



## The Manual of Colours and Dye Wares: Their Properties, Applications, Valuation, Impurities and Sophistications; For the Use of Dyers, Printers, Drysalters, Brokers, Etc (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from The Manual of Colours and Dye Wares: Their Properties, Applications, Valuation, Impurities and Sophistications; For the Use of Dyers, Printers, Drysalters, Brokers, Etc TI object of this Manual is to furnish, in brief space, an account of the chemical products and natural wares used in dyeing, printing, and the accessory arts - their properties, their applications, the means of ascertaining their respective values, and of detecting the impurities which may be present. My experience has convinced me that information of this kind is needed, both by makers, dealers, and consumers, and I am not aware of any work which exactly meets the demand. The last seven or eight years have been very fruitful in novelties, and have witnessed such an enlargement of the resources of tinctorial art as to render older authorities defective, and in some measure obsolete. It will be perceived that in the valuation of dye wares, I differ from certain authorities in relying more upon strictly chemical methods as distinguished from rule-of-thumb procedures. Without presuming to impugn the observations of others, I must say that having had prolonged...



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