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See C3 gerto, "Sis heart was not confederat with his longue".

from Bich. II. AN. S. 3." My heart was not confederate with my hand."

F geto, "Mights Candles burn obscure" See Rom. and Jul. A. III. S. S.

H 2 verso, "Last, yet as great in love," See Julius Casar, Act 10, Se. 1., but

"the some expression is found in Clays before ?

That speace's time "Malone.

# ENGLISH-MEN For my Money: OR,

# A pleasant Comedy, called,

A Woman will have her Will.



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# The Actors names.

Pisaro, a Portingale.

Laurentia,?
Marina, Pisaros Danghters. May 1873 Mathea.

Anthony, a Schoolemaister to them.

Ferdinand, or Heigham, Suters to Pisares Daughters.
Ned, or Walgraue,

Delion, a Frenchman, Success also to the 3. daughters. Vandalle, a Dutchman,

Frisco a Clowne, Pisares man.

M. Moore.

Towerfon a Marchant.

Balfaro:

Browne a Clothier

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# Enter PISARO.

Pilaro. Ow smugge this gray-eyde Morning seemes to bee, Apleasant fight; but yet more pleasure have I To thinke vpon this moystning Southwest Winde, That drives my laden Shippes from fertile Spaine: But come what will, no Winde can come amisse, For two and thirty Windes that rules the Seas, And blowes about this ayerie Region ; Thirtie two Shippes haue I to equall them: Whose wealthy fraughts doe make Pisarorich: Thus every Soyle to mee is naturall: Indeed by birth, I am a Portingale, Who driven by Westerne winds on English shore, Heere liking of the foyle, I maried, And have Three Daughters: But impartiall Death Long fince, depriude mee of her dearest life: Since whose discease, in London I have dwelt: And by the sweete loude trade of Viurie, Letting for Interest, and on Morgages, Doe I waxe rich, though many Gentlemen-By my extertion comes to miserie: Amongst the rest, three English Gentlemen, Haue pawnde to mee their Liuings and their Lands : Each seuerall hoping, though their hopes are vaine, By mariage of my Daughters, to possesse Their Patrimonies and their Landes againe: But Gold is sweete, and they deceive them-selves; For though I guild my Temples with a smile, Itis but Indas-like, to worke their endes,

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Enter Laurentia, Marina, Mathea, and Anthony.

Laur. Now Maister, what intend you to read to vs?

Anth. Pisaro your Father would have me read morall PhiMari. What's that?

Anth. First tell mee how you like it?

(losophy.

Math. First tell mee now you like it?

Pisa. They be my Daughters and their Schoole-maister,

Pisaro, not a word, but list their talke.

Anth. Gentlewomen, to paint Philosophy, Is to present youth with so sowre a dish, As their abhorring stomackes nill digestes. When first my mother Oxford (Englands pride) Fostred mee puple-like, with her rich store. My study was to read Philosophy: But fince, my head-strong youths vabridled will, Scorning the leaden fetters of restraint, Hath prunde my feahers to a higher pitch. Gentlewomen, Morall Philosophy is a kind of art, The most contrary to your tender sexes; It teacheth to be grave: and on that brow, Where Beawtie in herrarest glory shines, Plants the sad semblance of decayed age:-Those Weedes that with their riches should adorne, And grace faire Natures curious workmanship, Must be converted to a blacke fac'd vayle, Griefes liuerie, and Sorrowes semblance: Your food must be your hearts aboundant sighes, Steep'd in the brinish licquor of your teares: Day-light as darke-night, darke-night spent in prayer: Thoughts your companions, and repentant mindes, The recreation of your tired spirits: Gentlewomen, if you can like this modestie, Then will I read to you Philosophy. Laur

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Laur. Not I. Mari. Fie vponit. Math. Hang vp Philosophy, Ile none of it. Pisar. A Tutor said I; a Tutor for the Diuell. Anth. No Gentlewomen, Anthony hath learn'd To read a Lector of more pleasing worth. Marina, read these lines, young Harnie sent them, There every line repugnes Philosophy: Then love him, for he hates the thing thou hates. Laurentia, this is thine from Ferdinande: Thinke every golden circle that thou fee'ft, The rich vnualued circle of his worthe. Mathea, with these Gloues thy Ned salutes thees As often as these, hide these from the Sunne, And Wanton steales a kisse from thy faire hand, Presents his seruiceable true harts zeale, Which waites vpon the censure of thy doome: What though their Lands be morgag'd to your Fathers Yet may your Dowries redeeme that debt: Thinke they are Gentlemen, and thinke they loue; And be that thought, their true loues aduocate. Say you should wed for Wealth; for to that scope Your Fathers greedy disposition tendes, The world would fay, that you were had for Wealth, And so faire Beawties honour quite distinct: A masse of Wealth being powrde vpon another, Little augments the shew, although the summe; But beeing lightly scattred by it selfe. It doubles what it seem'd, although but one: Euen so your selves, for wedded to the Rich, His stile was as it was, a Rich man still: But wedding these, to wed true Loue, is dutie: You make them rich in Wealth, but more in Beawtie: I need not plead that smile, that smile shewes hearts con-That kisse shew'd love, that on that gift was lent: And last thine Eyes, that teares of true joy sendes,

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As comfortable tidings for my friends. (procure,

Mari. Haue done, haue done; what need'st thou more.

When long ere this I stoop'd to that faire lure:

Thy euer louing Harwie I delight it:

Marina ener louing shall requite it young.

Teach vs Philopop'? Ile be no Nunne;

Age scornes Delight, I loue it being:

There's not a word of this, not a words part;

But shall be stamp'd, seal'd, printed on my heart;

On this Ile read, on this my senses ply:

All Arts being vaine, but this Philosophy.

Laur. Why was I made a Mayde, but for a Man?

And why Laurentia, but for Ferdinand?

The chastest Soule these Angels could intice?

Much more himselfe, an Angell of more price:

were't thy selfe present, as my heart could wish, Such vsage thou shouldst have, as I give this.

Anth. Then you would kisse him?

Laur. If I did, how then?

Anth. Nay I say nothing to it, but Amen.

Pifa. The Clarke must have his fees, Ile pay you them. Math. Good God, how abic & is this single life,

Ile not abide it; Father, Friends, nor Kin,
Shall once disswade me from affecting:
A man's a man; and Ned is more then one:
Yfayth Ile haue thee Ned, or Ile haue none;
Doe what they can, chafe, chide, or storme their fill,
Mathea is resolu'd to have her will.

Pija. I can no longer hold my patience.
Impudent villanie, and laciuious Girles,
I haue ore-heard your vild conversions:
You scorne Philosophy: You'le be no Nunne,
You must needes kisse the Pursse, because he sent it.
And you for sooth, you flurgill, minion,
A brat scant solded in the dozens at most,
Youle have your will for sooth; What will you have?

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Math. But twelve yeare old? nay Father that's not lo, Our Sexton told mee I was three yeares mo.

Pisa. I say buttwelue: you'r best tell mee I lye. Whatsirra Anthony.

Anth. Heere sir.

Pifa. Come here sir, & you light huswives get you in: Stare not voon me, moueme not to ire: Exent sifters.

Stare not vpon me, mouemenot to ire:

Nay firra Ray you here, lle talke with you:

Did I retaine thee (villaine) in my house,

Gaue thee a stipend twenty Markes by yeare,

And hast thou thus infected my three Girles,

Vrging the loue of those, I most abhord;

Vnthrifts, Beggers; what is worse,

And all because they are your Country-men?

Anth. Why fir, I taught them not to keepe a Marchants Booke, or cast accompt: yet to a word much like that

word Accounte.

Pisa. A Knaue past grace, is past recouerie.
Why sirra Frisco, Villaine, Loggerhead, where art thou?

Enter Frisco, the Clowne.

Frise. Heere's a calling indeed; a man were better to liue a Lords life and doe nothing, then a Seruing creature, and neuer be idle. Oh Maister, what a messe of Brewesse standes now upon the poynt of spoyling by your hastinesse; why they were able to have got a good Stomacke with child euen with the sight of them; and for a Vapour, oh precious Vapour, let but a Wench come neere them with a Painted sace, and you should see the Paint drop and curdle on her Cheekes, like a peece of dry Essex Cheese toassed at the fire.

Pifa. Well sirra, leave this thought, & minde my words, Gine diligence, inquire about For one that is expert in Languages, A good Musitian, and a French-man borne; And bring him hither to instruct my Daughters, Ile nere trust more a smooth-fac'd English-man.

Frisc. What, must I bring one that can speake Langua-

ges,

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ges? what an old Asseis my Maister; why he may speake flaunte taunte as well as French, for I cannot understand him.

Pifa. If he speake French, thus he will say, Anee anee:

What, canst thou remember it?

Frisc. Oh, I have it now, for I remember my great Grandfathers Grandmothers sisters coosen told mee, that Pigges and French-men, speake one Language, amee awee; I am Dogg at this: But what must be speake else?

Pisa. Dutch. Frisc. Let's heare it?

Pisa. Haunce butterkin slowpin.

Fris. Oh this is nothing, for I can speake perfect Dutch when I list.

Pisa. Can you, I pray let's heare some?

Frisc. Nay I must have my mouth full of Meate first, and then you shall heare me grumble it foorth full mouth, as Hannee Butterkinslowpin frokin: No, I am a simple Dutch-wan: Well, Ileabout it.

Pifa. Stay firra, you are too hastie; for hee must speake

one Language more.

Frise. More Languages? I trust he shall have Tongues enough for one mouth: But what is the third?

- Pisa. Italian.

Fris. Why that is the easiest of all, for I can tell whether he have any Italian in him even by looking on him.

Pisa. Can you so, as how?

Frisc. Marry by these three poynts; a Wanton Eye, Pride in his Apparell, and the Diuell in his Countenance. Well, God keepe me from the Diuel in seeking this Frenchman: But doe you heare mee Maister, what shall my fellow Anthony doe, it seemes he shall serue for nothing but to put Lattin into my young Mistresses. Exit Frisco.

Pisa. Hence asse, hence loggerhead, begon I say.

And now to you that reades Philosophy,

Packe from my house, I doe discharge thy service,

And come not necromy dores; for if thou dost,
llemake thee a publike example to the world.

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Antho. Well crafty Fox, you that worke by wit,

It may be, I may live to fit you yet.

Exit Antho.

Pija. Ah firra, this tricke was spide in time,
For if but two such Lectures more they'd heard,
For euer had their honest names been marde:
Ile in and rate them: yet that's not best,
The Girles are wilfull, and seueritie.
May make them carelesse, mad, or desperate.
What shall I doe? Oh! I hauefound it now,
There are three wealthy Marchants in the Towne,
All Strangers, and my very special friendes,
The one of them is an Italian:
A French-man, and a Dutch-man, be the other:
These three intyrely doe affect my Daughters,
And therefore meane I, they shall have the tongues,
That they may answere in their several Language:
But what helpes that? they must not stay solong,

But what helpes that? they must not stay so long,
For whiles they are a learning Languages,
My English Youths, both wed, and bed them too:
Which to preuent, Ile seeke the Strangers out,
Let's looke: tis past aleauen, Exchange time full,
There shall I meete them, and conferre with them,

This worke craues hast, my Daughters must be Wedde, For one Months stay, fayth farrewell Mayden head.

of Enter: Harvie, Heigham, and and History

Heigh: Come Gentlemen, w'are almost at the house, I promise you this walke ore Tower-hill, and Of all the places London can afforde, and amount of the places London can afford the places Lon

Hath sweetest Ayre, and fitting our defires. T

Harn. Good reason, so it leades to Croched-Fryers. Where old Priare, and his Daughters dwell, Looke to your feete, the broad way leades to Hell! They say Hell standes below, downe in the deepe,

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Ile downe that Hill, where such good Wenches keepe, But sirra Ned, what sayes Mathea to thee? Wilt fadge? wilt fadge? What, will it be a match?

Walg. A match fay you? a mischiefe twill as soone: Should I can scarce begin to speake to her. But I am interrupted by her father Ha, what say you? and then put ore his snoute, Able to shaddow Powles, it is so great. Well, tis no matter, firrs, this is his House, Knocke for the Churle bid him bring out his Daughter; He, sbloud I will; though I be hanged for it,

Heigh. Hoyda, hoyda, nothing with you but vp & ride, Youle be within, ere you can reach the Dore.

And haue the Wench, before you compasse her: You are too hastie, Pifaro is a man,

Not to be fedde with Words, but wonne with Gold.

But who comes heere?

Enter Anthony.

Wale. Whom, Anthony our friend? Say man, how fares our Loues? How doth Mathen? Can she love Ned? how doth she like my sute? Will old Pifaro take me for his Sonne; For I thanke God, he kindly takes our Landes, Swearing, Good Gentlemen you shall not want, Whilst old Pisaro, and his credite holds: He will be damn'd the Roage, beforehe do't?

Haru. Prethy talke milder: let but thee alone, And thou in one bare hower will aske him more, Then heele remember in a hundred yeares: Come from him Anthony, and fay what newes?

Antho. Thenewes for me is badd; and this it is:

Pifaro hath discharg'd me of his service.

Heigh. Discharg'd thee of his seruice; for what cause? Anth. Nothing, but that his Daughters learne Philosophy. Haru. Maydes should reade, that it teacheth modestie.

Antho.

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Antho. I, but I left out mediocritic,
And with effectuall reasons, vrgd your loues.

Walg. The fault was small, we three will to thy Maister and beggethy pardon.

And begge thy pardon.

Antho. Oh, that cannot be,

Hee hates you farre worser, then he hates me;
For all the loue he shewes, is for your Lands,
Which he hopes sure will fall into his hands:
Yet Gentlemen, this comfort take of me,
His Daughters to your loues affected be:
Their father is abroad, they three at home,
Goe chearely in, and cease that is your owne:
And for my selfe, but grace what I intend,
Ile ouerreach the Churle, and helpe my Frend.

Heigh. Build on our helpes, and but deuisethe meanes.

Antho. Pisaro did commaund Frisco his man, (A simple sotte, kept onely but formyrth) To inquire about in London for a man, That were a French-man and Musitian, To be (as I suppose) his Daughters Tutor: Himif you meete, as like enough you shall, He will inquire of you of his affayres; Then make him answere, you three came from Paules, And in the middle walke, one you espide, Fit for his purpole; then discribe this Cloake, This Beard and Hatte: for in this borrowed shape, Must I beguile and ouer-reach the Foole: The Maydes must be acquainted with this drift. The Doore doth ope, I dare not flay reply, Least beeing discride: Gentlemen adue, And helpe him now, that oft hath helped you. Exit.

Enter Frisco the Clowne.

Wal. How now firra, whither are you going?

Fris. Whither am I going, how shall I tell you, when I doe not know my selfe, nor understand my selfe?

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Heigh. What dost thou meane by that?

Frisc. Marry sir, I am seeking a Needle in a Bottle of Hay, a Monster in the liknesse of a Man: one that in stead of good morrow, asketh what Porrage you have to Dinner, Parley vous signiour? one that never washes his singers, but lickes them cleane with kisses; a clipper of the Kings English: and to conclude, an eternall enemie to all good Language.

Haru. What's this? what's this?

Fris. Doe not you fmell me? Well, I perceive that witte doth not always dwel in a Satten-dublet: why, tis a Frenchman, Bassimon cue, how doe you?

Haru. I thanke you fir, but tell me what wouldest thou

doe with a French-man:

Fris. Nay fayth, I would doe nothing with him, vn-lessel set him to teach Parrets to speake: marry the old Assemy Maister, would have him to teach his Daughters, though I trust the whole world sees, that there be such in his house that can serve his Daughters turne, as well as the proudest French-man: but if you be good laddes, tell me where I may finde such a man?

