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reproduction of the original hesperus or forty five dog post days by jean paul

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1828

extracts from the memoirs of a german soldier and diplomat during the period 1785 to 1810 includes visits to paris and the court of napoleon and the invasion of germany by napoleonic forces

Hesperus

1864

the astonishing memoir of a free man who was sold into slavery in louisiana where he was kept for 12 years a powerful riveting condemnation of slavery and a story soon to be introduced to a new audience through a major film tricked by two men offering him a job as a musician in new york state in 1841 solomon northup was instead drugged and kidnapped threatened with death northup was forced to assume a new name and fake past taken to louisiana on a disease ridden plague ship he was initially sold to a cotton planter in the 12 years that followed he was sold to many different owners who treated him with varying levels of savagery including forced labor scant food and numerous beatings eventually northup succeeded in contacting samuel bass a white carpenter whom he knew to be sympathetic to the cause of black people bass contacted northup s family and together they gained the necessary paperwork to travel to louisiana to retrieve him northup pressed charges against his captors but in a triumph of irony the case was heard in washington meaning that as a black man he could not testify against the accused in the end they were able to countersue him a true life testament to tremendous courage and tenacity in the face of unfathomable injustice northup s account is also of extreme interest due to the meticulous recordings of slave life unique in its firsthand nature the book became a runaway bestseller

Hesperus or Forty-Five Dog-Post-Days

2018-05-23

forty chapters written by leading scholars across the world describe the latest thinking on modern irish poetry the handbook begins with a consideration of yeats s early work and the legacy of the 19th century the broadly chronological areas which follow covering the period from the 1910s through to the 21st century allow scope for coverage of key poetic voices in ireland in their historical and political

context from the experimentalism of beckett macgreevy and others of the modernist generation to the refashioning of years s ireland on the part of poets such as macneice kavanagh and clarke mid century through to the controversially titled post 1969 northern renaissance of poetry this volume will provide extensive coverage of the key movements of the modern period the handbook covers the work of among others paul durcan thomas kinsella brendan kennelly seamus heaney paul muldoon michael longley medbh mcguckian and ciaran carson the thematic sections interspersed throughout chapters on women s poetry religion translation painting music stylistics allow for comparative studies of poets north and south across the century central to the guiding spirit of this project is the handbook s consideration of poetic forms and a number of essays explore the generic diversity of poetry in ireland its various manipulations reinventions and sometimes repudiations of traditional forms the last essays in the book examine the work of a new generation of poets from ireland concentrating on work published in the last two decades by justin quinn leontia flynn sinead morrissey david wheatley vona groarke and others

Sketches of German Life, and Scenes from the War of Liberation in Germany

1847

composed during a period of extended bed rest gabriele d annunzio s notturno is a moving prose poem in which imagination experience and remembrance intertwine the somber atmosphere of the poem reflects the circumstances of its creation with his vision threatened and his eyes completely bandaged d annunzio suffered months of near total blindness and pain wracked infirmity in 1921 and yet he managed to write on small strips of paper each wide enough for a single line when the poet eventually regained his sight he put together these strips to create the lyrical and innovative notturno in notturno d annunzio forges an original prose that merges aspects of formal poetry and autobiographical narrative he fuses the darkness and penumbra of the present with the immediate past haunted by war memories death and mourning and also with the more distant past revolving mainly around his mother and childhood in this remarkable translation of the work stephen sartarelli preserves the antiquated style of d annunzio s poetic prose and the tension of his rich and difficult harmonies bringing to contemporary readers the full texture and complexity of a creation forged out of darkness

