

Found on Test Papers

- "A vacuum is an empty space with nothing in it."
 "A curve is a straight line that has been bent."
 "Joan of Arc was the wife of Noah."
 "The Battle of Cowpens was fought in the stock-yards of Chicago."
 "Pasteurized milk is where the pastures have been carefully selected for the cows, which is good milk producing food."
 "The elementary canal is in the northern part of Michigan and much coal and iron ore passes through it."
 "Charles Dickens was the author of the book 'Tail of Two Cities.'
 "When Caesar saw Brutus about to stab him, he quit fighting to defend himself, and only said, 'Et tu Brute!' which is Latin and means 'and you too, you brute!'"
 "The difference between 'set' and 'sit' is this: When we sit down we expect to get up again but when we set down we must remain there because we are fast like cement or glue when it sets."
 "The porcupine is a little animal with stickers on every part of its back except its stomach."

Class Room Chatter

- Mrs. Genung: "Give me an example of a collective noun?"
 Glen Ellinger: "A vacuum cleaner."
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- Miss Lippitt: "Name three articles that contain starch."
 Marvel Noyes: "Two cuffs and a collar."
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- Mr. Clark: "What is the difference between electricity and lightning?"
 Lawrence Harstad: "We don't have to pay nothing for lightning."
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- Miss Bede: "Keep the pie in the oven exactly fifteen minutes."
 Dumb One: "I can't; the clock is twenty minutes slow."
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- Mr. Milnar: "And from these calculations we get X to equal nothing."
 Arlene: "What! All that work for nothing?"
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- Mrs. Genung: "Where are your hands supposed to be when you are giving a speech?"
 Edward Brandli: "On the end of my arms."
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- Freshman: "Everyone around here thinks that I have a great head. What do you think about it?"
 Junior: "To tell the truth, I really don't think there's anything in it."
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- Mrs. Genung: "Give the synopsis of the story that you read."
 Arthur S.: "I've looked all through this book and it doesn't seem to have a synopsis in it."
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- Miss Warne: "Who said, 'We have come to bury Caesar, not to praise him?'"
 Clifford Kroulik: "The undertaker."
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- Mr. Connery: "Define vacuum."
 Bright Student: "I have it in my head but I can't explain it."
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- Miss Weinberger: (in drama class) "This is the plot: A midnight scene, two burglars creep stealthily up towards the house; as they enter, the clock strikes one and—
 Wilfred Knutson: "Tell me quick—which one?"
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- Mrs. Genung: "What do you think of Macbeth?"
 Don Mc.: "I think he's too Swede for anything."