Zoological Gardens

The Dubliners

Oh thunder and lightning is no lark When Dublin city is in the dark So if you've any money go up to the park And view the zoological gardens

We went out there to see the zoo
We saw the lion and the kangaroo
There was he-males and she-males of every hue
Up in the zoological gardens

We went out there by Castleknock Says she to me "Sure we'll court on the lock" Then I knew she was one of the rare old stock From outside the zoological gardens

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We went out there on our honeymoon Says she to me "If you don't come soon I'll have to get in with the hairy baboons" Up in the zoological garden

Says she to me "It's seven o'clock And it's time for me to be changin' me frock For I long to see the old cockatoo" Up in the zoological garden

Says she to me "Me lovely Jack
Sure I'd love a ride on the elephant's back
If you don't get out that I'll give you such a smack
Up in the zoological garden

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