



BART SIMPSON, ARCHENEMY OF EVIL!

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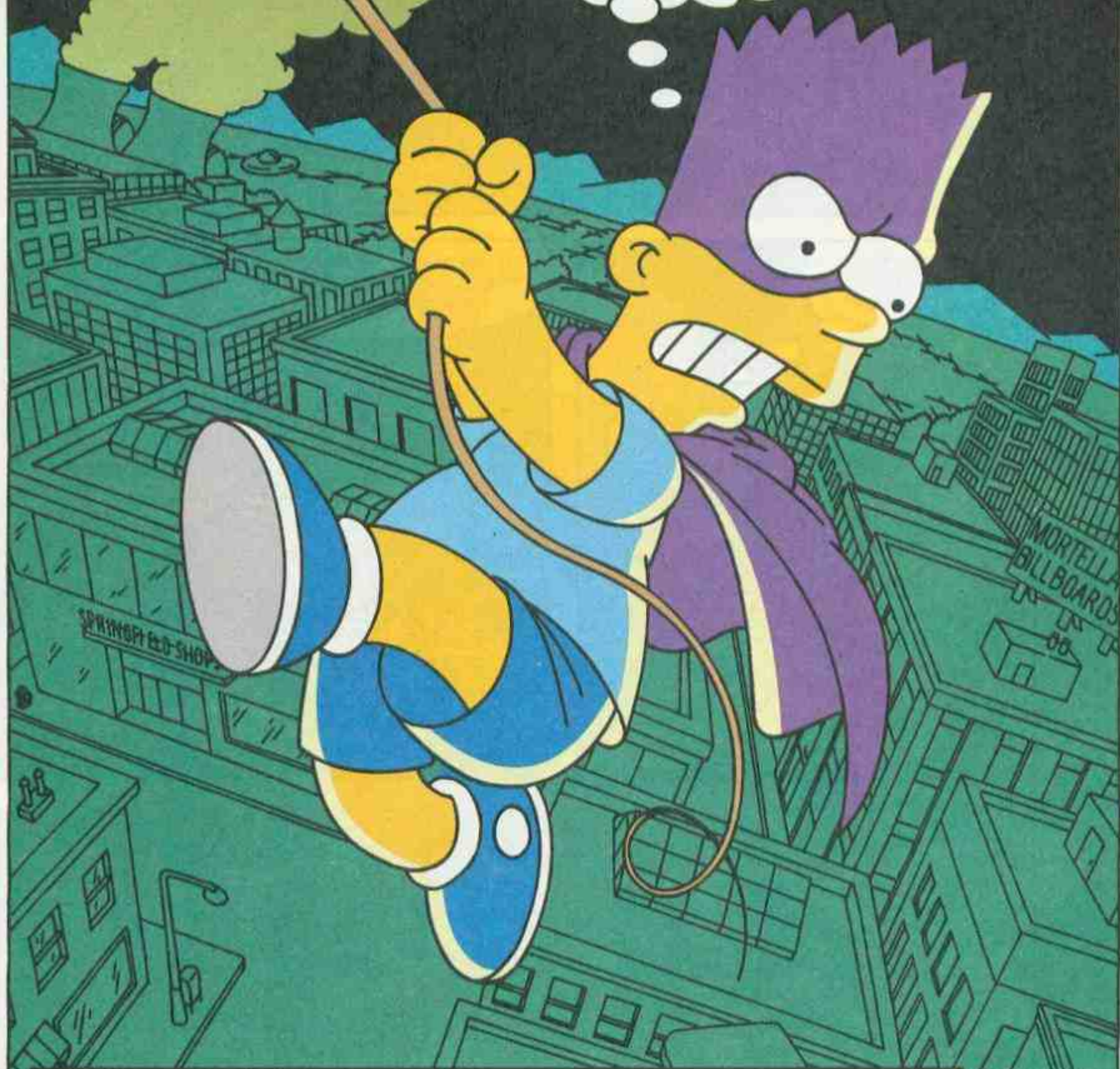


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WHERE STALKS... THE PENALIZER!

AN EVIL PRESENCE PROWLs
SPRINGFIELD THIS NIGHT --
AND IT'S UP TO BARTMAN
TO STOP HIM!



