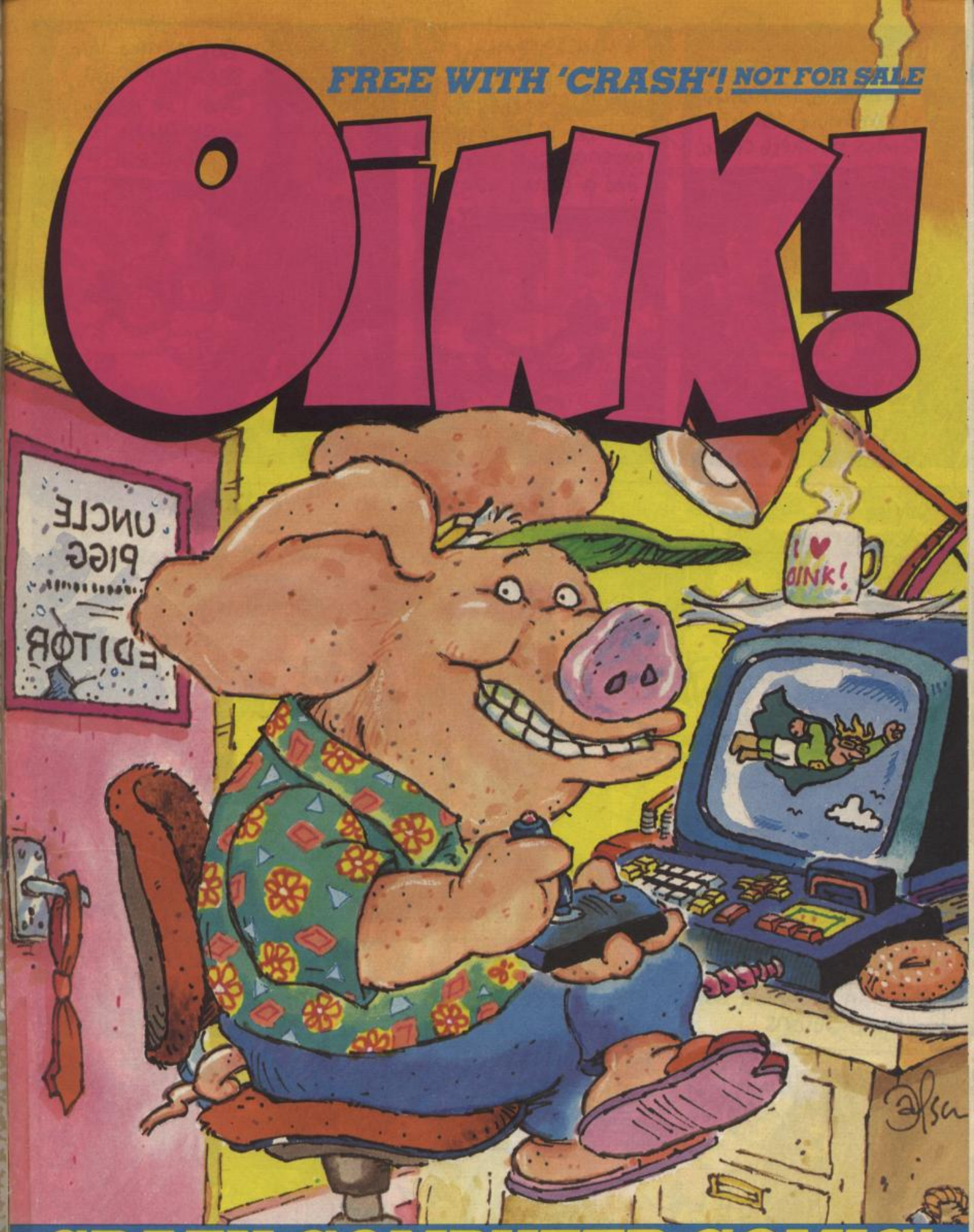
FREE WITH 'CRASH'! NOT FOR SALE

OINK!

