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Autore	Salwa Piotr
Titolo	La narrativa tardogotica toscana [[electronic resource] /] / Piotr Salwa
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Fiesole (Firenze), : Cadmo, 2004
ISBN	88-7923-304-1
Descrizione fisica	167 p
Collana	I saggi di Letteratura italiana antica ; ; 7
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Soggetti	Italian fiction - To 1400 - History and criticism Italian fiction - 15th century - History and criticism Italian fiction - Italy - Tuscany - History and criticism
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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (xii, 393 pages) : digital, PDF file(s)
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 371-378) and index.
Nota di contenuto	The founding of the colony -- The grandees -- The godly captains -- The upper-middling elite -- The ministers -- Servants and slaves -- The colony in 1635 -- Providence Island as a privateering base -- The last years -- Providence Island and the western design.
Sommario/riassunto	Providence Island was founded in 1630 at the same time as Massachusetts Bay by English puritans who thought an island off the coast of Nicaragua was far more promising than the cold, rocky shores of New England. Although they expected theirs to become a model godly society, the settlement never succeeded in building the kind of united and orderly community that the New Englanders created. In fact, they began large-scale use of slaves, and plunged into the privateering that invited the colony's extinction by the Spanish in 1641. As a well-planned and well-financed failure, Providence Island offers historians a standard by which to judge other colonies. By examining the failure of Providence Island, the author illuminates the common characteristics in all the successful English settlements, the key institutions without which men and women would not emigrate and a colony's economy could not thrive. This study of Providence Island reveals the remarkable similarities in many basic institutions among the early colonial regions.

