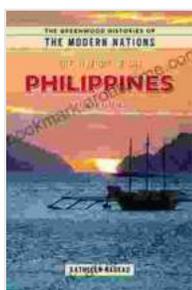


# Unveiling the Tapestry of Philippine History: A Journey through the 2nd Edition of "The History of the Philippines"

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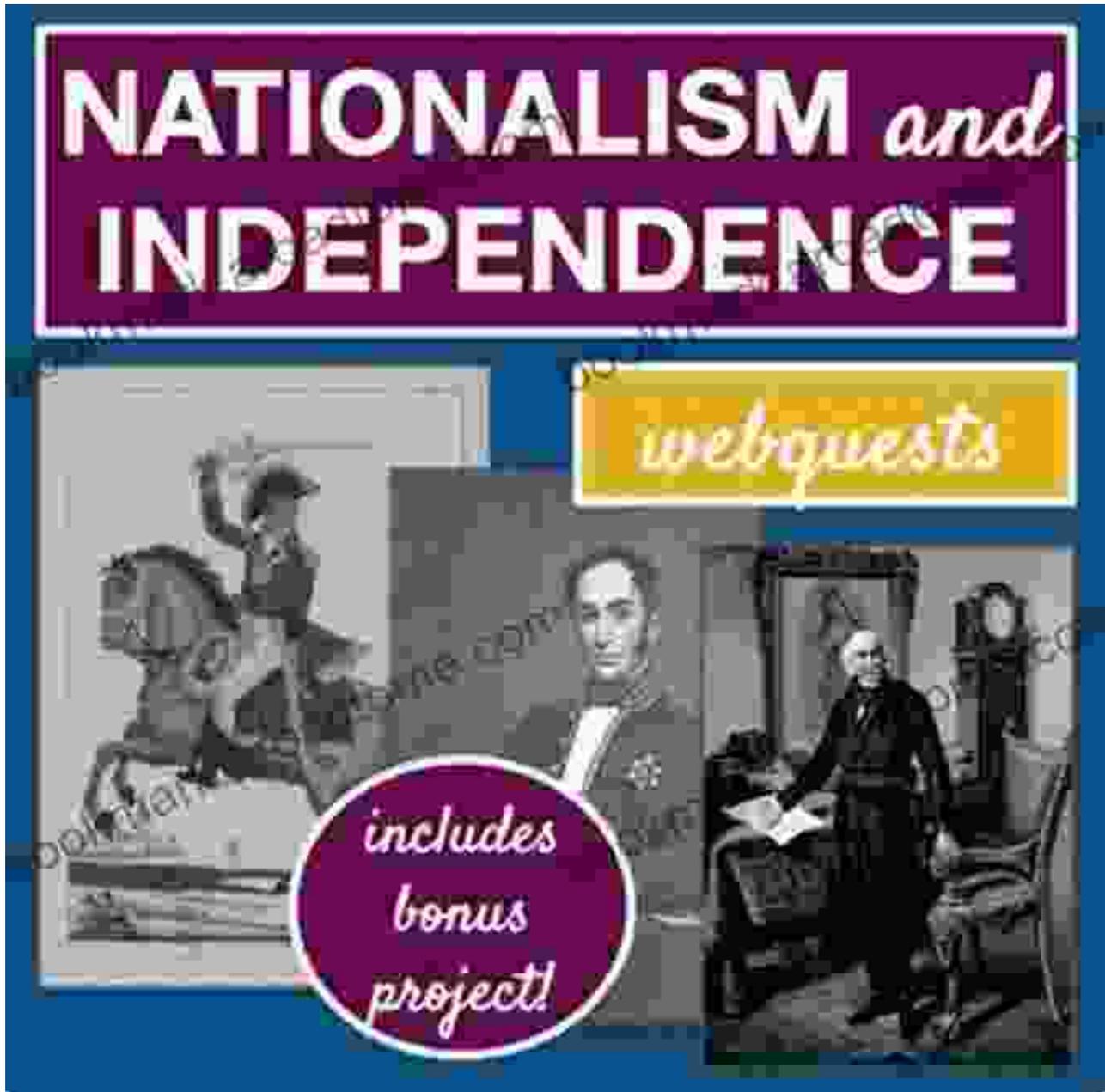
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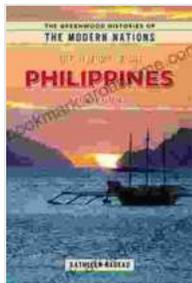


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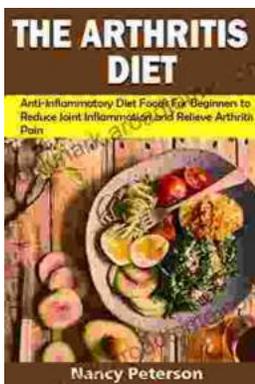
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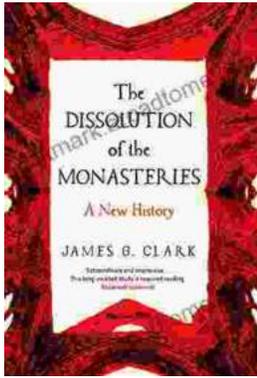
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