

...and Kyroot said:

When life becomes simultaneous, it comes alive.

...and Kyroot said:

In finite lands, the battles now being fought are already well remembered.

...and Kyroot said:

Faking the profitable IS profitable.

...and Kyroot said:

The mayor made this official proclamation:

"We are now faced with our most formidable opponent — GENES!"

(Of those who heard this:

Some were rendered temporarily immobile,

Some took a long week end,

And some others said they weren't all that surprised.)

...and Kyroot said:

Not only IS there no explaining, or defending taste — only a dunce tries.

...and Kyroot said:

According to one man's prospectus: "Being '*humbly erudite*' is having the wherewithal
Not to say 'wherewithal'
When you could say, 'ability'."

...and Kyroot said:

An enjoyable, private vice -
That has become a public topic -
Has eaten prunes.

...and Kyroot said:

Medical News For Those With No Fuse: Irritable gears in city carousels can
Cause horses to suck on certain root juices
That will allow them to turn violent
Toward the trees, and any near-by woodworkers.

...(A doctor with a recent disbarment to his credit,
Suspects that as abstruse as this may
At first blush sound,
That it has quite specific pertinence to
Three-Dlife's self-performing taste for
All manner of drugs and aggression.
-- [Hey, give that man back his license.])

...and Kyroot said:

A man who says he watches our show with his clothes on,
Sends us another suggestion for a new program name,
"The Most Fun You Can Have With A Closed Mind."

(In a seperate envelope he later sent along this follow up:
"If my first name suggestion was too long, how about:
*'The Most Fun You Can Have With A Closed Mind
Without Hurting Your Face Real Bad'.*")

...and Kyroot said:

As he watched the moving van roll off the road
For the fifth time in the last five miles,
He sang to himself, his favorite song;
"There's Just No Getting Over Me."

...and Kyroot said:

There was once a small band who refered to their secondary reality as,
"Now You See It - Now You Don't."

...and Kyroot said:

The Seven O'Clock Quiz Show: What's the use in knowing someone smarter than yourself
If you never ask them a question?

The Seven-Thirty' Show: "Hello, myself;
I'd like to introduce you to me, and my good friend,
Life-With-An-Opening-In-It-Right-Here."
(*"Well, my, my -- how in the world are you."*)

...and Kyroot said:

Heroes are genes¹ attempt to carry-on.

...and Kyroot said:

On a note,
He kept,
In a drawer,
In a table,
By his bed,
This one king had writ,

"Remember: Bladder-control before dignity."

(The local god laughed at this
Inasmuch as he wasn't bound by native sequence;
[And further on up the line,
Someone else scoffed at him.])

...and Kyroot said:

All forms of patriotism - especially metaphoric and literal - are expressions of anger.

(In the secondary realm,
Things are not so much *loved*.
As other things are hated.)

...and Kyroot said:

The judge,
Currently presiding in The Court Of Extremely Nasty Matters,
Issued this statement:

"A system that can cease referring to itself
Possesses the possibility of ceasing to be a set system."

(One clerk's neural structure became so excited by this idea
That he wanted to ask a question — But he knew that the judge didn't
"Play that shit".)

...and Kyroot said:

Apparently in response to something-or-other,

One gentleman says, "I resent being called a 'dunce'."

...(Perhaps, me thinks,

I should have said,

"Obviously" instead of, "apparently"....whaddya think?)

...and Kyroot said:

You can sort of kick around, and mistreat both the primary and secondary — but with differing results.

...and Kyroot said:

A chap writes to ask if he may use a line from a recent Kyroot

As the title of his latest book, "*Never Shoot A Man Who Has Just Taken A Laxative*".

(He suggests that if I agree to this

It could bode well for us both

Since he's never written a book before.)

...and Kyroot said:

Over in the city -

In the "Best intellectual tradition" -

One guy "Made a determination"!!!

...and Kyroot said:

The closing speaker at the Conventionaires' Convention had this to say:

"It would seem to me personally,

That if we - collectively - do all that is possible for us TO do,

Then we can accomplish all that which people like us can do."

(The resounding response would have been even greater

Were it possible to more easily applaud while

Holding the hands of the people next to you.)

...and in an item having no genetic connection to others:

One voice said: "I'm tired of being like everyone else.",

And his second expression replied: "Hell! - I'm tired of BEING everyone else."

...and Kyroot said:

A Sentence: *"Face it kid,
Some ordinary emotions are not even IN the revolutionist's dictionary."*

...and Kyroot said:

After hearing it said that you could, "rust away",
He ran right out and repainted himself.

