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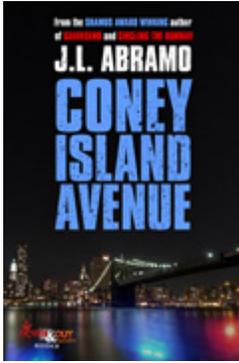


A Note from the Publisher...

This is an exciting year for us, with an incredible and diverse line-up of titles from both Down & Out Books and our imprints Shotgun Honey and ABC Group Documentation. Our Spring/Summer publication list includes a new crime novel from Shamus Award-winning author J.L. Abramo, our third collection of short stories presented by Sisters in Crime/Los Angeles, the return of PI Nick Polo in a mystery by Jerry Kennealy, a debut novel from the very talented Danny Gardner, and much more.

In the following pages, we invite you to take a look at what is coming from Down & Out Books this year.

—Eric Campbell, Publisher



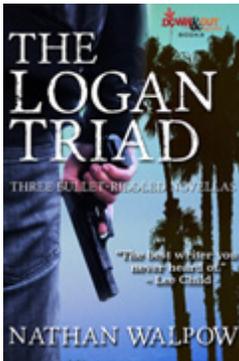
CONEY ISLAND AVENUE
The Sequel to GRAVESEND
 J.L. Abramo

March 13, 2017
 Trade Paperback: \$19.95
 eBook Formats: \$8.99
 978-1-943402-56-4

The dog days of August in Brooklyn and the detectives of the 61st Precinct are battling to keep all hell from breaking loose.

Innocents are being sacrificed in the name of greed, retribution, passion and the lust for power—and the only worthy opponent of this senseless evil is the uncompromising resolve to rise above it, rather than descend to its depths.

The heart pounding sequel to the acclaimed novel GRAVESEND—from Shamus Award-winning author J.L. Abramo—CONEY ISLAND AVENUE continues the dramatic account of the professional and personal struggles that constitute everyday life for the dedicated men and women of the Six-One—and of the saints and sinners who share their streets.



THE LOGAN TRIAD
Three Bullet-Riddled Novellas
 Nathan Walpow

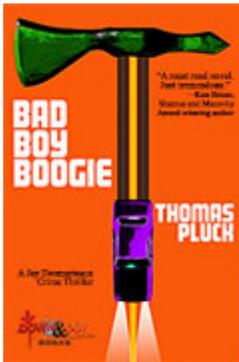
March 13, 2017
 Trade Paperback: \$17.95
 eBook Formats: \$8.99
 978-1-943402-58-8

Sometimes those who do terrible things to good people slip through the cracks. That's where Logan comes in. He tracks down the guilty and holds them accountable. He specializes in those who mistreat women and children. He works with a team of three young crime-fighters who've benefited from his efforts. And none of the four is above letting a little thing like the law get in his or her way.

In "Logan's Young Guns," a young woman shows up in the emergency room, and Logan sets out to find the man responsible and make sure he doesn't do it again.

In "Logan Shoots First," the team must balance a forced-prostitution ring with a lead on the case that's haunted Logan for seven years.

In "Logan Gets Caught," a young woman from Logan's past reappears, insisting he investigate the murder of her mother.



BAD BOY BOOGIE
A Jay Desmarteaux Crime Thriller
 Thomas Pluck

March 20, 2017
 Trade Paperback: \$17.95
 eBook Formats: \$8.99
 978-1-943402-59-5

When Jay Desmarteaux steps out of from prison after serving twenty-five years for murdering a vicious school bully, he tries to follow his convict mentor's advice: *the best revenge is living well.*

But questions gnaw at his gut: Where have his folks disappeared to? Why do old friends want him gone? And who wants him dead?

Teaming with his high school sweetheart turned legal Valkyrie, a hulking body shop bodybuilder, and a razor-wielding gentleman's club house mother, Jay will unravel a tangle of deception all the way back to the bayous where he was born. With an iron-fisted police chief on his tail and a ruthless mob captain at his throat, he'll need his wits, his fists, and his father's trusty Vietnam war hatchet to hack his way through a toxic jungle of New Jersey corruption that makes the gator-filled swamps of home feel like the shallow end of the kiddie pool.



