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Edited by David Finkelstein, Andrew Nash

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Edited by Alexis Easley

This volume is a critical edition of a Victorian scrapbook, composed of cuttings from advertising images from the 1880’s. The album highlights issues of concern to women at the fin de siècle: romance, marriage, shopping, and house decoration. The satirical commentary on late Victorian shopping and commodity culture provides a fascinating insight into the interests and responses of consumers during this period. The volume will be of great interest to students and scholars of literary and advertising history.

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Frank O. Etheridge

Musician of the African Diaspora

Edited by Ben Vinson III

This is a book by and about Frank O. Etheridge, an African-American musician from an age of cultural explosion. Etheridge performed in a period when some of the greatest cultural producers of the African-American heritage assumed center-stage. From Shanghai to Singapore, from India to Africa, and beyond, Frank Etheridge left us a detailed record of his travels in his unpublished manuscript. The book contains his views, insights, and international itinerary during the 1920s. This manuscript, published for the first time, will be accompanied by editorial commentary written by Professor Ben Vinson III, and will be of great interest to students and scholars of African American history.

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Edited by Sarah Dewis, Brent Elliott

This collection brings together primary sources on gardens and gardening across the long nineteenth-century. Economic expansion, empire, the growth of the middle classes and suburbia, the changing role of women and the professionalisation of gardening, alongside industrialisation and the development of leisure and mass markets were all elements that contributed to and were influenced by the evolution of gardens. It is a subject that is both global and multidisciplinary and this set provides the reader with a variety of ways in which to read gardens – through recognition of how they were conceived and experienced as they developed.

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The Correspondence of Lady Susan Ramsay, 1854–1856

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This fascinating volume reproduces the letters and journal of Lady Susan Ramsay (1837–1898), the elder daughter of the Marquess of Dalhousie, Governor-General of India from 1848 to 1856. Her letters and journal represent the unique viewpoint of a highly intelligent, witty, articulate and unprejudiced young woman expressed from locations that range from Osborne on the Isle of Wight to Seringapatam in Mysore. Accompanied by extensive introductions and annotations by Ross Nelson, this volume will be of great interest to students and scholars of Imperial History.

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Edited by Giles Whiteley, Monika Class, Cian Duffy, Andrea Selleri, Peter Garratt

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Edited by Marisa Palacios Knox

The sources in this volume focus on Great Britain's moral, financial, and diplomatic interventions and ambitions in Latin America. It begins during the wars of independence spanning 1810-1825. The independence movements of the former Spanish and Portuguese colonies, as well as their ancient past, inspired Romantic writers and spurred British financial and military support. The collected texts variously portray British anticipation of, participation in, and pursuit of national interest amidst revolutions in Latin America.

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Selected Letters of Vernon Lee, 1856–1935

1890-1896

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Series: The Pickering Masters

Vernon Lee was the pen name of Violet Paget – a prolific author best known for her supernatural fiction and her radical polemics. She was an active correspondent who included many well-known figures among her circle. This scholarly edition of her letters makes a selection from more than 30 archives worldwide. In this third volume, covering the years 1890-1896, the 429 assembled letters follow Violet Paget-Vernon Lee from the age of thirty-four to forty.

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**Ageing, Neuropsychology and the 'New' Dementias**

*Definitions, Explanations and Practical Approaches*

**Unpublished**

Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

First published in 1995, this title introduces the concepts of neuropsychology and behaviour and the recent research on dementia to equip the professional user with the most up-to-date knowledge of these influences on ageing. This practical resource fills the gaps in knowledge and practice by providing a wealth of explanations, suggestions for assessments and approaches to common problems encountered with this age group. Chapters focus on such issues as: recognizing the problems of head injuries, misinterpreted behaviour and impairments to brain function; re-examining the concept of dementia; management, rehabilitation and training; community care.

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**Caring for Elderly People**

*Understanding and Practical Help (Third Edition)*

**Susan Hooker**

Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

First published in 1976, Caring for Elderly People rapidly established itself as a standard guide for anyone dealing on a day-to-day basis with the elderly. This updated and revised edition, originally published in 1990, contains information on financial help and services and on the new technology available at the time. The book concerns itself as a standard guide for anyone dealing on a day-to-day basis with the elderly. The contributors examine the complex relationships among aging persons, their health care needs, and the current health care and support systems. Individual chapters contribute in particular to our understanding of the interactions of the health care system with individual aging processes, and the interdependence between the informal and formal care systems.

