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The first historical heroic epic authored by a woman, Scanderbeide recounts the exploits of fifteenth-century Albanian warrior-prince G and his war of resistance against the Ottoman sultanate. Filled with scenes of intense and suspenseful battles contrasted with romantic Scanderbeide combines the action and fantasy characteristic of the genre with analysis of its characters' motivations. In selecting a mi her material and epic poetry as her medium, Margherita Sarrocchi (1560?-1617) not only engages in the masculine subjects of political warfare but also tackles a genre that was, until that point, the sole purview of men. First published posthumously in 1623, Scanderbeide an adroit English prose translation that maintains the suspense of the original text and gives ample context to its rich cultural implicat Comic strips tell the stories of a beautiful runaway, an arranged marriage, a hidden family treasure, and the reluctant chieftain of a Sco This book provides the historical background and description of Buddhism in Tibet, clarifying the uniqueness of Tibetan Buddhism. This voyage of exploration chronicles twenty-four hours in the life of a Roman patrician, beginning at dawn on an ordinary day in the ye Imperial Rome at the height of its power.

The Heroic Deeds of George Scanderbeg, King of Epirus

Dietary Innovation and Disease from the Nineteenth Century

The Hounds of the Morrigan

Bibliografia di Mario Puccini

Bell' Antonio

The Massaie Rurali

Haushofer e l'Asse Roma-Berlino

When a ten-year-old boy finds an old book of magic in a bookshop in Ireland, the forces of good and evil gather to do battle over it. 'As a writer, Carrère is straight berserk' Junot Díaz In this non-fiction novel – road trip, confession, and erotic tour de force – Emmanuel Carrère pursues two consuming obsessions: the disappearance of his grandfather amid suspicions that he was a Nazi collaborator in the Second World War; and a violently passionate affair with a woman that he loves but which ends in destruction. Moving between Paris and Kotelnich, a grisly post-Soviet town, Carrère weaves his story into a travelogue of a journey inward, travelling fearlessly into the depths of his tortured psyche.

This is a story of how miracles DO happen. How courage and a never-give-up spirit can emerge victorious. How an engaging little monkey helped change a family's life. Ellen Rogers considered herself something of a tragedy snob. The single mother of five believed she could weather any storm, that she could keep her family from harm with fortitude and grace. But nothing could have prepared her for the June 2005 car accident that left her son, Ned--then 22 years old--fighting for his life. Ellen refused to give in to despair. We'll get through this, she told herself. We have to. But love and determination can only go so far, and the road home was fraught with obstacles. Ellen and Ned took comfort in family and friends. And they prayed for a miracle. Miracles happen to those who believe, the saying goes, but who would have believed that one family's "miracle" would weigh in at five pounds sopping wet?

Then Helping Hands: Monkey Helpers for the Disabled provided Ned with an affectionate and intelligent service animal with a steadfast devotion to hierarchy, a longing for "spa days," and a craving for Gummi Bears. In other words, a diva. Life with Kasey was yet another challenge for this large and lively family, but they persevered as families do, and in time this wise and sensitive animal did more than help Ned cope with his disabilities--she turned the simple tasks of life into a life worth living. Kasey's astonishing intelligence and compassion brought hope and laughter back to a family facing its greatest challenge, and helped them see the world in a new way.

L'Accademia d'Italia, che assorbì nel 1939 l'Accademia dei Lincei, fu fondata nel 1926 dal fascismo e promosse gli studi umanistici, scientifici e tecnologici. Ma fu soprattutto uno strumento del regime: sotto il suo controllo e con il suo aiuto finanziario partecipò alla costruzione di un'identità nazionale, alla lotta antisemita e alla politica estera del governo. Retta da presidenti di grande prestigio – Marconi, D'Annunzio, Federzoni, Gentile –, annoverò fra i suoi membri-funzionari alcuni dei più noti intellettuali italiani, scelti con criteri prevalentemente politici: accanto all'unica donna Ada Negri, De Stefani, Fermi, Marinetti, Mascagni, Papini, Piacentini, Pirandello o Volpe. I numerosi premi conferiti furono usati spesso come un'arma di ricatto per ampliare il consenso. Giudicata dal primo antifascismo «corruttrice» degli intellettuali, l'Accademia si avvale in realtà del loro sostegno spontaneo e consapevole. Una storia letta finora solo in ottica culturale e di fatto dimenticata viene qui ricostruita per la prima volta nella sua complessità e nella sua dimensione politica.