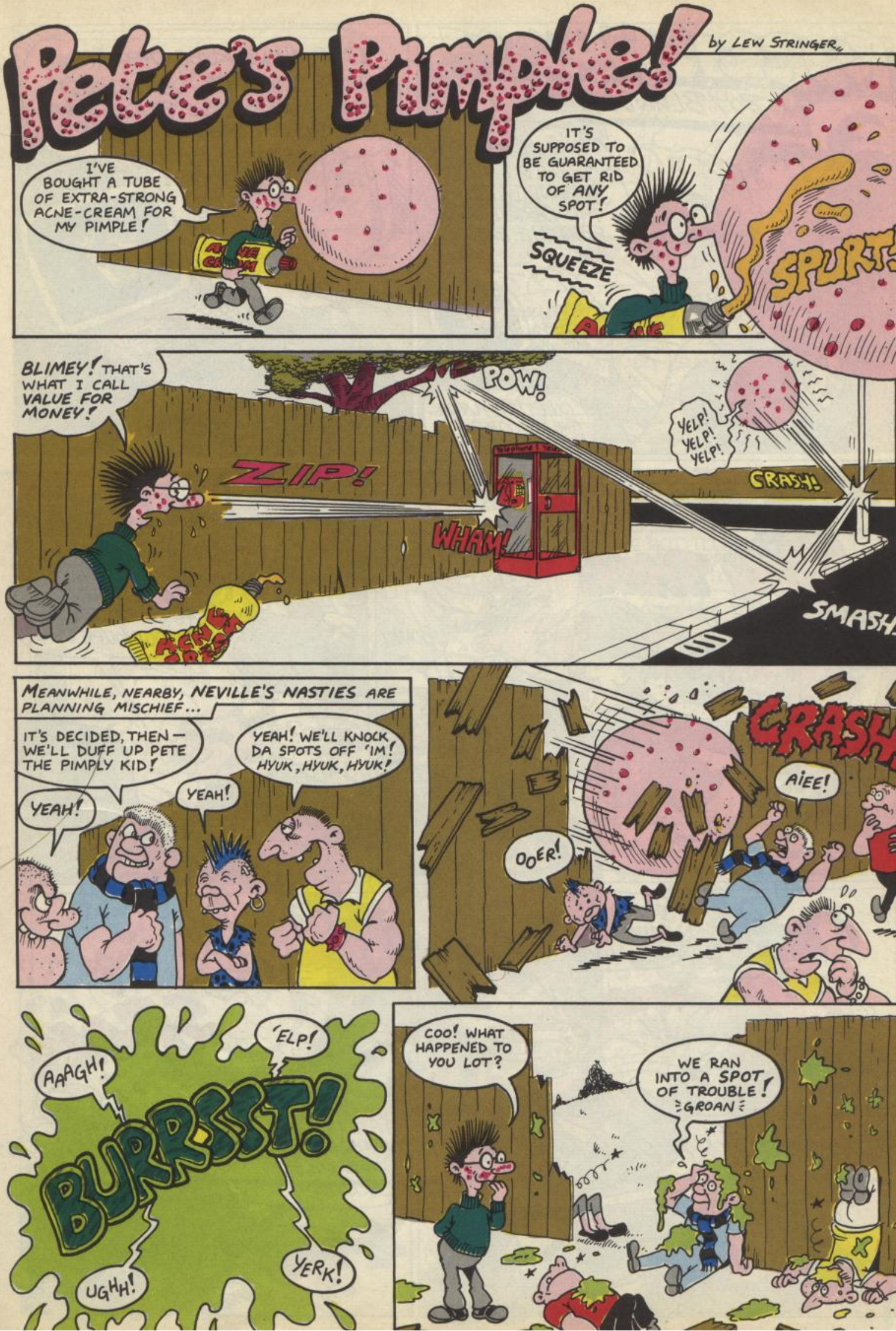


CRAZY COMPUTER COMIC!

WITH – PETE'S PIMPLE! RUBBISHMAN! TOM THUG!

AS SEEN IN CRL'S 'OINK!' GAME!

Mary Lighthouse
H-h-hello, I'm Mary Lighthouse, 'Oink' Comics harshest critic!
I h-h-hate it, because the editor is a fat, sweaty pig, and it's f-f-full of rudeness, sick jokes and g-grubby gags!
But n-now I've seen the light, and I've decided that 'Oink' is g-great!
I advise you to place a regular order for it, now!
Dear Newsagent, please reserve me a copy of 'Oink!' every fortnight.
Name
Address
Signature of Parent/Guardian
And n-now I'll dance for you in my thermal underwear, wh-while stuffing this rubber chicken up my nose!
Tee,hee! It's amazing what you can do with computer simulations!
Singin' in the rain
CRASH!
OINK!
EDITOR
Grr! Shut that thing off, this second!
I ♥ OINK
MARY HEADROOM'S PROGRAMME
RODGERS + JACKSON


Pete's Pimple!
by LEW STRINGER
I'VE BOUGHT A TUBE OF EXTRA-STRONG ACNE-CREAM FOR MY PIMPLE!
IT'S SUPPOSED TO BE GUARANTEED TO GET RID OF ANY SPOT!
SQUEEZE
SPURT!
BLIMEY! THAT'S WHAT I CALL VALUE FOR MONEY!
ZIP!
POW!
YELP! YELP! YELP!
WHAM!
CRASH!
SMASH!
MEANWHILE, NEARBY, NEVILLE'S NASTIES ARE PLANNING MISCHIEF...
IT'S DECIDED, THEN — WE'LL DUFF UP PETE THE PIMPLY KID!
YEAH!
YEAH!
YEAH! WE'LL KNOCK DA SPOTS OFF 'IM! HYUK, HYUK, HYUK!
CRASH
AIEE!
OOER!
AAAGH!
'ELP!
BURRSST!
UGHH!
YERK!
COO! WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU LOT?
WE RAN INTO A SPOT OF TROUBLE!
GROAN

RUBBISHMAN
& BOY BLUNDER
OI, BOY BLUNDER! I COULD DO WITH A HAND BATTLING THIS CARROT-BEAST FROM THE EARTH'S CORE.....
QUIET! I'M PLAYING THE NEW 'OINK!' COMPUTER GAME
I'M PLAYING 'RUBBISHMAN (THE CRUDE CRUSADER)'! YOU'VE JUST FLOWN UNDER THREE BRIDGES AND DESTROYED A GANG OF NASTIES!
WHAT ARE YOU ON ABOUT?
THOK!
BONK!
IDIOT! YOU'VE DISTRACTED ME. NOW YOU'RE DEAD!
DEAD?
I'LL SHOW YOU WHO'S DEAD. FANCY A SPIN, YOU VILLAINOUS VEGETABLE?!
WOK!
SPLAK!
HE'S SPUN ROUND SO FAST HE'S EXPLODED! HMMM. I CAN'T STAND DICED CARROTS.....

BILLY BANG ~ THE CRAZY KID WHO EXPLODES WHEN HE'S ANGRY!

TOM THUG
HAH! I'LL SOON SORT THEM ZOMBIES OUT!
Sport GOAL!
DAILY WAFFLE
ZOMBIES INVADE!
Everybody dead scared
WATCH OUT, ZOMBIES! 'ERE COMES THE THUGMOBILE!
CRASH!
--AN' NUFFING CAN STOP ME, SO TAKE THAT, UGLY MUG!
LEW STRINGER
WHACK!
FOOM!
OOER! THE ZOMBIES ARE SENDIN' THEIR HOMING DRONES AFTER ME! I CAN'T—
ZZAP!
KA-BOOM!
WHA—?
COR, IT WUZ JUST A DREAM! Whew!
I DUNNO WOT MAKES ME 'AVE NIGHTMARES LIKE THAT!
I ♥ ZOMBIES
ZOMBIE!
KING KONG
MONSTERS
DRACULA
NASTY!!!
ZOMBIES
WEREWOLF ANNUAL '87
ZOMBIE FUNNIES
Horror Comics
Dracula

HORACE (ugly face) WATKINS
RIGHT, CHILDREN! TODAY, WE'RE GOING TO FIND OUT WHO YOUR IDEAL PARTNER WOULD BE!
I'LL JUST FEED SOME INFORMATION INTO THE COMPUTER ABOUT EACH OF YOU, AND IT WILL TELL US WHO YOU SHOULD SIT NEXT TO...
O.K. WHO'S FIRST? HOW ABOUT THE VERY HANDSOME JOHN PURCELL?
PLEASE, MISS!
JUST AS I THOUGHT! HANDSOME JOHN'S BEEN TEAMED UP WITH PRETTY PAULINE!
RIGHT! HOW ABOUT BRAINY BETTY BOTTS...
THERE, SEE? SHE'S TEAMED WITH THE VERY CLEVER ANTHONY WILLIAMS! SEE HOW THE COMPUTER WORKS, EVERYONE?..
...AND THE SUPER SPORTY SCOTT GRIFFITHS IS PUT WITH THE EQUALLY SPORTY KAREN KEMP...
RIGHT! WHO'S LEFT? OH, HORACE...
WELL, LET'S FEED YOUR DETAILS IN...
UM.. OH.. HORACE, YOU'RE TEAMED WITH..
..TRIXIE THE TOAD!
Class 2a, Pet Toad
Tony Husband

MUTANT SPACE BARBARIAN MAGIC WARRIORS OF DOOM!

