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own methodologies, philology found its authority narrowing in scope
within newly defined boundaries. Providing a fresh perspective on the
evolution of Dutch philology as a discipline in the humanities, this is a
fascinating look at a historically vital field of thought.