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UK crime suspect tied to other crimes by DNA

By Derived State

DNA evided guilty for a sexual assual at UK to a rape in Richmond, said Madison out Sheriff's Department of Detective Nelson assual at UK to a rape in Richmond and a burglary in Stanton, police said.

Avery C. Roland, 26, of Richmond, pleaded guilty Nov 3 to first-degree sexual abuse, fourth-degree assault and unlawful imprisonment after being arrested and charged with sexually assaulting a UK student behind the Hilary J. Boone Faculty Center.

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Roland might also be being charged with first-degree rape, first-degree sodomy and first-degree rape, first-degree sodomy and first-degree rape.

ed in the Madison County crime. A police officer in Stanton suggested Roland as a possible suspect to O'Donnell after his guilty ple an the assault at UK. O'Donnell said. Repeated attempts to reach Stanton police were unsuccessful. A saliva sample was taken from Roland, and a positive match was found between Roland, the DNA obtained from the Madison County rape and the Stanton burglary. The chance of two people having similar enough DNA for a false positive is one in 700,000 African-Americans, according to research by the National Research Council, a non-profit institution formed by Congress to conduct scientific research.

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Honoring the lost



Course to combat sexual harassment

By Dutyh Bownam

With is offering an online course
on sexual harassment prevention
to students, faculty and staff.
"The purpose is to further educate employees and students a bout
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additional the university of the resident of the staff of the

Cats have time left to prowl in SAB event

On your mark, get set — hunt!

"Cats on the Prowl," a Student
Activities Board-sponsored scavenger hunt, which has given
clues for students to visit campus
sites that will allow them to experience the campus as a whole,
ends tomorrow.

"It also gives them a break from rience the campus as a whole, ends tomorrow.

Applications are still available, but all photographs taken during the funt must be turned in tomorrow afternoon.

Through this activities turned in the control of the campus, said Ashley Hayden, dhave a chance to learn the whole campus," said Ashley Hayden, denst with fun activities," Hayden said. "Suderbe with the entire for SAB.

"We're trying to provide students with a variety of programs and having fun was another service ware trying to provide."

The groups — comprised of two for live participants — are required to visit and photograph historical landmarks, key university of the control of

group.

"It's a great opportunity for students to get out and see parts of their campus that they would not get to see every day by just them to see the beauty of our campus," said SAB's Director of Quality Control Megan Powell. It also gives them a break from class and the stress of upcoming finals by having fun and learning about campus at the same time."

There are 12 clues and three bonus clues, Haydren said.

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"Haydren said." Students, should meet with the people described within the clue, introduce themselves and shake their hands. The prominent figures are expecting students to drop by their offices."

A prize night will be held on Dec. 7 at 7 pm. in the Student Center Small Ballroom for all completed scavenger hunt participants.

Groups that finish will be en

'Cats on the Prowl'

- Applications and supplies for the SAB-sponsored "Cats on the Prowl" scavenger hunt are available in Room 203 in the Student Center.
- Completed photographs are due to-morrow at 4 p.m.
- For more information, contact SAB by phone at 257-8867, or visit www.uksab.org.

Other prizes will include dorm and apartment accessories and various electronics. "(Student organization) Depraved Individuals Craving Entertainment has really enjoyed the scavenger hunt," said participant Susan Debusca-Poon, DICE president and an english senior "It got the members (of DICE) together, roaming all over campus to places they may not have noticed before. "I think this was a great idea

to places they may not have no-ticed before.

"I think this was a great idea for SAB — I mean, this is what it's supposed to do, right? Provide the students with entertainment as well as getting them involved on campus. We've had a blast."

Former coach Sutton no stranger to Rupp



Mike Sutton instructs former UK point guard J.P. Blevins when Sutton was an assistant at UK. Sutton, who is now the head coach at Tennessee Tech, will bring his team, along with assistant coach Saul Smith, into Rupp Arena to face the

PHOTO COURTESY OF UKATHLETICS

Twenty-five years ago, Mike Sutton would have never dreamed he would be in this position. The then-23-year-old assistant The then-23-year-old assistant political theologous states and the state of the

UK vs Tennessee Tech

7 Tonight TV: WKYT-27 (Delay)

Smith for five years at UK, including 1998, the last time the Cats won a national championship. He pointed to that season as one of the most memorable in his 29-year coaching career.

