

Read the last stanza. What is the first statement? What is the meaning of *wanes*? What is the second statement? The third? To what does *he* refer in the second line? What is Robert called in the third line? Where does he go? When shall we welcome him back?

WRITTEN EXERCISE.

Copy the poem. Arrange the lines as they are arranged in your book.



LESSON CXXIII.

COMPOSITION.

Write about Robert of Lincoln.

HINTS.—Tell where Robert of Lincoln sings, and what he says in his song. Describe his appearance. Describe his wife, and tell what she does. Tell about the little ones. Tell about Robert's work and his departure.

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