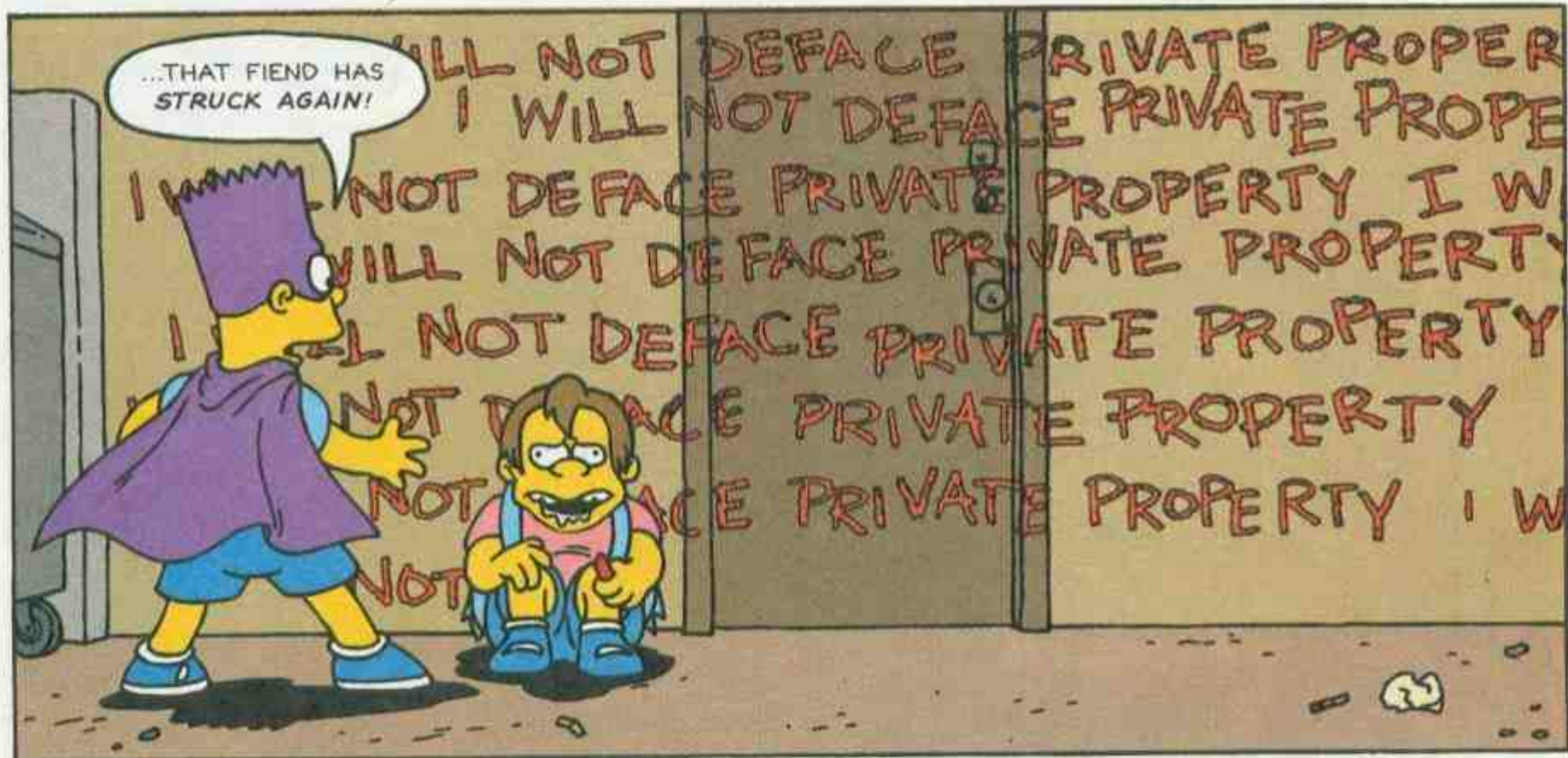
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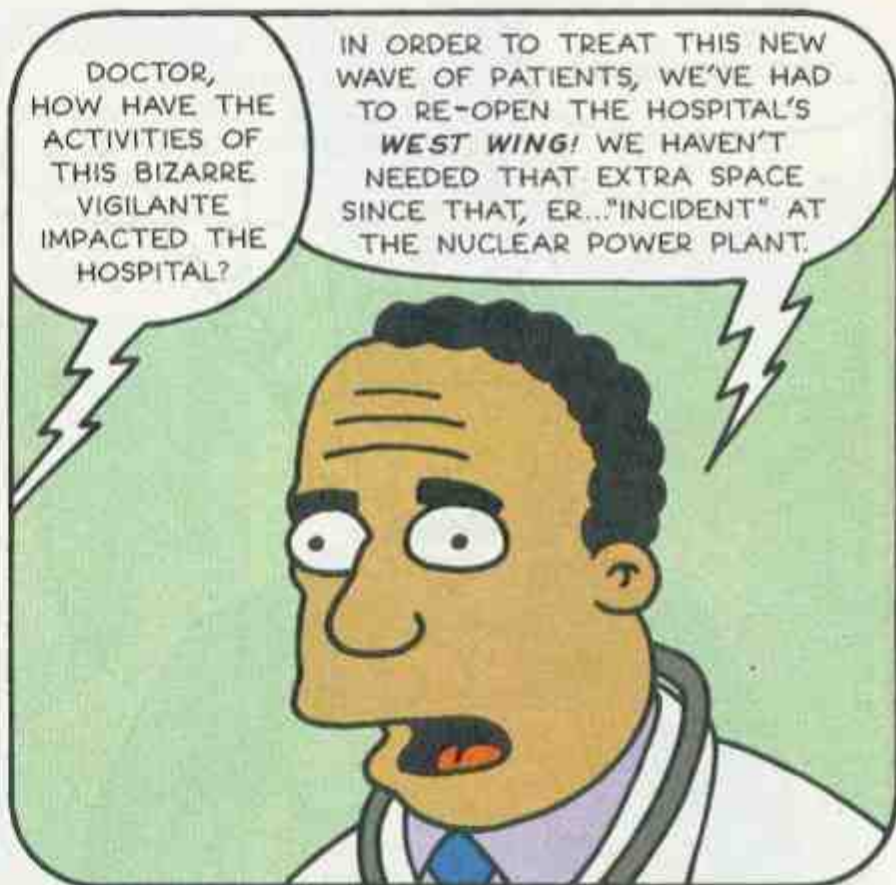


