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mental health famine disease religion missionary medicine medical research tensions between and within different medical traditions and practices and India's place in an international context This book will be of great interest to scholars and researchers of modern South Asian history sociology politics and anthropology as well as specialists in the history of Popular Politics and Resistance Movements in South Africa William Beinart, Marcelle C. medicine Dawson, 2010-12-01 An examination of post apartheid politics This volume explores some of the key features of popular politics and resistance before and after 1994 It looks at continuities and changes in the forms of struggle and ideologies involved as well as the significance of post apartheid grassroots politics Is this a new form of politics or does it stand as a direct descendent of the insurrectionary impulses of the late apartheid era Posing questions about continuity and change before and after 1994 raises key issues concerning 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motherhood during interwar and wartime Britain The needs and agency of women as mothers and midwives often conflicted with the ideals of the state While government officials understood the importance of safe childbirth to the nation they also chose to allow economic crises and war preparation to take precedence The interwar plans for a national maternal healthcare system met financial constraints and a lack of political will As the outbreak of the Second World War appeared imminent politicians planned for pregnant women and those with small children to evacuate from cities The reception areas were less well planned and pregnant women returned to their homes rather than deliver among strangers Wartime maternity provision didn t take into account the needs and desires of mothers and midwives Reproductive laborers mothers and midwives demonstrated agency throughout the period Pregnant women chose to deliver at home with untrained or trained birth attendants midwives entered and left the profession on their own terms offering or withholding their skills when it suited individual need rather than at the behest of government Maneuvers Cynthia Enloe, 2000-02 Enloe outlines the dilemmas feminists around the globe face in trying to craft theories and strategies that support militerized women locally and internationally without unwittingly being militerized themselves Health Care in Bombay Presidency, 1896-1930 Mridula Ramanna, 2012 This book is a study of aspects of public health in Bombay Presidency from 1896 to 1930 and is asked upon extensive primary data It charts both the changes in the colonial plague policy from the deadly epidemic of 1896 to the frequent epidemics that appeared in the 1900s as well as the changes in Indian responses to that policy in different regions of the Presidency Through a survey of unique local initiatives by activist health officials civic leaders and Indian doctors efforts to bring sanitary consciousness into the public sphere to promote 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Medical Negligence in Victorian Britain Kim Price, 2015-02-26 Medical Negligence in Victorian Britain is the first detailed exploration of the hundreds of charges of neglect against doctors who were contracted to the new poor law after the Poor Law Amendment Act of 1834 The author moves beyond the hyperbole of Victorian public scandal to use medical negligence as a prism through which to view hidden aspects of poor law doctors and their patients This provides a uniquely grounded perspective from the day to day experience of medical practice for both doctor and patient to the context of the medico political socio legal and cultural processes that underpinned the social construction of negligence at this time The result is a clearly enunciated description of what negligence meant to the Victorians and how they sought to define and deal with negligent care moving the topic from the sidelines of English welfare history to the centre stage role it played in Victorian society Thematically and chronologically arranged in two parts the book uses extensive new archival material with a particular focus on the official inquiries into neglect conducted by poor law inspectors It offers a fresh perspective on the poor laws that has repercussions for wider histories of welfare medicine and legal medicine

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