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Attack!

The Chris Rutzen's Dad's Handwriting Fan Club

GAZETTE

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TYRONE MYSTERY SOLVED!! AWARD VOTING RESULTS!!!

The Chris Rutzen's Dad's Handwriting Fan Club is now ^{over} 2 years old. That seems an unlikely accomplishment for anything % name like that. Indeed, there have been many times during the past 2 years when I've thought that the Club wouldn't last. Time and time again I've thought that the Club's popularity and influence have been dwindling, and each time the issue of the Gazette has come out and has made more of an uproar than the time before. Each time I have forgotten and re-learned the reasons I keep doing this. I love seeing people's faces light up as I hand them their new newsletters; it's a sublime ego-boost hearing people I don't know tell me how wonderful what we do is; and there are not many things more exhilarating and healthy than harmlessly frightening authority figures w/ a healthy bit of controversy. My friends asked me the other day if we would continue the "Say Everything" column or if we had gotten into enough trouble already. "There's never enough trouble," I answered. If I know we're right, and Fans are on our side, it's worth the trouble. All the writers of the Gazette would like to wish all the Fans happy summer months to be convinced that the Club will fall apart before next issue.



Joseph Grim-Feinberg, Jr.
"Say Everything" will continue if people

FAN CLUB NEWS

AWARDS • The votes are in for the 2nd Annual CRDHFC

Awards. Find out if all your favorite fans or dearest enemies won. •

SORRY • Last issue was terribly late (if you can even remember the ^{previous} issue). Sorry. We'll probably never do it again. We just wanted to increase the demand, like success-ridden rock stars. C.R.D. •

MEMBERS • We lost count. • ~ 345 ~ ? •

ARE YOU MOVING? If you won't be at RHS next year and still wish to remain active in the CRDHFC, give us your address or write us a letter. And if you never hear from us again (or vice versa), remember, you will always be a part of the CRDHFC.

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MEMBER of the YEAR!

It was nearly three years ago when President Pat Hu approached Joseph Grim-Feinberg with the fateful query, "Do you want to be vice president?" Without hesitation, Joe replied "yes" and as they say, the rest is history. Joe's help & hardwork for the C.R.D.H.F.C. have been invaluable and this award to him is long overdue.

1995-PATRICK HU

1996-J.G. FEINBERG

FAVORITE LETTER/WORD BY CRD: R JENNIFER
FAVORITE BODY PART: littlest toe
FAVORITE DISCO DANCE MOVE: the New Yorker
FAVORITE JEFF MILES NICKNAME: "Rock" Miles
FAVORITE PAT HU CAR NICKNAME: the Green Machine
FAVORITE BEE GEE: Barry
FAVORITE PIX-12 SONG: "King Rutzen"
FAVORITE COACH KIM MEMORY: Calling Steve Randall "Mr. Disrespectful"



When he wouldn't help retrieve a ball.
OF TIMES I PICK MY NOSE IN A DAY: .3 (on average)
WHAT I'D DO IF I WOKE UP AND DISCOVERED I HAD TWO BUTTS: Make sure I still fit on the toilet.
WHY I WOULD GLADLY BE EXILED TO BOB EVANS: Any place w/ an Asian w/ a W. Virginian accent is O.K. w/ me.
JAKE ESTERLY IS: poison
ALICE LI IS: Li-thai



continue sending us letters. There is, however, no guarantee that it will be good.

The BEST K.C. RUTTAN GROUPIE:



K.C. (Killuh w/the Chicks) Ruttan: man or myth? The entity known simply as "K.C." has puzzled many a mind and so the CRDHC decided to once and for all put forth a final search for the truth, a calling to the horse's mouth. Where better to acquire dirt than from the beloved K.C. groupies?

