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Women in Revolutionary Russia

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women in revolutionary russia is a valuable resource for students of russian history it gives a new interpretation of the period and draws on previously unpublished documents it also contains questions which address the problems of using and interpreting evidence

Revolutionary Women in Russia, 1870-1917

2000

this study is available in paperback for the first time at no time in northern ireland s history did so many significant political initiatives occur as between 1972 and 1975 the most violent and polarised years of the region s conflict using archival sources this book analyses the political events and processes that informed the british government s northern ireland policy at the time the complex interactions between northern ireland political parties and the importance of the british irish diplomatic relationship to the search for a solution to the northern ireland conflict focusing on the rise and fall of the power sharing executive and the sunningdale agreement the book challenges a number of persistent myths including those concerning the role of the irish government in the northern ireland conflict it contests the notion that the years 1972 to 1975 represent a lost peace process but demonstrates that the policies established during this period provided the template for northern ireland s current ongoing peace settlement

In the Shadow of Revolution

2018-06-26

asked shortly after the revolution about how she viewed the new government tatiana varsher replied with the wide open eyes of a historian her countrywoman zinaida zhemchuzhnaia expressed a similar need to take note i want to write about the way those events were perceived and reflected in the humble and distant corner of russia that was the cossack town of korenovskaia what these women witnessed and experienced and what they were moved to describe is part of the extraordinary portrait of life in revolutionary russia presented in this book a collection of life

stories of russian women in the first half of the twentieth century in the shadow of revolution brings together the testimony of soviet citizens and émigrés intellectuals of aristocratic birth and soviet milkmaids housewives and engineers bolshevik activists and dedicated opponents of the soviet regime in literary memoirs oral interviews personal dossiers public speeches and letters to the editor these women document their diverse experience of the upheavals that reshaped russia in the first half of this century as is characteristic of twentieth century russian women s autobiographies these life stories take their structure not so much from private events like childbirth or marriage as from great public events accordingly the collection is structured around the events these women see as touchstones the revolution of 1917 and the civil war of 1918 20 the switch to the new economic policy in the 1920s and collectivization and the stalinist society of the 1930s including the great terror edited by two preeminent historians of russia and the soviet union the volume includes introductions that investigate the social historical context of these women s lives as well as the structure of their autobiographical narratives

Comrades in Arms

1999

the bolshevik seizure of power in 1917 and the ensuing communist regime have often been portrayed as a man s revolution with women as bystanders or even victims midwives of the revolution examines the powerful contribution made by women to the overthrow of tsarism in 1917 and their importance in the formative years of communism in russia focusing on the masses as well as the high ranking intelligentsia midwives of the revolution is the first sustained analysis of female involvement in the revolutionary era of russian history the authors investigate the role of bolshevik women and the various forms their participation took drawing on the experiences of representative individuals the authors discuss the important relationship between bolshevik women and the workers in the turbulent months of 1917 the authors demonstrate that women were an integral part of the revolutionary process and challenge assumptions that they served merely to ignite an essentially masculine revolt by placing women center stage without exaggerating their roles this study enriches our understanding of a momentous event in twentieth century history publisher description

Midwives of the Revolution

1999

preserving the childhood memories of some of the last generation of white russian women to experience the revolution first hand this poignant collection of interviews and photographs provides a unique record of life in russia

Memories of Revolution

2013-01-11

richard stites views the struggle for liberation of russian women in the context of both nineteenth century european feminism and twentieth century communism the central personalities their vigorous exchange of ideas the social and political events that marked the emerging ideal of emancipation all come to life in this absorbing and dramatic account the author s history begins with the feminist nihilist and populist impulses of the 1860s and 1870s and leads to the social mobilization campaigns of the early soviet period

The Women's Liberation Movement in Russia

2021-07-13

how could the baba traditionally the backward russian woman be mobilized as a comrade in the construction of a new state and society drawing on newly available archival materials historian elizabeth wood explores the bolshevik government s campaign to draw women into the public sphere and involve them in the world of politics in the early soviet years

The Baba and the Comrade

1997

datafield nominated for the history of women in science prize by the depts washington edu hssexec history of science society

