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Dear Jacko.

For the millionth time, I had nothing to do with the Greek system decision. Please stop hurling molotov cocktails into the Student Assembly office.

-Josh Green

Dear Jacko.

I've got an idea for a new play that I want to run by you. The whole thing is a highly subtle metaphor for President Clinton's infidelity. See, instead of being set in modern Washington DC, it's set in colonial Washington DC, and instead of the President of the United States, the main character is the Vice President of the United States! And instead of having relations with one of his interns, he has relations with an intern from another department! Good stuff, huh? And get this: the main character's name is Willy Blowman. Because he gets blowjobs! Get it? Man, I am good.

Sincerely,

Arthur Miller

Dear Arthur,

We like it. What do you think of our idea: It's about a playwright whose wife, Marilyn Monroe, has sex with John F. Kennedy. It's a highly subtle metaphor for when your wife, Marilyn Monroe, had sex with John F. Kennedy.

-Jacko

Dear Jacko.

Once I went to the store to get a box of Muffin Mix, but when I opened it up at home, forty roaches crawled out of it. It turned out that it was really not Muffin Mix at all, but rather "Box O' Roaches." Do you think I Dear Jacko, could return it for a refund? Even have to wonder why they put those pictures of muffins on the cover.

> Love. Girl down the Hall

Dear Girl.

We're afraid you can't get a refund, but may we suggest next time you try Betty Crocker's new "Bucket O' Bile"? It's the box with the delicious pancakes on the cover.

-Jacko

Dearest Jacko.

All my life I've shown my love for my fellow Americans through life saving rescues, for which I have received nothing more than buckets of chum. How long will the government continue to ignore my petition for voting rights? When will I get my due? -Flipper

Dear Flipper,

[Inaudible high-pitched squeal] -Jacko

Dear Jacko.

I've met this fantastic woman! Dear Jacko, I'm completely taken by her, but I'm I'm a belligerent former football player not sure if I want to give up my relatempted to try a relationship with a woman who isn't covered in hair, but is love the same when she doesn't throw her own feces?

-Tarzan

Dear Tarzan. Jane give good head.

-Jacko

In your last issue, you incorrectly though all the roaches are gone? I still identified me as being "alive," when I am in fact quite dead.

-Richard Nixon

Dear Dick.

Sorry for the confusion.

-Jacko

Dear Jack O'Lantern.

Last week I picked up the most recent copy of your magazine, and I must say that I was appalled. Up until I read it, I was unable to honestly testify to the existence of a tangible manifestation of the intellectual sloth and general immaturity that is slowly destroying our precious nation. Your publication changed all that. You should be ashamed of yourselves.

Regretfully, James Fenderson President, MENSA

Dear James,

Eat our boogers.

-Jacko

P.S. You're fat, poop head.

looking for some quick dough. Who tionship with Koko the Ape. I'm do I have to kill to get some money?

Sincerely,

OJ

Dear Juice.

Why don't you go back to acting? We're all looking forward to Naked Gun 4,444,444.4.

-Jacko

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Parador. In fact, thanks to a bonus issue we pub- Thank you. lished last February, our schedule to produce this very issue was pushed back a couple weeks into the reading period, hindering our ability to effectively bring "The Great Outdoors" to you. Thank

Humor is a funny thing. What's humorous goodness, though, we were saved by a friend who to one person is not necessarily humorous to some- isn't even supposed to be here. He returned a week body else. Because of this little paradox, one must before we were to go to press and spent endless night be very "choosy" when choosing what gets cho- after endless night piecing the issue together almost sen to be put in our humor magazine. Articles have from scratch, freeing many of us up to study for fito be written and submitted, and then if they fit the nals. Unlike Sir Galahad on his mighty quest to retheme they need to be edited and layed out. This trieve the Holy Grail for King Arthur, this man came monopolizes a lot of time, especially when finals through to help us accomplish our goal and for that are looming over us like the new moon over we are eternally grateful to Him. Thank You, Jesus.

> Amen. Eric Buchman



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he Jacko Times

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FREE FOR 50¢

By H. B. Bloomingdale

covered the lifeless body of unnutritional last meal. dead after ingesting a most Milton Boyle, 38, in his bedroom, Etna, NH - Last night, police dis-

off Watson's pier--the shortest dock over the Connecticut River. Laura Mills, by taking a long walk ing the advice of his girlfriend just one month ago after follow-Boyle appeared in our pages

enjoyed the attention." dead, although my mother really kind of glad the mother f*cker is Said Mills: "I'm actually

to 'eat me,' and well..." One time, out of anger, I told him "Milton was a real special guy. news in stride. As she put it, Milton's sister is taking the

lar memory. Australian friend, recalled a simi-Barry Hogan, Boyle's best



Photo of Boyle taken only two weeks before his death

liked that guy." see if he'd do it. Princess really shove a puppy up his ass, just to One time as a joke, I told him to with my cocker spaniel, Princess. bitch.' He developed a real bond bloke and exclaimed, 'blow me, "I once got real angry at that

fated demise to his pension for Police attribute Boyle's ill-

> words with his employer. death, he exchanged some harsh place of work the morning of his literalness. During a fight at his

search of new job. neighboring town of Lyme in that in mind, Milton went to the boss, who wishes to remain namein this town again!" Milton's less, explained to reporters. With "I told him he'd never work

of Lyme's only McDonald's, "so openning (sic)," tells the manager told him to get lost." "We didn't have no

die." Three hours later, Milton until he was found at a bar. Unhad done just that. bartender told him to "eat shit and able to pay for several drinks, the disapeared for the next 8 hours, According to police, Milton

shine" be given to Princess. jects buried "where the sun don't his possessions, mostly blunt ob-Milton's will decrees that all

Jenny McCarthy to Have Surgeons Thank the Lord in Heaven More Breast Surgery Done

By Matt Deninger Jacko Times

"technicalities." completed with only minor nounced that the scheduled Playmate Jenny McCarthywas UCLA medical center an-Los Angeles, CA - Doctors at the breast reduction of Playboy

Ms. McCarthy has a very unexplain it. In laymen's terms, waste of your time if I tried to understand," said Dr. Nathan usual case." medical center. "It would be a Campbell, head surgeon at the "You people just wouldn't

procedure" said Campbell. tized and supine on the operatwell, but once she was anesthegering 16 hours. "Pre-op went normal two hour operation length was extended to a staging table, we had to modify the So unusual in fact, that the

