1st Quarter 2000
KOMU-TV Columbia, Missouri

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by station KOMU-TV through its news programming for the period January st , 2000 to March 31st, 2000. The listing is by no means exhaustive, but instead shows the depth and breadth of coverage. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

1st Quarter Issues: Consumer Issues, Crime, Drug/Alcohol Abuse, Government, Health, Education, Jobs/Economy

Description of Issue	Program/ Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
Crime	NBC8 News at Ten	1/2	10 pm	2:00	A DAUGHTER FINDS THE BODIES OF HER MOTHER AND STEPFATHER EARLY THIS MORNING. JEFFERSON CITY POLICE HAVE REMOVED THE WOUNDED BODIES OF LYNN AND DAN ABBOTT FROM HIS EAST ELM STREET HOME.
Education	NBC8 News at Five	1/3	5 pm	1:30	WITH THE COMING AND GOING OF THE NEW YEAR, SCHOOLS AND BUSINESSES GOT IN SWING AND WERE Y-2 OK.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	1/3	6 pm	1:30	"THE SHELTER", A COLUMBIA ORGANIZATION, PROVIDES FREE SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. LAST YEAR ALONE, THE SHELTER TOOK 16,000 CALLS FROM WOMEN SAYING THEY WERE ABUSED.
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	1/3	10 pm	1:30	A BASKETBALL GAME AT THE CAMDEN COUNTY JAIL LEAVES ONE PRISONER DEAD. ONE PRISONER GOT UPSET AND ATTACKED THE INMATE WHO STOLE THE BALL FROM HIM. INVESTIGATOR

					HURT SAYS THE PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE IS WAITING FOR THE RESULTS OF THE AUTOPSY BEFORE FILING CHARGES.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/4	6 am	2:15	A NEW TECHNOLGY THAT CAN SAVE TIME AND LIVES AND ANXIETY BY DIAGNOSING HEART ATTACKS QUICKLY AND ACCURATELY. THE TEST, KNOWN AS RAPID CARDIAC IMMUNO-ASSAYS, IDENTIFIES THREE CARDIAC MARKERS THAT ARE RELEASED IN THE BLOOD AND ELEVATE DURING A HEART ATTACK.
Consumer Issues	NBC 8 News at 5	1/4	5 pm	1:55	MOST PEOPLE HATE TO SEE A SHOWER STALL WITH SOAP SCUM ALL OVER IT.... CLEANING THOSE SHINY SURFACES MEANS A LOT OF WORK. NOT SO, SAY THE MAKERS SPRAY-ON CLEANERS... CONSUMER REPORTS TESTED THOSE PRODUCTS TO SEE IF THEY COULD REALLY CLEANUP AROUND THE SHOWER
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/5	6am	3:44	IF YOUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION HAS YOU TRYING TO QUIT SMOKING OR SAYING NO TO SWEETS ... HERE'S A SUGGESTION. TRY HYPNOSIS!
Government	NBC8 News at Ten	1/5	10 pm	1:45	THE BANK OF MOBERLY AND CAIRO.WILL CONTINUE THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT WITH A $300,000 FEDERAL GRANT. THE BANK ALONG WITH NECAC, A NON-PROFIT

					AGENCY, WILL USE THE MONEY TO IMPROVE 100 RANDOLPH COUNTY HOMES.
Health	NBC8 News at 5	1/6	5 pm	1:55	IT'S THAT TIME OF THE YEAR WHEN MANY AMERICANS PLEDGE TO LOSE THAT EXTRA-WEIGHT THEY GAINED DURING THE HOLIDAYS. IT CAN BECOME EMOTIONALLY DRAINING, BUT BEING COMFORTABLE WITH OURSELVES IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN SHEDDING A FEW POUNDS.
Government	NBC8 News at 6	1/6	6 pm	2:30	THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT ASKS BOONE COUNTY TO END ITS SUPPORT OF A LOCAL CEREMONY..... THE SQUABBLE IS OVER A BOONE COUNTY PROCLAMATION DECLARING NEXT WEEK..FALUN-DAFA WEEK IN THE COUNTY.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/7	6 am	1:45	SNEEZES AND RUNNY NOSES...JUST A FEW OF THE SYMPTOMS THAT MAKE JANUARY THE HEIGHT OF FLU SEASON. HOWEVER, MANY MID-MISSOURI HOSPITALS ARE SEEING MORE CASES OF FLU THAN THEY'VE SEEN IN PAST YEARS.
Government	NBC8 News at 6	1/7	6 pm	1:15	HELP FOR MID-MISSOURI FARMERS MAY COME FROM A NEW BILL IN THE STATE HOUSE. THIS BILL ON THE FAST TRACK COULD HELP FARMERS STAY HEALTHY.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	1/8	6 pm	2:00	DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES BATTLE IT OUT IN IOWA, AND SOME MISSOURIANS ARE ON BOARD TO LEAD THE CHARGE.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	1/10	6 am	1:45	MANY PEOPLE ARE PAYING ACCESS FEES AND INDIVIDUAL CHARGES FOR A SERVICE THEY NEVER EVEN. HERE ARE SOME FEES YOU MAY OVERLOOK ON YOUR PHONE BILL.

Economy	NBC8 News at 10	1/10	10 pm	1:40	THE HALLSVILLE SCHOOLBOARD PLANED TO HOLD A FORUM TO DISCUSS A PROPOSED BOND ISSUE TONIGHT. BUT MOST OF THE PEOPLE WHO CAME WERE THERE TO DISCUSS THE ISSUE OF OVER TAXATION BY THE SCHOOL BOARD.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	1/11	6 am	1:35	INSTEAD OF PAYING WITH CASH, CHECK OR CREDIT MOBERLY RESIDENTS CAN PURCHASE ALMOST ANYTHING USING CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GIFT CERTIFICATES.
Government	NBC8 News Today	1/11	6 am	1:30	ONE OF THE FIRST MAJOR WELFARE BILLS OF THE NEW LEGISLATIVE YEAR IS BEING SPONSORED BY SENATOR JOHN RUSSELL OF CAMDEN COUNTY. HE SAYS AS MANY AS SEVEN TO EIGHT THOUSAND STUDENTS WOULD BE POSITIVELY IMPACTED BY THIS PROPOSED LEGISLATION.
Government	NBC8 News Today	1/12	6am	1:25	SENATORS JOE MAXWELL AND JERRY HOWARD PRESENTED A BILL MAKING IT A FELONY TO ABUSE THE FINANCIAL CONTROL OF AN ELDERLY PERSON'S ASSETS.
Alcohol Abuse/ Government	NBC8 News at 5	1/12	5 pm	2:25	THE DEBATE OVER POINT OH-EIGHT BEGAN AGAIN THIS MORNING IN JEFFERSON CITY. THOSE IN FAVOR OF LOWERING THE D-W-I LIMIT TO POINT OH-EIGHT SAY IT WOULD SAVE LIVES. THOSE AGAINST IT SAY IT WOULD SCARE PEOPLE AWAY FROM BARS AND UNFAIRLY PUNISH SOCIAL DRINKERS.
Jobs	NBC8 News at 6	1/13	6 pm	1:30	BLOCKBUSTER VIDEO HAS PLANS FOR TWO MORE STORES IN COLUMBIA.

