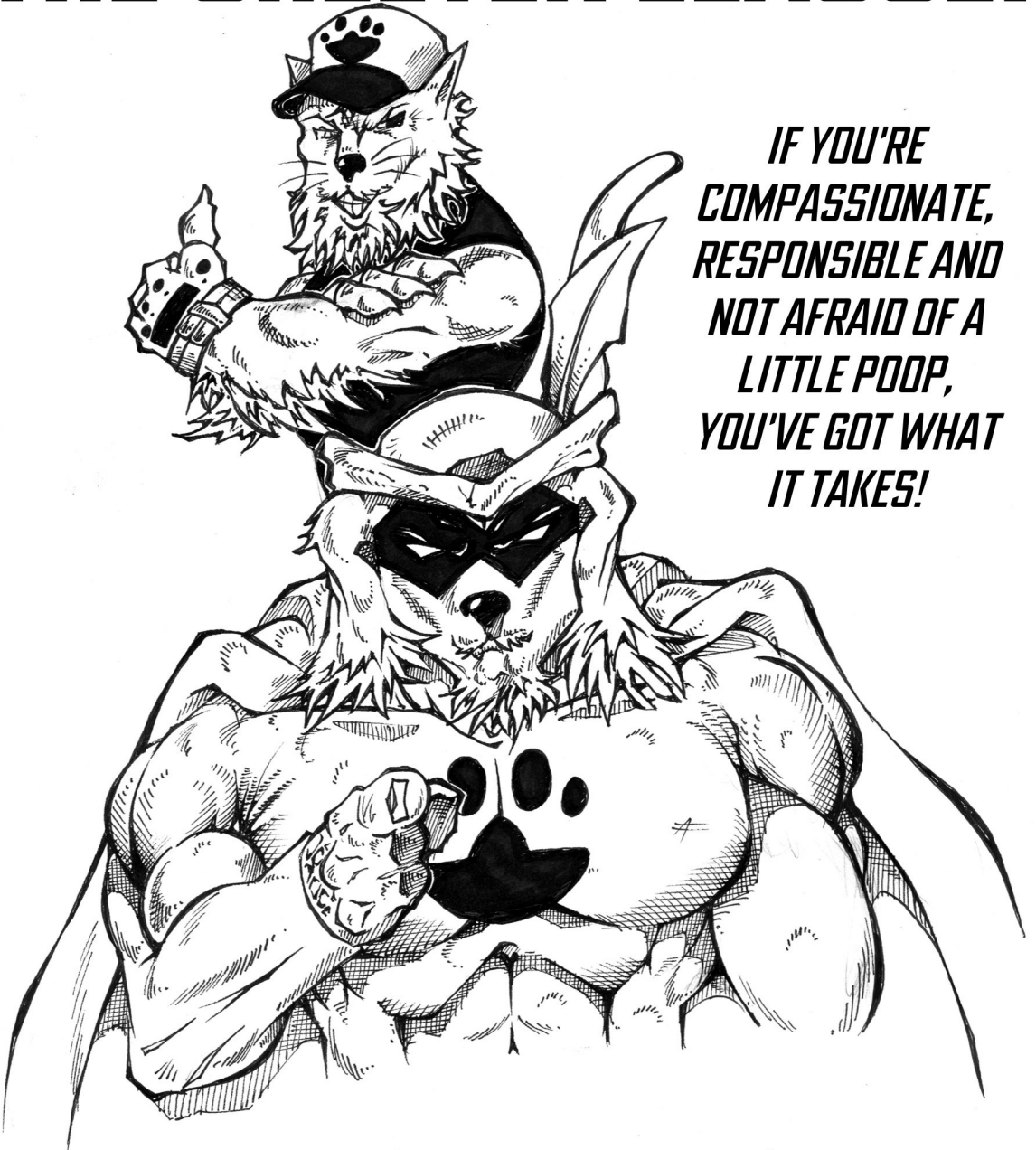






WE WANT YOU FOR THE SHELTER LEAGUE!

