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Until next time, good reading!

Ron, Iain & Beau

*AMISH QUILT SHOP 03:*

### MURDER, SERVED SIMPLY

ALAN, Isabella  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### EENY MEENY

ARLIDGE, M.J.  
The girl emerged from the woods, traumatised and emaciated; close to death, but alive. Her story seemed too terrible to be true. When, days later, another desperate survivor is found, a pattern becomes clear. Pairs of victims are being taken; then forced to make an unthinkable decision. And for DCI Helen Grace there is now an unseen killer to be hunted down.  
Thriller PBK \$22.99

### THE BROKEN PLACES

ATKINS, Ace  
A year after becoming sheriff, Quinn Colson is faced with the release of an infamous murderer from prison. Jamey Dixon comes back to Jericho preaching redemption, and some believe him; but for the victim's family, the only thought is revenge. Another group doesn't believe him - the men in prison from Dixon's last job, an armoured car robbery. They're sure he's gone back to grab the hidden money, so they do the only thing they can: break out and head straight to Jericho themselves. Colson and his deputy, Lillie, know they've got their work cut out for them. The first Quinn Colson novel, *The Ranger* (\$19.99), is excellent.  
Mystery PBK \$19.99

### THE BOOK OF EVIDENCE

BANVILLE, John  
Freddie Montgomery has committed two crimes. He stole a small Dutch master from a wealthy family friend, and he murdered a chambermaid who caught him in the act. He has little to say about the dead girl. He killed her, he says, because he was physically capable of doing so. It made perfect sense to smash her head in with a hammer. What he cannot understand, and would desperately like to know, is why he was so moved by an unattributed portrait of a middle-aged woman that he felt compelled to steal it. Reissue.  
Fiction PBK \$19.99

*HAUNTED HOME RENOVATION 05:*

### KEEPER OF THE CASTLE

BLACKWELL, Juliet  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### A DARK AND TWISTED TIDE

BOLTON, Sarah  
Police sergeant Lacey Flint thinks she's safe. She thinks her new job with the river police, and her new life on a house boat, will keep her away from danger. But she's wrong. When Lacey discovers a body in the water, and sinister offerings appear in her home, she fears someone is trying to expose her darkest secret.  
Mystery/thriller PBK \$19.99

### STONE COLD

BOX, C.J.  
Mystery PBK \$19.99

### GEARED FOR THE GRAVE

BROWN, Duffy  
Hoping to shift her chances of a promotion in her favor, Evie Bloomfield heads to Mackinac Island to assist her boss's father. Rudy Randolph has broken his leg and operating his bike shop, Rudy's Rides, is too much to handle by himself. But after Evie's arrival, wealthy resident Bunny Harrington dies in what looks like a freak bike accident. Upon closer inspection, Bunny's brakes were tampered with, and now the prime suspect in her murder is also Bunny's number one enemy: Rudy. So if Evie hopes to stay on her boss's good side, she'll need to steer Rudy clear of jail. First in a new series.  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### DEATH WITH ALL THE TRIMMINGS

BURDETTE, Lucy  
It may be Christmastime, but thoughts of peace on earth, good will toward men, don't seem to extend to the restaurant biz. Food critic Hayley Snow has been assigned to interview Edel Waugh, chef/owner of Key West's hottest new restaurant. But off the record, Edel reveals someone's sabotaging her kitchen and asks Hayley to investigate. Things heat up fast when the restaurant is set on fire - and a body is discovered in the charred wreckage.  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### WHITE KNUCKLE RIDE

CARTER, Alan (Editor)  
"Hop aboard for a deadly ride with K.A. Bedford, Alan Carter, Amanda Curtin, Peter Docker, Deborah Robertson, Dave Warner and more. This is thrilling, jaw-clenching fiction from some of Australia's finest." - *publisher's blurb*.  
Mystery anthology PBK \$19.99

