



Address on the Truth, Dignity, Power and Beauty of the Principles of Peace: And on the Unchristian Character and Influence of War and the Warrior (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Address on the Truth, Dignity, Power and Beauty of the Principles of Peace: And on the Unchristian Character and Influence of War and the Warrior Grecian States, may be judged from what Gray says (2d vol. Com. P. 126) that the war arose from an inconsiderable commencement, origin ating in a dispute between Corcyra and Corinth about Epidamnus, and, drawing in all the powerful states Of Greece, terminated in the ruin of Athens. The conduct of the different nations, when palliated or extolled by the historian, afibrdsfewproofs of moderation or equity. (p. The aggrandizement (of the Athenians) and the gratification of (their) te venge, constitute prominent subjects ofhis (pericles) praise, in an elo quent oration to the memory of those who perished in the first cam paign Demosthenes in his oration on the crown, speaking of the Athenians, describes precisely the spirit, which as Gray confesses, (p. 185) was calculated to involve them in eternal warfare, and viola tion of justice towards others. Their whole history, says the orator, was a series of noble contests for preeminence, the whole period...



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