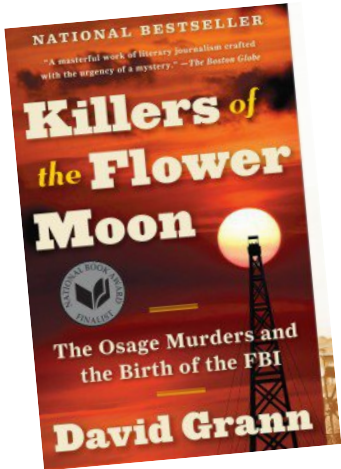
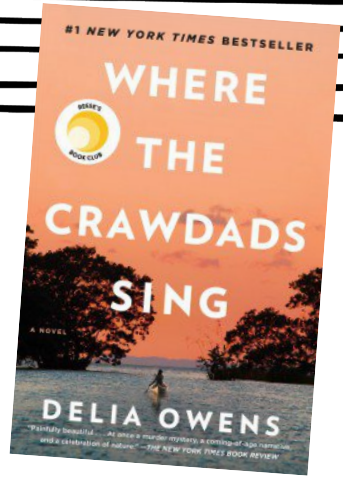
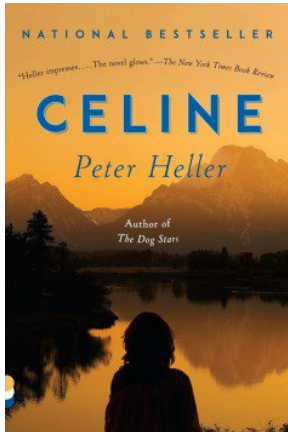
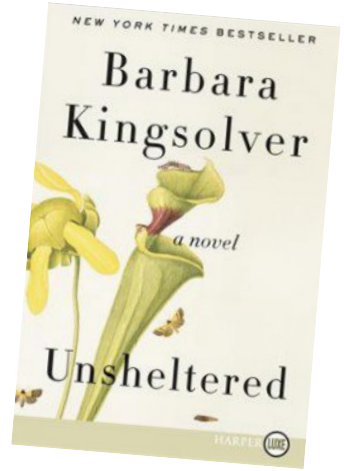


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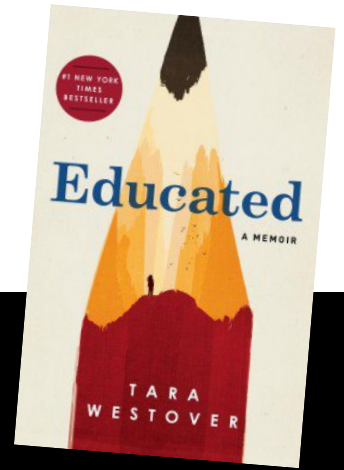
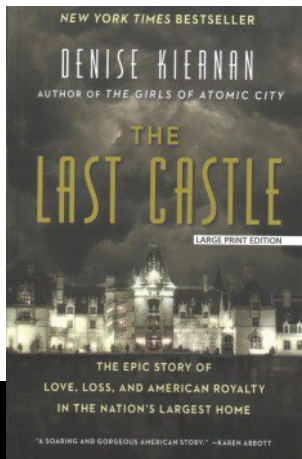
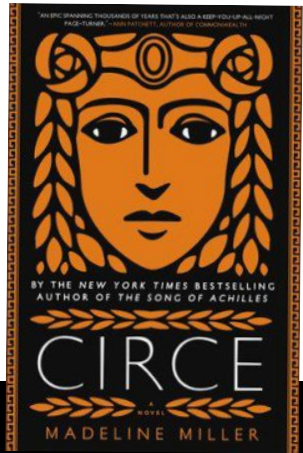
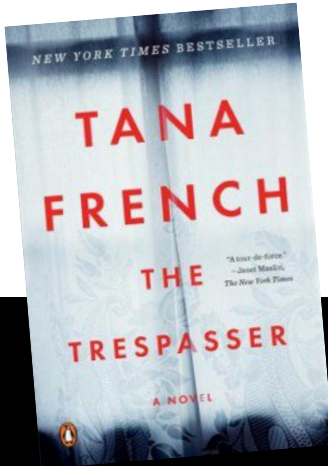
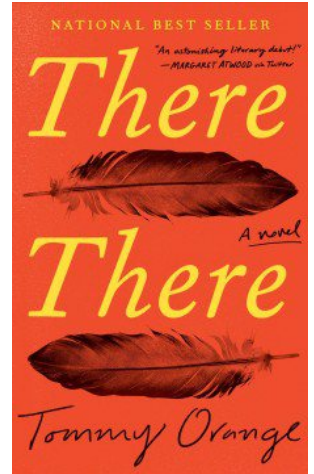
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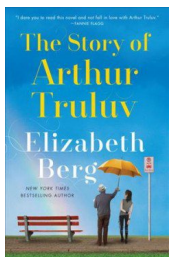
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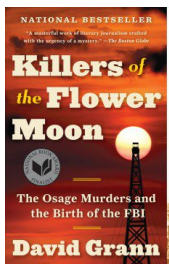


JANUARY 17

The story of Arthur Truluv : a novel

by Elizabeth Berg | 240 pages

Making daily visits to the grave of his beloved late wife, Arthur forges unexpected relationships with a nosy neighbor and a troubled teen who dubs him "Truluv" before the trio discovers healing and family together. By the best-selling author of Open House.