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**Aging and Health Care**

*Social Science and Policy Perspectives*

**Edited by Marcia Ory, Kathleen Bond**

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First published in 1989, Aging and Health Care focuses on the most urgent health care problems of older people at the time and explores possible solutions. Drawing on up-to-date social and behavioral research, it provides a sound basis on which to build practices and policies on aging and health care. The contributors examine the complex relationships among aging persons, their health care needs, and the current health care and support systems. Individual chapters contribute in particular to our understanding of the interactions of the health care system with individual aging processes, and the interdependence between the informal and formal care systems.

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**Daughters Who Care**

*Daughters Caring for Mothers at Home*

**Jane Lewis, Barbara Meredith**

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Originally published in 1988, this in-depth interviews with daughters who have looked after their mothers for varying numbers of years, Jane Lewis and Barbara Meredith look at why it is that women come to care, and consider the legacy of their caring experiences. Because caring is usually a labour of love, the feelings that surround it are complicated and fraught with ambivalence. In analysing these Daughters Who Care explores the meaning of caring from the carer’s point of view, as well as examining the implications for professionals seeking to ‘support the supporters’.

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**Day Brought Back My Night**

*Aging and New Vision Loss*

**Stephen Charles Ainlay**

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Originally published in 1989, Day Brought Back My Night explores the lives of people who have lost sight in late life as a result of age-related visual disorders. As life-expectancy in western society has increased, the number of people who fall into this group has grown, yet little had been written on this plight. This major study filled the gap in the literature, and will still be of great value to practitioners, scholars, and students in the fields of social gerontology, medicine, social work, and nursing. Stephen Ainlay surveys the various etiologies of age-related visual disorders and establishes the medical framework of the problem.

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Dependency and Interdependency in Old Age
Theoretical Perspectives and Policy Alternatives

Edited by Chris Phillipson, Miriam Bernard, Patricia Strang
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

Originally published in 1986, Dependency and Interdependency in Old Age presents papers from the British Society of Gerontology annual conference in 1985. The areas covered include: the sociology of ageing, methodological issues, evaluations of service provision, ethnographies of growing old, historical studies and political perspectives on ageing. A creative dialogue between the proponents of these themes was urgently needed at the time and it was hoped that this volume would stimulate such a discussion.

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Domiciliary Services for the Elderly

Liam Clarke
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Originally published in 1984, Domiciliary Services for the Elderly looks at the field of elderly care and particularly domiciliary work from the perspective of social services. Starting with the early influences that helped shape the development of Domiciliary Services for elderly people, the author, a qualified social worker, goes on to look at how the service has developed over the years and where it falls short. Chapters include the role of government policy over time, European comparisons, and training. The final chapter looks to the future and what part domiciliary services might play in the care of our aging population.

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Drugs, Ageing and Society

Social and Pharmacological Perspectives

Bruce Burns, Chris Phillipson
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During the 1970s and 1980s prescription and over-the-counter drugs had come to play a major role in the health care of older people. Originally published in 1986, this book reviews the historical background to this development and explores its social and pharmacological implications. The main aim of the study was to provide a critical perspective on drug use together with a framework for developing effective prescribing policies. The authors do not, in developing their arguments, reject the enormous value of drugs in the treatment of many illnesses affecting older people; they do, however, criticise excessive as well as inappropriate prescribing.

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Elderly People, Their Medicines, and Their Doctors

Ann Cartwright, Christopher Smith
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

In the late 1980s, an increasing proportion of all prescribed medicines went to people over 65 years of age, not only because they constituted a growing sector of the population but also because their consumption rate, unlike that of younger people, was increasing. First published in 1988, the authors looked at the medicines prescribed for, and taken by, a nationally representative sample of elderly people. The experiences and views of both patients (elderly people) and professionals (general practitioners) are examined and related. What is revealed is how much, and how little GPs knew about the social circumstances and medicine taking of their elderly patients.

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Establishing a Geriatric Service

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Originally published in 1982, in this book experts describe the geriatric services in Britain at the time, a country which had pioneered developments in this field over the previous thirty years. Much of the practical knowledge required to establish a service is outlined and the underlying philosophy is also discussed. The material covered includes the historical development of the services, operational policies, the team approach, orthopaedic and psychiatric services for the elderly and the social aspects of care. There is also a chapter dealing with the importance of education and research in this field.

