



"McCain's time is running out — not just in this campaign but everywhere."

BARACK OBAMA
DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL
NOMINEE DISCUSSING HIS RIVAL

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OUR APOLOGIES FOR ERRONEOUS HEADLINE

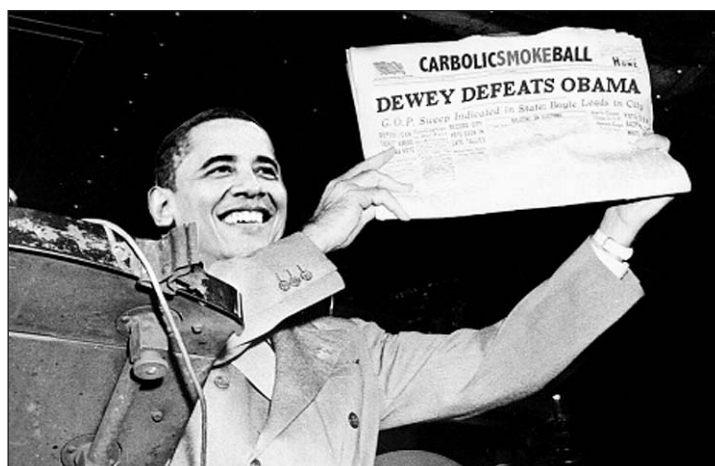
Carbolic Smoke Ball apologizes to our readers for the erroneous headline we printed yesterday that proclaimed former New York Gov. Thomas Dewey the winner over Sen. Barack Obama in the presidential election.

We do not know how this occurred, given that the election does not occur until tomorrow, and that Governor Dewey has been dead for 37 years.

When we make an error of this magnitude, we can only laugh about it, then "high-five" the reporter and editor who blew it. And that's *just* what we have done.

Sen. Obama took glee in highlighting our blunder by proudly showing off the erroneous headline. Oh, well — we had it coming.

While the error was an understandable one that any newspaper could make, we nevertheless pledge to "get it right" from now on.



*Hear da
JUDGE*

By the **Hon. Rufus Peckham**
Editor of Carbolic Smoke Ball

Dear Readers:

Tomorrow is the day democracy gussies itself up in its Sunday finest for the entire world to gawk at: Election Day. Sadly, most Americans have no concept of what this day means.

Above all else, the Founding Fathers wanted this day to be fun, fun, fun. Like the Beach Boys did.

With that in mind, when the curtain closes on the voting booth, why not change into a robe and a shower cap and start yelling at the top of your lungs, "We're all out of soap!"

Next, bring a label that says "McCain" and another that says "Obama," and paste them over the other guy's name on the voting machine.

Then as voters file out of the polling place, ask them who they voted for. No matter whom they say, you can smile and tell them, "Oh, no you didn't!"

And please don't fall for that silliness about how everyone has a duty to vote. The fact is, if I'm the only voter, I've got all the power. So why should I want *you* to vote?

Happy Election Day!

Local family lays off 3 kids

The Dunn Family of Aspinwall announced it is laying off three of its children.

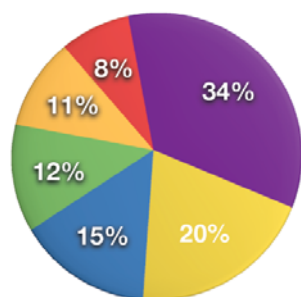
"We're realigning structure to make the family unit more efficient and responsive, and to more strategically position our

household for success in today's challenging economic environment," Chief Operating Father Cornelius Dunn said.

Dunn said the family's plans for a posh junket vacation have not changed.



VOTERS RESPOND: Who is Your All-Time Favorite President?



- Ronald Reagan
- Mikhail Gorbachev
- Anybody but Bush
- Harrison Ford in Air Force One
- Dave
- Barack Obama



ACORN makes last push for voters

"We don't see any problem voting on behalf of the deceased — after all, we know how they'd vote."

Hillary early-votes for self for 2012

New York Senator Hillary Clinton is among millions of Americans who've already gone to the polls for early voting.

Clinton cast her ballot for president for this year — *and* for 2012.

Asked who she voted for, Sen. Clinton smiled: "Barack and — someone else."

Clinton explained that if early voting catches on, "we can have our presidents lined up for the next 20 or 30 years."