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Robin Hobb

Nancy Kress

David Mitchell

John Scalzi

...and many others

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**TO DANCE WITH THE DEVIL**

ADAMS, Cat  
Urban fantasy PBK \$18.95

**SPELLS AT THE CROSSROADS**

ASHFORD, Barbara  
Fantasy PBK \$19.95

**THE DOUBT FACTORY**

BACIGALUPI, Paolo  
When a radical band of teen activists claim that Alix's powerful father covers up wrongdoing by corporations that knowingly allow innocent victims to die in order to make enormous profits from unsafe products, she must decide if she will blow the whistle on his misdeeds.  
YA science fiction HC \$29.99

**GIDEON SMITH AND THE BRASS DRAGON**

BARNETT, David  
Steampunk TP \$29.95

**CITY OF STAIRS**

BENNETT, Robert Jackson  
The city of Bulikov once wielded the powers of the gods to conquer the world, enslaving and brutalizing millions, until its divine protectors were killed. Now Bulikov has become just another colonial outpost of the world's new geopolitical power. Into this broken city steps Shara Thivani. Officially, the unassuming young woman is just another junior diplomat sent by Bulikov's oppressors. Unofficially, she is one of her country's most accomplished spies, dispatched to catch a murderer. But as Shara pursues the killer, she starts to suspect that the beings who ruled this terrible place may not be as dead as they seem - and that Bulikov's cruel reign may not yet be over.  
Urban fantasy TP \$28.95

**WICKEDLY DANGEROUS**

BLAKE, Deborah  
"Deborah Blake has updated Baba Yaga for the 21st century; witchy and wild, with a kick-ass woman, witty repartee, and roots to the past. This book has everything I'm looking for." - Tanya Huff, author of *The Silvered*  
Urban Fantasy PBK \$18.95

**SHIFTING SHADOWS: STORIES FROM THE WORLD OF MERCY THOMPSON**

BRIGGS, Patricia  
A collection of all new and previously unreleased stories featuring Mercy and her friends.  
Urban Fantasy TPB \$29.99/HC \$41.95

**THE SUPERNATURAL ENHANCEMENTS**

CANTERO, Edgar  
Set in the mid-1990s, but feeling very much like a gothic ghost story, this is the first English-language novel by Spanish author Cantero. Told through diary entries, transcripts of audio and video recordings, letters, and other media, it's the story of a young man, A. Wells, who learns that a previously unknown relative has died, leaving him an estate in Virginia. Accompanied by his friend, a mute teenage girl, A. travels to Virginia, where he soon begins to get the sense that his deceased second cousin's home might be haunted.  
Gothic fiction HC \$34.99

**JESSICA MCCLAIN 04: RED BLOODED**

CARLSON, Amanda  
Urban fantasy PBK \$19.99

**MAGISTERIUM: THE IRON TRIAL**

CLAIRE, Cassandra & BLACK, Holly  
Most people would do anything to get into the Magisterium and pass the Iron Trial. Not Callum Hunt. Call has been told his whole life that he should never trust a magician. And so he tries his best to do his worst - but fails at failing. Now he must enter the Magisterium. It's a place that's both sensational and sinister. And Call realizes it has dark ties to his past and a twisty path to his future. Call's biggest test is still to come.  
YA fantasy TP \$24.99

**IRONSKIN 02: COPPERHEAD**

CONNOLLY, Tina  
Urban fantasy TP \$29.95

**SPECIES IMPERATIVE OMNIBUS**

CZERNEDA, Julie E.  
Omnibus edition collecting *Survival, Migration & Regeneration*. Classic anthropological SF.  
Science Fiction TBK \$32.95

**CELTIC WOLVES 02: SUMMER MOON**

DELIMA, Jan  
Fantasy PBK \$18.95

**DINOSAURS AND DIRIGIBLES**

DRAKE, David  
All five of David Drake's time travel stories collected in one volume.  
Science fiction TP \$27.95

