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Please correct and update your 2009 story, THE CASE OF RONALD

OPUS as it is false.

It was never reported by the Associated Press as the sources below make clear.

While Don Harper Mills is a real person, this story is untrue. In 1997, Mills said, ""I made up the story in 1987 to present at the meeting," [of the AAFS] < SNIP > "for entertainment and to illustrate how if you alter a few small facts you greatly alter the legal consequences. In 1994 someone copied it onto the Internet."

See: http://www.snopes.com/horrors/freakish/opus.asp

http://www.truthorfiction.com/rumors/r/ronaldopus.htm

http://urbanlegends.about.com/od/accidentsmishaps/ss/ronald_opus.htm

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ronald Opus

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