AN INTERACTIVE COMIC STRIP

MIKE McCOOL WAS A YOUNG GENIUS, AND UNBEATABLE AT ANY COMPUTER GAME....

RELATIVITY MADE DIFFICULT BY A. EINSHANE

BLIT! MOOP! NEEK! FARP! ZING!

GRR!!

MAD PROFESSOR FRANK PLOTDEVICE HATED THE THOUGHT THAT ANYONE MIGHT GROW UP TO BE SMARTER THAN HIM...

TRAPPED INSIDE THE COMPUTER WORLD, MIKE FOUND HIMSELF TRANSFORMED...

-INTO AN ELECTRONIC MUTANT SPACE BARBARIAN MAGIC WARRIOR OF DOOM!!

COO!

BLIT!

WOOP! NEEK!

SWIFTLY ADAPTING TO HIS NEW CIRCUMSTANCES, MIKE TACKLED THE COMPUTER WORLD'S MANY HAZARDS...

BACK, FOUL WINDBAG!

DRONE

MOAN

GROAN

HE DEFEATED THE DREADED THREE-HEADED POLITICIAN OF GASSBAGS!!

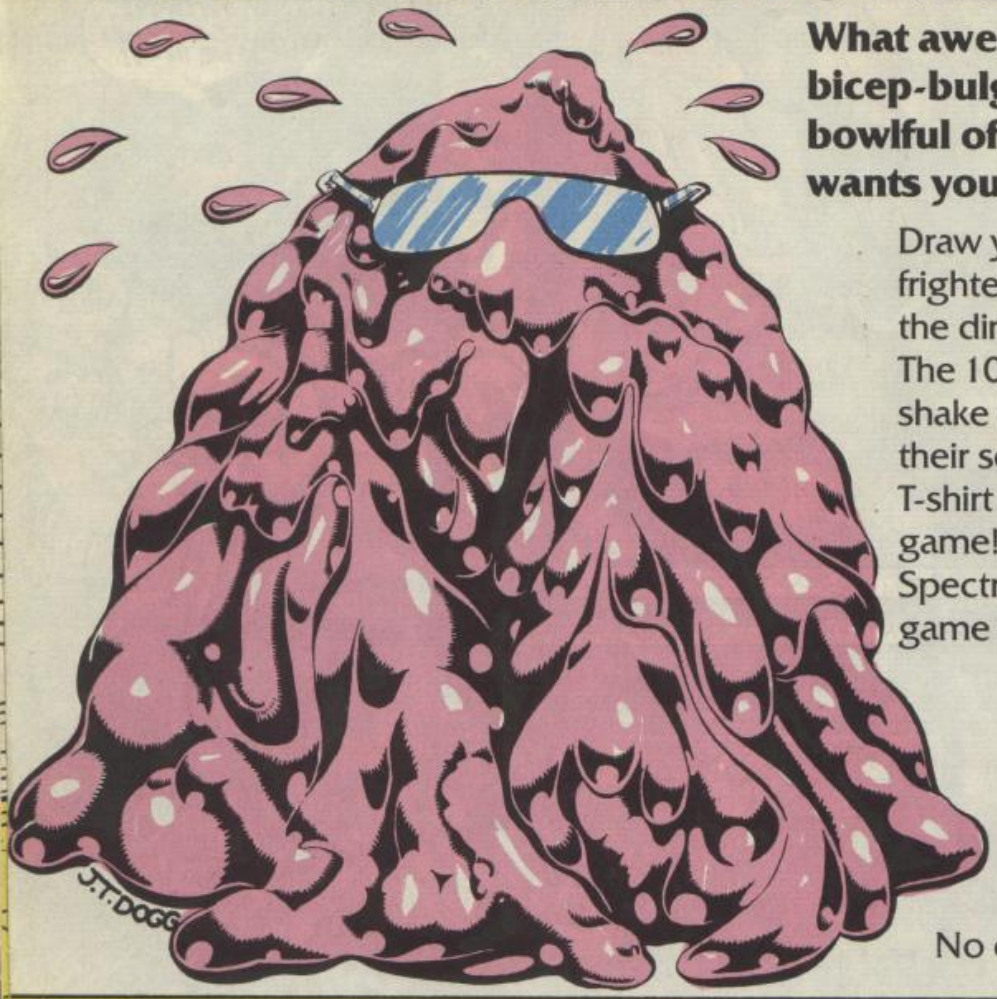
FINALLY, ONLY ONE HAZARD STOOD BETWEEN MIKE AND THE REAL WORLD! A GLITCH IN THE PROFESSOR'S PROGRAM MEANT THAT A DIMENSION-WARP EXISTED WITHIN IT - A PORTAL TO OUR OWN REALITY!!

ACME SPACE WARP INC

BUT THAT PORTAL WAS GUARDED BY..

WHICH IS WHY HE INVENTED THE ULTIMATE ARCADE GAME...
RUMBLE
MIKE, OF COURSE, COULD NOT RESIST THE TEMPTATION TO PLAY...
BUT WHEN HE DID...
AAGH!! IT'S SUCKING ME IN—!!
TEE HEE!
SLURP!
HE ESCAPED THE OILY CLUTCHES OF THE TV PRESENTER OF DOOM!!!
COME ON DOWN HERE! OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS!
AIEE!!
WITH EACH VICTORY HE GREW IN POWER!
HE DEVELOPED SUPER-SPEED POWERS TO OUTMANOEUVRE THE SHOPPING-TROLLEY LADIES FROM HADES!!!
SOMETHING SO HORRIBLE... SO AWESOME... SO YUKKY... THAT THE SIGHT OF IT TURNED MIKE INTO A HEAP OF SEMI-SOLID MUSH, SIMILAR TO A POPULAR BRAND OF DESSERT TOPPING!!!
BLORP!
WHICH WAS A GREAT PITY, AS THE UNOPPOSED PROF. PLOTDEVICE INVENTED A MIND-CONTROL RAY THAT ENABLED HIM TO TAKE OVER THE WORLD AND ESTABLISH A TYRANNICAL DICTATORSHIP!
I LOVE A HAPPY ENDING!!
BUT TURN THE PAGE FOR THE "INTERACTIVE" BIT!!!
WRITTEN BY MARK ROGERS AND ILLUSTRATED BY J.T. DOGG
MIND CONTROL MACHINE

WHAT MADE MACHO MIKE GO SOFT?



