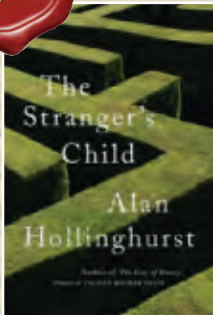


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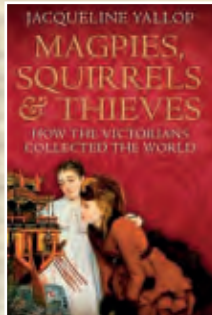
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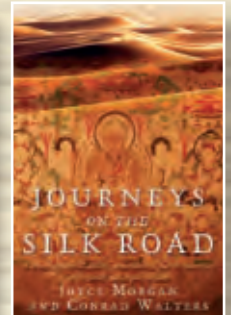
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Notes from Eve Abbey...

I read an article recently about how hard it is to find a literary love story, so I want to recommend...

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VINTAGE CLASSICS

The Count of Monte Cristo Alexandre Dumas

I consider this one of the best books ever written. Edmund Dantès suffers dastardly betrayal from those he believes to be close friends. Captivity leads to intense suffering in a horrific prison. His display of loyalty and compassion to a fellow captive leads him into knowledge and wealth. A brazen escape leads to freedom. He then sets out to enact a truly shattering revenge on those who cast him into darkness, while rewarding those who proved to be faithful and true friends. Poisonings, duels, disguise, exotic princesses, stock manipulations, bandits, Napoleon and other surprising elements all merge into an epic story that will absorb you completely.

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Eight signed copies of David Lodge's hugely entertaining fictional biography of H G Wells, *A Man of Parts*, are up for grabs. These giveaways will go to eight of our lucky eNewsletter subscribers at the end of July. Simply send us an email with your name and address with the subject 'A Man of Parts' to abbeynewsletters@abbey.com.au

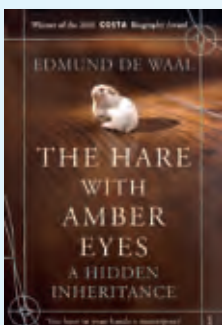
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Edmund De Waal
The Hare with Amber Eyes
[Pb \$24.95]

When Edmund inherited 264 wood and ivory carvings, none of them larger than a matchbox, they unlocked a story far larger than he could ever have imagined...

In this stunningly original memoir, he traces the network of a remarkable family against the backdrop of a tumultuous century and tells the story of this unique collection.

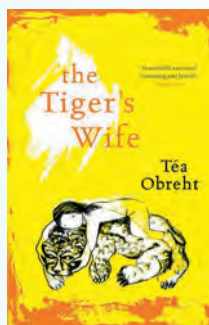


2011 ORANGE PRIZE

Téa Obrecht
The Tiger's Wife [Pb \$29.99]

A tiger escapes from the local zoo, padding through the ruined streets and onwards to a ridge above the Balkan village of Galina. His nocturnal visits hold the villagers in a terrified thrall.

But for one boy, the tiger is a thing of magic - Shere Khan awoken from the pages of *The Jungle Book*.



2011 INTERNATIONAL IMPAC DUBLIN LITERARY AWARD

Colum McCann
Let the Great World Spin [Pb \$22.99]

New York 1974: a man skywalks between the newly built Twin Towers. Far below, the lives of complete strangers spin towards each other: a radical Irish monk; an Upper East Side housewife; a drug-addled young artist; a hooker and her daughter.

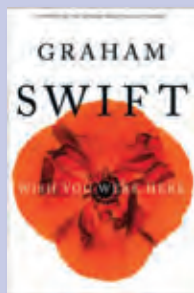
These disparate lives will collide and be transformed forever.



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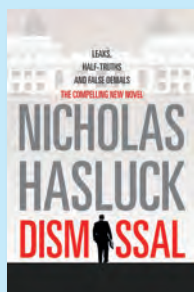
Wish You Were Here Graham Swift

Jack and his wife Ellie run a caravan park on the Isle of Wight but were originally descended from old Devonshire dairy farming families. One day Jack receives official confirmation that Tom, his younger brother and only living relative, Tom, has died. He was a soldier in Iraq and although the brothers had deliberately lost contact, there was no animosity between them. Still, Jack is unsettled by the feelings that sweep over him, to the point he becomes unhinged with guilt. A quietly observant and thoughtful novel of an inarticulate but sensitive man's grief, but also of contemporary society where some traditions no longer count and yet the forms of others still have meaning. **Lindy** 256pp Tp \$32.99



Dismissal Nicholas Hasluck

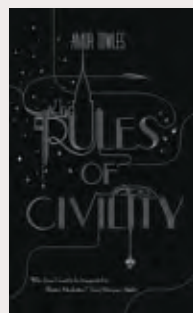
When Roy Temple and his friends are accused of espionage in the Cold War era, a cloud of suspicion lingers over them for years, although they are never charged with any crime. Twenty years later, Roy is a leading barrister and key adviser to the federal government, with a bold plan to resolve Australia's political crisis. But the old allegations cast long shadows and even those people he wishes to help doubt his motivations – does he want to save the government, or save himself? Amid half-truths, leaks, intrigues and false denials, he is forced to confront his past to discover who he can trust – and who has betrayed him all along. Ranging from his early days at Oxford in the 1930s through his stint at the Department of External Affairs during the war to his membership of the Australian delegation at the San Francisco Conference to the Petrov years and up to the time just before the dismissal of the Whitlam government in 1975, this is a fascinating journey through the political landscape of those years. Real people are scattered throughout, along with the events of the time. This is a political thriller of the highest order and an insider's view of the democratic roundabouts, with all its flaws, corruption and dynamic energies. Having lived through most of the events, I found this an intriguing and fascinating novel. Highly recommended. **Peter Milne** 268pp Tp \$29.99



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Rules of Civility Amor Towles

New Year's Eve 1937, and Katey Kontent and her best friend Evey are in a small New York jazz dive waiting for something to happen. When the handsome and obviously rich Tinker Grey walks into the bar, it does. Tinker is their entrée into the upper strata of NY society and they make the most of it. The two girls both have their eye on Tinker, but when they are all involved in a car accident in which Evey is seriously injured, Tinker allows guilt to override his attraction to Katey and takes up with Evey instead. Katey, who is possessed of little money but much intelligence – and a lot of nerve – finds that by the end of 1938 she has thrown in a steady job, embarked on a career in publishing, fallen in and out of love, gatecrashed her way into society parties and drunk way too much gin. A thoroughly entertaining, smoothly written novel, highly recommended! **Lindy** 352pp Hb \$29.99



There But For The Ali Smith

This is one of those novels that leaves an ember smouldering just under the surface. A normal dinner party, a normal family, a seemingly normal guest – until he locks himself in their spare room and refuses to come out. It is this simple yet complex act of rebellion, perhaps a whim, that forces strangers together. People must suddenly confront who they are, what they want and how far they will push others out of the way to get it. Written in similar style to *The Accidental* (Pb \$24.95), yet the prose seems more refined and a touch more romantic. It certainly plants a seed, one that continues to grow long after you have finished drinking in the delicious pages. **Meg** 384pp Pb \$26.95



1835 The Founding of Melbourne and the Conquest of Australia James Boyce

Boyce makes a very good case for believing that the founding of Melbourne and the opening up of the surrounding area to sheep and cattle grazing was the most important event in the history of this country. And what was important was not just that these things happened, but how they happened. In a few short years, the settlers went from creating a treaty with the aboriginal inhabitants to almost wiping them out in the mad scramble to grab as much land as possible. Why did it happen this way? Could it have been done differently? This is an important book that should be read by all Australians who want to know how this country came to be. **Dave** 288pp Hb \$44.95



FICTION

Father of the Rain Lily King

Daley is 11 years old when her parents split up. While her mother thrives in her new life, her father loses control of his, seeking solace in liquor. As Daley grows older, she watches him transform from a charismatic father into a manipulative drunk. College offers an escape route, where she becomes a passionate and remarkable academic. But as her father loses the will to live, the past and present collide. Should Daley return to the scene of her childhood or embrace her future? 368pp Tp \$29.99



Afterwards Rosamund Lupton

A school is on fire and one mother, Grace, sees the smoke and runs to help, knowing her teenage daughter Jenny is inside. After rescuing her daughter, she must find the identity of the arsonist and protect her family from the person who is still intent on destroying them. Whilst she fights the limits of her physical strength, she discovers there is no limit to love... 480pp Tp \$29.99



State of Wonder Ann Patchett

Among the tangled waterways of the Brazilian Rio Negro, scientist Dr Annick Swenson is developing a drug that could alter the lives of women forever. Yet she refuses to report on her progress, and her investors' patience is fast running out. But hope remains with Marina Singh, once a student of Swenson. What Marina doesn't know is that in the ancient corner of the South American jungle, she will face challenges beyond her wildest imagination. 368pp Tp \$29.99



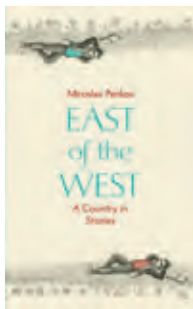
Shieldwall Justin Hill

England, 1016. The Viking armies blockade London and King Ethelred is dying. Godwin, barely out of boyhood, is destined to become one of his country's great warriors. When Ethelred's son Edmund takes the throne, determined to succeed where his father failed, he plucks Godwin from domestic peace to be his right-hand man. Godwin and Edmund must repel the butchering Danes, while the treacherous Earl Eadric dogs Godwin's footstep and sets his trap. 416pp Tp \$32.99



East of the West Miroslav Penkov

Meet a teenager who swims by night across the border river to steal a kiss from his girlfriend, an ageing man who finds a cachet of love letters his wife has kept for 60 years, and a post-Communist girl and avowed thief with a heart of gold. Here are the author's most beguiling visions of his home country, Bulgaria - stories of those who mourn the way things were, those who long for what will never be, and those who wrestle with the weight of history and the pangs of exile. 256pp Tp \$35



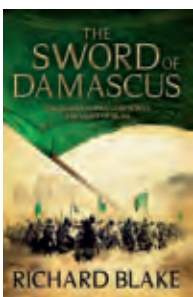
When We Have Wings Claire Corbett

Human flight is now a physical reality that only the rich and powerful can afford. Peri, a poor girl from the regions, will sacrifice anything to get her wings and join these elite... but the price is higher than she imagined. So why does she throw it all away? Feel the exhilaration and terror of flight - over vertiginous skyscrapers, into wild storms and across hypnotic wilderness - in this daringly imaginative novel that explores the limits of self-transformation! 480pp Tp \$32.99



The Sword of Damascus Richard Blake

Intrigue delivers the murderous antihero Aelric to Damascus as the triumphant Muslim caliphate sweeps up from Arabia to threaten Constantinople itself. Aelric knows the secrets behind Greek Fire, the flame-throwers that have kept what is left of the once-mighty Roman empire safe until now. And he has very little choice about sharing them with the new rulers. Or so they think... for Aelric has not lost any of the cunning and courage that has kept him alive! 432pp Tp \$29.99



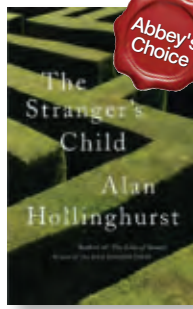
The Death of the Adversary Hans Keilson

In 1930s Germany, the shadow of Nazism looms. Our hero is 10 when his world changes. Suddenly, other children won't let him join in their games. Later, he is refused a job on a shopfloor. Later still, he hears youths boasting of an attack on a Jewish cemetery. Both hypnotised and horrified, our hero chronicles the fear, anger and defiance of everyday life under tyranny. Written while the author was in hiding during WWII, this novel is a powerful account of what he outlived. 224pp Hb \$29.95



The Stranger's Child Alan Hollinghurst

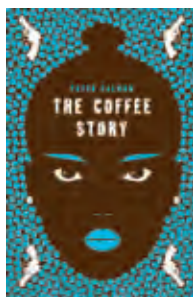
It is late summer of the last year before the Great War. Cecil Valance, a beautiful young aristocratic poet, is visiting Two Acres, the home of his Cambridge friend and lover, George Sawle. On his departure, Cecil leaves a poem dedicated to George's younger sister Daphne, which when published becomes a touchstone for a generation, symbolising an England in its final glory. Meanwhile Daphne has also become involved with Cecil's family, visiting their Victorian Gothic country house, Corley, and developing a relationship with Cecil's brooding, manipulative brother, Dudley, that will link the families forever. Tp \$32.99 \$27.99



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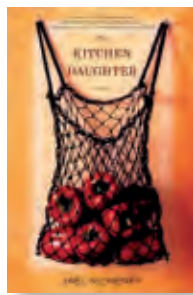
The Coffee Story Peter Salmon

At the end of his life, Teddy Everett, heir to the Everett fortune, realises he may have been at his best when he was 14, the night Kebreth made him a communist by rubbing coffee bean oil on his face. Then he was with Lucy who gave him Chinese burns and taught him how to smoke. As he remembers his family, his wives and his wives' lovers, he tries to understand what happened to Kebreth. Fuelled by caffeine and full of vituperation, this is a riotously original debut! 288pp Tp \$29.99



The Kitchen Daughter Jael McHenry

After the death of her parents, 26-year-old Ginny Selvaggio seeks comfort in cooking from family recipes. When the scent of her Nonna's soup draws the ghost of Nonna herself, she appears with a cryptic warning. Meanwhile Ginny's sister insists on selling their parents' house. As Ginny packs her parents' belongings, she finds evidence of family secrets. And there's only one way to get answers: cook from dead people's recipes, raise their ghosts and ask them! 272pp Hb \$19.99



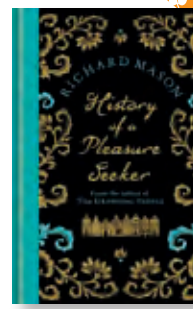
Lion of the Sun Warrior of Rome III Harry Sidebottom

