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On Nov 11, 9:02 am, Angus Rodgers <twir...@xxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

On Tue, 11 Nov 2008 04:04:29 -0800, William Elliot

<ma...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

— the Dummy Down Dunces Dance
Forlorn am I to scorn
the land wherein I'm born
whence creativity is shorn
to fit some standard norm

Vision of a class of well-behaved children all sitting at their desks quietly wearing dunce's hats while a hatless clever child sits weeping in solitary exile in the corner of the classroom.

(From the forthcoming biopic "Bad Will Hunting: The Life of James Harris".) ;—)

P.S. What on earth does "Good Will Hunting" mean, anyway? (I still haven't seen the movie.)

will hunting is the janitor/latent-fields-medalist's name

good is honorific
like bad bad leroy brown

galathaea: prankster, fabulist, magician, liar
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