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A very self-satisfied man arrived at the gate of heaven and asked for admission.

"Where are you from?" St. Peter asked.
"California."
"Well you can come in, but you won't like it."

"Your Honor, I want to have my name changed."
"Well, that must be done in a legal manner. What is your name?"
"Herman Stink."
"I don't blame you. What name do you want?"
"Oscar."

"Fred! There's someone creeping upstairs."
"Whazza time?"
"Half-past three."
"Well, thank godness, it's not me this time."

Ticket Agent: "This ticket to the west coast costs you $100 and allows you a three-day hangover in Chicago."
Nifty Miss: "And how much if I don't get drunk in Chicago?"

First Motorist: "I love the beauties of the country-side."
Second Motorist: "So do I. Sometimes I give 'em a lift."

"I'm a Venus de Milo girl."
"What's that?"
"Hands off!"

Scotchman (at riding academy): "I wish to rent a horse."
Groom: "How long?"
Scotchman: "The longest you've got, there be five of us going."

Ragman: "Any old clothes? Any old clothes?"
Pledge: "No. Get away from here. This is a fraternity house."
Ragman: "Any old bottles?"
—Kansas State Engineer.

"I hope that's a nice book for you to read, darling," said the conscientious mother to her young daughter.

"Oh, yes, mummy, it's a lovely book, but I don't think you'd like it. It's so sad at the end."
"How is it sad, dear?"
"Well, she dies, and he has to go back to his wife."

A Yankee was on a Christmas walking tour in Scotland. Snow had fallen and he was struggling along a narrow road when he met a Highlander.

"I guess, friend, I sure am lost!" he said plaintively.
Scot: "Is there a reward out for ye?"
American: "Nope."
Scot: "Weel, ye're still lost."

"You remember when you cured my rheumatism, a year ago, don't you, Doc?" asked the patient, "and you told me I should avoid dampness?"
"Yes, that's right," replied the medico, approvingly.
"Well, I've just come back to ask if you think it would be safe for me to take a bath?"

"Frequent water-drinking," said the professor, "prevents becoming stiff in the joints."
"Yes," said the co-ed, "but some of the joints don't serve water."

A coed was on a trolley car discussing opera with her girl friend. "I just love Carmen," she said.
The conductor, who passed by at that moment, blushed a deep red and said, "Try the motorman, miss; I'm married."

His employer said he was an independent salesman; he took orders from nobody.

Lady of the House: "These two boys are sister's."
School Census Taker: "Sisters? Why that's impossible!"
Lady: "Oh, no it isn't! Sister lives next door."

Three little girls were playing with their dolls. Their ages were three, four and five. The five-year-old said:
"If I had my life to live over again, I'd never eat spinach."
The four-year-old said, "I wouldn't ever take any castor oil."
The three-year-old kept busy with her dolls and said nothing. Finally one of the others asked her what she would do.
"If I had my life to live over," said the little girl, "I would want to be a bottle baby, so I wouldn't get cigarette ashes in my eyes when I was nursing."
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