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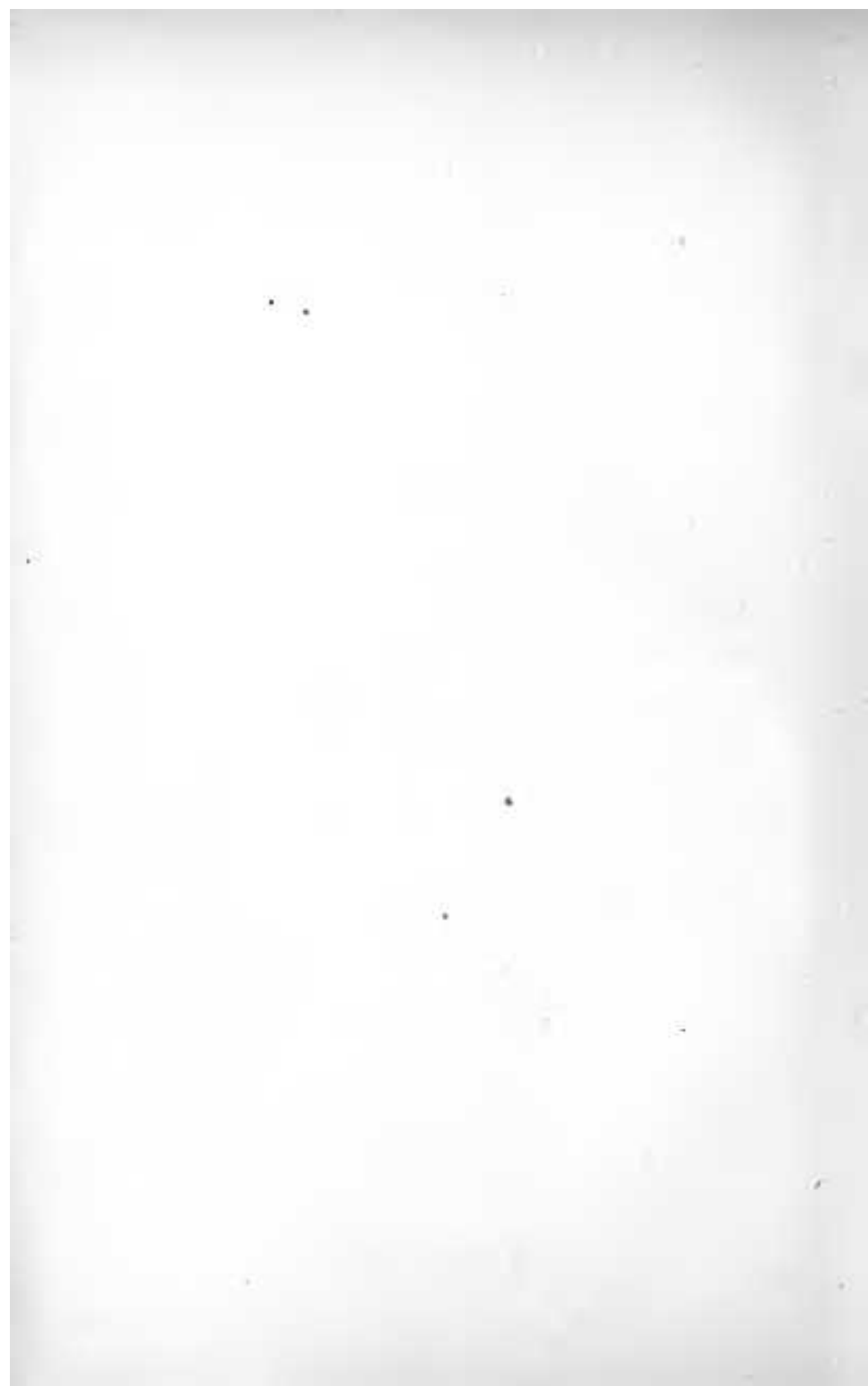
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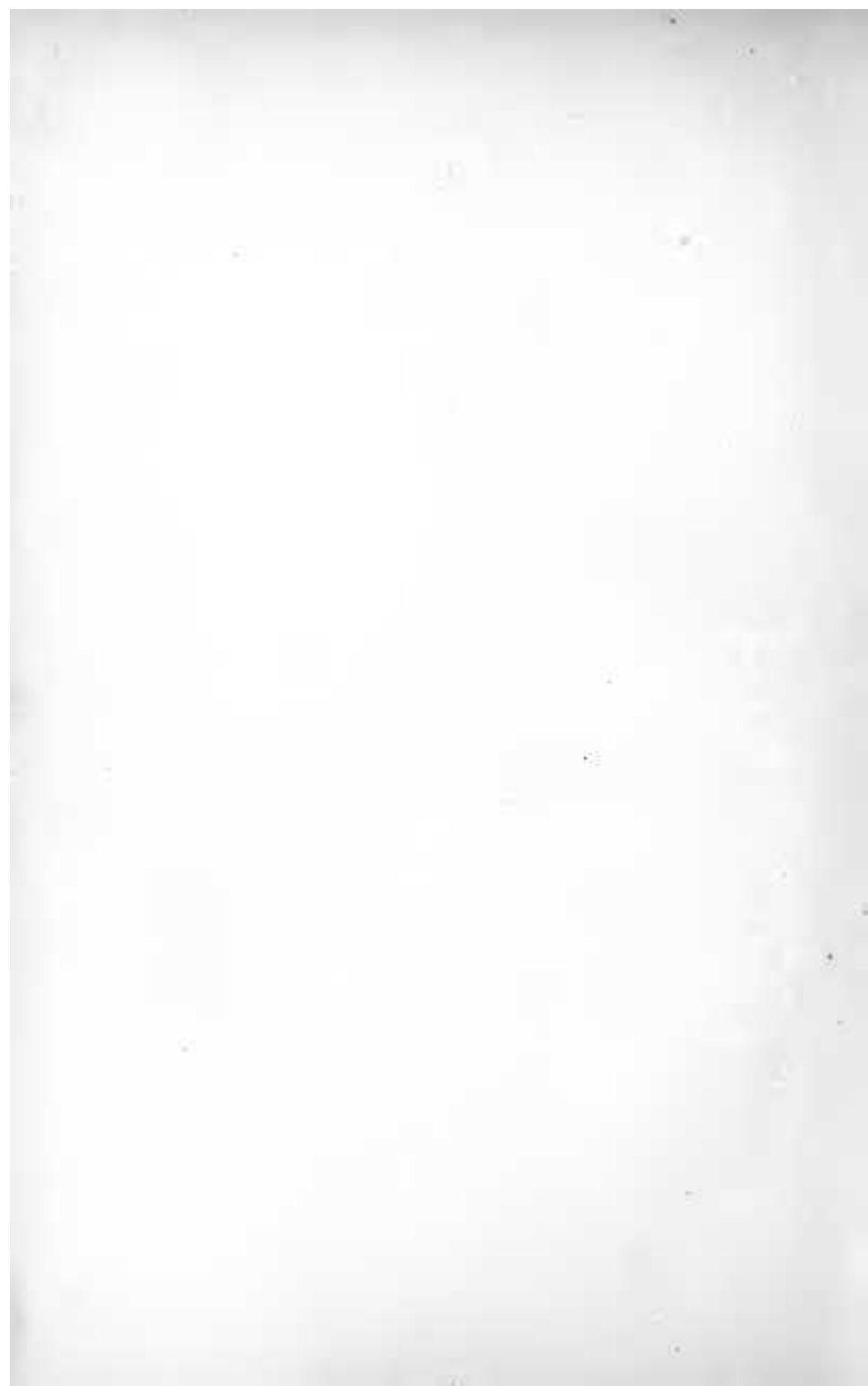
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PREFACE.

THESE Verses are selected from a scrap-book which it has taken over forty years to fill. The larger part of them came to me unsought while I was driving my horse or resigning myself to the movement of the railway-train. Goethe somewhere says that such spontaneous verses are the truest revelation of the man who writes them.

PORTLAND, MAINE, 1888.



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