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I intend to buy several of these disks at the meeting!!!

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Shareware Disks

Seven shareware disks will be available at this months meeting.

They include all the tidbits files from June 15/92 until press time. You will want to have these to catch up on all the current Macintosh news.

They also contain many shareware programs, such as; two new versions of the game "Pacman" that will run on any Macintosh (one runs on Mac II's and the other on classic type Macs.); "Private Secretary" which forwards your telephone calls to another phone and records them; "Macquarium" which turns your Mac into an aquarium.

From The Editor

The editors corner has been moved to page 7 in this issue.

I (the editor) would really like to get more articles from members of our club that I can publish in Double-Click.

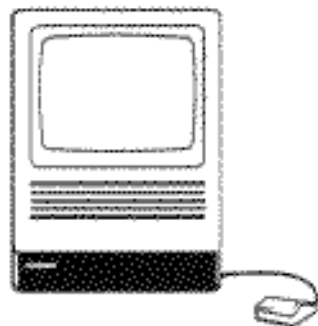
This Months Meeting

Stuart Pringle of Farallon Computer of Canada Inc., will give a presentation on Macintosh computer networking at this months meeting.

This will include a demonstration of networking hardware and software.

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From The President

Prez Message 92-09

I have been a little delinquent in keeping in touch with Double-Click readers for the past few months but hope to correct that by bringing you up to date on various recent happenings and new directions about MaUsE.

August B-B-Q

Last month's meeting was a true 'social' affair...the first time we have tried this as far as I know...and took the form of a barbecue hosted by our Librarian, Bruce Cameron, and his wife Carol at their home in Orono. On behalf of all the attendees and the club, I'd like to say 'thanks' to Carol and Bruce for their hospitality and for all the work which goes into something like this, especially when the weather isn't exactly the most cooperative.

Turnout for the Barbecue was light but those who weathered the stormy conditions certainly enjoyed themselves. The consensus was that we should try to hold such an event at least annually but perhaps try for a Saturday afternoon next year so that there would be more time to enjoy it. Bruce promises better weather next year.

Shareware

We went a little crazy in August and added a total of 6 more disks to our

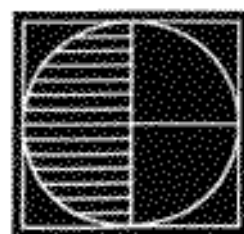
Public Domain library. Together with our September offering, that means we'll have a lot of new disks available at the next meeting. Toward this end, you'll find a description of all the new files in this issue of Double-Click. With this large amount of new material, please plan to arrive early for the September meeting as Bruce is going to be quite busy keeping up with the demand that night.

MacWorld

As I write this, we are only a week or so away from this year's MacWorld Exposition in Toronto. Your humble servant has saved his pennies and has sprung for the full 3-day pass for both the conferences and display areas. Hope to have more to report to you at the membership meeting later this month and in next month's Double-Click.

This month's User Group communication package from Apple Canada indicates that there will be a Macintosh User Group booth in the display area and that User Groups can provide brochures or other information about their organization for the viewing public there. We are now arranging to supply Apple with a quantity of our recently re-published brochure and hope that we may attract new members with this welcome opportunity for publicity.

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One of the reasons why you have been seeing my name less often in Double-Click is due to the terrific work which has been done over the past few months by our Publications Chairman, Hugh Amos, and his trusty band of elves (Greg Moon and Andy Wintonik) along with the assistance of Doug Kettle in printing/distribution. When Hugh first volunteered to get involved with Double-Click, we worked together to fashion several months' issues. Hugh has gradually taken over all of the work and is now quite capable of producing Double-Click without my 'help'. In the process, Hugh has learned just how much work this can be. I am sure that Hugh, like myself and prior Double-Click Editors, would welcome any sort of assistance which other members could provide. Budding writers are welcome to prepare articles for publication but help could also be used in other areas as diverse as soliciting advertising to handling reproduction and mailing. If you could lend a hand in any way, please let Hugh know at a meeting or by giving him a call at the phone number listed on the inside front cover of this issue. If you can't see your way clear to actually participating in the production of Double-Click, please say hello to Hugh and let him know how you like his work so far.

