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Wales - Terry Breverton 2012-10-30

The book comes in an accessible, comprehensive, illustrated dictionary format, from an author who has written more than twenty entertaining and informative books upon the Welsh and their achievements.

The Annals of Poggio Bracciolini and Other Forgeries - Louis Paret 1992

Islands Magazine - 1996-03

Inshore Craft - Basil Greenhill 2013-04-15

This comprehensive reference work describes and illustrates some 200 types of inshore craft that once fished and traded, under oar and sail, around the coasts of the British Isles. The types are arranged by coastal area and each is described in terms of its shape and design, fitness for location and purpose, build, evolution and geographical distribution. Details of dimensions, rig, building materials, seamanship and the survival of examples are given where known, while hundreds of line drawings and photographs show the vessels in their original forms. A team of twelve experts describe all these boat types and, in addition, there are introductions to the main geographic areas outlining the physical environments, fisheries and other uses of the sea that have influenced boat design; maps of all the areas show ports and physical features. At the beginning of the last century sail and oar dominated fisheries and local trade: one hundred years later those craft have all but vanished. This book brings alive for maritime historians and enthusiasts, traditional boat sailors, modelmakers, and all those with an

interest in local history, the vast array of craft that were once such a significant feature of our inshore seas. Inshore Craft is a spectacular achievement—Wooden Boat Magazine

Water Transport - James Hornell 2015-02-12

First published in 1946, this book presents a comprehensive account regarding the origins and early evolution of water transport written by the renowned British ethnographer and zoologist James Hornell (1865-1949). The focus of the text is on different types of transport, and it is divided into three main sections: the first section is on 'Floats, Rafts and Kindred Craft', the second is on 'Skin Boats: Coracles, Curraghs, Kayaks and their Kin' and the third is on 'Bark Canoes, Dugouts and Plank-Built Craft'. Numerous illustrative figures and a detailed bibliography are also included. This book will be of value to anyone with an interest in archaeology, anthropology and the history of water transport.

Welsh Lives - Gone but Not Forgotten - Meic Stephens 2012-09-20

A collection of obituaries of eminent Welsh people, first published in The Independent newspaper. Amongst those included are: Stuart Cable, Huw Ceredig, Hywel Teifi Edwards, Owen Edwards, Iris Gower, Ray Gravell, W. J. Gruffydd, J. Geraint Jenkins, Margaret John, T. Llew Jones, Philip Madoc, Eluned Phillips, Aeronwy Thomas, Orig Williams and Stewart Williams.

Illustrated Guide to Britain - Automobile Association (Great Britain) 1997-04

Covering the length and breadth of Great Britain from stately homes to charming landscapes and treasures of art and history the Automobile Association of England's definitive

guide provides a wealth of information on more than 500 of the country's most attractive, interesting, and historic destinations. Full-color photos, illustrations, and maps throughout.

The Strangeness That Is Wales - Jack Strange
2021-12-03

Discover the strange legends, tales and history of Wales. Did the Welsh sail across the Atlantic in the 12th century? Was King Arthur Welsh?

Included are stories on ghosts - both real and fake - and the legend of King Arthur. Welsh animal lore, customs, monsters and music are also examined. One of the strangest villages in the world gets a chapter to itself, as do witches, miners and druids. The book is written in a personal, light-hearted style, with geographical references to help identify the places. Although the stories are intended to entertain as much as educate, the historical facts are accurate.

Hopefully, you will come away with a different view on Wales - and a smile on your face.

Folk & Farm - Kevin Dancher 1976

British Fishing-Boats and Coastal Craft - E. W. White 2013-04-16

A historical account of fishing boats and coastal craft of the British Isles. Includes descriptive historical survey of the types of vessels found in all areas of the UK. Contents include: The East Coast of England, The Thames and Its Estuary, The South Coast of England, The West Coast of England, Scotland, and Ireland.

The Little Book of Carmarthenshire - Dr Russell Grigg 2015-03-02

Fast-paced and fact-packed, this compendium revels in the history, places and people of Wales' largest county. Carmarthenshire's rich heritage is explored within, including sport, industry, religion, education and the arts. This whistle-stop tour through the 'Garden of Wales' covers both celebrated characters and murky pasts, taking in the county's breathtaking castles, nature reserves and famous landmarks along the way. From the county gaol and asylum to school strikes and industrial riots, this is a book you won't want to put down.

