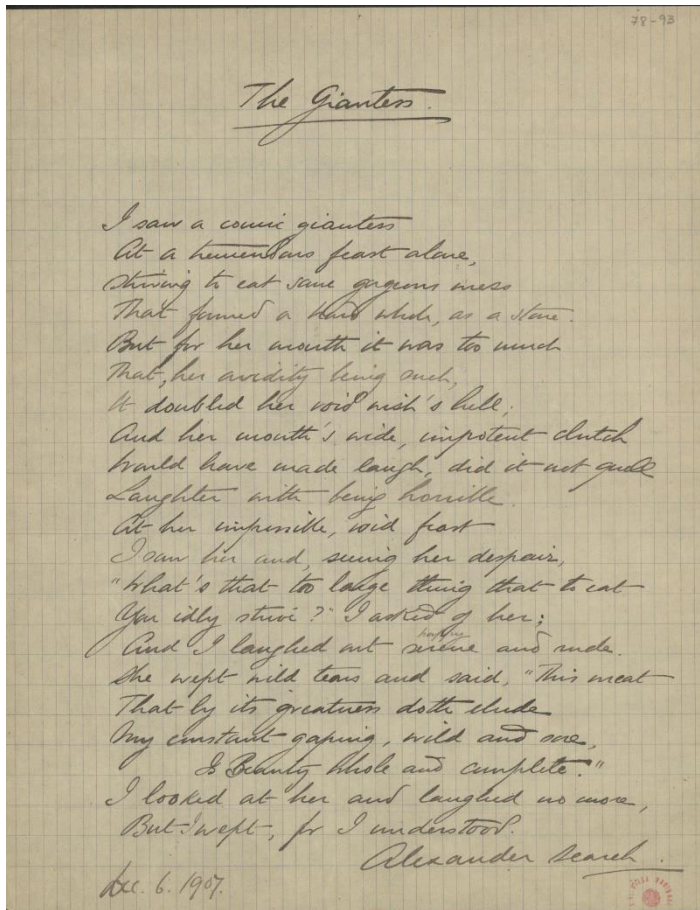


BNP/E3, 78 - 93<sup>r</sup>

Transcrição

*The Giantess.*



I saw a comic giantess  
At a tremendous feast alone,  
Striving to eat some gorgeous mess  
That formed a hard whole, as a stone.  
But for her mouth it was too much  
That, her avidity being such,  
It doubled her void wish's hell;  
And her mouth's wide, impotent clutch  
Would have made laugh, did it not quell  
Laughter with being horrible.  
At her impossible, void feast  
I saw her and, seeing her despair,  
"What's that too large thing that to eat  
You idly strive?" I asked of her;  
And I laughed out serene <sup>/happy\</sup> and rude.  
She wept wild tears and said, "This meat  
That by its greatness doth elude  
My constant gaping, wild and sore,  
Is Beauty whole and complete."  
I looked at her and laughed no more,  
But I wept, for I understood.

Alexander Search.

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