### TRUTH OR DARE

CARVER, Tania  
Thriller PBK \$19.99

### EGGS IN A CASKET

CHILDS, Laura  
Suzanne and Toni are off to Memorial Cemetery to help prepare for its 150th anniversary celebration. The ladies expect to find the

historical society's tent, but instead they discover the body of ex-prison warden Lester Drummond lying face-down in a freshly dug grave. Now, with the town peppered with suspects and the local authorities in over their heads, it's up to the Cackleberry Club to unscramble the clues.  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### THE WINTER KING (HAWKENLYE)

CLARE, Alys  
Historical mystery TP \$26.95

### ENTER PALE DEATH

CLEVERLY, Barbara  
The new Joe Sandilands novel.  
Historical mystery HC \$41.95

### A DANCER IN THE DUST

COOK, Thomas  
Twenty years ago, an idealistic Ray Chambers spent a year in the African nation of Lubanda, under the auspices of Peace Corps-like Hope for Lubanda. His former boss Bill Hammond calls him after years of silence to tell him that the tortured body of Ray's native Lubandan assistant, Seso Alaya, has been found in an alley behind a sleazy Manhattan hotel. Alaya had called Hammond a week prior about some important information he wanted to give him, but they were unable to meet. Hammond asks Ray to look into the murder and retrieve the intelligence.  
Mystery TP \$29.99

### HAUNTED GUESTHOUSE 06:

### INSPECTOR SPECTER

COPPERMAN, E.J.  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### DUST

CORNWELL, Patricia  
Scarpetta PBK \$19.99

### SILENT KILL

CORRIS, Peter  
When Cliff Hardy signs on as a bodyguard for charismatic populist Rory O'Hara, who is about to embark on a campaign of social and political renewal, it looks like a tricky job - O'Hara has enemies. A murder and a kidnapping cause the campaign to fall apart. Hired to investigate the murder, Hardy uncovers hidden agendas among O'Hara's staff as well as powerful political forces at work.  
Mystery PBK \$19.99

### THE CHIHUAHUA ALWAYS SNIFFS TWICE

CURTIS, Waverley  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### THE DEVIL'S PROMISE (FURTHER ADVENTURES OF SHERLOCK HOLMES)

DAVIES, David Stuart  
Holmes is in a black mood from inactivity back in Baker Street, and their discovery of a bludgeoned body on the beach does little to improve his disposition, especially after an unexpected visit from a sinister local priest. The same corpse is soon found by Watson buried in the sand and later at their cottage fireplace. These inexplicable events compel Holmes to inquire in the lonely town of Howden, an evil place wracked by violence and hostility to outsiders, where the detectives encounter Enoch Blackwood, son of notorious devil worshipper Bartholomew Blackwood.  
Sherlockiana PBK \$19.95

### THE GHOST AND MRS MEWER

DAVIS, Krista  
Holly Miller doesn't believe in spirits, but the Sugar Maple Inn is filled with guests who do. The TV series in development, "Apparition Apprehenders," has descended on Wagtail's annual Halloween festivities to investigate supernatural local legends, and Holly has her hands full showing the ghost hunters a scary-fun time. But the frights turn real when Holly's Jack Russell, Trixie, and kitten, Twinkletoes, find a young woman drowned in the Wagtail Springs Hotel's bathhouse - the spot of the town's most infamous haunting. The crime scene is eerily similar to the creepy legend, convincing Holly that the death wasn't just accidental.  
Mystery PBK \$18.95

### ENEMIES AT HOME

DAVIS, Lindsey  
We first met Flavia Albia. Falco's feisty adopted daughter, in *The Ides of April* (\$19.99). Albia is a remarkable woman in what is very much a man's world: young, widowed and fiercely independent, she lives alone on the Aventine Hill in Rome and makes a good living as a hired investigator. An outsider in more ways than one, Albia has unique insight into life in ancient Rome, and she puts it to good use going places no man could go, and asking questions no man could ask. Even as the dust settles from her last case, Albia finds herself once again drawn into a web of lies and intrigue. A mysterious death at a local villa may be murder and, as the household slaves are implicated, Albia is once again forced to involve herself. Her fight is not just for truth and justice, however; this time, she's also battling for the lives of people who can't fight for themselves.  
Historical mystery PBK \$19.99