Other Member News

While on the subject of recent member accomplishments, let me also acknowledge the professional approach and great help that our new Membership Chairman and Treasurer, Doug Kettle, has been doing since taking over these two critical roles a few months back. On the membership front, we think our database is now pretty well cleaned up and accurately reflects the true number of participants in MaUsE. That's the good news. The bad news is that the number of paid up members is not as high as we would like and our bank balance shows it. If you are overdue in paying your renewal fees, we would REALLY appreciate it if you could bring your account up to date at the September meeting or respond by mail to Doug. If you are in good standing fees wise, don't forget that most of our new members are the result of referrals from our existing members. Please do your part by bringing another Macintosh user to a meeting. We are a non-profit group but membership fees are needed to allow the Executive to rent meeting rooms, cover expenses such as Double-Click, and to acquire items needed to run the day to day operations of the club.

John Field has done what I think has been an outstanding job this year of arranging for Speakers for many of the monthly meetings, and is always in attendance at the Executive meetings to discuss ways to make MaUsE even more beneficial to all members. A recent addition to the Field household is a new swimming pool and John has even invited the Executive to hold its meetings there. Unfortunately, Port Hope is a little out of the way for some of the Executive members so we haven't taken him up on this invitation yet.

Finally, resident Historian Chris Greaves and his wife Mary have recently completed their move to new digs in Fenelon Falls. Chris promises to keep in touch regularly via the BBS and I'm sure through the monthly member and Exec meetings. A standing invitation exists to drop by for coffee at his new place so grab your PowerBook and head on up to Fenelon for the Fall colours.

BBS News

As we get set to launch a new all-Macintosh BBS, I feel obliged to acknowledge herein the debt which we all owe to Arie Spiering for the work he has done over the past few years in acting as the System Operator for the original DRAUG/MaUsE BBS. This bulletin board was started by DRAUG (Durham Region Apple Users Group), of which Arie was a member. Shortly after MaUsE was started, an arrangement was made for the two User Groups to share that BBS so that the expenses would be spread over a larger audience. Last year, when DRAUG disbanded, the equipment was donated to MaUsE and we could certainly have understood if someone in MaUsE had been forced to take over the job of administering the equipment and the contents of the BBS. But Arie volunteered to continue on in this capacity even though most of the people who were dialing into the BBS were Macintosh users, not Apple II users.

The external hard drive which was part of the old BBS work-station has been moved over to Justin Derrick's house to be used as part of the new BBS. The original Apple II computer is being left with Arie, by unanimous vote of the MaUsE Executive Committee, in recognition of the contributions made by Arie over the years, and also because the Executive couldn't think of what to do with an Apple II (just kidding!!!).

Thanks again, Arie, and best of luck in future.

New BBS

Justin Derrick has been devoting lots of hours lately to bringing up the new MaUsE BBS. Things have not all gone smoothly and, as I write this report, it is not quite ready to be opened up for general use. Bruce Cameron, myself, and some others have been trying to help Justin by doing some 'beta' testing (fancy term for 'human guinea pig') and we are all certainly hoping that, by this time next month, it will be operational.

The new BBS uses software called FirstClass, produced by a company in Toronto and held in high regard throughout North America and beyond as an excellent Macintosh BBS environment. The biggest difference between this new software and the old BBS is that it fully supports the Macintosh user interface, i.e. icons, folders, mouse actions, etc. This makes a big difference in ease of use in sending and retrieving messages and files. In addition, FirstClass supports the use of a CD-ROM as a 'library' and we hope to add this to the BBS in the near future. This would provide members with access to not Megabytes but Gigabytes of shareware and public domain files and this would be a fairly significant improvement over our 'old' BBS. Stay tuned for more information on the new BBS here in Double-Click and at the meetings.

Elections

Yes, friends, it's almost time for Elections once again. Your current band of Exec's have all either had all of the Executive positions at one time or another or are just at the point of getting their hands around their current assignment and not exactly chomping at the bit to run for a new position. We know we can't be doing everything right and, frankly, we think it's time that some of our current members take over some of the reins. I will have more to say about this at the September meeting so please start to consider how you could contribute a little more to the club.

Jobs for Volunteers

Like any organization, MaUsE has some specific positions with more or less well-defined job elements but also has other "needs" which don't exactly fall into any of the existing Executive positions. When that happens, these "needs" become "would like to haves" and these activities just don't get done. There is probably no limit to the number of things for which we could use volunteers but here's a short list of a few things that we'd like to do better:

Meeting Greeter: At every meeting, we

should have someone whose responsibility is to welcome attendees individually as they arrive, determine whether they are a member or a guest, provide name tags for members (and guests), and provide guests with some up front literature about the club and an introduction to Doug Kettle if they would like to join. With no consistent person doing this job, we really don't have good records of which of our members regularly attend the meetings and, perhaps more importantly, we fail to do much follow up with our guests to determine how they felt about the meeting and about joining.

