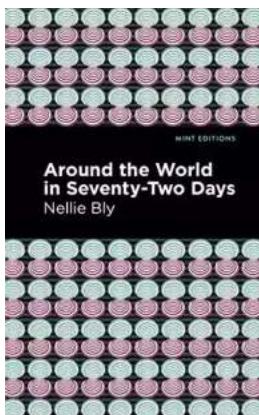


Around The World In Seventy Two Days: A Mint Editions Travel Narrative

Traveling is often seen as a way to escape our daily routines, explore new cultures, and learn about the world we live in. It is an opportunity to let go of our worries and immerse ourselves in the beauty and diversity that our planet has to offer. Mint Editions, the renowned publisher of classic travel narratives, brings us the captivating tale of "Around The World In Seventy Two Days" - a journey that will ignite your wanderlust and broaden your horizons.

The Intriguing Storyline

Around The World In Seventy Two Days, a masterpiece by Nellie Bly, the renowned American journalist, takes us on an extraordinary adventure. In 1889, Bly embarked on a daring mission to circumnavigate the globe, inspired by Jules Verne's famous novel, "Around The World In Eighty Days." However, Bly aimed to beat Phileas Fogg's fictional record by challenging the norms and proving that women too could conquer the world's obstacles.



Around the World in Seventy-Two Days (Mint Editions – Travel Narratives) by Nellie Bly (Kindle Edition)

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In this gripping travel narrative, Bly captures the reader's attention from the outset with her lively personality and determined spirit. As she embarks on her journey, you will be transported to a time when trains, steamships, and carriages were the main modes of transportation, and technology had yet to shape the world as we know it today.

Exploring The World In Vivid Detail

Bly's vivid descriptions of the sights, sounds, and smells she encounters will transport you to the exotic destinations she visits. From the bustling streets of New York City to the enchanting landscapes of Europe and Asia, you will experience the diverse cultures and breathtaking scenery of the late 19th century.

This Mint Editions travel narrative captures the essence of a bygone era, providing a unique glimpse into the past. Bly's encounters with influential figures such as Jules Verne and Queen Victoria add an extraordinary touch to her captivating journey. Her observations of social, political, and gender-related issues woven into the fabric of her narrative make this travelogue more than just a compelling tale.

A Journey of Determination and Inspiration

Throughout her expedition, Bly faced numerous challenges, including delays, language barriers, and political unrest. However, her tenacity and spirit shine through, inspiring readers to never give up on their dreams. The courage and

resilience displayed by Bly during her trip served as a powerful statement in a time when women were not always granted the freedom they deserved.

Her encounters with people from different walks of life, including fellow travelers and locals, highlight the importance of embracing diversity and celebrating our shared humanity. This extraordinary journey not only encourages readers to explore the world but also fosters a deeper understanding and appreciation for the richness of our global community.

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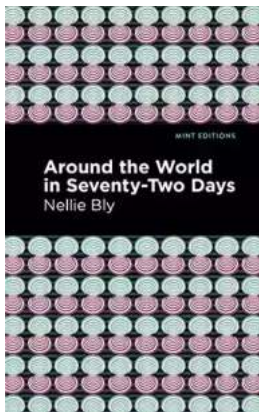
Mint Editions is dedicated to preserving classic travel narratives that have stood the test of time. Their meticulous efforts in reviving these remarkable stories ensure that the spirit of adventure and exploration endures for generations to come. "Around The World In Seventy Two Days" is just one of their many gems that transport readers to different corners of the world, across time and space.

Whether you are a seasoned traveler or an armchair explorer, Mint Editions' travel narratives offer a window into fascinating cultures, landscapes, and historical events. Immerse yourself in the captivating journey of "Around The World In Seventy Two Days" and let the magic of travel unfold in the comfort of your own imagination.

Around The World In Seventy Two Days, a captivating travel narrative by Nellie Bly, takes readers on a remarkable journey. From the lively streets of New York City to the exotic destinations of Europe and Asia, Bly's vivid descriptions and determined spirit bring a bygone era to life. Mint Editions' publication of this

timeless classic ensures that the magic of travel and exploration continues to inspire us all.

So, embark on this extraordinary adventure today and let your wanderlust soar with "Around The World In Seventy Two Days" - a Mint Editions travel narrative that will transport you to captivating destinations and ignite your passion for exploration.



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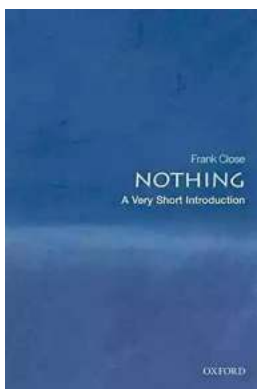
“She was part of the ‘stunt girl’ movement that was very important in the 1880s and 1890s as these big, mass-circulation yellow journalism papers came into the fore.” –Brooke Kroeger

Around the World in Seventy-Two Days (1890) is a travel narrative by American investigative journalist Nellie Bly. Proposed as a recreation of the journey undertaken by Phileas Fogg in Jules Verne’s Around the World in Eighty Days (1873), Bly’s journey was covered in Joseph Pulitzer’s popular newspaper the New York World, inspiring countless others to attempt to surpass her record. At the time, readers at home were encouraged to estimate the hour and day of Bly’s

arrival, and a popular board game was released in commemoration of her undertaking.

Embarking from Hoboken, noted investigative journalist Nellie Bly began a voyage that would take her around the globe. Bringing only a change of clothes, money, and a small travel bag, Bly travelled by steamship and train through England, France—where she met Jules Verne—Italy, the Suez Canal, Ceylon, Singapore, Hong Kong, and Japan. Sending progress reports via telegraph, she made small reports back home while recording her experiences for publication upon her return. Despite several setbacks due to travel delays in Asia, Bly managed to beat her estimated arrival time by several days despite making unplanned detours, such as visiting a Chinese leper colony, along the way. Unbeknownst to Bly, her trip had inspired *Cosmopolitan's* Elizabeth Briland to make a similar circumnavigation beginning on the exact day, launching a series of copycat adventures by ambitious voyagers over the next few decades. Despite being surrounded by this air of popularity and competition, however, Bly took care to make her journey worthwhile, showcasing her skill as a reporter and true pioneer of investigative journalism.

With a beautifully designed cover and professionally typeset manuscript, this edition of Nellie Bly's *Around the World in Seventy-Two Days* is a classic work of American travel literature reimagined for modern readers.



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