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"In You Choose format, explores the technology and tactics of World War II"--

On July 9, 1755, British and colonial troops under the command of General Edward Braddock suffered a crushing

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defeat to French and Native American enemy forces in Ohio Country. Known as the Battle of the Monongahela, the loss altered the trajectory of the Seven Years' War in America, escalating the fighting and shifting the balance of power. An unprecedented rout of a modern and powerful British army by a

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predominantly Indian force, Monongahela shocked the colonial world--and also planted the first seeds of an independent American consciousness. The culmination of a failed attempt to capture Fort Duquesne from the French, Braddock's Defeat was a pivotal

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moment in American and world history. While the defeat is often blamed on blundering and arrogance on the part of General Braddock--who was wounded in battle and died the next day--David Preston's gripping new work argues that such a claim diminishes the victory that Indian and

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French forces won by their superior discipline and leadership. In fact, the French Canadian officer Captain Beaujeu had greater tactical skill, reconnaissance, and execution, and his Indian allies were the most effective and disciplined troops on the field. Preston also explores the long

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shadow cast by Braddock's Defeat over the 18th century and the American Revolution two decades later. The campaign had been an awakening to empire for many British Americans, spawning ideas of American identity and anticipating many of the political and social

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divisions that would erupt with the outbreak of the Revolution. Braddock's Defeat was the defining generational experience for many British and American officers, including Thomas Gage, Horatio Gates, and perhaps most significantly, George Washington. A rich battle history

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driven by a gripping narrative and an abundance of new evidence, Braddock's Defeat presents the fullest account yet of this defining moment in early American history. Florence Nightingale is famous as the “lady with the lamp” in the Crimean War, 1854—56. There is a massive

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amount of literature on this work, but, as editor Lynn McDonald shows, it is often erroneous, and films and press reporting on it have been even less accurate. The Crimean War reports on Nightingale's correspondence from the war hospitals and on the staggering amount of work she did

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post-war to ensure that the appalling death rate from disease (higher than that from bullets) did not recur. This volume contains much on Nightingale's efforts to achieve real reforms. Her well-known, and relatively "sanitized", evidence to the royal commission on the war is compared

with her confidential, much franker, and very thorough Notes on the Health of the British Army, where the full horrors of disease and neglect are laid out, with the names of those responsible.

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The story of how the NFL, over a

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period of nearly two decades, denied and sought to cover up mounting evidence of the connection between football and brain damage “League of Denial may turn out to be the most influential sports-related book of our time.”—The Boston Globe
“Professional football players do not

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sustain frequent repetitive blows to the brain on a regular basis.” So concluded the National Football League in a December 2005 scientific paper on concussions in America’s most popular sport. That judgment, implausible even to a casual fan, also contradicted the opinion of a growing

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cadre of neuroscientists who worked in vain to convince the NFL that it was facing a deadly new scourge: a chronic brain disease that was driving an alarming number of players—including some of the all-time greats—to madness. In *League of Denial*, award-winning ESPN

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investigative reporters Mark Fainaru-Wada and Steve Fainaru tell the story of a public health crisis that emerged from the playing fields of our twenty-first-century pastime. Everyone knows that football is violent and dangerous. But what the players who built the NFL into a \$10 billion industry didn't

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know—and what the league sought to shield from them—is that no amount of padding could protect the human brain from the force generated by modern football, that the very essence of the game could be exposing these players to brain damage. In a fast-paced narrative that moves between the NFL

trenches, America's research labs, and the boardrooms where the NFL went to war against science, League of Denial examines how the league used its power and resources to attack independent scientists and elevate its own flawed research—a campaign with echoes of Big Tobacco's fight to deny

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the connection between smoking and lung cancer. It chronicles the tragic fates of players like Hall of Fame Pittsburgh Steelers center Mike Webster, who was so disturbed at the time of his death he fantasized about shooting NFL executives, and former San Diego Chargers great Junior

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Seau, whose diseased brain became the target of an unseemly scientific battle between researchers and the NFL. Based on exclusive interviews, previously undisclosed documents, and private emails, this is the story of what the NFL knew and when it knew it—questions at the heart of a crisis that

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threatens football, from the highest
levels all the way down to Pop Warner.
The President and the Freedom
Fighter
And the Civil War's Final Campaign
The Night American Fashion Stumbled
into the Spotlight and Made History
The Battle of Bretton Woods

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Glory Enough for All
Crucible of War
France 1940

Covers period in history from
Mexican rebellion against Spanish
rule to end of war between Mexico
and United States over American

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annexation of Texas.

No, this book does not and will never promote war or any battle to your kids' precious young minds. This book aims to provide knowledge on military and war history for your children to learn

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from. The book also discusses brilliant battle strategies to highlight the wisdom and effort our war heroes have exerted to fight for their principles and rights. Grab your copy now!

The first volume in a three-volume

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work about the liberation of Europe opens in North Africa in 1942 and charts America's rise to world-power status by its involvement in a war on two fronts. By the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Long Gray Line* 100,000 first printing.

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*Includes pictures *Explains the roles played by Tecumseh and William Henry Harrison before, during, and after the battle *Includes various accounts of what happened at the battle according to both sides *Includes a bibliography for further

reading *Includes a table of contents
The Battle of Tippecanoe, fought on
November 7, 1811 near present-day
Lafayette, Indiana, involved forces
of fewer than 2,000 Native
American warriors and white
soldiers, and only about 300 men

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were killed or wounded on both sides. Given those numbers, it's apparent that the battle was far from being a Saratoga or a Gettysburg in terms of its scale or significance as an historical turning point, yet it was one of the most important battles in

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shaping American history during the early 19th century. The battle also involved an epic confrontation between two important American figures: William Henry Harrison, who would become the 9th president of the United States by running on

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his success in the battle, and the Shawnee war chief Tecumseh, arguably the most famous Native American leader in American history. From the American Revolution up through the Battle of Tippecanoe, Native Americans in

