MESSAGE FROM THE PUBLISHERS

Idle No More, Stop Alton Gas, Northern Gateway, Kinder Morgan, Standing Rock, the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. These movements are all Indigenous led. They are all pointing to a different future.

Indigenous Nations are the last best hope for saving the land, water, plants and animals in “Canada” and on the planet, says David Suzuki. Pamela Palmater, a tireless Indigenous activist says: “Indigenous peoples ... are leading [the] change to restore balance to the Earth, its life-giving resources and the peoples who share this planet ... Without farmable land, drinkable water and breathable air — none of us will survive. This makes Indigenous Nations Canadians’ last best hope.”

For hundreds of years, Europeans moved across the globe into so-called “new lands” in search of “opportunity,” which quickly came to be defined as exploiting natural resources to build political and economic wealth and empires. As a result, the value and meaning of the land, plants and animals were reduced to accumulating wealth, leaving the land and water poisoned and Indigenous peoples colonized and impoverished. In the last 150 years, despite treaties, Canadian corporations have continued the pillage by mining, logging, fishing and drilling on appropriated land.

In recent years, the resistance of Indigenous peoples against oppression in Canada and elsewhere has been ongoing and militant. Decolonization is a central theme in Indigenous activism.

After centuries of oppressing Indigenous peoples, laying the fate of the planet on their shoulders could be considered another colonizing act and is more than a little unjust. The last best hope looks to be about solidarity not oppression, about looking ahead several generations, and about living for and with the land and all of its inhabitants because it is the right way to live. It is not about accumulating wealth above everything else. Decolonization is also not just about treaties and the relationship between settlers and Indigenous peoples. Decolonization points to economics, politics and culture. Our economy serves the needs of corporate capitalists; our politics are dominated by masculine aggression and violence. They need to also be decolonized.

At Fernwood Publishing, for 25 years now, we have published books to stand beside Indigenous peoples, who are pointing to a way that does not put wealth and power at the forefront. We commit to pushing critical thinking further along and hope that you, our valued readers and writers, will join that same path.

Decolonization will change everything, and it will benefit all of us.

IN MEMORIUM

The sudden death of Larry Morrissette is a major loss, to his family and friends and to the many Indigenous and non-Indigenous people that he worked with in Winnipeg’s inner city and to revitalize Indigenous cultures. In over three decades, Larry’s activism always put decolonization first. His street-level experience, knowledge and quiet passion made him truly a “quiet warrior.” A scholarship for Indigenous students in Larry’s name has been created. Donate at https://foundation.uwinnipeg.ca/projects/honouring-a-quiet-warrior/

Victor Thiessen is missed by friends, family and colleagues alike. Victor’s work contributed to many aspects of social change within and outside of the academy and around the world. His smile brought warmth to all who crossed his path.
Bearing Witness
Journalists, Record Keepers and the 1917 Halifax Explosion

Michael Dupuis; Foreword by Alan Ruffman

“A compelling read, and a tribute to the courage and determination of those reporters who had to confront scenes of terrible misery, at considerable risk and with compassion.”

—Janet Maybee, author of Aftershock

“This documentary history will immediately establish itself as an indispensable handbook for all students of the Halifax disaster.”

— Barry Cahill, biographer of the Halifax Relief Commission

“Michael Dupuis’ book appeals to me not just as a Mackey, but also as a former journalist.”

— Frank Mackey, former journalist and grandson of Pilot Francis Mackey

At approximately 8:45 a.m. on 6 December 1917, the Belgian Relief vessel Imo struck the munitions-laden freighter Mont-Blanc in Halifax Harbour. The Mont-Blanc exploded in a devastating 2.9 kiloton blast, which killed 2,000 people and injured 9,000. More than 6,000 people were made homeless, and an additional 12,000 were left without shelter.

