

Smilin' Charlie Says



My idea o' something practical is a couple o' guys stagin' a prize fight for th' benefit o' some hospital.

Now You Tell One!

A preacher said to his congregation: "There is a certain man among us who is going with another man's wife. Unless he puts five dollars in the collection box his name will be read from the pulpit." When the box came in, there were nineteen five dollar bills in it and a two dollar bill with a note attached, saying, "This is all the cash I have, but will send the other three dollars Wednesday."

The Unwritten Law

There are two things traffic cops never do. One is to reprimand a driver who has not violated a traffic rule. The other is to admit that the driver has not violated a traffic rule.

His Own Rule

Old Rastus: "You ain't livin' the Christian life, Sammy! Member dat maximum we done learned at school 'bout stealin'?"

"Yes sah—ah 'members! A bird in de hand am wuff two in de coop!"

Complimentary

Shopper: "I want to see something cheap in mirrors."  
Clerk: "Take a look at this one, madam!"

One way for the government to increase its revenue is to tax prizefighters for their movie salaries.

"Hello! Hello! Is this you, Mac?"

"Ay."

"Is this MacPherson I'm talkin' to?"

"Ay, speakin'."

"Well, Mac, it's like this: I want to borrow \$10—"

"All right. I'll tell him as soon as he comes in."

"Jones must be pretty well fixed financially."

"What makes you think so?"

"Well, every time that I see him he had the hiccups."

"Black Boy, how did you all get that soot on yoush coat?"

"That ain't soot, Carbona, that's dandruff."—Amherst Lord Jeff.

He doesn't use sli-kum or any other sort of goo on his hair.

Modern dancing, with its accompanying jazz, holds no appeal for him.

He doesn't know the difference between a full house and two pair, aces up.

He doesn't care whether girls wear two skirts or none at all.

He has never tasted synthetic gin, nor does he know that Ducky Spikes are roasted.

Profanity, in any form, has never passed his lips.

He has never caused a girl to walk back home, because he doesn't give a darn for petting.

He hasn't even kissed a girl.

He hasn't even been born.—Life.

A troupe of Shakesperian actors of extremely uncertain financial standing was lounging in the lobby of a small town hotel. The manager entered and addressed the leading man of the company.

"Don't forget. We're playing 'Hamlet' tonight," he announced.

"Hamlet, eh?" replied handsome Harry. "All right, but I can't play Hamlet with this three-day beard. Gimme twenty-five cents for a shave."

The manager reeled slightly.

"Twenty-five cents! Oh, hell! We'll play Macbeth."—Iowa Frivol.

"What evidence have you for your belief in heredity?"

"I go with a violinist's son."

"Well?"

"He's always trying to string me."—Lafayette Lyre.

O-O-O-h!—"Lookit" The Pretty Hallow'en Ghost



If all the ghosts that are supposed to make our hair stand on end and send chills gallopin' up and down our spines in the darkness of Halloween night, were as pretty as the little lady pictured above—we wouldn't mind it a bit. Fact, we'd like to have that "night of uncertainties" come 'round more often. But all joshing aside, aren't you looking forward to the coming of Halloween? Sure you are. Maybe you're planning a party, too—same as our little beauty above. She's out getting the pumpkins for her Jack o' Lanterns without which no Halloween party is complete. After that, she'll probably go shopping for all the tasty items that'll go on the Halloween table—the witch and goblin decorations—the game prizes—and, and— Say—how many days yet 'til Halloween?

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COULDN'T STAND ONE  
"So you didn't take any vacation this year?"  
"No. I thought I needed a rest."  
There was a landlubber with the ship-wrecked crew that had been adrift for two days, with hope at low ebb.  
"What's that?" exclaimed the landsman, pointing into the distance.  
"That's land, isn't it?"  
"I see nothing but the horizon," replied the first mate.  
"Well, hang it, that's better than nothing. Let's pull for it."—Capper's Weekly.

TOO BAD  
"Your infernal loud speaker kept me awake 'til two o'clock last nite."  
"That's too bad—if you had stayed with it a while longer you'd have heard some swell stuff from Paris."  
The secret service man who said that women aren't good detectives couldn't have been married.  
The attention of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is called to the fact that a radio set has been installed in the Toronto zoo for the entertainment of the occupants of the Monkey cage.

NO FOOLIN' HER  
New Maid: "I found this purse up on your desk, sir."  
Junior: "I must reward you for your honesty. I left it there purposely as a test."  
New Maid: "That's what I thot, sir."  
Gladys: "I'm awfully sorry, but papa says we must not see each other any more."  
Jack: "Oh, that's all right, if he wants to cut down the light bills, I'm willing to help. Darkness with you, dearest, is good enough for me."

Why We Advise Fall Planting

EVERYONE knows that the major portion of all planting is done either in the Spring or Fall. Generally speaking Spring and Fall are thought of as the two main planting seasons. There being two seasons, it often becomes a question in one's mind as to which is the better season for planting. Now it may be said that either season has its particular advantages over the other. We feel, however, that there are certain particular factors that seem to make Fall planting very desirable. A few reasons are given here to show why we advise Fall planting.  
ALTOGETHER, the Spring and Fall planting seasons are all too short for the immense amount of work to be done along planting lines. If we should not take advantage of the desirable Fall days, our planting season would fall far short of the time needed for it. The time element alone then is enough to make Fall planting advisable.  
BY FALL PLANTING we mean the planting of those materials which if handled now have as reasonable chance for living and growing as if they were handled in the Spring. Where Fall planting of this kind is done, it will prove to be as successful as Spring planting. Plants which are planted in the Fall have a chance to become somewhat established and lose no time in the Spring in starting their growth. In many cases Fall planted materials will completely surpass in growth similar materials handled in the Spring season.  
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