Beth Parker (1st place tie)
Pathu: What's your case for being the best groupie?
Beth: I'm short.....and I have red hair!
Pi: If you, Erin C. Jess, and Erika got in a mud wrestling brawl, who would win?
Bi: Hmmm...I dunno. See, Erin's got the MUSCLES and she's big... Erika's athletic and everything... but me, I've got the spirit! I don't even think Jess...well, no, it depends what mood she's in. If she's in a bad mood, she'd rip our eyeballs out... Me, I've got the spirit. But I'd probably lose anyway cuz when it comes right down to it, spirit is nothing compared to muscles.
Pi: OK, now throw in the KC factor. If it's a fight for who gets KC, then who wins?
Bi: See, here's the problem: We'd probably beat up KC. We wouldn't fight FOR KC, we'd fight him.
[Ben Wienand enters]
Ben: Would you fight for who gets to fight KC? [Joe enters]
Joe: Or if you say the loser gets KC.
Bi: But then it'd be hard to tell who lost.
Ben: You could go by whoever falls first.
Pi: Yeah. I think you'd win cuz you have the lowest center of gravity.
Bi: That's true! That's true!
Ben: You could roll up into a ball &- Pi: [laughing] What?
Ben: They'd be like, "You're down!" & you'd be like, "No, I'm not!"
Bi: True. Who? to say whether I'm standing up or sitting down? When you're this far down, it really doesn't matter.
Pi: What's the worst thing about KC?
Bi: Right now, in my state of mind that I'm in right now, I'm gonna say his wiggling.
Ben: Does he follow you around & make noises w/o moving his mouth?
Joe: Is that the seductive dance thing that he does?
Bi: Oh-huh-huh No! That's something entirely different. The wiggling is just what it is- wiggling.
Ben: Can you explain the KC hat?

Bi: I don't really have a theory, it's just...something we never talk about. [Evan Noble enters]
Evan: Is it sacred?!!
Bi: No! It just doesn't even matter. Pi: It's just part of him. See, if they see his hair, THEN they make a big deal about it.
Bi: See, the thing w/ the hat is, it's better than looking at his hair. As long as it covers up his hair, we don't care what it is. It could be a condom, for all I care.
[sudden, unexpected silence & strange stares]
Pi: If you were locked in a closet w/ KC for an hour what would you do?
Bi: blablabla-Idon't want to answer that question.

Erin Conroy (3rd place)
Joe: Now, Erin, you were really the FIRST KC groupie.
Erin: I was? Ji: Well, in a way. Bi: Cuz I was the first to know him. See, it started out the first day of band our freshman year, I had just moved here from Hudson. I came in & I didn't know any of the music. So I sat down next to KC & I kept asking him what time was-I was like, "What time is it?" and...y'know, cuz I thought he was a pretty cool dude then, & then I thought since I didn't know any of the music, I kept trying to follow his slide. (trombone lingo) but I found out that he didn't know what he was doing, either. So that was the very start of it. I didn't really talk to him much my freshman year. Near the end of our sophomore year, he started eating lunch w/ us and now... goodness! We've gone to his house!! Ji: Yes. How do you feel coming in 3rd in the race?
Erin: I'm third? Who's first?
[Beth enters]
Bi: ME AND JESS ARE TIED!!!!
Ji: Well it depends cuz Melissa has the last ballot & if we accept it-
Bi: NO, DON'T! DON'T ACCEPT IT!
Erin: I feel that I've done my

It's a tie!!
Jessica Proske 28.3%
and
Beth Parker each
Honorable mention:
Erin Conroy 22.6%
Erika Chouinard... 17.0%
The Other:
Erin Barber... 3.8%

partin his life, I was the 1st one who knew him, I've set a balance, y'know. And if they come in first, that's fine. Ji: You know where you stand. Bi: Yeah, I know how he feels about me, so it doesn't really bother me. I know that truly, I'm the only KC groupie there is. Ji: Yeah, I think if I were a girl, I'd have to become a KC groupie, too.
Beth: ADMIT IT, JOE, YOU ARE NOW! YOU WANNA BE!!
Ji: Well, I wanna be, but it just didn't work out.
Bi: YOU FANTASIZE ABOUT KC!! YOU WERE THERE WHEN HE WAS DANCING NAKED IN FRONT OF HIS WINDOW, YOU WERE WATCHING!!!!
Erin: Anything else, Joe?
Ji:uh...what's the square root of 9?
Erin:2?

