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The quotation on the cover comes from Oscar Wilde's Lady Windermere's Fan (1892), act iii, said by Lord Darlington to Mr Dumby, who retorts with an 'echo response' (which is indeed a mannerism in Stanley Kubrick's very last film, with the Joycean title of Eyes Wide Shut) (1892 is another Joycean coincidence).

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## Part One

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Volume Fifteen of Joyce Lexicography is meant to be a watershed: it is intended to represent a gentle transition from the "very idiosyncratic" language of FW to the "very idiosyncratic" story in FW. It provides the beginning of an instrument for dealing with the pragmatics of the narrative-Person, Place, Timeconcurrently and deliberately marginalising the Irish element in both use of AngloIrish and of Song. For that, after all, is the job of the Republic of Ireland!

I am using "very idiosyncratic" here in the sense of "far more than strange," which is an absolutely accurate description of both these literary phenomena. To use a word created after Joyce, the ideal epithet to be used about it would be "ostrobogulous." That's right: it is indeed an ostrobogulous book! James Joyce would be quite delighted with the epithet, I'm sure.

FW has by now, on top of everything, acquired the stature of "a sacred book," according to Northrop Frye in his Anatomy of Criticism (1957:314), just by being the most massive off-the-beaten-track item emerging out of one single human mind.

The story of FW has so far been neglected by me, in exactly the same way in which the 40 or more languages of FW have so far not been given the deserved attention by the rest of the world. Mind you, name identification the way Glasheen


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goes after them requires the subtle stylistic sophistication of a Raymond Queneau, le grand chef de la Pléiade, in order to get somewhere.

Today, at a time when Europe as a whole pockets one Nobel Prize all to herself, the Languages of Europe are sure to have their long-awaited share of the bounty (or is it a 'booty of non-war'?!). And it goes without saying that the Stories of Europe themselves deserve their share too - collectively, rather than piecemeal...

It is time, therefore, that Language and Story are put on an equal footing in this Lexicographic Series, which continues to grow.

Consequently, the book by my good friend and colleague Glanville Price entitled The Languages of Europe (1998) acquires greater topicality in this very context. I only conclude by adding that the author, former Professor of French at Stirling, Leeds and Aberystwyth is not only a more than fluent speaker of Romanian, but also was very active for years within the Board of Welsh Television.

In short, the purpose of this book, and of the whole series, past, present, and future, is to repair and mend Joyce scholarship neglects of very long standing. Namely: the exact equilibrium between Language \& Story is one such thing.


# Hypothetical Questions accompanied by equally hypothetical answers. 

For Purposes of Further Advanced Research.

It was as clear as daylight that after the novel Ulysses Joyce had to write another book: when the post Ulysses book first came to Joyce's mind, what was the author's very first thought? Was it the title? Was it the story? Was it the gimmicky 'language'? Was it the mere fear of authorial idleness and vacuum? What was it? What was the centrepiece trigger?

Genetic criticism is sure to have its own answer. But I am not a geneticist, and I do not quite believe in it. My answer is more simple, and more down to earth.

I bluntly maintain that it was the main character. The reason? So very simple: ALL Joyce's writings are one-character writings - starting with his Epiphanies, and finishing... say... with his last will and testament.

On the basis of that all too simple but solid way of arguing... IN THE


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BEGINNING, to quote both The Genesis \& St John, all in one, Joyce had The Main Character. And nothing else. The rest is what was being constructed, starting from that point in the space of his imagination.

So, the first thing he needed for this main character was its complex identity. And all police departments, when you say that, would go - first and foremost-for the full name!

It is here that was his the first interesting problem: in its three-term completeness this name occurs nowhere in the book, and it is less than seldom repeated: though it occurs in ever so many variants on every other page!

But it is time, I think, to get down to brass tacks. I consider both Naming and Titling to be devices of Rhetoric in the modern theory of fiction. So, within that particular frame of reference it is always more practical to start from the hard data.

First digression to make things simple: And what can be simpler than Anthony Burgess, made famous by Stanley Kubrick. Let us take the title Clockwork Orange - invented by one, kept by the other, never properly understood by the vast majority of the general public... Bearing in mind that the novel was first issued in 1962, and the film seven years after in 1971, it posited tremendous translation problems - the title, I mean - in ever so many countries. The French were the first to be most unhappy, with their Orange Mécanique. I myself was puzzled too, to start with.


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But at the very end of Joysprick, Anthony Burgess patiently explains (something Joyce never ever dreams of doing): "When I wrote a novel called $A$ Clockwork Orange, no European reader saw the Malay word for 'man' - orang - was contained in the title (Malay students invariably write 'orang squash' and no amount of correction will kill the habit)."

So much for the first word, from the horse's mouth. But how about the second? It is perhaps even more relevant than the first, though far more insidious to track. Anthony Burgess was a teacher, turned journalist, turned novelist, and a compulsive reader. (I could not even invite him to my house, because he invariably sat himself down and started reading my whole library...) And philosophy also interested him from time to time. It so happened that a professor of philosophy of the University of London wrote the bestseller The Concept of Mind as early as 1949; Gilbert Ryle wrote the following, largely quoting Thomas Hobbes: "Human nature differs only in degree of complexity from clockwork" (1949:20)

To put it otherwise, the word was in the air in British philosophical circles from Hobbes onwards, and Ryle resorts to it at least two dozen times in the course of the book. So it is to me as clear as daylight that Burgess must have picked it up from the air, in his random readings.

Now back to Joyce: I tend to advance that Joyce - in the making of FW -trigger-started from Honuphrius, which he anglicised as Humphrey, then added a


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bit of a monkey in the (chimp+chimney...), so no wonder, Burgess too-a Joyce addict - had to resort to some ourag-outang mumbo jumbo in his title...

But my most important point is the third name, that of Earwicker. Why? Why earwig, for heaven's sake? My theory is the following, bringing Joyce closer to the accusations of plagiarism directed against both Oscar Wilde and T. S. Eliot.

I will only give a brief explanation here, which - with luck-I will try to develop and prove in the subsequent volumes...

Just like myself, Joyce could and would think multilingually; and encouraged his whole family to do the same.

Ohrwurm means in German a lot more that it means in English. At least it was so in Joyce's days; and has stayed like that in the Oxford Dictionaries that I posssess today.

The other week, on Monday 22 October, there were at least two BBC Radio programmes devoted to earworms. The problem is that both the BBC and the Wikipedia were applying the phenomenon to music only!

But I am now asking you all an important question: what if Joyce himself was suffering from multi-language earworms? The way Shakespeare quotations circulate... to the point of becoming pathological fixations with some people(s), no matter what their profession(s)...
"Put but money in thy purse," said Iago. And the whole of Brussels repeats


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that today - through the voice of Berlin - to Athens, and to Dublin, and Madrid, and Lisbon, and to Rome... "There are many things in heaven and earth" is another liguistic bookworm that I am myself pestered with in old age, whenever I think of , say, post-communism anywhere in the world...

Joyce does apply Ohrwurm to Language and Languages. It was surely obssessive with him, and it may well have been somewhat fringing the pathological. But the literary method is beyond doubt - the more I think of it - built right into the third and last part of the name of the main character.

Last but not least: There is a major Research Project nicely called The Earwormery! It is nicely run jointly by Goldsmith College, The University of London, the British Academy, and BBC 6 (http://earwormery.com/). But none of these venerable institutions ever thought of applying the phenomenon to Language discourse - they only stick to music.. On the other hand, James Joyce did take in language as part of this major phenomenon in both Ulysses ("la ci darem la mano" etc) and in Finnegans Wake.

In consequence, the Literary Method is deeply implanted in the very name of the very main character. That does give meaning indeed to the earwig, which all Oxford Dictionaries define as a mere earworm... That is why, it becomes so very necessary to learn by heart all the three hundred variants of the sigla HC E , which follow right here... Just in order to be able to understand the story as told


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by himself, about himself, and still, in spite of so many years of collective effort, still only for himself!

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P.S. Do not forget: the 'earworm' is the most sophisticated variety of Joycean Monologue so far pinned down. Years ago, I wrote a book on the subject.

The technical term was not 'in circulation' at the time within the Rhetoric of Fiction: I am now, and hereby, introducing it!



Ovoúppios
(from Egyptian: "he-who-is-continuingly-good)
Byzantine icon.
Onuphrius lived as a hermit in the desert
of Upper Egvot in the 4th or 5th centurfes.

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## H C E - The 333 TOKENS of the Name.

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| 003.03:1 | Howth Castle and Environs. \# |  | 1. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 004.26:9 | hod, cement and edifices |  | 2. |
| 004.32:1 | Haroun Childeric Eggeberth |  | 3. |
| 006.35:5 | he calmly extensolies | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 4. |
| 007.22:12 | . Hic cubat edilis. |  | 5. |
| 010.21:10 | ) How Copenhagen ended. | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 6. |
| 011.15:11 | happinest childher everwere. | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 7. |
| 013.05:1 | \# Hush! Caution! Echoland! \# |  | 8. |
| 013.06:1 | \# How charmigly exquisite! |  | 9. |
| 013.22:12 | heathersmoke and cloudweed Eire's | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 10. |
| 017.25:2 | . Hither, craching eastuards, |  | 11. |
| 017.26:1 | : hence, cool at ebb, |  | 12. |
| 018.23:10 | Head-in-Clouds walked the earth. | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 13. |
| 018.30:10 | . A hatch, a celt, an earshare |  | 14. |
| 018.31:11 | earthcrust at all of hours, |  | 15. |
| 021.13:7 | $\underline{\text { his }} \underline{\text { homerigh, }}$ castle and earthenhouse. |  | 16. |



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| 025.06:6 | , hive, comb and earwax, | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 17. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 029.18:8 | , Humme the Cheapner, Esc, |  | 18. |
| 029.30:6 | humile, commune and ensectuous | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 19. |
| 029.35:5 | hubbub caused in Edenborough. \# |  | 20. |
| 030.02:6 | $\underline{\text { Harold or Humphrey Chimpenden's [+030.07:8] }}$ |  | 21. |
|  | Earwicker(s) |  |  |
| 030.04:7 | enos chalked halltraps) |  | 22. |
| 030.14:6 | , Hag Chivychas Eve, |  | 23. |
| 031.03:4 | earthside hoist with care. |  | 24. |
| 032.12:5 | . The great fact emerges that all holographs so far exhumed [...] initialled by Haromphrey bear the sigla H.C.E. |  | 25. |
| 032.18:7 | the nickname Here Comes Everybody. |  | 26. |
| 033.13:2 | . Habituels conspicuously emergent. \# | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 27. |
| 033.30:1 | H. C. Earwicker |  | 28. |
| 035.20:2 | . Hesitency was clearly to be evitated. | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 29. |
| 035.20:8 | Excreation as cleverly to be honnisoid. | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 30. |
| 036.12:8 | H. C. Earwicker | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 31. |
| 036.22:3 | hotel and creamery establishments | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 32. |
| 036.29:4 | High Church of England | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 33. |



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| 037.01:5 | Heidelberg mannleich cavern ethics) | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 34. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 038.16:6 | hup a ' chee | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 35. |
| 039.34:8 | , Eglandine's choicest herbage, | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 36. |
| 039.05:8 | classic Encourage Hackney |  | 37. |
| 046.01:3 | He'll Cheat E'erawan |  | 38. |
| 051.14:1 | haardly creditable edventyres of the Haberdasher, the two Curchies and the three Enkelchums |  | 39. |
| 053.28:8 | Eagle Cock Hostel |  | 40. |
| 055.11:7 | , the hen and crusader everintermutuomergent, |  | 41. |
| 055.29:1 | haughty, cacuminal, erubescent ( |  | 42. |
| 058.19:1 | $\underline{\text { human, erring and condonable, }}$ |  | 43. |
| 059.03:3 | $\underline{\text { his Eagle and Child }}$ |  | 44. |
| 059.03:10 | corn and hay emptors |  | 45. |
| 062.21:2 | , Humpheres Cheops Exarchas, |  | 46. |
| 066.17:7 | Hyde and Cheek, Edenberry, |  | 47. |
| 068.11:11 | . Houri of the coast of emerald, | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 48. |
| 070.15:2 | hikely excellent crude |  | 49. |
| 070.34:4 | House, son of Clod [...] to be Executed |  | 50. |
| 071.27:3 | , Hatches Cocks' Eggs, |  | 51. |
| 073.30:10 | , at Howth, or at Coolock or even at Enniskerry, |  | 52. |



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073.19:7 (Et Cur Heli!) ..... 53.
074.02:2 , haught crested elmer, ..... 54.
076.05:9 , Ham's cribcracking yeggs, ..... 55.
076.32:1 erst curst Hun ..... 56.
078.03:10 (hypnos chilia eonion!) ..... 57.
085.12:3 , a highly commendable exercise, ..... 58.
088.02:1 high chief evervirens ..... 59.
095.12:6 $\mathrm{H}^{2} \mathrm{C} \mathrm{E}^{3}$ ..... 60.
096.34:3 hagious curious encestor ..... 61.
097.03:5 Humfires Chase ..... 62.
097.08:7 . Ear canny hare ..... 63.
098.18:7 had claimed endright, ..... 64.
098.36:6 . Howforhim chirrupeth evereachbird! [NOT in Boldereff!] ..... 65.
100.18:3 (En caecos harauspices! ..... 66.
101.12:14 Homo Capite Erectus, ..... 67.
102.06:1 hiding the crumbends of his enormousness ..... 68.
102.16:6 Handiman the Chomp, Esquoro, ..... 69.
105.14:1 , He Can Explain, ..... 70.
106.24:3 Howoke Cotchme Eye, ..... 71.
106.32:5 Huffy Chops Eads, ..... 72.


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| 106.36:2 | Excellent Halfcentre |  | 73. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 107.12:10 | hardily curiosing entomophilust |  | 74. |
| 107.14:5 | eternal chimerahunter |  | 75. |
| 108.15:7 | Elberfeld's Calculating Horses. |  | 76. |
| 108.23:8 | (Hear! Calls! Everywhair!) |  | 77. |
| 111.06:7 | , Cheepalizzy's Hane Exposition) |  | 78. |
| 119.18:4 | $\underline{\text { his hes hecitency Hec, }}$ |  | 79. |
| 125.14:8 | Hans the Curier <br> a conciliation cap onto the eskers of his hooth; | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 80. |
| 126.14:10 |  | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 81. |
| 126.15:1 | cap onto the esker of his hooth; |  | 82. |
| 126.17:11 | $\underline{\text { heinousness of choice to everyknight }}$ |  | 83. |
| 126.24:4 | Hirish tutores Cornish made easy; | [NOT in Boldereff!] | 84. |
| 127.03:7 | heptagon crystal emprisoms |  | 85. |
| 127.08:5 | coal at the end of his harrow <br> [NOT in Boldereff!] |  | 86. |
| 127.10:6 | escapemaster-in-chief from all sorts of houding- |  | 87. |
|  | places; |  |  |
| 128.05:2 | ; hidal, in carucates he is enumerated, |  | 88. |
| 128.05:8 | , hold as an earl, he counts; |  | 89. |
| 128.24:6 | ; hock is leading, cocoa comes next, emery tries for |  | 90. |
|  | the flag; |  |  |



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## On Relativity...



It is a platitude to say that 'relativity' is relative! However: There are things more difficult than "foreign" words in FW. (Foreign in relation to what, by the way?)

That is The Names. And that is The Glasheen Territory!
Over the past 40 years or so - as I was not at all tied down by one Academic Bureaucracy or another, I developed a strange specialization, namely The Linguistic Analysis of Difficult Texts.

That in fact turned out to be my Torino Course... Strictly applying it to FW, I made it into Session Panels at several Joyce Conventions, with noted Joyceans taking active part, like Jacques Aubert, Carla Marengo, and Liana \& Anthony Burgess.

In my personal opinion, they were far more relevant to the scholars' job of understanding the text than, say, the book Nora by Lady Brenda Maddox, launched with too much pomp and circumstance at the 1990 Monaco Convention.

The simple starting question is here-why is The Honuphrius Interlude written in such clear and limpid language (English)?

I advance the point that the interlude-in addition to summarizing the


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whole book, in stunning fashion, remains as difficult as the rest, mainly on account of the Names, or rather, of the Characters lying behind the so many names so fleetingly mentioned.

Together with all the other interludes, Honuphrius provides and excellent point of entry into the Book as a whole. I do not know of anybody who has so far said that! There is next to no research into this particular interlude.

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## Finnegans Wake 572.21-573.35

## SkeletonKey Summary

## 331 b to 332d

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## FW572

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21 honest propositions to all. He is considered to have committed, invoking droit d'oreiller, simple infidelities with Felicia, a virgin, and to be practising for unnatural coits with Eugenius and Jeremias, two or three philadelphians. Honophrius, Felicia, Eugenius and Jeremias are consanguineous to the lowest degree. Anita the wife of Honophrius, has been told by her tirewoman, Fortissa, that Honuphrius has blasphemously confessed under voluntary chastisement that he has instructed his slave, Mauritius, to urge Magravius, a commercial, emulous of Honuphrius, to solicit the chastity of Anita. Anita is informed by some illegitimate children of Fortissa with Mauritius (the supposition is Ware's) that Gillia, the schismatical wife of Magravius, is visited clandestinely by Barnabas, the advocate of Honuphrius, an immoral person who has been corrupted by Jeremias. Gillia, (a cooler blend, D'Alton insists) ex equo with Poppea, Arancita, Clara,
## FW573

Marinuzza, Indra and Iodina, has been tenderly debauched
(in Halliday's view), by Honuphrius, and Magravius knows

Honuphrius is a concupiscent ex-service-major, who makes dishonest proposals to all. He is father of Felicia, Eugenius, and Jeremias. He is considered to have committed infidelities with Felicia and to have practised unnatural coitus with Eugenius and Jeremias. He is the husband of Anita. He has instructed his slave (Mauritius) to urge an emulous friend (Magravius) to solicit Anita's chastity, while requiring her to deceive himself by rendering conjugal duty when demanded. He pretends publicly to possess his wife in thirty-nine different ways whenever he has rendered himself impotent to consummate by artifice.

Anita is the wife of Honuphrius and the mother of Jeremias, Eugenius, and Felicia. She is informed by her tirewoman (Fortissa) that Honuphrius has confessed to instructing his slave (Mauritius) to urge his friend (Magravius) to solicit her chastity. Anita knows that the schismatical wife of Magravius (Gillia) has been debauched by Honuphrius and is now visited by Honuphrius' advocate (Barnabas) who was

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from spies that Anita has formerly committed double sacrilege with Michael, vulgo Cerularius, a perpetual curate, who wishes to seduce Eugenius. Magravius threatens to have Anita molested by Sulla, an orthodox savage (and leader of a band of twelve mercenaries, the Sullivani), who desires to procure Felicia for Gregorius, Leo, Vitellius and Macdugalius, four excavators, if she will not yield to him and also deceive Honuphrius by rendering conjugal duty when demanded. Anita who claims to have discovered incestuous temptations from Jeremias and Eugenius would yield to the lewdness of Honuphrius to appease the savagery of Sulla and the mercernariness of the twelve Sullivani, and (as Gilbert at first suggested), to save the virginity of Felicia for Magravius when converted by Michael after the death of Gillia, but she fears that, by allowing his marital rights she may cause reprehensible conduct between Eugenius and Jeremias. Michael, who has formerly debauched Anita, dispenses her from yielding to Honuphrius who pretends publicly to possess his conjunct in thirtynine several manners (turpiter! affirm ex cathedris Gerontes Cambronses) for carnal hygiene whenever he has rendered himself impotent to consummate by subdolence. Anita is disturbed but Michael comminates that he will reserve her case tomorrow for the ordinary Guglielmus even if she should practise a pious fraud during affrication which, from experience, she knows (according to Wadding), to be leading to nullity. Fortissa, however, is encouraged by Gregorius, Leo, Viteilius, and Magdugalius, reunitedly, to warn Anita by describing the strong chastisements of Honuphrius and the depravities (turpissimas!) of Canicula, the deceased wife of Mauritius, with Sulla, the simoniac, who is abnegand and repents. Has he hegemony and shall she submit?
himself corrupted by Jeremias. Anita discovers incestuous temptations from Jeremias and Eugenius. Anita has been threatened by Magravius with molestation from a certain orthodox savage (Sulla), if she will not yield to him and also render conjugal duty to Honuphrius. She would yield to Honuphrius to save the virginity of Felicia for Magravius, but fears that by allowing his marital rights she may cause reprehensible conduct between Jeremias and Eugenius. She is dispensed by her priest (Michael), under pain of anathema, from yielding to Honuphrius. Four Excavators (Gregorius, Leo, Vitellius, and Macdugalus) warn her through her tirewoman (Fortissa) of strong chastisements by Honuphrius, and advise her to submit to Honuphrius. They describe, also, as a warning, the depravities practised by the savage (Sulla) on the wife of Honuphrius' slave (Canicula).

Sulla would procure Fortissa for the Four Excavators Fortissa has had illegitimate children by Honuphrius' slave (Mauritius). The priest, Michael, has formerly committed double sacrilege with Anita and wishes to seduce Eugenius.

The case has been reviewed by the following theorists: Ware, D'Alton, Halliday, Gilbert, Wadding, and D'Oyly Owens. The question is: Has Honuphrius hegemony and shall Anita submit?
[ The second phase of the discussion (FW573 to FW576) reviews the history of the case. ]

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Translate a lax, you breed a bradaun. In the goods of Cape and 33 Chattertone, deceased. 34
This, lay readers and gentilemen, is perhaps the commonest

The court rules that so long as there is a joint deposit account in the two names a mutual obligation is posited.


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## The Honuphrius <br> Interlude <br> FW572.21-573.35

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## Honuphrius is a

Concupiscent $\underline{\text { Exservicemajor }}$ who makes dis-
honest propositions to all. He is considered to have committed, invoking droit d'oreiller, simple infidelities with Felicia, a virgin, and to be practising for unnatural coits with Eugenius and Jeremias, two or three philadelphians. Honophrius, Felicia, Eugenius

Honuphrius est un ex-major de l'armée concupiscente qui fait des propositions
malhonnêtes à tout le monde. Il passe pour avoir commis,
invoquant le droit d'oreiller, des infidélités simples avec Félicia, vierge, et pratiqué des coïts contre nature avec Eugenius and Jeremias, deux ou trois philadelphiens. Honuphrius, Felicia, Eugenius

## Romanian no 1

(more Latinate in tone!)

Romanian no 2
(more Balkanized in tone!)

Honuphrius este un fost maior de armată concupiscent care face tuturor propuneri
ruşinoase. Se crede că,
invocând le droit d'oreiller, a comis
infidelități simple cu Felicia, fecioară,
şi că practică coit contra naturii cu Eugenius şi Ieremia,
doi sau trei indivizi din Philadelphia. Honuphrius, Felicia, Eugenius

Onofrei este un fost
maior lacom peste poate care face avansuri
deochiate cui nu te aştepți. Se22
zice că, în numele unui aşa zis droit d'oreiller, s'ar fi culcat cu fecioara Felicica,
ba mai că i-ar fi înțepoşat pe24

la spate şi pe Evghenie şi pe Ieremia,
vreo doi-trei domnişorei... 25

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and Jeremias are consanguineous to the lowest degree. Anita
the wife of Honophrius, has been told by her tirewoman, For-
tissa, that Honuphrius has blasphemously confessed under volun-
tary chastisement that he has instructed his slave,
Mauritius, to urge Magravius, a commercial, emulous of Honuphrius, to solicit the chastity of Anita. Anita is informed by some illegitimate children of Fortissa with
Mauritius (the supposition is Ware's)
that Gillia, the schismatical wife of Magravius, is visited
et Jeremias sont consanguins au dernier degré. Anita,
la femme de Honuphrius, s'est laissé dire par sa femme de peine, Fortissa,
ue Honuphrius a confessé blasphémeusement sous châtiment
volontaire qu'il avait instruit son esclave, Mauritius, de
pousser Magravius, commerçant, émule $\mathrm{d}^{\prime}$ Honuphrius, à soliciter la chasteté d'Anita. Anita est informée par les enfants
illégitimes de Fortissa et
Mauritius (la supposition est de Ware)
que Gillia, femme schismatique de Magravius,
şi Ieremia sunt rude îndepărtate. Anitei,
nevasta lui Honuphrius, i-a spus femeia în casă, Fortissa,
că Honuphrius a mărturisit, blasfemie, sub pedeapsă
voluntară, că l-a trimis pe sclavul lui, Mauritius,
să-l îndemne pe Magravius, comerciant, omul lui Honuphrius, să solicite castitatea Anitei. Anita este informată de copiii
nelegitimi ai Fortissei cu Mauritius (aşa bănuieşte Ware)
că Gillia, nevasta schismatică a lui Magravius, este vizitată
şi Ieremia sunt rude de sânge deloc apropiate. Anicuța,
nevasta lui Onofrei, ştia de 27
multă vreme de la servitoarea
ei Plinuța
că Onofrei ar fi mărturisit 28
sub pedeapsă de bună voie
că i'ar fi dat ordin sclavului 28
său Moriț să'i
ceară lui Mărgulici, un cirac
negustoresc al lui Onofrei, să
încerce să scoată pe
Anița din cumințenia ei. Cât 31
o priveşte Anicuța, ea aflase
de la
plozii pe care Plinuța îi făcuse 32
cu Mărgulici - Văru' e cel ce-a
răspândit zvonu' -
că Iulia, muierea înstrăinată a
lui Mărgulici, primeşte pe

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clandes-
tinely by Barnabas, the advocate of Honuphrius, an immoral
person who has been corrupted by Jeremias. Gillia, (a cooler
blend, D'Alton insists) ex equo with Poppea, Arancita, Clara,
est visitée clandestinement clandestin
par Barnabas, l'avocat de Honuphrius, personne immorale
corrompue par Jeremias. Gillia (mélange
de beauté, insiste D'Alton),
ex-aequo avec Poppée, Arancita, Clara,

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(in Halliday's view), by
Honuphrius, and Magravius knows
from spies that Anita has formerly committed double sacrilege

Marinuzza, Indra et Iodina fut tendrement débauchée
(selon les vues de Halliday), par Honuphrius, mais Magravius sait
par ses espions qu'Anita a anciennement commis un double sacrilège
de Barnabas, apărătorul lui
Honuphrius, individ
imoral, care a fost corupt de Ieremia. Gillia (fire
mai blândă, susține $\mathrm{D}^{\prime}$ Alton), ex equo cu Poppea, Arancita, Clara,

Marinuzza, Indra şi Iodina, a Măriuca, Ilinca şi Adina fost cu tandrețe desfrânată
(după opinia lui Halliday) de Honuphrius, iar Magravius ştie
de la spionii lui că Anita a comis mai demult dublu sacrilegiu
ascuns în patul
ei pe Barnab, care nu'i decât
avocatu' lui Onofrei, un
gembaş cu
totul lipsit de orice scrupule,
care fusese dealtfel prost
crescut de Ieremia. Iulia -
ceva mai
cumsecade, se încăpățânează 36
să creadă Aldea - ex equo cu
Pompilia, Portocalia, Clara,

Măriuca, Ilinca şi Adina
fusese drăgăstos înțepată de Onofrei
(asta e cel puțin părerea lui 2
Aluidică), iar Mărgulici ştia
bine prin
iscoadele sale că Anița se trăsese pă toate părțile

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avec Michael, vulgo Cerularius, vicaire titulaire d'une église sucursale, qui souhaite séduire Eugenius. Magravius menace de faire molester Anita
par Sulla, sauvage orthodoxe (et chef d'une bande de douze
mercenaires, les Sullivani), qui désire procurer Felicia à quer

Gregorius, Leo, Vittelius et Macdugalis, les quatre excavateurs, si elle ne lui cédait pas et aussi tromper Honuphrius en
cu Mihail, vulgo Cerularius, vicar perpetuu, care aspiră
să-l seducă pe Eugenius. Magravius amenință că o să aibă el grijă să fie Anita molestată
de Sulla, sălbatec ortodox (şi capul unei bande de doisprezece
mercenari, Sullivanii), care vrea să le-o aducă pe Felicia în pat lui

Gregorius, Leo, Vitellius şi Macdugalius, patru excavatori, dacă ea refuză să-i cedeze şi tot odată să-l înşele pe Honuphrius făcându-şi
cu Mihăiță, vulgo Marele 4 Pulidis - popit pă vecie, care mai şi vrea
să'l împugă şi pe Eugen.
Mărgulici amenință că nu se lasă până nu'l pune
pe Sulică să'i tragă o bătaie
bună Aniței. Sulică e un
bătăuş de maidan - şi
tartorul unui găşti de golani,
cărora le place să li se zică Sulicarii ! Sulică şi gaşca lui țin morțiş ca Felicica să fie făcută poştă
de cei patru crai de curte veche-GriGri, Leonte, Vițelu' şi Malacu'.
Asta o să se întâmple sigur cioc. Şi pe deasupra să’l înşele şi pe Onofrei,

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découvert les tentations incestueuses de Jeremias et Eugenius
qui cédaient à la paillardise de Honuphrius pour apaiser la
sauvagerie de Sulla et la mercenardise des douze Sullivani,
et (comme Gilbert le suggera tout d'abord), pour sauvegarder la virginité de Felicia pour Magravius lorsqu'il sera converti par Michael après la mort de Gillia, mais elle redoute qu'en abandonnant ses droits maritaux elle puissa être la cause d'une
datoria conjugală atunci când i se cere. Anita, care pretinde că a
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incestuoase la Ieremia şi
Eugenius,
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Honuphrius ca să potolească
sălbăticia lui Sulla şi
venalitatea celor doisprezece
Sullivani
şi (cum a sugerat Gilbert de la
bun început) ca să păstreze
virginitatea
Feliciei pentru Magravius
după ce acesta va fi convertit
de Mihail după
moartea Gilliei, dar se teme
că, făcându-şi datoria de nevastă,
poate isca acte reprehensibile
desfăcându'şi picioarele la vrerea lui. Anicuța pretinde că a
iscodit unele ispite incestuoase din partea lui Ieremia şi Evghenie
o să trebuiască să cedeze
libidinosului Onofrei numai
şi numai spre a potoli
brutalitatea lui Sulică şi a
celor doişpe Sulicari din
gaşca lui.
Şi-precum prezisese cel
dintâi Gagiu - să salveze
astfel feciorenia
Felicicăi, căci, pasămite, când 15
Mărgulici va fi fost convertit
de Mihăiță după
moartea Iuliei. Dar Aniței îi e 16
tare teamă că îngăduindu-i drepturi matrimoniale,
ea ar putea bine stârni purtări

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posseéder son conjoint en trente-neuf manières différentes (turpiter, affirme ex-cathderis Géronte de Cambrai) pour l'hygiène charnelle
à chaque fois qu'il s'est rendu impuissant à consommer
selon l'artifice. Anita est troublée mais Michael menace de
réserver son affaire pour le lendemain pour l'ordinaire Gugliemus

Ieremia. Mihail, care a
desfrânat pe Anita cândva, o dezleagă
de la obligația să-i cedeze lui
Honuphrius, care declară public cum
că îşi posedă consoarta în
treizeci şi nouă de feluri
(turpiter!
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Cambroneses) pentru igiena
carnală
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neputință de consum prin
subdolență. Anita este
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va păstra cazul mâine pentru
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Evghenie cât şi
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avut în trecut intimități cu
Anicuța, o scuteşte
de obligația de a se mai da lui19

Onofrei, care se laudă sus şi
tare
că şi-a posedat nevasta în20
treizecişinouă de poziții toate diferite (turpiter!
declară ex cathedris Babalâcul21
de Gabroveanu) pentru
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de el, la neputința de a'şi
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şiretlic. Anicuța e tulburată
peste măsură dar Mihăiță
amenință că
mâine o va da pe mâna
grosolanului de Gulgutieru

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Gregorius, Leo, Viteilius, et Magdugalius, concurrement pour avertir
Anita en décrivant les durs châtiments d'Honuphrius
et les dépravations
(turpissimes!) de Canicula, la
femme décédée
de Mauritius, avec Sulla, le simoniaque, qui est un
renègat et
se repent. A-t-il Hégémonie
même si elle pratiquait une dacă face cumva fraudă pioasă de africare,
care, ştie şi ea din experiență că (după Wadding)
duce la nulitate. Cu toate acestea, Frotissa este încurajată de
Gregorius, Leo, Vitelllius şi
Magdugalius laolaltă, s-o prevină pe
Anita descriindu-i asprele
pedepse ale lui Honuphrius
şi depravările (turpissimas!)
Caniculei, nevasta decedată
a lui Maruitius, cu Sulla
simoniacul, care abnegă şi
se pocăieşte. Are oare el
chiar şi dacă ea ar recurge la 25
cuvioasa viclenie a
sugiucului
pe care experiența îi spune-26
stiind asta chiar de la
Vadim - că
poate duce la anularea
27
legământului nupțial. Plinuța
este însă împinsă de
GriGri, de Leonte, de Vițelu' 28
şi de Malacu' - toți la un
loc-să o prevină pe
Anicuța, descriindu-i
limpede severele pedepse pe care i le va aplica Onofrei
cât şi perversiunile
(turpissimas !) ce o aşteaptă
din partea Cuculinei, nevasta dusă pe vecie
a lui Mărgulici, ca să nu mai
vorbim de Sulică Simoniacu', cel care
se tot pocăiește fără de
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Translate a lax, you breed a bradaun. In the goods of Cape and
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This, lay readers and gentilemen, is perhaps the commonest...
et se soumettra-t-elle? hegemonie şi se va supune ea?

Tradu liber, neam şi cui. Mărfuri de Cape \& Chattertone, expirate.
chasse de race.

Cela, gentils et laïcs
lecteurs, est peut-être la plus commune...

Iată, cititori laici şi creştini, cea mai firească dintre...
încetare. Este el oare cu adevărat stăpânitorul, iar ea să fie prea supusa?

> Să faci bine să traduci

33
somnu', că de nu clădeşti un viespar. Pun rămăşag pe mărfurile ce ne sosesc de 34 la Cape \& Chattertone, firmă de pe vremuri.

Aceasta, doamnelor şi
doar şi poate cea mai obişnuită...
(translated by George Sandulescu)

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## Glasheen Gloss

A.
Honuphrius
$\rightarrow$ Humphrey. The passage parodies M. M.
Matharan (qv): Casus de matrimonio fere quingenti quibus applicat et per quos explicat
sua asserta moralia circa eamdem materiam.
Parisseis, 1893

## B. Eugenius

O Hehir has shown that Eugene and Coemghen
?562.33
572-73 (passim)
Irish. Coemghen is anglicized as Kevin (qv) and Kevin is Shaun (qv).
C. Jeremias $\rightarrow$ Jerry

Jerry: Shem (qv) as Jeremiah (qv) and as Jerry,
which is an ass's (qv) name.
$\rightarrow$ Jerry Godolphin. Jerry is listed under Kevin.

## Glasheen <br> References/ <br> Renvois

571-73 (passim)
Axiological
Comments
More comments by G. Sandulescu
blunt identity!

## very neat

presentation of
Equivalence + Identity!


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D. Felicia
E. Anita
$\rightarrow$ Anna Livia
Anna Livia Plurabelle - heroine of FW, Mrs
Earwicker, Eve (q.q.v.), Everywoman,
Everygoddess, Everyriver (see Artemis). She is specially Dublin's little winding, brown, polluted river, Anna Liffey, which rises in the Wicklow hills and meets salt Dublin Bay at Island Bridgesee Sarah.

According to Mr Kelleher, Joyce sent Frank
O'Connor a postcard from Paris, asking, "What was the old name of the Liffey?" Mr O'Connor answered, "Ruirtech," which means "swift running." The Swift Running took on the name of the place through which it ran-Magh (pronounced "moy") Lifé or Plain of Life. Lifé's meaning is unknown.

Mr O Hehir, on the other hand, thinks it
347.35

572-73 (passim)
618.01
absent in Glasheen!
The narrative base of "Anna
Livia Plurabelle" (I, vii) is
Poem XI in the Saltair na Rann-see Synopsis.

## I Anna Livia Plurabelle

41.23 (appy, leppy and
playable); 104.1-2 (Annah
the Allmaziful) - see
Amazon (the Everliving) see Eve (the Bringer of Plurabilities); 153.2 (Amnis Limina Permanent); +207.89 (Annushka Lutetiavitch Pufflovah) - with Pavlova (q.v., and Lutetia, the Roman
very neat! too curt perhaps...

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plausible to derive Lifé from Irish "leaf" and points out that FW makes much play with LiffeyLeafy (see Leafy). Whether unknown or leafy, all "alive," "live," and "life" refer to Anna Livia and tie her to Eve (q.v.), which means "life" in Hebrew. All mentions of whiskey (q.v.) also refer to the Liffey, for usquebaugh means "water of life" - see Phoenix, John Jameson. See also Livia Schmitz, Delta, Signs.

Anna, Mr O Hehir shows to be connected by Joyce with Irish words for "water" (see A, Mem, "river," "fen"). Standish O'Grady (q.v.) says Cormac's Glossary calls Anna (q.v.) mother of the Irish gods, being the same as Dana (q.v.).

Joyce also makes much of "Anna" meaning "grace" (q.v.) in Hebrew, and of Mary Anne (q.v.), Marian, Marion, which ties onto Marion (Molly) Bloom, the Virgin Mary (q.q.v.) and to Joyce's mother, Mary Murray (q.v.). Nor should we forget Anne McCann, and Lucia Anne Joyce (q.q.v.) . See also Ani, St Anne, Queen Anne , Anne Hathaway. As for goddesses, Robert Graves says in The White Goddess that if you need
name of Paris); 215-24
(Anna... Livia... Plurabelle);
268.28-29 (analectual
pygmyhop); 297.25 (appia
lippia pluvaville); 299.26-27
(analytical plausible);
+325.4-5 (Anna Lynchya
Pourable) - with Anne
Lynch (q.v.); 327.6 (anny
livving plusquebelle); 512.10
(Annabella, Lovabella,
Pullabella), 16 (antelithual
paganelles); 548.6 (Appia
Lippia Pluviabilla); 568.4-5
(annamation...livlianess...pl
urity of bells); 569.12 (Alla
tingaling pealabells); 619.16
(Alma Luvia, Pollabella);
627.27-28 (allaniuvia
pulchrabelled).

## II Anna Livia

10.26; 13.30, 31; 14.16-17;


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a single, simple, inclusive name for the Great Goddess, Anna is the best choice

Plurabelle is an addition to the river names "Anna Liffey." It certainly connects with the plurality of persons that is Eve (" mother of all living") - see also Belle, Isabel, Laura, Laura Belle. It appears to me that the name is won in I, viii when Anna Livia exchanges innocence for fertility.

