

**BEYOND THE
SUNSET, AND
OTHER VERSES**

Published @ 2017 Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd

ISBN 9780649762583

Beyond the sunset, and other verses by Florence Verinder

Except for use in any review, the reproduction or utilisation of this work in whole or in part in any form by any electronic, mechanical or other means, now known or hereafter invented, including xerography, photocopying and recording, or in any information storage or retrieval system, is forbidden without the permission of the publisher, Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd, PO Box 1576 Collingwood, Victoria 3066 Australia.

All rights reserved.

Edited by Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd.
Cover @ 2017

This book is sold subject to the condition that it shall not, by way of trade or otherwise, be lent, re-sold, hired out, or otherwise circulated without the publisher's prior consent in any form or binding or cover other than that in which it is published and without a similar condition including this condition being imposed on the subsequent purchaser.

www.triestepublishing.com

FLORENCE VERINDER

**BEYOND THE
SUNSET, AND
OTHER VERSES**

“BEYOND THE SUNSET”

AND OTHER VERSES

WITH TWO HISTORICAL PLAYS

ENTITLED

“MERCY, OR THE QUEEN OF A DAY”

AND

“TWO NATIONS”

By FLORENCE VERINDER



LONDON:
FREDK. VERINDER, 376, STRAND, W.C.

—
1903.

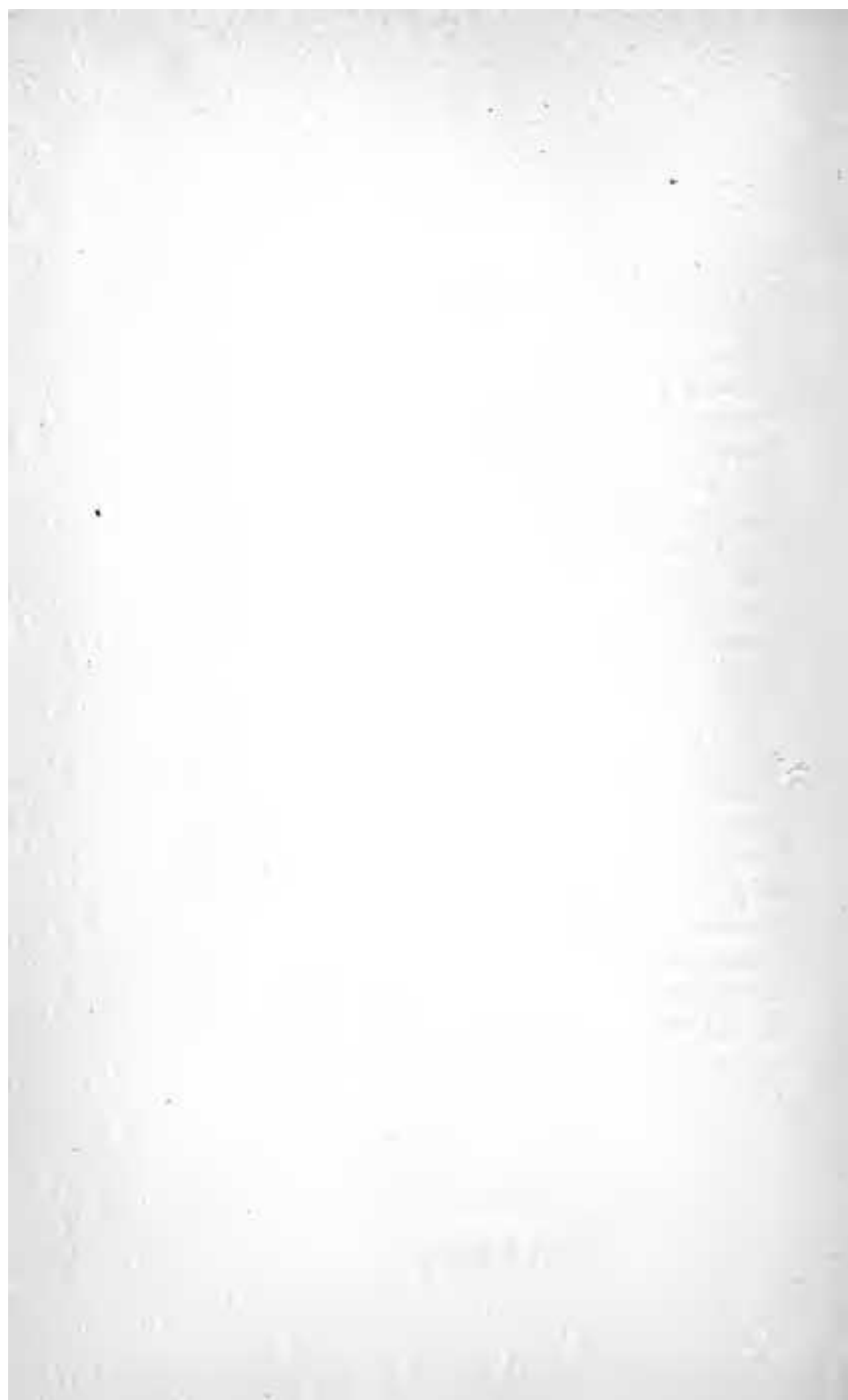
PR
6043
V588b

PREFACE.

MANY of the verses contained in this little volume have already appeared in magazines or reviews, the majority of them in *The New Age*. The Authoress is indebted to the Editor of that paper for permission to print them in the present form.

In publishing the plays, she has been partly influenced by the assurances of one or two High School mistresses that such plays would prove useful for representation at school entertainments. "Mercy" and "Two Nations" were originally written—in the autumn of 1898 and 1899 respectively—for acting at private Christmas parties. The fact that almost all of those who took part in them were under seventeen years of age seems to shew that their performance in schools is not impracticable. Needless to say, their plots are entirely fictitious, but where real historical characters have been introduced the Authoress has to the best of her ability presented them faithfully.

861857



CONTENTS.

Beyond the Sunset	9
The Christ-Child	10
The Christmas Angel	11
A Paradise	12
Desert Flowers	12
The Deep-Sea Calm	13
The Council-Room of Kings	14
A New Year's Promise	15
"A Little Child shall lead Them"	16
The Eternal Arms	16
The Children's Gardens in South Africa	18
Heartsease	19
Forget-me-nots	20
Night Labourers	21
The Summer Land	22
The Tomb and the Rose (from the French)	23
The Country of the World	24
The Battle of Life	25
The Holy Land of Love	26
The Cliffs of Dover	27
A Prayer	28
The Heart of Earth	29
The Sea of Years	29
Love and Labour	29
Soul-Freedom	30

Two Historical Plays, entitled—

Mercy, or the Queen of a Day	31
and	
Two Nations: A Story of the Barons' War	61



To my Father

