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Churchill's Wizards 2008-09-18 THE REAL STORY OF HOW WINSTON CHURCHILL AND THE BRITISH MASTERED DECEPTION TO DEFEAT THE NAZIS BY CONNING THE KAISER HOAXING HITLER AND USING BRAINS TO OUTWIT BROWN BY JUNE 1940 MOST OF EUROPE HAD FALLEN TO THE NAZIS AND BRITAIN STOOD ALONE SO WITH WINSTON CHURCHILL IN CHARGE THE BRITISH BLUFFED THEIR WAY OUT OF TROUBLE DRAWING ON THE TRICKERY WHICH HAD HELPED THEM WIN THE FIRST WORLD WAR THEY BROADCAST OUTRAGEOUS BRITISH PROPAGANDA ON PRETEND GERMAN RADIO STATIONS BROKE GERMAN SECRET CODES AND EAVESDROPPED ON THEIR MESSAGES EVERY GERMAN SPY IN BRITAIN WAS CAPTURED AND MANY WERE USED TO SEND BACK FALSE INFORMATION TO THEIR CONTROLLERS FORGED DOCUMENTS MISLED THEIR INTELLIGENCE BOGUS WIRELESS TRAFFIC FROM ENTIRE PHANTOM ARMIES DUMMY AIRFIELDS WITH MODEL PLANES DISGUISED SHIPS AND INFLATABLE RUBBER TANKS CREATED A VITAL ILLUSION OF STRENGTH CULMINATING IN THE SPECTACULAR MISDIRECTION THAT WAS SO ESSENTIAL TO THE SUCCESS OF D DAY IN 1944 CHURCHILL'S WIZARDS THE BRITISH GENIUS FOR DECEPTION 1914 1945 IS A THRILLING WORK OF POPULAR MILITARY HISTORY FILLED WITH ALMOST UNBELIEVABLE STORIES OF BRAVERY CREATIVITY AND DECEPTION NICHOLAS RANKIN IS THE AUTHOR OF DEAD MAN'S CHEST TELEGRAM FROM GUERNICA AND IAN FLEMING'S COMMANDOS THIS IS A STORY CLAMOURING TO BE TOLD WE COULD NOT HAVE IMAGINED THE SCOPE OF THE INVENTIVENESS THE DARING OF THESE PEOPLE'S IMAGINATIONS I COULD NOT STOP READING THIS BOOK DORIS LESSING

THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF EUROPEAN HISTORY, 1914-1945 2016 THE PERIOD SPANNING THE TWO WORLD WARS WAS UNQUESTIONABLY THE MOST CATASTROPHIC IN EUROPE'S HISTORY DESPITE SUCH UNDENIABLY PROGRESSIVE DEVELOPMENTS AS THE RADICAL EXPANSION OF WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE AND RISING HEALTH STANDARDS THE ERA WAS DOMINATED BY POLITICAL VIOLENCE AND CHRONIC INSTABILITY ITS SYMBOLS WERE VERDUN GUERNICA AND AUSCHWITZ BY THE END OF THIS DARK PERIOD TENS OF MILLIONS OF EUROPEANS HAD BEEN KILLED AND MORE STILL HAD BEEN DISPLACED AND PERMANENTLY TRAUMATIZED IF THE NINETEENTH CENTURY GAVE EUROPEANS CAUSE TO REGARD THE FUTURE WITH A SENSE OF OPTIMISM THE EARLY TWENTIETH CENTURY HAD THEM ANTICIPATING THE DESTRUCTION OF CIVILIZATION THE FACT THAT SO MANY REVOLUTIONS REGIME CHANGES DICTATORSHIPS MASS KILLINGS AND CIVIL WARS TOOK PLACE WITHIN SUCH A COMPRESSED TIME FRAME SUGGESTS THAT EUROPE EXPERIENCED A GENERAL CRISIS INDEED IN THE EARLY 1940S BOTH CHARLES DE GAULLE AND WINSTON CHURCHILL REFERRED TO A THIRTY YEARS WAR WHY DID SO MANY CRISES RAGE ACROSS THE CONTINENT FROM 1914 UNTIL THE END OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR WHY DID THE WINDS OF DESTRUCTION AFFECT SOME REGIONS MORE THAN OTHERS THE OXFORD HANDBOOK OF EUROPEAN HISTORY 1914 1945 RECONSIDERS THE MOST SIGNIFICANT FEATURES OF THIS CALAMITOUS AGE FROM A TRANSNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE IT DEMONSTRATES THE DEGREE TO WHICH NATIONAL EXPERIENCES WERE INTERTWINED WITH THOSE OF OTHER NATIONS AND HOW EACH CRISIS WAS IMPLICATED IN WIDERREGIONAL CONTINENTAL AND GLOBAL DEVELOPMENTS READERS WILL FIND INNOVATIVE AND STIMULATING CHAPTERS ON VARIOUS POLITICAL SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC SUBJECTS BY SOME OF THE LEADING SCHOLARS WORKING ON MODERN EUROPEAN HISTORY TODAY

STRATFORD 2008 ONE OF STRATFORD'S FOREMOST HISTORIANS NICHOLAS FOGG INTERWEAVES DIARIES LETTERS NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS AND ORAL TESTIMONY SHOWING US CLEARLY HOW ORDINARY MEN AND WOMEN REACTED TO THE CHALLENGE OF WAR AS WELL AS DESCRIBING LIFE ON THE HOME FRONT HE ALSO INCLUDES MEMORIES OF THOSE WHO SERVED IN THE ARMED FORCES AT HOME AND OVERSEAS INCLUDING EDGAR CRANMER THE TELEGRAPHIST WHO RECEIVED THE GERMAN OFFER OF AN ARMISTICE **A WORLD AT WAR, 1911-1949** 2019-03-27 IN A WORLD AT WAR 1911 1949 SCHOLARS OF THE CULTURAL HISTORY OF WARFARE INSPIRED BY THE WORK OF PROFESSOR JOHN HORNE BREAK DOWN THE TRADITIONAL BARRIERS BETWEEN THE HISTORIOGRAPHIES OF THE FIRST AND SECOND WORLD WARS

