

Metadata Output and Its Impact on the Researcher

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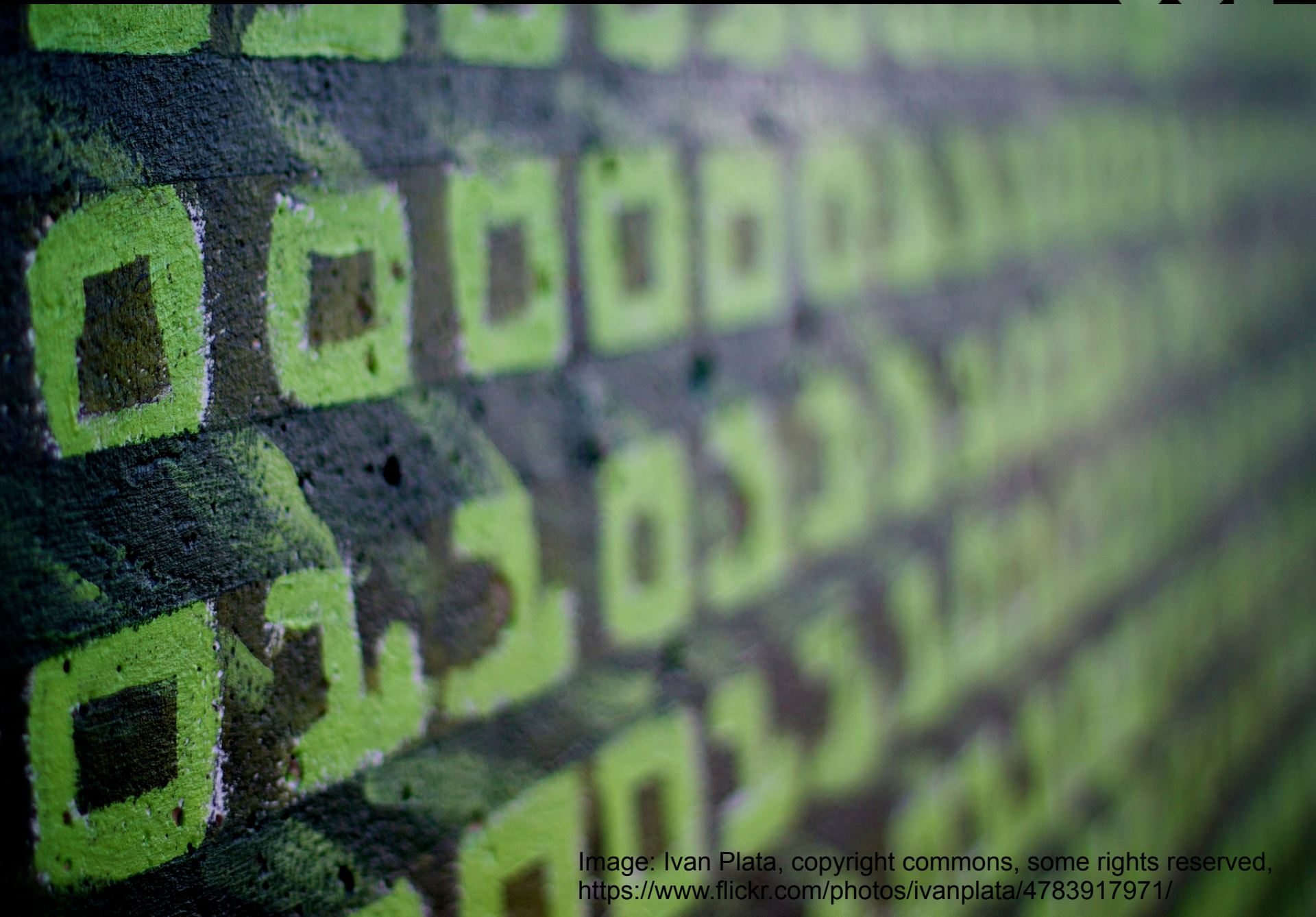


