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**Tongue-Tied Tunes**

As one pink porpoise popped in the pool,  
 Another pink porpoise popped out.  
 As one blue bug bled blue-black blood,  
 Another blue bug bled black.  
 As one sly snake slithered up the slide,  
 Another sly snake slithered down.  
 As two toy toads took two toy toes,  
 Another toy toad took two.  
 As six sick Scouts stitched six silk socks,  
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**Pizza Applause**

Flip a pizza in the air while saying, "Mama mia!"

**Balloon Applause**

Make a fist. Put the thumb in your mouth and blow. Slowly open your fingers to resemble an enlarging balloon. Then flip out your hand yelling "pop!"

**Archery Cheer**

Mimic shooting an arrow then call out, "Bull's eye!"

**Abraham Lincoln**

"That was great. Honestly."

**Bubblegum Applause**

Blow three times, clap your hands loud once, then peel the gum off your face.

**Fred Flintstone - Lawrence Welk**

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**Paper Bag Applause**

Make motions to simulate opening a paper bag, forming a neck, blowing it up and pop it saying "POP!" loudly.

**Relay Applause**

Have one boy in each patrol clap twice and then clap the hand of the person next to them. They continue to clap in unison in this manner until everyone in the room is clapping.

**Pole Vault Applause**

Stand your two big fingers of one hand on your other arm like legs. Have them run down the arm to the wrist and then jump in the air. As you bring your hand down, clap.

**Southern Applause**

"How, how, how, Y'all."

**Applause Clap**

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Mosquito lands on the Scout's left forearm: "Cluck" (make sound with the tongue).  
Mosquito sucks blood: "Sluuurppp"  
Scout smacks it with his right hand, Smack!  
and laughs loudly three time, "ha, ha, ha!"

### **Rain Clap**

Start by tapping right thumb on palm of the left hand to represent first few drops of rain.  
Then use two fingers, three fingers, four fingers, five, palm of hand - from soft clapping to very loud.  
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What so proudly we hailed at the twilights last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming.  
And the rockets red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.  
Oh say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

On the shore, dimly seen thru' the mist of the deep,  
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes  
What is that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep  
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?  
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,  
In full glory reflected, now shines on the steam-  
'Tis the star-spangled banner. O long may it wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

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O thus be it ever when freemen shall stand  
Between their loved homes and the war's desolation.  
Blest with vict'ry and peace, may the Heav'n rescued land.  
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### **America, America**

America, America;  
How can I tell you how I feel?  
You have given me many blessing,  
and I love you so.  
(use as a round)

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### **Indian "How" Cheer**

Mild Approval - "HOW"  
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Great Approval -- "HOW HOW HOW"  
Greatest Approval -- "HOW HOW HOW UGH"

### **Chip-Chop Applause**

Divide the room in half. As you point to one side they say "chip" and when you point to the other side, they say "chop". Vary the speed and direction you point.

### **Freight Train Clap**

Clap simulated freight train starting off with great effort, gaining speed, passing by with great noise, disappearing into far distance, with a few whistles along the way. Vary by speeding up, slowing down, stopping (giving off steam), Starting up again.

### **Rudolph Applause**

Put your thumbs to your head with fingers up, forming antlers. Wrinkle your nose while saying, "Blink, blink, blink, blink."

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### Handkerchief Clap

Leader throws handkerchief in the air, then catches it. All clap while it is in the air, then stop. (leader may fool group by not actually throwing the handkerchief.)

### A Round of Applause

Audience claps while moving hands in a large circular motion.

### Applause

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### America, The Beautiful

Oh beautiful for spacious skies,  
For amber waves of grain,  
For purple mountains majesties,  
Above the fruited plain!  
America, America! God shed his grace on Thee,  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
From Sea to shining Sea.

O beautiful for pilgrim feet,  
Whose stern, impassioned stress,  
A thoroughfare for freedom beat,  
Across the wilderness!  
America! America! God mend thine every flaw,  
Confirm thy soul with self-control,  
Thy liberty in law!

O, beautiful for heroes proved,  
In liberating strife,  
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**Cheers**

**A Big Hand**

When leader says "Let's give them a big hand" everyone in the audience holds up one of their hands with palm open.

**Seal of Approval**

Place arms together from elbows to wrist, then slap hand together while barking like a seal.

