



The Pilgrims: An Epical Interpretation (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from The Pilgrims: An Epical Interpretation This book covers fourteen years of the history of the Pilgrim Fathers. It is an interpretation of their character and an attempted revelation of the motives which impelled them to withdraw from the Church of England. It deals with the faith which inspired plain English yeomen to undertake a task which men everywhere now regard as colossal. The story of the Separatist Church, founded by John Robinson and others, is a part of the history of the Protestant Reformation. It is a story within a story. It is the record of the determination of men within the Church of England to go the full length in realizing the highest ideals of the Reformers. These ideals involved entire emancipation from ecclesiastical tyranny and from certain hurtful Romish practices, which the Church of England still retained and enjoined upon the laity. Against all such the early Dissenters, if not openly, then secretly, inveighed. Calvin, and his doctrines, embodied their best thought and highest purposes. In sincere loyalty to God, and the Reformed...



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