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Comprehension of the social system through philosophic and anthropologic researches of the XVIII century

The aim of the work is to see the device through the Western European public historical and philosophical sources of the XVIII century, summarizing and updating knowledge of historical and ethnographic knowledge. Namely the establishment of a variety of patterns of facts, explain the basis for projecting the sequence of historical events and anticipate their consequences was a prerequisite of renewed interest in the study of human evolution, and anthropological studies. The article discusses issues related to the philosophical and theoretical reconstruction of the historical process in the public mind of the XVIII century. It is generalized conclusions regarding the semantic load of "civilization" and the resolution of its problems through the writings of thinkers study period. It is affected by problems in the theory of geographical determinism, which was dominant in the Enlightenment, clarified its main findings and conclusions.

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