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THE LAKE DISTRICT OF ENGLAND.—LODORE FALLS, NEAR DERWENTWATER.

Retreating and meeting and heaving and sheeting,
Delaying and straying and playing and spraying,
Advancing and prancing and glancing and dancing,
Recoiling, tumbling, and toiling and boiling,
And thumping and plumping and bumping and
jumping.

And dashing and flashing and splashing and clashing,
And so never ending but always descending,
Sounds and motions for ever and ever are blending ;
All at once, and all o'er, with a mighty uproar,
And in this way the water comes down at Lodore."

—Robert Southey.