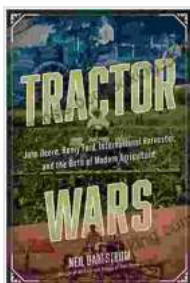


John Deere, Henry Ford, International Harvester: The Birth of Modern Farming

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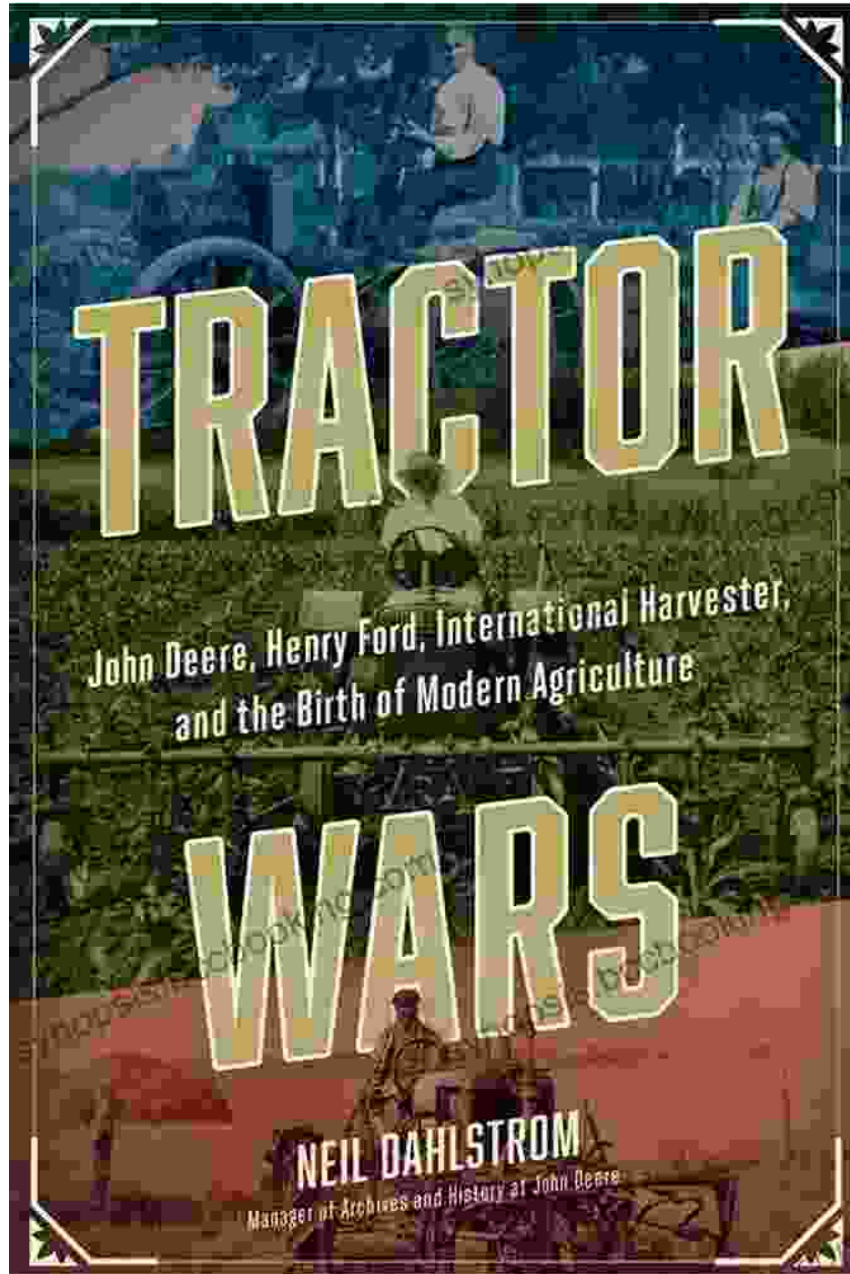
John Deere was born in Vermont in 1804. He grew up on a farm and learned the importance of good tools. In 1837, he moved to Illinois and opened a blacksmith shop. There, he developed a new type of plow that was made of steel and could cut through the tough prairie soil. This plow

quickly became popular with farmers and helped to make the Midwest a major agricultural region.



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Henry Ford was born in Michigan in 1863. He was a brilliant inventor and engineer. In 1896, he built his first automobile. In 1903, he founded the Ford Motor Company. Ford's cars were affordable and reliable, and they quickly became popular with consumers. In 1917, Ford introduced the Fordson tractor. This tractor was the first mass-produced tractor, and it revolutionized farming. Tractors allowed farmers to work larger fields and to increase their productivity.

