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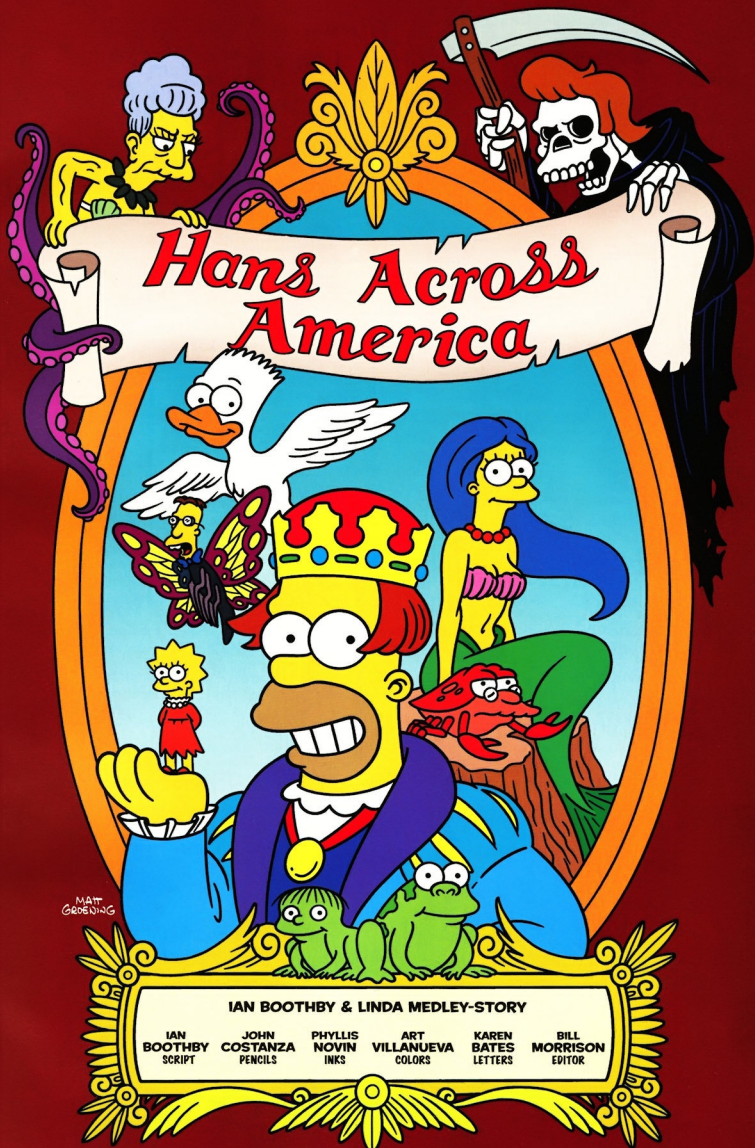


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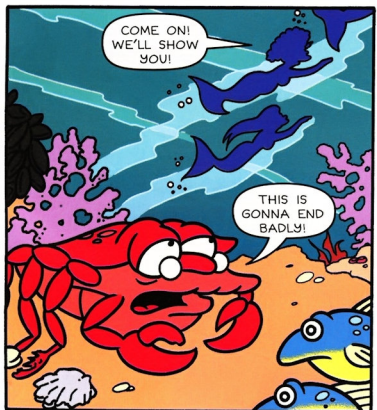
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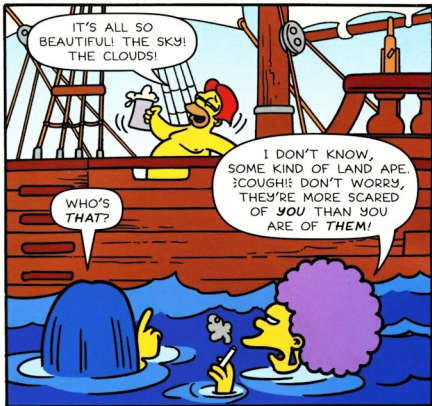
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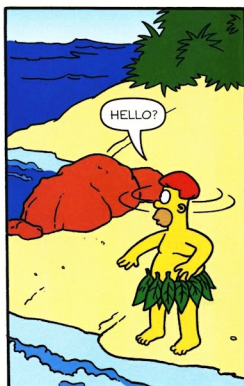
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LUCKILY, MERMAID TONGUES AND LOWER HALVES ARE DETACHABLE, SO THIS WAS PAINLESS...

MMMM...OH, AND ONE MORE THING I FORGOT TO TELL YOU.

IF YOUR TRUE LOVE MARRIES SOMEONE ELSE, YOU'LL TURN TO FOAM!



YOU'LL BOUNCE BACK. MAN, IF I WUZ A HANDSOME PRINCE LIKE YOU, I'D BE KISSING ALL THE PRINCESSES IN COMAS I COULD FIND, TRYING TO WAKE 'EM UP!