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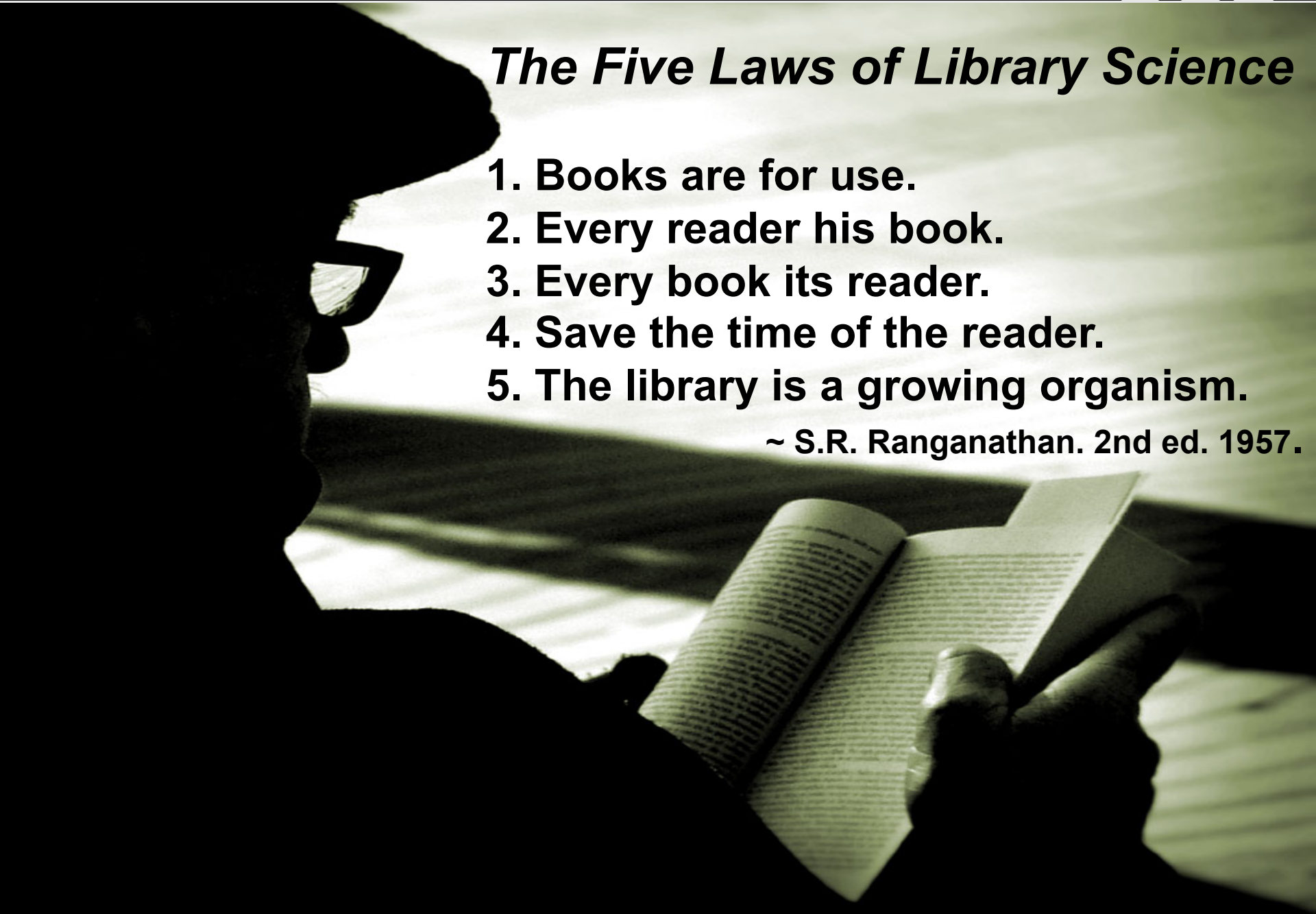
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The Five Laws of Library Science

- 1. Books are for use.**
- 2. Every reader his book.**
- 3. Every book its reader.**
- 4. Save the time of the reader.**
- 5. The library is a growing organism.**

~ S.R. Ranganathan. 2nd ed. 1957.