Mesopotamia, AD 260. Betrayed by his most trusted adviser, the Roman Emperor Valerian has been captured by the Sassanid barbarians. Ballista vows to seek vengeance against those who have brought the empire to the brink with their treachery. First he must decide what price he will pay for his own freedom, for only the fearless and only those whom the gods will spare from hell can now save the empire from a catastrophic ending... 480pp Pb \$19.95



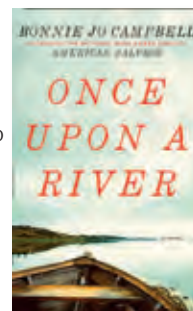
History of a Pleasure Seeker Richard Mason

In 1907, the belle epoque is in full swing. Piet Barol has escaped the drabness of the provinces for the grandest mansion in Amsterdam. As tutor to the son of Europe's wealthiest hotelier, he learns the intimate secrets of this glittering family... and changes it forever. With nothing but his exquisite looks and wit to rely on, he is determined to make a fortune. But in the heady exhilaration of this new world, Piet discovers he has cultivated some dangerous liaisons... 288pp Tp \$32.99



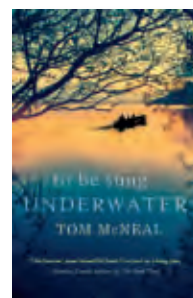
Once Upon a River Bonnie Jo Campbell

After finding herself complicit in the violent death of her father, Margo takes to the Stark River in search of her vanished mother. But the river is a dangerous place for a lone woman and to survive she must use her knowledge of the natural world and her ability to look into the hearts of those around her. Her odyssey through rural Michigan becomes a defining journey, one that leads her beyond self-preservation and to decide what price she is willing to pay for her choices. 352pp Pb \$24.99



To be Sung Underwater Tom McNeal

Before Judith's marriage to a banker and her career as a film editor in LA, she was 17 and living in Nebraska, where she met the carpenter Willy Blunt. Marrying Willy seemed a natural thing, but a violent episode followed by acceptance to a prestigious university changed everything. 20 years later, her pragmatic marriage is hazy with secrets. What happens when she holds in her hand the number of the man who believed her so long ago, when she declared her love for him? 448pp Tp \$29.99



The Sweetness of Tears Nafisa Haji

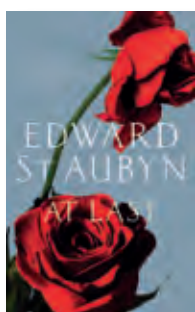
When faith and facts collide, Jo March wrestles with questions about herself and how she fits into the weave of her Evangelical Christian family. Chasing loose threads, she sets off on a quest across the boundaries of language and religion in the Muslim world. Against the backdrop of the War on Terror, Jo delves into the past, encountering relatives whose histories are intricately intertwined with her own... only to learn that true spiritual devotion is never as it seems. 383pp Pb \$24.99



At Last

Edward St Aubyn

A new novel from the **Man Booker** shortlisted author of *Mother's Milk* (Pb \$22.95). For Patrick 'family' is more than a double-edged sword. As friends and relations trickle in to pay final respects to his mother Eleanor, an heiress who forsook grandeur for 'good works' bestowed upon everyone but her own child, Patrick finds his transition to orphanhood isn't the liberation he had imagined. Yet as the service ends and the family gather for a final party, Patrick senses a new current... 265pp Tp \$32.99



Two Greeks

John Charalambous

Cypriot migrant Haralambos Stylianou crosses the world to live in suburban Melbourne. He marries Carol, fathers Angela and Andy, and rules his quarter-acre kingdom like a tyrant. Ten-year-old Andy figures all fathers must be part ogre, part Zeus, while his mother eagerly awaits the advent of a no-fault divorce. But Andy has a melodramatic mind and normal family life seems impossible... until one day in 1974, a Greek voice pierces the Anglosphere promising to put the kingdom right! 264pp Pb \$24.95



The Anthology of Colonial Australian Adventure Fiction

Ken Gelder & Rachael Weaver [editors]

Marauding bushrangers, lost explorers, mad shepherds, new chums and mounted troopers – these are some of the characters who populate the perilous world of colonial Australian adventure fiction. Squatters defend their hard-earned properties from attack, while natural disasters threaten to wipe any trace of settlement away. This anthology collects the best examples of this genre, including stories by Ernest Favenc, Louis Becke, Rosa Praed, Guy Boothby and many others. 288pp Tp \$39.99

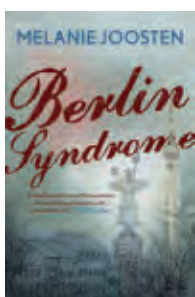


AUSTRALIAN FICTION

Berlin Syndrome

Melanie Joosten

Berlin, 2006. Clare is an architectural photographer who has taken leave from her job in Australia to travel through Eastern Europe. One afternoon, she meets Andi, a native Berliner and English teacher. There is an instant attraction and when Andi invites her to stay, Clare thinks she has found somewhere to call home. But as the days pass and the walls of Andi's apartment close in, she wonders if it's really love that Andi is after... or something more sinister. 256pp Tp \$29.95



Last Summer

Kylie Ladd

Rory is a 'knockabout Aussie bloke' and devoted family man who captains the second-grade cricket team at Regents Park Cricket Club. When he suddenly dies at a training session, the tragic event creates enormous shockwaves that irrevocably affect the lives of his teammates and their wives and children. Told from the point of view of the nine people who mourn his death, this riveting novel presents a vivid snapshot of contemporary suburban Australian life. 344pp Tp \$29.99



I am Max Lamm

Raphael Brous

A young Australian tennis player, Max arrives in London to escape the internet sex scandal that destroyed his career. But trouble follows Max and, one night in Camden Town, he accidentally kills a 15-year-old Pakistani boy who tries to mug him, so he finds himself on the run once again. As the East End erupts into street protests over 'racially motivated murder', he finds refuge with Kelly, the spoiled daughter of a powerful US senator. But as he plots his own salvation, Kelly faces a difficult choice... 264pp Tp \$27.95

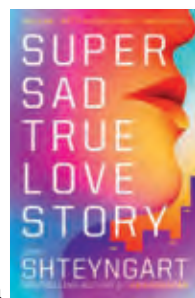


Super Sad

True Love Story

Gary Shteyngart

In the near future, America is crushed by financial crisis and the nation's Chinese creditors may just be ready to foreclose on the whole mess. Then Lenny Abramov, son of a Russian immigrant janitor and an ardent fan of "printed and bound media artefacts" (otherwise known as books), meets Eunice Park – an impossibly cute Korean American woman with a major in 'Images' and a minor in 'Assertiveness'. While New York City riots, could falling in love redeem a planet falling apart? 272pp Pb \$22.99



There Should Be More Dancing

Rosalie Ham

Margery Blandon lived quietly in Brunswick for 60 years until events drove her to the Tropic Hotel. There she contemplates what went wrong. Her best friend kept an astonishing secret from her. It's possible her firstborn son has betrayed her and that her second son Morris has committed a crime. Her only daughter wants to kill her and her dead sister helped her to her final downfall. Even worse, it seems Margery's life-long neighbour and now demented enemy always knew the truth... Tp \$32.95

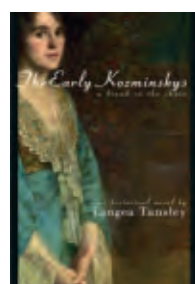


The Early Kozminskys

A Break in the Chain

Tanea Tansley

In 1856, Simon Kozminsky travelled from Prussia to begin a new life in the fledgling colony of Victoria. In the heady days of the gold rush, he established a jewellery house that would gain world renown. But behind the glittering facade of wealth, glamour and influence lay a darker, sadder story – a mysterious rift between Simon and his eldest son. With authenticity and dramatic verve, the author brings the Melbourne of the past alive in a tale of fortune and faith, love and betrayal. Tp \$27.95



BIOGRAPHY

The Girl from Baghdad

The True Story of a Woman Torn Between Two Worlds

Michelle Nouri

Michelle Nouri grew up in vibrant pre-war Baghdad. A privileged child, she didn't fully understand the tensions between East and West. The idyllic city of her childhood was devastated by war and her father deserted his family to take a second wife. Michelle, her mother and sisters were abandoned and left impoverished and so embarked on a painful and emotional journey between cultures. Tp \$29.95



The Grey Man

My Undercover War Against the Child Sex Trade in Asia

John Curtis

'The Grey Man' is the organisation and brainchild of John Curtis, a former Special Forces soldier who puts his energy into fighting the child sex trade in Asia. This book documents his early life through to his first rescue of a young victim of the sex trade. The organisation has now become an NGO rescuing hundreds of women and children in Thailand and Cambodia, with plans to expand. Tp \$34.99



The Story of Charlotte's Web

E B White and the Birth of a Children's Classic

Michael Sims

Michael Sims chronicles White's animal-rich youth and dreams of being a writer; the vibrant early years of the New Yorker, where urban nature was White's ever-present theme. This book will add richness and appreciation for anyone who has loved, or has yet to read this cherished classic. 320pp Hb \$35



Dante in Love

A N Wilson

Wilson paints a masterful portrait of Dante Alighieri and unlocks one of the seminal works of literature for a new generation of readers. He explains how the Italian States were at that time locked into violent feuds, mirrored in the ferocious competition between the Holy Roman Empire and the papacy. A glittering study of an artist and his world, arguing that without an understanding of medieval Florence, it is impossible to comprehend the meaning of Dante's great poem, *Inferno*. 400pp Hb \$55 ~~\$44.95~~

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Stieg and Me

Memories of a Life with Stieg Larsson

Eva Gabrielsson

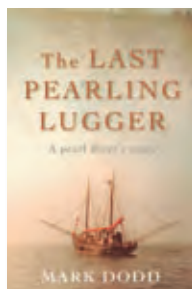
No one knew Stieg Larsson like his lifelong companion Eva. This book reveals the story of their 30-year romance, of Stieg's lifelong struggle to expose Sweden's Neo-Nazis, of his fight to keep his magazine *Expo* alive, and of his difficult relationships with his immediate family. Eva discusses the genesis of the *Millennium* trilogy, the mystery of the fourth volume and the saga of Stieg's death and his legacy. This poignant story is told with candour and dignity. 240pp Pb \$24.99



The Last Pearling Lugger

Mark Dodd

Mark Dodd arrived in Broome in 1978 as a 20-year-old looking for adventure after working his way across northern Australia. There he fell in with the crew of the fabled *DMcD*, one of the last of the old wooden pearling luggers that still worked the Kimberley coast diving for pearl shell. His story is both an adventure and a wonderfully nostalgic account of an industry and a way of life that has now gone forever. Tp \$34.99



Black Swan

A Koorie Woman's Life

Eileen Harrison

Eileen Harrison and her 10 siblings felt secure growing up at the Lake Tyers Aboriginal Mission Station in the 1950s. Chosen as the ideal family to test the new policy of assimilation, they were wrenched from the Mission and sent off to Ararat. Unable to build a stable life in the face of isolation and discrimination, the family is torn apart. Eileen must become the protector and the peacemaker. Powerfully told, her experiences speak eloquently of what has happened to Aboriginal people over the last half-century. 256pp Tp \$29.99

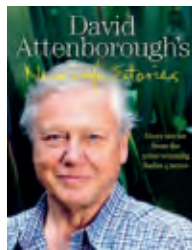


New Life Stories

More Stories from his Acclaimed Radio 4 Series

Sir David Attenborough

This is the second instalment of Sir David's look back at the wildlife that has captured his imagination and enthusiasm over his distinguished career. He shares his thoughts on a range of topics, from fauna like the Kiwi, Cuckoo and Chameleon to flora like Charnia and the canopy, as well as other famous naturalists like evolutionary biologist Alfred Russell Wallace. The real magic of this volume, however, is his interaction with the natural world. 224pp Hb \$49.99



Tamil Tigress

My Story as a Child Soldier in Sri Lanka's Bloody Civil War

Niromi de Soya

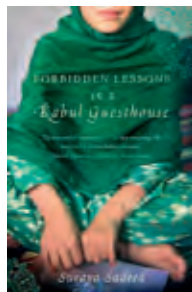
At 17, Niromi de Soya became part of a small platoon of Tamil Tigers fighting government forces in the civil war that was to engulf Sri Lanka. Leaving behind her shocked middle-class family, she became part of the Tamil Tigers' first female contingent. Equipped with little more than a rifle and a cyanide capsule, she managed to survive on her wits in the jungle. Today she lives in Sydney with her husband and children, but Niromi de Soya is definitely not your ordinary woman... 336pp Tp \$32.99



Forbidden Lessons in a Kabul Guesthouse

Suraya Sadeed

Suraya Sadeed is a wealthy Afghan woman who became an exile in America after the Russians invaded, where she built a successful life for herself and her family. After her husband died, she returned to Afghanistan to help those who had suffered during the years of the invasion, the Taliban's reign, and post 9/11 trauma. A true heroine, she founded 'Help the Afghan Children', a charity that has raised millions to set up schools and clinics in Afghanistan and to help the displaced people of the region. 288pp Tp \$32.99



The Price of Life

Nigel Brennan et al

In 2008, photo-journalist Nigel Brennan travelled to Somalia with Canadian reporter Amanda Lindhout, only to be kidnapped and held for ransom. After official government negotiations ground to a halt, his sister Nicky and his sister-in-law Kellie took matters into their own hands. The fight to free Nigel took its toll on all of them, but they discovered what tough stuff they are made of. 336pp Tp \$29.95



TRAVEL

A Winter on the Nile

Anthony Sattin

In the winter of 1849, Florence Nightingale was beautiful, well-born and unhappy. After refusing to marry, she embarked on a trip to Egypt, by coincidence taking the same boat as French writer Gustave Flaubert. Sattin takes a key moment in the lives of two extraordinary figures on the brink of fame and provides a fascinating insight into the early days of travel to one of the greatest tourist destinations on the planet. 320pp Pb \$24.95

