

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 11:45 P.M.: Now that summer and September are almost over with all of the rich people are departing the area to go back south to warmer areas, I guess we are now going back to being Greenwich, China. Thus I made up a batch of Chinese stir fry. I made up a batch of flavored rice

<http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> . I took out my Chinese wok, and I added about four tablespoons of olive oil and four pads of 50% less fat butter. I then peeled and minced four cloves of garlic, and I added them to the wok. I then took two half inch thick boneless pork tenderloins, and I cut them into half inch to a third inch by one to 1.5 inch strips. I then peeled and diced a medium large onion. I then cut into small half inch to 3/4th inch chunks about 3/4th of a pound of broccoli crowns. I then cut into quarters lengthwise about 35 baby carrots. I then turned on the electric burner heat underneath the Wok to medium high, and once the fat was bubbling, I added the pork and onions, and I sautéed it all until the pork was lightly browned. I seasoned it with ground black pepper, garlic powder, oregano, Old Bay Seasoning, red cayenne pepper, beef boullion seasoning and bacon bits. After a few minutes of stirring the ingredients, I added the carrots and broccoli, and I mixed it all together with more seasoning and a couple more tablespoons of olive oil and a tablespoon of sesame oil. I cooked the ingredients for about 8 minutes stirring them regularly, which is why they called it stir fry. I then added about a third of a cup of Kikkoman soy sauce, and I mixed it all together, and I continued cooking the ingredients for about another four minutes stirring them frequently. I use a large wooden spoon to stir the ingredients with. I then added half the rice to a large dinner plate spread over the plate, and I spread half the cooked stir fry ingredients over the rice. I put the remaining food in two separate Rubbermaid containers with lids, and I refrigerated them. I ate the meal with a glass of iced tea, and then I cleaned up the kitchen. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 10:05 P.M.: I watched on channel 727 a High Def movie "Super Volcano" Supervolcano (2005) (TV) about a Super Volcano eruption out in Yellowstone National Park in the state of Wyoming. It seemed to be accurate about what could happen. I ate two bowls of gold fish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 8:30 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I ran the cleaning cycles on the three ink jet printers attached to the primary Vista computer. They all seem to work well enough, although I hard ever use them. I printed out my September 2007 Microsoft Money 2006 report. I put it in an envelope to mail to an interested relative. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 6:40 P.M.: I woke up at noon when a relative called. I went back to bed until 2 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watched a Hi Def television program about Antarctica. Since my AT&T Go Phone is a Motorola C139, I could ordered this device which would work with a non Bluetooth wireless phone Cardo Scala 500 Bluetooth Headset and Bluetooth Adapter Combo US Retail SCALA COMBO at TigerDirect.com , however at 25 cents a minute incoming and outgoing, I do not use my wireless telephone that much, particularly since I have unlimited long distance on my apartment Optimum Voice telephone. I chatted with a relative watching a documentary on the Normandy invasion. I

guess the summer residents should be pulling out of town today to head further south for their long winter sojourns in warmer parts of the world. Although it is a nice day, I did not go out to conserve on fuel, and by avoiding going to the Knights of Columbus flea market, I did not spend any money on items that I can not afford at this point in my budget. Alas I can not afford this Newegg.com - Acer Aspire AS5100-3825 NoteBook AMD Turion 64 MK-36(2.00GHz) 15.4" Wide XGA 1GB DDR2 533 120GB DVD Super Multi ATI Radeon Xpress 1100 IGP - Retail, and since I do not work on computers outside of my apartment, I do not really need it, just to sit around the Greenwich Library and Starbucks trying to look like I am busy. I much more prefer the comforts of my apartment and the conveniences. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 5:25 A.M.: I ate a bowl of gold fish crackers. I watched some television. I will now shut down the Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 4:35 A.M.: If you look in the upper left hand corner of the picture from L.M.C., there is one fellow that is seven or eight feet tall, so some of their younger children might be taller. In other news around Greenwich, Connecticut, I saw advertising around town that today, they are going to have the Knights of Columbus Flea Market at the Island Beach Parking lot, which is an annual event. Maybe Michael Dell www.dell.com will be there selling computer parts out of the back of his car, or the Russian Army officer that told me that the Czar Nicholas III the son of Nicholas II of Russia - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia is still alive in Russia. If that were the case, he would be about 104 years old Alexei Nikolaevich, Tsarevich of Russia - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia which could be pretty much the case http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/4/4f/AlexeiNicholas1917.jpg. Russians look like Elves, which is why I call them the Elf people. The Vanderbilts www.biltmore.com last charity in Greenwich, Connecticut Welcome to Adopt-A-Dog is holding this event today, September 30th, 2007 Welcome to Adopt-A-Dog Events at Roger Sherman Baldwin Park on the scenic Greenwich, Connecticut waterfront. Maybe someone will show up with a pair of Russian Wolf Hounds to add excitement to the event. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 4:10 A.M.: I watched part of a movie on the Turner Movie Channel about they treat Yankees down South. The title of the movie is They Won't Forget (1937). Of course, everyone around here knows that Nelson Rockefeller's family lives way upstate in New York in North Tarrytown, New York way up the Hudson River, so more than likely "N.R.A." stands for something else, for example N could stand for Norway or Netherlands, R could stand for Royal and A could stand for Army. However, the Norwegian Army is called the Royal Norwegian Army, so more than likely since the Dutch always get everything backwards, it might stand for National Restaurant Association, but more than likely in a conservative republican town, it stands for Northern Railroad Association, but since I had seen the sweater before, and since I know quite a few people in Greenwich, Connecticut have National Rifle Association stickers on their cars, more than likely it stands for National Rifle Association - NRA Website Gateway which I became a member of back in 1959 http://mikelouisscott.com/lmc-1959.jpg probably before that youngster was born. Thus at the ripe age of nine years old down in Alabama, since I was a lousy swimmer, and they knew I would never go anywhere in the Navy around the

ocean, they started training me in marksmanship. However, having worked on Personal Computers with lousy monitors for 20 years and read books most of the rest of my life, I probably could not hit the back side of a barn. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 2:20 A.M.: I think I saw my Boss downtown today. There was a younger fellow with a tan and a sweater whom must be from some place warmer, and I thought he worked for New York Racing Association - Belmont Park , so I thought he was one of George Cary's security people, since his sweater had the initials N.R.A., which could be mistook for National Rifle Association - NRA Website Gateway , however rich people tend to wear their initials in Tiffany Monograms, so the initials stood for N.A.R., which any republican party member knows stands for Nelson Rockefeller - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia , so it must be a member of the younger generation with the same name, or he is wearing a hand me down sweater from his father or grandfather. It is not cold enough yet for me to wear my www.exxon.com Polar King winter hat yet. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 2:00 A.M.: On my high definition screen, I watched some VOOM HD Networks - RUSH HD on channel 734 . Of course, I am scared of heights, so it makes me nervous. I am definitely not up to this adventure Ueverest - The Altitude Everest Expedition 2007 . 9th.com :: New Media . Need some advertisers Greenwich, Connecticut Armchair Travelers . When I was younger I did a lot of dangerous things like flying frequently on the fleet of Chemstrand and Monsanto executive planes and jets, which is why I am not big on Air Travel. CIO

Note: <888> 09/30/07 Sunday 12:50 A.M.: Welcome to the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) .

<http://www.britannica.com/eb/article-9034053/Enrico-Fermi?source=ONTHISDAY>
Enrico Fermi

I replied with a comment to the Microsoft Vista SP1 beta web site about my installation problems with more information on how I resolved them. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 11:35 P.M.: I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers and a three scoops of lite Maple walnut ice cream. I put in four new 25 watt General Electric bent tip bulbs in the sconces above the dining table, and I put the three used ones back in the bulb drawer in the mahogany bureau in the bedroom. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 10:30 P.M.: I forgot, earlier I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 10:25 P.M.: This is the C139 wireless telephone at www.cvs.com on Greenwich Avenue for \$14.99 TRACFONE Nationwide Prepaid Wireless - PHONES and TRACFONE Nationwide Prepaid Wireless Motorola C139 . It looks to be about 25 cents a minute, but you might have to buy minutes in larger quantities than \$20. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 10:10 P.M.: For any Mikes in the area if you missed it, today is Michaelmas - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia . Scottish tradition, it is a good day to steal horses House Shadow Drake - Michaelmas . I called up my friend that investigates races horses to keep an eye on the horses. For my AT&T Motorola C139 Go Phone, I ordered a Buy Faceplate Motorola C139 Black Snap-On Protector Case & Wholesale Cell Phone Accessories for \$8, Buy Motorola C139 Rapid IC Car Charger & Wholesale Cell Phone Accessories for \$5, and a second Buy Motorola C139 AC Home/Wall Charger & Wholesale Cell Phone Accessories for \$7 and \$8.93 First Class Mail for \$28.93 total. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 7:50 P.M.: I went out after the message. I went by the Greenwich Automotive Services, and I bought \$16 of self service premium unleaded gasoline at \$3.439 a gallon for 4.653 gallons since the first of the month for 38.3 miles driving for a total on the odometer of 115,336.1 miles averaging 8.23 miles per gallon. I probably did not get as good of gasoline mileage this month, since possibly I did not fill the car all the way up at the first of the month, or possibly some of the full tank of gasoline evaporated while I was in Maine with the Audi. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with the reference librarian and two associates. I read P.C. Magazine and P.C. World magazine. I checked out the Microsoft book on Office 2007, but it does not have its DVD disk. I next went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I chatted with a few locals. I stopped by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I told them they should stock up on www.finaldetail.com spray car wax, since it is hard for Greenwich people to buff their cars. I stopped by CVS, and I chatted with some of the staff. At CVS, they sell a Trace Phone cordless telephone for \$15, and I guess you then activate their service at some per minute charge with one of the phone cards sells. It is the same phone as my AT&T Motorola C139 cordless phone. Since it does not have a cover, one can buy a face plate here Motorola C139 Protector Case Faceplate to keep the phone from dialing out at 25 cents a minute by mistake. I chatted with someone that looks like me who was wearing a Tucker's Point Tucker's Point Club, Bermuda Bermuda golf shirt, and he told me the Marriott corporation had developed it. Well, I went to school with Tommy Tucker Tucker Electronics - Sales of New, Refurbished, and Used Electronic Test Equipment at The Taft School , and they use to think I looked like him out in Nantucket www.nantucket.net , so maybe the Tuckers from Bermuda have my same look. I know where they use to live in this area, but that is top secret, but they are not the only family in the automobile business. I finished my walk. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought two 1 liter bottles of orange CareOne antiseptic mouth rinse for \$2.50 each and a 40 count box of Salada green tea bags for \$3.39 for \$8.69 total. I stopped by Val's liquors to chat about a couple of matters. I then returned home. The Chase Bank installed in the park at the rear of their building on the center of Greenwich Avenue a Scotty's Potties Port-A-Pottie, I guess for customers whom need to go after the bank is closed. The one at the top of Greenwich Avenue is no longer there. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 2:30 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I saw on television on www.cnbc.com that www.monsanto.com is doing better, since it produces hybrid seed corn which is used in growing corn for ethanol. I think they also are in the fertilizer business in the farming areas of the Midwest too. I will now shut down the computer, and I will shower and clean up, and I will go out for some errands. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 1:55 P.M.: I woke up at 10 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I paid my monthly electricity bill to www.cl-p.com . I ordered from www.ordersmokesdirect.com seven cartons of Native Ultra Lights 100s in a box for \$14.99 a carton and \$17.46 postage for \$122.39 total. I ordered two Boatbuilder's Shirt: Button-Front at L.L.Bean for \$12.95 each in xtra large size and blue color with free shipping for \$25.90 total both. Currently www.llbean.com has free shipping for anyone. I ordered Final Detail S/2 Top Shelf Series Instant Spray Wax at QVC for two 22 ounce spray bottles for \$17.68 both and \$5.72 shipping and \$1.40 tax for \$24.80 total. You can also order it here Final Detail Made by Car Buffs for Car Buffs for 22 ounce spray bottle from the manufacturer Final Detail Made by Car Buffs for Car Buffs . Thus in a week or so, I will get the Buick wagon washed, and I will wax it, as if I can afford to drive anywhere. With Final Detail car wax, you do not have to buff it, you just wipe it. CIO

Note: <888> 09/29/07 Saturday 1:05 A.M.: I watched some television. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 10:35 P.M.: On the Epox computer with the LeadTek XP Expert TV card, the card still does not work with the Vista Ultimate Media Center, but it works with the LeadTek TV program. I made and ate a baloney and cheese sandwich, which I ate with potato chips and a sliced dill pickle and a glass of ice tea. Since it is starting to get cooler around here, I would imagine some of our summer residents will be returning back south this Sunday on the last day of September when their leases run out on their summer residents. However, we can always depend on a few people from the north country whom do not mind spending the winter here or for that matter it is warm here in the winter by upper Midwest standards too. Of course when I first moved here in the summer of 1961, we were ice skating on the ponds in back country Greenwich on six inches of ice frozen by mid October, so currently the weather in this area is warmer, however that might change sometime in the future depending on worldwide volcanology activity. CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 8:45 P.M.: I got the LeadTek XP Expert TV card working on the Epox computer in both XP and Vista SP1. The problems I had was that I had the FM antenna plugged into the TV plug and the coaxial TV cable plugged into the FM plug. I also had to change the cable from the LeadTek card to the sound card to enable the sound properly. Thus it works just fine. I read in the tech notes for Vista SP1, one can enable it three times for 30 days after its original 30 day period, so the beta is basically good for 120 days. I ate two bowls of whole wheat gold fish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 6:40 P.M.: I woke up at 2 P.M. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I watered the plants, and I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl in the living room. I threw out the garbage and the old newspapers. I chatted with some neighbors, and I was told a local Japanese fellow runs www.ibm.com . That is the first I

heard that. I tried fiddling with the coaxial on the Sony Television splitting it to the Epox computer, but the Leadtek computer card would not work off the cable box. I am now doing an advanced channel scan on the Epox computer Leadtek XP Expert card. It seems like www.cablevision.com changed the frequencies, so I my three oldest TV cards to not work off www.cablevision.com . I disconnected the longer Coaxial cable from the bathroom where it split off by the Sony television, since I am no longer using it. I put it in the sweater closet. CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 5:35 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista SP1 beta computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 09/28/07:

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 4:25 A.M.: I watched some television. There seems to be a lot of crime and war type of programming which is not very entertaining. I will now send out my weekly notes. I ate two bowls of whole wheat gold fish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 2:35 A.M.: I took a shower and cleaned up, so I feel a bit more refreshed. CIO

American Indians need to walk more [BBC NEWS | Americas | New shoe targets Native Americans](#)

[BBC NEWS | Technology | Virtual lessons stimulate students](#)

[BBC NEWS | Technology | Portables to power PC industry](#)

[Wall Street in the Desert?](#) I still have my Saudi Arabian flag.

[ABC News: Doggone Rich: Prime Canine Real Estate](#)

I am downloading the latest release of Vista Server 2008 RC0 X86.

CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 1:25 A.M.: Looks like Tropical Storm Karen is changing course [Tropical Storm KAREN](#)

I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 1:15 A.M.: [Microsoft Silverlight: Downloads for Cross-Platform RIA Development](#)

<https://microsoft.order-5.com/FinManagement/Shipping.aspx>

Note: <888> 09/28/07 Friday 12:50 A.M.: After dinner, I went outside, and I threw away some garbage. I called up www.cablevision.com, and they told me it would cost an extra \$6.25 a month to keep the third analog TV box. I disconnected the TV cable from the Northgate Syntax computer, and I put it on the Epox computer. I took the better TV cable off the Epox computer, and I used it to hook up the third Digital TV box to the Orion television in the bedroom, so it now gets all of the Digital cable channels. When one is tired, and it is cold in the winter, it is nice to watch television in bed or when one wakes up. I programmed the Digital Cable box remote control to turn on and off the Orion television. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/27/07 Thursday 10:40 P.M.: I woke up at 4 P.M. today. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. About 5 P.M. UPS delivered the high definition Cable TV box. I took off the Visioneer 4400 scanner that was hooked up to the FIC server to the right of the primary Vista computer, and I put it away underneath the side board in the bedroom. I removed the tea tray, and I put it in the kitchen, and I removed the big B&M bean cans. I took out the old analog Cable box, and I put it in the HDTV shipping box with its remote control and power cable and return UPS label, and I set it on the back of the down sofa, and I will try to drop it off at a UPS shipping point, when I have time. I hooked up the new HDTV cable box the same way as the analog box, and I called up Cablevision to activate it. It works just great, and I get 40 high definition Cable Channels as well the analog channels on the Acer 22 inch center computer LCD panel. It also works with the Vista Media Center and the Hauppauge WinTV2000 programs, but I don't think they are high definition. I am not sure. To use it, one has to turn on the high definition cable box with its remote control and the Kworld High Definition remote control to channel 3, and it all works through the Cablevision High Definition cable box. It is as clear as a bell. I left the two remote controls by the cable box. I have not set up the Hauppauge remote control that works with the Media Center but it might work with it as it is already set up. I replaced a bent tip bulb by the Abraham Lincoln picture. I will now make the same two sautéed center cut pork tenderloins as two nights ago, and I will eat them with reheated flavored rice and steamed baby carrots and broccoli crowns with a glass of iced tea. The Queen Mary II QM2 - Itinerary - 2007, so we might have visitors tomorrow. CIO

Note: <888> 09/27/07 Thursday 11:25 A.M.: I went ahead, and I did a Vista SP1 beta Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard. The beta also prompts one to make a System Recovery Disk after the backup, which I did. I chatted with a relative and a friend and left a message with another friend. I have been experiencing a higher level of hacking against my Vista computer than normal this past evening and morning. The same thing happened before the hurricanes in Florida two years ago. Possibly Hurricane Karen which early this morning was tracking towards Bermuda is more than a threat than it seems at the moment. Whatever, the case it shows a certain level of sabotage on someone's part, and if they did it to a government computer during time of war, they would be subject to the espionage laws as they apply to war time sabotage during time of war. I will now shut down the primary Vista SP beta computer, and I will

go to bed soon. I have been awake for 24 hours with only four hours of sleep before that, so I am a bit tired. I will not be going to my 3 P.M. appointment today. CIO

Note: <888> 09/27/07 Thursday 8:15 A.M.: I went out after the last message. I chatted with a neighbor. I went by CVS on Greenwich Avenue, and I picked up a prescription, and I bought a package of 10 painted white metal clothes hangers for \$2.99 and .18 tax for \$3.17 total. I then drove down by the waterfront, and I said hello to a former neighbor, and I chatted with one of the regular fishermen. I saw the big boat art gallery at the hotel down there. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I chatted with another local. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought buy one get one free of Dock Side boxes of 4 lump crab meat cakes for \$7.99 both boxes and a 12.5 ounce bag of Lay's lightly salted potato chips for \$2.50 for \$10.49 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a relative whom was pulling out to sea. I used some of the hangers, since I was short on them. I then ate some gold fish crackers. Over the night and early morning hours, I finished off the box of goldfish crackers. I tried installing Vista SP beta full install as an upgrade on the primary Vista computer, but it would not allow that. I then ran "msconfig", and I typed down all of my startup programs. I then disabled all of them. I printed them out. I then disabled Norton Antivirus. I then rebooted the system, and I installed Vista SP beta and after a bit of troubleshooting of unknown origin, I was able to get it to install. Possibly the Cablevision Cable Box software upgrade going on at the same time interfered with the upgrade process, but I was able to get Vista SP beta installed. I had to reconfigure my four monitor arrangement in the computer setup. The primary Vista Ultimate System with SP beta seems to be running just fine. I enabled the startup programs from "msconfig". Thus the system is still the same with the Service Pack installed. Since I have two external backups of my original install and configuration, I could back up the Vista System with the Service Pack beta, but if I did it hard drive to hard drive, I would lose my Final Release configuration of Vista on the hard drive that might be worth saving. Thus I will think about it before backing it up. I watched part of a movie about Oxford University in the old days. I chatted with a neighbor when I returned home, and I showed the neighbor my current Computer setup. CIO

Note: <888> 09/26/07 Wednesday 6:25 P.M.: After I showered, and I cleaned up, I chatted with a relative. The relative said they would pay for the \$80 Nikon digital camera, and it would be my Christmas present. I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. I helped some neighbors package up a phone to send back to AT&T. The orange long sleeve polo shirt arrived UPS: Tracking Information on the order for \$8.95 Michael Kors Pima Cotton Shirt - Long Sleeve (For Men) - Save 86% with free shipping with coupon code "EPRV7A" for \$8.95. I hung it in the bedroom closet. I got the new front door pass card from my neighbor. I picked up my mail. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I will now go downtown for an errand. CIO

Note: <888> 09/26/07 Wednesday 4:05 P.M.: I went to bed at 6 A.M.. I had a telephone call from a friend at 7 A.M.. I chatted with a Greenwich Housing Authority representative, and I am going to pick up the new pass card at her nearby house at 5:30 P.M.. I chatted

with a relative about 10 A.M.. The relative was going to get me a Fuji 6.1 MP digital camera for Christmas, and I explained about the one that I just bought. I woke up at noon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a relative who is heading to Australia and New Zealand and is currently in Las Angeles on the Holland American Statendam having departed Vancouver, Canada on Saturday, so her wireless telephone works there. I downloaded the full install of Vista SP1 beta to the FIC server, and I burned two DVD copies. I installed it as Ultimate on the second partition on the Epox computer eliminating the Vista Server beta 3. The tech note says the Vista SP1 beta expires in April 2008, but on install it only has 30 days before product activation. I will look into that later. I can not use my current Vista key for the beta. I am making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . I will now shower and clean up. CIO

Note: <888> 09/26/07 Wednesday 5:30 A.M.: I tried installing Vista SP1 beta, and it failed twice giving error messages of "0X800706BA" and "0X80004005". After that it would not even start to install. I restored the backup and recent changes, so I am back to where I began. I also installed the most recent updates. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I will skip my noon dental appointment, and I will leave a message canceling it shortly. At my age of 57, I occasionally need a bit of rest. CIO

Note: <888> 09/26/07 Wednesday 1:40 A.M.: The back ordered item from www.directron.com for Vantec Notebook Security Lock NBL-S200 Cable Locking System 6.5 ft of 3/8 inch Coated Steel Cable-Best Computer Online Store Houston Buy Discount Prices Texas-Directron.com is scheduled for delivery UPS: Tracking Information . I downloaded Vista SP1 beta, and I will install it shortly. I do not need to backup my Vista computer, because I would rather use the backup that I made just before I left for Kennebunkport, Maine on September 8,2007. I have backed up any changed files since then. I will now install Vista SP1 shortly. As a beta tester I am not suppose to say to much. CIO

Note: <888> 09/26/07 Wednesday 12:40 A.M.: I received email that the camera will ship October 10, 2007, so it must be available. Maybe I have a Japanese friend somewhere. I once threw a party in Manhattan back in February 1975, and one of the guests was the grandson of Hirohito - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia of Japan, and he told me his name was Lance, and he was a concert pianist. If I had known he was going to be there during the blizzard when I showed up with my mother and <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> and Helen Kress Williams who said it reminded her of the blizzard of 1882, I probably would not have drunk so much free jackdaniels.com . As I recall they had about 20 fish tank aquariums for part of the party decorations, and it was in a loft in the Oldsmobile garage across the street from the www.cbs.com broadcast center on West 57th street. I recall personally dropping off an invitation for the party at the C.B.S. broadcast center for Connie Jung who I thought might be interested. CIO

Note: <888> 09/26/07 Wednesday 12:15 A.M.: I finished uploading the 795 pictures to www.kodakgallery.com . To improve my future photo opportunities, I ordered Refurbished from Adorama Amazon.com: Used and New: Nikon Coolpix P4 8.1MP Digital Camera with 3.5x Vibration Reduction Optical Zoom for \$79.95 and \$7.95 shipping for \$87.90 total. It is the same one which new here Amazon.com: Nikon Coolpix P4 8.1MP Digital Camera with 3.5x Vibration Reduction Optical Zoom: Camera & Photo costs \$478.23. However, this page [Amazon.com: Nikon Coolpix P4 Digital Camera, 8.1 Megapixel, 3.5x Optical Zoom, 2.5" LCD Screen - Refurbished by Nikon U.S.A.: Adorama Camera](http://Amazon.com: Nikon Coolpix P4 Digital Camera, 8.1 Megapixel, 3.5x Optical Zoom, 2.5) says it is not in stock, so hopefully since Amazon took the order, I will get it. This is the Nikon web page on the camera Nikon USA: COOLPIX P4 . I got email that Vista SP1 beta is available for me to download, but I have a noon dental appointment today, so more than likely I will be going to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 10:00 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. I threw out some garbage. I picked up my mail. I got a catalog which might be handy for people in the North Country in the winter. It is from [Pressure Washers, Portable Generators, Mowers, Lawn + Garden | Northern Tool + Equipment](http://Northern Tool + Equipment) particularly this section [Heaters | Northern Tool + Equipment Heaters and Wood | Heaters, Stoves + Fireplaces | Northern Tool + Equipment and Corn + Pellet | Heaters, Stoves + Fireplaces | Northern Tool + Equipment](http://Northern Tool + Equipment) . Although it is still a bit warm here, contrary to popular opinion that since so many Brazilians live here, we have mild winters, historically from my experience, we do frequently have very cold winters, particularly if you can not afford fuel. I had dinner of a cup of steamed baby carrots and broccoli crowns and flavored rice <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> . I also put a couple of tablespoons of olive oil and a few pads of 50% less fat butter along with two cloves of chopped garlic in a 10 inch stick proof frying pan, and I heated it over medium high electric burner heat, and once the fat began to bubble, I added two of the 5 ounce boneless center cut pork tenderloins, and I seasoned them with ground black pepper, garlic pepper, Italian seasoning and Montreal Steak seasoning, and once they had browned for about a minute and a half on one side, I flipped them and seasoned them. Altogether I cooked them about three to four minutes a side, and for the last two minutes, I added a few tablespoons of Kikkoman soy sauce and a couple teaspoons of Lea and Perrins Worcestershire sauce. I put half the rice on a dinner plate, and the other half in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator, and I put the two pork tenderloins on the plate, and I covered the pork and rice with the cooking juices. I put the vegetables in bowl with a little bit of olive oil. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I chatted with three relatives. I am uploading 795 pictures from Kennebunkport, Maine this summer to www.kodakgallery.com , and I will send a few relatives and friends the link to view them. Since there are private family pictures in the group, I do not post them to the general public. Since it is about a half of a gigabyte of files, it take a while to upload them. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 4:20 P.M.: Microsoft Action Pack Subscription

ASPnews.com -- News : Vista Service Pack, Windows Server Previews Hit

GOP.com

Xerox FreeColorPrinters Program Application

The Face of Windows Server 2008

My appointment that I missed while I was away was rescheduled for next week.

I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers.

TG Daily - Microsoft quietly unveils Vista-to-XP downgrade

I called up www.overstock.com , and they said they would trace the pearl necklace sent to Maine that was never received, and they would send it to my current Greenwich address.

I was called about my dental appointment tomorrow.

Biltmore Newsletter

Interop New York 2007

I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 3:30 P.M.: I emailed www.directron.com about this item that was back ordered Vantec Notebook Security Lock NBL-S200 Cable Locking System 6.5 ft of 3/8 inch Coated Steel Cable-Best Computer Online Store Houston Buy Discount Prices Texas-Directron.com that I have paid for, but I have not received. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 3:15 P.M.: I tried on the new pants, and they fit just fine. I hung them up in the bedroom closet. I called up Microsoft Partner Direct at 1-800-214-6223 with web site at www.msppartnerdirect.com/winback/ , and they told me to call 1-800-765-7768 to renew my Microsoft Partner account. I called up the Microsoft Partner Number at 1-800-765-7768, and I got some information on my account. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 1:50 P.M.: I went ahead, and I paid my www.cablevision.com account for next month October 2007 for the Cable Modem Optimum Boost, the Digital Cable TV, and Optimum Voice long distance. I also went ahead, and I paid my new www.geico.com policy starting next month beginning October 7, 2007 with the first payment of four monthly payments for the next six month policy period. I also paid my next month's www.verizon.com telephone bill. I also paid to www.newegg.com \$75.38 for the Welcome to KWorld ! available here from Newegg.com - KWORLD KW-SA220 VGA Interface TVBox w/ YPbPr 1080i Signal input - Retail . It has a speaker, so you can use your large LCD computer monitor as a High Definition television if you have High Definition TV. You are suppose to be able change the monitor from computer to TV for \$69.99 plus \$5.84 UPS ground shipping less \$2.99 preferred discount rush ordering plus \$2.99 rush ordering for \$75.83 total. Thus at the beginning of October 2007, I will still have to pay my www.cl-p.com electricity bill due in October 2007 for this month and my rent to the Greenwich Housing Authority for October 2007. By paying my

bills ahead of time, it keeps me from spending money that I do not usually have to spend after I pay my bills. I also will have to order some more cigarettes. I thus am continuing to manage my finances as best I can, and trying not to spend any extra money which I can not afford. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 12:50 P.M.: I ate another bowl of goldfish crackers before going to bed at 2 A.M.. I was awake at 10 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. UPS will deliver the orange long sleeve polo shirt tomorrow. I chatted with an associate. I installed the Vista updates. On the Vista machine if the Logitech wireless keyboard and mouse program does not work for its advanced settings, one can close it out and reopen it, and it works just fine. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. CIO

Note: <888> 09/25/07 Tuesday 1:00 A.M.: I microwaved and ate a Boston Market 9.5 ounce sirloin tip and mashed potato dinner. I mixed the potatoes and meat and gravy together before eating it, and I ate it all with a glass of ice tea. I watched a bit of television. I will now shut down the computer, and I will go to bed soon. I will eat a bowl of goldfish crackers before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/24/07 Monday 11:20 P.M.: I broke the left wing on the pair of eye glasses that I was using for my computer work. They were the ones that I had soldered together. I left the left ear piece off, and I strung the restraining cord through the nose piece hole, and the cord fits over my head, so they work fine enough for computer work, and I can also now carry them, since the fixed ear piece is no longer there. I went back outside at around 6 P.M., and I chatted with a neighbor. The TV device and the pants arrived from UPS shortly there after. The orange shirt did not arrive yet. I still have not received the steel lock cable from www.directron.com yet either. I installed the Welcome to KWorld ! available here from Newegg.com - KWORLD KW-SA220 VGA Interface TVBox w/ YPbPr 1080i Signal input - Retail with it hooked up the center 22 inch Acer LCD monitor and connected to the digital cable box and I used a Y audio cable to feed the sound both into the Vista computer sound card and a non computer attached pair of Jensen speakers that I set behind the monitors. The Jensen speakers are powered on by the power strip switch as is the Kworld TV device, and one uses the Kworld remote control to run the TV on the Acer 22 inch LCD monitor. I set it up. It works just fine. However, I called www.cablevision.com , and with my digital cable TV package to get High Definition television, I need a High Definition cable box, which they are going to send to me at no extra charge, and I will return my current cable box in a prepaid shipping box. Possibly I might get a second one if it works on my Sony television too, since it might be able to receive high definition television. It will take three to five days to arrive via UPS. I left the Kworld remote control with the Cablevision remote control by the right side of the computer. I left the Kworld manual which shows the remote control features just above it. I am not using the picture in picture feature, since I would have to lower the monitor resolution, and I don't need it. Basically, when one turns on the Kworld TV device with the remote control the center 22 inch LCD monitor becomes a television screen with the Jensen

speakers for sound if the computer is turned off. I chatted with two friends. The pants seem just fine, but I have not tried them on yet. CIO

Note: <888> 09/24/07 Monday 5:40 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/24/07 Monday 4:30 P.M.: On the Saturday morning on September 8, 2007 when I drove up to Kennebunkport, Maine there were about 200 motorcycles and riders from Revere, Massachusetts at the New Hampshire rest area on I-95 headed north, and when I drove down yesterday, there were about 2,000 motorcycles and riders that I saw of unknown origin at the Maine rest area heading north on I-95, so more than likely if Fred Von Mierers <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> 's real name was Fred Revere or in Mexico or Spain Frederick Revera, possibly they chopper guys from Revere, Massachusetts or where ever they came from are still looking for the British. CIO

Note: <888> 09/24/07 Monday 4:10 P.M.: To show an example how liberal publications tend to get the figures for the whole planet, I read or heard when I was up in Kennebunkport, Maine that the worldwide debt was 248 trillion U.S.A. dollars or \$248,000,000,000,000 which divided by the worldwide population of 6.5 billion people or 6,500,000,000 or to make the math simple drop the last eight zeros on each number or 2,480,000 divided by 65 would be \$38,153.85 worth of debt for every individual on the planet. Of course if any bill collectors from another planet want to collect the debt, everyone on the planet could send me their share of the debt, and I could hold it in escrow until the bill collector from another planet showed up. I just had a telephone call from Redmond magazine. CIO

Note: <888> 09/24/07 Monday 3:45 P.M.: I noticed when I was driving down Round Hill Road yesterday, that the Vanderbilts www.biltmore.com last charity in Greenwich, Connecticut Welcome to Adopt-A-Dog is holding this upcoming event Sunday, September 30th, 2007 Welcome to Adopt-A-Dog Events at Roger Sherman Baldwin Park on the scenic Greenwich, Connecticut waterfront. This event really brings out all of the back country old guard since most of them are dog friendly. Even Leona Helmsley left \$12 million dollars to her dog which is more than she gave the Greenwich Hospital. About a year after I moved in to my current apartment about 18 years ago, I went to the Adopt-A-Dog tag sale up on Lake Avenue at a nice farm, and I bought on the second day of the tag sale for half price for \$40 a baby blue wool carpet about 15 feet by 12 feet which had been just cleaned by the Shaffer Rug cleaners and donated by Burt Parks, and it is still on my living room floor, and it is lasting just fine. Although I do not have the time to walk a dog a half dozen times a day which it usually takes if you own a dog plus the expense of vet bills and food, I consider myself dog friendly, and I am always very friendly with the local animal population in the community. I just got a call from www.cio.com magazine. Who knows maybe Flipper will show up in the harbor for the Adopt-A-Dog show. Flip might be heading south for the winter too. CIO

Note: <888> 09/24/07 Monday 3:05 P.M.: I stayed up until about 1 A.M. this morning. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I woke up this morning, and I ate breakfast of oatmeal,

2 slices of toast, orange, grape, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and coffee with spenda and milk. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watered the plants using 8 drops of Shultz liquid plant food per quart of water. I put out more white vinegar in the scent bowl in the living room. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I threw out some garbage. I went by the Valley Road Post Office, and I picked up my mail for the last two weeks. The \$65 rebate check on the HP Laser printer arrived, and I put it in the Chase Bank on Mason Street when I went there next. I then went by the Greenwich Housing Authority offices on Milbank Avenue, and I paid my rent there, since their billing system is not working properly this month. I was not able to pick up a new front door pass card, since the individual I would get it from was not there today. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop. I than went by Val's Liquors at the Stop and Shop plaza, and I bought a 10 ounce bottle of Angostura bitters for \$9.50 with tax. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a loaf of Stop and Shop 12 grain bread for \$2.29, buy one get one free of six packs of English muffins for \$2.99 both, a 24 ounce bar of Stop and Shop New York Extra Sharp cheddar cheese for \$4.99, a pound of sliced American cheese at \$5.49 a pound for \$5.52, 1.5 pounds of German baloney for at \$2.49 a pound for \$4.28, a quart jar of B&G sliced kosher dill pickles for \$2.99, a 3 liter container of Capatriti Extra Virgin Olive oil for \$14.99, a 10 ounce bottle of Lea and Perrins Worcestershire sauces for \$2.99, a 100 count box of Splenda packets for \$3.99, a six pack of 5 ounce boneless center cut pork chops for \$1.99 a pound for \$4.52, a 2 pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.99, fresh Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.77, broccoli crowns at \$1.69 a pound for \$1.50, and a bulb of garlic for \$2.99 a pound for .60 for \$56.41 total. I then returned home, and I brought up the groceries, and I put away the mail. I sorted out and threw away my old periodicals. I put my new www.geico.com insurance card in my automobile glove box. I took out the title to the Buick Wagon from the glove box, and I put it in safe keeping in the apartment. I chatted with a relative. I had a telephone call from www.microsoft.com and from Federal Computer week. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich and a glass of iced tea and a slice of dill pickle and sour cream and onion potato chips. I have to wait this afternoon for my three packages from www.ups.com to arrive. CIO

Note: <888> 09/23/07 Sunday 10:20 P.M.: I put a little bit of Italian seasoning and grated parmesan cheese on the Stouffer's 21 ounce lasagna to add flavor. I am a little bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I have errands to do in the morning, and I have to be here in the afternoon to wait for www.ups.com to arrive. Have a good night. My relative gave me two Ralph Lauren t-shirts I have on the bedroom closet shelf, and I also got a new blue knee length bathing suit, not that I can afford to make it much to the beach recently. CIO

Note: <888> 09/23/07 Sunday 9:15 P.M.: After the last message, I cleaned the garage rug with some green cleaner where the tree men had left foot tracks from wiping their feet. I watched the www.foxnews.com special on David Petraeus - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia . My relative returned back at 9:30 P.M.. I helped my relative with some minor activities. I went to bed at 11 P.M., and I ate two bowls of Cheese Its. I woke up at 6 A.M. today. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with sliced banana, toasted English muffins with butter, orange juice with vitamins and supplements, and coffee with half and half and

sugar. I showered, and I cleaned up, and I finished backing. I started packing the Audi. I put Ridex in the toilet downstairs to clean out the septic system. At 9 A.M., I left the house in Kennebunkport in the Audi with one of my relatives, and I drove to the Maine turnpike in Wells, Maine heading south on I-95 to the New Hampshire Turnpike to I-95, and we took a break at the Massachusetts welcome center. We then got on I-495 West, and we stopped at the Lowell rest area, and then we got on I-290 west to the Massachusetts turnpike. We stopped at the Clardon rest area, and I ate a ham, turkey, and cheese sandwich that I had brought with me. We filled up the Audi fuel tank. We then got on I-84 west, and we stopped at the Connecticut welcome center. We took the Charter Oak Bridge east of Hartford to I-91 South, and to I-15 West the Wilbur Cross Parkway. We stopped at the North Haven and the New Canaan rest areas on the Merritt Parkway. We got off in Greenwich, Connecticut at Round Hill Road, and we drove by three of my families' former houses where the neighborhoods seem much improved. I showed my relative the new Greenwich Hospital and the new Presbyterian Church. We stopped at the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon station, and we filled up the Audi fuel tank, and I washed its windows. We then stopped at Wendy's on West Putnam Avenue, and we met up with my other relatives coming from elsewhere. I turned over the Audi to a relative, and they dropped me and my luggage off at my apartment building. I brought up the luggage, and I turned on the air conditioner, the toilet, and the air purifier. I went outside, and the Buick wagon started right up, and I ran it a few minutes. I let a baseball field spectator use the public bathroom. I then unpacked. My order from www.newyorkcoffee.com for eight pounds of coffee beans and the two coffee mugs were in the apartment. I also brought down from Kennebunkport, Maine 2 more pounds of the same mixture, so I now have 10 pounds of coffee beans for the upcoming winter. I chatted with two friends. I had to call up www.cablevision.com to get the television to work, and they had me reboot the cable box by unplugging it and plugging it in. Once the apartment was cooled off, I started up the server, and the primary Vista computer. I installed some updates. I chatted with a relative, and they arrived further south with the Audi safely. With Optimum Voice, it is easy to keep in touch with one's relatives where ever they may be. I will now microwave and eat a Stouffer's 21 ounce frozen lasagna with a glass of iced tea. Earlier I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers with some iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 09/22/07 Saturday 7:40 P.M.: The guests left, and my relative left for dinner. I barbequed two hamburgers medium rare, which I put on buns with mayonnaise and Jack Daniels Barbeque sauce and sliced onion, and I ate them with two ears of sweet corn and a can of Nestea Ice Tea. I cleaned up the kitchen. I will now shut down the IBM Netvista, and I will not be updating my web notes, until I return home to Greenwich, Connecticut tomorrow or the following day, when I have time to log on to the internet. Farewell, Kennebunkport, Maine. We plan to leave here tomorrow Sunday September 23, 2007 in the Audi at 9:00 A.M. to be down to Greenwich, Connecticut by 3:30 P.M. to meet up with other relatives whom will drive my relative further south in the Audi. We will drive down the same way I came up stopping at rest areas about every hour. I will go to bed after my relative returns from dinner, and I will probably eat some Cheese Its. CIO

Note: <888> 09/22/07 Saturday 5:55 P.M.: I woke up at 5:20 P.M.. I ate some Cheese Its. I took some pictures of my relative in front of the painting of Goat Island. My relative had two guests arrive before she departs for dinner, when the guests will also depart. CIO

Note: <888> 09/22/07 Saturday 4:40 P.M.: I put away my laundry. I went out at 2:15 P.M. with my relative to do an errand. We filled up the Volkswagen Passet with fuel at the Blue Canoe Irvine gasoline station. We returned about 3:45 P.M.. I emptied the dishwasher. I put the back seat down in the Audi to have it ready to leave tomorrow after I pack it. I packed most of my gear together in the large green duffle bag. I still have to pack my toiletry items in the small Swiss Day pack. I will now take a nap for an hour. My relative is going out to dinner at 6:20 P.M. this evening, and I will stay up until the relative returns about 9 P.M.. I will go to bed shortly thereafter. CIO

Note: <888> 09/22/07 Saturday 1:25 P.M.: I ate two bowls of Cheese Its before going to bed last night. I woke up at 8 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of scrambled eggs, toasted English muffin, a 50% mixture of orange juice with 50% cold filtered water with vitamins and supplements and a cup of coffee. I checked the attic above the garage, and one stickim mouse trap was on the trap door, but nothing was in it, and the other one had disappeared out of sight, so the creature must have dragged it away or got lose. The tree men yesterday cleaned the gutter on the north side of the house, and today I cleaned the front gutters and the gutter where I could reach it on the south side of the house and the rear gutters above the deck area. I also hosed the remaining asphalt roof debris out of the gutters, so they are free flowing. I swept off the rear deck, and I stacked the bricks that the plants sit on at the end of the deck by the door. I used the leaf blower, and I cleaned out the garage, the front walk, and the driveway. I watered the plants in front and in the rear. I showered, and I cleaned up. I did a load of laundry, and I just started the dry cycle. I ate lunch of a tossed green salad with avocado and sliced hard boiled egg and crab meat with crackers and a glass orange juice flavored cold filtered water. I cleaned up the kitchen, and I started the dish washer. Tracking is UPS: Tracking Information on the order for Welcome to KWorld ! available here from Newegg.com - KWORLD KW-SA220 VGA Interface TVBox w/ YPbPr 1080i Signal input - Retail . It has a speaker, so you can use your large LCD computer monitor as a High Definition television if you have High Definition TV. You are suppose to be able change the monitor from computer to TV for \$69.99 plus \$5.84 UPS ground shipping less \$2.99 preferred discount rush ordering plus \$2.99 rush ordering for \$75.83 total. I will now go through my email. I also chatted with a relative leaving for Australia and New Zealand on a cruise. CIO

Note: <888> 09/21/07 Friday 8:25 P.M.: http://www.forbes.com/2007/09/20/toys-boys-ultimate-forbeslife-richlist07-cx_el_0920billietoys.html?partner=daily_newsletter

I will now shut down the computer, and I will watch some television for a while. I will go to bed about 10 P.M., and as usual I probably might eat some Cheese Its before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/21/07 Friday 8:05 P.M.: The tree men reported their was some fox crap on the steps leading down to the back yard, so there is a fox in the area. I shoveled it off, and I

threw it over to the side of the property. I heard something making a chewing sound in the attic space above the garage. I climbed up there with a latter, and I opened the trap door, and I put two stickem mouse traps on the wooden floor above the attic trap door. I then closed the trap door, and I put the latter off to the side in the garage. We watched the www.abcnews.com evening news. We ate dip and crackers. For dinner, we had broiled scallops wrapped in bacon, spinach soufflé, sweet corn on the cob with butter, and I also ate it all with a glass of cold filtered water flavored with some orange juice. I cleaned up the kitchen. When I was throwing out some garbage, it sounds like the stickem mouse trap caught something and it fell with the stickem mouse trap on the lid of the garage attic trap door which is recessed a few inches below the attic floor. It sounds too big to be a mouse, and I don't think the stickem mouse trap would hold a squirrel, so more than likely it is a chip monk, which we have lots of around here. I could open the garage attic trap door with a broom to see if anything falls out from above, but my relative said to wait until the morning. The pants were not able to be delivered by UPS in Greenwich today, so all of the ordered will be delivered this Monday after I return this coming Sunday September 23, 2007. CIO

Note: <888> 09/21/07 Friday 4:35 P.M.: We visited with some relative after the last message. We then went by the Kennebunkport post office. We then went by Meserves, and I got the York County Star and a box of Cheese Its for \$4.59 two dollars more than the Stop and Shop. We then went by a friend of my relatives, and we dropped off one of the three hanging plants from in front of my relatives' house. We then went by the Kennebunk beach. We went by Port Lobster. We then returned to my relatives. I made and ate a ham, cheese, and turkey sandwich which I ate with potato chips and cold filtered water with a small bit of orange juice. I went back by Port Lobster to pick up some crab meat. I chatted with the tree men briefly. I then went with one of my relative's and we drove over to the Art Gallery across from the Wayfarer restaurant in Cape Purpose, and we picked up a picture my relative had framed. We then went by Sandborn's to get four ears of silver queen corn for .55 an ear for the sweet corn. We then returned to the family house, and we hung the new picture of the Goat Island Light House in Winter in the living room replacing the picture that was there done by Cosby who was Richard Nixon's director of communications out in Laguna Beach, California. It apparently was just a print, and it is stored in a tube in the basement. I think the frame is being sold for other purposes. The two tree men finished up at 3:30 P.M.. My relative paid them. They also sprayed a blue type of growth preventer on the stumps in the lower back yard to prevent future growth. It is a lot clearer looking in the lower back yard area. One of the limbs on the north side of the house could not come down because of a hornets nest in it. The hanging limb from last time was also taken down.

For Kennebunkport, Maine and area real estate try <http://www.legacypropertyessir.com/> . CIO

Note: <888> 09/21/07 Friday 11:55 A.M.: Don't Miss Out! 6 Great Deals Expiring Soon @ Geeks.com! \$1.99 shipping on \$50 order

The trees being cleared out in back are giving the property a lot clearer view of the waterfront. They will have two debris piles, which they could do a control burn on next spring to burn them down.

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If you need your carpets cleaned in Kennebunkport, Maine, try **Carpet cleaning - Portland, Maine area**

I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/21/07 Friday 10:35 A.M.: I woke up at 8 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. Two tree people are here from www.chainsawsteve.com . They are cutting down some of the smaller brush trees around the property. The house keeper is here and the law cutter is also here. I showered, and I cleaned up. CIO

Note: <888> 09/20/07 Thursday 8:35 P.M.: We watched the www.abc.com evening news. We chatted with a relative. For dinner, I had two crab cakes, a stuffed baked tomato, and sautéed yellow squash with sweet onions, and I also drank a glass of orange juice flavored cold filtered water. I will now shut down the computer, and I will read this month's National Geographic before going to bed. I will probably eat the last piece of blueberry pie before going to bed around 10 P.M.. The tree guys are here again tomorrow to some more maintenance work around the property. Also the house keeper is suppose to be here as is the lawn cutter, so it will be a busier day. I set out a stickem mouse trap in the small storage room behind the bunk room, and I stuck another one in the bunk room. There is also one in the downstairs guest room and one in the basement by the laundry area. CIO

Note: <888> 09/20/07 Thursday 6:35 P.M.: The shirt scheduled for delivery today was not delivered, because I was not there. I rescheduled to have it delivered on Monday instead. I can do the same thing for the pants delivery tomorrow after the make an attempt to deliver them. CIO

Note: <888> 09/20/07 Thursday 5:40 P.M.: I just ordered [Welcome to KWorld !](http://Newegg.com) available here from Newegg.com - [KWORLD KW-SA220 VGA Interface TVBox w/ YPbPr 1080i Signal input - Retail](http://Newegg.com) . It has a speaker, so you can use your large LCD computer monitor as a High Definition television if you have High Definition TV. You are suppose to be able change the monitor from computer to TV for \$69.99 plus \$5.84 UPS ground shipping less \$2.99 preferred discount rush ordering plus \$2.99 rush ordering for \$75.83 total. I will hook it up to my Acer 22 inch LCD monitor on the primary Vista computer, and I will connected to the Vista computer Optimum Digital www.cablevision.com box for high definition television on that monitor. It should arrive this coming Monday after I return home. CIO

Note: <888> 09/20/07 Thursday 5:05 P.M.: I received notification that I have been accepted to beta test Vista SP1, but it is not available for download yet, and I would have to wait until I get home this Sunday September 23, 2007. CIO

Note: <888> 09/20/07 Thursday 4:40 P.M.: We went out after the last message, and we went by the Kennebunkport post office. We then drove over to the Office Park by the entrance to the Maine Turnpike in Wells, Maine, where the www.ups.com sorting warehouse is located, and they have a Customer Service Office there opened from 2:30 P.M. to 6 P.M. Monday through Friday. We got there at 2 P.M., so while waiting I wrapped the foot stool in bubble wrap. Once they opened I bought a 25 inch by 25 inch by 25 inch box for \$10 and .50 tax for \$10.50. They had box tape there for closing the bottom side of the box. I then packed the foot stool and some sheet in the shipping box with a lot of old crumpled up New York Times that I had brought along. I then sealed the box with more box tape. My relative shipped the foot stool UPS ground down to Florida for about \$60 and another smaller box for \$20. It is suppose to take six days and arrive next Wednesday. We then returned back to my relatives' house. I ate a ham, turkey, and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a sliced of dill pickle and orange juice flavored cold filtered water. I took down the bird house from in front of the house. A carpenter is working on the house in front of my relatives' house. Tracking is UPS: Tracking Information on the order for \$8.95 Michael Kors Pima Cotton Shirt - Long Sleeve (For Men) - Save 86% with free shipping with coupon code "EPRV7A" for \$8.95 total is suppose to be delivered today to my apartment in Greenwich, so I will see if they are able to deliver it for me to pick up later. Tracking on the order for four pairs of pants from www.sierratradingpost.com in waist 42 inches and length 30 inches one in taupe and one in tan of Pleated Front Pants (For Men) - Save 66% for \$12.95 each, and two denim of Classic Fit Jeans (For Men) - Save 66% for \$9.95 each for \$45.80 total with free shipping using coupon code "EPRV7A" is UPS: Tracking Information is suppose to be delivered tomorrow. I will see whether I need to contact them about going ahead and delivering them depending on today's order. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/20/07 Thursday 1:10 P.M.: I ate two bowls of Cheese Its before going to bed. I was awake at 9 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. They New York Times did not arrive today. My relative went out to an appointment. I watered the plants in front and rear of the house. I used the leaf blower to clean out the garage, the front sidewalk, and the driveway. I checked the oil on the Audi. I cleaned the inside of the Audi including the inside windows. When my relative returned, I cleaned the inside of the Volkswagen Passat including the inside windows. We are going out shortly to www.ups.com in Wells, Maine to mail to packages. CIO

Note: <888> 09/19/07 Wednesday 8:30 P.M.: I will now shut down the computer, and I will watch some television before going to bed a little after 10 P.M.. I might look at the New York Times. I might eat the last piece of blueberry pie or a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/19/07 Wednesday 8:15 P.M.: I went through my email earlier. My relative returned home about 4:30 P.M.. We drove by the Kennebunkport post office to mail some letters. We then went by friends retirement home to drop off a plant. We then went by the Blue Canoe Irvine gasoline station, and we filled up the Audi fuel tank with premium self service unleaded gasoline at \$2.949 a gallon for about 14 gallons and \$42.01 total. With the trip up from Greenwich, Connecticut and local driving around Kennebunkport area, I had

put on 345 miles on the Audi, and I got about 24.5 miles per gallon. One gets a dollar off the \$7 basic car wash at the Blue Canoe car wash in Kennebunk with fill up, so we got the basic \$6 discount car wash. I removed the rear antenna which unscrews and took it off from the Audi, and then after the car wash put it back on. Before we drive it down to Greenwich this Sunday, I still have to check the air in the tires, and I have to check the oil. We then drove over to the Biddeford shopping mall area. My relative has a foot stool that she wants to mail, but I thought it was over 28 inches high instead of the 20 inches that it is, so I did not buy the 24 inch by 24 inch by 24 inch box at www.homedepot.com for \$3, but I bought some bubble wrap for \$6. I then went by Staples and Wal-Mart, but they did not have a larger size box. I got a Igloo Ice Cooler box at Wal-Mart that is about 4 feet long, but my relative decided to get the right size box at www.ups.com in Wells, Maine tomorrow and pack it there, and mail it from there. I left the large Igloo ice cooler box folder up on the side of the garage wall. We watched the evening news and ate dip and crackers. I ate dinner of a stuffed boneless breast of chicken with two ears of sweet corn on the cob with butter, and the remaining angle hair spaghetti with tomato sauce and shrimp with chopped onions and mushrooms. I ate it all with a glass of orange juice flavored cold filtered water. CIO

Note: <888> 09/19/07 Wednesday 4:10 P.M.: I sat outside for a while. There is a group of large type fungus or mushrooms growing on the lawn on the southeast side of the house. I do not think they are those expensive mushrooms they eat in France, but they sort of look a bit like them. More than likely they are poisonous. I ate a piece of spice cake with a bit of orange juice flavored water. Actually in the north country traditionally people tend to drink apple juice, but by force of habit we still buy orange juice in this neck of the woods. There are still Florida license plates around Kennebunkport, Maine, so a lot of people are still enjoying the cooler sunny days around the resort area here. There seems to be a lot of retired senior citizens in the area, when I drive through town. Later on in the season, they call them leafers, for the people who travel into this area to watch the annual leaf foliage change its colors. Since it has been a dry summer this year, more than likely the leafs will drop quickly this upcoming fall season. I cleaned three more ears of sweet corn on the cob to have available for dinner this evening. I am waiting for my relative to return, so we can go out on an errand. CIO

Note: <888> 09/19/07 Wednesday 2:45 P.M.: After the last message, I put some water with Shultz plant food on the plants on the rear deck and the hanging plants and herbs at the front of the house. I moved some items from the family room for better winter storage. I took down the U.S.A. flag in front of the house from the flag pole that I repaired and painted this summer, and my relative is going to wash the flag. My relative went out to lunch. I ate a ham, turkey, and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle with orange juice flavored cold filtered water. I watered the plants in front and at the rear of the house. I brought the flowering plants off the rear deck of the house, and I lined them up along the front sidewalk, so they can be appreciated in the fall. I chatted with a relative. I also brought the rest of the porch furniture off the rear deck, and I put it in the garage with the other porch furniture. I saw on the television that www.paulallen.com 's new urban redevelopment in Seattle, Washington has a new trolley car system called something like the Seattle Lower Urban Transit, and they nicknamed it "S.L.U.T." for short, and

everyone at the coffee shops are buying sweat shirts that say "S.L.U.T." . I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/19/07 Wednesday 12:10 P.M.: Palm Beach days in Greenwich, Connecticut next week Antiques show sets sail for Greenwich - Greenwich Time . Our guest left. I used the leaf blower to clean off the Audi and the driveway, sidewalk, and the garage. I went downtown with my relative to the Kennebunkport post office. I put away my laundry. CIO

Note: <888> 09/19/07 Wednesday 11:00 A.M.: I ate a piece of blueberry pie and a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed last night. I was up at 9 A.M. this morning. I ate my usual breakfast. I showered, and I cleaned up. I am doing a load of laundry that is almost done, and I just started the dry cycle. One of the visitors from Palm Beach, Florida showed up to visit this morning. We took some pictures. CIO

Note: <888> 09/18/07 Tuesday 8:40 P.M.: I woke up from my nap at 6 P.M.. I watched the www.nbc.com evening news with more about the report from Greenland by the son of a neighbor of a relative. For dinner, we ate angel hair pasta with tomato sauce with chopped onions and sautéed mushroom and shrimp with grated parmesan cheese on it. I ate it all with a glass of orange juice flavored cold filtered water. I then cleaned up the kitchen. I chatted with a relative.

Vista deployments set to treble in 2008, says Gartner

https://partner.microsoft.com/40020336?msp_id=windowsvista

I went through my email. I made a \$36 payment on my General Electric Air Conditioner maintenance contract in mid August 2007 for the contract from September 12, 2007 through September 11, 2008. Today they took out another \$36 payment from my account, so I guess they do it automatically without me authorizing it. I have one more payment, I guess in October 2007 to pay it off. I will now shut down the computer, and I will watch television and read the New York Times, and I will go to bed a little after 10 P.M.. I will probably eat a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/18/07 Tuesday 3:40 P.M.: Our two guests from Palm Beach, Florida with the New York Yacht Club emblem on their car arrived at noon. We drove them along the waterfront by Walker's Point as far as Cape Purpose, and then we stopped by briefly at an art gallery in Cape Purpose, and then we stopped by the Colonial Pharmacy in downtown Kennebunkport, then we stopped by Meserves where one of our guests were able to get a copy of Investor's Business Daily. We then drove around the waterfront in Kennebunk, and we go out to enjoy the view at the east end of the beach briefly. We then returned home. We all had lunch. I ate two crab meat rolls with potato chips and a glass of cold filtered water flavored with orange juice. Our guests departed about 3 P.M., and I then went down to the Kennebunkport post office briefly. They are still pressure cleaning the house in front of my relative's house. CIO

Note: <888> 09/18/07 Tuesday 11:50 A.M.: I emptied the dishwasher before going to bed. I went to bed at 10:30 A.M.. I ate two bowls of Cheese Its before going to bed. I woke up at 8:30 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. The New York Times did not arrive yesterday, so we got yesterday's and today's today. A relative picked up yesterday's copy. I showered, and I cleaned up. We have two guests from Palm Beach, Florida showing up for lunch. I drove over to Sandborn's on Route 9, and I got two containers of crab meat and three ears of Silver Queen sweet corn. I then went by Bradbury's and I got a 8 pack of Pepperidge Farm hotdog rolls for crab meat rolls. I then returned back to my relative's house. They are pressure cleaning the house for sale in front of my relative's house. I brought in the garbage can. CIO

Note: <888> 09/17/07 Monday 8:10 P.M.: We chatted with two relatives and a neighbor. We watched the www.nbc.com evening news. There was a segment done by a friend of a relative about the ice cap melting in Greenland, and how if the ice cap melts in Greenland, the ocean would rise 24 feet, and most of South Florida, the Netherlands, and other minor areas like Manhattan would be under water, so I guess we better keep an eye on the ice cap in Greenland. Where I live in Byram, Connecticut might be on higher ground, since there is over a 50 foot high hill down to Port Chester, New York, so I guess I would be living on a peninsula or island if the ocean rose 24 feet. For dinner, we had sautéed baked breaded sea scallops, and I also had a half of a sliced tomato, and two ears of steamed corn on the cob, and a third of a piece of cantaloupe, along with a glass of cold filtered water flavored with orange juice. Earlier, I went through my email. Not much seems to be happening on the internet, so I guess the internet capitalists are resting on their laurels. I cleaned up the kitchen. I started the dish washer. I emptied the kitchen garbage, and I put the big garbage can out by the street to be picked up by the municipal garbage hauler tomorrow. We missed the Recycling day last week, so it is not due until next Tuesday, after I will have left here. I will now shut down the computer, and I will watch some television, and I will read some of the New York Times. I will go to bed shortly after 10 P.M., and I will probably eat a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/17/07 Monday 5:50 P.M.: After the last message, I drove over the Kennebunk beach and I walked the entire length of the Kennebunk beach from the breakwater to the condo at the end and back. I used the porto-o-potty on the beach. I then returned home, and I took a nap until 5:30 P.M.. CIO

Note: <888> 09/17/07 Monday 2:20 P.M.: I went out with my relative, and we went by the Kennebunkport post office. We then went by Rite Aid drug store in Kennebunk. We then went by Packages Plus. We then went by the Super Stop and Shop. We then returned home. I saw Carnival Cruise buses in town, so one of the cruise ships must be in Portland, Maine. I ate a ham, turkey, and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle, a piece of spice cake and a glass of www.coke.com on ice. I will now go for a walk on the Kennebunk beach. CIO

Note: <888> 09/17/07 Monday 11:25 A.M.: Microsoft Must Share Code With Rivals - Greenwich Time

Chinese Man Dies After Three Day Internet Session -- InformationWeek

Most Expensive ZIP Codes - Forbes.com

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Greenwich, Connecticut is number 127 on the list, so I guess we are on the low end of the economic ladder. CIO

Note: <888> 09/17/07 Monday 10:50 A.M.: I went to bed at 11 P.M.. I ate a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. I woke up at 9 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. I cleaned up the kitchen. I water the hanging plants on the front porch. I showered, and I cleaned up. To the east of my relative's house, they have a new construction project, so occasionally on weekdays, one hears them using dynamite. I will now do some regular computer work. CIO

Note: <888> 09/16/07 Sunday 8:20 P.M.: We watched the evening news. For dinner, I had a barbequed steak cooked outside on the grill, two ears of fresh sweet corn on the cob, steamed green peas, and orange juice flavored water. I will now shut down the computer, and I will watch television and read the Sunday New York Times. I will probably go to bed around 10 P.M.. I might eat a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. For Liberals Kennedy Half Dollar Men's Watch (Black) or Kennedy Half Dollar Men's Watch (Brown) \$8 and \$5 shipping for \$13 total. CIO

Note: <888> 09/16/07 Sunday 5:50 P.M.: I took a nap. I went through my email. Since I have a 22 inch LCD monitor on my primary computer, I might get this when I get home Welcome to KWorld ! available here from Newegg.com - KWORLD KW-SA220 VGA Interface TVBox w/ YPbPr 1080i Signal input - Retail . It has a speaker, so you can use your large LCD computer monitor as a High Definition television if you have High Definition TV. You are suppose to be able change the monitor from computer to TV.

New Way to get around BBC NEWS | Americas | Warming 'opens Northwest Passage'

CIO

Note: <888> 09/16/07 Sunday 1:15 P.M.: I woke up at 8 A.M. this morning. I ate my usual breakfast. I showered, and I cleaned up, and I dressed up for church. My relative and I went to the 9:30 A.M. Communion Service outdoors at St. Anne's Episcopal church on the waterfront in Kennebunkport, Maine. They also had a baptismal service at the service. I made a \$5 donation at the offering. Church was over at about 10:30 A.M.. We then drove along the waterfront by Walker's Point, and we went by Sanborne's on route 9. We got six ears of fresh corn on the cob and a half pound of crab meat. We then drove out to Cape Purpose, where I got out to enjoy the view. By the monument there, they have a Geodesic Survey marker from January 1901 pound in the rock by the monument. There use to be one like that on the pier on Steamboat Road in Greenwich, Connecticut, but it has disappeared a number of times over the years. We then returned back to my relative's house. I changed my clothes. I ate lunch of a turkey, ham, and cheese sandwich, a crab

meat roll, a sliced of dill pickle, potato chips and a Nestea ice tea on ice. I fixed the RCA remote control in the kitchen for the Phillips Magnavox television in the kitchen, and I put new batteries in it. Its programming code is "062" . I wrote it on the inside of the battery case of the RCA remote control. My relative keeps the instructions for it in the living room in the small cabinet another relative made. There is the same remote control for the unused Sharp television stored in the basement. I also ate a Cary's toffee bar from Oregon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/15/07 Saturday 9:45 P.M.: After the last message, my relative and I went for a drive along the shoreline along Parsons Beach just north of the lower village in Kennebunk. We then returned, and we set up for a cocktail party for relatives that arrived at 6 P.M.. The relatives departed about 7:15 P.M.. We then cleaned up after the cocktail party. I drank cold filter water flavored with orange juice. For dinner, we had filet of salmon cooked outside on the grill, with flavored rice and steamed green peas, and I drank more orange flavored water. We then cleaned up after dinner. We watched the CNN special report about women's problems in Afghanistan. We then watched part of Robert Schuler. We chatted with a relative. I will now shut down the computer, and I will go to bed soon. We might go to church tomorrow depending on how cold it is outside in the morning for the outside service. My relative will call me up if we are going. I will eat a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/15/07 Saturday 3:55 P.M.: I was able to email a picture of the house without the pine tree in front using www.hotmail.com . Outlook Express on the internet connection here does not let one send outgoing email. My relative had a neighbor visit who was looking at the house for sale in front of us. Visitors arrive in Hobe Sound, Florida <http://www.tcpalm.com/news/2007/sep/15/18-people-were-spotted-boat-trying-come-ashore-jup/> . Maybe they lost all of their money at the Atlantis Resort in the Bahamas. I will now take a nap. CIO

Note: <888> 09/15/07 Saturday 2:30 P.M.: I folded my laundry, and I put it away. I put clean linens on my bed. I ate a ham, turkey, and cheese sandwich with a sliced dill pickle and potato chips and a cold diet Sprite. I moved the Audi from the neighbor's to my relative's driveway, since they are cleaning out the neighbor's garage. The neighbor with the house in front of my relative's is putting the house up for sale, but it is not listed yet. It is suppose to start clearing up at 4 P.M. this afternoon, and it is suppose to be clear through September 23, 2007, when we drive down to Greenwich, Connecticut to meet up with some other relatives to transfer my relative and Audi further south. My relative was recommended this book Amazon.com: Old Filth: Books: Jane Gardam . I combined the two containers of All detergent, so there is nearly one full one in the basement laundry. I filled the other All detergent container with Tide with Fabreze and labeled it, and it is by the laundry machines upstairs. There is also still the large container of Tide with Fabreze downstairs. CIO

Note: <888> 09/15/07 Saturday 12:30 P.M.: I went out to the Kennebunkport post office. It seems like the rain will be continuing for a while, so I will not have to water the plants today. I am on the dry cycle on the laundry. I still have to pay my rent when I get home on

September 23, 2007, so I do not have anymore funds in reserve for bottom fishing on the internet. CIO

Note: <888> 09/15/07 Saturday 11:30 A.M.: I went to bed at 9:30 P.M.. I ate a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. I was awake at 9 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. My relative and I chatted with a mutual friend. I put down the remaining storm windows for the winter that need to go down in the house. I showered, and I cleaned up. I am doing another load of laundry including cleaning the sheets off my bed. I have about 15 minutes to go on the wash cycle. It is still overcast, but it has quit raining. It is suppose to clear up later on today. CIO

Note: <888> 09/14/07 Friday 8:00 P.M.: After the last note, my relative, and I went for a drive in the Audi along the Kennebunkport shore line past Walker's Point and we drove north on Route 9 and we went by Sandborne's where we got three fresh ears of corn on the cob. We then drove north on Route 9, and we toured around Goose Rocks Beach area. We then drove out to the point at Cape Purpose, and I got out to enjoy the view. We then returned home. We ate cheese, dip and crackers and baby carrots while we watched the evening news. For dinner, I ate two pork chops that I barbequed on the grill along with two ears of corn on the cob with butter, and I ate it all with Minute Maid lemon aid. I will now shut down the computer. We will watch some television, and I guess I will go to bed around 10 P.M.. We chatted with a relative last night, and we might chat with the same relative tonight. It is suppose to rain tonight and early this morning, but the rest of tomorrow is suppose to be nice. CIO

Note: <888> 09/14/07 Friday 4:40 P.M.: I woke up from my nap at 4 P.M..

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Tracking on the order for four pairs of pants from www.sierratradingpost.com in waist 42 inches and length 30 inches one in taupe and one in tan of Pleated Front Pants (For Men) - Save 66% for \$12.95 each, and two denim of Classic Fit Jeans (For Men) - Save 66% for \$9.95 each for \$45.80 total with free shipping using coupon code "EPRV7A" is UPS: Tracking Information .

<http://www.obs.univ-bpclermont.fr/lmv/>

<http://www.bgs.ac.uk/scripts/showitem/home.cfm?cat=5>

10 Sites to Improve Your Life - Reviews by PC Magazine

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I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/14/07 Friday 2:05 P.M.: I ate a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed about 10 P.M.. I was awake at 9 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. I put in eight Jobes fruit tree spikes in the ground around the outer drip line of the flowering plum in front of the house. I have 7 left. I watered the plants in front and the rear of the house and on the deck. The house keeper was here this morning. I used a hammer to fit the basement screen door, so it closes properly. I can not find the lower storm window insert for it. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out with my relative at noon, and we went by another relative's house to send a fax. We then went by the Kennebunkport post office. We then went by the video store, but they did not have the movie we were looking for. We then drove along the Kennebunk beach. We then returned to my relative's house. I ate a ham, turkey, and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a diet Sprite. I ate a Cary's toffee bar from Oregon. I will now take a nap. CIO

Note: <888> 09/13/07 Thursday 9:00 P.M.: The guests left about 8 P.M.. I ate a 10 ounce Stouffer's stuffed peppers for dinner with a piece of toast and a piece of ginger cake along with orange flavored cold water. I cleaned up after the party, and we will now watch some television. I will now shut down the computer, and I will probably go to bed around 10 P.M.. CIO

Note: <888> 09/13/07 Thursday 7:30 P.M.: I ordered four pairs of pants from www.sierratradingpost.com in waist 42 inches and length 30 inches one in taupe and one in tan of Pleated Front Pants (For Men) - Save 66% for \$12.95 each, and two denim of Classic Fit Jeans (For Men) - Save 66% for \$9.95 each for \$45.80 total with free shipping using coupon code "EPRV7A". They are seconds, but they are a good value for the money. After the last message, my relative arrived home. I ate a turkey and cheese sandwich with potato chips and orange juice flavored cold water and a slice of a dill pickle. We went back out about 1:15 P.M., and we drove by the Earl Spencer reception, and it looked about a hundred people were there, but we did not go in, since we did not recognize anyone. My relative then went by the ACE hardware store, and we got a Jobes 15 spike package of tree spike fertilizer for the flowering plum tree in front for \$7.99. My relative then went to manicurist and pedicurist across the street, and that took about an hour and a half. I filled up my relative's car fuel tank, and I had it washed at the Blue Canoe car wash. We then went by the Super Stop and Shop, and we got some groceries. We then went by the Kennebunkport post office. We then returned to my relative's house. I brought in and put away the groceries. I used the leaf blower to clean the garage and the driveway. I helped my relative to setup for the cocktail party. I am doing some computer work downstairs why they get together. They will be leaving between 7:30 P.M. and 8 P.M., and then my relative and I will have dinner after we prepare it. CIO

Note: <888> 09/13/07 Thursday 12:05 P.M.: I just order for \$8.95 Michael Kors Pima Cotton Shirt - Long Sleeve (For Men) - Save 86% with free shipping with coupon code "EPRV7A" for \$8.95 total. I ordered it in red orange in the XX Large size, the only color and size available. CIO

Note: <888> 09/13/07 Thursday 11:45 A.M.: Free Pearls Promotion . The free pearls that I ordered have an expected delivery date until September 18, 2007, so they can track or trace them until then.

The Windows Observer--New Test Releases of Windows Server 2008, 'Viridian' Imminent

» Microsoft details search changes coming in Vista Service Pack 1 | All about Microsoft | ZDNet.com

General Motors Opel Flextreame Concept Car Reveal ~ Chris Pirillo

I went through my email.

