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"A wide-ranging collection of the most illuminating and amusing items from this wealth of material. It provides a unique portrait of the 'Great Detective', his cases, his faithful assistant Watson and of course his chief adversary - the arch-villain Moriarty."--Jacket.

My Island Home

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Scandalous film star Errol Flynn tells all in this autobiography, detailing his pre-Hollywood career as a mercenary, and his trial for rape in 1943.

Go Slowly, Come Back Quickly

Chemotherapy Care Plans Handbook is a complete portable reference for nurses who administer chemotherapy in all settings - including inpatient, outpatient, and home care. Featuring over 230 chemotherapeutic agents, this handbook provides comprehensive nursing care plans with nursing diagnoses, defining characteristics, expected outcomes and specific interventions for each agent. A separate section on toxicities uses the National Cancer Institute's Common Toxicity Criteria as a framework for care and includes easy-access reference tables for each toxicity with related patient care.

George Sanders, Zsa Zsa, and Me

June 1815. When Henry Morton is called to the scene at Portman House in Claridge Square, the Bow Street constable finds a man dead in a hackney coach--ostensibly of asphyxiation. He was Halbert Glendinning, a gentleman of unsullied character. Then why was he seen frequenting one of London ' s most notorious dens of iniquity? And why has the driver of the coach vanished into the night? While Sir Nathaniel Conant, the chief magistrate at Number 4 Bow Street, accepts the official verdict of accidental death, Morton is certain that Glendinning was a victim of foul play. With the help of actress Arabella Malibrant, one of London ' s most celebrated beauties, he embarks on his own discreet inquiry. And as

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the upper circles of London society close ranks against him, Morton races to unmask a killer whose motives are as complex and unfathomable as the passions that rule the human heart. From the Paperback edition.

From the Corner of the Oval

Tallulah: My Autobiography

Rhythms in Plants

Lads

A study of the Achuar Indians of the Upper Amazon and their relationship with their environment.

Ronald Colman, a Very Private Person

Part memoir and part moving meditation on the price of fame, Slavitt looks back to the world of 1950s Hollywood to write a chronicle of the costs of the modern celebrity culture.

Joan Blondell

Joan Blondell: A Life between Takes is the first major biography of the effervescent, scene-stealing actress (1906-1979) who conquered motion pictures, vaudeville, Broadway, summer stock, television, and radio. Born the child of itinerant vaudevillians, she was on stage by age three. With her casual sex appeal, distinctive cello voice, megawatt smile, luminous saucer eyes, and flawless timing, she came into widespread fame in Warner Bros. musicals and comedies of the 1930s, including *Blonde Crazy*, *Gold Diggers of 1933*, and *Footlight Parade*. Frequent co-star to James Cagney, Clark Gable, Edward G. Robinson, and Humphrey Bogart, friend to Judy Garland, Barbara Stanwyck, and Bette Davis, and wife of Dick Powell and Mike Todd, Joan Blondell was a true Hollywood insider. By the time of her death, she had made nearly 100 films in a career that spanned over fifty years. Privately, she was unerringly loving and generous, while her life was touched by financial, medical, and emotional upheavals. Meticulously researched, expertly weaving the public and private, and featuring numerous interviews with family, friends, and colleagues, *Joan Blondell: A Life Between Takes* traces the changing face of Twentieth Century American entertainment through the career of this extraordinary actress.

Before the Age of Miracles

Creating a University is a collection of memoirs by more than 30 former faculty and staff of Memorial University -- a series of "MUNographies,"-- about personal and professional experiences working at Newfoundland's only university. It is something of a Memorial University family reunion, without a

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drunken uncle. In the years covered by this volume, primarily 1950 to 1990, few Memorial faculty were Canadians, let alone Newfoundlanders. These "come from aways" arrived in the middle of a post-colonial cultural renaissance, which saw a movement toward new interdisciplinary studies, and laid the groundwork for many of the programs and courses that are offered at the University today.

In the Society of Nature

Offers a look at the background and filming of the 1950s backstage movie starring Bette Davis and Marilyn Monroe, including its influence on popular culture, its impact on the audience, and its reflection of on-set romances.

