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Comrades Marathon - The Ultimate Human Race 2012-09-27 it is the world's largest and oldest ultramarathon race it is a festival celebrating the triumph of human spirit over adversity it has a camaraderie that enables ordinary mortals to overcome human fragility and perform beyond their wildest expectations in the words of comrades marcel bruce fordycce this race can inspire ordinary people to do extraordinary things and it brings out the best in all of us this race has a power to transform to inspire and to motivate unlike any other the official comrades marathon the ultimate human race begins in 1921 and chronologically describes every race in detail up to 2010's commemorative 85th event all the legends are here in their full comrades glory and human frailty arthur newton hardy ballington wally hayward jackie mekler alan robb frith van der merwe bruce fordycce and others but there is also deeply affectionate and admiring coverage of the backmarkers the ones often called the real comrades runners those ordinary people behind the front runners this meticulously researched account will certainly inspire all types of athletes but more than that it will evoke a sense of wonder at what body and mind can achieve in pursuit of extreme challenge the heartbreaking and heart stopping moments are documented alongside the countless successes and triumphs as well as a rich collection of humorous and quirky anecdotes from comrades lore an updated history of the comrades marathon is long overdue and author john cameron dow is uniquely qualified to write about this remarkable athletic event he holds a prized green number mark of a ten time comrades medallist

Debates of the National Assembly (Hansard) 2001 the last twenty four hours before a heist take forever you are ready you can't wait you are already thinking about the money it's a kind of high that programs your mind you are excited you just want to get it done that moment when there is no turning back when it is about to go down all your senses come alive your eyes everything comes alive it's extreme like a phenomenal rush of ecstasy it's the thing that makes you want to do it again from the horror of the 2006 villa nora heist where four security guards were burnt alive in their armoured vehicle after a ferocious fight back against highly trained mercenaries to the 2016 robbery of a cash centre in witbank where a gang made off with almost r104 million after impersonating police officers heist is an impeccably researched exposé of an endemic crime phenomenon that some analysts warn could bring south africa to its knees using the information gleaned from thousands of pages of court documents and press reports as well as interviews with scores of police officers crime intelligence agents prosecutors defence lawyers researchers journalists security guards and the criminals themselves heist provides an unprecedented insight into a crime that has increased by a staggering 49 per cent in the first eight months of 2017 alone as informative and thought provoking as it is distressing this is a book by an investigative journalist at the top of her game

Heist! 2018-05-01 getting the message through the companion volume to rebecca robbins raines signal corps traces the evolution of the corps from the appointment of the first signal officer on the eve of the civil war through its stages of growth and change to its service in operation desert shield desert storm raines highlights not only the increasingly specialized nature of warfare and the rise of sophisticated communications technology but also such diverse missions as weather reporting and military aviation information dominance in the form of superior communications is considered to be sine qua non to modern warfare as raines ably shows the signal corps once considered by some army officers to be of little or no military value and the communications it provides have become integral to all aspects of military operations on modern digitized battlefields the volume is an invaluable reference source for anyone interested in the institutional history of the branch

Getting the message through: A Branch History of the U.S. Army Signal Corps 1996 the us soviet arms race told through the story of a colorful and visionary american air force officer melding biography history world affairs and science to transport the reader back and forth from individual drama to world stage compulsively readable and important the new york times book review in this never before told story neil sheehan winner of the pulitzer prize and the national book award details american air force officer bernard schriever's quest to prevent the soviet union from acquiring nuclear superiority and describes american efforts to develop the unstoppable nuclear weapon delivery system the intercontinental ballistic missile the first weapons meant to deter an atomic holocaust rather than to be fired in anger in a sweeping narrative sheehan brings to life a huge cast of some of the most intriguing characters of the cold war including the brilliant physicist john von neumann and the hawkish air force general curtis lemay

A Fiery Peace in a Cold War 2010-10-05 a fresh look at two centuries of humanitarian history through a moral economy approach focusing on appeals allocation and accounting

Humanitarianism in the Modern World 2020-07-23 the 1982 boston marathon was great theater two american runners alberto salazar a celebrated champion and dick beardsley a gutsy underdog going at each other for just under 2 hours and 9 minutes neither man broke the race merely came to a thrilling shattering end exacting such an enormous toll that neither man ever ran as well again beardsley the most innocent of men descended into felony drug addiction and salazar the toughest of men fell prey to depression exquisitely written and rich with human drama john brant's *duel in the sun* brilliantly captures the mythic character of the most thrilling american marathon ever run and the powerful forces of fate that drove these two athletes in the years afterward