**Cheese Grated Applause**

Leader says, "Get your cheese grater"  
Hold up your hand as if you are holding a cheese grater.  
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Hold other hand, then "grate" some cheese above you head,  
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I come from Alabama,  
With a banjo on my knee;  
I'm going to Louisiana,  
My true love for to see.  
It rained all night the day I left,  
The weather it was dry;  
The sum so hot I froze to death;  
Susanna, don't you cry.

**CHORUS**

*Oh, Susanna, oh, don't you cry for me;  
I've come from Alabama,  
With my banjo on my knee.  
Oh, Susanna, oh, don't you cry for me;  
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I had a dream the other night,  
When everything was still;  
I thought I saw Susanna  
A-coming down the hill.  
The buckwheat cake was in her mouth,  
The tear was in her eye;  
Says I, I'm coming from the south;  
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As I was walking that ribbon of highway,  
I saw above me that endless skyway,  
I saw below me that golden valley,  
This land was made for you and me.

**SWEET VIOLETS**

1) There once was a farmer who took a young miss, out  
back of the barn where he gave her a lecture on horses  
and chickens, and eggs and told her she had the most  
beautiful, manners which suited a girl of her charms, a  
girl that he wanted to take in his washing and ironing and  
then if she did they would get married and raise lots of . .

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CHORUS: Sweet violets, sweeter than all the roses.  
Covered all over from head to toe, covered all over with  
sweet violets.

2) The girl told the farmer that he'd better stop, then she  
called her father and he called a taxi which got there  
before very long, 'cause someone was doing his little girl  
right for change and so that's why he said if you marry  
her son you're better off single because it has been my  
belief, marriage will bring a man nothing but . . . .

3) The farmer decided he'd wed any way, and started in  
planning for his wedding suit which he purchased for only  
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**Cumala**

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Got one on my backy (repeat)  
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Vista (repeat)

**We're Here Because We're Here**

We're here because we're here  
Because we're here because we're here.  
We're here because we're here  
etcetera. . .

**Green Grow the Rushes Ho!**

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Green grow the rushes ho.  
What is your one ho?

1. One is one and all alone,  
And evermore shall be it so.
2. Two, two lily white boys  
Clothed all in green ho.
3. Three, three the rivals.
4. Four for the gospel makers.
5. Five for the symbols at your door.
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I'll walk with Him always.  
He leads me by still waters,  
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Chorus:

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He leads me through green pastures.  
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**America**

My country, 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty,  
Of thee I sing;  
Land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrims' pride,  
From ev'ry mountainside  
Let freedom ring.  
Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty,  
To Thee we sing;  
Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light;  
Protect us by Thy might,  
Great God, our King.

**Boom Chick-A-Boom**

Boom chick-a-boom,  
I said boom chick-a-boom,  
I said boom chick-a-rocka, chick-a-rocka, chick-a-boom,  
Oh yea, so fine, one more time.

**Trail The Eagle**

Trail the Eagle,  
Trail the Eagle,  
Climbing all the time.  
First the Star then the Life,  
Will on your bosom shine.

Keep climbing!

Blaze the trail and we will follow  
Hark the Eagle's call;  
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Give me some men, who are Scout hearted men,  
Who will fight for the right they adore.

Start me with ten, who are Scout hearted men,  
And I'll soon give you ten thousand more.

Oh! Shoulder to shoulder and bolder to bolder  
They grow as they go on the fore!

Then - There's nothing in the world can halt or mar a plan  
When Scout hearted men can stick together man to man!

### **I'm Happy When I'm Hiking**

Tramp, tramp, tramp, tramp, tramp, tramp, tramp, tramp.  
I'm happy when I'm hiking, pack upon my back.  
I'm happy when I'm hiking off the beaten track.  
Out in the open country, that's the place for me.  
With a true Scouting friend to the journey's end,  
Ten, twenty, thirty, forty, fifty miles a day.  
Tramp, tramp, tramp. (Repeat tramp to end.)

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### **One Dark Night**

One dark night when we were all in bed,  
Old Lady Leary left a lantern in the shed,  
And when the cow kicked it over,  
She winked her eye and said:  
"There'll be a hot time in the old town tonight."  
ARF! ARF! ARF!