What awesome sight can turn a bicep-bulging barbarian into a bowlful of blancmange? Uncle Pigg wants you to show him!!!

Draw your idea of what the frightening fiend that Mike met at the dimensional portal looks like! The 10 entries that make Uncle Pigg shake (with fear or laughter) will win their senders each a trendy OINK! T-shirt and a CRL OINK! computer game! Specify shirt-size and Spectrum, Amstrad or Commodore game in case you win!

Entries to OINK!
Computer Comp.,
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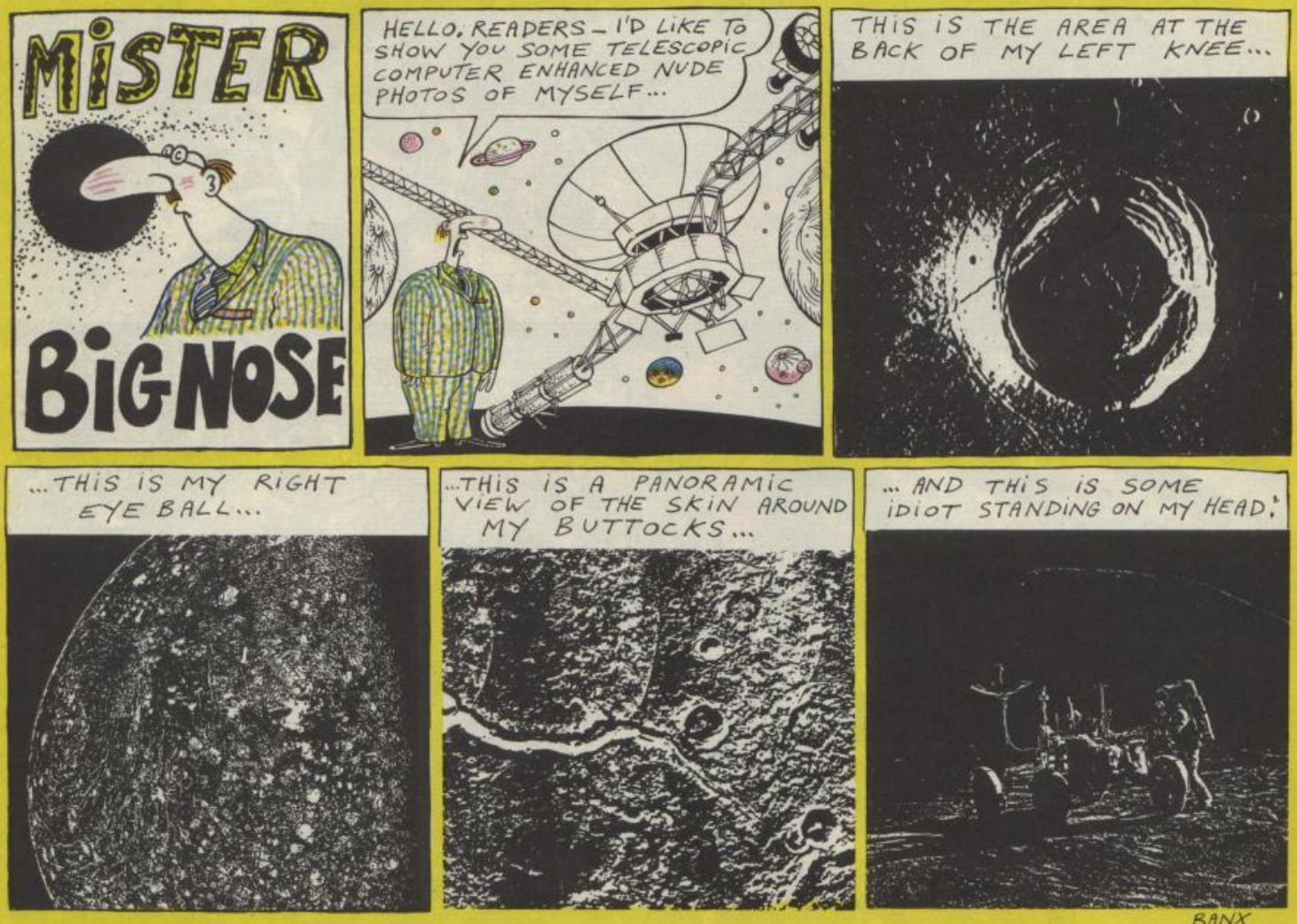
No correspondence entered into!



HARRY THE HEAD.

HELLO, GUYS! I'M NIGEL AND I'M A NEW BOY IN THE CLASS! I'M A COMPUTER GENIUS — I CAN MAKE A COMPUTER DO ANYTH-ING! GO AHEAD — TRY ME!

PSST! LET'S FIX HIM, BARN!

SO... LET'S SEE — ERM, $z^2 \times \pi^*$ DIVIDED BY THE SPEED OF LIGHT EQUALS...

....

MARC RILEY.

AND THE ANSWER IS...

MEAT PIE!

WHAT?

I SAID MEAT PIE, FISH FEATURES!

AAARGH! I'M OFF!

HEH, HEH, FIXING ME INSIDE THE MONITOR SURE FIXED HIM, BARN!

HO, HO! YOU KNOW COMPUTERS 'INSIDE-OUT' HARRY!

