

# THE JUNGLE



### JUNGLE STAFF

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#### PLAY BALL

They played a ball game here one day Upon the campus green, And all who saw that speedy game Say it was just a scream.

For several days before the game
Joe strutted round about
With lots to say—you fancy how—
And with his chest stuck out.

"We are going to play the dormitory, Boys, then you'll see the game, They haven't got a chance at all, We'll play them just the same."

The day arrived: The teams went forth;
The fans stood round about,
Joe came to bat—"One strike," "Two strikes,"
"Three strikes." The batters' out!

Lan came to bat and ground his teeth,
"I'll slam that ball to town."
He made a little grounder
To the shortstop—"Two men down!"

Though the fans roared loud and lustily,
And tried to do their worst,
The next man met the self-same fate,
The ump. roared "Out on first."

Joe then arrayed in mask and mitt Stood up behind the plate, "Just twirl them over, Lan old boy, He's swinging like a gate." When Froggie came to bat, he swung,—
The ball was in the mit,
He swung again, and whack! oh boy!
He made a two base hit.

And then they yelled to Donahue This desperate Lan to face; A little grounder did the trick, And got him to first base.

The pitcher then went in the air The next was walked to first Poor Joe was almost in despair For now he feared the worst.

The next man up to bat swung twice But failed to hit at all, He swung and missed again, but oh! The catcher missed the ball.

The batter ran; Joe grabbed the ball, Then stood transfixed in doubt. Of all the four men running, how Could he get one man out?

At last he threw the ball to first,
The man on third came in.
The batting man was safe a mile.
You should have heard the din!

An overthrow then made to third Brought in another run, Advanced the other men a base, And started up the fun.

Just how the game went after that I didn't wait to see, For my roommate's life from laughing loud Was in great jeopardy.

They say the dormitory won,
And Joe feels pretty sore,
I guess he will not let his team
Play Froggie's any more.

There came a giant to my door,
A giant lean and long,
His feet were heavy on the floor,
His arms were big and strong.
P——r Mc——v

He laughed, he roared, he shook the floor, The hall shook through and through, The Prefect's step was heard without, Pete vanished from my view.

-into the wardrobe-

### A DIALOGUE

#### **Dramatis Personae**

E. O'Hanley and Miss Kelly

Emmet:

I heard you took some pictures, Stephen, On the lawn, in front today Tell me why you didn't stay long, Tell me, were you chased away?

Stephen:

Yes, indeed! O gentle roommate, From the front lawn I was chased, For a monstrous form approaching Made me fly away in haste.

Emmet:

But you rose this morning early, May I ask the reason why You went out, and round the campus Ran so fast, I thought you'd die?

Stephen:

Hush! My roommate, I will tell you. I was sore oppressed with grief For my great humiliation And in running found relief.

Emmet:

Thanks! I ask you no more questions But will sympathize with you,

Stephen:

Thank you Emmett, but don't mention All these things I've told to you.

## All the Way You Hold Your Mouth

When I come to bat, I tap the plate
Just like a little bird,
If I hit the ball I make a run
From first across to third.

## WHO AM I

Have you seen my countenance On a Thursday, or some time When, perchance, while strolling down the street I meet a friend of mine?

Have you seen my features And the shapes they assume When in class I get excited Or get angry in my room?

And if these fail to scare you Have you seen my shoulders wide? How they shake and change position When in company I stride?

Plugger, scrapper, wood-chopper These are my titles high, You know me by my altitude Any time you pass me by.

With much regret the Jungle staff Now bid a fond adieu, They fondly hope they made you laugh If not—the joke's on you.

