



The Book of Fern Culture (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 Book of Fern Culture In the following pages on Practical Fern Culture the writer has endeavoured to give brief instructions regarding the requirements of the most popular Ferns, with the aim of assisting those who have had little or no previous experience. It is also hoped that older growers will also find some notes of interest. The writer s experience extends over nearly forty years, during which time he has been more or less associated with Ferns and their culture, and has seen great changes. In addition to having been associated with one of the largest Fern growers for about sixteen years, the writer has gained much experience from visiting other nurseries where Ferns are extensively grown. Ferns, or rather most of them, are no longer regarded as semi-aquatics, to be kept continually moist and under heavy shading and green glass. It has been fully proved in practice that those things are a great abomination. It was before the Kew authorities abolished green glass for the Fern houses that the writer of these pages...



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