Media Coordinator: Many local newspapers, radio and TV stations, and other media outlets are prepared to provide free notices of our upcoming meetings and events. This is a great way to get the word out about MaUsE. We have the beginnings of a database of media contacts but need someone who would volunteer to take on this activity and provide these contacts with monthly or quarterly updates on our activities.

Note-Taker: I am tempted to use the term "Secretary" but this seems to get me in a lot of trouble these days so suffice it to say that it would be great if we had someone who could undertake to prepare each month an article for Double-Click summarizing what went on at the previous month's meeting. Members who are unable to attend a meeting would at least get a flavour of the presentations and possibly could be given the names of contacts if they would like to follow-up on the presentation subject.

Another use for a 'Note-Taker' would be at our monthly Executive Meetings. Trust me, your Executive are a hard working, fun loving, group of ego-maniacs but we are a little weak on the recording and follow-up end of things. A good set of meeting Minutes would no doubt go a long way in making our gatherings more productive and we could sure use a Secretary. - excuse me, Note-Taker, for that.

Wrap-Up

Well, the length of this message tells me that I better start trying to get these articles done on a more regular basis. Thanks to you all for slogging your way through it to here, and thanks to you also for supporting MaUsE for the past year. While we are not satisfied with our progress in attracting new members, I think we have made good progress on a number of other fronts which should allow us, with your help, to make MaUsE even more effective and attractive to regional Macintosh users in the next year or so.

See you all at MacWorld or at the September meeting.

Jim Foster

MaUsE 92/08 PD Disk

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Title: Sound of Dying Engine..

The classic noise...sound of a piston engine sputtering out with a resounding thump! SoundEdit format & can be de-arc'd with Compactor.

File EASYVW.SEA, binary, 132224 bytes, 48 downloads

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Title: Easy View 2.1

Easy View makes viewing structured text documents easier. It supports five formats, most notably TidBITS, or any properly formatted setext. Other formats include the Internet-based Info-Mac or similar digests, text with a "simple" format, dictionaries, and plain text. You can use Easy View to index and then search through all back issues of TidBITS, for instance, and easily extract a set of articles that match a certain search string. Auth: M. Akif Eyles. Ref: Editor's Choice. Freeware. 132K.

File IMGR18.SEA, binary, 127488 bytes, 332 downloads

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Title: Imagery v1.8 Foreign Graphics Converter (Mac)

This program converts many foreign graphics formats into Mac compatible TIFF, PICT2 or GIF files. Self-extracting archive.

New formats: Apple IIGs: SHR and PNT files. PC: Lotus PIC Mac:Photoshop, ThunderScan, RIFF. Generic:Raw data import. New display mode.

Fixes: IBM-PC: PCX & BMP. Unix:KWD This upload replaces FullWrite Docs with MacWrite Docs (Ooops)

File SOUNDM.SEA, binary, 126720 bytes, 572 downloads

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Title: Sound Manager Package

This collection of sound utilities includes Sound Mover 1.76, SadControl v2.1.1, lBeep2 v.2.31, and StartupSadInit 1.4. Sound Mover is a kind of Font/DA Mover for sounds. The other three files are cdevs/INITs that enhance sound control. Owners of Macs not part of the Mac II series will find these add-ons especially handy. Auth: Riccardo Estore. Ref: MacUser 5/90. Shareware \$25. 126K.

File TB128.SIT, binary, 15104 bytes, 99

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Title: Macintosh file

"TidBITS#128/15-Jun-92.sit"

This is an issue of the small and the large. First come short notes about Super Boomerang, pop-up menus, and three of the most popular word processors, Word, Nisus, and WriteNow. Then comes the meat of the issue with a preview article on FileMaker Pro 2.0 for the Mac and Windows, some in-depth analysis of Apple's Newton announcements, and a look at works programs by Matthew Wall that leads into a special issue on ClarisWorks later this week.

File TB130.SIT, binary, 15104 bytes, 103 downloads

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Title: TidBITS#130/22-Jun-92

Hot news arrives in the form of the PowerBook 145 and Salient's acquisition. Mike O'Connor contributes some little-known tips for working with QuickTime movie players, and for you network junkies we have a detailed look at the Internet, the first in a series of articles on network connections. Finally, for those of you using PowerBooks, check out our review of Nisus Software's smaller word processor, Nisus Compact.

