

## SMILES AND SUCH

### HUMOROUS GLEANINGS FROM VARIOUS SOURCES

#### A SERIOUS MISTAKE

Some time since two natives of the town met along the public highway and paused to compare news and crop reports. One of them was wearing an exceedingly long face.

"S'pose ye heard that our preacher is goin' ter leave," said he of the long face. "Got a call ter some town 200 miles away, an' says he's goin' ter accept."

"I knowed it! I knowed it!" was the emotional response of the other. "Thought we was makin' a big mistake at the time."

"Don't know what yer talkin' about," said the other wonderingly. "What mistake did we make?"

"Raised the preacher's salary," answered the second. "If we hadn't give him more money last year, he couldn't have saved up enough ter buy a car-ticket out o' town."

#### YPRES

What they call it on the street and in the home:

- "Wipes."
- "Wipers."
- "Wiper."
- "Yeeps."
- "Weeps."
- "Weep."
- "Wypress."
- "Wyp."
- "Yepress."
- "Yip."