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Siam-Myanmar Relations Through The Perspective of Ayedawbon Treatises / Soe Thuzar Myint, Ph.D

Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand 2018

xii, 288p.

9786164073876

\$ 35.00 / null

560 gm.

Researchers into Myanmar history have found the Ayedawbon treatises to be a highly significant literary genre which provide a record of historical events next in importance to the Myanmar chronicles. The Myanmar term 'Ayedawbon' is synonymous with the Thai term, Chotmai het or Kotmai het and it deals with accounts or reports of particular events. Owing to circumstances, never before has anyone attempted to translate these famous works into the English language. Soe Thuzar Myint has translated the sections involving Siam-Myanmar relation from these Ayedawbons into English, thus making it available to scholars of both countries and of the rest of the world. She also provides a full account of 7 Ayedawbon treatises and highlights on comparative studies in the literature and history of Myanmar and Thailand. This book is a major contribution to the history of Southeast Asia from 16th to 19th century.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=461804>

News From the 90s : Bangkok 1890 – 1899 / Steve Van Beek

Nomart Co., Ltd, Bangkok, Thailand 2018

168p.

9786169317104

\$ 80.00 / HB

1180 gm.

The 1890s were a pivotal decade for Thailand and the world. With his new book, News from the 90s, Steve Van Beek takes us back 120 years to an era that played out each afternoon in the pages of the Bangkok Times newspaper. Revealed is a vivid city with a dynamic populace who displayed a profound engagement with events, a fascination with novelty, and a hope for the new century.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=461806>

Camoës in Asia (1553-1570) / Eduardo Ribeiro

Centro Científico e Cultural de Macau, I.P., Macau 2016

112p.

Includes Index

9789728586461

\$ 22.00 / null

200 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457309>

Commemorating Francisco Hermenegildo Fernandes : Dr. Sun Yat-sen's Close Revolutionary Comrade from Macau / Kai Cheong Fok (Translator) Huang Xiean International Institute of Macau, Macau 2013

v, 56p.

9789993745693

\$ 18.00 / null

200 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457311>

The Merit Medal for Combatants in German South West Africa 1892-1918 : Part 8: Medals & Badges / Gordon McGregor

Kuiseb Publishers, Namibia 2017

72p.

9789994576395

\$ 30.00 / null

200 gm.

This book places on record the awarding of medals by the German Military Authorities to members of the Native population in the former colony of German South West Africa. These members of the Native population were in the military service in the Colonial Troops and fought integrally with the Colonial Troops during the various campaigns within the colony. The book is not a work on the history of or the politics of their service in the former colony but deals rather specifically with the medal awarded to these members of the Native population as from 1892 to 1918 when the country ceased to be a German colony. This book is a must on the bookshelf of every historian of German South West Africa, the Colonial Troops for German South West Africa or collector of the medals of German South West Africa.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=462289>

How the Port of Walvis Bay became Namibian : This is my story / Nils Bruzelius

Kuiseb Publishers, Namibia 2017

144p.

9789994576487

\$ 40.00 / null

200 gm.

Walvis Bay was for a long period a very isolated place located in the Namib Desert and on the Atlantic coast. Its main asset was a sand spit that allowed for safe anchorage, virtually the only such place along the 1350 km of coastline of Namibia.

By the twists and turns of history, an area of 1124 squ.km of territory became known as the Walvis Bay enclave, and remained under South African control in 1990 when Namibia obtained its independence. The control of the enclave gave South Africa considerable advantage in a situation still characterised by conflict in Southern Africa. However, as South Africa quickly moved towards majority rule, tensions eased and in 1994 the enclave was integrated into Namibia.

The transfer was by no means easily accomplished. This book is the only written document on what actually happened when Walvis Bay became Namibian. The emphasis of the narrative is on the port in the enclave, its main asset.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=462290>

Israel Goldblatt : Building Bridges - Namibian Nationalists Clemens Kapuuu, Hosea Kutako, Brendan Simbwaye, Samuel Witbooi /

Basler Afrika Bibliographien, Switzerland 2010

xx, 144p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

ISSN: 1660-9638 ; 9783905758160

\$ 40.00 / null

500 gm.

Windhoek in the early 1960s: the 34-year-old politician Clemens Kapuuo knocks at the door of the senior advocate Israel Goldblatt to solicit advice regarding the myriad of difficulties encountered by Africans daily under the apartheid regime. An unusual relationship and friendship develops, one that transcends the racial divide in this South African-governed Territory and will last for nearly 10 years. Meeting in Goldblatt's chambers, at his home and in the Old Location, other participants in the consultations included the veteran politician Chief Hosea Kutako and a group of younger nationalists, among them Rev. Bartholomews Karuaera and Levy Nganjone. Through Kapuuo, Goldblatt also met Kaptein Samuel Witbooi and counselled the long-term prisoner from Caprivi, Brendan Simbwaye. Israel Goldblatt's notes on these meetings were discovered after his death and form the core of this book. They are complemented by additional biographical information about his interlocutors, and annotations that place his notes in their historical and political context. Illustrated with many photographs, this publication pays tribute to Israel Goldblatt and the Namibian nationalists who attempted to build bridges where apartheid entrenched racism and suspicion.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=462291>

South West Africa in Early Times : Being the story of South West Africa up to the date of Maharero's death in 1890 / Heinrich Vedder (Edited & Translated) Cyril G. Hall

Namibia Scientific Society, Namibia 2016

xvi, 530p.

Includes Index

9789994576425

\$ 70.00 / null

750 gm.

With the interesting political developments that have occurred within the country subsequent to the first publication of this work, it was felt that this opportunity should be taken to reprint Heinrich Vedder's South West Africa in Early Times. This detailed study of the history of South West Africa up to the date of Chief Maharero's death in 1890 was originally published in German; in 1938 it appeared for the first time in an English version, being recognized as the first standard work on the subject. The author's extensive ethnological and linguistic studies endowed him with the know-ledge to give a detailed account of the country and its people, as well as of the customs and languages of the different tribes. A considerable part of the book deals with the progressing colonization of the country by European pioneers whose various adventures, experiences and actions were recorded in a mass of "old notes, letters, reports and diaries", while the historical part is supplemented by an ethnological account of the native tribes. This is a scholarly work, and with its regard for folklore and tribal tradition as well as for historical facts it recommends itself to all who are compassionate about the country. It is hoped that its reissue will promote the understanding of current challenges facing Namibia, for it remains an extremely valuable account of this part of the African continent.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=462285>

Looking Back : How Pakistan Became An Asian Tiger By 2050 / Nadeem Ul Haque KITAB (Pvt.) Limited, Pakistan 2017

256p.

