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this is the first full length study of british women s instrumental chamber music in the early twentieth century laura seddon argues that the cobbett competitions instigated by walter willson cobbett in 1905 and the formation of the society of women musicians in 1911 contributed to the explosion of instrumental music written by women in this period and highlighted women s place in british musical society in the years leading up to and during the first world war seddon investigates the relationship between cobbett the society of women musicians and women composers themselves the book s six case studies of adela maddison 1866 1929 ethel smyth 1858 1944 morfydd owen 1891 1918 ethel barns 1880 1948 alice verne bredt 1868 1958 and susan spain dunk 1880 1962 offer valuable insight into the women s musical education and compositional careers seddon s discussion of their chamber works for differing instrumental combinations includes an exploration of formal procedures an issue much discussed by contemporary sources the individual composers reactions to the debate instigated by the society of women musicians on the future of women s music is considered in relation to their lives careers and the chamber music itself as the composers in this study were not a cohesive group creatively or ideologically the book draws on primary sources as well as the writings of contemporary commentators to assess the legacy of the chamber works produced frontier dramas were among the most popular and successful of early twentieth century Broadway type plays the saxon

runs of contemporary dramas not only indicate the popularity of these plays but also tell us that these plays offered views about the frontier that original audiences could and did embrace feminism women s agency and communication in early twentieth century china focuses on a sensational elopement in the yangzi delta in the late 1920s to explore how middle and lower class members of society gained access to and appropriated otherwise alien and abstract enlightenment theories and idioms about love marriage and family via a network of communications that connected people of differing socioeconomic and educational backgrounds non elite women were empowered to display their new womanhood and thereby exercise their self activating agency to mount resistance to china s patriarchal system qiliang he s text also investigates the proliferation of anti feminist conservatisms in legal practice scholarly discourses media and popular culture in the early nanjing decade 1927 1937 utilizing a framework of interdisciplinary scholarship this book traverses various fields such as legal history women s history popular culture media studies and literary studies to explore urban discourse and communication in 1920s china this book focuses on how the political cultural and technical networks within the field of engineering provided the space within which an important professional middle class prospered in the city of são paulo and made lasting contributions to the development of modern brazil in the new woman in early twentieth century chinese fiction jin feng proposes that representation of the new woman in communist chinese fiction of the earlier twentieth century was paradoxically one of the ways in which male writers of the era explored negotiated and laid claim to their own emerging identity as modern intellectuals specifically feng argues that male writers such as lu xun yu dafu ba jin and mao dun created fictional women as mirror images of their own political inadequacy but that at the same time this was also an egocentric ploy to affirm and highlight the modernity of the male author this gender biased attitude was translated into reality when

women writers emerged whereas unfair gender biased criticism all but stifled the creative output of bing xin fang yuanjun and lu yin ding ling s dogged attention to narrative strategy allowed her to maintain subjectivity and independence in her writings that is until all writers were forced to write for the collective feng addresses both the general and the specialized audience of fiction in early twentieth century chinese fiction in three ways for scholars of the may fourth period feng redresses the emphasis on the simplistic gender neutral representation of the new women by re reading selected texts in the light of marginalized discourse and by an analysis of the evolving strategies of narrative deployment for those working in the area of feminism and literary studies feng develops a new method of studying the representation of chinese women through an interrogation of narrative permutations ideological discourses and gender relationships and for studies of modernity and modernization the author presents a more complex picture of the relationships of modern chinese intellectuals to their cultural past and of women writers to a literary tradition dominated by men the idea that morally mentally and physically superior new men might replace the currently existing mankind has periodically seized the imagination of intellectuals leaders and reformers throughout history this volume offers a multidisciplinary investigation into how the new man was made in russia and the early soviet union in the first third of the 20th century the traditional narrative of the soviet new man as a creature forged by propaganda is challenged by the strikingly new and varied case studies presented here the book focuses on the interplay between the rapidly developing experimental life sciences such as biology medicine and psychology and countless cultural products ranging from film and fiction dolls and museum exhibits to pedagogical projects sculptures and exemplary agricultural fairs with contributions from scholars based in the united states canada the uk germany and russia the picture that emerges is emphatically more complex contradictory and suggestive of str

