Philosophy's Cool Places

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sin, and the point of view for the work of Others in Philosophy

spontaneous to me. "Punch" and "Two Together: "Hegel," "Wittgen-

These further developments were stimulated by James Conant's Re-


issue of "Religion Studies in Philosophy" (1992) and reprinted in my college

issue of "Religion Studies in Philosophy," published in a special "Wittgenstein

Kierkegaard and "Wittgenstein," beginning in "Philosophy and Anthropology:"

the conception of philosophy, I have developed the connotative conception

of consciousness. Kierkegaard and Wittgenstein, to elucidate a conceptu-

al model for my aim to use in the three chapters. Through examinations

referred to the present work, I am indebted to discussions with

my teacher, but also for reasons of my debt to him as my teacher;

I have dedicated this book to the memory of Ruth Rees, not sim-

ilarly as in an aesthetic acknowledgment of the dear.

Prelace
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The originating: Some philosophers others who adopt the in question of another, think it a question of the same conception of the subject and those who think it a different one. There is, in a certain way, a difference between philosophers who want to discuss what I call a comprehensive conception of philosophy and those who take themselves to be doing in philosophy what they take themselves to be doing in the subject. The former think the subject is philosophy and the latter philosophy is the subject. The problem of philosophy, in the same way that the problem of metaphysics cannot be answered by answering the question of what is philosophy, cannot be answered by answering the question of what is the subject. The name of philosophy is not a philosophical problem.
The thought may strike us: aren't the other arts and sciences of a kind? Do we say that philosophy is concerned with giving an account of things in the same way that scientists do? Not quite. The philosophers' concerns are related to the general issues of life and thought, while the scientists are limited to particular problems. The difference between philosophy and other disciplines lies in the nature of the issues they address. In philosophy, we ask about the meaning of things. What is the meaning of life? What is the meaning of art? What is the meaning of the world? In science, we ask about the nature of things. How do molecules react? How do birds fly? How do planets orbit? In this sense, philosophy is concerned with the general issues of life and thought, while science is concerned with the specific issues of the natural world.
The problem of measuring the measure of measures is the problem of accounting for all things. We might say, "There are no other measures of any kind that can be accounted for."

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discuss. The more one knows about the context of the discussion, the more one can discover about the meaning of the speech. We are not limited to the explicit meanings of language. We can infer meanings from context, and we can infer context from meaning. In this way, we can discover meanings that are not explicit in the language itself.

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In discussing the nature of language, we also discuss the nature of meaning. Meaning is not just a matter of word choice; it is also a matter of context. The context in which a word is used can change its meaning. For example, the word "child" can mean a young human being, a young animal, or a young plant. The context in which the word is used determines its meaning.

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In discussing the nature of meaning, we also discuss the nature of authorship. Authorship is not just a matter of who wrote the words; it is also a matter of who understands the words. The context in which a word is understood can change its meaning. For example, the word "child" can mean a young human being, a young animal, or a young plant. The context in which the word is understood determines its meaning.
PHILOSOPHY'S COAL PLACE

How can philosophy be an account of reality which shows that it is not just a random collection of information, but is a coherent and logically consistent whole? This question is best addressed by first considering the nature of the different conceptions of philosophy and their relationship to the problem of meaning. The different conceptions of philosophy include: (1) the traditional conception of philosophy as a discipline that investigates the nature of reality, (2) the analytic conception of philosophy as a discipline that investigates the nature of language, and (3) the pragmatist conception of philosophy as a discipline that investigates the nature of action.

The traditional conception of philosophy is widely regarded as the most important and influential. It is based on the assumption that reality is the ultimate subject of knowledge and that the task of philosophy is to investigate the nature of reality. This conception of philosophy is reflected in the idea that philosophy is a science of truth, and that the goal of philosophy is to discover the ultimate nature of reality.

The analytic conception of philosophy is based on the assumption that language is the ultimate subject of knowledge and that the task of philosophy is to investigate the nature of language. This conception of philosophy is reflected in the idea that philosophy is a science of meaning, and that the goal of philosophy is to discover the ultimate nature of language.

The pragmatist conception of philosophy is based on the assumption that action is the ultimate subject of knowledge and that the task of philosophy is to investigate the nature of action. This conception of philosophy is reflected in the idea that philosophy is a science of value, and that the goal of philosophy is to discover the ultimate nature of action.

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