

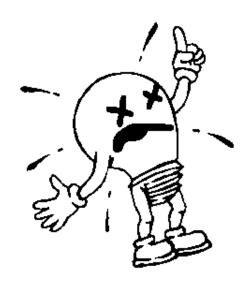
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TWO HITMEN ARE LEAVING A HOTEL ROOM.

"KILL THE LIGHTS," SAYS THE FIRST HITMAN AS HE EXITS.

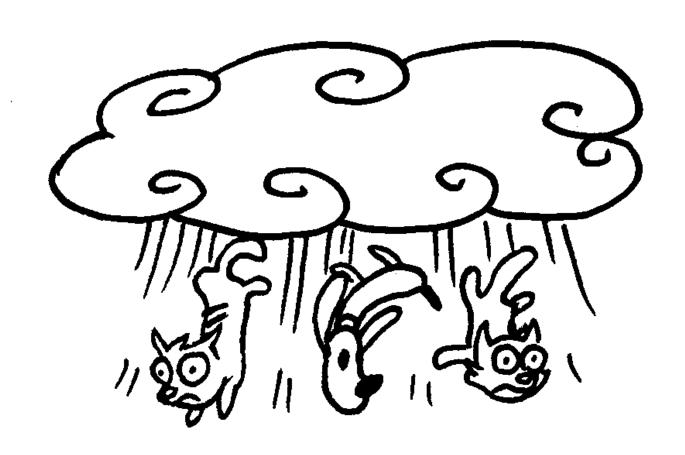
THE SECOND HITMAN PULLS OUT A GUN AND SHOOTS THE OVERHEAD LIGHTBULB.

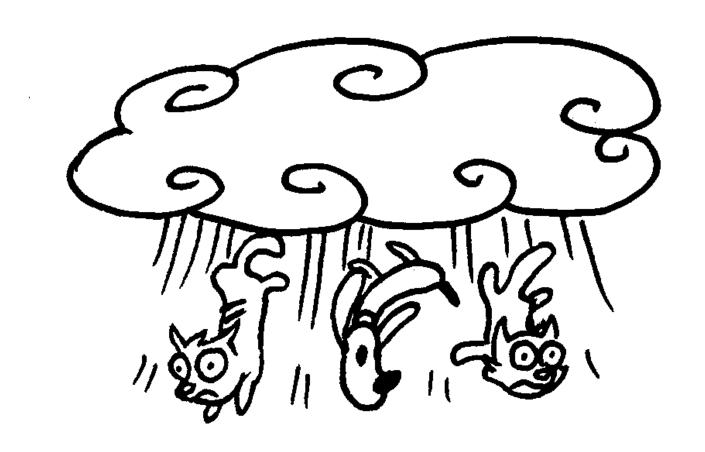
THE FIRST HITMAN SIGHS, "IT'S AN IDIOM, YOU IDIOT,"



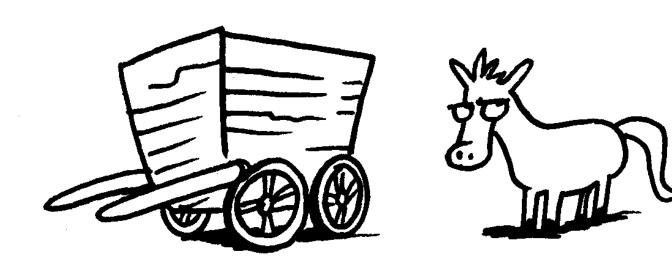
IDIOM: (N) A PHRASE OR EXPRESSION
THAT MEANS SOMETHING DIFFERENT THAN
WHAT THE WORDS ACTUALLY SAY

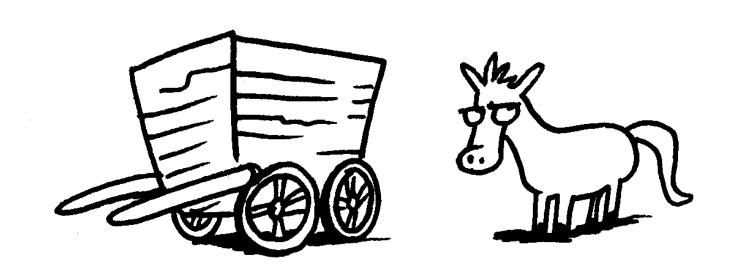
EXAMPLE: SAYING "IT'S OVER HIS HEAD" INSTEAD OF "HE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND"





