



Browning's Paracelsus: Being the Text of Browning's Poem, with Introduction and Notes (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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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 Browning's Paracelsus: Being the Text of Browning's Poem, With Introduction and Notes Two motives impelled me to the undertaking of this small task, which I and another have shared. The first was the desire to please my dear old friend Dr. G. U. Pope, late Reader in Tamil and Telugu at Oxford. He, who had known Browning intimately, edited in 1897 the poem of A Death in the Desert, and it was his plan and wish to deal with others in the same way, since, as he often said, Browning needs and repays editing more than most of our poets. But in 1897 he was already seventy-six years old, and though his wonderful vitality and keen interest in life and literature were never obscured or impaired during the eleven years that remained, he yet became increasingly conscious of the need to husband his resources, and concentrate on his special work as interpreter of Tamil thought to the West. It was for this reason that he urged upon me a task which lay specially near...



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