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"Never let your sense of morals get in the way of doing what's riaht."

-Isaac Asimov

Big City Observations: The Homeless

Brought to you by Nathan "Invincible" Miller

Yeah I know, it's a terrible thing to make fun of the homeless. That's why they got rid of all the hobo activities at Tech. But still! Now that I've moved to the city, there are homeless folks everywhere. Well not exactly everywhere... they're not as bad as gnats, but there are a decent number of them floating around. A heck of a lot more than there were out in the country.

I guess that's why we lionized the homeless at Tech. I mean, if you were living on the street in Houghton and could say you survived the winter, you weren't disadvantaged. No, you were a badass. Only the strong and determined could eke out a living peddling the empty streets of the Keweenaw. There aren't even people downtown to beg from! Unless Marquette is any different, I'd say that

Email Leak Reveals Tech was Not a Mining School

By Kyle Roe ~ Daily Bull

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machines have popped up in the large majority of public bathrooms in the United States. What will those fiends at the Pork Industry do next?

They uncovered a high security level email list, which listed a number of professors who received a regularly updated archive named "Cooper Country Sham". Contained within the archive

were hundreds of documents and photos of Houghton and the surrounding area. While digging deeper, with the help of their friend and fellow hacker Professor Brian Minchski, the CS Students became horrified as they realized that what they were looking at was the greatest lie in Houghton's history: It was all made up.

The archive revealed that EVERYTHING

While hacking into an unnamed admin- about Houghton was fabricated as an istrator's computer last night, CS Majors attempt to attract tourists and students and Graduate students Chris Brown and hoping to live in a friendly, snow filled Megan Tan made a shocking discovery. environment. According to the files,

> Houghton was not originally a mining town, but an Irish Beer Brewing Settlement. The hills. valleys and rocks were shipped here from Minnesota. Every building and house

in Houghton had also been fabricated elsewhere. The MEEM for example, was designed and built in San Francisco, which explains why it looks like a brick dick. Erected in 1811, Houghton Michigan and Michigan Tech, was a government experiment designed by mastermind Stewart Van Freeman.

When asked about this conspiracy, to

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Dead people being stimulated by 'Stimulus'. Didn't know the government was a necrophilliac.



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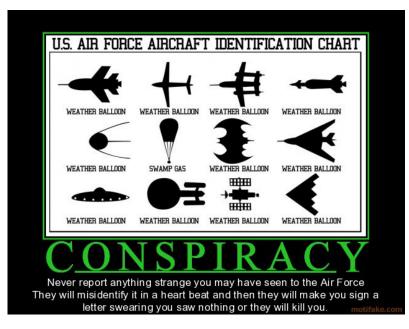
HERE'S HOW IT WORKS: FILL IN THESE BLANKS. THEN FLIP THE BULL OVER TO SEE A PARAGRAPH WITH MISSING WORDS - ADD YOURS! TA DA!

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our very dismay, townsfolk and store got careless and let the information owner Peter Grif said "We have all out." Apparently, all the townspeople knew about this all along, and I myself and store owners had originally been had a feeling it was only a matter of shipped in to help simulate the town. time before Carter Pewterschmidt "At first the government had to pay us to help keep our businesses open. and to keep us quiet." Lois Keyes, owner of the downtown hydroponics store reported, "But soon the school began to feed Houghton's economy, and now this government project pays for itself. I myself make twice as much as I normally would because of the college students."

> As the archive reveled more and more about the simulation of "Cooper Country", some of its flaws are beginning to become apparent. One notable example which has been reinforced by the archive is the unrealistic gender statistics. One document which explained this flaw in the project read: "due to the excruciating prices of bringing women into the Cooper Country/Houghton Bio Project, we

Possessed Washing Machine Brought to you by Liz Fujita! Late one night, when a resident of (famous location) went to do his/her laun-(noun) was possessed – it dry, a tragedy occurred. The (past tense verb) and spat frothy (liquid) everywhere. The machine demanded a (food) sacrifice, or else it would mix the whites and the (color) clothes to ruin everything. The Laundromat owner called (number) on his phone, but the line was dead. " " (exclamation), he cried. The machine rumbled over, opened its top, and hit the owner on the (body part). The machine laughed (adverb), then went back to its corner. \$\forall\$

hope that the lack of said women in our simulation will not lower its look of realism. Thankfully, the attracted students do not seem to notice, as half of them are too busy playing in their own fabricated game worlds, rather than ours."

Now that the lie has been uncovered, we hope that students will come to accept the truth, and try to remove themselves from the simulation. Yet this sudden discovery has brought up the question: what if our learning of the conspiracy was part of the government's and Stewart Van Freeman's design? 🎨



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meander their way around the city, sure if it weren't for the homeless, the rooting through trash in search of City of Albany would be a mountain recycling and gold bars. They've all of smelly recyclables. got those micro shopping carts to haul their life savings around in, which So far I don't have a favorite town also double as getaway vehicles in crazy like I did growing up. I guess times of crisis. Some even decked that's because he was the only one theirs out in cardboard or auxiliary and had a storied history: apparently can holders for those particularly rich he buried a 70s Mustang in his yard, recycling seams.

my recycling bucket, I want to tell future for outrageous inspiration. Unthem that the returns in Michigan are fortunately, I think the homeless here ten cents, not five, and they could cycle around the city because I rarely make a bunch more money if they see the same one twice. swapped states. Then I remember that they may not know what a Michi- I still haven't found any of their hovgan is, which is probably how they els yet, but that may just mean that got to be homeless in the first place. they're all underground. Subterra-I also don't want to tell them that nean hobos! I bet their hive is based there's only cardboard in there, so in the park right across from my they might as well not bother digging. house. Man, what a wake up call.

They always look at me funny when I do.

I was going to Price Chopper the other day to pick up some groceries and outside was a huge line of hobos, all waiting to return their recycling. They had their

the majority of the homeless Yoopers carts loaded high with dollars of cans have hightailed it to greener streets. and bottles, each hopeful that the machine wouldn't break before they Out here in Albany, all sorts of bums cashed in. It was quite the sight. I'm

which he swept clean of snow everyday in the winter. But alas, old Squig-Whenever I see them going through gy is dead now, so I must look to the

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