(In a neighboring galaxy
Is a tattoo parlor that does
Only prose - no pictures -
And *specializes* in sarcasm;
They once offered to sponsor a
Show over there, similar to this;
Just because someone's in another system;
Doesn't mean they know any more what they're doing
Than do your locals.)

In an unrelated mileage dispute, arose this comment:
"I personally, shall NOT be impacted by ANY idea,
No matter HOW significant,
Unless it comes from far away."
(Now this is pertinent for any who can ask themselves;
"Say, Bub, how far from here-to-me?"
...[Yes, Lambkins: Close thoughts CAN be claustrophobic].)

...and Kyroot said:

Before he started watching our show
One man said he was never quite sure "what to think",
But NOW - NOW, he says he's not quite sure HOW to think.

...(He adds that he won't bother to thank me, "*just yet.*")

...and Kyroot said:

"Serious" proverbs are the way cheap tyrants attempt to drug the people.

(And, "Hey!" - it works;
The welcome mat is always out for
Self-induced intoxication..

...[*They made me do it,
I made me do it;
There ain't nuthin' to it,
Cause we're
All gonna do it.*])

...and Kyroot said:

One guy told his partner,
"Hey! - it's over;
Even if you stick around
You ain't my partner any more."

...and Kyroot said:

The misty looking traveler asked the local craftsman,

"I see, kind sir, that you have leather and a iace:

Why do you not make some shoes.",

And the man replied, "Because I am a baker."

The visitor staggered for just the slightest moment - recovered, and replied,

"Ahh, by any chance have any of YOUR officials said anything lately

Regarding the matter of genetics, also?"

...and Kyroot said:

A man with different views smells funny.

...and Kyroot said:

In his own head,
One guy started his own quiz show,
He called it, "Whaddya Think?",
But it flopped,
No one ever showed up.

...and Kyroot said:

When he would REALLY get mad,

This one reality would hold his breath until EVERYbody died.

...and Kyroot said:

One chap in a reality-sequence opined,

"It's darn difficult for threes to get a good fix on fours — darn difficult."

...and Kyroot said:

The difference bewteen being *intellectually-profane*, and being "insulting"
Is never readily grasped by the insulting.

...and Kyroot said:

By continually, "*Stretching the limits of expectations*",
He was gradually able to, "*Pull the tights of possibilities*"
Up over his, "*Fatty thighs of opinonated certainty*".

...(And a viewer writes:

"With poetry like this - who needs germ warfare!")

...and Kyroot said:

One way to handle useless action is to supercharge it.

...and Kyroot said:

From within the heart of contemporary city life, comes one man's conclusion:
"After weighing all of the material, possibilities, and suspicions,
I believe '*The truth*' to reside in three words."

...and Kyroot said:

One kid asked his ole man,
"Why is it - correctly or not - that I feel you have treated me unfairly?",
And the larger of the two replied, "Probably for whatever reason you might imagine."

...and Kyroot said:

One part of one guy's brain was older than others.

(I don't suppose this has any connection to that last kind of Kyroot....)

...and Kyroot said:

Asking for everyone's attention,

The man stood in the rear of the bus and said,

"It would seem to me,

In my humble opinon,

That if you extracted the aggression from

All religions and political regimes

All that would remain would be men dressed up in funny suits.";

And a lady, about half way up the aisle, with a bag of squashes turned and asked,

"What about philosophical systems?",

And he replied,

"Hey lady, who tha' hell I look like?!! - If I was Schopenhauer you think I'd be down
To ridin' public transportation
With the likes of you!"

...and Kyroot said:

No medicine's any good if you can keep it down.

...and Kyroot said:

Proudly displaying his new Turnip Enhancer,
He says that he and his brother watch our show,
And take turns thinking that it's either "Too complex," or that it's "Too silly"
(He says that next week it's his turn.)

...and Kyroot said:

If you're *popular* you don't have to REFER to yourself.

(And someone wonders whether this has anything
In kinship to the earlier item about the judge
And his finding regarding the fixed limits of stable systems.)

...and Kyroot said:

One fellow says that although he can't afford to "Move, just now",
He HAS decided to temporarily abandon the upstairs,
And go down to the basement where he says it's, "More interesting; W-e-l-l, at least,
different."

...and Kyroot said:

In a clear display of undisputable fairness,
This one reality said to a would-be, local leader,
"I'll debate it with you just as long as you like — and THEN I'll kill you."

...and a viewer writes:

"Your stories and comments so often refer to killing
That I begin to wonder if you're actually planning to
Either start a new religion, or open a mortuary."

...and Kyroot said:

In man's ordinary intellectual world,
Everything's based on understanding,
And understanding doesn't exist there — Neat, huh?!

...and Kyroot said:

One *city-mind*, (or is that, "one *mental-city*"? you know how easy it is to confuse the two),
Says,

"Having a *Great Tradition* can be a REAL time-saver."

