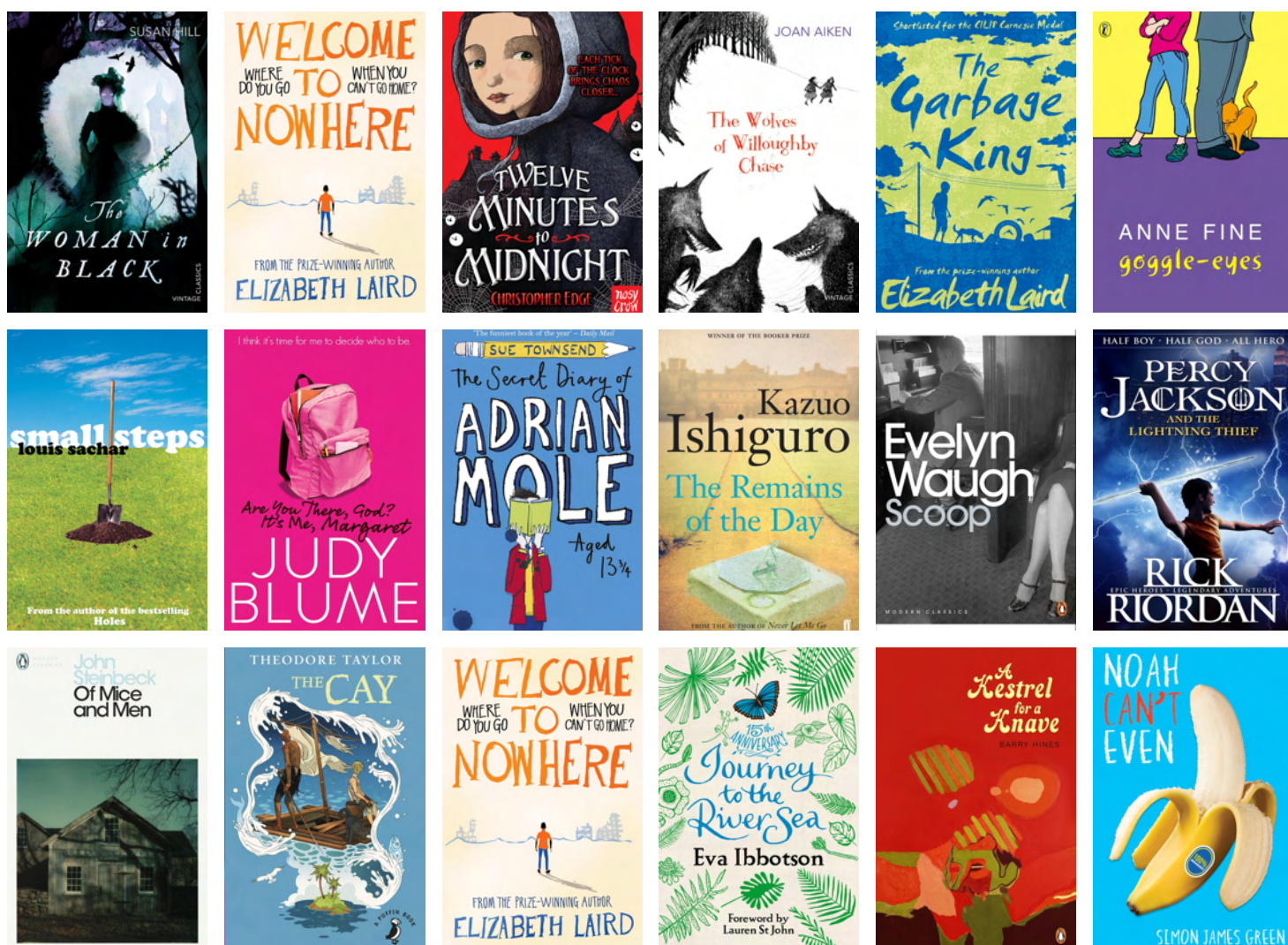


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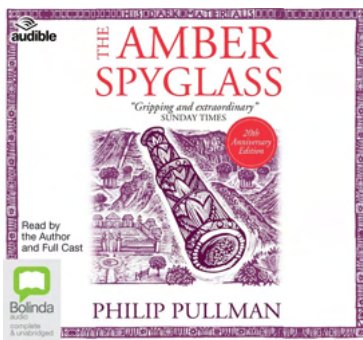
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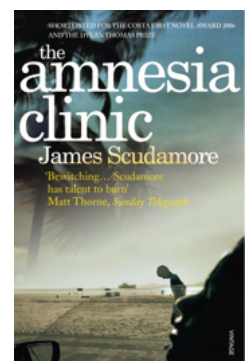
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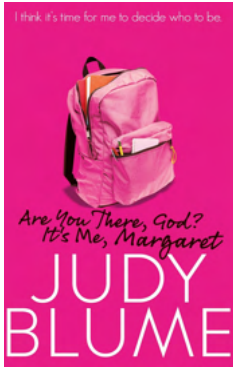
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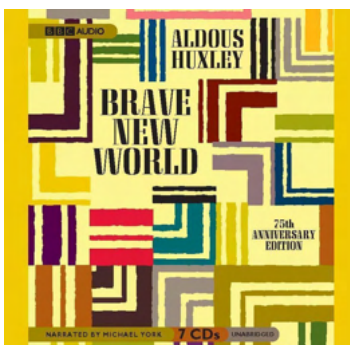
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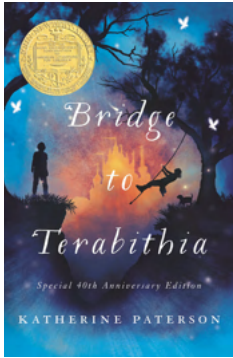
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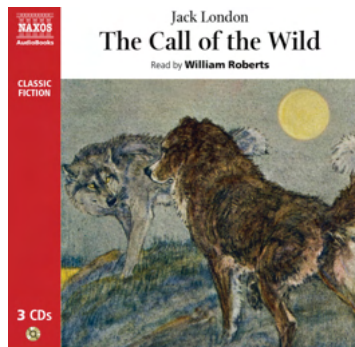
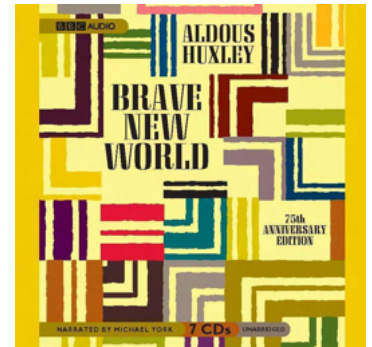
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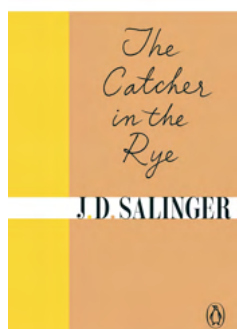
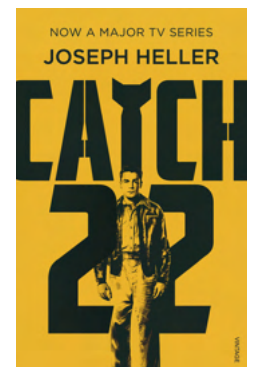
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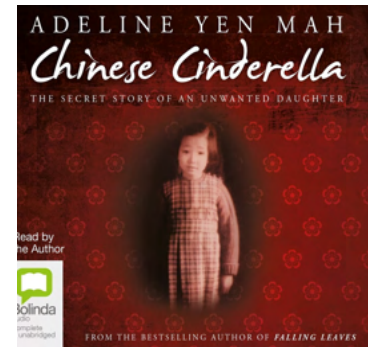
