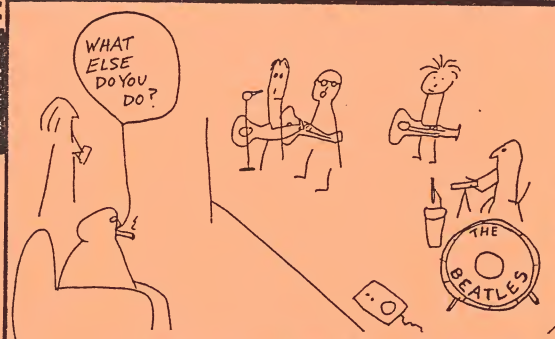


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Murdered Beatle's first wife makes shocking claim...

John Lennon has come back - as a crow!

Once upon a midnight dreary, while I pondered, weak and weary,
Over many a quaint and curious volume of forgotten lore -
While I nodded, nearly napping, suddenly there came a tapping,
As of some one gently rapping, rapping at my chamber door.

The Raven
by Edgar Allan Poe
John Lennon's first wife Cynthia believes the murdered Beatle has been communicating from beyond the grave through a dead crow she found in a fireplace!



She is so smitten with the bird that it now sits on her refrigerator so that no message will go unheard. Mrs. Lennon's belief that the dead Beatle is communicating through a crow stems from her recollection of a conversation

She's convinced his spirit speaks through the bird

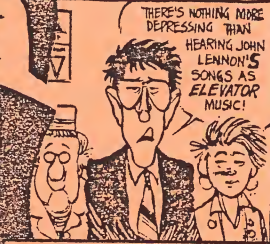
get in touch with us, just as he told Julian he would." Mrs. Lennon cited yet another eerie incident as proof that Lennon might be communicating from the great beyond.

She's convinced his spirit speaks through the bird



ROCK SUPERSTAR John Lennon, inset above, vowed he would communicate from beyond the grave.

Here come the Beatles
The shaggy-haired, screaming singers who have shaken England are about to descend on the U.S. They crown their countrymen with bowl-shaped hairdos.



Publisher dies

LONDON (AP) — Dick James, a butcher's son who made a fortune publishing music by the Beatles and Elton John, has died of a heart attack, a spokesman for his music company said yesterday. He was 65.



Any similarity between English and Beatle Talk is purely coincidental. To make certain you are well-spoken Beatle People, here is a whole dictionary of words from the mouths of Paul, Ringo, George and John!

WORD	DEFINITION	WORD	DEFINITION
fab	Great	comfy	comfortable
fabmost	even greater	the kick-off	the beginning
the gear	absolutely the greatest	chart topper	a hit song
thick	stupid	fed-up	depressed
soft	slightly insane	browned-off	fed-up
potty	definitely insane	belt up!	be quiet!
crackers	completely insane	shurrup!	belt up!
swelling about the bonce	a tendency to be concatted	bird	girl
kip	sleep	thingy	You, what-ever-your-name-is
a spot of kip	a short nap	drag stuff	anything boring
fug	a smoky, beary atmosphere	a nosh-up	a very large meal
a cuppa	a cup of tea	year nesh	you're a clessy
jam bottles	jelly sandwiches	tatty	untidy
Liverpudlian	a native of Liverpool	a bit of all right	something or someone that pleases you
Scouser	a Liverpudlian	lug holes	ears
scouse	originally stew but now Liverpool slang	skint	broke

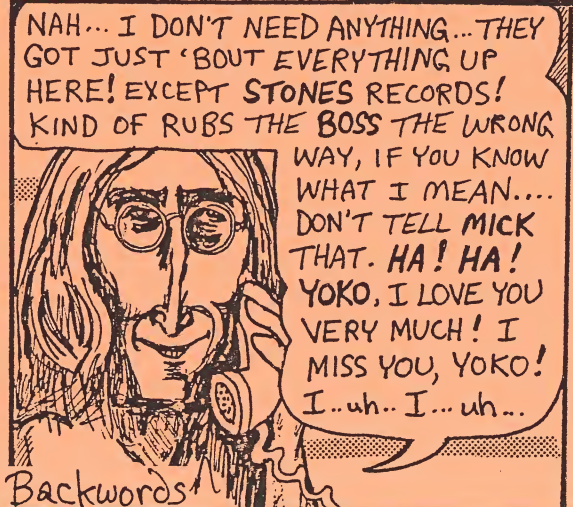
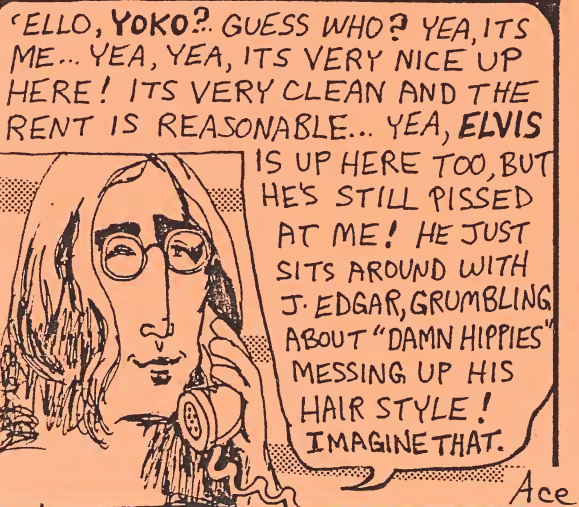


