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The Frontline Years E. M. S. Namboodiripad
2010 E.M.S. Namboodiripad is perhaps modern
India's most important Marxist

theoretician.//From 1992 till his death in 1998,
EMS wrote a column in the newsmagazine
Frontline. The present volume puts together a
selection of his Frontline columns. This volume

is a testimony to the variety of his interests, his erudition, and his ability to communicate complex questions of history and theory in simple and elegant prose.//EMS discusses, among other things, the roles and contributions of Congress leaders from Dadabhai Naoroji and Ranade to Gandhi, Subhas Bose and Nehru to Narasimha Rao and Manmohan Singh; he discusses the thoughts and relevance of Marxist theoreticians including Lenin, Rosa Luxemburg, Mao Tse-tung and Stalin, as well as Nelson Mandela; he writes on religion, philosophy and art; he discusses important questions of the Indian polity including planning and centre-state relations; he comments on the Indian Communist movement (including on the decision not to join the United Front government at the centre in 1996); and he writes about the radical experiments in Kerala.

Communism in India Marshall Windmiller
2011

Comfort Care Theckedath Mathew 2021-02-01

COMFORT CARE Dr. T. M. Jacob had an illustrious career in medicine and was working as an interventional cardiologist for forty years. His experiences in India, Africa, the UK, and America and the agonies and ecstasies of living and practicing medicine are immaculately narrated. At age eighty-four, Jacob developed progressive dementia and was transferred to an assisted living facility. Thoughts of end of life, pain, suffering, and lack of dignity befall, and he was preoccupied with thoughts of euthanasia. His confidant and assistant, an RN with training in elderly care, had some different thoughts. Book reviews: "Immaculate narration. Highly readable. The theme has many layers too. An excellent work of biographic fiction" (Roger Waters, Rochester Review, February 2020). **The Roots of Participatory Democracy** M. Williams 2008-05-26 This book compares the Communist parties of India and South Africa in their pursuits of socialist democracy. Williams looks at their organizational characteristics,

party history, and their competing tendencies, as well as how they have pushed forward their similar ideologies within their unique political and economic environments.

Twenty-eight Months in Kerala E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1959

The Communist Party in Kerala E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1994

SSC General Knowledge Exam Leaders Expert Divorce and Democracy Saumya Saxena

2022-07-31 This book captures the Indian state's difficult dialogue with divorce, mediated largely through religion. By mapping the trajectories of marriage and divorce laws of Hindu, Muslim, and Christian communities in post-colonial India, it explores the dynamic interplay between law, religion, family, minority rights and gender in Indian politics. It demonstrates that the binary frameworks of the private-public divide, individuals versus group rights, and universal rights versus legal pluralism collapse before the peculiarities of religious personal law.

Historicizing the legislative and judicial response to decades of public debates and activism on the question of personal law, it suggests that the sustained negotiations over family life within and across the legal landscape provoked a unique and deeply contextual evolution of both, secularism and religion in India's constitutional order. Personal law, therefore, played a key role in defining the place of religion and determining the content of secularism in India's democracy.

Democratic Decentralisation E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1978

What Really Happened in Kerala E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1966

Crisis Into Chaos E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1981
Communism in Kerala Thomas Johnson Nossiter 1982-01-01

How I Became a Communist E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1976 Autobiography of a Communist leader.

Story of an Era Told Without Ill-will M K K

Nayar 2014-02-24 The author, M K K Nayar's impressionable childhood, schooling and university years began in early 1920s - the most turbulent period of India's independence struggle. After graduating in 1940 and spending two years in Travancore Civil Service, M K K Nayar joined the Ordnance Department of British India in Hyderabad. During this phase of his career, he risked his life more than once to bring nefarious going-ons in the princely state of Hyderabad to the attention of national leaders like Sardar Vallabhai Patel and defuse conspiracies that were jeopardizing India's national interests. In 1948, M K K Nayar joined the IAS and was involved prominently in India's national development - notably in building the Bhilai Steel Plant and fertilizer plants that also seeded several other industries in the Cochin Industrial Belt, and by propagating modern agriculture throughout South India. His friendship and intimacy with national leaders like Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, illustrious civil

