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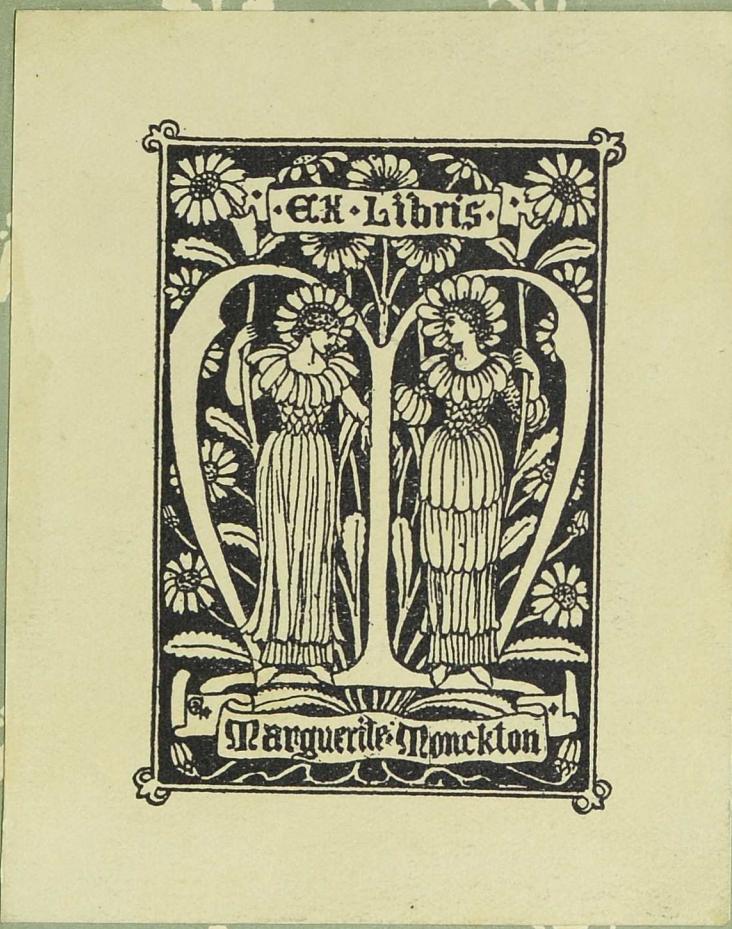


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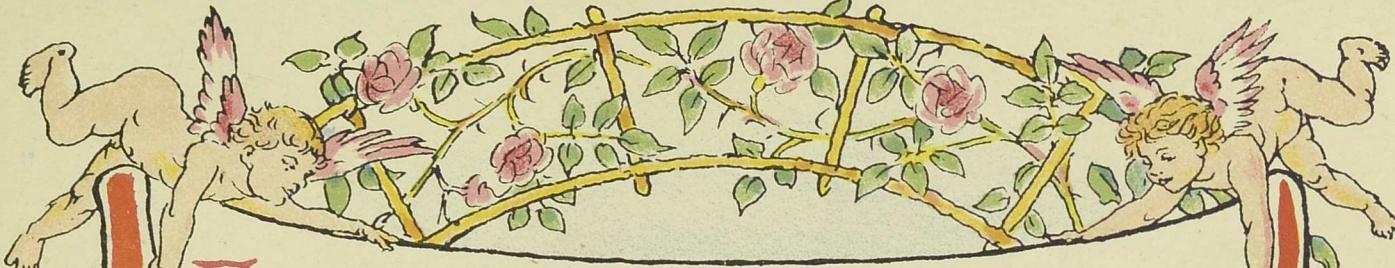
Flowers from  
Shakespeare's  
Garden

To the Countess of Warwick,  
whose delightful Old English  
Garden at Easton Lodge sug-  
gested this book of fancies, it is  
now inscribed.

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a Posy from the Plays, pictured by Walter Crane



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'-O PROSERPINA,  
For the flowers now, that, frightened, thou lett'st fall  
From Dis's wagon !



