

RALPH

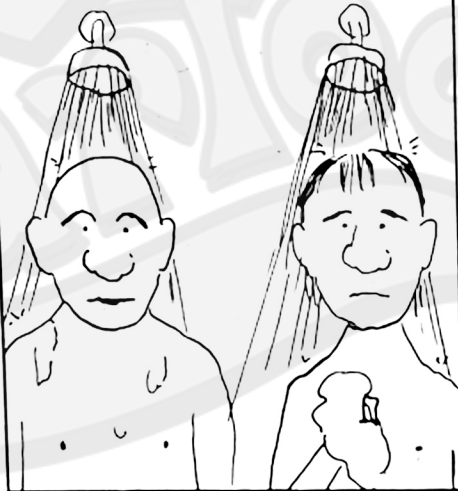
by *Wesley*

THIS TEACHING
PROFESSION IS
BEGINNING TO
SHOW THE YEARS.

WHAT DO YOU
MEAN, DR.
PHARTWHEAT?



MY BODY'S IN
LOUZY PHYSICAL
SHAPE AND
WHAT'S MORE....



I'M STARTING
TO GET SOME
GREY HAIRS.



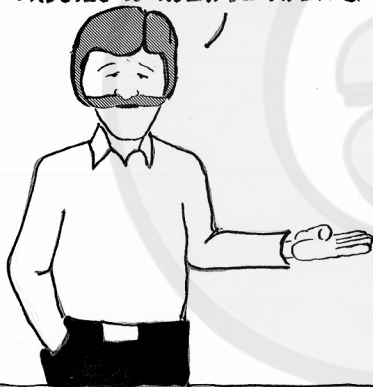
BY GOLLY,
YOU ARE GETTING
A LITTLE GREY,
PHARTWHEAT.



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by
PONY WHEELER

HI, FOLKS! I'D LIKE TO
TAKE TIME IN THIS SPECIAL
ISSUE TO ALLOW YOU TO
MEET SOME OF MY MOST
TRUSTED WONDERFUL FRIENDS.



I'M LIBBY AND
I DON'T LIKE
THE WAY YOU
HAVE ME
STEREOTYPED
AS A FORWARD
WOMAN'S LIBBER,
RALPH.



MY NAME IS
DURKWOOD
FINHEAD AND
I DON'T LIKE
THE WAY YOU
MAKE ME LOOK
LIKE AN
EGOTISTICAL
GEEK.



I'M CHUG,
AND I'M
NOT
REALLY AN
ALCOHOLIC,
RALPH.



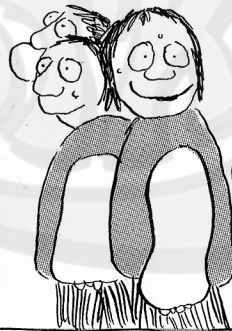
FG NST
SLBKNG,
SR MNT
FQ NRB
KLNMT
QVXML



MY NAME IS DR.
PHARTWHEAT AND
WHEN I GET FINISHED
WITH YOU, RALPH, YOU
WILL HAVE MORE GREY
HAIRS THAN I,



AND WE
WERE JUST
VISITING
TOWN FOR A
DERMATOLOGY
CLINIC.



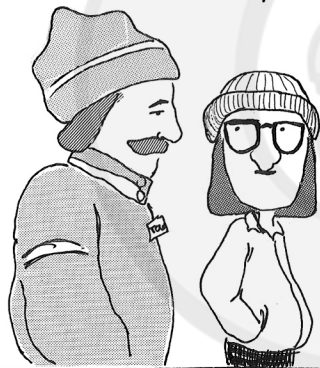
THIS IS COWARD
WHOLESALE AND
I WILL HAVE A
REPORT VERY
SHORTLY ON
RALPH CRABTREE'S
ASSASSINATION.



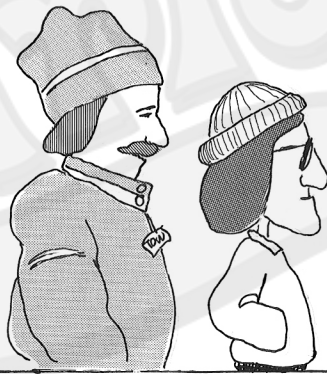
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by
RON WHEELER

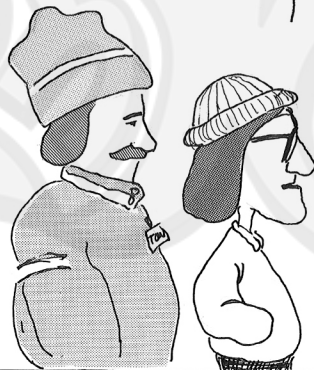
WHAT DID YOU DO OVER
VACATION , RALPH ?



