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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 Chestnut in Tennessee: Extract From Bulletin No; 10, Forest Studies in Tennessee Chestnut, because of the extensive and rapidly increasing use of its wood as a source of tanning material, has become one of the most important forest trees of Tennessee. There are now seven tannic extract plants in operation within the State, and all use chestnut wood and bark, though some use in addition, the wood or bark of chestnut oak. To supply these plants more than 50,000 cords of wood are cut yearly in Tennessee with a value of about \$187,500 at the shipping points. In addition to the extensive use of the wood for tannin, the census of 1909 reports 71,962,000 feet of chestnut lumber cut in Tennessee, with a mill value of \$1,121,888. There were also produced 120,000 sets of heading valued at \$5,520, and a large number of staves, tes, and poles valued at not less than \$325,000. On a most conservative basis the chestnut is, therefore, worth \$1,640,000 annually to the State. With the continued reduction in the available...

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