Century IV

That of the remainder of blood unshed:
Venice demands that relief be given:
After having waited a very long time,
City delivered up at the first sound of the horn.

Because of death France will take to making a journey, Fleet by sea, marching over the Pyrenees Mountains, Spain in trouble, military people marching:

Some of the greatest Ladies carried off to France.

3
From Arras and Bourges many banners of Dusky Ones,
A greater number of Gascons to fight on foot,
Those along the Rhône will bleed the Spanish:
Near the mountain where Sagunto sits.

The impotent Prince angry, complaints and quarrels, Rape and pillage, by cocks and Africans: Great it is by land, by sea infinite sails, Italy alone will be chasing Celts.

5 Cross, peace, under one the divine word accomplished, Spain and Gaul will be united together: Great disaster near, and combat very bitter: No heart will be so hardy as not to tremble.

By the new clothes after the find is made, Malicious plot and machination: First will die he who will prove it, Color Venetian trap.

7
The minor son of the great and hated Prince,
He will have a great touch of leprosy at the age of twenty:
Of grief his mother will die very sad and emaciated,
And he will die where the loose flesh falls.

The great city by prompt and sudden assault Surprised at night, guards interrupted: The guards and watches of Saint-Quentin Slaughtered, guards and the portals broken.

9

The chief of the army in the middle of the crowd Will be wounded by an arrow shot in the thighs, When Geneva in tears and distress Will be betrayed by Lausanne and the Swiss.

10

The young Prince falsely accused Will plunge the army into trouble and quarrels: The chief murdered for his support, Scepter to pacify: then to cure scrofula.

11.

He who will have the government of the great cope Will be prevailed upon to perform several deeds: The twelve red one who will come to soil the cloth, Under murder, murder will come to be perpetrated.

12

The greater army put to flight in disorder, Scarcely further will it be pursued: Army reassembled and the legion reduced, Then it will be chased out completely from the Gauls.

13

News of the greater loss reported, The report will astonish the army: Troops united against the revolted: The double phalanx will abandon the great one.

14

The sudden death of the first personage Will have caused a change and put another in the sovereignty: Soon, late come so high and of low age, Such by land and sea that it will be necessary to fear him.

15

From where they will think to make famine come, From there will come the surfeit:

The eye of the sea through canine greed For the one the other will give oil and wheat.

16

The city of liberty made servile:
Made the asylum of profligates and dreamers.
The King changed to them not so violent:
From one hundred become more than a thousand.

17

To change at Beaune, Nuits, Châlon and Dijon, The duke wishing to improve the Carmelite [nun] Marching near the river, fish, diver's beak Will see the tail: the gate will be locked.

18

Some of those most lettered in the celestial facts Will be condemned by illiterate princes: Punished by Edict, hunted, like criminals, And put to death wherever they will be found.

19

Before Rouen the siege laid by the Insubrians, By land and sea the passages shut up: By Hainaut and Flanders, by Ghent and those of Liége Through cloaked gifts they will ravage the shores.

20

Peace and plenty for a long time the place will praise: Throughout his realm the fleur-de-lis deserted: Bodies dead by water, land one will bring there, Vainly awaiting the good fortune to be buried there.

21

The change will be very difficult: City and province will gain by the change: Heart high, prudent established, chased out one cunning, Sea, land, people will change their state.

22

The great army will be chased out, In one moment it will be needed by the King: The faith promised from afar will be broken, He will be seen naked in pitiful disorder.

23

The legion in the marine fleet
Will burn lime, lodestone sulfur and pitch:
The long rest in the secure place:
Port Selyn and Monaco, fire will consume them.

24

Beneath the holy earth of a soul the faint voice heard, Human flame seen to shine as divine: It will cause the earth to be stained with the blood of the monks, And to destroy the holy temples for the impure ones.

25

Lofty bodies endlessly visible to the eye, Through these reasons they will come to obscure: Body, forehead included, sense and head invisible, Diminishing the sacred prayers.

26

The great swarm of bees will arise, Such that one will not know whence they have come; By night the ambush, the sentinel under the vines City delivered by five babblers not naked.

27

Salon, Tarascon, Mausol, the arch of SEX., Where the pyramid is still standing: They will come to deliver the Prince of Annemark, Redemption reviled in the temple of Artemis.

28

When Venus will be covered by the Sun, Under the splendor will be a hidden form: Mercury will have exposed them to the fire, Through warlike noise it will be insulted.

29

The Sun hidden eclipsed by Mercury
Will be placed only second in the sky:
Of Vulcan Hermes will be made into food,
The Sun will be seen pure, glowing red and golden.

30

Eleven more times the Moon the Sun will not want, All raised and lowered by degree:

And put so low that one will stitch little gold: Such that after famine plague, the secret uncovered.

31

The Moon in the full of night over the high mountain, The new sage with a lone brain sees it: By his disciples invited to be immortal, Eyes to the south. Hands in bosoms, bodies in the fire.

32

In the places and times of flesh giving way to fish, The communal law will be made in opposition: It will hold strongly the old ones, then removed from the midst, Loving of Everything in Common put far behind.

33

Jupiter joined more to Venus than to the Moon Appearing with white fullness: Venus hidden under the whiteness of Neptune Struck by Mars through the white stew.

34

The great one of the foreign land led captive, Chained in gold offered to King Chyren: He who in Ausonia, Milan will lose the war, And all his army put to fire and sword.

35

The fire put out the virgins will betray
The greater part of the new band:
Lightning in sword and lance the lone Kings will guard
Etruria and Corsica, by night throat cut.

36

The new sports set up again in Gaul, After victory in the Insubrian campaign: Mountains of Hesperia, the great ones tied and trussed up: Romania and Spain to tremble with fear.

37

The Gaul will come to penetrate the mountains by leaps: He will occupy the great place of Insubria: His army to enter to the greatest depth, Genoa and Monaco will drive back the red fleet. While he will engross the Duke, King and Queen With the captive Byzantine chief in Samothrace: Before the assault one will eat the order: Reverse side metaled will follow the trail of the blood.

39

The Rhodians will demand relief, Through the neglect of its heirs abandoned. The Arab empire will reveal its course, The cause set right again by Hesperia.

40

The fortresses of the besieged shut up,
Through gunpowder sunk into the abyss:
The traitors will all be stowed away alive,
Never did such a pitiful schism happen to the sextons.

41

Female sex captive as a hostage
Will come by night to deceive the guards:
The chief of the army deceived by her language
Will abandon her to the people, it will be pitiful to see.

42

Geneva and Langres through those of Chartres and Dôle And through Grenoble captive at Montélimar Seyssel, Lausanne, through fraudulent deceit, They will betray them for sixty marks of gold.

