When the cry goes out - "The war has started.", rest assured, somewhere the fun has begun.

In a galaxy just south of here
there's a religion that says
after you die even if you "go to the bad place"
you can still get out if you know how to
"Hot-wire dead excuses."

For his first declaration
this one kid stood and said,
"The biggest problem with ritual
is its repetition."

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For most people
there are too many things to think about;
at least "all at once";
at least in "one life time";
at least that's what they say...
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A fellow over in the Third Ward

(perhaps doing apprenticeship as a sore head)

says he's decided life's not all that bad

except for the more cumbersome aspects of its spatial nature.

Just after noon,

while passing through that area over in the City park

that seems now irreversibly home-steaded by would-be

public speakers and social commentators,

I was privy to one man unrolling his own private soap box,

triumphantly surmounting same,

and with several introductory, though off-the-rack gestures,

declared as follows to the ad hoc assembly,

"Thank you for this important opportunity;

what I wish to say is this:

The pump that nourishes the creative juices of man

runs off the sweat of the chemical brow of electricity."

And a piece of an officer standing next to me said,

"That reminds me."

All along the bustling borders, forever were men's minds glued.

A gentleman with several initials to his name
faxed me this overnight message, he says,

"If I were to abandon my regular

'Pro-and/or-Con' thinking

then what would I have left to think about?" — Why Sir,

actually for the
first time
any and every thing

Over in a near by City
the bureaucrats decided to license metaphysical poets,
but it didn't work out;
If you can't figure out why - you're one of them.

Anything that can happen in a 3-D world will be three dimensional; men may dream of it being more, or being less, but it will still occur three dimensionally.

One guy called his local authorities and said,
"I know it'll go easier on me
so I've decided to 'come clean'."

Second Version: A guy calls his local authorities and says,

"I know it'll go easier on me so so I've decided to 'come clean' - Guess who!"

Once you've made a little path, why stay on the cold side of the hill?

In the continuing conflict between the

two major secondary powers

the ultimate victor will, (as few forsee), be
the speech writers.

The optimum design would have one knob for every function.

"Dear and wise Papa", shmoozed the little kid,

"Pray tell, why does not history have a gender?",

"Ahhh", replied the elder,

"An intriguing query indeed.....but just think <u>IF</u> it did

what those rowdies down at
the pool hall'd do to it."

A man without mirrors needs no reflection.

Another well scrubbed viewer writes

to say that he believes it's true,

(in a parenthetical aside he admits

he just thinks it SHOULD be true,

but wants us to let it go at that),

that he believes it's true that the world

is divided into two groups:"Those who've never heard of Kyroots,

and those who don't want to."

If the world wasn't polarized it wouldn't be funny.

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The man said,

"None can be safe until all are safe;

none can be full until all are full;

none can be happy until all are happy...",

he went on in this manner for another fifty-seven years,

repeating himself only twice, only twice, only twice, only twice...
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Conversational Mambo Fragment Number Nine:

"On this one world I heard about people have to forget something to remember something new."

"Say, where is this world?"

"Hey, don't ask ME!"

Obviously taking a lesson from the recent unpleasantness
I recounted,
when it came his time to perform at the King's Cultural Fest
this fellow came center stage and said,
"And now I - yours most truly - would like to,
in a manner most decidedly <u>UN</u>-metaphorical,
speak to you directly, and in some detail on the matter of sex..";
His Grace leaned over to a guard and said, "Shoot him too."

I received a post card from a gent
who confides that he has been
experiencing sudden bouts of wanting to be
"completely honest", though
he admits he has no idea what it means,
or how to do it.

It is to your own subversive benefit to remember that ideas $\underline{\text{too}}$, must eat.

When one guy discovered that he could "do otherwise" he was so stunned...or disheartened...or enthused that he mostly forgot to do it.

On a "pushing-at-the-red-end" planet
they are so up-front in their
recognition of underground, primary streams
still nourishing the anxious trees of civilized life,
they have but one highway law and sign,
which simply says — "Yield To Superior Force."

The daily attempt to

"get things firmly wrapped up"

is one cause of many men later in life

wearing flannel bathrobes.

Regarding overall intellectual activity,
this one man said his enthusiasm for such WAS such
that with very little effort he could
"Easily whip himself into a stupor."

Attention all poets and mystics; The "Song Of Life" is the sound of blood.

A guy with half a hat announced,

"My fearless predictions are as follows;

'I didn't do it.', and

'Do you have it in writing?'"

One day over by the king's Outlet Store a bunch of guys got together.

The street corner orator reached a crescendo by declaring,

"When, oh when I say,
is man more god-like
than when passing righteous and indignant judgment?"

And a fellow in the crowd gripped his head,
stepped aside and said, "Owww, I just don't wanna think about it."

At a City soiree

I met a young chap who claims for illustrious ancestors
famous people who haven't been born yet................who's to
complain?

Math question of the day: Which is greater?, the number of thoughts, or the number of people thinking them?

And still another member of our vast viewing audience writes as follows, "Dear Mr. K.:

Death is <u>not</u> the final indignity so long as there's any chance someone will do a biography of you.

After hearing of the many cities that
set aside public areas wherein citizens could
go and say anything they liked,
this one, somewhat more reticent metropolis
established their own version
whereat the people could go, fully prepared to HEAR
anything they wished.

...(At some future date
 they may consider
 permitting speaking.)

One guy guessed, "Most of what everyone knows they made up.", and his partner thought, "Good, very good and getting better, but got ONE wrong word in there."

After his first good exposure to ordinary religious ideas this one little kid rushed in the house and said, "Just think Pop, in heaven EVERYbody's wish will be granted."; the ole man shuddered and thought, "Won't THAT be the final chapter dipped in shit."

If men could think about more they'll laugh about more.