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# SONG AND STORY



## Desolation

A wild bird singing by an empty nest;  
A started star shinning by a cruel light;  
A lone star challenging a clouded West,  
A soul departing, with life's earnest,  
Shedding and anxious, praying for the morn.

The wild bird hauled: the messengers of night;  
The clouds forgetful and the star in pain;  
The anxious soul awaits for a new way.

The clouds dispersed below the burning day;  
Radiant with smiling while the morn might bring;  
Open and plain, and smiling, passed to say,  
"My dark day I heard a wild bird sing."

Always a song is sounding in the dark;  
Of life's lone hour, rusty and rusty clear;  
If a soul could hear their grief to be laid,  
The clouds would part, and be revealed a park.  
Hope's patient ear, a silver-thinging ear.

— W. A. D.

### LITERARY GOSSIP.

One hundred years ago on Sept. 1, 1828, the world was made a richer by the birth of a man who was to become one of the greatest authors of the century. His name was Charles Dickens, and his birthplace was Portico, Kent, England.

His early life was a struggle against poverty and hardship. He was orphaned at an early age and had to work in a factory to support his family. Despite these hardships, he developed a keen sense of social justice and a deep sympathy for the poor and oppressed.

His literary career began with the publication of "Oliver Twist" in 1837. This novel, which depicted the life of a young boy in a London workhouse, was a great success and established Dickens as a leading novelist of his time.

He went on to write many other novels, including "David Copperfield," "A Christmas Carol," and "Great Expectations." His works were characterized by their vivid descriptions of London life and their powerful social commentary.

Dickens died on June 9, 1870, at the age of 42. His death was a great loss to the world of letters, and his works continue to be read and admired by millions of people around the world.

## NEW BOOKS

**Skyward, The Lady of the Stainless Raiment.**

The Lady of the Stainless Raiment is a novel by the author of "The Lady of the Shalott." It is a story of a woman who is devoted to a life of purity and virtue. She is a woman of high ideals and a deep sense of duty. Her life is a struggle against the temptations of the world and the flesh. In the end, she is rewarded for her faithfulness and her devotion to her principles.

## Rex, the Collie Puppy That Used His Brains

When the story appeared in Phoenix, Arizona, newspaper early in February, 1927, it was treated by most readers, who treated it as a trifle. It was a story of a collie puppy named Rex, who was said to have used his brains to escape from a trap. The story was so simple and so straightforward that it was almost unbelievable. But it was true. Rex was a collie puppy who was caught in a trap. He was very smart and he used his brains to escape. He was a hero and his story was a great inspiration to many people.

The woman of Paul Hawthorne's story and letters to the heart of the matter. It is a story of a woman who is devoted to a life of purity and virtue. She is a woman of high ideals and a deep sense of duty. Her life is a struggle against the temptations of the world and the flesh. In the end, she is rewarded for her faithfulness and her devotion to her principles.

### Seen New Biographies.

There has been a lot of new biographies published this year. One of the most interesting is "The Life of George Washington" by John C. Fitzpatrick. This biography is a masterpiece of research and writing. It tells the story of the life of the first President of the United States in a way that is both accurate and interesting. It is a book that every American should read.



COMMANDEUR RICHARD B. BRIN, U. S. N.

With distinction and ability the late Commodore Richard B. Brin, U. S. N., was a man of high character and a deep sense of duty. He was a man of high ideals and a deep sense of duty. His life was a struggle against the temptations of the world and the flesh. In the end, he is rewarded for his faithfulness and his devotion to his principles.

### WALLS WALL

There is a wall in the city of London. It is a wall that has stood for many years. It is a wall that has seen many things. It is a wall that has been a witness to the history of the city. It is a wall that has been a part of the life of the people of the city. It is a wall that has been a part of the story of the city. It is a wall that has been a part of the soul of the city.

### Barber

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### Magie to Brats

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### Little Rivers

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### Confidential

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### Attractive for Holiday Gifts.

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### THE TURKISH ORDEAL

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### Desirable Holiday Books.

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### TEXAS WOODS

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### Goitre Not a Disease

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### New Cokerbury Hyatt

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### South America-Africa Cruise

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### Duchess OF ATHOLL

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### Canadian Pacific

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