Uncle Hugo's Science Fiction Bookstore Uncle Edgar's Mystery Bookstore 2864 Chicago Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55407

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Store Hours: M-F 10 am to 7 pm Sat. 10 am to 6 pm Sun. Noon to 5 pm

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Parking

Metered parking (25 cents for 20 minutes) is available in front of the store. Meters are enforced 8am-6pm Monday through Saturday (except for federal holidays). Note the number on the pole you park by, and pay at the box located between the dental office driveway and Popeyes driveway. The box accepts quarters, dollar coins, and credit cards, and prints a receipt that shows the expiration time. Meter parking for vehicles with Disability License Plates or a Disability Certificate is free. (Rates and hours shown are subject to change without notice - the meters are run by the city, not by us.) Free parking is also available in the dental office lot from 5pm-8pm Monday through Thursday, and all day Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Holiday Schedule

Sunday,	March 27:	Closed
Monday,	May 30:	Closed

Sales

The **42nd Anniversary Sale** runs Friday, February 26, through Sunday, March 6, giving you two weekends to take advantage of the sale. March 2 marks Uncle Hugo's 42nd anniversary. Come into Uncle Hugo's or Uncle Edgar's and save 10% off everything except discount cards and gift certificates. A discount card will save you even more - you'll get both 10% savings from the discount card and 10% off from the sale. (Sale prices apply to in-store purchases, but not to mail, phone, or website orders.)

On National Independent Bookstore Day, Saturday, April 30, receive a free Uncle Hugo's/Uncle Edgar's bookbag (a \$10 value) when you make a \$50 purchase.

Award News

The finalists for the Philip K. Dick Award (for best sf published as a paperback original in the US) are **Edge of Dark** by Brenda Cooper (\$18.00), **After the Saucers Landed** by Douglas Lain (\$15.99), **(R)evolution** by PJ Manney (\$14.95), **Apex** by Ramez Naam (\$14.99), **Windswept** by Adam Rakunas (\$7.99), and **Archangel** by Marguerite Reed (\$16.00).

The Crawford Award for best first fantasy fiction went to **The Sorcerer of the Wildeeps** by Kai Ashante Wilson (\$12.99). The shortlist of finalists included **The Watchmaker of Filigree Street** by Natasha Pulley (\$26.00, \$16.00 tr pb due in April), **The Grace of Kings** by Ken Liu (\$27.99, \$9.99 pb due in March), **The Devourers** by Indra Das (US edition coming in July), **The Traitor Baru Cormorant** by Seth Dickinson (\$25.99), and **The Daughters** by Adrienne Celt. The Mystery Writers of America have announced the nominees for the 2016 Edgar Allan Poe Awards.

The nominees for Best Novel are **The Strangler** Vine by M. J. Carter (\$16.00 tr pb due in March), **The Lady From Zagreb** by Philip Kerr (\$26.95, \$16.00 tr pb due in April), **Life or Death** by Michael Robotham (\$15.99), **Let Me Die** in **His Footsteps** by Lori Roy (\$26.95), **Canary** by Duane Swierczynski (\$14.99), and **Night Life** by David C. Taylor (\$25.99, \$15.99 tr pb due in March).

The nominees for Best First Novel by an American Author are **Past Crimes** by Glen Erik Hamilton (\$9.99 pb due in March), **Where All Light Tends to Go** by David Joy (\$16.00), **Luckiest Girl Alive** by Jessica Knoll (\$15.99 tr pb due in April), **The Sympathizer** by Viet Thanh Nguyen (\$16.00), and **Unbecoming** by Rebecca Scherm (\$16.00). The nominees for Best Paperback Original are **The** Long and Faraway Gone by Lou Berney (\$14.99), The Necessary Death of Lewis Winter by Malcolm Mackay (\$15.00), What She Knew by Gilly Macmillan (\$15.99), Woman With a Blue Pencil by Gordon McAlpine (\$13.95), Gun Street Girl by Adrian McKinty (\$15.95) and The Daughter by Jane Shemilt (\$14.99).

The nominees for the Left Coast Crime Lefty Award for best humorous mystery are Lord of the Wings by Donna Andrews (\$25.99), Plantation Shudders by Ellen Byron (\$7.99 pb due in August), February Fever by Jess Lourey (\$14.95), Dying for a Donut by Cindy Sample (\$18.95), and Crushed Velvet by Diane Vallere (\$7.99).

The nominees for Left Coast Crime Award for Best Historical Novel are Malice at the Palace by Rhys Bowen (\$25.95), The Masque of a Murderer by Susanna Calkins (\$24.99, \$15.99 tr pb due in April), The Chocolate Kiss-Off by Heather Haven, The Secret Life of Anna Blanc by Jennifer Kincheloe, Dreaming Spies by Laurie R. King (\$26.00 signed hc or \$16.00 tr pb), and Mrs. Roosevelt's Confidante by Susan Elia MacNeal (\$15.00).

The nominees for the Agatha Award for Best Contemporary Novel are **Bridges Burned** by Annette Dashofy, **Long Upon the Land by Margaret Maron** (\$27.00, \$7.99 pb due in April), **The Child Garden** by Catriona McPherson, **Nature of the** Beast by Louise Penny (\$27.99), and What You See by Hank Phillipi Ryan (\$25.99)

The nominees for the 2015 Agatha Award Best Historical Novel are **Malice at the Palace** by Rhys Bowen (\$25.95), **The Masque of a Murderer** by Susanna Calkins (\$24.99, \$15.99 tr pb due in April), **Dreaming Spies** by Laurie R. King (\$26.00 signed hc or \$16.00 tr pb), **Mrs. Roosevelt's Confidante** by Susan Elia MacNeal (\$15.00), and **Murder on Amsterdam Avenue** by Victoria Thompson (\$25.95, \$7.99 pb due in May).

How's Business by Don Blyly

Our business in December was about the same as last year, but for some reason January was several thousand dollars below last January. My theory is that people got so spoiled by the unusually mild early winter, that they overreacted when normal January weather struck.

Looking over what I wrote a year ago, I realize that this winter I haven't had to deal with any break-ins, leaks from the roof, or medical problems. That's a big improvement.

The U.S. Census Bureau reports that bookstore sales actual rose 2.5% in 2015 after 8 years in a row of decreasing sales. Even with the increase last year, bookstore sales were still down more than 30% compared to 2007. But it's still good news that print book sales are going back up and e-book sales are going down.

Amazon opened a brick-and-mortar store in Seattle, and recently the Wall Street Journal reported that the head of a major national shopping center firm said that Amazon was planning to open 300 to 400 shopping mall stores in the near future. Amazon had no comment, and the shopping center guy backed off his initial statement, but Amazon has been advertising to hire bookstore employees in the San Diego area. Amazon gets a better discount on books than any of the brick-and-mortar stores, so they could certainly cut prices enough to put a lot more brick-and-mortar stores out of business and seize even more market share. After all, when the other national bookstore chains were expanding rapidly decades ago, they were notorious for opening up very near independent bookstores, cutting prices until the independents went out of business, and then raising their prices. With their superior discount from publishers, it would be easy for Amazon to follow the same sleazy plan with regard to both independent and chain bookstores. If Amazon could kill off another of the national bookstore chains, their market share would give

I reported last issue about the city of Minneapolis wanting to ban plastic bags and forcing merchants to charge for paper bags. They are holding more meetings on the issue, but it seems clear that they have ignored all feedback that was negative towards their plan. The city's

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the publishers.

newest target seems to be drive-through windows, not only at fast-food places, but also drivethrough windows to pick up prescriptions (in case you have a couple of sick kids in the car that you don't want to haul through the drug store as they cough on everybody else) and for banks. I get the impression that the current city planning people and some of their very vocal supporters either think that Minneapolis is Manhattan or that it should become Manhattan. Many people in Minneapolis don't agree.

National Independent Bookstore Day is Saturday, April 30. Everyone is encouraged to visit at least one independent bookstore on that day, and buy something as long as you're there surrounded by the books. Come in on National Independent Bookstore Day, spend \$50 or more, and receive a free Uncle Hugo's/Uncle Edgar's bookbag (a \$10.00 value).

A few days before my 65th birthday, I adopted a dog from the Golden Valley Humane Society. Ecko is almost 4 years old, and was described as a very shy blue heeler mix. One look at her face and it was obvious that the mix was with a pit bull. She is very mellow and loves to spend time at Uncle Hugo's. But I know that some people have a dog allergy and some people just don't feel comfortable with dogs, so I don't let her roam around when customers are in the store. When the store is open, she's securely fastened near Uncle Hugo's 40% off book area, where customers who want to visit her can do so (which she encourages people to do), but people who don't want to visit her won't be bothered by her (except for an occasional whine as she tries to tempt somebody to come and pet her). Over the last six weeks, most customers haven't even been aware of her, and most of the people who have noticed her have been happy to visit her. I know that she came from a family with kids, but so far almost everybody who has visited her at the store has been an adult. If you bring in kids to visit her, please don't let the kids go running up to her by themselves until I have a better idea of how she will react to a perhaps hyper, noisy little one. So far I've seen nothing but mellow behavior (except when she sees a squirrel or rabbit), but let's be careful with kids until I know how she will react.

Closing the store at 7 pm instead of 8 pm Monday through Friday has gone fairly smoothly in most ways, but not in all ways. Last year when we tried out the 7 pm closing for January and February, I was able to edit the Dex Yellow Pages internet listing to change closing to 7 pm at the beginning of January and then edit it back to 8 pm at the beginning of March. But when I tried to edit the hours this January, I found that I couldn't edit Uncle Hugo's hours, and that Uncle Edgar's listing was missing. I complained to Dex, and was given various wrong information about how to solve the problem. I was told that Dex was bought be another company last year, everything was switched to the acquiring company's computer system, and eventually the Dex employees would be trained how to use the acquiring company's system. After

a few weeks, they managed to correct Uncle Hugo's hours, but after 6 weeks they still have not put Uncle Edgar's listing back up (while continuing to list a bunch of bookstores that went out of business 10 to 20 years ago, like Borders on Hennepin Ave., Ruminator books in downtown Minneapolis, and a Brother's Touch). The last time I complained I was told that somehow when everything was switched to the new computer system last year, the listing for Uncle Edgar's (and they have no idea how many other customers) got lost, but now they've finally figured out the problem and Uncle Edgar's listing will be back in place in the next couple of weeks. When I asked about a refund for the months that Uncle Edgar's was not listed on their internet yellow pages, I was told that there would be no refund because the internet listing was free (although the printed yellow pages and the internet yellow pages were sold to me as a package deal).

Since around Labor Day, we have been a UPS Access Point, which was supposed to mean that if the UPS driver couldn't deliver a package to a home within about a mile of the store, the driver would leave a note on the person's door that they could pick up the package at Uncle Hugo's and then the driver would drop off the package at Uncle Hugo's. People who have a preprinted UPS label for an outgoing package can also drop the package at Uncle Hugo's and we then pass the package along to the UPS driver. UPS pays Uncle Hugo's a very small amount of money for this, but they also stopped charging us a significant amount of money for picking up our outgoing packages. It soon became apparent that a lot of major shippers choose to have their packages delivered directly to Uncle Hugo's without even attempting to deliver to the home of the customer, which made some customers unhappy with us. But the program also got a lot of local people to stop into the store for the first time, and a few of them bought some books while they were here. When I signed up for the program, they brought out a sample of what the door tag would say, and it showed the name of the store, the address, and the hours. What really happens is the door tag gives the address, sometimes adds "Uncle Hugo's", and never gives the hours. At the beginning of January I went to the UPS Access Point site and changed the hours. But as recently as a week ago, somebody called UPS to find out how late we were open and was told we were open until 8 pm. A few people have been unhappy to have UPS drop their package at Uncle Hugo's, especially if they were waiting at home for UPS to deliver the package and UPS didn't attempt to deliver it to their home. But most people have been happy that UPS dropped their package at Uncle Hugo's instead of just leaving the package in front of their front door or making them arrange transportation to the UPS warehouse during the hours that UPS is open. And many people have been happy to be able to drop UPS returns at Uncle Hugo's. But we've also had to deal with people who grabbed a door tag and came to try to get a package from us while claiming that they don't own a photo ID, or presented a photo ID

showing both the wrong last name and the wrong address. Things have sometimes gotten rather heated with such people, with one threatening to sue Uncle Hugo's if we didn't hand over a package address to somebody else, and one person tried to intimidate one of the clerks until she held up the phone and said, "I'm dialing 9-1-1 right now."

When we closed at 8 pm, I watched very little TV, because by the time I took care of all the end-of-the-day stuff at the store, got home, and made supper, it was almost time for the news, so I'd just read while eating supper and waiting for the news to come on. Now that we are closing at 7 pm, I'm home and supper is made before the beginning of the 8 pm shows, so I've been watching more TV (Lucifer, Second Chance, Marvel Agent Carter) and had less time for reading books.

Short Recommendations by Don Blyly

Richard Kadrey is primarily known for his Sandman Slim series, but he is starting a new series. **The Everything Box** (\$24.99, due mid-April) starts about 4000 years ago, right after the Great Flood. It seems that God decided that creating humans was a big mistake, and sent an angel to earth with a doomsday device to finish off any humans that survived the flood. Before the angel got around to using it, a human stole it from him. Jump forward to present-day Southern California. The angel can't go back to

heaven until he finishes wiping out the human race, and he still hasn't found the doomsday device. He's been traveling around the world for the last 4000 years, searching for the device, and trying other ways to kill off the humans. Somehow, the device has made it to Southern California, and he's determined to find it. But so are a pair of competing incompetent cults that want to bring about the apocalypse, assorted collectors who think it is just a very valuable magical heirloom, and the government. Coop is a thief who specializes in stealing magical items. After stealing and delivering a small box to a mysterious client, he comes to the attention of the government and is forced to cooperate with the Department of Peculiar Science, a fearsome enforcement agency that specializes in the odd and strange. The book is less profane than the Sandman Slim series, but is at least as funny. Highly recommended.

Linda Nagata's The Red trilogy (First Light (#1, \$9.99), The Trials (#2, \$9.99), and Going Dark, (#3, \$9.99)) is set perhaps 50 years in our future, and is told from the point of view of Lieutenant James Shelley, the commander of a squad of high-tech soldiers involved in a small war in Africa. As he explains to a new member of his squad: "There needs to be a war going on somewhere, Sergeant Vasquez. It's a fact of life. Without a conflict of decent size, too many international defense contractors will find themselves out of business. So, if no natural war is looming, you can count on the DCs to get together to invent one." So, Shelley leads his LCS-linked combat squad-out of their small fort, wearing their titanium exoskeletons and wearing their LCS skullcaps which control the implants the army has put inside their brains, carrying their smart weapons, to fight the insurgents. Their helmets provide them with quiet communications among the squad, video feeds from drones, communications with Guidance (an offsite army overseer), and send audio/video feeds from all the helmets back to Guidance. But Lt. Shelley has an uncanny ability to detect danger that the army doesn't understand, and he hasn't lost a soldier in 9 months. And the army is determined to find out how Lt. Shelley always knows when his squad is in danger. Lt. Shelley is in the army to avoid prison time for participating in a protest back in the U.S., and is highly cynical about the government and the defense contractors. As time goes along, his cynical nature is overwhelmed by events. The audio/video feeds from his squad's helmets have been made into a top-rated reality show back in the U.S. without the knowledge or permission of his squad. The defense contractors are certain they can get away with murder because they have bought so many "zombies" in Congress that the government will never investigate them. And then there is the matter of his strange ability to sense danger. The Red trilogy is fast-paced, disturbing, and very well written. In the second volume, Lt. Shelley is on leave, visiting his father in New York City, and the description of his Post Traumatic Stress Disorder while walking down the sidewalk without his armor, his weapons, and his link to Guidance (after relying on those during his many months in combat) is riveting.

I picked up **Guerilla** by Mel Odom (\$7.99) and was very impressed. Only after I finished the book and started looking to see when the sequel would be out did I realize that I had read the second book of the series without reading the first book, Master Sergeant (\$7.99). And I still don't know when I'll be able to read the next book. Makaum is a jungle planet full of deadly plants, insects, and larger critters on land and under the water. Over 400 years ago a generational colony spaceship crashed on Makaum. The survivors of the crash learned how to cope with the planet and developed a low-tech lifestyle. Makaum becomes much more dangerous when the war between the Terrans and the Phrenorians (an empire of scorpion-like beings) reaches the planet. The natural resources of Makaum are desired by the Terrans, the Phrenorians, and other races (who are less militarily inclined than either the Terrans or the Phrenorians, but are just as greedy and more sneaky). And then there are the commercial corps and the criminal gangs who also want to get rich from exploiting the planet. The jungles are full of interesting psychoactive compounds that can be marketed to assorted races. The indigenous Makaums are trying to cope with the invasion of their planet, with some trying to preserve their traditional culture, while others are trying to grab as much wealth as they can from all the competing greedy invaders. Master Sergeant Frank Sage doesn't want to be on Makaum. He wants to

be fighting on the front line of the war, not stationed on a planet that is supposed to be protected by various treaties that everybody is quietly violating. But as long as he's stuck on Makaum, he's going to try to protect the native culture as much as he can from all of the threats, military and criminal. While there's plenty of action in the books, what really impressed me was the depth of cultural detail of all of the many alien races portrayed in the books.

I've already recommended Jacey Bedford's two science fiction novels in her Psi-Tech series, Empire of Dust (\$7.99) and Crossways (\$7.99). Her first fantasy, Winterwood (\$7.99), has just come out, and it is also very good. Winterwood is set in England, primarily in 1800, where the government Mysterium regulates magic among the less powerful practitioners, but a few very powerful practitioners have been secretly serving the crown since they helped Queen Elizabeth defeat the Spanish Armada. Rossalinde Goodliffe discovered when she was young that she had some magical ability, but her mother strongly disapproved, and she never registered with the Mysterium. Instead, after her father's death, she helped young pirate Will Tremayne steal one of her father's ships, and began her career as a privateer for Mad King George, preying on the French and Spanish shipping that supported Napolean. She married Will Tremayne, and after he died she started dressing in men's clothing and became the new Captain Tremayne. In 1800 she is summoned home to her mother's

deathbed, where her mother passes along a magical family heirloom. As she tries to understand the significance of the heirloom and tries to track a family tree that she never suspected she had, one of the secret powerful practitioners for the crown begins trying to kill her. The Forest Lord and his Lady become involved, as do a wolf shapeshifter and the fae. And her pirate crew often are involved. Although Winterwood tells a complete story, a sequel is planned, as well as more novels in the Psi-Tech series.

Recommendations by Elizabeth LaVelle

Miss Qiunzella Thiskwin Penniquiquil Thistle Crumpet's Camp for Hardcore Lady Types is definitely NOT your average summer camp, as teens Jo, April, Mal, Molly, and Ripley learn in Lumberjanes Volume 1: Beware the Kitten Holy (\$14.99 trade pb, ages 10 and up, full color graphic novel). One night, when they spot a woman who turns into a bear, they sneak out of their cabin and follow her into the woods, only to find themselves doing battle with a pack of 3-eyed foxes. Their counselor Jen catches them on their way back into camp, but the disciplinary meeting with camp director Rosie takes an odd turn: instead of calling their parents, she listens to their story, then tells the girls they'll see stuff they might not understand this summer, but that they're tough enough, and they should stick together no matter what. Good advice, because the next day finds

them facing a river monster, navigating the traps in a hidden cave by solving a series of puzzles, and more. But can they elude the overprotective Jen long enough to accomplish what they need to? The fun continues in Lumberjanes Volume 2: Friendship to the Max (\$14.99), as they deal with more mysterious goings-on and supernatural hijinks. Whether they're following a plan or dealing with unexpected events on the fly, the girls stick together. It's fun to see how their different skills - math, verbal, feats of strength and athleticism, and sheer derringdo - all come into play as they face each new challenge. Fortunately for Jen's peace of mind, when she expresses her uncertainty about her work at the camp, Rosie assures her that the girls don't need Jen to punch a bear - they handle that just fine on their own - they need someone smart and practical to keep them from getting in over their heads. (When Jen says that's OK, but sounds dull, Rosie suggests studying martial arts.) From that point on, Jen is in on the action, and finds her own particular ways to contribute. These graphic novels are packed with action, surprises, humor, and smart, strong women, and I'm really looking forward to Lumberjanes Volume 3 (\$14.99, expected in early April).

Amy Stewart's Girl Waits with Gun (\$27.00 hc, \$14.95 trade pb expected in May) is fiction based on historical events. New Jersey, 1914: The Kopp women - 35-year-old Constance, tall and formidable, 31-year-old Norma, short, stocky and sour-tempered, and 16-year-old Fleurette, petite, sheltered, and excitable - are headed into town to run errands when their buggy is smashed by a motor car. With plenty of witnesses and no doubt as to blame (although the driver and his ruffian friends claim the Kopp's horse was responsible), Constance demands the man's name and address so she can send him an invoice for the repairs. The driver, Henry Kaufman, runs his family's silk-dyeing factory in town, so when she receives no reply to her letter requesting repayment, Constance heads to the factory to confront him. He refuses to pay, and threatens to come by their farmhouse, specifically asking which room is Fleurette's, at which point Constance slams him against the wall and flees. When a brick wrapped in a threatening note comes crashing through the farmhouse window, she goes to the police. Sheriff Robert Heath has had trouble with Kaufman before - in fact, Kaufman is a well-todo ne'er-do-well, whose position as factory owner has insulated him from punishment for his crimes. As the harassment continues, Constance is frightened, but willing to help get this troublemaker put away, and Heath is determined to protect the Kopps and get evidence of Kaufman's misdeeds that will stand up in court. Interspersed with the main storyline are details of the Kopp's home life, flashbacks about Constance's background, and subplots about the power factory owners had over their employees and the abuses that occurred as a result. Not only is Constance tough and protective of her family, but she's willing to undertake a side investigation to right a wrong for a factory

girl. In real life, Constance became one of the first female deputy sheriffs, and I'm happy to report that her fictional adventures will continue in Lady Cop Makes Trouble in fall 2016.

I love elephants, so when I read about The Unexpected Inheritance of Inspector Chopra by Vaseem Khan (\$15.99 trade pb), in which a retiring police inspector finds himself in charge of a baby elephant, I had to check it out. Ashwin Chopra grew up in a poor Indian village, joined the police force, and now calls Mumbai home. After 30 years on the force, heart trouble is pushing him unwillingly into early retirement. On his last day on the job, he arrives at the police station to find a woman wailing that her son Santosh's death will never be properly investigated because their family is poor. Inspector Chopra tries to order an autopsy, but his superior insists it's an open and shut case, and in any case no longer Chopra's concern. Then Chopra arrives back home to find a baby elephant in the courtyard of his apartment complex, much to the displeasure of Mrs. Subramanium, who heads the complex's Managing Committee. Luckily, Chopra's wife Poppy is more than happy to thwart Mrs. Subramanium's attempts to make trouble. But why would his eccentric Uncle Bansi send him a young elephant? The next day, when he learns that his successor has no intention of looking into Santosh's death, Chopra decides to pull a few strings with some of his former colleagues. An autopsy reveals that Santosh's death was deliberate, not accidental, and provides a few clues about the

murderer, and Chopra decides to do some poking around on his own to get to the truth. At the same time, little Ganesha the elephant is unhappy and won't eat, and Chopra has to seek advice on how to care for him. Chopra's investigation into Santosh's death leads to a lot of unpleasant surprises, as well as the discovery that, when you're outnumbered by armed thugs, even a small elephant can be a big help. Chopra is an entertaining sleuth, honest to the core and determined to fight the injustice and corruption he finds, if occasionally nonplussed by the situations he winds up in while searching for answers. I'm looking forward to the arrival of the next book, The Perplexing Theft of the Jewel in the Crown, in late summer 2016.

RECENTLY RECEIVED AND FORTHCOMING SCIENCE FICTION Already Received

-- Doctor Who Mad Libs \$4.99 (Collection of fill-in-the-blanks word games.)

-- Doctor Who Magazine #493 \$9.99 (Clara clocks off - the amazing finale previewed; more.)

-- Doctor Who Magazine #495 \$9.99 (Death to the Daleks! exclusive interviews with Paul McGann and Alex Kingston; more.)

-- Fairytale Gloom \$24.95 (Ages 13 and up. Let's face it, fairy tales are awful. Giants fall from the sky, wolves and old women eat children, girls steal porridge from unsuspecting families. In this card game, groups of fairy tale characters do their best to stay happy, but circumstances rain woe on their heads. When enough Unhappy Endings come to pass, the game ends, and the most miserable collection of characters wins. 2-5 players.)

-- Fantasy & Science Fiction January / February 2016 \$7.99 (New fiction, reviews, more)

-- The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey Board Game \$40.00 (Ages 15 and up. Join the adventures of Bilbo and his dwarf companions as they set out to recover treasure from the dragon Smaug. Working together, players face dangerous challenges using stealth, weapons, and diplomacy to survive and continue the journey. 1-4 players, 45-60 minutes playing time. Includes game board plus tiles, tokens, dice, and event cards.)

-- Locus #659 December 2015 \$7.50 (Interviews with Chuck Wendig and Beth Cato; award news; forthcoming books; industry news; reviews; more.)

-- Locus #660 January 2016 \$7.50 (Interviews with Mary Rickert and Charlie Jane Anders; industry news; reviews; more.)

-- Locus #661 February 2016 \$7.50 (2015 Year in Review; Locus poll and survey; industry news; reviews; more.)

Adams, D/Roberts, J -- The Frood: The Authorised and Very Official History of Douglas Adams & the Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy \$18.95 (The story of Adams' agonizingly constructed fictional universe, from his initial inspirations to the posthumous sequel(s) and adaptations. With the benefit of hindsight and much time passed, friends and colleagues have been interviewed for a fresh take on the man and his works.)

- Adams, Douglas of interest -- The Interconnectedness of All Kings \$19.99 (Dirk Gently: PBO; Full color graphic novel. Reprints issues 1-5 of the comic. Dirk has relocated to San Diego, where he gets embroiled in three separate (or are they?) cases involving reincarnated Egyptians, golden cellphones, and copycat killers.)
- Ahiers, Sarah -- Assassin's Heart \$17.99 (Ages 14 and up. Lea is a trained assassin who has fallen in love with Val, a boy from a rival clan. When her home burns, her family inside, she is horrified to realize that Val and his family are the only ones who could be responsible, and sets her heart on revenge.)
- Ashton, Edward -- Three Days in April \$6.99 (In a world divided between the genetically engineered elite and the unmodified masses, Anders is an anomaly: engineered, but still broke. When a nightmare plague rips through town, Anders finds himself dodging kinetic energy weapons and government assassins as Baltimore slips into chaos.)
- Belton, Claire -- I Am Pusheen the Cat \$14.99 (Comics featuring the pleasantly plump and playful cartoon cat.)

- Bode, Vaughn / Bode, Mark -- Cheech Wizard's Book of Me \$29.99 (Collects all the cartoons featuring Cheech Wizard - a lascivious conman whose magical powers are questionable plus rare sketches. Color and black & white.)
- Bova, Ben -- Mars, Inc. \$7.99 (Billionaire Art Thrasher is determined to get a team of scientists and visionaries on their way to Mars, but it's going to take all his business wiles to overcome setbacks and sabotage.)
- Bova, Ben -- Mercury / Prometheans \$9.99 (Omnibus reprint of an sf novel and a collection.)
- Brooks, Liana -- Convergence Point \$6.99 (Time & Shadows #2: PBO; Sam Rose is now a senior agent in Florida, and figures her life is back on track. Until a scientist is found dead. And then an eco-terrorist. And then a clone of Sam - again. She partners with Agent MacKenzie to try to figure out exactly what and when - is going on.)
- Brown, Eric -- Jani and the Great Pursuit \$7.99 (Jani Chatterjee #2: PBO; Jani and her companions are chased from India to London by the British authorities, Russian spies, and a Hindu priest, all of whom want the key that will open the door to other worlds. In London, Jani attempts to rescue the imprisoned alien Mahran, who might help her save Earth from the invasion of the Zhell.)
- Charish, Kristi -- Owl and the Japanese Circus \$18.00 (Owl #1: PBO; An archaeologist turned

antiquities thief, Owl has one rule: no supernatural jobs. Until she crosses paths with Mr. Kurosawa, a red dragon who offers to get rid of the pack of vampires trying to kill her if she'll retrieve a stolen scroll for him.)

- Cosgrove, Stephen -- Nitter Pitter \$7.95 (Serendipity: Reissue; Ages 5 and up. Nitter Pitter may be the best-looking horse on Serendipity Island, but he must learn there is more to life than his appearance.)
- Cosgrove, Stephen -- Saveopotomas \$7.95 (Serendipity: Reissue; Ages 5 and up. The ancient Hoardasarus searches for the secret to saving.)
- Cosgrove, Stephen -- Sooty-Foot \$7.95 (Serendipity: Reissue; Ages 5 and up. Rusty, a lazy cat, befriends Sooty-Foot the horse. Before long Rusty is using his sharp-tongued wiles to bully Sooty-Foot into doing his bidding. What is a horse to do?)
- Cosgrove, Stephen -- **Tee-Tee** \$7.95 (Serendipity: Reissue; Ages 5 and up. A little turtle carries his home wherever he goes, a heavy burden indeed. Tee-Tee learns that home is where the heart is.)
- Crumb/Wilson/Griffin/etc. -- Zap Comix #16 \$14.99 (Underground comix. Black & white with full color center section.)

DePetrillo, Albert (editor) -- Legends of Ashildr \$12.99 (Doctor Who: Anthology. 4 tales from the immortal life of Ashildr, a young Viking girl who died helping the Doctor and Clara, and was brought back to life using alien technology.)

- Dick, Philip K. -- The Early Science Fiction of Philip K. Dick Volume 1 \$9.95 (12 of his early short stories and novellas from the 1950s pulps.)
- Drake, D/Lambshead, J -- Into the Maelstrom \$7.99 (Citizen #2: The Cutter Stream colonies are at peace, but war is coming from their distant homeworld, a war they must win if they are ever to be more than prison camps and dumping grounds for incompetent nobles.)
- Dubeau, J-F. -- The Life Engineered \$14.99 (PBO; 3594: Humanity is little more than a memory. Capeks, originally created by humans, have inherited the galaxy. When the sentient facility that created her is destroyed, marking the only instance of murder the Capeks have ever known, rescue and repair robot Dagir sets out to find the killers, but finds much more.)
- Ellison, Harlan -- Can & Can'tankerous \$45.00 (Collection. 10 previously uncollected tales from the 5th and 6th decades of Ellison's writing career.)
- Estep, Jennifer -- Bitter Bite \$7.99 (Elemental Assassin #13: PBO; When a supposedly dead relative turns up alive, Finn is delighted, but Gin's instincts tell her that this sudden interloper is planning something.)

Goscinny/Uderzo/et al -- Asterix and the Missing Scroll \$17.99 (Asterix #36: Ages 9 and up. Full color graphic novel. When Julius Caesar's publisher recommends cutting a chapter about defeats at the hands of the Gauls of Armorica, can Asterix and his friends make sure the truth is revealed?)

- Grant, Maxwell -- Mardi Gras Mystery / City of
 Fear \$14.95 (Shadow #99: Pulp reprints.)
- Grant, Maxwell -- The Death Triangle / The Crimson Death / The Seven Deadly Arts \$15.95 (Shadow #100: Pulp reprints.)
- Grant, Maxwell -- Gangdom's Doom / The Golden
 Grotto \$15.95 (Shadow #101: Pulp
 reprints.)
- Green, Simon R. -- The Dark Side of the Road \$17.95 (Ishmael Jones is employed to search out secrets and shine a light in dark places. Sometimes he kills people. Invited to join his enigmatic employer, the Colonel, for Christmas, Ishmael arrives to find that the Colonel has disappeared. As Ishmael questions his fellow guests, he concludes that at least one of them is harboring a dangerous secret. As a storm seals off Belcourt Manor from the rest of the world, he must unmask a murderer.)
- Hauck, Michelle -- Grudging \$6.99 (Birth of Saints #1: PBO; When Colina Hermosa is threatened by northern invaders, who bring a cruel religion and no mercy, they turn for help to the witches of the southern swamps.)

Howey, Hugh -- Beacon 23 \$14.95 Trade PB, \$28.00 HC (23rd century: A network of beacons allows ships to travel across the Milky Way. The beacons are built to be robust, never breaking down, never failing. At least, that's how they're supposed to work.)