The Coracle - John Geraint Jenkins 2006

Hanes y cwrwgl a'i gynhyrchwyr; manylion y grefft a lleoedd/digwyddiadau, sy'n arddangos cyryglau. Cynhwysir lluniau. -- Cyngor Llyfrau Cymru

Ships and Ship Models - 1935

Carmarthen Through Time - Keith E. Morgan
2016-02-15

This fascinating selection of photographs traces some of the many ways in which Carmarthen has changed and developed over the last century.

Exploring Britain - Automobile Association (Great Britain) 2001-04

Explore Britain on foot, by bike, by horse, by balloon, by barge or boat, by car, by train - from coast to coast.

Water Transport Origins & Early Evolution -

Badminton Magazine of Sports & Pastimes - 1904

AA Illustrated Guide to Britain - Utomobile Association Staff 1997

The Sea-Craft of Prehistory - Paul Johnstone
2013-11-12

The nautical dimension of prehistory has not so far received the attention it deserves. It is also too often assumed that early man was land bound, yet this is demonstrably not the case. Recent research has shown that man travelled and tracked over greater distances and at a much earlier date than has previously been thought possible. Some of these facts can be explained only by man's mastery of water transport from earliest times. This book, by an acknowledged expert on prehistoric sea-craft, examines these problems looking at the new archaeological information in the light of the author's nautical knowledge. The result is a detailed account of man's use of inland and ocean-going craft from earliest times until the dawn of recorded history. All forms of evidence are critically assessed, from the vessels of Ancient Egypt to the Chinese junk, to present of comprehensive picture of the vessels men have built through the ages, and of the variety of ways in which they have been used.

Wales' 1000 Best Heritage Sites - Terry Breverton
2013-08-22

Welsh Crafts - Mary Eirwen Jones 1978

The Little Book of Welsh Landmarks - Mark Rees 2018-11-26

From the snowy peaks of Snowdonia to the

glorious Wales Coastal Path, this compelling compendium is a fact-filled journey through Wales' most iconic landmarks and popular tourist attractions. Experience the country's immense history, from the breathtaking World Heritage Sites to the UK's first Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, and the countless castles, secluded beaches, mystical rivers and hidden gems which can be found across the land. This handy book can be dipped into time and time again to reveal something new about the people, the heritage and the secrets of Cymru.

Cræft: An Inquiry Into the Origins and True Meaning of Traditional Crafts - Alexander

Langlands 2018-01-02

"Hypnotic.... [Langlands] begins to see not just the beauty of an object.... but the deeper purpose for which each has been created."

—New York Times Faced with an endless supply of mass-manufactured products, we find ourselves nostalgic for goods bearing the mark of authenticity—hand-made tools, local brews, and other objects produced by human hands.

Archaeologist and medieval historian Alexander Langlands reaches as far back as the Neolithic period to recover our lost sense of craft, combining deep history with detailed scientific analyses and his own experiences making traditional crafts. Craft brims with vivid storytelling, rich descriptions of natural landscape, and delightful surprises that will convince us to introduce more craft into our lives.

The Shell Book of Country Crafts - 1968

The Badminton Magazine of Sports & Pastimes - 1903

A Short History of the Sailing Ship - Romola Anderson 2012-06-11

Amplly illustrated book traces evolution of the sailing ship over the course of 6,000 years — from vessels of ancient Egypt to full-rigged clipper ships of the 19th century. 20 halftones and 134 figures.

The Wide World Magazine - 1917

Jack's Strange Tales Collection - Jack Strange 2022-07-14

All six books in 'Jack's Strange Tales', a series by Jack Strange, now in one volume! Strange Tales of Scotland: Strange Tales of Scotland all deal

with a particular aspect of Scottish mysteries. You'll learn of the ghost that appeared at the wedding of King Alexander II, of monsters such as the Shellycoat and Water-horse that were thought to inhabit Scotland's lochs. Another part deals exclusively with Loch Ness, and the strange happenings at that mysterious body of water.

