Well Put.

Once in a while, when small children are witnesses in court, they have an original way of framing their answers to questions put to them by the attorneys, says the Boston Post. The other day a little girl in the divorce court was asked:

"How do you know that this statement is true?"

"Why, my papa told me so," instantly replied the little girl.

"And do you always answer your stepmother politely, no matter what she says to you, as your father told you to do?"

"No," said the small witness, and after a brief pause she added: "My heart did not bring forth the words."

He and She.

She—Have you ever read "Lives of the Hunted"?

He—No; what's it about—bachelors?—New York Post.

If a man is afraid to say it himself, he nearly always asks a newspaper to do it for him.

But a man soon forgets his faults when they are known only to himself.

About Time.

One evening the young minister, who had seemed rather attracted by "Big Sister" Grace, was dining with the family. "Little Sister" was talking rapidly when the visitor was about to ask the blessing. Turning to the child, he said in a tone of mild reproof:

"Laura, I am going to ask grace."

"Well, it's about time," answered "Little Sister," in an equally reproving tone. "We've been expecting you to do it for a year, and she has, too!"—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Noble Sentiment.

Sunday School Teacher—Did you ever forgive an enemy?

Tommy Tuffnut—Oncest.

Sunday School Teacher—And what noble sentiment prompted you to do it?

Tommy Tuffnut—He was bigger dan me.—Life.

Reversed.

"Who is that homely, little sawed-off chap over there?" she asked.

"That is my husband," she replied, "but don't apologize. You can't make me mad by calling him names."

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The Spiritual Life.

"Spiritual music can only come from discords set in unison," said Carlyle. It would be worth the time and space of a whole sermon to dilate upon that wonderful truth. Good comes not from an easy, languishing life, where virtue meets no opposition and where courage encounters no defiance. All discords are created by divine love to make spiritual music out of. Those who do not meet with such discords will not hear such music. Such experience is left for sacrifice to turn into harmony. Do you meet a friend who may seem to turn against you, don't leave him till the harmony is restored, not by appeal or instruction, but by the union of your own life. This may seem sentiment, but remember the spiritual life is as harsh and exacting as the material life. These are days that need so much of this fine philosophy, not to say religion, that there is a sweeping tendency toward the dalliance of and therefore never hear any spiritual music.—Ohio State Journal.

The Worst to Come.

The Passenger—Say, can't you drive a little more carefully? When you plunged into that ravine you nearly broke my neck.

The Jehu—I am driving carefully. Unless I kinder trained you up to stand the stretch of road we are coming to, you might want to break my neck.

Squared.

"By George, Tom, have you been in a fight?"

"No, I just met an old school chum of mine I used to lick when we were kids and he paid me a debt he's been owing me a long time."

The Wise One.

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EVIDENTLY HAD LOST SAVOR

Soldier's Insinuation Was That Meat Had Been Long in British Army Commissariat.

"Any complaint?" asked the British orderly officer of some men who were about to begin dinner in a certain barrack room.

"Yes, sir," instantly exclaimed a raw recruit; "the beef an' bacon in this ere Irish 'ash ain't fit for the likes of us to eat, an' I wish to report it."

The doctor was sent for to inspect the food.

"So you think this meat isn't fit for a man in your position to eat?" said he. "Allow me to tell you that greater men than ever you will be have eaten it. Even the commander in chief wasn't above eating it in the Crimea, and made many a hearty meal of it."

"Oh, did 'e?" said our over-nice recruit.

"Yes, he did," replied the surgeon.

"Oh, well," retorted the man, "it was all very well for the commander in chief, 'cause the meat would be fresh an' good then. You see, sir, it's a long time since that 'ere Crimea job, and it can't be expected to keep good all these years."

Cold Light.

Rare atmospheric gas known as neon, which was first isolated in 1898 by fractional distillation of liquid air, is now used successfully in electric lighting. If a mild electric current passes through a tube that contains a minute quantity of neon, it produces a golden light that is soft and agreeable to the eyes, and makes the object it illumines stand out with remarkable sharpness. The neon tubes require less current than the mercury-vapor lamp and give out less heat than any other form of electric light. Moreover, the electric current disintegrates the new gas very slowly; the tubes will produce light for from eight hundred to a thousand hours without being renewed. Recently four neon tubes, nearly 120 feet long, were successfully used to light an exhibit at the Grand Palais in Paris.

