



The Mountain Heights: And Other Poems (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 The Mountain Heights: And Other Poems The Mountain Heights For years I've loved the mountains With their towering peaks so grand, And wondered if they rose like that At God's supreme command. If the Crow's Nest and the Castle Were shaped like that by chance, Or if the World's Great Architect Designed them in advance. Then as I sat and pondered On God's handiwork anew, The lessons taught by Nature Ever less mysterious grew. For there's little to accomplish Once you've gained the topmost peak; There is seldom real contentment When you reach the goal you seek. Where the mountains rise the highest There are canyons dark and deep; You will find the rocks more treacherous As you near the mountain's peak. So the man that is most brilliant And attains to greatest fame Oft times falls the very lowest When disgrace attacks his name. When a storm blows in the mountains, With its drifting cold and snow, When a thunder storm is breaking Over this...

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