					BUT IS THERE ROOM IN THE RENTAL RETAIL BUSINESS? SOME OF BLOCKBUSTER'S COMPETITORS HAVE ALREADY CHECKED OUT.
Government	NBC8 News at 6	1/13	6 pm	1:20	THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAS PROPOSED A NEW BILL THAT WOULD STOP UNWANTED TELEMARKETERS FROM CALLING YOU.
Health	NBC8 News at 5	1/14	5pm	2:20	IT NOT ONLY FEELS GOOD, BUT INCREASING NUMBERS OF PHYSICANS SAY A MASSAGE MAY BE GOOD FOR YOU. MORE THAN HALF THE DOCTORS POLLED BY THE INDUSTRY SAY THEY WOULD ENCOURAGE PATIENTS TO TAKE MASSAGE THERAPY TO COMPLEMENT MEDICAL TREATMENT.
Government	NBC8 News at 6	1/14	6 pm	1:30	THE FIVE-MONTH SEARCH FOR COLUMBIA'S NEXT POLICE CHIEF ISN'T OVER YET. COLUMBIA CITY MANAGER RAY BECK ISN'T SAYING WHEN A NEW CHIEF WILL BE NAMED.
Economy	NBC8 News at 6	1/15	6 pm	1:38	THE STURGEON RECREATION ASSOCIATION COMPANY WANTS TO BUILD A REC CENTER NEXT TO THE COMMUNITY CENTER SO EVERYONE WILL HAVE A PLACE TO GO... A TOTAL PRICE TAG OF JUST OVER 227-THOUSAND DOLLARS.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	1/15	10 pm	2:00	LAST WEEK...IT WAS THE DEMOCRATS... TODAY, THE REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES SQUARED OFF IN THE LAST DEBATE BEFORE THE IOWA CAUCUSES.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	1/16	10 pm	2:00	MISSOURI'S PRIMARY IS SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 7TH. IT'S A GOOD DAY BECAUSE IT'S RELATIVELY EARLY IN THE PRIMARY SEASON.

					BUT IT'S A VERY BAD DAY BECAUSE 10 OTHER STATES ARE ALSO HOLDING THEIR PRIMARIES ON THE 7TH.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/17	6 am	1:40	THE NEXT TIME YOU NEED AN M-R-I, YOU MAY NOT HAVE TO GO TO THE HOSPITAL. THERE IS NOW ANOTHER OPTION. IT'S CALLED AN EXTREMITY MRI, AND IT CAN BE DONE RIGHT IN THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	1/18	5 pm	1:45	MORE STROLLERS ARE SOLD IN A YEAR THAN THE TOTAL NUMBER OF BABIES BORN. THAT MEANS THERE ARE A LOT OF TWO-STROLLER FAMILIES OUT THERE. TO HELP YOU CHOOSE A GOOD ONE, CONSUMER REPORTS TESTED SEVERAL STROLLERS.
Education	NBC8 News at 5	1/18	5 pm	1:15	TEACHERS AND TUTORS ARE ALWAYS HELPFUL BUT NOW KIDS CAN GET FREE HELP ONLINE. SEVERAL COMPANIES HAVE SET UP ONLINE SITES TO HELP YOUR KIDS GET HOMEWORK DONE ON THIER OWN.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/19	6 am	1:35	BEFORE YOU LIFT THAT SNOW SHOVEL THIS WINTER, THERE ARE SOME TIPS TO KEEP YOUR BACK AND YOUR MUSCLES FROM ACHING THE NEXT DAY.
Economy	NBC8 News at 6	1/19	6 pm	1:30	TOUGH BECAUSE OF WEATHER, TOUGHER BECAUSE OF PRICES...JUST YESTERDAY CORN FINALLY GOT BACK UP TO TWO DOLLARS A BUSHEL WHEN A NORMAL PRICE FOR CORN IS MORE LIKE FOUR DOLLARS.
Government	NBC8 News	1/20	6 am	1:00	THE MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

	Today				THINKS THEY MAY HAVE SOLVED THE PROBLEMS FACING THE INTERSECTION AT I-70 AND HIGHWAY 63. AFTER A YEAR OF RESEARCH, IMPROVEMENTS ARE ON THE WAY.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	1/20	5 pm	1:45	EVERYONE NEEDS A CONVENIENT WORKOUT ROUTINE. CONSUMER REPORTS RECOMMENDS THE HEALTHRIDER, WHICH SELLS FOR 14-HUNDRED DOLLARS FOR JOGGING AND ALSO A LESS EXPENSIVE MODEL FOR WALKING FROM PROFORM AT 7-HUNDRED DOLLARS.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/21	6 am	3:19	SEVERAL PEOPLE ARE HITTING THE GYM IN AN EFFORT TO KEEP THOSE NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS. BUT SOME ARE TAKING A MORE DRASTIC STEP... THEY'RE HITTING THE PLASTIC SURGEON'S OFFICE.
Health	NBC8 News at 6	1/21	6 pm	1:30	A CONTROVERSIAL PLAN TO SHIP HAZARDOUS NUCLEAR WASTE THROUGH MISSOURI WON'T INCLUDE ANY USED-UP FUEL FROM MID-MISSOURI. THE WASTE WILL HEAD TO A DUMPING SITE IN NEVADA.
Crime	NBC9 News at 10	1/22	10 pm	1:40	THERE ARE NEW DEVELOPMENTS TONIGHT IN THE SEARCH FOR TOM VAN BURK WHO ESCAPED FROM POLICE CUSTODY NEAR MOBERLY. POLICE ARE SEARCHING AS FAR AWAY AS KANSAS CITY.
Economy	NBC8 News at 10	1/22	10 pm	1:30	BUSINESS FOR PROPANE DISTRIBUTORS IN MID-MISSOURI IS DOWN NEARLY 30 PERCENT. THE MAIN FACTOR IS PERSISTENT SUNSHINE.
Health	NBC8 News	1/23	10	1:45	ALL OVER MID-MISSOURI, DRIVERS WERE FACED

