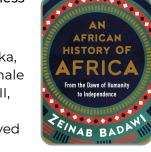
History



Agent Zo: The Untold Story of a Fearless World War II Resistance Fighter by Clare Mulley

The inspiring story of Elzbieta Zawacka, known as Agent Zo, a pioneering female resistance fighter during World War II, who was the only woman to join Poland's elite Special Forces and played a key role in the Warsaw Uprising.



An African History of Africa: From the Dawn of Humanity to Independence by Zeinab Badawi

A sweeping, eye-opening account of the continent's rich history, from the origins of humanity to its ancient civilizations and beyond, revealing often overlooked stories and reclaiming Africa's place in global history.



Embers of the Hands: Hidden Histories of the Viking Age

by Eleanor Barraclough Eleanor Barraclough uncovers a rich, diverse history of the medieval Nordic world, revealing the lives of not just warriors, but artisans, children, and travelers, through artifacts that tell of

love, loss, and daily struggles.

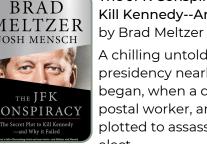


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RIDDLE

The JFK Conspiracy: The Secret Plot to Kill Kennedy--And Why It Failed by Brad Meltzer and Josh Mensch

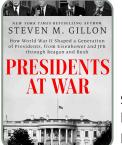
A chilling untold story of how JFK's presidency nearly ended before it began, when a disgruntled former postal worker, armed with dynamite, plotted to assassinate the president-



The Mesopotamian Riddle: An Archaeologist, a Soldier, a Clergyman, and the Race to Decipher the World's Oldest Writing Rel. date 3/18/25

by Joshua Hammer

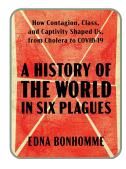
The Mesopotamian Riddle tells the story of the race to decipher the lost cuneiform script, once used to record the history of ancient Mesopotamian civilizations.



Presidents at War: How World War I Shaped a Generation of Presidents, from Eisenhower and JFK Through Reagan and Bush

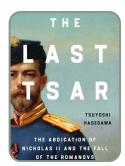
by Steven M Gillon

Steven M. Gillon is back with the story of how WWII shaped the characters and politics of seven American presidents.



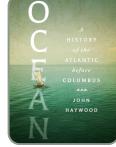
How Contagion, Class, and Captivity Shaped Us, from Cholera to Covid-19 by Edna Bonhomme Rel. date 3/18/25 A deeply reported, insightful, and literary account of humankind's battles with epidemic disease, and their outsized role in deepening inequality along racial, ethnic, class, and gender lines

A History of the World in Six Plagues:



The Last Tsar: The Abdication of Nicholas II and the Fall of the Romanovs by Tsuyoshi Hasegawa

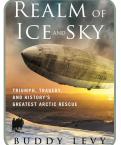
The Last Tsar examines the downfall of Tsar Nicholas II, arguing that his refusal to reform and unwavering belief in autocracy, rather than fate, led to the collapse of Imperial Russia.



