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# The Driftless Reader

#### EDITED BY CURT MEINE AND KEEFE KEELEY

Home to the little house in the big woods, the prairie school, and the organic valley

"A timely resource for anyone interested in the natural and cultural history of the Driftless Area. The varied texts create a kaleidoscopic portrait that shifts and reassembles with each new view that is offered."—Beth Lynch, Luther College

"As unique as the Driftless bioregion is, so are the writings, old and new, of our region. This land speaks clearly through these words to reflect our collective love of the Driftless, our common sense, our community spirit, and the unique characters we are."—George Siemon, chief executive, Organic Valley/CROPP Cooperative

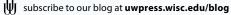
Ancient glaciers passed by the Driftless Area and waterways vein its interior, forming an enchanting, enigmatic landscape of sharp ridgetops and deep valleys. Across time, this rugged topography has been home to an astonishing variety of people: Sauk, Dakota, and Ho-Chunk villagers, Norwegian farmers and Mexican mercado owners, Dominican nuns and Buddhist monks, river raftsmen and Shakespearean actors, Cornish miners and African American barn builders, organic entrepreneurs and Hmong truck gardeners.

The Driftless Reader gathers writings that highlight the unique natural and cultural history, landscape, and literature of this region that encompasses southwestern Wisconsin and adjacent Minnesota, Iowa, and Illinois. The more than eighty selected texts include writings by Black Hawk, Mark Twain, Laura Ingalls Wilder, Frank Lloyd Wright, Aldo Leopold, David Rhodes, and many

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More than voice of our Wisconsin Driftless Area farm, the spring creek is an artery in a water heart—alive and pulsing. It is a twig on a water tree, and its course shapes the branch of a trout stream called Dieter Hollow Creek, which in turn, is part of the great water tree called the Mississippi River. In spring, the winged ones in the sky follow the trail of water from trunk to twig and then in fall, back again from twig to trunk. —Catherine Young, from *Water Song* (2013)

The farmstead stood on a hilltop, like a castle, like the center of the world.... Look in any direction and there were other ridges, with dots of houses and barns, and the blue shadows of other ridges still beyond them, each a whole world away from the next narrow ridge. Down below, in the valley, was yet another world. The valleys had different trees and animals. Even the seasons were different. —Ben Logan, from The Land Remembers: The Story of a Farm and Its People (1975)

In the midst of the great mantle of drift that overspreads the Upper Mississippi Basin there lies a drift-barren tract of about 10,000 square miles, the driftless area of Wisconsin and adjoining States. This island in the sea of drift is unique.

—T. C. Chamberlin and Rollin D. Salisbury, from "Preliminary Paper on the Driftless Area of the Upper Mississippi Valley" (1885)







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books include Aldo Leopold: His Life and Work and Wallace Stegner and the Continental Vision. KEEFE KEELEY,

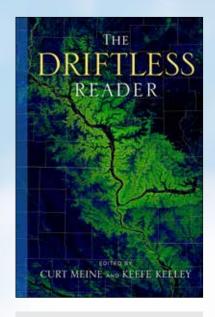
a native of the Kickapoo Valley, is executive director of the Savanna Institute, working with farmers on sustainable agro-ecosystems in the Upper Midwest.

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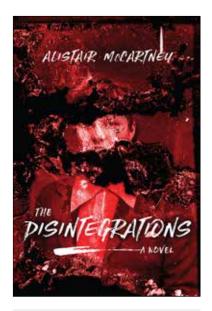
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A haunting, obsessive exploration of death

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**ALISTAIR McCARTNEY** is the author of *The End of the World Book*, a finalist for the PEN USA Literary Award in Fiction. He teaches creative writing at Antioch University Los Angeles.



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#### **AMY HOFFMAN**

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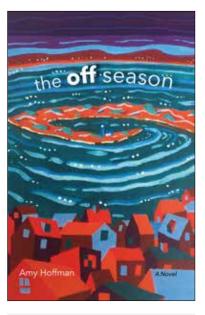
"With one of the most effortlessly charming voices you're likely to come across, Amy Hoffman has written a portrait of a place and the madly diverse group of people that lives there. As antic and funny as this irresistible novel is, Hoffman's real triumph is reminding us of the importance of community in the face of hostility and oppression. It's hard to imagine a more timely or necessary reminder."—Stephen McCauley, author of *The Object of My Affection* 

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**AMY HOFFMAN** is the author of the memoirs *Lies about My Family, An Army of Ex-Lovers*, and *Hospital Time*. She teaches in the Solstice MFA Program at Pine Manor College and is editor in chief of the *Women's Review of Books*.



