

Pelly Coffee Pot

Year 7 #15

May 9/16



The poorest place in the US is Allen, South Dakota. About 96% of its residents are Native American and the median income of men is \$0.

According to the 1995 census, the majority of American Indians prefer the term "Indian" over "Native American" in referring to them.

A group of young ladies arranged to go to mother-in-law camp to know and understand each other better. The mothers-in-law traveled on one bus while the daughters-in-law went on another. The mother-in-law bus hit some ice and spun off a high cliff, killing all aboard. When the daughters-in-law learned of the accident, they broke out in tears, but one woman wailed uncontrollably. Another woman asked, "Forgive me, dear, but you must have been so close to your mother-in-law." She replied, "Not at all. My mother-in-law missed the bus!"

Minors have less freedom to do legal things, but more freedom to do illegal things.

As a concierge at a posh resort, I was often asked about the ski facilities. One day a couple who had just checked in after a long flight came by and asked me where the lift was.

"Go down the hill," I told them, "out the door, past the pool, 200 yards down the block, and you'll see it on your right." Their tired faces suddenly looked even more exhausted, until the man behind them spoke up.

"They're from England," he said. "I think they're looking for the elevator."

A blind man tells his friend how much he enjoys parachuting. "My hand is placed on my release ring, and then they place me in the door and tell me when to jump. Out I go!" "But how do you know when to lift your legs for the final arrival on the ground?" ask his friend.

"Oh," replies the blind man, "as soon as the dog's leash goes slack."

Two new prisoners were assigned to the same cell. One asked the other, "How long you in for?" The other replied, "120 years." The first prisoner said, "I'm in for 150. You want the bed by the door? You're getting' out first."

One evening, a family sat down for dinner. The mother served fish and cauliflower. They were all eating, until the boy, chewing on his fish, found a bone.

He pulled it out of his mouth and asked, "Mom, what do I do with this?" "Put it where you're sure you won't eat it," said his mother. So the boy carefully stuck it into his cauliflower.

When I was in high school I was shocked when my uncle passed away so suddenly in his prime. I was telling my friend John, how hard it was that it happened so suddenly, when he tells me, "oh, my uncle knew exactly what day and what time he was going to die!!!" I ask, "wow, that's so cool how did that happen?" He smirks and replies, "the judge told him!!!"

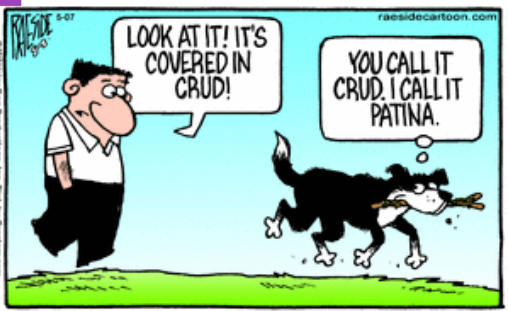
According to food experts, marinades for meat are for a one-time use only. You should never save and reuse a marinade.

Events 2016

- May 13 - the only Friday the 13th in 2016
- May 14 - Coffee House
- May 19 - Garbage day
- May 21 - Garage Sale at John Debolt's 8am - 4 pm
- May 23 - Victoria Day
- June 11/12 - Annual Pelly Jamboree in the Hall
- June 19 - Father's Day
- July 1 is on July 1 this year, same as last year.

All 24 GPS satellites are equipped with atomic clocks capable of getting the time stamp to a location to the 100 billionth of a second.

Charlemagne, the Frankish Emperor, never learned to write; even though he practiced on tablets, he admitted he couldn't master the skill. He learned to



A mathematician, an accountant and an economist apply for the same job. The interviewer calls in the mathematician and asks "What do two plus two equal?" The mathematician replies "Four." The interviewer asks "Four, exactly?" The mathematician looks at the interviewer incredulously and says "Yes, four, exactly." Then the interviewer calls in the accountant and asks the same question "What do two plus two equal?" The accountant says "On average, four - give or take ten percent, but on average, four." Then the interviewer calls in the economist and poses the same question "What do two plus two equal?" The economist gets up, locks the door, closes the shade, sits down next to the interviewer and says "What do you want it to equal?"

A defendant isn't happy with how things are going in court, so he gives the judge a hard time.
 Judge: "Where do you work?"
 Defendant: "Here and there."
 Judge: "What do you do for a living?"
 Defendant: "This and that."
 Judge: "Take him away."
 Defendant: "Wait! When will I get out?"
 Judge: "Sooner or later."

One day a policeman stopped a motorist who had just gone through a four way stop sign and was about to give him a ticket when the motorist said. "Officer you can't give me a ticket for that!"
 "Why not" said the officer.
 "Because although I did not stop I slowed right down and its almost the same."
 "But you did not stop" replied the officer, "and the sign says STOP."
 "But the way was clear and it was safe" replied the motorist.
 The officer then pulls out his baton and starts hitting the motorist.
 "What are you doing!" yells the motorist in surprise.
 "Do you want me to slow down or stop?" says the officer.

Purple as a colour is similar to violet, but violet is a spectral colour with its own wavelength on the visible spectrum of light whereas purple is a composite colour, made by combining red and blue.

Illegal coal mining activities in Mongolia, and the intense use of coal burned on simple stoves has turned a region of Mongolia once famed for its blue skies into one of the world's most polluted.

The speed of light is 186000 miles per second. My car is 8 years old and just hit 186000 miles. So it took my car 8 years to travel as far as light does in a second.

While 7 men in 100 have some form of colourblindness, only 1 woman in 1,000 suffers from it. The most common form of colour blindness is a red-green deficiency.

Think you can tell someone is lying if they have shifty eyes? Not so! British researchers asked people to lie about important things and discovered that the true telltale sign was not where people looked but whether they paused at random points while they were speaking and made excessive hand gestures.

To the Right or to the Left?

"I'd like two pork chops," asked the woman to her butcher, "and make them lean."
 "Yes ma'am," said the polite butcher, standing then on end. "Which way?"

A wife once gave her husband the silent treatment for an entire week. She didn't say anything, she just put it into practice. She was hoping it would make him be more attentive to her and to their marriage.

At the end of the week she decided to bring up subject. "You notice anything different about us this past week?"

Without missing a beat, and without having a clue either, he replied. "Yeah, we're getting along pretty great lately!"

A "clue" originally meant a ball of thread. This is why one is said to "unravel" the clues of a mystery.

A college diploma is just a receipt.

The flower of the Calla lily is 8 feet high and 12 feet wide. It is grown in Sumatra.

Dan came home from work to find his newlywed wife crying in the kitchen. "What's wrong, darling?" She sobbed, "I don't know what to do! I spent all day preparing a special meal for tonight's dinner, but the dog ate it. All of it!" Dan comforted her. "Don't worry, dear. We can always get another dog!"

Our pastor, an avid golfer, was once taking part in a local tournament. As he was preparing to tee off, the organizer of the tournament approached him and pointed to the dark, threatening storm clouds, which were gathering around.

"Preacher," the organizer said, "I trust you'll see to it that the weather won't turn bad on us?"

Our pastor shook his head. "Sorry," he replied. "I'm sales, not management!"

If joggers and dog walkers did not exist, who would find all the dead bodies?



Cats probably think we are cleaning our ice cream.

Warm beer and cold coffee are the same temperature.

Artist Siren Elise Wilhelmsen designed a clock that knits a scarf every year.