### **Eight Apples and Bananas**

I love to eat, I love to eat,  
I love to eat eight apples and bananas.  
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(continue by changing the vowel sound in every word to the  
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How I missed her, How I missed her;  
How I missed my Clementine.  
'Till I kissed her little sister  
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### **I've Got Six Pence**

I've got six pence, jolly, jolly six pence,  
I've got six pence to last me all my life.  
I've got tuppence to send home to my wife. Poor wife.  
No cares have I to grieve me,  
No silly little girls to deceive me.  
I'm as happy as a lark, believe me,  
As we go rolling, rolling home,  
By the light of the silvery moon.  
What moon? That moon! Where? Over there! Oh!  
Oh, happy is the day,  
When the Scouts will get their way,  
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(Repeat with four, two and no pence.)

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### **The Lord is My Shepherd**

The Lord is my shepherd, no want shall I know.  
I feed in green pastures; safe-folded I rest.  
He leadeth my soul where the still waters flow,  
Restores me when wand'ring, redeems when oppressed,  
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### **How Great Thou Art**

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds thy hands have made,  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,  
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

(Chorus)

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee,  
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(Repeat Chorus)

And when I think that God his Son not sparing,  
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,  
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He bled and died to take away my sin,  
(Repeat Chorus)

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,  
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Ruby lips above the water  
Blowing bubbles soft and fine.  
Alas for me, I was no swimmer,  
So I lost my Clementine.

In a corner of the churchyard,  
Where the myrtle boughs entwine,  
Grow the roses, dark red poises,  
Fertilized by Clementine.

Then the miner, forty niner  
Soon began to weep and pine.  
Thought he oughter "jine" his daughter  
Now he's with his Clementine.

In my dreams she still doth haunt me  
Robed in garments soaked in brine.  
Though in life I used to hug her,  
Now she's dead I'll draw the line.

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Excavating for a mine,  
Dwelt a miner, forty-niner  
And his daughter Clementine.

Chorus: On my darling, Oh my darling.  
Oh my darling, Clementine.  
You are lost and gone forever  
Dreadful sorry, Clementine.

Light she was just like a feather,  
And her shoes were number nine.  
Herring boxes without topses.  
Sandals were for Clementine.

Drove her ducklings to the water  
Every morning just at nine,  
Hit her foot against a splinter  
Fell into the foaming brine.

50

### **Scout Vesper**

Softly falls the light of day, While our campfire fades away.  
Silently each Scout should ask, "Have I done my daily  
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### **Come Into the Sunday School**

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Come into the Sunday School and have a lot of fun.  
Please check your chewing gum and razors at the door,  
And you'll hear some Bible stories  
that you've never heard before.

(Repeat chorus after each verse.)

Adam was the first man, That ever was invented.  
He lived all alone, And never was contented.  
Made out of mud in years gone by,  
And hung on the fence in the sun to dry.

Adam was a farmer, And Eve, she was his spouse.  
They took up farming, And went to keeping house.  
They lived a very quiet life, And peaceful in the main,  
Until they had a baby, And started raising Cain.

Samson was a strong man of Jeffrey Johnson's School;  
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socks.

David was a shepherd, And a plucky little cuss.  
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16

The Lord told Noah to build Him an arkie, arkie,  
(repeat w/o "THE")

Make it out of Hickory barkie, barkie,  
Children of the Lord. (Chorus)

The animals, the animals, they came in by twozies,  
twozies.

(repeat)

Lions and tigers and kangaroozies, roozies,  
Children of the Lord. (Chorus)

It rained, it rained for forty daysies and daysies.

(repeat)

Darn drove those animals crazy, crazy  
Children of the Lord.

The sun came out and dried up the landie, landie . . .

(repeat)

Everything was fine and dandy, dandy  
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The ants go marching two by two,  
Hurrah, Hurrah. . .  
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### **Noah, Noah**

The Lord told Noah there's going to be a floodie, floodie . .  
(repeat without the "THE")  
Get those animals out of the mudie, mudie,  
Children of the Lord.

(Chorus)

So rise and shine and give God your glory, glory,  
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48

Jonah was a sailor, So runs the Bible tale.  
He took an ocean voyage, On a transatlantic whale.  
But Jonah didn't like the ride, He said that swimming's best,  
So he pressed the belly button, And the whale did the rest.

