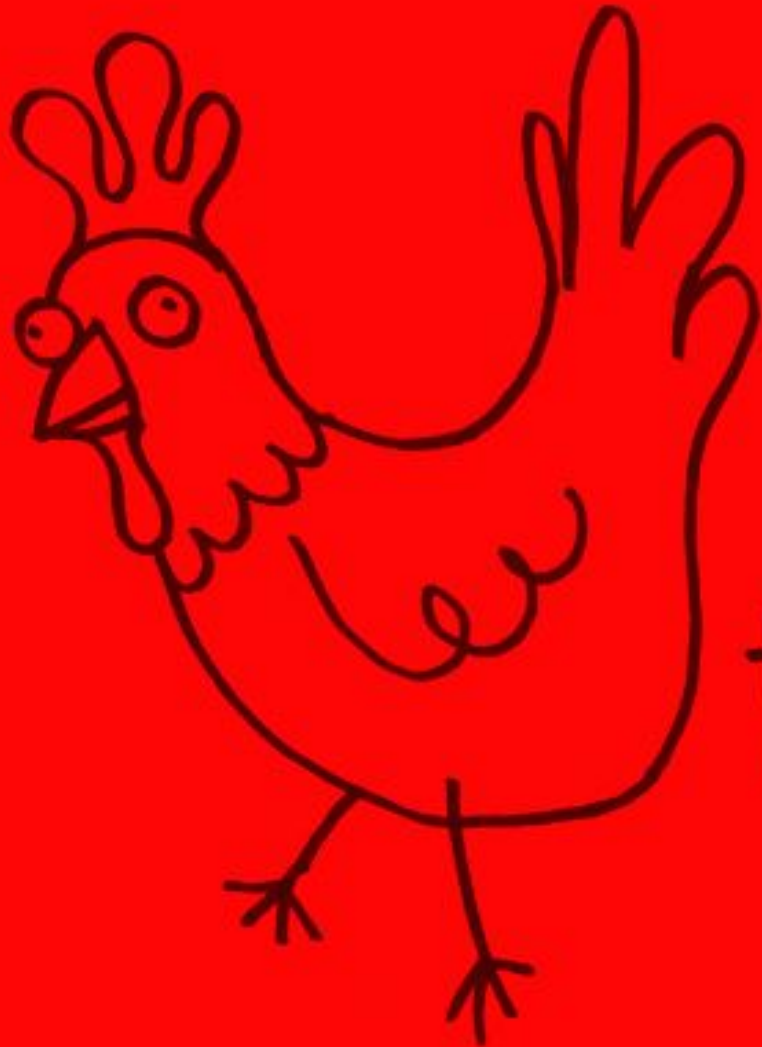




# ODD LAWS AND TRADITIONS

# It is illegal for chickens to cross the road in Quitman, Georgia



WHY DID  
THE CHICKEN  
CROSS THE ROAD?  
BECAUSE HE WAS  
A REBEL WITHOUT  
A CAUSE

ITS ILLEGAL  
FOR A CHICKEN TO  
CROSS THE ROAD IN  
QUITMAN, GEORGIA

In Mohave County, Arizona, if anyone is caught stealing soap, he must wash himself with it until the soap is gone



In North Dakota, no one can be arrested on the Fourth of July, a holiday that is commonly known there as “Five Finger Discount Day”



In Tennessee, it is illegal for children to play games on Sunday without a license

WHY?



It is illegal in California to lick toads. Apparently, some people were licking toads to get high. Unfortunately, some people were being harmed by the toads' poison



It is against Michigan state law to tie  
a crocodile to a fire hydrant



Colorado law states that a man cannot marry his wife's grandmother





A woman in a housecoat is forbidden to drive a car in California



# A man is forbidden to kiss a woman while she's asleep in Logan County, Colorado



In Challis, Idaho, it is illegal to walk  
down the street with another man's  
wife.



# Flirting in Little Rock, Arkansas, can land someone in jail for 30 days



There are still laws in Pueblo,  
Colorado, stating that it is illegal to  
grow dandelions



A woman in Memphis, Tennessee, is not allowed to drive a car unless a man is in front of the car waving a red flag to warn people and other cars



In Kalispell, Montana, children must  
have a doctor's note if they want to  
buy a lollipop



In Eureka, Nevada, it is illegal for men who have mustaches to kiss women





In Texas, the Encyclopedia Britannica was banned because it contained a formula for making beer



It's illegal in St. Louis, Missouri, for a fireman to rescue a woman wearing a nightgown



Buying ice cream on Sundays was illegal in Ohio because it was thought to be frivolous and “luxurious”



According to Florida law, anyone who takes a bath must wear clothes



Women in Whitesville, Delaware, could be charged with disorderly conduct if they propose marriage to a man



In Kentucky, it is against the law to remarry the same man four times



In Dyersburg, Tennessee, it is against the law for a girl to telephone a boy to ask for a date



In 1659, Massachusetts outlawed Christmas.  
According to state law, anybody observing  
Christmas would be fined five shillings





Policemen are allowed to bite a dog if they think it will calm the dog down in Paulding, Ohio



In Zeigler, Illinois, only the first four firemen to arrive at a fire will be paid





- **Bizarre National  
Customs From  
Around The World**

# UK: saluting lone magpies



# NETHERLANDS: congratulating the entire family on someone's birthday



# SCOTLAND: Wearing skirts and reciting poetry once a year



# AUSTRIA: Pulling fingers



# DENMARK: Throwing cinnamon at single people





# FRANCE: buying funny hats for your unmarried friends



# GERMANY: following a sock-garland to your birthday party



# GERMANY: Cleaning on your thirtieth birthday



# FINLAND: Competitive wife-carrying



# ALSO FINLAND: Athletic boot-throwing



# ALSO MEXICO: Throwing money for children



# Canada: Keep Your Comics Clean



# It's Illegal to Build Big Snowmen in Souris, P.E.I.





**It's Illegal to Whistle in Petrolia, Ont.**

