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Gale Literature Resource Center The world's most current comprehensive and reliable literature database. Access biographical entries, articles, essays, journals, reviews, literature criticism, full text poems, plays and interviews.	✓	✓	✓
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