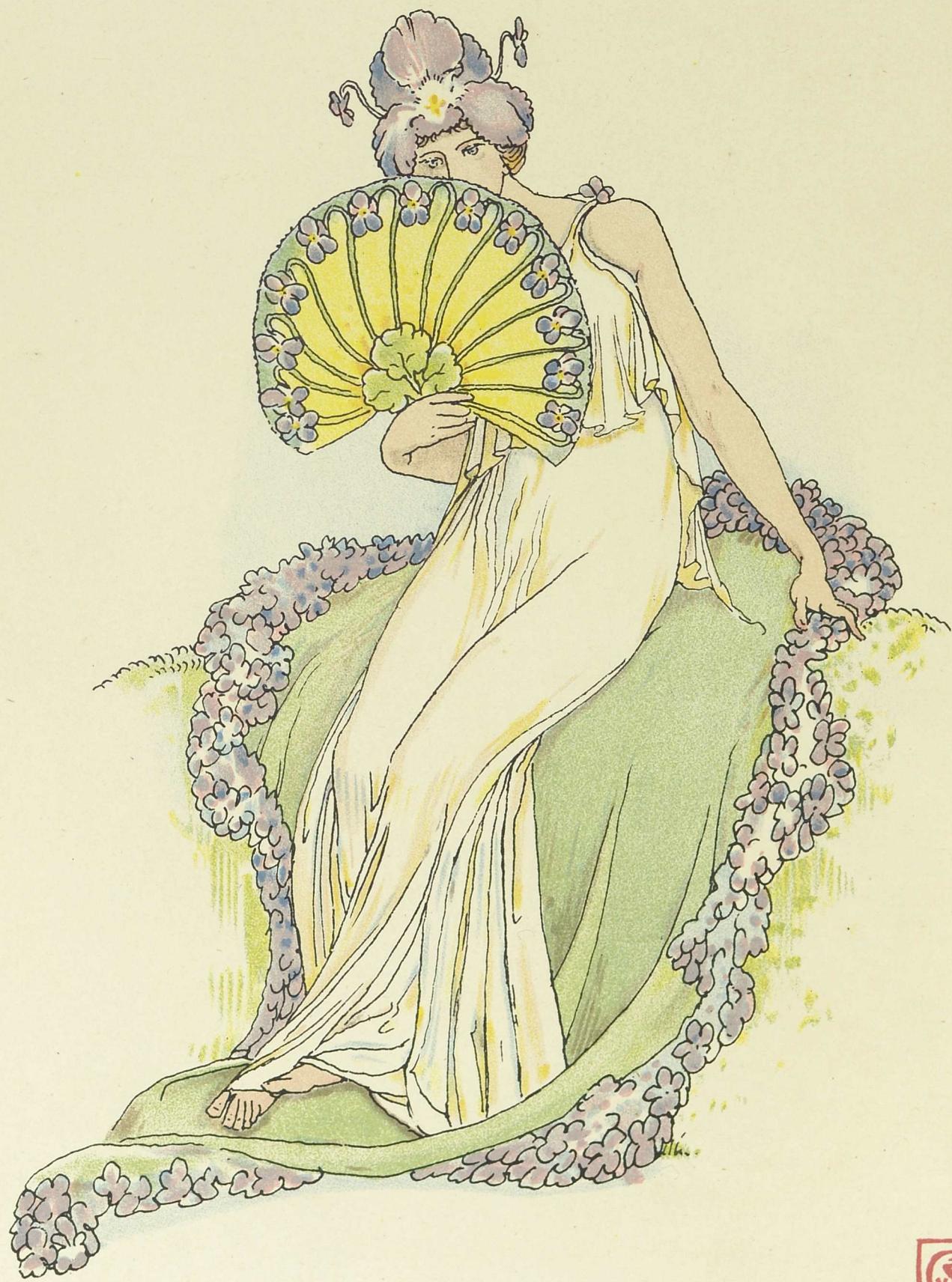
3.

daffodils,  
That come before the swallow dares, and take  
The winds of March with beauty;



violets, dim

But sweeter than the lids of Juno's eyes



Or Cytherea's breath;

5.