Jimmy, the Terrorist

Fashion Under Fascism

Ruins, Relics, Rarities, Rubbish, Uninhabited Places, and Hidden Treasures

Borderscaping: Imaginations and Practices of Border Making

Circles Without Center

The Kaulajñ?nanir?aya

Paths to the Discovery and Creation of Self in Modern Literature

Sanskrit treatise on the fundamentals of Nātha Sect in Hinduism.

Proteins, Pathologies and Politics presents an international and historical approach to dietary change and health, contrasting current concerns with how issues such as diabetes, cancer, vitamins, sugar and fat, and food allergies were perceived in the 19th and 20th centuries. Though what we eat and what we shouldn't eat has become a topic of increased scrutiny in the current century, the link between dietary innovation and health/disease is not a new one. From new fads in foodstuffs, through developments in manufacturing and production processes, to the inclusion of additives and evolving agricultural practices changing diet, changes often promised better health only to become associated with the opposite. With contributors including Peter Scholliers, Francesco Buscemi, Clare Gordon Bettencourt, and Kirsten Gardner, this collection comprises the best scholarship on how we have perceived diet to affect health. The chapters consider: - the politics and economics of dietary change - the historical actors involved in dietary innovation and the responses to it - the extent that our dietary health itself a cultural construct, or even a product of history This is a fascinating and varied study of how our diets have been shaped and influenced by

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perceptions of health and will be of great value to students of history, food history, nutrition science, politics and sociology. Stella est une lycéenne fraîchement débarquée de Miami après l'accident de voiture qui a coûté la vie à sa meilleure amie Ever. Après un internement en hôpital psychiatrique, elle tente de passer inaperçue en intégrant son nouveau lycée de Boston. Elle n'aspire qu'à une chose: qu'on la laisse tranquille... elle et ses remords. C'est sans compter sur sa particularité, un don dont elle a hérité lors de l'accident, qui lui fera rencontrer Sebastian de façon fort peu conventionnelle. Un don qui s'avère être à la fois son plus grand bonheur et son secret le plus lourd. Une relation naissante entre deux mondes, qu'il faut protéger pour lui permettre d'éclorre dans le monde réel. Stella va pouvoir vérifier si l'amour a des frontières. Hors de moi, un voyage où le corps et l'esprit n'empruntent pas le même chemin, où l'amour est grand, mais où la réalité est dure.

Asian Horizons is published in honour of the great scholar of Asia, Professor Giuseppe Tucci (1894–1984). Through the work of present-day scholars, both senior and emerging, this volume represents their efforts to maintain the impetus of the profound legacy Tucci left. Renowned to this day as a founding scholar in an extraordinarily wide variety of disciplines, as well as being an explorer of hitherto largely unknown lands, such as Tibet, Tucci gained a deep knowledge of Asia through a familiarity with its people, places and literature. His contribution to modern scholarship is nothing less than remarkable. The volume reflects the broad variety of topics in which Tucci himself displayed deep interest and serves as an homage to his work.

The Religions of Tibet

International Journal of Tantric Studies

The Reach of Rome

Obsolete Objects in the Literary Imagination

Beyond the Black Shirt

le avventure di Giuseppe Tucci e la politica italiana in oriente da Mussolini a Andreotti ; con il carteggio di Giulio Andreotti

La geopolitica tedesca nella politica culturale nazi-fascista

Textbooks in history, geography & the social sciences provide important insights to the ways in which societies function. Based on case studies from Europe, Japan & the United States, this volume shows how concepts of space & time have changed people's view of their countries & of the world as a whole.

This volume brings together a set of contributions, many appearing in English for the first time, together with a new introduction, covering the history of the Ethiopian Christian civilization in its formative period (300–1500 AD). Rooted in the late antique kingdom of Aksum (present day Northern Ethiopia and Eritrea), and lying between Byzantium, Africa and the Near East, this civilization is presented in a series of case studies. At a time when philological and linguistic investigations are being challenged by new approaches in Ethiopian studies, this

volume emphasizes the necessity of basic research, while avoiding the reduction of cultural questions to matters of fact and detail.

Translated here into English for the first time is a monumental work of literary history and criticism comparable in scope and achievement to Eric Auerbach's *Mimesis*. Italian critic Francesco Orlando explores Western literature's obsession with outmoded and nonfunctional objects (ruins, obsolete machinery, broken things, trash, etc.). Combining the insights of psychoanalysis and literary-political history, Orlando traces this obsession to a turning point in history, at the end of eighteenth-century industrialization, when the functional becomes the dominant value of Western culture. Roaming through every genre and much of the history of Western literature, the author identifies distinct categories into which obsolete images can be classified and provides myriad examples. The function of literature, he concludes, is to remind us of what we have lost and what we are losing as we rush toward the future.