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the Old Northwest (today's
Midwestern states) had been putting
up stout resistance to that region's
settlement by white land speculators
and settlers. Things came to a head
when Tecumseh and his brother, the
Prophet Tenskwatawa, spearheaded

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a movement in the region that greatly influenced the area's Native Americans. In 1806, Harrison began to publicly denounce Tenskwatawa to other tribal leaders, calling him a fraud and charlatan, but the Shawnee Prophet responded by

accurately predicting a solar eclipse, which embarrassed Governor Harrison, and after this event, which tribal leaders took as a sign of Tenskwatawa's authenticity, his movement grew even more rapidly. By 1808, Tenskwatawa and his

followers had moved west and founded a large, multi-tribal settlement near the confluence of the Tippecanoe and Wabash Rivers, called Prophetstown or Tippecanoe. Assisted by his brother Tecumseh, Tenskwatawa's settlement grew

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tremendously and eventually became the largest Native American settlement in the region. It also served as a Native American cultural center and provided a steady cadre of warriors ready to hear the Prophet's message that they should

return to their ancestral lifestyles
and force the white settlers and their
culture out of their territory.
Although accounts of the battle
conflict, all agree that sentinels
aroused the main body of the
American troops when they detected

Native American warriors attacking the Americans' perimeter from the south. The initial Native American attack struck the southern point of the defensive perimeter around 4:30 a.m. on November 7, 1811, and almost immediately the warriors

rushed in among the American defenders manning that sector. Soldiers defending the southern side of the perimeter suffered the highest casualties, with the Yellow Jackets suffering a 30% casualty rate, but in fighting lasting about two hours

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Harrison's force of roughly 1,000, suffered only 62 dead and about 120 wounded. As the sun rose, the warriors began running low on ammunition, and the light revealed their small numbers, leading them to break off the attack and retreat

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towards Prophetstown. The battle was hardly a decisive victory, but at the end of the fighting the Americans still held their perimeter, allowing them to claim victory. While Tippecanoe was clearly not a total victory, and Native American

resistance would continue through the War of 1812, the battle is widely considered the end of Tecumseh's War and did help bring about the decline of Native American ascendancy in the region. The Battle of Tippecanoe: The History and

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Legacy of the American Victory
That Ended Tecumseh's War
analyzes the background that led up
to the battle and its aftermath.

The Battle of Versailles

Wine and War

The Rise and Fall of an American

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Myth

An Army at Dawn

On War

Lady Justice

The Battle of Musgrove's Mill, 1780

The remarkable untold story of
France ' s courageous, clever

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vintners who protected and rescued the country ' s most treasured commodity from German plunder during World War II. "To be a Frenchman means to fight for your country and its wine." – Claude Terrail,

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owner, Restaurant La Tour
d'Argent In 1940, France fell to
the Nazis and almost
immediately the German army
began a campaign of pillaging
one of the assets the French
hold most dear: their wine. Like

others in the French Resistance, winemakers mobilized to oppose their occupiers, but the tale of their extraordinary efforts has remained largely unknown – until now. This is the thrilling and harrowing story of the French

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wine producers who undertook ingenious, daring measures to save their cherished crops and bottles as the Germans closed in on them. Wine and War illuminates a compelling, little-known chapter of history, and

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stands as a tribute to extraordinary individuals who waged a battle that, in a very real way, saved the spirit of France.

Chronicles the two battles of Independence Day, 1863 that

ended in Union victory and marked the demise of the Confederacy, including information about the terrain, tactics, and the colorful personalities of America's soldiers.

Taking its title from The Face of Battle, John Keegan's canonical book on the nature of warfare, The Other Face of Battle illuminates the American experience of fighting in "irregular" and "intercultural"

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wars over the centuries. Sometimes known as "forgotten" wars, in part because they lacked triumphant clarity, they are the focus of the book. David Preston, David Silbey, and Anthony Carlson

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focus on, respectively, the Battle of Monongahela (1755), the Battle of Manila (1898), and the Battle of Makuan, Afghanistan (2020)--conflicts in which American soldiers were forced to engage in "irregular"

warfare, confronting an enemy entirely alien to them. This enemy rejected the Western conventions of warfare and defined success and failure--victory and defeat--in entirely different ways.

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Symmetry of any kind is lost.
Here was not ennobling
engagement but atrocity,
unanticipated insurgencies, and
strategic stalemate. War is
always hell. These wars,
however, profoundly

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undermined any sense of purpose or proportion. Nightmarish and existentially bewildering, they nonetheless characterize how Americans have experienced combat and what its effects have been.

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They are therefore worth comparing for what they hold in common as well as what they reveal about our attitude toward war itself. The Other Face of Battle reminds us that "irregular" or "asymmetrical"

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warfare is now not the exception but the rule. Understanding its roots seems more crucial than ever. On August 19, 1780, near a ford of the Enoree River in northwest South Carolina, a

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short and savage encounter occurred between Rebel militia and a combined force of Loyalist militia and Provincial regulars. Despite the Rebel's being outnumbered more than two to one, it was an

overwhelming victory for the American cause. The Rebels defended from the top of a ridge, inflicted heavy casualties on the Loyalist force as it advanced, then charged and drove the enemy from the field

of battle. Just as Bunker Hill had done on a larger scale in Massachusetts, this clash of hundreds of soldiers in the Carolina backwoods invigorated the Rebel cause and led directly to the Battle of King's Mountain,

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the turning point of the war in the South. This battle is also remarkable because instead of one leader the Rebel force was directed by a joint command of three colonels. The Battle of Musgrove's Mill, 1780, by

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award-winning historian John Buchanan, begins by describing the situation in South Carolina following the British invasion of 1780 before introducing the three colonels: Isaac Shelby, James Williams, and Elijah

Clarke. These men led Rebel militia from North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia in an effort to disrupt British operations and their Loyalist support. The colonels and other leaders led mounted Rebel

militia in a sweeping and bloody guerilla war that played an essential role in opening a path to the eventual British surrender at Yorktown and Britain's loss of America. Small Battles: Military History as

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Local History Mark Edward Lender and James Kirby Martin, Series Editors Small Battles offers a fresh and important new perspective on the story of America's early conflicts. It was the small battles, not the clash

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of major armies, that truly defined the fighting during the colonial wars, the American Revolution, the War of 1812, and the hostilities on the frontiers. This is dramatic military history as seen through

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the prism of local history--history with a depth of detail, a feeling for place, people, and the impact of battle and its consequences that the story of major battles often cannot convey. The Small

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Battles series focuses on
America's military conflicts at
their most intimate and
revealing level.