Bearing Witness tells the story of the Explosion, and the catastrophic damage it caused, through the eyes and words of Halifax-Dartmouth journalists and record keepers and visiting journalists. Their accounts reveal a unique perspective, offering new detail about the tragedy and providing insight into the individuals who struggled to articulate the magnitude of the shocking event to the rest of the world.

In addition to the original work by journalists and record keepers, Michael Dupuis provides over 30 photographs and illustrations, several previously unseen, and a detailed timeline of journalistic activities from the time of the Explosion on December 6 to December 16.

Michael Dupuis is the author of Winnipeg’s General Strike: Reports from the Front Lines. He holds a BA (English) and an MA (History) from the University of Ottawa and a BEd from the University of Toronto. He resides in Victoria, BC.
The Medicine of Peace

Indigenous Youth Decolonizing Healing and Resisting Violence

Jeffrey Paul Ansloos

In *The Medicine of Peace*, Jeffrey Ansloos explores the complex intersections of colonial violence, the current status of Indigenous youth in Canada in regards to violence and the possibilities of critical-Indigenous psychologies of nonviolence. Indigenous youth are disproportionately at risk for violent victimization and incarceration within the justice system. They are also marginalized and oppressed within our systems of academia, mental health and social work.

By linking the contemporary experiences of Indigenous youth with broader contexts of intergenerational colonial violence in Canadian society and history, Ansloos highlights the colonial nature of current approaches to Indigenous youth care. Using a critical-Indigenous discourse to critique, deconstruct and de-legitimize the hegemony of Western social science, Ansloos advances an Indigenous peace psychology to promote the revitalization of Indigenous identity for these youth.

Jeffrey Paul Ansloos works as an educator and counsellor, with particular expertise in trauma, multiculturalism and community development. He is an assistant professor in the Faculty of Human and Social Development at the University of Victoria.
The Winona LaDuke Chronicles
Stories from the Front Lines in the Battle for Environmental Justice

Winona LaDuke

“Winona LaDuke’s latest book reads like a prayer…she is one of the great overlooked orators of our time, and she brings this prowess to every page.”

— Huffington Post

“I have lived much of my life on the road. Like my mother and father before me, I travel from one tribal nation to another, from college campus to regulatory hearing to courtroom to the United Nations—to and from—and then home. This is the book of those travels, a privileged life indeed. In this space people share their stories or—just at that moment—a story unfolds as I watch, pen in hand.”

— Winona LaDuke

Chronicles is a major work, a collection of current, pressing and inspirational stories of Indigenous communities from the Canadian subarctic to the heart of Dine Bii Kaya, Navajo Nation. Chronicles is a book literally risen from the ashes—beginning in 2008 after her home burned to the ground—and collectively is an accounting of Winona’s personal path of recovery, finding strength and resilience in the writing itself as well as in her work. Long awaited, Chronicles is a labour of love, a tribute to those who have passed on and those yet to arrive.

A two-time Green Party vice presidential candidate, author of five books of nonfiction, one children’s book and a novel, Winona LaDuke is one of the world’s most tireless and charismatic leaders on issues related to climate change, Indigenous and human rights, green and rural economies, grass-roots organizing and restoring local food systems over a career spanning nearly forty years of activism.
South Africa’s Corporatised Liberation
A Critical Analysis of the ANC in Power

Dale T. McKinley

Despite the more general social, political and economic advances that have been made under the ANC’s rule since 1994, power has not only remained in the hands of a small minority but has increasingly been exercised in service to capital. This has seen the ANC become the key political vehicle, in party and state form as well as application, of corporate capital; both domestic and international, black and white, local and national and constitutive of a range of different fractions. As a result, ‘transformation’ has largely taken the form of macro-acceptance of, combined with micro-incorporation into, the capitalist system, now minus its specific and formal apartheid frame. What has happened in South Africa over the last twenty-two years is the corporatisation of liberation; the generalised political and economic commodification of society and its development; with all the attendant impacts on governance, the exercise of power, the understanding and practice of democracy as well as political, economic and social relations.