RAINING CATS AND DOGS



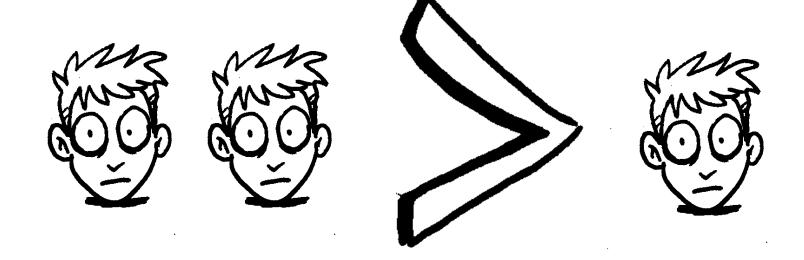


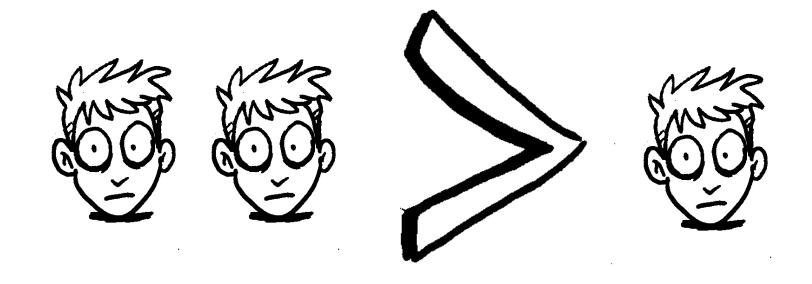
PUTTING THE CART BEFORE THE HORSE





BLOWING YOUR TOP





TWO HEADS ARE BETTER THAN ONE





BITING OFF MORE THAN YOU CAN CHEW

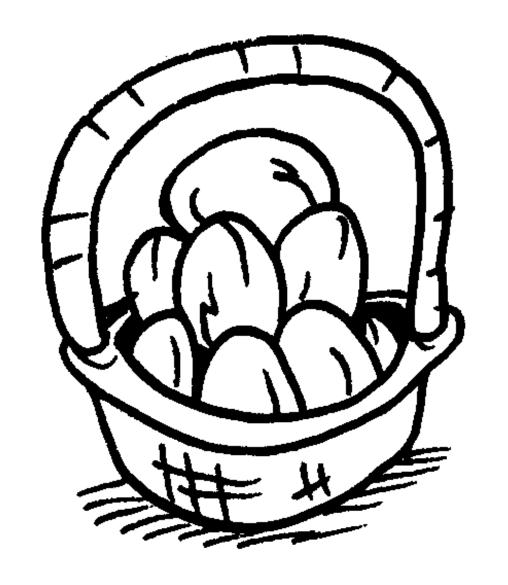


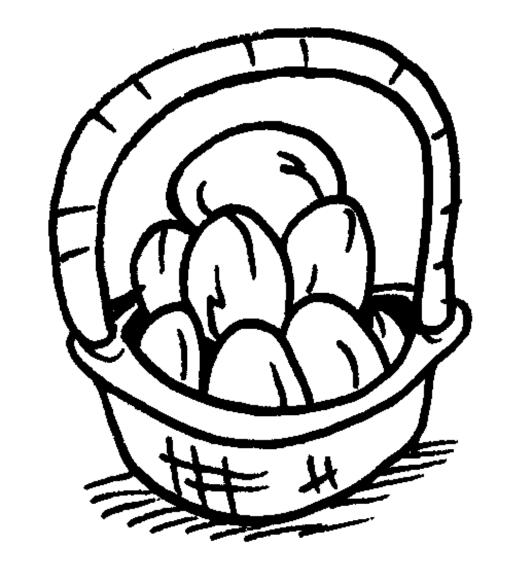