THE INTERWAR WORLD 2023-08-29 THE INTERWAR WORLD COLLECTS AN INTERNATIONAL GROUP OF OVER 50 CONTRIBUTORS TO DISCUSS ANALYZE AND INTERPRET THIS CRUCIAL PERIOD IN TWENTIETH CENTURY HISTORY A COMPREHENSIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE INTERWAR ERA HAS BEEN LIMITED BY EURO AMERICAN APPROACHES AND STRICT ADHERENCE TO THE TEMPORAL LIMITS OF THE WORLD WARS THE VOLUME'S CONTRIBUTORS CHALLENGE THE ERA'S ACCEPTED TEMPORAL AND GEOGRAPHIC FRAMINGS BY PRIVILEGING GLOBAL PROCESSES AND INTERACTIONS EACH CONTRIBUTION TAKES A GLOBAL THEMATIC APPROACH INTEGRATING WORLD REGIONS INTO A SHARED NARRATIVE THREE CENTRAL QUESTIONS FRAME THE CHAPTERS FIRST WHEN WAS THE INTERWAR VIEWED GLOBALLY THE YEARS 1918 AND 1939 ARE ARBITRARY LIMITS AND THE VOLUME EXPLICITLY ENGAGES WITH THE ARTIFICIALITY OF THE TEMPORAL FRAMEWORK WHILE CLOSELY EXAMINING THE SPECIFIC DYNAMICS OF THE 1920S AND 1930S SECOND WHERE WAS THE INTERWAR CONTRIBUTORS USE GLOBAL HISTORY METHODOLOGIES AND TRAINING IN VARIED WORLD REGIONS TO DECENTER EURO AMERICAN FRAMEWORKS ENGAGING DIRECTLY WITH THE USEFULNESS OF THE INTERWAR AS BOTH AN ERA AND AN ANALYTICAL CATEGORY THIRD HOW GLOBAL WAS THE INTERWAR AUTHORS TRACE ACCELERATING CONNECTIONS IN AREAS SUCH AS PUBLIC HEALTH AND MASS CULTURE COUNTERBALANCED BY PROCESSES OF ECONOMIC PROTECTIONISM EXCLUSIVE NATIONALISM AND LIMITS TO MIGRATION BY APPROACHING THE ERA THEMATICALLY THE VOLUME DISAGGREGATES AND INTERROGATES THE MEANING OF THE GLOBAL IN THIS ERA AS A COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE THIS VOLUME OFFERS OVERVIEWS OF KEY THEMES OF THE INTERWAR PERIOD FOR UNDERGRADUATES WHILE OFFERING UP TO DATE HISTORIOGRAPHICAL INSIGHTS FOR POSTGRADUATES AND SCHOLARS INTERESTED IN THIS PIVOTAL PERIOD IN GLOBAL HISTORY

LISTENING TO BRITISH NATURE 2022-01-14 LISTENING TO BRITISH NATURE WARTIME RADIO AND MODERN LIFE 1914 1945 TRACES THE IMPACT OF SOUNDS AND RHYTHM OF THE NATURAL WORLD AND HOW THEY WERE LISTENED INTERPRETED AND USED AMID THE PRESSURES OF MODERN LIFE TO IN EARLY TWENTIETH CENTURY BRITAIN AUTHOR MICHAEL GUIDA ARGUES THATDESPITE AND SOMETIMES BECAUSE OF THE CHAOS OF WARTIME AND THE STRUGGLE TO RECOVER NATURE'S VOICES WERE DRAWN CLOSE TO PROVIDE EVERYDAY SECURITY SUSTENANCE AND A SENSE OF THE FUTURE NATURE'S SONIC PRESENCES WERE NOT OBLITERATED BY THE NOISE OF WAR THE ADVENT OF RADIO BROADCASTING AND THE RUSH OFTHE EVERYDAY RATHER THEY CAME TO COMPLEMENT AND PROVIDE ALTERNATIVES TO MODERN MODES OF LIVING LISTENING TO BRITISH NATURE EXAMINES HOW TRENCH WARFARE DEMANDED THE CREATION OF NEW LISTENING CULTURES IN ORDER TO UNDERSTAND DANGER AND TO IMAGINE SURVIVAL IT TELLS OF THE THERAPEUTIC COMMUNITIES WHO USED QUIET AND RURAL RHYTHMS TO RESTORE SHELL SHOCKED SOLDIERS AND OF RAMBLERS WHO SOUGHT TOIMMERSE THEMSELVES IN THE SENSUALITIES OF THE OUTDOORS REVEALING HOW HOME FRONT LISTENING IN THE BLITZ WAS PUNCTUATED BY BIRDSONG BROADCAST BY THE BBC IN FOCUSING ON THE SENSING OF SOUNDS AND RHYTHMS THIS STUDY DEMONSTRATES HOW NATURE RETAINED ITS EMOTIONAL POTENCY AS THE PACE ANDUNPREDICTABILITIES OF LIFE SEEMED TO INCREASE AND NEW MAN MADE SOUNDS AND SONIC MEDIA APPEARED ALL AROUND TO LISTEN TO NATURE DURING THIS TIME WAS TO CULTIVATE AN INTIMATE CONNECTION WITH ITS VIBRATIONS AND TO SENSE AN ENDURING ORDER AND BEAUTY THAT COULD BE TAKEN INTO THE FUTURE

STUDIES IN INTELLIGENCE 2021-11-25 MASTERFUL RESEARCH IMPECCABLE DETAIL WITH A BEAUTIFULLY FLOWING NARRATIVE OF WHICH CHURCHILL HIMSELF WOULD HAVE BEEN PROUD PROFESSOR PETER CADDICK ADAMS FROM HIS EARLIEST DAYS WINSTON CHURCHILL WAS AN EXTREME RISK TAKER AND HE CARRIED THIS INTO ADULTHOOD TODAY HE IS WIDELY HAILED AS BRITAIN'S GREATEST WARTIME LEADER AND POLITICIAN DEEP DOWN THOUGH HE WAS FOREMOST A WARLORD JUST LIKE HIS ALLY STALIN AND HIS ARCH ENEMIES HITLER AND MUSSOLINI CHURCHILL COULD NOT HELP HIMSELF AND INSISTED ON PERSONALLY DIRECTING THE STRATEGIC CONDUCT OF WORLD WAR II FOR BETTER OR WORSE HE INSISTED ON BEING POLITICAL MASTER AND MILITARY COMMANDER AGAIN LIKE HIS WARTIME CONTEMPORARIES HE HAD A HABIT OF NOT HEEDING THE ADVICE OF HIS GENERALS THE RESULTS OF THIS WERE DISASTERS IN NORWAY NORTH AFRICA GREECE AND CRETE DURING 1940 41 HIS FRUITLESS DODECANESE CAMPAIGN IN 1943 ALSO ENDED IN DEFEAT CHURCHILL'S PIG HEADEDNESS OVER SUPPORTING THE ITALIAN CAMPAIGN IN DEFIANCE OF THE RIVIERA LANDINGS CULMINATED IN HIM THREATENING TO RESIGN AND BRING DOWN THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT YET ON OCCASIONS HE GOT IT JUST RIGHT HIS REFUSAL TO SURRENDER IN 1940 THE BRITISH MIRACLE AT DUNKIRK AND VICTORY IN THE BATTLE OF BRITAIN SHOWED THAT HE WAS A MUCH NEEDED DECISIVE LEADER NOR DID HE SHY AWAY FROM DIFFICULT DECISIONS SUCH AS THE DESTRUCTION OF THE FRENCH FLEET TO PREVENT IT FALLING INTO GERMAN HANDS AND HIS SUBSEQUENT WAR AGAINST VICHY FRANCE IN THIS FASCINATING NEW BOOK ACCLAIMED HISTORIAN ANTHONY TUCKER JONES EXPLORES THE RECORD OF WINSTON CHURCHILL AS A MILITARY COMMANDER ASSESSING HOW THE MILITARY EXPERIENCES OF HIS FORMATIVE YEARS SHAPED HIM FOR THE DIFFICULT MILITARY DECISIONS HE TOOK IN OFFICE THIS BOOK ASSESSES HIS CHOICES IN THE SOME OF THE MOST CONTROVERSIAL AND HIGH PROFILE CAMPAIGNS OF WORLD WAR II AND HOW IN HIGH OFFICE HIS DECISION MAKING WAS BOTH RIGHT AND WRONG

