



Powder and Patches: A Comedy in Two Acts (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 Powder and Patches: A Comedy in Two Acts Plot laid in Virginia in the Eighteenth Century, during the War of the American Revolution. Scene I. - Library. Living room at Glenview, the estate of Mr. Richard Carter, a gentleman of Virginia. To the left of the stage is a colonial couch and a screen is placed back of the couch, concealing a door. A small table containing decanter and glasses stands at back of the stage near the screen. (To the right is a chest of drawers, on top of which are candlesticks, blue plates, pewter platters, etc. At one side of the chest of drawers is a window curtained in white with plants arranged upon the sill. A tall colonial clock is in the background to the right.) To the right of center stands a table with old-fashioned chairs arranged upon either side. The ladies are costumed in Watteau gowns with powdered hair, the gentlemen in velvets and satins, knickerbockers, white wigs, silk hose and buckled shoes; the two young officers are in costume...



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