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Facing Retirement

A Guide for the Middle Aged and Elderly

A Country Doctor

Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

Originally published in 1960 and revised in 1964 the blurb for Facing Retirement read: “Mature men and women are not afraid of advancing years. More and more seek to prepare themselves for retirement so that they may then find all the happiness they can...” For nearly thirty years the author of this book has had the medical care of over 2,000 people of all ages in a cluster of villages and hamlets at the foot of the Cotswold Hills. He has been chairman or president of the County Association for the Care of Old People since its inception in 1952.” Today it can be read and enjoyed in its historical context.

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Gerontology
Social and Behavioural Perspectives

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Originally published in 1984, Gerontology: Social and Behavioural Perspectives presents a selection of the contributions from the annual British Society of Gerontology conference, held at the University of Liverpool in 1983. Issues covered include: services for the elderly and their effectiveness, policy issues and privatization, women and ageing, cross-cultural comparisons, approaches to dementia, and the topics of reminiscence, attitudes, education, retirement, visiting and research utilisation.

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House for the Elderly
Planning and Policy Formulation in Western Europe and North America

Leonard Heumann, Duncan Boldy
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During the 1970s housing and social welfare policy as it affected the elderly was changing throughout Western society. Conventional high-rise apartments and institutionalized nursing or residential homes were no longer the sole public responses to housing the elderly. Originally published in 1982, this book defines sheltered housing, traces its development in Western society and analyses its success under several variations in Great Britain. The British analysis focuses on those aspects of the sheltered housing programme that had wider relevance to the development of Assisted Independent Living (AIL) housing policy in Europe and North America.

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Independence and the Elderly

Malcolm J. Fisk
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In the 1980s much research into the needs of the elderly was undertaken from the perspective of a ‘sickness’ model; a model which reinforced labels of elderly people as frail, disabled, dependent and economically unproductive. Few studies adopted a positive attitude to ageing and elderly people. Originally published in 1986, reissued here with a new preface, this book helped to redress this imbalance by focusing on the theme of independence, examined particularly from the perspective of current housing and social policies relating to elderly people at the time.

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Intellectual Functioning in the Aged


By the early 1970s the psychology of age had become an extremely important topic in the field. In the present book, originally published in 1973, the authors are particularly concerned with the subject of intellectual functioning. Intellectual functioning is severely affected by psychiatric illness – but the intellectual difficulties associated with functional disorder in the aged may be quite different from those in the young. The cross-fertilization of psychiatric and psychological work on problems of the aged at the time left much to be desired. It was the hope of the present book to contribute towards a much firmer amalgamation of the two attitudes.

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A Study of the Elderly Widowed

Ann Bowling, Ann Cartwright
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First published in 1982, Life After A Death presents the results of a study of the experiences and attitudes of over 350 elderly widowed men and women, their GPs, their relatives, friends, and neighbours, and considers the implications of the help the widowed received, or failed to receive, from those to whom it was most likely that they would turn for support. The authors’ identification and description of the emotional and practical day-to-day needs of the widowed, and their recommendations about the potential role of the GP and voluntary and social services, should be considered by all those concerned to alleviate the difficulties of the widowed.

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Life Before Death

Ann Cartwright, Lisbeth Hockey, John L. Anderson
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

Since death is an experience which will inevitably be common to us all, we are often surprisingly uninterested in what services are provided for people who are at risk or who are on the point of death. First published in 1973, this study describes the last twelve months in the lives of 785 adults. Based mainly on the reports of close relatives, it is concerned with the needs of the dying and the care they receive. This includes the more emotional aspects such as ‘awareness’ of dying and the effects of the death on relatives. The book looks at the part played by hospitals, GPs, local authority health and welfare services, and by relatives, friends and neighbours.

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Living with Dementia
Community Care of the Elderly Mentally Infirm

C. J. Gilleard
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

In the early 1980s, it had only recently been appreciated that what was known of the epidemiology of dementia in the elderly living in the community was just the tip of a large iceberg. Originally published in 1984, reissued here with a new preface, this book is concerned with presenting information on the nature of dementia, its prevalence and the existing pattern of services available at the time. It begins by considering the nature and epidemiology of dementia and examines the problems of supporting dementia sufferers for both families and professionals.

