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during shlepping

"the presidin't,
the presidin't"

go "down" to
get way up front

moniker for...?

lewd...colonasty

kinky condy

mess you

kuwait for me...?

Or, Quatar I have a word...?

Burn'n bush, now
and then

oil and vinigger
notes: "dear...

blare to hit lair

(party poopers)

porn
coon, I

halve a talk with you

sex
stream

FU

Know thyself?

troop tween
words and things

Who's on top
"Car Tune"
(libretto "commissioned" by Don Byron for 1996 European Tour, recorded hear and there)

This is a car...
va-va-vroom!

And dis...
beep beep!
a car toon!

Dis art a...
tsk, tsk, tsk!
tart tune
go'n down South in a car
Lyin' about a

wreck'd

Car characterized char actor eyed
as a tarcoon!

Hue U taint so...

Demonicalit'sacomicallymoniacalmethodicallyironi
kaleidoscopically...

How many homey's
homicides some Ma
licious

As poop elation grows
Colonic!
kick back

the ruby con de le...S.S. lipper.
asSings dot Con
d.c.
p.c.

Bush lots
poon deleeza
con deceevin

slanguage
bloody

yawn dry
10 minutes

then wander off
miss treat'd

wounds (I imagine
4 Ala bam! bam!

shirt waist fire
deep!
died, fried
laid to the side
what con of herr do
you want?
sis stern

war ram mar arm raw

whip your mouf wit pASSion
ass I can only

sheet
once and awhile

Dilatory
Damratherpurselipsbroke jaw

Icon

I have a talk wit chu
news real poop as paper thin
traveling with an all male band
my response to said tissue
cun d' Diva
free erections!

my, my...
(down in the rumps)
unscoopable vow

movements...

the squeaky wheel
gets the oil...

field March all
April May thru...?
 heroine that you are
pickled up
for prostitution
"look, Dick..."
as yo' Poppy
see'd
field greens means fatigue and
massage oil
this spring
kinda greasy
you try
washing tongue out, scrubbing
din out
still...
making a
killing's only
half a burden
for dangerous missions
"hawks"
"doves"
line the sky
if the pen is a pen is a pen is a
pagina
open to all?
my condeee lesson
ain't in Latin

American as
US SUV
So be it!
fossil feuds
"but, but, but..."
brain of rice
ass I was saying
just a kiss
injures
the cheeky page
right jeb.
dot landsky
in light of
X
number runner's
pc C.P.
ow!
ow!
ow!
A-rabble rousin mirage
All true man-ism
Oasister!
something shady in the
company of
exhausted coconuts
white rage!

Sue decided...
(aw, Ma's mates ) hate
(all ma's matter) devoted mother
her (best mattress side) decides
(matricide )
)
de ride

T' tip so
collapse so its

de facto
Weputablydisputable
weeteredlydistortable
Wepeatedlyweeporable
undoubatablyhorrible!

Debacle
Odebaalkboudem
Buckled-up buckra babies
Brook'd below
(strongs' bud, bud-fellows)

Car bungling fiasco!
  
  ( )
  ( Road Hog!)

  )

  )
T'...t'... t' tarry on
Sich carry-on!
It's a carcass, a carnage, carte
Blanche unloose that harness!
Tow headed kids in tow...
Oh, oh, oh!
Watch that cargo
go-o-o-o-o-o

Sink two to
Such great lengths

left bank
back
allies
she-wolf half
wits down
take it up a
snatch
this is nasty
(all she wrote)
Corn note
Graphie g.m.o.
re
pubie Candy
suckers
too too tootsie
brrrr!own
rice goddess
died, fried
laid to the side
con nicky
con ticky
scorn liquor
can coon...
Iraqoon
Bushwhacked
(can I get arrested for saying
that?)
the disappeared?
On the double
AfricanAsional ig
knitted nay-say

step on the gas
florid
heads abutt adjacent
wig out the right
party, wrong
X tensions
line up
heathen yo kurds and weight
flies in the face of
close up

miss givings
when you put a spin on it
let bush have it
flesh colored lie
on paper
over “their”
there
my, my,
our hour
question taint
cash crop but
hash brown
cows
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Koran

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can

shell out part
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pubic Condee
mate tricks

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Desperation

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Bed
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"Don't say a word!"