with other new man visions in europe and elsewhere in contrast to previous interpretations that focused largely on the apparent disconnect between utopian new man rhetoric and the harsh realities of everyday life in the soviet union this volume brings to light the surprising historical trajectories of new man visions their often obscure origins acclaimed and forgotten champions unexpected and complicated results and mutual interrelations in short the volume is a timely examination of a recurring theme in modern history when dramatic advancements in science and technology conjoin with anxieties about the future to fuel dreams of a new and improved mankind the history of english song from the late nineteenth century to the second world war views the impact of foreign imperialism on china during its apogee the early republican era 1910 to 1920 as the first substantial investigation of commercial art in china selling happiness explains how the early twentieth century chinese public came to accept western style art as mainstream and the heretofore ignored process by which the chinese art world became in some sectors at least thoroughly cosmopolitan a monumental study of the most important genre of modern chinese commercial art this volume will appeal not only to historians of chinese art but also to those interested in literary economic and social history it will be an essential resource for comparative studies of visual culture book jacket title summary field provided by blackwell north america inc all rights reserved during the days of slavery in america racism and often faulty medical theories contributed to an atmosphere in which african americans were seen as chattel some white physicians claimed that african americans had physiological and anatomical differences that made them well suited for slavery these attitudes continued into the reconstruction and jim crow eras in race and medicine historian todd savitt presents revised and updated versions of his seminal essays on the medical history of african americans in the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries especially in the south this collection examines a variety of

aspects of african american medical history including health and illnesses medical experimentation early medical schools and medical professionals and slave life insurance savitt examines the history of sickle cell anemia and identifies the first two patients with the disease noted in medical literature he proposes an explanation of why the disease was not well known in the general african american population for at least 50 years after its discovery charleston low country and not elsewhere in the country other topics savitt explores include african american medical schools the formation of an african american medical profession and sids among virginia slaves with its new research data and interpretations of existing materials race and medicine will be a valuable resource to those interested in the history of medicine and african american history as well as to the medical community the fifth volume of the history of evil covers the twentieth century from 1900 through 1950 the period saw the maturation of intellectual movements such as pragmatism and phenomenology and the full emergence of several new academic disciplines all these provided novel intellectual tools that were used to shed light on a human capacity for evil that was becoming increasingly hard to ignore an underlying theme of this volume is the effort to reconstruct an understanding of human nature after confidence in its intrinsic goodness and moral character had been shaken by world events the chapters in this volume cover globally relevant topics such as education propoganda power oppression and genocide and include perspectives on evil drawn from across the world theological and atheistic responses to evil are also examined in the volume this outstanding treatment of approaches to evil at a determinative period of modernity will appeal to those with interests in the intellectual history of the era as well as to those with interests in the political philosophical and theological movements that matured within it during the twentieth century medicine has been radically transformed and powerfully transformative in 1900 western medicine was impacted by

philanthropy and public health but it was marginal to the state the industrial economy and the welfare of most individuals it is now central to these aspects of life our prospects seem increasingly dependent on the progress of bio medical sciences and genetic technologies which promise to reshape future generations the editors of medicine in the twentieth century have commissioned over forty authoritative essays written by historical specialists but intended for general audiences some concentrate on the political economy of medicine and health as it changed from period to period and varied between countries others focus on understandings of the body and a third set of essays explores transformations in some of the theatres of medicine and the changing experiences of different categories of practitioners and patients contemporary japanese women are often presented as devoted full time wives and mothers at the extreme they are stereotyped as education mothers kyoiku mama completely dedicated to the academic success of their children children of working mothers are pitied day care users both children and mothers are faintly disparaged for their inadequate home lives hired babysitters are virtually unknown yet historical evidence reveals a strikingly different picture of japanese motherhood and childcare at the beginning of the twentieth century in contrast to today child tending by non maternal caregivers was widely accepted at all levels of japanese society day care centers flourished and there was virtually no expectation of exclusive maternal care of children even infants the patterns of the formation of modern japanese attitudes toward motherhood childhood child rearing and home life become visible as this study traces the early twentieth century rise of japanese day care centers institutions established by middle class philanthropists and reformers to provide for the physical well being and mental and moral development of urban lower class preschool children day care gained broad support in turn of the century japan for several reasons for one day care did not clash with widely

