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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 Mistress Dorothy Marvin: Being Excerpta From the Memoirs of Sir Edward Armstrong, Baronet, of Copeland Hall, in the County of Somerset One of the distinctive features of the trend of popular taste for the last two years has been the revival of interest in historical fiction. It is true that from some of the more exacting realists we have had vehement protests against the school of the trapdoor and dagger, but the majority of readers show a readiness to stray from the paths of realism, tempted by the clash of swords. Crockett and Doyle, Hope with his Count Antonio, Gilbert Parker, Yeats with The Honour of Savelli, and Hotchkiss with In Defiance of the King, are examples close at hand of this alert interest in the revival of the past, and with them we may now count Mr. Snaith. We are told often enough that coats of mail or velvet cloaks and plumes are but tarnished stage properties in the relentless light of modernity; but, without assuming to hold a brief for any school, there...



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