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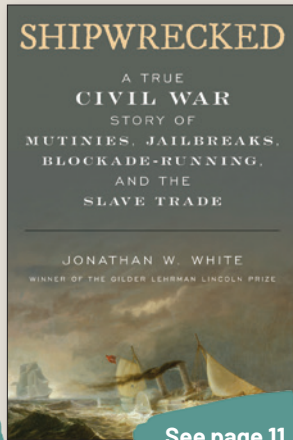
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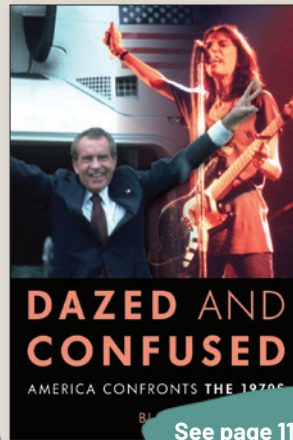
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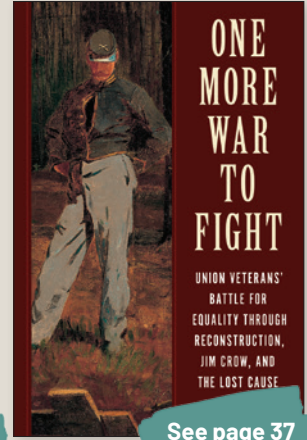
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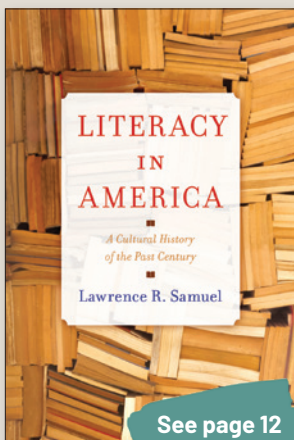
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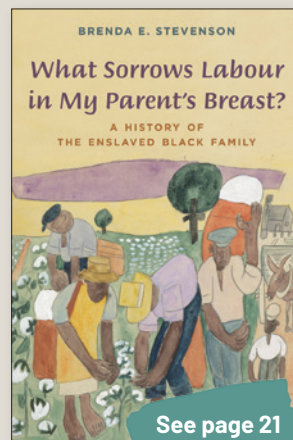
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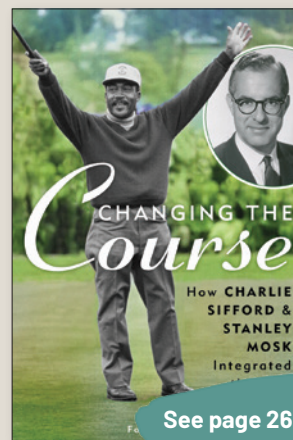
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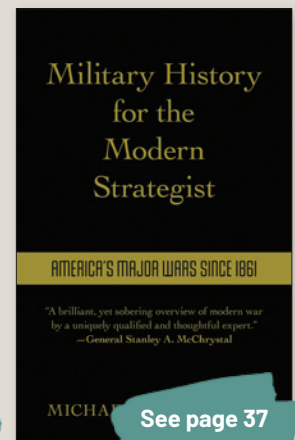
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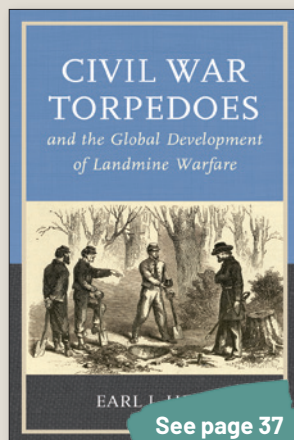
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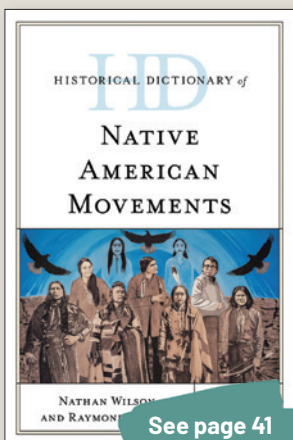
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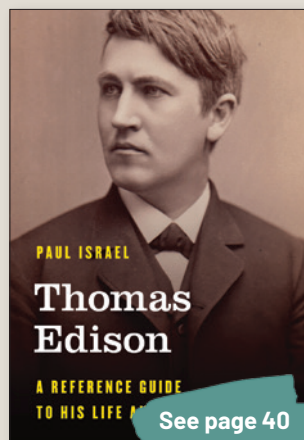
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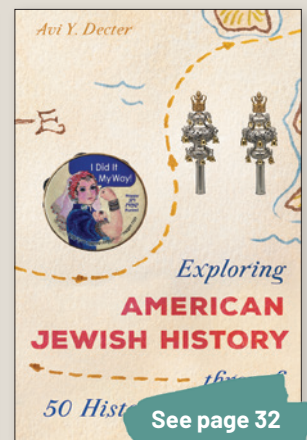
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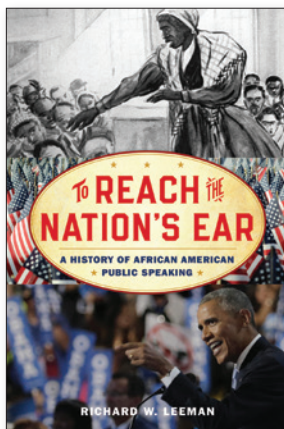
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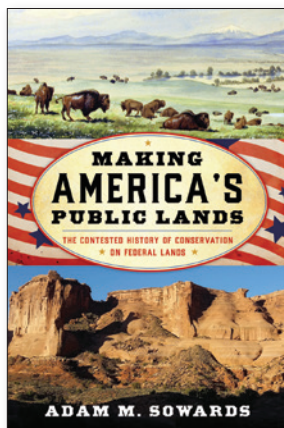
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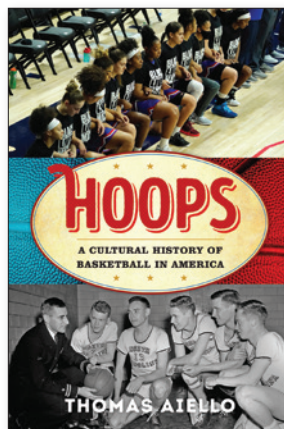
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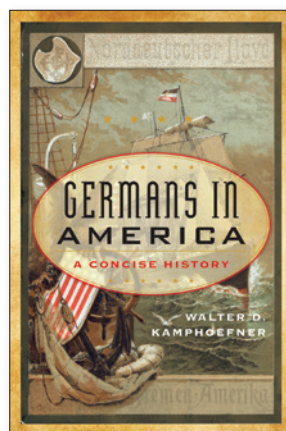
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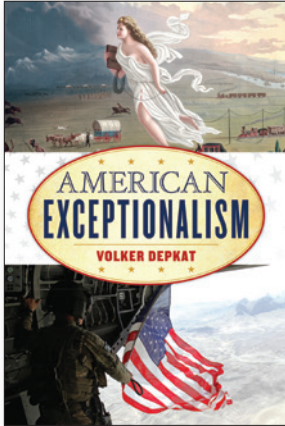
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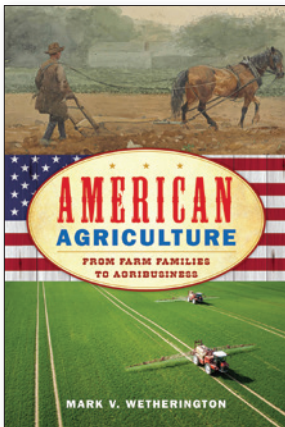
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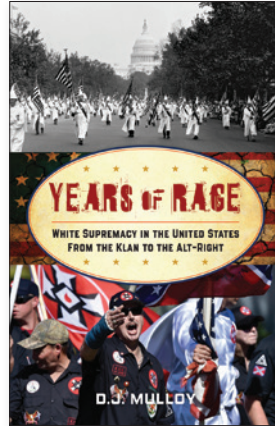
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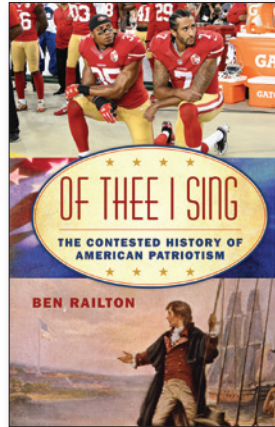
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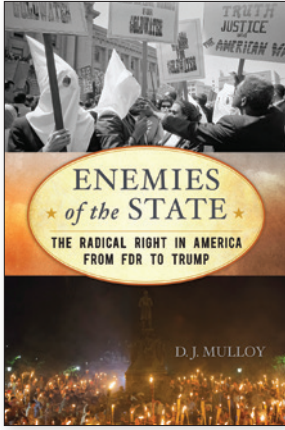
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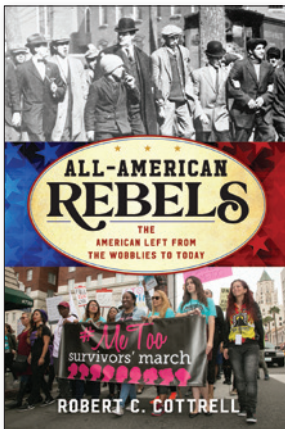
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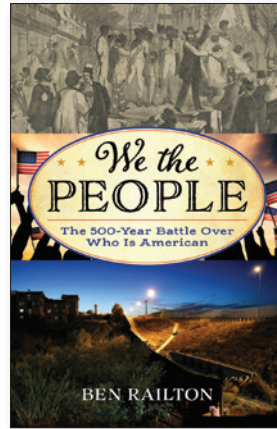


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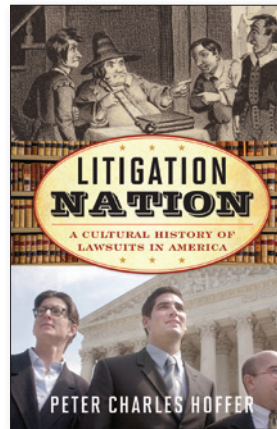
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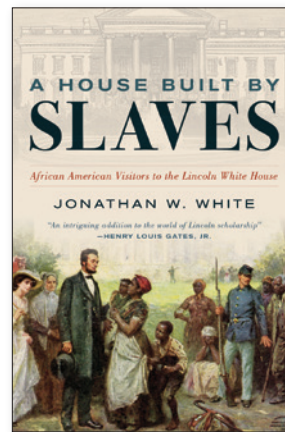
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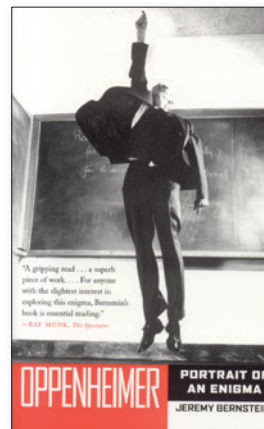
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By Jeremy Bernstein



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Theoretical physicist and a writer on popular science, **Jeremy Bernstein** is a former staff writer for the *New Yorker*, contributor to *The Atlantic Monthly*, *New York Review of Books*, and *Scientific American*, among others, and author of numerous books.

