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illy-white here hands are, Lilly-white her thighs Little starry strands are The locks above her eyes.

Violets here eyes are, Her hands are valley-lillies, Her eyes are like the skies are, Her breasts are daffodillies.

Violet and lilly-gold, Petalled daffodills, She's joyous as the hilly gold Upon the Gorsy Hills. I'll pluck her valley-lillies, And steal her violets, I'll turn her daffodillies To gold-lipped triolets.

I'll cross the hills beyond ; oh ! I'll seek her in the sun ; I'll sing to her my rondeau Until her heart is won.

And oh ! her hands are lillies, And lilly-white her thighs, But still her softest thrill is Beneath her violet eyes.