CIO

Note: <888> 09/13/07 Thursday 10:30 A.M.: I woke up at 8:30 A.M.. I ate my usual breakfast. I showered, and I cleaned up. My relative went out to an appointment. According to the Tourist News, Princess Diana's brother Earl Charles Spencer the Ninth Earl will visit Hurlbutt Designs in the Kennebunk Lower Village today. He is touring the United States to promote his home furnishings line Althorp Living History ALTHORP LIVING HISTORY, a collection of more than 300 items based on designs from Althorp the Family Seat, the 500 year old ancestral home of the Spencer family one of the most aristocratic families in England. He will be at Hurlbutt Designs from noon to 2 P.M. today, and their local number is 1-207-967-4110. I think Earl Spencer lives in South Africa part of the year, so he might have some furniture made out of interesting hard woods. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 9:40 P.M.: I watched part of Murder She Wrote and then we watched part of a PBS special on Tony Bennett. We chatted with a relative. I will now shut down the computer, and I will go to bed soon. I will eat a bowl of Cheese Its before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 8:00 P.M.: There is a tree limb hanging just to the east side of the big tree that was taken down on the north side of the house. It is caught in the vines up in the air, so it did not come down to the ground, when it was cut off, so hopefully sometime it will fall to the ground. I watched the evening news with my relative. For dinner I had two 3 ounce crab cakes, spinach soufflé, and sautéed sliced yellow squash with diced onions, and I ate it all with a glass of cold filtered water flavored with a little bit of orange juice. I cleaned up the kitchen. I have made up a list of tasks to do before we depart Sunday, September 23, 2007. The weather was nice and sunny today, and we do not expect anymore rain until possibly this Saturday. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 5:45 P.M.: I woke up from my nap at 5 P.M.. Two pictures:

<http://www.geocities.com/mike2scott2007/colony-hotel-kpt-07.JPG>

<http://www.geocities.com/mike2scott2007/mlskpt07.JPG> Mike Scott on beach in front of Colony Hotel

The Colony Hotel - Kennebunkport, Maine and Delray Beach, Florida

If anyone is hungry there is a crab apple tree along side the Colony Hotel full of apples, but they might be just small yellow apples. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 3:35 P.M.: I took a walk over to the breakwater by the ocean. During my walk, I took about a 150 digital pictures with my little www.polaroid.com digital camera. When I returned my relative and guest returned. We drove over to Chic's Lobster house, and my relative got crab meat. My relative's guest was looking for Cod balls or Cod cakes, which they no longer are able to get. I remember in the book that I read about a half dozen years ago, "Let the Sea Make a Noise", they said the New England cod fishing grounds were fished out, and they needed to have a moratorium on Cod fishing. We said good bye to my relative's guest whom departed, and I returned back to my relative's house with my relative. My relative brought back for me half of a toasted ham, bacon, and cheese sandwich which came with some French Fries and a sliced dill pickle, which I ate for a second lunch with a little bit of orange juice and mostly cold filtered water. I will now take a nap. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 1:20 P.M.: My relative and guest left for lunch. I ate a turkey and cheese sandwich with potato chips a sliced dill pickle and a small bit of orange juice with water. I had a telephone call from Foreign Pharmacy Discount Drug Prescriptions -Save 80-90% on Health Bills , and they ship from India, and they have free shipping on over \$100 orders. Their toll free number is 1-866-419-7475. They told me a hundred 20 mg. Lipitor pills are about \$140. You do the math. Last time I was here, they called my relative up. I guess the Agah Khan keeps tabs on me. www.kenradio.com is soliciting for funds, so I guess he is not doing too well anymore. I went through my email. I will now go out for a short walk to the break water. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 12:20 P.M.: Students get look at new technology on Microsoft truck - Greenwich Time . My relative's guest arrived, so they will go out to lunch shortly. CIO

Note: <888> 09/12/07 Wednesday 11:25 A.M.: Before I went to bed, I put the fully charged 2.5 million watt rechargeable lantern in the tool cupboard along with its charging transformer in a zip lock bag. I also put in the fully charged Schumacher automobile jump start system with its power cord. I woke up at 8:30 A.M. this morning. I ate my usual breakfast with a sliced half of a banana on the oatmeal. I put bone meal around the two peonies plants out front. I put Miracle Gro fertilizer around the two rose bushes out front. I used the leaf blower to clean out the garage floor and the driveway. I watered the hanging plants and herbs on the front porch underneath the overhang where they do not get rain. I swept off the rear deck. I turned off the water from below for the rear deck hose, because the second hose for watering in the back yard had broken and was leaking. I replaced it with a spare good hose from the front yard, but I left the rear faucet turned off, since I am

here I can turn it on and off for watering. I cut off the broken piece of hose, and I removed its splice, and I put the splice on the garage shelf with the other spare hose parts. I put the replaceable hose threaded end back on the good section of hose which is now about 8 feet shorter, and I coiled it up, and I left it by the front of the house hose faucet where the other hose came from. I threw away the broken hose pieces in the garbage. I showered and I cleaned up. My relative has a guest coming over at noon, and they are going out to lunch. I will now empty the dishwasher. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 10:10 P.M.: My relative, and I are watching the Hallmark movie channel. After a while, I will go to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 8:55 P.M.: My relative is back chatting with her friends in the car. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 8:40 P.M.:
http://images.businessweek.com/ss/07/08/0827_enclave/index_01.htm 2008 Buick Enclave or www.buick.com . CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 8:35 P.M.: My relative has a bottle of white wine on the kitchen counter called "Fat Bastard Chardonnay" Fat Bastard Wines. Worst places for hurricanes http://images.businessweek.com/ss/07/09/0911_hurricane/index_01.htm? CIO.

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 8:20 P.M.: I researched that \$150 Swedish laptop computer made in Brazil, and it looks like it might be a scam. My relative and guests left for dinner at 7 P.M. for dinner. I steamed two fresh ears of Maine sweet corn on the cob which I ate with butter on them along with a couple of dozen cold cooked asparagus tips with vinaigrette dressing and a reheated baked boneless breast of chicken which I ate with a glass a glass of cold filtered water flavored with orange juice. I cleaned up the kitchen. I ate the last five hors d'oeuvres with tricuits and cheese and chutney. My relative has a lot of products from Stonewall Kitchen - Specialty Foods, Gifts, Gift Baskets, Kitchenware and Kitchen Accessories, Tableware, Home and Garden Décor and Accessories in the refrigerator which is nearby in York, Maine. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 6:05 P.M.: One of my relative's guests have arrived. We are out of Club Soda. I am going to remain inconspicuous, since it is a hen gathering. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 5:25 P.M.: I rested until 4 P.M.. I helped my relative by placing name labels on luggage tags. My relative is having guests at 6 P.M.. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 2:25 P.M.: My relative's lunch guest decided not to show up because of all of the rain. I went out with my relative, and went by the Kennebunkport, Maine post office. We then returned the DVD to the video store in Kennebunk. We then drove around the waterfront beach area in Kennebunk. We toured the neighborhood of Fairfield Drive and Admiral's Way. I stood out briefly, and I watched the four surfers on the Kennebunk beach. We then drove along the Kennebunkport waterfront, and there were still a few cars viewing Walker's Point. The resort area still gets tour buses this time

of year. I think the Colony Hotel has a Jamaican connection, since their winter hotel in Delray Beach, Florida employs a lot of Jamaican help. I then had lunch of the remaining chicken salad on a bed of lettuce and some left over pasta salad with potato chips and a glass of cold water. I put away my clean laundry. I ate a small piece of Cary's English toffee from Oregon. I will now take a nap. My relative has guests arriving at 6 P.M.. CIO

Note: <888> 09/11/07 Tuesday 11:00 A.M.: I was awake at 8:15 A.M.. I ate my same breakfast as usual, but I had a sliced nectarine on the oatmeal, and I ate a whole wheat English muffin instead of a blue berry muffin. www.ibm.com story at <http://www.nytimes.com/pages/technology/index.html> and Reshaping the Architecture of Memory - New York Times. I showered, and I cleaned up. I brought in the garbage can from the street. We forgot to put out the blue newspaper recycling bin, but it is only 1/6th full, so it is due to go out in two weeks. I started a load of laundry, and the dry cycle will be started soon. The Panasonic 2.4 GHz cordless telephone works just fine with the new battery. I am charging up the 2.5 million watt rechargeable lantern. I will put the lantern and its recharging transformer at the kitchen entrance with the other flash lights. Its battery would get cold outside in the garage in the winter. It takes 15 hours to charge up. I have the small Schumacher automobile jump start system charging. It says it is fully charged, but I will leave it on for a while. I will then put it in the tool cabinet at the kitchen entrance to the house, so its charged battery will not get cold out in the garage in the winter. We will not be driving down until Sunday September 23, 2007, when we will meet up with other relative's at my apartment to transfer my relative. My relative is having a guest today and guests this evening, so I will be on my own while she entertains the guests. CIO

Note: <888> 09/10/07 Monday 10:15 P.M.: We had dinner of baked boneless chicken breast breaded with Japanese bread crumbs and fresh steamed Maine sweet corn on the cob, and I ate my dinner with a glass of cold filtered water flavored with a little bit of orange juice. We chatted with some relatives. We watched the movie "Georgia Rule". I will now shut down the computer, and I will go to bed soon. It is suppose to rain all day tomorrow. CIO

Note: <888> 09/10/07 Monday 5:50 P.M.: The tree men finished about 3:30 P.M.. I used the leaf blower to clean off the drive way. They cut off some limbs around the deck area of the house after the last message. They plan to return in a week or so to do some more work. I went with my relative, and we went by the Radio Shack store in Biddeford, Maine, and I got a new rechargeable battery for the Panasonic 2.4 GHz cordless telephone in the kitchen. It will take six hours to charge up. We then stopped by a farm stand in Arundel, Maine, and we got four ears of fresh corn for .50 an ear and two yellow squash for .50 for \$3 total. We then stopped by the Super Stop and Shop in Kennebunk, Maine, and we got a few minor items. We then went by the Ace hardware store in Kennebunk, Maine, and I got 2 four packs of Stickim mouse traps for \$3.49 a four pack plus tax. We then returned back home in Kennebunkport, Maine. I will now help my relative prepare dinner. The coffee was delivered to my apartment in Greenwich at 5:09 P.M., so hopefully tomorrow the building custodian will put it in the apartment if the night person has not already done so. CIO

Note: <888> 09/10/07 Monday 2:40 P.M.: The tree men took down the pine tree in front that was dying. They are now working on some of the other areas around the house. They will be coming back in the near future to do some more work. CIO

Note: <888> 09/10/07 Monday 2:00 P.M.: I went out, and went by the video store, and I got the DVD "Georgia Rules". I then went by the Kennebunkport post office, and I picked up the mail and a large shipping box. I then returned home, and I ate a bacon, ham, and cheese sandwich with potato chips and New England clam chowder with a glass of a small bit of orange juice and cold water. The tree men have finished clearing the debris from the oak tree they cut down on the north side of the house, and they also trimmed some of the limbs from the other trees in the same area. They also cleared some of the brush down by the pond. They are also going to do some other work in the future around the trees hanging over the deck area. CIO

Note: <888> 09/10/07 Monday 11:30 A.M.: I read the New York Times. The tree men are still cutting up and removing the oak tree that they cut down. They are suppose to do some other tree work around the house after that. Of course, the oak tree was not originally planned, so I do not know if they will get the other work done today or not. CIO

Note: <888> 09/10/07 Monday 10:25 A.M.: I woke up from my nap yesterday afternoon at 5 P.M.. I showered, and I dressed up. We went to a relative's house for dinner. We mailed two letters on the way. We ate chicken casserole, with green beans with toasted almonds, and wild rice, and I ate my dinner with Poland Spring water. We returned home about 9 P.M.. We watched some television, and my relative read the Sunday New York Times. I went to bed at 10:30 P.M.. One of my relatives had given away the comforters for the bunk room downstairs, so I used the tiger print blanket from the other guest bedroom downstairs. I was awake at 8:30 A.M. this morning. I ate the same breakfast as yesterday. www.chainsawsteve.com showed up with two helpers. They are doing tree trimming work around the house. We decided to have them cut down the 40 foot tall 18 inch diameter at the base oak tree that was partially uprooted on the north side of the house, and it was partially rotten overhanging the north end of the house, so it is now cut down. I showered and I cleaned up. We need to get another rechargeable battery from www.radioshack.com in Biddeford, Maine for the Panasonic 2.4 GHz cordless telephone in the kitchen. My relative is staying home today to keep an eye on the tree work. CIO

Note: <888> 09/09/07 Sunday 1:30 P.M.: We ate the chicken salad on a bed of lettuce with sliced eggs. My relative seasoned it, so it tasted very good. We ate it with some potato chips. I made a mistake and when I cut the chicken into half inch chunks, somehow a 1.5 inch long small bone got in the chicken salad, and my relative caught it while eating it, and did not choke on it. I am usually very careful with chicken salad, but occasionally one does get bones in it if not careful. I normally use boneless breasts of chicken for chicken salad. CIO

Note: <888> 09/09/07 Sunday 12:40 P.M.: I chatted with my relative. I watered the hanging plants on the front porch that do not get the rain. There is plenty of rain still coming down. I tore off the rest of the meat off the cooked chicken, and I cut it into half inch chunks and put it in a bowl, and my relative is now making chicken salad out of it. I

tested the new Black and Decker iron that I gave my relative, and it seems to work just fine. One has to follow the instructions. The higher settings are for steam and the lower settings are for non steam. One does not have to empty the water after using it. One fills it for steam to the maximum on the window. One stores it in an upright position after it cools. We will be eating the chicken salad for lunch shortly, and I guess we might have something else like potato chips with it, and I will drink a mixture of orange juice with cold filtered water. CIO

Note: <888> 09/09/07 Sunday 11:15 A.M.: 50% off English shirts for men Formal dress shirts, suits, ties and shoes from Charles Tyrwhitt and another New York Times advertisement Boden USA Online Clothes Shop & Mail Order Clothing Catalogue. . CIO

Note: <888> 09/09/07 Sunday 11:00 A.M.: Apparently real estate prices around Kennebunkport, Maine have dropped quite a bit, so there are houses selling for 25% less than they were a year ago, if you are in the market for Kennebunkport, Maine real estate. I called www.overstock.com , and they will track the free lost pearl necklace, and they will ship it to my Greenwich, Connecticut address instead. It rained quite a bit this past morning, so I probably will not have to water the plants today. We did not go to church at St. Anne's Episcopal church since the outdoor service would have been cancelled, and my relative with arthritis has a hard time kneeling in church. Arthritis runs in the family. We are having dinner at a relative's house this evening. CIO

Note: <888> 09/09/07 Sunday 10:20 A.M.: I was awake at 8 A.M. this morning. I brought in the Sunday New York Times. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana and honey and milk, a 50% to 50% mixture of orange juice with cold filtered water with vitamins and supplements, coffee with half and half with sugar, and a blueberry muffin. I chatted with my relative. I showered, and I cleaned up. CIO

Note: <888> 09/08/07 Saturday 9:40 P.M.: We ate cheese and crackers. We had dinner of a part of a Stop and Shop cooked chicken, steamed corn on the cob and steamed baby carrots and broccoli crowns, and I ate my dinner with iced tea. helped clean up the kitchen. I threw out the garbage. I read the New York Times and Architectural Digest. I chatted with a relative. I emptied the dishwasher. I am a bit tired, so I will go to bed shortly. There were about 200 motorcyclists at the New Hampshire rest area today. CIO

Note: <888> 09/08/07 Saturday 5:35 P.M.: I was awake at 5 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana and honey, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, a mixture of orange, cranberry and grape juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I turned off the air conditioner and fans and air purifier, and I turned off the toilet water. I made a baloney and cheese sandwich to bring with me. I packed the car. I also brought the fresh produce with me. I chatted with a neighbor, and I left my apartment complex at 7 A.M.. I drove west on Putnam Avenue to North Street, and I went north to the Merritt Parkway I-15 East. I took a break at the Bridgeport rest area, and I chatted with somebody from Brazil. I took another break at the North Haven rest area. I got on I-91 North to I-84 East. I took a break at the Vernon rest area. I got on the

Massachusetts turnpike, and I took a break at the Clardon rest area. They have a farmers market there. I chatted with my relative via wireless. I got on I-290 East to I-495 East, and I took a break at the Lowell rest area. I got on I-95 North, and I took a break at the New Hampshire rest area, and I ate my baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips. I then went north on the New Hampshire Turnpike to the Maine turnpike, and I got off at the Wells Sacco exit. I took a break at the Amtrak train station by the exit. They have five Amtrak trains a day. They are called the Down easterner. I drove south to Route 9, and at that intersection I turned east. There is a self service car wash at that location, so I spent about \$6 in quarters to wash the Audi. I then drove East about two miles to the road that one turns south on into Kennebunkport, Maine. I arrived at my relative's house at 1 P.M.. I unpacked the car. My relative gave me some New England clam chowder to eat which I ate with a can of cold lemon aid. I unpacked. I took a nap from 2 P.M. to 3:30 P.M.. I then went for a drive with my relative around the waterfront by Walker's Point and then along the Kennebunk beach. There was a bit of light rain. We ran into a relative at the beach. We just now returned. My relative never received the pearl necklace from www.overstock.com, so I will have to check with them. I had entered the wrong street address. CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 8:40 P.M.: I chatted with my relative, and there is a change of plans. I will drive up tomorrow morning to Kennebunkport, Maine, so I will now shut down the server, and I will pack, and then I will go to bed, and I will leave tomorrow morning. I will post my Kennebunkport trip notes at Michael Scott trip to Kennebunkport, Maine, September 2007 once I am up there, providing I still have internet access. CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 7:25 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. www.ups.com arrived with another delivery, and I briefed our regular UPS delivery person about the coffee delivery this Monday. It is coming from Roswell, Georgia, so maybe it is some of Wiley Middleton's coffee that he imports through the Middleton shipping company of Savannah, Georgia. I then went by the Valley Road post office, and I put in a stop mail order for the period that I will be gone. According to tracking my \$65 www.hp.com rebate is Check your HP rebate status at the HP Rebate Center enter "KPYK-6397-3428" has been mailed. I then went by the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon gasoline station, and I put \$40 of self service premium unleaded gasoline at \$3.499 a gallon filling up the fuel tank. I washed the windows, and I checked the air on all four tires at 32 PSI. I reset the trip meter, and I ran the diagnostics check, and everything passed OK. I then returned home, and I chatted with some neighbors. Apparently they are not going to build the new additional senior and family housing at this location at Vinci Drive, because the local Byram neighborhood wants to keep its green area intact. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and the last of the dill pickles along with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 5:35 P.M.: I went outside, and I checked the oil on the Buick and the Audi, and the oil level is fine. I sat out for a while. I found something in the Buick that I will return to Maine. I chatted with two relatives. I finished eating the rest of the box of goldfish crackers. I repositioned the bathroom florescent light over the toilet, so hopefully it turns on now. Tracking is UPS: Tracking Information for the order for or

CoffeeForLess.com sells premium coffee such as Starbucks coffee, coffee beans, Kona coffee, tea, Jamaica Blue Mountain and more two four pound bag packages with a thermal mug with each four bag package for \$16.95 for the four pounds and thermal mug less 5% coupon "CFL" and \$5.95 UPS ground shipping for \$38.16 total. I will leave notes on the front door for UPS to deliver it to the building custodian or leave it outside my door, and I will leave a note for the building custodian to put it in my apartment while I am away. I will now go out and fill out a Stop Mail form at the Valley Road Post Office, and I will mail it there. I will then fill up the Audi at the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon station.
CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 3:00 P.M.: Elizabeth I -- Britannica Online Encyclopedia

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I finished going through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 2:20 P.M.: I went outside, and I threw out the garbage. I chatted with some neighbors. I put away the laundry. I will now go through my email.
CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 1:50 P.M.: I made and ate my usual sautéed hamburger with sautéed sliced onions and cheese, which I ate two ears of fresh corn on the cob with low fat butter, and steamed baby carrots and broccoli crowns with olive oil, and I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I have 5 minutes until the dry cycle on the load of laundry is done. I will now throw out the garbage. CIO

Note: <888> 09/07/07 Friday 12:35 P.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I went back to bed until 10 A.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with www.newyorkcoffee.com about my order for CoffeeForLess.com sells premium coffee such as Starbucks coffee, coffee beans, Kona coffee, tea, Jamaica Blue Mountain and more two four pound bag packages with a thermal mug with each four bag package for \$16.95 for the four pounds and thermal mug less 5% coupon "CFL" and \$5.95 UPS ground shipping for \$38.16 total, and they told me it might arrive via www.ups.com today. If it arrives instead on Monday after I leave this Sunday, I will leave a note to leave it outside my door, and I will have the building custodian drop it in my apartment. I watered the plants, and I put out more white vinegar in the scent

bowl. I threw out the garbage and old periodical literature. I chatted with neighbors. I picked up my mail. I showered, and I cleaned up. I started one load of laundry, and I am just about to start the dryer cycle. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 11:15 P.M.: I will skip my email for now, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 11:00 P.M.: I noticed today that at the Food Emporium at the butcher's counter, they are now selling Filet Mignon for \$30 a pound. They now are also selling premade round 5 inch diameter hamburgers about an inch thick at the Stop and Shop for \$5.49 a pound. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 10:05 P.M.: I went out after the last message. I went by the Food Emporium, and I bought Dole bananas at .69 a pound for \$1.30, a 33.5 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm Goldfish Crackers at \$6.99, a 33.5 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat Goldfish crackers \$6.99 for \$15.28 total. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I next went by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I bought a package of Devcon 5 Minute Epoxy Gel for \$5.49 and .33 tax for \$5.82 total. I then went to my usual Thursday 3 P.M. appointment. I then returned home. I chatted with some neighbors. I used the Epoxy gel per instructions, and I resecured the rubber molding strip on the rear tail gate of the Buick wagon. It seems to work just fine. I had about a third left. I chatted with some neighbors. I then chatted with two relatives. I then tried using the Epoxy gel to repair my eye glasses, but it was not strong enough to hold the left ear piece on. I then used a soldering iron and solder, and I was able to repair the left ear piece on my eye glasses, where it is secured to the frame, but it will not fold back, but I can still use them around my computer setup leaving them opened all of the time. I cleaned the lens of both pairs of my reading glasses with my lens cleaning cloth. I chatted with a relative again. I will now eat another baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a sliced dill pickle with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 12:45 P.M.: I will now go out and do some errands before my 3 P.M. appointment. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 12:05 P.M.: After I cleaned up, I went out, and I threw out some garbage. I chatted with some neighbors. I picked up my mail. My order from www.ordersmokesdirect.com arrived consisting of 4 cartons of Native Ultra Lights 100s in a box. My www.cl-p.com bill arrived, and it was about \$154 for the month of August 2007, but one has to remember I was up in Maine for the first two weeks of August 2007, so I did not use as much electricity in August 2007. I have already paid the monthly average of \$187. I will now eat the same baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and sliced dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I have a 3 P.M. appointment today. My rent statement from the Greenwich Housing Authority did not arrive yet. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 10:55 A.M.: [BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Space pile-up 'condemned dinos'](#) . I will now take one of my low water flow quick two minutes showers to clean up. Not much happening around here. Some of my older neighbors like sitting

out in the sun on nice days. We will not have too many warm days ahead, so I guess some people prefer to enjoy the warmer weather while we still have it. CIO

Note: <888> 09/06/07 Thursday 10:15 A.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I went back to bed until 8 A.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative and a friend twice each. If and when I receive my Greenwich Housing Authority rent statement this week, I am not going to pay it until I return from Kennebunkport, Maine on September 21, 2007, so I will have a little extra traveling money to go up there. Earlier, I watched part of Airing Information - MSN TV "Journey for Margaret" . It mentions that during World War II, there was government censorship of the press in London. Possibly today with this country involved in a war, the same might be true. CIO

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 9:25 P.M.: I am a bit tired, so maybe I will watch a bit of television, and then I will go to bed. I have a 3 P.M. appointment tomorrow. CIO

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 9:05 P.M.: I rested until about 6 P.M.. I had a computer magazine telephone call from India, and I tried to explain our dire economic straits here. I watched a program about how they make American money out of left over denim from making blue jeans. I guess more people should wear blue jeans, so there is more money around. I chatted with a relative. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a sliced dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I will now do some regular computer work. I have been trying to rest up, before I travel up to Maine this Sunday. I think it will be colder up there. CIO

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 3:10 P.M.: I ate a couple of bowls of goldfish crackers. I will now put the Vista computer in sleep mode, and then I will put myself into sleep mode in the Ethan Allen recliner. CIO

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 2:35 P.M.: After dinner, I watched a little bit of television.

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 12:40 P.M.: HP "de-branded" 3.3GHz Celeron D System Only \$199.99* @ Geeks.com!

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I went through my email. I will now make and ate my usual sautéed burger with onions and cheese, which I will eat with two ears of steamed corn on the cob with low fat butter,

with steamed broccoli crowns and steamed baby carrots with olive oil, and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 12:05 P.M.: After I cleaned up, I went downstairs, and I picked up my mail, and I threw out a grape juice container. I chatted with some neighbors. My rent statement did not arrive yet from the Greenwich Housing Authority. I guess they are in no hurry to get their money. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/05/07 Wednesday 10:45 A.M.: I chatted with a relative after the last message. I went to bed at 8 P.M.. I was awake at 5 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape with certo, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I went back to bed until 9 A.M.. I chatted with a relative. I checked with www.ordersmokesdirect.com, and my order for 4 cartons of Natives Ultra Lights 100s in a box according to them has not shipped, since they are waiting to restock the item, but there is tracking on their web site like it has shipped yesterday from New Mexico. I think I have enough cigarettes to last me up in Maine, if they do not arrive before I leave. The French are visiting here Taste of America Chef has something special in store for guests from sister city - Greenwich Time. I wonder whom will wash the dishes. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I am making up a three quart half batch of Formula 2 <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm>, which is all that I will need before I leave for Maine. My primary pair of reading glasses had its left ear piece break off, so I am now using my spare pair of reading glasses. I will have to make it to the eye doctor after I return from Maine. I am waiting for the mail to see if my rent statement arrives today, so I can pay it. I will now shower and clean up, so I feel a bit more refreshed. Since my relative in Kennebunkport, Maine is a neighbor of Ambassador Stapleton up there besides the Bushs, more than likely I have seen a few French people in my life, particularly after attending the Winter Olympics in Albertville, France back in the winter of 1992. Sacre Blue, Qu'est Que Arrive? CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 7:10 P.M.: Rockets and chaos confront Blair - Times Online. Maybe the Scottish should learn to stay home and drink Scotch instead of trying to solve all of the world's problems. After all, Scotland is not quite the largest country in the world, but they do seem to get around a lot. I was told by a representative of the British government that British citizens living abroad can find out about retirement benefits from the British government at the BBC web site, which seems sort of strange, since it would seem the British government web sites would provide such information. Alas, they seem willing to take care of all of the Third World, but they do not pay much attention to their own people. Such is life. At least it seems to be warmer here weather wise in the winter than way up north in Northern Europe. I do not buy all of that Hollywood Bull about how warm it is in England in the winter. I do know it is 1,500 miles further north than Hudson's Bay, Canada, and since nobody in this neck of the woods would want to be in Hudson's Bay, more than likely there are just a few Eskimos over advertising themselves world wide in England, but we do share a common language, so if they ever figure out we have better weather here, they might occasionally visit despite all of

the reports of savages in this part of the world. I know it is nice to have proper English Manners and Back Ground and Breeding, but alas it is only for the privileged few, and it is not worth freezing to death for. There are plenty of upstarts in the Old Bailey if you get my drift. Well, I will now eat two or three scoops of Maple Walnut ice cream, and then I will go to bed soon. I will thus shut down the primary Vista computer. CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 6:35 P.M.: I noticed an unusual car sighting across the street from the Greenwich Train station today at the Blackstone Group. In front of their building, there was a 1940s Pink Lincoln Continental Convertible with a Continental Kit on the rear with white top. I just put in two new AA alkaline batteries in the Logitech optical cordless mouse. CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 5:45 P.M.: Majoring in Credit-Card Debt . CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 5:35 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I will copy and paste the New York City bomb report, since I guess it is fairly general information. Report follows:

10:15 am Chelsea Pipe Bomb Remains a Mystery By Sewell Chan

Debris at the scene of the pipe bomb explosion. (Photo: Cary Conover for The New York Times)Updated, 12:25 p.m. | The police bomb squad is investigating the explosion of a pipe bomb at 1:10 a.m. outside a four-story building in Chelsea that houses a nonprofit theater studio founded by Michael Imperioli, an actor from “The Sopranos,” officials said today. No one was injured. Minor damage was reported to a parked minivan in front of the building, at 257 West 29th Street.

The ground floor of the building is occupied by Studio Dante, a theater space run by Mr. Imperioli and his wife, Victoria.

Several city officials have confirmed that the explosion was caused by a pipe bomb, but at a morning news conference, Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg said it was more accurate to describe the bomb as “a small explosive device.”

(City Hall officials later said that the mayor had misspoken and that the

explosive was, indeed, a pipe bomb.)

The mayor said:

Well, No. 1, it wasn't a pipe bomb. It turned out to be some kind of a small explosive device. For those of you that don't know, at one o'clock this morning or thereabouts, in front of 257 West 29th Street in Manhattan, which is a building that houses a small theater space called Studio Dante as well as several apartments. There was an explosion on the street. It blew out windows of a van parked in front of the building and thankfully no one was injured. What we did to the three floors of residential apartments above the theater, we temporarily evacuated them as the N.Y.P.D. Bomb Squad made certain there was no secondary device. And it turned out there was none. Traffic was reopened in time for rush hour on all streets except for 29th between Eighth and Seventh Avenues, which remain closed as the police investigate. And while there certainly is no evidence that this was terrorism, we are taking this and every act of violence extremely seriously and we'll take every step to identify and apprehend whoever set this explosive device up and anyone who may have seen somebody — something — should call 311 or N.Y.P.D.'s Crime Stoppers tip line at 1 (800) 577-TIPS. The N.Y.P.D. will update you later in the day but that's the essence of what happened.

The police said that what detonated was a pipe bomb, 4 inches by 2 inches, made of galvanized steel and capped on both ends. The bomb was detonated by lighting an attached fuse.

Bomb technicians from the Police Department were poring over the scene trying to determine what kind of explosive powder or substance may have made up the insides of the bomb, as well as how it was detonated, whether it was done manually or included some kind of remote triggering device.

A pipe bomb is a potentially lethal device that spews metal shrapnel when it explodes, similar to a hand-grenade. Pipe bombs are typically made up of a steel pipe packed tightly with explosive powder — usually black powder — and capped on either end and attached to some kind of fuse. Typically, a pipe bomb is lit manually. They are sometimes known as improvised explosive devices, or I.E.D.'s.

The bomb was placed on the curb in front of the building, the police said. When it exploded, it blew out toward the street, and damaged a van parked in front of the location. A piece of the pipe was discovered lying in the front seat of that van, and investigators believe it hurtled through a side window of the vehicle, the police said.

The manager for Studio Dante said the Imperiolis were not around when the explosion occurred. There are apartments on the three floors above the theater-studio, but the building was undamaged and the authorities said none of the residents had to spend the night in shelters.

The manager, Toni Marie Davis, said that Studio Dante has been in the building since November 2003 and that the studio's last production was "From Riverdale to Riverhead," a play by Anastasia Traina that closed in June. A number of celebrities have supported Studio Dante. In March 2006, for

example, Mr. Imperioli's co-star Edie Falco from "The Sopranos" on HBO and Jesse L. Martin of NBC's "Law & Order" took part in a reading at the Dahesh Museum to benefit the theater studio. In March of this year, the actors Steve Buscemi, Julianna Margulies, Piper Perabo, Aidan Quinn and Sam Rockwell participated in another reading and fund-raiser, according to Studio Dante's Web site.

The studio's next production is scheduled to open for previews on Oct. 17, and currently, only one employee, the manager, is at the site on a day-to-day basis.

End of Report: CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 4:35 P.M.: I ate a couple of handfuls of goldfish crackers. I watched part of a Turner Movie Channel movie which seems to be a parody of Howard Hughes. I chatted with a friend whom emailed me that the incident in Manhattan was on West 29th street this past morning at about 1 A.M., and it was a pipe bomb in front of the Dante Dance Studio, so they do not think it was terrorism per say, but a personal grievance incident. I will not copy and paste the report, since it goes into the details about how to make a pipe bomb. CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 3:10 P.M.: WarpRadio

News Talk AM 1490 WGCH - Greenwich Connecticut

CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 2:20 P.M.: Government Health IT

15 Ways to Reinvent Your PC - Review by PC Magazine

Microsoft reveals US Navy secrets - vnunet.com

» Build a \$2,500 supercomputer | Storage Bits | ZDNet.com

My current primary computer setup is probably two to three years old in terms of current technology, but it gets the job done for me, and I have enough spare parts to probably keep it running for three to five more years. In other words, I will not be upgrading.

Current computer setup:

<http://mikelouisscott.com/computer.htm>

<http://geocities.com/mikelscott/computer.htm> .

I do not do a lot of multitasking or processor intensive work, so once the system is started up, it is good enough for my needs. I use the four monitors, since I get more work done fast in terms of my regular routines. CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 1:25 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. I picked up my mail. My rent statement from the Greenwich Housing Authority still has not come. The building custodian gave me a new 32 watt florescent circular light fixture for the light fixture above the toilet, and I installed it. I kept the old florescent bulb in the new box stores on top of the computer boxes on the sideboard shelf in the bedroom. The old one works some of the time. I chatted with a friend. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with iced tea and potato chips. My neighbors told me at 8 A.M. this morning that the New York City news had reported that there was on a bomb explosion on the west side of Manhattan around 30th street which would be the Pennsylvania station area, but there are no internet news reports about any incident on the internet, so more than likely it was just another steam pipe eruption which happens all the time in Manhattan. I checked with somebody that lives next to the Port Washington line of the Long Island railroad in Plandome Manor, Long Island on Long Island, and the individual told me the trains are still running back and forth into Manhattan. I do not have time to watch television to keep track of all the news, since I can read it faster on the internet. It was a full house of the usual weekday group of people going to work this morning in Greenwich, so the normal weekday activity is continuing out here. There seem to be a lot more younger people around than normal. That would be the age group of 20 to 40 years old. CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 11:35 A.M.: Europe goes faster while the roof leaks here.

BBC NEWS | UK | Eurostar sets Paris-London record and Creatures Of The Night - Skywatchers Work To Get Town's Observatory Working Again - Greenwich Time . CIO

Note: <888> 09/04/07 Tuesday 11:00 A.M.: I woke up at 5:30 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape with certo, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I chatted with a neighbor. I went downtown, and I walked lower Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. They are working on finishing off the new Zara's dress shop on the south side of Saks Fifth Avenue. I think Zara's dress shop is named after Zara Phillips, Queen Elizabeth's granddaughter, so maybe we will have a Royal visit when they open it this fall. I chatted with a relative. I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop. They have a antique Bass Ale horse collar with mirror for sale for

\$750. I then returned home. I chatted with two relatives. As it stands now, I will be driving back up to Kennebunkport, Maine this Sunday in my relative's Audi. I will then drive my relative back down here on Friday September 21, 2007 to meet up with two other relative to drive my other relatives and the Audi further south. I still have to pay my rent here, and my relative's Audi only has a third of a tank of gasoline, so I might have to buy some gasoline to make it back up to Kennebunkport, Maine. I do not have a siphon to transfer gasoline from the Buick with a full tank to the Audi. I no longer have a Chase Visa Credit card, because they are highway robbers charging 29% interest on over due credit balances, so I am managing my personal affairs the cheapest way. The motto of the town of Greenwich, Connecticut is "Frugality and Fortune", not "Barrow Money from the Rockefellers". CIO

Note: <888> 09/03/07 Monday 11:30 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with a neighbor. My relative and friend arrived about 8:30 P.M.. We drove over to the Greenwich train station. My relative and friend went to Planet Pizza for a slice of pizza. They caught the 9:23 P.M. train back into Manhattan. My relative's friend had a cramp, and I suggested that we have a local hospital available, but the relative's friend preferred to wait until they arrived back in Manhattan. I then returned with my relative's Audi back to my apartment building. I chatted with another relative. I put Hellmann's low fat mayonnaise on two slices of 12 grain bread and four slices of bologna and four slices of white American cheese, and I cut it in half, and I ate it with a sliced dill pickle and potato chips with a glass of iced tea. I have to go back up to Kennebunkport, Maine next week, but I am not sure what day yet. It depends on the weather and my relative's schedule. I slept in the Ethan Allen recliner this afternoon underneath my white colorful poncho. It is like sleeping in a large comfortable first class airline seat. Maybe they should install Ethan Allen recliners on private jets, so you could sleep your way around the world, when one travels. I guess Dick Cheney Vice President of the United States - Richard B. Cheney is in charge of the country until the President returns from Australia. I originally thought the Bush family were Bush pilots from Australia's Bush region, so maybe they will not be coming back, and they were just visiting us. I will now shut down the primary computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/03/07 Monday 7:30 P.M.: I rested until 7 P.M., when my relative called, and they were just outside Hartford, Connecticut, so they should be here at about 8 P.M.. There is an 8:12 P.M. train they might want to catch into Manhattan. While resting I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I just took a quick shower to refresh myself. CIO

Note: <888> 09/03/07 Monday 2:55 P.M.: I just remembered that their might still be a small Häagen-Dazs® ice cream shop on Greenwich Avenue just north of the Figaro restaurant on the west side at the bottom of Greenwich Avenue. I threw out some garbage, and I chatted with some neighbors. I chatted with a relative. I think I will now take a nap until about 6:00 P.M. or sooner until my relative arrives with his Audi. CIO

Note: <888> 09/03/07 Monday 1:20 P.M.: The new water saving shower head works just fine, and I probably don't use more than two or three gallons of water when I take my two minute showers if that. I went out after the last message. I drove down by the waterfront

on Steamboat and some of the regular fishermen are there. I went downtown, and I chatted with a weekend regular who might know Jimmy Eldert. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a Wild Doubler scratch card for a dollar, but I lost. I chatted with three people outside the Harrington Hams of Vermont former shop on Railroad Avenue where the new republican headquarters are located for first selectman. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I stopped by CVS. They sell drumstick ice cream cones there from Nestle for \$2 if you need an ice cream cone on Greenwich Avenue. Alas we have no more ice cream shops on Greenwich Avenue. In its Hay Day, we once had four ice cream shops. There is a Baskin Robins at the Dunkin Donuts in Cos Cob, and there is also an ice cream shop where the ELDC thrift shop use to be next to the Mobil gasoline station at the Indian Field road and East Putnam Avenue. I also chatted with the baker from St. Moritz bakery about life in Greenwich. He looks a bit like a Rockefeller, so maybe he is from an upstate New York Dutch family. Of course the Upstate New York Dutch family look is fairly common in this area, once one goes a bit further north. Somebody was driving around in a 1940 Buick Sedan. I then used the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by the Stop and Shop. At the third of the month, I get my food stamps, so I put in a few extra items. I bought a loaf of Stop and Shop 12 grain bread for \$2.29, a 59 ounce container of Simply Orange orange juice with calcium for \$3, a pound of Stop and Shop white American cheese for \$5.87, 1.5 pounds of German Wondrbar Bologna for \$2.49 a pound for \$3.98, a 33.5 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm gold fish crackers for \$7.99, a 12.5 ounce bag of Lays Sour Cream and Onion potato chips for \$2.50, a 12.5 ounce bag of Lays salt and vinegar potato chips for \$2.50, two 64 ounce containers of Kedem grape juice for \$2.50 each, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.99, broccoli crowns at \$1.49 a pound for \$1.62 for \$37.74 total. I then returned home, and I put away my groceries. I made and ate my usual sautéed hamburger with sautéed sliced red onion and cheese, which I ate with seasoned rice, two ears of fresh corn on the cob with low fat butter, and steamed baby carrots with olive oil, and I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I chatted with two relatives. My relative will be arriving here with the Audi about 7:30 P.M.. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 09/03/07 Monday 6:10 A.M.: Felix Becomes Category 5 Hurricane - Greenwich Time .

Michael Louis Scott Tropical Weather

<http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/weather.htm>

Hurricane FELIX Coastal Watches/Warnings and 5-Day Track Forecast Cone

Of course it has been a long time, since I have been down south during the hurricane season. I recall when I was in south Florida in the fall of 1983, there was some tropical storm activity, and I have been up north since then. It is suppose to be another nice day, and it is a holiday, so I might go out shortly for a bit of outside activity.

New Schizophrenia Drug Shows Promise in Trials - New York Times

It is the nature of life for people living up north during the winters, that they frequently do not get enough sun light, so their brains have less dopamine, which tends to lead to depression.

Software via the Internet: Microsoft in 'Cloud' Computing - New York Times . Obviously Microsoft does not get enough sunlight out in Redmond, Washington, where it can rain up to 250 days a year.

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Alas, we do not have any volcanoes in Greenwich, Connecticut, and we do not get many tropical storms, but they can have local effects on the weather in this area. Of course a lot of people in this area never have the experience of going down south, where there is more sunshine and the weather tends to be a bit warmer.

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I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will try out the new water saving shower head. Who knows, I might now be able to take showers for longer than two minutes with the reduced hot water flow.

Of course living way out here BACK EAST, we frequently forget about our relatives and friends out west, but we are living closer to our European cousins. CIO

Note: <888> 09/03/07 Monday 4:45 A.M.: I went to bed after the last message. I had a telephone call from a relative shortly there after. I woke up at 3 A.M.. On the primary Vista setup, I changed the Logitech wireless optical mouse from the PS2 mouse port to the USB 2.0 hub. I am having a problem with the Logitech driver for the LX500 wireless keyboard and mouse, since sometimes when I boot the Vista computer, the keyboard and mouse settings do not load, although they work, the options do not work. I tried reinstalling the Logitech driver for the wireless keyboard and mouse from a safe boot. I will know the next time I boot how well, it is all working. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, a toasted English muffins with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape with certo, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I will now do some regular computer work. My relative will return down from Kennebunkport, Maine today between 5 P.M. and 7 P.M. with the Audi, and I will drop them off at the train station, and I will keep the Audi here until I drive it back up to Kennebunkport, Maine around September 14, 2007. Around September 21, 2007, I will drive it back down from Kennebunkport, Maine with my relative, and I will meet two of my relatives here, and they will drive my other relative and the Audi further south. CIO

Note: <888> 09/02/07 Sunday 7:05 P.M.: I noticed a program that starts up with Vista "C:\Windows\System32\mscdexnt.exe". A google search said that it might be a trojan, so I

tried to eliminate it, but the System would not let me. In XP it might be a Trojan, but in Vista, it supposedly enables one to use the CD player in DOS. I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I ordered from CoffeeForLess.com sells premium coffee such as Starbucks coffee, coffee beans, Kona coffee, tea, Jamaica Blue Mountain and more two four pound bag packages with a thermal mug with each four bag package for \$16.95 for the four pounds and thermal mug less 5% coupon "CFL" and \$5.95 UPS ground shipping for \$38.16 total. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/02/07 Sunday 2:25 P.M.: I went out after the last message. I went by www.cvs.com on Greenwich Avenue at their Sunday opening time of 9 A.M.. I bought a Lasko Products - Pedestal Fans - Model 2112, 2113, 2116 & 2117 model 2530 as a end of season clearance item for half price for \$25, and I had a \$4 off \$25 coupon from the internet and a \$4 off \$25 bonus bucks coupon for a cost of \$17 and \$1.02 tax for \$18.02. They had a number of other Lasko fans including two more like the one I bought at the CVS Greenwich Avenue store front entrance. Besides using them to move the air conditioning around in the summer, I use them to move the heat around in the winter. I then went down to the center of Greenwich Avenue, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the central Greenwich Post Office, and I bought 18 first class Liberty Bell .41 cent forever stamps for \$7.38 total. I sat out at the post office plaza for a while enjoying the flowers. The tree on the west side of the plaza seems to be withering like it has a blight. I sat out at the senior and the arts center. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I used the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Greenwich Avenue. I stopped by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I toured their store. I then went by CVS again, and I toured their store. I sat out at the Pickwick Plaza at the top of Greenwich Avenue. I then went by the Chase ATM machine at the central part of Greenwich Avenue. I then went back by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I bought a Find Deluxe Saver Shower Head and other Shower & Bath Repair at Aubuchon Hardware by Whedon Products The Flow Pro Model DS2C-AB Designer Saver Shower Head which uses 1.8 to 2.5 gallons per minute at 80 PSI which can save \$50 to \$200 a year for \$21.99 and a roll Teflon plumbers tape for free and \$1.32 tax for \$23.31 total. I then completed my walk. I sat out for a while. I then by Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon gasoline station, and I bought \$10 of self service premium at \$3.499 a gallon for 2.857 gallons for 37.8 miles driving since last Sunday for 13.23 miles per gallon for a total odometer reading of 115,297.6 miles. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.41 and six ears of corn on the cob for a \$1 for \$2.41 total. I then returned home. I brought up my purchases. I put the Lasko tower fan unopened in its box on the far right living room window shelf out of the way to have in reserve in case any of the other two tower fans fail. I installed the new shower head using Teflon tape to seal it. It comes with a low pressure filter, but I will leave the high pressure filter in it that uses less water. It is brass colored. It works just fine, and it has a nice even flow to it. I chatted with two relatives. CIO

Note: <888> 09/02/07 Sunday 8:25 A.M.: I made and ate my burger with sautéed onions and cheese dinner, which I ate it with steamed flavor rice and steamed broccoli crowns and

baby carrots with a glass of iced tea. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go out for some daytime activity. CIO

Note: <888> 09/02/07 Sunday 6:40 A.M.: I tried installing PowerDVD 5, but it is an older version that will not work with Vista, so I uninstalled it. I will try installing it on the FIC server with XP Professional at a later time. I printed out the last four months of my notes pages 5789 through 6031 or 242 pages. I bound them in two Staples Clamp binders that I placed at the near end of the down sofa. They are available for download at:

Scott's Notes from June 1997 through August 2005, 4.81 Mbytes

<http://mikelouisscott.com/mlsnote1.zip> contains "mlsnote1.doc" pages 1 - 1582 January 1997 to December 2001 and "mlsnote2.doc" January 2002 through December 2003 pages 1583 - 2855" and "mlsnote3.doc" January 2004 through December 2004 pages 2856 - 3605" and "mlsnote4.doc" January 2005 though August 2005 pages 3711 -4259"

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or in *.pdf format at:

Michael Scott's Notes in *.pdf format from June 1997 to Date . CIO

Note: <888> 09/02/07 Sunday 3:00 A.M.: I had a telephone call from a relative at 5:30 P.M. after going to bed after the last message. I woke up at 11:30 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape with certo, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I did two loads of laundry and a third load where I washed the white throw on the Ethan Allen recliner in the living room. I have 15 minutes to go on the dry cycle. I washed the breakfast dishes. I put clean linens on the bed. I showered, and I cleaned up. CIO

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 3:25 P.M.: I will now shut down the Vista computer, and I will to bed. I was invited to beta test Vista SP1 beta today, but I still have not received the download link. I do not know whether I would want to install it on my primary Vista computer or not anyway, but if it was buggy, I could always restore my good installation backup, but I would have to update any changes. That is if I overwrote my current status backup. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 09/01/07:

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 2:30 P.M.: Baiji Dolphin Previously Thought Extinct Spotted In Yangtze River ~ Tech News Watch

Microsoft Gives Vista Service Pack Details - News and Analysis by PC Magazine

2007 Fall Meeting: San Francisco, CA - 10-14 December 2007

Tracking on my \$65 www.hp.com rebate is Check your HP rebate status at the HP Rebate Center enter "KPYK-6397-3428"

I ate a cheese sandwich with a sliced dill pickle and potato chips with a glass of iced tea.

Sierra Trading Post DealFlyer free ground shipping on \$50 order ends today

I.B.M. Researchers Advancing Computer Processing Ability - New York Times

At I.B.M., a Vacation Anytime, or Maybe None - New York Times

Windows Vista Team Blog : Announcing Windows Vista Service Pack 1 Beta

Innovative Surgery For Effectively Treating Sleep Apnea Studied ~ Tech News Watch

» Vista SP1: Indictment of Vista 1.0? | Between the Lines | ZDNet.com

SmartDisk FireLite 40GB \$29.99 @ Geeks.com!

Geeks.com - New Arrivals for the week of 25.AUG.07

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I will now send out my weekly notes.

CIO

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 11:50 A.M.: I chatted with my relative in Kennebunkport, Maine, and my older relative is entertaining older friends and making brownies, and my younger relatives are going out on a boat and having a picnic. A thrift shop volunteer in

Lantana, Florida was lucky Homeless Credited With Saving Woman, 93, From Burning Car - News Story - WPBF West Palm Beach . Lanatana, Florida use to have a lot of retired people from Finland, and Kennebunk, Maine has a monastery with a Finish and Russian priests where they have lodging for guests. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 11:20 A.M.: I noticed when I was driving up and down Round Hill Road yesterday that I recognized a couple of people that I know walking around the neighborhood of the Round Hill Club, so I guess more people are walking in back country where there are not sidewalks, so people driving in the back country area particularly at night should watch out for pedestrians. Of course pedestrians could wear brighter clothes, so people can easily see them and walk against the traffic. They are probably walking back and forth to the Round Hill store that has a modest collection of grocery items. I noticed on French Road where the His Highness the Aga Khan's 70th Birthday has a house, there is a sign that says "Private Road, No Trespassing", so I guess he is being more private while he looks for a new wife if he can afford it after a billion dollar divorce suit. Maybe he should try marrying a rich older women, so he would have less expenses. The Website of The Office of His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama is in the news again BBC NEWS | Asia-Pacific | New Chinese rules on Dalai Lama . Since the Dalai Lama and the Aga Khan are from the same part of the world, and they are both Holy people, and older men, they might try living together to save on expenses for their followers. CIO

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 10:45 A.M.: I woke up at 5:30 A.M. this morning. I watched a bit of television. I bottom fished on the internet. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, a mixture of orange, grape with certo, and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and a cup of coffee with milk and splenda. I rested a bit. I washed the breakfast dishes, and I made my bed. I went outside, and I threw out the banana peel and the peanuts jar. I emptied the two outside ashtrays. I picked up yesterday's mail. I mailed the Microsoft Money 2006 August 2007 report to my interested relative. I took out the Courvoisier box from my right bedroom closet shelf that contains the Norwegian blue canvas back pack that I sewed up on the beach on the south shore of Nantucket while there during the summer of 1977, when I had a bit of free time. I took off its leather bottom, when it became mildewed some time ago, and it is not with the back pack, and I do not know if I still have it. The leather awe was not with it, but there was a sail hand sailing palm press and Heminway thread company blue nylon thread that Hood Sail in Nantucket use to sell along with one remaining sail mending needle. I sewed up a half dozen stitches on my left black moccasin on the right side, doing about a dozen loops a stitch to resecure the stitching on the moccasin. I also secured its waxed thread end that was part of the original stitching, so now the black moccasins are ready for many more years of use around the building and outside the building when I make short walks outside the building. I have a new pair of black Ole Cassini house slippers, but I do not wear them very much. Quite frankly I think I have more shoes than Imelda Marcos, so I am really not short in the shoe department. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 1:30 A.M.: I am tired, so I will now go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 09/01/07 Saturday 1:20 A.M.: I watched the Princess Diana memorial on the Fox television network. It was nice to see them all together again. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 10:50 P.M.: I was up at 5 P.M.. I chatted with a relative in Florida. Apparently there is a lot of rain and wind from the storm down in Florida Tropical Storm Noel claims 48 lives, threatens Florida - CNN.com . I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 8 P.M.. I chatted with the same relative again. I am doing two loads of laundry, and I have 40 minutes to go on the dry cycle. I am continuing to have to deal with volcanic sulfur smelling intestinal like gas syndromes. I have the air conditioner sealed up, so I only have the Honeywell Hepa air purifier going in the apartment to deal with the smell. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 9:15 A.M.: I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I will now go to bed, have a good day. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 7:20 A.M.: GVB-Grupo de Volcanología de Barcelona

Any old timer will tell you that people who drink sulfur water or well water with sulfur tend to live a lot longer.

Zombie Storm Rising - Forbes.com

Bill Gates Speaks Out On ...

CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 6:10 A.M.: Well, the new AA Metal Hydride batteries are fully charged. I put two in the Nikon digital camera, and I saved the other two in the camera bag. I also have four fully charged Radio Shack AA metal hydride batteries, and I put two in the Polaroid camera and two in reserve in the camera bag. The new ones are suppose be able to be recharged for over a thousand times. One has to remember not to throw them away like old worn out batteries, since they cost about \$3 apiece as opposed to .20 cents apiece which is what you can get regular alkaline batteries for from www.batteries.com . It takes 10.5 hours to charge them up in my Radio Shack battery

charger which I keep below the Sony television in the living room, and I have it set on Metal Hydride instead of the other setting of Nickel Cadmium. Now you know why I washed out of the astronaut training program despite all of my advanced skills. In the BBC film clip of the inside of the space station, they have hundreds of loose cable wires hanging around with all of their electronics, which reminds me of my home computer setup. I don't think they would want to be shut in with me in Antarctica for the winter either. I did fly down to Ronald Reagan's inaugural in January 1980 on a \$40 Braniff airlines flight from J.F.K. to Reagan airport, and the only other person on the plane was Prince Boni Sakhir the Oil Minister from Saudi Arabia, so maybe he smells in close quarters too. Since there is a lot of oil in the ground in Saudi Arabia, maybe because with lots of oil in the ground, the ground also has lots of sulfur, so maybe any Arab that eats lots of local food which contains sulfur smells like a toot or a fart. However, they probably do not have problems with arthritis. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 5:45 A.M.: Well, if I was able to get elected to congress, I could pretty much guarantee a quorum of one anytime it came to vote. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 5:20 A.M.: Currently this evening after eating beans and franks for dinner, I have more natural gas than Saudi Arabia. It is a well known family trait which makes me smell like volcanic sulfur. I guess that is why the Europeans sent my family to America 400 years ago, so they would not have to smell us. Basically if you feed a person items like oats which you feed horses and beans which everyone knows make you toot, you end up smelling like you live in a stable. In the old days, when I could afford to eat my more traditional balanced meal diet, I did not have such problems. Thus the nature of smelling like a British sailor comes from my local diet. I can not afford to buy Beano, and I think in the old days, when I drank Vodka mixed with fruit juice or tonic, I did not have the problem or wine. Obviously beer would also make you smell like a drunken sailor. Thus if you smell anyone around that smells like Volcano sulfur, it might be a relative or somebody living on the same low income diet that I am currently living on. Perhaps that is why nobody visits anymore. My father being a Chemical Engineer had no sense of smell, so perhaps I should be around other Chemical Engineers who have no sense of smell. Thus more than likely they would never try to kidnap me off a submarine. The good news is that the Booze Boat is back in town today QM2 - Itinerary - 2007 . Thus more than likely they would not want me to be frequently traveling on a train or an airplane or other confined quarters. Everyone in the family knows it is a family trait, and I even have a relative working at Rockefeller Center, if things don't seem right there either. Maybe this is why they call it the Microsoft Skunk Works. It might possibly come from a number of things like maybe the olive oil that I use regularly is rancid, and the Italians do not sell fresh olive oil here. It might come from the smoke in tobacco. It might come from the MSM that I take for arthritis, which is white sulfur, and it might come from the pineapple juice that is grown in volcanic soil with sulfur. Obviously my system knows how to deal with it. I have a good Honeywell Hepa air purifier running all of the time, but since it is always a constant flow of intestinal gas, I am not sure how the people that pass me buy when walking in the general public feel. Possibly it is from some guinea pig project that the local chemists at Cytech dreamed up as our secret defense plan. If everyone in the country had the same amount of intestinal gas that I seem to have, I really doubt if any group of

foreigners would every invade us. It even gets hard for me to stand myself sometime, and I can imagine how other people feel. Maybe they thought there was a natural gas leak downtown this evening when all of the police showed up. I think it is suppose to be a family trait from the Scottish side of the family, so maybe the Scotch drink whisky, so it does not happen. I know they eat a lot of oats, but I do not know if they eat beans or not. From what I can tell, more than likely even when I eat more meat it seems to happen. Usually when I eat a broiled shell steak, it goes through me in less five minutes. Maybe eating olive oil all of these years has changed my intestinal system or possibly it is some of the other vitamins and supplements. Well, if the Nazis ever try to invade England again, don't waste the money fighting them, just feed everyone baked beans, and I don't think they will stay very long. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 4:30 A.M.: Before the incident this past evening on Greenwich Avenue, I noticed that one of the party coming out of the Japanese restaurant this evening near the same location as the incident was wearing a King Ranch King Ranch Brush Jacket in Natural King Ranch Saddle Shop Brush Jacket from their store at King Ranch Saddle Shop, so maybe we had some visitors from the Long Star state. The Symbol of the King Ranch or its brand, the "Running W" King Ranch "Running W" brand is why Texans in the country dress the way they do. I know they can get up to six feet long, and they prefer not to be eaten as Rattlesnake stew Western Diamondback Rattlesnake - DesertUSA . I use to have a local friend here that was a local guide, and he once showed me the area near Bedford, New York on upper Stanwich Road here in Greenwich, Connecticut which has small cliffs and ravines in a wooded area, where the Hollywood Producer David O. Selznick David O. Selznick - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia lived, and he told me that area was full of rattlesnakes and copper heads which are not too friendly either. That is near the same area, where the fellow I met from Saudi Arabia lived, so more than likely they are aware of their local nature habitat. Of course anyone from down south is use to dealing with all sorts of reptiles, and even in the Florida Keys, the most dangerous snake is not the two above, but the tiny little Coral snake. Thus if you can not afford to hire an experience guide when you travel, you might check with you local Scout troop. Even when one watches "Flipper" on television here, you begin to realize the children of the local Keys park ranger were always running into trouble even with Flipper there to keep an eye on them. Thus if you ever think about living down south, you might think about watching Flipper or some of the other traditional programming from the Southern region. Obviously some of the locals know a thing or two too. Having lived both North and South, I tend to have a different viewpoint that the locals in each area whom have not shared the same experience of both locations. As I recall Lewis B. Mayer and Joseph E. Levine also had houses in Greenwich, Connecticut at various times, and the Fonda family lived here, so we have a bit of Hollywood on the Hudson in our own neighborhood, Lucy and Dezi were married when they eloped out of Manhattan in the old days, when you could wake up the Justice of the Peace in Byram, Connecticut just across the New York border and get married without the three day wait in New York. Actually the former Justice of the Peace use to live in this building before he retired to Pompano, Florida, so I am not sure whom the Current Justice of the Peace is, but I do not know whether the same old New York laws apply across the border. Of course, if a women ever married a Saudi Arabian and lived there despite their wealth, underneath Saudi Arabian

religious law, a man can divorce a women by saying I assume in Arabic three times "I divorce you, I divorce you, I divorce you". Thus despite their wealth their might not be all of that peace and harmony that one might expect out of wealthy people over there. Of course women from wealthy Arab families might tend to fair better off, off their father's monies than their husband's. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 10/31/07 Wednesday 2:35 A.M.: I woke up at 1 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 5 P.M.. UPS delivered the order for 9984 Nikon Camera Case and Extended Service Coverage (2 Years) for Coolpix 7900, 7600, 5900, 5600, 4600, L1, L2, L3, L4 for \$14.99 and XP4AA25/XP4AA29 Power2000 AA Rechargeable Batteries, 1.2 volt Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH), 2700 mAh, Pack of Four. for \$11.49 plus \$5 shipping for \$31.44 total. I put the four metal hydride rechargeable batteries in the Radio Shack battery charger set at Metal Hydride, and they will be fully charged by 4 A.M. this morning. I put the Nikon 4600 digital camera in the Nikon case in the Lowepro camera bag. I put the Polaroid digital camera in the Polaroid case in the camera bag too. I filled out the two years warranty card for the Nikon 4600 camera. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I chatted with a neighbor. I threw out some garbage. I went by the Food Emporium, and I bought two 38 ounce boxes of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat goldfish crackers for \$6.99 each for \$13.98 total. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with some of the staff. I then went downtown, and I stopped by CVS. I recommended to the staff that they should restock the Haines Long Underwear they use to sell. I use to buy it there before the internet. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue. I chatted with two chauffeurs, and one of them was from Uruguay. They were splicing a cable together underground at Railroad Avenue and Greenwich Avenue. I noticed they have a bronze about 1960 Cadillac convertible with white top at Carriage House Motors. It is one with the fins, but I think the fins got twice as big in later years. I stopped by the Greenwich Post Office, and I mailed the Nikon warranty card. I kept my copy and the other Nikon purchase information at the front of the file cabinet on the right side of the bedroom desk. About the time I was crossing the street at Starbucks about a dozen Greenwich Police cars converged on the Thataway restaurant area and Sundown Saloon. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I then stood out at the senior center, and I asked a few walkers what was going on, and everyone said nothing as far as they could tell. I then chatted with a patron walking up the street from the Thataway restaurant, and I walked the patron back. It is good to know the Greenwich Police has fast response capability. I then walked upper Greenwich Avenue. I then went by the Stop and Shop, I bought Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.38 and a dozen Omega extra large eggs for \$2.50 for \$3.88 total. I chatted with a local French Italian resident about the Winter Olympics. I then returned home. I put clean linens on the bed in the bedroom. I took off the summer weight pink and green quilt, and I put it in a protective holder on the shelf in the bedroom closet. I took from the bedroom closet, two light weight comforters that I put on each sofa in the living room. I also took the summer weight blue blanket off the bed, and I put it on the back on the green sofa in the living room. I put the white electric blanket on the bed, and I connected it up. I put the new winter comforter on the

bed with the old winter comforter folded up at the end of the bed. I cleaned the comforters last spring before putting them away, so they are clean, except the new one, which was only used for about a month last spring. I hung out my two long john union suits on plastic hangers on the bathroom door. From the right brass hook as one enters the bedroom door, I hung out the four light pairs of long underwear bottoms and two heavier pairs. I hung the leisure shorts from the opened bedroom door, and I hung the pajamas from the opened bathroom door. Thus I have the apartment back to its winter motif. I will do laundry when I have more dirty items. I made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/pbf.htm> , and I used a 16 ounce can of B&M baked beans to make it. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/30/07 Tuesday 4:00 A.M.: I guess not much is happening in this part of the world anymore with the higher prices of oil. Still we manage to keep a skeleton crew of people maintaining essential services. Since Greenwich, Connecticut is suppose to be wealthier community as are some of our neighboring communities, more people can still manage to afford the price of fuel for transportation, but I would imagine with the larger homes in the area, more people are having trouble with increased home heating fuel bills. From what I know despite the economic news that is manufactured, it seems like we are in an unannounced depression or recession, and the only reason prices are still high is because of inflation and the weakening dollar. I suppose from what I can see happening around me, fewer people are venturing out at night, and it was mostly the younger generation that were out at night, so more of them are obviously spending more time at home as opposed to pursuing other leisure activities. I would imagine fewer of them are also venturing into Manhattan. I have a Saudi Arabian flag in my apartment beneath the United States Air Force flag, and although my father worked on building oil refineries in Saudi Arabia and other places in the world, I personally never saw any family income from it. The only people that I ever met that told me, they were from Saudi Arabia was Izi down at Louis' Patio in Key West, Florida in mid 1970s and the fellow that used to run the cigarette store in Byram told me he had worked for Saudi Arabian Airlines, and Auri who lived up on North street here in Greenwich told me he was the son of the Saudi Arabian ambassador to the United Nations. I also recall when I last lived in Manhattan up until February 1982, the Saudi Arabian flag use to fly at the Waldorf Towers in Manhattan all of the time with the United States flag. Thus just because one has met a few of them, not much money seems to come our way. I also know that a local English family here in Greenwich the Scott Paine family were friends of T.H. Lawrence of Lawrence of Arabia fame. I think I have a copy of the book that I have never read. I suppose if Izi was down in Key West, Florida, there might have been other Saudi's down there, but he was the only one that told me he was from Saudi Arabia. I guess because I am from a northern stock of people, I do not tend to run into warmer weather people, since during warmer weather it is frequently too hot for me to go outside very much. Well have a good morning, and since I can not get around as much in my normal routines, I have less to write about. CIO

Note: <888> 10/30/07 Tuesday 3:25 A.M.: Oil Up, Financials Pressured Before Fed Meeting - Forbes.com

Book The Red Volcanoes with fabulous pictures of Kilauea in Hawaii and Piton de La Fournaise in Reunion Island

Tracking is **UPS: Tracking Information on 9984 Nikon Camera Case and Extended Service Coverage (2 Years) for Coolpix 7900, 7600, 5900, 5600, 4600, L1, L2, L3, L4 for \$14.99 and XP4AA25/XP4AA29 Power2000 AA Rechargeable Batteries, 1.2 volt Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH), 2700 mAh, Pack of Four. for \$11.49 plus \$5 shipping for \$31.44 total.**

Windows Server 2008

BBC NEWS | UK | Red carpet welcome for Saudi king

BBC NEWS | Technology | Uruguay buys first \$100 laptops

I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/30/07 Tuesday 1:55 A.M.: I installed DTV4PC on the XP partition on the FIC server, but it would not install on the Vista Server RC1 beta on the FIC server partition. I also installed it on both partitions on both the Epox and Northgate Syntax computers. It has better resolution with video in Vista SP1. I went outside briefly, and I picked up my mail. It is a bit colder out. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with a third of a tube of Pringle low fat sour cream and onion potato chips and a sliced dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. Since it is rather cold out tonight, I probably will not be going out for a walk this morning. I need to watch my fuel consumption and save energy. I saw on Sky TV the British are looking for Asian investors. CIO

Note: <888> 10/29/07 Monday 9:15 P.M.: I woke up at 4 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a relative. I watched Dr. Zhivago Doctor Zhivago (1965) on the Turner Movie channel. They usually show it in the winter, when it is like Siberia outside here. Tomorrow it is suppose to be 68 degrees Fahrenheit here in the daytime, so it is not exactly winter here yet. I opened up the right living room window, and I put two new alkaline AA batteries in Oregon Pacific weather station sending unit. I also put four new AA alkaline batteries in the base unit. Thus the Oregon Pacific weather station is set for another winter. Of course the comuters are also have very good weather information. I cleaned off the window ledge while I was working at that location. I received the registration key for DTV4PC TemplateZone by KMT Software Store DTV4PC for \$30 which I purchased yesterday, and the program works quite well with all of its channels from around the world. CIO

Note: <888> 10/29/07 Monday 8:05 A.M.: Security Watch: Why online criminals get away - CNET reviews

F.C.C. Set to End Sole Cable Deals for Apartments - New York Times

Tropical Storm NOEL**BBC NEWS | Middle East | Saudi visit to seal ties with UK****BBC NEWS | UK | Saudi king chides UK on terrorism****BBC NEWS | Technology | Africa waiting for net revolution****BBC NEWS | Business | A380 superjumbo lands in Sydney**

I will now shut down the primary computer, and I will go to bed soon.

CIO

Note: <888> 10/29/07 Monday 6:55 A.M.: I heated a 18.2 ounce can of Campbell's New Clam chowder, and I put some parsley flakes on it, and I ate it with a glass of iced tea. I went outside, and I threw out the 9 old eggs and two old 24 ounce jars of Mott's Apple Sauce. I emptied the outside building ash tray. I walked around the building. The Greenwich Housing Authority has not taken out the other tenants' air conditioners, so maybe they are going to start leaving them in. They usually are out by this time of the year. I have a fairly new electric blanket that I use in the winter with the comforters. Maybe I will put it on the next time I change the linens. Not much happening on this side of town. The local newspaper is full of news about the local elections, but it is my viewpoint that more than half the town after they vote here in the fall go south for the winter. It would be interesting to know how many are actually legal tax paying residents here or in some other warmer state or country. CIO

Note: <888> 10/29/07 Monday 5:20 A.M.: On of the reasons, I keep my web log is to keep track of things. I was about to make some eggs, and I researched in my web log, when I bought the Nature's Promise extra large eggs, and it was August 2, 2007, so more than likely they are no good. I probably have some other food products likes Mott's Apple sauce that is out of date too. I will throw out the eggs. CIO

Note: <888> 10/29/07 Monday 4:40 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. It is starting to get colder outside, but I am used to it. After my walk, I drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. There was one solitary jeep there enjoying the view of Long Island Sound and Long Island. With the higher prices of fuel in this area, Long Island does not look as brightly lighted up the way it one was not too many years ago. Not many lights shinning along the waterfront of the Gold Coast of Long Island better known as Nassau County. I then drove over to Walgreens.com - Online pharmacy & drugstore, prescriptions, health information, photo center which is opened 24 hours a day seven days a week. I bought buy one gallon get one gallon free of Peak 50%-50% antifreeze for \$7.49 both and a 60 yard roll of grey 3M Scotch duct tape for \$6.99 and .87 tax for \$15.35 total. I then put about half of a gallon of the antifreeze in the coolant overflow container on the Buick wagon, so it is about 2/3rds full. I put the two Peak

antifreeze jugs in the driver's side rear compartment to have in reserve. I had to move a few items from there into the lower rear compartment. I then drove back to central Greenwich, and I sat out briefly. I then returned home. I then cleaned my General Electric Profile 15,500 BTU air conditioner filter and its covering. I closed its louvers, and I unplugged it from its heavy duty extension cord. I then used duct tape to seal it off with the Styrofoam panels, so it is winterized for the upcoming cold weather. I removed the bobby pins to lower the curtain over it. Thus it is all closed off, and set for the winter. Once I turn on the electric heat, I will use the electric tower fan to blow the heat around the apartment, so it does not go into the false ceiling. I moved the two U.S. Army www.army.mil extreme cold weather to minus 30 degrees Fahrenheit sleeping bags from behind the bedroom door to the far end of each sofa in the living room. I took out my winter hats, gloves, and scarves from the lower shelf of the sweater closet, and I put them on the back side of the down sofa. Once it gets colder in the bedroom, I will put on the heavier blanket on the bed and the new polyester comforter. I have a spare comforter too that I cleaned before storing. I keep more than enough extra warm materials in the apartment in case we ever lose our electric heat in the winter. I left the new roll of 3M Scotch duct tape on the boxes on the floor in the bottom front of the sweater closet with the used on. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 10:40 P.M.: I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. I chatted with a friend. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with one fourth of a 5 1/8th ounce tube of Pringle low fat sour cream and onion potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I will now go downtown for a walk. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 7:35 P.M.: I will now make my bed, and I will wash the breakfast dishes. I will start making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . I will then shower and clean up. I do not plan to go out, but I think I should shower and clean up every two or three days, so I do not stink too much. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 7:30 P.M.: I shredded the \$5 check and envelope to Greenwich Country Day Greenwich Country Day School and instead I gave them a dollar online. Since they treat me like a dollar a year person working for the President of the United States in Greenwich, Connecticut, I have given them my entire yearly salary from the White House www.whitehouse.gov . CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 7:10 P.M.: I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I rested some more. I chatted with a relative and a friend. My relative likes the Bed Bath & Beyond Product Watergard™ Bath Mat . I have suggested over the years that www.exxon.com should send one like I sent to my relative to each stock holder, and they could have the Exxon logo printed on it. I bought a copy of DTV4PC for \$29.99 to put on my primary Vista computer. I will now install it. Unfortunately, I did not receive the license key, so I have to wait until they send it to me to use it. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 2:15 P.M.: I went to bed after the last note. I chatted with www.chase.com and my account was not available until 10 A.M. on their system for use. I woke up at 1:45 P.M., and I ordered from New Lee Jeans SALE with the 20% off coupon code that they emailed me, I ordered two pairs of Lee Store - Product Detail Regular Fit - Straight Leg Jean in dark stone color waist 42 inches length 30 inches for \$19.99 each pair less \$8 discount for \$31.98 total with free shipping. Certain people around here think I am in the Lee Jean model around here, but alas they never paid me. Write down the Lee Coupon Code or print it out, since it disappears when you look at it a second time. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 5:50 A.M.: I am now watching some surfing action from Fiji. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with half of a 5 1/8th ounce tube of Pringle low fat sour cream and onion potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I overheard a surfer last Thursday night chatting about somebody he knows that owns a surf shop in South Africa. Greenwich, Connecticut because it is on Long Island sound does not have much wave surfing just a bit of wind surfing. However, having lived around the ocean most of my life, I have seen a few surfers. The most surfers I ever saw together in one place was in Malibu, California outside the Getty Villa on Labor Day in 1980, and I recall seeing about 50,000 of them that all looked the same. Of course I saw quite a few younger surfers down in Huntington Beach, California during that same trip. When I first went to Nantucket around 1969, I went with the son of the station agent for British Airways in Boston, and his name was Ian Emberson, and he had a twin brother who was a wine steward at the Ritz in Boston, and Ian since he also had lived in Hawaii tried his hand at surfing off Surfside beach in Nantucket with a board he barrowed from a local. As far as I can recall I have only body surfed, I have never tried a board. I guess the Body surfing off of Black's Beach in Tobago was probably the most dangerous body surfing I ever did, since it is full of black coral. I am so heavy now, I do not think I would be a good enough swimmer to be a good enough surfer. Thus I am left surfing the internet. Having lived around the waterfront most of my life, I do have a few friends around the waterfront in other areas, but I guess they have long forgotten about me, since this is a colder area on a year round business. Tobago also has calm beaches at Pigeon Point, but there are quite a few sand flies there. Now they are showing snowboarding on HDTV. I think the next Winter Olympics is at Whistler in Canada Vancouver 2010 - Welcome, where one of the fishing surf casting youth on Steamboat Road use to be from a half dozen years ago, so he will probably see quite a few people on the rebound including Crown Princess Victoria of Sweden H.M. Konungens tal. George Cary looks a bit like H.M. Konung Carl XVI Gustaf - Kungahuset, maybe he is related to European Royalty having come from Queen Victoria's Court. I can't read Swedish, but it looks like he is 60 years old now H.M. Konungen 60 år - Kungahuset. According to this Royal Diary - Kungahuset he will be at the World Scout Foundation in Copenhagen, Denmark. From this side of the pond not much is happening that I can tell. I have spent so much time outside observing over the years that few people want to be bothered by me, since they find computer people boring, particularly those with minimal income. I guess they are all looking for a free ride to Europe or Manhattan, and the way I got to both of those places over the years was by working. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 4:35 A.M.: I finished the Vista computer maintenance on the primary computer. I am watching High Def TV about trying to catch the big wave HD

channel 734 VOOM HD Networks - RUSH HD about surfer trying to catch an Amazon Pororoca surf wave for a 35 minute ride or more to set the world's record. If you don't wear a Speedo, you could have something amputated. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 2:35 A.M.: Earlier today, I put the U.S.A. flag in the hallway over the right hallway bookcase. I moved it over the Scottish Cross of St. Andrew's flag and the U.K. Union Jack. I still have the U.K. Union Jack displayed in the living room. I will now do some system maintenance, and then I will do a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 10/28/07:

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 2:10 A.M.: I went through my email earlier. I ate two scoops of Friendly low fat sugar free maple walnut ice cream. I currently weight 202 pounds, so I am not doing too well losing weight, since I was down to 190 pounds when I was up in Kennebunkport, Maine this past summer and fall. I guess since I am not making it downtown to exercise walk as much anymore with the higher price of fuel, I am not getting as much exercise. Of course I have been keeping busy around the apartment, and the apartment is a bit improved in its overall appearance. I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 10/28/07 Sunday 1:25 A.M.: I went out after the last note, and I checked my car, and I picked up my mail. I received a Greenwich Country Day School fund raiser letter with a "GCDS Alumni" car sticker. I put the sticker on the lower right side of the inside rear window of my Buick wagon to the left as one faces forward of the GB sticker. I tried to make a donation at their web site, but it would not accept my debit card, so I guess it only takes credit cards. I mailed them a \$5 check with their donation envelop that I will mail later on today. I looked for one of my old "SCOTT" USA stickers, but I seem to be out of them. I found a KPT white oval sticker with a small lobster in in it, and I put it on the outside rear lower window to the left as one faces forward of the GCDS Alumni sticker. While looking for a SCOTT sticker, I found an older GCDS alumni sticker. I ate the other 1.5 cups of the reheated defrosted steak and vegetable stew with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 10:35 P.M.: European Geophysics Union General Assembly, Vienna, Austria April 13 -18, 2008

COSIS.net - Geochemistry, Mineralogy, Petrology & Volcanology - Call-for-Paper Programme

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CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 10:25 P.M.: For the Nikon Coolpix 4600 digital 4.1 mp camera, I ordered 9984 Nikon Camera Case and Extended Service Coverage (2 Years) for

Coolpix 7900, 7600, 5900, 5600, 4600, L1, L2, L3, L4 for \$14.99 and XP4AA25/XP4AA29 Power2000 AA Rechargeable Batteries, 1.2 volt Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH), 2700 mAh, Pack of Four. for \$11.49 plus \$5 shipping for \$31.44 total. I used Chris N. as my sales representative, since I think it was him that I chatted with, and he told me he had been a Microsoft Salesman, and he knew Bret Clark whom lives near them and that I once met, who was from Steubenville, Ohio; Vienna, Austria; and Palm Beach, Florida, and Bret had gone to the Harvard Design School, and was working on the Kennedy Library in Boston. Bret is a smaller person like Billy Baldwin, but he looked to be very clever. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 8:55 P.M.: For older people whom need a cane, this is the cane Amazon.com: Duro-Med Adjustable Folding Fancy Cane, Floral: Health & Personal Care that I ordered for a relative while in Maine this past summer. The relative was most pleased.

