

1. Record Nr.	UNISA996390675403316
Autore	Harington John, Sir, <1560-1612.>
Titolo	A nevv discourse of a stale subiect, called the metamorphosis of Ajax. Written by Misacmos, to his friend and cosin Philostilpnos [[electronic resource]]
Pubbl/distr/stampa	[London], : Printed [by John Windet], 1596
Descrizione fisica	[132] p. : ill
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Misacmos = John Harington. Printer's name from STC. Signatures: A-H IÂ² . Running title reads: The metamorphosis of Ajax. In this edition, A2r last line ends "dyd"; I1r has catchword "from". I2v is in two settings: last line ends (1) "priuy faults" or (2) "priuie faults". Reproduction of the original in the Henry E. Huntington Library and Art Gallery.
Sommario/riassunto	eebo-0113

2. Record Nr.	UNINA9910164099303321
Autore	Muir John
Titolo	Travels in Alaska : "In every walk with Nature one receives far more than he seeks."
Pubbl/distr/stampa	London : , : Copyright Group, , 2015 ©2015
ISBN	1-78543-061-0
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (122 pages)
Disciplina	917.98042999999996
Soggetti	Landscapes Conservationists Natural history
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Sommario/riassunto	<p>John Muir was born in Scotland on April 21st, 1838. His Father wanted his children to have a stricter Religious upbringing and therefore moved the family to the United States. John Muir is perhaps known today as the most pre-eminent naturalist and advocate for the preservation of much of the western United States. Today being an environmentalist is laudable but in Muir's days the country was there to be exploited but by hard work and lobbying Muir did much to turn such beautiful areas as Yosemite into protected National Parks. His writing is not only an invaluable guidebook to these unspoilt places but also a hymn to their spirituality. As a keen scientific mind he helped to push the understanding of nature forward by observing and writing upon the glaciers and their actions in eroding and shaping much of the land. Muir helped to also create The Sierra Club, which he led for many years, on projects to preserve these and other areas of outstanding natural beauty. He was equally adept at persuading politicians, from Presidents to local State officials, and the common man to come together in the defence of Nature.</p>