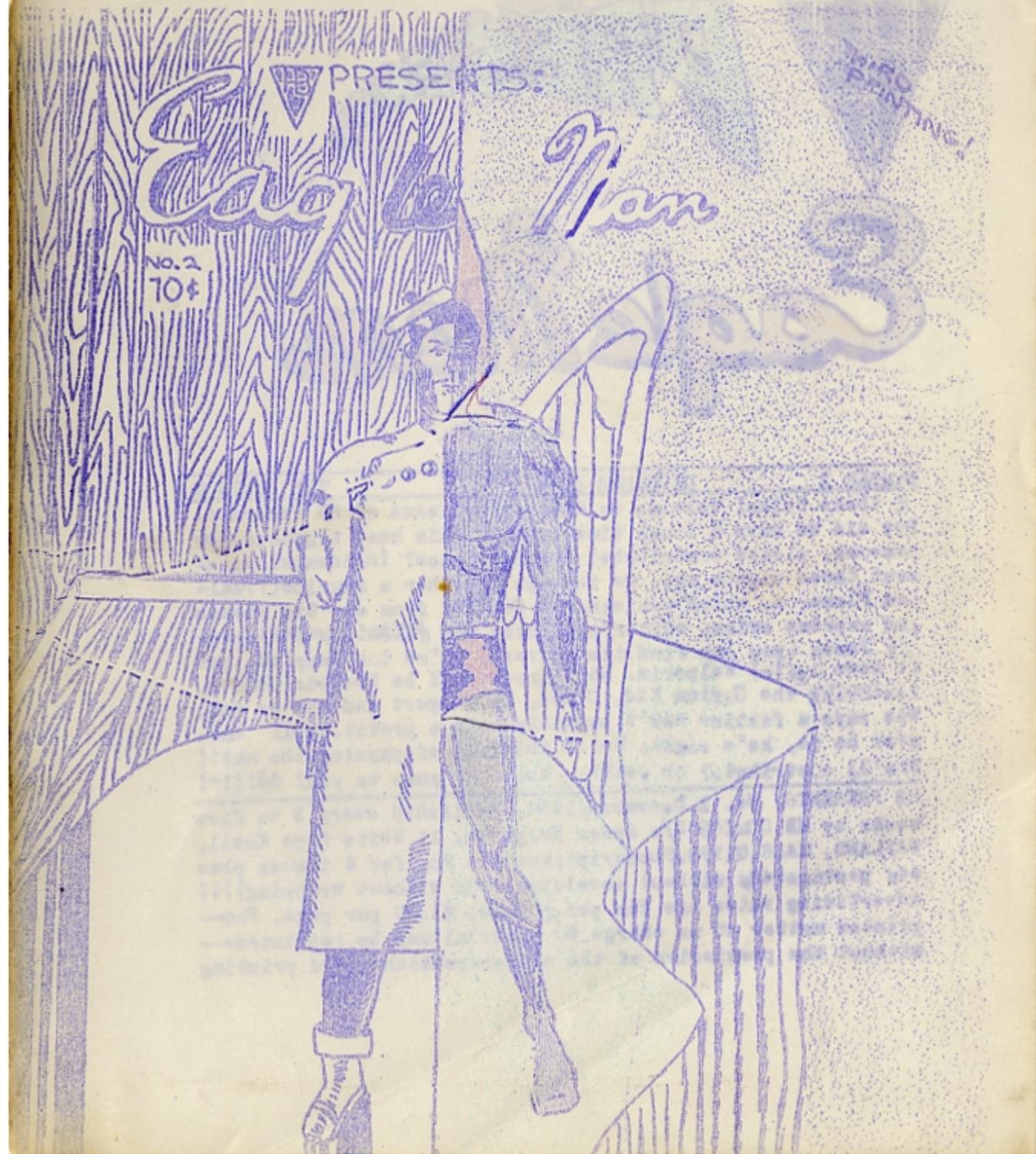


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# PRESENTS

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Hi there folks! Welcome to the second issue of HB Presents. Boy did we have a tough time putting this heap together. Hey someone, please contribute! Pretty please? Incidentally, about three nights ago, we through together a fanzine(?) called Flame-On, which you can get for 35¢ from our big cheese and supreme wiseguy, editor/publisher and #1!!!, namely Jay Jones (you can find the address, we're too lazy to put it down again) Halperin. Next issue will be Nuclear Comics, featuring the Radium Kid. C'mon, be a sport and buy an ish! We says a fanzine can't possibly make a profit. Well whoever be is, he's right. We're thinking of passing the hat!! Who'll contribute? Oh yeah?...Well the same to you! #!!!:\*

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# Eagle Man

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AN ACCIDENT INVOLVING  
TWO CROOK AND A FRENCH  
SCIENTIST - CAUSES CIR-  
CUMSTANCES LEADING TO:

## The ORIGIN of Eagle Man



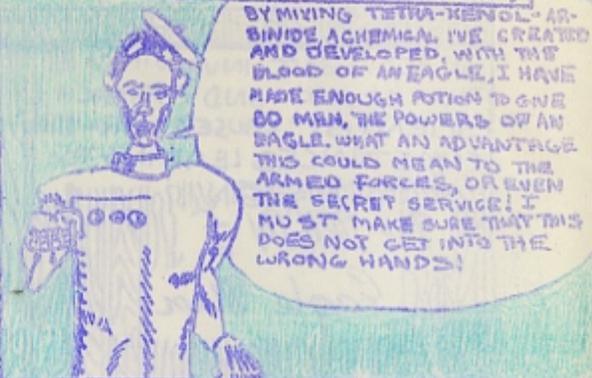
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FRENCH SCIENTIST PIERRE DUMONT HAS JUST COMPLETED AN EXPERIMENT:



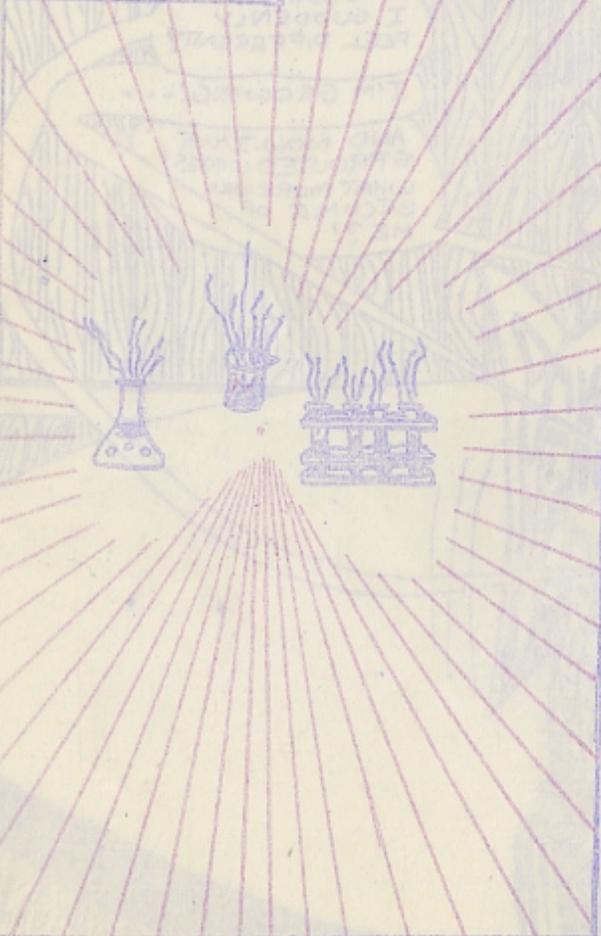
VOILÀ! I HAVE FINALLY DONE IT!

WHAT? WHAT? WHAT IS THE SCIENTIST'S DEVELOPMENT?

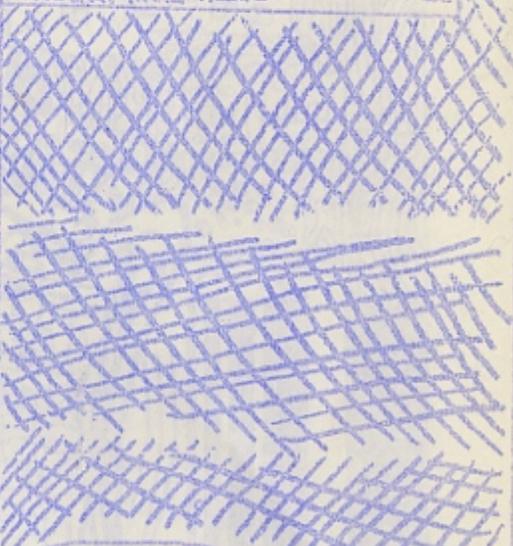


BY MIXING TETRA-KENOL-AR-BINIDE A CHEMICAL I'VE CREATED AND DEVELOPED, WITH THE BLOOD OF AN EAGLE, I HAVE MADE ENOUGH POTION TO GIVE 50 MEN THE POWERS OF AN EAGLE. WHAT AN ADVANTAGE THIS COULD MEAN TO THE ARMED FORCES, OR EVEN THE SECRET SERVICE! I MUST MAKE SURE THAT THIS DOES NOT GET INTO THE WRONG HANDS!

YES, IN THESE VIALS LAY ENOUGH OF PIERRE'S POTION TO GIVE 50 MEN THE POWERS OF KEEN VISION, STRENGTH, DURABILITY, AND LIMITED FLIGHT!!



BUT THERE ARE OTHERS WHO KNOW OF PIERRE'S DISCOVERY, FOR JUST OUTSIDE HIS LAB, WORKS ANDY AND THE VULTURE, A CRIMINAL TEAM WORKING FOR THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT THEIR ONE AND ONLY GOAL IS TO STEAL ANY INVENTIONS THAT THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT COULD USE TO UNDERMINE ALLIED DEFENSE.



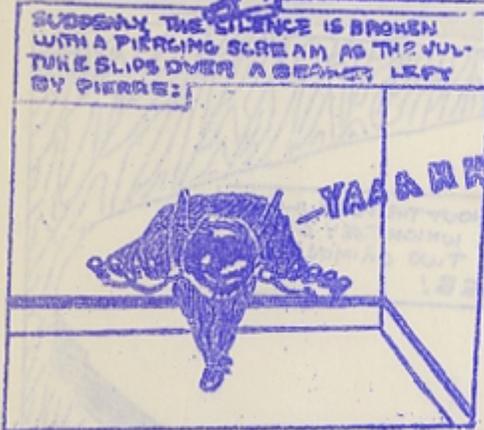
ANDY, DON'T THINK WE CAN DO IT! THE PLACE IS SUPPOSED TO BE COVERED WITH ALARM WIRES!

OH! YOU FOOL! DON'T YOU THINK WE ALREADY TAKE CARE OF THAT? I'VE ARRANGED IT SO THE ELECTRICITY WILL BE OFF FOR THREE HOURS!