I DID THAT ONCE. I'M NOT ALLOWED AT THE HOSPITAL ANYMORE.



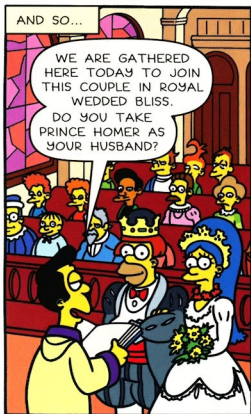
WOW, CHECK OUT THE LEGS ON HER!

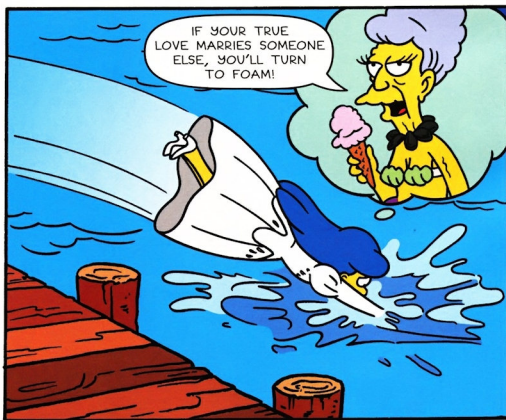
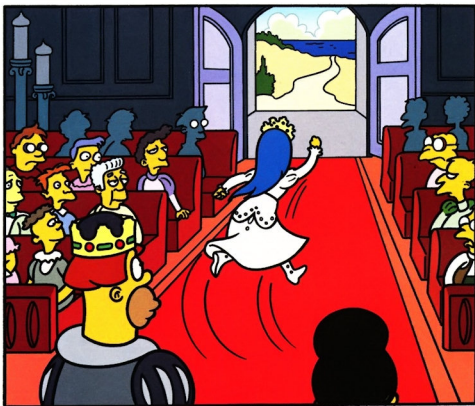
THEY LOOK BRAND NEW!



¡GASPI! IT'S YOU!









THE PRINCE AND THE PEA

ONCE UPON A TIME THERE WAS
A KNOCK AT A PALACE DOOR...

**KNOCK
KNOCK!**

WHO COULD
IT BE AT THIS
HOUR?

OH HELLO, LOWLY SERVANT. I'M
A PRINCE WHO WAS AT A COSTUME
PARTY WHERE I WAS DRESSED AS A
PEASANT. I HAD A FEW TOO MANY HOT
MEAD TODDIES, WANDERED OFF, AND
GOT LOST IN THE WOODS.

I NEED A
PLACE TO STAY
THE NIGHT.

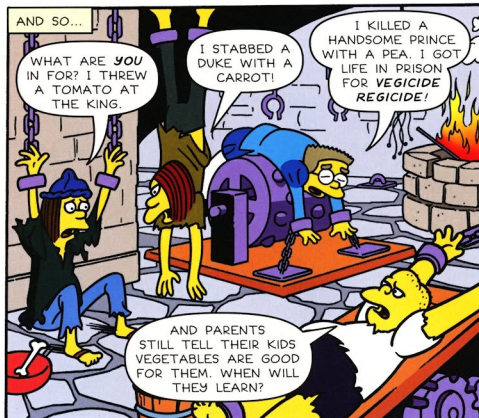
WAIT A MINUTE,
ASIDE FROM YOUR
GOOD LOOKS, WHAT
PROOF DO YOU HAVE
THAT YOU'RE
ROYALTY?

MY MEDICAL
BRACELET SAYS I'M
A HEMOPHILIAC. ALSO,
I'M BARELY TOLERATING
TALKING TO SOME-
ONE AS POOR AS
YOURSELF.

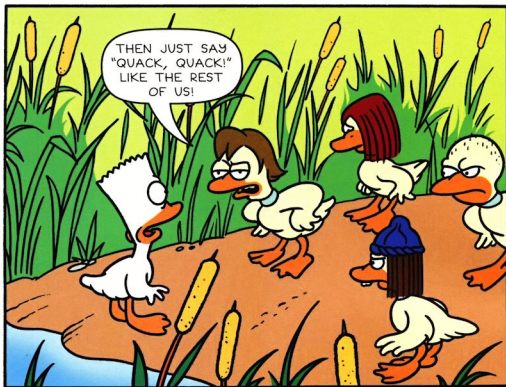
ALL RIGHT,
I'LL SET UP YOUR
BED CHAMBER!

THEN
HOP TO IT,
MAN!

THERE MUST
BE SOME WAY TO
DISCOVER IF HE'S
REALLY A PRINCE.



