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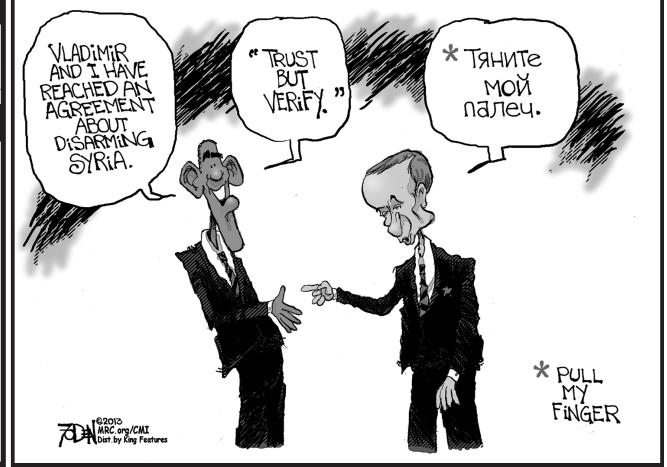
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Maudie's Naughties

Diagnosis of Histerical

The psychology instructor has just finished a lecture on mental health and is giving an oral test. Speaking specifically about manic depression, she asks, "How would you diagnose a patient who walks back and forth screaming at the top of his lungs one minute, then sits down weeping uncontrollably the next?" A young man in the rear raises his hand and answers, "He's probably a football coach"

Better Offers

An Employee goes to see his boss to ask for a raise Employee: Excuse me sir, may I talk to you?

Boss: Sure, come on in. What can I do for you? Employee: Well sir, as you know, I have been an employee of this prestigious firm for over ten years. Boss: Yes.

Employee: I won't beat around the bush. Sir, I would like a raise. I currently have four companies after me and so I decided to talk to you first.

Boss: A raise? I would love to give you a raise, but this is just not the right time.

Employee: I understand your position, and I know that the current economic downturn has had a negative impact on sales, but you must also take into consideration my hard work. pro-activeness and loyalty to this company for over a decade.

Boss: Taking into account these factors, and considering I don't want to start a brain drain, I'm willing to offer you a ten percent raise and an extra five days of vacation time. How does that sound?

Employee: Great! It's a deal! Thank you, sir!

Boss: Before you go, just out of curiosity, what companies are after you?

Employee: Oh, the Electric Company, Gas Company, Wa-

ter Company and the Mortgage Company **Bubba Goes Hang Gliding**

Bubba decides to save up and get a hang-glider.

He takes it upon Buffalo Point, and after struggling to the top. he gets ready to take flight. He takes off running and reaches the edge -- into the wind he goes, straight down Needmore Hollow!

Meanwhile, Ma and Pa are sitting on the porch swing talking about the good old days with Junior when Ma spots the biggest bird she ever seen!

"Look at the size of that bird, Pa!" she exclaims. Pa raises up, "What's he carrying Junior."

Junior jumps up and says, "That bird's got a hold of Bubba."

He runs into the house, brings out his pump shotgun. He takes careful aim. BANG . . . BANG . . . BANG . . . BANG! The monster size bird continues to sail silently over the tree tops. "I think you missed him, Junior," says Pa.

"Yeah," Junior replies, "But at least he let go of Bubba!" **Four Bones**

The body of any organization has four bones:

Wish bones, who spend all their time wishing someone else will do all the work; **Jaw Bones**, who do all the talking and very little else; Knuckle Bones, who knock everything that everybody else tries to do; and Back Bones, who get under the load and do all the work.

Memorial Stone

A woman is going up and down Needmore Hollow asking for money to pay for her late husband's funeral.

"I thought he left enough for a funeral and a stone," says Ma. "He thought he did," says the woman. "But after I bought the stone, I didn't have enough left for the funeral."

"What kind of stone did you buy?" asks Ma. "Three carats!"

Self Help

Mitzi goes to a self-help group. The instructor asks the group, "What do you want out of life?"

Mitzi says, "All I want out of life is four little animals". The instructor asks, "Really and what four little animals would that be?"

Mitzi answers, "A mink on my back, a jaguar in the garage, a tiger in the bed, and a donkey to pay for all of it."

Does It Exist?

An eccentric philosophy professor gives a one question final exam after a semester dealing with a broad array of topics. Leaning against his chair, he says "Using everything we have learned this semester, prove that this chair does not exist."

Fingers fly, erasers erase, notebooks are filled in furious fashion. Some students write over 30 pages in one hour, attempting to refute the existence of the chair. One member of the class however, is up and finished in less than a minute. He writes, "What chair?"