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BUT SLOWLY, ANDY REACHES FOR AN ACID PELLETT

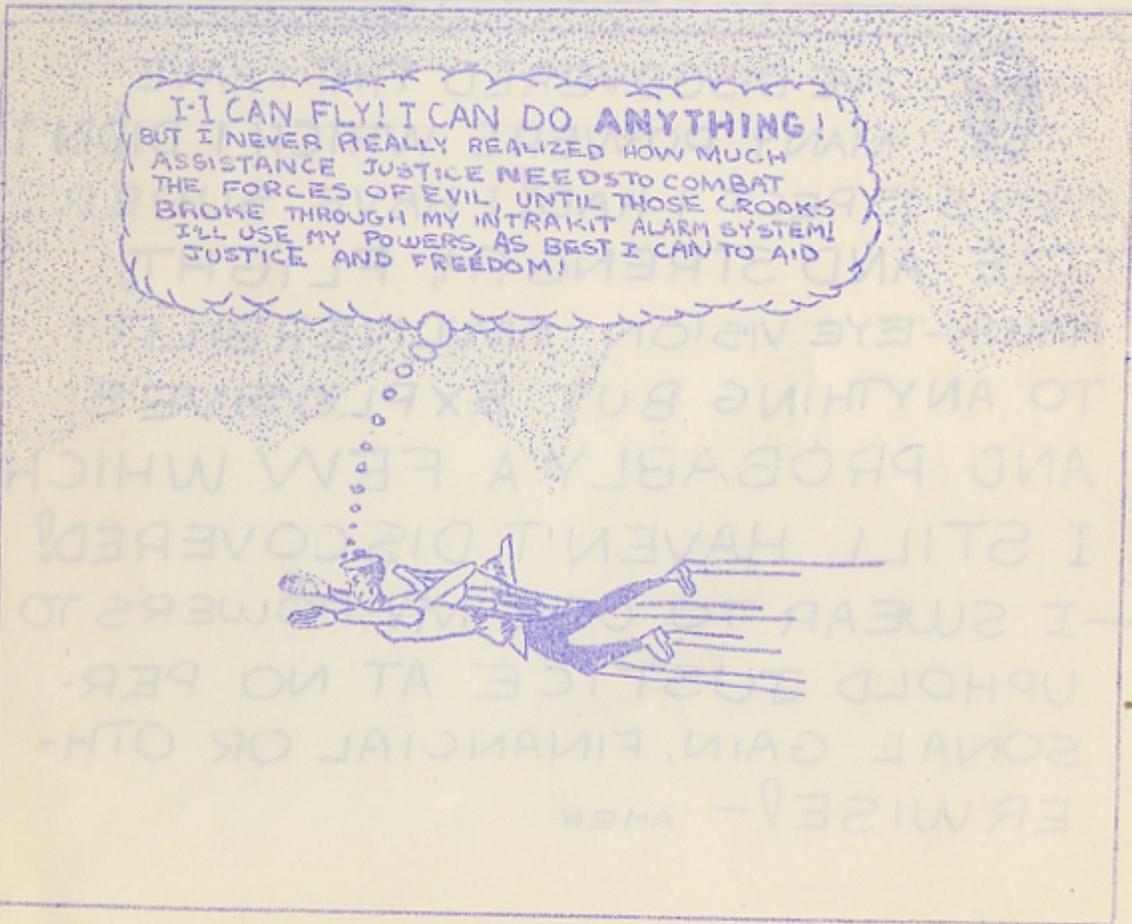
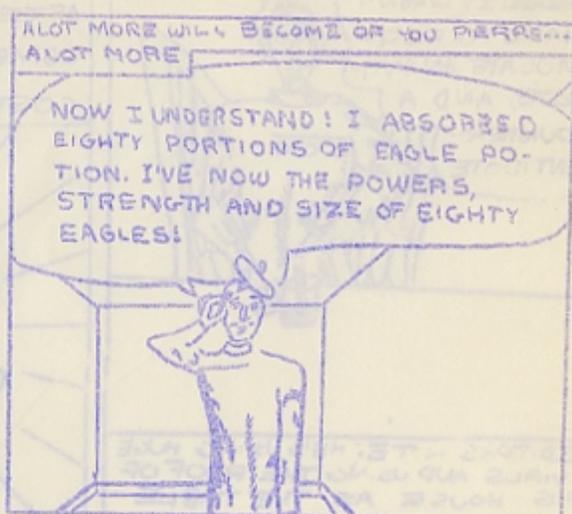


SOON (8/10 OF A SECOND TO BE EXACT) THE DEADLY ACID PELLETT HITS THE POTION



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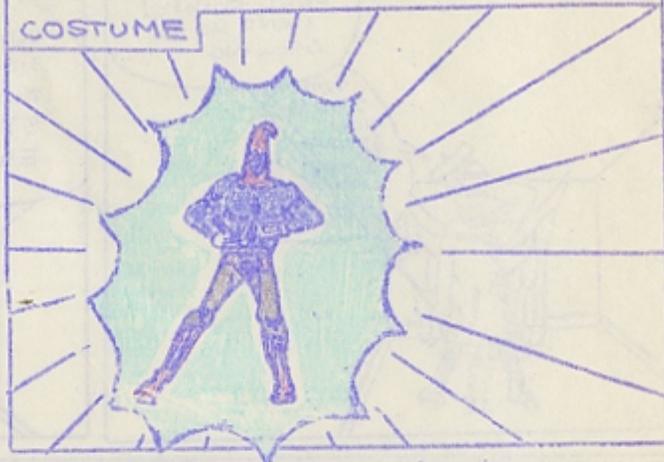


