



Romance of a great factory

By Charles M. Ripley

RareBooksClub. Paperback. Book Condition: New. This item is printed on demand. Paperback. 40 pages. Dimensions: 9.7in. x 7.4in. x 0.1in. This historic book may have numerous typos and missing text. Purchasers can usually download a free scanned copy of the original book (without typos) from the publisher. Not indexed. Not illustrated. 1919 edition. Excerpt: . . . they actually build new cars in the shops which Van Vorst opened when he came with the General Electric Company in 1913. He likes electric locomotives, says they are healthy and clean and safe. He takes pride in looking over all of the 21 locomotives, oiling them, tuning them up and having them ready every morning for immediate service. His days of steam railroading made him appreciate the convenience of the electric type; for in the old days the firemen and engineers had to spend an hour to an hour and a half in the morning getting the steam locomotives ready for work. Van Vorst also knows the details of railroading life, because for 13 years, working 12 hours a night, he was freight brakeman, switch tender and yard brakeman on the N. Y. C.; later being promoted to yard conductor, then yardmaster...



Reviews

It becomes an incredible book that we actually have possibly study. It really is rally exciting through studying period of time. I am very easily could get a satisfaction of reading through a written book.

-- Gianni Hoppe

A really awesome pdf with perfect and lucid reasons. It is actually rally fascinating through reading period of time. Your lifestyle period will probably be transform as soon as you total looking over this ebook.

-- Alford Kihn