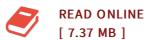




The Underhill and Townsend Families: A Historical Sketch (Classic Reprint)

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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 Underhill and Townsend Families: A Historical Sketch Fringed along its shores since the advent of the Mayflower, there have risen cities and towns of more or less interest and importance. Of such is Salem, which became eminent as a literary center and for its commercial activity during many years of its early history; and Gloucester, long famous for its fisheries; and Marblehead, with its secure harbor, into which the frigate Constitution ran, when in the War of 1812 she was chased by the British fleet; and Hingham, which was noted in its early days for its manufacture of buckets and brooms; and Lynn, celebrated for its shoes -Everybody in Lynn, it was said, made shoes except the Minister, he made boots, went one better. But if you saw those places today, with their beautiful, costly residences, you would hardly suppose that buckets and brooms and boots and shoes had done it; and Newport and Swampscott, Nahant and Beverly, all have been engaged in commerce, and were also, with the other towns named, nurseries...



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