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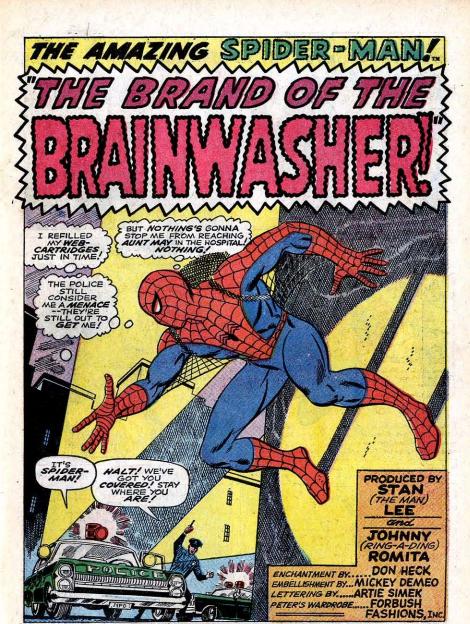
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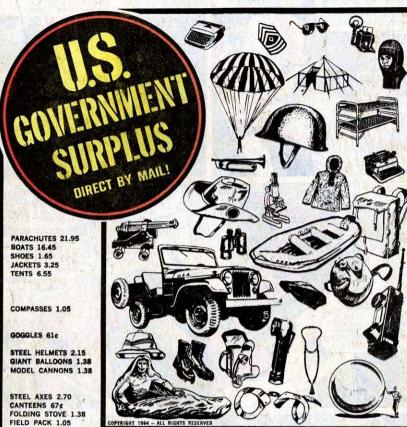












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entitled to face the Baxter Building and wiggle your webs whenever the strikes you - and you can even call your friendly Forbush-Man by his first name!

# STAN'S SOAPBOX!

Now that we've announced the start of the Second Golden Age of Marvel, we must also announce the end of an era! From this moment on, we'll no longer refer to our competition as Brand Echhl We coined that expression a few years ago as a gag, figuring it would be fun for us to needle some of the outfits who were older and bigger than we. However, thanks to the loyalty of you fabulous fans, and to the hard work, talent, and dedication of our beloved Bullpeners, we've managed to make ourselves the undisputed leaders of the comics industry. Perhaps we're still not the biggest - and we're certainly not the oldest - but we doubt that any group of magazines has ever before been so imitated, so universally acclaimed, or so zealously supported by its fans! - No, strike that word! You're more than fans! Much more! We've always thought of you as friends - and we always will! Anyway, when you're on top of the heap, it doesn't seem right to rib the other guy who hasn't quite made it - and that's why the only time we'll use the phrase BRAND ECHH from now on is in the title of our own goofy gag mag! So, to the artists, writers, and editors of the other companies in this batty business in which we toil, many of whom are close personal friends of ours - we hereby end the fatuous little feud we've been flaunting before the public. Let's just call it a draw and get on with the business at hand - the business of making today's comic mags the greatest entertainment value on earth - and tomorrow's even greater! 'Nuff said!

## THE MIGHTY MARVEL CHECKLIST Marvel-ous Mags On Sale Right Now!

NOT BRAND ECHH #7: This is almost too terrific to describe! Out of the goodness of our greedy little hearts, we present the ORIGIN OF THE FANTASTICAL FOUR and, to prove we play no favorites, we also give you - and you can have it - the ORIGIN OF STUPORMAN! What more can we say?

FANTASTIC FOUR #73! It's true! Dr. Doom lives again! And, to celebrate this mindstaggering revelation, you'll thrill to one of the greatest battles ever staged, featuring none other than Spider-Man - Daredevil - and the mighty Thor! It's a mindblaster!

AVENGERS #50: Immortal vs. immortal as the matchless Hercules faces the pure pounding power of Typhon, mightiest of titans! And, you can be sure the rest of our ever-lovin' assemblers get into the act, as well! A knock-down, drag-out blast!

X-MEN #42: The issue you never expected to see - and we never expected to print! Professor X dies - so that humanity might live! And, don't miss the pulsating showdown with the sub-human monster called Grotesk! This is the big one!

Prison," and no thriller was ever more aptly titled! Wait'll you see Daredevil, in the body of Dr. Doom, battling against Dr. Doom - in the body of Daredevil! Possibly the most daringly original theme you'll gasp at this year!

CAPTAIN MARVEL, STARRING IN MARVEL SUPER-HEROES #13: Still on sale you're lucky! Marvel's newest hero gains a new identity - a new life - and a new and sinister foe, as the senses-shattering Sentry once more walks the earth! It's a gasser

THOR #150: At last - the mighty Thunder God is claimed by Hela, Goddess of Death! Is this to be the end of the most spectacular series of modern times - or the beginning of new wonderment such as mortal eyes have never seen? Even we're not sure!