	at 10		pm		WITH TREACHEROUS DRIVING CONDITIONS...RESULTING IN MANY ACCIDENTS.
Government	NBC8 News at	1/24	5 pm	2:05	THE ROAD TO THE WHITE HOUSE STARTS IN IOWA, AND PREPARING FOR THE IOWA CAUCUS HAS BEEN NO SMALL FEAT. SUPPORTERS HAVE COME FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY TO HELP THEIR FAVORITE CANDIDATE MAKE THE MOVE TO WASHINGTON, D.C.
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	1/24	10 pm	1:40	AN ONGOING MARITAL DISPUTE ENDS IN TRAGEDY. ROLLA POLICE RECEIVED A 911 CALL AT ABOUT 3:00 FROM THE BRIGGS AND STRATTON LAWNMOWER PLANT. WHEN THEY ARRIVED THEY SAW A MAN AND A WOMAN LAYING SIDE BY SIDE IN THE PARKING LOT.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/25	6 am	1:50	HONEY CONTAINS EVERYTHING FROM CALCIUM, IRON, AND NIACIN... TO POTASSIUM, RIBOFLAVIN, ZINC, AND PANTOTHENIC ACID... ALL THINGS YOU NEED TO KEEP YOUR BODY PERFORMING ITS BEST.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	1/25	5 pm	1:50	THE F-D-A IS LOOKING FOR SOFTWARE TO PREVENT PAIRS OF SIMILARLY LABELED DRUGS FROM BEING MARKETED. DOCTORS HAVE BEGUN USING COMPUTERS TO PRINT THE PRESCRIPTIONS--THAT MEANS THAT POOR-HANDWRITING WON'T CONTRIBUTE TO THE PROBLEM.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 10	1/26	10 pm	2:57	SPAS AREN'T JUST FOR THE RICH AND FAMOUS . DAY SPAS ARE GIVING BUSY PEOPLE, A TASTE OF THE GOOD LIFE, WITHOUT HAVING TO

					JET AWAY TO AN EXOTIC DESTINATION.
Health	NBC8 News at 6	1/26	6 pm	2:00	DERRIK THOMAS WAS NOT WEARING HIS SEAT BELT WHEN HIS ACCIDENT HAPPENED AND MAY NEVER WALK AGAIN. ONE MID-MISSOURIAN HOPES THE ACCIDENT WILL MAKE DRIVERS THINK TWICE ABOUT BUCKLING UP.
Health	NBC8 News Today	1/27	6 am	1:30	NEW PARENTS ARE FINDING IT VERY DIFFICULT TO FIND CARE FOR THEIR INFANTS. FINDING ADEQUATE CARE HAS ALWAYS BEEN A STRUGGLE, BUT NOW IT'S BECOMING AN ISSUE OF CONCERN.
Health	NBC8 News at 10	1/27	10 pm	1:25	MEDICAID PROVIDES LOW-INCOME MISSOURIANS WITH LOW-COST HEALTH CARE. BUT THERE'S A CATCH: DOCTORS AND DENTISTS, HOSPITALS AND CLINICS HAVE TO BE WILLING TO ACCEPT MEDICAID.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	1/28	6 am	1:57	WHEN A FAX WITH A CONTROVERSIAL SURVEY QUESTION WAS RECEIVED BY A NEBRASKA MAN, HE BECAME SUSPICIOUS. THE FAX SHOWED A 900-NUMBER TO RESPOND TO. THE FAX ISN'T JUST NOT RIGHT. IT'S ILLEGAL.
Consumer Issues	NBC 8 News at 5	1/28	5 pm	1:15	AT THE KELLY BLUE BOOK WEBSITE, YOU BY-PASS HUNTING AROUND TOWN FOR A DEALER WITH YOUR IDEAL CAR. JUST ENTER IN SPECIFIC OPTIONS OF THE CAR YOU'RE LOOKING FOR AND RECEIVE A PRICE QUOTE IN YOUR E-MAIL ACCOUNT.
Economy	NBC8 News at 6	1/31	6 pm	1:19	THE CITY OF COLUMBIA MAY SOON BE AIRING SOME COMMERCIALS OF ITS OWN, USING LAST

					YEAR'S HOTEL/MOTEL TAX TO PROMOTE THE CITY.
Alcohol Abuse	NBC8 News at 10	1/31	10 pm	1:50	THE GOVERNOR SAYS HE'S GOT THE BEST PLAN TO KEEP YOU SAFE FROM DRUNK DRIVERS...BUT NOT EVERYONE AGREES. SOME SAY GOVERNOR CARNAHAN'S ANTI-DRUNK DRIVING MEASURES GO TOO FAR.
Crime	NBC8 News Today	2/1	6 am	1:36	THE MILLER COUNTY SHERIFF TOM RUSSELL WILL STAND-TRIAL AGAINST ALLEGATIONS OF CORRUPTION, TODAY... TEN MONTHS AGO THE FBI BEGAN ITS INVESTIGATION OF RUSSELL AND THE MILLER COUNTY JAIL.
Drug Abuse	NBC8 News Today	2/1	6 am	2:45	THERE'S MORE TO GETTING A JOB THESE DAYS THAN JUST FILLING OUT AN APPLICATION....PROSPECTIVE WORKERS OFTEN FACE A DRUG TEST.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	2/2	6 pm	1:40	AS ONE MID-MISSOURI COUNTY FIGHTS CONTROVERSY... BOONE COUNTY TODAY RELEASED CRIME STATISTICS SHOWING SOME ENCOURAGING NEWS. OVERALL CRIME DROPPED SEVEN PERCENT IN BOONE COUNTY LAST YEAR
Jobs	NBC8 News at 6	2/2	6 pm	1:30	THIS IS THE FIRST YEAR MARIA BURKE IS GETTING THE CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NATIONAL GROUNDHOG JOB SHADOW DAY... SHE'S INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT THE MEDICAL PROFESSION...AND THIS DAY IS GIVING HER THE CHANCE TO DO SO.

Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	2/3	6 am	1:35	TO BE READY FOR ANOTHER WINTER STORM AND THE DAMAGES YOU COULD FACE PREPARE FOR THE WORSE. BY USING YOUR INSURANCE.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 10	2/3	10 pm	1:35	TRANS WORLD EXPRESS HAS ADDED 3 NEW PLANES TO ITS SCHEDULE OF FLIGHTS AT COLUMBIA REGIONAL AIRPORT.
Crime	NBC8 News at 5	2/4	5 pm	1:20	LYNCHINGS ARE AN UNFORTUNATE, BUT SIGNIFICANT PART OF MISSOURI'S HISTORY. \
Crime	NBC8 News at 5	2/4	5 pm	1:30	FORMER MILLER COUNTY SHERIFF, TOM RUSSELL CLEANED OUT HIS OFFICE THIS MORNING, BUT WILL IT BE PERMANANTLY, OR TEMPORARILY? SOME PEOPLE IN MILLER COUNTY BELIEVE TOM RUSSELL WILL BE SHERIFF AGAIN.
Health	NBC8 News at 10	2/5	10 pm	1:30	IF YOU'VE HAD A RELATIVE WHO HAS BATTLED CANCER... YOU MAY BE AT RISK. DOCTORS CAN NOW RUN TESTS THAT CAN TELL YOU HOW HIGH YOUR CANCER RISK MAY BE.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	2/6	10 pm	2:05	DEMOCRAT BILL BRADLEY IS SCHEDULED TO SPEAK IN JEFFERSON CITY TOMORROW.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 10	2/6	10 pm	1:20	WHEN YOUR KIDS COME HOME NEEDING A BOX FOR ALL THEIR VALENTINE'S DAY CARDS YOU MAY BE IN A PANIC. A LOCAL WOMAN HAS A BOOK THAT DID THE HARD PART FOR YOU.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	2/7	6 am	1:40	YOU CAN BUY JUST ABOUT ANYTHING ON THE INTERNET THESE DAYS...EVEN WINE. SOME CUSTOMERS AT A MID-MISSOURI WINERY PREFER BUYING THE WINE IN PERSON RATHER THAN

					CLICKING AWAY FOR IT.
Health	NBC8 News at 6	2/7	6 pm	2:51	IN MID-MISSOURI WE'RE ON THE MEND AND THE FLU IS ON IT'S WAY OUT OF TOWN.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	2/8	5 pm	1:50	CELL PHONE RATES HAVE BEEN CUT IN HALF OVER THE LAST FOUR YEARS--BUT THERE ARE STILL PLENTY OF PITFALLS IN NEW CELLULAR PLANS...
Government	NBC8 News at 6	2/8	6 pm	1:30	THE UNITED STATES ARMY SHOWCASED SOME OF THEIR NEW INCENTIVE PROGRAMS TODAY AT ROCK BRIDGE HIGH.
Health	NBC8 News Today	2/9	6 am	2:35	COMPUTER VISION SYNDROME - AN ISSUE PLAGUING MANY COMPUTER USERS TODAY. OPTOMETRISTS LIKE ANDREW KRAMER SEE THE EFFECTS OF C-V-S ALMOST DAILY.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	2/9	10 pm	1:43	MORE THAN A HUNDRED MISSOURI LAWMAKERS WILL SOON BE FORCED OUT OF A JOB. STATE SENATORS ISSUED A WARNING, AND THEIR STORY THAT THEY SAY IS BAD FOR MISSOURI.
Economy	NBC8 News Today	2/10	6 am	3:05	BUSINESSES MAY SOMEDAY HAVE TO GET BY WITHOUT COUNTING ON THE MILLIONS OF I-70 TRAVELERS TO MAKE MONEY. REPLACING THE EXISTING HIGHWAY PAVEMENT, WORKING ON THE EXISTING HIGHWAY OR BUILDING A TOTALLY NEW HIGHWAY ARE ALL OPTIONS FOR THE FUTURE.
Education	NBC8 News Today	2/10	6am	1:30	OVER-CROWDED CLASSROOMS COULD MEAN ANOTHER CALL FOR HIGHER TAXES.. THIS TIME IN CALLAWAY COUNTY.
Economy	NBC8 News at 6	2/11	6 pm	2:00	AS THE ECONOMY HUMS ALONG AT RECORD LEVELS...THERE'S ONE NECESSITY THAT KEEPS

					GETTING MORE EXPENSIVE. UN-EMPLOYMENT IS AT AN ALL-TIME LOW, WAGES ARE UP AND AMERICAN WORKERS ARE MORE PRODUCTIVE...BUT RISING GAS-PRICES HAVE SOME MID-MISSOURIANS CONCERNED.
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	2/11	10 pm	1:45	GRASS-ROOTS ORGANIZERS WANT ANOTHER CHANCE TO LET MISSOURIANS CARRY CONCEALED WEAPONS. A PETITION DRIVE IS UNDERWAY TO PUT THE CONCEAL-CARRY ISSUE BACK ON THE BALLOT AND BACK ON THE MINDS OF VOTERS.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 6	2/12	6 pm	1:50	MEXICAN RESTAURANTS ARE BOOMING IN COLUMBIA, AND ANOTHER ONE IS ON ITS WAY. MARICELA IBARRA IS GETTING READY TO OPEN UP HER OWN MEXICAN RESTAURANT.
Health	NBC8 News at 10	2/12	10 pm	1:25	SHELLS, TRASH AND OLD BONES LITTER THE BANKS OF THE MISSOURI RIVER THAT ARE USUALLY COVERED WITH WATER THIS TIME OF YEAR. DESPITE THE APPARENT LACK OF WATER, OFFICIALS SAY THERE IS NO NEED FOR CONCERN JUST YET.
Alcohol Abuse	NBC8 News at 10	2/13	10 pm	1:30	GREEK LEADERS AT M-U HAVE NOW SET A DATE FOR WHEN FRATERNITIES WILL BECOME ALCOHOL-FREE. AT A WEEKEND RETREAT THEY DECIDED THEIR HOUSES WILL BE COMPLETELY DRY STARTING THIS FALL. PRESIDENTS HOPE THIS NO-ALCOHOL POLICY CALLED DRY 2000 WILL DISCOURAGE UNDERAGE DRINKING.

Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	2/14	6 am	1:45	IT'S VALENTINE'S DAY, AND THAT MEANS YOU MAY BE THINKING OF CHOCOLATE. THE SMOOTH, CREAMY CANDY IS ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR GIFTS FOR LOVERS. BUT DO YOU HAVE TO SPEND A LOT OF MONEY TO GET GREAT TASTE? A BLIND TASTE TEST AND HAD SOME INTERESTING RESULTS ...
Health/ Government	NBC8 News at 5	2/14	5 pm	2:00	THERE MAY BE A NEW WAY TO PROTECT YOURSELF FROM SOME OF THE MOST COMMON INJURIES AT WORK, EVERYTHING FROM BACK ACHES TO CARPAL TUNNEL SYNDROME. THE GOVERNMENT IS PROPOSING AN ERGONOMIC PLAN THAT COULD BE APPROVED BY THE END OF THE YEAR.
Education	NBC8 News Today	2/15	6 am	1:23	OVERCROWDING HAS BEEN A PROBLEM FOR COLUMBIA SCHOOLS FOR YEARS. AT FAIRVIEW ELEMENTARY 11 TRAILERS HAVE BEEN ADDED TO ACCOMODATE ITS 800 STUDENTS. THE OVERCROWDING MAY ALL BE COMING TO AN END ACCORDING TO THE COLUMBIA SCHOOL BOARD.
Education	NBC8 News at 6	2/15	6 pm	1:30	COLUMBIA'S PROPERTY TAX MAY BE ON THE RISE... THE COLUMBIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS NEED MONEY AND THEY WILL BE ASKING VOTERS FOR IT IN APRIL.

