

...I'M TELLING YOU, BOYS, THIS SCHEME CAN'T FAIL! WE'RE GOING TO BE **RICH, RICH, RICH!**

WHO'S GONNA BE RICH?

YOU'D BETTER NOT BE PLANNING ANOTHER ONE OF YOUR **SCAMS**, TOP CAT! THE MAYOR'S OFFICE IS EXPECTING SOME **IMPORTANT VISITORS**, SO I'M UNDER STRICT ORDERS TO **CLEAN UP** THIS NEIGHBORHOOD!



UH, YOU ARE? WHERE'S YOUR **BROOM?**

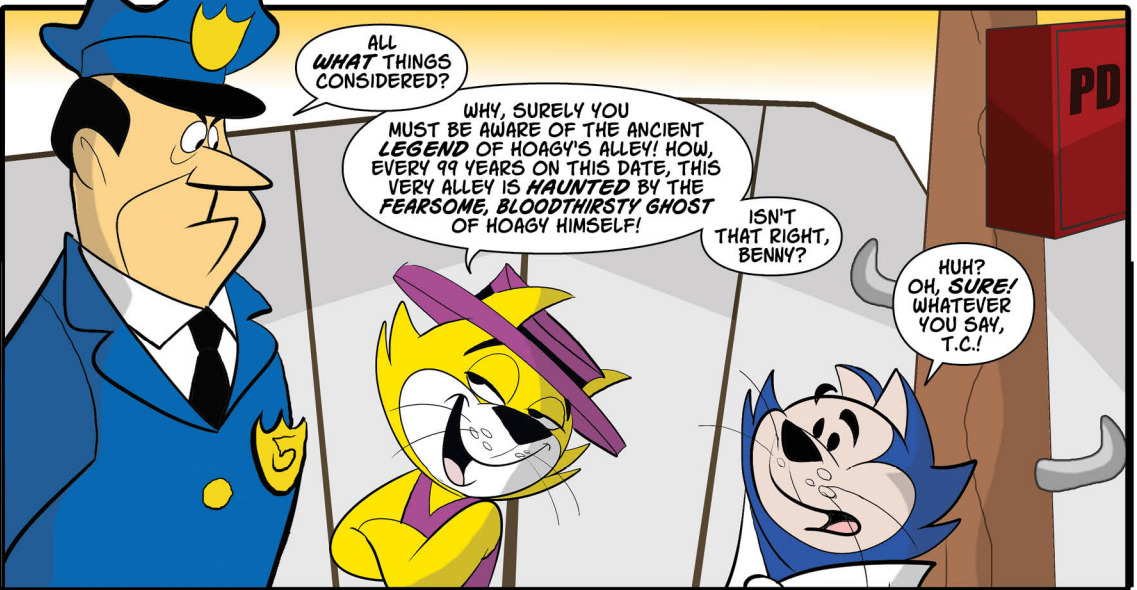


OH, YOU **MISUNDERSTAND**, OFFICER **DIBBLE**, SIR. THERE ARE **NO SCAMS** HERE. NOTHING COULD BE FURTHER FROM MY MIND!

THE BOYS HERE WERE SIMPLY ASKING, UM, HOW I LIKE MY **BOWLS OF CREAM** PREPARED. I LIKE THEM **RICH, RICH, RICH!**



I MUST ADMIT, HOWEVER, THAT I'M A LITTLE **SURPRISED** TO SEE YOU HERE IN **HOAGY'S ALLEY**. IT'S **AWFULLY BRAVE** OF YOU, ALL THINGS CONSIDERED.

