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LIBERAL, CONSERVATIVE PROFESSORS TO DUEL

Snowball "Fight to the Death" scheduled for next week

By Mr. Leubsdorf '10
TENURE MEANS NEVER HAVING TO SAY YOU'RE SORRY DEPT.

(CLINTON, NY) In an effort to quell campus dispute, faculty elected this week to settle their differences in the manner of the College's name-sake: deadly one-on-one combat.

Unfortunately, professors soon realized none had a gun permit. After a series of discussions, icy snowballs were agreed to be an acceptable substitute.

"Those hippie, Commie Marxist...hippies better watch out!" conservative professor Peter Roberts said. "Aaron Burr's got nothing on my skills!"

"Those reactionary bastards don't scare us," liberal professor Harold Phillips shot back, "Not after what [Robert's] wife told us last night!"

While lighting a joint, he added, "Aw yah, sucka got served!"

Students greeted the upcoming battle royale with enthusiasm.

Aaron Page 10 said, "This is horrible... horribly awesome! Man I'm going to get hammered drunk for this. It'll be like the Citrus Bowl all over again."

The Administration had a more mixed reaction.

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IRAN OFFICIALLY "FRONTING" TOO MUCH

History of fronting

By Mr. Lee '07
SOMEBODY PROMISED SOMEBODY A WHOOPING DEPT.

(TEHRAN) Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad clarified his country's diplomatic intentions this week, jutting his chin before reporters and declaring, "Anyone wanna fight? Anyone at all? First shot's free."

After reporters failed to deck the Iranian President, he continued to announce to the world community that "the kitchen is open" and "if anyone wants a piece, come and get it."

International reactions were mixed.

"Seriously?" British Prime Minister Tony Blair sighed. "Mate, I've seen bar fights over who gets the last decently attractive girl. You want nukes. This ends one way: with three bouncers and a dumpster."

The United States took a slightly more belligerent attitude.

"Oh please, start something," White House spokesman Tony Snow giggled. "Please. We'll end it."

Nearly alone among the international community, Russia rushed to Iran's defense.

"Iran's oil...I mean, president, is really great," Russian President Vladimir Putin explained.

"You just have to get used to some of his harmless antics. Little tricks, that's all, like

hitting on the UN secretaries,
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drinking beers atop the UN building, blatant nuclear proliferation. Good for a laugh all around."

In a remarkable display of bravery, UN Secretary General Ki-Moon took Ahmadinejad's remarks with commendable coolness.

"Every goddamn week, something goes wrong! EVERY WEEK!" Ki-Moon raged. "Rebellions in Thailand, fighting in South America, like, *all of Africa*...now this? Iran's 'sovereign right' for nuclear weapons? Is this some kind of sick, twisted initiation rite?"

After a few drinks and a chance to walk it off, Ki-Moon explained his first five weeks in office had been a little hard and that he naturally respected the diplomatic process. He also encouraged Ahmadinejad to "stop trying to get your nose broken"

UN diplomats swiftly passed a resolution condemning Iran's actions and advising it to "stop fronting." As French diplomats explained, "if Iran keeps this up, we'll have no choice but to 86 them from the world community."

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President Joan Hinde Stewart said, "I was initially against it, but then I realized I could raise more money for the Excelsior campaign by starting a betting pool on it."

"They're doing what with the who in the where now?" John Nitterman, Administration spokesman, demanded. "I...I can't even spin that. *God damn it*. Come to Hamilton, mind the academic cross-fire?"

After a moment's reflection, Nitterman conceded that, "That's not half-bad. And it's pretty misleading. Nice."

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admitted that, "I just want to win a world championship...with or without Alex."

In an effort to preserve team morale and Rodriguez's reason for existence, the Yankees have hired a relationship counselor to meet with the player and his talent twice a week.

In addition, an anonymous tip recently claimed that Yankees owner George Steinbrenner has increased Rodriguez's salary to pay for street-corner talent.

However, not everyone supports the organization's course of action.

"Maybe after the 2007 season, he should look for talent somewhere else," first baseman Jason Giambi suggested, adding that he had given Rodriguez a length of rope, a bottle of whiskey, and a glove full of aspirin as a pre-season present. Giambi assured appalled reporters, "don't worry, he won't do it."

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LIBERAL ZOMBIES ATTACK HAMILTON

Wertimer residents devoured, College shrugs - only freshmen, after all

By Mr. Leubsdorf '10

DOES STEVEN COLBERT KNOW HOW TO FIGHT ZOMBIES? DEPT.