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America's Forgotten Wars and
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Lincoln and the Fight for Peace
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An Epic Novel of the Battle of Thermopylae

An instant USA Today
bestseller! From fan-
favorite Scarlett St.
Clair, the bestselling
author of the Hades &

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Persephone series, comes
a new fantasy filled
with danger, darkness,
and insatiable romance.
Their union is his
revenge. Isolde de Lara
considers her wedding

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day to be her death day.
To end a years-long war,
she is to marry vampire
king Adrian Aleksandr
Vasiliev, and kill him.
But her assassination
attempt is thwarted, and

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Adrian threatens that if Isolde tries to kill him again, he will raise her as the undead. Faced with the possibility of becoming the thing she hates most, Isolde seeks

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other ways to defy him
and survive the brutal
vampire court. Except it
isn't the court she
fears most—it's Adrian.
Despite their undeniable
chemistry, she wonders

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why the king—fierce,
savage, merciless—chose
her as consort. The
answer will shatter her
world.

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accounts of the fighting
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resources and a
bibliography for further
reading "The Battle of
Cloyd Mountain, under
General Crook, famous in

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the [23rd Ohio]
regiment's history, must
command a passing word.
Skillful and furious, it
tried the metal of the
best men." - William
McKinley, speech to a

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23rd Ohio Regiment
reunion in 1877

Americans have long been
fascinated by the Civil
War, marveling at the
size of the battles, the
leadership of the

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generals, and the
courage of the soldiers.
Since the war's start
over 150 years ago, the
battles have been
subjected to endless
debate among historians

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and the generals themselves. The Civil War was the deadliest conflict in American history, and had the two sides realized it would take 4 years and inflict

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over a million casualties, it might not have been fought. Since it did, however, historians and history buffs alike have been studying and analyzing

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the biggest battles ever since. With Robert E. Lee's Army of Northern Virginia continuing to frustrate the Union Army of the Potomac's attempts to take

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Richmond in 1862 and
1863, President Lincoln
shook things up by
turning command of all
the armies of the United
States to Ulysses S.
Grant in March 1864. Lee

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had won stunning
victories at battles
like Chancellorsville
and Second Bull Run by
going on the offensive
and taking the strategic
initiative, but Grant

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and Lincoln had no intention of letting him do so anymore. Attaching himself to the Army of the Potomac, Grant ordered Army of the Potomac commander George

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Meade, "Lee's army is your objective point. Wherever Lee goes, there you will go also." At the Battle of the Wilderness (May 5-7, 1864), Grant and Lee

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fought to a standstill
in their first
encounter, failing to
dislodge each other
despite incurring nearly
30,000 casualties
between the Union Army

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of the Potomac and the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia. However, after the fierce fighting, Grant continued to push his battered but resilient

army south. Civil War
fans and historians are
familiar with the
ensuing major battles
that took place at
Spotsylvania, the North
Anna, Cold Harbor, and

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then the subsequent
siege of Petersburg, but
as the armies were
moving towards
Spotsylvania, Grant
detached some forces in
an effort to destroy

railroads in western
Virginia that the
Confederates used to
ship men and material to
the Western Theater.
With William Tecumseh
Sherman's command

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attempting to take
Atlanta from Joseph E.
Johnston's Army of
Tennessee, it was
crucial to hamper the
Confederacy's ability to
reinforce itself one way

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or the other.

Eventually, Union and Confederate forces met each other at the Battle of Cloyd's Mountain, one of the most savage battles of the war.

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There were over 1,000
combined casualties at
the battle, resulting in
the Union losing 10% of
its total men in the
battle and the
Confederates losing an

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astounding 20%. The battle, a short but intense engagement, ended with a Union victory that allowed them to sever the last railroad lines

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connecting Virginia and Tennessee, which meant to a large degree that the Eastern Theater and Western Theater were divided for the Confederacy. The Battle

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of Cloyd's Mountain: The
History of the Civil War
Battle that Split
Virginia from the
Western Theater during
the Overland Campaign
looks at the history of

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the often forgotten battle. Along with pictures of important people, places, and events, you will learn about Cloyd's Mountain like never before.

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Reveals how the
blueprint for the post-
World War II economic
order was actually
drawn.

Dahlia Lithwick, one of
the nation's foremost

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legal commentators,
tells the gripping and
heroic story of the
women lawyers who fought
the racism, sexism, and
xenophobia of Donald
Trump's presidency—and

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won After the sudden shock of Donald Trump's victory over Hillary Clinton in 2016, many Americans felt lost and uncertain. It was clear he and his

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administration were going to pursue a series of retrograde, devastating policies. What could be done? Immediately, women lawyers all around the

country, independently
of each other, sprang
into action, and they
had a common goal: they
weren't going to stand
by in the face of
injustice, while Trump,

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Mitch McConnell, and the Republican party did everything in their power to remake the judiciary in their own conservative image. Over the next four years, the

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women worked tirelessly
to hold the line against
the most chaotic and
malign presidency in
living memory. There was
Sally Yates, the acting
attorney general of the

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United States, who refused to sign off on the Muslim travel ban. And Becca Heller, the founder of a refugee assistance program who brought the fight over