Duel in the Sun 2007-03-06 investigating iwo encourages us to explore the connection between american visual culture and world war ii particularly how the image inspired marines servicemembers and civilians to carry on with the war and to remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice to ensure victory over the axis powers chapters shed light on the

processes through which history becomes memory and gains meaning over time the contributors ask only that we be willing to take a closer look to remain open to new perspectives that can deepen our understanding of familiar topics related to the flag raising including rosenthal's famous picture that continue to mean so much to us today

Investigating Iwo 2019 i'm a huge fan of alison green's ask a manager column this book is even better robert sutton author of the no asshole rule and the asshole survival guide ask a manager is the book i wish i'd had in my desk drawer when i was starting out or even let's be honest fifteen years in sarah knight new york times bestselling author of the life changing magic of not giving a f*ck a witty practical guide to navigating 200 difficult professional conversations ten years as a workplace advice columnist has taught alison green that people avoid awkward conversations in the office because they don't know what to say thankfully alison does in this incredibly helpful book she takes on the tough discussions you may need to have during your career you'll learn what to say when colleagues push their work on you then take credit for it you accidentally trash talk someone in an email and hit reply all you're being micromanaged or not being managed at all your boss seems unhappy with your work you got too drunk at the christmas party with sharp sage advice and candid letters from real life readers ask a manager will help you successfully navigate the stormy seas of office life

Ask a Manager 2018-05-01 madman tyrant animal history has given adolf hitler many names in mein kampf my struggle often called the nazi bible hitler describes his life frustrations ideals and dreams born to an impoverished couple in a small town in austria the young adolf grew up with the fervent desire to become a painter the death of his parents and outright rejection from art schools in vienna forced him into underpaid work as a laborer during the first world war hitler served in the infantry and was decorated for bravery after the war he became actively involved with socialist political groups and quickly rose to power establishing himself as chairman of the national socialist german worker's party in 1924 hitler led a coalition of nationalist groups in a bid to overthrow the bavarian government in munich the infamous munich beer hall putsch was unsuccessful and hitler was arrested during the nine months he was in prison an embittered and frustrated hitler dictated a personal manifesto to his loyal follower rudolph hess he vented his sentiments against communism and the jewish people in this document which was to become mein kampf the controversial book that is seen as the blue print for hitler's political and military campaign in mein kampf hitler describes his strategy for rebuilding germany and conquering europe it is a glimpse into the mind of a man who destabilized world peace and pursued the genocide now known as the holocaust

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Mein Kampf 2009 spearhead of logistics is a narrative branch history of the u.s. army's transportation corps first published in 1994 for transportation personnel and reprinted in 2001 for the larger army community the quartermaster department coordinated transportation support for the army until world war i revealed the need for a dedicated corps of specialists the newly established transportation corps however lasted for only a few years its significant utility for coordinating military transportation became again transparent during world war ii and it was resurrected in mid 1942 to meet the unparalleled logistical demands of fighting in distant theaters finally becoming a permanent branch in 1950 the transportation corps continued to demonstrate its capability of rapidly supporting u.s. army operations in global theaters over the next fifty years with useful lessons of high quality support that validate the necessity of adequate transportation in a viable national defense posture it is an important resource for those now involved in military transportation and movement for ongoing expeditionary operations this text should be useful to both officers and noncommissioned officers who can take examples from the past and apply the successful principles to future operations thus ensuring a continuing legacy of transportation excellence within army operations additionally military science students and military historians may be interested in this volume

The Cult of the Presidency 1966 alliances have shaped grand strategy and warfare since the dawn of civilization indeed it is doubtful that the united states of america would have gained its independence without its revolutionary war alliance with france such alliances may prove even more important to international security in the twenty first century economic and financial difficulties alone will ensure that policy makers attempt to spread the burden of securing vital interests onto other nations through alliances both formal organizations such as nato and informal alliances of convenience as developed to wage the gulf war in 1991 a team of leading historians examine the problems inherent in alliance politics and relationships in the framework of grand strategy through the lens of history aimed at not just the military aspects of alliances the book uncovers the myriad factors that have made such coalitions succeed or fail in the past

Index to South African Periodicals 2016-02-25 when in 1821 the greeks rose in violent revolution against the rule of the ottoman turks waves of sympathy spread across western europe and the united states more than a thousand volunteers set out to fight for the cause the philhellenes whether they set out to recreate the athens of pericles start a new crusade or make money out of a war all felt that greece had unique claim on the sympathy of the world as byron wrote i dreamed that greece might still be free and he died at

missolonghi trying to translate that dream into reality william st clair s meticulously researched and highly readable account of their aspirations and experiences was hailed as definitive when it was first published long out of print it remains the standard account of the philhellenic movement and essential reading for any students of the greek war of independence byron and european romanticism its relevance to more modern ethnic and religious conflicts is becoming increasingly appreciated by scholars worldwide this new and revised edition includes a new introduction by roderick beaton an updated bibliography and many new illustrations

