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BOOK OF BOOKS: EXPLORE AMERICA’S 100 BEST-LOVED NOVELS BY JESSICA ALLEN

Provides a guide to the PBS series “The Great American Read” that includes summaries and backstories of the top 100 of America’s best-loved novels published from 1605 to 2016, arranged here alphabetically. Offers information on every book and author featured in the television series, as well as a look at how they have impacted our culture. Includes photographs and images of first-edition covers, manuscript pages, and other archival material; and sidebars on topics such as banned books, authors and illustrators, critical reviews, and special collections.

NEVERTHELESS, WE PERSISTED: 48 VOICES OF DEFiance, STRENGTH BY AMY KLOBUCHAR (FOREWORD)

Provides forty-eight essays from notable individuals that address a time they were held back or discriminated against because of their race, gender, or sexual identity, but went on to succeed anyway.

GIRL, WASH YOUR FACE: STOP BELIEVING THE LIES ABOUT WHO YOU by RACHEL HOLLIS

Presents life advice and encouragement for young Christian women who have believed the lie that everyone else besides them has life figured out, along with many other lies women might believe about themselves pertaining to their kids, lack of kids, dating life, sex life, and God’s timing.

OUTNUMBERED: FROM FACEBOOK AND GOOGLE TO FAKE NEWS by DAVID SUMPTER

Examines the world of algorithms and the role they play in our lives as we become increasingly dependent on technology. Highlights how mathematicians use our internet habits to analyze and influence us. Includes tables and graphs.

WE ARE DISPLACED: MY JOURNEY AND STORIES FROM REFUGEE GIRLS AROUND THE WORLD by MALALA YOUSAFZAI

Malala Yousafzai presents the stories of girl refugees from around the world including Yemen, Iraq, the Congo, and Myanmar.

HISTORY VS WOMEN: THE DEFIANT LIVES THAT THEY DON’T WANT YOU TO KNOW by ANITA SARKEESIAN

Profiles twenty-five women from throughout history who in spite of social pressures and cultural roles for women became rulers, artists, scientists, rebels, and even some women the authors consider to be villains—such as former British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher—who have greatly shaped the history of the world, from a Mongolian wrestler woman to a Japanese novelist.
COLOR OF LIFE : A JOURNEY TOWARD LOVE AND RACIAL JUSTICE BY CARA MEREDITH

The author shares her transformative journey from believing in the idea of racial color blindness to experiencing race on a deeply personal level after marrying an African American man and becoming the mother of two sons of mixed-race. She highlights concepts of racial justice and explores the power that can be found in acknowledging our cultural differences rather than pretending they don't exist. Presented as a call to find the image of God in everyone while celebrating the beauty found in other cultural and racial heritages.

NOTES:

STEAL THIS COUNTRY: A HANDBOOK FOR RESISTANCE, PERSISTENCE, AND FIXING ALMOST EVERYTHING BY ALEXANDRA STYRON

Presents a collection of essays, interviews, and profiles of individuals standing up for change in America. Topics range from climate change and immigration to religious understanding and human rights. Includes a glossary, resources for further information, and photographs.

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THE HANDY AMERICAN GOVERNMENT ANSWER BOOK: HOW WASHINGTON, POLITICS AND ELECTIONS WORK BY GINA MISIROGLU

Presents answers to nearly 800 questions about the origin of the U.S. government and its branches, the American political system, notable laws and policies, civil rights, the media, and key people from throughout history. Features black-and-white photographs, a timeline, primary source documents, and further resources.

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BLACKLISTED!: HOLLYWOOD, THE COLD WAR, AND THE FIRST AMENDMENT BY LARRY DANE BRIMNER

Explores the history of blacklisting in Hollywood during the Cold War. Highlights the experiences of nineteen men from the film industry who were called before the House of Representatives' Committee on Un-American Activities, and who insisted that these trials violated their First Amendment rights.

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GIRLS RESIST!: A GUIDE TO ACTIVISM, LEADERSHIP, AND STARTING A REVOLUTION BY KAELYN RICH

Presents a guide to activism for teenage girls, discussing picking a cause, planning a protest, raising money, running a group, promoting awareness on social media, and being an effective ally. Includes quotes and tips from other female activists, a glossary, and suggested reading.

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WE ARE NOT YET EQUAL : UNDERSTANDING OUR RACIAL DIVIDE BY CAROL ANDERSON

Presents the argument that in American history, every great advancement in equality for African Americans has been met with a supposedly systematic response or backlash to those advancements, such as the fact that the Civil War and Reconstruction were quickly followed by the Jim Crow laws, and that this trend has continued up to the present with the presidency of Barack Obama, the first African American president, followed by the election of Donald Trump, who the author argues is racist. Discusses what a truly equal future for all Americans would look like without a corresponding backlash.

