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There was a young lady of Niger
Who smiled as she rode on a tiger;
They returned from the ride
With the lady inside,
And the smile on the face of the tiger.
- William Cosmo Monkhouse

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There was an Old Man with a beard,
who said, "It is just as I feared! -
Two Owls and a Hen,
four Larks and a Wren,
Have all built their nests in my beard!"
- Edward Lear

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An ambitious young fellow named Matt
Tried to parachute using his hat.
Folks below looked so small
As he started to fall,
Then got bigger and bigger and splat!
- Graham Lester

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There was a small boy of Quebec,
Who was buried in snow to his neck;
When they said, "Are you friz?"
He replied, "Yes, I is—
But we don't call this cold in Quebec."
- Rudyard Kipling

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There was a young lady of Lynn,
Who was so uncommonly thin
That when she essayed
To drink lemonade
She slipped through the straw and fell in.
- Anonymous