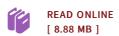




The Kempton-Wace Letters (Annotated) (Paperback)

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Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, 2016. Paperback. Condition: New. Annotated. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. The Kempton-Wace Letters was a 1903 epistolary novel written jointly by Americans Jack London and Anna Strunsky, then based in San Francisco, California. It was published anonymously. The novel presents a discussion of the philosophy of love and sex, written in the form of a series of letters between two men, Herbert Wace, a young scientist, and Dane Kempton, an elderly poet. Writer Jack London wrote Wace s letters, and Anna Strunsky wrote Kempton s. In the late 19th century, the authors were part of a San Francisco radical literary group known as The Crowd. Kempton makes the case for feeling and emotion, while Wace proceeds scientifically and analyzes love in Darwinian terms: I purpose to order my affairs in a rational manner. Wherefore I marry Hester Stebbins. I am not impelled by the archaic sex madness of the beast, nor by the obsolescent romance madness of later-day man. I contract a tie which reason tells me is based upon health and sanity and compatibility. My intellect shall delight in that tie. Initially the public was piqued by the anonymity of the...



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