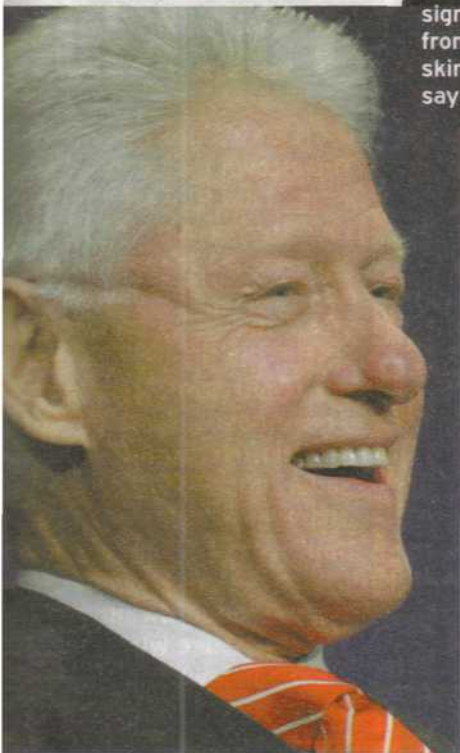


# WHAT'S WRONG WITH BILL CLINTON'S NOSE?

Health fears for ex-President

In these photographs snapped at a recent event in Chicago, Clinton's snout shows signs he's suffering from a severe skin condition, say experts



**F**ORMER President Bill Clinton turned up at a recent event in Chicago with his schnoz looking as red and bulbous as the legendary snout of late comedian W.C. Fields!

Certainly, the angry-looking knob at the end of Bill's nose sparked concern for the 64-year-old's health as he attended an economic forum at the Sheraton Hotel.

But expert dermatologist Dr. Jerome Litt, author of *Your Skin from A to Z*, explains, "He's had rosacea for years."

The Cleveland-based physician says that the skin condition can be triggered by alcohol, the sun and by foods.

"He needs to wear sunscreen when he goes out and try to find out what foods make his rosacea worse," says Litt.

"Different foods affect different people. For example, if it's red wine, he may have to switch to white wine or swear off alcohol altogether."

Dr. Kenneth Beer, a cosmetic dermatologist

from West Palm Beach, Fla., says rosacea is common among people of Scottish-Irish descent as Clinton claims to be.

"It causes the redness and bumps he frequently has," says Beer. "He has a lot of enlarged blood vessels and these would be easy to treat with a laser."

"The treatments typically take only a few minutes, but must be repeated over time. Rosacea is also managed by topical medication such as Metrogel, and with oral antibiotics."

But the condition may be more advanced, says cosmetic surgeon, Dr. Matthew Schulman from New York.

"It appears Clinton's suffering from rhinophyma – a progressive overgrowth of the oil glands on the skin of the nose," Schulman explains.

"This gives a ruddy and thickened appearance. While topical medication can help, sometimes surgery is needed to shave the thickened skin."

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# HARRY POTTER BOOZE BATTLE!

**M**OST overnight, Daniel Radcliffe became the hottest child star in the world as the lead in the wildly popular Harry Potter franchise.

But as the final installment, *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2*, hits theaters worldwide, the 22-year-old British actor admits that for years, movie villain Voldemort wasn't his greatest enemy – it was the demon of booze!

"I became so reliant on [alcohol] to enjoy myself," admits Radcliffe, who adds that whisky was his downfall.

"There were a few years there when I was just so enamored with the idea of living some sort of famous person's lifestyle that really isn't suited to me."



Last August, the actor quit cold turkey and says he hasn't had a drop since.

"I'm actually enjoying the fact I can have a relationship with my girlfriend where I'm really pleasant," he says. Daniel has refused to name his lover, but sources say she's Olive Unlucke, stepdaughter of Potter producer David Heyman.

And apparently Olive is reaping the benefits of Daniel's newfound sobriety.

"As much as I would love to be a person that goes to parties and has a couple of drinks and has a nice time, that doesn't work for me," he says. "There's no shame in enjoying the quiet life. And that's been the realization of the past few years for me."



**DID YOU GUESS?**

The gal on page 51 is Minnie Driver, star of *Phantom of the Opera* and *Good Will Hunting*. How'd you do?