THERE! IT WASN'T  
HARD TO FOR-  
MULATE AN ANTI-  
DOTE, AND A  
COUNTER-  
ANTIDOTE



EDITORS NOTE: HE'S USING HUGE  
VIALS AND USING THE ROOF OF  
HIS HOUSE AS THE TABLE

AFTER TAKING AN ANTIDOTE PILL, TO BE-  
COME PIERRE, HE DESIGNS A STRETCH  
COSTUME

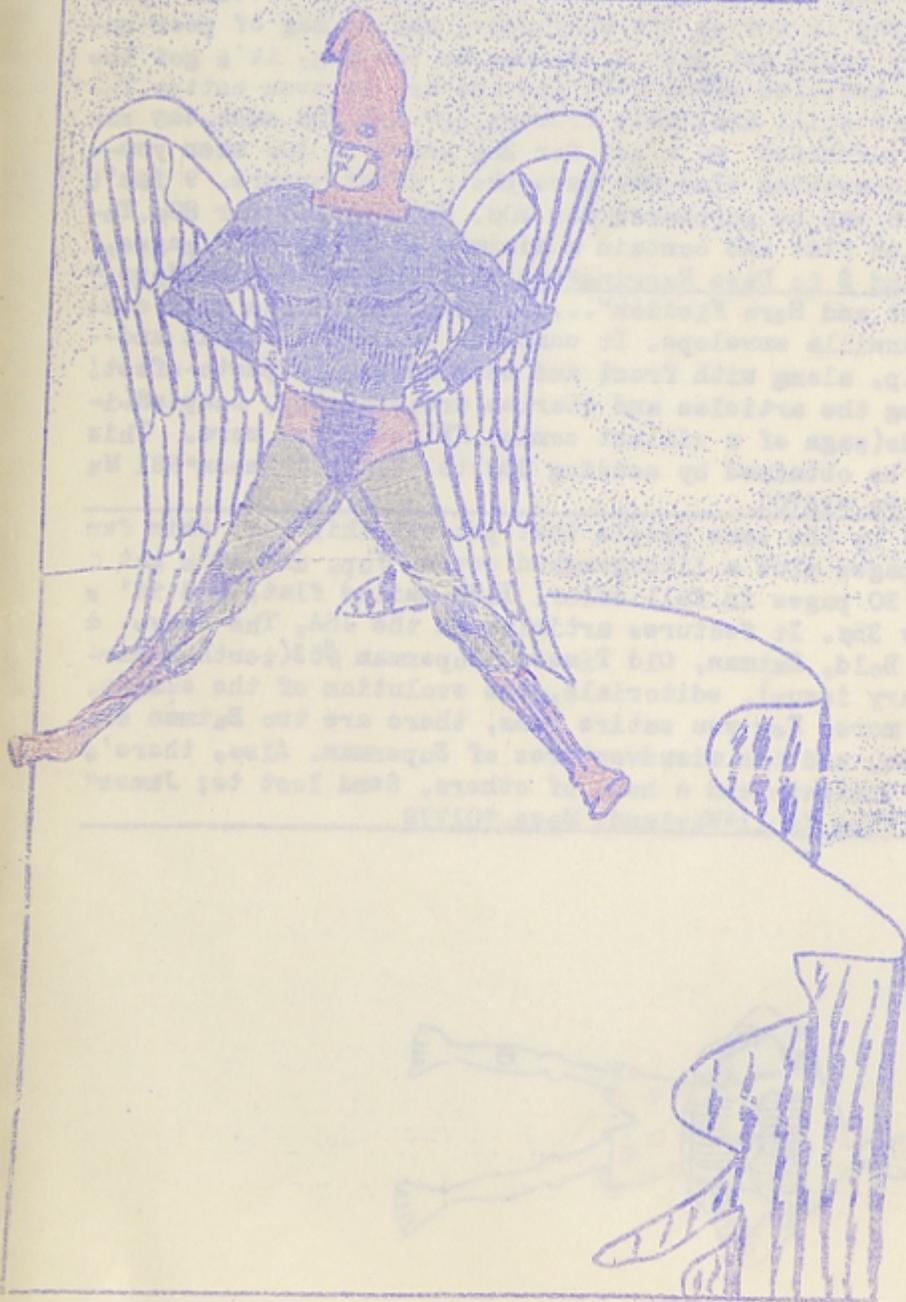


I'VE DISCOVERED THAT I HAVE  
MANY POWERS WHICH I DIDN'T  
EVEN SUSPECT I HAD! I HAVE SUPER  
SIZE AND STRENGTH, FLIGHT,  
HAWK-EYE VISION, INVULNERBILITY  
TO ANYTHING BUT EXPLOSIVES,  
AND PROBABLY A FEW WHICH  
I STILL HAVEN'T DISCOVERED!  
—I SWEAR TO USE MY POWERS TO  
UPHOLD JUSTICE AT NO PER-  
SONAL GAIN, FINANCIAL OR OTH-  
ERWISE! — AMEN

# Eagle Man

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TO PROTECT HIS IDENTITY, PIERRE SHAVES OFF HIS MOUSTACHE, UNLE  
TO USE A FALSE ON IN HIS PIERRE IDENTITY! AND SO STANDS  
Eagle Man... BRAVE CRUSAHER FOR JUSTICE!



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ODD: Why has this mag been plugged in so many sizes? I'll tell you; QUALITY. This mag is now on its 9th issue, and no mag of peer quality could get past 3. As far as the mag, it's got the

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COMBER!



best articles since MAD, and the art is even better. They are still available from #3, 3-7 are 15¢ each, 4&5 can be purchased as a set for 25¢ and 3 is 10¢ when you buy something else. 8&9 have photo offset covers. 9 isn't on sale yet, but 8 can be purchased for 20¢. Get all six for 80¢. These mags are mailed flat and contain a minimum of 20, 8 1/2" X 11" pages, in full color. Send \$ to Dave Harring\*164 Hartford St.\*Natick, Mass.\*

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FLAME-ON: Put out by the same people that put out this mag, this fanzine runs 68 pages plus a lithographed cover. Yup, and it's got over 30 pages in full color. It's mailed flat, and it's only 35¢. It features articles on the JSA, The Brave & the Bold, Batman, Old Timers, Superman #53 (tenth anniversary issue), editorials, the evolution of the comics, and more. For you satire fans, there are two Batman satires, and the misadventures of Superman. Also, there's



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FLAME-UP SAYS:

I BUY 'EM ALL,  
YOU SHOULD TOO!



