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Maudie's Naughties



Drunk Again

Two police officers notice Aunt Cora staggering down the street after a night on the town. Trying to do a favor for an elderly lady, they decide to take her home instead of jail. So they load her in the back of the cruiser and one officer sits back there with her to keep her from falling over.

They start driving around town looking for her house. They ask her several times where she lives, but every time she reaches over and grabs the officer's arm and says, "You're passionate."

After a couple of hours of this they start to get frustrated with her. "Look," says one officer. "We've driven you around town several times and you just want to get flirty and still haven't told us where you live!"

"I keep telling you," says Aunt Cora. "You're passing it!"

Same As In The Army

A retired four-star general runs into his former orderly, also retired, in a Manhattan bar and spends the rest of the evening persuading him to come work for him as his valet. "Your duties will be exactly the same as they were in the army," the general says. "Nothing to it - you'll catch on again fast."

Next morning, promptly at eight o'clock, the valet enters the general's bedroom, pulls open the drapes, gives the general a gentle shake, strides around the other side of the bed, spanks the general's wife on her bottom and says, "OK, sweetheart, night's over, it's back to the street for you."

Hail Storm Damage

Mitzie gets caught out during a bad hail storm where hail stones the size of golf balls dent her car up pretty badly. The next day, she calls a nearby repair shop to ask about having the dents fixed. The repairman knows her and decides to have a little fun. So, he tells her that if she'll blow into the tailpipe really hard that the dents will just pop out. She goes outside and is blowing hard into the tailpipe when Trixie shows up.

"What in the world are you doing?" asks Trixie. Mitzie tells her what the repairman told her to do. "Duh!" says Trixie. "You've got to roll the windows up first."

Engine Problems

Trixie coasts her BMW into a gas station. She tells the mechanic, "It died." After he works on it for a few minutes, it's idling smoothly.

She says: "What's the story?"

He replies: "Just crap in the carburetor."

"How often do I have to do that?" she asks.

New Hunting Dog

Junior and Howard are at the dog pound looking for a hunting dog for Howard.

Junior points at one cage and says, "Howard, look at that dog with one eye!"

Howard covers one of his eyes and says, "Where?"

News Time

Pa is watching the 6 o'clock news with Junior and Howard. The news is about a man about ready to jump off a bridge.

Pa knows Junior has a \$10 bill from helping Howard's dad put up hay, so he turns to him and says, "I'll bet you a sawbuck the man is going to jump."

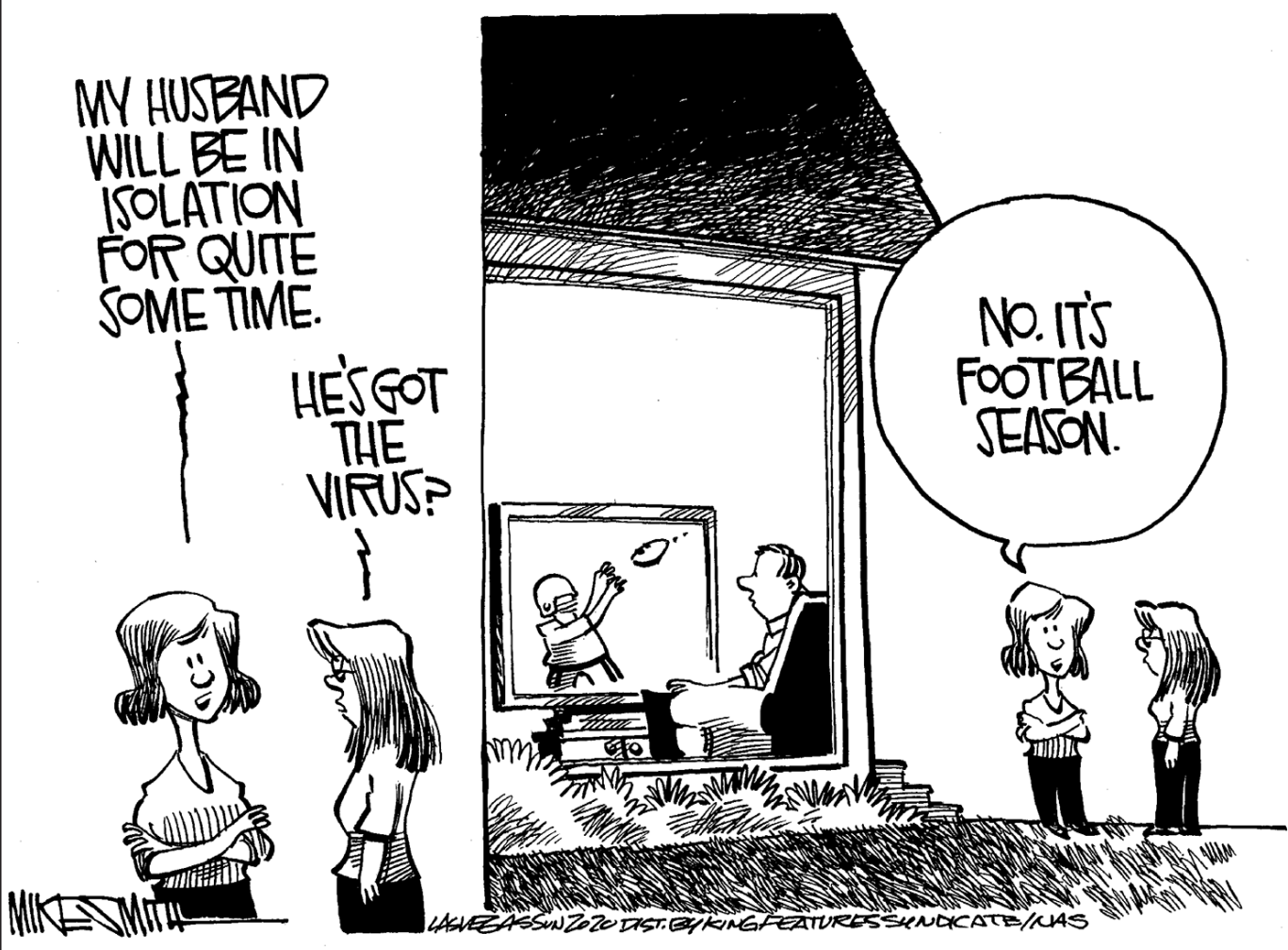
"Junior replies, "Okay, you're on," and pulls out the ten.

