

DE NOBIS NOBILIBUS.

FRESHMAN, following Latin versification:—"I wonder what kind of feet mine are."

Chum—"Spondees, of course—too long."

Tailor—"Married or unmarried?"

Customer—"Married."

Tailor (to cutter)—"One pocket concealed in lining of vest?"

Customer—"Eh! What?"

Tailor (explaining)—"To hide your change you know, at night. I'm married myself."

Enthusiastic Professor, (discussing the organic and inorganic kingdoms): "Now, if I should shut my eyes—so—and drop my head—so—and should not move, you would say I was a clod. But I move, I leap, I run; then what do you call me?" Voice from the rear: "A clod-hopper." Class dismissed.

Prof. in Physics to Bismarek B.: "Have you ever electrified a body by squeezing?" Bismarek blushes and sits down.

Professor to Student: "Name an Oxide."

Student. "Leather."

Professor. "Oxide of what?"

Student. "Ox-hide of cow."

Of the ten Seniors who have, or are willing to have moustaches, at least seven may be observed at any time trying to pull them out.

We would offer the following short maxims to the expectant graduates of this year in the hope that they may take them as their guides through the world:

1. Refrain from parting the hair in the middle as this habit brings on softening of the brain.

2. You will need something more substantial than cigars, kid gloves, and a cane with which to go house-keeping, as these articles are very indigestible.

3. Don't reckon on your father's fortune to bring you through life. Fortunes are slippery things—worse than a banana peel.

4. Don't marry a huge sum of money and take the young lady before the minister as witness, for if you do you will find in the long run that you have become her hired man.

Clarence St.—Cabby: "Hansom, sir, hansom" (Student from Ottawa): "Well-aw-what if I am? Cawn't a fellow show himself in this blawsted town-aw-without-being-aw-insulted?"

We give a part of a Sophomore's effusion to his girl: "When the spring time cometh, and the fields are once more redolent with thyme and honeysuckle, and the fresh green grass is gently played upon by the southy zephyrs, and the kine are all afield, even to the rebuttant sheep and the rebounding lambkins, then we will shoulder

our hammock, and hie us to some melodious grove, harmonious with nature's songsters, there to while away the long dreamy hours with the gentle cooing of the ecstatic bliss of first love." (Great Scott, suppose a spider should crawl down her neck!

Great Caesar! who would have believed it? R. Mour has been guilty of perpetrating a practical joke on a fellow-student, and an eye-witness is prepared to make an affidavit that the above mentioned gentleman actually *smiled* at the success of the trick. While Col. Holdcroft was busy trying to jot down the pearls of wisdom that were dropping so quickly from the lips of the professor of Metaphysics, the wily Mr. R. Mour leaned forward and very surreptitiously bound his victim to the seat by means of his gown. The Colonel doesn't know whether there was any 'arm or not in such a proceeding, but he says he is going to lay for the artful schemer.

Smith and Brown, running opposite ways around a corner, struck each other. "Oh dear! how you made my head ring," said Smith. "That's a sign it's hollow," said Brown. "But didn't yours ring?" "No." "That's a sign it's cracked," replied his friend.

The following will give the reader a faint idea of what he absorbs when drinking a glass of Kingston water:

You gulp down infusoriae,
And quarts of raw lecteriae,
And hideous rotarorae,
And wriggling polygastricæ,
And slimy delomaceæ,
And hard shelled ophysocercenæ,
And double-barreled kolpodæ,
Mon-lonccated ambœdæ,
And various animalculæ,
Of middle, high, and low degree,
For nature just beats all creation,
In multiplied adulation.

A paper, on which was written the following, was found on the floor of the Reading-room:

We, the undersigned members of the Freshman class, do hereby pledge ourselves as honorable persons to defend one another against the oppression of the court *Iniquitatis* et *Virtutis* to the bitter end, risking our lives if necessary in defence of ourselves and our rights, and also to send to Coventry all members of the aforesaid class who refuse to protect themselves and their class-fellows and cowardly stand aside and see their fellow-students imposed upon, or who traitorously assist our enemies in crushing out the liberty, spirit and independence of the aforesaid noble, brave and determined Freshman class.

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