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Titolo	A covenant for religion King & countrey made by the lords, knights, gentlemen, burgesses, ministers and commons of the kingdome of Scotland [[electronic resource]] : wherein they declare how they are bound in conscience to defend the true Protestant religion and the kings person with the laws of the kingdome : wherunto is annexed His Maties [sic] entertainment at Hereford on Saterday last being the first of October : with a worthy speech spoken to His Majesty by the recorder of Hereford : wherein is manifested to His Majesty the lamentable condition that this kingdome will be in if war should continue : withall declaring the resolution of that city to stand for the King and Parliament
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Sommario/riassunto	This is the first modern edition and first English translation of one of the earliest and most important works in the history of geography, the third-century Geographika of Eratosthenes. In this work, which for the first time described the geography of the entire inhabited world as it was then known, Eratosthenes of Kyrene (ca. 285-205 BC) invented the discipline of geography as we understand it. A polymath who served as librarian at Alexandria and tutor to the future King Ptolemy IV, Eratosthenes created the terminology of geography, probably including the word <i>geographia</i> itself. Building on his previous work, in which he

determined the size and shape of the earth, Eratosthenes in the *Geographika* created a grid of parallels and meridians that linked together every place in the world: for the first time one could figure out the relationship and distance between remote localities, such as northwest Africa and the Caspian Sea. The *Geographika* also identified some four hundred places, more than ever before, from *Thoule* (probably Iceland) to *Taprobane* (Sri Lanka), and from well down the coast of Africa to Central Asia. This is the first collation of the more than 150 fragments of the *Geographika* in more than a century. Each fragment is accompanied by an English translation, a summary, and commentary. Duane W. Roller provides a rich background, including a history of the text and its reception, a biography of Eratosthenes, and a comprehensive account of ancient Greek geographical thought and of Eratosthenes' pioneering contribution to it. This edition also includes maps that show all of the known places named in the *Geographika*, appendixes, a bibliography, and indexes.