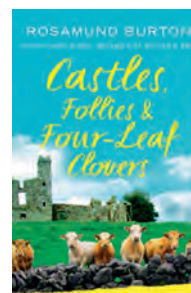


Castles, Follies and Four-Leaf Clovers

Adventures Along Ireland's St Declan's Way

Rosamund Burton

Lent a map of the ancient highway and pilgrim route, St Declan's Way, Rosamund is intrigued and returns to Ireland. Setting off from the famous Rock of Cashel, she travels through small towns and villages, tracing the footsteps of St Declan. Stories of goddesses, ghosts and fairies are intertwined with the eccentricities and daily lives of everyday people. 288pp Pb \$24.99



Marooned on Mogmog

A Remote Island, a Shipwrecked Aussie Family, a Clash of Cultures

Jennifer Barrie

Despite a combined boating experience of 65 years, Jennifer Barrie, her husband Andrew and their two young daughters literally wash up on the tiny island of Mogmog in Micronesia. Fortunately for the Barrie family, Mogmog is inhabited by a bunch of friendly locals... or so they think. This is the true story of a modern-day family that survived a shipwreck and months stranded on one of the world's most remote islands - where paradise isn't always what it seems... 288pp Tp \$35



Single White Female in Hanoi

Carolyn Shine

Sydney-based musician Carolyn Shine moves to Hanoi on a whim, expecting to find romance and culture. Funny, warm and engaging, her travel memoir introduces a cast of memorable Vietnamese characters, as well as her fellow foreigners searching for love and adventure. This is a beguiling evocation of Hanoi and its people: pungent, earthy and sensual. 400pp Tp \$29.95



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Meetings with Remarkable Travel Writers

Michael Palin et al

Introduced by Michael Palin, this volume features original stories from 25 top travel writers including Paul Theroux, Sara Wheeler, William Dalrymple, Patrick Leigh Fermor, Jan Morris, Dervla Murphy and others. Each of the stories takes as its theme a meeting – life changing, affecting, amusing by turn – and together they transport readers into a brilliant, vivid atlas of encounters! 448pp Pb \$24.99



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On the Edge of Islam from Zanzibar to the Alhambra

Tim Mackintosh-Smith

Mackintosh-Smith follows the path of Tangierian Ibn Batutta, who travelled far and wide to landfalls in remote tropical islands, torrid Indian Ocean ports and dusty towns on the shores of the Saharan sand-sea. In the 1300s, Batutta out-travelled Marco Polo by a factor of three, spending his days with saints and sultans and his nights with a string of slave-concubines. 384pp Pb \$24.99



HISTORY

City of Sin

London and Its Vices

Catharine Arnold

If Paris is the city of love, then London is the city of lust. In the third book of her fascinating London trilogy, award-winning historian Arnold turns her gaze to the city's relationship with vice through the ages. With chapters looking at Victorian London and the sexual underground of the 20th century and beyond, this is a fascinating and vibrant chronicle of a raw and ribald London. 384pp Pb \$22.99

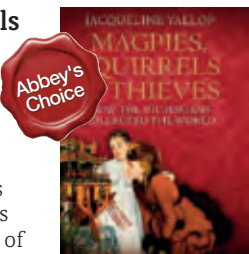


Magpies, Squirrels and Thieves

How the Victorians Collected the World

Jacqueline Yallop

Drawing on journals, eye-witness accounts and news reports this book tells the stories of some of the period's most intriguing collectors and their hazardous journeys. Dodgy dealing and forgery, a cut-throat world of the fashionable London market and a competitive spirit that drove the country's collectors. The book explores the emergence of the roles of dealer, collector and curator, the expansion of museums and how collecting became a middle-class pastime, rather than being confined to the aristocracy. 320pp Hb \$59.99 \$49.99



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The Medici, Savonarola and the Battle for the Soul of the Renaissance City

Paul Strathern

The Medici embodied the progressive spirit of the Renaissance and in Lorenzo the Magnificent they possessed a diplomat capable of protecting the militarily weak city of Florence. However, Lorenzo found his nemesis in the form of an unprepossessing provincial monk, Savonarola. Here Strathern reveals the paradoxes, self-doubts and political compromises within one of the most complex and important moments in Western history. 448pp Hb \$49.95 \$44.95



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The Settler Revolution and the Rise of the Angloworld, 1783 – 1939

James Belich

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Nagasaki

Living in the Shadow of the Bomb

Craig Collie

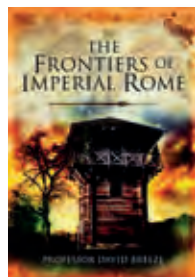
Nagasaki follows ordinary people on the ground in the hours after the dropping of the bomb, including a group of Dutch, English and 24 Australian POWs who were digging air-raid shelters and repairing bridges near the bomb's epicentre. By the close of day four of the atomic age, 80,000 non-combatants had died or were dying from the dropping of that single Nagasaki bomb. 352pp Pb \$32.99



The Frontiers of Imperial Rome

David Breeze

At its height, the Roman Empire was the greatest empire ever seen, its borders stretching from the rain-swept highlands of Scotland in the north to the sun-scorched Nubian desert in the south. But how were the vast and varied stretches of frontier defined and defended? This is a detailed and wide-ranging study of the frontier systems of the Roman Empire by a leading expert. 288pp Hb \$49.95



Vesuvius

The Most Famous Volcano in the World

Gillian Darley

Vesuvius, nestled over the Bay of Naples, has experienced nearly 30 major eruptions since AD 79, but none has matched the cataclysm of the eruption which destroyed Pompeii and Herculaneum within hours. Since then, Vesuvius has been speculated upon, feared and celebrated by writers, artists and tourists. Rampant modern development means that millions could be at risk when it next erupts. This volume explores the richly fascinating history of this king of the natural wonders. 224pp Hb \$35

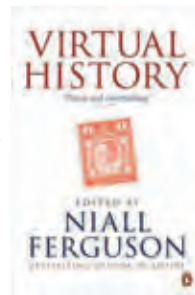


Virtual History

Alternatives and Counterfactuals

Niall Ferguson (editor)

What if Britain had stayed out of the First World War? What if Germany had won the Second? How would England look if there had been no Cromwell? What would the world be like if Communism had never collapsed? And what if John F Kennedy had survived his assassination? In this acclaimed book, leading historians from Andrew Roberts to Michael Burleigh explore what might have been if nine of the most decisive moments in modern history had never happened. 560pp Pb \$24.95



Rome

A Cultural History

Robert Hughes

Hughes' compelling exposition of Rome begins with the founding of the city, shrouded in legend, but with archaeological evidence supporting the theory that Rome coalesced from pastoral settlements into a city around 8 BC. For almost a millennium, Rome was the most politically important, richest and largest city in the Western world. This book ranges over that history, through to the 1950s-60s when Rome acquired yet another identity as the fashionable home of 'La Dolce Vita'. 576pp Hb \$50 \$44.95



Venetian Navigators

The Voyages of the Zen Brothers to the Far North

Andrea di Robilant

In the 1300s, Nicolo and Antonio Zen journeyed from Venice up the North Atlantic, reaching the New World a full century before Columbus. The story of their adventure spread throughout Europe, from the workshop of the great cartographer Mercator to the court of Elizabeth I. For centuries, the brothers were international celebrities... until the story was denounced as a hoax in 1835. This book reveals the truth behind the Zen voyages. 256pp Hb \$35



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King's Gold
Medieval West Country Mystery #30

London, 1326. King Edward II is a prisoner and the forces of his vengeful queen, Isabella and her lover Sir Roger Mortimer, are rising. The Bardi family, bankers who have funded the King, must look to their future with the Queen while navigating between rival factions. Guarding the deposed King on behalf of Mortimer, Sir Baldwin de Furnhill and Bailiff Simon Puttock find themselves entangled in a net of conspiracy, greed, betrayal and murder...

[English, Historical] 544pp Tp \$29.99

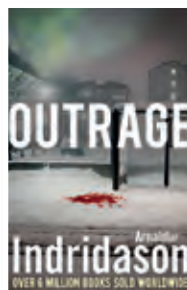


Arnaldur Indridason
Outrage

Reykjavik Murders #7

In a flat near Reykjavik city centre, a young man lies dead in a pool of blood, although there are no signs of a break-in or struggle. A shawl found under the bed gives off a strong and unusual aroma. A vial of narcotics found in the victim's pocket among other clues soon lead Erlendur's colleagues down a trail of hidden violence, psychological brutality and wrongs that will never be fully righted.

[Icelandic, Police Procedural]
320pp Tp \$32.95



Tom Rob Smith
Agent 6

Leo Demidov #3

Moscow, 1965. Former Secret Service agent Leo Demidov's worst fears are realised when a murder destroys everything he loves. He demands only one thing – to find the killer who struck his family. Crippled by grief, his request denied, Leo takes matters into his own hands, thousands of miles from the crime scene. From the backstreets of 1960s New York to the mountains of 1980s Afghanistan, Leo will stop at nothing to find the truth...

[English, Espionage] Tp \$29.99

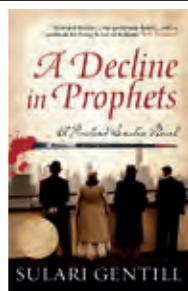


Sulari Gentill

A Decline in Prophets
Rowland Sinclair #2

The highly anticipated sequel to *A Few Right Thinking Men* (Pb \$22.99) and short listed for the prestigious *Commonwealth Writers Prize for Best First Book*. In this second instalment, Rowland and his friends sail for Australia on the RMS Aquitania, after being abroad for six months. It is on this journey back to Sydney that they get caught up in deception, seduction... and murder.

[Australian, Suspense] 288pp Tp \$29.99



Johan Theorin

The Quarry

On the Swedish island of Oland, Per Morner receives a desperate phone call from his father Jerry, who has been stabbed and left for dead in his blazing woodland studio. When two dead bodies are discovered in the burnt-out building, Jerry's work partner is confirmed as one of them. But Jerry insists his colleague is alive. When Jerry dies in hospital a few days later, Per is determined to know the truth...

[Swedish, Suspense] 416pp Tp \$32.95



M C Beaton

Agatha Raisin and the Busy Body
Agatha Raisin #21

Agatha Raisin has never been one for enforced holiday cheer, but her friendly little village of Carsely has always prided itself on its traditional Christmas festivities. However, this year the bells will not be ringing out 'Silent Night', as Officer John Sunday sees Christmas as the time to crack down on "gross misconduct" by the townsfolk. It's not long before Sunday turns up dead and Agatha is on the case!

[English, Cosy] 224pp Pb \$19.99



RIP

LILIAN JACKSON BRAUN

American author Lilian Jackson Braun has died at age 97. Lilian will be remembered for *The Cat Who* series which centres on the character Jim Qwilleran and his Siamese cats, Koko and Yum Yum. Debuting in 1966 with

The Cat Who Could Read Backwards

(Pb \$13.95), Lilian has

released a total of 29 *The Cat Who* tales. She will be greatly missed.



STELLAR BARGAINS ON STELLA!

Stella Rimington

Rip Tide

Liz Carlyle #6

When pirates attack a cargo ship off the Somali coast and one of them is found to be a well-to-do British-born Pakistani, MI5 Intelligence Officer Liz Carlyle is brought in to establish why he is onboard a pirate skiff and armed with a Kalashnikov. After an undercover operative connected to the case turns up dead in Athens, Liz and her team must unravel the connections between Pakistan, Greece and Somalia – before trouble brews closer to home!

[English, Espionage] 384pp Tp \$29.99



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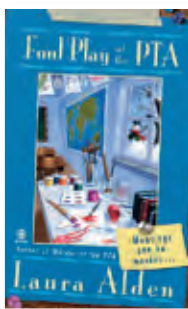


Sheila Connolly Let's Play Dead Museum Mysteries #2

The new exhibit at the Philadelphia Children's Museum isn't meant to be shocking. But when one of the installers is fatally zapped by an electronically animated forest creature, it's up to president of the Pennsylvania Antiquarian Society, Nell Pratt, to put her detective skills on display and discover who is trying to sabotage the exhibit and discredit the museum president.
[American, Cosy] 304pp Pb \$13.95

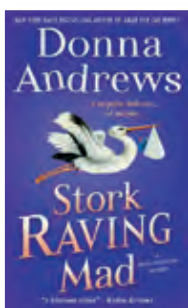
Laura Alden Foul Play at the PTA Beth Kennedy #2

PTA meetings at Tarver Elementary School can get pretty heated. After one parent, Sam Helmstetter, is strangled in his car following a meeting, all evidence points to his employee Yvonne. Mum and PTA secretary Beth Kennedy and her best friend Marina, both believe that Yvonne is innocent. Fearing there may be a cold-blooded killer in the group, Beth places her reputation - and her life - on the line to catch them!
[American, Cosy] 320pp Pb \$11.95



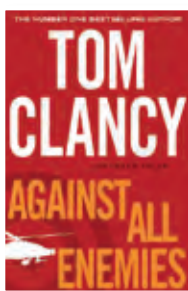
Donna Andrews Stork Raving Mad Meg Langslow #12

Meg is pregnant with twins when Michael asks if she would be willing to host a Spanish playwright as their houseguest. She agrees, but it turns out that Senor Mendoza is a raucous party dude. When the dean of the English department insists Mendoza's play be cancelled, he is found murdered and Meg's house becomes a crime scene. Now it's up to Meg to help Chief Burke solve the murders... and give birth to twins!
[American, Cosy] 320pp Pb \$13.95



Tom Clancy Against All Enemies

When CIA agent Maxwell Moore arrives at a rendezvous to take charge of a high-ranking Taliban captive, the mission backfires. Undaunted, Moore seeks the truth, leading to the revelation that the Taliban and a Mexican drug cartel have forged an alliance. It is up to Moore and his team to infiltrate and dismantle the drug cartel, while hunting down terrorists who could bring destruction to the streets of America.
[American, Espionage] 768pp Hb \$49.95