BARNBURNER









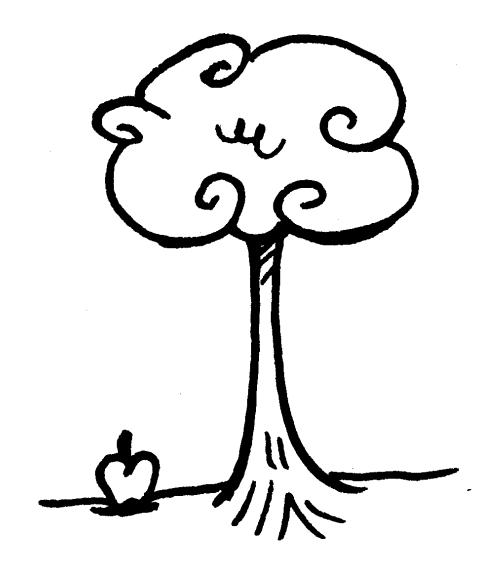
ALL YOUR EGGS IN ONE BASKET



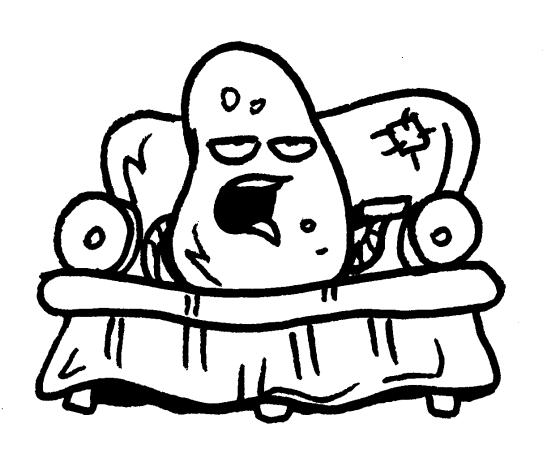


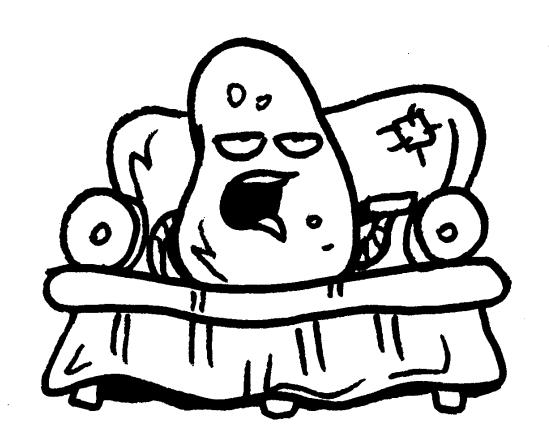
FLYING BY THE SEAT OF YOUR PANTS





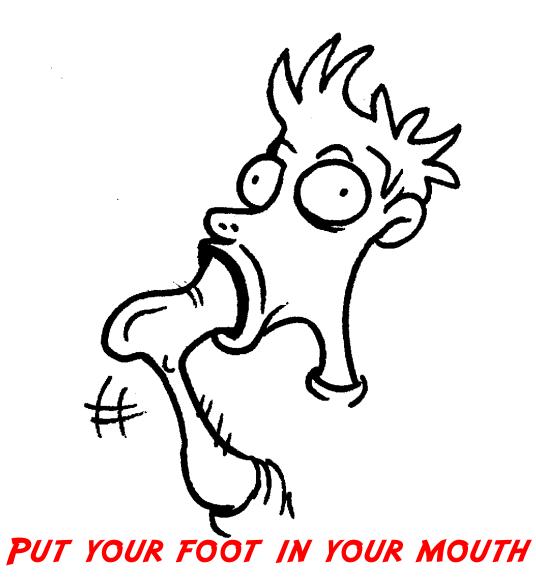
THE APPLE DOESN'T FALL FAR FROM THE TREE

