



## Forward Looking Lessons in U. S History (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 Forward Looking Lessons in U. S History After trying to teach United States History in schools of California for twenty years, using such texts as were available, the writer felt that he had never succeeded. No matter what plan he followed, nearly one-half of each class lost interest before the end was reached. Seeking for improvement, these lessons were developed. Each lesson was dictated to an average class, the pupils writing in their blank-books. The comprehension of the weaker members was constantly borne in mind. The following day the recitation took place. The abler ones gave it in their own language. It was considered no disgrace for the others to recite verbatim. For all there was a steady increase of vocabulary and history. When the usual questions were asked, all were ready with complete answers. At the end of the year the ability of the class, compared to that of the many preceding ones, was agreeably surprising. More than ninety per cent of them had retained interest in the study and were able to speak...



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