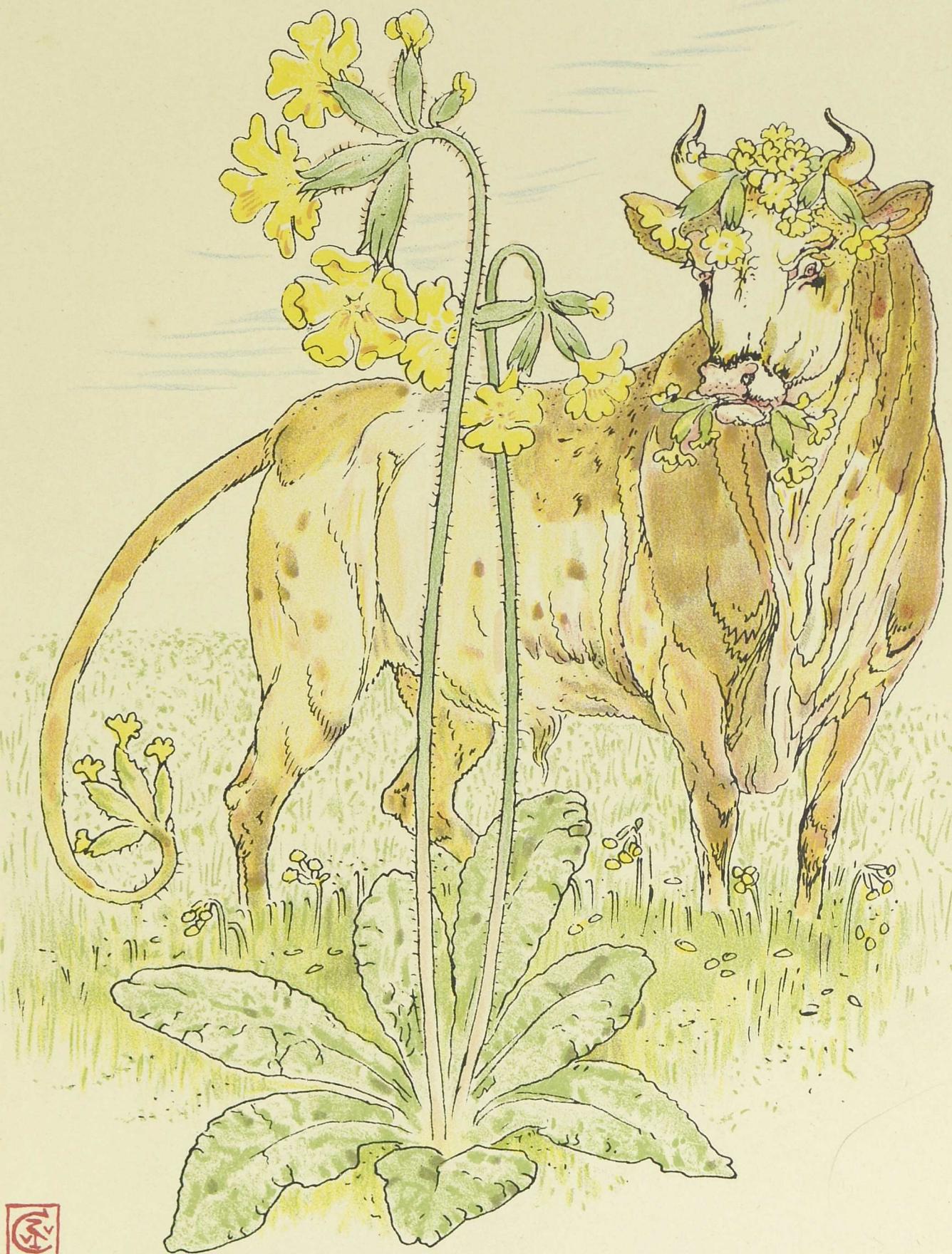
pale primroses,

"That die unmarried, ere they can behold  
Bright Phœbus in his strength, a malady  
Most incident to maids;



bold oxlips, and

7.



The crown - imperial;



lilies of all kinds,



The flower-de-luce being one!"



“

—Here's flowers for you;



"Hot lavender,



*mints,*

savorie, marjoram;



The marigold that goes to bed with the sun,  
And with him rises weeping;

Perdita.  
Winter's Tale  
Act. IV. Sc. III.



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16.

The fairest flowers o' the season  
Are our carnations,

"

Perdita.  
Winter's Tale  
Act. IV. Sc. III.