# Eagle Man

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THIS STORY IS OF THE SAME PAIR OF CROOKS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF PIERRE TO EAGLEMAN... Eagle Man HAS QUITE A TIME BATTLING THE TEAM OF:

**ACID**  
**N** & **D**  
**Y** **THE VULTURE**

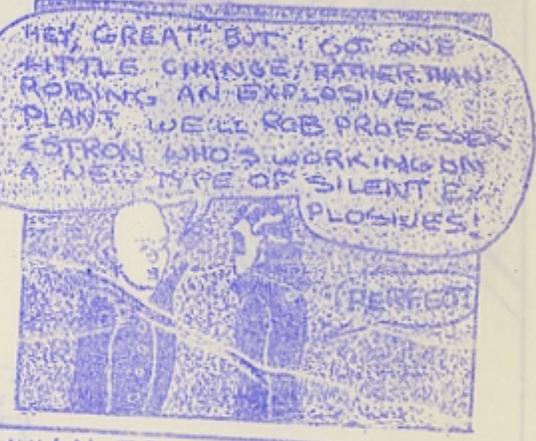
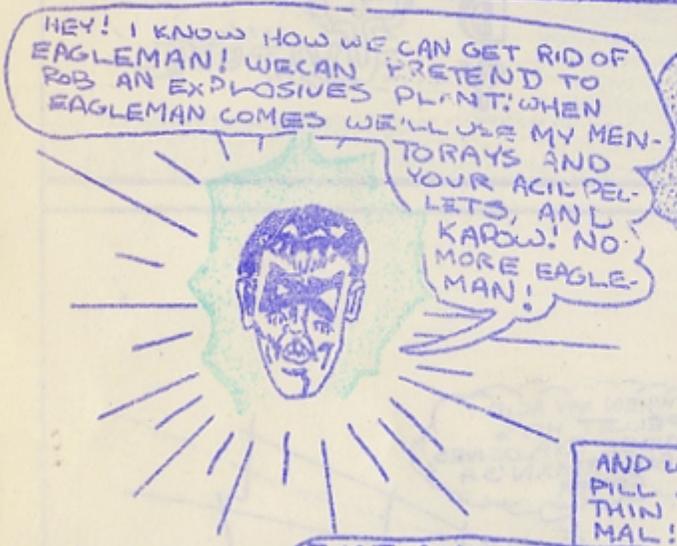
SURRENDER, YOU TWO!



WHEN MY ACID PELLET HITS THOSE EXPLOSIVES, EAGLEMAN'S A GONER

WHEN I FOCUS MY MENTORAYS ON THOSE EXPLOSIVES, EAGLEMAN IS DEAD.



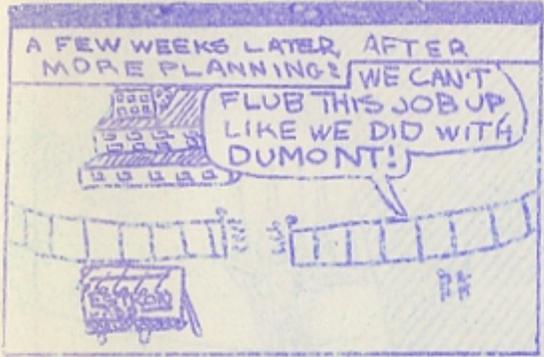


AND WHY NOT? HE COULD TAKE A PILL OR DRINK A POTION OR SOMETHING THAT WOULD MAKE 'IM NORMAL!



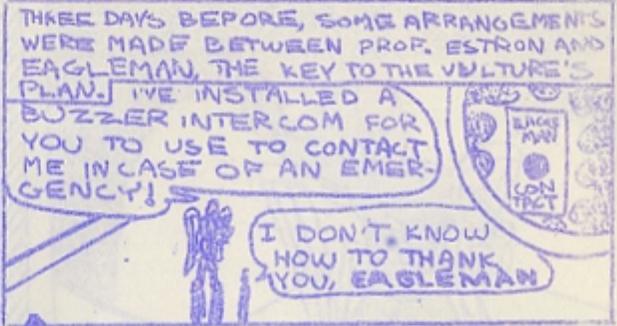
# Eagle Man

A FEW WEEKS LATER, AFTER MORE PLANNING, WE CAN'T FLUB THIS JOB UP LIKE WE DID WITH DUMONT!

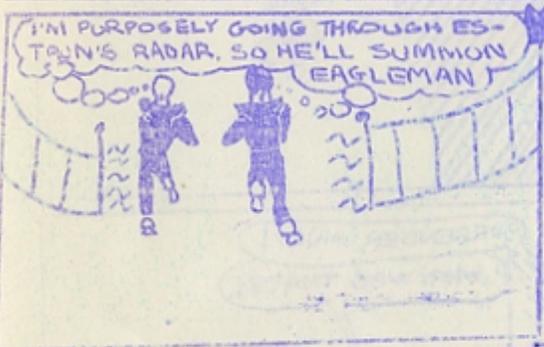


THREE DAYS BEFORE, SOME ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE BETWEEN PROF. ESTRON AND EAGLEMAN, THE KEY TO THE VULTURE'S PLAN. I'VE INSTALLED A BUZZER INTERCOM FOR YOU TO USE TO CONTACT ME IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY!