Noah was a carpenter, Who stumbled in the dark.  
He picked up a hammer, And built himself an ark.  
In came the animals two by two, All except the worms  
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### **Now the Day is Over**

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Someone's crying my Lord, Kum Ba Yah  
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Oh Lord, Kum Ba Yah!

Someone's singing my Lord, Kum Ba Yah  
(etc . . .)

### **The More We Get Together**

The more we get together, together, together,  
The more we get together, the happier we'll be.  
For your friends are my friends,  
And my friends are your friends,  
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The more we get together, the happier we'll be.  
For you know that I know,  
And I know that you know,  
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18

### **Austrian Yodeler**

Once an Austrian went yodeling on a mountain so high,  
When along came a cuckoo bird interrupting his cry.  
Yodeling,  
Yodella-ka-ki  
Yodella-koo-koo-koo-koo,  
Yodella-ka-ki,  
Yodella-koo-koo-koo-koo,  
Yodella-ka-ki,  
Yodella-koo-koo-koo-koo,  
Yodella-ka-ki yo.

. . . When along a bear interrupting his cry.  
Yodellay,  
Yodella-ka-ki,  
Yodella-koo-koo-koo-koo; Grow! Grow!  
etc.

### **Ants Go Marching On**

The ants go marching one by one,  
hurrah, hurrah,  
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hurrah, hurrah,  
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### **Kum Ba Yah**

Someone's crying my Lord, Kum Ba Yah  
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Oh Lord, Kum Ba Yah!

Someone's singing my Lord, Kum Ba Yah  
(etc . . .)

### **The More We Get Together**

The more we get together, together, together,  
The more we get together, the happier we'll be.  
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And my friends are your friends,  
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The more we get together, together, together,  
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For you know that I know,  
And I know that you know,  
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### **Austrian Yodeler**

Once an Austrian went yodeling on a mountain so high,  
When along came a cuckoo bird interrupting his cry.  
Yodeling,  
Yodella-ka-ki  
Yodella-koo-koo-koo-koo,  
Yodella-ka-ki,  
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Yodella-ka-ki,  
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Yodella-ka-ki yo.

. . . When along a bear interrupting his cry.  
Yodellay,  
Yodella-ka-ki,  
Yodella-koo-koo-koo-koo; Grow! Grow!  
etc.

### **Ants Go Marching On**

The ants go marching one by one,  
hurrah, hurrah,  
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**I've Got That Scouting Spirit**

I've got that Scouting spirit  
Up in my head, up in my head, up in my head.  
I've got that Scouting spirit up in my head,  
Up in my head to stay.

. . . deep in my heart.  
. . . down in my feet.  
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**Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean**

O Columbia, the gem of the ocean,  
The home of the brave and the free,  
The shrine of each patriot's devotion,  
A world offers homage to thee.  
Thy mandates make heroes assemble,  
When Liberty's form stands in view;  
Thy banners make tyranny tremble,  
When borne by the red, white and blue! (Repeat 3 x's)  
They banners make tyranny tremble  
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Someone's reverent my Lord, Kum Ba Yah  
(etc.)

Kum Ba Yah my Lord, Kum Ba Yah  
(Sing all 4; one for each line)

**John Jacob Jingleheimer Schmidt**

John Jacob Jingleheimer Schmidt,  
That's my name too.  
Whenever I go out,  
The people always shout,  
"There goes John Jacob Jingleheimer Schmidt!"  
Da-da, Da-da, Da-da, Da-da.

**Tarzan of the Apes**

I like bananas, coconuts, and grapes,  
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That's why they call me  
(Yell) Tarzan of the apes!

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We do the watusie, we're seven feet tall.  
The cannibals may eat us, but they'll never beat us  
"Cause we're from Nairobi, and we're on the ball.  
SINGING! SINGING! SINGING!  
Tra la la la la la la la.  
Um-gow-wow, um-gow-wow, um-gow-wow, um-gow-wow,  
Um-gow-wow, um-gow-wow, um-gow-wow-wow.  
Singing,  
(Repeat un-gow-wow part of chorus)

We're from the Congo, our tribe is a good one.  
We do the watusie, we're six inches tall.  
The cannibals can't eat us, 'cause they never see us.  
We're from the Congo, we're six inches tall.  
SINGING! SINGING! SINGING!  
Tra la la la la la la la.  
Unga-bunga-unga-hay, unga-bunga-unga-hay,  
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I points to myself, und vas ist dass here,  
Dass ist mein sweat browser, yah mama dear.  
Hatracker, sweat browser,  
Yah, mama dear.  
That's vat we learn in the school.  
Javoh!

