

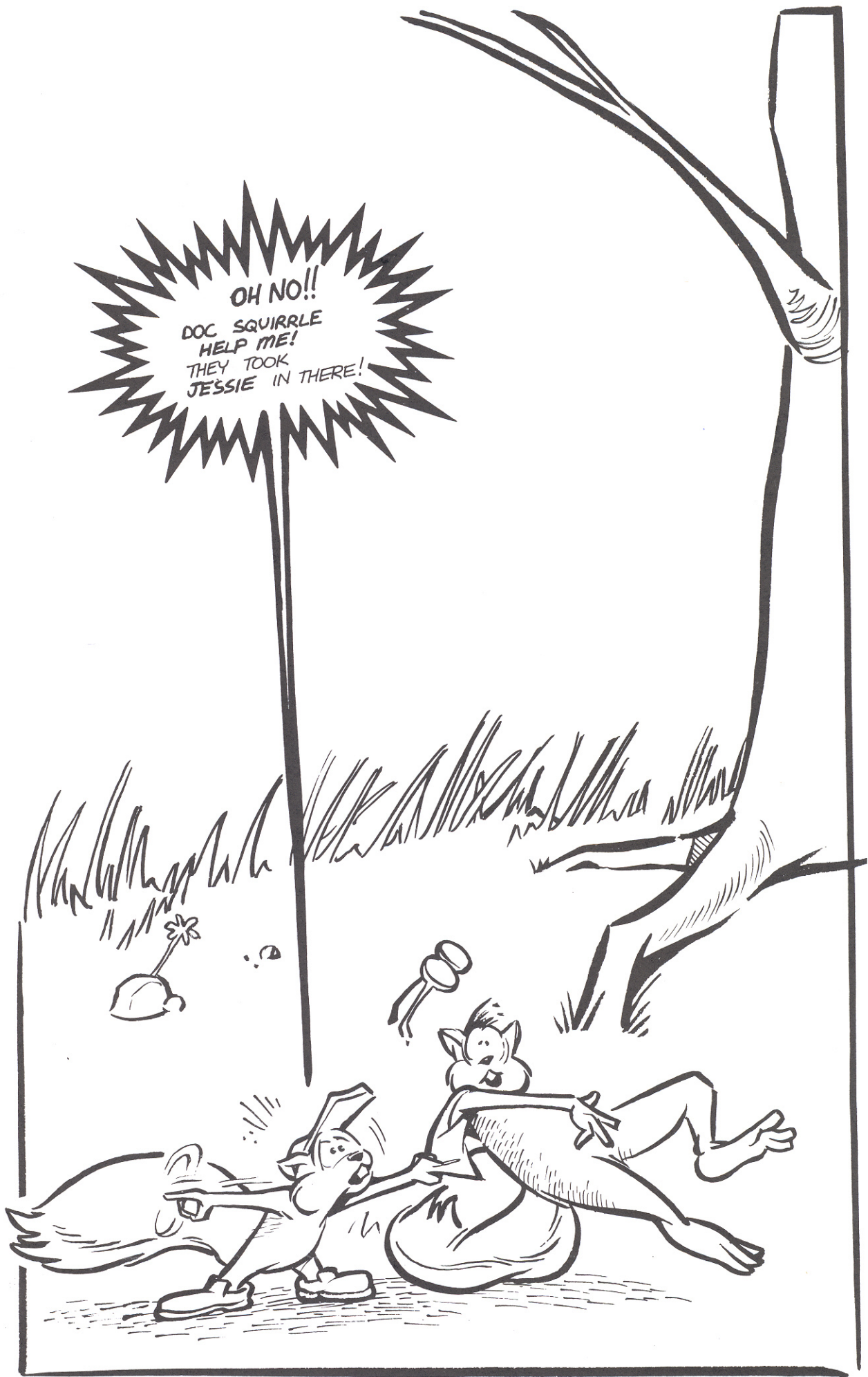
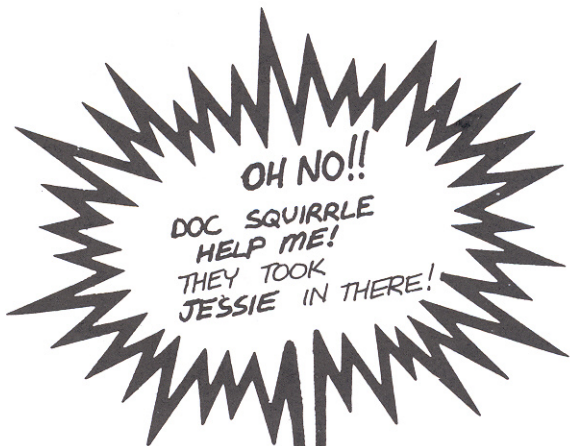


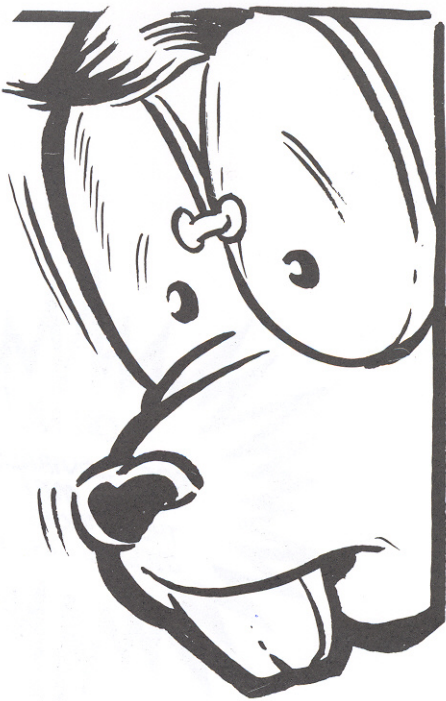
Jessie's

Tonsillectomy!

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...who...?