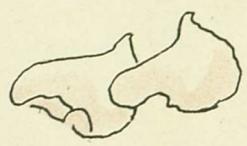
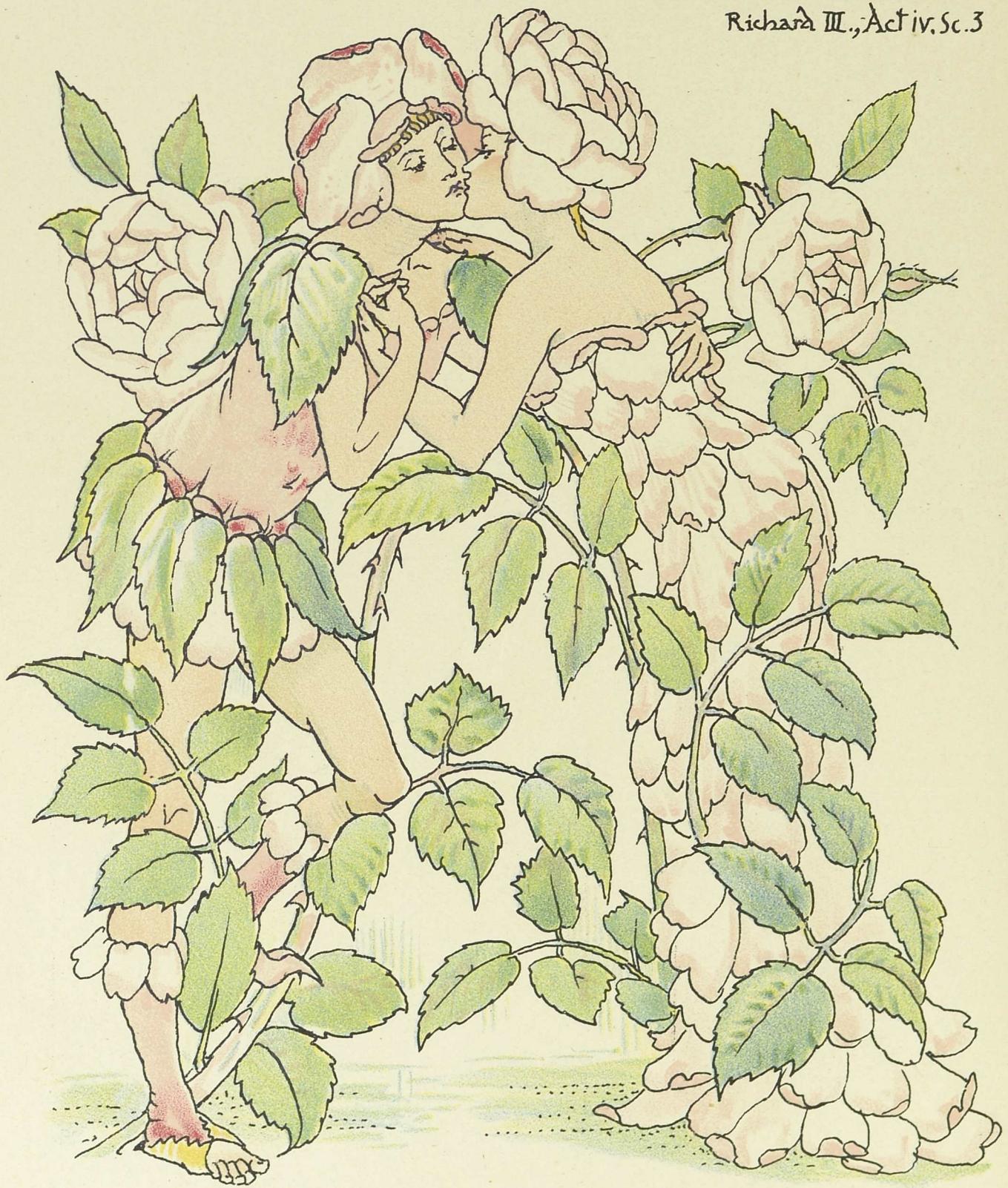
She went to the garden for **parsley**

(*Taming of the Shrew*  
Act: IV. Sc. 4.)