43

Arms will be heard clashing in the sky:
That very same year the divine ones enemies:
They will want unjustly to discuss the holy laws:
Through lightning and war the complacent one put to death.

44

Two large ones of Mende, of Rodez and Milhau Cahors, Limoges, Castres bad week
By night the entry, from Bordeaux an insult
Through Périgord at the peal of the bell.

45

Through conflict a King will abandon his realm: The greatest chief will fail in time of need:

Dead, ruined few will escape it, All cut up, one will be a witness to it.

46

The fact well defended by excellence, Guard yourself Tours from your near ruin: London and Nantes will make a defense through Reims Not passing further in the time of the drizzle.

47

The savage black one when he will have tried His bloody hand at fire, sword and drawn bows: All of his people will be terribly frightened, Seeing the greatest ones hung by neck and feet.

48

The fertile, spacious Ausonian plain Will produce so many gadflies and locusts, The solar brightness will become clouded, All devoured, great plague to come from them.

49

Before the people blood will be shed, Only from the high heavens will it come far: But for a long time of one nothing will be heard, The spirit of a lone one will come to bear witness against it.

50

Libra will see the Hesperias govern, Holding the monarchy of heaven and earth: No one will see the forces of Asia perished, Only seven hold the hierarchy in order.

51

A Duke eager to follow his enemy Will enter within impeding the phalanx: Hurried on foot they will come to pursue so closely That the day will see a conflict near Ganges.

52

In the besieged city men and woman to the walls, Enemies outside the chief ready to surrender: The wind will be strongly against the troops, They will be driven away through lime, dust and ashes. The fugitives and exiles recalled:
Fathers and sons great garnishing of the deep wells:
The cruel father and his people choked:
His far worse son submerged in the well.

54

Of the name which no Gallic King ever had Never was there so fearful a thunderbolt, Italy, Spain and the English trembling, Very attentive to a woman and foreigners.

55

When the crow on the tower made of brick For seven hours will continue to scream: Death foretold, the statue stained with blood, Tyrant murdered, people praying to their Gods.

56

After the victory of the raving tongue, The spirit tempered in tranquillity and repose: Throughout the conflict the bloody victor makes orations, Roasting the tongue and the flesh and the bones.

57

Ignorant envy upheld before the great King, He will propose forbidding the writings: His wife not his wife tempted by another, Twice two more neither skill nor cries.

58

To swallow the burning Sun in the throat, The Etruscan land washed by human blood: The chief pail of water, to lead his son away, Captive lady conducted into Turkish land.

59

Two beset in burning fervor:
By thirst for two full cups extinguished,
The fort filed, and an old dreamer,
To the Genevans he will show the track from Nira.

60

The seven children left in hostage, The third will come to slaughter his child: Because of his son two will be pierced by the point, Genoa, Florence, he will come to confuse them.

61

The old one mocked and deprived of his place, By the foreigner who will suborn him: Hands of his son eaten before his face, His brother to Chartres, Orléans Rouen will betray.

62

A colonel with ambition plots, He will seize the greatest army, Against his Prince false invention, And he will be discovered under his arbor.

63

The Celtic army against the mountaineers, Those who will be learned and able in bird-calling: Peasants will soon work fresh presses, All hurled on the sword's edge.

64

The transgressor in bourgeois garb, He will come to try the King with his offense: Fifteen soldiers for the most part bandits, Last of life and chief of his fortune.

65

Towards the deserter of the great fortress, After he will have abandoned his place, His adversary will exhibit very great prowess, The Emperor soon dead will be condemned.

66

Under the feigned color of seven shaven heads Diverse spies will be scattered: Wells and fountains sprinkled with poisons, At the fort of Genoa devourers of men.

67

The year that Saturn and Mars are equal fiery, The air very dry parched long meteor: Through secret fires a great place blazing from burning heat, Little rain, warm wind, wars, incursions. The two greatest ones of Asia and of Africa, From the Rhine and Lower Danube they will be said to have come, Cries, tears at Malta and the Ligurian side.

69

The exiles will hold the great city,
The citizens dead, murdered and driven out:
Those of Aquileia will promise Parma
To show them the entry through the untracked places.

70

Quite contiguous to the great Pyrenees mountains, One to direct a great army against the Eagle: Veins opened, forces exterminated, As far as Pau will he come to chase the chief.

71

In place of the bride the daughters slaughtered, Murder with great error no survivor to be: Within the well vestals inundated, The bride extinguished by a drink of Aconite.

72

Those of Nîmes through Agen and Lectoure At Saint-Félix will hold their parliament: Those of Bazas will come at the unhappy hour To seize Condom and Marsan promptly.

73

The great nephew by force will test
The treaty made by the pusillanimous heart:
The Duke will try Ferrara and Asti,
When the pantomime will take place in the evening.

74

Those of lake Geneva and of Mâcon: All assembled against those of Aquitaine: Many Germans many more Swiss, They will be routed along with those of the Humane.

75

Ready to fight one will desert, The chief adversary will obtain the victory: The rear guard will make a defense, The faltering ones dead in the white territory.

76

The people of Agen by those of Périgord Will be vexed, holding as far as the Rhône: The union of Gascons and Bigorre To betray the temple, the priest giving his sermon.

77

Selin monarch Italy peaceful, Realms united by the Christian King of the World: Dying he will want to lie in Blois soil, After having chased the pirates from the sea.

78

The great army of the civil struggle, By night Parma to the foreign one discovered, Seventy-nine murdered in the town, The foreigners all put to the sword.

79

Blood Royal flee, Monheurt, Mas, Aiguillon, The Landes will be filled by Bordelais, Navarre, Bigorre points and spurs, Deep in hunger to devour acorns of the cork oak.

80

Near the great river, great ditch, earth drawn out, In fifteen parts will the water be divided: The city taken, fire, blood, cries, sad conflict, And the greatest part involving the coliseum.

81

Promptly will one build a bridge of boats, To pass the army of the great Belgian Prince: Poured forth inside and not far from Brussels, Passed beyond, seven cut up by pike.

82

A throng approaches coming from Slavonia, The old Destroyer the city will ruin: He will see his Romania quite desolated, Then he will not know how to put out the great flame.

83

Combat by night the valiant captain Conquered will flee few people conquered:

His people stirred up, sedition not in vain, His own son will hold him besieged.

84

A great one of Auxerre will die very miserable, Driven out by those who had been under him: Put in chains, behind a strong cable, In the year that Mars, Venus and Sun are in conjunction in summer.

85

The white coal will be chased by the black one, Made prisoner led to the dung cart, Moor Camel on twisted feet, Then the younger one will blind the hobby falcon.

86

The year that Saturn will be conjoined in Aquarius With the Sun, the very powerful King Will be received and anointed at Reims and Aix, After conquests he will murder the innocent.

