

Opinion

Be patriotic: pay a teacher

What if the teacher retired and there were no new teachers to take over? Education as we have known it would end. Some parents might have the time and motivation to teach their children to read, write and solve mathematical problems. Other children might learn from computers. Schools would close and most children would receive virtually no education. Few new writers, scientists, doctors or engineers would be trained.

Society would return to the dark ages. Of course, this is not likely to happen, but it should be concerned because there is a shortage of teachers for math, science and vocational education in the United States.

The U.S. Department of Education estimates that next year the supply of new teachers will no longer meet demand. By the 1990s, the department forecasts that there will be three teaching jobs available for every two education graduates.

Recent studies also have indicated that the quality of students entering schools of education has been declining. It is logical to assume that it follows that the quality of teachers is sinking.

The obvious reason for the national decline in quantity and quality of teachers is that salaries are not competitive. When young people can earn considerably more money in other fields, they are not going to become teachers.

The United States became a great nation because it developed an excellent educational system. If we continue to deny education the resources needed to pay teachers an attractive wage, our nation will go into an intellectual and technological decline.

Maybe we should adopt a slogan: "It's patriotic to pay a teacher."

A Day to remember...

August 13 was very special in the life of young Todd. That's the date his prize steer "Duke" won Reserve Grand Champion honors in 4-H competition at the Kentucky State Fair, a feat that no one else has, as far as anyone knows.

Todd hardly missed having the grand champion. The judge later told his daddy Mads that it was a tie-up between Duke and the winner, shown by 13-year-old Willie Finkler of the Christian County 4-H Club.

Todd, who is 10, may not be as big as the champion, but he is disappointed. He and his dad, who is 47, are disappointed. He and his dad, who is 47, are disappointed. He and his dad, who is 47, are disappointed.

Here Abouts

...with Emily A. Wolf

If anyone gives a dog older than Wiley, give her a call.

While the oldest dog may be a question better left to the dog, Laverie is one of the blarneyest dogs in the world. She is 14 years old and weighs 100 pounds. She is a mix of several breeds, including a few of the most notorious breeds in the world, including a few of the most notorious breeds in the world.

What's next for the young, freedom-loving and constant companion for over 30 years? The young, freedom-loving and constant companion for over 30 years? The young, freedom-loving and constant companion for over 30 years?

It's been an interesting August for the Kishwaukee Health Center. The pro-arranging marriage of their son, Lane, Dennis Bueh, stands with the Air Force in the Philippines upon which they enjoy activity in itself.

CLAY LETCHER

Now the same time the North's 19-year-old grandchild, Nikki Bonni, daughter of Janet Kay and Henry Wayne of Ewing, was a record gold medal for being named the "Most Improved Olympian" at the week-long National Olympian State held at Eastern Kentucky University.

SARA ELLEN BOWEN
...with one Hoopie

Got a beef or bouquet?
Write a letter to the editor



Agree or not Expect politics as usual

By S.C. Van Curen

Frankfort — While Kentucky could go Republican this year in the presidential race, there is no doubt that what the Kentucky legislature will do next year will be a political circus.

Democracy has been controlled by the General Assembly for years. Through the years, the legislature has been controlled by the General Assembly for years. Through the years, the legislature has been controlled by the General Assembly for years.

Down Memory Lane

Sgt. Blount wounded in France

Thursday, August 21, 1944

Last week 241 members and leaders from Nicholas County attended a banquet at the Nicholas County Hotel.

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Op-Ed page

Knight in flower? ...or just crabgrass growing on the lu sty crabgrass

Opportunities are only one of the topics knocked around in "The Knight in Flower" by Lee Green. It's a witty collection of quotations by and about the wacky people who inhabit the world. Here's a small sampling.

Quoted by the professional golfer, said: "You know, I've thought about becoming a political cartoonist because they only have to come up with one idea a day. Then I thought I'd become a sportswriter instead because they don't have to come up with one."

Russ Metz

girlfriend Tina if her name is Vivian? (George Underwood, "Wasting and Losing" — The only difference between the two is that Vivian is a girl and Tina is a boy. They both suffer a capital loss.)

Sports Commentator: "I took me 15 years to get 1,000 hits in baseball. I did it in one afternoon on a sand cone. (Henry Aaron, baseball player)

Making Love: "Being with a woman all night never hurt on professional baseball player. It's staying up all night looking for a woman that has him on." (Clayton Kopp, major league manager)

Things which often fail to live up to expectations:

- Being a husband.
- Doing on the job.
- A holiday, prepaid, economy-packaged vacation to Hawaii.
- A new set of golf clubs.
- Non-proprietary sleeping pills.
- A new car that is not a car but for \$45.
- Raining tropical fish.
- A new job that is a house-to-house salesman.
- Sidewalk sales.
- Any project that promises to take the effort out of your house, removing paint, washing windows or staining lawn.
- Twenty-four-hour doctors.
- Having your money cheerfully refunded.
- Lattens which promise to make you look years younger.
- Easy parking plans.
- Money sales.
- Your job as a wallpaperer.
- Consolidating your debts.

School menus

- NICHOLAS COUNTY ELEMENTARY
- WEEKDAYS
- Aug. 23 — No breakfast.
 - Aug. 24 — Juice, apple, milk.
 - Aug. 25 — Juice, cereal, milk.
 - Aug. 26 — Juice, honey, hot milk.
 - Aug. 27 — Applesauce, sausage and biscuits, milk.
 - Aug. 28 — Juice, donuts, milk.
 - Aug. 29 — Juice, banana, and banana, milk.
 - Aug. 30 — Juice, honey, hot milk, milk.
 - Sept. 1 — Canteen, sausage and biscuits, milk.
- LUNCH
- Aug. 23 — Hot dogs, coffee, beans, slaw, peach, hot, custard, milk.
 - Aug. 24 — Bologna and cheese sandwich, pickle, sliced tomatoes, green beans, potato sticks, pineapple, milk.
 - Aug. 25 — Beef, ravioli, peas, french fries, pudding, hot milk.
 - Aug. 26 — Chicken salad, lettuce, rice crackers, slice tomato, pear, milk.
 - Aug. 27 — Roast beef on bun, green beans, mashed potatoes, custard, milk.
 - Aug. 28 — Beef, spaghetti, slaw, French fries, bread, hot cream, milk.
 - Aug. 29 — Fish on bun, macaroni and cheese, slice tomato, fruit, milk.
 - Sept. 1 — Pizza, corn, lettuce, wheat, fruit and custard, milk.
 - Sept. 2 — Submarine sandwich, green beans, slice tomato, hot cream, milk.
 - Sept. 3 — Barbecue on bun, French fries, watermelon, milk.
 - Sept. 4 — Hamburger on bun, lettuce and tomato, onion rings, fruit, milk.

Saltwell

By Mrs. Fred Hollar

Mrs. Betty Snapp returned home from Nicholas County Hospital on Tuesday. Mrs. Betty J. Snapp, Clifton, spent a day or two early in the week with her mother, Mrs. Elsie Walker, in caring for her mother in the time during her illness. Mrs. Betty Snapp is the daughter of Mrs. Griffin, Vaughan Matton and Mrs. Mrs. Fred Hollar also visited during the week.

Think MEAT

Wife of the late Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kenney and Mrs. Mrs. Betty Kenney spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Hester Snapp spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. DeLoe Matton of New.

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