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THE ATHENIAN

CWRU'S "Ghetto Fabulous" Lampoon



Still Pimpin' After Two Zany Issues!!!

A Word From the Editor:

Yo V.I.P., lets kick it!

Alright stop, collaberate and listen,
Ice is back with my brand new invention,
Something, grabs a hold of me tightly,
Then I flow like a harpoon daily and nightly,
Will it ever stop? Yo I don't know,
Turn off the lights, and I'll glow,
To the extreme, I rock da mic like a vandal,
Light up the stage and wax a chump like a candal,
Dance, bum rush the speaker that booms,
I'm killin' your brain like a poisonous mushroom,
Deadly, when I play a dope melody,
Anything less than the best is a felony,
Love it, believe it, you bet I can't wait,
You better hit bull's eye, the kid don't play,
If there was a problem, Yo! I'll solve it,
Check out the hook while my DJ revolves it!

Peace Out
Da Editor

A Word From the Rest of the Athenian Staff:

We apologize for our editor. He is an idiot. He is not Vanilla Ice, nor is he funny. He's just another suburbanite, middle-class introvert, who has nothing better to do with his time than to sit in his room in front of his computer, ghetto bumpin' to Another Bad Creation. We really don't like him, we just hang out with him because he has a Playstation 2.

As you might have noticed, this issue of The Athenian is a little bit shorter than the previous two. Part of it is because we are lazy bitches, who sat around all summer watching Porky's over and over again on Comedy Central. The other reason which we decided to cut the issue short is so that we can afford to make the Athenian MONTHLY. Thant's right folks, The Athenian is going big-time, MONTHLY. That means this wackiness is comin' at your pimply, pickle-puss every month.

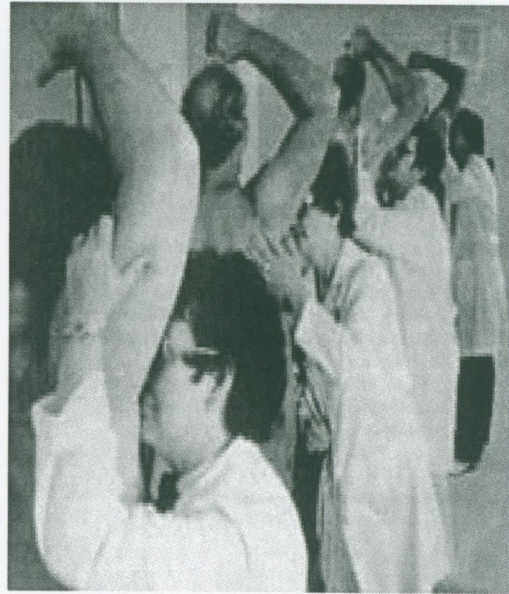
So now that we've done something good for YOU, you can do something for US. No, no, no, pick up your pants! We're not THAT desperate. What we ARE looking for are funny people. If you think you are funny enough to write for us, do it. We are always looking for contributions. Got something to say? Get it on paper. What can be a better way to relieve stressful situations than making fun of them? If you want to contact us, whether it's to complain about our tasteful humor (really it is, isn't it?), or if its to become part of our staff you can contact us at:

cwru_athenian@hotmail.com

The Athenian is an anonymous publication for many reasons. First of all, our staff really would appreciate not being beat up because someone couldn't take a joke. Also,

we have so much material coming from so many different sources, we decided to not highlight everytime someone sent us something funny. This is a fun mag to put together is intended purely for enjoyment. So if you happen to be a tad uptight, and tend to take everything seriously, you can close the magazine now. Everyone else though can go right on ahead reading. Don't you uppity bastards seem like weenies now. Well, till next time, we look forward to hearing from y'all, and keep it tuh-real.

Ice Ice Baby,
The Rest of the Athenian Staff



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The staff of this publication chooses to be anonymous because some people take stuff too seriously.

WORLD BEAT:

(The News Proving Once Again That We Are Not the Only Idiots)

Queen Mum Picks a 'Winner'

Figurehead Enjoys the Sweet Taste of Success

Ancient News From February

London, England-

The Queen of England, the only hump-able English chick outside of Elizabeth Hurley, excited over the "enjoyable and productive" February meeting between British Prime Minister Tony Blair and Mommy's Little Cowboy, Dubya, had only the best things to say. When asked about her feelings on the proceedings that took place in February, she vibrantly announced:

"Yummy!!! This one tastes like one of those Sour Patch Kids candies. Who the hell said that British food sucks?"