Old and Alone
A Sociological Study of Old People

Jeremy Tunstall
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

Originally published in 1966, this was the first full-length study by a sociologist of isolation in old age. Although the majority of old people were in no sense a problem group at the time, a substantial minority of the elderly were ‘alone’ in one or more ways. About 1.3 million people aged sixty-five and over in Britain lived alone; a large number admitted to feeling lonely, at least sometime. About a million were actually socially isolated in terms of low level and frequency of social contact. Tunstall also uses a fourth category of anomie – namely anoromic (as developed by Durkheim, Merton, and Srole).

Long-Term Care for the Elderly
A Comparative View of Layers of Care

Betty H. Landsberger
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

In the 1980s the need for long-term care for elderly people in Western societies was quite obvious from the increasing numbers of old and very old people in the population. Countries had responded in a number of different ways to cope with this need. Originally published in 1985, the central theme of this book is to explore these different ways and to probe beneath the surface level of institutions and specific programs. Beneath this level are a number of layers of care, consisting of attitudes, beliefs and values on a social as well as personal level.

Old Age in European Society

Peter N. Stearns
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

Originally published in 1977, Old Age in European Society provides an historical perspective on aging, a process which had received little attention from any group in the social sciences and virtually none from historians at the time. Starting from the premise that ‘the elderly can and should be active, participant members of their society’ the book examines the ways in which old people were and are viewed by certain key groups. This is done in a series of thematic essays linked by the main theme of a dominant culture in which the elderly and the groups who deal with them were and still are ensnared.

Old People’s Homes and the Production of Welfare

Bleddyn Davies, Martin Knapp
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In 1980 old people comprised over half the clients of Local Authority Social Services Departments and accounted for about half of their resources, yet until then residential care of the aged had been a backwater of both research and practice. During the 1970s a large research literature had developed on the subject, particularly in the US. However, studies had been partial in their focus on issues, making no attempt to draw together their arguments to create a model that described and evaluated competing theories about what it is that determines the quality of residential life. First published in 1981, Bleddyn Davies and Martin Knapp filled that gap in this book.

Physical Activity and Aging
Second Edition

Roy J. Shephard
Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

In the late 1980s, the relationship between physical activity or exercise and aging was one of great contemporary interest. The first edition of this book was acknowledged as a major review of the field. With many advances in our knowledge, this second edition, originally published in 1987, contains over 50 percent more references. The author shows how far we can improve our adaptation to the aging process through an increase in personal fitness. Aimed at gerontologists, physicians in geriatric medicine and sports medicine, as well as other interested in human performance, the book would remain a standard reference work on this subject for many years.
Physiotherapy and the Elderly Patient

Paul Wagstaff, Davis Coakley

Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

First published in 1988, the purpose of this book was to introduce the student and practicing physiotherapist to the multi-faceted components of the care and treatment of elderly patients and to present a problem-orientated approach to physiotherapy, assessment and management. Care of the elderly demands a dynamic and responsible approach and it was hoped that this book would improve therapy skills. The authors’ principle aim was to describe appropriate physiotherapy practice together with the pathology and medicine of old age. There is also consideration of social and psychological issues and working with the elderly people in the community as well as in hospital.

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Planning Local Authority Services for the Elderly

Greta Sumner, Randall Smith

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In the 1960s, planning the development of services for the elderly was a subject of considerable importance in Britain, both because existing services were known to be inadequate, and because the proportion of older people, especially of those over seventy-five, was expected to increase during the next thirty years. Originally published in 1969, this book describes how a sample of local authorities were planning their services for the elderly, how they estimated the need for services and the availability of resources, and how they linked their plans with those of other organisations.

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Psychological Approaches to the Care of the Elderly

Edited by Ian Hanley, John Hodge

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Originally published in 1984, the overall purpose of this book was to provide ideas and suggestions about the usefulness of applied psychology in dealing with some of the problems of the elderly. Although many problems of the elderly are not included, the editors wanted to put forward ideas which they, both individually and collectively, had found to be of practical value in dealing with the kinds of problem they found to be most urgent. The chapters of this book range from the more traditional psychological topic of assessment through to psychological treatment and management approaches for various problems.