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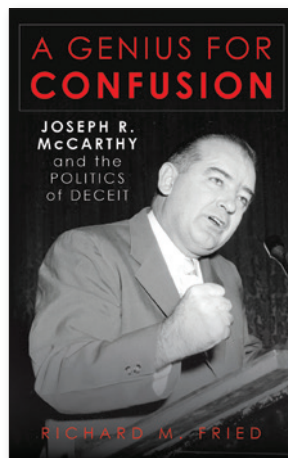
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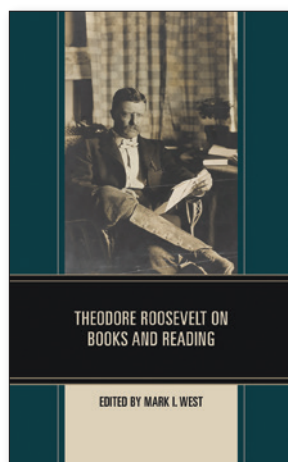
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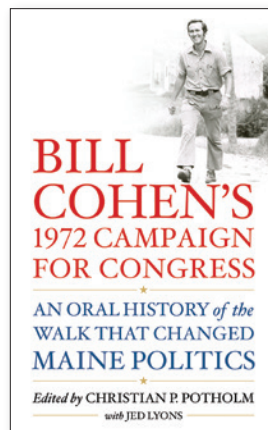
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Christian P. Potholm is professor of political science at Bowdoin College. **Jed Lyons**, CEO and president of Rowman & Littlefield, was one of Bill Cohen’s advance men during the 1972 walk.

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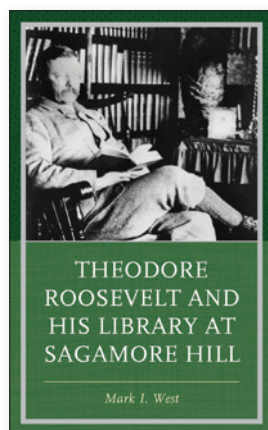
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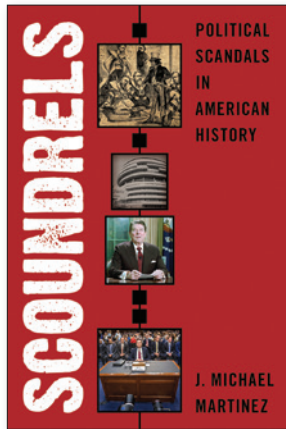
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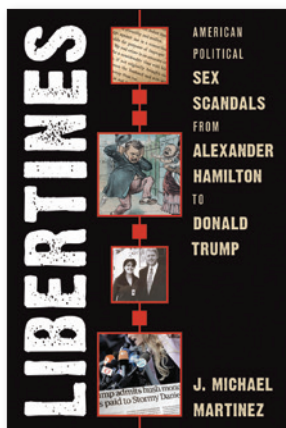
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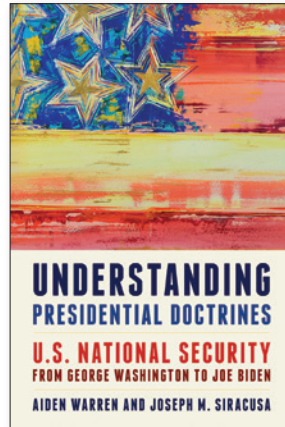
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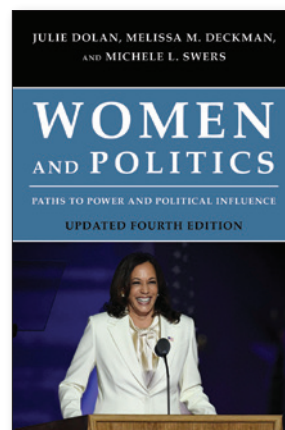
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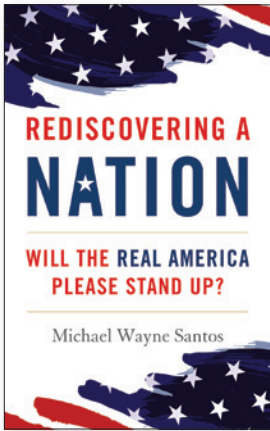
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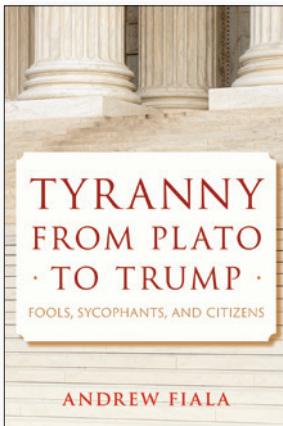
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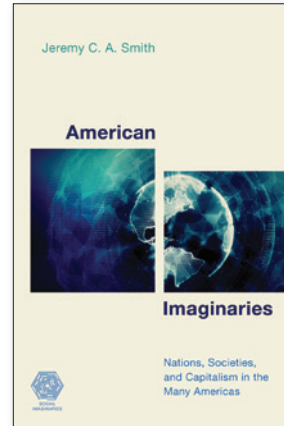
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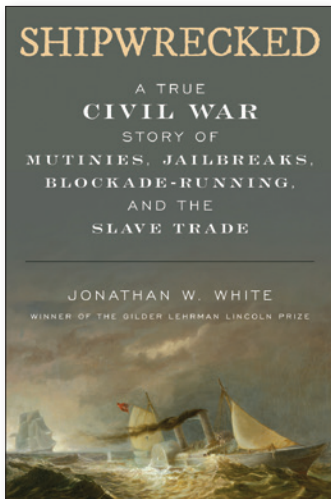
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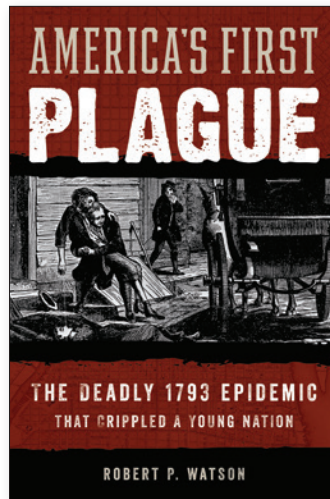
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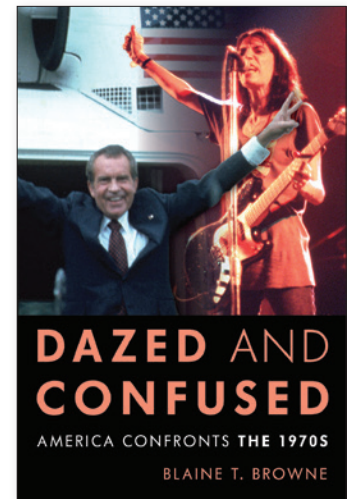
Robert P. Watson is the author of many books on American politics and history including, most recently, *Escape! The Story of the Confederacy's Infamous Libby Prison and the Civil War's Largest Jail Break* (Rowman & Littlefield, 2021).

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Blaine T. Browne is Emeritus Professor at Broward College and presently teaches at Oklahoma City University.

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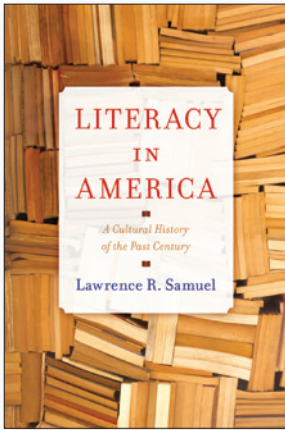
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Lawrence R. Samuel is a Miami-based independent scholar who holds a PhD in American Studies and an MA in English from the University of Minnesota, an MBA in Marketing from the University of Georgia, and was a Smithsonian Institution Fellow.

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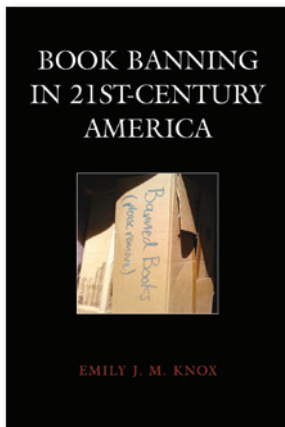
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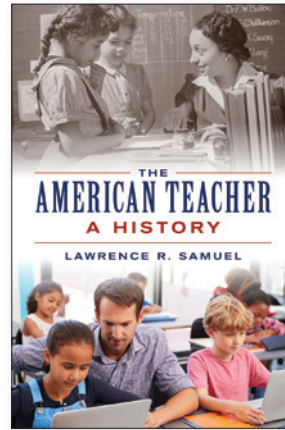
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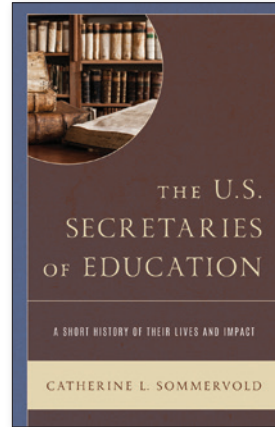
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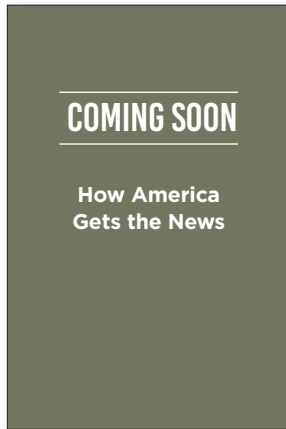
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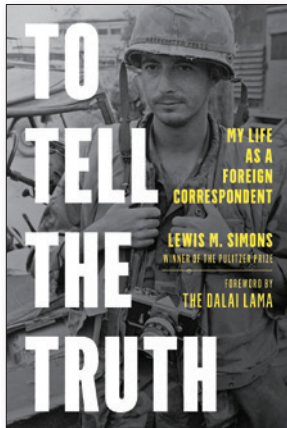
This concise history of American journalism introduces readers to the news media from the first colonial newspapers to today's news conglomerates and the rise of the digital media. Authors Ford Risley and Ashley Walters examine historical trends, discuss significant individuals, and examine noteworthy news organizations.

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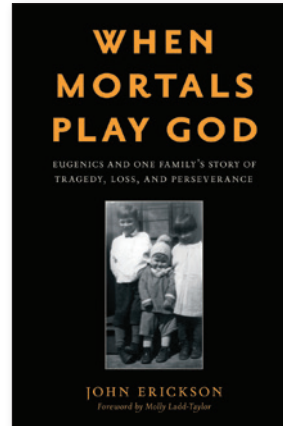
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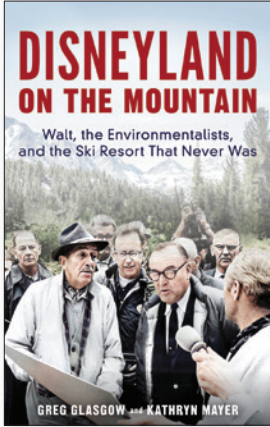
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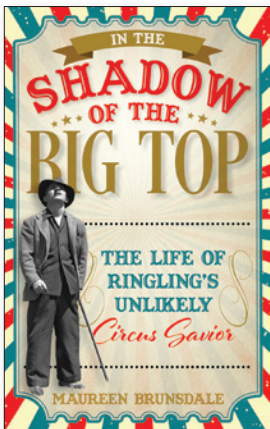
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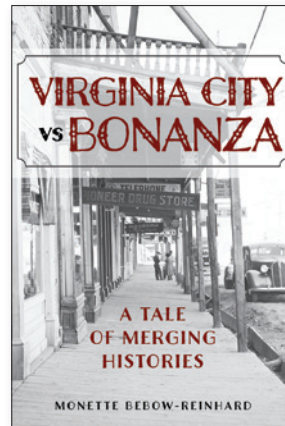
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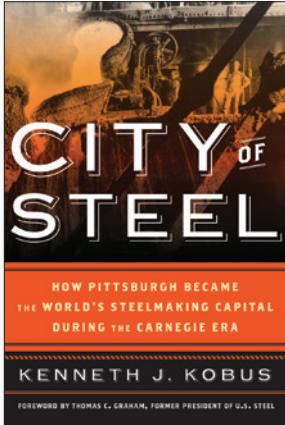
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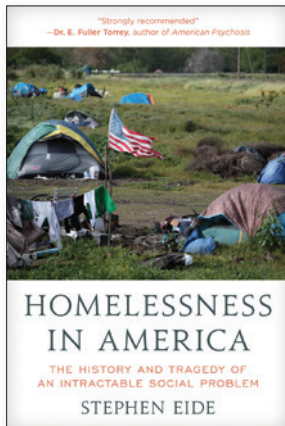
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Stephen Eide is a senior fellow at the Manhattan Institute.