12 Years a Slave

2014-04-01

light as light is acclaimed poet simon j ortiz s first collection in twenty years the poems in this volume celebrate the wonders and joy of love in the present while also looking back with both humorous and serious reflections on youth and the stories scenes people and places that shape a person s life light as light brims with

giddy wistful long distance love poems that offer a dialogue between the speaker and his beloved written in ortiz's signature conversational style this volume claims poetry for everyday life as the poems find the speaker on a morning run burnt out from academic responsibilities missing his beloved reflecting on sobriety walking the dog and pondering the act of poem making the collection also includes prayer poems written for the speaker s son poems that retell traditional acoma stories and history and poems that engage environmental political and social justice issues making for a well rounded collection that blends the playful and the profound the poems in light as light travel far across both space and memory landing everywhere from the new mexico of the speaker's childhood to california tucson and present day beijing and many airports highways and way stations in between the central concern uniting this collection is language itself the weight and significance of english and keres as well as the nature and power of poetry as a way of life no collection of indigenous literature is complete without the work of simon ortiz and this book is a powerful journey through the poet s life both a love letter to the future and a sentimental authentic celebration of the past

Sketches of German life, and Scenes from the War of Liberation in Germany. Selected and translated from the Memoirs of V. von E. by Sir A. D. Gordon

1847

since 1993 various international donors have poured money into a people to people p2p diplomacy programme in palestine this grassroots initiative still funded by prominent external donors today seeks to foster public engagement through contact and therefore remove deeply embedded barriers this book examines the limited nature of this contact and explains why the p2p framework which was ostensibly concerned with the promotion of peace ultimately served to reinforce conflict and power relations the book is based on the author s own experience of the solidarity activities during the first intifada and her first hand involvement as a coordinator of the p2p projects implemented during the 1990s it provides a much needed critical account of the internationally sponsored peace process and develops new theoretical analyses of settler colonialism

Hesperus

1819

examines debates central to postwar british culture showing the pressures of reconstruction and the mutual implication of war and peace

The Oxford Handbook of Modern Irish Poetry

2012-10-25

this book does not claim absolute truths but it speaks for those who can no longer speak for themselves by the histories they witnessed wrote about and which defined their ancestors and descendants including the most powerful woman that ever lived countess elizabeth bathory she tried to change the world she paradoxically succeeded and failed but what drove her what did she know we do not what is her history to begin to understand all this one must travel back in time to when it began when truth first became obscured and when european society western culture went horribly wrong it is why her world was the way it was today historiological truths of european medieval dark ages at best exist as dim flashes of information in ancient manuscripts a very interconnected european medieval history has much more but inconvenient historiological information to informs us of events names places and dates but like a giant complicated jigsaw puzzle unfortunately many pieces are still missing none more so than that of carpathia consequently an incomplete theoretical picture of historical reality remains there s a reason for it throughout history europeans struggled for humility humanity and liberty but only carpathian ungars maintained and struggled to keep it for more than a millennium from about 600 to 1711 their history has gone missing supplanted by myths their greatest leaders are caricatures of gothic horror literature and their greatest traitors are their heroes their monuments are everywhere carpathia s history does not exist in western consciousness what is it about carpathia we are not supposed to know its missing medieval jigsaw puzzle pieces when liberated from obscure archives then reassembled and inserted into the macro context of centuries however allows us to understand why this book is a sequel to chrysalis i metamorphosis of odium the time period covered is roughly from the early eleventh to late fourteenth centuries the book explores the complexity of the late medieval period from a carpathian slavic turkic perspective an extremist elitist european world sunk deeper into human depravity of european and middle eastern genocides and of material greed these depravities gave the rise to hohenstaufen arpad bathory and osman dynasties together they kindled a period of philosophical awakening a fundamental reformation of the feudal order thanks to them the supreme vatican lost control over its holy roman empire for the first time such heresies had responses too the apostolic inquisition avignon papacy mongol invasions of europe and the middle east and the extermination of non compliant ruling european dynasties namely hohenstaufen and arpad only the bathorys survived but they had to endure a debilitating war to do so one dynasty habsburg sought to profit from the chaos indeed they did their arrival marks the end of the first great pendulum swing of european cultural metamorphosis soon it would be elizabeth bathory s duty to change the world this is a story of us

Hesperus, ein Nationalblatt für gebildete Leser

1819

joseph laporte offers an original account of the connections between the reference of words for properties and kinds and theoretical identity statements he argues that terms for properties as well as for concrete objects are rigid designators and defends the kripkean tradition of theoretical identities

