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The Disintegration of an Information Service

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ALTHOUGH ACCOUNTING is usually regarded as having a restraining influence on wasteful practices, it is sometimes disturbing to find that a limited concept of its function in corporate life is often directly responsible for one of the most insidious causes of waste in many companies: inadequate business information.

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