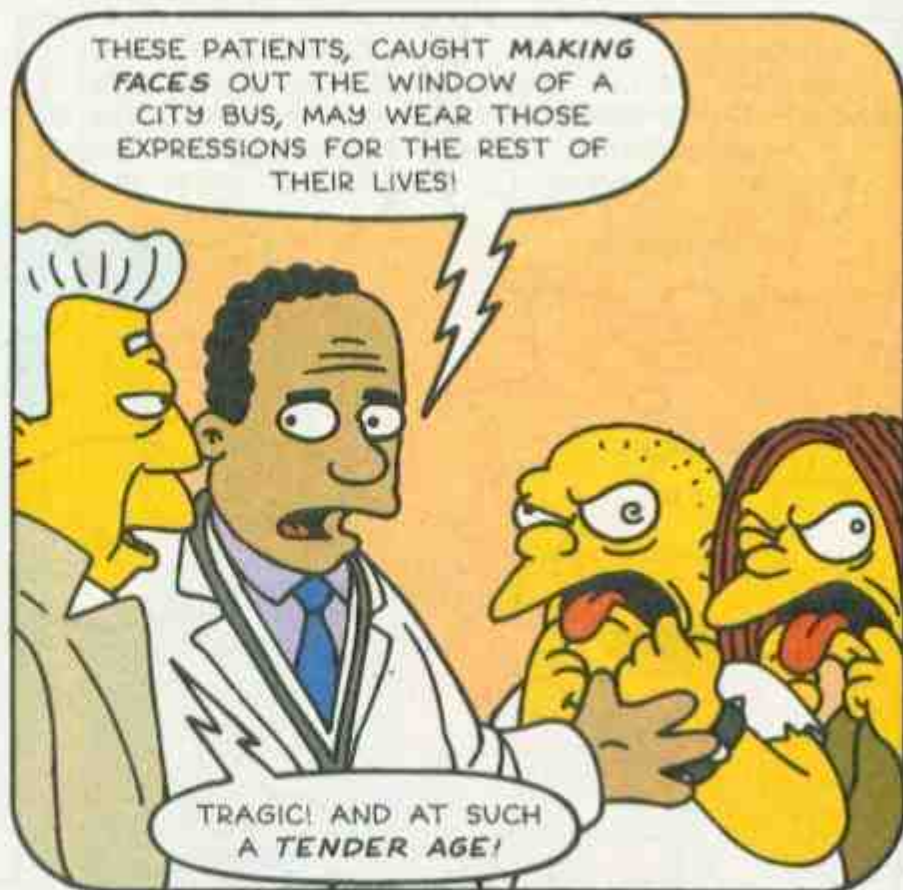










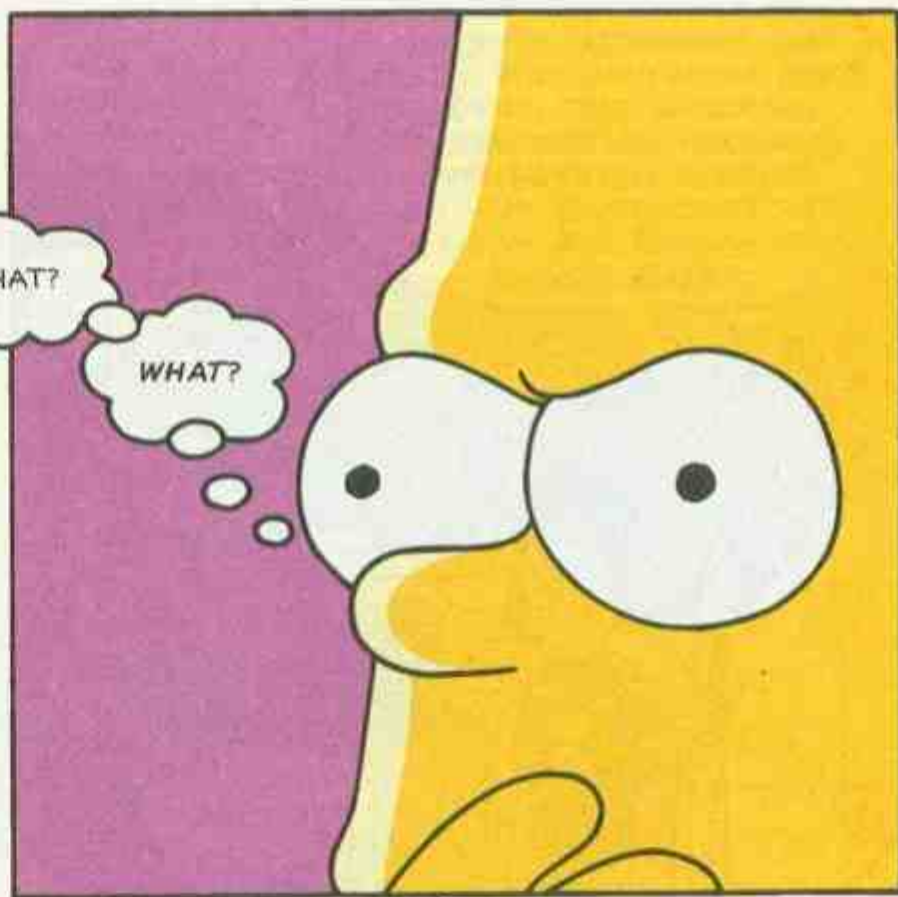




STRANGE -- IT ISN'T LIKE BART TO LET THIS KIND OF FAMILY DISCUSSION PASS WITHOUT SARCASTIC COMMENT. I WONDER IF HE'S SICK OR SOMETHING.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE PENALIZER'S *MODUS OPERANDI* IS DISTURBINGLY FAMILIAR -- BUT WHAT IS IT?

WHAT?



WHAT?



OH, LOOK -- THERE'S *POLICE CHIEF WIGGUM*! IT'S REASSURING TO SEE OUR TOWN'S TOP LAW-ENFORCEMENT OFFICER ON THE CASE!

CAN YOU TAKE THE TIME TO HAVE A WORD WITH US, CHIEF?



WHA -- ? OH, HELLO, KENT. I WAS JUST, UH, TAKING A LITTLE *BREAK* FROM OUR *GRUELING INVESTIGATION*! MAN, THIS CASE IS *TOUGH*!

WHAT WILL YOUR NEXT STEP BE?