**SHOOTING CREEK AND
OTHER STORIES**

Scott Loring Sanders

March 27, 2017

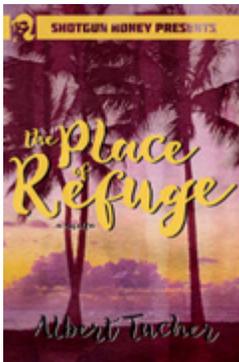
Trade Paperback: \$14.95

eBook Formats: \$8.99

978-1-943402-60-1

Dark, gritty, disturbing. Those are the types of characters you'll encounter in the award winning stories within this collection. Tough people in a tough world. But also real people, struggling with difficult decisions when faced with unthinkable circumstances. What happens when you discover a dead body but can't go to the police because of your own dark past? Or your father's dark past? What might a woman resort to when her husband doesn't hold up his end of a bargain? What frightening surprises lie buried beneath the beaches of North Carolina? Or in the desolate hills of Virginia's Blue Ridge Mountains? Or in the swamps of the New Jersey Pine Barrens?

These are stories that are as dark, gritty, and disturbing as the characters who inhabit them, yet there is a pervasive humanness which forces us to empathize. That asks us to understand why people sometimes do what they do. Perhaps that's the reason these stories have been chosen for the Best American Mystery series, honored by The Atlantic Monthly's Student Writing Contest, not to mention various other awards and honors. Perhaps that's why these stories will stick with you well after the reading has commenced. Always gnawing at you, unrelenting, asking, "What would you have done in that situation? Would you have behaved any differently?"



THE PLACE OF REFUGE

Albert Tucher

March 31, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$9.95

eBook Formats: \$4.99

978-1-943402-61-8

Published by Shotgun Honey

Detective Errol Coutinho of the Hawaii County Police has a serial killer of prostitutes to catch and a shortage of leads to pursue. Office Jessie Hokoana of the Honolulu P.D. has an undercover assignment that tests her loyalties and takes her to the brink of death.

When their cases collide in the rainforest of the Big Island, family ties turn deadly, and there may be no *pu'uhonua*—no place of refuge—for anyone.



**SISTERS IN CRIME/LOS
ANGELES PRESENTS
LAST RESORT**

edited by Matt Coyle, Mary
Marks, and Patricia Smiley

April 17, 2017

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eBook Formats: \$8.99

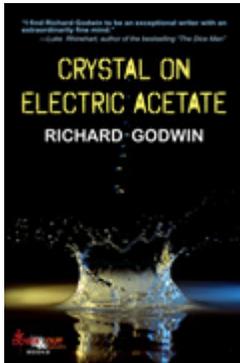
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The misdeeds and downfalls of characters drawn to the cultural panoply that is Los Angeles...

The sun-kissed city of high hopes and second chances, where everyone seems to be from somewhere else. A siren's call to dreamers, misfits, mystics and freaks, lost souls and purveyors of sin. They roll in on their last tank of gas, their suitcases bulging with secrets of pasts better forgotten. They stay for a few days, a month, a year, a lifetime. The determined and the desperate, careening and colliding toward trouble, and their last resort.

LAST Resort, a Sisters in Crime/Los Angeles anthology, includes stories by Avril Adams, Paula Bernstein, Lynne Bronstein, Stephen Buehler, Sarah M. Chen, Anne David, Gay Degani, L.H. Dillman, Wrona Gall, Cyndra Gernet, Georgia Jeffries, Melinda Loomis, GB Pool, Laurie Stevens, Wendall Thomas, and Mae Woods.

Edited by Matt Coyle, Mary Marks, and Patricia Smiley, with a special thank you to Michael Connelly for the introduction.



CRYSTAL ON ELECTRIC ACETATE

Richard Godwin

April 24, 2017

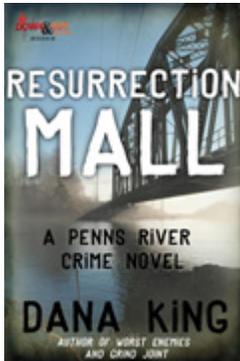
Trade Paperback: \$16.95

eBook Formats: \$6.99

978-1-943402-64-9

Crystal on Electric Acetate is the first and ultimate original collection of short stories by crime and mystery novelist Richard Godwin. Comprising a fascinating and versatile range of stories previously published in great and ground-breaking cutting-edge paper and online magazines, this collection sums up his take on noir. From urban decay to Gothic explosion, at once revolutionary, iconoclastic, erotic and dark as that cellar next door.

