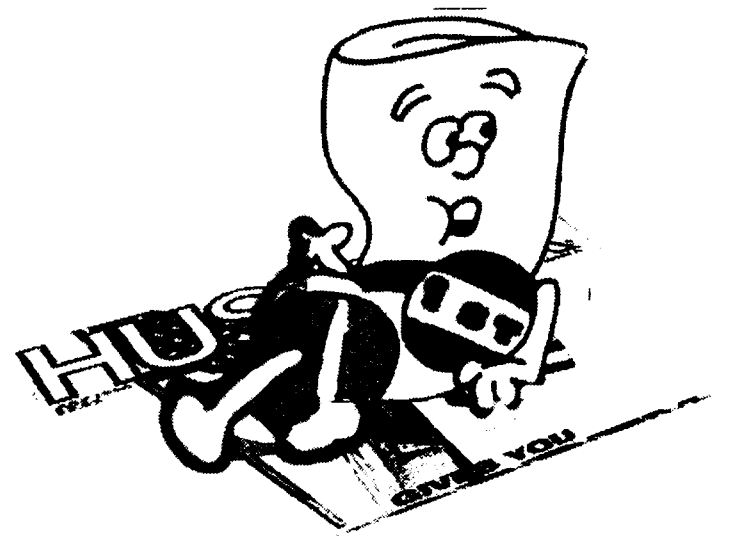


HUMOR

The people who count will get it



In Harrisburg the humor page writers discovered that The Bureaucrat's vile time-travel scheme stretched all the way to the state capitol, and that Governor Ed Rendell had converted the capitol building into a puppy slaughter house. The writers were too late to stop him from lowering a puppy into the pit of lava, but were able to use three cases of beer to bribe the Pennsylvania State Legislature into allowing them to make off with the first amendment, which just so happened to pass by on its flying carpet. The First Amendment thanked the three from saving it from the evil Bureau of Censorship with books of swear word and pornography.



The writers, Deacon, and the First Amendment knew that The Bureaucrat was still far too powerful for them to assault. "By cutting him off from his source of power - the manatees - he will begin to weaken," said Viz. "If we're lucky, if we fire the First Amendment from a slingshot and hit him where his wallet is, his most vulnerable spot, then we might be able to cast him into the void of time. He would be in limbo outside of the space-time continuum." Explained Dan. "Limbo? I love limbo," said Jerry. "We don't mean the fun kind of limbo, I mean dead pulsars." replied Viz. Then the band of stalwart heroes, conducted an assault on The Bureaucrat's manatee farm. Chaos ensued, manatees were akimbo. As our heroes were about to free the last manatee, The Bureaucrat mounted it and flew off into the night. "He's getting away!" said Jerry. "Way to point out the obvious, dork," replied Viz. Dan, expending the last of his psychic powers, said, "I know where he's going; the April 8 issue. So the doom of our time is to be decided on the lawn of the Reed Union Building. Onward!"



After napping the manatee farm, the band of heroes followed The Bureaucrat to the April 8 issue. The final battle between good and evil was held among the chaos of the epic conflict between the Star Wars/Gamers Club Alliance and the Behrend Star Trek Society. Both the Star Trek and Star Wars nerds obliterated each other, much to The Bureaucrat's delight. The heroes then prepared their ultimate weapon, they loaded the First Amendment into a giant sling shot and as they fired at The Bureaucrat. The First Amendment made a direct hit to The Bureaucrat's wallet thus destroying his last source of power. After the dust settled, they found that Dan, the gallant, assistant news editor was gripping the slingshot when it was fired, propelling him, The Bureaucrat and the giant slingshot into the space-time vortex. They will spend eternity locked in an epic battle. Jerry attempted to pull Dan from the vortex, but Viz pulled him away, saying, "It's too late for him, he would have wanted it that way. While he battles The Bureaucrat, the world is safe from that kind." Jerry then said, "Then it's up to us to make sure the humor page lives on." They spent the next eight decades working on and continuing to defend the humor page. When they retired Viz opened up a Photoshop dojo in Tibet and trained thousands of students in the ways of Photoshop. Due to the changes in the space-time continuum Jerry moved into a beach shack with Bigfoot and accosted passers-by.



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