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 8:40 P.M.: I ate a piece of pineapple cheese cake with some iced tea. I will now do some regular computer work. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 7:45 P.M.: I took 55 pictures of my apartment with the Nikon Coolpix 4600 4.1 mp digital camera. It takes quite good inside flash pictures, and with the wide angle lens, one gets good pictures at close up.

Here are two links to the pictures.

Kodakgallery.com Slideshow Mike Scott's Apartment 55 Pictures October 27, 2007

<http://mikelouisscott.com/mls102707/>

CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 5:45 P.M.: I chatted with a friend and a relative. I woke up at 3 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener.

I ordered from DVD R Media,DVD-R Media,DVD-RW,DVD+R Media,DVD+RW,Buy Blank DVD Media,Dual Layer,DL DVD R Media,DVD-RAM,CD-R,CDR,CD-RW,DVDR,CD DVD R Media Storage Online Shop,CD DVD Labels,CD DVD Burner,DVD Drive,Ink Toner,Ink Cartridges,Pen Drives, a 21 LEDs Lamp for Bicycle,FREE STANDARD SHIPPING for \$9.99, a Kingston 1GB Secure Digital Memory Card (SD 1GB Card), Model SD/1GB for \$14.65 less \$5 off coupon with code "MMTOP5OFF" with free shipping for \$19.64 total. I will thus have a light for my bicycle at night besides the dynamo light if I need to use the bike at night, and I will now have a SD card for my older Polaroid 3.1 mp digital camera. I will now wash the breakfast dishes, and I will make my bed. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 5:45 A.M.: I ate two 1.25 inch by .25 inch by 2.5 inch slices of New York extra sharp cheddar cheese. I watched some high definition television. I have so many television channels to chose from, I should really look at one of the internet television guides instead of channel surfing.

BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | New room added to space station

BBC NEWS | Technology | Reporter's Log: A day with Vista

I guess I have not got around to exploring all of the features of Vista in pursuing my every day routines. I still have not tried its speech recognition.

Well, I am a bit tired, so I think I should now shut down the primary Vista computer <http://mikelouisscott.com/computer.htm> , and I will go to bed shortly there after. Have a good day. Don't take any wooden nickels. I have been looking at laptops on the internet, and they are so god awful expensive, I do not think I will ever be getting a new one, and to be frank I really do not need one, since I am more comfortable being a desktop hero at home as opposed to being a laptop warrior on the run. Well it seems to me that after 11 months of Vista since its final release, I have it under control for now. However, more than likely when Vista SP1 is released, I might try installing it as an update, and possibly as an update over a restored backup of my original configuration, but I will probably try it over the current installation first. However, it is not due for release until January 2008, so more than likely I might have some time to get back to some normal routines, whatever those might be. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 3:40 A.M.: Local writer Greenwich Gossip who writes better than I do because he went to www.harvard.edu and he uses a Apple, so he does not have to fix it all the time. He seems to know a lot of the older movers and shakers, but at my age having hung out downtown at night with the kids here for the last 24 years, some of the newer generation have a different perspective than the old guard at the local events. I was thinking that since the liberal democratic party has gone so far to the left, maybe the Republican party could dig up some old time conservative democrats to run on the upcoming ticket, since it seems the Republicans are all hiding behind their lawyers, and none of them want to be public anymore. Obviously without enough funding, it is not worth being public anymore, since it takes a considerable amount of time and money to mingle with the general public, if one does not have an objective. Somebody must make money off the political process, or they would not be so ruthless in their competitive adventures. I guess since a lot of Average White Male Americans think the same, the various feminist political groups make hay by dividing and breaking up the consensus of the general public and diverting one's attentions away from the real events. From what I can tell, if one had the time, and one studied this Budget of the United States Government: Main Page , one might make more sense out of the current political process as opposed to their various public relations efforts. At a quick glance I even noticed that the DOD has a \$76 billion research budget, so more than likely some other people are working on high tech in a more clandestine fashion than what one sees on the internet. You have to remember that the Internet is what the DOD turned over to the Civilians around 1980, so

more than likely they are using some sort of Star Wars type of communications network that most of us are totally unaware of. I know in the old days, the "Audubon Network" was a Defense communications system, but I can not find any mention of it on the internet. I guess everything is pie in the sky satellite technology, and more than likely other countries are using various other technologies. From what I have read briefly about www.cia.gov by charter, they are not allowed to conduct clandestine surveillance in the United States, but only outside the country, and it is the www.fbi.gov and various other intelligence agencies that have that responsibility. However, since Greenwich, Connecticut is an international community, more than likely we have other foreign intelligence agencies operating in this area not to mention the New York Area in general. The Old Guard in Greenwich tend to be a quiet group that play the card game Bridge a lot, so more than likely anyone throwing too many social events might be trying to gather intelligence. However, we all know about the biggest spy network in the world is the Roman Catholic Church. I ate a toasted bagel with olive oil with some iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 1:20 A.M.: This Wednesday, October 31, 2007, the Queen Mary II is back in Manhattan again [QM2 - Itinerary - 2007](#) . I would not mind taking off on it to spend the winter in Barbados, but sooner or later I will get use to the colder weather. It will visit again three more times in November 2007 and twice in December 2007, so I guess the POSH aristocracy of England is not spending too much time back home across the Pond anymore. There are probably a lot of wet behind the ear youth keep the home fires burning. I will now go get the white quilted throw and put it back on the Ethan Allen recliner. CIO

Note: <888> 10/27/07 Saturday 12:50 A.M.: [Tony Blair Boards With Random House - Forbes.com](#)

[Download details: DirectX End-User Runtime](#)

[- Microsoft Stripping Down Windows to Run on OLPC - News and Analysis by PC Magazine](#)

[NMSU: Geological Sciences](#)

» [Windows Vista: More than 88 million copies sold | All about Microsoft | ZDNet.com](#)

[10 Head-Turning Products From Interop NY](#)

[Microsoft Goes Godzilla In Fiscal First Quarter - Software - IT Channel News by CRN and VARBusiness](#)

[U.S. Navy Proposes New Strategy - Forbes.com](#)

[Surplus Computers 11 LED Head & Bicycle Lamp](#)

[Slippery Slope - Forbes.com](#)

I just remembered yesterday that I started walking a lot in my life at age 7 when I started playing golf. Thus I have been walking a lot in my life for the last 50 years.

I have 25 minutes to go on the dry cycle on the white quilted throw for the Ethan Allen recliner. If one does not watch too much television, there is always something that one can do with their spare time. I ate a 1/6th piece of pineapple cheese cake. CIO

Note: <888> 10/26/07 Friday 11:30 P.M.: This morning before going to bed, I ate two scoops of low fat sugar free Maple Walnut ice cream. This afternoon, I also ate a 1/6th piece of pineapple cheese cake. The weather is cooler damp and rainy today. I moved the large Bermuda flag from the left hallway bookcase to the left living room closet. I now have the U.S. Air Force www.af.mil flag flying over the left hallway bookcase. The weather in Bermuda [Civil Air Terminal, Bermuda Forecast : Weather Underground](#) is warmer than here. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I moved the Buick wagon to its usual place underneath the street light. I picked up my mail. Earlier this afternoon, I chatted with a friend going back up to Toronto, Canada. I shut down the Northgate Syntax computer. I will now wash and dry the white quilted throw that is spread over the Ethan Allen recliner in the living room. CIO

Note: <888> 10/26/07 Friday 10:25 P.M.: I was awake at 1 P.M.. I ordered this almost free promo xpdig.com- [Great Cleaners: Kaboom NeverScrub toilet cleaning system + Cameo stainless steel cleaner + Brillo pads \\$1.5 shipped](#) , and for the item that I paid for, I ordered the 10 pack of Brillo lemon soap pads for \$2.25, and the other three items and the shipping were free, so the total was \$2.25. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watered my plants, and I put out more white vinegar in the scent bowl. I reinstalled and configured Vista SP1 beta on the Northgate Syntax computer on the second hard drive. Now the audio works with it. I did not put Microsoft One Care beta on it, so it does not have an antivirus program. I am now using Vista Complete PC backup of both hard drives with Vista SP1 beta and XP Home to the Bytecc External hard drive. I chatted with a relative. I am defrosting and reheating the steak and vegetable stew that I made over six months ago. I will eat half of it shortly with a glass of iced tea. I watched television while working on the Northgate Syntax computer. CIO

Note: <888> 10/26/07 Friday 6:45 A.M.: [BBC NEWS | Technology | Apple ready to set Leopard free](#)

[Shuttle docks with space station - CNN.com](#)

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/26/07 Friday 5:45 A.M.: [Microsoft Earnings Boosted By Windows Vista, Office, Halo -- Windows Vista -- InformationWeek](#)

[Saudi King Tries to Grow Modern Ideas in Desert - New York Times](#)

[The Deals are Getting BIGGER and BETTER at Geeks.com 750 GB SATA hard drive \\$140](#)

[PC rebooting? The cause may be MS OneCare](#)

[Global Volcanism Program | Volcanic Activity Reports | SI / USGS Weekly Volcanic Activity Report](#)

[Microsoft Dynamics Forum Series](#)

[Dell Small Business 360 - Managing and Promoting Your Business Web Site](#)

[Photovolcanica Full Index: Photos of Volcanoes, Penguins, Moais...](#)

[Pavlof- Volcano by Richard Roscoe, From Etna to Strombolil, CIO](#)

Note: <888> 10/26/07 Friday 4:45 A.M.: I ate a 1/6th of a piece of pineapple cheese cake. I will repeat my theory that pineapple or pineapple juice from pineapples that are grown on sulfur rich volcanic soil might possibly be good for arthritis, since MSM [MSM & Joints | Information, Benefits, Research | MSMGuide.com](#) that I take for arthritis has white sulfur in it. I also take chondroitin sulfate and glucosamine [Glucosamine and Chondroitin Sulfate](#). I also take two Tylenol arthritis pain formulas a day, one when I wake up, and one when I go to bed. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/26/07 Friday 3:40 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I noticed at the vintage car dealership across the street from the Greenwich, Connecticut train station, they have an antique 1958 to 1963 Mercedes 220S or 220SE four seater convertible in grey with black top. I once owned a 1961 Mercedes 220s convertible that I bought in 1971 for \$750, and it had a bit of rust, but I had to sell it for \$1,750 after a couple of months to get my money back after I paid \$850 have a valve job done at Loeber Mercedes in Chicago, Illinois, when all it needed was a \$15 fuel filter. I sold it to a fellow from California that was going to restore it. Still I had a few enjoyable spring days on the North Shore cruising around in it. With the money that I had left when I sold it, I bought the St. Bernard puppy at the Senior Class Auction for \$300. During my walk, I saw the trains coming and going on both sides about 10:30 P.M.. I chatted with somebody walking the third labradoodle that I have seen in two years. It is a mixture of a Labrador and Poodle. It is suppose to have a good sense of smell. During my walk, I found an orange with fleur de leis pattern women's silk scarf made in Italy about 24 inches by 24 inches. It seems to be in good shape, so I brought it back with me, and I left it on the back of the down sofa, in case anyone needs it. After my walk, I drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and not much is happening now that the cooler weather has set in. I then returned home. I started defragmenting the C: drive when I went out, and I just stopped it, and I am not sure

whether it was working or not, although the hard drive light was flashing, I had a warning that the defragmenting module had failed.

I tried reactivating Vista SP1 beta on the second partition on the Epox computer, but product activation came up, and I could not get to administrative privileges. I then pressed F8 on boot up, and I selected "Last Known Good Configuration", and I got the normal boot up without product activation.

I found the script to run to reactivate it for another 30 days.

I ran the DOS prompt as an Administrator.

I then typed in without the quotes "cscript slmgr.vbs /rearm"

It then prompted me to reboot, and I have another 30 days of usage.

I am suppose to be able to do it three times for a total usage of 120 days.

On this page Microsoft allows bypass of Vista activation , it says you can go beyond 120 days for 12 times if you reset the registry key to

HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE \ SOFTWARE \ Microsoft \ Windows NT \ CurrentVersion \ SL

Step 3. Right-click the Registry key named SkipRearm and click Edit. The default is a Dword (a double word or 4 bytes) with a hex value of 00000000. Change this value to any positive integer, such as 00000001, save the change, and close the Registry Editor

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but when I reset it just now it was set to 0, maybe after three times you need to set it to 1.

I am doing a quick Complete PC backup on the Vista SP1 beta partition hard drive from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. CIO

Note: <888> 10/25/07 Thursday 9:45 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. It is suppose to rain tomorrow, so I will now go out for walk downtown. CIO

Note: <888> 10/25/07 Thursday 8:45 P.M.: I woke up at noon today. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I put a new Stop and Shop blue toilet tablet in the toilet tank. I went out, and I mailed a letter at the Chase Bank on Mason street at their outside mail box. I then use the ATM machine and teller counters at the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went to my regular 3 P.M. appointment. I then went by the

Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop, and I bought a 35 inch diameter with round engraved dark gold frame mirror for \$15. I then went by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I bought two 75 pound OOK three nail hanger assemblies for \$2.99 each, and two 5 inch by .25 inch toggle bolt assemblies that I assembled myself with each with two 1.5 inch diameter fender washers with three nuts in between for \$1.15 each assembly plus .50 tax for \$8.78 total. The toggle bolt assemblies are a good way to hang a heavy object off of a sheet rock wall. But if sheet rock ever gets wet from a leaky roof or some other damp situation, it becomes like wet card board, and everything would fall down no matter what one hung it with unless it was hung of the stud. I then went by the Greenwich Automotive Service Center Exxon station next to the Greenwich Library, and I bought \$28 of self service premium unleaded gasoline at \$3.439 a gallon for 8.142 gallons for 83.1 miles driving the last 12 days for a total odometer reading of 115,474.3 miles for an average of 10.206 miles per gallon, which is about right since I have been driving recently in heavier daytime traffic with the air conditioner going. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought three 64 ounce containers of Ocean Spray cranraspberry juice for \$5 all, German Wondarbar baloney at \$2.79 a pound for \$3.21 and \$1.42, and Stop and Shop white American cheese for \$5.49 a pound \$5.82 for \$15.45 total. I then went by the George Weston Bakeries Arnold Bread outlet in Byram off Old Track Road near the I-95 exit two exit, and I bought two six packs of Thomas' New York Everything bagels for \$1.79 each six pack and a Entenmann's 24 ounce pineapple cheese cake for \$2.25 for \$5.83 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a neighbor. One of the three discarded air conditioners by our dumpster is a Frederick 6,000 BTU model about ten years old, and it looks like it might work, but I have not tested it. I brought up my purchases. I took off the items from the top side of the inside of the apartment door, and I used a 75 pound OOK hook to hang the new mirror there above the picture of the Chateau of Versailles. It looks quite nice. I cleaned the mirror with glass cleaner. I hung the two small bird brings from the door below the Ox Yoke above the living room closets. I hung the picture of Prince Wilhelm of the Netherlands and Princess Maxima above the light switch. I hung the mirror I took off the door beneath the mirror on the right side of the kitchen entrance. I moved the framed map of Scandinavia from that location to above the Abraham Lincoln picture in the living room. I moved the water colors of the Town Hall in Paris and the Cathedral of Notre Dame from that location to above the right side of the bedroom closet. I move the framed New York Central Stock certificate from that location to the above the Green Heron picture to the left of the bed. I moved the Nantucket or Martha's Vineyard of North Water Street print from the lower right kitchen entrance to the wall just above the dining table below the mirror. I moved the framed spider web from that location to the wall above the chair in the kitchen below the shelf. I moved the picture of the Queen Mother of England from the apartment entrance door to above the kitchen entrance on the left side. I moved the picture of Queen Juliana of the Netherlands from that location to the wall above the kitchen sink. I moved the round barometer from the apartment entrance door to the left side of the bedroom entrance, and I moved the Putnam Lodge Masonic broken and repaired dinner plate from that location to above the handicap assist handle to the left side of the toilet as one sits down. I put my spare Turkish change purse that I bought a few years ago from the Port Chester flea market for a couple of dollars in between the Buick wagon seats where the music tapes are to hold any spare change. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with mayonnaise and potato chips and a slice of dill pickle with a

glass of iced tea. I also put the spare toggle bolt assemblies and spare OOK hooks in a small brown paper bag in the right top drawer of the mahogany bureau in the bedroom. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 9:50 P.M.: I surfed the internet a bit. I made and ate my burger with sautéed onions and cheese dinner, which I ate it with steamed flavored rice and steamed broccoli crowns and baby carrots with a glass of iced tea. I watched some television. I chatted with a relative. I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 5:20 P.M.: I woke up at noon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I went outside briefly, and I picked up my mail. I emptied my paper shredder, and I lubricated it. I threw out the shredded paper. I watched a Discovery Channel presentation on Super Volcanoes and Yellow Stone Park's history. It has been about 75,000 years since there was the last Super Volcano there, so maybe one is long over due. I chatted with some neighbors. I showered, and I cleaned up. Basically if you are high tech in Southern California, and you are displaced by the Santa Anna winds' fires, you could always sit in a 24 hours Denny's and work with your laptop. I recall there use to be a 24 hour Denny's in Laguna Beach, California. More than likely they would have plenty of coffee. Denny's has very good breakfast specials as I recall in the old days. Laguna Beach actually had the only ice cream shop that I saw in California, and it was right on the beach. There used to be a fellow there that looked like John Wayne that would walk around downtown shaking hands with people, and Mickey Rooney use to show up at anyone's cocktail parties for \$50. Everyone I met in Laguna Beach seemed to own a \$100,000 house on the hillside with a view that they could afford through Escrow, and they were always sparsely furnished with rental furniture, and they were always trying to sell them for a quick short term profit. I saw a great deal of Laguna Beach and the hills area, since I delivered telephone books there for about two months in the fall of 1978, so it was a good way to get to know the community and the various neighborhoods. I recall it was quite difficult driving a Subaru station wagon full of telephone books up the steep hills. Just north of Laguna Beach use to be a trailer park on the beach where James Garner's father lived in some long forgotten television show. Between Laguna Beach and Newport Beach which is more upscale was the Irvine Ranch which had been owned by Mobil oil. It was just being developed into expensive California homes. There were a lot of Jar heads around Laguna beach since Camp Pendleton was just to the south of it and El Toro Marine air station was to the northeast. It tended to be a republican party area, since Richard Nixon had a home on the beach in San Clemente, California where I use to go surf casting along with another place that I surf cast at in Dana Point that is now a Ritz Carlton. Donald Breem is a developer in Laguna Beach, and he is a Bush family friend, and since quite a few Texans would vacation by the cooler ocean in Laguna Beach when it was hot in Texas, there was quite a colorful group of people there in the summer. However, there is only one coast road to the north of Laguna Beach and a narrow two lane road going to the east through a narrow ravine in the hills to the more highly populated area and the coast road to the south, so there can be a bit

of traffic getting into and out of Laguna Beach. It is serviced by the nearby Newport Beach, California airport called John Wayne airport. One weekdays Laguna Beach has quite a few retired people, but on weekends a lot of people from Las Angeles to the north visit it. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 5:45 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. No appointments today. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 5:25 A.M.: On Beyond Vista: First Public Demo of Windows 7 - AppScout

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KIEL.SAILING CITY - Sailing und Business

When I first looked into the computer business in California in the fall of 1978, I noticed around the University of California at Santa Cruz lots of people were wearing medallions of the Bhag Juan?, but I do not find a web site for him. I guess it is another off shoot of the Hindu Religion BHAG - Hinduism . I did read while out there that a Doctor of Physics from India that had developed optic fibers was teaching the University of California at Santa Cruz. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 4:35 A.M.: One of the original internet gurus around here <http://mikelouisscott.com/MASKAPE.GIF> . I used the ASSEENONTV light vacuum sweeper that a relative gave me for Christmas this past Christmas, and I cleaned the common walk areas in the apartment, and I charged it up. One can use it late at night or the early morning hours, since it does not make hardly any noise. It takes about two hours to charge it up. I will now go through my email. I ate a bowl of white cheddar cheese its. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 3:15 A.M.: On the Toshiba laptop, I have its power transformer plugged into a power strip on the floor to the right of the RTH computer desk, but I leave the power strip turned off, when the Toshiba laptop is not being used, since the transformer tends to get warm when standing for long periods of time turned on. There is no point in leaving it on, since the Toshiba laptop battery does not hold a charge for very long. For fundamental internet and computer use, the vintage Toshiba laptop is still a useable computer, although I do not use it much at all with my faster desktops, but if I ever had to travel it would work. CIO

Note: <888> 10/24/07 Wednesday 2:45 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I picked up my mail. I went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went to my 3 P.M. appointment. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop. I chatted about cars with a local. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I used the bathroom at the senior and arts center twice. I stopped by CVS

briefly. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with some of the staff. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought partially green Chiquita bananas from Honduras for .54 a pound for \$1.63. I then went back by CVS on Greenwich Avenue, and I bought another RTH "Round The House" made in China computer table with keyboard shelf for \$9.99 and .60 tax for \$10.59. I notice one of the one dollar coins I was spending was a 1988 Bermuda dollar with Queen Elizabeth II on its face and a sailboat on the reverse side, so I saved it with my Canadian penny. I spent the rest of the Indian dollars on the Chinese computer table. The local Swedish observer is still trying to figure out what I am doing all of the time. He is too cheap to invest in the internet and computers and he only invests in vintage books. I chatted with a local from nearby Holland, Michigan. I returned home. I brought up my purchases. I assembled the RTH Chinese computer desk without attaching the keyboard drawer, so a chair would fit underneath it. I put the keyboard parts for it behind the French antique reproduction chair. I then took Charles Prince's www.harvard.edu chair out of the kitchen, where I have been using it for a smoking chair. I put the purple and cherry wood office chair by the telephone table in the living room in its place in the kitchen. I took the tea table out of the kitchen, and I put it above the paper shredder by the French reproduction chair in the living room. It makes is slightly narrower opening into the hallway. I took the night stand that the telephones sat on by the telephone chair, and I put it in the kitchen where the tea table was. I put the blue Rubbermaid garbage can by its side. I put the plastic bag with spare plastic storage bags on the right living closet shelf. I moved my shoes that I wear regularly into the right living room closet floor with the other shoes. I left out my old house slippers. I threw out all of the telephone books except the small Greenwich telephone book. I put my automobile tool chest in the rear of the Buick wagon and the socket set underneath the rear compartment of the Buick wagon. I put the new RTH computer desk where the purple chair and night stand telephone table had been at the near end of the down sofa at the apartment entrance with the www.harvard.edu chair set inside of it, so it is easy to pull out and sit at. I put the telephones and the light back on the RTH computer desk along with the small Greenwich telephone book underneath it. There is still enough room on the RTH computer table for a laptop computer, so I moved my vintage 9 year old Toshiba laptop with its accessories from the left side of the bedroom desk to the new RTH computer table. I disconnected one of the two blue LAN cables from the Northgate Syntax computer, and I lead it over to the Toshiba laptop, so it is online. It also has a wireless card, so if I turn on one of the two wireless routers, it will also go online that way. However, the AT&T wireless router frequency interferes with the Logitech wireless mouse on the primary Vista computer, but possibly the Linksys wireless router does not. I have them available in case, a number of people needed to use their wireless laptops. Both wireless routers are connected to my network switch off the cable modem. I moved the folding shopping cart from the bedroom entrance to hanging off the bathroom door in front of the Reader's Digest map of Magellan. I moved the yellow ceramic Harry's Bar Venezia, Italia ashtray to the right rear of the other RTH computer table with the Northgate Syntax monitor on it. Harry's is probably the only place in the world that you might catch up with <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> . I was wandering if anyone over on this side of the pond have recognized any of the people in this picture <http://mikelouisscott.com/photo/mike-scott-picture-of-visitors-at-courchevel-1550-albertville-france-winter-olympics-1992.jpg> . I move the black volcanic lava tiki ashtray

that Paul White gave me from the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop about 20 years ago with the Kennebunkport, Maine lighter to the right side of the new RTH computer desk. Although I do not smoke in the living room, but instead in the kitchen by the kitchen fan, I leave ashtrays available around the living room area, in case anyone needs one should any smokers ever stop by. I only have one expected visitor once or twice a year, and that is George Cary <http://mikelouisscott.com/photo/mike-scott-with-distant-relative-whom-knows-about-horses-with-relative-whom-knows-about-railroads-putnam-hotel-in-saratoga-ny-about-summer-1990.jpg> who sometimes stops by here on cold winters nights while on his way up to Boston, so since George is from the Buffalo, New York area of East Aurora, New York, before he moved down to Long Island, I call this place the Buffalo Road House. He usually shows up when it is below zero degrees Fahrenheit or there is an ice storm, so I figure the trend will continue in the future. The Cary family were the original contractors on the Governor's Palace in Williamsburg, Virginia, so they tend to have a lot of friends. I threw out the RTH packing box. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I put my Bermuda dollar and a Canadian penny in the little brass picture frame on the dining table with the British pound coin and the Canadian quarter. Thus I have in English Commonwealth Money, One British Pound, One Bermuda Dollar, One Canadian Quarter, and One Canadian Penny, which the way I figure it would buy one about one gallon of gasoline in the United States of America at today's prices. CIO

Note: <888> 10/23/07 Tuesday 1:35 P.M.: I checked to see if the mail person had arrived yet, but not yet. I chatted with a relative. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/23/07 Tuesday 12:25 P.M.: I showered, and I cleaned up. I watched the www.nasa.gov Space Shuttle Launch on www.foxnews.com , and I also watched the 30 second delay on [NASA - NASA TV Landing Page](#) . About 12 minutes after the launch in the back yard of my building out by the baseball field, one could see the contrail of the Space Shuttle go by right above the tree line just southeast of the cloud line. It might have been clearer to see if one were on the pier on Steamboat Road, but there is only one thing that would lead a contrail like that. [BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Shuttle heads for space station](#) . I chatted with some neighbors. I am waiting for the mail to arrive. I have a 3 P.M. appointment today. The Space Shuttle is launching a new connecting module made in Italy. According to this the Italians can afford it [Italy's biggest business: the Mafia - Telegraph](#) with an income of \$120 billion a year in Italy alone. CIO

Note: <888> 10/23/07 Tuesday 10:35 A.M.: I was awake at 9 A.M.. 11:38 A.M. EDT is suppose to be a www.nasa.gov Space Shuttle Launch time, but they currently are having technical problems. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. Santa Anna winds continue to cause massive fires in southern California [FOXNews.com - Deadly Wildfires Force Mass Evacuations in Southern California - Local News | News Articles | National News | US News](#) . CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 11:00 P.M.: On the Vista SP1 beta partition on the Epox computer, it has 4 days before it is deactivated. I tried to reactivate it by running the Visual Basic script to reactivate it for another 30 days, which one is suppose to be able to do three times, but it did not work. Perhaps, one has to wait until it expires to reactivate it. I ate a bowl of white cheddar Cheese Its. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed. Have a good night. I have a 3 P.M. appointment tomorrow. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 7:05 P.M.: I watched some HiDef television. Since I am low on funds, there is not much use to do anymore bottom fishing on the internet.

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 6:15 P.M.: I ate three scoops of low fat sugar free maple walnut ice cream. Unfortunately this warmer weather does not seem to be a long term trend around here [AccuWeather.com - Greenwich, CT - 15 Day Weather Forecast - Local Weather Forecasts](#) . Maybe it is an early Indian Summer who knows. Anyway the tree leafs are still green, so they have not yet begun to change and fall, so nobody is raking leaves yet. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 5:20 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. Recently for the last two days, I have noticed that I have had quite a lot more intestinal gas than normal, and all that I have changed in my diet is that I have been using 25% Dole pineapple juice in my breakfast juice mixture. Since pineapples usually come from volcanic rich soil, more than likely the pineapples have higher levels of sulfur in them which tends to give one intestinal gas. However, like MSM which people take for arthritis which is basically white sulfur which is an anti-inflammatory which also gives one intestinal gas, more than likely pineapple juice despite the intestinal gas side effects is probably good for arthritis. On the warmer weather that we have been having this fall in New England, it might be caused by the Gulf Stream having moved further westward against the Atlantic Coast. Since the biggest factor in our weather is the Atlantic current, possibly the current which runs down the west coasts of Europe and Africa and back around up the east coasts of South America and North America has possibly been altered by the fact that the Northwest Passage in the Artic is no longer frozen over, so possibly warmer water from the Pacific Current of Humboldt current is crossing from the Pacific ocean through the Artic waters into the Atlantic current causing our warmer weather. It is just a theory, but it might explain why it has been warmer this fall. If this trend continues for the indefinite future, there is really no purpose in going down south for the winter, since we have a Bermuda like climate here currently. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 4:20 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with a neighbor. I threw out some garbage. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 3:05 P.M.: On the Right Track CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 2:00 P.M.: I finished off the box of white cheddar Cheese Its. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 1:40 P.M.: I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I will now go through my email. I picked up my mail earlier. All I had was a promo from www.vistaisready.com. I saw the local Bill Gates look alike downtown on Greenwich Avenue on Saturday afternoon. I have chatted with him before, and he told me he was from Stamford, Connecticut and worked for www.ibm.com when he used to campaign for Ross Perot, and he is the only person that I have ever seen wearing an IBM name tag in the area. However the person I saw downtown on Greenwich Avenue on Saturday afternoon is 6 feet tall, and according to Celebrity Heights - How tall are Celebrities Bill Gates is 5 foot 10 inches tall Bill Gates Height - how tall and the person I saw downtown is a lot heavier than Bill Gates. However, he is in good company since Prince Charles is 5 foot 10 inches tall Prince Charles Height - how tall and Prince William is Prince William Height - how tall and Prince Harry is suppose to be about the same, but the Boss Queen Elizabeth II is suppose to be 5 foot 3 inches and her husband Prince Phillip is suppose to be 5 foot 10 inches. However, a tall rich person would be Howard Hughes Height - Hughes's is 6 foot 3.75 inches. Myself being 6 foot tall and 200 pounds, I know people both above and below that. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 12:40 P.M.: I ate a bowl of white cheddar Cheese Its before going to bed. I woke up at 7 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I started to go out, and I noticed my Turkish leather change purse was missing. I went by the Greenwich Hospital outpatient clinic, and I got my flu shot. I found my Turkish leather change purse on the street outside CVS, where I must have dropped it last night, when I bought the RTH Chinese computer table. RTH stands for Round The House. I then drove downtown, and I spent 75 cents parking downtown at the Senior and the Arts center, since there were no free parking places. It is now suppose to be 25 cents for 15 minutes, but the parking meters still say 25 cents for 20 minutes. I chatted with a regular daytime person. I then walked over to the Merry Go Round Mews thrift shop which is closed on Mondays. I noticed they have a 1989 Sony 5 disc carousel player in the garbage and a pair of ice hockey skates about size 9 in the garbage. I do not know if the Sony disc player works. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. One of the regular fishermen is there. The Polish artist from Nantucket is back painting on the waterfront. The large yacht is no longer moored off of Indian Harbor. I then returned home, and the contractors were looking at our building in terms of their bid for the possible Greenwich Housing Authority addition. They also are still doing excavation work at the side of the old Maneros across from the Delamar Hotel in preparation for a new condominium complex. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 1:55 A.M.: I went outside, and I got the white wicker breakfast tray out of the rear of the Buick wagon, and I put it on the living room window shelf in front of the General Electric air conditioner, which I will be closing up soon for the winter. I open up the air conditioner from about mid April to end of October, so it basically is closed up about half the year. I arranged the items in front of the air conditioner on the white wicker breakfast tray. I will now shut down the primary Vista

computer, and I will go to bed soon. I have to be up at 7 A.M. to get ready for my flu shot. CIO

Note: <888> 10/22/07 Monday 12:55 A.M.: I did some system maintenance, and then I did another Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I was asked by an Asian women this evening where the Redmen's Hall was downtown in Greenwich, Connecticut. It is on East Elm Street on the side entrance off Greenwich Avenue on the north side of the street. It is used for various social events in town such as Thanksgiving dinners and such. From what I know half of the world's population probably dies at night, so we have to keep a few people awake in case anything goes wrong. Maybe Jim Eldert is now one of those all night disk jockeys that weirdoes listen to in California. In warmer climates there tends to be more people awake at night, since it can be hot in the daytime. Once it gets colder around here, some of the northern Nordic populations start showing up, and they tend to be out at night more, since they do not feel cold around here in the winter compared to their northern homes. When I was in Oslo, Norway in February 1983, there were people awake and about town until well after midnight even in six feet of snow, and the town was lighted up. It is not much different in Scandinavia in the winter than around here, once you get use to the winter. I suppose we now have a larger Russian population in the area now that over a half million of them have moved to the New York City area, since the wall came down. Maybe I should apply for some sort of foreign aid from Russia, since I certainly have seen plenty of them on cold winter's nights over the years. I know winter is coming when I see some of the local New York Ranger's hockey players around. A lot of them are French Canadian, so they frequently are not too swift in English either. I ate a bowl of white cheddar Cheese Its. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 11:25 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with a neighbor. There are two old GMC air conditioners by the dumpster. I can't think of anywhere handy where I could store the white wicker breakfast tray in the apartment, so it is in the back of the Buick wagon. I could put it on a window ledge, but it is not necessary. I have other smaller breakfast trays. In the old days around Fred's <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> apartment at 420 East 49th street when he was being trained to take over Billy Baldwin's business, he was always buying breakfast trays as if they were important. I guess rich Manhattan people can not be bothered to get out of bed for breakfast, and most of them are not even awake by lunch time. I have to be at the Greenwich Hospital outpatient clinic tomorrow by 9:45 A.M. for a 10:15 A.M. appointment for a flu shot. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 10:35 P.M.: I went out after the last message. I went downtown, and I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I stopped by CVS during my walk. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I then drove down by the waterfront. There is a large yacht all lighted up on Long Island Sound about a mile off shore Indian Harbor. I then drove back by CVS, and at the front entrance of the store, they had four clearance items RTH made in China computer desks with keyboards that require assembly. They are regularly \$39.99, and I bought one for 75% off

for \$9.99 plus .60 tax for \$10.59 total. I then returned home. I chatted with a neighbor. I brought up the RTH computer desk. I assembled it per the instructions leaving the back brace off. It had an inside width of 23.25 inches, and my brass and glass coffee table has a diameter of 23.50 inches, so I removed from the near end of the brass and glass coffee table, the white wicker breakfast tray supporting the Northgate Syntax computer monitor, and I placed the RTH computer desk over the near end of the brass and glass coffee table, and I assembled the rear support strut on it, so it is a snug fit over the brass and glass coffee table. I then put the lazy Susan and the Northgate Syntax monitor and control panel on the RTH computer desk with the Kensington wireless keyboard in the sliding keyboard drawer. I then put the other items back in place. It is a much neater set up, and the RTH computer desk or table is a lot more stable. It is well made item, and I would have bought another, but I have no room for another. The RTH computer desk is 31.5 inches wide, 21 inches deep and 30 3/8 inches high. I used duct tape to tape the Allen or L wrench used for assembly underneath the RTH computer desk top. The only other tool needed was a Phillips screw driver. I will now throw out the RTH computer desk packing box, and I will put the white wicker breakfast tray in the rear of the Buick wagon to give back to the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop. I do not have room to store it. I defragmented the C: drive while I was out. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 6:00 P.M.: I made and ate my burger with sautéed onions and cheese dinner, which I ate it with steamed flavored rice and steamed broccoli crowns and baby carrots with a glass of iced tea. I also added two cloves of chopped garlic, when I sautéed the burger. About the only thing Malibu, California is famous for on the East Coast back east is there use to a transcontinental automobile race from the garage in Fred Von Mierers <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> building on East 54th street in Manhattan just east of First Avenue across country to Malibu, California. It was made famous in the Cannon Ball or Gumball Race movies, since in the movie the secret code word to launch the race was Gumball, but I think in reality it was "Jelly Bean", which is why Ronald Reagan always kept a jar of Jelly Beans on his desk. In later years, it started from the Lock Stock and Barrel restaurant in Darien, Connecticut, which I don't think is there anymore either. However, we have enough exotic cars around here, if we had the fuel, we could still have the same race. I learned when I was in California between 1978 and 1980 on five different trips out there mostly by automobile, there is also reverse race of vintage old Volvos from Santa Cruz, California to somewhere around Boston, Massachusetts. The races are also called Rallies. www.nasa.gov is suppose to have another space shuttle launch this Tuesday also. I will now shut down the primary computer, and I will go downtown for a walk. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 4:30 P.M.: This place is suppose to have burned down in Malibu, California Welcome to the Famous Malibu Castle Kashan . When I first got on the internet 15 years ago, there was a member of the Scott family How A 32-man Assault Team Murdered Donald P. Scott At Trails End Ranch that owned a 200 acre ranch in Malibu, California, so I wonder how that is doing. It reads to me like it was a Land Grab, which is very typical if you can not afford proper legal representation. Unfortunately, when it comes to the law, I know the experts. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 4:10 P.M.: I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. I walked around the building. It is still quite dry around here with drought conditions. Thus since it is dry around here with drought conditions, and since we live in a heavily wooded area, we should have increased fire watch 24 hours a day in case any of the wooded areas catch fire. It is even drier down south, and with all of the wooded areas in America, it takes more energy which is more costly for increased fire protection. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 2:45 P.M.: I woke up at 11 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I threw out my Danish tin of old cigarette butts, which I forgot to do on Friday. If Jimmy Eldert is still living in the Malibu Colony, I wonder what he is doing today FOXNews.com - [Wildfires Force Evacuations, Threaten Towns, Throughout Southern California - Local News | News Articles | National News | US News](#) . Of course according to Jimmy in the old days, he had 200 cousins that looked the same, so we are never sure if it is him or not. I chatted with somebody a year ago last June 2006 on a Sunday evening across the street from Starbucks in Greenwich that looked like [Juan Carlos I of Spain - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia](#) , and he told me that he has a daughter in school in Santa Monica, California, so maybe some Spanish people would know how to put out the fires in Malibu. Diana Ross is suppose to live there. The Rand Corporation is suppose to be there. The old Getty Villa [Reflecting Antiquity \(Getty Villa Exhibitions\)](#) is there, so more than likely they can afford to something than sit on their duffs and watch the world go by. www.newegg.com ships from Whittier, California where the Nixon Library [Richard Nixon Library & Birthplace Foundation](#) , and Jimmy Eldert's grandfather use to be Richard Nixon's next door neighbor in Key Biscayne, Florida, so when you see Jimmy Eldert, you might also see some old time republicans who have become lost in the shuffle. Since [Disneyland Park](#) is near Las Angeles, one could take a bargain flight from their to Disney www.disney.com in Orlando, Florida, and then on week days it is suppose to be only \$69 to fly from Orlando, Florida to Westchester County airport between Greenwich, Connecticut and White Plains, New York www.airtran.com, so if there were cheap flights from Las Angeles to Orlando, it might be a cheaper way to get back to the New York area from Las Angeles, California, if somebody were stuck out there in fire ravaged Malibu, California. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 1:25 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good night. CIO

Note: <888> 10/21/07 Sunday 1:00 A.M.: I ate the rest of the box of white cheddar Cheese Its. I also finished off the opened bag of potato chips. I did some regular system maintenance. I also did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 10/20/07:

Note: <888> 10/20/07 Saturday 9:50 P.M.: I went through my email. I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 10/20/07 Saturday 8:40 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. The Indian Harbor Yacht Club Indian Harbor Yacht Club staff still are taking up most of the parking at the end of Steamboat Road, so it is hard to park to enjoy the view now that it is not busy down there. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a bunch of Maine broccoli for .99 a pound for .89, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.99, and a fresh loaf of Stop and Shop 12 grain bread for \$2 for \$5.88 total. I then returned home. I said good evening to a neighbor. I put away my groceries. I have stocked up a bit on necessities for winter at <http://mikelouisscott.com/inventory.htm> . I will have to check it to make sure nothing is more than a year old. I reheated and ate the same dinner as last night. CIO

Note: <888> 10/20/07 Saturday 4:25 P.M.: I rotated my summer shirts from the left center of the bedroom closet to the far left. I moved the winter shirts from the far left to the left center of the bedroom closet. I used the Slaymaker jump start system to pump up the air in the Mongoose bicycle to 65 PSI front and rear. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will shower and clean up, and I will go out. CIO

Note: <888> 10/20/07 Saturday 3:45 P.M.: I woke up at 8 A.M. this morning when a friend called. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 1 P.M.. I did two loads of laundry. I put clean linens on the bed. I chatted with a neighbor. I picked up my mail. I threw out some garbage. I put away the clean laundry. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I chatted with a relative. I will now shower and clean up. I put the nine extra bags of coffee beans in the left living room closet. Official: International hackers going after U.S. networks - CNN.com. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 11:30 P.M.: Well not much happening around here. Earlier I chatted with BoomBoomRoom.com :: The Coast INN :: is just about ready to fall into the ocean, so they are closing it forever. It was one of the older inns on the beach in California, and it had a lot of history. I guess that means that Joel's house slightly west of it on the beach has already washed away into the ocean. They recommend San Diego or Palm Springs for a similar get away, but some of us like the ambience of old Laguna Beach in the old days. I suppose nothing stays the same as the sands of time have washed it all away. Any coastal observer along the coast of California would notice a lot of erosion along the coast over the years. Because it is so warm in Southern California, a great many people particularly the young ones like to strut their stuff. The Coast Inn was almost across the street from another well known place called the Hotel California of the song made famous by the Eagles. One of our local psychics just told me that Jimmy is now working in a car wash in Venice Beach, California. In the old days, whenever you saw Jimmy it poured

rain, so I guess after living out west for so many years, he learned about the sun. I have quite a few other friends around the world, but a great many of the old guard seem to live where ever Jimmy lives, so possibly they use him to stay in touch with the younger generation. A lot of older people live in warmer places, so some of the younger people whom live around them are their neighbors and interact with them in their daily routines. I am a bit bushed. I ate a bowl of white cheddar Cheese Its. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 10:15 P.M.: Back in May of 1977, when I was traveling north in Florida with Jimmy Eldert from Key West, Florida, I stopped by to visit my Commanding Officer in Florida Hurley Harris Haywood in Jacksonville, Florida, and Jimmy did not like Hurley, because Hurley knew a couple of Jimmy's cousins. After we left Hurley's, Jimmy said he wanted to fly back home to the University of New Hampshire where he was attending college, so I took him to Jacksonville, Florida airport, and I bought him a \$89 airline ticket back north to New Hampshire, and I also gave him \$400 in traveler's checks, so he would not be broke when he got back home. Other than a few meals and a beer or two and my first trip to Disney World, where Jimmy smoked a joint while waiting in line to ride the Alpha and Omega ride, I did not invest too much money in Jimmy Eldert enterprises, since he told me his family already owned the bank in Syracuse, New York, so I figured he did not really need the money. Helen Kress Williams whom was fairly established out in Oyster Bay, Long Island owning the Kress Department stores and Williams Energy Company along with being the head trustee of Vassar College told me we had to try to keep a close eye on Jimmy, but she never explained why. Thus I spent about \$1,726.50 on keeping up appearances around Jimmy along with his entrance to Disney World back then which would have been about \$20 and a few cheap meals and a couple of beers in St. Augustine, Florida at the oldest tavern there, so it was no more than \$1,800, since he did not make much money working in Key West, and he was my neighbor in Nantucket, and he also happened to be Dutch, so I knew was cleaver. He told me while working for Jacob Javitts as a secretary, he met Princess Irene of the Netherlands and that he worked at Sandringham in Queen Elizabeth's staples, so I figured since he could afford to ride horses in Nantucket, he must have some sort of back ground and breeding. However, I never saw him much in Nantucket, since he was very protective of his privacy at India House four houses away, and since I knew Billy Baldwin lived behind him, and <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> lived three houses further up India street from me at John Rugg's, I figured some of Jimmy's 200 cousins that looked like him were in the area keeping him busy. I once saw a picture of them all sitting on the roof of the Wauwinet House <http://www.besthotelsresorts.com/wauwinet.htm> , so I figured what he told me was pretty much the truth. Since his maternal grandmother was a member of Boston's original Joy family as in Joy street on Beacon Hil, and with the Joy monument on Main Street in Nantucket, more than likely he has returned to Nantucket, since I last saw him out in California in 1980, and as I recall I last chatted with him from Greenwich around 1989, when the telephone calls to California were getting to be too expensive, but Helen Kress Williams had requested that we try to keep an eye on him, but she never told us why. She did not ask us to keep an eye on Fred <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> her godson, which I though was sort of strange as it Fred could take care of himself. Thus it would seem to me, since I am easy enough to find in the world, and since Jimmy was rather a private

individual, more than likely he is getting along where ever he is in the world, and possibly he has settled down in life. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 9:10 P.M.: I can not afford to search People Search - Background Checks - Public Records - Find People for "James Edward Eldert", but it indicates he is still in the Las Angeles, California area. There is an www.eldert.com with pictures of China out of the Netherlands filmpjes: China 2003 , so maybe Jimmy is Dutch Chinese, which is why he was not too swift in English. I recall giving Jimmy in Santa Cruz, California back in the summer of 1980, before I went to Hawaii, a one ounce Canadian gold maple leaf and a half ounce Mexican gold coin, and I was curious as to which way he went. When I returned broke from Hawaii, he told me had given them to a stranded Swedish couple, so they could make it back to Sweden. I had thought he was going to use them for the Reagan Bush campaign, since he was suppose to be a staunch Nixon republican, but I did not specify that he do that, since at the time he was irritated that I was even bothering him out in California. I did know a few other people in California, but they were already well settled in their life's existence, and I thought possibly with the money, Jimmy might get off his surf board and move back east where he had a few family friends. At the then value of gold at \$825 an ounce, it was about a \$1,237.50 donation to the California republican party, since I figure it is better to give money to people you actually know than a mail box with some anonymous person collecting it. I already had sufficient proof that Jimmy was a republican since he worked for Senator Jacob Javitts from New York, and by the fact that I met up with him in California, he was in California, thus therefore he was a member of the California republican party. Well the Reagan Bush ticket succeeded in the following election, so therefore he must have invested the money wisely, but they never ever gave me a job in politics or government, but the real estate around here in Greenwich, Connecticut sure went up a lot, so a lot of my neighbors made a profit. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 7:35 P.M.: There is still money in the booze business. The Queen Mary II was back in Manhattan today dropping off another load of prisoners QM2 - Itinerary - 2007 . They're probably sending rich Cherokee Indians back to Europe, since the Europeans only pay attention to be people with money anymore, and they do not pay attention to anyone else. I have heard a rumor that all of the boneless breasts of chicken here are actually sea gull meat, and I have not seen many sea gulls around here anymore, but they still taste like chicken. For that matter alligator meat is also suppose to taste like chicken. I read last year at this time during the deer hunting season, the Stamford, Connecticut firemen were eating deer meat. Ground hamburger at the Stop and Shop in a tub is going for \$4.79 a pound. However, once it gets cold here, so many people go south, there tends to be no shortages of essential commodities at standard prices. My relative told me the Social Security trust fund is suppose to run out of money in the year 2041, so there will be a lot of older people in the future just making ends meet. There were these articles in recent New York Times Social Security Benefits to Increase 3.3% - New York Times and Benefit Rising by 4 Percent, but Medicare Takes a Share - New York Times . CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 6:35 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I was told by two relatives that people do not shake hands on cruise ships, because it is easy to catch staff infections on cruise ships. If you happen to have a surplus of blue fish filets, you can freeze

them. Just about everyone on Nantucket has a freezer full of blue fish, so they can survive the winter. Of course, you would have to wrap them in some sort of good freezing packaging. I usually use two ziplock bags with the air squeezed out. I am making the same meal as the last four nights, but instead of fresh vegetables, I am heating a half of a 12.5 ounce can of B&M baked beans. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 4:45 P.M.: Ubuntu 7.10 would not install on the nine year old Toshiba Satellite 2590CDT laptop computer, so I left it configured with XP home. As long as I have Vista SP1 beta on the Northgate Syntax computer second hard drive, there is no point in putting Ubuntu 7.10 back on it. Basically, when one is disabled living on a marginal income and working with computers, one pursues a lot of Mickey Mouse routines, that the Big Shots could not be bothered with. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 4:20 P.M.: I showered, and I cleaned up. I downloaded Ubuntu 7.10, and I burned it to CD. I am now trying to install it on the vintage Toshiba laptop to see if it works faster than Windows XP Home that is currently on it. The CD drive is spinning and flashing, and the hard drive is flashing, and it has been doing that for about 20 minutes, but there is nothing on the screen. I am not sure if it repartitioned it or not, and there are bad sectors on the Toshiba laptop that I have blocked off, so hopefully it has not repartitioned. I could always put Windows ME on it, which might work faster if Ubuntu 7.10 does not install. I ate a bowl of potato chips. There is a Weather Alert for flash floods in this area National Weather Service Watch Warning Advisory Summary. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 2:10 P.M.: vmsg.org.uk

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CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 1:25 P.M.: I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 12:35 P.M.: I went outside, and I threw out some garbage. I chatted with a neighbor, and I picked up my mail. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a slice of dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I am still sitting by the air conditioner since it is a bit warm outside for this time of year, and they do not need me

downtown as a volunteer with all of the people lingering downtown for lack of fuel, but once it gets cold, more than likely there will not be as many people lingering downtown, so I probably will be out a bit more, since I have plenty of cold weather clothing. I will now water the plants, and I will put more white vinegar out in the scent bowl in the living room, and I will throw out the old periodical literature and the bathroom and kitchen garbage. Traditionally we let the children play downtown in Greenwich after school on Friday afternoon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 11:50 A.M.: I threw out the garbage. I chatted with some neighbors. If anyone should be lucky enough to catch a blue fish down by our waterfront on Long Island Sound, I know a good recipe for cooking blue fish that my land lady Flossie use to use up in Nantucket. You cut the head off the blue fish and filet the bones out from the bottom, but leave the two sides attached at the top. One then places the blue fish opened in a long sheet of aluminum foil, and stuffs it with lots of Hellmann's mayonnaise and fresh dill and sliced onions optional and folds both sides together and wraps it up in aluminum foil. Then one places it on a baking sheet, and if one has a large enough oven to hold it in, one bakes it on the center rack in the oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 50 minutes. Blue fish is an oily fish, so the mayonnaise takes out some of the oily flavor and the dill adds some flavor. If one is not fortunate enough to catch a blue fish, we have fast food restaurants in Greenwich, Connecticut on West Putnam Avenue, and the cheapest restaurant is suppose to be across the street from the Byram fire house a further distance away from town Greenwich restaurant attracts customers with classic American fare - Greenwich Time and BSF Burgers, Shakes, and Fries . Of course a few friends that know me, now that I have the capability of coming up with a passable meal, but most of the local yokels do not want to associate with people whom smoke Native American cigarettes. Of course Greenwich Avenue has two Subway sandwich shops Official SUBWAY Restaurants' Web Site along with the more expensive traditional restaurants. The Stop and Shop Stop & Shop Supermarkets - Home Delivery, Great Ideas, and More on West Putnam Avenue also has a delicatessen and premade sandwiches, and there is also a Boston Market Boston Market :: Food For Life inside the store at the Stop and Shop. West Putnam Avenue has a www.mcdonalds.com, www.wendys.com and Dunkin' Donuts Coffee | Buy Coffee Beans Online . The Food Emporium The Food Emporium across the street from the Stop and Shop has premade gourmet food items including sushi. We have three Japanese restaurants downtown and at least another dozen other restaurants. There are local delis on West Putnam Avenue along with a pizza restaurant, besides the two pizza restaurants downtown. There is also the Colonial Diner on East Putnam Avenue across from the Y.M.C.A., where they are building a new swimming pool complex. The Greenwich Hospital has both a cafeteria and coffee shop with reasonably priced food. Whole Foods Whole Foods Market on East Putnam Avenue also has deluxe gourmet food items to go. Also the www.starbucks.com coffee shops have snack items along with the Cusi coffee shop at the Stop and Shop shopping plaza. Thus if you can not find something to eat in Greenwich, Connecticut, you either don't have money, or you are not hungry. The Welcome to Greenwich Library even has a sandwich shop. CIO

Note: <888> 10/19/07 Friday 10:20 A.M.: I was awake at 8 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and

grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a relative and a friend. My friend from upstate New York won't be visiting until it gets cold around here again. He has to go back to Toronto, Canada before then. I chatted with the British Embassy in the USA: Consulate websites in Manhattan, and they told me they do not have a place in the country around New York City. I will now make my bed, and I will wash the breakfast dishes. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 10:05 P.M.: BBC NEWS | Technology | The Tech Lab: Vint Cerf . I reheated and ate the same dinner as the last few nights. I did not have it with broccoli though. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. I chatted with a relative. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 8:00 P.M.: Now if you did not get the message, since the blue fish were running this time of year in Nantucket, they might also be running around here in Long Island Sound this time of year, so if one had some surf casting equipment, one might have a good chance of catching a blue fish or two. The man I saw fishing on the pier on Steamboat Road this afternoon was rather fat, so it would appear that he is eating better than the rest of the general population around here. Now you know why. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 7:40 P.M.: Maybe the old time conservatives could run somebody like The World of Wayne Green for President of whatever part of this country we still control. It was back in the third week of October 1978 that I caught 78 blue fish and 2 stripped bass in two hours some of them two at a time on the south shore of Nantucket off Lyon Farm Road down on the beach by the Old Navy Quonset Hut with Nuclear Fallout warning materials stored sign. I used my new two piece fiberglass surf casting rod with Penn real with 50 pound nylon line and six foot 150 pound test leaders, and two Hopkins spoon lures from St. Louis, Missouri, and I fileted them on the beach and rinsed them off in the sea water, and I sold the blue fish for 35 cents pound to the Le Languedoc Bistro & Inn | A Nantucket restaurant for over 30 years. and the striped bass for \$1.15 a pound. With my profits, I was able to afford to drive to California in my 1971 yellow Subaru wagon that I bought for \$150 earlier with burned out clutch that I fixed, and it only took about a week with gasoline about 59 cents a gallon at 52 miles per gallon to drive out to California. On the way to California, the new Pope died and when I was in Santa Barbara, I heard there was another new Pope, so it changed the karma of the world as a great many people perceived it. I never did catch any fish in California, although I tried surf casting many times along its beaches. Of course you have to remember that Nantucket is way out at sea, so there tends to be more fish to be caught from the beach, if any big fish do not show up and snatch you off the beach and eat you. A few years ago, I saw that program on the Discovery Channel about Killer Whales in Alaska pulling 800 pound walrus off the rocks and eating them, so I guess much the same could happen to a human walking along any beach in the world. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 6:50 P.M.: I ate the rest of the goldfish crackers. I ate two 3 inch by 1 inch by 5/16th inch slides of New York extra sharp cheddar cheese. It is the nature of my connections in the republican party www.gop.com and the American Dairy

Association I Love Cheese!, I tend not to run out of dairy products, although to be quite frank, I would not even know where to begin to milk a cow. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 5:55 P.M.: I went out after the last message. I chatted with some neighbors. I went by the Greenwich Library, and I returned the Microsoft Outlook 2007 book. I chatted with a couple of staff members. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop, and they have some of their clothes on sale. They have two upholstered wooden swivel desk chairs for \$45 each which would look nice at a computer desk and be practical. I then went to the Greenwich Hospital Outpatient Clinic, and they cleaned my teeth and took X-rays. I still need a crown on one of my rear teeth, but for Connecticut state Medicaid to pay that I would have to make a couple of trips to the University of Connecticut medical center dental clinic in Farmington, Connecticut, which I probably could afford to drive to, but with all of the traffic in that direction, it might be dangerous, particularly if the weather were not clear on the appointment days. I have an appointment at the Greenwich Hospital Outpatient clinic to get my flu shot this Monday morning. I went to my usual 3 P.M. appointment. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. I do not want to hog the few free parking places at the Senior and the Arts center, so I did not stop there. I verified that the Nantucket Light Ship is moored at the Delamar Hotel in Greenwich Harbor. It looks pretty much the same as it used to look, when it was moored on the Strait wharf in Nantucket in the summers when I lived there in season until 1983. They used to put it out at sea during the colder months as a floating light house, but I guess with modern navigation techniques, they no longer need it, so it is a deluxe suite at the Delamar Hotel. I have never been inside of it, so I do not know what it looks like inside. However, as a light ship, it would have a powerful light beacon, so they could put it further out in Greenwich Harbor and run its beacon at night, so everyone on the waterfront in this area would see the Greenwich beacon from it. However that would cost money to keep it fueled and going. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then returned home, and I picked up my mail. I am making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 11:15 A.M.: I have a dental appointment at 1:15 P.M., and I also have my usual 3 P.M. appointment, so I will now shut down the primary computer, and I will shower and clean up, and get ready to go out. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 10:50 A.M.: TS2 Power Series Event - AM Session

TS2 Power Series Event - PM Session

The Pequot Indians are the American Indian tribe native to this area in Connecticut.

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I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/18/07 Thursday 9:30 A.M.: I was awake yesterday at 9 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 3 P.M.. I chatted with a friend. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with another friend. I went outside, and I chatted with neighbors, and I picked up my mail. I moved my car to its usual place. I ate some goldfish crackers. I chatted with some other friends. I showed my neighbor my new Endless.com: Slippers International Men's 8018A Deerskin Moccasin Slipper: Categories in size 9 medium in antique color for \$19.89 less one day free shipping discount of \$5 for \$14.89 total. I guess they are eating more deer in China, so they have extra deer skin. I chatted with a relative. I made and ate the same dinner as the last two nights. I went to bed at 11 P.M.. I was awake at 7 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with the The Delamar on Greenwich Harbor , and they now have the Nantucket Light Ship moored at their dock with its private suite available for guest accommodations for the next year. I called up the Town and County of Nantucket - Police Department , and I told them their boat was now down here. I also told them that people are still looking for <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> whom once was a summer resident in Nantucket, but now could be anywhere in the world. CIO

Note: <888> 10/17/07 Wednesday 1:00 A.M.: I went out after the last message. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I chatted with a couple of people. After my walk, I drove down by the waterfront, and I chatted with a couple of fishermen. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with a patron and some of the staff. I then surfed the internet for a while. I then went by the Stop and Shop. I then went by the Chase Bank ATM machine on Mason Street. I then returned home. I ate the same dinner as last night. I chatted with a few people that I have talked with before. It is my viewpoint that certain events worldwide have occurred because the Cherokee Indians in Oklahoma with their monopoly power in the world oil market are running a worldwide international financial cartel with their oil revenues from this century. On the Russian volcano if it erupted it would disrupt flight patterns between the West Coast of North America and Asia. I am tired, and although I feel I need the exercise to stay in shape exercise walking, I find that dealing with the general public downtown is distracting from my primary activities which I consider important, or I would not spend most of my time involved with them. I am tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/16/07 Tuesday 5:45 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. The deer skin slippers arrived from Louisville, Kentucky. They fit me perfectly, and they really are quite deluxe and comfortable and well made. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I will now go out for an evening stroll. CIO

Note: <888> 10/16/07 Tuesday 5:15 P.M.: I woke up at 8 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive

oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative and a friend. I threw out some garbage, and I chatted with neighbors. I stored away some computer parts boxes, so the bedroom area is a bit neater looking. I went outside, and I chatted with neighbors, and I picked up my mail. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a sliced dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went to my 3 P.M. appointment, but my appointment was cancelled. I returned home. I chatted with some neighbors. The Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop will not be moving to their new location across from the Hamilton Avenue school for a year. I hung up the schedule for the Greenwich Flu shot clinics in the laundry room. I called for an appointment at the Greenwich Hospital Outpatient clinic for my flu shot, but I have not heard back from them. My medical insurance program does not cover flu shots at the Greenwich Flu shot clinics. I am waiting for UPS: Tracking Information on the order for Endless.com: Slippers International Men's 8018A Deerskin Moccasin Slipper: Categories in size 9 medium in antique color for \$19.89 less one day free shipping discount of \$5 for \$14.89 total. It seemed like it was busy downtown, so I guess the local economy is still booming. Of course it takes a lot of people to keep Greenwich, Connecticut going whether the owners of the property actually are here or not depending on their world travels in search of greater enlightenment. Basically it seems all of the wealthy people have to travel a lot to make ends meet, so they appear to be involved in business activities which involve crossing international borders frequently. I was told the Nantucket Light ship has been seen in the Greenwich Harbor. I left a message with Le Languedoc Bistro & Inn | A Nantucket restaurant for over 30 years, about it possibly getting cold up north. The owners of the Le Languedoc out in Nantucket also own Sister Kate's in Stowe, Vermont Stowe Mountain Resort, Stowe, Vermont - Skiing and Snowboarding at Vermont's best ski vacation resort, so they do not go south in the off season in Nantucket, and their winter livelihood depends on the snow season in Vermont. They employ people in Nantucket in the summer from the Stowe Ski patrol in the off season, so since on top of the mountain in Stowe, Vermont, it can be minus 50 degrees Fahrenheit in the winter, they tend to be a cold weather group of people. CIO

Note: <888> 10/16/07 Tuesday 2:10 A.M.: It might get colder Alaska Volcano Observatory - Current AVO Reports Russian Bezymianny Volcano might blow its top .

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I chatted with the Key West Hotel Resorts & Florida Keys Beach Accommodations - Casa Marina Resort Key West , and I explained to them that if it gets a lot colder up north after a volcano eruption that there are about a billion people that live further north I do, so if they start going south because of the cold, it tends to get a lot busier in tiny areas like Cayo Hueso. However, if it is relatively cooler down south, there is also less hurricane activity.

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Basically, I know Forbes makes money by working both sides of the pond, but some of us less fortunate people get by, by working both ends of the railroad. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon.

From experience, I know that if it gets real cold up north, so many people go down south, that there tends to be a surplus of energy up north, so I guess I will survive another winter in Greenwich, Russia. CIO

Note: <888> 10/16/07 Tuesday 12:15 A.M.: BBC NEWS | Health | Why garlic is good for the heart

Tracking is UPS: Tracking Information on the order for Endless.com: Slippers International Men's 8018A Deerskin Moccasin Slipper: Categories in size 9 medium in antique color for \$19.89 less one day free shipping discount of \$5 for \$14.89 total. CIO

Note: <888> 10/15/07 Monday 11:45 P.M.: I mailed in the mailroom downstairs two copies of the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop tax deduction forms to an interested relative whom keeps track of the taxes. I kept two copies for myself. I went outside, and I got my snow brushes out of the rear storage area, and I left them in the rear area of the Buick wagon to have available for colder weather. Once it gets colder, I still have to close up the General Electric Profile 15,500 BTU air conditioner with Styrofoam, and check the duct tape on the side around the Plexiglas to have it all sealed up for winter and lower the curtain over it, and move the tower fan further to the left in front of it to move the electric heat around in the winter. I do not remove the unit in the winter, since I once removed it, and it made no difference in the electric heating bills. It is a heavy fixed unit, and although there is room to store it in the building, I generally use it later in the season after they remove the other units, and much earlier in the spring. After having lived at this particular location since December 1988 or close to 19 years, a lot of my seasonal routines make sense to me, if they don't make sense to newcomers. I have a 3 P.M. appointment tomorrow. CIO

Note: <888> 10/15/07 Monday 10:15 P.M.: I woke up at 6 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 9 A.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I threw out some old boxes that various computer items arrived in that I had stored above my file cabinet in the bedroom. I put in their place the Cablevision shipping box, and the box with the spare 3 foot IDE cables, and the DVD/RW box with the spare CD/RW player. I sorted out the paper work I had stored to the right of the bedroom desk, and I put each category in plastic paper bags in the top file cabinet. I put the older model HP Deskjet 842C printer that needed ink cartridges in the car, along with the Sharp UX B-20 fax machine that needed an ink cartridge, and the Lexmark X1185 all purpose fax, copier, printer, and scanner inkjet that needed ink cartridges, and the Visioneer 4400 USB scanner all in the Buick wagon. I moved the two DeLonghi oil filled radiators from the right of the bedroom desk to one in the hallway by the sweater closet and one in front of the chair in front of the stereo system, so they are ready for colder days in the winter. In my right desk drawer open for use, I found two rolls of Scotch tape, so I

am not out of it. I also found some U.S.A. flag decals, so I put one on the driver's side rear lower window of the Buick wagon to the right of the Bermuda emblem. Currently the host country does not seem to know it is the host country. I picked up my mail.

www.forbes.com offered me two free year subscriptions for anyone else, if I bought one for \$60, but I know Forbes is a cheap Scottish businessman, so he will have to forgive me for not renewing my subscription whenever it runs out, unless I find another \$8 a year deal. I have not have time to read it, but it makes my apartment more politically correct. I printed out a list of the items that I would be donating to the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop which were:

10 year old Hoover Upright Vacuum Cleaner in new condition

2 Hoover Upright Drive Belts

8 Hoover Upright Vacuum bags

One 15 year old Electrolux Tank Vacuum with hose and power sweeper

Two Electrolux Hoses

Three Electrolux metal extension tubes

One Electrolux floor brush

One Electrolux furniture brush

Sharp UX B-20 fax machine which needs ink cartridge

Lexmark X1185 all purpose fax, copier, inkjet printer, and scanner that needed ink cartridges

HP Deskjet 842C inkjet printer that needs ink cartridges

Epson 4400 USB scanner

I then ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle with a glass of iced tea. I then showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop, and I donated the above mentioned items, and I received an income tax deduction slip. I was told that the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop bought Longo Rentals shop on Old Track Road in Byram, so they will be moving there soon. I then went downtown, and I could not find my parking permit for the Senior center, since it seems to have disappeared, so I was issued another one. I can not figure out what happened to it, since I always keep my car locked. I ran into another regular walker, and I walked with that walker up Milbank Avenue, we chatted with somebody building four white condominiums on Milbank Avenue about half way up, and we were told they are going for \$4.5 million apiece. I told the builder I had lived at 100 Milbank Avenue at one

time, and that I thought it was a noisy street at rush hour in the morning when the back country people drive downtown to the train station. We walked up to East Putnam Avenue, and then we walked west as far as Christ Church, and we chatted with a local retired policeman directing traffic at the funeral there. We then walked west to Garlick and Herbs, and my fellow walker had a cup of coffee there, while I smoked a couple of cigarettes. We then walked back down Greenwich Avenue, and we chatted with another regular. I then used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I chatted with the other regular. I then walked lower Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I then sat out briefly for a while. I then went by the Food Emporium, and I bought four 10 ounce boxes of white cheddar Cheese Its for \$1.99 each box, a 64 ounce container of Minute Maid orange juice with calcium for \$2, and a 100 count box of Lipton tea bags for \$3.59 and Dole green bananas for .69 a pound for \$1.90 for \$15.45 total. I then returned home. I chatted with a neighbor. I put a quart of Castrol 10W40 oil in my Buick wagon engine, so it is topped up. I drive so little recently, I forget to do some regular maintenance checks. I think the last time I added oil was in Kennebunkport, Maine in August 2007, so I use a quart in driving down and my regular driving here since then. I chatted with my relative, and www.fedex.com finally delivered Bed Bath & Beyond Product Watergard™ Bath Mat. I opened up the package of six boneless chicken breasts, and I put four of them in a large flat Rubbermaid container. I then rinsed off the other two in cold water, and I dried them with a paper towel. I then put a thin coat of olive oil in a Pyrex pie dish, and on a separate plate, I rubbed the bottom side of the boneless chicken breasts with olive oil, and then I spread a thick coating of Italian seasoned bread crumbs on them, and then I did the same with the top side and the other boneless chicken breasts. I then put them in the Pyrex pie dish, and I baked them in the Farberware convection oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 35 minutes. I also made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> to which I also added two teaspoons of Kikkoman soy sauce and oregano Seasoning and chicken bullion seasoning. I ate half, and I put the other half in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I also steamed in a two quart Revere pot with steamer tray and lid about 1.5 cups of baby carrots and broccoli crowns for 15 minutes on medium high electric burner heat, and I put some olive oil on the vegetables. I put the other baked boneless chicken breast in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I chatted with my relative again. CIO

Note: <888> 10/14/07 Sunday 9:05 P.M.: I chatted with a friend and a relative. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 10/14/07 Sunday 7:50 P.M.: Dwight D. Eisenhower -- Britannica Online Encyclopedia . CIO

Note: <888> 10/14/07 Sunday 6:15 P.M.: I woke up at 6 A.M. this morning. I ordered a bargain no longer available from Endless.com: Slippers International Men's 8018A Deerskin Moccasin Slipper: Categories in size 9 medium in antique color for \$19.89 less one day free shipping discount of \$5 for \$14.89 total. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda

sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I took out the two old Electrolux tank vacuum cleaners with one with a power nozzle and an old Hoover upright vacuum along with their spare parts and bags, and I put them in the rear of the Buick wagon to donate later. I gave one of my neighbor's my last Electrolux bag. I put the new Hoover in the bedroom closet where the old vacuum cleaners had been along with the Sears Upright. I went downtown, and I brought my photography equipment with me. I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area, and I took 204 pictures with the Nikon CoolPix 4600 digital 4.1 mp camera. I have the picture links posted below. I use three sets of two used alkaline AA batteries taking the pictures. Since the Nikon has an LCD screen, it uses batteries faster. I have rechargeable Metal Hydride AA batteries that I can use if I chose. If one uses Metal Hydride batteries, one has to set the camera for them. I stopped by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a Cash Craze scratch card for a dollar, but I lost. I stopped by CVS, and I bought a 108 tablet box of St. Joseph 81 mg. chewable aspirin for \$6.49 less my \$5 coupon that I printed out yesterday for \$1.49 total. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. After my photography session, I stopped by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a six pack of boneless breasts of chicken for \$1.99 a pound for \$7.16, buy one six pack of Thomas' English muffins, get one free for \$2.99 both, a quart jar of B&G kosher dill pickles for \$2.99, three 64 ounce containers of Stop and Shop cranraspberry juice for \$2 each, a five pound bag of yellow onions for \$2.79 for \$21.93 total. I then returned home, and I put away my purchases, and I posted the pictures. I made and ate my burger with sautéed onions and cheese dinner, which I ate it with steamed flavored rice and steamed broccoli crowns and baby carrots with a glass of iced tea. I will now do some regular computer work. The Nikon digital camera seems to work just fine, but I have to remember to squeeze the shutter half way to let it focus, and then press it all the way, instead of just pressing it all the way in one stroke. CIO

Note: <888> 10/14/07 Sunday 4:30 P.M.: [Michael Scott's Pictures of downtown Greenwich, Ct., Sunday, October 14, 2007, Kodakgallery.com Sign in to Kodakgallery.com](#)
CIO

Note: <888> 10/14/07 Sunday 2:20 P.M.: 204 pictures taken in the downtown Greenwich, Connecticut area today with the Nikon CoolPix 4600 digital camera
<http://mikelouisscott.com/gw1007/> . CIO

Note: <888> 10/13/07 Saturday 10:40 P.M.: [Newegg.com - Gateway M685-E\(400959-0\) NoteBook Intel Core 2 Duo T5500\(1.66GHz\) 17.0" Wide XGA+ 1GB DDR2 667 40GB 5400rpm Dual layer DVD Burner NVIDIA GeForce Go 7600 - Retail small hard drive](#) though.