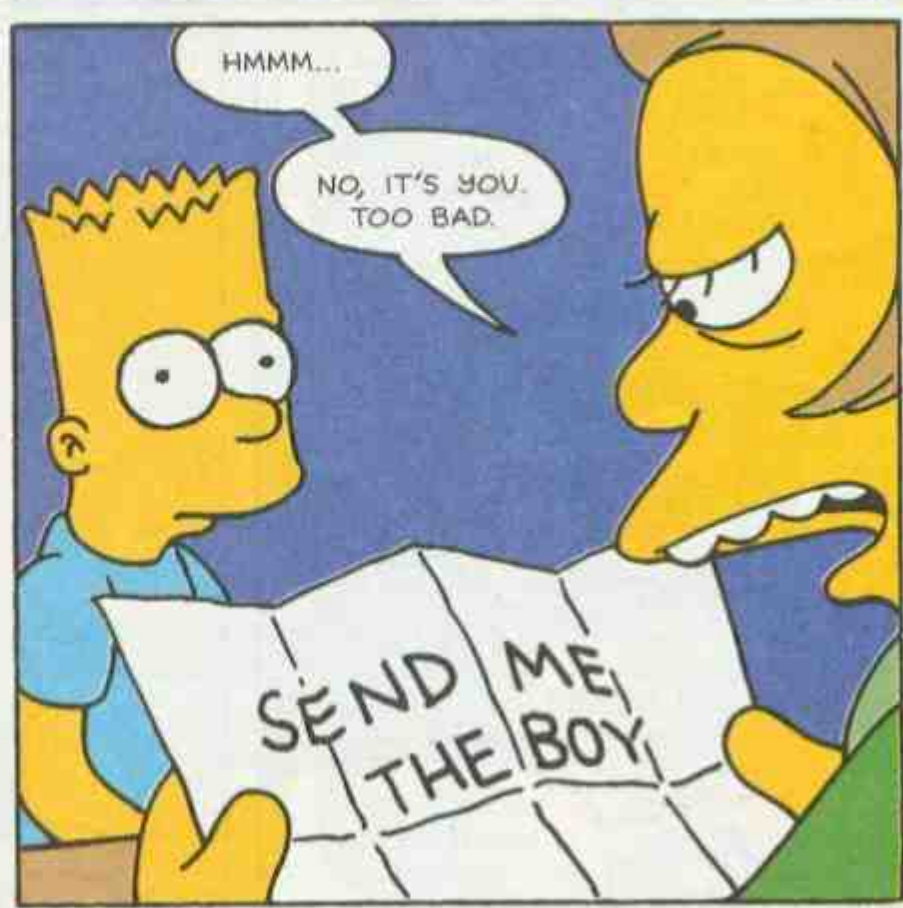
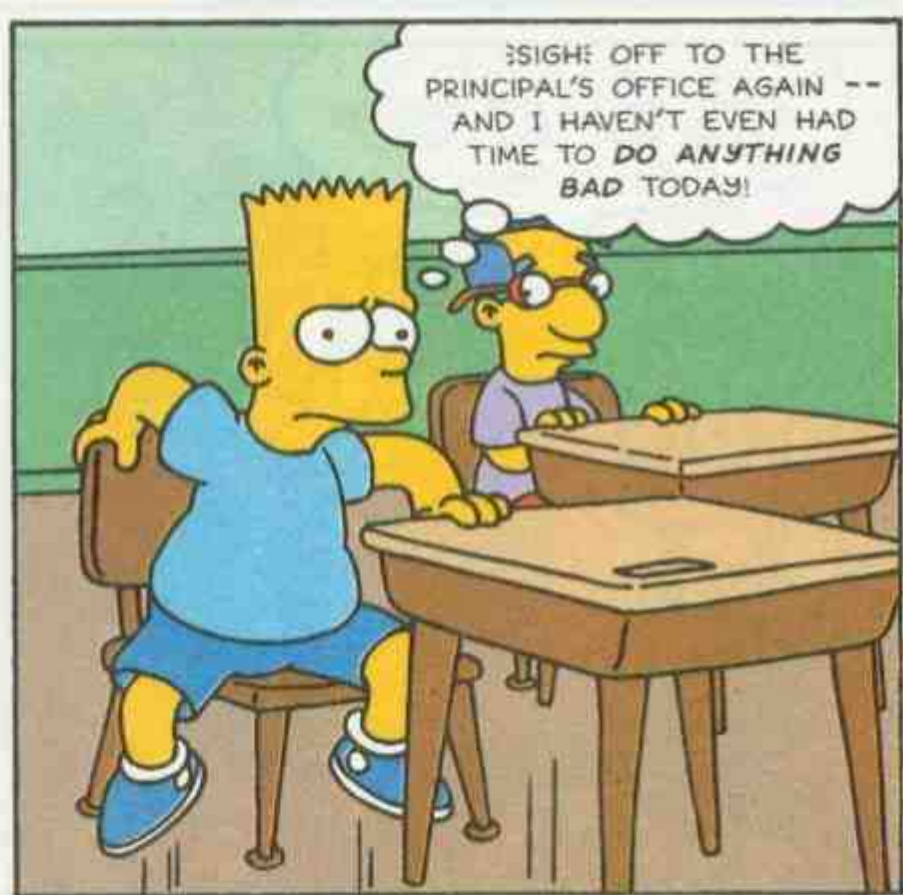
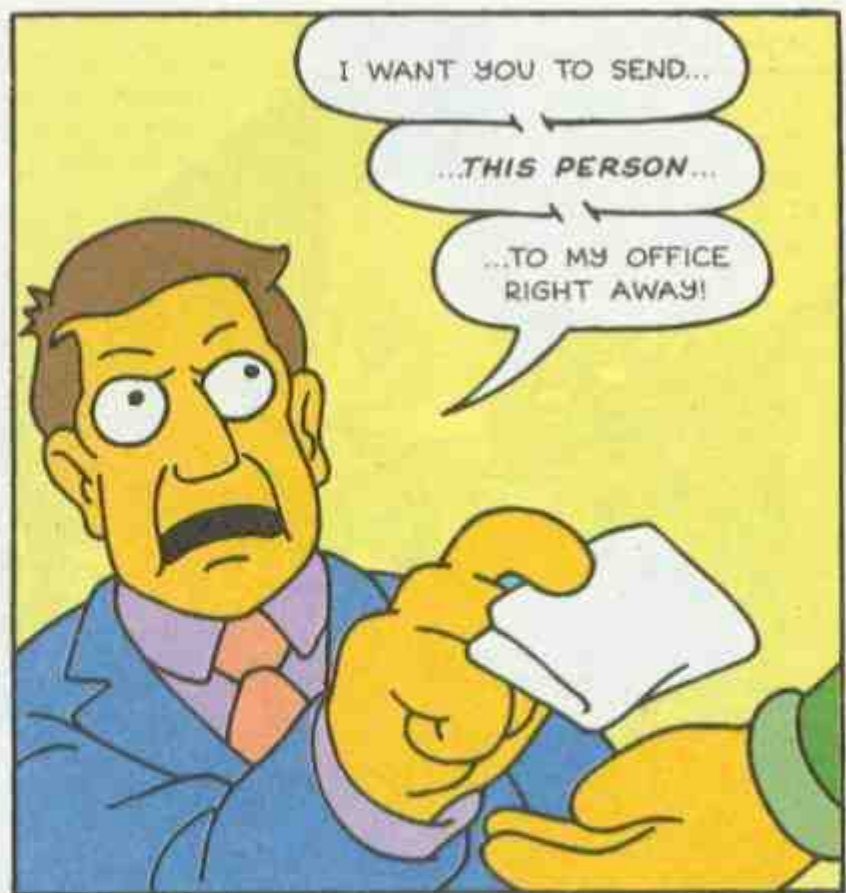
I'M ABOUT TO QUESTION A BUNCH OF PEOPLE *THE PENALIZER* CAUGHT *CUTTING IN LINE* AT A MOVIE THEATER. HE MADE IT *PRETTY UGLY* FOR THEM! YOU WANNA WATCH?