Spearhead of Logistics 2018-11-01 a champion cuban american distance runner chronicles his early life his rise to athletic stardom and a near death experience during which he was clinically dead for 14 minutes

Grand Strategy and Military Alliances 2008 in run forever boston marathon winner and former runner s world editor in chief amby burfoot shares practical advice and wisdom on how to run with greater joy and health for an entire lifetime everyone learns how to run at an early age it s naturally wired into your body yet in recent years running has become complicated by trendy gadgets and doctrine with a boston marathon win and over 100 000 miles run on his resume amby burfoot steers the sport back to its simple roots in run forever from a warm and welcoming perspective burfoot provides clear actionable guidance to runners of every age and ability level whether you are a beginner runner or experienced marathoner run forever will show you how to motivate yourself avoid injuries increase speed and endurance and reach your goals best of all you ll enjoy optimal health throughout your life

That Greece Might Still be Free 2001 this classic once hard to find travelogue recalls one of the very first around the world bicycle treks filled with rarely matched feats of endurance and determination around the world on a bicycle tells of a young cyclist s ever changing and maturing worldview as he ventures through forty countries on the eve of world war ii it is an exuberant youthful account harking back to a time when the exploits of richard byrd amelia earhart and other adventurers stirred the popular imagination in 1935 fred a birchmore left the small american town of athens georgia to continue his college studies in europe in his spare time birchmore toured the continent on a one speed bike he called bucephalus after the name of alexander the great s horse a born wanderer birchmore broadened his travels to include the british isles and even the mediterranean after a lengthy unplanned detour in egypt birchmore put his studies on hold pointed bucephalus eastward and just kept going from desert valleys to frozen peaks from palace promenades to muddy jungle trails birchmore saw it all on his eighteen month twenty five thousand mile odyssey some of the people he encountered had never seen a bike or for that matter an anglo european as a good travel experience should birchmore s trip changed his outlook on strangers always daring outgoing and energetic he now saw an innate goodness in people in between bone breaking spills wild animal attacks and privation of all kinds birchmore learned that he had little to fear from human encounters that he traveled through a world on the brink of global war makes this lesson even more remarkable and timeless

The International Journal on Hydropower & Dams 1989 more than one half million people of korean descent reside in japan today the largest ethnic minority in a country often assumed to be homogeneous this timely interdisciplinary volume blends original empirical research with the vibrant field of diaspora studies to understand the complicated history identity and status of the korean minority in japan an international group of scholars explores commonalities and contradictions in the korean diasporic experience touching on such issues as citizenship and belonging the personal and the political and homeland and hostland

South Africa 1989 combat operations stemming the tide describes a critical chapter in the vietnam conflict the first eighteen months of combat by the u s army s ground forces relying on official american and enemy primary sources john m carland focuses on initial deployments and early combat and takes care to present a well balanced picture by discussing not only the successes but also the difficulties endemic to the entire effort this fine work presents the war in all of its detail the enemy s strategy and tactics general william c westmoreland s search and destroy operations the helicopters and airmobile warfare the immense firepower american forces could call upon to counter communist control of the battlefield the out of country enemy sanctuaries and the allied efforts to win the allegiance of the south vietnamese people to the nation s anti communist government carland s volume demonstrates that u s forces succeeded in achieving their initial goals but unexpected manpower shortages made westmoreland realize that the transition from stemming the tide to taking the offensive would take longer bruising battles with the viet cong and north vietnamese in the saigon area and in the central highlands had halted their drive to conquest in 1965 and with major base development activities afoot a series of high tempo spoiling operations in 1966 kept them off balance until more u s fighting units arrived in the fall carland credits the improvements in communications and intelligence the helicopter s capacity to extend the battlefield and the availability of enormous firepower as the potent ingredients in westmoreland s optimism for victory yet realizes that the ultimate issue of how effective the u s army would be and what it would accomplish during the next phase was very much a question mark

South Africa 2012-04-10 this book focuses on the korean people s army kpa the armed forces of north korea covering its history structural organisation and lives of the soldiers and officers within its ranks utilising extensive korean english russian and chinese language sources as well as multiple interviews with people who have served in the kpa this book

provides an illuminating insight into the experience of kpa personnel it presents fascinating and detailed examples of everyday life in the kpa such as the systems of discipline and reprimands the experience of women in the army typical salaries and daily food allowances the book also succinctly traces the history of the kpa from its foundation under the guidance of the soviet union and the experiences of the korean war through to the current iteration under kim jong un this pioneering work will be of huge interest to students and scholars of north korea the cold war military studies and communism