of child care a second factor was the perception of public and private policymakers that day care held the promise of social and national progress through economic and moral betterment of the urban lower classes finally day care offered working mothers the opportunity to earn a better livelihood with fewer worries about their children in spite of emerging notions that total devotion to child rearing was a woman s highest calling japanese nationalism a signal force in the genesis of the modern japanese state economy and middle class culture fed a deep wellspring of support for day care and fostered significant reshaping of motherhood childhood home life and view of the urban lower classes passages to modernity is an important and original contribution to our understanding of the institutional and ideological reach of the early twentieth century state and the contested emergence of a striking new discourse about woman as domestic caregiver and homemaker this book originated from the idea that performance is what really matters in business and thus in business history yet surprisingly the analysis of performances has been neglected by economic and business historians this book is a first attempt to fill this gap and in doing so provides a totally new approach to european business history rather than bringing together national studies it is based on a single database measuring performance in eight european countries according to identical criteria the study spans the entire twentieth century with particular attention to five benchmark moments the height of the first globalisation on the eve of the first world war the late 1920s boom preceding the great depression the european reconstruction of the mid 1950s the end of golden age in the early 1970s and the height of the second globalisation at the turn of the twenty first century the analysis is based on a sample of 1 225 companies belonging to the three major european economies britain france and germany two large south european latecomers italy and spain two smaller north western countries belgium and sweden and one small nordic country finland performance has been measured full version saxon

of profitability return on equity roe and holding return hr thus providing a complementary measure of profitability the former as seen from the firm s perspective the latter from the investor s perspective the book s findings at times surprising at once confirm and infirm widely held assumptions regarding business performance regarding strategy and structure ownership and control old and new industries emerging and advanced economies this book provides a scholarly but accessible account of british regional development during the twentieth century focusing on the emergence and development of the north south divide beginning with regional imbalance in the victorian and edwardian economies the book goes on to discuss the effects on the first world war and its aftermath which created a discernible split between the depressed north and west and the relatively prosperous south attention is also paid to the impact of government policy on regional development during the interwar years and beyond and factors affecting industrial location in this period maurizia boscalgi takes the reader on a highly informed literary and cultural excursion through the changing image of the male body between 1880 and 1930 this highly erudite study about our obsessions with male physical perfection undergirds and explains late twentieth century america s preoccupation with exercise athletics diet and consumerism this book engages a multidisciplinary approach to understand gandhi in addressing specific contemporary societal issues the issues highlighted in the book through thirteen distinct yet interrelated themes offer solutions to the societal challenges through the prism of gandhian thought process this edited book explores how ideas gandhi expressed over a century ago can be applied today to issues from the un s sustainable development goals to peaceful resolution of conflicts in particular it looks at the contemporary societies critical issues and offers solutions through the prism of gandhian ideas written in an accessible style this book reintroduces gandhi to today s audiences in relevant terms this book is intended for students of english literature