"The atmosphere was almost surreal. Each doctor took turns Said nurse Judy Gardner,



with Jenny McCarthy. The cleavage, above, poses

ing room entirely." was asked to leave the operatgoing to the bathroom, then I

"confer" and "re-evaluate" the he and his colleagues had to asked the nurse to leave because Campbell explained that he

ence," says a distraught even bigger." McCarthy. "If anything, they're "I don't really see a differ-

swelling... yeah, swelling." Campbell, "because of, um, "That's, uh," explains

Against Pauly Shore

Former MTV Star Barred From Making Films

By Alex Oren Jacko Times Hollywood, CA - In response to a trend in Hollywood to produce "higher quality movies," actor Pauly Shore issued a statement with the press exclaiming, "Not on my watch!" Shore then ended began to write a screenplay for his self-imposed retirement and "College Co-eds: Early Emissions." Shore describes the movie as being, "a sophomoric ing of age of two young men, myself and possibly Carrot Top, while in the first year of their sex-romp that involves the comcollege careers."

Having completed the title page, Shore shopped it around Shore was met with the same answer: a restraining order. As it turns out, the people of California had filed a restraining orto all the major studios in Holywood. At all of these places, der against Shore that Jates back to 1994. As per the order: "Mr. Shore may not come within 50 miles of any location that has the means by which to film any feaany company that sells a video-



research for his next movie. Pauly Shore, above, does

recording device to Mr. Shore sales license."

Outraged by such denial to make artless and pointless films, Shore contacted his lawyer, Peter Summers. Summers took the case to court, and after weeks of stitution', Pauly has the right to make whatever type of movies "According to this old manuscript I found called 'the Conhe likes, whether good, bad, or hard work, he found what he described as a loophole in the case.

But by simply presenting cessfully upheld the previous Mr. Shore's own movies as evidence, the State's lawyers succourt order until the year 2020.

"It's a sad day for the Weasal," said a shaken Shore.

Court Upholds Injuction | NEO-NAZI REVISIONISTS DENY "SEINFELD" EVER HAPPENEI

By Eric Buchman Jacko Times

year's theme was devoted to ond annual convention for the tral Indiana State (RACIST), this Revisionist Association of Cenwhat the Neo-Nazi revisionists Bowling Green, IN - At the seccall "the second biggest hoax of the 20th century."

Arvid Williams, president of RACIST, contends that Seinfeld, the popular NBC sitcom, never actually existed.

"I've had it up to here with these Jewish conspiracies," said Williams, indicating that "up to nere" is approximately equal to his eyebrows. "This tops their fake moon landing."

holds a doctorate in Jewish Stud-Jeremiah Cocksun, who versity, was the conference's key note speaker. David Duke, former Grand wizard of the Ku Klux Klan and founder of ies from Louisiana's Duke Uni-Louisiana's Duke University was also in attendance.

their claims that there never was evidence they have to support a show titled Seinfeld, Cocksun When asked by the sole reporter covering the event what



Jerry Seinfeld does his impersonation of a swastika

and the panel of speakers responded with series of slides, followed by the burning of cross on the reporter's lawn.

"They want us to believe there's a Seinfeld because they want us to laugh at them and think they're funny. Then, when we let our guard down, they attack us. Everyone knows when you "It's a trick!" tells Cocksun

in a fight! It's a plot to weaken us white men, so they can take laugh, you can't defend yourself over the country!"

"Cosmo Kramer? What kind of a name is that?" Offers so. The Italians were on our side Williams. "And Costanza! An Italian associating with a Jew named Seinfeld! I don't think



n an attempt to win over parents and teachers alike, Nintendo has just introduced a new line of educational video games. The games, due out April 14th 1999, feature pivotal historical events. Nintendo CEO Ronnie Tratenberg told TIME magazine that:

"I don't care how many we sell, I just want to make learning fun. I mean, not that I don't like money, I do. Its just that today's youth is tomorrow's...Actually you know what, scratch that. If parents don't smarten up and realize what a favor we are doing them and buy these stupid games then the sh*t is going to hit the fan because I deserve a whole lot of monetary compensation for this. There is a little bit of me in every one of those games. I mean not an actual BIT of me, but a metaphoric, or poetic... whatever. I mean...well you know what I mean. Don't you? DON"T YOU? Answer me. You sit there asking all the questions how does it feel when the tables are turned? Huh? Come on little man answer me! Stop writing this down! Who do you think you are Mr. microphone AND notepad? What? One isn't enough? Get out of here! Leave me alone!"

Here are some of Nintendo's most anticipated new titles:

The Cold War

Match wits with some of the worlds greatest minds and decide the fate of the good ol' US of A. Strategically place nuclear weapons all over Eastern Europe! Plan useless peace talks! Senselessly bomb weaker countries! While trying to remain in office. (Warning! may take 30 years to win).

Roe vs. Wade

In this game you get to tackle the legal system like you never have before. Struggle with one of histories most talked about issues; Abortion. You pick the jury! You argue the case! You be the judge!



The Plague: The Game

You are a nun in the 1300's trying to save the lives of the inhabitants of a small village. You begin as the protector of a small orphanage and if you succeed there you can work your way up to curing all of Germany one buba at a time. Once you have salvaged as many lives as possible you must rebuild civilization from the ground up!

The Little Rock Nine

An Action packed RPG! Choose your favorite Little Rock Niner then overcome adversity! (Contains actual George Wallace sound bites).

Imperialism

India! Africa! South America! chose one then EXPLOIT IT! With rumble pack you can FEEL indigenous cultures crumbling!



Re-fight the duel that shocked the world over and over again. Be Burr. Be Hamilton. Then, be Burr again, or Hamilton if you like. Choose from a variety of 19th century pistols! Vary the number of paces each man takes! (Hint: To win you must be Burr.)



You are a housewife in 1950's suburbia. You have a clean house. The challenge-Keep it that way!

Sacco & Vanzetti: A Tragedy in Dedham

Two Italian plumbers hire lawyers to save them from the electric chair, while battling monstrous big bosses in the sewers and water pipes of Dedham, Massachusetts.





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THOSE LAUGHING THEN -KNEW WELL THE SCENT MY DOG HAD BROKEN WIND SCENT IS UNABATED NOW FRESH AIR CANNOT BE FOUND.