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the travel ban to the airports. And Roberta Kaplan, the famed commercial litigator, who sued the neo-Nazis in Charlottesville. And, of course, Stacey

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Abrams, whose efforts to protect the voting rights of millions of Georgians may well have been what won the Senate for the Democrats in 2020. These are just a

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handful of the stories
Lithwick dramatizes in
thrilling detail to tell
a brand-new and deeply
inspiring account of the
Trump years. With
unparalleled access to

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her subjects, she has written a luminous book, not about the villains of the Trump years, but about the heroes. And as the country confronts the news that the

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Supreme Court, which includes three Trump-appointed justices, will soon overturn Roe v. Wade, Lithwick shines a light on not only the major consequences of

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such a decision, but
issues a clarion call to
all who might, like the
women in this book, feel
the urgency to join the
fight. A celebration of
the tireless efforts,

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legal ingenuity, and
indefatigable spirit of
the women whose work all
too often went
unrecognized at the
time, Lady Justice is
destined to be treasured

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and passed from hand to hand for generations to come, not just among lawyers and law students, but among all optimistic and hopeful Americans.

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The Battle of the
Monongahela and the Road
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The Battle of Oriskany
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Battle to Save America
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The Battle of An Loc
Braddock's Defeat

A firsthand account of the sixty-day siege
of An Loc presents a detailed overview of

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the 1972 North Vietnamese Easter Offensive, focusing on the fighting in Binh Long Province, Saigon, and the siege of An Loc.

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • “ Steven Pressfield brings the battle of Thermopylae to brilliant life. ” —Pat Conroy At Thermopylae, a rocky mountain pass in

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northern Greece, the feared and admired Spartan soldiers stood three hundred strong. Theirs was a suicide mission, to hold the pass against the invading millions of the mighty Persian army. Day after bloody day they withstood the terrible onslaught, buying time for the Greeks to rally their forces. Born into a cult of

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spiritual courage, physical endurance, and unmatched battle skill, the Spartans would be remembered for the greatest military stand in history—one that would not end until the rocks were awash with blood, leaving only one gravely injured Spartan squire to tell the tale. . . .

Discover the story of the Battle of

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Oriskany, with special emphasis on General Herkimer's role.

An estimated one-third of all combat actions in the American Revolution took place in South Carolina. From the partisan clashes of the backcountry's war for the hearts and minds of settlers to bloody encounters with Native Americans

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on the frontier, more battles were fought in South Carolina than any other of the original thirteen states. The state also had more than its share of pitched battles between Continental troops and British regulars. In *South Carolina and the American Revolution: A Battlefield History*, John W. Gordon illustrates how

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these encounters, fought between 1775 and 1783, were critical to winning the struggle that secured Americas independence from Great Britain.

Fields of Battle

The French, the Nazis, and the Battle for France's Greatest Treasure

King of Battle and Blood

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Bath Time Battle
The second day's fighting at
Gettysburg--the assault of the Army of

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Northern Virginia against the Army of the Potomac on 2 July 1863--was probably the critical engagement of that decisive battle and, therefore, among the most significant actions of the Civil War. Harry Pfanz, a former historian at Gettysburg National Military Park, has written a definitive account of the second day's brutal combat.

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He begins by introducing the men and units that were to do battle, analyzing the strategic intentions of Lee and Meade as commanders of the opposing armies, and describing the concentration of forces in the area around Gettysburg. He then examines the development of tactical plans and the deployment of troops for the

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approaching battle. But the emphasis is on the fighting itself. Pfanz provides a thorough account of the Confederates' smashing assaults -- at Devil's Den and Little Round Top, through the Wheatfield and the Peach Orchard, and against the Union center at Cemetery Ridge. He also details the Union defense that eventually

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succeeded in beating back these assaults, depriving Lee's gallant army of victory. Pfanz analyzes decisions and events that have sparked debate for more than a century. In particular he discusses factors underlying the Meade-Sickles controversy and the questions about Longstreet's delay in attacking the Union left. The narrative

is also enhanced by thirteen superb maps, more than eighty illustrations, brief portraits of the leading commanders, and observations on artillery, weapons, and tactics that will be of help even to knowledgeable readers. Gettysburg--The Second Day is certain to become a Civil War classic. What makes the work so

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authoritative is Pfanz' mastery of the Gettysburg literature and his unparalleled knowledge of the ground on which the fighting occurred. His sources include the Official Records, regimental histories and personal reminiscences from soldiers North and South, personal papers and diaries, newspaper files, and last -- but

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assuredly not least -- the Gettysburg battlefield. Pfanz's career in the National Park Service included a ten-year assignment as a park historian at Gettysburg. Without doubt, he knows the terrain of the battle as well as he knows the battle itself.

In this vivid and compelling narrative, the

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Seven Years' War – long seen as a mere backdrop to the American Revolution – takes on a whole new significance. Relating the history of the war as it developed, Anderson shows how the complex array of forces brought into conflict helped both to create Britain's empire and to sow the seeds of its eventual

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dissolution. Beginning with a skirmish in the Pennsylvania backcountry involving an inexperienced George Washington, the Iroquois chief Tanaghrisson, and the ill-fated French emissary Jumonville, Anderson reveals a chain of events that would lead to world conflagration. Weaving together the military, economic,

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and political motives of the participants with unforgettable portraits of Washington, William Pitt, Montcalm, and many others, Anderson brings a fresh perspective to one of America ' s most important wars, demonstrating how the forces unleashed there would irrevocably change the politics of empire in North

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America.