9780995903012

\$ 20.00 / HB

250 gm.

By 2050, Pakistan had achieved a miracle. It had transformed itself from a poverty-ridden, malnourished, corrupt and aid dependent country in 2015 to qualifying for High Income category by the World Bank and the top decile in both the Competitiveness index and Social Progress Index by 2050. Where once travel advisories warned people from visiting, it is now key destination for foreign investors, students, research and even tourism. Once a basket case seeking aid, now it has a large sovereign wealth fund. Once homeland of hordes on unemployed youth and an exporter of cheap labor today Pakistan is a center of higher learning, research and the 7th largest patent recipient in the world. How did this transformation take place? Was it good policy or good luck? Was this process driven by external aid or domestic pressures? What can we learn from this experience?

Eminent economist Nadeem Ul Haque creates a fictitious narrative in this book to comment on the practice of public policy in Pakistan and how it can shape future change.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463793>

East Pakistan Separation : Myth and Reality / Khan Hussan Zia

Khan Hussan Zia, Pakistan 2017

124p.

\$ 35.00 / HB

300 gm.

1. Pakistan -- Politics and government -- 1947-1971.
2. Bangladesh -- History -- Revolution, 1971.
3. Politics and government.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463795>

Christian's Role in Pakistan Movement / Raja Nathaniel Gill

Nigarshat Publishers, Pakistan 2017

186p.

Includes Bibliography

9789694795645

\$ 25.00 / HB

350 gm.

1. Pakistan movement
2. Christians—Political activity—India—History—20th century
3. India—Politics and government—1919-1947

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463796>

"Sabemos, e podemos, e devemos vencer" : Antologia de Textos para uma 'autobiografia' intelectual de Nicolau Dos Reis Lobato / Martinho G. da Silva Gusmao (Preface) Dr. Abilio de Araujo

Centro Nacional da Chega!, & Penerbit Dioma, East Timor 2018

480p.

9786025765681

\$ 45.00 / null

900 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463775>

Gente de Timor-Leste, 2º. Volume : Os tres primeiros anos de democracia 2002-2005 / Joao Luis Rodrigues Goncalves (Preface) Dom Ximenes Belo

Arguim Editora Regionalista, Portugal

258p.

\$ 60.00 / null

600 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463776>

Emergence of Libraries During the Ancient and Medieval Ages / Muhammad Fazil Khan

Allied Book Company, Pakistan 2017

306p.

Includes Index

9789698133269

\$ 30.00 / HB

700 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463788>

The Pakistan Anti-Hero : History of Pakistani Nationalism Through the Lives of Iconoclasts / Nadeem Farooq Paracha

Vanguard (V) Books, Pakistan 2017

viii, 396p.

9789694026053

\$ 45.00 / HB

500 gm.

In The Pakistan Anti-Hero, Paracha further explores the political and social evolution of Pakistan's polity which he first investigated in his best-selling debut, End of the Past. He expands this investigation by closely tracking the country's social and political trajectory through the lives of 'anti-heroes' - or those men and women whose place in history has transcended model heroic characteristics. From digging deeper into the psyches and histories of well-known men and women, to looking closer at the lives of those who have only briefly been explored, Paracha surveys the lives of scholars, ideologues, sportsmen, authors, politicians, militants, actors and even some obscure personalities that he met as a young man and then as a journalist. He cuts through the mainstream historical accounts of certain famous as well as notorious figures to study them in a more detached and yet empathetic manner to gain a starker understanding of a nation which has continued to develop through multiple existential crisis.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463791>

Jasmine and Journeys : The Life Quest of a South Asian Woman / Najma Shamsi
Paramount Books (Pvt.) Ltd., Pakistan 2017

xxii, 442p.

9789696372516

\$ 30.00 / HB

600 gm.

"History, poetry, and autobiography merge in this beautifully written and moving account that takes us on a journey from South Asia to Canada, from Mohammed bin Qasim to Justin Trudeau. It is a simple but powerfully written saga of a family struggling with the great issues of our times - diaspora, migration and prejudice - characterized by joy, heartbreak, hope and courage. The book carries the waft of the jasmine flower and is a gift that every reader should cherish." - Professor Akbar Ahmed Ibn Khaldun Chair of Islamic Studies, American University, Washington, DC

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=463792>

Societe d'Etudes Historiques de la Nouvelle-Caledonie : Bulletin No 192, 3eme Trimestre 2017 / Gabriel Valet

Societe d'Etudes Historiques de la Nouvelle-Caledonie, Noumea 2017

102p.

ISSN: 0766-0278; 9782917373613

\$ 35.00 / null

300 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=323552>

Old Hong Kong and The Tales They Tell, Volume 2 / David Bellis

Gwulo, Hong Kong 2018

112p.

9789887827610

\$ 32.00 / null

320 gm.

David Bellis puts more of his favourite old Hong Kong photos under the magnifying glass, revealing the photos' secrets, and uncovering their hidden stories. Flying Italian miners (p. 107), disembodied feet (p. 13), and the most beautiful woman you'll never see (p. 17) are just a few of the surprises in store for you. David runs the popular local history website Gwulo, home to over 15,000 photographs of old Hong Kong.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459459>

Inside the World of Eunuch : A Social History of the Emperor's Servants in Qing China / Melissa S. Dale

Hong Kong University Press, Hongkong 2018

Xii, 224p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789888455751

\$ 55.00 / HB

520 gm.

The history of Qing palace eunuchs is defined by a tension between the role eunuchs were meant to play and the life they intended to live. This study tells the story of how a complicated and much-maligned group of people struggled to insert a degree of agency into their lives. Rulers of the Qing dynasty were determined to ensure the eunuchs' subservience and to limit their influence by imposing a management style based upon strict rules, corporal punishment, and collective responsibility. Few eunuchs wielded significant political power or lived in a lavish style during the Qing dynasty. Emasculation and employment in the palace placed eunuchs at the center of the empire, yet also subjected them to servile status and marginalization by society. Seeking more control over their lives, eunuchs serving the Qing repeatedly tested the boundaries of subservience to the emperor and the imperial court. This portrait of eunuch society reveals that Qing palace eunuchs operated within two parallel realms, one revolving around the emperor and the court by day and another among the eunuchs themselves by night where they recreated the social bonds—through drinking, gambling, and opium smoking—denied them by their palace service. Far from being the ideal servants, eunuchs proved to be a constant source of anxiety and labor challenges for the Qing court. For a long time eunuchs have simply been cast as villains in Chinese history. Inside the World of the Eunuch goes beyond this misleadingly one-dimensional depiction to show how eunuchs actually lived during the Qing dynasty.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459461>

A Medical History of Hong Kong 1842-1941 / Moira M. W. Chan-Yeung

The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong 2018

xiv, 330p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789882370784

\$ 55.00 / HB

700 gm.