CHURCHILL, MASTER AND COMMANDER 2021-02-17 AUTHORITATIVE YET ACCESSIBLE THE DEFINITIVE UNDERGRADUATE TEXT ON RUSSIAN GEOGRAPHY AND CULTURE HAS NOW BEEN THOROUGHLY REVISED WITH CURRENT DATA AND TIMELY TOPICS SUCH

AS THE ANNEXATION OF CRIMEA AND SEVASTOPOL AND OTHER BACKGROUND FOR UNDERSTANDING RUSSIA S 2022 INVASION OF UKRAINE THEMATIC CHAPTERS PROVIDE UP TO DATE COVERAGE OF RUSSIA S PHYSICAL POLITICAL CULTURAL AND ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY REGIONAL CHAPTERS FOCUS ON THE COUNTRY S MAJOR REGIONS AND THE OTHER 14 FORMER SOVIET REPUBLICS WRITTEN IN A LUCID CONVERSATIONAL STYLE BY A RUSSIAN BORN INTERNATIONAL EXPERT THE CONCISE CHAPTERS INTERWEAVE VIVID DESCRIPTIONS OF URBAN AND RURAL LANDSCAPES EXAMINATIONS OF SOVIET AND POST SOVIET LIFE DEEP KNOWLEDGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND CONSERVATION ISSUES GEOPOLITICAL INSIGHTS ENGAGING ANECDOTES AND RIGOROUS EMPIRICAL DATA OVER 200 ORIGINAL MAPS PHOTOGRAPHS AND OTHER FIGURES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE AS POWERPOINT SLIDES AT THE COMPANION WEBSITE MANY IN COLOR NEW TO THIS EDITION SEPARATE CHAPTER ON UKRAINE AND CRIMEA COVERING EVENTS THROUGH 2019 TIMELY TOPICS THE POLITICAL CRISIS IN UKRAINE AND ANNEXATION OF CRIMEA AND SEVASTOPOL THE RETURN OF PUTIN AS PRESIDENT CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL DEGRADATION ECONOMIC SLOWDOWN POLITICAL SHIFTS IN THE REPUBLICS THE ROLE OF RUSSIAN BACKED FORCES IN SYRIA LIBYA AND CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC CHANGES IN RUSSIA UNITED STATES RELATIONS AND MORE THOROUGHLY UPDATED POPULATION ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL DATA 80 NEW OR UPDATED FIGURES TABLES AND MAPS PEDAGOGICAL FEATURES END OF CHAPTER REVIEW QUESTIONS SUGGESTED ASSIGNMENTS AND IN CLASS EXERCISES WITHIN CHAPTER VIGNETTES ABOUT RUSSIAN PLACES CULTURE AND HISTORY END OF CHAPTER INTERNET RESOURCES AND SUGGESTIONS FOR FURTHER READING COMPANION WEBSITE WITH ALL FIGURES AND MAPS FROM THE BOOK MANY IN FULL COLOR

A GEOGRAPHY OF RUSSIA AND ITS NEIGHBORS 2006 VALDIS LUMANS PROVIDES AN AUTHORITATIVE BALANCED AND COMPREHENSIVE ACCOUNT OF ONE OF THE MOST COMPLEX AND CONFLICTED ARENAS OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR STRUGGLING AGAINST BOTH GERMANY AND THE SOVIET UNION LATVIA EMERGED AS AN INDEPENDENT NATION STATE AFTER THE FIRST WORLD WAR IN 1940 THE SOVIETS OCCUPIED NEUTRAL LATVIA DEPORTING OR EXECUTING MORE THAN 30 000 LATVIANS BEFORE THE NAZIS INVADED IN 1941 AND INSTALLED A PUPPET REGIME THE RED ARMY EXPELLED THE GERMANS IN 1944 AND REINCORPORATED LATVIA AS A SOVIET REPUBLIC BY THE END OF THE WAR AN ESTIMATED 180 000 LATVIANS FLED TO THE WEST THE SOVIETS WOULD DEPORT AT LEAST ANOTHER 100 000 DRAWING ON A WIDE RANGE OF SOURCES MANY BROUGHT TOGETHER HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME LUMANS SYNTHESIZES POLITICAL MILITARY SOCIAL ECONOMIC DIPLOMATIC AND CULTURAL HISTORY HE MOVES CAREFULLY THROUGH TRADITIONAL SOURCES MANY OF THEM PARTISAN TO SCHOLARSHIP EMERGING SINCE THE END OF THE COLD WAR TO CONFRONT SUCH ISSUES AS POLITICAL LOYALTIES MILITARY COLLABORATION RESISTANCE CAPITULATION THE SOVIET OCCUPATION ANTI SEMITISM AND THE LATVIAN ROLE IN THE HOLOCAUST

LATVIA IN WORLD WAR II 2021-04-22 AN INNOVATIVE STUDY OF THE PRE HISTORY OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS TRACING THE PRO LEAGUE MOVEMENT S UNEXPECTED DEVELOPMENT

