The Chief of Police was on TV.

She reported that a convict had just escaped from jail.

She said that he just flew the coop and disappeared.

She warned the viewers that he might be hiding in the suburbs.

She explained that he had to be put back into his cell.

At the end of the interview, she said that this bird still had to serve ten years.

She asked that any sightings of him would be reported immediately.

Alice dreamt she got married.

In the dream, her husband never spent much time with her and the kids.

She dreamt that he was very cold to them.

She was shocked that he remained uncaring even after they became grandparents.

She dreamt that he didn’t even change when their grandson was born.

In fact, she remembered saying in the dream that the icebox did not even know his grandchild’s name.

At the end of the dream, she finally divorced him.

Sandra needed an operation.

She was not sure about the surgeon at the local hospital.

She heard he had the reputation of treating his patients like meat.

She then read reviews saying that he dealt with patients unkindly with no regard for their feelings.

She was dismayed to read that he made some patients afraid he would cut them in the wrong places.

At the end, she said that this butcher will not lay a hand on her.

She decided to find another surgeon.

Mary took a trip to a local car dealership.

She was immediately approached by a big and pushy salesperson.

She thought that he was aggressive and unpleasant.

She felt that he harassed her with his repetitive sales pitch.

She was dismayed that he completely disregarded her questions.

With anger, she told the manager that this bulldozer was certainly not getting her business.

She eventually bought a car from the dealership on the other side of town.

Peter had to take over his former colleague’s office.

He examined the office and found it to be extremely cluttered.

He realized that it looked bad because it was filled with trash.

He wondered if it was the most littered office in the building.

He thought that it resembled a junkyard and made the entire floor look bad.

With frustration, he told his boss that the dump was impossible to work in.

He could not bring himself near it.

The new teacher was shocked at the behavior of some of the kids.

He noticed that the big yard at school was always busy with fights.

He was surprised to see that the young children were so ferocious and mean.

He saw that they ran wild and untamed on the playground, ignoring all adults’ directions.

He thought that they seemed to have just been let out of a cage at the zoo.

At dinner, he told his family that the beasts clearly needed to be disciplined.

He however noted with dismay that nobody at the school seemed to care.

The parents of the students in the third grade met after school to discuss a problem.

They were frustrated with the new teacher.

They thought that she was far too pliable and yielding.

They did not appreciate how she stretched and bent her rules when the children challenged her authority.

They were dismayed that she was being molded by the kids’ constant demands.

At the end of the meeting, they said that the putty couldn’t have stood up to a two-year-old.

They decided to complain to the Principal.

Jenna went with a friend to see the Saturday night fights.

She read that one of the boxers scheduled for the first match had never won a fight.

She was surprised to read that he was described being weak and soft.

She was even more baffled seeing that he was fat and spongy through the middle.

She thought he looked like a wimpy ball of dough.

At the end of the fight, she told her friend that the creampuff never had a chance.

She decided to go for a drink until the second match started.

Kate went to her very first practice on the varsity basketball team.

She found the coach to be very intimidating and cruel.

She thought that he was harsh and demanding.

She soon discovered that he was a merciless ruler who suppressed all opposition to his methods.

She complained that he tortured the team with inhumanely long practice sessions.

At the end of the season she told her mom that the tyrant made the season really miserable.

The whole team prayed he would leave soon.

Betsy found a house she wanted to buy but it was too expensive.

She was put off by the owner who refused to negotiate on any detail.

She thought that he was overly stubborn and stood his ground uncompromisingly.

She was somewhat annoyed that he would not budge about the amount needed for the down payment.

She was most frustrated however that he would not move even an inch on the price.

In despair, she said that the mule would only sell on his own terms.

She finally gave up and decided to look for another house.