There Will Come Soft Rains

Fill the gaps with the verbs in Past Simple.

In the living room the voice-clock _____ (sing).

The morning house _____ (lie) empty.

The breakfast stove _____ (give) a hissing sigh.

The door _____ (swing) down again.

The sun _____ (come) out from **behind** the rain.

The house _____ (stand) alone in a city of rubble and ashes.

This was the one house _____ (leave) standing.

At night the ruined city _____ (give off) a radioactive glow.

At ten o'clock the house _____ (begin) to die.

The wind _____ (blow) and sucked upon the fire.

But the solvent _____ (spread) on the linoleum.

Now the fire _____ (lie) in beds, _____ (stand) in windows, changed the colors of drapes!

The sun _____ (rise) to shine **upon** the heaped rubble and steam.

Fill the gaps with correct prepositions.



The sun is rising _____ the trees _____ the water.

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