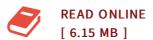




The English Register of Godstow Nunnery Near Oxford, Vol. 1: Written about 1450 (Classic Reprint)

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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 English Register of Godstow Nunnery Near Oxford, Vol. 1: Written About 1450 ABC or Prayer to the Virgin, of which the successive stanzas start with A, B, C, and run all thro the alphabet; and it has 2 main gaps, besides many small ones from the tops of leaves being burnt in the Cotton fire. All these gaps (save the Abc) have been fild up from the Stowe MS. 952 (which old John Stowe completed) and from the end of the other imperfect MS. Cotton, Tii3erius A vii. Thanks to the diligence of the old Elizabethan tailor and manuscript-lover, a complete text of Lydgate s poem has been given. The British Museum French MSS. (Harleian 4399, and Additional 22,937 and 25,594) are all of the First Version. Besides his first Pelermaige de l homme in its two versions, Deguilleville wrote a second, de lame separee du corps, and a third, de nostre seigneur lesus. Of the second, a prose Englishing of 1413, The Pilgrimage of the Sowle (with poems by Hoccleve, already printed...



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