

THIS DAY IN *FLIPSIDE* HISTORY:

1340: FLIPSIDE NARROWLY ESCAPES THE BLACK DEATH

1492: FLIPSIDE HELPS COLUMBUS GET LOST

1501: FLIPSIDE PERFECTS THE CODE OF CHIVALRY

1863: FLIPSIDE COINS THE FIRST PAPER MONEY

1922: FLIPSIDE CREATES THE WORLD IN FIVE TO SEVEN DAYS

1935: FLIPSIDE BROKERS PEACE IN INDOCHINA

1988: FLIPSIDE MOVES THREE POINT LINE BACK TWO FEET

2001: FLIPSIDE LISTENS TO IPOD SHUFFLE

2005: FLIPSIDE UPDATES TO NEWER IPOD CLASSIC



Area Bicyclist "Couldn't Care Less" About High Gas Prices

By Picov Andropov

DEERFIELD, IL – It was the best of times, it was the worst of times. Wait, no, it's just the worst of times. With gas prices pushing four dollars per gallon, consumers have been forced to use the cash stashed under the mattress to keep the car moving. One local man, Steve Goldens, does not share the now common hatred for the oil company. No, he does not work for Mobil. No, he does not own 500 shares in British Petroleum. No, he does not own a car. Yes, he's that annoying guy who rides his bike on the side of the road when he could easily be using the sidewalk.

Bicyclists like Steve

Goldens have become more and more common since gas prices started rising like 70 years ago. The Great Depression led to an exponential increase in the price of oil, even though most people had to sell their cars. The cat food shortage of 1967 established a mass hysteria which ultimately created a rise in gas prices; historians are still trying to figure that one out. But today's local bicyclist chooses to "peddle" instead of "roll with my homies" because of the freedom involved, the freedom to mess with the people in cars by (1) hogging the road (2) using very confusing turn signals and (3) having an excuse to wear spandex. The real answer is simple; Deerfield has



seen an increase in the number of bicyclists because of record highs at the pump.

"I got rid of my car years ago," explained Steve Goldens. "It just didn't make fiscal sense to keep it with the price of gas constantly on the rise. Now that I have the bicycle, I really couldn't care less about gasoline prices or traffic, for that matter. Make that Steve Golden 1, Oil Companies, uh, well like 3 billion I guess."

DHS Student Gets a Perm...Oops



Statue Has Great Form On Follow Through



My K y Do sn't Work!

By P t r Goulard

SACRAM NTO, CA—This always s ms to happ n at th worst tim s! I was just in th middl of writing my A Tal of Two Citi s: R visit d—th classic docum ntation of two diff r nt citi s throughout th ag s, wh n—poof—th darn k y just konk d out.

I was right in th middl of Chapt r Tw nty Two, which happ n d to b about th ann xation of...oh, this is all to hard to say, now that my b lov d k y is brok n. And th trag dy is, th k y was on of my favorit k ys. I dar say I us d him as much, if not mor , than any of my oth r k yboard fri nds. H h ld his d ar old plac on that QW RTY board for y ars and y ars, but I ft m wh n th mom nt was rip .

It is hard to d scribe how it cam to b that my k y w nt away. His button is th r , but now it r sts lik a coffin, b caus wh n I pr ss, h no long r r sponds. It is a sad tim .

COMMUNITY VOICES: POLYGAMY. Mormon Polygamy seems to be causing a few problems in Texas, and many children have been removed from the ranch. What do you think?

Harvey Reed
Stamp Collector
"The thing about Texas is, it's Texas. And they don't play by the same rules down there."



Larry Willings
Gardener
"I used to have four or five wives, but it just got hard to keep track of."



Laurie Bayner
Marketing
"There is a way to spin every issue. This whole ruckus just goes to show what the media can do."



"It's just about time for AP tests, and you know what that means? Time to sharpen pencils." Ken Freed on AP tests.

PICTURE THIS

REBUS PUZZLE:

Can you guess the common word or phrase portrayed below?



Last week's answers: LOOK BOTH WAYS BEFORE YOU CROSS THE STREET, DAY IN AND DAY OUT, EXTENDED FAMILY, TRAVEL OVERSEAS

NUMBERS: 2,399,213

If you spend your entire life counting by integer numbers, starting at zero, this is the number you will end up at. This means, that if you are counting from age 0 to the age of 87, without pausing for eating, drinking, or normal conversation, this is what you will get to.

FACT:

Left-handed people are better at sports that require good spatial judgment and fast reaction, compared to right-handed individuals.

LIE:

The most popular instrument outside of the West Indies is the oboe because it has come to be seen as a sign of wealth and status.

CRYPTOGRAM CHALLENGE

DIRECTIONS: This is a simple substitution code, each letter is replaced by a different letter. The first person to solve the cryptogram correctly will win a Flipside t-shirt! (first means first to see Jeremy Keeshin to redeem shirt)

LAST WEEK'S WINNER: Maggie Johnson

HINT: A=T

that means, that if there is any of the first letter, replace it with the second letter

"AFK REYQB SVQ CQEXM AFK UYIKM, DYA AFK EIT SVQ CQEXM

AFK KPJKGAOEQM."- EIOHKU XKQTKII FEISKM

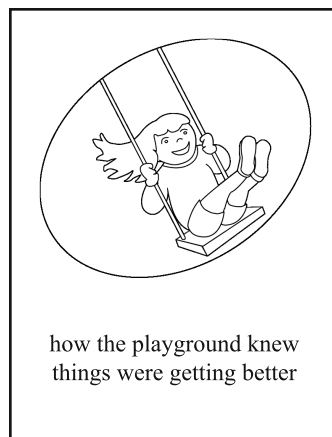
last week: "THE FRAMERS OF THE CONSTITUTION KNEW THAT FREE SPEECH IS THE FRIEND OF CHANGE AND REVOLUTION. BUT THEY ALSO KNEW THAT IT IS ALWAYS THE DEADLIEST ENEMY OF TYRANNY." - HUGO BLACK

SUDOKU

Level: 1 Star

	2		4				7	6
	9			1				4
		4			2	3	8	
		6		7		4		
			1	3	9			
		3		2		7		
	6	2	3			5		
5				4			9	
8	4				7		2	

DIRECTIONS: Unscramble these four ordinary jumbles, and use the letters in the circles to answer the final question.



how the playground knew
things were getting better

HE WAS ON THE

JUMBLE

PEGOR
[] [] [] [] [] []

SLEWD
[] [] [] [] [] []

PLUDGE
[] [] [] [] [] []

WRINTY
[] [] [] [] [] []

[] [] [] [] [] [] [] []

last week: OLDER PRANK UNPACK REALLY where the Monopoly piece kept his vehicle PARK PLACE

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