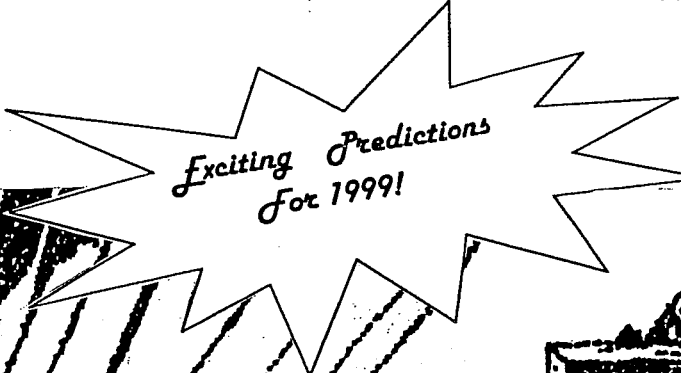




SMACK

THE AMTGARD TABLOID VOL.III



SPECIAL!
We're mad.
We're angry.
And we're very
Disappointed
In you.



The flaw of the
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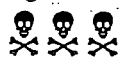
Vampire scandal
Uncovered!!!!



Plus...
Award results
And much,
much more!!!



Our motto:
"There's not anything
you can do,
that we can't
Imagine better."



OF CONCERN TO ANYONE THINKING OF JOINING SABLE PRIDE

Lately people have been asking some very important questions. They've been wondering why does Sir Nevron seem so youthful and fit despite being at a vast age. These people may have come up with some startling answers.

It is a fact that Nevron is the oldest member of Sable Pride, yet at times he appears to be ore youthful than most of his fellow company members. People believe this to be because he is stealing the "life essences" form his helpless bros.

Example: Sir Delphos appears to look older that Nevron, in fact, Delphos is Nevron's junior! What has Nevron been doing to poor Delphos all these years? We can only assume. Also, rumor is that Silvershade is only twelve years old, and if you rally think about it, no one has seen Dame Selka for a while. We can only pray that she's not using a cane already.

Another amazing (probable) fact is that Dame Alyssandra seems to have stopped aging since leaving Sable Pride, even that suspicious Nevron acknowledges this strange occurrence!

Fact or not, we believe, if you join Sable Pride, then do so as your own risk!



OUR PREDICTIONS FOR THE REST OF 1999

#1 Ziggy will join Sable Pride, only staying a few months, then leave to try and join the Nighthawks

#2 Sir Xenos will, still, not show up at any park

#3 Tanglewood Forest will continue to be a safe place to camp

#4 Everyone will finally acknowledge their true hate for Forest and stop electing his dumb ass to office

#5 The Saracens will discover five new ways to suck

#6 The Green Dragons will disband, and all that will remain will be a purple pile of chicken feathers

TOP 10 NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS

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| #10 | CREATE AMTGARD LEGAL BLOWGUN. | UNKNOWN |
| #9 | CATCH THOSE RASCALLY WHICKETS! | MOUSE |
| #8 | FIGURE OUT A WAY TO GET A FIFTH BELT. | SIR NEVRON |
| #7 | GET SQUIRED. | TINY |
| #6 | FIND MORE WAYS TO RELAX. | SIR INFINITY |
| #5 | TRY TO GET LAID. | SIR LEIF |
| #4 | GROW TWO MORE INCHES. | SIR TALDAK |
| #3 | SMACK ONE OF THOSE WACO WEENIES! | SPONGE |
| #2 | BECOME CLOSER TO NATURE. | SIR FALAMAR |
| #1 | PROVE TO THOSE PUSSIES AT SPRING WAR THAT NO ONE GETS DRUNK LIKE THE EMERALD HILLS!!!! | |



SELF-PROCLAIMED SCIENTISTS BREED 9-FOOT TALL SHEEP!!!

FOR SOME TIME NOW, SCIENTISTS HAVE BEEN STUDYING THE MIND-BOGGLING PHENOMENON OF ANIHALUS' GARDEN GNOME LIKE FEMALE COMPANY MEMBERS. DESPITE MANY DUBIOUS ATTEMPTS WITH MEDICATION AND HYPNOSIS, ANIHALUS HAS BEEN UNABLE TO PRODUCE A FEMALE TALL ENOUGH TO BE CONSIDERED SHORT.

