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## EPIGRAMS — VIII

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VIII

He asked me, half in his fine compassion,  
To sketch in two strokes his portrait high;  
'Tis done: a coat strikingly in fashion  
    And a red tie.

12-1905

**Poesia Inglesa.** Fernando Pessoa. (Organização e tradução de Luísa Freire. Prefácio de Teresa Rita Lopes.) Lisboa: Livros Horizonte, 1995: 184.