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06-March-00	1133	The Green Man	Jolesfield	187198	Brett	01293 408492
<i>Important note: Change of venue from Abergavenny Arms, Copthorne, due to hare problems</i>						
13-March-00	1134	White Lion	Thakeham	108174	Elaine etc.	01273 493676
20-March-00	1135	Six Bells	Chiddingly	544143	Terry & Chris	01273 883986
27-March-00	1136	Flying Fish	Denton	452028	Mudlarks Nigel & pete	01273 271441/ 309562
03-April-00	1137	8 Bells	Bolney	261227	Lone Ranger & Bouncer	01273 705666/ 592885
10-April-00	1138	Star	Steyning	175116	Brenda & Ian	01403 710311
17-April-00	1139	Eagle, Tarrant St.	Arundel	018070	Wiggy & Jo	01273 724457/ 01903 216293
24-April-00	1140	Seven Sisters	Seaford	492998	Steve Maw	01323 492466
01-May-00	1141	White Hart	Ardingly	345295	Don	01273 385637
08-May-00	1142	Cock Inn	Ringmer	440137	Pete B & Greyhounds	01323 887579/ 554148/385755
15-May-00	1143	Grapes	Pease Pottage	259328	Two Lyons Ivan & Steve	01273 707182
22-May-00	1144	Horns Lodge	Chailey		Marie & Jane	TBA
29-May-00	1145	Sportsman, Withdean Stadium, Brighton		297077	David & Venom (Martin)	TBA/01273 241829

All runs are on Mondays meet at 19.30 for 19.40ish start.

What's been going on then?

No doubt you've already noticed the change on the front cover. Yes, the time has come with the new Millennium for a change of tack for the Trash and so the Boggy Shoe (Bog Issue) is no more. It went with a bang rather than a wimper with a mega issue that even now is lining the refuse sites of the World. Hey ho.

Sp the debate begins just what are we going to call it? Well first we need to know the sex but apart from baby bouncer, there will no doubt be some debate about the issue title. Preferences please – The Brightonian; The Bright Onion (hazy reference to the Pav)' The Brighton On; The B Right On, On. Whatever.

It all seems so long ago now as we've left Christmas and the New Year etc. well behind. As the first issue I think it would still be appropriate to mention the efforts put in by Les, Simon and Pete at the Christmas bash at Hassocks golf club. The snow was superb, the mulled wine very much appreciated Rik and family by those who got there, the Poinsettia's still going strong and even starting to flower (hmm, didn't know they did that?). Also thanks to Niel and Tony for the Martin awards ceremony. Nigel for the carol's competition and Dave for the rather surreal quiz. Hope I've got everyone.

Next up was the brilliant evening from Ruth, Philip and family when the hash had the ultimate beer stop at their place in-between Christmas and New Year. Not only mulled wine and beer, but a fantastic spread and a performance by the Hangleton Silver Band, finishing with a bit of blues on the old joanna. It was a shame to finish the run and the Grenadier really couldn't offer anything to come close to a great night.

Just a few days ago we had the hash Millennium Barn Dance organised brilliantly by Dave and Judith. If you weren't there you missed another great night with a raffle you couldn't lose (licensing restrictions overcoming problem of method) and the

unforgettable sight for me of Gabby attempting to dance with Eddie whilst desperately holding a baby in.

Hot off the press news is that last Sunday Cardiff lost the vote for Interhash 2002 by 55 to 54 in favour of Goa. Sadly nobody from Brighton hash attended the Interhash in Hobart (although Phil Mutton made it to Sydney, Steve Hanna got closest on his 'Prisoner Cell Block H' tour to Melbourne) and consequently we did not have a GM representative at the GM's meeting, or even the Lord Mayor's coffee morning invite (see below). I'll print copies of the registration form as soon as it's available and maybe we can get a few out there, as this will still be only the second time in the northern hemisphere.

Niel informs me that there are a few good deals to be had at the Belle Vue in the spring if anyone's interested. Catch him on hash nights for details.

Coming up in the summer is the second Brighton Treasure Hunt. This time the main victims are **Westerham And North Kent** hash so if anyone wants to help with organising or would like to take part (teams of 3/4) let me know and I'll keep you informed. The first recce will take place on 8th April.

I also have outline details of the 2001 hash ski Odyssey thanks to Peter Eastwood who has joined them for the last two years and is keen to encourage a bigger Brighton contingent. If you can't find them in this issue catch me on Monday.

ON ON Bouncer

Oh by the way, I was asked on Monday if I knew whether Hugh's new car is as a result of the savings made by rushing off before he has to dip in for his 50p. Better ask Phil when he gets back, but if that was the case Bunter should at least have managed a Reliant Robin by now!

Christmas competition	Score	Caption	
Pete & Jenny Carol competition winners	18	Blow the Wind Southerly by Kathleen Ferrier EMI	<i>Winners due to originality of wrong answers</i>
Peter, Ruth & Philip	18	Bouncers On On's are visible for 3 miles	
Les Courtney	18 (re-marked)	I'm sure it's easier to mark in chalk	<i>Up from 17</i>
William	17	Jethro demonstrates his wonderful new Christmas present – a pair of sphincter operated bellows.	
Um... caption winner		Blow the Wind Southerly (hmmm..)	
Ray & Rosemary	17	Flame Thrower	
Julia and Sasha	16	Terry: Gone with the wind	All: Who says that Wiggy is a big a-hole?
Mike, Ivan & Terry	15 (re-marked)	Ivan: Another great hash curry night	<i>Up from 14</i>
	11 (Terry solo)	Mike: Wiggy's reaction to the Xmas Run	
Les Plumb	12	none	
Auntie Jo	11	Was this passed by the Treasurer?	<i>Attempted anonymity.</i>
Eddie wooden spoon	5	none	

CIVIC RECEPTION - 12TH WORLD INTERHASH 2000



TIEBREAKER CAPTION COMPETITION:



Once again the concept of manned space flight is tragically misunderstood by the Irish equivalent of NASA.