- Jackson, S/Kirkman, R -- Munchkin Zombies: The Walking Dead \$11.95 (Ages 13 and up. Expansion set for *Munchkin Zombies*. Based on the hit comic book series, these 56 new cards let you show your favorite Walking Dead characters who's really in charge. Do battle with deadly living foes, take their stuff, and shamble toward victory!)
- Jackson,Steve et al -- Munchkin Adventure Time 2: It's a Dungeon Crawl! \$19.95 (Ages 10 and up. Expansion set for Munchkin Adventure Time, with 90 new cards plus 12 oversized dungeon cards. Your quest for victory in the Land of Ooo just turned into a dungeon crawl, complete with new monsters, treasures, curses, and special portals.)
- Jackson, Steve et al -- Munchkin: Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas \$24.95 (Ages 10 and up. Brings your favorite characters and settings from the film to the popular card game. Includes 168 cards and 1 die. 3-6 players, 1-2 hours.)

Jackson/Baker/Kovalic -- Munchkin Gloom \$29.95 (Ages 13 and up. Standalone game, compatible with all existing Gloom games and expansions. There are plenty of happy munchkins: warriors who slay monsters,

adventurers who grab loot, heroes who level up, halflings who stay home eating pie. But those same munchkins are all too often backstabbed by buddies, discovered by ducks of doom, and dined on by dragons. Massacre the monsters, steal their stuff, and die a depressing death. May the most miserable party win! Includes 110 transparent playing cards. 2-5 players, 60 minutes.)

- Kadrey, Richard -- Sandman Slim \$14.99 (Sandman Slim #1: Reissue; A young magician, demon-snatched and sent to hell to be a gladiator, escapes after 11 years and returns to LA to seek vengeance on the circle of magicians that stole his life.)
- Kibuishi, Kazu -- Firelight \$12.99 (Amulet #7: PBO; Ages 8 and up. Full color graphic novel. Emily, Trellis, and Vigo visit Algos Island, where they can access and enter lost memories, hoping to uncover the events of Trellis' mysterious childhood and use the knowledge against the Elf King.)

Kiernan, Caitlin R. -- Beneath an Oil-Dark Sea \$45.00 (Massive collection of her best short fiction published between 2004 and 2012, chosen by the author.Contents Introduction == S.T. Joshi Part One (Atlanta, 2004-2008) Bradbury Weather Untitled 17 Ii>Pony Untitled 17

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- Kraft/Kass/Kass (ed) -- Mars One: Humanity's
 Next Great Adventure \$16.95 (PBO; Essays
 that explore the various human dimensions of
 the Mars expedition planned by Mars One.)
- Le Guin, Ursula K. -- Late in the Day: Poems 2010 - 2014 \$18.95 (Collection. 51 poems by the award-winning sf and fantasy writer.)
- Lee, Tanith -- Hunting the White Witch
 (alternate title: Quest for the White Witch)
 \$7.99 (Birthgrave #3: Reissue; As Vazkor
 searches for his mother, his own powers his
 fearful heritage grow. Can he rid the world
 once and for all of his creator?)
- Leicht, M/Neal, I -- A Stranger Thing \$7.99 (Ever-Expanding Universe #2: Ages 14 and up. Elvie's baby is not what the Almiri expected,

and they've shipped the Elvie and her companions off to an alien jail in Antarctica. Then new information sends Elvie, with a band of friends and frenemies, on a trek to uncover the secrets of her own origin.)

- Liu, Ken -- The Grace of Kings \$9.99 (Dandelion Dynasty #1: Kuni Garu is a wily, charming bandit. Mata Zyndu is the stern, fearless son of a deposed duke. In the uprising against the emperor, the two become best friends. But in the aftermath of the overthrow, they find themselves leading separate factions - with very different ideas about how the world should be run.)
- Manney, P.J. -- (R) evolution \$14.95 (Philip K. Dick Award finalist. Peter Bernhardt is on the cusp of revolutionizing brain therapies with nanorobots that will make certain degenerative diseases a thing of the past. When his research is stolen, the ensuing catastrophe sets in motion events that will change the course of human evolution.)
- Modesitt Jr., L.E. -- Flash \$8.99 (Reissue; 24th century: Jonat deVrai quit the Marines to become the world's leading expert on 'prod', the only advertising viewers will allow through the filters they use. When he's hired to study its effects on political campaigns, what looked like a safe, lucrative contract turns out to be very dangerous.)
- Moorcock, Michael -- The Final Programme \$9.95 (Jerry Cornelius #1: Reissue; Along with his savvy and ruthless partner-in-chaos,

Miss Brunner, Jerry Cornelius - scientist, rock star, and assassin - is on a mission to control a revolutionary code for creating the ultimate human being.)

- Moore, Deborah D. -- The Journal: Cracked Earth / Ash Fall / Crimson Skies \$17.99 (After a major crisis rocks the US, supply lines are shut down. In the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, the residents of Moose Creek lose power in the middle of a brutal winter, and must struggle against one calamity after another.)
- North, Ryan et al -- Squirrel Power \$15.99 (Unbeatable Squirrel Girl Volume 1: PBO; Ages 10 and up. Full color graphic novel. Reprints issues 1-4 of the comic, plus material from Marvel Super-Heroes #8. How can Doreen Green, aka Squirrel Girl, get started on her college education when baddies like Kraven the Hunter and Galactus keep interrupting her?)
- O'Connell, Bishop -- Three Promises \$3.99 (American Faerie Tale: Collection. 4 short stories.)
- Pearlman, Robb -- I Left You a Present \$9.95
 (PBO; Full color. Humorous captioned dog
 photos.)
- Pierce, Tamora -- Wild Magic \$10.99
 (Immortals #1: Reissue; Ages 12 and up. 13year-old Daine learns that her connection with
 animals is more than a knack it's magic. She
 takes a job handling horses for the Queen's
 Riders, and studies magic with master mage

Numair. Now it's up to Daine and her friends to defend their world from an attack by the terrifying Immortals.)

- Pierce, Tamora -- The Woman Who Rides Like a Man \$9.99 (Song of the Lioness #3: Reissue; Ages 12 and up. Newly knighted, Alanna of Trebond seeks adventure in Tortall's vast desert. Captured by fierce desert dwellers and forced to prove herself in a duel to the death, she becomes the tribe's first female shaman. Now she must fight to change the ancient customs of the desert tribes - for their sake and for the sake of all Tortall.)
- Pratchett, Terry -- A Hat Full of Sky \$9.99 (Discworld YA: Tiffany Aching #2: Reissue; Ages 12 and up. Mythopoeic Fantasy Award winner. As witch-in-training Tiffany Aching pursues her calling (who knew it would involve so many chores?), a sinister monster pursues her, and neither Mistress Weatherwax nor the Wee Free Men can defeat it. When the monster strikes, Tiffany will have to save herself - if she can be saved at all.)
- Pratchett, Terry -- I Shall Wear Midnight \$9.99 (Discworld YA: Tiffany Aching #4: Reissue; Ages 12 and up. Norton Award winner, Mythopoeic Fantasy Award finalist. Young witch Tiffany Aching faces an insidious new foe who whispers threats of violence and quietly unleashes havoc. Along with her allies, the Nac Mac Feegle, Tiffany may know evil when she sees it, but where does evil start, and where - and how - does it end?)

- Robeson, Kenneth -- The Rustling Death / Terror and the Lonely Widow \$14.95 (Doc Savage #83: Pulp reprints.)
- Robeson, Kenneth -- The Men Vanished / Death in Little Houses \$14.95 (Doc Savage #84: Pulp reprints.)
- Robeson, Kenneth -- The Pharaoh's Ghost / The Man Who Was Scared \$14.95 (Doc Savage #85: Pulp reprints.)
- Samatar, Sofia -- The Winged Histories \$24.00 (Four women - soldier, scholar, poet, and socialite - are caught up on different sides of a violent rebellion. As war erupts, they fear they may disappear into the unwritten pages of history. Using the sword and the pen, the body and the voice, they struggle not just to survive, but to make history.)
- Scholz, Carter -- Gypsy \$13.00 (PBO; Collection. Includes a new hard sf novella of interstellar adventure, plus 3 short stories, an interview, and a bibliography.)
- Schwab, V.E. -- A Gathering of Shadows \$25.99
 (Kell #2: Four months have passed since the
 mysterious stone fell into Kell's possession.
 Things have almost returned to normal, but Kell
 is visited by dreams of ominous magical events.
 As Red London prepares for the Element Games,
 another London is coming back to life.)
- Seluk, Nick -- Heart and Brain: An Awkward Yeti Collection \$12.99 (Full color collection of the popular webcomic, featuring the Awkward

Yeti, his pragmatic and responsible brain, and his impulsive heart.)

- Siddell, Thomas -- Reason \$16.99
 (Gunnerkrigg Court #3: Ages 11 and up. Annie
 and Kat continue to uncover terrible secrets
 about the school, while relationships grow and
 the boundaries of reality are blurred. In the
 meantime, Coyote begins to show that things in
 the forest are not quite what they seem.)
- Sparks, Joel -- The Nekonomikon (The Book of Cats) \$9.95 (Call of Catthulhu #1: This first volume contains everything needed to play the game: players take on the role of ordinaryseeming house cats who must thwart vast cosmic conspiracies without the humans ever suspecting a thing.)
- Sparks, Joel -- Unaussprechlichen Katzen (The Cat Herder's Guide) \$12.95 (Call of Catthulhu #2: A wealth of information for gameplay, including: gods, cults and rituals; monstrous foes; the thumb war; and more.)
- Sparks, Joel et al -- Worlds of Catthulhu: Nine
 New Settings for Endless Catventure \$12.95
 (Call of Catthulhu #3: 9 new settings for
 roleplay as clever cats, including fantasy, sf,
 steampunk, western, and more.)
- Steffen, David (ed) -- The Long List Anthology \$21.99 (21 stories, not included on the final ballot, from the 2015 Hugo Awards nomination list)

- Stirling/Lackey/Flint/Nye -- By Tooth and Claw \$7.99 (Mrem #2: 4 linked novellas. After the extinction asteroid doesn't strike Earth, the dinosaurs keep evolving, and so do the mammals. In a Bronze Age world, the felinoid Mrem face the Lishkash, a reptilian empire of slave armies and magic. Which line will inherit the Earth?)
- Swallow, James -- The Latter Fire \$7.99 (Star Trek: PBO; A year ago, Captain Kirk and his crew helped restore a badly damaged Syhaari explorer vessel. Now, as the Syhaari display rapid technological advances made over the past year, the question is: were advanced technology and information leaked to them during the earlier encounter?)
- Tallerman, David -- Patchwerk \$12.99 (PBO; Novella. Dran Florrian is fleeing NYC with the ultimate proof of a lifetime of scientific theorizing. When a rogue organization attempts to steal Dran's device, he takes drastic action. But his invention threatens to destroy the very fabric of this and all other possible universes, unless Dran - or someone very much like him - can shut down the machine and reverse the process.)
- Tassi, Paul -- The Sons of Sora \$15.99 (Earthborn #3: PBO; 16 years have passed. Now two brothers, the sons of Lucas and Asha, are tasked with surviving the Xalan war to ensure the continued existence of the human race.)
- Velasquez, Crystal -- Hunters of Chaos \$6.99 (Hunters of Chaos #1: Ages 8 and up. Four girls

in a New Mexico boarding school discover they have the power to turn into wild cats. They must work together to fight chaos spirits unleashed from an ancient temple.)

- Wendig, Chuck -- The Cormorant \$15.99 (Miriam Black #3: Reissue; Miriam is on the road again, hired by a wealthy businessman and headed to Florida to practice the one thing she's good at. But in her vision she sees him die by another's hand, and on the wall written in blood is a message just for Miriam. She's expected.)
- Wilson, G. Willow et al -- Last Days \$17.99 (Ms. Marvel Volume 4: PBO; Ages 13 and up. Full color graphic novel. Reprints issues 16-19 of the comic plus material from Amazing Spider-Man issues 7-8. From the moment Kamala put on her costume, she's been challenged, but nothing has prepared her for the last days of the Marvel Universe. When the world is about to end, do you still keep fighting?)
- Wilson, Gahan -- Out There \$29.99 (Collects all his cartoons published in *The Magazine of Science Fiction and Fantasy* from 1964 to 1981, plus the stories and book reviews he wrote for them.)
- Wilson, JJ Amaworo -- Damnificados \$15.95 (PBO; 600 vagabonds and misfits take over an abandoned urban tower and set up a community, complete with schools, stores, beauty salons, bakeries, and a ragtag defensive militia. And so begins an epic siege.)

Wise, A.C. -- The Ultra Fabulous Glitter Squadron Saves the World Again \$18.00 (Collection. When the world is endangered, there's no need to spare the spangles, spill the drinks, or cut back on the glitter, as the fierce femmes and brave butches of the UFGS prove in these 9 whimsical sf stories.)

- Wrede, Patricia C. -- The Enchanted Forest Chronicles: Dealing with Dragons / Searching for Dragons / Calling on Dragons / Talking to Dragons \$31.99 (Enchanted Forest #1 / #2 / #3 / #4: Reissue; Ages 10 and up. Boxed set of 4 trade paperbacks in a printed slipcase.)
- Wrede, Patricia C. -- Dealing with Dragons \$7.99 (Enchanted Forest #1: Reissue; Ages 10 and up. Princess Cimorene is everything a princess is not supposed to be: headstrong, tomboyish, smart . . . and bored. So bored that she runs away to live with a dragon. Soon she's coping with a witch, a jinn, a death-dealing talking bird, a stone prince, and some very oily wizards.)

Wrede, Patricia C. -- Searching for Dragons \$7.99 (Enchanted Forest #2: Reissue; Ages 10 and up. What drained the magic from and burned down a section of the Enchanted Forest? While searching for answers, young King Mendanbar learns that Kazul the dragon king is missing. With the aid of a broken-down magic carpet, a magical sword, and a few buckets of soapy lemon water, Mendanbar and Cimorene set out to find Kazul.)

Wrede, Patricia C. -- Calling on Dragons

\$7.99 (Enchanted Forest #3: Reissue; Ages 10 and up. Those wizards are back, and they've figured out a way to take over the Enchanted Forest once and for all - and what they have planned isn't pretty. It's up to Queen Cimorene to stop them, with a little help from Kazul the dragon king, Morwen the witch, Telemain the magician, two cats, and a blue, flying donkeyrabbit named Killer.)

Wrede, Patricia C. -- Talking to Dragons \$7.99 (Enchanted Forest #4: Reissue; Ages 10 and up. After Daystar's mom, Queen Cimorene, gives him a magic sword and kicks him out of the house, the tricky part is figuring out what he's supposed to do with the magic sword. Where is he supposed to go? And why does everyone he meets seem to know who he is? It's going to take a particularly hotheaded fire-witch, a very verbose lizard, and a badly behaved baby dragon to help him figure it all out.)

Early March

Andrews, Ilona -- Magic Shifts \$7.99 (Kate Daniels #8: It's not easy adjusting to life outside the Pack. So when the Pack offers Curran their stake in the Mercenary Guild, he and Kate seize the opportunity. They don't realize that the odd jobs they've taken on are connected. An ancient enemy has arisen - can Kate and Curran stop it before it takes the city apart?)

- Bailey, Dave -- Web in Space \$9.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; Ages 9 and up. A distress signal calls the TARDIS to a spaceship under attack by the Empire of Eternal Victory. But the robotic scavengers turn out to be the least of the Doctor's worries - something terrifying is waiting to trap him.)
- Baker, Mishell -- Borderline \$15.99 (Arcadia Project #1: Millie is recruited into the Arcadia Project, a secret organization that polices the traffic to and from a parallel reality. Her first assignment? Track down a missing movie star who is also a noble of the Seelie Court.)
- Bao, Karen -- Dove Exiled \$17.99 (Phaet Theta #2: Ages 12 and up. Phaet has been hiding on Earth with Wes and his family, but the Lunar Bases attack the community. Returning to the moon, she finds the rebels have turned her into a symbol of their struggle. She's the biggest celebrity on the Moon: half the people worship her, and the other half want her dead.)
- Bein, Steve -- Disciple of the Wind \$7.99 (Fated Blades #3: Armed with only her cunning and her famed Inazuma blade, Mariko must work outside the system to stop a terrorist mastermind. But going rogue draws the attention of the Wind. For centuries, this underground syndicate has controlled Japanese politics from the shadows, using mystical relics to achieve their nefarious ends. Now the Wind is set on acquiring Mariko.)

Belcher, R.S. -- The Brotherhood of the Wheel \$27.99 (A small offshoot of the Knights Templar endures, and has returned to the order's original mission: defending the roads of the world and guarding those who travel on them. Jimmy is one such knight, driving a big rig down south. A promise to a ghostly hitchhiker sets him on a quest to learn the terrible truth behind a string of disappearances.)

- Boatman, Michael -- Who Wants to Be the Prince of Darkness? \$7.99 (PBO; When Gabriel, the current ruler of Hell, decides to reinvigorate the Infernal Realm by using a reality TV gameshow to steal unwitting mortal souls, Lucifer (now retired) must find a living champion to seize control of Hell and free the stolen souls before it's too late.)
- Brandt, Gerald -- The Courier \$25.00 (Kit Ballard is a motorcycle courier, level 2 trash in a huge multi-level city where corporations make all the rules. When she witnesses a client's murder, she winds up with a mysterious package that everyone seems to want. Now the corporations want her gone.)
- Caine, Rachel -- Midnight Bites \$9.99 (Morganville Vampires: PBO; Collection. Short fiction set in the little Texas town that's overrun by the undead.)
- Charish, Kristi -- Owl and the City of Angels \$18.00 (Owl #2: Owl is settling into her new job as contract thief for Mr. Kurosawa. He's set his sights on a collection of artifacts

from the recently discovered Syrian City of the Dead. At least they're in LA, and not in some supernaturally infested temple. Simple job, right?)

- Clines, Peter -- The Fold \$16.00 (DARPA has invented a device that could make teleportation a reality, but evidence is mounting that this machine isn't quite what it seems. As he investigates, Mike Erikson begins to fear there's only one answer that makes sense - and it may only be a matter of time before the project destroys everything.)
- De Abaitua, Matthew -- The Destructives \$7.99 (Tasked with investigating a data archive from just before the appearance of the first AIs, Theodore uncovers a secret that will take him to a secret off-world colony, where he must choose between creating a new future for humanity, or staying true to his nature and destroying it.)
- Dick, Philip K. -- The Early Science Fiction of Philip K. Dick Volume 2 \$9.95 (12 of his early short stories and novellas from the 1950s pulps.)
- Dunstall, S.K. -- Alliance \$7.99 (Linesman #2: PBO; Linesman Ean Lambert and Captain Selma Kari Wang are dispatched to learn more about the alien ships that have just appeared at the edge of space, but not everyone wants the New Alliance to control the secrets they uncover.)
- Frank, Pat -- Mr. Adam \$14.99 (Reissue; An accidental explosion at an atomic plant

released an unknown form of radiation that turned Earth's men sterile - except for Mr. Homer Adam, who was at the bottom of a lead mine when it happened. Naturally, he's in great demand - and sadly, it's up to the government to decide what to do with him.)

- Golden, Christie -- Dark Disciple \$9.99 (Star Wars: When ruthless Sith Lord Count Dooku orders the massacre of a flotilla of helpless refugees, the Jedi Council pairs brash Jedi Knight Quinlan Vos with Sith turned bounty hunter Asajj Ventress, dispatching them on a quest to eliminate Dooku once and for all.)
- Joshi, S.T. (ed) -- Black Wings of Cthulhu 4 \$14.95 (Anthology. 17 original tales of Lovecraftian horror.)
- Knaak, Richard A. -- Black City Saint \$18.00 (PBO; For centuries, Nick Medea has followed and guarded the Gate that keeps the mortal and Feirie realms separate. Now it is fixed in Prohibition-era Chicago, and open to the trespasses of the darkest of the Feiriefolk. Can Nick prevent an old evil from opening the way between realms?)
- Koboldt, Dan -- The Rogue Retrieval \$6.99
 (Stage magician Quinn Bradley gets an
 unexpected offer: a quest to a place where
 magic is all too real. He's sent to retrieve
 someone who's gone rogue, but in a world of
 true magicians, the penalty for impersonating
 one is death. Can Quinn get home before the
 tricks up his sleeves run out?)

- Komatsu, Sakyo -- Japan Sinks \$12.95
 (Reissue; When an island in the Japanese
 archipelago disappears overnight, an
 investigating scientist suspects that the
 entire country is at risk.)
- Lee, Earl -- The Unkindness of Ravens \$14.95 (1859: As General Lee's army retreats from the combined British, Colonial, and Federal forces, a futuristic time bomb goes off that creates overlapping realities from the 19th through the 24th centuries.)
- Leigh, Stephen -- The Crow of Connemara \$7.99 (Colin Doyle is a young Irish-American musician from Chicago. Maeve Gallagher is an Islander from Ireland's west coast. Islanders are outcasts treated with suspicion by the locals, who think them responsible for wild and strange happenings in the area. Colin soon discovers that he's connected to Maeve in ways he never could have imagined.)
- Lethem, Jonathan -- Lucky Alan and Other Stories \$15.00 (Collection. 9 short stories, some with uncanny and surreal elements.)
- Lowder, James (ed) -- The Munchkin Book \$14.95 (A celebration of the immensely popular card game, which affectionately mocks the fantasy dungeon crawl and popular culture. Contributors include the game's designer Steve Jackson, its signature artist John Kovalic, and other mavens of geek culture. Includes exclusive game rules to supplement Munchkin gameplay.)

- Lyris, Sonia -- The Seer \$15.00 (PBO; Rebellion is stirring on the borders of the Arunkel empire, and treachery lurks in the palace halls. And a seer, Amarta, has become the key to a ruler's ambitions. If she is to become more than a tool, she must do more than predict the future: she must create it.)
- McGuire, Seanan -- Chaos Choreography \$7.99 (InCryptid #5: PBO; When cryptozoologist Verity Price is offered another chance on the TV dance show she almost won, she and her husband Dominic head to L.A. for one last shot at the big time. When two contestants turn up dead, she'll need every ally she can find.)
- Modesitt Jr., L.E. -- Madness in Solidar \$9.99 (Imager #9: When Alastar, an obscure but talented senior imager from the south, becomes the new Maitre of Solidar's Collegium, he finds himself in the midst of a power struggle, with Rex Ryen demanding that the Collegium remove the strongest High Holders, and the military leadership plotting to topple Ryen and destroy the Collegium.)
- Moorcock, Michael -- A Cure for Cancer \$9.95 (Jerry Cornelius #2: Reissue; A mirror-image of his former self, Cornelius returns to a parallel London, armed with a vibragun and his infamous charisma. On the trail of the grotesque Bishop Beesley, Jerry hunts for a mysterious device capable of manipulating the cosmos.)
- Neill, Chloe -- Midnight Marked \$15.00 (Chicagoland Vampires #12: PBO; Merit and Ethan

have made a new and powerful enemy who will stop at nothing to take over the Windy City.)

- Nelson, J.C. -- The Reburialists \$16.00 (PBO; Heinrich Carson stole the heart of Ra-Ame, the long-dead god of the Re-Animus. And she wants it back. But Heinrich took the secret of the location to his grave. Can the Bureau of Special Investigations find the key to stopping Ra-Ame and her undead army?)
- Novik, Naomi -- Uprooted \$16.00 (Agnieszka loves her quiet village and her valley home. But the corrupted Wood stands on the border, full of malevolent power. Her people rely on the cold, driven wizard known only as the Dragon to keep its powers at bay. But he demands a terrible price for his help: one young woman handed over to serve him for ten years. And the next choosing is fast approaching.)
- Palmer, Dexter -- Version Control \$27.95 (Rebecca has a persistent sense that everything is off-kilter, as if she's walked into a room and forgotten what she intended to do there; on TV, the President seems to be the wrong person in the wrong place. Meanwhile, her husband's work on his causality violation device has made him a laughingstock in the physics community. But he may be closer to success than either of them can imagine.)
- Parker, K.J. -- The Devil You Know \$10.99
 (PBO; Novella. The greatest philosopher of all
 time is offering his soul to the Devil. All he
 wants is twenty more years to complete his

life's work. But the assistant demon assigned to the case has his suspicions, because the man is also the greatest liar, trickster, and cheat the world has yet known.)

- Percy, Benjamin -- The Dead Lands \$15.99 (Minnesota Book Award finalist. After a super flu and nuclear fallout, a few humans carry on, living in outposts such as the Sanctuary - the remains of St. Louis. A rider from the wasteland reports that west of the Cascades, rain falls, crops grow, and civilization thrives. Against the wishes of the Sanctuary, a small group sets out, hoping to expand their infant nation and reunite the States. But the Sanctuary will not allow them to escape without a fight.)
- Riordan, Rick -- Percy Jackson's Greek Gods
 \$12.99 (Percy Jackson: Ages 10 and up. Full
 color illustrations. Percy Jackson provides his
 take and sarcastic asides on the pantheon.)
- Sargent, Pamela -- Season of the Cats \$13.99
 (Gena and Don are young and in love, and often
 pretend to be cats in their invented world of
 Catalonia. When they move into their own house
 and money gets tight, their imaginary world
 takes a darker turn. But Catalonia's feline
 residents have become so real that they begin
 to appear in Don and Gena's real lives, as
 stray cats and they have a mission of their
 own.)
- Sawyer, Jamie -- Artefact \$9.99 (Lazarus War #1: Captain Conrad Harris has died hundreds of times, running suicide missions in simulant

bodies against an alien menace. When a secret research station deep in alien territory suddenly goes dark, he is chosen to lead the rescue mission - but he hasn't been trained for what he's about to find.)

- Sawyer, Robert J. -- Quantum Night \$27.00 (As a tide of violence and hate sweeps across the globe, an experimental psychologist and a quantum physicist combine forces to see if they can do the impossible - change human nature before the world descends into darkness.)
- Scott, R.H. -- Chosen Soldiers \$6.99 (After the missiles tore up Earth, societies crumbled. Slowly, a group of survivors came together, helping each other grow a world worth living in. And then the Others attacked. And so the Academy was formed, where young people could be built into an elite military force.)
- Scull, Luke -- Sword of the North \$7.99 (Grim Company #2: In Dorminia, anyone perceived as a threat has been imprisoned, leaving the White Lady's rule unchallenged. But if Eremul the Halfmage cannot convince the White Lady of the existence of the immortal race known as the Fade, all of humanity will be in danger. Brodar Kayne and Jerek the Wolf continue their odyssey to the High Fangs, only to find themselves caught in a war between a demon horde and their enemy the Shaman. And in Thelassa, Sasha must overcome demons of her own. Because the Fade are coming.)
- Spoor, Ryk E. -- Phoenix Ascendant \$16.00 (Balanced Sword #3: PBO; Phoenix and her

companions take on the King of All Hells in a final showdown, with the fates of worlds hanging in the balance.)

- Steele, Allen -- Arkwright \$26.99
 (Convinced that humanity cannot survive on
 Earth, the Arkwright Foundation dedicates
 itself to creating a colony on an Earth-like
 planet. Fueled by sf writer Nathan Arkwright's
 legacy, generations of Arkwrights are drawn
 together and pulled apart by the enormity of
 the task.)
- Swann, S. Andrew -- Dragon Wizard \$7.99 (Frank Blackthorne #3: PBO; It's been a year since Frank Blackthorne became Princess of Lendowyn and married a dragon. During the royal anniversary banquet, an elven prince reads a scroll of evil magic, turning Frank's world upside-down. Again.)
- Tahir, Sabaa -- An Ember in the Ashes \$11.99 (Ages 14 and up. When Scholar Laia's brother is arrested for treason, rebel Scholars agree to help save him - if Laia will go undercover as a slave at the military academy. Elias is the academy's finest soldier, and secretly its most unwilling. Elias and Laia's choices will change the future of the empire.)
- Tieryas, Peter -- United States of Japan \$14.99 (Decades ago, Japan won WWII. Americans worship their infallible Emperor, and no one thinks Japan's wartime conduct was anything but exemplary - except a shadowy rebel group distributing an illegal video game that

asks players to imagine what the world might be like if the US had won the war.)

Tompkins, Mark -- The Last Days of Magic \$27.00 (Aisling is a goddess, born to rule medieval Ireland and reunite the earthly realm with the faerie kingdom. Jordan is a Vatican commander and clandestine student of magic. Najia is an enslaved enchantress. With the Vatican and England determined to drive magic from Ireland, and all lands, forever, Aisling, Jordan, and Najia must come to terms with powers given and withheld - and a world that can foster magic hangs in the balance.)

Underwood, Michael R. -- The Absconded Ambassador \$12.99 (Genrenauts #2: PBO; Novella. When the head architect of a peace treaty in Science Fiction World is kidnapped, it's up to rookie genrenaut Leah Tang and her new colleagues to save the day.)

Valente, Catherynne M. -- The Boy Who Lost Fairyland \$7.99 (Fairyland #4: Ages 10 and up. A young troll named Hawthorn becomes a changeling in our world, a place no less bizarre than Fairyland in his eyes. When he turns twelve, he stumbles upon a way back home, and finds himself in a greatly changed Fairyland - and at the center of a changeling revolution.)

Valente, Catherynne M. -- The Girl Who Raced Fairyland All the Way Home \$16.99 (Fairyland #5: Ages 10 and up. September has been crowned Queen of Fairyland. The magic of a Dodo egg has brought every King, Queen, and Marquess back to life, each with a claim on the throne and their own plots and histories. To save their friend from a job she doesn't want, A-Through-L and Saturday devise a royal race, with the throne going to the winner.)

- Weber, D/Presby, J -- The Road to Hell \$28.00 (Multiverse #3: As the war between magicallygifted Arcana and psionically talented Sharona continues to rage, men and women of honor on both sides must grapple with the terrible costs and deadly secrets of the cataclysm.)
- White, S/Gannon, C -- Imperative \$16.00 (Starfire #7: PBO; The war with the Arduans is over, and most of the attackers are now productive probationary citizens of the Rim Federation. But many of the warrior caste have not accepted defeat, and Admiral Ian Trevayne and trouble-shooter Ossian Wethermere have stumbled upon what they suspect is an Arduan plot to shatter the Pan-Sentient Union.)

Mid March

Abercrombie, Joe -- Half a War \$15.00 (Shattered Sea #3: If Princess Skara is to reclaim her birthright, she must conquer her fears and sharpen her wits to a lethal edge. Father Yarvi has stitched together an uneasy peace, but now Grandmother Wexen has raised a great army, and put at its head a man who worships only Death. When Mother War spreads her irons wings, she may cast the whole Shattered Sea into darkness.)

- Abraham, Daniel -- The Spider's War \$16.99 (Dagger & Coin #5: PBO; Lord Regent Geder Palliako's great war has brought conquest after conquest, but not final victory, and schism and revolt are beginning to erode the empire. In Carse, Cithrin bel Sarcour, Marcus Wester, and Clara Kalliam are faced with the impossible task of bringing lasting peace.)
- Bacigalupi, Paolo -- The Water Knife \$16.00 (With the Southwest devastated by drought, Nevada, Arizona, and California skirmish over dwindling shares of the Colorado River. When rumors of a game-changing water source surface in Phoenix, Las Vegas water knife Angel Velasquez is sent to investigate. He encounters journalist Lucy Monroe, who knows more than she admits, and Texas migrant Maria Villarosa, who dreams of escaping north, where water still falls from the sky. As bodies begin to pile up, the three find themselves pawns in a game far bigger, more corrupt, and dirtier than they imagined.)
- Barnes/Tchaikovsky/etc -- Monstrous Little
 Voices \$9.99 (PBO; Anthology. It is the
 time of Shakespeare. Storms rage, armies clash,
 magic is done and stories are made.)
- Beaty, Andrea -- The Schnoz of Doom \$7.95 (Fluffy Bunnies #2: Ages 8 and up. When they left summer camp, Joules and Kevin thought their days of fighting evil space bunnies were

over. Instead, they discover rabbits bent on world domination at their school.)

- Bishop, Anne -- Marked in Flesh \$27.00 (Others #4: A radical human group is trying to seize land through a series of violent attacks on the Others. They don't realize that there are older, more dangerous forces that will do whatever is necessary to protect the land.)
- Bonesteel, Elizabeth -- The Cold Between \$16.99 (Central Corps #1: PBO; When a crewmate is murdered, chief engineer Elena Shaw is shocked to discover her lover Trey is the main suspect. She knows Trey is innocent - he was with her when the man was killed - so why is he being framed? Their investigation leads them to a nearby wormhole, and a government conspiracy that threatens humanity's galactic civilization.)
- Bourne, J.L. -- Tomorrow War \$16.00 (On a mission in Syria, an operative unwittingly unleashes a weapon with the power to destroy the moral fabric of humanity. As the crisis unfolds, the US government appears to offer salvation, but there is a sinister catch and one man stands up to push back.)
- Briggs, Patricia -- Fire Touched \$27.00 (Mercy Thompson #9: Tensions between the fae and humans are coming to a head. Called upon to stop a rampaging troll, Mercy and Adam find themselves with something that could forestall the war: a human child stolen long ago by the fae.)

