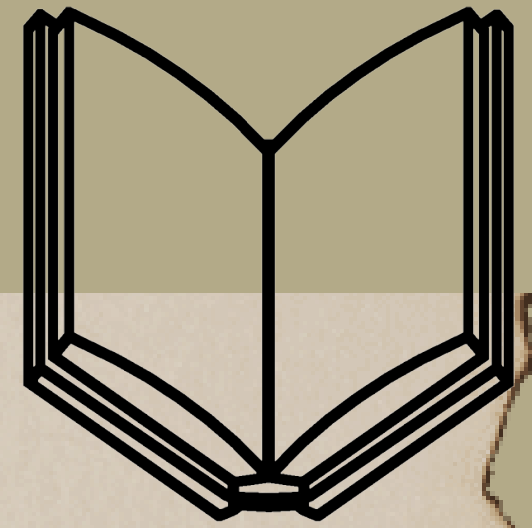


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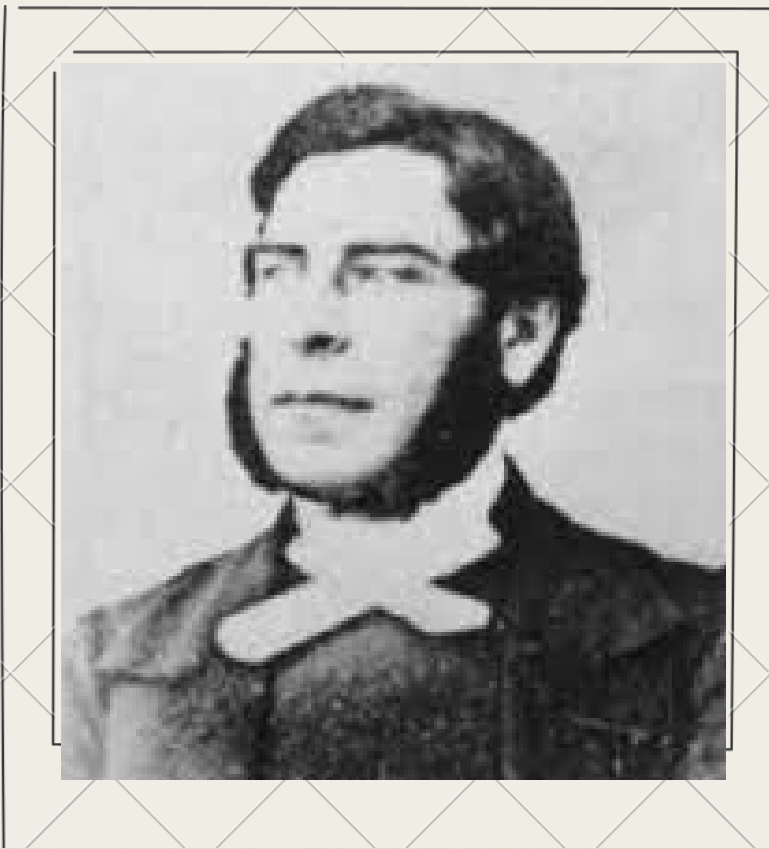
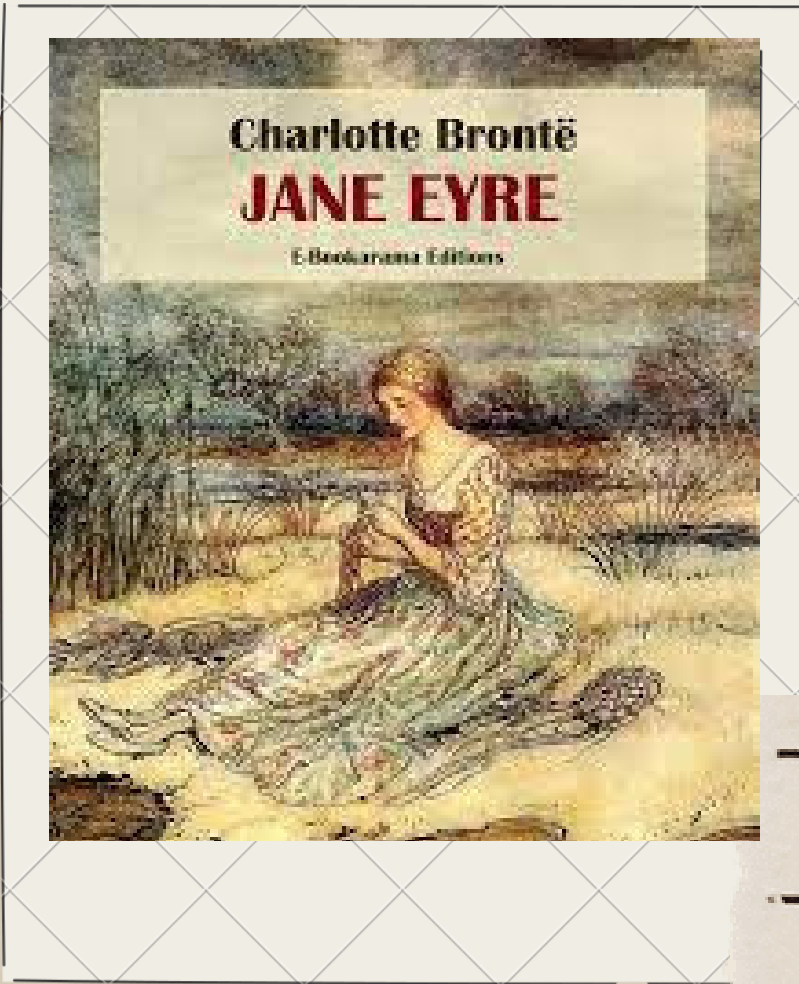
Name: Charlotte Brontë