above general readers interested in a complete history of literature from middle english to the earlier twentieth century this book examines the industrial monuments of twentieth century britain each chapter takes a specific theme and examines it in the context of the buildings and structure of the twentieth century the authors are both leading experts in the field having written widely on various aspects of the subject in this new and comprehensive survey they respond to the growing interest in twentieth century architecture and industrial archaeology the book is well illustrated with superb and unique illustrations drawn from the archives of the royal commission on the historical monuments of england it will mark and celebrate the end of the century with a tribute to its remarkable built industrial heritage canadians and the natural environment to the twenty first century provides an ideal foundation for undergraduates and general readers on the history of canada s complex environmental issues through clear easy to understand case studies neil forkey integrates the ongoing interplay of humans and the natural world into national continental and global contexts forkey s engaging survey addresses significant episodes from across the country over the past four hundred years the classification of canada s environments by its earliest inhabitants the relationship between science and sentiment in the victorian era the shift towards conservation and preservation of resources in the early twentieth century and the rise of environmentalism and issues involving first nations at the end of the century canadians and the natural environment to the twenty first century provides an accessible synthesis of the most important recent work in the field making it a truly state of the art contribution to canadian environmental history international relations theory has been the site of intense debate in recent years a decade ago it was still possible to divide the field between three main perspectives realism liberalism and marxism not only have these approaches evolved in new directions they have been joined by a number of new isms vying for attention

feminism and constructivism international relations theory for the twenty first century is the first comprehensive textbook to provide an overview of all the most important theories within international relations written by an international team of experts in the field the book covers both traditional approaches such as realism and liberal internationalism as well as new developments such as constructivism poststructuralism and postcolonialism the book s comprehensive coverage of ir theory makes it the ideal textbook for teachers and students who want an up to date survey of the rich variety of theoretical work and for readers with no prior exposure to the subject

automobility and the city in twentieth century britain and japan is the first book to consider how mass motorization reshaped cities in japan and britain during the 20th century taking two leading motor cities nagoya and birmingham as their principal subjects simon gunn and susan c townsend show how cars changed the spatial form and individual experience of the modern city and reveal the similarities and differences between japan and britain in adapting to the motor age the book has three main themes the place of automobility in post war urban reconstruction the emerging conflict between the promise of mobility and personal freedom offered by the car and its consequences for the urban environment the m e dilemma and the extent to which the anglo japanese comparison can throw light on fundamental differences in cultural understanding of the environment urbanism and the self the result is the first comparative history of mass automobility and its environmental consequences between east and west bring the history of florida to life through intriguing primary source documents the nonfiction reader florida in the early 20th century boom and bust portrays what life was like in florida during the beginning of the twentieth century this resource provides informational text that covers history economics and other social studies topics for students used in the classroom or at home this book is aligned with state standards and strengthens vocabulary and literacy skills

leading international scholars twentieth century britain investigates key moments themes and identities in the past century engaging with cutting edge research and debate the essays in the volume combine discussion of the major issues currently preoccupying historians of the twentieth century with clear guidance on new directions in the theories and methodologies of modern british social cultural and economic history divided into three the first section of the book addresses key concepts historians use to think about the century notably class gender and national identity organised chronologically the book then explores topical thematic issues such as multicultural britain religion and citizenship representing changes in the field some chapters represent more recent fields of historical inquiry such as modernity and sexuality twenty first century schools traces the extension of political control over britain s school system and through us case studies looks at alternative methods of organisation divexamines the aftershocks of the chinese vernacular reform movement as expressed in early twentieth century autobiography div sanford schwartz situates modernist poetics in the intellectual ferment of the early twentieth century which witnessed major developments in philosophy science and the arts beginning with the works of various philosophers bergson james bradley nietzsche and husserl among others he establishes a matrix that brings together not only the principal characteristics of modernist new critical poetics but also the affiliations between the continental and the anglo american critical traditions originally published in 1985 the princeton legacy library uses the latest print on demand technology to again make available previously out of print books from the distinguished backlist of princeton university press these editions preserve the original texts of these important books while presenting them in durable paperback and hardcover editions the goal of the princeton legacy library is to vastly increase access to the rich scholarly heritage found in the thousands of books published by princeton university press