Final Fire

What might we dare to expect from an actor's autobiography, even one from a star as personable as George Sanders? In the case of *Memoirs of a Professional Cad*, we possibly get more than we deserve. George Sanders undoubtedly led a colourful, glamorous and even action-packed life, spanning the peak years of Hollywood's golden age. But the greatest joy of his memoirs is how funny they are, and how penetrating their author's wit. Endlessly quotable, every chapter shows that the sardonic charm and intelligence he lent to the silver screen were not merely implied. George's early childhood was spent in Tsarist Russia, before he was obliged to flee with his family to England on the eve of the Russian Revolution. He survived two English boarding schools before seeking adventure in Chile and Argentina

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where he sold cigarettes and kept a pet ostrich in his apartment. We can only be grateful that George was eventually asked to leave South America following a duel of honour (very nearly to the death), and was forced to take up acting for a living instead. Memoirs of A Professional Cad has much to say about Hollywood and the stars George Sanders worked with and befriended, not to mention the irrespressible Tsa Tsa Gabor who became his wife. But at heart it is less a conventional autobiography, and more a Machiavellian guide to life, and the art of living, from a man who knew a thing or two on the subject. So we are invited to share George's thought-provoking views on women, friendship, the pros and cons of therapy, ageing, possessions, and the necessity of contrasts (Sanders' maxim: 'the more extreme the contrast, the fuller the life'). Previously out of print for many decades, Memoirs of A Professional Cad stands today as one of the classic Hollywood memoirs, from one of its most original, enduring and inimitable stars. This edition also features a new afterword by George Sanders' niece, Ulla Watson. 'Even when asking a hatcheck girl for his coat, he conveyed the impression of a malevolent cat fastidiously licking its chops over the prospect of a particularly toothsome mouse.' Salon

The Andrews Sisters

The actress recalls her long, rich, and varied career in Hollywood, on the stage, and as a political activist.

Memories of a Professional Cad

Details one young man's struggle to define himself, personally and professionally, as he dealt with the

issues of identity, responsibility, and sexuality while working at a magazine that celebrated a seductive but non viable vision of young manhood. Reprint.

Logistics & Supply Chain Management

Although cardiac surgery has made an enormous progress during the last decades, the discipline has to cope with essential changes: Patients are increasingly cared for by cardiologists and therefore referred to the surgeon in a later stage of disease. Consequently, they are more often in an increasingly serious state or in advanced age with significant comorbidities. In order to meet the requirements of these different patient groups, cardiosurgical treatments require special protectional strategies for the heart in order to perform the planned operations safely. This book presents the latest knowledge of modern techniques of myocardial protection taking into consideration the different patient groups and current scientific strategies. Furthermore, it discusses present and future scientific approaches in myocardial protection and preservation.

Half-lines and Repetitions in Virgil

The Andrews Sisters, the legendary singing trio of the 1930s, 1940s, and 1950s are the most successful female singing group in history and were the world's top selling group until the Beatles arrived. Of the 605 songs they recorded, 113 charted. They also made 18 movies, appeared regularly on radio and television, and entertained three generations of GIs. Based on extensive research, unpublished letters,

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and interviews with family, friends, and colleagues, this book documents not only the lives and work of the Andrews Sisters but also the popular culture spanned by their long careers. The book contains a complete discography of their released, unreleased, and solo recordings, including recording dates, record numbers, and accompaniment. Also included are a filmography and documentation of their radio and television appearances.

New Solutions for the Heart

The autobiography of actress Veronica Lake, first published in 1969.

Professional Idiot

“ All my life I had one dream and that was to be in the movies. ” He was the Golden Boy of the Golden Age. A prince of the silver screen. Dashing and debonair, Tony Curtis arrived on the scene in a blaze of bright lights and celluloid. His good looks, smooth charm, and natural talent earned him fame, women, and adulation—Elvis copied his look and the Beatles put him on their Sgt. Pepper album cover. But the Hollywood life of his dreams brought both invincible highs and debilitating lows. Now, in his captivating, no-holds-barred autobiography, Tony Curtis shares the agony and ecstasy of a private life in the public eye. No simple tell-all, American Prince chronicles Hollywood during its heyday. Curtis revisits his immense body of work—including the unforgettable classics Houdini, Spartacus, and Some Like It Hot—and regales readers with stories of his associations with Frank Sinatra, Laurence Olivier,

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director Billy Wilder, and film industry heavyweight Lew Wasserman, as well as paramours Natalie Wood and Marilyn Monroe, among others. As forthright as he is enthralling, Tony Curtis offers intimate glimpses into his succession of failed marriages (and the one that has endured), his destructive drug addiction, and his passion as a painter. Written with humor and grace, *American Prince* is a testament to the power of living the life of one 's dreams. From the Hardcover edition.

Crime on My Hands

The life of Gloria Grahame offers a portrait of the Academy Award-winning actress who achieved enormous success in Hollywood until her notorious and shocking personal life sent her on a downward spiral to self-destruction

In and Out of Character

Following the death of his mother Bob Tatz finds himself alone in the world. Sustained only by memories of happiness he is forced to adjust to life in a boarding school until the age of ten. As war breaks out he is lost in the streets of Kowloon but fortunately welcomed by a group of refugees fleeing the Japanese onslaught at the same time.