JULIAN LENNON, second generation rock idol, is mummified," she said, "but I just couldn't bring myself to throw it away."

RINGO HAPPY
LONDON (AP) — Ex-Beatles drummer Ringo Starr, now 45 and a grandfather, says he's never been happier, even though his latest record album is considered too ho-hum for issue in Britain or the United States.



WHATEVER-I-FEEL-LIKE COMIX



Ace Backwards

JULIO LEMMON - FICTIONAL ROCK STAR

WE CUT TO THE MUCKY MUCK ROOM AT BIGWIG RECORDS

GENTLEMEN, I INSIST, IF IT WORKED FOR THE OLD MAN IT'LL HAPPEN FOR THE KID. ANY SUGGESTIONS?

A RECUT OF 'MIND GAMES' MIGHT WORK. BLANDNESS IS TIMELESS.

DOES HE KNOW ANY UGLY JAP CHICKS?

LET'S CALL DAVID PEEL!

FAB! GEAR!

THE POSSIBILITIES ARE ENDLESS! GENTLEMEN, I THINK WERE TALKING THE NEXT BILLY PRESTON

TWO WEEKS LATER

SITTING ON A PEBBLE BY THE RIVER PLAYING GUITAR

CONTROL ROOM

I COULD BE HOME WATCHING DYNASTY

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Rolling Stone JULIO LEMMON

MEANWHILE BACK AT THE RANCH...

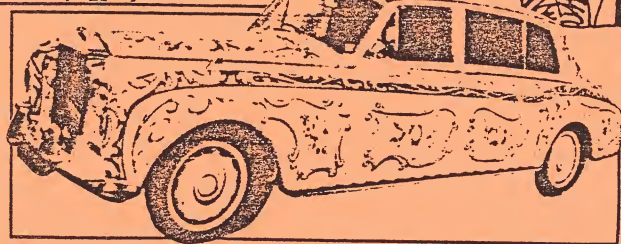
...HOW SOON CAN WE HAVE THOSE JUMP SUIT DESIGNS FOR LISA MARIE PRESLEY?

KEEP TELLIN' YERSELF IT'S ONLY A COMIC! IT'S ONLY A COMIC!!

ENQUIRER JULIO: YOKO'S FROM MARS

LEGENDS SON HITS GOLD!

NME I'M BIGGER THAN BUS



ROLLS ROYCE PHANTOM owned by the Beatles and decorated by the late John Lennon will go on the auction block in New York later this month.

Memorabilia for rich Beatles buffs

Baby, you can drive their of platinum and gold records of Michael car - although it may set you back Jackson's *Thriller* album.

Beatlemania ordered to pay \$10 million to Beatles' company

LOS ANGELES (Reuter) - A judge has ordered producers of the *Beatlemania* stage show and movie to pay Apple Corps Ltd. \$10 million

Ex-Beatles lose legal battle

LONDON (AP) - Former members of the Beatles suffered a setback this week in their legal battle to recover millions of dollars worth of royalties on their early hits

Beatles authorize merchandising

LONDON (AP) - The Beatles disbanded 15 years ago and their early fans are in their 40s, but only now have the famous faces of the four Liverpool lads been authorized for use on goods such as T-shirts, lunch pails or bed sheets.

Determined Productions Inc., a San Francisco-based company that put Snoopy and Charlie Brown cartoon characters on people's chests

SHOWBIZ

Comrade, wanna hold my hand?

MOSCOW (AP) - Two Beatles albums were an immediate sellout in their debut at Soviet record stores over the weekend, officials of the Soviet state recording company Melodia said yesterday.

BACKWORDS LOGIC - by Ace Backwords-ers

LITTLE-KNOWN ROCK FACTS: NOW IT CAN BE TOLD!