The Civil War was America ' s trial by fire; its battles forged the nation we know today. We ' re still fascinated with it – the national reckoning with slavery, the legendary generals and leaders, the epic and bloody clashes of armies, the impact on the daily lives of ordinary people. We

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visit its battlefields – mostly idyllic patches of countryside near small towns and creeks – where more Americans died in combat than in all other wars combined, except for World War Two. And we tell its stories – of last charges, brother fighting brother, imprisonment and emancipation, and tragedy and

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rebirth. It is our country ' s epic; the story of how we became who we are, and what price we paid. The Civil War For Dummies is your complete introduction to this seminal conflict. Eschewing tedious historical pondering and military micro-analysis, this fun and information-rich guide gives an accurate overview of the

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event, from the war ' s causes through the fighting to the aftermath. Inside you ' ll discover: 1850-1860: what led to war First Bull Run: illusions lost Antietam: the bloodiest day The Emancipation Proclamation Heroes and goats of each major battle Jackson ' s Valley Campaign Sherman ' s March to the Sea Surrender

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at Appomattox And much more Full of sidebars and illustrations, The Civil War For Dummies brings history to life with personalities, factoids, battle reports, strategic maps, and “ what ifs. ” In addition to the military and political history, you ’ ll also find out about: The African American experience in the war

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Americans and the war The life of the
common soldier Banking and finance
systems and the war “ Firsts ” that make
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Civil War food Civil War tourism: the best
battlefields to visit, and how to get the
most out of your trip Written in an

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accessible style so you can start reading at any point in the story, *The Civil War For Dummies* makes a great cornerstone for learning about this violent and compelling chapter of American history.

During six weeks in 1940, Hitler's blitzkrieg shattered the redoubtable Maginot Line and, shortly thereafter, the

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French army. No historian has written a more definitive chronicle of that disaster than Alistair Horne, or one so emotionally gripping. Moving with cinematic swiftness from the battlefield to the Reichstag and the Palais de l'...lys é e, *To Lose a Battle* overfills the confines of traditional military history to become a portrait of the

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French national soul in its darkest night.

Texas and the War with Mexico

Pearl Harbor, the Rose Bowl, and the

Boys Who Went to War

John Maynard Keynes, Harry Dexter

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Military Power

Abraham Lincoln, Frederick Douglass,
and Their Battle to Save America's Soul

The Battle and Its Aftermath

Eight-year-old J.D. turns a tragic
home haircut into a thriving barber
business in this hilarious new

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illustrated chapter book series J.D. has a big problem--it's the night before the start of third grade and his mom has just given him his first and worst home haircut. When the steady stream of insults from the entire student body of Douglass

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Elementary becomes too much for J.D., he takes matters into his own hands and discovers that, unlike his mom, he's a genius with the clippers. His work makes him the talk of the town and brings him enough hair business to open a barbershop from

his bedroom. But when Henry Jr., the owner of the only official local barbershop, realizes he's losing clients to J.D., he tries to shut him down for good. How do you find out who's the best barber in all of Meridian, Mississippi? With a

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GREAT BARBER BATTLE! From the hilarious and creative mind of J. Dillard, an entrepreneur, public speaker, and personal barber, comes a new chapter book series with characters that are easy to fall for and nearly impossible to forget.

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Akeem S. Roberts' lively illustrations make this series a must-buy for reluctant readers. 2021 New York Public Library Best Books 2021 Chicago Public Library Best Books 2021 School Library Journal Best Books 2022-2023 Texas Bluebonnet

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Charlotte Huck Award Honor
In the wake of the bombing of Pearl Harbor, the 1942 Rose Bowl was moved from Pasadena to Durham, North Carolina, out of fear of Japanese attacks on the West Coast.

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It remains the only Rose Bowl game to ever be played outside of Pasadena. Duke University, led by legendary coach Wallace Wade Sr., faced off against underdog Oregon State College, with both teams preparing for a grueling fight on the

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football field while their thoughts wandered to the battlefields they would soon be on. As the players and coaches prepared for the game, America was preparing for war. President Franklin D. Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston

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Churchill met to discuss the Allied strategy in Europe; a discussion that would change the lives of the boys and men on the field in Durham. Finally, on New Year ' s Day 1942, under dark gray skies and occasional rain, the two teams clashed on the

gridiron in front of a crowd of 56,000, playing one of the most unforgettable games in history. Shortly afterward, many of the players and coaches entered the military and would quickly become brothers on the battlefield. Scattered

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around the globe, the lives of Rose Bowl participants would intersect in surprising ways, as they served in Iwo Jima and Normandy, Guadalcanal and the Battle of the Bulge. Four players from that Rose Bowl game would lose their lives,

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while many more were severely wounded. In one powerful encounter on the battlefield, OSC ' s Frank Parker saved the life of Duke ' s Charles Haynes as he lay dying on a hill in Italy. And one OSC player, Jack Yoshihara, a

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Japanese-American, never had the chance to play in the game or serve his country, as he was sent to an internment camp in Idaho. In this riveting and emotional tale, Brian Curtis sheds light on a little-known slice of American history and

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captures in gripping detail an intimate account of the teamwork, grit, and determination that took place on both the football fields and the battlefields of World War II. It was a game created by infamy and a war fought by ordinary boys who

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did the extraordinary.

Something smells like trouble! Can five princess heroes and one Goat Avenger pool their talents to vanquish a monstrous stink? The Princess in Black is in a very stinky situation. A foul cloud is plaguing

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the goat pasture, and it smells worse than a pile of dirty diapers or a trash can on a hot summer day. But every time the Princess in Black and her friend the Goat Avenger manage to get rid of the odor, they accidentally blow it to another kingdom! Other

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masked heroes and their trusty companions show up to help, but how do you battle a stench when your ninja moves fail? Fans with a nose for slapstick will be tickled to see the six stalwart friends join their wits to take on an impossibly beastly

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stink.

