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前　　言

本书精选 100 篇英汉对照幽默讽刺小故事。这些故事幽默风趣,短小精悍,寓教于乐,富有哲理,读后令人忍俊不禁。

阅读,在英语学习中是非常重要的。为了给广大读者在紧张的学习、工作之余提供一本可读性较强的英语读物,使他们得以在轻松愉快的气氛中巩固已学词汇,培养阅读能力,增强学英语的兴趣,我们特邀请了著名漫画家朱森林先生为本书配上幽默风趣的插图。同时在每篇小品后编有阅读理解题,供读者使用。书后列有词汇表和练习答案。

总之,阅读一些短小精悍、幽默风趣的小品是提高英语水平的一种很有效的方法。

由于水平有限,不妥之处恳请读者批评指正。

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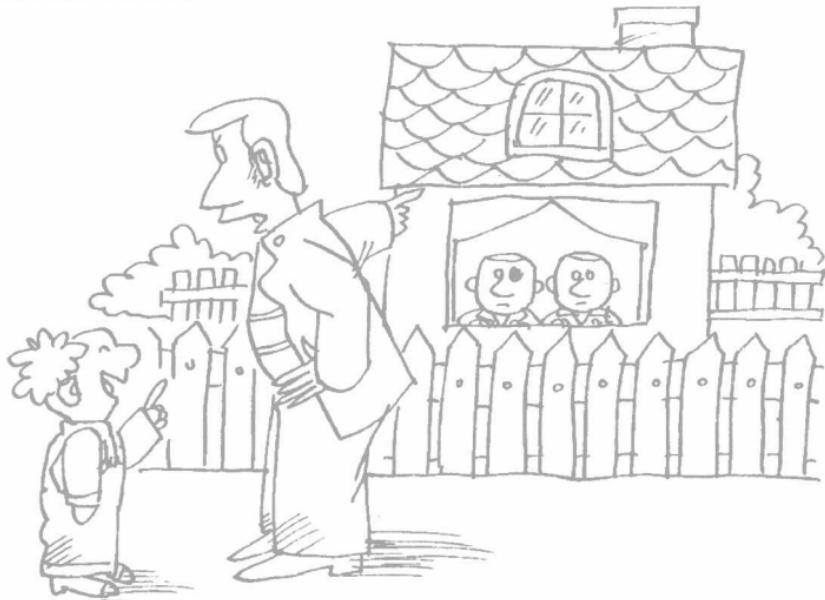
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Is It a Good Way?

Tom: Willie, I hear you've been fighting with one of those
boys next door and have given him a black eye.

Willie: Yes, Tom. You see, they are twins and I wanted
some way to tell them apart.

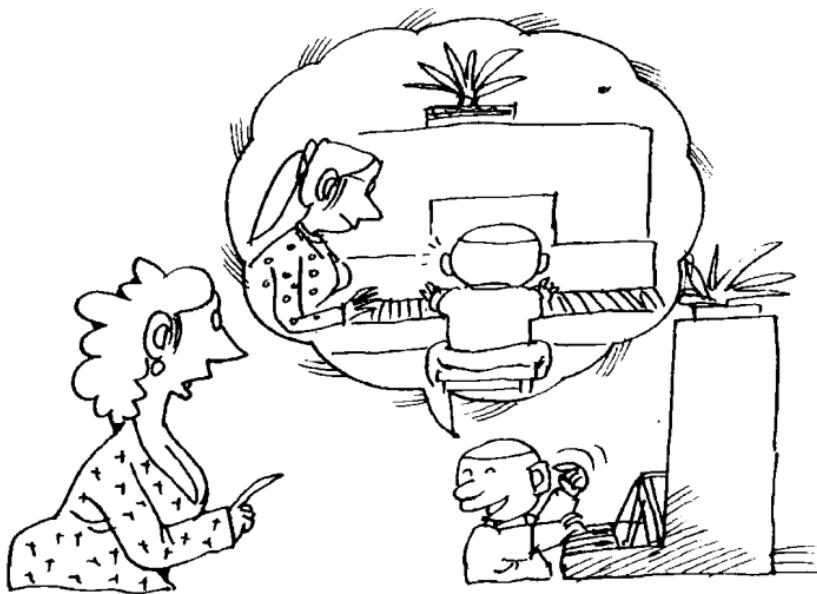
是好办法吗？

汤姆：威利，我听说你一直在和隔壁家的一个男孩打架，并且还把他的眼睛打青了。

威利：是的，汤姆，你知道他们俩是双胞胎，我想找个办法区分他们。

根据对话内容判断 T or F：

- () 1) Tom and Willie are twins.
- () 2) Willie gave one of the twins a black eye.



An Interesting Boy

The piano teacher was expected any minute, and William was preparing to take his lesson.

"Did you wash your hands?" inquired mother.

"Yes."

"And your face?"

"Yes, mother."

"And did you wash behind your ears?"

“On her side I did, mother.”

一位有趣儿的男孩儿

钢琴课教师马上就要来了，威廉正准备好上课。

“你洗手了吗？”妈妈问道。

“洗了。”

“脸洗了吗？”

“洗了，妈妈。”

“耳朵后面也洗了吗？”

“靠近她的那边洗了，妈妈。”

根据短文内容回答问题：

- 1) What is William going to learn?
- 2) Did William wash behind both of his ears?



Mr. Jenkins' Nose

A few years ago a gentleman who had lost his nose was invited out to tea. "My dear," said the old lady of the tea house to her little daughter, "I want you to be very careful and make no remarks about Mr. Jenkins' nose."

Gathered around the table, everything was going well; the child peeped about, looking rather puzzled, and at last startled the table: "Ma, why did you tell me to say nothing