Objects

1. To enable a person to find a book of which either
 - (A) the author
 - (B) the title
 - (C) the subject is known.
2. To show what the library has
 - (D) by a given author
 - (E) on a given subject
 - (F) in a given kind of literature
3. To assist in the choice of a book
 - (G) as to its edition (bibliographically)
 - (H) as to its character (literary or topical)



C. A. Cutter

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- to find entities that correspond to the user's stated search criteria (i.e., to locate either a single entity or a set of entities in a file or database as the result of a search using an attribute or relationship of the entity);
- to identify an entity (i.e., to confirm that the entity described corresponds to the entity sought, or to distinguish between two or more entities with similar characteristics);
- to select an entity that is appropriate to the user's needs (i.e., to choose an entity that meets the user's requirements with respect to content, physical format, etc., or to reject an entity as being inappropriate to the user's needs);
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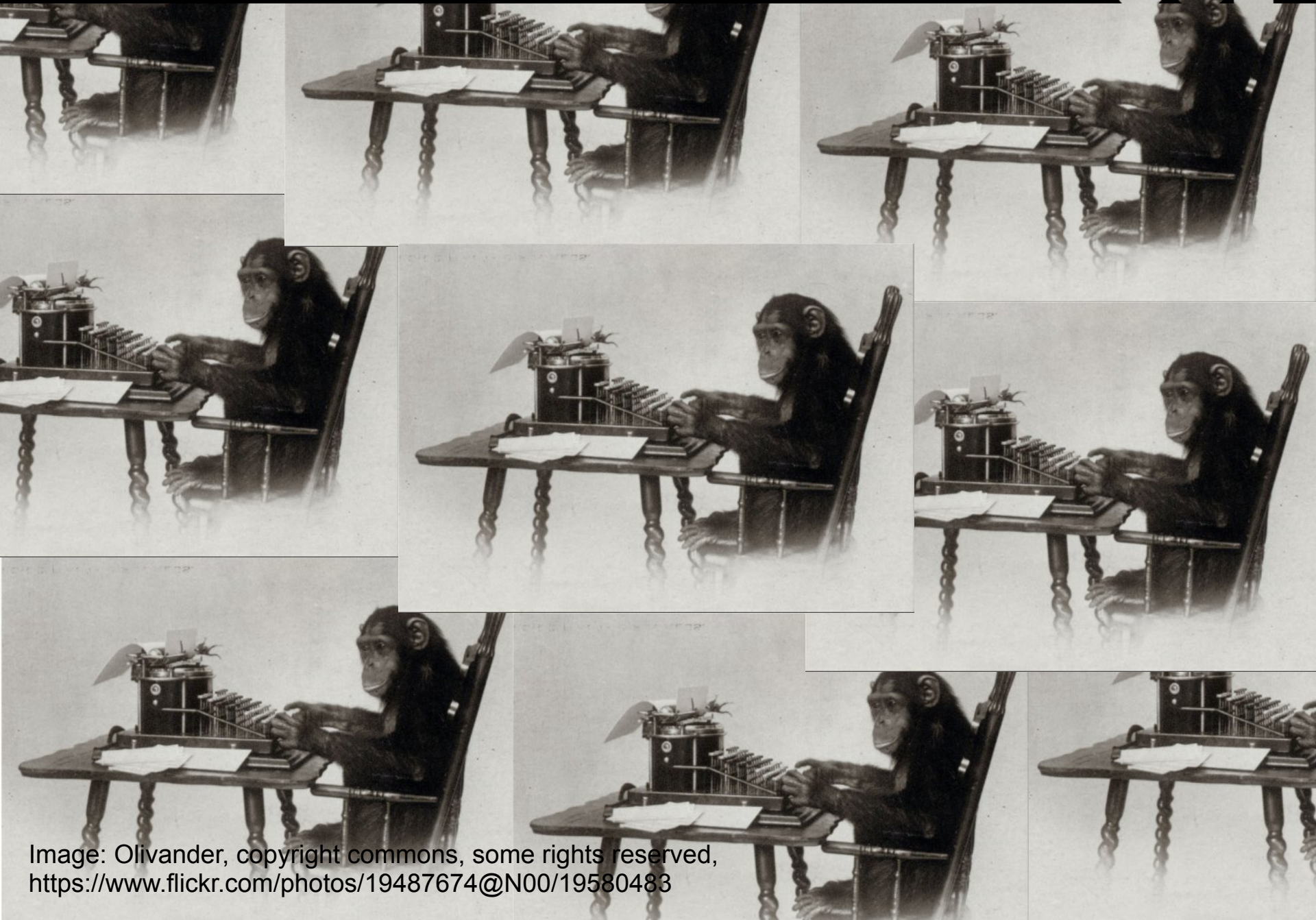


