



Why Study Latin and Greek? the Classics a Preparation for a Professional and Business Career (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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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 Why Study Latin and Greek? The Classics a Preparation for a Professional and Business Career Almost yearly there appear in our newspapers and periodicals interviews with prominent citizens, of some reputation for success in business and in the different learned professions, as to the value of a college education for the practical purposes of our modern life. Usually there is a variety of views and not a few self-made men are inclined to hold that a college education is of no particular help to success. They have reached the front without it and others may do the same. In this latter class is a certain Wall street broker, who declares he would not have a college graduate in his office. He has a certain training of his own, which evolves, we may suppose, the ideal broker. His words are: I take them (boys) in at fifteen or thereabouts and set them to carrying mail to and from the Post Office; running errands and doing all sorts of jobs until I can see what they are...



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