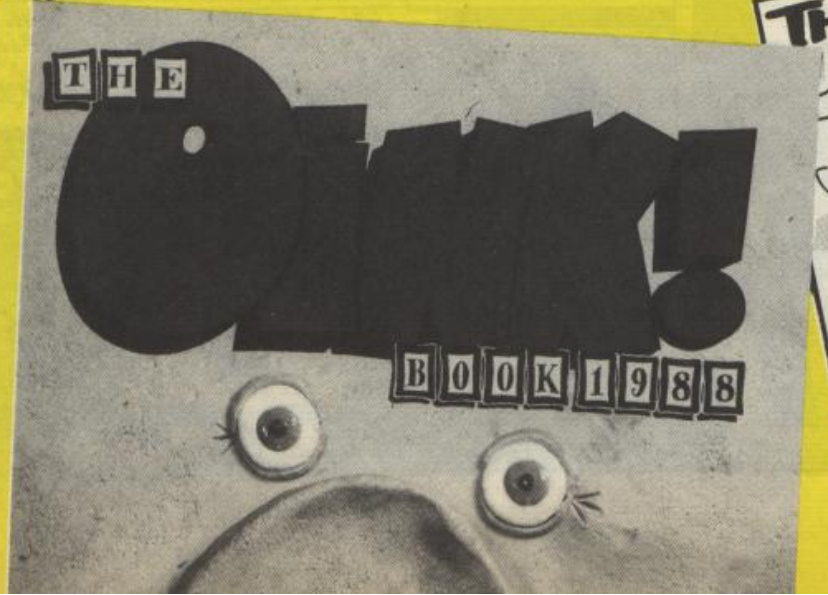
OK, YOU COMPUTER WIZARDS, IF YOU'RE SO SMART, BUY...

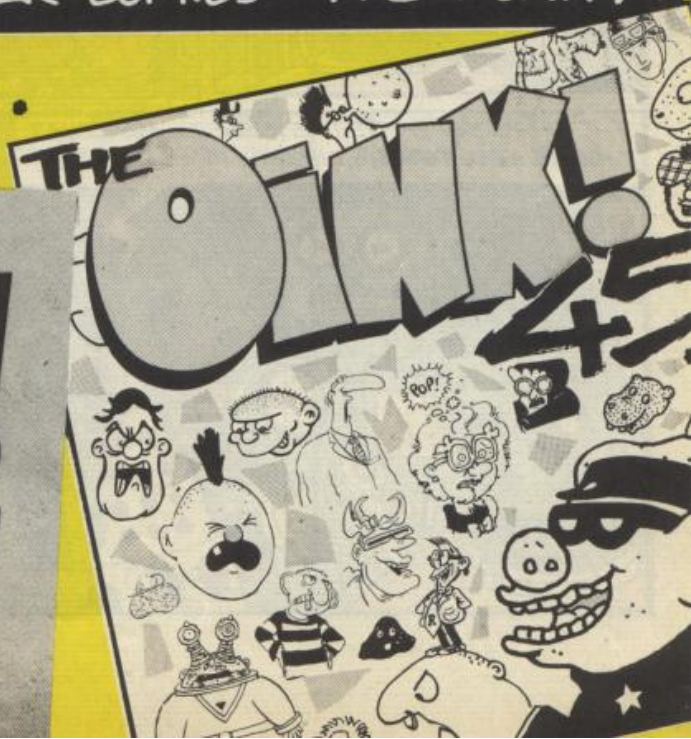
OINK!