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/13/07 Saturday 9:00 P.M.: I tried to get the Via Audio drivers to work on the Northgate Syntax computer in the Vista SP1 beta partition, but they do not. The Northgate Syntax computer is an older computer, so possibly it will not be supported in future Vista updates. I watched some High Def television. From what I can tell, I am pretty much caught up on all of my regular computer activity, so once I have some extra

funds next month, I might try to venture downtown for a little bit of exercise walking. Of course from what I can tell, not much has changed around here, but with the higher prices of fuel, it is a bit slower around here than in the past. Since in the good old days of growing up in back country Greenwich, I was used to staying at home for long periods of time, I suppose it is not really necessary to go downtown for a walk every day. Anyway I seem to be getting a bit more work done at home. Not much available in the way of bottom fishing on the internet, since I do not have the funds to buy anything anyway. The good old days of driving into Manhattan for a walk around the city on a few dollars of gasoline are long since gone. Even the train costs about \$20 round trip into Manhattan. From what I can tell on local television, a lot of people are drinking a lot of alcohol and pursuing club activity in Manhattan, so I guess the Big City life style has not changed much. Since I have not been to a pub or ordered a drink in a long time, I do not know what they even cost anymore. I think the last time I was in a pub about 15 years or more ago, a drink in Manhattan cost about \$4, and we use to tip a dollar. Beers might have been a dollar cheaper. Of course now that I have become a computer nerd, everyone in Greenwich where people can still afford to drink alcohol seem to find me boring, since the liberal democrats seem to like to party a lot, which also means they pursue recreational activities in terms of drinking alcohol. From what I can tell, since they can afford it, a great many back country people still drive into Manhattan for recreation as opposed to pursuing the local activity out here in the woods. For the locals, they can look forward to raking or blowing leaves pretty soon, when they begin to fall. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 10/13/07:

Note: <888> 10/13/07 Saturday 5:20 P.M.: I went through my email. I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 10/13/07 Saturday 5:05 P.M.: After lunch, I went outside, and I used ear cotton que tips and plastic bags to mix the Devcon five minute epoxy, and I secured the loose ends on the rubber side molding strips on the Buick wagon. I also secured a small piece of plastic stripping on a neighbor's car. I used up the Devcon five minute epoxy. I ate another bowl of goldfish crackers. I am currently 199 pounds, so sooner or later when I can afford it, I am going to have to get downtown to do some exercise walking. However, I was visiting relatives in Kennebunkport, Maine for six weeks this summer, so I was behind in some of my normal routines. I was told by FedEx, that the bath mat package was delivered to a house with a similar address, so they will have to retrieve it and deliver it to the correct address. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 10/13/07 Saturday 2:55 P.M.: I was awake at 4 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 9 A.M.. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I chatted with a relative. I went to the Splash Car wash across the street from where I lived on West Putnam Avenue [Splash Car Wash Express Wash Menu](#), and I got the basic Express Car wash for \$8, and I gave them a \$2 tip for \$10 total. I then returned home. I chatted with a neighbor. I then used the www.finaldetail.com spray car wax, and I waxed

my car. Basically one does one section at a time spraying and wiping the wax on, and then you use another cloth to dry it. I came out quite well, and since one does not have to buff it, it only took me about 45 minutes to do the large Buick wagon with a lot less strain than traditional car waxes that need buffing. I only used about a half of a 22 ounce bottle, so I have enough left to wax the Buick wagon three more times in the future. Of course I will not be able to afford to get the Buick wagon washed very often this coming winter at \$8 a wash, however after 6 P.M. at Splash, they are \$5, so I might try to do it when it needs it. I still need to use some of my Epoxy glue that I have left to glue on some of the end pieces of the rear side rubber strips where they are coming lose, but I need to get some small pop cycle type sticks for mixing it and mixing cups to use it, which I do not have. A neighbor wants me to use duct tape to fasten on her side mirror until it is repaired, but the neighbor had left when I went out to do it. I chatted with my relative. FedEx still has not found and delivered the bath mat to a relative, so I will check with them in a little while. I received the SUPER BASS High Quality Stereo Headphone w/ inline Microphone and Volume Control, 8-Foot Audio Cable, Perfect for PC, MSN or SKYPE Voice over IP for \$8.99 with free shipping, and I connected it to the Northgate Syntax computer, and it works just fine for audio microphone use in Windows XP Home. On the Northgate Syntax computer with Vista SP1 beta, the Via sound drivers do not work properly, and I might try to see if they have the Via 4 in 1 drivers in Vista update that might fix that problem. I washed out the waxing cloths, so I can use them again. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of ice tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 5:50 P.M.: I watched the end of a Disney www.disney.com movie about Captain Nemo getting the Deep Six. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good evening. I also ate a couple of bowl fulls of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 4:40 P.M.: Well, I was in college during the Viet Nam war next to Great Lakes Naval Station Medical Center and next to Fort Sheridan Army Post. Fort Sheridan back then was in charge of all of the recruiting for the United States Army www.army.mil and Great Lakes Naval Station was a medical facility and basic training facility. As a student in the area, I was very up to date on current affairs, unlike today when I am only up to date on computer technology information as it relates to home computers. However, I did spend quite a bit of time covering O'Hare airport watching all of the traveling personnel in that period, and it was only about 20 minutes away from www.lfc.edu, so it was not too difficult to drive down there during the early morning hours and park there and wander around the terminals observing the traveling public, a great many of whom were in military uniform. Before modern surveillance techniques, they actually use to use people for surveillance. For all you know, I have wall to wall cameras on Greenwich Avenue, and I am covering the Greenwich Avenue pedestrian traffic through the internet. For over 25 years, a camera or a microphone can be as small as a pin head, so secret surveillance is very common place today. With high speed cable modems on computers with web cams and microphones, technically anyone anywhere in the world could be monitoring other computer users. Much is the same for Cable Television boxes, since they could hold cameras or microphones for surveillance use. Thus we all live in glass houses. For 50 years, spy satellites could read the fine printing on a Marlboro box, so more

than likely since Greenwich, Connecticut is suppose to a Presidential and United Nations home town, the town is kept under close surveillance, so www.exxon.com can make more money, which is why we call it an Exxon company town. The politically correct people would not be so politically correct without their American Express cards and Trust Funds from monies that their relatives seem to have accumulated in office while they controlled the country. CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 3:50 P.M.: I mailed a \$5 off coupon for Tylenol to a relative. I went outside, and it looks to be a nice day. Normally I do not go out too much on Fridays, so the children can play downtown at the end of the school week without being bothered by adults. They need to learn from experience about the layout of the town, and some of the local color around town that I am all too familiar with. I guess the liberal minority in town think I am "Not Politically Correct", but I have more experience in certain areas that I am familiar with than some of the younger population and some of the new comers whom only know what is on television. As <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> use to say, "America Lives in a Hollywood Fantasy". Now I will do a little bit of Bottom Fishing on the internet, but I really do not have any spare funds to buy anything for the rest of the month. It seems certain telemarketing agencies are not paying attention to the Do Not Call List that certain people have subscribed too, thus it would seem to be another matter that the United States Government Judiciary is not enforcing. CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 2:45 P.M.: ABC News: Nobel for Al Gore, Did You Know About Factual Mistakes in His Movie?

Tech Shakedown: Vista forces reboots on ZDNet.com

Later this winter <http://worldmediaxml.bluestreak.com/~rin/Delta> T&T/ Trinidad and Tobago, but you might get so darkly tanned, when you get back, they think you are a Mexican refugee.

I Found Vista's Wow - Columns by PC Magazine

vmsg.org.uk

CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 2:05 P.M.: \$5 off Tylenol coupon
<http://www.tylenol.com/page.jhtml?id=tylenol/news/subpcccoldmed.inc> . CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 1:55 P.M.: I went outside briefly. I picked up my mail. On my September 2007 www.cl-p.com bill, because I was gone two weeks in September, my usage was \$117 down from the monthly average of \$187, which I already have paid. I now have an \$83 credit on the account. I made and ate my burger with sautéed onions and cheese dinner, which I ate it with steamed flavored rice and steamed broccoli crowns and baby carrots with a glass of iced tea. My Buick wagon looks fine with all of the rain we had the last two days. I was thinking instead of waxing it in the fall with the

www.finaldetail.com two 22 ounce bottles or spray wax that I have already purchased, since I can not really afford to have the car washed regularly in the winter, I might not wax it this fall, and instead I will wait until the spring to wax it. The current wax job is less than a year old, so from what I know it is fine as is. However, I might change my mind. Of course the wax would protect the finish from the elements in the winter. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 12:25 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I showered, and I cleaned up. The Bed Bath & Beyond Product Watergard™ Bath Mat was supposedly delivered at my relative's house front door in Florida, yesterday afternoon, but when I chatted with my relative, I guess they had not yet looked at the front door, so I do not know yet whether it was received or not. I chatted with a friend. If one gets fed up with the cold up north, one can fly from Westchester County Airport to Orlando, Florida on less busy week days on www.airtran.com , for \$69 each way. Of course ground transportation to one's final destination might be even more expensive. There is bus service from the Port Chester, New York train station number 13 bus to the White Plains, New York, where one can catch Air Link to the Westchester Country airport Westchester County Airport Ground Transportation. I called up Limousine Service of Westchester 1-914-592-8534, and it is \$33 one way from my apartment building in Byram to Westchester Country airport, and the fare includes 10% gratuity. It is \$22 a day to park at the airport, if one were driving their own car. It is sort of amusing that since I have a car Michael Scott 1992 Buick Roadmaster Station Wagon, and I know a lot of people whom travel in this area that nobody ever contacts me for a lift, and I do not know anyone to bother for a ride for myself either, since I was primarily on a night schedule in this area for 24 years. CIO

Note: <888> 10/12/07 Friday 10:15 A.M.: I went out after the last message, and I went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought two pounds of baby carrots for \$2.99, buy one get one free of 12.25 ounce Lay's Sour Cream and Onion potato chips for \$3.49 both, broccoli crowns at \$1.99 a pound for \$2.33 for \$8.81 total. I then went by my regular meeting with the local Red Cross coordinator. I then returned home. I went to bed about 4 P.M.. I was awake at 1 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I then went back to bed until 4 A.M.. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I watered the plants, and I added some Schultz's liquid fertilizer. I then put out more white vinegar in a bowl in the living room for scent control. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I did my house cleaning. The new Hoover Z 700 vacuum cleaner works just fine. I had to empty its debris cup about four times vacuuming my apartment. It picks up a lot of extra material that the older vacuum cleaners do not. I had a telephone call from a www.microsoft.com representative asking me about any development projects that I might have underway, but he then hung up, since he said he was not willing or did not know anything about politics or other matters, a matter that I did not bring up. I threw out some more garbage, and I chatted with some neighbors. I will now shower, and I will clean up. Tomorrow is suppose to be sunny, so I might try to wax the car with the www.finaldetail.com car wax. I have not seen the old King of Norway around here recently, so perhaps he is still back home in Norway, before he spends the winter here in our warmer environment. I ate two bowls of

goldfish crackers. I put the Motorola C139 wireless telephone automobile charger in the Buick wagon glove box. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 1:25 P.M.:

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Back story: Armenian genocide - Los Angeles Times

Azores 1998

Global Volcanism Program | Volcanic Activity Reports | SI / USGS Weekly Volcanic Activity Report

Best Cars For Commuters - Forbes.com

BBC NEWS | Europe | Turkey recalls ambassador to US

BBC NEWS | Technology | Universal avatars bestride worlds

I will now shut down the primary computer, and I will get ready to go out for my 3 P.M. appointment.

CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 12:30 P.M.:

The Glenlivet City Links

Greenpeace Tracks Whales Online

This Day in History / Biography of the Day Eleanor Roosevelt born October 11, 1884. I wonder if I ever met or saw Eleanor Roosevelt when I was younger. She has that Dutch look that some people notice.

Fedex delivered the Hoover Z 700 upright folding vacuum cleaner.

I chatted with a relative.

I unpacked, and tested the Hoover Z 700 vacuum cleaner, and it works just great. It is easy to use and handle, once one becomes familiar with its operation, which is not too hard to figure out. I left it in its upright position by the sweater closet in the hallway. When I have time, I will probably donate my two old Electrolux vacuum cleaners, which I do not really have room for, so I can store the Hoover in the bedroom closet. The Hoover Z 700 picks up a lot of dirt very quickly, and it is very quiet running. I left its instructions on the dining table by the HP laser printer.

I will now make and eat a baloney and cheese sandwich, which I will eat with potato chips, and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 11:10 A.M.: I woke up from my nap at about 10 A.M., when somebody called me from Mission of Hope Cancer Fund . I watched some television. I went outside, and I checked the weather. It seems to be getting cooler out. It might start raining soon according to Greenwich, Connecticut (06830) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground . I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 7:00 A.M.: I think I will take a nap for a while. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 6:50 A.M.: I ate three bowls of goldfish crackers. Basically having lived in Europe for about nine months, I think a bit like a European in the old days. Alas the modern world, does not seem to be in step with the Old World way of thinking. Thus I find myself awake in America during the European daytime. Alas even when I was in Europe, I was mostly on a night schedule, so I do not really feel comfortable with a lot of busy daytime activity. I find I can get more work done on a night schedule than when I am on a daytime schedule, I just deal with a lot of traffic. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 5:55 A.M.: 600 Steamboat Road for sale for \$300 million Gen Re shops for new headquarters in area - Greenwich Time . I tried to get www.microsoft.com to buy it for \$20 million 15 years ago. Greenwich, Connecticut with all of its money is getting to be like Belle Air, California, but its colder here on a year round basis. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 4:55 A.M.: I have my usual 3 P.M. appointment today. Today I have to wait for www.fedex.com to deliver the www.hoover.com Z 700 vacuum today. The shipment weighs 40.8 pounds, so it must be a fairly sturdy unit. Hoover Introduces the World's First Sport Utility Vacuum | BestStuff , http://www.epinions.com/content_217448287876 , The Hoover Z Review - The Newest Thing In Clean , thus for about \$83 with free shipping from www.lnt.com , it was a good deal instead of the higher list prices. The Hoover www.hoover.com page for it is Hoover Z 700 Product Detail says it can still be bought here Amazon.com: Hoover U9145-900 "Z" 700 Bagless Upright Vacuum: Kitchen & Dining for \$300 plus shipping. Thanks www.lnt.com , I hope it arrives as described in good shape. Recently I have been so busy with the computers, I have not had much time for house cleaning. I feel a bit grubby, so I will now shower and clean up. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 4:20 A.M.: I need an extra headphone for one of Northgate Syntax computer, so I ordered SUPER BASS High Quality Stereo Headphone w/ inline Microphone and Volume Control, 8-Foot Audio Cable, Perfect for PC, MSN or SKYPE Voice over IP for \$8.99 with free shipping. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 3:40 A.M.: Steve Bahl All Cheese, all the time... who lives in Key West, Florida in the winter on his cheese revenues can now start shipping cheese now that it is cool enough in the north country to ship cheese without having it perish.

Carr Valley Cheese Co and Schurman's Wisconsin Cheese Country Inc. Beetown and Dodgeville, Wisconsin - Aged Cheddar Cheese and Uplands Cheese Company - Makers of Pleasant Ridge Reserve, an artisanal cheese from Wisconsin . They call them Cheese Heads in Wisconsin Wisconsin Cheese Makers Association. CIO

Note: <888> 10/11/07 Thursday 2:55 A.M.: Before going to bed, I chatted with the www.symantec.com security response team, and I updated them on my computer security situation. I mentioned when I first got into personal computers about 20 years ago, I knew Steve Smith here in Greenwich that worked for www.symantec.com . I was awake at midnight. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I updated the Key West Hotel Resorts & Florida Keys Beach Accommodations - Casa Marina Resort Key West on the world situation. There are a lot of Canadians in Key West, Florida since their cooler winters do not bother Canadians. I shook hands with Mrs. Molson Molson.com when I was at church in Kennebunkport, Maine, and I met her brother Cardinal Cody of Chicago, Illinois, when I was down in Key West, Florida in 1982. The friend of mine that lived with me in the Casa Marina when it was under reconstruction drank Molson beer all of the time, so obviously it is a popular beer somewhere in the world. Of course it might be hard getting a Molson beer truck all the way down from Montreal, Canada to Key West, Florida, but I once saw the Budweiser Clydsdales in Key West, Florida. Molson is actually a very good full bodied beer if you have ever tasted it. Thus it was also very popular in the Port Washington, Manhasset, and Plandome Manor, Long Island area when I lived out there. We even made a few trips up to Canada including Montreal to explore the area. Mount Royal is probably one of the oddest geological oddities in the North America like Stone Mountain in Georgia or Caesar's Head in South Caroline, it is hard to figure out how it got there. There is also a Royal Canadian Mountain Police Royal Canadian Mounted Police - Gendarmerie royale du Canada barracks on Mount Royal, and it has a very nice view of the city of Montreal. When I was in Nantucket back in the summer of 1976, somebody offered me a private jet trip to Montreal for the Summer Olympics, but they did not tell me how I would make it back. I was having sluggish mouse syndrome on the Logitech wireless mouse on the Vista primary computer, so I replaced its AA alkaline batteries, and I moved its base unit a few inches from the mouse pad. CIO

Note: <888> 10/10/07 Wednesday 4:00 P.M.: I made a few routine telephone calls. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/10/07 Wednesday 2:20 P.M.: I chatted with the Greenwich Housing Authority after the last message, and they said I could pay my rent there, instead of waiting for the rent statement. When one is frequently on a night schedule, it is hard to get errands done in the daytime. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the Food Emporium, and I bought Dole bananas for .69 a pound for \$1.78, a 20 bag box of Twinings Lady Grey tea for \$2.50, a 40 count box of Salada green tea for \$2.89, a 33.5 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat cheese crackers for \$6.99, a 33.5 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm multicolor cheese crackers for \$6.99, two 64 ounce containers of Dole pineapple juice

for \$2.50 each for \$29.54 total. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by the Greenwich Housing Authority, and I paid my rent. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop, and I bought a two foot by three foot black metal framed picture with glass of the Chateau De Versailles Château de Versailles – Site officiel – Résidence royale du Roi Louis XIV. for \$5. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a two packages of Italian provolone cheese for \$4.99 a pound for \$5.06 and \$2.70, and two packages of Wondabar German baloney for \$2.79 a pound for \$1.38 and \$2.88, five 64 ounce containers of Old Orchard low calorie grape juice for \$1 each for \$17.02 total. I then returned home. I brought up my purchases. I chatted with some neighbors. I picked up my mail. I hung the picture of Versailles on the inside lower side of my apartment door. I moved the picture of the old map of Scandinavia from that location to the right side of the kitchen entrance, and I moved the framed map of Magellan from that location to the inside top of the bathroom door hanging from the sweater drying rack, and I moved the picture of the Space Shuttle launch from that location to where it half shows from behind the right side of the bedroom head board. I really do not have anymore room to display anymore pictures or art work, unless I find some place to store the current art work. I chatted with a friend. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with a slice of dill pickle and low salt potato chips and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/10/07 Wednesday 8:10 A.M.: I chatted with Home & Home Office Support - Symantec Corp. about how I solved my computer problems by disconnecting the www.verizon.com telephone line to the Samsung SCX-4521F connected to the primary Vista computer via USB cable. They gave me this page http://www.symantec.com/home_homeoffice/support/premium_virus.jsp if I suspected a virus. I did find out this evening on the Northgate Syntax computer with Vista SP1 beta and Microsoft One Care beta, when I tried to install the Tropic Designs - Content, One Care beta showed that Weather Pulse had a Trojan problem, and it would not let it install. However, the Norton products do not show any problems.

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Tracking is FedEx | Track on the Linens 'n Things - Hoover Z 700 Bagless Upright Vacuum listed at \$99.99 less 20% with coupon "223823997733" of a \$20 discount with free shipping worth \$11.99 with sales tax of \$4.80 for \$84.79 total. I will be a little lower on money this month, but I will have a cleaner apartment. It sells here Amazon.com: Hoover U9145-900 "Z" 700 Bagless Upright Vacuum: Kitchen & Dining for \$299.89 plus shipping discounted from \$549.99. Thus I would say it is a pretty good deal.

The Bed Bath & Beyond Product Watergard™ Bath Mat is suppose to be delivered to my relative in Florida tomorrow via www.fedex.com .

I will now shut down the primary Vista Computer, and I will go out for an errand. I have to get some more Whole Grain Goldfish crackers Pepperidge Farm® - Goldfish® Crackers in Cartons at the Food Emporium. They are \$6.99 at the Food Emporium versus \$7.99 at the Stop and Shop. As I have said before, it is the only thing made in Connecticut that people on low income can afford to buy. When I was down to 125 pounds in Key West, Florida many years ago with nothing to eat, I use to mooch Goldfish crackers from the pool bar of the Key West Hotel Resorts & Florida Keys Beach Accommodations - Casa Marina Resort Key West , and I called them sea biscuits. Well, I am doing better up north, although I am a bit cooler on a year round basis. Maybe we should form a club of Florida exiles living up north. I will also check with the Greenwich Housing Authority about my rent payment, which I have not received. CIO

Note: <888> 10/10/07 Wednesday 4:50 A.M.: I woke up at 9 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative. I setup the new Nikon Coolpix 4600 camera, and it seems to work just fine. It has an automatic exposureand focurs control that I will probably use most of the time. One presses the shutter button half way to see it the green light comes on for focused and the red light for flash, and then one presses the rest of the way to take a picture. It has a zoom wide angle and telephoto lens. I took out the 1 gigabyte smart memory card from the Polaroid digital camera, and I put it in the Nikon. It will hold 512 pictures. I put the Nikon in the Polaroid case, and when I can afford it, I can always get another \$10 Philips MP3 case at CVS to hold the other of the two digital cameras. I put the older Vivitar on the shelf on the side board in the bedroom. I put the three digital camera cables in the front pouch of the camera case, and I have the two digital cameras, spare AA batteries, and instructions also in the case. I am charging up four Radio Shack AA Metal Hydride rechargeable batteries that I have, and they will be fully charged at noon. I installed the Nikon software programs on the primary Vista computer. I registered with Nikon. I reinstalled the Samsung SCX-4521F software, so it works online now, when one turns it on. I will now reheat and eat the same meal that I have been eating recently this past week. That will be the last of the chicken. CIO

Note: <888> 10/09/07 Tuesday 2:20 P.M.: The Nikon camera arrived from www.adorama.com , but there was a mistake in the advertisement at Amazon, and the one that they sent me was the Nikon Coolpix 4600 Nikon USA: COOLPIX 4600 and Amazon.com: Nikon Coolpix 4600 4MP Digital Camera with 3x Optical Zoom: Camera & Photo and 25524B Nikon Coolpix 4600 Digital Camera, 4.0 Megapixel, 3x optical / 4x Digital Zoom, - Refurbished By Nikon U.S.A. , which is a refurbished model at 4.1 megapixels, but at the price for \$87.90 with shipping it will have to do for me, since the one that I had ordered refurbished the Nikon CoolPix P4 8.1 MP costs about \$170 plus shipping. The Nikon Coolpix 4600 has a Dutch menu for anyone whom speaks Dutch. It also uses AA batteries and SD card. I will keep it, although they would let me return it. It

costs \$180 new. This is the one that I had ordered 25540B Nikon Coolpix P4 Digital Camera, 8.1 Megapixel, 3.5x Optical Zoom, 2.5" LCD Screen - Refurbished by Nikon U.S.A., but as you can see it costs a \$100 more, which I can not afford. I chatted with one of their sales representatives who use to be a salesman for www.microsoft.com. I picked up my mail. I will now eat some goldfish crackers, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/09/07 Tuesday 12:50 P.M.: I finished configuring the Northgate Syntax computer with Vista SP1 beta on the second hard drive. It eliminated the www.ubuntu.com install, but the XP Home Edition configuration is still on the first hard drive. I might have room later to back it up to an external hard drive. I was not able to get the Hauppauge generic TV card to work with Vista SP1 beta, although it did work with the RTM release last November. However, it is a different computer I am trying it on. I threw out the garbage and the two shipping boxes that I got last week. I chatted with some neighbors. The mail did not come yet, and I have not yet received my October 2007 rent statement. I am pretty much caught up on all of my routines since I returned from Kennebunkport, Maine, and it looks like it might rain, and it is a bit cooler out. I still have to was the Buick wagon with www.finaldetail.com car wax when I am on a daytime schedule. I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/09/07 Tuesday 3:45 A.M.: To get the Northgate Syntax computer to go online with Vista SP1 beta, I had to replace two of its more recent generic Lan cards with two identical even older 3Com Lan cards that had supported XP drivers that worked with Vista SP1 beta. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with 50% less salt potato chips and a slice of dill pickle with a glass of iced tea. I will now shower and clean up. I have 5 older generic Lan cards that I keep around for spare parts. CIO

Note: <888> 10/09/07 Tuesday 1:45 A.M.: I finished switching around the DVD drives, and I am now installing the Vista SP1 beta on the Northgate Syntax computer. I will now shower and clean up. I put the drive audio cable with IDE ribbon cable from the new DVD drive in the top left living room desk drawer to have in reserve. I also lost a spare DIP pin by the chair underneath the stereo system, and I can not find it. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 11:50 P.M.: I went to bed after the last note. About 3 P.M. www.staples.com delivered the two clamp binders, and at about 5 P.M., UPS delivered the Pacific Digital Double Layer DVD/RW drive from this order Pacific Digital Mach 16X Internal Double-Layer DVD Drive at Staples® for \$49.98 less \$25 instant coupon and to put the order over \$50 with free shipping I ordered two Staples Clamp Binder, Clear at Staples® for \$2.48 each, thus the order was \$54.94 minus \$25 instant coupon and \$1.80 tax for \$31.74 total with free shipping. I woke up at 8 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative. I installed the new Pacific Digital Double Layer DVD/RW drive in the third 5.25 inch drive bay in the primary Vista computer removing the Nec DVD/RW drive. It is above the other DVD/RW drive in the fourth drive bay. I am now installing the NEC DVD/RW drive in

the Epox computer. I will take the generic DVD/R drive from the Epox computer, and I will install it in the Northgate Syntax computer. I will then be able to install Vista SP1 beta on the Northgate Syntax computer on the second 20 gigabyte hard drive removing the XP Home backup from that Hard Drive. I also have www.ubuntu.com on a secondary partition on the first hard drive, so I will have three operating systems on the Northgate Syntax computer, once I have it all setup and configured. Now you know what I will be doing in the early morning hours, while the local night shift enjoys the warmer weather. It was suppose to rain, but I do not know if it actually rained or not, since I have not been out. I also chatted with a local security organization about the computer problems that I had. While Vista SP1 is installing on the Northgate Syntax computer, I will shower and clean up. I figure that although I am not going out, one should shower and clean up at least every two days, so one feels more refreshed, despite the higher costs of hot water. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 1:25 P.M.: I chatted with a couple of people from www.verizon.com about my problems that I had with my computer being hacked through the Verizon telephone line connected to the Samsung all purpose fax, scanner, printer, and copier. Well now that the problem does not seem to exist anymore with being hacked because I switched it over to the Optimum Voice switch, I am trying to get back to some of my normal internet routine. There is an interesting program I think on HiDef on channel 721 the Nature Channel about the Penguins of the Antarctica. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Enjoy the warm afternoon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 11:10 A.M.: This [Greenwich Exxon](#) is where I buy gasoline and have had my various cars serviced. It is next to the Greenwich, Connecticut Library [Welcome to Greenwich Library](#) and a mile east of my apartment building. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 11:00 A.M.: I made a few routine telephone calls, but it is the nature of the people that I know, they do not seem to stay home in the daytime. Basically I do not go out much in Greenwich, Connecticut anymore particularly on weekends and holidays, since the town tends to be a bit too busy, since I am use to it when practically nobody is around, when I am on a night schedule, so a lot of the people that see me around tend to also be on night schedules. The daytime lurkers on Greenwich Avenue have seen me plenty of times, but recently they are not user friendly to cigarette smokers, since part of their political agenda does not include people whom smoke tobacco. Possibly they smoke other items, or they were raised in warmer parts of the country before they moved here such as out in California, where not many people smoke tobacco, since they are so health conscious out in California, since in their more modern lives, they do not have to deal with the more mundane activities of daily life, which as they have become so high tech in their modern worlds, they forget about the simpler people whom leave simpler lifestyles based on experience and not based on what the television advertisers teach them. I was told by somebody that I chatted with recently that the state of Maryland area is full of people driving [Truck - 4X4 - Luxury SUV | HUMMER](#) , but for the wide open roads of the middle of the United States of America and its super highways, this might be a better security vehicle [International : Military and Government LLC](#) . I saw somebody from the Midwest driving one of the old Internation open beach wagons in yellow color the other day, which if you had to drive on the back roads of New England might fit on the road

allowing two way traffic. Of course, since one of my few friends is heavily involved in horses, more than likely if we run out of fuel here this winter, I will have to relearn my horse back riding skills, which I have not had any practice with since I left Alabama back in 1961. Of course vet bills, feed, stabling, grooming, real estate, and out buildings in this area would cost a lot more than a tank of gasoline. Basically for most of the horse people in this area, it is a tax write off, against other more profitable operations. From what I can tell it less people are venturing out downtown in this area on a regular basis. I did see on www.aol.com or here [MapQuest Gas Prices – Find The Lowest Gas Prices Near You!](#) that gasoline in nearby White Plains, New York is 50 cents a gallon cheaper than over here just across the border in Connecticut. There is suppose to be a Mobil station in White Plains that sells gasoline for about \$2.90 a gallon, but it would cost money to drive to White Plains, which is less than ten miles away or for me two gallons or about \$7 to go there round trip, so unless, I was getting over 14 gallons of gasoline it would not be worth the trip, unless some Rockefeller was giving away free www.exxon.com credit cards without the 28% interest that the Chase Visa credit cards charge and good for free gasoline, it is not worth venturing into their business environment to save a few pennies on gasoline, since they obviously have the ability to know what goes on here, since this is suppose to be an Exxon Company town. It is not cold enough yet for me here to wear my Exxon Polar King hat. Of course, I think the reason a lot of the Old Guard are deserting this area in large numbers is not the price of gasoline but the price of home heating oil to heat their large estate homes or McMansions in the winter. A large Mansion could use over 2,000 gallons of fuel a month, which would be close to \$5,000 a month to heat a large mansion, and for that one would obviously have other alternatives, but of course one would still have to maintain the building if one were not there. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 9:35 A.M.: Volcano in Arizona [Sunset Crater - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia](#) . Well they have them in Mexico and California, so why wouldn't they have them in Arizona? CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 8:55 A.M.: This is [Bed Bath & Beyond Product Watergard™ Bath Mat](#) that I bought from Linens and Things that they no longer carry. I think the one that I have is much better, since all of the rubber suction cups provide much better traction. For \$15 and shipping, you might save your life. I sent one to an elderly relative in Florida for \$14.99 cost and \$5.95 shipping and \$1.05 tax for \$21.99, almost Catch 22, "You're All Crazy." CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 8:30 A.M.: Need to ship some items down south for the winter [Assorted Pack #2, \(3 Medium, 3 Large, & 3 X-Large Boxes\)](#) at Staples® .

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 8:15 A.M.: I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. Earlier, I ran System Mechanic, so I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. If one stays home a lot, the most dangerous thing is the bath tub. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 7:35 A.M.: [Microsoft Wants Your Health Records](#) and your money.

The Greenwich, Connecticut residents whom volunteer for the neighborhood watches around town apparently have enough funds, so they turned their volunteer observations duties over to Blackwater USA , so be forewarned.

Blackwater Chief at Nexus of Military and Business - New York Times . Eric Prince is apparently from Holland, Michigan where they have those 800 pound heavy fellows that eat turkeys all of the time.

I am small boned, so I could never be that heavy.

However, small people can type.

I have Charles Prince's www.harvard.edu chair in my apartment where I smoke my cigarettes in the kitchen.

I chatted with a friend.

Of course it is my personal opinion that one has a better chance of slipping in the bath tub while taking a shower, so it would be better to invest in a bath tub bath mat to avoid slipping Linens 'n Things - Bath: Accessories: Bath Mats/Pillows: Search for . Just like on Greenwich Avenue as opposed to terrorists, one has a better chance of slipping on black ice on a winter's night if one does not have walking shoes with some sort of traction.

Well, at the ripe old age of 57 years of age, I guess the younger generation are taking over me.

Of course I have lived around older people most of my life, so around my neighbors, I do not feel as old. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 5:40 A.M.: I made and ate the same dinner as five of the last six nights. Today on Columbus Day a Italian Mafia holiday in New York when their Bank of New York is closed, the Kennedy mafia democrats leave their strong hold in Nantucket to discover America down south for their ventures in the somewhat questionable import and export business, which is why they live near the ocean both north and south. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 4:00 A.M.: I could use twp new headsets for my Epox and FIC computers, and this is available Newegg.com - PLANTRONICS DSP400 USB Connector Supra-aural Headset , but I can not really afford it, and I do not really need it. I put a three Y splitter on the SoundBlaster Live MP3+ sound card audio out jack on the Epox computer, and I plugged in its speakers to it, and the Panasonic headphones that were connected to the FIC server, and the ear piece from the Andrea Electronics headset that was connected to the Northgate Syntax computer, and they all work. I removed the adapter from the Andrea Electronics headset microphone jack, and I plugged it into the Epox computer onboard audio microphone jack, and the Epox system works just fine with that set up. I have the FIC server SoundBlaster Audigy card running the two pairs of 2.1

speakers, and on the onboard sound adapter, I plugged in the generic headset from the Epox computer. The server is not really set up for as much audio. I will now put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. Seems to be the best sight for Coupon Deals <http://www.currentcodes.com/> . CIO

Note: <888> 10/08/07 Monday 1:25 A.M.: I woke up at 6 P.M.. We do not get much sleep around here anymore. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watched on the Turner Movie Channel a vintage Howard Hughes RKO movie called TURNER CLASSIC MOVIES Back from Eternity . Apparently there are still Head Hunters in the Americas. I know they still exist in Ecuador, so beware of any low budget travel bargains. Those are the American Indians that cut off people's heads and shrink them. I have seen them around Greenwich, Connecticut before on the waterfront on Steamboat Road, but I could not figure out what they were doing here. I chatted with two relatives and a friend. I have two friends possibly coming out tomorrow at noon to Old Greenwich, but I will probably not be awake to see them. There is a chance of rain Greenwich, Connecticut (06830) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground , but they still might call me, if they come out. I tested the two wireless Logitech computer headsets on the primary and the FIC computers, and neither of them worked. One of the base units did not work, and the other one's headset had a bad battery, and I put in the good rechargeable battery from the other one, and it still did not work. I tried the one that might be good on the Epox computer, but it still did not work. I got them about two years ago for \$15 apiece from www.justdeals.com . Well, I never used them hardly at all. I took them off the computers. I am using their plug-in headsets on the Panasonic wireless two line telephone base unit on the brass and glass coffee table, and the other one on the Uniden Spread Spectrum connected to Optimum in the kitchen. I put the rest of their parts in two bags that I stored on the floor to the left of the side board in the bedroom. I am making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 10/07/07 Sunday 12:15 P.M.: Good News, we're suppose to have some rain this week after a long dry spell Greenwich, Connecticut (06830) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground . Keep an eye out for more British tourists, the Queen Mary II is back in Manhattan today QM2 - Itinerary - 2007, and it will be back October 19 and 31, 2007. I suppose if one were not afraid of the ocean, one could make it to England that way, and it might be safer than flying in a jet which I have done five times round trip to the Continent of Europe, but I have never been able to afford to make it from there to England, since the signs in Europe are not in English, and it is easy to get distracted once one is on the continent, but I have met people from England in Europe, so more than likely after all of these years of trying offer European hospitality in America, it seems some of them are finally venturing over here to this side of the pond. I was told that in Greenwich, Connecticut, I am suppose to be an Episcopalian, since I became a member of the Round Hill Community Church when it was near the Seabury House in back country Greenwich. I tried to figure out how to install a footer on the Windows 2008 server, but I could not get

the syntax right. I am a bit bushed, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed. Have a good day. CIO

Note: <888> 10/07/07 Sunday 9:30 A.M.: I finished configuring the Vista Windows Server SP1 beta 2008 Enterprise on the FIC computer. It seems to be running just fine, so I will run it for a while without the www.ibm.com footers. I put www.openoffice.org on the two computers with Vista betas. I have three product keys for the Vista server, so I can run it indefinitely. However, I can do more work with the FIC server in XP Professional, since I have it on a larger partition with more programs that work with XP. I will now back up the Vista server from the first hard drive to the second hard drive, which also backs up the XP Professional partition. I reheated and ate the same meal as last night. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I chatted with a friend. The reason I got the new Hoover vacuum cleaner is that I currently own a 25 year old Electrolux tank model with power nozzle that I got for \$5 at a tag sale in Millbrook, New York about 10 years ago. I also own a 30 year old Electrolux tank model that I got about 15 years ago for \$15 at the little thrift shop in Byram, where the Dive shop is now located. I also own a Sears upright that costs about \$40 new that I found discarded outside by our dumpster about two years ago, and I repaired its drive belt and light, and although it works just fine, and I have plenty of bags for it, with the extra attachments and power of the new Hoover, I can do a better cleaning job in the apartment. CIO

Note: <888> 10/07/07 Sunday 1:50 A.M.: While out tonight, I saw two retired visitors from Florida driving a gold www.cadillac.com. I guess we still have guests from Florida with the warmer weather that we have been enjoying. I also cleaned the Buick wagon windows on the outside, and I checked the front tires for 30 PSI front and 35 PSI rear. The air hose at the Exxon station has a crack in its outer lining, so it can kink if it is twisted too tight, so one has to make sure it is working properly. I am defragmenting the Vista SP1 beta hard drive on the Epox computer. I took a shower, and I cleaned up. The friend that I chatted with this evening uses www.verizon.com for their internet service. I tried to chat with www.verizon.com about the hackers on their phone service disrupting my computer and internet activity, but their supervisor said all of their repair lines were overwhelmed, so I guess other people using www.verizon.com are having problems with hackers. Sad news [Afghan bomb kills British major - CNN.com](http://www.cnn.com). I guess I will now reboot the FIC server into Vista SP1 Server 2008 to start configuring it, so my home web server will not be working for a while. CIO

Note: <888> 10/07/07 Sunday 12:30 A.M.: After the last note, I worked on configuring the Vista SP1 beta partition on the Epox computer. I had to replace the headset on it with one from the Dell computer in the bedroom. I thus have two headsets that do not seem to work. I used the Y splitter from the Dell to hook up the headset to the Epox to the primary Creative Sound card jack, and the microphone jack to the onboard microphone jack. I also did a Vista Complete PC back from the first hard drive to the second hard drive which also backed up the XP Professional partition on it. I chatted with a relative. I went to bed at 1 P.M.. I was awake at 8 P.M.. I chatted with a friend. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda

sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I went out without cleaning up. I went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a 33.5 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat goldfish crackers for \$7.99. I then went by the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon gasoline station, and I bought \$18 of premium self service gasoline for \$3.39 a gallon for 5.296 gallons for 10.348 miles per gallon driving locally in traffic with the air conditioning going. I drove 54.8 miles since last Saturday, and the odometer is now at 115,391 miles. I then returned home. I put the www.nuance.com PDF converter on the primary Vista computer. The Vista SP1 beta partition on the Epox computer can be reactivated ever 30 days for three times for a total of 120 days, it can be used before it expires. Of course if Microsoft were worth its salt, it would give me another free license key for all of the work, time, and money I have spent testing their products. I now have to configured the Vista Server 2008 beta partition on the FIC server, so the server will be down for a while. CIO

Note: <888> 10/06/07 Saturday 6:50 A.M.: I ate a couple of bowls of goldfish crackers. I finished eating the red seedless grapes. There a few fruit flies in the apartment that they seem to have brought in. I guess I should have left them in the refrigerator. Have a good morning. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 10/06/07:

Note: <888> 10/06/07 Saturday 5:05 A.M.: I will now go through my email.

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Bombay Company sale and free shipping on over \$100, Alas I don't see their classic Butler's Table on their web site. I guess nobody in the Commonwealth has Butler's anymore, particularly for tea. They're not cheap anymore [Butler Table - Home & Garden - Compare Prices, Reviews and Buy at NexTag](#) - Price - Review

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I will now send out my weekly notes. I will then work on configuring the secondary partition on the Epox computer with Vista SP1 beta. I still have to also configure the Vista Server 2008 beta partition on the FIC server. CIO

Note: <888> 10/06/07 Saturday 3:45 A.M.: I worked on configuring the Vista SP1 beta partition on the Epox computer. I am making the same meal as three nights ago, and I will eat half and refrigerate half. I will eat it with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/06/07 Saturday 2:05 A.M.: This story about the town of Greenwich, Connecticut public housing project where I live Senior housing eyed for Byram - Greenwich Time . CIO

Note: <888> 10/06/07 Saturday 1:50 A.M.: I just bought Linens 'n Things - Hoover Z 700 Bagless Upright Vacuum listed at \$99.99 less 20% with coupon "223823997733" of a \$20 discount with free shipping worth \$11.99 with sales tax of \$4.80 for \$84.79 total. I will be a little lower on money this month, but I will have a cleaner apartment. It sells here Amazon.com: Hoover U9145-900 "Z" 700 Bagless Upright Vacuum: Kitchen & Dining for \$299.89 plus shipping discounted from \$549.99. Thus I would say it is a pretty good deal. CIO

Note: <888> 10/06/07 Saturday 1:05 A.M.: I went to bed at 8 A.M. yesterday morning. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers before going to bed and two toasted mini bagels with olive oil. I also ordered Pacific Digital Mach 16X Internal Double-Layer DVD Drive at Staples® for \$49.98 less \$25 instant coupon and to put the order over \$50 with free shipping I ordered two Staples Clamp Binder, Clear at Staples® for \$2.48 each, thus the order was \$54.94 minus \$25 instant coupon and \$1.80 tax for \$31.74 total with free shipping. I will put the new DVD drive in the primary Vista computer, and I will move the Nec DVD drive from it to the Epox computer, and I will move the DVD/r drive from the Epox computer to the Northgate Syntax computer. I had one computer magazine telephone call today while asleep. I woke up at 3 P.M.. The order for two Boatbuilder's Shirt: Button-Front at L.L.Bean for \$12.95 each in xtra large size and blue color with free shipping for \$25.90 total both arrived. Currently www.llbean.com has free shipping for anyone. I hung the shirts up in my bedroom closet. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted mini bagels with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I went back to bed until 7 P.M.. I washed the breakfast dishes. I put \$5 on my MacGray laundry card. I did two loads of laundry. I put clean linens on the bed. I watered the plants, and I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I chatted with a relative. I put Norton Internet Security 2007 with 111 days left on the Vista SP1 beta partition on the Epox computer. CIO

Note: <888> 10/05/07 Friday 4:40 A.M.: I did another Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I ate another bowl of goldfish crackers. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Basically, I have been awake for 36 hours with a three hour nap, so I should sleep well. Have a good morning. CIO

Note: <888> 10/05/07 Friday 4:05 A.M.: On the Epox computer with Vista SP1 beta full install, Norton Internet Security 2008 will install on it, but I did not install it, because it

would have needed an extra license. On my primary Vista computer with SP1 beta upgrade, Norton Internet Security 2008 would not install, but the system might have been modified since my original install on July 11, 2007. Thus from what I can tell my primary computer with restore of the original install is now running much better. I have 112 days left on my license on Norton Internet Security 2007, so I can install it on the Northgate Syntax computer, when I have the time.

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CIO

Note: <888> 10/05/07 Friday 3:30 A.M.: I installed the Vista updates. Possibly the hacking problems I have been having are not coming from the Cablevision TV box into the Hauppauge TV card. On my primary Vista computer, I have a Samsung all purpose laser fax copier scanner connected to the Vista computer with a USB cable. The Samsung unit is connected to both Optimum and Verizon telephone lines with a Radio Shack telephone switch to switch between them. Last November 2006, in about two hours, I had somebody flash the bios on three of my computers, so I disconnected the telephone lines from them before reflashing them. Possibly since I had the Samsung unit set on Verizon, I was being hacked through the same Verizon telephone line. I switched the switch to Optimum, and the hacking seems to have gone away, so I will have to see if that solved the problem. I ate two bagels and two bowls of goldfish crackers. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/04/07 Thursday 11:30 P.M.: After the last message yesterday, the order for Final Detail S/2 Top Shelf Series Instant Spray Wax at QVC for two 22 ounce spray bottles for \$17.68 both and \$5.72 shipping and \$1.40 tax for \$24.80 total arrived. I unpacked it, and I left the car wax at the apartment entrance to be ready for when I have time to wax the Buick wagon after I get it washed. I went out, and I went by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then drove over to www.staples.com in Old Greenwich. I bought a 3 license pack of Norton Internet Security 2008 www.symantec.com for \$59.98 and a www.pny.com 4 gigabyte USB pin drive for \$34.96 and \$5.70 tax for \$100.66 total. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought two 12 packs of mini bagels for \$2.50 each 12 pack, a half gallon of Tropicana grove stand orange juice with calcium for \$3, two 18 ounce containers of Quaker Old Fashioned oatmeal for \$2 each, a 100 package box of Splenda for \$3.99 for \$15.99 total. I then returned home. The PNY USB pin drive would not work with Vista Ready boost. I installed copies of Norton Internet Security 2008 on the FIC server and the Epox computer. I tried installing it on the Vista SP1 computer, but it would not install, and it prompted to install the Microsoft C++ update, which also would not install. After talking with www.symantec.com tech support there was no way to get it to install. I finally restored my Vista new installation and

configuration backup from the external hard drive done on July 11, 2007. With a clean configuration Norton Internet Security 2008 installed on the Vista computer. I then restored the changed and additional files and folders to the C: drive. I configured the monitors and I installed System Mechanic which are the only two changes in the software. I did not install the *.pdf publisher, but I might do it sometime in the future. I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I still need to install the Vista updates. Over the work period, I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. Also about 5 A.M., I ate the reheated boneless chicken breast and flavored rice with some iced tea. About noon, I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. The Norton Internet Security 2008 three license package had two \$20 mail in rebates, so I prepared them to mail. I showered, and I cleaned up. I picked up my mail. The order for Buy Faceplate Motorola C139 Black Snap-On Protector Case & Wholesale Cell Phone Accessories for \$8, Buy Motorola C139 Rapid IC Car Charger & Wholesale Cell Phone Accessories for \$5, and a second Buy Motorola C139 AC Home/Wall Charger & Wholesale Cell Phone Accessories for \$7 and \$8.93 First Class Mail for \$28.93 total arrived. I put the face place on my AT&T Go phone. It does not cover the buttons though, so one can still accidentally dial out. I mailed the rebates at the Valley Road Post Office. I went to my regular 3 P.M. appointment that I had not been to in a month. I returned home, and I went to bed from 4 P.M. to 7 P.M.. I the drove over to Staples in Old Greenwich, and I tried driving I-95 East from exit 2 to 3, but that took about 45 minutes because of a backup, so I took East Putnam Avenue from exit 3. I returned the PNY USB 4 gigabyte pin drive for \$37.08 cash refund. I then went by the Chase Bank ATM machine on Mason Street. I then went downtown, and I walked lower Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I chatted with another walker about the price of tea in China. I then returned home. I ate a bowl of red seedless grapes with some iced tea. Thus I have only had 3 hours sleep since yesterday afternoon. I will now install the Vista updates, and I will eat some goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 10/03/07 Wednesday 6:15 P.M.: I woke up at noon today, when the mail man delivered my order of 7 cartons of Native Ultra Lights 100s from www.ordersmokesdirect.com . I went back to bed until 3 P.M.. I had a computer magazine telephone call. I defragmented the Vista computer C: drive while I was asleep. I then did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I also installed Norton Internet Security updates and ran some other minor maintenance utilities. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with my relative stopping over in Hawaii twice, and I chatted with one of my relatives whom is back down in Florida. I threw out the garbage. I chatted with some neighbors. I had a telephone call from MS Partner at 1-800-214-6223 with web site at www.mspartnerdirect.com/winback/ . I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will shower and clean up, and I will go out to do some errands. CIO

Note: <888> 10/03/07 Wednesday 7:15 A.M.: I will go to bed shortly. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers and some red grapes earlier. CIO

Note: <888> 10/03/07 Wednesday 6:45 A.M.: I installed the Windows Vista SP1 beta Server 2008 on the FIC server in a smaller secondary partition, and I did some minor configuration on it. I still have to finish configuring it. I have not been using the beta, since I can run more programs off the server with XP Professional, and the IIS server also supports footers, so I can run my www.ibm.com footers. I will now go through my email.
CIO

Note: <888> 10/03/07 Wednesday 4:10 A.M.: Microsoft Windows Server 2008 Home

I am not doing anything, so I guess I will install the Vista Server SP1 on the FIC server in the secondary partition to see what it looks like. CIO

Note: <888> 10/03/07 Wednesday 3:05 A.M.: If you pay for this Discovery Amazing Money Jar Bank -- Discovery Channel Store -- 727404 with Paypal, you get an extra \$10 off.

Or these items:

Supervolcano DVD -- Discovery Channel Store -- 791707

Nature's Fire Color-Changing Volcano -- Discovery Channel Store -- 748020

Pompeii: The Last Day DVD -- Discovery Channel Store -- 792382

The Ultimate Guide: Volcanoes DVD -- Discovery Channel Store -- 773556

Of course I pay for the Discovery Channel at home, so sooner or later I will see these.

Of course the local Italians here, do not pay much attention to their relative's back home.

Vesuvius - National Geographic Magazine

CIO

Note: <888> 10/03/07 Wednesday 2:10 A.M.: I woke up, and I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I watched a repeat on the History Channel about different events that could cause problems on the earth, so I thought I better get back to work. Basically most of my adult life, I have been on a limited income in this area, so I suffered from the "Stockholm Syndrome Stockholm syndrome - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia of poverty of the lower classes in this area". Although the local media promotes the affluent lifestyle of a few of our local citizens, this is really a contiguous part of the larger New York City community and as such, there are a large number of ordinary every day people whom manage to make ends meet on limited income versus, the relative few whom seem to have a more affluent lifestyle. Having spent 24 years walking and observing on Greenwich Avenue along with living here since 1961, I am familiar with both sides of the coin. I basically maintain my own perspective, since it helps keep my focus in terms of limiting my budget in terms of my

daily affairs. Since I have the computer equipment and internet access, and since I know how to type, I use the internet for my outlet. Like a poor monk in some long forgotten monastery scribing away, I figure there are enough people in Manhattan to keep track of their affairs nearby without me venturing into New York City. If anything note worthy or out of the ordinary happens there, they have ample communications to let us know about any events. However, since it seems the Commercial Aspect of the local urban environment rules our area, I frequently use the internet for looking for bargain basement items for sale versus other more scholarly research. Since the politicians and other political movers come and go in this area in their fund raising activities, we have neighbors whom have influence, but frequently they are busy with other activities and have their own separate political agendas based on whatever other experiences that they might have. Since I am more technically orientated like a self trained computer engineer, I would more than likely bore a large portion of the local internet population if I went into some of the more technical details based on my historical activities and experience with the internet. My personal viewpoint of my usage of the internet is like being a reference librarian knowing that a great deal of the reference work is available on the internet, but since we also have a good library in this area, a lot of people probably read books on various relevant subject matter as opposed to reading short summaries on the internet. I will now go through my email. It is the nature of beta testing that one is using unfinished software, so it is not expected to perform as well as the completed product. Still in terms of using personal computers for 20 years and the internet for 15 years, my present daily experience is a lot easier and more useful than the historical usage I went through for many years. CIO

Note: <888> 10/02/07 Tuesday 10:00 P.M.: I opened up the package of six boneless chicken breasts, and I put four of them in a large flat Rubbermaid container. I then rinsed off the other two in cold water, and I dried them with a paper towel. I then put a thin coat of olive oil in a Pyrex pie dish, and on a separate plate, I rubbed the bottom side of the boneless chicken breasts with olive oil, and then I spread a thick coating of Italian seasoned bread crumbs on them, and then I did the same with the top side and the other boneless chicken breasts. I then put them in the Pyrex pie dish, and I baked them in the Farberware convection oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 35 minutes. I also made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> to which I also added two teaspoons of Kikkoman soy sauce and oregano Seasoning and chicken bullion seasoning. I ate half, and I put the other half in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I also steamed in a two quart Revere pot with steamer tray and lid about 1.5 cups of baby carrots and broccoli crowns for 15 minutes on medium high electric burner heat, and I put some olive oil on the vegetables. I put the other baked boneless chicken breast in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I chatted with a relative off the coast of Maui. I am a bit tired, so I will shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed early. CIO

Note: <888> 10/02/07 Tuesday 8:00 P.M.: I woke up this morning, and I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I had a couple of computer magazine telephone calls. I finally woke up at noon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed

the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went to my 3 P.M. appointment. I chatted with a couple of local citizens also. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the First Selectman republican campaign headquarters on Railroad Avenue. I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I stopped by CVS, and I bought for \$9.99 a benpeni salone platinum series rechargeable triple head shaving kit with a seperate personal groomer included with .60 tax for \$10.59 total. I then complete my walk. I then returned home. I had a telephone call from www.cablevision.com about the computer problems that I have been having, and they listened, but they did not have any ideas. I will save the electric shaver to have in reserve in the bathroom. I chatted with a relative who is flying further south tomorrow. I spent a dollar on parking today. CIO

Note: <888> 10/02/07 Tuesday 5:30 A.M.: Welcome from the British Ambassador

How can I write to Her Majesty The Queen?

Feedback from BritainUSA

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 10/02/07 Tuesday 4:20 A.M.: Incredible IBM System Deal @ Geeks.com! with XP Professional COA. \$140 plus \$25 shipping.

Carter, Jimmy -- Britannica Online Encyclopedia

Volcanic Eruption Reported off Yemen - New York Times

Ships find survivors of Yemen eruption - Mideast/N. Africa - MSNBC.com

Microsoft Silverlight: Light Up the Web CIO

Note: <888> 10/02/07 Tuesday 3:15 A.M.: Earlier today, before I went out about 5 P.M. this past evening, the ordered item from www.directron.com for Vantec Notebook Security Lock NBL-S200 Cable Locking System 6.5 ft of 3/8 inch Coated Steel Cable-Best Computer Online Store Houston Buy Discount Prices Texas-Directron.com with scheduled for delivery UPS: Tracking Information arrived. I attached its base mounting plate to the right of the control panel underneath the oak table shelf the LCD monitors sit on. I had the two left monitors secured with the Defcon cable lock, and I used the new cable lock to secure the right and center monitors intertwined with the other cable lock system and with the new cable lock attached to the center monitor, so I have better security on my primary Vista computer setup, not that I get out of the apartment much anymore. My relative can talk from Hawaii with her AT&T wireless minutes. They're on the Holland America Line Cruises to Alaska, Europe, the Caribbean, Mexico and the world on Holland America, one of the best cruise lines cruising from Vancouver, British Columbia on the Statendam on a cruise to New Zealand. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 10/02/07 Tuesday 2:10 A.M.: I had a telephone call this past morning from a relative and a friend. I woke up at 4 P.M. this past afternoon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with one relative twice whom is currently stopping on a cruise in Hawaii. I chatted with another relative twice. I picked up my mail. I installed the updates on the Northgate Syntax computer. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a sliced dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I showered, and I cleaned up. I threw out the garbage, and I also threw out some old periodical literature. I went out, and I stopped by the Food Emporium, and I bought a 33.5 ounce container of whole grain gold fish crackers for \$6.99. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Greenwich Avenue. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought organic bananas for .79 a pound for \$2.29 and red seedless grapes for .99 a pound for \$2.13 for \$4.42 total. I then drove back downtown on Greenwich Avenue, and I mailed a letter at the central Greenwich Post Office. I then drove over to CVS at the Riverside Shopping Plaza. They have a special if one buys \$20 of McNeil products, you get \$10 of CVS bonus bucks. I bought three 100 capsule bottles of Tylenol arthritis pain formula caplets for \$8.50 each for \$25.50 total, and I got a \$10 and \$1.50 bonus bucks. I then bought a 25 foot roll of Philips coaxial cable for \$5.99, two 15 ounce Alberto VO5 extra body shampoo for .77 each, one Alberto VO5 Kiwi and Lime conditioner for .77, and three 5.5 ounce Pringles sour cream and onion potato chips for .88 each and my bonus bucks paid for them all including 4 cents extra for \$11.46 total. I then went by the Food Emporium, and I bought a six pack of boneless breasts of chicken for \$1.99 a pound for \$7.44, a 10 pack of America's Choice powdered milk for \$6.99, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$3.29, and a head of organic broccoli for \$3.49 for \$21.21 total. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then returned home, and I put away my purchases. I installed my spare Hauppauge TV card in the FIC server, and I used the 25 foot Philips coaxial cable to connect it to the cable system without the cable box, and since it programs and drivers were already on the FIC server, it now has TV on the FIC server, as if we needed another TV tuner. Thus all of the four computers in the living room have TV tuners for further entertainment enjoyment. I will now reheat the Chinese stir fry and rice I made last night, and I will eat it with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 10/01/07 Monday 1:05 A.M.: I watched a bit of television. I reconnected the Northgate Syntax computer TV card to the cable TV system, so its TV card now might work. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/30/07 Friday 1:25 P.M.: When I told my friend whose grandfather worked for Queen Victoria that Prince William was going to have a \$65 million dollar wedding, he said, "Who Cares?". I guess with so many foreigners controlling England anymore, the Old Guard anglophile group elsewhere have been pretty much left out of the picture. Well, I enjoyed the dinner, and I will now make like the French, and take a nap. CIO

Note: <888> 11/30/07 Friday 11:55 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went downtown, and I walked upper Greenwich Avenue. I stopped by CVS, and I bought two 14 ounce cans of Comet cleaner for .49 each, and four 3 ounce Bowl Fresh toilet deodorizers for .49 each and .18 tax for \$3.18 total. While walking down Greenwich Avenue, I found a copy of the June 2007 Greenwich magazine with Connecticut governor Jodi Rell The Office of Governor M. Jodi Rell, and I retrieved it from the sidewalk magazine pile. I chatted with a German fellow going to Fuji film, and he said a \$65 million dollar wedding for Prince William would be a waste. I finished my walk, and I then went to the Greenwich Housing Authority, and I paid my rent by check, and they gave me a receipt. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a loaf of Stop and Shop 12 grain bread for \$2.49, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.50, Chiquita bananas for .54 a pound for \$1.26, and broccoli crowns for \$1.99 a pound for \$2.67 for \$8.92. I chatted with the Coca Cola delivery person about www.coke.com in the old days down south. I ate a banana outside, since I was a bit hungry. I returned home, and I chatted with a neighbor. I finished off the jar of peanuts. I printed out my November 2007 Microsoft Money 2006 income and expense report, and I mailed a copy in the mail room downstairs to an interested relative. I picked up my mail. I will put one of the Bowl Fresh toilet deodorizers on the toilet rim. I will then make my regular greasy spoon special of hamburger sautéed with onions and cheese with steam broccoli and baby carrots and flavored rice with iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 11/30/07 Friday 7:05 A.M.: I paid my www.cablevision.com bill for high definition digital cable television, Optimum Online Boost Cable Modem, and Optimum Voice unlimited Long Distance telephone service. I also paid my www.geico.com automobile insurance, my Verizon www.verizon.com local telephone service, and my www.cl-p.com electricity service which includes my electric heat. I ordered from www.ordersmokesdirect.com six cartons of Seneca Ultra Lights 100s in a box for \$13.49 a carton and \$15.47 priority mail signature required postage shipping of \$15.47 for \$96.41 total. I made out a check for my rent to the Greenwich Housing Authority, which I will drop off this morning after I take my walk. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will shower and clean up, and I will go out for a morning walk. CIO

Note: <888> 11/30/07 Friday 6:00 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went to my regular 3 P.M. appointment. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop. They have the annual Christmas display out for sale. I then went to my appointment to apply for the NEON Energy assistance program. I then went by the Food Emporium, and I bought a dozen extra large eggs for \$3.19. I noticed one of the supermarket tabloids had the headlines, "Prince William Engaged to Kate Middleton, \$65 Million Wedding Planned with 3,500 invited guests", however I assume the story is bogus since there is no mention of the item elsewhere in the media. I chatted with a fellow raising money to keep children off drugs. I returned home, and I chatted with a

relative. I ate a toasted bagel with olive oil, and I went to bed about 7 P.M.. According to the fellow I chatted with from Rotterdam last Sunday night, there is no longer any money in the music business because of the free downloads on the internet. I guess with the higher prices of fuel, it would be hard to make money off live music too. I woke up at 4 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I will now pay my monthly bills. Overnight shift to be classified as 'probable' cancer cause - CNN.com. CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 1:35 P.M.: I heated a 18 ounce can of Campbell's New England clam chowder, which I ate with a glass of iced tea. I then drank a cup of coffee. If anyone in this area still has the capability of burning coal instead of oil, and if there were a large enough group of people, I think there is still a railroad siding over in Port Chester, New York, where I suppose a railroad could deliver coal to. I am not sure if it is still workable and the condition of the track and if the adjacent pavement area would be available for a front end loader to off load the coal into a truck, but it would be an alternative that could be available without too much difficulty. As I recall the furnace at the Greenwich Country Club is a Holland Furnace, and it can burn either coal or oil. I am sure it is still the original furnace, since it is not that old of a building built around 1960. Since the Vanderbilts were members of the Greenwich Country Club <http://www.geocities.com/mike2scott2006/Greenwich-Country-Club.jpg> they had access to coal from the railroads. Modern furnaces do not need to be stoked, but if one needed a stoker, I am sure some shipping company could come up with one. It is my viewpoint instead of going south to stay warm with all of the other people already down there where it is very crowded, there are more traditional ways of staying warm up north. In the old days in Manhattan, people would pay a token amount and go stay in a steam bath, but I don't think those are available anymore. I suppose you could always look into other alternative heating methods, but one needs a source of fuel, which in this area, one is generally not allowed to cut down the trees to stay warm, since they are mostly decorative. The Rockefellers if they are still around North Terrytown, New York have the Indian Point nuclear power plant nearby, so obviously they would have enough electricity. It use to provide the electricity for the General Motors factory over there, so there is probably a surplus of electricity, since the factory there, the last I heard was closed down. I use to know somebody that lived above the bakery in Irvington, New York, and being above the bakery, it was a relatively warm apartment. However, the individual was from Minnesota, so I am not sure it was actually that warm, or the individual just thought it was. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will get ready to go out for my 3 P.M. appointment, and I also have a 4:30 appointment for my Energy Assistance application. CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 11:55 A.M.: Fact Sheet: White House Holiday Decorations

Musical Groups to be Featured at White House Holiday Events

CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 11:50 A.M.: FBI: Millions of computers roped into criminal 'robot networks' - CNN.com .

These guys are suppose to be working on the problem National Center for Supercomputing Applications at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign . Although Champaign, Illinois is my father's and grandfather's home town, I have lived here in Greenwich, Connecticut most of my life, and I am not familiar with UNIX that they use on their servers. Also after having attended www.lfc.edu , I know it is a lot colder out there, and with the higher prices of fuel, it would cost a lot more than the 12 cents a gallon I paid for fuel oil while in college 1968 to 1972. However, Champaign, Illinois is a railroad town, and until about 1965, my grandparents house was heated with coal, so obviously they are probably using coal out there again or corn cobs for heat.

NCSA to develop tool to help law officers address cybercrime

National Center for Digital Intrusion Response (NCDIR)

Of course the food is cheaper out there, if one likes eating, but the medical profession is probably not as good out there if one is fatter and over weight compared to out here back east, if you can afford it. They supposedly have a billion dollar a year budget from the Federal Government for their super computer operations, and they also have T900 lines 100 times faster than my internet access, so what ever they are doing out there, is more than corn flakes. CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 10:30 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon gasoline station, and I bought \$30 of self service premium unleaded gasoline at \$3.759 a gallon for 7.98 gallons for 88.5 miles driving in the last 12 days for 11.09 miles per gallon at odometer setting of 115,692 miles. I washed the outside windows, and I checked the tires for 30 PSI front and 35 PSI rear. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I chatted with a local village employee and a local walker. I put the second spare gallon of windshield antifreeze in the lower storage compartment or the rear of the Buick, and to make room for it, I took out the bag containing the two brown Ford Explorer nylon folding chairs, and I put them in the rear of the Buick, in case I feel like sitting out on a nice day. The recessed handle housing on the rear storage area of the Buick wagon cracked a little bit, when I locked it shut, but it still works. I guess I have to much stuffed stored in it. I noticed during my walk, I saw a Honda Insight 2006 Honda Insight Pricing and Information and InsightCentral.net: The Independent Honda Insight Website , but I guess they don't make them anymore, and this is the current version of the hybrid 2008 Honda Civic Hybrid - Official Honda Hybrid Car Web Site , and unfortunately I can not afford it, but it gets four times the miles per gallon that my car does in city driving. However, I can not afford to go anywhere anyway. I toured the central Greenwich post office. I then went down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I enjoyed the clear view of Long Island sound. They

are still working on building the new house at the former Watson house location in Belle Haven. I then went by the Valley Road Post Office, and I bought sixty 41 cent President Gerald R. Ford Remembering President Gerald R. Ford (1913-2006) stamps for \$24.60 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 4:55 A.M.: I opened a cold six ounce can of tuna fish, and I drained it with its lid on, and I rinsed it underneath cold water. I then put it in a mixing bowl, and I flaked it with a fork, and I added a few dashes of Old Bay Seasoning and two heaping tablespoons of low fat mayonnaise, and I mixed it all together. I then put half on each two slices of dark German bread with a slice on top, and I cut the two sandwiches in half, and I ate it all with a dill pickle slice and a glass of iced tea. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will shower and clean up and go out for an early morning walk. I will fill up the tank after the walk. CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 4:05 A.M.: I ate the rest of the bag of potato chips.

The character Santa Claus, St. Nicholas is a Russian character, so maybe he will show up with the Russians.

However, if it ever snows, I do not know if we have the spare fuel to plow the roads.

I will not go through my email.

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http://www.shermanstravel.com/editor_review/1099148

CIO

Note: <888> 11/29/07 Thursday 3:05 A.M.: I went to bed after the last note. I woke up when the heavy box of 5000 sheets of HammerMill paper HammerMill® CopyPlus Copy Paper, 8 1/2" x 11", Case at Staples® for \$28.99 and \$1.74 tax for \$30.73 total was delivered. I had the delivery person leave it down at the building lobby. I got my folding cart out of the Buick wagon, and I brought it upstairs. I put eight of the ten packages of 500 sheets in the television chest beneath the Sony television in the living room, and I put the other two on the lower right side of the printer stand to the right of the Vista computer with the other three 500 sheet packages. I thus have over 6,500 sheets of spare laser and copier paper. I threw out the paper shipping box, and I put the cart in the back of the Buick wagon. I picked up my mail. I went back to bed until 8 P.M.. I chatted with a

relative. I watched on www.nbc.com the lighting of the Christmas tree at Rockefeller Center. Santa Claus was missing from the show. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 2 A.M.. I watched the beginning of the movie, "The Russians are Coming". I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 10:45 A.M.: I just noticed that my comments on Vista were posted by the BBC back in January 25, 2007 [BBC NEWS | Technology | Battle of the operating systems](#) search name "Scott". I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 10:30 A.M.: Local news [Drivers can soon pay for parking with cards - Greenwich Time](#)

Andover classmate of President Bush passes away [Greenwich Time Peter Underwood Andrews](#) . CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 9:55 A.M.: [Greenwich Gas Prices - Find the Lowest Gas Prices in Greenwich, Connecticut](#) says premium self service gasoline at the Mobil station just east of me is \$3.67 a gallon, so it should be the same at Exxon next to the library too. I noticed the Mobil station fuel truck is labeled as "Island Fuel" not Mobil or Exxon . CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 9:30 A.M.: I chatted with a relative. I got an electronic call from Staples saying the paper is suppose to be delivered one day later than scheduled which would be today. Their web site says it has been rescheduled for redelivery for the last two days, so I guess they are having a hard time making it to the end of their route. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 9:00 A.M.: I microwaved and ate a 16 ounce Boston Market beef pot roast and mashed potato dinner with a glass of iced tea. I chatted with Chris over at [Greenwich Exxon](#) , and on the [Michael Scott 1992 Buick Roadmaster Station Wagon](#) about the slow oil leak, if it were the oil pan gasket, it would be a \$125 to replace the oil pan gasket, but it would be \$350 if they had to raise up the engine, which the manual says they would have to do. I went outside, and the oil level is still full, so it is not dripping a lot. It might be a lose oil filter or drain plug, but there is a drop of oil hanging off the bottom of the oil pan, which leads me to believe it might be the oil pan gasket. It could also be the crank case seals. Since mid August 2007, when I drove down from Maine and topped up the oil, I have consumed 1.5 quarts of oil in about 3.5 months local driving about 35 miles a week or about 700 miles driving or slightly more. Thus it is not a major leak. I told Chris I would have them check it out after the first of the year, when I will bring it in for an oil change. It has been 1800 miles since the oil change in April 2007. What made me worry is that the add oil light came on after I had driven on the highway from exit 2 to exit 5 last week, and I thought it might be consuming more oil at higher speeds. However, I drove it down from Maine in August, and I consumed less than a half of a quart of oil if

any. On the Buick wagon, it is hard to read the oil level on the dip stick, so one can not tell the exact oil level of the car, because the oil in the narrow dip stick tube tends to stick to the dip stick when one checks it. When I first pulled it out, it showed that I was down about a third of a quart of oil, but when I reinserted the dip stick and checked it again, it showed that it was full. That is without starting the car recently. Thus at this point with my rate of driving it is not a major problem, and next summer if I drive it back up again to Kennebunkport, Maine that would be the next anticipated long distance drive. Still driving it locally, it is running just fine despite the higher prices of fuel locally. I could go out this morning and fill it up, but there is no point wasting gasoline just to fill up the car. I have driven it about 74 miles in the last 11 days, so at 10 miles a gallon or 7.5 gallons times \$3.68 at previous price it would cost me about \$28 to fill up, which I can afford to do, but since I have no other business downtown, it can wait until tomorrow or this evening when I go downtown when the station is opened. I will now replace the two AA alkaline batteries on my Logitech cordless mouse which is signaling me to have them replaced. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 7:00 A.M.: Microsoft Money Deluxe 2008 at Staples® \$40 but free after rebate. However, according to the Staples web site, you have to buy Tax Cut software to get the Microsoft \$40 rebate. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 6:30 A.M.: GM to build hybrid cars in China from 2008: Reuters Business News - MSN Money

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Of course I never had time to read my last subscription for \$3.88, but if I have time, I could always try to look at it at the Greenwich Library every couple of weeks, which is about how often I get there anymore. Of course, one can always look at www.forbes.com . CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 3:25 A.M.: As an insignificant note on my computer activity for the last 20 years, I have not earned any money off of it, but just incurred lots of expenses that I can barely afford. Since I have not earned any income, and since during the last two to three years, I have been hacked frequently, so I do not get work done frequently, it would seem obvious that I can not afford to pay taxes, so the U.S. Government officials can pursue their luxurious lifestyles, and I can not afford to give funds to liberal charities, so they can pursue their worldwide adventures in travel. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 3:00 A.M.: EarthScope: A National Earth Science Program

Spreadsheets across the Curriculum: The Physical Volcanology Collection

Microsoft Certified Professional Magazine Online Managing the Windows Network

BBC NEWS Americas US oilman jailed over UN scandal

BBC NEWS Asia-Pacific Dalai Lama steps up succession rhetoric

BBC NEWS Technology Politics stifling \$100 laptop'

My first home computer 20 years ago was a used Commodore 64 computer that I bought at the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop for \$20, and it did not do very much.

CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 1:55 A.M.: One could use the free Glenlivet society labels as a way to send out free Christmas notes. I have the information ready for my Energy Assistance application ready. I filled out the Connecticut Energy Protection form, and I mailed it in the mail room downstairs. The Connecticut Energy protection form keeps the energy company from cutting off the energy in the winter, if one can not afford to pay it, so it is important to fill out and mail. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 12:45 A.M.: The Glenlivet Society Free Gift Labels . CIO

Note: <888> 11/28/07 Wednesday 12:35 A.M.: I woke up at 4 P.M. this afternoon. Someone from www.staples.com called me up to tell me the paper would be delivered later on today. I went back to bed until 8 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a relative. I went back to bed until 11 P.M.. I went outside, and I threw out some garbage, and I picked up the mail. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. My red tie around my reading glasses broke, so I put an older spare on them. One can buy new ones at the Food Emporium. Nobody hears about the Rockefeller family anymore, so we do not even know where they are living anymore. They use to have colored torpedo bulbs on the evergreen tree at the entrance to their estate over in North Tarrytown, New York, but nobody has enough fuel to drive over there anymore to see if they still live there. They are suppose to have over 600 family houses around the world, so they could be anywhere. My best guess as they get older and richer, they are probably living in some wealthy community like Belair, California, where they would have most of their essential services available. Of course they could be living in some wealthy European city, but nobody hears much about them anymore, so I guess they became more private avoiding the high cost publicity. I have a 4:30 P.M. appointment to do my Energy assistance application this Thursday, so I have to get the paper work ready for that. I renewed the Vista Business book from the Greenwich Library to December 18, 2007. Yes, you can renew books online if you have a library card. Hopefully I will have some time to go through it. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 7:30 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. Don't take any wooden nickels. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 7:10 A.M.: I reheated the rest of the stuffing and gravy, and I ate it with a glass of iced tea. I suppose we can always eat those London Broils that

look like deer meat. They make good hamburgers, if you know how to cook them. Not much happening here on the wild frontier in North America, but I suppose we will survive another winter. At this point it looks like it might be a warmer winter coming. The warmer weather might be caused by the warmer ocean currents caused by El Nino off the coast of Peru. The biggest factor in the weather, when one lives by the ocean is the ocean currents that control the temperature of the ocean water, but when the northwest wind blows sooner or later, more than likely it will get colder here. I have not seen any Vermont license plates around yet, so I guess it is still relatively warm up in Vermont. I am just beginning to see a few Massachusetts and Rhode Island license plates around, which is a good indication that it might be getting colder up north. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 6:25 A.M.: Of course up in Buffalo, New York, you might get eaten by a wolf or a bear, which is why my friends from Buffalo are expert Marksmen, which nobody from around here seems to know. Of course a few people in America still remember Buffalo Bill Cody BUFFALO BILL, and he seemed to know how to take care of those situations in the old days. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 6:10 A.M.: I did not like Palm Beach, Florida, because it is too cold in the winter season, unless one is a Ford from Michigan, and think temperatures in the mid 30s degrees Fahrenheit are tropical. Maybe he is looking for a warm house elsewhere Nouveau Riche Palaces | BusinessWeek . I wonder what one could buy for \$125 million in Brazil, but then you would have to pay so much for security, you would probably go broke, and the gators would probably get you anyway. I think it would be cheaper to keep a small warm house up north. Since Buffalo, New York is near Niagara Falls power station, they might have cheaper electricity, but I do not know. From what I know which is not much, real estate is only worth what some person might pay for it and can afford to maintain it. Quite frankly "Rich WASPS, as in "White Anglo Saxon Protestants" do not like living in Jewish towns, so more than likely it is not worth as much as he thinks. A rich Jew could always buy a better house in Israel for the same price too. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 5:05 A.M.: Two can fly as cheaply as one on Virgin Slickdeals.net and Welcome to Virgin America two for the price of one to certain cities . CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 4:55 A.M.: I ate half of a 16 ounce jar of CVS dry roasted peanuts and two .25 inch by 1.25 inch by 1.25 inch slices of Vermont extra sharp cheddar cheese. There is a local joke amongst the French youth that O.P.E.C. stands for "L'organisation de Peophiiles et les Communistes". CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 4:00 A.M.: I chatted with a local security individual. Since when I tried installing the beta of Vista SP1 RC1 beta on the Northgate Syntax backup a couple of months ago, I installed it with the beta of Microsoft One Care which showed me that there is supposedly a Trojan virus in the Weather Pulse program which Norton Internet Security 2008 and 2007 does not show, possibly the computer problems that I have been having are caused by the Weather Pulse program, which I have on all of my computers. It is still the best free weather program that I know about. However, it comes

out of Colorado, and I know that Norton Internet Security use to show that I was being hacked out of Colorado by Level 3 communications out of Colorado. Also the long term hurricane forecasts come out of Colorado. Before I started using Weather Pulse, I used Weather Bug which came out of the Washington D.C. area which seemed to have similar problems. Thus it would seem some group in Colorado connected with Washington D.C. is using free weather information programs to hack peoples computers and cause mischief. Since my family are neighbors of Ambassador Stapleton who is from Colorado it would seem to me that the root of the problem is some sort of group out of Colorado trying to exercise influence and control without going through the proper channels of government. Since a legitimate government agency could be prosecuted for such activity, it would seem to me the group in Colorado regard themselves as beyond the U.S. Government law. Since Jimmy Ellis of Level 3 Communications once ran Offutt air force base for www.norad.mil , it would seem to be that retired military personnel are using their expertise in the civilian sector for political advancement and profit. Since New York City nearby is a communications hub of America, it would seem that there is very little reason to bother my low level efforts here in Byram, Connecticut than not many people pay any attention to. Frequently when an individual is bothered such as me, it would lead me to believe that it is a family member, whom does not like me being public on the internet, so therefore some individual within my family might have contacts with someone in Colorado, and also the local family here in Greenwich, Connecticut that also owns Gannett publications that also owns the Greenwich Time are also in resident in Colorado part of the year. As members of the traveling public whom infrequently visit here, it would seem to me, they are not really that well versed on local activity around here in town. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 3:15 A.M.: For some odd reason the Weather Pulse program was disabled on the FIC server yesterday and on the primary Vista computer today. It is easily available for download at [Tropic Designs - Download Profile: Weather Pulse](#) . Since I have a minimal security setup in my apartment, I think it is safe to assume nobody is gaining access to the apartment computers, so it would seem it is happening through the internet. If someone should be gaining access to the apartment computers, it would have to be with the cooperation of my neighbors, and as such they would be in violation of their lease with the Greenwich Housing Authority in permitting questionable activities to occur at this location. As far as I know, no one is gaining access to my apartment. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 2:40 A.M.: I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 2:10 A.M.: [BrownTrout Publishers | Calendars, Books, and Postcard books featuring fine art photography, dog breeds, lighthouses, nature and more](#) makes the two calendars that I received today. You can order them from www.calendars.com with a wider variety of calendars, but I got free shipping from www.barnesandnoble.com . I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 1:35 A.M.: For a change, I made bacon and scrambled eggs with toast the traditional way. Instead of using three paper towels underneath the bacon and two on top in the microwave on a microwave proof plate with lid, I got out the heavy

12 inch black Griswold frying pan and a splatter proof frying pan screen. I then put the Griswold frying pan on the large electric burner on the stove on medium high electric heat, and I put five strips of bacon in it, and I cooked them until down flipping them about three times on medium high and half way lowering it to medium electric burner heat. However on an electric burner the bacon tends to cook faster in the middle and it is less done and more fatty around the ends. While doing that I broke three large eggs in a mixing bowl, and I added a couple of tablespoons of milk and a few dashes of Italian spices, and I mixed it all together with a whisk. Once the bacon was done, I put it on a plate with one paper towel to drain, and I flipped the bacon over to drain on the other side. I then poured most of the bacon grease out of the frying pan into a grease jar that I keep in the refrigerator, and I added four pads of 50% less fat butter to the Griswold frying pan on medium electric burner heat, and once the butter melted, I added the egg mixture. While doing that I toasted two pieces of bread. Once the eggs were about halfway hard, I began to scramble them with a spatula, and once they were medium soft, I put them on the dinner plate with the bacon. I spread two pads of 50% less fat margarine on each slice of toast, and I cut them in half, and I put them on the dinner plate, and I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I then washed the dishes, and I left the Griswold frying pan on the stove with a splatter proof splash screen to have available for cooking. However, this method might use more electricity in terms of cost saving than what the four extra paper towels cost in the microwave method. However, one can use bacon grease to make soap or candles, once one has enough of it. CIO

Note: <888> 11/27/07 Tuesday 12:15 A.M.: I woke up at noon, when the order for Barnes & Noble.com - Books: England 2008 Calendar, by BrownTrout Publishers, Wall Calendar for \$11.69 and Barnes & Noble.com - Books: 2008 Literate Horse Deluxe Wall Calendar, by BrownTrout Publishers Inc., Wall Calendar for \$12.59 and \$1.62 tax for \$28.60 total with free shipping arrived. I then went back to bed until 4 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I checked with Staples, and the paper order will probably arrive later on today. I picked up my mail. I chatted with a relative twice. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I hung each of the three new calendars underneath the old calendars of the same type. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out downtown, and I went by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street, and then I stopped by www.cvs.com , and I picked up the store circular. I stopped by Stabucks, and I chatted with a local. I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I looked at the www.cadillac.com dealership west of the Greenwich train station. They have the 2007 version of the Escalade the most stolen car in America. I noticed the Mobil gasoline station on the corner is selling full service premium gasoline for \$3.879 a gallon. The vintage car dealership still has expensive vintage cars. I noticed a few people were watching football at the local pubs. They are putting in just to the west of Mac Duff's on Railroad Avenue a men's tie shop. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I briefed the staff on the coffee business as I know it. This is still the best deal on coffee that I now about :: NEW YORK COFFEE :: . While at the south side of the Greenwich train station, I told taxi drivers and limousine drivers that supposedly gasoline at the Mobil station in the center or White Plains, New York is suppose to be 40 cents a gallon cheaper

than Greenwich, Connecticut. I think also in Norwalk just east of www.bestbuy.com by Exit 13 on U.S. 1 next to the diner, there is an Iranian gasoline station that use to be the cheapest in Fairfield County. However, a friend that lives in Bridgeport, Connecticut told me there is a Shell station in Bridgeport, Connecticut that is cheaper. Supposedly gasoline is going up in New Jersey according to one of the limo drivers. The flag at the Greenwich Police station is flying at half mast, and they have a flag with a star on it by it. The Greenwich Time does not report on military events relevant to Connecticut at least not on their internet version. Not much happening on upper Greenwich Avenue. I returned home, and I chatted with a neighbor. One of the neighbor's relatives is using their fire place more. CIO

Note: <888> 11/26/07 Monday 7:20 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/26/07 Monday 6:40 A.M.: I did some regular computer maintenance, and then I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I will now eat the last piece of pumpkin pie with some lite cool whip. CIO

Note: <888> 11/26/07 Monday 4:20 A.M.: I finished off the turkey and rice, and I still have one serving of the stuffing and gravy left. I downloaded Vista Server 2008 SP1 RC1 11/11/07 version, and I burned it to DVD. I do not need to install it, since the earlier version was good enough for my test purposes. I posted this picture from my web cam to show me with the shorter hair cut

<http://mikelouisscott.com/mls112607.jpg>

CIO

Note: <888> 11/26/07 Monday 2:10 A.M.: I tried an ounce of the Rene Junot white wine from the chilled seltzer bottle, and it came out in a foam and settled into a nice sparkling white wine. I used a Kovocas Mesh Glass sofa siphon M90 tall [Seltzer Bottles & Chargers](#) which apparently not being manufactured anymore. However, you can still buy the round one here [Glass Seltzer Siphon 1000 ml from Kovocas- Black Mesh: Creamright Company](#) and chargers are here [Kovocas Soda Siphons - Google Search](#) . I guess one could try it with a more expensive bottle of wine. I will now eat my left over Thanksgiving meal. CIO

Note: <888> 11/26/07 Monday 1:35 A.M.: From www.wine.com , I ordered [Burgundy Waiter's Friend Corkscrew](#) for \$6.99 and \$2.95 shipping for \$9.94 less \$10 discount with coupon "GIFT10" for FREE total. CIO

Note: <888> 11/26/07 Monday 1:15 A.M.: Welcome to CyberMonday, but alas nobody I know has any money to spend. I woke up at 4 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a friend moving a horse in a horse trailer, so there are still horse people with fuel in America. I chatted with a friend still trying to sell real estate in Wilton,

Connecticut Country Living Associates Richard Van Marter, Wilton, Connecticut , but with the higher price of fuel, nobody is buying real estate way out in the country anymore, so he has not even visited here in three years other than to drop off the Buick wagon that I bought from him. I chatted with a relative. I went back to bed until 8 P.M.. I ate a piece of pumpkin pie with lite cool whip. I chatted with a relative. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I then showered, and I cleaned up. I restored the backup and made any changes on the FIC server, since it appeared to have been hacked. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. They now have put in some new lights at the cross walk at the north side of the Greenwich train station. I used the bathroom at the Thataway restaurant. I chatted with someone from Rotterdam about the King Wilkinson construction company that builds oil refineries. After my walk, I drove down on the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I then returned home. I will now eat the same left over Thanksgiving dinner. CIO

Note: <888> 11/25/07 Sunday 10:30 A.M.: Well, if you know Peter Pan, it is not too hard to get some place. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/25/07 Sunday 9:20 A.M.: I put the vertical mount on the Logitech web cam, and I mounted it behind the center monitor off the top of the mirror behind it, so it is further away from me, but gives a larger picture of the room behind it. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 11/25/07:

Note: <888> 11/25/07 Sunday 6:55 A.M.: Amateurs Unravel Russia's Last Royal Mystery - New York Times

Welcome to Ancestry.com.au

I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 11/25/07 Sunday 6:40 A.M.: I watched some television about surfing on the north shore of Maui. I think that is where Charles Lindberg retired. When I visited Maui back in August 1980, I was a bit too hot, so I checked into the Hyatt Hotel in Lahaina Maui Hotels, Kaanapali Beach Hawaii Resorts & Room Reservations-Hyatt Regency Maui Resort & Spa which had air conditioning. I was advised not to leave the hotel, since they were having problems with the Royal Hawaiians. Thus I spent my days by the pool, and I watched Hawaii 50 on television. I spent my days by the pool, and I occasionally stopped by the discothèque downstairs in the basement. There seems to be an older crowd at the hotel. I called them up 1-808-661-1234, and they told me now the least expensive rooms there are about \$500 a night, but when I stayed there back in August 1980, I recall my room was only about \$84 a night. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 11/25/07 Sunday 3:50 A.M.: I watched some television. I reheated and ate the same Thanksgiving dinner leftover meal. I chatted with a relative. I took a nap from 1 A.M. to 3 A.M.. I ate a piece of pumpkin pie with lite cool whip. I will now make up a

batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . Well, there does not seem to be much happening over here at the Bermuda Yacht Club in Greenwich, Connecticut. Back in the old days, we use to have the "Freezing Norwegian" patrol, which was a group of local volunteers whom would go out about town to make sure nobody was out freezing in the cold, but with the higher prices of fuel, people can not afford to volunteer as much. I never saw anyone outside freezing in the cold except Chris Parizo <http://mikelouisscott.com/photo/chris2000.JPG> , and he was from Jay Peak, Vermont, so he was not really that cold in the winter, since it goes down to minus 50 degrees Fahrenheit below zero in that part of Vermont. A friend of mine returned from Johnson, Vermont, and he said there was six inches of snow there. I once met Assis who was suppose to be the mayor of Ridah, Saudi Arabia. He worked at the perfume counter at Saks Fifth Avenue in Stamford, Connecticut, and he lived over in Cos Cob, where Dorothy Bush's maid and John Perkins lived by the all night restaurant over there. However, he did not tell me he was from Saudi Arabia, but he told me he was from Northern France. Somebody else later told me, he might be from Saudi Arabia. I also flew down with Bonhi Sadhir the oil minister from Saudi Arabia back in 1981, when I flew down to Washington D.C. for Ronald Reagan's inaugural. I caught a \$40 ticket on a Braniff airlines jet down there, and he was the only other passenger on the plane from J.F.K.. I still have a Saudi Arabian flag here, but I do not fly it, since it seems to scare some of the locals away. CIO

Note: <888> 11/24/07 Saturday 10:20 P.M.: I did some bottom fishing on the internet. I watched part of an English vampire movie. My kitchen horse calendar says today is a full moon Tides.INFO: Tide predictions from around the globe: Greenwich, Connecticut . Well, I suppose nothing much has changed in Greenwich, Connecticut over the years, since there are a few people whom can not be bothered with visiting Manhattan anymore, so they just enjoy a relaxed country life in the country. I wonder if we have a local Esquire in this area whom is in charge of the area. CIO

Note: <888> 11/24/07 Saturday 8:20 P.M.: I woke up at 3 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 6 P.M.. I chatted with a relative. I threw out the garbage, and I picked up the mail. I watched some television. I ate a piece of pumpkin pie with low fat cool whip topping. I made the bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. Not much going on. I do not go out for a walk on Greenwich Avenue every night anymore, since the gasoline tends to cost money to go downtown. Having walked Greenwich Avenue regularly for 24 years, I obviously know my way around, but alas since I am not paid for it, I can not always afford to travel all the way downtown to see a few rich people spending money on activities they seem to think are important. CIO

Note: <888> 11/24/07 Saturday 3:50 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer. Bon Soir. CIO

Note: <888> 11/24/07 Saturday 3:45 A.M.: Well not much happening at Mike's version of the "Mouse Palace". I watched some high definition television of an auto auction for a mint condition red Gull Wing Mercedes, and it only sold for \$695,000, so I guess unique

cars are not holding their values either. I noticed a new Red Ferrari downtown this evening, and since we have a local Ferrari dealership and a lot of rich Italians around here, they are a fairly common item. What caught my eye on the new red Ferrari is that I originally thought it was a new model Porsche. It is funny all I saw most of the time when I lived in Italy back in the winter of 1972 was mostly Fiats. My father use to drive an Alfa Romeo, but alas with a price of fuel today, not many people can afford to drive high performance automobiles. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/24/07 Saturday 1:05 A.M.: I woke up at 3 P.M. this past afternoon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I washed the breakfast dishes. I did two loads of laundry. I put clean linens on the bed. I picked up my mail. I chatted with a relative. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I watered the plants. I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl in the living room. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle with a glass of iced tea. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by CVS on Greenwich Avenue, and I bought a 12 pack of Thomas' English muffins for \$1.99. I then bought a 25 foot Philips coaxial cable for \$5.99 and .36 tax for \$6.35 total. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.26. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. After my walk, I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I then walked lower Greenwich Avenue again. With the higher price of fuel, the downtown Greenwich Avenue has been slower at night, and now that the old Greenwich Avenue Clearview movie theatre has closed, there is no longer the large number of movie patrons at that location bringing people downtown at night. I then returned home. I disconnected the old 25 foot white coaxial cable from the new gold four splitter and the bedroom Orion television, and I replaced it with new Philips 25 foot coaxial cable. I strung it threw the ceiling over the wall. I now have perfect reception on the bedroom Orion television, and all of the five televisions in the apartment. I chatted with a relative. I was wrong about my weight. Yesterday after I ate Thanksgiving dinner, and I was striped bare just about to get into the shower, I weight 202.5 pounds. It still would be nice to lose about 12 pounds, so I might try walking more at night. I will now reheat and eat the same dinner as last night. I will throw out the old APC power protector along with the box for the Fellow's glare screen. CIO

Note: <888> 11/23/07 Friday 9:40 A.M.: I reheated a bowl of stuffing, and I ate it with a glass of iced tea.

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I went through my email. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. CIO

Note: <888> 11/23/07 Friday 8:50 A.M.: After the last note, I watched a bit of television. I disconnected the four splitter from my television setup and also the 8 inch coaxial cable. I went out, and I went by Radio Shack in Cos Cob shortly before they opened at 6 A.M. for their Black Friday sale. I bought two RadioShack.com - Computers: Accessories: Speakers, mics & headsets: Gigaware® USB Stereo Headset with Microphone for \$9.99 each, a RadioShack.com - Cables, Parts & Connectors: Connectors & connectivity: A/V connectors & adapters: Crimp-On RG-59 "F" Connector (2-Pack) for \$1.49, and a RadioShack.com - Cables, Parts & Connectors: A/V cables: Standard coaxial cables: 1-Ft. Video Hookup Coax Cable (Black) for \$4.59 plus \$1.56 tax for \$27.62 total. I then returned the RadioShack.com - Home Entertainment: Accessories: Video accessories: Adapters, splitters & amplifiers: 4-Way Splitter for \$12.99 credit, and I bought the RadioShack.com - Home Entertainment: Accessories: Video accessories: Adapters, splitters & amplifiers: 4-Way Gold-Plated Bidirectional Splitter for \$20.99 less \$12.99 credit and .48 tax for \$8.48 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a neighbor. I installed the new 12 inch coaxial cable from the two splitter to the new four splitter, and I connected the four television cables to the four splitter. Now all five television systems work clear as a bell without any signal interference with very sharp pictures coming off the High Definition cable box. Hopefully, I might have some time to watch some television for entertainment in the future as I seem to be spending more time at home because of the higher price of fuel. Recently, I have only seen bits and pieces of Flipper which seems to be on all of time. I took off the headset from the FIC server, and I put it on the Toshiba laptop. I put the new USB headset on the FIC server, and it works just fine. I set the audio programs on the server to use it. I then took the Andrea Electronics headset off the Epox computer, and I changed its audio connector from a three Y splitter to a two Y splitter. I still have the Panasonic headset connected to it, and I connected the other new USB headset to the Epox computer, and plug and play recognized it in both XP and Vista SP1 beta. I set it up with their audio programs. I connected the Andrea Electronics headset to the Dell computer in the bedroom with a three Y splitter. Thus all computer in the apartment now have working headsets. CIO

Note: <888> 11/23/07 Friday 3:55 A.M.: RadioShack in Cos Cob is suppose to open at 6 A.M. today, and they have these sale ads RadioShack Weekly Ad . I guess I will go over then and exchange the four splitter for a good one and get a one foot coaxial cable, and they have this RadioShack.com - Computers: Accessories: Speakers, mics & headsets: Gigaware® USB Stereo Headset with Microphone for \$9.99 today. It is all I can afford to buy on Black Friday. www.bestbuy.com has a Toshiba laptop for \$229, but only 20 per store that opens at 5 A.M. Best Buy - Bonus Doorbusters - In Store Only, and I am sure they have already given out the tickets for the early birds waiting in line. CIO

Note: <888> 11/23/07 Friday 2:45 A.M.: I woke up at 1 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a relative and a friend. I went back to bed until 6 P.M.. I took the Philips new 24 foot coaxial cable off the FIC server, and I put a shorter good cable on it. I put WinTV2000 back on the XP partition. I put the new 24 foot Philips cable running from the four splitter to the bathroom television. It improved its

reception. Possibly the other older cable was defective. Later on the reception changed back to lines on the bathroom and the bedroom televisions. I tried turning off the Honeywell Hepa air purifier, the two tower fans, and the dolphin florescent light to see if that caused interference, but it did not make a difference. Right now both the bathroom and the bedroom televisions work fine without lines. Possibly it is the new four splitter. When I have time, I will exchange the four splitter at Radio Shack in Cos Cob, and I will also get another 1 foot coaxial cable to run from the two splitter to the four splitter. I can only trouble shoot the components one at a time, and right now they are working fine. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with two relatives. About 8 P.M. I started making Scott's Stuffing Recipe for Arnold Premium Stuffing. I also made up a package of Near East long grain and wild rice at the same time per the recipe on the box adding a tablespoon of olive oil instead of butter. I put in an inch of water in a two quart Revere pot with steamer tray and lid, and I steamed 1.5 cups of asparagus that I cut the dry stalks off of and cut into 1.5 inch slices on a diagonal along with baby carrots and broccoli crowns. I steamed them for 15 minutes over medium high electric burner heat, and I put them in a bowl with a little bit of olive oil. I also opened two 12 ounce jars of Heinz Home-style turkey gravy, and I added 1/2 of a 10 ounce box of mushrooms that I sliced into 1/8th inch thick slices, and I simmer it over medium to low electric heat while doing the other cooking. I cut two 3/8 inch thick slices of the Boars Head baked turkey breast, and I put them on a microwave proof plate with lid, and at the end of the other cooking cycles, I microwaved the turkey for 90 seconds. I put the Heinz turkey and mushroom low fat gravy on the turkey along with a 1/3rd of the Near East rice mixture and a about 2 cups of the stuffing on a dinner plate. I also put one third of a cold 16 ounce can of Ocean Spray cranberry sauce in a bowl. I refrigerated the leftovers in Rubbermaid containers. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea.

Pictures of the Thanksgiving Dinner <http://mikelouisscott.com/tg2007/> . The time is one hour ahead, because the Nikon digital camera is still on daylight savings time.

I washed the pots and dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I threw out the garbage, and I checked the Buick wagon oil, and it is topped up to the high marker. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. The only night spots opened was the Railroad Avenue movie theatre and the MacDuff's pub. Also the Gingerman restaurant was opened on upper Greenwich Avenue. After my walk, I drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and then I returned home. On the Epox and Northgate Syntax computers, I reactivated the beta installations of Vista SP1, so they are good until December 23, 2007, when I can reactivate them again. I installed updates on them. I will now eat a piece of pumpkin pie with low fat Cool Whip topping.
CIO

Note: <888> 11/22/07 Thursday 3:40 A.M.: Tracking is UPS: Tracking Information on the order for Barnes & Noble.com - Books: England 2008 Calendar, by BrownTrout Publishers, Wall Calendar for \$11.69 and Barnes & Noble.com - Books: 2008 Literate Horse Deluxe Wall Calendar, by BrownTrout Publishers Inc., Wall Calendar for \$12.59 and \$1.62 tax for \$28.60 total with free shipping.

Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation & Library Sale

BBC NEWS | Americas | New York hunger levels 'rising'

BBC NEWS | Technology | UK broadband use reaches new high

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Note: <888> 11/22/07 Thursday 3:05 A.M.: I rearranged the splitters off the high definition cablevision box. From the out plug, I first put the new 12 inch cable, and then the gold two splitter. I ran one cable from it to the Daewoo DVD/VCR which is then connected to the Sony television. I ran a heavy eight inch cable from the two splitter to the gold four splitter, and I have the other four televisions connected to from the four splitter. They all seem to have sharp reception, and each play the channel on the HDTV cable box. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/22/07 Thursday 12:45 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by RadioShack in Cos Cob, and I bought a RadioShack.com - Home Entertainment: Accessories: Video accessories: Adapters, splitters & amplifiers: 2-Way Gold-Plated Bidirectional Splitter for \$10.99 and a RadioShack.com - Cables, Parts & Connectors: A/V cables: Standard coaxial cables: 1-Ft. Video Hookup Coax Cable (Black) for \$4.59 and .93 tax for \$16.51 total. When I got in my car, the Check Oil light came on, so I checked it, and I put a quart of Castrol 10W40 oil in the engine, and the Check Oil light went out. I have a very slow oil leak on the car, where it drips a few drops, so next time I have the oil changed, I will have the slow leak checked. I see a few drops on the ground where I regularly park it here, but since it does not rain too much here anymore, it is hard to tell how much is dripping or what is causing it. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I used the bathroom at Starbucks before and after my walk. I chatted with a regular walker about the price of tea in China. I also chatted on the AT&T wireless telephone with a relative. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought two 8 ounce containers of Kraft Cook Whip Lite for \$1 each for \$2 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a relative. I put the new 1 foot coaxial cable running off the cable box out to the four splitter. I move the eight inch cable that was there from the #4 connector on the four splitter to the new two splitter. I connected the two cables to the bedroom and bathroom televisions to the two splitter, and now the bedroom and the bathroom televisions do not have irritating rippling lines, but clear pictures. It put the cable from the #3 connector on the four splitter to the cable leading to the HDTV on the Vista computer, and it seems to work fine. It seems like when running a two splitter from a four splitter, it works best off the fourth connector post of the four splitter. All five televisions seem to work just fine, if I ever have any time to watch television. I am currently 210 pounds up from 190 pound this past September 2007, so I have to get out and start walking more to lose weight once again. The Stop and Shop will be opened from 7 A.M. to 3 P.M. today. CIO

Note: <888> 11/21/07 Wednesday 7:35 P.M.: I ate the same dinner as last night, but I made the eggs into an omelet. I will now go back out. CIO

Note: <888> 11/21/07 Wednesday 6:35 P.M.: I did not go to bed until 3 A.M. this morning. I watched some television. I ate some peanuts. The bedroom and bathroom televisions had some interference lines in the cable reception, so I put another two splitter coming off the four splitter by the Sony television, which seems to have improved the reception. I also took the two splitter off at the Orion bedroom television, so the cable from the living room leads directly into the JCV VCR leading into the Orion television. It seems to have improved the television reception on both the bedroom and the bathroom televisions. I woke up at noon today. I ordered with Free delivery from Staples.com® | Spotlight the heavy box of 5000 sheets of HammerMill paper HammerMill® CopyPlus Copy Paper, 8 1/2" x 11", Case at Staples® for \$28.99 and \$1.74 tax for \$30.73 total. The paper is suppose to be delivered this coming Monday. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I threw out the garbage, and I picked my mail. The order for this almost free promo xpdig.com- Great Cleaners: Kaboom NeverScrub toilet cleaning system + Cameo stainless steel cleaner + Brillo pads \$1.5 shipped , and for the item that I paid for, I ordered the 10 pack of Brillo lemon soap pads for \$2.25, and the other three items and the shipping were free, so the total was \$2.25 arrived. I then went downtown, and I walked lower Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I then went by the Porricelli's Food Mart in Cos Cob, and I bought a Boarshead cooked boneless turkey breast for \$6.99 a pound for \$11.48, two 12 ounce Heinz home-style turkey gravy for \$1 each, two 16 ounce Ocean Spray whole cranberry sauce for .79 each, a two pound bag of onions for \$2.34, fresh asparagus at \$1.99 a pound for \$2.94, and a 6.3 ounce box of Near East long grain and wild rice for \$2.59 for \$22.87 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a neighbor, and I put away my purchases. I opened up a cold four year old 1.5 liter bottle of Rene Junot white wine, and I put half of it up to the red line in the new seltzer bottle, and I sealed it, and I added the seltzer cartridge, so I will have .75 liters of sparkling French white wine in a day. I put the seltzer bottle with the French white wine on the inside of the refrigerator door. I will use the rest for cooking. CIO

Note: <888> 11/20/07 Tuesday 10:45 P.M.: I ate the last piece of pumpkin pie. I watched some television. Apparently Henry Kissinger use to make the Rockefeller foreign policy, and I have seen him around this building, so perhaps he or some of his minions are up to mischief. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/20/07 Tuesday 8:55 P.M.: For the last two days, my Outlook 2007 email program has gobbled up my email and lost it when it crashed. I can not figure out what is causing that, but also the usual pattern of the last 15 years of the Holiday hacker returning with the same old tricks of system crashes has returned. The pattern usually happens during the Thanksgiving holiday, the Christmas holiday, the Easter holiday, and the beginning of summer vacation. I do not think it would be a student returning from school over 15 years, but it could be a teacher taking time off from regular school activity. I chatted with two security organizations and a friend, and I also left messages with friends and family. I mentioned that www.ibm.com once made meat scales before they got into the

computer business, so possibly some wealthy rancher like Winthrop Rockefeller bought IBM for its meat scale business and now controls IBM's worldwide computer operations. I know from local reading that the local Watson family at the most controlled two or three percent of the entire company, so someone else must control the Lion's share of the company. I broke three large eggs in a metal mixing bowl, and I added a few tablespoons of milk and a bit of Italian seasoning. I mixed it all together with a whisk. I put three paper towels on a microwave proof dinner plate with five strips of bacon spread on them and two more paper towels on top of the bacon and a microwave cover on top of the plate, and I put it in the microwave oven, and I set it to 4.5 minutes. I put two slices of dark German bread in the toaster. I then put a few tablespoons of olive oil and a few pads of a 50% less fat butter in a regular stick proof frying pan, and I brought the fat to a bubble over medium high electric burner heat. I then started the toaster and microwave oven, and I put the egg mixture in the frying pan. Once the eggs were about 2/3rd hardened, I mixed them together into soft scrambled eggs, and I put three 1.5 inch by 1.5 inch by .25 inch slices of Vermont extra sharp cheddar cheese on them, and I added three 2.5 inch by .5 inch by .25 inch slices of Philadelphia 50% less fat cream cheese on the scrambled eggs, and I put the bacon and toast on the plate, and I spread a couple pads of 50% less fat butter on the toast, and I cut it in half. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. Once again I have a lot of intestinal gas from something in other words fart gas. All I can figure out is that since my diet has not changed much is that with the recent drought in the New York area, the Greenwich, Connecticut reservoir water which is down to a 27% level might have become less pure and more polluted causing the individuals that drink it to get more intestinal gas. I did see one of the Rockefellers buying four cases of bottled water at the Food Emporium two weeks ago. However, it could be possibly caused by the Dole pineapple juice that I am using in my breakfast juice mixture. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 11/20/07 Tuesday 5:50 P.M.: I ate about a half cup of peanuts.

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CIO

Note: <888> 11/20/07 Tuesday 4:30 P.M.: I woke up while asleep, and I ate about a third of a cup of dry roasted peanuts. I finally woke up at 11 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I chatted with neighbors. It was brought to my attention that Chris Dodd's father was part of the Nuremburg trials, so possibly some of our German neighbors are unfriendly towards Connecticut residents. I went to my 3 P.M. appointment. I then returned home. I picked up the mail. I will now do some regular computer work. CIO

Note: <888> 11/20/07 Tuesday 1:00 A.M.: I chatted with a relative. I will now go through my email.

If he is Scottish, he should give money to the Presbyterian Church Will Trump Be Trumped In Scotland? - Forbes.com and a few other Scottish charities .

http://www.forbes.com/2007/11/16/hotels-world-luxe-forbeslife-cx_lm_1116hotels_land.html?partner=daily_newsletter

<http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0,2704,2218335,00.asp>

10 Best Black Friday Sites

GOP.com | Republican National Committee :: GOP Store - Product Details

Chinese Dam Projects Criticized for Their Human Costs - New York Times

I ate a piece of pumpkin pie. I went to bed about 1 A.M..

CIO

Note: <888> 11/19/07 Monday 7:50 P.M.: I woke up at 11 A.M. today. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I drove from exit 2 to exit 5 on I-95 east to put some highway miles on the Buick wagon to clean out the engine a little bit at higher speed. I then went to the www.thehaircutplace.com , and I got my hair cut short for \$22 and \$5 tip for \$27 total. I then walked over to the Old Greenwich Rummage Room, and I bought a seltzer bottle for \$2 and .12 tax for \$2.12. They have all of their Christmas items on display. The seltzer bottle is missing its CO2 cartridge holder, but I have spare ones with my other seltzer bottles. I also have CO2 cartridges, and one use to be able to buy them at the Greenwich Hardware store. I do not know if they are still available there or not. I then went out to Tod's Point, and I parked at the southwest picnic area, and I sat out at the southwest picnic area for a while enjoying the grey cloudy view of Manhattan and Long Island. I chatted with two women from England and a father and son from Missouri. I then drove over to the southeast concession area, and the concession stand is still opened, and I chatted with the concession stand operator, and I used the bathroom. I then went by Staples, and I bought a 2008 Horses calendar by MeadWestvaco www.mead.com Office Products for \$9.99 and .60 tax for \$10.59 total. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop, and I toured the store, and I chatted with staff. I then went downtown, and I walked lower Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I went by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a Aces High scratch card for a dollar, but I lost. I chatted with a local about the price of tea in China. I then returned to my car, and I returned home. I then took a shower to wash off the cut hair off of my head. Last July 2008, when I got my hair cut, I looked a little bit like Mark Furman, but now that it is even shorter and combed back, I look a bit like Arnold Schwarzenegger, but not as in as good of shape. Lots of people look the same, but only the www.fbi.gov can tell for sure. I will now make and eat the same meal as last night. CIO

Note: <888> 11/19/07 Monday 2:50 A.M.: BBC NEWS | UK | Queen releases 60 wedding facts . CIO

Note: <888> 11/19/07 Monday 2:45 A.M.: I watched some television. I ate a piece of pumpkin pie. I am a bit tired and worn out from the colder weather, so I will now go to bed. It was suppose to rain yesterday, but it did not. We are potentially in a drought situation. Maybe we are in Greenwich, Mongolia instead of Greenwich, Connecticut who knows. I have to watch my spending, because I have bills to pay at the first of the month. Walking downtown for hours at a time in the cold weather tends to wear one out a bit, particularly at my age of 57 years. Lots of people go out in the cold weather hopping between a car and some other warmer destination, but when one is actually outside for a while in cold weather, day after day, week after week, you get use to it, but one also tends to need a bit more rest than when one is warm and comfortable inside all of the time. One also tends to need a bit more food, since when one is outside in cold weather, one's body tends to burn a lot more calories, than when one is inside in a warmer house. Since the price of many essential items has gone way up in price recently, although my personal income has remained the same, I am more restricted than ever in my regular activity. Who knows I could make like a bear and hibernate all winter. Stay warm and enjoy the morning. CIO

Note: <888> 11/18/07 Sunday 11:55 P.M.: Before going to bed about 6 A.M. this morning, I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I woke up at 4 P.M. this afternoon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with two relatives. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I chatted with a neighbor and a neighbor's relative. As I was driving out the driveway, I noticed at the apartment complex across the street somebody had thrown a vase and an urn out in the street, and I got out of my car, and I picked them up out of the street, and I put them on the side of the parking area. I then went downtown to CVS, and I bought two 16 ounce lightly salted CVS dry roasted peanuts for \$1.99 each jar, buy one get one free of 2.6 ounce Right Guard Xtreme Arctic Refresh invisible solid anti-perspirant deodorant for \$3.69 both, a 100 capsule Life Fitness flush free niacin for \$8.99 and at buy one get one free prices a 100 capsule Life Fitness 100 softgels odorless 1000 mg. garlic worth \$6.99 for free, and .22 tax for \$16.88 total. I then drove downtown a bit further, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by CVS again, and I bought a Benflnt Salone Professional Style Hair Clippers for \$5.99. I completed my walk, and I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I then walked lower Greenwich Avenue and the train station area again, and I stopped by MacDuff's and I chatted briefly with somebody from England that was drinking Guinness beer and Bailey's Irish Crème. I then returned back to my car. I then returned home. I put away my purchases. Today is Queen Elizabeth II's and Prince Philips' Diamond 60th wedding anniversary Welcome to the official web site of the British Monarchy . I will now make my regular sautéed burger with onions and cheese meal with stream broccoli crowns and baby carrots and flavored rice, which I will eat with a glass of iced tea. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 11/18/07:

Note: <888> 11/18/07 Sunday 4:35 A.M.: Geeks.com - New Arrivals for the week of 17.NOV.07 \$1.99 shipping on \$50

Amazon.com: Volcanic Hazard Atlas of the Lesser Antilles: Books: University Of The West Indies

I ordered Barnes & Noble.com - Books: England 2008 Calendar, by BrownTrout Publishers, Wall Calendar for \$11.69 and Barnes & Noble.com - Books: 2008 Literate Horse Deluxe Wall Calendar, by BrownTrout Publishers Inc., Wall Calendar for \$12.59 and \$1.62 tax for \$28.60 total with free shipping.

BBC NEWS | Technology | Colossus loses code-cracking race

BBC NEWS | Entertainment | Beatles online soon says Sir Paul

I will now send out my weekly notes. I will then do some computer maintenance. After that I will shut it down and go to bed. CIO

CIO

Note: <888> 11/18/07 Sunday 2:50 A.M.: I woke up at 9 A.M. this past morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 2 P.M.. I ate a piece of pumpkin pie. I went outside, and I chatted with a neighbor. I walked around the building, and I picked up my mail. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I put the artificial Christmas wreath with ornaments on my front door. I put out the small artificial Christmas tree on a small teak stand on the wicker breakfast tray on the living room window ledge. I moved the items from the breakfast tray. I put the brass statue of two horses on the Northgate Syntax monitor. I put the light blue round Swedish globe on top of the bookcase speaker above the Sony television. I moved the pictures of British Royalty on top of the Minolta laser printer to the right of the server, and I moved a family picture to the far right of the window shelf. I plugged in the lights on the Christmas tree to the Kensington control panel that controls the other lights, so they come on with the apartment light switch at the door. I moved the four white and gold butter plates to the front of the breakfast tray with one of the two pineapple and one of the two nutcracker butter knives on each stack of two butter plates. I have thus set up my Christmas decorations. I then showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the Greenwich Automotive Exxon service station, and I put 35 PSI rear and 30 PSI front of air in the tires. I filled up the gasoline tank with \$19 of premium self service gasoline at \$3.699 a gallon for 5.137 gallons for 50.7 miles driving this past week at 9.87 miles per gallon driving mostly in heavier local traffic with current odometer reading at 115,604.3 miles. I then cleaned the windows on the outside. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. The Greenwich taxi cabs are using the

north side of the station, since the south side of the train station is being repaved. I used the bathroom at the Senior and the Arts center. I stopped by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank. I stopped by CVS, and I bought two 1 gallon containers of Splash windshield cleaner for \$1.49 each plus .18 tax for \$3.16 total. I then finished my walk, and I put one jug in the rear driver's side compartment, and the other jug in the rear driver's side against the tail gate. If one were going further north into colder areas, one would add the concentrate antifreeze windshield washer to the gallon container, so it would not freeze in sub zero Fahrenheit temperatures. People do go north of here in the winter for such activities as skiing in the mountains if they ever get snow. I then went to Zen stationary, and I bought for a dollar Barbeque Bucks scratch card, but I lost. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a 34 ounce frozen Mrs. Smith's Cherry pie for \$2 and a frozen 34 ounce Mrs. Smith Pumpkin pie for \$2, three 14.5 ounce cans of College Inn chicken broth for \$2 all, two Granny Smith apples for \$1.49 a pound for \$1.48, Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.45, two bulbs of garlic at \$2.99 a pound for .90, a 10 ounce box of mushrooms for \$1.99, and a red pepper at \$2.49 a pound for \$1.82 for \$13.64 total. I put my purchases in the car, and then I went back, and I bought a loaf of Arnold Dark German bread for \$2.50. I then returned home. I put away my purchases. I made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/pbf.htm>, and I ate it with a glass of iced tea and a piece of pumpkin pie. I then chatted with an out of town security official about the drought conditions in this area. CIO

Note: <888> 11/17/07 Saturday 2:30 A.M.: I watched some television. I will now go to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 11/17/07 Saturday 12:55 A.M.: I ate the last of the same meal as the last three nights. I watered the plants. I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl in the living room. I threw out the garbage, and the old periodical literature. I mailed the newspaper article copies in the mail room downstairs. Instead of mixing my five mixture juice in the morning, I mixed it up in a 64 ounce juice container to have available for breakfast or whenever. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 11/16/07 Friday 10:20 P.M.: I chatted with a relative at 9 A.M.. I woke up at 11:30 A.M., when the building custodian delivered two packages from the mail. The order for two Strong Arm Liftgate Window Lift Supports for \$24.99 each LIFT SUPPORTS - GAS-CHARGED REPLACEMENTS - JCWhitney Replacement auto parts Parts less 15% discount of \$7.50 with promo code "BESHKX7" plus \$8.99 standard shipping for \$51.47 total arrived, and the Trail Model Soft-Shell Jacket: Jackets at L.L.Bean for \$29.95 in extra large in colonial red with free 5 to 7 day shipping for \$29.95 total arrived. I hung the new red jacket in the right living room closet. It can be worn on rainy or damp days, since it is waterproof, or it could be worn on a colder day as an inner shell. I installed the two window lift supports on the rear window on the Buick wagon. They remove and reattach by removing the small circular clamps on each end with a small screw driver. Thus the rear window opens and closes properly now. I left the old supports in the rear cargo area. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I showered, and I cleaned

up. Earlier I picked up the mail. I used a bottle brush to clean out the film from the upper toilet tank, and then I put in a new blue toilet tablet. I went out, and I went by the George Weston Bakeries by the Arnold Bread outlet, and I bought two six packs of New York Everything bagels for \$1.79 a six pack, a 21 ounce Entenmann's pumpkin pie for \$2.25, a 14 ounce bag of Arnold Premium herbal stuffing for \$2.79 for \$8.62 total. I then went by Gateway Auto Supply, and I bought two quarts of Cartrol 10W40 oil for \$3 each and .36 tax for \$6.36 total. I put them in the driver's side rear storage compartment where the spare antifreeze is. I then went out to Grass Island, and I walked around the park out there. I noticed that a former neighbor's boat is still in the water, and it has not been taken in for the winter. I then went down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I enjoyed the clear cold view of Long Island sound over to Long Island. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I used the bathroom at the Senior Center before and after. During my walk, I stopped by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank, and I stopped by CVS, and I picked up a prescription. I next went by the Greenwich Library, and I made five copies of a newspaper article for 50 cents total. I chatted with the Library Security Guard about natural wildlife I have run into in America in my explorations. I then returned home. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 11/16/07 Friday 5:20 A.M.: I downloaded Vista SP1 RC1 full install and upgrade, and I burned them to DVD. However, you can not install them over the earlier version of Vista SP1, and I do not think at this time it is necessary to reconfigure my beta machines, so I will keep them for archival purposes. I watched a bit of television. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/16/07 Friday 1:55 A.M.: jackdaniels.com is probably the last thing we still export in America that anyone wants overseas. This morning before going to bed, I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I just ate another bowl, and I finished off the box. CIO

Note: <888> 11/16/07 Friday 1:30 A.M.: After dinner, I relaxed a bit. I went downstairs, and I picked up my mail.

The Vista Death Watch - Columns by PC Magazine

\$200 Ubuntu Linux PC Now Available at Wal-Mart | Gadget Lab from Wired.com

Everex TC2502 Green gPC w/ Via C7-D Processor - Wal-Mart \$200

» Microsoft releases details on Vista activation | Ed Bott's Microsoft Report | ZDNet.com

» Vista SP1: Release Candidate test build goes to 15,000 testers | All about Microsoft | ZDNet.com

» Vista mistakes Microsoft won't repeat with Windows 7 | All about Microsoft | ZDNet.com

FREE SHIPPING* on Loaded Athlon 64 System w/Vista @ Geeks.com! \$260

I went through my email.

Doesn't seem fair Vintage Whiskey May Be Poured Out - News Story - WSMV Nashville

ABC News: Historic Whiskey Could Go Down Drain

It is my considered legal opinion that they could legally sold at A.H. Reese's Duty free liquor in St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands, which is a U.S. territory, and which is allowed to sell Duty Free liquor and various foreign export brands. CIO

Note: <888> 11/15/07 Thursday 8:05 P.M.: I woke up at noon today. I chatted with a relative. A relative of my relative's died in Greenwich this past Tuesday. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I dropped off the package for UPS to return the two analog cable boxes. I then went by CVS, and I returned the faulty Philips 25 foot coaxial cable for a \$6.15 refund. I then went to my usual 3 P.M. appointment. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a Holiday Doubler scratch card for a dollar, but I lost. I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I chatted with a computer person there. I stopped by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank. I stopped by CVS, and I bought two 80 ounce Cheer detergent with color guard for \$3.99 each, two CVS sensitive skin shaving gel for \$2.29 each, and a 12 pack of CVS disposable twin blades for \$4.99 and a second package for \$2.49 and \$1.20 tax for \$21.24 total. I also got \$2 cash back with a coupon. I also filled out a coupon form with my email address, and they will email me a \$4 off coupon. I finished my walk, and I returned home. I brought up my purchases. I put them away. I will now reheat and eat half of the remaining vermicelli and goulash sauce meal from last night, which I will put some grated parmesan cheese on with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 11/15/07 Thursday 5:45 A.M.: I woke up yesterday at 9 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 3 P.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative. I surfed the internet. I went outside, and I threw out the garbage, and I chatted with a neighbor. I put about three tablespoons of olive oil in a stick proof frying pan along with three pads of 50% less fat butter, and I peeled and diced a medium large onion, and I turned on the electric burner heat to medium high, and once the fat began to bubble, and I added the onions, and two eight ounce London Broil hamburgers that I chopped into small half inch cubic pieces, and I added the beef to the frying pan, and I seasoned it with Italian seasoning, ground black pepper, and garlic powder. I then lightly browned the meat and blanched the onions, once they were ready, I put it all in a three quart pot, and I added a 26 ounce jar of Franceso Rinaldi tomato sauce, and I set the pot on medium high electric burner heat, and I then used the Cuisine Art slice blade to slice about 3/4th of a pound of baby carrots that I added

and I used the chopping blade to chop about a half pound of broccoli crowns, and I added them, and I mixed them together. I then used the shredding blade to shred about a eighth of a pound of New York Extra sharp cheddar cheese that I added, and I added slices of 4 ounces of Philadelphia 1/3 less fat cream cheese, and I also added about a fourth of a cup of Kikkoman soy sauce and seasoned it all with a half dozen dashes of Frank's hot sauce, Italian seasoning, ground black pepper, garlic powder, and Red Cayenne pepper. I mixed it all together, and once it was bubbling I covered it, and simmered it on low electric burner heat for about 20 minutes. At the same time, I put three quarts of water in a five quart pot, and I added a teaspoon of olive oil and a few dashes of sea salt, and I brought it to a boil, and I added a 16 ounce box of Ronzoni vermicelli, and I boiled it for 8 minutes. I then used a colander to drain the vermicelli, and I put one third on a dinner plate, and I put the other two thirds in a flat Rubbermaid container, and I put one third of the sauce on the noodles, and I put the other two thirds in a Rubbermaid container. I put a few grated tablespoons of parmesan cheese on the meal, and I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I cleaned up the kitchen. I chatted with a relative. I made up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . I then showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by CVS on Greenwich Avenue. I then went by Radio Shack in Cos Cob, and I bought a two pack of Heavy Duty F connectors for coaxial cable for \$1.49 RadioShack.com - Cables, Parts & Connectors: Connectors & connectivity: A/V connectors & adapters: Crimp-On RG-59 "F" Connector (2-Pack) and .09 tax for \$1.58 total. I then bought a Gold Series 15-1235 75-ohm Coax 4-way splitter/combiner for \$12.99 RadioShack.com - Home Entertainment: Accessories: Video accessories: Adapters, splitters & amplifiers: 4-Way Splitter and .78 tax for \$13.77 total. I then went back by CVS on Greenwich Avenue, and I bought a 25 foot Philips coaxial cable for \$5.99 and .36 tax for \$6.35 total. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I walked up Arch street for a change on my way up and across Grigg street and back up the Avenue. I sat out for a while. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. They have a new manager from Cuba. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. I then returned home. I then removed the two analog Cablevision boxes from the Sony television and the Orion bedroom television. I moved the Cablevision High Definition Digital box to on top of the Sony television in the living room. I removed a defective 25 foot Philips cable that ran from the wall to the cable box, and I replaced it with a 10 foot cable that I took off the high definition setup on the computer. I then used a three foot cable in its place. I use a short piece of good coaxial cable to connect the four splitter to the cable box, and I connected to it with another cable to a two splitter the bathroom and the Orion television in the bathroom. I connected the Sony and the kitchen television to the four splitter. I ran the new Philips 25 foot cable to the switch box for the HDTV setup on the computer. All five televisions work clear as a bell of the High Definition cable box with all channels available, so they have more channels available, but they will always be the same on all of the televisions. I packaged up the two cable boxes and the remotes in a box with a free UPS mailing sticker to return them. Once Cablevision receives them, I will have two less \$6 charges on my bill each month. When I chatted with Cablevision, they told me the rates will be going up in December. I took about six hours to all of that and test the cables and getting them all to work right. I put the tea in the refrigerator to chill. I was outbid for the

dime bank, so I won't be buying it. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I will be up at noon for my 3 P.M. appointment. CIO

Note: <888> 11/14/07 Wednesday 1:50 A.M.: I called up Microsoft to let them know that their anti piracy telephone number 1-800-RU-LEGIT does not work.

BBC NEWS | Europe | Danish centre-right wins election

BBC NEWS | Entertainment | Royals attend King Tut exhibition

Today Wednesday, November 14, is Prince Charles' 59th birthday Charles, Prince of Wales - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia and The Prince of Wales . Happy Birthday Prince Charles.

I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed.

I am beginning to feel again like I have more gas than Saudi Arabia. With all of the people that eat beans in the world, you would think that www.monsanto.com could come up with a type of bean that does not produce intestinal gas. Of course Prince Charles is against genetically modified food, for what its worth. I am off to Never Never Land. CIO

Note: <888> 11/14/07 Wednesday 12:05 A.M.: SwissEduc: Stromboli Online - Stromboli photos

Saudi King Keeps British Relations Well-Oiled - Forbes.com

Microsoft TS2 Event Jersey City, December 4, 2007

Microsoft Genuine Software Initiative Home Page

» More signs of a new Vista SP1 build waiting in the wings | All about Microsoft | ZDNet.com

CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 10:35 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I will go through my email soon. This is the television that I bought used for \$40 today 13" to 20" Direct View TV - C-13110 and JVC | Canada | Archived Products C-13110 and Amazon.com: JVC C13110 13" TV: Electronics and Compare Prices and Read Reviews on JVC C-13110 13" TV at Epinions.com. It says it was manufactured January 2000, but it could have been sold a year or two later. It seems the JVC line of products www.jvc.com is a more expensive line of electronics. According to this old advertisement link JVC C13110 13" TV , it sold new for \$229.95, so I would say it is probably a pretty good television. I could probably improved the reception better with a better short cable of the cable box and a better splitters, but it seems to work fine for now. I am just using an inexpensive CVS 25 foot

coaxial cable on it. Yes it came with the remote control, but I change the channels with the living room cable box, so I get more channels. Need to go through my email now. CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 8:20 P.M.: I chatted with a relative twice. I made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/pbf.htm> , and I ate it with a glass of iced tea. I used a new white General Electric UL approved 15 foot extension cord that I had, and I ran it from the bathroom extension cord by the sink to over the doorway and down the wall to the small table with the bumble bee lamp on it that I use for a night light, and I plugged the lamp into it. That way the power cord to it does not run underneath a rug. In my apartment, there are no power cords running underneath rugs, which I would consider a fire hazard particularly if they are older power cords. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 6:15 P.M.: I went out after the last message. I went downtown, and I went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by the Senior and the Arts center, and I found a free parking place in front, so I sat outside for a while. I then walked over to the Merry Go Round Mews thrift shop, and I bought a year 2000 JVC 12 inch color television with remote control for \$40. I then went back to the Senior and the Arts center, and I picked up my car, and I went back by the Merry Go Round Mews thrift shop, and I picked up the JVC television. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street again. I then returned home, and I brought up the television. I moved the bumble lamp from the bathroom bookcase, and I put it on the telephone table by the toilet. I usually keep that light on all of the time like a night light. I put the JVC television on the bookcase to the left as one enters the bathroom. I connected its power to the extension cord at the base of the bookcase. I then disconnected the 25 foot coaxial cable from the Northgate Syntax computer connected to the splitter on the floor at the far end of the sofa. I also disconnected the two splitter at that location. I put in another two splitter, and I ran a shorter cable from it to the Northgate Syntax computer. It may or may not work on the Northgate Syntax computer, since half of its clamps are missing, but I can get another cable for it later. I took a short six inch coaxial cable, and I refitted its fitting so it is tighter and more secure, and I used it to connect the two splitter to the other two splitter coming off the Sony television Cablevision digital television box, and I connected the 25 foot coaxial cable from the two splitter, and I strung it along the far wall into the bathroom, and I connected it up the JVC television. I set the setting on the JVC television, and I have it tuned to channel 3, so whatever channel the living room television cable box is playing it will also play on the bathroom and the kitchen televisions. The reception is perfect on the JVC television, so now one can watch television from the potty in the bathroom. The bathroom does not have windows, so nobody would know anyone was in the apartment watching television if you get my drift. I will leave the living room cable box turned on, so the three TVs will work, when the living room Sony television is turned off. I usually have my Cable Boxes set to the default www.foxnews.com channel 67. I thus have four regular televisions in the apartment plus the high definition television setup on the Vista computer, plus all four computers in the living room have TV cards, so by my count that makes 9 television setups. Thus I do have a news room or multimedia setup along with all of my other office equipment. I find that with the higher price of fuel, I am spending more time

at home, so I am actually watching a bit more television than usual. What else can one do for \$2 to \$3 a day? I went outside, and I chatted with a neighbor. CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 12:15 P.M.: I went out, and I chatted with some neighbors. I picked up my mail. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I will now go back downtown on an errand. CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 11:15 A.M.: I went out after the last note, but I did not walk in the rain. I stopped by the Food Emporium, and I bought four 8 ounce 1/3rd less fat Philadelphia cream cheese for \$1 each, two 40 ounce boxes of Salada green tea for \$2.50 each box, a half gallon of Florida Natural orange juice with calcium for \$3, and six 9 ounce frozen Green Giant vegetables for \$1 each, two spinach, two broccoli, one peas, and one broccoli and carrots, and a six 9 ounce frozen Green Giant teriyaki vegetables for \$1.29 for \$19.72 total. I then went by CVS, and I bought three 12 mega roll packages of Scott toilet paper for \$6.49 a 12 pack and \$1.17 tax for \$20.64 total. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went down to the center of town, and it was too late in the morning to walk, since I would have had to pay to park. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop, and I chatted with a young Greek fellow from Norwalk. He told me CompUSA is not there anymore. I looked at the used televisions, and they have some there for \$10. I could use a smaller one which I could put in the bathroom. My relative in Kennebunkport, Maine has a small Sharp television in the basement that is not being used, so I might bring it down next time I go up there in the coming spring. I would use it in the bathroom, but I never used the other one in the bathroom before, so I do not really need it, since I do not sit on the throne for long periods or times, and I do not take baths only showers. I then returned home. I brought up my purchases. I reported to a local security organization that the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop has a 5 foot by 3 foot slightly used nylon U.S.A. flag for sale for \$10 in case they feel like replacing the one at the veterans monument across the street from the senior and the arts center. CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 7:25 A.M.: I showered, and I cleaned up earlier. I will now put on some rainy weather clothes, and I will go out for a morning walk. CIO

Note: <888> 11/13/07 Tuesday 7:05 A.M.: I woke up at 9 A.M. yesterday. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I surfed the internet a bit. I watched television a good part of the day. I went outside, and I put a half quart of Castrol 10W40 motor oil in the Buick wagon filling it up. I chatted with a neighbor. I took a nap in the Ethan Allen recliner. I watched some television. During the day, I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I watched some television. I went to bed at 6 P.M.. I woke up at 3 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, two 10 ounce glasses of orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I put clean linens on the bed. I did two loads of laundry. I will now do some regular internet work. I did not work on the computer yesterday, since it was the Veterans Day holiday, I relaxed. I

feel better today after a bit of a rest. If I win the tin dime bank, I could stick a dime in it every time I have a cigarette, but I don't think I have that much extra money. The Queen Mary II was in Manhattan last Saturday, and it will be back next Tuesday QM2 - Itinerary - 2007 . I noticed when I took my walk this past Sunday, that MacDuff's the pub across the street from the Greenwich movie theatre on Railroad Avenue was advertising bottles of beer for \$3 and a tray of nacho chips for \$7, but that might have just been a promotion for the Sunday football crowd. I know Sarah Ferguson Sarah, Duchess of York - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia had dinner there, when they first opened a year ago, so possibly they might have British Pub fare. Alas, with the price of fish in America anymore, it is hard to find "Fish and Chips" like the good old days when Arthur Treacher's Fish and Chips Welcome to Arthur Treachers, Pudgies Famous Chicken was only about 15 blocks north of the British Consulate on Third Avenue in Manhattan just north of the Sign of the Dove restaurant, and everyone in <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> 's group of friends called Third Avenue, "Queen's Boulevard" because of the large group of shoppers around Bloomingdale's Shop Bloomingdales.com department store. Believe it or not according to the Old History of Manhattan, one of the first farms in Manhattan owned by the Scott family was called "Bloomingdale Farm". I even saw Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Phillip Welcome to the official web site of the British Monarchy visit Bloomingdales when I was in the receiving line there on July 5, 1976, so I have seen them before. After the visit at Bloomingdales, they drove up Third Avenue in a Gold Rolls Royce waving to the crowd from the sun roof on their way to their next event at the The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York: metmuseum.org where I had also spent a lot of time walking around in Manhattan. CIO

Note: <888> 11/12/07 Monday 2:35 A.M.: This Wednesday, November 14, is Prince Charles' 59th birthday Charles, Prince of Wales - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia and The Prince of Wales , but everyone always seems to forget it, since he tends to be a private individual and does not like being disturbed. CIO

Note: <888> 11/12/07 Monday 2:30 A.M.: In other worldly events around here, I recognized somebody downtown today who is the chap that I met from Denmark around 1981, when there was an ice storm in this area during the winter, and I drove him out to another family residence in New Canaan, Connecticut, and I drove him back into Manhattan in the ice storm. All he did was drink a glass of milk and say he had to return back to Manhattan. The reason, I recognized him is that he looks a bit like George Cary, but being European he is healthier looking, since the Europeans enjoy a higher standard of living, and he was dressed European. However, I do not think it was George Cary, because if he came out here, he would look me up sooner or later, since I know my way around this town better than anyone else I know except for a few taxi cab drivers. I can even guess that the fellow that looks like George Cary is staying over on Cat Rock Road with Pear, whom everyone knows is also from Denmark, but since he no longer drives a car with the Danish flag on it, nobody recognizes Pear. Pear is a local architect in the area, and he designed the high rise public housing in downtown Stamford, Connecticut, and he once told me was one of the witnesses to the birth of the Queen of Denmark The Danish Monarchy . News that some people do not pay much attention to since he is already divorced once The Danish Monarchy - Current activities - News . I suppose Pear is a bit older than Queen

Margrethe, since he witnessed her birth. In terms of royalty and such, they have to have witnesses and such, so that nobody switches the babies around. I don't know much about Denmark, besides they make Danish cookies and Danish hams. Also I know they smoke Prince cigarettes there. I also know in Demark, if you buy a car, you have to pay 100% tax on it, so automobile transportation in Denmark can be very expensive. I am a bit tired. There is an old European Expression, "The Dutch and The Danish Don't Know Much". I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I have no appointments until my 3 P.M. appointment on Thursday afternoon, so I will probably be cabin bound for the daytime most of the week. I probably will sneak out at night like I usually do, weather permitting. I still have to watch my budget, since although all of my bills are paid, I am stocked up on essentials <http://mikelouiscott.com/inventory.htm> , I am basically on a Greenwich, Connecticut on \$5 a day budget after expenses. CIO

Note: <888> 11/12/07 Monday 1:35 A.M.: I noticed there are three more of the same dime banks here j chein co, Vintage, Antique Toys, Banks, Registers Vending items on eBay.com , but they are more expensive. I will take my chances with FDR40. A little while ago, I just had a psychic impression that somebody stole Jimmy Eldert's old cherry red Porsche in Miami Beach, while he was stopping over on his way back down to Key West, Florida for the season. It seems like me as he gets older, he is getting absent minded, and what he does not know is that it was not stolen, he forgot where he parked it. Maybe that is why I have not been hacked on my computers recently. He is probably traveling, and he is the only computer nerd that I know in my network of friends that would waste his time hacking me, but what is the motive. It would seem to me, it would be easier to call and have a chat, but he is into such high tech electronic surveillance, he does not trust the telephone. CIO

Note: <888> 11/12/07 Monday 12:25 A.M.: I also did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. Well, look at it this way, although the computer and its software and internet connection are more expensive than a copy of the newspaper, one does not get the black ink all over one's hands from reading the paper. Also one saves on gasoline from going out to have to buy the paper. I will admit the paper tells one more, but most of it is just public relations and advertising, and there is plenty of that on the internet. I mentioned today in the Greenwich Library that the The Bank of New York Mellon not to be confused with the fruit stand selling cantaloupes at Balducci's had a bit of history that I read in a book published on it in 1924 on its 150th anniversary. I bought it about 15 years ago for \$10 in the Greenwich Hospital thrift shop, and I gave it to the officer's secretary at Putnam Trust when it was bought by the Bank of New York. At the time in 1924, the president of the Bank of New York had the last name Townsend, and I recall when I first moved here to Greenwich, Connecticut in 1961, the two telephone exchanges were Normandy 1, or NO1 and Townsend 9 or TO9 prefixes. Most everyone knows that the Bank of New York was the first bank in the United States of America, and that Alexander Hamilton started it. However, to start a bank one needs money, and in the book it said that the founding of the Bank of New York was financed by Elihu Roosevelt's money. Since as I recall the Roosevelt family first came to this country around 1660, it would seem that Elihu Roosevelt was several generation after the first of his family to have arrived. Thus more than likely if any members of the Roosevelt family have anything left, but an empty Roosevelt Dime bank, it might somehow be involved in the financial affairs of

the Bank of New York. My first bank was one of these J Chein Tin Bank dime register WORKS - (eBay item 130172823499 end time Nov-17-07 14:47:01 PST) which you use to be able to buy in the toy store in Decatur, Alabama for 59 cents, and once one saved \$10, I would put the dimes in my savings account at the local First Federal Savings bank there. I actually went through a few of them, since I would occasionally need money, and I would pry it open. It did not regularly open up, until one had \$10 in it. I placed a \$10.01 bid on it plus \$4 shipping, in case anyone want to outbid me. CIO

Note: <888> 11/11/07 Sunday 10:45 P.M.: I went through my email. I will now do some system maintenance. CIO

Note: <888> 11/11/07 Sunday 10:05 P.M.: When I left Chicago, Illinois after college at www.lfc.edu for the first time in the fall of 1972, I left with Hurley Haywood and two of his cousins who were also related to the McCormick Cyrus McCormick - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia family, Rob Glore and his cousin with the last name Whitney. Hurley had been a captain in the U.S. Army www.army.mil flying Medivac in Viet Nam in a helicopter. Thus besides racing cars, he knew how to handle other mechanical machines. He had me for a short stay at his maternal grandmother's house in Oakbrook, Illinois a not too modest 200 acre estate, and I met the elderly Mrs. Hurley. She spent half of her year preparing her Christmas calendars to mail out to her friends. Her husband General Hurley was also in the www.army.mil, and this is a short summary of what he did Yahoo! - TIME General Hurley. Although I have numerous other Chinese connections such as my paternal grandfather's brother Vernon Scott whom has visited China over 50 times to sell them soy beans, and Lisa Bolton who has worked for China airlines for 30 years and married the son of a Chinese silk merchant, and she previously worked at the liquor store in the Dakota where Yoko Ono lived in Manhattan. Also I had a few Chinese classmates at the Taft School in Watertown, Connecticut The Taft School. Also as I recall, I knew the Chinese that owned Design Observations in Manhattan, and http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm had a Chinese roommate John attending www.columbia.edu. Thus besides being Bush family neighbors in both Greenwich, Connecticut and Kennebunkport, Maine, which family were also ambassadors to China, more than likely one or two Chinese are curious about me, which is one of the reasons I run my web sight. One of the first locations I emailed about 13 years ago, when I got on the internet was the Welcome to Peking University Physics laboratory 北京大学物理学院 and in English School of Physics at Peking University Introduction, so more than likely I have had a little bit of help from the Chinese here half way around the world from China. Also while at www.lfc.edu there was a Chinese Physicist there named Dr. Jung, and he was working on the development of holography Holography - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia, and he is linked to here Laboratory for Micro- and Nanotechnology from here http://www.eecs.umich.edu/~pang/NanoGRC/98NanoGRCProg.html. Thus I have been working mostly with the Microsoft Operating Systems, as they relate to the internet. I also have dealt with Ming from www.hmcomp.com who has become a bit too upscale living in Connecticut. CIO

Note: <888> 11/11/07 Sunday 9:00 P.M.: I reheated and ate the same Chinese chicken stir fry dinner with rice that I ate last night. I chatted with a relative. While I was at the