I DON'T KNOW HOW TO THANK YOU, EAGLEMAN



I'M PURPOSELY GOING THROUGH ESTRON'S RADAR, SO HE'LL SUMMON EAGLEMAN!



BZZZ

SOMEONE HAS ENTERED, UNAUTHORIZED! I'D BETTER SUMMON EAGLEMAN!



IN PIERRE'S LABORATORY:

BZZZZZZ

OOOPS! PROFESSOR ESTRON NEEDS ME AS EAGLEMAN!



WELL, THERE GOES MY COFFEE!

BZZZZZZ

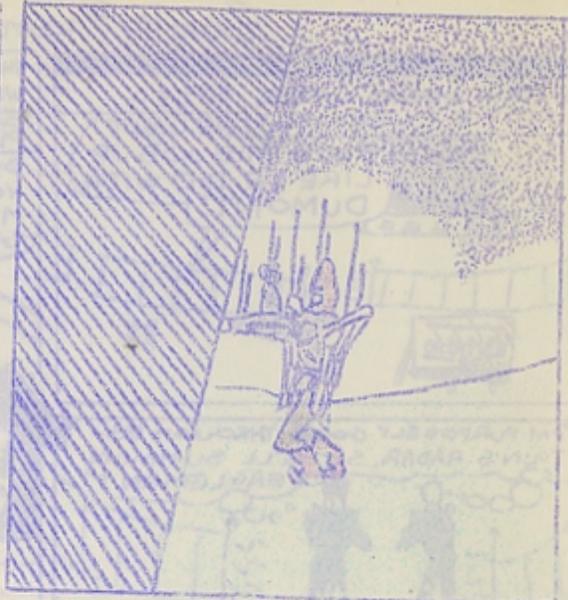
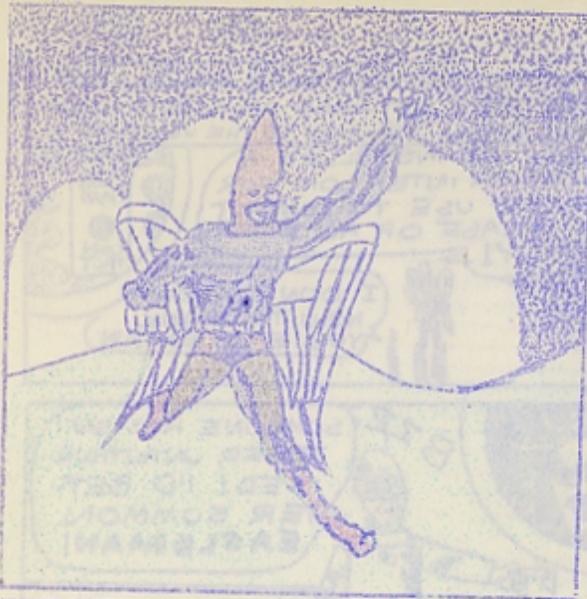


I BETTER TAKE A COUNTER ANTIDOTE PILL, AND HURRY OVER THERE!

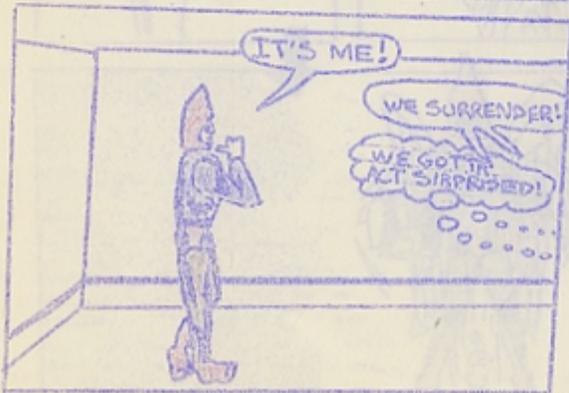


SECOND LATER A TRANSFORMATION TAKES PLACE





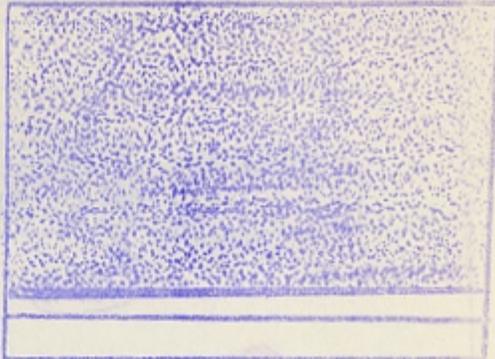
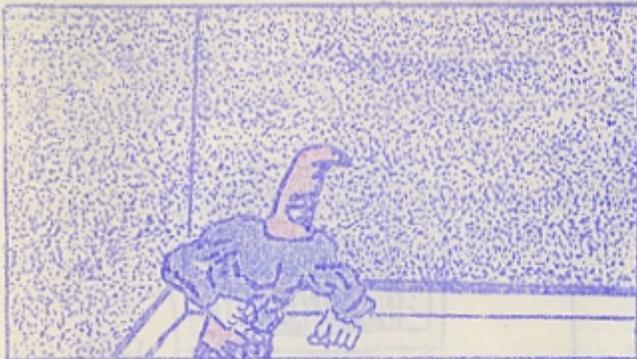
SURRENDER, ANDY!  
WHAT WAS THAT?!



IT'S ME!  
WE SURRENDER!  
WE GOTTA ACT SURPRISED!



