%s: Expression syntax

(A) You've accidentally run your script through **csh** instead of Perl. Check the #! line, or manually feed your script into Perl yourself.

%s failed–call queue aborted

(F) An untrapped exception was raised while executing a CHECK, INIT, or END subroutine. Processing of the remainder of the queue of such routines has been prematurely ended.

False [range "%s" in regex; marked by] <– HERE in m/%s/

(W regexp) A character class range must start and end at a literal character, not another character class like \d or [:alpha:]. The "-" in your false range is interpreted as a literal "-". Consider quoting the "-", "\-". The <– HERE shows in the regular expression about where the problem was discovered. See *perlre*.

Fatal VMS error at %s, line %d

(P) An error peculiar to VMS. Something untoward happened in a VMS system service or RTL routine; Perl's exit status should provide more details. The filename in "at %s" and the line number in "line %d" tell you which section of the Perl source code is distressed.

fcntl is not implemented

(F) Your machine apparently doesn't implement fcntl(). What is this, a PDP-11 or something?

Filehandle %s opened only for input

(W io) You tried to write on a read-only filehandle. If you intended it to be a read-write filehandle, you needed to open it with "+<" or "+>" or "+>>" instead of with "<" or nothing. If you intended only to write the file, use ">" or ">>". See open in *perlfunc*.

Filehandle %s opened only for output

(W io) You tried to read from a filehandle opened only for writing, If you intended it to be a read/write filehandle, you needed to open it with "+<" or "+>" or "+>>" instead of with "<" or nothing. If you intended only to read from the file, use "<". See open in *perlfunc*. Another possibility is that you attempted to open filedescriptor 0 (also known as STDIN) for output (maybe you closed STDIN earlier?).

Filehandle %s reopened as %s only for input

(W io) You opened for reading a filehandle that got the same filehandle id as STDOUT or STDERR. This occured because you closed STDOUT or STDERR previously.

Filehandle STDIN reopened as %s only for output

(W io) You opened for writing a filehandle that got the same filehandle id as STDIN. This occured because you closed STDIN previously.

Final $ should be \$ or $ name

(F) You must now decide whether the final $ in a string was meant to be a literal dollar sign, or was meant to introduce a variable name that happens to be missing. So you have to put either the backslash or the name.

flock() on closed filehandle %s

(W closed) The filehandle you're attempting to flock() got itself closed some time before now. Check your control flow. flock() operates on filehandles. Are you attempting to call flock() on a dirhandle by the same name?

Format not terminated

(F) A format must be terminated by a line with a solitary dot. Perl got to the end of your file without finding such a line.

Format %s redefined

(W redefine) You redefined a format. To suppress this warning, say