She also informed us that "You really have to dig deep for one of the slimy ones...but its soooooooooo worth it!"



Another Tragic "Doobie"-ous Death

Jamaican Scientists Baffled As Another Smokes
Away His Nine Lives

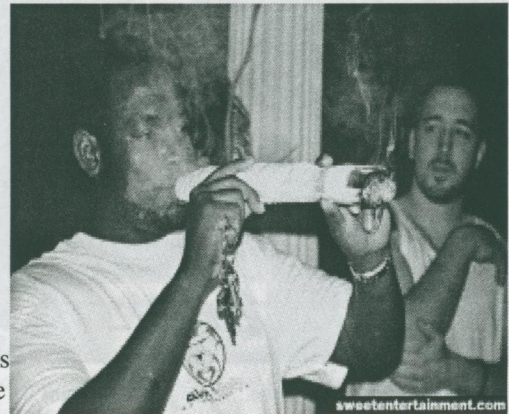
Another upsetting death has taken place, as the latest drug craze spreads like wildfire through the streets of Jamaica, creeping its way towards America. A young man was found naked outside of a local night club, dead, holding only what appeared to be a large, half-smoked joint known as a "Kitty" in his right hand. The slang for this new smoked drug comes straight from its main ingredient, a stray feline. It appears that this new breed of Rastafarians have been luring stray cats into their homes, where they eventually are cornered, wrapped in newspaper, and smoked until there is nothing left but a pile of ashes. Many say that "Kitty-Puffin" "as it is called, is one of the safest ways to get high since the invention of super glue. Yet so far, there have been a reported twenty-seven "Kitty-Puffin" "related deaths in the past two weeks!

"Maybe it's the smoke caused by the yucky cat fur," explained scientist Tootie McKrakin, "or maybe its when the user swallows the feline's skeletal system. Either way 'Kitty Puffin' ' is killing these people, and it needs to be stopped before it reaches the U.S."

"But," comments one man on the street smoking a kitty, "At least we be dyin' wit a smile!!!"

Felines around the U.S., including the likes of Garfield, Tony the Tiger, Mr. Bigglesworth and Toonces the Driving Cat, have met in a coalition to help ban the likes of "Kitty Puffin" " in America.

Congress had no comment on the situation, but comedian Carrot Top was quite verbal on the topic. We stopped that REAL quick.



"Meeewtch...dis kitty be da shiznit ja hear me?"



" 'Kitty-Puffin' '??? Not in MY house!!!"

Sports Flasher:

Montreal Expos Genetically Engineer Japanese Ballplayer To Draw A Crowd

Somewhere in Dumb Ole Canada

With millions of people flocking to Safeco fields in Seattle to see Asian baseball freak accident Ichiro Suzuki, the Montreal Expos tried everything in their power to get at least a few hundred fans in the stands. But last week, the Expos coaching staff along with world-reknown genetic engineer Dr. Bob Weottababyitzaboy created the world's first genetically engineered sumo wrestling baseball player. His name is Ichiban Mitsubishi. Currently half of the Expos' pitching staff have been reported missing as well as Montreal's mascot Youppi. When asked about the disappearance of the Expos' generic wannabe mascot, Mitsubishi commented, "Me likey baseball." The Expos have yet to gain any fans whatsoever.



Mitsubishi: "Mmmm...fiiingers...mmmm"

BREAKING SPORTS NEWS!!!

Michael Jordan Is Planning To "Un"Retire Wait. Whoops! No he's not. Forget this headline. Hold on a minute! He IS coming out of retirement!!! Damn! Our bad. He's still thinking about it. YES!!! HE IS!!! HE IS COMING OUT OF RETIREMENT! GET OUT ALL OF YOUR "AIR JORDAN" PARAPHENALIA. #23 BACK ON THE MAP!!!!!! Suckers! Did you really think we were serious? I mean really, Jordan still makes more money with those stupid Ball Park hot dog commercials than you will in your life. Why would he bust his hump to come back. For the love of the game!?!?!?!? What a riot!