its founding in 1905 at the turn of the twenty first century britain is in a state of change it is being transformed by the ongoing process of devolution as well as by its increasing multi ethnicity at the same time the relationship with the european union remains controversial this book charts these transformations in the context of the changes britain experienced a century ago at the turn of the twentieth century focusing on british politics culture and literature the articles examine a range of topics including models of utopian and apocalyptic thought the contemporary celebrity cult the state of literary theory in britain and the recent boom in lyrical poetry and the drama of blood sperm the book is of interest to university lecturers teachers students of english and the general reader interested in the present condition of the united kingdom book jacket to what degree can the philosophy of cornelius castoriadis help analyze and evaluate our current social reality in relation to the project of autonomy how meaningful is his political proposition for direct democracy in the 21st century what significance do the concepts of social time and social space have in the determination of political freedom castoriadis and autonomy in the 21st century presents basic concepts of castoriadian philosophy including the social historical plane ontological creativity and social and individual time that provide the theoretical tools to evaluate the historical phenomena of our era drawing from greece s own turbulent past and the current global crisis to reveal new significances of social freedom global solidarity and movements of direct democracy this book explores social autonomy and human freedom today through critical dialogue with castoriadis ideas terrorism in the twenty first century helps readers understand terrorism responses to it and current trends that affect the future of this phenomenon putting terrorism into historical perspective and analyzing it as a form of political violence this text presents the most essential concepts the latest data and numerous case studies to promote effective analysis of terrorist acts terrorism in the twenty first century objectively breaks down the version saxon

how of terrorism giving readers a way both to understand patterns of behavior and to more critically evaluate forthcoming patterns new to the 8th edition provides a more intense exploration of religion as a primary cause of contemporary terrorism focuses on the role of social media in recruitment and propaganda examines the radicalization and recruitment by isis to fighting and to domestic young people to carry out attacks at home explores the growing threat and reality of cyber attacks updates the material on the networking of terrorism today privacy is not often thought of as a marker of modernity but a look at british women s writing of the early twentieth century suggests that it should be so this book examines the female pursuit of privacy particularly of the spatial kind as women began to claim privacy as an entitlement of the modern middle class woman this is a collection of original essays by leading conrad scholars that rereads conrad in light of his representations of post colonialism of empire imperialism and of modernism questions that are once again relevant today dudley s work in making the small church effective 1978 broke new ground in understanding the dynamics of life in the small congregation in this revised edition dudley revisits the small church posing new questions reflective of the considerable changes that have swept over small churches in the last two decades among the most significant recent developments are shifts in institutional loyalty and individual s sense of identity in relation to larger groups and organizations dudley explores the key components that contribute to a small congregation s sense of unity and that motivate its members to more faithfully live out their faith

British Women Composers and Instrumental Chamber Music in the Early Twentieth Century 2016-04-15

this is the first full length study of british women s instrumental chamber music in the early twentieth century laura seddon argues that the cobbett competitions instigated by walter willson cobbett in 1905 and the formation of the society of women musicians in 1911 contributed to the explosion of instrumental music written by women in this period and highlighted women s place in british musical society in the years leading up to and during the first world war seddon investigates the relationship between cobbett the society of women musicians and women composers themselves the book s six case studies of adela maddison 1866 1929 ethel smyth 1858 1944 morfydd owen 1891 1918 ethel barns 1880 1948 alice verne bredt 1868 1958 and susan spain dunk 1880 1962 offer valuable insight into the women s musical education and compositional careers seddon s discussion of their chamber works for differing instrumental combinations includes an exploration of formal procedures an issue much discussed by contemporary sources the individual composers reactions to the debate instigated by the society of women musicians on the future of women s music is considered in relation to their lives careers and the chamber music itself as the composers in this study were not a cohesive group creatively or ideologically the book draws on primary sources as well as the writings of contemporary commentators to assess the legacy of the chamber works produced

Early-Twentieth-Century Frontier

Dramas on Broadway 2011-05-23

frontier dramas were among the most popular and successful of early twentieth century broadway type plays the long runs of contemporary dramas not only indicate the popularity of these plays but also tell us that these plays offered views about the frontier that original audiences could and did embrace

