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He stuck the square Post-its across his desk,
up the sides, then marching along the top
like he was inserting himself into a frame,
each yellow cell a perfect fact or equation, who said
what, to whom & in which upholstered office.

NOTES

Torture = 31

(usage in all of Shakespeare's works)

Techniques ≠ Tortures

(see below)

Number of techniques usually needed to bring detainee to "baseline dependent state" = 3

(1, nudity; 2, sleep deprivation, with shackling & diaper; 3, dietary manipulation)

Number of times a detainee may be "walled" in a single session = 1-30

Cramped confinement = 18 hours/day

Confinement in "small box" = 2 hours/day

Etymology of "torture" = Latin *tortūra* (twisting)

Length of Alec Guinness's confinement in a small box in *Bridge on the*

River Kwai = 31 seconds (movie time)

(number of Academy Awards = 7)

Texas police convicted of "water torture" = 4

Number of 24 episodes = 24

Angle of repose = 45°

(degree of backwards inclination while bound in stress position)

Earning a degree from Yale in 1992 = John C. Yoo

(Deputy Assistant Attorney General, USDOJ)

Earning a degree from Yale in 1993 = Jonathan Coulton

(performer of "Code Monkey" & folk acoustic version of "Baby Got Back")

Location of Donald Rumsfeld alumnus portrait = Yankee Doodle Tavern,

Princeton

(next to Brooke Shields)

Harvard's founding purpose = train Puritan ministers

Fate of Harvard's first professor = fired for beating his students

"Code Monkey have long walk back to cubicle / he sit down pretend to