AT HOME WITH THE HUMPTY DUMPTY FAMILY

JANUARY

a poem by MARTIN GARDNER

When your mother
     Starts to spread
Extra blankets
     On the bed,

And you hear
     A freezing rain
Pound upon
     The window pane,

And the corners
     Of the sheet
Feel like ice
     Against your feet,

Then you know
     At last, my son,
January
     Has begun!