Heigh. We will, goe hye thee straight to Paules, There shalt thou find one fitting thy desire; Thou soone may st know him, for his Beard is blacke,

Such is his rayment, if thou runn's appace, Thou canst not misse him Frisco.

Fris. Lord, Lord, how shall poore Phrisco rewarde your rich tydings Gentlemen: I am yours till Shrouetewesday, for then change I my Coppy, & looke like nothing but Red-Herring Cobbes, and Stock-Fish; yet Ile doe somewhat for you in the meane time: my Maisser is abroad, and my young Mistrelles at home: if you can doe any good on them before the French-man come, why so? Ah Gentlemen, doe not suffer a litter of Languages to spring vp amongst vs: I must to the Walke in Paules, you

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to the Vestrie. Gentlemen, as to my selfe, and so foorth.

Exit Frisco,

Haru. Fooles tell the truth men say, and so may he: Wenches we come now, Loue our conduct be. Ned, knocke at the doore: but soft forbeare;

Enter Lamrentia, Marina, and Mathea.
The Cloude breakes vp, and our three Sunnes appeare.
To this I fly, thin e bright my lives fole stay,
And make griefes night a gloryous summers day.

Mari. Gentlemen, how welcome you are here, Guesse by our lookes, for other meanes by feare Prevented is: our fathers quicke returne Forbidds the welcome, else we would have done.

Walg. Mathea, How these fay thfull thoughts obey,
Mat. No more sweet loue, I know what thou would'st
You say you loueme, so I wish you still,
Loue hath loues hier, being ballancst with good will:
But say; come you to vs, or come you rather
To pawne more Lands for mony to our sather?
I know tis so, a Gods name spend at large:
What man? our mariage day will all discharge;
Our sather (by his leaue) must pardon vs,
Age saue of age, of nothing can discusse:
But in our loues, the prouerbe weele fulfill:
Women and Maydes, must alwayes haue their will.

Heigh. Say thou as much, and adde life to this Coarfe,

Law. Your selfe & your good news doth more enforce:

How these haue set forth love by all their witte,

I sweare in heart, I more then double it.

Sisters be glad, for he hath made it playne,

The meanes to get our Schoole-maister againe:

But Gentlemen, for this time cease our loves,

This open streete perhaps suspition moves,

Fayne we would stay, bid you walke in more rather,

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But that we feare the comming of our father:
Goe to th'Exchange, craue Gold as you intend,
Pifaro scrapes for vs.; for vs you spend:
We say farewell, more sadlier be bold,
Then would my greedy father to his Gold:
Wee here, you there, aske Gold; and Gold you shall:
Weele pay the intrest, and the principall. Exeunt Sisters
Walg. That's my good Girles, and sle pay you for all.
Haru. Come to th'Exchange, and when I seele decay,
Send me such Wenches, Heavens I still shall pray. Exeunt.

Enter Pisaro, Delion the Frenchman, Vandalle the Dutchman, Aluaro the Italian, and other Marchants, at severall doores. Pisa. Good morrow, M. Strangers. Strang: Good morrow sir. Pifaro. This (louing friends) hath thus emboldned me, For knowing the affection and the love. Maister Vandalle, that you beare my Daughter: Likwise, and that with joy considering too, you Mounsier Delion, would faine dispatch : I promise you, mee thinkes the time did fit. And does bir-Lady too, in mine aduice, This day to clap a full conclusion vp: And therefore made I bold to call on you, Meaning (our businesse done here at the Burse) That you at mine intreaty should walke home, And take in worth such Viands as I have : And then we would, and fo I hope we shall, Loosely tye vp the knot that you desire, But for a day or two; and then Church rites Shall sure conforme, confirme, and make all fast.

Vand. Seker Mester Pisaro, mee do so groterly dancke you, dat you macke mee so sure of de Wench, datt ic can neit dancke you genough.

Delio. Monsieur Pijaro, mon pere, mon Vadere, Oh de grande

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grande ioye you giueme (econte) mee sal go home to your House, sal eat your Bakon, sal eat your Beese, and shal

tacke de Wench, de fine Damoysella.

Pija. You shall, and welcome; welcome as my soule:
But were my third Sonne sweete Aluaro heere,
Wee would not stay at the Exchange to day,
But hye vs home and there end our affayres.

Enter Moore, and Towerson.

Moore. Good day maister Pilaro.

Pifa. Maister Moore, marry with all my heart good morrow sir; What newes? What newes?

Meore. This Marchant heere my friend, would speake

with you.

Tower. Sir, this iolly South-west wind with gentle blast,
Hath driven home our long expected Shippes,
All laden with the wealth of ample Spaine,
And but a day is past since they ariude.
Safely at Plimmouth, where they yet abide.

Pija. Thankes is too small a guerdon for such newes. How like you this Newes friends? Maister Vandalle, Heer's somewhat towards for my Daughters Dowrie:

Heer's somewhat more then we did yet expect.

Tower. But heare you fir, my businesse is not done; From these same Shippes I did receiue these lines, And there inclosed this same Bill of exchange, To pay at sight; if so you please accept it.

Pisa. Accept it, why? What sir should I accept,
Haue you received Letters, and not I?
Where is this lazie villaine, this slow Poast?
What, brings he every man his Letters home,
And makes meen o bodie; does hee, does hee?
I would not have you bring me counterfeit;
And if you doe, assure you I shall smell it:
I know my Factors writing well enough.

Tener. You doe fir; then fee your Factors writing:

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I scorne as much as you, to counterfeite, and a series of the Pifa. Tis well you doe sir.

Enter Haruie, Walgraue, and Heighun.
What Maister Walgraue, and my other frindes:
You are growne strangers to Pisaras house,
I pray make bold with me.

Walfg. I, with your Daughters

You may be sworne, weele be as bold as may be.

Pifa. Would you have ought with me, I pray now speak.

Heigh. Sir, I thinke you vinderstand our sute,
By the repayring we have had to you:

Gentlemen you know, must want no Coyne, Nor are they slaves vnto it, when they have:

You may perceiue our minds; What say you to't?

Pisa. Gentlemen all, I loue you all:
Which more to manifest, this after noone
Betweene the howers of two and three repaire to mee;
And were it halfe the substance that I haue,
Whilst it is mine, tis yours to commaunde.
But Gentlemen, as I have regard to you,
So doe I wish you'll have respect to mee:
You know that all of vs are mortall men,
Subject to change and mutabilitie;
You may, or I may, soone pitch ore the Pearch,
Or so, or so, have contrary crosses:
Wherefore I deeme but meere equitie,

That some thing may betwixt vs be to shew.

Heigh. M. Pisaro, within this two months without faile,

We will repay, the first wo me

Enter Browne.

Browne. God saue you Gentlemen.

Pisa. What M. Browne, the onely man I wisht for, Does your price fall? what shall I have these Cloathes?

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For I would ship them straight away for Storde: I doe wish you my Mony for eanother.

Brow. Fayth you know my price sir, if you haue them. Pisa. You are to deare in sadnesse, maister Heigham:

You were about to fay somewhat, pray proceede.

Heigh. Then this it was: those Landes that are not morgag'd

Enter Post.

Post. Godblesse your worship.

Pisaro. I must craue pardon; Ohsiera, are you come?

Walg. Hoyda, hoyda; Whats the matter now;

Sure, yonder fellow will be torne in peeces. (about: Haru. Whats hee, sweete youths; that so they flocke,

What old Pisaro tainted with this madnesse?

Heigh. Vpon my life, tis some body bringes newes; The Courte breakes vp, and wee shall know their Coun-Looke, looke, how busely they fall to reading. (sell:

Pifa. I am the last, you should have kept it still:
Well, we shall see what newes you bring with you;
Our duty premised, and we have sent vato your worship. Sacke, sivill Oyles, Pepper, Barbery sugar, and such other commodities as we thought most requisite, we wanted mony therefore we are fayne to take vp 200. It of Maister Towersons man, which by a bill of Exchange sent to him, we would request your worship pay accordingly. You shall commaund sir, you shall commaunde sir, The newes here is, that the English shipes, the Fortune, your shipe, the adventure and good lucke of London coasting along by Italy Towards Turky, were set vpon by to Spanish-galleis, what became of them we know not, but

Pifa How ist fix to one the weather calme, Now afore God who would not doubt their safety,

doubt much by reason of the weathers calmnesse.

Aplague vponthese Spanish-galli Pirattes,

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# Englishmen for my money: or,

Roaring Garibdis, or denowing Scilla,
Were halfe such terrour to the anticke world,
As these same anticke Villaines now of late,
Hauemade the Straights twikt Spaine and Barbary.

Tower Now fir, what doth your Factors letters (ay?
Pifa: Marrie he faith, these witlessell

Haue met, and are beset with Spanish Gallies,

As they did faile along by Italy:

What a bots made the dolts neere Italy, Could they not keepe the coast of Barbary,

Or having past it, gone for Tripoly, Beeing on the other fide of Sicily,

Asneere, as where they were vnto the Straights:

For by the Gloabe, both Tripoly and it,

Lie from the Straights some twentie fine degrees; And each degree makes three-score english miles?

Tower. Very true fir: But it makes nothing to my Bill of exchange: this dealing fits not one of your account. Tifa. And what fits yours?a prating wrangling toung,

A womans ceaselesse and incessant babling,
That sees the world turnd topsie turnie with me;
Yet hath not so much witte to stay a while,
Till I bemonemy late excessive losse.

Walg. S'wounds tis dinner time, Ile stay no longer:

Harke you a word fir.

Pisa. I tell you fir, it would have made you whine Worse then if shooles of lucklesse croking Rauens, Had ceased on you to feed their famish t paunches: Had you heard newes of such a rauenous rout, Ready to cease on halfe the wealth you have.

Wal. Sbloud you might have kept at home & be hangd,

What a pox care I. Enter a Post.

Post. God saue your worship, a littlemony and so forth.
Pisa. But men are sencelesse now of others woe,

This stony age is growne so stony harted, That none respects their neighbours miseries,

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#### A-Woman will have her will.

wish (as Poets doe) that Saturnes times
The long out worne world weare in vie againe,
That men might sayle without impediment.

Post. I marry sir that were a merry world indeede, I would hope to gette more mony of your worship in one quarter of a yeare, then I can doe now in a whole twelve-moneth.

Enter Balsaro.

Balfa. Maister Pifaro how I haue runne about, How I haue toyld to day to sinde you out, At home, abroade, at this mans house, at that, Why I was here an hower agoe and more, Where I was tould you were, but could not finde you.

Pisa. Fayth fir I was here but was driven home, Heres such a common hant of Crack-rope boyes, That what for feare to have mapparell spoyld, Ormy Ruffes durted, or Eyes strucke out: Idare not walke where people doe expect mee: Well, things (I thinke) might be better lookt vnto, And such Coyne to, which is bestowde on Knaues, Which should, but doe not see things be reformd, Might be imployed to many better vses: But what of beardlesse Boyes, or such like trash; The Spanish Gallies: Oh, a vengeance on them.

Post. Masse, this man hath the lucke on't, I thinke I can scarce euer come to him for money, but this a vengeance on, and that a vengeance on't, doth so trouble him, that I can get no Coyne: Well, a vengeance on't for my part; for

he shall fetch the next Letters him selfe.

Browne. I prethee, when thinkst thou the Ships will be come about from Plimmouth? Post. Next weeke, sir.

Heigh. Came you sir from Spaine lately?

Post. I fir; Why aske you that?

Ha. Marry fir, thou seemes to haue bin in the hot countries, thy face looks so like a peece of rusty Bacon: had thy Host at Plimmoth meatenough in the house, whe thou wert there?

Poft. What though he had not fir? but he had, how then?

2 Harnie

# English-men for my money: or,

Haru. Marry thanke God for it; for otherwise, he would doubtles have Cut thee out in Rashers to have eaten thee; thou look'st as thou weart through broyld already.

Post. You have sayd sir; but I am no meate for his moing, nor yours neither: If I had you in place where, you should find me tough enough in disgestion, I warrant you.

Walgr, What will you swagger fara, will yee swagger?

Brow. Ibeseech you Sir, hold your hand; Gette home yee patch, cannot you suffer Gentlemen Iest with you?

Post. Ide teach him a Gentle tricke and I had him of the burse; but lle watch him a good turne I warrant him.

Moor. Assure yee maister Towerson, I cannot blame him, I warrant you it is no easie losse; by my fauth Gr

How thinke you maisser? by my fayth sir, Ther's twentie Marchants will be sorry for it, That shall be partners with him in his losse.

Stra. Why fir, whats the matter.

Moor. The Spanish-gallies have besette our shippes,

That lately were bound out for Siria.

March. What not? I promise you I am forry for it. Walg. What an old Asse is this to keepe vs here:

Maister Pssaro, pray dispatch vs hence.

Pisa. Maister Vandalle I confesse I wronge you; But lie but talke a word or two with him, and straight turne to you.

Ah sir, and how then y fayth?

Heigh. Turne to vs, turne to the Gallowes if you will, Haru. Tis Midsomer-Moone with him: let him alone, He call's NedWalgraue, Maister Vandalle. (Pisaro.

Walg. Let it be shrouetide, lle not stay an ynche maister Pisa. What should you feare: ende as I haue vow'd be-So now againe; my Daughters shalbe yours: (fore,

And therefore I befecch you and your friendes,
Deferre your businesse till Dinner time;
And what your say keepe it for table talke.

And what youd say, keepe it for table talke.

Harre,

#### A Woman will have her will.

Harn. Marrie and shall; a right good motion:
Sirrs, old Pisaro is growne kind of late,
And in purcloue, hath bid vs home to dinner.

Heigh. Good newes in truth: But wherfore art thou sad? Walg. For seare the slaue ere it bedinner time,

Remembring what he did, recall his word:
For by his idle speaches, you may sweare,
His heart was not confederat with his tongue.

Harn. Tut neuer doubt, keepe stomacks till anone,

And then we shall have cates to feede vpon . sweet back

Pifa. Well fir, fince things doe fall so crosely out,

I must dispose my selfe to patience:
But for your businesse, doe you assure your selfe.

At my repayring home from the Exchange,
Ile set a helping hand vnto the same.

Enter Aluaro the Italian.

Alua. Boniurno signeour Padre, why be demalancollie so much, and graue in you a: wat Newes make you looke so naught?

Pisa. Naught is too good an epithite by much,
For to distinguish such contrarious nesses.
Hath not swift Fame told you our flow sailde Shippes
Haue been ore-taken by the swift saile Gallies,
And all my cared-for goods within the lurch
Of that same Catterpiller brood of Spaine.

Alua. Signor si, how de Spaniola haue almost tacke de Ship dat go for Turkie: my Pader, harke you me on word, I haue receiue vn lettre from my Factor de Vennise, dat after vn piculo battalion, for vn halfe howrede come a Winde fra de North, & de Sea go tumble here, & tumble dare, dat, make de Gallies run away for feare be almost drownde.

Pija. How fir, did the Winderise at North, and Seas waxe rough: and were the Gallies therefore glad to fly?

Alu. Signior si, & de Ship go drite on de Heola de Candy.

# English-men for my money : or,

Pifa. Wert thou not my Aluaro my beloued, One whom I know does dearely count of mee, Much should I doubt me that some scoffing lacke, Had sent thee in the middest of all my griefes, To tell a seigned tale of happy lucke.

Alua. Wil you no beleune messee dare dan, see de lettre.

Pisa. What is this world? or what this state of man,
How in a moment curst, in a trice blest?
But even now my happie state gan sade,
And now againe, my state is happie made,
My Goods all safe, my Ships all scapt away,
And none to bring me newes of such good lucke,
But whom the Heavens have markt to be my Sonne:
Were I a Lord as great as Alexander,
None should more willingly be made mine Heyre
Then thee thou golden tongue, thou good-newes teller
Ioy stops my mouth.

