



## Sketch Book of Lynchburg, Va: Its People and Its Trade (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from Sketch Book of Lynchburg, Va: Its People and Its Trade The development of the vast mineral wealth of the neighboring territory is as ct in its infancy, but it is already known to be practically inexhaustible. Coal of the best quality is also abundant and cheap, while the products of the farm and forest are rich, plentiful and varied. Climate. The topography of the City and surrounding country, its elevation above the sea - over 500 feet on the river bank - and the purity of its atmosphere, make this climate singularly health), and especially beneficial to invalids. There are no marshes or stagnant pools, and the neighborhood is entire free from malarial disorders. The winters are short and mild, seldom of more than three months duration, and arc generally dry and pleasant. Snow seldom lies here longer than a few days, and there is but little interruption to agricultural pursuits during the entire winter. The heat of summer, which is never extreme, is tempered by the delicious southwest breezes and the cool sweet air from the neighboring mountains....

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