BRITAIN AND THE INTELLECTUAL ORIGINS OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS, 1914-1919 2024-01-19 CLASSIFYING PEOPLE AS VICTIMS IS A HISTORICAL PHENOMENON WITH REMARKABLE GROWTH SINCE THE SECOND HALF OF THE 20TH CENTURY THE TERM VICTIM IS WIDELY USED TO REFER BOTH TO THOSE WHO HAVE DIED IN WARS AND TO PEOPLE WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED SOME FORM OF PHYSICAL OR PSYCHOLOGICAL VIOLENCE MOREOVER VICTIMHOOD HAS BECOME A SHORTHAND FOR ANY INJUSTICE SUFFERED THIS CAN BE SEEN IN MANY CONTEXTS IN DEBATES ON SOCIAL JUSTICE WHEN CLAIMS FOR COMPENSATION ARE MADE HUMAN RIGHTS ARE DEFENDED PAST CRIMES ARE PUBLICLY COMMEMORATED OR HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTION IS CALLED FOR BY ADOPTING A HISTORY OF KNOWLEDGE APPROACH VICTIMS TAKES A FRESH LOOK AT THE PHENOMENON OF CLASSIFYING PEOPLE AS VICTIMS IT GOES BEYOND EXISTING NARRATIVES TO PROVIDE A NEW AND COMPREHENSIVE EXPLANATION OF THE COMPLEX GENEALOGY OF MODERN CONCEPTS OF VICTIMHOOD IN ORDER TO REVEAL THE FUNDAMENTAL SHIFTS IN PERCEPTIONS AND INTERPRETATIONS OF HARM THIS BOOK RECONSTRUCTS THE EMERGENCE OF THE FIGURE OF THE VICTIM FROM THE LATE 18TH CENTURY TO THE PRESENT FOCUSING ON WESTERN EUROPE IT SHOWS THAT NEITHER THE WORLD WARS NOR THE HOLOCAUST WERE THE ONLY REASONS FOR THIS SHIFT INSTEAD CHANGING POWER RELATIONS AND NEW KNOWLEDGE ESPECIALLY IN MEDICINE AND LAW FUNDAMENTALLY ALTERED PERCEPTIONS AND INTERPRETATIONS OF DEATH AND SUFFERING OF LEGITIMATE AND ILLEGITIMATE VIOLENCE TODAY THE DEBATE TAKES ANOTHER TURN WITH THE WIDESPREAD CRITICISM OF VICTIM ATTRIBUTION AND THE INCREASING DELEGITIMISATION OF THE TERM SVENJA GOLTERMANN TELLS THIS STORY WITH BRILLIANT CLARITY WITHOUT SUBSCRIBING TO THE NEW DENIGRATION OF THE VICTIM

VICTIMS 2015-10-13 A GROUNDBREAKING HISTORY OF WHAT DROVE THE GERMANS TO FIGHT AND KEEP FIGHTING FOR A LOST CAUSE IN WORLD WAR II IN THE GERMAN WAR ACCLAIMED HISTORIAN NICHOLAS STARGARDT DRAWS ON AN EXTRAORDINARY RANGE OF FIRSTHAND TESTIMONY PERSONAL DIARIES COURT RECORDS AND MILITARY CORRESPONDENCE TO EXPLORE HOW THE GERMAN PEOPLE EXPERIENCED THE SECOND WORLD WAR WHEN WAR BROKE OUT IN SEPTEMBER 1939 IT WAS DEEPLY UNPOPULAR IN GERMANY YET WITHOUT THE ACTIVE PARTICIPATION AND COMMITMENT OF THE GERMAN PEOPLE IT COULD NOT HAVE CONTINUED FOR ALMOST SIX YEARS WHAT THEN WAS THE WAR THE GERMANS THOUGHT THEY WERE FIGHTING HOW DID THE CHANGING COURSE OF THE CONFLICT THE VICTORIES OF THE BLITZKRIEG THE FIRST DEFEATS IN THE EAST THE BOMBING OF GERMAN CITIES ALTER THEIR VIEWS AND EXPECTATIONS AND WHEN DID GERMANS FIRST REALIZE THEY WERE FIGHTING A GENOCIDAL WAR TOLD FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF THOSE WHO LIVED THROUGH IT SOLDIERS SCHOOLTEACHERS AND HOUSEWIVES NAZIS CHRISTIANS AND JEWS THIS MASTERFUL HISTORICAL NARRATIVE SHEDS FRESH AND DISTURBING LIGHT ON THE BELIEFS AND FEARS OF A PEOPLE WHO EMBARKED ON AND FOUGHT TO THE END A BRUTAL WAR OF CONQUEST AND GENOCIDE

THE GERMAN WAR 2012-08-22 DRAWING TOGETHER A WIDE VARIETY OF PRIMARY SOURCE DOCUMENTS FROM ACROSS THE UNITED STATES EUROPE AND ASIA THIS BOOK ILLUMINATES THE EVENTS AND EXPERIENCES OF WORLD WAR II THE MOST DEVASTATING WAR IN HUMAN HISTORY WORLD WAR II WAS THE MOST DESTRUCTIVE AND DISRUPTIVE WAR EVER A GLOBAL CONFLICT THAT IN ONE WAY OR ANOTHER AFFECTED THE LIVES OF PEOPLE ACROSS THE PLANET VOICES OF WORLD WAR II CONTEMPORARY ACCOUNTS OF DAILY LIFE COALESCES A WIDE VARIETY OF PRIMARY SOURCE DOCUMENTS DRAWN FROM ACROSS THE UNITED STATES EUROPE AND ASIA SUPPLEMENTED BY INTERPRETIVE MATERIAL THAT ENABLES READERS TO ANALYZE THEM ASSESS THEIR IMPACT AND SIGNIFICANCE AND PLACE THEM IN CONTEXT TO COMPARABLE SITUATIONS TODAY THE DOCUMENTS PROVIDE RARE INSIGHTS INTO WORLD WAR II EXPERT COMMENTARIES AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THESE TEXTS ENABLE A GREATER UNDERSTANDING OF THE BACKGROUND TO THESE DOCUMENTS PROVIDING VALUABLE TRAINING IN LEARNING TO INTERPRET ASSESS AND EVALUATE HISTORICAL SOURCES INTENDED PRIMARILY FOR UPPER LEVEL HIGH SCHOOL AND UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL HISTORY STUDENTS GENERAL READERS WILL ALSO APPRECIATE THE VARIEGATED ARRAY OF PRIMARY MATERIAL FROM WORLD WAR II WHICH DEPICTS NUMEROUS ASPECTS OF THE CONFLICT OFTEN IN EXTREMELY PERSONAL TERMS

VOICES OF WORLD WAR II 2014-05-12 HERE IS AN ESSENTIAL SHORT GUIDE TO THE HISTORY OF EASTERN EUROPE UNDER THE EARLY DECADES OF COMMUNIST RULE THE STUDY EXPLORES THE COMMUNISTS ATTEMPT TO TRANSPOSE A UNIFORM ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SYSTEM ACROSS THE REGION COPIED FROM THE SOVIET MODEL DR FOWKES SHOWS HOW THIS DID NOT ALWAYS SUCCEED AND HE REVEALS THE LOCAL VARIATIONS WHICH BECAME MORE PRONOUNCED AFTER THE DEATH OF STALIN THE BOOK INCLUDES DETAILED ANALYSIS OF THE DRAMATIC EVENTS IN POLAND AND HUNGARY AND IN THE ASSESSMENT SECTION THERE IS A USEFUL SUMMARY OF THE STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES OF THE COMMUNIST MODEL IN ITS HEYDAY IT IS AN ILLUMINATING STUDY FULL OF MAPS AND PHOTOGRAPHS AS WELL AS OVER 30 DOCUMENTS MOST PREVIOUSLY UNAVAILABLE IN ENGLISH WHICH BRINGS THIS COMPLEX SUBJECT ALIVE AND HELPS US TO UNDERSTAND THE SPECIAL CONDITIONS THE PEOPLE OF THE REGION HAVE FACED IN CATCHING UP WITH THE WEST BOTH IN TERMS OF MATERIAL PROSPERITY AND MORE RECENTLY IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL SYSTEMS

