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## Chicago Transformed: World War I and the Windy City (Paperback)

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English . Brand New Book. It s been called the war that

changed everything, and it is difficult to think of a historical

event that had a greater impact on the world than the First

World War. Events during the war profoundly changed our

nation, and Chicago, especially, was transformed during this

period. Between 1913 and 1919, Chicago transitioned from a

nineteenth-century city to the metropolis it is today. Despite the

importance of the war years, this period has not been

documented adequately in histories of Chicago. In Chicago

Transformed: World War I and the Windy City, Joseph Gustaitis

fills this gap in the historical record, covering the important

wartime events, developments, movements, and people that

helped shaped Chicago. Gustaitis attributes many of Chicago s

changes to the labor shortage caused by the war. African

Americans from the South flocked to Chicago during the Great

Migration, and Mexican immigration increased as well. This

influx of new populations along with a wave of anti-German

hysteria-which nearly extinguished German culture in Chicago-

changed the city s ethnic composition. As the ethnic landscape

changed, so too did the...



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