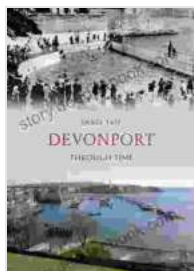


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Devonport Through Time is a fascinating and detailed account of the history of Devonport, a vibrant port city located on the south coast of England. The book, written by local historian Derek Tait, is illustrated with over 100 stunning black-and-white images. These images bring the city's past to life, providing a glimpse into its rich history and heritage.

The book begins with the early history of Devonport, which was first settled by the Celts in the 6th century BC. The town grew in importance during the Middle Ages, as it became a major port for trade with Europe. In the 16th century, Devonport became a base for the Royal Navy, and it played a key role in the defeat of the Spanish Armada in 1588.

During the 18th and 19th centuries, Devonport continued to grow in importance as a naval base. The city's dockyard was expanded, and it became home to a number of important naval ships. Devonport also played a key role in the Napoleonic Wars, and it was the base for the fleet that defeated Napoleon at the Battle of Trafalgar in 1805.

In the 20th century, Devonport continued to be a major naval base. The city was heavily bombed during the Second World War, but it was rebuilt after the war and continued to play a key role in the Royal Navy. In recent years, Devonport has undergone a period of major redevelopment, and it is now a thriving and vibrant port city.

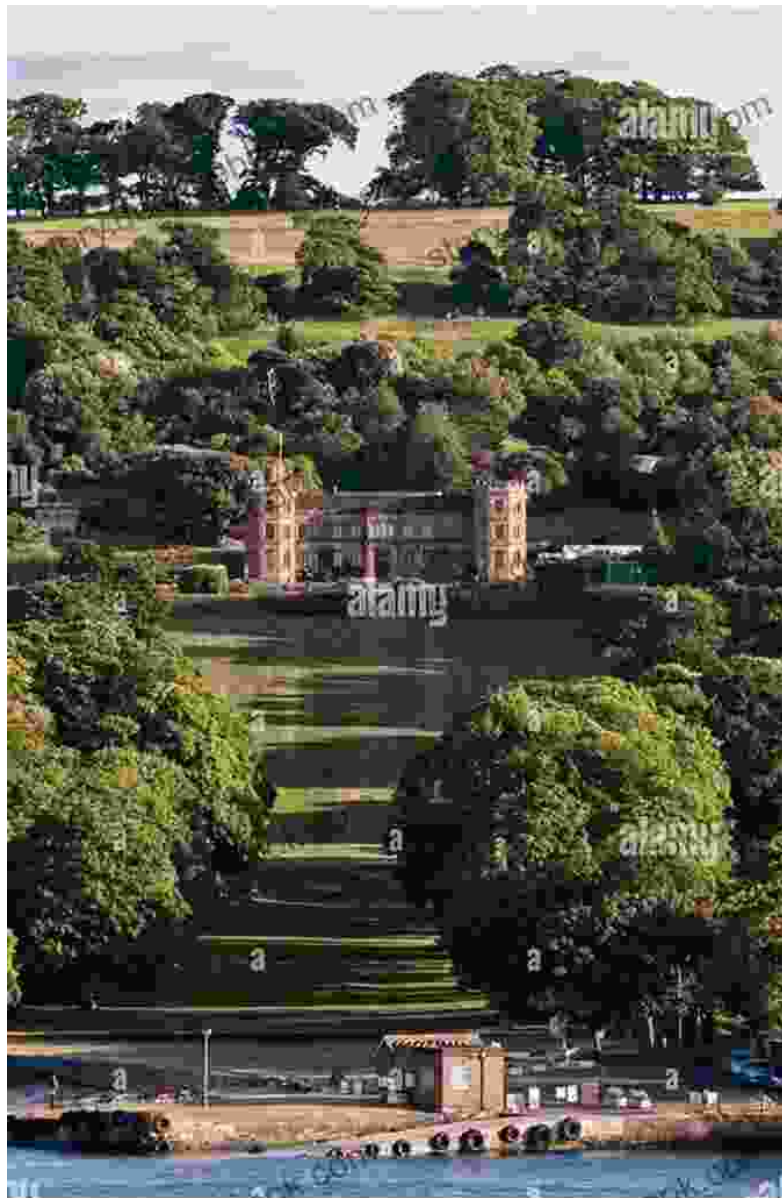
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About the Author

Derek Tait is a local historian who has written extensively about the history of Devonport. He is the author of several books, including Devonport Through Time and Devonport: A History of the Royal Dockyard.

