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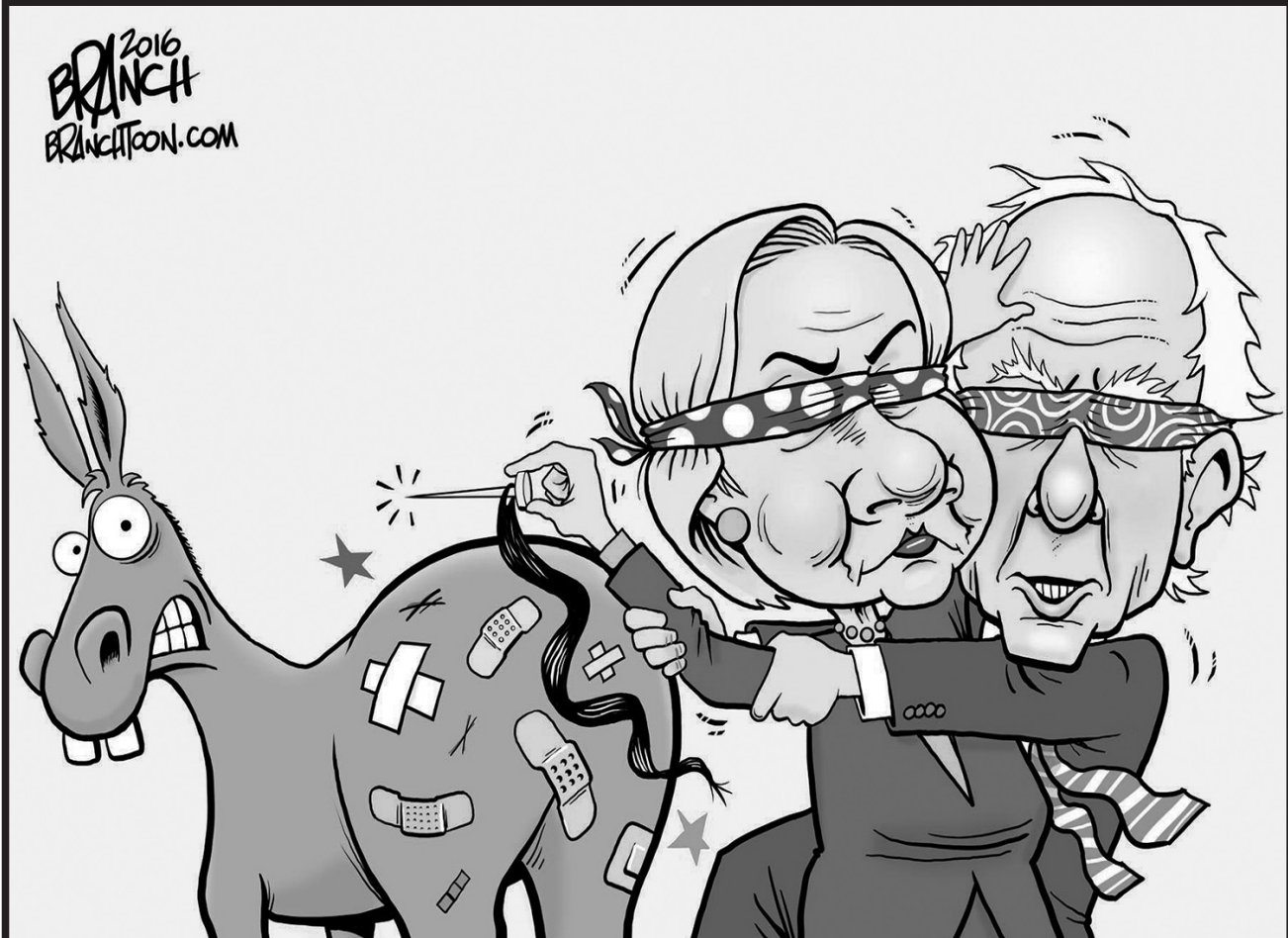
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Maudie's Naughties



Canaries

Ma tells everyone she wants two yellow canaries for Christmas. Junior draws her name, so on Christmas day he is showing Pa what he has in the cage for Ma's present. When Pa looks into the cage, Junior has two pale green parakeets.

Pa says, "Son, I thought Ma said she wanted two yellow canaries for Christmas."

"She did," replies Junior. "The lady I bought them from at the flea market said these weren't quite ripe yet."

Please Don't Tell

A salesman drops by to see a business customer, and there's not a soul in the office except a big dog emptying wastebaskets. The salesman stares at the animal, wondering if his imagination could be playing tricks on him.

The dog looks up and says, "Don't be surprised. This is just part of my job."

"Incredible," exclaims the man. "I can't believe it. Does your boss know what a prize he has in you? An animal that can talk!"

"No, No!" pleads the dog. "Please don't tell him. I'm already cleaning floors and emptying the trash cans. If he finds out I can talk, he'll be expecting me to answer the phone, too."