EASTERN EUROPE 1945-1969 2014-10-13 THIS BOOK COVERS THE YEARS 1945 63 WHICH WITNESSED TH TOTAL DEFEAT OF THE THIRD REICH THE OCCUPATION A ND EVOLUTION OF THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC AND GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC THE IMPACT OF THE OCCUPATION IS ANALYSED AS ARE THE EVENTS LEADING TO THE DIVISION OF GERMANY POLITICS ECONOMIC HISTORY AND SOCIAL AND CULTURAL CHANGE IN BOTH GERMANY S ARE FULLY EXPLORED THUS IN THE FRG THE NATURE OF ADENAUER S SUCCESS IN CREATING A PARLIAMENTARY DEMOCRACY IS ANALYSED AS IS THE WEST GERMAN ECONOMIC MIRACLE THERE IS ALSO A CHAPTER SPECIFICALLY ON SOCIAL AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENTS I NTHE FRG THE GDR IS TREATED EQUALLY COMPREHENSIVELY WITH PARTICULAR ATTENTION BEING PAID TO THE SOCIALIST UNITY PARTY AND HOW IT WAS ABLE TO DOMINATE THE GDR AND SURVIVE THE RIOTS OF 17 18 JUNE 1953 THE EVENTS LEADING UP TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE BERLIN WALL ARE ALSO CAREFULLY COVERED IN THE CONCLUSION A COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF THE TWO GERMAN STATES IS MADE IN THE LIGHT OF KEY THEMES

GERMANY FROM DEFEAT TO PARTITION, 1945-1963 2011-07-01 focussing on the upsurge of interest in the second world war in contemporary british novels this monograph considers established writers including Muriel Spark Sarah Waters and Kazuo Ishiguro as well as newer voices such as Liz Jensen and Peter Ho Davies

SECOND WORLD WAR IN CONTEMPORARY BRITISH FICTION 2020-10-27 a thrilling history of MI9 the WWII organization that engineered the escape of allied forces from behind enemy lines when allied fighters were trapped behind enemy lines one branch of military intelligence helped them escape MI9 the organization set up clandestine routes that zigzagged across Nazi occupied Europe enabling soldiers and airmen to make their way home secret agents and resistance fighters risked their lives and those of their families to hide the men drawing on declassified files and eye witness testimonies from across Europe and the United States Helen Fry provides a significant reassessment of MI9's wartime role central to its success were figures such as Airey Neave Jimmy Langley Sam Derry and Mary Lindell one of only a few women parachuted into enemy territory for MI9 this astonishing account combines escape and evasion tales with the previously untold stories behind the establishment of MI9 and reveals how the organization saved thousands of lives

MI9 2013-09-12 the war inside is a groundbreaking history of the contribution of British psychoanalysis to the making of social democracy childhood and the family during world war II and the postwar reconstruction psychoanalysts informed understandings not only of individuals but also of broader political questions by asserting a link between a real war outside and an emotional war inside psychoanalysts contributed to an increased state responsibility for citizens' mental health they made understanding children and the mother-child relationship key to the successful creation of a democratic citizenry using rich archival sources the book revises the common view of psychoanalysis as an elite discipline by taking it out of the clinic and into the war nursery the juvenile court the state welfare committee and the children's hospital it traces the work of the second generation of psychoanalysts after Freud in response to total war and explores its broad postwar effects on British society

THE WAR INSIDE 2023-04-14 Earshot perspectives on sound awakens an understanding of the decisive role that sound has played in history and culture although beginning with reference to antiquity the primary focus is the changing status of sound and hearing in western culture over the last six hundred years covering the transition from the medieval period to the contemporary world since mythic times sound has been an essential element in the formation of belief systems personal and community identities and the negotiations between them the varied case studies included in the book cover major reference points in the changing politics of sound particularly in relation to the status of the other major conduit of social transactions vision Earshot is not a work of cultural theory but is anchored in social practices and material culture and is therefore a valuable resource for conveying sound to both undergraduate students as well as the general reader

EARSHOT 2004 a vastly entertaining and unique history of the interaction between spying and showbiz from the Elizabethan age to the cold war and beyond a treasure trove of human ingenuity the times written by two experts in their fields stars and spies is the first history of the extraordinary connections between the intelligence services and show business we travel back to the golden age of theatre and intelligence in the reign of Elizabeth I we meet the writers actors and entertainers drawn into espionage in the restoration the ancien régime and civil war America and we witness the entry of spying into mainstream popular culture throughout the twentieth century and beyond from the adventures of James Bond to the thrillers of John Le Carré and long running TV series such as The Americans thoroughly entertaining spectator perfect read as you settle into James Bond on Christmas afternoon daily telegraph

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS SUBJECT HEADINGS 2006 during the second world war Gibraltar faced the threat of invasion by Italy Germany and Spain the Abwehr the German intelligence service rather than use their own saboteurs paid young Spanish men to undertake over sixty sabotage attacks on military installations and shipping with limited success the Italian Decima Flotilla MAS a specialist team of underwater frogmen launched eight attacks which were relatively successful and Spanish Falangists made several unsuccessful attempts the British secret intelligence service endeavoured to stop or at least limit such attacks using contemporary files from the national archives in Kew autobiographies biographies histories and newspaper articles this documentary history investigates the successes and failures of these attacks on Gibraltar and the roles played by intelligence officers agents double agents in discovering and preventing such acts the book sheds light on an unusual and largely overlooked aspect of Gibraltar's history

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS SUBJECT HEADINGS 2021-10-14 this seminar study examines the Eisenhower presidency the author argues that the presidency marked an important stage in the evolution of modern America but left a decidedly mixed legacy for future presidents domestically Eisenhower pursued a middle way imbued with a profound distrust of politics and politicians Eisenhower sought as much as possible to concentrate public policy making in the hands of an enlightened elite of public and private experts internationally Eisenhower's policies exacerbated the nuclear arms race institutionalised the cold war and extended the east-west struggles to new arenas in the third world this new account offers an up-to-date synthesis of this newly emerging literature and reviews Eisenhower's record from the mishandling of the civil rights movement to the escalation of the arms race and the intensification of the cold war