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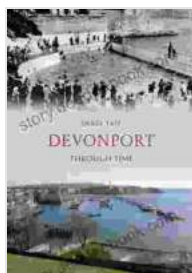
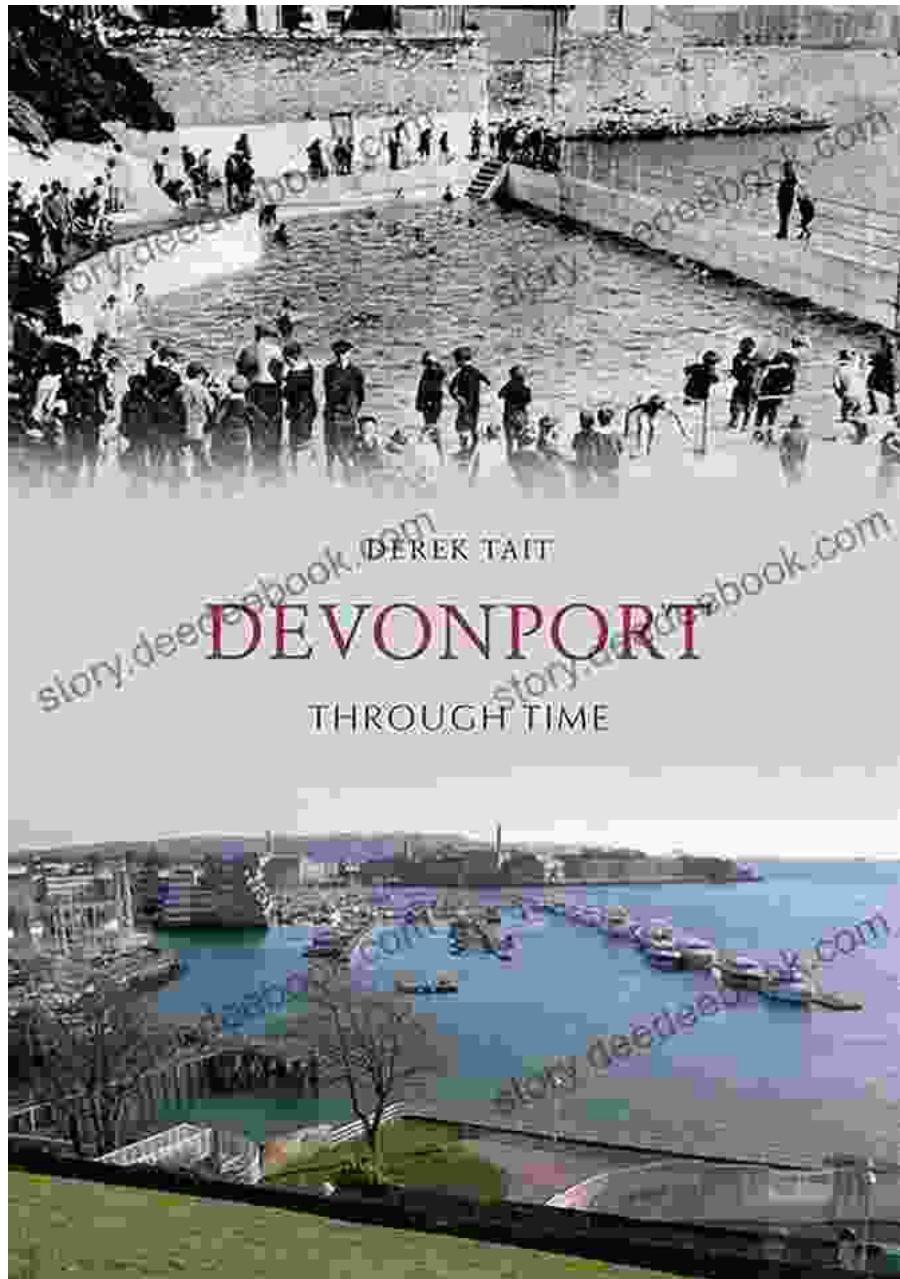
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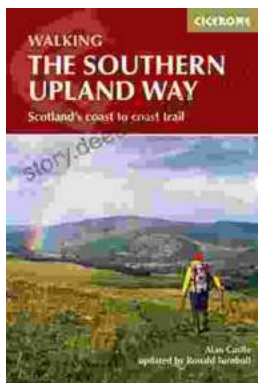
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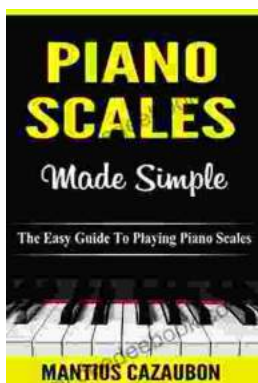
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