His Managers.

"Can I return this necktie if its style, color and cost do not meet with the approval of the board of directors?" asked the little man of the clerk at the haberdashery counter.

"I suppose so, but tell me please, who are the board of directors?"

"My wife and daughters. I might add also that they are the auditing bureau and the committee on style."

Honest Advice.

"Would you advise a young man to go into Wall street?" asked a friend of a successful broker.

"Yes," replied the broker, "I would. I have often advised rich young men to do that very thing. In fact, that's how I got my money."

The fool hen cackles joyously over the egg that may be destined to furnish some man with an omelet.

Suspicions are often worse than facts.

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THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Oct. 11, 1914.

Heavy fighting near Soissons.

German attacks in Craonne region repulsed.

Allies won in the center.

Montenegrins defeated Austrians near Kalenovitch.

Russians swept through Bukowina.

Austrians rushed help to Przemysl.

French fleet sank two Austrian torpedo boats.

German aviators killed three in Paris with bombs.

Japanese aviators dropped bombs in Tsingtau.

Russian cruiser Pallada torpedoed and sunk in Baltic.

Oct. 12, 1914.

Germans occupied Ghent.

Belgian government moved to Havre, France.

Battles at Lasigny and Lens.

Cavalry fighting near Lille.

Russians abandoned siege of Przemysl and retreated from Galicia.

Six more bombs dropped on Paris.

Oct. 13, 1914.

Germans moved on Ostend and Bruges.

Lille, Hazebrouck and Ypres occupied by Germans.

Fierce fighting at Dixmude, General von Kluck trying to turn allie' left wing.

Germans made dash for Warsaw.

Montenegrins defeated Austrians near Sarajevo.

Detachment of Boers under Colonel Maritz rebelled and martial law was proclaimed throughout South Africa.

French routed German aviators near Paris.

Oct. 14, 1914.

Belgian army left Ostend and joined allies in the field.

Allies reocupied Ypres and French gained near the border.

German battalion trapped in canal in Lorraine.

Germans occupied Bruges.

Germans recaptured Lyck but advance on Warsaw was repulsed by Russians.

Russians in Galicia driven back.

Serbians beaten back in Bosnia.

Cossacks brought down a Zeppelin near Warsaw.

Oct. 15, 1914.

Germans took Ostend and Blankenberghe on the North sea, and Thielt, Daume and Esschen.

Allies retook Estaire.

French recaptured Altkirch and Muelhausen.

German convoy taken by the French.

Colonel Brits' force in South Africa captured 80 rebel Boers: General Botha took the field.

British cruiser Yarmouth sunk German liner Markomannia.

Oct. 16, 1914.

Germans occupied Zeebrugge.

First battle of Ypres began.

Re-enforced allied north wing swung in on Lille and retook Armentieres.

Attempt of Germans to reach Dunkirk checked.

Germans at St. Mihiel forced back toward Alsatian border.

German-Austrian forces assumed the offensive between the Vistula and Galicia.

Serbs and Montenegrins defeated Austrians at Glasinatz.

British cruiser Hawke sunk by German submarine.

British and Japanese warships bombarded Tsingtau fort.

Life of Big Guns.

Guns with a bore of 12 inches or more can only fire 90 full charges. They are then considered to be worn out, and have to be sent to the foundry to have a new core inserted.

The Sign.

"I wonder if the chestnut crop will be good this year?"

"You can generally tell that by the fish stories."

Modern Life.

"Formerly a girl took pride in accumulating linen for her chest."

"Well?"

"Now she collects a lot of graphophone records."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

More Laws.

"Why can't I come to see you tomorrow night?"

"Don't blame me," said the beautiful girl. "Our cook has the use of the parlor under the new domestic relations law."

On Second Thought.

"Those men for whom you failed to get government positions were rather indignant."

"Only for a little while," replied Senator Sorghum. "Since they found how much more they can make in private employment they're honestly grateful."

The Way of It.

"Miss Gladys has a way of getting presents of diamond rings."

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"Say, old pal," he remarked hilariously, punching a cop in the ribs, "don't that just beat all?"

"Don't what beat all?" responded the wondering cop. "What's the joke?"