Dale T. McKinley is an independent writer, researcher and lecturer based in Johannesburg, with a PhD in International Political Economy/African Studies. The author of four books, he has written widely on various aspects of South African and international political, social and economic issues and struggles.
Cuba–U.S. Relations
Obama and Beyond

Arnold August; Foreword by Keith Ellis; Introduction by Ricardo Alarcón

"An expert on Cuba, Arnold August offers a revealing view of the conflict between Washington and Havana and the foreign policy of the United States vis-à-vis the island."

— Salim Lamrani, PhD Sorbonne Paris IV University, lecturer at the University of La Réunion

The evolution of the relationship between Cuba and the United States is much more complicated from the Cuban perspective than it is made to appear in mainstream media and political thinking. In this book, Arnold August highlights critical views from Cuba that are generally unfamiliar to non-Cubans.

August outlines and analyzes current interactions and the future perspectives between the two neighbours. Included with August’s careful analysis are interviews with five of Cuba’s leading intellectuals on the subject of Cuba–U.S. relations, providing readers with a unique look into today’s dynamic and complex relationship between these two countries.

Arnold August is an author and journalist who has an MA in political science from McGill University, Montreal, where he resides. His most recent book is Cuba and Its Neighbours: Democracy in Motion.
Doing Anti-Oppressive Practice
Social Justice Social Work, Third Edition
Donna Baines, ed.

"Buy this book. Make it required reading for every incoming social work student. The best resource I've ever found to help with the challenging task of radiating social justice theory into the heart of social work practice. Accessible, real, and encouraging, Doing Anti-Oppressive Practice shines the way forward for our entire profession."

— Elaine Spencer, Social Work Faculty, Red Deer College

“A key resource for social work students, educators, researchers and practitioners.”

— Susan Preston, School of Social Work, Ryerson University

This updated third edition of the immensely popular Doing Anti-Oppressive Practice introduces students to anti-oppressive social work, its historical and theoretical roots and the specific contexts of anti-oppressive social work practice. Key to this practice is the understanding that the problems faced by an individual are rooted in the inequalities and oppression of the socio-political structure of society rather than in personal characteristics or individual choices. Moreover, the contributors show that social justice and social change — working against racism, sexism and class oppression — can and must be a key component of social work practice.

Drawing on concrete examples from specific practice contexts, personal experience and case work, including child welfare, poverty, mental health, addictions and disability, the contributors demonstrate how to translate social justice theory into everyday practice.

This new edition adds chapters on working with refugee, immigrant and racialized families; children; older adults; cognitive behavioural therapy; and using social media as a tool for social change.

Donna Baines is a professor at and holds the Chair of Social Work and Policy Studies, University of Sydney, Australia.
Power and Resistance
Critical Thinking about Canadian Social Issues
Sixth Edition
Wayne Antony, Jessica Antony & Les Samuelson, eds.

“The perfect teaching tool to introduce students to some of the pressing challenges facing contemporary Canada and the world.”

— Peter Ove, Camosun College

How do we make sense of the social problems that continue to plague Canadian society? Our understanding of issues such as poverty, racism, violence, homophobia, crime and pollution stems from our view of how society is structured. From the dominant neoliberal perspective, social problems arise from individuals making poor choices. From a critical perspective, however, these social troubles are caused by structural social inequalities. Disparities in economic, social and political power — that is, relations of power based on class, race, gender and sexual orientation — are the central structural element of capitalist, patriarchal, colonialist societies.

The contributors to *Power and Resistance* use this critical perspective to explore Canadian social issues such as poverty, colonialism, homophobia, violence against women, climate change and so on. This sixth edition adds chapters on the corporatization of higher education, the lethal impacts of colonialism, democracy, the social determinants of health, drug policy and sexual violence on campus.

