There was a Young Person of Smyrna Whose grandmother threatened to burn her. But she seized on the cat, and said 'Granny, burn that! You incongruous old woman of Smyrna!'

There was an Old Man of The Hague, Whose ideas were excessively vague; He built a balloon To examine the Moon, That deluded Old Man of The Hague.



'There was an old man with a beard Who said, 'It is just as I feared, Two owls and a hen A lark and a wren Have all built their nests in my beard!'