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IMPEACHMENT: AN AMERICAN HISTORY
BY JEFFREY A. ENGEL

The authors examine the three times in U.S. history impeachment has been invoked against a president. Looking at the constitutional concept of impeachment through the lens of the three presidents who faced it - Andrew Johnson in 1868, Richard Nixon in 1974, and Bill Clinton in 1999 - four experts on the presidency explore the complexities of the process ranging from the motivations of each and the associated risks, to the outcomes and the potential for its use in the future.

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HOW TO GET RID OF A PRESIDENT: HISTORY'S GUIDE TO REMOVING UNPOPULAR, UNABLE, AND UNFIT CHIEF EXECUTIVES BY DAVID PRIESS

Examines the various methods by which Americans have attempted to remove Presidents from office over the years. Methods range from rejecting a nomination and undermining their authority to impeachment and assassination. Presents specific examples from history.

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NO MORE EXCUSES: DISMANTLING RAPE CULTURE BY AMBER J. KEYSER

Examines issues related to sexual assault in the United States. Explores the concept of rape culture from a variety of perspectives, looking at cases involving victims across races and genders while exploring such concepts as restorative justice and the #MeToo movement. Attempts to dismantle myths and highlights current legislation surrounding Title IX and age-of-consent laws.

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POISONED CITY: FLINT'S WATER AND THE AMERICAN TRAGEDY BY ANNA CLARK

Examines the drinking water crisis in Flint, Michigan, that began in 2014, when mostly poor and African American residents of the city complained of poisoned water and were dismissed. Describes the work by activists, city residents, and outsiders to force the state to admit they caused the situation and to begin to address the consequences.

NOTES:

WE ARE HERE TO STAY: VOICES OF UNDOCUMENTED YOUNG ADULTS BY SUSAN KUKLIN

Profiles nine people who came to America as undocumented children and who are now young adults. They reflect on what being an American means, and the struggles they've endured to survive a harsh environment that is significantly better than the one they left.

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59 HOURS BY JOHNNY KOVATCH

Retells the true story of the abduction and murder of fifteen-year-old Nick Markowitz by a local drug dealer as collateral for the debt Nick's half-brother Ben owed the dealer. Describes how over a dozen or more people saw Nick in the next fifty-nine hours he was being held against his will, but no one came forward to report it, help Nick, or get involved in any way.

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FAKERS: AN INSIDER’S GUIDE TO CONS, HOAXES, AND SCAMS  
BY H. P. WOOD  
DEWEY 364.16  IL 5-8  PUB DATE 2018  
Explores stories of hoaxes, scams, and tricksters from throughout history. Breaks down how such fakers operate and offers tips on spotting and avoiding them. 
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GLIMMER OF HOPE: HOW TRAGEDY SPARKED A MOVEMENT  
BY THE FOUNDERS OF MARCH FOR OUR LIVES  
DEWEY 371.7  IL 8-12  PUB DATE 2018  
Explores what led a group of teenagers to create the March for Our Lives organization after the school shooting at their high school in Florida in 2018. 
NOTES:

WE SAY #NEVERAGAIN: REPORTING BY THE PARKLAND STUDENT JOURNALISTS  
BY MELISSA FALKOWSKI  
DEWEY 371.7  IL 8-12  PUB DATE 2018  
Student reporters from Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School reflect on the events of the Parkland shooting, chronicling the effects of the massacre, the villainization from right-wing extremists, and the student activism that followed. Includes profiles of heroes from that day, interviews with politicians, an insert of color photographs, and black-and-white images throughout. 
NOTES:

THE WONDROUS WORKINGS OF PLANET EARTH: UNDERSTANDING OUR WORLD AND ITS ECOSYSTEMS  
BY RACHEL IGNOTOFSKY  
DEWEY 577.8  IL 4-6  PUB DATE 2018  
Presents infographics detailing the science of ecology, showing how every living organism on Earth is connected through the biosphere down through biomes, ecosystems, living communities, species groups, and individuals. Discusses how what happens to one part of the planet affects all the others, the cycles of nature, climate change, pollution, and what human beings can do to help keep the planet healthy and living. Includes a glossary. 
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CHAMPION: THE COMEBACK TALE OF THE AMERICAN CHESTNUT TREE  
BY SALLY M. WALKER  
DEWEY 583  IL 6-8  PUB DATE 2018  
Presents the history of the American chestnut tree that was once plentiful in North America until a blight killed almost all of the trees in the early 1900s. Describes how scientists worked to study the blight and devise a solution to stopping it so the American chestnut tree could make a comeback in the United States. Includes black-and-white photographs, a glossary of terms, and appendices. 
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PERIOD POWER: A MANIFESTO FOR THE MENSTRUAL MOVEMENT  
BY NADYA OKAMOTO  
DEWEY 612.6  IL 7-12  PUB DATE 2018  
Presents the argument that U.S. law discriminates against women, specifically in regard to periods—like having a special tax on tampons unlike on male medications—and offers advice for fellow advocates of “period power” on how to spark conversations that could change the status quo towards better gender equality. 
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MORE DEADLY THAN WAR: THE HIDDEN HISTORY OF THE SPANISH FLU AND THE FIRST WORLD WAR  
BY KENNETH C. DAVIS  
DEWEY 614.5  IL 7-10  PUB DATE 2018  
Explores one of the most deadly outbreaks of disease in history during the time of World War I when the Spanish Flu affected Europe and the United States. 
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VERY, VERY, VERY DREADFUL: THE INFLUENZA PANDEMIC OF 1918 BY ALBERT MARRIN

Examines the flu pandemic of 1918 that killed millions of people worldwide. Highlights the history of plagues as well as the science involved in the transmission and impact of the influenza pandemic of 1918. Includes maps, archival photographs, and resources for further information.

NOTES:

TO THE MOON!: THE TRUE STORY OF THE AMERICAN HEROES ON THE APOLLO 8 SPACESHIP BY JEFFREY KLUGER

Presents the story of the Apollo Eight mission to the moon less than two years after the tragic loss of the Apollo One crew in a fire inside the craft. In a hurried race against Russia to be the first nation to travel to the moon, NASA enlisted the brave crew composed of Frank Borman, Jim Lovell, and Bill Anders to make history.

NOTES:

WICKED BUGS: THE LOUSE THAT CONQUERED NAPOLEON'S ARMY & OTHER DIABOLICAL INSECTS BY AMY STEWART

Provides information about more than one hundred insects that infect and infest with hand-drawn illustrations.

NOTES:

SPOOKED!: HOW A RADIO BROADCAST AND THE WAR OF THE WORLDS SPARKED THE 1938 INVASION OF AMERICA BY GAIL JARROW

Presents an illustrated history of the radio broadcast of “The War of the Worlds” in 1938, which deceived those who listened into thinking that Martians were invading the U.S. Explores the outcome of the social hysteria that followed for a time and how it affected radio broadcasts and civilians afterwards in World War II.

NOTES:

ATTUCKS!: OSCAR ROBERTSON AND THE TEAM THAT AWAKENED A CITY BY PHILLIP HOOSE

Presents the true story of the first all-black high school basketball team, the Crispus Attucks Tigers, in 1965 as they became the first state champions and the first all-black team in U.S. history to win an open tournament.

NOTES:

ONE NATION UNDER BASEBALL: HOW THE 1960S COLLIDED WITH THE NATIONAL PASTIME BY JOHN FLORIO

Examines the changes within professional baseball in the 1960s, during an era that would reshape not only the nation but also the national pastime.

NOTES:

ABSOLUTELY EVERYTHING!: A HISTORY OF EARTH, DINOSAURS, RULERS, ROBOTS AND OTHER THINGS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION BY CHRISTOPHER LLOYD

Presents a full-color illustrated world history of everything from the beginning of the universe to today. Discusses the Big Bang, dinosaurs, ancient civilizations, inventions, world wars, and the modern era.