**GENERAL 10: THE SAVIOR**

DRAKE, David & DANIEL, Tony  
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**EARTH FLIGHT**

EDWARDS, Janet  
Science fiction PBK \$16.99

**CARPATHIAN 26: DARK BLOOD**

FEEHAN, Christine  
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**1636: THE DEVIL'S OPERA**

FLINT, Eric & CARRICO, David  
Alternate history PBK \$18.95

**STEELHAVEN 02: SHATTERED CROWN**

FORD, Richard  
Fantasy PBK \$19.99

**LABYRINTHS OF ECHO 04: THE STRANGER'S SHADOW**

FREI, Max  
Fantasy PBK \$19.99

**EXTINCTION GAME**

GIBSON, Gary  
Jerry Beche should be dead. Instead, he's rescued from a desolate Earth where he was the last man alive. He's then trained for the toughest conditions imaginable and placed with a crack team of specialists. Every one of them is a survivor, as each withstood the violent ending of their own alternate Earth. Their task is to retrieve weapons and data in missions to other apocalyptic worlds. But what is 'the Authority', the shadowy organization that rescued Beche and his fellow survivors? How does it access other timelines? As Jerry struggles to obey his new masters, he begins to distrust his new companions. A strange bunch, their motivations are less than clear, and accidents start plaguing their missions. Recommended!  
Science fiction TP \$29.99

**MARAUDER**

GIBSON, Gary  
Pilot Megan Jacinth has three goals, and they all seem unattainable. She must find her friend Bash, who she'd left for dead to save her own life. Then she needs Bash's unique skill-set to locate an ancient space-faring entity. Lastly she must use this Wanderer's knowledge to save human-occupied worlds from an alien incursion. The odds seem impossible, but the threat is terrifyingly real.  
Science fiction PBK \$19.99

**CAIN'S BLOOD**

GIRARD, Geoffrey  
The DNA of the world's most notorious serial killers has been cloned by the US Department of Defence to develop a new breed of bioweapon. Now in Phase Three, the program includes dozens of young men who have no clue as to their evil heritage. But everything changes when the most dangerous boys are set free by their creator. Former black ops soldier Shawn Castillo is hot on the clones' trail.  
Science fiction thriller TP \$29.95

**JUMPER 04: EXO**

GOULD, Steven  
Science fiction HC \$39.95

**THE LAST BANQUET**

GRIMWOOD, Jonathan  
Jean-Marie Charles d'Aumout is many things. Orphan, soldier, diplomat, spy, lover. And chef. This is his story. We meet Jean-Marie d'Aumout as a penniless orphan eating beetles by the side of the road. His fate is changed after an unlikely encounter finds him patronage and he is sent to military academy. Rising through the ranks of eighteenth-century French society, he feasts with lords, ladies and eventually kings, at the Palace of Versailles itself. But beyond the palace walls, revolution is in the air and the country is clamouring with hunger of a different kind. A great novel, reminiscent of Suskind's *Perfume*, from Jon Courtenay Grimwood.  
Historical fiction PBK \$19.99

**TRASCENDENTAL**

GUNN, James  
Riley, a veteran of interstellar war, is one of many beings from many different worlds aboard a ship on a pilgrimage that spans the galaxy. However, he is not journeying to achieve transcendence, a vague mystical concept that has drawn everyone else on the ship to this journey into the unknown at the far edge of the galaxy. His mission is to find and kill the prophet who is reputed to help others 'transcend'.  
Science fiction TP \$29.95

**HOLLOWS 13: WITCH WITH NO NAME**

HARRISON, Kim  
The final Rachel Morgan novel.  
Urban Fantasy HC \$41.95

**FOOL'S ASSASSIN**

HOBBS, Robin  
One Winterfest night a messenger arrives to seek out Fitz, but mysteriously disappears, leaving nothing but a blood-trail. First in a new series cycle, featuring Hobb's most popular character - from Fool's Assassin et al.  
Fantasy TP \$29.99