Mama's gonna... *eenie meeney*... catch a...

( )

( *bleep-bloop*)

) By, by his toe!

If he hollers tar and feather him to that old...

(caw-caw)

(caw)

*tune* jingle'd

**Jim...**

**Crow!**

Heckle and Jeckle'n
Us into...

***(Here come d'Judge...***

( *bleep-bloop*)

( *Here come d'Judge...***

Sit'n on a bench

*Whyitsdispicablydispissable despisablywicidulous*

*Wit religious veal*

*Pass the musket and peace, junior*

*please! Zen carrot it away*

in weigh a field of rice!

pen insular

con d' least nice

simi

Colin Con

do deal
do

shitting bull!

tanks a lot!

Column blind &
blabbergun

tooth and nail

dress'd for Time

woe-man

of the year

pressed to kill

Good-bye the ear waves

One palestinian at a time

take out

fool

Missing

my mother's tongue

spare parts

blood parenthesis

cruelly tanked

"I wreck and then I ran"

crumplesteelthin into the ground

desert "fox" y brown

write all the lands that *had* sand

dot coon n' fodder

gun Brit and baath

towel

Swipe that smile off yo face,

cheapy chad pols

"turban renewal" (B. B arg[ue] brags)

Colin

Clown

conk heads
Pay souls
kind of air
paper over behavior
grooved after
body lags
what err
stool between us
roast rump
duck behind
enema lines
ad
men ass
stationed
Ironically or Iraqually
sand still

audience quickly forms a clump
around liquid
waste

colon polypolis
tween a rock and a
hard place

texttank shat
up!
given heads
miss take
dooly
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A merikkin caricature

O, our hardy

(har)

(har)

CharacterAssSassSin
Nation where d'

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ACME-A

---------

Bomb a notion
O, das ya'll folks
Meets the in
Tar hell & Creation of

THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

Overture:
ON WITH THE SHOW!

("This is it!")

("This is it!")
Man!
A nation with the same ol'
Mammy!
Animation
Mama?
Me, a...
gulp
Ability to be a
mad, mad
Media Medea
Lip sinking
kids into a watery
(coo-coo)
(coo)
(coo)
Cocoon
(coo-coo)
While the...enfants!

(Wrathful!)
en
tire'd

Nation swoons

Didja say...
Car toon or tar coon?
Start tune or tart...

Woosh!
EXIT ———> stage
(right...
voice...
Over and Above
(It's cuytains,)
(Hon...)

"Warn her,
brothers!"

(What a mutter!)

(Heavens!
To murder...

2 boys!"
A sho'
Cancel as

*Unbelievably laughable*
*Implausibleapplausecardcome*
*Magnumlaudible*

Yesird'wholeskitandcaboodleleft-to-be-
Triedretreadmomtoooboohooableblipo
D'newsrealbloodybloopablescoobold

*Laughingstockuponadhock*
*O cannibals!*

Either you is or you
Aint this a hoot?

Another hit!
sCar toon! Un less U

*Pass*

Our camera...
Obscawee

A scween test

*film noire...*

Sin
O, ma!
*colorclashingcacrashing*
*nutso marry-me malady*

*Swing low...sweet!*

*Hey, hey, hey!*

Don't cart kids your into a lagoon
After tuning into that whack'd
Pat Albert Cartoon

Den blame it on
A black cat

U tought. U taw
in a cartoon full of:

(putty wack'd)
ace boon zip coon

(nigratude whoopy stooge
(goon bafoons)

As it zoots you...lampoon...
The Sound of U...Ooo! is
Supplicatory or exhortative

Sooooo one type's sub
Ordinate to another (so Sue!)