The Exchange Bell rings.

Balfal M. Pifaro, the day is late, the Bell doth ring: Wiltplease you hasten to performe this businesses.

Pija. What businesse sir? Gods mee, I cry you mercie:

Docit, yes sir, you shall commaund memore.

Tower. But sir, What doe you meane, doe you intend

To pay this Bill, or else to palter with mee?

Pisa. Marry God sheild, that I should palter with you: I doe accept it and come when you please; You shall have money due.

Post. I beseech your worship to consider mee.

Pifa. Oh, you cannot cogger Goe to, take that, Pray for my life i pray that I have good lucke, And thou shalt see; I will not be thy worst maister.

Post. Marry God blesse your Worship, I came in happy time: What, a French crowne? sure heeknowes not what he does: Well, Ile begon, least he remember himselfe, and take it from me againe the sure of the sure of

Pifa Come on my lads, M. Vandalle, sweet sonne Aluaro:

Come

Come don Balfaro, lets be iogging home
Bir laken firs, I thinke tis one a clocke.

Extt Pifaro, Balfaro, Aluaro, Delion, and Vandalle. Brow. Come M. Moore, th'Exchange is waxen thin,

I thinke it best we get vs home to dinner.

Moor. I know that I am lookt for long ere this:

Come maister Towerson, let's walke along can asob will

Exit Moore, Browne, Tower Jon, Strangers, & Marchanto

Heigh. And if you be so hot vpon your dinner,
Your best way is, to haste Pifare on,
For he is cold enough, and slow enough,
He hath so late digested such cold newes.

Walo. Mary and shall: Heare you maister Pisaro. Haru. Many Pisaros heere: Why how now Ned; Where is your Mait your welcome, and good cheare?

Walg. Swounds, lets follow him; why stay we heere?

Heigh. Nay prethee Ned Walg lets bethinke our sclues,
There's no such haste, we may come time enough:

At first Pilaro bade vs come to him

Twixt two or three a clocke at after noone?
Then was he old Pifaro: but fince then,
What with his griefe for losse, and ioy for finding,
Hee quite forgat himselfe, when he did bid vs,
And afterward forgat, that he had bade vs.

Walg. I care not, I remember't well enough: Hee bade vs home; and I will goe, that's flat,

To teach him better witte another time.

Haru. Heer'le be a gallantiest, when we come there, To see how maz'd the greedie chusse will looke Vpon the nations, seets, and sections, That now have borne him company to dinner a But harke you, lets not goe to vexe the man; Prethee sweet Ned lets tarry, doe not goe.

Walg. Norgoe? indeed you may doe what you please;

Ile goe, that's flat : nay, I am gon alreadie,

Stay

# English-men for my money: or,

Stay you two, and consider further of it.

Heigh. Nay all will goe, if one: I prethee stay; Thou'rt such a rash and giddie headed youth, Each Stone's a Thorne: Hoyda, he skips for haste; Young Harvie did but iest; I know heele goe.

Walg. Nay, he may chuse for mee: But if he will, Why does he not? why stands he prating still?

If youle goe, come : if not, fare-well?

Haru. Hiera Poast-horse for him (gentle Francke)
Heer's haste, and more haste then a hastie Pudding:
You mad-man, mad-cap, wild-oates; we are for you,
It bootes not stay, when you intend to goe.

Walg. Come away then. Exeunt.

Enter Pisaro, Aluaro, Delion, and Vandalle.

Pisa. A thousand welcomes friendes: Monsier Delion,
Ten thousand Ben-venues vnto your selfe.

Signior Aluaro, Maister Vandalle;
Proude am I, that my roofe containes such Friends.

Why Mall, Lacentia, Matth, Where be these Girles?

Enter the three Sisters.

Lively my Girles, and bid these Strangers welcomes. They are my friends, your friends, and our wel-willers: You cannot tell what good you may have on them. Gods mee, Why stirre you not? Harke in your care, These be the men the choyse of many millions, That I your carefull Father have provided. To be your Husbands: therefore bid them welcome.

Math. Nay by my troth, tis not the guyle of may des, To give a flavering Salute to men: (afide,

If thele sweete youths have not the witte to doe it,

Wee have the honestie to let them stand.

Vanda. Gods sekerlin, dats vn-fra meskin, Monsieur Delion dare de Grote freister, dare wode ic zene, tis vn-fra Daughter, dare heb ic so long loude, dare Heb my desire so long gewest.

Alnaro

#### A Woman will have her will.

Alua. Ah Venice, Roma, Italia, Frauncia, Anglitera, nor all' dis orbe can shew so much belliza, veremante de secunda.

Madona de granda bemtie.

Delio. Certes me dincke de mine depeteta de little Angloife, de me Matresse Pifaro is vn nette, vn becues, vn fra; et vn tendra Damosella.

Pifa. What Stocks, what stones, what senceles Truncks be thefe?

When as I bid you speake, you hold your tongue: When I bid peace, then can you prate, and chat, And gossip: But goe too, speake and bid welcome, Or (as I liue) you were as good you did.

Mari. I cannot tell what Language I should speake :

Yf I speake English (as I can none other)

They cannot viiderstand mee, nor my welcome.

Alua. Bella Madona, dare is no language so dulce, dulce, dat is sweete, as de language, dat you shall speake, and de vell come dat you fal say, sal be well know perfaytemente.

Mari. Pray fir, What is all this in English?

Alna. Devsa sal vell teash you vat datis; and if you sal-

please, I will teash you to parler Italiano.

Pifa. And that mee thinkes sir, not without need: And with Italian, to a Childes obedience, With such desire to seeke to please their Parents, As others farre more vertuous then them felues, ... Doe dayly-Ariue to doe: But tis no matter, He shortly pull your haughtic stomacks downe: Ile teach you vrge your Father; make you runne, When I bidrunne : and speake, when I bid speake: What greater crosse can carefull parents have (knock withins Then careleffe Children. Stirre and fee who knocks?

Enter Harnie, Walgraue, and Heigham. Walgr. Good morrow to my good Mistris Mathea. Mathe. As good a morrow, to the morrow giver. Pifa. A murren, what make these? What do they heere?

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Heigh .-

# English-men for my money: or,

Heigh. You see maister Pisare, we are bold guestes, You could have bid no surer men then wee.

Pifa. Harke you Gentlemen; I did expect you

At after noone, not before two a clocke.

Hara, Why sir, if you please, you shall have vs heere at two a clocke, at three a clocke, at source a clock; nay till to morrow this time: yet I assure you sir, wee camenot to your house without inviting.

Pifa. Why Gentlemen, I pray who bade you now? Who euer did it, sure hath done you wrong:

For scarcely could you come to worser cheare.

Heigh. It was your owne felfe bade vs to your cheare, When you were busic with Balfaro talking;
You bade vs cease our suites till dinner time,
And then to vse it for our table talke:
And wee I warrant you, are as sure as Steele.

Pifa. Amurren on your felues, and surenes too:
How am I crost: Gods mee, what shall I doe,
This was that ill newes of the Spanish Pirats,
That so disturbed mee: well, I must dissemble,
And bid them welcome; but for my Daughters
Ile send them hence, they shall not stand and prate.
Well my Massters, Gentlemen, and Friends,
Though vnexpested, yet most heartily welcome;
(Welcome with a vengeance) but for your cheare,
That will be small: yet too too much for you.

Mall, in and get things readie.

Laurentia, bid Mandlin lay the Cloth, take vp the Meate:
Looke how the stirres; you sullen Elfe, you Callet,
Is this the haste you make? Exeunt Marina & Laurentia.

Alua. Signor Pisaro, ne soiat so malcontento de Gentlewoman your filigola did parler but a litella to, de gentle homay our graunde amico.

Pisa. But that graunde amico, is your graunde inimicoe

One, if they be suffred to parlar,

Will

#### A-Woman will have her will.

Will poll you, I and pill you of your Wife:
They loue togeather: and the other two,
Loues her two Sisters: but its onely you
Shall crop the flower, that they esteeme so much.

Alua. Do dey so; vell let me lone, sal see me giue dem-

de such graund mocke, sal be shame of dem selues.

Pisa. Doe sir, I pray you doe; set lustily vpon them,

And lle be ready still to second you.

Walg. But Matt, art thou so mad as to turne French?

Math. Yes marry when two Sundayes come together; Thinke you Helearne to speake this gibberidge, Or the Pigges language? Why, if I fall sicke, Theyle say, the French (et-cetera) insected mee.

Pifa: Why how now Minion; what, is this your services

Your other Sisters busie are imployde,

And you standeidle : get you in, or. Exit Mathea.

Walg. Yf you chide her, chide me (M. Pifaro: For but for mee, the had gon in long fince.

Pifa. I thinke she had : for we are sprights to scare her;

But er't belong, lle drive that humor from her.

Alua. Signor, methincks you foud no macke de wenshe fo hardee, so disobedient to de padre as ditt madona Matt.

Walg. Signor, me thinkes you should learne to speake, before you should be so soole-hardy, as to woe such a Mayden as that Madona Matt?

Delio. Warrent you Monsseur, he sal parle wen you sal stande out the doure.

Haru. Harke you Monsieur, you would wish your selfe halfe hang'd, you were as sure to be let in as hee.

Wan. Macke no doubt de fignor Alna. fal do vel enough Heigh. perhaps so: but me thinks your best way were to ship your selfe for Stoad, and there to batter your selfe for a commodity; for I can tell you, you are here out of liking.

Pifa. The worst perhappes distike him, but the best-

esteeme him best.

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Harse.

# English-men for my money: or,

Haru. But by your patience sir, mee thinks none should know better who's Lord, then the Lady.

Alua. Den de Lady, vat Lady?

Haru. Marry sir, the Lady let her alone: one that meanes to let you alone for seare of trouble.

Pisa. Euery man as he may: yet sometimes the blinde may katch a Hare.

Heigh. I sir, but he will first catemany a Fly:

You know it must be a wonder, if a Crab catch a Fowle.

Crab, we sal kash de Fowle wel genough, I warrent you.

Walg. I, and the Foole well enough I warrant you;

And much good may it doe yee.

Alua. Mee dincke such a piculo man as you be, sal have

no de such grande lucke madere.

Delio. Non da Monsieur, and he be so granda amorous op de Damosella, he sal haue Mandlyn de witt Wenshe in de Kichine by maiter Pisaros leaue.

Walg. By M. Pisaros leaue, Monsieur Ilemumble you, except you learne to know, whom you speake to: I tell thee Francois, Ile haue (maugre thy teeth) her that shall make

thee gnash thy teeth to want.

Pifa. Yet a man may want of his will, and bate an Ace of his with: But Gentlemen, every man as his lucke ferues, and so agree wee; I would not have you fall out in my house: Come, come, all this was in iest, now lets too't in earnest; I meane with our teeth, and try who's the best Trencher-man.

Execut.

Euter Frisco.

Frisc. Ah sirra, now I know, what manner of thing Powles is; I did so marle afore what it was out of all count: For my maister would say, Would I had Powles full of Gold. My young Mistresses, and Grimkin our Taylor, would wish they had Powles full of Needles: I, one askt my maister halfe a yard of Freeze to make me a Coate and

hee

#### A Woman will have her will.

Thee cride whoope holly-day, it was big enough to make Powles a Night-gowne. I have been told, that Duke Humfrie dwelles here, and that he keeps open holife, and that a braue fort of Cammileres dine with himeuery day; now if I could fee any vision in the world towards dinner, I would fet in a foote: But the best is, a the auncient English romaine Orator saith, So-lame-men, Misers, Howseniues, and so foorth: the best is, that I have great store of companie that doe nothing but goe vp and downe, and goe vp and downe, and make a grumbling togeather, that the meate is so long making readic: Well, if I could meete this scuruie Frenchman, they should stay mee, for I would be gone home.

Enter Anthony.

Antho. I befeech you Monsieur, give mee audience.
Frise. What would you have? What should I give you?
Antho. Pardon, sir mine vnciuilland presumptuous intrusion, who indeauour nothing lesse, then to prouoke or exasperat you against mee.

Frisc. They say, a word to the Wise is enough: so by this litle French that he speakes, I see hee is the very man I

seeke for: Sir, I pray what is your name?

Antho. I am nominated Monsieur Le Mouche, and rest at

your bon seruice.

Frisc. I vnderstand him partly; yea, and partly nay: Can you speake French! Content pore vous monsieur Madomo.

Antho. If I could not fir, I should ill vnderstand you; you speake the best French that euer trode vpon Shoe of Leather.

Frisc. Nay, I can speake more Languages then that: This is Italian, is it not? Nella surde Curte zana.

Antho. Yes fir, and you speake it like a very Naturall.

Frisc. I beleeue you well: now for Dutch:

Ducky de doe watt heb jee ge brought.

Ansho

# English-men for my money : or,

Antho. I pray stop your mouth, fot I neuer heard such Dutch before brocht.

Frsc. Nay I thinke you have not met with no pezant: Heare you M. Monse, (so your name is I take it) I have considered of your learning in these aforesaid Languages, and find you reasonable: So, so, now this is the matter; Can you take the ease to teach these Tongues to two or three Gentlewomen of mine acquaintance, and I will see you paide for your labour.

Antho. Yes fir, and that most willingly.

Fris. Why then M. Mouse, to their vie, I entertaine yee, which had not been but for the troubles of the world, that Imy selfe haue no leasure to shew my skill: Well sir, if youle please to walke with me, le bring you to them.

Excunt.

Enter Laurentia, Marina and Mathea. Lauren; Sittill dinners done; not I, I (weare: Shall I stay? till he belch into mine eares Those rusticke Phrases, and those Dutch French tearmes. Stammering halfe Sentences dogbolt Elloquence: And when he hath no loue for-footh, why then Hee tels me Cloth is deare at Anwerpe, and the men. Of Amsterdam hauclately made alaw, That none but Dutch as hee, may trafficke there: Then standes he still and studies what to fays And after some halfe houre, because the Aste Hopes (as he thinkes) Ishall not contradict him, Hee tels me that my Father brought him to me, And that I must performe my Fathers will. Well good-man Goose-cap, when thou woest againe, Thou shalt have simple ease, for thy Loues paine.

Mathe. Ales poore Wench, I forrow for thy hap, To see how thou are clog'd with such a Dunce: For sooth my Sire hath sitted me farre better, My Frenchman comes vpon me with the Sa sa, sa;

Sweete

Sweete Mada m pardone moye I pra:
And then outgoes his Hand, downe goes his Head,
Swallowes his Spittle, frisles his Beard; and then to mee:
Pardone moy mistresse Mathea,
If I be bold, to macke so bold met you,
Thinke it go will dat spurres me dus up yow.
Dan cast neit off so good ande true Louer,
Madama celessura de la, (I know not what)
Doe oft pray to God dat me woud love her:
And then hee reckons a catalogue of names
of such as love him, and yet cannot get him.

Mari: Nay, but your Monsieur's but a Mouse in cheese,
Compard with my Signor; hee can tell
Of Lady Venus, and her Sonne blind Cupid:
Of the faire Scilla that was lou'd of Glaucus,

Of the faire Scilla that was lou'd of Glaucus,
And yet scornd Glaucus, and yet lou'd King Mines;
Yet Mines hated her, and yet she holp'd him;
And yet he scorn'd her, yet she kild her Father
Todoe her good; yet he could notabide her:
Nay, hele be bawdy too in his discourse;
And when he is so, he will take my Hand,
And tickle the Palme, wincke with his one Eye,
Gape with his Mouth, and

Laur. And, hold thy tongue I prethee: here's my father.

Enter Pifaro, Aluaro, Vandalle, Delion, Harvie, Walgraue, and Heigham.