(CLINTON, NY) Leftist zombies have created chaos on campus in the last week, sowing disorder and fear in the student body.

The leader of the zombies, Ugghhhh '09, announced in Commons their demands, "End the war in Iraq, recycle, and eat your brains!" emphasizing the last points with loud table thumping and growling.

Many students were confused about how to react to the onslaught.

"I think the war in Iraq is immoral," Katie McHound '08 said. "But so is killing people for their brains. I guess we have to choose between the lesser of two evils here."

Conservatives placed blame for the horde at the feet of the faculty, accusing them of "emboldening" the monsters.

Henry Bold '09 commented "This all happened because activist professors taught students subversive things, like feminism and math."

"I have nothing to fear," Bold added, "My fort of Ann Coulter books will keep me safe."

Zombie expert Larry Sabato commented, "It's ridiculous to blame the professors, because these zombies didn't start out as blank slates. They already had opinions and experiences that shaped their beliefs. No one indoctrinated them."

The problem was compounded in recent days with the arrival of conservative vampires, who have engaged the zombies in

vicious combat.

When asked about their political beliefs, spokes-vampire Count Chocula '07 roared, "We're not conservatives; we're libertarians. Surely you know the difference between a libertarian and a conservative?"

After biting a passing student, Chocula lectured, "If not, I can direct you to a classic discourse on the subject by Freidrich Hayek."

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"Bouncing? Blowing?" George State '08, varsity captain, scoffed. "This is why nobody respects the WNBA."

Female players insisted they were ready for the men, however.

"The boys are worried they won't get drunk enough to dance," Erica Schmidt '08, women's team captain, explained. "Oh, they will."

However, rules for distractions have to be established, even among the fans they largely cater to.

"Best innovation ever," Chris Fielding '07, avid fan, said. "I will broker no debate on this subject."

"Girl wants to go all crazy with the distractions, that's cool," Sara Davenport '09 replied. "So's cold decking a bitch."

When appraised of existing humane punishments, Davenport shrugged, "Or a fine, whateves."

HAMILTON MOCK TRIAL ADVANCES TO NATIONALS

Colgate Mock Trial team wins nothing, goes home to cry — Hamilton students ask, "how's it taste?"

A-ROD CONFESSES RIFT IN FRIENDSHIP WITH TALENT

Just wants it the way it used to be

By Mr. Messier '08
CRY ME A RIVER DEPT.

(TAMPA BAY, FL) All is not well between Alex Rodriguez and his talent, according to a spring training press conference this Tuesday.

"Its just not like it was 10, 12, 14 years ago, when talent used to give me three hits a day and come visit in October," Rodriguez explained.

Subsequent statements made by other members of the Yankees organization revealed that Rodriguez had been concealing his struggles for some time.

"We knew something was up with A-rod when he stopped having to pretend to be ashamed when collecting his paycheck," Yankees manager Joe Torre noted.

"Every year we'd see him standing in the locker room, waiting for talent to appear," teammate and Yankees catcher Jorge Posada, added. "But we knew that at the end of the night, he'd be alone in the shower room, dropping the soap while practicing his defense."

Rodriguez's talent irritably addressed reporters, annoyed by the constant media interest.

"Alex and I go out on the field and try to do our job, which is winning World Series," A-Rod's talent grumbled. "We don't hang out much else, if it can at all be avoided. And no, we don't have sleep-overs any more. I always found that creepy."

However, A-Rod's talent finally
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BEIRUT SPRING TRAINING BEGINS AMID LEAGUE CHANGES

Arc-shooters already in camp; line-drive shooters due next week

By Mr. Lee '07, Mr. Savage '08 and Mr. Watkins '10
PUT ME IN COACH... I'M READY TO PLAY DEPT.

(HAMILTON COLLEGE) Despite expert predictions of yet another Hamilton championship, Coach John Millridge raged this week that the team is "inexcusably soft," especially in light of recent moves of gender integration between Beirut leagues.

"The boys aren't ready to take on Colgate women," Millridge scoffed. "And frankly, if they lost, I'd just as soon leave them behind."

Players quickly protested they were ready to work harder.

"Not Colgate women!" Joe Williams '10, impressionable freshmen, yelled. "I hear they collect the souls of naive freshmen!"

Millridge announced tough training policies to whip the team into shape, including a harsh reverse room check policy.

"Don't let me find you in your room," Millridge warned. "You best be in some strange bed or random common room, like Milbank 19."

Nevertheless, the policies reek of panic in reaction to the gender intergreption moves, started by the National Beirut Association because, "ladies is pimps too."

The decision has not without controversy.

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