Record Nr. UNINA9910797905103321 Autore Pennell Elizabeth Robins <1855-1936, > Titolo A Canterbury pilgrimage : an Italian pilgrimage / / Elizabeth Robins Pennell & Joseph Pennell; edited and with an introduction by Dave Buchanan Pubbl/distr/stampa Edmonton, Alberta:,: The University of Alberta Press,, 2015 ©2015 **ISBN** 1-77212-094-4 1-77212-092-8 Edizione [First edition.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (201 p.) Collana Wayfarer series Disciplina 914.204/81 Soggetti Travel / Europe / General **England Description and travel** Italy Description and travel England Italy Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Contains reprint of A Canterbury pilgrimage and An Italian pilgrimage. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Front cover: Title page: Copyright page: Dedication: Contents: Acknowledgements: Introduction: A Note on the Text: A Canterbury Pilgrimage; An Italian Pilgrimage; Notes; Works Cited; Bibliography; Selected Early Cycle-Travel Literature to 1900: The Pennell's Cycling Publications; Non-Cycling Books by the Pennells; Index; About the Authors and Editor; Other Titles from The University of Alberta Press Sommario/riassunto The 1880s was an exhilarating time for cycling pioneers like Elizabeth and her husband Joseph Pennell. As boneshakers and high-wheelers evolved into tandem tricycles and the safety bike, cycling grew from child's play and extreme sport into a leisurely and, importantly, literary mode of transportation. The illustrated travel memoirs of "those Pennells" were--and still are--highly entertaining. They helped usher in the new age of leisure touring, while playfully hearkening back to famous literary journeys. In this new edition, Dave Buchanan provides rich cultural contexts surrounding the Pennell's first two adventures.

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