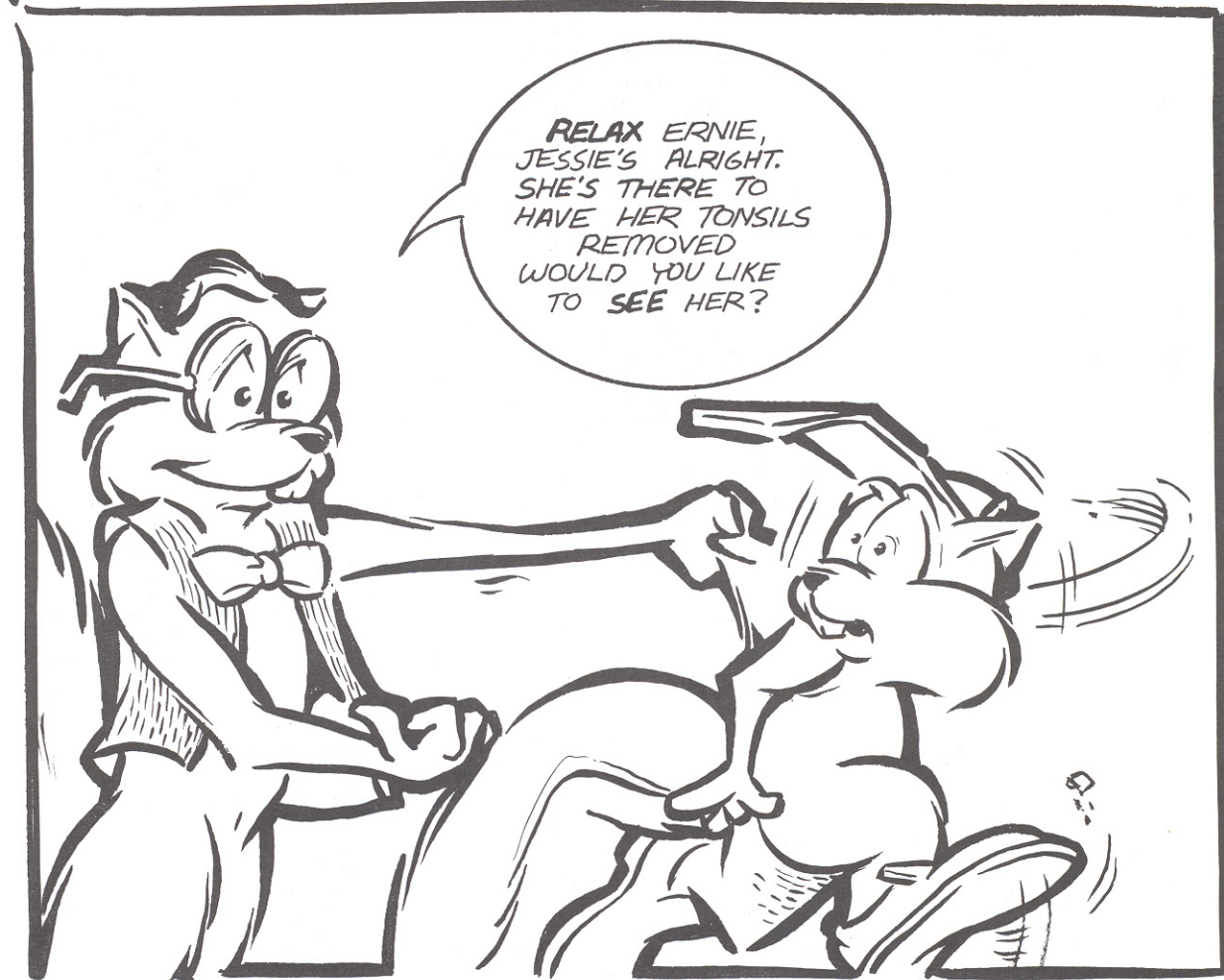
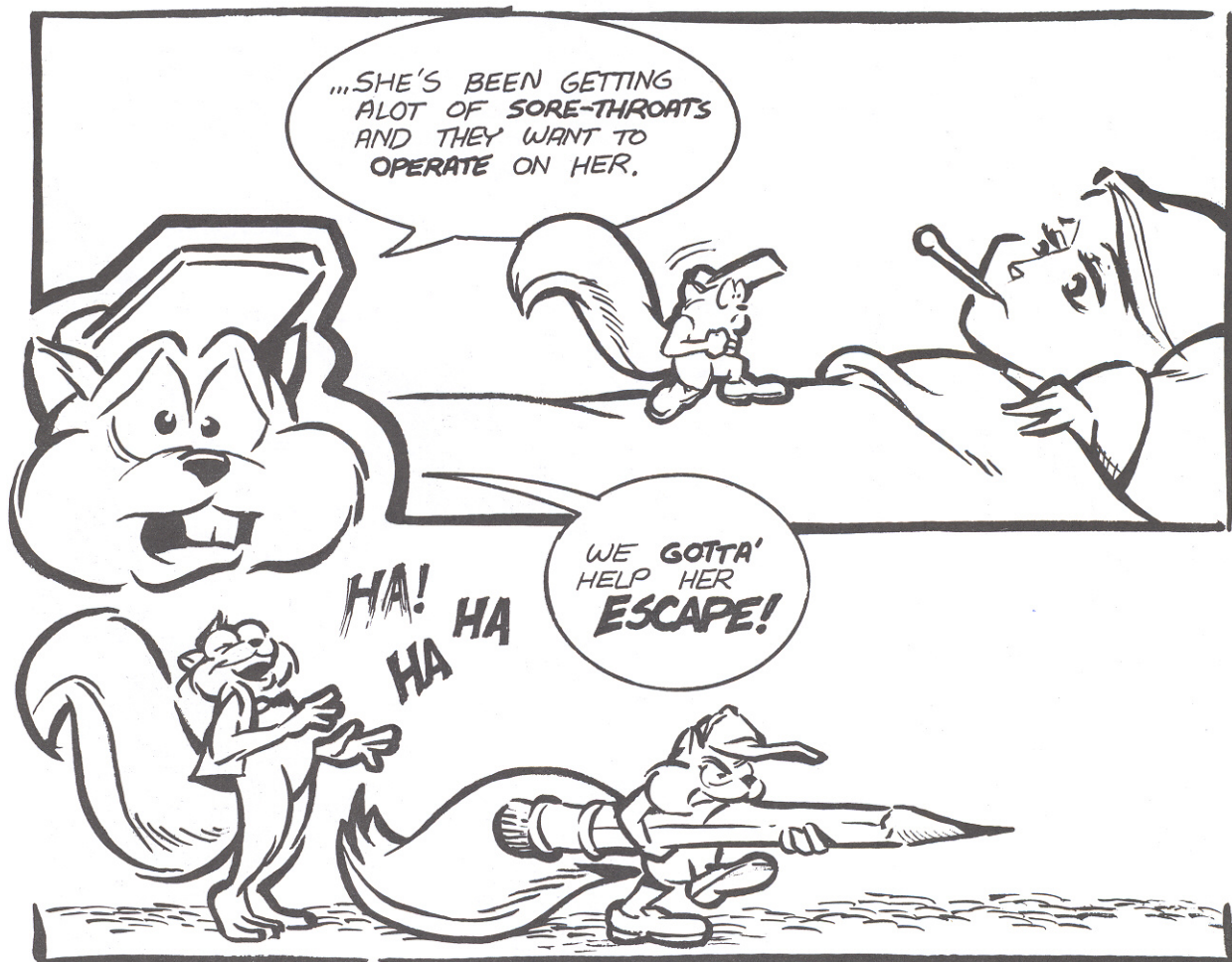
JESSIE!
...MY OWNER!



SHE HAS BEEN
GETTING **SICK**
RECENTLY, AND SAW
A **DOCTOR** A FEW
WEEKS AGO, SO HER
PARENTS TOOK HER
TO THIS HOUSE.

I THINK
THEY'RE GONNA'
LOCK HER
UP FOR A
ZILLION
YEARS!





YEA!
...WE GOTTA
GET THEM
BACK!

ERNIE, THE TONSILS
ARE TISSUES IN THE BACK OF
YOUR THROAT. THEY BECOME
SO INFLAMED THEY NEED TO
BE REMOVED. THIS OPERATION
IS CALLED
A TONSILLECTOMY!

OH
NO!

DON'T WORRY, IT'S
A SIMPLE ONE-DAY
OPERATION

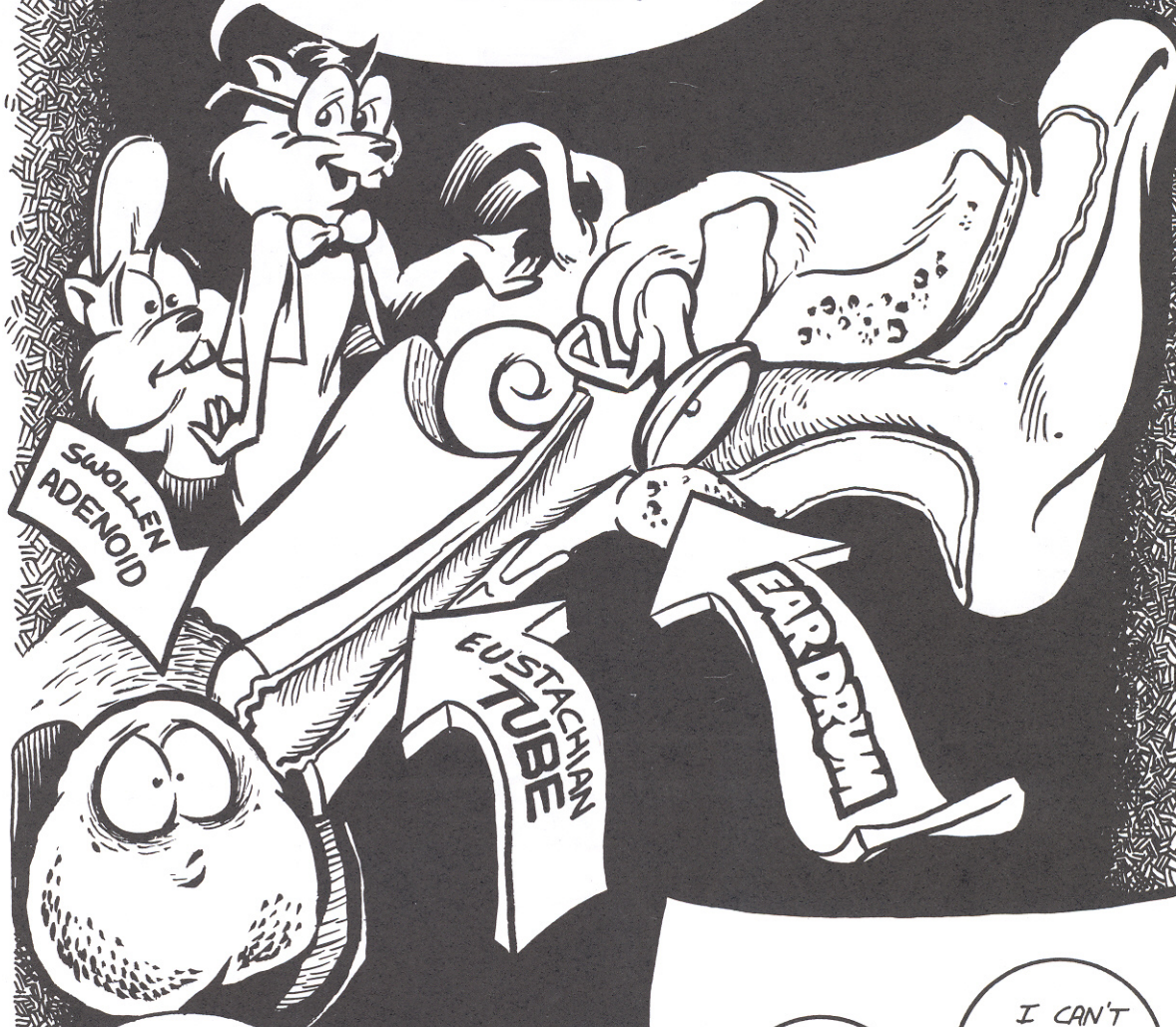
ADENOID

ALSO THERE ARE
OTHER TISSUES CALLED
ADENOIDS. THEY ARE FOUND
HIGH IN YOUR THROAT, BEHIND
YOUR NOSE. IF THEY BECOME
INFLAMED, HEARING OR
BREATHING BECOME
DIFFICULT.

