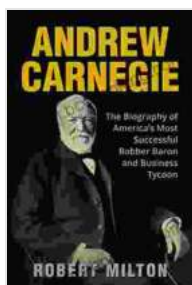


The Biography Of America's Most Successful Robber Baron And Business Tycoon

Cornelius Vanderbilt was born in 1794 on Staten Island, New York. His father was a farmer and boatman, and his mother was a homemaker. Vanderbilt had little formal education, but he was a hard worker and he had a keen business sense. He started out working on his father's boat, and he eventually saved enough money to buy his own boat.



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Vanderbilt's first business venture was a ferry service between Staten Island and Manhattan. He quickly expanded his business, and he soon had a fleet of steamboats that were used to transport goods and people up and down the Hudson River.

In the 1830s, Vanderbilt began to invest in railroads. He saw the potential of railroads to revolutionize transportation, and he invested heavily in the construction of new rail lines.

Vanderbilt's railroad empire grew rapidly, and he soon became one of the richest men in the United States. He was a ruthless businessman, and he used his wealth and power to crush his competitors.

Vanderbilt was also a philanthropist, and he donated millions of dollars to charities and educational institutions.

Vanderbilt died in 1877, and he left behind a legacy of wealth and power. He was one of the most successful businessmen in American history, and he played a major role in the development of the United States.

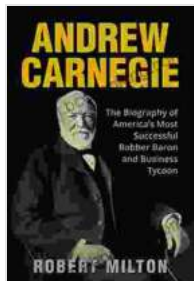
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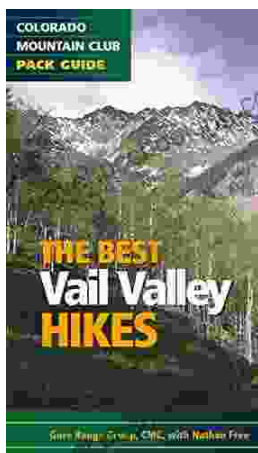


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