87

A King's son learned in many languages, Different from his senior in the realm: His handsome father understood by the greater son, He will cause his principal adherent to perish.

88

Anthony by name great by the filthy fact Of Lousiness wasted to his end: One who will want to be desirous of lead, Passing the port he will be immersed by the elected one.

89

Thirty of London will conspire secretly Against their King, the enterprise on the bridge: He and his satellites will have a distaste for death, A fair King elected, native of Frisia.

90

The two armies will be unable to unite at the walls, In that instant Milan and Pavia to tremble: Hunger, thirst, doubt will come to plague them very strongly They will not have a single morsel of meat, bread or victuals.

91

For the Gallic Duke compelled to fight in the duel, The ship of Melilla will not approach Monaco, Wrongly accused, perpetual prison, His son will strive to reign before his death.

92

The head of the valiant captain cut off, It will be thrown before his adversary: His body hung on the sail-yard of the ship, Confused it will flee by oars against the wind.

93

A serpent seen near the royal bed, It will be by the lady at night the dogs will not bark: Then to be born in France a Prince so royal, Come from heaven all the Princes will see him.

94

Two great brothers will be chased out of Spain, The elder conquered under the Pyrenees mountains: The sea to redden, Rhône, bloody Lake Geneva from Germany, Narbonne, Béziers contaminated by Agde.

95

The realm left to two they will hold it very briefly, Three years and seven months passed by they will make war: The two Vestals will rebel in opposition, Victor the younger in the land of Brittany.

96

The elder sister of the British Isle
Will be born fifteen years before her brother,
Because of her promise procuring verification,
She will succeed to the kingdom of the balance.

97

The year that Mercury, Mars, Venus in retrogression, The line of the great Monarch will not fail: Elected by the Portuguese people near Cadiz, One who will come to grow very old in peace and reign.

98

Those of Alba will pass into Rome, By means of Langres the multitude muffled up, Marquis and Duke will pardon no man, Fire, blood, smallpox no water the crops to fail.

99

The valiant elder son of the King's daughter, He will hurl back the Celts very far, Such that he will cast thunderbolts, so many in such an array Few and distant, then deep into the Hesperias.

100

From the celestial fire on the Royal edifice, When the light of Mars will go out, Seven months great war, people dead through evil Rouen, Evreux the King will not fail.

Century V

1

Before the coming of Celtic ruin, In the temple two will parley Pike and dagger to the heart of one mounted on the steed, They will bury the great one without making any noise.

2

Seven conspirators at the banquet will cause to flash
The iron out of the ship against the three:
One will have the two fleets brought to the great one,
When through the evil the latter shoots him in the forehead.

3

The successor to the Duchy will come, Very far beyond the Tuscan Sea: A Gallic branch will hold Florence, The nautical Frog in its bosom be agreement.

4

The large mastiff expelled from the city Will be vexed by the strange alliance, After having chased the stag to the fields The wolf and the Bear will defy each other.

5

Under the shadowy pretense of removing servitude, He will himself usurp the people and city: He will do worse because of the deceit of the young prostitute, Delivered in the field reading the false poem.

6

The Augur putting his hand upon the head of the King Will come to pray for the peace of Italy: He will come to move the scepter to his left hand, From King he will become pacific Emperor.

7

The bones of the Triumvir will be found, Looking for a deep enigmatic treasure: Those from thereabouts will not be at rest, Digging for this thing of marble and metallic lead. There will be unleashed live fire, hidden death, Horrible and frightful within the globes, By night the city reduced to dust by the fleet, The city afire, the enemy amenable.

9

The great arch demolished down to its base, By the chief captive his friend forestalled, He will be born of the lady with hairy forehead and face, Then through cunning the Duke overtaken by death.

10

A Celtic chief wounded in the conflict Seeing death overtaking his men near a cellar: Pressed by blood and wounds and enemies, And relief by four unknown ones.

11

The sea will not be passed over safely by those of the Sun, Those of Venus will hold all Africa: Saturn will no longer occupy their realm, And the Asiatic part will change.

12

To near the Lake of Geneva will it be conducted, By the foreign maiden wishing to betray the city: Before its murder at Augsburg the great suite, And those of the Rhine will come to invade it.

13

With great fury the Roman Belgian King Will want to vex the barbarian with his phalanx: Fury gnashing, he will chase the African people From the Pannonias to the pillars of Hercules.

14

Saturn and Mars in Leo Spain captive, By the African chief trapped in the conflict, Near Malta, Herod taken alive, And the Roman scepter will be struck down by the Cock.

15

The great Pontiff taken captive while navigating, The great one thereafter to fail the clergy in tumult: Second one elected absent his estate declines, His favorite bastard to death broken on the wheel.

16

The Sabaean tear no longer at its high price, Turning human flesh into ashes through death, At the isle of Pharos disturbed by the Crusaders, When at Rhodes will appear a hard phantom.

17

By night the King passing near an Alley, He of Cyprus and the principal guard: The King mistaken, the hand flees the length of the Rhône, The conspirators will set out to put him to death.

18

The unhappy abandoned one will die of grief, His conqueress will celebrate the hecatomb: Pristine law, free edict drawn up, The wall and the Prince falls on the seventh day.

19

The great Royal one of gold, augmented by brass, The agreement broken, war opened by a young man: People afflicted because of a lamented chief, The land will be covered with barbarian blood.

20

The great army will pass beyond the Alps, Shortly before will be born a monster scoundrel: Prodigious and sudden he will turn The great Tuscan to his nearest place.

21

By the death of the Latin Monarch, Those whom he will have assisted through his reign: The fire will light up again the booty divided, Public death for the bold ones who incurred it.

22

Before the great one has given up the ghost at Rome, Great terror for the foreign army: The ambush by squadrons near Parma, Then the two red ones will celebrate together.

23

The two contented ones will be united together, When for the most part they will be conjoined with Mars: The great one of Africa trembles in terror, Duumvirate disjoined by the fleet.

24

The realm and law raised under Venus, Saturn will have dominion over Jupiter: The law and realm raised by the Sun, Through those of Saturn it will suffer the worst.

25

The Arab Prince Mars, Sun, Venus, Leo, The rule of the Church will succumb by sea: Towards Persia very nearly a million men, The true serpent will invade Byzantium and Egypt.

26

The slavish people through luck in war Will become elevated to a very high degree: They will change their Prince, one born a provincial, An army raised in the mountains to pass over the sea.

27

Through fire and arms not far from the Black Sea, He will come from Persia to occupy Trebizond: Pharos, Mytilene to tremble, the Sun joyful, The Adriatic Sea covered with Arab blood.

28

His arm hung and leg bound, Face pale, dagger hidden in his bosom, Three who will be sworn in the fray Against the great one of Genoa will the steel be unleashed.

