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Wit and Humor

She—You told me before we were married that you were well off.
He—I was, but didn't know it.

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The wife of a southern archdeacon sent his vestments to be washed. The next morning she answered the telephone. "Miss Mary, do de archangel want his shroud starched?"

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Lady visiting a ship—I suppose you have been in the navy so long, you are accustomed to sea-legs?
Sailer, with single-track mind: —Lady, I wasn't even lookin'.

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Barber—You complain of overcharge for shaving, sir, but you must think of the extra labor.
Customer—What extra labor?
Barber—Well, with the high cost of living, gentlemen's faces are longer than they were.

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"Now come along," said Farmer Brown to his new hand from England, the other morning, "and I'll teach you how to milk the cows." "Seein' I'm new to it mister," said the Cockney, just out, "hadn't I better learn on the calf?"

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A youngster who was looking at the donkey in the store window said "Mother, doesn't that donkey look like Uncle Bill?" "Hush" replied the mother, "you musn't say such things." "Oh that's all right mother. The donkey is only made of chocolate. It can't hear anything."

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"Well, things ain't so bad yet," said John Wheeler of the composing room to Bill Hall, chief ad. setter. "Why I saw a sign in a store today which read "Chicken Dinner 10c." I went in, laid down my dime and called for a chicken dinner, and the fool clerk handed me a handful of corn."

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A confident widower called to see a widow who owned a fine farm. He said without sitting down. "I'm a business man, I don't waste no time. Will you marry me? I'd like yer answer now." "I'm a business woman," she said, "I wouldn't marry you if you had a million dollars, now git." He gitted.

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The applicant for cook was untidy and insolent in appearance. "Don't hire her," whispered Jones to his wife. "I don't like her looks." "But" remonstrated his wife, "just consider the reputation for cooking she bears." "That doesn't matter," said Jones testily. "We don't want any she bears cooked. We don't like them."

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A city girl who had married a well-to-do countryman was asked by her husband if she would like to have a cow of her own so that the household could have its own supply of fresh milk. She agreed willingly, and the couple went to a farm to purchase a cow. The farmer, who was perhaps less truthful than the majority of his kind, told them his cow was quite unlike any other cow that had ever lived. As to her milking capacity, she gave ten quarts a day. The bride did a rapid calculation and said to her husband, "We can never use all that. We don't need such a big cow. Buy a calf."

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Ridiculous!

A man with a gun under his arm walked into a butcher shop and asked for a couple of rabbits. "Sorry sir," said the butcher, "but I'm completely sold out of rabbits. I could give you a nice ham though."
"Don't be ridiculous," snapped the customer. "How in the dickens could I go home and say I shot a pig?"

P. S. S. NO. 3, CARRICK

Sr. IV—Honours—Steven Hickling Hilda Scott.
Sr. III—Pass—Ellen Kinzie, Irene Tegler, Barbara Hopf, (Howard McKonkey and Joe Walter) equal, John Hopf.
Jr. III—Pass—Elmer Russwurm, Lorne Timpson.
Sr. II—Honours—Gordon Scott, Pass—Bobbie Tegler, Matilda Mesz, Noah Mesz, Gordon Hopf, Willie Kinzie, Andrew Hutton.
Jr. II—Honours—Elmina Russwurm, Elvira Hickling; Pass—Clarence Schlorff, Verina Walter, Nioma Kinzie.
Sr. I—Henry Mesz.
Sr. Pr.—Bertram Tegler, Alberta Hutton, Johnnie Meyers.
Average attendance—24.
Zenobia Miller (teacher)

One thing to remember when driving an auto is that some other driver may be as crazy as you are.

We recently read a line "Stop Mistakes in Painting," and it was in an advertisement and not on the fashion page.

Two pints, one quart; two quarts, one fight; one fight, two cops; two cops, one Judge; one Judge, thirty days.

MOTOR, TRUCK AND MOTOR CYCLE DRIVERS!

Plenty of people from this district will be driving their cars to the city during the coming season. They will find some helpful hints in the following:—

During 1923, in Ontario, there were 236 people killed, and 2,348 lesser accidents caused by motors, trucks and motor cycles. THE HAZARD IS IN YOUR HANDS. We want your co-operation to help reduce these fatalities and lesser accidents. You can do so by being careful always.

Read, Remember and Act on the following:

Keep brakes and stearing gear in good order.

Never start or stop suddenly.

Always keep well to the right, and drive, as far as possible, in a straight line.