THE UGLY DUCKLING

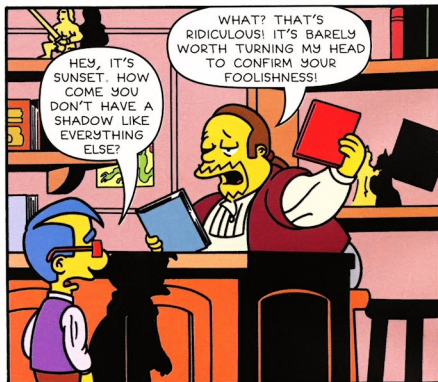


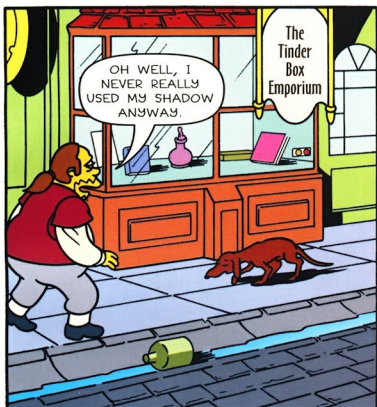


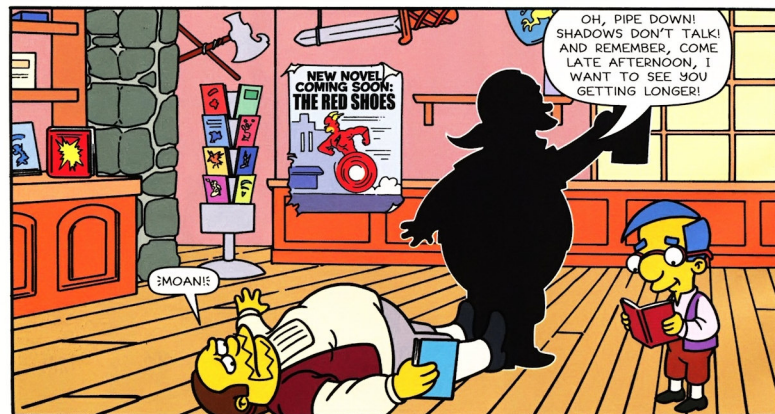
ONCE UPON A TIME, THERE WAS A VERY LAZY MAN.



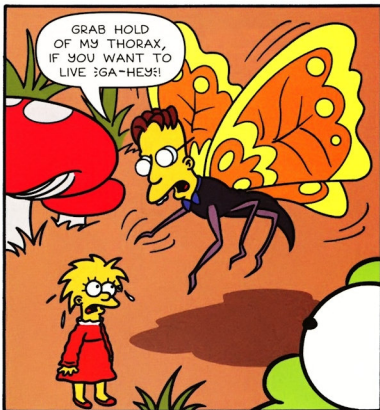
I WOULD ADVISE YOU TO FIRST PURCHASE A LADDER FROM THE HARDWARE STORE DOWN THE STREET.

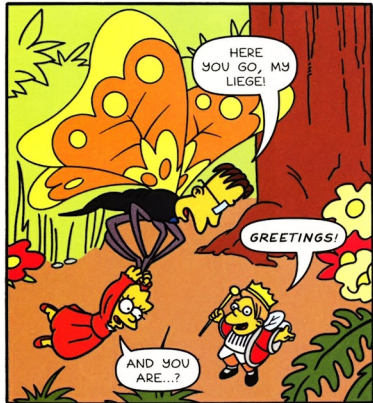


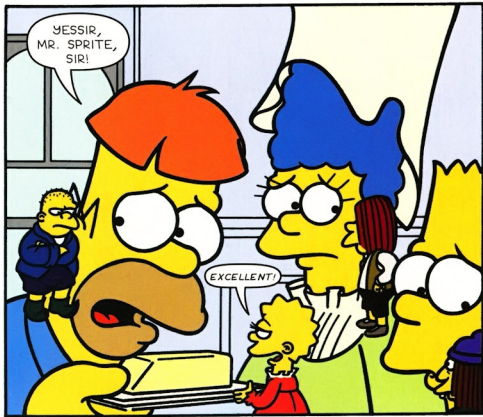






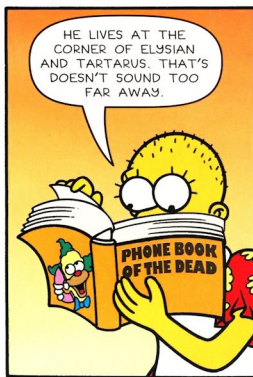




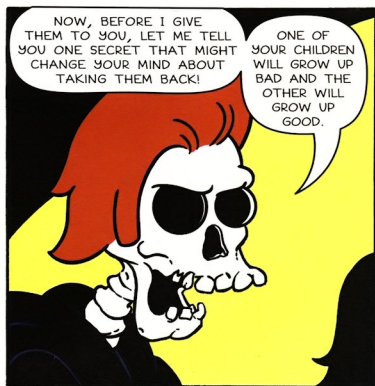


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