Military Defense

During a practical exercise at a military police base the instructor is giving the class instruction in unarmed self- defense. After he presents a number of different situations in which they might find themselves, he asks a student, "What steps would you take if someone were coming at you with a large, sharp knife?"

The student replies, "BIG ones."

Letter to the Editor

Thanks To All Who Supported March For Drug Recovery

September 11, 2013 sunny day. To Whom It May Concern:

were very blessed to have a We appreciate Darrell Estes

We would like to thank all sang. We were pleased that also very pleased to have On behalf of Estill the churches, school groups State Senator Albert Robin- numerous local elected offi-County Fiscal Court, and and citizens that turned out son was able to join us this cials present as well as State WestCare Kentucky I want to show their support and to take this opportunity to concern for the drug probthank everyone that par- lems that face not only our Estill County High School of you that attended, as well ticipated in our 8th Annual county, but our state and the One Day at a Time March nation. A big thank you goes for Drug Recovery on Sun- out to Wilma Spicer and the day September 8th. We Drug Court participants.

Misses Estill County

Hello, Tracy & Delores,

you do in your issues of your paper. After I read it every week, I give my copy to one of the girls who works here at McCready Manor on the Support Team; she is from Estill County and loves the night. paper.

(See page 14) for your readers to read; I think they will get a laugh out of it. It was

given to me by a pastor from You are to be commend- one of the Christian churched for the wonderful work es here in Richmond, one Sunday when I attended his services.

> I really miss Estill County and don't get to visit there much anymore since I am on oxygen, 24 hours a day and

May God bless and be I am enclosing a poem with you in your work on the paper.

Yours truly, Nina Riley Richmond ready to load Sunday morn- we will make a change. ing. It made it so much easier. A huge thank you goes out to our Emergency Services Personnel for keep-

We also want to thank the

Marching Band and ROTC

ple involved in this event. did not occur over-night and We thank Save-A-Lot for it may not be fixed overhaving our refreshments night but One Day at a Time Respectfully,

Senator Albert Robinson.

as those that couldn't attend

Again, thank you to each

Wallace C. Taylor **Estill County Judge Executive**

and the powerful song he ing everyone safe. We were

for leading us across the but kept this event in your

bridge. It is always such a thoughts and prayers. The

joy to see these young peo- epidemic of substance abuse



A Veterans Benefits Field Representative will be at the National Guard Armory, 335 Cow Creek Road, Ravenna, on Thursday, October 3, 2013 and the first Thursday of each month. The hours are 1:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m.

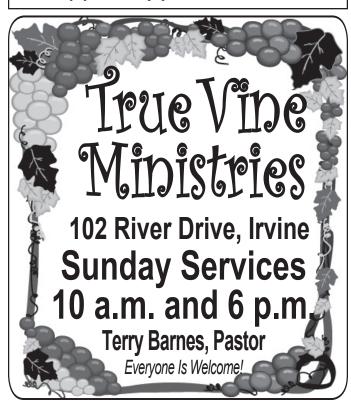
Veterans and their dependants will receive assistance filing for Federal and state veterans benefits. This service is provided free of charge by the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs. To apply, veterans need to furnish copies of pertinent documentation to verify eligibility. For further information, please call toll free within Kentucky, 1-866-376-0308, to speak with a Veterans Benefits Field Representative.

Estill Development Alliance Seeks Nominations For Estill County Hall of Honor

The Estill Development eda/hall-of-honor/ Alliance is seeking nominations for its 16th annual Estill County Hall of Honor, designed to recognize both those individuals who have made significant contributions to Estill County and its people as well as those who are Estill County natives and have accomplished great things anywhere in the world. The award, which will honor four individuals for their community activism, will be presented on October 19, 2013 at the Estill Cooperative Extension office.

any person or organization who has contributed to our community in a meaningful way. Nominees can apply themselves or may be nominated by a friend or colleague. An application form can be downloaded from the EDA website at http://www. estillcountyky.net/index.php/

You may also mail nominations to EDA PO Box 421, Irvine, KY 40336 or drop off nominations at the Estill Development Alliance office located at 177 Broadway. All applications must be received by Monday, September 23, 2013. The inductees will be announced before September 30th. The Hall of Honor celebrates community leaders; individuals who have envisioned a way to improve the community and have mobilized others to work with them to effect a change that Nominations are open to has benefited the broader community. This award will honor four such individuals that have, in the 18 year Estill County Hall of Honor tradition, helped to make our community strong, vibrant and fair. For more information, please contact Katie Mooers, or Joe Crawford at 606-723-2450.



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