Science, Women and Revolution in Russia

2014-01-02

the first psychosocial study of the female intelligentsia in russia mothers and daughters explains how and why women radicals of the nineteenth century diverged from their male counterparts describes the forces that led women to rebel and discusses their mixed legacy to future generations barbara alpern engel examines her subject on three levels the traditional family system early feminism and women s rebellion against the family and the causes and consequences of women s revolutionary activity she describes the impact this revolt had on the family and the lives of radical women and the movement s role in inspiring a new feminine mythology throughout engel brings nineteenth century women to life humanizing history as she presents a case study of how the personal became political in a time and place very different from our own book jacket

Mothers and Daughters

2000-02

this handbook brings together recent and emerging research in the broad areas of women and gender studies focusing on pre revolutionary russia the soviet union and the post soviet russian federation for the soviet period in particular individual chapters extend the geographic coverage of the book beyond russia itself to examine women and gender relations in the soviet east tatarstan central asia kazakhstan tajikistan and uzbekistan and the baltic states estonia latvia and lithuania within the boundaries of the russian federation the scope moves beyond the typically studied urban centres of moscow and st petersburg to examine the regions krasnodar novosibirsk rural societies and village life its chapters examine the construction of gender identities and shifts in gender roles during the twentieth century as well as the changing status and roles of women vis a vis men in soviet political institutions the workplace and society more generally this volume draws on a broad range of disciplinary and methodological approaches currently being employed in the academic field of russian studies the origins of the individual contributions can be identified in a range of conventional subject disciplines history literature sociology political science cultural studies but the chapters also adopt a cross and inter disciplinary approach to the topic of study this handbook therefore builds on and extends the foundations of russian women s and gender studies as it has emerged and developed in recent decades and demonstrate the international indeed global reach of such research

Fathers and Daughters

1976

a captivating account of the central role women played in the russian revolution

Education of women in pre-revolutionary Russia

1982

countess sofia panina lived a remarkable life born into an aristocratic family in imperial russia she found her true calling in improving the lives of urban workers her passion for social service and reputation as the red countess led her to political prominence after the fall of the romanovs she became the first woman to hold a cabinet position and the first political prisoner tried by the bolsheviks the upheavals of the 1917 revolution forced her to flee her beloved country but instead of living a quiet life in exile she devoted the rest of her long life to humanitarian efforts on behalf of fellow refugees based on adele lindenmeyr s detailed research in dozens of archival collections citizen countess establishes sofia panina as an astute eyewitness to and passionate participant in the historical events that shaped her life her experiences shed light on the evolution of the european nobility women s emancipation and political influence of the time and the fate of russian liberalism

The Palgrave Handbook of Women and Gender in Twentieth-Century Russia and the Soviet Union

2017-11-30

deviant women first examines the emergence of the discipline of criminology in early soviet russia tracing the development of principles and theories particularly that of female deviance and highlighting the ways in which criminologists a diverse cohort of jurists doctors sociologists anthropologists psychiatrists statisticians and forensic experts conducted innovative social science research under the constraints of bolshevik ideology it then turns to criminologists analyses of female crime exploring their attitudes concerning sexuality geography and class concluding with a close study of infanticide the most typical crime committed by women deviant women discusses

the social attitudes revealed through the professional discussions of this crime throughout kowalsky focuses on the position of women in early soviet society revealing criminologists understandings of female crime and how their attitudes helped shape the development of social and behavioral norms in revolutionary russia

The Women's Revolution

2019

this is a stimulating and highly original collection of essays from a team of internationally renowned experts the contributors reinterpret key issues and debates including political social cultural and international aspects of the russian revolution stretching from the late imperial period into the early soviet state

