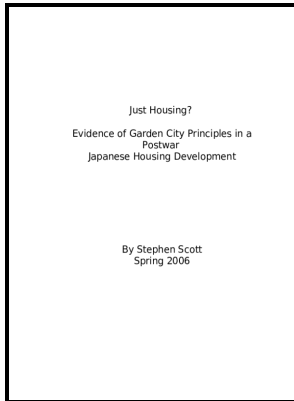


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The Wages of Affluence : Labor and Management in Postwar Japan by Andrew Gordon (1998, Hardcover) for sale online

The Japanese model produced a dynamic economy which owed as much to coercion as to happy consensus. Indeed, the control for the workplace spilled over into the home, the streets, the courts and even the arena of international relations.

Wages of Affluence: Labor and Management in Postwar Japan, by Andrew Gordon. Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1998, xii + 270 pp., \$36.95 (hardcover ISBN 0-674-80577-1)

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