THE FIFTH BEATLE !!



JOHN, GEORGE, PAUL, RINGO AND FRED MERTZ !!

GREAT MOMENTS IN ROCK AND ROLL

Beatle ignored at airport

Los Angeles was accompanied by girlfriend Olivia Arias. "After 16 years in the music business, the novel wears off," he said. "If I do tour next year I will do it the big way and take in everywhere."

George, he has other for three years, but there are no marriage plans," he said.

Harrison, 34, Harrison said he was con-

This happy, if nutty, quartet is much more fun, certainly a good deal more healthy, and perhaps partly a result of training-bras for 8-year-olds, Cocktail parties a year or so later, and going steady at 12.

Mrs. STEPHEN GRAY Cambridge, Mass.

Must you insist on classifying the Beatles under the MUSIC department? Couldn't they instead be listed under something that would be more appropriate—say, the BUSINESS AND FINANCE department?

CARA Woodh

LONDON (AP) - John Lennon wrote vitriolic comments about fellow-Beatle Paul McCartney in a picture biography of the famed pop group, providing new evidence of the tensions between them, the Observer said Sunday.

The newspaper said Lennon wrote alongside one photograph of the group: "Staged photo pretending to be the fab four: all waiting stoned for it to be over." On a photo of the Beatles sporting moustaches, the Observer said Lennon wrote: "Paul started this moustache business because he'd split his lip on a 'stoned' moped ride - purely functional, really."

On one McCartney photo, Lennon scribbled the words, "I'm always perfect" as coming from McCartney's mouth. He drew a Hitler-style moustache on another photo of McCartney.

In an entry noting McCartney's marriage to Linda Eastman, Lennon crossed out "wedding" and wrote "funeral," the Observer said.

The Observer said that on an entry dated June 1968, that read "Paul to Hollywood," Lennon added: "Cuts Yoko and John out of film!"

On one page, the newspaper said, Lennon wrote in big letters: "This book is so prejudiced against John (and) Yoko that I want to know who put it together and fire them."

The Observer quoted Hilary Kay of Sotheby's, which is auctioning the book, as saying it was expected to fetch \$20,000 to \$30,000 (Canadian).

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Threat in rhyme brings \$400 fine

Reuter WINNIPEG - A Winnipeg man who sent a death threat in rhyme has been fined \$400 (US) by a poetic Canadian judge.

In an assault case, Kevin Kirby pleaded guilty to a charge of uttering threats after he sent a letter to a man saying: "Blood is red, my gun is blue, John Lennon is dead and so are you."

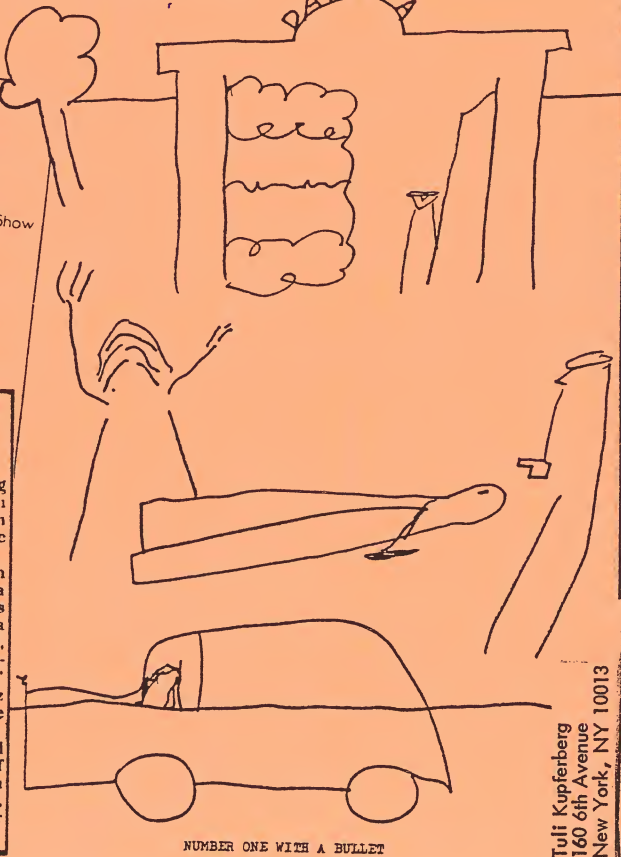
Justice Sidney Schwartz agreed the threat was a joke that went too far.

Imposing the fine, he told Kirby: "I can say to you, if you did not receive a fine, in jail you would pine. No fun, no wine, on bread and water you would dine."

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