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Ian MacAllen is a writer, designer, and critic. He contributes regularly to the *Chicago Review of Books*.

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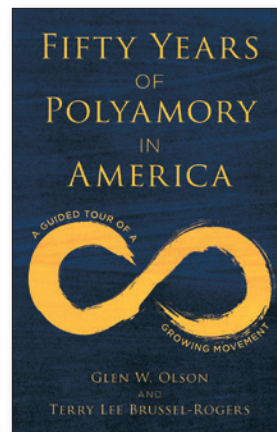
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By Glen W. Olson and Terry Lee Brussel-Rogers



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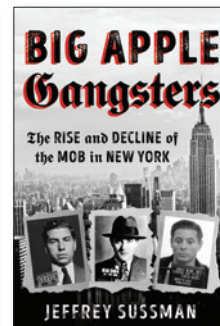
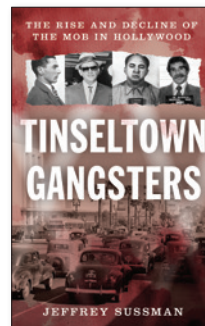
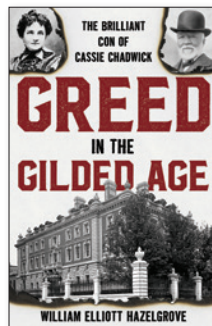
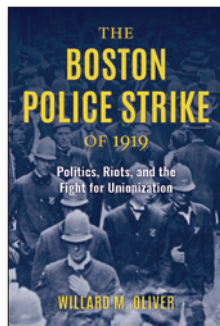
Glen Olson is an author and historian of the polyamory movement and gives presentations on the history of polyamory and open relationships to interested groups. **Terry Lee Brussel-Rogers** is a Certified Clinical Hypnotherapist and Life/Business Coach, director of Success Center Inc. since 1969.

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“Retired FBI agent Nadolski debuts with a fascinating account of how he worked with Tony Romano, a criminal informant, to foil what would have been ‘one of the biggest armed robberies of the twentieth century.’ Nadolski does a fine job dramatizing the high-stakes operation while evoking the camaraderie and humor shared by cops.”

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Greed in the Gilded Age**The Brilliant Con of Cassie Chadwick**

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“Hazelgrove chronicles the life and crimes of Cassie Chadwick, who, during the Gilded Age, scammed bankers out of millions of dollars. . . . Readers curious about the Gilded Age or who enjoy stories of con artists will appreciate Hazelgrove’s lively tale of a most ambitious grifter.”

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NEW

Tinseltown Gangsters**The Rise and Decline of the Mob in Hollywood**

By Jeffrey Sussman

Like sharks to blood in the water, the mob arrived in Hollywood greedy and ready to tear away huge chunks of cash. Opportunistic mobsters saw labor unions as the means for muscling into the movie industry and extorting millions of dollars from studio bosses.

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Big Apple Gangsters**The Rise and Decline of the Mob in New York**

By Jeffrey Sussman

“This incisive survey of New York City gangsters from Sussman first focuses on Arnold Rothstein, the father of organized crime and the man who fixed the 1919 World Series. . . . The book dispels myths such as that the Mafia wasn’t into drugs. . . . The introduction . . . is alone worth the price of admission.”

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

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FORTHCOMING IN PAPER

Powerful Moments in Sports

The Most Significant Sporting Events in American History

By Martin Gitlin



"This is a fascinating look at the sporting events that have 'altered the American psyche,' a history of American sports not in terms of individual players or teams or games themselves but how they 'affected America and sometimes its place in the world.'"

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

"A well-written narrative of events on and off the playing field that 'brought about consequences beyond the outcomes of the games themselves.'"

—CHOICE REVIEWS

Martin Gitlin is a freelance writer and the author of more than 100 books on popular culture and sports.

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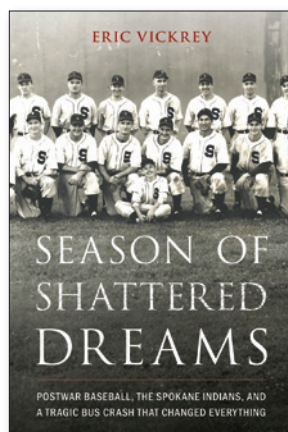
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FORTHCOMING

Season of Shattered Dreams

Postwar Baseball, the Spokane Indians, and a Tragic Bus Crash That Changed Everything

By Eric Vickrey



In 1946, a bus carrying the Spokane Indians baseball team crashed, leaving nine players dead and six hospitalized. This book tells their stories, primarily through the lives of three key players, following them through WWII, into the 1946 season that was greatly impacted by men returning from overseas, and through the crash that changed everything.

Eric Vickrey is a baseball writer who has published dozens of articles online and in print through the Society for American Baseball Research. He is the author of *Runnin' Redbirds: The World Champion 1982 St. Louis Cardinals*.

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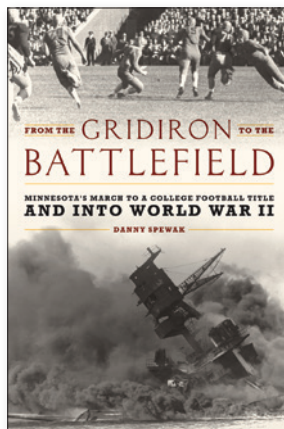
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NEW IN PAPER

From the Gridiron to the Battlefield

Minnesota's March to a College Football Title and into World War II

By Danny Spewak



This book tells the story of the University of Minnesota's remarkable 1941 football season as they chased a second consecutive national championship even as a divided country veered closer to total war, and chronicles the young players' contributions to the war effort in the months and years that followed.

Danny Spewak has a decade of experience as a news reporter at local television affiliates in Minneapolis-St. Paul, Buffalo, and mid-Missouri.

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2023 • 323 pages

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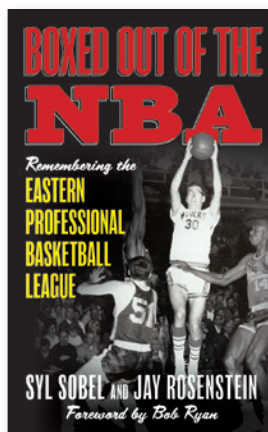
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NEW IN PAPER

Boxed out of the NBA

Remembering the Eastern Professional Basketball League

By Syl Sobel and Jay Rosenstein, Foreword by Bob Ryan



This book tells the story of the Eastern Professional Basketball League, a pro basketball institution for over 30 years. The league featured top players who just couldn't make the NBA—many because of scandals or because of unofficial quotas on Black players—with games played in tiny gyms across the northeast.

Syl Sobel is an award-winning journalist, attorney, contributor to the op ed page of various newspapers, and was for many years the director of publications for a federal government agency. **Jay Rosenstein** was a reporter for the newspaper *American Banker* and a financial writer for a federal government agency for many years.

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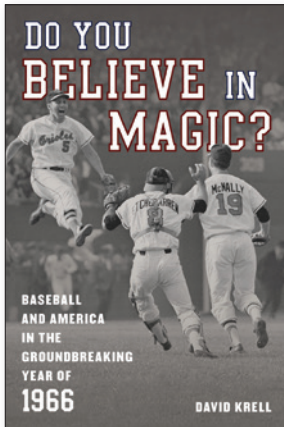
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NEW

Do You Believe in Magic?**Baseball and America in the Groundbreaking Year of 1966**

By David Krell



This book offers a unique look at a pivotal year in American history, tracing the significant events of 1966 by using the baseball season as its narrative arc, but also examining the Space Race, television, film, politics, music, and more.

David Krell is a former TV news producer at MSNBC. He is the author of *1962: Baseball and America in the Time of JFK* and *Our Bums: The Brooklyn Dodgers in History, Memory and Popular Culture*.

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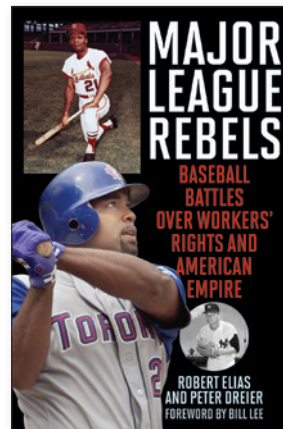
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Major League Rebels**Baseball Battles over Workers' Rights and American Empire**

By Robert Elias and Peter Dreier, Foreword by Bill Lee

★ Sports Collectors Digest Best Baseball Book 2022



"A must for baseball fans."

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"[O]ffer[s] a rich mixture of individual heroism, collective protest and organizing—along with the inevitable 'stats,' without which no baseball volume would seem acceptable to fan-readers.... [A] clear political view of the quasi-class struggle, in part because of the paternalist, patriarchal nature of ownership is seen so clearly."

—THE PROGRESSIVE

Robert Elias is Dean's Scholar and Professor of Politics and Legal Studies at the University of San Francisco. **Peter**

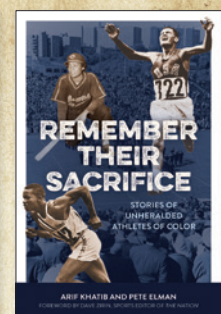
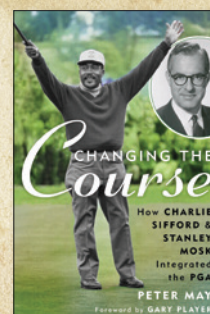
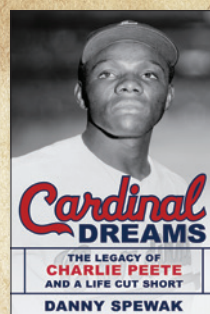
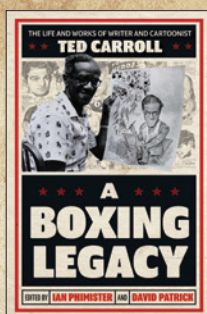
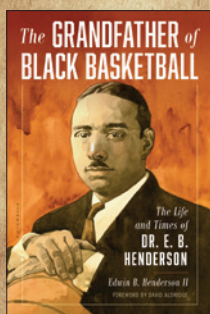
Dreier is E. P. Clapp Distinguished Professor of Politics and founding chair of the Urban and Environmental Policy Department at Occidental College.