Christopher, Adam -- The Machine Awakes

\$15.99 (Spider Wars #2: Humanity's war with the Spiders has not been going well. When the deposed Fleet Admiral is assassinated, and then his replacement as well, Special Agent Von Kodiak's investigation uncovers a conspiracy that stretches from the slums of Salt City to the floating gas mines of Jupiter.)

- Clines/Lovecraft/Defoe -- The Eerie Adventures of the Lycanthrope Robinson Crusoe \$15.00 (The terrifying supernatural true story of Robinson Crusoe as it has never been told before.)
- Dawson, Delilah S. -- Hit \$10.99 (Ages 14 and up. The good news: the US is finally out of debt. The bad news: it was bought out by Valor National Bank, and a takeover makes debt a death sentence, thanks to a tricky little clause in the fine print. To save her mom's life, Patsy has five days to complete ten hits - and most of the people on her list aren't strangers.)
- Duyvis, Corinne -- On the Edge of Gone \$17.95 (Ages 13 and up. The comet is scheduled to hit on January 29, 2035. As Denise and her drugaddicted mother travel to their assigned shelter, a last-minute meeting leads them to a generation ship instead. But everyone aboard has been chosen for their usefulness. Will Denise's autism prevent her from gaining a place? And what about her mother?)
- Duyvis, Corinne -- Otherbound \$9.95 (Ages 13 and up. When Nolan closes his eyes, he's

transported into the mind of Amara, a mute slave girl tasked with protecting a renegade princess on a planet full of magic and danger. He is only an observer - until he's not. Amara is terrified by this presence controlling her. Can they learn to work together to escape danger?)

- Fallon, Jennifer -- The Lyre Thief \$27.99 (Hythrun Chronicles: War of the Gods #1: To escape her father's wrath, Princess Rakaia of Fardohnya agrees to marry a much older Hythrun noble, taking with her nothing but her jewels and her baseborn half-sister Charisee, who is Rakaia's double. What ensues is a tale of switched identities, complicated love triangles, and meddlesome gods.)
- Feehan, Christine -- Dark Promises \$27.00 (Carpathian #25: Weary of battles and of seeing the man she loves nearly lose his life, Gabrielle wants a life far away from the Carpathian mountains, the vampires, and the shadows cast by the crumbling monastery that hides so many secrets.)
- Forbeck, Matt -- New Blood \$9.99 (Halo: PBO; Novel based on the game.)
- Haskins, Mike -- How to Teach Your Dog to Drive \$9.99 (Humor. With this guide, you'll learn how to get your dog acquainted with the controls, which breeds are the safest drivers, and how to help your dog pass license exams.)
- Hawkins, Scott -- The Library at Mount Char \$16.00 (Carolyn was a normal American once,

before she and the others were taken in by the man they called Father. They have been raised according to Father's ancient customs, studying the books in his Library and learning some of the secrets of his power. Now Father is missing, and the Library that holds his secrets stands unguarded. And with it, control over all of creation. As Carolyn gathers the tools she needs for the battle to come, competitors with powers that far exceed her own align against her. But Carolyn has a plan. The only trouble is that, in the war to make a new God, she's forgotten to protect the things that make her human.)

- Heinlein/Patterson, W -- Robert A. Heinlein Vol. 2: The Man Who Learned Better (1948-1988) \$21.99 (Biography of the great sf writer, covering the later decades of Heinlein's life.)
- Howard, Martin -- The Farmer's Llamas \$5.99 (Shaun the Sheep: Tales from Mossy Bottom Farm: Ages 5 and up. After a mixup at an auction, the Farmer brings his prize animals - a trio of llamas - home to the farm. Shaun is thrilled, but are the new residents a baaad influence?)
- Hunter, Erin -- The Blazing Star \$7.99 (Warriors: Dawn of the Clans #4: Ages 8 and up. The first great battle has ended, and each group has agreed to a truce. But when a deadly disease threatens to strike deep into the heart of both camps, the cats must work together to find the mysterious Blazing Star.)
- Hunter, Erin -- A Forest Divided \$7.99 (Warriors: Dawn of the Clans #5: Ages 8 and up.

The spirit-cats have spoken: to survive, the cats from the mountains must grow and spread like the Blazing Star. The time has now come for all cats to decide where they will live and where their allegiances truly lie.)

- Hunter, Erin -- The Apprentice's Quest \$16.99 (Warriors: Vision of Shadows #1: Ages 8 and up. The clans must decipher a mysterious prophecy, and young Alderpaw holds the key.)
- Jones, Kelly -- Unusual Chickens for the Exceptional Poultry Farmer \$6.99 (Ages 8 and up. 12-year-old Sophie and her parents move from LA to the farm they've inherited from a great-uncle. When a cranky chicken appears, Sophie discovers the hen can move objects with the power of her little chicken brain. As more of her great-uncle's unusual chickens come home to roost, Sophie learns to care for the flock. And when a local farmer tries to steal them, Sophie must find a way to keep them (and their superpowers) safe.)
- Kowal, Mary Robinette -- Forest of Memory \$9.99 (PBO; Novella. Katya deals in Authenticities and Captures - her clients are rich and they demand items and experiences with only the finest provenance. The man who stepped out of the trees while hunting deer cut Katya off from the cloud, took her AI, and made her his unwilling guest. There are no Authenticities or Captures to prove Katya's story. You'll just have to believe her.)
- Kowal, Mary Robinette -- Of Noble Family
 \$18.99 (Glamourist Histories #5: When Vincent

receives word that his estranged father has died in the West Indies, Jane and Vincent travel there to attend to legal matters, only to discover that the estate is in disarray, with horrifying conditions and the slave population close to revolt.)

- Lebbon, Tim -- Pieces of Hate \$12.99 (PBO; Novella. Plus bonus Gabriel story 'Dead Man's Hand'. During the Dark Ages, a thing named Temple slaughtered Gabriel's family. A man with snake eyes charged him to pursue the assassin, and destroy him. Gabriel never believed he'd still be following Temple, almost a thousand years later, to the pirate-ridden Caribbean.)
- Liu, Ken -- The Paper Menagerie and Other Stories \$24.99 (All of his award-winning and award-finalist short fiction, plus a brand new story.)

McDoniel, Jim -- An Unattractive Vampire \$13.99 (Emerging after 300 years trapped

underground, vampire Yulric Bile discovers that modern vampires are pretty, weak, and good. Yulric sets out to reestablish his bloodstained reign, or at least murder those responsible for the current disgusting turn of events.)

McNeill/Abnett/Counter -- Crusade's End: Horus
Rising / False Gods / Galaxy in Flames
\$19.00 (Warhammer 40,000: Horus Heresy
Omnibus #1: Omnibus reprint. 3 novels plus
related short fiction.)

Richards, Justin -- 365 Days of Memorable Moments and Impossible Things \$19.99 (Doctor Who: Revisit classic battles, thrilling escapes, iconic characters, game-changing plot twists, and more.)

- Selby, Adrian -- Snakewood \$26.00 (Once they were mercenaries who shook the world through cunning, alchemy, and steel, and whoever met their price won in battle. Now scattered, their glory days behind them and their genius leader in hiding, they are being eliminated one by one.)
- Smale, Alan -- Eagle in Exile \$28.00 (12th century: Gaius has integrated himself into Cahokian society and thwarted two invasions by the Iroqua. But with a Roman invasion looming and a coup brewing in Cahokia, Gaius and company face battle after battle while trying to unite people to stand against Roma.)
- Staveley, Brian -- The Last Mortal Bond \$28.99 (Unhewn Throne #3: The ancient csestriim are back to finish their purge of humanity; armies march against the capital; and capricious gods walk the earth with agendas of their own. And even if the three imperial siblings survive the holocaust unleashed on their world, there may be no way to reconcile their conflicting visions of the future.)
- Tanaka, Yoshiki -- Legend of the Galactic Heroes Volume 1 \$15.99 (Admiral Reinhard von Lohengramm seeks to overthrow the old order and become absolute - yet benevolent - dictator of the Galactic Empire. His rival, the humble Yang Wen-li, wishes to preserve democracy even if he

must sacrifice his political ideals to defeat the Empire.)

- Tidhar, Lavie -- A Man Lies Dreaming \$25.95 (Wolf is a low-rent PI, roaming London's gloomy streets, haunted by dark visions of a future that could have been - and a dangerous present populated by British Fascists and Nazis escaping Germany. Shomer, a pulp fiction writer, lies in a concentration camp, imagining another world. What happens when Wolf and Shomer's stories converge?)
- Truss, Lynne -- Cat Out of Hell \$15.95 (Wiggy has lost his job, his beloved wife has just died, and his sister has disappeared. He stands staring at the only witness to what's happened to her - her cat Roger. Roger has seen it all during his lives, and he's got a tale to tell Wiggy, of shocking local history and dark forces that may link the death of Wiggy's wife, several other local deaths, and the disappearance of his sister. But will the cat help Wiggy, or is he one of the dark forces?)
- Vernon, Ursula -- Castle Hangnail \$8.99 (Ages 8 and up. When Molly shows up to fill the vacancy for a wicked witch, Castle Hangnail's minions are dubious about the polite 12-yearold. But the castle needs a witch, or the Board of Magic will decommission it, and Molly assures them she is quite wicked. As she begins completing the tasks required for approval, everyone feels hopeful. But Molly has a few secrets. The big one? She isn't who she says she is.)

- Vernon, Ursula -- Of Mice and Magic \$12.99 (Hamster Princess #2: Ages 8 and up. Princess Harriet has been bored since all the local monsters retired, so when a fairy tells her about twelve mouse princesses who are cursed to dance all night long, she happily accepts the quest, equipped with a poncho of invisibility, her trusty battle quail, and some surprise help from her pal Prince Wilbur.)
- Weber, David et al -- Bred to Kill \$14.99 (Tales of Honor #2: Full color graphic novel. Collects issues 0-4 of the comic. In a brand new adventure, Honor's roguish uncle goes missing on leisure station Eros under mysterious circumstancse. When Honor and her team infiltrate the station, what they discover goes far beyond a simple kidnapping.)
- Whyte, Jack -- The Guardian \$27.99 (Guardians #3: 1297 CE: William Wallace and Robert Bruce meet in the south of Scotland. Each is determined to defy the ambitions of England and King Edward Plantagenet. Their combined anger is about to unleash a storm in Scotland that will last for years and destroy England's military power for decades.)
- Winters, Cat -- The Cure for Dreaming \$9.95 (Ages 13 and up. 1900: Suffragist Olivia Mead's father hopes a mesmerist can make his headstrong daughter more docile. Instead, the hypnotist makes her able to see people's true natures - as visions of darkness and light but unable to speak her true thoughts aloud.)

Wraight, Chris -- War of the Fang: The Hunt for Magnus / Battle of the Fang \$17.00 (Warhammer 40,000: Space Marine Battles: Reissue; A thousand years after the Heresy, the Space Wolves find themselves outgunned as the Thousand Sons invade Fenris.)

Early April

- -- Adipose Figurine and Illustrated Book \$12.95 (Doctor Who: A miniature Adipose figure with sound feature, plus a little 48page book about the Doctor and the Adipose, with full-color photos.)
- -- Harry Potter Magical Places & Characters Coloring Book \$15.99 (Ages 8 and up. Detailed line drawings of locations and characters from the films.)
- Aaronovitch, Ben et al -- Body Work \$14.99 (Rivers of London GN #1: PBO; Full color graphic novel. New story taking place between novels 4 and 5. The Folly investigates when cars begin taking on lives of their own and killing innocent folk.)
- Adams, Guy -- The Clown Service \$16.95 (Clown Service #1: After one screw-up too many, Toby Greene finds himself reassigned to a largely forgotten branch of British Intelligence tasked with defending the country from paranormal terrorism. When an old enemy returns with plans to raise the dead and

destroy London, it seems Toby's impossible job is to save Great Britain.)

- Anderson, Kevin J. -- Blood of the Cosmos \$8.99 (Saga of Shadows #2: Desperate to find a way to combat the black cloud of antimatter of the Shana Rei, the humans and Ildirans test a new weapon. When it fails horribly, the allies are thrown to the brink of extinction.)
- Asprin, R/Evans, L -- Tales of the Time Scouts II: Ripping Time / The House That Jack Built \$16.00 (Time Scouts #3 / #4: Omnibus reprint. 2 time-travel novels.)
- Baker, Jacqueline -- The Broken Hours \$24.99 (1936: Arthor Crandle, desperate for work, accepts a position in Providence, RI, as livein secretary and assistant for a shut-in, an author of bizarre fiction who is never to be disturbed and communicates via letters left on a table outside his room.)
- Baxter, Stephen -- Ultima \$7.99 (As humanity discovers the real nature of the universe, a terrifying truth comes to light. Each person has countless pasts converging in this present - and the future is terrifyingly finite. There are minds in the universe that are billions of years old, and now humanity is vulnerable to their plans. It's time to fight back and take control.)
- Bennett, Christopher -- Live by the Code \$7.99 (Star Trek: Enterprise: Rise of the Federation #4: PBO; As Captain T'Pol and crew try to help Captain Reed secure the release of

captured officers, Admiral Archer must keep an eye on the Klingon border.)

- Bible, Jake -- Reign of Four Books I & II \$17.99 (Long ago, Helios held a grand technological civilization, but the Cataclysm tore the land apart, and survivors fled to the six stations orbiting Helios. It didn't take long for their society to devolve, with barely enough tech to survive the harshness of life in space.)
- Bishop/Zahn/Blackmoore -- Heroes Reborn: Collection 1 \$7.99 (Original short fiction based on the new TV series.)
- Brennan, Marie -- In the Labyrinth of Drakes
 \$25.99 (Lady Trent #4: Dragon naturalist Lady
 Trent and her team undertake an expedition to
 the deserts of Akhia.)
- Brisbin, Terri -- Blazing Earth \$7.99 (Stone Circles #3: PBO; As the ancient and wrathful goddess of fire grows closer to escaping her prison, the fate of humanity lies in the hands of two lovers with newly discovered earth and sun powers.)
- Brown, Zachary -- Titan's Fall \$14.99 (Icarus Corps #2: PBO; The rapacious Confederation has brought their war to our solar system. The human and PAC forces won a decisive battle on the moon, but now they must head off the coming armada, and Icarus Corps is once again on the front line.)

- Buchanan, Col -- The Black Dream \$14.95 (Heart of the World #3: As the empire of Mann threatens the world with enslavement, only the Free Ports of the democras continue to stand in its way.)
- Caine, Rachel -- Ink and Bone \$9.99 (Great Library #1: The Great Library of Alexandria is now in every major city, governing the flow of knowledge to the masses. Personal book ownership is forbidden. Sent to be a spy for his black marketeer family, Jess is training to enter the Library's service, but most of his knowledge comes from illegal books. When he creates a device that could change the world, Jess discovers that those who control the Library believe that knowledge is more valuable than any human life - and soon both heretics and books will burn.)
- Carey, M.R. (Mike) -- Fellside \$27.00 (Fellside, a prison on the edge of the moors, is not the kind of place you'd want to end up. But it's where Jess Moulson could be spending the rest of her life. It's a place where the walls whisper. And one voice belongs to a little boy with a message for Jess.)
- Carey, Mike et al -- The House of War and Witness \$16.99 (1740: An Austrian regiment is sent to the furthest frontier of the empire to hold the border against the might of Prussia. They are garrisoned in an ancient house called Pokoj. But Pokoj is already inhabited, by a company of ghosts from every age of the house's history.)

- Cherryh, C.J. -- **Tracker** \$7.99 (Foreigner #16: The Reunioners want their place back in human society, but their return is not welcome by the descendants of the Mospheirans. Also, the Reunioners don't understand the atevi, who share the space station with the Mospheirans and misunderstandings have caused deadly devastation in the past. As tension builds between these two groups, everyone looks to Bren for answers.)
- Cherryh, C.J. -- Visitor \$26.00 (Foreigner #17: A year ago, Bren and the aiji-dowager returned from an interstellar mission to find the government overthrown and their world in chaos. Now, at last, things seem to be on the right track. But something is coming, stealthily - just the first ominous twinkle of a new star in the heavens.)
- Chima, Cinda Williams -- The Sorcerer Heir \$9.99 (Heir #5: Ages 10 and up. The peace between Wizards and the underguilds holds by the thinnest of threads, but powerful forces inside and outside the guilds threaten to sever it completely.)
- Chima, Cinda Williams -- Flamecaster \$18.99 (Shattered Realms #1: Ages 13 and up. Ash is a trained healer with powerful magic and a thirst for revenge against the cruel king of Arden. Jenna has a mysterious magemark, and now the King's Guard is searching for her. Thrown together by chance and united by their hatred of the king, Ash and Jenna will come to rescue each other in ways they cannot yet imagine.)

- Clark, Henry -- The Book That Proves Time Travel Happens \$6.99 (Ages 8 and up. When Frankie blows her Romani family's magical trombone, she and Ambrose and Tom are whisked back to 1852. But the boys' Ohio hometown is a dangerous place for folks who aren't white. The children must dodge slave-catchers and save their ancestors from certain death, while trying to figure out how to get back to their own time.)
- Clark, Platte F. -- Good Ogre \$7.99 (Bad Unicorn #3: Ages 8 and up. When Max opens a portal to the Magrus, a violent storm starts turning Madison residents into monsters and Max's friends into characters from an online game. Now it's up to Max and his motley crew to stop the Maelshadow from using the portal to invade Earth.)
- Coe, David B. -- His Father's Eyes \$7.99 (Justis Fearsson #2: Dark sorcerers are wreaking havoc in Phoenix. Jay has to figure out what connects a billionaire financier and a drug kingpin to an attempted terrorist attack, a spate of ritual killings, and the murder of a powerful runemyste.)
- Cole, Myke -- Javelin Rain \$7.99 (Shadow Ops Prequel #2: PBO; US Navy SEAL Jim Schweitzer was raised from the dead by a sorcerer, and recruited by a top secret unit dabbling in the occult. Now he and his family are on the run from his former unit - and the unit's plan to bring him down could mean disaster for the entire nation.)

- Connolly, J/Ridyard, J -- Dominion \$26.00 (Chronicles of the Invaders #3: Years have passed, and civil war rages among the Illyri. It is rumored that Earth is lost to the Others. The Nairene Sisterhood has a new leader, with her own plans for the future of her race. Now Syl and Paul, teenagers in a deadly adult world, must find a way to change the course of history and save the lives of billions.)
- Druon, Maurice -- The King without a Kingdom \$14.99 (Accursed Kings #7: John II has taken the throne. Under this vain, cruel, incompetent monarch, the Hundred Years War escalates, and England and France begin to tear each other apart.)
- Elliott, Will -- World's End \$26.99 (Pendulum #3: Shilen, a dragon cloaked in human form, has convinced Eric and Aziel to help free the dragons from their sky-prison. She promises great power, and safety for Eric's people, but she has an ulterior motive. Levaal is facing the final battle in this age-old war between worlds and forces.)
- Flint, Eric (ed) -- Grantville Gazette VII \$7.99 (Ring of Fire: Anthology. Alternate history stories about the 20th-century American town of Grantville, which was hurled back to Europe in the middle of the Thirty Years War.)
- Freer, Dave -- Changeling's Island \$10.99
 (PBO; Ages 12 and up. After getting into
 trouble, Tim is sent to stay on a remote island
 with his grandmother. The island is alive with
 magic land magic Tim can feel in his bones,

and sea magic that runs in his blood. And if Tim can survive the dangers he faces there, he may be able to claim the changeling heritage that is his birthright.)

- Green, Jonathan -- Terrible Lizards \$9.99
 (Doctor Who: Ages 9 and up. The Eleventh Doctor
 and his friends join a group of explorers on a
 Victorian tramp steamer in the Florida
 Everglades. The explorers are searching for the
 Fountain of Youth, but neither they nor the
 treasure they seek are quite what they seem.)
- Grey, Jacob -- Ferals \$6.99 (Ages 8 and up. For years, Caw has lived on the streets with only a group of crows for company, never knowing why he can understand them. When he rescues a girl from vicious escaped convicts, he discovers others like him: ferals who can speak to certain animals. Caw must master abilities he never knew he had, and prepare to defeat a darkness he never could have imagined.)
- Groening, Matt -- Bart Simpson: Master of Disaster \$15.99 (Full color graphic novel. Reprints several issues of the comic book.)
- Gunn, James -- Transgalactic \$26.99 (Riley and Asha now possess intellectual and physical powers that set them above human limitations, but the machine has transported them to two separate planets. They know that together they can change the galaxy, so they attempt the impossible - finding each other among billions of possible planets.)

- Harris, Charlaine -- Day Shift \$9.99 (Midnight, Texas #2: Olivia Charity is an enigma. She lives with the vampire Lemuel, but no one knows what she does. They only know that she's beautiful and dangerous - and she's just the kind of person psychic Manfred Bernardo needs on his side, now that he's been accused of murder.)
- Herbert, Brian -- The Little Green Book of Chairman Rahma \$15.99 (The environment has been saved, pollution banned and reversed. The US is ruled by a dictatorship, but cracks are beginning to show in the Chairman's control, with new weapons being developed by corporations fighting back, foreign alliances making inroads in US influence, and reports of mutants filtering through the government's censorship.)
- Holt, Nathalia -- Rise of the Rocket Girls \$27.00 (In the 1940s and 1950s, when the Jet Propulsion Laboratory needed mathematicians, they recruited an elite group of women who transformed rocket design, helped bring about the first US satellites, and made space exploration possible. This is their story, based on extensive research and interviews with all the living members of the team.)
- Hoover, P.J. -- Tut: The Story of My Immortal Life \$9.99 (Ages 8 and up. You'd think it would be great being an immortal Egyptian demigod, but if Tut has to sit through eighth grade one more time, he'll mummify himself. And if he can't find a way to keep out of the

clutches of General Horemheb and the Cult of Set, he'll never make it to the afterworld alive.)

- Howey, Hugh -- Shift \$15.95 Trade PB, \$28.00 HC (Silo #2: 2007: At almost the same moment, humanity discovered the means for bringing about its utter downfall, and the ability to forget it ever happened, thanks to a new pill that can wipe out the memory of any traumatic event.)
- Howey, Hugh -- Dust \$15.95 Trade PB, \$28.00 HC (Silo #3: Juliette, now mayor of Silo 18, doesn't trust Silo 1, especially its leader Donald. Donald may not be the monster Juliette thinks he is, and may in fact be the key to humanity's continued survival. But can they work together long enough to succeed?)
- Hunter, Faith -- Shadow Rites \$7.99 (Jane Yellowrock #10: PBO; When Jane's house is magically attacked, the search for her assailants turns up a long-missing master vampire - chained in a pit, raving mad, with two human bodies. It's up to Jane to find out who kept the vamp hidden and why, before the incident leads to an all-out arcane war.)
- Jacka, Benedict -- Burned \$7.99 (Alex Verus #7: PBO; One of Alex's enemies on the Council of Mages is angry enough to have him and his friends executed. Now Alex has a week to figure out how to disassociate himself from his friends, scrounge up Council allies, and keep his head attached to his body.)

- Jennings, Holly -- Arena \$26.00 (The Virtual Gaming League pits the best gamers against each other in fights to the death, broadcast to millions. Although the weapons and armor are digital, the pain is real. And Kali Ling, the first woman to captain a team, is beginning to realize that the VGL has dark secrets.)
- Jordan/Dixon et al -- The Eye of the World Volume 6 graphic novel \$19.99 (Wheel of Time GN #1F: Full color graphic novel. Issues 31-35 of the adaptation of the fantasy novel.)
- King, Stephen -- Finders Keepers \$9.99 (Bill Hodges #2: Young Pete Saubers has found a treasure trove: cash and notebooks stolen from iconic author John Rothstein, who was murdered years ago. It's up to Bill Hodges, Holly Gibney, and Jerome Robinson to rescue Pete and his family from Rothstein's deranged and vengeful killer.)
- Krinard, Susan -- Battlestorm \$15.99 (Midgard #3: PBO; Mist is at the center of a new war, with Earth's fate hanging in the balance. As old enemies and allies reappear, can she figure out who to trust?)
- Lackey, M/Martin, C -- Silence \$25.00 (Serrated Edge #9: When her father remarries, Staci is sent to stay with her mother in Silence, Maine. The only bright spots in the town are a friendly waitress at the diner, and a bookstore where Staci meets geeks and gamers. But there are terrible plots afoot in Silence,

and Staci is about to find herself caught up in the middle of it all.)

- Leicht, M/Neal, I -- The World Forgot \$7.99 (Ever-Expanding Universe #3: Ages 14 and up. After dealing with killer whales, evil scientists, the return of her long-lost mother, and the challenges of breastfeeding, Elvie has just about had it. And then her mom and the Jin'Kai kidnap her baby. While trying to get her back, Elvie learns that Mars may hold the secret to defeating her enemies once and for all, so off to Mars she goes.)
- Lies, Brian -- Bats at the Beach \$6.99 (Ages 4 and up. Full color picture book. The bats spend a moonlit night having fun at the beach.)
- Lovegrove, James -- World of Water \$7.99 (Dev Harmer #2: PBO; On an ocean world, Terran Diaspora settlements have been coming under attack by members of the planet's sub-aquatic indigenes. And as Dev battles to restore order, an ancient god-beast rises from the depths to usher in an apocalypse.)
- Luper, Eric -- Star Trek Mad Libs \$4.99 (Ages 8 and up. Collection of fill-in-theblanks word games.)
- MacAlister, Katie -- Dragon Soul \$7.99 (Dragon Fall #3: PBO; A trip to Europe with an octogenarian client puts Sophea in the arms of a smoldering, dark-haired stranger - who insists that Sophea is some kind of dragon.)

McGuire, Seanan -- Every Heart a Doorway

\$17.99 (Novella. Children have always disappeared - into wardrobes, down rabbit holes - and emerged elsewhere. But magical lands have little need for used-up children. The children at Eleanor West's Home for Wayward Children understand all too well. But Nancy's arrival marks a change at the Home. When tragedy strikes, it's up to Nancy and her new friends to get to the heart of things.)

Merciel, Liane -- Hellknight \$14.99
 (Pathfinder Tales: PBO; Novel based on the
game.)

- Munson, Sam -- The War Against the Assholes \$15.99 (An everyman with a moral code who is unafraid of violence, Mike finds himself serving as steadfast soldier when he's unwittingly recruited into a secret cell of magicians who use willpower in their clandestine war with the establishment.)
- Newton, Mark Charan -- Drakenfeld \$14.95 (Sun Chamber Officer Lucan Drakenfeld has been called home to Tryum, where the King's sister has been found murdered in a locked temple. Drakenfeld must separate superstition from certainty to solve the case.)
- Orullian, Peter -- Trial of Intentions \$9.99 (Vault of Heaven #2: The Veil has become weak, and creatures of Nightmare have come through. To fight them, the races of men must form a great alliance, but there is dissent.)

- Passarella, John -- Cold Fire \$7.99
 (Supernatural: PBO; Novel based on the TV
 series.)
- Pollock, Tom -- The City's Son \$12.99 (Skyscraper Throne #1: Ages 12 and up. Teenage graffiti artist Beth meets Filius, the ragged crown prince of London's underworld - where glassy spiders steal voices on telephone wires, railwraiths terrorize the train tubes, and deadly scaffwolves stalk the shadows - and is caught up in his battle against Reach, the malign god of demolition.)
- Reynolds, Anthony -- Kharn: Eater of Worlds \$16.00 (Warhammer 40,000: Space Marines: PBO; The Heresy is over, and the World Eaters Legion needs a leader. Their great hero Kharn lies in a coma, but will his awakening save them, or doom them entirely?)
- Richards, Justin -- Blood Red City \$26.99 (Never War #2: The alien Vril are waking, and Colonel Brinkman and his team at Station Z desperately need answers. But the information doesn't come easily as the Nazis step up their own project to exploit Vril technology. Meanwhile, Leo Davenport struggles to solve an ancient mystery in Greece, and Major Pentecross must travel to the world's most dangerous city to track down the one man who can help.)
- Riordan, Rick -- Demigods & Magicians \$14.99 (Ages 10 and up. Collection. Magic, monsters, and mayhem abound as Percy Jackson and Annabeth Chase meet Carter and Sadie Kane in these crossover stories.)

- Riordan, Rick -- The Blood of Olympus \$9.99 (Heroes of Olympus #5: Ages 10 and up. How can a handful of young demigods hope to persevere against Gaea's army of powerful giants? As dangerous as it is to head to Athens, they have no other option. If Gaea wakes, it is game over.)
- Rogers, Cam -- Zero State \$14.99 (Quantum Break: Novelization of the game/show.)
- Salvatore, R.A. -- Maestro \$27.95 (Forgotten Realms: Homecoming #2: Something unspeakable has come to Menzoberranzan and is leaving death and destruction in its wake.)
- Sederholm/Weinstock (ed) -- The Age of Lovecraft \$24.95 (Analysis of Lovecraft in relation to 21st-century critical theory and culture, delving into troubling aspects in his thoughts and writing.)
- Sniegoski, Thomas E. -- The Demonists \$15.00
 (Demonist #1: PBO; Exorcist John Fogg and
 psychic medium Theodora Knight know what lurks
 in the shadows, but even they are not prepared
 when an ancient evil plans to make Earth its
 battlefield.)
- Stewart, Alex -- Shooting the Rift \$16.00
 (PBO; Cast out by his family and exiled, Simon
 must make a new life for himself apprenticed to
 the Commerce Guild. But others aboard his
 merchant vessel have a hidden agenda that might
 lead to interstellar war.)

- Sykes, Sam -- The Mortal Tally \$15.99 (Bring Down Heaven #2: PBO; As his companions struggle to keep the city of Cier'Djaal from destroying itself, Lenk travels to the Forbidden East in search of the demon who caused it all - but the demon's dark whispers plague his thoughts, and Lenk finds it hard not to listen.)
- Taylor, Travis S. -- Trail of Evil \$7.99 (Tau Ceti #4: An expedition to hunt down remnant weaponry platforms left by the brilliant, mad AI Copernicus uncovers something far more sinister: Copernicus has left behind bases defended by mecha-warriors - and an even more dangerous AI may have formed an alliance with something else out there, planning to wipe humanity from the galaxy forever.)
- Thorpe, Gav -- The Emperor Expects \$17.50 (Warhammer 40,000: The Beast Arises #3: As ork ships lay waste to world after world, heading for Terra, the High Lords become desperate to prove that victory is possible, no matter the cost, and a massive Navy fleet is assembled to strike the orks at Port Sanctus.)
- Thorpe, Gav/Werner, C.L. -- Doom of the Elves: The Curse of Khaine / Deathblade \$19.00 (Warhammer: End Times: Omnibus reprint. 2 novels.)
- Tolkien, J.R.R. -- The Story of Kullervo \$25.00 (First publication of a previously unknown work of fantasy, the story of a luckless orphan boy with supernatural powers and a tragic destiny.)

Tomlinson, Patrick S. -- Trident's Forge \$7.99 (Children of a Dead Earth #2: PBO; First contact between humans and Tau Ceti G's indigenous G'tel goes catastrophically wrong, visiting death on both sides, and rumors swirl that the massacre was no accident. Bryan Benson partners with G'tel truth-digger Kexx to investigate.)

Tucker, Mike -- Rain of Terror \$9.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; Ages 9 and up. On the planet Xirrinda, terrifying tiny creatures swarm down from the sky. Can the Doctor, Amy, and Rory help the colonists escape from the alien infestation?)

Valentine, Genevieve -- Persona \$14.99 (Suyana, Face of the United Amazonia Rainforest Confederation, wasn't expecting an assassination attempt. Young paparazzo Daniel jumps into the fray, telling himself it's not altruism, it's the scoop. Now Suyana and Daniel are on the run - a race to save her life, spin the story, and secure the future of her young country.)

- Vande Velde, Vivian -- 23 Minutes \$16.95 (Ages 12 and up. One day Zoe ducks into a savings and loan to get out of the rain, and witnesses a robbery gone horrifyingly wrong. Can she use her unique ability, to jump 23 minutes back in time and repeat events, to become the hero she doesn't believe she can be?)
- Wells, Martha -- The Edge of Worlds \$24.99 (Raksura #4: The groundlings have found a

sealed ancient city near the deeps of the impassable Ocean. They believe it to be the last home of their ancestors, and ask for Raksura help to get inside. But the Raksura fear it was built by the Forerunners - and the last sealed Forerunner city they encountered was a prison for an unstoppable evil.)

