

SUMMARIES

V.V. Roginsky. About the Some Historical And Political Aspects of the 300th Anniversary of the Poltava Battle

In the article the author marks the value of the 300th anniversary of the Poltava battle as in the history of Russia and Sweden, and also European context, he gives the compressed analysis of the modern state of the domestic historiography. The Attempt is undertaken to consider the modern, sometimes excessively politized interpretations of relations of Sweden with Ukraine, Charles XII with Hetman Ivan Mazepa.

P. Ericson (Sweden). The Swedish Historians About Charles XII And the Great Northern War

In the article the Swedish historiography of Great Northern war 1700–1721 since XVIII century is analyzed. Its development communicates as with changes of a political conjuncture in Sweden as a whole with formation of the history as a science. The author shows, how considered Charles's epoch XII and critically estimated its person in the XIX century the representatives of "old school" first of all A. Fryxell and F. Carlsson and how on a boundary XIX – XX centuries the "new school" appeared (H. Hjarne and its the followers), for which the apotheosis of the Swedish king was characteristic. During the intermilitary period representatives of "new school" occupied the dominant positions in the Swedish historiography, but Charles's eulogy XII have disappeared. During the post-war period the Swedish historians, began to give the basic attention to social-economic problems, and the person of Charles XII was again estimated critically.

A.O. Naumov. Italy and the Beginning of the Second World War

In the article on the basis of new sources, in particular the materials of the Historical archive of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Italy, the policy of fascist Italy and its leader B. Mussolini on the eve of the Second World War is considered. The author comes to a conclusion that Mussolini, having cast in the lot of the country and own with Hitlerite Germany, has predetermined defeat of Italy in the war and the own destruction.

A.A. Shchelchkov. Rebellions in Upper Peru in 1809. To the 200th Anniversary of the Beginning of War for Independence in the Spanish America

In the article the events which have become by a prologue of clearing of colonies from the Spanish Monarchy are considered. In the domestic historiography not enough attention was given to these rebellions. And meanwhile thanking it, it is possible to see more clearly communication of the American and European revolutionary events. The author enters for the first time into a scientific turn the materials on the rebellion in La Paz from the hand-written fund of National library of Spain.

V.V. Maryina. The Foreign policy of Beneš after the Munich agreement. 1939–1945

In article it is considered, how the diplomacy of E. Beneš during the Second World War dealt with a question on a recognition of invalidity of Munich agreement 1938 and restoration of Czechoslovakia in former borders. The attitude to it of Soviet Union, England, France, Poland, Italy, Hungary and post-war Germany is shown. The article is constructed on the archival materials and the published documents.

A.B. Davidson. About the Role of the Cultural Contacts in the International Relations. The English-Russian Literary Society (1892–1930)

The author considers the first stage of activity of the English Russian literary society (1892–1907) which have arisen in Great Britain. Having existed four decades, the society united at various times more than 600 members, both Englishmen, and Russians. The society has proclaimed the overall objective to achieve friendship of Great Britain and Russia.

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