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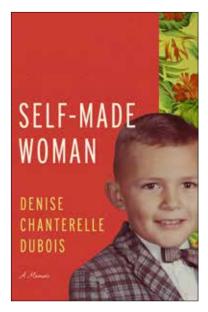


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A Memoir

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Denise Chanterelle DuBois's transformation into a woman wasn't easy. Born as a boy into a working-class Polish American Milwaukee family, she faced daunting hurdles: a domineering father, a gritty 1960s neighborhood with no understanding of gender nonconformity, trouble in school, and a childhood so haunted by deprivation that neckbone soup was a staple. Terrified of revealing her inner self, DuBois Iurched through alcoholism, drug dealing and addiction, car crashes, dangerous sex, and prison time. Dennis barreled from Wisconsin to California, Oregon, Canada, Costa Rica, New York, Bangkok, and Hawaii on a joyless ride.

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Denise Chanterelle DuBois is an actress, environmentalist, and businesswoman. She lives in Portland, Oregon.



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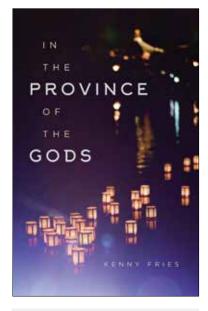
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Kenny Fries is the author of *Body, Remember: A Memoir* and *The History of My Shoes and the Evolution of Darwin's Theory.*He is the editor of *Staring Back: The Disability Experience from the Inside Out.* He teaches in the MFA in Creative Writing Program at Goddard College and is the recipient of a prestigious Creative Capital grant.



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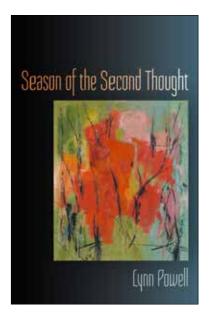
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LYNN POWELL

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I've tried, like a peony, to explain myself in a hundred dark petals or less.
I've been clear as the insatiable hands of the rain.
I've been Rachmaninoff and ragweed, cornflowers and castanets, sunset swollen behind me like a red crescendo.
Yes, I've worn my heart up my sleeve. And Lord knows
I've been love's bull's-eye—
Saint Sebastiana of the Backslid Baptists.

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**LYNN POWELL** teaches in the Creative Writing Program at Oberlin College, where she directs Oberlin's Writersin-the-Schools Program. She has published two previous collections of poetry: *Old & New Testaments*, winner of the Brittingham Prize in Poetry, and *The Zones of Paradise*. Her nonfiction book *Framing Innocence* won the Studs & Ida Terkel Award.

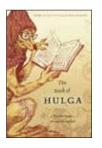


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... And the light which began to climb over the rim of horizon appeared stunned like ancestors in old photographs

seem stunned. You look at them in their suspenders and bonnets and the austerity of their faces as if they knew, even then, in the minute's wait

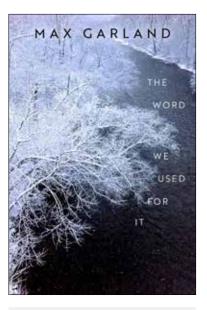
for the shutter to close, they were goners. As if they knew the reason for the picture was time without pity. So I stood under the red pine, took a few more breaths

from deep in the glacial instant of my one and only life, which hurt a little, like joy, by which I mean the edge of joy where it sharpens itself for the work it has to do.

—excerpt from "Joy" @ Max Garland. All rights reserved.



**MAX GARLAND**, originally from Kentucky, is the author of *The Postal Confessions* and *Hunger Wide as Heaven*. He is a former poet laureate of Wisconsin, a professor emeritus at the University of Wisconsin–Eau Claire, and the first writer-in-residence for the city of Eau Claire, Wisconsin.



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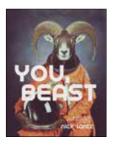
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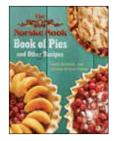
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**DIRK BURHANS** grew up in the heart of traditional potato chip country in eastern Ohio. He is a past publisher of the magazine *Burger Boy* and writes for magazines about potato chips, soda pop, and hamburger chains. He lives in Idaho.

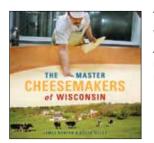


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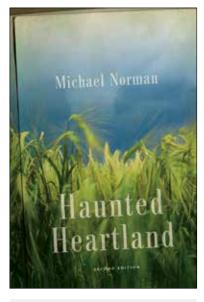
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**MICHAEL NORMAN** is an emeritus professor of journalism at the University of Wisconsin–River Falls. His many books include six other collections of American supernatural stories, including *Haunted Wisconsin*, also published by the University of Wisconsin Press.



