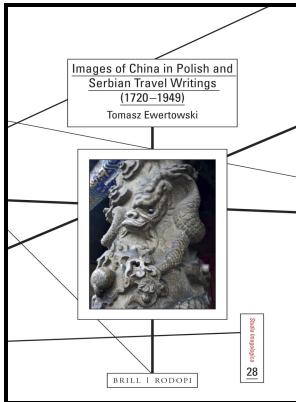


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## ★ Bents Old Fort

The image of western expansion denoted by George Caleb Bingham's famous painting, Daniel Boone Escorting Settlers Through the Cumberland Gap 1851—1852 , predisposes us to a misunderstanding of western history.

## Bent's Old Fort

Certainly they were no improvement over the indigenous bow and arrow for use in either warfare or buffalo hunting.

## Disadvantages of Hindsight: A Re

The effectiveness of these rituals can be seen in regard to the groups who met at Bent's Old Fort. So it works also, said Turner, with ritual. Indeed, multiculturalism is still the hallmark of the Southwest.

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In both cases, the Cheyenne were asking for peace, in the face of a number of incidents involving attacks on white persons or their property that had recently transpired. It eventually flowered into a culture that was obsessed with amassing symbols of prestige and wealth.

## Arapahos

Warriors gained prestige by counting coup, but also by owning horses.

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