

C 4 #1

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I am down to the wire as far as the deadline is concerned. I have decided to use a SHORT TITLE. My recent trend of long titles has gotten out of hand...if I want to write a poem I should put it in the body of the zine, perhaps. Then, again, sometimes I just go beserk!!!!!!

I have been home from work for about 4 weeks except I went in for some hours during the first two weeks not realizing that what I HAD was not going to clear up so soon. It was bronchitis. I was on one antibiotic (Amoxil) for seven days, felt better, then around the time I would have been taken another pill if the seven days weren't up, my throat got painful and felt like it might close up. I was then on a stronger antibiotic called Ceftin (known as the "strongest bullet")---the latter seems to have worked but I am not without some symptoms.

It would have been DARN NICE to have used the time home to do a GIGANTIC APAZINE, however I needed to sleep and rest MORE, I guess. I should, I guess return to work tomorrow (July 25, 2000) and then Sunday July 30th we fly for a week's mundane vacation to Vancouver, British Columbia, to see SENTINEL filming sites, etc.

Skipping the time it would take to think about what I am going to say I now go to some mailing comments:
to NED BROOKS: Janet Larson's discussion of horse whispering was fascinating indeed, as you note. //H G Wells's Invisible Man might have seen by viewing the light with his eyes in a slightly parallel universe and then psychically getting the information from his parallel self. (This comment in re Metcalf.)

I wish we could all join your mother in water aerobics at the YWCA to which she drives. I'm getting out of shape. //Your house has one attic (out of four separate ones) with NO ACCESS!!! There could be ANYTHING up there. (Maybe Geraldo Rivera could do a special on television). Is there any window to it---you could hire a helicopter to look in.... // THE TITLE OF THIS HERE ZINE IS AM TYPING (C4) comes from the name of an explosive mentioned on many episodes of THE SENTINEL. In real life, I reckon that it's hard to obtain, but practically everybody can get it in the city the Sentinel takes place in (the fictional "Cascade, Washinton"). Jill and I had a room at a media convention right next to a stairwell marked "C4" on its door. We remarked about it frequently but it was too far away from the fan flow of traffic to point out to anybody.

Instead of putting "human" down as your race on the Census form, what would happen if you put down "Alien from Outer Space?" I guess that would have been illegal since you look so human.. // I think the president and vice-president can be residents of the same state, but ELECTORS from any state cannot vote for candidates for both offices who are from the exact same state as the electors. In a tight race the lost of a ~~xx~~ few electors is not worth the risk.