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Social and Medical Problems of the Elderly

Fourth Edition

Edited by Kenneth Hazell

Series: Routledge Library Editions: Aging

In the 1960s and 1970s doctors were increasingly trained to apply science to the eradication of disease, the accent being on the treatment of disease rather than the true welfare of the patient. This is not the same as dealing with illness and its attendant problems. Originally published in 1976, this book highlights the modern approach to the care of the elderly at the time, and emphasises the individual contributions of doctor, nurse, social worker and paramedical members of the team. It also stresses the important role of voluntary associations relatives and neighbours. Much of the book is concerned with the particular medical problems which occur in the elderly.

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New Directions

Edited by Silvana di Gregorio

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Edited by Matilda White Riley, Joseph D. Matarazzo, Andrew Baum
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Strategies for Care

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Originally published in 1983, this cross-national study had three aims. First, to examine the cross-national differences among the elderly community in the prevalence of psychiatric problems and their relationship to other health and social problems. Second, to examine the differences in health care of aged people, with a view to providing a framework for improvement of health and support services to those elderly with psychiatric problems who reside in the community. Finally, the differences in the course and outcome of psychiatric disability with implications for the role of healthcare and community resources in reducing chronic disability or its consequences.

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The Social Challenge of Ageing
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Originally published in 1978, this book provided a multi-disciplinary study of the process of ageing for those in the caring professions as well as for planners and architects, whose decisions and designs affected the lives of the elderly. It is divided into three parts: the first provides a sociological, demographic and cultural background to the place of old people in eastern and western societies. The second explores the relationship which exists (or should exist) between a number of professional disciplines and part three considers an interdisciplinary model in practice. Today it can be read in its historical context.

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A Guide to Futures Trading
Michael Atkin
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The Modern Plantation in the Third World
Edgar Graham, Ingrid Floering
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Originally published in 1984, this was the first study to define and rationalise the character and functions of the plantation in the contemporary world. The author, Edgar Graham, was uniquely placed to do this having had long experience of Unilever’s plantations in West Africa, Zaire, Malaysia and the Pacific. Writing as a pragmatist, from observed fact, his starting point was the fact that the ‘modern plantation’ bears very little resemblance to that of the past, on which most hostile accounts are still based.

Charcoal Making in Developing Countries
Gerald Foley
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Originally published in 1986, this book provides a detailed examination of programmes to introduce improved charcoal making techniques throughout the developing world. Charcoal making is widely regarded as an extremely wasteful use of scarce wood resources. The book includes a section on the physics and chemistry of charcoal and descriptions of the various traditional methods of charcoal making. Patterns of charcoal supply and distribution are analysed and efforts to introduce improved charcoal making techniques are described and evaluated.

Tin: Its Production and Marketing
William Robertson
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Originally published in 1982, this book is a survey of the world tin industry up until the late 20th Century. The author used many scattered and hard to access journal sources in the course of the book’s research. The book gives a wide-ranging picture of the world tin market and discusses factors affecting the market.

Farm and Community Forestry
Gerald Foley, Geoffrey Barnard
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In 1984, when this book was originally published the need to take forestry outside the forests and involve local people in tree growing was widely recognised. Projects to encourage farm and community forestry were launched in over 50 developing countries. This book describes the main approaches which were taken, discussing their scope and limitation. It examines the reasons why people plant trees, and the constraints which prevent them from doing so.

Routledge Library Editions: Forestry
Various Authors
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The volumes in this set, originally published between 1953 and 1994 are as relevant now as they were when first published dealing with the ever-pressing need to balance economy (seen from the standpoint of commercial forestry) and concerns about deforestation and livelihoods in the developing world. The volumes analyse supply and demand systems for wood, and the underlying forces causing tree depletion; Ascertain how people buy, collect and use wood in the developing world and analyses the efficiency of woodstoves; Present an overview of the intrinsic environmental and socio-economic resources in a northern Brazilian Amazon state.

Planned Management of Forests
N. V. Brasnett
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Originally published in 1953, this book was compiled to provide students of forestry with a simple outline of what the management of forests involves, and of the way in which forestry operations are organized and controlled. Topics discussed and explained include economic considerations, stock mapping, topography, climate, soils, form and distribution of crops, scientific forestry, destruction of forests, regulation by volume, area and size of forest protection.
**The Forest Frontier**

Settlement and Change in Brazilian Roraima

Edited by Peter A. Furley

Series: Routledge Library Editions: Forestry

Originally published in 1994, this book analysed land developments, deforestation and pasture substitution, colonisation schemes and spontaneous settlement during the latter part of the 20th Century. In so doing, the Forest Frontier presents an overview of the intrinsic environmental and socio-economic resources of the Roraima, the most northerly of the Brazilian Amazon states. Roraima is of special environmental and socio-economic resources. Their understanding of the environment enables them to contribute substantially to any plans for economic and ecological recovery in the region. Their cooperative modes of life lead to greater sustainability.