servants like V P Menon, industrialists like J R D Tata and innumerable opinion-leaders all over India gave him a ringside view of and insider information on some of the most important and interesting episodes of Indian history until mid 1970s. !Destiny took him to Kerala in 1959 to head India's pioneer fertilizer company, The Fertilisers And Chemicals Travancore Ltd (FACT) which he developed into a multifaceted organization that grew over twenty-fold during the decade of his tenure in it. This period that ended in 1971 also found him raising Kathakali, one of the most stylized forms of mime dance-drama from a destitute existence on the fringes of Kerala's social milieu to the forefront of international recognition. Success in everything he did even outside of his vocation, from resolving political imbroglios to promoting art and literature, took him to the forefront of life in Kerala and the national capital. Jealousies it aroused resulted in court cases being instituted against him on frivolous charges and they took

12 years for him to be fully exonerated. In that time, India lost the services of one of its ablest go-getters during what should have been his peak years. Between June 1986 until his premature passing away in September 1987, he penned a series of articles about his life and times. It was serialized under the title of Aarodum Paribhavamillathe, Oru Kalaghattathinte Katha in the popular Malayalam weekly, Kala Kaumudi. It was later published as a book which became a big hit with Malayali readers and is printed and published even now. M K K Nayar emphasizes that this was not an autobiography but an attempt to share without bitterness or ill-will some of his experiences and the joy, pain and terrible sadness they brought him. The renowned historian, author and academician, M G S Narayan says that M K K Nayar's 'memoirs did not get the due recognition it deserved' and acknowledges it as a 'historical chronicle of pre and post independent

India'. The book has been translated into English by Gopakumar M Nair, who was an executive of FACT during a part of M K K Nayar's tenure there. Though Gopakumar is a popular amateur writer from his college days in IIT Madras, this translation named The Story of an Era, Told Without Ill-will is his first book.

Politics and Left Unity in India William F. Kuracina 2017-09-29 The historical assessments of Left unity in 1930s India misrepresent activities designed to achieve unity. The common treatment of the relationship between Indian socialists and communists emphasizes disunity and the inability to find common ground. Scholarly discussions about unity in fact highlight its impracticality and the inevitability of its failure. This book proposes that during this moment, for socialists and communists, unity was not just an ideal, but was in fact considered to be a possible and very realizable goal. Rather than focusing exclusively on ideological fissures as the literature does, the book explores the

possibilities for unity. The author investigates the United Front as a conceptual framework for collaboration, as a scheme for assessing the extent to which cooperation between socialists and communists was feasible and practicable during the mid-to-late-1930s in India. He employs the notion of United Front as an instrument for identifying and compensating for the prejudices which permeate sources about the cooperation between the Congress Socialist Party (CSP) and the Communist Party of India (CPI). The author challenges the historicism found in extant scholarly assessments of Left unity by illustrating the ways in which the partners engaged in united front activities and approached the common goal of Left unity despite their fragmented ideological perspectives. The book presents the United Front not as an unsuccessful phase of collaboration, but rather as a concerted attempt to achieve ideological convergence and Left homogeneity which ultimately failed to

radicalize Indian nationalism because, in reality, conditions for Left unity did not exist. The book will be of interest to academics studying South Asian history and politics in particular, and socialism, communism, nationalism and imperialism more generally.

Limca Book of Records 2020-22 Hachette India 2021-09-20 REAL-LIFE SUPERHEROES. CHAMPIONS AMONG CHAMPIONS. THE MOST OUTSTANDING RECORDS. India's firsts and foremost, her stellar victories and accomplishments in human endeavour, structures, education, defence, government, science and technology, adventure, business, cinema, the natural world, literature and the arts - discover them all in this landmark volume that marks 30 completed years of the country's only comprehensive book of records. From the longest, tallest and fastest to the unique and truly extraordinary, this curation of superlatives presents an astonishing range of newly set records as well as those that have stood

steadfast over the years. Besides infographics, tables and over 700 colour images, the Super 30 and Record Rewind capsules recall golden moments of the past three decades. In our support of a cleaner and greener planet, a new environment and sustainability section spotlights eco-warriors and their earth-friendly feats. Finally, as a tribute to the fight against the pandemic, the Covid-19 feature traces mighty milestones, compassionate action and innovative ideas that echo the very spirit of the Limca Book of Records - persistence, resilience and triumph in the face of all odds.