If you think this is one genre, think again. If you think you can work out what hybrid genre this is, think again. Mutation exists at all levels. Welcome to the mix of stories.



RESURRECTION MALL

A Penns River Crime Novel

Dana King

May 1, 2017

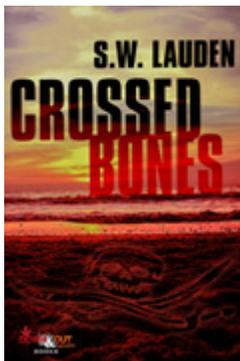
Trade Paperback: \$18.95

eBook Formats: \$8.99

978-1-943402-65-6

As if things aren't bad enough in Penns River, development and funding of a new religious-themed mall grinds to a halt when heavily-armed assassins cut down five leaders of the town's fledgling drug trade while eating lunch in the food court. The television minister behind the mall has associates not normally associated with a ministry, outside drug gangs may be muscling into town, and the local mob boss could have an angle of his own.

The cops have this and all the usual local activity to contend with in a story that extends beyond the borders of Penns River.



CROSSED BONES

A Tommy and Shanya Crime Caper

S.W. Lauden

May 1, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$10.95

eBook Formats: \$5.99

978-1-943402-57-1

Shayna Billups left Tommy Ruzzo and Seatown, Florida in smoking ruins before escaping to New Orleans. She's slinging rum drinks at a pirate-themed dive bar when a treasure map grabs her attention. All alone and thirsting for adventure, Shayna follows the clues to North Carolina where she assembles a band of drug-dealing pirates to wage war on a murderous mayor and his blood-thirsty biker gang.

As the bodies pile up, Shayna wonders if Ruzzo will find her before she ends up in Davy Jones' Locker.



LET ME PUT MY STORIES IN YOU

A COLLECTION

Ryan Sayles

May 8th, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$14.95

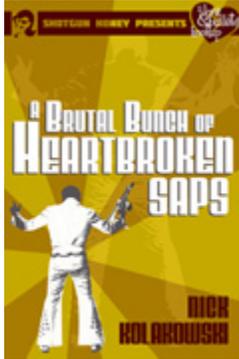
eBook Formats: \$7.99

978-1-943402-66-3

Need an escape for a few minutes? Don't care if that escape smells like spent gunpowder or could fit into a chalk outline? Then look no further.

In this new collection of short fiction, Ryan Sayles continues his streak of no holds-barred grit. An old hit man sharing a last drink with the ghost of one of his first victims. A grieving mother who knows exactly to whom she wants to give all her love. A college student more dangerous than the active shooter event in which he's trapped. A couple's last resort against terminal cancer that might be worse than the disease.

Be glad these folks are the ones making—and paying for—the mistakes and you're only getting to read about them. If you've got a few minutes to kill, come on over. Killing is a guaranteed thing around here.



A BRUTAL BATCH OF HEARTBROKEN SAPS

Nick Kolakowski

May 12, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$9.95

eBook Formats: \$4.99

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Published by Shotgun Honey

Bill is a hustler's hustler with a taste for the high life. He pulls off big scores for one of New York City's more vicious gangs... until he suddenly grows a conscience. However, living the clean life takes a whole lot of money, and so Bill decides to steal a fortune from his employer before skipping town.

With a bag of cash in the trunk of his car, Bill heads west, ready for a new life. But all that money makes him a tempting target for some bad people he meets on the road — and if that wasn't dangerous enough, some old friends are close behind him, and they intend to make a trophy of his head.

Pursued by crooked cops, dimwitted bouncers, and a wisecracking assassin in the midst of a midlife crisis, Bill will need to be a quick study in the way of the gun if he wants to survive his own getaway. Who knew that an honest attempt at redemption could rack up a body count like this?