Health	NBC8 News Today	2/16	6 am	2:35	STROKES ARE THE THIRD HIGHEST CAUSE OF DEATHS IN THIS COUNTRY. THERE ARE WARNING SIGNS OF STROKE, AND NOW A NEW TREATMENT OPTION FOR PEOPLE MOST AT RISK.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	2/16	10 pm	1:36	MISSOURI HOUSE LAWMAKERS VOTE TO PASS A FIVE PERCENT PAY INCREASE... THE PROPOSAL PASSED YESTERDAY IN THE HOUSE DETERMINING WHO GETS THE RAISE AND HOW THIS COMPARES TO THE AVERAGE MISSOURI WORKER.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	2/17	6 am	1:40	CALL YOUR TRAVEL AGENT.... A NEW AIRLINE IS NOW TAKING RESERVATIONS FOR NON-STOP FLIGHTS OUT OF COLUMBIA. AFTER GETTING THE GO AHEAD LAST WEEK...COLUMBIA BASED OZARK AIRLINES IS READY TO FLY.
Government	NBC 8News at 6	2/17	6 pm	1:50	POLITICS AND CHURCH ARE SUPPOSED TO BE SEPARATED, BUT IN CERTAIN CASES THAT ISN'T ALWAYS THE CASE IN THE AFRICAN-AMERICAN CULTURE.
Education	NBC8 News at 6	2/18	6 pm	2:25	MORE THAN 40 YEARS AGO...THE COUNTRY WAS INTRODUCED TO *NEW* MATH. IT WAS DESIGNED MAKE MATH MORE APPROACHABLE FOR STUDENTS.

Drug Abuse	NBC8 News at 10	2/18	10 pm	1:40	RANDOLPH COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES BUST A METHAMPHETAMINE LAB IN HUNTSVILLE. A TIP LED DEPUTIES TO THE HOUSE... THEY WATCHED IT CLOSELY, THEN WENT IN.
Jobs	NBC8 News at 6	2/19	6 pm	1:21	IT WAS AN OPEN CALL IN COLUMBIA FOR ALL. ANYONE WANTING TO BE A MODEL. AND THEY CAME IN ALL SHAPES AND SIZES, AND AGES.
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	2/20	10 pm	1:53	M-U FRESHMEN SEAN HOWARD IS BEHIND BARS TONIGHT FOR THE BURGLARY OF TARGET MASTERS ON RANGELINE. POLICE THINK HOWARD AND A SECOND SUSPECT STOLE SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF GUNS.
Jobs	NBC8 News at 5	2/21	5 pm	1:30	OZARK MAY BE A BRAND NEW AIRLINE... BUT IN CHICAGO, THE PEOPLE WHO'VE WORKED FOR THE LAST YEAR AND A HALF TO GET THE AIRLINE OFF THE GROUND ARE ANYTING BUT BRAND NEW TO THE AIRLINE *INDUSTRY.*
Economy	NBC8 News	2/21	5 pm	1:45	A LONG-AWAITED MID-MISSOURI BUSINESS CAN'T SEEM TO GET OFF THE GROUND. A 7-YEAR WAIT TO BUILD A CASINO IN BOONVILLE NOW HAS A NEW OWNER OF THE PROJECT.

Government	NBC8 News Today	2/22	6 am	1:45	WITH A LITTLE OVER A MONTH BEFORE RESIDENTS OF WALNUT WOODS HAVE TO LEAVE, THE COLUMBIA CITY COUNCIL MAKES A DECISION ON *IF* OR *HOW* IT WILL HELP THE RESIDENTS.
Government/ Alcohol Abuse	NBC8 News at 6	2/22	6 pm	1:15	MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING RALLY IN JEFFERSON CITY TO CHANGE THE STATE'S DRUNK DRIVING LAWS.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 6	2/23	6 pm	4:10	THE CONDITION KNOWN AS MALE PATTERNED BALDNESS EFFECTS NEARLY ONE-THIRD OF MEN IN THIS COUNTRY. WE LOOK AT SEVERAL PRODUCTS TOUTED TO GIVE MEN WHAT BROADWAY USE TO SING ABOUT... "LONG, BEAUTIFUL...HAIR"
Government	NBC8 News at 10	2/23	10 pm	2:00	AS MISSOURI SCHEDULES ITS FIRST EXECUTION OF 2000, LAWMAKERS CONSIDER STOPPING EXECUTIONS ALTOGETHER
Health	NBC8 News at 10	2/24	10 pm	1:30	BRIAN PHILLIPS, AN MU STUDENT IS FIGHTING THE BATTLE OF A LIFETIME... THE DISEASE MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	2/24	6 pm	2:00	A KANSAS CITY MAN WAS SUPPOSED TO BE IN JAIL WHEN POLICE SAY HE DRAGGED A SIX-YEAR-OLD BOY TO HIS DEATH.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	2/25	6 pm	1:16	DR. ZUHDI LABABIDI IS A PEDIATRIC CARDIOLOGIST AT UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL. TODAY, HE WENT ON TRIAL FOR ASSAULTING DR. SARA AYERS, A RESIDENT AT THE HOSPITAL.

Crime	NBC8 News at 6	2/25	6 pm	1:36	HACKERS RECENTLY USED UNIVERSITY-COMPUTER SYSTEMS TO SHUT DOWN INTERNET COMPANIES LIKE AMAZON-DOT-COM. EVEN THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI IS VULNERABLE TO THESE KINDS OF ATTACKS.
Alcohol Abuse	NBC8 News at 6	2/26	6 pm	2:17	A NEW MONTGOMERY COUNTY STRIP CLUB HAS OUTRAGED THE SURROUNDING COMMUNITY. PROTESTS OUTSIDE THE CLUB HAVE TURNED VIOLENT, AND THREATEN TO TURN VIOLENT AGAIN TONIGHT.
Economy	NBC8 News at 10	2/26	10 pm	1:30	THE MID-MISSOURI HOME AND GARDEN SHOW IS BACK AT THE HEARNES CENTER YET AGAIN... THIS YEAR MARKS THE 40TH FOR THE EVENT. SELLERS AND BUYERS ALIKE AREN'T WORRYING ABOUT POSSIBLE INTEREST RATE HIKES IN RELATION TO HOME IMPROVEMENTS...
Alcohol Abuse	NBC 8 News at 10	2/27	10 pm	2:00	DRUNK DRIVERS ARE STILL DRIVING ON MISSOURI ROADS... EVEN AFTER THEY'RE CONVICTED OF THE CRIME... AND A FORMER JEFFERSON CITY JUDGE SAYS HE HAS PROOF.
Health	NBC8 News Today	2/28	6 am	1:30	THE M-U CAMPUS HOSTED ROCKIN' AGAINST MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS LAST WEEK, DONATING THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS TO M-S RESEARCH.
Government	NBC8 News at 5	2/28	5 pm	2:05	HE YEAR 2000 NOT ONLY MARKS A BUT A NEW HEAD COUNT OF THOSE LIVING IN AMERICA... 120-MILLION CENSUS LETTERS AND FORMS WILL BE MAILED-OUT IN MARCH AND OFFICIALS