29

Liberty will not be recovered, A proud, villainous, wicked black one will occupy it, When the matter of the bridge will be opened, The republic of Venice vexed by the Danube.

30

All around the great city Soldiers will be lodged throughout the fields and towns: To give the assault Paris, Rome incited, Then upon the bridge great pillage will be carried out.

31

Through the Attic land fountain of wisdom, At present the rose of the world: The bridge ruined, and its great pre-eminence Will be subjected, a wreck amidst the waves.

32

Where all is good, the Sun all beneficial and the Moon Is abundant, its ruin approaches: From the sky it advances to change your fortune. In the same state as the seventh rock.

33

Of the principal ones of the city in rebellion Who will strive mightily to recover their liberty: The males cut up, unhappy fray, Cries, groans at Nantes pitiful to see.

34

From the deepest part of the English West Where the head of the British isle is A fleet will enter the Gironde through Blois, Through wine and salt, fires hidden in the casks.

35

For the free city of the great Crescent sea, Which still carries the stone in its stomach, The English fleet will come under the drizzle To seize a branch, war opened by the great one.

36

The sister's brother through the quarrel and deceit Will come to mix dew in the mineral:
On the cake given to the slow old woman,
She dies tasting it she will be simple and rustic.

37

Three hundred will be in accord with one will To come to the execution of their blow, Twenty months after all memory Their king betrayed simulating feigned hate.

He who will succeed the great monarch on his death Will lead an illicit and wanton life: Through nonchalance he will give way to all, So that in the end the Salic law will fail.

39

Issued from the true branch of the fleur-de-lis, Placed and lodged as heir of Etruria: His ancient blood woven by long hand, He will cause the escutcheon of Florence to bloom.

40

The blood royal will be so very mixed, Gauls will be constrained by Hesperia: One will wait until his term has expired, And until the memory of his voice has perished.

41

Born in the shadows and during a dark day, He will be sovereign in realm and goodness: He will cause his blood to rise again in the ancient urn, Renewing the age of gold for that of brass.

42

Mars raised to his highest belfry Will cause the Savoyards to withdraw from France: The Lombard people will cause very great terror To those of the Eagle included under the Balance.

43

The great ruin of the holy things is not far off, Provence, Naples, Sicily, Sées and Pons: In Germany, at the Rhine and Cologne, Vexed to death by all those of Mainz.

44

On sea the red one will be taken by pirates, Because of him peace will be troubled: Anger and greed will he expose through a false act, The army doubled by the great Pontiff.

45

The great Empire will soon be desolated And transferred to near the Ardennes:

The two bastards beheaded by the oldest one, And Bronzebeard the hawk-nose will reign.

46

Quarrels and new schism by the red hats When the Sabine will have been elected: They will produce great sophism against him, And Rome will be injured by those of Alba.

47

The great Arab will march far forward, He will be betrayed by the Byzantians: Ancient Rhodes will come to meet him, And greater harm through the Austrian Hungarians.

48

After the great affliction of the scepter, Two enemies will be defeated by them: A fleet from Africa will appear before the Hungarians, By land and sea horrible deeds will take place.

49

Not from Spain but from ancient France Will one be elected for the trembling bark, To the enemy will a promise be made, He who will cause a cruel plague in his realm.

50

The year that the brothers of the lily come of age, One of them will hold the great Romania: The mountains to tremble, Latin passage opened, Agreement to march against the fort of Armenia.

51

The people of Dacia, England, Poland And of Bohemia will make a new league: To pass beyond the pillars of Hercules, The Barcelonians and Tuscans will prepare a cruel plot.

52

There will be a King who will give opposition, The exiles raised over the realm: The pure poor people to swim in blood, And for a long time will he flourish under such a device. The law of the Sun and of Venus in strife, Appropriating the spirit of prophecy: Neither the one nor the other will be understood, The law of the great Messiah will hold through the Sun.

54

From beyond the Black Sea and great Tartary, There will be a King who will come to see Gaul, He will pierce through Alania and Armenia, And within Byzantium will he leave his bloody rod.

55

In the country of Arabia Felix
There will be born one powerful in the law of Mahomet:
To vex Spain, to conquer Grenada,
And more by sea against the Ligurian people.

56

Through the death of the very old Pontiff A Roman of good age will be elected, Of him it will be said that he weakens his see, But long will he sit and in biting activity.

57

There will go from Mont and Aventin, One who through the hole will warn the army: Between two rocks will the booty be taken, Of Sectus' mausoleum the renown to fail.

58

By the aqueduct of Uzès over the Gard, Through the forest and inaccessible mountain, In the middle of the bridge there will be cut in the fist The chief of Nîmes who will be very terrible.

59

Too long a stay for the English chief at Nîmes, Towards Spain Redbeard to the rescue: Many will die by war opened that day, When a bearded star will fall in Artois.

60

By the shaven head a very bad choice will come to be made, Overburdened he will not pass the gate: He will speak with such great fury and rage, That to fire and blood he will consign the entire sex.

61

The child of the great one not by his birth, He will subjugate the high Apennine mountains: He will cause all those of the balance to tremble, And from the Pyrenees to Mont Cenis.

62

One will see blood to rain on the rocks, Sun in the East, Saturn in the West: Near Orgon war, at Rome great evil to be seen, Ships sunk to the bottom, taken by Trident.

63

From the vain enterprise honor and undue complaint, Boats tossed about among the Latins, cold, hunger, waves Not far from the Tiber the land stained with blood, And diverse plagues will be upon mankind.

64

Those assembled by the tranquillity of the great number, By land and sea counsel countermanded:
Near Antonne Genoa, Nice in the shadow
Through fields and towns in revolt against the chief.

65

Come suddenly the terror will be great, Hidden by the principal ones of the affair: And the lady on the charcoal will no longer be in sight, Thus little by little will the great ones be angered.

66

Under the ancient vestal edifices, Not far from the ruined aqueduct: The glittering metals are of the Sun and Moon, The lamp of Trajan engraved with gold burning.

67

When the chief of Perugia will not venture his tunic Sense under cover to strip himself quite naked: Seven will be taken Aristocratic deed, Father and son dead through a point in the collar. In the Danube and of the Rhine will come to drink
The great Camel, not repenting it:
Those of the Rhône to tremble, and much more so those of the Loire,
and near the Alps the Cock will ruin him.

69

No longer will the great one be in his false sleep, Uneasiness will come to replace tranquillity: A phalanx of gold, azure and vermilion arrayed To subjugate Africa and gnaw it to the bone,

70

Of the regions subject to the Balance, They will trouble the mountains with great war, Captives the entire sex enthralled and all Byzantium, So that at dawn they will spread the news from land to land.

71

By the fury of one who will wait for the water, By his great rage the entire army moved: Seventeen boats loaded with the noble, The messenger come late along the Rhône.