David Baldacci Hell's Corner Camel Club #5

When a bomb is detonated in what looks like a terrorist plot directed at the US President and the British Prime Minister, Oliver Stone must investigate alongside MI5 agent Mary Chapman, as well as the rest of the Camel Club. But the bombing may not have been the actual plan and it seems the mysterious attackers had another target in their sights. It's up to the Camel Club to stop them... or face the catastrophic results!
[American, Espionage] 615pp Pb \$19.99



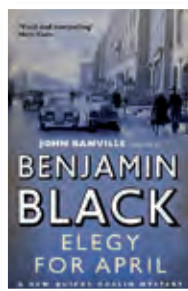
Linwood Barclay Never Look Away

David hopes a day at an amusement park will help dispel his wife Jan's depression. Instead, a day of fun with their son turns into a nightmare. When Jan disappears from the park David reports her missing. But the park's records show that only two tickets were purchased and CCTV shows no evidence that Jan ever entered the park at all. Suddenly David comes under suspicion from the police. To prove his innocence David must confront his past...
[Canadian, Suspense] 528pp Pb \$19.99



Benjamin Black Elegy for April Quirke #3

Dublin, 1950s. When Phoebe Griffin is unable to discover news of her missing friend April, she seeks help from Quirke, her father. But as Phoebe, Quirke and Inspector Hackett speak with those who knew April, they realise there was more behind the young woman's discretion than they imagined. When Quirke makes a disturbing discovery, he is finally able to unravel the great, complex web of love, lies, jealousy and secrecy which April spun her life from...
[Irish, Suspense] 320pp Pb \$22.99



Annette Blair Skirting the Grave Vintage Magic #4

Maddie Cutler thought she was taking on a new design intern for her vintage clothing boutique. Instead she finds the new intern, Imogen, dead at the train station under suspicious circumstances. To complicate matters, an impostor arrives at her doorstep later in the evening claiming to be Imogen. Now, Maddie is determined to iron out the wrinkles of this mystery... all the while, helping to plan her sister's baby shower!
[American, Cosy] 288pp Pb \$13.95



Alexander Campion The Grave Gourmet Capucine Culinary #1

After dining on such delicacies as oyster sorbet and avocado soufflé, Jean-Louis Delage, president of automotive giant Renault, has been found dead in the kitchen freezer of a famed restaurant. Parisian detective Capucine LeTellier tries to crack the case, with the help of three comical detectives, her food-critic husband, and her flirtatious cousin... who just also happens to be a government agent!
[American, Culinary] 312pp Pb \$23.95



Rebecca Cantrell A Night of Long Knives Hannah Vogel #2

In 1931, journalist Hannah Vogel took her son Anton from the man claiming to be his father - Ernst Rohm, head of the Nazi SA. Three years later Hannah and Anton are on board a zeppelin that gets diverted to Munich where they are kidnapped by Rohm and separated. When Hitler orders the execution of the SA and Rohm is killed before Hannah can ascertain Anton's whereabouts she enlists all her resources to locate Anton... before the Gestapo do.
[American, Suspense] 333pp Pb \$23.95



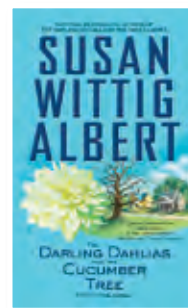
Will Carver Girl 4

DI January David is confronted by a lifeless figure suspended ten feet above a theatre stage, blood pouring from her face into a coffin below. This gruesome execution is the work of an elusive serial killer. Three women from three different London suburbs are each murdered with chilling precision. And as January stares at the most beautiful corpse he's ever seen, he detects the killer's hallmark. But Girl 4 is different: she is alive. And January recognises her...
[English, Police Procedural] 368pp Pb \$24.95



Susan Wittig Albert The Darling Dahlias and the Cucumber Tree Darling Dahlias #1

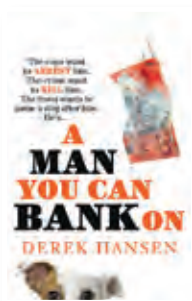
The good old Depression-era ladies of Darling, Alabama, are determined to keep their town beautiful. The Darling Dahlias garden club is off to a good start until rumours of trouble at a bank, an escaped convict, buried treasure, a young woman's murder and a ghost digging around their tree come to the surface. If anyone can get to the root of these mysteries, it's the Darling Dahlias!
[American, Cosy] 304pp Pb \$13.95



Derek Hansen
A Man You Can Bank On

When the drought-ravaged country town of Munni-Munni uncover \$3m stolen by bandits and buried in the middle of nowhere, they turn to former bank manager, Lambert Hampton, to use the money and his entrepreneurial skills to set the town on a viable economic footing. When the crims are released from gaol, Lambert finds himself risking everything – including his daughter and a very cute Jack Russell – to save the town and all he's achieved!

[Australian, Suspense] 336pp Tp \$29.99



Garry Disher
Whispering Death
Inspector Challis #6

On Hal Challis's Peninsula beat, a rapist in a police uniform stalks the streets, a serial armed robber is headed in his direction and a mysterious female cat burglar is planning something on Challis's patch. Meanwhile, at the Waterloo Police Station, Challis finds his offiders have their own issues. Scobie Sutton is headed for a career crisis; and something interesting is going on between Constable Pam Murphy and the feisty young sergeant, Jeanne Schiff.

[Australian, Police Procedural] 336pp Tp \$32.95



Tess Gerritsen
The Silent Girl

When a dead woman is found in a Chinatown alley in downtown Boston, the only clues to her identity that detective Jane Rizzoli can find are a throwaway cell phone and a scrawled address of a long-shuttered restaurant. Chinatown is a closed neighbourhood of long-held secrets, so when pathologist Dr Maura Isles determines that the murder weapon was a sword crafted of antiquated metal from China, it's clear that an ancient evil is stirring...

[American, Police Procedural] 336pp Tp \$32.95



Clive Cussler
Lost Empire
Fargo Adventure #2

Off the Tanzanian coast, husband and wife treasure-hunting team Sam and Remi Fargo discover a huge ship's bell covered in cryptic carvings. Mexican President Quauhtli Garza knows the bell originates from a former Confederate ship that sank off the African coast and fears the discovery will undermine his plans for Mexico. The Fargos are drawn into a deadly conspiracy connecting the 1883 Krakatoa explosion with an attempt to resurrect the Aztec empire...

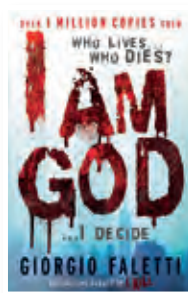
[American, Archaeological] 460pp Pb \$19.95



Giorgio Faletti
I am God

The explosion of a 22 storey building lead the police to face up to a dreadful reality: some of New York's buildings were mined at the time of their construction. But which ones? A young female detective who hides her personal demons behind a tough facade and a former press photographer with a past he'd rather forget are the only hope of stopping a psychopath who does not claim responsibility for his actions. A psychopath who believes himself to be God. Also available: *I Kill* (Pb \$16.99)

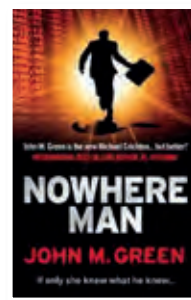
[Italian, Suspense] 464pp Pb \$24.99



John M Green
Nowhere Man

Wealthy stock trader Michael Hunt has a past he's not even shared with Sonya, his university professor wife. But Sonya is forced to piece it together when Michael disappears, leaving her with millions in debt and many unanswered questions. Until she stumbles on strange files that could be the keys to repaying her debts, to finding Michael and to explaining why he left... and why he lied. Sonya's hunt for Michael will soon become a search for herself.

[Australian, Suspense] 384pp Pb \$22.99



Arne Dahl
Misterioso

Detective Paul Hjelm is unexpectedly placed into an elite team of officers on a mission to track down a killer who is systematically targeting Sweden's high-profile business leaders. As Hjelm and the team navigate the underworlds of the Russian Mafia and the secretive members-only society of Sweden's wealthiest denizens, they must also delve into the country's deep-rooted xenophobia, in a small nation that is becoming rapidly internationalised.

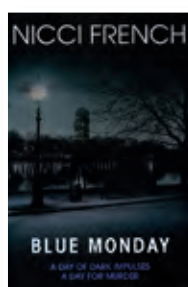
[Swedish, Police Procedural] 352pp Hb \$32.95



Nicci French
Blue Monday

The abduction of five-year-old Matthew Farraday provokes a desperate police hunt. One of psychotherapist Frieda Klein's patients has been dreaming of a child he can describe in perfect detail... a child the spitting image of Matthew. When a link emerges with an unsolved abduction 20 years earlier Frieda is summoned to interview the victim's sister to stir hidden memories. Before long Frieda is travelling the darkest paths of a psychopath's mind to find the answers.

[English, Psychological] 416pp Tp \$29.95



Jane Haddam
Wanting Sheila Dead
Gregor Demarkian #25

When the infamously offensive reality show personality, Sheila Dunham, is targeted by a thief who steals millions in jewellery from her home and leaves her unconscious beside the murdered body of a local girl it seems the woman arrested at the scene isn't involved with the show... and no one knows how she even got past security! Retired FBI agent Gregor Demarkian must identify a culprit among many suspects, despite having other business to attend to.

[American, Cosy] 368pp Pb \$13.95



Bruce DeSilva
Rogue Island

Liam Mulligan's beat is Providence, Rhode Island and he knows every street and alley. He knows the priests and sex workers, the cops and thugs. But someone is systematically burning down the neighbourhood that Mulligan grew up in. People he knows and loves are perishing in the flames and the public is on the verge of panic. With the whole city of Providence on his back Mulligan must weed through a wildly colourful array of characters to find the truth.

[American, Police Procedural] 304pp Pb \$23.95



Michael Genelin
The Magician's Accomplice
Jana Matinova #3

When a poor student is assassinated in Bratislava, followed shortly by Jana Matinova's lover, Jana determines to find the murderer. But then Jana is transferred to The Hague, headquarters of the international police force of Europol, where she encounters a retired magician on the flight who turns out to be the dead student's uncle. Accepting his offer to assist her investigation, Jana is confronted with an international conspiracy emanating from Europol itself...

[American, Police Procedural] 304pp Pb \$22.95



Rebecca M Hale
How to Moon a Cat
Cats and Curios #3

When Rebecca's cat Rupert sniffs out a dusty green vase with a toy bear inside, Rebecca has no doubt this is another of her Uncle Oscar's infamous clues to his priceless hidden treasures. Eager to piece together the puzzle, she's soon heading to Nevada City with her neighbour and two cats, with no idea that this road trip will put her life in danger as she comes face to face with her uncle's oldest enemy!

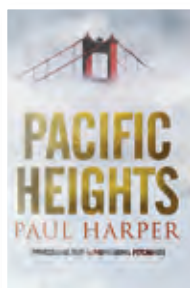
[American, Feline] 304pp Pb \$13.95



Paul Harper
Pacific Heights
Marten Fane #1

San Franciscan psychiatrist Vera List discovers two of her clients are having an affair with the same man. A man, who insists on anonymity, knows both women's secrets and is using this knowledge to push them to their mental limits. Fearing for their sanity, Vera seeks the help of intelligence operative Marten Fane. As Fane investigates he realises he is dealing with a calculated professional conducting a psychological experiment that will end in death... unless Fane can stop it.

[American, Private Eye] 352pp Tp \$32.99



Peter James
Dead Man's Grip
Roy Grace #7

After her involvement in a car accident that kills a student from Brighton University, Carly Chase receives traumatic news – the drivers of the other vehicles involved have been murdered and Detective Superintendent Roy Grace thinks Carly is next. The student had deadly connections and someone seeks vengeance. If the police are unable to stop them Carly is determined to find a way to do it herself. But the killer is one step ahead of her...

[English, Police Procedural] 544pp Tp \$32.99



Rosamund Lupton
Sister

When Beatrice's younger sister Tess goes missing, the more she learns about the circumstances surrounding her sister's disappearance the more she realises how little she actually knows of her sister's life. Though unprepared for the terrifying truths she must face, Beatrice refuses to give up on her. The police, Beatrice's fiancé and even their mother accept they have lost Tess but Beatrice is determined to discover the truth, no matter the cost...

[English, Suspense] 384pp Pb \$19.99



John Hart
Iron House

When a 12-year-old boy murders his tormentor in their brutal orphanage his older brother takes the blame and runs to New York, into the heart of organised crime. Two decades later, Michael returns to North Carolina with a sentence on his head, the mob in hot pursuit and his long-lost brother in trouble of a different kind. With political fortunes at risk and bodies piling up, the brothers must reunite to solve the mystery of their shared past.

[American, Suspense] 432pp Tp \$29.99



Tobias Jones
White Death
Castagnetti #2

PI Castagnetti is hired by a businessman to find out who set fire to his car and why. It seems like mindless vandalism... until the businessman receives threatening phone calls, his factory is burnt to the ground and an employee dies. As Castagnetti investigates he realises this sort of systematic intimidation happens when the owner's land is about to be redesignated as residential. Castagnetti must solve the case before his client and his city, are buried in cement.

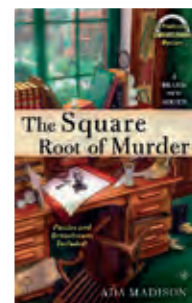
[English, Private Eye] 288pp Tp \$29.99



Ada Madison
The Square Root of Murder
Sophie Knowles #1

Dr Sophie Knowles is a much-loved mathematics teacher at Henley College in Massachusetts. While Sophie is celebrating famous scholars of the past with her students, Dr Keith Appleton - the most disliked professor on campus - is found dead. Sophie's assistant is accused of murder and it falls to Sophie to add up the clues and discover who the killer really is... before someone else gets subtracted!

[American, Cosy] 304pp Pb \$13.95



Keigo Higashino
The Devotion of Suspect X

Yasuko is a single mother who lives a quiet life in Tokyo. When her violent ex-husband appears at her door without warning one day, her comfortable world is shattered. As Detective Kusanagi tries to piece together the events of that day he finds himself confronted by the most puzzling circumstances he has ever investigated. And it will take a genius to understand the genius behind this particular crime...

