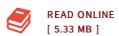




Dombey and Son. Novel by: Dickens, Charles, 1812-1870 (Illustrated) (Paperback)

By Charles Dickens

Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ****** Print on Demand ******. Dombey and Son is a novel by Charles Dickens, published in monthly parts from 1 October 1846 to 1 April 1848 and in one volume in 1848. Its full title is Dealings with the Firm of Dombey and Son: Wholesale, Retail and for Exportation. Dickens started writing the book in Lausanne, Switzerland, before returning to England, via Paris, to complete it. Illustrations were provided by Hablot Knight Browne . There is some concern with the railways and the novel s conception, and writing, belong to the years of the railway boom, 1844-47. The sea, meanwhile, becomes the image of things of an older fashion yet , the dark and unknown . that rolls round all the world The story concerns Paul Dombey, the wealthy owner of the shipping company of the book s title, whose dream is to have a son to continue his business. The book begins when his son is born, and Dombey s wife dies shortly after giving birth. Following the advice of Mrs Louisa Chick, his sister, Dombey employs a wet nurse named Mrs Richards (Toodle). Dombey...



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