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« Difficile est proprie communia dicere. »

HOR. *Epist. ad Pisom.*

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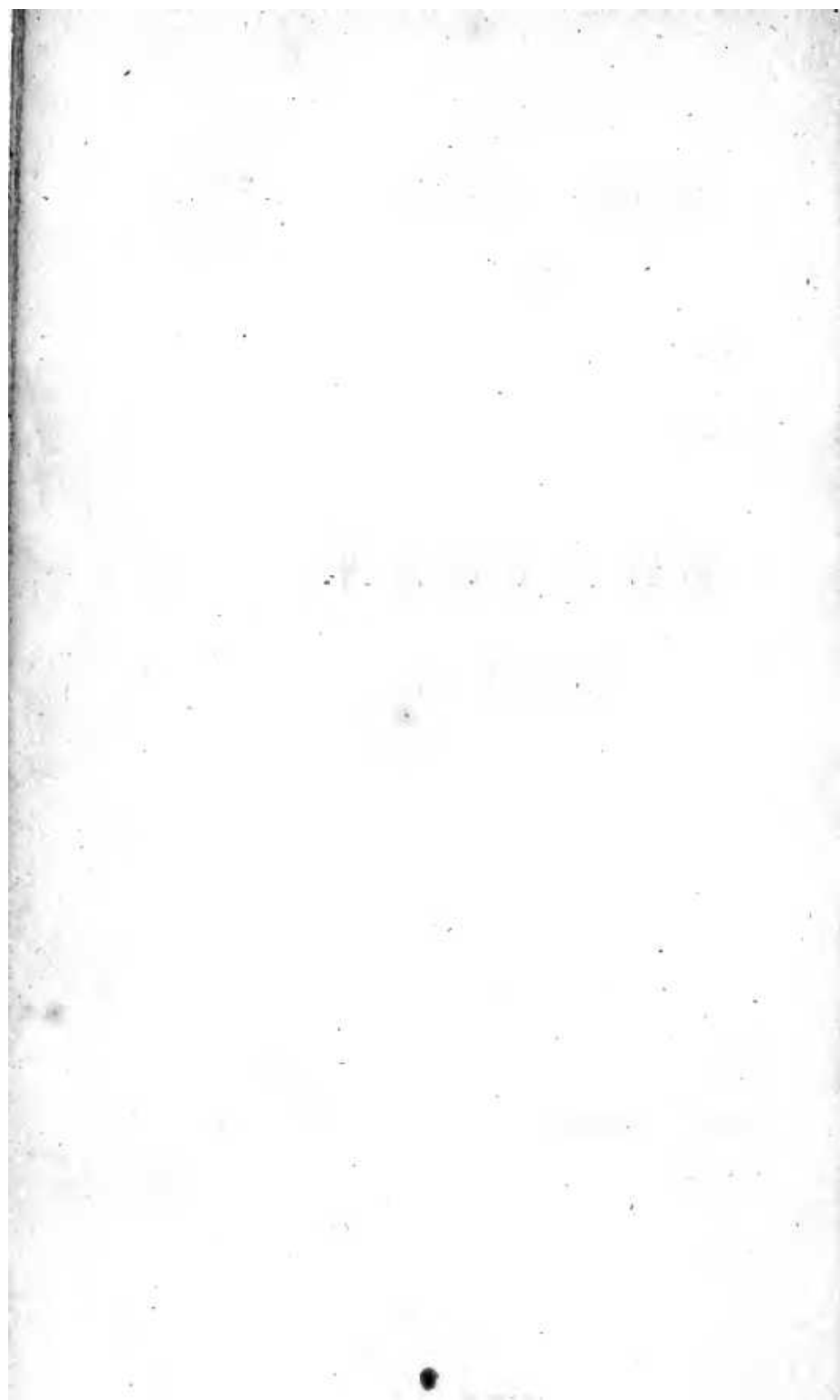
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**CANTO I.**



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## CANTO I.

### I.

I WANT a hero : an uncommon want,  
When every year and month sends forth a new  
one,  
Till, after cloying the gazettes with cant,  
The age discovers he is not the true one ;  
Of such as these I should not care to vaunt,  
I'll therefore take our ancient friend Don Juan,  
We all have seen him in the Pantomime  
Sent to the devil, somewhat ere his time.

### II.

Vernon, the butcher Cumberland, Wolfe, Hawke,  
Prince Ferdinand, Granby, Burgoyne, Keppel,  
Howe,  
Evil and good, have had their tithe of talk,  
And fill'd their sign-posts then, like Wellesley  
now ;