Anna Livia's full name, undistorted, occurs but once in FW - 215.24. She is usually called Anna, Anne, Ann, An, Nann, Nancy, Livia, Livy, Liv, Lif, Liffey, Life, ALP (see One Hundred and Eleven). The initials ALP appear so often in acrostic (e.g., 4.28-29, "addle liddle phifie"; 613.27-28, "Arrive, likkypuggers in a poke!") that I do not list them below. The lists that do follow are not exhaustive.
63.13-14; 81.17; 86.9; 128.14;
139.19; 153.6-7; 154.4-5;
182.27; 195.4; 196.3, 4, 5;
198.10; 199.11, +34 - see

Annona; 200.16, 36; 207.19;
213.32 (bis); 215.12, 35;
236.17-18; 242.28 (see

Avenlith); 265.14; 273.11;
284.15; 287.7; +293.25 - with

Anne Lynch (q.v.), 28-29, 30;
308.20; 309.23; 333.4-5; 337.8;
340.22; ?348.36; 355.32;
+366.3 - with Lucia (q.v.);
373.34; +392.32 - see Anne

Lynch; 404.1; +406.27 - with
Anne Lynch (q.v.); 451.15; 452.18-19; 463.10, 16; 496.27;
+506.34 - see Anne Lynch;
549.16; 562.7; 569.12; 580.25;
583.21, 22; +586.35-36 - with

Ham (q.v.); 600.5 (see Inn);
608.14; 614.24.


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III Anne, Annie, Anna, etc. 4.28 (see Liddell); +7.25, 26, 27 - with Annie Rooney (q.v.); 9.14; 10.26; +12.6with St Anne, Mary (q.q.v.); 14.17; 18.11; 19.26, 30; 20.35; 28.31 (se Anastasia); +38.30 - with Eve (q.v.; see also Havvah); 49.11; 53.26; +54.4-5 - with Poor Old

Woman (q.v.); +55.5 - with Finn (q.v.; see also Fen); 67.8; 71.36; 72.1; 80.20; 94.16 (see Anna); 101.36; 104.8; 105.9; +106.31 - with Ariane (q.v.); +113.18 - with Anne Hathaway (q.v.); +117.16with Anne Boleyn (q.v.); 139.8, 22; 143.10; 179.14; +182.27 - with Ann Whitefield (q.v.); 200.32; +203.21 - with Manon
Lescaut (q.v.; see also

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Flanders), +.36 - with
Arrah-na-Pogue (q.v.);
207.28; +209.6 - with Albert

Victor (q.v.), 34-35; 220.19;
242.29 (see Avenlith), 36;
+243.2, 4-see Ani; 244.20,
29 (see Nancy Hands);
246.21 (bis); +248.26 - with

Dean (q.v.), 27; 254.15, 26;
257.8-10; +258.14 - with Eve (q.v.); +268.left margin with Amaryllis (q.v.); +275.14 - with Ariane (q.v.); 277.12, 18; 280.3, 9; 284.15; 286.19; 293.22; +294.29 with Ann Whitefield (q.v.; also a Spanish river); 298.1; 301.7; 302.1; 308.1-2; +311.12 - see Anna; 312.1, +.9 - with Ann Whitefield, Tanner (q.q.v.); 318.11, 2425; +327.12 - with Annie Rooney (q.v.); 328.14, 19 (see

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Sheeres); +331.25-with
Nana, Anna Karenina
(q.q.v.); 340.25, 29; 342.28;
347.28 (see Anastasia);
+350.8 - with Hen (q.v.),
+.23 - with Julia, Juliet
(q.q.v.); 361.15; 364.22
(Eblana or Dublin, q.v.);
374.32; 378.2; 382.27 (see

Nancy Hands); ; 403.23 (see
Anastasia); +406.27-see
Anne Lynch, 28; 419.20;
422.26; 439.8-9; +441.31 with Elizabeth, Elsa (q.q.v.); +451.11 - with Solomon (q.v.); 452.34; +454.6-7 with Shaun the Post (q.v.); +463.16 - with Nana (q.v.); 475.21; 478.16; 492.8; +493.5, 6 - see Mary, +.32 - with Ani (q.v.); 495.33; 496.4; +498.19 - with Ani (q.v.); 500.2; 501.11; +504.33

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(Pommes Anna is a fine French dish named for a $19^{\text {th }}$-century courtesan) with Pomona (q.v.); +512.18 - with Maud Gonne (q.v.); 514.6; 516.32; 521.24; 532.21, 24; +537.6-7 - with Christine Beauchamp, Christ (q.q.v.); +548.10with Annie Laurie, Laura (q.q.v.), 11; +551.6 - with Diana (q.v.); +553.2 - with Ana (q.v.); 559.34; +567.15with Anne of Denmark, Anne Boleyn (q.q.v.); 568.1718; +571.26 - with Mrs O'Shea (q.v.); 572-73 (Anita occurs 9 times); 575.6-7 (see Doyle); 576.8; 578.21; 584.32; 585.22, 30; 586.31; 600.10; 603.5; +606.30 - with

Prankquean (q.v.); 607.1112; 610.17; 620.34; +623.34-

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with Anne Hathaway (q.v.);
626.1-2.

IV Livia, Liffey, etc.
3.24; 4.28; 7.1-2, 35; 11.5, 32,

35; 14.29-30; 17.27, 33, 36;
18.34; +23.20-21 - see

Nyanza; 26.8, +.16-with
Lafayette (q.v.); 36.26; 41.22;
42.18, 25; 50.14; 54.24; 63.14;
64.17; 81.17; 88.34; +104.1with Eve (q.v.); 126.13;
138.3; 146.23; 159.12-13
(Mississippi); 172.19; 174.26; 203.6, 30; 204.5, 14; +208.5with Liddell (q.v.); 213.10; 215.33-34, 35; +224.29 - with

Morgana le Fay (q.v.);
230.25; 245.11, 23-24; 254.11;
260.21, 25; 268.n. 6;
+275.12 - with Lavinia
(q.v.); 287.21; 289.28; 310.5;
315.13; 317.32; 318.4; +328.17

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(see Lif); 332.17; 342.25;
361.18, 26; 380.3; 382.13, 27;
420.11, 34; 445.34; 447.23;
451.15; 452.19; 474.32;
493.14; 495.21; 503.4; 512.6;
526.1; +546.35 - with Fulvia
(q.v.); +547.5 - with Fulvia
(q.v.), 17, 34; 548.1; 553.4;
568.4-5; 576.1, +.36 - with
Smith, Livia Schmitz (q.v.);
578.6; 583.21; 595.8; 617.1;
619.20, 29; 624.22; 628.6.
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## V Plurabelle

11.25; +27.16 - see Pious and Pure; +201.35 - see Laura, Laura Bell; 224.10, 25; 264.2; 290.24; 518.33; 610.21.

VI ALP, LAP, PAL, PLA, APL, LPA
(see also One Hundred and Eleven) 7.2; 8.30; 17.34;

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> 57.11; 65.8; 66.18, 26;
> +69.10 - with the lost Pleiad (q.v.; and Paradise Lost); 85.11; 102.23; 105.21; 106.24 (see Apple); +107.9 - with Elizabeth (q.v.); 113.20; 119.20; 126.29 (see Apple); 148.22; 177.20; +183.13with Elizabeth (q.v.); 201.30, 31; +208.20 - with Elizabeth (q.v.); 209.9; +235.21 - with Polly Peachum (q.v.); 243.29 ("Alpoleary" = Bog Latin for Dublin, q.v.); 256.34; 264.3; 268.n. 6; 287.9; 293.11 (lapis - see Stone); 293.fig.; 294.3; 296.5; 297.11, 17; 298.1; 299.14, 17; 300.20; 314.33 (see Apple); 318.12, 13, 32; 332.3; +334.14- with Bonaparte (q.v.); 340.6; 348.6; 349.22; 362.14; 393.20; 420.18; 441.31; 451.23;

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the colours of the RAINBOW here!

## 9. Arancita

10. Clara
11. 

Marinuzza
12. Indra
absent in Glasheen!

| St Clara (1194-1253), founder of the Franciscan | 266.10 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| nuns. Also County Clare. Perhaps also Mavis | 290.21 |
| Clare and Claribel (qqv). |  |

absent in Glasheen!
266.10
290.21

Clare and Claribel (qqv).
absent in Glasheen!
absent in Glasheen!

Hindu god of the clear sky, greatest of Vedic
060.21 gods, lord of thunder and the elements
223.07
573.01

The
Honuphrius
Episode
address is
ignored
deliberately.

No comments
about the
listing of a male among

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| 13. Iodina | absent in Glasheen! | absent in Glasheen! |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 14. Halliday Ref | absent in Glasheen! | absent in Glasheen! | very insufficiently researched |  |
| 15. Michael Cerularius | Father Michael | $\begin{aligned} & 573.04 \\ & 573.15 \\ & 573.18 \\ & 573.23 \end{aligned}$ | very large entry! <br> But totally irrelevant here! | ('Michael means 'father who is like God') But in what language? |
| 16. Sulla | Lucius Cornelius (138-178 BC, bloodthirsty Roman dictator. He mixes with Sully the Thug (qv), maybe because Sulla watched a strangling on his deathbed, and thugs strangle. | $\begin{aligned} & 573.06 \\ & 573.13 \\ & 573.31 \end{aligned}$ | over- <br> ambiguous <br> treatment |  |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 17. the <br> Sullivani | a band of twelve mercenaries, led by Sulla, or Sully the Thug (qqv). They are listed under Twelve (qv). There was, as it turns out, a "Sullivan Gang" in Joyce's Dublin. | $573.07$ |  |  |
| 18. <br> Gregorius | absent in Glasheen! | $\begin{aligned} & 573.08 \\ & 573.28 \end{aligned}$ | There are six distinct Gregory entries! |  |
| 19. Leo | Matthew Gregory, first of the Four often refers to Mark Lyons. | absent in Glasheen! | very inadequate treatment! |  |
| 20. Vitellius | Aulus Vitellius, Roman emperor from 2 January to 22 December 69. "Vitellus" means veal or calf in old Latin, and the name is applied to Luke Tarpey (qv), who, as St Luke, is symbolized by ox or calf. $\rightarrow$ Four Evangelists. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 307.L } \\ & +406.14 \text {, with Tellus (qv) } \\ & 406.18 \\ & 573.08 \\ & 573.28 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\rightarrow$ Salomé |
| 21. | Contemporar <br> Literature Pr <br> httpa//editura.mettc. | Bucureşti 2012 | $\rightarrow$ MacDougal, |  |

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\begin{array}{lll}\text { Macdugalius absent in Glasheen! } & \begin{array}{l}\text { absent } \\
\text { the } 4^{\text {th }} \text { of the } \\
\text { Four Elders } \\
\text { (qv). As }\end{array} \\
\text { Evangelist (qv) } \\
\text { he is St John, } \\
\text { whose heraldic } \\
\text { beast is the } \\
\text { Eagle. I cannot } \\
\text { account for the } \\
\text { name }\end{array}
$$\right\} \begin{array}{l}MacDougal-it <br>
is sometimes <br>

said to be\end{array}\right\}\)| Scottish. [...] |
| :--- |

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24.
Guglielmus

Caulis (William Cabbagestalk). Mr Mink says, the $5 \underline{5} 3.14$ statue of William Smith O'Brien (qv) of the Cabbage Patch Rebellion (celebrated in "Slattery's (qv) Mountain Foot"). Formerly, the statue stood at the south end of the $\mathrm{O}^{\prime}$ Connell (qv) Bridge.

25. Wadding

Luke Wadding (1588-1657), Irish Franciscan, ..... 024.20

Ref

historian, author of the Annales Minorum. ..... 377.15 ..... 573.26
26. Canicula the dog-star, "deceased wife of Mauritius"(qv). 512.36 573.30
over-
ambiguous
treatment.
misprint in the address given: it should be 573.14
confusing...
!tautological!

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## The Idea behind the Text: Raymond Queneau?

1939

## FW

James Joyce

1947
Exercices de style
Raymond Queneau


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## 1947

Exercices
de style

## Gallimard

## Introductory

## Surprises

Ce que nous étions serrés sur cette plate-forme d'autobus ! Et ce que ce garçon pouvait avoir l'air bête et ridicule ! Et que fait-il ? Ne le voilà-t-il pas qui se met à vouloir se quereller avec un bonhomme qui - prétendait-il ! ce damoiseau ! - le bousculait !
Et ensuite il ne trouve rien

Introductory
L'arc-en-ciel

Un jour, je me trouvai sur la plate-forme d'un autobus violet. Il y avait là un jeune homme assez ridicule : cou indigo, cordelière au chapeau. Tout d'un coup, il proteste contre un monsieur bleu. Il lui reproche notamment, d'une voix verte, de le bousculer chaque fois qu'il descend des gens.

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narrateur revoit ce jeune homme qui est maintenant en train de discuter avec un ami. Celui-ci lui conseille de faire remonter le bouton supérieur de son pardessus.
qu'il passe quelqu'un. Ton pleurnichard qui se veut méchant. Comme il voit une place libre, se précipite dessus.

Deux heures plus tard, je le rencontre cour de Rome, devant la gare Saint-Lazare. Il est avec un camarade qui lui dit: "tu devrais faire mettre un bouton supplémentaire à ton pardessus"; il lui montre où (à l'échancrure) et pourquoi.

## Cela éjaculé, se placelibra

 voracement.Dans une
spatiotemporalité
postérieure, je le revis qui
placesaintlazarait avec un $X$
qui lui disait : tu devrais
boutonsupplémenter ton
pardessus. Et il
pourquexpliquait la chose.
de mieux à faire que d'aller vite occuper une place laissée libre! Au lieu de la laisser à une dame !

Deux heures après, devinez qui je rencontre devant la gare Saint-Lazare? Le même godelureau! En train de se faire donner des conseils vestimentaires ! Par un camarade ! À ne pas croire !

Ceci dit, il se précipite, vers une place jaune, pour s'y asseoir.

Deux heures plus tard, je le rencontre devant une gare orangée. Il est avec un ami qui lui conseille de faire ajouter un bouton à son pardessus rouge.

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## Grammar

## Précisions

Dans un autobus de la ligne S, long de 10 mètres, large de 2,1 , haut de 3,5 , à 3 km . 600 de son point de départ, alors qu'il était chargé de 48 personnes, à 12 h .17 , un individu de sexe masculin, âgé de 27 ans 3 mois 8 jours, taille de 1 m 72 et pesant 65 kg et portant sur la tête un chapeau haut de 17 centimètres dont la calotte était entourée d'un ruban long de 35 centimètres, interpelle un homme âgé de 48 ans 4 mois 3 jours et de taille 1 m 68 et pesant 77 kg ., au moyen de 14 mots dont l'énonciation dura 5 secondes et qui faisaient allusion à des déplacements involontaires de 15 à 20

Grammar

Présent

À midi, la chaleur s'étale autour des pieds des voyageurs d'autobus. Que, placée sur un long cou, une tête stupide ornée d'un chapeau grotesque vienne à s'enflammer, aussitôt pète la querelle. Pour foirer bien vite d'ailleurs, en une atmosphère lourde pour porter encore trop vivantes de bouche à oreille des injures définitives. Alors, on va s'asseoir à l'intérieur, au frais.

Plus tard peuvent se poser, devant des gares aux cours doubles, des questions vestimentaires, à propos de quelque bouton que des

## Grammar

## Passé simple

Ce fut midi. Les voyageurs montèrent dans l'autobus On fut serré. Un jeune monsieur porta sur sa tête un chapeau entouré d'une tresse, non d'un ruban. Il eut un long cou. Il se plaignit auprès de son voisin des bousculades que celuici lui infligea. Dès qu'il aperçut une place libre, il se précipita vers elle et s'y assit.

Je l'aperçus plus tard devant la gare Saint-Lazare. Il se
vêtit d'un pardessus et un camarade qui se trouva là lui fit cette remarque : il fallut mettre un bouton supplémentaire.

## Grammar

## Imparfait

C'était midi. Les
voyageurs montaient dans l'autobus. On était serré. Un jeune monsieur portait sur sa tête un chapeau qui était entouré d'une tresse et non d'un ruban. Il avait un long cou. Il se plaignait auprès de son voisin des bousculades que ce dernier lui infligeait Dès qu'il apercevait une place libre, il se précipitait vers elle et s'y asseyait.
Je l'apercevais plus tard, devant la gare Saint-Lazare. Il se vêtait d'un pardessus et un camarade qui se trouvait là lui faisait cette remarque : il fallait mettre un bouton supplémentaire

## Grammar

## Exclamations

Tiens ! Midi ! temps de prendre l'autobus ! que de monde ! que de monde ! ce qu' on est serré! marrant ! ce gars-là ! quelle trombine ! et quel cou! soixante-quinze centimètres ! au moins ! et le galon! le galon! je n'avais pas vu! le galon ! c'est le plus marant! ça! le galon! autour de son chapeau! Un galon! marrant! absolument marrant ! ça y est le voilà qui râle ! le type au galon ! contre un voisin ! qu'est-ce qu'il lui raconte! l'autre! lui aurait marché sur les pieds ! ils vont se fiche des gifles ! pour sûr ! mais non! mais si ! va hy! va hy! mords y l'oeil ! fonce!

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millimètres. Il va ensuite $\mathrm{s}^{\prime}$ asseoir à quelque 2 m .10 de là.

118 minutes plus tard il se trouvait à 10 mètres de la gare Saint-Lazare, entrée banlieue, et se promenait de long en large sur un trajet de 30 mètres avec un camarade âgé de 28 ans, taille 1 m .70 et pesant 71 kg . qui lui conseilla en 15 mots de déplacer de 5 centimètres, dans la direction du zénith, un bouton de 3 centimètres de diamètre.
doigts gras de sueur tripotent avec assurance.
cogne ! mince alors ! mais non ! il se dégonfle ! le type ! au long cou ! au galon ! c'est sur une place vide qu'il fonce! oui ! le gars ! eh bien ! vrai! non ! je ne me trompe pas! c'est bien lui ! là-bas! dans la Cour de Rome ! devant la gare Saint-Lazare ! qui se balade en long et en large ! avec un autre type ! et qu'est-ce que l'autre lui raconte! qu'il devrait ajouter un bouton ! oui! un bouton à son pardessus ! À son pardessus!

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## Languages

Translation

Dans l'Y, en un hexagone d'affouragement. Un typon dans les trente-deux anacardiers, chapellerie modeste avec coréopsis remplaçant la rubellite, couchette trop longue comme si on lui avait tiré dessus. Les gentillesses descendent. Le typhon en quêteur s'irrite contre un voiturier. Il lui reproche de le bousculer chaque fois qu'il passe quelqu'un, tondeur pleurnichard qui se veut méchant. Comme il voit une placette libre, il se précipite dessus.
Huit hexagones plus loin, je le rencontre dans la courbe de Roncq, devant la gargouille de

## Languages

## Anglicismes

Un dai vers middai, je tèque le beusse et je sie un jeugne manne avec une grète nèque et un hatte avec une quainnde de lèsse tresseés. Soudainement ce jeugne manne bi-queumze crézé et acquiouse un respectable seur de lui trider sur les toses. Puis il reunna vers un site eunoccupé.

A une lete aoure je le sie égaine; il vouoquait eupe et daoune devant la Ceinte Lazare stécheunne. Un beau lui guivait un advice à propos de beutone.

## Languages

## Latin de cuisine

Sol erat in regionem zenithi et calor atmospheri magnissima. Senatus populusque parisiensis sudebat. Autobi passant completi. In uno ex supradictis autobibus qui $S$ denominationem portebat, hominem quasi junum,cum collo multi elongato et cum chapito a galono tressato cerclato vidi. Iste junior insultavit alterum hominem qui proximus erat: pietinat, inquit, pedes meos post deliberationem animæ tuæ. Tunc sedem libram vidente, cucurrit là.

Sol duas horas in coelo
habebat descendues. Sancti
Lazari stationem

## Languages

## Hellénismes

Dans un hyperautobus
plein de pétrolonautes, je fus martyr de ce microrama en
une chronie de métaffluence: un hypotype plus qu'icosapige avec une pétase péricyclé par caloplegme et un macrotrachèle eucylindrique anathématise emphatiquement un éphémère et anonyme outisse, lequel, à ce qu'il pseudolégeait, lui épivédait sur les bipodes mais, dès qu'il euryscopa une cœnotopie, il se péristropha pour s'y catapelter.

En une chronie hystère, je l'esthèsis devant le sidérodromeux stathme hagiolazarique, peripatant

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## Italianismes

Oune giorne en pleine
merigge, ié saille sulla plataforme d'oune otobousse et là quel ouome ié vidis? ié vidis oune djiovanouome au longué col avé de la treccie otour dou cappel. Et lé ditto djiovanouome oltragge ouno pouovre ouome à qui il rimproveravait de lui pester les pieds et il ne lui pestarait noullément les pieds, mais quand il vidit oune sédie vuote, il corrit por sedersilà.

A oune oure dè là, ié lé révidis qui ascoltait les consigles d'oune bellimbouste at zerbinotte a proposto d'oune bouttoné dé pardéssousse.

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Saint-Dizier. Il est avec un cambreur qui lui dit: " Tu devreais faire mettre un
bouton-pression supplémentaire à ton parechocs." Il lui montre où (à l'échantillon) et pourquoi.
ferrocaminorum passente devant, junum supradictum
cum altero ejusdem farinae
avec un compsanthrope qui
lui symboulait la métacinèse d'un omphale sphincter.
qui arbiter elegantiarum erat
et qui apropo uno ex
boutonis capae junioris
consilium donebat vidi.

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## Registers

## Alors

Alors l'autobus est arrivé. Alors j'ai monté dedans. Alors j'ai vu un citoyen qui m'a saisi l'oeil. Alors j'ai vu son long cou et j'ai vu la tresse qu'il y avait autour de son chapeau. Alors il s'est mis à pester contre son voisin qui lui marchait alors sur les pieds. Alors, il est allé s'asseoir.

Alors, plus tard, je l'ai revu Cour de Rome. Alors il était avec un copain. Alors, il lui disait, le copain : tu devrais faire mettre un autre bouton à ton pardessus. Alors.

## Registers

## Vulgaire

L'était un peu plus dmidi quand j'ai pu monter dans l'esse. Jmonte donc, jpaye ma place comme de bien entendu et voilàtipas qu'alors jremarque un zozo l'air pied, avec un cou qu'on aurait dit un télescope et une sorte de ficelle autour du galurin. Je lregarde passque jlui trouve l'air pied quand le voilàtipas qu'ismet à interpeller son voisin. Ditesdonc, qu'il lui fait, vous pourriez pas faire attention, qu'il ajoute, on dirait, qu'il pleurniche, quvous lfaites essprais, qu'i bafouille, deummarcher toutltemps sullé panards, qu'i dit. Làdsus, tout fier de lui, i va

## Registers

## Interrogatoire

- À quelle heure ce jour-là passa l'autobus de la ligne $S$ de midi 23 , direction porte de Champerret ?
- À midi 38.
- Y avait-il beaucoup de monde dans l'autobus de la ligne S sus-désigné?
- Des floppées.
- Qu'y remarquâtes-vous de particulier?
- Un particulier qui avait un très long cou et une tresse autour de son chapeau.
- Son comportement était-il
aussi singulier que sa mise et son anatomie?
- Tout d'abord non ; il était normal, mais il finit par s'avérer être celui d'un cyclothymique paranoïaque


## Registers

## Apartés

L'autobus arriva tout
gonflé de voyageurs. Pourvu que je ne le rate pas, veine il y a encore une place pour moi. L'un d'eux il en a une drôle de tirelire avec son cou démesuré portait un chapeau de feutre mou entouré d'une sorte de cordelette à la place de ruban ce que ça a l'air prétentieux et soudain se mit tiens qu'est-ce qui lui prend à vitupérer un voisin l'autre fait pas attention à ce qu'il lui raconte auquel il reprochait de lui marcher exprès a l'air de chercher la bagarre, mais il se dégonflera sur les pieds. Mais comme une place était libre à l'intérieur qu'est-ce que je

## Registers

## Philosophique

Les grandes villes seules peuvent présenter à la spiritualité phénoménologique les essentialités des coïncidences temporelles et improbabilistes. Le philosophe qui monte parfois dans l'inexistentialité futile et outilitaire d'un autobus S y peut apercevoir avec la lucidité de son oeil pinéal les apparences fugitives et décolorées d'une conscience profane affligée du long cou de la vanité et de la tresse chapeautière de l'ignorance. Cette matière sans entéléchie véritable se lance parfois dans l'impératif catégorique de son élan vital et récriminatoire

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s'asseoir. Comme un pied.
Jrepasse plus tard Cour de Rome et jl'aperçois qui discute le bout de gras avec autre zozo de son espèce Dis-donc, qu'i lui faisait l'autre, tu dvrais, qu'i lui disait, mettre un ottbouton qu'il ajoutait, à ton ardingue, qu'i concluait.
légèrement hypotendu dans
un état d'irritabilité
hypergastrique.

- Comment cela se traduisitil?
- Le particulier en question interpella son voisin sur un ton pleurnichard en lui demandant s'il ne faisait pas exprès de lui marcher sur les pieds chaque fois qu'il montait ou descendait des voyageurs.
- Ce reproche était-il fondé ?
- Je l'ignore.
- Comme se termina cet incident?
- Par la fuite précipitée du
jeune homme qui alla occuper une place libre.
- Cet incident eut-il un
rebondissement?
- Moins de deux heures plus
tard.
- En quoi consista ce rebondissement?
- En la réapparition de cet individu sur mon chemin.
disais il tourna le dos et courut l'occuper.
Deux heures plus tard environ, c'est curieux les coïncidences il se trouvait cour de Rome en compagnie d'un ami un michet de son espèce qui lui désignait de l'index un bouton de son pardessus qu'est-ce qu'il peut bien lui raconter?
contre l'irréalité
néoberkeleyienne d'un mécanisme corporel inalourdi de conscience. Cette attitude morale entraîne alors le plus inconscient des deux vers une spatialité vide où il se décompose en ses éléments premiers et crochus

La recherche philosophique se poursuit normalement par la rencontre fortuite mais anagogique du même être accompagné de sa réplique inessentielle et couturière
laquelle lui conseille nouménalement de transposer sur le plan de l'entendement le concept de bouton de pardessus situé sociologiquement trop bas.

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- Où et comment le revîtes-
vous?
- En passant en autobus
devant la cour de Rome
- Qu'y faisait-il ?
- Il prenait une consultation
d'élégance.


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## Rhetoric

## Métaphoriquement

Au centre du jour, jeté dans le tas des sardines voyageuses d'un coléoptère à grosse carapace blanche, un poulet au grand cou déplumé harangua soudain l'une, paisible, d'entre elles et son langage se déploya dans les airs, humide d'une protestation. Puis attiré par un vide, l'oisillon s'y précipita. Dans un morne désert urbain, je le revis le jour même se faisant moucher l'arrogance pour un quelconque bouton.

## Rhetoric

## Apocopes

Je mon dans un aut plein de voya. Je remar un jeu hom don't le cou é sembla à ce de la gira et qui por cha a un ga tres. Il se mit en col contre un voya, lui repro de lui mar sur les pi cha fois qu'il mon ou descen du mon. Puis il al s'as car u pla é li.
Re ri gau, je l'aper qui mar en long et en lar a un a qui lui don des con d'élég en lui non le pre bou de son pard.

## Rhetoric

Onomatopées

Sur la plate-forme, pla pla pla, dun autobus, teuff teuff teuff, de la ligne $S$ (pour qui sont ces serpents qui sifflent sur), il était environ midi, ding din don, ding din don, un ridicule éphèbe, proût proût, qui avait un de ces couvrechefs, phui, se tourna (virevolte, virevolte) soudain vers son voisin d'un air de colère, rreuh, rreuh, et lui dit, hm hm : «vous faites exprès de me bousculer, monsieur.» Et toc. Làdessus, vroutt, il se jette sur une place libre et s'y assoit, boum

Ce même jour, un peu plus tard, ding din don, ding din don, je le revis en compagnie d'un autre éphèbe, proût

## Rhetoric

## Polyptotes

Je montai dans un autobus plein de contribuables qui donnaient des sous à un contribuable qui avait sur son ventre de contribuable une petite boîte qui contribuait à permettre aux autres contribuables de continuer leur trajet de contribuables. Je remarquai dans cet autobus un contribuable au long cou de contribuable et dont la tête de contribuable supportait un chapeau mou de contribuable ceint d'une tresse comme jamais n'en porta contribuable. Soudain le dit contribuable interpelle un contribuable de voisin en lui reprochant amèrement de

## Rhetoric

Ung jourz verse midir, surl laa plateformet arrièreu d'uno autobusi, j'aperçuss uno jeuneu hommeu aux coux tropr longg ett quie portaito ung chapeaux entourée d'ung galong tressés aux lieux deu rubann. Soudainj, ile interpellat sono voisino eno prétendanti queue celuio-cix faisaito exprèso deu luiv marcheri surb lesq piedsa chaquex foisa quh'ile montaiti oui descendaiti desd voyageursi. Ilo abandonnat d'ailleurst rapidemento lab discussiong pourv sei jeteri sura uneu placeu librex.
Quelqueasu heuresu plusu tardu, jeu leu revisu devantu

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proût, qui lui causait bouton
de pardessus (brr, brr, brr, il
ne faisait donc pas si chaud
que ça...). Et toc.
lui marcher exprès sur ses pieds de contribuable chaque fois que d'autres contribuables montaient ou descendaient de l'autobus pour contribuables. Puis le contribuable irrité alla s'asseoir à la place pour contribuable que venait de laisser libre un autre contribuable.

Quelques heures de contribuable plus tard, je l'aperçus dans la cour pour contribuables de Rome, en compagnie d'un contribuable qui lui donnait des conseils d'élégance de contribuable.
lau gareu Sainteu-Lazareu enu grandex conversationg aveco uno camaradeb quib luib disaitr dew fairex remontert leq boutonq supérieurm dek sonj pardessusssssssssssssssssssss.

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## Olfactif

Dans cet $S$ méridien il y avait en dehors de l'odeur habituelle, odeur d'abbés, de décédés, d'oeufs, de geais, de haches, de ci-gîts, de cas, d'ailes, d'aime haine au pet de culs, d'airs détestés, de nus vers, de doubles vés cés, de hies que scient aides grecs, il y avait une certaine senteur de long cou juvénile, une certaine perspiration de galon tressé, une certaine âcreté de rogne, une certaine puanteur lâche et constipée tellement marquées que lorsque deux heures plus tard je passai devant la gare Saint-Lazare je les reconnus et les identifiai dans le parfum cosmétique, fashionable et tailoresque qui émanait d'un

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Gustatif

Cet autobus avait un certain goût. Curieux mais incontestable. Tous les autobus n'ont pas le même goût. Ça se dit, mais c'est vrai. Suffit d'en faire l'expérience. Celui-là - un S - pour ne rien cacher - avait une petite saveur de cacahouète grillée je ne vous dis que ça. La plate-forme avait son fumet spécial, de la cacahouète non seulement grillée mais encore piétinée. à un mètre soixante audessus du tremplin, une gourmande, mais il ne s'en trouvait pas, aurait pu lécher quelque chose d'un peu suret qui était un cou d'homme dans

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## Tactile

Les autobus sont doux au toucher surtout si on les prend entre les cuisses et qu'on les caresse avec les deux mains, de la tête vers la queue, du moteur vers la plate-forme. Mais quand on se trouve sur cette plateforme alors on perçoit quelque chose de plus âpre et de plus rêche qui est la tôle ou la barre d'appui, tantôt quelque chose de plus rebondi et de plus élastique qui est une fesse. Quelquefois il y en a deux, alors on met la phrase au pluriel. On peut aussi saisir un objet tubulaire et palpitant qui dégurgite des sons idiots, ou bien un ustensile aux spirales tressées

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## Visuel

Dans l'ensemble c'est vert avec un toit blanc, allongé, avec des vitres. C'est pas le premier venu qui pourrait faire ça, des vitres. La plateforme c'est sans couleur, $c^{\prime}$ est moitié gris moitié marron si l'on veut. C'est surtout plein de courbes, des tas d'S pour ainsi dire. Mais à midi comme ça, heure d'affluence, c'est un drôle d'enchevêtrement. Pour bien faire faudrait étirer hors du magma un rectangle d'ocre pâle, y planter au bout un ovale pâle ocre et là-dessus coller dans les ocres foncés un galurin que cernerait une tresse de terre de Sienne brûlée et entremêlée par-

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## Auditif

Coinquant et pétaradant,
l'S vint crisser le long du trottoir silencieux. Le trombone du soleil bémolisait midi. Les piétons, braillantes cornemuses, clamaient leurs numéros. Quelques-uns montèrent d'un demi-ton, ce qui suffit pour les emporter vers la porte Champerret aux chantantes arcades.
Parmi les élus haletants, figurait un tuyau de clarinette à qui les malheurs des temps avaient donné forme humaine et la perversité d'un chapelier pour porter sur la timbale un instrument qui ressemblait à une guitare qui aurait tressé ses cordes pour s'en faire une ceinture.

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bouton mal placé.
sa trentaine. Et à vingt centimètres encore audessus, il se présentait au palais exercé la rare dégustation d'un galon tressé un peu cacaoté. Nous dégustâmes ensuite le chouignegueume de la dispute, les châtaignes de l'irritation, les raisins de la colère et les grappes d'amertume.
Deux heures plus tard nous eûmes droit au dessert: un bouton de pardessus... une vraie noisette...
plus douces qu'un chapelet, plus soyeuses qu'un fil de fer barbelé, plus veloutées qu'une corde et plus menues qu'un câble. Ou bien encore on peut toucher du doigt la connerie humaine,
légèrement visqueuse et gluante, à cause de la chaleur.

Puis si l'on patiente une heure ou deux, alors devant une gare raboteuse, on peut tremper sa main tiède dans l'exquise fraîcheur d'un
bouton de corozo qui n'est pas à sa place.
dessus le marché. Puis on t'y foutrait une tache caca d'oie pour représenter la rage, un triangle rouge pour exprimer la colère et une pissée de vert pour rendre la bile rentrée et la trouille foireuse.
Après ça on te dessinerait un de ces jolis petits mignons de pardingues bleu marine avec, en haut, juste en dessous de l'échancrure, un joli mignon bouton dessiné au petit quart de poil.

Soudain au milieu d'accords en mineur de voyageurs entreprenants et de voyajrices consentantes et des trémolos bêlants du receveur rapace éclate une cacophonie burlesque où la rage de la contrebasse se mêle à l'irritation de la trompette et à la frousse du basson.

Puis, après soupir, silence, pause et double-pause, éclate la mélodie triomphante d'un bouton en train de passer à l'octave supérieure.

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## Hypothetical Exercise

## Poor lay Zanglay

Ung joor vare meedee ger preelotobüs poor la port Changparay. Eel aytay congplay, praysk. Jer mongtay kang maym ay lar jer vee ung ohm ahvayk ung long coo ay ung chahrpo hangtooray dünn saughrt der feessel trayssay. Sir mirssyer sir mee ang caughlayr contrer ung ingdeeveedüh kee lühee marshay sühr lay peehay, pühee eel arlah sarsswar.

Ung per plüh tarh jer ler rervee dervang lahr Garsinglahzahr ang congparhrgnee d'ung dangdee kee lühee congsayhiay der fare rermongtay d'ung crang ler bootong der song pahrdessüh.

There are a lot of things to sort out here:
First, the text is written in what language?
Second, what does it say, word for word, from start to finish?
Third, and most important WHO WROTE IT?
Last, but not least, For what purpose?

And,
To take the biscuit:
Could you read it aloud, as it was meant from the start to be read aloud?

Next task, of course, is to translate this text into
Rumanian!
Accurately!

Can you do it?


## FrageStellung



- Can the Honuphrius Interlude provide the vital clue to the whole Book?
- Can it Provide at least the Cogent Summary of the Overall Story? (Did Burgess and the Others See That?)

8. Who are the Main Characters, and Who Stands behind them, all according to Adaline Glasheen?Why the Choice of Names?

How Important is the Name Honuphrius?
O. How Important is the Name Vitellius?


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What Stands behind Jeremias, Etymologically? See O Hehir's Opinion...

Why does Adaline Glasheen Totally Ignore the Names of The Seven Rainbow Girls?Who Was, Is, and Will Be Canicula? Voire La Canicule! Voire La Canule!Magravius seems to be All Important to Glasheen! Is it Really So?
(Is Magravius so really important as Adaline Glashhen makes him to be?)What is affrication (FW573.25:10)? Is it called "French Massage" in today's permissibilty?Who are The Four Excavators (FW573.08:7)?


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Why Macdugalius in the First Place?
O. Why the Four Evangelists At All?
© What is the Precise Meaning of the Very Last Question? (Has he hegemony and shall she sulbmit?)


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## The Eleven Interludes

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Ecce Homo
Hieronymus Bosch (1470s)

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(Notoriously, The Knocking at the Gate in Macbeth is exactly such an INTERLUDE!)
(COD 2: something performed or done during the pause between the acts of a play. Also present is the inserted story in the picaresque novel, Tom Jones, or Don Quixote... q.v. for concrete examples. Also Dickens has it in The Pickwick Papers. qv!)
(An Interlude is indeed a subEpisode, that is, a story within a story, as a rhetorical device!) (In short, An Insert!)
$\mathbb{1}_{\text {. The Museyroom (FW008.09-010.23) }}$
2. Mutt and Jute (FW016.10-018.20)
3. The Tale of Jarl van Hooter and the Prankquean (FW 021.05-023.15)
4. The Ballad of Persse $O^{\prime}$ Reilly (FWo44.24-047.29)
5. The Mookse and the Gripes (FW152.15 to 157.08???)
6. Burrus and Caseous (FW160.35 to 168.14)


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7. The Norwegian Captain (FW311.05 to 332.09)
8. How Buckley Shot the Russian General (FW337.32 to 355.07 )
9. The Ondt and the Gracehopper (FW414.18-419.10)
10. St Patrick and the ArchDruid (FW609.24-613.14)
11. The Honuphrius Interlude (FW572.21-573.35)

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## Main Characteristics of the Eleven Interludes:

\& They are quickly identified...
of They are all fairly easily detachable from the main text...
of There are plenty of unifying factors and common denominators.
of In a word, these interludes evince independence...
of Last but not least, there is language specificity: clean \& limpid for Honuphrius, a separate story that absolutely nobody pays critical attention to... probably because it is too décolletée ... a favourite term of Paul de Kock (1793-1871)...( $\rightarrow$ le Dictionnaire Robert...)