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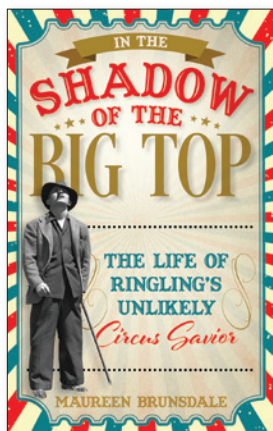
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NEW

In the Shadow of the Big Top

The Life of Ringling's Unlikely Circus Savior

By Maureen Brunsdale



"[A] high-flying account.... This intimate look at circus life during its heyday should speak to big top fanatics."

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

The first-ever biography of Art Concello, one of the world's greatest trapeze artists and circus businessmen, this book goes beyond the showmanship displayed in the ring to reveal the inner workings of the circus that could both thrill a crowd and make incredible money.

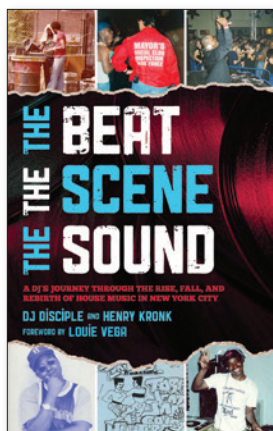
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NEW

The Beat, the Scene, the Sound

A DJ's Journey through the Rise, Fall, and Rebirth of House Music in New York City

By DJ Disciple and Henry Kronk, Foreword by Louie Vega



"DJ Disciple, with journalist Kronk, recounts his widely influential life as an artist, DJ, radio host, producer, and activist, focusing on his key role in house music's many incarnations, while sharing dramatic behind-the-scene tales in New York City and worldwide in the 1980s and '90s."

—BOOKLIST

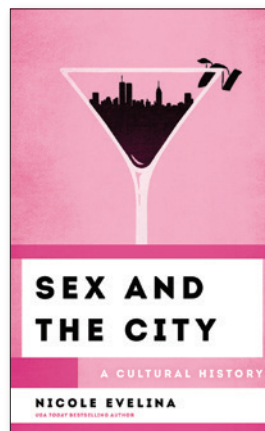
DJ Disciple is a Black artist, DJ, radio host, producer, and community advocate and has toured the world over a forty-year career, playing venues such as Studio 54 in New York, Ministry of Sound in London, and Cream in Ibiza. **Henry Kronk** is a freelance journalist who has covered a range of subjects over the course of his career.

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Sex and the City

A Cultural History

By Nicole Evelina



"An interesting, well-researched summation of a piece of television history that is honest in its criticisms."

—LIBRARY JOURNAL

Sex and the City changed how a generation of women relate to sex. Now, through an in-depth examination of the show's characters and the issues they confronted—from sexuality to feminism to motherhood—this book looks at how the show impacted viewers in the 1990s, what still resonates today, and what has glaringly not kept up with the times.

Nicole Evelina is a *USA Today* bestselling author of historical fiction, non-fiction, and women's fiction.

Series: The Cultural History of Television

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NEW

In Living Color

A Cultural History

By Bernadette Giacomazzo

★ Booklist Top 10 Arts Books



"A thorough analysis of what a monumental TV show *In Living Color* came to represent and the sociocultural background that played a role in its shaping."

—LIBRARY JOURNAL, STARRED REVIEW

"An incisive and rigorously researched look at how television is created and consumed, particularly a show by Black creators for Black audiences."

—BOOKLIST, STARRED REVIEW

An entertaining yet conscientious examination of the popular sketch show *In Living Color*, which broke racial, cultural, and comedy boundaries; launched the careers of stars such as Jamie Foxx and Jim Carrey; and helped shape comedy in the 21st century.

Bernadette Giacomazzo is an editor, writer, and photographer who is currently the SEO manager at Blavity, Inc.

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American Furniture Designers 1900-2020

By Oscar P. Fitzgerald

★ Choice Outstanding Academic Title 2023



"Nearly 300 photos, mostly in color, add interest. A readable volume, most useful for designers, researchers, and collectors interested in identifying and dating design trends and individual designers."

—LIBRARY JOURNAL

"Beginning with inspirations from the Arts and Crafts movement and continuing through the second decade of the 21st century, Fitzgerald provides a detailed look at the designers, those who influenced them, and those who were influenced by them.... **Highly recommended.** All readers."

—CHOICE REVIEWS

Oscar P. Fitzgerald, PhD is a nationally known historian, author, lecturer, and consultant on American furniture from colonial times to the present.

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NEW IN PAPER

Exhibiting the Foreign on U.S. Soil American Art Museums and National Diplomacy Exhibitions before, during, and after World War II

By Kathleen Berrin



The uneasy relationship between the arts, US art museums, and the federal government has not been thoroughly explored by scholars. This book focuses on the development of "national diplomacy exhibitions" during World War II and the early Cold War and explains how the war provided the government with an impetus to create a national arts policy.

Kathleen Berrin spent forty years as curator of Africa, Oceania, and the Americas at the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco.

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2023 • 388 pages

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NEW

Norman Rockwell's Models In and Out of the Studio

By S. T. Haggerty



"Poet and former editor Haggerty dives deep into the work of Norman Rockwell in this illuminating survey, his debut. . . . This peek into the workshop of an icon of Americana will delight Rockwell's fans."

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

"*Norman Rockwell's Models* is the first to tell the stories of Norman Rockwell's models and their time in his studio and a 'must' for the legions of Norman Rockwell fans."

—MIDWEST BOOK REVIEW

S. T. Haggerty is a longtime writer of fiction, non-fiction, and poetry.

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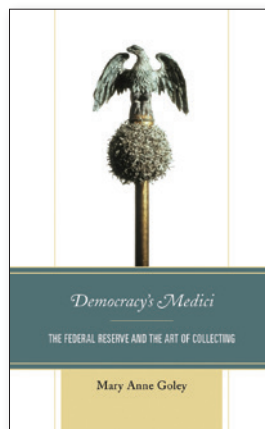
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Democracy's Medici The Federal Reserve and the Art of Collecting

By Mary Anne Goley



"Goley offers an insider's view of the Fed's institutional culture, the larger-than-life personalities she met, and the significance of the Fine Arts Program in this unique context."

—FINE ART CONNOISSEUR

Democracy's Medici: The Federal Reserve and the Art of Collecting is a profile of the central bank seen from the perspective of the author's unorthodox art-historical career as founding director of the Fine Arts Program of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System in Washington, DC.

Mary Anne Goley was the founding director of the Fine Arts Program of the Federal Reserve Board (1975–2006).

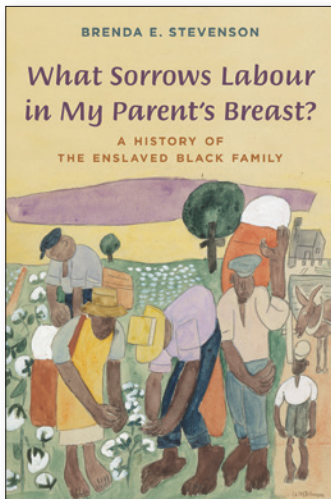
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NEW

What Sorrows Labour in My Parent's Breast?

A History of the Enslaved Black Family

By Brenda E. Stevenson

"This remarkably concise history of family among the enslaved explores diverse family practices from the 17th century through Reconstruction. Its title comes from a Phillis Wheatley poem expressing the trauma of family formations among enslaved persons. Captors set arduous conditions of compulsory labor, torture, sexual violence, and forcible relocation as ongoing structural challenges to family formation and maintenance. This tension between the desires of enslaved persons to create family and the power of captors to exploit and destroy it shapes the book's six splendidly written chapters. Stevenson exquisitely deploys the biographies of specific enslaved persons to illustrate her deeply researched thesis about family diversity and resilience, reflecting differing cultural legacies imported from the African continent to the differing colonial and antebellum societies in the US. . . . **Highly recommended.** General readers through faculty."

—CHOICE REVIEWS

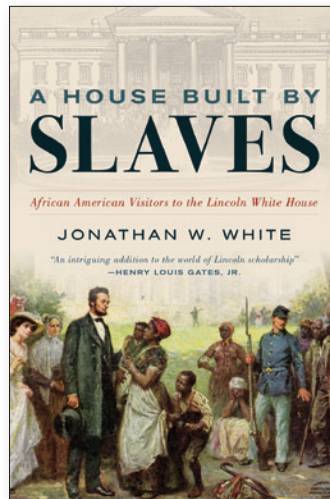
Brenda E. Stevenson is the Hillary Rodham Clinton Chair of Women's History at Oxford and the Nickoll Family Endowed Chair of History at UCLA.

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FORTHCOMING IN PAPER

A House Built by Slaves

African American Visitors to the Lincoln White House

By Jonathan W. White

★ Gilder Lehrman Lincoln Prize

"A rich and comprehensive account of a groundbreaking aspect of Lincoln's presidency."
—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

"White argues these visits did much to move Lincoln toward ever stronger commitments to civil rights. An original and revealing book on a subject heretofore surprisingly missing from the large Lincoln literature."
—LIBRARY JOURNAL

"White does not write about the enslaved people who helped build the White House but rather capably documents the experiences of African Americans who came to see President Lincoln."
—BOOKLIST

"White's accessible book puts a human face—many human faces—on the story of Lincoln's attitudes toward and engagement with African Americans."
—LOS ANGELES REVIEW OF BOOKS

"Through mining a wealth of anecdotes, White presents an engaging and convincing case that the surprisingly amenable relationship forged between President Lincoln and African American visitors to his White House is worthy of the sustained attention it receives across the book."
—AMERICAN NINETEENTH CENTURY HISTORY

Jonathan W. White is associate professor of American Studies at Christopher Newport University.

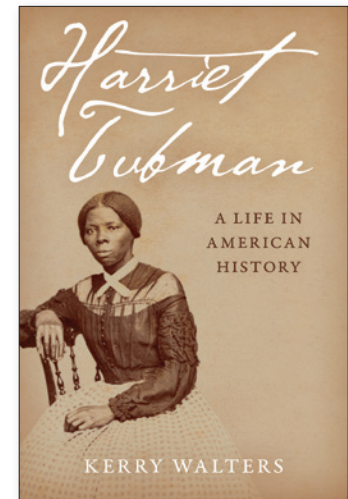
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Harriet Tubman

A Life in American History

By Kerry Walters

"This excellent work is a synthesis... presenting Tubman as the fascinating, headstrong, self-sacrificing, physically damaged, financially destitute, and occasionally gullible person that she was in historical reality. One hopes this book will find its way into many classrooms, and that, in better days to come, she will yet appear on our currency. **Highly recommended.**"

—CHOICE REVIEWS

"Thanks to Walter's especially accessible prose, a wide range of potential readers should consider attaining a copy of this book. . . . *Harriet Tubman: A Life in American History* is an excellent book. Walters does an exceptional job of interweaving Tubman's diverse lived experiences into larger historical events."

—THE CIVIL WAR MONITOR

Harriet Tubman: A Life in American History is an indispensable resource for high school and college students about the life and times of anti-slavery activist Harriet Tubman, who exemplifies how slaves took the initiative to free themselves and others.

