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Simon Hobson wrote:

> *** There is no doubt that whilst the pace of development means that there is
> lots of new stuff in there, as other have pointed out, it doesn't make for
> ease of support if no two installed systems are the same.*

Which is why, back in the early 90s, I went with a 3.2r4.2 install.
"Use this hardware, and it will work." Which is did, up until I
retired the system. Not to malign Linux, but at the time, it was
more in the "bug of the week" mode.

At the time, I also remember a lot of comments on this news group
about "How come you don't support...." (The latest piece of hardware)
And back then, I figured it was because SCO has a finite number of
engineers, and when something gets "certified" it means it has to
work. Not sort of work, or with some magic mix of hardware.

Jeff
(The other other one)

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"They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary
safety deserve neither liberty nor safety." Benjamin Franklin
"A life lived in fear is a life half lived."
Tara Morice as Fran, from the movie "Strictly Ballroom"