N-NO MORE, PLEASE. I-I'VE SEEN *ENOUGH*!



ONE LAST QUESTION, CHIEF -- HOW DOES THE *PENALIZER* FORCE HIS VICTIMS TO *OBEY* HIS *SINISTER COMMANDS*?

WELL, KENT, ALONG WITH *WHO* THE *PENALIZER* IS, WHAT HE *LOOKS LIKE*, AND *WHY* HE'S DOING THIS, THAT'S THE *ONE QUESTION* WE HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO ANSWER!



MOMENTS LATER...

EULP! JIMBO, DOLPH, KEARNY, AND NELSON ARE HERE! WHATEVER'S GOING ON MUST BE BIG!

BART, I'M SURE YOU KNOW WHY I'VE CALLED YOU HERE TODAY.

THE LAB FROGS. THE RESTROOM INCIDENT. NO, THE *STINK BOMBS* -- DEFINITELY THE *STINK BOMBS*.

I CAN'T IMAGINE, SIR.

SURELY YOU NOTICED THE CONDITION OF OUR *SCHOOL FLAG* WHEN YOU ARRIVED THIS MORNING!

WE HAVE A SCHOOL FLAG?

SOMEONE HAS *DESECRATED* OUR *SACRED BANNER*!

AS YOU CAN SEE FROM THIS ILLUSTRATION OF THE INTACT BANNER BY ONE OF OUR GRADUATES, THE EMBLEM OF OUR MASCOT, THE SPRINGFIELD ELEMENTARY PUMA, IS NOW *MISSING*! SOMEONE *CUT IT OUT*!

I *EXPECTED* YOU TO DENY YOUR GUILT -- YOUR KIND ALWAYS DOES!

THE 'NAM WAS FULL OF NE'ER-DO-WELLS LIKE YOU!

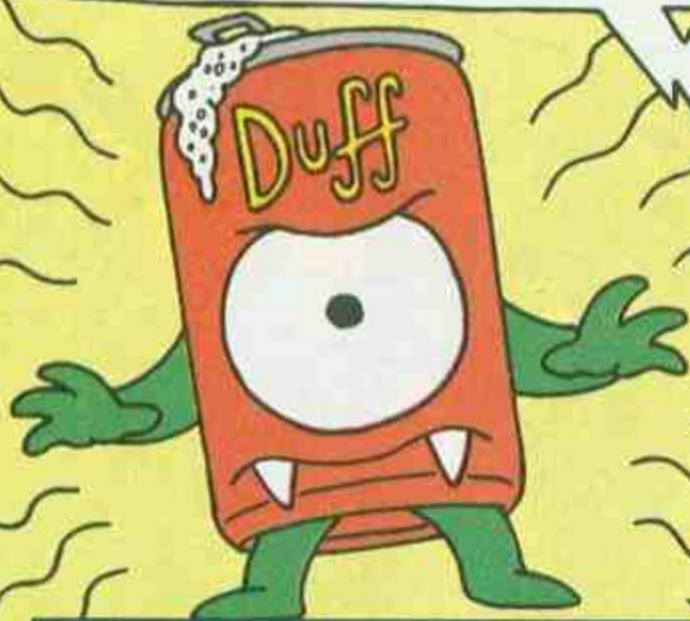
CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS -- FRAGGERS -- DESERTERS -- *WHINERS* AND *SLACKERS*!

YES, I *KNOW* YOUR KIND -- I *KNOW* THEM WELL!

HONEST, SIR -- I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT!



NOW, BASED ON THESE EYEWITNESS ACCOUNTS, OUR ARTISTS HAVE CREATED A **COMPUTER MODEL** OF WHAT THE PENALIZER LOOKS LIKE!



COMPUTER COMPOSITE

THIS JUST IN! FOLLOWING A FRENZIED **BIDDING WAR** WITH CHANNEL 4, WE BRING YOU AN **EYE ON SPRINGFIELD EXCLUSIVE** -- THE FIRST ACTUAL VIDEO FOOTAGE OF THE MYSTERIOUS **PENALIZER**!

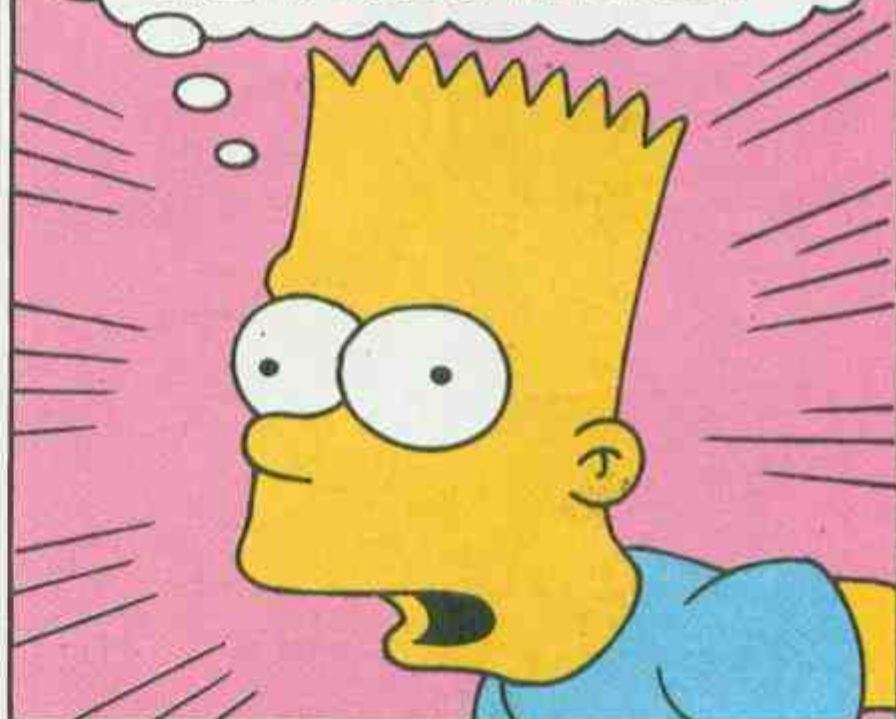


A LOCAL COUPLE ACCIDENTALLY CAPTURED THE PENALIZER ON TAPE WHILE STAGING AN EMBARRASSING "ACCIDENT" FOR THE **SPRINGFIELD'S MOST MORTIFYING HOME VIDEOS** TV SHOW!