TONGUE

HOW

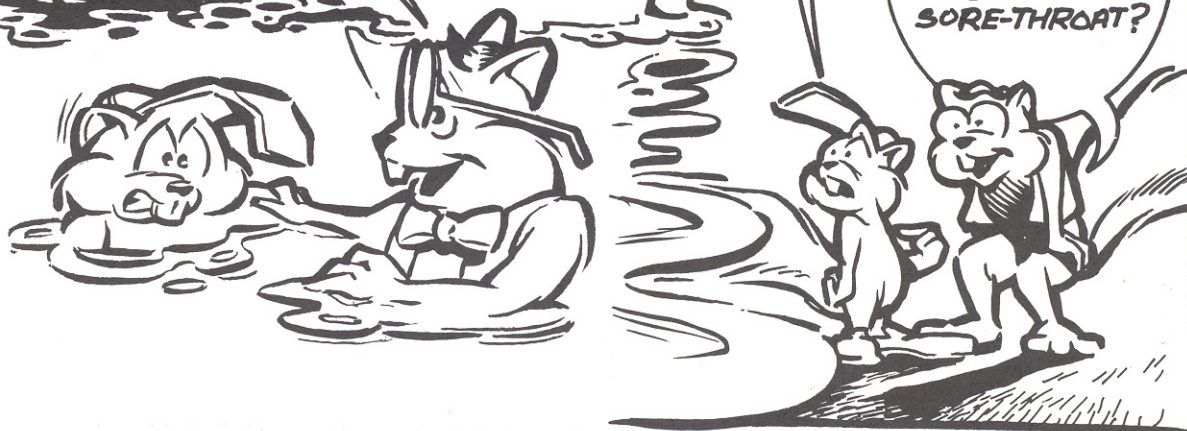
WELL, THE **ADENOID** IS LINKED
TO THE EAR THROUGH THE
EUSTACHIAN TUBE, IF THE
TISSUE **SWELLS**, THE TUBE MAY
BE **BLOCKED!**

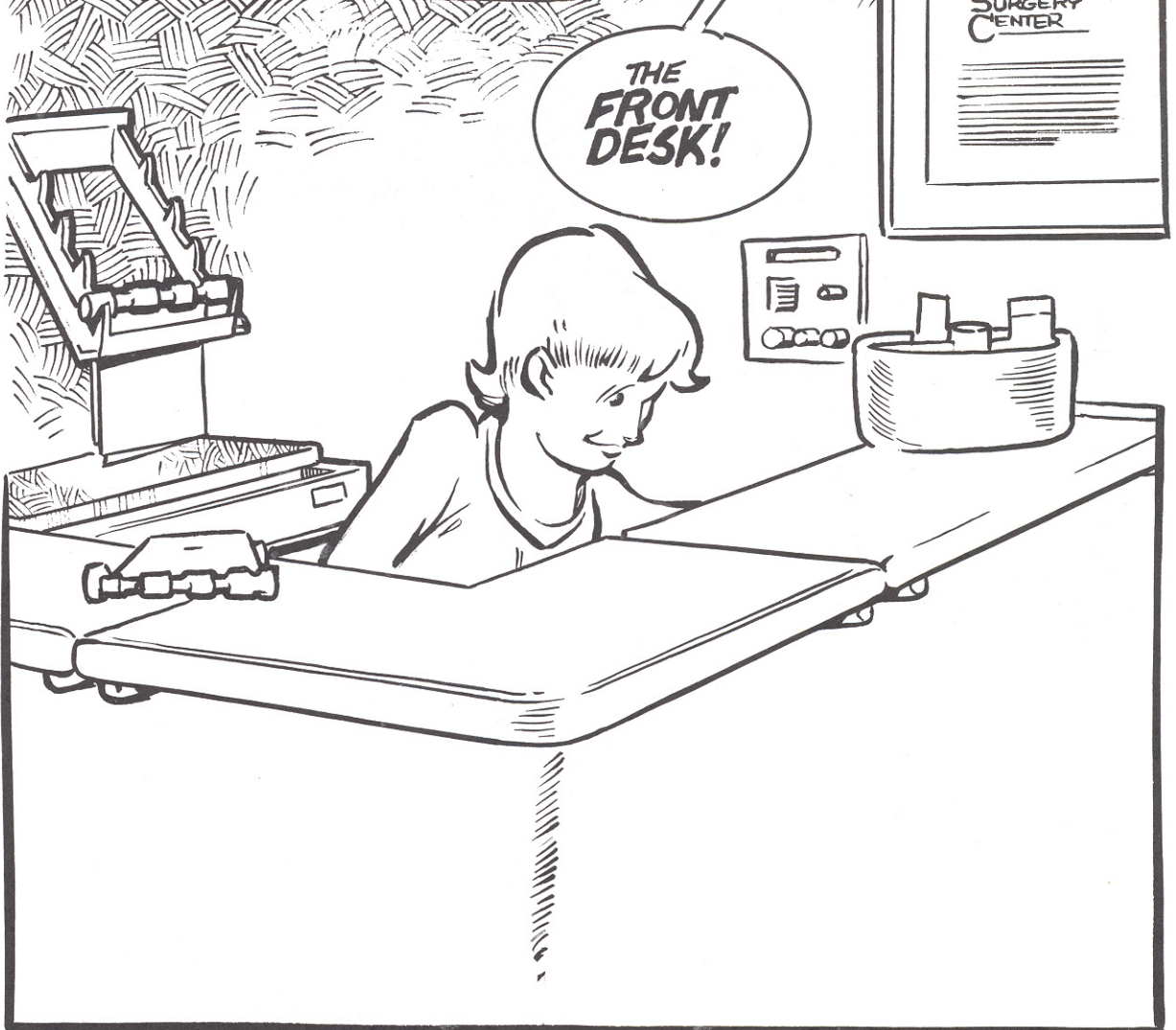
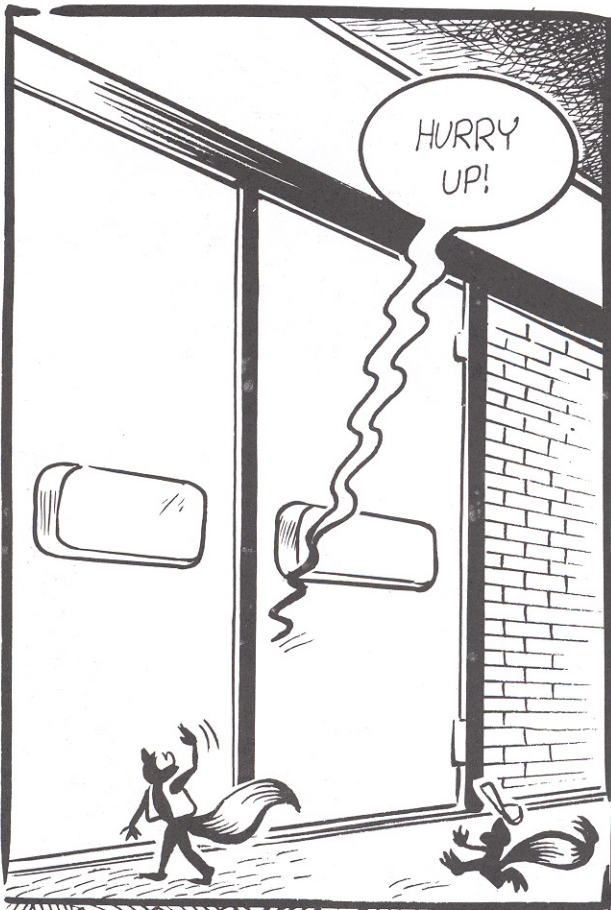