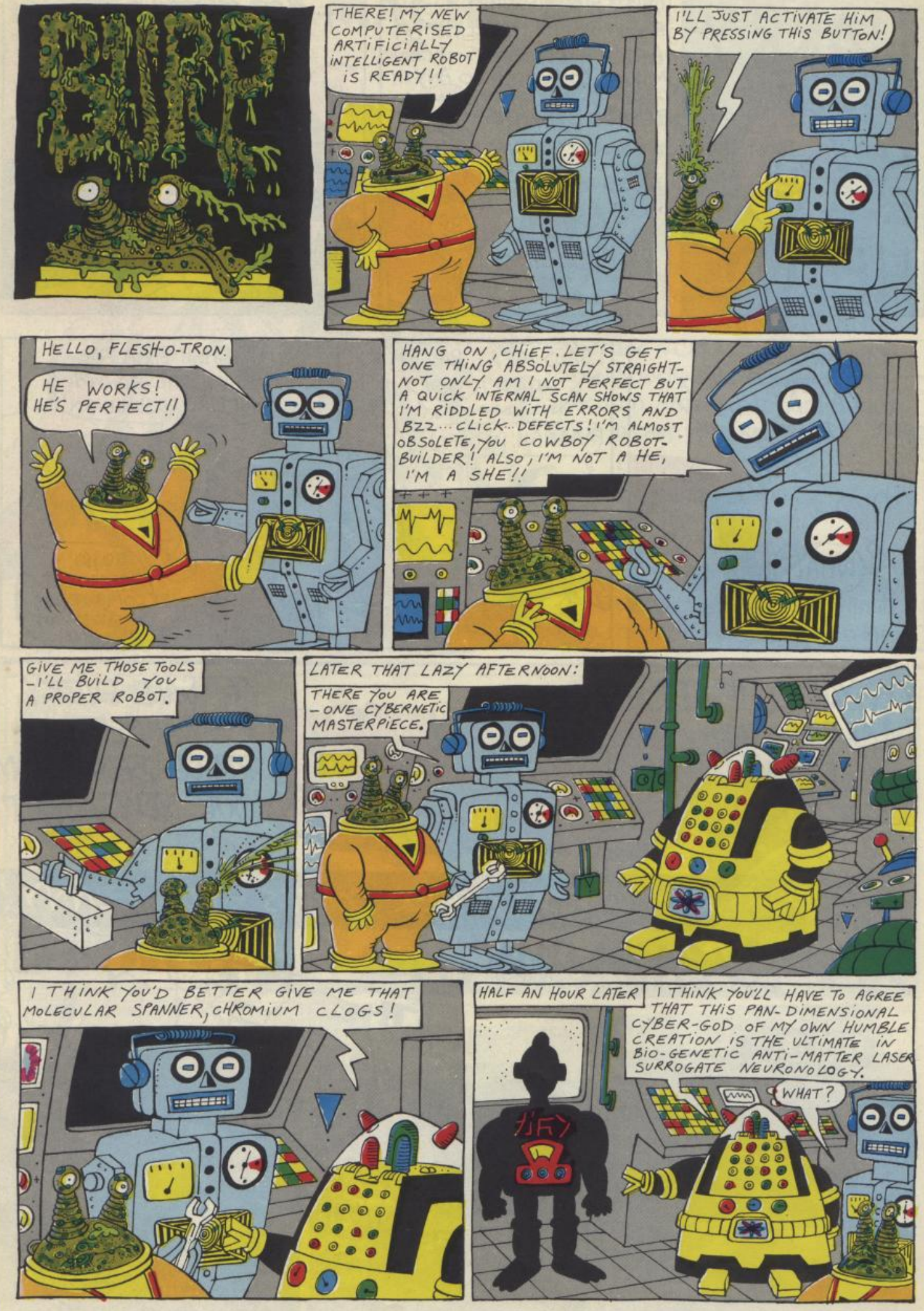
ON SALE EVERY FORTNIGHT — PRICE 35P FROM YOUR NEWSAGENT

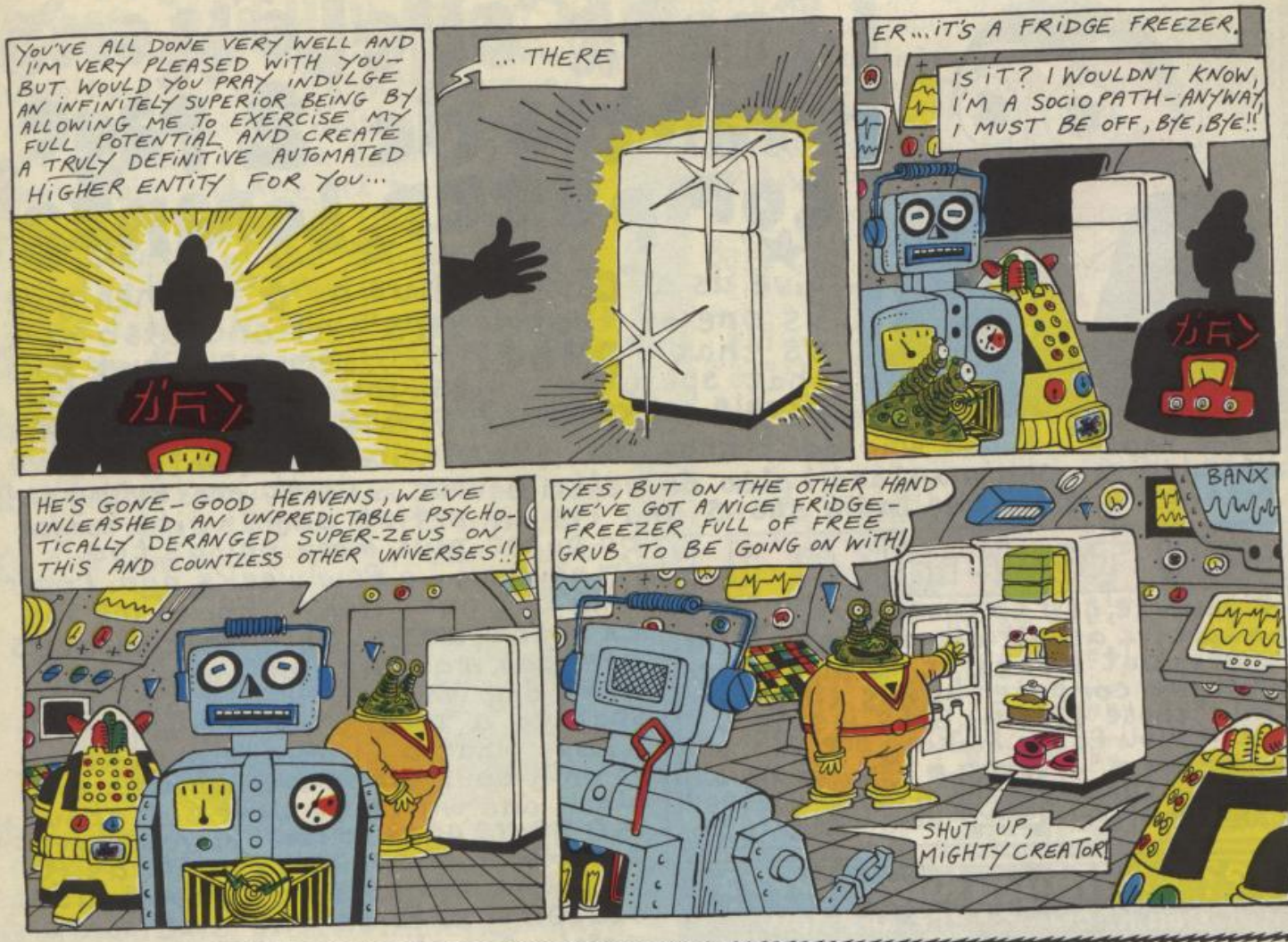
IT'S DIFFERENT FROM OTHER COMICS - IT'S FUNNY!

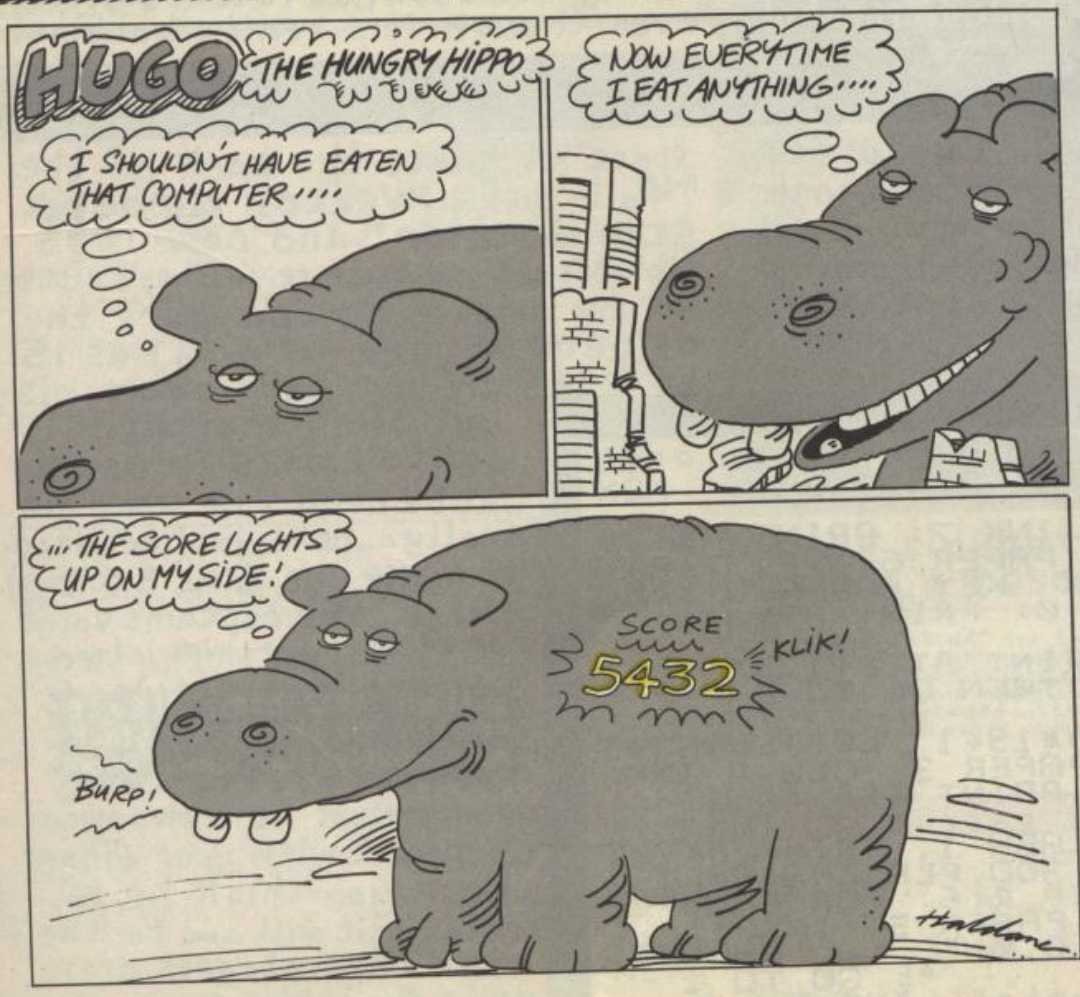
AND COMING SOON...






