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Composition as Explanation New York :
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An international community of specialists
reinvented the propeller during the
Aeronautical Revolution, a vibrant period
of innovation in North America and Europe
from World War I to the end of World War
II. They experienced both success and
failure as they created competing designs

that enabled increasingly sophisticated
and 'modern' commercial and military
aircraft to climb quicker and cruise faster
using less power. Reinventing the
Propeller nimbly moves from the minds of
these inventors to their drawing boards,
workshops, research and development
facilities, and factories, and then shows us
how their work performed in the air, both
commercially and militarily. Reinventing
the Propeller documents this story of a
forgotten technology to reveal new
perspectives on engineering, research and
development, design, and the multi-

layered social, cultural, financial,
commercial, industrial, and military
infrastructure of aviation.

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Venise University of Southwestern
Louisiana, Center for Louisiana Studies
Reproduction of the original: Strange True
Stories of Louisiana by George W. Cable
The Affair of the Madre de Deus
Genealogical Publishing Com
According to ancient Japanese protocol,
foreigners deigning to approach the
emperor did so only with fear and
trembling. Terror and self-abasement

conveyed respect. Amélie, our well-intentioned and eager young Western heroine, goes to Japan to spend a year working at the Yumimoto Corporation. Returning to the land where she was born is the fulfillment of a dream for Amélie; working there turns into comic nightmare. Alternately disturbing and hilarious, unbelievable and shatteringly convincing, *Fear and Trembling* will keep readers clutching tight to the pages of this taut little novel, caught up in the throes of fear, trembling, and, ultimately, delight.

Peregrinations of a Pariah Routledge

The author recounts her voyage to Peru in 1833 to claim a family fortune, describes her adventures along the way, and argues for the legalization of divorce

André Breton, *Magus of Surrealism* Aurum

This report analyses all aspects of cultural diversity, which has emerged as a key concern of the international community in recent decades, and maps out new approaches to monitoring and shaping the changes that are taking place. It highlights, in particular, the interrelated challenges of cultural diversity and intercultural dialogue and the way in which strong homogenizing forces are

matched by persistent diversifying trends. The report proposes a series of ten policy-oriented recommendations, to the attention of States, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, international and regional bodies, national institutions and the private sector on how to invest in cultural diversity. Emphasizing the importance of cultural diversity in different areas (languages, education, communication and new media development, and creativity and the marketplace) based on data and examples collected from around the world, the report is also intended for the general public. It proposes a coherent vision of cultural diversity and clarifies how, far from being a threat, it can become beneficial to the action of the international community.

A Star Is Bored Flammarion

From the author of *Night Train to Lisbon*: a father's story about his daughter unravels "[a] tale of grief, fraud, guilt and madness . . . Revelatory" (The New York Times Book Review). Pascal Mercier's international bestseller *Night Train to Lisbon* mesmerized readers around the world, and was adapted into a film starring

Jeremy Irons. Now, in *Lea*, Mercier returns with a mysterious tale of a father's love and a daughter's ambition in the wake of devastating tragedy. It starts with the death of Martijn van Vliet's wife. Grief-stricken, his young daughter Lea retreats into the darkness of mourning. Then she hears the unfamiliar sound of a violin being played in the hall of a train station, and she is brought back to life—vowing to learn the instrument. Martijn, witnessing this delicate spark, promises to do everything in his power to keep her happy. But as Lea blossoms into a musical prodigy, her relationship with her father starts to disintegrate. Desperate to hold on to her, Martijn is pushed to commit an act that threatens to destroy them both. A revelatory portrait of artistic genius and madness, *Lea* delves into the damaging power of jealousy as well as the poignant ways we strive to understand our families and ourselves. A New York Times Book Review Paperback Row Selection *Camille Claudel* La Esfera de los Libros Because they list all the public holidays and pagan festivals of the age, calendars provide unique insights into the culture and everyday life of ancient Rome. The

Codex-Calendar of 354 miraculously survived the Fall of Rome. Although it was subsequently lost, the copies made in the Renaissance remain invaluable documents of Roman society and religion in the years between Constantine's conversion and the fall of the Western Empire. In this richly illustrated book, Michele Renee Salzman establishes that the traditions of Roman art and literature were still very much alive in the mid-fourth century. Going beyond this analysis of precedents and genre, Salzman also studies the Calendar of 354 as a reflection of the world that produced and used it. Her work reveals the continuing importance of pagan festivals and cults in the Christian era and highlights the rise of a respectable aristocratic Christianity that combined pagan and Christian practices. Salzman stresses the key role of the Christian emperors and imperial institutions in supporting pagan rituals. Such policies of accommodation and assimilation resulted in a gradual and relatively peaceful transformation of Rome from a pagan to a Christian capital.