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EMILY DICKINSON





RETROSPECTIVE: CHRIS MILLER 97 by Kevin Goldman

Before becoming a bigwig in Disney animation, nabbing a recurring role on a "Must See TV" television sitcom, or developing animated and live-action late-night sketch comedy shows, Christopher Miller '97 was Editor-in-Chief of our dirty little rag, The Jacko. During his two year stint at the helm he brought the magazine to new heights (and new depths.) After languishing for many years as a newspaper, Chris was determined to return the Jacko to a magazine format, and he wasn't afraid to run up an insurmountable debt to do it. (He succeeded in both.)



Chris was irreverent. His proposed slogan for Amtrak: It's okay for our drivers to be wasted since all you have to do is stay on the tracks. For our parody of the Freshman Guide, he photocopied the page from the Student Handbook on plagiarism, then wrote in his name as the author. And he was never one to shy away from controversial subject matter. "Chris Miller's Treasure Chest of Toys" featured:

·Schindler's List: The Pinball Game

"Hit the ramp to Austria! Oh no, your extra ball went in the Death Camp of Doom!"

•The "Alive" Adventure Board Game

Eat the player on your left. Advance two spaces.

•The Malcolm X Super-Duper Waterslide

Slide through oppression and prejudice and into FUN! The X-shaped slide lets people of all races confront each other at slippery high speeds!

His essay on holidays from the Winter '96 issue reveals the depth and breadth of his humor style.

My family celebrates the birth of a major figure in our religion by waiting for a fat man to slide down a narrow orifice in our roof and shove toys in our socks. At this time of year, some celebrate Chanukah, which is basically low-stakes gambling with a dreidel and lighting a candle for every different spelling of the word 'Hanukkah.'

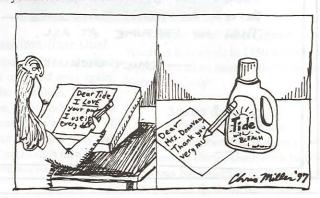
What next? The vernal equinox and the rebirth of that religious figure. It's not really fair that Jesus gets two birth-days, since he already gets twice as many presents because one of them is on Christmas. At any rate, for this holiday, my

family puts dye on chicken embryos and hides them around the house, pretending that they are gifts from a rodent. (And yes, it is a rodent.)

Finally we have Halloween, where we are supposed to frighten away spirits by cutting faces into vegetables, dressing up like Madonna and demanding candy from strangers. As a youth, I often copped out on costume-making and went as a ghost. The only problem was that my mother never had plain white sheets. You don't know the meaning of the word embarrassment until you go out on the town wearing a Laura Ashley blanket with two holes in it. The only thing you scare away is your friends.

Chris could find humor anywhere and everywhere. A trip to the supermarket inspired "The Ten Commandments of Grocery Shopping," which included:

•Thou shalt not buy meat that has more than one ingredient. Look on the back of the package, and the only ingredient you should see is 'meat.'



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MAKING A HOLLYWOOD BLOCKBUSTER

Step #5: Throw in a few cheap emotional ploys to tug the audience's heartstrings and keep them from realizing that the movie has no plot.



•Thou shalt avoid food products which are misspelled. Theologists believe that this includes food names with words like Cheez, P-nut, Cap'n, and Joose.

•Thou shalt avoid foods which have quotes around them. Experts say you should not only watch out for these, like "meat"loaf, or salad with "radishes," but you should also watch out for long phrases in names of food products, like 'Sure Smells Alot Like Potatoes' or 'Reminds Me of ChickenTM.'

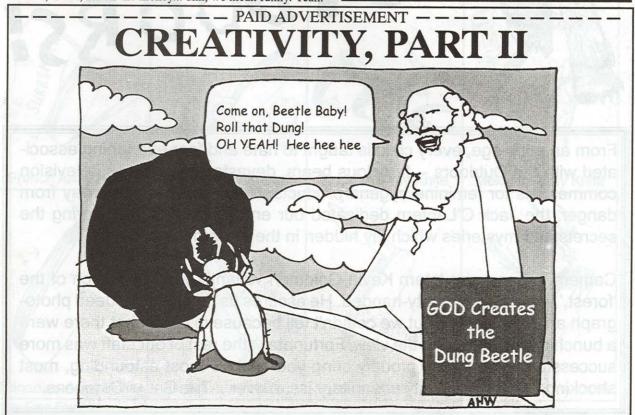
And yes, Chris could also suck:

I heard Clint Eastwood the other day, doing an anti-littering public service announcement on the radio, using his Dirty Harry persona. I hope he doesn't keep this up, because it can only lead in one direction: Clint endorsing the Days' Inn. "Go ahead. Make yours Days."

But whether writing, drawing, or editing, Chris knew funny. Thanks, Chris, for all the money... uhh, we mean funny. Yeah.

Step #8: The golden rule of blockbusters is: Things must explode. Often. If it's big and on screen, it had better blow up. Also, someone always must jump out of the way immediately before the blast occurs. In slow motion.





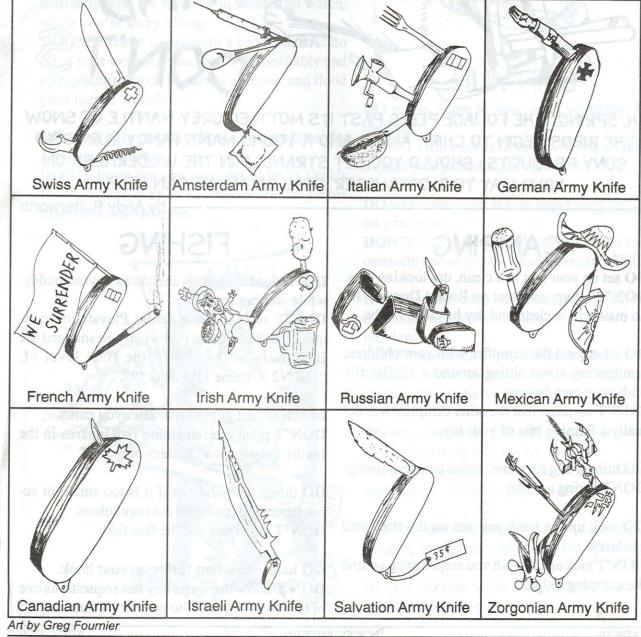
Jack O'Lantern Presents



From an early age, every child is taught to hate and fear everything associated with the Outdoors -- ferocious bears, devastating tornados, television commercials for feminine hygene products. Never ones to shy away from danger, the Jack O'Lantern dedicated our entire winter to uncovering the secrets and mysteries which lay hidden in the wilderness.