Hesperus oder Belehrung und Unterhaltung für die Bewohner des österreichischen Staats von Christian Carl Andre

1819

an engaging and awe inspiring sf signal space opera from the critically acclaimed author of the revelation space series six million years ago at the dawn of the star faring era abigail gentian fractured herself into a thousand male and female clones which she called shatterlings she sent them out into the galaxy to observe and document the rise and fall of countless human empires since then every two hundred thousand years they gather to exchange news and memories of their travels only there is no gathering someone is eliminating the gentian line and now campion and purslane two shatterlings who have fallen in love and shared forbidden experiences must determine exactly who or what their enemy is before they are wiped out of existence

Notturno

2012-03-13

this book looks closely at the life military experiences and key battlefield exploits of giuseppe garibaldi born on 4 july 1807 in the city of nice the turning point in his life occurred in april 1833 when he met giovanni battista cuneo a member of the secret movement known as young italy joining this society garibaldi took an oath dedicating his life to the struggle for the liberation of his homeland from austrian dominance the subsequent years would see him fighting in brazil in the uruguayan civil war and on the italian peninsula between 1848 and 1870 garibaldi and his men were involved in a prolonged struggle that eventually led to the final unification of italy in 1870

Light As Light

2023-12-12

a stunning new translation of mahmoud darwish s intertwining poetic narrative presenting a profound portrait of the palestinian people the human condition and darwish s own hopes and dreams since mahmoud darwish s death his poetic writings continue to be read by an audience in awe this is a collection of autobiographical poetry designed to give an insight into the wider human condition darwish explores the meaning of life identity and the impact of exile hailed as the most important arab poet of the modern day darwish s voice has come to represent a generation and the palestinian people in the midst of the tense political situation in the middle east while darwish explored themes of lost eden exile and life after death he resisted classification as a spokesperson for the palestinian cause and

refused to use his art for purely political ends darwish s was a nomadic existence much of it spent in international exile and these experiences lent his writing a cosmopolitan edge they partake of a worldwide mythology

By Virtue of His Office

1888

born in 1945 the united nations came to life in the arab world it was there that the un dealt with early diplomatic challenges that helped shape its institutions such as peacekeeping and political mediation it was also there that the un found itself trapped in and sometimes part of confounding geopolitical tensions in key international conflicts in the cold war and post cold war periods such as hostilities between palestine and iraq and between libya and syria much has changed over the past seven decades but what has not changed is the central role played by the un this book s claim is that the un is a constant site of struggle in the arab world and equally that the arab world serves as a location for the un to define itself against the shifting politics of its age looking at the un from the standpoint of the arab world this volume collects some of the finest scholars and practitioners writing about the potential and the problems of a un that is framed by both the promises of its charter and the contradictions of its member states this is a landmark book a close and informed study of the un in the region that taught the organization how to do its many jobs

By Virtue of His Office

1887

this comprehensive new presentation of the religion of the rigveda is the result of a thorough going endeavour to extrapolate historical circumstances from that literary text and present them chiefly from the perspective of the adherents to this religion for them society social life and religion were inextricably bound this helps to explain the meanings of rights and rituals which rituals are to be performed at what times is influenced by the way of life of these vedic tribes which alternates between peaceful settling and predatory raids the priests who carry out the rituals embody the gods of the rigvedic pantheon in telling the story of these rituals thomas oberlies highlights particular connections such as the association of the war god indra with the priest who recites the hymns which invite the gods that help us solve many of the riddles which the text of the rigveda still poses to this day the religion of the rigveda includes a wealth of quotations from primary sources which form the basis of this approach to a religion that would later become hinduism a comprehensive index of subjects makes the book eminently accessible for use in further studies