Citizen Countess

2019-11-12

on july 20 1917 russia became the world s first major power to grant women the right to vote and hold public office yet in the wake of the october revolution later that year the foundational organizations and individuals who pioneered the suffragist cause were all but erased from russian history the women s movement when mentioned at all is portrayed as meaningless to proletariat and peasant women based in elitist and bourgeoisie culture of the tsarist era and counter to socialist ideology in this groundbreaking book rochelle goldberg ruthchild reveals that russian feminists in fact appealed to all classes and were an integral force for revolution and social change particularly during the monumental uprisings of 1905 1917 ruthchild offers a telling examination of the dynamics present in imperialist russia that fostered a growing feminist movement based upon extensive archival research in six countries she analyzes the backgrounds motivations methods activism and organizational networks of early russian feminists revealing the foundations of a powerful feminist intelligentsia that came to challenge and eventually bring down the patriarchal tsarist regime ruthchild profiles the individual women and a few men who were vital to the feminist struggle as well as the major conferences publications and organizations that promoted the cause she documents political party debates on the acceptance of women s suffrage and rights and follows each party s attempt to woo feminist constituencies despite their fear of women gaining too much political power ruthchild also compares and contrasts the russian movement to those in britain china germany france and the united states equality and revolution offers an original and revisionist study of the struggle for women s political

rights in late imperial russia and presents a significant reinterpretation of a decisive period of russian and world history

Deviant Women

2021-08-03

as the first survey of the history of women in russia to be published in any language this book is itself an historic event the result of the collaboration of the leading russian and american specialists on russian women s history the book is divided in to four chronological parts corresponding to eras of russian history i kievian mongol 10th 15th centuries ii muscovite 16th 17th centuries iii 18th century and iv 19th early 20th centuries each part gives coverage to four main topics 1 the role of prominent women in public life with biographical sketches of women who attained prominence in political or cultural life 2 women s daily life and family roles 3 women s status under the law 4 material culture and in particular women s dress as an expression of their place in society

Reinterpreting Revolutionary Russia

2006-08-04

violent movements that opposed the existing political order erupted all over europe in the course of the 19th century nowhere was revolutionary violence more visible and dramatic than in russia there revolutionaries took the lives of dozens of people most though not all of them high officials accepting the label terrorist as a badge of honor the revolutionaries insisted upon the morality and justice of their cause and they were fully prepared to sacrifice their own lives for the sake of it unlike most people considered terrorists today russian revolutionaries selected their targets carefully focusing on those whom they regarded as responsible for the oppressive political and social order and mourning unanticipated civilian casualties the goal the replacement of the current order by one that would genuinely represent and serve the people the daring young women who tell their stories in this book shared this goal and participated actively in efforts to realize it vera figner presided over the remnants of the people s will after it assassinated tsar alexander ii vera zasulich s attempt to assassinate the governor of st petersburg made her a heroine to western european leftists as well as much of the russian public olga liubatovich belonged to one of the first groups of revolutionary propagandists to take jobs as factory laborers praskovia ivanovskaia became a typesetter for the printing press that presented the movement s goals to a broader public elizaveta kovalskaia a

peasant by birth envisioned terror as the means to relieve economic oppression along with a new introduction
barbara engel and clifford rosenthal provide an updated list of suggested readings in this edition of their classic
work of translation students and specialists of russian history and women s studies as well as general readers will
find these memoirs to be a fascinating record of a tumultuous time

Equality and Revolution

2010

after the collapse of the romanov dynasty in february 1917 russia was subject to an eight month experiment in
democracy sarah badcock studies its failure through an exploration of the experiences and motivations of ordinary
men and women urban and rural military and civilian using previously neglected documents from regional archives
this text offers a history of the revolution as experienced in the two volga provinces of nizhegorod and kazan
badcock exposes the confusions and contradictions between political elites and ordinary people and emphasises
the role of the latter as political actors by looking beyond petersburg and moscow she shows how local concerns
conditions and interests were foremost in shaping how the revolution was received and understood she also
reveals the ways in which the small group of intellectuals who dominated the high political scene of 1917 had their
political alternatives circumscribed by the desires and demands of ordinary people

