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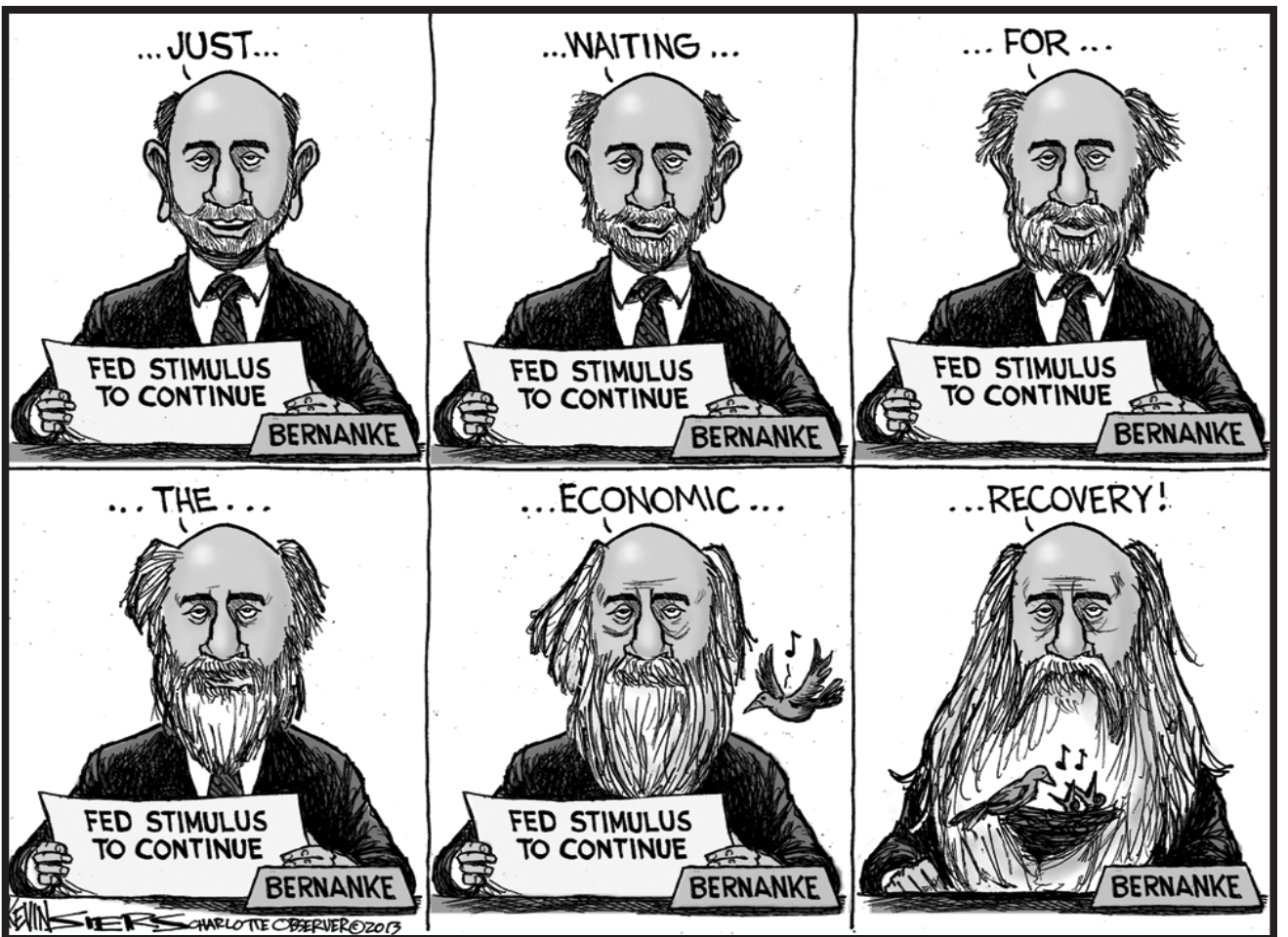
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Maudie's Naughties



Confessional

Two elderly ladies are waiting their turn at the confessional when a young gymnast comes out who is so elated that she does cartwheels down the aisle all the way to the door. "Well!" says one of the ladies turning to her friend. "Can you believe what Father Johnson is giving for penance? Of all the days for me not to be wearing any undies."

Before the Judge

A 90-year-old man stands before the judge accused of taking advantage of a beautiful 20-year-old woman. "So, did you do it?" asks the judge.

"Of course not!" says the elderly man, "But I'm so flattered, I want to plead guilty!"

Back Before the Judge

An 87-year-old woman comes home from Bingo to find her 92-year-old husband in bed with another woman. She becomes violent and ends up pushing him off the balcony of their 20th floor apartment, killing him instantly. Brought before the court on the charge of murder, she is asked if she has anything to say in her own defense.

"Well, your Honor," she begins coolly, "I figured if he could do all them things he was doing at 92 years old, then he could fly, too!"

Danged Fine Sermon

A man goes to church one day and afterwards, he stops to shake the preacher's hand. He says, 'Preacher, I'll tell you, that was a danged fine sermon. Danged good!'

"Thank you, sir!" says the preacher. "I know that's not really cursing, but we should refrain from saying words that are similar to curse words."

"Well," says the man, "I was so danged impressed with that sermon I put five thousand dollars in the offering plate!"

