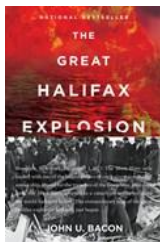


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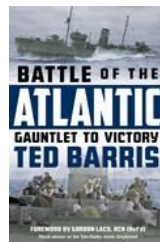
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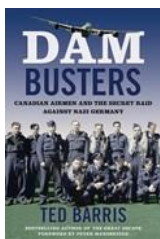
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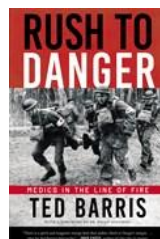
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It was a night that changed the Second World War. The secret air raid against the hydroelectric dams of Germany's Ruhr River took years to plan, involved an untried bomb and included the best aircrewmembers RAF Bomber Command could muster—many of them Canadian. The attack marked the first time the Allies tactically took the war inside Nazi Germany. It was a military operation that

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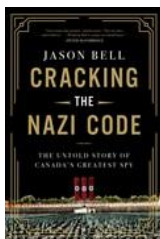
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Noted military historian Ted Barris once asked his father, Alex, "What did you do in the war?" What the former US Army medic then told his son forms the thrust of Barris's latest historic journey—an exploration of his father's wartime experiences as a medic leading up to the Battle of the Bulge in 1944–45, along with stories of other medics in combat throughout history.

Barris's research reveals that this bloodiest of WWII battles was shouldered largely by military medics. Like his father, Alex, medics in combat evacuated the wounded on foot, scrounged medical supplies where there were seemed to be none, and dodged snipers and booby traps on the most

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Our Finest Hour

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First published in 1995 as *Maple Leaf Against the Axis*, *Our Finest Hour* has been completely revised and updated, with new chapters that reflect the latest research into Canada's home front in the war and the formulation and execution of Canadian war strategy at the highest levels.

Although Canada was not ready for war in 1939, its people and its armed forces eventually overcame major challenges—from the building of tanks, planes, ships and trucks and the production of huge amounts of grain, meat and vegetables to the creation of the only full Canadian field army in history and a navy and air force crucial to Allied victory. From Hong Kong to the Rhine River crossing,

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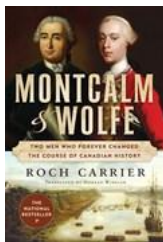
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The West was once about the romance and drama of wilderness. Later, it came to be about the enormous promise of resource wealth. There are only remnants now both of the wilderness and of the promise, and the resource have proved a mixed blessing—but the people of the West remain.

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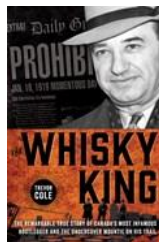
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The national bestseller that tells the story of Wolfe and Montcalm and the Plains of Abraham

In September 1759, a small band of British troops led by James Wolfe scaled the tall cliff overlooking a farmer's field owned by Abraham Martin and overpowered the French garrison that protected the area, allowing the bulk of the British army to ascend the cliff behind and attack the French who, led by Louis-Joseph Montcalm, were largely unaware of Wolfe's tactics. The battle that ensued on what would become known as the Plains of Abraham would forever shape the geography and politics of Canada.

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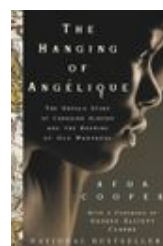
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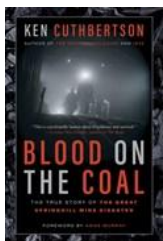
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It was a watershed year for Canada and the world. 1945 set Canada on a bold course into the future. A huge sense of relief marked the end of hostilities. Yet there was also fear and uncertainty about the perilous new world that was unfolding in the wake of the American decision to use the atomic bomb to bring the war in the Pacific to a dramatic halt.

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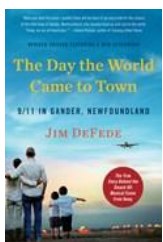
The Halifax Explosion

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On December 6, 1917, the French munitions ship *Mont-Blanc* and the Norwegian war-relief vessel *Imo* collided in the harbour at Halifax, Nova Scotia. That accident sparked a fire and an apocalyptic explosion that was the largest man-made blast prior to the 1945 dropping of the atomic bomb on Hiroshima. Together with the killer tsunami that followed, the explosion devastated the entire city in the wink of an eye and instantly killed more than 2,000 people.

