

Aelius LAMPRIDIUS

Antoninus Elagabalus

Caput XXVIII, 3

Habuit et hippopotamos et crocodillum et rhinocerotem et omnia Aegyptia, quae per naturum sui exhiberi poterant.

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Besides hippopotami, a crocodile and a rhinoceros, and in fact, everything Egyptian, which was of such kind that it could be supplied.