Pifa. Vnmannerly, vntaught, vnnurtred Girles, Doe I bring Gentlemen, my very friends
To feast with mee, to reuell at my House,
That their good likings, may be set on you,
And you like misbehaud and sullen Girles,
Turne tayle to such, as may advance your states:
I shall remembert, when you thinke I doe not.
I am sorrie Gentlemen, your cheare's no better;

# English-men for my money: 00,

But what did want at Board, excuse me for,
And you shall have amendes be made in Bed.
To them friends, to them; they are none but yours:
For you I bred them, for you brought them vp:
For you I kept them, and you shall have them:
I hate all others that resort to them:
Then rouse your bloods, be bold with what's your owne:
For I and mine (my friends) be yours, or none.

Enter Frisco and Anthonie.

Frisc. God-gee god-morrow sir, I have brought you M. Mouse here to teach my young Mistresses: I assure you

(for-footh) he is a braue Frenchman.

Pisa. Welcome friend, welcome: my man (I thinke)
Hath at the full, resolu'd thee of my will.
Monsieur Delion, I pray question him:
I tell you sit, tis onely for your sake,
That I doe meane to entertaine this sellow,

Antho. A bots of all illlucke, how came these heere? Now am I posse except the Wenches helpemee:

I have no French to flap them in the mouth,

Haru. To fee the lucke of a good fellow, poore Anthony
Could nere have forted out a worfer time:
Now will the packe of all our fly deuifes
Be quite lay de ope, as one vndoes an Oyster:
Francke, Heigham, and mad Ned, fall to your muses,
To helpe poore Anthony now at a pinch,
Or all our market will be spoyld and marde.

Walg. Tut man, let vs alone, I warrant you. (vous. Delio. Monsieur, Vous estes tresbien venu, de quell pais estes Anth. Vous, thats you; sure, he saies, how do men call you

Monsieur le Monche?

Mari. Sister, helpe sister; that's honest Anthonie, And he answers, your woer caius contrarium.

Delio. Monsieur, Vous n'entens pas, se ne demaunde puit, vostre

voltre nom?

Math. Monfieur Delion, he that made your Shooes, made them not in fashion: they should have been cut square at the toe.

Delio. Madame, my Sho met de square toe, vat be dat?
Pisa. Why sauce-box; how now you vnreuerent mincks.
Why? in whose Stable hast thou been brought vp,
To interrupt a man in midst of speach?
Monsieur Delion, disquiet not your selfe,
Butas you have begun, I pray proceed
To question with this Countriman of yours.

Delio. Dat me sal doe tresbeien, but de bella Madona de iune Gentlewoman do monstre some singe of amour to speake lot me, epurce monsieur, mee sal say but two tree sowre sine word to dis francois: or sus Monsieur Le

mouche en quelle partie de Fraunce esties vous ne?

Haru. Fraunce. Heigh. Ned.

Walg. Sbloud, let mee come.

Maister Pisaro, we have occasion of affaires, Which calles vs hence with speed; wherefore I pray Deferre this businesse till some fitter time, And to performe what at the Exchange we spoke of.

And to performe what at the Exchange we spoke of Antho. A blessing on that tongue, saith Anthony.

Pifa. Yes marry Gentlemen, I will, I will.

Aluaro to your taske, fall to your taske,
lle beare away those three, who being heere,
Would set my Daughters on a merry pin:
Then chearely try your luckes; but speake, and speed,
For you alone (say I) shall doe the deed.

Exeunt Pisaro, Haruy, Walgraue, and Higham.

Frisc. Heare you M. Mouse, did you dine to day at Paules with the rest of the Gentlementhere?

Antho. No fir, I am yet vndined.

Frisc. Mee thinkes you should have a reasonable good E. Romacke

## English-men for my money: or

Romacke then by this time, as for me I can fell nothinge. within me from my mouth to my Cod-peece but all Emptie, wherefore I thinke a peece of wildome to goe in and see what Maudelin hath prouided for our Dinner maister. Mouse will you goe in ?.

Antho, With as good a stomacke and desire as your (selfe.

Frisc. Lett's passe in then

Exeunt Frisco, and Anthonie.

Vanda. Han leg you Dochtor, vor vat cause, voer why bedealso much grooterlie strange, Ic seg you wat, if datt

ghy speake to me, is datt ghy loue me.

Lauren. Ist that I care not for you, ist that your breath stinckes, if that your breath stinckes not, you must learne Sweeter English or I shall neuer understand your suite.

Delion. Pardonemoy Madame.

Math. Withallmy heart so you offend no more.

Delio. Is dat an offence to be amorous di one belle Gentleawoman.

Math. I sir see your Belle Gentle-woman cannot be a-

morous of you.

Mar. Then if I were as that belle Gentlewomans louer, I would trouble her no further, nor be amorous any longer.

Aluar. Madona yet de Belleza of de face beutie deforme of all de Corpo may be such datt no perriculo, nor all de

mal shaunce, can make him leave hir dulce visage.

Laur. But signor Aluaro if the periculo or mal shaunce were sutch, that she should love and live with an other, then the dulce visagemust be lefte in spite of the louers teeth, whilst he may whine at his owne ill fortune.

Vanda. Datts waer matreffe, for it is vntrue saying, dey

wint he taught dey verleift lie scrat sin gatt.

Math. And I thinke to are like to I cratch there but neuer to claw any of my Sisters loue away.

Vand. Dan sal your sistree do gainst her vaders will,

for

for your vader segt datick fal heb har vor mine wife.

Laur. I thinke not so fir, for I neuer heard him say so, but lle goe in and aske him if his meaning be so.

Mari. Harke fifter fignor Aluaro fayth, that I am the

fayrest of all vs three,

Laur. Beleeue him not for heele tell any lie. If so he thinkes thou may st be pleased thereby, Come goe with me and neere stand pratinge here, I have a iest to tell thee in thine eare, Shall make you laugh; come let your signor stand, I know there's not a Wench in all this Towne, Scoffes at him more, or loues him lesse then thou. Maister Vandalle, as much I say for you; If needes you marry with an English Lasse, Woe her in English, or sheele call you Asse.

Math. Tutthat's a French cogge; sure Ithinke, There's nere a Wench in Fraunce not halfe so fond,

To woe and sue so for your Mounsership.

Delia. Par may foy Madame, she does tincke dare is no Wenche so dure as you: for de Fillee was cree dulce, tendre, and amarous for me to loue hir; now me tincke dat I being such a fine man, you should loua me.

Mathe. So thinke not I, sir.

Delio. But so tincke esh oder Damosellas.

Mathe. Nay lle lay my loue to your commaunde,
That my Sisters thinke not so: How say you sister Mall?
Why how now Gentlemen, is this your talke;
What beaten in plaine field: where be your Maydes?
Nay then I see their louing humor fades,
And they resigne their intrest vp to mee;
And yet I cannot serue for all you three:
But least two should be madd, that I loue one,
You shall be all alike, and I le loue none:
The world is scant, when so many lacke Dawes,

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Houer

English-men for my money: or,

Houer about one Coarse with greedy pawes: Yf needes youle haue me stay till I am dead, Carrion for Crowes, Mathea for her Ned: And so farewell, wee Sisters doe agree,

To haue our willes, but nere to haue you three. Exeum. Delio. Madama attendez, Madama: is she alle? doe she

mockque de nows in such sort?

Uand. Oh de pestilence, hoe if datick can neite dese Englese spreakevel, it shal hir Fader seg how dit is to passe gecomen.

Enter Pisaro.

Aluar. Ne parlate, see here signors de Fader.

Pisa. Now Friends, now Gentlemen, how speedes your worke; have you not found them shrewd vnhappy girls? Tand. Mester Pisaro, de Dochter maistris Laurentia calle me de Dyel, den Asse, for that ic can neit englesh spreken.

Alua. Ande dat we sal no parler, dat we sal no hauar

den for de wiue.

Pisa. Are they solusty? Dare they be so proude? Well, I shall find a time to meete with them: In the meane season, pray frequent my house.

Enter Frisco running.

Ho now sirra, whither are you running?

Frisc. About a little tiny businesse.

Pisa. What businesse, Asse?

Frisc. Indeed I was not sent to you: and yet I was sent after the three Gen-men that din'd here, to bid them come to our houseat ten a clocke at night, when you were abed.

Pifa. Ha, what is this? Can this be true? What, art thou fure the Wenches bade them come?

Frisc. So they said, vnlesse their mindes be changed since: for a Woman is like a Weather-cocke they say, & I am sure of no more then I am certaine of : but lle go in and bid them send you word, whether they shall come or no.

Pifa. No firra, stay you heere; but one word more:
Did they appoint the come one by one, or else al together?

Frise. Altogether: Lord that such a young man as you should have no more witt: why if they should come together, one could not make rome for them, but comming one by one, they le stand there if there were twenty of them.

Pisa. How this newes glads me, and reviues my foule: How say you firs, what will you have a jest worth the telling; nay worth the acting: I have it Gentlemen,

Ihaue it Friends.

Alua. Signor Pifaro, I prey degratia watte maneire sal we haue? wat will the parler? wat bon doe you know Signor Pisaro, dicheti noi signor Pisaro.

Pifa. Oh that youth so sweete, so soone should turne to age; were I as you, why this were sport alone for me to

doe.

Harke yee, harke yee; heere my man,
Saith, that the Girles haue fent for Maister Heigham
And his two friends; I know they loue them dear,
And therefore wish them late at night be heere
To reuell with them: Will you have a lest,
To worke my will, and give your longings rest:
Why then M. Vandalle, and you two;
Shall soone at midnight come, as they should doe,
And court the Wenches; and to be vnknowne,
And taken for themen, whom they alone
So much affect; each one shall change his name:
Maister Vandalle, you shall take Heigham, and you
Younge Harnie, and monsieur Delion Ned,
And vader shadowes be of substance sped:
How like you this device? how thinke you of it?

Delio. Oh de braue de galliarde deuise: me sal come by de nite and contier saire de Anglois Gentlehomes dicte nous

ainsi monsieur Pisaro.

Pifa. You are in the right fir.

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Alua.

English-men for my money : or,

Alua. And I sall nanie me de signor Haruy, ende monsieur Delion sall be de piculo signor Ned, ende when madona Laurenia sall say, who be dare? mister Vandalle sall say, Oh my sout Laide, hier be your soue Mestro Heigham: Is no dis de brauissime, maister Vandalle?

Vanda. Slaet vp den tromele, van ick fall come Vp to de camerken, wan my new Wineken

Slaet vp den tromele, van ick sall come.

Pisa. Ha, ha, maisser Vandalle,
I trow you will be merrie soone at night,
When you shall doe in deed, what now you hope of.

Vanda. I sall v seg vader, lek sall tesh your Daughrer

fuch a ting, make her laugh too.

Pisa. Well my Sonnes all, (for so I-count you shall)
What we have heere deuis'd, provide me for:
But about all, doe not (I pray) forget

To come but one by one, as they did wish.

Vanda. Marhort ens vader, ick veite neite de wecke to your houis, hort ens sall maister Frisco your manneken come to calle de me, and bring me to v house.

Pifa. Yes marry shall hee: fee that you be ready,

And at the hower of eleuen sone at night:
Hie you to Bucklersburie to his Chamber,
And so direct him straight vnto my house:
My Sonne Aluaro, and monsieur. Delion,
I know, doth know the way exceeding well:
Well, weele to the Rose in Barken for an hower:
And sirra Frisco, see you proue no blabbe.

Exeunt Pisaro, Aluaro, Delion, and Vandalle.

Frisc. Oh monstrous, who would thinke my Maister had so much witte in his old rotten budget: and yet yfayth he is not much troubled with it neither. Why what wise man in a kingdome would sende me for the Dutchman? Does hee thinke Ile nos cousen him: Oh fine, Ile have

haue the brauest sport: Oh braue, Ile haue the gallentest sport: Oh come; now if I can hold behinde, while I may laugh a while, I care not: Ha, ha, ha.

Enter Anthonie

Antho. Why how now Frisco, why laughest thou so har Frisco. Laugh M. Monse: Laugh, ha, ha, ha. (merry? Antho Laugh, why should I laugh? or why art thou so Frisco. Oh maister Monse, maister Monse, it would make any Mouse, Ratte, Catte, or Dogge, laugh to thinke, what sport we shall have at our house some at night: He tell you, all, my young Mistresses sent me after M. Heigham and his friendes, to pray them some to our house after my old. Maister was a bed: Now I went, and I went; and I runne, and I went: and whom should I meete, but my Maister and M. Pisaro and the Strangers; so my Maister very wor-shipfully (I must needs say) examined me whither I went

would thinke my Maister had such a monstrous plaguie witte, hee was as glad as could be; out of all scotch and notch glad, out of all count glad? and so sirra he bid the three V plandishmen come in their steades and woe my young Mistresses: Now it made mee so laugh to thinke how they will be cousend, that scould not follow my Maister: But Ile sollow him, I know he is gone to the Tauerne in his merry humor: Now if you will keepe this as secret as I have done hitherto, wee shall have the brauest spore

now? I durst not tell him an vntruth, for feare oflying, but

soone, as can be. I must be gone, say nothing.

Antho. Well, it is so:

And we will have good sport, or it shall go hard; ... This must the Wenches know, or all is marde. ...

Enter the three Sifters.

Harke you Mis. Moll, Neis. Laurentia, Mis. Matt, I haue such newes (my Girles) will make you smile.

(tily?)

# English-men for my money: or,

Mari. What be they Maister, how I long to heare it? Antho. A Woman right, still longing, and with child, For every thing they heare, or light vpon: Well. if you be mad Wenches, heare it now, Now may your knaueries give the deadliest blow! To night-walkers, eavese-droppers, or outlandish love, That ere was stristen.

Math. Anthony Morrche,

Moue but the matter; tell vs but theiest, And if you find vs slacke to execute, Neuer give credence, or beleeue vs more.

(loues,

Antho. Then know: The Strangers your Outlandish Appoynted by your Father, comes this night In stead of Harnie, Heigham, and young Ned, Vnder their shaddowes to get to your bed: For Frisco simply told him why he went: I need not to instruct, you can conceive, You are not Stockes nor Stones, but have some store Of witte and knaueric too.

Mathe. Anthony, thankes

Is too too small a guerdon for this newes; You must be English: Well sir signor sowse, Ile teach you trickes for comming to our house.

Laur. Are you so crastie, oh that night were come, That I might heare my Dutchman how hee'd sweare In his owne mother Language, that he loues me: Well, if I quit him not, I here pray God, I may lead Apes in Hell, and die a Mayde; And that were worser to me then a hanging.

Antho. Well said old honest huddles; here's a heape Of merrie Lasses: Well, for my selfe, Ile hie mee to your Louers, bid them maske With vs at night, and in some corner stay Neere to our house, where they may make some play Voon your rivals, and when they are gon,

Come

## AWoman will have bergill.

Come to your windowes.

Mari. Doe so good Maister.

Antho. Peace, begon; for this our sport,
Some body soone will moorne.

Exeunt.

Enter Pisaro.

Pisa. How fauourable Heauen and Earth is seene; To grace the mirthfull complet that is laide, Nights Candles burne obscure, and the pale Moone Fauouring our drift, lyes buried in a Cloude: I can but smile to see the simple Girles, Hoping to have their sweete-hearts here to night; Tickled with extreame ioy, laugh in my face: But when they finde, the Strangers in their steades, Theyle change their note, and fing an other fong. Where be these Girles heere? what to bed to bed: Mandlin make fast the Dores, rake vp the Fire, Gods me, tis nine a clocke, harke Bow-bell rings: Knocke. Somelooke downe below, and see who knockes: And harke you Girles, settle your hearts at rest, And full resolute you, that to morrow morne. You must be wedd to such as I preferre; I meane Aluaro and his other friendes: Let me no more be troubled with your nayes. ... You shall doe what Ile haue, and so resoluc.

