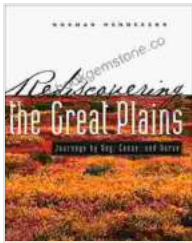


Journeys by Dog Canoe and Horse: Creating the North American Landscape

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The Dog Canoe

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Dog canoes were typically between 15 and 20 feet long and 3 to 4 feet wide. They were made of a light wood frame covered with birch bark or animal hides. The dogs were harnessed to the canoe and would pull it through the water or over land.

Dog canoes were used for a variety of purposes, including transportation, hunting, fishing, and warfare. They were also used to explore new territories and to trade with other Native American tribes.



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Horses had a profound impact on the lives of Native Americans. They made it possible for Native Americans to travel and trade more easily. They also made it easier for Native Americans to hunt and to defend themselves from their enemies.



A horse running through a field in the American West.

The Impact of Native American Journeys

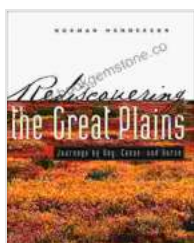
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The impact of Native American journeys can still be seen today. Many of the trails and waterways that were created by Native Americans are still

used by people today. And many of the plants and animals that were spread by Native Americans are now found throughout North America.

The journeys of Native Americans by dog canoe and horse are a testament to the ingenuity and adaptability of the human spirit. These journeys helped to shape the North American landscape and to create the rich and diverse continent that we know today.

The journeys of Native Americans by dog canoe and horse are a fascinating and important part of North American history. These journeys played a vital role in shaping the continent's landscape and in creating the rich and diverse tapestry of ecosystems that we see today.



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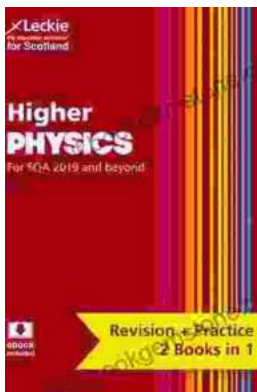
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