Purpose: This assignment covers backups and termcap.

Backups—

tar: Make a tar back up of the home directory of your user (bob) to your floppy disk. Confirm that the backup was made using the t option. Note: This is a tar floppy, it does not have a directory structure, so no mkfs should be done; all information on the floppy before the tar will be destroyed. After the you do the backup, your floppy looks like a tape.

1) Submit: the sequence of commands from login up through the tar command that lists the tar contents.

tar, extracting an archive: Login as root, this puts you in /root. Extract the contents of the compressed tar file ~djv/giant.tgz, preserving the permissions. (Note, this should build a directory called giant inside /root.)

2) Submission: The exact command you used. Inside giant there are three subdirectories, submit: the names of these three directories. (This lets me know you unwound the archive.) Pick any of these subdirectories, you will find a file inside it, submit: the name of the file, who owns the file, what group the file belongs to and the access rights (the rwx stuff) for the file. (This lets me know you preserved permissions.)

As root, extract the contents of the compressed tar file ~djv/house.txz, preserving the permissions. (Note, this should build a directory called house inside /root.)

3) Submission: The exact command you used. The contents of the file called wolf.

Encryption: The file is encrypted using gpg with the passphrase troll. Decrypt the file ~djv/joe.cr.

4) Submit: the contents of the file.

Terminals—

- 5) Termcap. On the linux console: what sequence is used to start underlining?
- 6) stty. On the linux console: what key is used to stop (pause) the output to the screen? What command would you give to define control-Y to be the key used to stop the output?

Due: 25 February 2014 (Week 6 Lab 1)