- Wendig, Chuck -- Aftermath \$9.99 (Star Wars: Journey to Star Wars: The Force Awakens: The second Death Star is destroyed, the Emperor and Darth Vader are rumored to be dead. Across the galaxy, some systems celebrate, while in others Imperial factions tighten their grip. While the Rebel Alliance engages the fractured forces of the Empire, a lone Rebel scout discovers a secret Imperial meeting.)
- Williams, Conrad (ed) -- Dead Letters \$14.95 (Anthology. Original horror, fantasy, and speculative fiction stories, each inspired by an inhabitant of the Dead Letters Office, final repository of the undelivered.)
- Wingrove, David -- The Empire of Time \$16.95 (Roads to Moscow #1: There is only the war. Otto Behr is a German agent, fighting his Russian counterparts across three millennia, manipulating history for moments in time that can change everything.)

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Anderson/McFetridge (ed) -- 2113 \$16.95 (Anthology. Stories, mostly sf but also some fantasy and thrillers, inspired by the music of Rush, as well as the seminal stories that inspired a couple of their songs.)

- Annandale, David -- The Last Wall \$17.50 (Warhammer 40,000: The Beast Arises #4: Despite the Imperium's best attempts to stop them, an ork attack moon now hangs over Terra. In a last-ditch attempt to destroy it, a proletarian crusade is launched.)
- Aryan, Stephen -- Bloodmage \$16.99 (Age of Darkness #2: PBO; The people of Perizzi have survived the battlemage war, but their future looks darker than ever. Watchmen, spies, assassins, and criminals will clash on the streets.)

Beddor, F/Kress, A -- Ghost in the Hatbox \$17.99 (Hatter Madigan: Ages 9 and up. Combat training! Secret societies! Self-serving rivals! Welcome to Wonderland's academy, training ground for those born to protect the queendom. Hatter and his fellow cadets must unlock the mysteries behind the ghosts he's seen lurking in the corridors before the entire student body finds itself possessed.)

Burgis, Stephanie -- Masks and Shadows \$17.00 (1779: Charlotte von Steinbeck must overcome the ingrained rules of her society to uncover the secrets lurking within the Eszterhaza Palace, where music, magic, and blackmail mingle in a plot to assassinate the Habsburg Emperor and Empress.)

- Chappell, Fred -- A Shadow All of Light \$27.99 (In a province where human shadows are powerful commodities, young Falco becomes apprentice to shadow thief Maestro Astolfo, in this tale of conmen, monsters, ingenious detection, cats, and pirates.)
- Cline, Ernest -- Armada \$16.00 (It's just another day of high school for Zack Lightman, until he glances out the window and spots a UFO straight out of the videogame he plays every night. Now Zack's skills - and those of millions of gamers across the world - are going to be needed to save Earth. But Zack wonders. Doesn't something about this scenario seem a bit too familiar?)
- Conley, Darby -- I'm Gluten Furious \$18.99 (Get Fuzzy: PBO; Comic strips featuring human Rob Wilco, deranged feline Bucky, and mildmannered, clueless pooch Satchel.)
- Erikson, Steven -- Fall of Light \$29.99 (Malazan: Kharkanas #1: The commoners' great hero, Vatha Urusander, is being promoted by his followers to take Mother Dark's hand in marriage, but Lord Draconus stands in the way of such ambitions. The impending clash sends fissures throughout the realm.)
- Feldman, Marty -- Eye Marty \$24.95 (The newly discovered autobiography of the comic genius.)
- Gomez, Jewelle -- The Gilda Stories \$16.95 (In 1850s Louisiana, Gilda escapes slavery and learns about freedom while working in a

brothel. Initiated into eternal life by sharing blood with two women there, Gilda spends the next two centuries looking for a place to call home.)

- Gonzales, Manuel -- The Regional Office Is Under Attack! \$28.00 (In a world beset by forces of darkness, the Regional Office and its coterie of superpowered female assassins protect the globe from annihilation. Now the Regional Office is under attack.)
- Gorey, E/Chess, V -- Fletcher and Zenobia \$14.95 (Reissue; Ages 5 and up. Fletcher the cat is stuck in a tree, where strange things are beginning to happen.)
- Guran, Paula (ed) -- Street Magicks \$15.95 (Anthology. Stories where wizards walk the streets, monsters lurk in the alleys, demons prowl or strut, doors open to places full of enchantment or seething with sorcery, and truly dead ends abound.)
- Haley, Guy -- The Emperor's Railroad \$12.99 (Dreaming Cities #1: PBO; Novella. A thousand years ago, global war and plague brought civilization to a standstill. Now conflict between city states is constant, superstition is rife, and machine relics, mutant creatures, and resurrected prehistoric beasts trouble the land. Watching over all are the silent Dreaming Cities. Homes of the angels, bastion outposts of heaven on Earth. Or so the church claims. Very few go in, and nobody ever comes out.)

- Hand, Elizabeth -- Hard Light \$25.99 (Cass Neary #3: When offbeat photographer Cass Neary's lover Quinn, who is wanted by both Interpol and the Russian mob, misses their rendezvous in London, Cass fears she'll be the next to disappear, and goes on the run.)
- Harkey, Faith -- Genuine Sweet \$6.99 (Ages 9 and up. 12-year-old Genuine Sweet is hardworking but poor, able to grant anyone's wishes - except her own. Then new friends help her give her family a boost, and life finally seems to be on the mend. But when unexpected trouble arrives, she must puzzle out the difference between wishing for a better life and building one.)
- Harrison, Kim -- The Drafter \$7.99 (Peri Reed #1: Detroit, 2030: Peri Reed has a rare skill for altering time, but forgets both the history she changed and the history she rewrote. Then she finds her name on a list of corrupt government operatives - her own life has been manipulated by the covert agency that trained her. Her memory of the previous three years erased, she joins forces with a rogue soldier to piece together the truth about her fateful final task. Her motto has always been to kill only those who kill her first. But with only intuition to guide her, will she have to break her own rule to survive?)
- Hieber, Leanna Renee -- Strangely Beautiful \$20.99 (The author's preferred edition of her first two novels in a single revised volume. Miss Percy Parker can see and communicate with

ghosts. When ancient Greek myths begin playing out in Victorian London, Percy and her new friends and allies at the Athens Academy must overcome their preconceptions and their own histories before they can set the world to rights.)

- Houchins, D/Thomas, S -- Zombie Apocalypse Preparation \$15.00 (Humor. A guide to surviving in an undead world and having fun doing it.)
- Kadrey, Richard -- The Everything Box \$24.99 (Coop specializes in stealing magic objects. When he steals and delivers a small box to a mysterious client, he suddenly finds himself in the company of the Department of Peculiar Science. They tell him the box isn't just a supernatural heirloom - it's a doomsday device. They think. And now everyone is out to get it.)
- King, Wesley -- The Incredible Space Raiders from Space! \$7.99 (Ages 8 and up. One second Jonah is doing his homework. The next, he's sitting on a very cold ship, and a girl is welcoming him to the Incredible Space Raiders, bound for the Dark Zone to save the universe from the Entirely Evil Things. When Raiders start to disappear, Jonah realizes he's going to have to step up and figure out what's going on.)
- Kittredge, Caitlin -- Grim Tidings \$14.99 (Hellhound Chronicles #2: PBO; Ava is now a masterless hellhound. Her friend Leo has found a new life after death - he's the first Grim Reaper in centuries. As they both try to adjust

to their new situations, Ava's past comes back to wreak havoc.)

- Klavan, Andrew -- Werewolf Cop \$15.95 (Zach Adams #1: In pursuit of a European gangster who has taken over the US underworld, detective Zach Adams finds himself in a German forest under a full moon, where a beast assaults him, cursing him forever. Now the soft-spoken cop has innocent blood on his hands - he has killed, and will kill again in the form of a beast who can't be controlled. Before he can free himself, he must solve this mystery: how can you defeat evil when the evil is inside you?)
- Lacey, Josh -- The Dragonsitter \$5.99 (Dragonsitter #1: Ages 7 and up. Eddie agreed to look after Uncle Morton's pet dragon for a week. Now the fridge is empty, the curtains are on fire, and the mailman is fleeing. What's a novice dragonsitter to do?)
- Lacey, Josh -- The Dragonsitter Takes Off \$5.99 (Dragonsitter #2: Ages 7 and up. Eddie thought dragonsitting would be easier the second time, but when Ziggy refuses to budge from the linen closet, Eddie discovers the dragon has been keeping a really big secret.)
- Lund, Dave -- Winchester Undead: Winchester Over / Winchester Prey \$17.99 (First, nuclear detonations over North America destroy the devices of the modern world. Next, an ancient virus is unleashed that steals death from humanity. Bexar Reed and his prepper friends thought they were prepared for anything, but

they never thought the dead would rise to hunt the living.)

- McIntosh, Fiona -- The Whisperer \$7.99 (Ages 8 and up. Lute is a prince, heir to the throne. Griff is a carnival worker who can hear the thoughts of those near him. Then he begins to connect with Lute's mind, even though they have never met and are miles apart. When Lute must run for his life, Griff may be the only one who can help him.)
- O'Ryan, Ray -- Science Fair Disaster \$5.99 (Galaxy Zack #13: Ages 5 and up. When Zack's project for the Intergalactic Science Fair malfunctions, will he be able to get things under control before disaster erupts?)
- Reed, Kit -- Where \$15.99 (In a coastal town, David and Merrill are trying to revive their relationship, and slick developer Rawson is buying up property. Rawson makes a romantic advance on Merrill and a 5am appointment outside town with David. Rawson is a no-show, but at 5am, everyone in town disappears, removed from our space and time to a featureless village. David searches, but all seems lost, for Rawson is in the other village with Merrill.)
- Rice, Anne (Roquelaure) -- Beauty's Kingdom \$16.00 (Sleeping Beauty #4: 20 years after they were forced to leave Bellavalten, Beauty and Lauren agree to travel back as its king and queen, to uphold the ways of complete sensual surrender, but with one change: servitude will now be voluntary.)

- Rowling, JK/Galbraith, R -- Career of Evil \$17.99 (Cormoran Strike #3: PI Strike investigates when a package containing a woman's severed leg is delivered to his assistant Robin Ellacott.)
- Sanders, Rob -- The Honoured \$16.50
 (Warhammer 40,000: Horus Heresy #33: PBO; In
 the aftermath of the Word Bearers' attack on
 Calth, survivors from both sides were driven
 into the subterranean shelters. Now the
 Ultramarines face a new war in the underworld.)
- Sanderson, Brandon -- The Knights of Crystallia \$16.99 (Alcatraz Smedry #3: Reissue; Ages 9 and up. Alcatraz, his father, his best friend Bastille, and his Grandpa Smedry arrive at the Free Kingdom city of Crystallia, only to find it under siege. Can they save the city from being shattered by Evil Librarians?)
- Stanton, Steve -- Freenet \$14.95 (In the far future, information is currency and the truth belongs to whoever has the greatest bandwidth. A crash lands Simara Ying in a cavedwelling culture, with no social network for support, and yanks her rescuer, Zen Valda, into a new universe of complications he can scarcely grasp and an infinite network of data he never knew existed.)
- Swierczynski/DeCandido etc -- Heroes Reborn: Collection 2 \$7.99 (Original short fiction based on the new TV series.)
- Toutonghi, Steve -- Join \$27.00 (A revolutionary technology allows small groups of

minds to unite, forming a single consciousness that experiences the world through multiple bodies. But as two friends discover, the light of that miracle may be blinding the world to its horrors.)

- Turtledove, Harry -- The House of Daniel \$24.99 (A tale of minor league baseball in an alternate Depression-era USA full of wild magic.)
- Wexler, Django -- The Palace of Glass \$16.99 (Forbidden Library #3: Ages 10 and up. The mysterious, magical feline Ending knows of a spell hidden inside the Palace of Glass that would allow Alice to trap her wicked Uncle Geryon - but Ending hasn't told Alice everything.)
- Whedon, J/Valentinelli, M -- The Gorramn
 Shiniest Language Guide and Dictionary in the
 'Verse \$21.95 (Firefly: A language guide
 and phrasebook, incorporating both the history
 of language in the 'Verse and modern usage.)
- White, Edward Lucas -- The Stuff of Dreams \$9.95 (Collection. Weird tales of terror.)
- Wyman/Koch/Mehn -- alt.sherlock.holmes \$9.99 (PBO; Anthology. The Great Detective travels through time to master three new mysteries.)

Early May

- -- If It Fits, I Sits \$12.99 (Captioned photos of cats sitting in improbable places and positions.)
- Abercrombie, Joe -- Sharp Ends \$28.00 (First Law: Collection. Short stories from the world of the First Law.)
- Alten, Steve -- Vostok \$9.99 (In a lake miles below the Antarctic ice cap, marine biologist Zachary Wallace and his team discover Mesozoic life forms long believed extinct, and an object of immense power responsible for the evolution of modern man.)
- Anderson, Taylor -- Straits of Hell \$7.99 (Destroymen #10: Matt Reddy and his crew fight with the Lemurians and the Imperial allies to keep the Grik from reconquering Madagascar. And in the Americas, Don Hernan and the evil Dominion have gathered to annihilate the forces behind the walls of Fort Defiance, even as a shadowy power with its own agenda rises.)
- Asaro, Catherine -- Undercity \$7.99 (Skolian Empire: Major Bhaajan #1: Major Bhaajan has clients with woes - sometimes personal, sometimes galaxy-shattering, and sometimes both. She must sift through the shadows of the dark and dangerous Undercity the enormous capital of a vast star empire - to find answers.)
- Asher, Neal -- War Factory \$26.99 (Polity: Transformation #2: Thorvald Spear continues to hunt rogue AI and dangerous war criminal Penny Royal, following the trail of several enemy

Prador. Penny Royal continues to pull all the strings, keeping the Polity at bay. It seeks a wartime manufacturing space station. But why?)

- Ball, Nate -- Space Invaders \$4.99 (Alien in My Pocket #8: Ages 6 and up. When ships from Amp's home planet fill the sky and threaten Earth, it's up to Zack and Amp to save the planet from alien invasion.)
- Bledsoe, Alex -- Long Black Curl \$15.99 (Tufa #3: Bo-Kate has somehow found her way back, and intends to take over both Tufa tribes. The only one who can stop her is Jefferson Powell, but even he isn't sure what will happen when they finally meet again.)
- Bova, Ben -- Power Surge \$8.99 (Dr. Jake Ross has a comprehensive energy plan to make the US the world's leader in energy production while simultaneously boosting the economy and protecting the environment. Science is on Jake's side, but when his plan runs afoul of entrenched interests, he'll need a crash course in how things really work in Washington, DC.)
- Britain, Kristen -- Mirror Sight \$8.99 (Green Rider #5: Jolted out of Blackveil during a magical confrontation, Karigan wakes to realize she is sealed in a stone sarcophagus. If she escapes, will she find herself in the world she remembers, or somewhere completely different? And if she wins free of her prison, is she walking straight into a trap created by Morhavon?)

Brooks, Terry -- The Darkling Child \$7.99 (Shannara: Defenders of Shannara #2: In a distant corner of the Four Lands, the magic of the wishsong has been detected. Paxon Leah must accompany a Druid emissary to find its source and ensure that the formidable power is not wielded by the wrong hands.)

Bujold, Lois McMaster -- The Warrior's Apprentice \$15.00 (Vorkosigan #3: Reissue; Discharged from the Barrayaran academy after flunking a test of physical strength and stamina, Miles Vorkosigan takes possession of a jumpship, and winds up becoming the leader of a mercenary force that expands to a fleet of treasonous proportions.)

Campbell, J (Hemry, J) -- Leviathan \$7.99 (Lost Fleet: Beyond the Frontier #5: Two Syndic star systems have fallen prey to a fleet of warships controlled entirely by AI. The warships are no mystery to Admiral Geary - they were developed by his government to ensure security, but malfunctioned. And if the Syndics learn the truth, the war with the Alliance will resume with a vengeance.)

Campbell, J (Hemry, J) -- Shattered Spear \$27.00 (Lost Stars #4: As President Gwen Iceni and General Artur Drakon work to establish their new government, an Enigma warship appears and vanishes near a Syndic colony. If the aliens are capable of jumping into other human-occupied systems, billions of people could be vulnerable to an invasion.)

- Chu, Wesley -- Time Salvager \$15.99 (James is a chronman, recruited to undertake dangerous missions into Earth's past to recover resources and treasures without altering the timeline. Most chronmen never reach old age. On his final mission, he meets scientist Elise Kim, who is fated to die. James brings her back to the future with him, making them both fugitives. Remaining free means losing themselves in the poisonous wastes of Earth, and discovering what hope may yet remain for humanity's abandoned homeworld.)
- Coe, David B. -- Shadow's Blade \$26.00 (Justis Fearsson #3: Hired to track down a woman who has disappeared with her two young children, weremyst PI Justis Fearsson finds himself caught up in a deadly race to find both the young family and an ancient weapon that could prove decisive in Phoenix's magical war.)
- Conroy, Robert -- 1882: Custer in Chains \$7.99 (George Armstrong Custer's victory at Little Big Horn propels him into the White House in 1880, where he grows bored and seeks new conquest, fixating on Spain's decaying empire. He doesn't quite comprehend that the US military isn't up to the venture - and unless calmer citizens and soldiers can prevail, this war may be the US's last stand.)
- Danker, Sean -- Admiral \$27.00 (Evagardian #1: He is the last to wake. The label on his sleeper pad identifies him as an Evagardian admiral, surprising him as much as the three recent recruits now under his command. He wears

no uniform and is ignorant of military protocol, but the ship's records confirm he is their superior officer. They are marooned on a strange world, their ship's systems are failing one by one - and they are not alone.)

- de Castell, Sebastian -- Knight's Shadow \$14.99 (Greatcoats #2: The murder of a duke and his family sends Falcio val Mond in pursuit of the killer. But Falcio soon discovers his own life is in danger from a poison administered by an enemy. Falcio has precious little time left to stop those determined to destroy his homeland.)
- Desris, Joe -- Batman: Facts and Stats from the Classic TV Show \$14.99 (A guide to the 1960s TV series. Photos throughout.)
- Dick, Philip K. -- The Minority Report and Other Classic Stories \$16.00 (Reissue; Includes all of his earliest short fiction, covering the years 1954-1964.)
- Dicks, Terrance -- Doctor Who and the Web of Fear \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; The Great Intelligence is back in London, and its robot Yeti are roaming the streets and the underground tunnels. The Second Doctor, Jamie, and Victoria team up with an army unit and their old friend Professor Travers to combat the menace.)
- Dicks, Terrance -- Genesis of the Daleks \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; The Time Lords have a mission for the Fourth Doctor: to prevent the creation of the Daleks, or perhaps

affect their development so they evolve into less aggressive creatures.)

- Everest, D.D. -- Archie Greene and the Magician's Secret \$6.99 (Flame Keepers #1: Ages 8 and up. A mysterious ancient book that arrives on Archie's 12th birthday leads him to relatives he didn't know he had, and to an apprenticeship with the Flame Keepers, who find and preserve magical books. As Archie tries to unravel the mystery behind his book, he discovers that the only thing more perilous than its contents is being its owner.)
- Flint, Eric (ed) -- Ring of Fire IV \$25.00
 (Ring of Fire: Anthology. Original alternate
 history tales set in the world of 1632.)
- Gaiman, N/Zulli, M -- The Facts in the Case of the Departure of Miss Finch \$13.99 (Reissue; Graphic novel. Join a group of friends, with the exacting Miss Finch in tow, as they journey beneath the streets of London for a subterranean spectacle known as The Theatre of Night's Dreaming.)
- Gaiman, Neil -- Chu's Day at the Beach board book \$7.99 (Chu #3: Ages 4 and up. Full color picture book. Chu is excited: his family is going to the beach! He will get to play in the sand and wade in the water. But what will happen if he sneezes at the beach?)
- Gladstone, Max -- Last First Snow \$16.99
 (Craft #4: 40 years after the God Wars,
 Dresediel Lex bears scars, especially in the
 Skittersill, a poor district still bound by the

fallen gods' decaying edicts. As long as the gods' wards last, they strangle development; when they fail, demons will be loosed upon the city. The King in Red hires Elayne to fix the wards, but the Skittersill's people protest, led by Temoc. As Elayne drags Temoc and the King in Red to the bargaining table, old gods stir in their graves and civil blood breaks to new mutiny. Elayne and Temoc must fight conspiracy and dark magic to save the peace or, failing that, to save as many people as they can.)

- Golden, Christie -- Durotan \$7.99 (Warcraft: PBO; Prequel to the movie.)
- Goodman, David A. -- The Autobiography of James
 T. Kirk \$9.99 (Star Trek: The Starfleet
 officer's life in his own words.)
- Gray, Claudia -- Bloodline \$28.00 (Star Wars: New Republic: A prequel set roughly six years before Star Wars: The Force Awakens.)
- Greenfeld, Karl Taro -- The Subprimes \$15.99 (In a future US, a bad credit rating will make you an unemployable Subprime, forced to keep moving to avoid arrest. When a small settlement of Subprimes building an agrarian utopia on a foreclosed exurb is threatened by shale oil extraction, a hero emerges - a woman suspiciously lacking a credit score.)
- Greenwood, Ed -- Spellstorm \$7.99 (Forgotten Realms: Rumors race around Cormyr that the Lost Spell, a powerful enchantment designed centuries ago, has been found by a

magicless merchant, who plans to auction it. Archwizards of every stripe descend upon the merchant, only to be trapped with him inside his manor by a vicious spellstorm, their magic useless because of the interference from the storm. The infamous Elminster of Shadowdale claims he's just there to decide who gets the Lost Spell, but clearly he has an agenda of his own. But before Elminster can put whatever plan he has in motion, archwizards start dying.)

- Hamilton, Laurell K. -- Dead Ice \$7.99 (Anita Blake #24: Someone is producing zombie porn, but the women being victimized aren't mindless, rotting corpses - their souls are trapped behind their eyes, signaling voodoo of the worst sort. It's the sort of case that can leave a mark on a person, and Anita's own soul may not survive unscathed.)
- Harris, Charlaine -- Night Shift \$28.00 (Midnight, Texas #3: At the pawn shop, weapons are flying off the shelves - and being used in suicides at the main crossroads. Working to figure out why blood is being spilled, the vampire Lemuel translates a mysterious text and learns what makes Midnight the town it is. Now the inhabitants must come together to stop the bloodshed before all hell breaks loose.)
- Haydon, Elizabeth -- The Hollow Queen \$8.99 (Symphony of Ages #8: As they struggle to untangle the web of Talquist's treachery, the leaders of the Cymrian Alliance are met with obstacles at every turn.)

- Hearn, Lian -- Emperor of the Eight Islands \$14.00 (Tale of Shikanoko #1: In a mythical medieval Japan, a young aristocrat is dispossessed of his birthright by a scheming uncle, a sorcerer imbues a mask with the spirit of a great stag, a stubborn father forces his son to give up his wife to his older brother, and a powerful priest meddles in the succession of the Lotus Throne.)
- Hegarty, Shane -- The Legends Begin \$7.99 (Darkmouth #1: Ages 8 and up. Darkmouth is a lovely little town - when the monsters aren't rampaging. Now the magical Legends are planning a major attack. Finn's family has protected the town from them for generations, and now it's Finn's turn. Too bad he's the worst Legend Hunter in history.)
- Hendee, Barb -- To Kill a Kettle Witch \$7.99 (Mist-Torn Witches #4: PBO; When a curse destroys Prince Malcolm's harvest, he blames the nomads who summer in the meadow below his castle. Can Celine and Amelie use their magical gifts to save their mother's people and restore life to the ravaged land?)
- Heuvelt, Thomas Olde -- HEX \$25.99 (Welcome to Black Spring, a town haunted by a 17thcentury woman whose eyes and mouth are sewn shut. The elders of Black Spring have isolated the town, using hi-tech surveillance to keep their curse from spreading, but the town's teens have decided to break the strict regulations and go viral with the haunting. In

doing so, they send the town spiraling into dark medieval practices.)

- Hulke, Malcolm -- Doctor Who and the Dinosaur Invasion \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; London has been evacuated after prehistoric monsters appeared in the streets. Can the Third Doctor and the Brigadier unmask the villains behind Operation Golden Age before the history of Earth is changed and human civilization is wiped out?)
- James, Elliott -- In Shining Armor \$15.99 (Pax Arcana #4: PBO; Someone has kidnapped the last surviving descendant of the Grandmaster of the Knights Templar. Even worse, baby Constance is the key to a tenuous alliance between the knights and a werewolf pack. But whoever took her didn't count on one thing: her godfather is John Charming.)
- Koch, Gini -- Camp Alien \$7.99 (Alien #13: PBO; How can an important summit at Camp David go smoothly when Kitty thinks the new president of Iraq is a long-hidden in-control superbeing, and Jeff believes the Israeli Prime Minister is a zombie replacement?)

Kwaymullina, Abmelin -- The Interrogation of Ashala Wolf \$8.99 (Tribe #1: Ages 12 and up. Children with inexplicable abilities -Illegals - are detained by the government 'for the protection of society'. Ashala and her Tribe of fellow Illegals have taken refuge in the Firstwood, a forest eerily conscious of its inhabitants. There they do their best to survive, free to practice their abilities. But when Ashala is compelled to venture outside her territory, she is betrayed by a friend and captured by an enemy.)

- Lackey, Mercedes (ed) -- Nebula Awards Showcase 2016 \$18.00 (PBO; Anthology. Short fiction nominated for the awards, plus excerpts from the winning novels.)
- Lebbon, Tim -- Alien: Invasion \$7.99 (Rage War #2: PBO; Colonial Marines units are being wiped out - and not by the Predators. This is an attack by organized armies of Aliens.)
- Lockwood, Todd -- The Summer Dragon \$26.00 (Maia and her family raise dragons. When the Summer Dragon - one of the legendary High Dragons - makes an appearance in her valley, political factions vie for control of the implied message, threatening Maia's aspirations, aerie, and entire way of life.)
- Maberry, Jonathan -- Kill Switch \$16.99 (Joe Ledger #8: PBO; En route to thwart a terrorist group, a plane crash strands Joe and his combat dog Ghost in the Pacific Northwest wilderness, with no weapons and no way to contact the authorities. And Joe is being hunted - remote viewers are taking over ordinary citizens and turning them into killers.)
- Martin, Philip -- Vengeance on Varos \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; A need for rare Zeiton-7 takes the TARDIS to Varos, a former prison for the criminally insane now ruled by descendants

of the guards. But will the Sixth Doctor and Peri be able to escape the Punishment Dome?)

- Moore, James A. -- The Silent Army \$7.99 (Seven Forges #4: PBO; The final conflict is coming: the Great Wave of the Sa'ba Taalor stands ready to destroy an empire, and the Silent Army is preparing to stop them in their tracks. Caught in the middle are the Fellein empire and the people who have gathered on the battlefield.)
- Murakami, Haruki -- Wind (alternate title: Hear the Wind Sing) / Pinball (alternate title: Pinball, 1973) \$16.00 (New translations of his debut novellas - centered on two young men, an unnamed narrator and his friend and former roommate, the Rat - that are prequels to A Wild Sheep Chase and Dance Dance Dance.)
- Neuvel, Sylvain -- Sleeping Giants \$26.00 (Years ago, a giant metal hand was found in South Dakota, in an underground room with intricate carvings glowing on its wall. Rose Franklin leads a top secret team hoping to crack the hand's code. And, along with her colleagues, she is being interviewed by a nameless interrogator whose power and purview are as enigmatic as the provenance of the artifact.)
- Okorafor, Nnedi -- The Book of Phoenix \$15.00 (Phoenix, whose abilities far exceed those of a normal human, is content to live in New York's Tower 7 with other genetic experiments, until her love takes his own life, and she begins to realize that her home is really her prison. But

that's just the beginning of her story - before it ends, she will travel from the US to Africa and back, and change the entire course of humanity's future.)

- Platt, Marc -- Battlefield \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; Can the Seventh Doctor, Ace, and the Brigadier deal with an incursion by knights from a parallel reality, where technology and magic exist side by side and the legends of King Arthur are fact?)
- Posey, Jay -- Outriders \$7.99 (PBO; A daring hostage rescue by the Outriders uncovers intel about an imminent terrorist attack, but despite their warnings, the attack goes off unhindered. And when they learn the reasons why, the Outriders find themselves tasked with stopping a war that hasn't started yet.)
- Priest, Cherie -- I Am Princess X \$9.99 (Ages 12 and up. Libby drew the pictures, May wrote the tales, and Princess X had all the adventures their young imaginations could conjure. Then the car Libby was in went off a bridge, and Princess X died with her. Years later, May is 16 when she sees a Princess X sticker in a shop window, and learns about the Princess X webcomic. She discovers disturbing similarities between Libby's story and the comic. Only one person could have started this phenomenon: Libby.)
- Pulley, Natasha -- The Watchmaker of Filigree Street \$16.00 (1884: Thaniel enters his London apartment to find a new watch on his pillow. Six months later, when the watch saves

his life, warning him of a blast that destroys Scotland Yard, he goes in search of its maker -Mori, a Japanese immigrant who remembers the future.)

- Reeves-Stevens, J & G -- Wraith \$25.99 (Ghosts have been weaponized, and now a Russian general has infiltrated the US with an army that can't be killed - because they're already dead.)
- Remic, Andy -- Twilight of the Dragons \$7.99 (Blood Dragon Empire #2: PBO; The heroes make dangerous bargains in order to overthrow the dragonlords and their Dragon Engines.)
- Rhodes, Jewell Parker -- Bayou Magic \$6.99 (Ages 8 and up. Maddy is spending the summer with her grandmother on the bayou. As she grows to love the landscape, and her grandmother shares wisdom, Maddy realizes she may be the one to carry on her family's magical legacy. When an oil spill threatens the bayou, Maddy knows she may be the only one who can help.)
- Riordan, Rick -- The Hidden Oracle \$19.99 (Trials of Apollo #1: Ages 10 and up. After angering Zeus, Apollo is cast down from Olympus, landing in New York City as a teenage boy. Without his godly powers, he must learn to survive in the modern world. He needs help, and he'll seek it at Camp Half-Blood.)
- Robinson, Kim Stanley -- Aurora \$9.99 (Our voyage from Earth began generations ago. Now, we approach our destination. A new home. Aurora.)

- Ruby, Laura -- Bone Gap \$9.99 (Ages 14 and up. Printz Award winner, National Book Award finalist. Everyone knows Bone Gap is full of gaps - to trip you up, or to slide through so you disappear forever. So when Roza went missing, people weren't surprised. But Finn knows she was kidnapped, ripped from the fields by a dangerous man whose face he cannot remember.)
- Saward, Eric -- The Visitation \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; When the Fifth Doctor and his friends land in 1666 England, they must stop the alien Terileptils from causing chaos.)
- Smaill, Anna -- The Chimes \$26.99 (After a brutal civil war, London is divided, with slums standing next to a walled city for the elite. Chimes are played morning and night to mute memory and keep citizens trapped in ignorance. Simon, a young orphan, arrives in London and finds a new place in a gang of scavengers. His unique gift for retaining memories will lead him to discover a great wrong, and embroil him in a struggle for justice and freedom.)
- Smith, Clark Ashton -- A Vintage from Atlantis
 \$17.99 (Collected Fantasies #3: 3rd of 5
 volumes collecting all of his tales of fantasy,
 horror, and sf in chronological order.)
- Stirling, S.M. (ed) -- The Change: Tales of Downfall and Rebirth \$16.00 (Change: Anthology. 16 works of short fiction set in the Emberverse.)

- Strutton, Bill -- Doctor Who and the Zarbi \$7.99 (Doctor Who: Reissue; The First Doctor and his friends find themselves trapped on the planet of Vortis, where the inhabitants are being controlled by the parasitic alien Animus.)
- Ward, Dayton -- Elusive Salvation \$7.99 (Star Trek: PBO; 1845: Fleeing tyranny, aliens crashland on Earth. 2283: Admiral Kirk meets with an alien emissary seeking members of their race thought to have gone missing on Earth centuries ago. 1970: Roberta Lincoln, protege of mysterious agent Gary Seven, is shocked when she receives a request for help from the future.)
- Ware, Danie -- Ecko Rising \$7.99 (Ecko #1: In a futuristic London where technological body modification is the norm, Ecko is a testament to the extreme capabilities of his society, driven half mad by the systems running his body. He works as a criminal for hire, no job is too dangerous or insane. When a mission goes wrong and Ecko finds himself catapulted across dimensions into a peaceful and unadvanced society living in fear of 'magic', he must confront his own perceptions of reality and his place within it.)
- Weber, David -- Sword of the South \$18.00 (First in a new series set in the Bahzell Bahnakson / War God universe. Kenhodan, a swordsman who has been robbed of his past, must confront an evil wizard with a world at stake.)

