



Memorial Observances in the City of Worcester (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 Memorial Observances in the City of Worcester For some weeks it had been widely known to the public, through the columns of the press, that, in the fourth month of his newly inaugurated Administration, President Garfield was to leave Washington for the North, on Saturday, July 2, to be absent two weeks. His family joining him from Long Branch, he was to be the guest of Cyrus W. Field, at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, until Monday, July 4, at 10 A.M. On that day he was to leave for Williamstown, Mass., via Troy, and remain at Williamstown until Thursday, on which day he was to depart for St. Albans, Vt., going thence to Bethlehem, N. H.; on his return journey to Washington, visiting Concord, Mass., Worcester, and Lincoln, in which latter place his ancestors lie buried. In Worcester, as in other communities, preparations for the observance of the Anniversary of American Independence had been completed, when suddenly there fell upon the nation an event, the story of which cannot be better told than in the words of the...



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