This book tells the fascinating story of the development of medical and sanitation services in Hong Kong during the first century of British rule and how changing political values and directions of the colonial administration and the socio-economic status of the Hong Kong affected the policies of development in these areas. It also recounts how the bubonic plague of 1894 changed the government's laissez-faire attitude towards sanitation and public health and began sanitary reforms and developed public health infrastructure.

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This book is not just a chronological history of the medical and health system of Hong Kong between 1842 and 1941. It also gives a critical and dispassionate analysis of the different cultural, social, and political factors which prompted the government and the public to consider change and implement reforms with far reaching effects. It also teaches us that racial discrimination, social inequity, and mutual distrust are always obstacles to social progress including healthcare. —Rosie T. T. Young, The University of Hong Kong

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459460>

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The East Turkestan : Independence Movement : 1930s – 1940s / Wang Ke

The Chinese University Press, Hong Kong 2018

xxi, 362p.

9789629967697

\$ 50.00 / HB

740 gm.

Based on rare first-hand historical data, the author presents the analysis of the East Turkestan from the perspective of Islamic social structure, the origin and evolution of thoughts on national revolution, the internal structure of the independence movement and the power structure of the Republic, international relations, and international politics. Since it was first published in 1995, the original Japanese edition of this book has been recognized as the most authoritative research work on the independence movement of East Turkestan so far. The English edition of this book has been greatly revised and enriched to provide valuable references for the prominent issues of Xinjiang today.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459463>

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A Documentary History of Public Health in Hong Kong / Yip Ka-che, Wong Man-Kong and Leung Yuen-sang

The Chinese University Press, Hong Kong 2018

xxviii, 436p.

Includes Bibliography

9789629968366

\$ 60.00 / HB

860 gm.

The publication of this book marks the fifteenth anniversary of the outbreak of the SARS epidemic in Hong Kong in 2003. This documentary study, originating as a research project a year after the epidemic, is a comprehensive attempt to examine the development of public health in Hong Kong from 1841 to the early 1990s. It covers the periods of prewar colonial rule, Japanese occupation, postwar reconstruction and growth, and the beginning of decolonization. It analyzes political, social, economic, and cultural factors, including the intersection of colonial priorities and indigenous agency and practices that affected disease outbreaks and development, government and local responses, advances in technology related to health and medicine, as well as the emergence of health agencies and institutions. The historical documents, selected from government archives, personal papers, and special collections, are invaluable source materials for the critical evaluation of such developments. The book provides a much needed and indispensable historical perspective to understanding Hong Kong's struggle to combat prevalent and emerging diseases such as malaria, tuberculosis, avian influenza, and SARS.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459465>

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No Third Person : Rewriting The Hong Kong Story / Christine Loh , Richard Cullen  
Abbreviated Press Book , Hong Kong 2018

82p.

9789881662965

\$ 18.00 / null

120 gm.

British Hong Kong had a good story in the run-up to 1997. Its people worked hard and had an indomitable spirit. China had its own story about Hong Kong: after reunification, the city would prosper as never before due to China's wise and pragmatic "one country, two systems" policy.

Hong Kong people and the world bought those stories. But now it is clear that the British version of the Hong Kong story no longer holds while Hong Kong people are not so sure about themselves and their future seems less bright. The city and its people are stuck--they have no compelling narrative that joins the past and the future.

This book is based on our thoughts of what a new Hong Kong story might be: a story about "us" and "you," the people who care about Hong Kong, not an impersonal "he/she/it" story--a story, moreover, to be worked out between Hong Kong and mainland China and no one else.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459466>

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Hong Kong Past and Present / Sherry Lee, Peter Moss and Peter Cunich

FormAsia Books Limited, Hong Kong 2018

154p. ; 29x29cm.

9789627283577

\$ 80.00 / HB

1360 gm.

Hong Kong is Time's ever - changing chameleon, performing its dexterity with such speed that an absence of a few years can leave one bewildered by the city's radically altered appearance. Here the intervals between past and present seem to concertina, as though history has compressed centuries into decades and years into months. Past & Present plays on these extremes to illustrate how much can alter in those sometimes astonishingly brief intervals.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459452>

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The Legend of Hong Kong Toys / Belinda S. L. Wong

Hong Kong Museum of History, Hong Kong 2017

185p.

9789627039907

\$ 40.00 / null

850 gm.

Toys are not only children's playmates; they also bear testimony to changes over time. For Hong Kong, toys have a special meaning because the city was once the world's largest toy manufacturing hub, with orders coming from all around the world. The volume of toys produced here was astoundingly large, and Hong Kong toys naturally reflected global trends. This catalogue features approximately 330 selected toys that were made in Hong Kong or were well known among Hong Kong people. Using historical images, the book allows readers to reminisce about their childhood, and at the same time narrates the interesting stories behind the different kinds of toys, the glorious history of the Hong Kong toy industry, and how toys have adapted to the new era.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459451>

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Another City, Another Age – Hong Kong : The Years of Classic Elegance / Peter Moss , Jamie Cox

FormAsia Books Limited, Hong Kong 2018

159p.

9789627283461

\$ 70.00 / HB

1000 gm.



The passing years leave few traces on the face of Hong Kong. Without the surviving photographic record-much of it recaptured in the pages of this splendidly illustrated volume-there would be little to remind us of the very different Hong Kong which served as prelude to the city that has taken its place. There, in an appearance setting of quiet streets and shaded verandahs, of elegant mansions and grandly arcaded offices, the seeds were planted for the boundless ambitions that would-in good time-transform this mercantile community from a coastal backwater into one of the paragons of Asia.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459456>

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Sunset Survivors : Meet the People Keeping Hong Kong's Traditional Industries Alive / Lindsay Varty, Eduard Morton

Blacksmith Books, Hong Kong 2018

80p.