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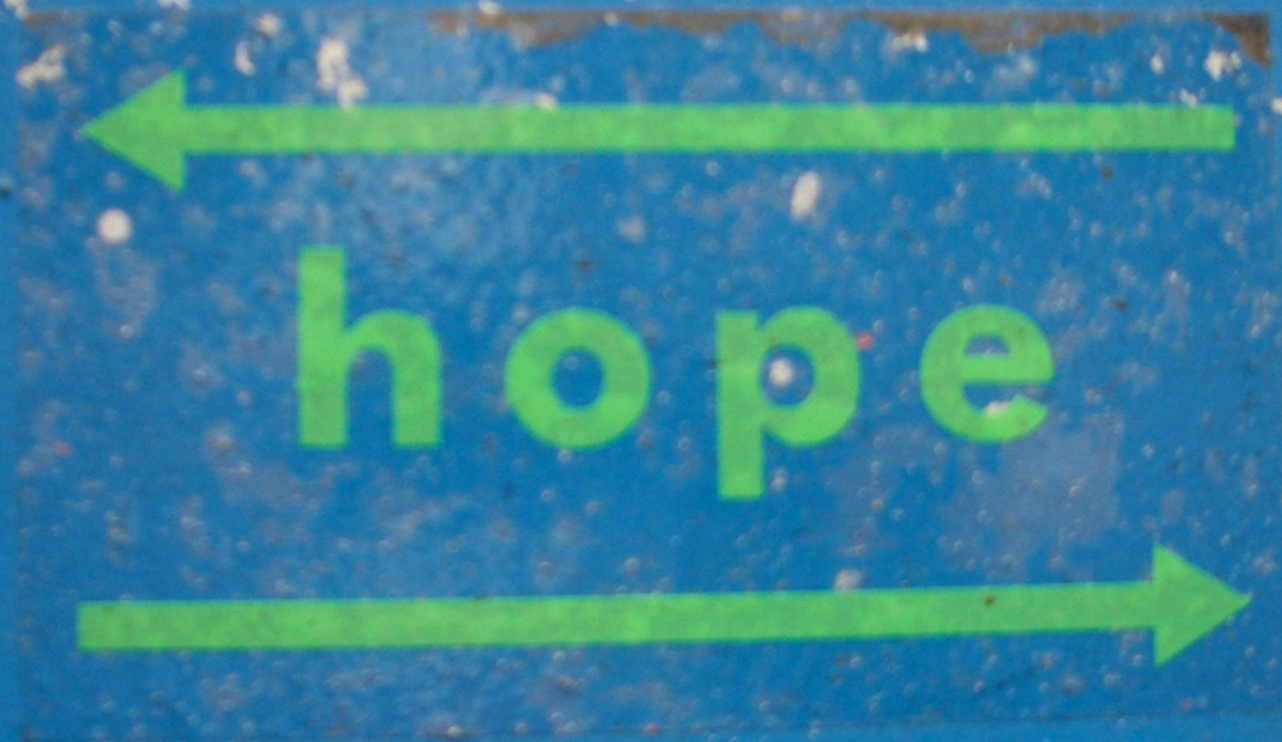