I had taken Mrs. Prest into my confidence; in truth without her I should have made but little advance, for the fruitful idea in the whole business dropped from her friendly lips. It was she who invented the short cut, who severed the Gordian knot. It is not supposed to be the nature of women to rise as a general thing to the largest and most liberal view—I mean of a practical scheme; but it has struck me that they sometimes throw off a bold conception—such as a man would not have risen to—with singular serenity. "Simply ask them to take you in on the footing of a lodger"—I don't think that unaided I should have risen to that.

Sorvegliare e premiare

Languages and Cultures of Eastern Christianity: Ethiopian

The Remarkable Story of a Monkey and a Miracle

Kasey to the Rescue

Fear in the World

L' esploratore del Duce

Modern Cultures, Local Communities, Global Connections

Shocking and controversial when it was first published in 1939, Steinbeck's Pulitzer Prize-winning epic remains his undisputed masterpiece. Set against the background of dust bowl Oklahoma and Californian migrant life, it tells of the Joad family, who, like thousands of others, are forced to travel West in search of the promised land. Their story is one of false hopes, thwarted desires and broken dreams, yet out of their suffering Steinbeck created a drama that is intensely human yet majestic in

its scale and moral vision; an eloquent tribute to the endurance and dignity of the human spirit. From bestselling author Torey Hayden comes a moving new novel of loss and redemption. Originally published in 1963, and today considered a landmark in twentieth century Italian literature, Luigi Meneghello's Deliver Us is the memoir, not of an extraordinary childhood, but of the very ordinary one the author shared with most of his generation, when Italy was a rural country under the twin authorities of Church and Fascism. His boyhood begins in 1922, the year of Mussolini's March on Rome, and ends when Meneghello, 21, goes up into the hills to join the partisans. Called a romanzo—a story, although not a novel, as that term usually suggests—the book is a genre all of its own that mixes personal and collective memory, amateur ethnography, and reflections on language. Meneghello's sharp insights and narrative skill come together in an original meditation on how words, people, places, and things shape thought itself. Only loosely chronological, Deliver Us proceeds by themes—childhood games, Fascist symbols, religious precepts, and the rites of poverty, of death, of eros, and of love. Meneghello's ironic musings and profoundly honest recollections make an utterly unsentimental human comedy of that was the whole world to his dawning consciousness. Italy played a vital role in the Cold War dynamics that shaped the Middle East in the latter part of the 20th century. It was a junior partner in the strategic plans of NATO and warmly appreciated by some Arab countries for its regional approach. But Italian foreign policy towards the Middle East balanced between promoting dialogue, stability and cooperation on one hand, and colluding with global superpower manoeuvres to exploit existing tensions and achieve local influence on the other. Italy and the Middle East brings together a range of experts on Italian international relations to analyse, for the first time in English, the country's Cold War relationship with the Middle East. Chapters covering a wide range of defining twentieth century events - from the Arab-Israeli conflict and the Lebanese Civil War, to the Iranian Revolution and the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan - demonstrate the nuances of Italian foreign policy in dealing with the complexity of Middle Eastern relations. The collection demonstrates the interaction of local and global issues in shaping Italy's international relations with the Middle East, making it essential reading to students of the Cold War, regional interactions, and the international relations of Italy and the Middle East.

The Sinclair Story

A Day in the Life of Ancient Rome

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Mussolini Warlord

***Proteins, Pathologies and Politics
The Nation, Europe, and the World
Romanzo***

Using the borderscapes concept, this book offers an approach to border studies that expresses the multilevel co of borders, from the geopolitical to social practice and cultural production at and across the border. Accordingly, encourages a productive understanding of the processual, de-territorialized and dispersed nature of borders and ensuring regimes in the era of globalization and transnational flows as well as showcasing border research as an interdisciplinary field with its own academic standing. Contemporary bordering processes and practices are examined through the borderscapes lens to uncover important connections between borders as a 'challenge' to national (and policies and borders as potential elements of political innovation through conceptual (re-)framings of social, political economic and cultural spaces. The authors offer a nuanced and critical re-reading and understanding of the border as an entity to be taken for granted, but as a place of investigation and as a resource in terms of the construction (geo)political imaginations, social and spatial imaginaries and cultural images. In so doing, they suggest that rethinking borders means deconstructing the interweaving between political practices of inclusion-exclusion and the images to support and communicate them on the cultural level by Western territorialist modernity. The result is a book that proposes a wandering through a constellation of bordering policies, discourses, practices and images to open new possibilities for thinking, mapping, acting and living borders under contemporary globalization.

