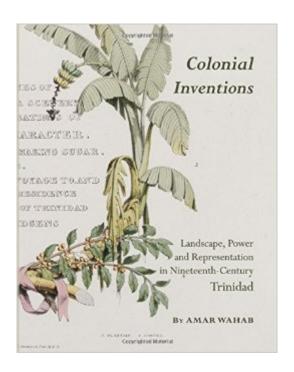
## The book was found

## Colonial Inventions: Landscape, Power And Representation In Nineteenth-Century Trinidad





## Synopsis

This book situates its contemplation of the nineteenth-century Trinidadian landscape in the context of an emerging sub-field of Caribbean postcolonial studies, by connecting the visual representation and indexing of colonial landscapes and people with the making of colonial power. Emphasis is placed on three pivotal image catalogues which span the pre and post emancipation periods and which connect the projects of British slavery and indentureship. The book unearths sketches, paintings, lithographs and engravings and analyzes them as central to the iconic framing and disciplining of colonized subjects, tropical nature and the plantation landscape. Focusing on the image works of British travellers Richard Bridgens and Charles Kingsley and Creole artist, Michel Jean Cazabon, the chapters consider how an aesthetic logic was not only illustrative but constitutive of racialized and gendered scripts of colonial landscapes, nature and identity. While these various strands of aesthetic reasoning reveal a seemingly coherent operation of colonial power, they also register the very ambiguity of these disciplinary projects in moments of uncertainty regarding the amelioration of African slavery, the emancipation of slavery, and the highly contested project of Indian indentureship in the Caribbean. The book reflects the dynamic instability of colonial inventive projects manifest in a period of experimental and troubled British rule that potentially frustrates any attempt to recover the truth of Caribbean colonial reality.

## **Book Information**

Hardcover: 299 pages

Publisher: Cambridge Scholars Publishing; New edition edition (July 19, 2010)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1443819220

ISBN-13: 978-1443819220

Product Dimensions: 5.8 x 1.1 x 8.1 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.2 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #4,118,520 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #85 in Books > History >

Americas > Caribbean & West Indies > Trinidad and Tobago #1646 in Books > History > World >

Slavery & Emancipation #30884 in Books > History > Europe > Great Britain

Download to continue reading...

Colonial Inventions: Landscape, Power and Representation in Nineteenth-Century Trinidad

J.S.Bach - Inventions and Sinfonias: Two- and Three-Part Inventions (Alfred Masterwork Edition)

Bach -- Inventions & Sinfonias (2 & 3 Part Inventions) (Comb Bound Book & CD) (Alfred Masterwork CD Edition) Eighteenth-Century Utopian Fiction (Studies In Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Literature Series) Embroideries & Patterns from 19th Century Vienna (Embroideries & patterns from nineteenth century Vienna from the Nowotny collection) Paraguayan War: Armies of the Nineteenth Century: The Americas (Armies of the 19th Century: The Americas) Power Training: For Combat, MMA, Boxing, Wrestling, Martial Arts, and Self-Defense: How to Develop Knockout Punching Power, Kicking Power, Grappling Power, and Ground Fighting Power Pantaloons and Power: A Nineteenth-Century Dress Reform in the United States The Tale of Healer Miguel Perdomo Neira: Medicine, Ideologies, and Power in the Nineteenth-Century Andes (Latin American Silhouettes) TRINIDAD and TOBAGO Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of Trinidad and Tobago CHURCH and SOCIETY IN TRINIDAD Part I & II:THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN TRINIDAD 1498-1863 Trinidad Recipes Cookbook: Most Wanted Trinidad Cooking Recipes (Caribbean Recipes) Trinidad's Doctor's Office: The amusing diary of a Scottish physician in Trinidad in the 1920s Labour and the Decolonization Struggle in Trinidad and Tobago (Cambridge Imperial and Post-Colonial Studies Series) Race Relations in Colonial Trinidad 1870-1900 Post-Colonial Trinidad: An Ethnographic Journal (Studies of the Americas) The Black Doctors of Colonial Lima: Science, Race, and Writing in Colonial and Early Republican Peru (McGill-Queen's/Associated Medical Services Studies in the History of Medicine, H) Islands, Islanders and the World: The Colonial and Post-colonial Experience of Eastern Fiji (Cambridge Human Geography) Self-Defense for Gentlemen and Ladies: A Nineteenth-Century Treatise on Boxing, Kicking, Grappling, and Fencing with the Cane and Quarterstaff Mexico's Once and Future Revolution: Social Upheaval and the Challenge of Rule since the Late Nineteenth Century

**Dmca**