

1: THE MISSING ITALIAN GIRL by Barbara Corrado Pope | Kirkus Reviews

Barbara Corrado Pope, professor emerita, (born) is a novelist, historian, a former director of Clark Honors College at the University of Oregon, and the founding director of Women's and Gender Studies at Oregon.

As a social historian and academic, you know how to conduct research. But how was doing research to write fiction different? Did you think about primary sources in a different way? Use different kinds of sources than you might for academic writing? The difference in research for novels was in the details: How was a room lit? Did they sell roast chickens in Paris in ? How did you cut a cigar? Well, real life experience might have answered the last question, but at midnight, it was Wikipedia. Other details the roast chicken, for example come from the same primary materials like novels and memoirs that I used as an historian. I am also inspired by pictures photos, paintings, postcards , which not only answer questions but fuel the imagination. Finally, knowing a place is crucial not only for the setting but for opening up a plot in unexpected ways. One of my favorite scenes in *The Blood of Lorraine* was inspired by a painting in the local museum and a visit to the graveyard. What carries over from your experience as a teacher and a writer of academic texts when you write fiction? As a teacher, I want to say something. I want my work to address some important issues beyond the story. Of course, unlike in scholarship, the issues may well be emotional and individual rather than political or social. As an academic writer I was very concise and clear. In fiction I am still trying to liberate myself to elaborate more and allow for ambiguity. Zola figures into each of these novels in a variety of ways. Is he someone you were particularly interested in or had read a lot of before you began writing the Bernard Martin novels? I had read some Zola before I began writing the novels. In fact, when I was working on pilgrimages, I wrote an article on his book on Lourdes. He is a great source for the historian and historical novelist because of his almost fanatical devotion to researching contemporary life. As a reader, sometimes his detailed descriptions lead to a kind of exhaustion of naturalism. I love him as a man, as an historical figure, more than as a novelist. The three novels are neatly and organically tied together, not only by the character of Bernard Martin, but in their development of both Bernard and Clarie. Had you conceived of the trilogy all at once? If not, can you tell us a bit about how one novel pointed you in the direction of the next? When I began, I did not think of writing a trilogy or a series. I was a complete novice. Acting led to thinking, and then imagining a plot that intertwined with issues I was passionate about—racism, tolerance, identity. I began my research on French Jewish life and anti-Semitism the racism of nineteenth-century Europe while seeking an agent. Now I like the fact that anarchism, feminism, and the Dreyfus affair are part of the landscape rather than the subject of the novel. Bernard and Clarie are a fascinating couple. Clarie takes center stage in *The Missing Italian Girl*, expressing anger about the conditions of girls and women, and Bernard must respond to the growth of Clarie in a reflective manner. Can you describe how you write this relationship as both plot development and a way of conveying the political and social climate of France? This was typical of most progressive Republican men of his era, who were fully supportive of women as long as they fit into certain categories: While Clarie wants to save Maura and argue against the injustice that poor women suffer, she is also driven by another motive. Eventually she realizes that her search is not only about the girl, but about herself, and recovering the boldness she had as the young woman that Martin fell madly in love with. So, I guess the answer to the first part of the question is that in pursuing a plot that gives each of the Martins their own story and motive, the relationship must change. You are part of a writing group: Any feedback on these novels as they developed that surprised you? These writers are the first line of defense, saving me from embarrassment. The embarrassment can be small, like a misspelling that completely changes a meaning, or larger, like a new character who is a real dud. There is a lot of attention paid to style as well as structure. Our group works well, because we know that criticism is given to improve the work and none of us is overly sensitive or ego-bound about our writing. Any effective group keeps you on schedule and makes your writing better. Mine certainly performed both of these vital functions. What writers of any genre, including academic have had an influence on your writing? I recently told an audience that had I been asked when I was 19 who my favorite writer was, the answer would have been easy: *The Brothers Karamazov* was the only novel I had read twice at that age. And, sure, I was

