

The Parrot

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Sony Hacks Parrot, Blames N. Korea

I like

cooking my family

and my pets.

Use commas.

Don't be a psycho.

Sony Corporation comma having apparently hacked the operating system of The Parrot comma is denying all responsibility for the outrage and blaming North Korea to boot period The incursion came to the attention of student editors Olga Cuzeac and

Emma Jaques as they struggled to put the finishing touches on an upcoming issue period It appears that that an insidious punctuation virus had rendered all dewriting

void of punctuation dash commas comma periods comma questions marks comma quotation marks comma semi hyphen colons comma dashes comma and even exclamation marks exclamation mark quotation marks ESL students suffer enough trying to decipher the vagaries and challenges of punctuation in reading and writing comma quotation marks declared the student editors period quotation

marks Maybe Sony wants our students to watch more film and read less period quotation marks. It is surmised that long standing talks between Sony and ARC for the purchase of The Parrot and the filming of its birth had broken down and comma in frustration

c o m m a the media giant decided playing hardball with both American River College and longtime foe North Korea in

one fell swoop would be a Machiavellian stroke period An ARC spokesperson wishing to remain anonymous hinted that former NBA basketball star Dennis Rodman may be summoned to somehow broker this mess and help The Parrot recover all its missing markings period Ironically comma a request for an interview of a Sony big hypen wig was declined period

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"Cut out all these exclamation points. An exclamation point is like laughing at your own joke."

F. Scott Fitzgerald



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