



## Ought the State to Buy the Railways?: A Question for Cherybody (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 Ought the State to Buy the Railways?: A Question for Cherybody The advocates of a Government purchase of railways are numerous and influential. They boldly affirm that the policy initiated by Charles I., when ho made the carrying of letters a State monopoly, - a policy which has lately been developed in the purchase of the plant and powers of the telegraph companies, ought to be carried to its completion by the placing of our entire railway system in the hands of the Crown. A Joint Committee of both Houses of Parliament has pointed to conditions under which the acquisition of the railways by the Government might by desirable. Public meetings, and the organs of a great political party, have given in their adhesion to the same policy; an honourable member intends shortly to ask the House of Commons to declare that it is desirable that the railways of the United Kingdom should become the property and be under the control and management of the State;- and we are assured that Free Railways may even...



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