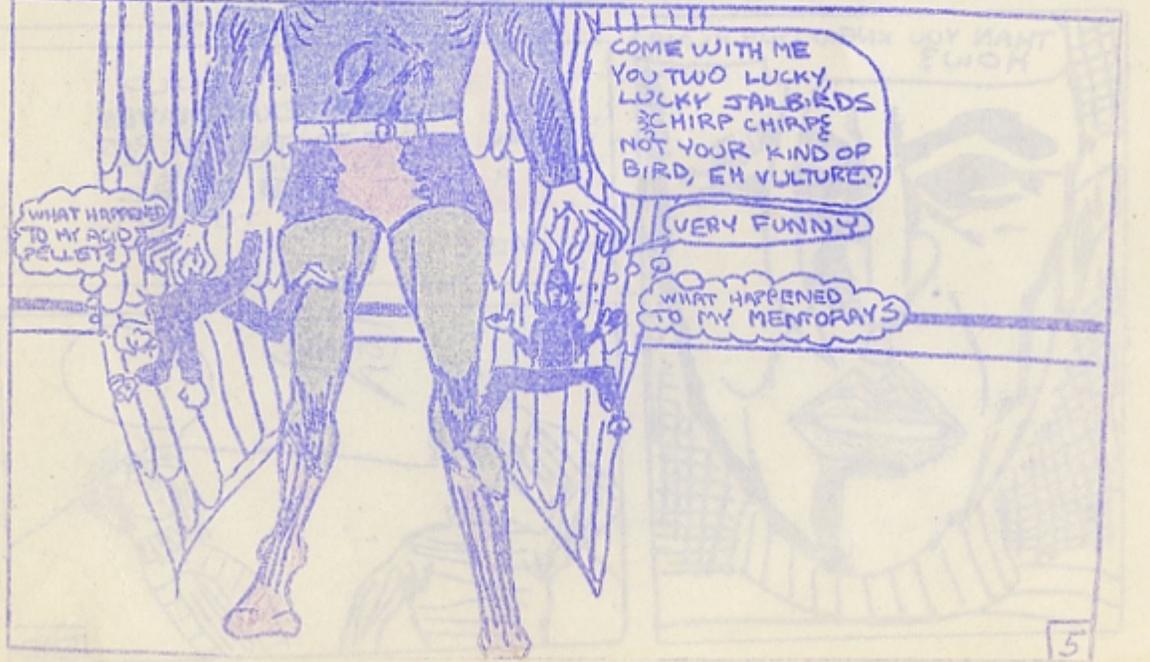
OKAY! YOU CAUGHT US WITH THE GOODS!  
WE'LL CONFESS!  
HAHA! HE GOING FOR THE BAIT!  
BUT DON'T EXPECT TO HOLD US  
MY PLAN IS WORKING PERFECTLY!



WHEN I FOCUS MY MENTORAYS ON THAT BOY EAGLEMAN IS DEAD!



WHEN MY ACID PELLET HIT THOSE EXPLO-SIVES EAGLEMAN'S AGONER

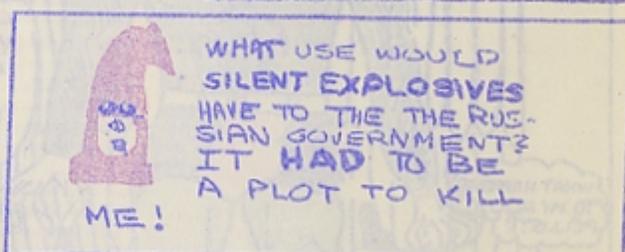
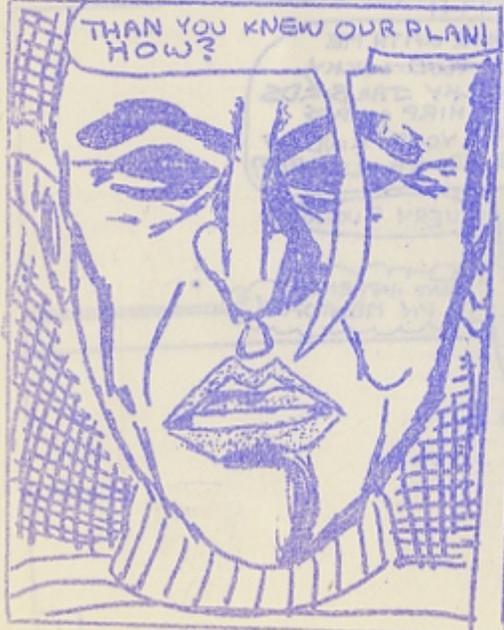
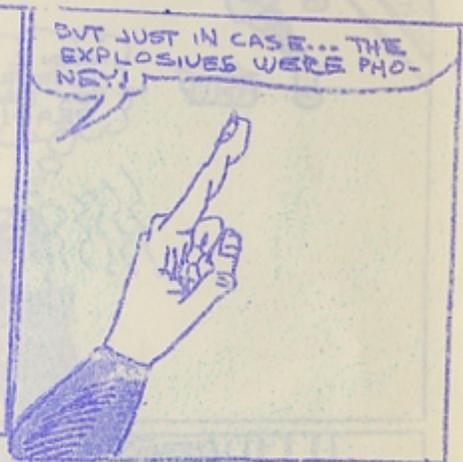
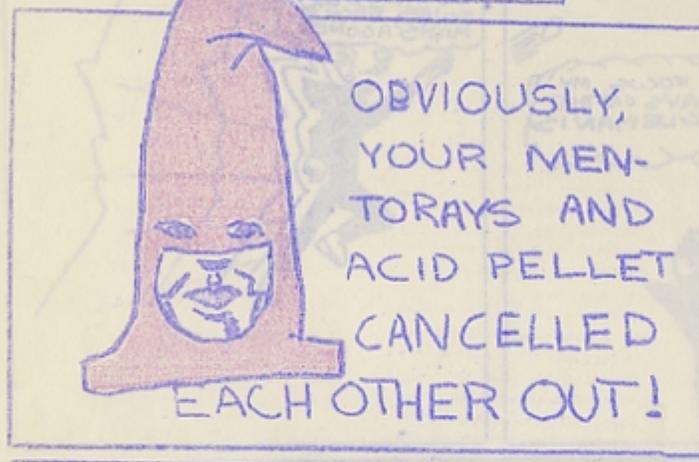


WHAT HAPPENED TO MY ACID PELLET?