Come to the Michael Irvin

Superstore...Everything's On Sale!!

Dallas Wide Receiver Michael Irvin Needs more cocaine!!! So he's slashing all his prices in HALF!!! That's right...EVERYTHING'S

50% off

So come on down to the Michael Irvin Superstore...If you don't shop here, you're on CRACK!!!



Irvin: Workin' it like a mofo

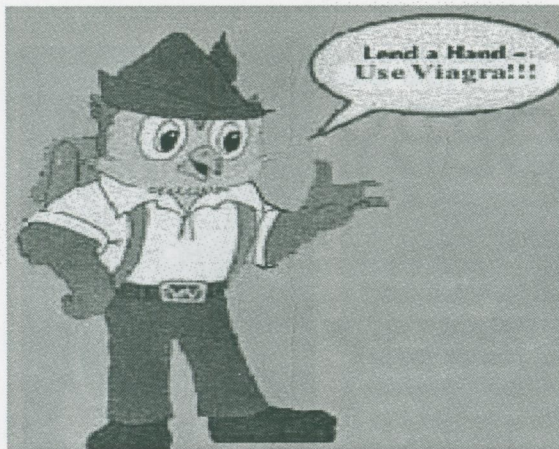
Lakers' Kobe Bryant to Start Production on New Clothing Line

Los Angeles

Since everyone else is trying it, why not NBA superstar Kobe Bryant? Bryant has just announced his intentions to release a new clothing line, each piece sporting his likeness. Kobe hoped that his "Poorer Than a Mofo" line will be popular with all ethnic groups, especially the "Middleclass, yuppie wannabe trendies that like to walk around with their asses hanging out of their Fubu cargo pants." Competetors, such as Fubu and Phat Farm, aren't intimidated by this L.A. competition. When asked about the new line of Kobe-wear, Phat Farm CEO Dionte Jackson snapped "Phuckum!" and leaped into his Benzo.



Bryant(left)vs Jackson(right) in the ghetto clothing battle.



"I have a slight problem. Its called ED. Yep. You heard correct. I have trouble getting my Peter up, but it doesn't have to be that way. Viagra has given me a spring in my step and more hump in my stump. My life has changed for the better. Thank you, Viagra."

-Woody

...And now a message from Cletus:



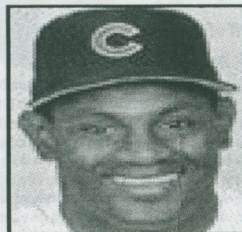
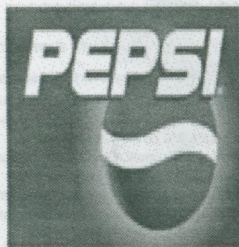
Catch Jerry Springer, everyday!!! Your trailer may depend on it!!!

Underage Drinking Is Becoming a Major Problem in this Country.

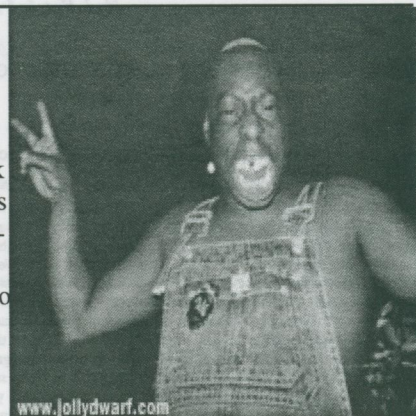


Above: These kids duped a local liquor store owner with their fake IDs. Here is a picture of them shitfaced.

"Hi, I'n Sanny Sosa and I'n tellim you to take dee Pessi challenge. Don't dee pessi taste bettah than dee Coke."



Two Fo' Da Price Of One At Jimmy's Ass-Crack Crab Cafe'. See Us In Yo' Local News-Paper. If it Ain't Jimmy's It Ain't No Crab!!!

