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Color, Hair, and Bone Linden Lewis, Glyne A. Griffith, Elizabeth Crespo Kebler, 2008 These essays explore various critical dimensions of race from a sociological anthropological and literary perspective They engage with history either

textually materially or with respect to identity in an effort to demonstrate that these discourses *International Westerns* Cynthia J. Miller, A. Bowdoin Van Riper, 2013-11-21 The Western tradition with its well worn tropes readily identifiable characters iconic landscapes and evocative soundtracks is not limited to the United States Western or Western inspired films have played a part in the output of numerous national film traditions including Asia Central and Eastern Europe and Latin America In *International Westerns Re Locating the Frontier* Cynthia J Miller and A Bowdoin Van Riper have assembled a collection of essays that explore the significance and meanings of these films their roots in other media and their reception in the national industries which gave them form Among the questions that the volume seeks to answer are What do Westerns not made in the U S reveal In what ways do they challenge or support the idea of national literatures and cinemas How do these films negotiate nation narrative and genre Divided into five sections the twenty essays in this volume look at films from a wide range of national cinemas such as France *The Adventures of Lucky Luke* Germany *Der Schuh des Maitu* Brazil *O Cangaceiro* Eastern Europe *Lemonade Joe* and of course Asia *Sukiyaki Western Django* Featuring contributions from a diverse group of international scholars often writing about Westerns adapted to their own national traditions these essays address such matters as competing national film traditions various forms of satire and comedy based on the Western tradition the range of cultural adaptations of the traditional Western hero the ties between the nation state and the outlaw and Westerns in a variety of unanticipated guises Representing a broader look at global Westerns than any other single volume to date and featuring more than 70 illustrations *International Westerns* will be of interest to scholars of film popular culture and cultural history *American Noir Film* M. Keith Booker, 2024-11-19 A deep dive into classic noir films and how filmmakers today are refreshing and updating the genre for new generations Publishers Weekly praises the book noting Cinephiles will be enthralled and Library Journal says it s a well written introduction to noir films and how the genre has continued to thrive as times changed Booklist calls it a riveting history of the film noir genre in a starred review saying This is one of the best best written most insightful analyses of film noir and it demands to be read by fans of film history In *American Noir Film* M Keith Booker introduces readers to the cult favorite genre of film noir and discusses the ongoing power and popularity of the genre s key elements and themes in modern films often considered neo noir well into the twenty first century Booker covers a wide range of noir favorites from the early classics *The Maltese Falcon* and *The Big Sleep* to late twentieth century neo noir such as *Chinatown* and ultimately newer iterations of the genre as seen in such films as *Inherent Vice* *Promising Young Woman* and *Uncut Gems* *American Noir Film* contains three separate parts each exploring crucial categories of noir the detective film the lost man film and femme fatale films Within each section Booker discusses the essential classic noir films that embody these themes as well as neo noir films that invite viewers to analyze how the traditional components of noir have evolved with filmmaking Finally each section concludes with twenty first century films that evoke noir elements while refreshing the genre and enhancing viewers appreciation of the originals that inspired them

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James M. Cain David Madden, Kristopher Mecholsky, 2011-04-28 James M Cain wrote some of the grittiest novels in American literature including such classics as *The Postman Always Rings Twice* *Double Indemnity* and *Mildred Pierce* James M Cain *Hard Boiled* *Mythmaker* is a critical overview of the author's life work and legacy An updated and expanded edition of two of David Madden's scholarly works on Cain this new book improves upon the previous works by collecting the most essential writing on Cain by Madden into one volume In addition to melding existing material this work contains updated and new material including fresh commentaries on later books such as *Rainbow's End* *Cloud Nine* and *The Enchanted Isle* as well as later film adaptations including *Butterfly* It also responds to 40 years worth of criticism on Cain and reevaluates his influence Providing an overview of all of Cain's fiction including an analysis of the major themes of his entire literary career the book also describes Cain's impact on and importance in 20th century culture film in particular In addition to a biographical summary and thematic outline of Cain's nearly 50 year career Madden and Mecholsky examine how Cain's works explore the nightmare consequences of the persistent American dream Finally Madden and Mecholsky consider Cain's technical innovations of the novel and survey the major film adaptations of Cain's novels With its significant in depth analysis and a foreword by Edgar award winning author Max Allan Collins this volume will be of interest to Cain scholars as well as anyone interested in 20th century American literature and film

Detours and Lost Highways Foster Hirsch, 1999 *Detours and Lost Highways* begins with the Orson Welles film *Touch of Evil* 1958 which featured Welles both behind and in front of the camera That movie is often cited as the end of the line noir's rococo tombstone the film after which noir could no longer be made or at least could no longer be made in the same way It is my belief Hirsch writes that neo noir does exist and that noir is entitled to full generic status Over the past forty years since noir's often claimed expiration it has flourished under various labels Among the movies he discusses as evidence *Chinatown* 1974 *Body Heat* 1981 John Woo's *Hong Kong* blood ballets e g *The Killer* 1989 and the pulpy oeuvre of Quentin Tarantino Washington Post Book World

The Armchair Detective, 1989 **Forthcoming Books** Rose Army, 2002-04 [Vintage Crime/Black Lizard](#), 1991-02-01 **Bowker's Guide to Characters in Fiction** 2007, 2008-02 **American Book Publishing Record**, 2007 **Vintage Crime/Black Lizard**, 19?? [The Publishers Weekly](#), 1996 **Directions**, 1991 *Video Hounds Golden Movie Retriever* 1993 VideoHound Staff, Visible Ink, Videohound, 1992-09 The people have spoken and it's thumbs up for Video Hound With 21 000 videos reviewed and rated this is the best darn video movie guide there is The Niagara Gazette Used as the database of choice for Blockbuster Video's new Movie Guide

The Noir Thriller Lee Horsley, 2016-01-03 What is literary noir How do British and American noir thrillers relate to their historical contexts In considering such questions this study ranges over hundreds of novels analysing the politics and poetics of noir from the hard boiled fiction of Hammett Chandler and Cain to

the exciting diversity of nineties thrillers with sections on the tough investigators gangsters and victims of the Depression years the first person killers femmes fatales and black protagonists of mid century the game players voyeurs and consumers of contemporary thrillers and future noir *Business Periodicals Index* ,1999 **Unusual Suspects** James Grady,1996 In *Unusual Suspects* America's most acclaimed crime writers along with some authors rarely associated with the genre contribute fifteen new stories and two rediscovered classics to this riveting anthology James Lee Burke author of the bestselling *Dave Robicheaux* mysteries gives us a feverishly atmospheric tale of racism and moral courage on the Louisiana bayou From the files of Jim Thompson the godfather of American noir comes the story of a murder with a victim so nasty we defy anyone to shed a tear for him And Joyce Carol Oates shows us how a sudden brush with violence can turn a public servant into a public enemy The result is a deliriously pulse pounding collection that proves that although crime doesn't pay it can help a good cause All the stories in this collection of crime fiction have been donated to benefit Share Our Strength a Washington D C based nonprofit organization that combats hunger poverty and illiteracy

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