Wayne Antony is a publisher at Fernwood Publishing. He is also a founding member of the Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives-Manitoba (CCPA-MB) and co-author or co-editor of three reports on the state of public services in Manitoba (for CCAP-MB), five editions of *Power and Resistance; Citizens or Consumers? Social Policy in a Market Society; Capitalism Rebooted? Work, Welfare and the New Economy; and Bankruptcies and Bailouts*. Jessica Antony is a managing editor at Fernwood Publishing and a member of the Department of Rhetoric and Communication at the University of Winnipeg. Les Samuelson is an associate professor of sociology at the University of Saskatchewan. He is co-editor (with Wayne Antony) of five editions of *Power and Resistance*. 
One-Dimensional Man
50 Years On
The Struggle Continues

Terry Maley, ed.

“One-Dimensional Man 50 Years On contains a diverse collection of essays on the legacy of Herbert Marcuse and the relevance of his thought for the 21st century. The contributors to the volume — both established and upcoming academics and activists — critically explore the applicability, as well as the limitations, of Marcuse’s seminal work to the current political conjuncture. It should be of interest to both scholars of critical theory and Left activists of all types.”

— Chris Holman, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

“Accessibly written to provide a clear and relevant introduction to Marcuse’s ideas, One-Dimensional Man 50 Years On powerfully shows how one of the most influential political theory texts of the past century remains potent in this one.”

— Andrew Biro, Acadia University

Herbert Marcuse’s One-Dimensional Man has been called one of the most important books of the post-WWII era. Published in 1964, Marcuse’s work was highly critical of modern industrial capitalism — its exploitation of people and nature, its commodified aesthetics and consumer culture, the military-industrial complex and new forms of social control at the height of the Keynesian era.

Contributors to this collection assess the key themes in One-Dimensional Man from a diverse range of critical perspectives, including feminist, ecological, Indigenous and anti-capitalist. In light of the current struggles for emancipation from neoliberalism in Canada and across the globe, this critical look at Marcuse’s influential work illustrates its relevance today and introduces his work to a new generation.

Terry Maley teaches critical and radical democratic theory and politics in the Political Science Department at York University.
Working for the Common Good
Canadian Women Politicians
Madelyn Holmes

In Working for the Common Good, Madelyn Holmes details the political policy work of eight social democratic Canadian women and highlights their largely unrecognized struggles and accomplishments.

Throughout their political careers, Agnes Macphail, Thérèse Casgrain, Grace MacInnis, Pauline Jewett, Margaret Mitchell, Lynn McDonald, Audrey McLaughlin and Alexa McDonough worked towards curing society’s economic and social ills. They raised their voices for world peace from the 1920s to the 2000s. They were incensed about economic inequality in Canadian society and advocated for policies to reduce poverty. They fought for social justice for Indigenous peoples, Japanese-Canadians, Chinese-Canadians, Muslim-Canadians and the imprisoned. The profiles in this book illustrate the many ways these politicians embraced the cause of gender equality and served as role models for generations of Canadian women.

Madelyn Holmes is the author of Forgotten Migrants: Foreign Workers in Switzerland before World War I; Lives of Women Public Schoolteachers: Scenes from American Educational History; American Women Conservationists; and Students and Teachers of the New China. She lives in Burlington, Vermont.
The Unlikely Redemption of John Alexander MacNeil

A Novel by Lesley Choyce

About Lesley Choyce:

“His body of work defies categorization.” — Maclean’s

“A national treasure.” — Ottawa Citizen

“Life enhancing, life celebrating.” — Quill and Quire

John Alexander MacNeil is eighty years old. Sharp-tongued and quick-witted, he lives alone in rural Cape Breton, but he still cooks breakfast for his wife, who’s been dead for thirty years. He silently starts to question his own mind after stopping to pick up a hitchhiker — a hitchhiker who turns out to be his neighbour’s mailbox.

Everything shifts, though, when Emily, a pregnant teenager, shows up at his house with no place else to go. Determined to help Emily as best as he can, John Alexander must also keep the wolves from his door and maintain some semblance of sanity.