Camera in hand, our intern Kevin Goldman valiantly went in search of the 'forest,' but returned empty-handed. He assures us that he did indeed photograph an actual forest, but we couldn't tell because in each shot there were a bunch of trees blocking the view. Fortunately, the rest of our staff was more successful, and thus we proudly bring you Jacko's most astounding, most shocking, most horrifyingly unsanitary issue ever... The Great Outdoors.

ARMY KNIVES OF THE WORLD





AH, SPRING. THE FOLIAGE PEEKS PAST ITS MOTTLED GREY MANTLE OF SNOW, THE BIRDS BEGIN TO CHIRP ANEW, AND A YOUNG MAN'S FANCY TURNS TO SONY PRODUCTS. SHOULD YOU GET STRANDED IN THE WILDERNESS ON YOUR WAY TO BLOCKBUSTER, STAY CALM. WE CAN HELP.

by Andy Butterworth

CAMPING

DO set up your tent in a clean, dry looking area. **DON'T** set up your tent on Robert Downey Jr., no matter how clean and dry he claims to be.

DO sit around the campfire with your children, reminiscing about sitting around a similar fire with your own father.

DON'T mention that the other campfire was actually a flaming pile of your toys.

DO bring a dog for some canine companionship. **DON'T** bring a Furby.

DO pick up the trash you see on the trails and greenery.

DON'T pick up the trash you see loitering around the camping lodge.

FISHING

DO recount humorous anecdotes to your buddy, while waiting for a bite.

DON'T recount your heroic Playstation conquests, including that part when you snagged the Boss Bass in the end of the final level of, "ESPN2 X-treme FlyFisher '97."

DO clean and gut the fish after you catch it.

DON'T plant the remaining fish innards in the family toaster, as a "holiday surprise."

DO throw the fish back if it is too small, in accordance with government regulations. **DON'T** clean and gut the fish first.

DO lodge the worm firmly on your hook. **DON'T** allow the worm any last requests, as one of them will surely be "to get off this damn hook."

HIKING

DO carry your water bottle by its convenient carrying handle.

DON'T carry your Imac by its convenient carrying handle: zip it firmly into your pack, like everyone else. (This also goes for your infant daughter, Jocelyn.)

DO remember to program your VCR to automatically tape the shows you wanted to watch, while you're away hiking.

DON'T attempt to program a broomstick to do all of your work for you, as it will inevitably end up replicating itself hundreds of times, and flood your master's castle.

DO bring a first aid kit, should you get bitten by a poisonous snake.

DON'T bring the one you picked up at Dick's House, which is up to 30 times more dangerous than an actual snakebit.





HUNTING

DO return home to your wife, victorious from the hunt.

DON'T return home to your wife with Victoria, a chick you picked up in the forest.

DO take careful aim at your target using the scope on your rifle.

DON'T take any crap from the guy with a badge, ostensibly posing as the "forest ranger." Kill him.

DO spend the extra 10 bucks on a duck decoy that looks realistic and will fool authentic ducks into landing.

DON'T spend an extra 135 bucks on the Party Duck, which shoots confetti and plays Bob Dylan's "Gotta Serve Somebody".

DO wear camouflage to allow yourself to blend more effectively into the background.

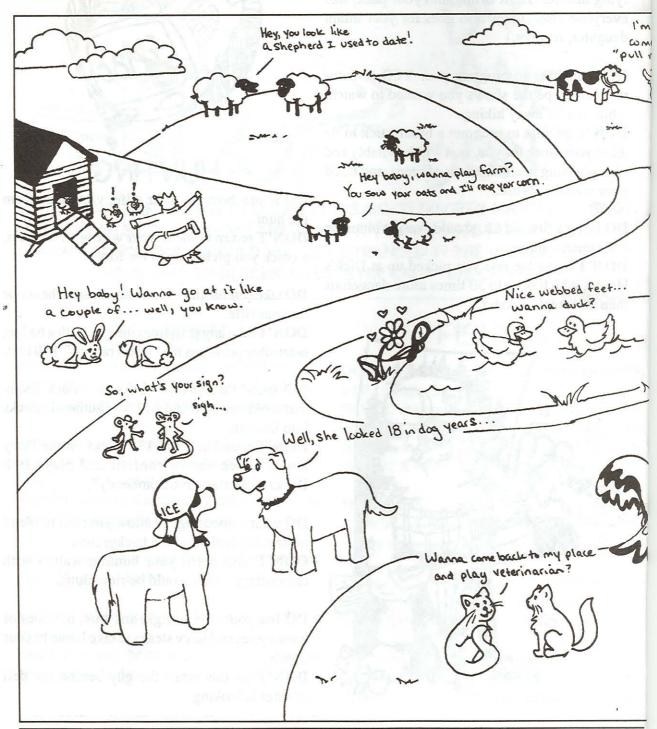
DON'T also outfit your hunting walrus with camouflage. That would be ridiculous.

DO fire your rifle straight and true, in hopes of bagging several juicy steaks to take home to your family.

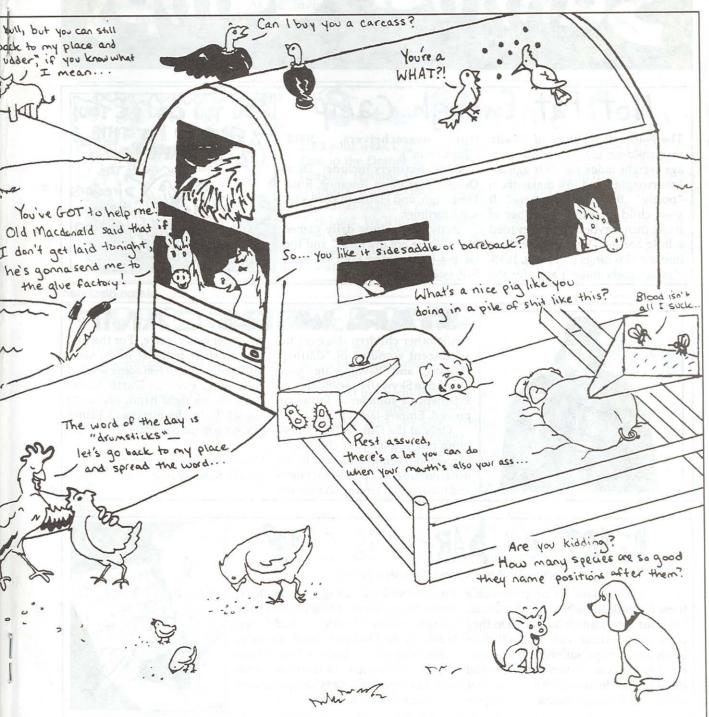
DON'T do this when the guy behind the deli counter is looking.

