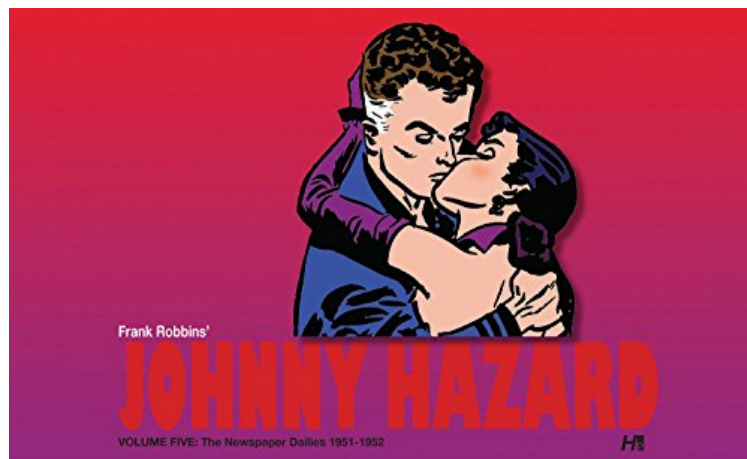


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Frank Robbins : Johnny Hazard The Newspaper Dailies Volume Five: 1951-1952 (Frank Robbins' Johnny Hazard) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Johnny Hazard The Newspaper Dailies Volume Five: 1951-1952 (Frank Robbins' Johnny Hazard):

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Spend 2 Years with Johnny HazardBy Stephen Vincent KemptonEvery new volume of Johnny Hazard should be cause for celebration. Frank Robbins long running adventure strip never gained the popularity of a Dick Tracy, Prince Valiant or a Steve Canyon. And now years later might have faded into obscurity, if not for this excellent series of quality Hard Covers.Collected here are seven new storylines running just shy of two years worth of continuous continuity from the years 1951 and 1952. The strips are reproduced two to a page on slick glossy paper. The book is printed in the landscape format (wider than tall) and is smaller in than their regular Phantom collections. This was done by trimming the white border of non-material. In that manor Hermes Press has been able to keep the price point at \$50. This volume has over 300 pages of content.The strips themselves are excellent reproductions, Except for the first two storylines all are shot from King Features Proofs. Unfortunately these have been truncated slightly but the Syndicate. In a perfect world, I would have of course preferred the full version, but it has been over 60 years and finding clean sources for this rather obscure material is difficult. The truncation consists of a very small band of art across the bottom of the strip being removed so that newspapers could fit more strips per page. The first two storylines feature a mixture of both the King Proofs and outside sources.The book has a matching Dust Jacket, a sewn binding and a Introduction by Publisher Daniel Herman focusing on the life artist Frank Robbins. Robbins was a follower of the style of art originated by Noel Sickels and made popular by Milton Caniff. It had a Film Noir like use of light and shadows. Robbins captures this style through the use of big blotches of black mixed with very fine lines. In this manner the characters gain depth instead of being mere outlines. Comic book fans should be aware of Robbins later work on D.C. Comics Batman and Marvel Comics The Invaders.Johnny Hazard was an American pilot working at this period of his life flying expensive jewelry out to customers. This vocation allowed Robbins to have Johnny travel all over the globe. Along the way he meets a cast of

rotating sidekick like modern Viking TNT and Wee Dorrie the lovesick Scott. We also get an even bigger cast of beautiful Femme Fatales, some returning from previous stories and some all new.1) THE INNOCENT BYSTANDER has Johnny getting mixed up in a murder in Algiers. He meets a perky school teacher named Lil Jill and his nemesis Sable is back.2) THE FROG-MAN ends with Sable forcing Johnny to fly at gun point. They land in the desert and survive to meet TNT a Scandinavian Explorer who has found a sunken Viking Treasure. Sable tries to seduce TNT to kill Johnny.3) BETWEEN THE DEVIL AND THE DEEP finds Sable replaced by an even more ruthless woman named Tabriz. Tabriz and her band of Arabs spell even more trouble.4) WHEN TIME STOOD STILL finds Johnny and TNT in an old fortress which seems to have a ghost from years gone by. Johnny is rescued by Wee Dorrie, a Scotch Airplane Gunner.5) WITH THIS RINGER...I THEE WED finds Johnny and Wee Dorrie in Paris to meet his Scottish Bride who has been replaced with a Spy who has had plastic surgery. This is a wacky light hearted series.6) THE YANKEE DOLLAR turns things quite darker as Johnny must go to war torn Berlin to find who is using Hitler's Counterfeiting Presses. Fortunately Johnny has help from Paradise the American spy and woman of a 1,000 faces.7) DEATH ON SKIS ends up this volume of globe hopping in Switzerland with a young woman at skiing resort having multiple murder attempts on her. This is another excellent collection which needs and deserves your support. While this might be a labor of love for Hermes Press , this excellent series can only continue with your monetary commitment. Highly Recommended.

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