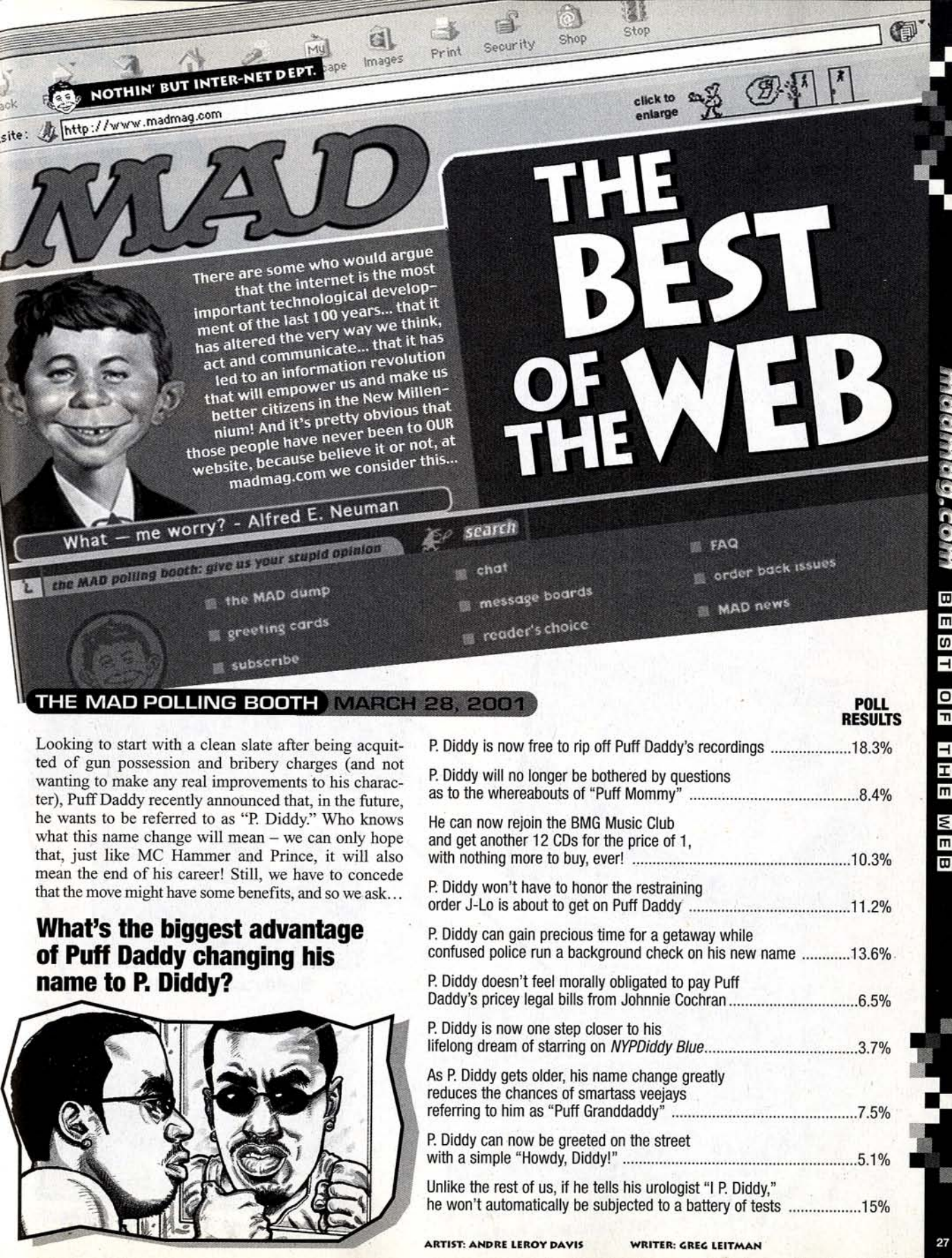




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Looking to start with a clean slate after being acquitted of gun possession and bribery charges (and not wanting to make any real improvements to his character), Puff Daddy recently announced that, in the future, he wants to be referred to as "P. Diddy." Who knows what this name change will mean — we can only hope that, just like MC Hammer and Prince, it will also mean the end of his career! Still, we have to concede that the move might have some benefits, and so we ask...