"Just look at that feller on that wagon!" replied the alfalfa party, pointing to the sprinkler. "That derned chump won't have a drop of water left by the time he gets home!"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Evidently Well Cared For.

During the progress of the morning bath of a few months' old infant a neighbor's little girl came into the room carrying a doll, and stood watching the operation for some time. The little girl's doll was much the worse for hard usage, being minus an arm and a leg. Finally she said to the mother of the child:

"How long have you had your baby?"

The child was informed, and, looking from her doll to the baby, she said:

"My, but you have kept it nice!"

The Obstacle.

"Wouldn't you like to sit in a gentlemen's game?" insinuated a shifty eyed casual acquaintance.

"Naw!" grimly replied Sandstorm Smith of Rampage, Okla., who is temporarily in our midst. "I'm no gentleman!"—Judge.

Perturbed Homes.

"My wife has the uplift fever."

"I ain't any better off than you are. Mine has fits."

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ELOQUENCE THAT WAS LOST

Woman With Grievance Had Expressed Herself Well, But Hers Was a Wasted Effort.

Determination writ large upon her angry countenance, the mother of the child who had been bitten by an Irish terrier belonging to a neighbor (Mrs. Green) gave an authoritative "rat-tat" with the knocker at Mrs. Green's door.

The door was opened by a meek-looking, elderly woman, and the vials of the mother's wrat burst forth.

"You're Mrs. Green, I s'pose," she sneered. "Green by name an' green by natur', I should call you, to keep a feroshus animile like that there Irish terrier-torial o' yourn, a-bitin' of innercent children an' terrerizing the whole neighborhood. I'll have the law on you! I'll make you pay! D'you hear? I'll sue you for damages and 'ave that 'orrible dog shot by Act of Parlyment, I will!"

Then, as she paused for a moment for breath, the old woman took a slate and pencil, and said, in a mildly apologetic tone:

"Very sorry, mum; but would you mind writin' it all down? I'm stone deaf."—London Answers.

Who She Was.

He was a new clerk in the store, and was completely flustered when confronted by a frilly, fluffy young woman whose beauty so dazzled him that he allowed her to buy a large bill of dry goods and depart after ordering the purchase charged to her, but without giving her name.

"Whom are you going to charge those goods to?" asked the department manager. "What was her name?"

"Why, Miss, Miss, Miss—" stammered the clerk, as he scratched his head.

"Just miscellaneous, I guess," the boss cut in sarcastically.

Evenly Matched.

"You haven't any serious or organic trouble," said the young physician cheerfully.

"You are a little nervous and run down, that's all. Take more exercise, eat less and forgot your troubles."

The hypochondriac snorted.

"Young man," he demanded, his voice shaking, "how long have you been a doctor?"

"I took my degree three years ago," answered the medico.

"And I am an invalid of twenty-five years' experience. Who are you to disagree with me?"—Brooklyn Eagle.

No Optimist.

"I'm sorry, ma'am, but I've got to give you my week's notice."

"Why, Mary, you surprise me. Do you expect to better yourself?"

"Well, not exactly, ma'am, but I'm going to get married."

Logical.

"Do you know, I think Dick acts rather bashful when he's with you?"

"Maybe so, but you should see him when we are where no one can see us."

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Where War Is Not Hell.

Chatty Neighbor—I suppose you don't stand for any war arguments among your boarders?

Boarding-House Mistress—Oh, yes. You see, our biggest eater gets so interested that he forgets to eat and our next biggest eater gets so mad that he leaves before the meal is half over.—Puck.

Friend Wife's Idea.

"What's the pitcher doing now?"

"He's warming up for the game?"

"But he's throwing the ball."

"Well! Well! That's warming up."

"Oh, dear! I thought a pitcher had to keep cool to win a game."

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His Chief End in Life.

Ther was once a rich but very mean old lady, says Answers, who paid her servants as little as possible, and kept very few.

One of her staff was a thin, miserable-looking lad of twelve, who answered the door, did the knives and the windows, waited at table, weeded the garden, washed the poodle, and had the rest of the time to himself.

One visitor asked him:

"Well, my boy, and what do you do here?"

"I do a butler and a gardener out of a job!" snapped the lad sourly.

Its Nature.

"I hear a queer noise in this room like a muffled clock."

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