Kerry Walters, PhD, is professor emeritus of philosophy at Gettysburg College.

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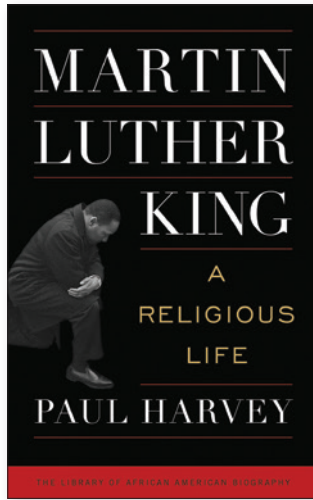
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Library of African American Biography

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Martin Luther King

A Religious Life

By Paul Harvey

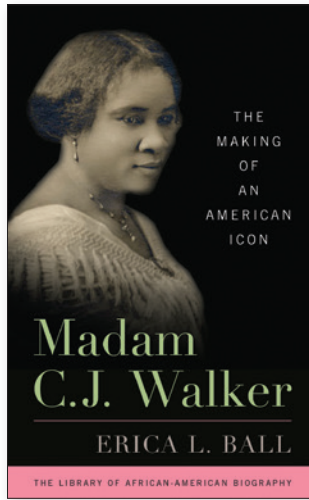
“Historian and professor Harvey (*The Color of Christ*) plumbs the background and writings of Martin Luther King Jr. to provocatively build a religious frame around the civil rights leader’s beliefs and tactics. Delving into the formative intellectual and theological influences on King’s writings and activities, Harvey’s approach is not primarily as a biographer but rather a close reader of the evolution of King’s thought. . . . This careful and of-the-moment examination of King’s fundamentally religious worldview should take a prominent place on the shelf of literature about the man who changed 20th century America.”

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY, STARRED REVIEW

In the first biography of Martin Luther King to look at his life through the prism of his evolving faith, Paul Harvey examines Martin Luther King’s life through his complex, emerging, religious lives.

Paul Harvey is distinguished professor of history and presidential teaching Scholar at the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs.

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Madam C.J. Walker

The Making of an American Icon

By Erica L. Ball

“This is an exhaustively detailed account of the life of Madam C.J. Walker.”

—BOOKLIST, STARRED REVIEW

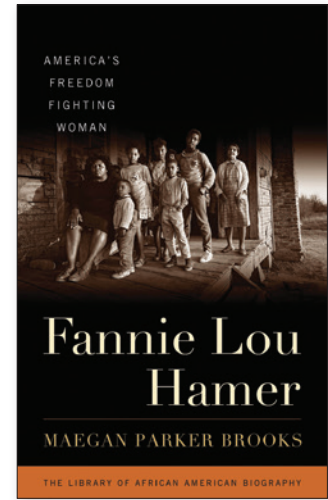
“. . . a concise and revealing biography of hair- and skin-care entrepreneur Madam C.J. Walker (1867–1919) . . . Ball persuasively links Walker’s self-reinvention as a sophisticated entrepreneur to the transformation of formerly agrarian Black Southerners into a style-conscious and politically active urban Black working class. This brisk and informative account serves as a worthy introduction to a trailblazing businesswoman and social justice advocate.”

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

Madam C. J. Walker—reputed to be America’s first self-made woman millionaire—has long been celebrated for her rags-to-riches story. This biography places this remarkable and largely forgotten life story in the context of Walker’s times.

Erica L. Ball is a professor of History and Black Studies at Occidental College.

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Fannie Lou Hamer

America’s Freedom Fighting Woman

By Maegan Parker Brooks

“This in-depth biography of a civil rights icon also serves as unflinching testimony to the horrors of racism. . . . [Brooks] had unusual access to Hamer’s personal correspondence and family members for this biography. She has documented a life of unparalleled dedication set against a background of unrelenting discrimination, personal tragedy, and social upheaval. Sympathetic and authoritative, at times difficult to read, this is a testimonial to a courageous woman and her deep commitment to human rights.”

—BOOKLIST, STARRED REVIEW

“Drawing heavily from oral histories and interviews with Fannie Lou Hamer, her family and friends, and her fellow civil rights workers, Brooks. . . here presents an intimate account of Hamer’s life and work for *The Library of African American Biography*. . . **Recommended.** All levels.”

—CHOICE REVIEWS

Maegan Parker Brooks teaches in the Civic Communication and Media Department and the American Ethnic Studies Program at Willamette University.

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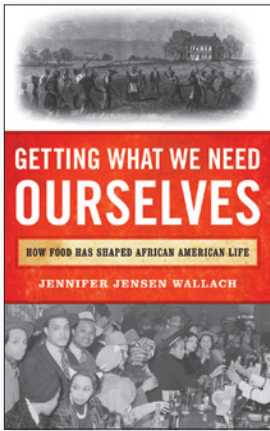
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SCAN CODE

Getting What We Need Ourselves

How Food Has Shaped African American Life

By Jennifer Jensen Wallach



"A must-read for all seriously interested in concepts of black identities and the significance of food in shaping those concepts."
—LIBRARY JOURNAL, STARRED REVIEW

"Historians will enjoy this astute take on an American culinary tradition."
—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

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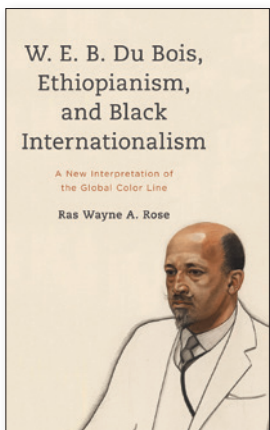
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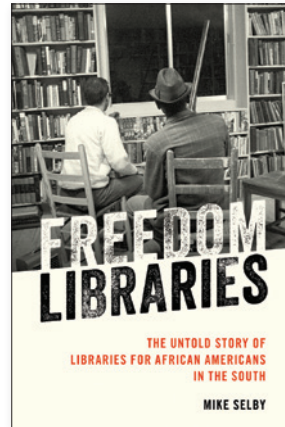
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The Untold Story of Libraries for African Americans in the South

By Mike Selby

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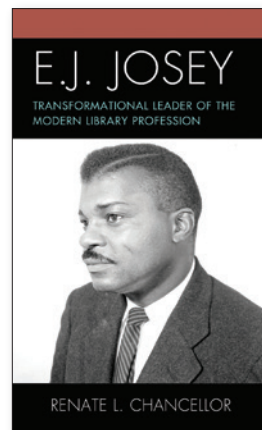
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Dr. Renate L. Chancellor is Associate Professor of Library and Information Science (LIS) at the Catholic University of America.

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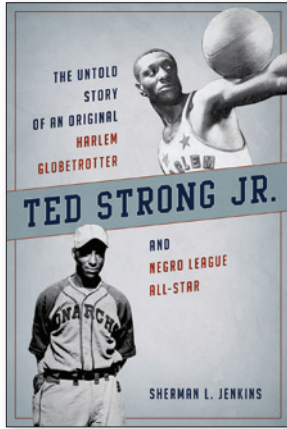
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By Sherman L. Jenkins



“A significant sidebar in the early history of African American athletes.”
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Ted Strong Jr. was a two-sport athlete, a major star of the Negro Leagues and one of the original Harlem Globetrotters. This book shares the fascinating story of a man who played in seven Negro League Baseball All-Star games and was a key member of the Harlem Globetrotter team that won the World Professional Basketball Championship.

Sherman L. Jenkins is president of SLJ Communications & Consulting, Inc., a

digital media and economic development consulting company. He is a member of the Society for American Baseball Research’s Negro Leagues Committee.

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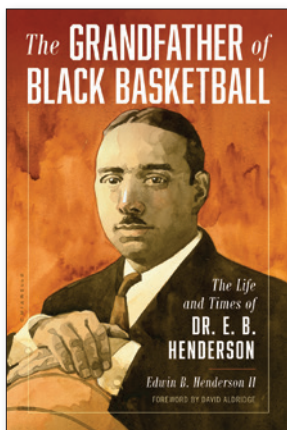
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The Grandfather of Black Basketball**The Life and Times of Dr. E. B. Henderson**

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The first contemporary biography of Dr. Edwin Bancroft Henderson, a civil rights activist who, as a coach, athlete, administrator, and author, is credited with introducing the game of basketball to Black players, coaches, and the media.

Edwin Bancroft Henderson II is the founding president and director of the Tinner Hill Heritage Foundation, whose mission it is to research, preserve and celebrate the African American and civil rights history of Falls Church, Fairfax County, and Northern Virginia.

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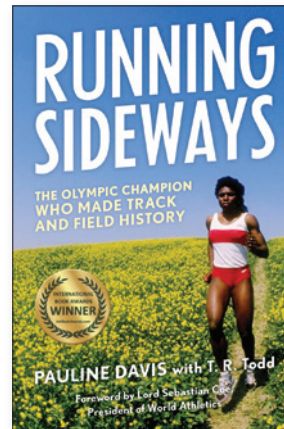
NEW IN PAPER

Running Sideways**The Olympic Champion Who Made Track and Field History**

By Pauline Davis, With T. R. Todd, Foreword by Lord Sebastian Coe

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“In this autobiographical text, the great Bahamian track star Pauline Davis offers a story worth telling.... Details of her insider perspective on the anti-doping campaign, sometimes against Russian participation in Olympic events after WADA accusations, and her personal involvements in related scandals, both as a victim of doping and a fighter against it, is a notable aspect of the text. **Recommended.** All readers.”

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Pauline Davis is a former Bahamian sprinter who competed in five Olympic Games.

T. R. Todd is a journalist, biographer and novelist.

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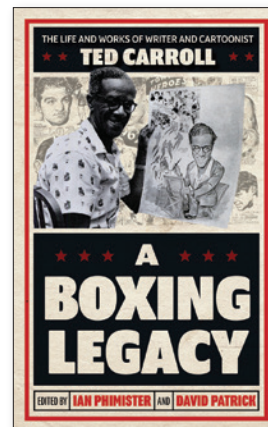
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A Boxing Legacy**The Life and Works of Writer and Cartoonist Ted Carroll**

Edited by Ian Phimister and David Patrick



This book is a celebration of legendary African American sports writer and boxing cartoonist Ted Carroll, whose career spanned one of the most exciting periods of boxing’s past, from Joe Louis to Muhammad Ali. His experiences and commentary are of great historical significance, encompassing issues of race, sport, culture, and society.

Ian Phimister and David Patrick are both members of the International Studies Group at the University of the Free State (South Africa).

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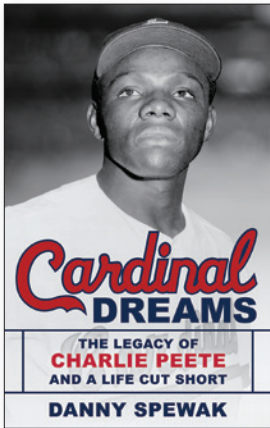
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Cardinal Dreams**The Legacy of Charlie Peete and a Life Cut Short**

By Danny Spewak



Cardinal Dreams revitalizes the legacy of Charlie Peete, a key figure in integrating the minor leagues with the breakout potential to be the first established Black position player for the St. Louis Cardinals. Peete changed the world for the better and left a lasting impact on baseball before his tragic death at just 27 years old.