What's the biggest advantage of Puff Daddy changing his name to P. Diddy?



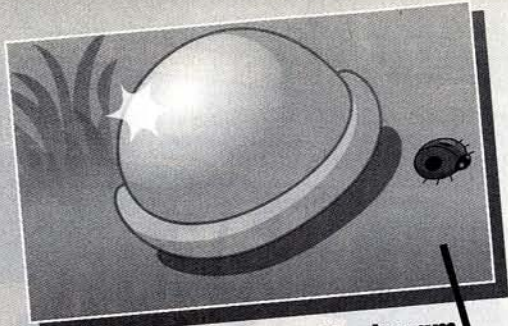
	POLL RESULTS
P. Diddy is now free to rip off Puff Daddy's recordings	18.3%
P. Diddy will no longer be bothered by questions as to the whereabouts of "Puff Mommy"	8.4%
He can now rejoin the BMG Music Club and get another 12 CDs for the price of 1, with nothing more to buy, ever!	10.3%
P. Diddy won't have to honor the restraining order J-Lo is about to get on Puff Daddy	11.2%
P. Diddy can gain precious time for a getaway while confused police run a background check on his new name	13.6%
P. Diddy doesn't feel morally obligated to pay Puff Daddy's pricey legal bills from Johnnie Cochran	6.5%
P. Diddy is now one step closer to his lifelong dream of starring on <i>NYPDiddy Blue</i>	3.7%
As P. Diddy gets older, his name change greatly reduces the chances of smartass veejays referring to him as "Puff Granddaddy"	7.5%
P. Diddy can now be greeted on the street with a simple "Howdy, Diddy!"	5.1%
Unlike the rest of us, if he tells his urologist "I P. Diddy," he won't automatically be subjected to a battery of tests	15%

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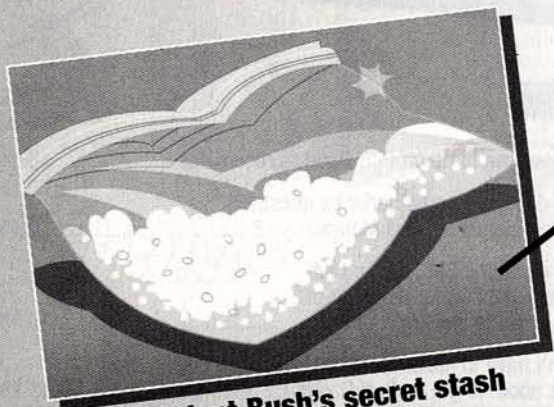
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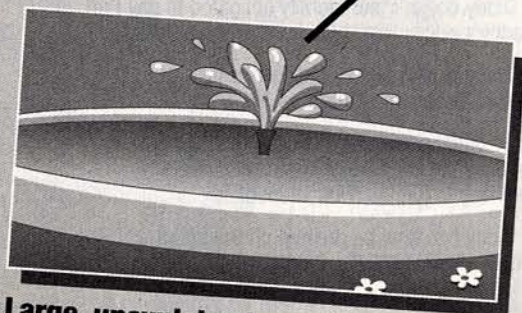
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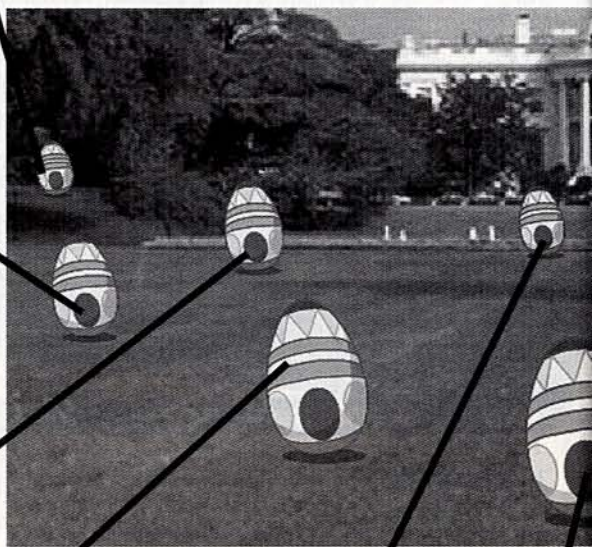
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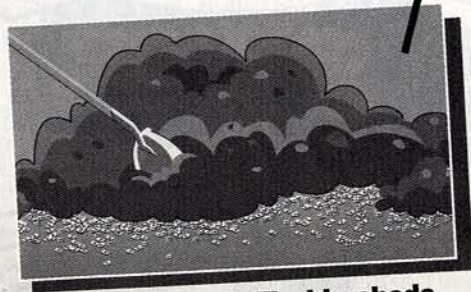
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Thousands of Florida chads