"AS YOU CAN SEE, THIS STRANGE FIGURE SKULKING ON A ROOFTOP IN THE BACKGROUND BEARS AN, ER, UNCANNY RESEMBLANCE TO OUR OWN COMPUTERIZED COMPOSITE, RIGHT DOWN TO THE, UH, NUMBER OF LIMBS..."



THAT SYMBOL ON THE PENALIZER'S CHEST -- IT'S THE EMBLEM THAT WAS CUT OUT OF THE **SCHOOL FLAG**! WHOEVER TOOK THE EMBLEM IS PROBABLY THE PENALIZER!



JIMBO, DOLPH, KEARNY, AND NELSON ARE THE PRIME SUSPECTS, BUT -- **THE BARTSIGNAL!** I'M NEEDED!



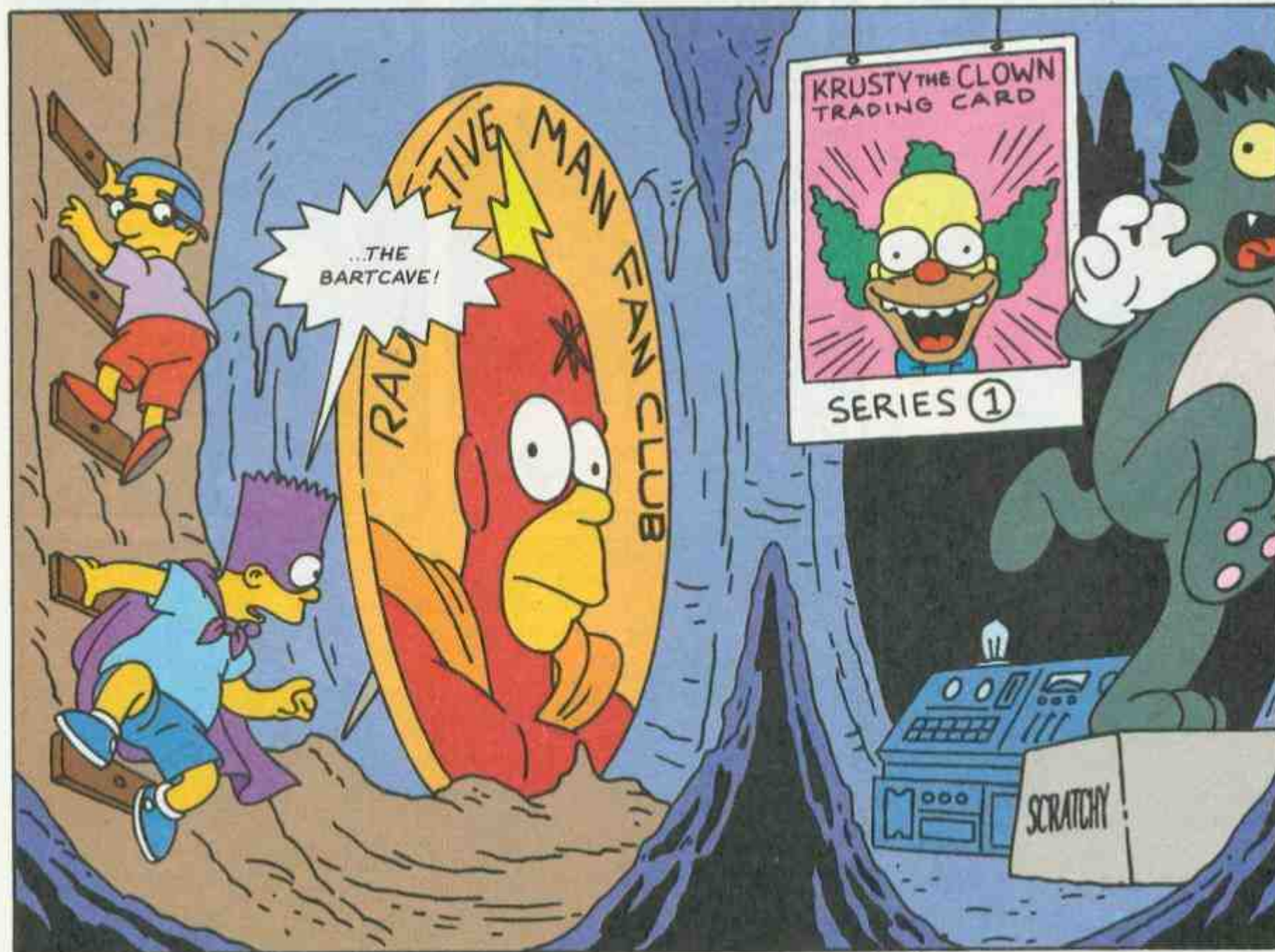
WHERE ARE YOU GOING, BART?

