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While literary scholars have insisted on the need to understand works of medieval literature in their historical context, medieval historians themselves have rarely contributed to modern attempts to show how works of imaginative literature engaged with the conflicts and controversies of their own day. This volume brings together 25 experts in the history of fourteenth-century England and asks them to discuss one of the most

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famous works of Middle English literature--Geoffrey Chaucer's 'General Prologue' to the Canterbury Tales--in relation to the economic change, social issues, and religious controversies of the period. Beginning with a survey of recent debates about the social meaning of Chaucer's work, the volume then discusses each of the Canterbury pilgrims in turn. The book should be of interest to all scholars and students of medieval culture whether they are specialists in literature or history. This collection of essays offers fresh analysis of topics in the exciting area of Atlantic World studies. Challenging standard assumptions, the essays advance the argument that the Atlantic Ocean was a region that encompassed ethnic and political boundaries, in which a sub-community shaped by culture and commerce arose. The history and underlying ideology of pilgrimage examined, from prehistory to the middle ages. The text is edited, with 'Annotated Indices and an Introduction'. In addition to the treatise, the volume contains 'Sailing Directions for the Circumnavigation of England, and for a Voyage to the Straits of Gibraltar, from a 15th Century MS' which originally appeared as Volume 79(b) in the series. The two sets of directions were originally bound together but separately paginated. The first contains the text of the 1638 English translation, A learned treatise of globes by John Chilmead (but 'usually attributed to Edmund Chilmead with apparent corrections'); the title-page of the Latin original is dated 1594. The 'Sailing Directions' are edited, with an account of the MS., by James Gairdner; with a Glossary by Edward Delmar Morgan. This is a new print-on-demand hardback edition of the volume first published in 1889. THE complete guide for a sailing circumnavigation. The

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seasons; the winds; the oceans; the timing; storms; pirates; regulations; safe harbors; supplies. Everything you need to know and didn't know who to ask.

This volume of the publications of the Hakluyt Society (1889) contains directions for using Molyneux's globes in calculating navigational points.

Maritime archaeology, the study of man's early encounter with the rivers and seas of the world, only came to the fore in the last decades of the twentieth century, long after its parent discipline, terrestrial archaeology, had been established. Yet there were seamen long before there were farmers, navigators before there were potters, and boatbuilders before there were wainwrights. In this book Professor McGrail attempts to correct some of the imbalance in our knowledge of the past by presenting the evidence for the building and use of early water transport: rafts, boats, and ships.

This Elibron Classics title is a reprint of the original edition published by The Hakluyt Society in London, 1889. This book contains color illustrations.

I take the helm and steer by the feel of the wind.

She's in a groove balanced and true. My spirits lift; I look back west and laugh out loud. We are flying! I am free now, free of the petty life, free of the cloying social restrictions, free to enjoy, free to really feel alive, free to live. Mysteriously I come alive. The boat leaps, lunging up and over and out. The seas thunder past. For a day and a night the wind comes with relentless energy and the sky is clear. As I paused and gazed up I was astonished to realize that the night was perfectly clear and a million stars shone like diamonds. The seas were bald blue

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promontories that moved with majestic savage grace. Another night came down and the moon rose and the constellations wheeled by in sombre solitude. The wind took off at last; around midnight I think it was. One more gale I thought. from onboard Wallaby Creek 2005.1 The Philosophy 2 Mental preparation 3 The real Problem 4 Keeping your head 5 Pirates and Axe Murderers 6 The Crew 7 Things you need to know 8 Things you need to be able to do 9 The hardest bits 10 The easiest bits 11 The most enjoyable bits 12 The least enjoyable bits 13 The most expensive places 14 The least expensive places 19 The questions most asked 20 The personal quality most needed

Some days were made for swooping along on sparkling diamond seas with a bubbling white wake. Other days are cold and wet and melancholy, made for a big card game or a good book. If you can feel the rhythm and move to it, your life will be enriched. If you cannot feel the rhythm, if you are anxious to make progress, if you get your greatest satisfaction from seeing good progress on the instruments, then you are doomed to the same old same old from which you are supposed to be trying to get away. Good luck!

Bindets første afdeling indeholder i introduktionen en gennemgang af globerne - både terrestriske og astronomiske - fra de først kendte omtaler og de ældste eksisterende glober. I "Tractatus" er der informationer om navigation og stedsbestemmelser i

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Explanations and Sailing Directions to Accompany the Wind and Current Charts Approved by Captian D.N. Ingraha Cheff Of The Bureau Of Ordnance and Hydrography, And Published By Authority Of Hon. Isaac Toucey.

Examines the factors that precipitated the exploration and colonization of the world from 1450 to 1650 and analyzes the resulting political and social consequences Migrants made up a growing class of workers in late sixteenth- and seventeenth- century England. In fact, by 1650, half of England's rural population consisted of homeless and itinerant laborers. Unsettled is an ambitious attempt to reconstruct the everyday lives of these dispossessed people. Patricia Fumerton offers an expansive portrait of unsettledness in early modern England that includes the homeless and housed alike. Fumerton begins by building on recent studies of vagrancy, poverty, and servants, placing all in the light of a new domestic economy of mobility. She then looks at representations of the vagrant in a variety of pamphlets and literature of the period. Since seamen were a particularly large and prominent class of mobile wage-laborers in the seventeenth century, Fumerton turns to seamen generally and to an individual poor seaman as a case study of the unsettled subject: Edward Barlow (b. 1642) provides a rare opportunity to see how the laboring poor fashioned themselves, for he authored a journal of over 225,000 words and 147 pages of drawings. Barlow's journal, studied extensively here for

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the first time, vividly charts what he himself termed his “unsettled mind” and the perpetual anxieties of England’s working and wayfaring poor. Ultimately, Fumerton explores representations of seamen as unsettled in the broadside ballads of Barlow’s time. North-East to Muscovy explores important and overlooked sea voyages, the motivation behind them, the geographical knowledge acquired on them which put England in the forefront of cartography, and the extraordinary dealings of the Muscovy Company - which included passing on a proposal of marriage to Elizabeth I from Ivan the Terrible.

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Of all the activities of the most neglected century in English History, England's trade has received the least attention in proportion to its importance. It was obviously in the course of the later Middle Ages, and more particularly in the fifteenth century, that there took place the great transformation from medieval England, isolated and intensely local, to the England of the Tudor and Stuart age, with its world-wide connections and imperial designs. It was during the same period that most of the forms of international trade

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characteristic of the Middle Ages were replaced by new methods of commercial organization and regulation, national in scope and at times definitely nationalistic in object, and that a marked movement towards capitalist methods and principles took place in the sphere of domestic trade. Yet little has been written concerning English trade in this period. First published in 1933, this classic volume goes a long way to fill this gap superbly. There is an abundance of material, and the writers have compiled a statistical analysis of the Enrolled Customs Account from 1377-1482, which provides an essential measure of the nature, volume, and movement of English foreign commerce during the period.

Includes its Report, 1896-19 .

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