in the years following the uprising of 1924.

The part played by Carlos Prestes has been accentuated in the past by the leftist press. This present study offsets that bent and helps to fill a need for more adequate coverage of this revolutionary period.

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Illustrations of the value of newspaper announcements for the social history of Pernambuco, with a preface by Gilberto Freyre. (L H.)


Draws heavily on standard diplomatic histories discussing this hemisphere (Bemis, Perkins, etc.). Includes brief chapters on the roles of both the United States and Brazil at the first Pan American Conference. (J F.)

CHILE


A collection of popular essays dealing with topics in the cultural history of Chile in the nineteenth century. Of special interest to readers of this review, in addition to the title essay, are those dealing with the beginnings of coal, telegraphs, copper mining, and steamships. Though it does not pretend to be original research, this book contains a great deal of interesting and entertaining material.

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COLOMBIA


A short biographical sketch of Colombia’s most outstanding nineteenth century prelate, Manuel Jose de Mosquera. The author had access to unpublished documents of importance, some of which he has reproduced. The archbishop’s political role in the Church-State struggle of 1851-1852, which resulted in his exile and death in France, is defended here.

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