STARS AND SPIES 2020-01-05 the French revolution catapulted Europe into a new period of political upheaval social change and into the modern era this book provides a concise introduction to the impact of the French revolution on Britain and to the ways in which this impact has been assessed by historians the book is organised thematically it begins with a survey of the ideological debate sparked off by the revolution discussing in particular the work of people such as Burke Paine Spence and Wollstonecraft from here it presents an exploration of the revolution's impact on parliamentary politics the growth of radicalism and loyalism the way in which French ideas influenced Irish aspirations to generate rebellion the third main section of the book focuses on the causes and course of Britain's war with revolutionary France and on the effects of the war on the home front most notably the recurrent serious food shortages

BLOWING UP THE ROCK: GERMAN, ITALIAN AND SPANISH SABOTAGE ATTACKS ON GIBRALTAR DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR 2016-09-17 from the author of Nothing is True and Everything is Possible elegant effortlessly readable essential reading for the new dark age of disinformation Jonathan Freedland original Pomerantsev digs deep into the past history of information warfare in order to help us understand how to fight charlatans and fear mongers in the present Anne Applebaum excellent carefully researched and beautifully written to be read by everyone seeking perspective on all the lies of war and all the wars of lies Timothy Snyder from one of our leading experts on disinformation the incredible true story of the complex and largely forgotten WWII propagandist Sefton Delmer and what we can learn from him today in the summer of 1941 Hitler and his allies ruled Europe from the Atlantic to the Black Sea Britain was struggling to combat the powerful Nazi propaganda machine which crowed victory and smeared its enemies however inside Germany there was one notable voice of dissent from the very heart of the military machine Der Chef a German whose radio broadcasts skilfully questioned Nazi doctrine he had access to high ranking military secrets and spoke of internal rebellion his listeners included German soldiers and citizens but what these audiences didn't know was that Der Chef was a fiction a character created by the British propagandist Sefton Delmer just one player in his vast counter-propaganda cabaret a unique weapon in the war as author Peter Pomerantsev uncovers Delmer's story he is called into a wartime propaganda effort of his own the global response to Putin's invasion of Ukraine this book is the story of Delmer and his

MODERN DAY INVESTIGATOR AS THEY EACH EMBARK ON THEIR OWN QUEST TO SEDUCE AND INSPIRE THE PASSIONS OF SUPPORTERS AND ENEMIES AND TO TURN THE TIDE OF INFORMATION WARS

The Eisenhower Presidency, 1953-1961 2014-10-13 AN EXPLORATION OF LABOUR S 1931 PLEDGE TO CREATE A PLANNED SOCIALIST ECONOMY AND THE REASONS FOR ITS FAILURE TO DO SO IN THE GENERAL ELECTION OF 1931 THE LABOUR PARTY CAMPAIGNED ON THE SLOGAN PLAN OR PERISH THE PARTY S PLEDGE TO CREATE A PLANNED SOCIALIST ECONOMY WAS A NOVELTY AND MARKED THE REJECTION OF THE GRADUALIST EVOLUTIONARY SOCIALISM TO WHICH LABOUR HAD ADHERED UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF RAMSAY MACDONALD ALTHOUGH HEAVILY DEFEATED IN THAT ELECTION LABOUR STUCK TO ITS COMMITMENT THE ATTLEE GOVERNMENT CAME TO POWER IN 1945 DETERMINED TO PLAN COMPREHENSIVELY YET THE ASPIRATION TO CREATE A FULLY PLANNED ECONOMY WAS NOT MET THIS BOOK EXPLORES THE ORIGINS AND EVOLUTION OF THE PROMISE IN ORDER TO EXPLAIN WHY IT WAS NOT FULFILLED RICHARD TOYE LECTURES IN HISTORY AT HOMERTON COLLEGE CAMBRIDGE

Britain and the French Revolution 2024-03-05 THIS ACCESSIBLE TEXT OFFERS A CONCISE BUT COMPREHENSIVE INTRODUCTION TO EUROPEAN SOCIALISM WHICH AROSE IN THE MAELSTROM OF THE INDUSTRIAL AND DEMOCRATIC REVOLUTIONS LAUNCHED IN THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY STRIVING FOR SWEEPING SOCIAL ECONOMIC CULTURAL AND POLITICAL CHANGE SOCIALISTS WERE A DIVERSE LOT HOWEVER THEY WERE UNITED BY PRINCIPLES ASSERTING THE SOCIAL AND POLITICAL EQUALITY OF ALL PEOPLE IDEAS THAT WON THE ADHERENCE OF MILLIONS AND STRUCK FEAR IN THE HEARTS OF THEIR NUMEROUS OPPONENTS WILLIAM SMALDONE SHOWS HOW OVER THE COURSE OF 200 YEARS SOCIALISTS SUCCESSFULLY PROMOTED THE DEMOCRATIZATION OF EUROPEAN SOCIETY AND A MORE EQUITABLE DIVISION OF WEALTH AT THE SAME TIME HE ILLUSTRATES HOW CONFLICTS OVER THE MEANS OF ACHIEVING THEIR AIMS DIVIDED THEM INTO RIVAL SOCIALIST AND COMMUNIST CURRENTS A RIFT THAT UNDERCUT THE STRUGGLE AGAINST FASCISM AND HELPED LAY THE GROUNDWORK FOR EUROPE S DIVISION DURING THE COLD WAR ALTHOUGH MANY PREDICTED THE DEMISE OF SOCIALISM AS A POTENT FORCE AFTER THE END OF THE COLD WAR THE SOVIET UNION S DISSOLUTION AND THE RISE OF NEO LIBERAL IDEOLOGY RECENT DEVELOPMENTS SHOW THAT SUCH A JUDGMENT WAS PREMATURE THE AUTHOR ARGUES THAT THE GROWTH OF NEW SOCIALIST PARTIES ACROSS EUROPE INDICATES THAT SOCIALIST IDEAS REMAIN VIBRANT IN THE FACE OF CAPITALISM S FAILURE TO SOLVE CHRONIC SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC PROBLEMS ESPECIALLY FOLLOWING THE DEEP GLOBAL CRISIS THAT BEGAN IN 2008 COMBINING AN ANALYTICAL NARRATIVE WITH A SELECTION OF PRIMARY TEXTS AND VISUAL IMAGES THIS BOOK PROVIDES UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS WITH A BRIEF READABLE HISTORY INCLUDING AN OVERVIEW OF HOW SOCIALIST POLITICAL MOVEMENTS HAVE EVOLVED OVER TIME AND STRESSING THE RICH DIVERSITY THAT HAS CHARACTERIZED SOCIALISM S FOUNDATIONS FROM ITS BEGINNING THIS NEW EDITION BRINGS THIS TEXT UP TO DATE AND EXAMINES THE EUROPEAN SOCIALIST MOVEMENT IN THE FACE OF 21ST CENTURY CHALLENGES IT INCLUDES A NEW PREFACE INCLUDING THE 2017 AMERICAN ELECTION UPDATED BIBLIOGRAPHIES TWO NEW CHAPTERS AND AN AFTERWORD

