IN & OUT & IN-BETWEEN

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IN



Hot wheels in Wales! English television, theatre, film actor and car aficionado Idris Elba stepped into a Bentley Continental GT and put the pedal to the metal to break an 88-year old speed record at Wales' Pendine Sands. The "flying mile" record was first set in 1927 by auto journalist Malcolm Campbell at a speed of 174.8 mph. Elba was able to top the record off with a speed of 186.4 mph, and did it in a stock, 626-hp Bentley coupe. Ladies and gentlemen of Beverly Hills DO NOT ATTEMPT. Recently, new red light cameras were installed at random locations throughout the city and you WILL receive a "selfie" ... but not the kind you'll want to forward to friends.

OUT

Kylie Jenner FINALLY came clean in a recent interview, owning up to getting fillers in her lips — BIG SURPRISE! Speculation swirled for the past year "*did she or didn't she*" (are you kidding!) surrounding her ever-enlarging pout, but the 17-year-old kept quiet. Thank-fully, we can all sleep again. The truth sets us FREE!



The singing show that started a TV revolution ends after 15 seasons. FOX announced its decision to cancel American Idol, after the upcoming season airs. Flash back to the show's debut in 2002 where Host Ryan Seacrest introduced amazing talent such as Kelly Clarkson (who took home the first win) — yes, its been on air that long! Over the years, the show has featured a variety of dramafilled moments with the antics of its

celebrity judges, but we will never forget the original three who started it all: Simon Cowell, Paula Abdul, and Randy Jackson. Week after week, we watched them and reveled in their reactions as much as we enjoyed performances by the contestants. American Idol attracted millions upon millions, season after season, and will be dubbed a vet in the sphere of reality talent shows. Although the show may be coming to a halt, the behind the scenes drama continues... While being interviewed about her stint as a judge, Mariah Carry announced, "That was the worst experience of my life." NEXT UP ...?



IN-BETWEEN

The fight still might not be over for Manny Pacquiao who not only took several hits from Floyd Mayweather, but gets hit again with several lawsuits



for not disclosing a shoulder injury. "Cheated" cried spectators, Stephane Vanel and Kami Rahbaran, who are suing in Nevada federal court claim they feel painfully defrauded by the post-event concealed injury news. Plaintiffs are graciously demanding damages for everyone who paid to watch the fight or placed bets. YIKES. Looks like you didn't need boxing gloves to make bank off of this fight!

SLS Hotel in Beverly Hills got snatched up by multilevel marketing company, **Sunrider International**. What's the damage? \$195 million. SLS Beverly Hills emerged in 2005 under the vision of hotelier **Sam Nazarian** and thrived as one of the most successful hotels in town. Based out of Torrance, CA with an international reach, Sunrider is a leading manufacturer of herbal products. That's cool and all, as long as the new management doesn't put a damper on our favorite martinis and far-from-herbal bar snacks.



"Watch" out! Literally. The first wave of Apple Watches hit stores and a select few got their hands, or shall we say their wrists on it. But before you succumb to keeping up with the latest TECH trend think about this... yes, the spruced up model of 18 karat gold with a \$10,000 price tag is Beverly Hills worthy, and thank God there is a bottom of the barrel version for \$350 (the watch comes in three editions), but with all the electronics that stalk us wherever we go, how many of us really need a minute-by-minute reminder latched to our bodies of what to do, where to go and what time to be there? Isn't that what secretaries are for? Yes, a touch screen allows us to browse stock quotes, check weather updates (but we already know it's going to be warm and sunny!) and make purchases via the Apple Pay system. Also, when connected to a compatible device (iPhone) the smartwatch answers phone calls and allows access to various apps. Alright. Alright. Alright. As with any new Apple Product launch, there is a waiting line, and we feel your pain. BUT are you really ready to dump your fav diamond encrusted Rolex? We vote NO WAY!



BREAK A LEG... (dude not literally!) As John Kerry was set to embark on his four-nation diplomatic trip, our country bid him good luck and likely those at the plane waved briskly with a "break a leg" send off — wishing him well. We doubt anybody was actually telling him to go break a leg in the literal sense. Nevertheless... that's exactly what Secretary Kerry did. He went and broke his right femur in a bicycling accident in France, just outside of Geneva where he was conducting nuclear talks with Iranian Foreign Minister Mohammad Javad Zarif. Apparently Kerry enjoys bike riding in his spare time, especially when traveling. But we can't help but wonder...where did he find the time and mindset to want to take a bike ride amidst nuclear conferences?



GO GRANNY GO...

While we're sitting around on our everexpanding butts, balancing plates on our ever-blossoming stomachs and committing major "carbicide"... we find ways to make excuses for why we can't hit up the gym. Pathetic. Indeed, especially when there is a 92-year-old woman running in marathons all over town. Harriette Thompson just ran her 16th race at the San Diego Rock n' Roll Marathon breaking the record for the oldest woman to complete a marathon clocking in at 92 years, 65 days. She had big shoes to fill... previous record-holder Gladys "The Gladyator" Burrill was 92, 19 days old when she ran her marathon. Can you say OG? And by that we don't mean Original Gangster... although maybe. We mean Original Grandma.