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*The Billy Boy* 2011-09-02 a cult figure among loyalists despised and feared by nationalists billy king rat wright is reputed to have been involved in a number of sectarian murders before he himself was shot dead by republican gunmen inside the maze prison in 1997 wright became involved with loyalist paramilitaries at the age of 16 and in the early 1990s he emerged as the uvf commander in the mid ulster area the billy boy documents wright s role in the drumcree dispute of 1995 96 and his split from the uvf recounting how he ignored both a death threat and an order to leave northern ireland only to remain in portadown and form the loyalist volunteer force it covers wright s trial and subsequent imprisonment for a crime it has been claimed was set up by the state recounts the circumstances of his killing inside a top security prison and investigates the allegations of state collusion in wright s death terrifically gripping and often disturbing the billy boy is an exhaustive account of a notorious figure of the troubles whose life and death were surrounded by controversy and political debate

*A Farewell to Arms?* 2006-04-18 neither naively optimistic nor hopelessly pessimistic this collection of writings by experts on the history of the troubles in northern ireland paints a realistic picture of the peace processes that have dotted the province s landscape

The Politics of Memoir and the Northern Ireland Conflict 2013 this book examines memoir writing by many of the key political actors in the northern irish troubles 1969/1998 and argues that memoir has been a neglected dimension of the study of the legacies of the violent conflict it investigates these sources in the context of ongoing disputes over how to interpret northern irelands recent past a careful reading of these memoirs can provide insights into the lived experience and retrospective judgments of some of the main protagonists of the conflict the period of relative peace rests upon an uneasy calm in northern ireland many people continue to inhabit contested ideological territories and in their strategies for shaping the narrative telling of the conflict key individuals within the protestant unionist and catholic irish nationalist communities can appear locked into exclusive and self justifying discourses in such circumstances while some memoirists have been genuinely self critical many others have utilised a post conflict language of societal

Historical Dictionary of Terrorism 2009-08-03 the united states department of defense defines terrorism as the calculated use of unlawful violence or threat of unlawful violence to inculcate fear intended to coerce or to intimidate governments or societies in the pursuit of goals that are generally political religious or ideological while terrorism has been around for centuries it was the al qa eda attacks of september 11 2001 that brought home to the world and most particularly the united states just how dangerous terrorism can be the third edition of the historical dictionary of terrorism presents the full spectrum of forms of political violence through a chronology an introductory essay a bibliography and hundreds of cross referenced dictionary entries on major terrorist groups and their leaders significant terrorist events cyber terrorism counterterrorism and social science concepts regarding the motivations and group dynamics of terrorist groups authors sean k anderson and stephen sloan move beyond the gut reaction we have to this volatile and divisive topic by providing a reliable and objective reference on terrorism

EU Counter Terrorism Strategy, Programs and Activities Handbook Volume 1 Strategic Information and Materials 2002-01-04 defenders of the union is a concise and readable overview of the history and contentious politics of unionism and the affect it has had on anglo irish relations over the last two hundred years it is an essential guide to this confusing topic and covers key areas such as definition of unionism establishment of the union unionist literature loyalists since 1972

*Defenders of the Union* 2018-05-03 this reference is essential reading for anyone attempting to understand modern terrorism by studying the arc of terrorism throughout history from anarchists to al qaeda isis and beyond as the rise of isis demonstrates terrorist groups continue to destabilize vital regions around the world this book features a series of introductory essays addressing how terrorism has evolved spanning centuries to focus ultimately on the advent of modern terrorism which has taken place from 1968 to the present it discusses the emerging

challenges presented by the proliferation of violent non state actors including al Qaeda and ISIS in addition it explores exactly what has motivated terrorists and speculates as to how terrorism may continue to evolve the core of terrorism the essential reference guide comprises a z entries on terrorist organizations major terrorist attacks and prominent terrorist leaders the work concludes with a carefully selected group of primary source documents essential to understanding the contemporary terrorist landscape and a detailed timeline that will help readers to place significant terrorism related events in their proper context

Terrorism 2009-09-24 for nearly four decades the conflict in Ireland has embittered relations between the communities living there and spoiled relations between the Republic of Ireland and Great Britain for three decades it escalated punctuated by periodic bloody clashes followed by somewhat calmer periods of tension during which violence of all sorts robberies kidnappings serious injuries and deaths were all too common during the past decade fortunately all sides have realized that armed solutions were unlikely to bring a solution to anyone's problems and that peace should be given a chance fortunately with the establishment of a new Northern Ireland Executive there is a general acceptance that the conflict is now part of the past the A to Z of the Northern Ireland Conflict covers the history of the Troubles through a chronology covering the Northern Ireland Conflict and Peace Process from 1968 until the formation of the new Northern Ireland Executive in May 2007 an introductory essay a bibliography and several hundred cross referenced dictionary entries on main events individuals and organizations researchers with an interest in the Northern Ireland Conflict will find this book to be an essential addition to their collection of reference books on the subject

