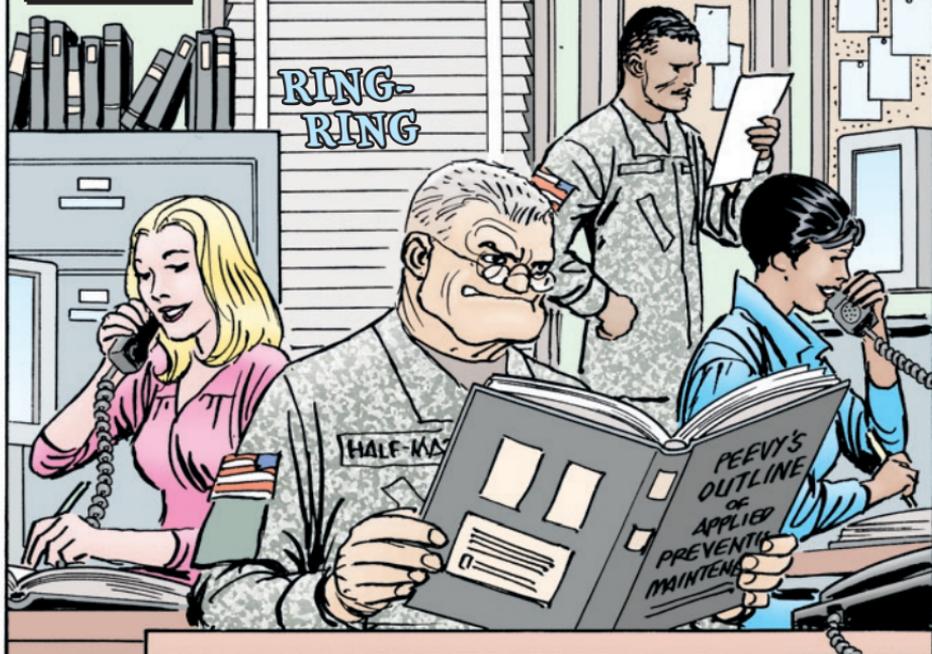


Out-Classed by PM

THE PS STAFF
IS HARD AT
WORK...

RING-
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THAT'S RIGHT,
SERGEANT...
*CLP IS MUCH
BETTER FOR
YOUR RIFLE...*

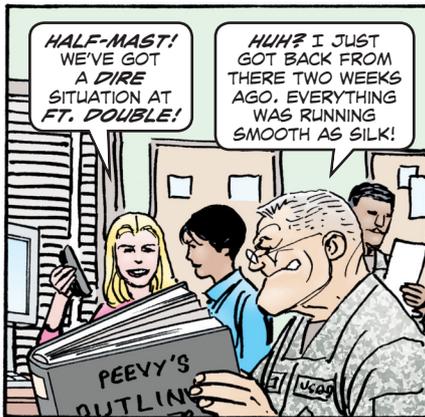


ALL FINISHED! THIS
NEW BLACK HAWK
ARTICLE IS READY
FOR PUBLICATION!



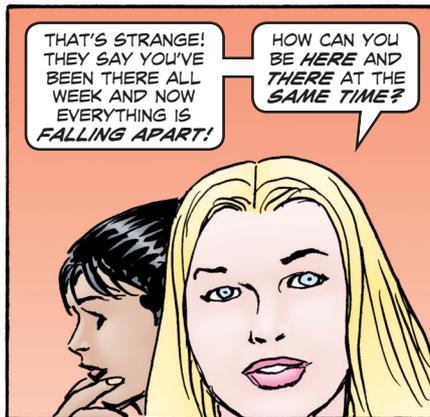
YESSIR, COLONEL...
THAT *IS* HARD
TO BELIEVE! WE'LL CHECK
INTO IT *RIGHT AWAY!*





HALF-MAST!
WE'VE GOT
A DIRE
SITUATION AT
FT. DOUBLE!

HUH? I JUST
GOT BACK FROM
THERE TWO WEEKS
AGO. EVERYTHING
WAS RUNNING
SMOOTH AS SILK!



THAT'S STRANGE!
THEY SAY YOU'VE
BEEN THERE ALL
WEEK AND NOW
EVERYTHING IS
FALLING APART!

HOW CAN YOU
BE *HERE* AND
THERE AT THE
SAME TIME?



