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WELL, LOOKY HERE - IT'S THAT DUSTY OLD ROCK 'N ROLLER
DOCTOR WEBSITE, STRUMMING A CLASSIC EXPOSITION BALLAD. HEY, DOC -
DON'T YOU KNOW LIVE MUSIC'S ILLEGAL ON THE MAINLAND? IT'S LIKE HE
JUST DOESN'T CARE ANYMORE! MUST BE THOSE...

"Business park blues"

MUSIC AND LYRICS
M. HUFFMAN

HERE'S OL' BUSINESS PARK,
FORMER CORPORATE HEAVEN,
INCORPORATED NINETEEN
FIFTY-ELEVEN

AND THEN SOME YEARS LATER,
SOCIETAL TROUBLES
POPPED THE TECHNICAL MEDICAL
REGIONAL BUBBLE

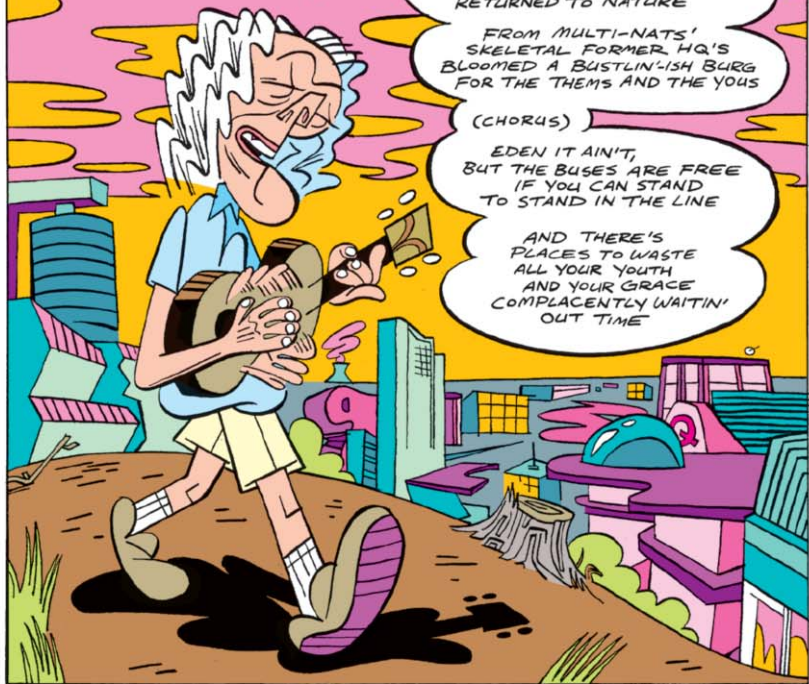
ALL BUT ABANDONED
BY STATE LEGISLATURE,
THESE SPRAWLING TECH CAMPUSES
RETURNED TO NATURE

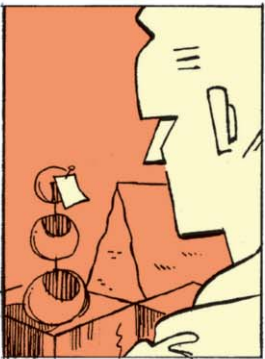
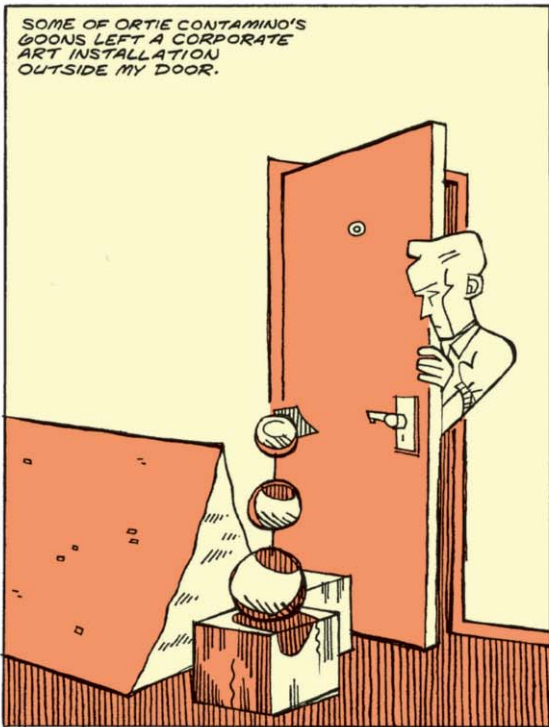
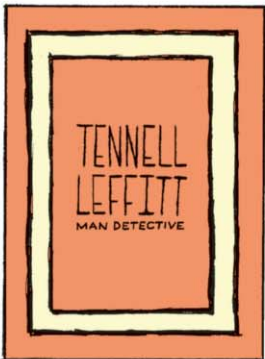
FROM MULTI-NATS'
SKELETAL FORMER HQ'S
BLOOMED A BUSTLIN'ISH BURG
FOR THE THEMES AND THE YOUS

