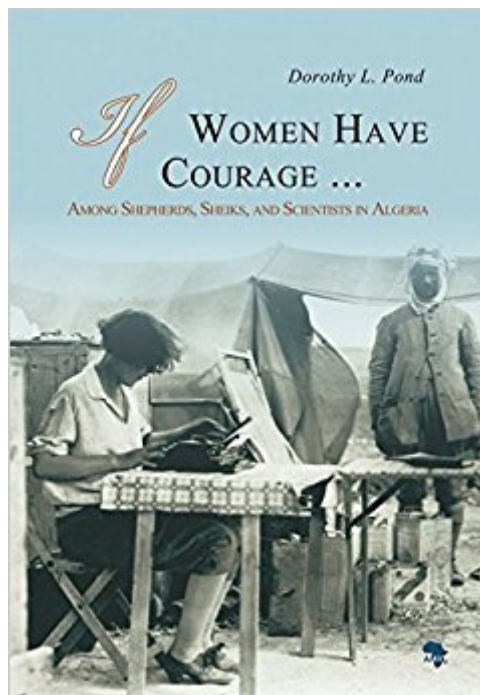




Ebook Directory
the best source of ebook

The book was found

If Women Have Courage...: Among Shepherds, Sheiks, And Scientists In Algeria



Synopsis

The author was a small-town girl a year out of the University of Wisconsin with a Bachelor's degree in economics when she married Alonzo W. Pond, a young archaeologist just back from a year in the Sahara. It was the 1920s. American women had won the right to vote and were launching out on non-traditional ventures. Museums were sponsoring expeditions in search of clues to humanity's distant past. This is Dorothy L. Pond's account of her experiences in Algeria between 1926 and 1930 as part of Logan Museum's (Beloit College) expeditions to excavate Stone Age habitation sites. By 1928 the Ponds had an 18-month-old daughter; in 1930 the staff had grown to 16, including 12 college boys. Dorothy describes both the mundane and the exotic from a woman's point of view, from the daily work of archaeology and shopping trips to the local markets to moonlight strolls through Roman ruins. The book will be of particular interest to those interested in the behind-the-scenes workings of early scientific expeditions as well as social history, anthropology, feminism in the 1920s, or simply a Midwestern American woman's perspective on living and working in North Africa between the World Wars. Dorothy's account is supplemented by an Afterword by archaeologists Mary Jackes and David Lubell, who worked in the same area decades later and have been analyzing material from the Pond expeditions.

Book Information

Paperback: 205 pages

Publisher: Africa Magna Verlag; 1 edition (July 31, 2014)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 3937248412

ISBN-13: 978-3937248417

Product Dimensions: 5.8 x 0.5 x 8.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 8.5 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 2 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #2,323,166 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #18 in [Books > Travel > Africa > Algeria](#) #118 in [Books > History > Africa > Algeria](#) #1161 in [Books > Textbooks > Humanities > History > Africa](#)

Customer Reviews

"Dorothy Pond's *If Women Have Courage...* provides a unique perspective on North African archaeology and its social milieu in the interwar period, from one of the few women who participated in field expeditions in that era. Along with its Afterword by Mary Jackes and David Lubell, this book

is highly engaging and informative." -- Dr. William Green, James E. Lockwood Jr. Director, Logan Museum of Anthropology, Beloit College, USA

Dorothy (Long) Pond, a 1925 graduate of the University of Wisconsin (B.A., Economics), and Alonzo Pond, a young archaeologist, fell in love through letters while he was on an expedition in the Sahara. Immediately after their wedding, they left for another Algerian expedition. She became his partner in archaeology, tourism businesses, radio broadcasting, and writing. She edited and typed his manuscripts for publication. She lectured on their travels and on natural history and published childhood memories. When Alonzo's work kept him away for months at a time, she was the sole homemaker for their children, Chomingwen and Arthur.

So glad to see this book has been published! A view of a woman of courage from a time when expectations for women were quite limited.

A solid recollection of the life of an amazing woman.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

If Women Have Courage...: Among Shepherds, Sheiks, and Scientists in Algeria The Algeria Fact and Picture Book: Fun Facts for Kids About Algeria (Turn and Learn) Tourism in Algeria: Algeria touristic information relate to strategic locations, Sites, Scenes, Security status and more The Algeria Fact and Picture Book: Fun Facts for Kids About Algeria ALGERIA Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of Algeria Algeria, Algeria 1:1 000 000: Alger, Oran, city map 1:12 500, Constantine city map 1:10 000, vicinity of Alger 1:300 000, administrative map 1:6 000 ... Karte der Verwaltungseinteilung 1:6 000 000 Among the Berbers of Algeria AMONG THE HILL FOLK OF ALGERIA Physics for Scientists and Engineers: Vol. 2: Electricity and Magnetism, Light (Physics, for Scientists & Engineers, Chapters 22-35) Could Have, Would Have, Should Have: Inside the World of the Art Collector Park Scientists: Gila Monsters, Geysers, and Grizzly Bears in America's Own Backyard (Scientists in the Field Series) Advice to Rocket Scientists: A Career Survival Guide for Scientists and Engineers (Library of Flight) Physics for Scientists and Engineers with Modern Physics: Volume II (3rd Edition) (Physics for Scientists & Engineers) Brilliant African-American Scientists: Nine Exceptional Lives (Great Scientists and Famous Inventors) A to Z of Scientists in Space and Astronomy (Notable Scientists) Cork Dork: A Wine-Fueled Adventure Among the Obsessive Sommeliers, Big Bottle Hunters, and Rogue Scientists Who Taught Me to Live for Taste The Bat Scientists (Scientists in the Field Series) The Polar Bear Scientists (Scientists in the Field

Series) The Scientists Behind Space (Sci-Hi: Scientists) The Scientists Behind Living Things
(Sci-Hi: Scientists)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)