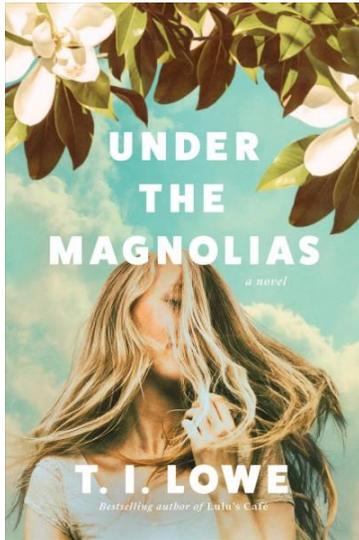


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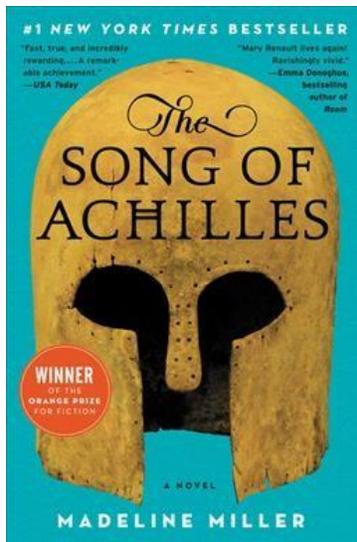
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Austin Foster is barely a teenager when her mama dies giving birth to twins, leaving her to pick up the pieces while holding her six siblings together and doing her best to stop her daddy from retreating into his personal darkness.

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Patroclus, an awkward young prince, follows Achilles into war, little knowing that the years that follow will test everything they have learned, everything they hold dear.

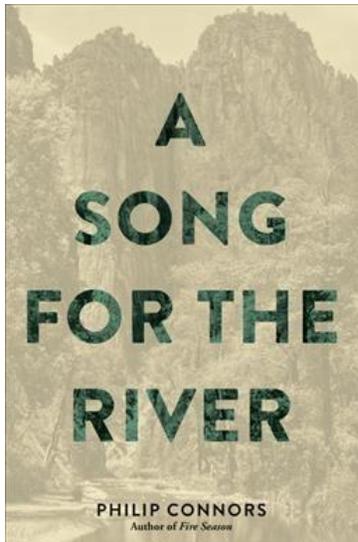
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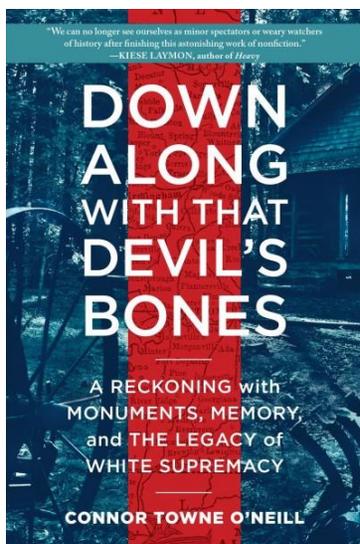
Philip Connors

A dozen years into his dream job keeping watch over the Gila National Forest of New Mexico, Philip Connors bore witness to the blaze he had always feared: a megafire that forced him off his mountain by helicopter and forever changed the forest and watershed he loved.

Subjects: Fire lookouts, Gila River, Autobiographies

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Down Along With That Devil's Bones: A Reckoning with Monuments, Memory, and the Legacy of White Supremacy

Connor Towne O'Neill

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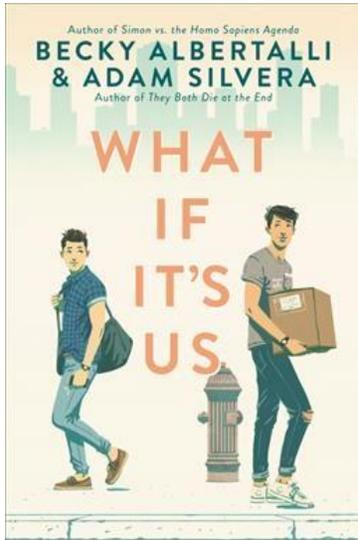
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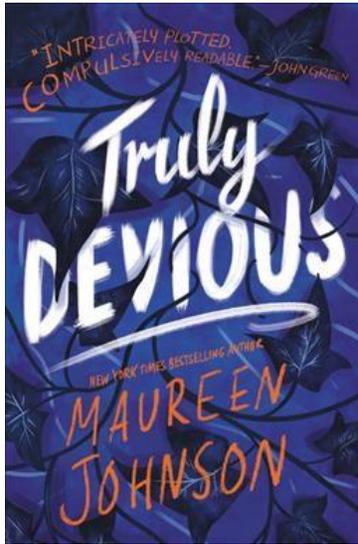
Becky Albertalli