(point to)  
Head--hatracker;  
Brow-sweat browser;  
Eye--eye blinker;  
Nose--horn blower;  
Mustache--soup stainer;  
Lips--girl kisser;  
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Neck--rubber necker;  
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### **Alice the Camel**

Alice the camel has \_\_ humps,  
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So go, Alice go!  
1,2,3,etc.

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Do your ears hang high?  
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Do they stiffen when they're dry?  
Can you semaphore your neighbor,  
With a minimum of labor?  
Do your ears hang high?

Does your nose stick out?  
Do you have a long snout?  
Does it scrape on the floor?  
Do you smash it in the door?  
Do you poke it in her eye,  
When you think you're getting sly?  
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### **I Point to Myself**

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### **Paw-Paw Patch**

Where, oh where, oh where is Suzie?  
Where, oh where, oh where is Suzie?  
Where, oh where, oh where is Suzie?  
Way down yonder in the paw paw patch.

#### *Chorus*

*Picking up paw-paws; put'em in a basket.*  
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*Picking up paw paws; put'em in a basket.*  
*Way down yonder in the paw-paw patch.*

Come along, boys, and let's go find her.  
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On my honor, I'll do my best, to serve my country as I may.  
On my honor, I'll do my best, To do my good turn each day.  
To keep my body strengthened,  
And keep my mind awakened.  
To follow paths of righteousness,  
On my honor I'll do my best.

### Taps

Day is done, gone the sun, from the lake,  
From the hill, from the sky.  
All is well, safely rest, God is nigh.

Fading light, dims the sight,  
And a star gems the sky, gleaming bright.  
From afar, drawing nigh, falls the night.

Thanks and praise for our days,  
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Father and I went down to camp  
Along with Captain Good'in,  
And there we saw the men and boys  
As thick as hasty puddin'.

Chorus:

Yankee Doodle keep it up,  
Yankee Doodle dandy,  
Mind the music and the step,  
And with the girls be handy.

And there was a Captain Washington  
Upon a slapping stallion,  
A-giving orders to his men;  
I guess there were a million.  
(Repeat Chorus)

### Do Your Ears Hang Low?

Do your ears hang low?  
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She was a hog to swallow a dog. (Chorus)

I know an old lady who swallowed a goat.  
Opened her throat and swallowed a goat.  
(Chorus)

I know an old lady who swallowed a cow.  
I don't know how she swallowed a cow.  
(Chorus)

I know an old lady who swallowed a horse  
. . . She died of course.

### **Pad in the Forest**

In a pad in a forest green,  
    Boom, boom, boom, boom,  
Crazy Herman was surveying the scene.  
    Boom, boom, boom, boom,  
Saw a hair-man truckin by, rappin' at his door,  
    Boom, boom, boom, boom,  
Like help, like help came his plea,  
    Boom, boom, boom, boom,  
Or the farmer will exterminate me,  
    Boom, boom, boom, boom,  
Hey, hair-man don't jump and shout,  
come in and we'll hang out.

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### **Friends**

Friends we are, And friends we'll ever be,  
'Ere we go, where ever we may be,  
Scouting friends we'll always be,  
Through all eternity.

### **Pack Up Your Troubles**

Pack up your troubles in your old kit-bag,  
And smile, smile, smile.

Now we're a hiking on the old Scout trail,  
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**Tom The Toad (tune X-mas tree)**

Oh Tom the Toad, Oh Tom the Toad  
Why are you lying in the road?  
Is it because you didn't know  
That passing cars could hurt you so.  
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Oh Tom the Toad, Oh Tom the Toad  
Why are you lying in the road?  
Is it because you didn't care  
You look so peaceful lying there.  
Oh Tom the Toad, Oh Tom the Toad  
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the tire tread upon your head  
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**Edelweiss**

Edelweiss, Edelweiss,  
Every morning you greet me.  
Small and white, clean and bright,  
You look so happy to meet me.  
Blossom of snow, may you bloom and grow,  
Bloom and grow forever.  
Edelweiss, Edelweiss,  
Bless my homeland forever.

