

**THE QUEEN'S TWIN
AND
OTHER STORIES**

Published @ 2017 Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd

ISBN 9780649049639

The Queen's Twin and Other Stories by Sarah Orne Jewett

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

SARAH ORNE JEWETT

**THE QUEEN'S TWIN
AND
OTHER STORIES**

THE QUEEN'S TWIN
AND OTHER STORIES

BY SARAH ORNE
JEWETT



BOSTON AND NEW YORK
HOUGHTON MIFFLIN COMPANY
The Riverside Press Cambridge

COPYRIGHT, 1890 AND 1899, BY SARAH ORNE JEWETT

ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

Y S 213

A2

1910

V.4

MAJ

To
SUSAN BURLEY CABOT



208557

CONTENTS

	PAGE
THE QUEEN'S TWIN	1
WHERE'S NORA	38
BOLD WORDS AT THE BRIDGE	83
MARTHA'S LADY	100
THE COON DOG	135
AUNT CYNTHY DALLETT	160
THE NIGHT BEFORE THANKSGIVING	188
BY THE MORNING BOAT	198





THE QUEEN'S TWIN.

I.

THE coast of Maine was in former years brought so near to foreign shores by its busy fleet of ships that among the older men and women one still finds a surprising proportion of travelers. Each seaward-stretching headland with its high-set houses, each island of a single farm, has sent its spies to view many a Land of Eshcol; one may see plain, contented old faces at the windows, whose eyes have looked at far-away ports and known the splendors of the Eastern world. They shame the easy voyager of the North Atlantic and the Mediterranean; they have rounded the Cape of Good Hope and braved the angry seas of Cape Horn in small wooden ships; they have brought up their hardy boys and girls on narrow decks; they were among the last of the Northmen's children to go adventuring to unknown shores. More than this one