

# Chapter 24: The Birth of Modern European Thought

## Section 5: Women and Modern Thought

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# Antifeminism in Late-Century Thought

- Misogynistic View of Women
  - 19<sup>th</sup>-century
  - Fiction & Art



- Ethnological Society
  - Excluded women

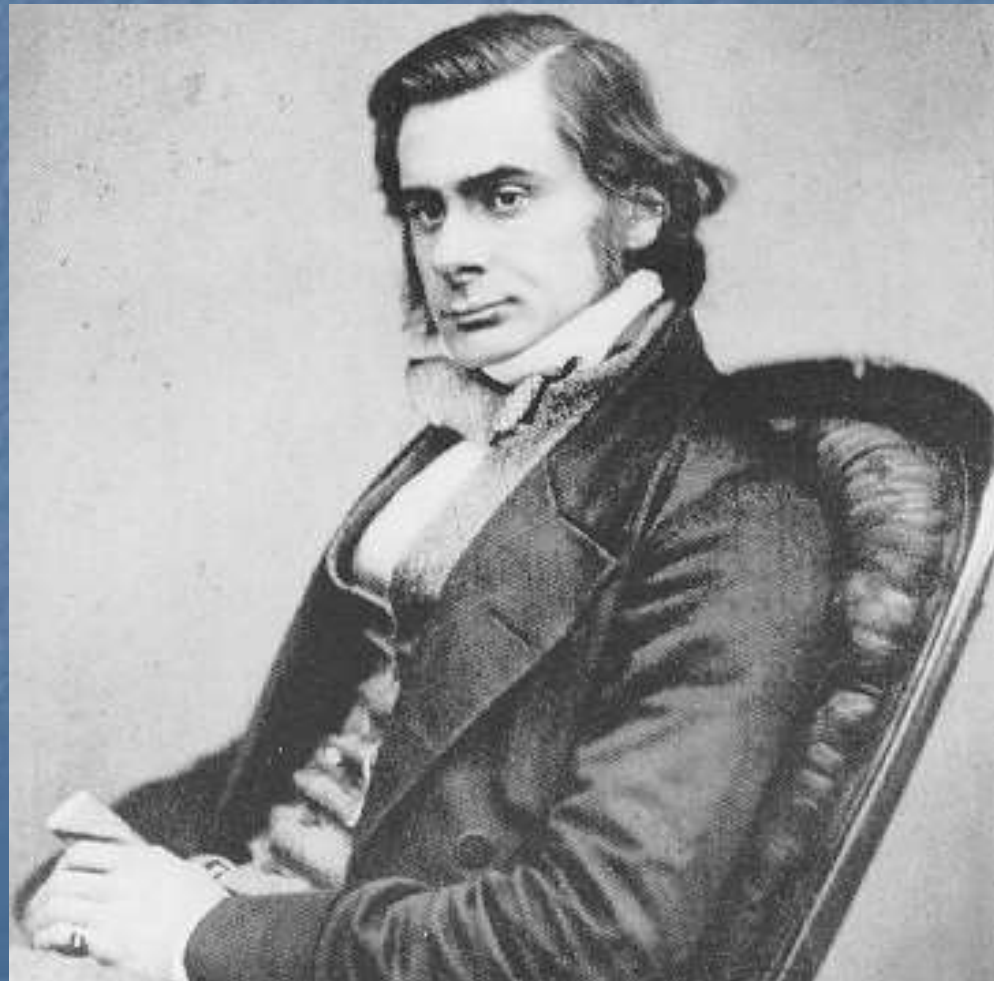


TRANSACTIONS OF THE  
ETHNOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF  
LONDON, VOLUME 6

ETHNOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON



- T.H. Huxley
  - Claimed to scientifically prove
    - Female inferiority



# New Directions in Feminism

- Feminism
  - Associated with
    - Socialism
    - Political radicalism



- Virginia Woolf

- *A Room of One's Own*

- Challenges

- Accepted notions of feminist thought

- Explores the nature of

- Female intellectual activity

