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| Brief Introduction | <p>Social Psychology</p> <p><i>Psychosocial Stress: Trends in Theory and Research</i>, edited by HOWARD B. KAPLAN. New York: Academic Press, 1984. 346 pp. \$36.00 cloth.</p> <p>JAMES A. WELLS <i>Yale University School of Medicine</i></p> <p>The editor recruited five colleagues to help him in this volume. Four have written chapters summarizing the literature pertaining to four themes of psychosocial stress research: role strains (reviewed by Pearlin), life events (Thoits), social support (Turner), and coping (Menaghan). Kaplan himself wrote a chapter synthesizing a sociological theory of psychosocial stress, and the volume is completed by a chapter on methodological issues by Kessler.</p> |