					ARE ALREADY TAKING STEPS TO MAKE SURE AMERICANS KNOW THE INFORMATION IS CONFIDENTIAL.
Government	NBC 8 News at 6	2/29	6 pm	1:45	CAMPAIGN FILING STARTED TODAY IN JEFFERSON CITY, AND RACES YOU'LL BE VOTING-ON ARE STARTING TO SHAPE-UP.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	2/29	10 pm	1:47	ONE WEEK AWAY FROM THE SUPER TUESDAY PRIMARIES, AN EXCLUSIVE POLL HAS BUSH AND GORE LEADING THEIR RESPECTIVE RACES IN MISSOURI.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	3/1	6 am	1:30	IN ABOUT 30 MINUTES SECRETARY OF STATE BEKKI COOK IS EXPECTED TO KICK OFF TROUT SEASON. LOCAL FISHERMAN WHO HAVE ADVICE ON HOW TO CATCH A PRIZE FISH.
Health	NBC8 News at 6	3/1	6 pm	1:40	STATE AUDITOR CLAIRE MCCASKILL RELEASED A REPORT TODAY OUTLINING "MAJOR" PROBLEMS WITH THE DIVISION OF AGING AND ITS OVERSIGHT OF MISSOURI NURSING HOMES.
Crime	NBC8 News at 5	3/2	5 pm	1:45	TO COMMEMORATE WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, WESTMINSTER IS HOSTING A CANDELIGHT VIGIL AND MARCH TO BRING ATTENTION TO VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, AND TO COMMUNITY VIOLENCE AS A WHOLE.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/2	10 pm	1:42	SEN. JOHN MCCAIN ARRIVED AT LAMBERT FIELD TODAY ON THE HEELS OF GOV. GEORGE W. BUSH. THE ARIZONA SENATOR CAME TO ST. LOUIS TO PREPARE FOR SUPER TUESDAY, PLUS A DEBATE

					WITH BUSH VIA SATELLITE.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	3/3	6 am	1:26	A SOLUTION TO THE HIGH GAS PRICE PROBLEM IS GAINING POPULARITY. THE PRODUCTION OF AN ALTERNATIVE FUEL WILL HELP MID-MISSOURI FARMERS. TRUCKS ARE ROLLING IN TO FINISH CONSTRUCTION OF THE FIRST ETHANOL PLANT IN MISSOURI.THE PLANT IS OWNED BY A GROUP OF 3 HUNDRED MISSOURI FARMERS.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	3/3	6 pm	1:31	DENNIS VANDERBENT WAS ARRESTED IN FLORIDA AFTER HIS WIFE TURNED HIM IN FOR THE 19-70 STRANGULATION OF A SEDALIA WOMAN.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/4	10 pm	2:00	SUPER TUESDAY'S JUST DAYS AWAY... AND ONE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE COMES *HOME* TO MISSOURI. DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE BILL BRADLEY PAID A VISIT TO HANNIBAL TODAY... AS PART OF HIS CAMPAIGN FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL BID. MISSOURI IS ONE OF 17 STATES PARTICIPATING IN TUESDAY'S PRIMARIES.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/5	10 pm	1:45	WHILE WASHINGTON DEBATES HOW LONG THEIR MISSIONS SHOULD LAST...SOME MISSOURI NATIONAL GUARD SOLDIERS ARE SETTING RECORDS FOR HOW QUICKLY A JOB CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED.
Education	NBC8 News at 5	3/6	5 pm	1:50	ALTHOUGH MILLIONS WILL VOTE, YOUNG PEOPLE ARE TYPICALLY ONE GROUP THAT STAYS HOME. AT HICKMAN HIGH SCHOOL WE LOOK IN TO WHAT 18-YEAR OLDS PLAN TO DO TOMORROW.

Crime	NBC8 News at 6	3/6	6 pm	2:08	THE PERFECT CRIME MAY SOON BE A THING OF THE PAST, THANKS TO A NEW PIECE OF TECHNOLOGY. THE DEVICE IS DESIGNED TO TAKE FINGERPRINTS, AS WELL AS TO TRACK EXPLOSIVES, DRUGS, COUNTERFEIT MONEY, AND MORE.
Government	NBC8 News at 6	3/7	6 pm	1:40	THE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY IS BIG NEWS, BUT HERE IN MADISON PEOPLE REALLY DON'T SEEM TO CARE MUCH ABOUT PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/7	10 pm	1:50	THE VOTES ARE STILL BEING COUNTED, BUT AL GORE AND GEORGE W. BUSH CLAIM VICTORY IN THE SHOWME STATE.
Government	NBC8 News Today	3/7	6 am	1:23	THE JOB OF POLL WATCHERS IS TO SEE WHO IS VOTING FOR WHICH PARTY. A NEW PROVISION IN MISSOURI ELECTION LAW SAYS THE WATCHERS CAN WRITE DOWN YOUR NAME AND WHICH OF THE FIVE BALLOTS YOU CHOOSE. BUT DOES THAT INTERFERE WITH THE RIGHT TO A SECRET BALLOT?
Education	NBC8 News at 6	3/7	6 pm	2:18	FIVE OUT OF ONE HUNDRED TEENAGERS WILL LEAVE SCHOOL BEFORE GRADUATING. BUT FOR SOME OF THEM.. DROPPING OUT.. IS *BETTER* THAN STAYING IN.
Health	NBC8 News Today	3/8	6 am	1:30	THE RECENT TEMPERATURES CHANGES MEAN MORE VISITS TO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE FOR MID-MISSOURIANS.
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	3/8	10 pm	1:15	HERE IN COLUMBIA, THE MURDER-TRIAL OF MARK DUDLEY ENDS WITH A GUILTY VERDICT. DUDLEY WAS ON-TRIAL FOR KILLING KANDI

