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WE WERE :-

OXFORD UNIVERSITY
CAVE CLUB
LIBRARY

Smith
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Sonathu Coop :-

~~John~~

~~John~~
~~Paul~~

~~John~~

Wald Biersack

~~Neil~~

Munel Egerton

~~Neil~~

Paul

~~Neil~~

Mike Benn-lee

Phil Sargent

Yago Sargent

William Stead

Martin Hod

~~John~~

Martin Lacey

Graham Naylor

~~Dave~~

~~John~~

~~John~~

~~John~~

Silvia

Graham Ponder

Mike Mead

Graham Ponder

WED. 8 July '87

Don & the Van & JC went to Oviedo to do Official Things, and to Cayas to fill our 5 empty Gaz-Containers.

The day dawned wet & claggy just like yesterday, but after a while the dim silhouette of the Upper Bar could be seen - better than when we arrived when even the Maria Rosa was lost to view.

A day spent taking nearly everything up to Ario.

Lots of people did lots of carries ^{ie} up the mountain today, though I'm the path.

What's the Use of Wearing Damart Cags and mocs you buy in K-mart
Gortex sox are just for Piss-Farts!
Better far is SKIN!

Expose it on the mountain

Dip it in the fountain

Burn it to

A darker hue

By marching in the sun until you're fainting

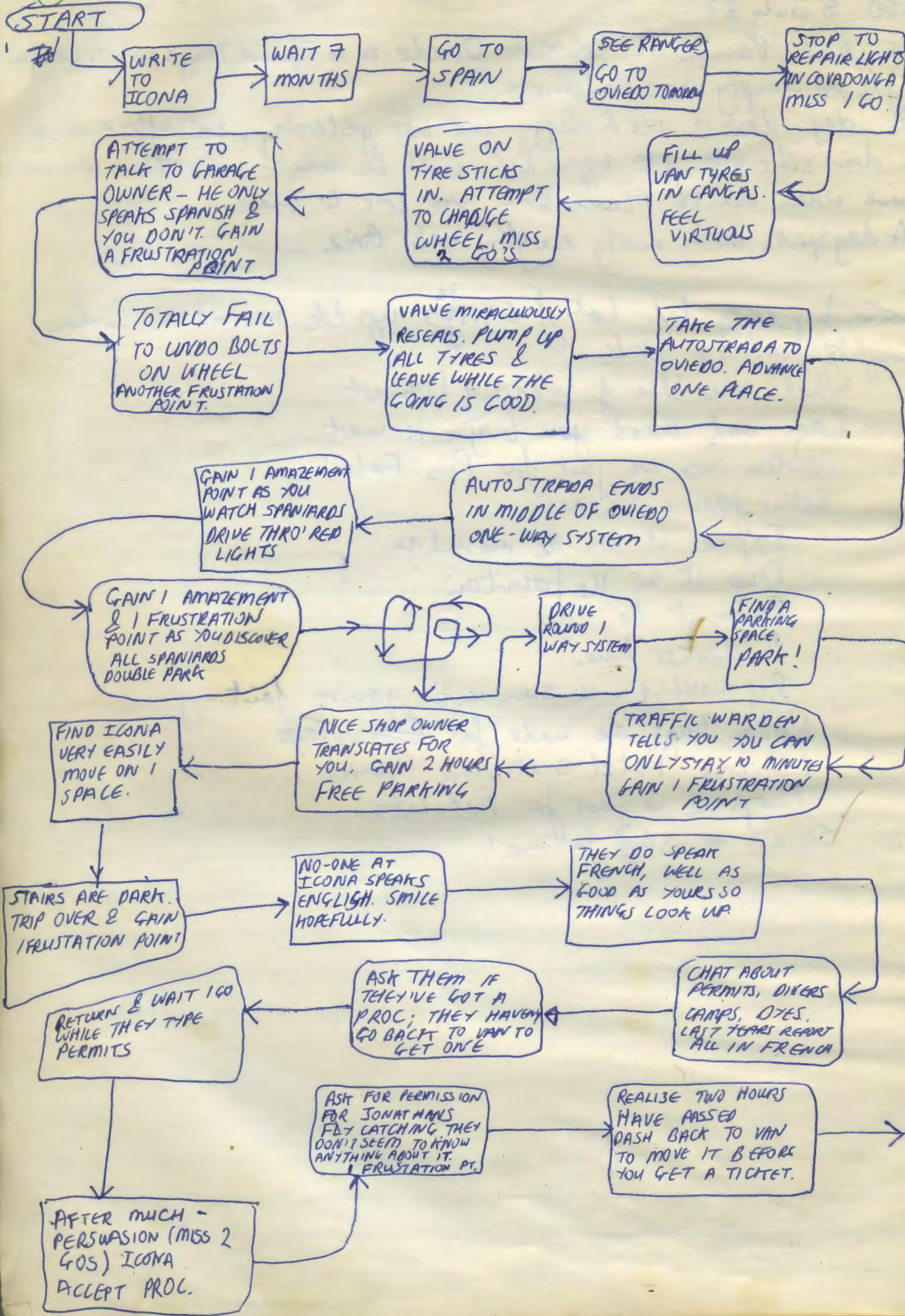
Rohai bags are made for Sissies Fags

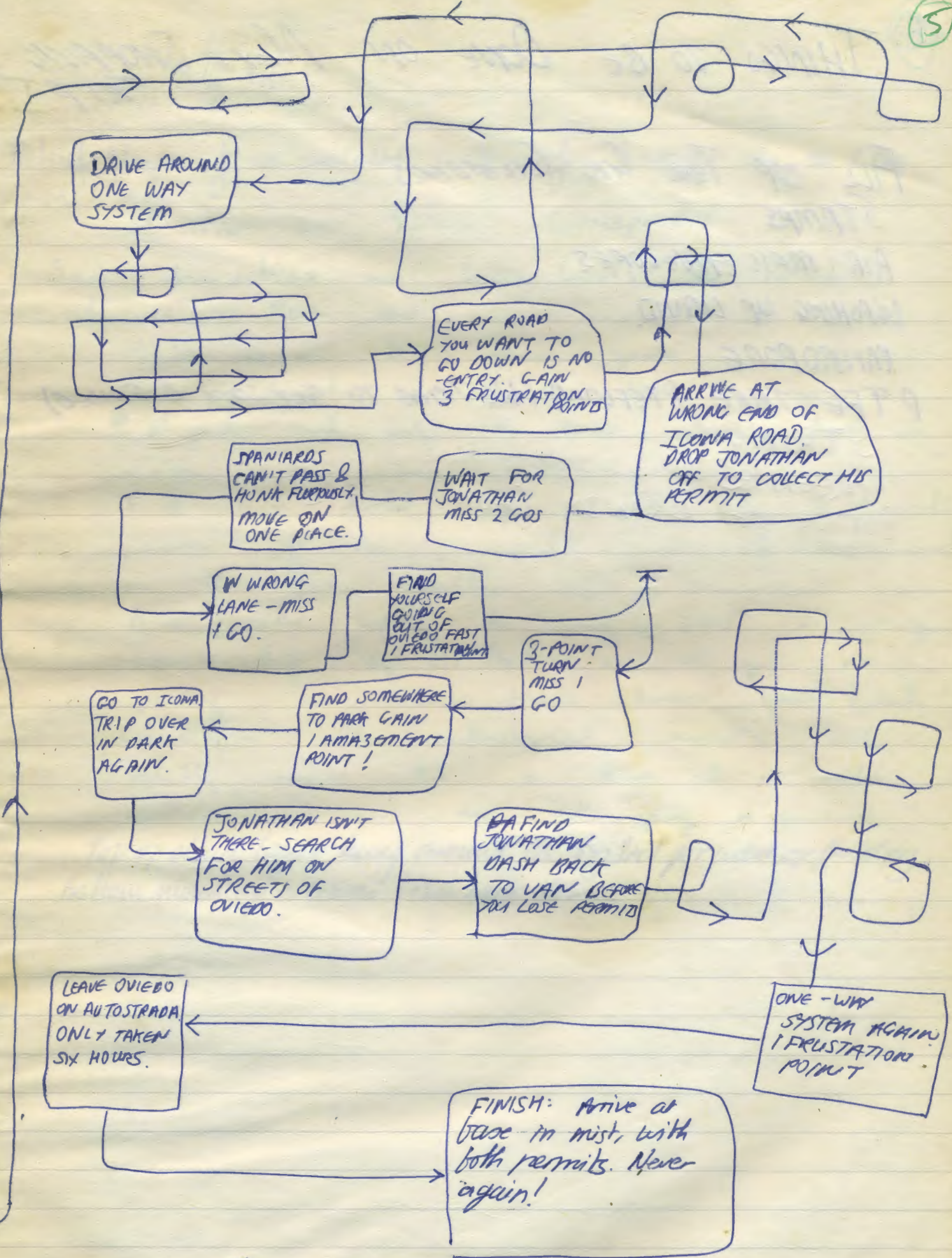
Likewise Petzl suits and Funnis

Neoprene is just for Fetishists!

SKIN's the stuff for me!

THE ICONA GAME





Jan & Jonathan.

⑥ THINGS TO BE DONE ON NEXT SHOPPING TRIP I

FILL UP TWO GAS CYLINDERS.

STAMPS

AIR-MAIL ENVELOPES

WASHING UP LIQUID.

MICROPORE.

P TFE TAPE (TEFLON) (WE TRIED TO GET SOME & FAILED)

STRING

GREENIES

BOTTLE OF BRANDY (FOR NEIL)

Thursday July 9th.

A brief glimpse of the snow clad peaks before breakfast when the Clay moved in again