Erika Chouinard & Jessica Proske
Erin: The thing is, on these things I always sound retarded.
Ji: Well, we'll sound retarded together. [Awwwwuuu...]
Pi: How did you first meet KC?
Erin: Through Erin.
Pi: First impression?
[they huddle]
Erin: I thought he was funny.
Ji: I thought he...was nice. & I thought he had bad hair.
Erin: I thought his personality was decent. Ji: Me, too.
Pi: What's your favorite thing about KC?
Nick: His butt!
Ji: blablabla-his house! and his dog Amy. she's cute.
Pi: Does KC have a "hard bod"?
Erin: Ummm.....hard?
Nick: His bones are hard but that's about it. That could be taken in the wrong way-I mean bones= calcium and stuff.
Pi: I know what you sayin'.

Erin Barber
Pi: Erin, what do you think about KC?
Erin: No comment...



Summer Birthdays

June 1- Erin Conroy
June 1- Shannon Highsmith
June 1- Ben Primm
June 1- Matt Slater
June 3- Jessica Proske
June 9- Jaclyn Stacy
June 11- Devin Wickstrom
June 14- Brad Kramer
June 14- James Zagray
June 18- Robin Ellsworth
June 20- Eric Daniel
June 20- Rachel Rutherford
June 26- Amanda Yurick
June 27- Nick Boncelk
June 28- Lisa Mezzulo
June 29- Dyan Scheuerman
June 30- Colleen Moushey
July 1- Bryan Parker
July 4- Ed Grudzik
July 8- James Smith
July 9- Tom Raichel
July 12- Jon Finley
July 12- Kate Finley
July 14- Amy Bubenzer
July 14- Rob Boles
July 14- Olympia Newton
July 15- Anandh Rajamohan
July 16- Kelly Howell
July 18- Chris Carlson
July 18- Steve Perich
July 27- Ramon Fontes
July 27- Justin Pierce
July 27- Glenn Thomas
July 27- Justin Vogias
July 28- Cory Long
July 30- Marco Grava
Aug. 3- Gary Angstadt
Aug. 8- Allison Rippey
Aug. 18- Nathan Reyes
Aug. 19- Jeff Smith
Aug. 20- Rachel Hansford
Aug. 25- Jen Sampson
Aug. 28- Charlie DeMarco
Aug. 29- Scott Wilson
Aug. 30- Jesse Clapper
Wait! Aug. 22- Dara Bakes
June 11- Bruce Dzeda
July 10- Sarah Lampert
July 17- Geoff Hill

Sorry to any whose birthday is inadvertently omitt

The TOUGHEST member of the UNDERGROUND MOVEMENT:



MATTHEW SLATER with 30.2% of the vote.
the others:
Patrick Hu - 28.3%
Robert Boles - 17.0%
Philip Lanier - 15.1%
Benjamin Wienand - 9.4%

M-Matt Slater P-pathu

P: so, you've just been voted "toughest member of UAM", what are you gonna do next?
M: umm...beat up little kids.
P: ok...if all the members of uam go in a rumble, why would you, Matt Slater come out on top?
M: I spend the most time on my hair...blablah...hi-maintenance, hi-fi, and hi-tech.
P: OK, NOW, analyze the toughness of the other uam members.
M: OK...Boles would have to be 2nd cuz he's pretty good at breakin' stuff. I'm gonna hafta say you're next, cuz...uh...
P: Well, I'm Asian.
M: Yeah, you're Asian. Next comes Phil- he's really just a big dumb wuss. And then, uh, Ben's last... cuz he's a pork chop.
P: Do you have a favorite pair of pants?
M: Yeah.
P: Care 2 elaborate? M: Nope.
P: Favorite uam song title?

M: Here it is! They thought it was The Yeti. Then They Realized That The Yeti Only Eats Midgets That Look Like Mark Twain.
P: Tell me a good B.Benedik story.
M: OK, here's my favorite Ben B story: He was at a wedding, all dressed up in a tuxedo & there's another wedding and his bro dared him to go to it. So he ended up going and he met the groom & the uh...that other person...
P: The bride? M: Yeah, the bride & they got him on videotape dancing.
P: What are the preliminary plans 4 the UAM conquest of the world?
M: Well, our 1st step is to spread the word out on SONIC WAVES thru the underground scene, public school system, & porkchop eateries.
P: Where is UAM's place w/the SCHISTFIELD?
M: Well...Schistfield...I'd hafta say we're a distant 2nd...

