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The Ottoman Empire : A History / Gokhan Cetinaya
Istanbul: Timas (Akademi) Publishing, 2022
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The Ottoman Empire was the last of the great empires that had dominated the Middle East and Mediterranean since the dawn of the history of civilisation. The Ottoman Empire began around 1300 as a late-medieval as it adapted to the conditions of the early modern and modern periods, until its ultimate demise at the end of the First World War.

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Istanbul: Libra Kitapcilik ve Yayıncılık, 2022
220gm.
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300gm.

In existing scholarship on Jewish subjects of the Russian Empire, there were three typical fates available to Russia's Jews on the eve of the Bolshevik Revolution: they could remain in the shtetl, leave for a new life in America, or participate in the Russian Revolution. Tevye's Ottoman Daughter traces a fourth path, following the saga of Ashkenazi Jews who instead crossed the Black Sea to join their Sephardic coreligionists in the Ottoman capital of Constantinople and later Istanbul, or who joined agricultural farming communities in the Western Aegean sponsored by the Baron Maurice de Hirsch's Jewish Colonization Association. There, they considered, and reconsidered, the possibilities open to them, including eventual migration to Palestine, Western Europe, North America, and Argentina. Others stayed and forged a new life as an Ashkenazi minority in Istanbul, creating new organizations, places of worship, and political practices. These Russian Jewish migrants give us insight into the ethnic, religious, and political challenges and aspirations twilight years of the Ottoman Empire on the brink of Turkish statehood.

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A Secret Mission in Istanbul During the War of the Pacific : The Sale of the Turkish Ironclad Feth-i Bulend to Peru (1879-1880) / Paulino Toledo Mansilla
Ankara: Center for Latin American Studies of the University of Ankara, 2019
196p. ; 15,50x22cm.
Includes Index
9786051364759
\$ 35.00 / PB
236gm.

With this new book, a page of the history of Chilean diplomacy and the War of the Pacific, which had remained hidden for almost a century and half, is resurrected. But, the most interesting thing about this book is its plot, which is deeply connected with Turkey and the reign of Sultan Abdulhamid II. It can certainly be affirmed that the decision of the Sultan not to sell the ironclad to Peru greatly determined the course and the results of the War of the Pacific. What would have happened if the Peruvian Navy had managed to purchase the Feth-i-Bulend or some other Turkish armored ship at some stage of the war? History would probably been very different.

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The Kemerbaşı in the Ottoman Medreses and the Consiliarius in the Italian Universities /
Murat Celik
Istanbul: Ideal Kultur Yayıncılık, 2022
132p.
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124gm.

In this book, the concepts of kemerbaşı and consiliarius, both being student organisation/unions, one in the Ottoman medreses and the other one at the Italian universities, will be discussed. Both concepts include an approach to student management in the Ottoman and the Italian higher education. In the study, first of all, the concepts of kemerbaşı and consiliarius will be discussed and the reasons for their emergence will be emphasized. The qualifications and quantities of each student institution will be pointed out, and their position, authority, and duties in the Ottoman and Italian higher education will be discussed. The result obtained, it is aimed to reveal a position in the Ottoman medrese system that has not been discussed much, and to open new subdivisions in the field of the Ottoman education history. In the study, both inductive and deductive methods will be used to discuss the subject, and it can be stated that the study is qualitative. While making these definitions, the use of analogy will also be applied to understand the scales and forms. The sources and data needed for the discussed topic were primarily obtained from Ottoman archival documents. In this respect, Ottoman archive sources were scanned, and the Ottoman chronicles were added to this scan. Secondary sources and research records will then be used to explain each institution and the position of the Ottoman kemerbaşı and the Italian consiliarius.

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