



## The Structure and Life-History of the Hay-Scented Fern (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 The Structure and Life-History of the Hay-Scented Fern Aside from certain personal interests and opinions, the impulse to the present investigation came from a study of recent papers by Jeffrey, Boodle, and Gwynne-Vaughan. But since we shall never know the true relations of a plant to its surroundings until we have worked out its complete life-history, it seemed to me very desirable to have all of our knowledge of this species collected into a unit. Therefore the study was carried beyond the problems suggested by the papers referred to. The work was begun in odd moments of an instructorship at the University of Pennsylvania, but nearly all of it was actually done in the Botanical Laboratory of the Johns Hopkins University, and this paper is to be regarded as Contribution No. 7 from that Laboratory. I was there as James Buchanan Johnston Scholar from February, 1905, until June, 1906. For the opportunity to carry on this investigation in a peculiarly stimulating atmosphere, I am deeply indebted to those who administer the affairs of the university....



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