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compiled by workers of the writers program of the work projects administration in the state of nevada sponsored by dr jeanne elizabeth wier nevada state historical society inc nevada has changed dramatically over the past quarter century and in this third edition of the silver state renowned historian james w hulse recounts the major events historical political and social that have shaped our state hulse s cohesive approach offers students and general readers an accessible account of nevada s colorful history the new edition highlights the social and political changes that have occurred since the original publication of the silver state in 1991 hulse discusses the impact of a growing population changes in the economy and education system expanding roles of women recent developments in state politics including the 2003 legislative session the influence of nevada s growing ethnic population and increasingly divergent demographic groups and the impact of federal policies including president george w bush s 2002 decision to authorize the opening of a nuclear waste depository at yucca mountain in addition all the recommended reading lists have been updated the silver state explores many dimensions of the nevada experience and its peoples this book will inspire readers to take another look at the rich cultural heritage and eventful history of nevada the silver state nevada a history of the silver state has been named a choice outstanding title michael s green a leading nevada historian provides a detailed survey of the silver state s past from the arrival of the early european explorers to the predominance of mining in the 1800s to the rise of world class tourism in the twentieth century and to more recent attempts to diversify the economy of the numerous themes central to green s analysis of nevada s history luck plays a significant role in the state s growth the miners and gamblers who first visited the state all bet on luck today the biggest contributor to nevada s tourist economy gaming still relies on that same belief in luck nevada s financial system has generally been based on a one industry economy first mining and more recently gaming green delves deeply into the limitations of this structure while also exploring the theme of exploitation of the land and the overuse of the state s natural resources green covers many more aspects of the silver state s narrative including the dominance of one region of the state over another political forces and corruption and the citizens often tumultuous relationship with the federal government the book will appeal to scholars students and other readers interested in nevada history introduction to the places and people of the silver state examine the history culture and people of the state of nevada nevada s relatively brief history has been nonetheless remarkably eventful from the activities of the first euro american explorers to the booms and busts of the mining industry from the struggles and artistry of the native americans to the establishment of liberal divorce laws and such unique industries as legalized gambling and prostitution from cold war atomic tests to the civil rights movement from the arrival of a diverse and rapidly growing urban population to the sagebrush rebellion nevada has played a part in the nation s development while following its own ruggedly independent path in uncovering nevada s past historians john b reid and ronald m james have collected more than fifty major documents and visual images some never before published that define nevada s colorful and complex development here are the words of such literary luminaries as mark twain sarah winnemucca and arthur miller anonymous newspaper articles public documents including abraham lincoln s proclamation of nevada statehood and the probate records of murdered virginia city prostitute julia bulette personal letters political speeches and personal accounts of among other subjects the construction of hoover dam life in a mining boomtown racial segregation in las vegas political careers and atomic testing images include photographs of significant nevada architecture the masterpieces of renowned paiute basketmaker dat so la lee tree carvings by basque shepherders and tourism promotions the collection ranges from the earliest descriptions of the region to the current debate on

yucca mountain the volume editors have provided an introduction and headnotes that set the documents into their historical and social context uncovering nevada s past is a vital enlightening record of nevada s history in the words of the people who lived and made it that makes for lively and engaging reading introduces the history geography cultural background and people of the western state also includes the state song and emblems nevada 150 years in the silver state is a compelling historical cultural and visual portrait of nevada tapping the state s finest writers and photographers this ambitious book features each of nevada s 17 counties as well as its diverse cultural treasures natural landmarks such as lake tahoe and red rock canyon are highlighted as well as the neon metropolises of las vegas and reno lavishly illustrated essays cover the most important facets of nevada from mining and gaming to manufacturing and entertainment while history is an important component of the book s content it is just one element of its rich texture it looks at nevada s past present and future and the state s place in the west in america and in the world an oversized horizontal format high production value coffee table hardcover book printed on premium coated paper full color throughout the state of nevada is one of the friendliest mining jurisdictions in the world it s one of the largest producers of silver in the united states of america the nickname silver state is very fitting for a state that has been a silver production leader since the 1800 s in the coming weeks months and years silver speculators expect the gold silver ratio to go from its all time high of over 120 to around a normal level of approximately 60 the gold silver ratio is just the amount of silver ounces it takes to purchase a single ounce of gold the potential is huge in order for the ratio to go down the silver price has to go up much higher the world monetary system is in question and the fundamentals have never been better for silver to shine will the state of nevada lead the 21st century silver rush the silver trade is currently quiet but that will change along with the price of silver in the book silver investing in the silver state nevada mining companies ready to shine you will see every company doing silver mining in nevada the coming silver boom and today s opportunity in silver investing just may be the ultimate investment buying opportunity over the next decade bonus baby knockout silver picks nevada the silver state is a part of the discover america series nevada celebrates the people and culture with beautiful images and engaging facts as well as describing the history industry environment and sports that make this state unique the third edition of this popular series is updated with a variety of features that will help students learn about the state of nevada this comprehensive book outlines the geography history people government and economy of the state lists of key people events cities plants and animals and political figures plus fact boxes and quotes provide easily accessible information that is supplemented by activities such as crafts recipes and a map quiz historic photos artwork and other images enhance the text world war ii and nevada is an in depth examination of the state s role in the war nevada s geographic location land sky mineral resources and the sacrifices of its people were crucial to victory and transformed the state the war brought the first significant development of the gaming industry the introduction of a huge permanent military presence the diversification of its population and a shift in political and economic power within the region nevada s previously unexamined role in the internment of japanese americans is explored and so too is the role of women and minority groups in support of the war the book concludes with a comprehensive list of those killed wounded or made prisoners of war during the conflict weller provides the most thorough analysis of nevada s war effort to date and historians will find the book a valuable addition to their world war ii history collections bonded leather binding nevada state nickname the silver state motto all for our country state song home means nevada nv became a state in 1864 its capital is carson city other big cities are las vegas and reno this book measures 6x9 inches 15 24 cm x 22 86 cm paperback matte cover 100 pages of white lined journal paper click on author america the beautiful press to view all 50 of the united states of america and buy books for family friends combining social political and economic history louisa schell hoberman examines a neglected period in mexico s colonial past providing the first book length study of the period s merchant elite and its impact on the evolution of mexico through extensive archival research hoberman brings to light new data that illuminate the formation behavior and power of the merchant class in new

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