



With Americans of Past and Present Days (Paperback)

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Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.This is a look at American history dating back to the time of the Revolution. From the intro: THE AMERICAN war had been for five years in progress; for two years a treaty of alliance, having as sole object to maintain effectually the liberty, sovereignty, and independence, absolute and unlimited, of the United States, bound us French to the insurgents ; successes and reverses followed each other in turn: Brooklyn, Trenton, Brandywine, Saratoga. Quite recently the news had come of the double victory at sea and on land of d Estaing at Grenada, and Paris had been illuminated. The lights were scarcely out when news arrived of the disaster of the same d Estaing at Savannah. All France felt anxious concerning the issue of a war which had lasted so long and whose end continued to be doubtful. When, in the first months of 1780, the report went about that a great definitive effort was to be attempted, that it was not this time a question of sending ships to the Americans, but of sending an army, and...



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