The Unlikely Redemption of John Alexander MacNeil is a compelling, witty and heartwarming novel by renowned Nova Scotia author Lesley Choyce.

Lesley Choyce is the author of ninety books of literary fiction, short stories, poetry, creative nonfiction and young adult novels, including The Republic of Nothing and Jeremy Stone, which was a 2014 Governor General’s Literary Awards finalist.
Just Jen

Thriving Through Multiple Sclerosis

A Memoir by Jen Powley

“This memoir is a gift to read. In her uncompromising demand for an authentic life, Jen Powley boldly leads us down the rocky roads she’s had to navigate with her career, lovers, and a rotating cast of roommates and assistants. Even as she illuminates some of the darkest corners of her disease, Powley’s resilience, humanity and scrappy sense of humour shine through on every page.”

— Sarah Mian, author of When the Saints

“Powley is fearless, not only in the way she lives her life but also in her willingness to call the rest of us on our b-s in the way we too often deal with people with disabilities. But she does it all with a self-deprecating wit and a twinkle in her eye that makes us want to be better than we are.”

— Stephen Kimber, author of What Lies Across the Water

“I was absolutely gutted in the best possible way as I read Jen Powley’s memoir. The determination, resilience and humour that she displays in both her life and in her writing make this a must read. Her treatment of human relationships and sexuality are frank, brave and heartbreakingly human. I love this book and so will you.”

— Natalie Meisner, author of Double Pregnant

“Jen Powley’s intimate and provocative writing will wake you up. Jen brings insight, compassion, and humour to these memorable stories of living ‘waist high’ among family, friends, and lovers. Trust this writer: she’s the real thing.”

— Lorri Neilsen Glenn, award-winning author and mentor

Born and raised in a small farming community in Alberta, Jen Powley now lives in Halifax, Nova Scotia. She originally relocated to the East coast to go to journalism school but found she loved Halifax and stayed. She pursued a planning degree on the hope that politicians would give more weight to the words of a licensed planner rather than a community activist.

Jen Powley was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis at fifteen. By thirty-five, she had lost the use of her arms and legs.

Just Jen is a powerful memoir that tells the story of Powley’s life at the time of her diagnosis, and the infinite, irrevocable ways it has changed since. Powley’s writing pulls no punches. She is lively, bold and unapologetic, answering questions people are often afraid to ask about living with a progressive disease. And yet, these snapshots from Powley’s life are not tinged with anger or despair. Just Jen is a powerful, uplifting and unforgettable work by an author who has laid her life — and her body — bare in order to survive.
Sacred Feminine
An Indigenous Art Colouring Book
by Jackie Traverse

“To all the young girls in care and women in corrections, never give up hope. I was once where you are. Life gets better. Be blessed.”
— Jackie Traverse

“This colouring book is about the work of Jackie Traverse. Her interpretations of traditional Aboriginal teachings, using her own contemporary style, her voice and story through images. She is a model for all to follow.”
— Liz Barron

Sacred Feminine is a colouring book for adults and children by Winnipeg-based Anishinaabe artist Jackie Traverse.

These beautiful and intricate works of art depict images of strength, resilience and empowerment. The symbolism and meaning of each image are explained by the artist. The first of its kind, Sacred Feminine will delight, educate and heal readers and colourers of all ages.

Jackie Traverse is the mother of three daughters and a grandmother to Lily Beans. She is an Anishinaabe multi-disciplinary artist working in video, sculpture, mixed media and paint. She is known across Canada for her powerful, beautiful art. She is also the founder of Winnipeg Indigenous Rock the Vote and Ikwe Safe Ride, a ride-sharing network that offers safe rides for Indigenous women. She lives in Winnipeg, Manitoba.
Human Misunderstanding
Poems by Kathy Mac

“With Human Misunderstanding, Kathy Mac achieves a seemingly impossible task. She brings levity and lyricism to serious tragedies, ranging from the detention and torture of Omar Khadr in Guantánamo Bay, to the disintegration of a relationship, to two prosecutions for sexual assault. Human misery is made more redeemable by Mac’s thoughtful exploration. Readers should be forewarned that living with greater clarity and care are possible outcomes of reading this delicate collection.”