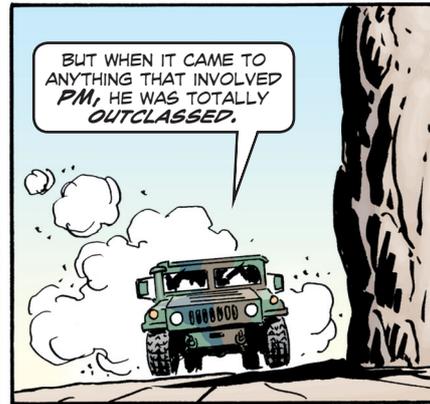
OH, NO!
IT CAN'T
BE...



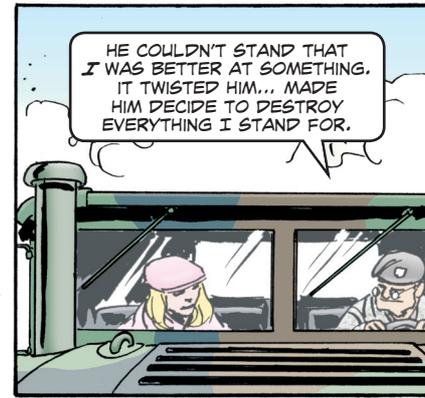
C'MON,
CONNIE! I'M
GONNA NEED
YOUR HELP
WITH *THIS*
ONE!



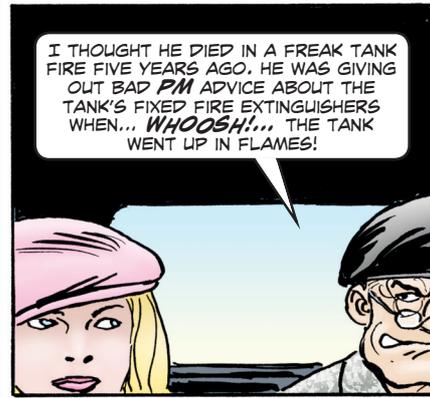
GROWING UP, HE WAS ALWAYS
THE *BEST* AT *EVERYTHING*. HE
WAS SMARTER... MORE ATHLETIC...
BETTER-LOOKING.



BUT WHEN IT CAME TO
ANYTHING THAT INVOLVED
PM, HE WAS TOTALLY
OUTCLASSED.



HE COULDN'T STAND THAT
I WAS BETTER AT SOMETHING.
IT TWISTED HIM... MADE
HIM DECIDE TO DESTROY
EVERYTHING I STAND FOR.



I THOUGHT HE DIED IN A FREAK TANK
FIRE FIVE YEARS AGO. HE WAS GIVING
OUT BAD *PM* ADVICE ABOUT THE
TANK'S FIXED FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
WHEN... *WHOOSH!*... THE TANK
WENT UP IN FLAMES!



ON THE WAY TO
FT. DOUBLE...

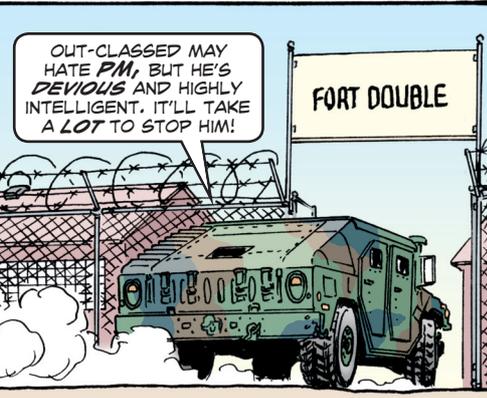
I THINK THE MAN
AT FT. DOUBLE
MAY BE MY EVIL
TWIN BROTHER,
OUT-CLASSED
MCCANICK!

WHAT!?!
TWIN
BROTHER...?!

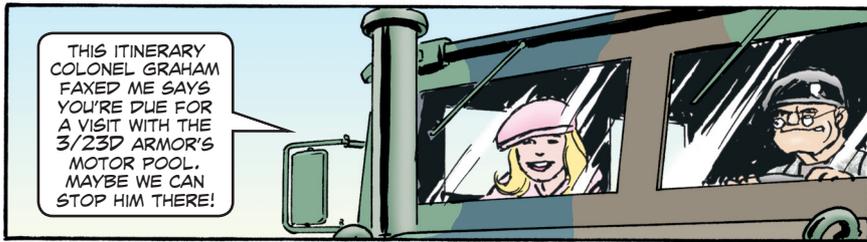
WHAT'S GOING
ON, HALF-
MAST?



