



Records of South-Eastern Africa, Vol. 6: Collected in Various Libraries and Archive, Departments in Europe (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 Records of South-Eastern Africa, Vol. 6: Collected in Various Libraries and Archive, Departments in Europe [Joao Barros has always been regarded as occupying the first place among Portuguese historians. He Was born in 1496 of a good family, and received the best education that could be given in his day. From 1522 to 1525 he was captain of S. Jorge da Mina on the western coast of Africa, from 1525 to 1528 he was treasurer of the Indian department, and in 1532 he received the appointment of factor of the India house. At this period of his life he spent his days in business, and his nights with his pen and his books. He died on the 20 th of October 1570. De Barros had access to the journals, letters, and reports of the early discoverers and officers of all classes in India and Africa, and from these sources his information was derived. He was the author of a good many other books, none of which, however, have the permanent value of his great work...



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