— Josephine L. Savarese, St. Thomas University

“Kathy Mac has what philosopher David Hume has called an “accurate knowledge of the internal fabric.” We misread, hurt, and destroy one another at every turn. Her spare, sharp poetic pierces the heart of what matters, what it might mean if we were both human and humane.”


Human Misunderstanding is the latest work by award-winning poet Kathy Mac. The first of the book’s three long poems compares a fictional child soldier (a hero) with a real child soldier (a victim). The second juxtaposes eighteenth century philosophy with one person’s search for another in downtown Halifax. The final poem explores two court cases in which an immigrant faces deportation, and torture, if found guilty of assault in a Canadian court.

Kathy Mac teaches at St. Thomas University in Fredericton, NB. She was shortlisted for the Governor General’s Award in 2002 for her book Nail Builders Plan for Strength and Growth.
As Eagle spreads the seven teachings throughout the forest, he forgets to heed their warning, and soon the forest is lost to jealousy, greed and selfishness. Eagle must save the forest, and he soon learns the most important teaching of all: truth.

Caught between two worlds, Cougar struggles to find a place of belonging. As the Ghost Cat, Cougar lives as he must — in the forest but apart from his friends.

Les Savoirs Perdus / Panuijkatasikl Kina’masuti’l

texte : Michael James Isaac,
illustrations : Dozay (Arlene) Christmas

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Aigle répartit sept savoirs fondamentaux parmi les animaux de la forêt, mais il oublie de mentionner une importante mise en garde; et ainsi, les animaux s’empêtrent dans la jalousie, la convoitise et l’égosisme. Aigle se doit sauver les animaux et c’est ainsi qu’il est amené à découvrir le sens du savoir le plus important: la vérité.

Comment le Puma a Fini par être appelé le Chat Fantome / Ta’n Petalu Telui’Tut Skite’kmujewey Mia’wj

texte : Michael James Isaac,
illustrations : Dozay (Arlene) Christmas


Pris entre deux mondes, le puma a du mal à trouver un lieu où il est à sa place. En tant que chat fantôme, le puma vit comme il le devrait : dans la forêt, mais sans ses amis.
Burnley “Rocky” Jones Revolutionary

An Autobiography by Burnley “Rocky” Jones & James W. St.G. Walker

Afterword by George Elliott Clarke

“The life, work and activism of Rocky Jones are central to African-Canadian history and the civil rights movement in Canada. Canadians lost a great soul, with the recent death of Rocky Jones, but his autobiography — co-written by James Walker, a close friend of Rocky Jones and one of our foremost writers about Black history in Canada — is a wonderful gift to the entire country. Revolutionary will soon be required reading for any person who seeks to understand the civil rights movement in Canada.”

— Lawrence Hill

“Any telling of human rights and social equity in Canada would be incomplete without reference to “revolutionary” Rocky Jones’s truth-telling about his life captured in this compelling exemplary autobiography. This insightful account is not only about life as an African Nova Scotian, but also about the community, law, politics.”

— Carl James

Born and raised in Truro, Nova Scotia, Burnley “Rocky” Jones is one of Canada’s most important figures of social justice. Often referred to as Canada’s Stokely Carmichael, Jones was tirelessly dedicated to student movements, peace activism, Black Power, anti-racism, women’s liberation and human rights reform. He was a leader in the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, brought the Black Panthers to Canada, taught at Dalhousie and founded his own law firm.

This autobiography tells the story of Jones’s inimitable life and his accomplishments.

But it also does more. It illuminates the Black experience in Nova Scotia, it explains the evolving nature of race relations and human rights in recent Canadian history, and it reveals the origins of the “remedial” approach to racial equality that is now practised by activists and governments.

