James Mason

I watched a movie in which James Mason was talking to the great Anne Bancroft. They were outside and there were children frolicking around the table. James Mason asked one of the girls what animal she liked the most. She replied penguins and they all laughed a little too hard. That was their cue for the children to run off. James Mason then turns to the great Anne Bancroft and says "aren't they delicious". Yes James Mason, I suppose they are delicious. I knew what you meant, don't worry.

Questions for the reader:

Were children delicious in 1964? Or does everything make sense coming from the caramel covered voice of James Mason?