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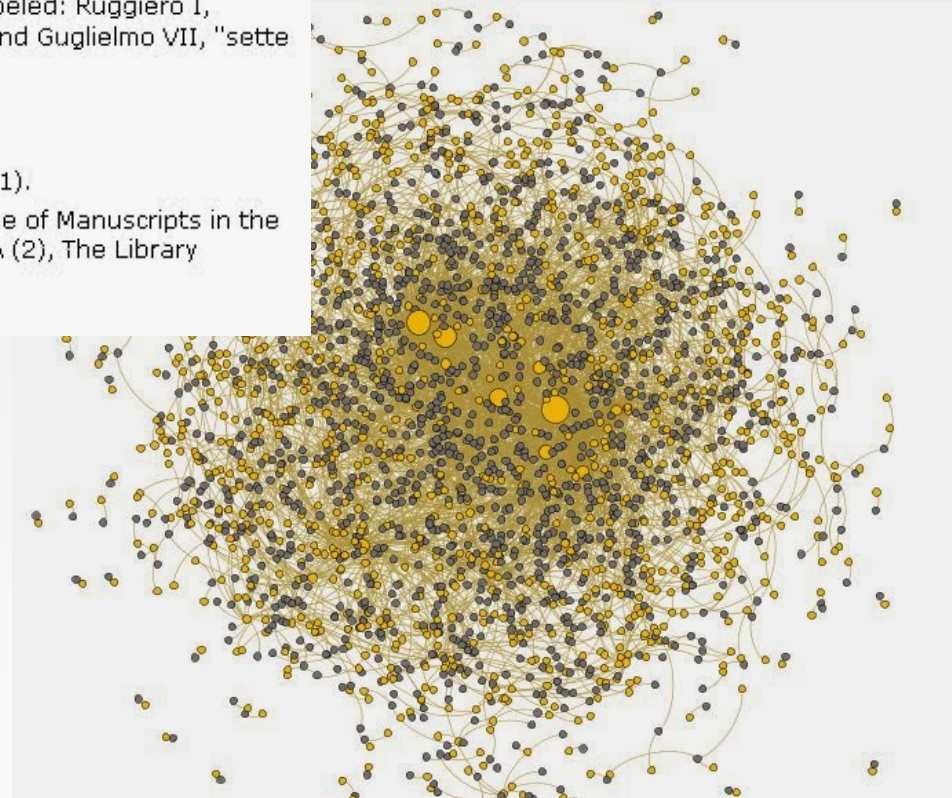