Born and died: She was born on 21/4/1816 in Thorton, England and she died on 31/3/1855 in Haworth, England.

About her: Although her mother had died, by cancer, she had a happy childhood and she became a novelist under the pseudonym of Currer Bell and a year after her marriage with Arthur Bell, a man that worked with her dad, she died of tuberculosis while pregnant.



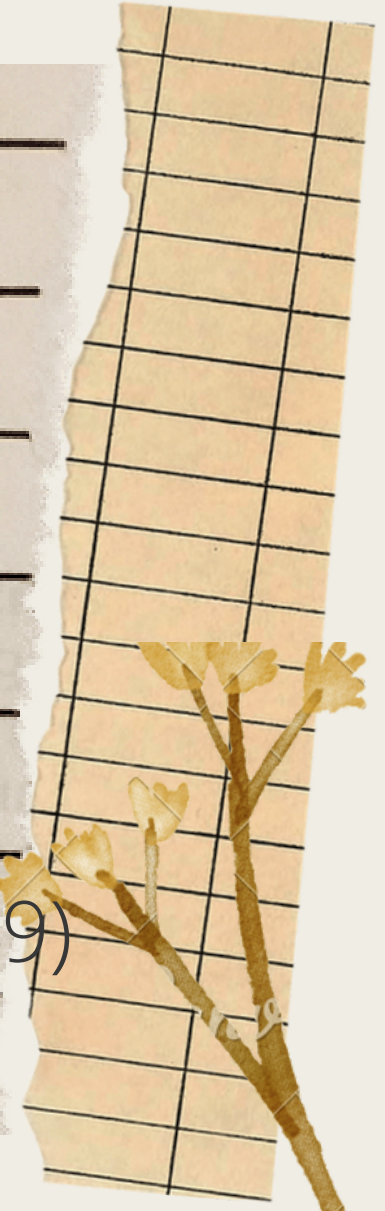
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Novels

First of all, the pseudonym had been taken from her husband's last name.

- "Jane Eyre" (1847), a gothic romance based on autobiographical experiences, written under the pseudonym Currer Bell and dedicated to William Makepeace, it became a bestseller.
- After "Jane Eyre", Charlotte published "Shirley" (1849) and "Villette" (1853).