### THE QUEST

DE MILLE, Nelson  
Thriller PBK \$19.99

### THE DETECTION COLLECTION

DETECTION CLUB  
The Detection Club represents the cream of British crime writing talent. Founded on the cusp of the 1930s, the Club's first President was G.K. Chesterton, and since then the mantle of Presidency has passed to some of the most significant names in the history of crime fiction, including Agatha Christie, Dorothy L. Sayers and Julian Symons. The Club meets three times a year - to dine, to plot, and to exchange ideas. This anthology includes eleven new stories by the Best of British: Robert Barnard, Lyndsey Davis, Colin Dexter, Clare Francis, Robert Goddard, John Harvey, Reginald Hill, P.D. James, H.R.F. Keating, Michael Ridpath and Margaret Yorke, and has been edited by Simon Brett.  
Mystery anthology HC \$29.99

### ROSEBLOOD

DOHERTY, Paul  
England, 1455: The Red Rose: King Henry of Lancaster's days are numbered. Deemed unfit for rule, even by his own mother, he surely cannot last on the throne for long. Simon Roseblood - London lord, taverner and alderman - is one of few loyal servants left to fight his cause. The White Rose: Ruthless Richard of York has his eye firmly set on the crown - and plenty of powerful allies who will do anything to help him win it. Henchman Amadeus Sevigny makes no bones about enforcing his own authority and asserting law and order at York's command. When Roseblood is summoned by Sevigny to stand trial for a crime he knows he didn't commit, their paths cross in ways that alter them both for ever. And as the Wars of the Roses looms, an even greater foe is poised to rock the foundations of England, and wreak horror in a hotbed of political unrest.  
Historical mystery TP \$29.99

### REMEMBER ME THIS WAY

DURRANT, Sabine  
A year after her husband Zach's death, Lizzie goes to lay flowers where his fatal accident took place. As she makes her way along the motorway, she thinks about their life together. She wonders whether she has changed since Zach died. At last she reaches the spot. And there, tied to a tree, is a bunch of lilies. The flowers are addressed to her husband. Someone has been there before her. Lizzie loved Zach. She really did. But she's starting to realise she didn't really know him. Or what he was capable of.  
Suspense TP \$29.99

### DEAD SOULS

EGHOLM, Elsebeth  
On All Hallows' Eve, ex-convict Peter Boutrup is visiting his best friend's grave when her estranged mother appears. Her son, Magnus, has disappeared, and she begs Peter to look for him. The next day a young nun is pulled out of the moat at the convent in Djursland. She has been garrotted and Peter, who works there as a carpenter, was the last person to see her alive. Meanwhile, diver Kir Rojel finds an old box resting on the seabed. Inside are human bones. They are sixty years old, but the victim had also been garrotted. While Peter is looking for Magnus, Detective Mark Bille Hansen is assigned to the case.  
Mystery PBK \$29.99

### DARK TIDES

EWAN, Chris  
When Claire Cooper was eight, her mother disappeared during Hop-tu-naa, the Manx Halloween. When Claire was eighteen, she and her friends took part in a Hop-tu-naa dare that went terribly wrong. Now in her early twenties and a police officer, what happened that Hop-tu-naa night has come back to haunt them all, and Claire must confront her deepest fears in order to stop a killer from striking again.  
Suspense TP \$27.99

### DEAD MAN WALKING

FINCH, Paul  
As a brutal winter takes hold of the Lake District, a prolific serial killer stalks the fells. "The Stranger" has returned and for DS Mark 'Heck' Heckenburg, the signs are all too familiar. Last seen on Dartmoor ten years earlier, The Stranger murdered his victims in vicious, cold-blooded attacks - and when two young women go missing, Heck fears the worst.  
Mystery/thriller PBK \$17.99