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## Finnegans Wake 008.09-010.23

This the way to the museyroom. Mind your hats goan in! Now yiz are in the Willingdone Museyroom. This is a Prooshious gunn. This is a ffrinch. Tip. This is the flag of the Prooshious, the Cap and Soracer. This is the bullet that byng the flag of the Prooshious. This is the ffrinch that fire on the Bull that bang the flag of the Prooshious. Saloos the Crossgunn! Up with your pike and fork! Tip. (Bullsfoot! Fine!) This is the triplewon hat of Lipoleum. Tip. Lipoleumhat. This is the Willingdone on his same white harse, the Cokenhape. This is the big Sraughter Willingdone, grand and magentic in his goldtin spurs and his ironed dux and his quarterbrass woodyshoes and his magnate's gharters and his bangkok's best and goliar's goloshes and his pulluponeasyan wartrews. This is his big wide harse. Tip. This is the three lipoleum boyne grouching down in the living detch. This is an

# SkeletonKey Summary 

40d to 42cd

## FW008

...a view may be had of the Wellington Museum in Phoenix Park, a charming waterloose country round about, and two pretty white villages, like the two saucy Maggies themselves, amid the foliages. Penetrators are permitted into the museum. For her passkey supply to the janitrix, the mistress Kathe. Tip.
[This Museum should be regarded as a kind of reliquary containing various mementoes symbolizing not only the eternal brother-conflict, but also the military and diplomatic encounters, exchanges and betrayals of recorded history.] An old woman conducts a party through the museum, pointing out relics from the battle career of her hero Wellington, the Iron Duke. There are


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inimyskilling inglis, this is a scotcher grey, this is a davy, stoop- 23
ing. This is the bog lipoleum mordering the lipoleum beg. A24

Gallawghurs argaumunt. This is the petty lipoleum boy that 25
was nayther bag nor bug. Assaye, assaye! Touchole Fitz Tuo- 26
mush. Dirty MacDyke. And Hairy O'Hurry. All of them 27
arminus-varminus. This is Delian alps. This is Mont Tivel, 28
this is Mont Tipsey, this is the Grand Mons Injun. This is the 29
crimealine of the alps hooping to sheltershock the three lipoleums. 30
This is the jinnies with their legahorns feinting to read in their 31
handmade's book of stralegy while making their war undisides 32
the Willingdone. The jinnies is a cooin her hand and the jinnies is 33
a ravin her hair and the Willingdone git the band up. This is big Willingdone mormorial tallowscoop Wounderworker obscides on the flanks of the jinnies. Sexcaliber hrosspower. Tip. This

## FW009

is me Belchum sneaking his phillippy out of his most Awful Grimmest Sunshat Cromwelly. Looted. This is the jinnies' hast1
ings dispatch for to irrigate the Willingdone. Dispatch in thin red lines cross the shortfront of me Belchum. Yaw, yaw, yaw! Leaper Orthor. Fear siecken! Fieldgaze thy tiny frow. Hugacting. Nap. That was the tictacs of the jinnies for to fontannoy the Willingdone. Shee, shee, shee! The jinnies is jillous agincourting all the lipoleums. And the lipoleums is gonn boycottoncrezy onto
the one Willingdone. And the Willingdone git the band up. This
exhibits under glass and pictures on the walls. A flag, a bullet, a military hat; Duke Wellington on his big white horse; three soldiers crouching in a ditch; a pair of Napoleon jinnies, making believe to read a book of strategy; and a sex-caliber telescope through which the Duke trains on the flanks of the jinnies. The reader begins to recognize through all the shooting-gallery noises and the smoke-confused scenes of battle the omnipresent story of a great man, two temptresses, and three soldiers. Between the Duke and the jinnies dispatches go back and forth. This is me, Belchum, bearer of the dispatches. First, a dispatch from the jinnies to annoy the Willingdone:
"Behold thy tiny frau, hugacting. Signed: Nap." This is me, Belchum, carrying the dispatch. And this is Wellington's answer, displayed on the regions rare of me, Belchum: "Figtreeyou! Damn fairy Ann - ça ne fait rien. Vôtre: Willingdone." (That was the first joke of Wellington. Tit for tat.) This is me, Belchum, in his twelve-league boots, footing it back to the jinnies. [Napoleon and Wellington are exchanging insults, Napoleon being represented through the jinnies.]

Here now are some more exhibits: Balls, cannon fodder, other views of the jinnies, the soldiers and the Willingdone. The Wellington cry is "Brum! Brum! Cumbrum!" The jinnies' cry is "Donnerwetter! Gott straffe


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is bode Belchum, bonnet to busby, breaking his secred word with a 10 ball up his ear to the Willingdone. This is the Willingdone's hurold dispitchback. Dispitch desployed on the regions rare of me Belchum. Salamangra! Ayi, ayi, ayi! Cherry jinnies. Figtreeyou! Damn fairy ann, Voutre. Willingdone. That was the first joke of
Willingdone, tic for tac. Hee, hee, hee! This is me Belchum in ..... 15
his twelvemile cowchooks, weet, tweet and stampforth foremost, ..... 16
footing the camp for the jinnies. Drink a sip, drankasup, for he's ..... 17
as sooner buy a guinness than he'd stale store stout. This is Roo- ..... 18
shious balls. This is a ttrinch. This is mistletropes. This is Canon ..... 19
Futter with the popynose. After his hundred days' indulgence. ..... 20
This is the blessed. Tarra's widdars! This is jinnies in the bonny ..... 21
bawn blooches. This is lipoleums in the rowdy howses. This is the ..... 22
Willingdone, by the splinters of Cork, order fire. Tonnerre! ..... 23
(Bullsear! Play!) This is camelry, this is floodens, this is the ..... 24
solphereens in action, this is their mobbily, this is panickburns. ..... 25
Almeidagad! Arthiz too loose! This is Willingdone cry. Brum! ..... 26
Brum! Cumbrum! This is jinnies cry. Underwetter! Goat ..... 27
strip Finnlambs! This is jinnies rinning away to their ouster-strip Finnambs. This is jinnies rinning away to their ouster
py trip so airy. For their heart's right there. Tip. This is me Bel- ..... 30
chum's tinkyou tankyou silvoor plate for citchin the crapes in ..... 31
the cool of his canister. Poor the pay! This is the bissmark of the ..... 32
marathon merry of the jinnies they left behind them. This is theWillingdone branlish his same marmorial tallowscoop Sophy-Key-Po for his royal divorsion on the rinnaway jinnies. Gam-291011123
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England!" To the tune of "It's a long way to Tipperary,"
joke of the Willingdone.) The crupper wags with the hat
to insult the sepoy, who, mad as a hatter, jumps up with to insult the sepoy, who, mad as a hatter, jumps up with the cry. Whereupon, Wellington, a born gentleman, tinders a matchbox to the cursing Shimar Shin. The do-forhim sepoy blows the whole of the half of the hat off the top of the tail on the back of Wellington's big white harse. (Bullseye! Game!) This way out of the museum.

Phew, but that was warm.

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Inside the mound is the Willingdone (q.v.) Museyroom, a waxworks (life-sized? miniature like toy soldiers?) where relics and replicas of Waterloo are exhibited (fed) to the populace-art-as-circus replacing the missing meal. the jinnies run away. This is me, Belchum, poor the pay! This is Wellington, brandishing his telescope on the runaway jinnies. A triad of soldiers is observing him; one of them is a hindoo sepoy, Shimar Shin. Suddenly Wellington picks up the half of the hat from the filth and hangs it on the crupper of his big white horse. (The last Phew, but that was warm.


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bariste della porca! Dalaveras fimmieras! This is the pettiest

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of the lipoleums, Toffeethief, that spy on the Willingdone from 1 his big white harse, the Capeinhope. Stonewall Willingdone

is an old maxy montrumeny. Lipoleums is nice hung bushel- ..... 3
lors. This is hiena hinnessy laughing alout at the Willingdone. This is lipsyg dooley krieging the funk from the hinnessy.
This is the hinndoo Shimar Shin between the dooley boy and the hinnessy. Tip. This is the wixy old Willingdone picket up the half of the threefoiled hat of lipoleums fromoud of the bluddle filth. This is the hinndoo waxing ranjymad for a bombshoob. This is the Willingdone hanking the half of the hat of lipoleums up the tail on the buckside of his big white harse. Tip. That was the last joke of Willingdone. Hit, hit, hit! This is the same white harse of the Willingdone, Culpenhelp, waggling his tailoscrupp with the half of a hat of lipoleums to insoult on the hinndoo seeboy. Hney, hney, hney! (Bullsrag! Foul!) This is the seeboy, madrashattaras, upjump and pumpim, cry to the Willingdone: Ap Pukkaru! Pukka Yurap! This is the Willingdone, bornstable ghentleman, tinders his maxbotch to the cursigan Shimar Shin. Basucker youstead! This is the dooforhim seeboy blow the whole of the half of the hat of lipoleums off of the top of the tail on the back of his big wide harse. Tip (Bullseye! Game!) How Copenhagen ended. This way the museyroom. Mind your boots goan2 4 536 raucous, scavenging hag of a Countess Cathleen Ni Houlihan (q.q.v.) - Stephen met her at the Christmas dinner table and at the street fight in "Circe" (Ulysses 579580, 584). Grossly ignorant, Kate makes a muck of explicating martial icons. What she interprets as Waterloo, a formal military engagement (see Joyce's sketch of Waterloo, First Draft, facing p. 51) is the nuclear family at its nuclear frictions - protective mother, rival male siblings, tempting nymphets, male-chauvinist father, masturbation, micturation, defecation, exhibition, penis envy, castration-an old-fashioned war but none the worse for that.

Wiley old Willingdone sits on his "big white harse," spying on his two (q.v.) Jinnies (q.v.); his harse, Copenhagen (q.v.; see also William III), is horse, the Wellington Monument in Phoenix Park, sword, cannon, magician's wand, thing of wounds and wonder. The Jinnies forge an insulting letter, signed "Nap" (Napoleon, q.v.). The Duke perceives their deceit, retorts with a kind of "Dear Jenny, publish and be damned." It is a French letter, dooming the daughters to barrenness of the fig tree. Both letters are written in the blood of Belgium (see Belchum). Willingdone now fires-thunders-defecates at the Jinnies and at his sons, three (q.v.) soldiers or


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23 Lipoleums (q.v.). The Jinnies, having provoked war, desert. The Lipoleums stand. One Lipoleum - an Irish-Hinndoo-Corsican (q.q.v.) rebel - threatens to throw a bomb because Willingdone insults him by picking up (as it might be an enemy flag or a shamrock or some other absurd and sacred object) half of their threefoiled hat out of the battlefilth (sacred soil of Ireland or any homeland) and putting the half hat on the tail of his big white harse. Ever the joker and gentleman, the Duke offers the rebel a match to light the bomb. The bomb is hurled and blows up Copenhagen's tail and the Lipoleum's own hat. Maybe this retells how the Fianna Eireann (boy scouts) tried and failed to blow up the Magazine in 1916.

As "Lumproar" (Emperor) the father lies buried on the battlefield. The process is sometimes obscure to me, but in FW an exchange of belongings or bodily parts (hats or heads) means an exchange of roles. Willingdone and the Lipoleum exchange half-a-hat and a match.

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## 2. Mutt and Jute

> Joseph Campbell and Henry Morton Robinson: A Skeleton Key to Finnegans Wake. 1944.
> Adaline Glasheen: Third Census of Finnegans Wake. 1977.

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## FW016

## SkeletonKey Summary

47 cd to 49 d
Jute. - Yutah! ..... 10
Mutt. - Mukk's pleasurad. ..... 11
Jute. - Are you jeff? ..... 12
Mutt. - Somehards. ..... 13
Jute. - But you are not jeffmute? ..... 14
Mutt. - Noho. Only an utterer. ..... 15
Jute. - Whoa? Whoat is the mutter with you? ..... 16
Mutt. - I became a stun a stummer. ..... 17
Jute. - What a hauhauhauhaudibble thing, to be cause! How, ..... 18
Mutt? ..... 19
Mutt. - Aput the buttle, surd ..... 20
Jute. - Whose poddle? Wherein?
[Thinking of these things, we become aware, guide and tourist, of a fire on yonder hill, and in the flickering light, a figure looms.]

This carl in pelted thongs, like a stone age Parthalonian - who is he? Is he a Mousterian cave man? He is drinking from a kind of skull. What a queer sort of man! Let us cross the heaps of gnawed bones into his firelight. He can, perhaps, post us the way to the pillars of Hercules. "Comment vous portez-vous aujourd'hui, mon blond monsieur? 'Scuse us, Charlie, you talk Danish?"
"N."

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Mutt. - The Inns of Dungtarf where Used awe to be he.Jute. - You that side your voise are almost inedible to me.22
Become a bitskin more wiseable, as if I were23you.
Mutt. - Has? Has at? Hasatency? Urp, Boohooru! Booru ..... 26
Usurp! I trumple from rath in mine mines when I ..... 27
rimimirim! ..... 28
Jute. - One eyegonblack. Bisons is bisons. Let me fore all ..... 29
your hasitancy cross your qualm with trink gilt. Here ..... 30
have sylvan coyne, a piece of oak. Ghinees hies good ..... 31
for you. ..... 32Mutt. - Louee, louee! How wooden I not know it, the intel-33lible greytcloak of Cedric Silkyshag! Cead mealy34
faulty rices for one dabblin bar. Old grilsy growlsy! ..... 35
He was poached on in that eggtentical spot. Here ..... 36
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where the liveries, Monomark. There where the mis- ..... 1
sers moony, Minnikin passe.2
Jute. - Simply because as Taciturn pretells, our wrongstory-3
shortener, he dumptied the wholeborrow of rubba- ..... 4
ges on to soil here. ..... 5
Mutt. - Just how a puddinstone inat the brookcells by a ..... 6
riverpool. ..... 7
Jute. - Load Allmarshy! Wid wad for a norse like?
"Norwegian?"
"N.N."
"English?"
"N.N.N."
"Saxish?"
"N.N.N.N."
Well then, he must be a Jute. Let's have a chat.
[Guide and tourist, now merged into one, have entered the firelight in the form of a dull, prying, somewhat timorous island-native, Mutt. The lumbering stranger from overseas, with thick and sometimes stuttering tongue, taps his chest and introduces himself, in Germanic accent, as a Jute:]
"Yutah!"
"Pleased to meet you," Mutt replies obscurely.
"Are you deaf? Deaf-mute? What is the matter with you anyhow?"
"Not deaf," answers Mutt; "but I have suffered somewhat damage from a bottle in a local tavern - or rather, from a battle at Clontarf."

Jute stutters, "Hauhauhauhorrible!" Then he gives the blurry native a shake. "Come on! Wise onto yourself! Wake up!"

Mutt, cringing and resentful at the unexpected show of force, disconnectedly belches something about usurpers and the Celtic champion, Brian Boru.

Jute attempts to calm him with a bit of wooden money, a

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Mutt. - Somular with a bull on a clompturf. Rooks roarum 9 rex roome! I could snore to him of the spumy horn, 10 with his woolseley side in, by the neck I am sutton 11 on, did Brian d' of Linn.12
Jute. - Boildoyle and rawhoney on me when I can beuraly ..... 13
forsstand a weird from sturk to finnic in such a pat- ..... 14
what as your rutterdamrotter. Onheard of and um- ..... 15
scene! Gut aftermeal! See you doomed. ..... 16
Mutt. - Quite agreem. Bussave a sec. Walk a dun blink ..... 17
roundward this albutisle and you skull see how olde ..... 18
ye plaine of my Elters, hunfree and ours, where wone ..... 19to wail whimbrel to peewee o'er the saltings, where 20wilby citie by law of isthmon, where by a droit ofsignory, icefloe was from his Inn the Byggning to
whose Finishthere Punct. Let erehim ruhmuhrmuhr. ..... 23Mearmerge two races, swete and brack. Morthering24
25
hence, cool at ebb, they requiesce. Countlessness of ..... 26
livestories have netherfallen by this plage, flick as ..... 27
flowflakes, litters from aloft, like a waast wizzard all of ..... 28
whirlworlds. Now are all tombed to the mound, isges ..... 29
to isges, erde from erde. Pride, O pride, thy prize! ..... 30
Jute. - 'Stench! ..... 31
Mutt. - Fiatfuit! Hereinunder lyethey. Llarge by the smal an' ..... 32
everynight life olso th'estrange, babylone the great ..... 33
tip. "Ein Augenblick! Let bygones be bygones! Business is business. Take this bit of Trinkgeld and go buy yourself a drink."
[Perceiving that the money is wooden, the native now definitely identifies the stranger as the perennial invader.] It is he of the billowing greatcoat, Cedric Silkyshag! Obsequiously, now, the native attempts to ingratiate himself by calling attention to the local points of scenic interest: "The spot where Humpty Dumpty fell; by the river, here, the place of the liverish monarch, Mark the First; under the moon, there, Little Mary's Pass; the old stone by the pool." But the great man hardly shares the native's wonder before these things. He has it straight from Tacitus simply that a barrow of rubbish was dumped here. Tired of Mutt's half-intelligible patois, he makes to move away.

Mutt stays him a moment. "All right," says Mutt; "but wait a sec. Take a turn around these ancient plains, where the whimbrel once did wail to pewee, and where cities once will rise. From the old inn out there on the Hill of Howth to this Park of the Phoenix the glaciers did spread. Two races have merged here, a sweet and a salt; like tides they have played against each other. Stories have fallen, thick as snowflakes, and they all lie now entombed. Fuit Ilium. Mild und leise. Here in under they lie-large and small, he and she alike. The ancestral earth has swallowed them. However, this earth of ours is not brickdust but humus. It is fertile. The old figures return. The old round

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drukn on ild, likeas equal to anequal in this sound seemetery which iz leebez luv.

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Jute. - 'Zmorde! ..... 1
Mutt. - Meldundleize! By the fearse wave behoughted. Des- ..... 2
pond's sung. And thanacestross mound have swollup ..... 3
them all. This ourth of years is not save brickdust ..... 4
and being humus the same roturns. He who runes ..... 5
may rede it on all fours. $\mathrm{O}^{\prime} \mathrm{c}^{\prime}$ stle, n'wc'stle, $\mathrm{tr}^{\prime} \mathrm{c}^{\prime}$ stle, ..... 6crumbling! Sell me sooth the fare for Humblin! Hum- 7crumbing! Sell me sooth the fare for Humblin! Hum-blady Fair. But speak it allsosiftly, moulder! Be in8
your whisht! ..... 9
Jute. - Whysht? ..... 10
Mutt. - The gyant Forficules with Amni the fay ..... 11
Jute. - Howe? ..... 12
Mutt. - Here is viceking's graab. ..... 13
Jute. - Hwaad! ..... 14
Mutt. - Ore you astoneaged, jute you? ..... 15
Jute. - Oye am thonthorstrok, thing mud. ..... 16
(Stoop) if you are abcedminded, to this claybook, what curios ..... 17
of signs (please stoop), in this allaphbed! Can you rede (since ..... 18
We and Thou had it out already) its world? It is the same told ..... 19
of all. Many. Miscegenations on miscegenations. Tieckle. They ..... 20
with its four stages will certainly pass again." Then Mutt, abruptly breaking off, with a hush and a whisper begs the fare to Dublin. "Sh!" says he. "Hold your whisht!"

Jute has impatiently listened, with occasional deprecating interjections. Now he sticks on the Irish word "whisht." Mutt resumes: he indicates where the giant lies, and the fay; where lies the Viking grave. "Are you astonished, you stone-aged Jute, you?"
"I am thunderstruck; I am Thor's thunderstroke, I am Thingmote."
[ The archaic figures fade. We are following the finger, not of Mutt, but of a learned Courier, conducting a little group of tourists. We are examining the soil for relics of the most distant past. ]

# 3. The Tale of Jarl van Hooter and the Prankquean 

Joseph Campbell and Henry Morton Robinson: A Skeleton Key to Finnegans Wake. 1944.
Adaline Glasheen: Third Census of Finnegans Wake. 1977.
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Editions. Chester Springs, PA. p. 193

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## FW021

SkeletonKey Summary<br>p 51-52

"Of a night, late, long time ago, when Adam delved and Eve span, when life and love were wild and free and everyone did as he pleased, Jarl van Hoother, the melancholy widower, was alone. Tristopher and Hilary, his two little jimmies, were kicking their dummy about on the floor of his homerigh, castle, and earthenhouse. And be dermot, who came to the keep of his inn only the prankquean. She asked for a poss of porter. And that was how the skirmishes began. The lord of the house refused her, in Dutch, and the door was shut in her face. So her grace o' malice kidnapped the little Tristopher and carried

It was of a night, late, lang time agone, in an auldstane eld, when Adam was delvin and his madameen spinning watersilts, when mulk mountynotty man was everybully and the first leal ribberrobber that ever had her ainway everybuddy to his lovesaking eyes and everybilly lived alove with everybiddy else, and Jarl van Hoother had his burnt head high up in his lamphouse, laying cold hands on himself. And his two little jiminies, cousins of ourn, Tristopher and Hilary, were kickaheeling their dummy on the oil cloth flure of his homerigh, castle and earthenhouse. And, be dermot, who come to the keep of his inn only the niece-14 of-his-in-law, the prankquean. And the prankquean pulled a rosy

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one and made her wit foreninst the dour. And she lit up and fire- 16 land was ablaze. And spoke she to the dour in her petty perusienne: Mark the Wans, why do I am alook alike a poss of porterpease? And that was how the skirtmisshes began. But the dour handworded her grace in dootch nossow: Shut! So her grace o' malice kidsnapped up the jiminy Tristopher and into the shandy westerness she rain, rain, rain. And Jarl van Hoother warlessed after her with soft dovesgall: Stop deef stop come back to my earin stop. But she swaradid to him: Unlikelihud. And there was a brannewail that same sabboath night of falling angles somewhere in Erio. And the prankquean went for her forty years' walk in Tourlemonde and she washed the blessings of the lovespots off the jiminy with soap sulliver suddles and she had her four owlers masters for to tauch him his tickles and she convorted him to the onesure allgood and he became a luderman. So then she started to rain and to rain and, be redtom, she was back again at Jarl van Hoother's in a brace of samers and the jiminy with her in her pinafrond, lace at night, at another time. And where did she come but to the bar of his bristolry. And Jarl von Hoother had his baretholobruised heels drowned in his cellarmalt, shaking warm hands with himself and the jimminy Hilary and

## FW022

the dummy in their first infancy were below on the tearsheet,
him off to her wilderness in the west. Jarl van Hoother bellowed after her, but she carried the boy away. She had the child instructed by her four wise old masters, and he became a blackguard. - Then around she circulated and, be redtom, after a brace of Halloweens, she was back again at Jarl van Hoother's, where Hilary and the dummy were kicking about, like brother and sister, on the floor. She asked for two poss of porter. Van Hoother again refused her. The door was shut in her face. So she set down little Tristopher, picked up little Hilary, and ran off with him to the west. Jarl van Hoother cried after her, but she carried the boy away. She had the child instructed by her four wise old monitors, and she made a Cromwellian out of him - Then around she circulated, and, be dom ter, after a pair of transformations, she was back again at Jarl van Hoother's, where the jiminy and the dummy were making love upon the floor. She asked for three poss of porter. And that was how the skirmishes ended. The Jarl himself, the old terror of the dames, came hippety-hop out the portals of his castle, dressed in his ample costume. He ordered the shutter clapped in her face. It was shut. (+ Centum No 2) And they all drank free. For one man in his armor was a fat match always for any girls under skirts. And that was the first piece of alliterative poetry in all the flaming flatuous world: a sweet exposure of the Norwegian Captain. It was resolved that the prankquean should hold to the dummy, the boys keep the

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quean nipped a paly one and lit up again and redcocks flew flackering from the hillcombs. And she made her witter before the wicked, saying: Mark the Twy, why do I am alook alike two poss of porterpease? And: Shut! says the wicked, handwording her madesty. So her madesty 'a forethought' set down a jiminy and took up a jiminy and all the lilipath ways to Woeman's Land she rain, rain, rain. And Jarl von Hoother bleethered atter her with a loud finegale: Stop domb stop come back with my earring stop But the prankquean swaradid: Am liking it. And there was a wild old grannewwail that laurency night of starshootings somewhere in Erio. And the prankquean went for her forty years' walk in Turnlemeem and she punched the curses of cromcruwell with the nail of a top into the jiminy and she had her four larksical monitrix to touch him his tears and she provorted him to the onecertain allsecure and he became a tristian. So then she started raining, raining, and in a pair of changers, be dom ter, she was back again at Jarl von Hoother's and the Larryhill with her under her abromette. And why would she halt at all if not by the ward of his mansionhome of another nice lace for the third charm? And Jarl von Hoother had his hurricane hips up to his pantrybox, ruminating in his holdfour stomachs (Dare! O dare!), ant the jiminy Toughertrees and the dummy were belove on the watercloth, kissing and spitting, and roguing and poghuing, like knavepaltry and naivebride and in their second infancy. And the prankquean picked a blank and lit out and the valleys lay twinkling. And she made her wittest in front of the arkway of trihump,
peace, and van Hoother let off steam. He is the joke of the entire town.

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Movable type moves, at the buried father's dictation, writes a defense: the woman tempted me. Jarl van Hoother (q.v.) is passive, "dead" like Ibsen's Masterbuilder. The Prankquean (q.v.) comes, "a lure and an assessor," comes three times bringing gifts of woman, fire and water or firewater (see Whiskey); she comes like Biddy O'Brien (q.v.) in "Finnegan's Wake" and asks a question he can't answer, can't understand; but like the Jinnies (q.v.) at Waterloo, the Prankquean tempts, provokes the man to come out fighting, make war-thunderdung. She also reverses the nature of his sons. (Some sources of this story are found under Grace O'Malley, Dermot and Grania, Masterbuilder, Biddy O'Brien, Gemini, Tristopher and Hillary, q.q.v.). The reversal of the twins is repeated on 287 293.


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asking: Mark the Tris, why do I am alook alike three poss of por- 29
ter pease? But that was how the skirtmishes endupped. For like 30
the campbells acoming with a fork lance of-lightning, Jarl von 31
Hoother Boanerges himself, the old terror of the dames, came 32
hip hop handihap out through the pikeopened arkway of his 33
three shuttoned castles, in his broadginger hat and his civic chol- 34
lar and his allabuff hemmed and his bullbraggin soxangloves 35
and his ladbroke breeks and his cattegut bandolair and his fur- 36

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framed panuncular cumbottes like a rudd yellan gruebleen or- 1
angeman in his violet indigonation, to the whole longth of the 2
strongth of his bowman's bill. And he clopped his rude hand to 3
his eacy hitch and he ordurd and his thick spch spck for her to 4
shut up shop, dappy. And the duppy shot the shutter clup (Per- 5
kodhuskurunbarggruauyagokgorlayorgromgremmitghundhurth- 6
rumathunaradidillifaititillibumullunukkunun!) And they all drank 7
free. For one man in his armour was a fat match always for any 8
girls under shurts. And that was the first peace of illiterative 9
porthery in all the flamend floody flatuous world. How kirssy the 10
tiler made a sweet unclose to the Narwhealian captol. Saw fore 11
shalt thou sea. Betoun ye and be. The prankquean was to hold 12
her dummyship and the jimminies was to keep the peacewave 13
and van Hoother was to git the wind up. Thus the hearsomeness 14
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { of the burger felicitates the whole of the polis. } & 15\end{array}$


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## Bernard Benstock

What Bernard Benstock (1965: 282-296) does in his analysis of the Tale of Jarl van Hoother and Prankquean is precisely this: he 'strips the input of noise', and attempts to 'abstract and digest according to criteria of relevance'.

CGS: Tel Language of the Devil. Colin Smythe. Gerrards
Cross. 1987. Dufour Editions. Chester Springs, PA. p. 193


Joyce-again's Wake : An Analysis of Finnegans Wake.
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ends with its elimination is not a single one lyut repectitive, a second principle is introduced: if the river-flow through the land and the urine-flow through the body are synonymous with the life-flow, the drinking process (like the min falling in the Wicklow hills in the Wake) is representative of birth and resurrection. This principle is attached to the male protagonist, the imbiber Earwicker, who partakes of the whiskey that is the water of life (if only in its Gaclic etymology). While the female exists as eternal flow, the male is subject to death and must be revived, as Finn and Finnegan and Dionysus and Osiris and Christ are, In the ultimate pattern Anna Livia also "dies" at the end of Finnegans 1 Fake, but it is a single action that is contimuous, as the dying sentence that ends the book is resurreted at the beginning. In contrast cowardly Earwicker dies a thousand deaths and cnjoys an equal number of resurrections.
To retern to the urination-mastorbation coofiguration: wheteas in real life they remain separate acts that cannot biologically be performed simultaneously, in Joyce's scheme they become almost interclangeable for Earwicker. The deeper significance is certainly the onanistic one, representing as it docs Earwicker's sexual guilt and his loncliness, the act foreshadowing the unsuccessful sexuat union enacted in the early morning hours in chapter ig-coming as it does in consequence of being awakencd by Jerry's bed-wetting trauma ( $563.1-6$ ) -so that urinating becomes a rationalization for the masturbating Earwicker. Thus the indiscretion in Phoenix Park can be interpreted in various ways depending upon the varying degrees of severity of guilt. On the most innocent level we have Earwicker (like his infant son) obeying the simplest of nature's calls: wandering through the park he feels the need to relicve himself and takes advantage of the darkness, the natural surroundings, and the supposed isolation. He is observed by the two girls who, through embarrassment or malicious mirth, snicker at him. Their snickering attracts the attention of the thece soldiers who find the larger tableau of two girls langhing at a middle-aged man urinating in the pask even funmier, and consider it a story worth telling. Alternately, what the girls may well have seen was Earwicker

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masturbating (the socially more serious misdemeanor and the juic ier story for the soldiers to retell), in which case Earwicker's de fense is to insist that he was actually urinating (accepting the lesser crime when accused of the greater). This can be further complicat-ed-and it often is--into Earwicker's purposeful self-exhibition before the girls, an erotic act containing all the frustrations of onanism, or into voyeurism, implying that it was the girls who were urinating (in Prankqueanish fashion) and Earwicker peeping: this is suggested by references to the Dublin crest which is purported to depict two maidens gingerly lifting their skirts to step over a puddle. In no case, however, except in the hero's guilty imagination, can anything more serious (any act of sexual aggression) be attributed to the pathetic publican. That something actually happened in the park is undeniable, but the degree of difference between man"s actual state of guilt and the dimensions of his guilt feelings are purposefully exaggerated by Joyce. In any event, urinatingwhether the committed act or as a rationalization or guilty alibi for masturbating-remains important, and the Tale of Jarl van Hoother expands in significance when viewed as a retelling of the peccadillo in Phoenix Park.*

As a review of the park script, the tale is both myth retold and a new scenario all its own. The hero remains the familiar H.C.E., that singular hero, now known as Jarl van (or von) Hoother (the Earl of Howth; Van der Decken, the Flying Dutchman; van Hou-
$=$ It has been a source of unnecessary frustration to Weke analysts that such self-contained and apparently Iucid pootions of the Waske as the Prankguesn Tale do nat offer golden keys unlocking the exegetical mysteries. Such segment as these can be regarded by the logic chat governs the pattern of dreams to be at
the furthest remove from the real soorce of the dreamer's disturbance. That they are by natare transparent narnatives means that they are the most disguish vernions of Earwicker's sin, and indeed the Jarl is mote sianed 2gainst than sinning. It has often been tempting to me to read this tale in revecse, as a photographic negative: the Prankquesa as Eurwicker, van and won Hoother as the two temptresses, or the jiminies as the temptresses, paralleling the jinnies of the Mascyroom portion. In any event, 1 suspect that the events of the tale are purposely tangentiat to the event which nonexistently stands for THE event Phoenix Park.

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en's cocoa-the last for reasons best known to Joyce and Wrillam York Tindall). The Prankquean in this case is equally singular, although she represents the two temptresses (the motherdaughter pair, Anna Livia and Issy; the two parts of Issy's conflicting egos) and is both the legendary Grania (Grainne, Grace) and the historical Grace O'Malley (Grainne O'Malley). By kidnaping the twins in alternate succession, she is re-cnacting the apocryphal event of the privatecr's vengeful raid on Howth Castle; by thumbing her nose at the raging, aging, impotent Jarl, she is reenacting Grania's love-flight from Finn. Each time she arrives at the castle she takes the cantankerous Jarl by surprise (the Earl was at dinner when the piratess called; Finn and his cohorts were drugged when Grania ran off with Dermot). But Joyce creates substitutes for eating and drinking (although both of these are quite important in the $W a k e$, the first primarily linked with Shaun, the second with Earwicker and Shem). At the first call van Hoother "had his burnt head high up in his lamphousc, laying cold hands on himself"; at the second he "had his baretholobruised heels drowned in his cellarmalt, shaking warm hands with himself"; at the third he "had his hurricane hips up to his pantrybox, ruminating in his holdfoor stomachs." It is apparently his action at the moment which preoccupies his attention, resulting in his unawareness of her arrival. The last action of the three most suggests cating (the Earl's preoccupation); the middle instance most suggests drinking (Finn's distraction); but the first is innocent of both of these socially acceptable pursuits. All three, however, strongly in voke sexual images: the expression laying cold bands on bimself, the erotic phallic symbol of Lamphouse with burnt bead, the word bips, and the vaguely suggestive pantrybox, which seems to be something other than just a place where foodstuffs are stored. All hese connote masturbation, while component elements also support the milder suspicion that the good Jarl was doing nothing more monumental than relieving himself, a necessary adjunct to his drinking: the drowning of the second instance and the hurricane of the third both presuppose a goodly amount of liquid.

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But while Jarl van Hoother is performing the composite eating drinking-urinating-masturbating act, what is the Prankquean up to? Like the female pirate that she is, she arrives by sea and departs in haste the same way. For Joyce such a flight over water becomes "raining," an easy surrogate for urinating, and a hyperbole at that to keep pace with the exaggerated retelling of the events. And the "wit" that she makes before the "dour" is not only her clever, sphinxlike riddle before the surly Jarl, but the insulting act of uri nating in front of his door (a typical prankish gesture befitting the setting of the Beltane or Samhain fire festivals-"and fireland was ablaze"-the evenings preceding All Souls' and All Saints') Again the same ambiguities are implied: Earwicker either mastur bating or micturating, or Earwicker spying at the urinating tempt resses. In any case the parallels with legendary and historical events are important only when superimposed upon the basi "original sin" motif of Earwicker's nocturnal fall in Phoenix Park "O foenix culprit!" (23.16)
The early morning scene in the penultimate chapter of the Wete has already been mentioned in relation to the Prankquean van Hoother 'Tale, but the importance of the urinating-masturbat ing theme merits a closer look at the parallels. In this cinemati scene at dawn, the Porters (the Earwickers' family name in the film version) are awakened by Jerry's crying. They hurry to the children's room to learn that he had "pipettishly bespilled himself from his foundingpen as illspent from inkinghorn" ( $563.5-6$ ) This involuntary bed-wetting forecasts a literary future for Shem who, we have learned during the Shem chapter, makes "synthetic ink" from his feces, "for his own end out of his wit's waste" (185.7-8) :
when the call comes, he shall produce nichthemerically from his unheavenly body a no uncertain quantity of obscene matter not protected by copriright . . . bedung to him, with this doable dye, brought to blood heat, gallic acid on iron ore, through the bowels of his misery, flashly, faithly, nastily, appropriately, this Esuan Menschavik and the first till last alshemist wrote over every square inch of the only fool scap available, his own body [ [185.28-36]

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But Shem's "Latin" incantation for making the synthetic ink is interrupted by such comments as "highly prosy, crap in his hand sorry!" and "did a piss, says he was dejected, asks to be exonerated" (185.x7-18, 23) -the latter suggesting Earwicker's courtroom plea, Here again defecation and urination prove dually significant, and the word pipettisbly adds the sexall connotation, since it is most often associated with the lascivious alter ego of Issy in her correspondence with her "lover" or her other self, as witness her letter (457.46I) : "pet" (457.25), "pettest" (458.4), "Pip pet" (459.25); as well as an earlier letter (143-148); "pepette" (143.3I), "pette" (143.32), "Peppt" (x44.17), "pettest" (145.8), "pippy" (土46.33), "pipetta mid" (147.33)

The awakened bed-wetter is comforted by his mother, while his groggy, disgruntled father stands naked in the doorway. Despite Mrs. Porter's admonition in her own "pig-latin" that he may be seen by the child ("-Vids, porkego! Ili vi rigardas"- 566.26 ), Mr. Porter is seen by Jerry (as Ham sees Noah's nakedness), who comes to undetstand the significance of his father's erection; "first futherer with drawn brand . . . That crag! Those hullocks! . . . a stark pointing pole . . . the dunleary obelisk . . . the Wellington memorial . . . O my big bagbone! . . . a buntingcap of so a pinky on the point . . . standard royal when broken on roofstaff' ( $566.24-567.10$ ). To the modern psychologist this might well represent the sort of trauma that will warp the child; to Joyce it meant, like all knowledge hidden from the uninitiated, a source of awareness for the precocious child which leads to an understanding beyond that of his compeers. For Earwicker, who has exposed the secret to his heir, it means the end of his sexual reign. The coition that takes place once the children are again asleep ("The galleonman jovial on his bucky brown nightmare. . . . her lamp was al askew and a trumbly wick-in-her"-583.8-9, 30-3I) merely amuses the wife ("it tickled her innings to consort pitch at kicksolock in the morm"- $584.2-3$ ), since she is apparently accustomed to a better performance these days than her husband's ("Magrath he's my pegger. . . . He'll win your toss. . . . He's posh. I lob him"

- $584.5-8$ ). Even the Earwickers' hen crows with derision at Mr Porter's efforts; "the hen in the doran's shantyqueer began in a kikkery key to laugh it off" (584.20-22). When dawn thus "re peals an act of union" ( 585.25 ) - the metaphor changing from cricket to Irish politics - the husband is enjoined to "Withdraw your member! Closure" ( $585.26-27$ ), and the sad fact is revealed that Mr. Porter "never wet the tea!" ( $585 \cdot 3^{x}$ ). The predictable irony is that the aging man who pursues young girls (the image of his own daughter disguised as the niece-of-his-in-law) is in actuality a cuckold and a sexual has-been.

Many echoes of aspects of van Hoother's tale are prevalent throughout the Wake, especially sounding the theme of either the male or female urinating. The basic riddle of Mark the WVans, why do I am alook alike a poss of porterpease? occurs in several forms: "How do you do that lack a lock and pass the poker, please?" (224.14-15) ; "Moke the Wanst, whye doe we aime alike a pose of poeter peaced?" ( $37^{2.4-5}$ ); "wheer would his aluck alight or boss of both appease" (4x7.7) ; "For why do you lack a link of luck to poise a pont of perfect, peace?" (493.29-30) ; and "What'll you take to link to light a pike on porpoise, plaise?" (623.14-15). Secondary echoes are heard in such phrases as "pint of porter place" (260.6), "pip for Mr Potter of Texas, please" (274.n3), and "the pint of porter" (511.19), while tertiary soundings may include "trickle triss, please" (96,15), "Whose porter? Which pair?" (187.15-16), "tome to Tindertarten, pease" (191.2I), "a potion a peace, a piece aportion, a lepel alip, alup a lap" (397.18-19), and "to pose three shielings Peter's pelf" (520.14). Other references to the liquid consumed and climinated are found in "Piessporter" (38.5), "boomarpoorter on his brain" (327-33-34), "he dropped his Bass's to P flat" (492.3), and to wine, porter, and ale may be added champagne: "peepair of hideseeks" (462,10).