File TB131.SIT, binary, 15488 bytes, 115 downloads

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Title: TidBITS#131 29-Jun-92

Wondering about expanding a PowerBook's hard drive space? Want to do some visual programming? Interested in hearing some great music from your Mac? Curious about how you can go to jail by using your color scanner and DeskJet C? Still wondering whether you should buy Word 5.0 or Nisus 3.06? Answers to these questions, and maybe even a few more, inside. There is, however, no little plastic toy. Sorry.

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Title: TidBITS#132/06-Jul-92

Malevolence continues with a new virus, T4, and a Trojan Horse whose author's head now carries a price. Luckily, all is not lost, with CE and Microsoft releasing good things, updates to Alarming Events and QuicKeys from CE and a free patch for that nasty styles bug from Microsoft. Rounding out this issue, we have the eagerly-awaited second part of Howard Hansen's Excel review, which will conclude next week.

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Title: TidBITS#133/13-Jul-92

By popular request, this week brings you even more on neat Internet services, and the final word from Howard Hansen on Excel 4.0, along with an important warning about saving from Excel. For those of you with monstrous TIFF files, you might consider the new Pinnacle Micro 650 MB magneto-optical drive, but you also might read about what's wrong with Pinnacle's ads. Check out next week's issue for exciting new stuff!

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Title: TidBITS#134/20-Jul-92

If you or anyone you know has ever felt hand or wrist pain while at the Mac, read on for more information on carpal tunnel syndrome and a number of easy ways of avoiding serious damage. We also have a look at a hot new product coming soon from SuperMac. Called SuperView, it will extend the PowerBooks' video output horizons significantly. Finally, we unveil our corporate sponsorship program, so check out the fileservers for some excellent files.

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Title: TidBITS#135/27-Jul-92

Psst! Wanna buy a PowerBook 100 cheap? Read on. We also have a report on the 1992 MacHack Conference - including notes on the winning hacks, two articles describing how Apple is racing to save the environment and only occasionally tripping over its shoelaces, and finally, the promised review of two excellent trackballs, the CoStar Stingray and Curtis MVP Mouse with Foot Switch.

File TB136.SIT, binary, 14592 bytes, 11 downloads

Uploaded by 72511.306 on 8/4/92
Title: TidBITS#136/03-Aug-92

For TidBITS readers, the hottest program of the week is Akif Eyler's Easy View 2.1, a snazzy viewer for TidBITS. Other news this week includes an analysis of the recent Apple/Microsoft love-fest, an anti-virus author for hire, an explanation of what happened to the well-regarded mail order firm Maya, and for some relaxing reading, a review of Robert X. Cringely's "Accidental Empires," a thoroughly enjoyable book about the computer industry.

File TB137.SIT, binary, 15360 bytes, 13 downloads

Uploaded by 72511.306 on 8/11/92
Title: TidBITS #137 10-Aug-92

What do you think we'd write about? Macworld Boston, of course, and we have so much to say that the Macworld articles will keep coming for another few issues.

This first issue brings you Mark Anbinder's superlatives of the show and the first half of his discussion of Apple's new system software technologies. We also managed to sneak in a brief bit about the conclusion of the Apple/Microsoft suit and a review of Connectix PowerBook Utilities.

File LPAINT.CPT, binary, 163968 bytes, 221 downloads

Uploaded by 72511.36 on 12/17/91
Title: LightningPaint v.1.1 (b/w paint program)

LightningPaint is a remarkable paint-type graphics program from a young Pakistani programmer. It sports all the usual paint tools, and even some unusual ones like spiral and starburst tools. Saves in its own format or MacPaint, startupscreens, PICT. Requires Compact Pro. New file. Auth: Humayun S. Lari. Ref: Editor's Choice. Shareware \$14 (\$7 for students), 160K.

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File SL301U.SIT, binary, 151680 bytes, 2 downloads

Uploaded by 75300.1666 on 7/31/92
Title: StuffIt Lite 3.0->3.0.1

This package contains everything necessary to upgrade StuffIt Lite 3.0 to version 3.0.1. Version 3.0.1 fixes several bugs in the application, Frontier install file, and in the Compact Pro translator. This updater can only be used to upgrade StuffIt Lite version 3.0. Users of earlier versions of StuffIt should download the complete StuffIt Lite 3.0.1 package.