9789887792833

\$ 55.00 / HB

840 gm.

Sunset Survivors tells the stories of Hong Kong's traditional tradesmen and women through stunning imagery and candid interviews. Covering a myriad of curious professions that are quickly falling into obscurity, from fortune telling to face threading and letter writing to bird cage making, readers soon find themselves immersed in the streets of old Hong Kong. Filled with interviews, photographs and little-known facts about the city's twilight industries, Sunset Survivors is a tribute to those who keep the flame burning in a city besieged by foreign imports and stiff competition. Survivors is more than just a travel or coffee-table book; it is a tribute to the city's character, a celebration of its roots and a guide to its evolution. Survivors is a vital piece of history.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459455>

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The Tramways of Hong Kong : A History in Pictures / Peter Waller

Blacksmith Books, Hong Kong 2018

95p.

9789887792857

\$ 39.95 / null

380 gm.

For more than a century, trams have plied their trade along the northern coast of Hong Kong Island. During that time, they have witnessed the transformation of the local economy from a colonial backwater to the massive financial centre that is the modern city. The post-war years saw the radical redevelopment of much of the city, while the reclamation of land along the seafront saw the tramway, which once skirted the shore, pushed further and further inland.

Today, the trams still provide a vital public service, carrying vast numbers of passengers daily to and from their work or shops, and Hong Kong is one of the few places in the world where it is still possible to ride on the top deck of a double-deck tram. This album explores the history of the tramways of Hong Kong Island through the 20th century. Drawing upon a fascinating selection of photographs, most of which have never been published before, it traces the evolution of the streetscape over that period - giving readers a vivid reminder of how much Hong Kong has changed.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459458>

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A Century of Visitors : Prominent Visitors to Hong Kong in its Early Years / Osmond S.H. Chan

Hong Kong Museum of History, Hong Kong 2017

392p.

9789627039938

\$ 60.00 / null

1020 gm.

Set against the first hundred years of British colonial rule, this volume narrates Hong Kong's urban development and modern Sino-Hong Kong relations through accounts of prominent Chinese and foreign individuals visiting or passing through Hong Kong between 1841 and 1941. They visited Hong Kong for different purposes: treaty negotiations, official visits, research and study, or looking for business opportunities, for example. Others came for personal reasons, such as escaping from adversity, recuperating from illness, travelling, performing, or even to earn a living.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=459457>

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A Documentary History of Islamic Education in Pakistan, Vol. I, 1947-1970 /  
Mumtaz Ahmad (ed)

Emel Publications, Pakistan 2016

xii, 344p. ; 16x24cm.

Includes Index

9789699556159

\$ 40.00 / HB

700 gm.

1.Education – Pakistan

2.Islam – Education – Pakistan

3.History – Pakistan

"Leafing through the history of Pakistan since its inception in 1947, the demand for replacing the education system inherited from the British with an Islamic system of education has been made by various social, religious and political quarters. In response, the successive governments in Pakistan established various commissions and committees to prepare guidelines for chalking out how Islamic education could be incorporated in the nation's general education within the broader objectives of a "true Islamic society and the state"...A chronological approach adopted in these volumes would facilitate students and researchers to track down the historical evolution of the policy process as well as similarities and differences, if any, in the approaches of successive governments."

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=224471>

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Healthcare / Phua Kai Hong

Straits Time Press, Singapore 2018

108p.

Includes Index ; Bibliographical references

9789814747486

\$ 12.00 / null

200 gm.

1.Public health - Singapore

2.Public health – Singapore - History

3.Medical policy – Singapore

4.Medical care – Singapore

This book reviews the development of healthcare in Singapore, especially over the last 50 years. It presents major health issues, past achievements of the healthcare system and healthcare challenges for the future. Various trends in the healthcare system are covered within the context of rapid socio-economic, demographic and epidemiological transitions. Also discussed are national policies in response to healthcare challenges within broader regional and global trends, offering lessons and other policy implications for the future development of Singapore's healthcare system.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=443872>

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Chinese : Singapore Chronicles / Kwok Kian-Woon, Teng Siao See.

Straits Time Press, Singapore 2018

120p.

Includes Index ; Bibliographical references

9789814747455

\$ 12.00 / null

200 gm.

- 1.Chinese – Singapore
- 2.Chinese – Singapore – History
- 3.Chinese – Singapore – Social life and customs
- 4.Chinese – Singapore – Ethnic identity.

Historically, Singapore has been home to a myriad of people of Chinese descent, including those whose ancestors migrated from China many generations ago, as well as recent immigrants who have taken up permanent residence or citizenship. This book provides an overview of the Chinese in multi-ethnic Singapore, from sojourners to settlers in the pre-colonial Malay world and from colonial subjects to citizens in a new nation. There is no other country where Chinese form the majority of the citizenry outside of Chinese territories. In critically examining the implications of their majority status, the authors suggest that “Chineseness” has always been diversely manifested and today’s Chinese-Singaporeans must continue to grapple with what it means to share in the vision and the work of creating a unique and enduring multicultural nation.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=443873>

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On Parade : Straits Settlements Eurasian Men Who Volunteered to Defend the Empire, 1862-1957 / Mary Anne Jansen, John Geno-Oehlers & Anne Ebert Oehlers

Singapore Management University (Centre for Management Practice), Singapore 2018

xvi, 396p.

Includes Bibliographical references

9789811187292

\$ 42.00 / HB

1400 gm.

On Parade chronicles the attempts of Straits Settlements Eurasian men to take responsibility for the defence of the British Empire, both at home and abroad, over a period of nearly a hundred years. From the original refusal to allow Eurasian men to enlist at all, through the expectation on the part of the Crown of absolute loyalty for very little material gain, Eurasian men volunteered, and were prepared to make the ultimate sacrifice, for the altruistic motive of defending their home and families. This book paints a picture of Singapore’s established Eurasian community, drawn from the Straits Settlements and Malaya. They strove to defend what they considered to be their only home. Intrinsic civic-mindedness is evinced in this social history of the Straits Settlements Eurasian Volunteers.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=456902>

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The People’s Struggle : Cambodia Reborn / Heng Samrin (Eds) Peter Starr & Timothy Anger (Translation) Sam Sarana (et al.)

EDM -Editions Didier Millet Pte Ltd., Singapore 2018

148p.