going to become a dark, troubled, and famous writer. His were the first mysteries I ever read, and he taught me something essential: I also love the way his novels try to say something about the world. You have published three novels in a relatively short period of time, impressive to me because of the amount of research you need to do. Any advice for writers of historical fiction? The speed is an illusion. By that time I was well into *The Blood of Lorraine*. In addition to your trips to France, what is your favorite thing about doing research for the purpose of writing fiction? Your novels are all populated with fascinating characters, major and minor, fictional and historical. Who is your favorite minor character and why? The one I keep coming back to is Shlomo the Red Dwarf. His character was based on a man I had met with a life-long disability and a desire to please everyone which was his way of coping with his disfigurement. I had been worrying that *The Blood of Lorraine* was becoming too dark. Shlomo added color and light, and, of course, a means of advancing the plot. While *The Missing Italian Girl* comes to a clear end, providing closure to the mysteries involved, it also ends with big changes in Clarie. Do you have plans for another novel with her at the center? And perhaps also, Emilie, a minor but great character in this novel? I love my characters, and some readers love them enough to ask for more. This is a great compliment. However, since we are engaged in a publication about the older writer, I feel comfortable saying that at this point I want to give something else a try, since I feel my opportunities to branch out may be limited. My next foray will be an attempt to write a more autobiographical novel set in Cleveland. A return to the Martins and Maura and Emilie is always a possibility in the future. After all, I know them so well.

2: Barbara Corrado Pope Explained

Barbara Corrado Pope is the author of three historical novels set in late 19th-century France. Long an admirer of a variety of European mystery writers like Simenon, LeCarre, Pears and Mankell, she strives to meld her love and knowledge of the past with the page-turning styles of these masters.

Founded in 1862, it is the oldest honors college in the United States and its namesake, Robert D. Clark, was a president of the university, a trustee, and a key contributor to the founding of the honors college. The college is located in Chapman Hall on the University of Oregon campus, for Fall 1991, students applied and students enrolled in the college. In 1992, the university adopted a departmental honors program for juniors and seniors, the program was open to the top 30 percent of the class, and consisted of special readings under professors in students major departments. In addition, the program concluded in the year with an honors thesis. Frank Aydelotte, president of Swarthmore College, introduced such programs into the United States following his own experience as an honors student at Oxford University. In the 1950s, the University's Curricular Review Committee addressed again the honors program offerings and they created the Sophomore Honors Program, which eventually morphed into the Clark Honors College as it exists today. Clark, the namesake, was a member of the Curricular Review Committee. Clark was troubled by the initial failure, and attributed it to the lack of unity in the university's sophomore. Inspired by Knight Dunlaps books on community, Clark created the Honors College during his tenure as university president, the original home of the Honors College was in the basement of Friendly Hall. The college moved to its current location in Chapman Hall during the 1960s, the Clark Honors College offers its own freshman literature and history series, replacing the university's general requirements. Students complete a thesis in their area during the senior year as part of the colleges graduation requirements. All classes are limited to 19 or fewer students, making them out from other lower-division courses offered by the university that frequently enroll 20 or more students. For Fall term, students applied and students entered, the mean grade point average of admitted students was 3. Students in the Clark Honors College pursue majors in different areas, throughout all of the university's colleges. Thesis

â€” A thesis or dissertation is a document submitted in support of candidature for an academic degree or professional qualification presenting the authors research and findings. In some contexts, the thesis or a cognate is used for part of a bachelors or masters course, while dissertation is normally applied to a doctorate, while in other contexts. The term graduate thesis is used to refer to both masters theses and doctoral dissertations. The required complexity or quality of research of a thesis or dissertation can vary by country, university, or program, the word dissertation can at times be used to describe a treatise without relation to obtaining an academic degree. The term thesis is used to refer to the general claim of an essay or similar work. A thesis may be arranged as a thesis by publication or a monograph, with or without appended papers, an ordinary monograph has a title page, an abstract, a table of contents, comprising the various chapters, and a bibliography or a references section. They differ in their structure in accordance with the different areas of study. In a thesis by publication, the chapters constitute an introductory, Dissertations normally report on a research project or study, or an extended analysis of a topic. The structure of the thesis or dissertation explains the purpose, the research literature which impinges on the topic of the study, the methods used. Degree-awarding institutions often define their own style that candidates have to follow when preparing a thesis document. Other applicable international standards include ISO on section numbers, ISO on bibliographic references, some older house styles specify that front matter uses a separate page-number sequence from the main text, using Roman numerals. They therefore avoid the traditional separate number sequence for front matter, however, strict standards are not always required. Most Italian universities, for example, have only general requirements on the size and the page formatting. A thesis or dissertation committee is a committee that supervises a students dissertation, the committee members are doctors in their field and have the task of reading the dissertation, making suggestions for changes and improvements, and sitting in on the defense. Sometimes, at least one member of the committee must be a professor in a department that is different from that of the student, all the dissertation referees must already have achieved at least the academic degree that the candidate is trying to reach. At English-speaking Canadian