"**T**heir lips were four **red roses** on a stalk,  
**W**hich in their summer beauty kissed each other"

Richard III., Act IV. Sc. 3



"Enter OPHELIA,

fantastically dressed with straws and flowers.



“**T**here’s rosemary,  
that’s for remembrance;

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— and there is **pansies**,  
that's for thoughts."



"There's fennel for you,

22.



and columbines:

23.



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— there's **rue** for you; and here's some for me:  
— we may call it, herb-grace o' **Sundays**:



— There's a **daisy** : —

25.

"

Hamlet. Act. IV. Sc. VI.



"I know a bank where the  
wild thyme blows, —

26.



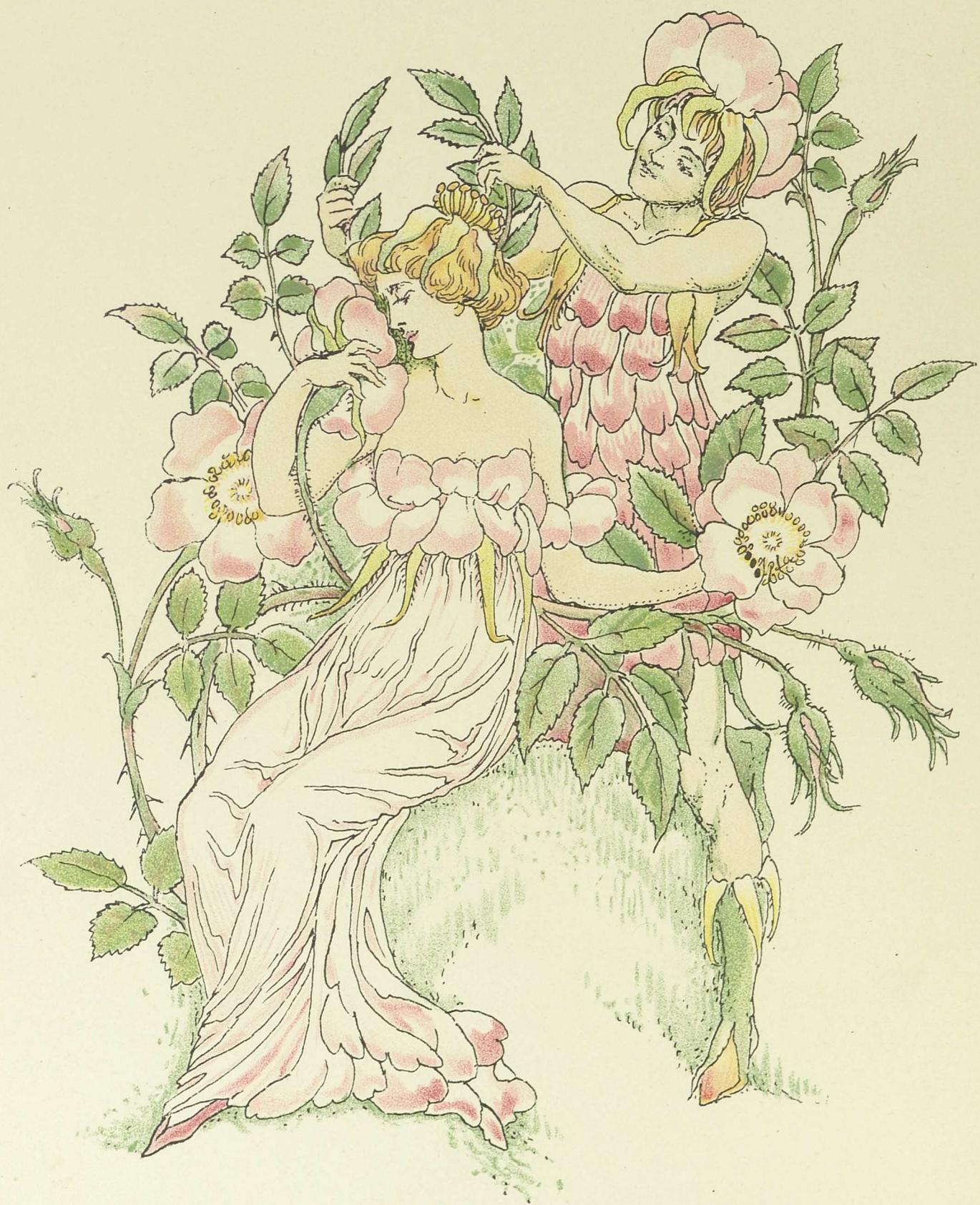
Quite over-canopied with luscious  
woodbine,

27.