*ye olde Sussex
runs map*



BEER & CURRY – The stuff Hashers are made of ..

Indian Curry Rhapsody (Bohemian Rhapsody tune)

Korma, just killed a man.
Poppadom against his head,
Had Lime Pickle now he's dead.
Korma, Dinner's just begun.
But Now I'm Gonna Crap it All Away.
Korma, ohhhh ohhhhhh
Didn't mean to make you cry
Seen Nothing Yet Just See the Loo Tomorrow
Curry On, Curry On
Cause Nothing Really Madras.
Too Late, My Dinner's Gone
Sends Shivers Down my Spine
Rectum Aching All the Time
Goodbye Onion Bhaji, I've got to go
Gotta Leave You All Behind And Use the Loo
Korma, Ohhhhhh Ohhhhhh
This Dooopiaza is so Mild
I Sometimes Wish We'd Never Come Here at All.
(Guitar Solo)
I See a Little Chicken Tikka on the Side
Rogan Josh, Rogan Josh, Pass the Chutney Made of Mango
Vindaloo Does Nicely Very Very Spicy Meat
Byriani (Byriani) Byriani (Byriani) Byriani and a Nan
(A Vindaloo loo loo loo)
I've Eaten Balti, Somebody Help me
He's Eaten Balti, Get Him to the Lavatory
Stand you Well Back
Cause The Loo Is Quarantined...
Here It Comes There It Goes
Technicolor Yawn
I Chunder NO!
It's Coming up Again (There he Goes)
I Chunder
It's Coming back Again (There he Goes)
Coming Back Again (Up Again)
Here it Goes again. (No, No, No, No, No, No, No NO)
On my Knees, I'm on my Knees
On his Knees, Oh, There he Goes
This Vindaloo it's About to Wreck my Guts
Poor me.... Poor me....Poor Meee....
(Guitar solo)
So you Think you can Chunder and Feel Alright?
So you try to eat Curry and Drink Beer all Night?
Oh Maybe, But now you Puke Like a Baby
Just had to Come out
It Just had to Come Right out in Here.

PRESS BITES

PORT O'CONNOR, Texas - Two commercial fishermen are in deep trouble for what authorities say was their unique interpretation of the slogan, "This Bud's For You." Daniel Joseph Doiron, 37, of Louisiana, and Robert Charles Johnson, 41, of Port Bolivar, are accused of stealing a Budweiser beer truck. "They were laughing when they got to jail," a sheriff said. "And when they sobered they still thought it was funny, but they won't think it's so funny when the judge sees them." The men stole the refrigerated 18-wheeler as its driver was making a delivery inside Clark's Seafood Restaurant. A deputy pulled the truck over a few minutes later.

FORT VALLEY, Ga. - A nude dancing club has found a clever way to skirt a Peach County ordinance banning the sale of alcohol at such establishments. Customers pay a \$7 cover charge at the Neon Cowboy, which offers patrons an eyeful of nude dancers, but no alcohol. If a patron wants a beer, he simply tells security. Then he is whisked in a golf cart the 1,000-plus-feet east to Boss Hawgs II Bikini Co., where waitresses are clad in bikinis but the beer flows freely. The golf cart ride is free and there's no cover charge at Boss Hawgs.



"When I said 'a famous bird' I meant Kim Basinger, or Marilyn Monroe, or..."



CURRY CLASSICS

Paperback Raita - Beatles
Poppadum Preach - Madonna
Korma Chameleon - Culture Club
Bhaji Trousers - Madness
King Prawn Massala Drinks Are Free - Wham
Dansak Queen - Abba
Korma People - Pulp
Tikka Chance On Me - Abba
When I Phall in Love - Nat King Cole
You Can't Curry Love -
Diana Ross and the Supremes
Korma Police - Radiohead
Things Can Only Get Bhuna - D:Ream
Tears On My Pilau - Kylie Minogue
It's Bhuna Hard Days Night - The Beatles
Brothers in Naans - Dire Straits
Girlfriend in a Korma - The Smiths
Pilau Talk - Doris Day
It's My Chapati and I Cry If I Want To -
Dave Stewart and Barbara Gaskin
I'm a Bhaji Girl - Aqua
Sag Aloo - Black Grape
Take That and Chapati - Take That
Bhuna Round The World and I Can't
Find My Bhaji - Lisa Stansfield
I Don't Want To Dansak - Eddie Grant
Dansak on the Ceiling - Lionel Richie
We Are Jalfrezi - Sister Sledge

WARNING TO DRINKERS

The FDA in conjunction with the MDA is considering additional warnings on beer and alcohol packaging, such as:

1. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may make you think you are whispering when you are not.
2. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol is a major factor in dancing like an asshole.
3. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may cause you to tell the same boring story over and over again until your friends want to CRACK YOUR HEAD OPEN.
4. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may cause you to thay shings like thish.
5. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may lead you to believe that ex-lovers are really dying for you to telephone them at 4 in the morning.
6. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may leave you wondering what the hell happened to your pants/ trousers.
7. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may cause you to roll over in the morning and see something really scary (what species and or name you can't remember).
8. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol is the leading cause of inexplicable scratches on the forehead.
9. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may create the illusion that you are tougher, more handsome and smarter than some really, really big guy named Chuck.
10. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may lead you to believe you are invisible.
11. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may lead you to think people are laughing WITH you.
12. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may cause a flux in the time-space continuum, whereby small (and sometimes large) gaps of time may seem to disappear.
13. **WARNING:** Consumption of alcohol may actually CAUSE pregnancy.