A NEGRO AND AN OFAY
The Tales of Elliot Caprice
Danny Gardner

May 15, 2017

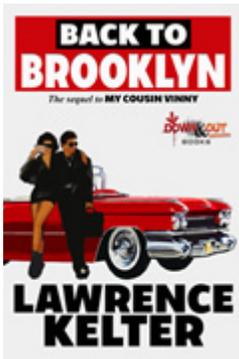
Trade Paperback: \$17.95

eBook Formats: \$8.99

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In 1952, after a year on the run, disgraced Chicago Police Officer Elliot Caprice wakes up in a jailhouse in St. Louis. His friends from his hometown secure his release and he returns to find the family farm in foreclosure and the man who raised him dying in a flophouse. Desperate for money, he accepts a straight job as a process server and eventually crosses paths with a powerful family from Chicago's North Shore. A captain of industry is dead, the key to his estate disappeared with the chauffeur, and soon Elliot is in up to his neck. The mixed-race son of Illinois farm country must return to the Windy City with the Chicago Police on his heels and the Syndicate at his throat.

Good thing he's had a lifetime of playing both sides to the middle.



BACK TO BROOKLYN
The My Cousin Vinny Series
Lawrence Kelter

May 22, 2017

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eBook Formats: \$8.99

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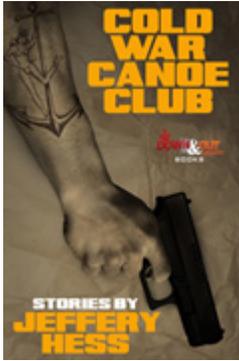
Gambini is back! Hot on the heels of rescuing his cousin Bill and Bill's friend Stan from an Alabama electric chair, our wildly inappropriate hero, Vincent Gambini heads home to Brooklyn where he attempts to establish a successful law career. Meanwhile, Lisa's aches to have a wedding band placed around her finger and her biological clock is still ticking away like mad.

In the course of building his practice, Vinny is reunited with Joe, his walking, talking embarrassment of a brother and his dear old friend Judge Henry Molloy, who refers him the mother of all capital murder cases.

Theresa Cototi is young and pretty but far from innocent. Her boyfriend has just been scraped off the pavement after taking a dive from eight stories up and she's going to trial, charged with murder one.

Aided by Lisa and a ragtag team of misfits, Vinny defends his client against overwhelming odds. In the balance hangs the life of a woman he believes to be innocent. Or is she?

Yes, Vinny may have finally won his first case but his and Lisa's story is far from over.



COLD WAR CANOE CLUB

Jeffery Hess

May 22, 2017

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eBook Formats: \$7.99

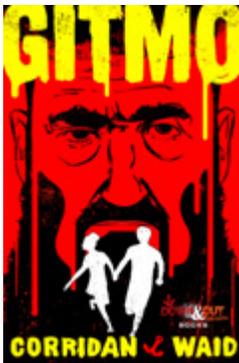
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The stories in *Cold War Canoe Club* are like vertical launch missiles that explode to reveal a darker side of the US Navy in a time when most of the action took place away from the headlines. Welcome to the period between World War II and the Desert Storm, when enemies were just as likely to be seen on radar as aboard the same ship.

The characters who populate the stories Hess has written face their own doom through dangers—foreign and domestic, including shipmates, spouses, secrets, lies, greed, lust, and bad decisions.

There's a submarine sinking in frigid waters, a pregnant Navy wife distraught over the Cuban Missile Crisis, a race riot aboard an air craft carrier, fist fights, loose women, bad luck, and bad decisions.

Hess's sailors and veterans haunt deeply with the authentic sense of people being on ships at sea or at the ends of their ropes as civilians. These stories bristle with noir intrigue and energy, while transporting readers to worlds few have ever seen. A dark exploration of service men, officers, gentlemen, lowlifes, and those trying to navigate troubled waters across oceans and on land.