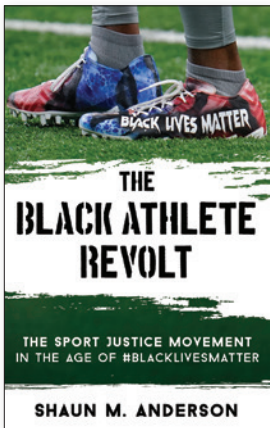
Danny Spewak has more than a decade of experience as a news reporter at local television affiliates in Minneapolis-Saint Paul, Buffalo, and mid-Missouri.

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NEW

The Black Athlete Revolt**The Sport Justice Movement in the Age of #BlackLivesMatter**

By Shaun M. Anderson, Foreword by Len Elmore



"Meticulous and enlightening, this scores."

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The Black Athlete Revolt is the first book to take a historical and contemporary look at how Black athletes have used their influence to move beyond protests and create substantial change for Black Americans. Spanning from the civil rights movement to today, this book reveals the ever-evolving and important role of Black athlete activism.

Shaun M. Anderson, PhD, is the founder and president of CSR Global Consulting, LLC, a firm dedicated to helping sport organizations develop strategic plans to effectively communicate their Corporate Social Responsibility efforts.

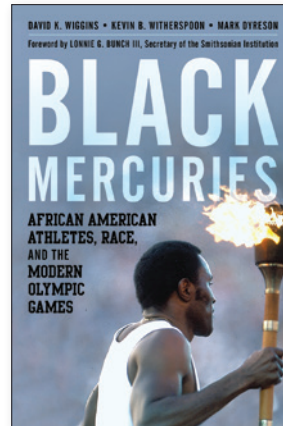
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NEW

Black Mercuries**African American Athletes, Race, and the Modern Olympic Games**

By David K. Wiggins, Kevin B. Witherspoon, and Mark Dyreson, Foreword by Lonnie G. Bunch III

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"[*Black Mercuries*] presents a more comprehensive view of African American participation in the Summer Olympics throughout the entire 20th century, up to the most recent games. . . . Recommended."

—CHOICE REVIEWS

"An essential source on African American athletes and Olympic history."

—BOOKLIST, STARRED REVIEW

David K. Wiggins is professor emeritus of sport studies at George Mason University. Kevin B. Witherspoon is the Dr. Benjamin E. Mays Endowed Chair in the Department of History and

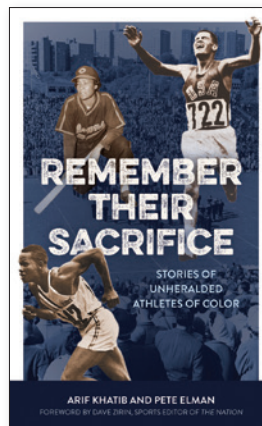
Philosophy at Lander University. Mark Dyreson is professor of kinesiology, affiliate professor of history, and co-director of the Center for the Study of Sports in Society at Pennsylvania State University.

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Remember Their Sacrifice**Stories of Unheralded Athletes of Color**

By Arif Khatib and Pete Elman, Foreword by Dave Zirin



This book tells the incredible stories of a special group of athletes, unheralded men and women of color who broke barriers for those that followed, including Pumpsie Green, the first Black player for the Red Sox; Alice Coachman, the first Black woman to win Olympic gold; Sammy Lee, the great Asian American diver who won Olympic gold, and more.

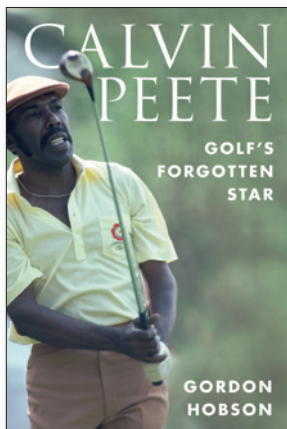
Arif Khatib created the African American Ethnic Sports Hall of Fame. Pete Elman is a journalist, author, musician, and teacher.

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Calvin Peete Golf's Forgotten Star

By Gordon Hobson



Calvin Peete is the first-ever biography of an often-overlooked PGA star, one of the best Black golfers in history. His story is unprecedented in the world of golf: born to a family of migrant laborers, Peete dropped out of school, went to work picking crops, first swung a golf club at the age of 23—and rose to the top of the PGA.

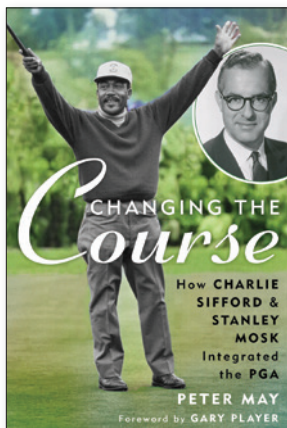
Gordon Hobson is a retired attorney and first-time author from Columbus, Ohio.

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NEW

Changing the Course How Charlie Sifford and Stanley Mosk Integrated the PGA

By Peter May, Foreword by Gary Player



The compelling, little-known story of Charlie Sifford, the first Black golfer to get his PGA card, and Stanley Mosk, a crusading civil rights attorney and California Supreme Court justice, who together made history by taking on the PGA and the Caucasian Only clause in its bylaws.

Their stories provide a window into the changing landscape of mid-20th century America when the nation was forced to confront its history of racial injustice in professional sports and beyond.

Peter May has spent the last four decades covering sports for the *Boston Globe*, the

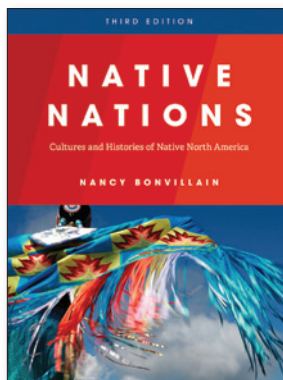
New York Times, ESPN, the *Hartford Courant* and United Press International.

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Native Nations Cultures and Histories of Native North America Third Edition

By Nancy Bonvillain



Combining historical background with discussion of contemporary Native nations and their living cultures, this comprehensive text introduces students to the many Indigenous peoples in North America. Organized by region to highlight cultural practices, each part covers the topography, climate, and natural resources in the area and describes the range of cultural practices and beliefs among groups. Subsequent tribe-specific chapters are devoted to different Native communities, addressing both their history and contemporary lives.

Nancy Bonvillain is professor of Anthropology and Linguistics at Bard College at Simon's Rock.

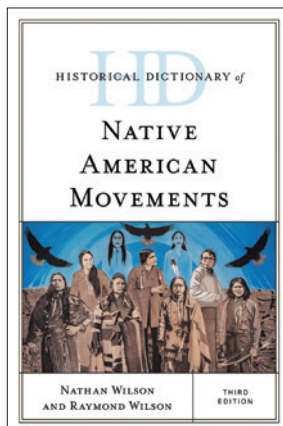
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Historical Dictionary of Native American Movements Third Edition

By Nathan Wilson (formerly, University of New Mexico) and Raymond Wilson (emeritus, Fort Hays State University)



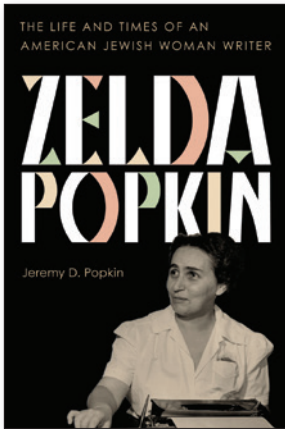
Historical Dictionary of Native American Movements, Third Edition contains a chronology, an introduction, appendixes, and an extensive bibliography. The dictionary section has over 300 cross-referenced entries on Native Americans. This book is an excellent resource for students, researchers, and anyone wanting to know more about Native Americans.

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NEW

Zelda Popkin**The Life and Times of an American Jewish Woman Writer**

By Jeremy D. Popkin



"This admiring profile restores a well-deserving author to the spotlight."

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

"Popkin paints a discerning portrait of a complex matriarch, while adding nuance to the Jewish American experience in the 20th century. Recommended."

—LIBRARY JOURNAL

This book is about Zelda Popkin who lived and wrote through all the great changes of American Jewish women's lives in the 20th century: the reaction against religious tradition, women's emancipation, struggles against antisemitism, the impact of the

Holocaust and the creation of Israel, and the upsurge of Jewish identity in the 1960s.

Jeremy D. Popkin holds the William T. Bryan chair of history at the University of Kentucky.

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On This Day She**Putting Women Back into History One Day at a Time**

By Jo Bell, Tania Hershman, and Ailsa Holland

★ Booklist Top 10 Reference



"This illustrated compendium's enjoyable daily entries will inspire readers to undertake further research. The strong, brave women tumbling from its pages will be a welcome addition to reference and history collections."

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Jo Bell is a well-known UK poet and broadcaster. **Tania Hershman** is a former science journalist and is now one of the pioneers of flash fiction in the UK. **Ailsa Holland** is a poet, writer and activist.

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In a League of Her Own**Celebrating Female Firsts in Sports**

By Bonnie-Jill Lafflin



In a League of Her Own shares the inspiring stories of nineteen groundbreaking women in the world of sports. Using exclusive interviews and her own unique lens, former NBA scout and NFL cheerleader Bonnie-Jill Lafflin captures the remarkable life journeys of these iconic women whose bravery and hard work have changed the face of sports and culture.

Bonnie-Jill Lafflin is a trailblazing sports broadcaster, TV personality, author, and philanthropist. She is the first and only female NBA scout, holding the front-office executive position with the Los Angeles Lakers.

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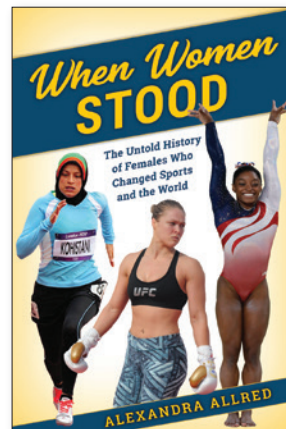
When Women Stood**The Untold History of Females Who Changed Sports and the World**

By Alexandra Allred

★ Independent Publisher (IPPY) Book Awards -

Sports/Fitness/Recreation Category Silver Medalist

★ International Book Awards, 2023 - Sports



"Allred's prose is direct, and she lucidly explains how these pioneers have challenged gender and racial stereotypes. The result is an enlightening account of women trailblazers."—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

"This well-documented book covers a lot of ground, tracing the traditional roles, challenges, and triumphs of women (not just female athletes) throughout history, from ancient Greece, Asia, and Africa to the modern day.... A significant contribution to women's studies."—BOOKLIST

"A fascinating and thorough history."—LIBRARY JOURNAL

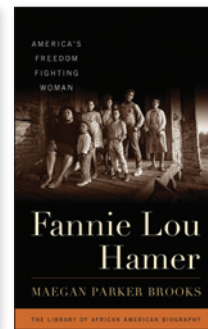
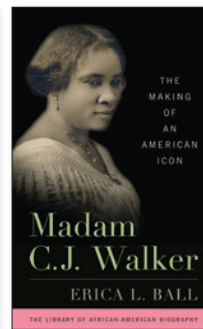
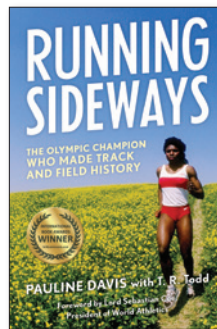
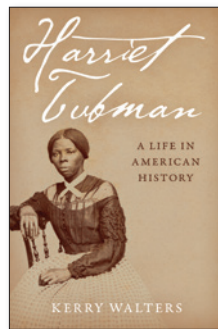
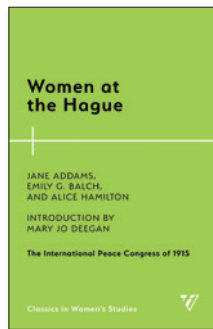
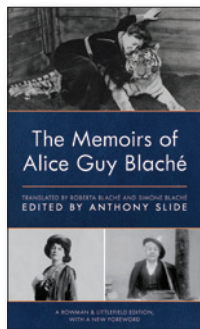
Alexandra Allred is a former professional athlete who made sports history when she won the first-ever U.S. Women's Bobsled Championship when she was over four months pregnant.