*Includes pictures *Discusses how the battle was fought and legends about the battle such as Pheidippides running back to Athens *Includes a bibliography for further reference "The

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Athenians...charged the barbarians at a run. Now the distance between the two armies was little short of eight furlongs [about a mile]. The Persians, therefore, when they saw the Greeks coming on at speed, made ready to receive them,

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although it seemed to them that the Athenians were bereft of their senses, and bent upon their own destruction; for they saw a mere handful of men coming on at a run without either horsemen or archers..." - Herodotus The Ancient

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Greeks have long been considered the forefathers of modern Western civilization, but the Golden Age of Athens and the spread of Greek influence across much of the known world only occurred due to one of the most crucial battles of antiquity:

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the Battle of Marathon. In 491 B.C., following a successful invasion of Thrace over the Hellespont, the Persian emperor Darius sent envoys to the main Greek city-states, including Sparta and Athens, demanding tokens of earth and

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water as symbols of submission, but Darius didn't exactly get the reply he sought. According to Herodotus in his famous Histories, "Xerxes however had not sent to Athens or to Sparta heralds to demand the gift of earth, and for this reason, namely

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because at the former time when Dareios had sent for this very purpose, the one people threw the men who made the demand into the pit and the others into a well, and bade them take from thence earth and water and bear them to the

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king." Thus, in 490 B.C., after the revolt in Ionia had been crushed, Darius sent his general Mardonius, at the head of a massive fleet and invading force, to destroy the meddling Greeks, starting with Athens. The Persian army,

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numbering anywhere between 30,000 and 300,000 men, landed on the plain at Marathon, a few dozen miles from Athens, where an Athenian army of 10,000 hoplite heavy infantry supported by 1,000 Plataeans prepared to contest their

passage. The Athenians appealed to the Spartans for help, but the Spartans dithered; according to the Laws of Lycurgus, they were forbidden to march until the waxing moon was full. Accordingly, their army arrived too late. Thus, it fell

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upon the Athenians to shoulder the burden. With their army led by the great generals Miltiades and Themistocles, the Athenians charged the outnumbering Persians. Outmatched by the might of the heavy, bronze-armored Greek

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phalanx, the inferior Persian infantry was enveloped and destroyed, causing them to flee for their ships in panic. The Athenians had won a colossal victory against an overwhelming and seemingly invincible enemy. Somewhat

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ironically, the Battle of Marathon has been best commemorated by the race that bears its name, a tradition that started based on a legend that a Greek man named Pheidippides ran the 26.2 miles back to Athens in order to announce the Greek victory

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and subsequently collapsed and died as soon as he had done so. However, the importance of the battle itself cannot be overstated. The Battle of Marathon proved to be one of the biggest sources of enmity between the Greeks and Persians, and

Darius's son Xerxes would seek to undo the results with his own invasion just years later. As it was, the rivalry between the Greeks and Persians would last for over 150 years and culminated with Alexander the Great's destruction of

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the Achaemenid Persian capital city of Persepolis. Marathon also positioned the city-state of Athens as a major power not only in Greece but throughout the Mediterranean and Near East, as their military, diplomatic, and economic influence

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grew after the battle. The Greatest Battles in History: The Battle of Marathon chronicles the decisive Greek victory that ended the First Persian War and ensured the safety of mainland Greece.

The Battle of Marathon

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That Split Virginia from the Western Theater During the Overland Campaign

Essay from the year 2007 in the subject
History Europe - Other Countries -
Middle Ages, Early Modern Age,
grade: keine, language: English,

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abstract: It is a historical fact that the two armies - Turkish and Serbian - clashed near the village Chernomen (Chirmen, Chernomen, Chermanon) at the River Marica (Mari ç , Ebros, Hebros) on Friday the 26th, September 1371, and that a slaughter beyond

description took place. The Serbian army suffered a true massacre in which both brothers King Vlkasin and Despot Ugljesa were slain. The battle is today commonly called the Battle of Marica (after the river Marica in today's Bulgaria) or the Battle of Chernomen

(after a nearby small village on the lower Marica River). In trying to accurately convey the course of the battle one has to be contented with the contradictory assertions of the chronicles. What we can say with certainty is that Sultan Murad "did

not participate in the clash, as he was not yet in Rumili. It seems that he was occupied with matters concerning Anatolia." Elizabeth Zachariadou points out that the battle was not fought by the regular Ottoman army but by the army of the gazis. Vlkašin

was surprised by the greatly outnumbered Ottomans. Namely, led by Sultan Murad I's Lieutenant Lala-â hin-Bey - Beylerbeyi (governor) of Rumeli - the Osmanlis attacked the Serbian camps in a night raid and managed to achieve victory against all

odds. After this defeat, the Mrnjavčevics virtually vanished from the political scene. Not the Ottomans, but Manuel Palaeologus made use of this defeat of the Serbs to add Serres (Despot Ugljesa's land) to his appanage at Thessalonica.

Percy Jackson isn't expecting freshman orientation to be any fun. But when a mysterious mortal acquaintance appears on campus, followed by demon cheerleaders, things quickly move from bad to diabolical. In this latest installment of the blockbuster series,

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time is running out as war between the Olympians and the evil Titan lord Kronos draws near.

A groundbreaking, revelatory history of Abraham Lincoln ' s plan to secure a just and lasting peace after the Civil War—a vision that inspired future

presidents as well as the world ' s most famous peacemakers, including Nelson Mandela, Mahatma Gandhi, and Martin Luther King, Jr. It is a story of war and peace, race and reconciliation. As the tide of the Civil War turned in the spring of 1865, Abraham Lincoln

took a dangerous two-week trip to visit the troops on the front lines accompanied by his young son, seeing combat up close, meeting liberated slaves in the ruins of Richmond, and comforting wounded Union and Confederate soldiers. The power of

Lincoln ' s personal example in the closing days of the war offers a portrait of a peacemaker. He did not demonize people he disagreed with. He used humor, logic, and scripture to depolarize bitter debates. Balancing moral courage with moderation,

Lincoln believed that decency could be the most practical form of politics, but he understood that people were more inclined to listen to reason when greeted from a position of strength. Ulysses S. Grant ' s famously generous terms of surrender to General Robert