A particularly large group of words punned with such urine substitutes as "peas," "peace," and "poss" are found throughout the W abe (as witness their significance in the quotations already used as well as in the group below)

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    ptee ... peteet pers [r9.x-2]
    ossing of the showers [51,2]
    And both as like as a duel of lentils? Peacisely [89-4]
    plight pledged peace [94-7]
    vidowpeace upon Dublin Wall [ror,18]
    eamengro [171,29]
    pious Eneas [185.27]
    poing her pee [204.12]
    pilleth peas [267,
    possetpot [20131]
    possetpot [294.31]
    rying to make keek peep [296,13]
    pond's apeace [.301.n]
    ot peas [363.27]
    peace peace perfectpeace [364.20]
    peaces pea to Wedmore [391.27]
    lister of pene [392,25-26]
    dister of peas, soppositorily petty [406.r9]
    ease Pod pluse [412,
    petween peas [432.9]
    *urementy [440.10]
    our pease 2gain was a taste tooth psalty [456.4]
    Mos,, myster [466.30]
    Mint your pe-2s [47.2.5-6]
    *)
    his leggy peggy spelt pea [496.19]
    mpease [575,21]
    pencod [578.8]
    eascod [578.8]
    ld missness wipethemdry . . . as proud as a peahen [S78.19-20]
    A lintil per [625.23]
Other puns involve expressions for urine and urinating, particular
ly vulgarizations and the familiar euphemisms employed for the
enefit of childten
wee peep, see ... see peegec [6.3x-32]
    preealittle [10.32]
    peewee [II,Io]
    peewee o'er the saltings [17.20]
    pispigliando [38,14]
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pisononse . . the wettet is pest [39.14]
peese [50.5]
cockaleak and cappapee [58.25]
Szpissmas [ror.28]
piscines [127.35]
polerpasse f128.25]
polerpasse $[128.25]$
pissasphaltium $[157.2]$
piscivore [x71,8]
Fanny Urinia [171.28]
inspissated [179.25]
wious pish [r89.1]
Domine vopiscus [193.31]
Deihos piped [205.32]
peihos piped [205.32]
pistania $[206.3 \mathrm{x}]$
passe of him [207.14]
pay [207. 14$\}$
pison plague [212.24]
Euro pea nobis [228.26]
Pull the boughpee to see how we sleep [248.18-19]
pitssched ...against our seawall $[254$ - $\mathrm{r}-2]$
Elpis, thou fountain of the greeces $[267.4]$
There war a sweet hopeffal called Cis [267.L]
pizdrool [287.3I]
Pee for Pride [296.5
Like pah, I peh [296.28]
T'll pass out if the screw spliss his strut [296.n2]
bistrispissing \{302.6-7]
Fore auld they wauld to pree [336.10]
pitschobed [339.5]
wee engrish, one long blue streak, jisty and pithy [.351,8-9]
Some Poddy pitted in [361.x5
trisspass through minxmingled hair [ 363.26 ]
Itish prisscess [396.8]
Piscisvendolor [408.36]
be made a cat with a peep [420.6-7]
shoepisser plavious [451.36]
bissing will behind the curtain [467.6-7]
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Trickspissers vill be paitsecluded [ 503.29 ]

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pisoved [548.10]
Haveandholdpp [57x.29]
Urania [583.16]
Panniquanne starts showing of her peequuliar talonts [606.30]
wee, wee [57.13]
wee $[$ ro3. 6]
wetbed confession [188. I]
The wee taste the water left \{212.25]
he was weeting [223.36]
Mahmewetma $[297.30]$
their wetting [ $3 x+33$ ]
for 4 wee [ 3540 ]
for a twee [354-9]
Weee, wee, that long alancey one [360.34]
wetting with the bimblebeaks [416.10]
wetting with the bimblebeaks [4168]
golden violents wetting $[461,17-18]$
our weewee mother I 598.34 ]
this lad wetting his widdle [620.22-23]
cara weeseed [625.24]
meeting waters most improper $[96.14]$
she had never cessed at waking malters among the jemassons [229.22-23]
they made whole waters [312.4]
mouths making water [386.Ix]
making wind and water [391.17]
May he me no voida water [4x5-34]
on the makewater [420.7]
the mingling of our meeting waters [446.14 ]
Water non to be discharged [586.5]
Allusions to Tom Moore's "The Meeting of the Waters" echo the association that occurs to Bloom in Ulysses as he passes Moore's statue on College Green: "He crossed under Tommy Moore's roguish finger. They did right to put him up over a urinal: mecting of the waters" (U ISI). Another urinary allusion is also carried over from Ulyses into the W ate: the postcard that Denis

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Breen received with the succinct message: "U.P.: up" (U I47) becomes: "Ah well, sure, that's the way (up) and it so happened there was poor Matt Gregory (up), their pater familias, and (up) the others and now really and (up) truly they were four dear old heladies" ( $386.12 \cdot 15$ ).

Other variations on the micturition motif include the Irish word for urine, "mun" (25I.4), also seen in "hespermun" (538.23); the Persian shasb in "Shasser"* (494.20); Japanese shoben in "Sboebenacaddie" (200.23); and the Latin word $\dagger$ already seen in "minxmingled hair" (363.26), but also available in "your dirty minx" (80.30); "Miction" (106.19); "micturious mites" (166.28); "micture" (184.22); "mixto" (185.24); "Minxy Cunningham" (95-9) -it should be remembered that Martin Cunning. ham "drowned" (387.28, 393.5); "comminxed" ( 339.11 ); "minxif" (185.21); "Minxing marrage" (196.24); "Aminxt" (222.32) ; "Minxy was a Manxmaid" (433.19); and "a minx from the Isle of Woman" (496.8-9). The two minxing minx are of course the temptresses, the "two quitewhite villagettes who hear show of themselves so gigglesomes minxt the follyages" (8.3.4), who in reality are merely the maidens seen on the Dublin coat of arms discreetly and daintily lifting their skirt hems ever so slightly: "helts ber skelts up the casuaway the flasht instinct she herds if a tinkle of tunder" (227.5-6). One identification of the two young ladies cites a pair of eighteenth-century beauties named Elizabeth and Maria Gunning, transformed by Joyce into

Elsebett and Marryetta Gunning, $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, by that noblesse of leechers at his Saxontannery with motto in W/walshe's ffrenchllatin: O'Neill saw Queen Molly's pants: and much admired engraving, meaning complet manly parts during alleged recent act of our chief mergey margey magistrades, five itches above the kneecap, as required by stat-

- Identifed is the Belshazzar wbo saw the badwriting on the wall, Joyce's "Bill Sbasser's Shotshrift writing academy" (494.20-21) involves more than wall-writing. Shassen, appareatly a felative of the Pisset Burke of Ulyjes, is urinating and defecating sagtinst that same will, Sce also "Sish" ( 587.19 ). 4The children urinate and defecate before going to bel: "they do ming no
merder" (aso.5). merder" (259.5).


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ues. V.I.C 5.6. If you won't release me stop to please me up the leg of me [495-25-32].

The last phrase suggests another urination theme found in various instances in the Wake as: "he make peace in his preaches and play with esteem" (225.6.7) and "Prisson your Pritchards and Play Witbers Teank" ( 176.2 , erratd; see p. 633 ), variations of the children's chant of "piss up your leg and play with the steam."
To these references may also be added: "had bourst a blabber" (224.18-19), "bladey well pessovered" ( 553.8 ), "emptybloddy" (324.1x), "fly fly flurtation" (352.7), "privet stationery" ( 412.27 ), "Nupiter Privius" $(390.22-23)$, "frish uov in urinal" (407.17), "look before you leak" (433.34), "his silenced blad der" ( 467.20 ), and "Ptoserpronette whose slit satchel spilleth peas" (267.xx). Thus it becomes apparent that in hundreds of in stances Joyce is "alluding to the whole in the wall" $(90,21-22)$, advising the reader: "when you're done push the chain" (278.n5)
In the light of this mass of evidence on the all-important theme of urination, an analysis of the Tale of Jarl van Hoother and the Prankquean is offered below in terms of the pun-possibilities ap parent. Some of the suggestions will seem obvious, others farfetched and absurd, while gaps exist where either the word seems to be worth taking on face value or any feasible explanation is beyond me; the reader is invited to consider such lacunae as blanks for his own "possibilities."* I have in one instance at least awoided the obvious: underscoring the various phallic words (lamphouse, nail, lance, pike, and so forth), since the above text should serve to make them more than apparent already

It was of a night, late, leng timse agone, in an auldstane eld

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\begin{array}{lll}
\text { loog } & \text { sgo } & \text { old stone elm } \\
\log & \text { gone } & \text { elder } \\
\text { agon } & \text { stained hero (beld }
\end{array}
$$

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { agon stained hero (beld) } \\
\text { eld (fire, }
\end{array}
$$

*Mr. L. A. Wiggin, whose analysis of the first thuaderword bas already apeared in the Jantes jore Review, has kindly offered some "possibilities" for d one, which appear bere

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and everybilly lived alove with everybiddy else, and Jarl van Hoother evergbody in love everybody Earl of Howth King Billy alone Biddy the hen C. J. van Hooten's
 Johannes de Doper (Joh the Raptist, Dutch) Het (hat, Gec.)
bad his butnt bead high up in his lumphouse, layiog cald hands on
burned
blunt
lighthouse
mestartution
(saicide)
himself. And his two litele jiminies, cousies of ourt,

| Gemini | sin <br> jinni | ours <br> Jimmy <br> cozened |
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|  | And spoke she to the dour in ber petty perasienne: Mark the Wans, |
| cloth flure of his bomerigh, castle and earthenhouse. And, be | why do I am alook alike a poss of porterpesse? And that was how <br> look like pot of porter, plesse <br> look-alike peas in a pod <br> pot of pottage <br> mess of pottage <br> peas porridge hot <br> passports <br> pass witer <br> passe (to be able, Lat.) <br> Piesporter <br> Mr. Potter (H.C.E.) |
| dermot, who come to the keep of his inn caly the niece-of-his-in-law, |  |
| the prankquean, And the prankquean pulled a rosy coe and made ber <br> queen of pracks <br> slut, wench <br> Prawke (paw, Get.) <br> (plucked a rose: urinated) <br> paled rosary maid <br> panle (whore, Fr.) <br> erroser (to water, Pr .) <br> (made a joke) |  |
|  | jiminy Tristopher and into the shandy westerness she rain, rain, fain. |

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| with a loud finegale: Stop doub stop come back with my earring | him to the ooscertain allsecute and be became a teistian. So <br> uncertain Lord Protector Tristan <br> one-certuin recour <br> all-so-sure <br> then sbe started raining, raining, and in a pait of changers, 2 interchaggeables changelings |
| stop. But the prankequean swarklid: Am liking it. And thete wiss a wild old groonewwail that taveneny aight of starshoatiogs Wilde grand new wail tareng falling stars granoy <br> St, Lamfence O'Tnole Stelin Graisne Taurence Stricte Grana Uaile "Larry MCHale"--Chatces Lever | be dom ter, she was back again at Jarl wan Hootber's and the <br> Detmot <br> damn to ber thrice (Lat.) |
| somewhere in Frio, And the pasakriuean went for ber forty geass Eremhor | Larryhill with ber under her abramette. And why would she halt  <br> Hilary apron <br> larrikin umbrella <br> bell Abrham <br> St. Lawrence O'Tcole abrowado (foggy, Sp.) |
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## 4. The Ballad of Persse O'Reilly

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FW044
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Ardite, arditi!
Music cue.

SkeletonKey Summary
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The ballad tells how Humpty Dumpty fell and curled up 22 like Lord Oliver Cromwell by the butt of the Magazine Wall.

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FW045

Have you heard of one Humpty Dumpty
How he fell with a roll and a rumble
And curled up like Lord Olofa Crumple
By the butt of the Magazine Wall,
(Chorus) Of the Magazine Wall,
Hump, helmet and all?

He was one time our King of the Castle
Now he's kicked about like a rotten old parsnip.
And from Green street he'll be sent by order of His Worship 9
To the penal jail of Mountjoy10
(Chorus) To the jail of Mountjoy! 11
Jail him and joy.

Once King of the Castle, now he's kicked around like a rotten old parsnip, and he'll be sent to the penal jail of Mountjoy. He was fafafather of all schemes for to bother us: contraceptives for the populace, open-air love, and religious reform. Arrah, says you, I'll go bail for him: all his butter is in his horns. With his bucketshop store, He'll Cheat E'erawan they called him. Soon we'll bonfire all his trash, and Sheriff Clancy'll be winding up his unlimited company. Gall's curse on the day when Eblana Bay saw his Black-and-Tan man-o'-war. He's a Norwegian camel old cod. He made bold a maid to woo, and it was either during some fresh-water garden pumping or while admiring some monkeys in the zoo. He ought to blush for himself. He was jolting by Wellington's Monument, when some bugger let down the back trap of the omnibus, and he caught his death of fusiliers. Sore pity for his children and missus. When that frau gets a grip of him there'll be earwigs on the green. Then we'll sod the brave son of Scandiknavery, we'll bury him in Oxmanstown, with the devil and the Danes. And not all the king's men nor his horses will resurrect him - for there's no spell that's able to resurrect a Cain.
He was fafafather of all schemes for to bother us ..... 13
Slow coaches and immaculate contraceptives for the populace, ..... 14
Mare's milk for the sick, seven dry Sundays a week, ..... 15
Openair love and religion's reform, ..... 16
(Chorus) And religious reform, ..... 17
Hideous in form. ..... 18
Arrah, why, says you, couldn't he manage it? ..... 19
I'll go bail, my fine dairyman darling, ..... 20
Like the bumping bull of the Cassidys ..... 21
All your butter is in your horns. ..... 22
(Chorus) His butter is in his horns. ..... 23
Butter his horns! ..... 24
(Repeat) Hurrah there, Hosty, frosty Hosty, change that shirt ..... 25
[on ye, ..... 26
Rhyme the rann, the king of all ranns! ..... 27
Balbaccio, balbuccio! ..... 28
We had chaw chaw chops, chairs, chewing gum, the chicken- ..... 29
[pox and china chambers ..... 30
Universally provided by this soffsoaping salesman. ..... 31

## Glasheen Synopsis

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### 42.17-47.33

The ballad is first sung to a crowd of representative Dubliners (compare Ulysses, 470-472) near the tollgate where William and Harold met, and in the shadow of Parnell's monument. This Irish-for-the-Irish entertainment is accepted with wild enthusiasm by the Dublin mob for, as the scope and incoherence of accusation make plain, not a viceroy but a scapegoat is being expelled-in the memorable phrase of Cromwell (q.v.) -"to Connaught or hell."
"... the rann, the rann, the king of all ranns..." - this echoes a catch sung on December 26, when Irish boys parade around with a dead bird on a pole:

The wren, the wren,
The king of all birds,
Saint Stephen's his day,
Was caught in the furze.
All over Europe, Frazer says, the wren (q.v.) is called "the king, the little king, the king of all birds," and everywhere it is reckoned unlucky to kill it; but in France, England, Ireland it was

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Small wonder He'll Cheat E'erawan our local lads nicknamed him1
When Chimpden first took the floor ..... 2
(Chorus) With his bucketshop store ..... 3
Down Bargainweg, Lower.
So snug he was in his hotel premises sumptuous ..... 5
But soon we'll bonfire all his trash, tricks and trumpery ..... 6
And'tis short till sheriff Clancy'll be winding up his unlimited ..... 7
[company ..... 8
With the bailiff's bom at the door, ..... 9
(Chorus) Bimbam at the door. ..... 10
Then he'll bum no more. ..... 11
Sweet bad luck on the waves washed to our island ..... 12
The hooker of that hammerfast viking ..... 13
And Gall's curse on the day when Eblana bay ..... 14
Saw his black and tan man-o'-war ..... 15
(Chorus) Saw his man-o'-war
On the harbour bar. ..... 17
Where from? roars Poolbeg. Cookingha' pence, he bawls Donnez- ..... 18
[moi scampitle, wick an wipin'fampiny ..... 19
Fingal Mac Oscar Onesine Bargearse Boniface ..... 20
Thok's min gammelhole Norveegickers moniker ..... 21
Og as ay are at gammelhore Norveegickers cod. ..... 22

- is customary to go out once a year and play Hunting the Wren, i.e., go kill a wren and treat it like a slain god, carried about so all may share its virtue. Joyce treated the desirable-to-eat god at Finnegan's wake. Now HCE-Father - British Viceroy - WrenKing is the loathed unpalatable creation onto which the Dublin Catholics throw their sins. And, like St Stephen (q.v.), he is cast out of the city, stoned by the rabblement (the gentry observe) in that well-nigh universal passion for scapegoating. The folk performance is more vigorous than the viceroy's theatre of the polite, but both performances are irrelevant to Irish body and soul which need food.
"The Ballad of Persse O'Reilly" is a good imitation of flat ferocious Irish street ballads - compare Swift's "The Yahoo's Overthrow," John Murphy's poem on David Gleeson, and "The Hackler from Grouse Hall." Finnegan and HCE are inextricably confused, and to one individual is attributed the fall at the Magazine Wall and Wellington's destruction by the three soldiers. HCE is accused of being a stranger, of hetero- and homosexual offenses, sharp business practices, attempts to civilize the Irish. The Ballad sentences him to jail, his wife, death, no rising.
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He is, begod.24
Lift it, Hosty, lift it, ye devil ye! up with the rann, the rhyming ..... 25
[rann! ..... 26
It was during some fresh water garden pumping ..... 27
Or, according to the Nursing Mirror, while admiring the mon- ..... 28
[keys ..... 29
That our heavyweight heathen Humpharey ..... 30
Made bold a maid to woo ..... 31
(Chorus) Woohoo, what'll she doo! ..... 32
The general lost her maidenloo! ..... 33
FW047
He ought to blush for himself, the old hayheaded philosopher, ..... 1
For to go and shove himself that way on top of her. ..... 2
Begob, he's the crux of the catalogue ..... 3
Of our antediluvial zoo, ..... 4
(Chorus) Messrs. Billing and Coo. ..... 5
Noah's larks, good as noo. ..... 6
He was joulting by Wellinton's monument ..... 7
Our rotorious hippopopotamuns ..... 8
When some bugger let down the backtrap of the omnibus ..... 9
And he caught his death of fusiliers, ..... 10

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(Chorus) With his rent in his rears.
(Chorus) With his rent in his rears. ..... 11 ..... 11
Give him six years.
Give him six years. ..... 12 ..... 12
'Tis sore pity for his innocent poor children ..... 13
But look out for his missus legitimate! ..... 14
When that frew gets a grip of old Earwicker ..... 15
Won't there be earwigs on the green? ..... 16
(Chorus) Big earwigs on the green,
(Chorus) Big earwigs on the green, ..... 17 ..... 17
The largest ever you seen. ..... 18
Suffoclose! Shikespower! Seudodanto! Anonymoses! ..... 19
Then we'll have a free trade Gaels' band and mass meeting ..... 20
For to sod the brave son of Scandiknavery. ..... 21
And we'll bury him down in Oxmanstown ..... 22
Along with the devil and Danes, ..... 23

(Chorus) With the deaf and dumb Danes,

(Chorus) With the deaf and dumb Danes, .....  ..... 24 .....  ..... 24
And all their remains.
And all their remains. ..... 25 ..... 25
And not all the king's men nor his horses ..... 26
Will resurrect his corpus ..... 27
For there's no true spell in Connacht or hell ..... 28
(bis) That's able to raise a Cain. ..... 29

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## 5. The Mookse and the Gripes

## Finnegans Wake 152.15-157.08

## FW152

The Mookse and The Gripes.
Gentes and laitymen, fullstoppers and semicolonials, hybreds 16 and lubberds!17

Eins within a space and a wearywide space it wast ere wohned 18 a Mookse. The onesomeness wast alltolonely, archunsitslike,19 broady oval, and a Mookse he would a walking go (My hood! cries Antony Romeo), so one grandsumer evening, after a great morning and his good supper of gammon and spittish, having flabelled his eyes, pilleoled his nostrils, vacticanated his ears and palliumed his throats, he put on his impermeable, seized his impugnable, harped on his crown and stepped out of his immobile De Rure Albo (socolled becauld it was chalkfull of masterplasters and had borgeously letout gardens strown with cascadas, pinta-

Joseph Campbell and Henry Morton Robinson: A Skeleton Key to Finnegans Wake. 1944. [The red digits in braces are the extensive footnotes in the original SkeletonKey book: for advanced research you would need to go direct to the book to get these supplementary explanatory texts.]
Adaline Glasheen: Third Census of Finnegans Wake. 1977.

# SkeletonKey Summary <br> 114a to 116d 

As none of you knows Javanese, I will give you a free translation of the old fabulist's parable, "The Mookse and The Gripes." $\{8\}$

Ladies and gentlemen:
Once within a space there lived a Mookse. Feeling lonely, he went walking. Having spruced himself, he left his fine estate, to see how badness was badness in the worst of all possible worlds.

With his father's sword he was girded.
He had walked not far, when he came upon a boggylooking stream. As it ran it dribbled, like any lively purliteasy.


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costecas, horthoducts and currycombs) and set off from Ludstown a spasso to see how badness was badness in the weirdest of all pensible ways.

As he set off with his father's sword, his lancia spezzata, he was girded on, and with that between his legs and his tarkeels, our once in only Bragspear, he clanked, to my clinking, from veetoes to threetop, every inch of an immortal

He had not walked over a pentiadpair of parsecs from his azylium when at the turning of the Shinshone Lanteran near

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Saint Bowery's-without-his-Walls he came (secunding to the one one oneth of the propecies, Amnis Limina Permanent) upon the most unconsciously boggylooking stream he ever locked his eyes with. Out of the colliens it took a rise by daubing itself Ni non. It looked little and it smelt of brown and it thought in narrows and it talked showshallow. And as it rinn it dribbled like any lively purliteasy: My, my, my! Me and me! Little down dream don't I love thee!

And, I declare, what was there on the yonder bank of the stream that would be a river, parched on a limb of the olum, bolt downright, but the Gripes? And no doubt he was fit to be dried for why had he not been having the juice of his times?

His pips had been neatly all drowned on him; his polps were 1312 charging odours every older minute; he was quickly for getting the dresser's desdaign on the flyleaf of his frons; and he was quietly for giving the bailiff's distrain on to the bulkside of his cul de Pompe. In all his specious heavings, as be lived by Optimus Maximus, the Mookse had never seen his Dubville brooder-

And on the opposite bank, hanging from a tree, was the Gripes.

The Gripes, completely desiccated, had never looked so badly.

Adrian (that was the Mookse's name now) $\{9\}$ sat down across from the Gripes, on a stone, $\{10\}$ as pontifically as possible.

Whereupon the Gripes greeted him in a whining voice, and asked to know the news.

The bull bellowed at him threatentingly to remember to whom he was speaking.

The Gripes asked to know the time. $\{11\}$
"This," replied the Mookse, "is what I, with my Bull, Laudabiliter, have come to settle with you. Will you give up?'

You should have heard the voice that answered him! What a little voice!
"I was just thinking of that, sweet Mookse; I can never give up to you. My temple is my own. Nor shall I ever be able to tell you whose cloak you are wearing."
"Your temple, you pig in a poke! Mine is always open to men of stout heart. Whereas, I regret to proclaim that I cannot help you from being killed by inches. My side is as safe as houses; I can prove that against you, I bet you this dozen of tomes."

The Mookse elevated, to give point to his remark, his

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on-low so nigh to a pickle
Adrian (that was the Mookse now's assumptinome) stuccstill phiz-à-phiz to the Gripes in an accessit of aurignacian. But Allmookse must to Moodend much as Allrouts, austereways or wastersways, in roaming run through Room. Hic sor a stone, singularly illud, and on hoc stone Seter satt huc sate which it filled quite poposterously and by acclammitation to its fullest justotoryum and whereopum with his unfallable encyclicling upom his alloilable, diupetriark of the wouest, and the athemystsprinkled pederect he always walked with, Deusdedit, cheek by jowel with his frisherman's blague? Bellua Triumphanes, his everyway addedto wallat's collectium, for yea longer he lieved yea broader he betaught of it, the fetter, the summe and the haul it cost, he looked the first and last micahlike laicness of Quartus the Fifth and Quintus the Sixth and Sixtus the Seventh giving allnight sitting to Lio the Faultyfindth.

- Good appetite us, sir Mookse! How do you do it? cheeped the Gripes in a wherry whiggy maudelenian woice and the jack-


## FW154

asses all within bawl laughed and brayed for his intentions for they knew their sly toad lowry now. I am rarumominum blessed to see you, my dear mouster. Will you not perhopes tell me everything if you are pleased, sanity? All about aulne and lithial and allsall allinall about awn and liseias? Ney?

Think of it! O miserendissimest retempter! A Gripes!

- Rats! bullowed the Mookse most telesphorously, the concionator, and the sissymusses and the zozzymusses in their robenhauses quailed to hear his tardeynois at all for you cannot
jeweled staff to the star vault. And he proved it to the extinction of the Gripes altogether; proved it by Neuclidius, and Inexagoras, and Mommsen, and Thompsen ... and after that he re-proved it by the binomial theorem and every other authority in the book.

While the Mookse was promulgating his ipsos-factos and sed-contras, this rascally Gripes had all but succeeded in making monophysites of his subordinates. But though the Gripes had, time and time again, sought to teach his own flock how to trumpet forth the double meanings of his doctrines, $\{12\}$ his pastors were found to be at loggerheads and at variance with the constitutions of his provincial creed, and so he got the hoof; he having wished to follow the Eastern rather than the Roman interpretation of the relation of the Father and the Son to the Holy Ghost.
"In a thousand years, O Gripes, you will be blind to the world," said the Mookse.
"In a thousand years," answered the Gripes, "you may be still more bothered."
"I shall be chosen as the first of the last by the electress of Vale Hollow," said the Mookse, proud of his fine English cut.
"I shall not even be the last of the first, I hope, when we are visited by the veiled horror," confessed the Gripes limply, miserable foe of the social order.

And like dog and serpent they went at each other

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wake a silken nouse out of a hoarse oar. Blast yourself and your 10 anathomy infairioriboos! No, hang you for an animal rurale! I am superbly in my supremest poncif! Abase you, baldyqueens! Gather behind me, satraps! Rots!

- I am till infinity obliged with you, bowed the Gripes, his whine having gone to his palpruy head. I am still always having a wish on all my extremities. By the watch, what is the time, pace?

Figure it! The pining peever! To a Mookse!

- Ask my index, mund my achilles, swell my obolum, woshup my nase serene, answered the Mookse, rapidly by turning clement, urban, eugenious and celestian in the formose of good grogory humours. Quote awhore? That is quite about what I came on my missions with my intentions laudibiliter to settle with you, barbarousse. Let thor be orlog. Let Pauline be Irene. Let you be Beeton. And let me be Los Angeles. Now measure your length. Now estimate my capacity. Well, sour? Is this space of our couple of hours too dimensional for you, temporiser? Will you give you up? Como? Fuert it?

Sancta Patientia! You should have heard the voice that answered him! Culla vosellina.

- I was just thinkling upon that, swees Mooksey, but, for all the rime on my raisins, if I connow make my submission, I cannos give you up, the Gripes whimpered from nethermost of his wanhope. Ishallassoboundbewilsothoutoosezit. My tumble, loudy bullocker, is my own. My velicity is too fit in one stockend. And my spetial inexshellsis the belowing things ab ove. But I will never be abler to tell Your Honoriousness (here he near lost

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viciously.
Meanwhile, the Little Cloud Girl, in her light dress, was leaning over the banistars, lisyening all she childishly could. She was alone. She tried to make the Mookse look up at her and to make the Gripes hear how coy she could be, but it was all mild's vapour moist. Their minds were beset with their learned quotations. And she tried the winsome wonsome ways her four winds had taught her. But she might just as well have carried her daisy's worth to Florida! For the Mookse was not amused, and the Gripes was lost in obliviscence.
"I see," she sighed. "They are stupids!"
The shades began to glidder along the banks, dusk unto dusk. The Mookse could no longer hear, the Gripes no longer see. The Mookse thought of the deeps he would profound on the morrow, the Gripes of the scrapes he would escape if he had luck enough.

And the dew began to fall.
Then there came down to the thither bank a woman of no appearance, and she gathered up the Mookse where he lay. There came down to the hither bank a woman too all-important, and she plucked down the Gripes from his limb. \{14\}There were left now only an elmtree and a stone. And Nuvoletta, the Little Cloud Girl, a lass.

Then Nuvoletta reflected for the last time and made up her drifting minds. She climbed over the banistars, gave a childy


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his limb) though my corked father was bott a pseudowaiter, 1 whose o'cloak you ware.

Incredible! Well, hear the inevitable.

- Your temple, sus in cribro! Semperexcommunicambiambisumers. Tugurios-in-Newrobe or Tukurias-in-Ashies. Novarome, my creature, blievend bleives. My building space in lyonine city is always to let to leonlike Men, the Mookse in a most consistorous allocution pompifically with immediate jurisdiction constantinently concludded (what a crammer for the shapewrucked Gripes!). And I regret to proclaim that it is out of my temporal to help you from being killed by inchies, (what a thrust!), as we first met each other newwhere so airly. (Poor little sowsieved subsquashed Gripes! I begin to feel contemption for him!). My side, thank decretals, is as safe as motherour's houses, he continued, and I can seen from my holeydome what it is to be wholly sane. Unionjok and be joined to yok! Parysis, $t u$ sais, crucycrooks, belongs to him who parises himself. And there I must leave you subject for the pressing. I can prove that against you, weight a momentum, mein goot enemy! or Cospol's not our star. I bet you this dozen odd. This foluminous dozen odd. Quas primas - but'tis bitter to compote my knowledge's fructos of. Tomes.

Elevating, to give peint to his blick, his jewelled pederect to the allmysty cielung, he luckystruck blueild out of a few shouldbe santillants, a cloister of starabouts over Maples, a lucciolys in Teresa street and a stopsign before Sophy Barratt's, he gaddered togodder the odds docence of his vellumes, gresk, letton and russicruxian, onto the lapse of his prolegs, into umfullth onescuppered, and sat about his widerproof. He proved it well whoonearth dry and drysick times, and vremiament, tu cesses, to the
cloudy cry, a light-dress fluttered, she was gone. And into the river that had been a stream there fell a tear - it was a leap tear. $\{15\}$ But the river tripped on her way.

No applause, please, ladies and gentlemen!
Nolan Brown, you may leave the room.
[ Having concluded his fable, the professor resumes the argument. He is unfolding ... ]

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extinction of Niklaus altogether (Niklaus Alopysius having been 31
the once Gripes's popwilled nimbum) by Neuclidius and In- 32
exagoras and Mumfsen and Thumpsem, by Orasmus and by 33
Amenius, by Anacletus the Jew and by Malachy the Augurer and 34
by the Cappon's collection and after that, with Cheekee's gela- 35
tine and Alldaybrandy's formolon, he reproved it ehrltogether 36

## FW156

when not in that order sundering in some different order, alter 1
three thirty and a hundred times by the binomial dioram and2
the penic walls and the ind, the Inklespill legends and the rure, 3 the rule of the hoop and the blessons of expedience and the jus, the jugicants of Pontius Pilax and all the mummyscrips in Sick
Boke' Juncroom and the Chapters for the Cunning of the Chap
ters of the Conning Fox by Tail.
$\quad 7$
cession, duplicitly and diplussedly, was promulgating ipsofacts
and sadcontras this raskolly Gripos he had allbust seceded in 10
monophysicking his illsobordunates. But asawfulas he had 11
caught his base semenoyous sarchnaktiers to combuccinate upon 12
the silipses of his aspillouts and the acheporeoozers of his haggy- 13
own pneumax to synerethetise with the breadchestviousness of 14
his sweeatovular ducose sofarfully the loggerthuds of his sakel- 15
laries were fond at variance with the synodals of his somepooliom 16
and his babskissed nepogreasymost got the hoof from his philio- 17
quus.18
— Efter thousand yaws, O Gripes con my sheepskins, yow 19
will be belined to the world, enscayed Mookse the pius. 20

- Ofter thousand yores, amsered Gripes the gregary, be the 21



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goat of MacHammud's, yours may be still, O Mookse, more 22
botheared. 23

- Us shall be chosen as the first of the last by the electress of 24

Vale Hollow, obselved the Mookse nobily, for par the unicum 25
of Elelijiacks, Us am in Our stabulary and that is what Ruby and 26
Roby fall for, blissim.
The Pills, the Nasal Wash (Yardly's), the Army Man Cut, as 28
british as bondstrict and as straightcut as when that broken- 29
arched traveller from Nuzuland . . . 30

- Wee, cumfused the Gripes limply, shall not even be the 31
last of the first, wee hope, when oust are visitated by the Veiled 32
Horror. And, he added: Mee are relying entirely, see the forte- 33
thurd of Elissabed, on the weightiness of mear's breath. Puffut! 34
Unsightbared embouscher, relentless foe to social and business 35
succes! (Hourihaleine) It might have been a happy evening but... 36


## FW157

And they viterberated each other, canis et coluber with the 1
wildest ever wielded since Tarriestinus lashed Pissasphaltium. 2

- Unuchorn!
- Ungulant! ..... 4
- Uvuloid! ..... 5
— Uskybeak! ..... 6
And bullfolly answered volleyball. ..... 7
Nuvoletta in her lightdress, spunn of sisteen shimmers, was ..... 8


## 6. Burrus and Caseous

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## FW160

My heeders will recoil with a great leisure how at the out-

## FW161

michelangelines have fooled to dread I proved to mindself as to your sotisfiction how his abject all through (the quickquid of Professor Ciondolone's too frequently hypothecated Bettlermensch) is nothing so much more than a mere cashdime however genteel he may want ours, if we please (I am speaking to us in the second person), for to this graded intellecktuals dime is cash and the cash system (you must not be allowed to forget that this is all contained, I mean the system, in the dogmarks of origen on spurios) means that I cannot now have or nothave a piece of cheeps in your pocket at the same time and with the same manners as you can now nothalf or half the cheek apiece I've in mind unless Burrus and Caseous have not or not have seemaultaneously sysentangled themselves, selldear to soldthere, once in the

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dairy days of buy and buy.
Burrus, let us like to imagine, is a genuine prime, the real 15
choice, full of natural greace, the mildest of milkstoffs yet un- 16
beaten as a risicide and, of course, obsoletely unadulterous17
whereat Caseous is obversely the revise of him and in fact not an 18
ideal choose by any meals, though the betterman of the two is19
meltingly addicted to the more casual side of the arrivaliste case 20 and, let me say it at once, as zealous over him as is passably he. The seemsame home and histry seeks and hidepence which we used to be reading for our prepurgatory, hot, Schott? till Duddy shut the shopper op and Mutti, poor Mutti! brought us our poor suppy, (ah who! eh how!) in Acetius and Oleosus and Sellius Volatilis and Petrus Papricus! Our Old Party quite united round the Slatbowel at Commons: Pfarrer Salamoss himself and that sprog of a Pedersill and his Sprig of Thyme and a dozen of the Murphybuds and a score and more of the hot young Capels and Lettucia in her greensleeves and you too and me three, twinsome bibs but hansome ates, like shakespill and eggs! But there's many a split pretext bowl and jowl; and (snob screwing that cork,
Schott!) to understand this as well as you can, feeling how backward you are in your down-to-the-ground benches, I have completed the following arrangement for the coarse use of stools and if I don't make away with you I'm beyond Caesar outnullused.202122232425

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## FW162

The older sisars (Tyrants, regicide is too good for you!) be- 1
come unbeurrable from age, (the compositor of the farce of2 dustiny however makes a thunpledrum mistake by letting off this 3
,


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in) having been sort-of-nineknived and chewly removed (this 5
soldier - author - batman for all his commontoryism is just 6
another of those souftsiezed bubbles who never quite got the $\quad 7$
sandhurst out of his eyes so that the champaign he draws for us 8
is as flop as a plankrieg) the twinfreer types are billed to make 9
their reupprearance as the knew kneck and knife knickknots on 10
the deserted champ de bouteilles. (A most cursery reading into the 11
Persic-Uraliens hostery shows us how Fonnumagula picked 12
up that propper numen out of a colluction of prifixes though to 13
the permienting cannasure the Coucousien oafsprung of this 14
sun of a kuk is as sattin as there's a tub in Tobolosk) Ostiak 15
della Vogul Marina! But that I dannoy the fact of wanton to 16
weste point I could paint you to that butter (cheese it!) if you 17
had some wash. Mordvealive! Oh me none onsens! Why the 18
case is as inessive and impossive as kezom hands! Their inter- 19
locative is conprovocative just as every hazzy hates to having a 20
hazbane in her noze. Caseous may bethink himself a thought of 21
a caviller but Burrus has the reachly roundered head that goes 22
best with thofthinking defensive fideism. He has the lac of wis- 23
dom under every dent in his lofter while the other follow's 24
onni vesy milky indeedmymy. Laughing over the linnuts and 25
weeping off the uniun. He hisn't the hey og he lisn't the lug, 26
poohoo. And each night sim misses mand he winks he had the 27
semagen. It was aptly and corrigidly stated (and, it is royally 28
needless for one ex ungue Leonem to say by whom) that his 29
seeingscraft was that clarety as were the wholeborough of Poutres- 30
bourg to be averlaunched over him pitchbatch he could still make 31
out with his augstritch the green moat in Ireland's Eye. Let me 32
sell you the fulltroth of Burrus when he wore a younker. Here 33
it is, and chorming too, in six by sevens! A cleanly line, by the 34


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gods! A king off duty and a jaw for ever! And what a cheery 35
ripe outlook, good help me Deus v Deus! If I were to speak 36
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my ohole mouthful to arinam about it you should call me the 1 ormuzd aliment in your midst of faime. Eat ye up, heat ye up! 2 sings the somun in the salm. Butyrum et mel comedet ut sciat 3 reprobare malum et eligere bonum. This, of course, also explains 4 why we were taught to play in the childhood: Der Haensli ist 5 ein Butterbrot, mein Butterbrot! Und Koebi iss dein Schtinkenkot! 6 Ja! Ja! Ja!

