

Our 32nd Year Serving Estill County!

The Estill County Tribune EstillTribune.Com

Member of Kentucky Press Association

6135 Winchester Road
Irvine, Kentucky 40336-8517
Phone (606) 723-5012, Fax (606) 723-2743
Email: <tribune6135@windstream.net>

Published on Wednesdays by
Tracy Randall Patrick
Delores L. Rowland, Editor

Subscription Prices
Estill \$17, Adj. Counties \$28, Elsewhere \$32
Periodicals Postage Paid, Irvine, KY 40336
(Permit #685-890)

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to:
The Estill Co. Tribune, 6135 Winchester Rd.
Irvine, Kentucky 40336-8517



Maudie's Naughties



Cold Cure

A man goes to see his doctor because he is suffering from a miserable cold. His doctor prescribes some pills, but they don't help.

On his next visit the doctor gives him a shot, but that doesn't do any good either.

On his third visit the doctor tells the man, "Go home and take a hot bath. As soon as you finish bathing throw open all the windows and stand in the draft."

"But doc," protests the patient, "If I do that, I'll get pneumonia."

"I know," says the doctor, "I can cure pneumonia."

Correct Diagnosis

An archaeologist is digging in the Negev Desert in Israel and comes upon a casket containing a mummy. After examining it, he calls the curator of a prestigious natural-history museum.

"I've just discovered a 3,000 year-old mummy of a man who died of heart failure!" the excited scientist exclaims.

To which the curator replies, "Bring him in. We'll check it out."

A week later, the amazed curator calls the archaeologist. "You were right about the mummy's age and cause of death. How in the world did you know?"

"Easy. There was a piece of paper in his hand that said, '10,000 Shekels on Goliath.'"

Marital Predictions

"Pa," says Little Julie. "Did you know what your marriage would be like before you married Ma?"

"Well," answers Pa. "I knew before the ceremony was over with."

"How's that," asks Julie?

"Well," says Pa. "The minister asks Ma, 'Do you take this man to be your husband?' . . . and Ma replies, 'I do!'"

"Then he turns to me and says, 'Do you take this woman to be your wife?' . . . and Ma leans over and says, 'He does!'"

More Marital Predictions

"Pa," says Little Julie. "How come Uncle Bill never got married? Was it because of his crooked nose?"

"Oh, he almost did get married," replies Pa. "You know that woman named Bernadette that lives at the head of the hollow, Bill was all set to marry her. The wedding was all planned and Bernadette was waiting at the altar with Reverend Rick from the Methodist Church. Bill came strolling up the aisle pushing a new set of golf clubs that he had bought himself for Christmas. Bernadette looks straight at him and says, 'What did you bring those for?' Bill looks back at her right straight in the eye and says, 'Well, this ain't going to take all day, is it?' I believe it was the 8-iron that broke his nose."

Life Saver

A wealthy businessman chokes on a fish bone at a restaurant.

He is fortunate that a doctor is seated at a nearby table.

Springing up, the doctor skillfully removes the bone and saves the man's life.

As soon as the fellow has calmed himself and can talk again, he thanks the surgeon enthusiastically and offers to pay him for his services.

"Just name the fee," he croaks gratefully.

"Okay," replies the doctor. "How about half of what you'd have offered when the bone was still stuck in your throat?"

Anniversary

A young man is speeding home after being delayed at the office when he suddenly sees flashing lights in his rearview mirror. After the officer pulls him over, the young man is hoping for some leniency and explains to the officer that he was rushing home to be with his wife because it is their first anniversary.

Rather than letting the man off with a warning, the officer continues writing, tears off the ticket and hands it to the man and says, "Congratulations, the first anniversary is paper, isn't it?"

Affairs

An artist, a lawyer, and a computer scientist are discussing the merits of a mistress. The artist tells of the passion, the thrill which comes with the risk of being discovered.

The lawyer warns of the difficulties. It can lead to guilt, divorce, bankruptcy. Not worth it. Too many problems.

The computer scientist says "It's the best thing that's ever happened to me. My wife thinks I'm with my mistress. My mistress thinks I'm home with my wife, and I can spend all night on the computer!"

Sixth Congressional District

Barr's Staff To Hold Traveling Office Hours In Irvine

Madison and Estill County traveling office hours for Congressman Andy Barr have been rescheduled for January 6th due to the federal holidays in January.

During these office hours, Congressman Barr's staff will be available to provide assistance to constituents on

a variety of services and issues, including Medicare, Veterans Affairs, Social Security, Internal Revenue Service issues, and matters regarding federal legislation.

This is a responsible, inexpensive way for constituents to voice their opinion on legislative issues or seek assistance with federal agencies.

