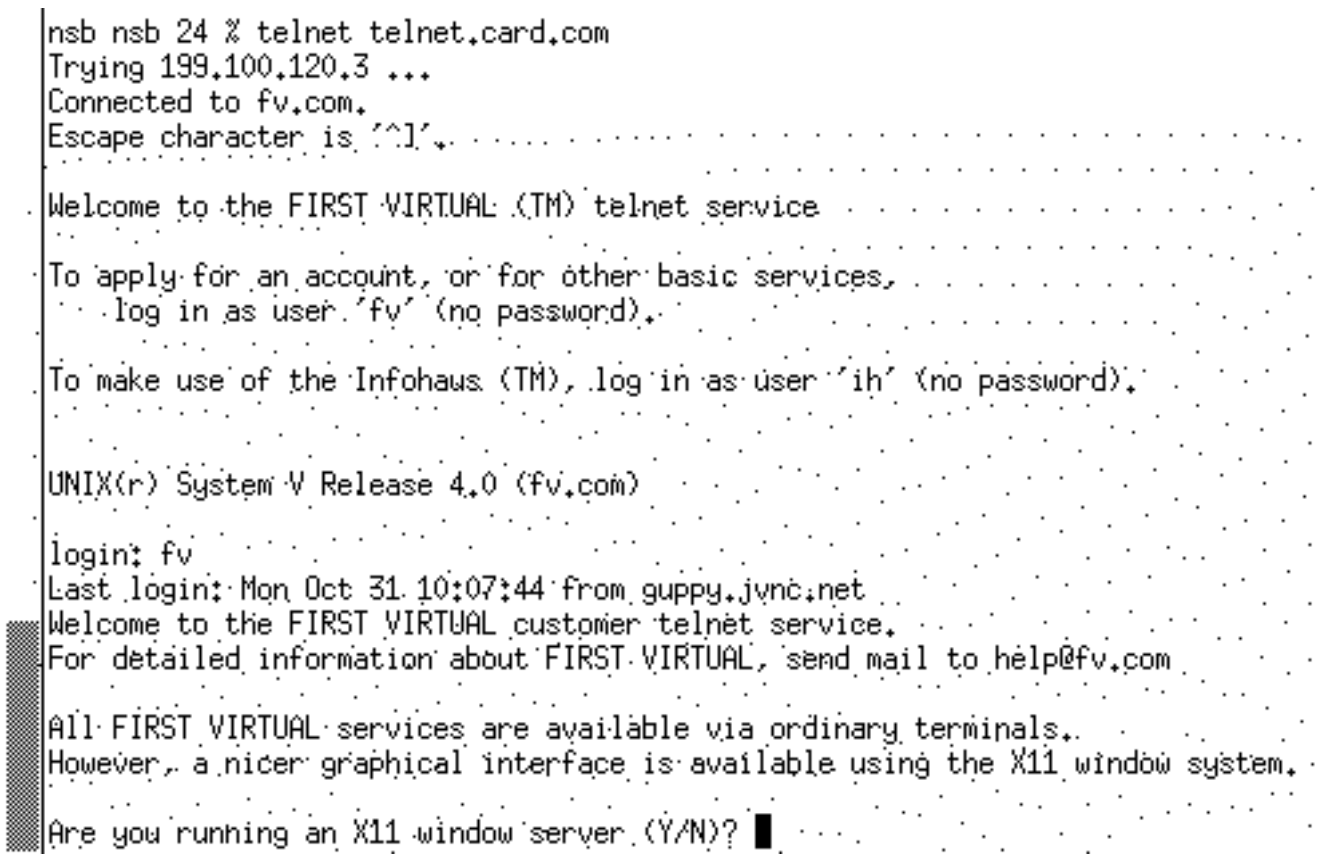
nsb nsb 24 % telnet telnet.card.com
Trying 199.100.120.3 ...
Connected to fv.com.
Escape character is '^]'.
Welcome to the FIRST VIRTUAL (TM) telnet service
To apply for an account, or for other basic services,
log in as user 'fv' (no password).
To make use of the Infohaus (TM), log in as user 'ih' (no password).
UNIX(r) System V Release 4.0 (fv.com)
login: fv
Last login: Mon Oct 31 10:07:44 from guppy.jvnc.net
Welcome to the FIRST VIRTUAL customer telnet service.
For detailed information about FIRST VIRTUAL, send mail to help@fv.com
All FIRST VIRTUAL services are available via ordinary terminals.
However, a nicer graphical interface is available using the X11 window system.
Are you running an X11 window server (Y/N)?

