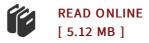




The Rise of the Novel of Manners; A Study of English Prose Fiction Between 1600 and 1740

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