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During the Great Famine of the 1840s, thousands of impoverished Irish immigrants, escaping from the potato crop failure, fled to Canada on what came to be known as "fever ships." As the desperate arrivals landed at Quebec City or nearby Grosse Isle, families were often torn apart. Parents died of typhus and children were put up for adoption, while lucky survivors travelled on to other destinations. Many people made their way up the St. Lawrence to Montreal, where 6,000 more died in appalling conditions.

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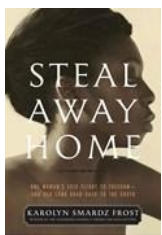
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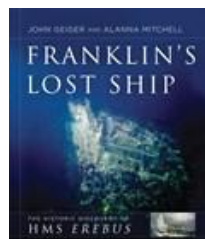
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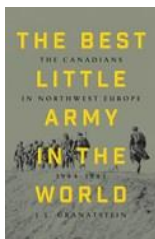
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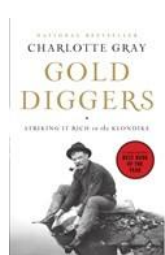
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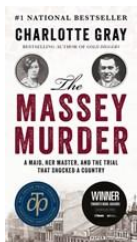


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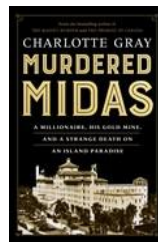
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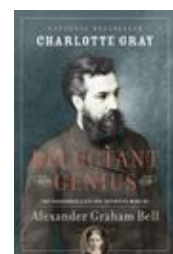
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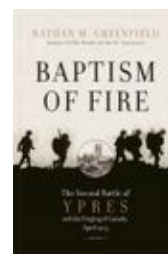
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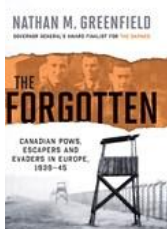


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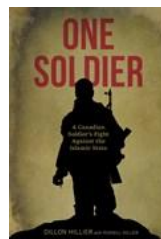
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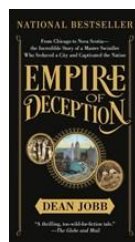
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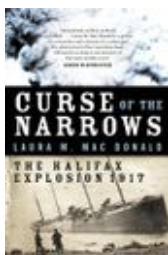
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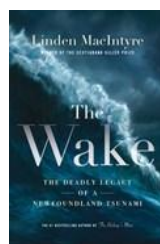
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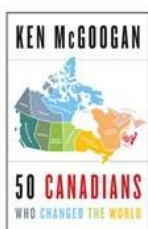
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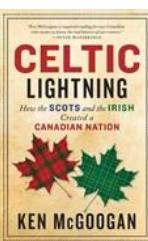
Ancient Mariner

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PUBLISHED TO GREAT REVIEWS in Canada, the US and the UK, *Ancient Mariner* tells the riveting story of how Samuel Heame—a sailor at 12, a northern explorer at 24, an admirer of Native peoples—became the first European to reach the Arctic coast of North America. Yet, as Ken McGoogan reveals, Samuel Heame's place in the history books has been a subject hotly disputed over the past two centuries. This fascinating saga, a skillful blend of literary detective work and finely imagined narrative, delights and surprises as it restores Heame's rightful place in history.

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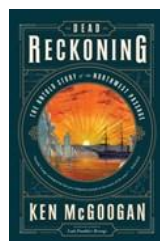
Ken McGoogan

An exploration of Canadian roots and identity from bestselling author Ken McGoogan

With *Celtic Lightning*, Ken McGoogan asks the question: Who do we think we are? He argues that Canadians have never investigated the demographic reality that informs this book—the fact that more than nine million Canadians claim Scottish or Irish heritage. Did the ancestors of more than one quarter of our population arrive without cultural baggage? No history, no values, no vision? Impossible.

McGoogan writes that to understand who we are and where we are going, Canadians must look to cultural genealogy. He builds on the work of Richard Dawkins, who

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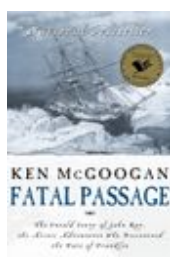
Dead Reckoning

Ken McGoogan

The definitive and dramatic account of "Operation Vengeance"—the successful plan to kill Japan's larger-than-life military icon, Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, the naval genius who had devised the devastating attack on Pearl Harbor.