**THE MIDNIGHT QUEEN**

HUNTER, Sylvia Izzo  
After a late-night adventure takes a deadly turn, student of magic Gray Marshall leaves Oxford for a long vacation to stay with his professor in the Breton countryside, only to find himself a virtual prisoner. His one consolation is the company of Sophie, his mentor's daughter, who wants to study magic herself. But the professor has been keeping secrets, one of which will change the shape of the political world.  
Fantasy TP \$28.95

**ALEX VERUS 05: HIDDEN**

JACKA, Benedict  
Urban fantasy PBK \$19.99

**THE INCORRUPTIBLES**

JACOBS, John Horner  
In the contested and unexplored territories at the edge of the Empire, a boat is making its laborious way up stream. Riding along the banks are the mercenaries hired to protect it - from raiders, bandits and, most of all, the Stretchers, elf-like natives who kill any intruders into their territory. In the boat the drunk governor of the territories and his sons and daughters make merry. They believe that their status makes them untouchable. And with them is a mysterious, beautiful young woman, who is the key to peace between warring nations and survival for the Empire. Recommended for fans of Joe Abercrombie and Brian McLellan  
Fantasy TBK \$29.99

**PAX ARCANA 02: DARING**

JAMES, Elliott  
Werewolf packs are being united and absorbed into an army of super soldiers by a mysterious figure who speaks like an angel and fights like a demon. And every Knight Templar - keepers of the magical peace between mankind and magickind - who tries to get close to this big bad wolf winds up dead. No knight can infiltrate a group whose members can smell a human from a mile away ... no knight except one - John Charming, ex-knight, current werewolf. Hunted by the men who trained him, he now might be their only salvation. Recommended for fans of Jim Butcher, Seanan McGuire, Richard Kadrey and Kevin Hearne. The previous, and first in the series, is *Charmed*. (\$24.99).  
Urban Fantasy TPB \$24.99

**CUSANUS GAME**

JESCHKE, Wolfgang  
Biologist Domenica Ligrina fears her planet is dying. She might be right. An atomic disaster near the French-German border has contaminated Northern Europe with radioactivity. Economic and political calamities are destroying the whole planet. Human DNA is mutating, plant species are going extinct, and scientists are feverishly working on possible solutions. It becomes increasingly apparent that the key to future salvation lies in the past. In 2052 a secret research facility in the Vatican is recruiting scientists for a mission to restore the flora of the irradiated territories. The institute claims to have time travel. When Domenica's sometime-lover tells her that he knows her future but that she must decide her own fate, she enlists despite his ambiguous warning. "It is an extraordinary novel in almost every way, and with any justice should gain the sort of attention that sadly has tended to elude even the best works of translated SF in the past."  
- Gary K. Wolfe, *Locus Magazine*  
Science fiction TP \$32.95

**SENTINELS OF NEW ORLEANS 03:**

**ELYSIAN FIELDS**

JOHNSON, Suzanne  
Urban fantasy PBK \$19.99

**THE STRING DIARIES**

JONES, Stephen Lloyd  
The rules of survival are handed from mother to daughter. Inherited, like the curse that has stalked Hannah and her family across centuries. He changes his appearance at will, speaks with a stolen voice and hides behind the face of a beloved, waiting to strike. Generation after generation, he has destroyed them. Now, it is time for Hannah to fight.  
Paranormal thriller PBK \$19.99

**THE GETAWAY GOD**

KADREY, Richard  
Urban fantasy PBK \$21.99

**CHILDREN OF FIRE**

KARPYSHYN, Drew  
For centuries after a devastating battle between the immortals, humanity has been protected from the Chaos realm by an invisible barrier known as the Legacy. But sealed behind the weakening barrier, the traitor Daemron makes one last, desperate bid for freedom: he casts his most deadly spell and curses four unsuspecting children. Born under the Blood Moon, they are destined to wield Daemron's talismans of power, to either save the barrier - or bring it crashing down. The next in the series is *The Scorched Earth* (\$32.99).  
Fantasy PBK \$19.99

**RIVER OF STARS**

KAY, Guy Gavriel  
Several hundred years after the events of *Under Heaven* (which was set in the equivalent of the Tang Dynasty [\$24.99]), teen Ren

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Until next time, good reading!

