



Hand Forging: And Wrought-Iron Ornamental Work (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

By Thomas Francis Googerty

Forgotten Books, United States, 2016. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Discover the timeless and intricate skills of blacksmithing with Thomas Francis Googerty s work, Hand-Forging and Wrought-Iron Ornamental Work. Keeping the traditions of this ancient and endangered art alive this book is very timely given the recent rise of interest in smithing. Hand-Forging and Wrought-Iron Ornamental Work is primarily a textbook. Googerty begins with an introduction into ironwork, highlighting its importance and development throughout history. The author also discusses the key principles of good design, and touches on where the inspiration for ironwork should come from. It is a valuable opening chapter and a logical starting point for the text. Later chapters detail the technical aspects fundamental to working with iron and ornamental work. The required equipment and how to safely and correctly implement these tools, the principles of welding, scrollwork, box forging, and embossing are amongst the topics explained in detail by Googerty. Techniques range from beginner level to quite advanced, and so readers of all levels will be able to find value in this book. The book contains a series of images intended to accompany and illuminate the text. Unfortunately,...



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