

Suggested London Library Books Available for Adoption

Christmas Books

The perfect festive gift for book lovers

- Agatha Christie, *Hercule Poirot's Christmas*
- Charles Dickens, *Christmas Books*
- S.R Littlewood, *The Story of Santa Claus*
- Andrew Gant, *Christmas Carols*
- Charles Dickens, *Bleak House*
- Stanley Weintraub, *Silent Night; the Christmas Truce*

Books published in 1841

The London Library was founded 180 years ago in 1841, help us close out our 180th celebrations by adopting a book from the same year

Fiction

- Fredrika Bremer, *Nina*
- John Galt, *Sir Andrew Wylie of that ilk*
- Catherine Gore, *The Soldier of Lyons: A Tale of the Tuileries*
- Victor Hugo, *Les feuilles d'automne*
- G. P. R. James, *The Ancient Regime: A Tale*
- G. P. R. James, *Corse de Leon: Or, the Brigand*
- Edward William Lane, *The Thousand and One Nights, Commonly Called in England, The Arabian Nights' Entertainments*
- Frederick Marryat, *Poor Jack*
- Eugène Sue, *Le commandeur de Malte*

History and Politics

- Sir John Gardner, *The Manners and Customs of the Ancient Egyptians*
- John Holland, *The History and Description of Fossil Fuel, the Collieries, and Coal Trade of Great Britain*
- W. H. Maxwell, *Life of Field-Marshal His Grace the Duke of Wellington*
- John Gideon Millingen, *The History of Duelling*
- Augustin Thierry, *History of the Conquest of England by the Normans*

Philosophy and Religion

- George Long, *An Essay on the Moral Nature of Man*

Poetry and Drama

- Stephen Gosson, *The School of Abuse: Containing a Pleasant Invective against Poets, Pipers, Players, Jesters, &c.*
- Lady Flora Hastings and Sophia, Marchioness of Bute, *Poems*
- James Hogg, *The Queen's Wake: A Legendary Poem*
- James Macpherson, *The Genuine Remains of Ossian, Literally Translated*
- Louisa Frances Poulter, *Imagination: A Poem*
- Sophocles, *Oedipus Coloneus*

Science and Folklore

- J. O. Halliwell-Phillips, *A Collection of Letters Illustrative of the Progress of Science in England, from the Reign of Queen Elizabeth to that of Charles the Second*
- Charles Henry Knox, *Traditions of Western Germany: The Black Forest, the Neckar, the Odenwald, the Tanus, the Rhine and the Moselle*

Sport

- George Agar Hansard, *The Book of Archery, Being the Complete Practice and History of the Art*

Travel and Topography

- Alexandre, Comte de Laborde, *Versailles, ancien et moderne*
- Catherine Maria Sedgwick, *Letters from Abroad to Kindred at Home*

Most borrowed books

These books are much loved and borrowed by London Library members, your adoption will ensure the books are well looked after

- Georges Simenon, *Tout Simenon*
- Karl Marx, *Collected Works*
- Virginia Woolf, *The diary of Virginia Woolf*
- George Orwell, *The complete works of George Orwell*
- Martin Gilbert, *Winston S. Churchill*
- Anthony Powell, *To keep the ball rolling*
- Christopher M. Clark, *The Sleepwalkers*
- Virginia Woolf, *Mrs Dalloway*
- Jonathan Sumption, *The Hundred Years War*