



## Coast Erosion Protection Works: On the Case System in British Guiana (Classic Reprint)

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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 Coast Erosion Protection Works: On the Case System in British Guiana British Guiana which is bounded on three sides by three different countries - Venezuela, Brazil and Dutch Guiana - and on one side by the Atlantic Ocean, is the only British Colony on the mainland of South America. The area of the Colony is computed to be 89,480 square miles, it is therefore as extensive as the combined area of England, Scotland and Wales, and about twice the area of the State of Pennsylvania. Sugar with its allied product of rum constitutes the most important industry of British Guiana. There are also considerable areas of rice and cocoanuts. In 1918 the total value of imports amounted to \$16,292,249, a large part of which were from the United States, and the total value of exports was \$14,799,316. Practically the whole of the cultivated lands of British Guiana and all the chief towns and villages are situated on the front lands, which are flat and from 3 to 4 feet below the level of high tide....



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