P: Are we the harbinger?
M: Yeah, see, Schistfield can't always play shows becuz it wud just be too amazing, so we go out & play the shows that they can't.
P: Hmmm...Could it be that uam is the Asiatic force of the SCHISTFIELD nation?
M: That could be. See, we might become the Asian extension of Schistfield, a branch, if you will.



i like the cut of your jib, son.

This election put a bit of a scare into defending champion Nathan Reyes. In the early voting he was behind, and it looked as though Boisterous B. J. Jones would win. But, as proof of the power of Reyes's new Empiir, he prevailed in the end, after a late surge in votes for him. He is now alone at the bottom as the 1995-96 CRDHFC Enemy of the Year. CRDHFC reporter Joseph Feinberg was able to fit in to Nathan's busy schedule as Empiir-builder for a few moments, and he made out with the following brief interview:

CRDHFC: Now that you've become the first ever two-time E.O.Y. winner, what are you going to do next?
 NATHAN REYES: Take over the world! And strengthen the Empiir.
 CRDHFC: So, about this Empiir, do you have any goals or accomplishments of which you are particularly proud?
 NR: Well first I'd like to thank the people who voted me E.O.Y. (With enemies like you, who needs friends?) Then I'd like to say to all of those folks who didn't believe in the strength of the Empiir: You don't even know.
 CRDHFC: Are there any particular influences you have whom you'd like to thank?
 NR: Definitely Joe, [and] the other two prongs!
 CRDHFC: Gee, thanks. Now, here's the question I know everybody wants to ask: What of the third prong? What can you tell us?
 NR: Well, the third prong is what holds the Empiir together. He or she is the kind of [person] who is behind the scenes, working hard to spread the Empiir.
 CRDHFC: Can you give any hints as to where the Empiir might strike next? Is it China? Or Mexico? Or Middle-America?
 NR: I'll tell you that it's going to be where everyone least expects. We are everywhere at any time and we have the power to destroy any of our enemies.
 CRDHFC: Do you have any words of advice for young aspiring empire-builders?
 NR: Stay out of the Empiir's way--this ain't Hawaii.
 CRDHFC: Thanks a lot, and congratulations.
 NR: Empiir! Three pronged attack!!!

the TOP ASIANS

1. Pat(rick) Hu
2. Rob Lin
3. Sam Cheung
4. Kevin Wang
5. Jerry Liu (other kid)
6. Zelos Zofchak
7. Robert Zhang
8. Kib Sang...
9. Nita Nun...
10. Alice Li
11. Melissa Chung
12. Matt Slater
13. Albert Lai

Votes for Alice Li being the top Asian in the school were rather scarce, but that didn't keep this freshman Oriental from keeping a positive attitude. "Li-thai" Li tallied enough votes to edge out fellow female Asian Melissa Chung for tenth place in the competition, so we took the time to hear her thoughts:

Pathu: So, tell me about yourself.
 AliceLi: Uh...like, what?..my inner thoughts, or...what?
 P: Yeah.
 A: OK.. well, I'm pretty weird...yeah...
 P: What about your childhood?
 A: Um, well I was born in China & I moved here when I was little.
 P: What do you do when you get home from school? Get drunk?
 A: No... only on weekends... (I chuckle).
 P: All right, since you're not going to be on Flag Corps next year, what are you going to do?
 A: Um...join tennis!
 P: NO WAY!!! You're playing tennis?!!
 A: Yeah! heh-heh, huh he!
 P: That's some crazy stuff!!! So when are you and Kevin Wang gettin' the hook-up? teehee know what I mean?
 A: Well, he's kind of like, shy.
 P: OK, well, you can work on him, you know. Tell me a good Alice Li story.
 A: Um..OK..In the last football game for Flag Corps, marching season, I like, messed up, so I ran into a tuba on the field.
 P: Howee...what do you think of crazy Joe the VP?
 A: [lustfully] He's hot!!
 P: Aw yeah, isn't he a GUN-REAT GUY?
 A: Yeah.
 P: Do you like tacos?
 A: Um...no.
 P: What?!!! What's your problem?!!
 A: I just don't like it! I don't like the stuff they put on it.
 P: the...uh...uh...the...um...
 A: Meat? A: No..like, the... P: Cheese? A: No..like, the... P: Lettuce?
 A: No..the, like, like the crust thing...
 P: The shell?
 A: Yeah, the shell!!
 P: OK.. well I guess we're done.

