

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

We'll begin with a box, and the plural is boxes,  
But the plural of ox should be oxen,  
not oxes.  
Then one fowl is goose, but two are called geese,  
Yet the plural of moose should never be meese.  
You may find a lone mouse or a whole nest of mice,  
But the plural of house is houses,  
not hices.  
If the plural of man is always called men  
Why shouldn't the plural of pan be called pen?  
The cow in the plural may be cows or kine  
And the plural of vow is vows, not vine.  
If I speak of a foot and you show me your feet,  
And I give you a boot, would a pair be called beet?  
If one is a tooth and a whole set are teeth,  
Why shouldn't the plural of booth be called beeth?  
If the singular's this and the plural is these  
Should the plural of kiss ever be nicknamed keese?  
Then one would be that and three would be those,  
Yet hat in the plural would never be hose,  
And the plural of cat is cats, not cose.  
We speak of a brother and also of brethren,  
But though we say mother, we never say methren.  
Then the masculine pronouns are he, his and him,  
But imagine the feminine she, shis and shim.  
So the English, I think, you will all agree  
Is the queerest language you ever did see.

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Sun.  
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And he had very little—Mon.  
This cash, he said, won't pay my dues,  
I've nothing here but ones and—  
Tues.  
A bright thought struck him and he said  
The rich Miss Goldrocks I will—  
Wed.  
But when he mentioned it to her

She lisped but firmly said: No—  
Thur.  
"Alas," said he "then I must die."  
His soul went where they said souls—  
Fri.  
They found his gloves and coat and hat,  
The coroner upon them—Sat.

**Meaning of Word "Hogan."**  
The hut of the Navajo Indians is called a "hogan." It consists of a conical framework covered with poles, bark and earth. The main beams turn north, south and west, while the entrance is on the east side. Sometimes the shelter of the Pima tribes are also called hogans.

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