Obituary Column

An elderly man opened the morning newspaper and was dumbfounded to read in the obituary column that he had died. He quickly phoned an elderly friend.

"Did you see the paper?" the man asks. "They say I died!"

"Yes, I saw it," his friend replies! "Where ya callin' from?"

Happy 85th Birthday

Two elderly guys are talking. One says to the other: "My 85th birthday yesterday. The wife gave me an SUV."

"Wow, that's amazing," says the other guy! "Imagine, an SUV! What a great gift!"

"Yup. Socks, Underwear and Viagra!"

Lost Bible

A local farmer carries his Bible with him every day as he goes out working on the farm where he can read the Bible any time he sits down to rest. One day the Bible drops out of his pocket as he is riding his tractor back to the house.

Three weeks later a cow walks up to him carrying the Bible in its mouth. The farmer can't believe his eyes. He takes the precious book out of the cow's mouth, raises his eyes heavenward and says, "It's a miracle!"

"Not really," says the cow. "Your name is written inside the cover."

Talking Parrot

One day a man goes to an auction. One of the items up for bid is a talking parrot. The man begins to bid. He really wants this bird but the bidding keeps going higher and higher. Finally, the bid goes a lot higher than he expected to pay but he gets the winning bid.

Afterwards, he tells the auctioneer, "I sure hope this parrot can talk. I'd hate to think I paid that much for him and he can't talk. Are you sure this bird can talk?"

"Sure he can," says the auctioneer. "Who do you think was bidding against you?"

Romantic Moments

A couple living in a small apartment decide the only way they can sneak in a few romantic moments is to send their 10-year-old son out onto the balcony and let him give a running report of what's going on in the neighborhood.

Afterwards, they ask their son about everything happening. "Well," says the kid, "A police car just pulled in at the Smith's house, the Chandlers just got some new furniture, and the Mitchells are in bed together."

"What!?!?" they cry out, "How did you know that about the Mitchells?"

"Because their kid was out on the balcony, too!"

Another Romantic Moment

A woman goes to the doctor and complains that she is suffering from knee pains.

"Do you indulge in any activity that puts a lot of pressure on your knees," asks the doctor.

"Well," the woman snickers, "It might be something my husband and I do at night."

"I see," says the doctor. "You know, there are plenty of other positions?"

"Not if you want to watch television there ain't!"

EMA/CSEPP

Tips On "Back To School Safety"

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School starts soon and the Estill Emergency Management would like to give a few safety tips to help make the school year a little easier for everyone.

BACKPACK SAFETY

- Choose a backpack with wide, padded shoulder straps and a padded back.

- Pack light. Organize the backpack to use all of its compartments. Pack heavier items closest to the center of the back. The backpack should never weigh more than 10 to 20 percent of the student's body weight.

- Always use both shoulder straps. Slinging a backpack over one shoulder can strain muscles.

TRAVELING TO AND FROM SCHOOL

Review the basic rules with your youngster:

School Bus

- Wait for the bus to stop before approaching it from the curb.

- Do not move around on the bus.

- Check to see that no other traffic is coming before crossing.

- Make sure to always remain in clear view of the bus driver.

Car

- All passengers should wear a seat belt and/or an age- and size-appropriate car safety seat or booster seat.

- Your child should ride in a car safety seat with a harness as long as possible and then ride in a belt-positioning booster seat. Your child is ready for a booster seat when she has reached the top weight or height allowed for her seat, her shoulders are above the

top harness slots, or her ears have reached the top of the seat.

- Your child should ride in a belt-positioning booster seat until the vehicle's seat belt fits properly (usually when the child reaches about 4' 9" in height and is between 8 to 12 years of age). This means the shoulder belt lies across the middle of the chest and shoulder, not the neck or throat; the lap belt is low and snug across the thighs, not the stomach; and the child is tall enough to sit against the vehicle seat back with her legs bent at the knees and feet hanging down.

- All children under 13 years of age should ride in the rear seat of vehicles. If you must drive more children than can fit in the rear seat (when carpooling, for example), move the front-seat passenger's seat as far back as possible and have the child ride in a booster seat if the seat belts do not fit properly without it.

- Remember that many crashes occur while novice teen drivers are going to and from school. You should limit the number of teen passengers to prevent driver distraction; this is even required by law in many states. Do not allow your teen to drive while eating, drinking, or talking on a cell phone.

Walking to School

- Make sure your child's walk to a school is a safe route with well-trained adult crossing guards at every intersection.

- Be realistic about your child's pedestrian skills. Because small children are impulsive and less cautious around traffic, carefully consider whether or not your child is ready to walk to school without adult supervision.

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BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CHILD CARE

- During middle childhood, youngsters need supervision. A responsible adult should be available to get them ready and off to school in the morning and watch over them after school until you return home from work.

- Children approaching adolescence (11- and 12-year-olds) should not come home to an empty house in the afternoon unless they

show unusual maturity for their age.

- If alternate adult supervision is not available, parents should make special efforts to supervise their children from a distance. Children should have a set time when they are expected to arrive at home and should check in with a neighbor or with a parent by telephone.

- If you choose a commercial after-school program, inquire about the training of the staff. There should be a high staff-to-child ratio, and the rooms and the playground should be safe.

Attention Veterans

A Veterans Benefits Field Representative will be at the National Guard Armory, 335 Cow Creek Road, Ravenna, on Thursday, August 1, 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.

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