



## **An association from Seville creates the first catalogue of the History of Comics in Spain**

**LOCATION:** Seville

**DURATION:** 1'41"

**SUMMARY:** 'The Big Catalogue of Comics' has been published. It is a book that includes all the comics published in Spain between 1880 and 2012. A complicated work done by the cultural association 'Tebeoesfera', located in Seville. On its website, almost twenty of the greatest collectionists in the country have collected all their archives so anyone is able to consult them. Even some of them have been digitalized, to rescue and keep the memory of comic and graphic humor. More than 15.000 titles have been catalogued by authors, themes, country of origin, ISBN numbers...etc.

**VTR:**

They are comic documentalists in possession of about 70.000 copies, some of them crucial for a whole generation.

**Total Manuel Díaz**  
**Comic collector**

*"Those front pages of "Capitán Trueno", "El Cachorro", TBO", were little jewels that ended up in our hands for little money, that a long ago meant the world for us, when libraries and books weren't at everyone's disposal."*

An invaluable comic's library that would end up lost without the work of this investigator that after ten years is now reflected on this book.

**Manuel Barrero**  
**'Tebeoesfera' director**

*"There wasn't enough rigorous bibliographic references of comics in Spain, despite there are for music, flamenco, literature or Spanish cinema."*

But there is more, Graphic Humor History since 1880 can be consulted at this website. By the moment, there are more than 180.000 digital files in which we can find every detail.

**Manuel Barrero**  
**'Tebeoesfera' director**

*"It was surprising to find old comics from 1930 that we didn't even know that existed, we had no idea."*

Like these one containing sevillian stories with andalusian accent. It is one of the most antique copies recovered on this catalogue. A fundamental tool for the lovers of this literary genre.

**Manuel Díaz,**  
**Comic collector**

*"Comics are also art and we need a database where we can find all that has been published in Spain, because if we don't, it is going to disappear and nobody will know what has been published here."*

More than a hundred years of comics and History together in a book made out of love to comics.

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