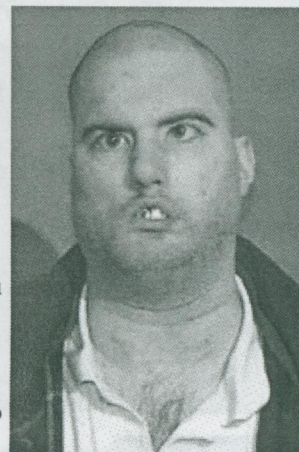


...and now its time for

ASK UNKEL KNOBBY

Hi Boys and Gurls,

I hope evrywun is doin good today. I'm Unkel Knobby and I is hear to help you with your problums becuz I hve problums too and I no how to deal with them. You shulld lissen to me cuz I'm smart and i no how to help peepol. But dont ask me stuff about giraffes or zebras cuz I dont no all of that smart science stuff. But if you have a problum with your nosy neighbor or opening a can of tuna, I can help owt cuz I'm REEELLY smart. Hear are some letters I have gotten in the mail. i wuz reelly happy to get mail, cuz I dont get alot of mail unless somewunn sends me mail to ask a question, but no one ever realizes how smart I am until you ask me so write to me kids!!!



Dear Unkel Knobby,

I have to admit I am kind of a loser. I sit in front of my television all day and sleep. I'm kind of lonely because I don't have a girlfriend. I wish I did, but I'm really shy around girls and I usually make a fool of myself. I was wondering if you could give me a few pointers on how to hook up with a nice chick. Thanx alot

B. I. Glaser

Aww shucks B.I., I like gurrrrrrrrrrls. Theys so pretti and they smell like dandilions. When I think of gurrlls I think of this time when I ate a cracker with no milk and stayed up till two o clock watching Care Bears. Wun time I went in my neighbors back yard and tied myself to his swingset. He thot it was funny and so did I until I had to go potty. I don't like macaroni and cheez becuz it smells like toothpaste. But you know whut. You shuld try a bowl of creamy Campbell's* Tomato Soup.

Unkel Knobby,

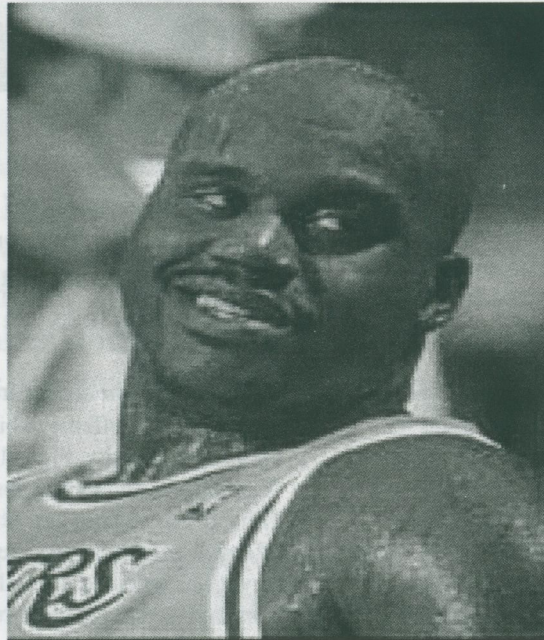
I have this recurring dream where I am drowning in the ocean while the rest of my family sits and laughs. I think it comes from when I was a child and my father used to throw beer cans at my head then make me sleep in the dog house outside. I was very traumatized as a child and sometimes I use my fear as a crutch. Yet when I do that, my dreams return and I am constantly tormented. How do I go about putting the past behind me and picking up the pieces of the rest of my life so that I may finally live healthily?

Red Headed Stepchild

That is simul, Red. Eat a delicious bowl of yummy, tasty, always good Campbell's* Tomato Soup.