File SIT301.SEA, binary, 413952 bytes, 3 downloads

Uploaded by 75300.1666 on 7/31/92
Title: StuffIt Lite 3.0.1

StuffIt Lite is the upgrade to StuffIt Classic, the industry standard form archiving on the Macintosh. This upgrade significantly improves compress and decompress times and efficiency, is easier to use, and contains a bunch of new features. System 7.0 savvy, 32-bit clean, 040 compatible. Registered users receive a serial number which enables additional features. See Read Me for version history.

File BIPLAN.SEA, binary, 177664 bytes, 206 downloads

Uploaded by 72511.36 on 8/14/91
Title: BiPlane Spreadsheet 2.05

BiPlane, the "Affordable Shareware Spreadsheet", is a full-featured business tool. Features include SYLK file compatible with Microsoft Excel, 512 col by 16,384 rows, 102 functions, business graphics. Try it, you'll like it. Registration brings DA version, help files, and 200p manual. Self-extracting archive. Just double-click. Auth: Alan Porter. Ref:

MacUser 12/90. Shareware \$59. 177K.

MaUse 92/08b PD Disk

File QUIKTM.CPT, binary, 587264 bytes, 96 downloads

Uploaded by 76701.56 on 5/19/92
Title: Microsoft Word Movie Plug-In Module

Microsoft Word Movie Plug-In Module (PIM) adds QuickTime support to Word 5.0. Installing the Movie PIM in the Word Commands folder allows for the playback and editing of Movies within a Word document. Installation instructions and a sample file are included. This file was compressed using Compact Pro.

File MW0554.CPT, binary, 18816 bytes, 433 downloads

Uploaded by 76701.56 on 6/25/92
Title: Patcher for Default Font Problem

The Microsoft Word 5.0a Patch disk is now available for use with Microsoft Word for the Macintosh version 5.0. The patch fixes a font problem in version 5.0 encountered by some users when exchanging files between different machines. In certain cases, font information contained in a document would revert to the default font when transferred to another machine. The Microsoft Word 5.0a patcher program alters the code to fix the problem and identifies the altered program as version 5.0a rather than 5.0.

MaUse 92/08c PD Disk

File IMAGEM.SIT, binary, 240384 bytes, 119 downloads

Uploaded by 76067.3454 on 6/13/92
Title: NIH Image 1.44 Documentation

This is the 68 page manual (in Word 4.0 format) for Image 1.44, a public domain Mac program for capturing, analyzing, editing, annotating, pseudo-coloring, animating, and printing images. --

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Uploaded by 76067.3454 on 6/13/92
Title: NIH Image, version 1.44

Image 1.44 is a public domain Mac program for capturing, editing, analyzing, annotating, animating, and printing grayscale and color images. It supports PICT, TIFF, MacPaint and PICS formats. V1.44 features PICS file support and bug fixes. Source is in DL4 of MACDEV. Requires 4MB and 8-bit video.

File IMAGEL.SIT, binary, 289024 bytes, 49 downloads

Uploaded by 76067.3454 on 6/16/92

Title: NIH Image 1.44 (NonFPU Version)

Image 1.44(NonFPU) is a public domain Mac program for capturing, editing, analyzing, annotating, animating, and printing grayscale and color images. It supports PICT, TIFF, MacPaint and PICS formats. Requires 4MB and 8-bit video. The No\ version does not require a floating-point coprocessor.

MaUsE 92/08d PD Disk

File MQUILL.SEA, binary, 453376 bytes, 44 downloads

Uploaded by 71231,3216 on 6/19/92

Title: MacQuill Demo v1.0.1

Demo version of a hot new WP/DTP application with the emphasis placed on ease of use. . . The only changes between this version and the previous are the addition of BalloonHelp and some subtle changes in code. A Self Extracting Archive

File TATAPP.CPT, binary, 106240 bytes, 210 downloads

Uploaded by 70337,2143 on 7/12/92

Title: TattleTale app version 1.4.1

1.4.1 UPDATE=Added List HL Event Aware Appl in Sys7.several rpt changes.new traps file,bug fixes. GEN FEATURES= Detailed info on your HW+SW: Gen CPU/HW;Volumes/Drives; Monitors; Nubus, ADB, SCSI devices (incl Manu, ROM revs,etc); Traps; DAs, Fonts, INITs, CDEVs, etc. Mount vols;Close files;Std+Bug Rpts to Printer or file; Min Config; Mac+, Sys 4.2. Free/not a demo. Prefer this app vers for Sys 7 but DA vers (TATTLE.cpt) also works well. Ref: MacWEEK 9/10/91.

