



## Afloat in a Great City: A Story of Strange Incidents (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2018. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from Afloat in a Great City: A Story of Strange Incidents The scene about him was picturesque. The broad branches of the tree against which he rested, together with their leaves and twigs, were photographed, by the electric light, in shadows of rare beauty upon the stone walk at his feet. A little to the left was the great statue of Washington Upon his horse in full military armor, and still nearer was Lafayette; while to his right stood, facing him, the monument of Abraham Lincoln. Just across the street were tall, handsome buildings, and directly in front of him, on the sidewalk, were many richly dressed ladies and gentlemen hurrying along Fourteenth Street on their way to the Star Theater to see a famous tragedian in one of Shakspeare s great plays. They passed gaily by without being heeded by him or giving him a passing thought, though in his rags he was a conspicuous figure amid the more cheerful objects that surrounded him. Presently a lady and gentleman drew near, accompanied by a boy who had seen, probably, about sixteen...

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