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For now my pen doth tremble for to tell, How like a Debil from all grace be fell. Noz now his contemplation be did bend, To Regromance and much time did fpend, Incatting figures, making Inchantations; And to thefe hellif Arts be did incline. I therefoze bere babe dzawn his life, that pou

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Unith all the wicked helps of Conjurations, Leahing those Audies which are most divine, Map learn fuch wicked courfes to eschew; Abat we thus feeing him ruled by the Debil, Map peap to be deliber'd from all fuch ebil.

CHAP. II.

How Doctor Faustus conjur'dup from out a Globe of fire, The fairit Mephoftophiles, that came like to a Fryer.

IDw Fauftus purpoling alone to trp, The power of this his Wagich miffery, De'did repair unto a little Wood, And not far off from Wittenberg it thood; Tabere be did make a circle with his wand, And thus with charms his fririt did command:

> Mephosophiles I fay, quickly rife and come away: By Lucifer I charge thee here . that thou forthwith do appear

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thith this a murmure in the wood was heard. That Doctoz Fauftus grew himfelf afeard; The wood with lightning feemed on a flame. And loudeft thunder, terroz did pzoclaim : Zill Dodoz Fauftus in his Magich Mobe Looking about bim, fpp d a fiery Globe : And at the laft, from this fame Globe of fire, The Spirit came in likeness of a Frper ; Tabo lightly round about the circle ran, And thus to fpeak to Fauftus be began :

Faustus (saies he) I now am come, Speak thy will, and it is done.

Withen Mephoftophiles did thus kindly greet him, Aben Doctoz Fauftus bid the Spirit meet bim The nert dap at his boule; the fpirit did cofent, And back again then Dodoz Fauftus went.

CHAP. III.

How Doctor Faustus made a Contract firm, not good. To serve the Devil, which he writ with his own blood.

De time appointed, in a bluftring dap, The fpirit came to him, and thus did fag: Mephoftophiles am teady now, And thus to be pour Maffal I do bow; Entreating you that you would let me know, What is your pleasure that poucall me to.

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