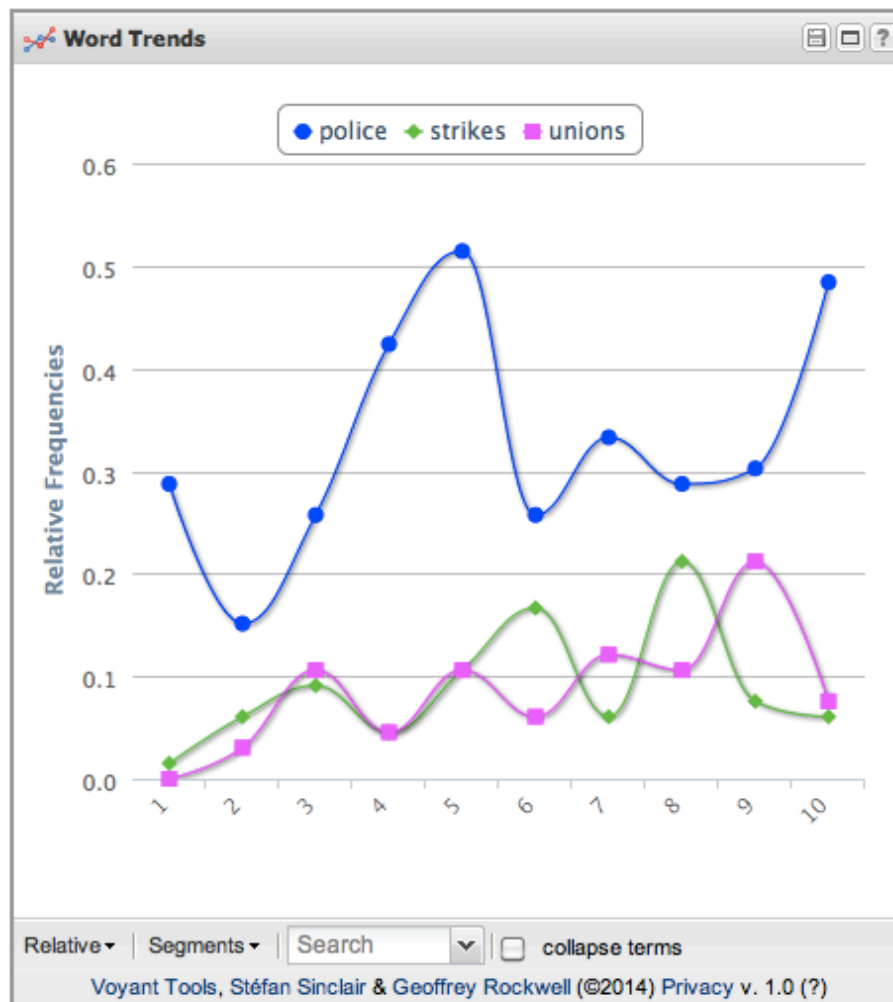
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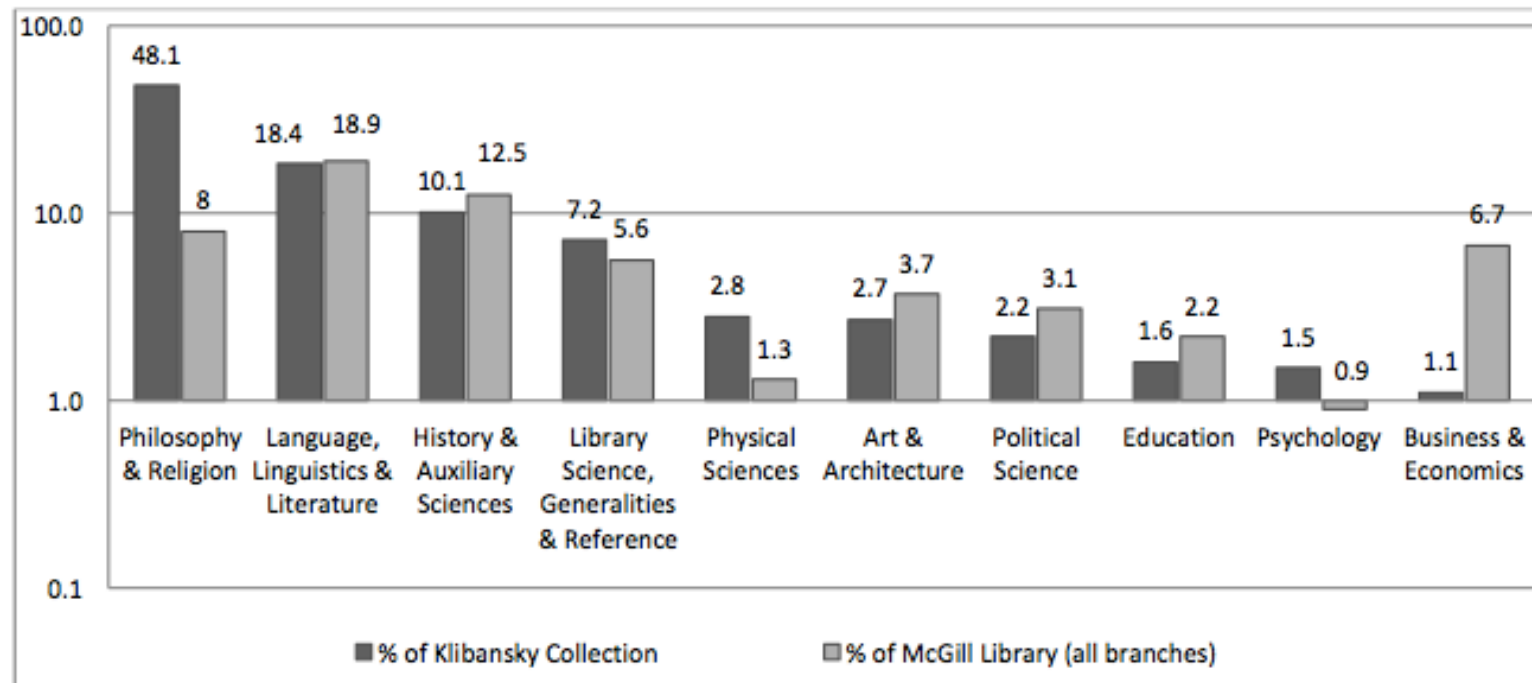
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Word trend graph of 'Title' field for data exported from [British Cartoon Archive](#) database for years between 1960 and 1979 ([dataset](#), [Voyant](#))