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Are you running an X11 window server (Y/N)? n
Welcome to the FIRST VIRTUAL Internet Payment System,
the first link between the global Internet and the world's financial system.

Anyone can use our system to buy or sell information on the Internet.
All that you need is an Internet electronic mailbox.

This program will help you to apply for a FIRST VIRTUAL account,
among other functions.  This program is NOT for buying and selling
things.  Buying and selling are accomplished using Email, FTP, the
World Wide Web, or other mechanisms.

   Type 'A' to apply for a new FIRST VIRTUAL account.
   Type 'H' to request a history of recent activity for an existing
      FIRST VIRTUAL account.
   Type 'I' to inquire about the status of an existing FIRST VIRTUAL account.
   Type 'T' to request a fund transfer between two FIRST VIRTUAL accounts.
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FIRST VIRTUAL is happy to invite you to apply for an account with our
Internet Payment System -- the simple and painless way to buy and sell
information over the Internet.

As a FIRST VIRTUAL account holder, you'll have immediate access to the
growing world of information for sale on the Internet, with
satisfaction guaranteed -- you never pay for information unless you're
satisfied with it!  Your FIRST VIRTUAL account will also let you sell
information, either via your own servers or via FIRST VIRTUAL's
"Infohaus" -- the public information storage warehouse.

To apply (a quick and simple procedure) just answer the questions that follow.
Please enter your full name:
Nathaniel Borenstein
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Please enter your Internet email address:
nsb@nsb.fv.com
For your mailing address, please use the same address as the billing address
of the credit card you will later link to your First Virtual account.
Please enter your street address:
25 Washington Avenue
enter a second line of your street address, if necessary, or press <RETURN> to g
o on:

Please enter your city name:
Morristown
Please enter your state or province name:
NJ
Please enter your postal (zip) code:
07960
Please enter your country name:
Enter a blank line to use the default answer, United States

Enter your telephone number, as it would be used INSIDE United States:
201 555 1212
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Thank you.  You are almost finished now.

You need to choose an "account id" that you will use in order
to buy or sell information.  The account id is similar to your account
number on a credit card, or to your login name on a computer system.
It should be easy for you to remember, but not too easy for others to guess
if they happen to know your name or email address.

Account identifiers can be up to 30 letters and numbers, and can also
include punctuation, which does not count towards the limit of 30.
FIRST VIRTUAL may add one randomly-selected word to your chosen
ID, to ensure that your ID is unique.

Please enter your preferred account ID:
Remember the Alamo!
Please enter your currency name:
Enter a blank line to use the default answer, USD US Dollar

Please enter your language name:
Enter a blank line to use the default answer, EN English
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Your application now looks like this:

Full-Name: Nathaniel Borenstein
Email-Address: nsb@nsb.fv.com
Notification-CC:
Phone-Number: +1 201 555 1212
Street-Address: 25 Washington Avenue
Street-Address-2:
City: Morristown
State: NJ
Country:US
ID-Choice: Remember the Alamo!
Postal-Code: 07960
Preferred-Currency: USD US Dollar
Preferred-Language: EN English
Address-Redistribution:

Please check over the information displayed above to make sure it is correct.
   Type 'S' to send in the account application,
        'E' to edit the information,
    or 'Q' to quit without applying.
Send/Edit/Quit?
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FIRST VIRTUAL
HOLDINGS INCORPORATED
First Virtual -- Bringing the World of Electronic Commerce to Your Computer -- TODAY!
If you can read this you can buy and sell information over the Internet right now!
FIRST VIRTUAL
First Virtual Holdings Incorporated presents the First Virtual Internet Payment System.
This is the home page for First Virtual Holdings Incorporated -- the creators of the First Virtual (TM) Internet Payment System. We've made it possible for people like you to buy and sell information over
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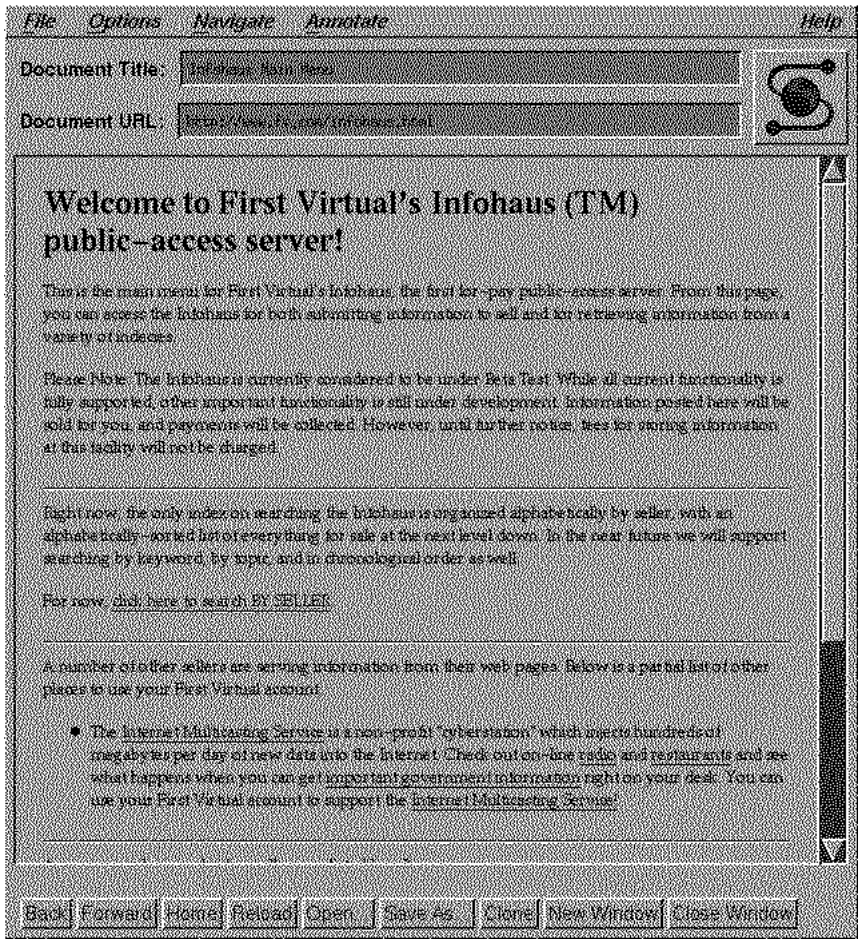
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Welcome to First Virtual's Infohaus (TM) public-access server!
This is the main menu for First Virtual's Infohaus, the first for-pay public-access server. From this page, you can access the Infohaus for both submitting information to sell and for retrieving information from a variety of indexes.