**The A to Z of the Northern Ireland Conflict** 2004-08-02 framing terrorism argues that the September 11 attacks precipitated a critical shift in the predominant news frame used by the US mass media for understanding issues of national security thereby altering perceptions of risk at home and abroad

Framing Terrorism 1998-10-28 a comprehensive analysis of the role that prison policy can play in the reduction of terrorism this book examines the experience of three Western Europe jurisdictions Northern Ireland Italy and the Spanish Basque Country it looks at the role of the prisons both as tools for counter insurgency and as part of a process of conflict resolution it looks in detail at each jurisdiction and then compares the experience of the three conflicts

*Prisons, Peace and Terrorism* 2017-03-15 the second edition of the historical dictionary of the Northern Ireland Conflict provides an accessible and comprehensive study of the conflict and peace process in Northern Ireland from the 1960s to 2016 the second edition of the book expands on the references relating to individuals organizations and events of the Northern Ireland Troubles and adds material on significant subsequent developments this work provides a unique view of developments since the signing of the Good Friday Agreement in 1998 while widely heralded as the end of the Northern Ireland Conflict the agreement instead witnessed the beginning of a new series of political difficulties to be addressed the historical dictionary of the Northern Ireland Conflict is the first significant reference work to examine many of the issues related to political and cultural conflicts and dealing with the past which have grown in intensity since 1998 many of these themes will be relevant to students of post conflict societies in other areas of the world this second edition of historical dictionary of the historical dictionary of the Northern Ireland Conflict contains a chronology an introduction and an extensive bibliography the dictionary section has over 300 cross referenced entries on important personalities politics economy foreign relations religion and culture

Historical Dictionary of the Northern Ireland Conflict 2012-08-08 fifteen minutes before five o'clock on Good Friday 1998 Senator George Mitchell was informed that his long and difficult quest for an Irish peace accord had succeeded the Protestants and Catholics of Northern Ireland and the governments of the Republic of Ireland and the United Kingdom would sign the agreement now Mitchell who served as

independent chairman of the peace talks for the length of the process tells us the inside story of the grueling road to this momentous accord for more than two years mitchell who was senate majority leader under presidents bush and clinton labored to bring together parties whose mutual hostility after decades of violence and mistrust seemed insurmountable sinn fein represented by gerry adams the catholic moderates led by john hume the majority protestant party headed by david trimble ian paisley s hard line unionists and not least the governments of the republic of ireland and the united kingdom headed by bertie ahern and tony blair the world watched as the tense and dramatic process unfolded sometimes teetering on the brink of failure here for the first time we are given a behind the scenes view of the principal players the personalities who shaped the process and of the contentious at times vitriolic proceedings we learn how as the deadline approached extremist violence and factional intransigence almost drove the talks to collapse and we witness the intensity of the final negotiating session the interventions of ahern and blair the late night phone calls from president clinton a last ditch attempt at disruption by paisley and ultimately an agreement that despite subsequent inflammatory acts aimed at destroying it has set northern ireland s future on track toward a more lasting peace

**Making Peace** 2008-03-07 the state of loyalism in northern ireland examines the changes and developments within parliamentary loyalism throughout the northern ireland peace process drawing from interviews with key players it charts the drama of tensions debates and negotiations and provides a compelling inside account

**The State of Loyalism in Northern Ireland** 2000-10-11 political accommodation in northern ireland israel and south africa at the macro level may not by itself be sufficient to achieve the long term goals of building peace and reconciliation this book uses lederach s peace building model to explore issues which may provide a basis for transformation and a lasting peace in the three countries