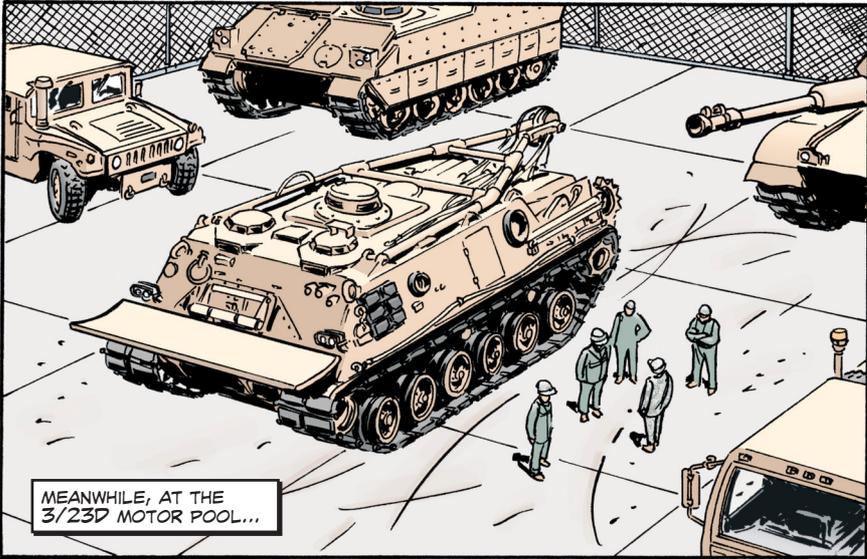
BUT I GUESS HE
MUST'VE SURVIVED.
JUST DON'T LET HIS
NAME FOOL YOU.



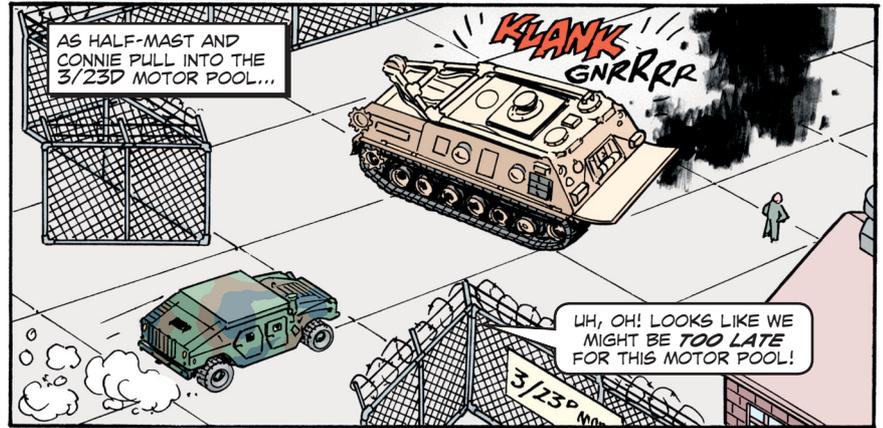
OUT-CLASSED MAY
HATE *PM*, BUT HE'S
DEVIOUS AND HIGHLY
INTELLIGENT. IT'LL TAKE
A LOT TO STOP HIM!



THIS ITINERARY COLONEL GRAHAM FAXED ME SAYS YOU'RE DUE FOR A VISIT WITH THE 3/23D ARMOR'S MOTOR POOL. MAYBE WE CAN STOP HIM THERE!



MEANWHILE, AT THE 3/23D MOTOR POOL...



AS HALF-MAST AND CONNIE PULL INTO THE 3/23D MOTOR POOL...

UH, OH! LOOKS LIKE WE MIGHT BE *TOO LATE* FOR THIS MOTOR POOL!



YOU! THIS IS ALL *YOUR FAULT!* "USE 15W40 OIL IN THE TRANSMISSION," YOU SAID. NOW I'M GONNA NEED A *NEW TRANSMISSION!*



BUT... BUT THAT WASN'T *ME!* YOU'RE ONLY SUPPOSED TO USE *CAT 10 OIL* IN THE TRANSMISSION!