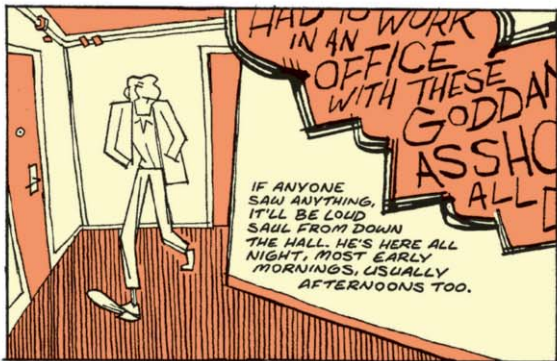
(CHORUS)

EDEN IT AIN'T,
BUT THE BUSES ARE FREE
IF YOU CAN STAND
TO STAND IN THE LINE

AND THERE'S
PLACES TO WASTE
ALL YOUR YOUTH
AND YOUR GRACE
COMPLACENTLY WAITIN'
OUT TIME







MONICA DELPORTO,
BUSINESS PARK
FREEKLY.



SURE...



...THE NIGHTLIFE
BEAT.

YOUR COLUMN'S
ACROSS
FROM MY
AD.



SOME
FUCKIN'
COMPANY!



HEY, DICK
FACEY -
TALKED TO
YOUR UNCLE
LATELY?

CHEST?



HE STOPPED
PLACING AD
BUYS WEEKS
AGO.

CRUDE IS
LOOKING
ABANDONED
"A.F."

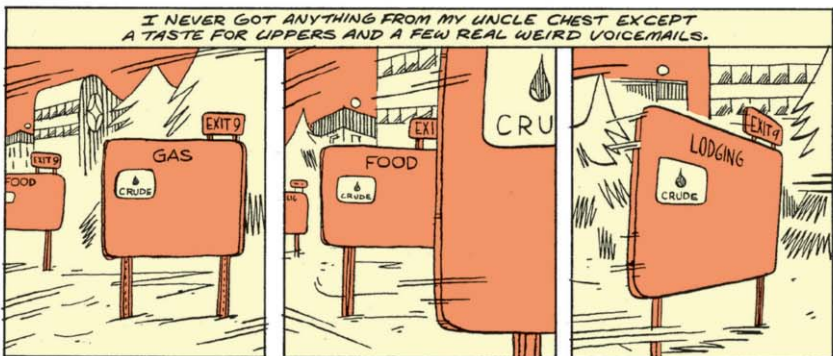
THOUGHT
SOMEONE
SHOULD
KNOW -
YOUR DAD
DOESN'T TAKE
OUR CALLS...



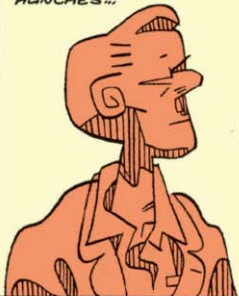
YEAH,
JOIN THE
CLUB.

THAT'S
OFF THE
RECORD!



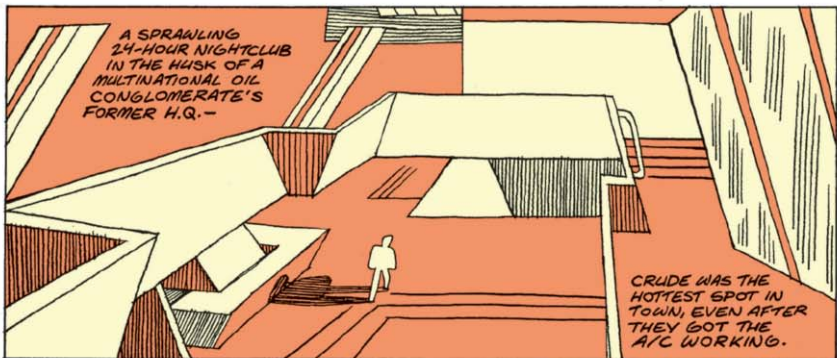


I'M GETTING ONE OF MY
CLASSIC DETECTIVE
HUNCHES...



IT'S TELLING ME THIS
PLACE IS A GHOST TOWN.

A SPRAWLING
24-HOUR NIGHTCLUB
IN THE HUSK OF A
MULTINATIONAL OIL
CONGLOMERATE'S
FORMER H.Q. -



CRUDE WAS THE
HOTTEST SPOT IN
TOWN, EVEN AFTER
THEY GOT THE
A/C WORKING.

IMPROPRIETOR



SO WHY'S IT GUTTED?

WHERE'S
CHEST?





JUST THEN THE MOON HITS THE CLOUDS LIKE A TWENTY OVER A BIG FAT GORILLA FINGER.