Women in Russian History

2016-09-16

in this book leading western specialists and russian and ukrainian feminists examine how gender has shaped
russian and ukrainian history from the twelfth century to the present in particular they analyse the current
backlash against women s emancipation using new archival materials and the insights of feminist theory the
contributors explore the relevance of gender equality and difference in russian history they find that women have
not merely submitted to the patriarchal system but instead have found creative ways of resisting it chapters
focusing on contemporary russia discuss abortion pornography sexual minorities young women s lifestyles the
impact of economic reform on women and the development of the women s movement this book will be of interest
to students and specialists in russian ukrainian and women s studies as well as to historians political scientists
sociologists and economists

Women in Imperial, Soviet, and Post-Soviet Russia

1999

this book provides a visually stimulating survey of revolutionary russia from the collapse of the autocracy in 1917 to the consolidation of the stalinist system in the 1930s the focus of the narrative is on how the effort to build communism in russia affected the lives of ordinary people the authors have collected far flung documents photographs posters and objects and strung them into a narrative with introductions to each chapter and document sidebars and detailed photo captions while the main text tantalizes readers with the great vision conflict hopes and horrors of this much mythologized part of modern history the backmatter provides resources for further exploration topics include the prelude to revolution the bolshevik rise to power the fate of the royal family peasant resistance to bolshevik policies stalin s revolution from above the great terror and a picture essay on women s liberation

Russia's Women

1976

five sisters provides a unique first hand account of the russian revolutionary movement of the 1870s from the perspective of five remarkable young women who participated in it vera figner vera zasulich olga liubatovich praskovia ivanovskaia and elizaveta kovalskaia these elegantly translated memoirs provide a vivid description of this turbulent period in russian history and the daily lives of these brave women

Apostles Into Terrorists

1978

revealing information on the first director of the women s section of the russian communist party

Five Sisters

2013

through bolshevik russia by ethel snowden published by good press good press publishes a wide range of titles that encompasses every genre from well known classics literary fiction and non fiction to forgotten or yet undiscovered gems of world literature we issue the books that need to be read each good press edition has been meticulously edited and formatted to boost readability for all e readers and devices our goal is to produce ebooks that are user friendly and accessible to everyone in a high quality digital format

Politics and the People in Revolutionary Russia

2007-10-04

gender in modern russia traces the evolution of gender relations from the late imperial period through the soviet union and up to the present day it broadly examines the everyday lives of both women and men as well as cultural and political constructions of gender and sexuality through a focus on the impact of four major themes the state work the body and spirituality aaron b retish argues that the communist experiment emancipated women and men from traditional social and political roles but that crucially it did not break cultural roles and power relations retish goes on to show that this destabilization of gender roles largely explains why gender roles are so contested in present day russia and why political religious and cultural leaders use traditional gender images to assert control and to mobilize their base it is a vital text for anyone seeking to know more about the social history of russia in the modern period

Women in Russia and Ukraine

1996-03-14

when lenin asked who will beat whom kto kogo he had no plan to wage revolutionary class war in culture many young communists thought differently however seeking in the name of the proletariat to wrest cultural hegemony from the intelligentsia they turned culture into a battlefield in the 1920s but was this as communist militants thought a genuine class struggle between proletarian communists and the bourgeois intelligentsia or was it as the

intelligentsia believed an onslaught by the ruling communist party on the eternal principles of cultural autonomy and intellectual freedom in this volume one of the foremost historians of the soviet union chronicles the fierce battle on the cultural front from the october revolution through the stalinist 1930s sheila fitzpatrick brings together ten of her essays two previously unpublished and all revised for inclusion here which illuminate key arenas of the prolonged struggle over cultural values and institutional control individual essays deal with such major issues as the cultural revolution the formation of the new stalinist elite and socialist realism as well as recounting colorful episodes including the uproar over shostakovich s opera lady macbeth of the mtsensk district arguments over sexual mores and the new consumerism of the 1930s closely examining the cultural elites and orthodoxies that developed under stalin fitzpatrick offers a provocative reinterpretation of the struggle s final outcome in which the intelligentsia despite its loss of autonomy and the debasement of its culture emerged as a partial victor the cultural front is essential reading for anyone interested in the formative history of the soviet union and the dynamic relationship between culture and politics