"A thrilling true story of courage, honor, and derring-do that builds to a tremendous climax. Among Lehr's many gifts is a rare ability to depict world-shaking events on a human scale. This is a masterwork of narrative history."—Mitchell Zuckoff, author of *Fall and Rise: The Story of 9/11*

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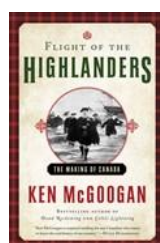
Fatal Passage

Ken McGoogan

The truth is that John Rae solved the two great mysteries of nineteenth-century Arctic exploration: during a single expedition in 1854, he discovered both the fate of the Franklin expedition and the only Northwest Passage navigable by the ships of that time — the fatal passage explorers had been seeking for centuries. — from *Fatal Passage*

Not long after he began reading the handwritten, 820-page diary of Scottish explorer John Rae, Ken McGoogan realized that here was an astonishing story, hidden from the world for almost 150 years. McGoogan, who was originally conducting research for a

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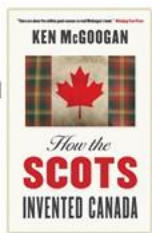
Flight of the Highlanders

Ken McGoogan

Bestselling author Ken McGoogan tells the story of those courageous Scots who, ruthlessly evicted from their ancestral homelands, were sent to Canada in coffin ships, where they would battle hardship, hunger and even murderous persecution.

After the Scottish Highlanders were decimated at the 1746 Battle of Culloden, the British government banned kilts and bagpipes and set out to destroy a clan system that for centuries had sustained a culture, a language and a unique way of life. The Clearances, or forcible evictions, began when landlords—among them traitorous clan chieftains—realized they could increase their incomes

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How The Scots Invented Canada

Ken McGoogan

Canadians of Scottish descent, who today total over 4.7 million, have never made up more than 1.6 per cent of Canada's population. Yet they have supplied thirteen of twenty-two Canadian prime ministers, and have made proportionate contributions in exploration, education, banking, military service, railroading, invention, literature, you name it.

Award-winning author Ken McGoogan has written a vivid, sweeping narrative showcasing more than sixty Scots who have shaped Canada. They include fur traders Alexander Mackenzie and the "Scotch West-Indian" James Douglas, who established national boundaries; politicians John A.

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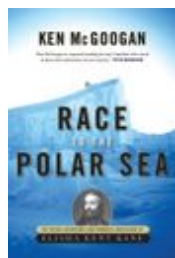


Lady Franklin's Revenge

Ken McGoogan

When Sir John Franklin disappeared into the Arctic in 1845, it was his adventurous wife, Jane Franklin, who kept the search for him alive and, as a result, contributed more to the discovery and mapping of the North than any explorer. A third masterful biography from historian Ken McGoogan, *Lady Franklin's Revenge* is the richly documented story of a complex, ambitious Victorian — arguably the greatest woman traveller of the 19th century — and the transformation of a failed expedition into a triumphant legend. A *Globe and Mail* Book of the Year, and shortlisted for the Ontario Libraries Evergreen Award, *Lady Franklin's Revenge* is an exquisitely illustrated epic adventure.

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Race To The Polar Sea

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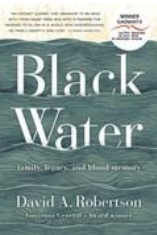
Seven Days in Hell

David O'Keefe

A riveting tour de force by Canada's leading military historian about the heroic Black Watch's fight for survival at Verrières Ridge

Centred around one of Canada's most storied regiments, *Seven Days in Hell* tells the epic tale of the bloody battle for Verrières Ridge, a dramatic saga that unfolded just weeks after one of Canada's greatest military triumphs of the Second World War. O'Keefe takes us on a heart-pounding journey at the sharp end of combat during the infamous Normandy campaign, when more than 300 Black Watch Highlanders from across Canada, the United Kingdom, and the United States fought to the last man.

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Black Water

David A. Robertson

A *Globe and Mail* Top 100 Book of the Year
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"An instant classic that demands to be read with your heart open and with a perspective widened to allow in a whole new understanding of family, identity and love."
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In this bestselling memoir, a son who grew up away from his Indigenous culture takes his Cree father on a trip to the family trapline and finds that revisiting the past not only heals old wounds but

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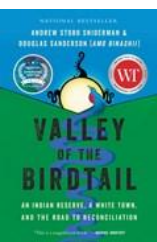
Maxwell Smart

The astonishing true story of a boy who survived the war by hiding in the Polish forest

Maxwell Smart is eleven years old when his entire family is killed before his eyes. He might have died along with them, but his mother selflessly orders him to save himself. Alone in the forest, he digs a hole in the ground for shelter and forages for food in farmers' fields. His clothes in rags and close to starvation, he repeatedly escapes death at the hands of Nazis and Ukrainian thugs.

