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## DAKOTA LIFE,

WITH THE

HISTORY OF THE FUR TRADERS OF THE EXTREME NORTHWEST

DURING THE

FRENCH AND BRITISH DOMINIONS.

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"Nearer, and ever nearer, among the numberless islands  
Darted a light, swift boat, that sped away o'er the water,  
Urged on its course by the gleamy arms of hunters and trappers,  
Northward its prow was turned, to the land of the black and beaver."

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