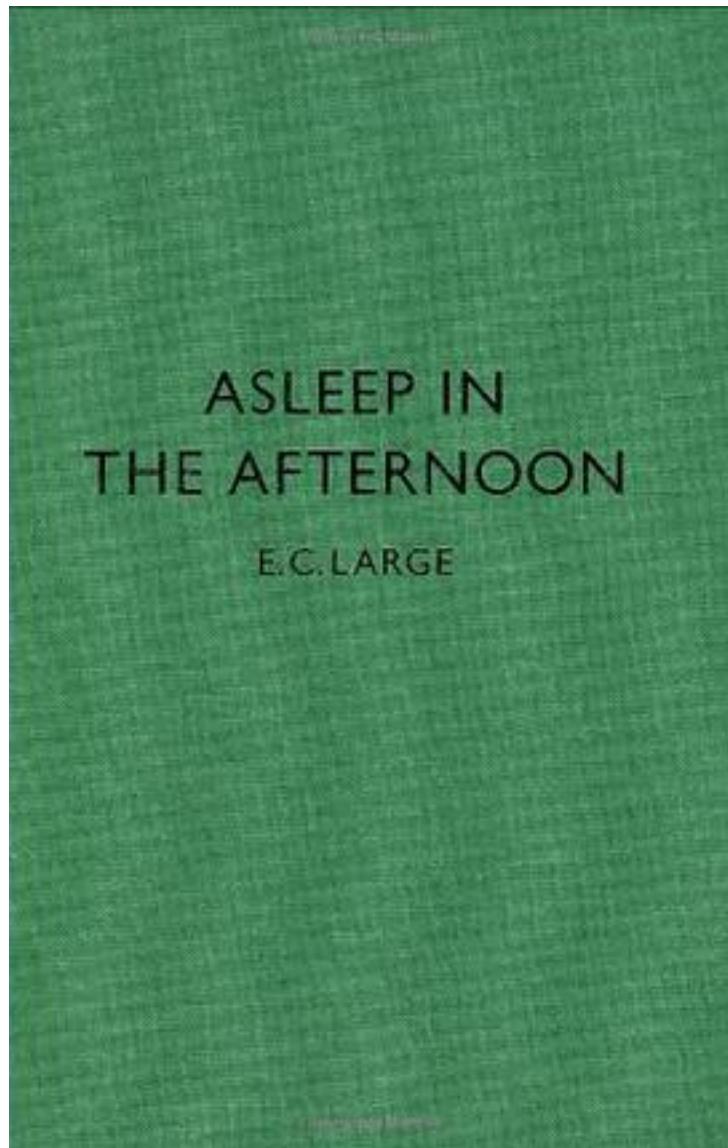


# Asleep in the Afternoon



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Back in print after an absence of nearly 70 years, the facsimile edition of E. C. Large's novel *Asleep in the Afternoon* is what we now call a 'mash-up,' made up of scientific research, social satire, and fictional flights of fancy. *Sugar in the Air* concludes with the novel's central character-unmistakably modeled on the author-receiving his pension and beginning work on a novel called *Asleep in the Afternoon*, which was the title of the novel E. C. Large wrote in 1939. This meta-fictional satire tells parallel stories about one woman's belief in sleep as a cure for society's ills and her advocacy for a mysterious new device that can induce it. The alternating tale concerns this fictional author's writing process and family life.

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