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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from Papers on Anthropometry The writer has adopted the above title for this paper since his chief purpose, at this time, is to call attention to the number and variety of the publications which relate to anthropometry in the United States, without attempting a complete or critical analysis of any of them. It is also proper to note that the appended Provisional List includes several titles of books and articles which have been published in Europe by American writers, and a few titles of articles relating to anthropometry in America by European writers. In this paper the term anthropometry is used in the sense originally attributed to it by Quetelet, which includes the measure of the different faculties of the human being; although anthropometrical study in the United States has been pursued, for the most part, for the sake of determining the physical proportions of the body and its parts. Considered as a whole, the American literature on anthropometry consists largely of descriptive and tabulated reports of the results reached by individual observers in comparatively narrow...

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