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Early to bed
and early to rise
makes a boy
healthy, wealthy
and quieter than usual.

Least
said,
soonest
mended.

All good things
must come
to an end.

No use
crying
over spilt
milk.

Children
should be
seen
and not
heard.

If you
can't be
good,
be
careful.

What's done
cannot be
undone.

RIP



JIM

who ran away from his Nurse and was eaten BY a LION

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There was a Boy
whose name was Jim;

His Friends were
very good to him.

Toxic-Skinned Salamander

YOU KNOW—

Rapacious Crocodile of the Nile

Snapping Turtle

at least you *ought* to know,

Whip-Tongued Chameleon

Radiated Tortoise

For I have often told you so –

Banded Krait (deadly bite)

That Children never are allowed To leave their Nurses in a Crowd;

Now this was Jim's
especial Foible,
He ran away
when he was able,

And on this inauspicious day
He slipped his hand and ran away!