**“With sweet**  
**musk roses,**

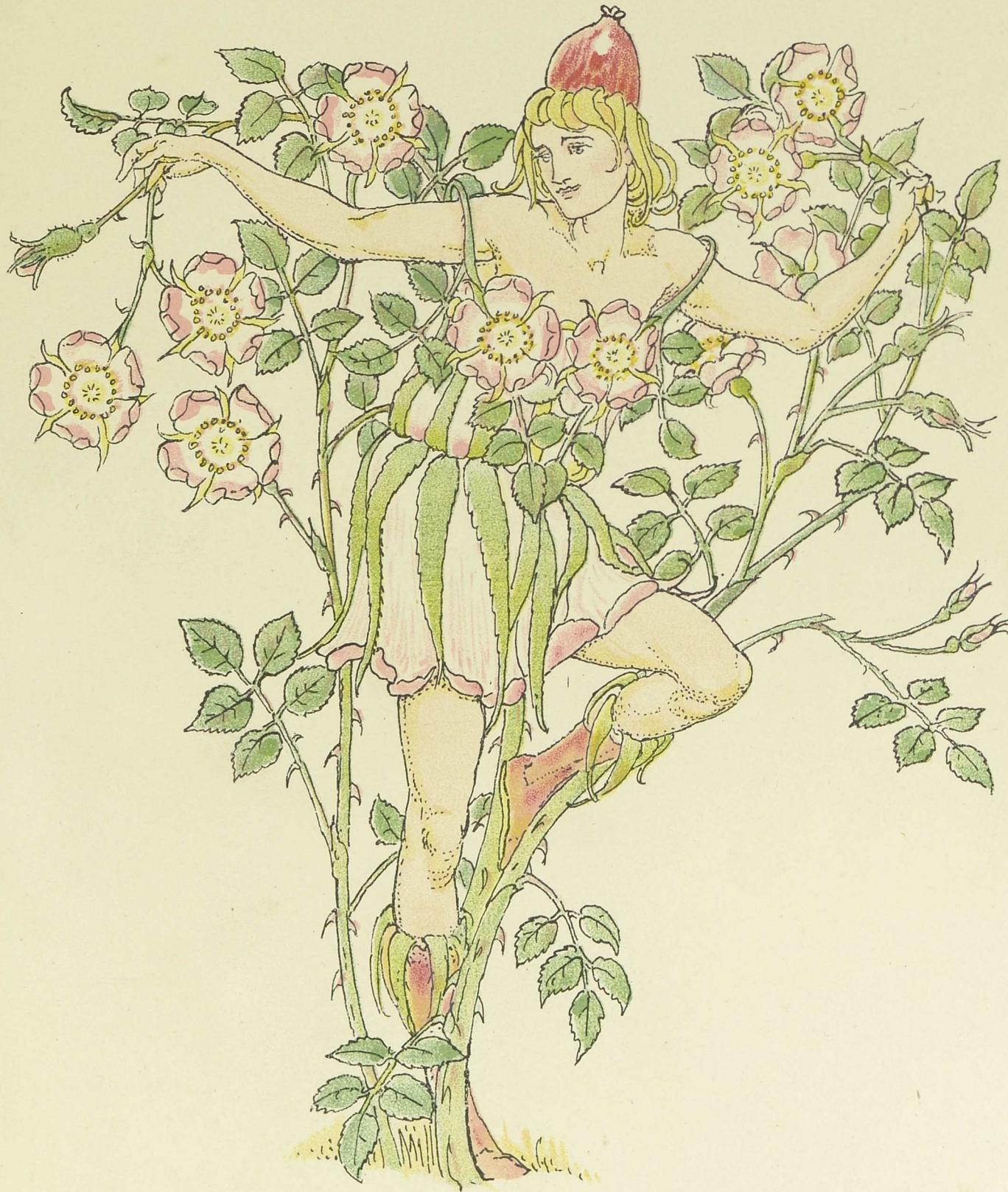
28.



and with

eglantine."