*IF YOU'RE
COMPASSIONATE,
RESPONSIBLE AND
NOT AFRAID OF A
LITTLE POOP,
YOU'VE GOT WHAT
IT TAKES!*



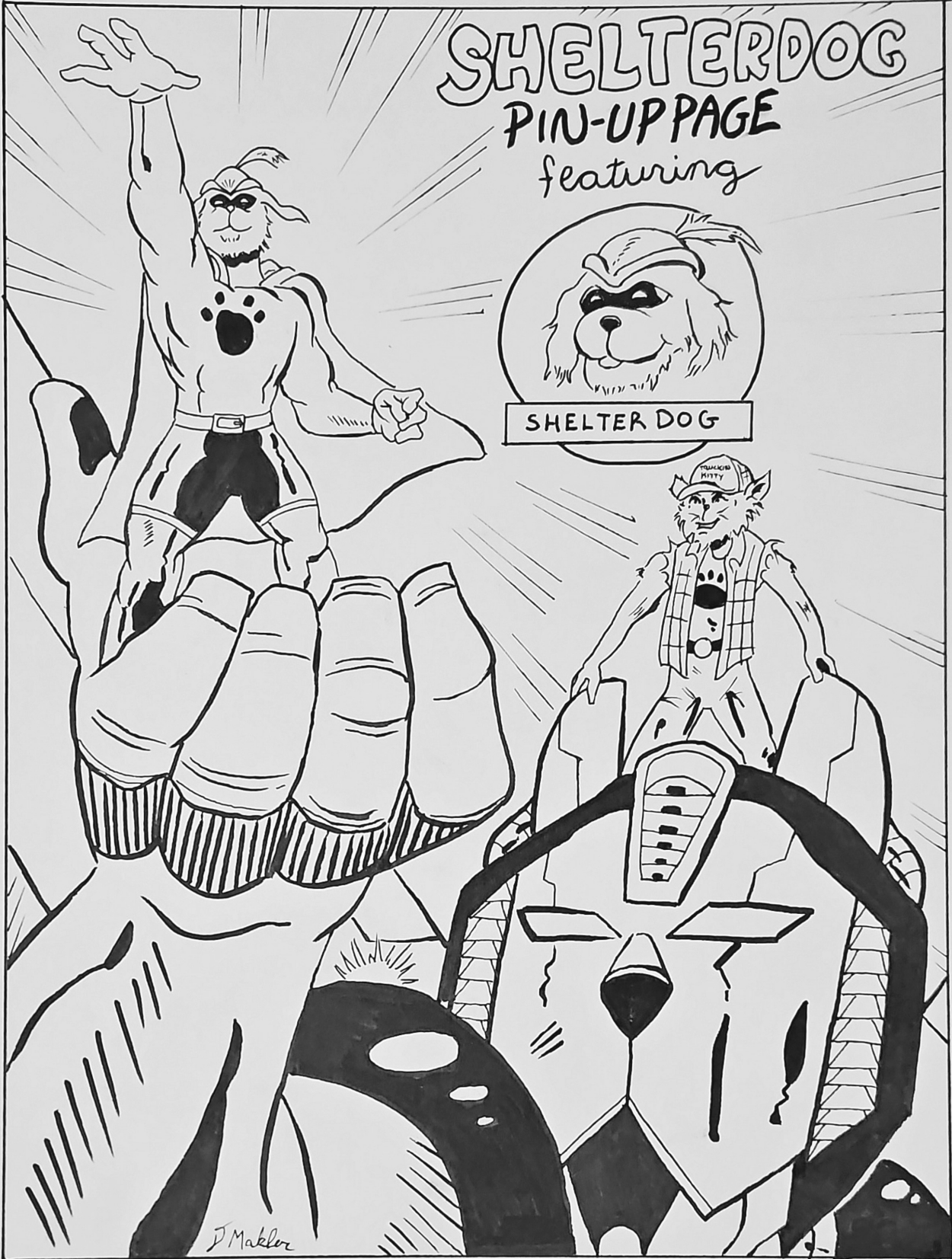
**HELP US KEEP THE WORLD
SAFE FROM MEGAPETZ!!!**

END!

