

# Folk & Traditional Song Lyrics

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## Pearl Bryan (3)

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In Greencastle lived a maiden  
She was known the wide world o'er  
She was murdered by Scots Jackson  
Whom she fondly did adore.

Yes, she loved him very dearly  
For she was both bright and gay,  
And she trusted in him fully  
And by him was led astray.

When she told him her sad story,  
And he knew that it was true,  
Then he grew so discouraged  
That he knew not what to do.

Then he called on his friend Walling  
For to seek advice and aid  
And they held a consolation [consultation]  
And the daring plot was made

In a cab one rainy evening,  
At the closing of the day  
There came Walling and Scott Jackson  
And with Pearl they drove away

Yes, they drove far from the city,  
To a place so far from home,  
There they left her body lying  
Headless and all stained with blood

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