Ron, Iain and Beau

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TPB = "B" & "C" format (oversize) paperback  
HC = Hardcover or cloth binding



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## Science Fiction & Fantasy August 2015 (Continued)

Daiyan demonstrates legend-level archery prowess and becomes a marsh outlaw. Years later, when a cloistered emperor's hobby begins destroying lives, Daiyan tries to redeem his honor by joining the imperial army to halt the empire's decline. In a world ruled by gentleman scholars, female artist Lin Shan is lauded for her unique talent in the masculine arts of poetry and calligraphy. Shan's courtly skills will prove vital to Daiyan as he navigates around scheming ministers, supernatural fox-women, and horsemen who drink from the skulls of their enemies.

**Fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **DARK HUNTER 24: SON OF NO ONE**

KENYON, Sherrilyn  
**Paranormal romance TP \$29.99**

### **YESTERDAY'S KIN**

KRESS, Nancy  
Aliens have landed in New York. After several months of no explanations, they finally reveal the reason for their arrival. The news is not good. Geneticist Marianne Jenner is having a career breakthrough, yet her family is tearing itself apart. Her children Elizabeth and Ryan constantly bicker, agreeing only that an alien conspiracy is in play. Her youngest, Noah, is addicted to a drug that keeps temporarily changing his identity. The Jenner family could not be further apart. But between the four of them, the course of human history will be forever altered. Recommended.

**Science fiction TP \$28.95**

### **THE WITCH OF SALT AND STORM**

KULPER, Kendall  
Sixteen-year-old Avery Roe wants only to take her rightful place as the sea witch of Prince Island, making the charms that keep the island's whalers safe and prosperous at sea. But before she could learn how to control her power, her mother - the first Roe woman in centuries to turn her back on magic - steals Avery away from her grandmother. Avery must escape before her grandmother dies, taking with her the secrets of the Roe's power.

**YA fantasy PBK \$14.99**

### **HEIRS OF ALEXANDRIA 04:**

**BURDENS OF THE DEAD**  
LACKEY, Mercedes et al.  
**SF/alternate history PBK \$18.95**

### **GREEN 03: KALIMPURA**

LAKE, Jay  
In this sequel to *Green* and *Endurance* (\$29.95 each), Lake continues the tale of Green, a former courtesan and assassin. Unfinished business and old enemies take Green and her allies back to the city of Kalimpura, where she must keep a low profile while trying to find two kidnapped girls. However, discretion is difficult with multiple gods taking interest in her doings and several factions out for her blood. His final short story collection, *Last Plane to Heaven*, has also been released (HC, \$42.95).

**Fantasy TP \$29.95**

### **SKULDUGGERY PLEASANT 09:**

**THE DYING OF THE LIGHT**  
LANDY, Derek  
**YA fantasy PBK \$24.99**

### **ENERGIZED**

LERNER, Edward  
A geopolitical miscalculation tainted the world's major oil fields with radioactivity and plunged the Middle East into chaos. No one can build solar farms, wind farms, and electric cars quickly enough to cope. And then, from the darkness of space, came Phoebe. Rather than divert the onrushing asteroid, America captured it into Earth orbit. Solar power satellites offer America its last, best hope of avoiding servitude and economic ruin.

**Science fiction thriller PBK \$19.95**

### **GRUDGEBEARER**

LEWIS, J.F.  
**Fantasy TP \$32.95**

### **THE BLOODHOUND**

LINDSAY, Erin  
A cunning and impetuous scout, Alix only wishes to serve quietly on the edges of the action. But when the king is betrayed by his own brother and left to die at the hands of attacking Oridian forces, she winds up single-handedly saving her sovereign. Suddenly, she is head of the king's personal guard. Surrounded by enemies, Alix must help him reclaim his crown, all the while attempting to repel a relentless tide of invaders.