IRON MAN AND SUB-MARINER #1; Don't dare miss this one! Probably the only time these two superhero greats will costar in the same mag! Next month they go on to a still greater destiny, but till then

this one titanic issue will undoubtedly be the top collectors' item of the season! CAPTAIN AMERICA (Premiere Issuel): This is it! The star-spangled Avenger in his own full-length magazine! Featuring an unexorigin bit, plus the startling solution to the macabre mystery of Zemo! You'll never part with this one - especially when the Panther goes into action!

THE INCREDIBLE HULK (Premiere Issuel): Another triumph for mighty Marvel! The world's most powerful mortal starring at last in his own magazinel As an extra bonus, you'll thrill anew to Green Skin's origin — as well as to the awesome action when the might of Asgard is hurled against

STRANGE TALES #167: Finally, the cataclysmic climax to the bombastic battle between Nick Fury and the Yellow Claw (hon-est)! And Doc Strange enters a deadly dimension of death in search of Victoria Bentley! This one you can't afford to miss! SGT. FURY #52: It's a wah-hooing work of war-mag wonderment when Happy Sam.
Sawyer leads the Howlers into a Nazi prison camp to rescue a captured Allied scientist! Talk about bombshells . . . hoog

CAPTAIN SAVAGE #2: The Leatherneck Raiders lock horns with the sensational Samurai Squad in a desperate attempt to halt a world takeover plot by . . . none other than Baron Strucker! It's dynamite! MARVEL COLLECTORS' ITEM CLASSICS #14: The FF, Iron Man, Doctor Strange, and the Hulk - all in one action-packed issue you'll never forget — unless you're holding out on the Marvel Age of Comical (Perish the thought!)

MARVEL TALES #13: Spidey, Thor, Giant-Man, and - latch onto your seat belts from out of the glorious golden age . . . Marvel Boy, one of the most dramatically different superheroes ever! The House of Ideas has struck again!

# Let's meet 26 more Mike Jennings M.M.M.S. members! pavid Ryerson

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# \*\*SPIDER'S WEB

SEND YOUR LETTERS TO

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Dear Stan and John.

I'd like to discuss two letters you received from Viet Nam printed in issue #55. One was from a Mr. Thu who tells you he has missed some issues and wants you to help him. Naturally, you sent him free copies. In the past you've also gotten letters from people who tell you they love your mags, but they're hard to find or something like that. Then you give them a complimentary subscription. I can't help you give them a complimentary substitution is the sole purpose of getting free comics from you. I have nothing against your giving subscriptions to people (like in the past, a family man, a blind person, a soldier in Viet Nam, etc.) who write you for praising or booing purposes, but when you give them to people who seemingly just ask for them, it makes me mad. What's your view on this? The other letter was from a soldier discussing the use of Negroes in your magazines. Everyone praises you for using Negroes, but it seems to me that your Negroes are merely white people drawn by the artist with their skins darkened by the colorers. I don't think Negroes who read Marvels and see token Negroes who live in luxury, popularity and good health are going to feel any better when they themselves may live in poverty and have vast racial pressure on them. What do you think? Yours till Irving forbushes—

Martin Stern, 18966 Evergreen Detroit, Mich. 48219

We're glad to hear that, Marty - even if you are mad at us! But let's try to clear the air, huh? First, if our Negro characters seem like white people with dark skin, it's because that's how we see them! Or, for that matter, we might just as easily see Caucasians as Negroes with white skin! We honestly don't favor people because they belong to a particular race! We depict them because they are people - people whom we hope are interesting! To us, there is no such thing as a "token" Negro! Every person is an individual - and we don't feel any particular race can be lumped into a group and have it said that they are all the same! Now, as for the free subscriptions, surely no Marvelite True would ever try to con us! And, since that's settled, let's say we simply enjoy handing out complimentary subscriptions from time to time without any warning! It's one of the nutty ways we get our kicks!

Dear Stan and John, A lot of times in the past, you guys have mentioned and shown us Jonah Jameson's son. That means that he had to have been married at one time! But, to date, you have never shown us his wife or when or how he got married. So, how about in your next annual showing us Jonah's life story? Who knows, it might sell a couple of extra copies! One final comment. Though John draws Spidey very well, he just doesn't draw fight scenes as well as your previous artist did! 'Nuff Said! Matt Mitas, 3877 McDonald St. Louis, Missouri

Maybe as far as you're concerned, Matt - but what do you say we give the rest of Marveldom assembled a chance to add their two-cents worth! Judging from the mail that's come in the past several months, ol' Ringa-ding's dizzy doodling has made Spidey more popular than ever - so we have a hunch you're in the minority! We'll give everyone a chance to vote, though - before we make a definite pronouncement! Anyway, you're still entitled to your opinion! And, before we forget, your idea for "I. Jonah Jameson . . . This Is Your Life" really grabs us! We'll see what we can come up with on it! Fair 'nuff? Fair 'nuff!

