



Histoires Amusantes Et Instructives: A Selection of Complete Stories from the Best French Authors, Chiefly Contemporary, Who Have Written for the Young; With English Notes (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: French . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Histoires Amusantes Et Instructives: A Selection Of Complete Stories From The Best French Authors, Chiefly Contemporary, Who Have Written For The Young; With English Notes Most of the elementary French reading-books now in use, not to say all of thom, are composed, either of mere scraps, which, if they begin to excite any interest, from their incompleteness leave it unsatisfied; or of stories complete in themselves, indeed, but taken from very old and inferior authors, such as Madame de Genlis, Berquin, Bouilly, c. - often from writers without any repute or merit whatever. In either case, the object of the educator of youth is obviously frustrated. I may add that, in many of these books, the English of the notes is even worse than the French text which they are intended to explain, and of which they are too frequently gross mistranslations. About the Publisher Forgotten Books publishes hundreds of thousands of rare and classic books. Find more at This book is a reproduction of an important historical work. Forgotten Books uses state-of-the-art technology to...



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