This in fact, just to show you, is Caseous, the brutherscutch 8 or puir tyron: a hole or two, the highstinks aforefelt and anygo 9 prigging wurms. Cheesugh! you complain. And Hi Hi High 10
must say you are not Hoa Hoa Hoally in the wrong! 11
Thus we cannot escape our likes and mislikes, exiles or am- 12
busheers, beggar and neighbour and - this is where the dime- 13
show advertisers advance the temporal relief plea - let us be 14
tolerant of antipathies. Nex quovis burro num fit mercaseus? I am 15
not hereby giving my final endorsement to the learned ignorants 16
of the Cusanus philosophism in which old Nicholas pegs it 17
down that the smarter the spin of the top the sounder the span 18
of the buttom (what the worthy old auberginiste ought to have 19 meant was: the more stolidly immobile in space appears to me 20 the bottom which is presented to use in time by the top primo- 21 mobilisk \&c.). And I shall be misunderstord if understood to 22 give an unconditional sinequam to the heroicised furibouts of 23 the Nolanus theory, or, at any rate, of that substrate of apart 24 from hissheory where the Theophil swoors that on principial he 25


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was the pointing start of his odiose by comparison and that whiles 26 eggs will fall cheapened all over the walled the Bure will be dear 27 on the Brie.28

Now, while I am not out now to be taken up as unintention-29
ally recommending the Silkebjorg tyrondynamon machine for 30
the more economical helixtrolysis of these amboadipates until31

I can find space to look into it myself a little more closely first 32
I shall go on with my decisions after having shown to you in 33 good time how both products of our social stomach (the excellent 34
Dr Burroman, I noticed by the way from his emended food35
theory, has been carefully digesting the very wholesome criticism 36

## FW164

I helped him to in my princeps edition which is all so munch 1
to the cud) are mutuearly polarised the incompatabilily of any 2
delusional acting as ambivalent to the fixation of his pivotism. 3
Positing, as above, too males pooles, the one the pictor of the 4
other and the omber the Skotia of the one, and looking want- 5
ingly around our undistributed middle between males we feel 6
we must waistfully woent a female to focus and on this stage 7
there pleasantly appears the cowrymaid M. whom we shall 8
often meet below who introduces herself upon us at some precise 9
hour which we shall again agree to call absolute absent or the 10
babbling pumpt of platinism. And so like that former son 11
of a kish who went up and out to found his farmer's ashes we 12
come down home gently on our own turnedabout asses to meet 13
Margareen. 14
We now romp through a period of pure lyricism of shame- 15
bred music (technologically, let me say, the appetising entry of 16
this subject on a fool chest of vialds is plumply pudding the carp ..... 17
before doevre hors) evidenced by such words in distress as $I$ ..... 18
cream for thee, Sweet Margareen, and the more hopeful O Mar- ..... 19
gareena! O Margareena! Still in the bowl is left a lump of gold! ..... 20
(Correspondents, by the way, will keep on asking me what is the ..... 21
correct garnish to serve drisheens with. Tansy Sauce. Enough). ..... 22
The pawnbreaking pathos of the first of these shoddy pieces ..... 23
reveals it as a Caseous effort. Burrus's bit is often used for a toast. ..... 24
Criniculture can tell us very precisely indeed how and why this ..... 25
particular streak of yellow silver first appeared on (not in) the ..... 26
bowel, that is to see, the human head, bald, black, bronze, brown,
brindled, betteraved or blanchemanged where it might be use- ..... 28fully compared with an earwig on a fullbottom. I am offeringthis to Signorina Cuticura and I intend to take it up and bring itunder the nosetice of Herr Harlene by way of diverting his2729
31attentions. Of course the unskilled singer continues to pervert
32our wiser ears by subordinating the space-element, that is to
sing, the aria, to the time-factor, which ought to be killed, ill ..... 34
tempor. I should advise any unborn singer who may still be ..... 35
among my heeders to forget her temporal diaphragm at home ..... 36
FW165
(the best thing that could happen to it!) and attack the roulade ..... 1
with a swift colpo di glottide to the lug (though Maace I will ..... 2
insist was reclined from overdoing this, his recovery often being ..... 4
slow) and then, O! on the third dead beat, O! to cluse her eyes
and aiopen her oath and see what spice I may send her. How? ..... 5
Cease thee, cantatrickee! I fain would be solo. Arouse thee, my ..... 6
valour! And save for e'er my true Bdur! ..... 7

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I shall have a word to say in a few yards about the acoustic 8
and orchidectural management of the tonehall but, as ours is a 9
vivarious where one plant's breaf is a lunger planner's byscent 10
and you may not care for argon, it will be very convenient for 11
me for the emolument to pursue Burrus and Caseous for a rung 12
or two up their isocelating biangle. Every admirer has seen my 13
goulache of Marge (she is so like the sister, you don't know, and 14
they both dress A L I K E!) which I titled The Very Picture of 15
a Needlesswoman which in the presence ornates our national 16
cruetstand. This genre of portraiture of changes of mind in order 17
to be truly torse should evoke the bush soul of females so I am 18
leaving it to the experienced victim to complete the general 19
suggestion by the mental addition of a wallopy bound or, should 20 the zulugical zealot prefer it, a congorool teal. The hatboxes 21 which composed Rhomba, lady Trabezond (Marge in her ex- 22 celsis), also comprised the climactogram up which B and C may 23 fondly be imagined ascending and are suggestive of gentlemen's 24 spring modes, these modes carrying us back to the superimposed 25 claylayers of eocene and pleastoseen formation and the gradual 26 morphological changes in our body politic which Professor 27
Ebahi-Ahuri of Philadespoinis (Ill) — whose bluebutterbust I 28
have just given his coupe de grass to - neatly names a boîte à 29
surprises. The boxes, if I may break the subject gently, are worth 30 about fourpence pourbox but I am inventing a more patent pro- 31 cess, foolproof and pryperfect (I should like to ask that Shedlock 32 Homes person who is out for removing the roofs of our criminal 33 classics by what deductio ad domипиm he hopes de tacto to detect 34 anything unless he happens of himself, movibile tectu, to have a 35 slade off) after which they can be reduced to a fragment of their 36


## FW166

true crust by even the youngest of Margees if she will take plase $\quad 1$
to be seated and smile if I please.
Now there can be no question about it either that I having 3 done as much, have quite got the size of that demilitery young4
female (we will continue to call her Marge) whose types may be 5 met with in any public garden, wearing a very "dressy" affair, 6 known as an "ethel" of instep length and with a real fur, reduced 7 to $3 / 9$, and muffin cap to tone (they are "angelskin" this fall), 8
ostentatiously hemming apologetically over the shirtness of 9
some "sweet" garment, when she is not sitting on all the free 10
benches avidously reading about "it" but ovidently on the look 11
out for "him" or so "thrilled" about the best dressed dolly pram 12
and beautiful elbow competition or at the movies swallowing 13
sobs and blowing bixed mixcuits over "childe" chaplain's "latest" 14
or on the verge of the gutter with some bobbedhair brieffrocked 15
babyma's toddler (the Smythe-Smythes now keep TWO domes- 16
tics and aspire to THREE male ones, a shover, a butlegger and 17
a sectary) held hostage at armslength, teaching His Infant 18
Majesty how to make waters worse. 19
(I am closely watching Master Pules, as I have regions to sus- 20
pect from my post that her "little man" is a secondary school- 21
teacher under the boards of education, a voted disciple of Infan- 22 tulus who is being utilised thus publicly by the seducente infanta 23 to conceal her own more mascular personality by flaunting 24 frivolish finery over men's inside clothes, for the femininny of 25 that totamulier will always lack the musculink of a verumvirum. 26 My solotions for the proper parturience of matres and the edu- 27 cation of micturious mites must stand over from the moment till 28

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I tackle this tickler hussy for occupying my uttentions.) 29
Margareena she's very fond of Burrus but, alick and alack! 30
she velly fond of chee. (The important influence exercised on 31
everything by this eastasian import has not been till now fully 32
flavoured though we can comfortably taste it in this case. I shall 33
come back for a little more say farther on.) A cleopatrician in 34
her own right she at once complicates the position while Burrus 35
and Caseous are contending for her misstery by implicating her- 36

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self with an elusive Antonius, a wop who would appear to hug 1
a personal interest in refined chees of all chades at the same time 2 as he wags an antomine art of being rude like the boor. This Antonius-Burrus-Caseous grouptriad may be said to equate2 the qualis equivalent with the older socalled talis on talis one just as quantly as in the hyperchemical economantarchy the tantum ergons irruminate the quantum urge so that eggs is to whey 7 6 as whay is to zeed like your golfchild's abe boob caddy. And this 8 is why any simple philadolphus of a fool you like to dress, an athemisthued lowtownian, exlegged phatrisight, may be awfully 10 green to one side of him and fruitfully blue on the other which 11 will not screen him however from appealing to my gropesarch- 12 ing eyes, through the strongholes of my acropoll, as a boosted 13 blasted bleating blatant bloaten blasphorus blesphorous idiot 14 who kennot tail a bomb from a painapple when he steals one 15 and wannot psing his psalmen with the cong in our gregational 16 pompoms with the canting crew.17
No! Topsman to your Tarpeia! This thing, Mister Abby, is ..... 18
nefand. (And, taking off soutstuffs and alkalike matters, I hope 19

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we can kill time to reach the salt because there's some forceglass 20
neutric assets bittering in the soldpewter for you to plump your 21 pottage in). The thundering legion has stormed Olymp that 22
it end. Twelve tabular times till now have I edicted it. Merus 23
Genius to Careous Caseous! Moriture, te salutat! My phemous 24
themis race is run, so let Demoncracy take the highmost! (Abra- 25
ham Tripier. Those old diligences are quite out of date. Read next answer). I'll beat you so lon. (Bigtempered. Why not take direct action. See previous reply). My unchanging Word is sacred.
The word is my Wife, to exponse and expound, to vend and to velnerate, and may the curlews crown our nuptias! Till Breath us depart! Wamen. Beware would you change with my years. Be as young as your grandmother! The ring man in the rong shop but the rite words by the rote order! Ubi lingua nuпсирassit, ibi fas! Adversus hostem semper sac! She that will not feel my fulmon that hoth no moses in his sole nor is not awed by conquists 36

## FW168

of word's law, who never with humself was fed and leaves
his soil to lave his head, when his hope's in his highlows from 2 whisking his woe, if he came to my preach, a proud pursebroken 3 ranger, when the heavens were welling the spite of their spout, 4 to beg for a bite in our bark Noisdanger, would meself and Mac 5 Jeffet, four-in-hand, foot him out? - ay! - were he my own 6 breastbrother, my doubled withd love and my singlebiassed hate, 7 were we bread by the same fire and signed with the same salt, 8 had we tapped from the same master and robbed the same till, 9 were we tucked in the one bed and bit by the one flea, homo- 1010

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gallant and hemycapnoise, bum and dingo, jack by churl, though 11
it broke my heart to pray it, still I'd fear I'd hate to say! 12
12. Sacer esto? 13

Answer: Semus sumus! 14

## 7. The Norwegian Captain

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FW311

It was long after once there was a lealand in the luffing ore it was less after lives thor a toyler in the tawn at all ohr it was note before he drew out the moddle of Kersse by jerkin his dressing but and or it was not before athwartships he buttonhaled the Norweeger's capstan.

So he sought with the lobestir claw of his propencil the clue of the wickser in his ear. O, lord of the barrels, comer forth from Anow (I have not mislaid the key of Efas-Taem), O, Ana, bright lady, comer forth from Thenanow (I have not left temptation in the path of the sweeper of the threshold), O , O !
But first, strongbowth, they would deal death to a drinking. Link of a leadder, dubble in it, slake your thirdst thoughts awake with it. Our svalves are svalves aroon! We rescue thee, O Baass, from the damp earth and honour thee. O Connibell, with mouth burial! So was done, neat and trig. Up draught and whet them!

Joseph Campbell and Henry Morton Robinson: A Skeleton Key to Finnegans Wake. 1944.
Adaline Glasheen: Third Census of Finnegans Wake. 1977.

## SkeletonKey Summary

198a to 200b

This was a long time after the days of yore: long after the day when he put into port with his ship, and not so long after the day he was asked was there a tailor shop in the town? Noy before the day he threw out Kerrse [Persse O'Reilly]; and not before the day, when, athwartships, he buttonholed the Norwegian Captain.

The host sought, meanwhile, with guilty conscience and open ear, a clue to the popular judgment on him. [ In his head ticked phrases reminiscent of the "Negative Confession" of the Book of the Dead: ] "I have not mislaid the key of Efas-Taem. I have not left temptation in the path of the sweeper of the threshold."
[ Then the customers lifted, with half-threatening

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- Then sagd he to the ship's husband. And in his translatentic norjankeltian. Hwere can a ketch or hook alive a suit and sowterkins? Soot! sayd the ship's husband, knowing the language, here is tayleren. Ashe and Whitehead, closechop, successor to. Ahorror, he sayd, canting around to that beddest his friend, the tayler, for finixed coulpure, chunk pulley muchy chink topside numpa one sellafella, fake an capstan make and shoot! Manning to sayle of clothse for his lady her master whose to be precised of a peer of trouders under the pattern of a cassack. Let me prove, I pray thee, but this once, sazd Mengarments, saving the mouthbrand from his firepool. He spit in his faist (beggin): he tape the raw baste (paddin): he planked his pledge (as dib is a dab): and he tog his fringe sleeve (buthock lad, fur whale). Alloy for allay and this toolth for that soolth. Lick it and like it. A barter, a parter. And plenty good enough, neighbour Norreys, every bit and grain. And the ship's husband brokecurst after him to hail the


## FW312

lugger. Stolp, tief, stolp, come bag to Moy Eireann! And the Norweeger's capstan swaradeed, some blowfish out of schooling: All lykkehud! Below taiyor he ikan heavin sets. But they broken waters and they made whole waters at they surfered bark to the lots of his vauce. And aweigh he yankered on the Norgean run so that seven sailend sonnenrounders was he breastbare to the brinabath, where bottoms out has fatthoms full, fram Franz José Land til Cabo Thormendoso, evenstarde and risingsoon. Up the Rivor Tanneiry and down the Golfe Desombres. Farety days and fearty nights. Enjoy yourself, O maremen! And the tides made, veer and haul, and the times marred, rear and fall, and, holey
implication, their glasses to a Sinn Fenn toast:] "Ourselves, ourselves, alone!" And the drinks were tossed off in the very manner of an "Upboys and at 'em."
[ Whereupon there began to be unwound and resnarled the endless yarns: (A) A Tavern Brawl, confused with (B) A Tailor in the Town. Apparently, a blustering mariner, known as the Norwegian Captain and very like the figure of H.C.E., was in the habit of putting into port and the sailing away to roam the deep again for years. He was something of a Flying Dutchman. On one of his visits he encountered the Ship's Husband - another bulky fellow very like the figure of H.C.E. The Captain asked where he might order himself a suit of clothes, and the Ship's Husband recommended a shop, successor to Ashe and Whitehead. In the wild disorder of the tavern tellings and retellings of the tale the Ship's Husband becomes confused, or amalgamated, with the obscure personality of the tailor. The Norwegian Captain is fitted, but then, instead of decently paying his bill, sets out to sea. And the Ship's Husband bellows after him in vain.
[ The reader is reminded by many rhythmical echoes of the story of Jarl van Hoother and the Prankquean, the Norwegian Captain playing in this case the role of prankmaster. One is not surprised to see the Norwegian Captain circle past twice again. On his second visit he

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bucket, dinned he raign!

- Hump! Hump! bassed the broaders-in-laugh with a quick piddysnip that wee halfbit a second.
- I will do that, sazd Kersse, mainingstaying the rigout for her wife's lairdship. Nett sew? they hunched back at the earpicker.

But old sporty, as endth lord, in ryehouse reigner, he nought feared crimp or cramp of shore sharks, plotsome to getsome. It was whol niet godthaab of errol Loritz off his Cape of Good Howthe and his trippertrice loretta lady, a maomette to his monetone, with twy twy twinky her stone hairpins, only not, if not, a queen of Prancess their telling tabled who was for his seeming a casket through the heavenly, nay, heart of the sweet (had he hows would he keep her as niece as a fiddle!) but in the mealtub it was wohl yeas sputsbargain what, rarer of recent, an occasional conformity, he, with Muggleton Muckers, alwagers allalong most certainly allowed, as pilerinnager's grace to petitionists of right, of the three blend cupstoomerries with their customed spirits, the Gill gob, the Burklley bump, the Wallisey wanderlook, having their ceilidhe gailydhe in his shaunty irish. Group drinkards maaks grope thinkards or how reads rotary, jewr of a chrestend, respecting the otherdogs churchees, so long plubs will be plebs but plabs by low frequency amplification may later agree to have another. For the people of the shed are the sure ads of all quorum. Lorimers and leathersellers, skinners and salters, pewterers and paperstainers, parishclerks, fletcherbowyers,

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girdlers, mercers, cordwainers and first, and not last, the weavers. Our library he is hoping to ye public.
enters the tavern and orders a great meal, but instead of paying, simply departs, leaving the Ship's Husband whistling for the bill.]

- Then said the Norwegian Captain to the Ship's Husband, "Where can I get myself a suit?" "Suit?" said the Ship's Housebound, "There is a tailor, successor to Ashe and Whitehead." And then: "O'Hara," said he, turning to the best of his friends, "sell a suit of clothes to this gentleman." So he was measured and fitted out. A bargain was struck, and he made to go. But the Ship's Husband cried after him: (FW312) "Stop thief! Come back to my Erin!" And the Norwegian Captain answered: "All likelihood!" And away he yankered on the Norgean run, so that he he was breastbare to the briny-bath seven years. And the tides made, veer and haul, and holey bucket, dinned he raign!

Hump! Hump! laughed the tavern company, with knowing glances at the tavernkeeper.

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BOOK II, section iii (309-382) "Scene in the Pub" ... McCann's (q.v.) story, told to John Joyce (q.v.), of a hunchbacked Norwegian captain who ordered a

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- Sets on sayfohrt! Go to it, agitator! they bassabosuned over ..... 4
the flowre of their hoose. Godeown moseys and skeep thy beeble ..... 5
bee!- I will do that, acordial, by mine hand, sazd Kersse, piece7
Cod, and in the flap of a jacket, ructified after his nap of a blankit8
their o'cousin, as sober as the ship's husband he was one my god-9
father when he told me saw whileupon I am now well and jurily ..... 10sagasfide after the boonamorse the widower, according to rider,following pnomoneya, he is consistently blown to Adams. So11
help me boyg who keeps the book! ..... 13Whereofter, behest his suzerain law the Thing and the pilsener
5had the baar, Recknar Jarl, (they called him Roguenor, Irl call
him) still passing the change-a-pennies, pengeypigses, a several ..... 16
sort of coyne in livery, pushed their whisper in his hairing, ..... 17
(seemed, a some shipshep's sottovoxed stalement, a dearagadye, ..... 18to hasvey anyone doing duty for duff point of dorkland compors)
the same to the good ind ast velut discharge after which he had19
exemptied more than orphan for the ballast of his nurtural life. ..... 21
And threw a cast. A few pigses and hare you are and no chicking,tribune's tribute, if you guess mimic miening. Meanly in his lewd-brogue take your tyon coppels token, with this good sixtricfrom mine runbag of juwels. Nummers that is summus that istoptip that is bottombay that is Twomeys that is Digges that isHeres. In the frameshape of hard mettles. For we all would fainmake glories. It is minely well mint.

Thus as count the costs of liquid courage, a bullyon gauger, stowed stivers pengapung in bulk in hold (fight great finnence! brayvoh, little bratton!) keen his kenning, the queriest of the crew, with that fellow fearing for his own misshapes, should he be
suit from a Dublin tailor, J. H. Kerse of 34 Upper Sackville Street. The finished suit did not fit him, and the captain berated the tailor for being unable to sew, whereupon the irate tailor denounced him for being impossible to fit.

Ellmann, James Joyce, 22
... his father's story of Buckley and the Russian General .... Buckley ... was an Irish soldier in the Crimean War who drew a bead on a Russian general, but when he observed his splendid epaulettes and decorations, he could not bring himself to shoot.... He raised his rifle again, but just then the general let down his pants to defecate. The sight of his enemy in so helpless and human a plight was too much for Buckley, who again lowered his gun. But when the general prepared to finish the operation with a piece of grassy turf, Buckley lost all respect for him and fired

Ellmann, James Joyce, 411
He then narrated the story of Buckley; when he came to the piece of turf, Beckett (q.v.) remarked, " Another insult to Ireland."

Ellmann, James Joyce, 411, note
HCE's pub, inn (q.v.), or theatre goes by almost as many names as he does, but it is the "pint of porter place"


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himpself namesakely a foully fallen dissentant from the peripulator, sued towerds Meade-Reid and Lynn-Duff, rubbing the hodden son of a pookal, leaden be light, lather be dry and it be drownd on all the ealsth beside, how the camel and where the
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deiffel or when the finicking or why the funicking, who caused the scaffolding to be first removed you give orders, babeling, were their reidey meade answer when on the cutey (the corespondent) in conflict of evidence drew a kick at witness but (missed) and for whom in the dyfflun's kiddy removed the planks they were wanted, boob.

Bump!
Bothallchoractorschumminaroundgansumuminarumdrumstrumtruminahumptadumpwaultopoofoolooderamaunsturnup!

- Did do a dive, aped one.
- Propellopalombarouter, based two.
- Rutsch is for rutterman ramping his roe, seed three. Where the muddies scrimm ball. Bimbim bimbim. And the maidies scream all. Himhim himhim.

And forthemore let legend go lore of it that mortar scene so cwympty dwympty what a dustydust it razed arboriginally but, luck's leap to the lad at the top of the ladder, so sartor's risorted why the sinner the badder! Ho ho ho hoch! La la la lach! Hillary rillarry gibbous grist to our millery! A pushpull, qq: quiescence, pp: with extravent intervulve coupling. The savest lauf in the world. Paradoxmutose caring, but here in a present booth of Ballaclay, Barthalamou, where their dutchuncler mynhosts and serves
that his sons avoid till they become strong and clever. In the pub, innkeeper and customers spend the hour before closing time, watching two plays (Shem's?) and a musical program on a TV set. This is the set given the father by his determined children (309.13-311.4), certain invaders of Ireland. I take the TV set to be a warning, a challenge, and also a Jacob-like trick, a Trojan horse, Hamlet's mousetrap.

The TV plays are The Norwegian Captain (q.v.), How Buckley (q.v.) Shot the Russian General (311.5-332.9;337.32355.7). These and the music are about the overthrow of the father by, respectively, Shem, Shaun, Issy. Shem takes his father's daughter from him; Shaun shoots him dead; Issy, a moon priestess (like Norma, q.v.), castrates him.

Thereafter - in "real" or not-TV life-HCE's sons come knocking at the door, singing another version of "The Ballad of Persse O'Reilly" (q.v. - see also Tenducci); his daughter comes to say she's off with a young man (370.23373.12). The sons capture HCE, mock, threaten, taunt, try him, beat him up for his sins - compare Falstaff, Socrates (q.q.v.) - (373.13-380.5).

Alone in the pub, HCE plays Roderick O'Connor (q.v.), last native king of Ireland, who was overthrown by the Anglo-Norman invaders. He drinks up the guest's leavings, falls from his throne dead drunk. Anna Livia shelters him after his fall; as the stout ship Nansy Hans, she


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them dram well right for a boors' interior (homereek van hohmryk) that salve that selver is to screen its auntey and has ringround as worldwise eve her sins (pip, pip, pip) willpip futurepip feature apip footloose pastcast with spareshins and flash substittles of noirse-made-earsy from a nephew mind the narrator but give the devil his so long as those sohns of a blitzh call the tuone tuone and thonder alout makes the thurd. Let there be. Due.

- That's all murtagh purtagh but whad ababs his dopter? sissed they who were onetime ungkerls themselves, (when the youthel of his yorn shook the bouchal in his bed) twilled alongside in wiping the rice assatiated with their wetting. The lappel of his size? His ros in sola velnere and he sicckumed of homnis terrars. She wends to scoulas in her slalpers. There were no peanats in her famalgia so no wumble she tumbled for his famas
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roalls davors. Don't him forget! A butcheler artsed out of Cullege Trainity. Diddled he daddle a drop of the cradler on delight mebold laddy was stetched? Knit wear? And they addled, (or ere the cry of their tongues would be uptied dead) Shufflebotham asidled, plus his ducks fore his drills, an inlay of a liddle more lining maught be licensed all at ones, be these same tokens, forgiving a brass rap, sneither a whole length nor a short shift so full as all were concerned

Burniface, shiply efter, shoply after, at an angle of lag, let flow, brabble brabble and brabble, and so hostily, heavyside breathing, came up with them and, check me joule, shot the three tailors, butting back to Moyle herring, bump as beam and buttend, roller and reiter, after the diluv's own deluge, the seasant samped as
> bears him by starlight over the sea to "Nattenlaender" (380.6-382.30). This is a set piece - Death and the Old Man - and it balances Death and the Old Woman (619-628). For old man, old woman, death is going out to sea (q.v.), with dawn lighting up the same church windows (382.11).

> The Norwegian Captain is a comedy of love-intrigue, and I cannot follow the ins and out of the intrigue, much less explain the significance of the ill-fitting suit (suit as clothes - see Peter Jack Martin? suit as courtship?) The story is about a wild pagan sea-rover (all Ireland's Viking invaders) who steals the daughter of an Irish innkeeper, the Ship's Husband (q.v.), from her father and from a rival suitor, Kersse (q.v.) the tailor. By some female stratagem, the captain is reluctantly converted to landlubber, Christian, Irishman, becomes a respectable husband and father. The Ship's Husband reconciles him and Kersse. The captain is hunchbacked, called Humphrey, and the girl is Anne; they recall, therefore, the courtship of HCE and Anna Livia (compare 197, 624.27-30), and the play warns the father (the TV-viewing innkeeper, not the innkeeper in the TV play) that, as he took a daughter, so his daughter will be taken. The marriage of captain and daughter is an outburst of joy, peace, fertility for Ireland.

> How Buckley Shot the Russian General (a rerun of events at Waterloo) has a fabliau feeling, but is also filled


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skibber breezed in, tripping, dripping, threw the sheets in the wind, the tights of his trunks at tickle to tackle and his rubmelucky truss rehorsing the pouffed skirts of his overhawl. He'd left his stickup in his hand to show them none ill feeling. Whatthough for all appentices it had a mushroom on it. While he faced them front to back, Then paraseuls round, quite taken atack, sclaiming, Howe cools Eavybrolly!

- Good marrams, sagd he, freshwatties and boasterdes all, as he put into bierhiven, nogeysokey first, cabootle segund, jilling to windwards, as he made straks for that oerasound the snarsty weg for Publin, so was his horenpipe lug in the lee off their mouths organs, with his tilt too taut for his tammy all a slaunter and his wigger on a wagger with its tag tucked. Up. With a good eastering and a good westering. And he asked from him how the hitch did do this my fand sulkers that mone met the Kidballacks which he suttonly remembered also where the hatch was he endnew strandweys he's that fond sutchenson, a penincular fraimd of mind, fordeed he was langseling to talka holt of hems, clown toff, tye hug fliorten. Cablen: Clifftop. Shelvling tobay oppelong tomeadow. Ware cobbles. Posh.
- Skibbereen has common inn, by pounautique, with pokeway paw, and sadder raven evermore, telled shinshanks lauwering frankish for his kicker who, through the medium of gallic


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- Pukkelsen, tilltold.

That with some our prowed invisors how their ulstravoliance led 2 them infroraids, striking down and landing alow, against our3 aerian insulation resistance, two boards that beached ast one, wid- 4
> with pity and terror for the son who shoots (say he is Brutus or Prince Hal, q.q.v.), for the father who is shot (say he is Julius Caesar or Falstaff, q.q.v.). Freud comes into it too, for Buckley, who kills for the honor of Ireland, also kills a father and the totem ancestor, the uncanny deer, bull, white whale that haunts men's dreams and is even more precious than the trigger finger.

> When Buckley is over, the customers say Buckley was right to shoot and the innkeeper agrees (355.8, 21), thus finding against himself - Guilty, but fellow culprits ... (363.20). And after the fellow culprits, customers, sons, have attacked him, he drinks hemlock and falls from his throne. "All men," Anna Livia says, on another occasion, "have done something. Be the time they've come to the weight of old fletch."

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ness thane and tysk and hanry. Prepatrickularly all, they summed. 5
Kish met. Bound to. And for landlord, noting, nodding, a coast 6
to moor was cause to mear. Besides proof plenty, over proof. 7
While they either took a heft. Or the other swore his eric. Heaved 8
two, spluiced the menbrace. Heirs at you, Brewinbaroon! Weth 9
a whistle for methanks. 10
— Good marrams and good merrymills, sayd good mothers 11
gossip, bobbing his bowing both ways with the bents and skerries, 12
when they were all in the old walled of Kinkincaraborg (and that 13
they did overlive the hot air of Montybunkum upon the coal 14
blasts of Mitropolitos let there meeds be the hourihorn), hibernia- 15
ting after seven oak ages, fearsome where they were he had gone 16
dump in the doomering this tide where the peixies would pickle 17
him down to the button of his seat and his sess old soss Erinly 18
into the boelgein with the help of Divy and Jorum's locquor and 19
shut the door after him to make a rarely fine Ran's cattle of fish. 20
Morya Mortimor! Allapalla overus! Howoft had the ballshee 21
tried! And they laying low for his home gang in that eeriebleak 22
mead, with fireball feast and turkeys tumult and paupers patch 23
to provide his bum end. The foe things your niggerhead needs 24
to be fitten for the Big Water. He made the sign of the ham- 25
mer. God's drought, he sayd, after a few daze, thinking of all 26
those bliakings, how leif pauses! Here you are back on your haw- 27
kins, from Blasil the Brast to our povotogesus portocall, the furt 28
on the turn of the hurdies, slave to trade, vassal of spices and a 29
dragon-the-market, and be turbot, lurch a stripe, as were you 30
soused methought out of the mackerel. Eldsfells! sayd he. A 31
kumpavin on iceslant! Here's open handlegs for one old faulker 32
from the hame folk here in you's booth! So sell me gundy, sagd 33
the now waging cappon, with a warry posthumour's expletion, 34

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shoots ogos shootsle him or where's that slob? A bit bite of 35
keesens, he sagd, til Dennis, for this jantar (and let the dobblins 36

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roast perus,) or a stinger, he sagd, t. d., on a doroughbread ken- 1
nedy's for Patriki San Saki on svo fro or my old relogion's out 2
of tiempor and when I'm soured to the tipple you can sink me 3
lead, he sagd, and, if I get can, sagd he, a pusspull of tomtar- 4
tarum. Thirst because homing hand give. Allkey dallkey, sayd 5
the shop's housebound, for he was as deep as the north star (and 6 could tolk sealer's solder into tankar's tolder) as might have sayd 7
every man to his beast, and a treat for the trading scow, my cater 8
million falls to you and crop feed a stall! Afram. And he got and 9
gave the ekspedient for Hombreyhambrey wilcomer what's the 10
good word. He made the sign on the feaster. Cloth be laid! And 11
a disk of osturs for the swanker! Allahballah! He was the care- 12
lessest man I ever see but he sure had the most sand. One fish- 13
ball with fixings! For a dan of a ven of a fin of a son of a gun of 14
a gombolier. Ekspedient, sayd he, sonnur mine, Shackleton Sul- 15
ten! Opvarts and at ham, or this ogry Osler will oxmaul us all, 16
sayd he, like one familiar to the house, while Waldemar was 17
heeling it and Maldemaer was toeing it, soe syg he was walking 18 from the bowl at his food and the meer crank he was waiting for 19
the tow of his turn. Till they plied him behaste on the fare. Say 20 wehrn! 21

- Nohow did he kersse or hoot alike the suit and solder skins, 22
minded first breachesmaker with considerable way on and 23
- Humpsea dumpsea, the munchantman, secondsnipped cutter 24
the curter. 25


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- A ninth for a ninth. Take my worth from it. And no mistaenk, 26
they thricetold the taler and they knew the whyed for too. The 27
because of his sosuch. Uglymand fit himshemp but throats fill us 28
all! And three's here's for repeat of the unium! Place the scaurs 29
wore on your groot big bailey bill, he apullajibed, the O'Colonel 30
Power, latterly distented from the O'Conner Dan, so promonitory 31
himself that he was obliffious of the headth of hosth that rosed 32
before him, from Sheeroskouro, under its zembliance of mardal 33
mansk, like a dun darting dullemitter, with his moultain haares 34
stuck in plostures upon it, (do you kend yon peak with its coast so 35
green?) still trystfully acape for her his gragh knew well in pre- 36
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cious memory and that proud grace to her, in gait a movely water, 1
of smile a coolsome cup, with that rarefied air of a Montmalency 2
and her quick little breaths and her climbing colour. Take thee 3
live will save thee wive? I'll think uplon, lilady. Should anerous 4
enthroproise call homovirtue, duinnafear! The ghem's to the 5
ghoom be she nere zo zma. Obsit nemon! Floodlift, her ancient 6
of rights regaining, so yester yidd, even remembrance. And 7
greater grown then in the trifle of her days, a mouse, a mere 8
tittle, trots off with the whole panoromacron picture. Her young- 9
free yoke stilling his wandercursus, jilt the spin of a curl and jolt 10
the broadth of a buoy. The Annexandreian captive conquest. 11
Ethna Prettyplume, Hooghly Spaight. Him her first lap, her his 12
fast pal, for ditcher for plower, till deltas twoport. While this 13
glowworld's lump is gloaming off and han in hende will grow. 14
Through simpling years where the lowcasts have aten of amilikan 15


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honey and datish fruits and a bannock of barley on Tham the 16
Thatcher's palm. O wanderness be wondernest and now! Listen- 17
eath to me, veils of Mina! He would withsay, nepertheloss, that 18
is too me mean. I oldways did me walsh and preechup ere we set 19
to sope and fash. Now eats the vintner over these contents oft 20
with his sad slow munch for backonham. Yet never shet it the 21
brood of aurowoch, not for legions of donours of Gamuels. I 22
have performed the law in truth for the lord of the law, Taif 23
Alif I have held out my hand for the holder of my heart in Anna- 24
polis, my youthrib city. Be ye then my protectors unto Mussa- 25
botomia before the guards of the city. Theirs theres is a gentle- 26
meants agreement. Womensch plodge. To slope through heather 27
till the foot. Join Andersoon and Co. If the flowers of speech 28
valed the springs of me rising the hiker I hilltapped the murk I 29
mist my blezzard way. Not a knocker on his head nor a nick- 30
number on the manyoumeant. With that coldtbrundt natteldster 31
wefting stinks from Alpyssinia, wooving nihilnulls from Memo- 32
land and wolving the ulvertones of the voice. But his spectrem 33
onlymergeant crested from the irised sea in plight, calvitousness, 34
loss, nngnr, gliddinyss, unwill and snorth. It might have been 35
what you call your change of my life but there's the chance of a 36

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night for my lifting. Hillyhollow, valleylow! With the sounds 1
and the scents in the morning. 2

- I shot be shoddied, throttle me, fine me cowheel for ever, 3
usquebauched the ersewild aleconner, for bringing briars to Bem- 4
bracken and ringing rinbus round Demetrius for, as you wrinkle 5
wryghtly, bully bluedomer, it's a suirsite's stircus haunting hes- 6
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teries round old volcanoes. We gin too gnir and thus plinary
indulgence makes collemullas of us all. But Time is for talerman 8
tasting his tap. Tiptoptap, Mister Maut. 9
He made one summery (Cholk and murble in lonestime) of his 10
the three swallows like he was muzzling Moselems and torched 11
up as the faery pangeant fluwed down the hisophenguts, a slake 12
for the quicklining, to the tickle of his tube and the twobble of 13
his fable, O, fibbing once upon a spray what a queer and queasy 14
spree it was. Plumped. 15
Which both did. Prompt. Eh, chrystal holder? Save Ampster- 16
dampster that had rheumaniscences in his netherlumbs. 17

- By the drope in his groin, Ali Slupa, thinks the cappon, 18
plumbing his liners, we were heretofore. 19
- And be the coop of his gobbos, Reacher the Thaurd, thinks 20
your girth fatter, apopo of his buckseaseilers, but where's Horace's 21
courtin troopsers?
- I put hem behind the oasthouse, sagd Pukkelsen, tuning
wound on the teller, appeased to the cue, that double dyode
dealered, and he's wallowing awash swill of the Tarra water. And 25
it marinned down his gargantast trombsathletic like the marousers of 26
the gulpstroom. The kersse of Wolafs on him, shitateyar, he sagd in 27
the fornicular, and, at weare or not at weare, I'm sigen no stretcher, 28
for I carsed his murhersson goat in trotthers with them newbuckle- 29
noosers behigh in the fire behame in the oasthouse. Hops! sagd he. 30
— Smoke and coke choke! lauffed till the tear trickled drown a 31
thigh the loafers all but a sheep's whosepants that swished to the 32
lord he hadn't and the starer his story was talled to who felt that, 33
the fierifornax being thurst on him motophosically, as Omar 34
sometime notes, such a satuation, debauchly to be watched for, 35都121415161820212223426282931
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would empty dempty him down to the ground. 36

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- And hopy tope! sagd he, anded the enderer, now dyply
hypnotised or hopeseys doper himself. And kersse him, sagd he, 2
after inunder tarrapoulling, and the shines he cuts, shinar, the 3 screeder, the stitchimesnider, adepted to nosestorsioms in his 4 budinholder, cummanisht, sagd he, (fouyoufoukou!) which goes 5 in the ways smooking publics, sagd he, bomboosting to be in 6 thelitest civille row faction for a dubblebrasterd navvygaiterd, 7
(flick off that hvide aske, big head!) sagd he, the big bag of my hamd till hem, tollerloon, sagd he, with his pudny bun brofkost when he walts meet the bangd. I will put his fleas of wood in the8
10
flour, and he sagd, behunt on the oatshus, the not wellmade one, 11
sagd he, the kersse of my armsore appal this most unmentionablest $\quad 12$ of men (mundering eeriesk, if he didn't scalded him all the
shimps names in his gitter!) a coathemmed gusset sewer, sagd he, 14
his first cudgin is an innvalet in the unitred stables which is not 15
feed tonights a kirtle offal fisk and he is that woe worstered 16
wastended shootmaker whatever poked a noodle in a clouth! 17
So for the second tryon all the meeting of the acarras had it. 18
How he hised his bungle oar his shourter and cut the pinter off his 19
pourer and lay off for Fellagulphia in the farning. From his 20
dhruimadhreamdhrue back to Brighten-pon-the-Baltic, from our 21
lund's rund turs bag til threathy hoeres a wuke. Ugh! 22
— Stuff, Taaffe, stuff! interjoked it his wife's hopesend to the 23
boath of them consistently. Come back to May Aileen. 24
- Ild luck to it! blastfumed the nowraging scamptail, in flating 25
furies outs trews his cammelskins, the flashlight of his ire wacker- 26
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ing from the eyewinker on his masttop. And aye far he fared from 27
Afferik Arena and yea near he night till Blawland Bearring, 28
baken be the brazen sun, buttered be the snows. And the sea 29
shoaled and the saw squalled. And, soaking scupper, didn't he 30
drain
31
A pause. 32
Infernal machinery (serial number: Bullysacre, dig care a dig) 33
having thus passed the buck to billy back from jack (finder the 34
keeper) as the baffling yarn sailed in circles it was now high tide 35
for the reminding pair of snipers to be suitably punished till they 36

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had, like the pervious oelkenner done, liquorally no more powers 1
to their elbow. Ignorinsers' bliss, therefore, their not to say rifle 2
butt target, none too wisefolly, poor fish, (he is eating, he is spun, 3
is milked, he dives) upholding a lampthorne of lawstift as wand 4
of welcome to all men in bonafay, (and the corollas he so has 5
saved gainsts the virus he has thus injected!) discoastedself to that 6
kipsie point of its Dublin bar there, breaking and entering, from the 7
outback's dead heart, Glasthule Bourne or Boehernapark Nolagh, 8
by wattsismade or bianconi, astraylians in island, a wellknown 9
tall hat blown in between houses by a nightcap of that silk or it 10
might be a black velvet and a kiber galler dragging his hunker, 11
were signalling gael warnings towards Wazwollenzee Haven to 12
give them their beerings, east circular route or elegant central 13
highway. Open, 'tis luck will have it! Lifeboat Alloe, Noeman's 14
Woe, Hircups Emptybolly! With winkles whelks and cocklesent 15
jelks. Let be buttercup eve lit by night in the Phoenix! Music. 16
And old lotts have funn at Flammagen's ball. Till Irinwakes from 17

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Slumber Deep. How they succeeded by courting daylight in 18
saving darkness he who loves will see. 19
Business. His bestness. Copeman helpen. 20
Contrescene. 21
He cupped his years to catch me's to you in what's yours as 22
minest to hissent, giel as gail, geil as gaul, Odorozone, now our- 23
menial servent, blanding rum, milk and toddy with I hand it
to you. Saying whiches, see his bow on the hapence, with a pat- 25
24
tedyr but digit here, he scooped the hens, hounds and horses 26
biddy by bunny, with an arc of his covethand, saved from the 27
drohnings they might oncounter, untill his cubid long, to hide in 28
dry. Aside. Your sows tin the topple, dodgers, trink me dregs! 29
Zoot! 30
And with the gust of a spring alice the fossickers and swaggelers 31
with him on the hoof from down under piked forth desert roses in 32
that mulligar scrub.
Reenter Ashe Junior. Peiwei toptip, nankeen pontdelounges. 34
Gives fair day. Cheroot. Cheevio! 35
Off.