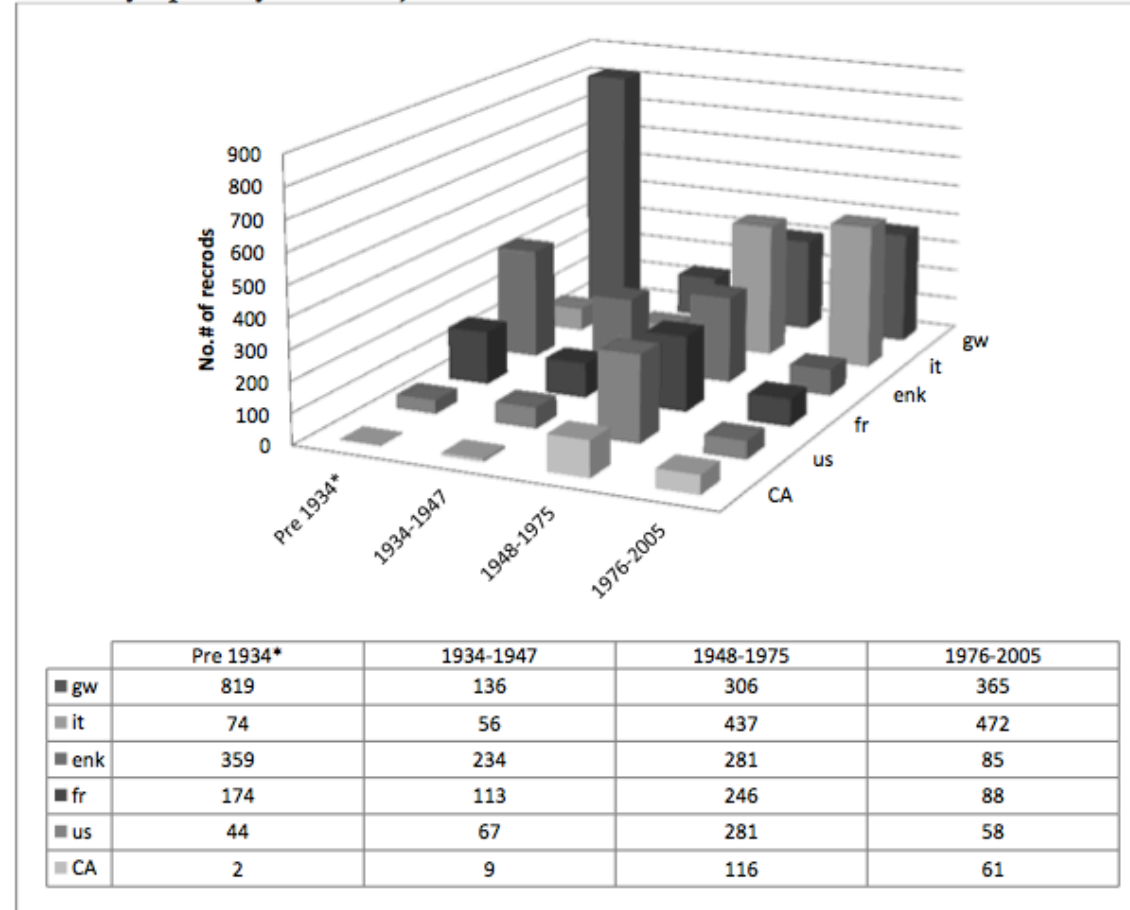
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Figure 12. Top 10 RKC Broad Subject Areas as a percentage of the collection (logarithmic scale)



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Figure 25. Main places of 20th century publication, by date (periods based on Klibansky's primary residence).