Later, we have a look at the mysterious deaths at the Flannan Islands Lighthouse, and at the strange creatures that were once believed to infest the hills and glens of Scotland, including the terrifying brollachan and the slaugh. It's A Strange Place, England: This small book looks at some of the strange things that make England unique, starting with the English language itself and looking at concepts such as sports, ghosts and the English love for eccentricity - like the sportsman who rode his horse naked. There is also the impressively masculine Cerne Abbas Giant, to which women once flocked when they wished to become pregnant. The mysterious Stonehenge also deserves its part in this book. From Robin Hood to highwaymen and smugglers, English folk tales take some very ruthless people and turn them into heroes that they most certainly were not. Finally, there's a cheerful chapter that looks at pubs, which figure prominently in many English tales and are a part of modern culture all over the world today. The Strangeness That Is Wales: This book looks at the strange legends, tales and ghosts of Wales.

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Welsh animal lore, customs, monsters and music are also examined. One of the strangest villages in the world gets a chapter to itself, as do witches, miners and druids. The book is written in a personal, light-hearted style, with geographical references to help identify the places. Hopefully, you will come away with a different view on Wales - and a smile on your face. Strange Tales of the Sea: What lurks beneath the waves, and onboard the most mysterious of ships? Get ready to experience the lore and lure of the sea with these myths, legends and true stories. Centuries-old folklore and tales of haunted vessels. Sea monsters and ghosts. Cannibalism at sea, and mysterious disappearances. Included are also tales of sailors ashore, and the prostitutes and

crimps that preyed on them. Find out what happened to stowaways, how they were treated, and about the myth that women were not welcome on ships. *Strange Ireland: In Ireland, truth, folklore, mythology, and legend are indistinguishably interwoven into a Celtic knot of strangeness. From fact to fiction and the peculiar to the bizarre, unravel some of Ireland's most curious lore: the Blarney Stone kissing ceremony, the giant behind the Giant's Causeway, the escapades of Saint Patrick, and the myths of the 1690 battle of the River Boyne among many others. Among the twenty-six chapters each detailing a unique Irish oddity, discover the history of Emerald Isle in a new light. More Strange Scotland: More Strange Scotland is a collection of anecdotes, facts, folklore and legends about the strangeness of that little nation on the western fringe of Europe. From fairies to witches and the frightening water horses, Scotland has a host of legends. Add haunted castles, strange pub names and devilish people to the mix, sprinkle with Aberlour spirits and the mists of Skye and then open the book. If ghostly bagpipers and unseen river monsters don't scare you off, then you may revel in the stories from this most strange of all countries. *British Fishing and Coastal Craft* - Science Museum (Great Britain) 1937*

Folklore and Folklife - Richard M. Dorson 1972
Describes the characteristics of folk cultures and discusses the procedures used by social scientists to study folklife.
Talking of Wales - Trevor Fishlock 1976

Mariners, Merchants And The Military Too - Phillip Jones

Nooks and Corners of Pembrokeshire - H. Thornhill Timmins 2021-04-26
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The Badminton Magazine of Sports and Pastimes - 1903

The Canoe in Canadian Cultures - Bruce W. Hodgins 2001-05-15

The canoe is a symbol unique to Canada. One of the greatest gifts of First Peoples to all those who came after, the canoe is Canada's most powerful icon. Within this Canexus II publication are a collection of essays by paddling enthusiasts and experts. Contributing authors include: Eugene Arima, Shanna Balazs, David Finch, Ralph Frese, Toni Harting, Bob Henderson, Bruce W. Hodgins, Bert Horwood, Gwyneth Hoyle, John Jennings, Timothy Kent, Peter Labor, Adrian Lee, Kenneth R. Lister, Becky Mason, James Raffan, Alister Thomas and Kirk Wipper.

Celtic Myths and Legends - Joanne Randolph 2017-12-15

The ancient Celts developed a rich oral tradition that recounted stories of conquest, magic, and powerful deities. Bards sang of an afterlife called the Otherworld, revealing much about their religious beliefs. This exciting book includes the most important stories from ancient Ireland, Scotland, Wales, and the Isle of Man. The book also describes the dramatic rise and fall of the Celts.

Boating - 1968-01

Ship Models: British small craft - Basil W. Bathe 1969

British Fishing-boats and Coastal Craft: Descriptive catalogue and list of plans - Science Museum (Great Britain) 1952

The Conquest of the North Atlantic - Geoffrey Jules Marcus 2007

The story of how the fearsome Atlantic Ocean was explored by early sailors, including the Vikings, whose brilliant navigation matched their bravery.