Please Note: The Infohaus is currently considered to be under Beta Test. While all current functionality is fully supported, other important functionality is still under development. Information posted here will be sold for you, and payments will be collected. However, until further notice, fees for storing information at this facility will not be charged.
Right now, the only index on searching the Infohaus is organized alphabetically by seller, with an alphabetically-sorted list of everything for sale at the next level down. In the near future we will support searching by keyword, by topic, and in chronological order as well.
For now, click here to search BY SELLER.
A number of other sellers are serving information from their web pages. Below is a partial list of other places to use your First Virtual account.
The Internet Multicasting Service is a non-profit "cyberstation" which injects hundreds of megabytes per day of new data into the Internet. Check out on-line radio and restaurant info and see what happens when you can get important government information right on your desk. You can use your First Virtual account to support the Internet Multicasting Service!
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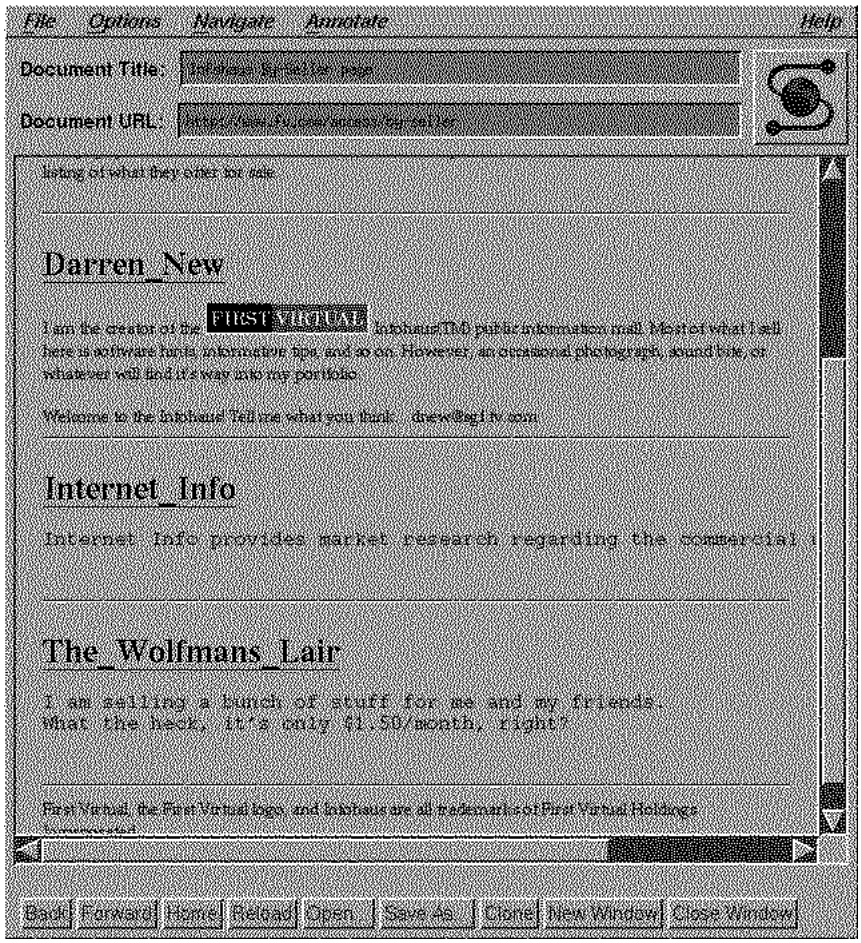