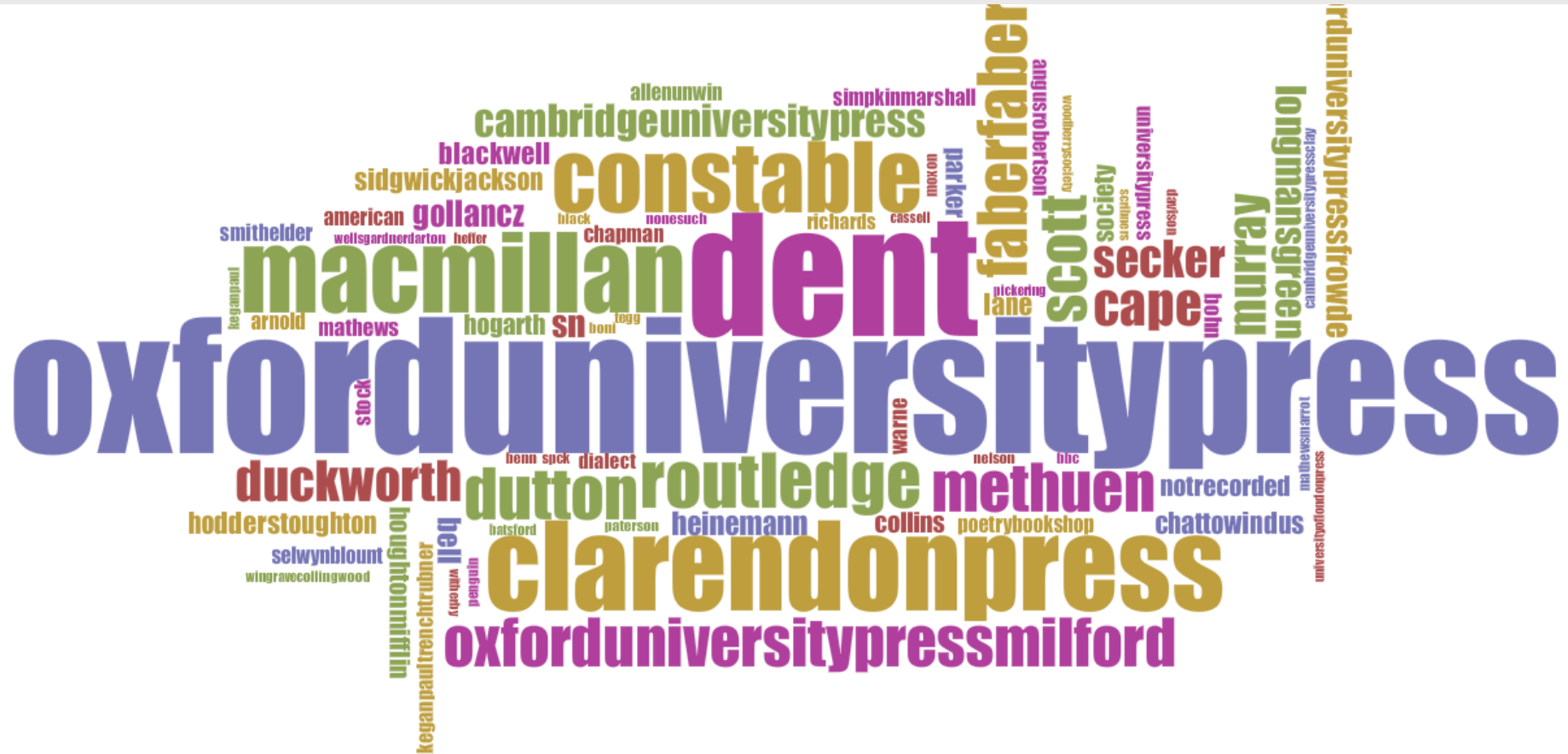


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