### HADES

FOX, Candice  
Hades Archer, the man they call the Lord of the Underworld, surrounds himself with the things others leave behind. Their trash becomes the twisted sculptures that line his junkyard. The bodies they want disposed of become his problem - for a fee. Then one night a man arrives on his doorstep, clutching a small bundle that he wants 'lost'. And Hades makes a decision that will change everything. Twenty years later, homicide detective Frank Bennett feels like the luckiest man on the force when he meets his new partner, the dark and beautiful Eden Archer. But there's something strange about Eden and her brother, Eric. Something he can't quite put his finger on. Winner of the Ned Kelly award for Best Debut Crime Novel.  
Mystery/thriller PBK \$19.99

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PBK = "A" format (standard size) paperback  
TP = "B" & "C" format (oversize) paperback  
HC = Hardcover or cloth binding

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### EDEN

FOX, Candice

“I fool myself that Eden has a heart - that she would at least have trouble killing me...” Most police duos run on trust, loyalty, and the desire to see killers in court. But Detective Frank Bennett’s partner, the enigmatic Eden Archer, has nothing to offer him but darkness and danger. She doesn’t mind catching killers - but it’s not the courthouse where her justice is served. And now Eden is about to head undercover to find three missing girls. The only link between the victims is a remote farm where the desperate go to hide and blood falls more often than rain. For Frank, the priority is to keep his partner monitored 24/7 while she’s there - but is it for Eden’s protection, or to protect their suspects from her?

**Mystery/thriller TP \$32.99**

### WINTER SIEGE

FRANKLIN, Ariana & NORMAN, Samantha

“It’s 1141 and freezing cold. Gwil, a battle-hardened mercenary, watches in horror as a little girl with red hair is dragged away by his own men. Caught in the middle of the fight for England she is just one more victim in a winter of atrocities. But a strange twist of fate brings them together again. Gwil finds the girl close to death, clutching a sliver of parchment - and he knows what he must do. He will bring her back to life. He will train her to fight. And together, they will hunt down the man who did this to her... Ariana Franklin’s final, brilliant standalone novel, left incomplete at the time of her death, now finished by her daughter.” – *Publisher’s blurb*

**Historical mystery TP \$32.99**

### AND SHE WAS

GAYLIN, Alison

When Brenna Spector was a child, her older sister stepped into a strange car never to be seen again. This traumatic event triggered in Brenda a rare neurological disorder that enables her to recall every detail of every day of her life, except - cruelly - that dark day when her sister disappeared. Nowadays Brenna puts her unusual skill to use as a missing persons investigator and it’s while she’s trying to find local woman Carol Wentz that she discovers connections to another child’s disappearance, ten years earlier. Before too long a link to her own past emerges.

**Suspense PBK \$19.99**

### THE ARC OF THE SWALLOW

GAZAN, Sissel-Jo

When controversial Professor Kristian Storm is found hanged in his office, his assistant Marie Skov refuses to believe that he has committed suicide. Having just returned from West Africa on a research trip, the late scientist had uncovered a shocking truth about immunology programmes in the developing world. Former police detective Soren Marhaug is determined to prove what really happened to the professor. While Marie grapples with Storm’s disputed legacy, Soren leads them both beyond legal boundaries and behind the scenes of the cut-throat pharmaceutical industry. Gazan’s previous novel, *The Dinosaur Feather* (\$19.99), was absolutely brilliant.

**Mystery TP \$29.99**

### MURDER ON HIGH HOLBORN

GREGORY, Susanna

In 1665 England is facing war with the Dutch and the capital is awash with rumours of conspiracy and sedition. As an experienced investigator, Thomas Chaloner knows that there are very few grains of truth in the shifting sands of the rumour-mill, but the murder of Paul Ferine, a Groom of the Robes, in a brothel favoured by the elite of the Palace of White Hall makes him scent a whiff of genuine treason. As well as investigating the murder, Chaloner is charged with tracking down the leaders of a fanatical sect known as the Fifth Monarchists. As he comes to know more about the group and their meetings on High Holborn, he discovers a puzzling number of connections - to both Ferine’s murder and those involved with the defence of the realm.