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The Memoirs of Alice Guy Blaché

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This fascinating memoir of influential French filmmaker Alice Guy Blaché features a new foreword and provides original insight into one of the industry's most important pioneers. Guy Blaché was not only the world's first female director, producing and directing hundreds of films, but she was also the first of either sex to direct a fictional film.

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The International Peace Congress of 1915

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—CHOICE REVIEWS

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Madam C.J. Walker

The Making of an American Icon

By Erica L. Ball

"This is an exhaustively detailed account of the life of Madam C.J. Walker."

—BOOKLIST, STARRED REVIEW

"This brisk and informative account serves as a worthy introduction to a trailblazing businesswoman and social justice advocate."

—PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

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Fannie Lou Hamer

America's Freedom Fighting Woman

By Maegan Parker Brooks

"This in-depth biography of a civil rights icon also serves as unflinching testimony to the horrors of racism. . . . Sympathetic and authoritative, at times difficult to read, this is a testimonial to a courageous woman and her deep commitment to human rights."

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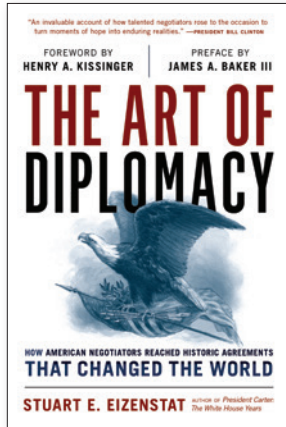
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FORTHCOMING

The Art of Diplomacy

How American Negotiators Reached Historic Agreements that Changed the World

By Stuart E. Eizenstat



Longtime diplomat and negotiator Stuart E. Eizenstat covers every major contemporary international agreement, from the treaty to end the Vietnam War to the Kyoto Protocols and the Iranian Nuclear Accord. This book will be an indispensable volume to understand American foreign policy and provide invaluable insights on the art of negotiation for anyone involved in government or business negotiations.

Stuart E. Eizenstat has served as U.S. Ambassador to the European Union and Deputy Secretary of both Treasury and State.

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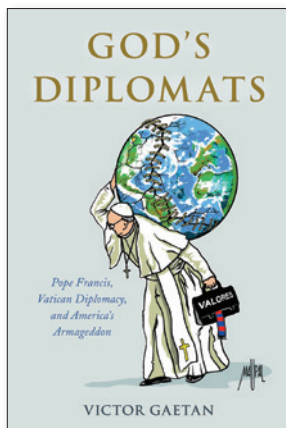
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—AMERICA MAGAZINE

