

Pirates of the Caribbean

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Image of the pirate flag of Calico Jack - (Jack Rackham, 1682 - 1720) - an English pirate captain operating in the Bahamas and in Cuba during the early 18th century. Online, courtesy Wikimedia Commons.

I have seen wicked men and fools, a great many of both; and I believe they both get paid in the end; but the fools first.

> David Balfour Chapter 14 in <u>Kidnapped</u>

by Robert Louis Stevenson

It was the 17th century. Port Royal, a Jamaican seaport, was the most economically important English-speaking town in the Western Hemisphere.

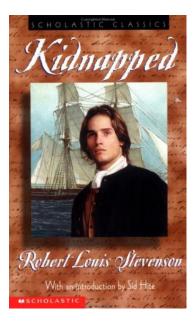
But Port Royal, <u>home base</u> for <u>pirates</u> and an English Governor, was about to experience an earthshaking change of fortune. On June 7, 1692, two-thirds of the city slid into the sea and 2,000 <u>people</u> died.

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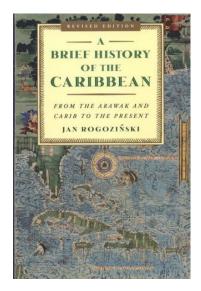


Kidnapped - by Robert Louis Stevenson

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A GENERAL HISTORY OF THE PYRATES



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Map Depicting Port Royal, Jamaica

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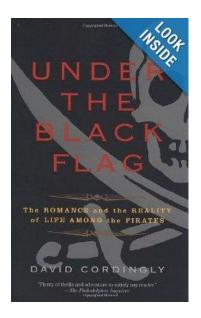
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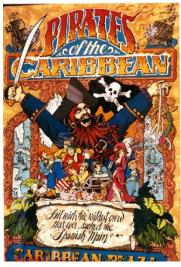
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