



The Grocers Play: From a Manuscript in Possession of Robert Fitch, Esq., F. G. S (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 Grocers Play: From a Manuscript in Possession of Robert Fitch, Esq., F. G. S Of the Pageants or Mysteries which formed so important a feature in the amusements of the people in the middle ages, a former paper (Vol. III., p. 3) has given all the information now to be obtained from the Norwich Corporation Records. Although the books of the several Companies (except that of St. George) in which were the accounts relating to the Pageants, have long ago been destroyed or lost, some additional information has come to light on the subject, of considerable interest. It consists of a series of extracts, made early in the last century, from the Grocers Book, showing the proceedings and expenditure of the Company about their Pageant, from 1534 to 1570; and also the version of the Play in use in 1533, and the revised and corrected version played in 1563. The previous paper contains a list of the Pageants played by the several Companies early in the sixteenth century, from the Corporation Records; and as...



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