**Historical mystery PBK \$19.99**

### AGROUND ON ST. THOMAS

HALE, Rebecca M.

The tropical paradise of St. Thomas is shut down as the FBI seizes control of the island to apprehend government officials on bribery charges. Tourists and locals are stranded until FBI agent Gabe “Friday” Stein can find the missing governor and two senators who have eluded capture. Innocent of any crime, Senator Julia Sanchez can only escape wrongful arrest with the help of eccentric Senator Bobo. As they try to blend in with increasingly hostile locals and make their trek across the island to safety, Senator Sanchez is only just beginning to realize the extent of the corruption behind the island’s idyllic facade.

**Mystery PBK \$18.95**

### KILLING FOR KEEPS

HANNAH, Mari

Two brothers from the same criminal family die within hours of each other, five miles apart, one on the edge of a Newcastle industrial estate, the other in a busy A & E department of a local hospital, unseen by the triage team. Both victims have suffered horrific injuries. Investigating these brutal and bloody killings leads DCI Kate Daniels to break some rules, putting her career as well as her life on the line.

**Mystery TP \$29.99**

### TAGGED FOR DEATH

HARRIS, Sherry

Sarah Winston is starting over at age 38. After her career Air Force husband loses his job over “conduct unbecoming an officer,” a euphemism for having an affair with 19-year-old Tiffany, Sarah is single and living on her own without the benefits of a BX (Base Exchange) for the first time in her adult life. But when she finds her ex-husband CJ’s bloody BDUs (battle dress uniform) in a garbage bag - along with a maternity top marked with Tiffany’s name, she knows something is amiss. CJ is now the police chief of Ellington, MA, and while he might be a cheater, Sarah knows he could never be a killer. Something is going on in Ellington, and Sarah means to get to the bottom of it. The first in a new series.

**Mystery PBK \$18.95**

### DARKNESS, DARKNESS

HARVEY, John

The final Resnick novel.

**Mystery PBK \$19.99**

### SPARK

HAWKS, John Twelve

Jacob Underwood is not like other people. He has Cotard’s Syndrome. He believes he is dead. Which makes his job as a hired assassin neutralising ‘problems’ for DBG, a massive multinational corporation, very simple. He carries out the task - and feels nothing. Now DBG has such a problem. A key employee, Emily Buchanan, has disappeared, taking with her a fortune and priceless information which could destroy the company. Jacob must track her down. In previous assignments, he had worked with cold logical precision, but this time he has to confront a threat that he first must understand before it destroys him.

**Thriller TP \$32.99**

### BLACK HOLES

JIAHONG, He

When Xia Zhe, an ambitious trader at a state-owned securities company, is indicted for corporate fraud, lawyer Hong Jun takes on the case at the request of the young man’s father. But as the trial date looms, it becomes clear that this case of avarice and ill-gotten gains is far from black and white. Hong Jun discovers a web of family secrets and hidden motives leading back to the turbulence of the Cultural Revolution.

**Mystery TP \$19.99**

### JANUARY WINDOW

KERR, Philip

The first in a new mystery series set in the world of Premier League football. Scott Manson is team coach for London City football club. He’s also their all-round fixer - he gets the lads in to training, and out of trouble, keeps the wags at bay and the press in his pocket. The players love him, the bosses trust him. But now London City manager Joao Zarco is dead, killed at his team’s beloved stadium at Silvertown Docks. Even Scott Manson can’t smooth over murder - but can he catch the killer before he strikes again?

**Mystery TP \$29.99**

### THE EMPRESS OF INDIA

KURLAND, Michael

The latest Professor Moriarty reissue.