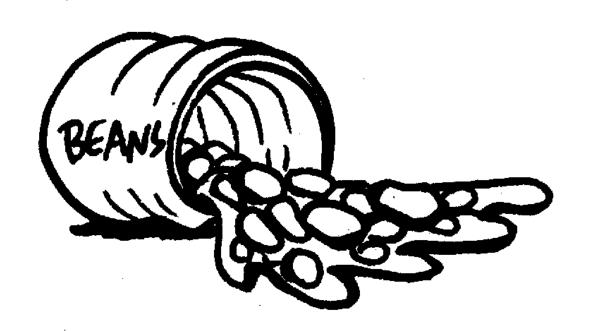


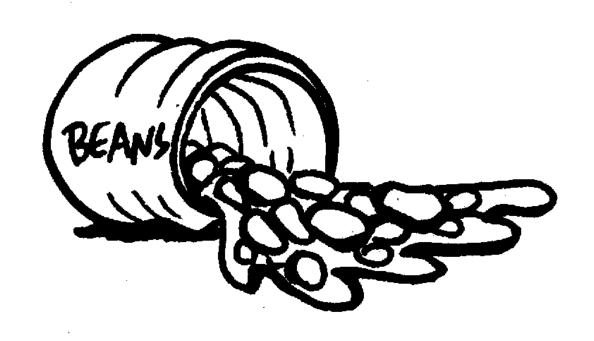


COUCH POTATO

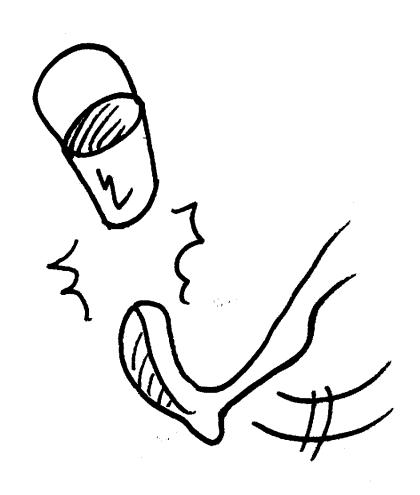


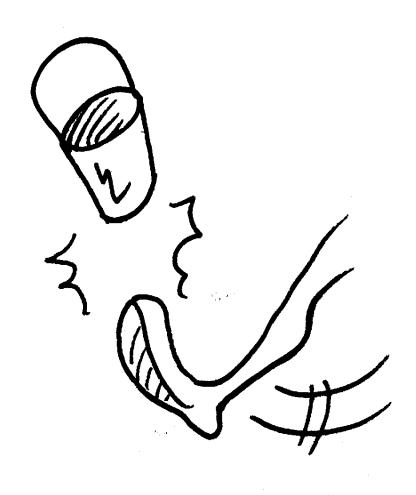




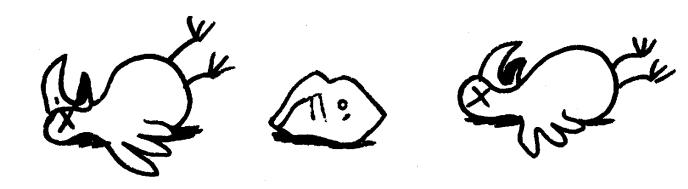


SPILL THE BEANS