"It's always difficult to impose your style, but those guys got it and by the end of the year we were a very good team," Sutton said. "To have that opportunity

Bin Laden aide warns U.S. to alter policies

BERLIN — Al-Quida's chief ideologue said in a videotape broadcast on Arab television yesterday that the United States needed to change its policies toward Islamic countries or "we will continue fighting you until the last hour". The statement was the third issued since September by Ayman Zawahiri, an Egyptian physician and the top deputy to al-Quida leader Osama bin Laden. It was airard on al-Jazecra, the Arab satellite television network, one month after bin Laden delivered a similar video message four days before the U.S. presidential electrion.

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Zawahiri's message contained references that suggested it was recorded some time ago.

In one excerpt shown on al-Jazeera, Zawahiri warned Americans that it did not matter who they chose as president.

"Vote for whoever you want: Bush or Kerry or the devil himself." he said on the tape, echoing a line from bin Laden's pre-election speech. "This does not concern us. Our concern is to purify our countries from aggressors and to stand up to whoever attacks us."

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wahiri and bin Laden have become more vocal in recent months, releasing eight other audio and video tapes this year—twicke as many as in 2008.

The best have we heard from the both the fact that the fac

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Ukraine's president calls for new vote to resolve crisis

With the proposition of the presence of the proposition of the presence of the proposition candidate. Without the government candidate viktor Yushchenko also has claimed victory charging the Nov. 21 ballot was tainted, and hundreds of thousands of people, and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to proserve peace and consensus, if we really want to brid a democratic state ... then let's hold new the decertors. The Supreme Court, which can nullify results from local districts but not the overall national vote, began considering the validity of ballots in eight eastern

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a uniquely female issue, Bender said. Men can be victims of sexual harassment, and they should know what is not tolerable from an institutional and legal standpoint, she said. "I think it's important for men to be aware of sexual harassment law, because they need to know what's appropriate and what's not," said Robert Wade, a chemical engineering senior.

ing senior.

This course is not the only tool that the university offers for the pre-

Harassment vention and education of sexual harassment. The Equal Opportunity Office handles sexual harassment complaints pertaining to employees and

CORRECTION

An article in yesterday's Kernel incorrectly gave the number of crosses on the lawn in front of the W.T. Young Library There are 2,500 crosses to commemorate people who die from AIDS.

To report an error in the Ker-nel, call 257-1915 or e-mail news@kykernel.com.

MEETINGS
**Baptist Student Union's English Conversation
Class, 8:00pm, 429 Columbia Avenue
**Baptist Student Union TNT, 7:30pm, 429
Columbia Ave.
**UK Berean Bible Study, 8:00pm-9:00pm, Student
Center, Room 113

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SPORTS
*Shaolin-Do Club Meeting, 5:00-6:30pm, Alumni Gym Loft, 560
per semaster fee
*UK Fencing Club, 8:00pm:10:00pm, Buell Armory on
Administration Dr.
*UK Water Ski Club, 8:00pm OFF CAMPUS, Call (859)983-4123

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Art Gallery, Student Center
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Center Theater
MEETINGS

*MCL, Franch Division's Table Francaise, French
Conversation Group, 3:00-4:30pm, Student
Center, Room 200

*Levender Society Mig., 7:00pm, Student Center,
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*Cests For Christ Mig., 7:00pm, Student Center, Room 230

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*UK Fellowship of Christian Athletes Mig., 8:00pm, Upstairs of
the Commons Market, South Campus

*Septim Student Union "The Rock", 9:00pm, 4:29 Columbia Ave.
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*Cellege Republican Mig., 8:00pm, Commons Market, Room 306

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""Minds Wide Open," Monday-Friday, 11:00pm-5:00pm, Rasdall Art Gallery, Student Center

"Creative Writing Corner, 6:00pm-8:00pm, W.T. Young Library, Writing Center, 5th floor Westside, for more information call the Writing Center at 257-1356

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Student Center, Center Theater
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'UK PRI Alpha Delts Pre-Law Mig., 5:00pm, Student Center, Room
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Administration Dr.

"Shaolin-Do Club Meeting, 5:00-6:30pm, Alumni Gym Loft, \$60
per semester fee

"Dressage Team Meeting, 5:00pm, Student Center, Room 115

PECIAL EVENTS American Cancer Society's Relay for Life Information 30pm-7:30pm, and 8:00pm-9:00pm, William T. Youn

uditorium UK ACLU presents: What Can Civil Libertarians Expect from the 005 Kontucky Legislatura?, 7:00pm, Henry Clay High School, heater, FREE no tickets needed

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SPORTS
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Alumni Gym Loft, call 351-7311 for more inlow
UK Hockey vs. University of Illinois, Midnigh
Lexington Ice Center, Tickets \$5 available at ti

Sat 4

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students don't have to be con-cerned about making sexual harass-ment complaints to us. Students are completely protected by the Equal Opportunity of the Equal Opportunity of the Equal Opportunity of the Equal Opportunity of the Equal Emder also der, Bender suld. Bender also der, the though any ties must be identified and notified about the complaint before legal ac-tion can be taken.