Howard jerks out his \$10 bill, too, and says, "I want a piece of this action!"

Sure enough, the man jumps, and Junior and Howard hand Pa the tens they earned hauling hay.

Pa says, "I can't accept this money. I watched the 12 o'clock news and saw the man jump then."

"No, you keep it," says Junior. "We watched the 12 o'clock news, too. We just didn't think he was dumb enough to do it again."



Library Happenings

Estill Public Library

by Shannon Horn

If you have been a reader of my Library Happenings column, I apologize for not providing any content lately. I could write a big long article about all the fun stuff we have been doing. Like cleaning, unpacking stuff, rearranging furniture... You get the idea. But I think I will share some of the other stuff that we've got going on instead!

Teen Book Boxes

I had seen this cool idea on a couple different library groups that I follow on Facebook and I thought it would be fun to try with our library. We hadn't had very many teens checking out books, even before the pandemic, but we wanted to get some books out into their hands. In order to make that happen we put together book boxes. Each teen that signed up gave us some information about what they liked to read. We then handpicked a book specifically for them based on their preferences. We are also providing them with several goodies in the box; Bookmarks, pencils, stickers, a necklace with a charm that will match the theme of the box, along with a free book. We only prepared 10 boxes to begin with, but an hour after I had put the sign up sheet on Facebook, seven teens had signed up. We left it open for more sign-ups and we finally closed it after 24 teens had enrolled! I am so excited to see how this project goes. It is going to be so much fun.

Facebook Programs

We are still doing a lot of virtual programs, since we aren't open to the public at this time. Lesa has been doing several things for the adults and I've been trying to do some engaging virtual Storytimes. Lesa has done several book talks where she has shared a lot of our new books that are available for check out. Currently, she has a poetry challenge going on. There have been some really great poems shared with our online community, written by people within our physical community. She has also been sharing recipes online. So if you like to cook, go ahead and check out our Facebook page.

While the library remains closed for the time, we are doing everything we can to help out our community. We all had hoped that we would be open soon, but with the number of Covid-19 cases rising in the county, the board felt like it would be wise to remain closed to the public for just a little while longer. Even though we are closed, we are still offering curbside service if anyone wants to check out books or DVDs. We also have a laptop available for anyone that needs to access the internet or print. Our fax machine and copier are still available if you are in need of those services.

While I don't have a whole lot to share today, we are still working hard to provide services for our community during this weird time. If you need anything, just give us a call at 723-3030. And check out our Facebook page. There is always awesome information on there.

Patients Have Choices in Health Care Services

Given the numerous choices in health care today, many people don't realize the decision-making power they have when it comes to the care they receive and where they receive it. The concept of patient-centered care is a movement that is designed to encourage patients and families to take a more active role in their health care.

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Baptist Health Gets \$1 Million Grant

A \$1 million grant to combat opioid and substance abuse in two southcentral Kentucky counties will support Baptist Health's latest effort to expand and deepen its behavioral health services across the Commonwealth and Southern Indiana.

Baptist Health Corbin secured the grant to serve 1,000 families a year for the next three years in its home county of Whitley and neighboring Knox County. The grant, which launched Sept. 1, 2020, funds a collaborative effort that includes long-time behavioral health partner Cumberland River Behavioral Health. Primary beneficiaries of the federal Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) grant will be pregnant women, those seeking Emergency Department treatment for substance abuse-related conditions and youth.

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