9789814610490

\$ 25.00 / HB

500 gm.

This book is a vivid first-hand account of the career of one of the 20th century's great guerrilla commanders, Samdech Heng Samrin, who after his years as a soldier played an important role in the political and economic rebirth of Cambodia. Born into a rural village community, and working as a farmer, Heng Samrin campaigned and then fought for the Khmer People's Revolutionary Party. He led a double life - both as a member of the government militia and working for the party. In due course he went fully underground. He describes in detail the experience of coming under attack by US and South Vietnamese aircraft. There followed the guerrilla conflict against military leader Lon Nol, who after a coup declared a republic and allied the country with the US at war with Vietnam. The author was appointed company commander in the People's Revolutionary Army of Kampuchea, and rose to be a regimental and then divisional commander. Heng Samrin describes the schisms that arose within the revolutionary movement, and how he, his Cambodian comrades and his Vietnamese allies ended up fighting, and defeating, the forces of Pol Pot and what had become a viciously cruel Khmer Rouge regime. Thereafter, Heng Samrin played an important part in laying the foundations for the new Kingdom of Cambodia. He served as both Head of State and as secretary-general of the ruling Khmer People's Revolutionary Party, since renamed as the Cambodian People's Party, of which he still serves as honorary chairman. In 2006 he became president of the National Assembly. Few books capture as powerfully the experience of guerrilla war as seen by its participants. What drove Heng Samrin to persist in fighting for the freedom of Cambodians in the face of extreme danger? How did he outwit the Khmer Rouge and their traps? In this book, he shares his insights, and describes his efforts to help rebuild his country after decades of war.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=456903>

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Media / Peng Hwa Ang, Carol Soon  
Straits Time Press, Singapore 2018

108p.

Includes Index ; Bibliographical references

9789814747424

\$ 12.00 / null

200 gm.

1. Mass media - Singapore
2. Mass media - Singapore - History
3. Mass media - Social aspects - Singapore
4. Internet - Social aspects - Singapore
5. Social media - Singapore.

This monograph outlines the development of Singapore's media from the first government-subsidised newspaper to radio, TV, Rediffusion, the Internet and today's social media. Going beyond "just the dates", it shows how the media in Singapore had once been extremely competitive, that Singapore was a media hub for Malay intellectuals in the region and how the newspaper licensing rules were inherited from the British who set the tone by curbing an English-language newspaper called Singapore Herald published by a Japanese publisher in the 1940s. It's the Singapore media as few would have guessed.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=443870>

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Un Coin De Paradis : Vacances et tourisme en Nouvelle-Caledonie / Jean-Christophe Gay

Musee De La Ville De Noumea, New Caledonia 2017

9782956054016

\$ 60.00 / null

1100 gm.

The year 2017 has been proclaimed by the United Nations as the "International Year of Sustainable Tourism for Development" to "promote understanding among all peoples, to raise awareness of the rich heritage of different civilizations and to further appreciate the values inherent to different cultures, thus contributing to strengthening peace in the world. It is in this context that the Museum of the City of Nouméa offers to revisit the reports of New Caledonia and its inhabitants, to this sector of activity through an exhibition on holidays and tourism in New Caledonia.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457185>

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Le Memorial De La Cote Ouest : Des pionniers a nos jours / Bernard Fustec  
(Photograph) David Monnier (et al.)

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated

362p.

Includes Bibliography

291407011X

\$ 100.00 / HB

1800 gm.

Terre originelle, terre de decouverte, terre de pionniers, terre de metissages... La Cote Ouest est un creuset d'identites partagees, devenu le symbole d'une construction fraternele. Du Sud au Nord, de Boulouparis a Poum, Le Memorial de la Cote Ouest vous propose de revivre au quotidien l'aventure passionnante des pionniers et de leurs descendants. Il vous raconte 150 ans de l'histoire de la Nouvelle-Caledonie a travers temoignages, anecdotes, documents et nombreuses photos de l'epoque.

Original land, land of discovery, land of pioneers, land of metissage ... The West Coast is a melting pot of shared identities, become the symbol of a fraternal construction. From South to North, from Boulouparis to Poum, The West Coast Memorial invites you to relive the exciting adventure of the pioneers and their descendants on a daily basis. It tells you 150 years of the history of New Caledonia through testimonials, anecdotes, documents and many photos of the time.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457186>

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Reussites Et Revers De Fortune De Pionniers : Les Henry, une famille de colons du Nord caledonien / Sylvia Trabuc & Ronald et Collette Maritin (ed)

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2016

70p.

9782953506990

\$ 45.00 / null

300 gm.

1.Pionniers -- Nouvelle-Calédonie -- 1870-1914.

2.Nouvelle-Calédonie -- 1897-1946.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457187>

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Paita, tand d'histoires a raconter / Harold Martin

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2013

200p.

\$ 100.00 / null

850 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457188>

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Le Bagne en Heritage : Destins de familles issuesde la colonization penale / Patricia Calonne (Preface) Louis-José Barbançon

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2017

322p.

9782951815094

\$ 100.00 / null

1250 gm.

Cet ouvrage réunit les témoignages des descendants « de ceux du bagne » publiés dans Les Nouvelles Calédoniennes entre novembre 2015 et juin 2017 au sein de la série Destins de familles.

This book gathers the testimonies of the descendants of "those of the prison" published in the New Caledonian News between November 2015 and June 2017 within the series Fates of families.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457189>

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Le Bourbon Pointu De Nouvelle – Caledonie : Histoire d'un café d'exception / Jean -Paul Belhomme

Jean-Paul Belhomme, New Caledonia 2017

132p.

9782954850603

\$ 40.00 / HB

600 gm.

Cet ouvrage est celui d'une passion pour un des cafés les plus recherchés au monde : le « Bourbon pointu » de Nouvelle-Calédonie.

Son auteur, Docteur en pharmacie et caféiculteur depuis plus de vingt ans nous présente l'histoire surprenante d'un siècle de caféiculture calédonienne.

Son expérience, ses découvertes, son approche scientifique, restent captivantes sur un chemin semé de multiples difficultés mais aussi d'immenses satisfactions. Comment, au cours des siècles, sommes-nous passés de la cerise du caféier aux délicats effluves de la torréfaction ?

