

## Bushflies

Australia's bloody bushflies  
Are worse than the bloody "drouth."  
They crawl into your ears and eyes,  
And your nose and your bloody – phbbbt – *mouth!*

I woke up in the bush one day  
And cut a wattle wand  
And swished and swished the flies away  
Until all of them were gone.

When my eyes could spy no more of them  
I thought, "Aren't I the deft one!"  
Not knowing there were four of them  
In the corner of my left one.

It's Australia's bloody citadel  
To be as thoroughly fly-ed as rabbit-ed,  
If the bloody things should bite at all,  
She'd be bloody uninhabited!