Finally, the story of Rocky Jones is a reminder that human rights are not a gift, but a prize that must be fought for.
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“An accomplished and darkly beautiful novel.”
— Quill and Quire

“Grist is a moving and melancholy read.”
— Chronicle Herald

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Two Lesbians Make a Family
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“A first-rate thriller that both entertains and prods readers to ask questions about the politics of wealth.”
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Exiled for Love
The Journey of an Iranian Queer Activist
by Arsham Parsi with Marc Colbourne

Exiled for Love is the deeply personal and inspiring story of a gay, Iranian activist who risked his own life and the safety of his family to speak out about human rights abuses against LGBT people in his country. Parsi is the founder and executive director of the Iranian Railroad for Queer Refugees.

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A Novel by Carol McDougall

As a reader, not only will you gain a keener perspective as you peer into the lens of injustice, but perhaps you may just walk away determined to make the world a better place.

— Sukasa Reads

Socialist Cowboy
The Politics of Peter Kormos
by Larry Savage

“A rich, entertaining and original take on the political life of Peter Kormos … a lone voice of progressive criticism who never wavered in his commitment to the labour movement.”

— Charles Smith, University of Saskatchewan

Live from the Afrikan Resistance!
Spoken Word by El Jones

“Make no mistake: Jones’ poems are anthems, sermons, shout-outs, and even unashamed diatribes. Her elegy for Malcolm X teaches: ‘We die from being oppressed by them./That is not freedom til we seek freedom being free from them.’ By ‘them,’ Jones means racist white folks.”

— George Elliott Clarke, Chronicle Herald

Milton Acorn
The People’s Poet
Compiled by Kent Martin & Errol Sharpe;
Preface by Errol Sharpe;
Photographs by Kent Nason

Milton Acorn died in 1986. The prolific poet, writer and playwright is still remembered as one of Canada’s greatest poets. This one-of-a-kind multi-media collectors item and memorial is a must have for everyone who counts themselves a fan of the original Canadian People’s Poet.
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**About Canada: Women’s Rights**  
Penni Mitchell

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This accessible and engaging book introduces readers to key historical events, and the women who were central to them, in the struggle for women’s equality in Canada. While a few are well known, many of these women and the battles they won have been forgotten. They deserve a greater place in Canada’s history.

**About Canada: Corporate Crime**  
Laureen Snider

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The Lives, Hopes and Activism of African Canadians
Carl James, Wanda Thomas Bernard, David Este, Akua Benjamin, Bethan Lloyd & Tana Turner
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History, Experience, Social Conditions, 2nd Edition
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Adje van de Sande & Christie Byvelds  
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Susan Tilley  
pb-9781552668191 / $40.00 / 294pp / 2016  
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*Doing Respectful Research* is situated within a critical, feminist postmodern framework and addresses the complexities of conducting respectful qualitative research with human participants. It is written for student researchers, individuals who teach and advise students, instructors of qualitative research courses in social sciences, health and education, and community members interested in qualitative methods and conducting research.

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A Community-Based Approach  
Adje van de Sande & Karen Schwartz  
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Kathleen E. Absolon [Minogiizhigokwe]  
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Understanding Indigenous methodologies as guided by Indigenous paradigms, worldviews, principles, processes and contexts, Absolon argues that they are wholistic, relational, interrelated and interdependent with Indigenous philosophies, beliefs and ways of life.

