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presents a comprehensive study of the central asian region of xinjiang s history and people from antiquity to the present discusses xinjiang s rich environmental cultural and ethno political heritage

the recent conflict between indigenous uyghurs and han chinese demonstrates that xinjiang is a major trouble spot for china with uyghur demands for increased autonomy and where beijing's policy is to more firmly integrate the province within china this book provides an account of how china's evolving integrationist policies in xinjiang have influenced its foreign policy in central asia since the establishment of the people's republic in 1949 and how the policy of integration is related to china's concern for security and its pursuit of increased power and influence in central asia the book traces the development of xinjiang from the collapse of the qing empire in the early twentieth century to the present and argues that there is a largely complementary relationship between china's xinjiang central asia and grand strategy derived interests this pattern of interests informs and shapes china's diplomacy in central asia and its approach to the governance of xinjiang michael e clarke shows how china's concerns and policies although pursued with vigour in recent decades are of long standing and how domestic problems and policies in xinjiang have for a long time been closely bound up with wider international relations issues

since antiquity the vast central eurasian region of xinjiang or eastern turkestan has stood at the crossroads of china india the middle east and europe playing a pivotal role in the social cultural and political histories of asia and the world today it comprises one sixth of the territory of the people's republic of china and borders india pakistan afghanistan tajikistan kyrgyzstan kazakhstan russia and mongolia eurasian crossroads is an engaging and comprehensive account of xinjiang's history and people from earliest times to the present day drawing on primary sources in several asian and european languages james a millward surveys xinjiang's rich environmental and cultural heritage as well as its historical and contemporary geopolitical significance xinjiang was once the hub of the silk road and the conduit through which buddhism christianity and islam entered china it was also a fulcrum where sinic steppe nomadic tibetan and islamic imperial realms engaged and struggled in the twentieth and twenty first centuries the han dominated chinese communist party has failed to include xinjiang's diverse indigenous central asian peoples its nationalistic visions have spurred domestic troubles that now affect the prc's foreign affairs and global ambitions this revised and updated edition features new empirically grounded and balanced analysis of the latest developments in the region focusing on the circumstances of the uyghurs kazakhs and other xinjiang peoples in the face of policies implemented by the chinese communist party

the history of xinjiang tells about the development of xinjiang in its region minorities and relationship with central plains throughout history from ancient times to han dynasty from wei and jin dynasties to sui and tang dynasties from song and yuan dynasties to ming and qing dynasties and from the republic of china to the new china

this balanced history of xinjiang and its uyghur inhabitants traces the development of this ethnic group from imperial china to the present and its fraught relationship with the

chinese state morris rossabi focuses especially on ccp policies both progressive and repressive toward the uyghurs since 1949

xinjiang china's far northwestern province where the majority of the population are muslim uyghurs was for most of its history contested territory on the silk road a region of overlapping cultures the province was virtually independent until the late nineteenth century nominally part of the qing empire with considerable interest taken in it by the british and the russians as part of their great game rivalry in asia ruled by warlords in the early twentieth century it was occupied in 1949-50 by the people's liberation army since when attempts have been made to integrate the province more fully into china this book outlines the history of xinjiang it focuses on the key city of kashgar the symbolic heart of uighur society drawing on a large body of records in which ordinary people provided information on the period around the communist takeover these records provide an exceptionally rich source showing how ordinary uyghurs lived their everyday lives before 1949 and how those lives were affected by the arrival of the chinese communist party and its army subjects covered by the book include eastern turkestan independence regional politics local government the military taxation education and the press

central asia and xinjiang the far northwestern province of china are of increasing international importance this book provides a comprehensive overview of the region's significance historically of the contemporary international forces which affect the region and of current political economic and cultural developments

