Marvel occasionally reprinted some Golden Age classics including Marvel Boy in Marvel Super Action #4 and Venus Weird Wonder Tales #'s 16-18. The Marvel Boy story reprinted in Marvel Super Action also appears in the Marvel Masterworks of Atlas Heroes. Venus is now being reprinted in the Masterworks also. For Cap, we have his appearances in the Great Comic Book Heroes, Jack Kirby Visionaries, The Golden Age of Marvel, Captain America Masterworks Vol I, and lastly his two volume set from 1998. Note the handle of the bomb detonator goes from red, to green to white. The Sub-Mariner's origin was presented in the first Marvel Mystery Comics Masterworks AND in the first Silver Age Sub-Mariner Masterworks in 2003. Comic books are a fitting subject for the study of American culture because comics are a uniquely American cultural creation. While certainly preceded by European satirical prints of the nineteenth century and the newspaper strips of the early twentieth century, the comic book format of telling a story through multiple colored panels was not popularized until the early 1930s. The "Golden Age of Comic Books" lasted from the 1930s until the 1950s, during which the popularity of comic books reached its peak, both in terms of commercial success and cultural significance. The fact that the Golden...