

# Character, Family, and Business in Mid-Victorian Nova Scotia: Studies in Childhood

## Uncover the Intricate Relationships that Shaped Mid-Victorian Nova Scotian Society

Prepare to be immersed in the intricate tapestry of mid-Victorian Nova Scotia as renowned historian Dr. Judith Fingard presents a groundbreaking exploration of the interconnected worlds of family, business, and character in her captivating new book, "Character, Family, and Business in Mid-Victorian Nova Scotia: Studies in Childhood." This meticulously researched and engagingly written volume delves into the heart of this pivotal era, shedding new light on the social, economic, and cultural forces that塑造 the lives of Nova Scotians.

## Family: The Cornerstone of Mid-Victorian Society

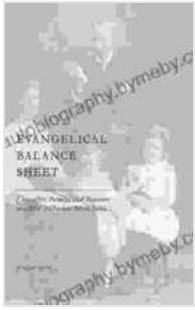
At the heart of mid-Victorian Nova Scotian society lay the family, an institution that played a central role in shaping the values and aspirations of its members. Dr. Fingard delves into the complex dynamics of family life, examining the roles and responsibilities of parents, children, and siblings. Through a rich array of case studies, she reveals the ways in which families provided both support and constraint, fostering a sense of belonging while also instilling discipline and obedience.

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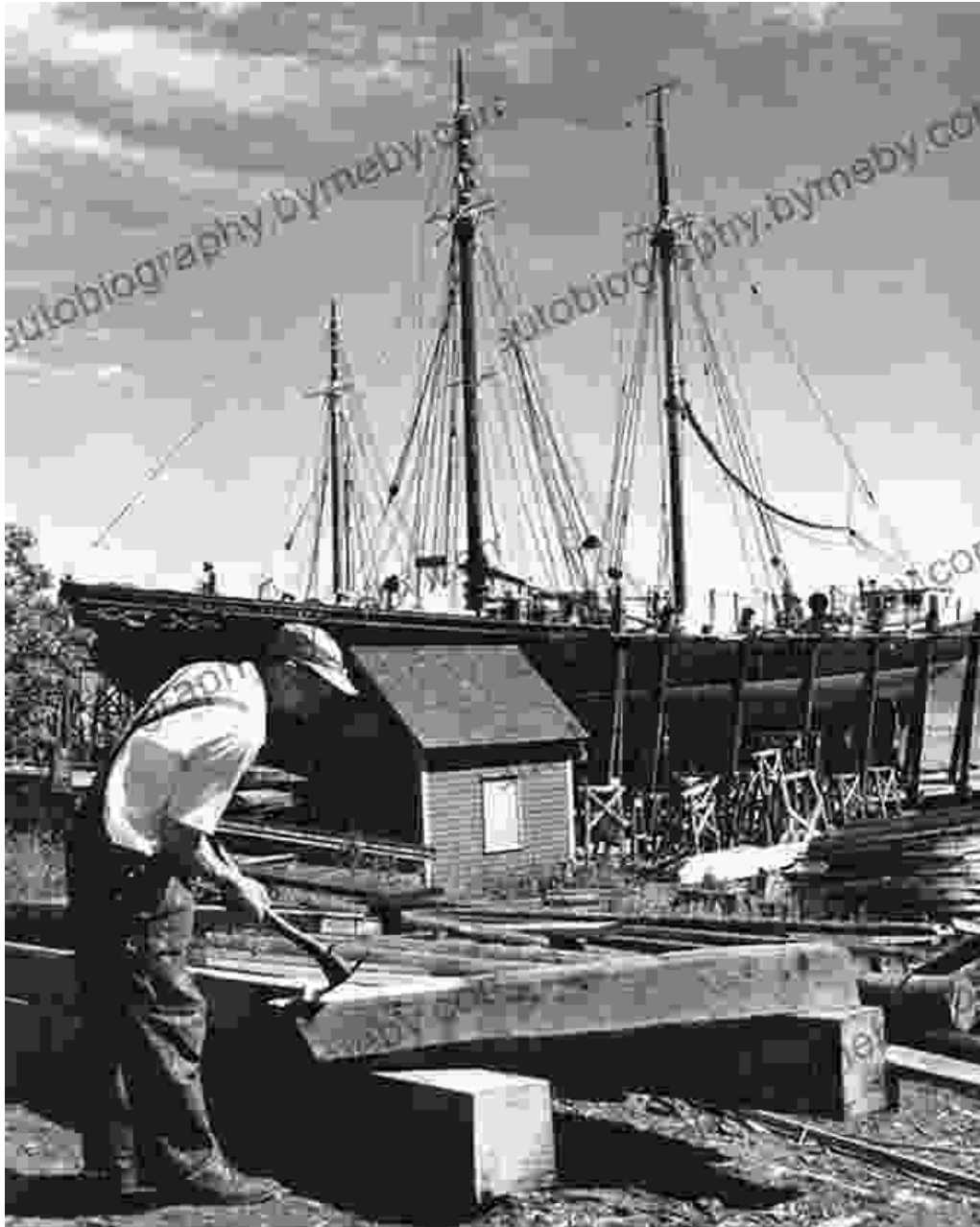
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## **Business: The Engine of Economic Growth**

