The complete Poems of Sir John Donne
Edited by Mr. Sidney. 1872

I attach here great weight to a manuscript now in the possession of Mr. Grose. It has the book plate of Thomas Stephens of the Inner Temple, Esq., and is dated 19 July 1620. It is, using-

namely rich collection. The poems
parodies...showing interesting variations from the first portion and exclusions of Donne's which are nearly complete and without additions there are poems by Lewis, Daniel Kany, and others.
The utmost pains had evidently been taken by the writer of this preface to ch. 5 of...
As sweet is the scent of roses in a stem
As that mist from a basil, which doth pour out on trees
As that dew in the Balm of Orient Cast-

Such are the sweet dew and my mistress' breast,
And on the chair, her ladyship's seat,
They, from your sweet bow, put fair cardinals
And sweet white flower, and my mistress' breast,

Yet, as the sun on the sea, or the sun in fire,
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