72

For the pleasure of the voluptuous edict, One will mix poison in the faith: Venus will be in a course so virtuous As to becloud the whole quality of the Sun.

73

The Church of God will be persecuted, And the holy Temples will be plundered, The child will put his mother out in her shift, Arabs will be allied with the Poles.

74

Of Trojan blood will be born a Germanic heart Who will rise to very high power: He will drive out the foreign Arabic people, Returning the Church to its pristine pre-eminence.

75

He will rise high over the estate more to the right, He will remain seated on the square stone, Towards the south facing to his left, The crooked staff in his hand his mouth sealed.

76

In a free place will he pitch his tent, And he will not want to lodge in the cities: Aix, Carpentras, L'Isle, Vaucluse Mont, Cavaillon, Throughout all these places will he abolish his trace.

77

All degrees of Ecclesiastical honor
Will be changed to that of Jupiter and Quirinus:
The priest of Quirinus to one of Mars,
Then a King of France will make him one of Vulcan.

78

The two will not be united for very long, And in thirteen years to the Barbarian Satrap: On both sides they will cause such loss That one will bless the Bark and its cope.

79

The sacred pomp will come to lower its wings, Through the coming of the great legislator: He will raise the humble, he will vex the rebels, His like will not appear on this earth.

80

Ogmios will approach great Byzantium, The Barbaric League will be driven out: Of the two laws the heathen one will give way, Barbarian and Frank in perpetual strife.

81

The royal bird over the city of the Sun, Seven months in advance it will deliver a nocturnal omen: The Eastern wall will fall lightning thunder, Seven days the enemies directly to the gates.

82

At the conclusion of the treaty outside the fortress Will not go he who is placed in despair: When those of Arbois, of Langres against Bresse Will have the mountains of Dôle an enemy ambush. Those who will have undertaken to subvert, An unparalleled realm, powerful and invincible: They will act through deceit, nights three to warn, When the greatest one will read his Bible at the table.

84

He will be born of the gulf and unmeasured city, Born of obscure and dark family: He who the revered power of the great King Will want to destroy through Rouen and Evreux.

85

Through the Suevi and neighboring places, They will be at war over the clouds: Swarm of marine locusts and gnats, The faults of Geneva will be laid quite bare.

86

Divided by the two heads and three arms, The great city will be vexed by waters: Some great ones among them led astray in exile, Byzantium hard pressed by the head of Persia.

87

The year that Saturn is out of bondage, In the Frank land he will be inundated by water: Of Trojan blood will his marriage be, And he will be confined safely be the Spaniards.

88

Through a frightful flood upon the sand, A marine monster from other seas found: Near the place will be made a refuge, Holding Savona the slave of Turin.

89

Into Hungary through Bohemia, Navarre, and under that banner holy insurrections: By the fleur-de-lis legion carrying the bar, Against Orléans they will cause disturbances.

90

In the Cyclades, in Perinthus and Larissa, In Sparta and the entire Pelopennesus:

Very great famine, plague through false dust, Nine months will it last and throughout the entire peninsula.

91

At the market that they call that of liars,
Of the entire Torrent and field of Athens:
They will be surprised by the light horses,
By those of Alba when Mars is in Leo and Saturn in Aquarius.

92

After the see has been held seventeen years, Five will change within the same period of time: Then one will be elected at the same time, One who will not be too comfortable to the Romans.

93

Under the land of the round lunar globe, When Mercury will be dominating: The isle of Scotland will produce a luminary, One who will put the English into confusion.

94

He will transfer into great Germany Brabant and Flanders, Ghent, Bruges and Boulogne: The truce feigned, the great Duke of Armenia Will assail Vienna and Cologne.

95

The nautical oar will tempt the shadows, Then it will come to stir up the great Empire: In the Aegean Sea the impediments of wood Obstructing the diverted Tyrrhenian Sea.

96

The rose upon the middle of the great world, For new deeds public shedding of blood: To speak the truth, one will have a closed mouth, Then at the time of need the awaited one will come late.

97

The one born deformed suffocated in horror, In the habitable city of the great King: The severe edict of the captives revoked, Hail and thunder, Condom inestimable.

98

At the forty-eighth climacteric degree, At the end of Cancer very great dryness: Fish in sea, river, lake boiled hectic, Béarn, Bigorre in distress through fire from the sky.

99

Milan, Ferrara, Turin and Aquileia, Capua, Brindisi vexed by the Celtic nation: By the Lion and his Eagle's phalanx, When the old British chief Rome will have.

100

The incendiary trapped in his own fire, Of fire from the sky at Carcassonne and the Comminges: Foix, Auch, Mazères, the high old man escaped, Through those of Hesse and Thuringia, and some Saxons.

Century VI

Around the Pyrenees mountains a great throng Of foreign people to aid the new King: Near the great temple of Le Mas by the Garonne, A Roman chief will fear him in the water.

In the year five hundred eighty more or less,
One will await a very strange century:
In the year seven hundred and three the heavens witness thereof,
That several kingdoms one to five will make a change.

The river that tries the new Celtic heir Will be in great discord with the Empire:
The young Prince through the ecclesiastical people Will remove the scepter of the crown of concord.

The Celtic river will change its course, No longer will it include the city of Agrippina: All changed except the old language, Saturn, Leo, Mars, Cancer in plunder.

5 Very great famine through pestiferous wave, Through long rain the length of the arctic pole: Samarobryn one hundred leagues from the hemisphere, The will live without law exempt from politics.

6
There will appear towards the North
Not far from Cancer the bearded star:
Susa, Siena, Boeotia, Eretria,
The great one of Rome will die, the night over.

7 Norway and Dacia and the British Isle Will be vexed by the united brothers: The Roman chief sprung from Gallic blood And his forces hurled back into the forests. Those who were in the realm for knowledge Will become impoverished at the change of King: Some exiled without support, having no gold, The lettered and letters will not be at a high premium.

9

In the sacred temples scandals will be perpetrated, They will be reckoned as honors and commendations: Of one of whom they engrave medals of silver and of gold, The end will be in very strange torments.

10

In a short time the temples with colors
Of white and black of the two intermixed:
Red and yellow ones will carry off theirs from them,
Blood, land, plague, famine, fire extinguished by water.

11

The seven branches will be reduced to three, The elder ones will be surprised by death, The two will be seduced to fratricide, The conspirators will be dead while sleeping.

12

To raise forces to ascend to the empire
In the Vatican the Royal blood will hold fast:
Flemings, English, Spain with Aspire
Against Italy and France will he contend.

13

A doubtful one will not come far from the realm, The greater part will want to uphold him: A Capitol will not want him to reign at all, He will be unable to bear his great burden.

14

Far from his land a King will lose the battle, At once escaped, pursued, then captured, Ignorant one taken under the golden mail, Under false garb, and the enemy surprised.

