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The main window, initially in the upper left corner of the screen, displays a list of newsgroups. Double-clicking on a newsgroup name causes WinVN to display a list of subjects of available articles in that newsgroup in a group window.

Clicking on a newsgroup name "selects" that newsgroup and displays it in reverse video (light on dark). Selecting a newsgroup is useful only for subscribing to it; see Subscribing to Newsgroups. Subscribed groups appear in black; unsubscribed groups appear in red.

The first character of each newsgroup line in the main window gives information about that newsgroup:

- space indicates either that WinVN has no information on the status of this group, or that no new articles have appeared in this group since your last WinVN session.
- > indicates that this newsgroup has been selected as the result of the previous **Find** operation.
- * indicates that new articles have appeared in this newsgroup since your last WinVN session.

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