- Wells, Dan -- Over Your Dead Body \$14.99 (John Wayne Cleaver #5: John and Brooke are hitchhiking as they hunt the last of the Withered through the Midwest, but the Withered are hunting them back, and the FBI is close behind, as they get closer to a vicious killer who defies every principle of profiling and prediction John knows.)
- West, Michelle -- Oracle \$8.99 (House War #6: The Sleepers are waking. House Terafin has already felt the consequences of their stirring. To save the city and her House, Jewel Markess ATerafin must go to face the Oracle. But ancient creatures stalk winter skies at the behest of the demons, who mean to ensure that she will never reach the Oracle's side.)
- William, Eli K.P. -- Cash Crash Jubilee \$15.99 (Jubilee #1: In near-future Tokyo, every action - from blinking to sex - is intellectual property owned by corporations that charge licensing fees via a computer implanted in each citizen. Amon's job is to capture bankrupt citizens. He's doing well, until he is asked to cash crash a model citizen, then finds himself charged for an incredibly expensive action, jubilee, that he is sure he never performed. To restore balance to his account, Amon must unravel the secret of jubilee, but finds himself asking dangerous questions, with the investigation dragging him closer to bankruptcy.)
- Wilson, Robert Charles -- The Affinities \$15.99 (Adam Fisk takes a suite of tests to

see if he qualifies for any of the Affinities social groups based on new analytical technologies that assess your genetic, behavioral, and brain-mapping characteristics to identify the people with whom you can best cooperate. He finds that he's a match for Tau. Problems in all areas of his life begin to sort themselves out as he becomes part of a global network of people dedicated to helping one another. But as the different Affinities put their new powers to the test, they chip away at the power of all the old institutions of the world. Then the Affinities begin to go to war with one another. What happens next will change Adam and his world.)

- Yolen, J/Guay, R -- The Last Dragon \$12.99 (Ages 12 and up. Full color graphic novel. 200 years ago, humans vanquished the dragons of the islands of May. Now, the last of the dragons rises to wreak havoc anew - with only a healer's daughter and a kite-flying would-be hero standing in its way.)
- Zahn, Timothy -- Cobra Outlaw \$7.99 (Cobra Rebellion #2: On the planet Aventine, the Brooms' homeworld, Paul Broom has been taken prisoner by Commodore Santeros, an implacable operative of the Dominion of Man. Elsewhere on Aventine, rebellion is brewing against the Dominion, with outlaw Cobra warriors Lorne and Jody Broom in the vanguard. Meanwhile, Cobra Jason Broom seeks information on Troft factions, hoping to identify moderate elements to save the Cobra worlds and head off interstellar war.)

Zelazny, Roger -- Jack of Shadows \$15.99 (Reissue; In a world half light, half darkness, where science and magic strive for dominance, there dwells a magical being who is friendly with neither side. When Jack, a thief of the realm of shadows, is unjustly punished, he embarks on a vendetta that takes him through strange realms.)

Mid May

Annandale, David -- The Unburdened \$16.50 (Warhammer 40,000: Horus Heresy #34: PBO; The Battle for Calth continues in the haunted shadows of the planet's underworld.)

Annandale, David -- Pyres of Armageddon \$16.00 (Warhammer 40,000: Yarrick #2: The Imperial forces are faced with an overwhelming ork attack on Armageddon. As battle rages, Yarrick and his allies lead the defense. He will not let the planet fall, even if that means incurring the wrath of Armageddon's corrupt Overlord.)

Ashby, Madeline -- Company Town \$24.99 (Hwa is the last person without bio-engineered enhancements on a city-sized oil rig owned by the Lynch family. Her prowess as a fighter gets her a job training the youngest Lynch, but can she provide protection against death threats that seem to come from another timeline?)

- Barker, Clive -- The Scarlet Gospels \$16.99 (Long-beleaguered detective Harry D'Amour, investigator of supernatural, magical, and malevolent crimes, faces off against his formidable and intensely evil rival, Pinhead, the priest of hell.)
- Bear, Greg -- Just Over the Horizon \$16.99
 (Complete Short Fiction #1: 13 stories and a
 screenplay.)
- Bear, Greg -- Far Thoughts and Pale Gods
 \$15.99 (Complete Short Fiction #2: 6 works of
 short fiction, newly revised by the author,
 plus new introductions, commentary, and
 reminiscences.)
- Bear, Greg -- Beyond the Farthest Suns \$15.99
 (Complete Short Fiction #3: 7 works of short
 fiction, newly revised by the author.)
- Cambias, James L. -- Corsair \$15.99 (Robotic mining in space is becoming a lucrative part of Earth's economy. Elizabeth works in intelligence to prevent international space piracy, while David works to nudge shipments far enough off target that his thieving employers can legally claim them in the open sea. As they fight for dominance of the computer systems controlling ore drop placement, they end up in a world of trouble.)
- Corey, James S.A. -- Nemesis Games \$16.99 (Expanse #5: As colonists leave, the power structures of the old solar system begin to buckle. Ships disappear, private armies are formed, the last protomolecule sample is

stolen, terrorist attacks bring the inner planets to their knees. James Holden and his crew struggle to survive and get back to the only home they have left.)

- Counter, Ben -- The World Engine \$17.00 (Warhammer 40,000: Space Marine Battles: PBO; The Astral Knights Space Marine Chapter undertakes a daring plan to destroy the planetsized super weapon that is devastating the Vidar sector.)
- Davis, Jim -- Garfield Chickens Out \$14.00 (Garfield #61: Full color comic strips.)
- Dunn, Georgia -- Breaking Cat News \$12.99 (PBO; Collection of the charming and funny webcomic, featuring three cat reporters (complete with microphones and neckties) covering the news that matters to cats.)
- Fry, Jason -- Curse of the Iris \$6.99
 (Jupiter Pirates #2: Ages 8 and up. As the
 three Hashoone siblings continue to compete for
 the captain's seat on their family's spaceship,
 they intercept a ship with a long-dead crew.
 Following clues from the mysterious ship, they
 embark on a hunt for a long-lost treasure that
 their great-grandfather had a hand in hiding.)
- Gaiman, N/Reaves, M -- Eternity's Wheel \$9.99 (InterWorld #3: Ages 13 and up. Joey Harker never wanted to be a leader, but he's the one everyone is looking to as the FrostNight looms. Can he find a way to save InterWorld, the Multiverse, and everything in between?)

- Gilman, Carolyn Ives -- Dark Orbit \$15.99 (Scientists are investigating a strange new habitable planet when a crew member is murdered and team member Thora disappears. The planet, thought to be uninhabited, is in fact home to a sightless sentient species, whose members navigate their world with a bizarre vocabulary and extrasensory perceptions. Lost in the planet's crevasses among these people, Thora must learn to comprehend the natives in order to find the crew and warn them of impending danger. But her most difficult task may lie in persuading them that some powers lie beyond the boundaries of science.)
- Haley, Guy -- Throneworld \$17.50 (Warhammer 40,000: The Beast Arises #5: With an ork attack moon over Terra and ork armadas ravaging human space, the Adeptus Astartes, armed with the knowledge of how to defeat the orks, must travel back to Terra through a galaxy teaming with them.)
- Hemstreet, Patrick -- The God Wave \$24.99 (A neuroscientist has discovered the key to accessing the incredible power dormant in the untapped portion of the human brain. He has elevated the brain function of his test subjects to 'godlike' levels - and a group of power brokers is determined to control these new superbeings for their own ends.)
- Henson, J/Jones, B -- **Jim Henson** \$20.00 (A biography of the creative genius behind the Muppets.)

Hill, Joe -- The Fireman \$28.99

(Dragonscale, a spore that marks its hosts with black and gold marks, and eventually causes them to burst into flames, is spreading. As communities collapse in terror, the Fireman strolls the ruins of New Hampshire. A madman infected with Dragonscale, he has learned to control the fire within himself, using it as a shield to protect the hunted - and as a weapon to avenge the wronged; Signed copies expected)

- Holyoke, Polly -- The Neptune Challenge \$7.99 (Neptune #2: Ages 10 and up. To rescue two of their friends, Nere, her loyal dolphins, and the other Neptune kids must infiltrate a kidnapper's undersea base. When Nere discovers that the secret to saving the world's oceans is hidden there, she and her friends will risk everything to find it.)
- Howard, Kat -- Roses and Rot \$24.99 (When Imogen and her sister are accepted to an elite post-grad arts program, they soon realize there's more to the school than meets the eye. Imogen might be living in the fairy tale she's dreamed about, but if she decides to escape her past to find her heart's desire, it will pit her against her sister.)
- Howard, Martin -- Pranks a Lot! \$4.99 (Shaun the Sheep: Tales from Mossy Bottom Farm: Ages 5 and up. A series of pranks pits Shaun and Bitzer the sheepdog against each other. Who will get the last laugh in this contest of retaliation?)

Hurt, Bryan (ed) -- Watchlist \$16.95 (Anthology. Fiction writers from around the globe respond to, meditate on, and mine for inspiration the surveillance culture in which we live.)

- Irvine, Alex -- X-Men: Days of Future Past \$7.99 (In a post-apocalyptic future, the killing machines known as the Sentinels rule America with an iron fist. Almost all mutants, both superheroes and villains, have been exterminated. Of the handful remaining, most are in concentration camps. Kate Pryde must travel back in time to warn the original X-Men of the coming danger.)
- Irvine, Ian -- The Summon Stone \$16.99
 (Gate of Good & Evil #1: The Merdrun are
 gathering in the void. On Santhenar, their
 summon stone is corrupting people and turning
 arcane places into magically polluted
 wastelands. If it is not destroyed, it will
 create a portal and call the Merdrun through.)
- Jodorowsky, Alejandro -- Albina and the Dog-Men \$14.99 (A tale of love against the odds and the things that make us human, woven through a fabric of killer bees, enchanted parrots, witches, prostitutes, midgets, omnisexual couplings, and men turned canine by lust.)
- Kay, Guy Gavriel -- Children of Earth and Sky \$27.00 (When the Grand Khalif sends out his massive army to take the great fortress that is the gateway to the western world, lives intertwine and fates hang in the balance in the lands where empires and faiths collide.)

- Kirby, Matthew J. -- The Arctic Code \$6.99 (Dark Gravity #1: Ages 8 and up. Earth's glaciers are advancing at an alarming rate, and no one knows why. When Eleanor's climatologist mother disappears on a research expedition, Eleanor sets out for the Arctic to find out what happened to her.)
- Maberry, Jonathan -- The Orphan Army \$7.99 (Nightsiders #1: Ages 8 and up. Lately, the Witch of the World has been haunting Milo's dreams, saying he is destined to be the hero who saves everyone from the monsters that ravage Earth. The Nightsiders, magical creatures who prefer shadow to sunlight, are already fighting back, and they're ready to find an ally in Milo.)
- McNeill, Graham -- The Last Phoenix: Fulgrim / Angel Exterminatus \$19.00 (Warhammer 40,000: Horus Heresy Omnibus #2: Omnibus reprint. 2 novels plus related short fiction.)
- Moore, Christopher -- Secondhand Souls \$15.99 Trade PB, \$19.99 Unabridged Audio CDs (Charlie Asher #2: In San Francisco, people are dying, but their souls are not being collected, and death merchant Charlie Asher is just as flummoxed as everyone else. A motley crew of heroes bands together to get to the bottom of this abomination: death merchant Minty Fresh; cop turned bookseller Alphonse Rivera; the Emperor of San Francisco and his dogs Bummer and Lazarus; and former Goth girl Lily. Now if only they can get little Sophie to stop

babbling about the coming battle for the very soul of humankind.)

- Newman, Peter -- The Vagrant \$16.99 (PBO; Years after humanity's destruction emerged from the Breach, the Vagrant walks across a desolate landscape, trying to reach the Shining City, last bastion of humanity, and deliver the only weapon that may make a difference in the ongoing war against the enemy hordes.)
- North, Claire -- The Sudden Appearance of Hope \$27.00 (Hope is a perpetual stranger - she vanishes from people's minds when she disappears from their sight. Unable to keep a job, she survives by stealing what she needs. When she decides to steal some diamonds, a group of people do notice her - and they don't intend to let her get in their way.)
- Palmer, Ada -- Too Like the Lightning \$25.99
 (Terra Ignota #1: 25th century: Most of the
 world's population is affiliated with globegirdling clans of the like-minded, whose
 economic and cultural competition are carefully
 managed by central planners. For crimes he
 committed, Mycroft is required to wander the
 world being as useful as possible. Carlyle is a
 spiritual counselor. And they have stumbled on
 something that may destabilize the system:
 Bridger, a boy who can effortlessly make his
 wishes come true, and, it seems, bring
 inanimate objects to life.)
- Pflugfelder/Hockensmith -- Nick and Tesla's Solar-Powered Showdown \$12.95 (Nick & Tesla #5: Ages 9 and up. Kid inventors Nick and

Tesla take on their toughest project yet: figuring out where the heck their parents are. They'll need all their wits and a batch of homemade gadgets to thwart a criminal mastermind.)

- Phillips, Helen -- The Beautiful Bureaucrat \$16.00 (In a windowless building, Josephine inputs an endless string of numbers into something known only as The Database. As the days inch by, she feels increasingly anxious in her surroundings. When her husband disappears and then returns, offering no explanation, her unease shifts to dread. As other strange events build to a crescendo, the haunting truth about her work takes shape in her mind. To save those she holds dear, she must penetrate an institution whose tentacles seem to extend to every corner of the city, and beyond.)
- Pini, Wendy & Richard -- The Final Quest Volume 2 \$17.99 (Elfquest: Sunstream finally fulfills his destiny and becomes the psychic link among all the elfin tribes scattered across the world of Two Moons. But a devastating secret, long hidden in plain sight, is also moving into the open.)
- Richards, C.J. -- The Junkyard Bot \$6.99 (Robots Rule #1: Ages 9 and up. 10-year-old George is an engineering whiz, but it'll take all his talent and the help of his robot pal Jackbot and human friend Anne to save the day when all the robots in town go wild.)
- Rockoff, Adam -- The Horror of It All \$15.00 (Nonfiction. Horror film aficionado and

screenwriter Rockoff traces the highs and lows of the horror film genre through the lens of his own obsessive fandom.)

- Sapkowski, Andrzej -- The Tower of Swallows
 \$15.99 (Witcher #4: Hunted by friends and
 foes alike, the child of prophecy has taken on
 the guise of a petty bandit and lives free for
 the first time in her life. But the net around
 her is closing. Geralt, the Witcher, has
 assembled a group of allies determined to
 rescue her.)
- Saulter, Stephanie -- Binary \$14.99
 (Revolution #2: DI Sharon Varsi is facing the
 biggest case of her career: quarantined
 genestock has been stolen. Is someone
 conducting illicit gemtech research?)
- Stephenson, Neal -- Seveneves \$17.99 (In a race against a catastrophic event, nations band together, devising a plan to ensure the survival of humanity in outer space. But the complexities of human nature, coupled with unforeseen challenges, threaten the intrepid pioneers, until only a handful of survivors remain. 5000 years later, their progeny - 7 distinct races now 3 billion strong - embark on yet another audacious journey, to an alien world utterly transformed by cataclysm and time: Earth.)
- Strahan, Jonathan (ed) -- The Best Science
 Fiction and Fantasy of the Year Volume 10
 \$19.99 (PBO; Anthology. Some of the best
 stories published in 2015.)

Tidhar, Lavie -- Central Station \$15.95 (Central Station is the interplanetary hub between all things: the constantly shifting Tel Aviv; a powerful virtual arena; and the space colonies where humanity has gone to escape the ravages of poverty and war. Everything is connected by the Others, powerful entities who, through a shifting stream of consciousness, are just the beginning of irrevocable change.)

RECENTLY RECEIVED AND FORTHCOMING MYSTERIES Already Received

- -- Mystery Scene #142 \$7.50 (Women crime writers of the 1940s and 1950s; gifts for mystery lovers; Foyle's War; reviews; more.)
- Bentley, Phyllis -- Chain of Witnesses: The Cases of Miss Phipps \$19.00 (PBO; Lost Classics Volume 36. Collection. 16 mystery stories featuring sleuthing mystery novelist Miss Phipps.)
- Berkeley, Anthony -- The Avenging Chance and Other Mysteries from Roger Sheringham's Casebook \$19.00 (Collection. 9 mystery stories (one recently discovered) featuring Roger Sheringham and Chief Inspector Moresby.)
- Blake, James Carlos -- The House of Wolfe \$14.00 (Wolfe Family #2: Hoping to make his crew part of a major cartel, a Mexico City gangster kidnaps a wedding party, including bridesmaid Jessie Wolfe. Worried that the

kidnappers will kill the captives after receiving the ransom, the Wolfe clan sets out to rescue her.)

- Booth, Stephen -- The Devil's Edge \$11.99 (Cooper & Fry #11: Reissue; DS Ben Cooper and DS Diane Fry must track down a murderous band of home invaders.)
- Bowen, Rhys -- The Edge of Dreams \$15.99 (Molly #14: A killer's victims have nothing in common, except for the taunting notes delivered to NYPD captain Daniel Sullivan after each murder. When he receives a note after his wife and son were in a subway crash, Daniel and Molly fear that Molly herself was the target.)
- Brady, Jacklyn -- The Cakes of Monte Cristo \$7.99 (Piece of Cake #6: PBO; Pastry chef Rita Lucero finds an ornate ruby necklace hidden under the staircase at her shop. She doesn't believe the rumor that the necklace is cursed - until the gem's appraiser suddenly drops dead, and Rita finds herself targeted by a menacing stranger.)
- Bude, John -- Death on the Riviera \$12.95 (William Meredith #16: Reissue; When a counterfeit currency racket comes to light on the French Riviera, DI William Meredith is dispatched from London to investigate.)
- Burke, James Lee -- Cadillac Jukebox \$9.99 (Dave Robicheaux #9: Reissue; Gold Dagger shortlist. Aaron Crown comes from a long line of shady Cajuns, rumored to have Klan ties, so his arrest for the murder of a black civil

rights leader is no surprise. But when the man who worked hardest to put Crown away ascends to the governor's mansion, detective Dave Robicheaux begins to suspect that Aaron may be innocent.)

- Caldwell, Ian -- The Fifth Gospel \$9.99 (A mysterious exhibit is under construction at the Vatican Museums. When its curator is murdered, his research partner, Father Alex Andreaou, must reconstruct the dead curator's secret: what the four Christian gospels, and a littleknow fifth gospel, reveal about the Church's most controversial relic.)
- Chapman, Brenda -- Butterfly Kills \$14.99 (Stonechild & Rouleau #2: PBO; Jacques Rouleau is now heading up CID in Kingston. When Kala Stonechild shows up, he enlists her help to investigate a pair of seemingly unrelated crimes that turn out to have unsettling connections.)
- Child, Lincoln -- Lethal Velocity (original title: Utopia) \$9.99 (Reissue; Ruthless criminals have infiltrated a cutting-edge theme park and its computer systems. If their demands are met, park visitors won't be harmed; if not, bloodbath. Can the brilliant engineer who designed much of the park find a way to save thousands of innocent lives?)
- Daly, Elizabeth -- Death and Letters \$14.95 (Henry Gamadge #15: Reissue; Gentleman sleuth Henry Gamadge is summoned to a secluded estate by means of a crossword puzzle - the only means of communication for a widow being held captive

by her relatives - to investigate her husband's
suspicious death.)

- Dams, Jeanne M. -- The Gentle Art of Murder \$17.95 (Dorothy Martin #16: A drinks party at the University art department turns sour when a corpse is found at the bottom of the lift shaft. Dorothy and her husband Alan put their local knowledge and sleuthing skills to good use in the ensuing investigation.)
- Edwards, Martin (ed) -- Serpents in Eden \$12.95 (Anthology. 13 classic crime stories set in the British countryside.)
- Elkins, Aaron -- Switcheroo \$15.95 (Gideon Oliver #18: PBO; A cold case from the 1960s draws forensic anthropologist Gideon Oliver to the Channel Islands to uncover the connection between two men who died there on the same night. No one expected his investigation to turn up fresh bodies.)
- Ellis, Kate -- Walking by Night \$17.95 (Joe Plantagenet #5: After a drunk teen stumbles across a dead body in a ruined abbey, she claims to have seen a mysterious nun-like figure watching her from the shadows. When a local woman is reported missing, Joe finds himself caught up in a complex investigation involving a production of *The Devils* at the local playhouse.)

Fowler, Christopher -- Bryant & May and the
Bleeding Heart \$18.99 (Bryant & May
Peculiar Crimes Unit #11: A teenager sees a
dead man rise from his grave, then is killed in

a hit-and-run. Seven ravens housed in the Tower of London vanish without a trace - and legend has it that when the ravens leave, the city will fall. London's wiliest and oldest detectives, Arthur Bryant and John May of the Peculiar Crimes Unit, must figure out how these seemingly unrelated mysteries fit together.)

- Gordon-Smith, Dolores -- After the Exhibition \$17.95 (Jack Haldean #8: Jack Haldean expected an exhibition of church art by an oldfashioned firm to be a sedate affair - not associated with mystery, violence, and sudden death!)
- Grant, Maxwell -- Mardi Gras Mystery / City of
 Fear \$14.95 (Shadow #99: Pulp reprints.)
- Grant, Maxwell -- The Death Triangle / The
 Crimson Death / The Seven Deadly Arts \$15.95
 (Shadow #100: Pulp reprints.)
- Grant, Maxwell -- Gangdom's Doom / The Golden
 Grotto \$15.95 (Shadow #101: Pulp
 reprints.)

Greenwood, Kerry -- Cocaine Blues (TV tie-in
edition) \$15.95 (Phryne Fisher #1:
Reissue; Bored with London society, Phryne
returns to her birthplace of Melbourne,
Australia, to try her hand at being a private
investigator. She soon finds herself embroiled
in cases involving poisoned wives, cocaine
smuggling, corrupt cops, and communism.)

Greenwood, Kerry -- Flying Too High (TV tie-in edition) \$15.95 (Phryne Fisher #2: Reissue; Phryne's flying skills come in handy when she and her team set out to rescue a child from murderous kidnappers.)

- Greenwood, Kerry -- Murder on the Ballarat Train
 (TV tie-in edition) \$15.95 (Phryne Fisher
 #3: Reissue; It was meant to be a restful
 country sojourn, but Phryne's train trip is
 interrupted, first by a chloroform attack that
 leaves an old woman dead and her jewelry
 missing, and then by a young girl who can't
 remember anything.)
- Gunn, Elizabeth -- Triple Play \$13.99 (Jake Hines #1: Reissue; In a small Minnesota town, young detective Jake Hines conducts a methodical search for a very meticulous serial killer.)
- Gunn, Elizabeth -- Red Man Down \$17.95 (Sarah Burke #5: A man shot by a rookie cop while stealing copper wire turns out to be excop and Red Man Ed Lacey. Sarah and her team delve into Ed's life; after deciding to reopen an investigation into three deaths, they encounter obstacles, particularly from the family. What are they hiding?)
- Handler, David -- The Lavender Lane Lothario \$25.99 (Berger & Mitry #11: Who killed Hubie Swope? The Gants are the prime suspects, due to their long-running feud with Swope's family, but as Mitch Berger and Des Mitry investigate, they turn up plenty of other suspects.)

Hargla, Indrek -- Apothecary Melchior and the Mystery of St. Olaf's Church \$16.95 (15th century CE: Tallinn, at the edge of the Christian world, is a town of foreign merchants and engineers. When a murder occurs at the castle, Melchior, respected for his arcane knowledge and scientific curiosity, is called in to help find the killer.)

- Hellmann, Libby Fischer -- Jump Cut \$15.95 (Ellie Foreman #5: PBO; Chicago video producer Ellie Foreman finds herself entangled in a web of espionage and murder after being hired to produce a profile of a giant aviation company.)
- Houston, Victoria -- Dead Angler \$16.99 (Loon Lake #1: Reissue; Lew Ferris is the new chief of police in Loon Lake, Wisconsin, and a fly-fishing wonder. When she and her fishing student Doc Osborne find a body floating in the moonlight, she enlists Doc and his buddy Ray to help her investigate.)
- James, Bill -- Disclosures \$17.95 (Harpur & Iles #31: Panicking Ralph is a big-time villain, but he's a local villain, so when his life is threatened, Harpur and Iles are straight on the case.)
- Japp, Andrea -- The Lady Agnes Mystery Volume 2: The Divine Blood / Combat of Shadows \$18.95 (Lady Agnes #3 / #4: Omnibus reprint of 2 historical mysteries. Normandy, 1304 CE: Agnes de Souarcy has survived the Inquisition, but remains the focus of an ancient quest, with many hidden enemies. 'Five women, in the centre the sixth' is the enigmatic prophecy of her destiny, but will she choose to fulfill that role?)

- Kane, Ben -- Fields of Blood \$17.99
 (Hannibal #2: Having brought his army safely
 over the Alps in winter, Hannibal now marches
 south to confront the Romans.)
- Larson/Edenborg (ed) -- Stockholm Noir \$15.95 (PBO; Anthology. 13 original crime stories.)
- Lawton, John -- The Unfortunate Englishman \$26.00 (Joe Wilderness #2: 1965: Joe is back Berlin, for what should be a straightforward prisoner exchange, an MI6 agent for a KBG operative, swapped on Berlin's bridge of spies. But, as ever, Joe has lined up something on the side, just to make it interesting and profitable. What could possibly go wrong?)
- Lawton, John -- Sweet Sunday \$15.00 (1969: When New York PI Turner Raines discovers that his oldest friend is dead, the trail of his friend's death leads Raines back to Texas, and into the path of people who know about secret goings-on in Vietnam, stories they may now be willing to tell. Lucky for Raines, he's a good listener.)
- le Carre, John -- The Spy Who Came In from the Cold \$16.00 (Reissue; Gold Dagger and Edgar winner. In the shadow of the new Berlin Wall, Berlin Station head Alec Leamas watches as his last agent is shot dead by East German sentries. Control offers Leamas a unique opportunity for revenge: assume the guise of an embittered ex-agent to trap the deputy director of the East German Intelligence Service. In the background is George Smiley, ready to make the game play out just as Control wants.)

Leon, Donna -- Falling in Love \$16.00 (Guido Brunetti #24: Back in Venice to sing at La Fenice, Flavia Petrelli is alarmed by excessive gifts from an anonymous fan. When a young singer who caught Flavia's attention is attacked, Commissario Brunetti must find the obsessive fan before anyone else is harmed.)

- Lippman, Laura -- Butchers Hill \$14.99 (Tess Monaghan #3: Reissue; Agatha and Anthony winner, Edgar and Shamus finalist. 5 years ago, Luther Beale shot a boy for vandalizing his car. Now out of prison, Luther says he wants to make amends to the kids who witnessed his crime, and hires PI Tess Monaghan to find them. But as she investigates, the witnesses start dying.)
- Lynch, Jack -- You Could Look It Up \$30.00 (Nonfiction. An exploration of reference books through time and across cultures, from the Babylonian Code of Hammurabi to Wikipedia.)
- MacBride, Stuart -- The Missing and the Dead \$15.99 (Logan McRae #9: Acting DI Logan McRae's latest posting is a 'development opportunity' in rural Aberdeenshire, catching drug dealers, shoplifters, vandals, and the occasional escaped farm animal. Then a girl's body washes up just outside the sleepy town, bringing the Major Investigation Team from Aberdeen. As his old colleagues stomp around the countryside, Logan gets dragged into the investigation.)
- Macmillan, Gilly -- What She Knew \$15.99 (Edgar finalist. Rachel is walking in a Bristol

park on a Sunday afternoon. As always, her son Ben runs on ahead of her. Rachel has no reason to worry - until Ben vanishes.)

- Marsh, Ngaio -- Collected Short Mysteries
 (alternate titles: The Collected Short
 Fiction / Alleyn and Others) \$14.95
 (Reissue; Reprints 8 short stories (3 featuring
 Inspector Alleyn), a telescript, and 2 essays
 by Marsh (about Alleyn and Troy).)
- Mayor, Archer -- The Ragman's Memory \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #7: Reissue; Joe Gunther deals with an unexplained death, a grisly murder, and a disappearance, all seemingly connected to a web of municipal corruption, blackmail, and industrial espionage. A shell-shocked WWII veteran may hold the key to it all, if Joe can get him to talk.)
- Mayor, Archer -- Bellows Falls \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #8: Reissue; Seconded to a small-town police department, Joe Gunther delves deep into a world of deceit, domestic violence, corrupt cops, drugs, and murder.)
- Mayor, Archer -- The Disposable Man \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #9: Reissue; Gunther figures a garroted body with bad dental work and Cyrillic tattoos for a Russian mob killing, until the CIA invites him to DC for some friendly 'assistance' with his case.)
- Mayor, Archer -- Occam's Razor \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #10: Reissue; The body looks like an unfortunate John Doe, with head and hands

obliterated by the train, but Joe Gunther suspects there's more to the case.)

- Mayor, Archer -- The Marble Mask \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #11: Reissue; When a body is found in a crevasse on Mt. Mansfield, Joe Gunther, head of the newly formed Vermont Bureau of Investigation, and his team discover the corpse is a big-time Canadian crime boss who disappeared after WWII.)
- Mayor, Archer -- Tucker Peak \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #12: Reissue; Condo burglaries at a luxurious ski resort have Lieutenant Joe Gunther and his VBI team digging for clues; they discover their top suspect has gone missing and his girlfriend has been murdered.)
- Mayor, Archer -- The Sniper's Wife \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #13: Reissue; Joe's colleague Willy heads to New York City to identify his ex-wife's body. The police think she overdosed, but Willy has doubts. His search for answers leads back to his past in Vietnam.)
- Mayor, Archer -- Gatekeeper \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #14: Reissue; After a string of drugrelated crimes, the VBI team is determined to crack down on the narcotics trade.)
- Mayor, Archer -- The Surrogate Thief \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #15: Reissue; Joe Gunther goes on the hunt for a brutal killer he failed to bring to justice decades ago.)
- Mayor, Archer -- St. Alban's Fire \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #16: Reissue; The VBI team is

pushed to the limit when a series of arsons across the state evolves into a series of shocking murders.)

- Mayor, Archer -- The Second Mouse \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #17: Reissue; A young woman apparently died by her own hand, but the investigation raises enough doubts that Gunther decides to dig deeper.)
- Mayor, Archer -- Chat \$14.95 (Joe Gunther #18: Reissue; When the lives of his mother and brothers are suddenly threatened, Gunther reaches out to a network of police officers who know him only by name and reputation as he attempts to discover the source of the danger.)
- McAlpine, Gordon -- Woman with a Blue Pencil \$13.95 (PBO; Edgar finalist. On the eve of Pearl Harbor, Sam Sumida was a Japanese-American academic, thrust into the role of amateur PI by his wife's death. Now he is discovering that all signs of his existence have been erased. Unaware that he is a discarded fictional creation, he resumes his investigation. Interspersed are chapters from a spy novel featuring a Korean-American PI with anti-Japanese attitudes, the commercially viable character for whom Sumida has been excised. Behind it all is an ambitious young Nisei author, who has made the changes his editor demanded despite being relocated to an internment camp with his family.)
- McBride, Susan -- Say Yes to Death \$7.99 (Debutante Dropout #6: PBO; Andy isn't happy when her socialite mama drags her to a high-

society Texas wedding, especially when the wedding planner ends up with a cake knife in her throat. When the cops arrest the baker, Andy is determined to clear the woman's name.)

- Rizzolo, S.K. -- On a Desert Shore \$15.95 (John Chase #4: PBO; Hired to protect an heiress, Bow Street Runner John Chase must cope with a vicious inheritance dispute and murder.)
- Scherm, Rebecca -- Unbecoming \$16.00 (Edgar finalist. Grace restores bric-a-brac, mends teapots, and resets gems in Paris. She calls herself Julie and says she's from California. In truth, her home is a Tennessee town - where two young men have just been paroled after serving time for a heist that Grace planned.)

Schumacher, Julie -- Dear Committee Members \$14.95 (Winner of the Thurber Prize for American Humor. Jason Fitger is a professor at a small, undistinguished college, endlessly called upon by students and colleagues to produce letters of recommendations. The results, compiled here, are masterpieces of high dudgeon, low spirits, and passiveaggressive strategies.)

Sendker, Jan-Philipp -- Whispering Shadows
\$16.00 (Rising Dragon #1: Hong Kong: When
Elizabeth Owen's son is found dead in Shenzhen,
expat journalist Paul Leibovitz joins her and a
detective friend to investigate. They uncover
dark secrets and vestiges of the Cultural
Revolution that people will go to any lengths
to keep hidden.)

