YOU DON'T KNOW JACKSTEIN!

Greetings, gentle reader. In this first week returning from spring break, I certainly hope

you've all had your fill of cabana boys, hula girls and sunburns. As we do our best to get back into the swing of things here at Virginia Tech, I'd like to remind you all of what it's like to be around this many Jews at the same time. I realize, due to the fact that we usually spend our breaks

counting money or working in television, that the



What, you want you should be skinny?

on the typical vacation. However, we're all

back now, and I thought I would give you all a good dose of Yiddish to really set the mood

> for these last seven weeks. Here goes:

'So, that good little mensch DJ proposed to Kathleen, but Jeremy, being a yenta, told everybody at the dorm before she could spread the news! Boy, I'd like to wash his mouth out with a shmata, that mashugana."

Feeling more at home? I know I am. For other Jewish re-acclimation, I

concentration of Jews is usually not that great suggest a fat slice of challah bread, or perhaps a do-it-yourself circumcision! They have kits

at Wal-Mart for just \$1.25—such a steal! Or, if you're feeling really bored, try to find a good bagel shop in Blacksburg. That ought to keep you busy for the next eternity. Better yet, ask a Jew where the nearest bagel shop is, and you'll get enough good old Yiddish cursing to send all the goys in America running to hide.

Well, that's all I've got for you. Until next time, be sure you're eating enough, wash your hands, and wipe well so you don't get a rash. Mazel toy!

Kathleen Cooperstein is a member of this minority, and starting next week, she will assume the duties of Hillpress Editor-In-Chief.

Four Marines Not Killed in Iraq this Week

BAGHDAD, IRAO (AP) -- Four marines were not killed this week when their Humvee made a patrol in the western town of Haditha. An Iraqi civilian interpreter working with the marines was also not killed. The

commander of the unit claims that this is the 7th week in a row that some of his troops were not killed.

"This sort of thing just happens all the time in Baghdad," said the commander, who wished to remain anonymous. "A lot of the time, stuff like this doesn't even make it into the papers. It's a shame, really, that people don't know what's going on."

Upon hearing the news, Presidential hopeful Senator John McCain (R-Ariz) immediately hailed this as news that his proposed strategy of a troop surge is working, and said good news like this will continue to come out of Iraq as long as the troop surge remains in full force.

"I mean, think about it," said McCain. "If we send a couple thousand more troops over there, then you have to think that there will be platoons, companies, and even entire battalions not killed every week."



Sam Abboud, pictured above, can't decide whether he'd rather be in a war zone this summer, grow up in the desert, or marry Jessica Simpson

In short order, ex-Presidential hopeful Representative Ron Paul (R-Mars) countered with a statement of his own, saying "this is exactly the sort of propaganda that the media loves putting out. There are groups of people all

> over this country who can see right through this. Coincidentally, there are also groups of people all over this country not dying every day. I think we ought to give our troops the option of not dying on American soil."

> Senators Barack Obama (D-IL) and Hillary Clinton (D-NY) were not available for comment, as they were busy calling each other names. A spokesperson for Obama commented that "it's clearly time for a change," at which point the Clinton spokesperson broke out in tears.

Jeremy Henry meant this entirely as a joke, and as long as no one was too offended, then Mission Accomplished.

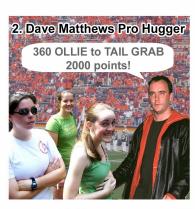






Hillpress Predicts: The Top 6 Video Games of 2008







If Fight of the Day was a video game, David Choquette would like to play as David Gagnon's mom

Hillcrest Sends Diplomatic Musical Consort to Main Campbell in Sign of Good Will

In a stroke of genius, hoping to end the rift between Hillcrest and Main Campbell, Hillcrest recently sent a musical consort, starring Ben the Whistler with special guest Will Satterwhite. After seeing how well the New York Philharmonic Orchestra was received in North Korea, Hillcrest Secretary of State Cas Craven, who is well loved by both communities, planned the musical peace mission.

tour of the nicer parts of Main Campbell, which were few and far between. They were shown the new kitchen, and did not see their lounges, which are significantly lacking. The Whistler and Satterwhite were not shown the residents' rooms, but instead were shown rooms in Harper Hall, and were told that these rooms were like the ones in Main Campbell. But your reporter doubts the validity of these Po-

Upon arriving in Main Campbell, Ben the

Whistler and Will Satterwhite were taken on a

The Whistler opened up his act with the peppy opening from "the Andy Griffith Show," with help from the masterful Satterwhite, which was met with much applause. However, his foray into the

temkin examples.

dodecaphonic genre was somewhat less successful, and the audience failed to realize the musical advancements of the twentieth century. Having been heard once from Peddrew-Yates in Hillcrest, the Whistler was warmly received into Main Campbell and filled the entire dorm with sound. His last piece was a soaring rendition of "Hot Cross Buns." In an encore, the Whistler impressed the crowd with his interpretation of Jimi Hendrix's "Purple Haze". The fearless leader of Main Campbell, Dr. Papillon, did not approve of such hippie music and swiftly concluded the cultural interchange, sending the Whistler and Satterwhite back up the hill at a running pace.



Main Campbellians rejoiced at the chance to see the musical talents of Hillcrest, and were saddened to see the western world depart. Hillcrest hopes that more of these cultural interchanges will bring light and happiness to the dark halls in which these students live.

Kari Adkins is the Whistler's personal agent. For a performance, please find her. Also, if you'd like a prepositional phrase, she has several for sale at a reasonable price.

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