Bring on the Empty Horses

The Moon's a Balloon

Lost in the Battle for Hong Kong

David Niven recalls his time in Hollywood during its heyday. He recounts stories and anecdotes of the stars, producers, directors, tycoons and oddballs, many of whom were his friends.

Bring on the Empty Horses

Originally published as by the actor George Sanders, this domestic mystery by science fiction author Leigh Brackett is the story of a rich heel who comes back to get even with those who thought they had left him for dead.

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Cancer Chemotherapy Care Plans

The UK 's bestselling book on logistics and supply chain management – over 100,000 copies sold. Effective development and management of supply chain networks helps businesses cut costs and enhance

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customer value. This updated 5th edition is a clear guide to all the key topics in an integrated approach to supply chains. As well as new and updated examples and case studies, there are two new chapters: Routes to Market: Many companies now have to manage multiple distribution channels - this chapter covers strategic issues on how companies “ go to market ” along with the cost implications of using alternative channels. Service Logistics: As companies begin to sell performance rather than physical product, this chapter explores the implications for logistics management as the need to provide higher levels of service and customer support becomes ever more critical.

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Known to his friends as “ Vic, ” and to the world as Canada's 'Mr. General Practitioner, ” Dr. William Victor Johnston has been called “ the epitome of the much revered country doctor. ” This is his story. his life, and his career which began in the remote village of Lucknow in 1924. Here he spent thirty years caring for the people of the village and surrounding countryside. It was a challenging and intense life which encompassed not only Dr. Johnston's concern for his patient's physical complaints, but his deep interest in their worries and frustrations. He had in abundance the qualities we would like to find in our own family physician. Before the Age of Miracles tells not only the story of Dr. Johnston's life as a family physician deep in the snow belt of Ontario but also of his conviction that if the family physician is to fulfill his proper place in the medical world. Opportunities and incentives must be provided for his continuing medical education. With this in view, Vic Johnston engaged in a personal continuing education program, combining his vacations with study in Detroit, Chicago, and New York. This, along with his very human qualities, saw him elected to be a distinguished president of the Ontario

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Medical Association in 1949 where he concentrated on raising standards of practice and availability of medical education. Five years later the beginning of his dream came true when he was instrumental in forming the College of Family Physicians of Canada and became its founding director a post he held for eleven years. The College has increased immeasurably the standing and prestige of the general practitioner. No longer a vanishing breed, some of today's most brilliant young medical graduates are answering the call for physicians who can look at the whole person, the psychomatic effects of personality, job, family, and so on. " If the G.P. didn't exist, " says Vic Johnston, " it wouldn't be long before we invented him. " Before the Age of Miracles describes vividly how people were treated for their diseases before the coming of the miracle drugs, and of the swift tragic occurrences of illnesses for which there was then no cure. Though it is written with a wry sense of humor, the book clearly reveals how much patients were helped by the presence of this dedicated physician, counsellor and friend. Since his " retirement " in 1965, Dr. Johnston has served with the Addiction Research Foundation in Toronto. With honors, he is a life member of the Ontario Medical Association. a senior member of the Canadian Medical Association, an honorary Fellow of the Colleges of General Practice of Great Britain and Australia. He has an LL.D. from the University of Western Ontario. He also holds a Fellowship of the College of Family Physicians of Canada, which struck a medal in his honor and established the 'William Victor Johnston Oration.

All About All About Eve

A Dreadful Man

"It's mind-blowing to me how utterly far gone Steve-O was, and how he looks back on it in this book with such intelligence, humor, and searing honesty. What a truly unbelievable life." --Johnny Knoxville

From his early days videotaping crazy skateboard stunts to starring in the Jackass movies, there was little that Stephen "Steve-O" Glover wouldn't do. Whether it was stapling his nutsack to his leg or diving into a pool full of elephant crap, almost nothing was out of bounds. As the stunts got crazier, his life kept pace. He developed a crippling addiction to drugs and alcohol, and an obsession with his own celebrity that proved nearly as dangerous. Only an intervention and a visit to a psychiatric ward saved his life. Today he has been clean and sober for more than three years. Professional Idiot recounts the lunacy, the debauchery, the stunts, the drug addiction, and the path to recovery with bravado, humor, and heart. "A great book to read before you get on the roller coaster to hell, if you plan on surviving to tell about it like Steve-O did." --Nikki Sixx, author of The Heroin Diaries

"This is the perfect book for people who hate reading." --Tommy Lee, author of Tommyland

The feedback I've gotten on Facebook and Twitter from those of you who've read this book has been fascinating, heartwarming, and hilarious. I'm happy to keep answering your questions on there, and I encourage more of you to join in the discussion. Hope to hear from you soon, and thank you all so much. Love, Steve-O

Stranger at Home

Zhorna celebrates the material culture of Ukrainian settlers in western Canada - their folk architecture,

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household items, and tools they used to make their living. While at first glance these objects may seem mundane, they tell the story of a hard-working and resourceful people with a strong sense of practical esthetics and a close relationship to the earth and nature.

