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Skipping through the flowers of May,  
Crushing stems and leaves,  
Picking flowers here, picking flowers there,  
The amputated grieves,  
I picked a bloodroot—see it bleed!  
Oh what a gay and gory deed!  
I picked a snapdragon—see it snap!  
And look, the stem is oozing sap,  
I'm making three-leaved plants of these,  
Just two leaves off is all they need,  
Oh watch my great, long, slashing stick,  
Make natures green fall dead and thick,  
And since we find this place so pretty,  
We'll cement it in and build a city.

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