Dialogue in Palestine

2020-01-23

this extensive bibliographic essay underpins the entire tarragona vortex study by focusing on this arena as one of the most contested frontiers in western history comparable to jerusalem in the east for broad issues of romanization westernization islamization and christianization its book length chapters treat 1 diverse historiographies from local and spanish to comparative mediterranean and crusade history and especially ethno historiography and the explanatory concept of frontiers 2 the phenomena of religion conversion and reform and the conditioning agents of islam and latin christianity in practice and adversity 3 religious universalism and violence especially religious war 4 the crusade and reconquest paradigms and century long debate 5 the environment on land and sea and setting for this history although these themes are explored to include due reconsideration but avoid major digressions in its telling about tarragona and the tarraconensis they underly so much of late antique and medieval historical research that this discussion pertains to the whole field of historical cultural and religious studies

British Literature in Transition, 1940-1960: Postwar

2019

first published in 1980 this title provides a critical and historical account of poetry written between 1780 and 1835 the author has been especially concerned to place the great poems and poets of the age in the context of the conventions and traditions in which they wrote offering new perspectives on familiar works poems still famous are examined often in relation to works of a similar kind fashionable at the time but now neglected and these unconventional groupings throw fresh light on romantic poetry as a whole an appendix is included designed to be read as a supplement to the main text serving both as a chronology and as a brief guide to works that do not fall within the scope of the main argument this title will be of interest to students of literature

Chrysalis II

2019-10-29

this book is a volume in the penn press anniversary collection to mark its 125th anniversary in 2015 the university of pennsylvania press rereleased more than 1 100 titles from penn press s distinguished backlist from 1899 1999 that had fallen out of print spanning an entire century the anniversary collection offers peer reviewed scholarship in a wide range of subject areas

Rigid Designation and Theoretical Identities

2013

convened following napoleon s defeat in 1814 the congress of vienna is remembered as much for the pageantry of the royals and elites who gathered there as for the landmark diplomatic agreements they brokered historians have nevertheless generally dismissed these spectacular festivities as window dressing when compared with the serious behind the scenes maneuverings of sovereigns and statesmen brian vick finds this conventional view shortsighted seeing these instead as two interconnected dimensions of politics examining them together yields a more complete picture of how one of the most important diplomatic summits in history managed to redraw the map of europe and the international system of the nineteenth and twentieth centuries the congress of vienna investigates the vienna congress within a broad framework of influence networks that included unofficial opinion shapers of all kinds both men and women artists and composers entrepreneurs and writers hosts and attendees of fashionable salons in addition to high profile negotiation and diplomatic wrangling over the post napoleonic fates of germany italy and poland vick brings into focus other understudied yet significant issues the african slave trade jewish rights and relations with islamic powers such as the ottoman empire and barbary corsairs challenging the usual portrayal of a reactionary congress obsessed with rolling back napoleon's liberal reforms vick demonstrates that the congress's promotion of limited constitutionalism respect for religious and nationality rights and humanitarian interventions was influenced as much by liberal currents as by conservative ones

House of Suns

2020-04-21

broken circle recounts the chokecherry massacre in which three new mexico high school students were charged with the murder of two navajo indian men causing a violent racial street riot that prompted the governor to call out the national guard the tensions between whites and native americans reached a high in the town of farmington new mexico when three white high school students brutally tortured and killed helpless victims from the neighboring navajo reservation as the town erupted into a violent racial street riot and the courts went easy on the sentencing of the high school boys barker tells how navajo militants sought out justice for years of injustice and oppression in response an illuminating work of contemporary history the broken circle reveals both sides of a dramatic and painful conflict and a turning point in the struggle for native american rights

Garibaldi

2012-03-20

much has been written about the contribution of ancient greece to modern discourses of homosexuality but rome s significant rôle has been largely overlooked ancient rome and the construction of modern homosexual identities explores the contested history of responses to roman antiquity covering areas such as literature the visual arts popular culture scholarship and pornography essays by scholars working across a number of disciplines analyse the demonization of rome and attempts to write it out of the history of homosexuality by early activists such as john addington symonds who believed that rome had corrupted ideal and idealized greek love through its decadence and sexual licentiousness the volume s contributors also investigate the identification with rome by men and women who have sought an alternative ancestry for their desires the volume asks what it means to look to rome instead of greece theorizes the way in which rome itself appropriates greece and explores the consequences of such appropriations and identifications both ancient and modern from learned discussions of lesbian cunnilingus in renaissance commentaries on martial and juvenal to disgust at the sexual excesses of the emperors to the use of rome by the early sexologists to modern pornographic films that linger on the bodies of gladiators and slaves rome has been central to homosexual desires and experiences by interrogating the desires that create engagements with the classical past the volume illuminates both classical reception and the history of sexuality

Why Did You Leave the Horse Alone?

