

# PHANTOM Lady

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THIS ISSUE!  
**PHANTOM** Lady  
"THE SODA MINT"  
"KILLER!" IN "THE STINGING WHIP!"  
Also

A TRUE CRIME STORY  
Narrated by  
PHANTOM LADY.

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WHO WOULD EXPECT TO FIND SANDRA KNIGHT, A SENATOR'S DAUGHTER, WORKING IN A HASH-HOUSE? BUT SHE HAD TO, SO THAT THE PHANTOM LADY COULD SERVE JUSTICE WITH A MURDER STEW THAT WAS BEING DISHED OUT BY THE MERCILESS SODA MINT KILLER!



SANDRA KNIGHT, REALLY PHANTOM LADY, ARRIVES WITH DON TO HELP A FRIEND...

NICE OF YOU TO LOAN BETTY MONEY TO GET STARTED IN BUSINESS, SANDRA. HOPE SHE CAN COOK...

SHE'S AN OLD FRIEND, DON. AND WHEN HER HUSBAND DIED, SHE WAS BROKE...

BUT INSIDE...

WE WARNED YOU TO PAY UP, SISTER!

I CAN'T PAY FOR PROTECTION... OHHH...

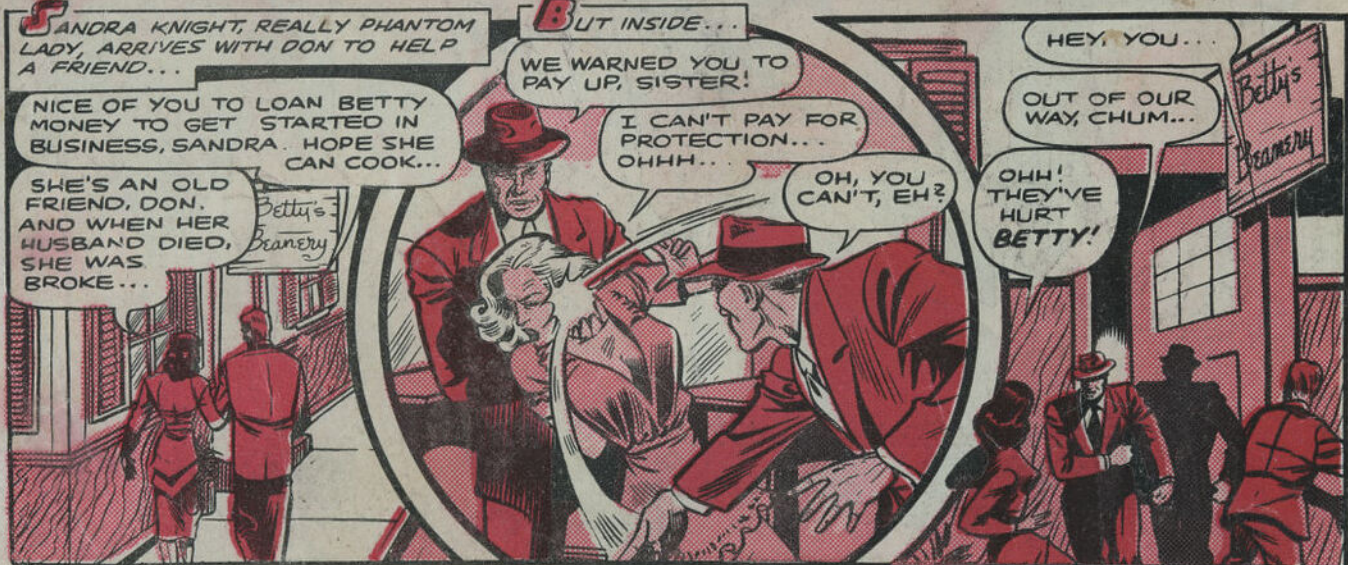
OH, YOU CAN'T, EH?

HEY, YOU...

OUT OF OUR WAY, CHUM...

OH! THEY'VE HURT BETTY!

Betty's  
Dessertery





# 'PHANTOM LADY'



WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH ME? I SHOULD HAVE SLUGGED THEM!

OH... THOSE MEN...

YOU'LL BE ALL RIGHT, BETTY... BUT WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?

SEE THIS CARD... I HAVE TO PAY THEM MONEY OR CLOSE UP! AND I CAN'T EVEN AFFORD TO HIRE ANY HELP. I MIGHT AS WELL GIVE UP.



HMM... ACME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION!

THE OLD PROTECTION RACKET! MIGHT BE A JOB FOR PHANTOM LADY IN THIS

CHEER UP, BETTY! YOU'VE JUST GOT TWO TEMPORARY ASSISTANTS! AND IF THOSE TOUGH CHARACTERS COME BACK, I'LL HANDLE THEM!

