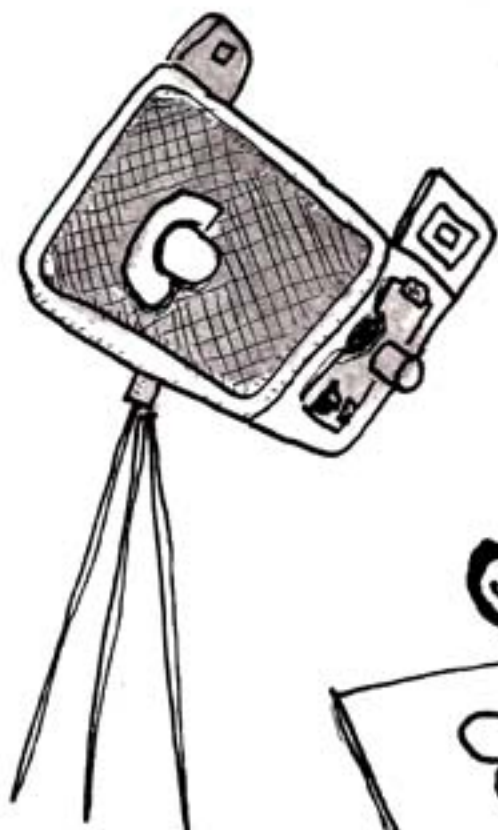




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*Early animation attempts
in Regular 8



After my first animation attempts failed for basement darkness, I moved upstairs to the sunny living room for my next attempts. I added a desk lamp for even more light.

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At one point, the desk lamp fell over and burned a yellow stain into the carpet



(I don't think anybody else noticed, but it was my stain of shame)

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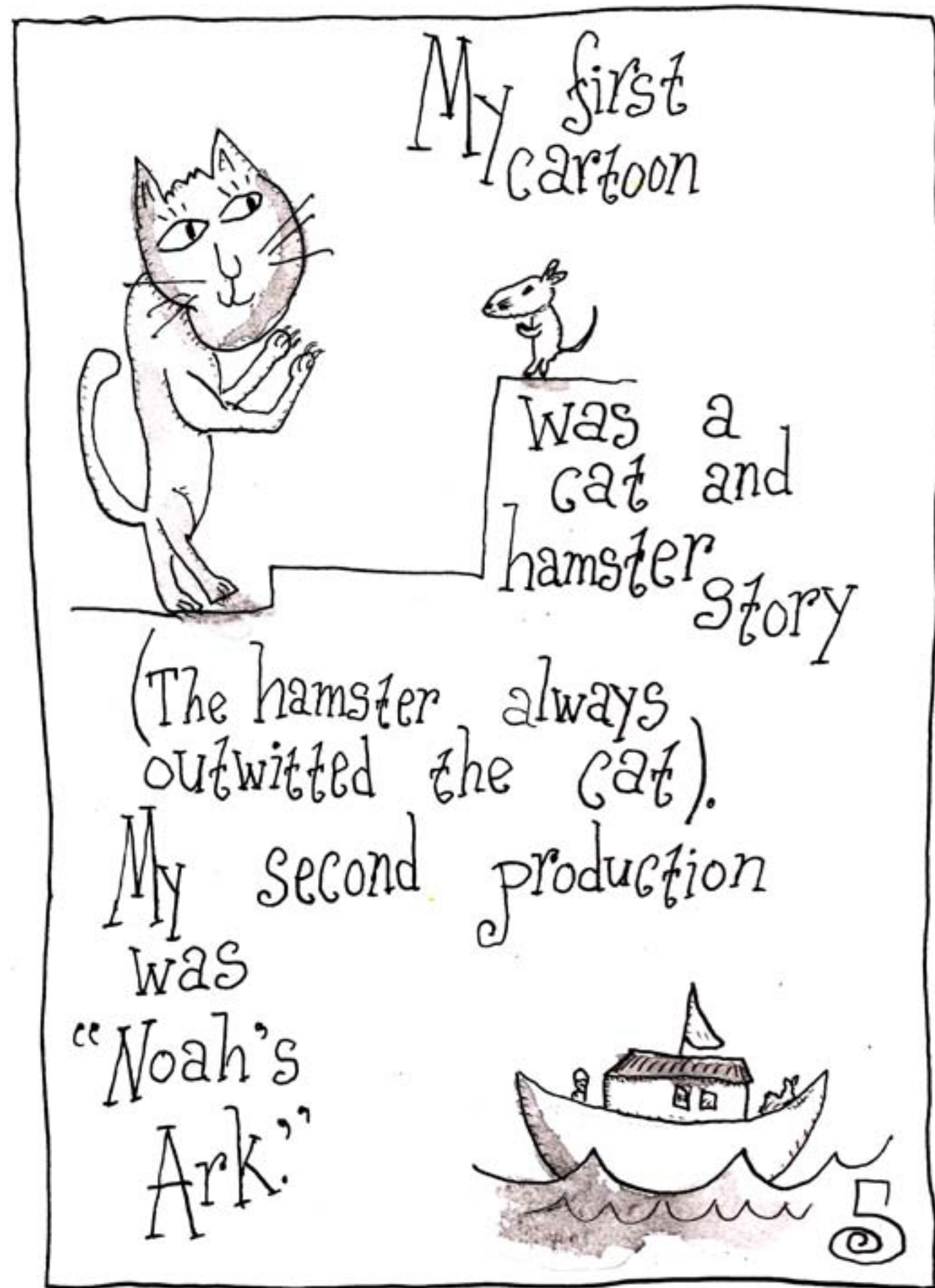


