



Mawson s Will: The Greatest Polar Survival Story Ever Written (Paperback)

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Steerforth Press, United States, 2000. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 2nd. 212 x 134 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Mawson s Will is the dramatic story of what Sir Edmund Hillary calls the most outstanding solo journey ever recorded in Antarctic history. For weeks in Antarctica, Douglas Mawson faced some of the most daunting conditions ever known to man: blistering wind, snow, and cold; loss of his companion, his dogs and supplies, the skin on his hands and the soles of his feet; thirst, starvation, disease, snowblindness - and he survived. Sir Douglas Mawson is remembered as the young Australian who would not go to the South Pole with Robert Scott in 1911, choosing instead to lead his own expedition on the less glamorous mission of charting nearly 1,500 miles of Antarctic coastline and claiming its resources for the British Crown. His party of three set out through the mountains across glaciers in 60-mile-per-hour winds. Six weeks and 320 miles out, one man fell into a crevasse, along with the tent, most of the equipment, all of the dogs food, and all except a week s supply of the men s provisions. Mawson s Will is the unforgettable story...



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