Agrarian Reforms E. M. S. Namboodiripad
1956

Communism in India Bidyut Chakrabarty
2014-09-23 In Communism in India, Bidyut Chakrabarty-an expert on contemporary Indian political economy and social movements-presents a sweeping analysis of the changing nature of communist ideology over the past century in India. The history and development of

India's left movements are unique in that the country is home to two coexisting strands of modern communism. The first of these is the parliamentary Communist Party of India, which constituted the first democratically-elected Marxist government in the country. The parliamentary left subscribes to a social-democratic philosophy, turning to the traditional democratic institutions of governance in their quest to fulfill the Marxist-Leninist goal of establishing a classless society. The second, oppositional, strand is the revolutionary Maoist movement. This branch rejects parliamentary democracy as a means to altering class-relations, as they see the government as an elite organization dedicated to the status quo and age-old system of class exploitation. Drawing on ethnographic field work conducted in Orissa, Chhattisgarh and West Bengal, Chakrabarty provides a contextual account of the rise, consolidation, and decline of these two types of left radicalism. He looks at how it is that left

ideology has coexisted with free-market-oriented economic policies, as well as the contexts in which more militant strands have taken root, particularly among the young in poorer districts.

Indian Freedom Fighters S.R. Bakshi

1994-01-01 In The Long-Drawn Political Struggle For Complete Independence From The Colonial Rule The Role Of E.M.S. Namboodiripad Is Unique In The Annals Of Our History. He Is A Dedicated True Patriot Who Offered His Services To The Nation At A Fairly Young Age. He Suffered In Jails Along With Millions Of Satyagrah Is And Thus Showed His Remarkable Sense Of Discipline, Dedication And Patriotic Fervor. He Was A Gandhian But Later On I.E. Became A Marxist. As Chief Minister Of Kerala He Carried On Several Development Schemes For The Socio-Economic Development Of His People. He Is A Prolific Writer. This Work Would Be Useful For Teachers, Students And Research Scholars In India And Abroad.

Kerala: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow E. M. S.

Namboodiripad 1967

Revisionism and Dogmatism in the Communist Party of India E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1963

Indian English Literature Basavaraj S. Naikar 2007 In Recent Years, The Indian English Literature Has Made Conspicuous Progress In All Its Forms, Mainly In Fiction And Poetry. The Present Anthology Aims At Presenting An In-Depth Study Of Nineteen Authors Who Are Both Established As Well As Upcoming Writers: Toru Dutt, Nissim Ezekiel, Jayanta Mahapatra, R.C. Shukla, Rajendra Singh, Mulk Raj Anand, Kamala Markandaya, Amitav Ghosh, Arundhati Roy, Shashi Tharoor, Shiv K. Kumar, Shobha De, Intizar Husain And Mahesh Dattani. Although The Present Anthology Contains Articles On Indian English Poetry, Fiction And Drama, But Fiction Enjoys A Prominent Place. Since Most Of The Authors Included In The Present Volume For Discussion Are Prescribed In The English Syllabus In The Various Indian Universities, It Is Hoped That Both The Teachers And Students

Will Find The Book Extremely Useful. Even The General Readers Who Are Interested In Literature In English Will Find It Intellectually Stimulating.

Put Them in the Dock E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1978 On the Shah Commission of inquiry on the excesses during the internal emergency in India, 1975-77.

Why Democracy Deepens Anoop Sadanandan 2017-03-21 Why Democracy Deepens explains how socio-economic changes in India are shaping its politics to promote grassroots democracy.

Conflicts and Crisis E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1974

The First Communist Ministry in Kerala, India, 1957-1959 Georges Kristoffel Lieten 1980

Struggle for Independence Shiri R. Bakshi 1993 In The Long-Drawn Political Struggle For Complete Independence From The Colonial Rule The Role Of E.M.S. Namboodiripad Is Unique In

The Annals Of Our History. He Is A Dedicated True Patriot Who Offered His Services To The Nation At A Fairly Young Age. He Suffered In Jails Along With Millions Of Satyagrah Is And Thus Showed His Remarkable Sense Of Discipline, Dedication And Patriotic Fervor. He Was A Gandhian But Later On I.E. Became A Marxist. As Chief Minister Of Kerala He Carried On Several Development Schemes For The Socio-Economic Development Of His People. He Is A Prolific Writer. This Work Would Be Useful For Teachers, Students And Research Scholars In India And Abroad.

