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"Ewes yearly by lambing rich  
masters do raise,  
The lambs of such trappers,  
for breeders go take."

- from Youatt (1837), as quoted by  
Wentworth and Sweet (1917).