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Armies of the
East India

Company
1750 – 1850
UCL Press
The English
East India
Company was
one of the
most powerful
and enduring

organizations in
history.
Between
Monopoly and
Free Trade
locates the
source of that
success in the
innovative

policy by which the Company's Court of Directors granted employees the right to pursue their own commercial interests while in the firm ' s employ. Exploring trade network dynamics, decision-making processes, and ports and organizational context, Emily Erikson demonstrates why the English East India Company was a dominant force in the	expansion of trade between Europe and Asia, and she sheds light on the related problems of why England experienced rapid economic development and how the relationship between Europe and Asia shifted in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. Though the Company held a monopoly on English overseas trade to Asia, the Court of Directors extended the	right to trade in Asia to their employees, creating an unusual situation in which employees worked both for themselves and for the Company as overseas merchants. Building on the organizational infrastructure of the Company and the sophisticated commercial institutions of the markets of the East, employees constructed a cohesive internal
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network of peer modern era.		1980s, they made
communication	<u>The History of</u>	large
s that directed	<u>British India</u>	investments in
English trading	Oxford	California and
ships during	University Press	elsewhere in the
their voyages.	This is a study of	United States.
This network	the emergence,	They played
integrated	growth and	major roles in the
Company	performance of	finance of
operations,	British	international
encouraged	multinational	trade, in
innovation, and	banks from their	international
increased the	origins in the	diplomacy, in the
Company ' s	1830s until the	birth of the
flexibility,	present day.	Eurodollar
adaptability,	British owned	market, and in
and	banks played	the world debt
responsiveness	leading roles in	crisis.This is the
to local	the financial	first modern
circumstance.	systems of much	general history of
Between	of Asia and the	these banks. It is
Monopoly and	Southern	based on a wide
Free Trade	hemisphere	range of
highlights the	during the	confidential
dynamic	nineteenth	banking archives
potential of	century and	in Britain,
social networks	after.In the	Australia and
in the early	1970s and	Hong Kong, most

of which were previously unavailable. Geoffrey Jones places this new empirical evidence in the context of modern theories of multinational enterprise and of competitive advantage. This is a lucidly written and fascinating study, of importance not only to historians but also to anyone concerned with contemporary multinational banking. The Honourable Schoolboy HarperCollins

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'A magnum opus, an accessible and genuinely global history ... This is a book for today and tomorrow' Financial Times
Capitalist enterprise has existed in some form since ancient times, but the globalization and dominance of capitalism as a system began in the 1860s when, in different forms and supported by different

political forces, states all over the world developed their modern political frameworks: the unifications of Italy and Germany, the establishment of a republic in France, the elimination of slavery in the American south, the Meiji Restoration in Japan, the emancipation of the serfs in Tsarist Russia. This book magnificently

explores how, after the upheavals of industrialisation, a truly global capitalism followed. For the first time in the history of humanity, there was a social system able to provide a high level of consumption for the majority of those who lived within its bounds. Today, capitalism dominates the world. With wide-ranging scholarship, Donald	Sassoon analyses the impact of capitalism on the histories of many different states, and how it creates winners and losers by constantly innovating. This chronic instability, he writes, 'is the foundation of its advance, not a fault in the system or an incidental by-product'. And it is this instability, this constant churn, which produces the	anxious triumph of his title. To control or alleviate such anxieties it was necessary to create a national community, if necessary with colonial adventures, to develop a welfare state, to intervene in the market economy, and to protect it from foreign competition. Capitalists needed a state to discipline them, to nurture them, and to
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sacrifice a few to save the rest: a state overseeing the war of all against all. Vigorous, argumentative, surprising and constantly stimulating, *The Anxious Triumph* gives a fresh perspective on all these questions and on its era. It is a masterpiece by one of Britain's most engaging and wide-ranging historians. *The Long March*

Oxford University Press, USA
Contrary to popular belief, the capture of India was not accomplished by the British Army, but by the private armies of the East India Company, which grew in size to become larger than that of any European sovereign state. This is the history of its army, examining the many conflicts they fought, their equipment and training, with its regiments of horse, foot and guns, which rivalled those of most European powers. The development of their uniforms, which combined traditional Indian

and British dress, is illustrated in detail in this colourful account of the private band of adventurers that successfully captured the jewel of the British Empire. The Honourable Company University of Michigan Press
The Honourable Company HarperCollins UK
Being a History of the Honourable Company of Merchants-adventurers, Trading Into Hudson's Bay Penguin
THE SUNDAY TIMES
BESTSELLING AUTHOR Allan Mallinson brings us another adrenalin-fuelled, absorbing adventure featuring Matthew Hervey. If

you like Patrick O'Brian, Bernard Cornwell and CS Forester, you will love this! "Captain Matthew Hervey is as splendid a hero as ever sprang from an author's pen" -- THE TIMES "A damn fine, rip-roaring read" -- LITERARY REVIEW "The heir to Patrick O'Brian and C. S. Forester" -- OBSERVER "Outstanding storytelling!" -- ***** Reader review "Fab read" -- ***** Reader review *****