**Sherlockiana PBK \$16.99**

### SPELL BOOKED

LAVENE, Joyce

“With their magic fading, witches Molly, Elsie, and Olivia are ready to sell their curio store in North Carolina and retire to Florida. But then Olivia is murdered and their spell book is stolen. At first, Mollie and Elsie suspect the handsome young witch Brian, with whom Olivia was having an affair, but he convinces them of his innocence. Investigating the crime is Molly’s police detective husband... [This is] a new supernatural series that features a delightful premise, a couple of enchanting protagonists, and cats as essential familiars... a promising series for urban fantasy and paranormal mystery readers.” – *Library Journal*

**Paranormal mystery PBK \$18.95**

### TALKING TO GHOSTS

LE CORRE, Herve

With his son Pablo’s kidnapping still unsolved, and his marriage ruined by the torment of hope, the brutal murder of a single mother in her own home is an almost welcome diversion for Commandant Vilar. The woman leaves behind a son, Victor, thrown into the foster system with only his mother’s urn for company. Struggling with bullies, trauma and the first pangs of teenage love, Victor carries a secret that followed his mother to her grave. Struggling for leads, Vilar is shaken when the colleague investigating Pablo’s kidnapping disappears.

**Mystery TP \$29.99**

### THE EIGHT CURIOUS CASES OF INSPECTOR ZHANG

LEATHER, Stephen

Crimes are few and far between in Singapore and the crimes that do occur are usually solved quickly and efficiently. But when there’s a crime that has the police baffled, it is Inspector Zhang that they turn to. He is one of the best detectives on the force. He is also a fan of detective fiction, and he loves nothing more than putting his observational skills to the test. From locked-room mysteries to disappearing drugs and murders disguised as suicide, Inspector Zhang is able to draw on his experience as a detective along with tricks he has learned from the likes of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Agatha Christie.

**Mystery PBK \$22.99**

### MEOW IF IT’S MURDER

LOTEMPIO, T.C.

Nora Charles doesn’t believe in fate, even if she is a crime reporter who shares a name with a character from “The Thin Man.” In fact, she’s moving back to Cruz, California, to have a quieter life. But after finding an online magazine eager for material, and a stray cat named Nick with a talent for detection, Nora’s not just reporting crimes again. She’s uncovering them... Back in her hometown, Nora reconnects with old friends and makes some new ones, like Nick, the charming feline who seems determined to be her cat. But not everything about Cruz is friendly. Writing for a local online magazine, Nora investigates the curious death of socialite Lola Grainger. Though it was deemed an accident, Nora suspects foul play. A series debut.

**Mystery PBK \$18.95**

### MR. CHURCHILL’S SECRETARY

MACNEAL, Susan Elia

London, 1940. Winston Churchill has just been sworn in, war rages across the Channel, and the threat of a Blitz looms larger by the day. But none of this deters Maggie Hope. She graduated at the top of her college class and possesses all the skills of the finest minds in British

intelligence, but her gender qualifies her only to be the newest typist at No. 10 Downing Street. Her indefatigable spirit and remarkable gifts for codebreaking, though, rival those of even the highest men in government, and Maggie finds that working for the prime minister affords her a level of clearance she could never have imagined—and opportunities she will not let pass. In troubled, deadly times, with air-raid sirens sending multitudes underground, access to the War Rooms also exposes Maggie to the machinations of a menacing faction determined to do whatever it takes to change the course of history. Ensnared in a web of spies, murder, and intrigue, Maggie must work quickly to balance her duty to King and Country with her chances for survival. Recommended! The next two in the series, also reissued in paperback, are *Princess Elizabeth’s Spy* and *His Majesty’s Hope* (\$19.99 each).

**Mystery PBK \$19.99**

### THE MEATING ROOM

MUIR, T.F.

When the body of Thomas Magner’s business partner is found dead in his car on the outskirts of Anstruther, all evidence points to suicide. And Magner himself, a wealthy property developer, is currently under investigation for a series of alleged rapes from thirty years ago. In total fifteen women are prepared to go to court to testify against Magner but one by one they inexplicably withdraw their complaints until only five remain. With the CPS now reconsidering its case, one of Magner’s accusers is killed in a hit-and-run - and the abandoned car is found to be registered to one T Magner .DCI Andy Gilchrist is assigned to the hit-and-run case and soon discovers that Magner’s murky past is very much seeping into the present.