Greenwich Library today, I checked out the book "Mastering Microsoft Windows Vista Business, Ultimate, Business, and Enterprise" by Mark Minasi and John Paul Mueller. Hopefully, I will have the time to take a look at it. It is cool enough in the apartment now, although the living room thermometer says 72 to 74 degrees Fahrenheit in the living room, with the draft from the tower fan that moves the electric heat around from the electric radiators, I might start wearing my full length long underwear soon. I put this list together two years ago Men's Mostly Long Underwear and Long Johns and <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/lj.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 11/11/07 Sunday 6:45 P.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 9 A.M.. I chatted with a relative. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I showered, and I cleaned up. I dress warmly to go out. I went out at 11:30 A.M.. I went by the Food Emporium, and I bought four 16 ounce boxes of Land-O-Lakes 50% less fat butter for \$1.99 each box, a 38 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat goldfish crackers for \$6.99, and a 40 bag box of Salada green tea for \$2.50. I then went by the CVS on Greenwich Avenue, and I bought buy one get one free of Nature Made 300 count Super B-Complex with vitamins C for \$19.99 both, Nature Made Vitamin E 400 I.U. dl-Alpha 300 count for \$17.99 both, Nature Made 100 count Vitamin C 1,000 mg. for \$9.39 both, two six ounce tubes of Aquafresh White and Shine tooth paste for \$4.99 both, two 13 ounce Palmolive antibacterial dishwashing detergent for \$1.49 each, a 96 table of CVS antacid fruit tablets for \$3.79, a 100 yards of CVS mint flavored dental floss for \$1.99, a 7 ounce can of CVS sensitive skin shave gel for \$2.29, a two pack of essence of beauty combs for \$2.49 both combs, three 15 ounce Alberto VO5 kiwi and lime conditioner for .99 each, a 15 ounce Alberto VO5 kiwi and lime shampoo for .99 plus \$1.12 Connecticut 6% state tax for \$70.98 total. I put my purchases in the car, and then I walked over the Chase Bank ATM machine on Mason Street. I then went back to CVS, and I bought two 15 ounce Palmolive antibacterial dishwashing soap for \$1.49 each less \$2 CVS coupon and .06 tax for \$1.04. I then bought a Tums extra strength 72 count fruit flavored antacid tablets for \$4.99 less a \$2 off CVS Tums coupon, less a \$2 off CVS coupon for .99 total. I then bought a 100 yards of CVS mint flavored dental floss for \$1.99 less a \$2 off CVS coupon for 0 cents. I then drove down Greenwich Avenue further, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a "24K Gold" scratch card for a dollar, but I lost. They have put in a raised walk ramp at the cross walk in front of the north side of the Greenwich Train station, so hopefully cars will slow down for pedestrians. I still think it might be simpler to put in a pedestrian cross walk stop light. I chatted with an older retired citizen looking for discarded cans. I told him about Wiley Middleton in Fort Lauderdale back around 1976. I stopped by the Greenwich Hardware store, and I bought a 3 inch by 5 inch flag of the State of Florida for \$2.95 plus .18 tax for \$3.13 total. The one that I sent up to Kennebunkport, Maine this summer seemed to have disappeared. They are putting in new flooring and rearranging the Greenwich Hardware store shelves. I then went by CVS, and I bought a 5 ounce bag of Gold Emblem Mediterranean Blend trail mix with raisins, walnuts, figs, apricots, almonds, pistachios, cherries, blueberries, and hazelnuts for \$1.59. I sat out on

the bench across the street from the Gingerman Cafe, and I ate them for a late lunch. I completed my walk. I sat out for a while. I am such a constant fixture on Greenwich Avenue, the younger generation does not chat with me, since they do not want to appear old. However, if they are lucky, they might be fortunate enough to grow old gracefully too. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I read the Greenwich Time. I chatted with some of the patrons and the staff. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a two pack of 1.75 ounce Stop and Shop blue toilet tablets for \$2.69, a 1.25 liter bottle of CareOne antiseptic citrus mouth wash for \$2.50, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.99, broccoli crowns at \$1.99 a pound for \$3, and organic green bananas at .79 a pound for \$2.03 plus .31 tax for \$13.52 total. I then returned home. I brought up my purchases. I will now put them away. If one spends a bit of time outside in the cold weather, it helps if one dresses warmly. I was out for 5 hours today, and most of the time was outside, but I was dressed warmly. I have plenty of winter clothes. I put the Florida flag in the same stand as the Swiss flag on top of the Sony television in the living room. CIO

Note: <888> 11/10/07 Saturday 7:30 P.M.: BBC NEWS | Europe | Mafia's 'Ten Commandments' found

BBC NEWS | UK | UK Politics | State Opening of Parliament

BBC NEWS | Americas | Shut up, Spain king tells Chavez

BBC NEWS | Americas | US and Germany vow Iran diplomacy

I am a bit tired, so I will shut down the primary Vista computer shortly, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/10/07 Saturday 6:50 P.M.: I ordered Trail Model Soft-Shell Jacket: Jackets at L.L.Bean for \$29.95 in extra large in colonial red with free 5 to 7 day shipping for \$29.95 total. CIO

Note: <888> 11/10/07 Saturday 5:25 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. Instead of cooking the dinner that I cooked the last four nights, I changed the menu. I made up a batch of Chinese stir fry. I made up a batch of flavored rice <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> . I took out my Chinese wok, and I added about four tablespoons of olive oil and four pads of 50% less fat butter. I then peeled and minced six cloves of garlic, and I added them to the wok. I then took two boneless skinless breast of chicken, and I cut them into half inch to a third inch by one to 1.5 inch strips. I then peeled and diced two medium onions. I then cut into small half inch to 3/4th inch chunks about 3/4th of a pound of broccoli crowns. I then cut into quarters lengthwise about 45 baby carrots. I then turned on the electric burner heat underneath the Wok to medium high, and once the fat was bubbling, I added a the chicken and onions, and I sautéed it all until the chicken was lightly browned. I seasoned it with ground black pepper, garlic powder, oregano, Old Bay Seasoning, red cayenne pepper, chicken boullion seasoning and Italian seasoning. After a few minutes of stirring the ingredients, I added the carrots and broccoli, and I mixed it all together with more seasoning and a couple more

tablespoons of olive oil and a teaspoon of sesame oil. I cooked the ingredients for about 8 minutes stirring them regularly, which is why they called it stir fry. I then added about a fourth of a cup of Kikkoman soy sauce, and I mixed it all together, and I continued cooking the ingredients for about another four minutes stirring them frequently. I use a large wooden spoon to stir the ingredients with. I then added half the rice to a large dinner plate spread over the plate, and I spread half the cooked stir fry ingredients over the rice. I put the remaining food in two separate Rubbermaid containers with lids, and I refrigerated them. I ate the meal with a glass of iced tea, and then I cleaned up the kitchen. I then went outside, and I walked around the outside of the building. I then picked up my mail, and I chatted with some neighbors. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 11/10/07:

Note: <888> 11/10/07 Saturday 2:35 P.M.: I watched some television. I went through my email. www.kenradio.com seems to still be surviving on the internet, but he was one of the original developers of AutoCad, so he might have some money left. Well, I have been here all day, and I am spending more time at home, because with the higher prices of gasoline, it probably costs me about \$2 to \$3 to drive downtown and back, and particularly in the daytime, when one is idling in traffic. I only live a mile from the Greenwich Library, and probably one of the most deluxe Automobile Rows in America is in between, and for the low budget traveler in between there is a www.mcdonalds.com , www.wendys.com , and [Dunkin' Donuts Coffee | Buy Coffee Beans Online](http://www.dunkin.com) . However, one could always investigate the Food Emporium and the Stop and Shop near the Greenwich Library. Unfortunately the www.exxon.com gasoline station in between has been taking most of my spare money. With winter coming, I might have additional expenses, so since I am currently warm and comfortable at home, there is not point venturing out downtown, since everyone ignores me, because I smoke cigarettes. Not that everyone does not smoke cigarettes, but since there are no places inside downtown where one can smoke a cigarettes, it seems most cigarette smokers prefer to remain comfortable at home. I do not think they allow smoking in pubs anymore, so the few people whom still smoke cigarettes are left to outside benches in public, which can be uncomfortable on a cold or damp day. I might quit smoking some time soon, but I doubt if I will find the people anymore interesting, since about the only thing the non smokers can figure out to do is to sit inside www.starbucks.com . If you can recall what people use to do before Starbucks, they probably walked a little bit more in terms of mall hopping or some other past times. Thus the non smoking Starbucks generation seems to be getting lazier. From what I know people whom spend a lot of time out in the general public in the daytime, have a common excuse for being unemployed, and they say they are self employed. However, after several years of sitting in Starbucks, I think most of the locals know they are really unemployed, hoping to get lucky. Since they do not have home offices, they must be trying to get lucky some other way in terms of their personal presentation and face to face meetings. Perhaps they are all just bored to death. I generally find walks at night more enjoyable since with less people around, one can walk at a normal pace instead of dodging pedestrian traffic in the day time. Having been a professional observer having been a photographer since 1962, I tend to have better observation skills than the average person whom just put down a book. However, I have seen so much in my life, I tend to keep it all in perspective. The first thing that happens

when one visits older European cities, is that one notices the buildings are not as large as in American cities, so one should have the same attitude about downtown Greenwich, Connecticut versus downtown Manhattan. If one has some spare funds, one can have an enjoyable day in the country out here, whatever one might do. I know on rainy days, some people actually go to the movies in the daytime. During my slow times, I like watching cooking programs on television, although I seldom cook anything too complicated. The reason I do not try making new friends in anymore is that it tends to cost me money which I can not afford, and the reason that old friends and family ignore me is that it tends to cost them money which they can not afford. It is the nature of the downturn in our local economy that people whom once had a bit of spare money, now have to learn how to get by with less money. Having lived on a low budget economy for most of my adult life, I am use to micromanaging my financial affairs. I can not even justify a \$22 round trip on Metro North into Manhattan to be ignored by the younger generation. I did have the Salvation Army call me up for a donation yesterday. I sometimes give a dollar to www.gop.com , so I stay on their records. However, if the general population elects a president from the democrat party, I probably will quit paying for Digital Cable Television, so I would have about \$73 more a month spend on other more enjoyable activities like filling up my fuel tank to make more frequent trips out to Tod's Point in Old Greenwich to be ignored by the people in Old Greenwich whom tend to be polite, but they are a very clannish group of people, and if they do not know you, they do not chat with you. Since I have probably lived in Greenwich, Connecticut longer than most residents I have my own two cents to add, when I chat with people whom seem to know everything. Having a private school education, we were taught to use certain social behavior patterns like manners which hopefully lead to B&B, Background and Breeding. However, having dealt with the general public for so many years, I frequently forget parlor manners, and now that I tend to be getting hard of hearing in my older age, I can not always hear what other people are talking about anyway. Since most people seem to be focused on the printed and broadcast media, and since a great many people in that media drink alcohol, people whom enjoy that media are following what people whom drink alcohol follow, and sooner or later the owners of that media try to get you interested in drinking alcohol, so they can make some money. Having grown up down south, before I moved here in 1961, I tend to enjoy <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . However, several people whom I know seem to drink alcohol, and they seem to function in terms of their other associates whom drink alcohol, but from what I know just because they watch the Evening news, does not mean they know it all. Well, I will now send out my weekly notes. I will then make and eat the same dinner as the last four nights. CIO

Note: <888> 11/10/07 Saturday 11:50 A.M.: I napped in the recliner for a while, and I watched some television. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 11/10/07 Saturday 7:45 A.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I bottom fished on the internet. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 8:05 P.M.: I ate the same meal as the last three nights. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 6:35 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. For the rear window supports on the Buick wagon I ordered two Strong Arm Liftgate Window Lift Supports for \$24.99 each LIFT SUPPORTS - GAS-CHARGED REPLACEMENTS - JCWhitney Replacement auto parts Parts less 15% discount of \$7.50 with promo code "BESHKX7" plus \$8.99 standard shipping for \$51.47 total. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 4:55 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by the Greenwich Housing Authority, and I paid my rent for November 2007 to them with a check. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop, but they were closed today. I then went by the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon station, and I bought \$28.01 of premium self service gasoline at \$3.659 a gallon for 7.654 gallons and 78.9 miles driving since October 25, 2007 at 10.30 miles per gallon with a current odometer reading of 115,553.4. I checked the tires for 35 PSI rear and 30 PSI front. I then returned home. I chatted with a neighbor. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 2:30 P.M.: I chatted with the secretary of somebody whom once knew <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> . I chatted with a relative. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I received my Connecticut Renter's Rebate for \$315.80, so it is less this year than the \$850 I got last year. I will now go out and put it in the bank, and I will stop by the Greenwich Housing Authority to pay my rent. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 12:50 P.M.: Biltmore Email Newsletter

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Microsoft Fires CIO Stuart Scott For Rules Breach - Software - IT Channel News by CRN and VARBusiness

Queen Elizabeth II Does Duty, Weathers Scandal - Forbes.com

Saudi King Keeps British Relations Well-Oiled - Forbes.com

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Lee Jeans 20% off

Need a Rest Caskets from Overstock.com

I finished going through my email.

My cigarette order arrived. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 11:00 A.M.: I went outside, and I moved my car to its usual place. I picked up some paper, cans, and bottles lying around the building. I found a dollar bill. I emptied the ashtray by the smoker's bench by the north entrance. I walked around the outside of the building. My order for 10 cartons New York Seneca Ultra Lights 100s in a box from www.ordersmokesdirect.com is suppose to be delivered today according to USPS - Track & Confirm . I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/09/07 Friday 10:00 A.M.: I woke up at 3:30 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I watered the plants, and I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl underneath the Sony television in the living room. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I did my house cleaning. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers with some iced tea.

Maybe this will drive down the price of oil Oil discovery rocks Brazil - CNN.com .

Magma pushing up ground in Yellowstone - CNN.com

I will now shower and clean up.

CIO

Note: <888> 11/08/07 Thursday 8:00 P.M.: Earlier today, my debit account was charged \$36.03 for the final payment of three payments on the General Electric maintenance contract on my General Electric Profile 15,500 BTU air conditioner with remote control. Thus the maintenance contract is paid up through September 12, 2008. I made and ate the same dinner as the last two nights. I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/08/07 Thursday 6:05 P.M.: I woke up this morning at 5:30 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a friend. I went back to bed. I woke up at 9 A.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watched some computer television. A British newscast said the people within the European Union can switch between countries for medical facilities. I also saw a European Space Agency Arian Space Rocket launch. I went outside briefly, and I checked my Buick wagon manual, and the expansion strut supports for the rear windows can be replaced by removing small retaining clips at each end with a small screw driver. I chatted with a relative. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I showered, and I cleaned up. I picked up my mail. I went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with a couple of patrons. I told one of the patrons, I saw on www.foxnews.com that the Child of Krakatoa was active, but I only find this report on the internet FOXNews.com - Indonesians Refuse to Leave Volcano - International News | News of the World | Middle East News | Europe News and

<http://www.volcano.si.edu/reports/usgs/#krakatau> . I then went to my usual Thursday 3 P.M. appointment. I then returned home. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers finishing off the box. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 11/07/07 Wednesday 10:45 P.M.: I watched a little bit of television. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 11/07/07 Wednesday 8:55 P.M.: I woke up at 6 P.M.. I reheated the same boneless breast of chicken dinner with vegetables and rice with a glass of iced tea as yesterday. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 11/07/07 Wednesday 12:05 P.M.: I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced water. I went outside, and I threw away the garbage. I picked up my mail. My rent statement from the Greenwich Housing Authority still did not come. I did not bother to shower and clean up. I will now put the computer on standby, and I will take a nap. CIO

Note: <888> 11/07/07 Wednesday 11:15 A.M.: I watched a travel program about Old San Juan, Puerto Rico. I watched part of the www.whitehouse.gov dinner for the President of France Elysee.fr | Présidence de la République. It appears the French do not do much anymore but grow grapes and take tropical vacations. Of course I have been to France in the winter, and I know they take naps in the afternoon. The streets of Paris are full of shops selling baked chickens, before they close at nap time. Of course, they also do not eat dinner until after 10 P.M. at night. I have never figured out when they wake up in the morning. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. I opened up a 14 ounce bag of M&M Halloween peanut candies, and I put them in a glass bowl on the far end of the brass and glass coffee table. I chatted with a relative. I guess I will go ahead and shower and clean up in case my rent statement comes, and then I will be ready to pay my rent. Basically Greenwich, Connecticut revolves around a large amount of mundane errands to keep the household running. CIO

Note: <888> 11/07/07 Wednesday 9:15 A.M.: Space Shuttle due to land at Cape Canaveral today at 1:02 P.M. [NASA - Space Shuttle](http://NASA-Space-Shuttle).

Last state visit of the Queen was to Belgium this summer [The Monarchy Today > Queen and public > Royal visits > State visits since 1952](#) . Maybe she should give up on State visits, and just visit some of the rich people she might know. One can not stay home all of the time, when one has traveled so much. Sooner or later, one gets star dust underneath their feet. CIO

Note: <888> 11/07/07 Wednesday 9:05 A.M.: I woke up at 5:30 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with www.ordersmokesdirect.com , and they told me that my order should ship soon. They told me the Sky Dancer cigarette from

Oklahoma is a lighter all natural cigarette. I am in the process of making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 10:20 P.M.: I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I ate the last piece of blueberry pie. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 8:25 P.M.: I went out after the last message. I went to my 3 P.M. meetings. I chatted with some locals outside my 3 P.M. meeting. I then returned home. I chatted with a couple of neighbors. I was told at my meeting that at the Shell Station across from the Y.M.C.A., cigarettes cost \$7.50 a package, so if you smoke tobacco, you might try looking into www.ordersmokesdirect.com . However, if one lives in Connecticut, you can not use a credit card to buy them from the Seneca Indians in upstate New York, you can only do a bank account withdrawal, which takes a few extra days to activate on one's first order. I know cigarettes are not healthy for you, but it is the nature of some people whom work and volunteer in the New York City area, we can at times have more stressful activity, so for people whom smoke cigarettes, it helps them relax. I even have a professional medical advisor, whom advises me that if it reduces stress for me it is healthier. The one time I tried to quit smoking cigarettes in 1975 for nine months, I ended up camping outside for most of the time possibly getting Lyme Disease, and with all of the extra energy I had I was in very good shape, but since I am mostly an academic sort, most of my academic friends did not appreciate me having that much energy. At my age, I will have to quit or cut way back some time soon, but frequently when I try to quit some major disaster happens, and one ends up needing a cigarette. I chatted with two relatives. One of my relatives wanted to know where I got my Nikon digital camera. Here are the links at www.adorama.com , and when ordering if you do, use Chris N. as sales representative.

25524B Nikon Coolpix 4600 Digital Camera, 4.0 Megapixel, 3x optical / 4x Digital Zoom, - Refurbished By Nikon U.S.A. for \$80 plus shipping

and if you order it with the camera or within 10 days, you can get this case and two years warranty for \$15

9984 Nikon Camera Case and Extended Service Coverage (2 Years) for Coolpix 7900, 7600, 5900, 5600, 4600, L1, L2, L3, L4

and you can get a SD card here **Kingston 1GB SD Card \$10**

and if you have a metal hydride battery charger, you might want these

XP4AA25/XP4AA29 Power2000 AA Rechargeable Batteries, 1.2 volt Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH), 2700 mAh, Pack of Four.

and you can get a metal hydride battery charger here

RadioShack.com Battery Chargers.

In Greenwich, Connecticut in public places, we generally do not take pictures of people in public, since the great majority of town residents are private and security conscious, so when I take pictures, I do my best to avoid having people in the pictures, which is quite difficult in a busy area. The best time I found to take pictures on Greenwich Avenue when not many people are around is on early Sunday morning. Rich people tend not to get up early, and the working people in town tend not to around then. The Nikon Coolpix 4600 comes with auto focus, and I found it takes very good pictures inside with the wide angle lens and flash. I get about 70 to 80 pictures outside for two regular AA alkaline batteries with the smaller 1.5 inch square LCD viewfinder. You would get more pictures with the LCD viewfinder turned off, but it is easier to frame the pictures with the LCD viewfinder turned on. I also find that outside in bright sunlight, one can see to frame the pictures, but one can not see the LCD image too clearly. It has the Auto Focus setting, but one has to press the shutter half way, until in a split second the green light comes on, and then the rest of the way. The same way with the red light for the flash. I have posted links to my two most recent sets of Nikon pictures at [Michael Louis Scott's Photographs](#) .

There are plenty of Digital cameras on the internet, and for \$20 more you can get 6.1 mega pixels refurbished with SD card [Newegg.com - Recertified: Nikon Coolpix L1 Black 6.2 MP Digital Camera 1/2.5" CCD 2.5" 115K LCD 5X Optical Zoom 4X Digital Zoom \\$100](#)

and for about a \$70 more you can get 8.1 mega pixel [25540B Nikon Coolpix P4 Digital Camera, 8.1 Megapixel, 3.5x Optical Zoom, 2.5" LCD Screen - Refurbished by Nikon U.S.A. \\$170](#)

Many moons ago, having once been a Professional Photographer, I chose the www.nikon.com name even at the less expensive price. Of course electronic cameras can be delicate, so if you drop them, they tend to break, and I am not sure how much the two year warranty covers on the first one, but a case is handy. The warranty above does not cover the other two cameras. You also have to check the specifications on the other two cameras to see what types of batteries they use, but the Nikon 8.1 mega pixel uses more expensive rechargeable lithium batteries, and the 6.1 uses AA batteries, but the 8.1 has image stabilization as an extra feature with a 2.5 inch LCD. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 2:00 P.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will get ready to go out for my 3 P.M. appointment today. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 1:55 P.M.: I went downstairs, and I picked up the mail. I chatted with a neighbor. I called up an associate of <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> , and I briefed them on my latest sighting of Fred last February at the Microsoft Conference in Hauppauge, Long Island at the Hyatt Hotel out there. The conference was next to MacArthur airport, so although there were about 5,000 people there, for all I know they flew in and flew out for the conference. Fred was the only there I recall that had a tan, so maybe he is living down south some place, where you can have a tan in February. I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with a dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I also ate a piece of blueberry pie. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 11:10 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the Chase Bank ATM machine on Mason street, and I deposited my two \$20 Symantec rebate checks. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. After my walk, I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I think they should build after hours public bathroom facilities in the new public safety building they are building downtown. I noticed they are improving the night lighting and the crosswalk at the north side of the Greenwich train station passenger terminal. It looks like they might be putting in a pedestrian cross walk light, so pedestrians can stop the traffic to cross the street. The downtown area with all of the offices downtown is quite busy, so obviously the town has to improve some of its basic traffic pattern engineering. Sooner or later, they are also going to have traffic lights and cross walk lights on Greenwich Avenue, when the traffic officers are off duty. It is not a matter of esthetics, it a matter of the town observing the engineering laws and regulations of the state of Connecticut in high volume areas. After my walk, I went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought two 14 ounce M&M peanut candies in Halloween colors for \$1.64 each bag, a 10 pound bag of Carolina enriched rice for \$5.99, a 5 ounce bottle House of Tsang Pure Hot Chili Sesame Seed Oil for \$2.99, a 30 ounce jar of Hellmann's lite mayonnaise for \$3.99, two quart jars of Vlassic kosher dill pickle slices for \$2 each jar, a 24 ounce container of Progresso Italian seasoned bread crumbs for \$2.99, and a gallon of Stop and Shop white vinegar for \$3.99 for \$27.43 total. I then went by the New Lebanon school, and I voted. The new voting procedure is not too complicated. I said hello to Peter Tesei whom is running for First Selectman, and I told him when I saw former President Bush at church in Kennebunkport, Maine this past summer, I had not seen him since I saw him campaigning at the Greenwich High School, when he was campaigning for vice president. I guess once people go into politics, they begin to drop from the public eye. I then returned home, and I put away my groceries. I had to use my head to hold open the rear window on the Buick wagon. I could put the groceries in the back seat, but today, there was a truck parked along side the car, so I could not easily put them in the side door. It was raining this morning, so I used my umbrella, which I keep handy in the car. In a year Carolina rice has gone from \$2.99 for 10 pounds to \$5.99 for ten pounds. White vinegar has gone from \$1.79 a gallon to \$3.99 a gallon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 5:30 A.M.: I opened up the package of six boneless chicken breasts, and I put four of them in a large flat Rubbermaid container. I then rinsed off the other two in cold water, and I dried them with a paper towel. I then put a thin coat of olive oil in a Pyrex pie dish, and on a separate plate, I rubbed the bottom side of the boneless chicken breasts with olive oil, and then I spread a thick coating of Italian seasoned bread crumbs on them, and then I did the same with the top side and the other boneless chicken breasts. I then put them in the Pyrex pie dish, and I baked them in the Farberware convection oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 35 minutes. I also made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> to which I also added two teaspoons of Kikkoman soy sauce and oregano Seasoning and chicken bullion seasoning. I ate half, and I put the other half in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I also steamed in a two quart Revere pot with steamer tray and lid about 1.5 cups of baby carrots and broccoli crowns for 15 minutes on medium high electric burner heat, and I put some olive oil on the vegetables. I put the other baked boneless chicken breast in a Rubbermaid

container in the refrigerator. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. When my family lived in Decatur, Alabama before we moved here in 1961, I recall in Decatur, Alabama, they had both a Borden and a Sealtest dairy processing plants. In the summer, the milk would taste like a bit like wild onions, since the cattle would eat the wild onions with the grass in their fields. I was think if they still had the problem, they could use the onion flavored milk to make Onion dip for crackers. I will now shower and clean up, and I will go out for an early morning walk. After my walk, I will vote at the New Lebanon school here in Byram. The polling stations usually open at 7 A.M.. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer. I also have to get four items at the Stop and Shop. I will also deposit my two \$20 Symantec rebates checks at the Chase ATM machine on Mason Street. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 3:45 A.M.: I lowered the living room thermostat to 70 degrees Fahrenheit, since it is warmer outside, and right now it is 55 degrees Fahrenheit outside. I ate a piece of blueberry pie. Today is election day, and according to the flyer I received in the mail yesterday, they have a new voting machine, where one writes one vote on a ballot, and then one sticks it into the new voting machine to register it. That might slow up the voting process today, since people will have to get use to the new procedure. With the old machines, they could tell who you voted for. For example if the two different political parties had an uneven number of candidates, seven clicks might be a republican and six clicks might be a democrat.

YMCA makes a splash - Greenwich Time Splash New Pool!

CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 3:20 A.M.: Gates Sells 2 Million Shares of Microsoft - The Chart - IT Channel News And Views by CRN and VARBusiness

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I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/06/07 Tuesday 2:40 A.M.: I woke up at 10 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until A.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 2:10 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I went outside, and I threw out some garbage. I examined the worn out lift supports on the Buick wagon. Before I order new ones, I will have to read the manual to see how I replace them to make

sure that I can do it with the tools I have available. I picked up my mail. My two \$20 rebates on the three license pack of Norton Internet Security 2008 arrived, so it only cost me about \$22 after the rebates. Norton rebates are coming faster these days. I also received the 21 LEDs Lamp for Bicycle, FREE STANDARD SHIPPING for \$9.99, a Kingston 1GB Secure Digital Memory Card (SD 1GB Card), Model SD/1GB for \$14.65 less \$5 off coupon with code "MMTOP5OFF" with free shipping for \$19.64 total. I put three AAA alkaline batteries in the bike light, and it lights up fine. I tried attaching it to my Mongoose bike, but the small about 1/8th inch support edges that held the round plastic clamp on to the base of the unit broke. I tried reattaching them with CVS Superglue gel. It did not hold them though. I then drilled a larger hole into the base of the unit, and I replace the thumb screw that came with the unit with a larger longer sheet metal screw, and I was able to attach the bike light to the left inner handle bar hanging below it, so it is securely attached and available for use. It has four different light settings. I installed the Kingston 1 gigabyte SD card in the Polaroid 3.1 mega pixel camera, so it too is also available for use besides the Nikon digital camera. My relative is back in the United States of America United Airlines - Flight Detail 870 from Sydney to San Francisco for 13 hours and 26 minutes . I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 11:05 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I chatted with a neighbor. I scraped a bit of frost off my car windows. The rear window on the Buick wagon has small shock absorber supports to keep it opened, and they seem to have worn out. When I have the funds, I can order new ones and install them. It is not necessary, but with them the window closes slowly, so it does not break, which would be more costly. I can order them from www.jcwhitney.com , when I have the funds. I think they are about \$25 apiece LIFT SUPPORTS - GAS-CHARGED REPLACEMENTS - JCWhitney 1995 Buick Roadmaster wagon rear window Parts. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I said good morning to the Republican candidates campaigning at the train station, and I shook hands with Peter Tesei the republican candidate for First Selectman. I chatted with the Lays potato chip delivery person outside of CVS, and I was told the low salt potato chips are not popular. I chatted with a golden poodle walker, and the walker told me the golden poodle had come from a shelter. I used the bathroom at Starbucks. I drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. The new house where the Watson house use to be seems to be mostly finished in stone on the outside. It seems to be a larger house than it originally looked. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought two 14 ounce bags of M&M peanut candies pumpkin flavor for half price for \$1.64 each bag, a 6 ounce bottle of Gold's hot horse radish for \$1.59, a 8 ounce bar of Stop and Shop Vermont extra sharp cheddar cheese for \$2.69, a 8 ounce jar of Bertolli alfredo sauce for \$2.50, a 8 ounce container of Stop and Shop grated parmesan and Romano cheese for \$2.99, a 15 ounce bottle of Kikkoman soy sauce for \$2.19, two top round London Broil steaks for \$2.49 a pound less \$2 off day old coupon for \$9.23, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.99, Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.13, and broccoli crowns at \$1.99 a pound \$3.04 for \$31.63 total. I then returned home, and I brought up my purchases. I chopped the London Broil steaks into 1 to 1.5 inch cubes, and I filled the CuisineArt about 40% full each time with the chopping blade, and I ground the chunks into hamburger, but not too fine, just pulsating it a few

times. I weight the ground meat out into 8 ounce amounts with the kitchen scale, and I formed 9 eight ounce hamburgers about 7/8th inch thick and five inches in diameter. To form the burger, I first shape it into a ball, and then I compress it on both sides, and then I worked in in around its edges, so it has a neat circular appearance. I put each 8 ounce hamburger in two old ziplock carrots bags with the air squeezed out. I then froze them for future use. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 5:25 A.M.: Sunrise in Greenwich, Connecticut at 6:29 A.M. today Tides.INFO: Tide predictions from around the globe: Greenwich, Connecticut. High tide on Steamboat Road at 7:52 A.M., if you feel like fishing on a cool sunny morning. Current temperature is 38 degrees Fahrenheit Greenwich, Connecticut (06830) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground . Who knows in colder weather, you might catch an Atlantic salmon, but I do not know if they ever show up around here or not. I will now reheat and eat the last half or 1.5 cups of steak stew, which I will eat with a glass of iced tea. I will then shower and clean up, and I will go out for an early morning walk. I am on limited funds, but at least I have paid all of my bills except my rent statement which has not come yet, and I do not have any outstanding debt. I do not really need a laptop computer, since I have four fast desktop computers in my living room besides the nine year old Toshiba laptop and the old Dell desktop in the bedroom. Plus working with desktop computers at home, I can eat, sleep, go to the bathroom, and smoke cigarettes as often as I need to, which I would not be able to do if I were working on a laptop computer on the road. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer. CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 5:10 A.M.: Long flight for my relative United Airlines - Flight Detail 870 from Sydney to San Francisco for 13 hours and 26 minutes . I hope they have some good movies. If they had the internet, I could surf the internet for that long like it was nothing. My relative broke her tibia a month before leaving, so she only left the Statendam three times during the five week cruise. My relative claims Gloria Swanson is alive and living on board the Statendam. I think the longest flight I ever did was Athens, Greece to Boston, which I recall was about 10 hours in 1972. CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 4:55 A.M.: I ate a piece of blueberry pie. For some reason on my primary Vista Computer <http://mikelouisscott.com/computer.htm> , the most recent <http://java.sun.com> add in will not work on the computer. I knew this when I first installed Vista a year ago. However, it works on all my other Vista computers. On the primary Vista computer, I uninstalled the most recent version 3 of Java, and I installed the earlier version "jre1_5_0_02-windows-i586-p" , and Java now works on the primary Vista computer. Such exciting web sites like Westchester County - AirportMonitor - by Megadata - powered by PASSUR now work. I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive to save the changes. The most recent Java since it works on the other computers without any problems must have the problem caused on the primary Vista computer by a device driver, possibly the older Nvidia drivers on my two Nvidia cards, particularly the older PCI card. CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 2:05 A.M.: Windows Vista Business Edition laptops Newegg.com - Computer Parts, PC Components, Laptop Computers, Digital Cameras and more! Microsoft Windows Vista Business Edition Laptops . CIO

Note: <888> 11/05/07 Monday 1:55 A.M.: I have a relative flying back from Sydney, Australia with her English husband, whom will arrive at San Francisco airport at 10:41 A.M. their time today. My relative has an English husband, so they drink Guinness beer GUINNESS® all of the time. My relative is not rich, but one of her suite mates at Trinity University in San Antonio, Texas Trinity University | Welcome was Sam Walton's daughter www.walmart.com before they got rich. Each of Sam Walton's children is suppose to be worth \$20 billion, so my relative has a hard time keeping up with the Jones if you get my drift. I woke up at 11 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I make my oatmeal by putting a half cup of Quaker Old Fashioned oatmeal in a microwave proof bowl with 7/8th of a cup of water, and I put a microwave proof lid on it, and I microwave it for one minute and 40 seconds in the microwave oven. I then add a tablespoon of honey, and I stir it, and then I add about a sixth of a cup of milk, and I stir it, and then I add a sliced banana. I then washed the breakfast dishes, and I made my bed. Personally I can not even afford to drive up to Wal-Mart to shop. However, with the internet, I frequently find cheaper bargains. Of course living in Greenwich, Connecticut since 1961, I know a lot of rich people, but having been poor for most of my life, they all ignore me, since they do not want me sponging off of them. Of course on a night schedule around here, about the only profitable business is the www.mcdonalds.com rest areas on I-95 in Darien, Connecticut, but they also make money selling gasoline at the www.mobil.com gasoline pumps to the traveling public. In the old days when it was boring around here, particularly when I lived in New Canaan, Connecticut we use to drive to the rest areas to see what was going on around here. Just like in the old days at www.lfc.edu , I use to hang out at O'Hare airport in the early morning hours to see what was going on. We have a local university in the area Purchase College , so more than likely some of the local night time traffic in the area is caused by the students wandering off campus. CIO

Note: <888> 11/04/07 Sunday 2:45 P.M.: I ate a 1/6th of a piece of blueberry pie. I chatted with a relative. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. CIO

Note: <888> 11/04/07 Sunday 1:05 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I emptied the outside ashtray by the building's smoker's area bench. I went by the Food Emporium, and I bought a 38 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat goldfish crackers for \$6.99, and two 24 bag boxes of Asian Gourmet Green Tea for \$1.59 each box for \$10.17 total. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I chatted with a regular. I chatted with a man with a mixture of a Jack Russell Terrier and a Fox Hound who was wearing a Churchill Downs hat. I stopped by CVS, and I picked up the weekly circular. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a Stop and Shop Yesterday's Baked Goods blueberry pie for \$2.25, buy one get one free of Thomas' English Muffins 6 packs for \$2.99 both, a 64 ounce container of Dole pineapple juice for \$3.69, a 64

ounce container of Florida Natural orange juice with calcium for \$3, Stella sliced provolone cheese at \$5.99 a pound for \$5.90, Wondabar German baloney at \$2.79 a pound for \$1.37 and \$2.83, two 12.5 ounce bags of Lay's 50 less salt potato chips for \$2.50 each, two 64 ounce Ocean Spray Cranraspberry juices for \$2.50 each, two 48 ounce containers of Quaker Old Fashioned oatmeal for \$4.49 each, a 15 ounce bottle of Kikkoman soy sauce for \$2.19, and a six pack of boneless breasts of chicken for \$1.69 a pound for \$7.23 for \$50.43 total. I chatted with a couple of the store butchers outside the store. I noticed while I was chatting with them, I saw somebody pull out of the parking lot with the same burgundy color Buick Roadmaster wagon that I have, and from a distance the fellow even looked a bit like me. However, on my car, the two front door rubber molding strips on the chrome strips are missing, and I also have in the rear window from left to right Bermuda oval, the USA flag, the Kennebunkport oval, the Greenwich Country Day Alumni oval, and the Great Britain Oval. I doubt if anyone would have the same stickers by coincidence. However, having been a neighbor of various local politicians in this area many times and elsewhere, it is not unlikely that they either have a decoy trying to look like me, some foreign agent trying to masquerade as me, or as luck would have it another neighbor that drives the same car and looks like me. Quite frankly in this country there are a lot of people that look like me, so more than likely one or two of them drive a Buick wagon. The www.fbi.gov obviously know that, which is why they collect fingerprints to identify people from other people that look the same. They obviously have more advanced identification methods also. I then returned home. I chatted with a neighbor. I brought up my groceries, and I put them away. I went back outside, and I chatted with some of my neighbors from the Commonwealth. I then ate a baloney and cheese sandwich. I use Hellmann's low fat mayonnaise on my sandwiches. I ate the sandwich with potato chips and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 11/04/07 Sunday 7:20 A.M.: I did a Vista Complete PC backup of the primary Vista computer from the C: drive to the D: drive. I reset the clocks and watches in the apartment. I still have to reset the Buick wagon clock. I have been listening to the Space Shuttle [NASA - NASA TV Landing Page](#) with the DTV4PC program on the FIC server where it works running off XP Professional. I will now shower and clean up, and I will go out to the Stop and Shop and do some grocery shopping. I might go downtown briefly too. I do not know whether I will walk or not. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 11/04/07:

Note: <888> 11/04/07 Sunday 4:50 A.M.: I will now send out my weekly notes. Daylight Savings time end this morning, so you need to Fall Back an hour. CIO

Note: <888> 11/04/07 Sunday 4:30 A.M.: I finished the backups on the FIC server. I might do external drive backups at a later time. I watched some high definition television about building mega yachts and dyke building in the Netherlands. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/04/07 Sunday 2:30 A.M.: I went to bed after the last note. I had a telephone call from a relative. I woke up at 9 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey

and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I threw out the garbage. I picked up my mail. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I set the FIC server to now run XP Professional. I installed the updates on it, and I did some maintenance on it. I am now doing a XP Professional ASR backup of it from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. After that I will do a Vista Windows Server 2008 Complete PC backup of both partitions from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. I installed some updates on the primary Vista computer. I am watching the Turner Movie Channel, on Cablevision Channel 76. Donald Trump is introducing the movies. The one that I missed was Gone With the Wind. Now they are showing Citizen Kane. I am defrosting, and I will eat half of the three 3 cups of frozen steak stew. I will eat half with a glass of iced tea. It is during Saturday night or Sunday morning during this time of the day, when the local computer hacker gets out of the bar from drinking on Saturday night and Sunday morning, it seems the local hacker tries to hack me, and it has gone on for years. Thus I generally turn off the cable modem, so the individual can not get through to my systems. CIO

Note: <888> 11/03/07 Saturday 8:10 A.M.: BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Spacewalk begins to repair panel

NASA - NASA TV Landing Page

I will shut down the primary Vista computer shortly, after watching a bit of NASA television. Off the top of my head, they could always use a piece of Velcro, but that might not last as long and might not stick in space. CIO

Note: <888> 11/03/07 Saturday 7:30 A.M.: I went through my email. I watched some HDTV. I ate three bowls of goldfish crackers. For me a bowl of goldfish crackers is a 1.25 inch high amount of goldfish crackers in a 16 ounce cereal bowl or 3/4th of a cup in a measuring cup. I ate them with some iced tea. Nantucket might get a bit of rain this afternoon from Hurricane Noel Hurricane NOEL tracking . If Jimmy Eldert is hiding out on Nantucket, he might seek refuge off the island. Usually when he does that, I once heard he and Fred <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> also have a house in Manchester by the Sea, Massachusetts, but with him you never really know the truth. There obviously could be beach erosion there. Local Costal warning for Greenwich, Connecticut area National Weather Service Watch Warning Advisory Summary . Nantucket Live Cams Nantucket.net - Live Cams . It says the Steamship Authority has cancelled service today. This cam works Arno's Sidewalk Cam , and it should be daylight there about according to this November Tide Chart Nantucket at 7:14 A.M. today, and they have a High Tide this evening at 8:21 P.M. during the hurricane. Thus they might feel a bit more like Salty Dogs today. CIO

Note: <888> 11/03/07 Saturday 3:40 A.M.: In Internet Explorer 7.0 under Internet Options, Programs, Manage add-ons,

I had three Add-ons from a publisher called "Test Company",

they looked suspicious because they all three began with "DAS"

DASCeProxy Class

DASWebDownload Class

DASWebShop Class

I disabled the three Active X programs. I was told by the Cablevision tech support people some time back that Active X programs can cause system problems.

Since I think "DAS" is German for the word "The" in English, they might be from a German program or web site. The only program that I know that I have on my computer from Germany is Nero 7 Essentials.

There is another one "Research" from an unsigned publisher, but that is suppose to be from Microsoft Outlook 2003, but since that should not be on my computer, I also disabled it. CIO

Note: <888> 11/03/07 Saturday 2:05 A.M.: I went to bed after the last note. I woke up, and I drank some orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice. I went back to bed until 4 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a relative. I washed the breakfast dishes, and I made my bed. I went outside, and I threw out the garbage, and I picked up my mail. The order with tracking UPS: Tracking Information on the order from New Lee Jeans SALE with the 20% off coupon code that they emailed me, I ordered two pairs of Lee Store - Product Detail Regular Fit -Straight Leg Jean in dark stone color waist 42 inches length 30 inches for \$19.99 each pair less \$8 discount for \$31.98 total with free shipping arrived. I unpacked the Lee jeans, and they fit just fine. They usually shrink about an inch when washed. I hung them up in the closet. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went by the Greenwich Library, and I read P.C. magazine and P.C. World magazine. I chatted with a staff member. I then went by CVS. I recommended that they restock their Haines long underwear bottoms, which I have worn on cold winter's days in the past. I wore a similar pair this past evening. I chatted with a relative on my AT&T wireless telephone. I used the bathroom at the Senior and the Arts Center. I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I chatted with a few pedestrians. The U.S.A. flag is still missing from the veterans monument across the street from the Senior and the Arts center. I drove down by the waterfront. I went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a loaf of Stop and Shop whole wheat bread for \$1.50. I returned home. I put \$10 on my MacGray laundry card, so I now have \$12.25 on it. I checked out bargains on the internet.

This Toshiba laptop Newegg.com - TOSHIBA Tecra A8-EZ8511 NoteBook Intel Celeron M 430(1.73GHz) 15.4" Wide XGA 512MB DDR2 533 60GB 5400rpm DVD/CD-RW Combo Intel GMA950 - Retail as a clearance item for \$550 has a smaller 60 gigabyte hard drive,

but it will take two 2 gigabyte memory chips, so you could put in one 2 gigabyte memory chip for about \$60 to \$80 Newegg.com - Computer Parts, PC Components, Laptop Computers, Digital Cameras and more! Laptop Memory 200 pin DDR2 SO-DIMM 2 Gigabyte Speed DDR2 667 PC2 5300 and for \$615 to \$635, you would have a very good laptop with Microsoft Windows Vista Business edition. Microsoft Vista Business Edition has a retail cost of about \$200, and an OEM value of about \$150, so you basically would be paying about \$410 for a very good laptop less the operating system, and of course, one could always put in a larger hard drive for about \$100 to \$150 depending on the size. If I am not mistaken, Toshiba use to make the IBM ThinkPads.

I turned the living room thermostat up to 82 degrees Fahrenheit, and I turned on the two tower fans to blow the heat around the apartment. Once it warmed up a bit, I set it back down to 78 degrees Fahrenheit, which is where I normally keep it at in colder weather which keeps the apartment at about 70 to 72 degrees Fahrenheit.

I ate a baloney and cheese sandwich with one fourth of a 5 1/8th ounce tube of Pringle low fat sour cream and onion potato chips and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 11/02/07 Friday 5:40 A.M.: I am tired. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 11/02/07 Friday 4:30 A.M.: This has Windows Vista Business which has the Complete PC backup feature Newegg.com - HP 530 (GU337AT#ABA) NoteBook Intel Core Duo T2300E(1.66GHz) 15.4" Wide XGA 1GB DDR2 667 80GB 5400rpm DVD±R/RW Intel GMA950 - Retail \$645 before \$50 mail in rebate. Another gigabyte of memory at www.crucial.com is about \$30. CIO

Note: <888> 11/02/07 Friday 3:35 A.M.: http://ivis.eps.pitt.edu/data/Kamchatka/19-20Oct07_Bezy.pdf

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I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea.

CIO

Note: <888> 11/02/07 Friday 3:00 A.M.: I ate a couple bowls of goldfish crackers. I watched some television, and rested briefly. There are probably some people camped out at the local Wal-Mart stores in Wilton and Norwalk, Connecticut waiting to get their chance at the sale bargains today. Current temperature in Wilton, Connecticut is Wilton, Connecticut (06897) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground is 35 degrees Fahrenheit. If the Acer Laptop on sale for \$349 has Vista Home Edition, it is probably about a \$200 savings. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/02/07 Friday 12:45 A.M.: I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers before going to bed. I woke up at 6 P.M.. I missed my 3 P.M. appointment today. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 7:45 P.M.. I chatted with a relative. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I watched some television. I chatted with a relative. I washed the breakfast dishes, and I made my bed. I watered my plants, and I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl by the Sony television. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I went outside three times, and I also picked up my mail. I used the light ASSEENONTV vacuum sweeper to lightly clean my carpets. Wal-Mart has an Acer laptop for \$348 in their stores starting at 8 A.M. this morning with limited supplies Wal-Mart Holiday. Stock Market down 362 points yesterday Stocks Tumble on Citigroup Worries. I mailed my Microsoft Money 2006 October 2007 report to an interested relative, and I put the envelope in the mail room downstairs. CIO

Note: <888> 11/01/07 Thursday 8:35 A.M.: I ate a bowl of whole wheat gold fish crackers and two 2 inch by .25 inch by 1.25 inch slices of New York extra sharp cheddar cheese. I have a 3 P.M. appointment today. I will rest a while, and I will get up at noon to get ready for the appointment at 3 P.M.. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer. CIO

Note: <888> 11/01/07 Thursday 8:05 A.M.: Tracking is USPS - Track & Confirm "9101148008600380574317" on the order from DVD R Media,DVD-R Media,DVD-RW,DVD+R Media,DVD+RW,Buy Blank DVD Media,Dual Layer,DL DVD R Media,DVD-RAM,CD-R,CDR,CD-RW,DVDR,CD DVD R Media Storage Online Shop,CD DVD Labels,CD DVD Burner,DVD Drive,Ink Toner,Ink Cartridges,Pen Drives, a 21 LEDs Lamp for Bicycle,FREE STANDARD SHIPPING for \$9.99, a Kingston 1GB Secure Digital Memory Card (SD 1GB Card), Model SD/1GB for \$14.65 less \$5 off coupon with code "MMTOP5OFF" with free shipping for \$19.64 total.

Tracking is UPS: Tracking Information on the order from New Lee Jeans SALE with the 20% off coupon code that they emailed me, I ordered two pairs of Lee Store - Product Detail Regular Fit -Straight Leg Jean in dark stone color waist 42 inches length 30 inches for \$19.99 each pair less \$8 discount for \$31.98 total with free shipping.

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I finished going through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/01/07 Thursday 7:05 A.M.: Since it is now the first of November 2007, I assume all of our summer residents have now returned south for the winter, since anyone whom rents would have had their rents probably run out in the end of October 2007 before they return south, and the winter residents from further up north return. I put the large Cross of St. Andrews flag of Scotland back out over the United States of America flag and the British Union Jack flag over the right hallway bookcase, and I moved the Bermuda flag from the left living room closet to on top of the U.S. Air Force flag which is on top of the Saudi Arabian flag. Thus the apartment is pretty much back into its normal cold weather motif, but depending on my budget and other expenses, one never knows how it might change. Right now it is warm and comfortable, and I have the living room thermostat set at 70 degrees Fahrenheit, but the electric heat has not come on yet, and the bedroom thermostat is set at 60 degrees Fahrenheit, and I do not use the bathroom electric heater, since it uses too much electricity for the heat that it produces, and I have a small bookcase in front of it anyway. My British neighbor across the hall does not use the electric heat in the winter, but she does enjoy a cocktail, so I guess the British have a different way of staying warm in the winter. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/01/07 Thursday 6:30 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went downtown, and I noticed the U.S.A. flag had been taken down from the veterans monument across the street from the senior center and the Prisoner of War flag was left still attached to the rope on the ground. I reported the matter to the Greenwich Police department, and they raised the Prisoner of War flag, and I guess the U.S.A. flag at that location is now gone. There are still other U.S.A. flags flying at the post office, the Senior and the Arts Center, and the Greenwich Police station. I assume it was a children's Halloween prank. I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I noticed the vintage bronze Cadillac convertible is now gone from Carriage House motors, and in its place they have an early 1950s or late 1940s grey Jaguar roadster convertible with red leather interior. Maybe somebody drove off the Queen Mary II with it and traded it in for a vintage Cadillac. I tried using the ATM machine at the Chase bank in the center of Greenwich Avenue and at the top of Greenwich Avenue, and neither worked. The downtown area looked to be in good shape, and there does not seem to be anything else misplaced. I drove down by the waterfront, and there were no fishermen there, but it might still be good fishing this time of year. I then returned home. I paid my www.cablevision.com bill of \$156.46 which includes about \$88 for digital cable television and three cable boxes. It also includes my Optimum Boost Cable modem and my Optimum Voice, so that is why Cablevision is higher. I paid my www.cl-p.com bill which was down to \$97.10 from the regular monthly \$187, because I had a \$89 credit. I paid \$88.88 for my www.geico.com automobile insurance payment that I pay once a month for four months every six months. I paid my www.verizon.com bill which went up for the basic life line service from \$12.49 to \$14.47. At www.ordersmokesdirect.com the Native brand of generic cigarettes are no longer available, so I ordered 10 cartons of New York Seneca Ultra Lights 100s in a box for \$13.49 a carton and \$23.43 Priority Mail shipping signature required for \$158.33. On my AT&T wireless Go phone [AT&T GoPhone](http://AT&TGoPhone), I added \$25 at \$26.50 charge, so I now at 25 cents a minute have \$33.66 worth of time on it

good through January 30, 2008. I printed out my October Microsoft Money 2006 report, and I have a copy ready to mail to an interested relative. I will be a little low on funds this month, since I still have to pay my November 2007 rent to the Greenwich Housing Authority. However, I am suppose to get my Connecticut Renter's Rebate soon. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 11/01/07 Thursday 12:35 A.M.: I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I put away the laundry. I think my increase amount of intestinal gas is caused by an increased amount of sulfur or sulfur gas in our local water supply. I know the well water in New Canaan, Connecticut has large amounts of sulfur in it, and we use to use the Culligan Water Filters | Water Softeners | Water Purifiers | Bottled Water | Culligan man to treat the well water for sulfur like we did on the Farm in Illinois. However, sulfur water is good for you, and on the farm in Illinois the Gold Retriever was 17 years old. I know the local reservoir system here in Greenwich, Connecticut is fed by the Conyers Farm lake which is spring fed. I know there is a geological fault that runs just north of Putnam Avenue in Greenwich. It is possible that something has happened with that geological fault to put more sulfur or sulfur gas in our local reservoir water system. Although it is healthy for you, if you don't like farting all of the time, you could drink bottled water from elsewhere. I live across the street from www.perrier.com and it is owned Great Waters of France which is owned by www.nestle.com . Obviously with all of the professionals and chemists in the area, somebody knows about it. Last night I saw one of the Rockefellers buying four cases of bottled water at the Food Emporium. Also when the 12 police cars responded to the bottom of Greenwich Avenue last night, they probably thought it was a gas main leak, when it is the natural occurring sulfur gas in the area, or somebody letting lose with a sulfur fart. I will now eat a baloney and cheese sandwich a 1/3rd 5.25 ounce tube of Pringle low fat sour cream and onion potato chips with a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I then will shower and clean up, and I will go out for an early morning stroll. CIO

Note: <888> 12/31/07 Monday 10:45 P.M.: I woke up at 7 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel and a English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I checked out on the internet, and the replacement power adapter for the D-link router with LPT print server is here TC10A-050 - Linksys TC10A-050 power supply provided by AtBatt.com , but with shipping it would be about \$26. The one from the Siemens routers that I am using as a replacement, the DVE Switching Power Supply Model

DSA-0151A-05A is available here [DC Wall Adapters | Excess Solutions](#) for \$12 and \$9.32 shipping for about \$22, and it seems to be a cooler more reliable one that came with the D-Link 704 P router with LPT print server. However, for about 150% more, I could get a [Best Buy Canada Web Store: Computers: Networking: D-Link 4 Port Router with Print Port \(DI-604UP\)](#) for \$60 and shipping. However, the way I figure it, I have the AT&T wireless router and the Linksys wireless router, both of which might have similar power adapters, and although they do not have print servers, they would work with my network setup if needed. Thus I will hold off for now on getting anything. I chatted with a relative. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I brought my digital cameras and tripod with me, and I took some pictures of the Audi in my parking lot, and then I drove down by the waterfront on Grass Island, and I took some more pictures. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I took some more pictures. I chatted with a local. I then drove up town, and I saw a fellow walker, and I gave him a ride in the Audi, and we went by Garelick and Herbs where the walker had coffee, and I used the bathroom. I then dropped the walker off downtown. I then said hello to someone in Starbucks. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I chatted with another regular. I stopped by the Senior and the Arts Center to use the bathroom. I stopped by CVS, and I bought a 60 capsule bottle of 1000 mg. MSM for \$6.79, and a second one for \$3.40, and for 75% off four 9.2 ounce bags of Hershey small mini milk chocolate bars for .75 each and four red and green Christmas 14 ounce bags of M&M chocolate candies for .87 each and a red cinnamon scent candle in a jar for 75% off for \$1.25, and I used a \$2 off \$10 CVS coupon plus .34 tax for \$16.25 total. I then completed my walk. I took some pictures of the Audi downtown. I then went by [www.newcountry.com](#) Audi, but they were closed. I need to get a couple of lug bolt covers for two lug bolts that do not have covers on the tires. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason street, and I used the ATM machine, and I got some parking change to have handy. I then returned home. I said hello to some neighbors. I ate about a half of a cup of M&Ms. I chatted with a relative. I printed out my Microsoft Money 2006 reports in two copies for December 2007, Year 2007 total, Year 2007 by subcategory, 1991 to 2007 by year category, and 1991 to 2007 by totals. I put one set of copies in a large envelope to mail to an interested relative. I just chatted with that relative.

I posted the pictures that I took today here <http://mikelouisscott.com/audi123107/> . CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 12/30/07:

Note: <888> 12/30/07 Sunday 9:55 P.M.: [American Red Cross: Donate](#)

[Windows Vista: Top 10 Things You Can Do](#)

[Microsoft hit with \\$1.5 billion patent verdict | Tech News on ZDNet](#)

It could happen to you [BBC NEWS | Americas | Separated twins meet at last, aged 35](#)

[BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Uncertainty over shuttle launch](#)

I will now send out my weekly notes. I will then shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 12/30/07 Sunday 9:10 P.M.: The Speedometer on the 1998 Audi A6 goes up to 160 miles per hour, but I would not be able to drive it that fast, since it has Michelin H rated tires on it with 32,000 miles usage, and H rated tires when new are only good for about 110 miles per hour. Thus in emergency, I would even think twice about driving it over 70 miles per hour in its current tire condition. There is still plenty of tread on all four tires, and I figure that they are probably good for another two years at least at the rate I drive at about 3,000 miles a year locally. However, in summer driving trips to Kennebunkport, Maine, I might find myself going over 60 miles per hour. Since they are Michelin tires, I would assume they are relatively safe. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/30/07 Sunday 7:55 P.M.: I had a technical problems. Basically what happened was the 5 volt transformer for the D-Link router failed. It was hot to the touch, but the D-Link router was not working. I first thought the server had been hacked, so I restored my backup. Then the Cable Modem would not work, and it turned out that it had become unplugged from its extension cord, so I removed the extension cord, and I plugged it directly into the control panel. I ate the dinner below while restoring the backup. I then figured out it was the faulty D-link router 5 volt transformer was causing the problem, so I used the 5 volt transformer from my spare Siemens router. Thus the systems are not back up and running again. However, I first have to install the updates on the FIC server XP partition before I restart it. I also have to restore any changed files from the D: drive to the C: drive. It all takes time. I chatted with two relatives and two friends. CIO

Note: <888> 12/30/07 Sunday 4:00 P.M.: I made copies of all of the Audi maintenance receipts. I also printed out three copies of the Audi maintenance list. I put one copy of the maintenance list with the copies of the receipts, and I held them together with a clamp, and I put them in a large brown envelope, and I put them in the driver's side rear seat map holder, and I also put the Audi owner's manual back in the glove compartment. Thus the glove compartment is neater without all of the old paper work. I put the other two copies of the maintenance list with the original receipts and paper work in another large brown envelope on the right side of the bedroom desk. I filled out a Audi recall change of address card and a Audi owner's change of address card, and I have them ready to mail to Audi. I had to reinstall the Minolta 1250W driver, but it was the USB cable to the four port USB Hub that became disconnected from the 7 port USB hub, so the Minolta 1250W laser printer is now working just fine. I will not cut two 3/8th inch thick slices of cold eye round, and I will put Lea and Perrins Worcestershire sauce on them with Gold's horse radish, and on the dinner plate, and I will reheat the remaining stuffing, and I will also microwave a cup of broccoli crowns and baby carrots on two vegetable cycles before heating them more with the stuffing on two vegetable cycles, and will put the vegetables in a bowl with the stuffing on the meat plate, and I will eat it all with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 12/30/07 Sunday 1:25 P.M.: Here is my 1998 Audi A6 maintenance and service records that I was able to reconstruct from the documentation that came with the car 1998 Audi A6 owned by Michael Scott.

Note: <888> 12/30/07 Sunday 11:30 A.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, a toasted bagel with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I read the 1998 Audi A6 owners manual which took a while. I sorted out the service records that I have by date. I took out the other old documents from the two previous family members. I will now make up a web page with the service records and other pertinent information. I will then make copies of the service records. I will store the original service records in my apartment by the bedroom desk in a large envelope, and I will store the copies in the driver's side rear seat map pocket. When I dropped off my two relative at the Greenwich train station whom delivered the Audi this past Thursday, I thought I saw <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> coming out of the train station, and he waved his hand at me, as he was cross the sidewalk in front of the north side of the train station, while I was stopped waiting for him. CIO

Note: <888> 12/29/07 Saturday 9:20 P.M.: Welcome to TheMovieDownloads - No.1 Movie download site worldwide!

Queen Elizabeth 2.0 - Forbes.com

I'll go through my email tomorrow. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will hope it does not too much colder soon. Have a good night. CIO

Note: <888> 12/29/07 Saturday 8:15 P.M.: Basically being an economist, I know the Rockefellers are just another ordinary family that advertised themselves too much trying to sell gasoline, and I know they never made that much money, since in the old days, they use to sell gasoline for two cents a gallon, and there was not much money in the business. There is a different between public relations and reality. CIO

Note: <888> 12/29/07 Saturday 8:10 P.M.: I ate a piece of pumpkin pie with a scoop of lite Maple Walnut ice cream. I used the Swivel Sweeper to do a quick clean up of the main traffic areas in the apartment. I am charging up its power pack. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/29/07 Saturday 7:10 P.M.: I too the three pound eye round, and I put it on a baking rack in a baking pan, and I seasoned it with ground black pepper, garlic powder, and Italian seasoning. I then covered it with Kraft Barbeque sauce. I baked it in the Farberware convection over at 325 degrees for 32 minutes. For the last 15 minutes of the baking cycle, I steamed in a Revere pot with steamer tray about a cup of baby carrots and broccoli crowns, and I put the vegetables in a bowl with some olive oil on it. I also reheated in the microwave oven the half or about a cup of the remaining stuffing and the rice from four nights ago and the remaining mushroom gravy. I cut two 7/16th inch thick slices of

the eye round, and I put it on a dinner plate with the cooking juices on it. I put the remaining eye round in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I put the stuff in a separate bowl. I put the flavored rice on a dinner plate with the gravy on it and the stuffing. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I then cleaned up the pans and dishes. I then dressed up a bit warmly, and I went outside, and I used a Stanley scraper to scrape the two old Pennsylvania emissions stickers off the inside of my windshield, so I have room for my new Greenwich beach sticker this spring beneath the Connecticut January 2009 registration sticker. I left a black Bic pen in the Audi sedan, so I can record my mileage when I get gasoline. Sometimes, however, ball point pens do not work when they get cold. I chatted with a neighbor. I told my neighbor that the warmer weather up to 56 degrees Fahrenheit might have been caused by a solar flare, and unfortunately I have a theory that a solar flare can cause volcanic activity and other tectonic activity, and if a volcanic eruption happened in the right location, it might make it colder in this area. I walked around the building. I chatted with another neighbor. I then returned to my apartment, and I chatted with another neighbor. I then left a message with a relative and some friends. I still have to read the Audi owners manual, when I am rested and have time. The Union Suit Two-Layer Union Suit, Men's: Hunting Gear and Apparel at L.L.Bean that I ordered it in red in double extra large tall for \$34.99, and I used coupon code "2700000" for free 3 to 5 day ground shipping for \$34.95 total was delivered by www.fedex.com was made in Canada. CIO

Note: <888> 12/29/07 Saturday 2:50 P.M.: I went out after the last note, and I chatted with some neighbors. I then went by the George Weston Bakeries Arnold Bread Outlet, and I bought two six packs of New York Everything bagels for .99 each six pack for \$1.98 total. I then went by Gateway Automobile Supply, and I bought two quarts of Pennzoil 10W40 oil for \$3 each and a 12 ounce container of Gumout Fuel Injector Cleaner concentrated for \$3.99 for \$9.99 total. I then went by the Audi dealership www.newcountry.com, and I was given 4 short and 4 long rear metric license plate bolts and they also gave me a New Country Audi, Greenwich, license plate frame, and I use two of the long metric bolts to put the license plate frame and rear license plate on the rear of the Audi. I put the two old rusty bolts and the six new bolts in my socket wrench set. I then went downtown, and I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I was told that people can use the senior and the arts center parking pass at the Board of Education parking lot until the first of the year, during the holiday period. I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a Holiday Doubler scratch card for a dollar, and I won \$5 for \$4 net profit. On my way up Greenwich Avenue, I went by CVS, and they have their Christmas candy in Holiday bags on sale for half price. I bought four 9.2 ounce Hershey mini bars for \$1.49, and two 14 ounce M&M chocolate candies for \$1.75 each and a 60 capsule CVS MSM 1000 mg. for \$6.79 and .57 tax for \$16.82 total. I then finished my walk. Up at the top of Greenwich Avenue, they are erecting and putting in the steel framing for the office building just south of Pickwick Plaza, and I heard one of the construction workers say they need more help. I sat out for a while after my walk. I then used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street, and I used the ATM machine. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought an eye round roast for \$2.99 a pound for \$8.85, a two pound bag of baby carrots for

\$2.99, Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.47, and broccoli crowns at \$1.99 a pound for \$2.61 for \$15.92 total. I returned home, and my Union Suit Two-Layer Union Suit, Men's: Hunting Gear and Apparel at L.L.Bean that I ordered it in red in double extra large tall for \$34.99, and I used coupon code "2700000" for free 3 to 5 day ground shipping for \$34.95 total was delivered by www.fedex.com . I then tried on the Union suit over my sweat pants and rugby shirt, and it fits just fine, being slightly larger in case it shrinks a bit when washed. Supposedly one can tumble dry it, but I usually do not tumble dry wool. I chatted with a relative. I also returned FedEx's message to let them know that I received the Union Suit. I put one of the bags of M&Ms in the candy dish on the brass and glass coffee table. CIO

Note: <888> 12/29/07 Saturday 7:35 A.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I have paid all of my January 2008 bills except my rent. Earlier in December, I paid my www.geico.com bill until April 2008. I just paid my www.cablevision.com bill for Digital High Definition Cable Television, Optimum Online Boost Cable Modem, and Optimum Voice unlimited telephone service. I also paid my electricity bill at www.cl-p.com . I also paid my Verizon telephone bill at www.verizon.com . I also ordered from www.ordersmokesdirect.com , 8 cartons of New York Seneca Ultra Lights 100s in a box for \$13.49 a carton, and \$19.45 signature required United States Postal Service Priority Mail delivery for \$127.37 total. I still have to pay my rent to the Greenwich Housing Authority, and I will then be back to my normal subsidence minimal living standard in Greenwich, Connecticut. I will shower and clean up, and I will go out for some early morning errands. I will shut down the primary Vista computer. CIO

Note: <888> 12/28/07 Friday 9:15 P.M.: I chatted with the Casa Marina again, and they told me the occasionally have alligator and crocodile sightings in the Florida Keys. I chatted with the Key West Florida ~ Police Department , and they told me Key West, Florida is 150 miles at sea, so no alligator and crocodiles show up. When I chatted with the Cuban operator earlier today at the Casa Marina, they told me the Cuban refugees will not even show up in Key West, Florida because of the problems down there. So whatever the case, nobody really knows. Thus whatever, the case I do not really know the case based on my experience down there during the colder months. Alligator and crocodiles are reptiles and cold blooded, so they tend not to be visible and more dormant during colder weather. Earlier today, I ate two Clementine's. A little while ago, I just ate two more Clementine's and the remains of a bag of potato chips. I chatted with someone that knows English. I chatted with a relative. I am a little bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good night. I will try to do my errands tomorrow. I also chatted with another relative earlier. I also chatted with a friend that has a cold. I got the spelling wrong Thomas Hinman Moorner - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia . Come to think about it, neither of the pictures look like the people I saw in Key West, Florida or Fort Lauderdale, so maybe they were the sheriffs. They both looks a little bit like Richard Widmark Richard Widmark - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia , but older than him. Perhaps, they were just look alike. CIO

Note: <888> 12/28/07 Friday 6:05 P.M.: The only person that I ever saw in Key West, Florida with a side arm besides the local police was the fellow that closed down the Delmonicos Bar every morning about 4:30 A.M.. He looked a lot like Fleet Admiral Halsey, and the last time I was in Fort Lauderdale in the fall of 1983, before I moved back to Greenwich, Connecticut via Nantucket and Toronto and Manhattan with W. Averill Harriman's sister's son's garage apartment telephone number, there was a fellow at the Marlin Beach Hotel in Fort Lauderdale that looked like Admiral Moore, but there is no mention of him on the internet, so I guess he is not too well known. I do know that the United States Navy www.navy.mil since they have ocean going vessels do have the capability of transporting just about anything under the sun. CIO

Note: <888> 12/28/07 Friday 5:40 P.M.: I chatted with a friend. The last time, I was in Key West, Florida in February 1982, it was quite busy because it was minus 26 degrees Fahrenheit in Manhattan, and when I got down to Key West, Florida, there was no place for me to stay. I stayed a few days with Steve Bahl of Fennimore Cheese All Cheese, all the time... » The History of Fennimore Cheese (Part 1) for a few days until he had to use his guest room for his sister coming to visit. I was offered a place to stay by a fellow that looked like Nelson Rockefeller Nelson Rockefeller - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia, but he lived in a tiny room next to the Key West Police station, and I did not want to crowd him in. I decided to stay up all night by the ocean at the Clarence Higgs beach next to the Casa Marina. I chatted with a young fellow that looked like a young John James Audubon whom was a local in the area. In the morning, a Cuban Key West police officer arrested me for sleeping in public, and told me he did not like Nazis, and said I was a Nazi, because I was wearing Ray-Ban Official Website sun glasses which cost me \$50 on Fifth Avenue at the time. Back in 1976, when I first showed up in Key West, Florida for Halloween, I was told, I had to be careful, because one could be killed down there for a five dollar bill. Thus I could have done in ten people for a pair of sunglasses. I guess the United States Navy was not able to run a secure facility down there. A few northern people whom seemed to know me seemed to be equally in distress. Whatever, the real story, it would seem to me, that when I went south, some people came north, and they had a hard time, so although I was not doing anything wrong down there, it would seem to me, they held me as a political hostage down there in the tip of Florida. They seem to have the attitude that the rest of the state does not matter. Basically, they would listen to Jimmy Eldert, possibly because he was Jimmy Roosevelt the son of the mayor of Miami, but although I knew him in 1976 to 1978 down there and in Nantucket, by 1982, he had move to Santa Cruz, California for better surfing. I never actually slept on the beach in Key West, by the Casa Marina that time, but I climbed up on the wall of the Fort Mallory garden that had a small terraced area off the beach. Since I don't think it is safe to sleep on the beach in Florida in case a salt water crocodile or alligator came out of the water at night, one would be in jeopardy. However, when you live outside in a supposedly secure area, the local population usually object, because the local population in Key West, Florida only care about tourism, and thus if they were threatened by invasion, they would not want to be bothered by any local military people whom tend to have a habit of spending quite a bit of time outside. Since the land around the waterfront of Key West is leased by the United States Government with the lease provision that the government can use the land at any time they want to use if needed, obviously the United States Military could walk into a hotel such as the Casa

Marina, and commandeer it, and use it for any purposes that they chose to at anytime they wished to so do so. The last time I was in Key West, Florida in February 1982, there were three United States Navy frigates moored off the waterfront in front of the Casa Marina. I assumed they were United States Navy, but they could have been from some other foreign navy. I do recall they were grey. CIO

Note: <888> 12/28/07 Friday 3:15 P.M.: There is not much on television here, but another Flipper movie with Crocodile Dundee, which I have not seen before. Most people whom watch flipper shows up north do not know about reptiles in Florida. I called up Key West Hotel Resorts & Florida Keys Beach Accommodations - Casa Marina Resort Key West , and I chatted with them, but they were not chatty. Not much happening here in this neck of the woods. I think it is suppose to rain here later on tonight. I think I will now shower and clean up, so I feel a little bit fresher. CIO

Note: <888> 12/28/07 Friday 1:05 P.M.: I probably will not be going out today, since I only had five hours sleep last night, and I was awake 22 hours yesterday. I checked the outside lights on the Audi, and the are all fine. Earlier, I hung from the driver's side rear window hook a new Christmas tree royal pine scent cards. www.dhl.com just delivered the FRYS.com | MAXTOR 300 GB Ultra DMA Maxtor Hard drive kit for \$44 and two day shipping for \$9.99 for \$53.99 total. I will keep it to have for a spare and possibly use in future use. I will now eat the same dinner at the last three days. CIO

Note: <888> 12/28/07 Friday 11:45 A.M.: I woke up at 5 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I went outside, and I took the front license plates off the Audi, and I put the other two star or hex head bolts on the lower side of the new front license plate bracket, so it now has four hex or star bolts attaching it to the front bumper. I then put the front license plate back on the Audi. I checked the oil, and it is full. It was just changed, and my relative had all the maintenance done on it including oil and filter change. They spent about \$1300 on the most recent maintenance. They also had the Audi detailed, so if I washed the car, it would look just fine, but since it is going to rain tomorrow, I will not worry about washing the Audi. I put the Greenwich Land Trust The Greenwich Land Trust sticker in the rear lower right inside of the rear window. It is a more sensible sticker, since it adheres, but it can be easily removed, since it is not adhesive. Their donation form is here The Greenwich Land Trust - Donate Now Email Form . I put the snow brushes and the umbrellas in the rear of the car, except one small folding umbrella in the rear map holder on the passenger side. Thus the rear seat can be used more easily without the other objects around. I sorted out some smaller items in the blue duffle bag that I left in the rear of the car. I left one ice scraper in front of the driver's side floor of the car. I brought up the cassette tapes and I left them by the stereo system, where the white vinegar scent bowl was, and I removed that, since I do not think I need it. I also found in a small pink carrying bag that the tapes were in, a set of poker dice, which I put by the playing cards by the French reproduction chair. I put the small pink canvas carrying bag hanging by the front door with the other carry bags. It has my relative's name tag on it. I brought up the Audi owner's manual with the

other information to look at and to sort through. I put the Senior Center and the Arts Center parking pass above the passenger side front visor. I found a third Audi key which is a valet key, and I brought it up to the apartment. A valet key does not work on the glove box, and possibly not on the trunk. I chatted with a relative. I now have to water the plants, and throw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. A Microsoft Representative called up about selling me the Microsoft Action Pack for small businesses, but I explained to them what I know and that I can not afford it. If I go out today, I need to get two new rear license plate bolts for the Audi at Welcome to New Country Audi of Greenwich, because the current ones are rusted and have Phillips screw heads that are worn. I also need to get English muffins or bagels and bananas. I also need to get a couple of quarts of oil and some fuel injector cleaner to put into the Audi fuel tank. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 11:35 A.M.: I am a bit tired. I have been awake for 21 hours, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good night. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 9:30 A.M.: I chatted with my relative delivering the Audi after the last note. I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors, and I waited for my two relatives to deliver the Audi. They arrived at noon. I got in the Audi with them, and they got out at the Greenwich train station, and I took over the Audi. I said goodbye, but they live nearby, so they have friends in the area. I got two sets of keys with the Audi. I then went by the Shell station at 83 East Putnam Avenue, and had the VIN number check on my out of state vehicle, and they checked the emissions for \$20, and I passed the emissions test. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street, and I used their ATM machine. I then used the bathroom downstairs at the Bank of New York. I then drove up to the Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles in Norwalk, Connecticut, on I-95 East and Route 7 north, and I got the form, I needed, and I filled it out. I chatted with a friend on my cell phone, and I waited for the 14 people in front of me. They charged me all together \$55 to transfer the out of state title, and register the Audi with my Connecticut plates. It was \$25 title transfer, \$20 registration transfer, and \$10 inspection fee for \$55 total. I do not pay sales tax since I am getting the Audi from an immediate relative. I then took off the out of state plate off the rear of the Audi, and I put on my same old Connecticut plate. There was no way to mount the front plate, which I took care of later. I put the Connecticut DMV sticker in the driver's side inside lower corner of the front window. I chatted with somebody from Genoa, Italy about living in Italy and volcanoes. I used the bathroom at the DMV. I then took the Merritt Parkway back to Greenwich, and I got off at North Street. I stopped by the Greenwich Automotive Exxon Service Station, and I bought \$31 of premium self service gasoline at \$3.759 a gallon for 8.246 gallons for 170.5 miles driving since my relatives filled it up at odometer reading of 59,374 miles for 20.677 miles per gallon in mixed driving. I then went by the Welcome to New Country Audi of Greenwich, and I bought a front license plate bracket for my 1998 Audi A6 sedan, part # 1416B4B0-807-285-A-3FZ for \$87.60 and \$5.26 sales tax for \$92.86 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with a neighbor. I use two pointed screws to start the holes to mount the license plate bracket, and once they were started, I use a small hex bit on a driver to mount the front license plate bracket with the screws that came with it, and then I use four screws to mount the front license plate. I put the items that I had taken out of the