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Record-setting blocker Dewalt set to try basketball

By Ben Roberts

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And while Smith is open to the idea of adding Dewalt to his roster, he stressed that playing basketball for UK is a commitment the freshman may not have the time to make.

"That's a lot to ask from a young man — especially a

"That's a lot to ask from a young man — especially a freshman — when he has so many other things to do, in the classroom and from a football standpoint." Smith said.

"How many times do you see (two-sport players) in college sports, especially at this level? You just don't see it."

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Sutton recalled fondly UK's fans, even if he didn't always see eye to eye with them.

"It's the greatest place in college "Former UK point guard Saul Smith, who played for the Cats from 1997 to

Sutton

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basketball because the fans love Kentucky basketball and they have such shows how much they care."

Despite leaving the Cats for Cookeville, Tenn., three years ago, Sutton still has plenty of contacts left at UK.

In addition to Smith, he coach's sand take the worder forward to playing against add him to his staff.

The national championship was a pinnacle in the careers of both Sutton and Smith, whose paths always seemed to intertwine as the two moved from page to the category. The coaches first worked together in Raeford, N.C. Smith was the head coach at the school and hired Sutton to be one of his assistants.

The national ending the coaching at hole County.

Tican remember Tubby coaching classes at the school," he said. "We all help out.

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Hayes said. "It's nothing new to either players on the know what he's going to do, hat hat's what he warded, it was a horbarder."

"We know what he's going to do, hat's 108-81 win over the Golden Eagles last season, said hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little things here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to do little hings here and there, pull bus duty, set up the gym, stuff like hat to be do little hings here and the

doing."

Smith's father said the young coach
couldn't have a better mentor.

"He's working for somebody who I
respect I olr. "Smith said. "Mike Sutton
has been Ilke a brother to me over the
years. He couldn't be in better hands.
He couldn't learn from anybody better."

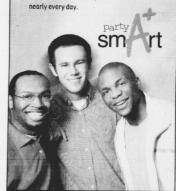
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Actually, Peer pressure isn't always a bad thing.

The majority of UK students don't drink as much as you think. In fact, 88% said their friends would disapprove if they drank 4-5 drinks



SPORTS BRIEFS

UK men's swimmers claim top national times

The No. 12 UK men's wimming team is starting to look like the best in the

to look like the best in the country.

According to the latest College Quick 50 listings, released last weekend, UK was the nation's fastest times in the 200-, 400- and 800-yard freestyle-relays.

The UK 200-yard freestyle-relay team of seniors Tim Patrick and Clay Gasparovich and Juniors Steven Manley and Daniel Farnham turned in the nation's fastest time of 1:19.36 at the Indiana Invitational on Nov. 19.

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On Nov. 20, seniors Jerram Chudleigh and Daniel Cruz along with Farnham

and Manley clocked a
6:31.91 in the 800-yard
freestyle relay, which also is
the nation's best.
Farnham, Patrick, Cruz
and Manley set a school
record with a time of 2:55.69
in the 400-yard freestyle relay, wrapping up a trifecta
of the nation's No. 1 relay
times all at the Indiana Invitational.

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In all, 13 UK men's and women's swimmers hold 32 positions in the top-50 individual event listings and 10 places in relay events.

Florida is the only other school that holds more top men's swimming times in the control of the control that of the control that of the control that of the control that of the control of the cont

Chudleigh leads the UK men with top-50 times in seven individual and relay events, including the nazi time in the 200 backstroke.

Manley placed in the top 500 freestyle and the eight of time in the 500 freestyle and the eight of time in the 500 freestyle.

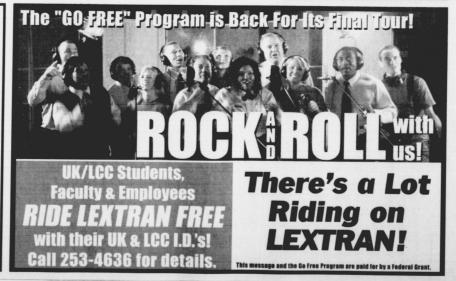
The UK women hold top-50 placings in five relay events, including the fifth in the 200 times, including the fastest time in the 500 freestyle and the state in the 200 breaststroke and the ninth-500 freestyle and the 10th best time in the 200 breaststroke is good for eighth in the country.

Patrick holds the nation's time of 54,94 in the 100 breaststroke is good for eighth in the country.