When Arthur, a summer intern from Georgia, and Ben, a native New Yorker, meet it seems like fate, but after three attempts at dating fail they wonder if the universe is pushing them together or apart.

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Truly Devious

Maureen Johnson

When Stevie Bell, an amateur detective, begins her first year at a famous private school in Vermont, she sets a plan to solve the cold case involving the kidnapping of the founder's wife and daughter shortly after the school opened.

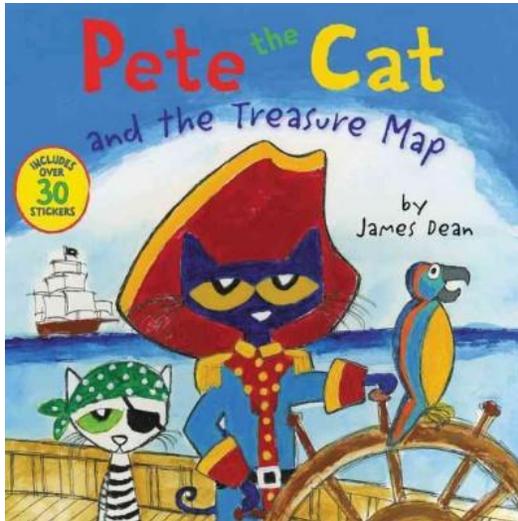
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Pete the Cat and the Treasure Map

James Dean

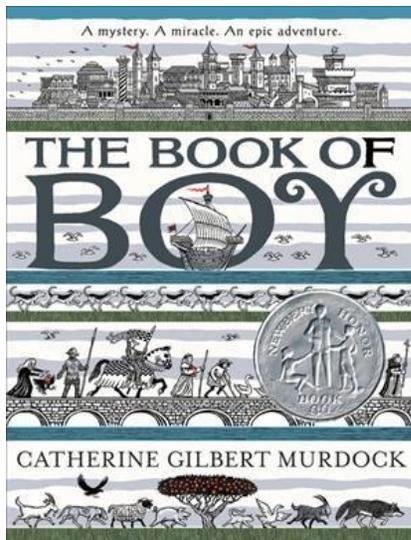
Pete the Cat and his crew battle a sea monster as they follow a map to find a hidden treasure.

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The Book of Boy

Catherine Gilbert Murdock

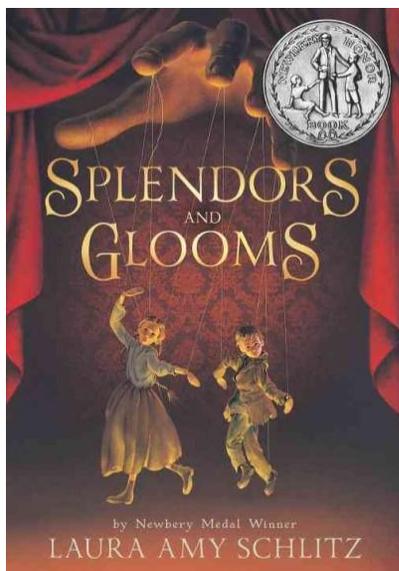
In 1350, a boy with a large hump on his back becomes the servant of a shadowy pilgrim on his way to Rome, who pulls the boy into a dangerous expedition across Europe to gather the seven precious relics of Saint Peter.

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Splendors and Glooms

Laura Amy Schlitz

When Clara vanishes after the puppeteer Grisini and two orphaned assistants were at her twelfth birthday party, suspicion of kidnapping chases the trio away from London, and soon the two orphans are caught in a trap set by Grisini's ancient rival.

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