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HUMOUR : Doctor: "Have you told Mr. Knusli that he is the father of twins? "
Nurse : "No, not yet, he is just having a shave."

"Are you married, and have you any family?"
"Yes, I have a son. He does not smoke nor drink nor does he flirt or go out at night."
"Marvellous! How old is he?"
"Seven months."

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