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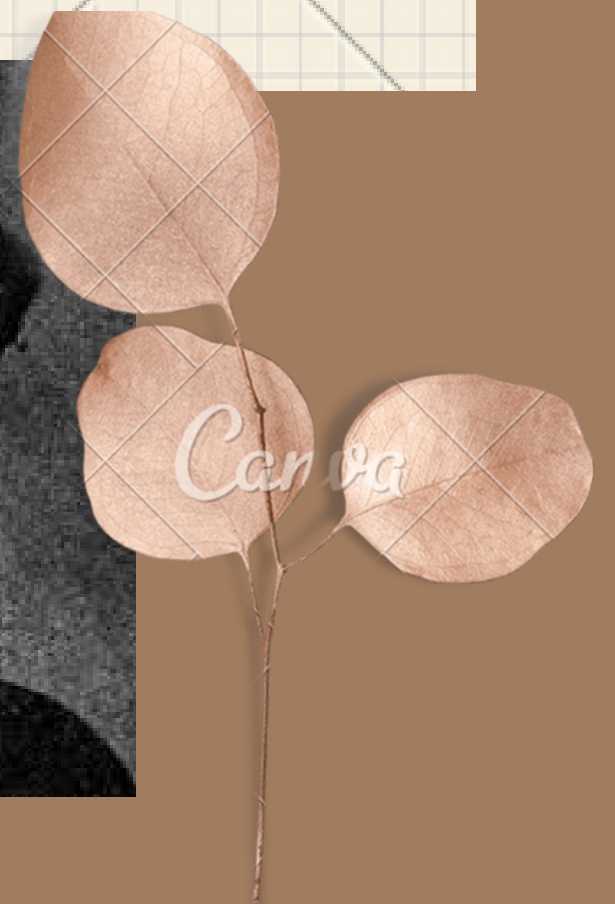
Name: Louisa May Alcott

Born and die: She was born in Pennsylvania (United States) on November 29, 1832 and died on March 6, 1888 in Boston, Massachusetts.

About:

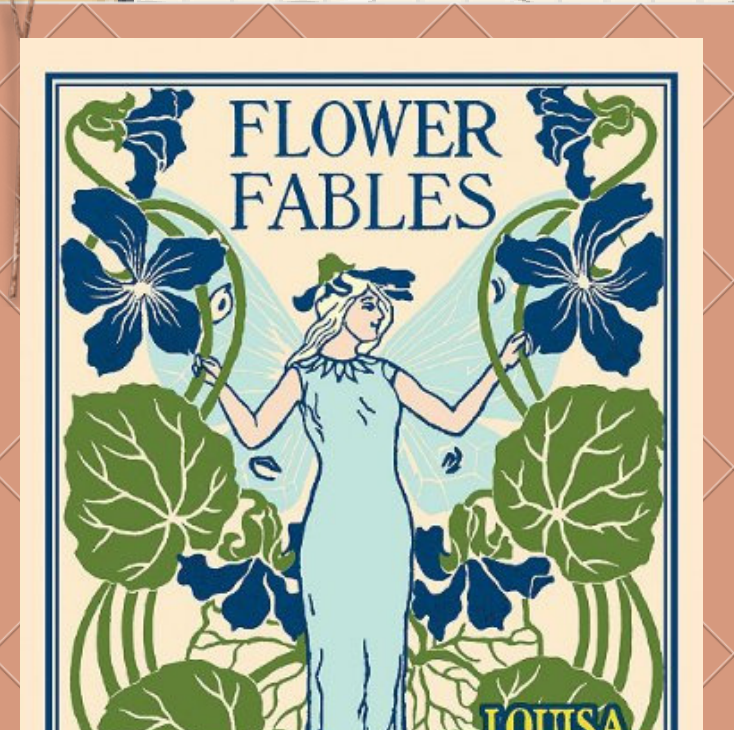
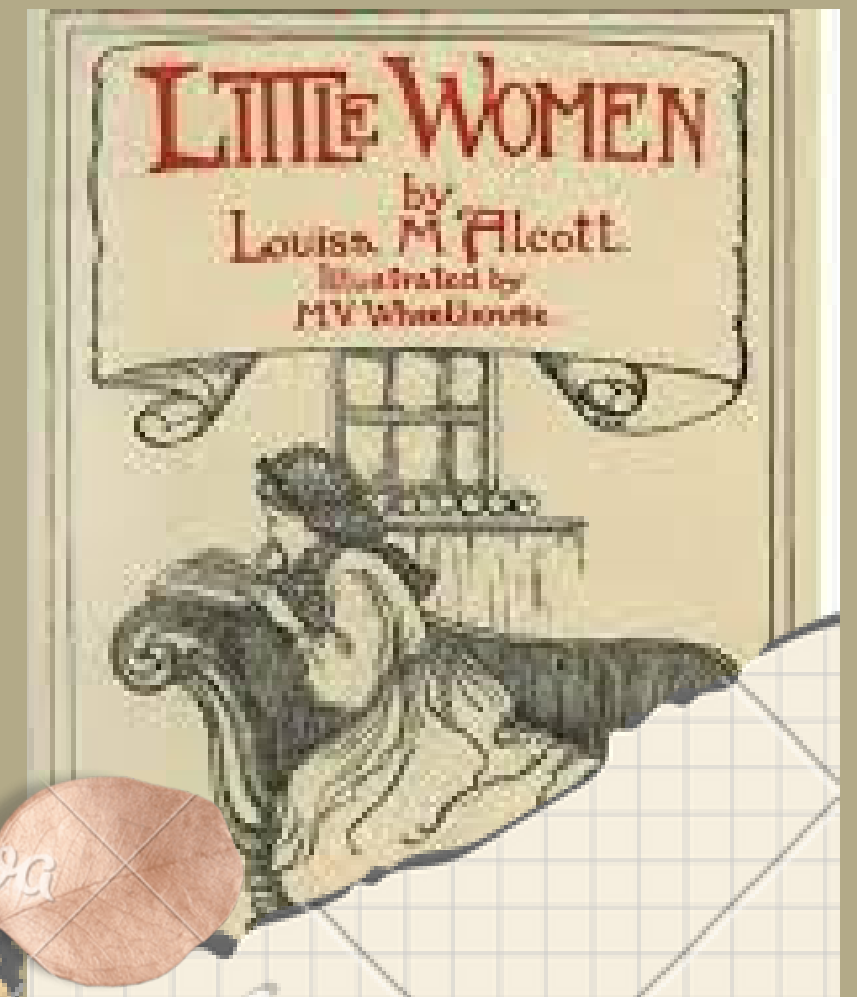
She grew up and lived in New England. With four sisters who were educated in their own home by their father.

At an early age, to help her family financially, she began to work sporadically as a teacher, seamstress, governess and writer, never married. During the War of Succession, she was a nurse at Union Hospital in Georgetown, for six weeks. She died at the age of 55 from the aftermath of mercury poisoning contracted while serving in the war.



Books

Her first book was "Flower Fables" in 1855, made up of stories originally written for Ellen Emerson, But her best-known work is "Little Women", with which she had a surprising success, a partly autobiographical story inspired by her childhood with her sisters. This work was written at the request of her publisher, who wanted a book aimed at young women,



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Adaptation directed by Gillian Armstrong in 1994



Adaptation by Greta Gerwig in 2019

"Little Women" has been made into several films, including the adaptation directed by Gillian Armstrong in 1994 and the adaptation by Greta Gerwig in 2019.

Mary Shelley

She was the second daughter of the feminist philosopher and writer Mary Wollstonecraft and the first daughter of the philosopher, novelist and journalist William Godwin.