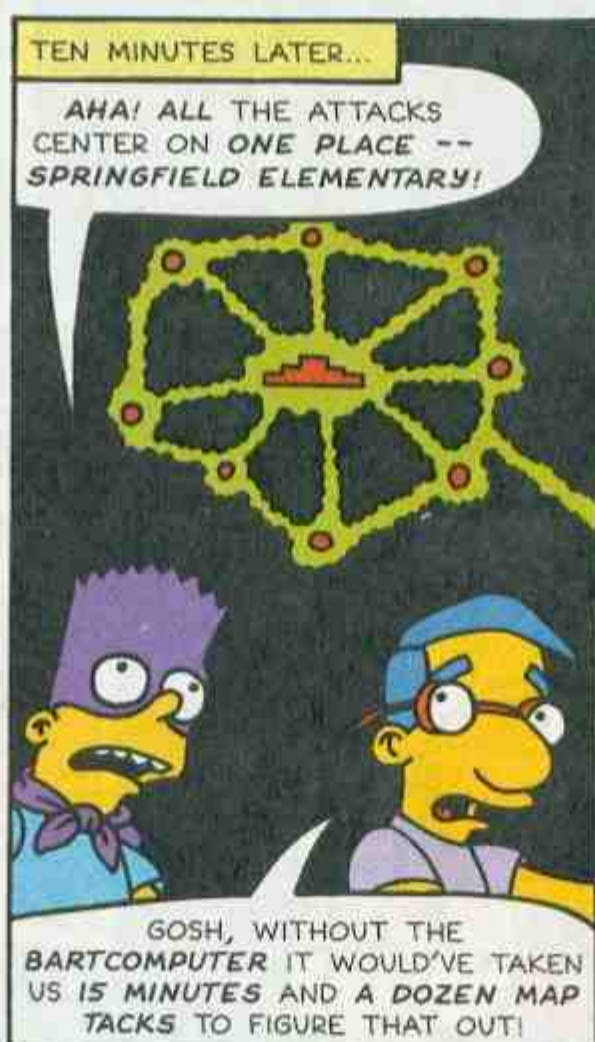
I, UH, HAVE SOME **HOMEWORK** TO DO!



BART -- RUSHING TO DO **HOMEWORK**? EITHER HE'S BEEN TAKEN OVER BY ALIEN POD-PEOPLE, OR THERE'S SOMETHING ODD GOING ON HERE!









"TH' AWFUL SIGHT O' THE
TEACHERS' LOUNGE IS STILL
SEARED INTO ME BRAIN!"

ACH! 'TIS WITCHCRAFT,
SURE AS TH' DEVIL! WHO
DID THIS TO YE?

BUH-BWAART!

BUH-BUH-
BAAR!

B-B-BAAR!
BAAART!

TEACHERS
LOUNGE
NO STUDENTS ALLOWED

"THE PERPETRATOR
WAS NEVER FOUND."

"TH' INFERNAL COIN WAS
LATER FOUND ON THE
PLAYGROUND BY A CERTAIN
GOODY-TWO-SHOES
STUDENT. TH' SPELL WAS
BROKEN, AND THE
TEACHERS RETAINED NO
MEMORY O' THE
DIABOLICAL MATTER..."

...BUT E'EN TODAY, THE
WORD "BARNYARD" CAN
PITCH THE ENTIRE
FACULTY INTO A
FRENZY!

FAREWELL, LADDIE!
MAY TH' WIND NE'ER
BLOW UP YER KILT!

I KNOW WHAT I MUST
DO...THOUGH IT MEANS
TAKING THE **BIGGEST**
RISK OF MY CAREER!

AND NOW THE
PENALIZER HAS
LOOSED THIS
TERRIBLE POWER ON
AN UNSUSPECTING
POPULACE! I'VE GOT
TO STOP HIM!

I'VE GOT TO
LURE THE
PENALIZER OUT
INTO THE OPEN!

SOON...

THE ENEMIES OF
ORDER SEEK TO
CONCEAL THEMSELVES
IN THE SHADOWS
OF NIGHT...

...BUT THEY CANNOT
HIDE FROM THE
UNBLINKING EYE OF
FANATICISM!

EL BARTO -- SPRINGFIELD'S
MOST INFAMOUS GRAFFITI
VANDAL! AT LAST OUR
PATHS CROSS!

REOPENING SOON!

EL BARTO

SO, BART SIMPSON --
YOU ARE EL BARTO!
I NEVER WOULD HAVE
GUESSED!

!ULP! THE
PENALIZER!

YOU DID IT -- I SAW
YOU DO IT -- I CAN
PROVE EVERYTHING!

THIS GUY'S FAST!
HE'S ANTICIPATING MY
REPARTEE!

HOW IRONIC THAT YOUR UNDER-
ACHIEVING WAYS WILL BE ENDED BY
A DEVICE CONFISCATED FROM SOME
UNKNOWN UNDERACHIEVER! YOU ARE
HELPLESS BEFORE THE AWESOME
POWER OF THE HYPNO-COIN!

AT MY COMMAND YOU WILL
BECOME A MODEL STUDENT!

YOU WANT TO JOIN THE
CHESS CLUB! YOU WILL
DEMAND MORE HOMEWORK!

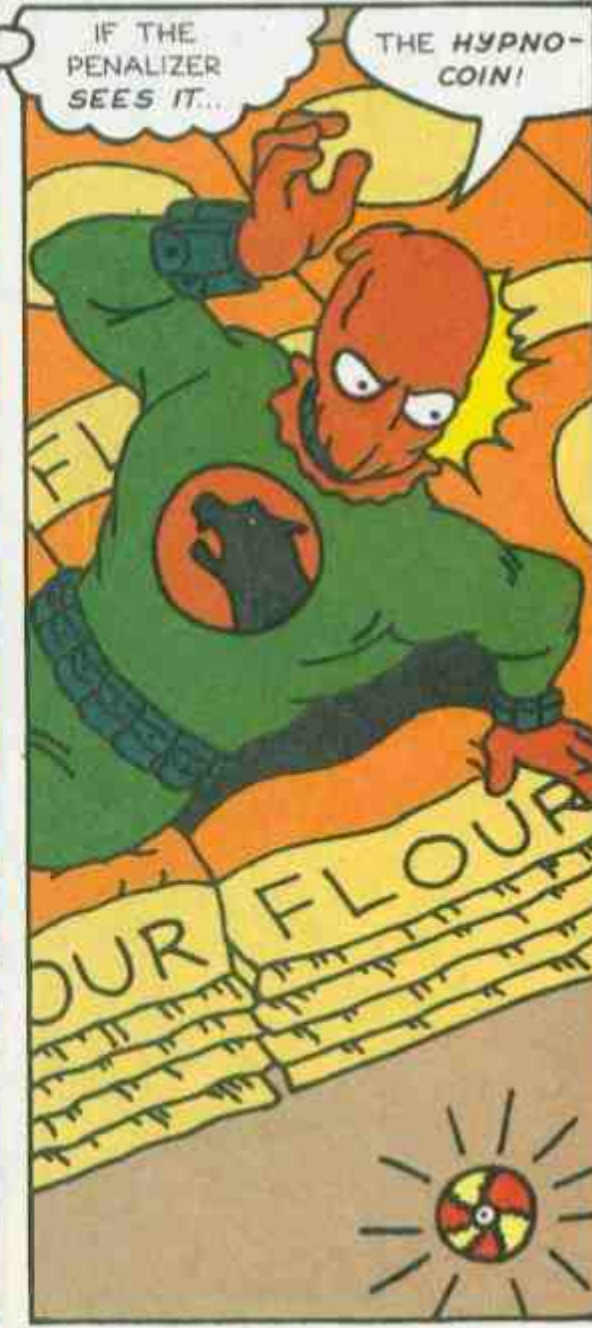
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LOOK AT...
COIN!

