The pure affection's early beam,
Wi' errin' tenderness astray;
Fa' fondly on a faithless stream,
The banks redeem the heav'nly ray.
An' the' their verdure's no sae sweet,
The charm that gilded it away;
It glows in reminiscent light,
Far sweeter than reality.

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Then tell na me that nature low'rs,
Tho' passin' clouds obscure the scene;
'Tis after sorrow's quick'ning show'rs,
That mem'ry, wears her freshest green.

DINNA TRUST IN LOVE, LASSIE.

Tune,- "Saw ye Johnny commin'."

O, dinna trust in luve, Lassie;
Hae nae dealings wi' him;
Foul an' fause he'll prove, Lassie;
Infant tho' ye see him.