BUT NOW STRANGE THINGS ARE TAKING PLACE IN LABORATORIES DEEPLY SECLUDED IN THE SUSPICIOUS REALM OF TRAITORS HALLOW.

ZIRCON WAS SUPPOSEDLY QUOTED AS SAYING HE USED COMBINATIONS OF DNA FROM "A SHEEP, A GIANT, AND MAMA SHROOM", TO BREED A 9 FOOT TALL SHEEP.

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO ANIHALUS? IT MEANS THEY MIGHT BE ABLE TO, SOMEDAY, RESEMBLE ACTUAL HUMAN BEINGS. WE, OF COURSE, DOUBT THAT.

SURE THEY CAN BREED A 9-FOOT TALL ANIHALUS MEMBER, BUT THAT WON'T CHANGE THE FACT THAT IT'S STILL GOING TO BE THE UGLIEST SHEEP YOU EVER SAW.

ANIHALUS IS, REPORTEDLY OPTIMISTIC OF FUTURE BREEDING ATTEMPTS.

ANNOUNCING THE WINNERS OF
THE 1st ANNUAL J.W. AWARDS

BEST LEADING MONARCH

- ▮ Forest of the Emerald Hills for his role in "Sex, Lies and a Tent"

BEST SUPPORTING REGENT

- ▮ Falamar for his role in "The Teddy Bear's Picnic"

BEST LEADING PRIME MINISTER

- ▮ Kodiak for his role in "Much I Didn't Do About Nothing"

BEST COSTUME DESIGN

- ▮ Infinity for his role in the production of "My Fair Lady"

BEST HAIRSTYLIST

- ▮ Boots for her work in "The Planet of the Apes"

HONORABLE MENTIONS

- ▮ Reign for "Rebel Without Applause, or Deodorant for that matter"
- ▮ Mouse for her truly unselfish work in "Deep Throat"

BEST CATERER

- ▮ Leif for "White Boy Can Cook"

BEST SOUNDTRACK

- ▮ Squeak and the Dussycats "Faster Dussycat...Liketty-Split"



ASK MAMA SMACK

Dear MAMA SMACK,

During a past trip to Tanglewood Forest, something strange happened. While retrieving some gear left at Mud-Reign I think I saw something like a large, naked, hairless, yeti skipping through the woods.

At first I was sure it was not human, but it began to chant, "Leaves are clothes, too! Leaves are clothes, too!"

I've been too ashamed to mention this before, but the pressure has become too great. Should I bring this to the attention of the kingdom? If so, with whom should I speak? Your advice is much needed!

Thank You,
Flabbergasted in Tier Glen

Dear Flabbergasted,

I myself have witnessed many oddities while in Tanglewood Forest, despite that, I still think you're crazy! However, any irregularities there should be reported to the kingdom's head grounds keeper.

Dear MAMA SMACK,

At a recent E.H. event I made the mistake of falling asleep in the Mithral Talons' campsite. Since then I have developed a nasty rash. I have no idea what happened to me after I fell asleep, but when I awoke, my undies were on inside out and I've been walking funny ever since. Please help! My identity must remain a secret.

Sincerely,
"Greyshadow" in "Hawk" shire

Dear Greyshadow, (obviously not your real name)

What the hell do you expect me to do about your rash, besides laugh! Anybody with common sense knows no to fall asleep where you did! You're damn right your identity needs to stay secret, I'd be the first one to harass you. All I can say now is, try not to scratch. It will only make it worse.

Dear MAMA SMACK,

I assume that you are not a doctor, but never the less, I hope you can help me.

Lately, whenever I'm at an Amtgard function, I get this strange sensation in my nostrils. I don't know exactly why this happens. What do you think?

Thanks,
Stuffed Up in Midnight Sun

Dear Stuffed Up,

I don't know what to tell you, except that, if it hurts when you inhale, then you are standing way too close to Sir Nevron!

HAVING A HARD TIME MAKING DECISIONS ON YOUR OWN? ARE YOU TOO WEAK MINDED TO MAKE DAY-TO-DAY CHOICES WITHOUT ANY HELP? THEN ASK MAMA SMACK!