From our Science Correspondent.

Some observations on Snow levels. for future reference ~ From our

1987 is a low snow year

The W shaped snow field above top camp is shaped and only the snow above F20 is visible from any distance.

F 38 has dried up with only 2 small pieces of ice, a puddle at the bottom and on the far wall.

Arctic water supply is very slow, so may even dry up (!) And as of yet no promising new snow fields have been found. Consultation with meteorological experts will probably reveal this is due to a mild winter or a very hot spring + summer.

Top of cloud layer hung around the Bigsod for most of the day. Bottom moved up to Bobras & then back down.



Mountain from Base Camp

Scott

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12th July - Los Lagos, Asturias
12:49:18:- Hello from Paul.

Sherry wishes to lodge a formal complaint about the indecorous activities of ~~the~~ last night - screaming, giggling + streaking (Martin got a 2-1 by the way!)
(P.S This covers the whole day).

late afternoon: 2 piraton = 2222222222222222
2222222222222222222222222222 + hangover.

My Feet hurt.
Son.

Evening: Frisbeeing in the mist.

19:08 14th JULY 1987.

A Historic Event: Muriel has thrown away her smokers chewing gum !!

A Hitch Hikers Guide to Pasteur hopping: (or in other words - Lynn + Dan's trip to Hoya le Madne to do the dye detectors).

Mission

Essential items required:

- minimal knowledge of Spanish, sturdy well padded bum, ball of string, 2 cameras, 4 stockinged bombs, 1 knife

The two hikers ~~set off~~ from the little known planet of

SHOPPING LIST. II

Washing up bowl ✓

Tights X

Small plastic bags X

Loads of veg. ✓

Dry stuff (eg pasta) ✓

Anything else. ✓

Need to get these
→ very small.