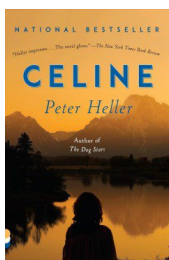


FEBRUARY 21

Killers of the Flower Moon : The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI

by David Grann | 359 pages

Presents a true account of the early 20th-century murders of dozens of wealthy Osage and law-enforcement officials, citing the contributions and missteps of a fledgling FBI that eventually uncovered one of the most chilling conspiracies in American history. Reprint. A New York Times best-seller and National Book Award finalist.

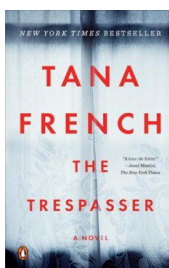


MARCH 21

Celine : a novel

by Peter Heller | 334 pages

Missing-persons tracker Celine searches in Yellowstone for a photographer who is presumed dead, only to be targeted by a shadowy figure determined to keep the case unsolved

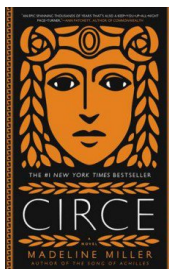


APRIL 18

The trespasser

by Tana French - 464 pages

While Detective Antoinette Conway and her partner Stephen Moran work a seemingly routine investigation of a lovers' quarrel gone bad, they discover the case isn't as by-the-numbers as they thought

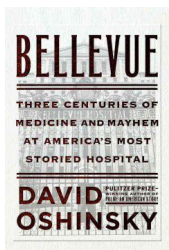


MAY 16

Circe : a novel

by Madeline Miller | 400 pages

A highly anticipated follow-up to the award-winning The Song of Achilles follows the banished witch daughter of Titans as she hones her powers and interacts with famous mythological beings before a conflict with one of the most vengeful Olympians forces her to choose between the worlds of the gods and mortals. 75,000 first printing.

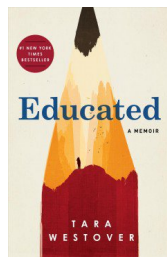


JUNE 20

Bellevue : three centuries of medicine and mayhem at America's most storied hospital

by David M. Oshinsky

A history of the iconic public hospital on New York City's East Side describes the changes in American medicine from 1730 to modern times as it traces building's origins as an almshouse and pesthouse to its current status as a revered place of first-class care.

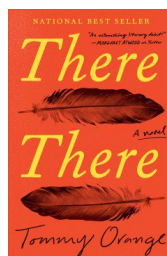


JULY 18

Educated : a memoir

by Tara Westover | 334 pages

Traces the author's experiences as a child born to survivalists in the mountains of Idaho, describing her participation in her family's paranoid stockpiling activities and her resolve to educate herself well enough to earn an acceptance into a prestigious university and the unfamiliar world beyond.

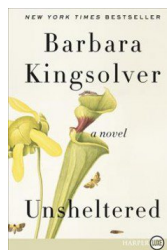


AUGUST 15

There, There

by Tommy Orange | 448 pages

A novel—which grapples with the complex history of Native Americans; with an inheritance of profound spirituality; and with a plague of addiction, abuse and suicide—follows 12 characters, each of whom has private reasons for traveling to the Big Oakland Powwow. A first novel.

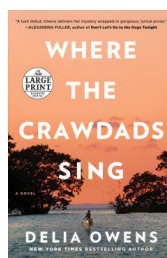


SEPTEMBER 19

Unsheltered : a novel

by Barbara Kingsolver | 480 pages

Traces the experiences of a woman whose efforts to protect her family from sudden unemployment are shaped by the story of an ostracized nineteenth-century science teacher connected to her by their home in the community of Vineland, New Jersey

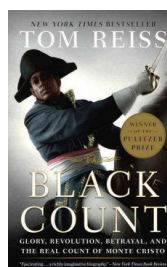


OCTOBER 17

Where the crawdads sing

by Delia Owens | 384 pages

Viewed with suspicion in the aftermath of a tragedy, a beautiful hermit who has survived for years in the marsh becomes targeted by unthinkable forces. A first novel by the New York Times best-selling author of Cry of the Kalahari



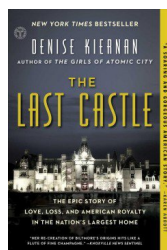
NOVEMBER 14

The Black Count : glory, revolution, betrayal, and the real Count of Monte Cristo

by Tom Reiss | 432 pages

The author of the best-selling The Orientalist traces the story of the mixed-race swordsman and father of novelist Alexandre Dumas, discussing his rise to the French aristocracy, his military triumphs and the adventures that inspired such classics as The Three Musketeers and The

Count of Monte Cristo.



DECEMBER 12

The last castle : the epic story of love, loss, and American royalty in the nation's largest home

by Denise Kiernan | 416 pages

Documents the story of the Gilded Age mansion Biltmore, tracing George Vanderbilt's construction of his European-style estate and the efforts of his bride, Edith Stuyvesant Dresser, to become its protector in the face of changing fortunes and times