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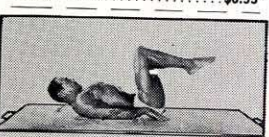
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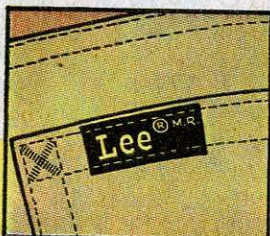


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BUT HE **ISN'T!** HE'S AS COURAGEOUS AS **ANYONE...** I KNOW HE IS!

THERE MUST BE **ANOTHER** REASON! I'VE GOT TO LEARN THE **SECRET** THAT HE'S HIDING!

HE... MEANS SO MUCH TO ME! IF HE'S IN **TROUBLE...** I HAVE TO **HELP** HIM!

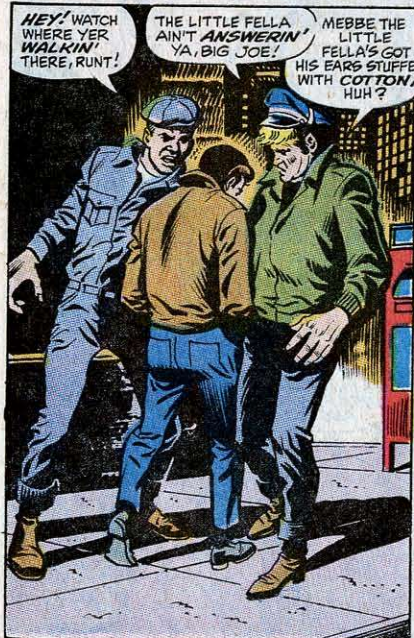


BUT OUR HERO, ALAS, HEARS **NOTHING** OF WHAT IS SAID! HE ONLY KNOWS...WHAT HIS ANGUISHED EYES HAVE **SEEN...**!

GWEN...AND **FLASH THOMPSON!** SO THAT'S HOW IT IS!

I WOULDN'T HAVE **BELIEVED** IT OF HER...IN A MILLION YEARS!

I THOUGHT...THAT SHE AND I...



HEY! WATCH WHERE YER **WALKIN'** THERE, RUNT!

THE **LITTLE FELLA** AIN'T **ANSWERIN'** YA, BIG JOE!

MESBEE THE **LITTLE FELLA'S** GOT HIS EARS STUFFED WITH **COTTON**, HUH?



BUT **WE** KNOW HOW TO **UNSTUFF** A **LITTLE FELLA'S** EARS, **DON'T** WE, BIG JOE?

YOU CAN SAY THAT **AGAIN**, PAL!

HEY, **LITTLE FELLA**...HOW'S ABOUT **TURNIN' AROUND** NOW...**NICE 'N EASY...**

WELL LOOKY **HERE**, BIG JOE! HE **HEARD** YA! I THINK WE **WOKE** THE **LITTLE FELLA** UP!

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OR MAYBE YOU'RE *KIDDIN'* YOURSELF, HOBIE BOY! MAYBE THIS IS THE *BEST* YOU CAN DO!



HOW'S A GUY EVER GONNA *AMOUNT* TO ANYTHING... EVER GONNA *BE* SOMEBODY...IF NOBODY'LL GIVE HIM A *CHANCE*? ...IF NOBODY'LL *BELIEVE* IN HIM?

YOU'VE GOT TO SNAP *OUT* OF IT, HOBIE! STOP FEELING SO *SORRY* FOR YOURSELF!

I *KNOW* HOW CLEVER YOU ARE...HOW GREAT YOU ARE AT *INVENTING* THINGS!

BUT, YOU'RE STILL *YOUNG*! IT TAKES *TIME* TO BE DISCOVERED...*TIME* TO REACH THE GOAL YOU'RE TRYING FOR?

I CAN TAKE IT FROM THE *REST* OF THE PACK...

BUT THEN...WHEN *MINDY* STARTED TO PUT ME DOWN...