I WENT SKIING
IN COLORADO.



SKIING, HUH,
HOW WAS IT?



WARM!



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by
RON WHEELER

IF I'M GOING TO HELP YOU
WITH YOUR HOMEWORK, I'LL
HAVE TO CALL YOU TONIGHT,
FAST EDDIE.

FAR OUT,
MAN!



OKAY, NOW GIVE
ME YOUR NUMBER.



OH, SORRY, MAN,
I'M FRESH OUT.



RALPH

by
RON WHEELER

BOY! THIS SNOW IS
FALLING SO HEAVY,
I CAN'T EVEN SEE
MY HAND IN FRONT
OF MY FACE.

/

I THINK I'M GETTING
CLOSE TO MY CLASS
ROOM BUILDING, NOW,
I'LL JUST REACH
FOR THE DOOR HANDLE
AND

/

WHOOOPS!

/

WHOOOPS!

/

THAY, FELLA,
THAT'S QUITE
A GRIP YOU'VE
GOT THERE.

/

RALPH

by
RON
WHEELER



WHAT TH ... !



WELL, I'LL BE.



AT LEAST I WON'T
GET PIMPLES ON
MY TEETH, NOW,



RALPH

by
ROY WHEELER

... AND THE
WINNER
FOR BEST
PICTURE
IS
"CHINATOWN."

WAIT
A
MINUTE

BUT MR.
SINATRA!
WE'RE ON
THE
AIR!

I DON'T CARE!
YOUSE GUYS
SAID DA
GODFADDER II
WOULD MAKE
A CLEAN
SWEEP!

BUT... BUT...
YOU CAN'T
KILL ME
ON STAGE!

WE MADE
YOU AN
OFFER YOU
COULDN'T
REFUSE!
WASTE
HIM BOYS!

BLAM BLAM
BLAM
AAARGH

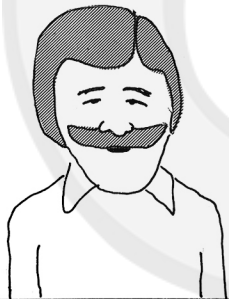
I'M BEGINNING
TO THINK THAT
THESE AWARDS
AREN'T ENTIRELY
NON-POLITICAL

LADIES &
GENTLEMEN,
BY A RECOUNT
OF VOTES,
IT TURNS
OUT DAT DA
GODFADDER II
HAS WON
ONCE AGAIN.

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by
RON WHEELER

AH, SPRING IS HERE!



THE LEAVES ARE COMING
BACK ON THE TREES,
THE FLOWERS ARE BACK,
THE WARM WEATHER IS
BACK, AND THE ...



PLOP



BIRDS ARE BACK!

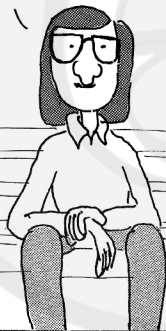


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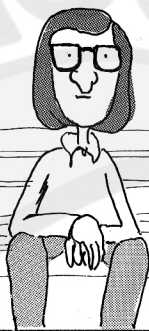
ISN'T IT GREAT, DURK?
SPRING'S HERE!

I'M NOT SO SURE,
I HAVEN'T SEEN
THE FIRST SIGN, YET.

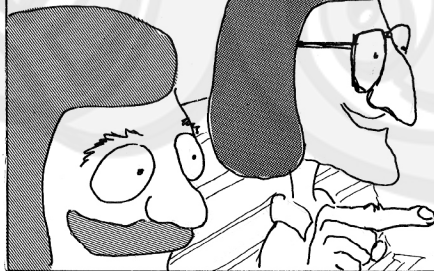


WHAT DO YOU
MEAN? I SAW
A ROBIN
THREE
WEEKS
AGO!

THAT'S NOT
THE FIRST
SIGN I'M
TALKING
ABOUT.



WAIT A MINUTE!
THERE IT IS...
THE FIRST
SIGN OF
SPRING!



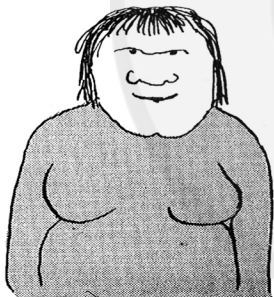
WOWEE!
NICE
HALTER,
EH?



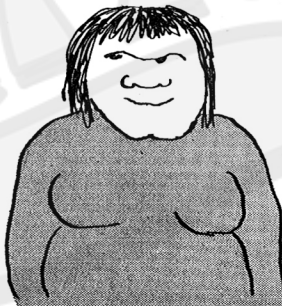
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by Wheeler

ONE GOOD THING ABOUT
TODAY'S SOCIETY IS THAT
WOMEN NO LONGER NEED
TO FEEL AFRAID TO ASSERT
THEMSELVES.