**Fantasy PBK \$18.95**

### **HEIR OF FIRE**

MAAS, Sarah J.  
**YA fantasy PBK \$15.99**

### **OCTOBER DAYE 08: THE WINTER LONG**

MCGUIRE, Seanan  
**Urban Fantasy PBK \$18.95**

### **FORGED BY DESIRE**

MCMMASTER, Bec  
**Steampunk romance PBK \$18.95**

### **STATION ELEVEN**

MANDEL, Emily St. John  
Day One: - The Georgia Flu explodes over the surface of the earth like a neutron bomb. News reports put the mortality rate at over 99%. Week Two: - Civilization has crumbled. Year Twenty: - A band of actors and musicians called the Travelling Symphony move through their territories performing concerts and Shakespeare to the settlements that have grown up there. But now a new danger looms, and he threatens the hopeful world every survivor has tried to rebuild.

**Fiction TP \$29.99**

**BLACKTHORN & GRIM 01: DREAMER'S POOL**  
MARILLIER, Juliet  
**Fantasy TP \$29.99**

### **CHANNEL BLUE**

MARTEL, Jay  
Earth used to be Galaxy Entertainment's most lucrative show. The inhabitants of the Western Galaxy - the saviest, richest demographic in the Milky Way - just couldn't get enough of the day-to-day details of the average Earthling's life. But Channel Blue's ratings are flagging and its producers are planning a spectacular finale. In just three weeks, their TV show will go out with a bang. The trouble is, so will Earth. Only one man can save our planet and he's hardly a likely hero.

**Science fiction PBK \$19.99**

### **ROGUES**

MARTIN, George R.R. & DOZOIS, Gardner (Editors).  
The biggest draw in this tome is a new Song of Ice and Fire yarn by Martin. Other contributors include Joe Abercrombie, Paul Cornell, Gillian Flynn, Neil Gaiman, Scott Lynch, Garth Nix, Patrick Rothfuss, Carrie Vaughn, and Connie Willis. "Rambunctious, rowdy and occasionally R-rated: a worthy entertainment, without a dud in the bunch that easily moves from swords and sorcery to hard-boiled Chanderlesque." - *Kirkus Reviews*.

**Collection TP \$29.99**

### **THE FALCONER**

MAY, Elizabeth  
Lady Aileana Cameron, the only daughter of the Marquess of Douglas, was destined for a life carefully planned around Edinburgh's social events - right up until when a faery killed her mother. Now it's the 1844 winter season and Aileana slaughters faeries in secret, in between the endless round of parties, tea and balls.

**Fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **TARNISHED CROWN 01: FALCON THRONE**

MILLER, Karen  
**Fantasy TPB \$29.99**

### **BONE CLOCKS**

MITCHELL, David  
One drowsy summer's day in 1984, teenage runaway Holly Sykes encounters a strange woman who offers a small kindness in exchange for 'asylum'. Decades will pass before Holly understands exactly what sort of asylum the woman was seeking. We follow the twists and turns of Holly's life from a scarred adolescence in Gravesend to old age on Ireland's Atlantic coast as Europe's oil supply dries up - a life not so far out of the ordinary, yet punctuated by flashes of precognition, visits from people who emerge from thin air and brief lapses in the laws of reality. For Holly Sykes - daughter, sister, mother, guardian - is also an unwitting player in a murderous feud played out in the shadows and margins of our world, and may prove to be its decisive weapon. Mitchell's most overtly speculative novel yet, this is a superb novel. Recommended.

**Fiction TP \$29.99**

### **REMAINING 04: FRACTURED**

MOLLES, D.J.  
Really selling well and regular customers loving the series! Military, post -apocalypse saga. OK - it IS a zombie apocalypse - but it's more a survivalist-tale...

**Post-apocalyptic PBK \$19.99**

### **HOUSE IMMORTAL**

MONK, Devon  
The first in a new series from the author of the popular Allie Beckstrom novels.