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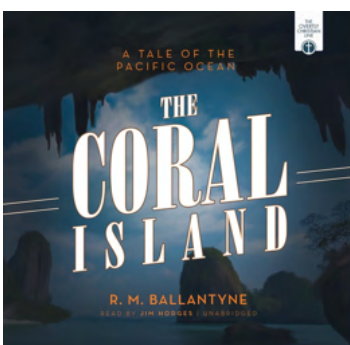
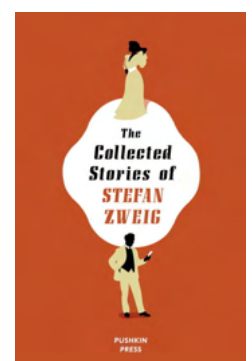
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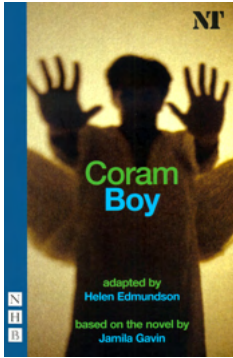
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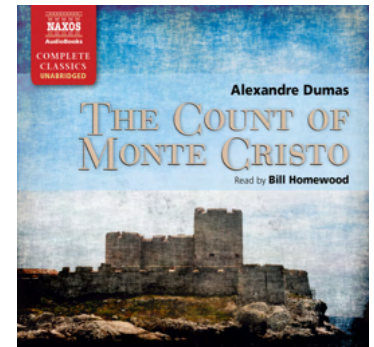
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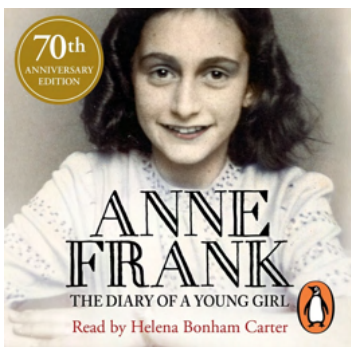
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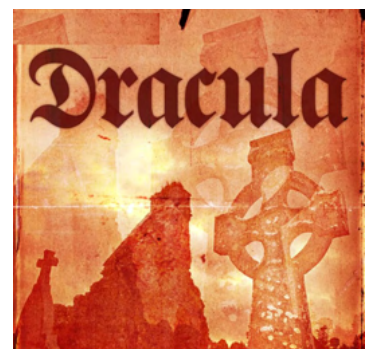
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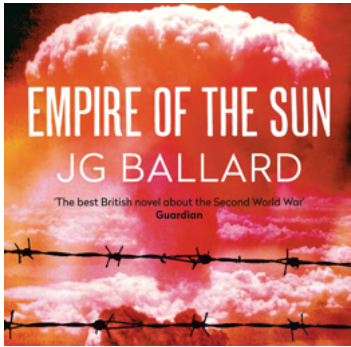
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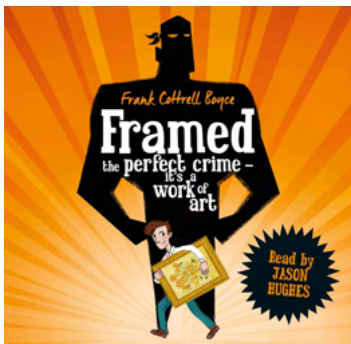
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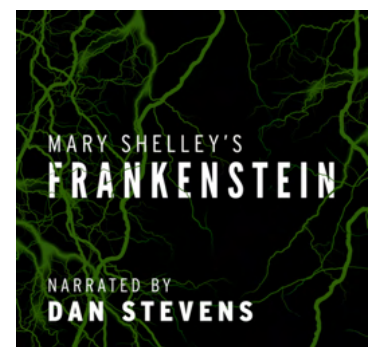
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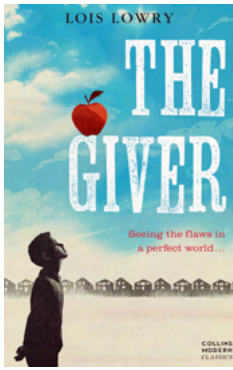
