Shakespeare at the Huntington 2015

Double Dactyls

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Doubly troubly

Emily Lanier[[1]](#footnote-1)

Playing the virginal

Tinkled a trill,

Said to them both, “I like

Triangularity.

Need a Dark Lady? Just

ask me--I will!”

Sydney Sims

The Bard

Lexicony Flexicony

Melissa Sullivan

Wanted to learn about

William Shakespeare

She stopped watching movies

And listened to Louis

Actualization?

Bard’s Verse so dear!

Melissa Sullivan

2 (Naughty Version)

Flummadid[[2]](#footnote-2), do-la did,

Rosalind- Ganymede

Was the same person who

Disguised herself.

Cousin to Celia

Void of transphobia,

Got her Orlando to

Practice in stealth.

Jane Smith

2 (Nice Version)

Flummadid, do-la did,

Rosalind- Ganymede

Was the same person who

Disguised herself.

Cousin to Celia

Void of transphobia,

Convinced Orlando

To woo her in stealth.

Jane Smith

1. Renaissance poet often put forth as the ‘dark lady’ of Shakespeare’s sonnets [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. flummadiddle is actually a word that means “nonsense.” [↑](#footnote-ref-2)