

NEITHER ROBOT NOR SLAVE

Issue 1 – Brought up as it's own child by *Macarenses*.

Rendition (American style, but no doubt coming to a country near you very soon)

What ever can the American Government mean by saying their transferal of terrorist suspects through European airspace was termed 'rendition'. Let's see:



Collins Dictionary – 1. a performance of a musical composition, 2. a translation.

Nope that doesn't really help us. What about the definition of 'rendit'?

- 1. to present or submit, 2. to give or provide, 3. to cause to become, 4. to portray, 5. to translate, 6. to yield or give, 7. to cover the surface of, 8. to extract.

Ah, number 8 is my guess – to extract (fat) from (meat) by melting.

Welcome to Issue 1. I don't know if there will be an issue 2, who knows and frankly who cares?

Stop giving into the urge to constantly consume. You don't need it whatever it is!!

Xmas has just passed and it is that time of year again when the full horror of capitalism comes to bear. The love of money has corrupted the world. Capitalism will never rest as it is a constant dynamic. It is the time of year when there is over consumption of food, drink and resources. We all become fat, lazy, uncreative, unresponsive drones. It is the commercialism of holidays that is the problem. We cannot seem to spend time with families without sale shopping or escaping real life by going to the cinema. The media is all constant stories about companies increased profit and the worries if there is a slight downturn on last years figures. We now measure how successful xmas is by profits and that is worrying. We need a new indicator of progress - perhaps happiness? An outlandish thought I know.



Archives of pain

I was looking for a word in the thesaurus and there are so many words to express anger and hate.

Hate, disaffection, alienation, estrangement, animosity, spleen, bitterness, malice, implacability, repugnance, loathing, detestation, spitefully, execration, abomination, aversion, bile, bete noir, abhor, loathe, recoiled, deplored, rejected, resentment, displeasure, wrath, indignation, vexation, exasperation, acrimony and sicken.

Phew... I am going to use these more in conversation. Please do yourself.



W.A.N.K. Awards, numbers 1 & 2

The *Be's* *Ave* *Not* *Kathur* or *WANK* awards are given to those who have shown there is no beginning to their talents.

(1) Tracy Emin. The darling of Britain and just as vacuous as it ever was. More self promotion than anything else and an ideal representation of our celebrity obsessed age, who judge somebody laying themselves bare better than actual talent. Now showing in the Independent newspaper every week.

(2) Timothy Clifford (The Dunny Lu Rue of the Scottish Arts World). His leaving exhibition - "CHOICE, 21 YEARS OF COLLECTING" is now on. And what a breathtaking pile of choice shite. I like art with political/social commentary and this is more fire-guard than avant-garde. Lots of classical tarts to keep the establishment happy. And bought for the nation as well, well thanks a bunch, this is just what we need. Now showing at the National Galleries.

more to come... I may even do a top 10 at some point in the future.

THE WORST 12
Executions in 2004

China	3,400+
Iran	198+
Vietnam	64+
USA	69
Saudi Arabia	33+
Pakistan	15+
Kuwait	6+
Bangladesh	7+
Egypt	6+
Singapore	4+
Yemen	6+
Bahrain	6+

Source: Amnesty International

WANTED - A NEW WALL: Come the Revolution You Will Be First Against The Wall was agreed policy but the wall is now getting a bit crowded and people are starting to bunch up. A new wall is needed urgently.



LE CHAT NOIR COMMANDS YOU TO STOP SPENDING!