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the fourth volume of the new cambridge medieval history covers the eleventh and twelfth centuries which comprised perhaps the most dynamic period in the european middle ages this is a history of europe but the continent is interpreted widely to include the near east and north africa the volume is divided into two parts of which this the second deals with the course of events ecclesiastical and secular and major developments in an age marked by the transformation of the position of the papacy in a process fuelled by a radical reformation of the church the decline of the western and eastern empires the rise of western kingdoms and italian elites and the development of governmental structures the beginnings of the recovery of spain from the moors and the establishment of western settlements in the eastern mediterranean region in the wake of the crusades

first published in 2002 a history of curiosity examines the early methodology of anthropological and social research from a critical historical perspective the three principal methods of research travel the survey and the collection of significant objects are studied in the context of the social conditions and intellectual trends of early modern times the author s grasp of the vast often obscure but highly interesting body of literature which emerged in the sixteenth to eighteenth centuries commands the attention of a wide readership outside purely academic boundaries he weaves together a series of separate studies emphasising links between the figures the philosophies and the literatures of early modern times links which have previously only been suspected in focussing on the ars apodemica or art of travelling a body of formal instructions on how to travel observe and record the information gathered the author demonstrates the origins of the characteristic inquisitive and systematizing spirit of the modern west

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the book is the volume of the history of education in wei jin southern and northern dynasty among a series of books of deep into china histories the earliest known written records of the history of china date from as early as 1250 bc from the shang dynasty c 1600 1046 bc and the bamboo annals 296 bc describe a xia dynasty c 2070 1600 bc before the shang but no writing is known from the period the shang ruled in the yellow river valley which is commonly held to be the cradle of chinese civilization however neolithic civilizations originated at various cultural centers along both the yellow river and yangtze river these yellow river and yangtze civilizations arose millennia before the shang with thousands of years of continuous history china is one of the world s oldest civilizations and is regarded as one of the cradles of civilization the zhou dynasty 1046 256 bc supplanted the shang and introduced the concept of

the mandate of heaven to justify their rule the central zhou government began to weaken due to external and internal pressures in the 8th century bc and the country eventually splintered into smaller states during the spring and autumn period these states became independent and warred with one another in the following warring states period much of traditional chinese culture literature and philosophy first developed during those troubled times in 221 bc qin shi huang conquered the various warring states and created for himself the title of huangdi or emperor of the qin marking the beginning of imperial china however the oppressive government fell soon after his death and was supplanted by the longer lived han dynasty 206 bc 220 ad successive dynasties developed bureaucratic systems that enabled the emperor to control vast territories directly in the 21 centuries from 206 bc until ad 1912 routine administrative tasks were handled by a special elite of scholar officials young men well versed in calligraphy history literature and philosophy were carefully selected through difficult government examinations china s last dynasty was the qing 1644 1912 which was replaced by the republic of china in 1912 and in the mainland by the people s republic of china in 1949 chinese history has alternated between periods of political unity and peace and periods of war and failed statehood the most recent being the chinese civil war 1927 1949 china was occasionally dominated by steppe peoples most of whom were eventually assimilated into the han chinese culture and population between eras of multiple kingdoms and warlordism chinese dynasties have ruled parts or all of china in some eras control stretched as far as xinjiang and tibet as at present traditional culture and influences from other parts of asia and the western world carried by waves of immigration cultural assimilation expansion and foreign contact form the basis of the modern culture of china

this is the final volume in the historical directory of trade unions series it provides a comprehensive list of all british unions that operated within the building construction chemical dock maritime engineering government mining quarry and shipbuilding industries

since the earliest times epidemics have broken out at regular intervals killing a large number of people they have presented peculiar problems both to the state and to the society the colonial india in general and the punjab in particular were affected intermittently by epidemics the punjab was one of the worst affected provinces of the colonial india in which several lakhs of people fell prey to the deadly epidemics punjab was the wheat basket of the british empire and the leading recruitment centre for military service in british indian army due to its strategic and military importance the british handled the epidemics with great vigour however in their attempt to contain the epidemic the british impinged on the privacy and religious susceptibilities of the natives the present work discusses the role of the state in handling the epidemics and the response of the society to such measures sasha the author is currently working as an assistant professor at panjab university chandigarh she did her doctorate in the faculty of arts under ugc fellowship from the panjab university she has to her

credit several publications both in international and national journals on the issues of health medicine and society in the colonial period

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