Mary Godwin must have known the radical poet and philosopher Percy Bysshe Shelley in March 1814 when Percy Shelley had separated from his wife and regularly visited William Godwin



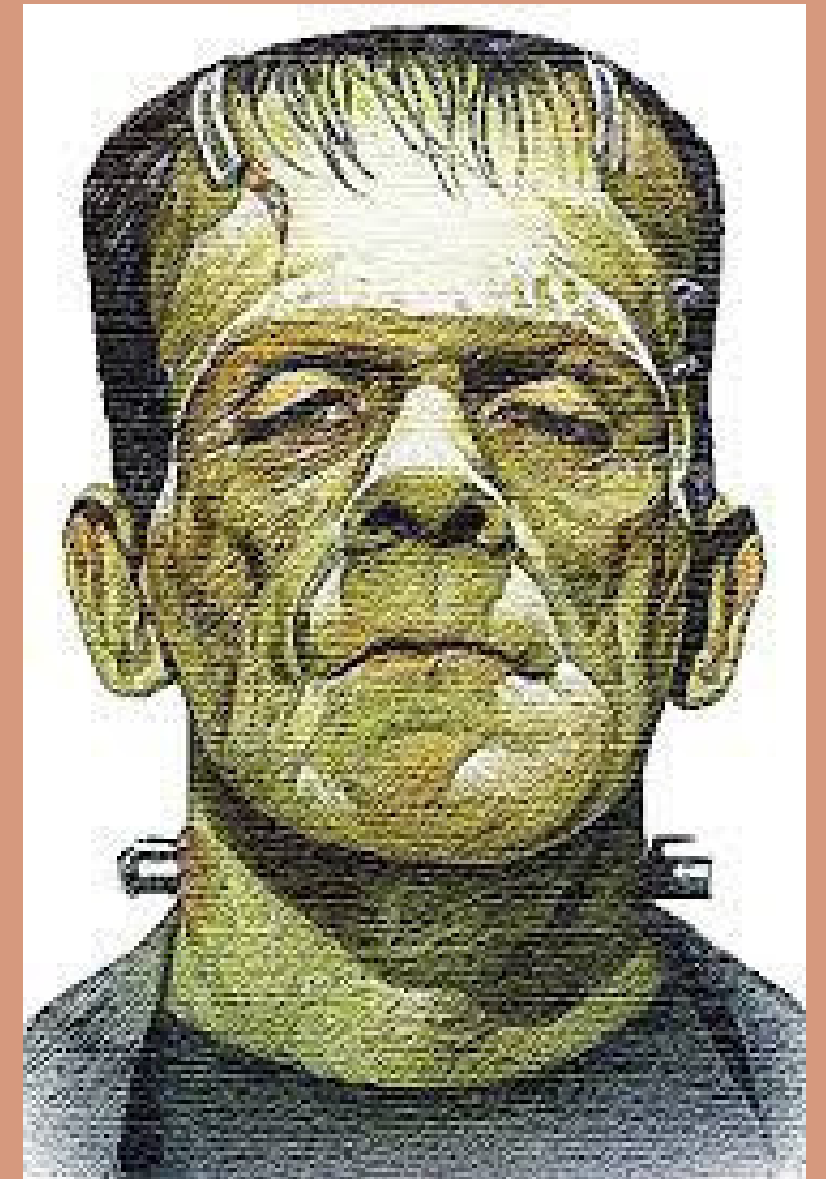
Mary and Percy began to meet secretly at the tomb of Mary Wollstonecraft; they fell in love when she was seventeen and he was twenty-two. Unfortunately for Mary, her father disapproved of the relationship and tried to frustrate her to save her daughter's «impeccable reputation».



The Modern Prometheus

It was May 1816 in the company of the poet Lord Byron, the young doctor John Polidori and her future husband, the poet Percy Shelley, when they decided to make a competition of terrifying stories and she wrote the story nowadays we all know; Frankenstein.

This story was born of a dream that the writer had the night before. Then she publishes it under anonymous authorship. Society at the time assumed that such a terrifying and good story couldn't have been written by a woman, so they thought it was Percy who wrote it .



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