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Here, hold my basket
while I swim out
to gather more
red weeds

Dust off
the recipe, mum
and bring water
to a boil

We’re
making
weed jelly
tonight

We should sow sea-
weed in the Wheatbelt
where the salinity’s
just right

What’ll
they call
the belt
then?

Jellybelt

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