Senior Jessica Siegele's time of 54,94 in the 100 breaststroke is good for eighth in the country.

Patrick holds the fourth-best time in the 300 freestyle and 10th best time in the 50 freestyle and 10th in the 50 freestyle.





Mayor Isaac, it's cold outside

Voters here might begin to suspect that the city gov ernment is run by someone alien to popular sentiment.

The voters sent a fairly clear message to city officials at the beginning of this month. But there's no proof that it's caused Isaac to have one sobering thought.

In an interview with the Kernel a couple of weeks ago, Isaac said that she viewed the election results optimistically, saying "I think new blood is good."

Normally executive officers make concessions when their legislative supporters are defeated in mid-term elections.

Most of Isaac's allies on the council were turned

out.

The new council seems poised to favor ending the condemnation of Kentucky-American Water by a 9-6 vote. But Isaan to force the issue and hasn't ruled out using her veto power if necessary.

In competitive races where both pro-condemnation and anti-condemnation candidates ran, anti-condemnation candidates ran anti-condemnation candidates.

Isaac told the Kernel that the majority of voters voted for pro-condemnation candidates. She conveniently neglected the fact that the 11th district race, niemly neglected the fact that the 11th district race, demnation candidates.

So voters in the 11th district had no anti-consolvers in th

So voters in the 11th district had no anti-con-demnation alternative to consider.

She said that the water company issue was "absolutely not "taking money from public safety pay although the expenses total more than \$1.2

The current council, under Isaac's leadership also, decided that the city's \$11 million surplus should be spent on other capital projects while public safety pay remains an issue and with



Isaac told the Kernel that she had worked to implement the STEP program, which establishes a pay scale for local public safety officers. She added that more police and fireflighters were being hired and views these moves as effective solutions to the problem.

When asked if they could expect a yearly raise, she simply replied "sure."

simply replied "sure."

But Police Chief Anthany Beatty said more officers need to be hired and the pay scale still isn't competitive enough to keep officers from leaving for greener pastures. A similar situation exists for the fire department. The casual "sure" gives the impression that Isaac believes the mission is accomplished and the public safety funding issue is dead.

There's even buzz now that the Urban County Council is going to reconsider the smoking ban and possibly revise it.

and possibly revise it.

Many of Isaac's policies have come under fire. Polls have shown lukewarm public support for the most contentious issues.

But Lexingtonians aren't happy with what they see in their mayor.

According to a recent Herald. Leader poll, her approval rating is a tepid 39 percent.

But she's, port concepted.

tepid 39 percent.

But she's not concerned.

She told the Herald-Leader she's in a solid position to win a second-term, couldn't name any weaknesses in her administration and gave herself and A** grade thus far.

What political climate is Mayor Isaac observing?

It's not that the mayor has forgotten her jacket; she doesn't even know it's cold outside.

Complaints are off Target here is nothing I hate more than putting on a bright red polo, unflattering khakis and heading to Target for an agonizing day at work. Being an employee at Target I've recently had to deal with more than the analysis of the Salvation Armonic Target I've recently had to deal with more than a construction. This also includes using the store as a drop-off location of any kind. Target has implemented this policy to be fair to all groups that request access to the stores and to provide their guests with a construction. This also includes using the store has implemented this policy to be fair to all groups that request access to the stores and to provide their guests with a construction of the stores and to provide their guests with a formal control of the stores and to provide their guests with a construction of the stores and to provide their guests with a store said to provide their guests with a formal control of the stores and to provide their guests with a some provide their guests with a construction of the stores and to provide their guests with a some policy. How can anyone blame Target for the families that might not have the "merrisest" of all Christmases? Of course it's easy to feel for those families when you're not them. But what exactly are these complaining people doing for those families. Are they possess that all the great things Target does are being dismissed for an action that the majority of other department stores have already taken. Target is responsible for regularly donating more than \$2 million to schools, programs and neighborhoods across the conductation, the arts and family violence prevention. Yet, because the Salvation Army is no longer allowed to ring its silver bells at the front door. Target is now one of

prevention.
Yet, because the Salvation Army is no longer allowed to ring its silver bells at the front door, Target is now one of the most hated corporations. Target do nates a tremendous amount of money to charities every year. In both 2002 and 2003 they topped Forbes magazine's list of "America's Most Philanthropic Companies."

of "America's Most Philanthropic Com-panies."

In addition, Target has supported the United Way since opening its first store in 1962. In 2003, Target employees alone donated more than \$15.4 million to local United Ways across the country. Target also gives generously to such organizations as the American Red Cross. The corporation donates directly to the Red Cross to help whenever disas-ter strikes, whether it's an earthquake that affects thousands or a single-family house fire.

house fire.

