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August's the month, throughout the nation,
When we go places on vacation.
September's the month when, home again,
Nobody listens to where we've been!

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She was only a gardener's daughter, but
you didn't have to tell her where to plant
her tulips.

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"I just heard your husband's in the
hospital. What's the trouble?"

"It's his knee. I found a strange woman
on it."

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A lot of nice, fat turkey gobblers would
strut less if they could see into the future.

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An umpire is a retired baseball player
whose eyesight begins to fail him.

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The salesgirl explained it this way: "If you
remove the bodice, you will have a play-
suit. If you remove the skirt, you will have
a sunsuit. If you remove anything else,
you'll have a lawsuit."

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A man who sits in a swamp all day waiting
to shoot a duck will yammer if his wife has
dinner ten minutes late.

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The tennis courts of an Iowa high school
joined the grounds of the rectory of a
church. Occasionally, exuberant youngsters
whammed the tennis ball over the fence
onto the trim lawns. The courts had been in
use only a few weeks when a player, chas-
ing a stray ball, came face to face with a
large sign on the rectory grounds which
read: *No Trespassing*. The sign came down
overnight, however, when the tennis club
erected its own sign directly opposite. This
one read: *Forgive Us Our Trespasses*.

You know, they also have a slogan in
Russia: "Vote for the party. The life you
save may be your own."

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"My wife spends too much, nags me con-
sistently, is very untidy, and doesn't under-
stand me."

"Really? When did you meet this other
woman?"

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Thought for today: Pray for a good harvest,
but keep on hoeing.

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Many a rural romance has started on a
gallon of corn and ended with a full crib.

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A pretty, little brown-haired, brown-eyed
woman was sitting in a rocking chair in an
insane asylum and knitting. "Oh," she
sighed, "I wish some handsome man would
come in that door and make violent love to
me." A colored woman who was scrubbing
the floor near her, looked up and said, "Yo
might hab been crazy when you came in
that door, but yo sho' is talkin' sense now!"

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We waste time, we kill time, and we long
for it to pass. Then we bemoan getting old.

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When the husband came home drunk his
wife assailed him with, "If you don't stop
this drinking and carousing, I'm going to
kill myself!"

Retorted the hapless husband, "Promises!
That's all I get . . . just promises!"

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"How'd you get that black eye?"

"From a cough."

"From a cough?"

"Yeah, I coughed in a clothes closet."

Stage Manager: "My dear, I wish you
would wear a gown in the second act that
is not so daringly cut."

Actress: But that is the latest style.

Stage Manager: That may be true, but
when your husband says, "Woman, you
are hiding something from me," the audi-
ence can't figure out what he means.

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He was speaking to his four-year-old
daughter.

"Have you a kiss for Daddy?"

"No."

"Shame on you. Your Daddy works hard
all day to bring home a little money and
you behave like that. Come on now, where's
the kiss?"

Looking him right in the eye, the saga-
cious tot countered, "Where's the money?"

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The chorus girl was telling the other girls in
the dressing room about her birthday party.

"You should have seen the cake," she
told her companions. "It was marvelous.
There were seventeen candles on it—one
for each year."

There was a disbelieving silence for a
moment or two, then her best friend
smiled.

"Seventeen candles, eh?" she purred.
"What did you do—burn them at both
ends?"

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Seems a lot of men are so busy learning the
tricks of the trade that they never learn the
trade.

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Two men were discussing the coming
marriage of their buddy. "He is getting a
wonderfully accomplished girl," said one.
"She can swim, ride, drive a car, play golf,
and pilot a plane. A real all-around girl."

"They ought to get along," observed the
other. "He learned to cook in the army."