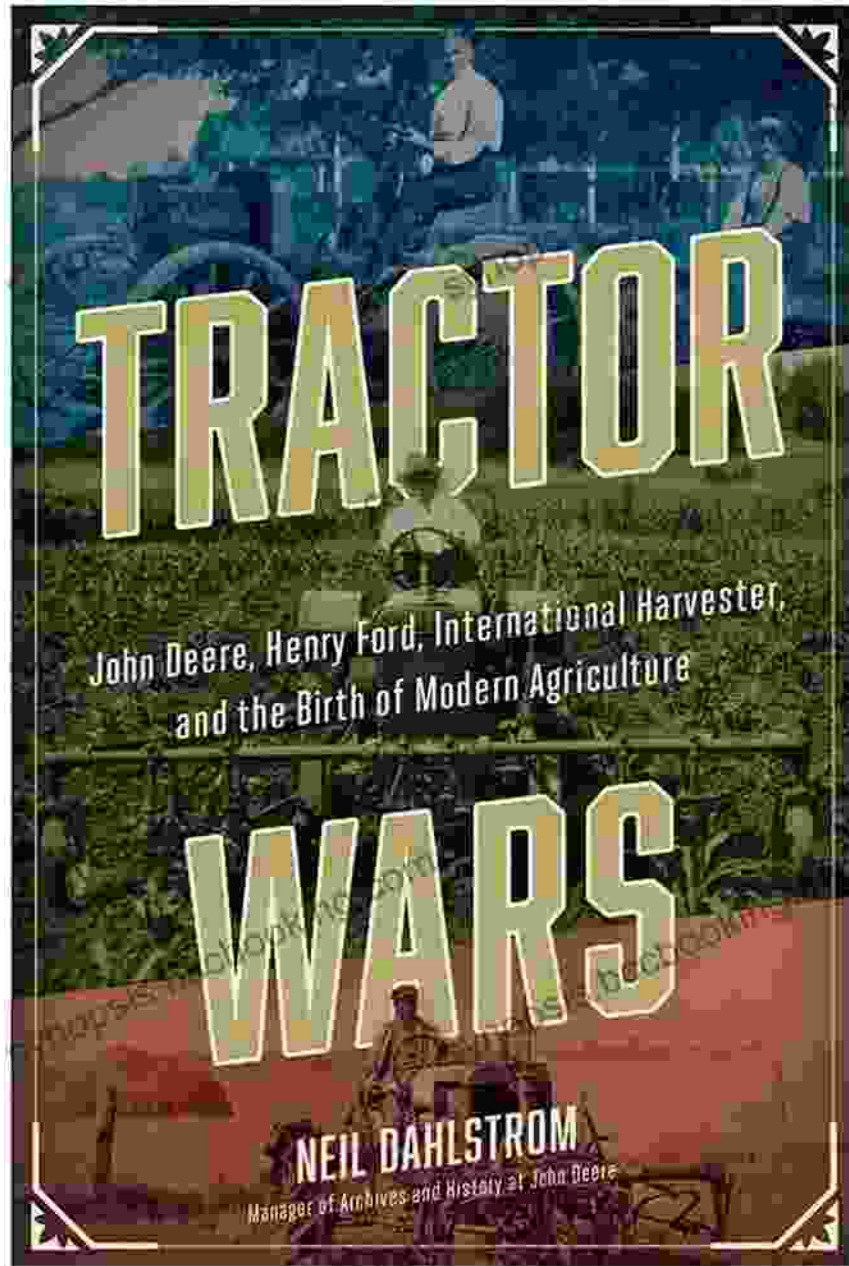


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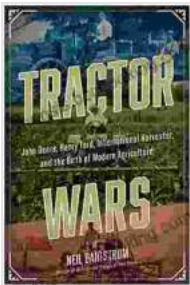


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The story of John Deere, Henry Ford, and International Harvester is a story of innovation, entrepreneurship, and hard work. These three men helped to create the modern agricultural system, and their contributions continue to benefit farmers and consumers around the world.



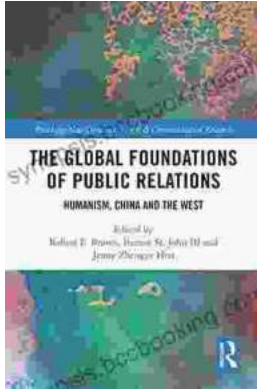
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