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<td>Examines the lives of Bonnie Parker and Clyde Barrow, the famous Depression-era criminal duo Bonnie and Clyde, and how they came to be pop culture legends.</td>
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<td>Highlights a selection of young women who have used their boldness and bravery to overcome obstacles and accomplish great things. Subjects range from Misty Copeland and Yusra Mardini to Helen Keller and Joan of Arc.</td>
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<td>Presents the stories of thirty young women who made a lasting impact on the world through their courage and strength. Featured biographies range from Joan of Arc and Cleopatra to Jazz Jennings and Emma Gonzalez.</td>
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<td>The author describes how he became an elite Special Operations Rescue Jumper in Afghanistan, where he was wounded battling the Taliban and al-Qaeda. He goes on to describe his experiences in Alaska as a member of Alaska’s 212th Pararescue Unit, and personal stories of hardship and overcoming devastating odds. Adapted from his memoir to suit younger readers.</td>
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<td>The author shares the tragic story of his younger brother Nicholas’ death in 1978 in the ocean while the family vacationed in Cornwall. He describes how his family entered a state of denial, never speaking of the accident that claimed the young boy, leading the author to feel as if he lost an important piece of his childhood. He chronicles his search for truth and his efforts to reclaim the memory of the brother he loved and lost.</td>
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<td>Beals’ autobiography looks at her childhood when she began noticing the injustice of racism. Discusses the impact of her parents who both highly valued education—her mother earning a PhD from the University of Arkansas—and her grandmother who understood how to live in a white world but also how to rebel within it.</td>
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THE FAITHFUL SPY: DIETRICH BONHOEFFER AND THE PLOT TO KILL HITLER by JOHN HENDRIX
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Presents interwoven art and handwritten text that tells the true story of German pastor Dietrich Bonhoeffer and his opposition to the Nazis and Hitler. Describes how he came to the conclusion that although murder was forbidden by the Bible, Hitler had to be stopped by any means.

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ALL YOU CAN EVER KNOW: A MEMOIR by NICOLE CHUNG
DEWEY 921 CHU  IL 11-ADULT  PUB DATE 2019

The author shares her experiences as a child born in Korea who was adopted as an infant by American parents. Highlights her struggles growing up as a transracial adoptee and her search for the truth about her birth family.

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TRUTHS WE HOLD: AN AMERICAN JOURNEY by KAMALA HARRIS
DEWEY 921 HAR  IL 11-ADULT  PUB DATE 2019

The author, United States Senator Kamala Harris, shares moments from her life growing up as the daughter of immigrants, becoming a prosecutor after graduating from law school, and later rising to her position of leadership in politics. Highlights some of her most defining moments ranging from taking on big banks during the foreclosure crisis to her current role in the Senate addressing such issues as national security, immigration, and the opioid crisis.

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TAKING COVER: ONE GIRL'S STORY OF GROWING UP DURING THE IRANIAN REVOLUTION by NIOUCHA HOMAYOONFAR
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Offers a memoir of French-Iranian Nioucha Homayoonfar who was a child when her family moved from the U.S. to Iran prior to the Iranian Revolution of 1979. Describes how religion classes became mandatory, boys were separated from girls, girl were forced to wear appropriate Muslim clothing, and some of the friends of her parents were even executed. In the midst of all this change, Nioucha still finds a way to grow up and be a teenager.

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CALL ME AMERICAN: A MEMOIR by ABDI NOR IFTIN
DEWEY 921 IFT  IL 10-ADULT  PUB DATE 2018

The author shares the story of his life, from his birth under a neem tree in Somalia to his journey to America. Highlights the traditions and customs of his culture as well as his dreams of becoming an American citizen and the struggles he faced as a Somali refugee.

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HEY, KIDDO by JARRETT J. KROSOCZKA
DEWEY 921 KRO  IL 8-12  PUB DATE 2018

A graphic novel memoir by author and illustrator Jarrett Krosoczka who describes growing up with an addict mother, a missing father, and two loving, opinionated grandparents who raised him into his teen years. Describes how Krosoczka relied on his art to express himself and to survive the ups and downs of life.

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MAID: HARD WORK, LOW PAY, AND A MOTHER’S WILL TO SURVIVE by STEPHANIE LAND
DEWEY 921 LAN  IL 11-ADULT  PUB DATE 2019

The author shares moments from her life as she found herself unexpectedly pregnant and struggling to make ends meet while still holding onto her hopes of attaining a college degree and becoming a writer. Sharing insight into life below the poverty line through her own struggles as a low-income single mother, the author offers an eye-opening glimpse into the meager hope offered to those who must rely on government assistance to survive even as they work themselves into a state of exhaustion with little respect, inadequate compensation, and only their hope and determination to keep them putting one foot in front of the other.

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The author shares insight into what it means to live with autism as an adult who was diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder at the age of five. As a stand-up comic who has been performing since he was fourteen years old, he transformed his sadness and pain into comedy and empowered himself to live life to the fullest despite his challenges. His insight allows those with and without sensory issues to better understand the unique struggles autistic individuals face and the coping mechanisms they employ while shattering common misconceptions about the disorder.

