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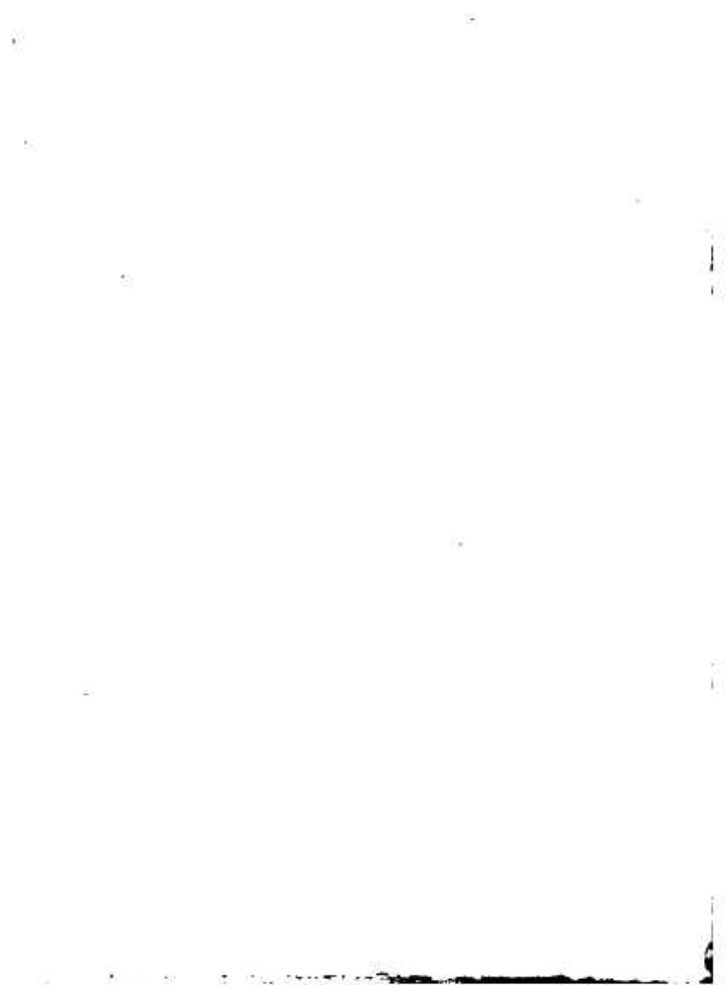
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'Posies' are the poetry of posy rings and kisses. They will be found to explain themselves. These couplets are just innocent pretty things to which we might well return. Their composition exercised the wit of many courtly rhymers of the Sixteenth, Seventeenth, and Eighteenth centuries. During many years I have searched for 'posies,' and these are the best which I have found.

A. L. H.



A GARLAND OF LOVE

A · CONSTANT · HEART
WITHIN · A · WOMAN'S · BREST
IS · OPHIRE · GOLD
WITHIN · AN · IVORY · CHEST ·



A · FRIEND · INDEED · IN · TYME · OF
NEED



A · FRIEND · TO · ONE · AS · LIKE · TO
NONE ·



A · FRIEND · TO · THEE · I'LL · EVER
BE ·

POSY-RING MOTTOES

A . HAPPY . BREST
WHERE . LOVE . DOTH . REST



A . HEART . CONTENT
CANNOT . REPENT .



A . HEART . UNITED . TRUE
CONTENTED .



A . KIS . FOR . THIS .



A . LOVEING . WIFE . A . HAPPY
LIFE .



A . LOVING . WIFE . PROLONGETH
LIFE .

POSY-RING MOTTOES

A . MAIDEN . VERTUOUS . CHASTE
AND . FAIR
IS . A . IEWEL . PAST . COMPARE
AND . SUCH . ARE . YOU . IN . WHOM
I . FIND
VERTUE . IS . WITH . BEAUTY
IOYND' .



A . TOKEN . SENT
WITH . TRUE . INTENT .



A . VIRTUOUS . WIFE . A . HAPPY
LIFE .



A . VIRTUOUS . WIFE . DOTH
BANISH . STRIFE .



A . WOMAN . KIND . ALL . JOY . OF
MIND .