Ocean: A History of the Atlantic Before Columbus

by John Haywood

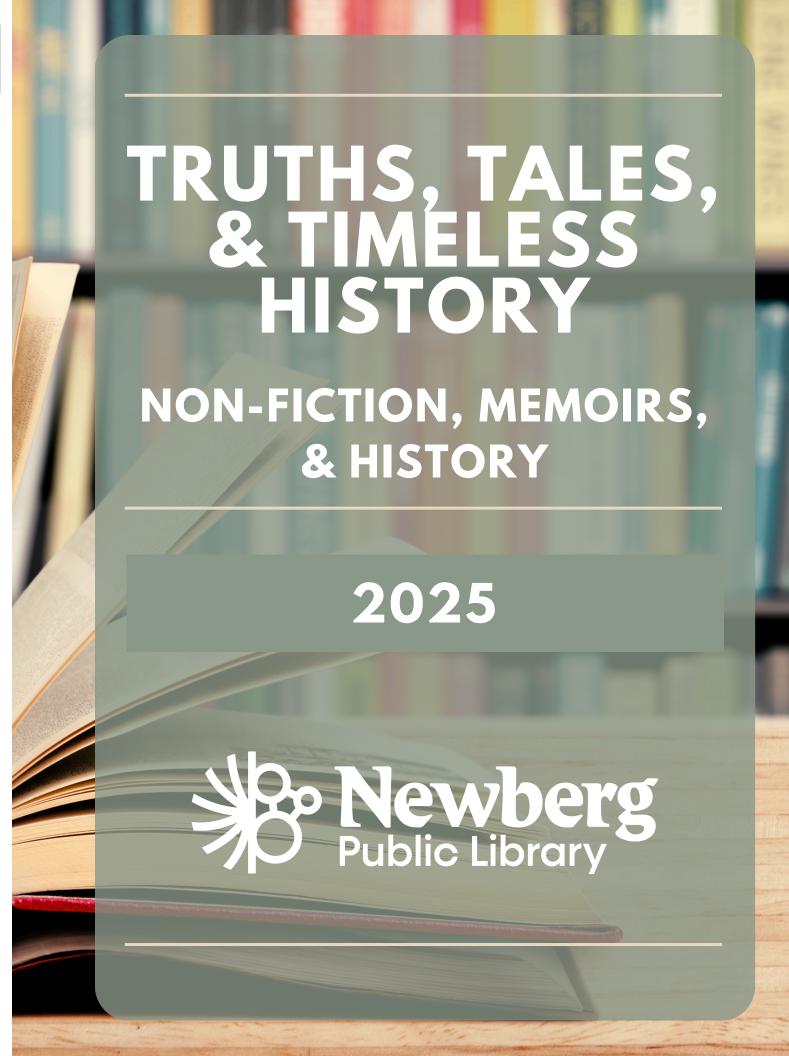
A magisterial history of the Atlantic Ocean before Columbus, ranging from the early shaping of the continents and the emergence of homo sapiens to the story of shipbuilding, navigation, maritime exploration, slavery, and nascent European imperialism.



Realm of Ice and Sky: Triumph, Tragedy, and History's Greatest Arctic Rescue

by Buddy Levy

The tale of the men who first flew the most advanced technological airships of their time to the top of the world, risking and even giving their lives for science, country, and polar immortality.



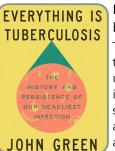
Non-Fiction

AFLAME LEARNING FROM SILENCE PICO IYER

Aflame: Learning from Silence

by Pico Iyer

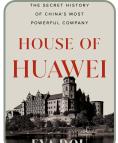
Pico lyer reflects on the transformative power of silence and solitude through his decades-long retreat. Aflame offers ageless counsel about the power of silence and what it can teach us about how to live, how to love, and, ultimately. how to die.



Everything is Tuberculosis

by John Green

The story of Henry Reider, a young tuberculosis patient from Sierra Leone, using their friendship to explore the global impact of the disease. Green delves into the social and scientific history of tuberculosis, advocating for increased awareness and access to treatment to combat the health inequities surrounding it.



House of Huawei: The Secret History of China's Most Powerful Company

by Eva Dou

Reporter Eva Dou uncovers the story of Huawei Technologies, tracing its rise from an obscure telecom company to a global tech giant. Dou explores the enigmatic founder and the complex web of power, politics, and surveillance.



Lorne: The Man Who Invented Saturday Night Live

by Susan Morrison

Lorne is the biography of Lorne Michaels, the visionary behind Saturday Night Live, offering an in-depth look at his life, career, and the cultural institution he created.



The Siren's Call by Chris Hayes

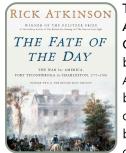
Hayes explores how modern technology has commodified human attention, drawing parallels between this epochdefining shift and the transformation of labor. Hayes urges readers to understand and reclaim control over their distracted lives and politics.



Black in Blues: How a Color Tells the Story of My People

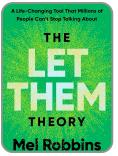
by Imani Perry

From the indigo-dyed cloths of West Africa to the sorrow and hope in blues music, Perry explores how blue embodies both the pain and beauty of Blackness, offering a deeply personal and cultural journey through history, art, and emotion.



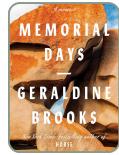
The Fate of the Day: The War for America, Fort Ticonderoga to Charleston, 1777-1780

Rel. date 4/29/25 by Rick Atkinson Atkinson's account of the lethal conflict between the Americans and the British offers a spectacularly dramatic history, but also a new perspective on the demands that a democracy makes on its citizens.



