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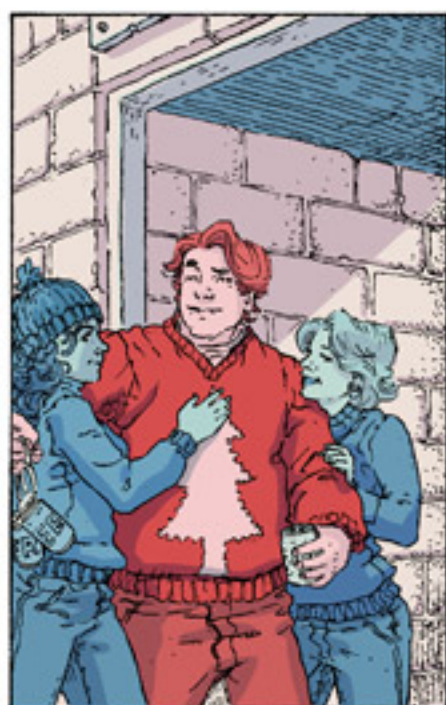
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Ever since he was a kid, Jack Northworthy dreamed of being one thing--





Things didn't quite work out that way.







ALWAYS DID LOVE YOUR WACKY SENSE OF HUMOR, LOIS.

HEY JACK? I'VE GOT A FULL DAY OF ACTUALLY, Y'KNOW, **RUNNING** THIS TOWN.

AW, C'MON, LOIS! YOU GONNA MAKE ME **BEG**?

I'M GONNA BE SHORT ON THE MORTGAGE THIS MONTH, JUST LAY OFF THE **DAMN PLOWS** SO I CAN--

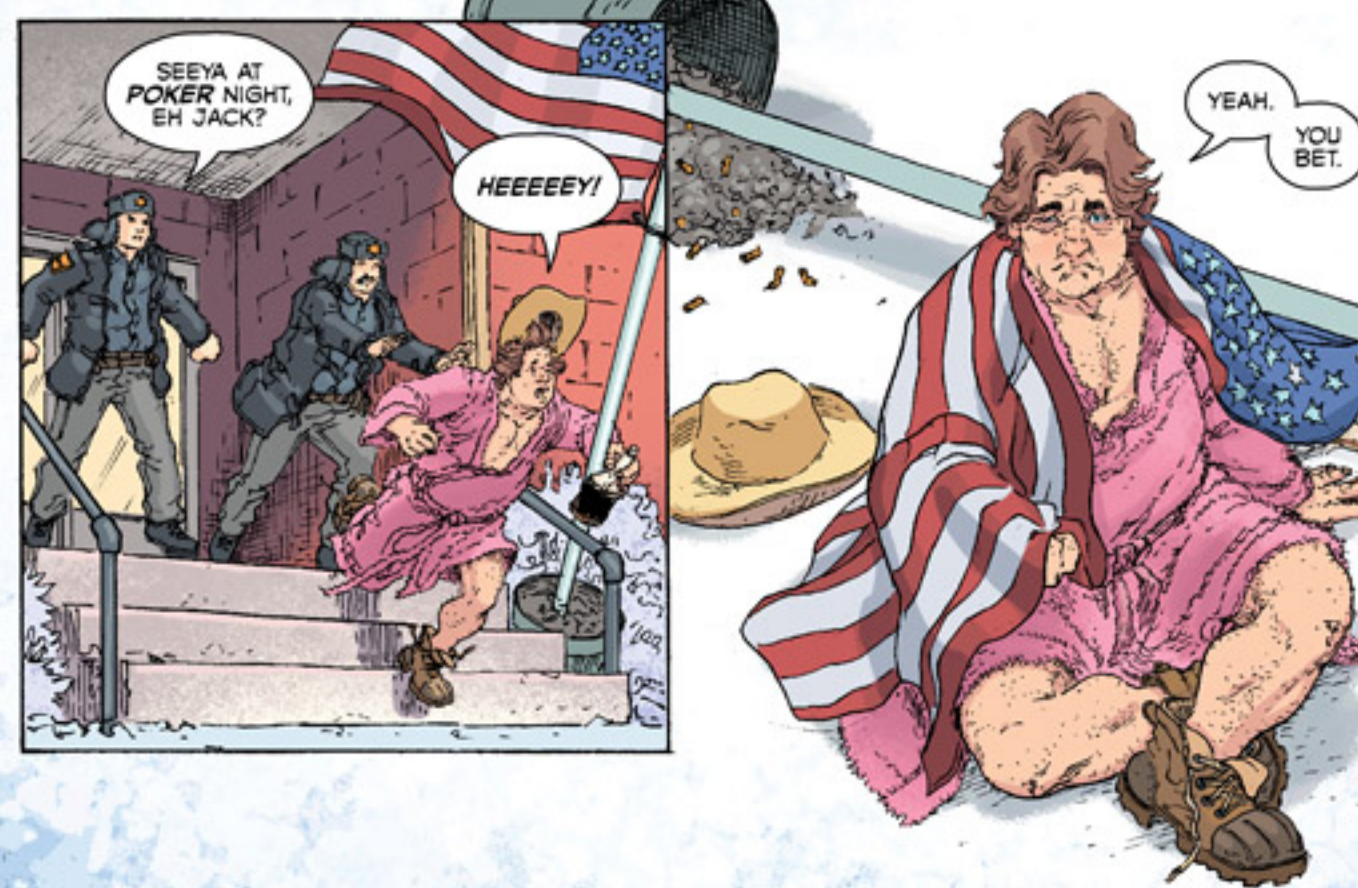
I'M **NOT** LEAVING THIS TOWN BURIED SO YOU CAN MAKE A **QUICK BUCK**.

**GOODBYE, JACK.**



**IT LOIS!**

YOU AIN'T CHANGED ONE BIT, YOU'RE STILL A **PSYCHO--**



SEEYA AT **POKER NIGHT**, EH JACK?

**HEEEEEEY!**

YEAH. YOU **BET.**





And he didn't have a plan B.



--SO I SAID, WEIGH IT AGAIN! AND WHADDAYA KNOW--

THAT FISH WAS TEN POUNDS AFTER ALL!



... WHAT EXACTLY CAN I DO FOR YOU JACK?



COULDN'T HELP BUT NOTICE YA GOT THE SNOWPLOWS OUT ON THE ROAD REAL QUICK LAST NIGHT.

PEOPLE GOTTA GET TO WORK, JACK.

IF THE STREETS GET CLEAR, PEOPLE DON'T BUY SNOWBLOWERS. SNOW IS MONEY, IN THIS TOWN.



Y'SEE, WAY THINGS USED TO BE, WHEN THE STORM HIT, WE GIVE IT A FEW HOURS BEFORE THE PLOWS GO OUT.


THAT'S THE ARRANGEMENT I HAD WITH THE PREVIOUS MAYOR.



YOU WERE THE PREVIOUS MAYOR, JACK.

HAVE YOU SIGNED THOSE DIVORCE PAPERS YET?





*If you're swimming  
through freezing  
water in the middle  
of winter, and at the  
bottom of the lake  
you see...*

*A vision of yourself!  
As leader of the free  
world!*

*What could possibly  
possess you to dive  
deeper?*



