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interviews over many years, as well as detailed coverage of primary documents and secondary literature, she examines