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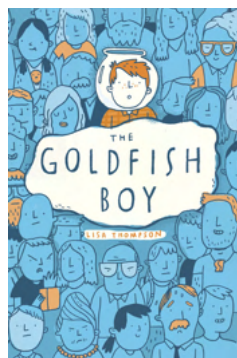
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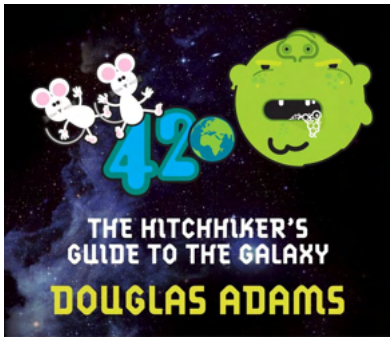
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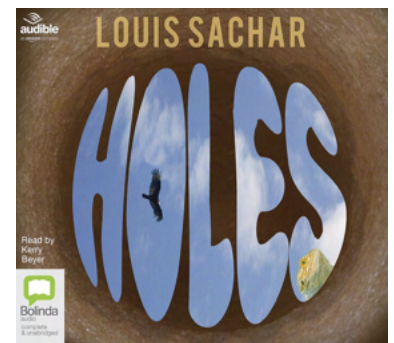
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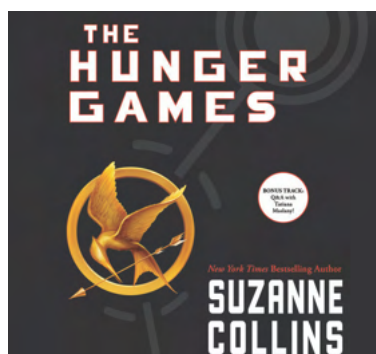
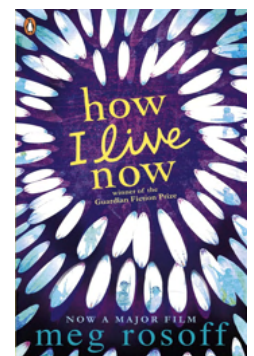
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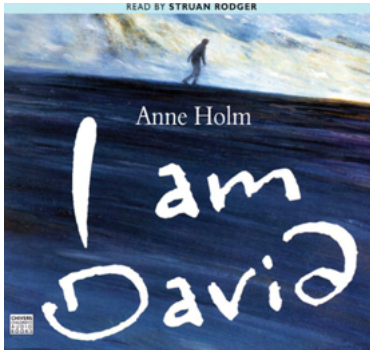
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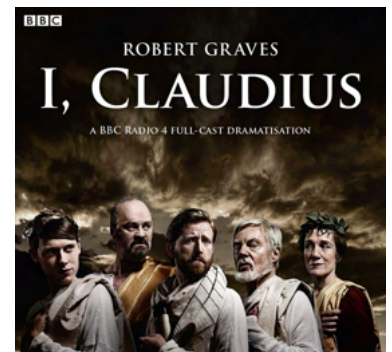
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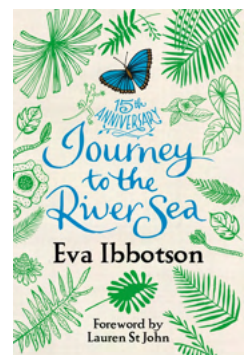
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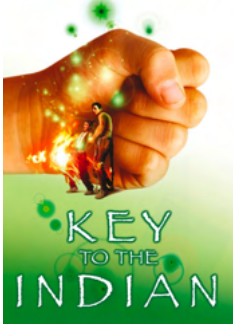


A Kestrel for a Knave by Barry Hines