Did you know? Beer was not sold in bottles until 1850. Before then, if you wanted beer, you had to bring it home from the local tavern in a bucket made especially for it.

and finally... How many men does it take to open a beer? None, it should be opened by the time she brings it.

QUOTES

From the Larry Gogan show (Eire):

- With what town in Britain is Shakespeare associated?
Contestant: Hamlet.
- Name the BBC's Grand Prix commentator? I'll give you a hint. It's something you suck. Contestant: Oh, Dickie Davies. (Murray Walker is the correct answer)
- What was Jeeve's occupation? Contestant: He was a carpenter.
- Complete this well known phrase: "As happy as" hint think of me. Contestant: Flies on shite.
- (after a caller got none of 18 questions right on the Just a Minute quiz) - Ah, sure the questions didn't really suit you did they?
Caller: Ah go feck off Larry you're only an old b.ollox'.
- What do you call a female cow? ...

Others from the Emerald Isle:

- If you're a fifty pence piece in a pile of ten pence pieces, you have to shine so much brighter in order to be noticed. - Bono.
- I can hold a note and I know I'm not ugly so, in ways, that's enough." - Keith Duffy of Boyzone.
- That mail used to be handled by hand, now it's handled manually. Chief Executive of AN Post, John Hines.
- The referendum went as most people hoped it would. Irish Times editorial displaying acute understanding of the Democratic Process.
- Clap your feet! Bernie of the Nolan Sisters.
- British Army bomb disposal squads who attempt to defuse car bombs early and before areas are properly evacuated will be responsible for endangering civilian lives. IRA statement 1988.
- We are not prepared to stand idly by and be murdered in our beds. Rev. Ian Paisley.
- What we are doing is in the interest of everybody, bar possibly the consumer. Aer Lingus spokesman.
- Deep down I'm a very shallow person. Charles Haughey.
- Mrs Windsor can come and go as she wants. Gerry Adams on a visit by the Queen to Northern Ireland.
- I think the Irish woman was freed from slavery by bingo.... They can go out now, dressed up, with their handbags and have a drink and play bingo. And they deserve it. John B. Keane.
- Interviewer: Is it not dangerous to sell people knives called Rambo Knives? Shopkeeper: I wouldn't say so, a lot of them can't spell.
- "I was called out to a non-existent phone call. When I returned I lifted my glass, smelled and said 'My God, this is foul, it smells like piss'. A voice from the back called out, 'We know, but whose?'" Wine connoisseur T.P. Whelehan at a tasting in Trinity College.
- Jim Mitchell TD: You're always mixing me up with someone else. Ceann Comhairle, Joe Brennan: Yes, I'm always confusing you with that fellow Mitchell.
- Ludicrous. Ridiculous. 1989 edition of Collins Concise Dictionary defines the word 'Irish'.
- Get married again. Charles Haughey to women asking for an increase in the Widows Pension.

TOP TIPS

- Keep the seat next to you on the train vacant by smiling and nodding at people as they walk up the aisle
- Thicken up runny low-fat yoghurt by stirring in a spoonful of lard.
- Avoid losing contact lenses by drilling a small hole in each one and attaching them with a length of nylon fishing line. This can then be worn around the neck.
- Anorexics. When your knees become fatter than your legs, start eating cakes again.
- Always keep a pound of lard in your pocket so that if you get your head stuck in railings you'll be able to grease your ears and slide out.
- Mix tea with coffee, and leave in the fridge to cool. Hey presto! Toffee.
- A next door neighbour's car aerial, carefully folded, makes an ideal coat hanger in an emergency.
- Hijackers. Avoid a long stressful siege and the risk of arrest, imprisonment or death by simply making sure you book a flight to your intended destination in the first place.
- Olympic athletes. Disguise the fact that you've taken anabolic steroids by simply running a little slower. (B. Johnson, Canada)
- Make your girlfriend cry when you're having sex by phoning her up and telling her.

Fitbah:

- Newcastle, of course, unbeaten in their last five wins. - (Brian Moore)
- Strangely, in slow motion replay, the ball seemed to hang in the air for even longer. (David Acfield)
- What I said to them at half time would be unprintable on the radio Gerry Francis
- If we played like that every week we wouldn't be so inconsistent. (Bryan Robson 1990)
- If there weren't such a thing as football, we'd all be frustrated footballers. (Mick Lyons)
- Glen Hoddle hasn't been the Hoddle we know. Neither has Bryan Robson. (Ron Greenwood)
- There's no way Ryan Giggs is another George Best. He's another Ryan Giggs. (Denis Law)
- The only thing that I have in common with George Best is that we came from the same place, play for the same club and were discovered by the same man. (Norman Whiteside)
- Gilbert hit a kamikaze back-pass which Fashanu pounced on like a black Frank Bruno. Ian Darke - Sky TV Football
- I've told the players we need to win so that I can have the cash to buy some new ones. (Chris Turner - Peterborough Manager before League Cup Quarter Finals, 1992)
- Tell the Kraut to get his ass up front. We don't pay a million for a guy to hang around in defence. (NY Cosmos Executive - On Beckenbauer's positioning)
- Hodge scored for Forest after 22 seconds - totally against the run of play. (Peter Lorenzo)
- We actually got the winner three minutes from the end but then they equalized (Ian McNail)
- Julian Dicks is everywhere. It's like they've got eleven Dicks on the field. Metro Radio
- "I'd like to play for an Italian club, like Barcelona" Mark Draper (Aston Villa)
- We'll still be happy if we lose. It's on at the same time as the Beer Festival (Noel O' Mahony, Cork City boss before the game in Munich)
- It took a lot of bottle for Tony (Adams) to own up. Ian Wright (commenting on his team mate's alcoholism)
- On the difficulties of adjusting to playing football and living in Italy: It was like being in a foreign country (Ian Rush)
- We could've taken the lead before we even scored. Peter Beardsley
- That's great, tell him he's Pele and get him back on. (John Lambie - Partick Thistle Manager, when told a concussed striker did not know who he was)
- The crowd think that Todd handled the ball they must have seen something that nobody else did (Barry Davies 1975)
- Why didn't you just belt it son? (Gareth Southgate's mother reflects publicly on her son's penalty miss)
- Football today would certainly not be the same if it had not existed. Elton Welsby - ITV Football



- Make bathtimes as much fun for kiddies as a visit to the seaside by pouring a bucket of sand, a bag of salt and a dog turd into the bath.
- Make guests believe your home is bugged by running your hand under tables and inside lampshades, then turning the shower on every time you want to speak.
- Increase blind people's electricity bills by switching all their lights on when their guide dog isn't looking.
- Recreate the fun of a visit to a public swimming pool in your own home by filling the bath with cold water, adding two bottles of bleach, then urinating into it, before jumping in.

A **SUPERKID** is a walking dictionary of corny jokes and smart answers that can be used in almost any situation....



Government Economist

Man walking along a road in the countryside comes across a shepherd and a huge flock of sheep. Tells the shepherd, "I will bet you \$100 against one of your sheep that I can tell you the exact number in this flock." The shepherd thinks it over; it's a big flock so he takes the bet.

"973," says the man. The shepherd is astonished, because that is exactly right. Says "OK, I'm a man of my word, take an animal." Man picks one up and begins to walk away.

"Wait," cries the shepherd, "Let me have a chance to get even.

Double or nothing that I can guess your exact occupation." Man says sure.

"You are an economist for a government think tank," says the shepherd.

"Amazing!" responds the man, "You are exactly right! But tell me, how did you deduce that?"

"Well," says the shepherd, "put down my dog and I will tell you."

You see? It's not difficult. Why not go and practice straight away? The kitchen is a good place to start...



There was a man who entered a local paper's pun contest. He sent in ten different puns, in the hope that at least one of the puns would win. Unfortunately, no pun in ten did.

A Duck Walks Into A Store And Say's "I'd Like Some Lip Gloss!" The Clerk Say's "Will That Be Cash Or Charge?"

The Duck Say's "Just Put It On My Bill!"

A man takes his Rottweiler to the vet.

"My dog's cross-eyed, is there anything you can do for him?"

"Well," says the vet, "let's have a look at him"

So he picks the dog up and has a good look at its eyes. "Well," says the vet, "I'm going to have to put him down."

"What? Because he's cross-eyed?"

"No, because he's bloody heavy"

How do you know if a blonde has been sending e-mail? You see a bunch of envelopes stuffed into the disk drive.

Did you know that diarrhoea is hereditary? It runs in your jeans...

You get the idea? Even when ill a **SUPERKID** has a smart answer...



What kind of bear?

One evening, the three bears were sitting for dinner. Suddenly there was a loud banging on the door, and a bear carrying a pistol burst through the doorway. The intruder ordered the three bears to stand against the wall. While they were quivering against the wall, the intruder ate all three dinners. He then fired the gun into the ceiling, and left the house as abruptly as he entered.

The bears recovered themselves and prepared to call the police. They asked each other what kind of a bear the intruder was.

"I think it was a grizzly bear, he was so ferocious," said papa bear.

"He was very brown, I think he was a brown bear," said baby bear.

"Just a minute," said mama bear. She went to the dictionary and flipped through it.

"Yes, just as I thought, it was a koala bear. It says here, 'koala bear: eats shoots and leaves.'"

THEORIES

Here are some interesting new scientific theories that you might like to ponder. An American magazine held a competition, inviting its readers to submit new scientific theories on ANY subject.

Below are the winners:

5th place (Subject: Probability Theory) If an infinite number of rednecks riding in an infinite number of pickup trucks fire an infinite number of shotgun rounds at an infinite number of highway signs, they will eventually write the complete works of Shakespeare in Braille.

4th place (Subject: Bio-Mechanics) Why Yawning Is Contagious: You yawn to equalise the pressure on your eardrums. This pressure change outside your head unbalances other people's ear pressures, so they then yawn to even it out.

3rd place (Subject: Symbolic Logic) The Chinese are technologically underdeveloped because each of their alphabetical characters represents a whole word or phrase, rather than a single letter. Thus they cannot use acronyms to communicate technical ideas at a faster rate.

2nd place (Subject: Newtonian Mechanics) deforestation may cause earthquakes, tidal waves, or even the total destruction of our planet. Just as a figure-skater's rate of spin increases when the arms are brought in close to the body, the cutting down of tall trees may cause the Earth to spin dangerously fast on its axis with disastrous results.