HI THERE, LIBBY.



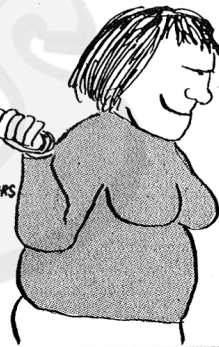
HI BIG FELLA. HOW'D
YA LIKE TO GO OUT
ON A DATE
MY TREAT.



WORKS EVERY
TIME.



KEEP THOSE
CARDS + LETTERS
COMING IN,
GIRLS!





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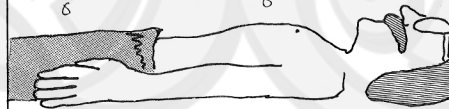
BOY! THIS IS
THE GREATEST!



WITH WINTER OVER,
I CAN JUST LAY OUT
AND SOAK UP THE SUN
AND THE WARMTH AND...



WHAT TH...!



WELL THAT CERTAINLY
WAS A SHORT
SUMMER!



RALPH

by
POW/
WHEELER

THIS CERTAINLY IS A
PLEASANT EVENING FOR
A DRIVE THRU CAMPUS.



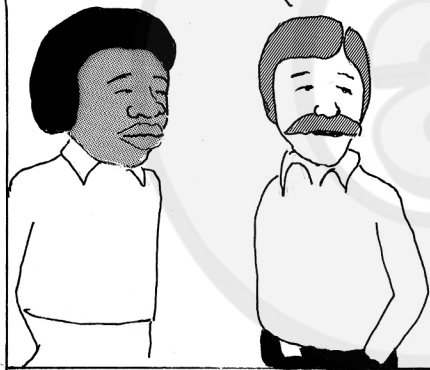
PROVIDING, OF COURSE, YOU
DON'T GO UP 16th ST,



RALPH

by
RON WHEELER

I'D BETTER PROTECT
MYSELF BEFORE WE
GO OUTSIDE.



YOU WOULDN'T HAPPEN
TO HAVE ANY SUN TAN
LOTION, WOULD YOU?



TELL ME, RALPH,
HOW DOES YOUR
FOOT TASTE?



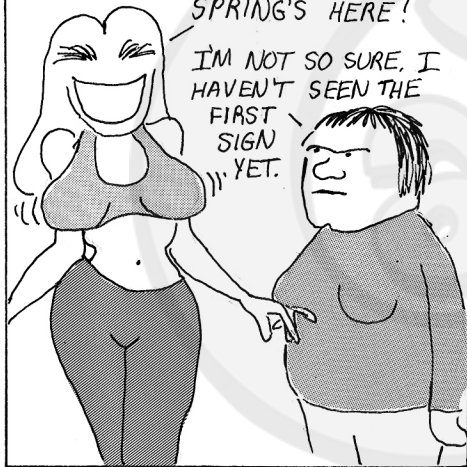
AARGH

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by
WHEELER
& LITTLE
SUSIE REITZ

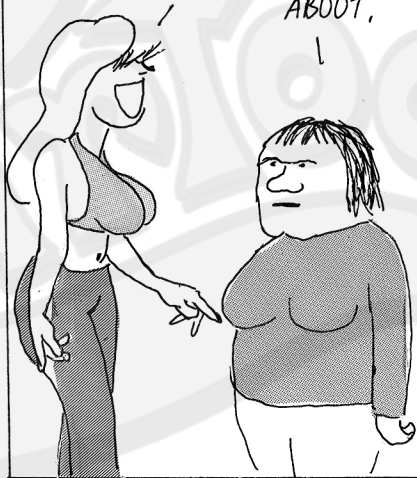
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WHAT DO YOU
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A ROBIN THREE
WEEKS AGO!

THAT'S NOT
THE FIRST
SIGN I'M
TALKING
ABOUT.



WAIT A MINUTE!
THERE IT IS...
THE FIRST
SIGN OF
SPRING!



NICE
TENNIS
BALLS
EH?



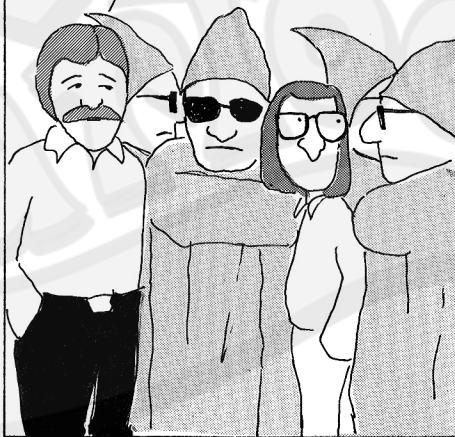
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WHO ARE THESE WIERDOS, RALPH?
THOSE ARE INNOCENTS, DURK.