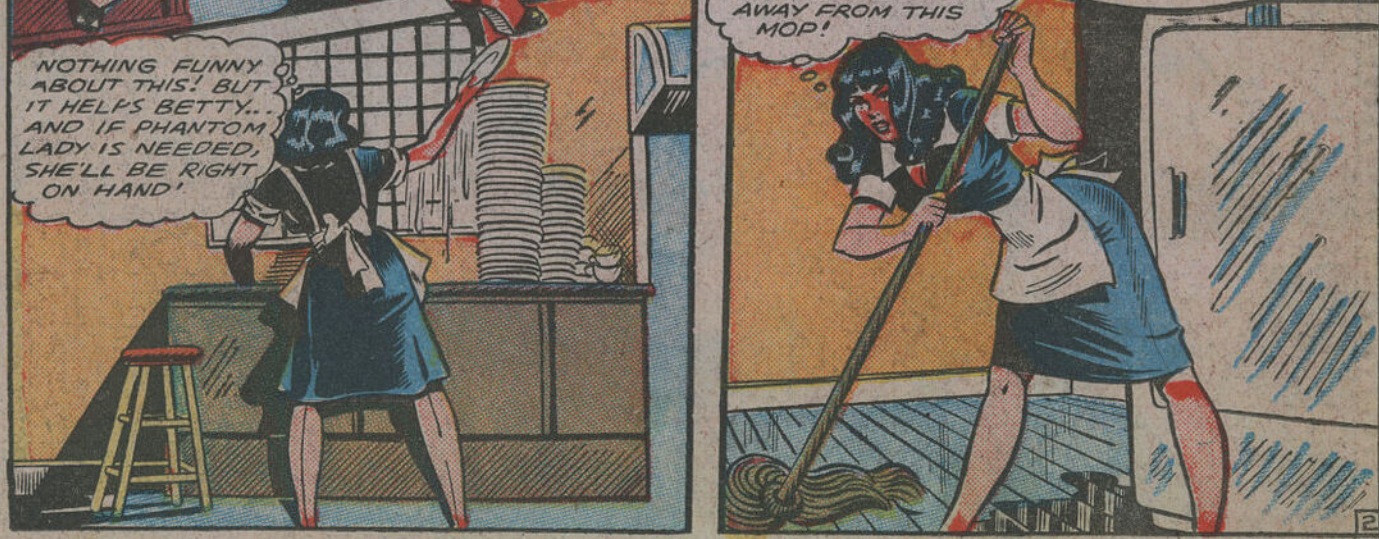
**A**ND SOON.

A WONDERFUL IDEA. DON! I'LL WAIT ON TABLE!

DRAW TWO. BLACK!

GET HER!

COMING UP!



NOTHING FUNNY ABOUT THIS! BUT IT HELPS BETTY... AND IF PHANTOM LADY IS NEEDED, SHE'LL BE RIGHT ON HAND!

DARNED IF I DON'T WISH THEY WOULD SHOW UP! GET ME AWAY FROM THIS MOP!

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BUT I TELL YA, MINTS, THE DAME WON'T PAY!

SOME COLLECTORS I GOT! AND ME WITH A STOMACH THAT'S KILLING ME!



OOO... MY INDIGESTION! BUT SICK AS I AM, I'LL SHOW YOU STUPIDS HOW TO COLLECT FROM A DAME!

NO TIME IS LOST BY THE SLICK GANG... A "MISSION" IS UNDER WAY...

REMEMBER, EASY DOES IT! WE'RE CUSTOMERS!

AN' THE CUSTOMER'S ALWAYS RIGHT. EH, MINTS? WE GOTCHA!

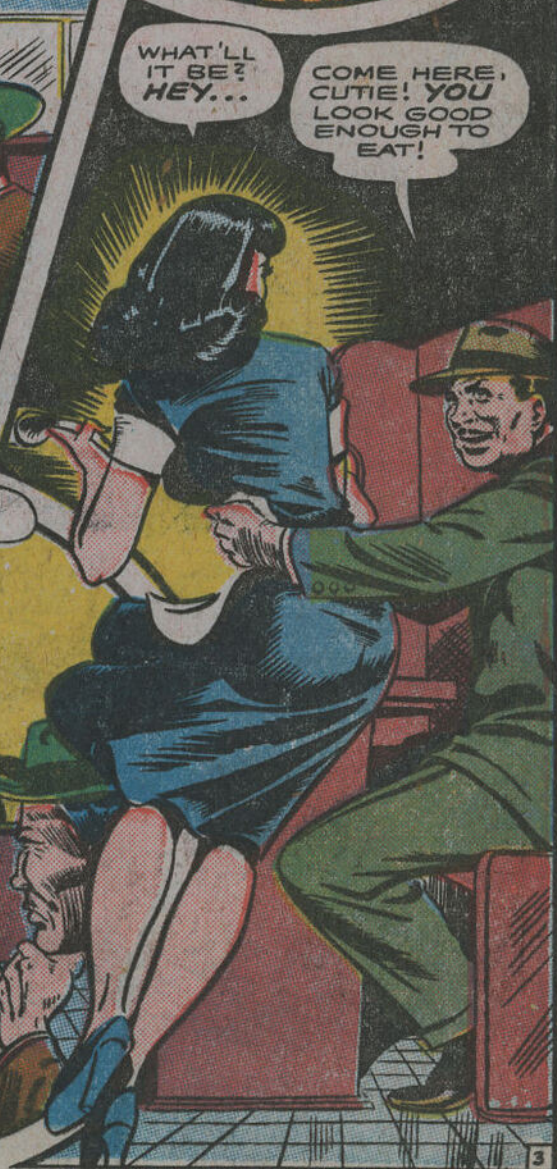


AW... MORE CUSTOMERS... AND I'M ABOUT READY TO DROP ON MY FEET!

WOULDN'T THEY? JUST AT CLOSING TIME! WELL, AFTER THEY LEAVE, WE'RE LOCKING THE DOORS! I'M TOO TIRED TO KEEP THIS UP!

WHAT'LL IT BE? HEY...

COME HERE, CUTIE! YOU LOOK GOOD ENOUGH TO EAT!



OH, DO I? WELL, I SUGGEST YOU TRY THE SPECIALTY OF THE HOUSE, WISE GUY!

SPLUTTTT

NOW, WAS THAT NICE? OF COURSE, IF YOU WANNA PLAY ROUGH...

SANDRA!

OH, DON, H-HELP! HE'S GOT A KNIFE!