Feminism, Women's Agency, and Communication in Early Twentieth-Century China 2018-06-14

feminism women s agency and communication in early twentieth century china focuses on a sensational elopement in the yangzi delta in the late 1920s to explore how middle and lower class members of society gained access to and appropriated otherwise alien and abstract enlightenment theories and idioms about love marriage and family via a network of communications that connected people of differing socioeconomic and educational backgrounds non elite women were empowered to display their new womanhood and thereby exercise their self activating agency to mount resistance to china s patriarchal system qiliang he s text also investigates the proliferation of anti feminist conservatisms in legal practice scholarly discourses media and popular culture in the early nanjing decade 1927 1937 utilizing a framework of interdisciplinary scholarship this book traverses various fields such as legal history women s history popular culture media studies and literary studies to explore urban discourse and communication in 1920s china

Urban Space and National Identity in Early Twentieth Century São Paulo, Brazil 2010-10-25

this book focuses on how the political cultural and technical networks within the field of engineering provided the space within which an important professional middle class prospered in the city of São Paulo and made lasting contributions to the development of modern Brazil

New Woman in Early Twentieth-Century Chinese Fiction 2004-07-30

In the new woman in early twentieth century Chinese fiction Jin Feng proposes that representation of the new woman in Communist Chinese fiction of the earlier twentieth century was paradoxically one of the ways in which male writers of the era explored, negotiated, and laid claim to their own emerging identity as modern intellectuals. Specifically, Feng argues that male writers such as Lu Xun, Yu Dafu, Ba Jin, and Mao Dun created fictional women as mirror images of their own political inadequacy, but that at the same time this was also an egocentric ploy to affirm and highlight the modernity of the male author. This gender-biased attitude was translated into reality when women writers emerged, whereas unfair gender-biased criticism all but stifled the creative output of Bing Xin, Fang Yuanjun, and Lu Yin. Ding Ling's dogged attention to narrative strategy allowed her to maintain subjectivity and independence in her writings. That is, until all writers were forced to write for the collective, Feng addresses both the general and the specialized audience of fiction in early twentieth century Chinese fiction in three ways. For scholars of the May Fourth period, Feng redresses the emphasis on the simplistic gender-neutral

representation of the new women by re reading selected texts in the light of marginalized discourse and by an analysis of the evolving strategies of narrative deployment for those working in the area of feminism and literary studies feng develops a new method of studying the representation of chinese women through an interrogation of narrative permutations ideological discourses and gender relationships and for studies of modernity and modernization the author presents a more complex picture of the relationships of modern chinese intellectuals to their cultural past and of women writers to a literary tradition dominated by men

The Art and Science of Making the New Man in Early 20th-Century Russia **2021-12-02**

the idea that morally mentally and physically superior new men might replace the currently existing mankind has periodically seized the imagination of intellectuals leaders and reformers throughout history this volume offers a multidisciplinary investigation into how the new man was made in russia and the early soviet union in the first third of the 20th century the traditional narrative of the soviet new man as a creature forged by propaganda is challenged by the strikingly new and varied case studies presented here the book focuses on the interplay between the rapidly developing experimental life sciences such as biology medicine and psychology and countless cultural products ranging from film and fiction dolls and museum exhibits to pedagogical projects sculptures and exemplary agricultural fairs with contributions from scholars based in the united states canada the uk germany and russia the picture that emerges is emphatically more complex contradictory and suggestive of strong parallels with other new man visions in europe and elsewhere in contrast to previous interpretations that focused largely on the apparent

disconnect between utopian new man rhetoric and the harsh realities of everyday life in the soviet union this volume brings to light the surprising historical trajectories of new man visions their often obscure origins acclaimed and forgotten champions unexpected and complicated results and mutual interrelations in short the volume is a timely examination of a recurring theme in modern history when dramatic advancements in science and technology conjoin with anxieties about the future to fuel dreams of a new and improved mankind

The Oxford History of Western Music: The early twentieth century 2005

the history of english song from the late nineteenth century to the second world war

Sensibility and English Song 1985

views the impact of foreign imperialism on china during its apogee the early republican era 1910 to 1920

Lexington, Kentucky 1998

as the first substantial investigation of commercial art in china selling happiness explains how the early twentieth century chinese public came to accept western style art as mainstream and the heretofore ignored process by which the chinese art world became in some sectors at least thoroughly cosmopolitan a monumental study of the most important genre of modern chinese commercial art this volume will appeal not only to historians of chinese art but also to those interested in literary economic and social history it will be an essential resource for comparative studies of visual culture book jacket title summary field provided by blackwell north

