The Kruger National Park is an outstanding wildlife site and ecological resource where ecosystems and their functions are strongly influenced by underlying geology, geomorphology, soils, climate and water resources. This chapter outlines the general geology and geomorphology of the Kruger area. Landscape evolution and landform development during the Cenozoic has also been strongly controlled by the varied geological formations present in Kruger. Landscape development has included the exposure of bedrock surfaces by uplift and erosion, the accumulation of weathered products to form soil s and t In 1898, the Sabi Game Reserve was proclaimed by the South...
African Republic. The reserve covered an area of 1,210,000 morgen equivalent to 10,364 km² (4,002 sq mi). Before any effective management could take over, the South African War broke out the following year. After the occupation of the Transvaal by British forces, Captain H. F. Francis was appointed as the first Warden of the Sabi Game Reserve in 1901. However, he was killed in action a month later, at the end of July 1901. A former prospector