Unkel Knobby is not a professional therapist. He is actually just some guy we picked up off of the streets cuz he said that he would clean our dorm rooms if we gave him something to eat. So we said yes, then we asked him to write for us. We think he's a nice guy, even if he is a leper. *Unkel Knobby is no way associated with the Campbell's Soup organization. Don not ask. We do not know why he wants you to eat Campbell's Tomato soup. Maybe you should try Chicken Noodle, or maybe Cream of Broccoli. Have you ever wanted to buy a chicken and then stuff it with toys. Then you could hit it with a stick. It would be like a chicken pinata. Yeah a chicken pinata!!! We'd make millions!!! The beat-it-before-you-cook-it children's toy!!! Man we are friggin' geniuses. I bet you never thought of that! Or what about stuffing a chicken with chocolate bars then smothering it with peanut butter. It'd be the world famous Athenian dessert chicken!!! Where do we come up with this stuff? We could be friggin millionaires with these ideas but we are sitting here writing this magazine for your enjoyment. God I hope you are laughing because if you are not laughing now, then why do we even write this stupid thing. I wonder what it would be like if elephants could talk? Would it be like Dumbo? Maybe then we could know for sure if Elephants ever forget, or if elephants really do like peanuts. I bet they don't. You know what I think elephants really like to eat? Penguins. Big fat penguins! The only reason that elephants don't eat penguins on a regular basis is because penguins live in cold climates while elephants live in hot ones. But now you know why you never see elephant cages next to the penguin house. If the two cages were put next to each other in the zoo, all of the elephants would eat the penguins. Then Bud Light wouldn't have any of those silly penguins to go on your television and sing "Doobie Doobie Doo". Isn't that a shame! The exploitation of penguins should really be illegal in this country. Penguins are a member of society and shouldn't have to try to push alcoholic beverages to make a couple bucks in the world. I mean what is the world coming to? When beer has to be sold by penguins. If penguins ruled the world, would we be selling beer? Damn straight we would because penguins are mean mothers! Yeah, don't let their innocent eyes deceive you. They'd kill you quicker than you could say "Hi my name is George". Unfortunately they do not have any hands or else they would be able to hold guns. And when penguins can hold guns you know that we are in trouble. The apocalypse will arise the day penguins can hold guns. Hide your children now!!! The day grows near!!! BEWARE!!! BEWARE!!!

A Public Service Announcement From Shaq

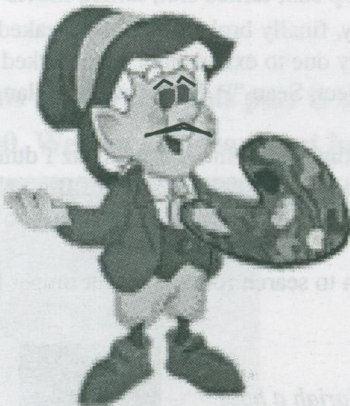


"I'm over seven feet tall, wit a size twenty shoes. I gots more championship rings
than yo mama. I spits raps harder than a mofo, and I eat babies....

I WILL KILL YOU!!!

_Oh yeah, and don't do drugs.

Paid for by the "Shaq Against Your Druggie-Ass Campaign"



"Come to the Darkside my children!
I the Keebler Elf command you to dunk
your cookies in milk untill they crumble at
your fingertips. Only then shall you be a
Pokemon master!!!"

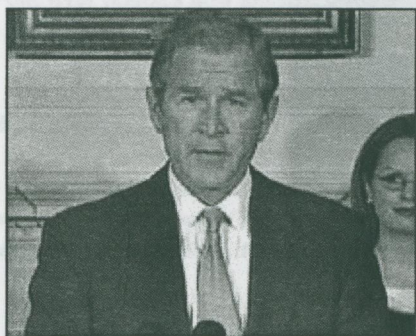
Paid for by the Keebler Elves vs. Stupid College Kids Who Play Pokemon

IN OTHER NEWS:

President Bush Takes Stance On Stem Cell Research, Scientists Dumbfounded

Shocking news came from our Commander in Chief this August as he finally shared his thoughts on the use of human stem cells for genetic research. When asked his views on stem cells, he replied "Well of course I like stem cells. How could there be trees if stems didn't have no cells?"

As the media sat there stunned by the president's statement, he added "The only thing I wanna know, is how these scientists are gonna make peoples out of a tree?" Somehow Pauly Shore was blamed for the entire incident, and was later attacked by half a dozen cloned "Mini-Dubyas".



President Bush: "Might I suggest the hot pockets. They're breath-taking"

A Public Service Announcement Brought to You By The Athenian:

Attention readers, we would just like you to know that imitating Austin Powers is no longer funny. The next person who walks by a staff member and utters any of the following phrases: "Yeaaaah Baby", "Do I Make You Horny Baybee?", or the use of the name Mini-Me, will be beaten severely. We have noticed the use of "Mini-Dubyas" in the previous article and the writer responsible has been taken care of. Luckily, the doctor says he may be able to talk again, but unfortunately he can no longer have children.