Suicide Blonde

This book reviews recent progress in assessing underlying mechanisms controlling plant circadian and ultradian oscillations, and their physiological implications for growth, development, and adaptive responses to the environment. It focuses on mechanisms and theoretical concepts at the level of the cell to the entire plant. Written by a diverse group of leading researchers, this book will spark the interest of readers from many branches of science.

American Prince

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The Thief-Taker

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER * What if you lived out the drama of your twenties on Air Force

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One? "[This] breezy page turner is essentially Bridget Jones goes to the White House."--The New York Times RECOMMENDED READING theSkimm * Today * Entertainment Weekly * Refinery29 * Bustle * PopSugar * Vanity Fair * The New York Times Editors' Choice * Paste In 2012, Beck Dorey-Stein is working five part-time jobs and just scraping by when a posting on Craigslist lands her, improbably, in the Oval Office as one of Barack Obama's stenographers. The ultimate D.C. outsider, she joins the elite team who accompany the president wherever he goes, recorder and mic in hand. On whirlwind trips across time zones, Beck forges friendships with a dynamic group of fellow travelers--young men and women who, like her, leave their real lives behind to hop aboard Air Force One in service of the president. As she learns to navigate White House protocols and more than once runs afoul of the hierarchy, Beck becomes romantically entangled with a consummate D.C. insider, and suddenly the political becomes all too personal. Against a backdrop of glamour, drama, and intrigue, this is the story of a young woman learning what truly matters, and, in the process, discovering her voice. Praise for From the Corner of the Oval "Who knew the West Wing could be so sexy? Beck Dorey-Stein's unparalleled access is obvious on every page, along with her knife-sharp humor. I tore through the entire book on a four-hour flight and loved reading all about the brilliant yet hard-partying people who once surrounded the leader of the free world. Lots of books claim to give real insider glimpses, but this one actually delivers."--Lauren Weisberger, author of The Devil Wears Prada "Dorey-Stein . . . writes with wit and self-deprecating humor."--The Wall Street Journal "Addictively readable . . . Dorey-Stein's spunk and her sparkling, crackling prose had me cheering for her through each adventure. . . . She never loses her starry-eyed optimism, her pinch-me wonderment, her Working Girl pluck."--Paul Begala, The New York Times Book Review (Editors' Choice)

The Sherlock Holmes Scrapbook

A crime novel by George Sanders, first published in 1944.

George Sanders

(Limelight). "Basil Rathbone's book about himself is better written than most books by or about actors and is more intellectually vigorous. Sherlock Holmes fans will be much interested in his remarks on the character with whom he has been so closely identified." Library Journal ; "Quite naturally full of memories, full of names, full of glimpses of stars of stage and screen of yesterday and today." New York Times Book Review

My Wicked, Wicked Ways

Chronicles the life of the Academy Award-winning actor who built his fame playing the well-mannered cad, revealing the troubled man behind his public persona and the real reasons for his suicide

Myrna Loy

History of exploration of Australian coastal regions mainly by the Dutch in the seventeenth century; mostly a cartographical study with brief references to contacts with Aborigines.

Veronica: The Autobiography of Veronica Lake

See the world through a photographer ' s eyes Final Fire is a companion piece to Mitchell ' s much-praised 2004 memoir, The Molly Fire, a finalist for both the Writers ' Trust Drainie-Taylor Biography Prize and the Governor General ' s Award for Non-fiction, and a Globe and Mail Best Book of the Year. Nearly a half century ago, Mitchell abandoned a safe and secure academic career to become a " cowboy " with a camera and a keyboard. While he has always kept one foot planted firmly in the arts, as a working photographer his search for adventure took him through the Americas, into the High Arctic, across Europe, on to the Middle East, India, and the Far East. He photographed famous athletes, musicians, actors, politicians, revolutionaries, and more than a few criminals. The sum of these scary, strange, heartrending, and funny episodes is one man ' s prescription for how to live in a bizarre and, best of all, never boring world. It is also a book about loss. Mitchell reflects on the invention of photography and its transformative effect on world culture and pays tribute to fellow photographers who led remarkable and frequently obsessive lives.

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