15

Under the tomb will be found a Prince Who will be valued above Nuremberg:

The Spanish King in Capricorn thin, Deceived and betrayed by the great Wittenberg.

16

That which will be carried off by the young Hawk, By the Normans of France and Picardy: The black ones of the temple of the Black Forest place Will make an inn and fire of Lombardy.

17

After the files the ass-drivers burned, They will be obliged to change diverse garbs: Those of Saturn burned by the millers, Except the greater part which will not be covered.

18

The great King abandoned by the Physicians, By fate not the Jew's art he remains alive, He and his kindred pushed high in the realm, Pardon given to the race which denies Christ.

19

The true flame will devour the lady Who will want to put the Innocent Ones to the fire: Before the assault the army is inflamed, When in Seville a monster in beef will be seen.

20

The feigned union will be of short duration, Some changed most reformed: In the vessels people will be in suffering, Then Rome will have a new Leopard.

21

When those of the arctic pole are united together, Great terror and fear in the East:
Newly elected, the great trembling supported,
Rhodes, Byzantium stained with Barbarian blood.

22

Within the land of the great heavenly temple, Nephew murdered at London through feigned peace: The bark will then become schismatic, Sham liberty will be proclaimed everywhere.

23

Coins depreciated by the spirit of the realm, And people will be stirred up against their King: New peace made, holy laws become worse, Paris was never in so severe an array.

24

Mars and the scepter will be found conjoined Under Cancer calamitous war: Shortly afterwards a new King will be anointed, One who for a long time will pacify the earth.

25

Through adverse Mars will the monarchy Of the great fisherman be in ruinous trouble: The young red black one will seize the hierarchy, The traitors will act on a day of drizzle.

26

For four years the see will be held with some little good, One libidinous in life will succeed to it: Ravenna, Pisa and Verona will give support, Longing to elevate the Papal cross.

27

Within the Isles of five rivers to one, Through the expansion of the great Chyren Selin: Through the drizzles in the air the fury of one, Six escaped, hidden bundles of flax.

28

The great Celt will enter Rome, Leading a throng of the exiled and banished: The great Pastor will put to death every man Who was united at the Alps for the cock.

29

The saintly widow hearing the news,
Of her offspring placed in perplexity and trouble:
He who will be instructed to appease the quarrels,
He will pile them up by his pursuit of the shaven heads.

30

Through the appearance of the feigned sanctity, The siege will be betrayed to the enemies:

In the night when they trusted to sleep in safety, Near Brabant will march those of Liège.

31

The King will find that which he desired so much When the Prelate will be blamed unjustly: His reply to the Duke will leave him dissatisfied, He who in Milan will put several to death.

32

Beaten to death by rods for treason, Captured he will be overcome through his disorder: Frivolous counsel held out to the great captive, When Berich will come to bite his nose in fury.

33

His last hand through sanguinary, He will be unable to protect himself by sea: Between two rivers he will fear the military hand, The black and irate one will make him rue it.

34

The device of flying fire
Will come to trouble the great besieged chief:
Within there will be such sedition
That the profligate ones will be in despair.

35

Near the Bear and close to the white wool, Aries, Taurus, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, Mars, Jupiter, the Sun will burn a great plain, Woods and cities letters hidden in the candle.

36

Neither good nor evil through terrestrial battle Will reach the confines of Perugia, Pisa to rebel, Florence to see an evil existence, King by night wounded on a mule with black housing.

37

The ancient work will be finished, Evil ruin will fall upon the great one from the roof: Dead they will accuse an innocent one of the deed, The guilty one hidden in the copse in the drizzle. The enemies of peace to the profligates, After having conquered Italy: The bloodthirsty black one, red, will be exposed, Fire, blood shed, water colored by blood.

39

The child of the realm through the capture of his father Will be plundered to deliver him:

Near the Lake of Perugia the azure captive,

The hostage troop to become far too drunk.

40

To quench the great thirst the great one of Mainz Will be deprived of his great dignity:
Those of Cologne will come to complain so loudly
That the great rump will be thrown into the Rhine.

41

The second chief of the realm of Annemark, Through those of Frisia and of the British Isle, Will spend more than one hundred thousand marks, Exploiting in vain the voyage to Italy.

42

To Ogmios will be left the realm Of the great Selin, who will in fact do more: Throughout Italy will he extend his banner, He will be ruled by a prudent deformed one.

43

For a long time will she remain uninhabited, Around where the Seine and the Marne she comes to water: Tried by the Thames and warriors, The guards deceived in trusting in the repulse.

44

By night the Rainbow will appear for Nantes, By marine arts they will stir up rain: In the Gulf of Arabia a great fleet will plunge to the bottom, In Saxony a monster will be born of a bear and a sow.

45

The very learned governor of the realm, Not wishing to consent to the royal deed: The fleet at Melilla through contrary wind Will deliver him to his most disloyal one.

46

A just one will be sent back again into exile, Through pestilence to the confines of Nonseggle, His reply to the red one will cause him to be misled, The King withdrawing to the Frog and the Eagle.

47

The two great ones assembled between two mountains Will abandon their secret quarrel:
Brussels and Dôle overcome by Langres,
To execute their plague at Malines.

48

The too false and seductive sanctity, Accompanied by an eloquent tongue: The old city, and Parma too premature, Florence and Siena they will render more desert.

49

The great Pontiff of the party of Mars
Will subjugate the confines of the Danube:
The cross to pursue, through sword hook or crook,
Captives, gold, jewels more than one hundred thousand rubies.

50

Within the pit will be found the bones, Incest will be committed by the stepmother: The state changed, they will demand fame and praise, And they will have Mars attending as their star.

51

People assembled to see a new spectacle, Princes and Kings amongst many bystanders, Pillars walls to fall: but as by a miracle The King saved and thirty of the ones present.

52

In place of the great one who will be condemned, Outside the prison, his friend in his place: The Trojan hope in six months joined, born dead, The Sun in the urn rivers will be frozen. The great Celtic Prelate suspected by the King, By night in flight he will leave the realm: Through a Duke fruitful for his great British King, Byzantium to Cyprus and Tunis unsuspected.

54

At daybreak at the second crowing of the cock, Those of Tunis, of Fez and of Bougie, By the Arabs the King of Morocco captured, The year sixteen hundred and seven, of the Liturgy.

55

By the appeased Duke in drawing up the contract, Arabesque sail seen, sudden discovery: Tripoli, Chios, and those of Trebizond, Duke captured, the Black Sea and the city a desert.

56

The dreaded army of the Narbonne enemy Will frighten very greatly the Hesperians: Perpignan empty through the blind one of Arbon, Then Barcelona by sea will take up the quarrel.