We'd also like to remind you that imitating SNL's Celebrity Jeopardy will no longer be tolerated either. We here at the Athenian, strongly urge you to find humor in the simple things in life. Pick up a textbook for example, that's funny. Or try sitting on campus, watching people walk by. If you don't see something tht makes you laugh, you're probably being laughed at!!!



above: One of the many offensive billboards residents have complained about

War In Cleveland Suburb Over Offensive Billboards

In a suburb not to far from Cleveland, residents are in an uproar over offensive billboards that have begun to pop up all over the city. Signs like "Pork. The One You Love", "Come Here and Get Crabs", and "Don't You Think It's Time To Buy a Gun and Shoot Your Family?" have offended neighbors and they are fighting back. The local mayor has received several complaints, and has asked the companies responsible to remove the signs. The companies, however, are reluctant to follow orders.

"I don't think these billboards are offensive," said Joe Bloom, manager at Wal-Mart, responsible for the "...Time to Buy a Gun..." billboard, "Now if the sign said 'Don't You Think It's Time To Buy a Gun and Shoot Your Family and Urinate on the Bodies?' then I'd find it offensive. But the sign as it is, c'mon, its as innocent as those stupid cellular phone signs with Faith Hill."

The rest of the country didn't care.

Mariah Carey Suffers Nervous Breakdown, P. Diddy Just Laughs At Da Hoe

In California, Pop star, turned slut, turned movie actress, Mariah Carey, finally broke down and freaked out in August, supposedly due to exhaustion. When asked by reporters, hip-hop reject, Sean "P. Diddy" Combs, laughed at the situation.

"She ain't no exhaustion. She just mad cuz I dumped her ass fo J Lo. If I didn't capitalitalize off of Biggie's death, she ain't gonna be no pop star hoe! Bad Boy fo' life!"

Puffy then went on to search for another fat rapper to leech off of.



Mariah a hoe?
P. Diddy says so!!!



Abercrombie & Fitch

Ripping Off Preppy Kids Since 1892

Jonny used be a loser. It all changed when he walked into our store. Now Jonny is a loser with bad credit, no future, AIDS, a nasty heroin addiction, 12 kids, abysmal alimony payments, and a pidgin for a ex-wife. In fact, just last week, they foreclosed on his trailer. Jonny had to delve into his children's college fund to continue buying our overpriced clothes. But you know what. He looks good in them.....

.....so next time you stop by our store, make sure you bring what's left of your life savings.

SALE ON ALL CARGOS!

The more pairs you buy, the less you save, ya stupid dupes! Yeah you, biyatch.

1st Pair - \$200.00

2nd Pair - \$300.00

3rd Pair* - \$ 1,000.00

* This means that this pair is missing one pant leg. The missing pant leg costs an additional \$5,000. We can also work out loan payments if you are unable to pay up front.



A&F Clothing is endorsed by Jon Secada and this old lady.



CWRU NEWS:

(The Stuff That Other Campus Paper Doesn't Want You To Know)

Leper Squirrels Invade Campus, God Fearing Students Witness The Sign Of The Apocalypse!!!

With the school year in full force this month, odd signs of the world's demise have been popping up all over campus. First it was the horrendous construction of the metal massacre, the new Weatherhead building. Then as emotions cooled, another gruesome sight appeared around campus. The Leper Squirrel.

"It started off as one last semester," commented one student who wished to remain anonymous, "This ugly squirrel just came up to me and stole my lunch. The next week I saw three leper squirrels running around in the quad."

These creatures have been called leper squirrels by students mainly because of the patches of fur that grow randomly on their body. There is also a lack of fur on the creatures tails, giving them a rat-like appearance. This month however, these squirrels have been attacking students like crazy, leaving the helpless victims without their lunches and sometimes without body parts.

"I just offered the one squirrel a bite of my sandwich," whined one victim, "And then a swarm of these devil spawn jumped up and bit me. Luckily I still have three fingers left or I couldn't take my Organic Chemistry test tomorrow!"

All religions have deemed this appearance of leper squirrels the seventh sign of the apocalypse, and have declared this an emergency situation.

"These squirrels are the work of the devil!!!" Cried one crying student, limping around on one leg, waving his handless stubs around in the air, "Kill those bastards!!!"