- Serong, Jock -- Quota \$15.95 (Ned Kelly winner. A small town fisherman has been murdered, and disgraced city lawyer Charlie Jardim is sent to coerce a troubled witness into testifying. But the victim was involved in the illegal abalone trade and the even more illegal drug trade, and witnesses aren't talking.)
- Shemilt, Jane -- The Daughter \$14.99 (Edgar finalist. When her teen daughter doesn't come home after a school play, Jenny's life begins to crumble. The authorities launch a search with no success. More than a year later, Jenny is still digging for answers, and finding that everyone she trusted was keeping secrets especially her daughter.)
- Sigurdardottir, Yrsa -- Someone to Watch Over Me \$15.99 (Thora Gudmundsdottir #5: When Jakob, a man with Down's Syndrome, is convicted of burning down his assisted living facility and killing 5 people, a fellow inmate at the secure psychiatric unit hires Thora to prove Jakob innocent.)
- Smith, Julie (ed) -- New Orleans Noir: The Classics \$15.95 (PBO; Anthology. Reprints 18 crime stories.)
- Smith, S.L. -- Blinded by the Sight \$14.95
 (Pete Culnane #1: When a homeless man is found
 dead near the Mississippi river, veteran St.
 Paul cop Pete Culane heads the investigation.)
- Smith, S.L. -- Running Scared \$14.95 (Pete Culnane #2: PBO; While trying to determine if a

horrific crash was accidental or deliberate, St. Paul investigators Pete Culnane and Martin Tierney uncover secrets that send more than one person running scared.)

- Smith, S.L. -- Murder on a Stick \$15.95
 (Pete Culnane #3: PBO; You can get almost
 anything on a stick at the Minnesota State
 Fair. This year, murder is added to the list.
 As the list of suspects grows, investigators
 Pete Culnane and Martin Tierney must separate
 fact from fiction to find the killer.)
- Taylor, David C. -- Night Life \$25.99 (Michael Cassidy #1: Edgar finalist. NYC, 1954: Michael Cassidy is plagued by dreams that sometimes come true. Assigned to investigate when a Broadway dancer is found tortured and killed, he learns that the man may have possessed compromising photos of someone very important. But the case isn't Cassidy's only puzzle: he's dreaming of his own murder.)
- Thynne, Jane -- The Scent of Secrets \$16.00 (Clara Vine #1: Berlin, 1933: Actress Clara Vine, an Anglo-German, uses her unique access to the upper echelons of Nazi society to spy for her native Great Britain, and finds herself enmeshed in a plot to assassinate Hitler.)
- Todd, Marilyn -- Swords, Sandals and Sirens \$19.00 (Collection. 11 historical mysteries set in ancient Rome and Greece, many featuring superbitch sleuth Claudia Seferius.)
- Wells, Marcia -- Mystery on Museum Mile \$6.99 (Eddie Red #1: Edgar finalist. 6th-grader Eddie

has a photographic memory and a talent for drawing anything he sees. When the New York Police Department is stumped by an art thief, Eddie becomes their secret weapon, drawing him deeper into Museum Mile and closer to a dangerous criminal group.)

- Wilson, Laura -- A Willing Victim \$14.95 (Ted Stratton #4: Historical Dagger shortlist. 1956: Inspector Stratton ponders a world in turmoil as he investigates the murder of a young man who had recently left a New Age cult in Suffolk.)
- Winspear, Jacqueline -- Birds of a Feather \$14.95 (Maisie Dobbs #2: Reissue; Agatha winner. London, 1930: Private detective Maisie Dobbs has been hired to find a runaway heiress. The case becomes increasingly complicated when three of the woman's friends are found dead.)

Early March

- Abbott, Kristi -- Kernel of Truth \$7.99 (Popcorn Shop #1: PBO; Rebecca and her popcornloving poodle Sprocket are headed home to Grand Lake, Ohio, to start a gourmet popcorn shop. When the family friend who owns the chocolate shop next door winds up dead, Rebecca finds suspects popping up all over.)
- Allan, Barbara -- Antiques Swap \$7.99 (Trash 'n' Treasures #9: After Brandy loses her balance at a swap meet and falls into an old

flame's arms, she finds herself #1 suspect when the man's jealous wife is murdered.)

- Bain, D/Fletcher, J -- Killer in the Kitchen \$7.99 (Murder She Wrote #43: When a Cabot Cove chef is stabbed to death, a rival chef becomes prime suspect. But there's a long list of other motives, and it's up to Jessica to uncover the culprit.)
- Baldacci, David -- Memory Man \$9.99 (Amos Decker #1: A sports accident left Amos Decker with a strange side effect - he can never forget anything. He was a cop, but when his family was murdered and the crime went unsolved, his life fell apart. Now Decker's working as a PI, but when a horrific event rocks the city, the police call him back in to help with that investigation - and he decides to seize the chance to learn what really happened to his family that night.)
- Barclay, Linwood -- Broken Promise \$9.99 (Promise Falls #1: After losing his wife and his job, David Harwood moves back to his childhood home, where he discovers that his cousin is secretly raising a child she claims was a gift left on her porch. When the baby's real mother is found murdered, David sets out to piece together what happened.)
- Beaton, M.C. -- Death of a Liar \$7.99 (Hamish Macbeth #31: When a woman falsely reports being attacked, then winds up dead, Sergeant Macbeth must sort through all of her lies to solve the crime.)

- Beaton, M.C. -- Death of a Nurse \$25.00 (Hamish Macbeth #32: Hamish must find out who killed a beautiful private nurse.)
- Bivald, Katarina -- The Readers of Broken Wheel Recommend \$16.99 (Sara, a young Swede, and Amy, a middle-aged Iowan, have spent years exchanging books, letters, and thoughts on the meaning of literature and life. When the bookshop she works at closes, Sara decides to visit Amy at last, arriving in Broken Wheel, Iowa, only to discover that Amy has died. To honor her, Sara decides to set up the perfect bookshop in Broken Wheel, with all the books she and Amy shared. And then she watches as the townsfolk are, one by one, transformed in unexpected ways.)
- Bowen, Gail -- What's Left Behind \$27.95 (Joanne Kilbourn #16: When their son's lakeside wedding is disrupted by the arrival of a disgruntled ex, and murder follows soon after, Joanne and Zack search for answers.)
- Bowen, Rhys -- Time of Fog and Fire \$25.99 (Molly #16: Daniel Sullivan accepted a Secret Service assignment, but Molly couldn't get any details out of him. When a cryptic letter makes her think he wants her to join him in San Francisco, she wonders why he's turned to her for help, instead of to his new boss or his police contacts. What's gone wrong on his assignment?)
- Box, C.J. -- Endangered \$9.99 (Joe Pickett #15: When his 18-year-old ward April turns up

in a ditch, beaten nearly to death, Joe goes after Dallas Cates.)

- Bradford, Laura -- A Churn for the Worse \$7.99 (Claire Weatherly #5: PBO; When two Amish families are victimized, detective Jakob Fisher turns to shop owner Claire Weatherly for help investigating.)
- Brightwell, Emily -- Mrs. Jeffries Wins the Prize \$7.99 (Mrs. Jeffries #34: PBO; When an orchid supplier is found dead in Mrs. Rayburn's conservatory, Inspector Witherspoon must weed out a murderer with some help from his housekeeper Mrs. Jeffries.)
- Camilleri, Andrea -- Montalbano's First Case and Other Stories \$18.00 (Montalbano: Collection. These short stories follow the quirky Sicilian cop through highlight cases of his career.)
- Carter, M.J. -- The Strangler Vine \$16.00 (Blake & Avery #1: New Blood Dagger shortlist, Edgar finalist. India, 1937: When William Avery, a young soldier, and Jeremiah Blake, a political agent gone native, try to track down a missing writer, they get sucked into the secretive Thuggee cult and its even more ominous suppression.)
- Cavallaro, Brittany -- A Study in Charlotte \$17.99 (Charlotte Holmes & James Watson #1: Ages 13 and up. At a Connecticut prep school, someone is committing crimes based on Arthur Conan Doyle stories, and framing students Charlotte Holmes and James Watson (descendants

of the Great Detective and his companion). With danger mounting and no one else they can trust, they set out to uncover the truth.)

- Chang, Henry -- Chinatown Beat \$9.99 (Jack Yu #1: Reissue; When Chinatown community leader and tong boss Uncle Four is gunned down and his mistress goes missing, NYPD detective Jack Yu will need all his knowledge of his district's gritty secrets to catch the killer.)
- Childs, Laura -- Devonshire Scream \$26.00 (Tea Shop #17: Theo is catering a trunk show at Heart's Desire Jewelry when the party is crashed by masked thieves who leave a dead body in their wake. The FBI suspect an international gang of jewel thieves, but Theo is convinced the answer is much closer to home.)
- Childs, Laura -- Ming Tea Murder \$7.99 (Tea Shop#16: At the gala opening for the Gibbes Museum's exhibit of a genuine 18th century Chinese teahouse, a museum donor is found dead and Max becomes a suspect. To clear her boyfriend's name, Theodosia looks into the philanthropist's life to find out who really wanted him to pay up.)
- Clarkson, John -- Among Thieves \$9.99 (James Beck and his clique of ex-cons investigate malfeasance at a Manhattan brokerage firm. Things get complicated fast when they discover a connection to arms dealing for a clandestine government agency.)

- Collins, Mike -- Sherlock: The Mind Palace coloring book \$14.99 (PBO; Intricate line drawings featuring scenes from the BBC series.)
- Cussler, C/Scott, J -- The Assassin \$9.99 (Isaac Bell #8: As private detective Isaac Bell tries to land a government contract to investigate John D. Rockefeller's Standard Oil monopoly, the case takes a deadly turn - a sniper is murdering the oil company's opponents.)
- Cussler, C/Scott, J -- The Gangster \$29.00 (Isaac Bell #9: 1906: The Black Hand is on a crime spree in NYC, and Isaac Bell has been hired to form a special squad to combat them. And then the murders begin.)
- Daheim, Mary -- The Alpine Zen \$7.99 (Emma Lord #26: A visit from Ren, a strange young woman in search of the mother who abandoned her, sparks Emma's curiosity - especially when sheriff Milo Dodge finds a corpse and Ren claims that the remains are those of her father.)
- Deaver, Jeffery -- Solitude Creek \$7.99 (Kathryn Dance #4: When a false report of fire at a concert venue leads to panic and a stampede, resulting in deaths and injuries, Kathryn Dance and her team must track down the perpetrator: a man, obsessed with turning people's own fears and greed into weapons, who has more attacks planned.)

Fantaskey, Beth -- Isabel Feeney, Star Reporter
\$17.99 (Ages 9 and up. 1920s Chicago:

Obsessed with becoming a reporter, 10-year-old Isabel Feeney can't believe her luck when she stumbles on a real-life murder scene, with her hero, journalist Maude Collier, standing over the body. When Maude is accused of the crime, Isabel is determined to clear her name.)

- Fluke, Joanne -- Wedding Cake Murder \$26.00
 (Hannah Swensen #21: When a dessert chef
 contest comes to Lake Eden, Hannah finds it
 nerve-wracking to be judged by a celebrity chef
 with a nasty reputation. But it's even more
 chilling to find him stabbed to death in the
 inn's walk-in cooler.)
- Flynn, K/Lavoie, R -- Dark Heart \$9.99
 (PBO; Nonfiction. After Lizzi Marriott accepts
 an invitation to Kat McDonough and Seth
 Mazzaglia's apartment, she will never be seen
 again.)
- Grippando, James -- Cash Landing \$9.99
 (When an amateur gang of thieves succeeds in
 stealing a huge Federal Reserve cash shipment
 at the Miami airport, FBI agent Andie Henning
 plans to catch them by following the money but Henning isn't the only one on their trail,
 and they suddenly find themselves in way over
 their heads.)
- Gross, Andrew -- One Mile Under \$9.99 (Ty Hauck #4: An old friend summons Ty Hauck to Colorado, where a square-off between giant energy companies and beaten-down farmers and ranchers has lead to murder and coverups.)

- Hamilton, Glen Erik -- Past Crimes \$9.99 (Van Shaw #1: Edgar finalist. Van Shaw was raised to be a thief, but broke all ties to that life and joined the military. Now he's been summoned home by his grandfather, only to find the old man shot through the head. To find the killer, Van plunges back into the underworld.)
- Harris, C.S. -- Who Buries the Dead \$7.99 (Sebastian St. Cyr #10: London, 1813: The vicious decapitation of a wealthy, socially ambitious plantation owner draws Sebastian St. Cyr into a macabre and increasingly perilous investigation.)
- Harris, C.S. -- When Falcons Fall \$26.00 (Sebastian St. Cyr #11: 1813: Sebastian and Hero head to a Shropshire village to honor a slain friend. When the body of a young widow is found on the riverbank, the village's inexperienced young magistrate turns to them for help.)
- Harris, Tessa -- Secrets in the Stones \$15.00 (Thomas Silkstone #6: PBO; Newly released from Bedlam asylum, Lady Lydia Farrell finds herself a murder suspect when she stumbles upon the mutilated body of Sir Montagu Malthus. Can Silkstone clear his beloved's good name by conducting a postmortem on the victim?)
- Hart, John -- The Last Child \$9.99 (Edgar and Steel Dagger winner, Anthony finalist. His twin sister has been missing for a year, but Johnny is determined to find her. His hunt leads him to a forgotten place with a history

of violence going back more than a hundred years.)

- Hess, Joan -- Pride v. Prejudice \$7.99 (Claire Malloy #20: Claire has been summoned for jury duty, but the prosecutor has a grudge against Claire's cop husband, and dismisses her in spectacular fashion. To get even, Claire hunts down the defendant in the case and offers to help prove the woman's innocence.)
- Hollon, Cheryl -- Shards of Murder \$7.99 (Webb's Glass Shop #2: PBO; After she finds the winner of a glass-making competition murdered on the festival grounds, Savannah winds up prime suspect.)
- Iles, Greg -- The Bone Tree \$9.99 (Penn Cage #5: Penn learns that the true leader of the Double Eagles is Forrest Knox, chief of the state Criminal Investigations Bureau. To save his father, Penn must either make a devil's bargain with Knox, or destroy him. Then Caitlin uncovers the real story behind a series of unsolved civil rights murders that may hold the key to the Double Eagles' downfall.)
- James, Miranda -- No Cats Allowed \$26.00 (Cat in the Stacks #7: When the irritating new library director's body is discovered, the list of suspects is long. Things take a turn for the worse when a threatening email throws suspicion on Melba. Can Charlie and his Maine Coon cat Diesel clear their friend's name?)
- Joy, David -- Where All Light Tends to Go \$16.00 (Edgar finalist. Jacob's father runs a

meth ring in a hardscrabble North Carolina town, and Jacob has worked for him for years. When Jacob botches a murder, he faces a choice: stay and appease his father, or leave town with the girl he loves. Can Jacob muster the strength to rise above the only life he's ever known?)

Kanon, Joseph -- Leaving Berlin \$16.00 (Jewish writer Alex Meier finds the politics of his youth have put him in the crosshairs of the House Un-American Activities Committee. Faced with deportation and the loss of his family, he makes a bargain with the CIA: he will earn his way back to America by acting as their agent in East Berlin.)

Kerr, Philip -- The Lady from Zagreb \$16.00 (Bernie Gunther #10: Edgar finalist. A beautiful actress, a rising star of the giant German film company UFA, now controlled by the Propaganda Ministry. The clever, dangerous Propaganda Minister, ambitious schemer, and flagrant libertine. And Bernie Gunther, forced to do favors for Joseph Goebbels at the Propaganda Minister's command. Set down amid the killing fields of Ustashe-controlled Croatia, Bernie finds himself in a world of mindless brutality where everyone has a hidden agenda.)

Lansdale, Joe R. -- Hap and Leonard \$15.95 (Collection. All the short stories and tall tales about crime-fighting duo Hap Collins, a liberal good ol' boy, and Leonard Pine, a conservative gay black Vietnam veteran.)

- Layton, Jeffrey -- The Good Spy \$9.99 (Yuri Kirov #1: PBO; A Russian spy sub is marooned in US waters. Can security officer Yuri Kirov escape, reach shore undetected, and convince a complete stranger that the fate of the world depends on helping him?)
- Lindsay, Douglas -- The Legend of Barney Thomson (alternate title: The Long Midnight of Barney Thomson) \$15.95 (Barney Thomson #1: Reissue; Barney is an awkward, diffident Glasgow barber. However, there is no life so tedious that it cannot be spiced up by inadvertent murder, a deranged psychopath, and a freezer full of neatly packaged meat.)
- Logan, Kylie -- And Then There Were Nuns \$7.99 (Literary Ladies #4: PBO; B&B owner Bea Cartwright is providing meals for ten nuns on retreat on a nearby island. When the peace of the retreat is shattered by two murders, the Literary Ladies notice eerie parallels to a classic Christie mystery. Can Bea track down the killer?)
- McLaughlin, Staci -- Murder Most Wholesome \$7.99 (Blossom Valley #5: PBO; When one of Zennia's old flames is found dead in her garden, the search for clues takes Dana to the commune where the man had been living.)
- Murphy, Shirley Rousseau -- Cat Shout for Joy \$19.99 (Joe Grey #19: Feline PI Joe Grey and his furry sleuthing pals must unmask a killer preying on Molena Point's elderly residents.)

- O'Neil, Carlene -- Ripe for Murder \$7.99 (Cypress Cove #2: PBO; Approached about investing in a new train line through wine country, Penny and her winery manager Connor head to a resort to hear the details. When an investor's wife is murdered, Penny investigates.)
- Palmer, M/Palmer, D -- **Trauma** \$9.99 (When patients begin disappearing from a facility working on an experimental cure for PTSD, a neurosurgeon and a reporter investigate.)
- Persson, Leif G.W. -- Linda, As in the Linda Murder \$17.00 (Evert Backstrom: When a police cadet is found raped and murdered in her mother's apartment in a sleepy town, bureaucratic mixups send Backstrom and his Murder Squad into the countryside to solve the case.)
- Phelps, M. William -- One Breath Away \$7.99 (PBO; Nonfiction. The story of Jennifer Mee's descent from media celebrity to drug dealing, street life, and eventually murder.)
- Reichs, K/Reichs, B -- **Terminal** \$10.99 (Virals #5: Ages 10 and up. Tory and her team track a pack of rogue Virals who have gained the attention of a shadowy government group intent on learning the secret of their powers.)
- Reilly, Linda -- Out of the Dying Pan \$7.99 (Deep Fried #2: PBO; When the nasty owner of a neighboring boutique is found strangled with Talia's scarf, Talia needs to clear her name.)

- Ridpath, Michael -- Shadows of War \$13.95 (Conrad de Lancey #2: October, 1939: There are those who believe the war no one wants to fight should be brought to a swift conclusion, even if it means treachery. The British Secret Service wants Conrad de Lancey to make contact with a group of German officers they believe are plotting a coup. But this is the shadow war, and the shadows are multiplying. And it's not only disaffected Germans who are prepared to betray their country to save it.)
- Ross, Barbara -- Fogged Inn \$7.99 (Maine Clambake #4: PBO; When a dead body is discovered in the diner's walk-in refrigerator, can Julia Snowden figure out who ordered up a side of murder?)
- Sanders, J. Aaron -- Speakers of the Dead \$16.00 (PBO; 1843: Lena Stowe has been hanged for the murder of her husband, but her friend, reporter Walt Whitman, remains determined to exonerate her. The search for the truth leads to a dangerous underworld where resurrection men steal cadavers to sell to medical colleges.)
- Spillane, M/Collins, M -- Kill Me, Darling \$7.99 (Mike Hammer: Months after Velda walked out on him, Hammer learns that an old cop who once worked with her has been murdered - and that Velda is now a gun moll in Florida. Hammer heads for Miami to sort things out.)
- Sundstol, Vidar -- The Ravens \$15.95 (Minnesota #3: The murder case is now approaching resolution - although not to Lance

Hansen's satisfaction. He reluctantly undertakes his own investigation, uncovering troubling connections and grim secrets that will shake him to his core.)

- Swanson, Denise -- Between a Book and a Hard Place \$7.99 (Dime Store #5: PBO; A wealthy benefactor is offering to reopen the town library. When the man is murdered, Dev's runaway mother Yvette is the prime suspect.)
- Vaught, Susan -- Footer Davis Probably Is Crazy \$7.99 (Ages 10 and up. Edgar finalist. What happened to the kids at the Abrams farm? There was a fire there a few nights ago, and the kids haven't been seen since. What Footer and her best friend Peavine want to know is, who started the fire?)
- Wallace, Auralee -- Skinny Dipping with Murder \$7.99 (Otter Lake #1: PBO; When Erica was a teen, she fell prey to an embarrassing practical joke, but it wasn't like anyone got killed - until now. The pranksters are starting to turn up dead, and Erica's recent return to town makes her a prime suspect. Can she dig up the truth?)
- Wells, Marcia -- Mystery in Mayan Mexico \$6.99 (Eddie Red #2: Ages 10 and up. On a family vacation in Mexico, Eddie's father is accused of stealing. Can Eddie and his best friend Jonah uncover clues and catch the real crook?)
- Winspear, Jacqueline -- A Dangerous Place \$15.99 (Maisie Dobbs #11: 1937: Her

stepmother has summoned Maisie home to England, but en route from India she realizes she isn't ready, and disembarks in Gibraltar. When a member of the Sephardic Jewish community is murdered, Maisie becomes entangled in the case.)

Mid March

- Barclay, Linwood -- Far from True \$27.00 (Promise Falls #2: A woman asks PI Cal Weaver to look into a break-in at her dead father's house; he finds a hidden room that was used for sex, and evidence of missing DVDs. Meanwhile, detective Barry Duckworth is trying to solve two murders he believes are connected. A third murder turns up the heat on both investigations.)
- Black, Cara -- Murder on the Champ de Mars \$15.95 (Aimee Leduc #15: Paris, 1998: Aimee has her hands full, but when a poor French Gypsy boy insists that his dying mother has an important secret to tell her, something to do with the unsolved murder of Aimee's father, how can she say no?)
- Bowen, Gail -- 12 Rose Street \$15.95 (Joanne Kilbourn #15: Joanne's husband Zack is the leading progressive candidate for the mayor's job. When a threat disrupts the celebration for a project Zack spearheaded, Joanne realizes that sinister interests are working behind the scenes of the election -

someone will stop at nothing to maintain the status quo.)

- Box, C.J. -- Off the Grid \$27.00 (Joe Pickett #16: Nate Romanowski is off the grid, recuperating from wounds and trying to deal with past crimes, when a special ops group approaches him. If he'll help them destroy a domestic terror cell, they'll make his criminal record disappear. But Joe Pickett discovers they're not what they seem, and they have a much different plan in mind.)
- Bruen, K/Starr, J -- Pimp \$9.95 (Max & Angela #4: PBO; Ruined and on the lam, former drug kingpin Max Fisher stumbles upon the biggest discovery of his crooked life: a designer drug that could put him back on top. Meanwhile, a certain femme fatale from his past is pursuing a comeback dream of her own.)
- Collins, Max Allan -- Quarry's Vote (alternate title: Primary Target) \$9.95 (Quarry #5: Reissue; Now retired and happily married, Quarry turns down a million-dollar hit on a presidential candidate. It's not the sort of assignment you walk away from without consequences - but coming after Quarry has consequences, too.)
- Dahl, Julia -- Run You Down \$15.99 (Rebekah Roberts #2: Investigating the murder of a young Hasidic mother might bring journalist Rebekah Roberts face to face with the mother who abandoned her as a baby.)

Deaver, Jeffery -- The Steel Kiss \$28.00 (Lincoln Rhyme #12: Forensic detective Lincoln Rhyme and his associate Amelia Sachs find themselves up against a brilliant killer who turns common items into murder weapons.)

- Dunn, Carola -- The Winter Garden Mystery \$15.99 (Daisy Dalrymple #2: Reissue; 1923: When the body of a pregnant maid is found buried in the winter garden at Occles Hall, an under-gardener is arrested for the crime. Daisy is sure of the man's innocence, and convinces Alec Fletcher of Scotland Yard to investigate further.)
- Freeman, Brian -- Goodbye to the Dead \$26.99
 (Jonathan Stride #7: When detective Serena Dial
 witnesses a murder outside a Duluth bar, she
 stumbles onto a case with roots that go all the
 way back to the last year of Cindy Stride's
 life.)
- Goddard, Robert -- Sea Change \$14.00 (1721: London is reeling from the effects of an enormous financial scandal. To discharge his debts, mapmaker William Spandrel agrees to convey a secret package to Amsterdam, only to find he has become a pawn in a very dangerous game.)
- Hodgson, Antonia -- The Last Confession of Thomas Hawkins \$27.00 (Tom Hawkins #2: London, 1728: Tom Hawkins is headed to the gallows, accused of murder. He may not be much of a gentleman, but he is innocent. He's just adept at finding his way into a spot of bad

luck. Now he must scramble to save his life and protect those he loves.)

- Jance, J.A. -- Clawback \$25.99 (Ali Reynolds #11: When a man whose Ponzi scheme bankrupted hundreds, including Ali's parents, is murdered, Ali's dad is prime suspect. Ali and her husband work to clear his name while seeking justice for the dead man's impoverished victims.)
- Kasasian, M.R.C. -- The Curse of the House of Foskett \$15.95 (Gower Street #2: 1882: Investigating the death of an eccentric member of the Final Death Society takes Sidney Grice and March Middleton to an eerie house in Kew, and the mysterious Baroness Foskett.)
- Kovaly, Heda Margolius -- Innocence, or, Murder on Steep Street \$14.95 (1950s Prague: When a little boy is murdered at the cinema where his aunt works, the ensuing investigation sheds a little too much light on the personal lives of the cinema's ushers, each of whom is hiding a dark secret of her own.)
- Leon, Donna -- The Waters of Eternal Youth \$26.00 (Guido Brunetti #25: At the request of his mother-in-law's best friend, Commissario Brunetti looks into a 15-year-old incident, involving a young woman who nearly drowned in a canal. Did she fall in, or was she pushed? Signed copies expected)
- Leonard, Elmore -- Charlie Martz and Other Stories \$15.99 (Collection. Short stories from early in his career.)

- Mathews, Francine -- Too Bad to Die \$16.00 (1943: When Hitler's top assassin infiltrates the Tehran Conference, where Churchill, FDR, and Stalin are finalizing plans for the D-Day invasion, British intelligence officer Ian Fleming goes undercover to stop the killer.)
- McKinty, Adrian -- Rain Dogs \$15.95 (Troubles #5: Belfast, 1987: When journalist Lily Bigelow is found dead, it looks like suicide. But a few things bother detective Sean Duffy enough to keep the case file open, which is how he finds out that she was investigating corruption and abuse at the highest levels. Who killed her? And what were they trying to hide?)
- McMahon, Jennifer -- The Night Sister \$15.95 (Amy, Piper, and Margot played at the Tower Motel when they were kids, until their games uncovered something dark and twisted in the motel's past that ruined their friendship. Years later, when Amy is accused of a horrific crime, Piper and Margo are forced to relive that time.)
- Pattison, Eliot -- Blood of the Oak \$26.00 (Duncan McCallum #4: 1765: Duncan McCallum investigates ritualistic murders that are strangely connected to both the theft of an Iroquois artifact and a series of murders and kidnappings in the network of runners supporting the recently formed Committees of Correspondence.)
- Pelecanos, George -- The Martini Shot \$14.99 (Collection. Short crime fiction, including an

original novella and 7 stories (6 reprints, 1
original).)

- Perry, Anne -- The Angel Court Affair \$16.00 (Thomas Pitt #30: Thomas Pitt thinks playing bodyguard to Sofia Delacruz, a controversial British preacher who has been living in Spain, is a waste of Special Branch's time. But when the woman is kidnapped, and two of her companions are murdered, Pitt learns that the message the woman was meant to deliver was far more urgent than he knew.)
- Redondo, Dolores -- The Invisible Guardian \$24.99 (International Dagger shortlist. Homicide inspector Amaia Salazar reluctantly returns to her Basque Country home town - a place engulfed in mythology and superstition to solve a series of eerie murders.)
- Ribchester, Lucy -- The Hourglass Factory \$25.95 (1912: When a famous trapeze artist disappears in the middle of her act, Fleet Street reporter Frances George teams up with Inspector Frederick Primrose to investigate. The trail leads to a secret society with ties to both London's glittering socialites and its criminal underworld.)
- Segura, Alex -- Silent City \$14.95 (When a co-worker he barely knows asks Pete to locate a missing girl, Pete finds himself dragged into a tale of murder, drugs, and double-crosses in the Miami underworld.)
- Simenon, Georges -- Signed, Picpus (alternate titles: To Any Lengths / Maigret and the

Fortuneteller) \$12.00 (Maigret #23: When a fortuneteller is found murdered in her apartment, Maigret must find out not only who committed the crime, but why it was predicted in a note found earlier.)

- Spillane, M/Collins, M -- Don't Look Behind You
 \$22.99 (Mike Hammer: Several murder attempts
 have left Hammer riled, and he's hellbent on
 figuring out who wants him dead.)
- Stout/Goldsborough -- Stop the Presses! \$14.99 (Archie and Nero are tasked with protecting the most hated columnist in NYC.)
- Webb, Holly -- The Case of the Vanishing Emerald \$5.99 (Maisie Hitchens #2: Ages 7 and up. When actress Sarah Massey loses the emerald necklace her boyfriend gave her, will Maisie and her dog Eddie be able help find it?)
- White, Randy Wayne -- Deep Blue \$27.00 (Doc Ford #23: Half-eaten dolphins are washing ashore on Sanibel Island. Doc has a theory about that, but he hopes he's wrong. If not, there's a predator out there, but not what anyone supposes - it's a human, and very determined.)
- Yi, A -- A Perfect Crime \$15.99 (In provincial China, a teen goes about his normal business while planning the brutal murder of his only friend. After committing the crime, he flees town, whereupon a perilous game of cat and mouse begins.)

Early April

- Aaronovitch, Ben et al -- Body Work \$14.99 (Rivers of London GN #1: PBO; Full color graphic novel. New story taking place between novels 4 and 5. The Folly investigates when cars begin taking on lives of their own and killing innocent folk.)
- Adams, Ellery -- Breach of Crust \$7.99 (Charmed Pie Shoppe #5: PBO; Ella Mae is hired to teach the tasty tricks of her trade at the Camellia Club's annual retreat. When the club president's body turns up floating in the lake, Ella Mae searches for the killer.)
- Adler-Olsen, Jussi -- The Alphabet House \$16.00 (1944: Shot down behind enemy lines, two English pilots pose as German soldiers and board a train carrying wounded men, only to find themselves in a mental hospital where German doctors experiment on patients. Their only hope of survival is to fake insanity, but they soon realize they aren't the only ones hiding secrets.)
- Albert, Susan Wittig -- Bittersweet \$7.99 (China Bayles #23: When her mother's ranch assistant is killed in a car crash and the local veterinarian is shot during a burglary at his clinic, China teams up with game warden Mack Chambers to investigate.)
- Albert, Susan Wittig -- Blood Orange \$27.00 (China Bayles #24: When nurse Kelly Kaufman uncovers suspicious practices at the local

hospice, and suspects a patient was murdered, she turns to China for guidance. When Kelly is critically injured, it's up to China to figure out who's behind it all.)

- Arango, Sascha -- The Truth and Other Lies \$16.00 (Only Henry Hayden and his wife know that she is the writer of the novels that made him famous. When Henry's mistress gets pregnant, Henry's solution becomes his most terrible mistake. Now the police are after him, and the past he has painstakingly kept hidden threatens to catch up with him as well.)
- Archer, Connie -- A Clue in the Stew \$7.99
 (Soup Lover's #5: PBO; When Lucky agreed to
 host an event with a famous author at the soup
 shop, she wasn't expecting the writer's
 exasperating entourage. When the evening ends
 with a homicide, can Lucky stir up some clues
 to catch the killer?)
- Arlen, Tessa -- Death Sits Down to Dinner \$25.99 (Montfort & Jackson #2: London, 1913: When a guest is quietly murdered at the table during a high society dinner party, Lady Montfort and her pragmatic housekeeper Mrs. Jackson trace the steps of suspects both upstairs and down.)
- Bebris, Carrie -- The Suspicion at Sanditon, or, The Disappearance of Lady Denham \$15.99 (Mr. & Mrs. Darcy #7: When wealthy Lady Denham goes missing, most assume one of her would-be heirs has grown impatient. But when other ladies disappear one by one, Mr. and Mrs. Darcy find themselves drawn into the frantic effort

to discover what has become of the missing women.)