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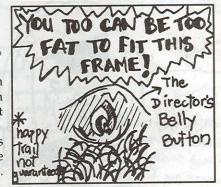
Jack O'Lantern's Definitive Guide to Summer

Not Fat Enough Camp

The National Institute of Health true says children 10% above the aver- ("Jupiterian"). age weight index for their age are "overweight," and 15% makes them Deluise, Star Jones, Rosanne, Rush "portly." But why stop there? If Limbaugh, and Harrison Ford's fat your child qualifies for either of son Mortimer. those, then maybe its time they tried a little harder. We can take them like "Where are my toes?" and the into the 45% range ("obese"), 105% sleep-a-thon. Bring your mumus. ("grotesquely huge") and, for the

Guest lecturers include: Dom

Activities include daily games Self-esteem not included.



-Aaron Blackman



adolescent wonders of "dating," "kissing," and "having a life," your little Luke Skywalker-wannabe can experience a summer of Lucas-approved, Empire-laden fun!

Only at the Official Star Wars® camp can you let your child roam free without being tormented by the *Disclaimer: Man in Vader suit not usual onslaught of pubescent taunts actually father of your child. and teasing that tend to accompany

While other children discover the his or her every move. For the first time in their pathetic lives, your child will actually feel some level of belonging, even as Darth Vader slices off his right hand, revealing himself to be the estranged Father of your son (or daughter).*

-Eric S.

HEART OF DARKNESS CAMP

(Formerly APOCALYPSE SUMMER Now)

Do your kids have an unquenchable into the steamy, savage, insect-thick, thirst for truth and adventure that threat- snake-heavy, cootie-filled center of the ens your imperialistic values? Do they Congo (always enforcing the buddy sysconstantly irritate you with effusive tem). As the Darkness swallows them, yarns about maps, sailors, and the bow- many campers may become "cut off from els of human consciousness? Then send the comprehension" of their surroundthem to The Heart of Darkness Summer ings, but then, kids at any camp are wont Camp! We'll plunge the happy campers to experiment with drugs.



-Scott Snyder

APRIL 1999

Religious "FUN" damentalist Camp

thinking? Tendencies towards sin or playground sermons and exhortathe influences of Satan? Dancing, tions strike fear into the hearts of all singing or enjoying life? Well, we the little Devil-spawned, commie have just the camp for you. At the loving children. Curriculum in-Obediah Hallelujah Memorial Reli- cludes the following classes: How gious Fundamentalism Camp in Or- God Smites the Infidels, Fun with Inange County, your child will receive quisitions, and How to Spot Satan.

Is your kid showing signs of free just the background to make their



-Jenny Holland

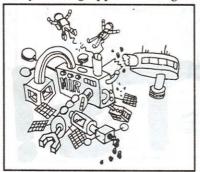


kids and hang the younger children from the nearby Religious Camp.

Send your weak Christ-loving chil- from the monkey bars with barbed dren to the Orange County Satan- wire. Coursework includes: Best Worship Training Center, and we Blood-Yielding Arteries, Advanced promise to return a chicken-sacrific- Pentagram Engineering, and ing, ritual-chanting servant of the Polytonal Scream Composition. The Dark Lord. We'll turn ordinary chil- camp will culminate with a contest dren into young sociopaths who to see who can conduct the best mangle the Barbies of the popular ritual sacrifice with campers raided

-Jenny Holland

then you should look into the allnew Space Disaster Camp. Located lawless Mexico, all facilities are built with space "recyclables" from "Earth-Terminated" spaceflights. Space Disaster Camp, recently developed by the National Aeronautical Uncertain Space Explosion Administration, or NAUSEA, offers many exciting opportunities guar-

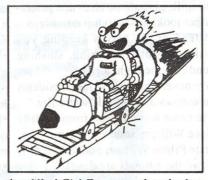


If those other "Federally Approved" anteed to make your offspring the camps just don't do it for your kids, envy of the neighborhood, or at least the morgue.

Special programs include an acjust across the US border in sunny, tion-packed, unsupervised two week stay on the Russian MIR station. Groups of desperate students will fight for their lives, navigating through mechanical and electronic faults which threaten their young existence every sleepless step of the way, teaching them valuable cooperation skills as they eke out a meager existence on their own urine.

An elite group of students will Hell" by the first student body. even have the privilege of experiencing the world-famous Challenger in- brings nothing to this camp, as all cident. And, of course, in the spirit provisions will be taken in exchange of Challenger, an instructor will ac- for a clear plastic body suit that they company them. But sign up fast! This will wear throughout their Space option fills up with a bang!

breaking new ground. All new stu- Disaster Camp might be the choice dents will eat and sleep under eight for them!



fun filled G's! Ever wondered what it's like in space? Well, your kids will find out in the oxygen-deprivation, low pressure/temperature tank, affectionately dubbed "The Pit of

We recommend your child experience. So if your kids love new The regular curriculum is also experiences and space, then Space

-Geoff Carlson

ENVIRONMENTAL DISASTERS:

What's worse than going into the great outdoors and realizing that an environmental disaster just occurred? We'll tell you what's worse: a lot of things! Environmental disasters aren't that bad... if you look at the bright sides of them. Here are some positive aspects of environmental disasters.