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listing of what they offer for sale.
Darren_New
I am the creator of the FIRST VIRTUAL infohaus/Tell public information mail. Most of what I sell here is software hints, information tips, and so on. However, an occasional photograph, sound bite, or whatever will find its way into my portfolio.
Welcome to the Infohaus! Tell me what you think. drew@fv.com
Internet_Info
Internet Info provides market research regarding the commercial
The_Wolfmans_Lair
I am selling a bunch of stuff for me and my friends.
What the heck, it's only $1.50/month, right?
First Virtual, the First Virtual logo, and Infohaus are all trademarks of First Virtual Holdings
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pictures.scenic.01
Here is the free part of this information item
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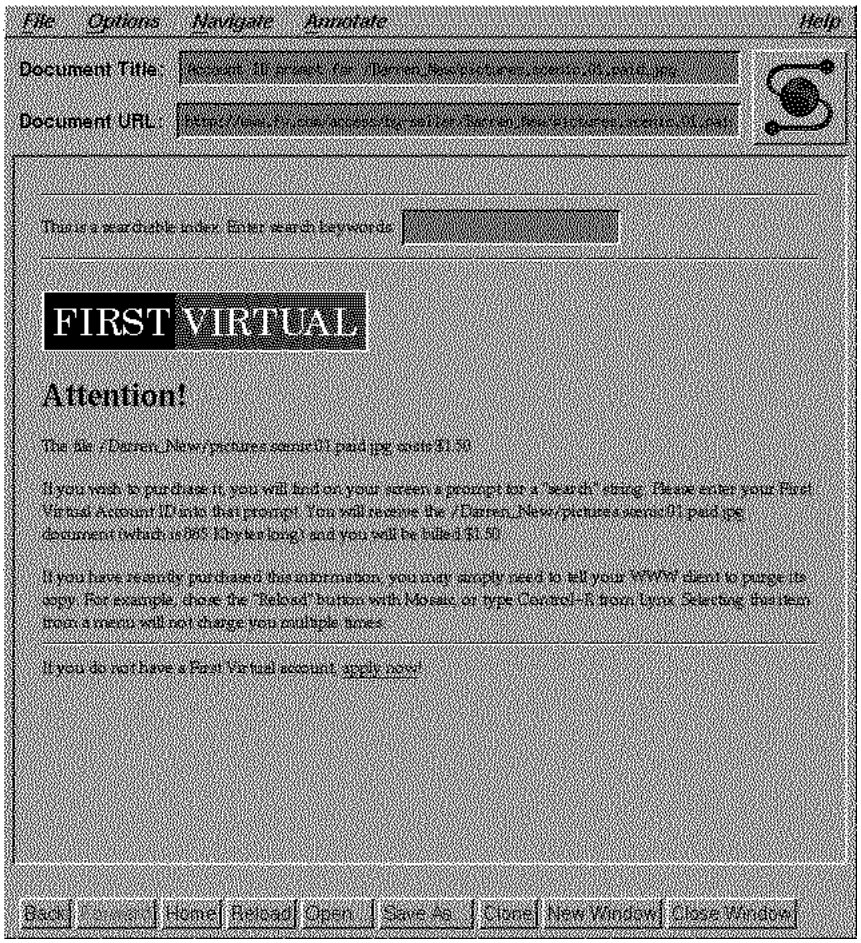
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This is a searchable index. Enter search keywords:
FIRST VIRTUAL
Attention!
The file /Darren_New/pictures.scenic01.paul.jpg costs $1.50.
If you wish to purchase it, you will find on your screen a prompt for a "search" string. Please enter your First Virtual Account ID into that prompt. You will receive the /Darren_New/pictures.scenic01.paul.jpg document (which is 985 kbytes long) and you will be billed $1.50.