Enter Moore.

Welcome M. Moore, welcome,

What winde a-gods name drives you foorth so late?

Moore. Fayth fir, I am come to trouble you,

My wife this present night is brought to bed.

Pisa. To bed, and what hath God sent you?

Moor. A iolly Girle, fir.

Pifa. And God bleffe her: But what's your will fire Moor. Fayth fir, my house being sull of Friends,
Such as (I thanke them) came to see my wise?

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English-men for my money: or,

I would request you, that for this one night, My daughter Susan might be lodged here.

Pifa. Lodge in my house, welcome withall my heart,
Mat harke you, she shall lye with you,
Trust me she could not come in fitter time.
For heere you sir, to morrow in the morning,
All my three Daughters must be married,
Good maister Moore lets have your company,
What say you sir; Welcome honest friend.

Enter a Seruant.

Moor. How now firra whats the newes with you?

Pifa. Morehe heare you, stirre betimes to morrow,
For then I meane your Schollers shall be wed:

What newes, what newes man that you looke so sad,

Meer. Hee bringsme word my wife is new falne ficke, And that my daughter cannot come to night:

Orifshe does, it will be very late.

Pifa, Beleeue me I am then more forry for it.
But for your daughter come the soone or late,
Some of vs will be vp to let her in,
For heere be three meanes not to sleepe to night:
Well you must be gone? commende me to your wife,
Take heede how you goe downe, the staires are bad,
Bring here a light.

Moor. Tis well I thanke you fir. Exit.

Pifa. Good night maifter Moore farwell honest friend,

Come, come to bed, to bed tis nine and past,

Doe not stand pratting here to make me fetch you,

But gette you to your Chambers.

Antho. Birlady heres short worke, harke you Girles,

Will you to morrow marry with the strangers.

Mall. Yfayth sir no lle first leape out at window,

Before Marina marry with a stranger,

Antho. Yes but your father sweares, you shall have one. Ma. Yes but his daughters, swears they shall have none,

Thefs

These horeson Canniballs, these Philistines, These tango mongoes shall not rule Ore me, lie haue my will and Ned, or lie haue none.

Antho. How will you get him? how will you get him?

I know no other way except it be this,

That when your fathers in his foundest fleepe, You ope the Dore and runne away with them,

All sisters. So wee will rather then misse of them.

Antho. Tis well resolude y fay th and like your selues,
But heare you? to your Chambers presently,
Least that your father doe discry our drist,
Mistres Susan should come but she cannot,
Nor perhaps shall not, yet perhaps she shall,
Might not a man conceipt a prettie iest?
And make as mad a Riddle as this is,
If all thinges sadge not, as all thinges should doe,
Wee shall be sped y'fay th, Matt shall have hue.

#### Enter Vandalle and Frisco.

Vand. Wear be you mester Frisco.

Frisc. Here sir, here sir, now if I could consen him, take heede sir hers a post.

Vand. Ick be so groterly hot, datt ick swette, Oh wen

fal we come dare.

Frisc. Be you so hatte sir, let me carry your Cloake, I assure you it will ease you much.

Vand. Darehere, dare, tis so Darke ey can neit see.

Frisc. I, so so: now you may trauell in your Hose and Doublet: now looke I as like the Dutchman, as if I were spit out of his mouth: lle straight home, & speake groote and broode, and toot and gibrish; and in the darke Ile haue a sling at the Wenches. Well, I say no more; sarewell M. Mendall, I must goe seeke my fortune. Exit Frisco.

Vanda: Mester Frisco, mester Frisco, wat sal you no speak; make you de Foole? Why mester Frisco; Oh de skellum,

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# English-men for my money: or,

he be ga met de Cloake, me sal seg his mester, han mester Frisco, wacrsidy mester Frisco. Exit Vandal.

Enter Harvie, Heigham, and Walgrave.

Harvy. Goes the case to well signor bottle-nose?

It may be we shall our reach your drist;

This is the time the Wenches sent vs word

Our bumbast Dutchman and his mates will come.

Well neat Italian, you must don my shape:

Play your part well, or I may haps pay you.

What, speechlesse Ned? fayth whereon muses thou?

Tis on your French coriuall, for my life:

Hee come ete vostre, and so foorth,

Till he hath foysted in a Brat or two?

How then, how then?

Walg. Swounds Ile geld him first, Ere that infestious loszell reuell there.

Well Matt, I thinke thou knowst what Ned can doe; Shouldst thou change Ned for Noddy, mee for him, Thou didst not know thy losse, yfayth thou didst not.

Heigh. Come leave this idle chatte, and lets provide Which of vs shall be scar-crow to these Fooles,

And fet them out the way? Walg. Why that will I.

Haru. Then put a Sword into a mad-mans hand: Thou art so hasty, that but crosse thy humor, And thou't be ready crosse them ore the pates: Therefore for this time, lle supply the rome.

Heigh. And so we shall be sure of chattenough;
Youle hold them with your floutes and gulles so long,
That all the night will scarcely be enough
To put in practise, what we have deniste:
Come, come, lle be the man shall doe the deed.

Harn. Well, I am content to saue your longing. But soft, where are we? Ha, heere's the house,

Come,

Come let vs take our stands: Fraunce stand you there, And Ned and I will crosse t'other side.

Heigh. Doe so: But hush, I heard one passing hither.

Enter Aluaro.

Aluar. Oh de fauorable aspect of de heauen, tis so obscure, so darke, so blacke dat no mortalle creature can know deme: I pray a Dio I sal haue de reight Wench: Ah si I berecht, here be de huis of signor Pisaro, I sall haue de madona Marma, and daruor I sall knocke to de dore.

He knockes.

Heigh. What a pox are you mad or druncke; What, doe you meane to breake my Glasses?

Alua. Wat bedat Glasse? Wat druncke, wat mad?

Heigh. What Glasses sir; why my Glasses: and if you be so crancke, Ile call the Constable; you will not enter into a mans house (I hope) in spight of him?

Haru. Nor durst you be so bold as to stand there,

Yf once the Maister of the House did know it.

Alua. Is dit your Hous: be you de Signor of dis Cassa?

Heigh. Signor me no signors, nor cassa me no cassas:
but get you hence, or you are like to taste of the Bastinado.

Heigh. Do, do, good Ferdinand, pummell the logerhead.

Alua. Is this neit the Hous of mester Pisaro?

Heigh. Yes marry when?can you tell: how doe you? I thanke you heartily, my finger in your mouth.

Alua. Wat be dat?

Heigh. Marry that you are an Asse and a Logerhead, To seeke maister Pisaros house heere.

Alua. I prey de gratia, wat be dis plashe?

Wat doe ye call dit strete?

Heigh. What fir, why Leaden-hall, could you not fee

the foure Spoutes as you came along?

Alua. Certenemento Leden hall, I hit my hed by de way, dare may be de voer Spouts: I prey de gratia, wish be de wey to Crochefriers?

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Heigh.

# English-men for my money : or,

Heigh. How, to Creched-friers? Marry you must goe along till you come to the Pumpe, and then turne on your righthand.

Alua. Signor, adio. Exit Aluaro.

Harn. Farewell and be hang'd Signor: Now for your fellow, if the Asse would come.

Enter Delion.

Delio. By my trot me doe so mush tincke of dit Gentlewoman de fine Wenshe, dat me tincke esh houer ten day, and esh day ten yeare, till I come to her: Here be de husse of fin vader, sall alle and knocke.

He knocks.

Heigh. What a bots ayle you, are you madd? Will you runne ouer me and breake my Glasses?

Delio. Glasses, wat Glasses? Prey is monsieur Pisaro to de mayson?

Haru. Harke Ned, there's thy substaunce

Walg. Nay by the Masse, the substannce's heere, The shaddow's but an Asse.

Heigh. What Maister Pisaro?

Logerhead, heere's none of your Pifaros?

Delio. Yes but dit is the houis of mester Pisaro.

Walg. Will not this monsseur Motley take his answer?

Ile goe and knocke the asse about the pate.

Har. Nay by your leaue fir, but Ile hold your worship. This starre we should have had, had you stood there.

Walg. Why, would it not vexe one to heare the affe, Stand prating here of dit and dan, and den and dog?

Haru. One of thy mettle Ned, would surely docit:

But peace, and harke to the rest.

Delio. Doe no de fine Gentlewoman matrelle Mathea

dwell in d t Plashe?

Heigh. No sir, here dwels none of your fine Gantle woman: Twere a good deed sirra, to see who you are; You come hither to steale my Glasses.

And then counterfeite you are going to your Queanes.

Delin

Delio. I be deceu dis darke neight; here be no Wenshe, I be no in de right plashe: I prey Monsieur, wat be name dis Streete, and wishe be de way to Croshe-friers?

Heigh. Marry this is Fanchurch-streete,

And the best way to Crotched-friers, is to follow your nose Delio. Transhe, streete, how shaunce me come to Vanshe streete? vell monsieur, me mustalle to Croche-friers.

Exit Delion.

Walg. Farewell fortipence, goe seeke your Signor, I hope youle finde your selues two Dolts anone: Hush Fredinand, I heare the last come stamping hither.

Fnter Frisco.

Frisc. Ha sirra, I haue lest my fatte Dutchman, and runne my selse almost out of breath too: now to my young mistresses goe I, some body cast an old shoe after me: but soft, how shall I doe to counterfeite the Dutchman, be cause I speake English so like a naturall; Tush, take you no thought for that, let me alone for Squintum squantum: soft, her's my Maisters house,

High. Whose there.

Frisc. Whose there, why fir here is: Nay thats too good English; Why here be de growtte Dutchman.

Heigh. Then theres not onely a growte head, but an

Asse also.

Frise. What be yoo, yoo be an English Oxe to call a gentle moan Asse.

Haru. Harke Ned yonders good greeting.

Frisc. But yoo, and yoo be Maister Mouse that dwell here, tell your matressa Laurenia datt her sweete harte Maister Vandall would speake with horde,

Heigh. Maister Mendall, gette you gon, least you get a broken Pateand so marre all: heres no entrance for mis-

Ares Laurentios sweete heart.

Frisc. Gods sacaren watt is the luck now.

Shall

# English-men for my money: or,

Shall not I come to my friend maister Pifar Hoose?

Heigh. Yes and to maister Pifares Shoes too, if hee or they were here.

Frisc. Why my groute friend, M. Pisaro doth dwelhere. Heigh. Sirra, you lye, heere dwells no body but I, that have dwelt here this one & forty yeares, and sold Glasses.

Walg. Lye farder, one and fifty at the least.

Fris. Hoo, hoo, do you give the Gentleman the ly? Haru. I sir, and will give you a licke of my Cudgell, if yee stay long and trouble the whole streets with your bawling: hence dolt, and goe seeke M. Pisares House.

Frisc. Goesceke M. Pisares Houses

Where shall Igoe seeke it?

Hegh. Why, you shall goe seeke it where it is.

Erise. That is here in Crodched-friers.

Heigh. How Loger-head, is Croched-friers heere?
I thought you were some such drunken Asse,
That come to seeke Croched-friers in Tower-streete:
But get you along on your lest hand, and be hang'd;
You have kept me out of my Bedd with your bangling,
A good while longer then I would have been.

Frisc. Ah, ah, How is this? Is not this Croched-friers?
Tell mee, Ile hold a Crowne they gaue me so much Wine at the Tauerne, that I am druncke, and know not ont.

Haru. My Dutchman's out his Compasse & his Card; Hee's reckning what Winde hath droughim hither:

Ile sweare hee thinkes neuer to see Pisaros.

Frisc. Nay tis so, I am sure druncke: Softlet mee see, what was I about? Oh now I haueit, I must goe to my Maisters house and counterfeite the Dutchman, and get my young Mistresse: well, and I must turne on my lest hand, for I haue forgot the way quite and cleane: Fare de well good frend, I am a simple Dutchman I.

Exit Frisco.

Heigh. Faire weather after you. And now my Laddes,

Haug

Haue I not plide my part as I should doe?

Harn. Twas well, twas well: But now let's cast about, To set these Woodcocks farder from the House, And afterwards returne vato our Girles.

Walg. Content, content, come, come make halte. Exeunt,

Alua. I goe and turne, and dan I come to dis plashe, I can no tell waer, and sall doe I can no tell watt, turne by the Pumpe; I pumpe it faire.

Enter Delion.

Delio. Meaile, ende alle & can no come to Croche-friers.

Enter Frisca.

Frisc. Oh miserable Blacke-pudding, if I can tell which is the way to my Maisters house, I ama Red-herring, and no honest Gentleman.

Alua. Who parlato daer?

Delie. Who be der? who alle der?

Frisc. How's this? For my lifehere are the Strangers. Oh that I had the Dutchmans Hose, that I might creepe into the Pockets; they'le all three fall upon me & beat me.

Alua: Who doe der ander?

Delio. Amis?

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Frisc. Oh braue; it's no body but M. Phareo and the Frenchman going to our House, on my life: well, Ile haue some sport with them, if the Watch hinder me not. Who goes there?

Who goes there?

Delio. Who parle der, in wat plashe, in wat streat be you?

Delie. Io behere in Lede-hall.

none: in Leaden ball? I trow I shall meete with you anone: in Leaden-ball? What a simple Asse is this Frenchman. Some more of this: Where are you sir?

Alna. Moy Ibe here in Vanshe-streete.

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## English-men for my money : or,

Frisc. This is excellent ynfayth, as fit as a Fiddle: 1 in Tower-streete, you in Leaden-hall, and the third in Fanchurch-streete; and yet all three heare one another, and all three speake togeather: either wee must be all three in Leaden-hall, or all three in Tower-streete; or all three in Fanchurch-streete; or all three Fooles.

Alua. Monsieur Gentle-home, can you well tesh de

wey to Croshe-frier?

Frisc- How to Croched-friers! I, I sir, passing well if you will follow mee. (tanks.

Delio. Idat me sal monsier Gentle-home, and giue you

Frisc. And monfiur Pharo, I shall lead you such a jaunt, that you shall scarce give me thankes for. Come firrs follow mee: now for a durtie Puddle, the pissing Condit, or a great Post, that might turne these two from Asses to Oxen by knocking their Hornes to their Fore-heads.

Alua. Whaer be de now fignor?

Frisc. Euen where you will fignor, for I know not:
Soft I smell: Oh pure Nose.

Delio. VVat do you mell? Well To be all all and

Frisc. Thaue the scent of London-stone as full in my nose, as Abchurch-lane of mother Walles Vasties: Sirrs seele about, I smell London-stone.

Alua. Watbedis?

Frisc. Soft let me see, seele I should say, for I cannot see. Ohlads pray for my life, for we are almost at Croched friers.

Delie. Dats good: but watt be dis Post?

Frisc. This Post; why tis the May-pole on Inie-bridge going to Westminster.

Delio. Ho Wesmistere, how come we to Wesmistere?

Frisc. Why on your Legges fooles, how should you goe? Soft, heere's an other: Oh now I know in deede where I am; wee are now at the fardest end of Shoredich, for this is the May-pole.

Delo. Sordiche; O dio, dere be some nautie tinge, some

Spirite do leade vs.

Frisc. You say true sir, for I am aseard your French spire is vp so far alredy, that you brought me this way, because you would finde a Charme for it at the Blew Bore in the Spittle: But soft, who comes heere?

Enter a Belman.

Bel. Maydes in your Smocks, looke, welto your Locks, Your Fier and your Light, and God give you good night.

Delia. Monsieur Gentle-home, I prey parle one, too,

tree, fore, words vore vs to dis oull man.

Frisc. Yes marry shall I fir. I pray honest Fellow, in

what Streete be wee?