After months alone, Maxwell encounters a boy wandering in the forest looking for food. Together they escape the

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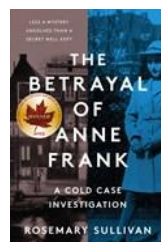
Andrew Stobo Sniderman, Douglas Sanderson

A heart-rending true story about racism and reconciliation

Divided by a beautiful valley and 150 years of racism, the town of Rossburn and the Waywayseecappo Indian reserve have been neighbours nearly as long as Canada has been a country. Their story reflects much of what has gone wrong with relations between Indigenous Peoples and non-Indigenous Canadians. It also offers, in the end, an uncommon measure of hope.

Valley of the Birdtail chronicles how two communities became neighbours and how and how what this means for

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The Betrayal of Anne Frank

Rosemary Sullivan

Using new technology, recently discovered documents and sophisticated investigative techniques, an international team led by an obsessed retired FBI agent has finally solved the mystery that has haunted generations since World War II: Who betrayed Anne Frank and her family? And why?

Over thirty million people have read *The Diary of a Young Girl*, the journal that teenaged Anne Frank kept during World War II. Anne, along with her family and four other people, lived in an attic in Amsterdam until the Nazis arrested them and sent them to a concentration camp.

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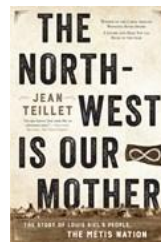


The Knowing

Tanya Talaga

From Tanya Talaga, the critically acclaimed and award-winning author of *Seven Fallen Feathers*, comes a riveting exploration of her family's story and a retelling of the history of the country we now call Canada

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The North-West Is Our Mother

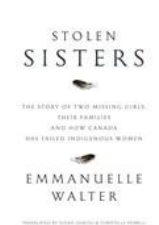
Jean Teillet

There is a missing chapter in the narrative of Canada's Indigenous peoples—the story of the Métis Nation, a new Indigenous people descended from both First Nations and Europeans

Their story begins in the last decade of the eighteenth century in the Canadian North-West. Within twenty years the Métis proclaimed themselves a nation and won their first battle. Within forty years they were famous throughout North America for their military skills, their nomadic life and their buffalo hunts.

The Métis Nation didn't just drift apart into the Canadian

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Stolen Sisters

Emmanuelle Walter

In 2014, the nation was rocked by the brutal violence against young Aboriginal women Loretta Saunders, Tina Fontaine and Rinelle Harper. But tragically, they were not the only Aboriginal women to suffer that year. In fact, an official report revealed that since 1980, 1,200 Canadian Aboriginal women have been murdered or have gone missing. This alarming official figure reveals a national tragedy and the systemic failure of law enforcement and of all levels of government to address the issue.

Journalist Emmanuelle Walter spent two years investigating this crisis and has crafted a moving representative account of the disappearance of two young

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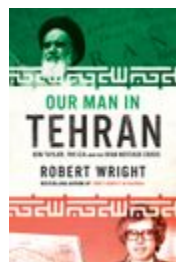
Robert Wright

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The night of October 30, 1995, was like no other in Canadian history. The young, modern nation that the UN Human Development Index had ranked #1 for the two previous years now faced its greatest challenge: the possibility of fracturing as Quebecers made a fateful decision—whether to separate from Canada—in a referendum that pollsters estimated would be as close as close could be.

The Quebec-sovereignist juggernaut that began with the creation of the Parti Québécois in 1968 climaxed in the provincial referendum on October 30th. On that

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Our Man In Tehran

Robert Wright

The explosive national bestseller

Finalist for the Arthur Ellis Award for Best Crime Non-Fiction

The world watched with fear in November 1979, when Iranian students infiltrated and occupied the American embassy in Tehran. As the city exploded in a fury of revolution, few knew about the six American embassy staff who escaped into hiding. For three months, Ken Taylor, the Canadian ambassador to Iran—along with his wife and embassy staffers—concealed the Americans in their homes, terrified that Ayatollah Khomeini would find out and exact deadly consequences.

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Three Nights In Havana

Robert Wright

On January 26, 1976, Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau became the first leader of a NATO country to visit Cuba since the crippling 1960 American economic embargo. Accompanied by his wife, Margaret, and baby Michel, Trudeau was greeted in Havana by 250,000 cheering Cubans and a 30-foot poster of himself. "Long live Prime Minister Fidel Castro!" Trudeau would famously shout at the love-in. In this fascinating portrait of an unusual relationship between two enigmatic world leaders, author and historian Robert Wright brings to life three days of Canadian politics played out on the international stage. In a revealing look at both leaders' personalities and political ideologies, Wright shows how these two towering figures

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