[Japanese, Suspense] 384pp Tp \$29.99



Lynda La Plante
Blood Line
Anna Travis #6

Under the watchful eye of Superintendent James Langton, Anna is given her first case. But is it a full-blown murder investigation or purely a missing person's case? Anna finds herself on a desperate hunt for a man who has disappeared without trace and as she becomes obsessed with seemingly irrelevant details, Langton fears she is losing control of the case. They still have no body and Anna is under pressure to make an arrest...

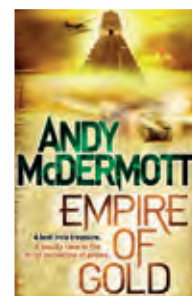
[English, Police Procedural] 496pp Tp \$32.99



Andy McDermott
Empire of Gold
Wilde & Chase #7

When archaeologist Nina Wilde and her husband, ex-SAS Eddie Chase, are asked to work on an Interpol investigation into smuggled artefacts, they realise that the artefacts hold clues to the location of a lost Inca settlement. Finding the settlement is only the start of an incredible quest that could lead them to El Dorado – the mythical city of gold. But deep in the jungles of Venezuela, Nina and Eddie are not alone in their search...

[English, Archaeological] 592pp Pb \$19.99



Gregg Hurwitz
You're Next

Mike doesn't recognise the crippled stranger who approaches him at a party... but the stranger seems to know him. What has Mike done? Do they have the wrong man? Overnight the threats become attacks and Mike and his family realise they aren't safe anywhere. He doesn't know who they are. He doesn't know what they want. But there's no time to figure it out – because his enemies have killed before... and he's next.

[American, Suspense] 448pp Tp \$29.99



Rita Lakin
Getting Old Can Kill You
Gladly Gold #7

When the sultry Joyce Steiner moves in she reopens an old rivalry with Arlene Simon whose husband ran off with Joyce 55 years earlier. When Joyce is found murdered, Arlene becomes the prime suspect and Gladly Gold and her girls in the detective agency will have to work together if they're going to prove that the truth is not just elusive, but a real killer.

[American, Cosy] 288pp Pb \$13.95



Jenn McKinlay
Books Can Be Deceiving
Library Lover's Mystery #1

Lindsey is getting into her groove as the director of the Briar Creek Public Library when a New York editor visits town, creating quite a buzz. Lindsey's friend Beth wants to pitch her children's book to the editor, but Beth's boyfriend, a famous author, gets in the way. When they go to confront him, he's found murdered... and Beth is the prime suspect. Lindsey must act fast before they throw the book at the wrong person!

[American, Cosy] 304pp Pb \$13.95

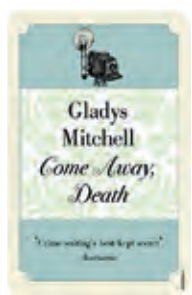


Gladys Mitchell
Come Away, Death
[1937]

Beatrice Lestrangle
Bradley

Sir Rudri Hopkinson, an eccentric amateur archaeologist, is determined to recreate ancient rituals at the temple of Eleusis in Greece in the hope of summoning the goddess Demeter. He gathers together a motley collection of people to assist in the experiment, including a rival scholar, a cruel photographer, and a trio of mischievous children. But when a severed head turns up in a box of snakes, Mrs Bradley is called upon to investigate...

[English, Suspense] 256pp Pb \$24.95



George Pelecanos
The Way Home

Hidden beneath the floorboards of a house he's remodelling, Christopher Flynn discovers something troubling. Summoning every bit of restraint, Chris leaves what he found where he found it. But Chris is still learning... so when he doesn't show up to work one day, his father Thomas knows in his bones that danger has found his son. But Thomas also knows that no parent can protect a child from all the world's evils...

[American, Suspense] 320pp Pb \$22.99



David Rosenfelt
Dog Tags

Andy Carpenter #8

An ex-police dog is implicated in murder and if his owner is convicted the dog could be put down. Andy Carpenter's affection for dogs compels him to represent the poor canine. As Andy struggles to convince the judge of the dog's innocence, he discovers the dog and his owner are unwittingly involved in a case of greater proportions than what they've been charged. It's up to Andy – and the unique abilities of the ex-police dog – to solve the crime!

[American, Canine] 352pp Pb \$13.50

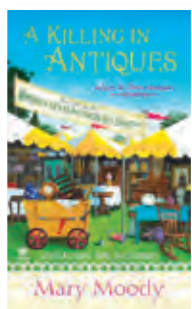


Mary Moody
A Killing in Antiques

Lucy St Elmo Antiques #1

Lucy St Elmo is the owner of an antiques shop in Cape Cod. While hunting for priceless treasures at Brimfield, the largest antiques and collectibles show in all of New England, Lucy stumbles upon the dead body of a long-time friend. Treasure hunting may not be for the faint of heart, but Lucy will need to step up her tracking skills before the wrong man is convicted of a one-of-a-kind murder!

[American, Cosy] 320pp Pb \$11.95



Kwei Quartey
Children of the Street
Darko Dawson #2

In the slums of Accra, Ghana's capital, teenagers are dying. Inspector Darko Dawson has seen many crimes but this is the most unsettling of his career. Are these heinous acts a form of ritual killing or the work of a lone, cold-blooded monster? Embarking on a harrowing investigation Dawson confronts the brutal world of the urban poor where street children are forced to fight for their survival and a cunning killer seems just out of reach.

[Ghana, Police Procedural] 352pp Pb \$24.95



Craig Russell
The Long Glasgow Kiss
Lennox #2

PI Lennox is madly in lust with the daughter of MacFarlane, a notorious Glasgow bookie and greyhound breeder. After making a killing on what seems a crooked race, MacFarlane is bludgeoned to death. Lennox is drawn into the shady business of dog racing as he hunts the killer. Was MacFarlane murdered by an underworld rival or was his death at the hands of someone closer to home? Lennox wouldn't want to bet on the answer...

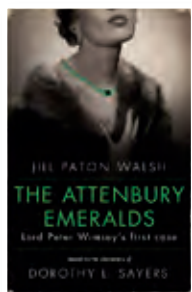
[Scottish, Private Eye] 348pp Pb \$22.99



Jill Paton Walsh
& Dorothy L Sayers
The Attenbury
Emeralds

In 1921, Lord Peter Wimsey recovered Lord Attenbury's most dazzling heirloom, launching a young aristocrat on his detective career. In 1951, a happily married Peter has just shared the secrets of that mystery with his wife, when the new young Lord Attenbury seeks his help again - this time to prove who owns the gigantic emerald that Peter last saw in 1921.

[English, Suspense] 352pp Pb \$22.99



Jonathan Rabb
The Second Son
Berlin Trilogy #3

Chief Inspector Nikolai Hoffner is forced from Hitler's Kriminalpolizei because he is a half Jew. Hoffner is not surprised, and his focus is elsewhere anyway. He has already lost Sascha, his elder son, to the Nazi regime. His son Georg is missing in Spain, swept up in the outbreak of the civil war. But Georg is not what he appears to be and on realising this Hoffner determines to save the one son he can.

[American, Suspense] 304pp Tp \$32.99

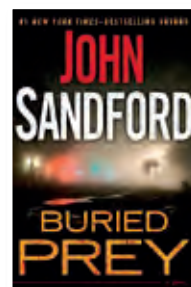


John Sandford
Buried Prey

Lucas Davenport #21

In 1985, Lucas Davenport helped investigate the kidnapping of two girls who were never found. When the suspected kidnapper was killed in a shoot-out, the case was closed. But Davenport remained unconvinced of the man's guilt. Years later a block in central Minneapolis is torn down and the bodies of two girls are discovered. When the corpses reveal signs of police tampering it is clear to Davenport that it wasn't just the girls that were buried, but the truth. Also available: *Storm Prey*, Lucas Davenport #20 (Pb \$19.99)

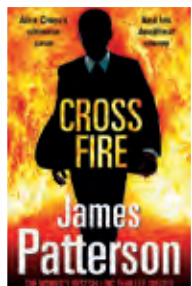
[American, Police Procedural] 400pp Tp \$29.99



James Patterson
Cross Fire
Alex Cross #17

Detective Alex Cross is called to the scene of the assassination of two of Washington DC's most corrupt political figures. As more crooked politicians are killed, public opinion is divided – is the assassin a hero? Media coverage explodes, and the FBI assigns agent Max Siegel to the investigation. As Cross and Siegel battle over jurisdiction, Cross' deadliest adversary, Kyle Craig, is back and determined to eliminate Cross for good!

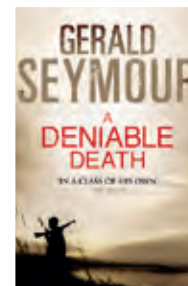
[American, Police Procedural] 480pp Pb \$14.95



Gerald Seymour
A Deniable Death

Danny 'Badger' Baxter records terrorist activity but now he's been tasked with his biggest job yet! MI6 plan to assassinate the leading maker of explosives used against British troops in Iraq and Afghanistan. But first they need to know his comings and goings. Badger is sent to the wrong side of the Iranian border to observe the man's house. And if Badger is caught Her Majesty's Government will deny all knowledge of him... Also available: *The Dealer and the Dead* (Pb \$22.99)

[English, Espionage] 448pp Tp \$29.99



Cynthia Robinson
The Dog Park Club
Max Bravo #1

Max Bravo, a mid-rung opera singer, is summoned to Berkeley to comfort his distressed friend Claudia whose husband has just left her. While walking Claudia's dog Max discovers a dog park and its motley crew of dog walkers. Then one of them disappears. Determined to find their friend, the members of the Dog Park Club engage in an increasingly elaborate and hilarious campaign of stalking, spying and misadventure.

[American, Canine] 272pp Pb \$22.95



Chris Simms

Cut Adrift

DI John Spicer #6

While investigating the vicious murder of asylum-seekers off the coast of Britain, DI Spicer is issued with a warning from MI5 to back off from the case. Spicer finds himself the target of a trained assassin protecting a secret of enormous magnitude. And all the while, a series of heartbreaking and enigmatic messages are being found drifting in from sea – slowly revealing the horrific plight of a group of refugees trapped on a raft...

[English, Police Procedural] 336pp Pb \$22.99



Dan Smith

Dark Horizons

After caring for his mother in her last days, Alex travels to Indonesia where his troubles start with a bus crash on a mountain road. Lucky to survive, he meets the beautiful Domino who takes him to the remote community she calls home. But there is danger in paradise. Why do the local villagers hate the community so much? Why are people leaving the camp in the dead of night? And what are those strange shapes which lurk beyond the clearing?

[English, Suspense] 448pp Tp \$32.99



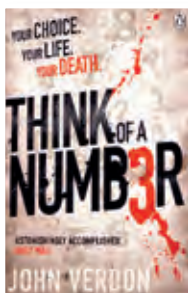
John Verdon

Think of a Number

Dave Gurney #1

When retired NYPD detective Dave Gurney is contacted by an old college acquaintance about some letters he's been receiving, it seems nothing more than a sinister puzzle. Until the acquaintance is killed. Suddenly Gurney finds himself caught in a murder investigation. The killer seems to have known his victim intimately, and is playing with the police. Gurney needs to be smarter if he's going to catch him, but only the killer knows where it will end...

[American, Police Procedural] 512pp Pb \$22.95



Marco Vichi

Death in August

Inspector Bordelli #1

Florence, 1963. Spending his days on routine work, the suspected death of a wealthy Signora provides Inspector Bordelli with a purpose. The old woman apparently died from an asthma attack, though her medicine remains untouched. With the help of his young protégé, the victim's eccentric brother and a semi-retired petty thief, the inspector begins his investigation. Each suspect has a solid alibi but there is something that doesn't quite add up...

[Italian, Police Procedural] 240pp Tp \$32.99



Duane Swierczynski

Fun and Games

Ex-cop Charlie Hardie's latest job is guarding an isolated mansion in LA's Hollywood Hills. But it comes with an unwanted guest – a D-list actress who says she's being hunted by professional hit men. Charlie thinks she's just high and paranoid. But he's wrong. The killers are real. They've tracked her to the house – and they're not letting anyone out alive...

[American, Suspense] 304pp Pb \$19.99



Danny Tobey

The Faculty Club

Jeremy Davis is the rising star of his first-year class. But something dark is stirring behind the ivy. When a mysterious club promises success beyond his wildest dreams, Jeremy uncovers a macabre secret older than the university itself. In a race against time, Jeremy must stop an ancient ritual that will sacrifice the lives of those he loves the most and blur the lines between good and evil.

[American, Suspense] 307pp Pb \$19.99



Melinda Wells

Pie à la Murder

Della Cooks #4

During the middle of a charity baking event called 'Operation Pie', Della Carmichael's boyfriend Nicholas drops a bomb – he has an 18-year-old daughter who is now living with him. When the daughter's friend – a Hollywood photographer who intended to exploit Nicholas' daughter – is found murdered, the overly protective Nicholas becomes a prime suspect. Della is distracted from baking to find the real killer before they all get burned...

[American, Cozy] 320pp Pb \$13.95



HISTORICAL CRIME



Gyles Brandreth

Oscar Wilde and the Nest of Vipers

Oscar Wilde #4

Spring, 1890. A glamorous reception is hosted by the Duke and Duchess of Albemarle. All London's haut monde is there, including the Prince of Wales. At the party, Oscar Wilde is intrigued by young actor, Rex LaSalle, who claims to be a vampire. The evening ends in tragedy when the Duchess is found dead with two puncture marks in her throat. Desperate to avoid a scandal, the Prince of Wales asks Oscar and his friend Arthur Conan Doyle to investigate the crime.