based on rare firsthand historical data wang ke presents the analysis of the east turkestan from the perspective of islamic social structure the origin and evolution of thoughts on national revolution the power structure of the republic and international politics the original japanese edition of this book has been recognized as the most authoritative research work on the independence movement of east turkestan this revised enriched english edition provides valuable references for the prominent issues of xinjiang today for those intrigued by the modern history of china's xinjiang region this detailed study of the 1940s invites the reader to explore a tempestuous decade marked by conflict and turmoil as uyghurs kazakhs and other ethnic groups sought to form an independent state the east turkestan republic understanding the complex involvement of powerful outside forces a brutal world war and an opportunity for groups that saw a chance at independence requires careful examination and professor wang's book does an admirable job in doing so his exceptionally wellwritten book offers numerous insights many based on materials that range from diaries and documents to memoirs and personal interviews altogether wang's recently translated account strengthens our understanding of xinjiang's mid-20th century conundrum linda benson professor emerita oakland university

eastern turkestan now known as xinjiang or the new territory makes up a sixth of china's land mass absorbed by the qing in the 1880s and reconquered by mao in 1949 this

turkic muslim region of china's remote northwest borders on formerly soviet central asia afghanistan kashmir mongolia and tibet will xinjiang participate in twenty first century ascendancy or will nascent islamic radicalism in xinjiang expand the orbit of instability in a dangerous part of the world this comprehensive survey of contemporary xinjiang is the result of a major collaborative research project begun in 1998 the authors have combined their fieldwork experience linguistic skills and disciplinary expertise to assemble the first multifaceted introduction to xinjiang the volume surveys the region's geography its history of military and political subjugation to china economic social and commercial conditions demography public health and ecology and patterns of adaption resistance opposition and evolving identities

this book examines the chinese government's policies and practices for relations with the inner periphery areas of tibet xinjiang and inner mongolia and the outer periphery areas of hong kong and taiwan focusing on themes of political authority socio cultural relations and economic development china's history may be seen as one of managing the geographic periphery surrounding china proper successive imperial republican and communist governments have struggled to maintain sovereignty over the regions surrounding the great river valleys of china the importance of the periphery is no less real today concerns over national security access to natural resources and long held concerns about relations between han and other ethnic groups continue to dominate chinese law policy and practice regarding governance in the inner periphery regions of inner mongolia xinjiang and tibet in the outer periphery beijing sees engagement with the outside world particularly the west as inextricably tied to chinese sovereignty over former foreign colonies of hong kong and taiwan using the case study of national integration to indicate how policies are articulated and implemented through law and political legal institutions this book will be of interest to students and scholars of the peripheral regions it will also appeal to academic and policy communities interested in legal reform in china

there has been a significant increase in the twenty first century in the frequency and intensity of violent incidents in the xinjiang uyghur autonomous region the far northwest province of china where the uyghurs the turkic speaking muslim people who historically constituted the majority population feel themselves displaced and discriminated against by the growing migration of han chinese the book explores the continuing unrest in xinjiang it focuses in particular on the major violence of july 2009 in the city of urumqi on repression and the practice of islam in southern xinjiang and on the policy of the chinese communist party which has used the rhetoric of the war on terror to justify its repression in terms which it hopes will gain sympathy from the international community the book relates these particular points to the development of china uyghur relations more broadly in the longer historical perspective and concludes by discussing how the situation is likely to unfold in future

as analysis of the revenue available to qing garrisons in xinjiang reveals imperial control over the region in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries depended upon sizeable yearly subsidies from china in an effort to satisfy criticism of their expansion into xinjiang and make the territory pay for itself the qing court permitted local authorities great latitude in fiscal matters and encouraged the presence of han and chinese muslim merchants at the same time the court recognized the potential for unrest posed by chinese mercantile penetration of this muslim turkic speaking area they consequently attempted through administrative and legal means to defend the native uyghur population against economic depredation this ethnic policy reflected a conception of the realm that was not sinocentric but rather placed the uyghur on a par with han chinese both this ethnic policy and xinjiang s place in the realm shifted following a series of invasions from western turkestan starting in the 1820 s because of the economic importance of chinese merchants and the efficacy of merchant militia in xinjiang the qing court revised its policies in their favor for the first time allowing permanent han settlement in the area at the same time the court began to advocate provincehood and the sinicization of xinjiang as a resolution to the perennial security problem these shifts the author argues marked the beginning of a reconception of china to include inner asian lands and peoples a notion that would by the twentieth century become a deeply held tenet of chinese nationalism