Peacebuilding in Northern Ireland, Israel and South Africa 2011-05-02 the 1998 belfast agreement promised to release citizens of northern ireland from the grip of paramilitarism however almost a decade later loyalist paramilitaries were still on the battlefield after the peace examines the delayed business of loyalist demilitarization and explains why it included more fits than starts in the decade since formal peace and how loyalist paramilitary recalcitrance has affected everyday loyalists drawing on interviews with current and former loyalist paramilitary men community workers and government officials carolyn gallagher charts the trenchant divisions that emerged during the run up to peace and thwart demilitarization today after the peace demonstrates that some loyalist paramilitary men want to rebuild their communities and join the political process they pledge a break with violence and the criminality that sustained their struggle others vow not to surrender and refuse to set aside their guns these units operate under a loyalist banner but increasingly resemble criminal fiefdoms in the wake of this internecine power struggle demilitarization has all but stalled gallagher documents the battle for the heart of loyalism in varied settings from the attempt to define ulster scots as a language to deadly feuds between uvf uda and lvf contingents after the peace brings the story of loyalist paramilitaries up to date and sheds light on the residual violence that persists in the post accord era

After the Peace 2016-06-30 now that northern ireland s troubles appear to be over with old enemies the dup and sinn féin sharing power what will happen to the hard men of loyalism the ulster volunteer force emerged during the first sparks of northern ireland s troubles in the mid 1960s their campaign of violence quickly marked them out as one of the most extreme loyalist groups henry macdonald and jim cusack provide a fascinating insight into the uvf s origins growth and decline they follow the careers of some of the key players in the uvf including gusty spence billy wright and david ervine they catalogue the atrocities in which the uvf were involved including the dublin and monaghan bombings the emergence of the notorious renegade shankill butchers and the various bloody feuds that have infected loyalism they trace the paramilitary organisation from the violent margins through the horrors of the 1970s and 1980s to its shaky 1994 ceasefire and its crucial if

sometimes reluctant role in the peace process that led up to the signing of the good friday agreement in 1998

UVF - The Endgame 1999 all places undergo change but in few has this change been quite as sweeping as ireland both the independent republic of ireland and dependent northern ireland so it is good to see where it is heading at present obviously that has to be judged on the background of where it is coming from not only over the past decade or so but over centuries and indeed millennia this new edition of historical dictionary of ireland is an excellent resource for discovering the history of ireland this is done through a chronology an introductory essay and an extensive bibliography the cross referenced dictionary section has over 600 entries on significant persons places and events political parties and institutions including the catholic church with period forays into literature music and the arts this book is an excellent resource for students researchers and anyone wanting to know more about ireland

**The Need for New and Acceptable Policy in Northern Ireland** 2013-11-14 challenging traditional narrow views this unique work proposes to rethink and reinterpret ulster loyalism from the beginning of the troubles to the present day by tracing its religious paramilitary political and community influences the work examines the core values of loyalist communities the roots of violence and the shift toward peaceful coexistence with former enemies also discussed are the dup s claims that it represents loyalism s true voice along with the complex and varying degrees of commitment to the crown the protestant faith and the british governance of northern ireland lastly it looks at how cultural expressions of loyalist identity such as poetry or cartoons are being used in the re construction of a loyalist memory written by a leading expert on ulster loyalism the work is based on extensive interviews with loyalists and loyalist literature to provide an inside account of the processes of loyalist identity formation and transformation drawing on political science sociology and cultural studies it will appeal to anyone interested in irish politics as well as conflict and peace processes

Historical Dictionary of Ireland 2015-12-03 a mindless sectarian psychopath or a loyalist folk hero who took the war to the ira s front door the name johnny mad dog adair is synonymous with a killing spree by loyalist terrorists that took northern ireland to the brink of civil war from humble beginnings as a rioter and glue sniffer on belfast s shankill road adair rose through the ranks of the outlawed ulster freedom fighters to head its merciless killing machine c company surrounded by a group of trusted friends his reign of terror in the early 1990s claimed the lives of up to 40 catholics picked out at random as adair s hitmen roamed belfast determined to lead from the front his men even fired a rocket at sinn fein s headquarters writing themselves into loyalist mythology and embarrassing the ira in its republican heartland its desperate attempts to kill adair culminated in october 1993 when a bomb on the shankill road intended for the loyalist godfather claimed the lives of nine protestant civilians mad dog the rise and fall of johnny adair and c company describes in graphic detail adair s criminal empire and an egomaniac s bloody war against catholics and anybody else who got in his way adair s friends and enemies talk for the first time about the murders he ordered his sordid personal life and his attempts ultimately disastrous to become northern ireland s supreme loyalist figurehead

