



Georgius Agricola de Re Metallica Translated (Classic Reprint)

By Herbert Clark Hoover

Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from Georgius Agricola De Re Metallica Translated There are three objectives in translation of works of this character: to give a faithful, literal translation of the author s statements; to give these in a manner which will interest the reader; and to preserve, so far as is possible, the style of the original text. The task has been doubly difficult in this work because, in using Latin, the author availed himself of a medium which had ceased to expand a thousand years before his subject had in many particulars come into being; in consequence he was in difficulties with a large number of ideas for which there were no corresponding words in the vocabulary at his command, and instead of adopting into the text his native German terms, he coined several hundred Latin expressions to answer his needs. It is upon this rock that most former attempts at translation have been wrecked. Except for a very small number, we believe we have been able to discover the intended meaning of such expressions from a study of...



[READ ONLINE](#)
[6.54 MB]

Reviews

Merely no terms to explain. it was actually writtern quite properly and helpful. I realized this pdf from my dad and i suggested this ebook to discover.
-- **Cletus Quigley**

This publication is definitely worth getting. I actually have go through and so i am sure that i will gonna read through again yet again later on. I am just quickly can get a satisfaction of looking at a created pdf.
-- **Hailee Armstrong I**