OIL SPILLS

- •Oil spills make otters like "greased •Volcanoes take care of those darn trees UV rays. lightning" so that they can really steer clear of those sharks!
- •The water is now swirled with a rainbow of different colors.
- •No one liked those damn whooping cranes anyway.
- •The oil covers up all that ugly, ugly algae.
- •Old, boring, blue whales are now more exciting: "Black and Blue Whales." (Or ies. Bruised whales for short)
- •Oil spills give all the birds that patentleather look that is so hip nowadays.
- •Instead of the waves keeping you awake, a gentle, soothing, sloshing sound fills the night air.
- ·Whenever lightning strikes, residents can witness a beautiful "water fire."
- •The name was changed from the trite •Instead of the hassle of driving, slide •Forest fires prevent trees from becom-Prince William Sound, to the more accurate Prince William Soundless (now that all the animals are dead).

VOLCANOES

- so our overworked lumberjacks can . Because so many homes are de-
- •At Pompeii, the ten-meter deep soot lighten up! covered up the terrible paint job on .Volcanoes relieve hell from excess Irashnunu's hut.
- of business with new Lava-tory indus- damned.
- ·Lava flows are great for hiding bod-
- moving lava flows.
- •The ash lets residents experience the fun of sledding all year long.
- •Massive amounts of ash help the bur- •Hey, firefighters gotta eat too! geoning ash industry.
- •You all know you wanted to see a cool bored astronauts on MIR. looking mushroom cloud!
- on home with a Mud Slide! Great for ing haunted and stealing our souls. mud baths too!
- •Ash clouds block out those harmful were just asking for it.

- have a holiday and get needed time off. stroyed, local property taxes really
- heat, which therefore increases the ·Volcanoes put nasty portapotties out comfort level of the souls of the

FOREST FIRES

- ·Forest fires divert traffic from national •Fleeing cattle get in shape from fast parks back to the malls, thus aiding our faltering economy.
 - •They save electricity by "lighting up the night."

 - ·Forest fires create great views for
 - ·Fires keep wildlife "on their toes."

 - ·With a name like Yellowstone, they



By Erica Rivinoja and Geoff Carlson

EARTHQUAKES

- •The shaking rocks colicky babies to sleep.
- •Earthquakes make the World Series a little bit more exciting.
- •Weak houses are separated from the strong in what we call "Architectural Darwinism."
- •Earthquakes keep the party rockin'...yeah!
- •You can have the nice drunken effect without the alcohol.
- Moving landscape distracts bored airline passengers from really bad movies like "Titanic."
- •Earthquakes make boring sex suddenly extremely satisfying .
- •Giant faultlines make more room for much needed landfills.

BLIZZARDS

- Major blizzards give Dairy Queen free product promotion.
- •Wintry conditions make it easier for thiefs to steal those babies that never shut up.
- •Snow drifts are great for hiding bodies.
- •If get stuck at home, can always eat your way out.
- •Snow makes it easier to keep dead relatives fresh and sweet-smelling.
- •Snowy the Magic deer will come to your house and give you three wishes!!!
- ·Blizzards keep those pesky dragons away.



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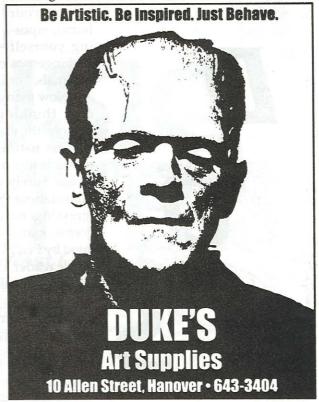
- •Super-cold temperatures contribute to the elimination of that ugly, ugly bird: the condor.
- •Three day weekend. Woo-hoo!

TIDAL WAVES

- •Tidal waves aid evolution by exposing marine life to land.
- •Now those landlubbers can see what seaweed tastes like.
- •Scuba divers now have the opportunity to practice their skills in the comfort of own, flooded homes.
- •Maybe one of these days, one will finally kill Godzilla.
- •Tidal waves relieve drought without those bothersome rainstorms.
- •The draining of the ocean may one day reveal Atlantis.
- •Tidal waves help the ships into port in one swift, efficient stroke.

DROUGHTS

- •Dust Bowl is now a successful college football game with considerable promotional power.
- •Droughts keep the farmers in their place, and prevent them from buying all that stock that I wanted.
- One word: "tans."
- •Droughts act as a natural sauna to help those fat farmers lose weight.
- Cracks in ground make earth take on an "older and wiser" look.
- •All the dust creates a boom for vacuum retailers.
- •Starving cattle makes for fat free beef.





one to experience the glory and dom of its own. splendor of the outdoors, one has that can afford televisions, your windows you might be able

clothes, and places to live. In this article I will discuss ways for you to witness the wonders of nature without having to resort to such desperate measures as leaving your home, exposing yourself

to dangerous organisms such as as the Earth's energy source.

gentle reader, this is indeed true. by the sun's many dangerous However, would you believe that rays, such as real light. there are ways to witness nature 2. Leave out rotting meat. If

There are many nature en- Here are three suggestions to asthusiasts in this world who sist you in turning your humble would have you believe that for abode into a veritable Wild King-

1. Look out the window. to go outdoors. Fortunately, this Many modern homes contain assertion is nothing more than rectangular glass panels, built difalse propaganda invented by rectly into the walls, which allow unwashed hippies (many of the occupant to view the outside whom will go minutes, even world. These "portholes to nahours, without bathing) who are ture" are perfect for viewing the intensely jealous of those of us Great Outdoors all its glory. From

> to see grass, trees, and possibly even winged creatures known as "birds!"* Look carefully to try and locate the bright yellow ball in the sky. This is known as the sun, the celestial being which serves

"animals," or listening to Phish. Quite a sight, isn't it? There are Now many of you are assur- few things more relaxing than edly thinking, "Powell, you spending hours on end staring asshole, the easiest way for us to directly into that magical ball of witness nature from our living gas which enables us to see things rooms is just to turn on the tele- without flashlights. WARNING: vision. Surely with 700 different Be sure not to spend too much cable stations there are myriad in-time near the window, since teresting nature-related pro- years of growing accustomed to grams, many of which are nar- artificial light has left your fragrated by Peter Graves." Well, yes, ile body susceptible to damage

in person from inside your homes, you're like me, you live in a perwithout the aid of television? No? fectly sterile bubble which is so Well, guess what? You're wrong! effectively sealed off from the

*Does not apply to residents of New York City.