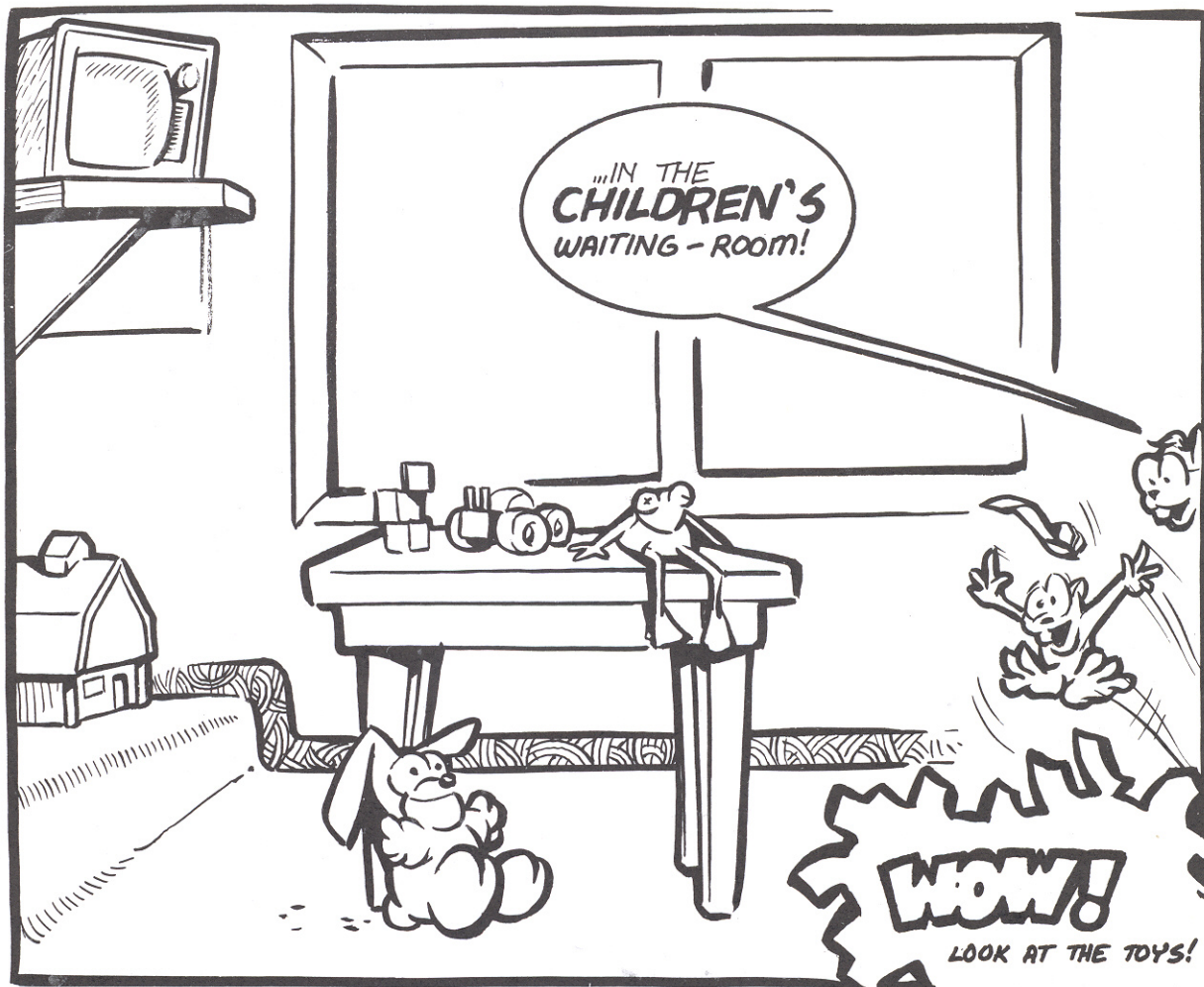
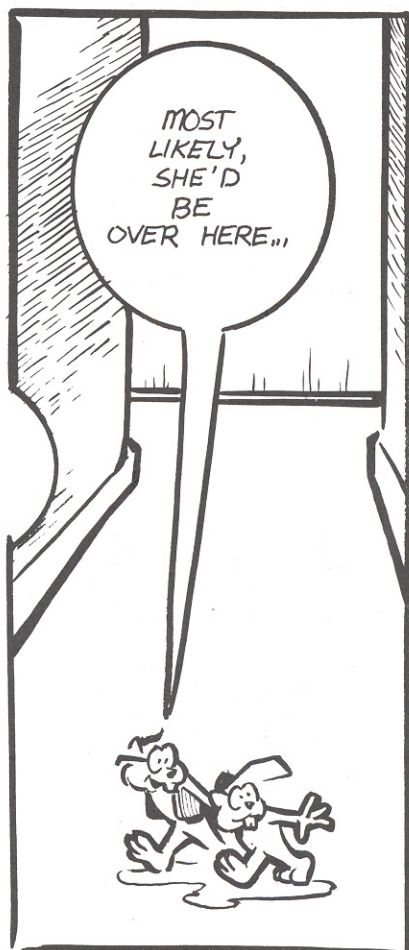
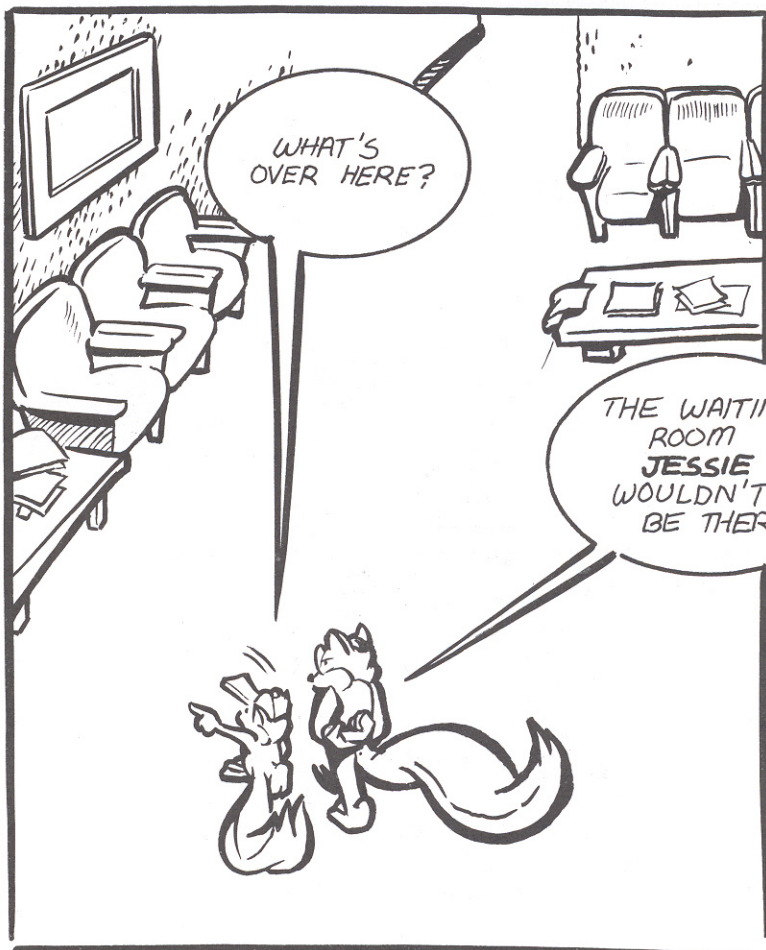
THEN FLUID
BUILDS-UP INSIDE,
AND SOMETIMES
THE ADENOIDS ARE
REMOVED!

