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CS 162 Final Project

Reflection

This was a fun project for me. I feel like I could utilize most of the things I learned throughout this class. I initially planned to have a game based around finding items in the corrected order. Being a new dad, I decided to go with a crying baby theme. In my game, there are six rooms in a house. There are four items randomly placed among the rooms. Each room can only contain, at most, one item. Also, one room contains the baby. The object of the game is to locate the item which will make the baby stop crying. However, there are some limitations placed on the user. Firstly, the user can only carry one item at a time. Secondly, the user can only drop an item in an empty room (i.e. a room without another item). Thirdly, there is a time aspect. The user selects a difficulty in the beginning, and that determines how many moves the user will be able to make before their partner returns and the game is over. Each time the user moves into a new room the counter will progress. There is certainly some strategy involved. I elected not to print a live display of the locations of the player and the baby, so that the player would be forced to rely upon their memory and the simple map of the house. I had some problems with one of my early implementations. I initially wanted the player to have to collect all four items. The baby would only stop crying if all four items were corrected in the right order. However, I found that this severely slowed down the gameplay. Since I was using a stack in the Player class to hold my items, I just reduced the size to only one element. The other stack functions- pop(), push(), display()- in my Player class allows the player to drop, pick up, or see their item, while the top() function allows the play() function in the game class to check and see if the player's item is the one which the baby wants. The items themselves are derived classes from a

parent Item class. While the rooms of the house are derived from either one of three room types (bedRoom, passageWay, or commonRoom), which, in turn, are derived classes from the parent Space class. The creation of these parent and child classes were more or less straightforward. The real difficulty in this project was implementing my Game class, namely the Play() function. Given more time, I would decompose this function into smaller functions, as it is quite bulky. All in all, I think this project illustrates the concepts OOP, polymorphism, and pointers. If I had more time, I would likely expand the number of rooms, implement a difficulty option that requires more than one item to win, or add a second player to the game.

Test Plan

Test	Input	Expected Outcome	Observed Outcome
Menu	Char value(a)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter
"	Int value(3)	Program quits	Program quits
II .	Int value(2)	Proceed to	Proceed to
		instructions	instructions
Difficulty	Char value(a)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter
u .	Int value(1)	Difficulty set to	Difficulty set to
		amateur	amateur
"	Int value(2)	Difficulty set to	Difficulty set to
		medium	medium
u .	Int value(3)	Difficulty set to	Difficulty set to
		hard	hard
"	Int value(> 3)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter
In game Menu	Char value(j)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter

·	Int value(0)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter
ıı .	Int value(1)	Checks for item	Checks for item
ıı .	Int value(2)	Checks for baby	Checks for baby
ıı .	Int value(3)	Drops item	Drops item
ıı .	Int value(4)	Leaves room	Leaves Room
ıı .	Int value(5)	Views item	Views item
ıı .	Int value(20)	Proceed to round	Proceed to round
		input	input
Take item	Char value(k)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter
ıı	Char value(y)	Item added to	Item added to stack
		stack or stack is	or stack is full
		full	
"	Int value(100)	Proceed to	Proceed to
		simulation	simulation
"	Char value(n)	Reprint menu	Reprint menu
Leave Room	Char value(k)	Error message,	Error message,
		prompt to re-enter	prompt to re-enter
"	Char value(y)	Item added to	Item added to stack
		stack or stack is	or stack is full
		full	
ıı .	Int value(100)	Proceed to	Proceed to
		simulation	simulation
ıı .	Char value(n)	Reprint menu	Reprint menu

Memory Leak Check

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==21388==
==21388== in use at exit: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
==21388== total heap usage: 20 allocs, 20 frees, 566 bytes allocated
==21388==
==21388== All heap blocks were freed -- no leaks are possible
==21388==
==21388== For counts of detected and suppressed errors, rerun with: -v
==21388== ERROR SUMMARY: 0 errors from 0 contexts (suppressed: 0 from 0)
flip1 ~/cs162/final 157%

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