E. Lee at Appomattox that April were a direct expression of the president ' s belief that a soft peace should follow a hard war. While his assassination sent the country careening off course, Lincoln ' s vision would be vindicated long after his death, inspiring future

generations in their own quests to secure a just and lasting peace. As US General Lucius Clay, architect of the post-WWII German occupation, said when asked what guided his decisions: “ I tried to think of the kind of occupation the South would have had

if Abraham Lincoln had lived. ”
Lincoln and the Fight for Peace reveals how Lincoln ’ s character informed his commitment to unconditional surrender followed by a magnanimous peace. Even during the Civil War, surrounded by reactionaries and

radicals, he refused to back down from his belief that there is more that unites us than divides us. But he also understood that peace needs to be waged with as much intensity as war. Lincoln ' s plan to win the peace is his unfinished symphony, but in its existing

notes, we can find an anthem that can begin to bridge our divisions today. Each year, the Commandant of the U.S. Marine Corps selects one book that he believes is both relevant and timeless for reading by all Marines. The Commandant's choice for 1993 is

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We Were Soldiers Once . . . and Young. In November 1965, some 450 men of the 1st Battalion, 7th Cavalry, under the command of Lt. Col. Hal Moore, were dropped by helicopter into a small clearing in the Ia Drang Valley. They were immediately

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surrounded by 2,000 North Vietnamese soldiers. Three days later, only two and a half miles away, a sister battalion was chopped to pieces. Together, these actions at the landing zones X-Ray and Albany constituted one of the most savage and significant

battles of the Vietnam War. How these men persevered--sacrificed themselves for their comrades and never gave up--makes a vivid portrait of war at its most inspiring and devastating. General Moore and Joseph Galloway, the only journalist on the ground

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throughout the fighting, have interviewed hundreds of men who fought there, including the North Vietnamese commanders. This devastating account rises above the specific ordeal it chronicles to present a picture of men facing the ultimate

challenge, dealing with it in ways they would have found unimaginable only a few hours earlier. It reveals to us, as rarely before, man's most heroic and horrendous endeavor.

A Battlefield History

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Chancellorsville
An Interactive Battlefield Adventure
Collected Works of Florence
Nightingale
King Vukasin and the Disastrous Battle
of Marica

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A New York Times bestseller! “ Lively and absorbing. . .” — The New York Times Book Review “Engrossing.” —Wall Street Journal “ Entertaining and well-researched . . . ” —Houston Chronicle Three noted Texan writers combine forces to tell the real story of

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the Alamo, dispelling the myths, exploring why they had their day for so long, and explaining why the ugly fight about its meaning is now coming to a head. Every nation needs its creation myth, and since Texas was a nation before it was a state, it's no surprise

that its myths bite deep. There's no piece of history more important to Texans than the Battle of the Alamo, when Davy Crockett and a band of rebels went down in a blaze of glory fighting for independence from Mexico, losing the battle but setting

Texas up to win the war. However, that version of events, as Forget the Alamo definitively shows, owes more to fantasy than reality. Just as the site of the Alamo was left in ruins for decades, its story was forgotten and twisted over time, with the contributions of

Tejanos--Texans of Mexican origin,
who fought alongside the Anglo
rebels--scrubbed from the record, and
the origin of the conflict over Mexico's
push to abolish slavery papered over.
Forget the Alamo provocatively
explains the true story of the battle

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against the backdrop of Texas's struggle for independence, then shows how the sausage of myth got made in the Jim Crow South of the late nineteenth and early twentieth century. As uncomfortable as it may be to hear for some, celebrating the Alamo has

long had an echo of celebrating whiteness. In the past forty-some years, waves of revisionists have come at this topic, and at times have made real progress toward a more nuanced and inclusive story that doesn't alienate anyone. But we are not living in one of

those times; the fight over the Alamo's meaning has become more pitched than ever in the past few years, even violent, as Texas's future begins to look more and more different from its past. It's the perfect time for a wise and generous-spirited book that shines the

bright light of the truth into a place that's gotten awfully dark.

After the ferocious fighting at Cold Harbor, Virginia, in June 1864, Union Lt. Gen. ø Ulysses S. Grant ordered his cavalry, commanded by Maj. Gen. Philip H. Sheridan, to distract the

Confederate forces opposing the Army of the Potomac. *Glory Enough for All* chronicles the battle that resulted when Confederate cavalry pursued and caught their Federal foes at Trevilian Station, Virginia, perhaps the only truly decisive cavalry battle of the

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American Civil War. ø Eric J. Wittenberg tells the stories of the men who fought there, including eight Medal of Honor winners and one Confederate whose death at Trevilian Station made him the third of three brothers to die in the service of

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Company A of the Fourth Virginia Cavalry. He also addresses the little-known but critical cavalry battle at Samaria (Saint Mary's) Church on June 24, 1864, where Union Brig. Gen. David N. Gregg's division was nearly destroyed. ø The only modern

strategic analysis of the battle, *Glory Enough for All* challenges prevailing interpretations of General Sheridan and of the Union cavalry. Wittenberg shows that the outcome of Trevilian Station ultimately prolonged Grant's efforts to end the Civil War.

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On November 28, 1973, the world's social elite gathered at the Palace of Versailles for an international fashion show. By the time the curtain came down on the evening's spectacle, history had been made and the industry had been forever transformed.