xinjiang named in 1759 by emperor qianlong 1711 1799 of the manchu led qing dynasty of china was ruled by the qing from the final phase of the dzungar qing wars when the dzungar khanate was conquered and lasted until the fall of the imperial dynasty in 1912 based on rare ancient maps and historical archives the book tells stories of xinjiang during the qing it involves emperor qianlong s concubine xiangfei uyghur concubine married with emperor qianlong lady catherine the wife of the british consul general in kashgar at the end of the 19th century and lived in xinjiang for nearly two decades swedish missionaries persisted in spreading christianity for 38 years among uyghurs who believed in islam guan gong temples the belief in lord guan a religious tradition of the han and manchus and so on

this book discusses court oriented legal reforms across asia with a focus on the creation of new courts over the last 20 years contributors discuss how to judge new courts and examine whether the many new courts introduced over this period in asia have succeeded or failed the new courts under scrutiny are mainly specialist courts including those established to hear cases involving intellectual property disputes bankruptcy petitions commercial contracts public law adjudication personal law issues and industrial disputes the justification of the trend to judicialize disputes has seen the invocation of western style rule of law as necessary for the development of the market economy democratization good governance and the upholding of human rights this book also includes critics of court building who allege that it serves a western agenda rather than serving local interests and that the emphasis on judicialization marginalises alternative local and traditional modes of dispute resolution adopting an explicitly comparative perspective and contrasting the experiences of important asian states china japan korea malaysia vietnam brunei thailand and indonesia this book considers critical questions

including why has the new court model been adopted and why do international development agencies and nation states tend to favour it what difficulties have the new courts encountered how have the new courts performed what are the broader implications of the trend towards the adoption of judicial solutions to economic social and political problems written by world authorities on court development in asia this book will not only be of interest to legal scholars and practitioners but also to development specialists economists and political scientists

china is a site for the evolution not only of chinese nationalism but the nationalism of various non han ethnic groups during the 20th century these ethnic groups constructed and expressed their own identities and nationalism through interaction with one another and with outside influences this interdisciplinary anthology contains nine original works that pluralize our understanding of nationalism in china by illustrating the various intellectual strains of china s nationalist discourse the dichotomy between the political authorities and grass roots experiences and the nationalizing efforts by various ethnic and political groups along china s inland and maritime frontiers first contributors explore the controversy surrounding the contested issue of china s national and international identity from pre modern times to the present next the authors examine china s nationalist encounters with foreign influences such as u s marines in shandong soviet experts in manchuria and recent friction between the united states and the prc finally essays expand beyond the ethnographic regions of the han chinese and the political domain of the prc to discuss the odyssey of taiwan s nationalism in both a political and a cultural sense many selections are based on newly declassified archival materials

for more than half a century many uyghurs members of a muslim minority in northwestern china have sought to achieve greater autonomy or outright independence yet the chinese government has consistently resisted these efforts countering with repression and a sophisticated strategy of state sanctioned propaganda emphasizing interethnic harmony and chinese nationalism after decades of struggle uyghurs remain passionate about establishing and expanding their power within government and china s leaders continue to push back refusing to concede any physical or political ground beginning with the history of xinjiang and its unique population of chinese muslims gardner bovingdon follows fifty years of uyghur discontent particularly the development of individual and collective acts of resistance since 1949 as well as the role of various transnational organizations in cultivating dissent bovingdon s work provides fresh insight into the practices of nation building and nation challenging not only in relation to xinjiang but also in reference to other regions of conflict his work highlights the influence of international institutions on growing regional autonomy and underscores the role of representation in nationalist politics as well as the local regional and global implications of the war on terror on antistate movements while both the chinese state and foreign analysts have portrayed uyghur activists as muslim terrorists situating them within global terrorist networks bovingdon argues that these assumptions are flawed drawing a clear

line between islamist ideology and uyghur nationhood

this book examines the chinese opium crisis from the perspective of qing prohibition efforts the author argues that opium prohibition and not the opium wars was genuinely imperial in scale and is hence much more representative of the actual drug problem faced by qing administrators

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