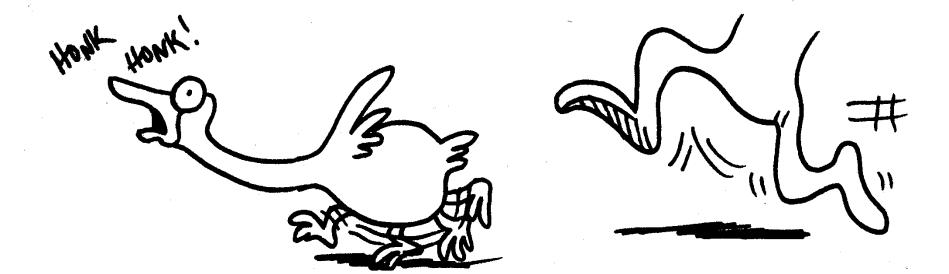


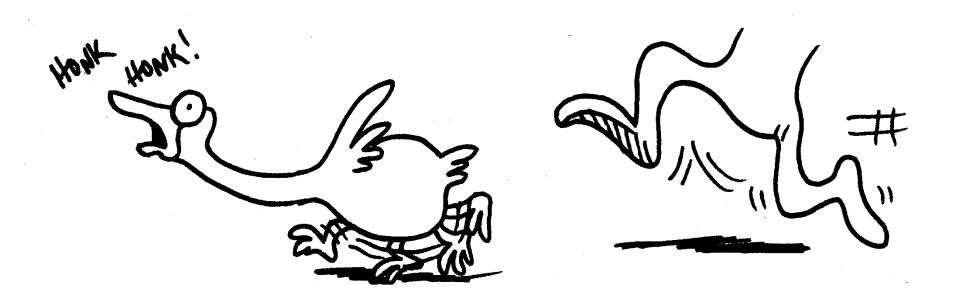
KICK THE BUCKET



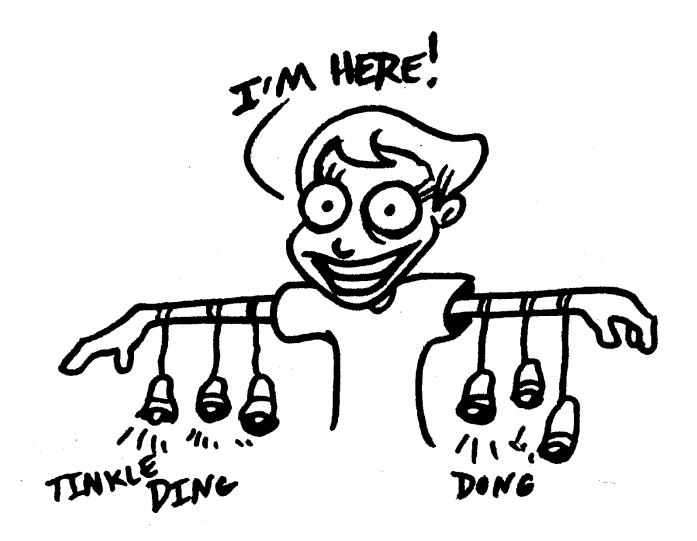


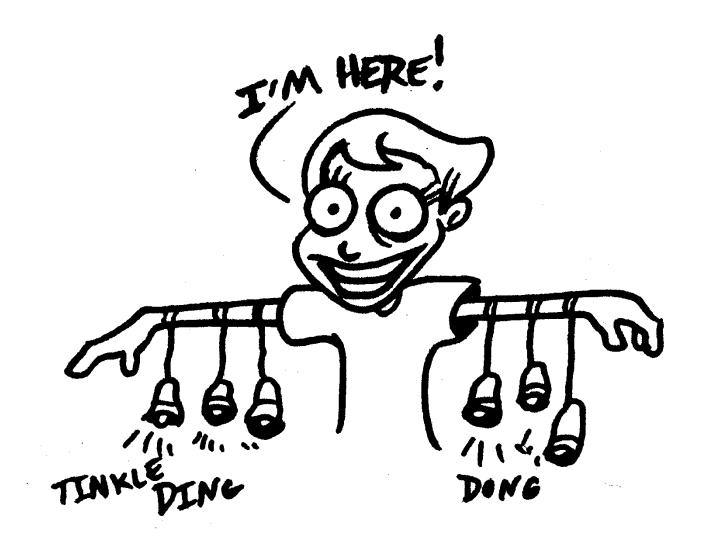
KILL TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE