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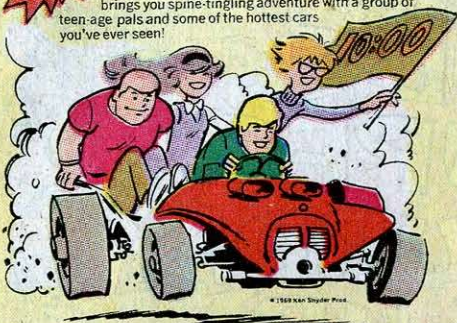
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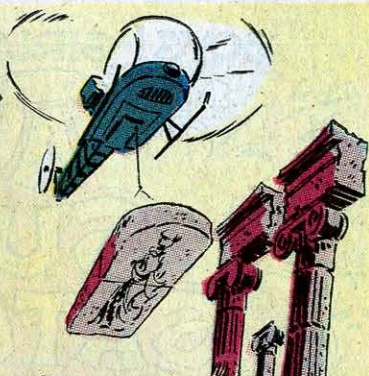
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Dear Stan and John,

The Merry Marvel Bullpen has triumphed again. I have been reading SPIDER-MAN for a long time now, and after reading issue #74, I noticed quite a mistake. On page 15, panels 2, 3 and 4, Billy Connors and his mother are locked up in a cell. Billy's mother says, "something that NO ONE... not even you... could ever suspect!" The conversation marches on until finally Billy professes, "My dad is... THE LIZARD!" In other words, he knows all about his father! Well, when he made this statement, his mother seemed very surprised. She apparently never knew that Billy knew!

So, I looked into my library of SPIDER-MAN comics, and dug up SPIDER-MAN #6. I leafed through the book until I came to page 14, panel 4. In this panel are three characters — Spider-Man, Mrs. Connors, and Billy. Mrs. Connors doesn't say anything, but Billy does. (She has her arm around him!) He says, word for word, "D-Don't HURT him, Spider-Man." The "HIM" refers to Billy's father in the state of the Lizard. "He's still my father!" Now, don't tell me that Spider-Man heard Billy, and his mother is deaf in her left ear, so she didn't hear it.

Well, do I or do I not get a no-prize for my electrifying exposé? Mark A. H. Drobnick, 1017 Wadsworth Avenue, North Chicago, Illinois 60064

You know it, Mark. Actually, we had this far-out theory that Mrs. Connors is deaf in one ear and therefore couldn't hear Billy... but a re-reading of your little missive convinced us that we shouldn't use it. 'Twould appear that Billy's statement 'way back in SPIDEY #6 did indeed slip Smiley's mind... and, if your peace of mind is bothered by such a glaring inconsistency, we'll send you a black crayon with which you may forever efface that line from said comic.

Meanwhile, your no-prize is on its way, lad... obviously, your eyes are considerably sharper than Mrs. Connors' ears!

My Friends,

I have just read SPIDER-MAN #74, and I would like to comment on two of the letters printed in that immortal issue.

Firstly, to answer Chuck Hamilton. He kept harping on his suggestion that Spidey start telling everyone on the street, who he is. I am against this. Don't forget Aunt May's delicate heart which would, of course be broken by such a disclosure. But, more than that even, if he told people he was Spider-Man, he would constantly have to be Spider-Man. No let-up! That would seem to me, to be more wearing than his present situation. Also, how can an ordinary kid identify with someone who never touches earth? Never has normal problems as well as his abnormal ones? I have the same objection to DD's dropping Matt Murdock (which I hope and trust is a temporary thing). Chuck also said Pete should grow his hair out. Can you imagine a full head of hair under that tight mask? Hair prickles! So, Chuck, leave his hair alone. And, that goes for you who are more directly responsible, too.

Secondly, to answer John Baumann. He hit the nail smack on the thumb with his letter. It's exactly what happens everywhere. If people could communicate the world would be a much nicer place. But, since they don't, we have riots and wars and crime and brilliant science students who double as Spider-Men. So, don't change that either.

I guess I just like it the way it is — only, perhaps a little more so? Downward and Backward!

Sean Laidig, 784 Holmdel Road
Holmdel, New Jersey 07733

And so it goes — with almost every aspect of our friendly neighborhood wall-crawler just as controversial as ever! Over the past few years, we've allowed Peter Parker to change just as real people grow and change: he's had his fling at being a swinger (with a motorcycle, yet), he's had romantic problems with more girls than one, while his living quarters have changed from his aunt's home to an apartment with Harry Osborn.

But everything would seem to bear out the eternal truth of that old maxim, "The more we change, the more we remain the same." Spidey had social-life, girl, and family problems in SPIDER-MAN #1... and it looks as if, when we get around to celebrating that milestone-making hundredth issue of the mag, he'll still be wearing out an occasional crying towel! C'est la vie! Or is it?