GITMO

Shawn Corridan and Gary Waid

June 5, 2017

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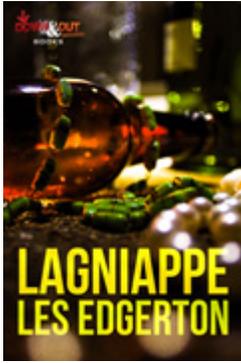
Retired smuggler Dixon Sweeney exits Raiford after eight long years behind bars, vowing "From here on out, things are gonna be different."

And boy is he right: his wife has left him, emptied his safe deposit box, moved their entire house to Key West, and is shacking up with Sweeney's former partner and Best Man. Worse yet, Buck Wiggins is after him for a sixty-five grand debt. But Sweeney's broke! So Buck sends Gooch and Gunther Canseco, twin towers of steroidal ape stuff to tune Sweeney up each week until he pays Buck back.

And he thought life in prison sucked!

When a mysterious Cuban-American approaches Sweeney with an offer, Sweeney is forced to accept. The payoff? A cool half mil. The problem? The money is hidden inside a house in Cuba. Worse yet: on Guantanamo Naval Base, a.k.a GITMO!

Strap on your seat belt and prepare for the ride of your life, as unlikely hero Dixon Sweeney and his beat-up Chris-Craft challenge the Gulf Stream, waterspouts, man-eating sharks, the crazy Canseco twins, the Coast Guard, U.S. Navy, the entire Cuban military and one super sexy seniorita in this hilarious romp through the Florida Straits!

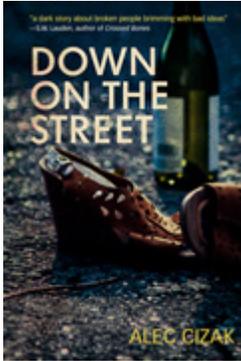


LAGNIAPPE
Les Edgerton

June 12, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$17.95
eBook Formats: \$7.99
978-1-943402-85-4

Twenty years after the publication of his first short story collection, Monday's Meal, Les Edgerton delivers the goods once again in this collection of harrowing tales of outlaws, ex-cons, frightened men and women, rap-partners throwing back tall boys and taller tales, children forced to become killers, stabbings and shootings, bad asses and sad asses...a wide-ranging collection of distinct and memorable characters who will exhibit a kind of wisdom not obtainable from the halls of academia. This is not a gathering of people contemplating their navels but real people facing the consequences of their actions...and it ain't often pretty.



DOWN ON THE STREET
Alec Cizak

June 16, 2017

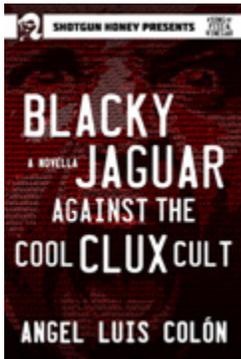
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Documentation

What price can you put on a human life?

Times are tough. Cabbie Lester Banks can't pay his bills. His gorgeous young neighbor, Chelsea, is also one step from the streets. Lester makes a sordid business deal with her. Things turn out worse than he could ever have imagined.

"Alec Cizak demonstrates in *Down on the Street* that he remains among the top fiction writers alive, regardless of genre. This is a crime story, but it's so much more. Words like sharpened blades cut out the reader's heart, emotionally and otherwise. I read this novella in a burst. A week later, I'm still absorbing it." —Rob Pierce, author of *Uncle Dust* and *With the Right Enemies*.



**BLACKY JAGUAR AGAINST THE
COOL CLUX CULT**
Angel Luis Colón

June 23, 2017

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Published by Shotgun Honey

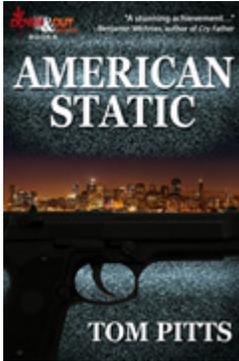
Ex-IRA hard-ass, wanted international criminal, and all-around hooligan Blacky Jaguar is back and on the run.

After painting the Cross Bronx Expressway red—literally—and losing his beloved car Polly to his ex, Linda Chen (who isn't returning his calls because she's not a complete idiot), Blacky decides his time is running short and has tasked himself with one last stop before tossing hands up and surrendering: Graceland.