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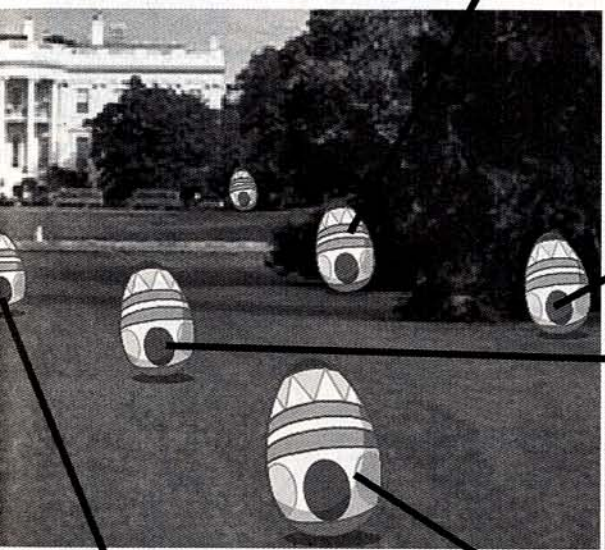
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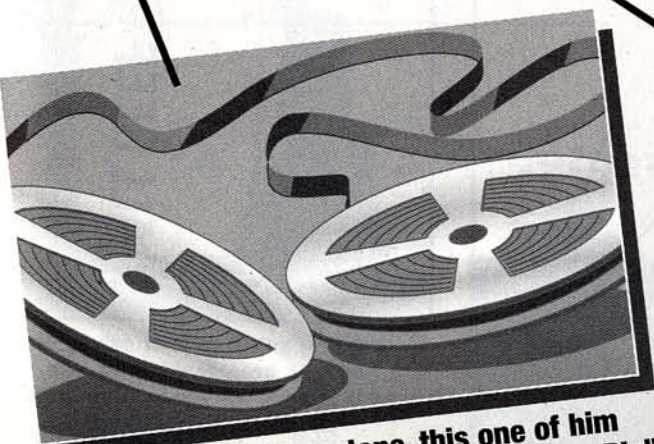
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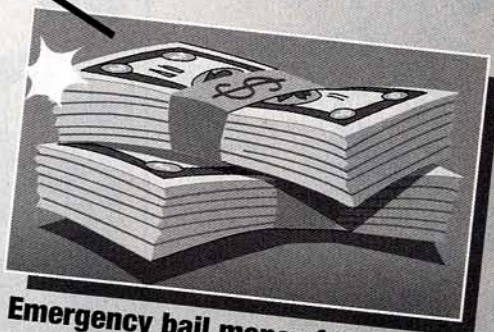
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