*Very British Rebels?* 2013-04-19 completely revised and updated edition the essential history of the troubles compellingly written and very even handed by far the clearest account of what happened in the northern ireland conflict and more importantly why it happened irish news extraordinarily well balanced sane comprehensive and rich in sober understatement glasgow herald first published two decades ago making sense of the troubles is widely regarded as the most comprehensive considered and compassionate irish times history of the troubles in northern ireland written by a distinguished journalist and a teacher of history in northern ireland it surveys the roots of the problems from 1921 onwards the descent into violence in the late 60s and the three terrible decades that followed in this fully revised and updated version mckittrick and mcvea take into account the momentous events of the ten years that followed their first publication including the disbanding

of the irish republican army's deal with the republicans and the historic power sharing government in belfast an updated reissue of a collaborative study published 12 years ago to rave reviews as a frank accurate and authoritative narrative of events which should be required reading for anyone hoping to understand what had been going on in the north irish independent i would strongly advocate that it be made compulsory reading for everyone in northern ireland because for the first time it is our history all of it warts and all presented in a clear and understandable way *irish news*

**Mad Dog** 2001-11-29 the irish national liberation army was one of the most ruthless terrorist organisations during the troubles in northern ireland formed in 1974 as a splinter group of the official ira the inla's campaign of murder throughout the 1970s and 1980s included such notorious acts as the bombing of the droppin well in derry in 1982 and perhaps most infamously the kidnapping and mutilation of dublin dentist by former member the border fox many of their leading members found death at the end of a gun including founder members seamus costello and ronnie bunting and leader dominic mcglinchey the inla were also involved in numerous bloody feuds and splits this new revised edition of a classic book brings the inla story right up to date featuring the 1997 killing of lvf leader billy king rat wright their 1998 ceasefire their continuing involvement in punishment attacks and criminal activities and their declaration in october 2009 that their armed campaign was finally over

Making Sense of the Troubles 2016-06-29 this is a comprehensive detailed and humane account of the thousands who came into custody during the years of the northern ireland conflict and how they lived out the months years and decades in irish and english maximum security prisons erupting in 1969 the northern ireland troubles continued with terrible intensity until 1998 the most enduring civil conflict in western europe since the second world war cost almost 4 000 lives inflicted a vast toll of injuries and wrought much destruction based on extensive archival research and numerous interviews this book covers the jurisdictions of northern ireland the republic of ireland and england providing an account of riots escapes strip and dirty protests and hunger strikes it paints a picture of coming to terms with sentences some of which lasted for two decades and more republicans and loyalists male and female prisoners officials and staff families supporters clergy and politicians all played a part and all were changed the narrative includes some of the most remarkable events in prison history anywhere mass breakouts organised cell fouling and prolonged nakedness and hunger striking to the death there are also accounts of the prisoners very effective parallel command structure the book shows how anglo irish and intra irish relations were profoundly affected and how the prisoners involvement and consent were critical to the good friday agreement that ended the long war the final part of a trilogy dealing with irish political prisoners from 1848 to 2000 by renowned expert seán mcconville this is an essential resource for students and scholars of irish history and irish political prisoners it is also a major contribution to the study of imprisonment

I.N.L.A - Deadly Divisions 2021-03-30 sons of ulster explores the representation of masculinity within a number of northern irish novels written since the mid 1990s focusing on works by eoin mcnamee glenn patterson robert mciliam wilson the book sets out to disrupt notions of a hegemonic irish masculinity based on violent conflict sectarian rhetoric

*Irish Political Prisoners 1960-2000* 2005 the rise and fall of christian ireland describes the emergence long dominance sudden division and recent decline of ireland's most important religion as a way of telling the history of the island and its peoples throughout its long history christianity in ireland has lurched from crisis to crisis surviving the hostility of earlier religious cultures and the depredations of vikings evolving in the face of gregorian reformation in the eleventh and twelfth centuries and more radical protestant renewal from the sixteenth century christianity has shaped in foundational ways how the irish have understood themselves and their place in the world and the irish have shaped christianity too their churches have staffed some of the religion's most important institutions and developed some of its most

popular ideas but the Irish church like the island is divided after 1922 a border marked out two jurisdictions with competing religious politics the southern state turned to the Catholic church to shape its social mores until it emerged from an experience of sudden onset secularization to become one of the most progressive nations in Europe the northern state moved more slowly beyond the Protestant culture of its principal institutions but in a similar direction of travel in 2021 1 500 years on from the birth of Saint Columba Christian Ireland appears to be vanishing but its critics need not relax any more than believers ought to despair after the failure of several varieties of religious nationalism what looks like irredeemable failure might actually be a second chance in the ruins of the church new Patricks and Columbas shape the rise of another Christian Ireland