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This is that story. Conceived as a fundraiser for the restoration of King Louis XIV's palace, in the late fall of 1973, five top American designers faced off against five top French designers in an over-the-top runway extravaganza. An audience filled with celebrities and

international jet-setters, including Princess Grace of Monaco, the Duchess of Windsor, Paloma Picasso, and Andy Warhol, were treated to an opulent performance featuring Liza Minnelli, Josephine Baker, and Rudolph Nureyev. What they saw

would forever alter the history of fashion. The Americans at the Battle of Versailles – Oscar de la Renta, Bill Blass, Anne Klein, Halston, and Stephen Burrows – showed their work against the five French designers considered the best in the world –

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Yves Saint Laurent, Hubert de Givenchy, Pierre Cardin, Emanuel Ungaro, and Marc Bohan of Christian Dior. Plagued by in-fighting, outsized egos, shoestring budgets, and innumerable technical difficulties, the American contingent had little chance

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of meeting the European's exquisite and refined standards. But against all odds, the American energy and the domination by the fearless models (ten of whom, in a groundbreaking move, were African American) sent the audience reeling. By the end of the

evening, the Americans had officially taken their place on the world's stage, prompting a major shift in the way race, gender, sexuality, and economics would be treated in fashion for decades to come. As the curtain came down on The Battle of Versailles, American

fashion was born; no longer would the world look to Europe to determine the stylistic trends of the day, from here forward, American sensibility and taste would command the world's attention. Pulitzer-Prize winning fashion journalist Robin Givhan offers a lively

and meticulously well-researched account of this unique event. The Battle of Versailles is a sharp, engaging cultural history; this intimate examination of a single moment shows us how the world of fashion as we know it came to be.

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER
The New York Times bestselling author of George Washington's Secret Six and Thomas Jefferson and the Tripoli Pirates turns to two other heroes of the nation: Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass. In The

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President and the Freedom Fighter,
Brian Kilmeade tells the little-known
story of how two American heroes
moved from strong disagreement to
friendship, and in the process changed
the entire course of history. Abraham
Lincoln was White, born impoverished

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on a frontier farm. Frederick Douglass was Black, a child of slavery who had risked his life escaping to freedom in the North. Neither man had a formal education, and neither had had an easy path to influence. No one would have expected them to become friends—or

to transform the country. But Lincoln and Douglass believed in their nation ' s greatness. They were determined to make the grand democratic experiment live up to its ideals. Lincoln ' s problem: he knew it was time for slavery to go, but how fast

could the country change without being torn apart? And would it be possible to get rid of slavery while keeping America ' s Constitution intact? Douglass said no, that the Constitution was irredeemably corrupted by slavery—and he wanted

Lincoln to move quickly. Sharing little more than the conviction that slavery was wrong, the two men ' s paths eventually converged. Over the course of the Civil War, they ' d endure bloodthirsty mobs, feverish conspiracies, devastating losses on the

battlefield, and a growing firestorm of unrest that would culminate on the fields of Gettysburg. As he did in George Washington's Secret Six, Kilmeade has transformed this nearly forgotten slice of history into a dramatic story that will keep you

turning the pages to find out how these two heroes, through their principles and patience, not only changed each other, but made America truly free for all.

The History and Legacy of the American Victory That Ended

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Sheridan's Second Raid and the Battle
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The Seven Years' War and the Fate of
Empire in British North America,
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Vicksburg and Gettysburg : the
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The Battle of Monroe's Crossroads, fought

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March 10, 1865, was one of most important but least known engagements of William T. Sherman's Carolinas Campaign. Confederate cavalry, led by Lt. Gen. Wade Hampton and Maj. Gen. Joseph Wheeler, launched a savage surprise attack on the sleeping camp of Maj. Gen. Judson Kilpatrick, Sherman's

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cavalry chief. After three hours of some of the toughest cavalry fighting of the entire Civil War, Hampton broke off and withdrew. His attack, however, had stopped Kilpatrick's advance and bought another precious day for Lt. Gen. William J. Hardee to evacuate his command from Fayetteville. This, in turn, permitted

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Hardee to join the command of Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and set the stage for the climactic Battle of Bentonville nine days later. Noted Civil War author Eric Wittenberg has written the first detailed tactical narrative of this important but long-forgotten battle, and places it in its proper context within the entire campaign.

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His study features 28 original maps and 50 illustrations. Finally, an author of renown has brought to vivid life this overlooked portion of the Carolinas Campaign. Ohio Attorney Eric J. Wittenberg is a noted Civil War cavalry historian and the author of some dozen books and two dozens articles on the Civil War. His first book,

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"Gettysburg's Forgotten Cavalry Actions,"
won the 1998 Bachelder-Coddington
Literary Award.

In war, do mass and materiel matter most?
Will states with the largest, best equipped,
information-technology-rich militaries
invariably win? The prevailing answer
today among both scholars and

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policymakers is yes. But this is to overlook force employment, or the doctrine and tactics by which materiel is actually used. In a landmark reconception of battle and war, this book provides a systematic account of how force employment interacts with materiel to produce real combat outcomes. Stephen Biddle argues

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that force employment is central to modern war, becoming increasingly important since 1900 as the key to surviving ever more lethal weaponry. Technological change produces opposite effects depending on how forces are employed; to focus only on materiel is thus to risk major error--with serious

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consequences for both policy and scholarship. In clear, fluent prose, Biddle provides a systematic account of force employment's role and shows how this account holds up under rigorous, multimethod testing. The results challenge a wide variety of standard views, from current expectations for a revolution in

military affairs to mainstream scholarship in international relations and orthodox interpretations of modern military history. Military Power will have a resounding impact on both scholarship in the field and on policy debates over the future of warfare, the size of the military, and the makeup of the defense budget.

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Chancellorsville was a remarkable victory for Lee's troops, who were outnumbered two to one. The campaign had enormous psychological importance for both sides, who had met recently at Fredericksburg and would meet again at Gettysburg in just two months. But the victory, while stunning, came at an enormous cost: more

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than 13,000 Confederates became casualties, including Stonewall Jackson, who was wounded by friendly fire and died several days later. The topics covered in this volume include the influence of politics on the Union army, the importance of courage among officers, the impact of the war on children, and the

state of battlefield medical care. Other essays illuminate the important but overlooked role of Confederate commander Jubal Early, reassess the professionalism of the Union cavalry, investigate the incident of friendly fire that took Stonewall Jackson's life, and analyze the military and political background of

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Confederate colonel Emory Best's court-martial on charges of abandoning his men.
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