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Indigenous Research Methods  
Shawn Wilson  
pb-9781552662816 / $25.00 / 144pp / 2008  
This book describes a research paradigm shared by Indigenous scholars in Canada and Australia, and demonstrates how this paradigm can be put into practice. Relationships don’t just shape Indigenous reality, they are our reality. Indigenous researchers develop relationships with ideas in order to achieve enlightenment in the ceremony that is Indigenous research. Indigenous research is the ceremony of maintaining accountability to these relationships.
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**Walking This Path Together**  
Anti-Racist and Anti-Oppressive Child Welfare Practice, 2nd Edition  
So’khi Askis Esquao [Jeannine Carrière] & Susan Strega, eds.  
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Renee Linklater; Foreword by Lewis Mehl-Madrona  
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Susan Strega, Julia Krane, Simon Lapiere, Cathy Richardson & Rosemary Carlton, eds.  
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**Aski Awasis/Children of the Earth**  
First Peoples Speaking on Adoption  
Jeannine Carrière, ed.  
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**Wícihitowin**  
Aboriginal Social Work in Canada  
Raven Sinclair (Ótiskewápíwskew), Michael Anthony Hart (Kaskitémahikan) & Gord Bruyere (Amawaajibitang) eds.  
pb-9781552663172 / $39.00 / 266pp / 2009  
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“This book must be included in every social work program in Canada and acknowledged for what it represents — a seismic transformation, new life, hope, and understanding for the social work profession.”  
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Leo Panitch & Greg Albo, eds.
pb-9781552669112 / $36.00 / 340pp / 2016
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One hundred years ago, the events of October 1917 inspired socialists and oppressed peoples around the world, and it became an inevitable point of reference for twentieth-century politics. Today the Left needs to both come to terms with this legacy and to transcend it through a critical reappraisal of its broad effects — those positive and negative — on political, intellectual and cultural life.

Sociology

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A Ninety-Year-Old Tells Why Aging Is Positive
Lillian Zimmerman; Foreword by Bonnie Sherr Klein
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“With incredible wit, wisdom and thoughtfulness, author Lillian Zimmerman exposes and challenges pervasive ageist assumptions and stereotypes that continue to permeate society.”
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Class, Power, and Change, 5th Edition
Joanne Naiman
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Leo Panitch & Greg Albo, eds.
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Becoming an Ally
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Anne Bishop
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Readings for Introductory Sociology
Gillian Balfour, ed.
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WOMEN & FEMINISM

“I Hate Feminists”
December 6, 1989, and Its Aftermath
Mélissa Blais; Translated by Phyllis Aronoff & Howard Scott; Foreword by Carmen Gill
pb-9781552668807 / $19.95 / 136pp / 2014
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Originally published in French in 2009, this book examines and finds that the collective memory, as constructed through various media that emerged following the 1989 massacre, has functioned not as a testament against violence against women but as a catalyst for anti-feminist discourse.

About Canada: Women’s Rights
Penni Mitchell
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— Prairie Books NOW

Women & Feminism
Beyond the Fragments
Feminism and the Making of Socialism
Sheila Rowbotham, Lynne Segal & Hilary Wainwright
pb-9781552665909 / $24.95 / 334pp / 2013
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This book was written to create stronger bonds of solidarity in a new left movement that incorporated feminist experiences and perspectives. This new, updated version returns to the fraught question of how to consolidate diverse upsurges of rebellion into effective, open, democratic left coalitions in the face of deepening recessions, environmental pollution, falling wages and severe welfare cuts.

Girl Trouble
Panic and Progress in the History of Young Women
Carol Dyhouse
pb-9781552666913 / $16.95 / 328pp / 2014
Canadian rights only
Whether it be stories of “brazen flappers” staying out, and up, all night in the 1920s, inappropriate places for Mars bars in the 1960s or Courtney Love’s mere existence in the 1990s, bad girls have been a mass-media staple for more than a century. And yet, despite the continued obsession with their perceived faults and blatant disobedience, girls are infinitely better off today than they were a century ago.

Gendered Intersections
An Introduction to Women’s and Gender Studies, 2nd Edition
C. Lesley Biggs, Susan Gingell & Pamela Downe, eds.
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This second edition examines the intersections across and between gender, race, culture, class, ability, sexuality, age and geographical location from the diverse perspectives of academics, artists and activists. This new edition brings a greater focus on politics, gender and the law.
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