[English] 448pp Pb \$22.99



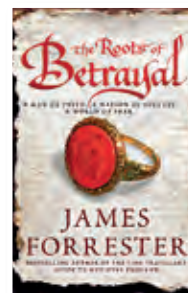
James Forrester

The Roots of Betrayal

William Harley #2

England, 1564. When a dangerous document is stolen from Catholic herald William Harley he immediately suspects a group of Catholic sympathisers, the self-styled 'Knights of the Round Table'. When the Queen's spymaster Francis Walsingham intercepts a coded message sent by the Knights to a Countess with Catholic leanings, Walsingham is convinced that Harley intends to use the document to advance the Catholic Queen's cause. Harley soon enters a nightmare of suspicion, deception and conspiracy...

[English] 384pp Tp \$29.99



Christopher Gortner

The Tudor Secret

Elizabeth's Spymaster #1

England, 1553. Reared in the household of the Dudley family, the orphan Brendan Prescott is brought to court and sent on an illicit mission to the King's sister, Princess Elizabeth. Promising to help Brendan unravel the secret of his mysterious past, the Queen's protector William Cecil compels Brendan to work as a double agent. With the disappearance of Elizabeth's ill brother King Edward VI, Brendan plunges into a ruthless gambit of half-truths, lies... and murder.

[American] 352pp Tp \$22.99



Laurie R King

The God of the Hive

Mary Russell Holmes #10

Mary Russell and her husband Sherlock Holmes have stirred the wrath of those they've thwarted. Now they are separated and on the run and pursued across the continent by a ruthless enemy with powerful connections. From secret rooms in London to rickety planes over Scotland, Russell and Holmes work their way back to each other in the most complex, shocking and deeply personal case of their career!

[American] 480pp Pb \$17.99



R N Morris

The Cleansing Flames

Porfiry Petrovich #4

St Petersburg, 1872. Magistrate Porfiry Petrovich is drawn into an investigation of revolutionary intellectuals. In the meantime junior magistrate Pavel Pavlovich Virginsky plays a dangerous game. Following a chance meeting with a man he suspects of arson, he volunteers to infiltrate a terrorist cell. But his motives are conflicted. Will he track down the killers or to use his position as a magistrate to further a cause with which he sympathises?

[English] 480pp Pb \$22.99



Charles O'Brien

False Patriots

Anne Cartier #9

Spring, 1791. Paris is in turmoil over church reforms while food shortages and unemployment cause a decline in public order. One of Anne Cartier's deaf pupils, Patrick Fallon, is accused of killing a radical advocate of the poor – and the stakes increase when Patrick's accuser disappears under suspicious circumstances. Anne investigates but when the trail leads to the queen's lover, things look desperate for the unfortunate Fallon...

[American] 224pp Tp \$27.95



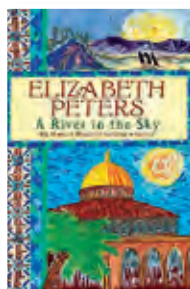
Elizabeth Peters

A River in the Sky

Amelia Peabody #19

Egypt, 1910. Amelia Peabody turns her attention to Palestine, the Holy Land of three religions. Upon hearing that Morley, an English adventurer, has raised money to mount an expedition in search of the vanished treasures of the Temple in Jerusalem, Amelia and Emerson go after him to prevent a catastrophic excavation. While the War Office insist Morley is a German agent, Amelia's son Ramses makes a startling discovery in Samaria...

[American] 336pp Pb \$19.99



E V Thompson

Churchyard and Hawke

After taking a serious beating whilst engaged in unofficial undercover work in London's 19th century slums, Constable Tom Churchyard takes himself to Cornwall. Despite his injuries he becomes right-hand man to Amos Hawke, now a senior Cornish policeman. His knowledge of the London rogues proves invaluable as Amos seeks to foil a gang of city thieves. Then a brutal murder is committed during their investigations...

[English] 224pp Pb \$17.95



Richard L Boyer

The Further Adventures of Sherlock Holmes

The Giant Rat of Sumatra

In deference to Sherlock Holmes's wishes, Dr Watson kept the tale of 'The Giant Rat of Sumatra' a secret. However before he died he arranged that the bizarre story of the giant rat should be held in the vaults of a London bank until all the protagonists were dead... Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's timeless creation returns in a new series of handsomely designed detective stories – the most varied and thrilling cases of the worlds' greatest detective!

[English] 208pp Pb \$16.99



CRIME NON-FICTION



Joseph Braude

The Honoured Dead

A Story of Friendship, Murder, and the Search for Truth in the Arab World

Joseph Braude is the first Western journalist to secure an embed status with an Arab security force in Casablanca. One day he is given the file for a seemingly commonplace murder: a guard at a warehouse killed in a robbery gone wrong. Intrigued, Braude interviews the victim's best friend, who insists the truth of the murder has been covered up by powerful interests.

American] 336pp Tp \$32.95

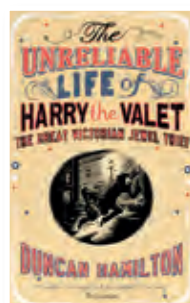


Duncan Hamilton

The Unreliable Life of Harry the Valet

Harry the Valet began his criminal career out of grief, but became Europe's most notorious jewel thief out of love. Harry is best known for his theft of the Dowager Duchess of Sutherland's jewels from her train carriage at Paris' Gare du Nord station in 1898. Yet little did anyone know that Harry had already committed nine similar crimes at that point. Despite his life of luxury amidst London's smartest clubs and West End hotels, it was Harry's love for a Gaiety girl that was to spell his downfall.

[English] 304pp Tp \$35



Ted Conover

Newjack

A Year as a Prison Guard in New York's Most Infamous Maximum Security Jail

After he was denied access to report on one of America's notorious high security jails, journalist Ted Conover applied to become a prison guard, where he spent a year in the violent world of America's penal system. A remarkable insight into the American prison system!

[American] 352pp Pb \$24.95



Larry Writer

Razor Underbelly

In the 1920s and 30s in inner Sydney, some of the most terrifying criminals in Australia's history waged war with razor and gun. As gang fought gang, the streets echoed with the sound of violence and ran with blood. In compelling detail, this volume chronicles the Sydney underground, ruled by the fabled vice queens Tilly Devine and Kate Leigh and financed by the spoils of illegal drugs, alcohol, sex work, gambling and extortion.

[English] 450pp Pb \$24.99



Jay Dobyns

No Angel

My Undercover Journey to the Dark Heart of the Hells Angels

For two years, Jay 'Bird' Dobyns infiltrated the world's most notorious biker gang – the Hells Angels. An undercover agent for the US government, he left his family behind and immersed himself in the Angels' seductive web of organised crime, violence and brotherhood. But all along, whether on the open road or in seedy backrooms, he knew that death was only one wrong move away.

[American] 352pp Pb \$26.95



Alex McBride

Defending the Guilty

Truth and Lies in the Criminal Courtroom

Every day criminal barrister Alex McBride stands up in court and attempts to save people from conviction. Sometimes he has the chance to right a wrong, but mostly his clients are just plain guilty. Taking us behind the scenes of Britain's criminal justice system, McBride introduces us to extraordinary characters and arcane eccentricities. These hair-raising tales reveal that justice rarely operates in quite the way we expect.

[English] 288pp Pb \$22.95



Liam Houlihan

Bigwig

The Remarkable Rise and Fall of Tony Mokbel

This book recounts the extraordinary rise and fall of Tony Mokbel, aka 'Fat Tony', from his ascension in the drug trade to the decade-long struggle to hold him accountable for his crimes. Houlihan explores the political intrigue and public embarrassment arising from Mokbel's daring escape from under the noses of the authorities. Including interviews with top cops and Mokbel family members, this is a stranger-than-fiction story of sex, pills, perfidy and pizza!

[Australian] 400pp Tp \$35



Jason Ryan

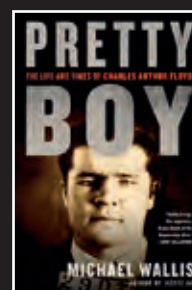
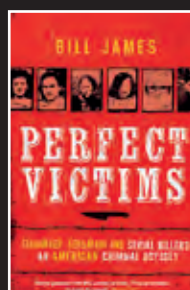
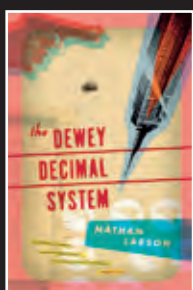
Jackpot

High Times, High Seas, and the Sting that Launched the War on Drugs

Jason Ryan takes us back to the days before drug smuggling was synonymous with deadly gunplay. During this golden age of marijuana trafficking, the country's most prominent kingpins were a group of wayward Southerners who forsook college educations to sail drug-laden boats across the seas. Les Riley, Barry Foy and their comrades rejected violence as much as they loved pleasure. But it was greed, lust and disaster at sea that ultimately caught up with them – along with the law.

[American] 309pp Hb \$39.95





OTHER NEW TITLES IN JUNE...

MODERN CRIME

The Bernie Rhodenbarr Mysteries

(Volume 1)

Lawrence Sanders [American, Suspense] Tp \$35.00

Indian Summer (Max Rydal Mystery #6)

Elizabeth Darrell [English, Military] Tp \$27.95

Corpse in Waiting

(Ingrid Langley & Patrick Gillard Mystery #6)

Margaret Duffy [English, Suspense] Tp \$24.95

Deceptions

Rebecca Frayn [English, Suspense] Pb \$19.99

In Vino Veritas (Lambert & Hook #23)

J M Gregson
[English, Police Procedural] Tp \$24.95

Someone Else's Son

Sam Hayes [English, Suspense] Pb \$22.99

The Mammoth Book of Best British Crime (Volume 8)

Maxim Jakubowski
[English, Anthology] Pb \$19.99

The Dewey Decimal System

Nathan Larson [American, Suspense] Pb \$24.95

Bangkok Bob and the Missing Mormon

(Bangkok Bob #1)

Stephen Leather
[English, Police Procedural] Pb \$23.99

Dying to Know (Dr Lance Elliot #1)

Keith McCarthy [English, Suspense] Tp \$27.99

Justice (Jess & Mark #2)

Karen Robards [American, Suspense] Tp \$29.99

All Things Undying (Hannah Ives #9)

Marcia Talley [American, Suspense] Tp \$27.95

The Winter Thief (Kamil Pasha #3)

Jenny White
[Germany, Police Procedural] Pb \$24.95

CRIME NON-FICTION

Brothers

(Justice, Corruption and the Mickelbergs)

Antonio Buti [Australian] Tp \$32.95

Perfect Victims (Slaughter, Sensation and Serial Killers: An American Criminal Odyssey)

Bill James [American] Tp \$29.99

A Professor's Rage

Michele R McPhee [American] Pb \$13.50

Pretty Boy

(The Life and Times of Charles Arthur Floyd)

Michael Wallis [American] Pb \$22.95

AUDIO CRIME

Servant of the Crown & the Picture of Innocence (An Inspector McLevy Mystery)

David Ashton; starring Brian Cox
[English, Historical] 2 CDs \$29.99

Cast in Order of Disappearance

(A Charles Paris Mystery)

Simon Brett; starring Bill Nighy
[English, Suspense] 2 CDs \$29.99

Death Cap & Devil Take the Hindmost

(A Father Paolo Baldi Mystery)

Simon Brett; starring David Threlfall
[English, Clerical] 2 CDs \$29.99

Clean Break (A Kate Brannigan Mystery)

Val McDermid; starring Charlotte Coleman
[Scottish, Private Eye] 1 CD \$24.99

Black Betty (An Easy Rawlins Mystery)

Walter Mosley; starring Clarke Peters
[American, Private Eye] 2 CDs \$29.99

Dead Man's Ransom

(A Brother Cadfael Mystery)

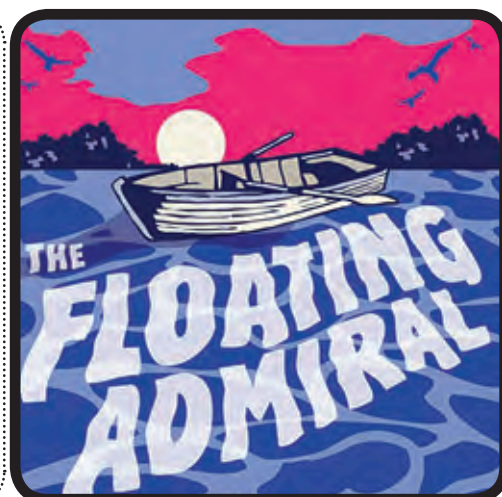
Ellis Peters; starring Philip Madoc
[English, Historical] 2 CDs \$29.99

Dick Barton and the Cabatolin Diamonds

Geoffrey Webb; starring Douglas Kelly
[English, Espionage] 4 CDs \$39.99

ABBEY'S CRIME BESTSELLERS - JUNE 2011

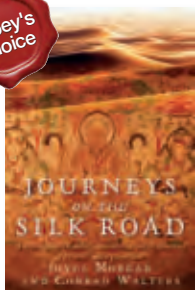
1. **The Floating Admiral** The Detection Club (Hb \$29.99)
2. **Bodies Politic** (Marcus Corvinus Mystery #13) David Wishart (Pb \$19.95)
3. **Anthem for Doomed Youth** (Daisy Dalrymple #19) Carola Dunn (Pb \$19.95)
4. **Past Tense** (DI Sloan #22) Catherine Aird (Pb \$17.99)
5. **Drawing Conclusions** (Commissario Brunetti #20) Donna Leon (Tp \$29.95)
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7. **An Uncertain Place** (Chief Inspector Adamsberg #6) Fred Vargas (Tp \$32.95)
8. **Dandy Gilver and an Unsuitable Day for a Murder** Catriona McPherson (Pb \$19.99)
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Journeys on the Silk Road

Joyce Morgan & Conrad Walters

This remarkable story of the world's oldest printed book begins in a meditation cave on the edge of the Gobi Desert. In 1900, a monk who guarded the sacred Caves of the Thousand Buddhas in western China discovered a hidden library that had been sealed for more than a thousand years. Explorer Aurel Stein arrived in 1907 and persuaded the monk to part with a copy of the 'Diamond Sutra' dated AD868. The discovery illuminated the spread of Buddhism along the Silk Road. Tp \$34.99 \$29.99