Developments In Northern Ireland, Part I: Human Rights and Police Reform..., [CSCE 108-2-2], [CSCE 108-2-3], March 16, 2004, May 5, 2004, 108-2 Hearings, \*. 2010 in the wake of 9 11 much has been written on terrorism some have examined the potential relation between religion and terrorism few if any have studied the relation between theology and terrorism in the latter case the crucial issue is whether theology provides indirect or direct motivation and justification for terrorist acts drawing on his childhood and youth in Northern Ireland William J Abraham tackles the latter question head on he argues that religious themes and practices play a pivotal indirect role in terrorism in Ireland and shows that theology plays a pivotal direct role in forms of Islamist terrorism hence current forms of terrorism cannot be fully understood without coming to terms with the crucial place of religion and theology in their origins and persistent existence beyond this he explores what ordinary people can do to respond to terrorism what they should expect from the state by way of protection how they can resist pious nonsense about forgiveness in respect to terrorism and how they can face the depth of evil that terrorism represents for all of us written with economy and energy this book is an eye opener on terrorism it is also a rigorous theological response to the moral and spiritual challenges posed by one of the great evils of our times

*Sons of Ulster* 2021-09-09 uvf behind the mask is the gripping new history of the Ulster Volunteer Force from its post 1965 incarnation to the present day Aaron Edwards blends rigorous research with unprecedented access to leading members of the UVF to unearth the startling inner workings of one of the world's oldest and most ruthless paramilitary groups through interviews with high profile UVF leaders such as Billy Mitchell David Irvine Billy Wright Billy Hutchinson and Gary Haggarty as well as their loyalist rivals including Johnny Adair Edwards reveals the grisly details behind their sadistic torture and murder techniques and their litany of high profile atrocities McGurk's Bar the Dublin and Monaghan bombings the Miami Showband massacre and the Shankill Butchers serial killing spree amongst others Edwards life and career has led him to the centre of the UVF's long dark underbelly in this defining work he offers a comprehensive and authoritative study of an armed group that continues to play a pivotal role in Northern Irish society

**The Rise and Fall of Christian Ireland** 2013 this volume reveals the seminal role of material culture in understanding the Long Kesh Maze Prison during the course of the Troubles in Northern Ireland continuing into the peace process using a multitude of sources it provides an interpretation of the Troubles and the continuing destabilizing role of material remnants of the conflict

**Shaking Hands with the Devil** 2017-12-01 religion has regained political prominence in the twenty first century and not least for the manner in which it intersects with ethnicity many ethnic conflicts have a strong religious dimension and religion appears as a powerful force for mobilisation solidarity and violence religion and ethnicity can each act as a powerful base of identity group formation and communal conflict they can also overlap with ethnic and religious boundaries coinciding partially or completely internally nested or intersecting this volume maps the different forms of intersection cases where religion is prioritised in private life and ethnicity in public where each coexists in tension in political life and where the distinctions reinforce each other with dynamic effects it maps the different patterns with case studies

and comparisons from ireland northern ireland france zimbabwe ghana and malaysia it shows how ordinary people construct their solidarities and identities using both ethnic and religious resources this opens up analysis of the socially transformative as well as politically antagonistic potential of religion in situations of ethnic division this book was published as a special issue of ethnopolitics

**UVF** 2014 the irish republican movement was one of the most significant revolutionary movements of the twentieth century this book focuses on the issue of republican splits which created the provisional and official republican movements and the subsequent development  
*An Archaeology of the Troubles* 2014-06-11 during 1940 1944 the citizens of france and its empire endured the dark years of invasion persecution and foreign occupation thousands of men women and children suffered arrest deportation and death as the french vichy regime worked to secure a place for france in hitler s new order france in the second world war is a wide ranging yet succinct introduction to the french experience of the second world war and its aftermath it examines the fall of france in 1940 and the founding of the vichy regime as well as collaboration resistance everyday life the holocaust the liberation and the echoes of the period in contemporary france chris millington addresses the chief topics in chapters that synthesizes the key points of the history and the historiography the french empire is carefully integrated throughout illustrating the global impact of events on mainland france in addition millington provides a helpful glossary of terms personalities and movements from the period and an annotated bibliography of english language sources to guide students to the most relevant works in the area france in the second world war provides a comprehensive introduction to the history and historiography of france and its empire during their darkest hours

