1.Those second-hand pianos are selling like hot cakes,if you want one,youd better buy one now before theyre all gone.sell like hot cakes=sell very well or very quickly

2.Whenever I have to make a speech I get butterflies in my stomach.get butterflies in ones stomach=ger nervous

3 He would do anything for his daughter.She was the apple of his eye.be the apple of ones eye=be very precious to sb. 4 Lend me $30,please,Tom,Im broke at the moment.be broke=doesnt have any money5 The accident was caused by a taxi driver jumping the green light.jump the green light=doesnt wait for the traffic lights to change to green6.You didnt think I was serious,did you,Joe! It was a joke! I was pulling your leg, thats all.pull ones leg=tease someone,

7 Because the owner wanted a quick sale, the painting went for a song-only $1000.If something "goes for a song",it is sold very cheaply8 He caught the last train by the skin of his teech.By the skin of ones teech=the person only just caught the last train.he almost missed it.9 There was a shortage of food. so you had to pay through the nose for what you could find.To "pay through the nose"for something is to pay far more for something than it is really worth   10 If he finds out what you did with the companys money,hell hit the roof.hit the roof=get very angry11 The sky got very dark and soon the rain began to bucket down.bucket down = rain very heavily12 They all chip in for the benefit of

Simpsons widow and little child.chip in= contribute money

13.He usually buys his clothes off the peg.Its cheaper than going to a dressmaker.Off the peg clothes =

14 Now stop beating about the bush and tell me what happened!beat about the bush= avoid saying directly what you mean15 I really must go and lie down for a while .Ive got a splitting headache.splitting headache= painful headache 100Test