					NICKENS.. MAY 24TH OF LAST YEAR.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	3/9	5 pm	2:50	INFOMERCIALS FOR "OXICLEAN" CLAIM TO BE A MIRACLE STAIN-REMOVER AND LIVE UP TO THEIR CLAIMS.
Health	NBC8 News at 10	3/9	10 pm	1:15	RESEARCH DONE BY THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA FOUND THAT THE STANDARD DOSE OF ANTIHISTAMINE HAD A GREATER AFFECT THAN A FEW DRINKS ON DRIVING COHERENCE OR THE ABILITY TO MATCH THE SPEED OF THE VEHICLE AHEAD.
Education	NBC8 News Today	3/10	6 am	1:30	FULTON HIGH SCHOOL NOW OFFERS SIGN LANGUAGE AS AN ELECTIVE CLASS. PAT ADAMS IS A DEAF VOLUNTEER WHO STARTED WORKING AS THE CLASS'S TEACHER LAST FALL. BY THE END OF THIS SEMESTER ADAMS SAYS THEY WILL KNOW THE BASICS OF SIGN LANGUAGE
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	3/10	6 pm	1:40	TWO FIGHTS IN THE PAST WEEK BETWEEN BLACK AND ASIAN STUDENTS AT A COLUMBIA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL HAVE SPURRED RUMORS OF GANG VIOLENCE.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 6	3/11	6 pm	1:30	HUNDREDS OF MID-MISSOURIANS WERE LEFT WITHOUT POWER THIS MORNING DUE TO THE WINTER WEATHER.
Jobs	NBC8 News at 10	3/12	10 pm	2:00	MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED WORKERS IN AUDRAIN COUNTY ARE NOT CELEBRATING TONIGHT BECAUSE A MAJOR COMPANY ANNOUNCED IT'S SHUTTING DOWN A LOCAL PLANT

Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	3/13	6 am	1:40	BEFORE LAST NIGHT'S BIG ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE TIGERS MADE IT INTO THE N-C- DOUBLE A TOURNAMENT, FANS ACROSS THE STATE WERE MAKING THEIR PREDICTIONS ABOUT WHERE MIZZOU MAY FALL... SEVERAL TIGER FANS' PREDICTIONS WERE RIGHT ON THE MONEY.
Government	NBC8 News at 6	3/13	6 pm	2:00	THERE IS CONSISTENTLY A PROBLEM WITH COUNTING MINORITY GROUPS IN THE CENSUS. HERE IS MORE ON WHAT MID-MISSOURI'S HISPANIC POPULATION IS DOING TO GET THEIR VOICE HEARD.
Crime	NBC8 News at 5	3/14	5 pm	1:45	POLICE HAVE ACCUSSED ONE FOURTEEN YEAR OLD COLE COUNTY BOY OF INTERNET BANKING FRAUD.. THEY SAY HE OPENED 120 BANK ACCOUNTS ACROSS THE NATION AND COLLECT THE BONUS SIGNUP MONEY TOTALLYING $2000 DOLLARS.
Education	NBC8 News at 10	3/14	10 pm	3:00	AT ROCK BRIDGE ELEMENTARY THEY ARE READING THEIR WAY THROUGH THE YEAR 2000...WITH 2000 BOOKS PER MONTH.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	3/15	6 pm	1:30	COLUMBIA POLICE OFFICERS NOW HAVE LESS-LETHAL BULLETS FOR THEIR GUNS. YESTERDAY'S CHASE AND CAPTURE OF SUSPECTED PAROLE VIOLATER KEVIN HALL RESULTED IN THE USE OF A--BEANBAG.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/15	10 pm	2:30	TODAY THE MISSOURI HOUSE VOTED TO GIVE A MILLION DOLLARS TO THE ELLIS FISCHEL CANCER CENTER, BY TAKING A MILLION AWAY FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI.

Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	3/16	5 pm	1:40	THE MANUFACTURER OF A NEW TYPE OF FLASHLIGHT SAYS IT CAN SHINE FOR UP TO 200 HOURS. THE COMPANY ALSO CLAIMS THE FLASHLIGHT USES LESS ENERGY THAN A REGULAR FLASHLIGHT AND DOESN'T USE A LIGHTBULB.
Education	NBC8 News at 6	3/16	6 pm	3:31	CLAYTON AND CURTIS VERDOT AT LINN ELEMENTARY IN OSAGE COUNTY HAVE BEEN THROUGH THE EDDIE EAGLE GUN SAFETY PROGRAM. BECAUSE OF EDDIE, THEY KNOW EXACTLY WHAT TO DO WHEN THEY ACCIDENTALLY COME ACROSS SOMEONE ELSE'S GUN.
Jobs	NBC8 News Today	3/17	6 am	1:30	EARLIER THIS MONTH THE U-S-D-A RELEASED A PROPOSAL TO CERTIFY ORGANIC FOODS SOME MID-MISSOURIANS WHO GROW AND SELL ORGANIC FOODS TELL US THE FARM SKIES MAY SEEM *SUNNY*.... BUT THESE FARMERS ARE UPSET...
Health	NBC8 News at 10	3/17	10 pm	1:26	THE BOONE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT RELEASES ITS ANNUAL REPORT CARD TODAY... IT'S NOT A STUDENT REPORT CARD, BUT RATHER A SELF-EVALUATION OF PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES IN THE COUNTY.
Crime	NBC8 News at 6	3/18	6 pm	1:37	MEMBERS OF THE BELLE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT, MARIES COUNTY SHERRIFS OFFICE, AND MISSOURI HIGHWAY PATROL ARE TEAMING UP ON THE INVESTIGATION OF THE MURDER OF A THREE-YEAR-OLD BELLE.
Jobs/ Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/19	10 pm	2:00	MISSOURI FARMERS SAY THEY'RE TIRED OF GETTING TRAMPLED BY CORPORATE FARMS AND

					LOW PRICES. MANY HAVE ALREADY GONE OUT OF BUSINESS AND MANY MORE ARE IN DANGER OF FOLDING. A GROUP OF THIRTY FARMERS FROM HERE AND AROUND THE STATE ARE TAKING THEIR COMPLAINTS TO WASHINGTON.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 5	3/20	5 pm	1:05	MOVIES SEEM TO BE ON EVERYONE'S MINDS A LITTLE BIT MORE WITH THE OSCARS COMING UP. WOULDN'T IT BE EXCITING IF YOU COULD ACTUALLY CHOOSE THE NEXT JULIA ROBERTS OR HARRISON FORD? A WEBSITE OFFERS YOU SUCH AN OPPORTUNITY...
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/20	10 pm	1:30	THE COUNCIL IS STILL TO CONSIDER TONIGHT PLANS FROM PRIVATE DEVELOPERS TO BUILD AN ICE RINK AS PART OF THE COLUMBIA REC CENTER.
Health	NBC8 News Today	3/21	6 am	2:20	IN SOME CASES, CANDLES CAN MAKE YOU SICK. THEIR FLAMES CAN RELEASE SOOT AND LEAD THAT CAN DAMAGE YOUR HOME AND PERHAPS EVEN YOUR HEALTH.
Health	NBC8 News at 6	3/21	6 pm	2:00	IMAGINE, IF YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ITCHY EYES OR A RUNNY NOSE THIS SEASON... NOW THERE'S A NEW TYPE OF ALLERGY-THERAPY THAT HOLDS PROMISE...
Jobs	NBC8 News at 6	3/22	6 pm	2:00	UNILEVER PERSONAL CARE IS MOVING Q-TIP PRODUCTION TO PUERTO RICO, AND 150-MID-MISSOURIANS LOSE THEIR JOBS IN THE TRANSITION.
Government	NBC8 News at 10	3/22	10 pm	1:51	IT CLEANS THE AIR, BUT POLLUTES THE WATER. AND IT'S BENDING THE *EARS* OF MISSOURI