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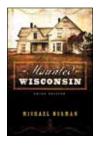
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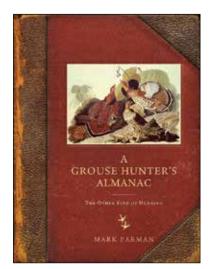
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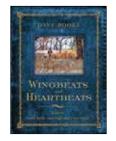
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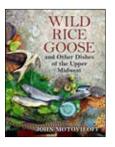


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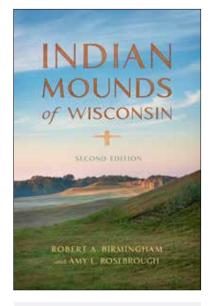
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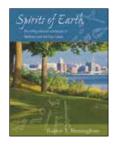
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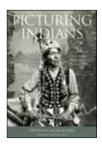
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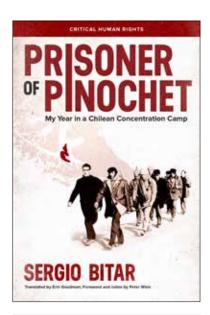
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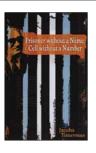
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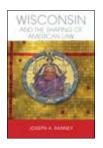
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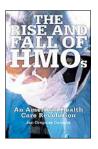
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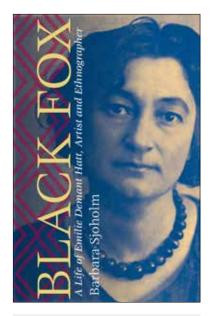
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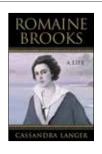


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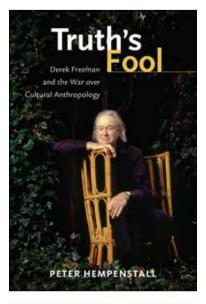
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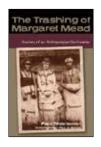
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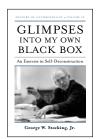
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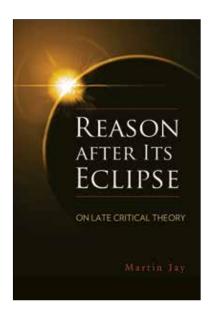
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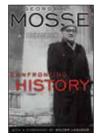
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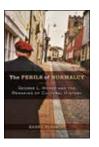


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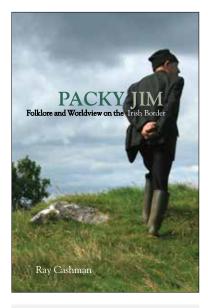
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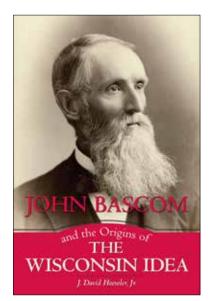
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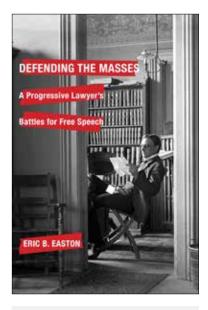
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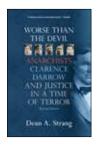
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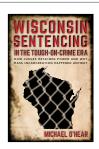
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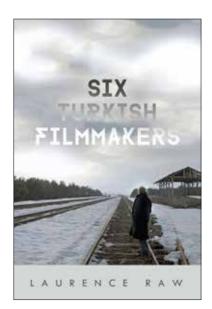
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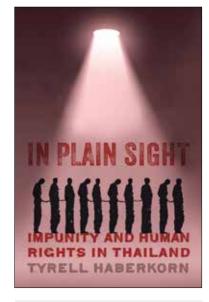
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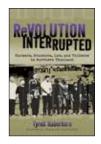
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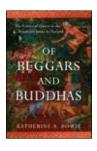
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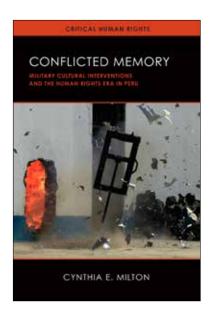
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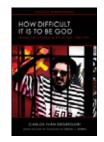
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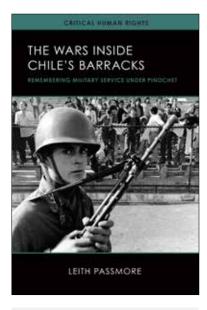
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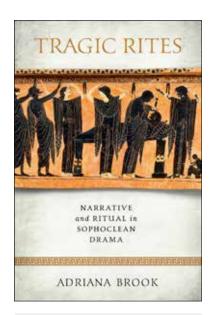
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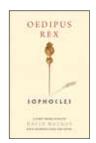
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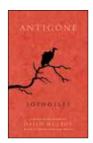


