



The Exodus: Speech of Hon. William Windom, of Minnesota, in the United States Senate, Monday, June 14, 1880 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

By William Windom

Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from The Exodus: Speech of Hon. William Windom, of Minnesota, in the United States Senate, Monday, June 14, 1880 The Senate having under consideration the report of the committee appointed to investigate the causes of the migration of the colored people from the Southern to the Northern States- Mr. Windom said: Mr. President: In the month of December last a few hundred colored men, women, and children, discontented with their condition in North Carolina and hoping to improve it were emigrating to Indiana. They attracted the attention of the vigilant Senator from the latter State, who imagined he saw in that movement an infamous conspiracy against the Democratic party. Hoping to avert the threatened doom of the Democracy in Indiana, he promptly presented a resolution directing the appointment of a committee to inquire why American citizens were thus presuming to remove to his State from North Carolina. At that time twenty-five thousand refugees from Democratic injustice and oppression had gone from the South to Kansas, while only a few hundred had migrated to Indiana; but the...



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