* 1827: Matthew Hervey is on the lookout for a new posting. He soon finds one in the Cape Colonies, where there is need of a man to re-organise the local forces, and in particular to form a new company of horse. Accompanied by a captain from the disbanded Royal African Corps, Hervey heads out into the great South African plains and towards the territory of the Zulu and their legendary leader, King Shaka. But it is not till he nears the Umtata River that his fiercest battle really begins. For the Zulus fight like no army he has encountered before. As Hervey and his troops are plunged into battle, death is only a heartbeat away... Company of Spears is the eighth book in Allan Mallinson's Matthew Hervey series. His adventures continue in Man of War. Have you read his previous adventures A Close Run Thing, The Nizam's Daughters, A Regimental Affair, A Call to Arms, The Sabre's Edge, Rumours of War and An Act of Courage? Being Curious Reminiscences Illustrating Manners and Customs of the British in India During the Rule of East India Company from 1600 to 1858 Penguin Based extensively on Archibalds McDonald's letters, reports, and diaries. From 1805 to 1835 Pluto Press The East India company - there has never been an enterprise like it. It ruled over nearly one-fifth of the world's population;

possessed its own army and navy, its own civil service, even its own church; became the most powerful military force in Asia, and had a revenue greater than that of Britain. It was in Brian Gardener's words, "a government owned by businessmen, the shares in which were daily bought and sold." -- Book Jacket (inside flap).

A History of the English East India Company
Princeton University Press
Concerns the history of the British fort at Bencoolen which is located near Bengkulu,

Bengkulu, Indonesia.

Last Post Penguin UK

A classic introduction to one of the world's most fascinating countries

British Multinational Banking, 1830-1990
HarperCollins Publishers

In the second part of John le Carré's Karla Trilogy, the battle of wits between spymaster George Smiley and his Russian adversary takes on an even more dangerous dimension. As the fall of Saigon looms, master spy George Smiley must outmaneuver his Soviet counterpart on a battlefield that

neither can afford to lose. The mole has been eliminated, but the damage wrought has brought the British Secret Service to its knees. Given the charge of the gravely compromised Circus, George Smiley embarks on a campaign to uncover what Moscow Centre most wants to hide. When the trail goes cold at a Hong Kong gold seam, Smiley dispatches Gerald Westerby to shake the money tree. A part-time operative with cover as a philandering journalist, Westerby insinuates himself into a war-torn world where allegiances—and

lives—are bought and sold. Brilliantly plotted and morally complex, The Honourable Schoolboy is the second installment of John le Carré's renowned Karla trilogy and a riveting portrayal of postcolonial espionage. With an introduction by the author.

Britain's Opium Wars with China 1839-1860 Routledge Biography and business history of wealthy British merchant in India reveals much about the nineteenth-century Empire.

The Dramatic Tale of how India was Mapped and Everest was Named HarperCollins UK The East India

Company (EIC), also known as the Honourable East India Company (HEIC) or the British East India Company and informally as John Company, was an English and later British joint-stock company, which was formed to pursue trade with the East Indies but ended up trading mainly with the Indian subcontinent and Qing China. Originally chartered as the "Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies", the company rose to account for half of the world's trade, particularly in basic

including cotton, silk, indigo dye, salt, saltpetre, tea and opium. The company also ruled the beginnings of the British Empire in India.

A Respectable Critic of the Honourable Company John Murray Commerce meets conquest in this swashbuckling story of the six merchant-adventurers who built the modern world It was an era when monopoly trading companies were the unofficial agents of European expansion, controlling vast numbers of people and huge tracts of land, and taking on governmental and military functions. They managed their territories as business

interests, treating their subjects as employees, customers, or competitors. The leaders of these trading enterprises exercised virtually unaccountable, dictatorial political power over millions of people. The merchant kings of the Age of Heroic Commerce were a rogue's gallery of larger-than-life men who, for a couple hundred years, expanded their far-flung commercial enterprises over a sizable portion of the world. They include Jan Pieterszoon Coen, the violent and autocratic pioneer of the Dutch East India Company; Peter Stuyvesant, the one-legged governor of the Dutch West India Company, whose narrow-minded approach lost Manhattan to the British; Robert Clive, who rose from company clerk to become head of the British East India Company and one of the wealthiest men in Britain; Alexandr Baranov of the Russian American Company; Cecil Rhodes, founder of De Beers and Rhodesia; and George Simpson, the "Little Emperor" of the Hudson's Bay Company, who was chauffeured about his vast fur domain in a giant canoe, exhorting his voyageurs to paddle harder so he could set speed records. Merchant Kings looks at the rise and fall of company rule in the centuries before colonialism, when nations belatedly assumed responsibility for their commercial enterprises. A blend of biography, corporate history, and colonial history, this book offers a panoramic, new perspective on the enormous cultural, political, and social legacies, good and bad, of this first period of unfettered globalization.