Winner (Subject: Perpetual Motion) When a cat is dropped, it always lands on its feet, and when toast is dropped, it always lands buttered side down. Therefore, if a slice of toast is strapped to a cats back, buttered side up, and the animal is then dropped, the two opposing forces will cause it to hover, spinning inches above the ground. If enough toast-laden felines were used, they could form the basis of a high-speed monorail system.

LONDON WOMEN PREPARE BREASTS FOR INCREASED SPRINGTIME DISPLAY

Women across the capital celebrated the improved weather this week, preparing their breasts for the increased exposure and display that the warm weather now demands. For the last 6-8 months, women's breasts, obscured by baggy sweaters and shapeless jackets, have existed only in the imaginations and fond memories of men.

Yet, with the coming of spring, all that has changed, as girls now slip into less fabric and fewer layers. Their breasts, like animals emerging from hibernation, once again climb out into the sunshine, stretch out in the open air and, with near-mythic power, grab the attention of all around.

"I just bought a new spring 'mini-vest' from French Connection," said Covent Garden, media-exec Sophie Lambert, 24. "It is snug. Almost too-small really. Plenty of blokes seem to notice my tits when I wear it on sunny days."

Miss Lambert's male colleagues who have seen the vest confirmed that it was "blinding", and added that they are eagerly looking forward to seeing her "cracking pair" protrude from within it very soon. "In countries with warmer climates, the vast quantities of breasts tend to take on a diminished significance, because of overexposure," says Professor Dorothy Primus of the Feminist Studies Department, University College London. "The male populace tends to become jaded toward breasts, as they are nearly always visible even to a casual onlooker" Primus went on to explain, however, that the UK's ebb and flow of seasons creates a corresponding ebb and flow of breast visibility. The recent fine weather and resulting preponderance of breast displays has brought London to its knees with heterosexual males gawking at the near-unbelievable levels of mammarian visibility.

Although most men agree that the natural power of the female breast needs no improvement, some women are using technology to further enhance their breast goals. Fulham secretary Heather Phillips, 22, a self-confessed B-cup with aspirations toward the C-range, plans to covertly employ a "Wonder Bra," to make her breasts appear a full cup-size larger throughout the summer months. Boyfriend Mark Chambers is reported to be "delighted".

Experts are not surprised by Miss Phillips' breast enhancement efforts, as spring frequently brings about a heightened air of sexual tension. Feminist lesbian organizations in London agreed "Although we are deeply opposed to the systematic sexual objectification of women and their breasts by male heterodoxy, we lesbians are in a uniquely two-fold position of strength in these wondrous springtime months, enjoying both the opportunity to display our fantastic breasts to others, and the chance to enjoy an eyeful of the breasts of our fellow sisters," says Megan Thomas of radical group Lesbian Militants for Social Change. Upon spotting a lithe, crop-topped, female walking nearby, Ms Thomas bit her knuckles, adding, "I mean... just check out the cans on that."

NEW YORK, NY - Most men would agree. If women are going to protest something, they should do it like Melynda Duval and Anna West, who donned ice-skates, bikini bottoms and not much else to streak through a fashion show at the Rockefeller Center skating rink. Flashing smiles and painted-on leopard spots, the two carried a sign stretched between them saying: "Only

Animals Should Wear Fur." Kristie Sigmon, of People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, said, "Something like this, it's fun, it's uplifting and it gets people talking about the issue. We do have a good sense of humor."

Protest of the week

A Tehran taxi driver marched through the city in a hat and full-length robe made from 200 parking tickets as a protest against tough traffic regulations. Police arrested him and charged him with spreading lies.

Friday: Censors in Cambodia are to ban a fourth song – Where Do I Come In Your List of Lovers? – saying that it insults women. The government has already censored Kill Me With an Injection Please, about a woman who wants to be a doctor's mistress, I Still Love You Even Though You Are A Married Man, and All Girls Want That. "We are concerned about respecting free speech," said a government spokesman, "but this song has a bad influence on society."

KANSAS CITY, Kan. - If you're going to be an extremist, do it right. That's what one Kansas City couple determined when they withdrew their life savings from the bank for fear of a Y2K disaster. But instead of stuffing their loot in a mattress, these folks invested in a 5-foot-tall steel safe. As it turned out, Y2K was the least of their worries. The safe was stolen, allegedly, by four men who needed a dolly to take the massive vault from the home. It was found a few days later, abandoned in a field, unopened, with its contents intact. Police said it appeared someone had tried to saw the hinges off, pry the door open and knock the tumblers off. Four men have been arrested on suspicion of robbery and theft.

ROME - Italian post offices are virtual banks where millions of customers keep savings accounts, collect pensions and pay taxes. It's a rich target, but how do you get in? One group of creative crooks used a very unconventional approach. The robbers brought a member of their group to the post office wrapped in a packing crate. When the package would not fit through the slot, the gang was invited to use a service door which accommodated them nicely. Once inside a man burst out of the carton waving a gun. According to police the robbers escaped with \$75,000.

Evening Standard/ Yorkshire Post

A drunk who claimed he had been raped by a dog was yesterday jailed for 12 months by a judge. Martin Hoyle, 45, was arrested by police after a passing motorist and his girlfriend found a Staffordshire bull terrier, called Badger, having sex with him at the side of a road in Huddersfield, West Yorkshire. Prosecutor Ben Crosland said the couple had stopped to help because they thought Hoyle was being attacked by the animal. But when they got closer they saw that he had his trousers round his ankles, was down on all fours and the dog was straddling him from behind. "The defendant mumbled something about the dog having taken a liking to him," said Mr Crosland. "The couple were extremely offended and sickened by what they saw."