Ethnicity and Religion 2011-12-20 one of the defining features of the post 9 11 world is the extent to which terrorism has become a key organising principle for domestic and international politics introduced by an essay exploring the complex nature of terrorism and with more than 250 entries each containing suggestions for further reading the dictionary of terrorism provides an overview of the key themes individuals organizations and tactics that have shaped terrorism throughout history and into the contemporary world it covers events such as the 9 11 attacks and the 7 7 london bombings terrorist organizations from the assassins of the first century to the modern zapatista army of national liberation biographies of individual terrorists ranging from abu ayyub al masri to abu zubaydah with extensive coverage given to key figures such as osama bin laden terrorist tactics such as bombings hijacking and hostage taking key international counter terrorism conventions the dictionary of terrorism is an easily accessible resource for undergraduate and postgraduate students researchers policy makers and anyone seeking to understand the nature of political ethnic and religious violence in the world today

**Inside the IRA** 2005 in march 1999 just months after the signing of the good friday agreement human rights lawyer rosemary nelson was assassinated when a bomb exploded under her car the attack was claimed by a loyalist paramilitary group but over the last ten years there have been several government enquiries into nelson s murder the latest one which has been ongoing since 2005 has dramatically alleged that there may have been some security service collusion in the killing rosemary nelson came to prominence for representing high profile republican and nationalist clients it was no secret that her life was at risk and she had received many death threats but had always been refused police protection she had even claimed publicly that her life was being threatened by members of the ruc allegations which have always been denied by the police this fascinating and in depth book takes an unflinching yet impartial look at this controversial case as well as investigating the events leading to rosemary nelson s murder author neil root draws on first hand interviews with those relevant to the case he also examines the striking similarities between her death and the assassination of solicitor pat finucane in 1989 this is a complex and terrifying story which deserves to be told

**Developments in Northern Ireland** 2020-07-23 this fifth edition covers the troubles from 1968 to 1998 it contains a chronology of events



an alphabetical dictionary of people parties organizations and key places sections on election results systems of government and the security system and a comprehensive index

**France in the Second World War** 2010-05-03 the gay community for years paul burston has heard talk of this fabled people whose votes are wooed by politicians whose pink pounds are courted by advertising executives and whose alternative lifestyle is derided by defenders of family values but he s never been quite sure who they were so he decided to set off and try to find them for himself his travels around gay britain take in a wide cross section of people and places from his own childhood in south wales to middle aged gay men enjoying a beach party in bromley from the gay couple running their own massage parlour in bristol to gay young conservatives in derbyshire along the way he comments on the hotly debated gay issues of the day cappuccino culture consumerism and community politics the age of consent and the narcissistic preoccupation with youth backrooms in bars and gay loft conversions witty irreverent and fiercely intelligent queens country presents the rich diversity and occasional cultural poverty of the forces shaping gay life in modern britain

**Dictionary of Terrorism** 2011-04-04 this compact and accessible reference work provides all the essential facts and figures about major aspects of modern irish history from the passing of the act of union to the premiership of bertie ahern offering a full chronology this book gives the reader a full insight on major aspects of modern irish history the book explores population education social structure and religion economic statistics covering agriculture trade prices and wages transport and unemployment and a further wealth of material on irish women s history treaties elections law communications a glossary and biographical information

**Who Killed Rosemary Nelson?** 1999 first published in 1980 under the title northern ireland a political directory this fifth edition has been completely revised and updated book jacket

**Northern Ireland** 2013-03-14 this volume highlights the ways in which the prospect of peace can generate anxieties and consequently set in motion social and political processes that reproduce and reactivate conflicts in analysing this issue the volume builds on the notion of ontological security and its recent applications to international relations theory although conflicts threaten the physical security of the parties involved they also help settle existential questions about basic parameters of life being and identity and thus over time become sources of ontological security the prospect of peace through the resolution or transformation of conflict threatens to unsettle the stability and consistency of self narratives and their associated routines and habits at the individual group and state levels the contributors argue two key points 1 that ontological insecurity may set in motion political and social processes that reproduce and reactivate conflicts 2 that coping with peace anxieties necessitates the formulation of alternative self narratives at the individual societal and state levels that re situate the self in relation to other and to the world at large consequently the book analyses the ways in which and the conditions under which conflict resolution induces ontological insecurity and the different ways in which ontological insecurity has prevented the successful culmination of peace processes in different conflict contexts including cyprus israel palestine and northern ireland this book will be of much interest to students of critical security studies conflict resolution peace and conflict studies social theory and ir in general

Queens' Country 2014-06-11

**Longman Handbook of Modern Irish History Since 1800** 1999-12-02

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