universities, writings presented in fulfillment of undergraduate coursework requirements are normally called papers, a longer paper or essay presented for completion of a 4-year bachelors degree is sometimes called a major paper. High-quality research papers presented as the study of a postgraduate consecutive bachelor with Honours or Baccalaureatus Cum Honore degree are called thesis 3. Founded in , the institutions acre campus is along the Willamette River, since July , UO has been governed by the Board of Trustees of the University of Oregon. The university has a Carnegie Classification of highest research activity and has 21 research centers, UO was admitted to the Association of American Universities in UO offers undergraduate and graduate programs in a wide range of disciplines. Additionally, the Graduate School oversees the universitys graduate and certificate programs, UO student-athletes compete as the Ducks and are part of the Pac Conference in the National Collegiate Athletic Association. With eighteen varsity teams, the Oregon Ducks are best known for their team and track. The Oregon State Legislature established the university on October 12., the residents of Eugene struggled to help finance the institution, holding numerous fundraising events such as strawberry festivals, church socials, and produce sales. The first year of enrollment contained students taught by five faculty members, the first graduating class was in , graduating five students. In , and again in , there were proposals to merge the university with what is now Oregon State University, during Prince Lucien Campbells tenure as president from to , the university experienced tremendous growth. The budget, enrollment, facilities, and faculty members all grew several times its amount prior to his presidency, however, the University of Oregon lost its School of Engineering to Oregon Agricultural College, now known as Oregon State University. The University of Oregon Medical School was founded in in Portland, however, in it became an independent institution known as Oregon Health Sciences University. The University occupies over 80 buildings and these projects, among others, were commissioned in part to support current student enrollment as well as possible future increases. Effective July 1., the University of Oregon became an independent public body governed by the Board of Trustees of the University of Oregon 4. Cleveland â€” Cleveland is a city in the U. The city proper has a population of ,, making Cleveland the 51st largest city in the United States, Greater Cleveland ranked as the 32nd largest metropolitan area in the United States, with 2,, people in The city is the center of the Clevelandâ€”Akronâ€”Canton Combined Statistical Area, the city is located on the southern shore of Lake Erie, approximately 60 miles west of the Pennsylvania border. Clevelands economy has diversified sectors that include manufacturing, financial services, healthcare, Cleveland is also home to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. Residents of Cleveland are called Clevelanders, Cleveland has many nicknames, the oldest of which in contemporary use being The Forest City. Cleaveland oversaw the plan for what would become the downtown area, centered on Public Square, before returning home. The first settler in Cleaveland was Lorenzo Carter, who built a cabin on the banks of the Cuyahoga River, the Village of Cleaveland was incorporated on December 23, In spite of the swampy lowlands and harsh winters, its waterfront location proved to be an advantage. The area began rapid growth after the completion of the Ohio, growth continued with added railroad links. Cleveland incorporated as a city in , in , the city, then located only on the eastern banks of the Cuyahoga River, nearly erupted into open warfare with neighboring Ohio City over a bridge connecting the two. Ohio City remained an independent municipality until its annexation by Cleveland in , the citys prime geographic location as a transportation hub on the Great Lakes has played an important role in its development as a commercial center. Cleveland serves as a point for iron ore shipped from Minnesota. In , John D. Rockefeller founded Standard Oil in Cleveland, other manufacturers located in Cleveland produced steam-powered cars, which included White and Gaeth, as well as the electric car company Baker. Because of the significant growth, Cleveland was known as the Sixth City during this period, by , due in large part to the citys economic prosperity, Cleveland became the nations fifth largest city. Johnson among its leaders, many prominent Clevelanders from this era are buried in the historic Lake View Cemetery, including President James A. Garfield, and John D. In commemoration of the centennial of Clevelands incorporation as a city, conceived as a way to energize a city after the Great Depression, it drew four million visitors in its first season, and seven million by the end of its second and final season in September The exposition was housed on grounds that are now used by the Great Lakes Science Center, following World War II, the city experienced a prosperous economy. In sports, the Indians won the World Series, the hockey Barons became