When making a right turn, always pull to the curb before reaching the corner.

Never pass another car at a safety island or street intersection.

Always slow down for every street car crossing; THE STREET CAR HAS THE RIGHT OF WAY.

Always keep a safe distance behind the car ahead.

Never get squarely behind another car. Follow where you can see the traffic ahead.

Always watch oncoming traffic. It may cut you off.

Dim your lights when meeting other vehicles.

Always assume that nobody but you knows how to drive properly, and give everybody else the right-of-way.

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN before crossing a Railway track.

Drive your car as you would like everyone else to drive.

HOLSTEIN DROVER IN BAD ACCIDENT

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mr. John Brown, cattle buyer, who lives two miles north of Holstein on the Second Concession of Egremont, was the victim of an unfortunate accident which will in all probability confine hm to his home for a few days

Mr. Brown was on his way eastward on the Dromore Road and at the foot of Adams' Hill opposite Gid. Johnston's the car took to the ditch. When it went into the ditch the car threw Mr. Brown out, pinning him beneath for an instant and then righted itself again, leaving the driver badly injured. The injuries were a badly cut and crushed head, and severe bruises in other parts of the body.

The unfortunate man was later removed to his home near Holstein, and while his injuries were quite serous and will confine him to his home for a time, no serious results are anticipated.—Durham Chronicle.

LOW COST TRIP TO PACIFIC COAST

A captivating four-week tour of Western Canada and the Pacific Coast, with a trip through the United States on the return journey, is being planned for Canadian teachers and their friends this summer.

Those who take advantage of this trip will see the greatest scenery on the continent—the Buffalo herd at Wainwright; Jasper National Park, with its unsurpassed mountain scenery; Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies; the totem poles of Kitwanga, and the mystic beauty of the Skoena River.

At Prince Rupert the party transfers from train to boat for the glorious water trip of 750 miles through the sheltered Scenic Seas of the North Pacific Coast to Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle.

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THE LATE MISS MARY SMITH

The grim reaper, Death, claimed another of the earthly pilgrims on Thursday, March 27, in the person of Mary Smith, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Knight of Niagara Falls, aged 67 years, 3 months and 27 days. Deceased was born in Carrick township and lived there for 40 years since which time she has resided at Niagara Falls. She had contracted a severe cold, which later turned into pneumonia. Mrs. Frank Smith of town was sent to assist the deceased during her illness. Despite the best of care and medical attention, she passed peacefully away on the above date. The remains were brought to Ayton on Saturday evening, the 29th, and taken to the home of Mr. Frank Smith, the funeral taking place on Tuesday, March 31, to the Evangelical cemetery. Rev. Mr. Meyer officiated. The pall bearers were: G. Sein, W. Pfeffer, W. Gerhardt, J. C. Becker, W. Stephan and Otto Damm. She is survived by 3 sisters, Mrs. J. Mielhausen of Walkerton, Mrs. G. W. Knight of Niagara Falls and Sophia of Carrick Tp., and 5 brothers, John of Teeswater, Charles of Carrick, and George, Fred and Frank of Ayton.

CHURCHYARD HUMOR

In the churchyards of England are to be found many peculiar and humorous epitaphs. Here is one from a Pembrokeshire churchyard:

Here I lie, and no wonder I'm dead
For the wheels of a wagon went over my head.

In Westerham churchyard, Kent, is to be found an epitaph in which grammar has been neglected for the sake of rhyme:

Cheerful in death I close my eyes;
Into Thy arms, my God, I flies.

An epitaph on a man of the name of George Denham runs as follows:

Here lies the body of Geordie Denham,
If ye saw him now ye wadna ken him.

An epitaph in Wolverhampton churchyard reads as follows:

Here lies the bones
Of Joseph Jones,
Who ate whilst he was able,
But once o'erfed,
He dropped down dead,
And fell beneath the table.
When from the tomb
To meet his doom,
He rises amidst sinners;
Since he must dwell
In Heaven or Hell.
Take which gives best dinners.