Former First Lady Michelle Obama reflects on her childhood, path to becoming a lawyer, her relationship with former president Barack, her time in the White House, and life after the presidency. She looks back at the struggles of being a woman of color in white male-dominated professions, and how she overcame to succeed alongside her husband. Mrs. Obama discusses her personal initiatives as First Lady, including a focus on health, physical activity, and nutrition, while also looking at her role as a professional mom. She finally reflects on her husband's political career, from the early arguments about his desire to run for president to the campaign trail, and finally to his swearing in as the forty-fourth president. Includes a selection of candid photographs.

Barbara Reichmann tells of growing up a Jew in Poland during the 1920s and 1930s, and what happened when the Nazis invaded the country. Describes how Reichmann and her friends and family suffered starvation, disease, and violent persecution; the establishment of the Jewish Ghetto; the relinquishment of all their possessions; and Reichmann's decision to hide her Jewish identity, leave everything behind, and escape to a new life.

Provides a biography of former First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt focusing on her civil rights work. Discusses her wealthy childhood and how over the years, she became an icon and voice for the underrepresented and voiceless. Able to influence several presidents, Roosevelt continued to impact other important causes well into her life. Includes a timeline, an index, and photographs.

The author shares her journey from a childhood in the housing projects of the Bronx to serving as the first Hispanic woman on the U.S. Supreme Court. Includes a glossary of Spanish words and phrases along with personal photographs.

Lawyer Bryan Stevenson shares his efforts to end racial and economic injustice through his organization Equal Justice Initiative. With personal stories from his work, he sheds light on a broken justice system he's working to change.
THE GIRL WHO SMILEDBEADS: A STORY OF WAR AND WHAT COMES AFTERCLEMANTINE WAMARIYA

Memoir of Clemantine Wamariya, who when she was six years old escaped with Claire, her fifteen-year-old sister, from the Rwandan massacre. She would spend the next six years hungry, abused, and traveling from camp to camp, until she and Claire were both granted refugee status in the U.S. There their lives diverged, and on the surface Clemantine seemed to be living the American dream, but underneath she had to struggle to re-invent her life on her terms and escape the painful memories of her past.

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EAT THE APPEAR BY MATT YOUNG

The author shares his journey from enlisting in the Marines through three tours of duty in Iraq.

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THE GRAND ESCAPE: THE GREATEST PRISON BREAKOUT OF THE 20TH CENTURY BY NEAL BASCOMB

Tells the true story of Allied soldiers in WWI who pulled off a daring escape from Germany’s most notorious prison camp, Holzminden. Includes historic photographs and diagrams of the escape. Also includes maps, sources for further information, and an index.

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D-DAY: THE WORLD WAR II INVASION THAT CHANGED HISTORY BY DEBORAH HOPKINSON

Explores the D-Day invasion, Operation Overlord, conducted by the United States, Great Britain, and Canada on June 6, 1944, highlighting the vast amount of secrecy and years of planning it took to design and finally launch Operation Overlord. Discusses the contribution to the operation of figures like President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Prime Minister Winston Churchill, and General Dwight D. Eisenhower, as well as the important work done by African Americans, women, service members, commanders, and journalists that proved critical to the success of D-Day.

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FLY GIRLS: THE DARING AMERICAN WOMEN PILOTS WHO HELPED WIN BY P. O’CONNELL PEARSON

Presents stories of the skill, determination, and courage of pilots in the Women’s Airforce Service Pilots (WASP) program and their contribution to America’s efforts in World War II.

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UNWANTED: STORIES OF THE SYRIAN REFUGEES BY DON BROWN

A graphic-novel depiction of the plight of Syrian refugees who flee from Bashar al-Assad’s civil war and cannot find a welcoming country to take them in.

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Examines the status of the U.S. Congress in the decades leading up to the U.S. Civil War, arguing that while some feel like today’s politics are hyperpolarized they are still nothing compared to those days. Explores stories of congressmen who routinely made threats, flipped desks, brandished pistols and knives, and even killed another in a duel over issues as contentious as the legal status of slavery. Details how newspapers and reporters were no different, publishing outlandish conspiracy theories.

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Provides an illustrated chronicle of the year 1919, discussing transformative events, people, setbacks, and triumphs that changed America and still affect the country today. Examines racism and lynchings, the suffrage movement, labor strikes, the scare of Communism, and Prohibition. Includes timelines, archival photographs, and historical sidebars.

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Explores the history of the Great Depression and the New Deal, highlighting the consequences of the stock market crash and the stories of people and communities who played a huge part in bringing America out of the Depression—including Herbert Hoover, Franklin Delano and Eleanor Roosevelt, Dorothea Lange, Frances Perkins, and Walter White—leading up to World War II.

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