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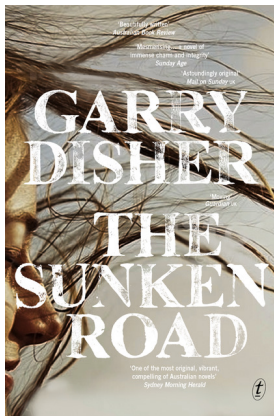
Fiction

LAMBS OF GOD by Marele Day

ANZ: Hachette Australia. Italian: Rizzoli. MS available

The classic, bestselling Australian novel, now a TV mini-series. For Iphigenia, Margarita and Carla, the crumbling monastery they live in is their whole world. That is until the day Father Ignatius arrives, intent on transforming their forgotten paradise into a luxury resort. In an attempt to protect their peaceful existence, the Sisters find themselves willing to do almost anything to save their beloved home.

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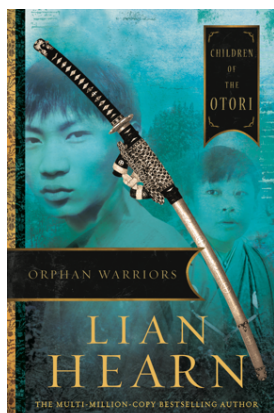


THE SUNKEN ROAD by Garry Disher

World: Text Publishing. MS available

A moving and powerful novel set in the wheat and wool country of mid-north South Australia. At once the story of a region, a town and a people, it is also the story of Anna Tolley - leggy, wilful, auburn-haired, always answering back - who lives through momentous changes and earns the envy, love and hatred of those around her.

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ORPHAN WARRIORS by Lian Hearn (Book 1 in "Children of the Otori") | ANZ: Hachette Australia (February 2020). Under offer elsewhere. MS available

An enthralling new chapter in the Otori series. Sunaomi – part warrior and part child of the tribe – discovers unimagined talents within himself and comes up against Hisao, Takeo's son, the ghostmaster, and Saga Hideki, the most powerful warlord in the realm, the Emperor's General.

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SIBLING ASSASSINS by Lian Hearn (Book 2 in “Children of the Otori”)

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With his cousins, Kiyoko and Kichizo, sibling assassins from the Tribe, his cream coloured horse, Kiki, a lion dog called Chin, and his most loyal retainers, Kaneda and Taro, Sunami sets out on a journey which will take him into an enthralling and dangerous world of spirits and supernatural beings, rebels, pirates and saints – the extraordinary and enchanting world of the Otori.

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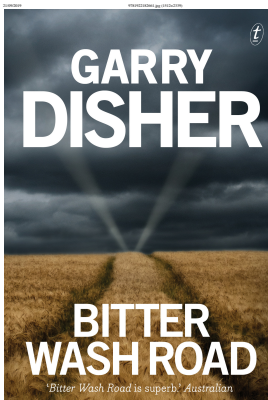


THE WEEKEND by Charlotte Wood

ANZ: Allen & Unwin (October 2019). UK: Weidenfeld & Nicolson. US: Riverhead.
French: JC Lattes. German: Kein & Aber. MS available

The brand-new offering from the award-winning author, a stunning meditation on loss and friendship that completely resets and recasts traditional portrayals of older women. A striking and important work.

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Crime

BITTER WASH ROAD by Garry Disher

World: Text Publishing. **Screen: recently optioned.** Ms available

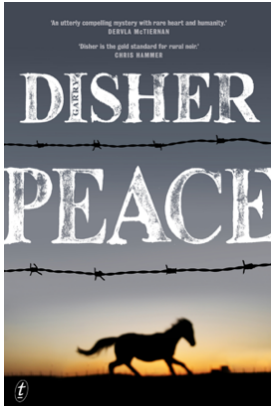
Hirsch is a whistle-blower. Formerly a promising metropolitan officer, now despised and exiled to a one-cop station in South Australia’s wheatbelt. So when he heads up Bitter Wash Road to investigate gunfire and finds himself cut off without backup, there are two possibilities. Either he’s found the fugitive killers thought to be in the area. Or his ‘backup’ is about to put a bullet in him.

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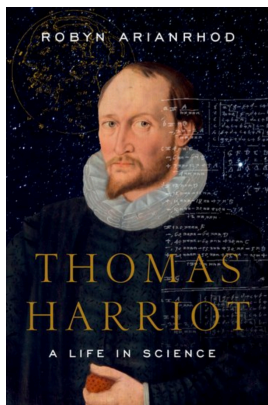


PEACE by Garry Disher

World: Text Publishing (November 2019). MS available

Constable Paul Hirschhausen runs a one-cop station in the dry farming country south of the Flinders Ranges. It's a peaceful life, until he's called to a strange, vicious incident in Kitchener Street. Suddenly it doesn't seem like the season of goodwill at all. A brand-new novel from the master of Australian crime fiction.

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Non-Fiction

THOMAS HARRIOT: A Life in Science by Robyn Arianrhod

World English: Oxford University Press. MS available

The first biography of this legendary forgotten figure from the Elizabethan Age which traces the development of mathematical and scientific thinking at a crucial moment in their history.

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AGAINST THE TIDE: The Extraordinary Voyage of Jeanne Barret by Danielle Clode

ANZ: Picador (2020). MS due to be delivered July 2019

The extraordinary biography of the first woman to sail around the world and her overlooked contribution to science, by the author of THE WASP AND THE ORCHID.

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WHO KILLED DAVEY BROWNE? By Stephanie Convery

ANZ: PRHA (March 2020) MS available

A brilliant and startling work of non-fiction by the deputy culture editor of the Guardian Australia. Convery dives into the death of the boxer Davey Browne, looking at what happened, what it means for the sport and for her own beloved connection to boxing.

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THIS CHICKEN LIFE by Fiona Scott-Norman and Ilana Rose

World: Pan Macmillan Australia (December 2019) MS available

A fun and fabulous book of chickens and the people who love them. Scott-Norman and Rose unpack an obsession and a love affair; the colourful cast of characters and their unique stories are entertaining and thoroughly life affirming.

Rights: Pan Macmillan Australia



FASCISTS AMONG US: online hate and the Christchurch massacre by Jeff Sparrow

World: Scribe Publications (November 2019). MS available

The first book since Christchurch to trace the massacre's fascist roots and what it represents. This book makes a compelling, urgent case for a new response to an old menace.

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