REPORT OF S. S. NO. 7, CARRICK

Sr. IV—Honors—Marjorie Perschbacher; Pass—*Emma Dahms.
Jr. IV—Pass—Mirenda Perschbacher, Otto Dahms, Beatrice Harper, Edward Kutz.
Sr. III—Pass—Wellington Dahms, Eileen Taylor, Lloyd Harper, *Nicholas Hohnstein.
Jr. III—Pass—Myrtle Perschbacher, *Melinda Dahms.
II—Honors—Lorena Dahms, Pass—Walter Borth, *Emma Hohnstein.
I—Pass—*Harvey Reddon, Milton Dahms, Nelson Kutz.
Those marked * absent part time.
C. Pearce, teacher

DON'T CUSS

Profanity still exists of course, but today we seldom hear the strings of oaths that fell from the lips of the old-time ship's captain, or the bum that cleaned cuspidors in the corner saloon. Not often do you hear a round, ringing oath. Why? Because profanity is passing. You could swear as men once did, if you wanted to. It doesn't take any great amount of intellect or wit. The cussing old-timer didn't invent swearing, did he? Then he couldn't claim originality, and anybody can imitate. A parrot can be taught to swear the biggest oath that ever fell from the lips of a pirate or a stable boy. Does any good fellow feel proud of an accomplishment in which he may be over-matched by a parrot?

In the "good old days" of which we hear so much the boy was very prone to ape the manners and habits of his elders. If dad swore, then the son swore, and the same was true of chewing tobacco. But today youth blazes its own trail, the youngster forms his habits from the education he is absorbing and not from following in the footsteps of the old man. We have better schools and better teachers than they had in the days of the little red school house. We teach the value of right living, clean habits and the use of correct language. Have you talked with a high school scholar recently? If you haven't, do so at the first opportunity. You will find some slang used, no doubt, but on the whole the young people of today are better conversationalists than our parents or grandparents were. They have a much larger vocabulary and they know how to use it.

Recently we attended a football game between the teams of two prominent colleges. It was a hard-fought battle with a bitter contest of strength and tactics. There were grunts and gasps as the opponents hit the line, but never an oath did we hear. With thousands of people assembled to watch the game, with traffic jammed and a seathing mass of humanity eager for victory or defeat, there was not as much swearing as we used to hear when two baseball nines played a match game in the sand lot.

Profanity is out of date.—Smithville Review.

THE GREENOCK ANTIQUARIANS

We notice in the Public Accounts of the Province of Ontario for the year ending October 31st, 1924, that $613,860.54 was paid out of the Provincial treasury for Township Road construction. Of this amount Elderslie Tp. received $1294.08; Arran $1218.24; Brant $3825.45; Bruce $3,009.25; Sullivan $1853.57, and Greenock $1606.92. This was under the 20%. Now that the grant is 30% these Townships will all receive 10 per cent. additional, excepting Antiquarian Greenock, which will lose approximately $1800 to $2000 a year by being joined to its old Statute Labor idol. We are at a loss to understand why farmers who consider themselves up-to-date and intelligent will persist in following a system that was in vogue in the pioneer days and which has been discarded by all progressive municipalities in this province.—Chesley Enterprise.

SHORT WEIGHT BUTTER

Meaford merchants were 'at home' last week to R. N. Kidd of Toronto, who is an inspector under the Dairy Branch, Ottawa, and checks up on the weight of butter sold in the local stores, with a view to protection of the purchaser in buying pound prints.

While here Mr. Kidd found cases where the dairy butter was sold under weight and the condition was so general that he requested us to refer to the matter and give warning that this is distinctly illegal and places a person in line for a fine of from $10 and $50 and costs, upon conviction.

The local dairy prints were as much as 2 ounces, or an eighth of a pound short—which is some shortage for the purchaser at 40 cents a pound.

At another point Mr. Kidd had found "pound" prints of dairy butter that actually weighed 17½ ounces, and the lady who had sold them to the local store had actually 'done' herself out of ten pounds of butter, or about $3. Evidently there is more Scotch around St. Vincent. Mr. Kidd was unable to find any overweight dairy prints, though there were many that were under.

The fact of this butter-weight business is this: No person has the right to sell a pound of butter that does not contain sixteen ounces, net, of butter, and to sell such butter, is to render oneself liable to a fine.

A merchant cannot accept this butter and sell it over the scales. The fact that it is a "print" and likely to be mistaken for a pound print is sufficient to enable a conviction.

The inspector, however, was not here last week to make convictions, but to check up and give warning to all and sundry that the law must be observed.—Meaford Mirror.

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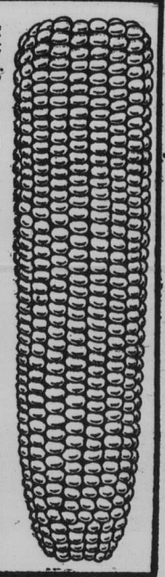

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