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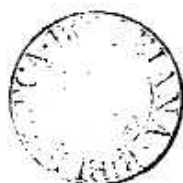
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"Trifles light as air." — SHAKESPEARE.

"Lusimos si quid vacui sub umbra." — HOR.

LONDON

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1843.



TO

THE COUNTESS OF BLESSINGTON,

AS A SLIGHT TRIBUTE TO HER BRILLIANT LITERARY TALENTS

AND UNAFFECTED KINDNESS OF HEART,

*These Poems*

ARE INSCRIBED,

WITH EVERY FEELING OF REGARD AND ESTEEM,

BY

THE AUTHOR.

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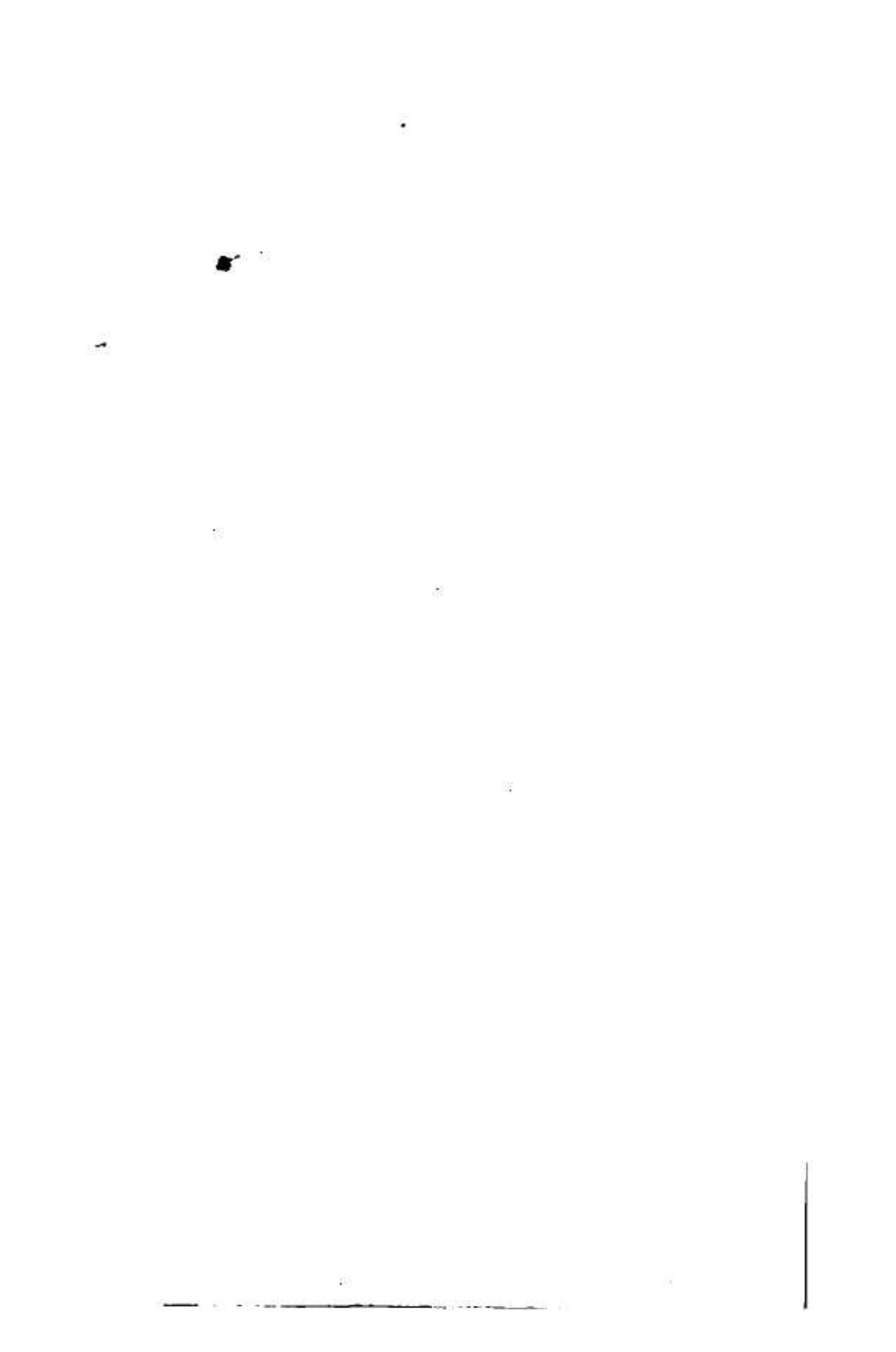
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## ANACREONTIC.

"Carpe diem quàm minimùm credula postero."

HOR., Ode xi, lib. 1.

COME, crown your brows with flowers,

Fill high the mantling glass,

We'll pelt the laughing hours

With rose-leaves, as they pass.

Free from all care and sorrow,

Let us be blithe and gay;

Let come what may to-morrow,

Enjoy at least to-day.