Peasant women were the largest female occupational group in Italy between the wars. They led lives characterized by great poverty and heavy workloads, but Fascist propaganda extolled them as the mothers of the nation and the guardians of the rural worlds, the most praiseworthy of Italian women. This study is the first published history of the Massaie Rurali, the Fascist Party's section for peasant women, which, with three million members by 1943, became one of the largest of the regime's mass mobilizing organizations. The section played a key role in such core fascist campaigns as nation-building and ruralization. Perry Willson draws on a wide range of archival and contemporary sources to investigate the nature of the Massaie Rurali and the dynamics of class and gender that lay at its heart. The book explores the organization's political message, its propaganda and the reasons why so many women joined it.

In Moazzamabad, UP, too large to be a town and too backward to be a city, a young man stabs a police inspector and is beaten to death. The last words he speaks are, 'My name is Jimmy the Terrorist.' Journalists descend on the town like shrill birds', and a long-time resident decides to tell a story that none of them will know. Jimmy was once Jamaal Ansari of Rafiq Ansari of Rasoolpur Mohalla, a Muslim neighbourhood in a Hindu town. And his story goes back a long way:

time when Moazzamabad was named, after Aurangzeb's son; when Rafiq was seduced by the wealth and refinement of Shabbir Manzil and married Shaista; when the Hanuman temple grew ten storeys high and the head priest was mayor; when Shaista died, a mosque was brought down in Ayodhya and Rafiq became a mullah. As Jamaal grows up watching both his father and his neighbourhood change and curfew reach Moazzamabad, he is changed himself. He becomes Jimmy, one among the countless marginalized trying to find a place in the world, dimly aware that the choices that shape their lives are being made in distant places, where they have no influence. Shortlisted for the Man Asian Literary Prize 2009, this spare, compelling novel, as intimate as it is political, confirms Omair Ahmad's reputation as one of the most distinctive and exciting new voices in Indian fiction.

Cosa fu l'Asse Roma-Berlino? Il capriccio di due dittatori, un'alleanza contraria tanto alla tradizione politica quanto all'interesse nazionale dei paesi coinvolti? O invece fu la risposta a un preciso progetto geopolitico per la creazione di una nuova Europa, che fosse capace di salvaguardare la propria posizione egemonica in un mondo dominato da grandi potenze continentali? Questa domanda, che continua a interessare gli storici da oltre settant'anni, viene qui affrontata indagando il pensiero e l'attività politico-culturale di Karl Haushofer (1869-1946), autoproclamatosi consigliere di Hitler e "padre" della geopolitica tedesca: l'uomo che, negli anni Trenta e Quaranta, sviluppò una fitta rete di relazioni con l'Italia fascista al fine di preparare e rafforzare l'alleanza tra Roma e Berlino.

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Italy and the Middle East

The Esoteric Teachings of Matsyendrapada (Matsyendranatha) Sadguru of the Yogin Kaula School in the Tantra Tradition

Geopolitics, Dialogue and Power during the Cold War

Deliver Us

Don Giovanni in Sicilia

Failed Dreams of Empire, 1940-1943

Prada, Gucci, Max Mara: 'alta moda' is synonymous with luxury, glamour and pleasure. Yet Italian fashion also has a dark history. The fascism of 1930's Italy dominated more than just politics, it spilled over into modes of dress. 'Fashion under Fascism' considers this link in detail.

The International Journal of Tantric Studies is open to all bona fide scholars in Tantric Studies in Sanskrit, Bengali, Vernacular, Tibetan, Chinese, Japanese, etc. It is primarily established to publish on Tantras scholarly topics concerning one or more parts of them. This includes the philosophy of language, of knowledge, aesthetics, rhetoric, astronomy, and

so on. It also includes topics such as architectural Tantric-based items, stotras, papers on Tantric authors, essays on Tantra modern scholars, medicine, chemistry, astronomy/astrology, history of Tantra, etc. Since 2012 the IJTS also includes topics on Human Rights in Asia.

