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Fallout: A Historian Reflects on America's Half-Century Encounter with Nuclear Weapons. Ohio State UP, 1998. Buffet, Cyril. It begins by showing the particular reasons for this morbid fascination and the history of such imagery in nineteenth and early twentieth century literature and cinema. The paper then analyses the changing presentations of destruction from the 1950s to the 1980s and relates them to the dominant fears and anxieties of each period. Fallout: A Historian Reflects on America's Half-Century Encounter with Nuclear Weapons Paperback – 1 June 1998. by Paul S. Boyer (Author). by Paul S. Boyer (Author). See all formats and editions Hide other formats and editions. Amazon Price. New from. Used from. Start by marking “Fallout: A Historian Reflects on America's Half-century Encounter with Nuclear Weapons” as Want to Read: Want to Read saving... Want to Read. The “fallout” from the nuclear arms race was not limited to strontium 90 and other deadly substances: it also included the mental and imaginative world of an entire generation, adults and children alike. It produced not only nightmares, worried conversations, and activist campaigns but also a diverse array of cultural artifacts, ranging from poems, novels, and paintings to The "fallout" from the nuclear arms race was not limited to strontium 90 and other deadly substances: it also included the mental and imaginative world of an entire generation, adults and children alike. Fallout: An American Nuclear Tragedy is a 1989 book by Philip L. Fradkin which was republished in a second edition in 2004. The book is about the radiation exposure of people and their livestock living downwind from the nuclear weapons testing at the Nevada Test Site in the 1950s. The case of Irene Allen et al. vs. the United States is used as a framework for the narrative. The court case ‘resulted in an award of $2.66 million in damages to eight persons with leukemia, one with thyroid cancer, and Fallout: A Historian Reflects on America's Half-Century Encounter with Nuclear Weapons. Columbus: Ohio State University Press. Bundy, McGeorge. Conceptions of Nuclear Threshold Status. In Security with Nuclear Weapons? Different Perspectives on National Security, edited by Regina Cowan, Karp, 218–28. Oxford: Oxford University Press.