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"Inter Folia Fructus."

“TRIPLES LIGHT AS AIR,”



*By Sòng "is anger forgotten, the Devil driven
away, and melancholy and evil thoughts are
expelled."*



INTRODUCTION.



THE four small collections here reprinted have become extremely rare, and consequently no apologies are needed for their reproduction. The Volume contains—

1. The Bishopric Garland, or Durham Minstrel, which first appeared in 1784, and, again, enlarged in 1792.
2. The Yorkshire Garland, published in 1788.
3. The Northumberland Garland, dated 1793.
4. The North Country Chorister, issued in 1792.