Bel. Ho Frisco, whither friske you at this time of night?"
Delio. What, Monsieur Frisco?

Alua. Signor Frisco?

Frisc. The same, the same: Hatke yee honesty, mee thinkes you might doe well to have an Ni. under your Girdle, considering how Signor Pifaro, and this other Monsieur doe hold of mee.

Bell. Oh sir, I cryyou mercie; pardon this fault, and Ile

doe as much for you thenext time.

Fris. Well, passing ouer superfluicall talke, I pray what Street is this; for it is so darke, I know not where I am?

Bell. Why art thou druncke, Dost thou not know

CHEEVING.

Frisc. I sir, a good Fellow may sometimes be overseene among Friends; I was drinking with my Maister and these Gentlemen, and therefore no maruaite though I be none of the wisest at this present: But I pray thee Goodman Buttericke, bring mee to my Maisters House.

Bel. Why I will, I will, push that you are so strange now aday es: but it is an old said saw, Honors change Manners.

Frisc. Good-man Buttericke will you walke afore:
Come honest Friends, will yee goe to our House?

G 2. Delia.

## English-men for my money : or?

Delio. Ouy monsieur Frisco.

Alua. Si fignor Frisco.

Enter Vandalle.

Vand. Oh de skellam Frisco, ic weit neit waer dat ic be. ic goe and hit my nose op dit post, and ic goe and hit my nose op danden post; Oh de villaine: Well, waer ben ic now? Haw laet syen is dut neit croshe vrier, ya seker so ift and dit M. Pifaros huis: Oh de good shaunce, well ic sall now have de Wenshe Laurentia mestris Laurentia.

Enter Laurentia, Marina, Mathen, abone.

Mari. Who's there, Maister Harvie?

Math. Maister Walgraue?

Laur. Maister Heigham?

Vand. Ya my Louve, here be mester Heigham your groot frinde.

Mari, How, Maister Heigham my grot vrinde?

Out alas, here's one of the Strangers. 412 14 14 15

Lauren. Peace you Mammet, let's fee which it is; wee may chaunce teach him a strange tricke for his learning M. Heigham, what wind drives you to our house so late?

Vand. Oh my leif Mesken, de loue tol v be so groot, dat

het bring me out my bed voor you.

Math. Ha, ha, we know the Asse by his cares; it is the

Dutchman: what shall we doe with him?

Laure. Peace, lethim not know, that you are heere: M. Heigham, if you will stay awhile that I may fe, if my Father be a fleepe, and Ile make meanes we may come togeather

Vand. Dat falick my Loua. Is dit no well counterfett

I speake so like mester Heigham as tis possible.

Laure. Well, what shall we doe with this Lubber? (Louer I should say.) I moi a mi man man a man a

Math. What shall wee doe with him? Ward W. . . . .

Why crowne him with a \_\_\_\_\_ all have see in what a \_\_\_\_ is

Mari. Fie Slutt: No, wele vse him clenlier; you know we have never a Signe at the dore, would not the iest prove currant, current, to make the Dutchman supply that want.

Laure. Nay the foole wil cry out, & so wake my father. Mat. Why then wele cut the Rope & cast him downe.

Laur. And so iest out a hanging slet's rather draw him yp in the Basket, and so starue him to death this frosty night.

Mari. In sadnesse, well aduisde: Sister, doe you holde

him in talke, and weele prouide it whilft and almerni & a A

Laur. Goe to then. M. Heigham, oh sweete M Higham, doth my Father thinke that his vnkindnes can part you & poore Laurentia? No, no, I have found a drift to bring you to my Chamber, if you have but the heart to venter it.

Vand. Ventre, salick goeto de see, and be de see, and ore

de see and in de see voer my sweete Louis

Laur. Then you dare goeinto a Basket; for Iknow no other meanes to inioy your companie, then fo : for my Father hath the Keyes of the Dore with more and of ....

Vand. Salick climb vp tot you? sal ick fly vp tot you?

falick, wat fegdy? Mental lee his cunning. Laur. Oh no, so you may catch a fal. There M. Heigham, Put your felfe into that Basket, and I will, draw you vp: But no words I pray you, for feare my Sister heare you. Vand. No, no; no word : Oh descete Wenshe, Ick come,

Ick come. .. usm

Laur. Are you ready maister Heigham?

Vand. laick my fout Lady ist alarge and in selection

Mari Merily then my Wenches.

Laur How heavie the Asse : Maister Heigham, is there any in the Basket but your selfe?

Vand. Neit, neit, dare be no man.

Laur. Are you vp sir? ... Vand. Neit, neit.

Mari Nor neuer are you like to climbe more highers Sisters, the Woodcock's caught, the Foole is cag'd.

Vand. My sout Lady I be nuc neit vp, pul metot v. Math. When can you tell; what maister Vandalle,

# Englishmen for my money cor,

A wether beaten foldier an old wencher,
Thus to be over reach'd by three young Girles:
Ah firra now weele bragge with Mistres Moore,
To have as fine a Parret as she hath,
Looke fisters what a pretty soole it is:
What a greene greafic shy ning Coate he hath,
An Almonde for Parret, a Rope for Parret.

Vand. Doe you moc que me seger seger,

I fal feg your vader.

Doe and you dare, you lee here is your fortune,
Disquiet not my father; if you doe,
Ile lend you with a vengeance to the ground,
Well we must confesse we trouble you,
And ouer watching makes a wiseman madde,
Much more a foole, theres a Cusshon for you,

Mar. To bore you through the note. And districts

Laur. To lay your head on a que dend she le . han s

Couch in your Kennell sleape and fall to rest,
And so good night for London may des skorne still,
A Dutch-man should be seene to curbe their will.

ve no let me come tot you iek bid you let me come tot you watt salick don, ick would neit vor un hundred pounde Aluaro & Delion, should seeme ope dit maner, well wat salick don, ick mout neit cal vor de Wenshes wil cut de rope and breake my necke; ick sal herebleauen til de morning, & dan ick sal cal to mester Pisaro, & make him shafe & shite his dau ctors. Oh de skellum Frisco, Oh des cruelt Hores.

Enter Pifaro.

Pifa. The put the Light out, leaft I be espied,
For civiled Phane Holmerine foorth a doares,
That I might know, how my three Sonnes have sped.
Now (afore God) my heart is passing light,
That I have overreached the Englishmen:

Ha,

## A Woman will bone her will

Ha,ha, Maister Vandalle, many such nights
Will swage your bigg swome bulke, and make it lancke:
When I was young; yet though my Haires be gray.
I have a Young mans spirit to the death;
And can as nimbly trip it with a Girle,
As those which fold the spring-tide in their Beards.
Lord how the verie thought of former times,
Supples these neere dried limbes with active nesses.
Well, thoughts are shaddowes, sooner lost then seene.
Now to my Daughters, and their merrie night, and I hope Alvaro and his companie,
Haue read to them morrall Philosophie.
And they are full with it: Heere lle stay,
And tarry till my gallant youths come foorth.

Heigh. You mad-man, wild-oats, mad-cap, where are Wale. Heere afore.

Haru. Oh ware what love is! Ned hath found the scents.
And if the Connie chaunce to misse her Burrough, A. Shee's over-borne yfayth, the cannot stand it.

Pifa. I know that voyce, or I ammuch deceived. WW Heigh. Come, why loyter week this is the Dore: But foft, heere's one affeepe.

Walg. Come, letinee feele at the round of and V

Oh tis some Rogue or other; spurnehim, spurne hund

Ham. Be not so wilfull, prethee let him lie and (house) Heigh. Come backe, come backe, for wee are past the

Yonder's Matheas Chamber with the light and I dan &

Pija. Well fare a head, or I had been discride. When yell Gods mee, what make the Youngsters heere so late? I am a Rouge, and spurne him : well lacke sauce, when it was a representation of the Rogue is waking yet, to marre your sport.

Walg. Matt, Mistris Mathea; where be these Girles?

Enser

## English-men for my monoy : or

Enter Mathea alone.

Math. VVho's there below?

Walg. Thy Ned, kind Ned, thine honest trusty Ned.

Math. No, no, it is the Frenchman in his stead,

That Mounsieur motlicoate that can dissemble:

Heare you Frenchman, packe to your Whores in Frances

Though I am Portingale by the Fathers side,

And therefore should be lustfull, wanton, light; Yetgoodman Goolecap, I will let you know,

That I have so much English by the Mother,

That no bace flauering French shall make me stoope:

And so, fir Dan-delion fare you well.

Wale. What speachlesse, not a word: why how now Ned?

Har. The Wench hath tane him downe,

He hanges his head.

Walg. Y on Dan-de-lion, you that talke fo well: Harkeyou a word or two good Mistris Matt, Did you appoynt your Friends to meete you heere, And being come, tell vs of Whores in France, A Spanish lennet; and an English Mare, in singo oristi Land

A Mongrill Halfea Dagge and halfe a Bitch 1910 2001 VVith Fran dido Dil-dido and I know not what?

Heare you if you'le thin away with Ned ported drives

And be content to take me as you find me,

VVhy fo law, Iam yours: if other wife, of the wife

Youle change your Ned to be a Frenchmans Trull?

WWhy then Madame Delson, Ie wous lassera a Dio, et la Harb. Came backe, o me backe, for wee conversified

Math. That woy ceasilures mee, that it is my Loue: Say truly, Altthou my Ned? art thou my Loue? 17 319

Wala. Swounds who should I be but Ned? wom sho I ama Rouge a d hurne line; well orawl small our and I

Mari. Who speake you to? Mathea who's below? Harn. Marine.

Maria

Mari. Young maister Harny? for that voyce faith fo.

Enter Laurentia.

Alua. Speake sister Matt, is not my true Loue there? Math. Nedis.

Laur. Not maister Heigham?

Heigh. Laurentia, heere.

Laur. Yfayth thou'rt welcome.

Heigh. Better cannot Fall.

Mark, Sweete, so art thou.

Mari. As much to mine.

Laur. Nay Gentles, welcome all.

Pifa. Here's cunning harlotries, they feed these off With welcome, and kind words, whilst other Lads Reuell in that delight they should possesse: Good Girls, I promise you I like you well.

Mari. Say maister Harny, saw you, as you came, That Leacher, which my Sire appoynts my man; I meane that wanton base Italian, That Spannish-leather spruce companion: That anticke Apetrickt vp in fashion? Had the Affe come, l'de learne him, difference been Betwixt an English Gentleman and him.

Heigh. How would you vichim (sweete)

If he thould come?

Mari. Nay nothing (sweet) but only wash his crowne: Why the Asse woses in such an amorous key, That he prefumes no Wench should fay him nay: Hee flauers not his Fingers, wipes his Bill, And sweares infayth you shall, infayth I will; That I am almost madd to bide his woeing.

Heigh. Looke what he said in word, Ile act in doing. Walg. Leave thought of him, for day steales on apace, And to our Loues: Will you performe your words;

All things are ready, and the Parlon stands,

To

# English-men for my money: or,

Night fauours vs, the thing is quickly done,
Then trusse vp bagg and Bagages, and be gone:
And ere the morninge, to augment your ioyes,
Weele make you mothers of fixe goodly Boyes.

Heigh. Promise them three good Ned, and say no more.

Wale. But Ile get three, and if I gette not fourc.

Pifa. Theres a found Carde at Maw, a lustic lad, Your father thought him well, when one he had,

Heigh. What say you sweetes, will you performe your

wordes?

Matt. Loue to true loue, no lesser meede affordes?
Wee say we loue you, and that loues sayre breath
Shall lead vs with you round about the Earth:
And that our loues, vowes, wordes, may all proue true,
Prepare your Armes, for thus we slie to you. they Embrace.

Wale. This workes like waxe, now ere to morrow day,

If you two ply it but as well as I,

Weele worke our landes out of Pifares Daughters: And cansell all our bondes in their great Bellies, When the saue knowes it, how the Roge will curse.

Matt. Sweete hart.

Wale. Matt.

Mathe. Where art thou.

Pila. Here.

Mathe. Oh Iclus heres our father:

Walg. The Diuell he is.

Har u Maister Pifaro, twenty times God morrows.

Pifa, Good morrow? now I tell you Gentlemen,
You wrong and moue my patience ouermuch,
What will you Rob me, Kill me, Cuttemy Throte:
And set mine owne bloud here against me too,
You hus wises? Baggages? or what is worse,
Wilfull, stoubborne, disobedient:
Vseit not Gentlemen, abuse me not,

New-

Newgate hath rome, theres law enough in England,
Heigh. Be not so testie, heare what we can say.
Pisa. Will you be win'de? first learne to keepe a wise,
Learne to be thristic, learne to keepe your Lands,
And learne to pay your debts to, I aduise, esse.

Walg. What elfe, what Lands, what Debts, what will

you doe?

Haue you not Land in Morgage for your mony,
Nay fince tis fo, we owe you not a Penny,
Frette not, Fume not, neuer bende the Browe.
You take Tenn is the hundred more then Law,
We can complayne, extortion, fimony,
Newgate hath Rome, thers Law enough in England.

Heigh. Prethe haue done.

Wale. Prethy me no Prethies.

Here is my wife, Sbloud touch her, if thou darst, Hearst thou, Ile lie with her before thy face,
Against the Crosse in Cheape, here, any where,
What you old crasse Fox you.

Heigh. Ned, stop there.

Pifa. Nay, nay speake out, beare witnesse Gentlemen, Whers Monche, charge my Musket, bring me my Bill, For here are some that meane to Rob thy maister.

I am a Fox with you, well lack fawce, Beware leaft for a Goofe, I pray on you.

Exeunt Pisaro and Daughters.
In baggages, Monche make fast the doore.
Walg. A vengeance on ill lucke,
Antho. What never storme,
But bridle anger with wise government.
Heigh. Whom? Anthony our friend, Ahnow our hopes,

# English-men for my money sor

Are found too light to ballance our ill happes. Antho. Tut mere fay to, for Anthony

Is not devoyde of meanes to helpe his Friends.

Walg. Swounds, what a diuell made he foorth fo late? Ile lay my life twas hee that fainde to fleepe, at a land, And we all vn sufpitious, tearmde a Roage: Oh God, had I but knowne him; if I had, I would have writt fuch Letters with my Sword Vpon the bald skin of his parching pate, and any sale That he should nere have lived to crosse vs more.

Antho. These menaces are vaine, and helpeth naught: But I have in the deapth of my conceit Found out a more materiall stratagem: Harke Maister Walgraue, yours craues quicke dispatch, About it straight, stay not to say farewell. Exit Walgrane. You Maister Heigham, hie you to your Chamber, And stirre not foorth, my shaddow, or my selfe, Will in themorning earely visit you; Build on my promise fir, and good night. Exit Heigham. Last, yet as great in loue, as to the first: A Manage Yf you'remember once I told a iest, and and a How feigning to be ficke, a Friend of mine Possest the happy issue of his Loue: That counterfeited humor must you play; I need not to instruct, you can conceiue, Viemaister Browne your Host, as chiefe in this:

But fi: ft, to make the matter seeme more true,

I heare him at the Window, there he is.

Now for a tricke to ouerreach the Divell. Itell you fir, you wrong my maister much, And then to make amends, you give hard words ? Heath been a friend to you; nay more, a Father: I promise you tis most vagently done.

Sickly and fadly bid the churle good night;

Fife.

