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interesting and a find for all interested of the saddlemaking history in USA. The content have both a "Introduction" and a "Acknowlegdement" page (the same ways as in books) on page 6-7. And a chapter initially about saddlemaking in Wyoming which for a lot of good, historically, falls together with the beginning of modern saddlemaking in USA from about 1850! and by that is it also american history on the field. Some of this development is illustrated with drawings of saddles over 6 pages as show how the western saddle looked through its development. Only question in the occation is why the woaman saddle as is mentioned longer forward (P.36-37) in the catalogue not are with in this illustrations?. This is important for the understanding of the text longer forward concerning the development of the woman saddle. As according to the catalogue text was introduced in England by Anne of Bohemia when she married Richard 2 in 1382. It have as fare as I know since then been developed many variations around the world. But how it originally looked tells the catalogue nothing about. (And it's perhaps not so unusual?. In Norway (on Maihaugen) is it a great (unic?) collection of womansaddles as never are exhibited in public). Else is it a mangnificiently catalouge. The content have further a mention of an indian saddle. And a two part introductions of saddles and saddlemakers in Wyoming. The first part is about the periode from 1860-1950. And the second part from 1950 to contemporary time. It all with a rich picture material of both saddlemakers, saddles and workshops. And it have a booklist "Suggestions for further reading" on page 72, At all have it 74 pages. But it is like you have readed 500 when you are finish with the compresset content.