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This introductory anthology is referenced around the concepts of *evolution* and *ecological adaptation*. It is wide ranging in scope and includes many selections that represent contemporary research as well as a few articles now considered to be classics—including a selection from Bronislaw Malinowski.

- ☐ Without sacrificing quality, selections were chosen for their readability and interest
- ☐ Selections are from quality publications such as *Natural History*, *Science*, and *Ethnology*
- ☐ Each section includes a reading designated as “Honors Work” that represents a higher degree of challenge
- ☐ There is a general introduction as well as introductions to each chapter
- ☐ The Epilogue deals with the present and future of the discipline

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