



The Master Builders: A Record of the Construction of the World's Highest Commercial Structure (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 Master Builders: A Record of the Construction of the World's Highest Commercial Structure The master builders who builded the awe-inspiring cathedrals of the Middle Ages gave expression to a deep and rich communal spirit. Closely knit in interests and united by a common love for the beautiful, they co-operated to embody in stone the noblest thoughts and aspirations of their time To-day we are deemed incapable of this kind of fruitful co-operation. Critics have often said that the commercialism of our age stands in the way of a group of men who would bend their best efforts to the production of a beautiful object by their common law. That this indictment is unjust one has but to know the extraordinary services rendered by all the contractors and builders who aided in the erection of the Woolworth Building. From the time that the first spade of earth was mined to the last touch on the topmost spire of the tower every one of the hundreds of men from chief executive to day laborer, worked...



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