

**BANANAGRAMS 9**

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Bananagrams--anagrams to drive you bananas--consist of rhymed couplets, each one containing a pair of anagrams to be solved. One of the rhyming words will always be an anagram, and the couplet itself will offer clues to help solve the anagram. Answers can be found in Answers and Solutions at the end of the issue.

You can count on me, said the lovely dallier.  
And so I did. (I'm a xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx.)

"A," "An," and "the" are often vital.  
And that concludes my xxxxxxxx xxxxxxxx.

When she said, "I should have went,"  
Was it a xxxxxxx lapse or a mere xxxxxxx?

Did you misle me? he asked, beguiled.  
No, I xxxxxxx you, I said and xxxxxxx.

Semper fi. What does it mean?  
Once you enlist, you xxxxxxx a xxxxxxx.

Don't go far and do not stray.  
The xxxxx limits are xxxxx.

The Brothers Grimm are that and more.  
The monster, the xxxx, all kinds of xxxx.

Who cooked up this ancient saw?  
Soldiers know that xxx is xxx.

How he glows after a sexual feat!  
XXXXXXXXXXXX. XXXXXXXXXXXX.

Go with the floe in the Eskimo style.  
When ma'x xxxxxxx it's time to xxxxxxx.