

THIS WORLD'S WORDS

"BRAGGING" 1943 STYLE

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REMEMBER THE SPORT WHO EXAGGERATED HIS FISH STORIES?

CUCUMBERS? I HAVE 'EM THIS LONG!



I KNEW IT WAS A GOOD SEED COMPANY BECAUSE THE HEAD OF IT HAS THE SAME LAST NAME AS THAT OF A GIRL I WENT WITH IN HIGH SCHOOL.

THE FELLOW WHO ALWAYS CLAIMED HE WON HIS HORSE RACES ON HUNCHES.

HA HA! I RAISED JUST AS MANY POTATOES AS YOU ...AND ON HALF THE GROUND.

THE CHAP WHO ALWAYS BOUGHT THE SAME THINGS YOU DID...ONLY AT HALF PRICE.

I COULDN'T MISS WITH MY GARDEN! FIGURING THE ANGLE OF THE SUN AND THE SLOPE OF THE LAND, I THEN PROCEEDED TO...

THE SCIENTIFIC BIRD WHO USED TO LINE UP HIS GOLF PUTTS BY SOME SORT OF A MATHEMATICAL FORMULA.

LOOK! A PERFECT GARDEN...AND I NEVER FOLLOWED A SINGLE DIRECTION ON THE SEED PACKETS.

THE GUY WHO ALWAYS PRIDED HIMSELF ON FOLLOWING THE ADVICE OF NO ONE.

BEFORE EACH SOWING, I MEASURED THE HUMIDITY OF THE AIR, DIRECTION AND VELOCITY OF THE WIND...AND...

THE AMATEUR WEATHER MAN WHO NEVER UNDERTOOK ANY PROJECT WITHOUT A COMPLETE METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATION.

I OWE THE SPLENDID SHOWING OF MY GARDEN TO THE FACT THAT I NEVER PLANTED OR HOED IT ON A FRIDAY.

AND THE SUPER-SUPERSTITIOUS GENT.

FRECKLES FRIENDS

HELP! HELP!

ANOTHER ONE OF THOSE SMART-ALECS PRETENDING HE'S DROWNING, I BET!

YOU'D BETTER PULL HIM OUT ANYWAY, BETTY, JUST IN CASE!

HELP! HELP!

I THOUGHT YOU WERE DROWNING!

NO...I JUST WANTED TO ASK YOU A FEW QUESTIONS! WHAT TIME IS IT?

IT'S ABOUT A QUARTER AFTER FOUR!

WHAT TIME DOES THE CROWD LEAVE THE BEACH?

USUALLY WHEN IT GETS DARK!

WILL THERE BE A MOON TONIGHT?

NOT UNTIL LATE, AND IT'LL BE PITCH DARK IN ABOUT FIVE HOURS!

ARE YOU SURE?

I'M POSITIVE! THE MOON IS IN THE LAST QUARTER, AND IT WON'T COME UP UNTIL ABOUT NINE O'CLOCK!

THANKS! I THINK I'LL JUST SWIM AROUND OUT HERE UNTIL ABOUT NINE O'CLOCK!

WHY WERE YOU INTERESTED IN THE MOON? WERE YOU THINKING OF HOW IT AFFECTS THE TIDE?

NO, I WAS THINKING OF HOW IT AFFECTS THE UNTIED! I LOST MY BATHING TRUNKS!