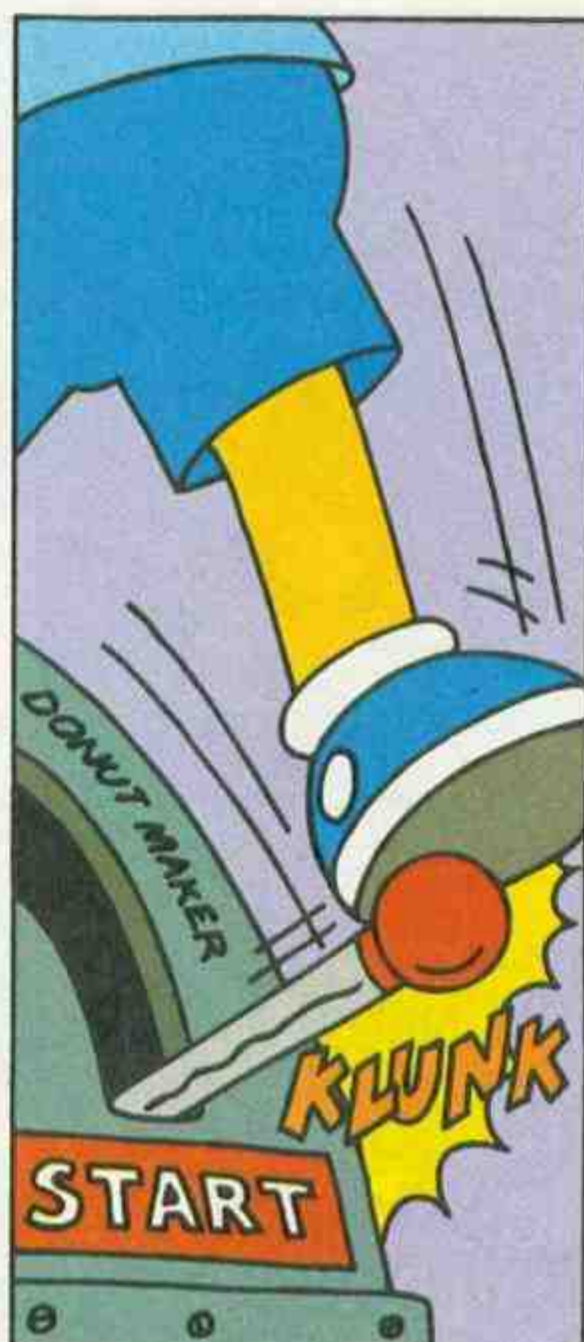
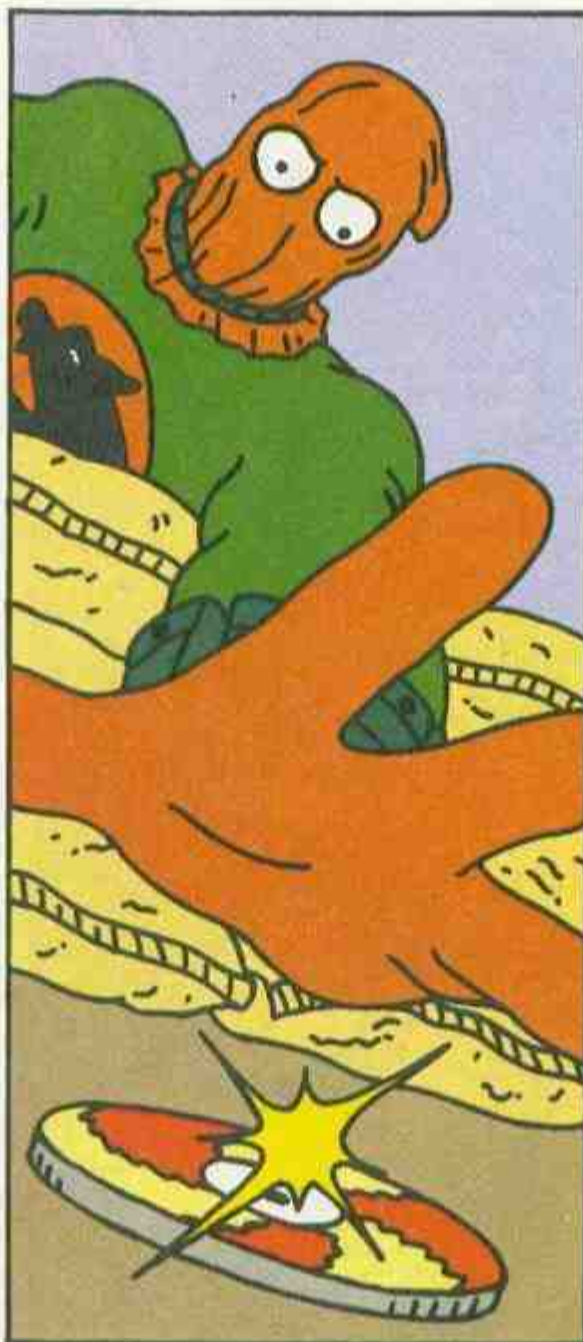
GOT TO...
GET
AWAY...



















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WITH GAME BOY® AND GAME GEAR™



BART VS. THE WORLD



BART AND THE BEAN STALK



BART MEETS RADIOACTIVE MAN



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