Of course, nothing Blacky Jaguar sets his mind to ends up being simple. Contacted by an old frenemy, Broderick Kimbo, Blacky finds himself strong-armed into protecting the budding leader of a growing social justice movement against escalating attacks from an online cabal known as The Cool Clux Cult and their shadowy internet tough-guy leader, neilDATASStyson.

What happens when Blacky Jaguar meets a problem he can't punch? What happens when our Irish hero discovers a pair of Doc Martens is utterly inappropriate for walking the wilderness? What happens when Blacky discovers the glory of the Chicken Biscuit?

What happens when Blacky Jaguar goes up against The Cool Clux Cult?



AMERICAN STATIC

Tom Pitts

June 26, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$17.95

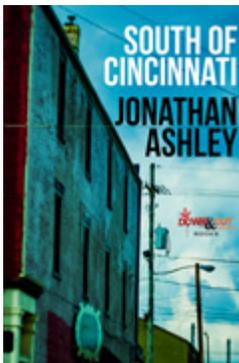
eBook Formats: \$8.99

978-1-943402-84-7

Beaten and left for dead, young Steven finds himself stranded in a small Northern California town. When a mysterious stranger named Quinn offers a ride, Steven gets in the car and begins a journey from which there is no return.

Quinn has an agenda all his own and he's unleashing vengeance at each stop along his path. With a coked-up sadist ex-cop chasing Quinn, and two mismatched small town cops chasing the ex-cop, Steven is oblivious of the violent tempest brewing.

Bottom-feeding criminals, corrupt cops, and death-dealing gangsters navigate a dangerous maze to get to the one thing they're all after: Teresa, the girl holding the secret that will rip open a decades-old scandal and scorch San Francisco's City Hall. Hand in hand Steven and Teresa lead the mad parade of desperate men to edge of the void.



SOUTH OF CINCINNATI

Jonathan Ashley

July 10, 2017

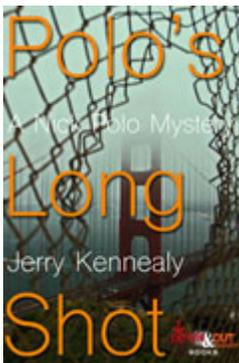
Trade Paperback: \$17.95

eBook Formats: \$8.99

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Jon Catlett and Paul Frank have turned their once-failing used bookstore into one of the most thriving businesses in the Highlands. But they paid in blood for their success, for Second Story Books is not just another dusty thrift shop, but a front for the largest heroin distribution network ever based in Louisville.

The two eccentric intellectuals-turned-gun thugs enlist the help of an unscrupulous narcotics cop nicknamed Mad Dog and a former marine importing dope through Fort Knox from Afghanistan purer than anything the city has ever seen. In between trading muzzle flashes with a corrupt and psychotic DEA agent and thwarting two crusading homicide detectives, Catlett and Frank plan to corner the market...or at least everything South of Cincinnati.



POLO'S LONG SHOT

A Nick Polo Mystery

Jerry Kennealy

July 17, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$17.95

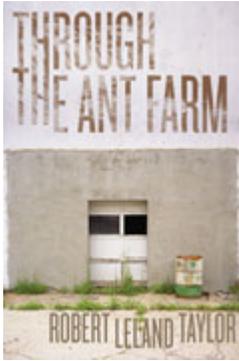
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Billionaire vintner Paul Bernier sets San Francisco ex-cop, ex-con, private eye Nick Polo off on a hunt to find a kukri, a priceless golden jewel-encrusted 14th Century dagger, designed by the Emperor of India. The dagger has a long, bloody history, passing between war lords throughout the ages, including Saddam Hussain.

The search has Polo bumping heads with Bernier's vindictive stepdaughter, his eccentric household staff, a Miami con man, a crooked private investigator, a drug dealing nightclub owner, a New York Mafia Don, and two viscous murderers.

When all seems lost, Polo gets help from Mrs. Damonte, his indomitable octogenarian downstairs tenant, a self-described Strega, a witch, who believes that a day without a wake is like a day without sunshine.



THROUGH THE ANT FARM

Robert Leland Taylor

July 21, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$15.95

eBook Formats: \$7.99

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Published by ABC Group

Documentation

Grip McCormack has never stepped on an ant. But, at seventeen, he shoots his abusive father, Amos, off the roof of their Kentucky home.