- Take off thatch whitehat (lo, Kersse come in back bespoking 1 of loungeon off the Boildawl stuumplecheats for rushirishis Irush- 2
lrish, dangieling his old Conan over his top gallant shouldier so 3
was, lao yiu shao, he's like more look a novicer on the nevay). 4
- Tick off that whilehot, you scum of a botch, (of Kersse who, 5
as he turned out, alas, hwen ching hwan chang, had been mocking 6
his hollaballoon a sample of the costume of the country). 7
- Tape oaf that saw foull and sew wrong, welsher, you suck of 8



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a thick, stock and the udder, and confiteor yourself (for bekersse 9
he had cuttered up and misfutthered in the most multiplest 10
manner for that poor old bridge's masthard slouch a shook of 11
cloakses the wise, hou he pouly hung hoang tseu, his own fitther 12
couldn't nose him). 13
Chorus: With his coate so graye. And his pounds that he 14
pawned from the burning. 15

- And, haikon or hurlin, who did you do at doyle today, my 16
horsey dorksey gentryman. Serge Mee, suit! sazd he, tersey ker- 17
sey. And when Tersse had sazd this Kersse stood them the whole 18
koursse of training how the whole blazy raze acurraghed, from 19
lambkinsback to sliving board and from spark to phoenish. And 20
he tassed him tartly and he sassed him smartly, tig for tager, strop 21
for stripe, as long as there's a lyasher on a kyat. And they peered 22
him beheld on the pyre.23
And it was so. Behold. ..... 24
- Same capman no nothing horces two feller he feller go ..... 25
where. Isn't that effect? gig for gag, asked there three newcom- ..... 26
mers till knockingshop at the ones upon a topers who, while in ..... 27
admittance to that impedance, as three as they were there, they had ..... 28
been malttreating themselves to their health's contempt. ..... 29
- That's fag for fig, metinkus, confessed, mhos for mhos, those ..... 30
who, would it not be for that dielectrick, were upon the point of ..... 31
obsoletion, and at the brink of from the pillary of the Nilsens and ..... 32
from the statutes of the Kongbullies and from the millestones of ..... 33
Ovlergroamlius libitate nos, Domnial! ..... 34
- And so culp me goose, he sazd, szed the ham muncipated of ..... 35
the first course, recoursing, all cholers and coughs with his beauw ..... 36


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on the bummell, the bugganeering wanderducken, he sazd, (that 1 his pumps may ship awhoyle shandymound of the dussard), the 2 coarsehair highsaydighsayman, there's nice tugs he looks, (how you was, Ship Alouset?) he sazd, the bloedaxe bloodooth baltxebec , that is crupping into our raw lenguage navel through the lumbsmall of his hawsehole, he sazd, donconfounder him, voyag- 6 ing after maidens, belly jonah hunting the polly joans, and the 7 hurss of all portnoysers befaddle him, he sazd, till I split in his flags, 8 he sazd, one to one, the landslewder, after Donnerbruch fire.9
Reefer was a wenchman. One can smell off his wetsments how he ..... 10
is coming from a beach of promisck. Where is that old muttiny, ..... 11
shall I ask? Free kicks he will have from me, turncoats, in Bar ..... 12
Bartley if I wars a fewd years ago. Meistr Capteen Gaascooker, a ..... 13
salestrimmer! As he was soampling me ledder, like pulp, and as ..... 14
I was trailing his fumbelums, like hulp, he'll fell the fall of me ..... 15
faus, he sazd, like yulp! The goragorridgorballyed pushkalsson, ..... 16
he sazd, with his bellows pockets fulled of potchtatos and his fox ..... 17
in a stomach, a disagrees to his ramskew coddlelecherskithers' ..... 18
zirkuvs, drop down dead and deaf, and there is never a teilwrmans ..... 19
in the feof fife of Iseland or in the wholeabelongd of Skunkinabory ..... 20
from Drumadunderry till the rumnants of Mecckrass, could milk ..... 21
a colt in thrushes foran furrow follower width that a hole in his ..... 22
tale and that hell of a hull of a hill of a camelump bakk. Fadgest- ..... 23fudgist!
Upon this dry call of selenium cell (that horn of lunghalloon ..... 25
Riland's in peril!) with its doomed crack of the old damn ukonnen ..... 26
power insound in it the lord of the saloom, as if for a flash sala- ..... 27
magunnded himself, listed his tummelumpsk pack and hearinat ..... 28
presently returned him, ambilaterally alleyeoneyesed, from their ..... 29

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uppletoned layir to his beforetime guests, that bunch of palers on 30
their round, timemarching and petrolling how, who if they were 31 abound to loose a laugh (Toni Lampi, you booraascal!) they were 32 abooned to let it as the leashed they might do when they felt ( O , 33 the wolf he's on the walk, sees his sham cram bokk!) their joke 34 was coming home to them, the steerage way for stabling, ghus- 35 torily spoeking, gen and gang, dane and dare, like the dud spuk 36

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of his first foetotype (Trolldedroll, how vary and likely!), the filli- 1
bustered, the fully bellied. With the old sit in his shoulders, and 2
the new satin atlas onder his uxter, erning his breadth to the swelt 3
of his proud and, picking up the emberose of the lizod lights, his 4
tail toiled of spume and spawn, and the bulk of him, and hulk of 5
him as whenever it was he reddled a ruad to riddle a rede from the 6
sphinxish pairc while Ede was a guardin, ere love a side issue. 7
They hailed him cheeringly, their encient, the murrainer, and 8
wallruse, the merman, ye seal that lubs you lassers, Thallasee or 9
Tullafilmagh, when come of uniform age. 10

- Heave, coves, emptybloddy! 11

And ere he could catch or hook or line to suit their saussyskins, 12
the lumpenpack. Underbund was overraskelled. As 13

- Sot! sod the tailors opsits from their gabbalots, change all 14
that whole set. Shut down and shet up. Our set, our set's 15
allohn. 16
And they poured em behoiled on the fire. Scaald! 17
Rowdiose wodhalooing. Theirs is one lessonless missage for 18
good and truesirs. Will any persen bereaved to be passent bring- 19
back or rumpart to the Hoved politymester. Clontarf, one love, 20
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one fear. Ellers for the greeter glossary of code, callen hom: 21
Finucane-Lee, Finucane-Law. 22
Am. Dg. 23
Welter focussed. 24
Wind from the nordth. Warmer towards muffinbell, Lull. 25
As our revelant Colunnfiller predicted in last mount's chattiry 26
sermon, the allexpected depression over Schiumdinebbia, a bygger 27
muster of veirying precipitation and haralded by faugh sicknells, 28
(hear kokkenhovens ekstras!) and umwalloped in an unusuable 29
suite of clouds, having filthered through the middelhav of the 30
same gorgers' kennel on its wage wealthwards and incursioned a 31
sotten retch of low pleasure, missed in some parts but with lucal 32
drizzles, the outlook for tomarry (Streamstress Mandig) beamed 33
brider, his ability good.
What hopends to they? 35
Giant crash in Aden. Birdflights confirm abbroaching nub- 36

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tials. Burial of Lifetenant-Groevener Hatchett, R.I.D. Devine's 1
Previdence. 2
Ls. De. 3
Art thou gainous sense uncompetite! Limited. Anna Lynchya 4
Pourable! One and eleven. United We Stand, even many offered. 5
Don't forget. I wish auspicable thievesdayte for the stork dyrby. 6
It will be a thousand's a won paddies. And soon to bet. On drums 7
of bliss. With hapsalap troth, hipsalewd prudity, hopesalot hon- 8
nessy, hoopsaloop luck. After when from midnights unwards the 9
fourposter harp quartetto. (Kiskiviikko, Kalastus. Torstaj, tanssia. 10


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Perjantaj, peleja. Lavantaj ja Sunnuntaj, christianismus kirjallisuus, 11
kirjallisuus christianismus.) Whilesd this pellover his finnisch. 12

- Comither, ahorace, thou mighty man of valour, elderman 13
adaptive of Capel Ysnod, and tsay-fong tsei-foun a laun bricks- 14
number till I've fined you a faulter-in-law, to become your son- 15
to-be, gentlemens tealer, generalman seelord, gosse and bosse, 16
hunguest and horasa, jonjemsums both, in sailsmanship, szed the 17
head marines talebearer, then sayd the ships gospfather in the scat 18
story to the husband's capture and either you does or he musts 19
and this moment same, sayd he, so let laid pacts be being betving 20 ye, he sayd, by my main makeshift, he sayd, one fisk and one flesk, 21 as flat as, Aestmand Addmundson you, you're iron slides and so 22 hompety domp as Paddley Mac Namara here he's a hardy canooter, 23 for the two breasts of Banba are her soilers and her toilers, if thou 24 wilt serve Idyall as thou hast sayld. Brothers Boathes, brothers 25 Coathes, ye have swallen blooders' oathes. And Gophar sayd unto 26 Glideon and sayd he to the nowedding captain, the rude hunner- 27 able Humphrey, who was praying god of clothildies by the seven 28 bosses of his trunktarge he would save bucklesome when she 29 wooed belove on him, comeether, sayd he, my merrytime mare- 30 lupe, you wutan whaal, sayd he, into the shipfolds of our quad- 31 rupede island, bless madhugh, mardyk, luusk and cong! Blass 32 Neddos bray! And no more of your maimed acts after this with 33 your kowtoros and criados to every tome, thick and heavy, and 34 our onliness of his revelance to your ultitude. The illfollowable 35 staying in wait for you with the winning word put into his mouth 36

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or be the hooley tabell, as Horrocks Toler hath most cares to call 1

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it, I'll rehearse your comeundermends and first mardhyr you en- 2
tirely. As puck as that Paddeus picked the pun and left the lollies 3
off the foiled. A Trinity judge will crux your boom. Pat is the 4
man for thy. Ay ay! And he pured him beheild of the ouishguss, 5
mingling a sign of the cruisk. I popetithes thee, Ocean, sayd he, 6
Oscarvaughther, sayd he, Erievikkingr, sayd he, intra trifum
triforium trifoliorum, sayd he, onconditionally, forfor furst of giel- 8
gaulgalls and hero chief explunderer of the clansakiltic, sayd he, 9
the streameress mastress to the sea aase cuddycoalman's and let 10
this douche for you as a wholly apuzzler's and for all the puk- 11
kaleens to the wakes of you, sayd he, out of the hellsinky of the 12
howtheners and be danned to ye, sayd he, into our roomyo con- 13
nellic relation, sayd he, from which our this pledge is given, Tera 14
truly ternatrine if not son towards thousand like expect chrisan 15
athems to which I osker your godhsbattaring, saelir, for as you 16
gott kvold whereafter a gooden diggin and with gooder enscure 17
from osion buck fared agen fairioes feuded hailsohame til Edar 18
in that the loyd mave hercy on your sael! Anomyn and awer. 19
Spickinusand. 20

- Nansense, you snorsted? he was haltid considerable agenst 21
all religions overtrow so hworefore the thokkurs pokker the big- 22
bug miklamanded storstore exploder would he be whulesalesolde 23
daadooped by Priest Gudfodren of the sacredhaunt suit in
24
Diaeblen-Balkley at Domnkirk Saint Petricksburg? But ear this: 25
— And here, aaherra, my rere admirable peadar poulsen, sayd 26
he, consistently, to the secondnamed sutor, my lately lamented 27
sponsorship, comesend round that wine and lift your horn, sayd 28
he, to show you're a skolar for, winter you likes or not, we 29
brought your summer with us and, tomkin about your lief eurek- 30
ason and his undishcovery of americle, be the rolling forties, he 31

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sayd, and on my sopper crappidamn, as Harris himself says, to let 32
you in on some crismion dottrin, here is the ninethest pork of a man 33
whisk swimmies in Dybblin water from Ballscodden easthmost 34
till Thyrston's Lickslip and, sayd he, (whiles the heart of Lukky 35
Swayn slaughed in his icebox for to think of all the soorts of 36

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smukklers he would behave in juteyfrieze being forelooper to her) 1
praties peel to our goodsend Brandonius, filius of a Cara, spouse 2
to Fynlogue, he has the nicesth pert of a nittlewoman in the 3
house, la chito, la chato, la Charmadouiro, Tina-bat-Talur, cif for 4
your fob and a tesura astore for you, eslucylamp aswhen the surge 5
seas sombren, that he daughts upon of anny livving plusquebelle, 6
to child and foster, that's the lippeyear's wonder of Totty go, 7
Newschool, two titty too at win winnie won, tramity trimming and 8
funnity fare, with a grit as hard as the trent of the thimes but a 9
touch as saft as the dee in flooing and never a Hyderow Jenny the 10
like of her lightness at look and you leap, rheadoromanscing long 11
evmans invairn, about little Anny Roners and all the Lavinias of 12
ester yours and pleding for them to herself in the periglus glatsch 13
hangs over her trickle bed, it's a piz of fortune if it never falls from 14
the stuffel, and, when that mallaura's over till next time and all the 15 prim rossies are out dressparading and the tubas tout tout for the 16 glowru of their god, making every Dinny dingle after her down 17
the Dargul dale and (wait awhile, blusterbuss, you're marchadant 18
too forte and don't start furlan your ladins till you' ve learned the 19
lie of her landuage!), when it's summwer calding and she can hear 20
the pianutunar beyant the bayondes in Combria sleepytalking to 21
the Wiltsh muntons, titting out through her droemer window 22
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for the flyend of a touchman over the wishtas of English Strand, ..... 23
when Kilbarrack bell pings saksalaisance that Concessas with ..... 24
Sinbads may (pong!), where our dollimonde sees the phantom ..... 25
shape of Mr Fortunatus Wright since winksome Miss Bulkeley ..... 26
made loe to her wrecker and he took her to be a rover, O , and ..... 27
playing house of ivary dower of gould and gift you soil me ..... 28
peepat my prize, which its a blue loogoont for her in a bleakeyed ..... 29
seusan if she can't work her mireiclles and give Norgeyborgey ..... 30
good airish timers, while her fresh racy turf is kindly kindling up ..... 31
the lovver with the flu, with a roaryboaryellas would set an Ei- ..... 32
weddyng on fire, let aloon an old Humpopolamos with the boomar- ..... 33
poorter on his brain, aiden bay scye and dye, aasbukividdy, ..... 34
twentynine to her dozen and coocoo him didulceydovely to his ..... 35
old cawcaws huggin and munin for his strict privatear which ..... 36
FW328
there's no pure rube like an ool pool roober when your pullar ..... 1
beer turns out Bruin O'Luinn and beat his barge into a battering ..... 2
pram with her wattling way for cubblin and, be me fairy fay, sayd ..... 3
he, the marriage mixter, to Kersse, Son of Joe Ashe, her coax- ..... 4
fonder, wiry eyes and winky hair, timkin abeat your Andraws ..... 5
Meltons and his lovsang of the short and shifty, I will turn my ..... 6
thinks to things alove and I will speak but threes ones, sayd he, ..... 7
my truest patrions good founter, poles a port and zones asunder, ..... 8
tie up in hates and repeat at luxure, you can better your tooblue ..... 9
prodestind arson, tyler bach, after roundsabouts and donochs and ..... 10
the volumed smoke, though the clonk in his stumble strikes warn, ..... 11
and were he laid out on that counter there like a Slavocrates ..... 12
amongst his skippies, when it comes to the ride onerable, sayd he, ..... 13

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that's to make plain Nanny Ni Sheeres a full Dinamarqueza, and 14
all needed for the lay, from the hursey on the montey with the 15
room in herberge down to forkpiece and bucklecatch, (Elding, 16
my elding! and Lif, my lif!) in the pravacy of the pirmanocturne, 17
hap, sayd he, at that meet hour of night, and hop, sayd he, and the 18
fyrsty annas everso thried (whiles the breath of Huppy Hulles- 19
pond swumped in his seachest for to renumber all the mallyme- 20
dears' long roll and call of sweetheart emmas that every had a 21
port in from Coxenhagen till the brottels on the Nile), while
taylight is yet slipping under their pillow, (ill omens on Kitty
Cole if she's spilling laddy's measure!) and before Sing Mattins in the Fields, ringsengd ringsengd, bings Heri the Concorant Erho,
and the Referinn Fuchs Gutmann gives us I'll Bell the Welled or
The Steeplepoy's Revanger and all Thingavalley knows for its
never dawn in the dark but the deed comes to life, and raptist bride
is aptist breed (tha lassy! tha lassy!), and, to buoy the hoop
brace to doll the dallydandle, our fiery quean, upon the night of 31
the things of the night of the making to stand up the double 32
tet of the oversear of the seize who cometh from the mighty 33
deep and on the night of making Horuse to crihumph over his 34
enemy, be the help of me cope as so pluse the riches of the roed- 35
shields, with Elizabeliza blessing the bedpain, at the willbedone 36

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of Yinko Jinko Randy, come Bastabasco and hippychip eggs, she 1
will make a suomease pair and singlette, jodhpur smalls and tailor- 2
less, a copener's cribful, leaf, bud and berry, the divlin's own little 3
mimmykin puss, (hip, hip, horatia!) for my old comrhade salty- 4
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mar here, Briganteen General Sir A. I. Magnus, the flapper- 5
nooser, master of the good lifebark Ulivengrene of Onslought, 6 and the homespund of her hearth, (Fuss his farther was the norse 7
norse east and Muss his mother was a gluepot) and, gravydock or 8
groovy anker, and a hulldread pursunk manowhood, who (with 9
a chenchen for his delight time and a bonzeye nappin through his 10
doze) he is the bettest bluffy blondblubber of an olewidgeon what 11 overspat a skettle in a skib.12
Cawcaught. Coocaged. ..... 13
And Dub did glow that night. In Fingal of victories. Cann- ..... 14
matha and Cathlin sang together. And the three shouters of ..... 15
glory. Yelling halfviewed their harps. Surly Tuhal smiled upon ..... 16
drear Darthoola: and Roscranna's bolgaboyo begirlified the ..... 17
daughter of Cormac. The soul of everyelsesbody rolled into its ..... 18
olesoleself. A doublemonth's licence, lease on mirth, while hooney- ..... 19
moon and her flame went huneysuckling. Holyryssia, what boom ..... 20
of bells! What battle of bragues on Sandgate where met the bobby ..... 21
mobbed his bibby mabbing through the ryce. Even Tombs left ..... 22
doss and dunnage down in Demidoff's tomb and drew on the ..... 23
dournailed clogs that Morty Manning left him and legged in by ..... 24
Ghoststown Gate, like Pompei up to date, with a sprig of White- ..... 25
boys heather on his late Luke Elcock's heirloom. And some say ..... 26
they seen old dummydeaf with a leaf of bronze on his cloak ..... 27
so grey, trooping his colour a pace to the reire. And as owfally ..... 28
posh with his halfcrown jool as if he was the Granjook Meckl or ..... 29
Paster de Grace on the Route de l'Epée. It was joobileejeu that ..... 30
All Sorts' Jour. Freestouters and publicranks, hafts on glaives ..... 31
You could hear them swearing threaties on the Cymylaya ..... 32
Mountains, man. And giving it out to the Ould Fathach and louth- ..... 33
mouthing after the Healy Mealy with an enfysis to bring down ..... 34

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the rain of Tarar. Nevertoletta! Evertomind! The grandest 35
bethehailey seen or heard on earth's conspectrum since Scape 36
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the Goat, that gafr, ate the Suenders bible. Hadn't we heaven's 1
lamps to hide us? Yet every lane had its lively spark and every 2
spark had its several spurtles and each spitfire spurtle had some 3
trick of her trade, a tease for Ned, nook's nestle for Fred and 4
a peep at me mow for Peer Pol. So that Father Matt Hughes 5
looked taytotally threbled. But Danno the Dane grimmed. Dune. 6
'Twere yeg will elsecare doatty lanv meet they dewscent hyemn 7
to cannons' roar and rifles' peal vill shantey soloweys sang! For 8
there were no more Tyrrhanees and for Laxembraghs was pass- 9
thecupper to Our Lader's. And it was dim upon the floods only 10
and there was day on all the ground. 11
Thus street spins legends while wharves woves tales but some 12
family fewd felt a nick in their name. Old Vickers sate down on 13
their airs and straightened the points of their lace. Red Rowleys 14
popped out of their lairs and asked what was wrong with the 15
race. Mick na Murrough used dripping in layers to shave 16
all the furze off his face. The Burke-Lees and Coyle-Finns 17
paid full feines for their sinns when the Cap and Miss Coolie 18
were roped. 19
Rolloraped. 20
With her banbax hoist from holder, zig for zag through pool 21
and polder, cheap, cheap, cheap and Laughing Jack, all augurs 22
scorenning, see the Bolche your pictures motion and Kitzy 23
Kleinsuessmein eloping for that holm in Finn's Hotel Fiord, 24
Nova Norening. Where they pulled down the kuddle and they 25

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made fray and if thee don't look homey, well, that Dook can eye 26 Mae 27
He goat a berth. And she cot a manege. And wohl's gorse 28
mundom ganna wedst.
29
Knock knock. War's where! Which war? The Twwinns. 30
Knock knock. Woos without! Without what? An apple. Knock 31
knock. 32
The kilder massed, one then and uhindred, (harefoot, birdy- 33
hands, herringabone, beesknees), and they barneydansked a 34
kathareen round to know the who and to show the howsome. 35
Why was you hiding, moder of moders? And where was hunty, 36

## FW331

poppa the gun? Pointing up to skyless heaven like the spoon out 1
of sergeantmajor's tay. Which was the worst of them phaymix 2
cupplerts? $\mathrm{He}^{\prime}$ s herd of hoarding and her faiths is altared. Becom- 3
ing ungoing, their seeming sames for though that liamstone 4
deaf do his part there's a windtreetop whipples the damp off the 5
mourning. But tellusit allasif wellasits end. And the lunger it 6
takes the swooner they tumble two. He knows he's just thrilling 7
and she's sure she'd squeam. The threelegged man and the tulip- 8
pied dewydress. Lludd hillmythey, we're brimming to hear! The 9
durst he did and the first she ever? Peganeen Bushe, this isn't the 10
polkar, catch as you cancan when high land fling! And you Tim 11
Tommy Melooney, I'll tittle your barents if you stick that pigpin 12
upinto meh! 13
So in the names of the balder and of the sol and of the holli- 14
chrost, ogsowearit, trisexnone, and by way of letting the aandt 15

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out of her grosskropper and leading the mokes home by their 16 gribes, whoopsabout a plabbaside of plobbicides, alamam alemon, 17 poison kerls, on this mounden of Delude, and in the high places 18 of Delude of Isreal, which is Haraharem and the diublin's owld 19 mounden over against Vikens, from your tarns, thwaites and 20
thorpes, withes, tofts and fosses, fells, haughs and shaws, lunds, 21
garths and dales, mensuring the megnominous as so will is the 22
littleyest, the myrioheartzed with toroidal coil, eira area round 23
wantanajocky, fin above wave after duckydowndivvy, trader arm 24
aslung beauty belt, the formor velican and nana karlikeevna, 25
sommerlad and cinderenda, Valtivar and Viv, how Big Bil Brine 26
Borumoter first took his gage at lil lolly lavvander waader since 27
when capriole legs covets limbs of a crane and was it the twylyd 28
or the mounth of the yare or the feint of her smell made the seo- 29
men assalt of her (in imageascene all: whimwhim whimwhim). 30
To the laetification of disgeneration by neuhumorisation of our 31
kristianiasation. As the last liar in the earth begeylywayled the 32
first lady of the forest. Though Toot's pardoosled sauve l'hum- 33
mour! For the joy of the dew on the flower of the fleets on the 34
fields of the foam of the waves of the seas of the wild main from 35
Borneholm has jest come to crown. 36

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Snip snap snoody. Noo err historyend goody. Of a lil trip 1
trap and a big treeskooner for he put off the ketyl and they 2
made three (for fie!) and if hec dont love alpy then lad you 3
annoy me. For hanigen with hunigen still haunt ahunt to finnd 4
their hinnigen where Pappappapparrassannuaragheallachnatull- 5


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aghmonganmacmacmacwhackfalltherdebblenonthedubblandadd- 6
ydoodled and anruly person creeked a jest. Gestapose to parry 7
off cheekars or frankfurters on the odor. Fine again, Cuoholson! 8
Peace, O wiley!

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We want Bud. We want Bud Budderly. We want Bud Budderly 32
boddily. There he is in his Borrisalooner. The man that shunned 33 the rucks on Gereland. The man thut won the bettlle of the 34 bawll. Order, order, order, order! And tough. We call on Tan- 35 cred Artaxerxes Flavin to compeer with Barnabas Ulick Dunne. 36

## FW338

Order, order, order! Milster Malster in the chair. We've heard it 1 sinse sung thousandtimes. How Burghley shuck the rackushant 2 Germanon. For Ehren, boys, gobrawl!

A public plouse. Citizen soldiers. 4
TAFF (a smart boy, of the peat freers, thirty two eleven, looking 5
through the roof towards a relevution of the karmalife order privious 6
to his hoisting of an emergency umberolum in byway of paraguastical 7 solation to the rhyttel in his hedd). All was flashing and krashning 8 blurty moriartsky blutcherudd? What see, buttywalch? Tell ever 9

## SkeletonKey Summary

Story to be discussed separately in a forthcoming volume.

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BOOK II, section iii (309-382) "Scene in the Pub" ... McCann's (q.v.) story, told to John Joyce (q.v.), of a hunchbacked Norwegian captain who ordered a suit from a Dublin tailor, J. H. Kerse of 34 Upper Sackville Street. The finished suit did not fit him, and the captain berated the tailor for being unable to sew, whereupon the irate tailor denounced him for being impossible to fit.
Ellmann, James Joyce, 22

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so often? ..... 10
BUTT (mottledged youth, clergical appealance, who, as his pied ..... 11
friar, is supposing to motto the sorry dejester in tifftaff toffiness or ..... 12
to be digarced from ever and a daye in his accounts). But da. But ..... 13
dada, mwilshsuni. Till even so aften. Sea vaast a pool! ..... 14
TAFF (porumptly helping himself out by the cesspull with a yellup ..... 15
yurrup, puts up his furry furzed hare). Butly bitly! Humme to our ..... 16
mounthings. Conscribe him tillusk, unt, in his jubalant tubalence, ..... 17
the groundsapper, with his soilday site out on his moulday side ..... 18
in. The gubernier-gerenal in laut-lievtonant of Baltiskeeamore, ..... 19
amaltheouse for leporty hole! Endues paramilintary langdwage. ..... 20
The saillils of the yellavs nocadont palignol urdlesh. Shelltoss ..... 21and welltass and telltuss aghom! Sling Stranaslang, how Malo- 22razzias spikes her, coining a speak a spake! Not the Setanik stuffthat slimed soft Siranouche! The goot old gunshop monowardsfor manosymples. Tincurs tammit! They did oak hay doe fouChang-il-meng when that man d'airain was big top tom saw tipside bum boss pageantfiller. Ajaculate! All lea light! Rassamblethe glowrings of Bruyant the Bref when the Mollies Makehal-pence took his leg for his thumb. And may he be too an intrepida-tion of our dreams which we foregot at wiking when the momhath razed out limpalove and the bleakfrost chilled our ravery!Pook. Sing ching lew mang! Upgo, bobbycop! Lets hear inremember the braise of. Hold!BUTT (drawling forth from his blousom whereis meditabound of34
his minkerstary, switches on his gorsecopper's fling weitoheito lang- ..... 35
thorn, fed up the grain oils of Aerin, while his laugh neighs banck as ..... 36
... his father's story of Buckley and the Russian General .... Buckley ... was an Irish soldier in the Crimean War who drew a bead on a Russian general, but when he observed his splendid epaulettes and decorations, he could not bring himself to shoot.... He raised his rifle again, but just then the general let down his pants to defecate. The sight of his enemy in so helpless and human a plight was too much for Buckley, who again lowered his gun. But when the general prepared to finish the operation with a piece of grassy turf, Buckley lost all respect for him and fired.
Ellmann, James Joyce, 411
He then narrated the story of Buckley; when he came to the piece of turf, Beckett (q.v.) remarked, "Another insult to Ireland."
Ellmann, James Joyce, 411, note
HCE's pub, inn (q.v.), or theatre goes by almost as many names as he does, but it is the "pint of porter place" that his sons avoid till they become strong and clever. In the pub, innkeeper and customers spend the hour before closing time, watching two plays (Shem's?) and a musical program on a TV set. This is the set given the father by his determined children (309.13-311.4), certain invaders of Ireland. I take the TV set to be a warning, a challenge, and also a Jacob-like

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that flashermind's rays and his lipponease longuewedge wambles).
Ullahbluh! Sehyoh narar, pokehole sann! Manhead very dirty by am anoyato. Like old Dolldy Icon when he cooked up his iggs in bicon. He gatovit and me gotafit and Oalgoak's Cheloven gut a fudden. Povar old pitschobed! Molodeztious of metchennacht belaburt that pentschmyaso! Bog carsse and dam neat, sar, gam cant! Limbers affront of him, lumbers behund. While the bucks bite his dos his hart bides the ros till the bounds of his bays bell the warning. Sobaiter sobarkar. He was enmivallupped. Chromean fastion. With all his cannoball wappents. In his raglanrock and his malakoiffed bulbsbyg and his varnashed roscians and his cardigans blousejagged and his scarlett manchokuffs and his treecoloured camiflag and his perikopendolous gaelstorms. Here weeks hire pulchers! Obriania's beromst! From Karrs and Polikoff's, the men's confessioners. Seval shimars pleasant time payings. Mousoumeselles buckwoulds look. Tenter and likelings.

TAFF (all Perssiasterssias shookatnaratatattar at his waggonhorchers, his bulgeglarying stargapers razzledazzlingly full of eyes, full of balls, full of holes, full of buttons, full of stains, full of medals, full of blickblackblobs). Grozarktic! Toadlebens! Some garmentguy! Insects appalling, low hum clang sin! A cheap decoy! Too deep destroy! Say mangraphique, may say nay por daguerre! BUTT (if that he hids foregodden has nate of glozery farused ameet the florahs of the follest, his spent fish's livid smile giving allasundery the bumfit of the doped). Come alleyou jupes of Wymmingtown that graze the calves of Man! A bear raigning in his heavenspawn consomation robes. Rent, outraged, yewleaved, grained, ballooned, hindergored and voluant! Erminia's capecloaked hoodoodman! First he s s st steppes. Then he st stoo stoopt. Lookt.
trick, a Trojan horse, Hamlet's mousetrap.
The TV plays are The Norwegian Captain (q.v.), How Buckley (q.v.) Shot the Russian General (311.5-332.9; 337.32355.7). These and the music are about the overthrow of the father by, respectively, Shem, Shaun, Issy. Shem takes his father's daughter from him; Shaun shoots him dead; Issy, a moon priestess (like Norma, q.v.), castrates him

Thereafter - in "real" or not-TV life - HCE's sons come knocking at the door, singing another version of "The Ballad of Persse O'Reilly"(q.v. - see also Tenducci); his daughter comes to say she's off with a young man (370.23373.12). The sons capture HCE, mock, threaten, taunt, try him, beat him up for his sins - compare Falstaff, Socrates (q.q.v.) - (373.13-380.5)

Alone in the pub, HCE plays Roderick O'Connor (q.v.), last native king of Ireland, who was overthrown by the Anglo-Norman invaders. He drinks up the guest's leavings, falls from his throne dead drunk. Anna Livia shelters him after his fall; as the stout ship Nansy Hans, she bears him by starlight over the sea to "Nattenlaender" (380.6-382.30). This is a set piece - Death and the Old Man - and it balances Death and the Old Woman (619-628). For old man, old woman, death is going out to sea (q.v.), with dawn lighting up the same church windows (382.11).

The Norwegian Captain is a comedy of love-intrigue,


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TAFF (strick struck strangling like aleal lusky Lubliner to merumber by the cycl of the cruize who strungled Attahilloupa with what
empoisoned El Monte de Zuma and failing wilnaynilnay that he was pallups barn in the minkst of the Krumlin befodt he was popsoused into the monkst of the vatercan, makes the holypolygon of the emt on the greaseshaper, a little farther, a little soon, a lettera-

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cettera, oukraydoubray). Scutterer of guld, he is retourious on every roudery! The lyewdsky so so sewn of a fitchid! With his2 walshbrushup. And his boney bogey braggs.

BUTT (after his tongues in his cheeks, with pinkpoker pointing out in rutene to impassible abjects beyond the mistomist towards Lissnaluhy such as the Djublian Alps and the Hoofd Ribeiro as where he and his trulock may ever make a game). The field of karhags and that bloasted tree. Forget not the felled! For the lomondations of Oghrem! Warful doon's bothem. Here furry glunn. Nye? Their feery pass. Tak! With guerillaman aspear aspoor to prink the pranks of primkissies. And the buddies behide in the byre. Allahblah!

TAFF (a blackseer, he stroves to regulect all the straggles for wife in the rut of the past through the widnows in effigies keening after the blank sheets in their faminy to the relix of old decency from over draught). Oh day of rath! Ah, murther of mines! Eh, selo moy!
Uh, zulu luy! Bernesson Mac Mahahon from Osro bearing nose easger for sweeth prolettas on his swooth prowl!

BUTT (back to his peatrol and paump: swee Gee's wee rest: no more applehooley: dodewodedook). Bruinoboroff, the hooney-
and I cannot follow the ins and out of the intrigue, much less explain the significance of the ill-fitting suit (suit as clothes see Peter Jack Martin? suit as courtship?) The story is about a wild pagan sea-rover (all Ireland's Viking invaders) who steals the daughter of an Irish innkeeper, the Ship's Husband (q.v.), from her father and from a rival suitor, Kersse (q.v.) the tailor. By some female stratagem, the captain is reluctantly converted to landlubber, Christian, Irishman, becomes a respectable husband and father. The Ship's Husband reconciles him and Kersse. The captain is hunchbacked, called Humphrey, and the girl is Anne; they recall, therefore, the courtship of HCE and Anna Livia (compare 197, 624.27-30), and the play warns the father (the TV- viewing innkeeper, not the innkeeper in the TV play) that, as he took a daughter, so his daughter will be taken. The marriage of captain and daughter is an outburst of joy, peace, fertility for Ireland.

How Buckley Shot the Russian General (a rerun of events at Waterloo) has a fabliau feeling, but is also filled with pity and terror for the son who shoots (say he is Brutus or Prince Hal, q.q.v.), for the father who is shot (say he is Julius Caesar or Falstaff, q.q.v.). Freud comes into it too, for Buckley, who kills for the honor of Ireland, also kills a father and the totem ancestor, the uncanny deer, bull, white whale that haunts men's dreams and is even more precious than the trigger

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moonger, and the grizzliest manmichal in Meideveide! Whose annal livves the hoiest! For he devoused the lelias on the fined and he conforted samp, tramp and marchint out of the drumbume of a narse. Guards, serf Finnland, serve we all!

TAFF (whatwidth the psychophannies at the front and whetwadth the psuckofumbers beholden the fair, illcertain, between his bulchrichudes and the roshashanaral, where he sees Bishop Ribboncake plus his pollex prized going forth on his visitations of mirrage or Miss Horizon, justso all our fannacies daintied her, on the curve of the camber, unsheathing a showlaced limbaloft to the great consternations) Divulge! Hyededye, kittyls, and howdeddoh, pan! Poshbott and pulbuties. See that we soll or let dargman be luna as strait a way as your ant's folly me line while ye post is goang from Piping Pubwirth to Haunted Hillborough on his Mujiksy's Zaravence, the Riss, the Ross, the sur of all Russers, as my farst is near to hear and my sackend is meet to sedon while my whole's a peer's

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aureolies. We should say you dones the polecad. Bang on the 1
booche, gurg in the gorge, rap on the roof and your flup is unbu... 2
BUTT (at the signal of his act which seems to sharpnel his
innermals menody, playing the spool of the little brown jog round the
wheel of her whang goes the millner). Buckily buckily, blodestained 5
boyne! Bimbambombumb. His snapper was shot in the Rumjar 6
Journaral. Why the gigls he lubbed beeyed him.
TAFF (obliges with a two stop yogacoga sumphoty on the bones for ivory
girl and ebony boy). The balacleivka! Trovatarovitch! I trumble!
BUTT (with the sickle of a scygthe but the humour of a hummer, O ,
810
howorodies through his cholaroguled, fumfing to a fullfrength with 11
finger.
When Buckley is over, the customers say Buckley was right to shoot and the innkeeper agrees ( $355.8,21$ ), thus finding against himself-Guilty, but fellow culprits ... (363.20). And after the fellow culprits, customers, sons, have attacked him, he drinks hemlock and falls from his throne. "All men," Anna Livia says, on another occasion, "have done something. Be the time they've come to the weight of old fletch."