14 Minutes 2018-06-14 marketers must be fully equipped to meet the challenges of the information and technology driven marketplace in south africa marketing 2 e helps students to turn information into useful knowledge to obtain the competitive advantage and to be successful in the marketplace the south african examples and comment in an international setting creates local and global perspectives the text works at a small business entrepreneurial level and provides appropriate material for work in small teams the text also examines marketing from a global perspective the organization of the text is obe and modularized thus it has a fully integrated learning system the expanded strategy component and a balance of theory and practice makes the text suitable for universities and technicians

Run Forever 2020-05-01 the book written by ukrainian scholars explores in interdisciplinary approach the revolutionary 2013 2014 euromaidan and its social political and cultural results the contributors identify various factors of ukraine s upheavals explore their impact on the european and global politics and analyse the challenges of the reforms for the country

Around the World on a Bicycle 1915 originally published in 1976 in the romantic sublime thomas weiskel investigates the concept of the sublime in the poetry of english romantic writers his work infuses elements of structuralism and psychological thought in his attempt to describe and demystify the sublime experience or in his words to desubliminate the sublime in doing so he demonstrates that the sublime is largely mystified and he contrasts those with faith in the awesomeness of sublimation and those who remain skeptical of the sublime s mystifying power in working to demystify the sublime weiskel emphasizes the task of intelligence by assigning morality and intellect the value of mistrust in sublimation *The Publishers Weekly* 2012 this account of the khobar towers bombing tells the story of the horrific attack and the magnificent response of airmen doing their duty under nearly impossible circumstances none of them view their actions as heroic yet the reader will marvel at their calm professionalism all of them say it was just their job but the reader will wonder how they could be so well trained to act almost instinctively to do the right thing at the right time none of them would see their actions as selfless yet countless numbers refused medical attention until the more seriously injured got treatment throughout this book the themes of duty commitment and devotion to comrades resoundingly underscore the notion that america s brightest bravest and best wear her uniforms in service to the nation this book is more than heroic actions though for there is also controversy were commanders responsible for not adequately protecting their people what should one make of the several conflicting investigations following the attack dr jamieson has not shied away from these difficult questions and others but has discussed them and other controversial judgments in a straightforward and dispassionate way that will bring them into focus for everyone it is clear from this book that there is a larger issue than just the response to the bombing it is the issue of the example set by america s airmen future airmen who read this book will be stronger and will stand on the shoulders of those who suffered and those who made the ultimate sacrifice

The Global Investigative Journalism Casebook 2009-04-27 refiguring the archive at once expresses cutting edge debates on the archive in south africa and internationally and pushes the boundaries of those debates it brings together prominent thinkers from a range of disciplines mainly south africans but a number from other countries traditionally archives have been seen as preserving memory and as holding the past the contributors to this book question this orthodoxy unfolding the ways in which archives construct sanctify and bury pasts in his contribution jacques derrida an instantly recognisable name in intellectual discourse worldwide shows how remembering can never be separated from forgetting and argues that the archive is about the future rather than the past collectively the contributors demonstrate the degree to which thinking about archives is embracing new realities and new possibilities the book expresses a confidence in claiming for archival discourse previously unentered terrains it serves as an early manual for a time that has already begun

Diaspora without Homeland 2000 an exploration of the fast food industry in the united states from its roots to its long term consequences

Combat Operations: Stemming the Tide, May 1965 to October 1966 (Paperback) 2022-09-27 an examination of strategies for effective organizing

The North Korean Army 2004 a haunting tribute to the heroic pioneers who shaped the american midwest this powerful novel by willa cather is considered to be one of her finest works and placed cather in the forefront of women novelists it tells the stories of several immigrant families who start new lives in america in rural nebraska this powerful tribute to the quiet heroism of those whose struggles and triumphs shaped the american midwest highlights the role of women pioneers in particular written in the style of a memoir penned by antonia s tutor and friend the book depicts one of the most memorable heroines in american literature the spirited eldest daughter of a czech immigrant family whose calm quite strength and robust spirit helped her survive the hardships and loneliness of life on the nebraska prairie the two form an enduring bond and through his chronicle we watch antonia shape the land while dealing with poverty treachery and tragedy no romantic novel ever written in america is one half so beautiful as my Ántonia h l mencken willa cather 1873 1947

was an american writer best known for her novels of the plains and for one of ours a novel set in world war i for which she was awarded the pulitzer prize in 1923 she was elected a fellow of the american academy of arts and sciences in 1943 and received the gold medal for fiction from the national institute of arts and letters in 1944 an award given once a decade for an author s total accomplishments by the time of her death she had written twelve novels five books of short stories and a collection of poetry

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