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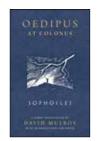
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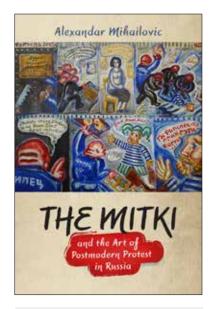
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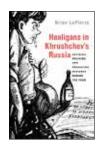


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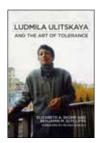
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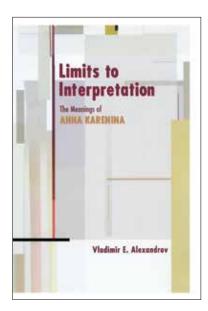
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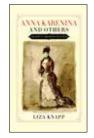
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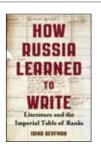


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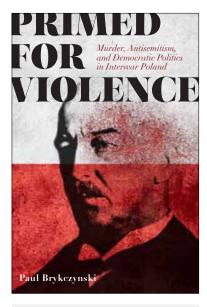
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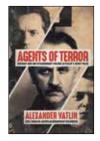
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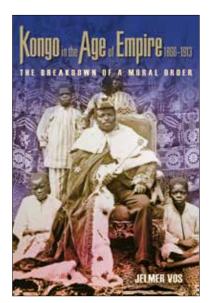
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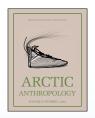


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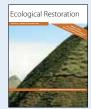


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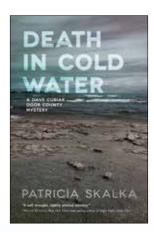
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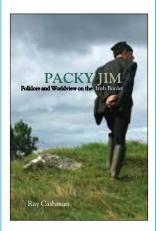


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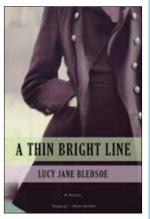
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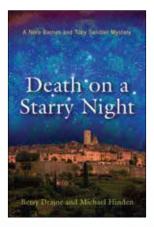


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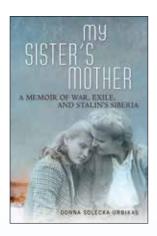
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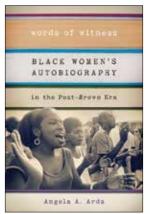
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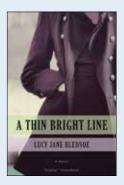
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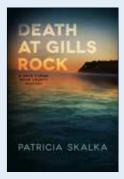
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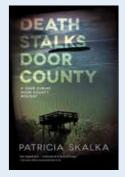
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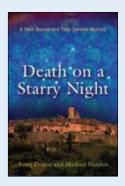
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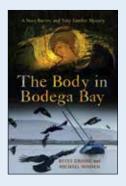
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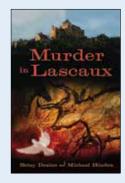
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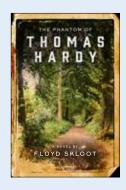
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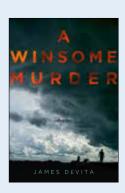
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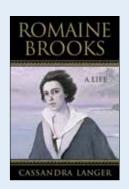
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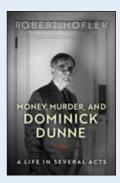


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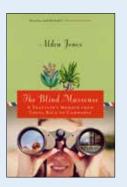


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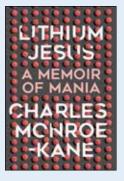
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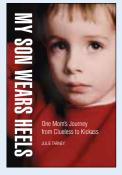
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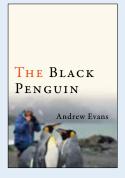
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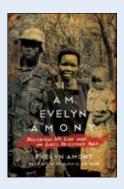
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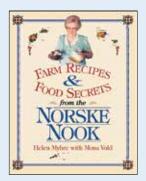
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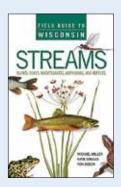
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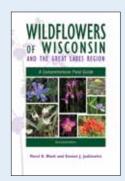
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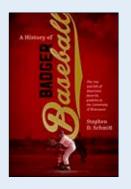
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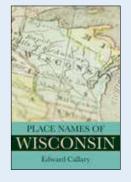
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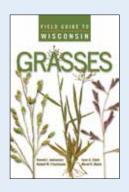
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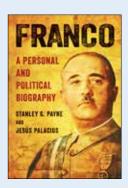
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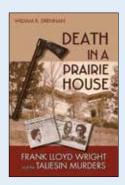
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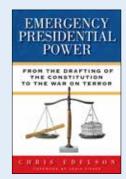
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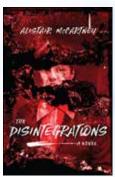
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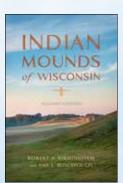
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