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scythe or bow, from love and years un-sub-ject
 cru-el-ties, be-ing mer-ci-less like thee that

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to de-cay? Then do so still
 no man's weighs? And do so still

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al-though she makes no 'steem of days nor years but lets
 al-though she no-thing cares. Do as I do: love her

1) a in orig.

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them run in vain. Hold still thy swift-wing'd hours that won-
al- though un- kind. Hold still yet O, I fear, as, un-

1)

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d'ring seem, to gaze on her, ev- en to turn
a- wares, thou wilt be- guile her though thou

2)

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back seem'st a- so gain. kind.

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1) a in orig.
2) b in orig. clashes with top part.