

Re: "To her derided Home"

Johnson gives this as a very late poem (1883) — same year as "By homely gift"

To her derided Home
A Weed of Summer came-
She did not know her station low
Nor Ignominy's Name
Bestowed a summer long
Upon a fameless Bower-
Then swept as lightly from disdain
As Lady from her Bower-

Of Bliss the Codes are few-
As Jesus cites of Him-
"Come unto me" the moiety
That wafts the Seraphim-

Miller uses a different ED holograph that has first stanza but for the second stanza ED has something else

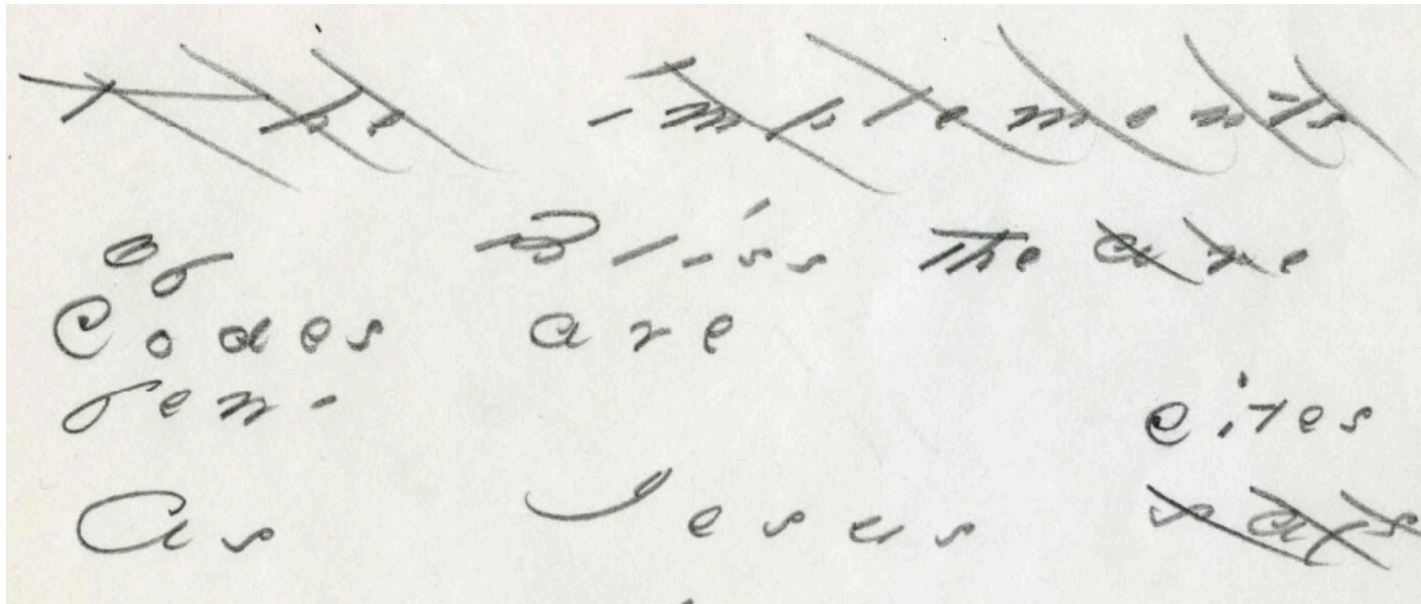
The Dandelion's Shield
Is valid as a Star —
The Buttercup's Escutcheon — [for Buttercup's: Leontodon's]
Sustains him anywhere — [for him: her]

Miller has this poem also from 1883. Not "Of Bliss the Codes are few" — not *codes* but *implements*. There is no image of this poem at the Harvard or Amherst sites, that I could find, but the first lines are listed at Harvard/ED:

No ladder needs the bird but skies
To situate its wings,
Nor any leader's grim baton
Arraigns it as it sings.
The implements of bliss are few —
As Jesus says of Him,

'Come unto me' the moiety
That wafts the cherubim.

here is the holograph page 2 of "To her derided home" presumably used by
Johnson --



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of Codes pen- As Dis's the are
As Desus sites

here is the full page 2: it's signed:

lightly from
abandon
As I feel
from her bones.

~~The~~ temptations
of Bliss the
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As Jesus
of Him. ~~sets~~
" Come unto me
the Meek
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J. Wickinson.

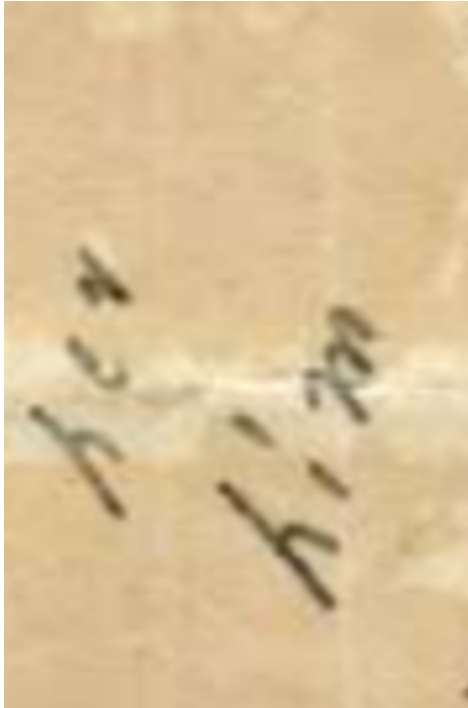
this is a different version of the poem:

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 a Star -
 as radial as
 lions' Shields
 the Noanoe -
 her Bower -
 As dark green
 green wisdom
 as light
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Leontodon

secretion

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this overleaf with these words is stunning:

Leontodon's

Escutcheon –

Sustains him

anywhere –

Leontodon, proper n. [Gk 'lion' + 'tooth'; see **dandelion**.]

Dandelion; plant of the genus *Leontodon*; flower growing in a valley; [fig.] baby; young one; child in a bed; flower personified; (see ED's letters).

escutscheon (escutcheon), n. Protection; shield; defense; symbol; coat of arms; mark of identification.

Conclusion:

of Bliss the
Codes are
few -