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CRITICS AND REVIEWERS.

Critics there are of many sorts,
And manifold propensities :
First comes the man who merely snorts
And straightway airs his densities.

He seizes on an author's book,
Pretending to review it ;
But soon reveals the squinting look
With which he means to do it.

No sooner finds he evidence
That it may prove successful
Then memory wakes in him the sense
Of his own fate distressful.