champions of the American Hockey League, as a result, along with track and boxing champions produced, Cleveland was dubbed City of Champions in sports at this time 5. Columbia is one of the fourteen founding members of the Association of American Universities and was the first school in the United States to grant the M. Additionally, Nobel laureates have been affiliated with Columbia as students, researchers, faculty, Columbia is second only to Harvard University in the number of Nobel Prize-winning affiliates, with over recipients of the award as of In an act was passed by the assembly of New York to raise funds for the foundation of a new college. Classes were initially held in July and were presided over by the colleges first president, Dr. Johnson was the only instructor of the colleges first class, which consisted of a mere eight students. Instruction was held in a new schoolhouse adjoining Trinity Church, located on what is now lower Broadway in Manhattan, in , Dr. In the charged political climate of the American Revolution, his opponent in discussions at the college was an undergraduate of the class of The suspension continued through the occupation of New York City by British troops until their departure in The colleges library was looted and its sole building requisitioned for use as a hospital first by American. After the Revolution, the college turned to the State of New York in order to restore its vitality, the Legislature agreed to assist the college, and on May 1,, it passed an Act for granting certain privileges to the College heretofore called Kings College. The Regents finally became aware of the colleges defective constitution in February and appointed a revision committee, in April of that same year, a new charter was adopted for the college, still in use today, granting power to a private board of 24 Trustees. Samuel Johnson, was unanimously elected President of Columbia College, prior to serving at the university, Johnson had participated in the First Continental Congress and been chosen as a delegate to the Constitutional Convention. The colleges enrollment, structure, and academics stagnated for the majority of the 19th century, with many of the college presidents doing little to change the way that the college functioned. In , the college moved from the Kings College campus at Park Place to a primarily Gothic Revival campus on 49th Street and Madison Avenue, during the last half of the 19th century, under the leadership of President F. Barnard, the institution assumed the shape of a modern university 6. It is New Mexicos flagship research institution, the largest post-secondary institution in the state in total enrollment across all campuses as of , founded in , UNM offers bachelors, masters, doctoral, and professional degree programs in a wide variety of fields. Two years later, Elias S. Tight, who served from 1909, introduced many programs for students and faculty, including the first fraternity and sorority. Tight introduced the Pueblo Revival architecture for which the campus has become known, under David Ross Boyd, the universitys fifth president, the campus was enlarged from 20 to acres and a , acre federal land grant was made to the university. In , the university was accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges, under Zimmerman, many new buildings were constructed, student enrollment increased, new departments were added, and greater support was generated for scientific research. Among the new buildings constructed were Zimmerman Library, Scholes Hall, the first student union building and this period also saw the foundation of UNMs branch facilities in Los Alamos and Gallup and the acquisition of the D. Lawrence Ranch north of Taos. During the early s, a series of protests were held at the university, on May 5,, a protest over the Vietnam War and the Kent State massacre occupied the Student Union Building. The National Guard was ordered to sweep the building and arrest those inside, on May 10,, a peaceful sit-in protest near Kirtland Air Force Base led to the arrest of thirty-five people and was pushed back to UNM, leading to eight more arrests. The following day, tear gas was used against hundreds of demonstrators on campus, New programs and schools were created in the s and the university gained control over the hospital on North Campus. At the end of the decade, the university was implicated in a recruiting scandal dubbed Lobogate by the press, subsequent investigation turned up a manufactured college seal from Mercer County Community College in New Jersey, along with blank transcripts and records of previous forgery. Further investigation uncovered alleged incentives like cars and apartments doled out to prime players, the scandal forced Ellenberger to resign and defined the term of William E. Davis, UNMs eleventh president. The university has continued to grow, with expanding enrollment and new facilities, in the s, dramatic expansion occurred at the medical center, business school, and engineering school. The Centennial Library was also constructed, during the s, an Honors College was founded, and the university completed construction of a new bookstore and Dane Smith Hall. The Research

