



# HUMOR



**Parking Space:** An unfillable opening in an unending line of automobiles, near an unapproachable fireplug, on the other side of the one way street.

An auditor got out of bed recently complaining that he hadn't slept a wink, "Why didn't you count sheep?" his wife asked.

"I did and that's what got me into trouble," answered the man. "I made a mistake during the first hour and it took me until I woke up this morning to correct it."

Mrs. Smythe Browne was making the final arrangements for her elaborate reception. "Bridget," she said to her old servant, "for the first 30 minutes after six o'clock I want you to stand at the drawing room door and call the guests' names as they arrive."

Bridget's face lit up. "Very well, ma'am," she replied, "I've been wanting to do that to some of your friends for years."

The father saw his son sitting on top of another boy in the front yard.

"Why are you pinning George to the ground like that?" Jimmy's dad demanded. "He hit me in the eye!"

"How many times," reprimanded the father, "have I told you to count up to 100 before you lose your temper?"

"I am counting up to 100," cried Jimmy "but I am sittin on him so he'll be here when I get through counting."

An old country doctor parked his Model-T on the street. When he came back, a number of youths were standing around laughing at the old car. The doctor climbed into the seat and said mildly, "The car's paid for, boys." Then he looked deliberately from one boy to another. "You're not-- and you're not -- and you're not!"

A romance of long standing had gone on the rocks, and a friend was questioning the would-be bridegroom.

"Why, after all these years," he inquired, "did you break your engagement

to Mary?"

"Well," replied the other sadly. "I only did to the engagement what she did to me."

A lone tourist on a trip across West Texas discovered his watch had stopped. He traveled for three days without seeing a soul. Finally, he spied a man digging mesquite roots and stopped to ask him the time. The Texan pulled out his watch, looked at it carefully, looked slowly into the sky at the sun and said, "It's 10:35."

"Is that sun time or railroad time?" the tourist asked.

"Hit don't make any difference," said the Texan. "You're as far from one as t'other."

Speaker: "The time has come, fellow citizens, wehn we must get rid of socialism, and communism, and anarchism, and--"

AGED LISTNER: "And let's throw out rheumatism, too!"

Margery came running into the house dragging her little brother, whose face showed the mark of an attack by some insect. "Oh, mother, look!" she cried, the memory of a recent epidemic in her mind. "Bobby has been bitten by a measle!"

"I wonder why they say 'Amen' and not 'Awomen,'" Bobby."

"Because they sing hymns and not hers, stupid."

They were discussing a mutual acquaintance.

"Thompson's not a bad fellow," said Hayes. "He always claims that when charity is needed he is the first to put his hand in his pocket."

"Yes," the other said ungenerously, "and he keeps it there until the danger is over."

ANN: I've decided that I won't be married until I'm 25.

DORIS: And I've decided not to be 25 until I'm married.