I accuse ...d' usual...
Blah...family sitcom...

O, ghouls!

Cuz it's apparent Pa's
Pathetic paws abused

"You, too!"

*A far cry...*
Cobberates d' escapist nature
O, not-so-funny papers pen
Ultimate racisticaper

ah-h-h! shucksgiving
photogenicaesthetics

O, the evening news

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Boobtubelooneytoonblues

Technicoloring
the usual suspects so

Were in the pink
O, the same ol'

Hair Raising...
Gory of this

Under a hood glum
Snitch and catch a story

*Oh, I wish I...*

Weren't in Dixie...

Speech high-jinks
Where this "pet..."

Ooo, y'... Pig! meats
A bleat...a...bleat'n

Porky in

"Dis Appearing Ink"

Eyes bug'n out
in tragi...comic ms.deeds

Placing the collar'd cullard
under awwest

Then Elmer Fudging you
into wessisting this mess

So deputy do dat
And Deputy Dawg that!

What's the charge, yo...yoyo...
Honorableonconartable
buckraw constable

(yuk, yuk)

Sarge out
LAW
At large

Unwaffle ertye, ertye
Assaelt and batterey
Travees passing

What destiny made manifest

F-f-finger winging
Skin as the only

**EVIDENCE!**

*Why you dirty wascal!*

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paper over behavior
grooved after
body lags
what err
stool between us
roast rump
duck behind
enema lines
ad
men ass
stationed
Ironically or Iraqually
sand still
audience quickly forms a clump
around liquid
waste
colon polypolis
tween a rock and a
hard place
texttank shat
up!
given heads
miss take
doily
thousands of lives
(sad aim)
kinda nasty
(privates)
miss missiles miss
led

in crease
of lip
service
taking up the rear
bums away!
deep throne
mealy mof
con
legions into
sticky rice
blunt cut
turd reich
mass acres
and acres
pimp
pump
texican
sand off
can I get a nut
Fed dictatorial
d
i
s
s
i
n
g

To dismiss diss Miss
Susan Smith

Who diss
Dis hissy fit'n de descwption t'
M' T'ed'X Douglass Smith

(carbuneled hood under a... hood)
carborator rat... tar scar gantuan lune
too-coo fo sho'
(in car cerated to writ
as God is my eye whiteness! Dark...)
(star...car... park'd...wet...
mess! And here come
Susan wit d' baby...miss
(Carriage...
(O, Just us?)
)

"Case dismiss'd!"

Hey, hey, hey!

Can I get a hit list to get wit this

"Who?"

Ha ha, he...

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(Jes t' git hitched)

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from
heroine that you are
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for prostitution
"look, Dick...
as yo' Poppy
see'd
field greens means fatigue and
massage oil
this spring
kinda greasy
you try
washing tongue out, scrubbing
din out
still...
making a
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"hawks"
"doves"
line the sky
if the pen is a pen is a pen is a
pagina
open to all?
my condee lesson
ain't in Latin

American as
US SUV
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flossil feuds
"but, but, but..."
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dot landsky
in light of
X
number runner's
pc C.P.
ow!
ow!
ow!
A-rabble rousin mirage
All true man-ism
Oasister!
something shady in the
company of
exhausted coconuts
white rage!

Sue decided...
(aw, Ma's mates) hate
(all ma's matter) devoted mother
her (best mattress side) decides
(matricide)
)
de ride
T' tip so
collapse so its

de facto

Weputablydisputable
weertotallydistortable
Wepeatedlyweeportable
undoubatablyhorrible!

Debacle
Odeabalkboudem

Buckled-up buckra babies
Brook’d below
(strung'n bud bud-fellows)

Car bungling fiasco!

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(Road Hog!)
( )
"Car Tune"
(libretto "commissioned" by Don Byron for 1996 European Tour, recorded hear and there)

This is a car...
va-va-vroom!