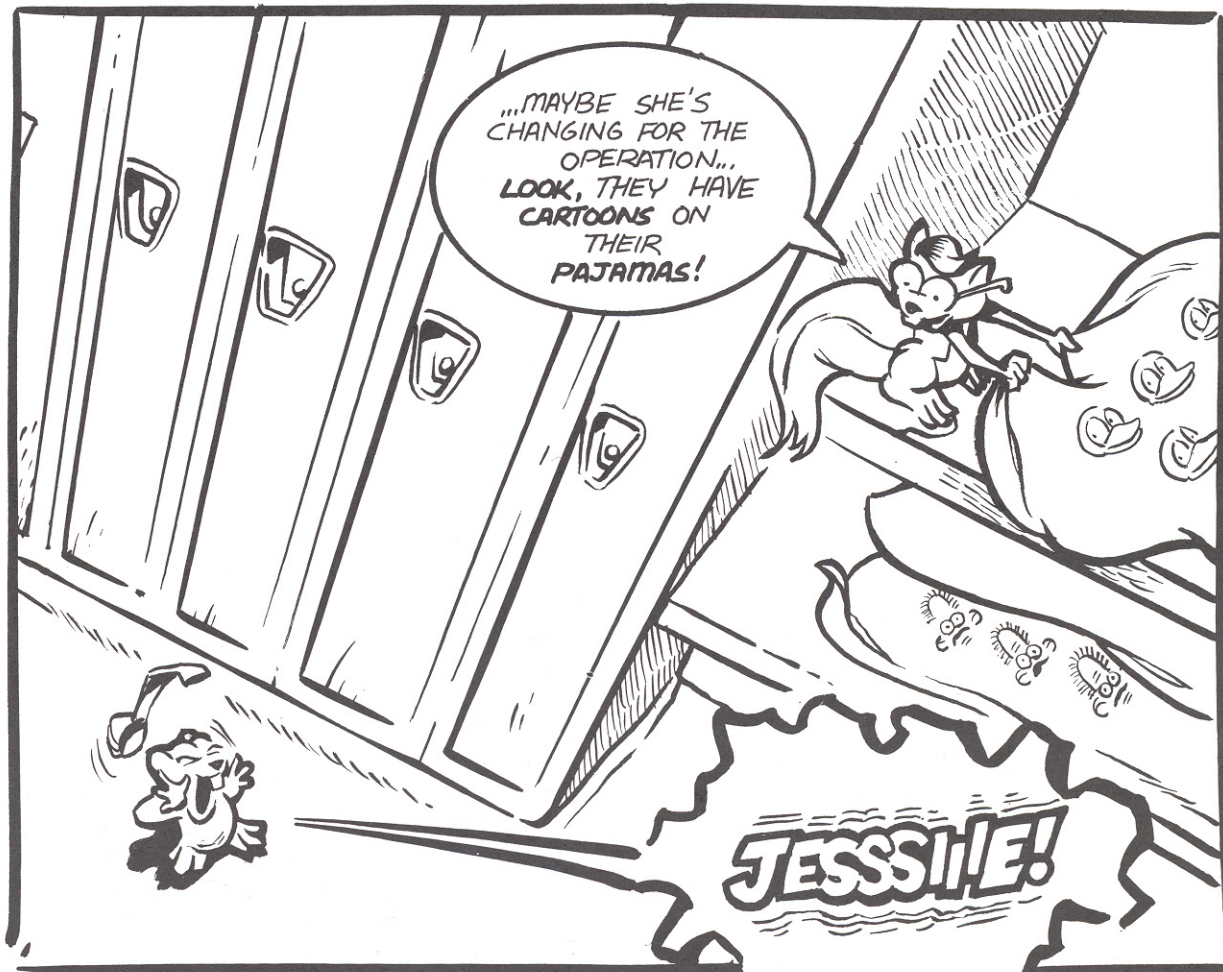
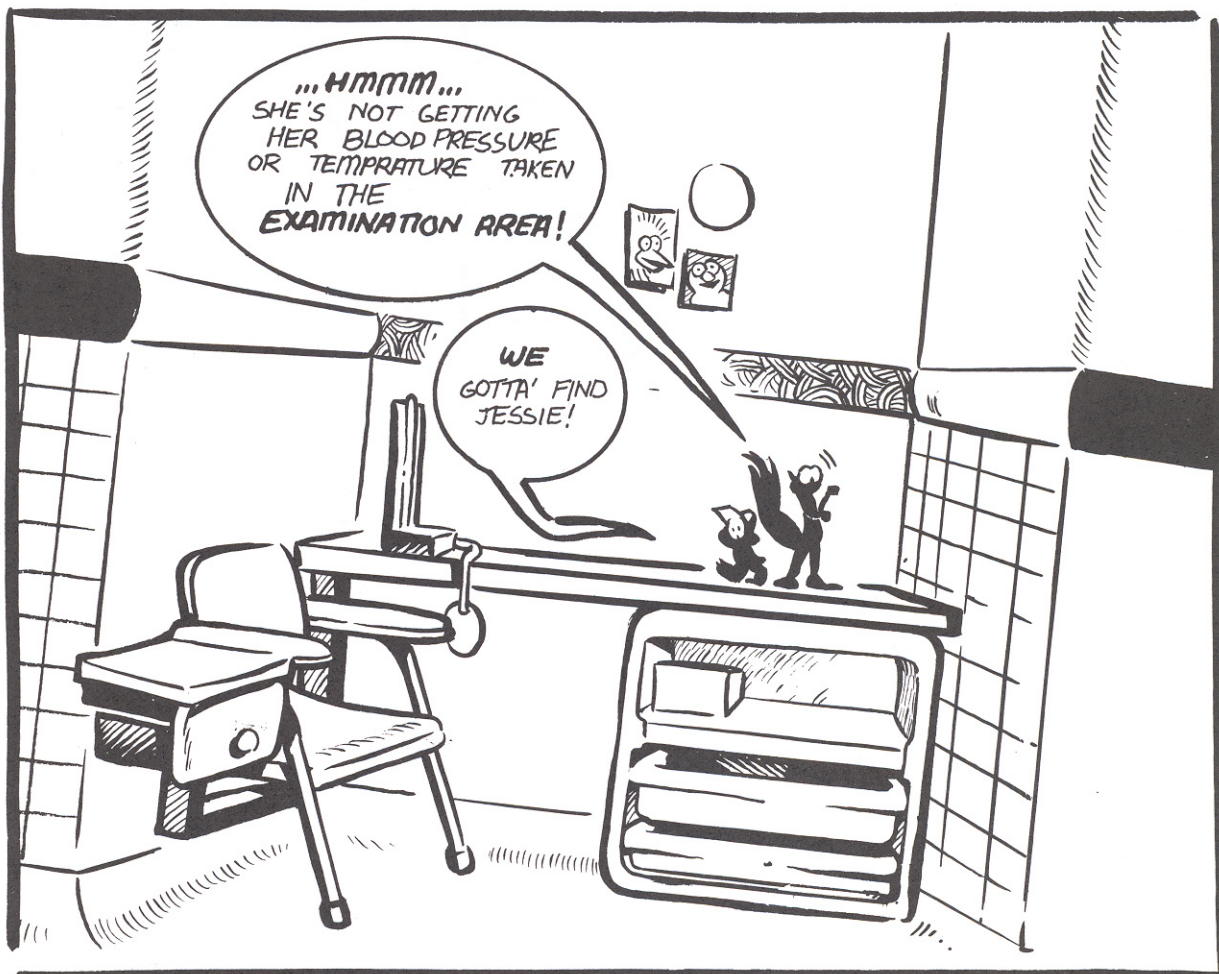
ISN'T
THAT
PAINFUL?