SHELTERDOG

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featuring



J Makler

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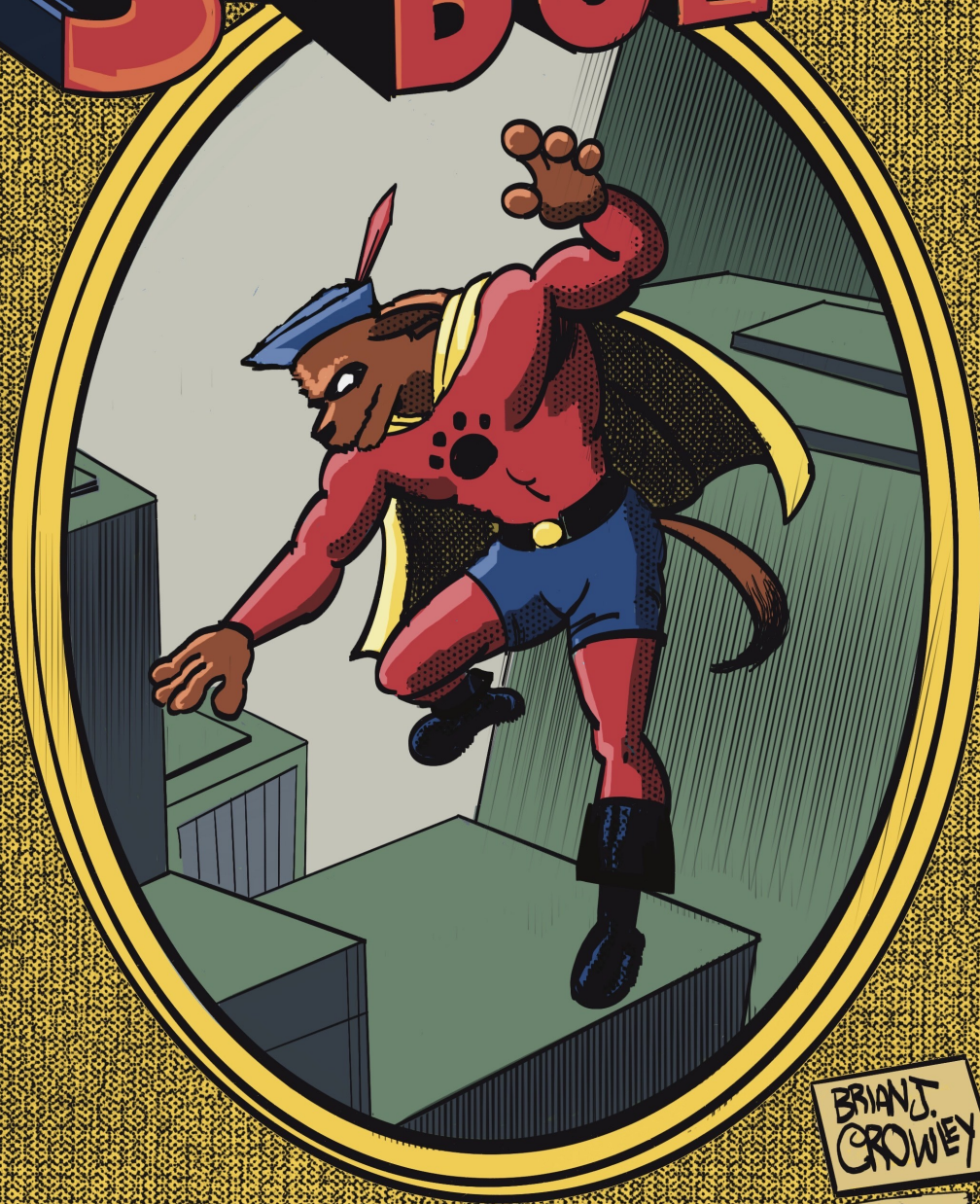


BY TONY LAWRENCE



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SHELTER DOG



BRIAN J.
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AFTER
SHUSTER

BY BRIAN J. CROWLEY



Shelter Dog is back and he's brought friends old and new with him! Join him and his best pal Shelter Cat as they embark on new adventures while they teach us how to be the best pet parents we can be! Featuring an extravaganza of small press talent, this new collection of stories will have you purring and wagging your tail!

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