File STM13.SIT, binary, 11648 bytes, 223 downloads

Uploaded by 72560,2035 on 7/1/92

Title: Speak To Me 1.3

This is the newest version of Speak to Me. Please download it if you are using a version previous to 1.3, for it has several enhancements. Please read the Read Me file included for further info and clarifications. Stuffit Deluxe Format.

File KIDPIX.CPT, binary, 45056 bytes, 288 downloads

Uploaded by 72511,36 on 3/9/92

Title: Kid Pix 1.0 (PD version children's graphics app.)

Kid Pix 1.0 is the public domain version of the popular children's paint program. It doesn't have all the bells and whistles of the commercial version (not as many wacky brushes and digitized sound is missing), but it's still wildly fun and fully functional. Runs with occasional burps under System 7. Requires Compact Pro. New file. Auth: Craig Hickman. Ref:

Editor's Choice. Freeware. 44K.

File PACMAN.CPT, binary, 25216 bytes, 1004 downloads

Uploaded by 72511,36 on 2/21/92

Title: Pacman v.1.0 (classic arcade game)

This version of Pacman by M. Tsuji is the best we've seen. It's vivid, colorful, and brings back great memories of the arcade video game classic. Requires 13" Apple color monitor set to 256 color mode and Compact Pro. New file. Auth: M. Tsuji. Ref: Editor's Choice. Freeware. 26K.

File SUPER.CSIT, binary, 18560 bytes, 1206 downloads

Uploaded by 72511,36 on 9/18/91

Title: SuperClock 3.91 (cdev clock)

SuperClock is a well-mannered, intelligent screen clock. It is always visible in the right corner of the menu bar unless a screen saver is in operation. This cdev has several options, including having the clock toll the hour with the sound of your choice. Documentation is included. Auth: Steve Christensen. Ref: MacUser 12/89. MacWEEK 4/11/89. Freeware. 18K.

File DOWNLI.CPT, binary, 62336 bytes, 115 downloads

Uploaded by 72511,36 on 4/29/92

Title: Downline v.1.1.1

DownLine is an archive utility that offers set-and-forget preference files, background archiving and unarchiving, "drop-folder" operation, "drop-app" operation (System 7 only), simultaneous operation with telecom programs, and folder-oriented batch operations. It can transparently decode Stuffit 1.5.1, Binhex, and Packit archives and encode Binhex and Stuffit 1.5.1 archives. System 7 compatible. Auth: Eric Bloodworth. Ref: Editor's Choice. Freeware. 62K.

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File FMPRO.SIT, binary, 1047296 bytes, 15 downloads

Uploaded by 76004,1614 on 8/13/92

Title: FileMaker PRO Demo

Disabled version of FileMaker Pro. Maximum number of records allowed is 25. Reports will print with text "FileMaker Pro Demo" in the background. The import picture feature is disabled. Spelling Checker is disabled. SIT format. NOTE: This file is provided on a HIGH DENSITY disk which can only be read by Macintosh computers equipped with SuperDrives.

MaUsE 92/09 PD Disk

File ALTCD.E.SIT, binary, 39168 bytes

Title: AltCDEF 1.3

Over-exercising the mouse between up and down arrows in the scroll bars can be annoying. AltCDEF puts bidirectional arrows at each end of the scroll bars. Compared to other renditions of scroll bar enhancers, AltCDEF has the cleanest and most unobtrusive interface, and it comes with special shift and option commands for added scrolling benefits. Updated file. Now System 7 compatible. Auth: Alexander Colwell. Ref: MacUser 10/90. Freeware. 41K.

File BILL30.SEA, binary, 128000 bytes

Title: Your Bills Due 3.0

NEW & IMPROVED VERSION: Don't you wish there was an easy way to keep track of your bills, know when they're due, how much you owe, how your cash flow looks? This is an easy-to-use, USEFUL Filemaker Pro database which does just that. You can import data from previous versions. Version works for large and small screens. By Jim Russell (75140,1463). A Self-Extracting Archive.New features include user ability to set length of time for CURRENT DEBT.

