

Classroom Boners

Skat's dedication to Geometry:
If to this world there came a flood,
To my Geometry I'd fly;
For, if the world were all submerged
Geometry would still be dry.

Mr. Kiser: Name three things containing starch.

Wardeberg: Two cuffs and a collar.

Overheard in Freshmen English class, "I opened the window and cast my eye into the yard."

Miss Simley in English class: "Why did Brutus fall?"

Bessie: "He was so weak after he was stabbed that he couldn't stand up any longer."

Miss Lippitt: "Can you tell me what three foods are required to keep the body in health?"

Vivian (thinking hard): "Your breakfast, your dinner and your supper."

Miss Gerber, (in Freshmen sewing class): "Where do we put the knot?"

Pearl Pearson: "At the end of the thread, I suppose."

Miss Simley: "Describe the English room."

Otto Saugen: "It's like a Ford with a crank in front."

Mr. LaVoi: "How would you take an inventory of yourself, Mr. Nicholson?"

Nicholson: "Well, but how would you figure the depreciation?"

Mr. Clark: "If I talk any more I shall give you another question."

Student: "In that case, Mr. Clark will you please keep still."

Ostlie: "Mr. Pilkey says the Senior class is always the noisest class."

Dalos: "Oh! he is an honorable man."

Mrs. Genung: "What is the person, number, and gender of the noun man?"

Bright Freshman: "Man is a common noun, muscular gender."

The pupils were demonstrating new words which had been added to their vocabularies. One young Freshman convulsed his teacher by glibly reciting, "Passionate, meaning moved—the table is very passionate."

Connor: "Have you a pencil to lend me?"

Engman: "No."

Connor: "Well, I suppose I will have to use my own."

Found in a Senior English Exam. paper, "Cesar fell when Brutus stabbed him in the Senate House."

Hints to Home Economics:

Put the potatoes on the back of the stove and let them drizzle.

Cool milk as soon as it has been pulled from the cows.

The class was studying nouns, common and proper.

Mrs. Genung: "What kind of a noun is Mr. Johnson?"

Pupil (who had lived all his life in the Red River Valley) "A common noun."

Mrs. Genung: "What kind of a noun is Northwest School?"

Pupil: "Improper."

Miss Hughbanks, dictating shorthand to class A. "Mouse, louse, mice, lice—got them?"

Class: "Yes."

Harry Confer at Basketball practice: "Ain't that a h— of a shot?"

Mr. LaVoi: "How many times have I told you not to say ain't?"

Fritz: "Where are the showers?"
Flaskerud: "I don't know. I have been here only six weeks myself."