MANANAGRAMS

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I sorely miss Ed Conti's "Bananagrams" (May'98-May'03) and offer a weak echo and tribute, Mañanagrams--anagrams to put [you] off till tomorrow. Instead of rhymes, they offer sentences in which one or two (2) words are replaced by anagrams. It's up to you to figure out which and what. Most are obvious to easy but some are not easy, so all are given in Answers and Solutions at the back of this issue.

(Parenthetical renal-pathetic [piss poor] comments are not hints, more like red herrings.) [PA\textsuperscript{RENTHETIC}]

1. One good runt deserves another.
2. God can't draw a straight Nile! (You think that's bad, look at the Yangtze.)
3. Doctor and would-be comic: "Open your mouth and say ha." (Try it without opening your mouth!)
4. Kraft sells seabird steak and onions in tins. (By-product of long-line fishing?)
5. (2) The casters must be talented for a film to be good. ("Win film fame, come across.")
6. He misread her from a distance. (I've done that!)
7. Bad girls deserve domination. (Never had the chance to do that.)
8. The snake filled her with adder. (Sounds kinky!)
9. Death awaits all abhorrent life. (Capital punishment?)
10. Follow the acid-test of your conscience.
11. I'm always nope-minded to new ideas. ("No thanks, I thought at the office.")
12. (2) The manliest prisoners suffered alien's poisoning. (prison poison!)
13. He had a haggard, egad look about him. (Yet it didn't hold me breathless.)
14. Watching TV airless suffocated me. (Indeed, an altered state of consciousness.)
15. I was altered by the alarm clock. (Old crackers never die, they just go stale.)
16. She had beautiful old-man eyes. ("Peter's pence"--but whose who's Peter?)
17. She's an old pro, staler in the business. (Married his young niece?)
18. She's now a nun with the Sisters of the Scared Heart. (I bet you could use a non-allegorical unalienating hint on this one.)
19. I'll never understand the alms-fee. (Jockeying for position?)
20. As the incestuous uncle said to his niece, "Come, sit on my pal."
21. The boring old statesman's marriage was of alarming interest. (an Al Truism)
22. (2) Most allegorists are alienators. (an Al Truism)