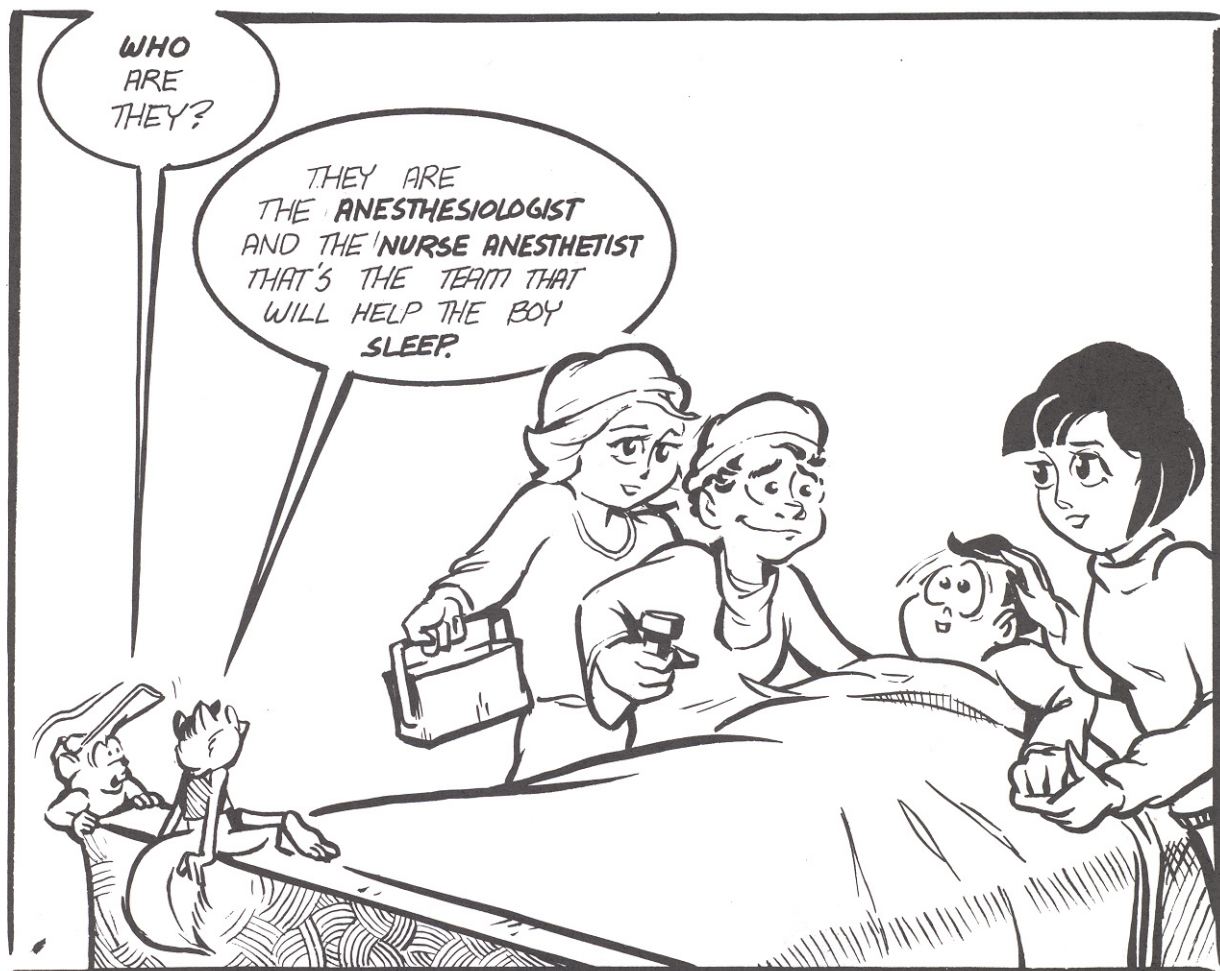
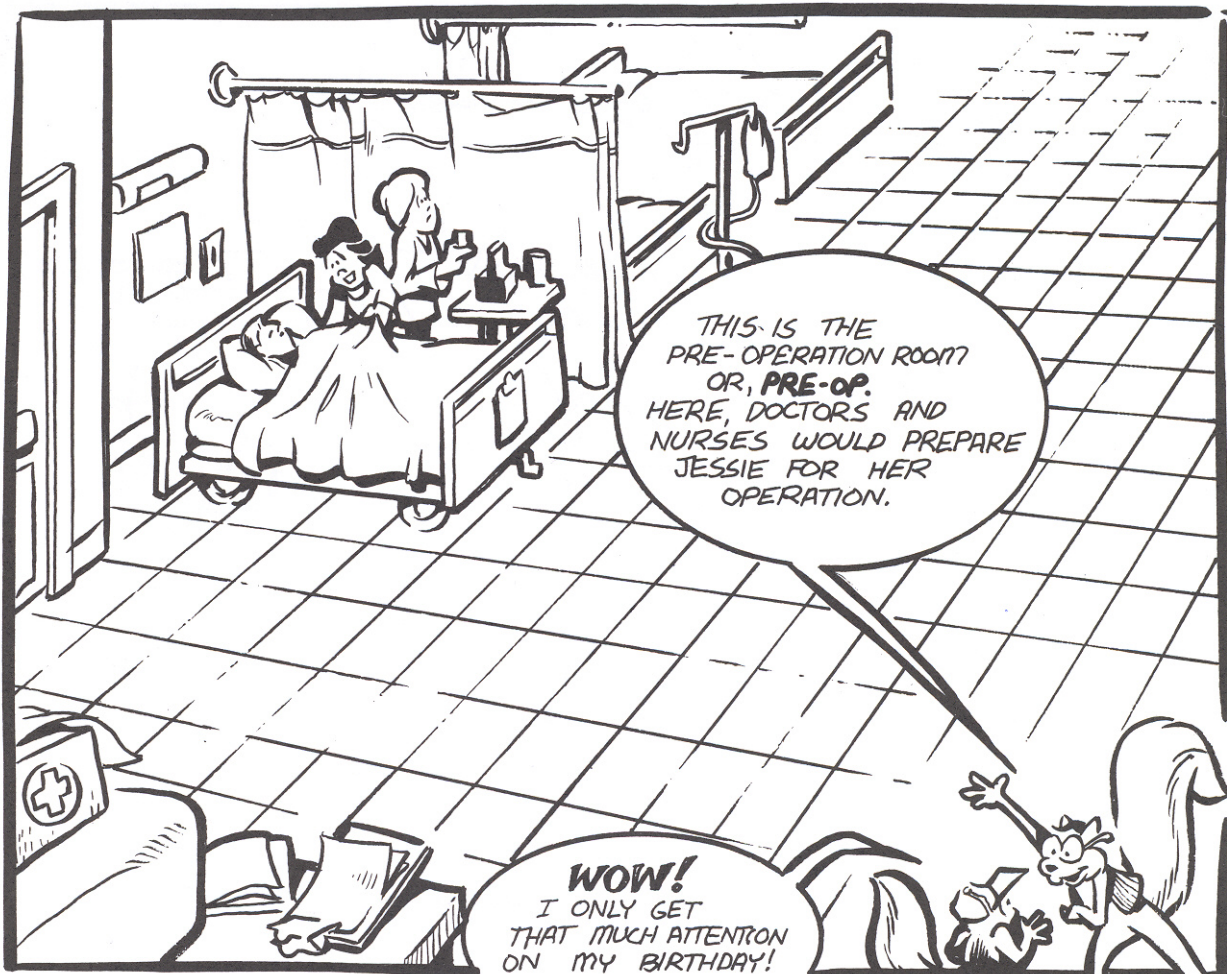
I CAN'T
LIE...
AND SAY
NO.
BUT
WOULDN'T
IT BE
BETTER
THAN AN
EARACHE
OR
SORE-THROAT?