Another passing motorist contacted the police and Hoyle was arrested as he walked with the dog down the road. Hoyle, of Eastview, Marsh, Huddersfield, told police "I can't help it if the dog took a liking to me. He tried to rape me." He repeated the rape allegation at the police station and added "The dog pulled my trousers down." Hoyle, who has had a long-standing alcohol problem, was jailed for 12 months after he admitted committing an act which outraged public decency. His barrister said Hoyle had no memory of the incident because of his drunken state, but was now very remorseful and incredibly embarrassed.

Jailing him, Judge Alistair McCallum told Hoyle "Never before in my time at the bar or on the bench have I ever had to deal with somebody who voluntarily allowed himself to be b*ggered by a dog on the public highway. Frankly it is beyond most of our comprehension. It is an absolutely disgusting thing for members of the public to have to witness."

DOCTOR LURVES CASEBOOK

MEDICAL RECORDS.

The following quotes were taken from actual medical records as dictated by physicians:

- By the time he was admitted, his rapid heart had stopped, and he was feeling better.
- Patient has chest pain if she lies on her left side for over a year.
- On the second day the knee was better and on the third day it had completely disappeared.
- She has had no rigors or shaking chills, but her husband states she was very hot in bed last night.
- The patient has been depressed ever since she began seeing me in 1983.
- Patient was released to outpatient department without dressing.
- I have suggested that he loosens his pants before standing, and then, when he stands with the help of his wife, they should fall to the floor.
- The patient is tearful and crying constantly. She also appears to be depressed.
- Discharge status: Alive but without permission.
- The patient will need disposition, and therefore we will get Dr. Blank to dispose of him.
- Healthy appearing decrepit 69 year-old male, mentally alert but forgetful.
- The patient refused an autopsy.
- The patient has no past history of suicides.
- The patient expired on the floor uneventfully.
- Patient has left his white blood cells at another hospital.
- The patient's past medical history has been remarkably insignificant with only a 40-pound weight gain in the past three days.
- She slipped on the ice and apparently her legs went in separate directions in early December.
- The patient experienced sudden onset of severe shortness of breath with a picture of acute pulmonary edema at home while having sex, which gradually deteriorated in the emergency room.
- The patient had waffles for breakfast and anorexia for lunch.
- Between you and me, we ought to be able to get this lady pregnant.
- The patient was in his usual state of good health until his airplane ran out of gas and crashed.
- Since she can't get pregnant with her husband, I thought you would like to work her up.
- She is numb from her toes down.
- While in the ER, she was examined, X-rated and sent home.
- The skin was moist and dry.
- Occasional, constant, infrequent headaches.
- Coming from Detroit, this man has no children.
- Patient was alert and unresponsive.
- When she fainted, her eyes rolled around the room.

Man goes to his GP with a peanut stuck in his left ear.
 "What can I do to get it out?" he asks pathetically.
 "Pour warm chocolate in the right ear and tilt your head" replies the Doc. "How the bloody hell will that help?"
 "Easy", replies the Doc, "Next time you have a crap it'll come out a treat"

Patient : Doctor, you've got to help me. Every night I get the urge to go downstairs and stick my dick into the biscuit tin. Do you know what's wrong with me?

Doctor : Yes ... 'you're fucking crackers.'

"Doctor, I can't pronounce my F's T's and H's"

"Well, you can't say fairer than that then!"

With the introduction of Viagra to fix a perennial male problem, a famous British pharmaceutical company is working to redress the balance...

MIRRORCILLIN - A 5cc dose enables a woman to walk past mirrors for up to four hours without pausing once.

STOPPANAGGIN - Gives women a vague feeling of contentment towards their spouse/boyfriend.

COSMOPOLIRA - Doubles female intelligence, allowing 'facts' in trash lifestyle magazines to be disputed.

LOGICON - Trials showed that females taking this were able to follow a proposition through to its logical conclusion, and argue effectively without being diverted into non relevant postulates such as 'you don't love me anymore'.

PARKATRON - 72% of women taking this were able to safely reverse park a Ford Fiesta into a space only 12 meters long; 54% achieved this in under 15 minutes.

MAGNATAACK - Uniquely distorts the cornea, making certain shapes appear much larger than in reality - no practical use for this drug has yet been found.

WARDROBIA - Clinical trials show that almost 23% of women taking this drug can safely walk past a sale notice, and an amazing 42% stayed within their credit limit.

BEERINTULIN - Engenders a female desire to bring her spouse/boyfriend alcoholic beverages and snacks during televised sports.

Dream on...

An 84 year-old man, married to a 24 year old, visits his doctor for a check-up and proudly announces that they are expecting a baby. The doctor said, "Let me tell you a story: There was a man going on a safari in Kenya. He woke up in the morning and, being scatter-brained took his umbrella instead of his rifle on safari. Out in the wild he faced a lion - he lifted his umbrella and shot the lion". "Impossible!" replied the old man, "Someone must have been shooting from the side!"

"Exactly," said the doctor.

An Irish bloke goes to the doctor

"Dactor, it's me ahrse. I'd loik ya ta teyhk a look, if ya woot".

So the doctor gets him to drop his pants and takes a look.

"Incredible" he says, "there is a £20 note lodged up here"

Tentatively he eases the twenty out of the man's bottom, and then a £10 note appears. "This is amazing" exclaims the Doctor. "What do you want me to do?"

"Well fur gadness sake teyhk it out man," shrieks the patient.

