

## Poems for Fun

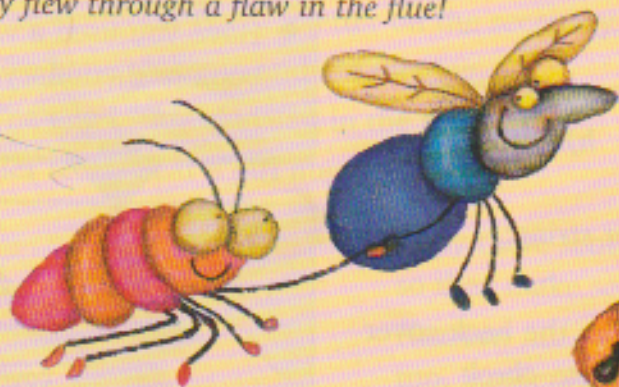
*The Adventures of Isabel*

Isabel met an enormous bear,  
 Isabel, Isabel, didn't care;  
 The bear was hungry, the bear was ravenous,  
 The bear's big mouth was cruel and cavernous.  
 The bear said, "Isabel, pleased to meet you.  
 How do, Isabel, now I'll eat you!"  
 Isabel, Isabel, didn't worry,  
 Isabel didn't scream or scurry,  
 She washed her hands and she straightened her hair up,  
 Then Isabel quietly ate the bear up!

Ogden Nash

*The Flea and the Fly*

A fly and a flea in a flue  
 Were wondering what they should do.  
 Said the fly, "Let us flee!"  
 Said the flea, "Let us fly!"  
 So they flew through a flaw in the flue!

*It's a Puzzle!*

Where can a man buy a cap for his knee  
 Or a key for the lock of his hair?  
 And can the eyes be called a school?  
 I should think so – there are some pupils there!

*The Tale of the Poor Peanut*

A peanut sat on the railway track  
 Its heart was all a-flutter.  
 Along came a train, the 10.15 –  
 Toot! Toot! – peanut butter!