ENEMY OF THE YEAR!!!

- 1ST- NATHAN REYES [37.0%]
- 2ND- DANTE CASAGRANDE [32.6%]
- 3RD- B.J. JONES/THE GUY ON JOE'S BUS [26.1%]



From the dark underbelly of Kent's music scene comes the dynamic Party of Helicopters, a quartet of fearless energy and power comparable to the four horsemen of the apocalypse. Spreading their musical aerial assault across the nation, endless casualties have resulted from their awesome arsenal. So take cover, the Party of Helicopters is about to land.
 present: pathu, ryan brannon, phil tadsen, joe dennis, c. rutzen

Pathu: You've just been voted "Toughest Member of POH", what are you going to do next?
 Ryan: Well, I'm probably gonna watch the Grind on MTV.
 P: Tell me why you could kick all the other POH members' asses.
 Phil: Not a chance.
 R: Well, when it came right down to it, I could easily beat all the other members asses.... without even trying. I mean, if I had ONE ARM, I could easily beat 'em, & I've got TWO! OK- TWO arms! Jon Finley- we'll start w/ him, cuz, uh, I guess if I wasn't in the band, I'd vote for him. He...can move behind those drums...he's tough. He's got a lot of Jewellery, long hair. He's a tough kinda guy.
 Joe: Beard & moustache. Harley Davidson t-shirt.
 Phil: Planet of the apes face! Can't deny the toughness of that.
 R: Now let's talk about Jamie Stillman. That guy's a MUSS!
 P: He looks tough, though.
 Phil: Yeah he does look tough, he wears a constant scowl.
 R: It's all a mask. My boy's a kitty cat, trapped inside a body of a...weird-lookin' guy, ok. I mean we were at his house & I flicked a couple ashes at him- he fell on the ground- MUSS! He'd be my last vote. And now, Joe Dennis.
 P: No way I'm #3.
 R: I voted for Joe.
 P: You voted for Joe Dennis? OK, here's the way I look at it: let's say normal street fight toughness- Joe's got a D to B, but when it comes to the real finesse, the real style, that's what I have.
 Phil: OK, I'm gonna reverse that cuz Joe's fuckin' sexy.
 R: Fine, if there was a Sexiest member of POH- Joe wins hands down.
 P: I'm puzzled as to how you won Toughest Member. You've got the

babyface. Babyface Brannon is what they call you.
 Phil: And he's only thirteen.
 R: Well...that's to the CHUMPS whose asses I've yet to kick. Then they'll be callin me BAD ASS BRANNON, all right?
 Phil: Or BAD FACE BRANNON.
 P: OK, tell me about the future of the POH.
 Phil: DID SOMEONE SAY FUTURE?
 R: Well, as for the FUTURE, that's all Schistfield's. But assuming we keep playing music and I don't beat all them up, we have big things comin'. Atlantic Records talked to us the other day...and...we're holdin' out for a bigger deal, actually.
 P: Speaking of Schistfield, where does POH fit along? Are you an ally?
 R: Oh we're definitely allies.
 P: Are you part of the aerial attack, the POH, assaulting from the skies to strike N.America?
 R: Hey, Pat, if that's how it's gotta be [overwhelmed]- you sound like you got it under control, buddy.
 Phil: Pat's got a plan for you guys, I think you guys better nap it out.
 P: What's your fav. part of the Grind?
 R: ...It used to be Eric...but Phil: Tell the truth! x2 [dancing Elvis on TV]
 R: All right, it's Elvis.
 Phil: AWW. Brannon takin' the easy way out, sayin' he doesn't watch it for the boobs.
 R: I've got live boobs across the street.
 Phil: You got that on tape, right?
 P: Ryan, what do you think about when you're playing bass?
 R: Usually I'm wondering how girls think I look, and if they're enjoying it. I'm hoping that after the show, maybe some girls will come up and talk to me.
 P: Ever work?
 R: ...not yet.
 P: Anything else?
 R: I'd just like to say thanks to all those who knew what was right and voted for me.