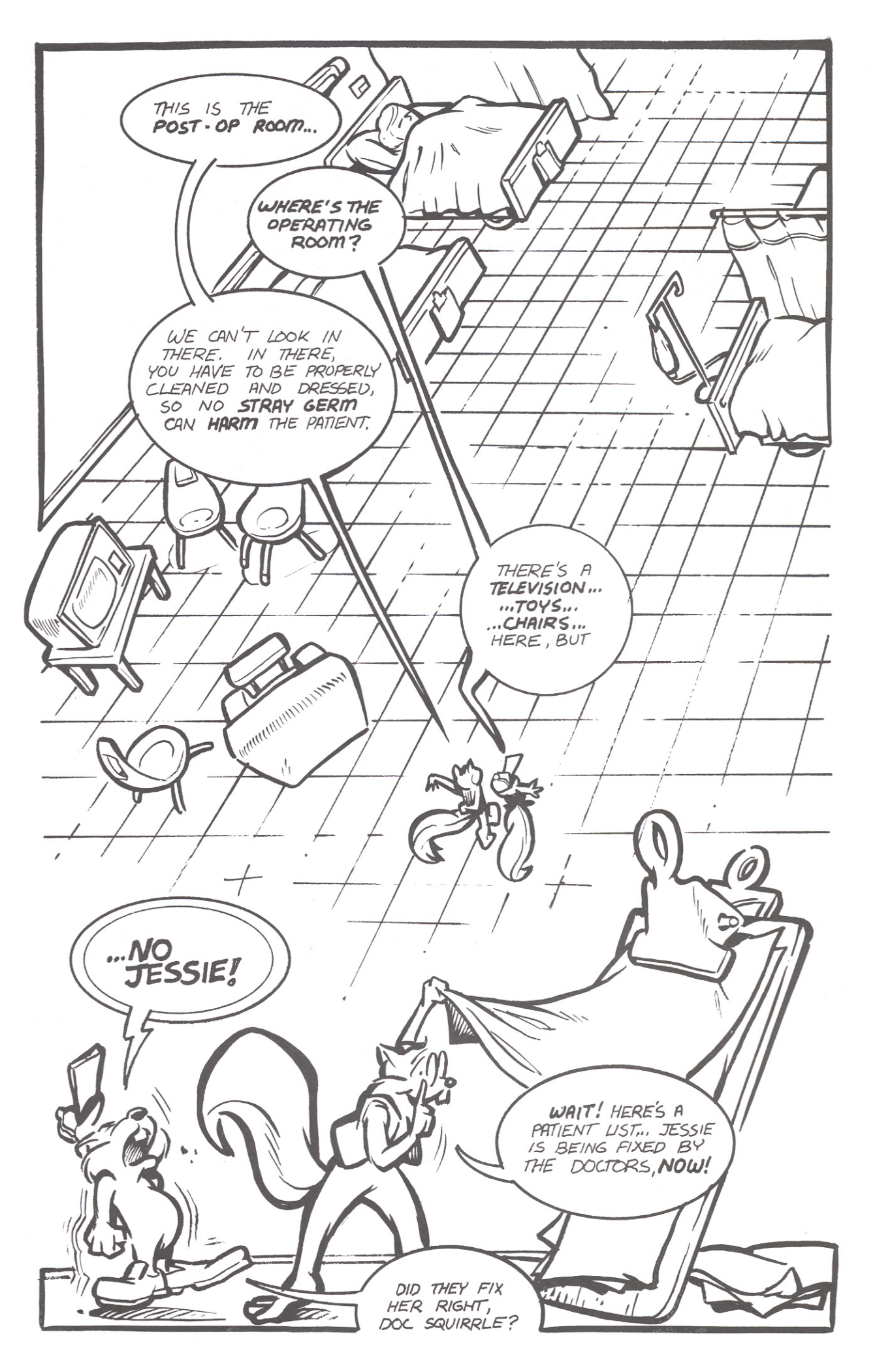












THIS IS THE
POST-OP ROOM...

WHERE'S THE
OPERATING
ROOM?

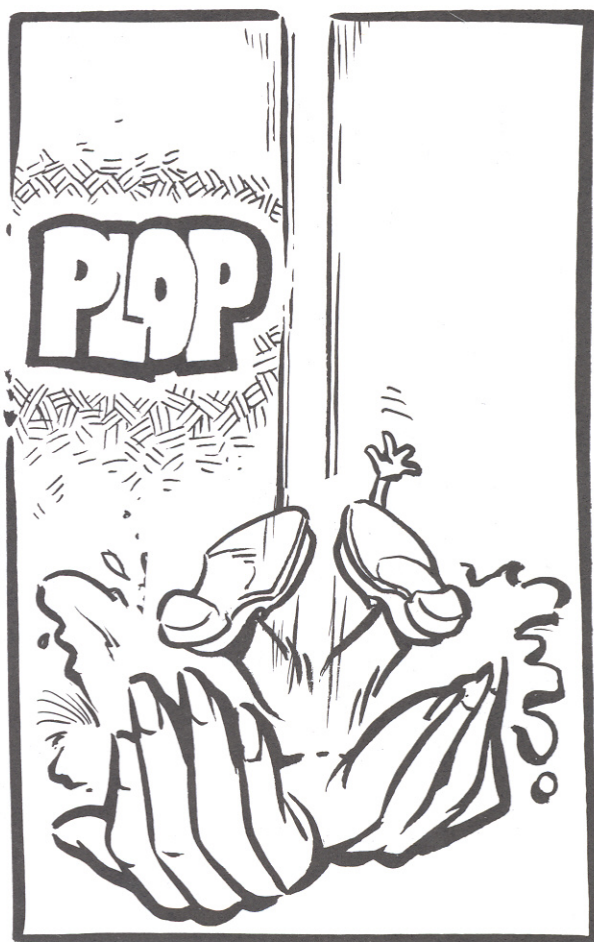
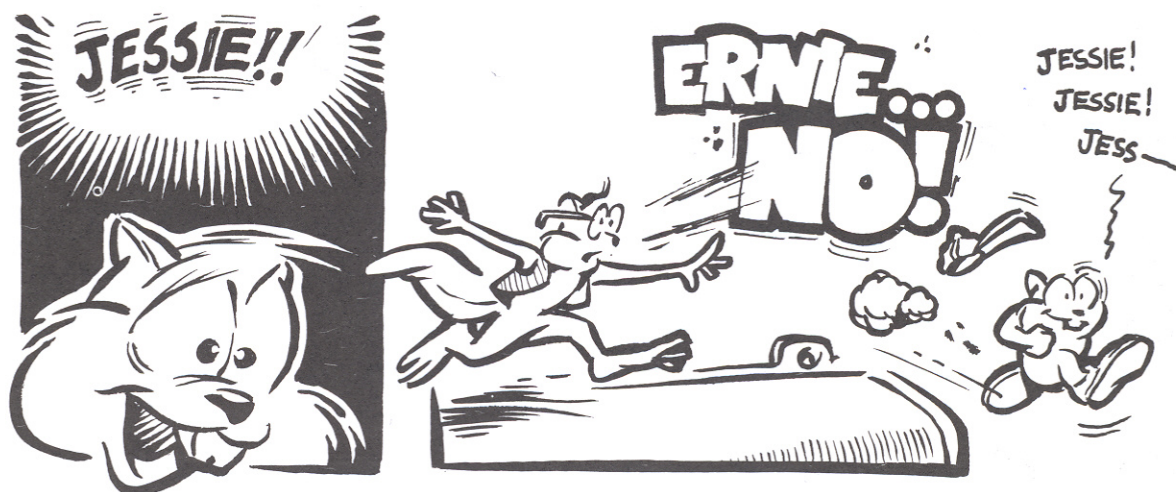
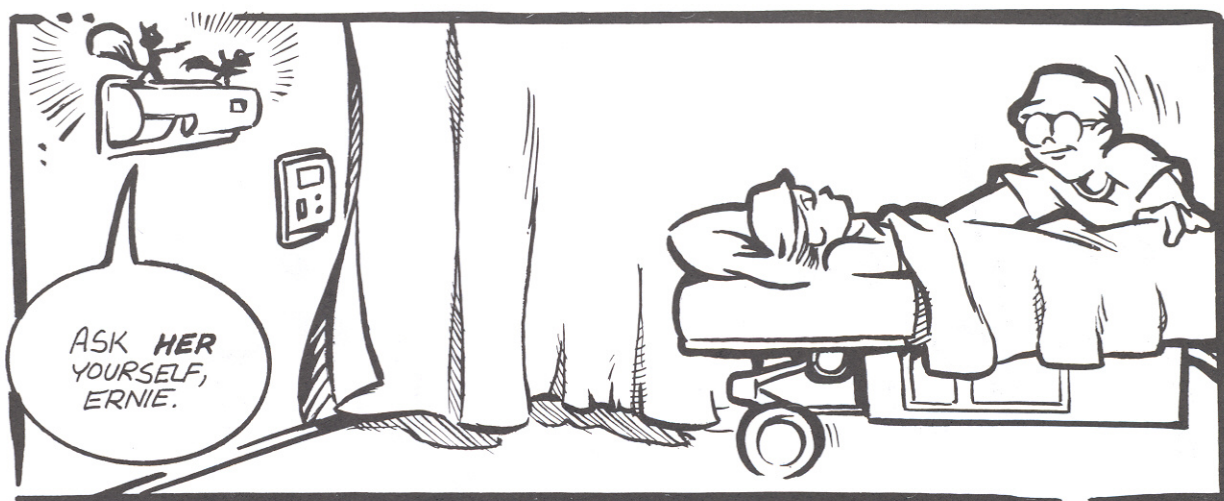
WE CAN'T LOOK IN
THERE. IN THERE,
YOU HAVE TO BE PROPERLY
CLEANED AND DRESSED,
SO NO **STRAY GERM**
CAN **HARM** THE PATIENT.