- Brown, Duffy -- Braking for Bodies \$7.99
 (Cycle Path #2: PBO; A ferry full of tourists
 brings Fiona's sleazy former boss to Mackinac
 Island. When the man is found dead, it's up to
 Evie to clear Fiona's name.)
- Burdette, Lucy -- Killer Takeout \$7.99 (Key West Food Critic #7: PBO; Assigned to write a piece about a local festival's grab & go food, Hayley winds up hunting for a killer when the newly crowned festival queen is accused of murdering a rival.)
- Burton, Mary -- Vulnerable \$9.99 (PBO; A body found in the woods pulls forensic tech Georgia Morgan into a 5-year-old unsolved case. But the deeper she digs, the deadlier the secrets that emerge. Can homicide detective Jake Bishop keep her safe?)
- Butler, Dori Hillestad -- The Ghost in the Tree House \$4.99 (Haunted Library #7: Ages 6 and up. There's a ghost in a neighbor's tree house. Could it be someone from Kaz's family? Or is someone trying to cause problems for the ghost-busting club?)
- Calkins, Susanna -- The Masque of a Murderer \$15.99 (Lucy Campion #3: 1667: Lucy accompanies the local magistrate's daughter to a man's home to record his dying words, but she's unprepared for what he tells her: that someone deliberately pushed him into the path

of a horse and cart because of a secret he recently uncovered.)

- Cantrell, Janet -- Fat Cat Takes the Cake \$7.99 (Fat Cat #3: PBO; Ron North had a creepy crush on Julie in high school. Now he's throwing a high school reunion to gather support for his mayoral campaign. When tabby cat Quincy leads Chase to Ron's body, Julie becomes a suspect. Can Chase prove her innocence?)
- Carter, M.J. -- The Infidel Stain \$27.00 (Blake & Avery #2: London, 1841: Back from their adventures in India, Jeremiah Blake and William Avery look into a shocking series of murders in the world of London's gutter press that the police seem mysteriously unwilling to investigate.)
- Casey, Elizabeth Lynn -- Needle and Dread \$7.99 (Southern Sewing Circle #11: PBO; With the support of her sewing circle friends, Rose has opened a sewing shop, and is running workshops for enthusiasts. When an argumentative guest ends up dead in the project room, it's up to Tori and the gang to find the killer.)
- Chapman, Brenda -- **Tumbled Graves** \$14.99 (Stonechild & Rouleau #3: When a woman and her daughter go missing, Rouleau dispatches Kala Stonechild and Paul Gundersund to investigate.)
- Child, Lee -- Make Me \$9.99 (Jack Reacher #19: In the tiny town of Mother's Rest, a worried woman named Michelle Chang mistakes

Reacher for someone else: her missing partner in a private investigation that she thinks must have turned lethal. Reacher teams up with Chang and starts to ask around.)

- Clancy, T/Blackwood, G -- Under Fire \$9.99 (Jack Ryan Jr. #9: When an MI6 agent tells Jack that his old friend Seth Gregory has disappeared with operational funds and has probably turned traitor, Jack doesn't believe him, and starts searching for Seth.)
- Cleeves, Ann (ed) -- The Starlings & Other Stories \$19.95 (Anthology. Mystery stories written by the Murder Squad and their 6 accomplices, each inspired by the Pembrokeshire photos of David Wilson.)
- Coben, Harlan -- Fool Me Once \$28.00 (Maya sees an unthinkable image captured by her nanny cam while she is at work: her young daughter playing with her husband Joe - who was murdered two weeks earlier. But can she believe what she sees, even when she desperately wants to?)
- Collins, Kate -- Moss Hysteria \$7.99 (Flower Shop #18: PBO; Abby and Marco are ecstatic about moving into their new home. When a body is found floating in a nearby pond, the police suspect their helpful next-door neighbor, but Abby and Marco aren't convinced.)
- Corby, Gary -- Death Ex Machina \$15.95 (Nicolaos #5: It's the time of the Great Dionysia, but there's a problem: a ghost is haunting the grand theater in Athens. Hired to get rid of the ghost so the festival can begin,

Nicolaos and Diotima secretly suspect that a human saboteur is the actual culprit.)

- Crawford, Isis -- A Catered Mother's Day \$7.99 (Simmons Sisters #11: After Ellen Hadley's children forget her birthday and her husband forgets their anniversary, Bernie jokingly suggests that Ellen fake her own kidnapping to wake up her family. She didn't expect the stunt to end up with Ellen in a hotel room next to a dead body.)
- Daheim, Mary -- Here Comes the Bribe \$23.99
 (Bed & Breakfast #30: Judith has her hands full
 with unexpected family ties and a body in the
 backyard.)
- de Giovanni, Maurizio -- The Bastards of Pizzofalcone \$18.00 (Giuseppe Lojacono #2: Newly installed at the Pizzofalcone precinct in Naples, Inspector Lojacono heads up a team investigating a high-profile murder that has the entire city on edge.)
- Dunmore, Helen -- Exposure \$25.00 (1960: In Cold War London, a spy may be a friend or neighbor, a colleague or lover. Giles Holloway and Simon Callington face a terrible dilemma over a missing top-secret file. When Simon's wife Lily buries the file deep in a suburban garden, she believes she is protecting her family. What she will learn is that no one is immune from betrayal.)
- Dyer-Seeley, Kate -- Silenced in the Surf
 \$7.99 (Meg Reed #3: Covering a windsurfing
 competition should be a breeze for reporter Meg

Reed, but with a killer in the curl, she's headed for rough waters.)

- Eastman, Dawn -- An Unhappy Medium \$7.99 (Family Fortune #4: PBO; Clyde's nephew Seth is organizing a Zombie Fun Run, and Clyde has a nagging feeling that something will go wrong. When one of the zombie runners is murdered, can Clyde and her cop boyfriend Mac find the ghoulish killer?)
- Essa, Ibrahim -- The Televangelist \$16.95 (TV preacher Hatem el-Shawai - charismatic, quick-witted, and revered by housewives and politicians alike for delivering Islam to the masses - has friends in high places. When he is entrusted with a secret that threatens to wreak havoc across the country, he is drawn into a web of intrigue at the very heart of Egypt's government.)
- Estleman, Loren D. -- Desperate Detroit and Stories of Other Dire Places \$16.99 (Crime stories representing 40 years of his writing career, featuring gangsters, PIs, killers, feuding families, corrupt cops, and more.)
- Evanovich, J/Sutton, P -- Wicked Charms \$8.99 (Lizzy & Diesel #3: To search for the Stone of Avarice, part of a lost pirate treasure, Lizzy and Diesel are going to need a treasure map and a ship.)
- Faye, Lyndsay -- Jane Steele \$27.00 (Jane Steele suffered at the hands of her spiteful aunt and predatory cousin, then at a grim school where she fought for her life before

escaping, leaving the corpses of her tormentors behind. Years later, when she learns her childhood home has a new master, she takes a position there as governess. As she falls in love with the gruffly tragic Mr. Thornfield, she faces a dilemma: can she possess him, body, soul, and secrets, without revealing her murderous past?)

- Faye, Lyndsay -- The Fatal Flame \$16.00 (Timothy Wilde #3: 1840s NYC: When an arsonist with an agenda threatens corrupt and powerful alderman Robert Symmes, Timothy Wylde isn't thrilled to be put on the case. His reservations escalate when his brother Valentine announces he'll be running against Symmes in the upcoming election.)
- Flower, Amanda -- Crime and Poetry \$7.99
 (Magical Bookshop #1: PBO; Violet Waverly's
 grandmother Daisy runs Charming Books, where
 the perfect book tends to fly off the shelf and
 pick you. When a dead man is discovered
 clutching a book from the shop, can Violet get
 Daisy off the suspect list by finding the real
 killer?)
- Furlong, Susan -- Rest in Peach \$7.99
 (Georgia Peach #2: PBO; Nola is coordinating
 the Peach Cotillion dinner, as well as the
 grand opening of her new shop. When the teen
 Peach Queen's mother is stabbed to death, Ginny
 is a suspect, and Nola steps in to prove her
 friend's innocence.)
- Gates, Eva -- Reading Up a Storm \$7.99 (Lighthouse Library #3: PBO; A small boat

crashes into the coast, lured by some mysterious lights on the shore. The two seafarers survive, but when one of them is killed a few days later, Lucy finds herself navigating a sea of suspects.)

- Gazan, S.J. -- The Arc of the Swallow \$14.99 (Soren Marhauge #2: The death of a biologist, who published research showing that a vaccine being used in Africa was doing more harm than good, looks like suicide. But his grad student isn't convinced, and turns to maverick policeman Soren Marhauge for help.)
- Golemon, David L. -- The Mountain \$8.99 (Event Group #10: When a mission to find the remnants of Noah's Ark runs into trouble, it's up to Major Jack Collins and his team to rescue them from forces that will kill to keep the artifacts in Turkey.)
- Grabenstein, Chris -- The Island of Dr. Libris \$7.99 (Ages 8 and up. Whenever Billy opens the books inside Dr. Libris' private bookcase, he hears sounds coming from the island in the middle of the lake. The clash of swords. The twang of arrows. It's almost as if the stories are coming to life! But that's impossible, isn't it?)
- Grecian, Alex -- The Harvest Man \$16.00 (Murder Squad #4: Victorian London faces a new killer, who carves his victim's faces off their skulls, and Inspector Walter Day is assigned the case. Nevil Hammersmith, whose rash actions have put him off the force, has enlisted the help of a criminal network to stop Saucy Jack,

but his methods are carrying him further away from the ideals of the Yard. Of course, the Ripper's been playing a game with him, and with Day as well, pushing them to their limits to see what happens when they get there.)

- Hamdouchi, Abdelilah -- Whitefly \$14.95 (The traffickers, drug dealers, and smugglers know what it takes to get a gun into Morocco, and so does Detective Laafrit. When the fourth corpse in three days washes up in Tangier with a bullet in the chest, as Laafrit's team hunts for the murder weapon, Laafrit follows a hunch and reveals the killer at the heart of an international conspiracy.)
- Hannigan, Kate -- The Detective's Assistant \$6.99 (Ages 8 and up. 1860s: When she learns that her Aunt Kate is the first woman to be employed as a detective by the Pinkerton Agency, 11-year-old Nell Warne plans to use her own knack for close listening and bold action to help with cases - and maybe solve some of the mysteries of her own past.)
- Harris, Gregory -- The Dalwich Desecration \$15.00 (Colin Pendragon #4: PBO; Master sleuth Colin Pendragon and his trusted partner Ethan Pruitt head to rural Sussex County, where the bucolic peace has been shattered by the murder of a monk in the hallowed halls of Whitmore Abbey.)
- Hearon, Leigh -- Reining in Murder \$7.99 (Carson Stables #1: After rehabilitating an injured thoroughbred she rescued from a road accident, horse trainer Annie Carson delivers

the animal to its owner, only to discover the woman has been murdered.)

- Hesse, Monica -- Girl in the Blue Coat \$17.99 (Ages 12 and up. Amsterdam, 1943: Hanneke secures black market goods for paying customers. When Mrs. Janssen asks her to search for a Jewish teen, who vanished from the secret room where Mrs. Janssen was hiding her, Hanneke is drawn into a web of mysteries.)
- Hollis, Lee -- Death of a Bacon Heiress \$7.99 (Hayley Powell #7: A bacon heiress offers Hayley a writing gig with a juicy paycheck, but Hayley's good fortune fizzles fast when the heiress is found murdered.)
- Hunter, Seth -- The Winds of Folly \$18.95 (Nathan Peake #4: 1796: Peake is sent into the Adriatic with a small squadron to help bring Venice into an Italian alliance with Britain against the French.)
- Jones, Peter -- Eureka! \$15.95 (A look at the ancient Greeks, covering each major period, and introducing the major figures of the age, as well as exploring Greek mythology and providing insights into everyday life.)
- Kerr, Philip -- The Other Side of Silence \$27.00 (Bernie Gunther #11: French Riviera, 1956: W. Somerset Maugham is being blackmailed. Is it because of his unorthodox lifestyle, or does it hark back to his time with the British Secret Service? He turns to Bernie Gunther for professional advice.)

- King, Laurie R. -- The Murder of Mary Russell \$28.00 (Mary Russell #14: Mary Russell is used to her own dark secrets, and those of her partner Sherlock Holmes. But she is shocked when Samuel Hudson arrives, claiming to be Mrs. Hudson's son. The story he tells cannot possibly be true, yet Mary believes him as surely as she believes the threat of the gun in his hand.)
- King, Stephen -- Finders Keepers \$9.99 (Bill Hodges #2: Young Pete Saubers has found a treasure trove: cash and notebooks stolen from iconic author John Rothstein, who was murdered years ago. It's up to Bill Hodges, Holly Gibney, and Jerome Robinson to rescue Pete and his family from Rothstein's deranged and vengeful killer.)
- Knoll, Jessica -- Luckiest Girl Alive \$15.99
 (Edgar finalist. With a glamorous job,
 expensive wardrobe, and handsome blueblood
 fiance, Ani is close to the perfect life she's
 worked so hard to achieve. But something buried
 in her past still haunts her. Will breaking her
 silence destroy everything she's worked for or will it at long last set her free?)
- Larsen, Ward -- Assassin's Game \$9.99
 (David Slaton #2: David Slaton was once
 Israel's most lethal assassin. Now Mossad wants
 him back in action, to kill the scientist who
 is developing a nuclear-tipped ballistic
 missile for Iran.)
- le Carre, John -- Our Kind of Traitor (movie tie-in edition) \$16.00 (Reissue; When a

big-time Russian money launderer enlists their help to defect, a vacationing couple soon find themselves pawns in a deadly endgame whose outcome will be determined by the victor of the British Secret Service's ruthless internecine battles.)

- Lee, Patrick -- Signal \$9.99 (Sam Dryden #2: When an old colleague calls, Dryden helps her rescue four kidnapped girls. They flee into the night, just ahead of the police and FBI. When he learns the real secret behind the mission, Dryden will need all his skills, intelligence, and training to save himself, his friends, and the world itself.)
- Levien, David -- Signature Kill \$15.95 (Frank Behr #4: Down on his luck and broke, excop Frank Behr takes on a no-win case, to locate a wayward girl who's been missing for months, and finds a connection to an unidentified body found recently in an Indianapolis park.)
- Lindsay, Jeff et al -- Dexter Down Under \$19.99 (Full color graphic novel. On a trip to Australia, when Dexter discovers that someone is setting up illegal hunting safaris in the Outback - with humans in the crosshairs - he investigates as only he can.)
- Maron, Margaret -- Long Upon the Land \$7.99 (Deborah Knott #20: When Judge Deborah Knott's father Kezzie finds a dead man on a remote corner of his farm, the investigation uncovers long-simmering hostility between the two men. After the local newspaper implies her family

might be involved in the killing, and that her deputy husband is dragging his feet on the case, Deborah sets out to find answers.)

- McKinlay, Jenn -- Vanilla Beaned \$7.99
 (Cupcake Bakery #8: PBO; Mel and Angie decide
 to open their first franchise in Las Vegas.
 When the potential bakery location gets blown
 up, can Mel figure out who's trying to keep the
 bakery from cashing in?)
- Myers, Ann -- Cinco de Mayhem \$7.99 (Santa Fe Cafe #2: PBO; When a local restaurateur tries to take over all of the food carts in Santa Fe, and winds up dead under Linda's famous tamale truck, Rita and Flori team up to find the killer and clear Linda's name.)
- Perry, A/Drayton, J -- The Search for Anne Perry \$16.99 (Nonfiction. Given unparalleled access to Anne Perry, her friends, relatives, colleagues, and archives, Drayton intersperses the story of Perry's life with an examination of her crime writing, drawing parallels between Perry's own experiences and her characters and storylines.)
- Perry, Anne -- Treachery at Lancaster Gate \$28.00 (Thomas Pitt #31: When a bomb goes off during an important - and secret - police raid, killing several officers, Pitt investigates. The evidence trail leads him straight to a deadly crime in the drawing rooms of London's elite.)
- Reilly, Matthew -- The Tournament \$16.00 (1546: Suleiman the Magnificent issues an

invitation to the rulers of Europe: send your finest player to compete in a chess tournament. The English send scholar Roger Ascham, who brings along his student Elizabeth Tudor. As barbaric deaths, diplomatic treachery, and depravity unfold before their eyes, they realize the real game is being played within the court itself.)

- Ross, Ann B. -- Miss Julia Lays Down the Law \$16.00 (Miss Julia #16: When a snobby newcomer spouts nonstop criticism about Abbotsville, then winds up dead, Miss Julia investigates.)
- Runcie, James -- Sidney Chambers and the Perils of the Night (TV tie-in edition \$17.00 (Grantchester #2: Reissue; Cambridge, England, 1950s: Full-time priest and part-time sleuth Canon Sidney Chambers, working in tandem with the increasingly exasperated Inspector Geordie Keating, is called on to investigate several crimes.)
- Sanderson, Douglas -- Blondes Are My Trouble \$13.95 (Mike Garfin #2: Reissue; Is there a connection between a blonde woman who complains she's being followed by a man, and another woman found dead beneath the wheels of a large truck? PI Mike Garfin discovers they are linked by vice on the highest floors of the swankiest Sherbrooke Street apartments.)
- Sandford, John -- Gathering Prey \$9.99
 (Lucas Davenport #25: The Travelers move from
 city to city, panhandling, committing no
 crimes. Davenport's daughter Letty has

befriended one, and when the woman calls, to say she's hiding out in North Dakota, and that someone is killing her friends, Lucas volunteers to go with Letty to get her.)

- Shelton, Paige -- The Cracked Spine \$25.99 (Delaney is excited about starting a new job in Edinburgh, at a rare book and manuscript shop. When a precious artifact goes missing and a coworker's sister is murdered, Delaney decides to apply some American ingenuity to the case.)
- Silva, Daniel -- The English Spy \$9.99 (Gabriel Allon #15: An iconic member of the British Royal Family is killed when a bomb explodes on her holiday yacht; British intelligence turns to legendary spy and assassin Gabriel Allon to track down her killer.)
- Smith, Alexander McCall -- Emma: A Modern
 Retelling \$15.00 (Emma Woodhouse returns
 from university to the village of Highbury,
 where she will live with her father until she
 is ready to launch her interior-design business
 and strike out on her own. In the meantime, she
 will do what she does best: offer guidance to
 those less wise in the ways of the world than
 herself.)
- Smith, Lachlan -- Panther's Prey \$24.00
 (Leo Maxwell #4: Leo is now working as a public
 defender in San Francisco. After a client's
 acquittal, Leo and his co-counsel Jordan get
 involved. When she's found raped and murdered,
 Leo is a suspect. The case takes a bizarre turn
 when their recently acquitted client walks into

the police station and offers to confess to Jordan's murder.)

- Stevens, Chevy -- Always Watching \$7.99
 (Working with a new patient who attempted
 suicide, psychiatrist Nadine Lavoie is forced
 to confront her own troubled history and
 uncover her own secrets.)
- Svensson, Anton -- The Father \$26.99 (Made in Sweden #1: First in a trilogy of novels based on the true story of 3 brothers who committed 10 audacious bank robberies in Sweden.)
- Swanson, Peter -- The Kind Worth Killing \$9.99 (Steel Dagger shortlist. Ted and Lily meet on a late night flight, forge an unusual bond, and begin planning to kill Ted's wife. But they both have dark secrets, and what began as a murder scheme turns into a very lethal game of cat and mouse.)
- Taylor, Andrew -- The Silent Boy \$15.99 (Edward Savill #2: Historical Dagger shortlist. 1792: Edward Savill is working in London as agent for a wealthy American. Word arrives that his employer's estranged wife was killed in France, and his 10-year-old son Charles is in England with a group of French refugees. Sent to retrieve the boy, Savill discovers Charles is mute. The boy has witnessed horrors beyond his years, but what haunts him so deeply that he is unable to utter a word?)
- Taylor, David C. -- Night Life \$15.99 (Michael Cassidy #1: Edgar finalist. NYC, 1954:

Michael Cassidy is plagued by dreams that sometimes come true. Assigned to investigate when a Broadway dancer is found tortured and killed, he learns that the man may have possessed compromising photos of someone very important. But the case isn't Cassidy's only puzzle: he's dreaming of his own murder.)

- Thomson, Lesley -- The Detective's Secret \$14.95 (Stella Darnell #3: A man has died beneath a late-night train, and Stella Darnell suspects it could have been murder. Now she and Jack Harmon are stirring up the past with questions that no one wants answered questions leading to an old unsolved case.)
- Unger, Lisa -- Crazy Love You \$7.99 (After an unpleasant childhood, Ian has found success in New York City. But his childhood friend Priss is trouble, and he's growing tired of their late nights together. That makes Priss angry, and when Priss is angry, terrible things begin to happen.)
- Upson, Nicola -- London Rain \$15.99 (Josephine Tey #6: London, 1937: A BBC radio adaptation of *Queen of Scots* is part of King George VI's coronation celebration, and playwright Josepine Tey has been invited. She becomes involved in another sort of drama when a venerable newsman is shot to death in his broadcasting booth.)
- Watterson, Kate -- Fractured \$7.99 (Ellie MacIntosh #4: Milwaukee homicide detective Ellie MacIntosh is looking for a serial killer,

but she can't connect the victims, and there isn't a single suspect in sight.)

- Winspear, Jacqueline -- Journey to Munich \$26.99 HC, \$39.99 Unabridged Audio CDs (Maisie Dobbs #12: 1938: When the German government agrees to release a British citizen from Dachau, the British Secret Service sends Maisie to collect the man. In the heart of Nazi Germany, she encounters unexpected dangers; Signed copies expected)
- Woods, Stuart -- Naked Greed \$9.99 (Stone Barrington #34: Stone is thrown into the turbulent world of beer making and distribution when he rescues a brewery owner from an attack by two rogue cops.)
- Woods, Stuart -- Family Jewels \$28.00 (Stone Barrington #37: Stone's latest client is looking for help discouraging a man's attentions. But no sooner does Stone fend off the party in question than his client becomes involved in two lethal crimes. Stone must probe deep into her life to uncover the truth.)
- Yu, Ovidia -- Aunty Lee's Chilled Revenge \$14.99 (Aunty Lee #3: Sleuthing restaurateur Aunty Lee investigates a pair of murders connected to an animal rescue society that her friend and business partner Cherril used to be involved with.)

Mid April

- Ace, Cathy -- The Corpse with the Garnet Face \$14.95 (Cait Morgan #7: Cait and Bud head to Amsterdam, where an uncle Bud never knew he had has met an untimely death, leaving behind a cryptic message for his nephew.)
- Baldacci, David -- The Last Mile \$29.00 (Amos Decker #2: Melvin Mars is facing execution for killing his parents 20 years ago. When another man confesses to the crime, Mars may become a free man. Who wants Mars out of prison, and why now? Amos Decker and his FBI special task force investigate.)
- Bertman, Jennifer C. -- Book Scavenger \$7.99 (Ages 9 and up. Garrison Grisworld created Book Scavenger, an online game where books are hidden around the globe, with clues for finding them revealed through puzzles. After an attack leaves Griswold in a coma, 12-year-old Emily and her friend James discover an odd book, which they come to believe contains the only copy of Griswold's newest game. Rushing from clue to clue, can they find the secret at the heart of the game before Griswold's attackers find them?)
- Bolton, Sharon (S.J) -- Little Black Lies \$16.99 (The Falkland Islands are a small community. A missing child is unheard of. When another goes missing, and then a third, the villagers must admit there's a killer among them. And three islanders are hiding terrible secrets.)
- Burton, Miles -- Death in the Tunnel (alternate title: Dark Is the Tunnel) \$12.95 (Arnold

& Merrion #12: Reissue; Originally published in 1936. Inspector Arnold of Scotland Yard teams up with amateur criminologist Desmond Merrion to investigate a murder that was meant to look like suicide.)

- Clark, Mary Higgins -- The Melody Lingers On \$7.99 (While redecorating a modest townhouse for the wife of a notorious disgraced financier, Lane finds herself moved by the woman's belief in her husband's innocence, and drawn to the woman's son. She doesn't realize that the closer she gets to them, the more she puts her life in jeopardy.)
- Dufresne, John -- I Don't Like Where This Is Going \$25.95 (Wylie Coyote #2: Troubled by the cover-up after a woman falls to her death outside the Luxor Hotel, Wylie sets out to find answers with the help of an old friend.)
- Duncan, Elizabeth J. -- Murder on the Hour \$26.99 (Penny Brannigan #7: People are flocking to Llanelen to have their family treasures valued for a popular antiques TV show. When a shy, quiet local is found dead, her heirloom quilt missing, Penny Brannigan's search for clues leads to a mysterious document that could hold the key to a long-forgotten secret and present-day murder.)
- Fesperman, Dan -- The Letter Writer \$26.95 (1942: When a body is found floating in the Hudson River, NYPD cop Woodrow Cain investigates with the help of Danzinger, a man who writes letters for illiterate immigrants and seems to have boundless knowledge of the

city and its denizens. The case leads them into a web of corruption and possibly treasonous activity.)

- Fuller, Bill -- A Girl's Guide to Landing a Greek God \$14.99 (PBO; Angie's grandmother sends her on a trip to an uncharted Greek island, where she falls for Milos, a descendant of the original gods of Olympus. To hang onto him, she'll have to battle monsters, uncover secrets about her past, and go toe-to-toe with Zeus, whose plan for returning to power does not include a sassy girl from the outer boroughs.)
- Greenaway, R.M. -- Cold Girl \$17.99 (B.C. Blues #1: When a popular singer vanishes, RCMP investigator David Leith and his team work through the possibilities. Was she snatched by the Pickup Killer, or does the answer lie with her reticent fans and friends?)
- Hammer, Joshua -- The Bad-Ass Librarians of Timbuktu \$26.00 (Nonfiction. Abdel Kader Haidara, an archivist and historian, spent decades tracking down and salvaging ancient Islamic and secular manuscripts. In 2012, when Al Qaeda militants seized control of Timbuktu and threatened to destroy them, Haidara organized a dangerous operation to smuggle all 350,000 volumes out of the city to safety in southern Mali.)
- Hand, Elizabeth -- Hard Light \$25.99 (Cass Neary #3: When offbeat photographer Cass Neary's lover Quinn, who is wanted by both Interpol and the Russian mob, misses their

rendezvous in London, Cass fears she'll be the next to disappear, and goes on the run.)

- Havill, Steven F. -- Come Dark \$15.95 (Posadas County #20: Undersheriff Estelle Reyes-Guzman investigates when the volleyball coach is found gunned down in the shower room.)
- Locke, Attica -- Pleasantville \$15.99 (Jay Porter #2: Gold Dagger shortlist. 1996: When a volunteer for a mayoral candidate goes missing on Election Night, in a neighborhood for upwardly mobile blacks in Houston, a local - a candidate's nephew - is arrested. Jay Porter reluctantly finds himself serving as a defense attorney in a case that will also put an electoral process on trial, exposing the dark side of power and those determined to keep it.)
- Masterman, Becky -- Fear the Darkness \$15.99 (Brigid Quinn #2: Retired FBI agent Brigid Quinn agrees to help a local couple by investigating the death of their son. When dangerous things start to happen, she begins to wonder if she can trust anyone.)
- Maxwell, Edith -- Delivering the Truth \$14.99
 (Quaker Midwife #1: PBO; Massachusetts, 1888:
 Rose Carroll hears secrets and keeps
 confidences as she attends rich and poor births
 alike. When arson threatens the town's carriage
 factory, and a factory owner's son is killed
 with Rose's knitting needle, she is drawn into
 investigating.)

McCreight, Kimberly -- Where They Found Her \$15.99 (Journalist Molly Sanderson investigates when a newborn's body is found in the woods near a university campus in a wellto-do New Jersey town.)

Miske, Karim -- Arab Jazz \$24.99 (International Dagger shortlist. Ahmed is a French Arab, non-observant, unable to reconcile his conflicting identities, and troubled by the past. When a neighbor is murdered, with a joint of pork placed near her body, he finds himself first among many suspects. As the detectives work to untangle the events leading up to the woman's death, Ahmed assists them, determined to clear his name.)

- Mosley, Walter -- And Sometimes I Wonder About You \$15.00 (Leonid McGill #5: After a break-in at his office and the murder of a man who tried to hire him, New York City PI Leonid McGill gets reeled into the underbelly of a wealthy old-money family.)
- Nguyen, Viet Thanh -- The Sympathizer \$16.00 (Edgar finalist. Saigon, 1975: A general and his trusted captain determine who will be aboard the last flights out of the country. As the general and his compatriots begin new lives in LA - the captain, a communist operative observes them and sends coded messages to an old friend in the communist administration. Under suspicion, the captain contemplates terrible acts to remain undetected. And when he falls in love, he finds his ideals clash with his loyalties to those close to him.)
- Rollins, J/Blackwood, G -- War Hawk \$27.99 (Tucker Wayne #2: A former army colleague turns

to Tucker for help. As Tucker and his dog Kane search for a young idealist's killer, the trail leads to powerful people in the US government.)

- Rowland, John -- Calamity in Kent \$12.95 (Inspector Shelley #16: Reissue; Originally published in 1950. Newspaper reporter Jimmy London teams up with Inspector Shelley to investigate when a dead body is found inside a locked railway carriage in a peaceful seaside town.)
- Rowling, JK/Galbraith, R -- Career of Evil \$17.99 (Cormoran Strike #3: PI Strike investigates when a package containing a woman's severed leg is delivered to his assistant Robin Ellacott.)
- Schultz, Emily -- The Blondes \$16.00 (Grad student Hazel Hayes learns she is pregnant at an apocalyptically bad time: random but deadly attacks on passersby, all by blonde women, are terrorizing New Yorkers. Soon it becomes clear that the attacks are symptoms of a strange illness that is transforming blondes into rabid killers.)
- Simenon, Georges -- Inspector Cadaver (alternate title: Maigret's Rival) \$12.00 (Maigret #24: When a friend's brother-in-law is accused of murder, Maigret heads to the small French town to help. He must face an old enemy, a former cop who seems to be doing everything in his power to obstruct Maigret's investigation.)
- Smith, Lachlan -- Fox Is Framed \$15.00 (Leo Maxwell #3: After a judge orders a new trial

for Lawrence Maxwell, a prison snitch turns up dead, and Lawrence is the only suspect. Leo teams up with Nina Schuyler to defend Lawrence against murder charges old and new.)

- Sykes, S.D. (Sarah) -- Plague Land \$15.95 (Somershill Manor #1: 1350 CE: After years in a monastery, Oswald de Lacy finds himself lord of Somershill Manor when his father and brothers die of the plague. When a young woman is killed, the village priest claims the attack was supernatural, but Oswald's search for the real killer leads him into a maze of political intrigue, family secrets, and violent strife.)
- Todd, Charles -- A Pattern of Lies \$14.99 (Bess Crawford #7: 1918: An explosion at the Ashton Gunpowder Mill has killed over a hundred workers. When suspicion and rumor lead to the persecution of the Ashton family, Bess follows the only known witness to the Front in France in hopes of learning the truth.)
- Vachss, Andrew -- Drawing Dead \$15.00 (Cross #3: PBO; The Cross Crew is notorious for its deadly efficiency and its disinterest in anything other than money. Why, then, would anyone be foolhardy enough to threaten them and, more importantly, threaten their loved ones?)
- Vidal, Gore -- Thieves Fall Out \$9.95 (Reissue; A down-on-his-luck American is hired to smuggle an ancient relic out of Cairo at a time when revolution is brewing and heads are about to roll.)

- Walker, Martin -- The Children Return (UK title: Children of War) \$15.95 (Bruno #7: Sami, an autistic young man assumed lost to Islamic extremism, returns home to St. Denis. Abducted to Afghanistan and exploited for his technological genius, Sami also used his skills to gather a trove of al-Qaeda intel. Now domestic jihadists aim to silence Sami, even as an international tribunal descends to process Sami's case.)
- Weiss, Kirsten -- The Perfectly Proper Paranormal Museum \$14.99 (PBO; When Maddie's career flatlines, she's pressured into managing her home town's paranormal museum, where a new ghost may be on the loose. A fresh corpse at the museum embroils Maddie in murders past and present.)
- Wortman, Marc -- 1941: Fighting the Shadow War \$27.00 (The history of clandestine US involvement in WWII prior to Pearl Harbor, as FDR used all the powers at his disposal to battle Hitler from the shadows while working to gain public support for US entry into the war.)

Early May

Abel, James -- Protocol Zero \$9.99 (Joe Rush #2: Rush discovers that an Alaskan research team has fallen victim to something that seems impossible, yet the evidence looks undeniable in the lab. Now the danger may threaten thousands more.)