The doctor pulls out the tenner and another twenty appears, and another and another etc... Finally the last note comes out and no more appear.

"Ah Dactor, tank ya koindly, dat's moch batter, how moch is dare den?"

The Doctor counts the pile of cash. "£1990 exactly."

"Ah, dat'd be roit amount. I knew I wasn't feeling two grand."

Five surgeons are taking a coffee break. The first surgeon says: "Accountants are the best to operate on because when you open them up, everything inside is numbered."

The second surgeon says: "Nah, librarians are the best. Everything inside is in alphabetical order."

The third surgeon responds: "Try electricians, man! Everything inside them is colour-coded like the wires they connect"

The fourth surgeon intercedes: "I like engineers. They always understand when you have a few parts left over at the end..."

Lastly, the fifth surgeon, quietly listening to the conversations of the other surgeons, says: "You're all wrong! Lawyers are by far the easiest to operate on. There's no guts, no heart, no spine, and their head and butt are interchangeable."

TO A PENIS by Rabbie Burns (It's got to be read with a Scottish accent)

Puir wee saft an' flabby Penis,
A wheen O' pleasure you hae gien us.
An hour or twa ago, puir thing,
Ye made a lassie's gled hert sing,
For then ye stuck oot firm and prood,
An' put Jean Armour in the mood.

She doted on the love ye geid,
An lost wi' glee her maidenhead.
Her comely thighs, her erse sae braw,
Did answe mother natures ca'.
She squirmit liek a trimlin' jelly,
As ye went scuddin' up her belly.

Fu' prood she wis o' hard worked penis:
an' hoo ye jerked sae weel between us;
She lay there, gigglin' wi' pleasure;
Lie doon and rest - ye've earned yer leisure.
For Ye geid a' tae satisfy
The urgent need o' Jean and I.
Still ye did a guid nights work;
Ye did yer duty, didnae shirk.

Noo wee thing ye lok sae sad,
You're just nae use tae Rabbie lad,
Ye're wabbit oot an' saft as butter -
But hoo ye made Jean Armour splutter.

An' as I slowly puff my pipe
Ye look just like some wrinkled tripe.
Noo ma Bonnie Jeans gang hame,
Tae hing her heid in sorry shame.
Ye ken gie weel ye did her wrang -
I kept ye in her far too lang,
An' noo we'll hae tae wait an' see
If Jean will hae a pregnancy.

Oh weel, we a' men, we tak oor chances,
Let's saunter doon tae Poosie Nansy's,
An' when I've had a dram or twa
I'll let you piss agin' the wa.
Maybe ye'll pardon my abuses
I realise ye've ither uses.

TAMS MUCKLE TURD.

Intae the wids amongst the trees.
Tam bared his erse, his cheeks to ease.
Nae sinner hud his breeks gan doon.
Than shitty flees were swarming roon.
Intae the wind he bared his baws
and from his erse a big keech faws.
The reek it curled amongst the trees.
'twis enough tae make the birdies sneeze.
An' a' the bees on bended knees,
Got sick a fricht O' Tams big erse.
Big Tam wis in awfy pain.

It came oot his erse like a nine pund wean.
Thur wis a tear faw fi' his eee
For a bigger shite you'd never see.
Big Tams erse wis raw an sair.
Says big Tam I'll shite nae mair.
Yonder it lay amongst the grit.
A dirty stinkin' muckle shit.
Yonder it lay si saft, si fresh.
Nae een, nae teeth, nae bains, nae flesh.
I swear it never drew a breath.
Tams Muckle Turd.

Windows 98 - Scottish version

It has come to our attention that a few copies of the Glasgow edition of Windows 98 may have accidentally been shipped outside Glasgow. If you have one of the Glasgow editions you may need some help understanding the commands. The Glasgow edition may be recognised by looking at the opening screen. It reads Windaes 98 with a background flag of a Buckfast bottle superimposed on a Clydebank flag. It is shipped with a Buckfast screen saver.

Also note:-

- The Recycle Bin is labelled Oot tae fuck
- Dialup Networking is called Ma Mates
- Control Panel is How Tae Fuck Aboot wi the Settins
- Hard Drive is referred to as Big Disk
- Floppies are known as Them Wee Plastic Bastards

Other features:

OK = its aww-right
cancel = fuck off
yes = aye
no = nay fuckin' chance
find = get it yer fuckin' sel'
go to = orr therr
help = ah cannae dae it
stop = gie's fuckin' peace
start = fuckin' move
settings = settins
programs = stuff at does stuff
personal folder = ma shit

Also note that Windaes 98 does not recognise capital letters or punctuation marks.

Some programs that are exclusive to Windaes 98:

tiperiter = a word processor
culler in book = a graphics program
addin mershene = calculator
scratch paper = notepad (usually unused)
pikchers = graphics
viewersounds = CD player
dole moneu = M/S accounting software
Sellik = a spreadsheet of Celtic F.C.'s recent scores
Bevy = local off-licences by area code and price of Tennents Super
Tax records = usually an empty file
Kappa tracksuit inventory (usually 3 megabyte file)

We regret any inconvenience it may have caused you if you received a copy of the Glasgow edition. You may return it to Microsoft for a replacement version.

God would like to thank you for your belief and patronage. In order to better serve your needs, He asks that you take a few moments to answer the following questions. Please keep in mind that your responses will be kept completely confidential, and that you need not disclose your name or address unless you prefer a direct response to comments or suggestions.