					FARMERS.A DECISION BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WILL SOON EFFECT EVERYONE.
Crime	NBC8 News Today	3/23	6 am	1:40	THE TRIAL FOR SCOTT MOTLEY MOVES INTO DAY TWO THIS MORNING...MOTLEY HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH FIRST DEGREE MURDER IN THE KILLING OF MARK THROOP, OF CENTRALIA, LAST MAY.--
Education	NBC8 News Today	3/24	6 am	2:15	RECENT SURVEY OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS ASKED THEM ABOUT THE MAIN SOURCE OF STRESS IN THEIR JOB. THE OVERWHELMING MAJORITY SAID: MANAGING STUDENT BEHAVIOR.
Education	NBC8 News Today	3/24	6 an	1:45	THE NEW BLOOMFIELD PRINCIPAL, JAMES WOODS HAS BEEN ASKED TO RESIGN.... THIS IS THE THIRD PRINCIPAL IN FOUR YEARS FOR NEW BOOMFIELD HIGH SCHOOL UNDER SUPERINTENDENT ERICK MANSFIELD.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News Today	3/24	6 am	1:48	A NEW STUDY SAYS MISSOURI LOG HARVESTERS MIGHT BE GETTING CHOPPED OUT OF GOOD LOG PRICES. STATE TO STATE, MISSOURI LOGS RANK THE LOWEST.
Education	NBC8 News at 6	3/25	6 pm	2:01	CHRISTY AND BETHANY ARE FIFTEEN-YEARS-OLD, AND TODAY THEY ARE GOING TO LINCOLN UNIVERSITY. MOST OF THE YOUNG WOMEN ATTENDING THE EMPOWERING YOUNG WOMEN CONFERENCE ARE ONLY IN JUNIOR HIGH.

Economy	NBC8 News at 10	3/25	10 pm	1:45	IT'S BIGGER THAN THE SUPER BOWL OR THE KENTUCKY DERBY, THE 3 WEEK NC-DOUBLE-A TOURNAMENT IS THE LARGEST GAMBLING EVENT OF THE YEAR.
Consumer Issues	NBC8 News at 10	3/26	10 pm	2:00	HERMAN IS FAMOUS FOR OCTOBER FEST AND MAI FEST BUT THIS WEEKEND IT WAS ANOTHER FESTIVAL CELEBRATING GERMAN HERITAGE. MEAT-VENDORS FROM ACROSS THE STATE GATHERED IN HERMAN THIS WEEKEND TO SHOW OFF THEIR WURST....THEIR BRATWURST THAT IS.
Government	NBC8 News Today	3/27	6 am	1:45	FOR MANY KIDS ON VACATION THIS WEEK, A TRIP TO THE LOCAL PLAYGROUND SEEMS HARMLESS, BUT THE NATIONAL PROGRAM FOR PLAYGROUND SAFETY GIVES MISSOURI A C-MINUS ON SAFETY.
Health/ Government	NBC8 News at 6	3/27	6 pm	1:39	GOVERNOR CARNAHAN ENCOURAGES MISSOURIANS TO GET IN SHAPE. THE STATE IS TRYING TO HELP RESIDENTS MAINTAIN HEALTHY HEARTS.
Education	NBC8 News at 5	3/28	5 pm	1:45	THE DOOR OF OPPORTUNITY MIGHT STILL BE OPEN FOR A CENTRAILIA HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR, BUT HE SAYS *HE'S CALLING IT QUITS*. STEVE SCHOONOVER HAS TURNED IN HIS LETTER OF RESIGNATION TO THE CENTRAILIA SCHOOL BOARD.

Health	NBC8 News at 6	3/28	6 pm	1:40	SOME RESEARCHERS BELIEVE ALZHEIMER'S IS THE RESULT OF A BUILDUP OF PROTEIN DEPOSITS THAT ACTUALLY CLOG UP THE BRAIN - WHILE OTHERS BELIEVE THE PROTEIN DEPOSITS ARE SIMPLY REMNANTS OF ANOTHER, UNKNOWN CAUSE OF THE DISEASE.
Government	NBC8 News Today	3/29	6 am	1:40	OFFICIALS NOW SAY THE RECENT CENTRALIA STORMS WERE INDEED AN *F ONE* TORNADO. BUT, CENTRALIA'S MAYOR MAY HAVE *IGNORED* THE SEVERE WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM.
Government	NBC8 News at 5	3/29	5 pm	1:30	LAW MAKERS WANT TO GIVE BABIES A FIGHTING CHANCE. AN AMENDMENT TO A BILL SPEEDING THROUGH THE MISSOURI-SENATE COULD SAVE BABIES' LIVES AND HELP DESPERATE MOTHERS.
Health	NBC8 News at 6	3/30	6 pm	2:15	FOR MANY COUPLES SEXUAL RELATIONS IS OFF LIMITS.THAT'S BECAUSE SEX IS ACTUALLY PAINFUL FOR THE WOMAN ENDOMETRIOSISA PAINFUL CONDITION INVOLVING ABNORMAL GROWTHS IN THE UTERINE WALL AND SURROUNDING AREA, WHICH CAN MAKE INTIMACY DIFFICULT.
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	3/30	10 pm	2:17	POLICE SAY FOUR BOONE COUNTY CHILDREN ARE VICTIMS OF A CHILD MOLESTER AND ONE MAN SITS BEHIND BARS. DONALD R. DERBY WAS ARRESTED LATE THIS AFTERNOON ON CHARGES OF CHILD MOLESTATION.

Government	NBC8 News Today	3/31	6 am	1:40	MISSOURI LAWMAKERS ARE BRINGING A THIRTY-YEAR OLD QUESTION BACK TO THE STATE CAPITOL... SHOULD MISSOURI RATIFY THE EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT?
Crime	NBC8 News at 10	3/31	10 pm	1:20	MARIES COUNTY PROSECUTORS SAY 3-YEAR OLD SARAH TIBBITS WAS BEATEN TO-DEATH, AND TODAY THE TODDLER'S MOM AND HER BOYFRIEND ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER. TOMMIE TIBBITS, THE GIRL'S MOTHER, AND DANIEL COLLIS, APPEARED IN COURT FOR THE FIRST TIME TODAY.