Park at South Campus was also expanded, by this point, the university had one of the largest student and faculty populations of Hispanics and Native Americans in the country. A study released in showed that the number of full-time Hispanic faculty at UNM was four times greater than the national average, the schools of law and business had some of the largest Hispanic student populations of any university in the country. In the first decade of the s, major expansion began on medical facilities on North Campus, the current visitor center, a new engineering center, and George Pearl Hall were constructed 7. As of June , the Schools mission is to train and educate its students either in the study of religion. It also caters to students from other Harvard schools that are interested in the former field, Harvard Divinity School is among a small group of university-based, non-denominational divinity schools in the United States.

3: Barbara Corrado Pope - WikiVisually

As I perused the detailed schedule, I recognized the name Barbara Corrado Pope. Hers was not a name I knew from the world of fiction but rather academia: Pope taught women's history courses at the University of New Mexico when I was an undergraduate in the early s, and her classes had a profound impact on my life.

In , Boucherconâ€™a conference for crime writers and their fansâ€™was held in San Francisco, just across the Bay from where I live. Big names like Lee Child and Roger Crais filled auditoriums. And there were really interesting panel discussions featuring writers less well known to me. Hers was not a name I knew from the world of fiction but rather academia: With a PhD from Columbia University in the Social and Intellectual History of Europe, Pope has taught in many placesâ€™from Aix-en-Provence to the Harvard Divinity Schoolâ€™but spent most of her academic career at the University of Oregon, where she was the founding director of Women Studies and also led the movement to include courses on race and gender in the curriculum. Upper-Class French Women after Pope ultimately wrote the novel alone, and she felt somewhat insecure as she began. So I did it. As they walk together, Franc finds a scrap of canvas. Here it was not nature that showed the destructiveness of her force, but man. The colors, too, were outlandish. The stones glowed orange and red and purple in the setting sun. Everywhere, branches strained and twisted to release themselves from the lifeless stone, reaching for the light in an array of black and yellow-greens. When we meet them again in *The Blood of Lorraine* , 10 years have passed, and the couple is married and living in Nancy, the capital of Lorraine. Clarie, pregnant with their first child, has taken a leave of absence from teaching. The Dreyfus Affair provides familiar context as Pope introduces historical anti-Semitic figures and texts: As the novel opens, Martin is called upon by his colleague David Singer to take the case of an eviscerated baby off his hands. At the same time, he envies the deep community ties Singer has as he learns more about both Jewish culture and faith via the investigation. When the details of the crime lead Martin to suspect a Jew, Singer accuses Martin of being anti-Semitic. As the two collaborate on solving the case, they wrestle with the conflict that threatens their friendship. In her third novel, *The Missing Italian Girl* , Pope takes us to Paris and explores gender roles in a way that contemporary readers will recognize. Clarie and Bernard are parents of a healthy toddler, Jean-Luc, and Clarie worries about the balance between career and family life. For most of the novel Bernard is busy learning the routines of his new job, while Clarie wraps up the school term and looks forward to a summer that will allow her more time with Jean-Luc. At first Clarie agrees to abandon her involvement with Maura, but after trying to find help for the Laurenzanos, she realizes that no one is concerned about their plight. How we should seek it. How we should understand what it means to be poor [. Fresh flowers sprung from vases on the coffee table and desk. Whether or not two women would have been able to have this kind of impact on a crime investigation at that time, Pope makes an argument here for their efficacy in both creating that opportunity and uncovering the truth. Her concern is one she can put to rest. Her writing has appeared in a variety of magazines and journals:

4: Barbara Corrado Pope | Revolv

Cezanne's Quarry is a kind of page-turner, historical study, art lesson, and travel adventure, all rolled into one polished piece of fiction. In addition, the book is a crash course in French law and customs, with side dishes of biology and regional history.