We here at the Athenian are very scared of these damn dirty squirrels, but we ask you to be careful at night. And if you are walking alone and see a group of cute squirrels dancing around, looking for a nut, don't give them your sandwich. Life is too important! The world is coming to an end. Soon sports stars will be making millions of dollars to do commercials for tennis shoes, and television actors will be asking for a million dollars and episode. The world is coming to an end and all you can do is read this friggin' magazine!!! Get out!!! Get out now! The squirrels are here, and they're after you!!! THEY WANT YOUR SOUL!!!



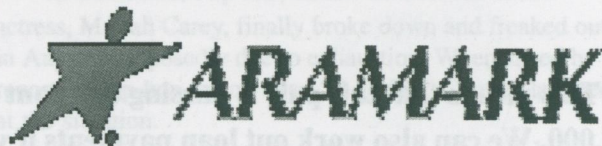
We couldn't get close enough to take a picture of the Leper Squirrels so here's a picture of a monkey!

Out With The Old In With The New: Aramark Takes A Hike

Ding dong, the witch is dead. Which old witch? Aramark of course! After several years of serving Case students, the administration has picked up a new food service. Students, in pure excitement, tossed up their roast sandwich turkey and chunky mashed potatoes. Though many students are concerned about how the quality of food will be this year, the majority are just happy that they may actually receive chicken patty sandwiches made out of REAL, I repeat REAL, chicken!

"I didn't like that spaghetti they made," complained a former freshman, "I hope they got rid of that creepy guy who always looked at me when I ate too!"

Though the writers of the Athenian can't wait to taste what the other food corporation has to offer the student body, we can honestly say that we are truly going to miss the Apple Jack and Cookie Crisp Rice Krispie Treats. When it came to dessert, Aramark wasn't too original, but damn were they good



Aramark, not always popular with the students wasn't asked to come back to campus this year. Maybe it was "Make Your Own Hot Dog Night" that tipped off the administration.

Newsbriefs:

The stuff we just didn't care about writing about but thought you should know anyhow

Fred Durst Has Run-In With a Mother-F**kin' Chainsaw. Loses One Testicle, but is Still Doing Things "My Way".

Carrot Top is Still Not Funny

Junior Engineering Student Collects All Pokemon! Is Honored With Title "CWRU Pokemon Master".

Your Mother Called. She Said Stop It Or You'll Go Blind!

Missing Sock Found In Laundry Room! Residents Are Appalled!!!

Eminem Insults Gays, Jews, Indians, Blacks, Priests, Nuns, Bus Drivers, School Teachers, Asians, Asian School Teachers, Red Necks, Red Neck Asians, Koala Bears, Women, Children, Freaks, Jocks, Nerds, Pansy-Boys, Tom-Boys, and the Guy Who Sticks Fortunes into Fortune Cookies, All With One Breath!!!

Leprachauns Have Been Seen On A Killing Rampage. Fortunately No Blue Moons or Purple Horse Shoes Have Been Injured.

"Star Wars: Episode Two" is Stupid! Watch "Dunston Checks In" Instead!!!

Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse Have Lovechild. Baby Looks Like Goofy. Tempers Flare!

Reynolds Wrap Almost Complete With Construction of the New Business School.

P. Diddy Shoots Three Men and Is Cleared Of All Charges. With A Name Like P. Diddy, Who Could Lose?

Rapper Snoop Dogg to Collaborate With Opera Singer Luciano Pavarotti On New Album : "One Less Tezenor In Da Bistro"

Kung Pao Low On Chicken and High On Peanuts, Study Says

Being "P.C." isn't Politically Correct Anymore. Its Being So Anally Retentive That Everybody Hates You

"My Girlfriend Turned Me Into a Clown-Hating Dope Dealer!"

BEETLEJUICE SAYS: "READ THE ATHENIAN"



**"When I ain't smackin' da hoes, or chillin' wit Howard Stern,
I likes to sit back in my La-Z-Boy and crack open The Athenian. Dats
some serious shiziat! All da peeps should be doin' some drugs!"**

-Beetlejuice

Though we do not agree on everything Beetlejuice has to say, we do agree that everybody should be doing drugs,
there fore we accept the Beetlejuice Seal of Approval.