COME WITH ME YOU TWO LUCKY LUCKY STALBIRDS CHIRP CHIRP NOT YOUR KIND OF BIRD, EH VULTURE?

VERY FUNNY

WHAT HAPPENED TO MY MENTORAYS



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# Fantastic Four

I--I CAN'T  
TURN INVISIBLE  
FAST ENOUGH!  
HOW CAN WE  
STOP THIS  
CREATURE,  
TORCH?

JUST WAIT  
AND SEE,  
SISTER!  
THE  
FANTASTIC  
FOUR HAVE  
ONLY  
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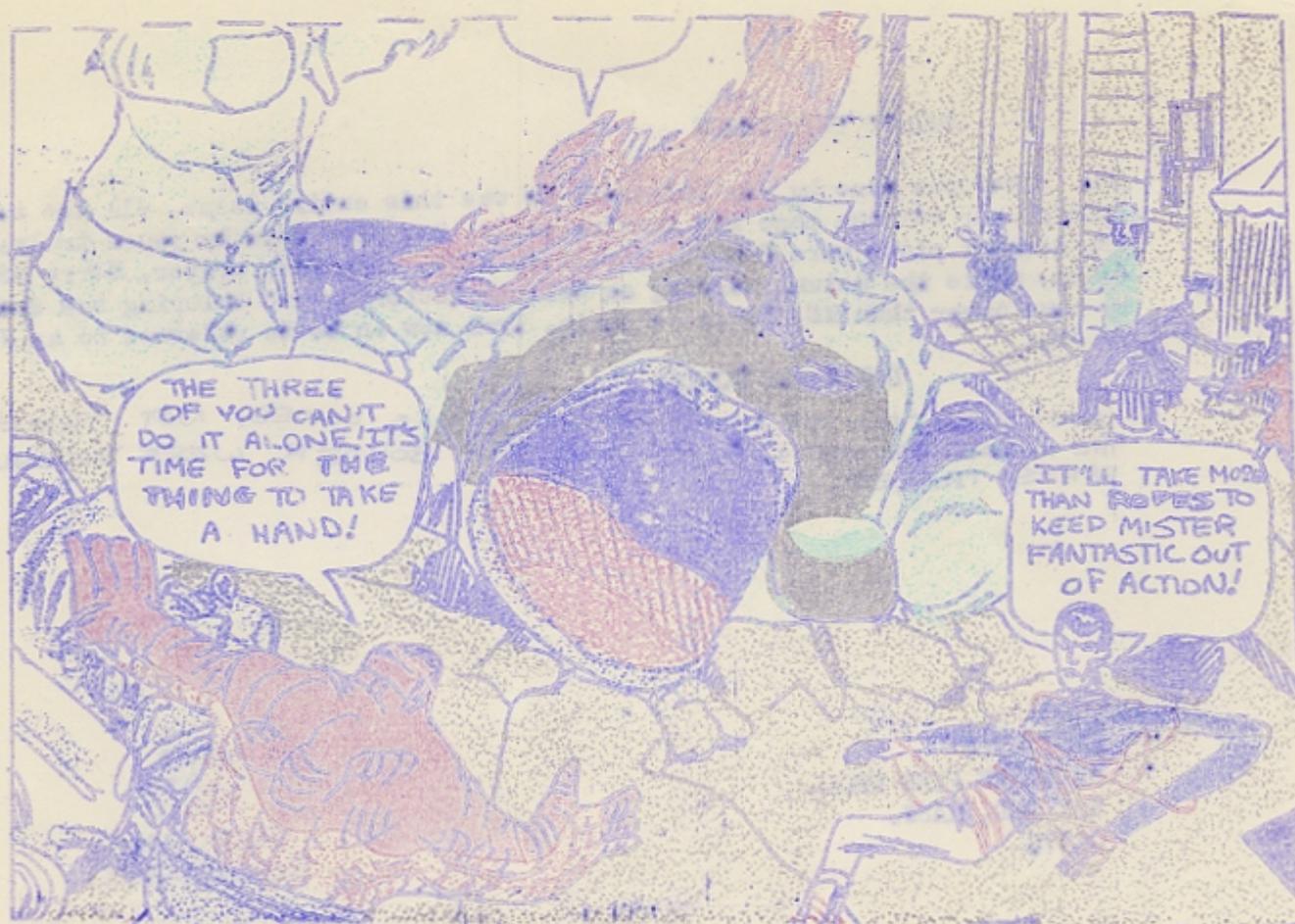
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AND "FANTASTIC"  
"HUMAN TORCH"  
"INVISIBLE GIRL"  
TOGETHER  
FOR THE FIRST TIME  
IN A NIGHT  
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OF FANDOM: THE START OF THE  
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The cover was done by Jim Halperin; he was this entire issue. All the text such as our welcome page and fanfare pages, was also done by yours truly. The general plots were done by our lady, lady, very lady writer, Kerry Mike. Jimmy while the actual wording as well as lettering and coloring was done by none other than HE, James Halperin, from now on to be referred to as Jimmy Jim.

DATE'S ALL FOLKS:

ONE CORRECTION: THE COVER OF SF 1 WAS COPIED, NOT TRACED. THE WORDS FANTASTIC FOUR, AND THE BORDER WERE THE ONLY PARTS, TRACED!

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