**Mystery PB \$19.99**

### THE MURDER OF ALLISON BADEN-CLAY

MURRAY, David

**True crime TP \$34.99**

### THE SON

NESBO, Jo

Sonny is a model prisoner. He listens to the confessions of other inmates, and absolves them of their sins. But then one prisoner’s confession changes everything. He knows something about Sonny’s disgraced father. Now, Sonny needs to break out of prison and make those responsible pay for their crimes.

**Mystery/thriller PBK \$19.99**

### PRISON NOIR

OATES, Joyce Carol (Editor)

Almost all of the contributors to this anthology are still incarcerated.

**Noir anthology PBK \$19.99**

### A CRY FROM THE DUST

PARKS, Carrie

Gwen Marcey was tops in her forensic field. Then cancer struck, her husband left, and her teenage daughter engaged in active rebellion. Gwen’s best chance to start a new life was a temporary job in Utah reconstructing faces from an 1857 massacre site. The Mountain Meadows Interpretative Center asked Gwen to reconstruct the faces of three intact bodies that were discovered from the wagon train massacre of more than 120 people by Mormon fanatics calling themselves Avenging Angels. But just as she is nearing completion on her reconstructions, things around the center turn deadly. Gwen discovers the ritualized murder of a young college student with a stolen identity and is called on by the local police to use her forensic art skills to aid the investigation.

**Mystery PBK \$22.99**

### THE PROPHECY OF BEES

PATEMAN, R.S.

Moving to Stagcote Manor was meant to be a fresh start for Lindy and her teenage daughter Izzy. A chance at a new life in the country after things went so wrong in London. But for Izzy it is a prison sentence. There’s something about the house that she can’t quite put her finger on. Something strange and unnerving. As Izzy begins to explore the manor and the village beyond its walls, she discovers the locals have a lot of bizarre superstitions and beliefs. Many of them related to the manor . . . and those who live there. When Izzy begins to investigate the history of the estate, her unease deepens to fear as the house’s chilling past finally comes to light.

**Thriller TP \$29.99**

### HE WHO KILLS THE DRAGON

PERSSON, Leif G.W.

A seemingly ordinary murder puzzles Evert Bäckström, who is struggling with strict orders from his doctor to lead a healthier life. His gut feeling proves him right: within days, his team has another murder linked to the first on their hands, and reports of alleged ties to a Securicor heist gone out of control, killing two.

**Mystery PBK \$19.99**

### GALVESTON

PIZZOLATTO, Nick

Now in paperback - from the writer of the True Detective TV series. Recommended.

**Noir PBK \$19.99**

### IF YOU’VE GOT IT, HAUNT IT

PRESSEY, Rose

Vintage clothing store owner Cookie Chanel heads over to the estate sale for the late Charlotte Meadows, the biggest realtor in Sugar Creek, SC. Over the racks of classic Chanel, Dior, and Jimmy Choos, Cookie encounters Charlotte’s ghost, who is intent on finding out who killed her. Cookie investigates, stumbling across the body of PI Edward Anderson and adding her name to the list of suspects. The delectable police detective Dylan Valentine is more than interested. A series debut.

**Mystery PBK \$17.95**

### BLUE LABYRINTH

PRESTON & CHILD

**Thriller TP \$24.99**

### LOIS MEADE 06: SCANDAL AT SIX

PURSER, Ann

**Mystery PBK \$18.95**

### THE RING AND THE OPPOSITE OF DEATH

SAVIANO, Roberto

“In Italy’s impoverished south, choices are limited. Rules and traditions are more powerful than the lives of individuals, and young Italians who stand on the right side of the law still find themselves on the frontline. In *The Opposite of Death*, Maria is a seventeen-year-old widow before she has even made it to the altar; her fiancé enlisted and died in Afghanistan to avoid a life controlled by the mafia. In *The Ring*, a tale of bloody vengeance, a young woman comes to visit from the north, bringing with her ignorance and prejudice.” – *Publisher’s blurb*

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