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this wallowing olfact). Mortar martar tartar wartar! May his 12
boules grow wider so his skittles gets worse! The aged monad 13
making a venture out of the murder of investment. I seen him 14
acting surgent what betwinks the scimitar star and the ashen 15
moon. By their lights shalthow throw him! Piff paff for puffpuff 16
and my pife for his cgar! The mlachy way for gambling. 17
[Up to this curkscraw bind an admirable verbivocovisual pre- 18
sentment of the worldrenownced Caerholme Event has been being 19
given by The Irish Race and World. The huddled and aliven stable- 20
crashers have shared fleetfooted enthusiasm with the paddocks 21
dare and ditches tare while the mews was combing ground. Hippo- 22
hopparray helioscope flashed winsor places as the gates might see. 23
Meusdeus! That was (with burning briar) Mr Twomass Noho- 24
holan for their common contribe satisfunction in the purports of 25
amusedment telling the Verily Roverend Father Epiphanes 26
shrineshriver of Saint Dhorough's (in browne bomler) how 27
(assuary as there's a bonum in your osstheology!) Backlegs 28
shirked the racing kenneldar. The saintly scholarist's roastering 29
guffalawd of nupersaturals holler at this metanoic excomologosis 30
tells of the chestnut's (once again, Wittyngtom!) absolutionally 31
romptyhompty successfulness. A lot of lasses and lads without 32
damas or dads, but fresh and blued with collecting boxes. One 33
aught spare ones triflets, to be shut: it is Coppingers for the 34
children. Slippery Sam hard by them, physically present how- 35

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somedever morally absent, was slooching about in his knavish 1
diamonds asking Gmax, Knox and the Dmuggies (a pinnance for 2
your toughts, turffers!) to deck the ace of duds. Tomtinker Tim,
3

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howbeit, his unremitting retainer, (the seers are the seers of ..... 4
Samael but the heers are the heers of Timoth) is in Boozer's ..... 5
Gloom, soalken steady in his sulken tents. Baldawl the curse, ..... 6
baledale the day! And the frocks of shick sheeples in their shum- ..... 7
mering insamples! You see: a chiefsmith, semperal scandal ..... 8
stinkmakers, a middinest from the Casabianca and, of course, ..... 9
Mr Fry. Barass! Pardon the inquisition, causas es quostas? ..... 10
It is Da Valorem's Dominical Brayers. Why coif that weird ..... 11
hood? Because among nosoever circusdances is to be apprehended ..... 12
the dustungwashed poltronage of the lost Gabbarnaur-Jaggar- ..... 13
nath. Pamjab! Gross Jumpiter, whud was thud? Luckluckluck ..... 14
luckluckluckluck! It is the Thousand to One Guinea-Gooseberry's ..... 15
Lipperfull Slipver Cup. Hold hard, ridesiddle titelittle Pitsy ..... 16
Riley! Gurragrunch, gurragrunch! They are at the turn of the ..... 17
fourth of the hurdles. By the hross of Xristos, Holophullopopu- ..... 18
lace is a shote of excramation! Bumchub! Emancipator, the ..... 19
Creman hunter (Major Hermyn C. Entwhistle) with dramatic ..... 20
effect reproducing the form of famous sires on the scene of the ..... 21
formers triumphs, is showing the eagle's way to Mr Whayte- ..... 22
hayte's three buy geldings Homo Made Ink, Bailey Beacon ..... 23
and Ratatuohy while Furstin II and The Other Girl (Mrs ..... 24
'Boss' Waters, Leavybrink) too early spring dabbles, are showing ..... 25
a clean pairofhids to Immensipater. Sinkathinks to oppen here! ..... 26
To this virgin's tuft, on this golden of evens! I never sought of ..... 27
sinkathink. Our lorkmakor he is proformly annuysed He is ..... 28
shinkly thinkly shaking in his schayns. Sat will be off follteedee. ..... 29
This eeridreme has being effered you by Bett and Tipp. Tipp and ..... 30
Bett, our swapstick quackchancers, in From Topphole to Bot- ..... 31
tom of The Irish Race and World.] ..... 32

TAFF (awary that the first sports report of Loudnin Reginald 33
has now been afterthoughtfully colliberated by a saggind spurts 34
flash, takes the dipperend direction and, for tasing the tiomor of 35

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malaise after the pognency of orangultonia, orients by way of Sagit- 1
tarius towards Draco on the Lour). And you collier carsst on him, 2
the corsar, with Boyle, Burke and Campbell, I'll gogemble on 3
strangbones tomb. You had just been cerberating a camp camp 4
camp to Saint Sepulchre's march through the armeemonds re- 5
treat with the boys all marshalled, scattering giant's hail over the 6
curseway, fellowed along the rout by the stenchions of the 7
corpse. Tell the coldspell's terroth! If you please, commeylad! 8
Perfedes Albionias! Think some ingain think, as Teakortairer 9
sate over the Galwegian caftan forewhen Orops and Aasas were 10
chooldrengs and micramacrees! A forward movement, Miles na 11
Bogaleen, and despatch! 12
BUTT (slinking his coatsleeves surdout over his squad mutton 13
shoulder so as to loop more life the jauntlyman as he scents the 14
anggreget yup behound their whole scoopchina's desperate noy's 15
totalage and explaining aposteriorly how awstooloo was valde- 16
sombre belowes hero and he was in a greak esthate phophiar an 17
erixtion on the soseptuple side of him made spoil apriori his popo- 18
porportiums). Yass, zotnyzor, I don't think I did not, pojr. Never 19
you brother me for I scout it, think you! Ichts nichts on nichts! 20
Greates Schtschuptar! Me fol the rawlawdy in the schpirrt of a 21
schkrepz. Of all the quirasses and all the qwehrmin in the tra- 22
gedoes of those antiants their grandoper, that soun of a gun- 23
nong, with his sabaothsopolettes, smooking his scandleloose at 24


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botthends of him! Foinn duhans! I grandthinked after his obras 25
after another time about the itch in his egondoom he was legging 26
boldylugged from some pulversporochs and lyoking for a stool- 27
eazy for to nemesisplotsch allafranka and for to salubrate himself 28
with an ultradungs heavenly mass at his base by a suprime pomp- 29
ship chorams the perished popes, the reverend and allaverred30
cromlecks, and when I heard his lewdbrogue reciping his cheap 31
cheateary gospeds to sintry and santry and sentry and suntry I 32
thought he was only haftara having afterhis brokeforths but be 33
the homely Churopodvas I no sooner seen aghist of his frighte- 34
ousness then I was bibbering with vear a few versets off fooling for 35
fjorg for my fifth foot. Of manifest 'tis obedience and the. Flute! 36
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TAFF (though the unglucksarsoon is giming for to git him, jotning 1
in, hoghly ligious, hapagodlap, like a soldierry sap, with a pique at 2
his cue and a tyr in his eye and a bond of his back and a croak in his 3
cry as did jolly well harm lean o'er him) Is not athug who would. 4
Weepon, weeponder, song of sorrowmon! Which goatheye 5
and sheepskeer they damnty well know. Papaist! Gambanman! 6
Take the cawraidd's blow! Yia! Your partridge's last! 7
BUTT (giving his scimmianised twinge in acknuckledownedgment 8
of this cumulikick, strafe from the firetrench, studenly drobs led, sa- 9
toniseels ouchyotchy, he changecors induniforms as he is lefting the 10
gat out of the big: his face glows green, his hair greys white, his 11
bleyes bcome broon to suite his cultic twalette). But when I seeing 12
him in his oneship fetch along within hail that tourrible tall 13
with his nitshnykopfgoknob and attempting like a brandylogged 14
rudeman cathargic, lugging up and laiding down his livepelts 15
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so cruschinly like Mebbuck at Messar and expousing his old 16
skinful self tailtottom by manurevring in open ordure to renew- 17
murature with the cowruads in their airish pleasantry I thanked 18
he was recovering breadth from some herdsquatters beyond the 19
carcasses and I couldn't erver nerver to tell a liard story not of I 20
knew the prize if from lead or alimoney. But when I got inoccu-
pation of a full new of his old basemiddelism, in ackshan, pagne
pogne, by the veereyed lights of the stormtrooping clouds and
in the sheenflare of the battleaxes of the heroim and mid the
shieldfails awail of the bitteraccents of the sorafim and caught the
pfierce tsmell of his aurals, orankastank, a suphead setrapped,
like Peder the Greste, altipaltar, my bill it forsooks allegiance
(gut bull it!) and, no lie is this, I was babbeing and yetaghain
bubbering, bibbelboy, me marrues me shkewers me gnaas me20
fiet, tob tob tob beat it, solongopatom. Clummensy if ever mis-
used, must used you's now! But, meac Coolp, Arram of Eirze-
rum, as I love our Deer Dirouchy, I confesses withould pride-21jur, as Iove 32
jealice when I looked upon the Saur of all the Haurousians with 33
the weight of his arge fullin upon him from the travaillings of34
his tommuck and rueckenased the fates of a bosser there was fear 35
on me the sons of Nuad for him and it was heavy he was for me 36

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then the way I immingled my Irmenial hairmaierians ammon- 1
gled his Gospolis fomiliours till achaura moucreas I adn't the 2
$\qquad$
TAFF (as a marrer off act prepensing how such waldmanns from 4
Burnias seduced country clowns he is preposing barangaparang 5
after going knowing what he is doing after to see him pluggy well 6
moidered as a murder effect you bet your blowie knife before he
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doze soze sopprused though he is) Grot Zot! You hidn't the hurts? 8
Vott Fonn! 9
BUTT (hearing somrother sudly give tworthree peevish sniff snuff 10
snoores like govalise falseleep he waitawhishts to see might he stirs 11
and then goes on kuldrum like without asking for pepeace or anysing 12
a soul). Merzmard! I met with whom it was too late. My fate! O 13
hate! Fairwail! Fearwealing of the groan! And think of that 14
when you smugs to bagot. 15
TAFF (who meanwhilome at yarn's length so as to put a nodje 16
in the poestcher by wile of stoccan his hand and of rooma makin 17
ber getting umptyums gatherumed off the skattert had been lavish- 18
ing lagan on lighthouse words of silent power susu glouglou biri- 19
biri gongos upon the repleted speechsalver's innkeeping right which 20
thanks giveme and naperied norms nonobstaclant there can be little 21
doubt have resulted in a momstchance ministring of another guid- 22
ness my good to see) Bompromifazzio! Shumpum for Pa-li-di 23
and oukosouso for the nipper dandy! Trink off this scup and be 24
bladdy orafferteed! To bug at? 25
BUTT (he whipedoff's his chimbley phot as lips lovecurling to the 26
tongueopener he takecups the communion of sense at the hands of 27
the foregiver of trosstpassers and thereinofter centelinnates that 28
potifex miximhost with haruspical hospedariaty proferring into his 29
pauses somewhot salt bacon). Theres scares knud in this gnarld 30
warld a fully so svend as dilates for the improvement of our 31
foerses of nature by your very ample solvent of referacting upon 32
me like is boesen fiennd.
[The other foregotthened abbosed in the Mullingaria are 34
during this swishingsight teilweisioned. How the fictionable world 35

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in Fruzian Creamtartery is loading off heavy furses and affubling ..... 1
themselves with muckinstushes. The neatschknee Novgolosh. ..... 2
How the spinach ruddocks are being tatoovatted up for the second ..... 3
comings of antigreenst. Hebeneros for Aromal Peace. How ..... 4
Alibey Ibrahim wisheths Bella Suora to a holy cryptmahs while ..... 5
the Arumbian Knives Riders axecutes devilances round the ..... 6
jehumispheure. Learn the Nunsturk. How Old Yales boys is7
making rebolutions for the cunning New Yirls never elding ..... 8
still begidding never to mate to lend never to ate selleries and ..... 9
never to add soulleries and never to ant sulleries and never to aid ..... 10
silleries with sucharow with sotchyouroff as Burkeley's Show's ..... 11
a ructiongetherall. Phone for Phineal toomellow aftermorn and ..... 12
your phumeral's a roselixion.] ..... 13
TAFF (now as he has been past the buckthurnstock from Peadhar ..... 14
Piper of Colliguchuna whiles they all are bealting pots to dubrin ..... 15
din for old daddam dombstom to tomb and wamb humbs lumbs ..... 16
agamb glimpse agam glance agen rise up road and hive up hill ..... 17
and find your pollyvoulley foncey pitchin ingles in the parler). Since ..... 18
you are on for versingrhetorish say your piece! How Buccleuch ..... 19
shocked the rosing girnirilles. A ballet of Gasty Power. A hov ..... 20
and az ov and off like a gow! And don't live out the sad of tearfs ..... 21
piddyawhick! Not offgott affsang is you buthbach? Ath yet- ..... 22
heredayth noth endeth hay? Vaersegood! Buckle to! Sayyessik ..... 23
Ballygarry. The fourscore soculums are watchyoumaycodding ..... 24
to cooll the skoopgoods blooff. Harkabuddy feign! Thingman ..... 25
placeyear howed wholst somwom shimwhir tinkledinkledelled. ..... 26
Shinfine deed in the myrtle of the bog tway fainmain stod op to ..... 27
slog free bond men lay lurkin on. Tuan about whattinghim! ..... 28
Fore sneezturmdrappen! 'Twill be a rpnice pschange arrah sir? ..... 29

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Can you come it budd? 30
BUTT (who in the cushlows of his goodsforseeking hoarth ever 31
fondlinger of his pimple spurk is a niallist of the ninth homestages 32
the babybell in his baggutstract upper going off allatwanst begad 33
lest he should challenge himself beygoad till angush). Horrasure 34
toff! As said as would. It was Colporal Phailinx first. Hittit was 35

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of another time a white horsday where the midril met the bulg 1
sbogom roughnow along about the first equinarx in the cholon- 2
der on the plain of Khorason as thou goest from the mount of 3
Bekel Steep Nemorn elve hundred and therety and to years 4
how the krow flees end in deed after a power of skimiskes
blodidens and godinats of them when we sight the beasts (heg-
heg whatlk of wraimy wetter!) moist moonful date man aver 7
held dimsdzey death with and higheye was in the Reilly Oirish 8
Krzerszonese Milesia asundurst Sirdarthar Woolwichleagues 9
good tomkeys years somewhile in Crimealian wall samewhere 10
in Ayerland during me weeping stillstumms over the freshprosts 11
of Eastchept and the dangling garters of Marrowbone and daring 12
my wapping stiltstunts on Bostion Moss old stile and new style 13
and heave a lep onwards. And winn again blaguadargoos or 14
lues the day plays goat the banshee pealer if moskats knows 15
whoss whizz the great day and the druidful day come San 16
Patrisky and the grand day the excellent fine splendorous long 17
agreeable toastworthy cylindrical day go Sixt of the Ninth the 18
heptahundread annam dammias that Hajizfijjiz ells me is and 19
will and was be till the timelag is in it that's told in the Bok of 20
Alam to columnkill all the prefacies of Erin gone brugk. But 21

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Icantenue. And incommixtion. We was lowsome like till we'd ..... 22
took out after the dead beats. So I begin to study and I soon ..... 23
show them day's reasons how to give the cold shake to they ..... 24
blighty perishers and lay one over the beats. All feller he look ..... 25
he call all feller come longa villa finish. Toumbalo how was ..... 26
I acclapadad! From them banjopeddlars on the raid. Gidding ..... 27
up me anti vanillas and getting off the stissas me aunties. ..... 28
Boxerising and coxerusing. And swiping a johnny dann ..... 29
sweept for to exercitise myself neverwithstanding the topkats ..... 30
and his roaming cartridges orussheying and patronning out ..... 31
all over Crummwiliam wall. Be the why it was me who haw ..... 32
haw.33
TAFF (all for letting his tinder and lighting be put to beheiss in ..... 34
the feuer and while durblinly obasiant to the felicias of the skivis ..... 35
Still smolking his fulvurite turfkish in the rooking pressance of ..... 36
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laddios). Yaa hoo how how col? Whom battles joined no bottles ..... 1
sever! Worn't you aid a comp? ..... 2
BUTT (in his difficoltous tresdobremient he feels a bitvalike a ..... 3
baddlefall of staot but falls a batforlake a borrlefull of bare). And ..... 4
me awlphul omegrims! Between me rassociations in the postlea- ..... 5
deny past and me disconnections with aplompervious futules ..... 6
I've a boodle full of maimeries in me buzzim and medears runs ..... 7
sloze bleime as I now with platoonic leave recoil in (how the ..... 8
thickens they come back to one to rust!) me misenary post for
10
all them old boyars that's now boomaringing in waulholler me ..... 10
alma marthyrs. I dring to them bycorn spirits fuselaiding and ..... 11
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you cullies adjutant even where its contentsed wody with 12
absents wehrmuth. Junglemen in agleement I give thee our 13
greatly swooren Theoccupant that Rueandredful the thrown- 14
fullvner and all our royal devouts with the arrest of the whole 15
inhibitance of Neuilands! One brief mouth. And a velligoolap- 16
now! Meould attashees the currgans (if they could get a kick at 17
this time for all that's hapenced to us!) Cedric said Gormleyson 18
and Danno O'Dunnochoo and Conno O'Cannochar it is this 19
were their names for we were all under that manner barracksers 20
on Kong Gores Wood together thurkmen three with those 21
khakireinettes our miladies in their toileries the twum plum- 22
yumnietcies Vjeras Vjenaskayas of old Djadja Uncken who
was a great mark for jinking and junking up the palposes of
. 25
For lispias harth a burm in eye but whem it bames fire norone 26
screeneth. Hulp hulp huzzars! Raise ras tryracy! Freetime's 27
free! Up Lancesters! Anathem! 28
TAFF (who still senses that heavinscent houroines that enter- 29
trained him who they were sinuorivals from the sunny Espionia but 30
plied wopsy with his wallets in thatthack of the bustle Bakerloo 31
(11.32) passing the uninational truthbosh in smoothing irony over 32
the multinotcheralled infructuosities of his grinner set). The rib 33
the rib the quean of oldbyrdes Sinya Sonyavitches! Your 34
Rhoda Cockardes that are raday to embrace our ruddy inflamtry 35
world! In their ohosililesvienne biribarbebeway. Till they've 36

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kinks in their tringers and boils on their taws. Whor dor the pene 1
lie Mer Pencho? Ist dramhead countmortial or gonorrhal stab?
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Mind your pughs and keaoghs if you piggots marsh! Do the ..... 3
nut dingbut! Be a dag! For zahur and zimmerminnes! Sing in ..... 4
the chorias to the ethur: ..... 5
[In the heliotropical noughttime following a fade of trans- ..... 6
formed Tuff and pending its viseversion a metenergic reglow ..... 7
of beaming Batt the bairdboard bombardment screen if taste- ..... 8
fully taut guranium satin tends to teleframe and step up to ..... 9
the charge of a light barricade. Down the photoslope in syncopanc ..... 10
pulses with the bitts bugtwug their teffs the missledhropes ..... 11
glitteraglatteraglutt borne by their carnier walve. Spraygun ..... 12
rakes and splits them from a double focus: grenadite damny- ..... 13
mite alextronite nichilite: and the scanning firespot of the ..... 14
sgunners traverses the rutilanced illustred sunksundered lines. ..... 15
Shlossh! A gaspel truce leaks out over the caeseine coatings. ..... 16
Amid a fluorescence of spectracular mephiticism there caoculates ..... 17
through the inconoscope stealdily a still the figure of a fellow- ..... 18
chap in the wohly ghast Popey O'Donoshough the jesuneral ..... 19
of the russuates. The idolon exhibisces the seals of his orders: ..... 20
the starre of the Son of Heaven the girtel of Izodella the Calot- ..... 21
tica the cross of Michelides Apaleogos the latchet of Jan of ..... 22
Nepomuk the puffpuff and pompom of Powther and Pall the ..... 23
great belt band and bucklings of the Martyrology of Gorman. ..... 24
It is for the castomercies mudwake surveice. The victar. Pleace ..... 25
to notnoys speach above your dreadths please to doughboys. Hll ..... 26
smthngs gnwrng wthth sprsnwtch! He blanks his oggles because ..... 27
he confesses to all his tellavicious nieces. He blocks his nosoes be- ..... 28
cause that he confesses to everywheres he was always putting up his ..... 29
latest faengers. He wollops his mouther with a sword of tusk in as ..... 30
because that he confesses how opten he used be obening her howonton ..... 31

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he used be undering her. He boundles alltogotter his manucupes 32
with his pedarrests in asmuch as because that he confesses before 33
all his handcomplishies and behind all his comfoderacies. And 34
(hereis cant came back saying he codant steal no lunger yessis 35

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catz come buck beques he caudant stail awake) he touched upon 1
this tree of livings in the middenst of the garerden for inasmuch 2
as because that he confessed to it on Hillel and down Dalem and 3
in the places which the lepers inhabit in the place of the stones 4
and in pontofert jusfuggading amoret now he come to think of it 5
jolly well ruttengenerously olyovyover the ole blucky shop. Pugger 6
old Pumpey O'Dungaschiff! There will be a hen collection of him 7
after avensung on the feld of Hanar. Dumble down looties and 8
gengstermen! Dtin dtin dtin dtin!] 9
BUTT (with a gisture expansive of Mr Lhugewhite Cadderpollard 10
with sunflawered beautonhole pulled up point blanck by mailbag 11
mundaynism at Oldbally Court though the hissindensity buck far 12
of his melovelance tells how when he was fast marking his first 13
lord for cremation the whyfe of his bothem was the very lad's thing 14
to elter his mehind). Prostatates pujealousties! Dovolnoisers 15
prayshyous! Defense in every circumstancias of deboutcheries 16
no the chaste daffs! I Pack pickets pioghs and kughs to be palsey- 17
putred! Be at the peme prease of not forgetting or mere betoken 18
yourself to hother prace! Correct me pleatze commando for 19
cossakes but I abjure of it. No more basquibezigues for this pole 20
aprican! With askormiles' eskermillas. I had my billyfell of 21
duckish delights the whole pukny time on rawmeots and juliannes 22
with their lambstoels in my kiddeneys and my ramsbutter in 23

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their sassenacher ribs knee her do her and trey her when 24
th'osirian cumb dumb like the whalf on the fiord and we prey- 25
ing players and pinching peacesmokes troupkers tomiatskyns 26
all for Father Petrie Spence of Parishmoslattary to go and leave 27
us and the crimsend daun to shellalite on the darkumen (scene28
as signed Slobabogue) feeding and sleeping on the huguenottes 29
(the snuggest spalniel's where the lieon's tame!) and raiding 30
revolations over the allbegeneses (sand us and saint us and 31
sound as agun!). Yet still in all spit for spat like we chantied on 32
Sunda schoon every warson wearrier kaddies a komnate in 33
his schnapsack and unlist I am getting foegutfulls of the rugi- 34
ments of savaliged wildfire I was gamefellow willmate and send 35

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us victorias with nowells and brownings dumm sneak and 1
curry and all the fun I had in that fanagan's week. A strange 2
man wearing abarrel. And here's a gift of meggs and teggs. And 3
as I live by chipping nortons. And 'tis iron fits the farmer ay. 4
Arcdesedo! Renborumba! Then were the hellscyown days for 5
our fellows the loyal leibsters and we was the redugout raw- 6
recruitioners praddies three and prettish too a wheeze we has 7
in our waynward islands wee engrish one long blue streak 8
jisty and pithy af durck rosolun with hand to hand as Homard 9
Kayenne was always jiggilyjugging about in his wendowed 10
courage when our woos with the wenches went wined for a song 11
tsingirillies' zyngarettes while Woodbine Willie so popiular 12
with the poppyrossies our Chorney Choplain blued the air. 13
Sczlanthas! Banzaine! Bissbasses! S. Pivorandbowl. And we all 14

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tuned in to hear the topmast noviality. Up the revels drown the 15
rinks and almistips allround! Paddy Bonhamme he vives! En- 16
core! And tig for tag Togatogtug. My droomodose days Y loved 17
you abover all the strest. Blowhole brasshat and boy with his 18
boots off and the butch of our bunch and all. It was buckoo 19
bonzer beleeme. I was a bare prive without my doglegs but I 20
did not give to one humpenny dump wingh or wangh touching 21
those thusengaged slavey generales of Tanah Kornalls the 22
meelisha's deelishas pronouncing their very flank movemens 23
in sunpictorsbosk. Baghus the whatwar! I could always take good 24
cover of myself and eyedulls or earwakers preyers for rain or 25
cominations I did not care three tanker's hoots ('sham! hem! or chaffit!) for any feelings from my lifeprivates on their reptrograd leanins because I have Their Honours booth my respectables soeurs assistershood off Lyndhurst Terrace the puttih Misses
Celana Dalems and she in vinting her angurr can belle the troth on her alliance and I know His Heriness my respeaktoble medams culonelle on Mellay Street Lightnints Gundhur Sawabs and they would never as the aimees of servation let me down.
Not on your bludger life touters! No peeping pimpadoors! 34
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(ye olde cottemptable!) his urssian gemenal in his scutt's rudes 1
unreformed and he went before him in that nemcon enchelonce 2
with the same old domstoole story and his upleave the fallener 3
as is greatly to be petted (whitesides do his beard!) and I seen his 4
brichashert offensive and his boortholomas vadnhammaggs vise 5
a vise them scharlot runners and how they gave love to him
6
and how he took the ward from us (odious the fly fly flurtation
7

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of his him and hers! Just mairmaid maddeling it was it he was!) 8
and my oreland for a rolvever sord by the splunthers of colt 9
and bung goes the enemay the Percy rally got me messgèr (as 10
true as theirs an Almagnian Gothabobus!) to blow the grand off 11
his aceupper. Thistake it's meest! And after meath the dulwich. 12
We insurrectioned and be the procuratress of the hory synnotts 13
before he could tell pullyirragun to parrylewis I shuttm missus 14
like a wide sleever! Hump to dump! Tumbleheaver! 15
TAFF (camelsensing that sonce they have given bron a nuhlan 16
the volkar boastsung is heading to sea vermelhion but too wellbred 17
not the ignore the umzemlianess of his rifal's preceedings in an effort 18
towards autosotorisation effaces himself in favour of the idiology 19
alwise behounding his lumpy hump off homosodalism which means 20
that if he has lain amain to lolly his liking - cabronne! - he may pops 21
lilly a young one to his herth - combrune -) Oholy rasher I'm be- 22
liever! And Oho bullyclaver of ye bragadore-gunneral! The 23
grand ohold spider! It is a name to call to him Umsturdum Vonn! 24
Ah you were shutter reshottus and sieger besieged. Aha race of 25
fiercemarchands counterination oho of shorpshoopers. 26
BUTT (miraculising into the Dann Deafir warcry his bigotes 27
bristling as jittinju triggity shittery pet he shouts his thump and 28
feeh fauh foul finngures up the heighohs of their ahs!) Bluddy- 29
muddymuzzle! The buckbeshottered! He'll umbozzle no more 30
graves nor home no haunder lou garou for gayl geselles in 31
dead men's hills! Kaptan (backsights to his bared!) His Cum- 32
bulent Embulence the frustate fourstar Russkakruscam Dom 33
Allah O'Khorwan connundurumchuff. 34
TAFF (who asbestas can wiz the healps of gosh and his bluzzid 35
maikar has been sulphuring to himsalves all the pungataries 36


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of sin praktice in failing to furrow theogonies of the dommed). ..... 1
Trisseme the mangoat! And the name of the Most Marsiful ..... 2
the Aweghost the Gragious one! In sobber sooth and in souber ..... 3
civiles? And to the dirtiment of the curtailment of his all of man? ..... 4
Notshoh? ..... 5
BUTT (maomant scoffin but apoxyomenously deturbaned but ..... 6
thems bleachin banes will be after making a bashman's haloday out ..... 7
of the euphorious hagiohygiecynicism of his die and be diademmed). ..... 8
Yastsar! In sabre tooth and sobre saviles! Senonnevero! That ..... 9
he leaves nyet is my grafe. He deared me to it and he dared me ..... 10
do it and bedattle I didaredonit as Cocksnark of Killtork can ..... 11
tell and Ussur Ursussen of the viktaurious onrush with all the ..... 12
rattles in his arctic! As bold and as madhouse a bull in a meadows. ..... 13
Knout Knittrick Kinkypeard! Olefoh the sourd of foemoe ..... 14
times! Unknun! For when meseemim and tolfoklokken rolland ..... 15
allover ourloud's lande beheaving up that sob of tunf for to ..... 16
claimhis for to wollpimsolff puddywhuck. Ay and untuoning ..... 17
his culothone in an exitous erseroyal Deo Jupto. At that instullt ..... 18
to Igorladns! Prronto! I gave one dobblenotch and I ups with ..... 19
my crozzier. Mirrdo! With my how on armer and hits leg an ..... 20
arrow cockshock rockrogn. Sparro! ..... 21
[The abnihilisation of the etym by the grisning of the grosning ..... 22
of the grinder of the grunder of the first lord of Hurtreford ex- ..... 23
polodotonates through Parsuralia with an ivanmorinthorrorumble ..... 24
fragoromboassity amidwhiches general uttermosts confussion are ..... 25
perceivable moletons skaping with mulicules which coventry ..... 26
plumpkins fairlygosmotherthemselves in the Landaunelegants ..... 27
of Pinkadindy. Similar scenatas are projectilised from Hullulullu ..... 28
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Bawlawayo empyreal Raum and mordern Atems. They were 29
precisely the twelves of clocks noon minutes none seconds. 30
At someseat of Oldanelang's Konguerrig by dawnybreak in 31
Aira.]
32
TAFF (skimperskamper his wools gatherings all over cromlin 33
what with the birstol boys artheynes and is it her tour and the
34
crackery of the fullfour fivefirearms and the crockery of their dam35

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dam domdom chumbers). Wharall thubulbs uptheaires! Shatta- 1
movick? 2
BUTT (pulling alast stark daniel with alest doog at doorak while 3
too greater than pardon painfully the issue of his mouth diminuen- 4
doing vility of vilities he becomes allasvitally faint). Shurenoff! 5
Like Faun MacGhoul! 6
BUTT and TAFF (desprot slave wager and foeman feodal un- 7
sheckled now one and the same person their fight upheld to right 8
for a wee while being baffled and tottered umbraged by the shadow 9
of Old Erssia's magisquammythical mulattomilitiaman the living 10
by owning over the surfers of the glebe whose sway craven minnions 11
had caused to revile as too foul for hell under boiling Mauses' 12
burning brand he falls by Goll's gillie but keenheartened by the 13
circuminsistence of the Parkes O'Rarelys in a hurdly gurdly Cicilian 14
concertone of their fonngeena barney brawl shaken everybothy's 15
hands while S. E. Morehampton makes leave to E. N. Sheil- 16
martin after Meetinghouse Lanigan has embaraced Vergemout 17
Hall and without falter or mormor or blathrehoot of sophsterliness 18
pugnate the pledge of fiannaship dook to dook with a commonturn 19
oudchd of fest man and best man astoutsalliesemoutioun palms it 20

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off like commodity tokens against a cococancancacacanotioun). ..... 21
When old the wormd was a gadden and Anthea first unfoiled her ..... 22
limbs wanderloot was the way the wood wagged where opter ..... 23
and apter were samuraised twimbs. They had their mutthering ..... 24
ivies and their murdhering idies and their mouldhering iries in ..... 25
that muskat grove but there'll be bright plinnyflowers in Calo- ..... 26
mella's cool bowers when the magpyre's babble towers scorching ..... 27
and screeching from the ravenindove. If thees lobed the sex of ..... 28
his head and mees ates the seep of his traublers he's dancing ..... 29
figgies to the spittle side and shoving outs the soord. And he'll ..... 30
be buying buys and go gulling gells with his flossim and jessim ..... 31
of carm silk and honey while myandthys playing lancifer lucifug ..... 32
and what's duff as a bettle for usses makes coy cosyn corollanes' ..... 33
moues weeter to wee. So till butagain budly shoots thon rising ..... 34
germinal let bodley chow the fatt of his anger and badley bide ..... 35
the toil of his tubb. ..... 36
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[The pump and pipe pingers are ideally reconstituted. The ..... 1
putther and bowls are peterpacked up. All the presents are deter- ..... 2
mining as regards for the future the howabouts of their past ..... 3
absences which they might see on at hearing could they once smell ..... 4
of tastes from touch. To ought find a values for. The must over- ..... 5
listingness. When ex what is ungiven. As ad where. Stillhead. ..... 6
Blunk.] ..... 7

## 9. The Ondt and the Gracehopper

## Finnegans Wake 414.18-419.10

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Joseph Campbell and Henry Morton Robinson: A Skeleton Key to Finnegans Wake. 1944. [The red digits in braces are the extensive footnotes in the original SkeletonKey book: for advanced research you would need to go direct to the book to get these supplementary explanatory texts.] Adaline Glasheen: Third Census of Finnegans Wake. 1977.

## SkeletonKey Summary

263 b to 265 d
feeble too. Let us here consider the casus, my dear little cousis 18 (husstenhasstencaffincoffintussemtossemdamandamnacosaghcusa 19
ghhobixhatouxpeswchbechoscashlcarcarcaract) of the Ondt and the Gracehoper.
The Gracehoper was always jigging ajog, hoppy on akkant of his joyicity, (he had a partner pair of findlestilts to supplant him), or, if not, he was always making ungraceful overtures to Floh and Luse and Bienie and Vespatilla to play pupa-pupa and pulicy-pulicy and langtennas and pushpygyddyum and to commence insects with him, there mouthparts to his orefice and his gambills to there airy processes, even if only in chaste, ameng the everlistings, behold a waspering pot. He would of curse melissciously, by his fore feelhers, flexors, contractors, depres-

THEY: "Give us a song!"
SHAUN: "I would rather spin you a fable, one of Aesop's Grimm gests of Jacob and Essau. Let us consider the case $\{12\}\{C e n t u m$ No 9$\} \quad x-y$ the case of "The Ant and The Grasshopper': \{13\}
" 'The Gracehoper was always dancing and happy, or else making overtures to Floh, Luse, Bienie, and Vespatilla, inviting them to play with him, even if only in chaste. He would curse deliciously with his antennae, until she was red with shame, and furnish her with spider-web hose. Or he would be always making up funny funereels about Besterfather Zeus, the Aged One, inside

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sors and extensors, lamely, harry me, marry me, bury me, bind me, till she was puce for shame and allso fourmish her in Spinner's housery at the earthsbest schoppinhour so summery as his cottage, which was cald fourmillierly Tingsomingenting, groped up. Or, if he was always striking up funny funereels with Besterfarther Zeuts, the Aged One, With all his wigeared corollas, albe-

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dinous and oldbuoyant, inscythe his elytrical wormcasket and Dehlia and Peonia, his druping nymphs, bewheedling him, compound eyes on hornitosehead, and Auld Letty Plussiboots to scratch his cacumen and cackle his tramsitus, diva deborah (seven bolls of sapo, a lick of lime, two spurts of fussfor, threefurts of sulph, a shake o'shouker, doze grains of migniss and a mesfull of midcap pitchies. The whool of the whaal in the wheel of the whorl of the Boubou from Bourneum has thus come to taon!), and with tambarins and cantoridettes soturning around his eggshill rockcoach their dance McCaper in retrophoebia, beck from bulk, like fantastic disossed and jenny aprils, to the ra, the ra, the ra, the ra, langsome heels and langsome toesis, attended to by a mutter and doffer duffmatt baxingmotch and a myrmidins of pszozlers pszinging Satyr's Caudledayed Nice and Hombly, Dombly Sod We Awhile but Ho, Time Timeagen, Wake! For if sciencium (what's what) can mute uns nought, 'a thought, abought the Great Sommboddy within the Omniboss, perhops an artsaccord (hoot's hoot) might sing ums tumtim abutt the Little Newbuddies that ring his panch. A high old tide for the barheated publics and the whole day as gratiis! Fudder and lighting for ally looty, any filly in a fog, for $\mathrm{O}^{\prime}$ Cronione lags acrumbling
his sheath wormcasket; and Dehlia and Peonia, his nymphs, coaxing him; and Auld Lady Plussiboots to scratch his head and cackle his transitus; and all of them with tambourines and castanets dancing their danse macabre to the ra, the ra, the ra, the ra, attended by a Mutt and Taff boxing match and a troop of sozzlers singing "The Cotter's Saturday Night," and "Humpty Dumpty Sat on a Wall," but "Ho, Tim Finnegan's Wake!" $\{14\}$ For if science can mute us nought about the Great Sommboddy, perhaps art may sing us something about Little Newbuddies that ring his paunch: for $\mathrm{O}^{\prime}$ Cronione lies acrumbling in his sands $\{15\}$ but his sunsunsuns still tumble on. \{16\}
" ، "Gracious me! What a sight for the gods!" vented the Ondt, who, not bein a summer fool, was thoughtfully making silly faces at himself before the isinglass of his window. "We shall not come to the party, for he is not on our social list. Nor to old Ba's burial either, the sluggard." He lifted hands and prayed: "May my reign flourish as broad as Beppy's realm, as high as Happy's heaven. May it grow and flourish."
" ‘ The Ondt was a cosmopolitan, well-built, and spacious fellow, very solemn and chairman-looking. - Now, when the silly Gracehoper had jingled through a jungle of love and debts, and jangled through a jumble of life in doubts, wasting his substance among bumblebees and ladybirds, he fell sick and knew not where to turn for food and help. What a plight! He repented his folly and was melancholy.

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in his sands but his sunsunsuns still tumble on. Erething above ground, as his Book of Breathings bed him, so as everwhy, sham or shunner, zeemliangly to kick time.

Grouscious me and scarab my sahull What a bagateller it is! Libelulous! Inzanzarity! Pou! Pschla! Ptuh! What a zeit for the goths! vented the Ondt, who, not being a sommerfool, was thothfolly making chilly spaces at hisphex affront of the icinglass of his windhame, which was cold antitopically Nixnixundnix. We shall not come to party at that lopp's, he decided possibly, for he is not on our social list. Nor to Ba's berial nether, thon sloghard, this oldeborre's yaar ablong as there's a khul on a khat. Nefersenless, when he had safely looked up his ovipository, he loftet hails and prayed: May he me no voida water! Seekit Hatup! May no he me tile pig shed on! Suckit Hotup! As broad as Beppy's realm shall flourish my reign shall flourish! As high as

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Heppy's hevn shall flurrish my haine shall hurrish! Shall grow, shall flourish! Shall hurrish! Hummum.

The Ondt was a weltall fellow, raumybult and abelboobied, bynear saw altitudinous wee a schelling in kopfers. He was sair sair sullemn and chairmanlooking when he was not making spaces in his psyche, but, laus! when he wore making spaces on his ikey, he ware mouche mothst secred and muravyingly wisechairmanlooking. Now whim the sillybilly of a Gracehoper had jingled through a jungle of love and debts and jangled through a jumble of life in doubts afterworse, wetting with the bimblebeaks, drikking with nautonects, bilking with durrydunglecks and horing after ladybirdies (ichnehmon diagelegenaitoikon) he fell joust as
" ' He had eaten himself out of house and home; he had lived heartily. But when the winter storms came, he went out of his house and took a round stroll; and the winds were tearing everything to pieces.
" ' Blind as a batflea, he tosssed himself in the vico, $\{17\}$ wondering where would he light; and next time he meets the Ondt he will be lucky if he beholds not a world of differents. Behold His Majesty the Ondt upon his throne, smoking Havana cigars, handsomely clothed, relaxing in his sun parlour, seated before his tasty plate, as happy as a boy basking on the Libido, with Floh, Luse, Biennie, and Vespatilla. "Emmet and demmet and be jiltses crazed and be jadeses whipt!" sneezed the jealous Gracehoper, at his wit's end. "What do I see?"
" ‘ The Ondt, that perfect host, was having a wonderful time, blissful as a happy Mohammedan among houris. He was amusing himself chasing Floh, and tickling Luse, and tackling Bienie, and jucking Vespatilla. The verpatetic figure of Gracehoper, signifying chronic despair, was too much for the company. "Let him be the Weeper, with his parasites dropping away from him; I'll be the jolly one now! Let him be the one to write off his phoney stuff; I'm the one to make the melody that mints the money. Ad majorem Dei gloriam - and forpounds, shillings, pence! Capsizer of his own boat, now he seeks advice from me, the lord of loaves, whom he formerly despised. So be it! Let him receive now the weight of my wisdom."

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sieck as a sexton and tantoo pooveroo quant a churchprince, and 13 wheer the midges to wend hemsylph or vosch to sirch for grub for his corapusse or to find a hospes, alick, he wist gnit! Bruko dry! fuko spint! Sultamont osa bare! And volomundo osi videvide! Nichtsnichtsundnichts! Not one pickopeck of muscowmoney to bag a tittlebits of beebread! Iomio! Iomio! Crick's corbicule, which a plight! O moy Bog, he contrited with melanctholy. Meblizzered, him sluggered! I am heartily hungry!