57

He who was well forward in the realm, Having a red chief close to the hierarchy, Harsh and cruel, and he will make himself much feared, He will succeed to the sacred monarchy.

58

Between the two distant monarchs, When the clear Sun is lost through Selin: Great enmity between two indignant ones, So that liberty is restored to the Isles and Siena.

59

The Lady in fury through rage of adultery, She will come to conspire not to tell her Prince: But soon will the blame be made known, So that seventeen will be put to martyrdom.

60

The Prince outside his Celtic land Will be betrayed, deceived by the interpreter:

Rouen, La Rochelle through those of Brittany At the port of Blaye deceived by monk and priest.

61

The great carpet folded will not show But by halved the greatest part of history: Driven far out of the realm he will appear harsh, So that everyone will come to believe in his warlike deed.

62

Too late both the flowers will be lost, The serpent will not want to act against the law: The forces of the Leaguers confounded by the French, Savona, Albenga through Monaco great martyrdom.

63

The lady left alone in the realm By the unique one extinguished first on the bed of honor: Seven years will she be weeping in grief, Then with great good fortune for the realm long life.

64

No peace agreed upon will be kept, All the subscribers will act with deceit: In peace and truce, land and sea in protest, By Barcelona fleet seized with ingenuity.

65

Gray and brown in half-opened war, By night they will be assaulted and pillaged: The brown captured will pass through the lock, His temple opened, two slipped in the plaster.

66

At the foundation of the new sect, The bones of the great Roman will be found, A sepulcher covered by marble will appear, Earth to quake in April poorly buried.

67

Quite another one will attain to the great Empire, Kindness distant more so happiness: Ruled by one sprung not far from the brothel, Realms to decay great bad luck.

When the soldiers in a seditious fury
Will cause steel to flash by night against their chief:
The enemy Alba acts with furious hand,
Then to vex Rome and seduce the principal ones.

69

The great pity will occur before long,
Those who gave will be obliged to take:
Naked, starving, withstanding cold and thirst,
To pass over the mountains committing a great scandal.

70

Chief of the world will the great Chyren be, Plus Ultra behind, loved, feared, dreaded: His fame and praise will go beyond the heavens, And with the sole title of Victor will he be quite satisfied.

71

When they will come to give the last rites to the great King Before he has entirely given up the ghost:
He who will come to grieve over him the least,
Through Lions, Eagles, cross crown sold.

72

Through feigned fury of divine emotion The wife of the great one will be violated: The judges wishing to condemn such a doctrine, She is sacrificed a victim to the ignorant people.

73

In a great city a monk and artisan, Lodged near the gate and walls, Secret speaking emptily against Modena, Betrayed for acting under the guise of nuptials.

74

She chased out will return to the realm, Her enemies found to be conspirators: More than ever her time will triumph, Three and seventy to death very sure.

75

The great Pilot will be commissioned by the King, To leave the fleet to fill a higher post:

Seven years after he will be in rebellion, Venice will come to fear the Barbarian army.

76

The ancient city the creation of Antenor, Being no longer able to bear the tyrant: The feigned handle in the temple to cut a throat, The people will come to put his followers to death.

77

Through the fraudulent victory of the deceived, Two fleets one, German revolt: The chief murdered and his son in the tent, Florence and Imola pursued into Romania.

78

To proclaim the victory of the great expanding Selin: By the Romans will the Eagle be demanded, Pavia, Milan and Genoa will not consent thereto, Then by themselves the great Lord claimed.

79

Near the Ticino the inhabitants of the Loire, Garonne and Saône, the Seine, the Tain and Gironde: They will erect a promontory beyond the mountains, Conflict given, Po enlarged, submerged in the wave.

80

From Fez the realm will reach those of Europe, Their city ablaze and the blade will cut: The great one of Asia by land and sea with great troop, So that blues and Pers[ians] the cross will pursue to death.

81

Tears, cries and laments, howls, terror, Heart inhuman, cruel, black and chilly: Lake of Geneva the Isles, of Genoa the notables, Blood to pour out, wheat famine to none mercy.

82

Through the deserts of the free and wild place, The nephew of the great Pontiff will come to wander: Felled by seven with a heavy club, By those who afterwards will occupy the Chalice. He who will have so much honor and flattery At his entry into Belgian Gaul: A while after he will act very rudely, And he will act very warlike against the flower.

84

The Lame One, he who lame could not reign in Sparta, He will do much through seductive means: So that by the short and long, he will be accused Of making his perspective against the King.

85

The great city of Tarsus by the Gauls Will be destroyed, all of the Turban captives: Help by sea from the great one of Portugal, First day of summer Urban's consecration.

86

The great Prelate one day after his dream, Interpreted opposite to its meaning: From Gascony a monk will come unexpectedly, One who will cause the great prelate of Sens to be elected.

87

The election made in Frankfort
Will be voided, Milan will be opposed:
The follower closer will seem so very strong
That he will drive him out into the marshes beyond the Rhine.

88

A great realm will be left desolated, Near the Ebro an assembly will be formed: The Pyrenees mountains will console him, When in May lands will be trembling.

89

Feet and hands bound between two boats, Face anointed with honey, and sustained with milk: Wasps and flies, paternal love vexed, Cup-bearer to falsify, Chalice tried.

90

The stinking abominable disgrace, After the deed he will be congratulated: The great excuse for not being favorable, That Neptune will not be persuaded to peace.

91

Of the leader of the naval war, Red one unbridled, severe, horrible whim, Captive escaped from the elder one in the bale, When there will be born a son to the great Agrippa.

92

Prince of beauty so comely, Around his head a plot, the second deed betrayed: The city to the sword in dust the face burnt, Through too great murder the head of the King hated.

93

The greedy prelate deceived by ambition, He will come to reckon nothing too much for him: He and his messengers completely trapped, He who cut the wood sees all in reverse.

94

A King will be angry with the see-breakers, When arms of war will be prohibited: The poison tainted in the sugar for the strawberries, Murdered by waters, dead, saying land, land.

95

Calumny against the cadet by the detractor, When enormous and warlike deeds will take place: The least part doubtful for the elder one, And soon in the realm there will be partisan deeds.

96

Great city abandoned to the soldiers, Never was mortal tumult so close to it: Oh, what a hideous calamity draws near, Except one offense nothing will be spared it.

97

At forty-five degrees the sky will burn, Fire to approach the great new city: In an instant a great scattered flame will leap up, When one will want to demand proof of the Normans.

Ruin for the Volcae so very terrible with fear, Their great city stained, pestilential deed: To plunder Sun and Moon and to violate their temples: And to redden the two rivers flowing with blood.

99

The learned enemy will find himself confused, His great army sick, and defeated by ambushes, The Pyrenees and Pennine Alps will be denied him, Discovering near the river ancient jugs.