Dear Stan and John, So "Doc Ock Wins!" Big deal. When does Spider-Man ever win? You have so afflicted our favorite web-slinger that his adventures now begin to read like soap operas. I'll prove it: "Presenting...the Web of Fate... Yester-day, we saw how J. Jonah Jameson, bigoted publisher of a biased metropolitan newspaper, distorted the actual account of Spider-Man's heroic struggle against Dr. Octopus, portraying Spider-Man as a villain as despicable as Octopus himself ... will the good people of our fair city believe his lies? How will Spider-Man take this? And what effect will this have on the personal life of his alter ego, Peter Parker? Is Spider-Man destined to remain forever an unsung hero? Is Peter Parker always to be beset by insurmountable personal problems? Will Aunt May ever be healthy and well? How will Parker ever choose between Gwen and Mary Jane? Can he lead a healthy, normal life half of the time and still remain a true champion of the rights of others as Spider-Man? ... Due to a special newscast on the Thing's rampage in the city, these questions will not be answered till tomorrow. Be sure to join us then, same web-time, same web-channel. And now we take you to Irving Forbush, roving reporter for the Daily take you to Irving Forbush, foring reporter for the Daily Bugle, who has been granted an exclusive interview with Mr. Fantastic..." Get the message? Spider-Man I like, soap opera I don't.

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We get the message alright, Private! And believe us, if we ever decide to go the soap opera route with Spidey, we'll want you to write the pilot! Meanwhile, we hope you'll accept our As-The-World-Turns-approved noprize we're sending you! Just don't leave it lying around where the dove in your kitchen can fly off with it!



Dear Stan and John,

Come on, you guys! In ish #54, four panels show Doc Ock's mechanical arms sitting around all by themselves with the good doctor half way across the room. Anybody | Dear Mary Jane worth his webs knows Doc once used his arms from behind a lead shield for experiments that were too danger-ous to be done up close. One such experiment went wrong and intense radiation fused his arms to his body. This same explosion turned him to evil. How come he can take them off now?? Talking about mechanical arms, at Expo 67 in one of the many films, a pavilion was showing a scientist using arms just like Doc Ock's to conduct experiments! Can't wait to see Daredevil take on the Beetle at Expo. All your mags are reaching greater heights of glory, and all I can say is onward and upward! After all, you don't want John Eder, 756 Taylor St. Chelsea, Mich. Forbush to catch up to you!

And we'll never let it happen, either - at least not as long as we keep him locked in the broom closet! About darlin' Doc Ock removing his tentacles, though where've you been keeping yourself the past few years, Johnny — Siberia? Why, the Doc's been able to remove his arms since way back in ish #..., uh, well, we can't remember everything! Which means it's no-prize time again! The first True Believer who can fill in the missing number wins, natch - and we'll fire the award right out as soon as we receive a winning entry! (If we can get our arms hooked up again to seal the envelope, that is!)

Dear Stan.

I enjoyed issue #55 very much. I will admit the cover was different. In all my two years of collecting Marvels, this is the first time you've had a cover quite like this one. Please don't do it again. The plot itself was very good, especially touches such as Aunt May's high regard for Dr. Octupus and her fervent dislike of Spider-Man. It's little touches like these that really make a story good. Don't destroy your next issue by having some easy escape for Spider-Man from the clutches of Doc Ock. You sometimes tend to do this - you get your hero mixed up in a hopeless situation, and then, in the following issue, you think of some highly implausible method for his escape. Nothing needs to be said for John Romita's art. He's at his highest point as far as art goes, and personally, I think he had a great deal to do with the improvement in the John C. Irwin, Crestmont R.D. #1 magazine. Lock Haven, Pa.

You and about a zillion other Spidophiles, J. C.! And, if we know the Jazzy one, the best is yet to come! We assume you know by now that Spidey had anything but an easy time bouncing back to defeat Doc Ock - and how about that corking case of amnesia?! Finally, we'd just like to know one thing about the cavortin' cover you commented on! It was different, right? It was the first one of its kind, right? Okay! Then all we wanna know is, why don't ya wanna see another one along the same line? Didn't you like it - or was it just such a mind-snapper that you don't think you could take the jolt again? Let us know on the double - 'cause the suspense is killing us!