De quelle façon, le pape Clément VIII et le Capucin Marco d'Aviano ont-ils promu le café dans le monde ? Découvrez des conseils simples et judicieux pour cultiver et produire votre propre café. Ce livre, par ses photos et ses documents exceptionnels, est une nouvelle façon de pénétrer tous les secrets de cette fabuleuse boisson. On sort des sentiers classiques pour vivre la passion de l'auteur qui chérit cette plante de la pépinière aux parcelles ombragées de son domaine dans le seul but d'offrir une tasse exceptionnelle.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457190>

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Societe d'Etudes Historiques de la Nouvelle-Caledonie : Bulletin No. 193 du 4eme Trimestre 2017 / Gabriel Valet

Societe d'Etudes Historiquesde la Nouvelle-Caledonie, New Caledonia 2017

104p.

ISSN: 0766-0278

\$ 35.00 / null

300 gm.

- Charles Francois Beautemps-Beaupre
- Les Cornishmen du Diahot
- Le mystere des survivants de l'expedition La Perouse
- Une belle histoire d'entraide et de camaraderie
- Le professeur A. Guillaumin en Nelle-Caledonie (1950-1951)
- Les proprietaries du Mont Dore de 1862 au debut du XXe

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457191>

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Societe d'Etudes Historiques de la Nouvelle-Caledonie : Bulletin No. 194 du 1er Trimestre 2018 / Gabriel Valet

Societe d'Etudes Historiquesde la Nouvelle-Caledonie, New Caledonia 2018

102p.

ISSN: 0766-0278

\$ 35.00 / null

300 gm.

- Les Freycinet, une famille illustre
- Les pasteurs Francois et Jules Ernest Lengereau, deux generations de missionnaires en N-C
- Le Capitaine de Vaisseau Jean des Moutis
- Lettres de Nouvelle-Caledonie (suite)

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457192>

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Societe d'Etudes Historiques de la Nouvelle-Caledonie : Bulletin No. 195 du 2e Trimestre 2018 / Gabriel Valet

Societe d'Etudes Historiquesde la Nouvelle-Caledonie,New Caledonia 2018

102p.

ISSN: 0766-0278

\$ 35.00 / null

250 gm.

- Une institutrice en brousse
- In memoriam Richard Nathaniel Berry
- Le 4e New Zealand General Hospital en Nelle-Caledonie au cours de la Guerre du Pacifique
- Lettres de la Nouvelle-Caledonie (suite)

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457193>

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Societe d'Etudes Historiques de la Nouvelle-Caledonie : Bulletin No. 196 du 3e Trimestre 2018 / Gabriel Valet

Societe d'Etudes Historiquesde la Nouvelle-Caledonie, 2018

102p.

ISSN: 0766-0278

\$ 35.00 / null

250 gm.

- La collection Patch-Banuelos aux USA
- Antoni Berezowski, regicide ou heros polonaise
- Les peres maristes aux Nelle-Hebrides 1887-1914
- Lettres de la Nouvelle-Caledonie (fin)

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457194>

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Anand Panyarachun and the Making of Modern Thailand / Dominic Faulder

EDM-Editions Didier Millet Ptd Ltd, Singapore 2018

xx, 556p.

Includes Index

9789814385275

\$ 37.50 / HB

1200 gm.

Based on hundreds of interviews, this is the absorbing story of one of Thailand's most influential figures. Against a backdrop of political coups and violence, Cold War intrigue, and regional conflict, Anand Panyarachun reached the pinnacle of Thailand's foreign service, and twice served as an unelected prime minister. Throughout his varied life, his frankness and integrity set him apart, traits that derailed his diplomatic career entirely at one point, but then led him to become the international face of a country that has encountered frequent crises.

In this comprehensive biography, veteran journalist Dominic Faulder describes Anand's formative years in a still bucolic Bangkok and postwar England, his long tenure in North America as permanent representative to the United Nations and ambassador to the US, his unexpected terms as prime minister, his vital role in the attempt to bring lasting constitutional reform to Thailand, and more. Revealing new details on key moments in modern Thai history, Anand Panyarachun and the Making of Modern Thailand also presents Anand's recollections and views on everything from the Vietnam War to relations with China, royalism and ways forward for Thailand's struggling political system.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=449318>

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Dalley and the Malayan Security Service, 1945-48 : MI5 VS MSS / Leon Comber

ISEAS Publishing, Singapore 2018

xvi, 160p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789814818735

\$ 19.90 / null

350 gm.

1. Dalley, John Douglas – 1900-
2. Intelligence service – Malaysia – History – Malayan Emergency, 1948-1960
3. Internal security – Malaya
4. National security – Malaya

This book fills an important gap in the history and intelligence canvas of Singapore and Malaya immediately after the surrender of the Japanese in August 1945. It deals with the establishment of the domestic intelligence service known as the Malayan Security Service (MSS), which was pan-Malayan covering both Singapore and Malaya, and the colourful and controversial career of Lieutenant Colonel John Dalley, the Commander of Dalforce in the WWII battle for Singapore and the post-war Director of MSS. It also documents the little-known rivalry between MI5 in London and MSS in Singapore, which led to the demise of the MSS and Dalley's retirement.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=422041>

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Journeys : Tamil in Singapore, 1800 – Present / Murugaian Nirmala  
Straits Times Press Pte. Ltd., Singapore 2018

304p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9789814266956

\$ 25.00 / null

500 gm.

1. Tamil (Indic people) – Singapore – History
2. Tamil (Indic people) – Singapore – Politics and government
3. Tamil (Indic people) – Social aspects – Singapore

This book takes a detailed look at the arrival of the Tamils to Singapore from the 19th century, the growth of the community in the decades that followed, the social and political role Tamils played in the tumultuous 50s and 60s, and some of the challenges facing the community in more recent times, such as educational issues, the need for Indian self-help group SINDA, and assimilating the second wave of Indian immigrants.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=422038>

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Beyond Fairy Tales : Selected Historical Writings of Dr. Yusufu Bala Usman (New Edition) / Yusufu Bala Usman

Abdullahi Smith Center for Historical Research, Nigeria 2014

xii, 226p.

Includes Index

9782557325

\$ 40.00 / null

400 gm.

1. Usman, Yusufu Bala, 1945-2005.
2. Nigeria – History.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457151>

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Daular Gwandu da Tarihin Sarakunan Da Suka Mulke Ta Zuwa Yanzu / Usman Dalhatu

Woodpecker Communication Services, Nigeria 2016

xviii, 304p.