THERE! MY NEW COMPUTERISED ARTIFICIALLY INTELLIGENT ROBOT IS READY!!
I'LL JUST ACTIVATE HIM BY PRESSING THIS BUTTON!
HELLO, FLESH-O-TRON.
HE WORKS! HE'S PERFECT!!
HANG ON, CHIEF. LET'S GET ONE THING ABSOLUTELY STRAIGHT- NOT ONLY AM I NOT PERFECT BUT A QUICK INTERNAL SCAN SHOWS THAT I'M RIDDLED WITH ERRORS AND BZZ... CLICK.. DEFECTS! I'M ALMOST OBSOLETE, YOU COWBOY ROBOT-BUILDER! ALSO, I'M NOT A HE, I'M A SHE!!
GIVE ME THOSE TOOLS -I'LL BUILD YOU A PROPER ROBOT.
LATER THAT LAZY AFTERNOON:
THERE YOU ARE -ONE CYBERNETIC MASTERPIECE.
I THINK YOU'D BETTER GIVE ME THAT MOLECULAR SPANNER, CHROMIUM CLOGS!
HALF AN HOUR LATER
I THINK YOU'LL HAVE TO AGREE THAT THIS PAN-DIMENSIONAL CYBER-GOD OF MY OWN HUMBLE CREATION IS THE ULTIMATE IN BIO-GENETIC ANTI-MATTER LASER SURROGATE NEURONOLOGY.
WHAT?





GROOVY GRAPHICS

SENT IN BY MATTHEW SMITH, ORMSKIRK.

written...programmed...and drawn...by frank sidebottom.

frank sidebottom's fantastic 2 page computer bonanza

give us a "c".... give us a "o"....then give us one of those "m's".... and also give us that "puter"....because what does that spell? ....yes, you computer-potty people.... computers are ace.....official.

☆ for those of you who don't know me..... i am a fantastic show-biz singing man, and i also do ventriloquism and tv presenting and concerts and my own radio shows and i'm an artist and i write songs on paper plus more things, too.

☆ anyway... a few weeks ago, roger the boy next door showed me his zx spectrum and told me "computers are taking over the world!". so... next day i'm at a jumble sale and i spotted a zx81 which i bought for 75p. what a blinkin rip-off hey?. it only does black and white... and black and white tv went out about 150 years ago. so now i borrow roger's zx spectrum...which is magic as it is sound and colour. so now i just leave my zx81 on the side-board mainly for show, as it looks brill, even though it's really bobbins.

how to make 1!

if you are new to computers....then beware....as all computers look the same. but infact it is all down to what we computer buffs like to call "those fiddly bits inside". but if you fancy making one...it's just

■ a type writer...

■ a tv... plus

■ a load of wire.

????? did you know ?????

did you know...there are now more home computers kept in the home, than kept outside in the shed

☆ fantastic "amoeba rescue" game ☆

you are on a giant starcruiser, whose mission is to rescue amoeba frank (the one cell being who is not visible to the naked eye) who is lost in a black hole. but due to some space tomfoolery someone spilt a fantastic, out of this world space drink into the back of the "fail-safe xvecton amoeba scanilocator" and now it is broken and the space repair shop's closed. so now we have no idea where the amoeba is and he only has 15 seconds of air left before his "out of air indicator" lights comes on and he will be dead. (he won't die really....he'll just act dead to make the game exciting) ...then...the captain's voice comes over the ship's intercom

will all 300 crew please report to the deck 4 black hole observation viewer room

upon arrival he asks you to point with your finger where you think he is.

note: — it will add to the game if all players dress up in fantastic space costume.

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   1 FOR f=15 TO 0 STEP -1: PRIN
T AT 0,25;f;" ": BEEP .95,f: NEX
T f
   2 PAPER 0: INK 7: PRINT AT a,
b;":": INK 2: PAPER 6: PRINT AT
0,0;" PRESS 'X' KEY FOR ANOTHER
GAME ": PAPER 0: PRINT AT a,b;"
": BEEP .2,25
   3 INK 3: PRINT AT a+1,b;"↑":
IF INKEY$="x" THEN GO TO 5
   4 GO TO 2
   5 LET a=RND*19+1: LET b=RND*3
0: BORDER 3: PAPER 3: CLS : INK
7: BEEP .5,6: PRINT "frank sideb
ottom's amoeba rescue ": INK 6:
BEEP 1.7,9: FLASH 1: PRINT AT 20
,2;" FOR 1 TO 300 PLAYERS ONLY "
: FLASH 0: BEEP 2,6: BORDER 5: P
APER 0: CLS : PAPER 5: INK 1
   6 PRINT AT 0,0;"          AMOEBA
COUNTDOWN =          ": GO TO 1
   7 SAVE "amoeba" LINE 5
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?more "did you know"s?

☆if all the home computers in the world were laid out on the m1 motorway, mine would still be on the sideboard as i wouldn't chance taking it as it could rain and the m1 has no roof.

☆did you know clive sinclair who is the inventor of the zx computer is also the same inventor who makes those fantastic space age car things.

☆did you know computers are taking over the world (there's 2 in our street.)