Pig Story

A pig walks into a store and buys a large soft drink. Afterwards, he asks to use the restroom and then leaves.

A while later, another pig comes in, drinks a large soft drink, asks to use the restroom and then leaves.

Sometime later, a third pig does the same thing, and then a fourth drinks a soft drink, asks to use the restroom and leaves.

In a while, another piggy comes in, drinks a large soft drink and starts out the door.

"Aren't you going to ask to use the restroom like the last four pigs did," asks the store manager.

"Nah," says the pig. "I'm the fifth piggy. I'll just wee, wee, wee all the way home."

Alligators

A man walks into a bar with an alligator on a leash and asks the barman, "Do you serve Washington politicians in here?"

The barman replies, "Of course, we serve people from all types of occupations."

"OK," says the man, "Then a beer for me, and a Washington politician for the alligator?"

Two Cows

Two cows are standing in a field. The first cow says to the other, "I'm a little bit concerned about this mad cow disease that's going around."

The second cow replies, "Don't worry about it . . . it doesn't affect us chickens."

Running Rabbits

Two little rabbits are running for their lives in front of a pack of wolves. The one in front yells over his shoulder, "Follow me, I know where there is a place we can hide 'til we outnumber em!"

The other yells back, "You'd better keep running! I'm your brother!"

Yard Care

Pa notices that Bambi goes out every morning and sprinkles something white all over her yard, so he decides to ask her what she is doing.

"Oh," answers Bambi. "That's elephant powder. I bought it at the flea market to keep the elephants from trampling my flowers."

Pa says, "Everybody knows that there ain't no elephants around here!"

"Well," replies Bambi. "I guess it must be working then."

Lion On The Loose

Junior is walking down Main Street when he sees Pa and a crowd of people running towards him. He hollers at Pa, "What's happening?"

"A rabid dog is in town!" is the reply.

"Oh shucks!" says Junior. "Which way is it heading?" Pa replies, "Son, do you think we're chasing it?"

Kit Bragging

Three female cats are bragging about their kittens.

The first says, "My kittens' father is a pure Persian cat."

The second says, "Mine's father is pure-bred Siamese."

The third cat just sits there, saying nothing. So the first two cats ask her, "Well, what are your kittens' father?"

She replies, "Oh, I don't really know . . . I had my head stuck in a tuna can at the time."

Letter to the Editor

Thanks to supporters of Mountain Mushroom Festival

To the Editor:

On behalf of the Mountain Mushroom Festival I would like to thank all the individuals that donated time, talents, energy, and financial support to the 26th annual festival. One of the goals of the festival is to be known as one of the best festivals in Kentucky. This was reflected by the amount of community involvement.

Financial support was given by Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna, Davis Law, P.S.C., Jackson Energy, Irvine Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Irvine Healthmart/Estill Clinic Pharmacy, Kentucky Utilities, Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital, Hinkle Contracting Company, LLC,

Michael Bryant for State Senate, Warren F. Toler Funeral Home, and Estill County Conservation District.

Thanks go to the following organizations who sponsored/organized events and activities: American Legion Riders, Post #79 - motorcycle show, Chamber of Commerce - vendor hospitality, Estill Action Group - KY River Speedy Spore Paddle, Estill County Historical & Genealogical Society - displays, Estill Development Alliance - Kid Zone, Hillbilly Flyers Antique Gas Engines & Tractors - show, Irvine-Ravenna Woman's Club - Student Art Show, Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna - Fungus 5K/2K Run & Walk,

Lions Club - eye screenings, Marcum & Wallace Hospital - health screenings, Masonic Lodge-Pancake Breakfast, Southeast KY Gem, Mineral & Fossil Club - gem show and Twin City Krugerz Club - Car Show.

We appreciate the following who participated on the mushroom cooking and narrative stage: John Allen, Lowell Bolin, Joan Murphy/Tina Pasley, Jordan Noel, Jack/Teresa Stickney, Robin Reed, Billy Webb and Stacy Family.

The Mountain Mushroom Festival Committee volunteered many hours throughout the year to organize and host the best festival possible.

We also appreciate the city of Irvine employees. They helped move needed equipment and supplies, clean the streets, and get the city back in shape after the festival.

An evaluation meeting of the festival committee will be held soon to evaluate the 2016 festival. We will also start to plan the 27th festival to be held April 29-30, 2017. Anyone wanting to volunteer for next year's festival can contact Irvine City Hall. Your input and help would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
Francine Bonny
Mountain Mushroom Festival Chairman

Chemical Board Meeting

Mark your calendar for the Kentucky Chemical Demilitarization Citizens' Advisory Commission and Chemical Destruction Community Advisory Board Meeting on Wednesday, June 8 at 1:30 p.m. at E-K-U's Carl D. Perkins Building, Rooms A and B. This meeting is a good opportunity to learn more about the Blue Grass Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant at the Blue Grass Army Depot. For more information, call 6-2-6-8-9-4-4.

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