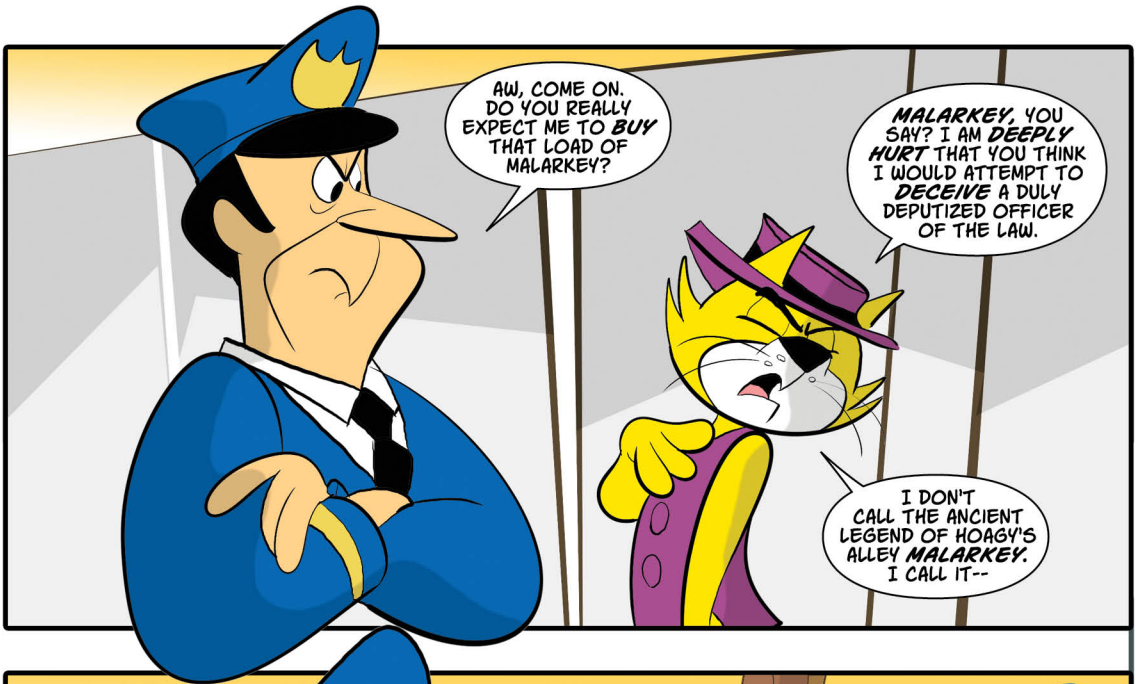


ALL **WHAT THINGS** CONSIDERED?

WHY, SURELY YOU MUST BE AWARE OF THE **ANCIENT LEGEND** OF **HOAGY'S ALLEY**! HOW, EVERY 99 YEARS ON THIS DATE, THIS VERY ALLEY IS **HAUNTED** BY THE **FEARSOME, BLOODTHIRSTY GHOST** OF **HOAGY HIMSELF!**

ISN'T THAT RIGHT, **BENNY?**

HUH? OH, **SURE!** WHATEVER YOU SAY, **T.C.!**



AW, COME ON. DO YOU REALLY EXPECT ME TO *BUY* THAT LOAD OF MALARKEY?

MALARKEY, YOU SAY? I AM *DEEPLY HURT* THAT YOU THINK I WOULD ATTEMPT TO *DECEIVE* A DULY DEPUTIZED OFFICER OF THE LAW.

I DON'T CALL THE ANCIENT LEGEND OF HOAGY'S ALLEY *MALARKEY*. I CALL IT--



REIGNING CATS AND DOGS

--H-HOAGY'S G-G-GHOST!

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GET OUT OF MY ALLEY!

THE SARGE IS NEVER GONNA BELIEVE THIS!



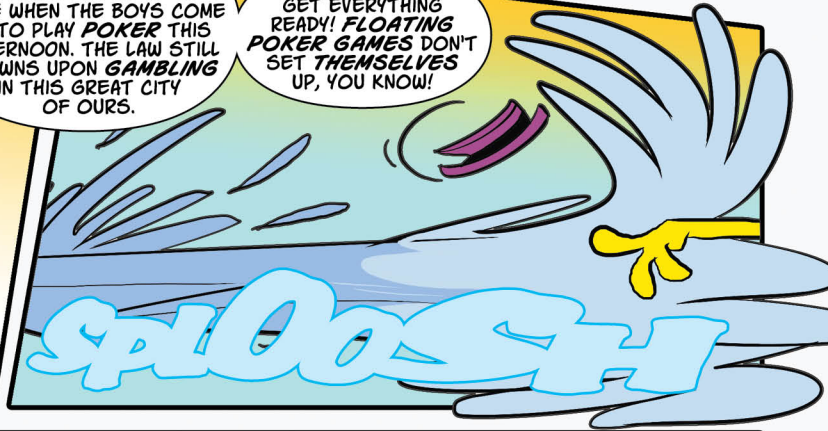
EXCELLENT WORK, SPOOK! YOU MAKE A FINE "GHOST OF HOAGY."

THANKS, T.C. BUT I FEEL A LITTLE BAD ABOUT SCARING OFFICER DIBBLE. HE'S REALLY A PRETTY DECENT GUY.



INDEED HE IS, CHOOCH. BUT WE CAN'T HAVE ANY COPS AROUND HERE WHEN THE BOYS COME BY TO PLAY POKER THIS AFTERNOON. THE LAW STILL FROWNS UPON GAMBLING IN THIS GREAT CITY OF OURS.

NOW, LET'S GET EVERYTHING READY! FLOATING POKER GAMES DON'T SET THEMSELVES UP, YOU KNOW!



BENNY! WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA?

YOU SAID YOU WANTED THE GAME FLOATING!