**Urban Fantasy PBK \$18.95**

### **TWILIGHT FOREVER RISING**

MEYDAN, Lena  
Darel Ericson of the Dahanavar clan is a rarity among his vampire brethren: he's an empath, strong enough to occasionally read thought as well as emotion. For centuries, his power has given the Dahanavar a significant advantage against the machinations of the other vampire families, an advantage which makes Darel both a powerful tool and a highly visible target.

**Fantasy PBK \$18.95**

### **ANNO DRACULA 04: JOHNNY ALUCARD**

NEWMAN, Kim  
Transylvania 1976 and the vampire Kate Reed is on the set of Francis Ford Coppola's troubled production of "Dracula." Fallen from grace and driven from the British Empire, the Count himself seems long gone. A relic of the past. But when Kate helps a young vampire outcast begin a new life in America, a fresh monster is born. He reinvents himself as Johnny Pop and makes his name selling a dangerously addictive drug that confers vampire powers on its users. As Johnny stalks the streets of Manhattan and Hollywood, sinking his fangs ever deeper into the zeitgeist of 1980s America, it seems the past might not be dead after all.

**Fantasy/ Horror TBK \$28.95**

### **THE FIRST FIFTEEN LIVES OF HARRY AUGUST**

NORTH, Claire  
Harry August is on his deathbed. Again. No matter what he does or the decisions he makes, when death comes, Harry always returns to where he began, a child with all the knowledge of a life he has already lived a dozen times before. Nothing ever changes. Until now. As Harry nears the end of his eleventh life, a little girl appears at his bedside. 'I nearly missed you, Doctor August,' she says. 'I need to send a message.' This is the story of what Harry does next - and what he did before - and how he tries to save a past he cannot change and a future he cannot allow. Highly Recommended

**Science Fiction PBK \$19.99**

### **FORTUNES OF THE IMPERIUM**

NYE, Jody Lynn  
Two hardworking Imperium merchants and their four children have been imprisoned in the Autocracy, having been framed for smuggling. Luckily (maybe) for them, the Imperium is sending Lord Thomas Kinago to investigate. Thomas (last seen in *View from the Imperium*, \$18.95) is a scion of the royal family and a serving member of the Imperium Navy, but he is prone to

extravagances and enthusiasms, such as his latest obsession with fortune-telling. Fortunately, he still has the unflappable Commander Parsons keeping him on track.

**Science fiction TP \$28.95**

### **THE QUICK**

OWEN, Lauren  
**Gothic fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **GHOST LAYER**

OWENS, Robin D.  
**Paranormal romance PBK \$18.95**

### **SWORD OF THE BRIGHT LADY**

PLANCK, M.L.  
Christopher Sinclair goes out for a walk on a mild Arizona evening and never comes back. He stumbles into a freezing winter under an impossible night sky, where magic is real - but bought at a terrible price.

**Fantasy TP \$32.95**

### **DISCWORLD DIARY 2015: WE R IGORS**

PRATCHETT, Terry  
**Discworld ephemera HC \$35.00**

### **MAPLECROFT: THE BORDEN DISPATCHES**

PRIEST, Cherie  
Lizzie Borden took an axe and gave her mother forty whacks; and when she saw what she had done, she gave her father forty-one... "The people of Fall River, Massachusetts, fear me. Perhaps rightfully so. I remain a suspect in the brutal deaths of my father and his second wife despite the verdict of innocence at my trial. With our inheritance, my sister, Emma, and I have taken up residence in Maplecroft, a mansion near the sea and far from gossip and scrutiny. But it is not far enough from the affliction that possessed my parents. Their characters, their very souls, were consumed from within by something that left malevolent entities in their place. It originates from the ocean's depths, plaguing the populace with tides of nightmares and madness. This evil cannot hide from me. No matter what guise it assumes, I will be waiting for it. With an axe."

