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At the Halloween Parade in Greenwich Village, some scary creatures like this cavewoman puppet made their way up the Avenue of the Americas.

" Last night's parade continued the puppetry tradition. Superior Concept Monsters, a puppet company, led off with a tribe of ruddy-fleshed cavemen puppets circling a large bone puppet. In keeping with this year's theme, "Evolution: Body, Mind, Spirit," the cavemen were followed by alien forms floating on plasmalike clouds and silver-foil puppets that buzzed the crowds as Peter Wetzler of the Repeatos, the accompanying band, roller-skated with a laptop that sent musical signals to a mobile amplifier. "