Buick wagon and stored in the apartment, and I put them back in the Audi. I copied the paper work and receipts for the activity that I had done. I put the Audi key ring on the second spare key. I chatted with two relatives. I have the emissions inspection report, the new registration, and the www.geico.com insurance card in the black vinyl paper holder in the glove box. Thus the Audi is all set for my normal driving routine. My relatives had all of the maintenance done on it before I received it. I will now reheat and eat the same dinner at the last two nights. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 10:50 A.M.: I will now shut down the computer, and I will wait inside for my relatives to arrive. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 10:30 A.M.: I chatted with a friend. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. I am ready to go, once my relatives arrive with the Audi in a half hour or so. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 9:45 A.M.: I went out after the last note, and I went outside, and I chatted with some neighbors. I then ate a piece of pumpkin pie with a scoop of lite maple ice cream and a glass of iced tea. I then chatted with a relative. The plans have changed and the Audi will be delivered here between 11 and 11:30 A.M. today. I will drop off my relatives at the train station, and I will probably get the emissions checked, and I will then transfer the title and registration at the Norwalk DMV. I chatted with a neighbor downstairs. I am making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 7:05 A.M.: Logitech Cordless Desktop® LX™ 710 Laser at Staples® for \$40 with free shipping. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 5:30 A.M.: http://www.jakeludington.com/video_security/20071226_solar_powered_wireless_security_camera_diy_project.html

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I went through my email. I will now shower and clean up. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 5:15 A.M.: I can raise you two more Dons for ten Dons, there is my godfather Don Schuler and Eye, Ear, Noise, Throat doctor in St. Louis, Missouri, and there also once was an actor named Don Knots of the Knots Barry Farm near Disney Land, so it is basically a fairly common name in America. I think it also comes the fact that one of the primary Disney www.disney.com characters over the years was Donald Duck. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 4:35 A.M.: I can raise you three more Dons. I also knew Don Meniffee who was a vice president of the Midwest Bank in Lake Forest, Illinois. I met Hurley Haywood's stepfather who was named Don Reuben, who was suppose to be the

head attorney for Hertz rent a car, and somebody out here back east also told me he was the head attorney for the Chicago mafia. I also have heard in Greenwich, Connecticut about Donald Merchant who is Tom Devlin's Thomas Devlin Obituary October 10, 1995 grandson, and although I have never met him, and I do not know what he looks like, he is suppose to be a large person, and the Greenwich Time use to print stories that he is the Chief of Detectives here in Greenwich, Connecticut. There also use to be a Joe Merchant down in Key West, Florida. That is eight Dons. I am trying to figure out with Turkey invading Northern Iraq, if they are our allies or if they are fighting against us. Having visited Turkey in the spring of 1972, I know they are formidable military force. CIO

Note: <888> 12/27/07 Thursday 4:00 A.M.: I woke up at 2 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. When I mentioned Chris Groom in my notes, when I met him 19 years ago, while he was jogging around town at night. I found out that he was raised next to the Rye, New York high school with three older brothers, and his father was the actor Sam Groom that started the jogging trend in Manhattan. He told me he had caddied for Donald Trump at the Winged Foot Country Club the summer before, and he thought Donald Trump was out of shape and looked like a pear. That is much the same way I look today, so maybe I should be playing golf with Donald Trump. However, I also have a younger nephew named Chris whom does not live in this area, and he might be the cleverest Chris of the group. In terms of Donalds, I can raise one Donald Trump with four more Donalds for five of a kind. One of my parents best friends growing up was Donald MacBride whom was from Muskegon, Michigan, and is retired in Hilton Head, South Carolina. When I first moved back to Manhattan, in 1973, I met Donald Monroe whom was raised at Fort Hood, Texas since his father was a major in the Army, and Donald Monroe lived south of SoHo, across the street from the telephone exchange and military intelligence headquarters in Manhattan. He later moved up town to 13th street across the street from the Forbes building and near where Ramsey Clark lived. He use to show videotapes of 50,000 Bradley tanks all lined up, and we tried to figure out if it was real or trick photography like Adolph Hitler use to do. I never met him, but Jimmy Eldert's father was named Donald Eldert, and since his family were neighbors of Richard Nixon in Key Biscayne, Florida, Donald Eldert might have had something to do with the U.S. Government. Jimmy's family supposedly own a bank in Syracuse, New York, but I am not sure what bank. Locally here I know Donald MacIntyre, and he worked at Putnam Trust for a great many years, and the last I heard he was working at U.S. Trust next door. The last time I chatted with him, I asked him if U.S. Trust had safe deposit vaults, and he told me no. I suggest to him they should make investments in the liquor business, since it seems to be profitable. I will now make my bed and wash the breakfast dishes. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 5:45 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. My relatives are not going to deliver the Audi tomorrow. Instead this weekend on Saturday or Sunday, three other relatives will deliver the Audi. It is fine with me, since I am able to keep busy working at home. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 5:15 P.M.: I called back www.llbean.com , and I chatted with them about the Union Suit Two-Layer Union Suit, Men's: Hunting Gear and Apparel at L.L.Bean that I ordered it in red in double extra large tall for \$34.99, and I used coupon code "2700000" for free 3 to 5 day ground shipping for \$34.95 total. I asked them if they knew the weather forecast for the upcoming winter, and they told me it is suppose to be worse than normal. They told me they had already had four snow storms in southern Maine. It says in the notes for the Red Union suit that you are suppose to wash in similar colors, and definitely not in you whites, or you would have a lot of pink whites. I mentioned that I had given my last L.L. Bean Maine Field Coat to a marathon runner in this area about 19 years ago. I think when I met <http://mikelouisscott.com/chris2000.jpg> , I also bought him a green www.llbean.com Gortex jacket that I bought in the Greenwich Hospital Thrift shop for \$50, since he did not have a winter coat. However, being from Jay Peak, Vermont, he might not have needed a winter coat. The Marathon runner was Chris Groom from Rye, who went to the University of Vermont. The last I heard from Chris Parizo is that he is doing condominium maintenance in New London, Connecticut and living at the entrance to the Coast Guard Academy. However, being younger people, they both probably lead different lifestyles than I do. Chris Groom is suppose to be a physical fitness trainer over in Stamford, Connecticut. I still see him jogging around here occasionally. Well, when you are somebody like myself who spends a lot of time outside walking around year round, you tend to meet other people whom spend time outside, if you get my snow drift. The phone operator at L.L. Bean told me the store is still privately owned, and it is not owned by www.sears.com . They told me Sears had bought Lands End. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 4:25 P.M.: RealAge Managing Overactive Bladder

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ABC News: Boston's \$14.8B Big Dig Finally Complete

Germany Heading For Slowdown, Says Minister - Forbes.com

I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 3:40 P.M.: I went out after the last note, and I threw out some garbage. I chatted with some neighbors. There was a light colored BMW wagon in our parking lot from California, so somebody must have driven across country in this winter weather. I picked up my mail. I reheated and made the same dinner as yesterday's Christmas dinner. I will now go through my email. I set the living room thermostat at 70

degrees Fahrenheit to try to save on energy, but that will leave the living room at around 65 degrees and a bit damp. When one has arthritis, the dampness can bother one. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 1:00 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I called up www.llbean.com , and I changed the order to double extra large in tall in red for the Two-Layer Union Suit, Men's: Hunting Gear and Apparel at L.L.Bean I ordered it in red in double extra large tall for \$34.99, and I used coupon code "2700000" for free 3 to 5 day ground shipping for \$34.95 total. I do not wear the union suit when going outside, because I have plenty of other long underwear and winter clothes. When it gets really cold around here, and with the higher price of fuel, I lower the thermostat a bit, and it is now set at 74 degrees Fahrenheit in the living room, which would leave the living room at around 68 degrees Fahrenheit, I wear the union suits over my leisure clothes such as sweat pants and rugby shirt, so I have extra warmth, particularly when I go to bed, since I keep the bedroom colder. I had a telephone call from www.overstock.com , and they called to confirm the Samsung color laser printer was cancelled. I will now go out and check the mail. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 12:05 P.M.: RDStore.com free shipping

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Sale at L.L.Bean

Country Plaid Flannel Pajamas: Sleepwear and Underwear at L.L.Bean

Two-Layer Union Suit, Men's: Hunting Gear and Apparel at L.L.Bean I ordered it in red in double extra large tall for \$34.99, and I used coupon code "2700000" for free 3 to 5 day ground shipping for \$34.95 total. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 11:10 A.M.: I received email that the Samsung CLP-300 Laser Printer : Printers & Scanners from Overstock.com was cancelled, and the \$75.94 will be returned to my bank account, which has not happened yet. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I chatted with a relative twice. I checked with the Shell station at 83 East Putnam Avenue, and I can bring the Audi there with the out of state plates to get emissions checked and do the VIN number check all for \$20. I also can take the Audi to transfer the title and register it at the DMV: Norwalk Office which will be simpler for me. Tomorrow Thursday, they are opened late until 7 P.M.. Two of my relatives are suppose to deliver the Audi tomorrow morning at around 10 A.M., and I will drop them off afterwards at the Greenwich train station. I guess I could do the emissions and DMV after that. They are suppose to be bringing the title and the bill of sale from a relative, so I will not pay sales taxes, since I am being given it by my sister. I have my paper work and license plates in a bag ready to take with me. I also have a Phillips and a regular screw driver and a pair of pliers, but I do not know what type of license plate bolts the Audi has for exchanging the

plates. I was given an extra \$5 into my account by www.overstock.com for the problem with the Samsung color laser printer. In their email, they said they did not have it inventory anyway. I also showered, and I cleaned up. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 8:15 A.M.: Actually I have a spare Gigabyte GA-7VT600P-RZ which works with SATA, and I have another one that might be all right, but I am not sure, plus the same one in the primary Vista computer without a SATA controller, plus I have a similar VIA600 motherboard with SATA, so in effect I probably have three similar motherboards with SATA controllers that are like my current Gigabyte GA-7VT600-RZ motherboard without SATA, so as far as primary computer motherboards, I have ample backup. However, there is no reason to change the C: drive at the moment, since it is just 13 months old, but constantly used. If it failed, I would could technically restore my external backup to the current 200 gigabyte D: hard drive installed as a C: drive, however, I would lose my beta downloads, which I have on DVD too. I could also try my 160 gigabyte Epox computer D: drive for a C: drive in an emergency, but it might be slightly too small or large, and it might not work for a short term fix. The other alternative would be to use the new Maxtor 250 gigabyte hard drive from the Bytecc external hard drive. If I was doing preventive maintenance before any hard drive failure, I could install the Bytecc Maxtor 250 gigabyte hard drive as the primary Vista computer D: drive and copy my backup files and Vista backup to it, and use the Seagate 200 Gigabyte hard drive at the C: drive, and use the new Maxtor 320 gigabyte hard drive in the Bytecc external hard drive. However, with the spare hard drive, I do not think there is any reason to do any preventive maintenance, since at this point the current primary Vista computer Western Digital 160 gigabyte C: drive might well run for another two years or more without any difficulty, and a lot can happen in that period if you get my drift. In an emergency even with low funds, I can always order a suitable replacement hard drive from www.newegg.com at the regular price with a two to three day delivery. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 7:40 A.M.: If the Seagate 200 Gigabyte hard drive were installed in the primary Vista computer as the primary C: hard drive, and if it ever failed, I have a new hardly used 250 Gigabyte April 2007 IDE Maxtor hard drive in the Bytecc external hard drive that could be the next replacement upgrade option in the primary Vista computer. I am currently using on the Vista Primary computer a Western Digital primary C: 160 gigabyte hard drive with only about 62 gigabytes free hard drive space, but it does not change much, since I only have added mostly betas recently, which eventually could be deleted after the beta cycles, so it would have even more space in the long run. I only have 17 gigabytes of free space on the Seagate 200 gigabyte D: drive, but it has a lot of redundant backups which could be eliminated to free up space. As a backup drive, it does not get as much use as the primary C: drive. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 7:10 A.M.: My primary Vista computer hard drives are only a year old <http://mikelouisscott.com/computer.htm> , but it does not hurt to have spare hard drive in case of hard drive failure. From what I know, one can not restore one's Vista system to a primary SATA hard drive. One can not also restore one's Vista system to a smaller or similar IDE hard drive, but only an identical or a larger IDE hard drive. Thus once the final release of Vista SP1 is released in January, I could restore my backup from

the second 200 gigabyte D: drive to the C: drive, and I then could install the new Maxtor 320 gigabyte hard drive as my D: drive. I then could copy my backup files and backup Vista to it. I then could install Vista SP1 update to the C: hard drive, and back it up again to the new 320 gigabyte hard drive. Once it is backed up, I could install the less used older Seagate 200 Gigabyte hard drive as my primary C: drive, and restore the Vista backup to it, and I would have my old more used Western Digital 160 gigabyte hard drive as a spare hard drive. Also I could do nothing, and just keep the new Maxtor IDE 320 gigabyte hard drive as a spare hard drive in case in the future I have hard drive failure. Once one started using a larger IDE hard drive in Vista for the primary Vista hard drive, one would not be able to restore Vista to a smaller used backup hard drive. I should really have bought two, and put in two new hard drives, but I can not afford that. I might just keep the new 320 gigabyte Maxtor hard drive as a spare hard drive. I technically could take the 320 gigabyte SATA hard drive out of the D: drive of the Server, and install it as a second D: drive in the primary Vista computer with the new Maxtor 320 gigabyte IDE hard drive as the primary hard drive, and then I could put either of the other primary computer 160 or 200 gigabyte hard drives in the server as the D: drive on IDE. However, I just remembered, my current primary Vista computer motherboard does not have SATA, so that is not an option unless I changed to one of the other similar backup motherboards with SATA. I will probably just keep it as a spare until I need the space. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 6:25 A.M.: I ordered FRYS.com | [MAXTOR 300 GB Ultra DMA Maxtor Hard drive kit](#) for \$44 and two day shipping for \$9.99 for \$53.99 total. The \$44 sale price shows after one adds it to their account. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 5:55 A.M.: I went through my email. I filled out another survey for a \$10 fee that I will get soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/26/07 Wednesday 4:00 A.M.: I woke up at 2 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 4:35 P.M.: I ate two clementines. I watched some television. I ate three bowls of goldfish crackers. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 2:30 P.M.: I did some bottom fishing on the internet. I chatted with a relative. I went out for a walk around the building. I found a 10 year old Imac that somebody had throw away by the dumpster. I tested it, and it worked, but it only had 96 megs of memory, so I put it back out by the dumpster. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 10:40 A.M.: I ate a piece of pumpkin pie with a scoop of light Maple Walnut ice cream. I drank a Christmas toast of 3 ounces of sparkling Rene Junot white wine and 3 ounces of sparkling water both from seltzer bottles mixed together out of a tulip glass. I watched Queen Elizabeth II's Christmas broadcast [Welcome to the](#)

official web site of the British Monarchy and BBC News Player - The Queen's message in video . I saw earlier on the BBC news on television that Prince Edward and the Countess of Wessex have had a new baby son Media Centre > Buckingham Palace press releases > Names chosen for the new Royal baby, 21 December 2007 . Formal portrait of Queen Elizabeth II The Royal Family > HM The Queen > Background . It seems like the British are still doing well enough across the Great Pond. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 9:35 A.M.: I watched a bit of television.

Homely British Pound At Record Low Against Euro - Forbes.com

Connecticut Slights FuelCell Energy - Forbes.com

Well, since I am having a quiet Christmas at home, since I will not have the replacement Audi for the Buick wagon until this Thursday, I am getting a bit of Cabin Fever away from downtown Greenwich Avenue. Having spent 24 years exercise walking on Greenwich Avenue, I am still in relatively good shape. However, staying at home leaves me back with the computer. For many years on Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Years holidays, I used to see a couple walking around downtown, and sometimes with another couple like they were visiting here. The couple looked quite a bit like First Lady Laura Bush and President Bush www.whitehouse.gov , but that was before he was elected President. I do not know for sure if it was them or not, but I the last time I saw the fellow walking around, it was during the early fall before his election victory, and I thought he was a security official protecting a heavier set man whom looked like our current Vice President Cheney. Thus, since I see so many people my own age all of the time, I tend not to recognize many of them, and I am more amused by the activities of the younger people. The older generation still think I am too young to be part of their generation, so I am stuck in between generations. However, I always wanted to be a writer, but alas, I do not think I have a good enough literary back ground to be worthwhile as a writer. I did spent about 23 of my first 24 years back in Greenwich regularly using the Greenwich Library, but once I got too busy, I have been using the library less recently. Basically, when I go out in public, I know so many people here, I spend so much time chatting with people that I know, I do not seem to get all of my errands down quickly. I have never paid much attention to what goes on in Greenwich, since I have preferred to sit back and read about what is happening in other places.

This year's Royal Broadcast by Queen Elizabeth II is suppose to be posted at around 10 A.M. EST today at YouTube - Broadcast Yourself. The Royal Channel .

As a person whom is frequently on a night schedule, I do not always have the time to know what is going on around here in the day time, but I suppose if anyone wanted to let me know, I have easy enough communications.

Since half of the town of Greenwich is under 16 years old, I am sure a lot of the younger generation is watching children's television programming on the television, particularly during the colder time of year. Watching people come and go downtown at Starbucks over

all of these years has not been too exciting, but I suppose it is like that old picture in the Art Institute of Chicago of two people sitting in an all night diner drinking coffee. With the price of fuel, we can not spin our wheels too much anymore. I use to enjoy taking a walk around Tod's Point on Christmas afternoon, if there was not too much ice along the shoreline. However, the nice thing about walking Greenwich Avenue is that it tends to be out of the wind, so it is a bit warmer. Since I was up at midnight, I will not be going out this late in the day. However to register the Audi and have the emissions checked, I probably will have to get back on a daytime schedule sooner or later. I have changed from daytime to night time and back and forth so many times in my life, it is really not that difficult, once one has to do it. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 7:25 A.M.: About 4:30 A.M. I started making Scott's Stuffing Recipie for Arnold Premium Stuffing. I also made up a package of Near East long grain and wild rice at the same time per the recipe on the box adding a tablespoon of olive oil instead of butter. I put in an inch of water in a two quart Revere pot with steamer tray and lid, and I steamed 1.5 cups of baby carrots and broccoli crowns. I steamed them for 15 minutes over medium high electric burner heat, and I put them in a bowl with a little bit of olive oil. I also opened two 12 ounce jars of Heinz Home-style turkey gravy, and I added 1/2 of a 10 ounce box of mushrooms that I sliced into 1/8th inch thick slices, and I simmer it over medium to low electric heat while doing the other cooking. I cut two 3/8 inch thick slices of the Boars Head baked turkey breast, and I put them on a microwave proof plate with lid, and at the end of the other cooking cycles, I microwaved the turkey for 90 seconds. I put the Heinz turkey and mushroom low fat gravy on the turkey along with a 1/3rd of the Near East rice mixture and a about 2 cups of the stuffing on a dinner plate. I also put one third of a cold 16 ounce can of Ocean Spray cranberry sauce in a bowl. I refrigerated the leftovers in Rubbermaid containers. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. I baked a 32 ounce Mrs. Smith's frozen pumpkin pie. I put it on a wire rack to cool for two hours. I cleaned up the kitchen. I went outside, and I threw away the garbage. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 4:30 A.M.: The way I figure it, I will be hungry by 6 A.M., so I will start cooking my Christmas dinner now. I should be done with it, and have it all cleaned up by 7 A.M.. Well look at it this way, I am cooking it on European time. It will be basically the same meal as my recent Thanksgiving meal. CIO

Note: <888> 12/25/07 Tuesday 4:15 A.M.: I went to bed after the last note. I had a telephone call from a friend at 3 P.M.. I slept until midnight. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. While doing all of that I watched on www.nbc.com the Christmas Mass from the Vatican: the Holy See . I am not catholic, but when I was there at Easter Time in 1972, and the whole place was dark, so I guess they have now put in lights. I went outside, and I threw out the garbage. I emptied the ash tray at the north end of the building. I thought I saw someone by one of the cars near the building entrance, but when I investigated nobody was there. I picked up my mail. I showered, and I cleaned up. I made up another Christmas card, and I mailed it to a friend downstairs in the mail room. I guess about 6:30 A.M., I will start cooking my

usual holiday dinner, and I will eat it about 8 A.M.. The only thing that takes time to prepare is the <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/stuff2.htm> . Many years ago that was my most popular page on the internet. I received my new www.geico.com insurance cards for the 1998 Audi A6. I made two copies of them. I quit combing my hair straight back, and I started parting it on my left side like I usually do. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 12:35 P.M.: The 1998 Audi A6 has a fixed replacement antenna, but this might fix it, so it goes down, but it would depend on the mechanism inside [eBay Motors: AUDI A6 100 90 Power Antenna Mast + How 2 *** NEW *** \(item 370007850392 end time Dec-28-07 05:56:43 PST\)](#) .

This looks like it would replace the whole unit [eBay Motors: POWER ANTENNA KIT 97-00 A4/A6/A8 AUDI 80/90/100/200/400 \(item 8005396868 end time Dec-24-07 18:19:30 PST\)](#) . I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 12:05 P.M.: On a limited budget, I don't dare buy this in Silver though [Highway 61 Audi A6 1:18 - Black or Silver - \(eBay item 280186389859 end time Dec-30-07 10:22:09 PST\)](#) . CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 10:10 A.M.: I chatted with the Chase Bank on Mason street, and they gave me a telephone number 1-800-978-8664 to dispute the Overstock charge on my card. However, I called back www.overstock.com , and they said they would email the Salt Lake City, Utah warehouse to cancel the order, but they would not be able to let me know for a couple of days, whether they were able to cancel it or not. However, they said the customer comment at the bottom of the printer page was in error, and when the item is refurbished, it comes in full working order with full toner cartridges. Thus I guess it is six of one half a dozen of another. I chatted with a relative. I received a Christmas card email from Cologne, Germany; and I emailed the party back what I knew about the individual that the party knew. I printed out the Christmas card, and I put it in the Inbox. I emailed my Christmas letter [Michael Scott's Christmas 2007 Letter](#) to people on my email list. I was able to email it in proper format my sending it from the Microsoft Office 2007 Publisher program. Emailing it from the web page does not send the complete text. I think they had a lot of snow out west, so possibly the trucks from Salt Lake City, Utah might have problems making it through the Rocky Mountain and over Eisenhower Pass. I learned once when driving out west, it was easier to drive north to Denver, and up to Laramie, Wyoming, and across the rolling plateaus instead of driving through the Rocky Mountains, so it might be the same in reverse, is one were going west to east, but I am not the expert. I do not know if any of the locals know anyone around here from Wyoming whom might know more. What we do know is the telephone works to Salt Lake City, Utah, and that is about it. Depending on the status of fuel in the Audi when it is delivered, I might need to spend some money on gasoline, which if the Audi had an empty tank would be about \$70. Let's hope not. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 8:40 A.M.: I chatted with Overstock about the Samsung color laser printer, and they told me it had already shipped from the Salt Lake, Utah warehouse, and I would not be able to cancel it. They said I could return it, once I had

received it. However, if I tested it or opened it up, they would deduct 30% of its value, and if I returned it untested, it would cost me \$35 via UPS to ship it and \$30 via the United States Postal Service. One could buy four new cartridges here [Samsung CLP-300 Toner Cartridge Value Bundle -- All Colors - Concord Supplies](#), but for that additional cost, I could have bought a new one. Live and learn, let the buyer beware on the internet. Who knows, maybe it will work anyway, and it will come with nearly full toner cartridges. I guess in no case, will I be returning it. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 7:50 A.M.: I ate a couple of bowls of goldfish crackers with a glass of cold filtered water. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 7:00 A.M.: If you have the big bucks, you can hook up an item like this to your computer [Digital Blue - QX5 Computer Microscope](#) or [Digital Blue - Smithsonian Computer Microscope](#) or [Digital Blue - Zoomshot Binoculars](#) or even [Meade Instruments Corporation - ETX-80AT-TC GO TO Computer Telescope](#). I got email back from [www.overstock.com](#) that the [Samsung CLP-300 Laser Printer : Printers & Scanners from Overstock.com](#) for \$72.99 and \$2.95 shipping for \$75.94 total can not be cancelled, since it was already processed, which I wanted to cancel, since it is suppose to come with used toner cartridges, which might not be full. I was emailed I can return it, after I receive it. I will still try calling them up at 8 A.M. to see if they can cancel it. If not I can always return it, but the shipping might be expensive, unless they pay for returns, which I do not know. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 6:15 A.M.: I ate two clementines. I do not think I will be going out this morning, since it is later in the day for me. I guess if I stay up until around noon today, I will be waking up around midnight, and I will be eating my Christmas meal in the early morning hours on Christmas Day. Such is life on a night schedule. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 4:00 A.M.: I sorted out the IN paper on my new HP laser printer that I got earlier this year for \$15 after rebate. I put it in an IN basket, and I left the IN basket on top of the new HP laser printer. I moved the Hoover Vacuum instructions to the center shelf in the left hallway bookcase.

RealAge Managing Overactive Bladder

I bought 40 issues of U.S. News and World Report here [BestDealMagazines.com - Magazine Page](#) for \$5.95

a year subscription to Computer Shopper [BestDealMagazines.com - Magazine Page Computer Shopper](#) for \$4.69

less 15% off with coupon code "SPOOFEE15" for \$9.04 total. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 2:50 A.M.: I noticed in the bottom of this page that the [Samsung CLP-300 Laser Printer : Printers & Scanners from Overstock.com](#) for \$72.99 and \$2.95 shipping for \$75.94 total according to a customer comment on the web page, it ships

with used toner cartridges which are not full, so I emailed them to cancel the order, and I will also call them up at 6 A.M. this morning Mountain Time, when they open at 8 A.M. our time. Their contact number is 1-800-843-2446. CIO

Note: <888> 12/24/07 Monday 2:25 A.M.: I woke up at 5 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with two relatives. I went back to bed until 10 P.M.. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I threw out some garbage. I read the most recent issue of www.forbes.com . I read the first half more thoroughly, and the last half which was mostly advertising, I skimmed. I ate the same sautéed burger with onions and cheese and steamed baby carrots and broccoli crowns with flavored rice and a glass of iced tea. I replaced a bent tip bulb on the far right of the living room wall. I will now do some regular computer work. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 7:45 A.M.: BBC NEWS | UK | Queen launches YouTube channel

The Christmas 2007 Broadcast will be posted here on Christmas Day 2007.

YouTube - Broadcast Yourself. Queen Elizabeth II

YouTube - Broadcast Yourself. British Royal Broadcasts

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Once I receive the Audi, I will have to be on a day schedule to get the emissions checked and to get the title transferred and to change the license plate registration. However, since I will receive it later in the day on this Thursday, and with the New Years holiday, I will probably have to wait until after that to pursue those activities. Everything in its own time and space. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 6:50 A.M.: 36 Christmas Carols in Web Format and 36 Christmas Carols in Microsoft Word XP document format . My prediction for the future of the United States of America's general economy is that most of us in general will continue to get relatively poorer as Europe and Asia get richer. We will be the pit stop in between the two super power global economies. Thus you should invest in a Joy Chen 2 Quart Microwave Rice Steamer <http://fantes.com/microwave.htm#rice> Joyce Chen 2 quart Microwave Rice Steamer and learn how to make inexpensive nourishing inexpensive rice <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> , which I use to eat all of the time, until 5 pound bags of Russet potatoes went on sale recently. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 6:20 A.M.: My United States Government Department of Agriculture Food Stamps were lowered from \$123 to \$117. Whenever I get my SSI Cost of Living Adjustment, they lower my Food Stamps and raise my rent, so I have never gotten a Real Cost of Living Adjustment in the last 24 years of subsidized existence. However, I manage to survive with a little help from my family. This is the 10 year old Audi A6 with

60,000 miles that my relatives are giving me for Christmas <http://mikelouisscott.com/audi-1998-a6.jpg> , which a relative will deliver it to me this coming Thursday. My relatives can not do anything about the price of fuel, so I will still be driving my usual 3,000 miles a year with a little give and take depending on the number of trips to Kennebunkport, Maine this coming summer. Having driven it up and back from there twice last summer, I know it is a great running car. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 5:55 A.M.: Kamschatka - Berge aus Feuer und Eis : Expedition zu den aktiven Vulkanen Kamchatkas

Volcano Discovery Tours - adventure & study travel for small groups / custom-design & geologic excursions/ VolcanoDiscovery: 15-16 Dec, 2007

I ordered

3-in-1 SD/USB/MP3 Wireless In Car FM Transmitter for \$19.99 and a

Kingston SD/1GB 1GB Secure Digital Card Kingston SD/1GBKR SD/1GBkr for \$8.99

and \$8 ground shipping for \$36.98 total. I will now be able to play my MP3 music collection on the Audi car radio.

I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 5:30 A.M.: I just ate same dinner as the last five nights. www.kenradio.com is still doing his thing, but I can read faster than I can listen to a tech news broadcast. I also can type reasonably fast. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 4:05 A.M.: I bought a refurbished Samsung CLP-300 Laser Printer : Printers & Scanners from Overstock.com for \$72.99 and \$2.95 shipping for \$75.94 total. CLP-300 color laser printers - printers & multifunction SAMSUNG . That will be the last of my Christmas purchases. I do not think it will be here by Christmas. Yes, it is a color laser printer. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 1:35 A.M.: When I sold the Buick Roadmaster Estate Wagon, I also gave away along with the other items in the car, the set of two Ford Explorer folding chairs. CIO

Note: <888> 12/23/07 Sunday 1:20 A.M.: I woke up at 9 P.M.. I chatted with a relative. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I threw out some garbage, and I picked up the mail. I got my new issue of www.forbes.com , so hopefully while I am cabin bound until this Thursday, when the Audi arrives, I will have time to read it. The Kensington wireless mouse would not work on the Northgate Syntax backup computer, so I disconnected it, and I put on a corded Microsoft

wheel mouse. I had knocked it off its mouse pad onto the floor, while I was house cleaning a week ago. I reactivated the Vista Beta SP1 installations on the Epox and the Northgate computers. They are both good until January 20, 2008. The Northgate can be reactivated one more time, but with a registry tweak, there is suppose to be a way to reactivate them for a whole year, which I will investigate on January 20, 2008. I installed the updates. I did some bottom fishing on the internet, but there is nothing cheaply available before Christmas. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 12/22/07:

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 12:10 P.M.: Scratch Builders - Forbes.com

<http://www.iavcei2008.hi.is/>

Icelandair - Cheap Flights to Iceland | Vacation Packages | Discount Airfares to Iceland

VisitReykjavik - Visit Reykjavik

Iceland Express: Cheap flights to Iceland every day with Iceland's low-fare airline

International Geological Congress | 33rd IGC | International Geological Congress | 33igc

Merrill's \$5 Billion Bonus - Forbes.com

RealAge

Heartland America: Hoover Bagless Self-Propelled Vacuum U6600-9RM

Business Learning Center - Tune Up Your Windows Vista® PC

BBC NEWS | UK

BBC NEWS | Technology | Quantum computing

I will now send out my weekly notes. I will then shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed. Have a good day. I probably will not be going downtown again until Thursday, when I get the Audi. Stay warm. CIO

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 11:10 A.M.: I chatted with a relative. I ate a clementine. For the uninformed, a clementine is sort of like a tangerine but smaller and sweeter. I will now go through my email. Trust me the Spanish know how to grow oranges. I use to see oranges growing in the street in Malaga in the winter back in 1972, before I caught the Iberia jet to Lanzarote which was not too warm in February. However, it does have a lot of fresh air. I wonder what happened to Rhone Dietrin my Norwegian friend in Lanzarote whom lived there with his mother, while his father a pilot with S.A.S. was away traveling. He never got back to me, so I assume he is busy with other tourists. Dirty hippies after

they take an expensive shower in Lanzarote can leave the island looking like a Vanderbilt. I read that the Royal Saudi Arabian family likes vacationing in Lanzarote, so perhaps it has gotten more expensive there. I bet the Allies or Nazis had coastal observers hidden on the island during the two great wars, since Spain was a neutral country, they would not have been allowed. I am beginning to feel like Lord HaHa in World War II reporting on Germany from Berlin to the B.B.C.. From my perspective, I am doing as well here as I have ever have. However, some people in Greenwich think I have the Stockholm Syndrome, but basically I am comfortable here at home in the winter. I suppose people whom travel north on inexpensive flights from the south are less comfortable, but they can always bundle up in some warmer clothes, so they feel a bit warmer. There are people whom wear heavy clothes such as sweaters at home in the winter. In the old days up north, people wore warm flannel clothes. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 9:50 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I walked downtown. There are still patches of black ice on the West Putnam Avenue sidewalks at 6 A.M., since it was 32 degrees Fahrenheit. On the way to the Stop and Shop, I stopped by www.mcdonalds.com, and I used the bathroom. I ate a sausage burrito for a dollar and .06 tax for \$1.06. I then walked over to the Stop and Shop, and I bought two 12 ounce jars of Heinz Home-style turkey gravy for \$1.50 each, a 6.3 ounce box of Near East Long Grain and Wild Rice mix for \$2.99, a Boars Head precooked boneless breast of turkey at \$6.99 a pound for \$9.72, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.50, a five pound box of Bagu clementines from Spain for \$4.99, two Granny Smith apples for .89 a pound for \$1.33, broccoli crowns at \$1.99 a pound for \$3.42, a 10 ounce box of mushrooms for \$1.99, a red pepper for \$2.49 a pound for \$1.17 for \$31.11 total, and I used my \$20 food voucher, so I only paid \$11.11. I then chatted with someone from Peru about volcanoes. I waited for the bus, but the 7:38 from the Greenwich train station had not arrived there by about 7:50, so I started walking home. However, the bus came along when I was a short distance west in front of the Audi dealership www.newcountry.com, and they let me on. I paid a \$1.25 fare, and they dropped me off at Western Junior High Road which is where the Vinci Drive turn off is. The drop off is at the delicatessen across the street, where I am sure some of my associates have met while I am sleeping during the daytime. There is also a Chinese laundry and dry cleaner across the street. I chatted with a couple of neighbors, and I put away my groceries. CIO

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 5:30 A.M.: There is suppose to be a bus about 7:38 A.M. that leaves the Greenwich Train station, and would go by the Stop and Shop at 7:40 A.M. heading west, so I guess I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will shower and clean up, and I will walk downtown to the Stop and Shop which opens at 7 A.M.. I will then do my grocery shopping, and I will be quick, I do not have that much to get, and I will try to catch the 7:40 A.M. Saturday bus back here. It seems to be a nice day, so I should have no problem walking downtown. I just have to watch out for slippery spots, and there should not be too much traffic. I guess the bus schedule people think everyone works 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., and they take weekends off, which unfortunately is not my case, which being on a night schedule most of the time, I need a car to get things done in off hours, along with some of my other volunteer activities. Most of the time, night people

do not pay much attention to daytime people whom are not familiar with such routines. Since my mother is a registered nurse, she is familiar with such routines. CIO

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 3:50 A.M.: I put away the laundry. I will now make and eat the same dinner as the last four nights. I am thinking about getting a ham for Christmas dinner instead of turkey, since a boneless cooked ham is about half the price of a boneless cooked turkey. I still could make my usual stuffing mixture. From what I can figure, there is a bus this morning at 7:17 A.M. that goes from Western Junior High and West Putnam Avenue at 7:17 A.M., and there looks like there is another bus that comes back this way from the Stop and Shop at 9:40 A.M., but I am not sure about that one or not. I could use my \$20 Christmas voucher today, so I do not have to go out on Christmas Eve, and I could relax at home. I still could make my <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/stuff2.htm>. CIO

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 2:30 A.M.: I just paid off my www.geico.com automobile insurance policy through April 8, 2008 with the final payment of \$154.03, so that is taken care off. I still have to save my money to register the Audi and transfer the title and get the emissions checked once I receive the Audi. I might need to put some gasoline in it, since it will be delivered to me from the Philadelphia area, and I will need to take it up to Danbury, Connecticut to register it. I also will have all of my other expenses in January 2008, so it is pretty much the same old routine. CIO

Note: <888> 12/22/07 Saturday 2:20 A.M.: After the last note, I had a telephone call from Integrated Solutions Magazine, and I chatted with them about computer technology. I went to bed at 11 A.M.. I woke up at 4 P.M.. I chatted with a relative. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I chatted with a telephone call about a survey that I need to fill in that they emailed me. They pay me \$10 for each survey I fill in. I went back to bed until 11 P.M.. I started two loads of laundry, and I have 15 minutes to go on the dry cycle. I put clean linens on the bed. I received a \$20 Christmas voucher for the Stop and Shop in the mail, so sometime I have to go out to buy my Christmas dinner. My MacGray laundry card seems to be working fine now. Possibly I was putting it in backwards. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I watered the plants. CIO

Note: <888> 12/21/07 Friday 9:15 A.M.: I ate a clementine. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. CIO

Note: <888> 12/21/07 Friday 8:10 A.M.: Top 5 Ubuntu Applications ~ Chris Pirillo

It happened a 110 years ago today Marie and Pierre Curie and the Discovery of Polonium and Radium

Zell closes deal for The Times - Los Angeles Times

I did not mention earlier in my notes that it took me five hours to walk downtown and back with the stops that I made, which at my age in the winter is a little bit strenuous. However, everyone knows I am an experienced walker once I get my rest. However, I will try to make it back downtown on Christmas Eve in the daytime to go to the Stop and Shop, and possibly I will figure out the bus schedule by then, if not I can always carry the Christmas dinner home. There is hourly bus service in the daytime from here, but it is hard to figure out when the buses come back. I was told a couple of days ago that the long time Greenwich, Connecticut store the Greenwich Food Mart will be going out of business soon. I guess their higher prices and better quality can not compete with the area discount food operations. When I had a www.costco.com card, I saw a lot of long time shoppers in the Greenwich, Connecticut area at the Costco store in Port Chester, New York. I guess if one has a large house with room to store items, they are a cheaper shopping alternative, but their taxes go to New York state, and as a Greenwich, Connecticut resident, I would prefer to pay my minimal amount of taxes to Connecticut. However, a lot of the larger home owners in Greenwich, Connecticut do work in New York State. The last time I worked in New York State was out in Plandome Manor, Long Island, when I spent 7,000 hours from April 1982 to February 1983 building the garage apartment there, and I only had one day off at Christmas, and I received an hourly wage of \$1.15 an hour, so I personally do not think the wages in New York State are worth living there or paying taxes. Thank You. The family were associated with the New York State democratic party and the United States Government democratic party, so personally, although they were friends, I think they were a bit frugal with the money, and they claimed to have some sort of tenuous German connection with Germany, so I feel much the same way about the Germans, but it was a learning experience that it is best to stay in one's own home town, where people know what one's abilities and skills and friends are. After 25 years of unpaid wages, and lost interest on those wages not to mention keeping an eye on a lot of German car dealerships in this area, I sort of feel like going down to the German Embassy in Washington D.C. Welcome to the German Embassy in Washington, D.C. and playing capture the flag, and taking the German flag away. I also recall that Fred <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> never paid us anything for all of our efforts in his behalf with all of his German connections with the Krump family, so maybe I should just move to Germany and start making Germans work for me for free to see if I can improve my lifestyle. However, the Germans like working, but they would not like an English speaking Dutchman giving them orders. I probably would cover Germany with tulips, so the Germans would not have as much food to eat, so they would not be so big and fat. My original computer associate was also a German named Roger Schultz that claimed that he knew Nancy Rockefeller, but nothing came of that either. Since she is pushing up tulips, and they had to sell their house here in Greenwich, and they can not afford a web site, I thought I would post her opus on Community Service.

It is posted here: <http://mikelouisscott.com/Nancy%20Rockefeller/> . However, since she is Scottish, her family are probably pinching pennies up in Scotland, so don't count on any Greeks bearing Gifts, if you get my drift. I do know Wilbur Banks when he use to sell Electrolux Vacuum Cleaners in their house told me they have a large liquor bar in the house, so more than likely the invested in something more profitable than the internet. However, when I use to see Stillman Rockefeller exercise walking on Greenwich Avenue, I

thought he had the same look as the Kaiser of Germany, so maybe he was related to him, and since all of the money in America was leant by the Rothchild family who barrowed it from the Kaiser of Germany at .25% interest, more than likely some Germans are looking to be repaid the U.S.A. debt. It is sort of strange that this whole century the Germans leant us money, so we could come over there and fight them. Without their money, we would have still been hunting squirrels here. CIO

Note: <888> 12/21/07 Friday 6:45 A.M.: WOVO.org | Wovo.org

[Bear Stearns Battered - Forbes.com](#)

Big bucks for a golf cart [Hybrid Technologies - MSN Autos](#)

» [Internal Microsoft IE 8 build passes the Acid standards test | All about Microsoft | ZDNet.com](#)

[Greenwich Country Day School](#)

[BBC NEWS | Asia-Pacific | Japan drops humpback whale hunt](#)

[BBC NEWS | In Depth Whales](#)

The original job I applied with in Greenwich, Connecticut 24 years, when I first returned from Nantucket to Manhattan via Hyannis with Jackie Kennedy Onassis and stopped by in Toronto on a side trip and was homeless there for a couple of week and in Manhattan for a couple of weeks with just W. Averell Harriman's nephew's garage apartment telephone number was with [Greenpeace | Greenpeace USA](#) , but they never told me if I was accepted or not. I do not recall having received any financial remuneration from them, but I have spent a bit of time around the waterfront. I still can not swim worth a dang. According to [U.S. Dollar to Euro Exchange Rate - Yahoo! Finance](#) one Euro which is suppose to be worth more than the dollar is worth \$1.4367 which is what my IQ as tested at Greenwich, Country Day School in 1961 was, so I will now donate a \$1.43 to Green Peace to bolster the European Economy, but the form would not take a \$1.43, or a \$1, or a \$2, or a \$3 or a \$5 donation, and I can not afford to try to donate anymore, but I have spent quite a bit of time around the waterfront at my own expense during the last 24 years, and I have used my funds and my family's resources for my various activities, so I hope they do not mind if I do not donate anymore. I even once showed up in Amsterdam their headquarters, and they did not pay any attention to me, so there. I think on the Audi that is being given to me by my relatives, the only rear window sticker that I will put on the rear window of the Audi is a new sticker that is green and white that a relative sent me that she received in return for a donation in memory of another relative. It is the sticker of the Greenwich Land Trust [The Greenwich Land Trust](#) . Their donation form is here [The Greenwich Land Trust - Donate Now Email Form](#) , and I donated them \$5. CIO

Note: <888> 12/21/07 Friday 4:30 A.M.: Note: <888> 12/21/07 Friday 4:05 A.M.: I installed the latest Nivida Geforce 6200 driver from Microsoft. After one installs it, one has

to reinstall the latest Nvidia FX 5200 driver on my primary Vista computer system <http://mikelouisscott.com/computer.htm> . I also changed my monitor configuration around, so the center 22 inch Acer LCD monitor is the primary monitor working off the Nvidia FX 5200 PCI card. Thus I will be opening windows in a slightly different arrangement, but it might be easier to work with. I had a problem with the web browser crashing on the center Acer LCD monitor, so that might fix it. Also the Kworld HDTV device is still installed on the Acer 22 inch LCD monitor, so if one turns it on, one loses that monitor and the icons to work with at the same time, but the three other 19 inch monitors are still opened. However, certain programs like email on the center 22 inch LCD monitor are easier to work with. I made and ate the same dinner as last night. I think the bus stop at the Stop and Shop, and many ones like the YMCA in three directions and the Presbyterian Church should have bus schedules posted like at the train station, so people can hopefully figure out the schedule. We do occasionally get visitors in town, whom might want to end up in this location on West Putnam Avenue in Greenwich, instead of being dropped off in downtown Port Chester, New York at the train station. Obviously there are a large number of tax paying residents in this part of town, so they obviously have the numbers and the votes and the political patronage to exercise influence over the bus system. The three buses I saw coming my way, when I walked downtown at 5:15 P.M. this past evening, only had one passenger on each full size bus. If the usage is so little, possibly the local bus system should investigate a larger more user friendly mini bus system such as the town of Westport, Connecticut developed, which even transports people further into the back country areas of town. There are people in town whom do work north of the Boston Post Road. The downtown area of Greenwich, Connecticut is less than 1/20th of the entire town of Greenwich, so just be servicing the local business district, I do not think the bus system is meeting the needs of all of the tax payers and the workers, particularly as the price of fuel gets higher. Remember I once did maintenance work out in Plandome Manor, Long Island for a year building a garage apartment, in the same neighborhood where Mr. Grumman lived, and at the time his company was building all of the New, New York City buses, so obviously, there is an expert out there somewhere in the wood work. CIO

Note: <888> 12/21/07 Friday 12:45 A.M.: I woke up today at 4 A.M. when a relative called. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, 2 slices of toast with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative. I went out, and I chatted with some neighbors, and I picked up my mail. I went out without cleaning up. I went by the Chase Bank on West Putnam Avenue. I chatted with one of their employees. I noticed that the sidewalk in front of the old Connecticut Art Institute is not shoveled. I chatted with the service desk at the Chrysler garage. I stopped by the Audi Dealership at www.newcountry.com , and I went to their parts counter, and I bought a black leather and silver Audi key chain CASEAU1005-BLK for \$19 and \$1.14 tax for \$20.14 total. I chatted with one of their service representatives, and I was told that each new model or year of Audi, the dealer has to buy a new set of tools for it, so there is not much one can do in terms of servicing an Audi oneself. I then went by the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon gasoline station, and they told me they would be able to do oil changes on the Audi, but I might take the Audi to New Country Audi for oil changes, since as an Audi dealer, they might spot any problems,

that Exxon might not notice. Generally a dealer will do an oil change for about \$40. My relatives in Philadelphia just spent \$1300 servicing the 1998 Audi A6 that they are going to give me for Christmas. It has about 60,000 miles on it, and I drove it back and forth to Maine this summer twice, so I know it is a good car. I do not know yet what they had done, but I was told they had an oil leak fixed. It seems like with four of the last five different cars that I have driven to Kennebunkport, Maine in the last 10 years, which are the 1976 Volvo 240 sedan, the 1997 Hyundai Accent hatchback, the 1995 Volvo 850 Turbo station wagon, the 1992 Buick Roadmaster Estate Wagon, and the 1998 Audi A6 sedan, all of them drove up to Maine fine, but all of them, but the Hyundai had oil leaks when I returned. I chatted with police officer downtown, and he said older cars have gaskets that dry out. However, why not before I drive to Maine or while there. Perhaps, somebody is tampering the cars up in Maine, when they are parked at the family house and hardly used at all while there, because we have family cars there. The next best guess is while we are asleep or away on daily activity, somebody is driving the cars at high speed on the local highway I-95 which causes premature gasket failure. It could be just as the policeman said is that older cars have gasket failure. I did have the oil sending unit replaced on the Buick Roadmaster Estate Wagon by Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon before I sold it, so when I sold it, it did not have any other oil leaks. Thus as far as I know the Buick wagon was in perfect shape for an older car. The only thing major I knew that it needed to have done is have its struts replaced which would be about \$400. I told Greenwich Exxon that I had sold the Buick Roadmaster Estate wagon. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with a few staff and regular patrons. I then walked downtown the full length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I looked at the bus stop schedule at the Greenwich Train station on Railroad Avenue, but I can not make sense out of it. I saw three buses coming from town when I walked downtown and two going my way, but they all go mixed up routes. I stopped by Zen stationary, and I played a dollar scratch card #31 snowflake, and I won for a \$2 winning or a dollar profit. I stopped by the Senior and the Arts Center, and I use the bathroom. I used the ATM machine at the Chase Bank. I stopped by CVS, and I toured the store. I found a Roosevelt dime on Greenwich Avenue. There seemed to be a lot of office parties going on around town at the local pubs. I guess people are taking off tonight until after New Years. I stopped by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a 38 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat goldfish crackers for \$7.99, a five pound bag of Russet potatoes for \$2.99, and two six packs of Stop and Shop English muffins for .99 each for \$12.96 total. I chatted with somebody from Brazil riding a bicycle. Maybe they brought the warmer weather. I then walked back along West Putnam Avenue. I stopped www.mcdonalds.com, and I bought two double cheese burgers for a dollar each and a small order of French Fries for a dollar plus .18 tax for \$3.18 total. I suggested to them, since they have a McDonalds at the entrance to the West Point Military Academy www.usma.edu, they should also have a McDonalds at the entrance to the United States Coast Guard Academy [United States Coast Guard Academy](http://www.uscga.edu) up in New London, Connecticut. Their food is as good as ever, but now more expensive. The West Putnam Avenue sidewalk has over a half dozen places that have not been thoroughly plowed of snow and ice, and I almost slipped three or four times. The worst wipe out almost came returning home with my groceries just east of the Chrysler Service garage in between the Outdoor product store where the sidewalk slopes down hill, and there was black ice at that location. I barely recovered from almost slipping. I was wearing my www.llbean.com

walking shoes with good traction grooves. Basically walking on ice is like driving a car on snow and ice, when one starts to slide, you have to go with it, and not try to stop, as if one were skating. I returned home, and I sat outside briefly. I put the Audi key chain underneath the Christmas tree. I think I will be getting two expensive Audi keys with remote keyless entry with the Audi, so I will use the Audi key chain on the spare one, since I do not want to risk losing it. For that matter, I don't want to risk losing the Audi. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 12/20/07 Thursday 3:15 A.M.:

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Earlier today, I put in a new blue toilet tablet in the toilet tank. I will now go through my email.

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I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. CIO

Note: <888> 12/20/07 Thursday 2:10 A.M.: Vermonters work quite hard for their money. In the spring of 1977, when I was up in Stowe, Vermont cleaning up the local pub Sister Kates, I went to a farm auction in late April with Ed Grennon. I noticed that a bundle of about fifty 6 foot high three to four inch diameter fence posts only sold at auction for about \$20. Imagine if you had to cut down trim and shave each tree and transport it to auction, so I would say they work hard for their money. Recently I have not seen any Cabot Cheese - award winning Vermont cheddar on sale around here either. One friend of mine from Vermont <http://mikelouisscott.com/chris2000.jpg> told me he use to fight with his friends over whose father had the most cows. My Vermont experience is limited to brief visits. Back around 1969, I occasionally would drive up to St. Johnsbury, Vermont in the summer to visit with Myles McGough's group of friends whom lived around www.harvard.edu and spent time at a Dairy Farm in St. Johnsbury, Vermont. They restored liberty ship hatch covers, and they sold them around the country. I do not know much more about New

Hampshire other than I visited there too with some of Myles friends, and we climbed the back side of a mountain with a burned out discothèque on top that was hit by lightning. I do know people in the north country worry about the weather, and they have long time experience in monitoring it. About the best source I know for long term weather forecasts is The Original Farmer's Almanac since 1792 - The Old Farmer's Almanac , but I can not afford to buy the long term weather forecast Long-range Weather Forecasts for the U.S. and Canada - The Old Farmer's Almanac . I do know if we get a lot of snow and ice in this area, there tends to be a large group of people from the north country that come down here to help us out with the situation in terms of removing snow and ice and in terms of restoring the lost electrical grid, which I consider important. I do recall besides all of the other nonsense that he told me Chris' grandfather worked for the Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Plant facility, if you happen to be wise enough to consider it important. If not you should have started splitting fire wood to stay warm in the spring and made some candles with your left over bacon fat. I noticed when I ship packages in Kennebunk, Maine it is at a candle store. Of course if you like a simple good meal of pancakes out of a Griswold frying pan, you might want some Vermont Maple Syrup, which is not cheap. The Vermont Country Store seems to reflect local folk customs. I recall Calvin Coolidge - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia was from Vermont. The railroad use to make money in Vermont Shelburne, VT - American Profile , but Chris told me when he use to walk from White River Junction to Burlington Vermont on the railroad tracks it was all falling apart and in disrepair. So obviously he has seen more than I have in that neck of the woods. Also Norwich University is in Vermont. There are also a lot of Ski Resorts in Vermont such as Stowe Mountain Resort, Stowe, Vermont - Skiing and Snowboarding at Vermont's best ski vacation resort and I recall in Burlington, Vermont, they are frequently busy with home business activities such as making pottery. I also recall that supposedly www.norad.mil and NORAD 50th Anniversary has one of its two backup facilities in northeast Vermont, near Jay Peak, Vermont, where Chris was raised. Jay Peak, Vermont according to Chris can be minus 50 degrees Fahrenheit in the winter, so maybe some of those liberal pork belly politicians in Washington D.C. could build them a in door heated swimming pool where they could warm off from the winter blues, but there did use to be a lot of people from Vermont in Key West, Florida, and the Spotswood family that built the Casa Marina in Key West, Florida Key West, Florida USA, Scott's Internet Hotlist were from Vermont . Two of my three French teachers were from Vermont, and one was from Viet Nam, so I do not really have an authentic French accent when I try to speak French. Also I have only been to Montreal, Quebec in Canada a few times, so I am not really quite sure what goes on there, and I never had much money when there to venture inside to see what goes on there, but it can be cold outside there. CIO

Note: <888> 12/20/07 Thursday 12:45 A.M.: I have a 3 P.M. appointment today, but I do not know what my schedule is, and without a car, I do not know if I will be able to make it. I probably need to study the bus schedule. I guess nobody misses me downtown, since the do not like seeing cigarette smokers anymore. I ate a bowl of potato chips. Every year at Christmas Time, one is suppose to replace one's smoke detector 9 volt batteries. Since I use 9 volt alkaline batteries that last longer, I had not done it in two years. I went ahead and put three new CVS 9 volt alkaline batteries, one each in the living room, the hallway, and the bedroom smoke detectors, so they are taken care of for at least another year. Maybe

next year we will have the extra money to replace them more frequently. They do not go off hardly at all, except the living room one goes off occasionally from the heat from the nearby toaster. I put my used batteries, many of which are still good in a used battery zip lock bag on the floor in the bedroom to the right of the Rubbermaid laundry hampers. I will now go through my email. I do not know much about cut Christmas trees, but I know they can be a fire hazard if they dry out. Frequently, they are cut months before they are sold. Thus if one gets one, one should recut a couple of inches off the base of the trunk to expose more damp inside wood, so the tree in its Christmas tree holder can absorb more water out of the holder, if one remembers to fill the tree holder with water frequently. They can absorb a lot of water, so it is pretty much a daily chore, if one uses a cut Christmas tree. Live Christmas trees are very heavy with their balls of dirt, and they tend not to dry out as much, however you do have to keep them damp, when the Christmas season is over, and one needs to plant them, it is good to have a hole already dug in the ground, so you do not have to dig into frozen ground after Christmas. Also live trees are heavy to move with their balls of dirt. There use to be quaint elf types of individuals whom would show up in this area at Christmas Time selling Christmas tree from Vermont. <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> and I use to enjoy chatting with them during the winter nights when walking around Manhattan. I recall people from Vermont selling Christmas trees just north of Beekman Place on First Avenue on the east side of the street and on the northwest corner of Broadway and 72nd street. Of course stormy the bartender at the old Ninth Circle in Greenwich Village use to be from Vermont too. Of course in the old days in Greenwich Village just because someone had a Vermont automobile license plate did not mean they were from Vermont. Frequently New York City residents would register their cars with Vermont license plates out of Vermont Post Office addresses, so they could avoid paying over due parking tickets. Thus since the Greenwich Village types are not always up early enough to move their cars in the morning, there were a lot of Vermont license plates in Greenwich Village. With computerized tracking of automobile registrations and VIN numbers, I do not think they can do that anymore. However, if you had a lot of parking tickets and needed to park in New York City, I guess you could buy a United States State Department diplomatic license plate from one of the consulates of a poorer third world country and possibly get away with it, but there might be some red tape. Of course the government would then think you were from that country. Since I am on a night schedule frequently, there is not much of a problem with parking locally. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/19/07 Wednesday 11:15 P.M.: I had a party call about the car for sale, but I told them it was sold. I woke up at 6 P.M. when I had a telephone call from a relative. I got the 1998 Silver Audi A6 Vin number from a relative via email. I called 1-800-42GEICO, and I cancelled my Buick Roadmaster insurance, and I put the Audi on the GEICO insurance policy. My relative will deliver it next week on Thursday December 27, 2007. My relatives are giving me the Audi, so the check for the sale from the Buick Roadmaster that I sent to my relative today is to pay for my loan debt on the Visa Credit card debt that I used this summer that my relative paid off. I will have to pay about \$159 to www.geico.com at the first of the year to pay for the policy through April 6, 2008.

1998-2004 Audi A6 - Consumer Guide Automotive

1998 Audi A6 Reviews, Road Tests, & 1998 Audi A6 Test Drives

1998 Audi A6, this says it gets 17 miles per gallon city and 27 highway

1998 Audi A6 Exterior Styling, Colors, Wheels, Tires & Headlights at InternetAutoGuide.com

It weights 3700 pounds, so it is not a light car.

My relative were the original owners, and they sold it to other relatives that I am getting it from.

This Find a Car says 16 City and 25 highway, but you have to use their update calculator, and when you convert it, it says 14 City and 23 highway, however when I drove it this summer, it seemed like it was getting the original 17 City and 27 highway. I drove it up and back to Kennebunkport, Maine twice, so I am quite familiar with the car, and it has the same aerodynamic lines of the new Lexus www.lexus.com , so the Japanese must have learned something from the Germans. Its rear seat folds down for additional cargo hauling. The only problem for me is that when one looks underneath the engine hood, it seems to be all covered up, and the only thing one can do is check the oil and the windshield wiper fluid. In other words over time our local Audi dealership Welcome to New Country Audi of Greenwich would be expensive to maintain it at. However, I think there is a less expensive foreign car garage on Prospect street near the dealership. However, my relatives have just done all of the current maintenance needed to be done on it, so all I will have to do is change the oil every six months or 3,000 miles. It is silver outside with a blue leather interior.

Since I am getting the Audi from an immediate family member out of state, I am eligible for a sales tax exemption

DMV: Transfer Vehicle from One Immediate Family Member to Another

and

DMV: Transfer or Sale Between Immediate Family Members

and

According to this

DMV: Registration of a Used Vehicle Previously Registered Out Of State

I have to have an emissions test and VIN verification performed first.

When I registered the Volvo, I had to go to the Danbury, Connecticut office DMV: Danbury Office, since they can perform the VIN number verification there for the out of

state vehicle, and not the Norwalk office. Thus I will have to get its emissions tested first here in Greenwich, and then I will have to take it the Danbury Office, which will use a bit of gasoline.

I don't recall having to have the emissions done right away on the Volvo, so I may have to call them up to find out if that is necessary. I would still have the Pennsylvania license plates on the car during the emissions inspection if that were the case.

I chatted with two relatives again. I ate the same dinner as the last two nights. I went outside briefly, and I picked up my mail.

The Queen Mary II is in Manhattan again tomorrow QM2 - Itinerary - 2007. CIO

Note: <888> 12/19/07 Wednesday 12:30 P.M.: I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. Not very good across the street either New deal Putnam Green, Weaver's Hill slated to get new manager - Greenwich Time . I can not fly the Saudi Arabian flag in this area to try to get some economical relief, since the United Jewish appeal is just east on the corner across the street from the Mobil station. Also the rich women in Greenwich run the town, and they do not like the way Saudi Arabians treat their women, since I do not think the women in Saudi Arabia have many rights. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will try to get some sleep. CIO

Note: <888> 12/19/07 Wednesday 11:35 A.M.: I woke up at 2 A.M.. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers and two clementines. I watched some television. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, one toasted English muffin with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I went by the Chase Bank on West Putnam Avenue. They have Christmas trees and other Christmas decoration such as evergreen wreaths for sale in their parking lot. I next went by the Valley Road Post Office. It was not yet busy early in the morning. I then walked back home. I chatted with some neighbors. I chatted with relatives. I have been having a hard time getting a good nights sleep the last two days, but I am currently on a day schedule, so I will try to stay awake. At the Chase Bank I got a \$10 roll of quarters to have available for bus fare if I should need to take the bus downtown. I was told the bus is \$1.25 each way, but I think you can take it all the way to the Stamford, Connecticut train station and back for the same fare each way if you want a far away adventure. Actually there is www.greyhound.com bus service at the Stamford, Connecticut train station besides the Metro North commuter trains and the Amtrak trains. The Stamford train station is named after Congressman Stewart McKinney, and our public housing project where I live used to be named McKinney Terrace, and when it was named McKinney Terrace we had higher rent payments, but we also had free electricity for our heat and air conditioning in the retirement building. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 11:50 P.M.:

<http://view.ed4.net/v/XB1J01/G260/VJRX4N/3VUCAR/MAILACTION=1&FORMAT=H>

<http://www.almanac.com/go/ofanews121807leader>

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I printed out two Greenwich, Connecticut bus schedules to have available for when I do not have a car.

<http://www.cttransit.com/content/routesStamford.asp> and

week days http://www.cttransit.com/content/pdfs/stam_11_wkdysched.pdf and

week ends http://www.cttransit.com/content/pdfs/stam_11_satsunsched.pdf .

I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed shortly. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 9:10 P.M.: After dinner, I showered and I cleaned up. With dinner I also had orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements. I am now using a new change purse I got out of the Buick wagon, instead of my old change purse which I need to sew up. I also left eight quarters or \$2 in the Buick wagon in its coin slots to have available for parking change should the new owner need to park it. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 7:00 P.M.: I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers this morning. I had two telephone calls at 8 A.M. on the Buick wagon. I explained to the party in New Hampshire that I had another interested party coming to see the car. I tried to sleep during the morning, and I got about two hours sleep. I had a telephone call from the person in New Hampshire, and two computer magazine telephone calls and a telephone call from a relative. The interest local party arrived at 1:15 P.M.. We took the Buick wagon for a test drive. The party liked the car, and I sold it to the local party for \$1,500. I removed my belongings from the car. I left the MP3 player along with the spare oil and antifreeze and the Mercedes Benz of Greenwich license plate frame. I signed over the Connecticut title and the bill of sale. The party put on his own license plates, and dropped me off at the Chase Bank on West Putnam Avenue, and they departed. I walked home. The sidewalks on West Putnam Avenue are not very well plowed all the way, so it is dangerous to walk that route. I chatted with a relatives twice. I told the party in New Hampshire that the Buick wagon had been sold. I chatted with a friend. I chatted with neighbors. I organized the items that I removed from the car, putting some against the opened bathroom door and some on the far side of the bed in the bedroom. I can not cancel the insurance until I have the Vin number for the Audi, which will be emailed to me soon. The Audi might be delivered next week after Christmas. Thus I will be without a car for a while. I have to give the money from the sale of the Buick Wagon to a relative whom is helping with maintenance on the Audi before I get it, although the Audi is being given to me for free. I will now eat the same meal as last night. I am a bit tired. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 6:05 A.M.: Well it is time to turn off the "Lullaby of Broadway". I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. When I wake up today depends on what sort of telephone activity that I have that interferes with my regular sleep schedule. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 5:40 A.M.: Well, here it is from the Horse's Mouth Cost-Of-Living Adjustment (Benefit Increase) , well I guess that means energy has only gone up 2.3% since that is about the biggest variable in economics forecasting. I think what the real figures means is that the United States Government with the lower worldwide value of the dollar is running out of money. Thus I think one could reconsider the old investment standby of investing in long term United States Government Treasury Bills as less than secure, but I don't know what else might be more secure, unless you owned a bank vault and kept gold in it. However, gold can fluctuate wildly in price depending on production, and it costs a lot to actually hold gold, so most people speculate in gold mining companies, which may or may not be profitable. When walking around the south side of the Greenwich, Connecticut train station tonight, I asked a fellow going into the eastern building there if Renaissance Capital there was a Russian Hedge fund, and he told me in what sounded like an authentic Russian accent that it was secret, and he could not tell me anything. I guess when the Greenwich Capitalists go into Manhattan, everyone else in the world comes out here trying to make money. Whether the back country elite actually pay any attention to what is going on downtown locally is opened to speculation, since I know financial people in Greenwich whom claim they have never actually been downtown here before, except to drive through it. I know Russians work at Welcome to RBSGC.com . I saw two skinny African American males in Starbucks tonight on Greenwich Avenue both reading about one inch thick books called "How to Manage a Continent". Trust me it takes more than a one inch thick book to know how to manage this continent. The set of law books for the Interstate Commerce Commission alone is over 20 feet long as a point of reference. Thus possibly someone might have the right answer down in Washington D.C., if you can ever get around the public relations, and the Virginia Bar Association. Virginia is a dry state, they do not serve alcohol, but they do have clubs where you can buy a non alcoholic mixer to add to your packaged alcohol product that you bring with you to the club. However, I do not know if they have an opened bottle law in Virginia or not. In other words to transport alcohol in a vehicle, if it is permissible to carry an opened bottle, or must it be a sealed bottled with the Department of Treasury alcohol stamp still intact. I also heard on www.foxnews.com that the state of Illinois has the largest coal reserves in this country, which I think is a bunch of malarkey, since I went to college at www.lfc.edu and although the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago, Illinois does have a coal mine, I think that statement would only be accurate if one had a grandfather who worked for the Illinois Central Railroad. John Harvard's www.harvard.edu father was a coal miner, but alas I am not John Harvard's father. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 4:30 A.M.: Computerworld Self Registration Screen

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Dell Digital Event Center

» Microsoft to relax XP activation rules with SP3 | Ed Bott's Microsoft Report | ZDNet.com

Defense Systems

I still have the 1064 page book on Vista that I would like to get through, and I renewed it, and it is due January 6, 2008.

Google Gets Ready to Rumble With Microsoft - New York Times

The good news or the silver lining on the cloud is that the Social Security Administration www.ssa.gov has increased my Supplemental Security Income from \$623 a month as of January 2008 to \$637 a month or a \$14 a month increase or a 2.247% Cost of Living Adjustment Increase from the Social Security Administration. However, whenever I get a Cost of Living Adjustment, the local agencies increase my rent and decrease my food stamps, so in reality over 24 years, I have never gotten a Cost of Living Adjustment, if you look at the Over All Picture. I finished going through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 2:30 A.M.: I recall in the spring of 1977, when I left Key West, Florida with Jim Eldert, after going to Disney World for the first time and St. Augustine, we stopped by to visit Hurley Haywood in Jacksonville, Florida where Jimmy had two cousins attending university there. After we left Hurley's apartment, I took Jimmy Eldert to the Jacksonville, Florida airport, and I paid about \$159 for him to get a one way ticket back up to Boston to return to the University of New Hampshire. I also gave him about \$300 traveling money, since I was flush with money from my annual tax return. I then drove north through central Georgia, and I stopped by the Presidential hometown of Plains, Georgia to visit Jimmy Carter's neighbors, and I recall south of there at a Firestone garage, I had new shock absorbers and front end bushings put in my vintage 1966 Chevrolet Biscayne blue 4 door sedan. When I got back up north, I got a U-Haul trailer in Greenwich, Connecticut to move my personal belongings from our house on Cornelia Drive to a barn in Norwich, Vermont, where I stored my furniture and other belonging. Possibly in that storage location, my vintage Schwinn bicycle, silver Rolex watch, and Harry Truman autography disappeared. I recall having spent a couple of days around Dartmouth College, and I think I then drove down to Durham, New Hampshire to visit Jimmy Eldert at the University of New Hampshire. I think along the way, I stopped by an all night Dunkin Donuts in Manchester, New Hampshire, and I ate a bowl of oatmeal. Jimmy with was busy with his studies and the Seabrook Nuclear Power plant demonstration, however I recall we did drive back up to Hanover, New Hampshire, and we spent the night at the Wilder Motel, in White River Junction, Vermont, before we returned to Durham, New Hampshire, and we also made a side trip to Exeter, New Hampshire, where we stayed at the local Inn there, and after that I drove down to Nantucket, and I gave the vintage 1996 Chevrolet Biscayne to the Nantucket thrift shop along with my personal belongings in the car. They gave it to a newly married couple. There was not yet seasonal work in Nantucket, so I think I left the island a couple of times or more. I went up to Stowe, Vermont to clean up the Nantucket Languedoc owners bar

Sister Kate's for a week. I also on another trip off the island spent the night at the Corbusier design center at www.harvard.edu, and I hitch hiked up to the University of New Hampshire, and Jimmy let me sleep in the basement of a girl friends house, and I visited at another house where Jimmy lived. I attended the Seabrook demonstration, and when they arrested everyone, they would not arrest me, so I hitch hiked back down to the Greenwich area, and I went down to Williamsburg, Virginia after that where I toured around for a few days before returning to Nantucket. Jimmy eventually showed up in Nantucket that summer, but I only saw him a few times, although he only lived about 4 doors away on India street. He felt uncomfortable about being see around me, since I was the ripe old age of 27 years old, and he was the young age of 21. However, Helen Kress Williams before she died the summer before in car wreck in Glen Coe, Long Island had requested of me earlier that winter to try to keep an eye out for Jimmy Eldert, which was quite difficult, since he was so near sighted, he tended to ignore everyone he knew. However, I did make quite a few new friends in Nantucket whom seem to have the same perception. I never did see much of <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> whom lived three doors the other way. Possibly Fred and Jimmy were in cahoots in some sort of activity, and I was stuck in between at Flossie's boarding house. Who Knows? I recall that summer I did see Jimmy wearing a University of St. Andrews Scottish Lion T-shirt, which I believe was yellow with a red lion on it. Perhaps Jimmy was one of the exile Europeans living in this country. CIO

Note: <888> 12/18/07 Tuesday 12:15 A.M.: I woke up at 3 A.M. this past morning, and I ate the rest of the goldfish crackers. I went back to bed until 9 A.M., when I chatted with a relative and the interested car buyer from Manchester, New Hampshire. I think I woke up, and I chatted with them again around noon. I drank orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements, and I went back to bed until 5 P.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with the party in New Hampshire, and they said they would call me back. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out at 7:30 P.M.. I went by the Food Emporium, and I bought a 38 ounce box of Pepperidge Farm whole wheat goldfish crackers for \$7.99. I then went by the Greenwich Library, and I chatted with one of the staff members. The staff member had me look at a book of famous Hollywood Movie stars. I then went downtown, and I used the bathroom at the Senior and the Arts center. I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. On the way up Greenwich Avenue, I stopped by CVS to warm up, and I browsed the store brochure. At the top of Greenwich Avenue, I walked over to the Y.M.C.A., and I asked to see the new swimming pool, but they were closing at 10 P.M., so I did not see it. I walked further east over to the Whole Foods grocery store, and I toured the grocery store with all of their organic gourmet food items that are much higher in price. One can get an interesting looking roast beef sandwich there for \$6.99 from the prepared foods section. It all looks fully stocked waiting to be gobbled down at Christmas Time by the more affluent people in town. I then walked back over to Greenwich Avenue, and I walked down the Avenue. I sat out for a while. I then went by the Stop and Shop at closing, and I bought a six pack of White Gem boneless breasts of chicken for \$1.99 a pound for \$9.27 and Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound for \$1.49 for \$10.76 total. I then

returned home. I had two messages on the telephone answering machine to call the party back in Manchester, New Hampshire, so I will have to wait until I wake up late today, since I seem to be back on a night schedule. If the party is still interested in the car, I could always wait until after Christmas for the party to pick it up, since I will be staying here for Christmas, and I would probably like to have a car to get around. The party in New Hampshire is busy plowing snow, so I don't think there is any rush. I will have to wait until I get a chance to talk with the party. The Buick wagon started right up this past evening after not being used since Friday evening, so it is very good at starting up in colder weather. I will not make and eat the same breaded boneless breast of chicken dinner with baked potato and steamed broccoli and baby carrots, which I will eat with a glass of iced tea. Basically with the war on and people going away for the holidays, we are a bit short of volunteers at night around here. I wore my Marmot ice climbing red parka with L.L. Bean insulated red under jacket with Icelandic knit cap and L.L. Bean walking sneakers with good slip proof tread, so I was warm and comfortable while out tonight. I normally turn the heat up in the apartment around the Christmas and New Years holidays, and then I turn it back down after the first of the year. It gets a lot tougher around here, once winter sets in. Officially it is not even winter yet. CIO

Note: <888> 12/16/07 Sunday 11:30 P.M.: I chatted with a relative earlier. I am a bit tired after all of the activity last week, so I think I will go back to bed for a while. I ate the last of the Bells chocolates. Basically, since it is winter outside, all of the outside activity wears me out easier at my age, so I seem to need more rest than usual as I get older. The fellow I chatted with about the Buick wagon from Manchester, New Hampshire was talking fast like he was cold. I suppose for those people in the north country are without as much heat that used to be less expensive, they are colder this year than ever. Good night and stay warm. The fellow from New Hampshire might also have a hard time getting a train ticket on Amtrak at the Christmas time rush, since I suppose with Christmas on Tuesday next week, they will probably be taking off from work on this coming Thursday.