MAYBE YOU'D BETTER WAIT IN THE *HMMWV*, HALF-MAST. I'LL SEE IF I CAN CALM HIM DOWN.



YOU'RE *SURE* WE CAN USE 15W40 OIL IN OUR *M8BA1*'S TRANSMISSION? I THOUGHT *MULTI-WEIGHT OIL WASN'T ALLOWED.*



SURE YOU CAN USE IT. IT'S USED IN THE *ENGINE*, RIGHT? NO SENSE IN KEEPING *EXTRA OILS* AROUND IF YOU *DON'T NEED 'EM!*



A FEW MINUTES LATER...

IT'S *GOTTA* BE MY *BROTHER!* THERE'S NO OTHER EXPLANATION!

LET'S JUST HOPE WE CAN *STOP* HIM.



NEXT STOP, THE 22D CAV MOTOR POOL...

MASTER SERGEANT, HAVE YOU SEEN—

I *CAN'T BELIEVE IT!* ARE YOU TRYING TO CAUSE *MORE TROUBLE?*



YOU SET MY MAINTENANCE EFFORTS BACK *WEEKS* WITH ALL YOUR ADVICE. AND THE *COST!* I DON'T KNOW *HOW* WE'LL PAY FOR THE DAMAGE.



THIS IS A NIGHTMARE! THEY ALL THINK I'M THE ONE DOING THIS.

IT'S WORSE THAN YOU THINK, HALF-MAST. TAKE A LOOK IN THIS TRASH BARREL.



NOW THEY'RE THROWING OUT THEIR COPIES OF PS!



IF THEY STOP TRUSTING PS, MY BROTHER WILL WIN! IT'LL BE THE SINGLE BIGGEST BLOW TO PM EVER!



CONNIE AND HALF-MAST RUSH TO THE NEXT STOP ON THE ITINERARY...

MASTER SERGEANT HALF-MAST... CONNIE... YOU'RE A LITTLE EARLY. I WASN'T EXPECTING YOU UNTIL 1400.

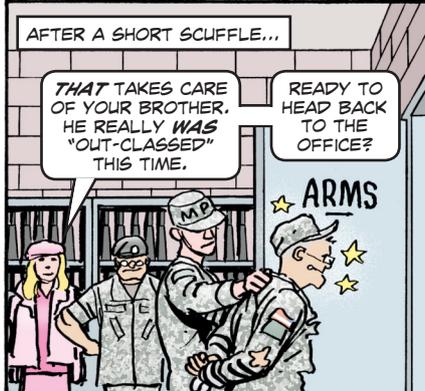


I SHOULD'VE KNOWN YOU'D SHOW UP EVENTUALLY, BROTHER!

YOU WON'T GET AWAY WITH THIS, OUT-CLASSED!



CONNIE, CALL THE MPS! I'M GONNA TEACH THIS BROTHER OF MINE A FEW PM LESSONS-THE HARD WAY!



AFTER A SHORT SCUFFLE...

THAT TAKES CARE OF YOUR BROTHER. HE REALLY WAS "OUT-CLASSED" THIS TIME.

READY TO HEAD BACK TO THE OFFICE?



WE'VE GOT ONE MORE STOP TO MAKE FIRST, CONNIE.



AFTERNOON, SERGEANT. HAVE I GOT SOME FIRST RATE PM TIPS FOR YOU...



WHAT THE-? HALF-MAST? WHO...?



BACK AT THE 22D CAV MOTOR POOL...

THE LAST PLACE ALL THIS PM INFORMATION NEEDS TO BE IS IN THE TRASH. WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO WITH THEM?



I'M BETTING STUART, OUR PRODUCTION MANAGER, WILL BE ABLE TO FIND A GOOD HOME FOR THEM.

A FEW WEEKS LATER, THINGS HAVE FINALLY GOTTEN BACK TO NORMAL...

I THINK YOU NEED TO SEE THIS NEWSPAPER ARTICLE!

SALE!
BUY ONE CAR FOR FULL MARKET PRICE AND GET A SECOND ONE OF EQUAL VALUE FOR FREE!

DAILY CLARION

OUT-CLASSED MCGANICK ESCAPES CUSTODY!

FOOLS MPS WITH BOGUS HANDCUFF PM!

OH, BOY! HERE WE GO AGAIN!