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Texan Ranch Life: With Three Months Through Mexico in a Prairie Schooner

By Mary J Jaques

Texas A M University Press, United States, 2000. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 230 x 154 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. The lowing of Texan cows is not very musical. English traveler Mary Jaques wrote in 1894 in a charming, vividly detailed account of her two-year stay in Texas, with side trips to Canada and Mexico. J. Frank Dobie once claimed that the English write our best Western books, and Jaques account bears him out. Out of print for some ninety years, this collector s classic will delight and inform, entertain and amuse. So taken with Texas that she bought a twenty-five acre spread with a dear little one-roomed cottage, Mary Jaques entered into the frontier life around Junction City with gusto, describing it with a lively intelligence and humor that recreate for modern readers the land and its inhabitants as an earlier generation knew them. Outings to gather algerita berries, coon hunts, camp meetings, weddings, funerals, cave explorations-all find their place in Jaques chronicle. She gives vivid portrayals of the countryside, the crops, and the wildlife, from snapping turtles to coyotes, deer, wild turkeys, and even tarantulas (in Texas they prefer whiskey...



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