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&
THE OAKWOODS OF ABBEY LEIX
I DEDICATE THIS LITTLE BOOK

VERY GRATEFULLY

MAIANO, NEAR FLORENCE
NOVEMBER 1898



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INTRODUCTION

Saget, Steine, mir an; o sprecht, ihr hohen Paläste;
Strassen, redet ein Wort! Genius, regst du dich nicht?

Rom: Eleg: I.