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Honestly, I keep telling my editor that I'd love the chance to review something fun, like a diamond tiara or maybe a cute Coach bag for the summer. There's also some new treats I've heard about that sound positively yummy!

Instead I am given the task of reviewing the Auggie Dog, a device used to pick up dog waste. I've tried twice before to write this piece and have been unsuccessful both times. Turd time is the charm, I suppose. As you can probably guess, the puns have been flying around the DDD office this week. "Still writing that article?" said my colleague Rigby, "you must be pooped." Then Pepper said he could certainly understand how a reporter such as I would "stoop for a scoop like this."

We are not amused.

In all seriousness, I have a boy who takes care of this malodorous task for me, so I don't feel terribly qualified to posit my thoughts in a review. In any event, I will attempt to describe what I have seen others doo-doo – I mean, do – while maintaining my usual dignity and grace.

The Auggie Dog is carried around like a fancy cane, which I suppose would enable its user to feel like Lord of the Manor while he and the dog go about their respective business. When a dog, shall we say, makes a natural deposit, the Auggie Dog is promptly deployed to remove any trace of the steaming ordure (a full, tastefully shot demonstration video is available on the Auggie Dog website: auggiedog.com). Dumping the offending – er, dump – is simple and can be accomplished with utmost discretion and taste. But I have a boy who does this for me. Did I mention that?

By the way, I'll work on the diamond tiaras for the next issue, girls!

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