How to Win an Information War 2003 READERS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE TWENTY FIRST CENTURY ARE PROBABLY MORE RACIALLY SELF AWARE THAN ANY OTHER GENERATION HAS BEEN LIKE THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN GENDER AND HISTORY THAT BETWEEN RACE AND HISTORY IS PERCEIVED TO BE OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE BY YOUNG PEOPLE AND THE OLDER GENERATION BECAUSE IT HAS LEFT SUCH A CONTROVERSIAL LEGACY IN THE SHAPE OF HOPES FOR MULTICULTURALISM DIVERSITY AND TOLERANCE THIS NEW SEMINAR STUDY PROVIDES AN INTRODUCTION TO THE INTRICATE AND FAR REACHING RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ATTITUDES TOWARD RACIAL DIFFERENCE AND IMPERIAL EXPANSION IMPERIALISM IS A TOPIC THAT CAN BE APPROACHED FROM MANY DIFFERENT ANGLES BY CONCENTRATING ON THE TOPICAL ISSUE OF RACE THIS BOOK TAKES A VERY DIFFERENT APPROACH FROM THE MORE FAMILIAR POLITICAL OR ECONOMIC STUDIES OF IMPERIAL EXPANSION

The Labour Party and the Planned Economy, 1931-1951 2019-10-16 RELATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND BRITAIN HAVE ALWAYS BEEN UNEASY AND AMBIVELANT BUT IN CINEMA WWII CHANGED ALL THAT FOR A TIME ALTHOUGH THE TWO COUNTRIES WARTIME FORTUNES DIFFERED POST WAR BOTH WERE BUSY REINTEGRATING RETURNING SERVICEMEN AND PRISONERS OF WAR AND ACCOMODATING THE CHANGED ASPIRATIONS OF WOMEN MARGARET BUTLER EXAMINES THESE SUBJECTS AND MORE IN HER COMPARATIVE STUDY OF THE CINEMAS OF BRITAIN AND FRANCE DURING AND AFTER THE WAR USING THE CONCEPT OF CONTINUITY SHE SHOWS HOW CINEMA DEALT DIRECTLY WITH IDEAS OF BELONGING AND ALIENATION INCLUSION AND EXCLUSION UNITY AND DIVISION SHE ALSO DRAWS ON CONTEMPORARY DEBATES AND OFFERS A PERCEPTIVE READING OF KEY FILMS TO REVEAL THE MEANING AND APPEAL OF FRENCH CLASSICS LIKE LES ENFANTS DU PARADIS AND NOTABLE BRITISH PRODUCTIONS LIKE WATERLOO ROAD

European Socialism 2015-10-23 HOW DOES CODING CHANGE THE WAY WE THINK ABOUT ARCHITECTURE THIS QUESTION OPENS UP AN IMPORTANT RESEARCH PERSPECTIVE IN THIS BOOK MIRO ROMAN AND HIS AI ALICE CH3N81 DEVELOP A PLAYFUL SCENARIO IN WHICH THEY PROPOSE CODING AS THE NEW LITERACY OF INFORMATION THEY CONVEY KNOWLEDGE IN THE FORM OF A PROJECT MODEL THAT LINKS THE FIELDS OF ARCHITECTURE AND INFORMATION THROUGH TWO INTERWOVEN NARRATIVE STRANDS IN AN INFINITE FLOW OF REAL BOOKS FOCUSING ON THE INTERSECTION OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND ARCHITECTURAL FORMULATION THE AUTHORS CREATE AN EVOLVING INTELLECTUAL REFLECTION ON DIGITAL ARCHITECTURE AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

RACE AND EMPIRE 2004-08-27 THE YEARS 1934 TO 1944 REMAIN THE MOST CONTENTIOUS AND DRAMATIC DECADE IN MODERN FRENCH HISTORY COVERING THE OCCUPATION THE VICHY REGIME THE RESISTANCE AND COLLABORATION NICK ATKIN PROVIDES AN IMPORTANT INTRODUCTION TO THIS KEY PERIOD ACCESSIBLE AND CONCISE THE BOOK OFFERS A WIDE RANGING SYNTHESIS OF KEY THEMES AND EVENTS LOOKING AHEAD TO THE PRESENT DAY THE BOOK ALSO EXAMINES HOW THE FRENCH ESTABLISHMENT AND PUBLIC HAVE COPEd WITH THE LEGACY OF VICHY AND EXPLAINS WHY THE OCCUPATION IS STILL EVER PRESENT IN FRENCH POLITICS AND EVERYDAY LIFE

Film and Community in Britain and France 2021-12-06 INTRODUCTION THE MEANINGS OF CENSORSHIP THE ORIGINS AND EVOLUTION OF MEDIA FREEDOM IN SWITZERLAND MEDIA AND DEMOCRACY TODAY INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS AND THE FREEDOM OF THE MEDIA IN SWITZERLAND NATIONAL STANDARDS THE SECRETIVENESS OF THE MILITARY MEDIA ORGANISATIONS AND JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATIONS EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN JOURNALISM PRINT MEDIA RADIO AND TELEVISION THE INTERNET PROGRESSING BY FITS AND STARTS THE POWER OF ADVERTISING PLAYING WITH THE TRUTH SELF CENSORSHIP AND BLIND OBEDIENCE THE FAILURE OF MEDIA JOURNALISM CONCLUSION

