

The page is framed by a detailed illustration of a crocodile. The top half shows the crocodile's head on the left, with its mouth open, revealing sharp teeth and a pink tongue. Its body extends across the top, showing textured scales and a large, bumpy eye. On the right, the crocodile's tail is visible, showing a pattern of dark and light scales. The background of the illustration is a swampy area with green reeds and a blue body of water. At the bottom of the page, a blue fish is swimming in the water.

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Lewis Carroll

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