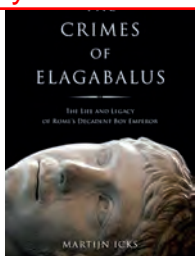
The Crimes of Elagabalus

The Life and Legacy of Rome's Decadent Boy Emperor

Martijn Icks

Elagabalus is one of the most notorious of Rome's emperors – an eccentric hedonist who made unprecedented changes to Roman state religion and defied all taboos. Engaging in orgiastic rituals, he took male and female lovers, wore feminine dress, and prostituted himself in taverns and the imperial palace. Since his assassination at the age of 18, he has been a source of inspiration for historians and artists. 288pp Hb \$54.95

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To End All Wars

How the First World War Divided Britain

Adam Hochschild

The complex issues of a nation at war divided families and friendships. A politician whose job was to send young men who refused conscription to prison, yet whose godson was one of those young men. Suffragette sisters, one who passionately supported the war and the other who passionately opposed it. Exploring these relationships, the author paints a vivid picture of Britain poised between the optimism of the Victorian era and the era of the Great War. 356pp Hb \$49.99



Total War

From Stalingrad to Berlin

Michael Jones

In 1943, German forces surrendered to the Red Army at Stalingrad and the tide of war turned. By 1945, Soviet soldiers had stormed Berlin and brought down Hitler's regime. This book follows the fortunes of Soviet fighters as they liberated Russia and the Ukraine from the Nazi invader and fought their way into the heart of the Reich. Their war against the Nazis, which in large part brought WWII in Europe to an end, is a tarnished but deeply moving story of sacrifice and redemption. 352pp Tp \$32.99



Britain's War Machine

Weapons, Resources and Experts in the Second World War

David Edgerton

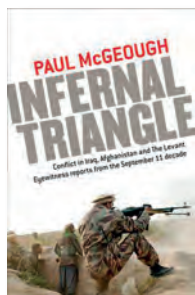
The familiar image of the British in the Second World War is that of the plucky underdog taking on German might. This bold, compelling new history shows the conflict in a new light, with Britain as a very wealthy country, formidable in arms, ruthless in pursuit of its interests and sitting at the heart of a global production system. This story demolishes some of the most cherished myths about wartime Britain and gives us a very different and often unsettling picture of a great power in action. 464pp Hb \$49.95



Infernal Triangle

Paul McGeough

Paul McGeough was in the streets of Manhattan on the fateful day of September 11 2001. No journalist has monitored more closely the fallout from those destructive minutes. McGeough has enjoyed access to all the main players in these unfolding events. More than that, he has been prepared to observe at close quarters both the fighters and the citizens involved, recording their hopes and fears, their triumphs and tragedies. 352pp Pb \$32.99

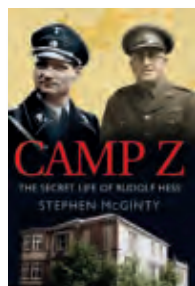


Camp Z

The Secret Life of Rudolf Hess

Stephen McGinty

In 1941, Deputy Fuhrer Rudolph Hess parachuted over Renfrewshire in Scotland to meet with the Duke of Hamilton, ostensibly to broker a peace deal with the British government. He was then held in isolated custody and a psychological battle was waged between intelligence officers and the man who had been a heartbeat away from Hitler. This is a riveting account of the high-stakes gamesmanship that was played out in an English country house. 352pp Tp \$34.99



The Man on Devil's Island

Alfred Dreyfus and the Affair that Divided France

Ruth Harris

2010 National Jewish Book Award for Biography. In 1894, a letter containing French military secrets was stolen from the German attaché in Paris. French Army Captain Dreyfus was accused of being its author. Although entirely innocent, few questioned the court martial verdict, nor the unanimous decision for a life sentence. The case polarised society and undermined the French state. 560pp Pb \$26.95



AUSTRALIAN HISTORY

Storm Over Kokoda

Australia's Epic Battle for the Skies of New Guinea, 1942

Peter Ewer

This book explores how Australian aircrews in a handful of Hudson bombers and Catalina flying boats fought the Japanese in the South-West Pacific. Eyewitness accounts and combat reports shed new light on a neglected episode in Australian military history. A compelling tale of men at war on both sides in a harsh physical environment. 256pp Tp \$29.99



Do Unto Others

Counter Bombardment in Australia's Military Campaigns

Alan H Smith

'Supporting fire' includes that of engaging and knocking out enemy guns and mortars. This is known as 'counter battery' or 'counter bombardment'. This is the story of the men in 1915 to 1918 who located the enemy guns, the airmen who engaged and photographed hostile batteries and the commanders who formulated artillery tactics to reduce the horrendous casualty rates on the Western Front. 448pp Hb \$34.99



Building Sydney's History

Structures, Sculptures, Stories and Secrets

Derek Parker

Taking 50 of Sydney's most notable buildings and structures, this book explores how and why they were built. The collection ranges across a wide selection of structures, including the Harbour Bridge and the Opera House, but also little-remarked structures such as Warringah Mall and the Eveleigh Railway Yards. Richly illustrated in full contemporary colour and historic black and white photography, each story serves as a fascinating insight into Sydney's history! 256pp Tp \$34.95



Tunnel Rats

The Aussie Larrikin Legends Who Discovered the Vietcong's Secret Weapon

Jimmy Thomson

These young Australian Army engineers were the first Allied soldiers to risk their lives in the darkness of the Vietcong tunnels of South Vietnam, matching the Vietcong's jungle warfare skills and defusing thousands of their clever booby traps. Off duty, the bad boys of 3 Field Troop were a bunch of larrikins who boozed, brawled and bonked their way through Saigon. A thrilling and action-packed true story. 252pp Pb \$27.99



Ali Abdul V The King Muslim Stories from the Dark Days of White Australia

Hanifa Deen

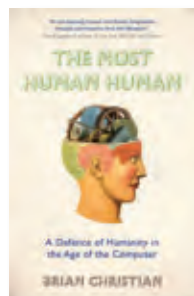
This award-winning author reveals a tribe of men whose stories are rarely told. Ghans, cameleers, sepoys, hawkers, herbalists and pearl divers, known collectively as Mohammedans in early Australian history. A fascinating collection of narratives that take the reader back into Australia's past, these stories may even help explain some of the moral ambiguities and strange ironies that trouble us today. 168pp Tp \$26.95



The Most Human Human

*A Defence of Humanity in
the Age of the Computer*
Brian Christian

We can now interact with computer programmes so sophisticated that we think they're human beings. This is a remarkable feat of human ingenuity, but what does it say about our humanity? Are we really no better at being human than the machines we've created? This witty investigation draws on science, philosophy, literature and the arts to explore firsthand the urgent moral and practical implications of this remarkable development. 320pp Tp \$29.95



CHILDREN'S

Reviewed by Lindy Jones

A Monster Calls Patrick Ness

This story is based on an idea that Siobhan Dowd left behind after her early death from cancer. A powerful, affecting and brilliant tale, it is one for any thoughtful reader regardless of age. Conor has a recurring nightmare, but one night at 12.07am he is awoken by something else. Something dark and spiky and threatening; the incarnation of the Green Man in the form of the ancient yew tree that Conor can see from his house. The monster is not as frightening as the fact that Conor's mother is undergoing debilitating treatments for an unnamed illness, but it demands that Conor listen to three stories. There is a price – that Conor must tell the fourth, and it must be the truth. Aptly illustrated in a densely drawn style by Jim Kay, this is a reading experience absolutely not to be missed. 224pp Hb \$27.95

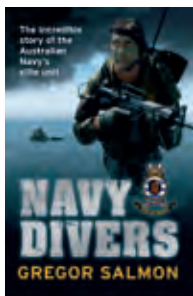


Navy Divers

*The Incredible Story of
the Australian Navy's
Elite Unit*

Gregor Salmon

Welcome to the world of the Royal Australian Navy clearance divers. Bomb and mine disposal is but one of their roles. As covert swimmers, they can infiltrate enemy waters; as boarding parties, they are on the anti-piracy frontline, and as counterterrorist special forces, they are on call 24/7. Their incredible story has remained behind closed doors until now. 336pp Tp \$34.95



Lost in Transit

*The Strange Story of the
Philip K Dick Android*
David Dufty

In 2006, a young roboticist travelling on a flight lost an overnight bag containing a fully-functional android head. It has never been recovered. The Philip K Dick Android (a replica of the iconic sci-fi writer) was an incredible collaboration on an artificial intelligence project between computer scientists, programmers, psychologists, artists, and countless technicians. Tp \$34.95

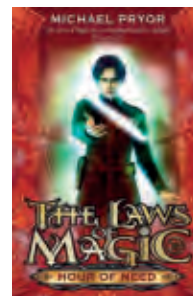


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Hour of Need

The Laws of Magic #6
Michael Pryor

My regular readers know that this splendid series has been one of my favourites of recent years, and this concluding book is immensely satisfying! It takes up with Aubrey, now declared a traitor to his homeland, having tracked his enemy Mordecai Tremaine to his stronghold, where various activities indicate an increase in Tremaine's quest for immortality and total power. His friends George, Caroline and Sophie eventually track Aubrey down, and their measures to rid the world of Tremaine are carefully placed – and of course, go astray! The usual mix of cleverness and action, it is somewhat sad to see the end of this delightful series! 437pp Pb \$17.95



SCIENCE

Gone Viral

*The Germs That Share
Our Lives*

Frank Bowden

A specialist in infectious disease and sexual health, Bowden looks at one bug at a time, weaving around them the stories of his patients and their families, the doctors and the difficulties they face, and the horrors and successes of hospitals and health care programs. We encounter Swine Flu, Golden Staph, SARS, Hepatitis and HIV, learning crucial lessons about public health and the human experience of disease. 240pp Tp \$32.95



Born in Africa

*The Quest for the Origins
of Human Life*

Martin Meredith

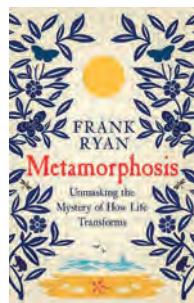
The discoveries of human origins made by scientists over the last 100 years have been momentous in establishing Africa as the birthplace of the modern human, homo sapiens. Scientific study has revealed how early technology, language ability and artistic endeavour originated in Africa and that 60,000 years ago small groups of Africans left their birthplace to populate the rest of the world. 256pp Hb \$35



Metamorphosis

*Unmasking the Mystery
of How Life Transforms*
Frank Ryan

This enchanting work explains how metamorphosis – the intricate trick of nature by which caterpillars transform into butterflies – reveals secrets that are shaking the scientific world. Pioneering naturalists have traced metamorphosis in a myriad of species, from amphibians to marine creatures and even human puberty, rewriting some of our long-held beliefs about evolution. 320pp Pb \$24.95



Bite-Size Science

*Everything You Need to
Know About Science in
Small, Easily-Digestible
Portions*

Robert Dinwiddie

This book is packed with controversial, newsworthy and practical explanations of today's most important science subjects, presenting them in non-technical language. Each theme is illustrated with enlightening drawings and presented in the form of short, snappy and clear explanations. Here is all the information you need to know, without the overly technical details! 176pp Pb \$24.95



The Naughty Corner Colin Thompson

George gets sent to the naughty corner because he said a rude word, though he doesn't understand the meaning. His older brother does, and he gets sent to the corner because he also used it. Dad (Brian) also uses it – far too often – and so he spends time there. Baby Cleopatra always finds something interesting to put in her mouth after the others have been there. Credence the dog also spends a lot of time there because it smells of the four people he loves most. Eventually the naughty corner becomes the fun place! The only person who doesn't go there is Mum (Maureen); she's too busy sending the others to it and being good. Good, but dull... Another wise and quirky book from the outstanding author of *The Short and Incredibly Happy Life of Riley* (Pb \$16.99). 32pp Hb \$24.99



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MISCELLANEOUS

Conversations on Ethics

Alex Voorhoeve

Can we trust our intuitive judgments of right and wrong? Are moral judgements objective? What reason do we have to do what is right and avoid doing what is wrong? In this book Alex Voorhoeve elicits answers to these questions from 11 outstanding philosophers and social scientists. This will appeal to anyone interested in moral philosophy. 272pp Pb \$21.95

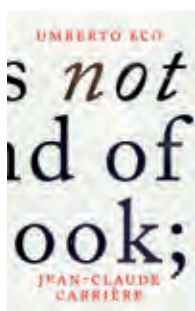


This is Not the End of the Book

A Conversation Curated by Jean-Phillippe De Tonnac

Umberto Eco & Jean-Claude Carrière

Amidst speculation of whether the 'book' will survive the digital revolution, the thoughts of Carrière and Eco come as fresh air. Taking the form of a long conversation, they discuss everything, from what can be defined as the first book to what is happening to knowledge now that information is available at the click of a mouse. En route are delightful digressions into personal anecdote. 352pp Hb \$32.95

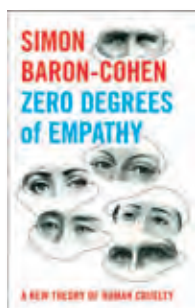


Zero Degrees of Empathy

A New Theory of Human Cruelty

Simon Baron-Cohen

An expert in autism and developmental psychopathology, Baron-Cohen seeks to understand why people treat others as if they were objects. Proposing a radical shift, he turns the focus away from 'evil' and on to 'empathy'. He argues that unlike the concept of evil, empathy has real explanatory power. This work presents a new way of understanding what leads individuals down negative paths. 208pp Hb \$39.95

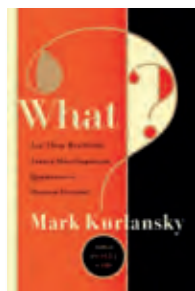


What?

Are These Really the Twenty Most Important Questions in Human History?