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Billy Casper is beaten by his drunken brother, ignored by his mother and failing at school. For a brief time, he finds one pleasure in life: a wild kestrel that he has raised and tamed himself.

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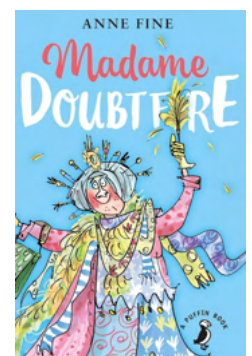
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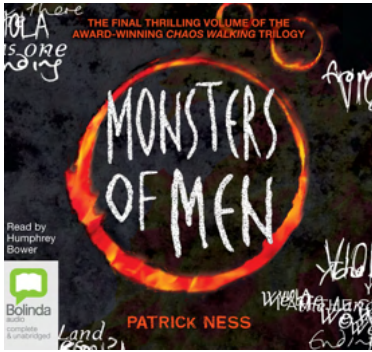
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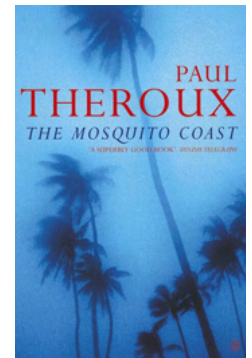
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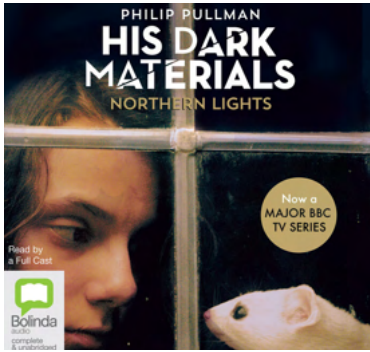
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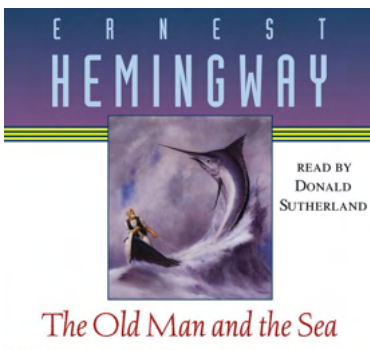
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Lyra's quest to rescue her friend and find her father, aided by her daemon, an armoured bear, and a witch-queen.