Midsummer Night's  
Dream, Act ii., sc. 1



"CERES, most bounteous lady, thy rich lees  
Of wheat, rye, barley,"

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Tempest, Act iv, Sc. 1,



"Allons! allons! sowed **cockle** reap'd no com." 31.

*Love's Labour's Lost, Act iv.  
Sc. 3.*



"The azured harebell, like thy veins."

32.

Cymbeline, Act iv, Sc. 2.



" Larksheels trim "

Two Noble Kinsmen.



"Get you some of this distilled *Carduus Benedictus*<sup>34.</sup>  
and lay it to your heart; — "

"Why *Benedictus*? You have some moral in this  
*Benedictus*

"Moral? No, by my troth. I have no moral meaning:  
I meant, plain Holy thistle "



Much Ado  
about Nothing.  
Act III., Sc. 4.



"The female ivy so  
Enrings the boky fingers of the elm"

Midsummer Night's Dream.  
Act V., Sc. 2.



"The strawberry grows underneath the nettle,  
And wholesome berries thrive and ripen best  
Neighoured by fruit of baser quality"

Henry V.,  
Act I., Sc. 1



"Gives not the hawthorne-bush a sweeter shade  
To shepherds, looking on their silly sheep,  
Than doth a rich embroidered canopy  
To kings that fear their subjects' treachery?"

3 Henry VI., Act ii., sc. 5.



"If reasons were as plentiful as blackberries"

I Henry IV, Act ii, Sc. 4



"Heigh-bo! sing, heigh-bo! unto the green holly"

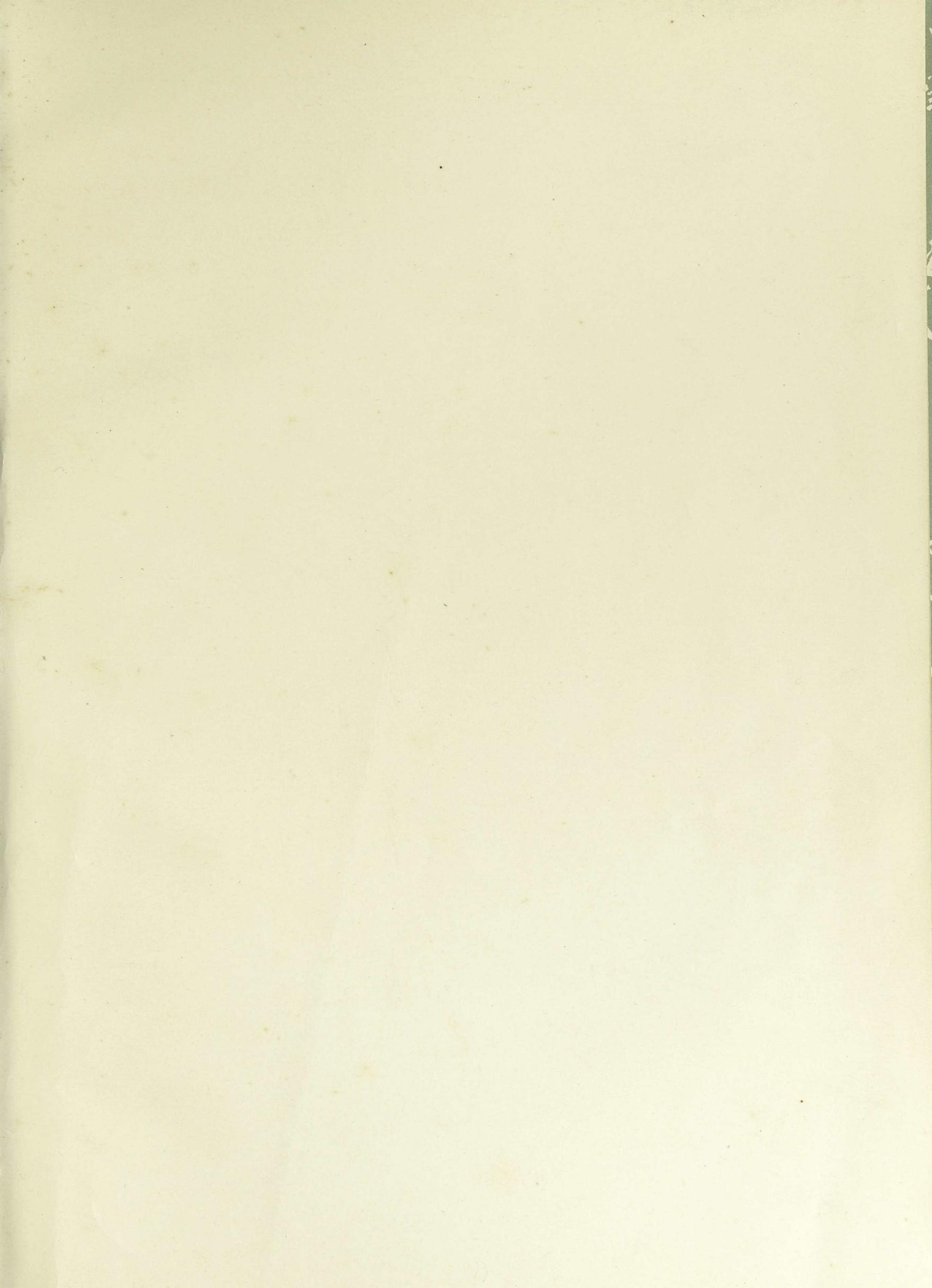
As You Like  
It,  
Act ii., Sc. 7.