Rethinking Global Urbanism UNESCO
Gertrude Stein's "Composition as

Explanation" delves into the intricate relationship between language and artistic expression. Published in 1926, the essay explores Stein's unique approach to writing and challenges conventional perceptions of composition. With a distinctive prose style, she reflects on the nature of creativity, emphasizing the significance of repetition and abstraction. Stein's work serves as both an exploration of her own artistic process and a broader commentary on the essence of language in shaping our understanding of art.

Livres hebdo U of Minnesota Press
Par son caractère exhaustif, cette bibliographie offre au praticien, au simple amateur, aussi bien qu'au chercheur spécialisé, la possibilité d'embrasser d'un coup d'oeil la quasi-totalité des ouvrages en français, concernant les spectacles, parus entre 1985 et 1995. This comprehensive bibliography of the performing arts lists almost 8000 French-language books, published between 1985 and 1995, and is a welcome work of reference for anyone interested in the subject.

Lea Univ of California Press
The author recounts his experiences in

building collections of rare books and manuscripts of French literature, and reveals little-known facts about French artists, composers, and writers.

Le figaro magazine P.I.E-Peter Lang S.A., Editions Scientifiques Internationales
Arguing that the focus in global urban studies on cities such as New York, London, Tokyo in the global North, Mexico City and Shanghai in the developing world, and other major nodes of the world economy, has skewed the concept of the global city toward economics, this volume gathers a diverse group of contributors to focus on smaller and less economically dominant cities. It highlights other important and relatively ignored themes such as cultural globalization, alternative geographies of the global, and the influence of deeper urban histories (particularly those relating to colonialism) in order to advance an alternative view of the global city.

The Patient Griselda Myth Routledge
Journey of a Thousand Miles tells the remarkable story of a boy who sacrificed almost everything – family, financial security, childhood and his reputation in China's insular classical music world – to

fulfil his promise as a classical pianist. Lang Lang was born in Shenyang in north-eastern China just after the end of the Cultural Revolution. He began piano lessons at three years old and by age ten had been awarded a place at the Central Conservatory of Music in Beijing. In order to continue his studies he moved thousands of miles from home, living with his exacting father in a cramped, shared apartment, while his mother stayed at home to earn the money to pay his fees. At fifteen he moved to the United States to take up a scholarship at the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia; by nineteen he was selling out Carnegie Hall. His tutor and mentor Daniel Barenboim was perhaps the first to describe him as 'extraordinarily talented'; today his assessment is shared by millions. Now in adulthood, Lang Lang tours relentlessly, delighting sell-out audiences with his trademark flamboyance and showmanship. *Journey of a Thousand Miles* is a tale of heartbreak, drama and ultimately triumph. His inspiring story demonstrates the courage and self-sacrifice required to achieve artistic greatness.

Wunderkind Cambridge University Press

From the 14th until the 19th century the last novella of Boccaccio's Decameron, also known as the Griselda story, has been translated and adapted countless times in many European languages. This story's success can be explained by considering it a myth and analysing how this myth engages with contemporary discourses, such as the definition of the ideal wife, the *querelle des femmes*, the socio-political consequences of social exogamy, and tyranny.

Reinventing the Propeller Strelbytskyy Multimedia Publishing

Originally published in 1931, *Old Families of Louisiana* was compiled in response to a demand for a comprehensive series of genealogical records of the foundation families of the state--families whose ancestors settled with Bienville in New Orleans at the time the famous old city was laid out in the crescent bend of the Mississippi River. This book also answers the call for information on those who came to Louisiana when the golden lilies of France, the castellated banner of Spain, the Union Jack of Great Britain, or the flag of fifteen stars and fifteen stripes waved over the land. During the compilation of

the original data it became apparent that the present book would be greatly augmented in interest and value by the addition of genealogical records of other prominent foundation families besides the French and Spanish. For this reason, information was included on the English, Scottish, and Irish lineages whose representatives now form an integral part of the present-day population of Louisiana. In the seventy years since its first publication, *Old Families of Louisiana* has exceeded the original scope intended. In order to set a limit to its range, it was agreed that only those families settling in Louisiana before and up to the time of the beginning of the American domination in 1803 should be included. *Old Families of Louisiana* traces the genealogy of such traditional Louisiana families as Fortier, Claiborne, Kenner, Percy, Wiltz, Chalmette, Landry, Derbigny, Butler, St. Martin, and Wilkinson.