**Fantasy TP \$19.99**

### **THE CHICKENS OF ATLANTIS AND OTHER FOUL AND FILTHY FRIENDS**

RANKIN, Robert  
**Urban fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **THE WEIRD COMPANY**

RAWLIK, Pete  
Shoggoths are stirring in Antarctica, and the universe is endangered by the possible advent of demonic Yog-Sothoth. Robert Olmstead, who has betrayed his Innsmouth kin, joins the Weird Company in an attempt to save the world. This leads to startling encounters with rat people, a mysterious alien swami, and the dead Ephraim Waite brought back to life in the body of his daughter, Asenath.

**Cthulhiana TP \$29.95**

### **PERCY JACKSON AND THE GREEK GODS**

RIORDAN, Rick  
**YA fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **THE PATH OF ANGER**

ROUAUD, Antoine  
Dun-Cadal has been drinking his life away for years. Betrayed by his friends - who turned their back on their ideals in favour of a new republic - and grief stricken at the loss of his apprentice, who saved his life on the battlefield and whom he trained as a knight in exchange, he's done with politics, with adventure, and with people. But people aren't finished with him - not yet. Viola is a young historian looking for the last Emperor's sword, and her search not only brings her to Dun-Cadal, it's also going to embroil them both in a series of assassinations.

**Fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **BANNON & CLARE 03: THE RIPPER AFFAIR**

SAINTCROW, Lilith  
**Fantasy PBK \$19.99**

### **NIGHT OF THE HUNTER**

SALVATORE, R.A.  
**Fantasy PBK \$19.95**

### **LOCK IN**

SCALZI, John  
Fifteen years from now, a new virus sweeps the globe. 95% of those afflicted experience nothing worse than fever and headaches. 4% suffer acute meningitis, creating the largest medical crisis in history. And 1% find themselves 'locked in' - fully awake and aware, but unable to move or respond to stimulus. Nothing can fully restore the locked in. But then the discovery that a few rare individuals have brains that are receptive to being controlled by others, allowing those who are locked in to occasionally 'ride' these people and use their bodies as if they were their own. This skill is quickly regulated, licensed, bonded, and controlled. Nothing can go wrong. Certainly nobody would be tempted to misuse it, for murder, for political power, or worse...

**Science Fiction TPB \$29.99**

### **THE DARKEST HOUR**

SCHUMACHER, Tony  
London, 1946. The Nazis have conquered the British, and now occupy Great Britain, using brutality and fear to control its citizens. John Henry Rossett, a decorated British war hero and former police sergeant, has been reassigned to the Office of Jewish Affairs. He now answers to the SS, one of the most powerful organizations in the Third Reich.

**Alternate history/mystery TP \$27.99**

### **TOMORROW AND TOMORROW**

SWETERLITSCH, Thomas  
Ten years after the attack that reduced Pittsburgh to ashes, all that remains is the Archive: an interactive digital record of the city and its people. John Dominic Blaxton is a 'lucky one'. He

survived the blast, but, crippled by the loss of his wife and unborn daughter, his days are spent immersed in the Archive with the ghosts of yesterday. It is there that he finds the record of a forgotten body. Who was this woman? And why is someone hacking the system to delete her seemingly unremarkable life?

**Science fiction TP \$29.99**

### **INDIGO**

SETZ, M. Clemens  
It is 2007 and Austria is in the grip of a sinister epidemic: Indigo Syndrome. Children are the carriers, and anyone who comes near them is afflicted with severe headaches, nausea, and vertigo. These Indigo children are sent away to the Helianau Institute in Styria, a protected zone where they cannot affect the wider population. There, one of the teachers, Clemens Setz, witnesses students being taken away in strange masks. Fourteen years later, in 2021, former Indigo child Robert Tatzel notices an article in the newspaper about his old teacher: Clemens Setz has just been acquitted in a murder trial. Tatzel decides to investigate.

**Fiction HC \$29.99**

### **ELFHOME 04: WOODSPRITES**

SPENCER, Wen  
**Fantasy HC \$39.95**

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STEPHENSON, Neal (Editor)  
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