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Titolo	Wallaby warrior : the World War 1 diaries of Australia's only British Lion, Tom Richards / / edited by Greg Growden
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Sydney : , : Allen & Unwin, , 2013
ISBN	1-74343-378-6
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (233 p.)
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Soggetti	World War, 1914-1918 Soldiers - Australia Electronic books.
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Nota di contenuto	CONTENTS; Author's note; Introduction; 1 Under way, 1914; 2 Egypt, 1914-15; 3 On the way to Gallipoli, 1915; 4 Landing, 1915; 5 War, 1915; 6 Digging in, 1915; 7 Sick parade, 1915; 8 Evacuation, 1915; 9 Return to Egypt, 1916; 10 France, 1916; 11 Shells and sport, 1916; 12 Towards the front, 1916; 13 Counter-attacks and kings, 1916; 14 Blighty, 1916; 15 Infantryman, 1916-17; 16 Frontline, 1917; 17 Mixed fortunes, 1917-18; Epilogue
Sommario/riassunto	Tom Richards is the only Australian-born Test rugby player to have played for both Australia and the British Lions. When the Australian team won the Gold Medal for rugby at the 1908 Olympic Games, the London Times pronounced: 'If ever the Earth had to select a Rugby Football team to play against Mars, Tom Richards would be the first player chosen.'. With an introduction by leading Australian rugby writer Greg Growden, Richards's diaries offer wonderful insights into his extraordinary sporting life, but more importantly provide perceptive and acute observations of the brutality and the humanity

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Autore	Silverman Chloe
Titolo	Understanding autism [[electronic resource]] : parents, doctors, and the history of a disorder / / Chloe Silverman
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Edizione	[Course Book]
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (353 p.)
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Nota di contenuto	Front matter -- Contents -- Acknowledgments -- Introduction. Love as an Analytic Tool -- Part One -- 1. Research Programs, "Autistic Disturbances," and Human Difference -- 2. Love Is Not Enough: Bruno Bettelheim, Infantile Autism, and Psychoanalytic Childhoods -- 3. Expert Amateurs: Raising and Treating Children with Autism -- Interlude. Parents Speak: The Art of Love and the Ethics of Care -- Part two -- 4. Brains, Pedigrees, and Promises: Lessons from the Politics of Autism Genetics -- 5. Desperate and Rational: Parents and Professionals in Autism Research -- 6. Pandora's Box: Immunizations, Parental Obligations, and Toxic Facts -- Conclusion. What the World Needs Now: Learning About and Acting on Autism Research -- Notes -- Bibliography -- Index
Sommario/riassunto	Autism has attracted a great deal of attention in recent years, thanks to dramatically increasing rates of diagnosis, extensive organizational mobilization, journalistic coverage, biomedical research, and clinical innovation. Understanding Autism, a social history of the expanding diagnostic category of this contested illness, takes a close look at the role of emotion--specifically, of parental love--in the intense and

passionate work of biomedical communities investigating autism. Chloe Silverman tracks developments in autism theory and practice over the past half-century and shows how an understanding of autism has been constituted and stabilized through vital efforts of schools, gene banks, professional associations, government committees, parent networks, and treatment conferences. She examines the love and labor of parents, who play a role in developing--in conjunction with medical experts--new forms of treatment and therapy for their children. While biomedical knowledge is dispersed through an emotionally neutral, technical language that separates experts from laypeople, parental advocacy and activism call these distinctions into question. Silverman reveals how parental care has been a constant driver in the volatile field of autism research and treatment, and has served as an inspiration for scientific change. Recognizing the importance of parental knowledge and observations in treating autism, this book reveals that effective responses to the disorder demonstrate the mutual interdependence of love and science.

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