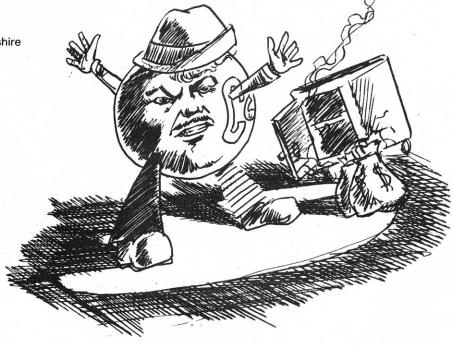
animated alchemy

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Animated Alchemy is a series of cartoons parodying the practice, common in chemical and other professional literature, of imparting human or living qualities to the inanimate. The captions accompanying each cartoon are direct quotations from chemical literature sources.

"The configuration of C'6 in 3 is unimportant in the present context as this carbon will eventually surrender its asymmetry."