McGill-Queen's Press - MQUP
"For those few of us still informed by historical materialism, Burley's Servants of the Honourable Company, a social history of the skilled and unskilled contract employees of the Hudson's Bay Company (HBC), is a welcomed respite from

contemporary discourse. In terms of labor history, this study makes a specific contribution to the social history of working people who were not part of the industrial proletariat. This study reminds us that the HBC was a business and that the relationships between employees and officers were important. Even for those that are primarily interested in Native aspects of the fur trade, Servants of the Honourable Company provides useful insights on how the system	worked. Also Burley's knowledge of European labor history is put to good use here. Information on political thinking in Europe is intertwined with problems recruiting servants."--Review at www.mhs.mb.ca/docs/mb_history/37/hbcservants.shtml . <u>The East India Company and Religion, 1698-1858</u> Fonthill Media This Is A Beautifully Illustrated Book Which Describes How The Company Created And Built Up Its Extraordinary Trading Empire, How It Conducted Its Day-To-Day Business At Home	And In The East And The Sequence Of Events That Led To Its Eventual Absorption By The British Crown. Inscribed On The Title Page, Beautiful Colour Illustrations, Text Absolutely Clean, Condition Good. A True Story of Piracy, Power, and History's First Global Manhunt BoD – Books on Demand THE TOP 5 SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLER ONE OF BARACK OBAMA'S BEST BOOKS OF 2019 THE TIMES HISTORY BOOK OF THE YEAR FINALIST FOR THE CUNDILL HISTORY PRIZE
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TIMES,
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THE YEAR
'Dalrymple is a
superb historian
with a visceral
understanding of
India ... A book of
beauty' – Gerard
DeGroot, The
Times In August
1765 the East India
Company defeated
the young Mughal
emperor and forced
him to establish a
new administration

in his richest
provinces. Run by
English merchants
who collected taxes
using a ruthless
private army, this
new regime saw the
East India Company
transform itself from
an international
trading corporation
into something
much more unusual:
an aggressive
colonial power in
the guise of a
multinational
business. William
Dalrymple tells the
remarkable story of
the East India
Company as it has
never been told
before, unfolding a
timely cautionary
tale of the first
global corporate
power.
The English East
India Company,

1600 – 1757 Copp,
Clark
The exploration
and appropriation
of the wilderness
in the heart of the
Western
Himalayas has
become known as
the "Gilgit Game"
in recognition of
its importance as a
crucial episode in
the "Great
Game"--the
century-long
rivalry between
Russia and British
India for control
of Central Asia.
Indeed, authors
from Kipling to
Masters have
treated this
struggle as the
epitome of this
competition
between nations.

But as John Keay shows in this fascinating and readable account of an exciting period in colonial India, the real characters in this drama were more than a match for their fictional counterparts. With humor, sympathy, and admiration of this small group of intelligence agents, Keay describes the activities that had such far-reaching repercussions in the region. Through extensive research and his own intimate knowledge of the terrain, Keay sheds new light on the once top secret

geographical discoveries made by these men, discoveries they were prevented from publishing during their lifetimes. A fresh look at a little-known aspect of political intrigue, this is the first narrative account of Himalayan exploration set against the backdrop of espionage and military brinkmanship. The East India Company Hackett Publishing A history of the English East India company. A History From Beginning to End

Marboro Books The English East India Company was the mother of the modern multinational. Its trading empire encircled the globe, importing Asian luxuries such as spices, textiles, and teas. But it also conquered much of India with its private army and broke open China's markets with opium. The Company's practices shocked its contemporaries and still reverberate today. The Corporation That Changed the World is the first book to reveal the

Company's world history and enduring legacy as the steps required a corporation. This to make global expanded edition business explores how the accountable today. four forces of scale, technology, finance, and regulation drove its spectacular rise and fall. For decades, the Company was simply too big to fail, and stock market bubbles, famines, drug-running, and even duels between rival executives are to be found in this new account. For Robins, the Company's story provides vital lessons on both the role of corporations in