I chatted with a fellow from Atlanta, Georgia about this earlier today.

Cut the cost of oil 3 .

CIO

Note: <888> 12/16/07 Sunday 10:00 P.M.: I had a telephone call from relatives at 9 A.M. this morning. I think they might have called back at noon. I woke up at 3 P.M.. I chatted with a relative. I went outside, and I threw out some garbage, I cleaned a couple of inches of snow off the Buick wagon. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I had a telephone call from my advertisement at <http://newyork.craigslist.org/fct/car/510657104.html> . I was offered \$1,500 for the Buick wagon. I said I would call the party back. I chatted with my relative, and they said it was a fair price. I called the party back, and they will call me tomorrow morning to confirm that they want the Buick wagon. The party is from Manchester, New Hampshire, so they

would take the Amtrak train down to Stamford, Connecticut, and I would meet them at the Greenwich train station, and they would pay me cash for the car, and I would transfer ownership. However, the deal depends on whether the party in New Hampshire can get a temporary plate to transfer the car back up to New Hampshire. Thus I am holding the Buick wagon until tomorrow, when they will confirm that they can get the temporary plate. This would all take place this Friday or Saturday. However, if the deal goes through, I would then have to take the Amtrak train down to the Philadelphia to pick up the Audi. However, it might be difficult to get on the train before or right after Christmas, and I do not want to interfere with my relative's Christmas plans, so I am not sure when I would be picking up the Audi, so it all depends on a number of factors. I will now eat two tuna fish sandwiches with potato chips and a dill pickle slice and a glass of iced tea. It is cold and damp in the apartment, so I raised the living room thermostat from 78 degrees Fahrenheit to 80 degrees Fahrenheit, which sets the apartment at about 70 to 72 degree Fahrenheit. It is suppose to be 15 degrees Fahrenheit outside tomorrow night, so I doubt if I will be going out. If I think I will be selling the Buick wagon, I also will not be driving it too much until the sale to try to keep it clean looking for the buyer. CIO

Note: <888> 12/16/07 Sunday 6:00 A.M.: I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers. I also ate two clementines. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. Well, I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 12/16/07:

Note: <888> 12/16/07 Sunday 2:35 A.M.: My web stats show that I am getting a bit of interest from the new listing <http://newyork.craigslist.org/fct/car/510657104.html> according to Recent Visitor Activity [Michael Louis Scott's web site] . Of course it is one of the first cars listed, since it was just listed, so people look at it first. It does not mean they're interested in buying it.

Microsoft Office 2007 SP1 Arrives Early

I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 12/16/07 Sunday 12:15 A.M.: I went outside, and I posted new for sale signs in the rear side inside windows of the Buick wagon with the new lower price of \$1,995. I threw out some garbage. The two laser printers were retrieved by some other unknown parties. I picked up my mail. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I ate two clementines, and two 1 inch by .25 inch by 3.5 inch slices of New York extra sharp cheddar cheese. We are suppose to have a wintry mix of damp weather this morning, so I will not be going out. I will now make and eat the same dinner as last night. Going out for the long winter walks at night at my age of 57 years old tends to wear me out the next day. After dinner, I will make up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 12/15/07 Saturday 10:35 P.M.: I woke up, and I chatted with two relatives three times. They suggested that I lower the Buick wagon to \$1995, and they mentioned

they would check to see if another relative would want it for free. They really do not feel like storing a second car in Maine and paying for the extra insurance. I chatted with a friend whom is up in Toronto, Canada on a business trip. I chatted with another friend. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 9 P.M.. I posted at www.craigslist.com this advertisement

<http://newyork.craigslist.org/fct/car/510657104.html>

I will now make my bed, and I will wash the breakfast dishes. I have a bit of the Cyber Blues. I really would like to get the Audi right away, but I can not get it until I sell the Buick wagon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/15/07 Saturday 11:05 A.M.: Instead of going to bed, I went back out to the train station dumpster, and I picked up the HP LaserJet 4100N printer and the HP Color LaserJet 3600 printer and about a dozen old color toner cartridges. I brought it up to my apartment, and I found the four cartridges for the HP Color LaserJet 3600 printer, and however, when I was installing the toner collection cartridge, I put my finger through the transfer sheet, so the transfer sheet rip more when I tried the unit, thus the unit is no good unless one replaced the toner collection cartridge transfer sheet. There was no cartridge for the HP LaserJet 4100N printer, and one can be bought from www.newegg.com for about \$70. The other color toner cartridges were for a 4600 color unit. I threw out all of the items, and I put the 4600 laser cartridges in the dumpster, and I set the two laser printers at the side of the dumpster in case anyone wants to claim them. Thus another episode in the "Cyberjunk Wars". I chatted with a relative. My relative had to have an oil leak fixed on the Audi. However, since at this point it looks like no one will be buying the Buick wagon, my relative might be parking the Audi in Maine to have available if needed, and I would keep the Buick wagon as long as it ran or until I could sell it at a reasonable price. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed. I will eat the last piece of apple pie before going to bed. CIO

Note: <888> 12/15/07 Saturday 5:15 A.M.: I ate a Clementine. They taste very good and fresh this year.

[Images: David Karp's Vista annoyances | CNET News.com](#)

[Money Goes Far in New York, if You're European - New York Times](#)

<http://www.starwoodhotels.com/stregis/index.html>

www.kenradio.com once said his father was in the Mafia producing wine in Pennsylvania back in the old day.

[Microsoft unveils hands-on vision of the future - CNN.com](#)

FOXNews.com - Dutch Government Ditches Microsoft, Moves to Open-Source Software - Science News | Science & Technology | Technology News

Guide to Decoding Hurricane Recon Reports : Weather Underground

BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Climate deal sealed by US U-turn

BBC NEWS | Business | Bill Gates: The skills you need to succeed

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I finished going through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/15/07 Saturday 3:05 A.M.: The Aurora screen saver in Vista seems to work with the Nvidia 4 LCD monitor setup I have on my primary computer <http://mikelouisscott.com/computer.htm> . I noticed the HP 4100N laser printer with the right toner cartridge can be used to print out magnetic encoded checks, so it might be useful for someone, if they still print out checks.

If you can wait for a rebate Newegg.com - **Eagle Tech ET-PSVO700 ATX12V 700W Power Supply 115/ 230 V CE, FCC, cUL - Retail** free after rebate plus \$8.22 shipping. Why don't they just save the paper work, and give it away or sell it much cheaper?

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I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/15/07 Saturday 1:35 A.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a five pound box of Bagu Clementines from Spain for \$4.99, a half gallon of Florida Natural orange juice with calcium for \$3, a six pack of Coca Cola Classic in 9.3 ounce bottles www.coke.com 1899 vintage for \$5.49, a .30 bottle deposit, thus basically a bottle of Coke costs a dollar more in the grocery store anymore, a 2 pound bag of baby carrots for \$2.50, and broccoli crowns at \$1.99 a pound for \$3.16 for \$19.77 total. I then went downtown, and I used the bathroom at the Senior and the Arts Center, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. The old HP laser printers without the toner cartridges are still there in the lower level parking garage, one is a HP 4100 N, but a toner cartridge for it would cost over a \$100 even if the other parts worked. The color model toner cartridge would be several times that. There is an old CRT monitor there too. It is extremely slippery going up the steps from the Citibank parking lot at the west end of the station to the train station steps which are cleared. Obviously whomever owns the building plaza on the north side of the train station is responsible for clearing those steps if not Metro North. On the way up Greenwich Avenue, I stopped by CVS, and I bought a 5 ounce bag of Bells milk chocolates for .99 and .06 tax for \$1.06. I ate about five during my walk. I then stopped by CVS again on the way down the Avenue, and I used their bathroom. I chatted with another walker about the price of tea in China. I

then completed my walk, and I returned home. They put the six pack of Coke Classic in the bookcase bar or lower cabinet area of the hallway center bookcase. I think Coke is like beer, and you should not refrigerate it until one needs to use it, or if you do refrigerate it, you have to keep it refrigerated. My vintage beer is also getting older in the refrigerator. I can always use it to cook hot dogs. They have a beer making kit at CVS for \$30. I moved the palm tree off the window shelf, and I cleaned its drip tray, and I rotated its wooden lazy Susan that had cracked in the middle on one side. I think it is secure enough to still hold the palm, since the ball bearing plated that holds both disks together is screwed in with wood screws, so it should not separate all the way letting the palm tree fall over on the sofa. I rotated it, so the crack does not show on the lazy Susan. I then put the palm tree back in position. I emptied and refilled the ice trays in the freezer. I installed the updates on the FIC server. I put the rest of the Bells milk chocolates in the candy dish at the far end of the brass and glass coffee table. I will now eat a piece of apple pie with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 12/14/07 Friday 7:50 P.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will shower and clean up, and I will go out for a after dinner walk downtown. CIO

Note: <888> 12/14/07 Friday 6:20 P.M.: I woke up at 1 P.M.. Since it was warmer outside up to 45 degrees Fahrenheit, I went outside, and I pushed the snow and ice off the Buick wagon with my snow brush, so it is now once again available for transportation. I picked up my mail. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I washed the breakfast dishes, and I made the bed. I threw out the old periodical literature and the garbage. I said hello to some neighbors. I watered the plants. I did my regular house cleaning, so the apartment is now clean for Christmas time. I will shortly make and eat the same dinner as the last two nights. CIO

Note: <888> 12/14/07 Friday 1:35 A.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I guess with so many people staying home from work yesterday, there is not much happening on the internet. CIO

Note: <888> 12/14/07 Friday 1:00 A.M.: BBC NEWS | Business | Computer knowledge 'undervalued' . CIO

Note: <888> 12/14/07 Friday 12:55 A.M.: Winter storm roars into Northeast - CNN.com . I ate a piece of bread and a couple bowls of goldfish crackers. I chatted with the Howard Johnsons in Riverside, Connecticut, and the desk clerk said they are filled up, and their least expensive rate is \$99 a night. This chain of residence hotels Extended Stay Hotels - showcases hotel suites, discount lodging and short term housing, is probably the best deal for long term visits. They have one in nearby Norwalk, Connecticut and another in nearby Elmsford, New York. CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 11:15 P.M.: Global Volcanism Program | Volcanic Activity Reports | SI / USGS Weekly Volcanic Activity Report | 5 December-11 December 2007

IVACEI 2008 Volcano Ice Water Interaction Symposium 3

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TS2 Event Stratford, Connecticut January 15, 2008

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Microsoft yanks free Vista, Office offer

ABC News: Bush Candidly Discusses Quitting Whiskey

Tom Devlin Thomas Devlin Obituary October 10, 1995 , when he lived in the building that I lived in smoke Chesterfield until age 65, and he ate bacon and eggs regularly, and he worked as a coal miner, and also had a couple Scotch whiskeys every night, and he lived a long time, so I would it might be genes.

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I got email, that there are no extension cables for the Hauppauge HDTV 1600 TV card IR remote control and cable box sensor, but it does not matter, since the TV card remote control will work from the TV chair, and I can change the channel with the Cablevision remote control.

Biltmore Email Newsletter CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 9:50 P.M.: I reheated and ate the same dinner as last night. I also ate a bowl of potato chips. I chatted with a relative. I went outside, and I threw out some garbage. There is about a half inch of ice all over everything including the cars. It is suppose to be up to 41 degrees Fahrenheit tomorrow Greenwich, Connecticut (06830) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground , so hopefully it will melt by noon or later, but it is suppose to be colder below freezing tomorrow night, so one should clean off their cars during the warmer part of the day, if one intends to keep the car moving. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 8:15 P.M.: According to

<http://maps.yahoo.com/broadband#mvt=m&q2=Key%20West,%20Florida&q1=Greenwich,%20CT,%2006830&trf=0&lon=-77.717285&lat=32.805745&mag=13> ,

it is 1447.7 miles from Greenwich, Connecticut to Key West, Florida and with the Buick wagon at 26 miles per gallon highway driving that would be 55.68 gallons of premium gasoline at about \$3.76 a gallon or less, it would cost about \$210 in gasoline to drive down

to Key West, Florida in the Buick wagon, but there would probably be other expenses, even if the car did not have any problems. CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 8:05 P.M.: Along Putnam Avenue or the Boston Post Road in Greenwich, Connecticut there is hourly local bus service until about 11 P.M. at night CTTRANSIT Website New Server and <http://www.cttransit.com/content/routesStamford.asp> and

week days http://www.cttransit.com/content/pdfs/stam_11_wkdysched.pdf and

week ends http://www.cttransit.com/content/pdfs/stam_11_satsunsched.pdf and

from Port Chester, New York, one can connect

http://beelinebus.westchestergov.com/new_web_pdf_timetables_6_06/web_rte_61.pdf to the Bronx, (this bus starts just across the street from me on the New York border by the Exxon gasoline station just east of the Cumberland Farms store).

and then to White Plains, New York

http://beelinebus.westchestergov.com/new_web_pdf_timetables_6_06/web_rte_62.pdf,

to the Westchester County bus line Bee Line Bus and to White Plains, New York, and from there

http://www.westchestergov.com/transportation/images/web_pdf_files/web_airlink_english_brochure.pdf to the Westchester County Airport Westchester County Airport.

There is a bus from White Plains, New York to Port Chester, New York

http://beelinebus.westchestergov.com/images/Web_PDF_Files/web_pdf_timetables/fall_2007_service_changes/web_rte_13.pdf,

but the schedule does not show it returning the reverse route.

From Westchester County Airport , one can travel cheaply via AirTran Airways to other destinations that might be warmer, but according to their schedule, flights to Miami, where you could catch a www.greyhound.com to Key West, Florida are all booked up. So I guess other people had the same idea. However, if the weather were nice, I bet my Buick wagon would make it down there, and its air conditioning works quite well. CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 7:15 P.M.: The Howard Johnson, Riverside, Connecticut the last time I looked about 20 years ago is run by a fellow with a Red Turban from India whom seems to have more common sense than the local Yankees in this area. There is an inexpensive Chinese take out restaurant just west of it in the small strip mall, and across the street from it just east of it, there is a 24 hour Courtesy Mobil station Courtesy Mobil Greenwich, Riverside, Ct. and diagonally across the street is a branch of the www.chase.com bank, so technically if one has some sort of financial resources, one could

survive in that part of town as a traveler. About a mile east of Howard Johnsons at the I-95 exit 5, there is a www.mcdonalds.com and the Riverside Shopping center. Technically, one could try to sleep in their car at the Riverside shopping center plaza. There is a 24 hour www.cvs.com there, and the Food Emporium The Food Emporium is opened 24 hours week days. The www.starbucks.com as the Riverside Shopping Plaza is suppose to have wireless internet, which might be available outside after it closes. A short distance east of there is the 24 hour Walgreen's www.walgreens.com with the 24 hour Getty station across the street, and just east of that is the New England Service Mobil on the Run , and just east of that is the more fancy Greenwich Connecticut Hotels & Stamford CT Room Reservations - Hyatt Regency Greenwich , where if you had some sort of financial resources, I could pretty much guarantee you that you would survive. They have eight language with Asian language ATM machines there that cost about \$3 to use, but it costs at least twice to three times as much as the Howard Johnson's motor lodge. However, if one were stuck in downtown Greenwich, Connecticut the Thataway restaurant at the bottom of Greenwich Avenue on the east side diagonally across from the train station movie theatre is also suppose to have wireless internet. CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 6:40 P.M.: I woke up at noon, when somebody called about the Buick wagon, and they said they might call back. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I called my 3 P.M. appointment, and I told them I would not be coming in because of the snowy icy weather. I went back to bed until 4 P.M.. I checked outside, and we have about an inch of sleet and ice covering everything, so I would not recommend traveling in this area. The cheapest place to stay in Greenwich, Connecticut is the Howard Johnson's in Riverside, Connecticut on the Post Road, and they are about a \$100 a night, but I think on their 800 number, 1-800-446-4656, they offer a discount www.hojo.com . I washed the breakfast dishes, and I made my bed. I picked up my mail. I had a gift box from a relative. I chatted with the relative that sent me the gift box. I opened up the gift box, and I got two waist 40 inch 30 inch length of Docker Premium never iron cotton khakis pleated-cuffed pants, and two dress shirts, one a green blue plaid Daniel Bishop large size long sleeve shirt, and a Nautica W73926 color 635 long sleeve light striped dress shirt. I took off the tags, and I hung them in my bedroom closet. I chatted with a friend. Last night, I noticed during my walk, the new expensive looking shop going in at the top of Greenwich Avenue on the west side just north of Wendy Gee, besides having a finished marble front, has a large bronze "V" on the door handle. I was told that CVS on Greenwich Avenue is suppose to be opened every night until midnight before Christmas. I ate a piece of apple pie. CIO

Note: <888> 12/13/07 Thursday 5:15 A.M.: His Highness the Aga Khan's 71st Birthday . I guess it is a holiday. I went out after the last message. I went downtown, and I went by the Greenwich Library. I chatted with a few regulars and staff. I read P.C. Magazine. I went downtown, and I used the bathroom at the senior and the arts center. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I noticed at the lower level of the train station parking garage, they have discarded an HP color laser printer and a heavy duty HP black and white laser printer, but they both are missing their toner

cartridges which would be expensive. I stopped by Starbucks on the way up the Avenue, and I used the bathroom. I stopped by CVS, and I bought another black eye glass holder for \$2 and 12 tax for \$2.12. They have about five more in stock. I then completed my walk. I park the car at both locations, so people could see the for sale sign. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road. I noticed a GMC in front of Royal Bank of Scotland with a for sale sign in the window. I guess it is a sign of the times. I then went by the Food Emporium, and I bought a 5 pound bag of Russet potatoes for \$2.99 and Chiquita bananas for .54 a pound for \$1.04 for \$4.03 total. I then returned home. I cooked the same meal as the last two nights, but instead of rice, I scrubbed two potatoes with a vegetable brush, and I pricked them about a dozen times around with a fork, and then I microwaved them for three minutes. I then finished baking them in the Farberware oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for the 35 minute baking cycle of the chicken. I ate one with the dinner with six pads of 50% less fat butter, and I refrigerated the other one with the other piece of chicken. I then worked on the server, and I installed updates. For some reason, the primary Vista computer had me reinstall from Windows Update the Vista SP1 RC, which took longer this time, but the computer is still running fine. I chatted with George from Argentina at the desk of the Key West Hotel Resorts & Florida Keys Beach Accommodations - Casa Marina Resort Key West . He is traveling today or tomorrow for a few day day visit to Manhattan. I hope he is not too cold. I ate a piece of apple pie. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good day. I have a 3 P.M. appointment today. CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 6:30 P.M.: The party from New Canaan, Connecticut arrived at 5:30 P.M. in a new Honda SUV. The party was with his parents, and he was interested in the car for his parents. They were from Lithuania, but the mother thought the car was too big, and it looked like a funeral parlor car, which I know other people seem to think. Thus they do not want it. I chatted with a friend. The Audi is suppose to be ready this Friday. I will now eat two tuna fish sandwiches with potato chops and a dill pickle slice and a glass of iced tea. I will shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go out for a walk after I eat. CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 5:35 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I am waiting for the party from New Canaan, Connecticut to show up and look at the car. CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 4:50 P.M.: I went outside, and I started up the car. I gave copies of the Bed Bath and Beyond coupons to some of the painters whom were interested in them. I chatted with some neighbors. I mixed up some of the grape, cranraspberry, and orange juice mixture. I chatted with a friend. CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 3:50 P.M.: I was told about this 20% off coupon which does not expire 20% off any item at Bed Bath and Beyond in store http://images.ed4.net/images/htdocs/bbb/071003/BBB32825_columbus_bonus.jpg at Bed Bath & Beyond 1001 Best Gifts according to Little Known Secrets for Saving Money - Bed Bath & Beyond Coupons - Associated Content . CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 2:50 A.M.: I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I had a telephone call from a party in New Canaan, Connecticut, and they are coming down to look at the Buick wagon at 6 P.M. this weekend. I threw out the garbage. They are painting the walls and fixing the floors in the building hallway. I forgot to check my mail. I will now check it. CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 2:10 A.M.: I placed a non emergency call to the Greenwich Police Department at 1-203-622-8000, Greenwich Town Departments - Police Department , and I was advised by them to ignore the offer from the unknown buyer on my Buick wagon. Quite frankly, we all know the internet is full of con artists and other scams, but so also is the entire business community at large, and the internet only reflects the larger community at large. Thus let both the buyer and seller beware. There is also the possibility that we might store the 1998 Audi A6 Quattro grey 4 door sedan with relatives up in Maine, and I might continue to keep the Buick wagon or vice a versa, and store the Buick wagon in Maine and keep the Audi here. Quite frankly on a low income, I am not very willing to drive up to Maine this year in the winter with either car. There is possibly an option that another relative could deliver the car to Maine, but the Audi is not suppose to be available until after the first of the year. A relative whom is experienced at traveling would more than likely have the luxury of delivering either car. Realistically for most of my life, I am more experienced at walking other than driving the mile downtown and taking the two mile give or take walk. However, being an experienced walker, I do happen to notice other people around town whom seem to walk quite a bit, and I also happen to notice a few of the coffee shop philosophers whom because they happen to see one in one's daily routine, they seem to think they know it all. The more one learns, the more one learns about what one does not know. In life, I ate to remind one that the biggest variable is the weather. Anyone whom walks a bit would happen to notice that. I also know with the internet one can get better current local weather information. However, once one has to face the weather, it still does not change it. I ate a piece of apple pie with two 1.25 inch by 4 inch by .25 inch slices of New York extra sharp cheddar cheese with some iced tea. Most of my friends but not my family are very cold weather people. For example, when we had the oil embargo in the early 1970s, I met <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> whom although he has supposedly died, use to keep his apartment near Beekman place very cold with a Frederick air conditioner in the winter, because of the oppressing steam heat in central Manhattan building. He also use to wear a British Navy blue woolen P coat with a blue knit cap. Maybe he was British, since his original apartment that I met him at was near the British consulate in Manhattan. However, British people like Prince Phillip are actually Danish, which might be colder. Whatever, the case was at the Microsoft conference in Hauppauge, Long Island last February 2007, someone appeared slightly tanned with a shaved head and white woolen beret. Possibly there is some group in the colder regions that wear white woolen berets. More than likely from what I know the French usually wear berets, so possibly a white one, might belong to some group like the French Alpine Ski patrol or the French Foreign Legion. Or maybe it is something that French Canadians fine useful. I still have my Icelandic knit woolen cap that I bought in Toronto, Canada for \$40 in December 1983, before I moved back to Greenwich,

Connecticut, but that does not mean that I am from Iceland as far as I know, but I know Iceland use to be part of Norway, so possibly that is where the confusion comes from. Since I do not speak Norwegian, I am dependant on some of the local Norwegian residents, but since Scotland and Norway are not too far apart geographically, it would seem they would have similar customs if not dissimilar languages. From what I know I never got Fred's middle name, so if he were some sort of covert agent, the initials "FVM" might give him away. However, in reverse "FVM" or "MVF" might stand for Michael Vanderbilt Ford, or in Tiffany monogram "FMV" "Frederick Vanderbilt Morgan". However, Fred was pretty well convinced that he was 14th generation Dutch York, so somebody in the Dutch community must know his where abouts, if he still is not pushing up tulips. However, Fred's apartment was near the Ford Foundation Ford Foundation which tend not to start in the winter, but Michigan is a cold state, and Joe McDonald might have been related to Henry Ford II's first wife's family, and there was an African American fellow at www.lfc.edu named Fred Ford who lives in Grosse Point Farms, Michigan, so possibly Fred Von Mierers tans darkly, and is really Fred Ford. However, there is a Fred Ford locally whom I have not seen recently. More than likely whatever the case, the Ford family still have enough money to sort themselves out, until they all take off traveling, when it gets cold in Michigan. Mike McDonald from Michigan was suppose to be the expert on the weather on the internet, but also with the McDonald or MacDonald clans, it all gets confusing. Mac means they're from Scotland, and Mc means they're form Ireland. The Henry Ford family are Irish, so I guess you could call them lace curtain shanty Irish immigrants. www.ford.com still owns www.volvo.com , so they have a Swedish connection, but with the price of fuel, not many people are driving anything to far anymore. Maybe I could buy a low mileage 6 mile per gallon Daimler for a few thousand dollars. I have seen a vintage one at the Exxon station here. There use to be two parked next to the British Consulate in Manhattan on 49th street. Thus with the booze boat QM2 - Itinerary - 2007 coming and going more frequently, we have better Anglophile relations. However, back a few years ago, before the price of energy went up www.bp.com was making a million dollars an hour, and thus probably more now, and I heard recently someone talking about the old company Imperial Oil Company Imperial Oil Limited which has a familiar name with it called Esso which sounded like S.O. or Standard Oil. I think from what I know, more than likely there are some Canadians around whom do not think it is too cold here. Whatever the case, since I do not frequent pubs, I do not meet some of the local Anglophile philosophers. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/12/07 Wednesday 12:35 A.M.: GOP.com | Republican National Committee :: GOP Store - Home

Welcome - Windows Feedback Program

He supposedly abdicated on December 11, 1936, but I think if he is still alive, he might be the Emperor of India Edward VIII -- Britannica Online Encyclopedia . Since Winston Churchill was just a newspaper person, I doubt if he could really push an Emperor around.

Earlier today, I had a telephone text operator assisted phone call about the Buick wagon with an email address, and when I replied to the email address, there was a reply with an offer but with no name, address, telephone, and request to cash a Usps check and ship the car with the extra funds via a Western Union money order. It seemed a bit suspicious, so I reported it to Greenwich Town Departments - Police Department . CIO

Note: <888> 12/11/07 Tuesday 10:15 P.M.: When I chatted with the Greenwich Time today, they told me the takeover deal with the Gannett newspaper chain fell through, and as of the first of the year, the The Connecticut Post Online - ConnPost.com - HOME is taking over the www.greenwichtime.com . The Connecticut Post is a Hearst Publication Hearst Corporate Site . I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/11/07 Tuesday 10:10 P.M.: After dinner, I chatted with a relative. Monday night it is suppose to get cold Greenwich, Connecticut (06830) Conditions & Forecast : Weather Underground . Maybe I will get a chance to wear my red Marmot ice climbing jacket with red hood. I was always good at playing "Little Red Riding Hood". CIO

Note: <888> 12/11/07 Tuesday 7:15 P.M.: I woke up at 11 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a relative. I showered, and I cleaned up. I called up the www.greenwichtime.com, and my advertisement on the Michael Scott 1992 Buick Roadmaster Station Wagon will run until December 19, 2007. I lowered the price from \$2,900 to \$2,500. I then went downtown, and I went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by CVS, and I bought buy one get one free two Life Fitness 60 capsule B-100 for \$11.99 both, two Life Fitness E 400 IU 180 sotgels for \$9.99 both, and two Life Fitness B-12 500 mcg 100 tablets \$7.49 both less two \$4 off coupons on a \$20 purchase for \$21.47 total. I then went to my 3 P.M. appointment. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue. I chatted with a couple of local village observers. I stopped by the Senior and the Arts center. I stopped by CVS, and I bought a five ounce bag of Bells bite size chocolate covered peanut butter candies for .88 and .05 tax for .93 total. I ate them during the rest of my walk. I then returned home. I will now make and reheat the same meal as last night. I just ate a piece of bread. CIO

Note: <888> 12/11/07 Tuesday 4:25 A.M.: I emailed Hauppauge about an extension cable for the remote control IR cable and the cable box sensor both wires which are connected to one plug into the Hauppauge HDTV 1600 TV card. If they do not know where one is available, I could try splicing longer cable into the existing cables. I need to have the cable box sensor in front of the IR unit on the cable box, and it would be convenient for the remote control sensor to be facing the TV chair mounted by the Sony television. Thus one would be able to use the Vista Mutlimedia features more easily. Another project for another day. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/11/07 Tuesday 2:25 A.M.: BBC NEWS | Technology | 'Digital locks' future questioned

McDonald's: Bringing Home The Bacon - Forbes.com

McDonald's: Supersize This! - Forbes.com

UBS Comes Clean - Forbes.com

Disability Cases Last Longer as Backlog Rises - New York Times

Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation & Library Nancy Reagan Books

My web domain <http://mikelouisscott.com/> has been renewed until February 2009, and it is paid for with my Optimum Boost account.

I ate the last piece of pumpkin pie. I went through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/11/07 Tuesday 1:05 A.M.: I opened up the package of six boneless chicken breasts, and I put four of them in a large flat Rubbermaid container. I then rinsed off the other two in cold water, and I dried them with a paper towel. I then put a thin coat of olive oil in a Pyrex pie dish, and on a separate plate, I rubbed the bottom side of the boneless chicken breasts with olive oil, and then I spread a thick coating of Italian seasoned bread crumbs on them, and then I seasoned them with garlic powder, ground black pepper, and Italian seasoning, and then I did the same with the top side. I then put them in the Pyrex pie dish, and I baked them in the Farberware convection oven at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 35 minutes. I also made up a batch of <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/mlsrice.htm> to which I also added two teaspoons of Kikkoman soy sauce and oregano Seasoning and chicken bullion seasoning. I ate half, and I put the other half in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I also steamed in a two quart Revere pot with steamer tray and lid about 1.5 cups of baby carrots and broccoli crowns for 15 minutes on medium high electric burner heat, and I put some olive oil on the vegetables. I put the other baked boneless chicken breast in a Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I ate it all with a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 12/10/07 Monday 11:00 P.M.: I woke up at 8 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until noon. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I defragmented the Vista computer hard drives, while I was sleeping. I showered, and I cleaned up. I chatted with a relative. I went out, and I went by the George Weston Bakeries Arnold Bread Store outlet, and I bought an Entenmann's 26 ounce home style apple pie for \$2.25. I then went down by the waterfront at Grass Island, and one of the most regular fishermen was there. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I walked out on the pier. They have torn down the house across the harbor from the Indian Harbor Yacht Club just south of the Colonial

House with the Widow's Walk. I then drove over along the waterfront to the Riverside Shopping Plaza. I went by the Radio Shack, and I bought a RadioShack.com - Cables, Parts & Connectors: Wire: Speaker wire: 12-Ft. 24-Gauge Speaker Cable with 1/8" Plug for \$3.99 and .24 tax for \$4.23 total. I then bought a sale clearance item a Accurian AMP-5052 Multipurpose Tower Speaker regularly \$150 for \$29.97 and a \$1.80 tax for \$31.77 total. I then went by the Food Emporium, and I bought a head of broccoli for \$2.49, a two pound bag of baby carrots for \$3.49, America's Choice boneless breasts of chicken for \$2.99 a pound \$11.39, and two 10 quart package boxes of America's Choice powdered milk for \$6.99 each box for \$31.35 total. I then returned to the center of downtown Greenwich, and I used the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street, and I used the bathroom at the adjoining Mellon Bank of New York. According to the guard, the Mellon Bank of New York still controls the vault area. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the new real estate office just on the south side of the Christian Science monitor reading room, and it is called Engle and Volkers Greenwich LLC ENGEL & VÖLKERS . Across the street from the train station movie theatre, the place that I thought was going to be a men's tie shop is not that, it is a new Thailand restaurant. On the way up Greenwich Avenue, I stopped by CVS, and I bought a value size CVS extra strength pain relief 1000 caplets bottle for \$19.99, buy one get one free of 100 capsule Life Fitness odorless garlic for \$6.99 both, and a CVS 180 capsule of 81 mg. adult low strength aspirin pain reliever for \$5.79 and two \$2 off CVS coupons for \$28.77 total. I was told at CVS, when you have a \$2 off \$10 or a \$4 off \$20 coupon, you can use as many coupons as you have for your purchase. I then returned home. I tried installing the speaker on my High Definition TV computer screen, but its preamp was not powerful enough to power it. I took out the old Panasonic speaker from the bathroom bookcase, and I used its cable to place the new tower speaker at the bathroom entrance for stereo sound in the bathroom. I did not use the cable that I bought. I put the cable in my top left living room desk drawer. I threw out the box and the old speaker. I chatted with a relative. CIO

Note: <888> 12/10/07 Monday 12:50 A.M.: BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Shuttle launch delayed until 2008

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/10/07 Monday 12:30 A.M.: I ate the last of a bag of potato chips. I watched a bit of television. There does not seem to be much going on around here, so maybe all of the so called big money people went south for the winter. Greenwich, Connecticut is probably hurting since this was the worst month in the history of hedge funds. CIO

Note: <888> 12/09/07 Sunday 10:45 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by CVS on Greenwich Avenue, and I bought four 5.5 ounce tubes of Pringle sour cream and onion potato chips for .88 each and four 9 ounce containers of Glade Country Garden air fresheners for .99 each for \$7.72 total. I then went further downtown. I went by the Greenwich Post Office, and I mailed my Christmas cards. For the three international cards, I put 90 cents postage to Europe. The domestic cars only need one .41 stamp. I then

walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. On the way up Greenwich Avenue, I stopped by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank halfway up the Avenue. I then went back by CVS again, and I bought four more 5.5 ounce tubes of Pringle sour cream and onion potato chips for .88 each and Life Fitness 100 capsule Flush Free Niacin for buy one get one free for \$8.99 both bottles, and a package of colored assorted size rubber bands for .99 and .06 tax for \$13.56 total. I then complete my walk on the cold rainy night, but we need the rain. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a 59 ounce container of Minute Maid orange juice with vitamins for \$3, a 3 pound bag of yellow onions for \$1.99, Chiquita bananas at .54 a pound \$1.52 and a 38 count of Hefty Ultra Flex tall 13 gallon garbage bags for \$6.49 and .39 tax for \$13.39 total. I then returned home, and I put away my purchases. I will now eat a piece of pumpkin pie with iced tea. I will open the rubber bands and put them in a sandwich zip lock bag to have them available in the left kitchen drawer. CIO

Note: <888> 12/09/07 Sunday 5:55 P.M.: I have 26 Christmas card with Christmas letters ready to mail. I posted my Christmas Letter here Michael Louis Scott's Christmas 2007 Letter . I will now microwave and eat a Stouffer's 21 frozen beef lasagna, which I will eat with a glass of iced tea. I will shut down the primary Vista computer, and after I eat, I will go out to mail the Christmas cards. CIO

Note: <888> 12/09/07 Sunday 1:40 P.M.: I woke up at 10:30 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I threw out the garbage. I chatted with a relative. I will now put together my Christmas letter and my Christmas Cards. CIO

Note: <888> 12/09/07 Sunday 1:20 A.M.: UTC - High technology for building & aerospace industries is in the area, so maybe they are testing out their choppers. I have seen their older models flying around before. I installed an update for one of my Nvidia GeForce FX5800 video card driver. I am a bit pooped, so I will shut down the Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I ate three scoops of Maple Walnut ice cream. Stay warm. CIO

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 11:45 P.M.: Word to the wise, once they try to kill you, you tend not to be afraid to use Federal Marshals. There is no shortage of man power in the U.S. Government. I do know this past week, there were a new type of silver blue helicopter flying overhead at very low level with lots of noise with the usual sort of front type of artillery, so unless some local business person is trying to sell something, more than likely some sort of law enforcement group is exercising its authority. I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers earlier. CIO

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 10:15 P.M.: Since I am a beta tester for Vista SP1 RC, I went ahead and installed it as an upgrade from Windows Update with the registry tweak download that I was able to download. It took about 20 minutes to download and install the Vista SP1 RC. The system seems to be running about 30% faster, and it runs quite a bit more smoothly. However in Internet Explorer, Programs, Manage Add-Ins, I found an

unsigned program "DLC.class" which is spyware, which I deleted. You can not install the latest release of SP1 over an earlier release, and you have to uninstall SP1 to install it from Windows Update. I backed up the system before installing it. However, I will not back it up again for another week or so to make sure it is running fine. I also downloaded the Upgrade Version, the Full Install version, and Windows 2008 Server editions. I will now burn them to DVD. I left a message with a relative that with the Russians Saber Rattling, more than likely the U.S. Government is going to have to send some people up to Alaska to repair some of our old "Cold War" facilities, and more than likely the Southern Command against Cuba will also have to be strengthened. Who knows, maybe the United States Air Force www.af.mil will send me back down to Key West, Florida to reinforce the waterfront patrol down there against invading Cubans. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 12/08/07:

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 4:15 P.M.: Come On, Grandma, Drive My Car - Forbes.com .

I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 2:55 P.M.: ate another piece of pumpkin pie with the last of the cool whip topping. As a small note of diversion, I have been observing www.starbucks.com on Greenwich Avenue, since they first started converting the old Finches' drug store on the southeast corner of Benedict Place and Greenwich Avenue. I have only had about three cups of coffee there over the years, because about seven years ago, I suspected that someone tampered with the creamer that I used to add cream to my coffee. They now have small sealed plastic cream cups. I am the guy that use to sit down there observing the Starbucks store from the Veterans Monument across Greenwich Avenue from the Senior and the Arts Center. In the old days instead of buying coffee from Starbucks, I use to bring my own coffee in a thermos. However, as I get older, I have to go to the bathroom after I drink coffee, so if I drank coffee from a Thermos downtown, sooner than later, I would have to go to the bathroom, which is usually at the Senior and the Arts center or at Starbucks. It is part of most towns municipal codes that public places have to let the general public use their rest room facilities. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 1:05 P.M.: I put away my laundry. I picked up my mail. My actual www.cl-p.com electricity bill during the previous month of November 2007 was actually \$196.84, and I have already paid the monthly average of \$182. Let's hope it is a warmer winter. I will now eat two tuna fish sandwiches with potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I will then shower and clean up, and I will then go through the last four days email. Not much seems to be happening on the internet, I guess a lot of people are low on money having over extended their credit. CIO

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 12:05 P.M.: I woke up at 8 A.M. this morning. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I checked my car, and the little bit of snow has

melted. I am doing two loads of laundry, and I have 10 minutes left on the dry cycle. I put clean linens on the bed. I watched the end of the movie "Flipper". I chatted with a relative and a friend. I chatted with my neighbors.

NASA - Space Shuttle

Antares' lender selling off loan - Greenwich Time

CIO

Note: <888> 12/08/07 Saturday 12:05 A.M.: I am sort of bored with the internet recently after all of these years, since once the weather changes to winter, I have to adjust my biological clock to winter, and then hopefully I might get back to more of my normal computer routine. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/07/07 Friday 10:10 P.M.: I chatted with two relatives, and I ate a piece of Pumpkin pie. As a matter of political reference to any Yankees whom have never been down south, having lived down south, I tend to know people whom have lived down south and up north, and that would include various political groups, since I once was associated with a well known now unknown media company, people use to entertain me, when I came to visit. Thus I tend to have a better viewpoint of some areas around the country than the random people whom happen to travel through the same areas. Basically once one has worked with cbs, which some people thinks stands for "Charles Battenberg Scott", one tends to end up reading more than watching television. Since, although television can be entertaining, it also contains actors, whom are only reading the scripts of writers, whom one may be or may not be familiar with. We have enough younger people in this area, so I do not have to do all the work myself anymore, thus when the weather is difficult, I tend to pursue more of my normal home routines. CIO, "Chief Information Officer" or "Charles Ivan Ottawa". Unfortunately for them so many northern people travel south in pursuit of warmer climates anymore, they frequently upset their natural biological clocks in their travel pursuits. I really should go through my email, since I have not checked it in three days. CIO

Note: <888> 12/07/07 Friday 8:30 P.M.: I woke up this morning at 8 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watered the plants, and I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl. I threw out the garbage and the old periodical literature. I received the first issue of my new subscription to www.forbes.com . Since I have more time at home anymore, I took the time to read it, and I enjoyed reading it in the privacy of my apartment for a change. It still has interesting articles based on what their media company is able to publish. I ate the same sautéed burger with onions and cheese and steamed baby carrots and broccoli crowns with flavored rice and a glass of iced tea. I went outside, and I chatted with a neighbor. It was beginning to snow, and there were a few inches of snow on the ground. I checked the lights

on the Buick wagon, and they all seem to work just fine. With the internet, I guess there is no need for four to eight people to travel to together in a car anymore to save fuel, so I guess there is nobody in the area that wants to have the Buick wagon that I have to use for some economical transport such as car pooling. Of course the newer vehicles of the same capacity can be used for the same purpose. Most people here think it is the Rockefeller family hearse, since I park it downtown near the local funeral homes, like I am out looking for customers. Station wagons use to be very common in the suburbs in the old days when people had large families. Also with people stocking up on weekends at Wal-Mart and Costco type stores, station wagons have room enough to bring home the bargains that some people stock pile. I chatted with a relative for a while. I do not really think the price of fuel really has risen too much in terms of real terms, its cost and price is just keeping up with inflation in terms of real world prices. We have enjoyed cheaper fuel in the U.S.A. for a long time, since we are a larger country area wise, and we need it cheaply to run a larger country, but I suppose as the country has become more densely settled away from the coasts, the necessity of driving long distances is not as necessary, since there are a lot more developed modern communities within the country outside the major urban areas, and many of them tend to be a lot more family friendly, since they are encouraging growth. Usually this time of year in the suburbs of Connecticut, we get bothered by people from the upper Midwest trying to get us to move there for a better life, and trust me, I think on a four seasons basis we have a better life here. In other words, I am not very good at milking cows. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/07/07 Friday 1:40 A.M.: I ate the last piece of chocolate filled crumb cake. I chatted with www.geico.com at 1-800-42GEICO. They gave me a quote on the same policy that I have on the Buick Roadmaster wagon on the 1998 Audi A6 Quattro, and the \$88.88 four monthly payments on a six month policy with liability and full comprehensive with no deductible would go up about another \$32 per payment, so I would pay \$121 for four monthly payments or \$484 for six months or \$248 more a year or \$968 a year. For about \$500 more a year, I could insure both cars, if I kept the Buick Roadmaster up in Maine. However, if it were stored in Maine, the policy would be turned off for eight months, when it would not be used. However, my relatives said that they intended to sell the car there, and not keep it. My relative has friends and associates in Maine whom drive less fancy cars than the 1992 Buick Roadmaster wagon. Of course depending on how far they drive, they might not be able to afford to go too far with the price of fuel around here.

[BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Nasa delays space shuttle launch](#)

[BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Meteorite dates lunar volcanoes](#)

[BBC NEWS | Technology | Microsoft trials XP on XO laptop](#)

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/06/07 Thursday 11:20 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the George Weston Bakeries Arnold Bread Outlet, and they had a special today. I bought the limit of three loaves of fresh Arnold Healthnut bread for .99 each, and three fresh six packs

of Thomas' English muffins with cranberries for .99 each six pack, and a 21 ounce Entenmann's pumpkin pie for \$2.25 for \$8.19 total. I then went by the Gateway Automobile Supply, and I bought four green Christmas Tree Royal Pine scent cards for .90 each for \$3.60 total. I put one hanging from the driver's side rear door hook, and three unopened in the glove box, so it now has a fresher scent in the car. I then went to my regular 3 P.M. appointment. I was told that this evening or late afternoon they were lighting the Christmas tree in front of the Watson Pavilion at the Greenwich Hospital. I strolled around the Hospital 911 Memorial Garden, since I was told that you can no longer smoke in the underground parking garage, and you can not smoke in front of the building. It is the nature of a hospital, they are not user friendly to smokers. However, sometimes smokers see more in their routines than the near sighted medical professionals. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop. I then went downtown, and I parked my car at one of the free spots for seniors in front of the Senior and the Arts Center, so individuals could see the For Sale sign on the Buick Wagon. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I sat out at various locations. I used the bathroom before and after at the Senior and the Arts Center. I stopped by CVS. I walked a little further at the top of Greenwich Avenue, and I browsed the store fronts just east of Greenwich Avenue. I stopped by Vision Consultants, and I bought a blue SAX eye glass chain for \$5. I then went by CVS again, and I ran into another walker, and I walked with the walker to his car. I then returned to CVS, and I bought the last black Magnivision eye glass holder for \$2 and .12 tax for \$2.12 total. I then completed my walk. I then went by the Splash Car Wash on West Putnam Avenue, and I got the after hours Express Car Wash for \$5 and a \$1 tip for \$6 total. I then vacuumed the car with the free vacuums. I then returned home, and I brought down two car towels, and I dried the car, and I left the car towels in the rear section of the car. I then returned an inquiry from a local citizen on the Buick wagon, and I gave the particulars. The party said they might call me back if interested. I was told the cheapest gasoline in Greenwich, Connecticut is at the Citgo station in the Glenville section of town just north of me three miles, and it is suppose to be \$3.25 for regular gasoline. However, at the rate I drive, my savings would be eaten up by driving up to Glenville. Besides my family has always bought gasoline at Greenwich Exxon Service Station next to the Greenwich Library, except for when we lived off Round Hill Road, we bought gasoline at the Round Hill Road Exxon store. We also bought gasoline at the Mobil station that used to be across the street from the Greenwich Train station, when they had gasoline during the oil embargo of the 1970s when Exxon did not. We also bought gasoline for a time at the Getty station by the train station where the Mobil station is now located. I also use buy gasoline at the Mobil station by Indian Field Road, and for quite a period I bought gasoline at the Shell station on West Putnam Avenue, since they are opened 24 hours, and I am frequently on a night schedule. At one time or another, I have probably bought gasoline at most of the other stations in town. However, since I usually drive older cars, I tend to try to stay a regular gasoline customer at Greenwich Exxon, since I also depend on them for occasional maintenance. They are very good at maintaining older cars, and they have competitive prices. Also they are near the downtown area and the Greenwich Library if one needs to wait a while. I ate a piece of chocolate filled crumb cake with some iced tea. I chatted with a relative. I will now put the black \$2 eye glass tie on my good pair of reading glasses, and I will leave the spare \$5 one in the bedroom on the wicker rack by the bed with some of my other eye glasses. I froze two of

the loaves of bread and two of the six packs of English muffins with cranberries. My freezer is currently full, so I have no more room for frozen food. I think I will put my union suit on over my leisure clothes, since my apartment feels a bit like my freezer. Tomorrow is Pearl Harbor Day [Pearl Harbor Memorial Page](http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/pearlmem1.htm) and <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/pearlmem1.htm> . CIO

Note: <888> 12/06/07 Thursday 12:50 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I ate two tuna fish sandwiches with a slice of dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. I chatted with a friend whom will be traveling northeast this weekend with his family, and I found them a pet friendly place at the Sturbridge Days Inn 1-800-916-4614 at www.hotels.com . I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will get ready to go out for my 3 P.M. appointment. CIO

Note: <888> 12/06/07 Thursday 11:45 A.M.: Despite the price of fuel today, it is my viewpoint as a professional economist that anything big heavy and bulky has also gotten more expensive, particularly when it comes from somewhere else like Detroit, Michigan area, so more than likely the price of the vintage Buick wagon is actually worth quite a bit more, since it is definitely big, heavy, and bulky. CIO

Note: <888> 12/06/07 Thursday 10:55 A.M.: I have a bill of sale ready, and copies of the work orders and recent history of the Buick wagon ready in case any one is interested in buying the Buick wagon. I put out the garbage, and I put the two for sale signs on either side of the rear windows. The building custodian gave me my order for 6 cartons of New York Seneca Ultra Lights 100s in a box from www.ordersmokesdirect.com that arrived yesterday in the mail, so I now have 10.5 cartons. I chatted with a neighbor. I put the tea in the refrigerator to become iced tea. The Buick wagon gets 26 miles per gallon on highway driving and 11 to 17 miles per gallon in local driving using premium fuel. It weighs 4400 pounds, so in stop and go traffic it uses more fuel. I think it an excellent value considering that I am only charging my expenses, and I am not charging for all of the time and work that I have put into it personally checking it out for the last eight months. CIO

Note: <888> 12/06/07 Thursday 8:05 A.M.: I woke up at 4:30 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I have been watching www.cnbc.com when I watch television, when I wake up. I chatted with a friend. I am making up a batch of Formula One <http://mikelouisscott.com/icetea.htm> . The Michael Scott 1992 Buick Roadmaster Station Wagon for \$2900 is listed here

<http://www.cars.com/go/search/detail.jsp?tracktype=usedcc&searchType=21&pageNumber=0&numResultsPerPage=50&largeNumResultsPerPage=0&sortorder=descending&sortfield=PRICE+descending&certifiedOnly=false&criteria=K-%7CE-%7CM-7-%7CB-3000%7CD-61-%7CN-N%7CR-30%7CI-1%7CP-PRICE+descending%7CQ-descending%7CZ-06830&aff=national&paId=252179380&recnum=1&leadExists=false> .

It is also listed under station wagons in the Greenwich Time www.greenwichtime.com and the Stamford Advocate.

I will now print out two copies of a For Sale sign to put in the rear inside side windows on both sides.

I have the Connecticut Title for the car and the two extra sets of keys for three sets of keys total set out to have available. I am not selling the Club Bar with it, so I will keep its keys.

I will also print out copies of a bill of sale to have available to fill in. CIO

Note: <888> 12/05/07 Wednesday 7:40 P.M.: Russia possibly coming to our help.

BBC NEWS | Europe | Russia to extend naval exercises

BBC NEWS | Asia-Pacific | Row over China tiger photo 'fakes'

BBC NEWS | Technology | 'Kill switch' dropped from Vista

I am a bit tired, so I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good night. CIO

Note: <888> 12/05/07 Wednesday 7:00 P.M.: I ate a piece of crumb cake. I chatted with a friend and a relative. I thought about going across the street to the Splash Car Wash for their after hours from 6 P.M. to 8 P.M. car wash for \$5 Express Wash Menu and Greenwich, CT Splash Car Wash, but usually when it is below freezing, it is not a good idea to get a car wash, because it does not dry off thoroughly, and the locks can freeze, and if you do not have remote keyless entry which I do, you can not get into the car. Also the windows can freeze and not open and close. Thus I have to wait until it is warmer after 6 P.M. at night. There is a \$6 car wash over in Old Greenwich NEW ENGLAND SERVICE MOBIL On the Run, but it would cost me about \$6 to \$8 to drive over there and back. The Good Old Days on the mid 1980s, when I could use the 25 cent spray car wash device at the Exxon gasoline station on the border with New York here are long since gone. I was told today that New Jersey is full of Arabs, so maybe they are using all of the energy to stay warm driving up the price of fuel. I recall my Victorian friend's grandfather use to keep his hand cut English stone house in Gladstone, New Jersey at 45 degrees Fahrenheit, and when I visited there in December 1973, during a blizzard, we had to drive into Manhattan for a party at <http://mikelouisscott.com/fred.htm> 's girl friends apartment, and on the way in my blue 1970 4 door Volvo sedan the fan belt broke, and we found a snow mobile shop in Far Hills, New Jersey that was able to replace it, and we made it to the party on time. However that Volvo was not good on snow, since it was rear wheel drive. Shortly there after we had the Energy Embargo, and trying to make it the Mobil gasoline station on I-95 in Darien, Connecticut which was one of the few stations in the area with fuel, on the way back, I slid into a guard rail in the snow storm, and the driver's side was all smashed in, and I later sold it a few month's later to a African relief worker from White Plains, New York. CIO

Note: <888> 12/05/07 Wednesday 4:35 P.M.: I ate another piece of chocolate filled crumb cake before going to bed. I woke up at 4 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I showered, and I cleaned up. I went out, and I chatted with a neighbor. I went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the Greenwich Cigar store, and I bought a dollar 24 K Gold scratch card, but I lost. After I finished my walk, I went by the Greenwich Automotive Services Exxon gasoline station, and at 8 A.M., they did the service on the Buick wagon.

Oil Change with Exxon 5000 oil, 5 quarts \$14.05, Red Oil Filter \$4.29, top off vital fluids, lubricate chassis where possible, perform 20 point maintenance check, labor \$19.58, subtotal \$37.92;

Replace Oil Sending Unit, part \$58, labor \$44.50, subtotal \$102.50;

Subtotal: Labor: \$64.08

Subtotal: Parts: \$76.34

Supply Charge: \$5.62

Sales Tax: \$8.76

Total: \$154.80

A relative paid for the bill.

I then filled up the tank with \$15 of self service premium unleaded gasoline at \$3.759 a gallon for 3.99 gallons for 9.699 miles per gallon driving 38.7 miles since last Saturday in downtown traffic for odometer reading of 115,731.5 miles.

I cleaned the front and rear widows outside. The mechanic put the driver's side window down all the way, and it would not go back up right away, but after a few tries, it went up. It might be the switch. I generally avoid the problem, by only putting the window down halfway at most, and I generally do not put the window down at all, since the car has full climate control.

I next went by the Gateway Auto Supply, and I bought 15 ounce container of STP oil treatment for \$3.99, a 12 ounce Gumout concentrated fuel injector container for \$3.99, and two quarts of Castrol 10W40 oil for \$3 each plus .84 tax for \$14.82 total. I then put the STP oil treatment in the engine oil, and I added the Gumout concentrated fuel injector cleaner to the fuel tank, and I put the two spare quarts of oil in the driver's side rear storage compartment. Thus the Buick wagon is fully serviced as far as I am concerned.

I then went out to Grass Island, and my former neighbor's boat has been removed from the harbor for the winter. I chatted with one of the most frequent fisherman. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I noticed that Welcome to RBSGC.com was setting up or breaking down from a tent event. I then went by the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went by the Greenwich Hospital Thrift Shop, and they have a few items on sale. I then returned home. I chatted with a neighbor, and I picked up my mail. I made and ate my regular sautéed burger with onions and cheese and flavored rice with steamed broccoli and baby carrots, which I ate with a glass of iced tea. I then chatted with a relative a few times. I placed an advertisement in the Greenwich Time www.greenwichtime.com starting tomorrow for a week for \$60 and if needed another week for free to sell the

Michael Scott 1992 Buick Roadmaster Station Wagon for \$2900.

A relative paid for the advertisement. I ate a piece of the chocolate filled crumb cake.

The advertisement in the Greenwich Time also goes in the Stamford Advocate, and it is in the classified section under station wagons. It will also be in www.cars.com.

It reads something like this:

Buick Roadmaster 1992
Wagon, maroon, All power,
very good condition, fully maintained
116,000 miles \$2,900, 203-531-6754

The 1998 Audi A6 with 60,000 miles is available for me to pick up in the Philadelphia area, once I have sold the Buick. Since I am being given the Audi by a relative, I will not have to pay sales tax on it, when I register it in Connecticut. Thus it all depends on when the Buick wagon sells. I would rather not have to drive up to Kennebunkport, Maine in the winter to store the Buick, until we could deal with it later. CIO

Note: <888> 12/04/07 Tuesday 7:45 P.M.: I noticed today, when I was out for my walk that they have a new 3 foot by 5 foot nylon U.S.A. flag flying at the flag pole at the World War II, Korean War, and Viet Nam War veterans monument across the street from the senior and the arts center. That replaces the one that went missing on Halloween night. There are still quite a few veterans in the area, so they noticed when it was missing, but I guess it took time going through channels to get another one.

Light Meter, Sound Meter and Wireless Weather Station innovation Since 1982 Weather station for home computer, but it does not say if one can post the output on an internet server or not.

Ambient Weather Station Software

You would need this Purchase Virtual Weather Station Internet Edition for about a \$100 to post weather information on the internet.

However, the receiving software is free Free Desktop Weather - Weather Exchange Download

However, the Digital Weather stations start at \$100 and up Professional Weather Stations, Wireless Weather Stations, Cabled Weather Stations

However, I do not have a appropriate site near my apartment to mount an outside weather station.

The Rich Salty Dogs about 2 miles southeast of me, have a good enough weather station on Long Island Sound at

Real-Time Weather Indian Harbor Yacht Club , but it seems to quit working a couple of months ago.

However, the local Greenwich, Connecticut weather if I am not mistaken comes from the weather station at Tod's Point on Long Island Sound, for the temperature in Greenwich, Connecticut 7-Day Forecast for Latitude 41.05N and Longitude -73.65W Greenwich, Connecticut away from Long Island Sound there is another weather station 2 miles northwest of me at Rye Brook, New York 7-Day Forecast for Latitude 41.01N and Longitude -73.72W Rye Brook, New York. I think both of them are national weather service stations, and of course Westchester Country airport about 5 miles northwest of me would be accurate weather Current Weather Conditions: White Plains, Westchester County Airport, NY, United States. Thus it is not really necessary for me to run an expensive weather station off my home server, when I can read the weather from other nearby weather stations. CIO

My personal Oregon Scientific model number BAA182HG weather station with new batteries in both base and sending units with the remote sending unit mounted just outside my west facing windows about two inches from the single pane glass says outside right now it is 31.5 degrees Fahrenheit and 46% humidity with barometric pressure rising.

Local weather story Town teeters on drought - Greenwich Time .

I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. I have to be up early to make it Exxon at 8 A.M. tomorrow morning to have the service done on the Buick wagon. CIO

Note: <888> 12/04/07 Tuesday 4:35 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the Greenwich Library on the way, my AT&T wireless telephone rang. When I got to the parking lot, I left a message with the caller. The caller called me back in the library, and my 3 P.M. appointment was cancelled. I then went downtown, and I went by the Merry Go Round Mews thrift shop, and they have a large selection of Christmas items available for

one's shopping convenience. Some local people don't think I always make sense, since I spend a lot of time out in the cold, when they are inside, and I chat with quite a few people based on my experience, which is not always relevant to what they are thinking about. I then chatted with a dog walker walking a tiny baby pit bull puppy about dogs in general. I then stood out for a while at the Senior and the Arts center. I then drove down by the waterfront on Steamboat Road, and I enjoyed the much clearer view of Long Island and Long Island sound now that not as many people drive as much. I then went by the George Weston Bakeries Arnold Bread Store outlet, and I bought a 14 ounce bag of Arnold Premium herb flavored stuffing for \$2.79 and a 26 ounce Entenmann's chocolate chip filled crumb cake for \$2.25 for \$5.04 total. I then returned home, and I chatted with my neighbor from Viet Nam who would also speak French, and I suggested that we could think about visiting Tahiti some day where they also speak French. I will now eat a piece of crumb cake with some iced tea.

Microsoft Money Plus \$40 rebate with H&R Tax Cut Product CIO

Note: <888> 12/04/07 Tuesday 1:25 P.M.: I picked up my mail. I will now go out for my 3 P.M. appointment. CIO

Note: <888> 12/04/07 Tuesday 12:20 P.M.: I woke up during the night, and I ate a bowl of goldfish crackers. I woke up at 3 A.M. this morning, and I watched a bit of the CNBC www.cnbc.com business news. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I chatted with a friend. I went out at 7 A.M. without cleaning up, and I went by Greenwich Exxon . At 8 P.M., they checked the oil leak underneath my Buick wagon, and it is the oil pressure sending unit. They can replace it for about \$110. They ordered the part and oil filter. I will bring the car back at 8 A.M. tomorrow morning, and they will replace the oil pressure sending unit along with doing an oil and filter change for about \$155 total. A relative will pay for it for me. I then went downtown, and I stopped by the Senior and the Arts center. I then walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by the Senior and the Arts center to use the bathroom on the way up Greenwich Avenue. I then returned home. I chatted with a relative downtown and when I returned home several times. Chris at Greenwich Exxon said it might be hard to sell my Buick wagon since it uses a bit more fuel. In about a week I will advertise it in the www.greenwichtime.com which also places it in www.cars.com . I will try to sell it for \$2,900 which is what I have in it. If I can not sell it, my relative said she might just store it in the extra garage space in the house up in Kennebunkport, Maine. Portland, Maine had 20 inches of snow, but Kennebunkport, Maine only got about six inches of slush. Of course I would have to get the car up to Maine in the winter. Also since the summer wrought iron patio furniture is stored on one side of the garage in the winter, I would have to move it down to basement in the winter which might be difficult. I would also have to travel back from Maine on the train which would be an additional expense. Still there is room in the garage for it there. I ate two tuna fish sandwiches with potato chips and a dill pickle slice and a glass of iced tea. I will now shower and clean up. I have a 3 P.M. appointment today. CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 7:25 P.M.: I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon. Have a good night. CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 6:40 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. Another one of my relatives is giving me a 1998 Audi A6 four door sedan with 60,000 miles 1998-2004 Audi A6 - Consumer Guide Automotive after the first of the year. Thus I will be selling the Michael Scott 1992 Buick Roadmaster Station Wagon . The private party value of the Buick wagon is \$3,260 and the trade in value is \$2,165 and the retail value is \$4,825 if it were in excellent condition, so in very good condition it is probably around \$4,000 retail value. This is a picture of the Audi that I will be getting after the first of the year <http://mikelouisscott.com/audi-1998-a6.jpg> . I will check with the previous owner of the Buick wagon to see, if he wants to buy it back. CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 5:45 P.M.: I watched some television. I ate two bowls of goldfish crackers.

BBC NEWS | UK | England | Shropshire | Cat, 26, could be record breaker

BBC NEWS | Science/Nature | Chimps beat humans in memory test

BBC NEWS | In Pictures | In pictures: Intel Classmate school

I ordered Architectural Digest Architectural Digest — The International Magazine of Design: architecturaldigest.com year subscription for \$4.99 Architectural Digest 1 Year Subscription Free Shipping! - (eBay item 160185287115 end time Dec-04-07 11:41:54 PST) . It takes 12 to 16 weeks to come.

I could order Forbes Magazine One Year Subscription 26 Issues No S/H! - (eBay item 160185359375 end time Dec-04-07 15:52:19 PST) for \$16.49, but I never seem to have time to read it. Of course, if they wanted me to look at it, they could send me a free copy or keep my subscription going, but alas after all of these years in the boon docks, they don't seem to remember me anymore. However, since the Forbes family are some of my family's original friends in this area, I figure I should keep the magazine around, so I went ahead and ordered it for \$16.49 to keep my subscription going. I do not know if there will be an interruption of service or not. I think with the higher prices of fuel, I might have more time to read it. I read the note at the bottom of the page, and I email them the information that it was a renewal.

I have an identical seltzer bottle as the one with French white wine in the refrigerator. It is charged up with four year old water, so I put it back on the refrigerator door with the other one to chill it. Now one could have bubbling cold water and with bubbling cold white wine, which is what I think in Austria they call a "Sprtizer" . CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 3:00 P.M.: Watchdog: White House Lost A Lot More Than 5 Million E-mails - Government - IT Channel News by CRN and VARBusiness

Bush Official Allegedly Hired Geek To Wipe Computer - Government - IT Channel News by CRN and VARBusiness

www.wine.com cancelled the cork screw order, since it is only for people who receive their catalogs.

Wrangling Continues Over Energy Bill - Forbes.com

Encyclopaedia Britannica Student Library discount software \$6.49

Amazon.com: Winter House: Books: Charlotte Moss

Wine.com - 1 cent shipping on any order \$99 or more*

Microsoft Launch Central

Launch Central Heroes

Price comparison and reviews at best-price.com

GOP.com Donation page

I heard on **www.foxnews.com** that 500 people whom live in the quaint farming community of Manhattan receive United States Government farm subsidies. CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 2:15 P.M.: I chatted with a relative. I threw out some garbage, and I picked up my mail. I did some bottom fishing on the internet, however usually before Christmas, there are not any bargains. Around the second week of January when money is tight again, they start to show up again. I will now go through my email. CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 12:15 P.M.: I went out after the last note. I went by the ATM machine at the Chase Bank on Mason Street. I then went downtown, and I walked the entire length of Greenwich Avenue and the train station area. I stopped by CVS, and I bought a 10 pack of MK plastic clothes hangers for \$2.99 and .18 tax for \$3.17 total. I then bought a 72 count bottle of Tums Ultra 1000 fruit flavored for \$2.99 after \$2 discount coupon. I then bought a 12 ounce tin of Danish Absolute Devine lite cookies for .50 after \$2 discount coupon. I then completed my walk, and I used the bathroom at the Senior and the Arts center. I then went by the Stop and Shop, and I bought a buy one get one free of six packs of Thomas' English muffins for \$2.99 both, a half gallon of Tropicana orange juice with calcium for \$2.99, a 1.75 quart container of Breyers lite butter pecan ice cream for \$2.99, four 21 ounce Maria Calendar frozen meat lasagna dinners for \$2.50 each, two 18 ounce cans of Campbell's New England clam chowder for \$1.50 each, two 12.5 ounce bags of Lays sour cream and onion potato chips for \$2.50 each, a 48 ounce container of Quaker old fashioned oatmeal for \$4.49, a 1.75 ounce two pack of Stop and Shop blue bowl dropins for \$2.69, a 12 ounce Stop and Shop Bear honey for \$3.19, two 64 ounce containers of Stop

and Shop lite cranraspberry juice for \$2 each, a quart jar of Vlassic dill spears for \$2, three London Broil top rounds for \$1.99 a pound for \$3.22, \$3, and \$2.65, and Dole organic bananas for .79 a pound for \$1.15 for \$53.53 total. I then returned home, and I brought up my purchases, and I put them away. I took the three London Broil top rounds, and I cut them into about 1.5 inch cubic chunks, and I filled the Cuisine Art with chopping blade about 40% full, and I made ground beef out of the London Broil. I weighed the ground beef into eight ounce balls, and I hand formed nine 1.5 inch thick by about five inch diameter eight ounce hamburgers. I doubled bagged seven of them, and I froze them, and I put two in a flat Rubbermaid container in the refrigerator. I then cleaned up my burger making devices. I then made two tuna fish sandwiches, which I ate with a sliced dill pickle and potato chips and a glass of iced tea. CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 6:40 A.M.: I threw out the garbage. I put a new blue Stop and Shop toilet tablet in the toilet tank. Well, I guess it is official the Hurricane Season is now over <http://mikelouisscott.com/weather.htm> and <http://geocities.com/mikelscott/weather.htm> . Now everyone with money can now go down to the Key West Hotel Resorts & Florida Keys Beach Accommodations - Casa Marina Resort Key West . It ain't bad down there, if you have Yankee dollars, but you certainly would not want to be a homeless wharf rat. Of course it does get cold down there in the winter with temperatures dropping to the mid 40s degrees Fahrenheit at night. One could always take off to Simply Tobago - Tobago tourists' guide and Welcome to Mt Irvine which is where I was trying to make it to in 1976, when I got stuck down in the colder climate of Key West, Florida. I guess living here in exile up in Greenwich, Connecticut with nothing left but my Florida flag, I will never be able to enjoy the warmer weather down south anymore. Still once one's blood thickens up, one can enjoy living around the cold weather Nordic people whom manage to survive here in the winter. I still use Angostura bitters in my iced tea up north. It supposedly helps prevent one from getting intestinal gas too. Not much happening down in Key West, Florida Live Duval Street Web Cam in Key West, Florida :: Sloppy Joe's Bar :: . I guess there are so many places in between Tobago and Key West, everyone is lost in between in the Caribbean. This is a cheaper colder place to stay not as far south as Tobago Cinnamon Bay Campground (Virgin Islands National Park, St. John) - Campground Reviews - TripAdvisor and Virgin Islands National Park (U.S. National Park Service) . I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will get ready to go out and do some grocery shopping at the Stop and Shop. Of course I am suppose to be the Royal Bermuda Yacht Club in Greenwich, Connecticut Royal Bermuda Yacht Club, but everyone knows it can be cold in Bermuda in the winter. Of course Nassau, Bahamas & Paradise Island, Bahamas Official Vacation Guide might be warmer. I stayed there with two British chaps back in January 1978. Of course some of my relatives still manage to survive down south here John's Island Club . CIO

Note: <888> 12/03/07 Monday 5:35 A.M.: I was awake at 4 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. It is suppose to be

raining out, so I will not be going out for a walk this morning, but I will go out later to do errands. CIO

Note: <888> 12/02/07 Sunday 6:25 P.M.: I chatted with a relative.

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I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go to bed soon.

I will eat a bowl of goldfish crackers before going to bed. CIO

End of Scott's Notes week of 12/02/07:

Note: <888> 12/02/07 Sunday 5:05 P.M.: I tried repairing my email program to be able to send out the notes. However, it was a link in the notes from "Celebration of Reading" from Florida from Jeb Bush that kept the notes from going out. I removed the link. I will now send out my weekly notes again. CIO

Note: <888> 12/02/07 Sunday 2:45 P.M.: I made a hamburger sautéed with onions and cheese with steam broccoli and baby carrots and flavored rice with iced tea, which I ate. I will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will take a nap. CIO

Note: <888> 12/02/07 Sunday 1:45 P.M.: Apparently my weekly notes will not go out on the Optimum Email server, I guess because they are too long, so I sent out a short note to look at my two server's notes. I chatted with a relative.

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Note: <888> 12/02/07 Sunday 12:05 P.M.: I ate two 3 ounce bowls of whole wheat goldfish crackers. I checked the weather outside. I watched some television. CIO

Note: <888> 12/02/07 Sunday 11:20 A.M.: I woke up at 4 A.M.. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 9 A.M. this morning. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I straightened up the brown entrance carpet runner. I watched some television. I did some bottom fishing on the internet. I did a Vista Complete PC backup from the first hard drive to the second hard drive. There is suppose to be light snow out with rain this evening, so I guess I will be staying in today. CIO

Note: <888> 12/01/07 Saturday 7:10 P.M.: I microwaved and ate a 16 ounce Boston Market beef pot roast dinner with mashed potatoes, which I ate with a glass of iced tea. I

will now shut down the primary Vista computer, and I will go back to bed. Have a good night. CIO

Note: <888> 12/01/07 Saturday 6:20 P.M.: I chatted with a friend and a relative. I put on one of my union suits over my leisure clothes to stay warmer.

<http://mikelouisscott.com/lj.htm> and <http://www.geocities.com/mikelscott/lj.htm> . I will now send out my weekly notes. CIO

Note: <888> 12/01/07 Saturday 5:30 P.M.: Green doesn't have to make you Blue! Zonbu notebook \$279

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I went through my email.

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Note: <888> 12/01/07 Saturday 2:10 P.M.: I slept until 11 P.M. last night. I ate breakfast of oatmeal with honey and a sliced banana, two toasted English muffins with olive oil, orange and grape and cranraspberry juice and pineapple juice with vitamins and supplements and coffee with milk and splenda sweetener. I went back to bed until 6 A.M. this morning. I ate a bowl of three scoops of lite Maple walnut ice cream. I went back to bed until 9 A.M.. I had quite a bit of joint stiffness in my left should. I guess it was from the fact, I did not have the heat turned on the bedroom, so I turned it on to 70 degrees Fahrenheit. Although I use a comforter and electric blanket, they frequently come off at night, and one is exposed to the cooler temperatures of the room. I chatted with a relative twice. I opened a can of tuna fish, and I made two tuna fish sandwiches which I ate with a some low fat Pringle onion and sour cream potato chips and a slice of dill pickle and a glass of iced tea. I made my bed, and I washed the breakfast dishes. I watered the plants, and I threw out the old periodical literature and the garbage. I put more white vinegar in the scent bowl in the living room. I installed the latest Logitech Setipoint driver for the wireless mouse and keyboard. CIO