Dear Stan, John, and Jim,

Congratulations are in order for the following: Stan Lee, Johnny Romita, Jim Mooney, and Sammy Rosen. They have been endowed with the TLA award (Titanic Leaders Award) for extraordinary work on SPIDER-MAN. They have further improved the already greatest Marvel character to such an extent that it is unbearable. But, in all good things runs the evil of evil which is evil. The great SPIDER-MAN is no exception.

Social life is where it's at. Sure, there's a couple of pages a book of Harry, Gwen and the rest of the group, but two pages in twenty isn't enough. Action is great, but SPIDEY has too much. I myself don't like panels where Spidey hits the Kimpin as much as I like seeing the luscious Gwen or the lively Harry. In the past five SPIDER-MAN issues, there have been 437 panels, with only 46 of these pertaining to the social life of Peter Parker! This is only one-tenth of the mag's! Now, I'm sure you pussywillows wouldn't want to offend Aunt May by leaving her out — so how about putting the issue to a vote in Marveldom. Three courses are available: 1) leave it the way it is, 2) give Spidey more action, 3) give Spidey more of a social life. 'Nuff said.

Ronald Gayda, 125 Rose St.
Bridgeport, Conn. 06610

Not quite, Ron! In order to squeeze in more action and more social life, we'd have to draw more and smaller panels, thus crowding the battle scenes a bit. Would this adversely affect the book — or do you think that pictures can be substituted for panorama? Let us know, Spidophiles!

Dear Stan, John, and Jim,

Please excuse the informality, but as this is the first letter I've ever written to a comic mag, my only guide was your own letter column. Besides, I regard those who bring me SPIDER-MAN every month as old friends, anyway.

As a regular Spidophile of comparatively short standing, I do find my enthusiasm a little expensive; I buy the older issues from comics collector shops at well above original costs. Do you boys realize that your comics seem to be the most in demand? Still, if I may say so, your literary gems are well worth the price.

Now, to business — that is, the fan's pastime of telling you how to run your business. First, I wish to add my voice to the (apparently) growing throng crying, "Let Peter share his secret!" The advantages don't stop with the improvement of his social life; don't you realize that if Joe Robertson or Gwen, or Harry knew the secret of Spider-Man, they could cover for him with Jolly Jonah or Aunt May?

Which brings me to my other suggestion; don't be stampeded into letting Aunt May die. It might take some of the pressure off Peter, but he would miss her, and frankly, so would I. Spidey has kept his secret from her this long, and he can keep up the good work.

Michael J. Susko, Jr., 96 S. 17 Street
San Jose, California 95112

Don't worry, Michael... we've got no intention of letting dear old Aunt May die before her appointed time. (Of course, we realize that that's not exactly the most clear-cut of answers, but it's the best we can do, under the circumstances.)

Meanwhile, the votes are still coming in on who (if anyone) should share the secret of Spider-Man's identity. We don't want to let any cats out of the bag just now, but we might as well mention that virtually everybody this side of Fearless Forbush has been nominated as Peter's confidant. (There was even one letter that suggested we tell Smilin' Stan who Spidey was — and it was signed "Jazzy Johnny". Do you think the mischievous Mr. Romita was trying to tell us something?)



BUT, YOU DIDN'T EVEN LOOK AT THESE THINGS! THEY CAN HELP THE GUYS TO WORK FASTER... SAFER..!

YEAH, YEAH... I'M ALL SHOOK UP! NOW GET BACK TO WORK BEFORE I DOCK YA!



BUT I'M NOT GONNA TAKE IT MUCH LONGER!

THERE'S GOTTA BE SOME WAY TO CRACK THE ESTABLISHMENT! ... SOME WAY TO REALLY DO MY THING!

AND HOBBIE BROWN'S GONNA FIND IT!

WHAT'S THAT GUY INSIDE TRYING TO TELL ME?



S'MATTER, MAN? DID I MISS A GREAT BIG FLY-SPECK OR SOMETHING?

DON'T GET FLIP WITH ME, KID!

I CAN CHEW UP A DOZEN SMART-MOUTHS LIKE YOU BEFORE BREAKFAST!



I JUST WANTED TO TELL YOU TO STOP DAY-DREAMING AND GET WITH IT!

THE GUY YOU WORK FOR IS OUTSIDE, CHECKING UP ON HIS CREW...

AND HE WANTED TO KNOW WHY YOU SPENT A HALF-HOUR ON THAT ONE LITTLE WINDOW!

OH, HE DID, DID HE? WELL, YOU CAN TELL HIM FOR ME...

SIMMER DOWN, SON. I GOT A NEWS-PAPER TO WORRY ABOUT!