He had eaten all the whilepaper, swallowed the lustres, devoured forty flights of styearcases, chewed up all the mensas and seccles, ronged the records, made mundballs of the ephemerids and vorasioused most glutinously with the very timeplace in the ternitary - not too dusty a cicada of neutriment for a chittinous chip so mitey. But when Chrysalmas was on the bare branches, off he went from Tingsomingenting. He took a round stroll and he took a stroll round and he took a round strollagain till the grillies in his head and the leivnits in his hair made him thought he had the Tossmania. Had he twicycled the sees of the deed and trestraversed their revermer? Was he come to hevre with his engiles or gone to hull with the poop? The June snows was flocking in thuckflues on the hegelstomes, millipeeds of it and myriopoods, and a lugly whizzling tournedos, the Boraborayellers, blohablasting tegolhuts up to tetties and ruching sleets off the coppeehouses, playing ragnowrock rignewreck, with an irritant, penetrant, siphonopterous spuk. Grausssssss! Opr! Graussssssss! Opr!

The Gracehoper who, though blind as batflea, yet knew, not a leetle beetle, his good smetterling of entymology asped nissunitimost lous nor liceens but promptly tossed himself in the vico, phthin and phthir, on top of his buzzer, tezzily wondering
" ‘ The thing pleased the Ondt; he laughed and he laughed; and he made such a noise the Gracehoper feared lest he misplace his throat.
" ‘ " I forgive you, Ondt," said the Gracehoper, weeping. "Take care of the girls; I commit them to your care. I played the piper, so now I must pay. And I accept your reproof, for, like Castor and Pollux, we are complementary twins. The prize of your save is the price of my spend. Ere those flirts now gadding about you quit your Mookse-like mocking for my Gripes-like groping, a stretch of time must elapse. But take stock of my tactics, and all's well; for as I view by your far-look, so should you hale yourself to my heal. Regard my thin wines, while I see your whole bread chest. In my laughable universe you'd find such prodigious beforeness with so much behind. Your feats are enormous, your volumes immense; your genius is world wide, your space is sublime! But, Holy St. Martin, why can't you beat time?" " " $\{18\}$

And Shaun concludes with the sign of the cross: "In the name of the former and of the latter and of their holocaust, all men."

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wheer would his aluck alight or boss of both appease and the 7 next time he makes the aquinatance of the Ondt after this they 8 have met themselves, these mouschical umsummables, it shall be 9 motylucky if he will beheld not a world of differents. Behailed 10 His Gross the Ondt, prostrandvorous upon his dhrone, in his 11 Papylonian babooshkees, smolking a spatial brunt of Hosana 12 cigals, with unshrinkables farfalling from his unthinkables, swarming of himself in his sunnyroom, sated before his comfortumble phullupsuppy of a plate o'monkynous and a confucion14 of minthe (for he was a conformed aceticist and aristotaller), as 16 appi as a oneysucker or a baskerboy on the Libido, with Floh biting his leg thigh and Luse lugging his luff leg and Bieni bussing him under his bonnet and Vespatilla blowing cosy fond tutties up the allabroad length of the large of his smalls. As entomate as intimate could pinchably be. Emmet and demmet and be jiltses crazed and be jadeses whipt! schneezed the Gracehoper, aguepe with ptchjelasys and at his wittol's indts, what have eyeforsight!

The Ondt, that true and perfect host, a spiter aspinne, was making the greatest spass a body could with his queens laceswinging for he was spizzing all over him like thingsumanything in formicolation, boundlessly blissfilled in an allallahbath of houris. He was ameising himself hugely at crabround and marypose, chasing Floh out of charity and tickling Luse, I hope too, and tackling Bienie, faith, as well, and jucking Vespatilla jukely by the chimiche. Never did Dorsan from Dunshanagan dance it with more devilry! The veripatetic imago of the impossible Gracehoper on his odderkop in the myre, after his thrice ephemeral journeeys, sans mantis ne shooshooe, featherweighed animule, actually and presumptuably sinctifying chronic's despair, was sufficiently and probably coocoo much for his chorous

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Similarly in III, i, the Ass puts to Shaun the Post a series of needling questions, designed to get Shaun to admit knowledge of letters, of the sexual female letter Delta (q.v.), knowledge Shaun gained and then denied in "Night Lessons." Shaun eats and grows, shows himself conceited, merciless, prudent, but no, no, no, he knows nothing about money or sex - no, no, no, he never spent it! Some day he will write a defense of himself, a "savings book," dedicated to Swift's Stella (q.v.), a woman killed with coldness. In "The Ondt and the Gracehoper" (q.v.), a companion piece to "The Mookse and the Gripes" (q.v.; see also Dives and Lazarus), Shaun is the prudent Ondt who forgoes girls in this world so he can have houris in heaven.
of gravitates. Let him be Artalone the Weeps with his parisites ..... 1
peeling off him I'll be Highfee the Crackasider. Flunkey Footle ..... 2
furloughed foul, writing off his phoney, but Conte Carme makes ..... 3
the melody that mints the money. Ad majorem l.s.d.! Divi gloriam. ..... 4
A darkener of the threshold. Haru? Orimis, capsizer of his ant- ..... 5
boat, sekketh rede from Evil-it-is, lord of loaves in Amongded. ..... 6
Be it! So be it! Thou-who-thou-art, the fleet-as-spindhrift, ..... 7
impfang thee of mine wideheight. Haru! ..... 8
The thing pleased him andt, and andt, ..... 9
He larved ond he larved on he merd such a nauses ..... 10
The Gracehoper feared he would mixplace his fauces. ..... 11
I forgive you, grondt Ondt, said the Gracehoper, weeping, ..... 12
For their sukes of the sakes you are safe in whose keeping. ..... 13
Teach Floh and Luse polkas, show Bienie where's sweet ..... 14
And be sure Vespatilla fines fat ones to heat. ..... 15
As I once played the piper I must now pay the count ..... 16
So saida to Moyhammlet and marhaba to your Mount! ..... 17
Let who likes lump above so what flies be a full 'un; ..... 18
I could not feel moregruggy if this was prompollen. ..... 19
I pick up your reproof, the horsegift of a friend, ..... 20
For the prize of your save is the price of my spend. ..... 21
Can castwhores pulladeftkiss if oldpollocks forsake 'em ..... 22
Or Culex feel etchy if Pulex don't wake him? ..... 23
A locus to loue, a term it t'embarass, ..... 24
These twain are the twins that tick Homo Vulgaris. ..... 25
Has Aquileone nort winged to go syf ..... 26

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Since the Gwyfyn we were in his farrest drewbryf ..... 27
And that Accident Man not beseeked where his story ends ..... 28
Since longsephyring sighs sought heartseast for their orience? ..... 29
We are Wastenot with Want, precondamned, two and true, ..... 30
Till Nolans go volants and Bruneyes come blue. ..... 31
Ere those gidflirts now gadding you quit your mocks for my gropes ..... 32
Of my tectucs takestock, tinktact, and ail's weal; ..... 33
As I view by your farlook hale yourself to my heal. ..... 34
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Partiprise my thinwhins whiles my blink points unbroken on ..... 1
Your whole's whercabroads with Tout's trightyright token on. ..... 2
My in risible universe youdly haud find ..... 3
Sulch oxtrabeeforeness meat soveal behind. ..... 4
Your feats end enormous, your volumes immense, ..... 5
(May the Graces I hoped for sing your Ondtship song sense!), ..... 6
Your genus its worldwide, your spacest sublime! ..... 7
But, Holy Saltmartin, why can't you beat time? ..... 8
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caust. Allmen. ..... 10
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## 10. St Patrick and the ArchDruid

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Adaline Glasheen: Third Census of Finnegans Wake. 1977.

## SkeletonKey Summary

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gers the thingaviking. Obning shotly. When the messanger of
the risen sun, (see other oriel) shall give to every seeable a hue and to every hearable a cry and to each spectacle his spot and to each happening her houram. The while we, we are waiting, we are waiting for. Hymn.

Muta: Quodestnunc fumusiste volhvuns ex Domoyno?
Juva: It is Old Head of Kettle puffing off the top of the mornin.
Muta: He odda be thorly well ashamed of himself for smoking before the high host.

Juva: Dies is Dorminus master and commandant illy tono-

Muta: Diminussed aster! An I could peecieve amonkst the gatherings who ever they wolk in process? porters of bonzos, pompommy plonkyplonk, the ghariwallahs, moveyovering the cabrattlefield of slaine.

brass. ..... 29

Juva: Khubadah! It is the Chrystanthemlander with his ..... 32porters of bonzos, pompommy plonkyplonk, the ghariwallahs,19202122324252626
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A.D. 432
[ All is now in readiness for the crucial moment of Part Four; the crucial moment indeed of history; the moment of the renovating impulse. This crisis is represented by the arrival in Ireland of St. Patrick (about 432 A. D.) and his debate with the Archdruid before High King Lughaire \| pronounced Leary |. The archdruid is called Bulkily, Balkelly, and Burkeley and speaks his piece in Chinese pidgin; Patrick speaks in Japanese pidgin and is called the Eurasian Generalissimo. We behold here a curious convergence of many themes.

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Muta: Pongo da Banza! An I would uscertain in druidful scatterings one piece tall chap he stand one piece same place?

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Juva: Bulkily: and he is fundementially theosophagusted over 1 the whorse proceedings.

Muta: Petrificationibus! O horild haraflare! Who his dickhuns now rearrexes from undernearth the memorialorum?

Juva: Beleave filmly, beleave! Fing Fing! King King!
Muta: Ulloverum? Fulgitudo ejus Rhedonum teneat!
Juva: Rolantlossly! Till the tipp of his ziff. And the ubideintia of the savium is our ervics fenicitas.

Muta: Why soly smiles the supremest with such for a leary on his rugular lips?

Juva: Bitchorbotchum! Eebrydime! He has help his crewn on the burkeley buy but he has holf his crown on the Eurasian Generalissimo.

Muta: Skulkasloot! The twyly velleid is thus then paridicynical?

Juva: Ut vivat volumen sic pereat pouradosus!
Muta: Haven money on stablecert?
Juva: Tempt to wom Outsider!
Muta: Suc? He quoffs. Wutt?
Juva: Sec! Wartar wartar! Wett.
Muta: Ad Piabelle et Purabelle?
Juva: At Winne, Woermann og Sengs.
Muta: So that when we shall have acquired unification we
shall pass on to diversity and when we shall have passed on to
diversity we shall have acquired the instinct of combat and when
[ The name of the archdruid suggests, in the first place, the Irish metaphysician George Berkeley (16851753). The druid's strictly idealistic philosophy, too, is strongly Berkeleyan in character, with a flavouring of Kant. Practical, hard-headed St. Patrick, on the other hand, though unable quite to follow the trend of the druid's transcendentalist argument, knows well enough how to give a popular reply. As the representative of the Rock of Peter he is the protagonist of effective action. He simply cuts the gloriously involved Gordian knot of metaphysics with a sharp, good-enough retort, and wins from the populace a triumphant cheer. With that stroke, the deep night of druidical brooding is dispelled and the way is opened for the day of progressive action. The logic of Finnegans Wake itself, which is the logic of slumber and druidic myth, is overcome by St Patrisk's blow. This is the moment of transition into waking life: from here on the book slides quickly toward the opening of the eyes to day.
[ The name of the archdruid suggests, in the second place, Buckley, who shot the Russian General; and this suggestion is supported by the designation of St Patrick as the Eurasian Generalissimo. In the depths of

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we shall have acquired the instinct of combat we shall pass back to the spirit of appeasement?

Juva: By the light of the bright reason which daysends to us from the high.

Muta: May I borrow that hordwanderbaffle from you, old rubberskin?

Juva: Here it is and I hope it's your wormingpen, Erinmonker!31

Shoot.
Rhythm and Colour at Park Mooting. Peredos Last in the
Grand Natural. Velivision victor. Dubs newstage oldtime turftussle, recalling Winny Willy Widger. Two draws. Heliotrope

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leads from Harem. Three ties. Jockey the Ropper jerks Jake the
Rape. Paddrock and bookley chat.
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Tunc. Bymeby, bullocky vampas tappany bobs topside joss
pidgin fella Balkelly, archdruid of islish chinchinjoss in the his heptachromatic sevenhued septicoloured roranyellgreenlindigan mantle finish he show along the his mister guest Patholic with alb belongahim the whose throat hum with of sametime all the his cassock groaner fellas of greysfriaryfamily he fast all time what time all him monkafellas with Same Patholic, quoniam, speeching, yeh not speeching noh man liberty is, he drink up words, scilicet, tomorrow till recover will not, all too many much illusiones through photoprismic velamina of hueful panepiphanal world spectacurum of Lord Joss, the of which zoantholitic furniture, from mineral through vegetal to animal, not appear to full up to-
sleep it was Buckley who won, but in the course of daylight history it will be the General. $\{19\}$ The theme of imperialism developed in the Butt and Taff episodes (FW338 to 355) here becomes expanded and clarified. Rome, Russia, England, and Japan coalesce as representatives of successful statecraft, in opposition to the Gnostic, Individualistic, Irish, Taoist combination of the druid. The former is Shaunish, the latter Shemmish; the former is lord of the day, the latter of night.
[ Just as Patrick's triumph comes at the point of waking, so his opposite's, Buckley's, came in the middledepth of night. And if we turn back, now, to the very early encounter of Mutt and Jute, we shall see in it the prelude to Buckley's conquest: Mutt, the representative of the dark world, pointed out to Jute, the blond conqueror, the marvels of his dream landscape and elicited from him an exclamation of awe.
[ As if to stress the continuity of Mutt and Jute, Butt and Taff, and Druid/Patrick episodes, Joyce opens the present scene with a discussion between two queer fellows Muta and Juva, who are watching from a distance the arrival of the saint and his train of packbearers. ]


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gether fallen man than under but one photoreflection of the 16 several iridals gradationes of solar light, that one which that part17 of it (furnit of heupanepi world) had shown itself (part of fur of huepanwor) unable to absorbere, whereas for numpa one puraduxed seer in seventh degree of wisdom of Entis-Onton he savvy 2019 inside true inwardness of reality, the Ding hvad in idself id est, all objects (of panepiwor) allside showed themselves in trues coloribus resplendent with sextuple gloria of light actually retained, untisintus, inside them (obs of epiwo). Rumnant Patholic, stareotypopticus, no catch all that preachybook, utpiam, tomorrow recover thing even is not, bymeby vampsybobsy tappanasbullocks topside joss pidginfella Bilkilly-Belkelly say patfella, ontesantes, twotime hemhaltshealing, with other words verbigratiagrading from murmurulentous till stridulocelerious in a hunghoranghoangoly tsinglontseng while his comprehendurient, with diminishing claractinism, augumentationed himself in caloripeia to vision so throughsighty, you anxioust melancholic, High Thats Hight Uberking Leary his fiery grassbelonghead all show colour of sorrelwood herbgreen, again, niggerblonker, of the his essixcoloured holmgrewnworsteds costume the his fellow saffron pettikilt look same hue of boiled spinasses,

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other thing, voluntary mutismuser, he not compyhandy the his golden twobreasttorc look justsamelike curlicabbis, moreafter, to pace negativisticists, verdant readyrainroof belongahim Exuber superexuberabundancy plenty laurel leaves, after that commander bulopent eyes of Most Highest Ardreetsar King same

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2. The colloquy between St Patrick and Archdruid Berkeley before King Leary (q.q.v.) is something I don't understand - by all means see First Draft where the passage is given in its plainest form, which seems to say that color is determined by the nature of the light in which it occurs. In the uncertain light of dusk, Shem failed in "The Mime" to guess Issy's color, heliotrope; in the uncertain light of dawn (whose colors are the reverse of sunset's) Shem-Patrick guesses right or at any rate, achieves a "practical solution." Patrick, the stranger, wins a prize that must be Ireland. Note that Saints Kevin and Patrick find practical solution to woman-as-water and woman-as-seven-colors. Note too, both legends were formerly told in reverse. Now they are told as received (in their daylight mode?): St Kevin did not yield to tempting woman; St Patrick did overcome the Archdruid. It is possible (I don't make it out) that King Leary links with St Laurence ("Larry") O'Toole because they both let the stranger-i.e., Patrick, the Anglo-Normans, into Ireland.
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pancosmos. With a hottyhammyum all round. Gudstruce! 12
Yet is no body present here which was not there before. Only 13
is order othered. Nought is nulled. Fuitfiat! 14

THIS INTERLUDE should end here !

Muta: Quodestnunc fumusiste volhvuns ex Domoyno? 24
Juva: It is Old Head of Kettle puffing off the top of the mornin. 25
Muta: He odda be thorly well ashamed of himself for smoking 26
before the high host. 27
Juva: Dies is Dorminus master and commandant illy tono- 28
brass. 29
Muta: Diminussed aster! An I could peecieve amonkst the 30
gatherings who ever they wolk in process? 31
Juva: Khubadah! It is the Chrystanthemlander with his 32
porters of bonzos, pompommy plonkyplonk, the ghariwallahs, 33

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Muta: Pongo da Banza! An I would uscertain in druidful 35
scatterings one piece tall chap he stand one piece same place? 36

FW610

Juva: Bulkily: and he is fundementially theosophagusted over 1
the whorse proceedings. 2
Muta: Petrificationibus! O horild haraflare! Who his dickhuns 3
now rearrexes from undernearth the memorialorum? 4
Juva: Beleave filmly, beleave! Fing Fing! King King! 5
Muta: Ulloverum? Fulgitudo ejus Rhedonum teneat! 6
Juva: Rolantlossly! Till the tipp of his ziff. And the ubideintia 7

## of the savium is our ervics fenicitas. <br> 8

Muta: Why soly smiles the supremest with such for a leary on 9
his rugular lips? 10
Juva: Bitchorbotchum! Eebrydime! He has help his crewn on 11
the burkeley buy but he has holf his crown on the Eurasian 12
Generalissimo. 13
Muta: Skulkasloot! The twyly velleid is thus then paridi- 14
cynical? 15
Juva: Ut vivat volumen sic pereat pouradosus! 16
Muta: Haven money on stablecert? 17
Juva: Tempt to wom Outsider! 18
Muta: Suc? He quoffs. Wutt? 19
Juva: Sec! Wartar wartar! Wett. 20
Muta: Ad Piabelle et Purabelle? 21
Juva: At Winne, Woermann og Sengs. 22
Muta: So that when we shall have acquired unification we 23
shall pass on to diversity and when we shall have passed on to 24
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| diversity we shall have acquired the instinct of combat and when we shall have acquired the instinct of combat we shall pass back to the spirit of appeasement? |  |
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| Juva: By the light of the bright reason which daysends to us from the high. |  |
| Muta: May I borrow that hordwanderbaffle from you, old rubberskin? |  |
| Juva: Here it is and I hope it's your wormingpen, Erinmonker! Shoot. <br> Rhythm and Colour at Park Mooting. Peredos Last in the |  |
| Grand Natural. Velivision victor. Dubs newstage oldtime turftussle, recalling Winny Willy Widger. Two draws. Heliotrope |  |
| FW611 |  |
| leads from Harem. Three ties. Jockey the Ropper jerks Jake the |  |
| Rape. Paddrock and bookley chat. |  |
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all objects (of panepiwor) allside showed themselves in trues 22
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ting everywhencewithersoever among skullhullows and charnel- ..... 20
cysts of a weedwastewoldwevild when Ralph the Retriever ..... 21ranges to jawrode his knuts knuckles and her theas thighs; one-
gugulp down of the nauseous forere brarkfarsts oboboomaround ..... 23
and you're as paint and spickspan as a rainbow; wreathe the bowl ..... 24
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chlorid cup. ..... 26

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minous; there is bound to be a lovleg day for mirrages in the29
open; Murnane and Aveling are undertoken to berry that ort- ..... 30
chert: provided that. You got to make good that breachsuit, ..... 31
seamer. You going to haulm port houlm, toilermaster. You yet ..... 32
must get up to kill (nonparticular). You still stand by and do as ..... 33
hit (private). While for yous, Jasminia Aruna and all your likers, ..... 34
affinitatively must it be by you elected if Monogynes his is or ..... 35
hers Diander, the tubous, limbersome and nectarial. Owned or ..... 36
FW614
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ing leaving several rinsings so as each rinse results with a dap- ..... 5
perent rolle, cuffs for meek and chokers for sheek and a kink in ..... 6
the pacts for namby. Forbeer, forbear! For nought that is has ..... 7
bane. In mournenslaund. Themes have thimes and habit reburns. ..... 8
To flame in you. Ardor vigor forders order. Since ancient was ..... 9
our living is in possible to be. Delivered as. Caffirs and culls and ..... 10
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storridge can make them. Whichus all claims. Clean. Whenast- ..... 12
cleeps. Close. And the mannormillor clipperclappers. Noxt. Doze. ..... 13
Fennsense, finnsonse, aworn! Tuck upp those wide shorts. ..... 14
The pink of the busket for sheer give. Peeps. Stand up to hard ..... 15
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tion wons agame. 18
What has gone? How it ends? 19
Begin to forget it. It will remember itself from every sides, with 20
all gestures, in each our word. Today's truth, tomorrow's trend. 21
Forget, remember! 22
Have we cherished expectations? Are we for liberty of peru- 23
siveness? Whyafter what forewhere? A plainplanned liffeyism 24
assemblements Eblania's conglomerate horde. By dim delty Deva. 25
Forget!25

Our wholemole millwheeling vicociclometer, a tetradoma- 27
tional gazebocroticon (the "Mamma Lujah" known to every 28
schoolboy scandaller, be he Matty, Marky, Lukey or John-a- 29
Donk), autokinatonetically preprovided with a clappercoupling 30
smeltingworks exprogressive process, (for the farmer, his son and 31
their homely codes, known as eggburst, eggblend, eggburial and 32
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separated elements of precedent decomposition for the verypet- 34
purpose of subsequent recombination so that the heroticisms, 35
catastrophes and eccentricities transmitted by the ancient legacy 36

## 11. The Honuphrius

## Finnegans Wake 572.21-573.35

Joseph Campbell and Henry Morton Robinson: A Skeleton Key to Finnegans Wake. 1944.
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tinely by Barnabas, the advocate of Honuphrius, an immoral person who has been corrupted by Jeremias. Gillia, (a cooler blend, D'Alton insists) ex equo with Poppea, Arancita, Clara,

## FW573

Marinuzza, Indra and Iodina, has been tenderly debauched (in Halliday's view), by Honuphrius, and Magravius knows from spies that Anita has formerly committed double sacrilege with Michael, vulgo Cerularius, a perpetual curate, who wishes to seduce Eugenius. Magravius threatens to have Anita molested by Sulla, an orthodox savage (and leader of a band of twelve mercenaries, the Sullivani), who desires to procure Felicia for Gregorius, Leo, Vitellius and Macdugalius, four excavators, if she will not yield to him and also deceive Honuphrius by rendering conjugal duty when demanded. Anita who claims to have discovered incestuous temptations from Jeremias and Eugenius would yield to the lewdness of Honuphrius to appease the savagery of Sulla and the mercernariness of the twelve Sullivani, and (as Gilbert at first suggested), to save the virginity of Felicia for Magravius when converted by Michael after the death of Gillia, but she fears that, by allowing his marital rights she may cause reprehensible conduct between Eugenius and Jeremias. Michael, who has formerly debauched Anita, dispenses her from yielding to Honuphrius who pretends publicly to possess his conjunct in thirtynine several manners (turpiter! affirm ex cathedris Gerontes Cambronses) for carnal hygiene whenever he has rendered himself impotent to consummate by subdolence. Anita is disturbed but Michael comminates that he will reserve her case tomorrow for the ordinary Guglielmus1

Jeremias, Eugenius, and Felicia. She is informed by her tirewoman (Fortissa) that Honuphrius has confessed to instructing his slave (Mauritius) to urge his friend (Magravius) to solicit her chastity. Anita knows that the schismatical wife of Magravius (Gillia) has been debauched by Honuphrius and is now visited by Honuphrius' advocate (Barnabas) who was himself corrupted by Jeremias. Anita discovers incestuous temptations from Jeremias and Eugenius. Anita has been threatened by Magravius with molestation from a certain orthodox savage (Sulla), if she will not yield to him and also render conjugal duty to Honuphrius. She would yield to Honuphrius to save the virginity of Felicia for Magravius, but fears that by allowing his marital rights she may cause reprehensible conduct between Jeremias and Eugenius. She is dispensed by her priest (Michael), under pain of anathema, from yielding to Honuphrius. Four Excavators (Gregorius, Leo, Vitellius, and Macdugalus) warn her through her tirewoman (Fortissa) of strong chastisements by Honuphrius, and advise her to submit to Honuphrius. They describe, also, as a warning, the depravities practised by the savage (Sulla) on the wife of Honuphrius' slave (Canicula).

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even if she should practise a pious fraud during affrication 25 which, from experience, she knows (according to Wadding), 26 to be leading to nullity. Fortissa, however, is encouraged by Gregorius, Leo, Viteilius, and Magdugalius, reunitedly, to warn27

Anita by describing the strong chastisements of Honuphrius and the depravities (turpissimas!) of Canicula, the deceased wife of Mauritius, with Sulla, the simoniac, who is abnegand and repents. Has he hegemony and shall she submit?

Translate a lax, you breed a bradaun. In the goods of Cape and Chattertone, deceased.

| This, lay readers and gentilemen, is perhaps the commonest | 34 |
| :--- | :--- |

The case has been reviewed by the following theorists: Ware, D'Alton, Halliday, Gilbert, Wadding, and D'Oyly
Owens. The question is: Has Honuphrius hegemony and shall Anita submit?
[ The second phase of the discussion (FW573 to FW576) reviews the history of the case. ]

The court rules that so long as there is a joint deposit account in the two names a mutual obligation is posited.


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Virgin and Child between St John the Baptist and St Onuphrius. Neapolitan School, $16^{\text {th }} \mathrm{c}$

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# Raw Data in the quest for an Answer to the Laborious Question - 

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# Honuphrius $\equiv$ Humphrey! 



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## Saint Onuphrius

My Penguin Dictionary of Saints (1965 / 1973), compiled by Donald Attwater, does not-quite inexplicably! - mention him at all, at all! Not even under Saint Paphnutius, who is there in force, with an entry 20 lines long. So, I had to resort to the Internet, which gives him, quite naturally, pride of place, as follows:

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"Hermit for 70 years in the desert near Thebais, Upper Egypt. He sought to imitate the solitude and privations of Saint John the Baptist, and lived on the the fruits of a date tree and a palm-tree that grew near his cell. Popular in the Middle Ages, initially with monks and then in general, he became associated with weavers because he was depicted "dressed only in his own abundant hair, and a loin-cloth of leaves".

Died: c.400. Buried by Saint Paphnutius who had come to him to learn if the hermit's life was for him. Paphnutius buried Onuphrius in a hole in the mountainside; the hole immediately disappeared.

Representation: old hermit dressed only in long hair and a loincloth of leaves; hermit with an angel bringing him the Eucharist or bread; hermit with a crown at his feet; hermit being buried by two lions (his story was sometimes confused with Saint Jerome's).

Additional information: Book of Saints, by the Monks of Ramsgate; Our Sunday Visitor's Encyclopedia of Saints, by Matthew Bunson, Margaret Bunson, and Stephen Bunson."

# Venerable Onuphrius the Great 

## Commemorated on 12 June

St Paphnutius, who led an ascetical life in the Thebaid desert in Egypt, has left us an account of St Onuphrius the Great and the Lives of other fourth century hermits: Timothy the Desert Dweller, the abbas Andrew, Charalampus, Theophilus, and others.

It occurred to St Paphnutius to go to the inner desert in order to see if there were a monk who labored for the Lord more than he did. He took a little bread and water and went into the most remote part of the desert. After four days he reached a cave and found in it the body of an Elder who had been dead for several years. Having buried the hermit, St Paphnutius went on farther. After several more days he found another cave, and from the marks in the sand he realized that the cave was inhabited. At sundown he saw a herd of buffalo and walking among them a man. This man was naked, but was covered with long hair as if with clothing. This was Abba Timothy the Desert-Dweller.

Seeing a fellow man, Abba Timothy thought that he was seeing an apparition, and he began to pray. St Paphnutius finally convinced the hermit that he was actually a living man and a


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fellow Christian. Abba Timothy prepared food and water for him. He related that he had been living in the desert for thirty years, and that St Paphnutius was the first man he had seen. In his youth, Timothy had lived in a cenobitic monastery, but he wanted to live alone. Abba Timothy left his monastery and went to live near a city, sustaining himself by the work of his own hands (he was a weaver). Once a woman came to him with an order and he fell into sin with her. Having come to his senses, the fallen monk went far into the desert, where he patiently endured tribulation and sickness. When he was at the point of dying from hunger, he received healing in a miraculous manner.

From that time Abba Timothy had lived peacefully in complete solitude, eating dates from the trees, and quenching his thirst with water from a spring. St Paphnutius besought the Elder that he might remain with him in the wilderness. But he was told that he would be unable to bear the demonic temptations which beset desert-dwellers. Instead, he supplied him with dates and water, and blessed him to go on his way.

Having rested at a desert monastery, St Paphnutius undertook a second journey into the innermost desert, hoping to find another holy ascetic who would profit his soul. He went on for seventeen days, until his supply of bread and water was exhausted. St Paphnutius collapsed twice from weakness, and an angel strengthened him.

On the seventeenth day St Paphnutius reached a hilly place and sat down to rest. Here he caught sight of a man approaching him, who was covered from head to foot with white hair and girded his loins with leaves of desert plants. The sight of the Elder frightened Abba Paphnutius, and he jumped up and fled up the hill. The Elder sat down at the foot of the hill. Lifting his head, he saw St Paphnutius, and called him to come down. This was the great desert-dweller, Abba Onuphrius. At the request of St Paphnutius, he told him about himself.


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St Onuphrius had lived in complete isolation in the wilds of the wilderness for sixty years. In his youth he had been raised at the Eratus monastery near the city of Hermopolis. Having learned from the holy Fathers about the hardships and lofty life of the desert-dwellers, to whom the Lord sent help through His angels, St Onuphrius longed to imitate their exploits. He secretly left the monastery one night and saw a brilliant ray of light before him. St Onuphrius became frightened and decided to go back, but the voice of his Guardian Angel told him to go into the desert to serve the Lord.

After walking six or seven miles, he saw a cave. At that moment the ray of light vanished. In the cave was an old man. St Onuphrius stayed with him to learn of his manner of life and his struggle with demonic temptations. When the Elder was convinced that St Onuphrius had been enlightened somewhat, he then led him to another cave and left him there alone to struggle for the Lord. The Elder visited him once a year, until he fell asleep in the Lord.

At the request of St Paphnutius, Abba Onuphrius told him of his labours and ascetic feats, and of how the Lord had cared for him. Near the cave where he lived was a date-palm tree and a spring of pure water issued forth. Twelve different branches of the palm tree bore fruit each month in succession, and so the monk endured neither hunger nor thirst. The shade of the palm tree sheltered him from the noonday heat. An angel brought Holy Communion to the saint each Saturday and Sunday, and to the other desert-dwellers as well.

The monks conversed until evening, when Abba Paphnutius noticed a loaf of white bread lying between them, and also a vessel of water. After eating, the Elders spent the night in prayer. After the singing of the morning hymns, St Paphnutius saw that the face of the venerable Onuphrius had become transformed, and that frightened him. St Onuphrius said, "God, Who is Merciful to all, has sent you to me so that you might bury my body. Today I shall finish my


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earthly course and depart to my Christ, to live forever in eternal rest." St Onuphrius then asked Abba Paphnutius to remember him to all the brethren, and to all Christians.

St Paphnutius wanted to remain there after the death of Abba Onuphrius. However, the holy ascetic told him that it was not God's will for him to stay there, he was to return to his own monastery instead and tell everyone about the virtuous lives of the desert-dwellers. Having then blessed Abba Paphnutius and bid him farewell, St Onuphrius prayed with tears and sighs, and then he lay down upon the earth, uttering his final words, "Into Thy hands, my God, I commend my spirit," and died.

St Paphnutius wept and tore off a portion of his garment, and with it covered the body of the great ascetic. He placed it in the crevice of a large rock, which was hollow like a grave, and covered it over with a multitude of small stones. Then he began to pray that the Lord would permit him to remain in that place until the end of his life. Suddenly, the cave fell in, the palm tree withered, and the spring of water dried up. Realising that he had not been given a blessing to remain, St Paphnutius set out on his return journey.

After four days Abba Paphnutius reached a cave, where he met an ascetic, who had lived in the desert for more than 60 years. Except for the two other Elders, with whom he labored, this monk had seen no one in all that time. Each week these three had gone on their solitary paths into the wilderness, and on Saturday and Sunday they gathered for psalmody, and ate the bread which an angel brought them. Since it was Saturday, they had gathered together. After eating the bread provided by the angel, they spent the whole night at prayer. As he was leaving, St Paphnutius asked the names of the Elders, but they said, "God, Who knows everything, also knows our names. Remember us, that we may see one another in God's heavenly habitations."

Continuing on his way, St Paphnutius came upon an oasis which impressed him with its


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beauty and abundance of fruit-bearing trees. Four youths inhabiting this place came to him from out of the wilderness. The youths told Abba Paphnutius that in their childhood they had lived in the city of Oxyrhynchus (Upper Thebaid) and they had studied together. They had burned with the desire to devote their lives to God. Making their plans to go off into the desert, the young men left the city and after several days' journey, they reached this place.

A man radiant with heavenly glory met them and led them to a desert Elder. "We have lived here six years already," said the youths. "Our Elder dwelt here one year and then he died. Now we live here alone, we eat the fruit of the trees, and we have water from a spring." The youths gave him their names, they were Sts John, Andrew, Heraklemon and Theophilus (Dec. 2).

The youths struggled separately the whole week long, but on Saturday and Sunday they gathered at the oasis and offered up common prayer. On these days an angel would appear and commune them with the Holy Mysteries. This time however, for Abba Paphnutius' sake, they did not go off into the desert, but spent the whole week together at prayer. On the following Saturday and Sunday St Paphnutius together with the youths was granted to receive the Holy Mysteries from the hands of the angel and to hear these words, "Receive the Imperishable Food, unending bliss and life eternal, the Body and Blood of the Lord Jesus Christ, our God."

St Paphnutius made bold to ask the angel for permission to remain in the desert to the end of his days. The angel replied that God had decreed another path for him. He was to return to Egypt and tell the Christians of the life of the desert-dwellers.

Having bid farewell to the youths, St Paphnutius reached the edge of the wilderness after a three-day journey. Here he found a small skete, and the brethren received him with love. Abba Paphnutius related everything that he had learned about the holy Fathers whom he had encountered in the desert. The brethren wrote a detailed account of what St Paphnutius said,


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and deposited it in the church, where all who wished to do so could read it. St Paphnutius gave thanks to God, Who had granted him to learn about the exalted lives of the hermits of the Thebaid, and he returned to his own monastery.

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St Onuphrius
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## A Tale of Saint Onuphrius



Onuphria was a pious young woman who lived with her family in the village. Despite her youth, she was already well known for the quality of her weaving. She was also known for her tremendous beauty. Many a suitor came to Onuphria's family home, but her parents wanted for her only the best-someone with money. One day, a wealthy merchant came to ask for Onuphria's hand. Savvy, though foolish and burning with lust for her, the merchant saw at once that the prize was his for the asking. And, indeed, Onuphria's parents consented to the marriage almost immediately. The betrothal ceremony was to take place the next day. Determined not to fall into the hands of one so rough, Onuphria meditated and prayed all night. She turned the hand of God to her face and made upon it a long beard. At church the next day, no one suspected anything until Onuphria drew back her veil. The merchant was revolted and stormed out. Onuphria's parents accused her of commerce with the devil. Outraged, they ordered her away.

Guided by the Deity, Onuphria ran away into the forest and entered a cave. She removed her maiden's clothing and burned them. For twelve years, Onuphria lived simply in the cave. She ate little, prayed and meditated, and listened only to the voice of God. Her hair and beard grew very long,


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disguising her female form. During this time seekers of wisdom began to speak of a wise old hermit in the woods, a saint. Word of this holy one spread.

One day, a young man came to the mouth of the cave seeking spiritual guidance. He , too, was a renunciant.
"Holy and wise old man, how shall I call you?"
"Call me Onuphrius. You may come in."
The young man entered the cave.
"Onuphrius, though I am still quite young, I have abstained from sensuous pleasures for many years. I pray at every hour. And I have never looked upon the form of a woman. Tell me what else I may do in order that I may become as God wishes me to be?"

Onuphrius, a kindly saint, chuckled. "Had you never looked upon a woman's form, you would not be standing here. Nevertheless, you speak a kind of truth and your heart is pure. I shall instruct you as you ask."

Onuphrius proposed an initiatory test of the young man's purity. He told the seeker that he would, that very night, send him a woman in his dreams to see how he would react. The young man respected the wisdom of the saint.

That night, Onuphrius drew upon his holy powers to restore his former appearance. Then, by the gentle force of his attention, he awoke the young man who slept on the floor of the cave. Awestuck and overcome by the beauty of the maiden before him, the seeker ejaculated. Onuphrius immediately sent the man to sleep again and restored his own prodigious beard. The next morning, the seeker awoke and remembered what had happened. Distraught, he cast his soiled loincloth into the fire, bathed himself in icy waters, and determined thenceforth to wear only thorns and nettles against his private parts.


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"Shall I take myself away from you, then? I fear I am unworthy to remain in your sight."
Onuphrius laughed softly and shook his head. "So you lack the mastery you thought you had. Learning this is a good thing. Do not despair, my son. Wait and see what God has in mind. Thanks to your humility, redemption is surely at hand. Last night, God showed me a vision. I saw the hand of God come down and remove the blight from a field. This means that God will soon heal the cause of your present sorrow.

The young man, though still disturbed at heart, was comforted. Onuphrius and the young man spent the day in prayer and meditation.

That night, while the young man slept on the cave floor, Onuphrius again used his magic powers, this time changing the young man into a woman. The next morning, the young woman, still thinking she was a young man, wept in despair.
"I knew it! God has cursed me for my sin."
Onuphrius smiled kindly and said: "So, though you made a fool of yourself only yesterday, today you claim to know the mind of God? Do you not remember my vision? God has taken away what caused you sorrow. Everything has happened as I said."

The young woman remembered and was struck with awe. Onuphrius and the renunciant spent the day in prayer and mediation.

On the third day, as they sat together in the cave, Saint Onuphrius said to the young woman, I will show you a dream of renunciation.

Onuphrius caused the woman to fall asleep and to dream that she was back in the village. She married there and had a son. Years passed. One day the woman's son fell ill and died. A bearded sage was said to be passing through the town. The desperate young woman carried her son's corpse to the sage and begged him to help her.


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The sage said: "Not even I can raise the dead. But it doesn't matter. Don't you remember that I told you that I would send you to sleep, and make you dream? This is your dream." The young woman remembered and stopped crying. She left the sage and gave her son a proper burial. Whereupon she awoke inside the cave.
"Now," said Onuphrius, "I have one final vision to show you". Onuphrius lifted his beard and revealed his breasts. "Do you understand?" he asked.
"Yes," replied the renunciant. And she went back into the village, found a wise and worthy husband, and raised many children.
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