978978083073

\$ 80.00 / HB

650 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457152>

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Major-General Muhammadu Iliyasu Bashar CFR (M.D. Jega) : The 20th Emir of Gwandu / Usman Dalhatu

Woodpecker Communication Services, Nigeria 2016



xxi, 543p.  
Include Bibliography  
9789780830755  
\$ 80.00 / null  
1100 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457153>

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Bulletin De La Societe Des Etudes Oceaniennes, No. 344, Janvier/Avril 2018 :  
Languaes, langages, biodiversite, P. Gauguin / Jean Kape  
Societe des etudes oceaniennes,Papeeta,Tahiti 2018  
132p.  
ISSN: 0373-8957  
\$ 50.00 / null  
250 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457118>

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Bulletin De La Societe Des Etudes Oceaniennes, No. 345, Mai/Aout 2018 :  
Recherche, histoire, traditions / Fasan Chong dit Jean Kape  
Societe des etudes oceaniennes,Papeeta,Tahiti 2018  
142p.  
ISSN: 0373-8957  
\$ 50.00 / null  
280 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457119>

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Bougainville Arrive a Tahiti : il y a 250 ans, 1768 – 2018 / Corrine Raybaud  
Memoire du Pacifique, Tahiti 2018  
130p.  
Includes Bibliography  
9791092534139  
\$ 50.00 / null  
240 gm.

Bougainville arrive à Tahiti il y a 250 ans. Voici le nouvel ouvrage de Corinne Raybaud passionnée par l'histoire des premiers navigateurs européens à Tahiti, elle a déjà réalisé l'an passé l'ouvrage intitulé Wallis découvre Tahiti. Louis Antoine de Bougainville (1729-1811) est un homme du Siècle des Lumières aux multiples facettes : mathématicien, diplomate, officier de marine, explorateur, écrivain. Il est chargé par le roi Louis XV de mener la première circumnavigation officielle française. Une fleur désormais bien connue sera nommée en l'honneur de Bougainville par le botaniste de l'expédition Commerson. Avec ses navires : La Boudeuse et L'Etoile Bougainville parvient à Tahiti le 6 avril 1768. Au cours de l'escale en baie d'Hitiaa, le secret de Commerson et son "valet" est découvert, Jeanne Barré sera la 1ère femme française à effectuer le tour du monde. Ahutorou embarque et sera présenté au roi de France, il adorera la vie parisienne... Bien que le séjour à Tahiti ne dure que 9 jours, Bougainville et son équipage ramènent en Europe l'image d'un paradis terrestre. Il nomme l'île : La Nouvelle Cythère en hommage à la beauté et l'amour. La comparaison des journaux de bord de Wallis et de Bougainville est intéressante et nous éclaire sur ces années de découverte de l'île par les Européens. Les observations recueillies dans les autres journaux de bord de l'expédition de Bougainville nous apportent d'autres points de vue ainsi que la critique du voyage faite par Diderot dans son Supplément au voyage de Bougainville. L'historienne Corinne Raybaud nous fait revivre cette expédition dans le Pacifique grâce à cet ouvrage.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457121>

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Temoins de la bombe : Memoires de 30 ans d'essais nucleaires en Polynesie  
francaise / Bruno Barrillot, Marie-Helene Villierme and Arnaud Hudelot  
Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2017

112p.  
9791090702080  
\$ 70.00 / null  
540 gm.

Bomb Witnesses: 30 years of nuclear tests in French Polynesia have just been reissued. It's a collection of 32 testimonies.

"La mémoire de trente ans d'essai nucléaires en Polynésie défile tout au long de ces trente-deux témoignages vus, essentiellement, du côté polynésien. Ce sont des anciens travailleurs de Moruroa, des femmes, des intellectuels, des hommes d'Églises, des personnalités engagées dans la vie économique ou politique, des jeunes enfin qui ont seulement connu le Centre d'expérimentation du Pacifique par ouï-dire. Des mots pour reconstruire cette histoire occultée, effrayante parfois, triste trop souvent, mais comme un tremplin pour un avenir encore à construire."

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Au pied de l'Écriture : Histoire de la traduction de la Bible en tahitien / Jacques Nicole

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2017

348p. ; 21x30cm.

9791090158337

\$ 80.00 / null

980 gm.

L'histoire de la traduction de la Bible en tahitien est, en fait, l'histoire même de l'écriture tahitienne. Les premières lettres écrites à la main par Pōmare II dès 1806, la première feuille d'un abécédaire qu'il imprime lui-même le 10 juin 1817 illustrent bien la maîtrise d'une nouvelle technique et d'une nouvelle manière de penser la société, le monde, les dieux et soi-même...

Jacques Nicole nous place directement au pied de l'écriture, c'est-à-dire dans une nouvelle culture et dans une nouvelle tradition : elle culmine en 1838 avec l'édition de la Bible de Nott, devenue le modèle de toutes les Bibles écrites dans les langues du Pacifique, grâce à l'action des native teachers de Tahiti et des îles. L'histoire de cette traduction se poursuit de nos jours dans l'écriture de l'Église protestante mā'ohi, de la Mission catholique et des Académies des langues des Tuamotu et des Marquises.

Hier comme aujourd'hui, ici comme ailleurs, la maîtrise des nouvelles technologies de l'information et de la communication passe d'abord par la maîtrise de sa propre langue... « à faire vigoureux usage de sa langue dans le monde de demain », c'est le seul souci de l'auteur et des éditions Haere Pō.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457124>

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Journal Marquisien 1798-1806 / Edward Robarts (Ed) Greg Dening

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2018

288p. 21x30cm.

9791090158368

\$ 110.00 / null

880 gm.

Ce Journal marquisien est d'abord le récit d'un beachcomber, jeune déserteur d'un baleinier anglais le jour de Noël 1798, recueilli par les habitants de Tahuata puis adopté par ceux de Hiva'oa et de Nukuhiva.

Son Journal est donc celui d'un aventurier et un extraordinaire témoignage de la vie quotidienne aux îles Marquises, des fêtes, des guerres et des famines, au moment où il devient impossible de vivre comme « avant » : la vie est dorénavant rythmée par le passage de tant de navires étrangers porteurs de marchandises nouvelles et de nouvelles manières de vivre et de mourir.

