

On a toothless woman
 Scylla is toothless, yet when she was young
 she had both tooth enough and too much young
 what would I now of toothless Scylla say
 But that her young hath worn her teeth away.

On his faire Mistress
 If she not wondrous faire? But oh if see
 she is so much too sweet, too faire for mee.
 What I forget my flames and a new fire
 hath taught me not to love, but to admire.
 Just like the same methinks I see her face
 wh' I must gaze on still yet not embrace.
 For his heavens pleasure shee shee would be sent
 to us: and bids us see mee hope for blis
 not to profane her with a mortall kiss.
 Then how cold grows my love, & I how hot
 & how I love her, how I love her not?
 Thus both my age love torment by turns
 for now it freezeth, now againe it burnes.

On a gentlewoman injured by a fox
 If beauty sweeter than in Juoys plaine
 Laid by the fox inauspiciously was plaine:
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On a fly drowned in his mistresses see.
 When this fly kind mee vsd to play
 on the sunshine of the day
 till coming nere my Celia's sight
 shee felt a strang and unknown light
 but full of glorie that it made
 the midday sunne but as a shade.
 Then this amorous fly became
 my rivall, & did court my flames
 from head to bottom shee did fly
 and on her breast, her neck, her lipps
 suckt all y^e mirth, & the spice
 and grew y^e bird of paradise
 at length into her see mee flew
 where shee with flame, and deereht wth dew
 in Phacton from y^e sun's pleasure
 shee fell, & with her dropt a teare
 of which a pearl was straight composd
 which shee ussd by the world.
 soe shee receivd from Celia's see
 thence all fire, boomb, obsequie.

On Mr Washington
 Howe of whoe these ashes were
 And hee of wondrous swaying swears
 the same fates we'd as hee appears
 counting his vertues for his years
 his goodness mad them overture
 will send him four score at eight score.
 Enquire not his Disease or paine
 hee died of nothing else but Spaine.
 Now he is not allow'd to live
 unless hee stealt, a quiet grave
 hee needs no epitaph or stone.
 But this; here lies Cou'd Washington
 with this will beare in y^e loof dur:
 And every queerd behold, must
 when hee weigths him, and from his gaze,
 Remov y^e letters with his teares.

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