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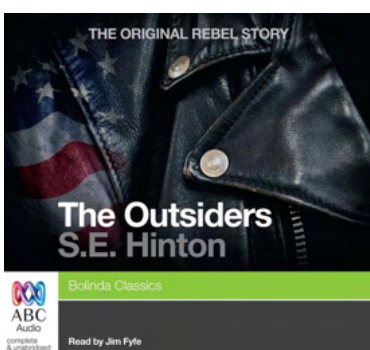
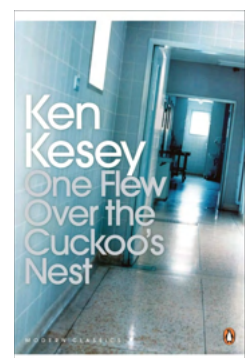
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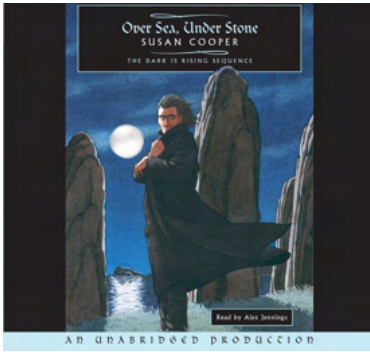
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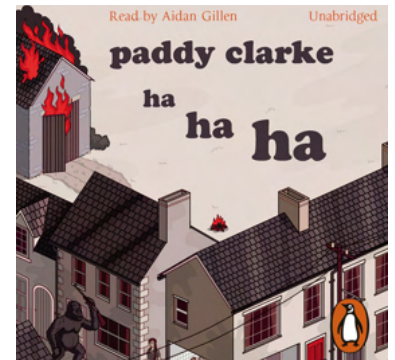
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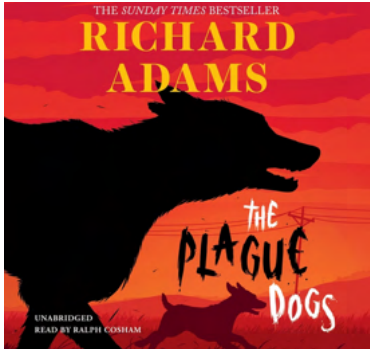
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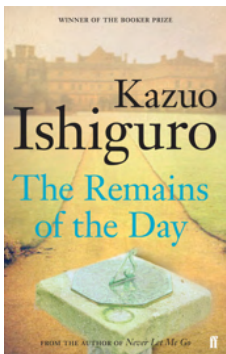
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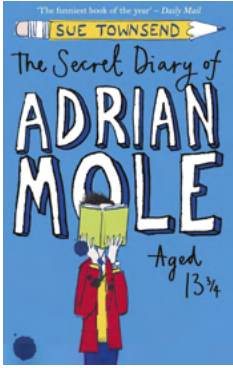
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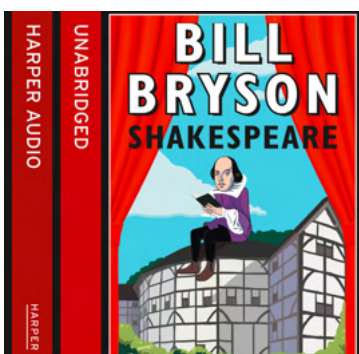
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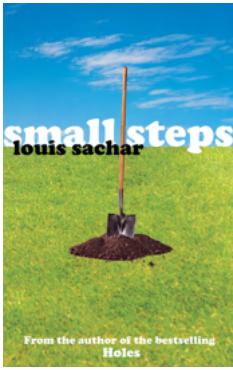