If you have recently purchased this information, you may simply need to tell your WWW client to purge its copy. For example, chose the "Reload" button with Mosaic or type Control-R from Lynx. Selecting this item from a menu will not charge you multiple times.
If you do not have a First Virtual account, apply now!
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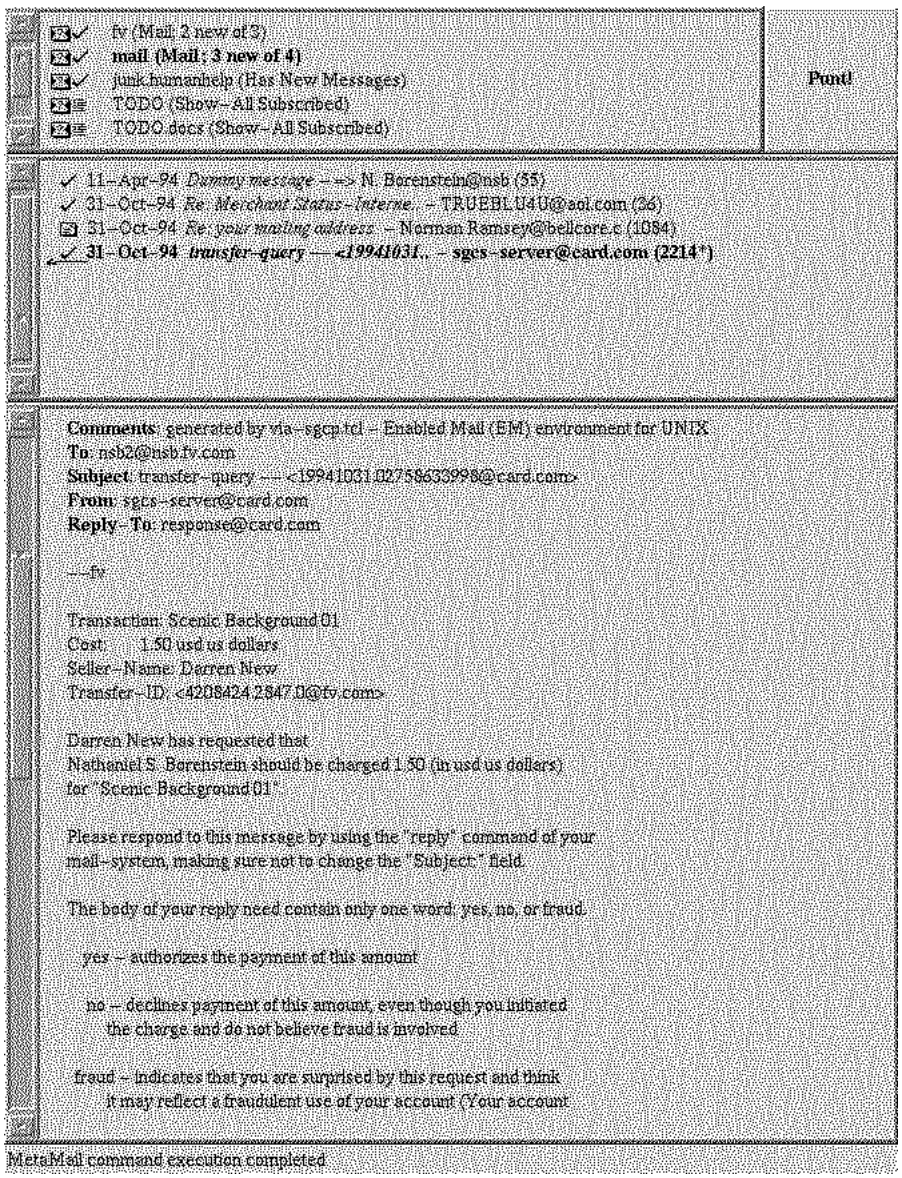
fv (Mail: 2 new of 3)
mail (Mail: 3 new of 4)
junk.humanhelp (Has New Messages)
TODO (Show-All Subscribed)
TODO.docs (Show-All Subscribed)
Pant!
✓ 11-Apr-94 Dummy message -=> N. Borenstein@nsb (55)
✓ 31-Oct-94 Re: Merchant Status - Interne... - TRUEBLUE4U@aol.com (36)
31-Oct-94 Re: your mailing address ... - Norman Ramsey@bellcore.c (1084)
31-Oct-94 transfer-query --- <19941031., - sgcs-server@card.com (2214*)
Comments: generated by via-sgcp.tcl - Enabled Mail (EM) environment for UNIX
To: nsb2@nsb.fv.com
Subject: transfer-query --- <19941031.02758633998@card.com>
From: sgcs-server@card.com
Reply-To: response@card.com
---fv
Transaction: Scenic Background 01
Cost: 1.50 usd us dollars
Seller-Name: Darren New
Transfer-ID: <42088424.2847.0@fv.com>