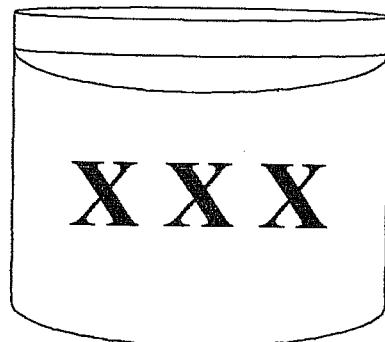
IF SHE CAN'T HELP YOU THEN SHE'LL AT LEAST MAKE YOU FEEL BAD ENOUGH THAT YOU'LL WANT TO KILL YOURSELF. THAT WAY YOU WON'T BOTHER ANYBODY, INCLUDING YOURSELF!

JUST SEND YOUR QUESTIONS TO:
SMACKTABLOID@YAHOO.COM
MAMA SMACK WILL TRY TO ACT LIKE SHE GIVES A DAMN.

DO PEOPLE COMPLAIN ABOUT YOUR
"IRONHIDE"?
BE ASHAMED NO LONGER!

INTRODUCING THE NEW
OIL OF DECAY

- PATENTED NEW FORMULA!
 - SOFTENS THE WORST IRONHIDES!
 - EXPOSES NERVE ENDINGS ENABLING YOU TO FEEL MORE!
- ACTUALLY IMPROVES SENSORY TRANSMISSIONS TO INCREASE TACTILE SENSATIONS. MAKING ALL SHOTS ON YOU SO PAINFUL, YOU CAN'T DENY!!!



WITHIN SECONDS OF APPLYING, YOU'LL FEEL YOUR IRONHIDE ROT AWAY, LEAVING YOU WITH ONLY THE TENDER PINK SKIN UNDERNEATH.

- FDA SHUNNED



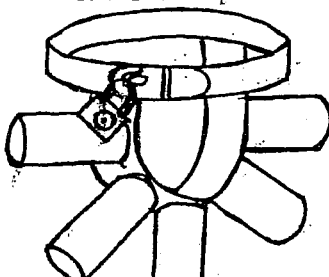
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LOST RECORDS? NO
CREDITS?
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SOLUTIONS!
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➤ NO GUILDMASTERS
➤ NO TESTING
TOTALLY CONFIDENTIAL**

CLASSIFIEDS

WE WILL PAY 300 GOLD PIECES!!
Yes! We will pay 300 gold pieces to anyone that can deliver actual evidence of the bald YETI that has been spotted in TRINGLEWOOD FOREST!
➤ Photographs, samples, etc. will be tested for authenticity!
INQUIRIES SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE TABLOID

**LOOKING
FOR...
YOUNG GENTLEMAN
IN NEED OF
ASSISTANCE IS
SEARCHING FOR
SOME ASSISTANTS.
(H.A.H.A) MUST
HAVE OWN DRIVERS
LICENSE, OWN
VEHICLE WITH
PASSENGER
INSURANCE, MUST BE
AVAILABLE AT ALL
TIMES AND ABLE TO
ACCEPT MY SCORPIO
SUPERIORITY.
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APPLY.**

**INTRODUCING THE NEW
AMTGARD LEGAL
CHASITY BELT**



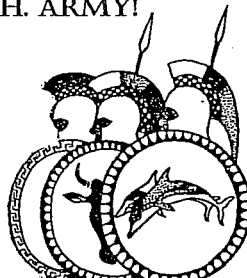
MADE FROM THE FINEST QUALITY LEATHER AND HIGH GRADE FUN-NOODLE. PROJECTIONS ARE PLACED IN A NON-ACCESSABLE MANNER. TIPS OF ALL PROJECTIONS ARE LARGER THAN AN EYE SOCKET.
COMPLETELY AMTGARD LEGAL!

FOR RENT
Reasonably sized principality to the south of E.H. Some maintenance needed with the populace, as there are CLAW COMPANY upstarts present.
2 pence or best offer.

WANTED
We at the tabloid are searching for an artist for work on comic strip style art. You must have a great sense of humor and be able to work well with the fabulous publishers of the SMACK TABLOID. Please send all inquiries to smacktabloid@yahoo.com. Weirdoes must apply.

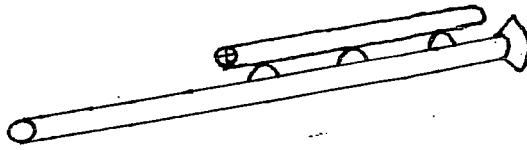
**BE ALL THOU CAN BE,
IN THE E.H. ARMY!**

Learn new skills.
Like killing and Maiming!
See foreign lands.
And be reminded
How much better
It is in the
Emerald Hills!



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