**I Know An Old Lady**

I know an old lady who swallowed a fly.  
I don't know why she swallowed a fly.  
I guess she'll die.

I know an old lady who swallowed a spider.  
That wiggled and jiggled and tickled inside her.  
She swallowed the spider to catch the fly.  
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I know an old lady who swallowed a bird.  
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And so I ran; Away from there,  
But right behind; Me was that bear.

Ahead of me; I saw a tree,  
A great big tree; Oh glory be!

The nearest branch; Was ten feet up.  
I'd have to jump; And trust my luck.

And so I jumped; Into the air,  
But I missed that branch, oh way up there.

Now don't you fret; And don't you frown,  
Cause I caught that branch, On the way back down.

The moral of, This story is  
Don't talk to bears, In tennis shoes.

That's all there is, There ain't no more,  
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### **Red River Valley**

From Timberline they say you are going,  
We will miss your bright eyes and sweet smile,  
For they say you are taking the sunshine,  
That brightens our pathway awhile.

Come and sit by our side if you love us,  
Do not hasten to bid us adieu,  
But remember the Timberline Scout camp,  
And the Scouts that loved you so true.

### **Kum Ba Yah (Scout Law version)**

A Scout is trustworthy Lord, Kum Ba Yah!  
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A Scout is helpful Lord, Kum Ba Yah!  
Oh Lord, Kum Ba Yah!

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A Scout is reverent Lord, Kum Ba Yah!  
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### **Home On The Range**

Oh give me a home where the buffalo roam,  
Where the deer and the antelope play.  
Where seldom is heard a discouraging word,  
And the skies are not cloudy all day.

Home, home on the range,  
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Where the air is so pure,  
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Glory, glory how peculiar . . .  
(repeat same line 3 times  
then repeat the first two lines of verse)

As one fresh fish flipped in the fire,  
The other fresh fish flipped out.

As one purple porpoise popped in the pool,  
The other purple porpoise popped out.

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I met a bear (repeat)  
In tennis shoes (repeat)  
A dandy pair (repeat)  
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He said to me,; "Why don't you run?"  
Cause you ain't got; Any gun.

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Glory, glory how peculiar . . .  
(repeat same line 3 times  
then repeat the first two lines of verse)

As one fresh fish flipped in the fire,  
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The Grand Old Duke of York,  
He had ten thousand men.  
He marched them up the hill,  
and he marched them down again.  
Now when you're up, you're up;  
and when you're down, you're down.  
And when you're only half way up,  
You're neither up nor down.

### **As One Black Bear**

As one black bear backed up the hill,  
The other black bear backed down,  
(repeat same line 4 times)

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### **McTavish**

Oh, McTavish is dead and his brother don't know it.  
His brother is dead and McTavish don't know it.  
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and neither one knows the other is dead.  
Rank, rank, rank, rank, rank. (repeat)

### **We're All Together Again**

We're all together again, We're here, We're here.  
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### **Let Us Sing Together**

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Oh, Mairzy Doats and Doazy Doats,  
and liddle lamsy divey,  
a kiddly divey too, wooden chew?

If the words sound queer, and funny to your ear,  
A little bit jumbled and jivey.  
Sing "mares eat oats, and does eat oats,  
and little lambs eat ivy, Ohh--

### **Quartermaster Store**

There are (ants, ants, trying on the pants).  
In the store, in the store.  
There are (ants, ants, trying on the pants).  
In the Quartermaster, Quartermaster Store.

(Chorus)

My eyes are dim I cannot see.  
I have not got my specks with me  
I have [hey] not [ho] got my specks with me.

(Chorus)

My eyes are dim I cannot see.  
I have not got my spectacles with me.

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### **Sippin' Cider**

The prettiest girl (repeat)  
I ever saw (repeat)  
Was sippin' Ci- (repeat)  
Der through a straw. (repeat)  
The prettiest girl I ever saw  
Was sippin' cider through a straw.

I said to her,  
"Can I join you,  
A sippin' ci-  
Der through a straw?

Then cheek to cheek,  
And jaw to jaw,  
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And now and then  
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Dooddeley-do, dooddeley-do.  
Simplest thing, there isn't much to it.  
All you've got to do is dooddeley-do it.  
I like the rest, but the part I like best  
Goes dooddeley, dooddeley-do.

