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### News Headlines:

(Beverly Hills) President-elect George Bush was roasted by the legendary Friar's Club last night. On hand were the biggest names in politics and humor from the past and present, including Mark Russell, Art Buchwald, Morris Udall, and the Gipper, Ronald Reagan playing himself as the Master of Ceremonies. Reagan warmed up the crowd by calling Mr. Bush "not only the son I never wanted, but the son Nancy never knew she gave birth to." The great communicator then relinquished the dais for other Friar Club notables Alan King ("is this a cigar, or a Bush grandchild?"), George Burns ("what's so big about Bush as *President*? Back in my burlesque days, Bush was king!") The highlight of the evening came when rubber-faced comedian Charlie Callas performed an hilarious thirty-five minute send-up of Bush getting lost at a Yugoslavian State Funeral, climaxing with a pantomime entitled "Thousand Points of Light" done to the music of "Send in the Clowns," and performed by Dean Martin and the Ding-A-Ling Sisters. Special guests in the audience included former Massachussets prisoner Willie Horton and his guest Jessica Hahn. Vice President-elect Dan Quayle was refused admittance because he could not produce a proper photo ID.

(Washington) The nation's needy will still receive free government surplus cheese during the next administration. However, the bricks of hard orange cheese will no longer be dubbed "Reagan Cheese." Already health administrators are calling the charity nourishment, "Bush Cheese." Officials from Planned Parenthood have issued statements that refute the rumors that the food handouts are unhealthy and assures the public that it cannot be sexually transmitted.

(Houston/Kennebunkport) George and Barbara Bush notified the Postmaster General that they would like all their mail forwarded to the White House. Mr. Bush claims that he and his wife made a place of residence in every town they campaigned this year, and that after the hectic and tiring campaign, they are just too tired to fill out 1,257 change-of-address cards.

(New York) Though Bush and Quayle gave negative impressions of the American Civil Liberties Union, the ACLU is coming to the defense of the next Vice President. The ACLU is attempting secure proof of damages from a *US News and World Report* photographer who took several candid graphic photographs of Dan Quayle taking a pounding from the press.

(Beverly Hills) Just hours after the old guard at the Friar's Club locked up, the future of America was revved up to keep going. After being spurned entrance to the club, Vice President-elect Dan Quayle and companion Harry Nilsson were cited for disorderly conduct at the Big Velvet Banana Nightclub. Witnesses said Quayle swayed drunkenly from table to table with a tampon stuck to his forehead, calling "Vanna White!" Vanna White could not be reached for comment. However, actress Betty (*Golden Girls*) White was reached for comment. "Well, he damned sure didn't burn his draft card, now, did he?!" said Miss White.\*

(Melbourne, Australia) The stupidest man on earth lost his title today after having to explain his title to someone.

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\*Betty White appears courtesy of CBS-TV