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the civil war south did produce a sense of cultural and national identity this book adds to this counter current through an examination of the civil war experiences and writings of the antebellum south s leading literary figure surprisingly given william gilmore simms well known status prior to the war his life and work during the course of the war itself has been understudied this examination reveals the depth and extent to which simms not only supported the confederate war effort but how simms conceptualized and articulated a vision of confederate nationalism covering a range of topics settings and styles the book offers the first comprehensive study of short fiction from the first world war publisher description

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