

**Industrious Danish Children.**  
The children of Denmark are taught knit when but five years old. Even the public schools this is quite an institution, although the private schools made it an absolute rule, one hour each day being given to that industry. The same rule applies in the home, one hour being devoted daily either to sewing, knitting, crocheting, embroidery or lacemaking. Nor is this considered sufficient; the young woman of the family is supposed never to be idle, she must always have something on hand to be taken up. If a chance visitor comes in, or a friend arrives for the day, both have their needlework with them.—Woman's Home Companion.

Poet-Lore chronicles the following examples of "wisdom" from the mouths of babes struggling with examination papers: "A caesura (in verse) is when a foot has more than two halves;" "One semibreve equals two minims, and one croquet four semiskows;" "a palimpsest is a disease among cattle in South Africa;" and "an optimist is a man who looks after your eyes, and a pessimist is a man who looks after your feet."

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—Chelsea (Mass.) Gazette.

**A Proper Definition.**  
"Papa, what is a diplomatist?"  
"Any man, my son, whose wife respects him."—Life.

**Repliates the Allegation.**  
Playmate—"Aw, say! you know too much!"  
Tommy (indignantly)—"Don't know no more'n you do! Now?"—San Francisco Bulletin.

**Homely!**  
Bennet—"Did you ever know anyone so homely?"  
Nearpass—"Hardly! Why, she is so homely that automobile goggles are actually becoming to her!"—Puck.

**Mental Exercise.**  
Berence—"What is the nature of this brain work Cholly has undertaken?"  
Hortense—"He has made his valet take a back seat and he thinks for himself what suits he will wear each day."—Smart Set.

**Beginning to Feel at Home.**  
Senior Partner—"I think this new clerk is getting used to our ways, don't you?"  
Junior Partner—"I think so. He was twenty minutes late this morning."—Town and Country.

**Troubles of the Rich.**  
Mrs. Cobwigger—"I suppose you find your social duties much more onerous since you became so rich?"  
Mrs. Parvenue—"Yes, indeed, my dear. I have had to cultivate an entirely new set of acquaintances."—Judge.

**The Only Way.**  
"Ah, Reginald, dearest," she sighed, "but how can I be sure that you will not grow weary of me after we have been married a little while?"  
"I don't know," he answered, "unless we get married and see."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Not Such a Bad Guess.



"Dey say he wuz born wid a silver spoon in his mouth."  
"It must a' been a tablespoon."—St. Louis Star.

**A Gentlemanly Guess.**  
"Alfonso," said Mrs. Midas, "here is a heading in this paper that says, 'Had One Wife Too Many.' The rest of the article is torn off. How many wives do you think the brute had?"  
"One, probably," was the other brute's reply.—Tit-Bits.

**Out of Sight.**  
Mrs. Drowsie—"Your clothes are getting quite shabby, my dear."  
Rev. Dr. Drowsie—"Yes, but (loftily) when I ascend the pulpit and begin to talk they don't notice my clothes."  
Mrs. Drowsie—"No, they all have their eyes closed then."—Town and Country.

**His Apprehension.**  
Lady—"Well, but judging by your face I should hardly say you were a person I should care to give alms to."  
Beggard—"Excuse me, lady, you're laborin' under a delusion. What you're takin' notice of is due to these 'ere cheap soaps we pore people is obliged to use."—Punch.

**The Black Band.**  
Bobby—"Mother, what's that black band around Mr. Jenks' arm for?"  
Mother—"Hush, dear; he might hear you. Mrs. Jenks is dead; that is a sign of mourning."  
Bobby—"Oh! I thought p'raps it was to keep the caterpillars from crawling up!"—Judge.

**His Hesitancy.**  
"There is another application for you to give something to a very worthy enterprise," said the Congressman's wife.  
"Well, it's a hard matter to decide," he answered. "If I don't give, my constituents will consider me ungracious. And if I do, they will think I am luxuriating here in Washington, with nothing to do but waste money."—Washington Star.

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