

It's a case for
Detective Sergeant Factual

"The facts ma'am, just the facts"

*To the reader: Answer the questions based on the poem only.
If the poem does not tell us, circle the (?). Consider the statements in
the poem as true.*

Ooey-Gooley

Ooey Gooley was a worm,
A handsome worm was he,
He sat upon a railroad track,
The train he did not see.
Ooey Gooley

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| 1. | Ooey Gooley was a worm. | T | F | ? |
| 2. | The poem called the worm ugly. | T | F | ? |
| 3. | Ooey Gooley was sunning himself while he sat on the railroad track. | T | F | ? |
| 4. | The worm was blind | T | F | ? |
| 5. | The train ran over Ooey Gooley | T | F | ? |
| 6. | The train was traveling very fast. | T | F | ? |

1. True
2. False. Ooey Gooley was described as a handsome worm
3. (?) We don't know why he was doing something so dangerous as to sit on a railroad track.
4. (?) The poem does not tell us why he did not see the train
5. (?) We do not know from the poem if the train ran over the worm
6. (?) Nothing was said in the poem about the train's speed