

Smiles

"Papa, does the number on the back of the automobile show how many persons the driver has run over?"

Swatter—"I see you are mentioned in one of the books just published. Primmer—"Indeed! What book?" Swatter—"The Directory."

Irate Father—"I thought you said you were worth ten thousand a year?" Would-Be Sultor—"Yes, sir; but I get only six hundred."

"How did that last 'endurance contest' of piano players come out?" "It ended, I believe, at the fourteenth hour. The neighbors interfered."

"Hans, how long have you been married?" "Vell, dis is a ting that I seldom don't like to talk about; but ven I does, it seems so long as it never vas."

Rev. Longnecker—"I wish I could think of some way to make the congregation keep their eyes on me during the sermon." Little Tommy—"Pa, you want to put the cloak right behind the pulpit."

"I never become angry because a man does not think quite as I do," remarks the professor; "for when I find a man who disagrees with me, I realize that it is probably with difficulty that he thinks at all."

She—"Are you really so much better since you returned from your trip abroad?" He—"Yes, indeed, I'm quite another man, I assure you." She—"Well, I'm sure all your friends will be delighted to hear it."

"Does the baby talk yet?" asked a friend of the family. "No," replied the baby's disgrusted little brother; "the baby doesn't need to talk." "Doesn't need to talk?" "No. All the baby has to do is to yell, and he gets everything there is in the house that is worth hearing."

An "imported" citizen was recently brought before a magistrate, says the New York Sun, charged with having threatened to kill another man with an axe. "What have you to say, Pat?" asked the magistrate. "I niver struck any wan wid an axe!" said Pat, vehemently. "Yer honor, I wouldn't hit a newborn baby wid an axe." "Discharged," said his honor.

Ho! for Denver

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