

Now the ground is white,
Go it while you're young;
Take the girls tonight,
And sing this sleighing song;
Just get a bobtailed nag,
Two-forty for his speed,
Then hitch him to an open sleigh,
And Crack! you'll take the lead.

47. RED RIVER VALLEY (84)

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

Refrain:

Come and sit by my side if you love me,
Do not hasten to bid me adieu,
'Member the Red River Valley
And the girl that has loved you so true.

Won't you think of the valley you're
leaving?
Oh, how lonely, how sad it will be.
Oh, think of the fond heart you're
breaking,
And the grief you are causing me to see?

48. HOME ON THE RANGE (79)

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.

Refrain:

Home, home on the range,
Where the deer and the antelope play
Where seldom is heard a discouraging
word,
And the skies are not cloudy all day.

How often at night when the heavens
are bright
Where the lights from the glittering stars,
Have I stood there amazed and asked as
I gazed
If their glory exceeds that of ours.

Oh give me a land where the bright
diamond sand
Flows leisurely down the stream;
Where the graceful, white swan goes
gliding along
Like a maid in a heavenly dream.

49. SHE'LL BE COMIN' 'ROUND THE MOUNTAIN (162)

She'll be comin' 'round the mountain
when she comes,
She'll be comin' 'round the mountain
when she comes,
She'll be comin' 'round the mountain
She'll be comin' 'round the mountain,
She'll be comin' 'round the mountain
when she comes.

50. BILLY BOY (24)

Oh, where have you been, Billy Boy,
Billy Boy,
Oh, where have you been, charming Billy?
I have been to seek a wife,
She's the joy of my life,
She's a young thing and cannot leave her
mother.

Did she bid you to come in, Billy Boy,
Billy Boy,
Did she bid you to come in, charming
Billy?
Yes, she bade me to come in,
There's a dimple in her chin,
She's a young thing and cannot leave her
mother.

Did she set for you a chair, Billy Boy,
Billy Boy,
Did she set for you a chair, charming
Billy?
Yes, she set for me a chair,
She has ringlets in her hair,
She's a young thing and cannot leave her
mother.

Can she make cherry pie, Billy Boy, Billy
Boy,
Can she make a cherry pie, charming
Billy?
She can make a cherry pie,
Quick's a cat can wink her eye,
She's a young thing and cannot leave her
mother.

51. SMILE AWHILE (A GYMNASTIC RELIEF) (170)

Smile awhile and give your face a rest,
(All smile)
Stretch awhile and ease your manly
chest.
(Arms to side)
Reach your hands up toward the sky,
(Hands up)

"EVERYBODY SINGS"
