CLASSES

SENIORS

From a Senior

(who has heard the president compliment the incoming freshmen on being the best class, for four years, in each welcome assembly)

(Apologies to Purple Parrot)
Dear Prexy, but a moment,
And aid my humble quest,
Why does it always happen
The last Frosh class is the best?

No doubt the Freshmen like it, And gladly fall for more, But think of us poor sinners Who came three years before.

If class by class advancing
Promotes the general worth,
We'll have ere long at A. I. T.
Utopia on earth.

And simple mathematics
Predicts as sure as fate
White wings and harps adorning
The class of '28.

Stay, Prexy, for a season
This beatific blast;
We crave one class of freshmen
That's punker than the last.

The Senior Blues.

D'ya know, boys, I've got the blues—
Because my college days are o'er!

Yes, sir, boys, I've got the blues

Because I won't be here any more!

Now when I was a Freshman, I just yearned to be a Soph

And when I reached that stage, my hat to Juniors I would doff;

And then I looked away forward to a glorious Senior year,

But now it's all over, boys, you know, I feel no cheer—

I'd like to do it all again, each grade point, every fear;

I've got the blues for college proms,
And college women too;
I think of just a hundred things
That I would like to do.

I used to think the "outside reading" stuff was mighty bad,

But now my "outside reading" is a "Male Help Wanted" Ad!

Is it any wonder now, I ask you, that I should feel sad?

And that I've got those "Hate to Say Good Bye" blues mighty bad?

Born to Trouble.

A student is but a worm of the dust—he comes to school, wiggles around a bit, wiggles out, and finally a chicken gets him.

And Then the Door Broke.

"Have you an opening for a bright, energetic college graduate?"

"Yes, and don't slam it as you go out."

Student: Before I graduate this year, I want to express my gratitude and say that all I know I owe to you.

Professor: Oh, it's a mere trifle, I assure you.

SOPHOMORES. Not All Joy.

A night of cram, an angry prof, A tough exam, a busted Soph.

Professor Campbell's opinion of a Sophomore is expressed mathematically by infinity. He says nobody but a Sophomore can loaf consistently for six months at a stretch.

HIS PART

The dean was exceedingly angry. "So you confess that this unfortunate young man was carried to the pond and drenched? Now, what part did you take in this disgraceful affair?"

"The right leg, sir," answered the Sophomore meekly.

A. I. T. '25—It tells here of the death of my old friend Nincompoop—peace to his ashes.

A. I. T. '24—Oh, is that where he went?

FROSH Frosh Calendar

Monday morning late to class,
Tuesday quiz; I didn't pass;
Wednesday had a two-hour date,
Thursday found the girl don't rate.
Friday flunked another test—
Saturday's my day of rest.
Tomorrow morn I'll sleep 'til one;
Another week of toil is done.

The devil fumed and fretted
Not a spark could he discern.
The Armour Frosh was on the grate,
But far too green to burn.

A modern scientist says that emotion expresses itself at the weakest point. No wonder the freshman always clutches

at his head.

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