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*On practice shots I'm confident,
My left arm's straight, my knees are bent,
I swivel, shift, and follow through,
And do the things I ought to do.
With graceful ease beyond compare
I hit the ball that isn't there.*

*But when the ball is on the tee
The strangest change comes over me.
My elbow flies, my grip is loose,
My stance becomes hypotenuse.
My left arm warps, my knees turn stiff,
And with a might swing — I whiff!*

—Ethel M. Havens

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