Play Among Books 2014-07-22 FROM A BESTSELLING HISTORIAN A DARINGLY REVISIONIST HISTORY OF WORLD WAR I THE PITY OF WAR MAKES A SIMPLE AND PROVOCATIVE ARGUMENT THE HUMAN ATROCITY KNOWN AS THE GREAT WAR WAS ENTIRELY ENGLAND S FAULT ACCORDING TO NIALL FERGUSON ENGLAND ENTERED INTO WAR BASED ON NAIVE ASSUMPTIONS OF GERMAN AIMS THEREBY TRANSFORMING A CONTINENTAL CONFLICT INTO A WORLD WAR WHICH IT THEN BADLY MISHANDLED NECESSITATING AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT THE WAR WAS NOT INEVITABLE FERGUSON ARGUES BUT RATHER WAS THE RESULT OF THE MISTAKEN DECISIONS OF INDIVIDUALS WHO WOULD LATER CLAIM TO HAVE BEEN IN THE GRIP OF HUGE IMPERSONAL FORCES THAT THE WAR WAS WICKED HORRIFIC AND INHUMAN IS MEMORIALIZED IN PART BY THE POETRY OF MEN LIKE WILFRED OWEN AND SIEGFRIED SASSOON BUT ALSO BY COLD STATISTICS INDEED MORE BRITISH SOLDIERS WERE KILLED IN THE FIRST DAY OF THE BATTLE OF THE SOMME THAN AMERICANS IN THE VIETNAM WAR AND YET AS FERGUSON WRITES WHILE THE WAR ITSELF WAS A DISASTROUS FOLLY THE GREAT MAJORITY OF MEN WHO FOUGHT IT DID SO WITH LITTLE RELUCTANCE AND WITH SOME ENTHUSIASM FOR ANYONE WANTING TO UNDERSTAND WHY WARS ARE FOUGHT WHY MEN ARE WILLING TO FIGHT THEM AND WHY THE WORLD IS AS IT IS TODAY THERE IS NO SHARPER OR MORE STIMULATING GUIDE THAN NIALL FERGUSON S THE PITY OF WAR

The French at War, 1934-1944 2010 THE REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS IN LATE TSARIST RUSSIA INSPIRED A REACTION BY GROUPS ON THE RIGHT ALTHOUGH THESE GROUPS WERE OSTENSIBLY DEFENDING THE STATUS QUO THEY WERE IN FACT AS THIS BOOK ARGUES VERY RADICAL IN MANY WAYS THIS BOOK DISCUSSES THESE RADICAL RIGHTIST GROUPS SHOWING HOW THEY DEVELOPED CONSIDERABLE POPULAR APPEAL ACROSS THE WHOLE RUSSIAN EMPIRE SECURING SUPPORT FROM A WIDE CROSS SECTION OF SOCIETY THE BOOK CONSIDERS THE NATURE AND ORGANISATION OF THE GROUPS THEIR IDEOLOGIES AND POLICES ON PARTICULAR ISSUES AND HOW THEY CHANGED OVER TIME THE BOOK CONCLUDES BY EXAMINING HOW AND WHY THE GROUPS LOST MOMENTUM AND SUPPORT IN THE YEARS IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THE FIRST WORLD WAR AND BRIEFLY EXPLORES HOW FAR PRESENT DAY RIGHTIST GROUPS IN RUSSIA ARE CONNECTED TO THIS EARLIER MOVEMENT

The Invisible Scissors 2008-08-05 THE SOVIET UNION UNDER BREZHNEV PROVIDES AN ACCESSIBLE POST SOVIET PERSPECTIVE ON THE HISTORY OF THE USSR FROM THE MID 1960 S TO THE MID 1980 S IT CHALLENGES BOTH THE EVIL EMPIRE IMAGE OF

THE USSR THAT WAS WIDESPREAD IN THE EARLY 1980 S AND THE STAGNATION LABEL ATTACHED TO THE PERIOD BY SOVIET REFORMERS UNDER GORBACHEV THE BOOK MAKES USE OF A RANGE OF MEMOIRS INTERVIEW/S ARCHIVAL DOCUMENTS AND OTHER SOURCES NOT AVAILABLE BEFORE 1990 TO PLACE BREZHNEV AND HIS EPOCH IN A BROADER HISTORICAL CONTEXT THE AUTHOR EXAMINES HIGH POLITICS FOREIGN POLICY AND POLICY MAKING EXPLORES BROADER SOCIAL CULTURAL AND DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS PRESENTS A PICTURE OF SOVIET SOCIETY IN THE CRUCIAL DECADES PRIOR TO THE UPHEAVALS AND CRISES OF THE LATE 1980 S WHILE STOPPING WELL SHORT OF A FULL SCALE REHABILITATION OF BREZHNEV TOMPSON REJECTS THE PREVAILING IMAGE OF THE SOVIET LEADER AS A COLOURLESS NON ENTITY DRAWING ATTENTION TO BREZHNEV S REAL POLITICAL SKILLS AS WELL AS HIS FAULTS AND TO THE SYSTEMIC ROOTS OF MANY OF THE PROBLEMS HE FACED

THE PITY OF WAR 2015-11-19 BY 1925 THE PROCESS OF JAPAN S TRANSITION TO A MODERN INDUSTRIALISED WESTERNISED STATE WAS PRETTY MUCH COMPLETE NOT ONLY HAD THE IMPERIAL TRADITION BEEN RESTORED WITH THE MEIJI RESTORATION IN 1868 BUT SOME FORMS OF DEMOCRATIC PARLIAMENTARY INSTITUTIONS HAD BEEN SET UP HOWEVER DURING THE YEARS THAT FOLLOWED THE SO CALLED IMPERIAL DEMOCRACY CAME UNDER PRESSURE AS THE JAPANESE SOUGHT TO IMPOSE TIGHT CONTROL OVER NOT ONLY THEIR OWN PEOPLE BUT THEIR NEIGHBOURS AS WELL THIS IMPRESSIVE SURVEY LOOKS AT DEVELOPMENTS AT HOME JAPAN S AGGRESSIVE FOREIGN POLICY PARTICULARLY IN CHINA DURING THE 1930S AND 1940S AND HER ROLE IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR FINALLY THE POST WAR RECONSTRUCTION ORCHESTRATED BY THE AMERICANS IS EXAMINED THE CUT OFF POINT IS 1952 THE DATE WHEN ALLIED OCCUPATION FORMALLY CAME TO AN END AND JAPAN ONCE AGAIN BECAME INDEPENDENT

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THE SOVIET UNION UNDER BREZHNEV 2013-11-14 MICHAEL BURGER S GOAL IN THIS INEXPENSIVE OVERVIEW IS TO PROVIDE A BRIEF HISTORICAL NARRATIVE OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION NOT ONLY DOES ITS LENGTH AND PRICE SEPARATE THIS TEXT FROM THE COMPETITION BUT ITS NO FRILLS UNCLUTTERED FORMAT AND WELL WRITTEN ONE AUTHORED APPROACH MAKE IT A VALUABLE ASSET FOR EVERY HISTORY STUDENT THE SHAPING OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION BEGINS WITH THE ANCIENT NEAR EAST AND ENDS WITH GLOBALIZATION UNLIKE OTHER TEXTBOOKS THAT PILE ON DATES AND FACTS SHAPING IS A MORE COHERENT AND INTERPRETIVE PRESENTATION BURGER S SKILLS AS WRITER AND SYNTHESIZER WILL ENABLE STUDENTS TO OBTAIN THE BACKGROUND REQUIRED TO ASK MEANINGFUL QUESTIONS OF PRIMARY SOURCES IN ADDITION TO SUGGESTIONS FOR FURTHER READING THIS OVERVIEW INCLUDES OVER 50 IMAGES AND 22 MAPS

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