My 8mm

Brownie

movie camera
didn't have a
frame release, so I
would press the button
down in short bursts
to try to expose only
a few frames of film

(and
then
move
my paper
cut-outs)



My first
cartoon

was a
cat and
hamster
story

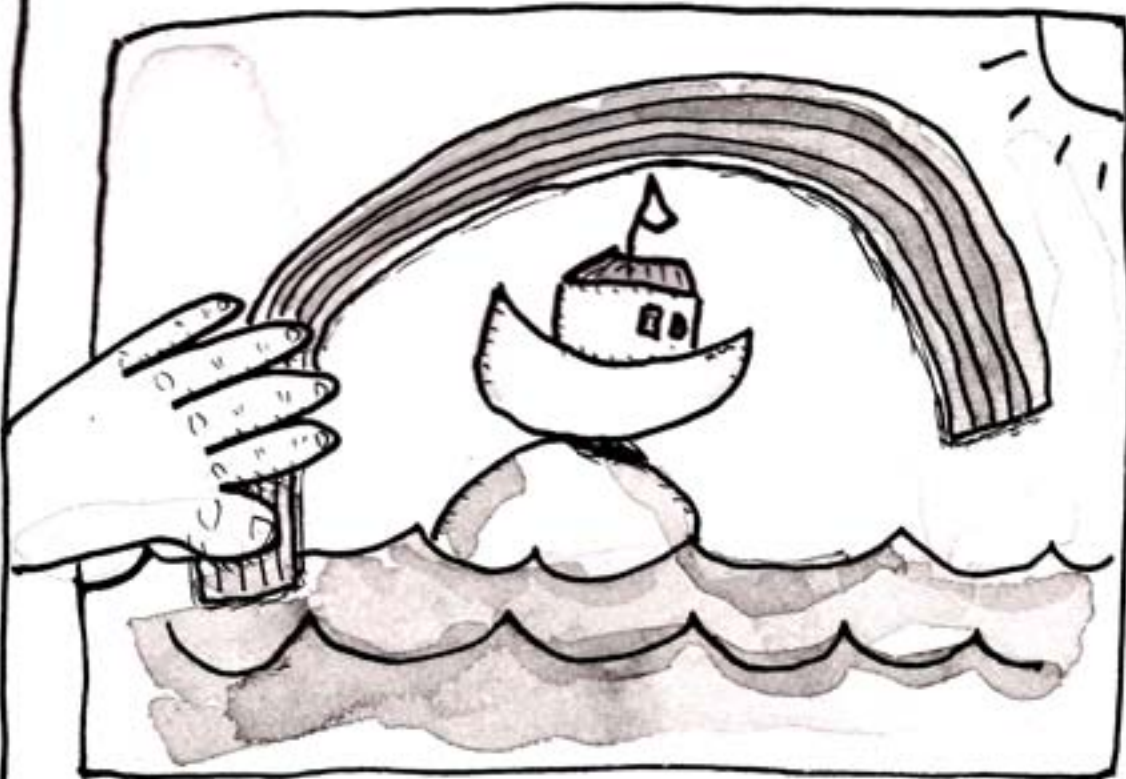
(The hamster always
outwitted the cat).

My second production
was
"Noah's
Ark."



The rain scene in
"Noah's Ark" was my
greatest triumph. I
drew dots on plastic
wrap and pulled the
wrap over my paper
cut-outs just a bit with
each camera click.
(it looked like rain!)





8 pages about
#6 8mm
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