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Sommario/riassunto	Early Printed Books" by E.Gordon Duff is a historical account written in the late 19th century. The work delves into the significant developments and spread of printing technology across various countries and cities in Europe, placing particular emphasis on the intricate origins and evolution of the printed book. It aims to highlight lesser-known details about early printing practices while avoiding speculative theories. The opening of the book begins with a preface that outlines the author's intention to provide a concise account of the introduction of printing in Europe, acknowledging the limitations of the study due to its broad scope. Duff emphasizes the importance of factual information in the field of bibliography, as he approaches the subject with a focus on historical accuracy rather than unfounded speculation. He expresses gratitude towards colleagues who assisted in reviewing his work and sets the tone for a comprehensive exploration of the topic, beginning with the transformative steps leading to the invention of printing itself