The Let Them Theory: A Life-Changing Tool That Millions of People Can't Stop Talking About

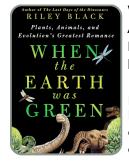
by Mel Robbins A transformative approach to relationships, control, and personal power, providing practical tools and a new mindset to help you advance your career, build deeper connections, and create lasting happiness in your life and



Memorial Days: A Memoir by Geraldine Brooks

relationships.

A spare and profoundly moving memoir that joins the classics of the genre, Memorial Days is a portrait of a largerthan-life man and a timeless love between souls that exquisitely captures the joy, agony, and mystery of life.



When the Earth Was Green: Plants, Animals, and Evolution's Greatest Romance

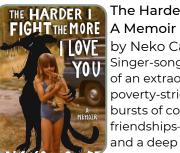
by Riley Black Black explores the vital role of prehistoric plants in shaping life on Earth, highlighting their evolutionary contributions that enabled the existence of dinosaurs, mammals, and humans.

Memoirs



Fearless and Free: A Memoir

by Josephine Baker Josephine in her own voice: charming, passionate, and brave. Her words are thrilling and intimate, like she's talking with her friends over after-show drinks in her dressing room. Through her own telling, we come to know a woman who danced to the top of the world and left her unforgettable mark on it.



The Harder I Fight the More I Love You:

OVE by Neko Case

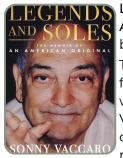
Singer-songwriter Neko Case paints a portrait of an extraordinary life—one forged through a poverty-stricken childhood, obsessive desire, bursts of comedy, and indispensable friendships—reflecting on the way art, music, and a deep connection to nature helped her become a beloved, Grammy-nominated artist.



I'll Have What She's Having

by Chelsea Handler

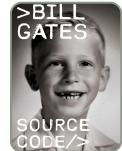
In hilarious and tender essays, #1 New York Times bestselling author Chelsea Handler shares her unforgettable story of becoming the woman she always wanted to be. She's never been one to hold back.



Legends and Soles: The Memoir of an American Original

by Sonny Vaccaro

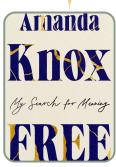
The gripping and eye-opening memoir from the "Savior of Nike" and the man who discovered Michael Jordan, Sonny Vaccaro. Legends and Soles provides context and truth to the sensational media stories and headlines.



Source Code: My Beginnings

by Bill Gates

The origin story of one of the most influential and transformative business leaders and philanthropists of the modern age. Bill Gates tells this, his own story, for the first time: wise, warm, revealing, it's a fascinating portrait of an American life.

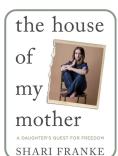


Free: My Search for Meaning

by Amanda Knox

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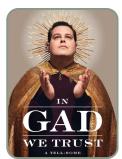
Amanda Knox reflects on her worldfamous confinement in an Italian prison —and her return to an "ordinary" life to reveal hard-won truths about purpose and fulfillment that will resonate with anyone who has ever felt trapped in their own circumstances.



The House of My Mother: A Daughter's Quest for Freedom

by Shari Franke

From eldest daughter Shari Franke, the shocking true story behind the viral 8 Passengers family vlog and the hidden abuse she suffered at the hands of her mother, and how, in the face of unimaginable pain, she found freedom and healing.



In Gad We Trust: A Tell-Some

by Josh Gad

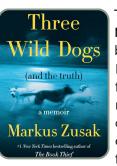
A heartfelt and hilarious collection of essavs from the comedian and entertainer known for voicing Olaf in the phenomenon Disney franchise of Frozen, and for his award-winning turn as Elder Cunningham in the Broadway smash hit The Book of Mormon.



Looking at Women Looking at War: A War and Justice Diary

by Victoria Amelina

The Cost of Resistance is an intimate and powerful account of the ravages of war, written by Amelina, who tragically died from injuries sustained in a Russian missile strike, leaving behind a remarkable testament to resilience and the human cost of conflict.



Three Wild Dogs (and the Truth): A Memoir

by Markus Zusak

In this honest memoir, Zuzak, tells of his family's adoption of three troublesome rescue dogs—a charming and courageous love story about making even the most incorrigible of animals