**Crocodile**

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When doukin in the River Nile  
I met a muckle crocodile.  
He flicked his tail, he blinked his ee,  
Syne bared his ugsome teeth at me.

Says I, 'I never saw the like,  
Cleaning your teeth maun be a fyke!  
What sort a besom do ye hae  
To brush a set o teeth like thae?"

The crocodile said, 'Nane ava.  
I never brush my teeth at aa!  
A wee bird redds them up, ye see,  
And saves me monie a dentist's fee.