Hill vs. Moran
 75% 20%



Bruce Dzeda & CRD also got votes.

ABOVE LEFT: Uh, like... it's, like Alice Li, yeah...

BELOW LEFT: Girls dig Babyface Brannon's toughness...

Who's the Toughest Member of the PARTY OF HELICOPTERS?

- 1- RYAN BRANNON - [34.9%]
- 2- JON FINLEY - [25.6%]
- 3- JAMIE STILLMAN - [20.9%]
- 4- JOE DENNIS - [18.6%]

Letter of the Year!



U A M ← 30.4%

killuh V capital X
 28.3% → ✓ 19.6% → X 17.4% → T

capital S, capital A, and the E-like G also recieved votes.

TYRONE SOLVED!

Remember Buy back issues if you want background info

Fellow CRD HFC Followers and Tyrone Fans,

I have cracked the case of Tyrone. You will see that my deduction is without error:

It was a fortnight ago when I leafed through my aged copy of the 2nd Annual CRD-HFC Sizzling Swimsuit Issue. A hair welled up in my eye as I came to the Tyrone files. In my anger I spied the dossier of MARCO BARCO. The evidence against him was damning. He had no alibi. He must have been there. He went into hiding for a time and emerged with a new look. Did he have a guilty conscience? Well, I kept all this in mind, and I moved on; there were still many questions unanswered.

NATHAN REYES, the perennial duoblemesis, next caught my eye. The Taco Bell wrapper at the crime scene seemed to implicate him, but I remembered seeing him decline the opportunity to eat at Taco Bell just a couple of days ago. I looked back at MARCO BARCO and realized that he must bought the Taco Bell carry-out, for there is no Taco Bell where he lives. He takes every chance he gets to eat Taco Bell food, and his vacation to Sharon, PA provided him with the opportunity. So I further perused the suspect list. NATHAN, the JOHN DEERE POSSE, DANTE CASAGRANDE, PAT HU, and SARAH MILLER all had motives, but the evidence against them was scanty. GARON NIEHAUS, though an intriguing individual, had neither motive nor incriminating evidence.

Further down the list I noticed GUIDO. His alibi seemed plausible, but, I thought, who could better pull this crime off? I turned to Issue #13 to see the new evidence on him. His fingerprints on weapons at the scene of the crime certainly implicated him. And don GERONIMO supposedly saw him heading toward Sharon ~~on~~ the morning of the crime. But then I realized that don GERONIMO had never actually seen GUIDO, only the silhouette printed in the Gazette. I let this go for a moment when I noticed the alibi of ERIC PASKEY.

ERIC PASKEY said he was studying for exams on May 12, 1995, but ERIC PASKEY doesn't study, much less two weeks early! In addition, someone saw him on that date traveling toward Sharon. But the questions remain: Where does MARCO BARCO fit in? And why were both PASKEY and GUIDO traveling down the same road on the same day? I will get back to that in a bit.

There were two other suspects on that page—JAMAL KUKLUM ROTINIKALI and JOSEPH GRIMFEINBERG. JAMAL had a motive but also an airtight alibi;

JOSEPH had no motive and little evidence.

Next suspect: BEN PARKER. It is difficult to argue with DNA testing. Then I was stuck with four people, plus Tyrone himself, apparently ~~present~~ present for the crime.

I turned back to the first issue (#9) that brought news of Tyrone's Disappearance. Fatty G heard Tyrone say, "Dang, fock, how ya been?" It had to be someone who had once known him, but must not have seen him for ^{some} time. Of all the suspects, only MARCO BARCO and GARON NIEHAUS no longer attend Kent Schools, and only BARCO could have been Tyrone's old homey (he moved to Clarion, PA after the seventh grade and is now a junior.) MARCO BARCO, then, was speaking to Tyrone immediately before the crime was perpetrated. But did he do it? There were still loose ends tied up in this mystery.