100

INCANTATION OF THE LAW AGAINST INEPT CRITICS Let those who read this verse consider it profoundly, Let the profane and the ignorant herd keep away: And far away all Astrologers, Idiots and Barbarians, May he who does otherwise be subject to the sacred rite.

Century VII

1

The arc of the treasure deceived by Achilles, the quadrangle known to the procreators. The invention will be known by the Royal deed; a corpse seen hanging in the sight of the populace.

2

Opened by Mars Arles will not give war, the soldiers will be astonished by night. Black and white concealing indigo on land under the false shadow you will see traitors sounded.

3

After the naval victory of France, the people of Barcelona the Saillinons and those of Marseilles; the robber of gold, the anvil enclosed in the ball, the people of Ptolon will be party to the fraud.

4

The Duke of Langres besieged at Dôle accompanied by people from Autun and Lyons. Geneva, Augsburg allied to those of Mirandola, to cross the mountains against the people of Ancona.

5

Some of the wine on the table will be spilt, the third will not have that which he claimed. Twice descended from the black one of Parma, Perouse will do to Pisa that which he believed.

6

Naples, Palerma and all of Sicily will be uninhabited through Barbarian hands. Corsica, Salerno and the island of Sardinia, hunger, plague, war the end of extended evils.

7

Upon the struggle of the great light horses, it will be claimed that the great crescent is destroyed. To kill by night, in the mountains, dressed in shepherd's' clothing, red gulfs in the deep ditch.

Florense, flee, flee the nearest Roman, at Fiesole will be conflict given: blood shed, the greatest one take by the hand, neither temple nor sex will be pardoned.

9

The lady in the absence of her great master will be begged for love by the Viceroy. Feigned promise and misfortune in love, in the hands of the great Prince of Bar.

10

By the great Prince bordering Le Mans, brave and valiant leader of the great army; by land and sea with Bretons and Normans, to pass Gibraltar and Barcelona to pillage the island.

11

eye, feet wounded rude disobedient; strange and very bitter news to the lady; more than five hundred of here people will be killed.

12

The great younger son will make an end of the war, he assembles the pardoned before the gods; Cahors and Moissac will go far from the prison, a refusal at Lectoure, the people of Agen shaved.

13

From the marine tributary city, the shaven head will take up the satrapy; to chase the sordid man who will the be against him. For fourteen years he will hold the tyranny.

14

He will come to expose the false topography, the urns of the tombs will be opened. Sect and holy philosophy to thrive, black for white and the new for the old.

15

Before the city of the Insubrian lands, for seven years the siege will be laid; a very great king enters it, the city is then free, away from its enemies.

The deep entry made by the great Queen will make the place powerful and inaccessible; the army of the three lions will be defeated causing within a thing hideous and terrible.

17

The prince who has little pity of mercy will come through death to change (and become) very knowledgeable. The kingdom will be attended with great tranquillity, when the great one will soon be fleeced.

18

The besieged will color their pacts, but seven days later they will make a cruel exit: thrown back inside, fire and blood, seven put to the ax the lady who had woven the peace is a captive.

19

The fort at Nice will not engage in combat, it will be overcome by shining metal. This deed will be debated for a long time, strange and fearful for the citizens.

20

Ambassadors of the Tuscan language will cross the Alps and the sea in April and May. The man of the calf will deliver an oration, not coming to wipe out the French way of life.

21

By the pestilential enmity of Languedoc, the tyrant dissimulated will be driven out. The bargain will be made on the bridge at Sorgues to put to death both him and his follower

22

The citizens of Mesopotamia angry with their friends from Tarraconne; games, rites, banquets, every person asleep, the vicar at Rhône, the city taken and those of Ausonia.

23

The Royal scepter will be forced to take that which his predecessors had pledged.

Because they do not understand about the ring when they come to sack the palace.

24

He who was buried will come out of the tomb, He will cause the fort of the bridge to be tied in chains: Poisoned with the spawn of a pimp, the great one from Lorraine by the Marquis du Pont.

25

Through long war all the army exhausted, so that they do not find money for the soldiers; instead of gold or silver, they will come to coin leather, Gallic brass, and the crescent sign of the Moon.

26

Foists and galleys around seven ships, a mortal war will be let loose. The leader from Madrid will receive a wound from arrows, two escaped and five brought to land.

27

At the wall of Vasto the great cavalry are impeded by the baggage near Ferrara. At Turin they will speedily commit such robbery that in the fort they will ravish their hostage.

28

The captain will lead a great herd on the mountain closest to the enemy. Surrounded by fire he makes such a way, all escape except for thirty put on the spit.

29

The great one of Alba will come to rebel, he will betray his great forebears. The great man of Guise will come to vanquish him, led captive with a monument erected.

30

The sack approaches, fire and great bloodshed. Po the great rivers, the enterprise for the clowns; after a long wait from Genoa and Nice, Fossano, Turin the capture at Savigliano.

From Languedoc and Guienne more than ten thousand will want to cross the Alps again. The great Savoyards march against Brindisi, Aquino and Bresse will come to drive them back.

32

From the bank of Montereale will be born one who bores and calculates becoming a tyrant. To raise a force in the marches of Milan, to drain Faenza and Florence of gold and men

33

The kingdom stripped of its forces by fraud, the fleet blockaded, passages for the spy; two false friends will come to rally to awaken hatred for a long time dormant.

34

The French nation will be in great grief, vain and lighthearted, they will believe rash things. No bread, salt, wine nor water, venom nor ale, the greater one captured, hunger, cold and want.

35

The great fish will come to complain and weep for having chosen, deceived concerning his age: he will hardly want to remain with them, he will be deceived by those (speaking) his own tongue.

36

God, the heavens, all the divine words in the waves, carried by seven red-shaven heads to Byzantium: against the anointed three hundred from Trebizond, will make two laws, first horror then trust.

37

Ten sent to put the captain of the ship to death, are altered by one that there is open revolt in the fleet. Confusion, the leader and another stab and bite each other at Lerins and the Hyerès, ships, prow into the darkness.

38

The elder royal one on a frisky horse will spur so fiercely that it will bolt.

Mouth, mouthful, foot complaining in the embrace; dragged, pulled, to die horribly.

39

The leader of the French army will expect to lose the main phalanx.
Upon the pavement of oats and slate the foreign nation will be undermined through Genoa.

40

Within casks anointed outside with oil and grease twenty-one will be shut before the harbor, at second watch; through death they will do great deeds; to win the gates and be killed by the watch.

41

The bones of the feet and the hands locked up, because of the noise the house is uninhabited for a long time. Digging in dreams they will be unearthed, the house healthy in inhabited without noise.

42

Two newly arrived have seized the poison, to pour it in the kitchen of the great Prince. By the scullion both are caught in the act, taken he who thought to trouble the elder with death.