Robarts quitte l'archipel des Marquises en février 1806 avec Hina'oteata et leur bébé pour tenter une nouvelle vie, à Tahiti d'abord comme distillateur d'alcool à la pointe Vénus, puis en Malaisie comme majordome, et aux Indes, comme marchand de sable et gardien de la paix à Calcutta.

Traduit par Jacques Iakopo Pelleau du Marquesan Journal of Edward Robarts édité en 1974 par Greg Denning.

Vocabulaire marquisien, revu et actualisé, accompagné d'une étude sur la parenté aux îles Marquises, par Michael J. Koch.

Couverture de H. G. Löwenstern, « Accueil de l'escadre russe en mai 1804 en baie de Taiohae par Kiatonui, un plant de kava à la main ».

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457126>

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The Wings of the Islands - Les Ailes Des Iles : Tem au natira'a manureva no tem au motu, 1958-2018 : Histoires du reseau aerien inter-iles - History of the in-land air network / Elin Teuruarii

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2018

80p.

9791094107010

\$ 55.00 / null

400 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457128>

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Le fabuleux destin du Comte de Bougainville - Second Edition / Philipp Prudhomme

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2018

402p.

9782900089033

\$ 70.00 / null

800 gm.

Le six avril 1768, l'expédition de Louis-Antoine de Bougainville arriva à Tahiti. Son court séjour de neuf jours a changé le cours de l'Histoire océanienne, mais aussi celle du monde occidental en exerçant une véritable influence sur la société de ses contemporains. Né dans une famille bourgeoise, Louis-Antoine est un enfant du siècle des Lumières. Il a remarquablement réussi sa vie en esquivant nombre de coups du sort et de pièges de ses ennemis. Epris de liberté et de grands espaces, il a traversé le vaste monde et les périodes troublées de la Révolutions avec une chance insolente. Son œuvre littéraire singulière a bercé les rêves de générations de lecteurs aspirant à un ailleurs plus heureux. Jaloué, calomnié, dénigré ce Chevalier des Temps Modernes, doté d'une forte personnalité et de grands principes, aimait la vie avant tout. Il a su nous communiquer, à travers les âges, sa conception du bonheur que nous partageons encore avec lui, aujourd'hui.

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Le Bataillon D'Hawaii : Des Combattants Du Pacifique Aux Cotes Des Allies Durant La Seconde Guerre Modiale : Hawaii, Tahiti-Noumea et Nouvelle-Zelande / Bruno Algan

L'Harmattan, France 2018

210p.

9782343143132

\$ 45.00 / null

300 gm.

Le 100e bataillon d'Hawaii a été formé à Honolulu en 1942, peu de temps après l'agression japonaise contre Pearl Harbor. Cette unité a été originale à plus d'un titre. En effet, ses soldats étaient tous des citoyens américains d'origine japonaise. Ils furent ensuite les plus décorés de toute l'US Army durant la Seconde Guerre mondiale. Enfin, les exploits du "bataillon des Ukulélés", en Italie puis en France, ont eu un impact majeur sur la vie politique et institutionnelle d'Hawaii, après le retour des vétérans dans leurs îles du Pacifique. Par ailleurs, le livre met en perspective les parcours distincts du bataillon d'Hawaii et du bataillon du Pacifique, originaire de Tahiti, sur les différents théâtres d'opérations en Europe.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457133>

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North Korean Modern History : A Sourcebook, Vol.1 / Dae-Sook Suh, Wan Bom Lee & Seung Hyun Lee (ed)

The Academy of Korean Studies Press., South Korea 2018

xii, 420p.

9791158663582; 9791158663575 (Set)

\$ 50.00 / null

650 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=461843>

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North Korean Modern History : A Sourcebook, Vol. 2. / Dae-Sook Suh, Wan Bom Lee & Seung Hyun Lee (ed)

The Academy of Korean Studies Press., South Korea 2018

421-1000p.

9791158663599, 9791158663575 (Set)

\$ 50.00 / null

900 gm.

This source book on North Korean Modern History is published in English to help scholars to research on North Korea. In most cases even the most basic documents relating to North Korea s history are available only in the Korean language. North Korean authorities occasionally issue English versions of selected documents, but these translations are markedly inferior in quality - some are in atrocious English. The purpose of this book is to collect and present basic documents and improve our understanding of North Korea s political and social traditions.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=461844>

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A fa'aro'o I te moana : Breves Histoires de l'ocean / Didier Alphen

Environmental Defence Society Incorporated 2017

1v.

9781986881913

\$ 32.00 / null

150 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457113>

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L'école ambiguë : histoires de familles a Tahiti / Marie Salaun and Emeline Le Plain

L'Harmattan, France 2018

148p.

9782343152615

\$ 70.00 / null

300 gm.

A travers la présentation de neuf témoignages de parents de collégiens, ce livre propose de faire un pas de côté dans l'analyse de la difficulté scolaire à Tahiti. Privilégiant une approche "par le bas" qui donne la parole à ceux qui l'ont rarement, il souhaite dépasser l'appréhension institutionnelle des phénomènes de décrochage, pour se donner les moyens d'interpréter autrement, au prisme de leurs expériences de l'école, les résistances à l'impératif de scolarisation. Cet ouvrage est publié avec le concours de l'Agence nationale de la recherche, programme Legs colonial et outre-mer autochtones : Kanak de Nouvelle-Calédonie, Amérindiens de Guyane et Mā ohi de Polynésie face à deux institutions de la République française (justice, école).

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457114>

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Connexions No. 9, Avril 2018 /

Te Pito O Te Fenua, Tahiti 2018

278p.

9791093659152

\$ 50.00 / null

420 gm.

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=457115>

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When We Were Kings: A Golden Era Of Singapore Rugby / Godfrey Robert

Epigram Books, Singapore 2018

vi, 144p.

Includes Index

9789814785860

\$ 21.00 / null

300 gm.

1. Rugby football – Singapore – History
2. Rugby football players – Singapore.

The 1978 Singapore rugby team made history by beating the powerful Kiwis, clinching the Malaysian Rugby Union Cup and winning a treble of national awards. Yet their triumphs were all but wiped from sporting history. Veteran sportswriter Godfrey Robert traces the blood, sweat and tears behind an extraordinary decade for Singapore rugby, starting in 1972 with the controversial first all-Asian team and culminating in another unthinkable victory in 1982. When We Were Kings includes first-person accounts from the heroes of the day: Coach Natahar Bava, skipper Song Koon Poh, Singapore Rugby Union boss Howard Cashin and many others.

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