outside world that not even bac- low-level tranquilizer gun, and same characteristics, such as: teria can gain entrance. The - presto! - Rover is the first chances are, however, you are not specimen in your own personal like me, and your home contains at least one or more faults in the infrastructure which allow various small creatures to enter at will. One easy way to get a good look at these organisms is to leave perishable foods out in the open, preferably in the light of the sun (see suggestion #1). Within days, the food will begin to attract many exotic members of the animal kingdom, such as ants, maggots, and sewer rats.+

3. Steal your neighbor's pet. Though the successful execution of this suggestion might at first seem to require leaving your zoo. Though domesticated ani- Have fun, and remember: If it home, don't fret. All you need is mals are not technically real ani- weren't for nature, we wouldn't



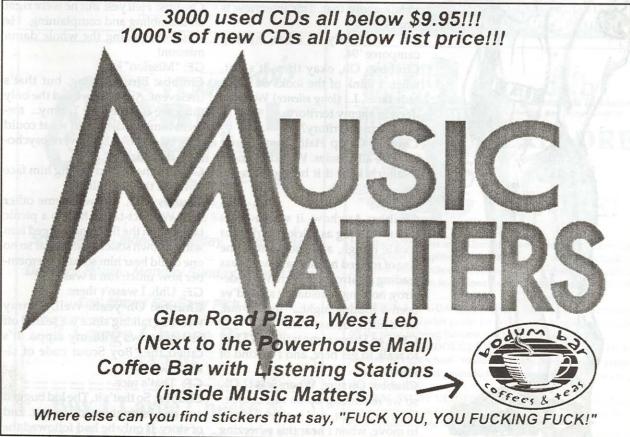
a can of tuna, an open window, a mals, they share many of the have the Nature Channel.

- · Smelling bad
- Shitting indiscrimately
- Not speaking English
- · Breathing oxygen

Please keep in mind that these suggestions are merely the beginning of the vast outdoor world one can discover indoors. Some other helpful suggestions include:

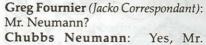
- · Starting a compost heap in your bathtub.
- · Growing "medicinal" marijuana under a sunlamp in your basement.
- · Raising your child as an orangutan.

†Does apply to residents of New York City.



Exclusive Interview: Chubbs Neumann

Leader of the Militant Boy Scouts of America Splinter Group "Crimson Dawn"



Chubbs Neumann: Yes, Mr. Fournier... Anything I can do for you?

GF: As a matter of fact, yes... see, I'm here from the Dartmouth Jack
O'Lantern to interview you about your involvement in the, um, incident that took place years ago. You know what I'm talking about...

Chubbs: You mean winter jamboree '95? I told you I wasn't going to talk about that. This interview is over.

GF: Actually, I mean spring camporee '94.

Chubbs: Oh, okay then. It's just, when I think of the looks on those kids faces, I... (long silence) We were deep in enemy territory...

GF: Enemy territory?

Chubbs: Camp Half Moon. Those kids are all pussies. Wouldn't know a sailor's knot if it bit them on the ass.

GF: Oh.

Chubbs: Anyhow, it was a quiet night, with fog as thick as girl scout cookie dough, and mosquitoes the size of roasted marshmallows. I was leading a patrol on a search-and-destroy, nothing unusual. It should've been a routine night... In and out, not a hitch. So we were-

GF: Can I have some trail mix? I had to walk to get here, and I'm kind of hungry.

Chubbs: Oh sure. Where was I? Ok, so we're coming up on this counselor troop, right, and we're all ready to move, when I hear this wheezing from the back of the line. And sure

enough, it's this little fat shit, Timmy Winch.

GF: So you knew Timmy had problems before that night?

Chubbs: Hell yeah. This kid just couldn't keep it together. Always crying for his mommy, complaining he was hungry, lots of hygiene problems, too. And there he was wheezing and coughing, and mumbling about his new acne medication, how it makes his face too sensitive and shit. This kid was a real head case.

GF: Did you tell him to be quiet? Chubbs: Hell yes! But he went right on mumbling and complaining. He was jeopardizing the whole damn mission!

GF: "Mission"?

Chubbs: Birdwatching, but that's irrelevent. Anyhow, we did the only thing we could do for Timmy... torment him mercilessly in what could only be described as severe psychological torture.

GF: You mean duct-taping him face down in that ant hill?

Chubbs: No, that was some other kid. We duct-taped him to a picnic table out in the field and gagged him with his own soiled underwear so no one could hear him scream. Remember how much fun it was?

GF: Uhh, I wasn't there.

Chubbs: Oh yeah. Well, Timmy won't be talking since we seared off his eyebrows with my zippo. It's called the "Boy Scout code of silence".

GF: That's nice.

Chubbs: So that's it. The kid bugged out, and I straightened him out. End of story. If only he had followed the BSA motto: "Be prepared... or die."



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he most important thing to remember about the outdoors is that it's our greatest natural resource lying around waiting for our exploitation and it's so "campy." Nothing says "I'm a snobbish homebody who has time to knit a waterproof tent out of kelp" more than the ability to make a waterproof tent out of kelp. And it is with great pleasure that I take my expertise into the wilderness.

The great outdoors is one of the trickiest and most rewarding places to entertain, and isn't that the goal in life? To find the trickiest place to feed a large number of people food so expensive you have to take out a second mortgage to pay just for the first round of hors' d'œvres? The first step in planning the perfect outdoor dining is to choose the spot. I recommend a spot with a circumference of 20 miles of untouched, virgin, and beautifully serene forest. I believe the only spot fitting that description left is 700 miles northwest Saskatchewan.

Now that you have purchased this delightful spot, clear an area of 200 square feet. That should allow you enough room for the kelp tent, the dance floor you'll cut from redwoods, and the cheese and cracker table, plus a 7 foot handcrafted swan shaped ice sculpture. The important thing to remember when floor planning in the woods is you want the ambience to feel cozy, but not crowded. Rule of thumb is that 1 guest = 6 acres.

Once you've completed the clearcutting with your Kmart special 12 inch hatchet, pupped the kelp tent, laid and varnished the dance floor, it's time to start the evening's prepa-

ration. First, set aside a good month for canning, pickling, roasting, splicing/dicing, steaming, sauteeing, barbecuing, and marinating. Or simply hire a large staff to work behind-thescenes so you can just put the finishing touches on everything while smiling for the camera.

