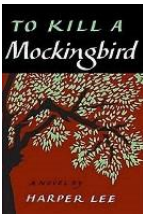




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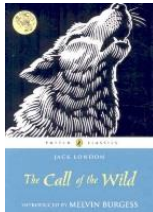
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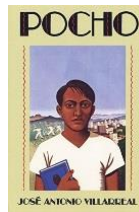
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[To Kill a Mockingbird](#)  
 Harper Lee



**Arkansas**  
[I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings](#)  
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[Pocho](#)  
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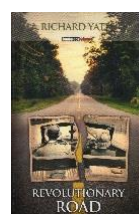
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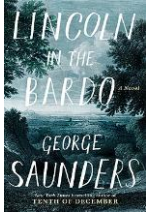
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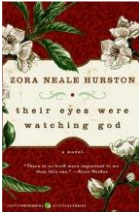
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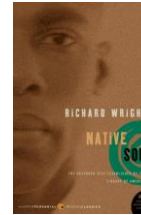
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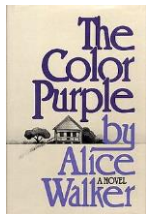
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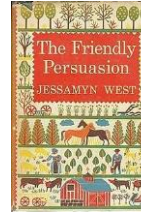
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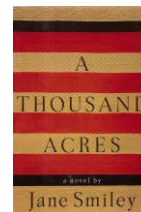
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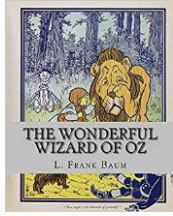
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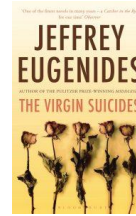
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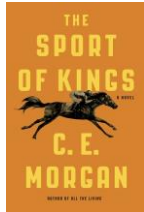
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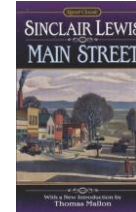
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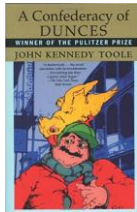
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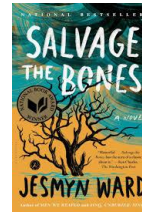
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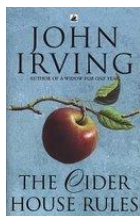
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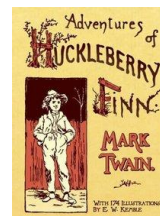
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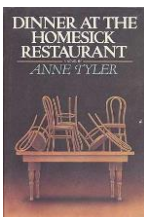
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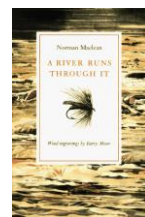
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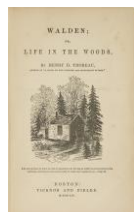
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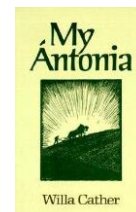
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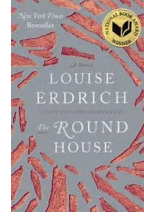
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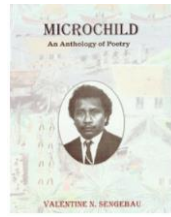
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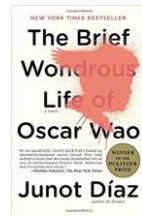
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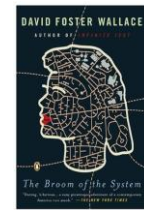
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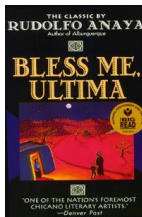
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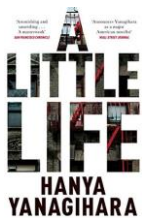
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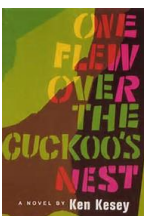
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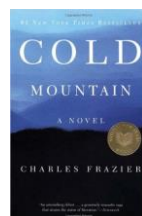
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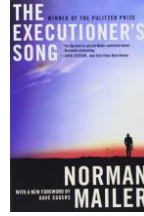


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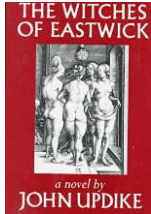




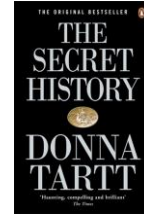
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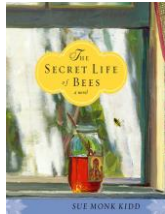
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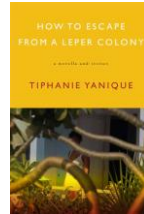
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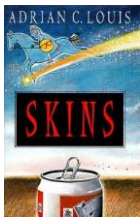
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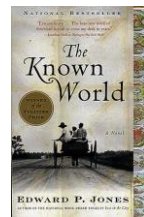
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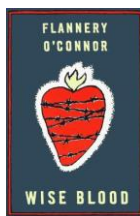
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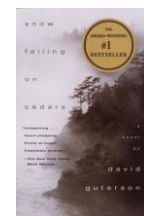
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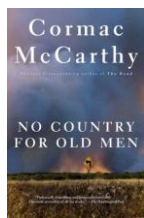
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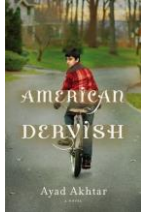
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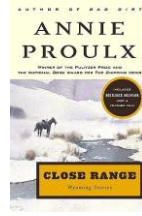
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