File FILI14.SIT, binary, 30208 bytes

Title: FileList version 1.4 (Disk cataloger)

FileList 1.4 is a volume and file lister. It reads in volumes and saves volume and file information that can be displayed, sorted, searched, saved as text files (print or export to databases). Stuffit (Classic, Deluxe) and Compactor archives are recognized. Volumes can be added, deleted, renamed. Automatic disk insert/eject mode. Choose from list of online volumes. Program is free. "FileList [1.2] is currently the best of this type of program available"

File MACMAN.CPT, binary, 28928 bytes

Title: Macman 1.02

Macman is a black and white version of the Pacman arcade game. It's a good alternative to M. Tsuji's popular Pacman -- a great game, but one that requires a 13" color monitor. Macman should run on any Mac from the Plus on. Very close to the original arcade game, but you can cheat by making yourself invincible. Configure the movement keys, speed, etc. REQUIRES System 6.05 or later for sound effects. System 7 compatible. Auth: John Butler. Ref: Editor's Choice. Shareware \$8. 30K.

File PVTSEC.SEA, binary, 98560 bytes

Title: Private Secretary 2.25

Private Secretary monitors your phone via a Hayes compatible autodial modem, notifying you on your pager and/or phone at another location that a call came in. This allows you the freedom to be away from your phone and still respond quickly to incoming calls. Maintains a log of

number of calls, time received, etc. 2.23 allows com programs and outbound FAXing in the background. Requires Hayes compatible modem. Incompatible with Quadra cache. Auth: Tom Holmes. Ref: Editor's Choice. Shareware \$34.95. 98K.

File TATAPP.SEA, binary, 140928 bytes
Title: TurtleTale Application 1.5
TurtleTale application provides complete information about your computer. The information can be viewed on screen, printed, written to a text file, or output in database-readable format. Its reports can be used for reporting problems to software and hardware manufacturers. Updated file. Non-System 7 users see file TurtleTale DA (TATTLE.SEA) in DAs Library instead. Updated with many bug fixes. Auth: John Mancino. Ref: MacWEEK 9/10/91. MacUser Shareware Awards 9/92. Freeware. 140K.

File MACQUA.SIT, binary, 50560 bytes
Title: The Original MacQuarium -- complete instructions
The Original MacQuarium. Complete plans, specifications, and directions on how you, yes you, can turn any Classic form-factor Macintosh (128, 512, Plus, SE, Classic) into an actual, working aquarium! Fool your friends! As seen in September '92 MacUser. Was this the secret the CIA killed Marilyn Monroe in order to protect? Download it and decide for yourself. Stuffit archive of a Word 4.0 document.

File TB138.SIT, binary, 14848 bytes
Title: TidBITS#138/17-Aug-92
Check out the hottest hardware and software from Macworld Boston, ShareVision's \$1500 video-conferencing system and Gryphon's \$149 image morphing program, Morph. Eric Schlegel shares more information on WorldScript, and we look at what's coming to the PowerBook line this fall, along with a quick peek at the best PowerBook gadgets from Macworld and the second part of Mark Anbinder's piece on System 7.1 technologies.

File TB139.SIT, binary, 14592 bytes.
Title: TidBITS #139 24-Aug-92
A varied catch this issue, starting with quick notes about Morph, Excel 4.0, and European Macintosh distribution, and continuing with an interesting article on gray market mail order vendors. We have a few more notes from Macworld about neat new products from Voyager and new items from Casady & Greene, and an article on how IBM may be close on the heels of QuickTime. Finally, the VRAM conundrum! Auth: Adam Engst. Ref: Editor's Choice. Freeware. 15K.

File TB140.SIT, binary, 13952 bytes
Title: TidBITS#140/31-Aug-92
First, the mundane but useful, with an important tip for Excel users, a clarification about Conflict Catcher, a new 32-user license for A/UX, and a report of the imminent demise of the Portable battery supply. Following that comes the cool stuff, a neat in-ear speaker and microphone (i.e. telephone) that works via bone conduction, some MacDraw Pro 1.5 speed benchmarks, and Microsoft and Tandy's answer to Commodore's CDTV.

File TB141.SIT, binary, 14848 bytes
Title: TidBITS #141 07-Sep-92
Hot off the phone lines comes Mark Anbinder's report on the MBDF authors pleading guilty! We also have the details on how IBM managed full-screen, 30 frame per second video on the Ultimmedia, a report of a net tizzy over utilities removed from Now Utilities 4.0, notes from the bargain-hunting Murph Sewall on the Abaton Scan 300/Color, and finally, the second installment of our Gateways series, focussing this time on CompuServe. Auth: Adam Engst. Ref: Editor's Choice. Freeware. 15K.