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**Stoves and Trees**

How Much Wood Would a Woodstove Save If a Woodstove Could Save Wood?

Gerald Foley, Patricia Moss, Lloyd Timberlake

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Originally published in 1984, Stoves and Trees asks whether better stoves really help the two billion people in the developing world who rely on wood and charcoal for cooking and heating their homes. It also asks if improved stoves actually save fuel and if they can help slow down tropical deforestation. The book not only examines newer stoves but also ascertains how people buy, collect and use wood in the developing world. It finds that most forests are cleared for timber or farmland not fuelwood and explains why stoves which show 50% energy savings in European laboratories often save little or none in village homes.

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**The Management of Forests**

F. C. Osmaston

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Originally published in 1968, this book discusses the principles and methods on which forest management has been founded in the past and how these principles and methods still apply or are affected by modern management skills, changing demands, social habits and resources. The book is concerned mainly with the technical aspects of forestry and the classic foundations of management. To a lesser degree it deals with commercial efficiency, labour relations and the implications of these. The historical chapter shows the trends in the development of forestry, particularly in Europe.

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Edited by Earl Scott

Little attention had been paid to the realities of life in the Savanna-Sahel of West Africa before the drought of 1968-74, but this book, originally published in 1984 provides a set of authoritative accounts of the way in which the inhabitants cope with what outsiders perceive as a harsh environment. The peoples of the Savanna-Sahel are shown to be developers of strategies and technologies to manage their resources. Their understanding of the environment enables them to contribute substantially to any plans for economic and ecological recovery in the region. Their cooperative modes of life lead to greater social complexity and capacity for survival.

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**British Rivers**

Edited by John Lewin

Originally published in 1981, this book describes and interprets the physical nature of British rivers and is authored by leading authors from universities, the Institute of Hydrology and a water Authority. The contents include data on river regimes and catchment characteristics, information on water quality in both polluted and unpolluted rivers, a full discussion of river channels and their erosion and sediment characteristics, and a consideration of river management problems in the distinctive British context. Where possible, nationwide information is presented in map form and many of the maps presented a national picture for the first time.

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Population growth, industrialization, environmental mismanagement, and land degradation have led to droughts, poverty, and famine so that the need for space, food and key natural resources such as water has become the most critical issue in global development. The volumes in this set, originally published between 1980 and 1995 will prove a valuable resource for geomorphology students on advanced undergraduate courses on river behaviour and will also be of interest to students of hydraulics and sedimentology; civil and environmental engineering; river management and channel design; maintenance and management in the water industry and environment and...
Networks for Water Policy
A Comparative Perspective

Edited by Hans Bressers, Laurence J. O’Toole, Jeremy Richardson

Network models for analysing public policy have become widely used in recent years. This volume, originally published in 1995, assesses the network idea by applying a common perspective on network analysis to the constellations involved in water policy formation and implementation in England and Wales, Germany, Hungary, the Netherlands, the USA and at the level of the EU. Water policy – addressing basic human needs for the supply of adequate surface and groundwater as well as for the maintenance and improvement of water quality, is an increasingly salient subject.

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An Introduction to the Oceanography and Resources of the North-West European Continental Shelf

Jack Hardisty

Originally published in 1990 and designed as a student text, The British Seas is a clear introduction to the oceanography and resources of the region. It is unique in providing a detailed review of the resources of the north-west European continental shelf together with a comprehensive description of the environment. Introducing the shelf region as if it were a new country, Jack Hardisty explores first its physical environment and then summarizes the distribution and exploitation of resources from the environment.

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Water Planning in Britain

Dennis J. Parker, Edmund C. Penning-Rowsell

Originally published in 1980, this book provides a penetrating and scholarly analysis of the planning of water resources, based on 10 years’ of research into one of Britain’s most vital industries. At the time of original publication Britain had a plentiful natural supply of water, but accessible clean water was scarce; droughts were not uncommon, floods often caused considerable damage; water bills were rising dramatically and consumption increasing inexorably. All of which applies as much to water resources in the UK today.

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