1. How did you find out about your Deity?
- ☐ Newspaper
 - ☐ Bible
 - ☐ Torah
 - ☐ Book of Mormon
 - ☐ Koran
 - ☐ Divine inspiration
 - ☐ Dead Sea Scrolls
 - ☐ My mama done tol' me
 - ☐ Near-death experience
 - ☐ Near-life experience
 - ☐ National Public Radio
 - ☐ Tabloid
 - ☐ Burning shrubbery
 - ☐ Other (specify): _____

2. Which model Deity did you acquire?
- ☐ Yahweh
 - ☐ Father, Son & Holy Ghost [Trinity Pak]
 - ☐ Jehovah
 - ☐ Jesus
 - ☐ Krishna
 - ☐ Zeus and entourage [Olympus Pak]
 - ☐ Odin and entourage [Valhalla Pak]
 - ☐ Allah
 - ☐ Satan
 - ☐ Gaia/Mother Earth/Mother Nature
 - ☐ God 1.0a (hairy thunderer)
 - ☐ God 1.0b (cosmic muffin)
 - ☐ None of the above; I was taken in by a false god

3. Did your God come to you undamaged, with all parts in good working order and with no obvious breakage or missing attributes?
- ☐ Yes
 - ☐ No

If no, please describe the problems you initially encountered here. Please indicate all that apply:

- ☐ Not eternal
- ☐ Finite in space/Does not occupy or inhabit the entire universe
- ☐ Not omniscient
- ☐ Not omnipotent
- ☐ Not infinitely plastic (incapable of being all things to all creations)
- ☐ Permits sex outside of marriage
- ☐ Permits bad things to happen to good people
- ☐ When beseeched, doesn't stay beseeched
- ☐ Requires burnt offerings
- ☐ Requires virgin sacrifices
- ☐ Plays dice with the universe

4. What factors were relevant in your decision to acquire a Deity? Please check all

- that apply.
- ☐ Indoctrinated by parents
 - ☐ Needed a reason to live
 - ☐ Indoctrinated by society
 - ☐ Needed focus in whom to despise
 - ☐ Imaginary friend grew up
 - ☐ Graduated from the tooth fairy
 - ☐ Hate to think for myself
 - ☐ Wanted to meet girls/boys
 - ☐ Fear of death
 - ☐ Wanted to piss off parents
 - ☐ Needed a day away from work
 - ☐ Desperate need for certainty
 - ☐ Like organ music
 - ☐ Need to feel morally superior
 - ☐ My shrubbery caught fire and told me to do it

5. Have you ever worshipped a Deity before? If so, which false god were you fooled by? Please check all that apply.

- ☐ Mick Jagger
- ☐ Rajanish
- ☐ Baal
- ☐ The almighty dollar
- ☐ Bill Gates
- ☐ Left-wing liberalism
- ☐ The radical right
- ☐ Ra
- ☐ Beelzebub
- ☐ Portslade Hedgehoppers
- ☐ The Great Spirit
- ☐ The Great Pumpkin
- ☐ The sun
- ☐ Elvis
- ☐ Cindy Crawford
- ☐ The moon
- ☐ TV news
- ☐ Other: _____

6. Are you currently using any other source of inspiration in addition to God? Please check all that apply.

- ☐ Tarot
- ☐ Lottery
- ☐ Astrology
- ☐ Television
- ☐ Fortune cookies
- ☐ Cliff Richard
- ☐ Psychic Friends Network
- ☐ Dianetics
- ☐ Palmistry
- ☐ Playboy and/or Playgirl
- ☐ Self-help books
- ☐ Sex, drugs, rock and roll
- ☐ Biorhythms
- ☐ Alcohol
- ☐ Tony Blair
- ☐ Tea leaves
- ☐ EST

- ☐ CompuServe
- ☐ Mantras
- ☐ Bart Simpson
- ☐ Crystals
- ☐ Crystal Gayle
- ☐ Human sacrifice
- ☐ Pyramids
- ☐ Wandering in a desert
- ☐ Hash
- ☐ Other: _____

7. God employs a limited degree of divine intervention to preserve the balanced level of felt presence and blind faith. Which would you prefer (circle one)?

- a. More divine intervention
- b. Less divine intervention
- c. Current level of divine intervention is just right
- d. Don't know...what's divine intervention?

8. God also attempts to maintain a balanced level of disasters and miracles. Please rate on a scale of 1 - 5 his handling of the following (1=unsatisfactory, 5=excellent):

Disasters:

- 1 2 3 4 5 flood
- 1 2 3 4 5 famine
- 1 2 3 4 5 earthquake
- 1 2 3 4 5 war
- 1 2 3 4 5 pestilence
- 1 2 3 4 5 plague
- 1 2 3 4 5 spam
- 1 2 3 4 5 AOL

Miracles:

- 1 2 3 4 5 rescues
- 1 2 3 4 5 spontaneous remissions
- 1 2 3 4 5 stars hovering over jerkwater towns
- 1 2 3 4 5 crying statues
- 1 2 3 4 5 water changing to wine
- 1 2 3 4 5 walking on water
- 1 2 3 4 5 VCRs that set their own clocks
- 1 2 3 4 5 Saddam Hussein still alive
- 1 2 3 4 5 getting any sex whatsoever

9. Do you have any additional comments or suggestions for improving the quality of God's services? (Attach an additional sheet if necessary.)

If you are able to complete the questionnaire and return it to one of our conveniently located drop-off boxes by May 15 you will be entered in the One Free Miracle of Your Choice draw (chances of winning are approximately one in 6.023×10 to the 23d power, depending on number of beings entered.)