'Prerogative of age, crowns, sceptres, laurels.'

Troilus & Cressida, Act i., Sc., 3



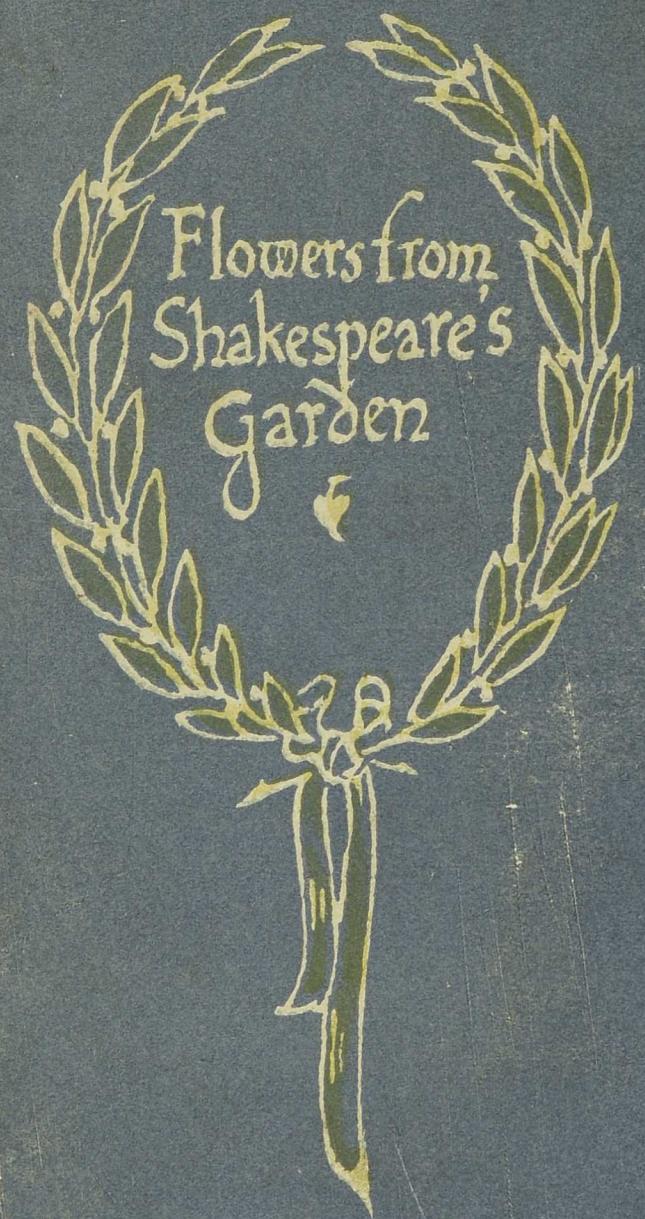






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