Moreover Target has always given to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, located in Memphis, Tenn. St. Jude's is one of the world's premier centers for research and treatment of catastrophic diseases in children.

Over \$27 million was raised for St.

Jude's Hospital and the Target House, a home away from home for patients and their families who require at least 90 days of treatment at St. Jude. If it is any consolation to those who hate the store, Target and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital have created the Thanks & Giving Gift Card. Guests can buy this Gift Card at Target stores and/or at Target. For the St. Jude continuous the store of the stor

students and tacuity better technology.

The Hispanic Scholarship Fund, the largest Hispanic scholarship-awarding organization in the country, has awarded scholarships totaling nearly 850 million to more than 45,000 students. Target is providing financial assistance through scholarships to hundreds of deserving students.

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Reading First, a new national initiative aimed at helping every child in every state become a successful reader by the third grade benefits greatly from the donations Target has made (For more information visit

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ONLINE POLL QUESTION

Do you approve or disapprove of Mayor Teresa Isaac's job performance?

Disapprove

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Don't be afraid of 'Christmas'



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That's

right, the
holiday season is here
at last, with
its interesting song
lyrics, and
o v e r
Thanksgiving break
my family
and I did
something I
had thought
We've almost thor-

unfeasible: We've almost thoroughly Christmas-tized the house, inside and out, and it's not even December yet." All that's left is putting up a few strands of lights on the eaves outside and in the garage windows.

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windows.

Then we've got to do something about the infestation of
disgusting spiders crawling upover the lace skirts of the
garage and the stranger of the
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garage and the living room tree.

For now, the aggressive
arachnids will come off quite
nicely for a one-way trip down
a rubber tube to spend the holidays inside a Hoover dirt bag.

Now here comes the part
where I complain about over
usage of the words holiday and
the holidays.

Yes, right along with tree
trimming and listening for
reindeer hooves, it's part of
the season to remind people of
the state of the really celebrating the state of the season for the season.

This is almost a cliché, of
course, but it's true.

I'm not going to rant about
how Christmas has become
over-commercialized. More annoying to me is when people,
particularly marketing people,
lather on about the "Holiday
Season," like this:

"Get your holiday shopping
done now at ..."

"Looking for the perfect
holiding gift"
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"Now on Mix 94.5, 24-hour holiday music!"
"Holiday trees / holiday lights / holiday ornaments, available at ..."
"Get your honey-baked ham just in time for the holi-days!"

Again I strangely feel compelled to delve into a short logical argument.

First, let's figure out what holidays means. Back in mid-October when they were talked in gabout holidays, I suppose that could have meant Halloween.

Hamukkah, Christmas, Kwanza aand New Year's Eve.

But now after Halloween and the holidays of the summary of the search of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, Christmas, Kwanzaa and New Year's Eve.

Now, re-read that list of cliche's for a moment. How apply, actually, During each of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, its celebrants exchange gifts, and for the gift hand the search of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, its celebrants exchange gifts, and for the gift hand the search of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, its celebrants exchange gifts, and for the gift hand the search of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, its celebrants exchange gifts, and for the gift hand the search of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, its celebrants exchange gifts, and for the gift hand the search of the eight days of the Jewish Hanukkah, its celebrants exchange gifts, and for the gift hand the search of the light of the light of the search of the light of the li

Christmas. The retail cliché-chatterers

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People who celebrate

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Do we need some education

about what these less common

ly-known holidays do encom
pass? Might as well. Let's go:

Hanukkah — a Jewish

celebration based on the Mac
cabees' successful revolt

against the Syrian despot Anti
ochus, during the period ber

the eight-day celebration is based on the legendary tem
ple menorah that had barely

any oil, but burned for eight

days and nights.

Kwanzaa — an African

symbol-intensive occasion

whose "symbols, values and

practice" should not be mixed

"with any other culture." ac
cording to the Official Kwan
zaw Web site. That kind of

mad disresserting it difficult

However, most Americans

celebrate Christmas — Christians, churchians and even

some normally-Christophobic

atheists. It's already secular

enough.

So wouldn't it be nice to

hear "Merry Christmas" a lit
tle bit more often?

Or. If that's asking too

much, how about at least

restoring the adjective "Christmas," as in "Christmas lights"

of only Christmas songs. I'd like to

see the label "Christmas Favorites" once again!

It's not seasonal discrimi
nation, only common sense,

something in short supply just

about everywhere this time of

the winter Solstice. Ask for

some in your stocking, Ameri
ca's marketers — it couldn't hurt.

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