



In Defence of America

By Baron Von Taube

Createspace, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.In This very unusual book purports to give the American point of view in reply to criticisms of Uncle Sam frequently made by representatives of John Bull. About thirty popular indictments against the citizens of Uncle Sam's Realm are drawn up, such as: American worship only money; their reputed business capacity is a myth; American education is superficial and vulgar; American politics are more corrupt than any the world has known; Americans have no manners; American morality is puritanical in profession, but licentious in fact; they have produced no literature, etc.; Americans wit and humor are only a trick of incongruous imagination, etc., etc. Both Uncle Sam and John Bull will find in the book genial appreciations of their several characteristics, and not a few valuable suggestions. In every respect the work is interestingly unique. The text is illuminated by a number of humorous anecdotes and dialogues. In a clever review, the N. Y. Sun says of the work: As one reads into the book he has to abandon his hypothesis of a British journalist or of...



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