Dessins, Estampes La Esfera de los Libros

In his comprehensive treatment, Zumthor (emeritus, U. of Montreal) discusses general issues concerning oral poetry, from primary to mechanized orality

(including the setting of text to music); the forms of oral poetry; the epic in the West, Africa, and other parts of the globe; the oral poet's text; performance in its manifold styles across the world; roles played in oral poetry; and oral ritual actions from archaic times to the present--Homer to Bob Dylan. Translated from the first French edition of 1983. Paper edition (unseen), \$17.95. Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR
When I was a Soldier BoD - Books on Demand
 "A fictionalized biography of current French feminist martyr Claudel (accomplished sculptor and lover of Rodin), whose ill-starred life has also been the subject of a 1989 movie, as well as a play by Delbee".--"Kirkus Reviews", August 5, 1992.

Lettres sur la Sicile et sur l'île de Malthe
 New Directions Publishing

This autobiography is about a teenage girl's experiences in Israel's national service.

Confessions of a Literary Archaeologist
 Bloomsbury Publishing

The seven year old daughter of diplomats posted to Peking "concocts a fantasy life

as rich as her surroundings are bleak," and on one of her rounds, she meets a young Italian girl, Elena, who is "beautiful, aloof, disdainful of silly games. Our heroine is instantly infatuated, and comes to realize the only fight worthy of her energies is shattering Elena's indifference."--Jacket.
Pouponne and Balthazar Walter de Gruyter GmbH & Co KG

"A Star is Bored is an absolute knockout. Riotously funny and wickedly tender." — Taylor Jenkins Reid, New York Times bestselling author of *Daisy Jones and the Six* "Wildly funny and irreverent... Lane's writing lifts the novel far above its gossamer Hollywood setting, suffusing [the novel] with a complex sensitivity." - The New York Times Book Review A hilariously heartfelt novel influenced in part by the author's time assisting Carrie Fisher. People Magazine Best Book of Summer 2020 - Named a Must-Read Summer book by *Town & Country* - Named One of the 14 Best Books of Summer 2020 by *Harper's Bazaar* - One of *Library Journal's* 2020 "Titles to Watch" - One of the 30 Best Beach Reads According to *Parade Magazine* She needs an assistant. He needs a hero. Charlie Besson is tense

and sweating as he prepares for a wild job interview. His car is idling, like his life, outside the Hollywood mansion of Kathi Kannon, star of stage and screen and *People* magazine's Worst Dressed list. She's an actress in need of assistance, and he's adrift and in need of a lifeline. Kathi is an icon, bestselling author, and award-winning movie star, most known for her role as Priestess Talara in a blockbuster sci-fi film. She's also known in another role: Outrageous Hollywood royalty. Admittedly so. Famously so. Chaotically so, as Charlie quickly discovers. Charlie gets the job, and his three-year odyssey is filled with late-night shopping sprees, last-minute trips to see the aurora borealis, and an initiation to that most sacred of Hollywood tribes: the personal assistant. But Kathi becomes much more than a boss, and as their friendship grows Charlie must make a choice. Will he always be on the sidelines of life, assisting the great forces that be, or can he step into his own life's leading role? Laugh-out-loud funny, and searingly poignant, *Byron Lane's A Star is Bored* is a novel that, like the star at its center, is enchanting and joyous, heartbreaking and hopeful.

The Wechel Presses Henry Holt and Company

« Je suis née un 13. Un chiffre qui porte malheur, pour une grande partie de mes compatriotes qui n'en sont pas à une contradiction près lorsque, ce même jour, ils se ruent dans les bureaux de tabac pour jouer au loto. Le 13 mars 1939, quatre mois et demi avant l'entrée de la

France en guerre contre l'Allemagne, je fais plus discrètement la mienne dans ce monde où je vais grandir au rythme mesuré d'une famille d'artistes musiciens du côté de mes parents et d'artisans du côté de mes grands-parents. » Pour la première fois, Ève Ruggieri se raconte dans une autobiographie foisonnante où

elle revient sur son parcours, ses émissions à la radio et à la télévision, comme Ève raconte ou Musiques au cœur, et ses plus belles rencontres (Vladimir Horowitz, Herbert von Karajan, Nina Simone, Luciano Pavarotti, François Mitterrand, Jessye Norman, Roberto Alagna...), avec le talent de conteuse qu'on lui connaît.

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