Here are a few recommended additions to your evening's menu that will perfectly highlight the outdoor motif:

• Earwig and Pine Needle Dip. Not many people know it, but the pinchers on the earwig add a zesty, in-your-face flavor to a crustini dip. My personal recipe calls for 450 sets of pinchers carefully ground to a fine powder. But be careful, if the pinchers are ground too fine the powder becomes highly explosive and will react quite violently with stomach acids.

• Roasted Red Pepper and Deer Saliva Cheese. Your guests will go wild if you feature this cheese at your party. Acquiring the 3 cups of deer saliva called for in my recipe is quite simple. Since the saliva should be from the male deer, make sure to attach a saliva catcher to all the randy males in the woods. Then parade around the forest in your slinkiest doe costume showing a little hoof here and a little white tail there.

•Acorn, Tomato, and Poison Ivy Salad. I know what you're thinking... "Acorn?! But that's such a common nut!" But a-ha! This recipe calls for the endangered acorn of Rwanda. Possession of this acorn could give you 3 to 5 years in jail, but that's the risk you take when you claim to be a good hostess.

by Anita Hamalainen



Xtreme sports are all the rage today, but here are a few we'd like to see:

Xtreme Oral Hygiene - Players must be the first to sanitize their mouth using pitons, bungee cable and a flame thrower. Due to safety demands, only unwaxed bungee cable will be used.

Xtreme Sleeping - World-class athletes must find the will to fall asleep in the most demanding of situations. Donning scuba gear, contestants must swim to the direct center of the polar ice cap, take a nap, then swim to safety before their air supply runs out. The player with the longest REM cycle wins.

Xtreme Reading - A copy of *Huckleberry Finn* is divided into 10 page segments evenly spaced out over a 50 mile trail run. The competitors must carefully wend their way over the treacherous trail while carefully reading the American masterpiece. The winner is determined by the style and content of a 1000 word essay written at the end of the run.

Xtreme Dog Walking - Hearty generation-xers attempt to be the first to successfully house break a rabid pit bull while wearing nothing but a strand of polish sausages.

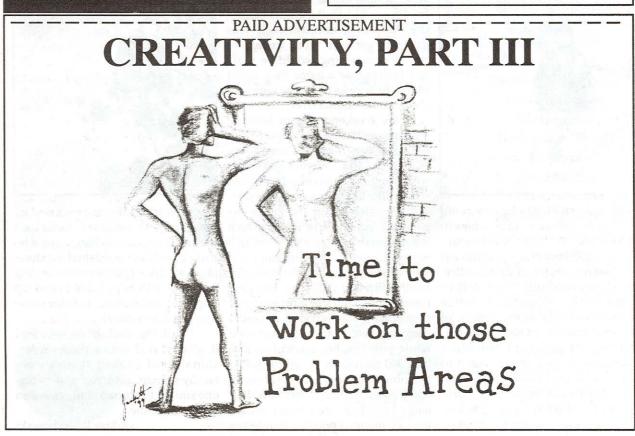
by Charles Gussow

Words of the Day

Britaphobia- fear of anything fresh. Especially fresh air or fresh water. Common in city dwellers. One seldom sees a scene more tragic than that of a red faced New Yorker lying silently in a meadow, having stubbornly held his breath to unconsciousness.

Gereophobia- Fear of small woodland creatures. Not to be confused with Richardgereophilia: Special feelings for small woodland creatures. --Jon Cohen





Jacko's Wacky Foreign Adventures Page Presents...

Fear and Peeling in Warsaw

If there's one thing that's always funny, it's things that are different than us, like foreigners. So last December we sent Adam Wierzbowski to Poland with nothing but a shotgun and a silly last name. Would he survive? See for yourselves...

During my Winter break I trav- questions, I would be confused by shotgun into the air and firing off a eled to Poland to visit some relatives. their answers because in conversa- warning shot of solidarity (or as they Fall term, I was a well-paid intern at tional Polish, "no" means "yes" say in Poland, solidarnosc). This a big consulting firm. I was used to (which got me into a pinch on New stunned my uncle, who was soon the big paychecks, so my first week Year's). in Poland I got a job at a soup factory, peeling mushrooms. Mush- mushrooms I could peel in an hour prized possession. This tension was rooms don't need to be peeled, un- and during lunch I would compare broken as a bloody, angry, flapping less they've been sitting in a damp, the numbers with the other workers. duck hit me on the shoulder. My erold, dirty bucket in the corner of a They always whooped my bour- rant shot had collided with this hap-



rooms is much like peeling away old rior of which being the entire ex- bloody feathers, I was overjoyed by stuff to get at the new stuff, where in panse of the universe under which the success of my hunt. Actually, I

meat sandwiches and drink coffee. they're sleeping. Out there on the (a little like Jim Burden in My Have you ever drank Polish coffee? heath with the chilly air blowing Antonia - let's hope I don't grow up Imagine the amount of coffee through me, I felt like a really dumb impotent and pining away for some grounds you find in the bottom of moron who was carrying around a Slavic earth mother). your cup, triple it, and you have Pol- dangerous weapon I had never used ferred "clubbing", but that didn't go lenge him, I decided to get a little Polish sunshine.

Polish soup factory. Peeling mush- geois, pansy little ass because the less fellow. Though covered in only things I had ever peeled [out] were donuts in the school parking lot. They would tell me how during the days of Communism it was easier to come to work drunk, so mushroom peeling would be more like hunting, or a game they could play, which gives me a cute segue for the proceeding narrative.

One weekend I went hunting with my uncle. The day was cold and the snow was thick and the mountains were like big monsters that were lying down to sleep in the cold winter like bears in a cave, the intethis case the new stuff is mushrooms. the mountains lay like sleeping fish felt like a big, accidental wuss who During lunch we would eat without eyelids so you can't tell hadn't really accomplished anything over too smooth. When I first asked silly. I remember pointing that heavy

enraged at my reckless (what he I always counted how many called "American") misuse of his



I took the duck home, plucked ish coffee. My co-workers would ask while pointing big binoculars at a it, peeled it (I was a paid profesme about America and if I liked to bird 300 meters away, all the while sional) and cooked it up in my go to the disco. I tried to tell them listening to my uncle curse at me in family's small gas oven and everythat "disco" was passé and I pre- scary, emasculating Polish. To chal- one smiled the broad smile of warm

-- Adam Wierzbowski

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