As I was reading this "Disappearance" article I ~~noticed~~ noticed a picture of the Official Club Left-Handed Guy—ERIC PASKEY—directly next to the pictures of the suspects at the time. I realized a motive: ERIC PASKEY is left-handed, and has always been resentful of the right-handed supremacist society in which we live. Both TYRONE and MARCO BARCO are right-handed. Not only that, but ERIC PASKEY and MARCO BARCO hated each other at the time BARCO moved away. At that moment I recalled that the Fan Club had advertised Guido's Hitman Home Starter Kit in the Issue #4 Catalog. The question in Issue #13 was this: Why were both GUIDO and PASKEY hitch-hiking on the same road on the same day in the same direction? The answer is simple: it was the same person.

Don't get too excited. PASKEY is not GUIDO. No. ERIC PASKEY bought Guido's Hitman Home Starter Kit in order to properly perform the crime. GUIDO put this set together himself, and, naturally, PASKEY did not wipe off GUIDO's prints, though PASKEY himself may have ~~worn~~ worn gloves.

Also, when don GERONIMO spotted PASKEY he noticed only GUIDO's knuckles and cool shades in the distance and assumed it was GUIDO. The other witness saw PASKEY more closely and recognized him. If you look at the catalog in Issue #4, you will see ERIC PASKEY's smiling face, deviously plotting Tyrone's plight.

And what of BEN PARKER's hair at the crime scene? The answer, again, is simple: PASKEY's locker is adjacent to that of BEN PARKER. When PASKEY was at his locker at that Friday a red ~~Parker~~ Parker hair fell on to him and stayed there until he fled from his crime. I should have known right away that Tyrone would not run from a lady.

Thus, through the implementation of my ~~in~~ irrefutable logic, I determined the three participants: MARCO BARCO, ERIC PASKEY, and TYRONE himself. Now, what exactly happened? At this point I looked again to Issues #9 and #11. Fatty G heard TYRONE say, "...[W]ow ya been? Say what? No way. Hey, don't be crowdin' me. Look out!" But Fatty G never heard the other person talk. And was TYRONE talking to the same person throughout? "Look out!" ~~Who~~ Would he say this to a murderer? Indeed, he said this to his friend—MARCO BARCO—because ~~some~~ one else was in the vicinity. At that moment TYRONE screamed, and then his hat, vest, wingtip shoe, and black book were found in the vat of Pudd'n'. He was pushed in.

ERIC PASKEY hates MARCO BARCO. He must have found out that MARCO BARCO was planning a trip to the Sharon Pudd'n' factory and must have decided to get rid of him once and for all. He may or may not have known that TYRONE would be there, but in either case, TYRONE was in the way. TYRONE said to MARCO BARCO, "Look out!" because PASKEY was approaching BARCO, intent on pushing him in. PASKEY then knew that he also had to be rid of TYRONE, so he pushed both people into the Pudd'n' vat.

Fortunately, the Pudd'n' was not boiling, as PASKEY must have planned. PASKEY then fled the scene and returned home. But the mystery was not yet solved, for when the vat was drained, nobody was found. For TYRONE, the key lies in this statement: "I could always run faster without my wingtip shoes, but my shoes is what gets da bitcher." When TYRONE crawled out of the vat he realized that he was missing his black book, one of his shoes had fallen off, and he was covered from head to toe in tapioca Pudd'n'. TYRONE loved and lived for his shoes, the amiable pimp that he was, ~~and~~ and what could he do now? Without his book he had no connections, and ~~and~~ without his shoes and while covered in Pudd'n' he would never be able to successfully pimp. So he panicked. He ran, and without his shoe he ran fast. I think the other shoe will be found not far from the vat. Thus, TYRONE went into hiding.

As for MARCO BARCO, he emerged from the vat and saw that TYRONE was gone, but perhaps had never seen PASKEY; he thought TYRONE dead and worried that he might be blamed. Also we must remember that he is the Man of Hair and, when covered in Pudd'n', looks not ~~much~~ unlike a terrible Sasquatch. Not knowing what to do, he ran and ran, probably until he came to a forest. He hid for two weeks, but Pudd'n' is hard to get out of hair. He decided he needed a haircut, and he emerged.

Now, where did TYRONE go? Where's Tyrone? I contend that he is among us. He gave up pimping and did not go into hiding, but rather came. He took off his hat and bought new shoes and new clothes. He who was once TYRONE now walks the halls of Theodore Roosevelt High School, just as you, and I.

-Eugene

Buh-Bye.

We recieved this fascinating letter recently.