Dear Stan and John.

As a shoe salesman, I hereby bestow upon you the "Sole and Heel" award for drawing Aunt May on the cover of Spidey #54 as the hippie she is. Aunt May's shoes are the latest. They're brown for fall and the buckles are the newest kind. The shoes have the square toe and the mod heel. Undoubtedly, Aunt May is a hippie! Until Aunt May wears high stretch boots with transparent heels, 'nuff said! Larry Manoff, 7940 Bayard St. Philadelphia, Pa. 19150

We'll go along with that, Lar! Now, if you'll just excuse us, we have to check into the rumor that Jazzy Johnny's been moonlighting as a shoe designer!

It seems as though all of Marveldom from Peter Parker on has been putting you down. I can remember when Gwen treated Parker like a foul ball; yet he seems to be falling all over her now. Face it, gal, he's too much of a good head to dig a swinger like you. That's why I'm scraping up money from my Teaching Fellowship funds to get you a plane ticket out to ISU. We won't throw lefthanded insults at you or try to destroy your mind. But in the meantime between time, don't forget our motto: "Imperious Red!" or "Make mine Mary Jane!" We redheads will have to stick together.

Lee (Red) Vercoe, Gillum Hall 309

Indiana State Univ., Terre Haute, Ind. 47809

You know it, daddy - and your invite sounds like a gas! Tell you what, Red - if things don't shape up with Petey-O, like soon - and if Rock Hudson stands me up many more times, I just might take you up on it! (If you think your campus is ready for a pussycat like me, that is! ) - MJ



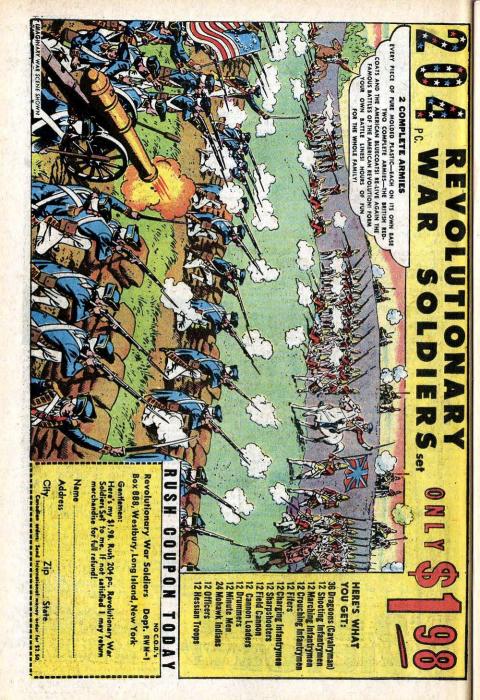
Dear Stan and John My senses are still reeling from frantic issue #55! With Dock Ock at his most magnificent malevolence and Spidey at his typically web-swinging best, well, it makes Brand Echh mags look like obituaries! I have just one little hang-up. Iron Man, at the time of Doc Ock's attack on Tony Stark's factory, was lying wounded within the walls of the factory, right? Doc Ock tested the power of the Nullifier on the factory. It shut down all the machines in the factory, including the electric doors, so everyone was trapped inside, right? Tony Stark is kept alive only by Iron Man's chest-plate device as every true Marvelite knows, right? You have thusly knocked off Iron Man because the Nullifier can disable any mechanical device including Iron Man's chest-plate device. Now why'd you want to do a thing like that??! I think that a discovery such as this, heart-rending as it is to all Marvel-maniacs, should be rewarded with a genuine, naugahide-covered no-prize with wire wheels!

Greg Crow, 1226 W. North St. Anaheim, Cal. 92801

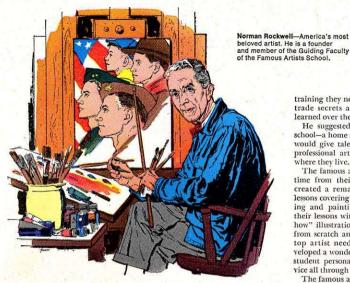
And we'll toss in bucket-seats and a four-speed stick just to show our hearts are in the right place. Greg! But don't send any flowers for ol' Shellhead just yet! Cause, when Doc Ock turned the nullifier on Stark Industries, Iron Man was in a lead-shielded test lab—the walls of which couldn't be penetrated by the nullifier's rays! Besides, you'd know he was still alive if you hadn't been shirking your responsibilities — and missed a couple of issues of TALES OF SUSPENSE! For shame!



... IN WHICH SPIDEY VINDICATES HIMSELF... BUT LOSES THE GIRL HE LOVES!!!







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