

COMPARATIVE HOMOPHONIC TRIOS

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“Trios” are thoughts expressed by three related words. They may be phrases, sentences, conversations, miniature poems (“triodes”), three pieces of a single word, etc. The three words may be related in any number of ways—homophones, anagrams, word ladders, other logological relations, rhyme, alliteration, repetition. Here’s a special type, in the irreverent style of **gross grocer grossest**. You’ll quickly see what I’m up to. It’s artificial, sure, but it created the scaffolding for some trios I thought you might enjoy.

armer armerer armerest

be beer beest

boot booter bootest

dissenter dissenterer

dissenterest

dive diver divest

enter enterer interest

err errer errest

folk folker folkest

haw hawer hawest

ink inker inkest

loo looer looest

mole molar molest

pose poser posest

umpteen umpteener

umpteenest

way wayer wayest

weigh weigher weighest

armer-armorer armrest arms support for the armchair warrior’s “seat of power”

BE BEER BEAST! boozier’s T-shirt

Booed booter, Buddhist. The Dalai Lama didn’t like being driven out of Tibet.

Dissenter? Dis-enterer. (Disinterest.)

S/He protests simply by not playing their unappealing game.

Dive-diver, divest! Rid yourself of that pub-crawling habit.

Enter interrer interest. The undertaker perks up upon hearing you may be dying.

ERR-AIRER ARREST (headline) They’re muzzling or punishing the whistleblower.

folk foe-cur focussed people obsessed with partisanship, ethnic hate or enemy fear

haw-hawer hoist the high from a good guffaw

ink incurring cast the script of a play

Loo lure loosed. diarrhea

Mole molar molest. Be a pain in the tooth to an underground figure.

Poe’s poser possessed totally absorbed by a desire to communicate with ravens

umpteen-hump teener Humpty nest

the precarious state of a sexually overactive adolescent (egg?)

Way-weigher? Waste! Throw caution to the wind. It wastes time and opportunity.

Waste away instead, as in this parallel-o-gram:

Weigh-Wayer waist “Get the midriff you always wanted at Dr. Duck’s Anorexia Clinic!”



NUDE NEUTER NUDIST



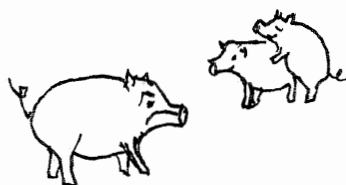
BEAR-BEARER BARE-ASSED



HALF-HEIFER, HALF-ASS



SOW



SOUR



SOUSED