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THE GOONS OF DOOM

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MUSIC: These Australian surf punks can hit a few more notes than the Sex Pistols did, and they're almost as much fun. Fronted by the dyspeptic vocals of Vaughan Dead and Bang Bang Bunny Fang, the band sweats out tunes that are generally under three minutes long, usually peppered with profanity, and always chock full of attitude. Primp the mohawks and polish the check rings for "She Wore Rat Skin Boots" and "Blood On The Streets."

DRUMMING: A ruffian called Cut-Throat Cowboy handles drum duties, and he might have picked up the sticks yesterday. Or maybe the day before. But that's okay. Cowboy doesn't have to ride fancy – or even steady – to guide this irreverent group. Forget for a moment groove, chops, and meter. Sit back and get a dose of loose, loud, and crazy.

VERDICT: The Goons remind you how to use the business end of your middle finger. Point it proudly.