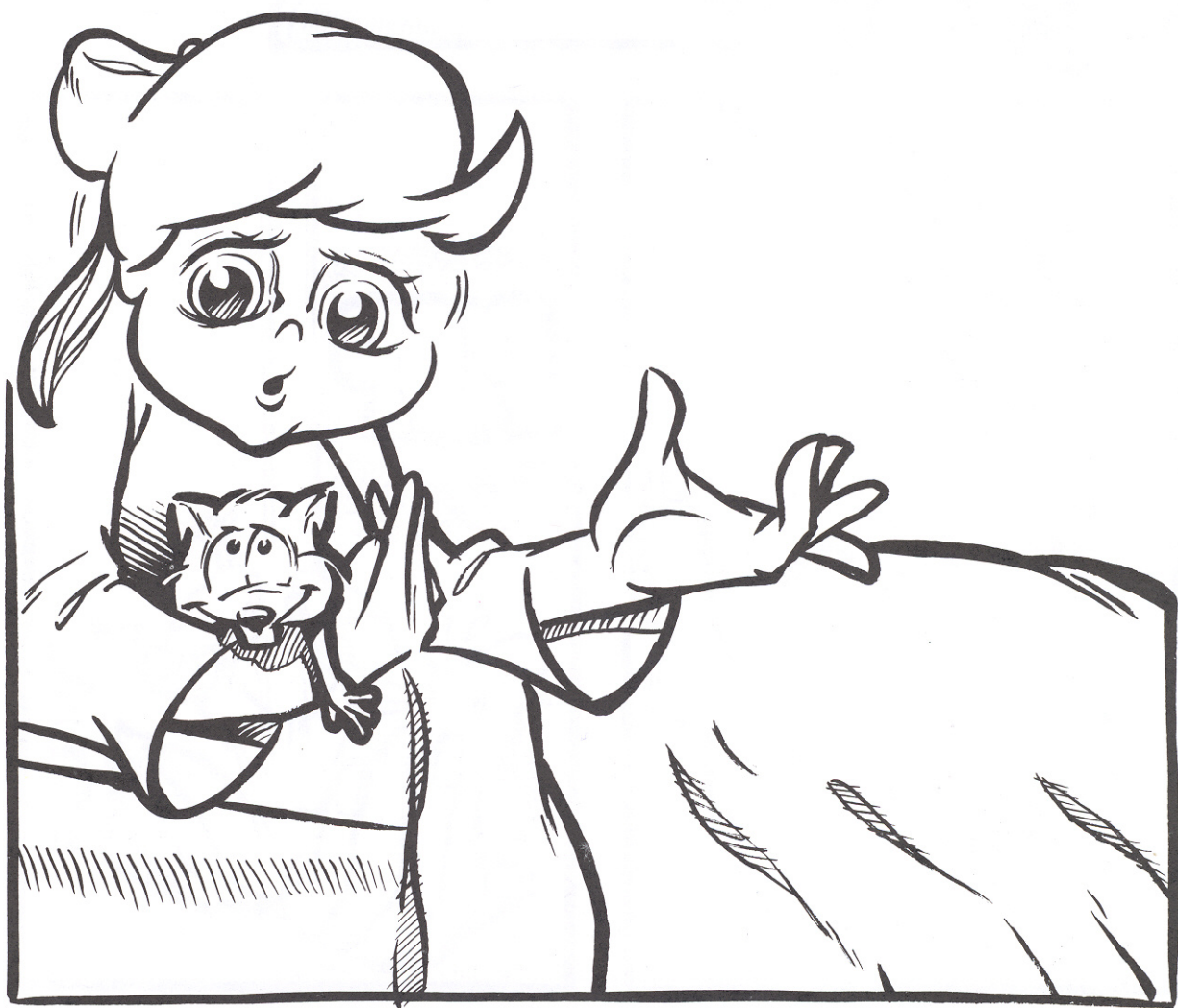
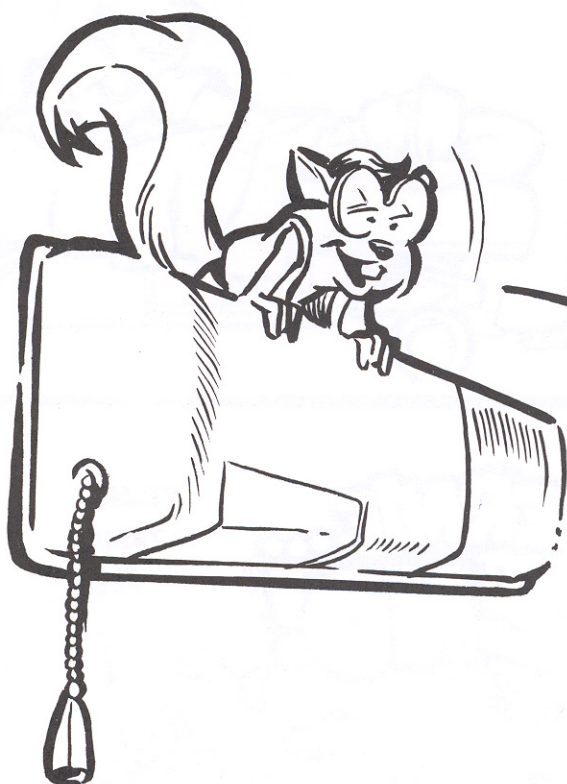
THERE'S A
TELEVISION...
...TOYS...
...CHAIRS...
HERE, BUT

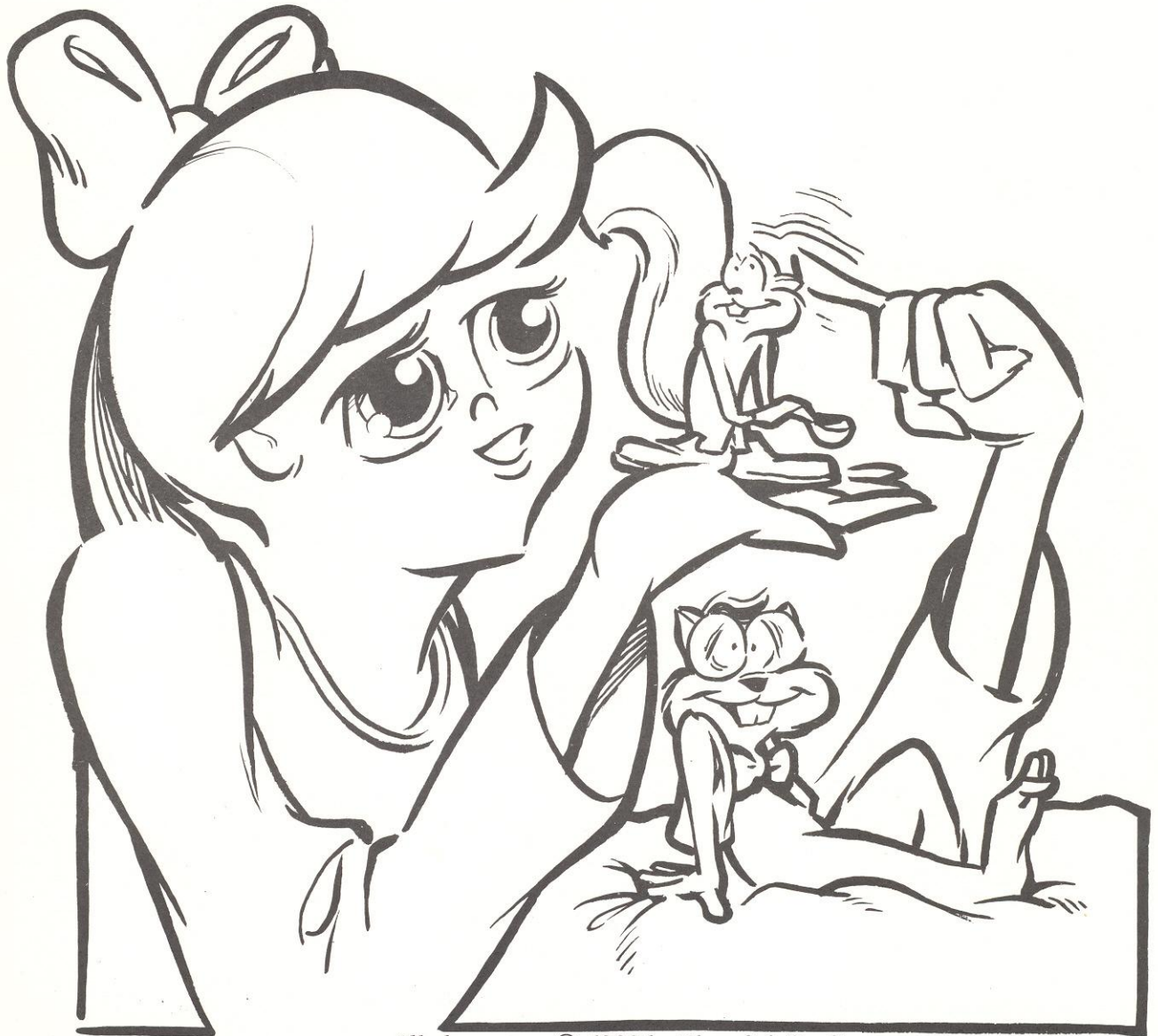
...NO
JESSIE!

WAIT! HERE'S A
PATIENT LIST... JESSIE
IS BEING FIXED BY
THE DOCTORS, NOW!

DID THEY FIX
HER RIGHT,
DOC SQUIRRL?E?







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