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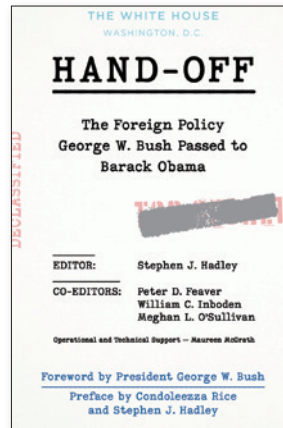
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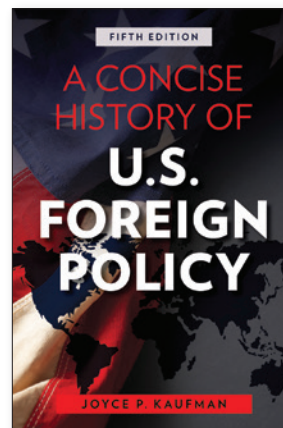
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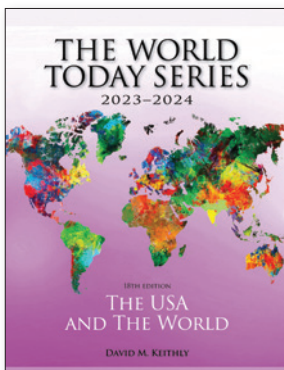
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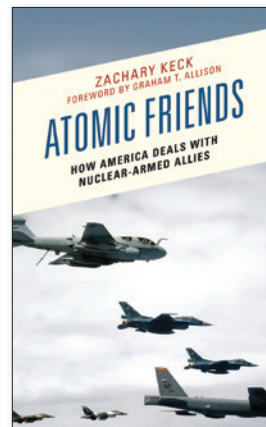
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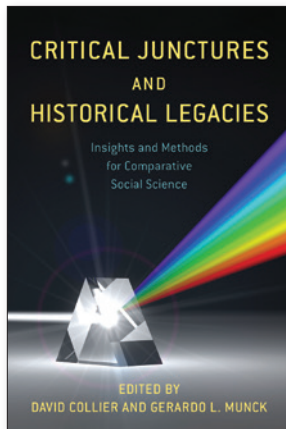
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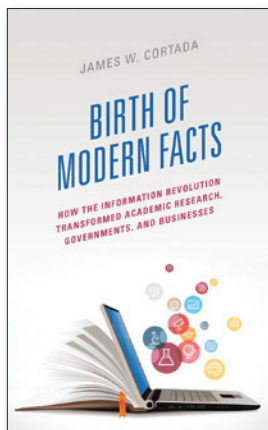
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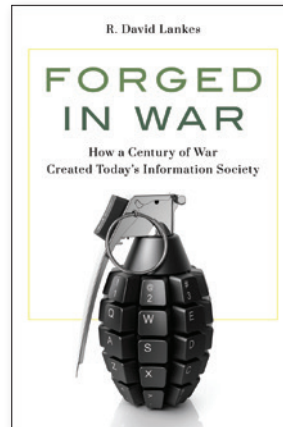
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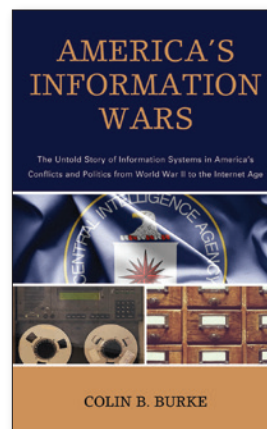
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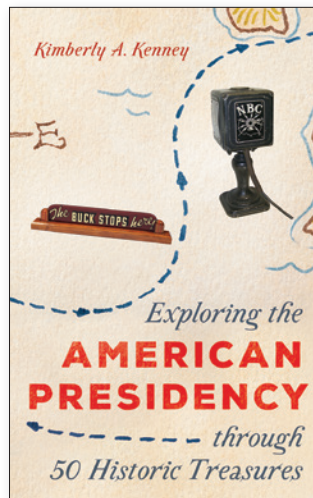
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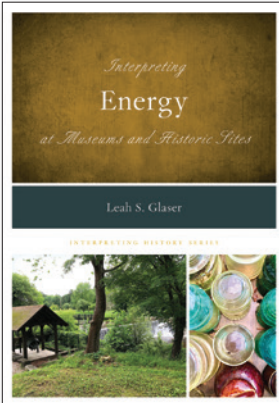
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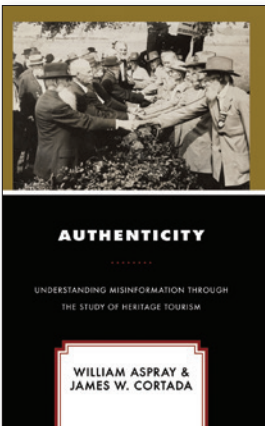
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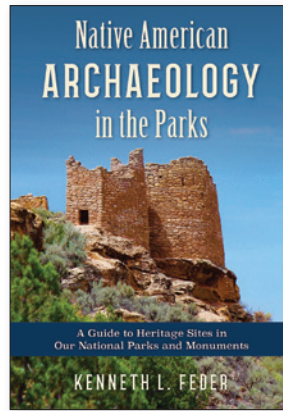
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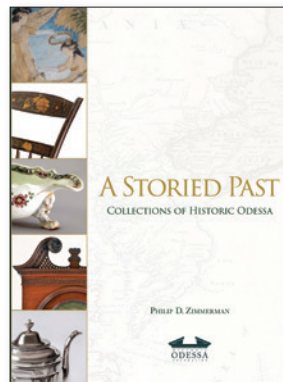
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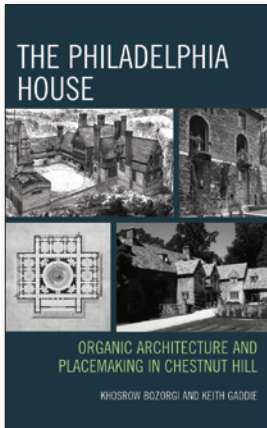
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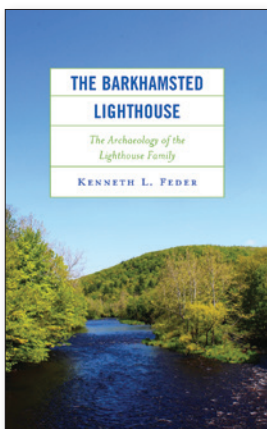
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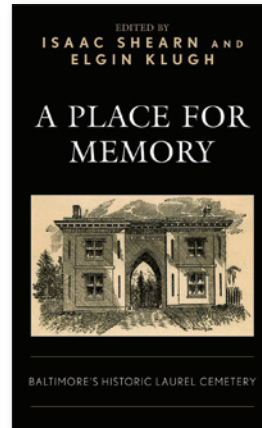
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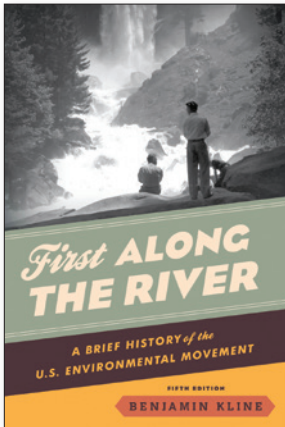
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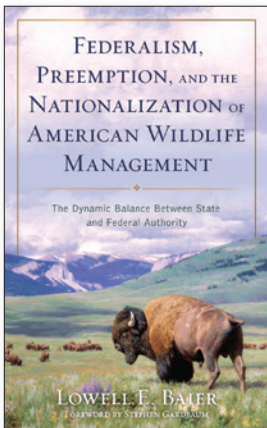
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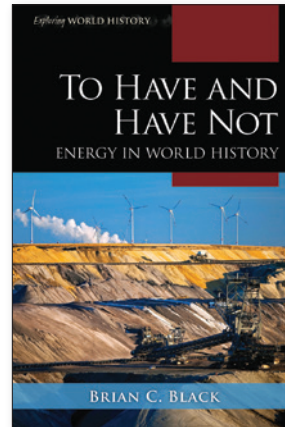
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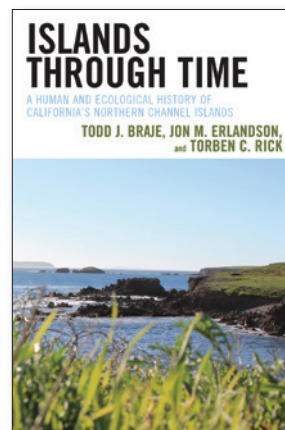
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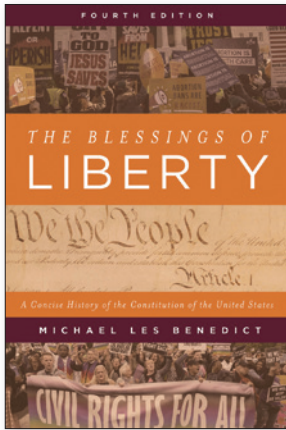
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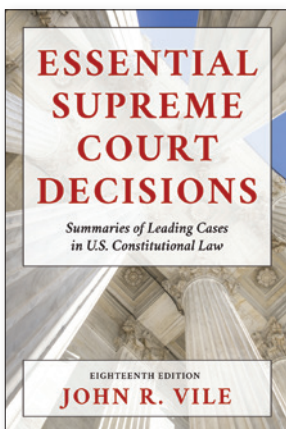
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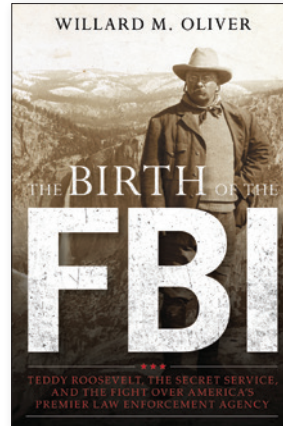
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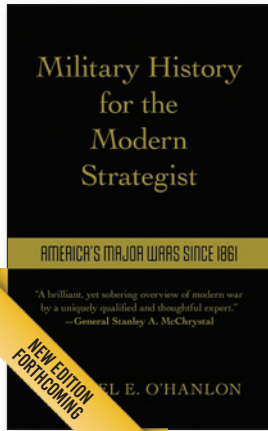
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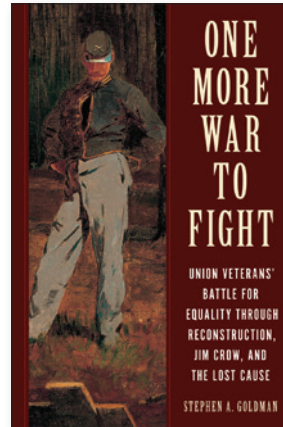
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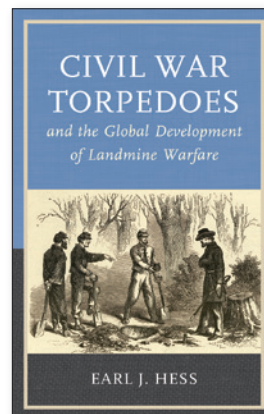
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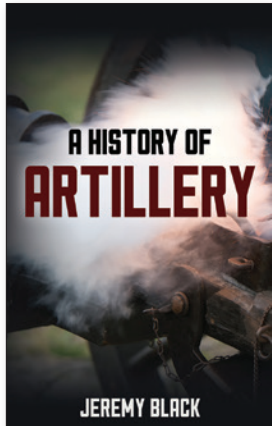
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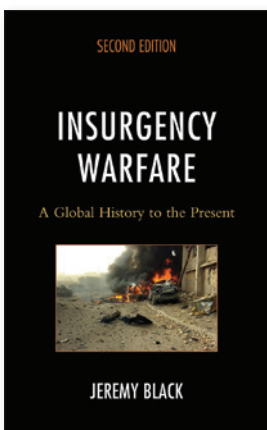
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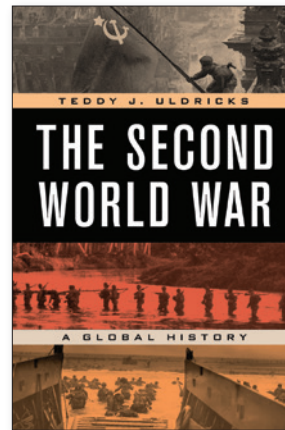
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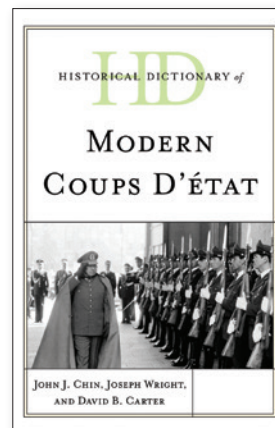
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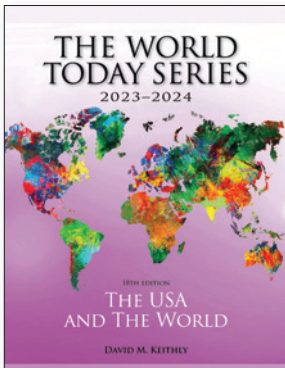
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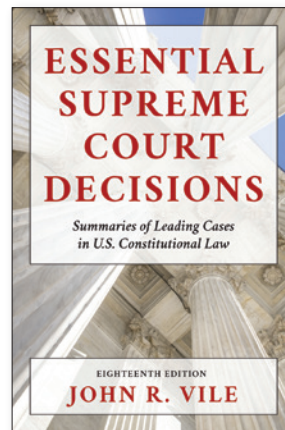
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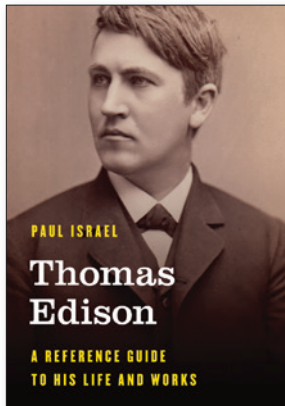
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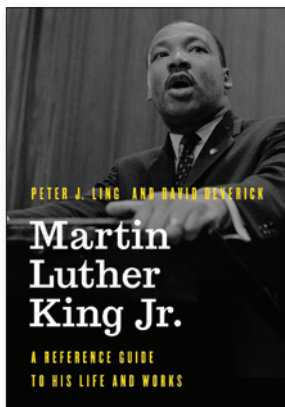
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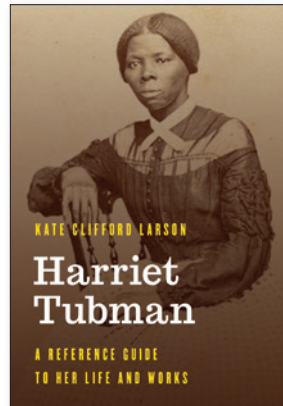
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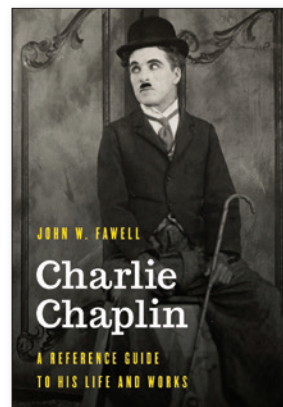
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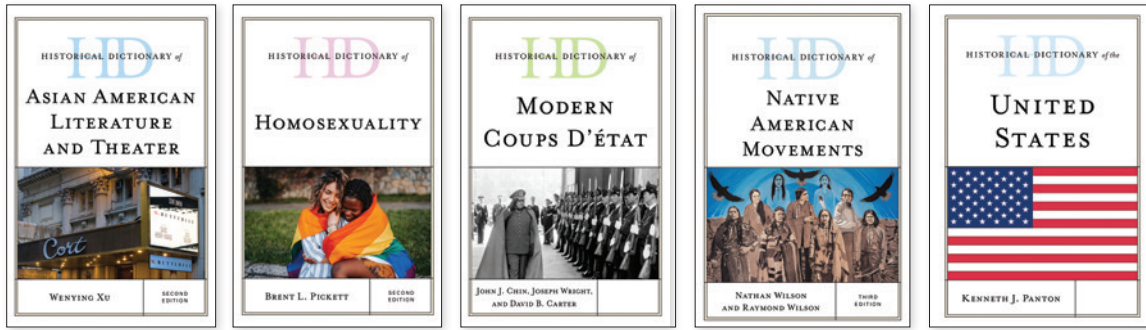
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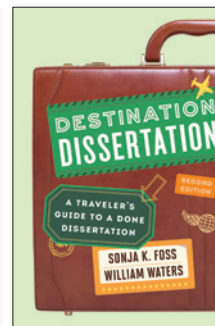
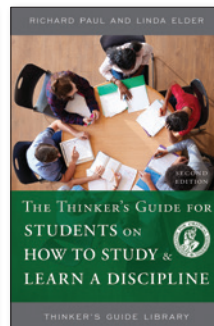
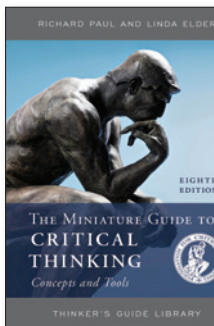
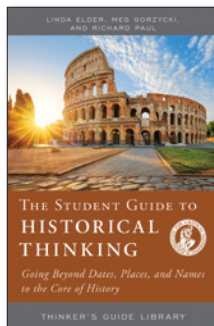
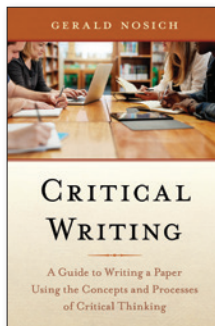
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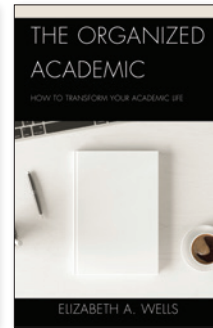
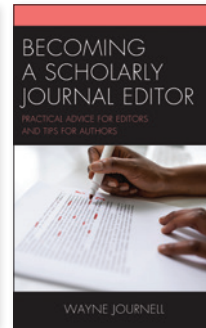
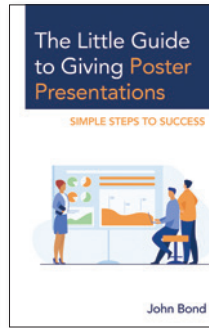
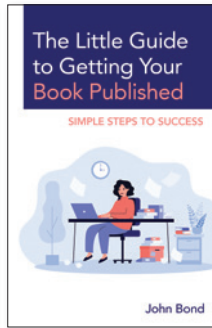
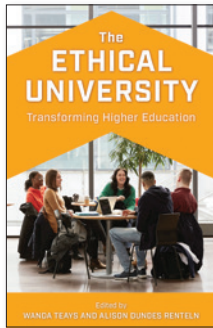
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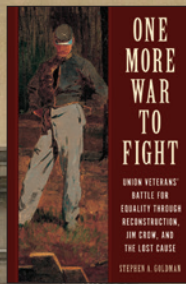
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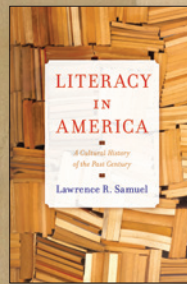
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