She is producing historical crime novels set in late 19th-century France, the culture to which she has devoted her life. She has added to our store of enjoyable works that teach about life in that culture. With *The Missing Italian Girl*, just published, she has reached her third novel and has set the stage for more. Bernard is an endearingly anguished soul, assuming with difficulty his elevated status. Clarie is a striking creation, introduced in the first novel as a cheeky, independent, determined and self-aware young woman. What binds them is perhaps less the presence of Bernard, who is not even the protagonist of the third novel, than the largely successful attempt to present the big issues of the day. James only began writing a book when she could envisage a striking scene which would provide a rich context. Pope starts each book with an historical moment which offers a context for exploring issues of class, gender and social justice. That allows Pope to introduce Zola at the height of his fame in a cameo role. Bernard is acutely sensitive to such issues, a sensitivity intensified by a childhood friendship with the working-class boy Merckx, whose reappearance in the novel offers a chance to flesh out this back story and to intensify the pressures on Bernard. Clarie plays a key role in helping him overcome his self doubt. Once she has helped him to act on his instincts, he discovers the truth. The plot is occasionally slowed by the kind of didacticism that would tempt many of us historians: And toward the end of the novel the pace picks up. They have shifted to Nancy, because, it is hinted, Bernard had offended the establishment in Aix with his handling of the case there. Bernard confronts an accusation of Jewish ritual child murder. Again, Bernard persists, rejecting the facile anti-Semitic assumptions of his colleagues. In *The Missing Italian Girl*, the historical moment is the fear of anarchists following the Hotel Terminus bombing of , compounded by the hysteria unleashed by the Paris Charity Bazaar Fire of , the year in which the novel is set. The death of their son has led Bernard and Clarie to leave Nancy and move to Paris. While this is a plausible stance for a woman at the time, it is at odds with the Clarie we know from the first novel. Indeed, would he have married Clarie, a woman earning her own salary, if he so uncritically accepted the normative gender order of the day? The key scene goes as follows: Left her children with one of them. Then, she was caught with her loverâ€”or so they sayâ€”in a public restroom. Bernard takes a position as a lawyer for the Bourse du Travail, but rather than bring him into the action, this seems to keep him farther away. Clarie does become an effective decoy, but only unwittingly. For a lover of detective novels, it is disappointing not to have a central figureâ€”or couple, as one hopes at the start of this novelâ€”thinking and acting their way through the mystery. Perhaps it is not fair to judge these novels as mysteries. This is certainly a highly enjoyable way for those interested in France and its social history to get insights. But again the tendency to earnest didacticism sometimes affects the dialogue, particularly amongst the workers. The dialogue between Bernard and Clarie sits more comfortably on the ear, perhaps because they are such earnest bourgeois. Pope has created a remarkable fictional world through which the reader gets real insight into everyday society and major social issues in an enjoyable framework of generally satisfying murder mysteries. There is some tension between these two aspects of the works. This reader fell into both camps. I enjoyed them while wishing for more on both fronts. A great deal happens between the novels and one hopes that Pope might write new volumes to fill in the gaps. At the beginning of *The Blood of Lorraine*, Clarie is now a teacher, they are married, and both have obtained positions in Nancy. How does he come to renounce his chosen career? One would like to know more about this momentous decision, how the couple made it and implemented it. Whether or not she pursues these suggestions from one interested, indeed intrigued reader, Pope has laid the foundations for another novel. His friendship with a Jewish colleague continues after the move to Paris as they both confront the opening salvos of the Dreyfus Affair. So we can hope soon to read a fourth novel set at that greatest of historical moments, the Dreyfus Affair. Allen Lane, ; US title:

5: Barbara Corrado Pope (author) on AuthorsDen

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In lieu of an abstract, here is a brief excerpt of the content: University of Chicago Press, , pp. University of California Press, pp. Are the women of any particular nation--or, better, the history, politics, and social consciousness of women of any one nation--truly exceptional or singular? Mona Ozouf is a noted historian of the French Revolution, a director at the prestigious Centre National de Recherche Scientifique, and a literary critic. The book has two aims. The first is to write biographical sketches of important French women in a new way. Stylistically the book is also divided into two parts. The first and last chapter are polemical and supported by the scholarly hardware of footnotes; the ten intervening biographical essays are very personal interpretations. This learned, elegantly written book has many merits, but in the end does not succeed in fulfilling either of its two stated goals. Ozouf sets out to emancipate the female portrait from nineteenth-century male essayists like Sainte-Beuve, Michelet, and the Goncourt brothers, who either fit women into, or judged them against, normative models of "woman. As her chapter titles suggest "Manon, or Valor"; "Aurore, or Generosity"; "Hubertine, or Stubbornness"; "Simone [de Beauvoir], or Greed" her characterizations put readers in the very same position that, say, a Sainte-Beuve put them in. And as these examples further suggest, she has less sympathy with the women who are most explicitly political. Nevertheless, the essays are a "good read," brilliantly written, and beautifully translated. Or is it against Anglo-Saxon feminism? The two are conflated in an analysis that makes a caricature of what she labels neo- or extreme i. Her case is not helped by her own sloppiness; American women did not get the vote in xii. Nor is the British political theorist Carole Pateman, one of the few scholars she cites, either American or an historian Her case for what she is for is somewhat better, although there is a disconnection between the essays and her thesis of French singularity. Because the essays succeed so well in demonstrating the individuality of her ten women, they, almost as consequence, do You are not currently authenticated. View freely available titles:

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Additional Information In lieu of an abstract, here is a brief excerpt of the content: Land of Healing and Rupture Barbara Corrado Pope Until recent centuries in Europe, no hard and fast distinction separated medicine and magic or science and religion. Healers came in many forms: Among these lay healers, the lines between magic and science were particularly blurred. Belief in miracles went back to Christ himself, who through "laying on of hands" had vanquished illnesses and even raised a man from the dead. During the middle ages and early modern times, Europeans knew that a miraculous cure could happen at any time, if divinity so willed it. But they also recognized that their pleas would become even more efficacious if they were delivered at certain times or places or in the presence of objects connected to blessed beings. Thus at appointed seasons, pilgrims traveled to faraway shrines that held relics of Jesus and his saints or went to nearby divinely blessed springs and rocks many of which had previously served pagan supplicants. Beginning with the scientific revolution of the seventeenth century, the "art of healing" was increasingly transformed into the "science of prevention and cure. After Isaac Newton demonstrated that the universe operates according to natural laws, eighteenth-century intellectuals demanded a clearer distinction between reason and science on the one hand, and religion and superstition on the other. They held that both cause and cure of human illness are to be found in the physical environment or in the body itself, not in supernatural interventions. The profession had become a male bastion, which prided itself on its rational and scientific approach to human misery. Riding on the high tide of increasing secularism and glorification of science, the medical men gained unprecedented influence. In the cities and towns of Europe, they monopolized health services. They formulated social policies for their governments and gave moral advice to middle-class families. Doctors also, through the vast literature they produced, developed a gender ideology that thoroughly suited their own interests and the prejudices of the day: They demonstrated that men were the strong and rational sex, capable of understanding and practicing science, and that women were weak, emotional, and naturally susceptible to religious belief. Yet despite the enormous prestige of the medical profession, the late nineteenth century also witnessed a revival of what secular intellectual males could only think of as superstitious religious beliefs. One aspect of this resurgence was belief in divine intervention and miraculous cures. The most remarkable manifestation of this revival occurred in Lourdes, France, at the very center of the debate between the secular and religious world view. The events at Lourdes still reverberate today, for this shrine in the French Pyrenees remains the greatest faith-healing center in the world. It attracts more than five million pilgrims each year and has come to be known as the place of last resort for the most hopeless medical cases. For the Catholic Church, which interprets and controls the activities at the shrine, and for the pilgrims themselves, the most profound promise of Lourdes has always been that it would heal all wounds that assail the human spirit and the human community, that it would offer spiritual

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