Corrado Alvaro's *Fear in the World* was published a decade before Orwell's *1984*, but is not well known outside Italy, perhaps because of the timing of the publication just before the Second World War. Alvaro had visited the Soviet Union as a journalist, but was probably motivated to write this dystopian novel by aspects of modernity that concerned him, particularly the use of fear for political purposes which was not afflicting Russia alone. He was interested in the psychology of fear and the extent to which individuals and the crowd participate in their own regimentation. The names of countries, cities and leading political figures such as Stalin are never referred to, but as in the works of Orwell they are clearly identifiable from their descriptions: the author was writing in a Fascist country against a Fascist censor and had to cut his cloth accordingly. This is a dark novel, not quite as dark as *1984*, but it is more claustrophobic. The feeling of inevitability is there from the first page, and it is experienced as we experience real life. The imagined truth takes us closer to where we really are. The travails of the love affair at the core of this novel quite possibly arise from perceptions that the regime exploits in a quite ad hoc manner. And it leads the reader through an extraordinary sequence of events and observations which encompass a vast range of emotions and ideas expressed in a unique prose style. The modern Leviathan appears to be a well-oiled machine, but towards the end it becomes clear that this is merely an appearance of efficiency and omniscience, but appearances can be powerful. Alvaro is particularly interested in how the state uses quasireligious mechanisms and rituals to assert its power. The central character returns to the country after a long period abroad, and sees things initially through foreign eyes, living a life similar to the one Alvaro did when in Russia. He is not a natural rebel, and very much wants to fit in, but he finds this difficult to achieve. The regime boasts that it has an ally in history, but destiny is elusive, however much the characters feel that they are driven by it.

In this unconventional and accessible history, Italian best-seller Alberto Angela literally follows the money to map the reach and power of the Roman Empire. To see a map of the Roman Empire at the height of its territorial expansion is to be struck by its size, stretching from Scotland to Kuwait, from the Sahara to the North Sea. What was life like in the Empire, and how were such diverse peoples and places united under one rule? *The Reach of Rome* explores these questions through an ingenious lens: the path of a single coin as it changes hands and traverses the vast realms of the empire in the year 115. Admired in his native Italy for his ability to bring history to life through narrative, Alberto Angela opens up the ancient world to readers who have felt intimidated by the category or put off by dry historical tomes. By focusing on aspects of daily life so often overlooked in more academic treatments, *The Reach of Rome* travels back in

time and shows us a world that was perhaps not very different from our own. And by following the path of a coin through the streams of commerce, we can touch every corner of that world and its people, from legionnaires and senators to prostitutes and slaves. Through lively and detailed vignettes all based on archeological and historical evidence, Angela reveals the vast Roman world and its remarkable modernity, and in so doing he reinforces the relevance of the ancient world for a new generation of readers.

Peasant Women and Politics in Facist Italy

Rivista dei Carabinieri reali rassegna di studi militari tecnico professionali

L'esploratore del Duce

The Grapes of Wrath

Asian Horizons

Hors de Moi

L ' Accademia d ' Italia, 1926-1944

This book focuses on the migrations and metamorphoses of black bodies, practices, and discourses around the Atlantic, particularly with regard to current issues such as questions of identity, political and human rights, cosmopolitics, and mnemo-history.

The first study of Mussolini as war leader. Focus is the disastrous performance of the Italian army and its consequences.

Quando la capitale del Tibet era la mitica citta proibita e il Nepal era coperto di foreste e paludi, pullulante di fiere pericolose e interdetto agli stranieri, quando l'Italia era dominata dal regime fascista, che occhieggiava avidamente potenziali domini coloniali in Asia, un uomo dottissimo e avventuroso, perfetta incarnazione degli ideali virili dell'epoca, arrivo la dove nessuno era ancora riuscito a mettere piede, andando a caccia dei tesori di civilta passate. Difficilmente sapremmo immaginare una vita piu appassionante di quella di Giuseppe Tucci (1894-1984), esploratore, studioso e protagonista assoluto della politica culturale fascista in Asia. Dai primi viaggi nelle valli dell'Himalaya e nelle pianure del Gange all'attivita diplomatica in Giappone, dagli incontri con personaggi come Gandhi e Tagore, il Dalai Lama, Julius Evola, Fosco Maraini e Giovanni Gentile, suo grande protettore insieme a Giulio Andreotti, agli scavi archeologici in Pakistan, Afghanistan e Iran, un'avventura umana e intellettuale indissolubilmente intrecciata alla storia dell'Italia moderna. Avventura che possiamo ripercorrere grazie a questo libro, dove il ritmo avvincente della narrazione si combina con il rigore scientifico della ricostruzione basata su testimonianze e documenti originali, come gli appunti inediti di Mussolini e il carteggio Tucci e Andreotti."

My Life as a Russian Novel

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The Aspern Papers

Ethiopia Under Mussolini

*A Journey Through the Lands of the Ancient Empire, Following a Coin
Scanderbeide*

*La domenica del Corriere supplemento illustrato del Corriere della sera
Innocent Foxes*