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hub during the Yugoslav conflict, the book focuses on that informal

market economy as a prism through which to analyze the strengthening of existing relations between the emigre community in Turkey and the local Bosniak population in the Sandzak region.