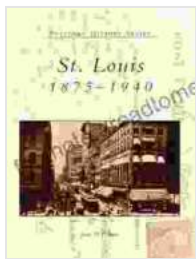


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Chapter 1: The Gateway to the West

St. Louis emerged as a major gateway to the American West in the 19th century. Postcards from this era depict the bustling riverfront, where steamboats arrived and departed daily, carrying goods and people to and from the vast territories beyond.

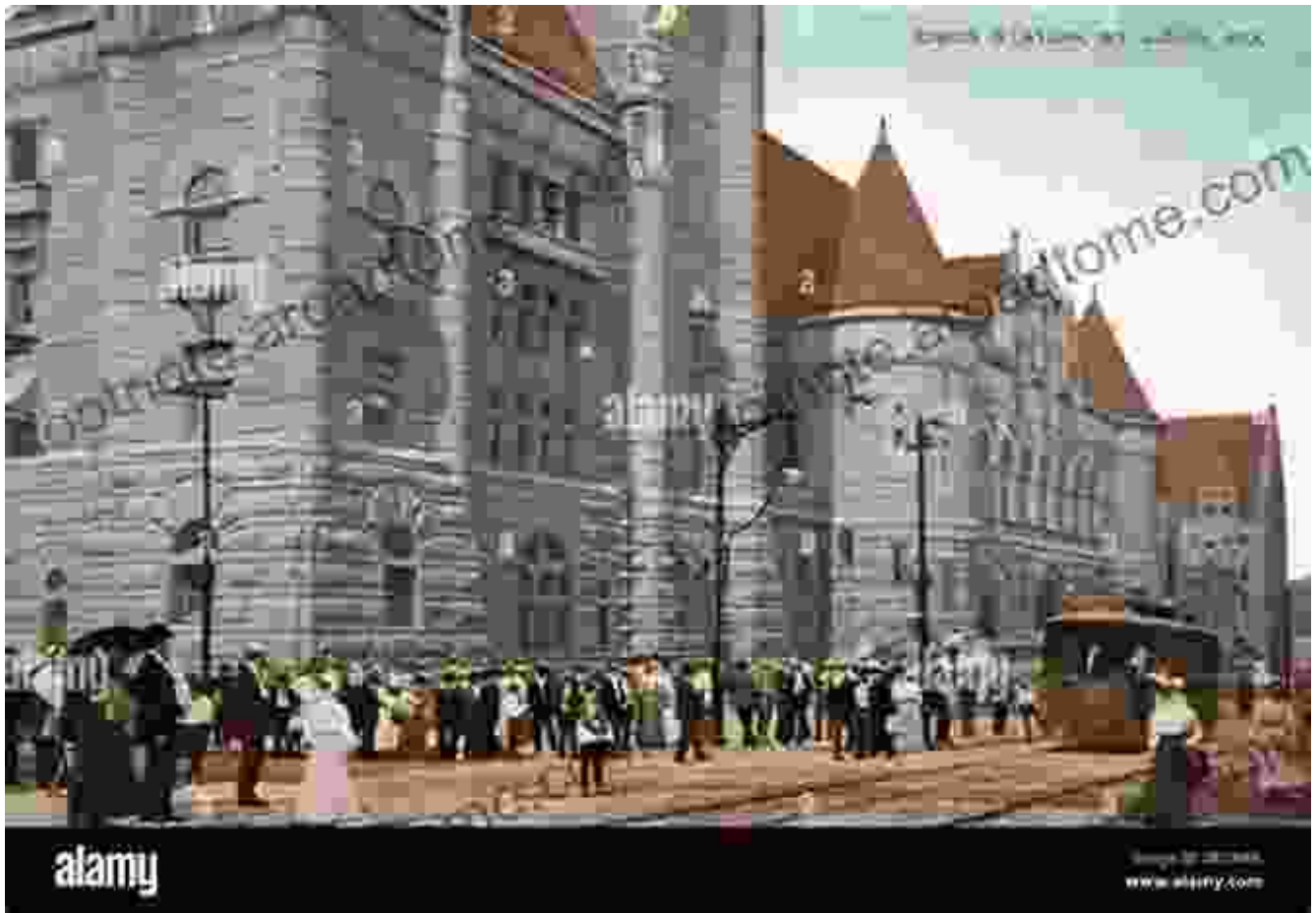


Chapter 2: Iconic Landmarks

St. Louis boasts a wealth of iconic landmarks that have become synonymous with the city. Postcards showcase the towering Eads Bridge, a testament to engineering prowess, and the majestic Union Station, a grand transportation hub and architectural marvel.



The impressive Eads Bridge, a masterpiece of engineering innovation, spanning the Mississippi River in St. Louis, circa 1900.



Chapter 3: Vibrant Streets

The streets of St. Louis have always been filled with life and energy. Postcards capture the hustle and bustle of downtown, the thriving markets, and the bustling neighborhoods that reflect the city's diverse and vibrant population.



A bustling Market Street in the heart of St. Louis, circa 1905, filled with vendors and shoppers.



Chapter 4: Industry and Innovation

St. Louis was a hub of industry and innovation in the early 20th century. Postcards depict the factories, warehouses, and transportation networks that fueled the city's economic growth and contributed to its reputation as a manufacturing powerhouse.



A thriving factory in the industrial sector of St. Louis, circa 1910, producing goods for the nation.



Chapter 5: Leisure and Recreation

Beyond its industrial prowess, St. Louis offered a wide range of leisure and recreational activities. Postcards showcase the city's parks, theaters, and sporting events, providing glimpses into the ways residents enjoyed their free time.

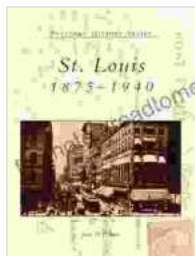


The sprawling Forest Park, an oasis of nature and recreation in the heart of St. Louis, circa 1900.



This collection of vintage postcards offers a fascinating journey through the rich history of St. Louis. From its role as the Gateway to the West to its iconic landmarks, vibrant streets, and industrial prowess, the city's past comes to life through these captivating images. This book is a valuable resource for historians, postcard collectors, and anyone interested in exploring the captivating story of St. Louis.

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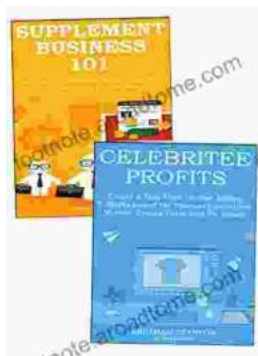


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