



Winter '22 Bent Caption Contest Results

This photo from the Winter 1995 issue of *The Bent* was taken at the 89th Convention in Buffalo, NY. Following a session on Robert's Rules of Order, chapters attempt to find ways to improve seconding a motion.

Winners:

First Place: "The bidding was fast and furious at the "Win a Date with an Engineer" auction." Thomas G. Hausheer, *IL B '70*

Second Place: I motion that the person holding the "2" found the best way to second a motion. Who would like to second my motion?" – Alec G. Richardson, *PA L '87*

Third Place: Members of the convention enthusiastically demonstrate their second to the motion of a break." – Allison R. Procak, *DE A '20*

Fourth Place: "Sold! To the man with the pit stain in the back for \$500! Maybe you'll find a use for the rights to these so-called 'wireless networks'..." –B. Zeke Holloman, *NC Z '21*

Captions:

1st_ 1. "The bidding was fast and furious at the "Win a Date with an Engineer" auction."

___ 2. "..Ok, last order of business, you can now show us any random sign you brought in today."

___ 3. "How many Convention delegates does it take to change a lightbulb?
(Answer: Two. One to make a motion and one to second the motion and then actually do it)."

___ 4. "Today's pop quiz: what's one plus one?"

2nd_ 5. "I motion that the person holding the "2" found the best way to second a motion. Who would like to second my motion?"

___ 6. "I got your second right here!"

___ 7. "Second, move to approve unanimously, and let's head to the buffet!"

___ 8. "The food was so delicious, delegates asked "May We Have 2nds?"

___ 9. "And here's my impression of Nixon."

___ 10. "The Central Tech squad really brought it this year... we'll have to do the pyramid!"

___ 11. "The Tau Beta Pi swimsuit contest was short-lived due to serious failures in the judging process."

___ 12. "Only an engineer would think of using the Roman numeral "M" to skew the judging for the Mr. /Ms. Tau Beta Pi contest. "

___ 13. "And the crowd boos as the Russian judge awards a 2!"

___ 14. "It already Exists!"

___ 15. "I'd like to buy a vowel."

___ 16. "The Executive Committee really stepped up the quality of this year's Convention by providing Limo service!

___ 17. "Waiter, another round of drinks for Table 2!"

___ 18. "Can everyone who actually enjoyed organic chemistry please stand up?"

___ 19. "Where's the Beef??!!!"

___ 20. "The Convention's attempt at card stunts did not go well."

___ 21. "And once again, these cheeky medical doctors have come to Convention to heckle our engineering brethren."

___ 22. "Well, it looks like at least some of the students want "More Duck Stories."

4th ___ 23. "Sold! To the man with the pit stain in the back for \$500! Maybe you'll find a use for the rights to these so-called 'wireless networks'..."

___ 24. "Chairman Roberts quickly realized that letting the school's gymnastics judges evaluate his parliamentary seminar was a bad idea."

___ 25. "Vote for Oscar!"

___ 26. "Vote for Noyce!"

___ 27. "They bribed the judges AGAIN! With calculus books!"

___ 28. "Why Vanna White was hired!"

___ 29. "Practicing for "Does anybody have a napkin?"

____ 30. "Do I Hear a P=2st/D? Going once, going twice..."

____ 31. "If we ignore them, they'll stop."

____ 32. "...and a 2 from the Russian judge!"

____ 33. "Going once, going twice, SOLD! \$20,000 for the original 1920 Tau Beta Pi T-shirt to the lady at the HDS table."

3rd_ 34. "Members of the convention enthusiastically demonstrate their second to the motion of a break."

____ 35. "Not content to only offer a second to the motion, these enthusiastic delegates offer a second, a third, a fourth, a fifth, and even a sixth to the motion!"

____ 36. "All in favor of ordering chicken wings say AYE!"