Mark Kurlansky

Kurlansky offers readers a really smart, impossibly amusing game of 20 questions considering the work of Confucius, Plato, Shakespeare, Descartes, Nietzsche, Freud, Hemingway, Emily Dickinson, the Talmud, Charles de Gaulle, Virginia Woolf and many others. This little book distills the deep questions of life to their sparkling essence. 96pp Hb \$19.99



Hitchens vs Blair

Be It Resolved Religion is a Force for Good in the World

Christopher Hitchens & Tony Blair

On 26 November 2010, intellectual juggernaut and staunch atheist Christopher Hitchens went head-to-head with the openly devout former British Prime Minister Tony Blair on the highly charged topic of religion. Few world leaders have had a greater hand in shaping current events than Blair and few writers have been more outspoken and polarising than Hitchens. For the first time ever, this exclusive debate is now available in print, coinciding with Blair's Australian tour later this month. 96pp Pb \$14.99



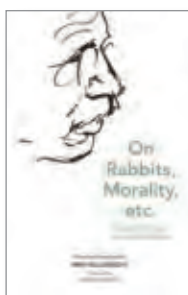
Also available: Blair's autobiography, *A Journey* (Tp \$35)

On Rabbits, Morality, etc

Selected Writings of Walter Murdoch

Imre Salusinszky [editor]

Popular broadcaster and public speaker Walter Murdoch was one of Australia's bestselling 20th century authors. He published weekly essays in *The Argus* and other newspapers and his books sold thousands. Complete with a foreword by Rupert Murdoch, this selected volume of writings covers his essay, as well as his biographical and other critical writing. Having been out of print for many years, this restores his wonderful work for a new generation of readers. 208pp Tp \$29.95

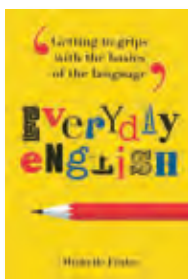


Everyday English

Getting to Grips with the Basics of the Language

Michelle Finlay

A poor command of English is an obstacle in almost every walk of life, from conducting business to dealing with everyday problems. This book takes readers back to the basics; the simple rules and tricks that help anyone master the language. It offers advice on the writing of letters and reports, where it is vital to convey meaning clearly, and advice on common pitfalls to avoid. 192pp Hb \$19.99



Go the F**k to Sleep

Adam Mansbach

A bedtime book for parents who live in the real world where a few snoozing kitties and cute rhymes don't always send a toddler sailing blissfully to sleep. Profane, affectionate and radically honest, these verses perfectly capture the familiar (and unspoken) tribulations of putting your little angel down for the night. You probably should not read this book to your children. 32pp Hb \$17.95



When God Spoke English

The Making of the King James Bible

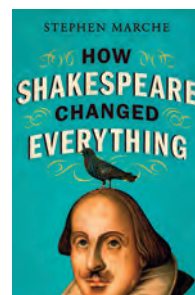
Adam Nicolson

James VI of Scotland came into his new kingdom in 1603 trained to manage rival political factions. He was determined to hold his throne and avoid religious strife and disunity. Out of these circumstances a book of lasting literary appeal was composed: the King James Bible. Deliberately available to the common man, this Bible helped create and shape the English language. 288pp Pb \$20.99



How Shakespeare Changed Everything

Marche takes us on a tour of Shakespeare's influence. In 1890, as part of a project to introduce every bird mentioned by Shakespeare to North America, Eugene Schieffelin released



a bunch of starlings into New York's Central Park. In 1936, there were more productions of Shakespeare in Germany than the rest of the world combined; the Nazi Party even dubbed him a 'Germanic Writer' – an unexpected influence indeed! 176pp Hb \$29.99

The Hall of Uselessness

Collected Essays

Simon Leys

Simon Leys' cultural and political commentary has spanned four decades and this volume forms the most complete collection of his fascinating essays. Leys feuds with Christopher Hitchens, ponders the popularity of Victor Hugo and analyses the posthumous publication of Nabokov's unfinished novel. He offers valuable insights into Mao's Cultural Revolution, discusses Orwell, Waugh and Confucius. This is an illuminating compendium from a long-time resident of Australia who is truly a global citizen. 512pp Hb \$49.95



A Brief History of the Future

Jacques Attali

Renowned economist Jacques Attali predicts how our world will look in the coming decades and a century from now. Will terrorists, pirates, dictators, droughts and floods create global chaos? Or will peace, prosperity and freedom bless the planet? Never has the world offered more promise for the future, yet been more fraught with potential dangers. How we respond to the crises and opportunities that await us will determine what kind of world we bequeath to future generations. The time to act is now. 312pp Pb \$24.99





Changes galore are still taking place at Abbey's. I hope you can find your way around. **Galaxy Bookshop** is now on the first floor, sharing the space with **Language Book Centre**. The **Children's Book Corner** is now in the far corner of the ground floor, where we used to receive books and Lindy Jones will have a desk nearby so she will be on hand to help you choose books for children of any age. Computer books are now housed in the **Business Studies** section and **Astronomy** has moved into the space vacated by Computers. Kate, who looks after most of our online orders, is usually housed upstairs in the office, although of course you will see her wandering around downstairs looking for books that have been ordered. The Greek and Latin classics and all the **Loeb Classics** and **Penguin Translated Classics** are now housed together in the very last row near the Children's Book Corner.

So if you fancy some Asterix in Latin, you can choose from **Goscinnny & Uderzo: Iter Gallieum** or **Asterix Legionarius** or **Asterix Olympus** (48pp Hb \$35 each) We do carry all of the Asterix series in English and also all of the **Tin Tin** series.

Do please ask for help from any of our staff. I did read in *The Sydney Morning Herald* recently that our booksellers are regarded as "learned". Of course they are, but they also have many different databases at their fingertips.

I read an article recently about how hard it is to find a literary love story, so I want to recommend ***The Very Thought of You*** by Rosie Alison (350pp Pb \$22). (You really have to sing the title). It was shortlisted for the **Orange Prize for Fiction 2010** and was lent to me by a friend who was herself an evacuee in England. Set in England as the Second World War breaks out and thousands of bewildered children are being sent off en masse to escape the expected bombs "just for a few weeks". Of course many stayed separated from their parents for almost five years. Anna, the child in this story, is luckily sent to a Great House in Yorkshire which soon becomes a school... The story includes the wheelchair-bound owner and his wife, who have no heirs, whose marriage is gradually disintegrating, with a side story about British diplomats helping Poles escape the bombing of Warsaw. The effects of these confused times deepens the need for love amongst the various characters then and later. Very nice.

I really recommend a remarkable first novel by Australian author Cory Taylor. It is called ***Me and Mr Booker*** (208pp Pb \$32.95). The story is told in the voice of a bright, frustrated teenaged high school girl, aching to leave her small town (which sounds rather like Canberra to me). Clear-eyed and more than a little cynical she takes up an affair with the handsome Mr Booker, just arrived in town and new in her mother's circle of friends. To say it is amusing seems strange, but it is – if only for the relentless honesty. You'll wish her well. The voice comes through loud and clear and that's a great talent.

If you saw a recent Australian Story about a Polish refugee, from Australia, who spoke at the opening of the ***Memorial to Murdered Jews of Europe*** in Berlin, you might like to read her autobiography ***Destined to Live: One Woman's World, Life and Loves Remembered*** by Sabina Wolanski and Diana Bagnall (320pp Pb \$24.99). Find this in ***Australian Biography***. I met this charming woman several times. She was a good friend of Andrea Stretton, before Andrea's too-early death.

Here's a very interesting book, found in ***General Science*** (although it could very well be shelved in ***Literary Criticism***). It is ***Proust was a Neuroscientist*** by Jonah Lehrer (242pp incl index Pb \$29.95) The blurb calls it "a slim, brainy book about the brain", so I hope some well-read scientists will find it in ***General Science***. In eight scintillating chapters, Lehrer describes how eight different authors foreshadowed the advances made in psychology and neuroscience. He discusses Walt Whitman, George Eliot, Auguste Escoffier, Marcel Proust, Paul Cezanne, Igor Stravinsky, Gertrude Stein and Virginia Woolf. Look for it.

Here's an interesting book by cultural historian Tim Bonyhady. Called ***Good Living Street*** (464pp Pb \$35). It may not be quite the equivalent of the recent best-seller ***The Hare with Amber Eyes*** by Edmund de Waal (Hb \$39.95; 368pp Pb \$24.95), but it covers similar territory and has certainly been given a splendid production by publishers ***Allen & Unwin*** – with art décor decorations both inside and out. Bonyhady sets out to research his Jewish family's journey from Vienna to Cremorne Point, Sydney. He remembers the large, oppressive furniture in this flat where he used to visit his aunts and mother as a schoolboy. Eventually we discover this seemingly outdated

furniture represents a superb collection of work designed by Josef Hoffman, architect to the wealthy in turn of the century Vienna. His upper-middle-class great-grandparents were anxious to be part of the artistic surge during the ***Secessionist Movement*** in Vienna, and regularly purchased decorative items from the ***Weiner Werkstatte*** (to be likened to the ***Arts and Crafts Movement***). His great-grandmother's portrait, painted by Klimt, one of the founders of the movement, eventually ends up in the ***National Gallery London***. His story closely follows the Nazi's treatment of Viennese jews and how his family managed to escape to start a new life in Australia. They not only brought cultural expectations, they also brought their entire furnishings from the enormous flat on the fashionable ***Wohllebengasse***. These items make up the most complete collection of Hoffman's work, which is now housed in the ***National Gallery of Victoria***. It is intriguing to see how the various family characters adapted to life in Australia. An excellent book, which grows more interesting as it goes along. If you plan to visit Melbourne for the ***Vienna: Art and Design Exhibition*** from June 18 to October 9, this would be a good book to read either before or after.

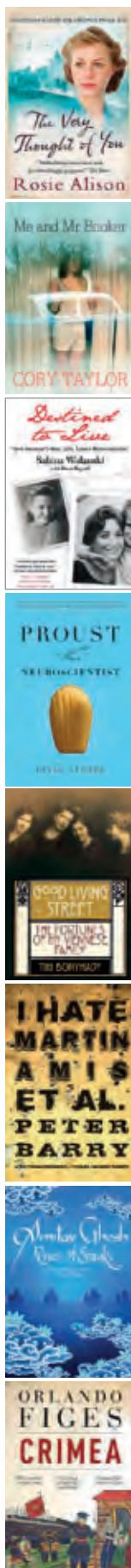
Greg Waldron suggested I read a book which won the ***Victorian Premier's Literary Award*** this year. It is ***I Hate Martin Amis et al*** by Peter Barry (250pp Pb \$29.95). Nice title and I suspect the contents are more personal than usual! The story is narrated by a frustrated and bitter author who just can't get his work published. Perhaps in search of a story which has not "been heard before" (as literary agents keep telling him), he flies off to Sarajevo to work as a sniper in the Serbian army (so called). Perhaps it is an effort to squeeze approval out of his father, a Serb now running a newsagency in rural England. I can't do better than quote some of the blurb which calls it "dark and troubling, distressingly funny". An enjoyable book, perhaps more for men. I'm sure there are many thwarted authors out there who will relish the insults hurled at agents and publishers.

Did you read the first volume in Amitav Ghosh's trilogy about the opium wars in China –written from the point of view of the locals and not the British? It was called ***Sea of Poppies*** (544pp Pb \$24.99). The second volume is now available. It is called ***River of Smoke*** (528pp Pb \$32.99) and once again is a saga filled with fascinating characters and many unusual words. It is worth looking up Amitav Ghosh's own website where he explains he has become the "word wallah" for his family, having taken over from an uncle who had been compiling a dictionary of Indian/English words until his death. If you do it will add to your appreciation of the book.

Finally, another book from my favourite writer about all things Russian. Orlando Figes has written ***Crimea: The Last Crusade*** (574pp incl index Hb \$59.95 or 608pp Pb \$26.95). I discovered that most of what I knew about the Crimean War was not quite right (not least exactly where the Crimean Peninsular is situated). Figes sees this war not only as the first really modern conflict, but also as a traditional war with illiterate soldiers and amateur officers, and as a religious war. The Tsar and his ministers felt it was their destiny to rule all Orthodox Christians and to control the Holy Land.

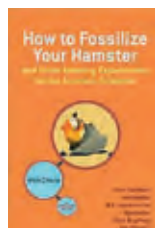
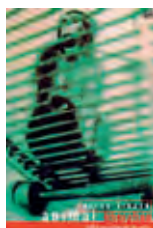
Remember, if you want to understand the Russian character, you should read his book ***Natasha's Dance: A Cultural History of Russia*** (768pp \$27.95) Figes also mentions Tolstoy's ***Sebastopol Sketches***, written after Tolstoy's time as an officer there. I checked our website and found 42 pages of books by Tolstoy (that is 1,031 entries), so decided it was much easier to ring the shop and ask a good bookseller! So I did and Chris Scott was able to go to the shelves and find that Tolstoy's ***Sebastopol Sketches*** are to be found within ***The Cossacks & Other Stories*** (483pp Pb \$24.95) in a ***Penguin Classic edition***, safely sitting on a shelf waiting for a new home...

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Sicily *Land of the Leopard Princes* Jean-Bernard Naudin (Photog.), Gerard Gefen & Fanny Calefati di Canalotti Hb \$118.00 **\$29.95**

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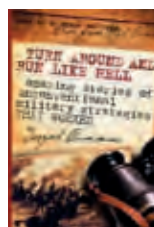
Animal Liberation Peter Singer Tp \$39.95 **\$17.95**

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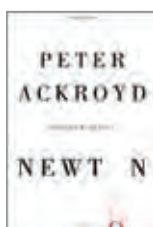
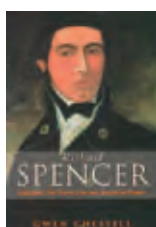
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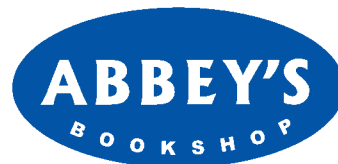
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