

**AN OUTLINE HISTORY OF CHINA.
PART II: FROM THE MANCHU
CONQUEST TO THE
RECOGNITION
OF THE REPUBLIC A. D. 1913**

Published @ 2017 Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd

ISBN 9780649058693

An Outline History of China. Part II: From the Manchu Conquest to the Recognition of the Republic A. D. 1913 by Herbert H. Gowen

Except for use in any review, the reproduction or utilisation of this work in whole or in part in any form by any electronic, mechanical or other means, now known or hereafter invented, including xerography, photocopying and recording, or in any information storage or retrieval system, is forbidden without the permission of the publisher, Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd, PO Box 1576 Collingwood, Victoria 3066 Australia.

All rights reserved.

Edited by Trieste Publishing Pty Ltd.
Cover @ 2017

This book is sold subject to the condition that it shall not, by way of trade or otherwise, be lent, re-sold, hired out, or otherwise circulated without the publisher's prior consent in any form or binding or cover other than that in which it is published and without a similar condition including this condition being imposed on the subsequent purchaser.

www.triestepublishing.com

HERBERT H. GOWEN

**AN OUTLINE HISTORY OF CHINA.
PART II: FROM THE MANCHU
CONQUEST TO THE
RECOGNITION
OF THE REPUBLIC A. D. 1913**



TIEN MING

0

AN OUTLINE HISTORY OF CHINA

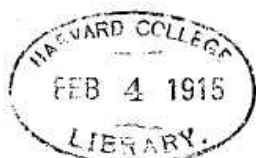
PART II
FROM THE MANCHU CONQUEST TO THE
RECOGNITION OF THE REPUBLIC
A. D. 1913

BY
HERBERT H. GOWEN, D.D., F.R.G.S.
Lecturer on Oriental History at the University
of Washington



BOSTON
SHERMAN, FRENCH & COMPANY
1913

Ch 20.35



Wales fund
(II)

DEZ
2/94

PREFACE

In view of the kindly reception the first volume of this "Outline History" has had at the hands of the press and public, the author is hopeful that the completion of the work will be as generously judged. It still, however, seems necessary to emphasize the fact that the book is neither a complete history of China nor a selection of episodes chosen according to the writer's taste. The word "Outline" is intended to be taken literally. The bulk of the book might all too easily have been increased, but in that event the idea of writing a brief, fairly-proportioned sketch would have remained unfulfilled. One or two critics have complained of the prominence of military episodes. The only excuse that need be made is that (as the Vicomte D'Ollone has so often repeated) Chinese history is unfortunately very full of campaigns which cannot be left unchronicled if a true picture is to be presented. At the same time the *Kulturgeschichte* has by no means been neglected. The philosophers and literati undoubtedly contributed much to Chinese history. Nevertheless, the framework of the story must necessarily be political and the effect of such a work as the present would have been invertebrate had not the

PREFACE

dynastic changes been carefully observed. The author believes that those who take the trouble to make this general outline their own will appreciate as they have not done before the ample materials provided elsewhere for filling up the gaps which have been deliberately left.

CONTENTS

CHAPTER	PAGE
I INTRODUCTORY	1
II THE REIGN OF SHUN CHIH	10
III THE REIGN OF KANG HSI	27
IV THE REIGN OF YUNG CHENG	45
V THE REIGN OF KIEN LUNG	55
VI THE REIGN OF KIA KING	74
VII THE REIGN OF TAO KWANG	90
VIII THE TAI PING REBELLION	110
IX THE REIGN OF HIEN FENG	121
X THE REIGN OF TUNG CHIH	130
XI THE REIGN OF KWANG HSU	145
XII THE EMPRESS DOWAGER'S THIRD RE- GENCY	165
XIII THE REVOLUTION	180
XIV THE CHINESE REPUBLIC	191
ADDENDUM	205
APPENDIX	207
INDEX	211