Darren New has requested that
Nathaniel S. Borenstein should be charged 1.50 (in usd us dollars)
for "Scenic Background 01"
Please respond to this message by using the "reply" command of your
mail-system, making sure not to change the "Subject:" field.
The body of your reply need contain only one word: yes, no, or fraud.
yes -- authorizes the payment of this amount
no -- declines payment of this amount, even though you initiated
the charge and do not believe fraud is involved
fraud -- indicates that you are surprised by this request and think
it may reflect a fraudulent use of your account (Your account
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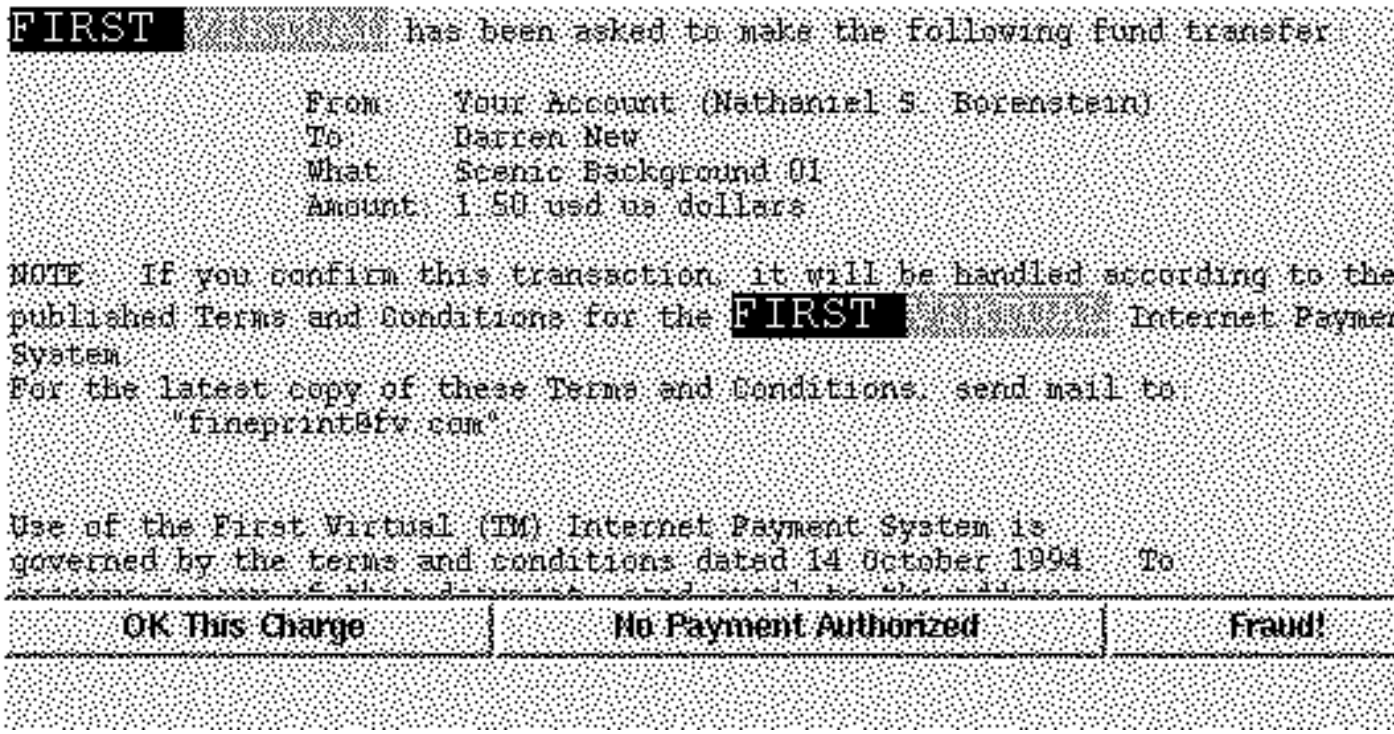
FIRST has been asked to make the following fund transfer
From Your Account (Nathaniel S Borenstein)
To Darren New
What Scenic Background 01
Amount 1 50 usd us dollars
NOTE If you confirm this transaction, it will be handled according to the
published Terms and Conditions for the FIRST Internet Payme
System.
For the latest copy of these Terms and Conditions, send mail to
"fineprint@fv.com".
Use of the First Virtual (TM) Internet Payment System is
governed by the terms and conditions dated 14 October 1994. To
OK This Charge
No Payment Authorized
Fraud!