Pifa. I. well faid Monche, now I fee thy loue. And thou shalt seemine, one day if I live. None but my Daughters fir, hanges for your tooth: I'de rather fee them hang'd first; ere you get them. Haru. Maister Pisaro, heare a dead man speake, Who singes the wofull accents of his end. I doe confesse I loue; then let not loue Proue the fad engine of my lines remooue: Marinaes rich Possession was my blisse? Then in her losse, all ioy eclipsed is: As enery Plant takes vertue of the Sunne; So from her Eyes, this life and beeing sprung: But now debard of those cleare shyning Rayes, Death for Earth gapes, and Earth to Death obeyes: Each word thou spakst, (oh speake not so againe) Bore Deaths true mage on the Word ingrauen; Which as it flue mixt with Heauens averie breath, Summond the dreadfull Selsions of my death: I leave thee to thy wish, and may th'euent Prooke equall to thy hope and hearts content. Marina to that hap, that happiest is; My Body to the Grave, my Soule to bliffe.

Haue I done well? Antho. Excellent well in troth.

Pifer. I, goe; I, goe: your words moue me as much, As doth a Stone being cast against the ayre. But loft, What Light is that? What Folkes be those? Oh tis Aluaro & his other Friends, Ile downe & let them in. Exit.

Enter Belman, Frisco, Vandalle, Delion, & Aluaro.

Frisc. Where are we now gaffer Buttericke? (wits? Bell. Why know you not Creched-friers, where be your Aluar. Wat be tis Grosh-viers? vidite padre dare; tacke you dat, me sal troble you no farre.

Bell. I thanke you Gentlemen, good night: Good night Frisco. H 3

Exis Harnie.

## English-men for my money: or,

Frisc. Farewell Buttericke, what a Clowneit is:

Come on my maillers merrily, lle knocke at the dore.

Antho. Who's theere, our three wise Woers,

Blockhead our man? had he not been,

They might have hanged them-selves,

For any Wenches they had hit vpon:

Good morrow, or good den, I know not whether.

Delia. Mantieur de Manche wat macke von out de

Delio. Monsieur de Monche, wat macke you out de Houis so late?

Enter Pifaro below.

Pisa. What, what, young men & fluggards? fy for shame You trifle time at home about vaine toyes, Whilst others in the meane time, steale your Brides: I tell you sir, the English Gentlemen Had wel-ny mated you, and mee, and all; The Dores were open, and the Girles abroad. Their Sweet-hearts ready to receive them to: And gone for sooth they had been, had not I (I thinke by revelation) stopt their flight: But I have coopt them vp; and so will keepe them. But sirra Frisco, where's the man I sent for? VV hose Cloake have you got there? How now, where's Tandalle?

Frisc. For-sooth he is not heere:

Maister Mendall you meane, doe you not!

Pifar. VVhy logerhead, him I fent for, where is he? VVhere hast thou been? How hast thou spent thy time?

Did I not send thee to my Sonne Vandalle?

Frisc. I M. Mendall; why forsooth I was at his Chamber, and wee were comming hitherward, and he was very hot, and bade me carry his Cloake; and I no sooner had it, but he (being very light) firkes me downe on the left hand, and I turnd downe on the left hand, and so lost him.

Pisa. VV hy then you turnd togeather, Asse.
Frise. No sir, we neuer saw one another since.

Pisa. VVhy, turnd you not both on the left hand?
Frisc. No for-sooth we turnd both on the left hand.
Pisa. Hoyda, why yet you went both togeather.

Fris. Ah no, we went cleane contrary one from another.

Pifa. VVhy Dolt, why Patch, why Affe,

On which hand turnd yee?

Frisc. Alas, alas, I cannot tell for-sooth, it was so darke I could not see, on which hand we turnd: But I am sure we

turnd one way.

Pifa. VV as ever creature plagud with fuch a Dolt?
My Sonne Vandalle now hath lost himselfe,
And shall all night goe straying bout the Towne;
Or meete with some strange Watch that knowes him not;
And all by such an arrant Asse as this.

Anth. No, no, you may soone smel the Dutchmans lodg-Now for a Figure: Out alas, what's yonder? (ing:

Pifa. VVhere?

Fris. Hoyda, hoyda, a Basket: it turnes, hoe.

Pisa. Peace ye Villaine, and let's fee who's there? Goe looke about the House; where are our weapons? VVhat might this meane?

Frisc. Looke, looke, looke; there's one in it, he peeps out:

Is there nere a Stone here to hurle at his Nose.

Pifa. VVhat, wouldst thou breake my VVindowes with a Stone? How now, who's there, who are you sir?

Frisc. Looke, he peepes out againe: Oh it's M. Mend-

all, it's M. Mendall: how got he vp thither?

Pifa. What, my Sonne Vandalle, how comes this to passe?

Alua. Signor Vandalle, wat do yo goe to de wenshe in de Basket?

Vand. Oh Vadere, Vadere, here be sush cruell Dochterkens, ick ben also wery, also wery, also cold; for be in dit little Basket: Ic prey helpe dene.

Frisc. Helookes like the signe of the Mouth without Bishops gate, gaping, and a great Face, and a great Head,

and

# English-men for my money : or,

and no Body ? I share must be seen the

Pifa. Why how now Sonne, what have your Adamants. Drawne you vp to farre, and there left you hanging

Twixt Heaven and Earth like Mahomets Sepulchre?

Antho. They did unkindly, who so crethey were, That plagu'd him here, like Tantalus in Hell, To touch his Lippes like the desired Fruite, And then to snatch it from his gaping Chappes.

Alua. A little farder fignor Vandalle, and dan you may

put v hed into de windo and cash de Wensh.

Vand. Ick prey Vader dat youhelpe de mee, Ick prey Goddie Vader,

Pisa, Helpe you, but how? Frisc. Cut the Rope.

Anthe. Sir, Ilegoe in and see,

And if I can, Helet him downe to you. Exit Anthony.

Pisa. Doe gentle Moushe: Why but here's a iest;
They say, high climers have the greatest falles:
If you should fall; as how youle doe I know not,
Birlady I should doubt me of my Sonne:
Pray to the Rope to hold: Art thou there Mouche?

Enter Anthony above.

Antho. Yes fir, now you may chuse, whether youle stay till Het him downe, or whether I shall cut him downe?

Frisc. Cut him downe maister Monse, cut him downe,

And let's see, how hele tumble.

Pisa, Why sauce, who ask'd your counsaile?

Let him downe,

What, with a Cusshion too? why you prouided

To lead your life as did Dingines;

Andfora Tubb, to creepe into a Basket ...

Vanda, Ick sall seg v Vader, Ick quame here to your.

Huise and spreake tol de Dochterken.

Erife: M. Mondall, you are welcome out of the Basket: I smell a Ratt, it was not for nothing, that you lost me.

Vand.

Vand. Oh skellum, you run away from me.
Pifa. I thought so firra, you gaue him the slip.

Frisc. Faw, no for-sooth; lie tell you how it was: when we come from Bucklers-Burie into Corn-Wale, and I had taken the Cloake, then you should have turned downe on your left hand and so have gone right forward, and so turned vp againe, and so have cross the streate; and you like an Asse.

Psfa. Why how now Rascall; is your manners such? You asse, you Dolt, why led you him through Corn-hill, Your way had been to come through Canning streete.

Frise. Why so Idid fir.

Pifa. Why thou feest yee were in Corn-Hill.

Fris. Indeed sir there was three faults, the Night was darke, Maister Mendall drunke, and I sleepy, that we could

not tell very well, which way we went.

Pifa, Sirra I owe for this a Cudgelling:
But Gentlemen, fith things have faulne out so,
And for I see Vandalle quakes for cold,
This night accept your Lodginges in my house,
And in the morning forward with your marriage,
Come on my sonnes, sirra setch vp more wood.

Exeisne.

#### Enter the three Sifters.

Laur. Nay neuer weepe Marina for the matter,
/ Teares are but signes of sorrow, helping not.

Mari. Would it not madde one to be crost as I, Being in the very hight of my defire?

The strangers frustrate all: our true loue's come, Nay more, euen at the doore, and Harvies armes. Spred as a Rayne-bow ready to receive me, And then my Father meete vs: Oh God, oh God:

Math. Weepe who that lift forme, y'fayth not I,
Though I am youngest yet my stomack's great:
Nor tis not father, friends, nor any one,
Shall make me wed the man I cannot loue:

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Ilehauemy will ynfayth, y fayth I will.

Laur. Let vs determine Sisters what to doe, My father meanes to wed vs in the morning, And therefore something must be thought vpon.

Mari. Weele to our father and so know his minde,

I and his reason too, we are no sooles,

Or Babes neither, to be fedde with words.

Laur. Agreede, agreede: but who shall speake for all? Math. I will.

Mari. No I.

Laur. Thou wilt not speake for crying.

Mari. Yes, yes I warrant you, that humors left,

Bee I but mou'de a little, I hall speake, And anger him I feare, ere I haue done.

Enter Anthony.

All. Whom Anthony our friend, our Schoole-maister?

Now helpe vs Gentle Anthony, or neuer.

Antho. What is your hastie running chang'd to prayer,

Say, where were you going? Laur. Euen to our father,

To know what he intendes to doe with vs.

Antho. Tis bootleffe trust mee, for he is resolu'd

To marry you to.

Mari. The Strangers. Antho. Yfayth he is.

Math. Yfayth he shall not.

Frenchman, be sure weele plucke a Crow together, Before you force mee give my hand at Church.

Mari. Cometo our Father speach this comfort finds;

That we may scould out griefe, and ease our mindes. Anth. Stay, Stay Marina, and aduise you better,

It is not Force, but Pollicie must serue:

The Dores are lockt, your Father keepes the Keye,

Wherefore vnpossible to scape away: Yethaue I plotted, and deuil'd adrift,

To

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To frustrate your intended mariages, And give you full possession of your joyes: Laurentia, ere the mornings light appeare, You must play Authory in my disguise.

Math. 3 Anthony, what of vs? What shall we weare?

Anth. Soft, foft, you are too forward Girles, I sweare, For you some other drift deuisd must bee? One shaddow for a substance: this is shee. Nay weepe not sweetes, repose voon my care, For all alike, or good or bad shall share: You will have Harnie, you Heigham, and you Ned, You shall have all your wish, or be I dead: For sooner may one day the Sealie still, Then once restraine a Woman of her will.

All. Sweete Anthony, how shall we quit thy hire?
Anth. Not gifts, but your contentments I desire:

To helpe my Countrimen I cast about,
For Strangers loves blase fresh, but soone burne out:
Sweeterest dwell heere, and frightfull feare objure,
These eyes shall wake to make your rest secure:
For ere againe dull night the dull eyes charmes,
Each one shall fould her Husband in her armes:
Which if it chaunce, we may amough it still,
Women & Maydes will alwayes have their will. Exemp.

Enter Pisaro and Frisco.

Psia. Are Wood & Coales brought vp to make a fire?

Is the Meate spitted ready to lie downe:

For Bakemeates Ile have none, the world's too hard:

There's Geese too, now I remember mee;

Bid Mandlin lay the Giblets in Past,

Here's nothing thought vpon, but what I doe.

Stay Frisco, see who ringes: looke to the Dore,

Let none come in I charge, were hemy Father,

Ile keepe them whilst I have them: Frisco, who is it?

Frisco. She is come ynfayth.

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Pifa. Who is come?

Frisc. Mistris Sushaunce, Mistris Moores danghter, Pisa. Mistris Susan, Asse? Oh she must come in.

Frisc. Hang him, if he keepe out a Wench:

Yf the Wench keepe not out him, so it is.

## Enter Walgraue in Womans attire.

Pifa. Wdcome Mistris Susan, welcome; I little thought you would have come to night; But welcome (trust me) are you to my house: What, doth your Mother mende? doth she recover? I promise you I am forry for her sicknesse.

Walg. She's better then she was, I thanke God for it,

Pifa. Now afore God she is a sweete smugge Girle,
One might doe good on her; the slesh is frayle,
Man hath infirmitie, and such a Bride,
Were able to change Age to hot desire:
Harke you Sweet-heart,
To morrow are my Daughters to be wedde,

I pray you take the paines to goe with them.

Walg. If sir youle give me leave, Ile waight on them.

Pifa. Yes marry shall you, and a thousand thankes, Such company as you my Daughters want, Maydes must grace Maydes, when they are married: Ist not a merry life (thinkes thou) to wed, For to imbrace, and be imbraced abed.

Walg. I know not what you meane sir.

Heere's an old Ferret Pol-cat.

Pisa. You may doe, if youle follow mine aduice; I tell thee Mouse, I knew a Wench as nice: Well, shee's at rest poore soule, I meanemy Wise, That thought (alas good heart) Loue was a toy, Vntill (well, that time is gon and past away) But why speake I of this: Harke yee Sweeting, There's more in Wedlocke, then the name can shew;

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And now (birlady) you are ripe in yeares:
And yet take heed Wench, there lyes a Pad in Straw;
Walg. Old Fornicator, had I my Dagger,
Ide breake his Costard.

Ide breake his Coftard.

Pisa. Young men are flippery, fickle, wauering,
Constant abiding graceth none but Age:
Then Maydes should now waxe wise, and doe so.
As to chuse constant men, let fickle goe,
Youth's varegarded, and vahonoured:
An auncient Man doth make a Mayde a Matron:
And is not that an Honour, how say you? how say you?

Wale. Yes for sooth.

(Oh old lust will you never let me goe.)

Pifa. You say right well, and doe but thinke thereon, How Husbands, honored yeares, long card-for wealth, Wise stayednesse, Experient gouernment, Doth grace the Mayde, that thus is made a Wise, And you will wish your selfe such, on my life.

Wale. I thinke I must turne womankind alto geather,

And scratch out his eyes:

For as long as he can fee me, hele nere let me goe.

Pifa. But goe (sweet-heart) to bed, I doe thee wrong, The latenesse now, makes all our talke seeme long.

# Enter Anthony.

How now Monche, be the Girles abed!

Anth. Mathea (and it like you) faine would sleepe,
but onely tarrieth for her bed-fellow.

Pifa. Ha, you say well: come, light her to her Chamber,
Good rest wish I to thee; wish so to mee,
Then Susan and Pisare shall agree:
Thinke but what ioy is neere your bed-fellow,
Such may be yours; take counsaile of your Pillow:
To morrow weele talke more; and so good night,
Thinke what is sayd, may bee, if all hit right.

Wale.

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Walg. What, have I past the Pikes: knowes he not Ned?

I thinke I have deseru'd his Daughters bed.

Anth. Tis well it well: but this let me request, You keepe vnknowne, till you belaide to rest: And then a good hand speed you.

Walg. Tut, nere feare mee,

We two abed shall never disagree. Exeunt Antho. & Walg. Frisc. I have stood still all this while, and could not speake for laughing: Lord what a Dialogue hath there bin betweene Age and Youth. You do good on her? euen as much as my Dutchman will doe on my young Mistris: Maister, follow my counsaile; then send for M. Heigham to helpe him, for Ile lay my Cappete two Pence, that hee will be affeepe to morrow at night, when he should goe to bed to her: Marry for the Italian, he is of an other humor. for there'le be no dealings with him, till midnight; for hee must sauer all the Wenches in the house at parting, or he is no body : hee hach been but a litle while at our Houle, yet in that small time, hee hath lickt more Greafe from our . Mandlins lippes, then would have feru'd London Kitchin-ftuffe this twelvemonth. Yet for my money, well fare the Frenchman, Oh hee is a forward Lad, for heele no fooner come from the Church, but heele fly to the Chamber, why heele read his Lesson so often in the day time, that at night like an apt Scholler, heele be ready to sell his old Booke to buye him a new. Oh the generation of Languages that our House will bring foorth: why every Bedd will have a propper speach to himselfe, and have the Founders name written voon it in faire Cappitall letters, Heerelay, and To foorth.

Pisa. Youle be a villaine still : Looke who's at dore?

