

VOLUME 1, NO 12

WORLD'S FIRST NEWSPAPER OF HORROR, SCI-FI AND FANTASY!

GIANT
COLOR
POSTER
INSIDE

the Monster Time

STERANKO'S
HISTORY
OF THE
COMICS!
P. 6



60 c

GORGO
SPEAKS! P. 3

RAT ON! BEN
BITES BACK! P. 19

BEHIND
THE PLANET
OF THE
APES! P. 14

I DRINK
YOUR BLOOD
... I EAT
YOUR SKIN!
(YUCHH!)
P. 10



ON SALE EVERY 2 WEEKS

the Monster Times

How'd you like that
PLANET OF THE APES
piece in the last issue
of THE MONSTER TIMES
with all them pictures
of your old pop in it, Son?

Outtasite, Pop!
I mean RIGHT ON!
Really heavy the way they
showed the repressive tactics
of the decadent revisionist
APE regime and the
revolutionary humans
who beat the System
by shoving that
reactionary Dr. Zaius
right up against
the wall!
I mean like
FAR OUT!



Trouble with kids nowadays is they
ain't got no respect . . .

NEXT ISSUE!

Hey, if you thought this issue was good (you DID think this issue was good, didn't you?) you should see what we got lined up for next time. To kick off the issue we've got one of our exclusive MT interviews with the writer responsible for



SPIDERMAN one of the heaviest comics around today. And, as if that isn't enough, we've also got a piece about all the creatures, floods, and villains who make Spiderman's world almost as unsafe as the Big Apple.

We've also got an article on some monster movie goofs that might have slipped the attention of even the most eagle-eyed fans. Find out the movie mistake that turned **MYSTERIOUS ISLAND** into a high-point in the annals of accidental fun—plus many other strange facts about some staggering eerie errors. Also on hand is Part III of our **Blood** movie series, featuring a gruesome look at Hemisphere Pictures' **BRAIN OF BLOOD** and **BRIDES OF BLOOD**... which are definitely NOT in the tradition of the "anemic cinema."

And a look at some of the fanzines in circulation today graces the pages of our next issue, along with another grisly comic strip. **SEYMOUR** will be along, too, to badmouth the wierd world around him (we just hope he can take it as well as he can dish it out—Eit.) and all our regular features will be making their usual appearance.

Do you think you can afford to miss the next issue of TMT? Personally, we seriously doubt that you can. You can try, of course, but when you hear that everyone else has the jump on you, don't come here, weeping and gnashing your teeth. Take a great leap forward instead... and pick it up before it becomes a collector's item!

ALL RIGHTS RESERVED



GO APE, YOUNG MAN!

"Say, watcha readin' there, Paw?"
"Why, it's somethin' called by the name of **THE MONSTER TIMES**, Son. Newstand feller tells me the whole thing's devoted to the likes of us."

"Gee, I didn't know that, Paw."
"Feller says that this was the last copy on his stand, too! Says they sell in a manner more befitting hotcakes than newspapers. Says I was lucky I got a-hold of this issue 'fore he sold 'em all out!"

"Gee, I didn't know that, Paw."
"Says the only way to be sure to get each and ever' issue is by subscribin' to them **MONSTER TIMES** fellers, which is just what I'm a-gonna do! Why, if I missed so much as a single issue of the **THE MONSTER**

TIMES, I believe I'd go ape!"
"Gee, I didn't know that, Paw."
"Says all you got to do is fill out this here coupon below... and to act right now!"

"Gee, I didn't know that, Paw."
"That's on account of you're just a dumb ape, Son."

"Gee, I didn't know..."
Forgive us for interrupting, but we think Old Paw's absolutely right. Don't you think it's high time you go ape, young man, and make sure you get every single thrilling issue of **THE MONSTER TIMES**. Just fill out the coupon below and you're in... every ish of the biggest monster treat ever concocted, in this or any other world.

With every sub of a year or more, the subscriber gets a free 25-word classified ad, to be run on our Fan-Fair page. You can advertise comics or stills or pulps, etc. or for anything else, provided it's in good taste! **Subscribe!... Subscribe!**

I think **THE MONSTER TIMES** is just what I've been looking for!
Enclosed is \$.....

Make check or money order payable to:
THE MONSTER TIMES,
P.O. Box 595, Old Chelsea Station,
New York City, N.Y. 10011

As a new subscriber (for a sub of one year or more), here is my 25-word ad, to appear FREE of charge in Fan-Fair as soon as possible.



Subscription rates:

\$ 6.00 for 13 issues (6 months)
\$10.00 for 26 issues (1 year)
\$18.00 for 52 issues (2 years)
\$12.00 for 26 issues CANADA
\$18.00 for 26 issues FOREIGN

Name SCANNED 10/01
Address BY 1045666
City _____
State _____ Zip _____

PS: I pledge by the light of the next full moon to bother my local newsdealer until he (a) shakes in his boots at the sight of me, and (b) regularly and prominently displays **THE MONSTER TIMES**.

Please allow a few weeks for your subscription to be processed.

CHANK long, low!