Monday, Jan. 6th Schedule

Madison County Courthouse, 101 W Main Street, Richmond, 1-2 p.m.

Estill County Courthouse, 130 Main Street # 207, Irvine, 3-4 p.m.

The full monthly schedule and location for each

county can be found on Congressman Barr's website by date or by alphabetically by county. Constituents may also obtain assistance by contacting Congressman Barr's District Office at 859-219-1366, during the hours of 8:45 a.m. and 5:15 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Kentucky Department of Highways District 10

Transportation Cabinet Awards Eight Contracts For 11 Highway Projects

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet recently awarded eight contracts totaling nearly \$10 million for 11 highway projects within the Department of Highways District 10.

Contracts awarded as part of November and December 2013 lettings are:

- An \$895,095.49 contract for replacement of a bridge over the Middle Fork of the Red River on KY 11 in Powell County. The project is to be completed within 41 working days after construction begins.

- A \$2,535,118.11 contract for replacement of a bridge

over the North Fork of the Kentucky River on KY 451 in Perry County. The project is to be completed within 220 working days after construction begins.

- A \$541,924.72 contract for bridge deck restoration and waterproofing of bridges located on KY 52 in Breathitt County, KY 1090 in Magoffin County, the Bert T. Combs Mountain Parkway in Morgan County and KY 1387 in Perry County.

- A \$158,605 contract for replacement of a bridge over Frames Branch on KY 1057 in Powell County. The project is to be completed by

May 15.

- A \$1,454,108.87 contract for sight distance improvements at two locations on KY 89 in Estill County. The project is to be completed by Aug. 1.

The Department of Highways District 10 consists of 10 counties – Breathitt, Estill, Lee, Magoffin, Menifee, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Powell and Wolfe – in east-central and southeastern Kentucky. The district office is located in Jackson.

Construction activities are scheduled on a tentative basis and are subject to change depending on weather conditions. Motorists are asked to drive with caution in work

zones and be aware of workers, traffic control devices and construction equipment when traveling in areas where projects are ongoing.

Significant traffic impacts resulting from construction and maintenance projects are posted on District 10's website (<http://transportation.ky.gov/District-10>), the district's Facebook page (<http://www.facebook.com/KYTCDistrict10>) and also on the district's Twitter feed (<http://www.twitter.com/KYTCDistrict10>). Drivers can check these sites prior to traveling to determine if there will be traffic delays for which they should be prepared.

Living with Alzheimer's: For Caregivers - Early Stage

A program, "Living with Alzheimer's: For Caregivers - Early Stage," will take place at the Madison County Cooperative Extension Office located at 230 Duncannon Lane, Richmond, from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. on Thursday, January 16th.

This program will help participants understand the common symptoms and behaviors seen in early

stage Alzheimer's and how to address them. Additionally, caregivers will learn about what lies ahead legally and financially, the importance of early planning, and how to build an effective care team.

To register, call 1-800-272-3900 or email infokyn@alz.org. This program was created especially for family caregivers, so please no professionals.

From Start to Finish . . .
One Agent is all you need!
Whether you are Buying or Selling!

Century 21
ADVANTAGE REALTY. A ROBINSON COMPANY
SMARTER. BOLDER. FASTER.
Traci Dean 859-582-9675
www.tracidean.net

Sammie's Furniture & Appliances

722 Main St., Ravenna • 723-6562
Open Mon.-Fri., 9-6, and Sat., 9-5

- New Appliances
- Dutch Craft Amish-Made Bedding
- New Bedroom Suites
- Bushline Living Room Suites
- Tables & Chairs
- Special Orders

Free Delivery & Set Up
90 Days Same As Cash*
*With Approved Credit

Now Accepting
DISCOVER
VISA
MasterCard

Owlhead's Grocery

South Irvine * 723-7473

We Sell
Formax PRODUCER FEEDS
Feeds by Producer

Pet & Livestock Feed

- Corn50 Lbs.
- Cracked Corn50 Lbs.
- Horse Feed50 Lbs.
- Rabbit Pellets50 Lbs.
- 40% Hog Supplement .50 Lbs.
- Pig & Show 18%50 Lbs.
- Starter & Grower25 Lbs.
- Starter & Grower25 Lbs.
- Layer Pellets50 Lbs.
- Dog Food50 Lbs.
- Mineral Block50 Lbs.
- Salt Block50 Lbs.
- Fly Block
- Trace Mineral Salt50 Lbs.
- Pebble Lime50 Lbs.
- Defender Dog Food . . .50 Lbs.
- Dry Molasses50 Lbs.

-- Now In Stock!!! --
5-Lb. Peppermint Sticks & Gum Boots

Owlhead's Grocery
South Irvine * Phone 723-7473
Donald & Katherine Dixon, Owners
We Close at 10:00 p.m.