### **Three Blind Mice**

A trio of rodents with imperfect vision  
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See how they motivate  
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They motivate from the wife of an agriculturalist  
Who sliced off their posteriors with a tool from a  
butcher sho  
Have you ever seen such a vision in your existence  
As a trio of rodents with imperfect vision.

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### **Hole in the Bottom of the Sea**

There's a hole in the bottom of the sea.  
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There's a hole, there's a hole,  
There's a hole in the bottom of the sea.  
There's a log in the hole in the bottom of the sea.  
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There's a log, there's a log,  
There's a log in the hole in the bottom of the sea.

(continue with)

There's a bump on the log . . .  
There's a frog on the bump . . .  
There's a leg on the frog . . .  
There's a foot on the leg . . .  
There's a toe on the foot . . .  
There's a wart on the toe . . .  
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**She'll Be Comin' Round The Mountain**

She'll be comin' round the mountain  
When she comes, "Whoo, Hoo!"  
(pull on whistle cord)

She'll be drivin' six white horses  
When she comes, "Whoa, back!"  
(pull back on the reins)

And we'll all go out to meet her  
When she comes, "Hi, Babe!" (wave right hand)

And we'll kill the old red rooster  
When she comes, "Hack, hack!"  
(chop with right hands)

And we'll have chicken n' dumplings  
When she come, "Yum, yum!" (rub stomach)

And we'll wear our bright red woolies  
When she comes, "Scratch, scratch!"  
(scratch ribs)

And she'll have to sleep with Grandma  
When she comes, "Snore, snore!"

**Father Abraham**

Father Abraham had seven sons,  
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And they never laughed, and they never cried.  
All they did was go like this:  
On the left (shake left hand)  
(repeat adding right hand, left and right legs,  
hips, head, tongue)

**Threw It Out The Window**

Jack and Jill went up the hill  
To fetch a pail of water.  
Jack fell down and broke his crown  
And threw it out the window.  
The window, the window, the second story window.  
With a heave and a ho and a mighty big throw,  
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My Bonnie leaned over the gas tank,  
The height of its contents to see.  
I lighted a match to assist her,  
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me  
Bring back . . . etc.

My breakfast lies over the ocean.  
My luncheon lies over the rail.  
My supper lies in great commotion.  
Will someone please bring me a pail?  
Please bring . . . etc.

Who knows what I had for breakfast?  
Who know what I had for tea?  
Who knows what I had for supper?  
Just look out the window and see.

Clams, clams, clams, clams,  
Clams, and ice-cream, don't agree with me.  
Clams, clams, clams, clams,  
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### **The Battle Cry of Freedom**

Mary had a little lamb, its fleece was white as snow.  
Shouting out the battle cry of freedom.  
And everywhere that Mary went, the lamb was sure to go.  
(Chorus)

Shouting out the battle cry of freedom,  
Hurrah for Mary, Hurrah for the lamb,  
Hurrah for the teacher, who didn't give a particle,  
If all the lambs in Timberline came marching into school,  
Shouting out the battle cry of freedom.

Mary had a little lamb, its fleece was black as soot.  
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And every time it wagged its tail, it spanked its little self.

Mary had a little lamb, she tied it in the closet.  
Shouting out the battle cry of freedom.  
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Now Mary takes the lamb to school between two slabs of bread.

Mary had a steamboat, the steamboat had a bell.  
Shouting out the battle cry of freedom.  
Mary always went to school, and the steamboat went toot-toot.

#### **Found a Peanut**

Found a peanut, found a peanut,  
Found a peanut just now.  
Just now I found a peanut.  
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Cracked it open . . .  
It was rotten . . .  
Ate it anyway . . .  
Got sick . . .  
Went to the door . . .  
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Forgot my teddy bear . . .  
Went after it . . .  
Back in Heaven . . .  
Don't want me . . .  
Went the other way . . .  
Shovlin' coal . . .  
Found a peanut . . .  
Threw it away . . .

#### **My Bonnie (variations)**

Last night as I lay on my pillow,  
Last night as I lay on my bed,  
I stuck my feet out of the window,  
Next morning my neighbors were dead.  
Bring back, bring back,  
Bring back my neighbors to me, to me.  
Bring back, bring back, bring back my neighbors to me.

My Bonnie has tuberculosis.  
My Bonnie has only one lung.  
My Bonnie can cough up raw oysters  
And roll them around on her tongue.  
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