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The Women's Suffrage Movement and Irish Society in the Early Twentieth Century 1989

during the days of slavery in america racism and often faulty medical theories contributed to an atmosphere in which african americans were seen as chattel some white physicians claimed that african americans had physiological and anatomical differences that made them well suited for slavery these attitudes continued into the reconstruction and jim crow eras in race and medicine historian todd savitt presents revised and updated versions of his seminal essays on the medical history of african americans in the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries especially in the south this collection examines a variety of aspects of african american medical history including health and illnesses medical experimentation early medical schools and medical professionals and slave life insurance savitt examines the history of sickle cell anemia and identifies the first two patients with the disease noted in medical literature he proposes an explanation of why the disease was not well known in the general african american population for at least 50 years after its discovery charleston low country and not elsewhere in the country other topics savitt explores include african american medical schools the formation of an african american medical profession and sids among virginia slaves with its new research data and interpretations of existing materials race and medicine will be a valuable resource to those interested in the history of medicine and african american history as well as to the medical community

The Foreign Establishment in China in the Early Twentieth Century 1976

the fifth volume of the history of evil covers the twentieth century from 1900 through 1950 the period saw the maturation of intellectual movements such as pragmatism and phenomenology and the full emergence of several new academic disciplines all these provided novel intellectual tools that were used to shed light on a human capacity for evil that was becoming increasingly hard to ignore an underlying theme of this volume is the effort to reconstruct an understanding of human nature after confidence in its intrinsic goodness and moral character had been shaken by world events the chapters in this volume cover globally relevant topics such as education propaganda power oppression and genocide and include perspectives on evil drawn from across the world theological and atheistic responses to evil are also examined in the volume this outstanding treatment of approaches to evil at a determinative period of modernity will appeal to those with interests in the intellectual history of the era as well as to those with interests in the political philosophical and theological movements that matured within it

Selling Happiness 2004-01-01

during the twentieth century medicine has been radically transformed and powerfully transformative in 1900 western medicine was important to philanthropy and public health but it was marginal to the state the industrial economy and the welfare of most individuals it is now central to these aspects of life our prospects seem increasingly dependent on the progress of bio medical sciences and genetic technologies which promise to reshape future generations the editors of medicine in the twentieth century have commissioned over forty authoritative

essays written by historical specialists but intended for general audiences some concentrate on the political economy of medicine and health as it changed from period to period and varied between countries others focus on understandings of the body and a third set of essays explores transformations in some of the theatres of medicine and the changing experiences of different categories of practitioners and patients

The Chinese Economy in the Early Twentieth Century *2014-01-14*

contemporary japanese women are often presented as devoted full time wives and mothers at the extreme they are stereotyped as education mothers kyoiku mama completely dedicated to the academic success of their children children of working mothers are pitied day care users both children and mothers are faintly disparaged for their inadequate home lives hired babysitters are virtually unknown yet historical evidence reveals a strikingly different picture of japanese motherhood and childcare at the beginning of the twentieth century in contrast to today child tending by non maternal caregivers was widely accepted at all levels of japanese society day care centers flourished and there was virtually no expectation of exclusive maternal care of children even infants the patterns of the formation of modern japanese attitudes toward motherhood childhood child rearing and home life become visible as this study traces the early twentieth century rise of japanese day care centers institutions established by middle class philanthropists and reformers to provide for the physical well being and mental and moral development of urban lower class preschool children day care gained broad support in turn of the century japan for several reasons for one day care did not clash with widely accepted norms of child care a second factor was the perception of public and private policymakers that day care held

the promise of social and national progress through economic and moral betterment of the urban lower classes finally day care offered working mothers the opportunity to earn a better livelihood with fewer worries about their children in spite of emerging notions that total devotion to child rearing was a woman's highest calling japanese nationalism a signal force in the genesis of the modern japanese state economy and middle class culture fed a deep wellspring of support for day care and fostered significant reshaping of motherhood childhood home life and view of the urban lower classes passages to modernity is an important and original contribution to our understanding of the institutional and ideological reach of the early twentieth century state and the contested emergence of a striking new discourse about woman as domestic caregiver and homemaker

