A bun in the oven. PLAY MEDIA

Am gooin to mi Auntie Annie's I like her, she's big un fat, She allus has er pinny on Un her hair done in a plait.

Yer can allus smell her cookin Is it apple er jam tart? Er maybe rhubarb crumble Eh! It nearly breaks mi heart.

At last she'll oppen th'oven dooer It smells as it's from heaven, Lovely scones un currant cake Eh! Am glad am only seven.

She'll sit me deawn ert side ert grate Un say, "Ast washed thi paws? Well here thi are, now eat it up That's wor ave cooked it for."

Eh! A love mi Auntie Annie
A know she's big un fat,
Un a know she's gor er foncy mon
With er big black trilby hat.

But he's like me, he likes his grub, Un mi Auntie Annie too, So don't worry Auntie Annie, I'll not tell on you.

What's matter Auntie Annie?
Why's yer eye all bruised un black?,
Why's all yer Sunday clothes
Tied up i that big sack?.

Tell mi Auntie Annie
When your Sam come home from t'pit,
Did he see yer wi yer foncy mon
Then nearly have a fit?

But Auntie Annie only sighed As she rolled her pastry flat, "It's him a love who eats mi cake Un wears a black trilby hat."

"Well I never said," I cried aloud But Auntie only laughed, "Don't fret thisel, it's over now But thar uncle must be daft."

"He never liked mi currant cakes, Mi tarts un apple crumble, But him wi't trilby hat Well, a never heard him grumble."

"So now am movin out o' town Un thal nee'r see mi no mooer, Am off wi him wi't trilby hat That's hangin oon yon door."

"But Auntie Annie, I love thi too Although thas big un fat, Through eatin all them cakes Wi him wi't trilby hat."

Well I nee'r saw Auntie Annie Till I was nine er ten, Er wer walkin deawn yon street Un didn't haif look well.

So a said, "Hey Auntie Annie, Dost remember me?" "Eh lad," said Auntie Annie "Ave got a lad like thee.

His only two, 'ere tek a look,"
Un in't yon pram wer sat,
A babby eatin' currant cake
Wi a small black trilby hat.

Sally James.