

I note that I said you'd have a helluva  
time putting out future issues  
it's too bad that you don't know  
what to expect

# NONSENSE

## STFANTASY CARTOONS

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HOMERUN  
PARLOUR

Trick or Treat!



DRike



Wally Johnson



DO YOU WANT TO SEE THE  
THIS TO YOU, THE NUMBER

YOU'RE RIGHT!  
I DON'T THINK  
LIFE COULD EXIST ON  
THIS PLANET  
WITH TOO MUCH AIR



MIXED  
LAWRENCE

PERFUMES



How it like that  
you want to remember  
you, just like you are.



Rike

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

Go on, I DARE  
you to knock it  
off!



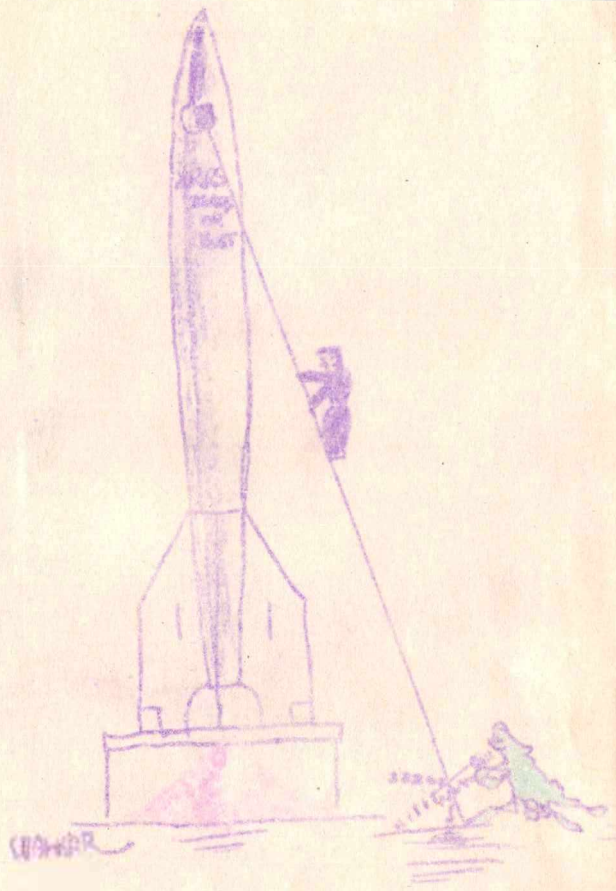
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"I tile ya - he's not carnivorous!"

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I'VE GOT IT ALL  
FIGURED OUT—  
WHEN THE FIRST  
LAND, I DUCK



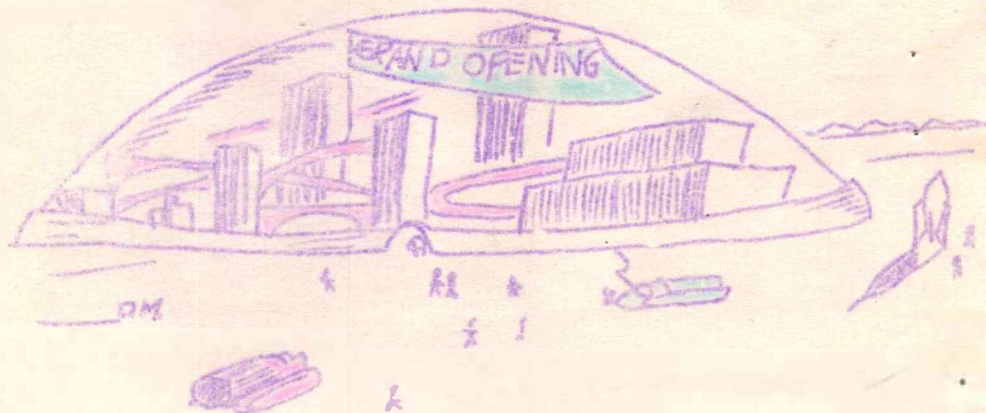


DON'T YOU THINK  
IT'S ABOUT TIME  
WE TOLD HIM THE  
FACTS OF LIFE?





"OF COURSE YOU CAN'T COME. ALL THE PSYCHOLOGISTS SAY SO!"




"I'VE LOST THE KEY!"

WELLOT FLESH GORDON  
BY RAY SUN COMPANY



WALKER



NAW! WE'VE BEEN  
GOING AROUND  
TOGETHER FOR YEARS


WALKER



HELLO FLASH GORDON  
FOR RAY SUN COMPANY



WALKER



NAW! WE'VE BEEN  
GOING AROUND  
TOGETHER FOR YEARS

WALKER



BUT ACTUALLY,  
ITS BITE IS WORSE THAN ITS BARK.



WELL, DABER, HERE WE GO AGAIN.

MY GOD! I'D JUST  
ABOUT GIVEN UP HOPE  
THAT YOU WERE  
COMING!



NONSENSICAL MUTTERINGS

...what the readers thought...

JAMES E. DAVIS: "Nonsense should be mimeoed better!"

DONALD O. CANTIN: "Jest got the 1st ish of NONSENSE. Yee Gods... It was pretty good-I liked DIGGING UP DATES--was the best..."

G. V. CARR: "'Nonsense' (spelled CUTE) received..."

DAVID ENGLISH: "Immense thanks for the copy of NONSENSE. I particularly liked the cartoons by Lemus, Oeser, English, Cantin, Wells, Rike, and the Carrtoons by Carr. # Fairly good hektoing

RICH BERGERON: \*Received NONSENSE and many thanks for same. Enclosed is 5¢ for two more copies. My head feels dazy, I think my feet are on clouds, maybe I'm crazy. # A few comments are in order seeing that I'm quite speechless otherwise. Comments: I hope you can keep this up for at least two issues more but think you're going to have a hellofa time doing it. The ones by Rike were good enough to have appeared in Quandry. The others were on a par with the stuff pubed in NONSENSE. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ # The reproduction is commendable. How many copies did you pull off? # I'd like to see you use cartoon like those Vick runs in cf. Do you think you can get any? # Among the ones which I thought to be without a grain of humor was the one on page 3 and the one of page 8. My cat is funneyier than that. # The ones by Carr weren't bad but could have been funney. # Please don't get the idea that I'm trying to be sarcastic! I just want to let you know those that I thought humourless so you can compare my opinion with that of your other readers and thus know what

you had throughout, and that which was not good & pardonable... that god is awful stuff to work with is it not?"

HAL HOSVETLER: "Can't say much for Nonsense. I guess it's because it's a first ish. Some of the entering didn't come out so good; some did. Some cartoons were good; the rest weren't. Of course, it is a little difficult to do good cartooning on the off side. I liked Henry Czer's Famous First Words and Sissy Was Here and the Rocket Ship cartoons fairly well; the rest were just so-so."

CHARLES WELLS: "GOD NONSENSE. Please don't hector it. Hooray it, or better, ditto it. (Don't look at me). I'll send some cartoons."



not to print. OK? # Are you going to have a letter section?"

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### A BIT OF EDITORIALIZING

This issue, we think, is an improvement over last issue. This time we have 24 (count 'em!) pages, and color cartoons...some of them actually in four colors! The black, however, will not be seen again in NONSENSE, in all probability. It does not produce heavily enough for our purposes, except when working with typewritten items (as with the first 10 pages of this letter section). Also, future issues may come to you via a ditto machine. About 52 copies of the first issue were published; this issue will have around 62. By the way, if we don't get more monetary returns by the time next issue is issued, then that issue will be our last. Can you perceive the hint, oh fen?

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