Race and Medicine in Nineteenth- and Early-twentieth-century America 2007

this book originated from the idea that performance is what really matters in business and thus in business history yet surprisingly the analysis of performances has been neglected by economic and business historians this book is a first attempt to fill this gap and in doing so provides a totally new approach to european business history rather than bringing together national studies it is based on a single database measuring performance in eight european countries according to identical criteria the study spans the entire twentieth century with particular attention to five benchmark moments the height of the first globalisation on the eve of the first world war the late 1920s boom preceding the great depression the european reconstruction of the mid 1950s the end of golden age in the early 1970s and the height of the second globalisation at the turn of the twenty first century the analysis is based on a sample of 1 225 companies belonging to the three major european

economies britain france and germany two large south european latecomers italy and spain two smaller north western countries belgium and sweden and one small nordic country finland performance has been measured using two ratios of profitability return on equity roe and holding return hr thus providing a complementary measure of profitability the former as seen from the firm s perspective the latter from the investor s perspective the book s findings at times surprising at once confirm and infirm widely held assumptions regarding business performance regarding strategy and structure ownership and control old and new industries emerging and advanced economies

The History of Evil in the Early Twentieth Century 2021-06-30

this book provides a scholarly but accessible account of british regional development during the twentieth century focusing on the emergence and development of the north south divide beginning with regional imbalance in the victorian and edwardian economies the book goes on to discuss the effects on the first world war and its aftermath which created a discernible split between the depressed north and west and the relatively prosperous south attention is also paid to the impact of government policy on regional development during the interwar years and beyond and factors affecting industrial location in this period

Medicine in the Twentieth Century 2020-08-26

maurizia boscaqli takes the reader on a highly informed literary and cultural excursion through the changing image of the male body between 1880 and 1930 this highly erudite study about our obsessions with male physical perfection undergirds and explains

late twentieth century america s preoccupation with exercise athletics diet and consumerism

Passages to Modernity 1999-04-01

this book engages a multidisciplinary approach to understand gandhi in addressing specific contemporary societal issues the issues highlighted in the book through thirteen distinct yet interrelated themes offer solutions to the societal challenges through the prism of gandhian thought process this edited book explores how ideas gandhi expressed over a century ago can be applied today to issues from the un s sustainable development goals to peaceful resolution of conflicts in particular it looks at the contemporary societies critical issues and offers solutions through the prism of gandhian ideas written in an accessible style this book reintroduces gandhi to today s audiences in relevant terms

The Performance of European Business in the Twentieth Century 2016

this book is intended for students of english literature at a level and above general readers interested in a complete history of literature from middle english to the earlier twentieth century

Triumph of the South 2007

this book examines the industrial monuments of twentieth century britain each chapter takes a specific theme and examines it in the context of the buildings and structure of the twentieth century the authors are both leading experts in the field having written widely on various aspects of the subject in this new and comprehensive survey they respond to the growing interest in twentieth century architecture and industrial archaeology the book is well illustrated

with superb and unique illustrations drawn from the archives of the royal commission on the historical monuments of england it will mark and celebrate the end of the century with a tribute to its remarkable built industrial heritage

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written by leading international scholars twentieth century britain investigates key moments themes and identities in the past century engaging with cutting edge research and debate the essays in the volume combine discussion of the major issues currently preoccupying historians of the twentieth century with clear guidance on new directions in the theories and methodologies of modern british social cultural and economic history divided into three the first section of the book addresses key concepts historians use to think about the century notably class gender and national identity organised chronologically the book then explores topical thematic issues such as multicultural britain religion and citizenship representing changes in the field some chapters represent more recent fields of historical inquiry such as modernity and sexuality

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Twenty-first Century Schools 2006

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