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Autore	Abrams Jeanne E. <1951->
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ISBN	0-8147-0773-4 0-8147-0727-0
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (289 p.)
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Soggetti	Jewish women - West (U.S.) - History Jewish women - West (U.S.) - Social conditions Women in Judaism - West (U.S.) Judaism - West (U.S.) Electronic books.
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Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. 235-258) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Introduction : a view from the West -- From the Old Country to the New Land : "going west" -- Building a foundation -- From generation to generation -- Religious lives of Jewish women in the West -- From "women's work" to working women -- Scaling the ivy walls and into the professions -- Entering the political world -- Conclusion : opening new doors.
Sommario/riassunto	The image of the West looms large in the American imagination. Yet the history of American Jewry and particularly of American Jewish women—has been heavily weighted toward the East. Jewish Women Pioneering the Frontier Trail rectifies this omission as the first full book to trace the history and contributions of Jewish women in the American West. In many ways, the Jewish experience in the West was distinct. Given the still-forming social landscape, beginning with the 1848 Gold Rush, Jews were able to integrate more fully into local communities than they had in the East. Jewish women in the West took advantage of the unsettled nature of the region to “open new doors” for themselves in the public sphere in ways often not yet possible elsewhere in the country. Women were crucial to the survival of early communities, and

made distinct contributions not only in shaping Jewish communal life but outside the Jewish community as well. Western Jewish women's level of involvement at the vanguard of social welfare and progressive reform, commerce, politics, and higher education and the professions is striking given their relatively small numbers. This engaging work—full of stories from the memoirs and records of Jewish pioneer women—illuminates the pivotal role these women played in settling America's Western frontier.

2. Record Nr.	UNISA996390564003316
Autore	Bayly William <d. 1675.>
Titolo	Iacob is become a flame and the house of Esav stubble, or, The battail betwixt Michael and the dragon [[electronic resource]] : in which the seed of the woman is bruising the serpents head, and Cain the first birth ... is found the vagabond, and Abel and Abraham ... the friends of God : being a true discovery of the two seeds or births between which the enmity is put, the time and day being come in which the elder must serve the younger : with a few words to the priests, Bishops, Episcopalmen, and professors of this last age, and a short warning to the rulars and inhabitants of the earth
Pubbl/distr/stampa	[London, : s.n., 1662?]
Descrizione fisica	20 p
Soggetti	God - Wrath Judgment of God Society of Friends
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