

The plan of the lecture

- 1) The definition of homonyms and their role in the lexicology
- 2) The pun
- 3) Division of homonyms
- 4) Sources of homonyms
- 5) Split polysemy

Examples

- Bank- n, a shore
- Bank n, an institution where you can get the money

- Been the Participle II of the verb to be
- Bean n,

The pun is a joke based on the play of homonyms

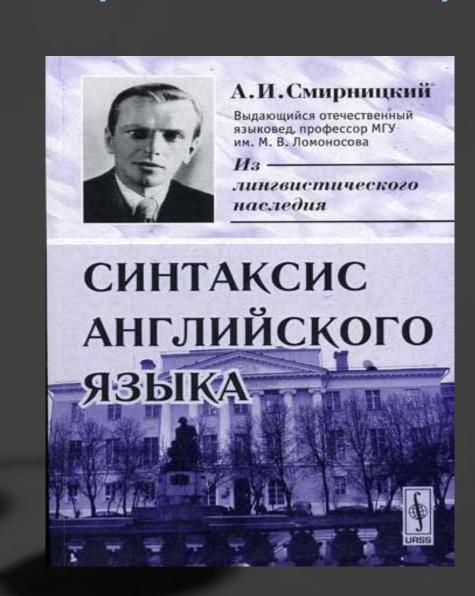
• A tailor guarantees you a perfect fit

- Waiter!
- Yes,
- What is this?
- It is a been soup.
- I don't care what it's been, I need to know what is it now

Classification

- Homonyms proper (a bank a bank)
- Homophones (piece-peace)
- Homographs (to lead a lead)

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- 1) Full homonyms
- 2) Partial homonyms
- 2.1. Simple lexico-grammatical partial homonyms
- To found found (Participle II to find)
- 2.2. Complex lexico-grammatical partial homonyms
- Rose , a noun rose (Past Indef.)
- 2.3. Partial lexical homonyms
- To lie (lay, lain)
- To lie (lied,lied)

End of lecture 7 Thank you for your attention!