





She had asked me Would I help her With her Latin, 'Twas so hard: Would I help her Conjugate that mean Irregular, old word "Disco"? She just kept Forgetting the subjunctive All the while. Pretty lips so Near, so tempting, Tending strongly To beguile— Thought I'd teach her By example "Didicissem?" "I should smile."

## DOUGH

Dough is made out of wheat oil, literature and magazine articles. But dough made of wheat is not stickier than any other.

Dough is a prior fact to bread, motor cars, steam yachts, and collections of old books. It embitters matrimony and purveys the lovely scandal we read about. It gets girls sent off to college and fitted to be something more spectacular than mere wives and mothers. It curseth them that go in for it, but not unto the third and fourth generation. We are too good spenders for that. It is from dough that the dowdy, the dull, and the dotty derive distinction otherwise denied.