Go figure.

The murder trial dominates the news for months and brings a torrent of notoriety to the agoraphobic young man, along with a string of female admirers. One of them is Millie—unhinged, tenacious, and eighteen years his senior.

Grip has a parole hearing coming up in three days.

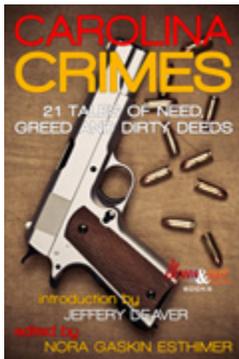
Lucky for him. If only life on the outside weren't waiting to get him—Uncle Edgar (Dad's brother) wants to kill him, and Millie wants to marry him, and she's already picked out their house—across the street from Uncle Edgar.

Grip's anorexic sister, Beanie, still refuses to forgive him and flees to Illinois to escape the family shame (where she becomes a model for Simplicity Patterns).

Mom quits her job and stows away with shades drawn in the crumbling Kentucky home (where she is now sole occupant).

And Dad?

Still dead, and still something of a klutz. He has a difficult time mastering the ways of the afterlife, getting stuck in prison walls and crashing into metal doors while trying to pass through them. But that doesn't stop him from attempting a reconciliation with his son. Without it, both know that true freedom will never come.



CAROLINA CRIMES: 20 Tales of Need, Greeds, and Dirty Deeds

Triangle Sisters in Crime

July 31, 2017

Trade Paperback: \$15.95

eBook Formats: \$8.99

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Carolina Crimes: 20 Tales of Need, Greed, and Dirty Deeds is a collection of short stories by crime writers living in North and South Carolina, members of Sisters in Crime. The Triangle (Chapel Hill, Durham, Raleigh, NC) Chapter of SinC issued the challenge to members to write stories about addiction or obsession and crime. Who knew that the responses would be so varied or that ice cream, a game of Solitaire, or silk fabric could provide motives to commit murder? Or that golf clubs, stiletto-heeled shoes, and microwave ovens could provide the means?

These stories remind us why we love crime fiction, and why it matters. They provide us with the cold revenge of imagination, the hot passion someone could kill for, and the sense of justice a community demands. They remind us we never know exactly what our next-door neighbor may be capable of, or for that matter, what we ourselves harbor in the deepest corners of our hearts and minds. The humor is dark. The suspense is shudder-producing. The horror delivers goosebumps. And by the time we turn the last satisfying page, we know more about what it means to be human.



LES CANNIBALES

DeLeon DeMicoli

August 4, 2017

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Published by Shotgun Honey

During a robbery, Blinky sees police activity down the street. His crew assumes cops have the art gallery surrounded, unaware of their true presence, which is responding to a car accident that has left one man dead. The thieves shoot at responding officers and take hostages. When Detective Reynolds arrives on the scene, he identifies the dead man involved in the car accident. This becomes his main lead to hunt down the thieves' true identities and work out a peaceful resolution before S.W.A.T moves in.

Each thief has a story explaining why he chose to take the job. Inky is a con artist repaying an old debt, Blinky is a stuntman in need of quick cash, Pinky is an enforcer that's looking to move up in the ranks and Clyde is a sociopath / art aficionado that loves to steal. When S.W.A.T teams get the "go-ahead" to overtake the gallery, it's dog-eat-dog as the gunmen plan their escape.



THE BLACK KACHINA

Jack Getze

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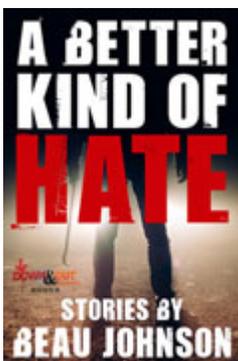
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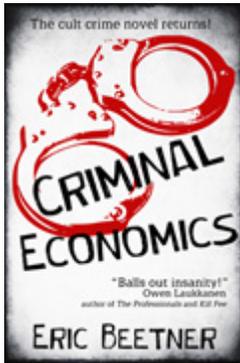
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