2014-11-01

truly an essential reference for today s world this detailed introduction to the origins events and impact of the adversarial relationship between arabs and israelis illuminates the complexities and the consequences of this long lasting conflict the arab israeli conflict remains one of the most contentious in modern history one with repercussions that reach far beyond the middle east this volume describes and explains the most important countries people events and organizations that play or have played a part in the conflict chronological coverage begins with the israeli war of independence in 1948 and extends to the present day a one stop reference the guide offers a comprehensive overview essay as well as perspective essays by leading scholars who explore such widely debated issues as the united states support for israel and historic rights to palestine important primary source documents such as the un resolution on the partition of palestine and the camp david accords are included and put into context further insight into drivers of war and peace in the middle east are provided through biographies of major political leaders like menachem begin golda meir vasser arafat benjamin netanyahu and anwar sadat

Land of Blue Helmets

2017

the work of renowned thinker eric voegelin is largely rooted in his literary

sensibility voegelin's contributions to the field of philosophy grew from the depths of his knowledge of history s most important texts from ancient to modern times many of the concepts he emphasized such as participatory experience and symbolization in philosophy have long been significant to literary criticism as well as philosophical study voegelin himself even ventured into the field of criticism publishing a critical examination of henry james s the turn of the screw in 1971 since it is so strongly influenced by the written record of man's search for meaning voegelinian thought makes an ideal framework for the study of twentieth century literature for voegelinian readings of modern literature scholar charles r embry has collected essays that consider particular pieces of literature in light of the philosopher's work these essays supply a theoretical grounding for the reading of novels poems and plays and reveal how the voegelinian perspective exposes the existential and philosophical dimensions of the literary works themselves as a unit this collection of essays shows how modern pieces of literature can symbolize their creators participation in the human search for the truth of existence just as myths philosophical works and religious texts always have voegelin s primary concern as a philosopher was to expose the roots of the disturbances of the modern era religious conflict imperialism war so that the sources of order leading to meaning are revealed the openness of voegelinian thought and the many ways he considered the levels of reality generate intriguing themes for literary criticism in these essays noted voegelin scholars focus on american and european literary artists from the 1700s through the late twentieth century including emily dickinson henrik ibsen thomas carlyle d h lawrence marcel proust and hermann broch while the intersection of the work of eric voegelin and literature has been a part of voegelin scholarship for decades this book explores that relationship in an extended form through a broad collection of thoughtful essays voegelinian readings of modern literature reveals how much voegelin did to break down the barriers between literature and philosophy and makes an engaging contribution to voegelin scholarship

The Religion of the Rigveda

2023-12-12

seventy one years ago in 1948 the nakba the catastrophe overturned life in palestine forcing three quarters of palestinians into exile depriving them of their land their homes their belongings today those who can bear witness to that period are becoming rare from different social backgrounds 19 men and women remember the coexistence that prevailed in palestine the war the exile as well as the strength and resilience which they had to muster to adapt to new realities life stories expressed in the first person are accompanied by black and white portraits where each look questions the coming generations for every palestinian jerusalem is charged with symbolic meaning of identity and of remembrance the more so because it has become inaccessible to most the city is made the focus of a compilation of color photographs presented for a contemporary look between shadow and light

The Tarragona Vortex

2022-09-30

this historical fantasy written by the son of the well known german novelist thomas mann takes alexander the great for its subject charting his life and career and examining his obsession with conquest and supremacy regardless of its effects on his friends and lovers written in 1920s germany in the aftermath of world war i this timeless story can also be viewed as a fascinating study of power with highly political connotations alexander is a captivating early work of historical fiction from a troubled and unjustly neglected writer

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a collection of essays addressing recent debates on the causes of the english civil war

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