Frisc. Nay by the Masse, you are M. Porter, for she be hang'd if you loose that office, having so pretty a morsell vnder your keeping: I goe (old huddle for the best Nose at smelling out a Pin-fold, that I know: well, take heede, you may happes picke vp Wormes so long, that at length some

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fome of them get into your Nose, and neuer out after: But what an Asse am I to thinke so, considering all the Lodginges are taken up already, and there's not a Dog-kennell empty for a strange Worme to breed in.

Enter Anthony.

Antho. The day is broke; Mathea and young Ned,
By this time, are so surely linckt togeather,
That none in London can forbid the Banes.
Laurentia she is neere prouided for:
So that if Harvies pollicie but hold,
Elce-wheare the Strangers may goe seeke them Wives:
But heere they come.

.Enter Pisare and Browne,

Pisa. Six a clocke say you; trust mee, forward dayes: Harke you Monche, hie you to Church, Bid M. Benford be in readinesse:

Where goe you, that way?

Anth. For my Cloake, sir.

Pisa. Oh tis well: and M. Browne,

Trust mee, your earely stirring makes memuse, Is it to mee your businesse?

Brown. Euen to your selfe:

I come (I thinke) to bring you welcome newes,

Pisa. And welcome newes,

More welcome makes the bringer:

Speake, speake, good M. Browne, Ilong to heare them.

Brow. Then this it is. Young Harnie late last night, Full weake and fickly came vnto his lodging, From whence this suddaine mallady proceedes: Tis all vncertaine, the Doctors and his Friends Affirme his health is vnrecouerable: Young Heigham and Ned Walgraue lately lest him,

Young Heigham and Ned Walgraue lately left him, And I came hither to informe you of it.

Pifa. Young M. Haruie sicke, now afore God The newes bites neere the Bone: for should he die, His Liuing morgaged would be redeemed,

For

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For not these three months doth the Bond beare dates.
Die now, marry God in heaven desend it;
Ohmy sweete Lands, loose thee, nay loose my life:
And which is worst, I dare not aske mine owne;
For I take two and twenty in the hundred,
When the Law gives but ten: But should he live,
Hee carelesse would have less the debt vnpaide,
Then had the Lands been mine Pisaros owne,
Mine, mine owne Land, mine owne Possesion.

Brow. Nay heare mee out.

Pija. You'r out too much already, Vnlesseyou giue him life, and mee his Land.

Brow. Whether tis loue to you, or to your Daughter, I know not certaine; but the Gentleman Hath made a deed of gift of all his Lands, Vnto your beautious Daughter faire Marina.

Pefa. Ha, say that word againe, say it againe, A good thing cannot be too often spoken:

Marina say you, are you sure twas shee,

Or Mary, Margery; or some other Mayde?

Brow. To none but your Daughter faire Marina; And for the gift might be more forcible, Your neighbour maister Moore aduised vs, (Who is a witnesse of young Harnies Will) Sicke as hee is, to bring him to your house: I know they are not farre, but docattende, That they may know, what welcome they shall haue.

Pija. What welcome sir, as welcome as new life. Given to the poore condemned Prisoner:
Returne (good maister Browne) assure their welcome, Say it, nay sweare it; for they'r welcome truly:
For welcome are they to mee which bring Gold.
See downe who knockes; it may be there they are:
Frisco, call downe my Sonnes, bid the Girles rise:
Where's Morche; what, is he gon or no?

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Enter Laurentia in Anthonies attire.
Oh heare you firra, bring along with you
Maister Balsaro the Spanish Marchant.
Laur. Many Balsaros I; lle to my Loue:

And thankes to Anthony for this escape.

Pifa. Stay, take vs with you. Harke, they knocke againe, Come my foules comfort, thou good newes bringer, I must needes hugge thee even for pure affection.

Enter Harnie brought in a Chaire, Moore, Browne, Aluaro, Vandalle, Delion, and Frisco.

Pisa. Lift softly (good my friends) for hurting him.

Looke chearely fir, you'r welcometo my house.

Harke M. Vandalle, and my other Sonnes,
Seeme to be sad as grieuing for his sicknesse,
But inwardly reioyce. Maister Vandalle,
Signor Aluaro, Monsieur Delion,
Bid my Friend welcome, pray bid him welcome:
Take a good heatt; I doubt not (by Gods leaue)
You shall recouer and doe well enough:
(Yf I should thinke so, I should hange my selfe.)
Frisco, goe bid Marina come to mee.

Exis Frisco.
You are a Witnesse fir, of this mans Will:

What thinke you M. Moore, what say you to't?

Moor. Maister Pisaro, follow mine aduice:

You see the Gentleman cannot escape,
Then let him straight be wedded to your Daughter;
So during life time, she shall hold his Land,
When now (beeing nor kith nor kin to him)
For all the deed of Gist, that he hath seald,
His younger Brother will injoy the Land.

Pisa. Marry my Daughter: no birlady. Heare you Ainaro, my Friend counsaile mee, Seeing young M. Harnie is so sicke,

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To marry him incontinent to my Daughter.
Or else the gift he hath bestowde, is vaine:
Marry and hee recouer; no my Sonne,
I will not loose thy loue, for all his Land.

Alua. Here you padre, do no lose his Lands, his hundred point per anno, tis wort to hauar; let him have de matresse Marina in de mariage, tis but vor me to attendre vne day more: if he will no die, I sal giue him sush a Drincke, sush a Potion sal mak him giue de Bonos noches to all de world.

Pisa. Aluaro, here's my Keyes, take all I haue, My Money, Plate, Wealth, sewels, Daughter too: Now God be thanked, that I haue a Daughter, worthy to be Aluaroes bedfellow: Oh how I doe admire and prayse thy wit, lle straight about it: Heare you Maister Moore.

Enter Alarina and Frisco.

Frisc. Nay fayth hee's sicke, therefore though hee's come, yet he can doe you no good; there's no remedy but even to put your selfe into the hands of the Italian, that by that time that he hath past his grouth, young Harvie will be in case to come upon it with a sile of fresh force.

Mari. Is my Loue come, & sicke? I, now thou louest me, How my heart ioyes: Oh God, get I my will, Ile drive away that Sicknesse with a kisse: Ineed not faine, for I could weepe for ioy.

Pisa. It shall be so; come hither Daughter.
Maister Harnie, that you may see my loue
Comes from a single heart vnsaynedly,
See heere my Daughter, her I make thine owne:
Nay looke not strange, before these Gentlemen,
I freely yeeld Marina for thy Wife.

Harn. Stay, stay good sir, forbeare this idle worke,

My soule, is labouring for a higher place,

Then

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Then this vaine transitorie world can yeeld:
What, would you wed your Daughter to a Graue?
For this is but Deaths modell in mans shape:
You and Aluaro happie live to geather:
Happy were I, to see you live to geather.

Pisa. Come sir, I trust you thall doe well againe: Heere, heere, it must be so; God give you ioy, And blesse you (not a day to live togeather.)

Vand. Hort ye broder, will ye let den ander heb your

Wiue? nempt haer, nempt haer your felue?

Alna. No, no; tush you be de soole, here be dat sal spoyle de mariage of hem: you have deceue me of de sine Wensh signor Harney, but I sal deceue you of de mush Land.

Haru. Are all things sure Father, is all dispatch'd? Pisa. What intrest we have, we yeeld it you:

Are you now satisfied, or restes there ought?

Haru. Nay Father, nothing doth remaine, but thankess.

Thankes to your selfe first, that disdayning mee, Yet loude my Lands, and for them gaue a Wife.

But next, vnto Aluaro let me turne, To courtious gentle louing kind Aluaro, That rather then to see me die for loue,

For very loue, would loofe his beautious Loue.

Vand. Ha, ha, ha.

Deli. Signor Aluaro, giue him de ting quickly sal make hem dy, autremant you sal lose de fine Wensh.

Alua. Oyime che haueße allhora appressata la mano al mio core, ô suen curato ate, l che longo sei tu arriuato, ô cieli, ô terra.

Pisa. Am I awake? or doe deluding Dreames Makethat seeme true, which most my soule did seare?

Haru Nay fayth Father, it's very certaine true, I am as well as any man on earth:

Am I sicke sirres? Looke here, is Harnie sicke?
Pifa. What shall I doe? What shall I say?

Did not you counsaile mee to wed my Childe?

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"What Potion? Where's your helpe, your remedy.

Haru. I hope more happy Starres will reigne to day,
And don Aluaro have more company.

#### Enter Anthonie.

Anthe. Now Anthony, this cottens as it should,
And enery thing forts to his wish'd effect:
Harnie ioyes Moll: my Dutchman and the French,
Thinking all fure, laughs at Aluaros hap;
But quickly I shall marre that merrie vaine,
And make your Fortunes equal with your Friends.

Pifa. Sirra Monche, what answere brought you backe?

Will maister Balsaro come, as I requested?

Anth. Maister Balfaro, I know not who you meane.

Pisa. Know you not Asse, did I not send thee for him? Did not I bid thee bring him, with the Parson? What answere made hee, will hee come or no?

Anth. Sent me for him: why sir, you sent not mee,
I neither went for him, nor for the Parson:
I am glad to see your Worship is so merrie.

Knocke.

Pija. Hence you forgetfull dolt: Looke downe who knockes?

Exit Antho.

Enter Frisco.

Frisc. Oh Maister, hange your selfe: nay neuer stay for a Sessions: Maister Vandalle confesse your selfe, desire the people to pray for you; for your Bride shee is gone: Laurentsa is run away.

Vanda. Oh de Diabolo, de mal-fortune : is matresse

Laurentia gaen awech?

Pisa. First tell mee that I am a linelesse coarse; Tell mee of Doomes-day, tell mee what you will, Before you say Laurentia is gone.

Mari. Maister Vandalle, how doe you feele your selfe? What, hang the head? fie man for shame I say, Looke not so heavie on your marriage day.

Haru.

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Haru. Oh blame him not, his griefe is quickly spide, That is a Bridegroome, and yet wants his Bride.

Enter Heigham, Laurentia, Balfaro, & Anthony.

Balf. Maister Pifaro, and Gentlemen, good day to all:
According fir, as you requested mee,
This morne I made repaire vnto the Tower,
Where as Laurentia now was married:
And fir, I did expect your comming thither;
Yet in your absence, wee perform'd the rites:
Therefore I pray fir, bid God give them ioy.

Heigh. Hetels you true, Laurentia is my Wise;

Who knowing that her Sisters must be wed; Presuming also, that you'le bid her welcome, Are come to beare them company to Church.

Haru. You come too late, the Mariage rites are done: Yet welcome twenty-fold vnto the Feast. How say you sirs, did not I tell you true, These Wenches would have vs, and none of you.

Laur. I cannot say for these; but on my life, This loues a Cusshion better then a Wife.

Mall. And reason too, that Cusshion fell out right,

Else hard had been his lodging all last night.

Balf. Maister Pisaro, why stand you speachlesse thus? Pisa. Anger, and extreame griefe enforceth mee.

Pray fir, who bade you meete mee at the Tower?

Balf. Who fir, your man fir, Monche; here he is.

Anth. Who I fir, meane you mee? you are a lefting man.

Pifa. Thou art a Villaine, a dissembling Wretch,

Worser then Anthony whom I kept last:
Fetch me an Officer, Ile hamper you,
And make you sing at Bride-well for this tricke:
For well he hath descrude it, that would sweare
He went not foorth a dores at my appoyntment.

Anth. So sweare I Rill, I went not foorth to day.

Balf.

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Balf. Why arrantlyer, wert thou not with mee?

Pifa. How fay you maister Browne, went he not foorth?

Brow. Hee, or his likenesse did, I know not whether.

Pifa. What likenesse can there be besides himselfe?

Laur. My selfe (forsooth) that tooke his shape vpon me, I was that Monche that you sent from home: And that same Monche that deceived you,

And that same Monche that deceived you, Effected to possesse this Gentleman:

Which to attaine, I thus be guil'd you all.

Frise. This is excellent, this is as fine as a Fiddle: you M. Heigham got the Wench in Monches apparell; now let Monche put on her apparell, and be married to the Dutchman: How thinkeyou, is it not a good vize?

Moor. Maister Pifaro, shake off melancholy, When thinges are helpelesse, patience must be vs'd.

Pifa. Talke of Patience? Ile not beare these wronges: Goe call downe Matt, and mistris Susan Moore, Tis well that of all three, wee have one sure.

Moor. Mistris Susan Moore, who doe you meane sir?

Pisa. Whom should I meane sir, but your Daughter?

Moor. You'r very pleasant sir: but tell me this,

When did you see her, that you speake of her?

Pula. I, late yester-night, when she came heere to bed. Moor. You are deceived, my Daughter lay not heere, But watch'd with her sicke mother all last night.

Pisa. I am glad you are so pleasant M. Moore, You'r loth that Susan should be held a sluggard: What man, t'was late before she went to bed, And therefore time enough to rise againe.

Moor. Maister Pisaro, doe you floute your friends;
I well perceiue if I had troubled you,
I should have had it in my dish ere now:
Susan lie heere? am sure when I came foorth,
I left her fast asseepe in bed at home;
Tis more then neighbour-hood to vie me thus.

Pila.

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Pisa. Abed at your house? tell me I am madd,
Did not I let her in adores my selfe,
Spoke to her, talk'd with her, and canuast with her,
And yet she lay not heere? What say you sirea?
Antho. She did, she did; I brought her to her Chamber.

Moor. Is a he lyes (that sayth so) in his throat.

Antho. Masse now I remember me, I lye indeed.

Pifa. Oh how this frets mee: Frisco, what say you?

there was a familiar in her likenesse; for I am sure my Maisser and she were so familiar to geather, that he had almost shot the Gout out of his Toes endes, to make the Wench beleeue he had one tricke of youth in him. Yet now I remember mee shee did not ly e heere; and the reason is, because sheed oth ly e heere, and is now abed with mistris Mathea; witnesse whereof, I have set to my Hand & Seale, and meane presently to setch her.

Exist Frisco.

Pisa. Dee so Frisco. Gentlemen and Friends, Additional Now shall you see how I am wrong'd by him.

Lay shee not heere? I thinke the world's growne wise,

Plaine solkes (as I) shall not know how to liue.

Enter Frisco.

Frisc. Shee comes, shee comes: a Hall, a Hall.

Enter Mathea, and Walgrane in Womans attire.

Walg. Nay blush not wench, seare not, looke chearfully.
Good morrow Father; Good morrow Gentlemen:
Nay stare not, looke you heere, no monster I,
But enen plaine Ned: and heere stands Matt my Wise.
Know you her Frenchman? But she knowes me better.
Father, pray Father, let mee haue your blessing,
For I haue blest you with a goodly Sonne;
Tis breeding heere yfayth, a ielly Boy.

Pisa. I am vndone, a reprobate, a slave;
A scorne, a laughter, and a iesting stocke:

Giue mee my Child, giue mee my Daughter from you.

Moore.

# English-men for my money : or,

Moor. Maister Pisaro, tis in vaine to fret,
And sume, and storme, it little now awayles:
These Gentlemen have with your Daughters helpe,
Outstript you in your subtile enterprises:
And therefore, seeing they are well descended,
Turne hate to love, and let them have their Loves,
Pisa. Is it even so; why then I see that still,
Doe what we can, Women will have their Will.
Gentlemen, you have outreacht mee now,
Which nere before you, any yet could doe:
You, that I thought should be my Sonnes indeed,
Must be content, since there's no hope to speed:
Others have got, what you did thinke to gaine;

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Must be content, since there's no hope to speed:
Others have got, what you did thinke to gaine;
And yet beleeue mee, they have tooke some paine.
Well, take them, there; and with them, God give ioy.
And Gentiemen, I doe intreat to morrow,
That you will Feaste with mee, for all this sorrow:
Though you are wedded, yet the Feast's not made:
Come let vs in, for all the stormes are past,

And heapes of ioy will follow on as fast.

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