Parenthood at the End of the World



Daddy Issues, Baby Mamas, and the Post-Apocalyptic Hollywood Epic

Madeline Whittle September 12, 2015

The End is Near



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NEW ABDUCTIONS DISTRESS NIGERIA; U.S. OFFERS HELP

NO GIRLS RESCUED YET

11 Taken, Local Officials Say — Terror Group Is Suspected

By ADAM NOSSITER

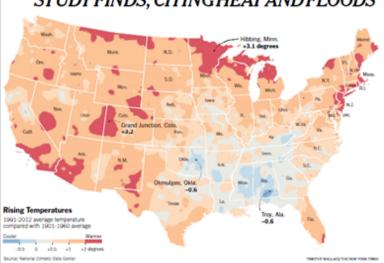
ABUJA, Nigeria — A second kädnapping of schoolights in Nigeria's northeast by Islamist militants put new pressure on the country's troubled government, which had been hoping to show-case its emergence as Africa's largest economy this week but instead has been forced to confront its fadure to contain a growing in-

surgency in its north.

Men suspected of being fighters from the radical group BokoHaram kidnapped II more girls in
Nigeria's northeast, local officials
said Tuesday, an intensification
of its campain against female
education and the Nigerian government since the adduction of
hundreds of schoolgirls three
weeks ago.

The spectacle of red-shirted

U.S. CLIMATE HAS ALREADY CHANGED, STUDYFINDS, CITING HEAT AND FLOODS



Cavellian Genre

"The idea is that the members of a genre share the inheritance of certain conditions, procedures and subjects and goals of composition, and that ... each member of such a genre represents a study of these conditions, something I think of as bearing the responsibility of the inheritance. There is, on this picture, nothing one is tempted to call *the* features of a genre which all its members have in common." [28]

Stanley Cavell, Pursuits of Happiness



Blight



Wasteland



Good Dad



Bad Dad



Daddy's Girl



Mama's Girl



Baby Mama



"Prized Breeders"

...and then there's Max



The Universal Donor



The Surrogate

Psychology





Physiology





Physicality





Psychology







Reunion



Homecoming

The Next Generation