River Disputes in India S. N. Sadasivan 2003

A History of India Burton Stein 2010-04-12 This new edition of Burton Stein's classic A History of India builds on the success of the original to provide an updated narrative of the development of Indian society, culture, and politics from 7000 BC to the present. New edition of Burton Stein's classic text provides a narrative from 7000 BC up to the twenty-first

century Includes updated and extended coverage of the modern period, with a new chapter covering the death of Nehru in 1964 to the present Expands coverage of India's internal political and economic development, and its wider diplomatic role in the region Features a new introduction, updated glossary and further reading sections, and numerous figures, photographs and fully revised maps

India Under Congress Rule E. M. S.

Namboodiripad 1967

Peasant Struggles, Land Reforms and Social Change: Malabar 1836-1982

Dismissal of the First Communist Ministry in Kerala and the USA Dr. Ajayan. T

2016-03-15 In the first general election held to the Kerala State Legislative Assembly in February-March 1957, the Communists won sixty seats out of 126. With the support of five independents, the Communists formed government under the leadership of E.M.S. Namboodiripad on 5 April 1957. But the first

Communist ministry in Kerala was short lived. It was dismissed on 31 July 1959 by the President of India under Article 356 of the Constitution of India. The previous studies show that the dismissal of the Communist ministry was due to the liberation struggle sponsored by the community organizations and the opposition parties because the educational and agrarian reforms put the former at a disadvantaged position while the latter was lusted for power. No earlier study has analysed the intervention of the United States of America in the dismissal of the ministry. Hence the present study attempts to define the anti-Communist operations of the Government of the United States of America to topple the first Communist ministry in Kerala through the analysis of the recently declassified documents from United States Department of State, Eisenhower Presidential Library and Museum, Central Intelligence Agency and Centre for Oral History of Columbia University, all in the United States of America

Ill-informed Criticisms Against Communist Government Refuted E. M. S. Namboodiripad
1958

The Mahatma and the Ism E. M. S. Namboodiripad 2010 A classic of Marxist historical analysis, this book is the first full-fledged attempt by a Marxist to evaluate Gandhi's role in India's freedom struggle.//E.M.S. Namboodiripad, who began his political life as an ardent Gandhian, was uniquely positioned to analyse the various phases of the national movement and the role of Gandhi. The key question he poses is: how did Gandhi become the undisputed leader of the anti-colonial national liberation movement? In answering this question, he looks at the individual role of Gandhi and the unique contribution he made to developing the national movement, while also simultaneously taking into account the social and historical forces that shaped Gandhi and his worldview. //First published in 1958, *The Mahatma and the Ism*

remains important for its pioneering effort to assess Gandhism, for its rich content and sensitive handling of a great personality, and for subjecting the ideology and politics of that personality to incisive critical appraisal. //This edition also contains an introduction by Prakash Karat that places this book within the context of EMS's overall writing on Gandhi.

Problems of Communism 1979

Politics, Women and Well-Being Robin Jeffrey
2016-07-27 In 1990, Kerala on the southwestern coast has India's lowest infant mortality, longest life expectancy and highest female literacy. India's 'problem state' of the 1950s has become 'the Kerala model'. The collapse of a matrilineal social structure and a rigid caste system contributed to widespread politicization. Women retained a circumscribed but influential position in social life. The result is an instructive analysis for students of politics, development policy and women's issues.

The Programme Explained E. M. S.

Namboodiripad 2000 Critical analysis of the programme of Communist Party of India (Marxist) adopted in its 7th Congress with updated document.

A Study Guide for Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things" Gale, Cengage Learning
2016-06-29 A Study Guide for Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things," excerpted from Gale's acclaimed Novels for Students. This concise study guide includes plot summary;

character analysis; author biography; study questions; historical context; suggestions for further reading; and much more. For any literature project, trust Novels for Students for all of your research needs.

On the Agrarian Question in India E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1952

Indian Planning in Crisis E. M. S. Namboodiripad 1974 A Marxist critique of Indian five year plans.