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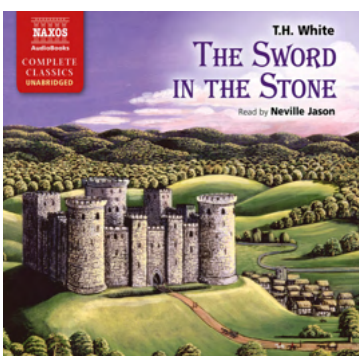
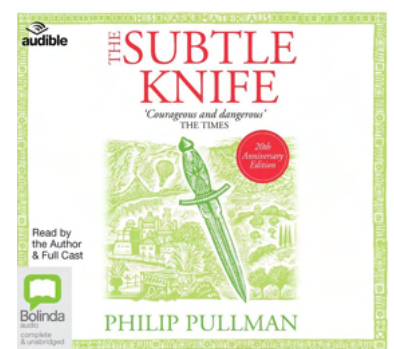
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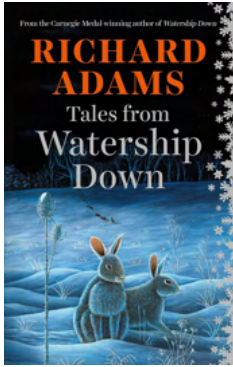
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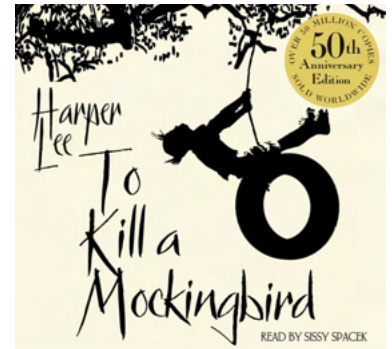
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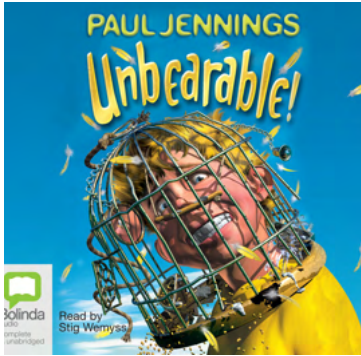
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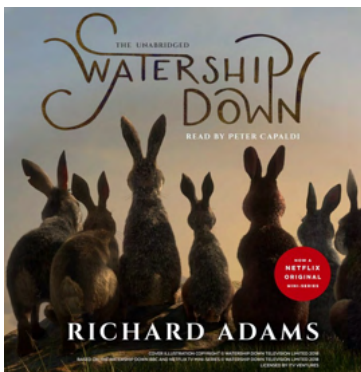
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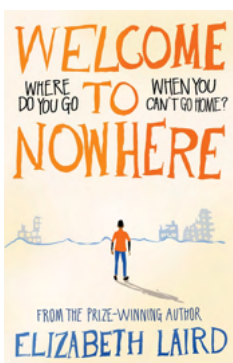
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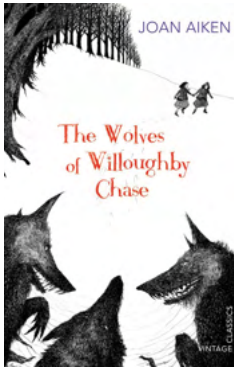
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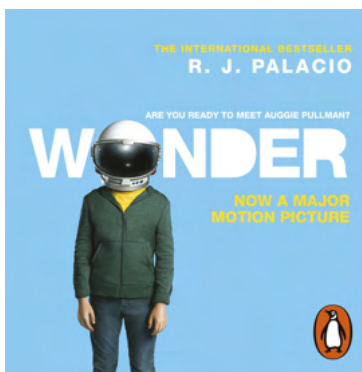
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