☆did you know mrs. roberts has moved out of our street (to canada)

☆did you know that a zx81 is not colour, but the zx spectrum is.

☆did you know clive sinclair "i can draw in his car.

☆did you know that to put "amoeba rescue" on tape you enter RUN 7 and to play it you enter RUN 5

☆did you know little frank is doing a computer game, but i've not seen it.

zxtsr girls corner

hello girls... no longer will you find computers boring because... at last.... someone has written a brilliant program specifically with the young lady in mind offering domestic usefulness with a hint of romance & a chinwag mate.

```
  1 PRINT "to wake 'THE CHARMIN
G EGGTIMER' press x": PAUSE 0: BP
ORDER 0: PAPER 0: INK 5: CLS : P
RINT "hello, what's your name?":
 INPUT a$: CLS : PRINT "oh what
a fantastic ace name & ihonestly
 mean that too": BEEP 6,4: CLS :
 PRINT "oh! before i forget, sti
ck your eggs on now, ok?": PAUSE
 0: CLS : PRINT "are you courtin
g a youngman ?": INPUT b$: CLS :
IF b$="yes" THEN PRINT "oh ";a$
: PRINT "i am so very very happy
 for you
  2 IF b$="no" THEN PRINT "well
 i'm sure you'll meet a deadgood
 rich fantastic prince with a ve
ry fast sports car very soon"
  3 BEEP 9,9: CLS : PRINT "i th
ink you are so much more beau
tiful than the current miss worl
d": PAUSE 250: CLS : PRINT "bett
er even than that lovely singi
ng lady in 'bucks fizz'": PAUSE
 250: CLS : PRINT "you are also
very pretty in that really smash
ing modern blouse.": PAUSE 229
: PRINT "please tell me... do sh
 PAUSE 199: PRINT "do you like
opping ?": PAUSE 250: PRINT "(
i need to know (yes or no?)": P
AUSE 0: CLS : PRINT "by the way
 ";a$: PAUSE 99: PRINT "i think t
hem eggs are done and ilove your
 hairstyle, it is nice": PAUSE
 200: PRINT "goodbye and thank y
ou": BEEP 9,5: RUN
  4 SAVE "for girls" LINE 1
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*to put onto tape enter RUN 4 and relax

frank sidebottom the charming eggtimer

ets10

"the charming eggtimer" is a special zx spectrum program which the girls will want to have running all hours of the night and day (except when they have 300 lads round and they find the "amoeba rescue" game)

programmed by f. sidebottom

also girls you can write to me

francis sidebottom
p.o. box 11
altrincham
wa15 6un.

frank sidebottom amoeba rescue

ets9

"amoeba rescue" for the zx spectrum is more than just another arcade type game. you actually get physically involved in this intergalactic rescue and can be played with up to 300 people of all ages including 35 (mine)

programmed by f. sidebottom

also you can write to me

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hello, readers.... it's me- little frank... and I have written my very own arcade type game but big frank is rotten as he didn't leave me any space for a cover, (so you'll have to design one).

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  1 BORDER 0: PAPER 0: CLS : FO
R f=0 TO 21: LET l=RND*6+2: INK
l: PRINT AT f,0;"l.f. is better
than f.s. = true.": BEEP .35,f:
NEXT f: GO TO 1
  2 SAVE "l.f." LINE 1
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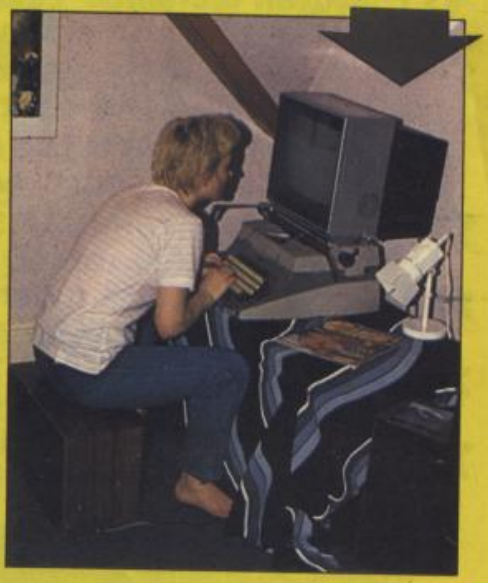

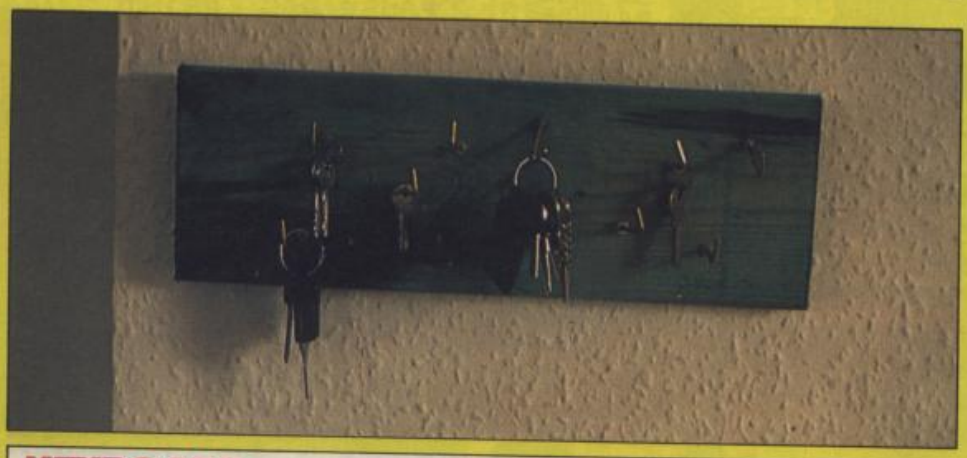

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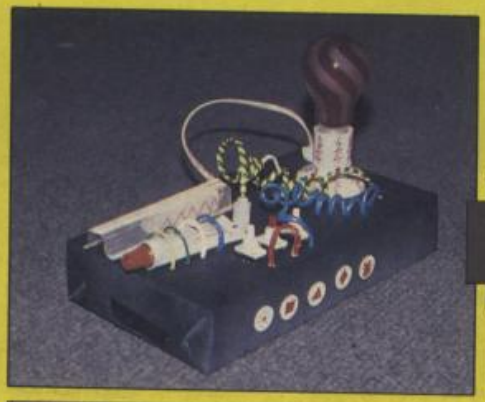

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