



An Octogenarian Makes a Dryer Ball

When one gets into one's last decades
And laundry becomes a weekly chore
The washing load is heavy to move
Who wants to do it anymore?
Carry upstairs to a clothesline in winter
Two flights, heavy wet with water
The snow's a challenge to the outside line
Fine in the summer, but takes more time

In 2022 a call is heard
An electric dryer is the word
Hookup it up, a vent to outside
A new 220 circuit will abide
It's said that drying time will be reduced
If "Dryer balls" are introduced
They remove the static electricity
And make the towels so soft and fluffity
You can buy them or make your own
A skein of wool wound round and round
A hot water soak yields the right size ball
And voila, soft sheets and towels y'all

Next up: a microwave oven. No! Not yet.

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