Alongside the family, business played a vital role in mid-Victorian Nova Scotia. As the province underwent a period of rapid economic growth, new industries emerged and existing ones expanded. Dr. Fingard traces the rise of shipbuilding, lumbering, and fishing, examining the ways in which these industries transformed the economy and created new opportunities for Nova Scotians. She also explores the challenges faced by businesses, including competition, financial instability, and labor unrest.



Shipbuilding was a major industry in mid-Victorian Nova Scotia, contributing to economic growth and creating new opportunities.

### **Character: The Shaping of Moral Values**

In mid-Victorian Nova Scotia, great emphasis was placed on the development of good character. Families, churches, and schools all played

a role in instilling moral values in children and young adults. Dr. Fingard examines the various ways in which character was 塑造, including through religious instruction, formal education, and apprenticeship. She also explores the challenges faced by individuals in living up to the high standards of conduct expected of them.



### **Childhood: Innocence and Opportunity**

The experiences of children in mid-Victorian Nova Scotia were both unique and formative. Dr. Fingard explores the world of childhood, examining the joys and challenges faced by young Nova Scotians. She discusses the importance of play, education, and work in shaping children's development. She also examines the ways in which children were both protected and exploited in this era of rapid social change.



Childhood was a time of both innocence and opportunity in mid-Victorian Nova Scotia.

### **A Journey into the Past**

"Character, Family, and Business in Mid-Victorian Nova Scotia: Studies in Childhood" offers readers a captivating journey into the past, exploring the interconnected worlds of family, business, and character in this fascinating historical period. Through a rich tapestry of primary sources and engaging narratives, Dr. Fingard brings to life the people, places, and events that塑造d mid-Victorian Nova Scotia. This book is a must-read for anyone interested in Canadian history, social history, economic history, or cultural history.

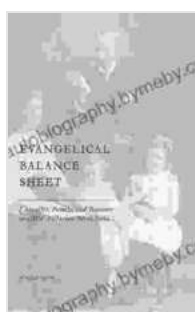
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### **About the Author**

Dr. Judith Fingard is a renowned historian and professor emerita at Dalhousie University. She is the author of numerous award-winning books on Canadian history, including "The Dark Side of Mid-Victorian Nova Scotia: Intemperance, Prostitution, and Social Violence" and "The Struggle for Female Suffrage in Canada: A Legal History."



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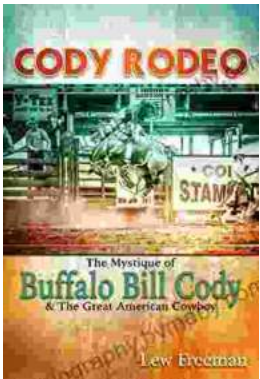
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