



The German and Swiss Settlements of Colonial Pennsylvania: A Study of the So-Called Pennsylvania Dutch (Paperback)

By Oscar Kuhns

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