



## Fifth Semi-Annual Report on Schools for Freedmen: January 1, 1868 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, 2018. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from Fifth Semi-Annual Report on Schools for Freedmen: January 1, 1868 In view of this brief historical summary, philanthropy and Christian faith need not be disheartened. As we have before remarked, the friends of freed men should be urged to increasing confidence. Our government will be paid doubly for all its expenditures. We are not making traces in the sand. Hope may grow strong that our work is enduring and shall remain. This people have a vitality which is being aroused from a long, deep, but enforced stupor, and are to have a career in the future which will compensate for all that has been sorrowful or ignoble in their past servitude. Their education should be pushed forward with enthusiasm, with the certainty of great and permanent results. We now come to the period of our regular report for the six months ending December 31, 1867. Vacation - The first three months of this period in most of the schools was vacation, the southern country not permitting unacclimated teachers to remain in safety during the hot season. In some cases however, especially...



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