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Abstract: In most of the *Voyages extraordinaires*, political frontiers are hardly an obstacle for explorations that must reveal the world's secrets to the reader. But primitive natural borders, those which protect a place and ideally define the character of a people or the unity of a nation, maintain an essential role in the first part of Verne's work. They erase the arbitrary and reconnect in an ephemeral way with an ancient world whose meaning has perhaps been lost to humanity.

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