HUMOUR

CHRISTMAS PARTY 2019

A TAP ON THE SHOULDER

A true story from the pages of the Manchester Evening Times

Last Wednesday, a passenger in a taxi heading for Stafford station leaned over to ask the driver a question and gently tapped him on the shoulder to get his attention.

The driver screamed, lost control of the cab, nearly hit a bus, drove up over the curb and stopped just inches from a large plate window.

For a few moments everything was silent in the cab.

Then the shaking driver said "Are you OK? I'm so sorry, but you scared the daylights out of me."

The badly shaken passenger apologized to the driver and said, "I didn't realize that a mere tap on the shoulder would startle someone so badly."

The driver replied, "No, no, I'm the one who is sorry, it's entirely my fault. Today is my very first day driving a cab. I've been driving a hearse for 25 years."

DOROTHY AND EDNA

Dorothy and Edna were both widows and long-standing friends, having a chat over coffee.

Dorothy: "That nice Bob Johnson asked me out. I know _you went out with him last week, and I wanted to talk with you about him before I give him my answer."

Edna: "Well, I'll tell you. He showed up at my apartment punctually at 7 pm, dressed like such a gentleman in a fine suit, and he brought me such beautiful flowers!

Then he took me downstairs, to a limousine, uniformed chauffeur and all. Then he took me out for dinner- lobster, champagne, dessert, and after-dinner drinks.

Then on to see a show. Let me tell you Dorothy, I enjoyed it so much I could have just died from pleasure!

But, when we got back to my apartment he turned into an animal. Completely crazy, he tore off my expensive new dress and had his way with me three times!"

Dorothy: "Goodness gracious!... So, you are telling me I shouldn't go?"

Edna: "No, no, no... I'm just saying, wear an old dress."

THE VALUE OF ART

A New York attorney, representing a wealthy art collector, called and asked to speak to his client.

"Paul. I have some good news and I have some bad news."

The art collector replied, "You know, I've had an awful day, Jack, so let's hear the good news first."

The lawyer said, "Well, I met with your wife today, and she informed me that she has invested only \$5,000 in two very nice nude pictures that she thinks will bring somewhere between \$15 and \$20 million ... and I think she could be right."

Paul replied enthusiastically, "Well done! Vow! My wife is a brilliant business woman, isn't she? You've just made my day."

"Now, I know I can handle the bad news. What is it?"

The lawyer replied, "The pictures are of you and your secretary."

HEAVENLY FATE?

Three women are killed in an accident and arrive together in heaven.

When they get there, St. Peter says, 'We only have one rule here in heaven: don't step on the ducks!'

So, they enter heaven, and sure enough, there are ducks all over the place. It is almost impossible not to step on a duck, and although they try their best to avoid them, the first woman accidentally steps on one.

Along comes St. Peter accompanied by the ugliest man she had ever seen. He chains them together and says, 'Your punishment for stepping on a duck is to spend eternity chained to this ugly man!',

The next day, the second woman accidentally steps on a duck and along comes St. Peter with another extremely ugly man. He chains them together with the same admonishment as for the first woman.

The third woman has observed all this and, not wanting to be chained for all eternity to an ugly man, is very, very careful where she steps.

She manages to go months without stepping on any ducks, then one day St. Peter comes up to her in company of the most handsome man she has ever laid eyes on ... tall, long eyelashes, muscular, and trim. A real Adonis.

St. Peter chains them together without saying a word.

The happy woman says, 'I wonder what I did to deserve being chained to you for all of eternity?

The guy says, 'I don't know about you, but I stepped on a duck!'

NO SEX SINCE 1955

A crusty old Army Sergeant Major found himself at a gala event hosted by a local liberal arts college. There was no shortage of extremely young idealistic ladies in attendance, one of whom approached the Sergeant Major for conversation.

"Excuse me, Sergeant Major, but you seem to be a very serious man. Is something bothering you?" "Negative, ma'am. Just serious by nature."

The young lady looked at his awards and decorations and said, "It looks like you have seen a lot of action" "Yes, ma'am, a lot of action."

The young lady, tiring of trying to start upa conversation, said,

"You know, you should lighten up. Relax and enjoy yourself." The Sergeant Major just stared at her in his serious manner.

Finally, the young lady said, "You know, I hope you don't take this the wrong way, but when is the last time you had sex?

"1955, ma'am"

"Well, there you are. No wonder you're so serious. You really need to chill out! I mean, no sex since 1955!" She took his hand and led him to a private room where she proceeded to "relax" him.

Afterwards, panting for breath, she leaned against his bare chest and said, "Wow, you sure didn't forget much since 1955."

The Sergeant Major said, after glancing at his watch, "I hope not; it's only 2130 now."

HARRY AND THE LIGHT

An elderly man goes for a physical check- up.

All of his tests come back normal so the doctor says, "Harry, everything looks great. How are you doing mentally and emotionally? Are you at peace with yourself and God?"

Harry replies, "God and I are tight. He knows I have poor eyesight, so he's fixed it when I get up in the middle of the night to go to the bathroom, poof! the light goes on. When I'm done, poof! the light goes off."

"Wow, that's incredible," the doctor says.

A little later in the day, the doctor calls Harry's wife.

"Mrs. White," he says, "Harry is doing fine but I had to call you beca-useTrn-in awe-of his relationship with God. Is it true that ITegets up during the night and the light goes on in the bathroom automatically, and when he's done the light goes off?"

"Ohl good grief" Mrs. white exclaims,

"He's peeing in the fridge again!"