And dis...
beep beep!
a car toon!

Dis art a...
tsk, tsk, tsk!
tart tune
go'n down South in a car
Lyn' about a
_________&#@!_________?

Car___wreck'd___
characterized char actor eyed
as a tar'coon!

Hue U taint so...

Demonicalit'sacomiallymoniacalmethodicallyironi
kaleidoscopically...

How many how many homey's
homicides some Ma
licious

As poop elation grows
Colonic!
kick back
the ruby con de le...S.S. lipper.
asSigns dot Con
d.c.
p.c.
Bush lots
poon deleeza
con decievin
slanguage
bloody
yawn dry
10 minutes
then wander off
miss treat'd
wounds (I imagine
4 Ala bam! bam!
shirt waist fire
deep!
died, fried
laid to the side
what con of herr do
do you want?
sis stern
war ram mar arm raw
whip your mouf wit pASSion
ass I can only
sheet
once and awhile

Dilatory
Damratherpurselpit's broke jaw
Icon

I have a talk wit chu
news real poop as paper thin
traveling with an all male band
my response to said tissue
cun d' Diva
free erections!
my, my...
(down in the rumps)
unscoopable vow
movements...
the squeaky wheel
gets the oil...
field March all
April May thru...?
Questions or Comments

can'ts may settle
during shlepping

"the presidn't,
the presidn't"

go "down" to
get way up front

moniker for...?

lewd...colonasty

kinky condy

mess you

kuwait for me...?

Or, Quatar I have a word...?

Burn'n bush, now
and then

oil and vinigger
notes: "dear..."

blare to hit lair

(partly poopers)

porn
coon, I

halve a talk with you

sex
stream

FU

Know thyself!

troop tween
words and things

Who's on top

"Car Tune"
2000
1. Mary Burger, Eating Belief
2. Camille Roy, Dream Girls
4. Fanny Howe, parts from Indivisible
5. Eleni Sikelianos, from The Book of Jon
6. Laura Mullen, Translation Series
7. Beth Murray, 12 Horrors
8. Mei-mei Bermanbrugge, Audience
9. Laura Wright, Everything Automatic

2001
10. Lisa Jarnot, Nine Songs
11. Kathleen Fraser, Soft Pages
13. Nicole Brossard, Le Cou de Lee Miller/The Neck of Lee Miller
16. Aja Couchois Duncan, Commingled : Sight
17. Lila Zemmourain, PAMPA
18. Cheryl Pellant, Spontaneous
19. Lynne Tillman, chapters from Weird Fucks and “Dead Talk”
20. Abigail Child, Artificial Memory—vol 1 & vol 2 ($6 set)

2002
21. Deborah Richards, Put A Feather In It
22. Norma Cole, BURNS
23. Jocelyn Saidenberg, Dusky
24. Gail Scott, Bottoms Up
25. Carla Harryman, DIMBLUE and Why Yell
26. Anne Waldman, [THINGS] SEEN/UNSEEN
27. kari edwards, a diary of lies
28. Bhanu Kapil Rider, from The Wolf Girls of Midnapure
29. Rosmarie Waldrop, Trace Histories
30. Tina Darragh, from rule of dumb
31. Chris Tysh, Mother, I (fragment of a film script)
32. Jennifer Moyley, The Occasion
33. Zhang Er, Cross River . Pick Lotus
34. Tonya Foster, A Swarm Of Bees In High Court
35. Lauren Gudath, Animal & Robot
36. Alice Notley, IPHIGENIA

2003
37. Caitlin McDonnell, Dreaming the Tree
38. Eileen Myles, We, the Poets
39. Suzanne Wise, from The Blur Model
40. Lydia Davis, Cape Cod Diary
41. Elaine Equi, Castle, Diamond, Swan
42. Maggie Nelson, Something Bright, Then Holes
44. Julie Patton, “Car Tune” & Not So Bella Donna

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