...and Kyroot said:

One breath told one movement,
"Forget the modifiers,
There's only one experience — The human one."

...(In an unrelated fashion note;
The collective wraps its thoughts in
Adjectives and adverbs,
The better to protect them from the old,
You-know-whats.)

...and Kyroot said:

One chap's self-authored "Instruction Manual", says, on page two: "The only *good* circuit is a
Short circuit."

...and Kyroot said:

Once the professor learned that the university would no longer
Furnish the faculty with an Intellectual Clothing Allowance
He never returned to classes.

...and Kyroot said:

Hoisting his glass high in the shimmering, mystical light of the neon signs,
The guy at the middle of the bar sighed this rejoice just as he prepared to drink:
"Ahhh! - *mixed-metaphors!* -- The only way to go."

...and Kyroot said:

GREAT ideas leave town.

Hey! -- that's FOUR words!

...and Kyroot said:

The Culture Commander gave this pop-quiz in recognition of
All those who already think they "Know too much":

Why don't alligators wear socks?

Because the last time they did,

Their fashion selection was met with such ridicule

That they collectively decided - "Hey! - who needs this grief!"

...and Kyroot said:

For civilians: It's R-E-A-L hard to think of neat, new stuff while you're at home.

...and Kyroot said:

To further clarify his position, he said,
"If all of the words in the dictionary were NOT related
You wouldn't have to number the pages,
Now would you."

...and Kyroot said:

General schematic of the nervous system's automatic drive to change:

Everyone wants to beat-up-on-themselves,

But no one wants to be responsible for a felony.

...and a listener responds:

"I must take exception to that last remark,
For I believe that people WOULD take responsibility for changing themselves
If they just *knew* how to go about it."

(In instances where the ordinary neural patterns
See that one thing might be possible
If another one first occurs,
The unruly, individual intellect
Might see them as coevally, synonymous.)

...Unrelated colateral from you-know-where:

You can't hold a revolution in a crowd.

...and Kyroot said:

In a final. desperate, all-out, "*pulling-together-of-his-muster*",
This one man semi-decided that,
"Anger towards stupidity carries with it
The inherent risk of unintentional suicide."

...and Kyroot said:

On *little-bitty* slips of paper,
This one man would write down *little-bitty* thoughts;
His wife called him the *Little-Bitty-Man*.

...and Kyroot said:

One new religious group believes that "Heaven" will be a place
Where you can" Ride a bus and STILL never think-about-yourself".

...and Kyroot said:

No matter what kinds of negative things might be said about them,
At least one good thing about opinons is that they'll share, and "take turns".

...and Kyroot said:

The city's Department Of Vehicle Registration recieved this card from
Someone on vacation:

"My brother says that people with 'short intestines'
Have a short attention span."

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...and Kyroot said:

The rebel synapse mentioned to several little dendrites,
"I know you won't lose sight of the fact that '*Being human*'
Is still one of the PERFORMING arts."

...and Kyroot said:

In a totally unexpected move,
This one reality placed a sign over the entrance to its business which said,
"This Ain't No Business."

...and Kyroot said:

One god told a guy:

"Hey - YOU can call me at my PRIVATE number: 555-67431.",

And the guy said, "But that's one too many numbers.",

And he replied, "Hey! - I'm a GOD!"

(And in our audience, a listener reacted,

"Wow - some guys'll NEVER learn.",

And his partner asked, "How many guys is that?",

And he replied, "Five billion and one.",

Partner: "But that's one too many numbers.",

Guy: "You forget to count yourself.")

...and Kyroot said:

Our, *Immortal Wisdom For The Day*: Finding, "The truth" in a book
Is akin to discovering that the bad smell
Is not emanating from you.

...and Kyroot said:

We received a letter,
And even drawing upon the full resources of
The Kyrootian Society And Car Wash,
To which we have yet to respond;

So, I present it to you here, and invite you to join us in pondering the matter:
A viewer says he believes our program would be more popular
If I would talk more about things that people are naturally interested in.

...and Kyroot said:

Another city conversation, overheard,(at great inconvenience to all involed, I might add):
First guy says: "I hear they can now take actual photographs of the brain.",
And the second guy's mind blushed.

...and Kyroot said:

A kind of, *Short History Of The City's Version Of The Revolution:*
When men don't know what is BASICALLY going-on,
They're inclined to act as though they "know"
In some kind of weird, *fancy-ancy* way.

...and Kyroot said:

And finally - A Brief History OF The Revolution:

First Voice says: "I can't help the land I inherited, but I can work on the house.";

SecondVoice says: "You ever hear of agriculture?"