YOU CAN DO YOUR OWN TELLING! I JUST WANTED TO TIP YOU OFF, THAT'S ALL!



SO, THAT'S THE WAY YOU GET YOUR WORK DONE, HUH BROWN?

HE'S NOT SELLING ME ANYTHING! I CALLED HIM IN TO COMPLAIN ABOUT THE PRICES, YOU CHARGE!

WASTIN' TIME HERE IN MR. JAMESON'S OFFICE... TALKIN' UP A BLUE STREAK! YOU TRYIN' TO SELL HIM SOME OF YOUR INVENTIONS ... ON MY TIME?

I WANTED HIM TO TELL YOU I'M SICK OF PAYING THRU THE NOSE TO GET MY WINDOWS CLEANED!

YOU MEAN... IT WAS YOU THAT SLOWED HIM UP AROUND HERE?

YOU BETTER BELIEVE IT, CURLY. I STILL RUN THIS PLACE!





I'LL MAKE MYSELF A **COSTUME**...
GIVE MYSELF A **NAME**
THAT NOBODY CAN FORGET!
...AND USE SOME OF THE
THINGS I INVENTED TO
MAKE IT LOOK LIKE I'VE
GOT **SUPER POWERS!**

IT CAN BE
DONE...
AND I'M THE
GUY TO
DO IT!



I RIGGED UP THIS
BRACELET GIZMO TO
SHOOT SPECIAL **CLEAN-**
ING FLUIDS AT THE
WINDOW GLASS...

BUT THE
PELLETS CAN
BE JUST AS
EASILY
FILLED WITH
GAS AND
OTHER
STUFF!



AND THESE **STEEL-**
TIPPED GLOVES
WHICH I DESIGNED
TO GIVE US A BETTER
GRIP ON THE SIDE
OF SHEER WALLS...

THEY'LL BE
PERFECT FOR
MY PLAN!



BUT WAIT A MINUTE!
JUST BEING A NUTTY
SUPERHERO ISN'T
THE WHOLE ANSWER!

I'LL NEED **PUBLICITY...**
NEED PEOPLE TO **TALK**
ABOUT ME!

AND I WANT IT
FAST...
LIKE
NOW!

BEING A
SUPERHERO
CAN BE TOO
SLOW...IT
CAN TAKE
TOO LONG!



IT MAY BE **DAYS...**
WEEKS... BEFORE I
FIND SOME **CROOK**
TO TACKLE!

BUT A **SUPER**
VILLAIN CAN GO
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I'M GONNA HAVE TO MOVE **FAST**...AND THE GREATER HEIGHTS I CAN LEAP FROM...THE **BETTER**!



SO FAR, SO **GOOD**! EVERYTHING CHECKS **OUT**!

NOW, ALL I HAVE TO DO IS LET THE **PROWLER** BE SEEN...COMMITTING SOME KIND OF **CRIME**...



AND THEN, LATER **NOBIE BROWN** WILL RECOVER THE **LOOT**...**RETURN IT**...AND BE A **HERO**!

MY PLAN CAN'T **FAIL**!

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I'VE GOT TO SEND **AUNT MAY** SOME MONEY---AND THAT'S **ONE** THING I JUST **DON'T** GOT RIGHT NOW!

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HE SURE **IS**, PARKER! HE NEVER LEAVES TILL HE'S CHECKED THE FINAL GALLEYS!

BUT HE'S IN HIS **USUAL** RAMPAGING MOOD!

ANYTHING **I** CAN DO FOR YOU?

'FRAID **NOT**, MR. R!

I'M KINDA LOW ON **FUNDS**, AND I THOUGHT I'D APPEAL TO HIS WORLD-FAMOUS, **GENEROUS**, **SOFT-HEARTED** NATURE!

IT'LL BE LIKE PLEADING WITH A HUNK OF **GRANITE**... BUT YOU'RE WELCOME TO **TRY!**

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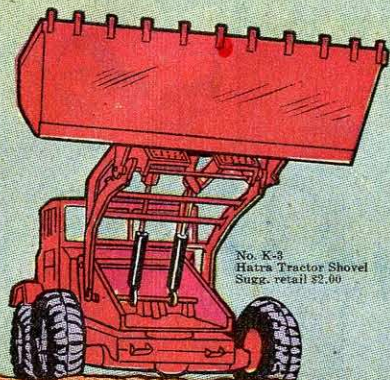
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WHAM!
WHAM!

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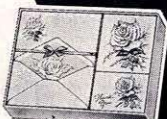
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