

One Sheet to the Wind: Close-hauled humor for the fit, the unfit, and the doomed.



A collection of the authors humorous newspaper columns. For a good chuckle, open to any page Dont change horses in midstream. Of course not. Would you change a baby in midstream? Personally, I wouldnt change a horse in the warmth and comfort of a draft-free stall. Equine husbandry is hardly a fit subject for a proverb in the first place. Not all proverbs age gracefully. (Dear Abbes male-audience counterpart, Dr. Abe, answers a fans question.) Special to Baffled in Costa Mesa, California: You bumpkin! No wonder your hemorrhoids swell when you have sex. Viagra is ingested, not supposited! Cheerless in Pottstown, PA. Ah yes, Rene Descartes, the professor mused dreamily. The age of rationalism. I think therefore I am. Yep, the French guy, I replied, my confidence restored. Only, I believe, Sir, his signature remark was, I am therefore I think. I smiled understandingly. I, uh, believe you said it backward. Accidentally, Im sure. Dr. Spirale, clearly troubled by my gentle rebuke, didnt speak for several seconds. I quietly respected his obvious embarrassment. Potholes on the road to wisdom. The Ten Commandments of the Old Testament? There were originally fifteen. Thats right, five additional core commandments. And I dont mean that dinky follow-up stuff of the latter-day prophets. I hate being the one to point a finger, but most likely it was Moses who blew it. Ten? Only ten Moses? Are you sure? Plovers, a type of shore bird, cant sing a lick. They compensate for this incapacity, however, by prattling endlessly. Granted, many a spouse is no less annoying, but this column is about the etymology of oddball words, not the proclivities of our mates. Beyond buzz, cuckoo, and splat.

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