File VERSIO.SEA, binary, 59776 bytes
Title: Version v.2.2
Version is a utility useful in determining the versions of applications, control panels, INITs and extensions that you own. It scans up to 10 volumes at the same time and builds a tab-delimited list showing the file name and version. The listing file can be saved in many popular word processor formats. System 7compatible. CIS Registration Number 151. Auth: Dana Baskin. Ref: Editor's Choice. Shareware \$5. 60K.

File VIEWER.SEA, binary, 96896 bytes
Title: Viewer Classic 2.0.2
This application is used for the viewing of Glue formatted files. This is a new "free to distribute" viewer. This version of the Viewer Classic is licensed for reproduction at no charge. It may be distributed freely for non-commercial purposes. Call Portfolio Systems for information on using it in commercial products. This is a self extracting file compressed with Stuff-It Lite. This file was scanned with Disinfectant 2.9 and Virus Detective 5.0.6.

File ZAP.SIT, binary, 17664 bytes
Title: Zap! version 1.0.
Zap! saves you from having to restart your Macintosh, and you don't need to hold down some awkward sequence of keys to invoke it. Auth: Robert Gibson. Version: 1.0. Ref: Editor's Choice. FreeWare. 17K.

Memo

To: All Mouse members
Date: April 14, 1992
Subject: Major Speakers for 1992
From: John M. Field
UserGroup Advertising

September 23, 1992

Speaker: Stuart Pringle
Company: Farallon Computer of Canada, Inc.
Subject: Mac networking how to and why.
Overview: Connecting your Mac to LAN's, those 'other' computers and sharing data.

October 28, 1992

Speaker: Mr. Ken Holyk
Company: Con-Pute
Subject: N/A

November 25, 1992

Speaker: N/A
Company: N/A
Subject: Executive Elections and Preview of Games for Xmas



From The Editor

I really would like to get more articles from MaUsE members to include in Double-Click. I have a modem on my computer at home, and I thoroughly enjoy receiving Double-Click articles by telephone/modem. This is how I received our Presidents message and the Public Domain disk articles in this issue.

There are many ways to get articles to me for inclusion in Double-Click. The only request that I have regarding articles submitted, is that they be in electronic form, (disk or modem) (I am a slow typist).

As well, I am open to suggestions as to the type of information you, the members, would like to see in Double-Click.

Well, by for now.

Hugh Amos

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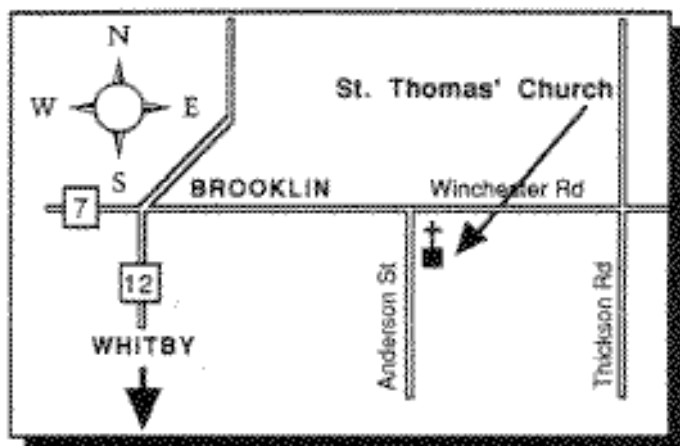
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MaUse Meeting Location & Schedule



Members of the general public, guests of MaUsE members, and all regular MaUsE members are invited to attend any of MaUsE's membership or Executive meetings. It is NOT necessary to bring your Macintosh with you...all that's required is an interest in Macintosh computing.

Listed at right is the schedule for 1992. Membership meetings are generally held at St. Thomas' Church in Brooklyn (see map above) starting at 7:30PM. Shareware disk sales begin at 7:00PM. Executive meeting locations vary...call ahead to confirm exact locations/times.

Month	Exec Mtg	Member Mtg
January	None	22nd
February	6th	26th
March	5th	25th
April	2nd	22nd
May	7th	27th
June	11th	24th
July	9th	22nd
August	6th	26th
September	10th	23rd
October	1st	28th
November	5th	25th
December	3rd	None

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