- Alem, Raja -- The Dove's Necklace \$29.95
 (When a dead woman is discovered in a Mecca
 alley, no one will claim the body because of
 her nakedness. As Detective Nassir
 investigates, the secret life of the holy city
 is revealed a city both beholden to brutal
 customs and reckoning uneasily with new
 traditions.)
- Atherton, Nancy -- Aunt Dimity and the Summer King \$14.00 (Aunt Dimity #20: Is a developer planning to turn the cozy village of Finch into an enclave of overpriced weekend homes? Lori will need Aunt Dimity's otherworldly help to save her beloved village.)
- Balliett, Blue -- Pieces and Players \$7.99 (Petra & Calder #4: Ages 8 and up. When 13 extremely valuable pieces of art are stolen from a museum, Calder, Petra, and Tommy are matched with two new sleuths, Zoomy and Early, to investigate.)
- Barrett, Lorna -- A Fatal Chapter \$7.99
 (Booktown #9: When the president of the
 Stoneham Historical Society dies under
 mysterious circumstances, can Tricia figure out
 who had a motive to kill her friend?)
- Ben-David, Mishka -- Duet in Beirut \$16.95 (When an expelled Mossad agent disappears after a failed assassination attempt against a Hezbollah operative, it is up to his former commander to track him down and stop him.)
- Black, Cara -- Murder in the Marais \$9.99 (Aimee Leduc #1: Reissue; Parisian PI Aimee

Leduc handles a top-secret decoding job for an old Jewish woman, but when she goes to drop off her findings at her client's house, she finds the woman strangled to death, a swastika carved on her forehead.)

- Black, David -- Fast Shuffle \$9.99 (Harry is a car salesman who believes he's a 1940s PI. The people around him think he's unstable, and are getting fed up with his behavior. When Harry witnesses a murder, no one believes him, and soon Harry and his girlfriend Friday are on the run, hunted by the police, the killer, and even Harry's friends and relatives.)
- Blake, Heather -- Gone with the Witch \$7.99 (Wishcraft #6: PBO; The organizer of the Pawsitively Enchanted pet contest thinks someone is sabotaging the event, and hires Darcy to keep an eye on things. When her lead suspect is found dead and someone starts snatching up pets, can Darcy find the culprit?)
- Bond, Larry -- Lash-Up \$9.99 (When China provokes a military crisis with the US and starts shooting down GPS satellites, Navy engineer Ray McConnell knows he must act quickly before US military capabilities are crippled.)
- Bridge, Kathleen -- Hearse and Gardens \$7.99 (Hamptons Home & Garden #2: PBO; While helping a friend clear out furniture from a massive estate, Meg discovers a skeleton in one of the bungalows.)

- Brown, Rita&Sneaky Pie -- Tail Gait \$7.99 (Mrs. Murphy #23: When a beloved history professor is gunned down on the golf course in broad daylight, Harry and her furry cohorts begin nosing into the case.)
- Carlisle, Kate -- Ripped from the Pages \$7.99 (Bibliophile #9: In the caves deep under her parents' commune, a room is unearthed containing artwork, rare books, wine, jewelry and a perfectly mummified body. Brooklyn sets out to solve the mystery of the treasure trove)
- Castillo, Linda -- After the Storm \$7.99 (Kate Burkholder #7: When a tornado tears through town and unearths human remains, police chief Kate Burkholder finds herself plunged into a decades-old case that takes her into the Amish community to which she once belonged.)
- Christopher, Adam -- Blood and Ink \$7.99 (Elementary: PBO; Novel based on the TV show. Sherlock Holmes and Joan Watson investigate when the CFO of a secretive hedge fund is stabbed through the eye with an expensive fountain pen.)
- Clarke, Richard A. -- Pinnacle Event \$9.99 (The investigation of 5 simultaneous murders on 3 continents reveals the recent black-market sale of nuclear weapons. But who bought them? And what is their target? US intelligence expert Ray Bowman teams up with agents from Israel and South Africa to prevent the attack.)
- Cleverly, Barbara -- Diana's Altar \$26.95 (Joe Sandilands #13: Cambridge, 1933: When a

man dies inside the old All Hallows Church on All Hallows' Eve, Scotland Yard sends Sandilands to investigate. Thrown into a deadly ring of cloak and dagger politics and high society hedonism, he must uncover the truth before the Hellfire Club topples institutions and harms the people he has sworn to protect.)

- Cochran, Peg -- Berry the Hatchet \$7.99 (Cranberry Cove #2: PBO; After the mayor of Cranberry Cove is murdered, Monica's mother and stepmother become suspects when the police find out he was dating both of them.)
- Collins, Max Allan -- Better Dead \$26.99 (Nathan Heller #18: 1950s: Nate Heller is doing legwork for Senator Joe McCarthy, despite not liking the man's witch-hunting tactics. To find out what the CIA has on McCarthy, Heller turns to an army scientist who's having misgivings about his CIA work. And then the scientist goes missing.)
- Collins, Max Allan -- Quarry (alternate title: The Broker) \$7.99 (Quarry #1: Reissue; The assignment was simple for a pro like Quarry: stake out the man's home and kill him. When things go horribly wrong, Quarry has a new mission: learn who hired him, and make the bastard pay.)
- Connelly, Michael -- The Crossing \$15.99 (Harry Bosch #20 / Mickey Haller #6: The murder rap against his client seems ironclad, but defense attorney Mickey Haller is sure it's a setup, and turns to Harry Bosch for help. With secret help from his former LAPD partner Lucia

Soto, Bosch turns the investigation inside the police department.)

- Cooley, M.P. -- Flame Out \$14.99 (June Lyons #2: When an arson investigation at an old factory turns up a woman's body sealed in a barrel, police officer June Lyons and her partner expect it to be the factory owner's long-lost wife, but it isn't. As the case grows more complex, June teams up with FBI special agent Hale Bascom to find the truth.)
- Cronin, Doreen -- The Case of the Weird Blue Chicken \$5.99 (Chicken Squad #2: Ages 7 and up. When a weird blue bird arrives at Chicken Squad HQ squawking about a housenapper, it's up to Dirt, Sugar, Sweetie, and Poppy to uncover the clues and solve the case.)
- Cussler, C/Morrison, B -- Piranha \$9.99 (Oregon Files #10: In 1902, a volcano erupts on Martinique, wiping out a city and sinking a ship carrying a German scientist on the verge of an astonishing breakthrough. More than a century later, Juan Cabrillo and his crew will have to deal with the scientist's legacy.)
- Donally, Claire -- Catch as Cat Can \$7.99 (Sunny & Shadow #5: PBO; When an unknown man is found murdered in the seafood shop's freezer, the police suspect the shop owner. Can Sunny get him off the hook?)
- Durham, David Anthony -- The Risen \$28.95 (A novel about the superb gladiator Spartacus and the vast slave revolt he led that came very

close to bringing Rome and its supposedly invincible legions to their knees.)

- Finder, Joseph -- The Fixer \$9.99 (When Rick Hoffman loses his job, he sets out to renovate his childhood home, empty since his father's stroke. There he makes a discovery that will put his life in peril, and change everything he though he knew about his father.)
- Fluke, Joanne -- Eyes \$7.99 (Reissue; A car salesman, a womanizing bartender, a beloved minister. Minnesota police can't find a connection between their murders, but that's because what links them can't be seen with the naked eye.)
- George, Elizabeth -- The Edge of the Shadows
 \$10.99 (Becca King #3: Ages 12 and up.
 Someone is setting fires on Whidbey Island, and
 Becca King and her friends wonder if one of the
 newcomers is responsible. Meanwhile, Becca
 explores her growing extrasensory abilities,
 encouraged by psychic Diana Kinsale.)
- Glatt, John -- The Lost Girls \$7.99
 (Nonfiction. The story of three women, held
 captive in a Cleveland basement for nearly a
 decade, and their amazing escape in May 2013.)
- Goldenbaum, Sally -- A Finely Knit Murder \$15.00 (Seaside Knitters #9: The Seaside Knitters are teaching at the local school as part of the enrichment program, and decide to do some sleuthing when an outspoken school board member is found dead.)

- Griffiths, Elly -- The Woman in Blue \$25.00
 (Galloway & Nelson #8: Archaeologist Ruth
 Galloway, her druid friend Cathbad, and DCI
 Harry Nelson team up to solve a series of
 crimes in Little Walsingham, a town famous for
 religious apparations.)
- Haines, Carolyn -- Bone to Be Wild \$7.99 (Sarah Booth Delaney #15: When her old flame Scott Hampton and his band receive death threats, Sarah Booth jumps in to help investigate.)
- Hardisty, Paul E. -- The Evolution of Fear \$14.95 (Clay Straker #2: Clay is wanted by the CIA for acts of terrorism he didn't commit, his best friend has just been murdered, and the woman he loves has disappeared. Tracking her to Cyprus, he is drawn into a violent struggle between Russian mobsters, Greek Cypriot extremists, and Turkish developers.)
- Harris, Sherry -- All Murders Final! \$7.99 (Sarah Winston #3: PBO; When one of her virtual garage sale clients is murdered, Sarah turns to her police chief ex for help solving the crime.)
- Hart, Carolyn -- Don't Go Home \$7.99 (Death on Demand #25: Annie is hosting a party to celebrate former local Alex Griffith's new novel. Word leaks out that Griffith aims to reveal the real-life inspirations behind his characters. When the writer ends up dead, there's an array of suspects to match the book's cast of characters.)

- Hart, John -- Redemption Road \$27.99 (A boy with a gun waits for the man who killed his mother. A detective confronts her past in the aftermath of a shooting. After years in prison, a good cop walks free. But for how long? And in the forest, on the altar of an abandoned church, the unthinkable has just happened; Signed copies expected)
- Hechtman, Betty -- Seams Like Murder \$7.99 (Crochet #10: PBO; When the Hookers find a dead body in the apartment above CeeCee's garage, Molly is determined to find the killer.)
- Hiebert, Michael -- Dream with Little Angels \$9.99 (Leah Teal #1: In 1975, a teenage girl disappeared in Alvin, Alabama. New detective Leah Teal was assigned the case. Months later, the girl turned up dead. Now it's 1987, and another girl goes missing. Then another. Leah is sure these incidents are connected to her unsolved first case - and then Leah's daughter joins the list of missing girls.)
- Hill, Susan -- The Soul of Discretion \$15.95 (Simon Serrailler #8: In a risky undercover operation, Simon must inhabit the mind of the worst kind of criminal. This takes a toll on Simon, and, as the investigation unfolds, on the town and some of its most respected citizens.)
- Holt, Hazel -- Mrs. Malory and Death Is a Word \$7.99 (Mrs. Malory #21: Eva Jackson has returned to the village after the death of her journalist husband. When she decides to compile a book of his unpublished work, a fire breaks

out in the garage where his papers are stored. And when Eva meets a suspicious end, Sheila wonders if there's a killer at large.)

- Hood, Joshua -- Clear by Fire \$9.99 (After refusing an order to murder an innocent Afghan family, Mason Kane finds himself on the run, hunted by his former black ops comrades and labeled a terrorist by the country he faithfully served.)
- Hughes, Andrew -- The Convictions of John Delahunt \$14.95 (Dublin, 1841: The murder of a small boy leads to public outcry when the apparent culprit turns out to be an informant in the pay of the authorities at Dublin Castle.)
- Janik, Erika -- Pistols and Petticoats \$25.95 (Nonfiction. A lively exploration of the struggles faced by women in law enforcement and mystery fiction for the past 175 years.)
- Johnson, Craig -- Dry Bones \$16.00 (Walt Longmire #12: After the largest, most complete fossil of a Tyrannosaurus rex ever found is discovered in Absaroka County, the Cheyenne rancher who claims it is found face down in a turtle pond. As a number of parties dispute the ownership of the priceless remains, sheriff Walt Longmire recruits Vic Moretti, Henry Standing Bear, and Dog to investigate a 66million-year-old cold case that's heating up fast.)

Jonasson, Jonas -- Hitman Anders and the Meaning of It All \$15.99 (In a brothel turned lowrent hotel, a fired female priest, a receptionist, and a murderer just out of prison form an unusual new business, quickly building a clientele of rich Swedish gangsters. Things take an unexpected turn when the killer finds Jesus.)

- Jones, Peter -- Veni, Vidi, Vici \$14.95 (A look at the ancient Romans, covering each major period and aspect of the Roman world.)
- Kessler, Kate -- It Takes One \$14.99 (Audrey Harte #1: PBO; When Audrey was 13, she and her friend Maggie killed Maggie's abusive father. Back home after 7 years, Audrey ends up fighting with a drunken Maggie. When Maggie turns up dead, Audrey has to find out who the killer is before everyone blames her.)

Lagercrantz, David -- Fall of Man in Wilmslow \$26.95 (1954: With a witch-hunt for homosexuals raging across Britain, no one is surprised when mathematician Alan Turing is found dead. It's widely assumed he committed suicide, but DS Leonard Corell, who dreamed of a career in higher mathematics, suspects greater forces are involved.)

Larsson/Lagercrantz -- The Girl in the Spider's Web \$16.95 (Millennium #4: A continuation of Larsson's series, written by David Lagercrantz. Journalist Mikael Blomkvist gets a call from a trusted source who claims to have information vital to the US. The source has been in contact with a young woman hacker - who resembles someone Blomkvist knows only too well. In desperate need of a scoop, he turns to Lisbeth Salander for help.)

- Lee, Harper -- Go Set a Watchman \$15.99 (1950s: Returning home to Maycomb for a visit, Jean Louise Finch - Scout - struggles with issues both personal and political, involving her father Atticus, society, and the small Alabama town that shaped her.)
- Lehane, Con -- Murder at the 42nd Street Library \$25.99 (Crime fiction collection curator Ray Ambler and NYPD detective Mike Cosgrove investigate when a dead body turns up in a second floor office.)
- Lippman, Laura -- Wilde Lake \$26.99 (Lu Brant's first case as state's attorney dredges up painful memories of 1980, when her brother A.J. saved his best friend at the cost of another man's life. Now she wonders if the events happened as she remembers, and what details might have been withheld from her because she was a child. The more she learns about the case, the more questions arise.)
- Logan, Kylie -- Irish Stewed \$7.99 (Ethnic Eats #1: PBO; Determined to perk up business at her aunt's diner, Laurel plans to feature different ethnic cuisines as specials. But first she'll have to figure out who stabbed a local reporter with the diner's receipt spike.)

Ludlum, R/Mills, K -- The Patriot Attack \$9.99 (Covert-One #12: An attack on a Japanese warship brings Japan and China to the brink of war just as Covert-One is trying to recover mysterious material from the wreckage of the Fukushima nuclear reactor.)

- MacBride, Stuart -- In the Cold Dark Ground \$25.99 (Logan McRae #10: When DS McRae's missing persons investigation turns up a dead body in the woods, DCI Steel's Major Investigation team charges up from Aberdeen. And, as usual, she wants him to do her job for her.)
- Mackay, Malcolm -- The Night the Rich Men Burned \$26.00 (Violence spills out into the city's streets as the three most powerful rivals in Glasgow's dark and dangerous debt collection business make deadly attempts to outmaneuver one another.)
- Massey, Jeremy -- The Last Four Days of Paddy Buckley \$16.00 (One night, undertaker Paddy Buckley hits a pedestrian crossing the street. When he discovers it's the brother of a Dublin mobster - dead - Paddy drives away. Next day, Paddy finds himself assigned to oversee the funeral arrangements. When events go awry, he is plunged into an unexpected eddy of intrigue, deceit, and treachery.)
- Maxwell, Edith -- Farmed and Dangerous \$7.99
 (Local Foods #3: Cam investigates when a
 cantankerous resident at the local assisted
 living facility dies after eating some of Cam's
 produce.)
- McDermott, Andy -- The Revelation Code \$9.99
 (Wilde & Chase #10: After Eddie and Nina are
 kidnapped, Nina learns her captor has plans for

her archaeological skills - hunting down a series of ancient stone figures that he believes will reveal all of God's secrets to him.)

- McHugh, Mary -- Bossa Novas, Bikinis, and Bad Ends \$7.99 (Happy Hoofers #4: PBO; The Hoofers' Carnival gig at the most elegant hotel in Rio de Janeiro turns deadly when their Brazilian companion is found dead in her room.)
- Oliver, Lauren -- The Shrunken Head \$6.99 (Curiosity House #1: Ages 8 and up. Edgar finalist. When the Amazonian shrunken head is stolen from Dumfrey's Dime Museum, orphans Philippa, Sam, Thomas, and Max are determined to get it back. Their search leads them to a series of murders and an explosive secret about their pasts.)
- Palmer, Daniel -- Constant Fear \$9.99 (Andy is part of a computer club that distributes money from the obscenely wealthy to the needy. But this time, they've stolen from the wrong people: a vicious drug cartel that is coming to get its money back.)
- Parker, R/Atkins, A -- Kickback \$9.99 (Spenser #44: Judge Joe Scali is leading a 'zero tolerance for minors' movement. But a woman whose son is doing time for setting up a prank Twitter account isn't buying Scali's line. She hires Spenser to find the truth behind the draconian sentencing.)
- Parker, R/Atkins, A -- Slow Burn \$27.00 (Spenser #45: Hired to look into a deadly

apartment building fire, Spenser learns that, not only was it arson, but it might be tied to similar fires plaguing one of Boston's oldest neighborhoods. He follows the trail through a mire of corruption and greed.)

- Parra, Nancy J. -- Newlywed Dead \$7.99 (Perfect Proposals #3: PBO; When the bartender at her sister's wedding drops dead from a lethal nightcap, the authorities think it's a tragic accident, but Pepper suspects murder.)
- Patterson, J/Paetro, M -- 14th Deadly Sin \$9.99 (Women's Murder Club #14: With San Francisco under siege and everyone a suspect, the Women's Murder Club must risk their lives to save the city and each other.)
- Pearl, Matthew -- The Last Bookaneer \$16.00 (In the 19th century, when US copyright laws did not protect foreign authors, US publishers reaped enormous profits selling books without compensating the authors. With a new international treaty about to put an end to this windfall, a pair of literary pirates set out for the island of Samoa to get their hands on Robert Louis Stevenson's final manuscript.)
- Quinn, Spencer -- Woof \$7.99 (Bowser & Birdie #1: Ages 8 and up. When her grammy's stuffed prize marlin is stolen, and a rumor springs up that it's linked to a missing treasure, young Birdie and her dog Bowser start digging into the mystery. And when danger comes straight for Birdie, Bowser knows it's up to him to sic 'em.)

- Quinn, Spencer -- Arf \$16.99 (Bowser & Birdie #2: Ages 8 and up. Bowser has questions. Why is Birdie looking worried? Who broke into their house? Why is the new girl in town digging into the mystery of what happened to Birdie's dad, a policeman killed in the line of duty? Bowser better keep his ears perked and his paws ready, because a cold case is heating up.)
- Riggs, Cynthia -- Bloodroot \$25.99 (Martha's Vineyard #12: When a patient dies at a Martha's Vineyard dental office, and then the offfice receptionist's body turns up floating in the harbor, 92-year-old sleuth Victoria Trumbull takes on the case.)
- Robb, Candace -- The Service of the Dead \$25.95 (Kate Clifford #1: 14th-century York: Determined to be independent after her husband's death, Kate Clifford opens a guest house, and also rents bedchambers where wealthy men can discreetly entertain their mistresses. When a guest is murdered and his female companion disappears, can Kate discover those responsible before the scandal ruins her business?)
- Sandford, John -- Extreme Prey \$29.00
 (Lucas Davenport #26: The governor is cranking
 up a presidential campaign, and invites Lucas
 to join his campaign staff. It's kind of fun,
 until they find they have a shadow an armed
 man intent on killing the governor and anyone
 who gets in the way.)

- Sands, Kevin -- The Blackthorn Key \$7.99
 (Ages 10 and up. Edgar finalist. When a
 mysterious cult begins to prey on London's
 apothecaries, apprentice Christopher Rowe must
 use every skill he's learned to uncover the key
 to a terrible secret.)
- Scott, Cavan -- The Patchwork Devil \$14.95 (Sherlock Holmes: 1919: While the world awaits the signing of the Treaty of Versailles, Holmes and Watson investigate a severed hand. It belongs to a soldier who supposedly died in the trenches two years earlier - but it's fresh. The mystery puts Holmes on the trail of a descendant of Victor Frankenstein.)
- Slaughter, Karin -- Pretty Girls \$9.99
 (Years ago, Claire and Lydia's young sister
 Julia vanished. The two have not spoken since.
 Now Claire's husband has been murdered. What
 could connect the two tragedies? Claire and
 Lydia look to the past, unearthing the secrets
 that destroyed their family.)
- Smith, Karen Rose -- Silence of the Lamps
 \$7.99 (Caprice De Luca #5: PBO; When a rival
 caterer is bludgeoned to death with an antique
 lamp, Nikki is the #1 suspect. Can Caprice
 clear her sister's name?)
- Smith, Wilbur -- Golden Lion \$9.99 (1784: A
 truce has been made between the English and the
 Dutch, ending long years of battle on the seas,
 and Hal Courtney sails his ship in search of
 fortune and treasure. But though the war is
 over, the final battle has not been won.)

- Stewart, Amy -- Girl Waits with Gun \$14.95 (1914: Constance Kopp towers over most men, and has no interest in marriage or domesticity. When a belligerent factory owner smashes into the Kopp sisters' buggy, her demand that he pay for the damages turns into a war of bricks, bullets, and threats. The sheriff enlists Constance's help in convicting the men responsible.)
- Tanenbaum, Robert K. -- Trap \$9.99 (Butch Karp #27: A fatal blast rocks a book signing. The author was NYC's leading advocate for charter schools, and also a Holocaust survivor. A neo-Nazi is the prime suspect, but DA Butch Karp wonders if the hate crime is a smokescreen for another motive.)

Thompson, Victoria -- Murder on Amsterdam Avenue \$7.99 (Gaslight #17: Charles Fairfax has died unexpectedly, but his father believes Charles was poisoned, and would like Sarah and Frank to look into the matter with the utmost discretion. They soon learn that not everyone wants to know more about Fairfax's death, particularly if he was murdered, and find themselves unraveling secrets that reach back to the War Between the States.)

Thompson, Victoria -- Murder in Morningside Heights \$26.00 (Gaslight #19: Abigail Northrup had joined the ranks of the New Women, planning for a life without a husband and working as an instructor at a women's college. When the police declare her death an accident, her parents turn to private detective Frank

Malloy. Difficulties arise when Frank and Sarah learn that Miss Northrup lived in a world of secrets and lies.)

- Thynne, Jane -- The Pursuit of Pearls \$16.00 (Clara Vine #2: On the eve of WWII, Clara Vine goes inside Berlin's Faith and Beauty school a finishing school that serves as a training ground for the wives of the Nazi elite - to search for the truth behind a startling murder.)
- Viets, Elaine -- Checked Out \$7.99 (Dead-End Job #14: Hired to find a valuable watercolor that may have been tucked inside a donated book, Helen becomes a library volunteer. She learns that the director has a catalog of complaints, from a mischievous calico cat to various items gone missing - and then a dead body turns up in the parking lot.)
- Viets, Elaine -- The Art of Murder \$25.00 (Dead-End Job #15: Helen and her friend Margery observe a painting class at a mansion turned museum, and note an up-and-coming artist. When they later see her deadly end, Helen is hired to go undercover and scope out the crime scene.)
- Wilde, Darcie -- A Useful Woman \$15.00
 (Rosalind Thorne #1: PBO; The influential women
 of Regency London society have learned they can
 rely on Rosalind Thorne's wit and discretion.
 When an aristocratic wastrel is found dead in
 Almack's ballroom, Rosalind must use her skills
 and connections to uncover the killer.)

Yakumaru, Gaku -- A Cop's Eyes \$22.95 (A linked series of short stories. Reassigned from a juvenile detention center, a job that required him to have faith in humanity, to the police department and a job that sees everyone as a suspect, detective Natsume patiently listens to all the people involved, diligently checks their stories, and digs up the truth to resolve his cases.)

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- Axelrod, Steven -- Nantucket Grand \$15.95
 (Henry Kennis #3: Could a series of disturbing
 crimes over a period of months all be
 connected? Cozy mystery author Jan Stiles
 thinks it's possible, but police chief Henry
 Kennis has his doubts.)
- Barr, Nevada -- Boar Island \$26.99 (Anna Pigeon #18: At her new posting at Acadia National Park in Maine, Anna tries to help a friend's daughter deal with cyberbullying and a stalker.)
- Brown, Rita&Sneaky Pie -- Tall Tail \$27.00 (Mrs. Murphy #24: Harry's investigation into a woman's suspicious death leads back to 1784 and the hunt for a brutal slaveholder's murderer. Now it's up to Harry and her furry cohorts to expose the bitter truth and corner a callous killer.)

- Cartmel, Andrew -- Written in Dead Wax \$14.95 (Vinyl Detective #1: He hunts out rare and elusive LPs; his business card describes him as the 'Vinyl Detective. Now a mysterious woman wants to pay him a large sum to find a priceless lost jazz recording on behalf of a wealthy (and rather sinister) client.)
- Corby, Gary -- The Singer from Memphis \$26.95 (Nicolaos #6: Would-be author Herodotus has hired Nico and Diotima to accompany him on a research trip to Egypt. But with Egypt rebelling against the Persians, three different armies roaming the countryside, pirates at sea, and crocodiles in the river, what was supposed to be a simple historical investigation turns into a dangerous adventure.)
- Cornwell, Bernard -- Waterloo: The History of Four Days, Three Armies, and Three Battles \$22.00 (Nonfiction. From Napoleon's daring escape from Elba to the smoke and gore of the three battlefields and their aftermath, Cornwell combines his storytelling skills with meticulous research. Includes more than 200 maps, photos, and paintings depicting the battle and its major players.)
- Cotterill, Colin -- Six and a Half Deadly Sins \$15.95 (Dr. Siri #10: Laos, 1979: Dr. Siri receives an unmarked package containing a colorful traditional skirt - with a severed human finger stitched into the lining. He's convinced someone is trying to send him a message, and won't let the matter rest until he's figured it out.)

Denning, G.S. -- A Study in Brimstone \$12.95 (Warlock Holmes: Warlock Holmes is a good man, perhaps, and certainly a font of arcane power. But he's brilliantly dim. Luckily, Dr. Watson is always there to guide him through the treacherous shoals of Victorian propriety, and save him from a gruesome death every now and then.)

- Estleman, Loren D. -- Cape Hell \$24.99 (Page Murdock #9: US Deputy Page Murdock is dispatched to Cape Hell, Mexico, to investigate a report that a former Confederate captain is raising an army to take over Mexico City, and then intends to head north to rekindle the Civil War.)
- Flower, Amanda -- The Final Tap \$14.99
 (Living History Museum #2: PBO; For the Barton
 Farm Maple Sugar Festival, director Kelsey
 Cambridge hires a curmudgeonly expert to teach
 the classes, a decision she regrets when the
 man is murdered.)
- Grecian, Alex -- Lost and Gone Forever \$27.00 (Murder Squad #5: Inspector Walter Day has been missing for a year, and it's strongly suspected that Saucy Jack has him. Private detective Nevil Hammersmith has made finding Day his primary case, and he has company, a pair of bounty hunters. But he is gradually coming to realize that they are not what they seem.)
- Gutcheon, Beth -- Death at Breakfast \$25.99 (Retirees Maggie Detweiler and Hope Babbin are off to Maine to visit Hope's son, deputy sheriff Buster Babbin, and attend a cooking

class at an inn. When an obnoxious fellow guest is found dead, Maggie and Hope decide Buster's investigation could use their help.)

- Hamilton, Steve -- The Second Life of Nick Mason \$26.00 HC, \$35.00 Unabridged Audio CDs (Nick Mason #1: Nick Mason makes a deal with a criminal mastermind. Nick will be released from his prison term, but in return, when his cell phone rings, Nick must answer and follow whatever order he's given. Forced to commit increasingly dangerous crimes, hunted by the relentless detective who put him behind bars, and desperate to go straight, Nick will have to risk everything to break free.)
- Hirahara, Naomi -- Sayonara Slam \$16.00 (Mas Arai #6: PBO; Japan is facing Korea in the World Baseball Classic at Dodger Stadium. Curmudgeonly gardener Mas Arai finds himself embroiled in a murder case when a Japanese tabloid writer drops dead on the field.)
- Jennings, Maureen -- No Known Grave \$14.95 (Tom Tyler #3: Reissue; Arthur Ellis finalist. 1942: At a Shropshire convalescent hospital, staffed by Anglican nuns devoted to helping victims of war, DI Tom Tyler investigates a double murder.)
- Johnson, Craig -- The Highwayman \$20.00 (Walt Longmire: Novella. When Rosey Wayman is transferred to the Wind River Canyon, an area notorious for a lack of radio communication, she starts receiving 'officer needs assistance' calls - coming from Bobby Womack, a legendary Arapaho patrolman who met a fiery death in the

canyon decades ago. With an investigation that spans this world and the next, Sheriff Walt Longmire and Henry Standing Bear take on a case that pits them against a legend: The Highwayman.)

- Johnston, Linda O. -- To Catch a Treat \$14.99 (Barkery & Biscuits #2: PBO; After confronting the woman they suspect is kidnapping purebred pets, Carrie's brother and his girlfriend wind up on the suspect list when the woman is murdered. Can Carrie solve the mystery?)
- Kiely, Tracy -- Killer Cocktail \$14.99 (Nic & Nigel #2: PBO; When Nic and Nigel attend an Academy Awards afterparty, they discover behind the scenes footage from a film known for backstage love triangles and the tragic death of its star.)
- Lawson, Jessica -- Nooks & Crannies \$7.99
 (Ages 8 and up. Tabitha doesn't have a friend
 in the world except her pet mouse Pemberley.
 When she and 5 other children are invited to a
 country estate, the other children begin
 disappearing. With Pemberley at her side,
 Tabitha sets out to solve the mystery.)
- Mattich, Alen -- The Heart of Hell \$15.95 (Marko della Torre #3: 1991: Croatia has declared independence, leading to civil war in Yugoslavia. Rebecca Vees and two other US agents have been killed. Marko della Torre was the last one to see Rebecca alive; US authorities coerce him into locating the man they think is responsible for the deaths: corrupt Zagreb cop Julius Strumbic.)

- May, Peter -- Extraordinary People (alternate title: Dry Bones) \$14.99 (Enzo Files #1: Reissue; Jacques Gaillard vanished 10 years ago. Can forensics expert Enzo Macleod figure out what happened by applying new science to the old case? The mystery leads deep into the Paris catacombs, where he unearths disturbing clues deliberately left behind by a killer.)
- McCrumb, Sharyn -- Prayers the Devil Answers \$25.99 (1936: Ellie Robbins has long proven she can handle herself, but when she is appointed to serve out her late husband's term as sheriff of a Tennessee town, the demands are challenging. When dark secrets come to light, she must struggle with small town superstitions and the tenuous ties she shares with a condemned killer as she carves out a place for herself.)
- McMillen, R.J. -- Green River Falling \$14.95 (Dan Connor #3: Pipeline employees have been murdered, and a journalist is missing. All the clues point to a Haida man, but Walker is convinced his friend is innocent. When RCMP officer Dan Connor is pulled into the investigation, he and Walker search for the truth.)
- Nettmann, Nadine -- Decanting a Murder \$14.99 (Sommelier #1: PBO; The Sommelier Certification Exam was supposed to be the toughest part of Katie Sitwell's week, but that was before a dead body was found at a Napa Valley winery party. When the evidence points to her best

friend Tessa, Katie drops everything to clear Tessa's name.)

- Oates, Joyce Carol -- Jack of Spades \$15.00 (When a venerated mystery writer is accused of plagiarism by a strange woman from his small town, his life and sanity begin to unravel.)
- Preston, D/Child, L -- Beyond the Ice Limit \$27.00 (Gideon Crew #4: 5 years ago, a gigantic meteorite - actually a complex organism from the reaches of space - implanted itself deep under the ocean. Now it's growing, and the mission to save the planet requires Gideon's expertise with nuclear weapons. He and his team soon discover the organism has no intention of going quietly.)
- Pronzini, Bill -- Zigzag \$24.99 (Nameless Detective: Collection. 2 novellas and 2 stories.)
- Rowland, John -- Murder in the Museum \$12.95 (Inspector Shelley #7: Reissue; Originally published in 1938. When a professor breathes his last in the British Museum Reading Room, it looks like natural causes, but Inspector Shelley's suspicions are aroused. Museum visitor Henry Fairhurst adds his detective talents to the baffling case.)
- Sarenbrant, Sofie -- Killer Deal \$16.95
 (Emma Skold #1: Police inspector Emma Skold
 investigates a series of murders tied to openhouse showings in a posh Stockholm suburb.)

Simenon, Georges -- Felicie (alternate title: Maigret and the Toy Village) \$12.00 (Maigret #25: As he investigates an old sailor's murder, Maigret matches wits with Felicie, an adversary as skilled in innuendo and evasion as Maigret is in deduction.)