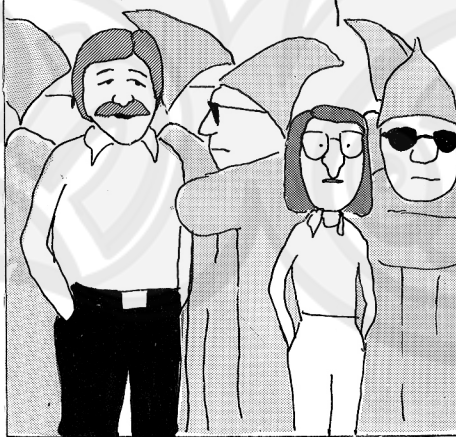


THEY STRUT AROUND CAMPUS ONCE
A YEAR AND TACKLE NEW
MEMBERS WHO HAVE MADE
GREAT CONTRIBUTIONS TO
THE UNIVERSITY, SCHOLASTICALLY
AND SOCIALLY.



IT'S ALL
POLITICAL,
THOUGH.

WHY DO
YOU SAY
THAT?



BECAUSE I'VE
NEVER BEEN
TACKLED,



RALPH

by
Roy
WHEELER

I TELL YOU, DURK, I'VE
NEVER BEEN SO FAR
BEHIND IN MY LIFE.
THE PRESSURE OF
FINALS IS REALLY
STARTING TO GET
TO ME. I DON'T
KNOW IF I
CAN MAKE IT.



IF YOU'RE SO FAR BEHIND,
WHY AREN'T YOU STUDYING
/ RIGHT NOW,

WHAT? AND MISS
MY FAVORITE
TV SHOW?



WOULD YOU PASS ME
MY MOUSE EARS,
PLEASE.



MICKEY MOUSE,
DONALD DUCK!
MICKEY MOUSE,
DONALD DUCK!
FOREVER
LET US HOLD
OUR BANNER
HIGH, HIGH,
HIGH, HIGH.

RALPH

by
WHEELER

RALPH, I'D LIKE YOU TO MEET
MY ROOMMATE, TOKE DAILY.

PLEASSED TO
MEET YOU, TOKE.

WHA...?

SAY HELLO,
TOKE.

WHA...?

TOKE'S MAJORING
IN POLITICAL
SCIENCE,
RALPH

OH, REALLY?
WHAT DO YOU
THINK OUR
INVOLVEMENT
IN INDOCHINA
SHOULD BE?

WHA...?

STICK WITH IT, KID,
YOU'LL BE A GREAT
POLITICIAN SOME
DAY,

WHA...?

RALPH

by
RON WHEELER

WELL, DURK, HERE WE
ARE IN GOAT-ROPER
LAND AT THE ANNUAL
CORNSTOCK FESTIVAL
/



GREAT! WHERE'S THE
SKINNY DIPPER? WHO'S
GOT THE BONG? LET'S
GET LOADED.
/



NO, DURK, IT ISN'T
QUITE THAT KIND
OF CONCERT,
/



ABOUT THE ONLY TREAT
YOU'LL GET OUT HERE
IS READING EVERYONE'S
NAME OFF THEIR BELT.
/



RALPH

by
WHEELER

COME HERE
AND LOOK AT
THIS NEW
STEREO SYSTEM
I GOT, CHUG.

LOOKS
PRETTY
NICE

YEP, AND IT COST
ME A MINT. IT'S
VERY PRACTICAL, THOUGH

PRACTICAL?

YEA, SEE THIS
TURNABLE? YOU
FLIP THIS SWITCH
AND IT DOUBLES
AS A BROILER OVEN
SO I CAN EAT AND
LISTEN AT THE
SAME TIME.

LET'S GO TO
THE WATERLOAF
AND HAVE A
FEW B's, RALPH.

RALPH

by
RON WHEELER

WELL, RALPH, THIS IS YOUR
LAST STRIP OF THE YEAR,
WHAT ARE YOU
GOING TO DO?



WELL, I WAS THINKING
OF BRINGING ALL MY GREAT
FRIENDS TOGETHER AND
HAVE THEM TELL EVERYONE
WHAT A GREAT GUY I AM.



BUT INSTEAD, I THINK
I'LL JUST DELIVER A FINAL
MESSAGE FOR ALL MY
WONDERFUL FRIENDS
OUT THERE.



IT LOOKS
LIKE THIS
IS THE
END, RALPH.

SEE YA
NEXT YEAR,
FOLKS!