WILD GOOSE CHASE





BE THERE WITH BELLS ON



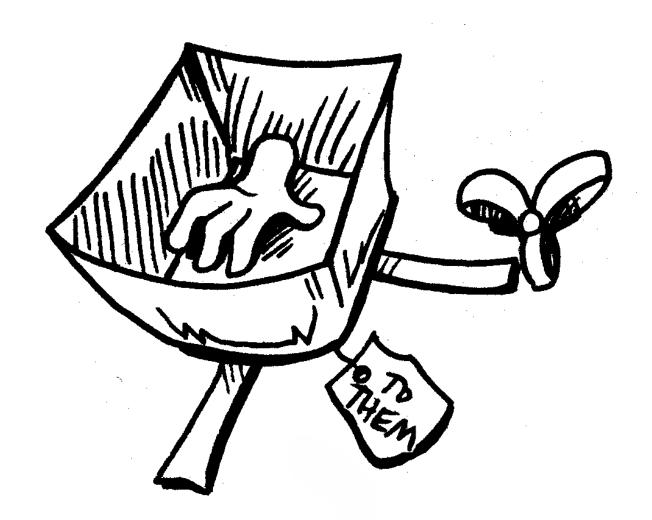


KEEP YOUR NOSE TO THE GRINDSTONE



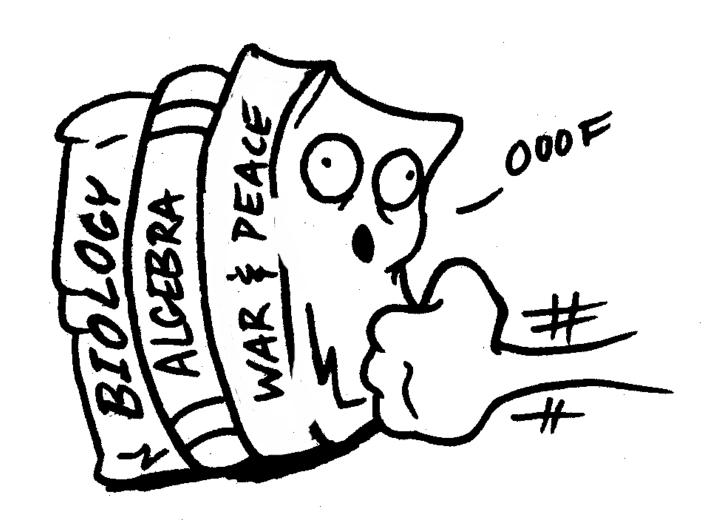


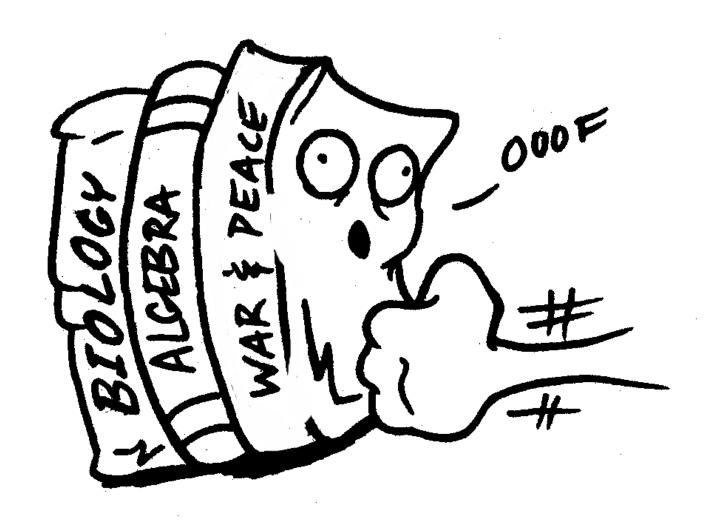
ZIP YOUR LIP





GIVE THEM A HAND





HIT THE BOOKS



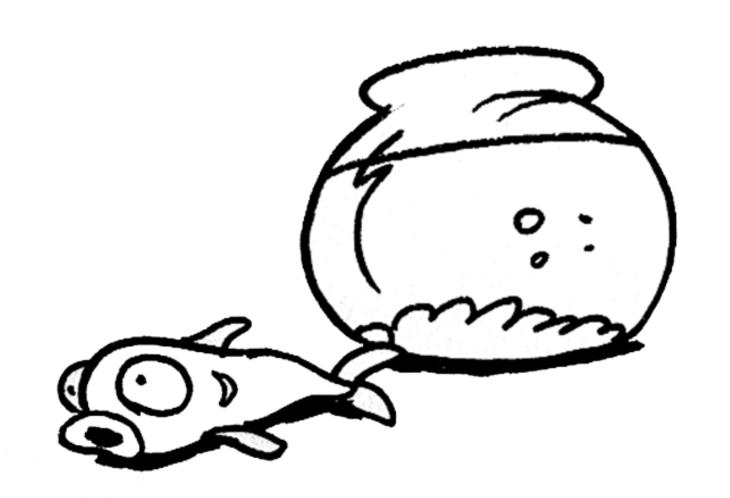


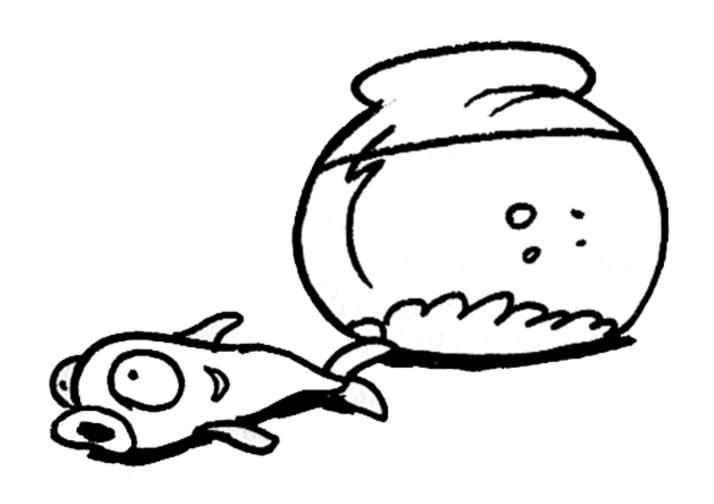
EGGHEAD





JUMPING THE GUN





FISH OUT OF WATER

CAN YOU THINK OF ANY OTHERS?