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Logan shows Martineau negotiating the inevitable conflict that arises when the practices of Victorian imperialism are measured against its own stated principles, and especially against Martineau's idea of both the Civilizing Mission and the indigenous cultural integrity often compromised in the process. The picture of Martineau that emerges is complex and fascinating. Both an advocate and a ...Get this from a library! Harriet Martineau, Victorian imperialism, and the civilizing mission. [Deborah Anna Logan] -- "Deborah A. Logan's in-depth study of Harriet Martineau's writing on nineteenth century imperialism elaborates Victorian concerns about radically shifting social ideologies. To understand Martineau's ...Harriet Martineau, Victorian Imperialism, and the Civilizing Mission, by Deborah A. Logan ; pp. xiii + 280. Aldershot and Burlington, VT: Ashgate, 2010, £60.00, \$104.95.Both an advocate and a critic of British imperialism, Martineau was a persistent champion of the Civilizing Mission. Written with an awareness that she was recording contemporary history for future generations, Martineau's commentary on this perpetually fascinating, often tragic, and always instructive chapter in British and world history offers important insights that enhance and complicate our understanding of imperialism and globalization., Harriet Martineau, Victorian Imperialism, And The Civilizing Mission.

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