Revolutionary Russia

2011

until the late 1960s most western scholars studying the history culture social and political life and economy of russia and the soviet union paid scant attention to the participation and experience of women the multifarious ways in which gender roles and perceptions of gender were influenced by and in turn influenced the heterogeneous cultures of the soviet empire were largely ignored however this neglect has slowly been rectified and now the study of women and gender relations has become one of the most productive fields of research into russian and soviet society this volume demonstrates the originality and diversity of this recent research written by leading western scholars it spans the last decade of tsarist russia the 1917 revolutions and the soviet period the essays reflect the interdisciplinary nature of women s work women and politics women as soldiers female prostitution popular images of women and women s experience of perestroika

Five Sisters

1987

the little grandmother of the russian revolution is a fascinating look at the life of catherine breshkovsky a central

figure in the russian revolutionary movement written by alice stone blackwell and featuring catherine s own letters and reminiscences this book offers a unique perspective on the revolutionary movement and the role of women in it this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant

Woman Under Fire

1930

a survey of the key political economic social and cultural developments in russian women s history from 900 to 2010 and their impact on the nation synthesizing several decades of scholarship by historians east and west barbara evans clements traces the major developments in the history of women in russia and their impact on the history of the nation sketching lived experiences across the centuries she demonstrates the key roles that women played in shaping russia s political economic social and cultural development for over a millennium the story clements tells is one of hardship and endurance but also one of achievement by women who for example promoted the conversion to christianity governed estates created great art rebelled against the government established charities built the tanks that rolled into berlin in 1945 and flew the planes that strafed the retreating wehrmacht this daunting and complex history is presented in an engaging survey that integrates this scholarship into the field of russian and post soviet history the product of a lifetime of engagement by one of the preeminent authorities on the history of russian women the book reflects the author s deep expertise in primary sources as well as her familiarity with the secondary literature choi chatterjee california state university los angeles a significant achievement in scholarship on russian women and gender among this text s many strengths are its lucidity readability and engaging synthesis of a large number of both primary and secondary sources its erudite contextualization of the history of russian women within a larger european framework ensures its interest for and accessibility to a wide readership especially those outside of the slavic field slavic and east european journal clements s writing is engaging clear and jargon free making this book easily accessible to a general audience highly recommended choice this daunting and complex history is presented in an engaging survey that integrates this scholarship into the field of russian and post soviet history journal of turkish weekly

Inessa Armand

2002-07-04

what were the consequences if prerevolutionary and bourgeois culture and social relations could not be transformed into new socialist forms of behavior and belief

Equality and Revolution

2010

women have participated in war throughout history but their experience in russia during the first world war was truly exceptional between the war s beginning and the october revolution of 1917 approximately 6 000 women answered their country s call as the army was faced with insubordination and desertion in the ranks while the provisional government prepared for a new offensive these courageous women became media stars throughout europe and america but were brushed aside by soviet chroniclers and until now have been largely neglected by history laurie stoff draws on deep archival research into previously unplumbed material including many first person accounts to examine the roots motivations and legacy of these women she reveals that russia was the only nation in world war i that systematically employed women in the military marking the first time that a government run by men had organized women for combat and although they were originally envisioned as propaganda promoting patriotism and citizenship to inspire the thousands of males who had been deserting or refusing to fight russian women also proved themselves more than capable in combat describing the formation provisioning and training of the units stoff sheds light on their social and educational backgrounds while recounting a number of amazing individual stories she tells how maria bochkareva commander of the first russian women s battalion of death and her unit met its baptism of fire in combat and how bochkareva later traveled to the u s and met president wilson within these pages we also meet maria bocharnikova who served with the first petrograd women s battalion that defended the winter palace during the bolshevik revolution and whose detailed account of her experience dispels much of the misinformation concerning that storied event stoff also chronicles the exploits of the second moscow women s battalion of death third kuban women s shock battalion and the first women s naval detachment all within the context of russian society the revolution and the war itself enhancing and informing this presentation are more than two dozen historic photos stoff s remarkable account rescues from oblivion an important but still little known aspect of russia s experience in world war i it also provides new insights into

gender roles during a pivotal period of russia s development and more broadly speaking resonates with the current debates over the role of women in warfare

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