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born eileen mary challans in london in 1905 mary renauld wrote six successful contemporary novels before turning to the historical fiction about ancient greece for which she is best known while renauld s novels are still highly regarded her life and work have never been completely examined caroline zilboorg seeks to remedy this in the masks of mary renauld by exploring renauld s identity as a gifted writer and a sexual woman in a society in which neither of these identities was clear or easy although renauld s life was anything but ordinary this fact has often been obscured by her writing the daughter of a doctor she grew up comfortably and attended a boarding school in bristol she received a degree in english from st hugh s college in oxford in 1928 but she chose not to pursue an academic career instead she decided to attend the radcliffe infirmary in oxford where she trained to be a nurse with the outbreak of the second world war she was assigned to the winford emergency hospital in bristol and briefly worked with dunkirk evacuees she went on to work in the radcliffe infirmary s brain surgery ward and was there until 1945 it was during her nurse s training that renauld met julie mullard who became her lifelong companion this important lesbian relationship both resolved and posed many problems for renauld not the least of which was how she was to write about issues at once intensely personal and socially challenging in 1939 renauld published her first novel under a pseudonym in order to mask her identity it was a time when she was struggling not only with her vocation nursing and writing but also with her sexual identity in the social and moral context of english life during the war in 1948 renauld left england with mullard for south africa and never returned it was in south africa that she made the shift from her early contemporary novels of manners to the mature historical novels of hellenic life the classical settings allowed renauld to mask material too explosive to deal with directly while simultaneously giving her an academic freedom to write about subjects vital to her among them war peace career women s roles female and male homosexuality and bisexuality renauld s reception complicates an understanding of her achievement for she has a special status within the academic community where she is both widely read and little written about her interest in sexuality and specifically in homosexuality and bisexuality in fluid gender roles and identities warrants a rereading and reevaluation of her work eloquently written and extensively researched the masks of mary renauld will be of special value to anyone interested in women s studies or english literature who made an enemy of two ladies through an apple why did tar baby keep on sayin nothin which royal residence is built on thirteen thousand piles following the best selling book the world s most difficult quiz comes this sequel which collects the most taxing questions from early king william s college general knowledge papers published in the guardian over many years again the book includes a new and devilishly difficult set of questions prepared especially for publication by quizmaster pat cullen a challenge for the most erudite of minds the world s most difficult quiz 2 is the ultimate general knowledge challenge alexander the great 356 323 b c e who reigned as king of macedonia for only thirteen years set a flame of conquest that introduced the dynamism of hellenism to the mediterranean middle eastern and south asian worlds re creating their ossified cultures he established a standard of leadership and military conquest that the most successful of roman emperors medieval knights and steppe barbarians would never truly match julius caesar wept that he could not surpass alexander while napoleon could only dream of such invincibility alexander had the great fortune to be born the able son of philip ii one of the most talented men of war and politics produced by the hellenic world who created for alexander the foundation of the macedonian state and army that would be the tools of his future greatness alexander s invincibility was the product of his profound genius the perfection of body boundless energy imagination daring intellect and vision in one man he was a master tactician strategist logistician diplomat and statesman with an ability to win the affection and quick obedience of others even his enemies fell victim to his valor and charm his personal attributes and accomplishments were so far removed from those of ordinary men that he achieved almost superhuman status within his lifetime above all he was the preeminent man of war even today as the noise of battle rattles kandahar a city in afghanistan that alexander named for himself war clings to his name the revised edition of the gay and lesbian literary heritage is a reader s companion to this impressive body of work it provides overviews of gay and lesbian presence in a variety of literatures and historical periods in depth critical essays on major gay and lesbian authors in world literature and briefer treatments of other topics and figures important in appreciating the rich and varied gay and lesbian literary traditions included are

nearly 400 alphabetically arranged articles by more than 175 scholars from around the world new articles in this volume feature authors such as michael cunningham tony kushner anne lister kate millet jan morris terrence mcnelly and sarah waters essays on topics such as comedy of manners and autobiography and overviews of danish norwegian philippines and swedish literatures as well as updated and revised articles and bibliographies uplifting and engaging this story recounts the life and career of a rebellious 20th century british artist born into a large musical and bohemian family in london the british artist john craxton 1922 2009 has been described as a neo romantic but he called himself a kind of arcadian his early art was influenced by blake palmer miró and picasso after achieving a dream of moving to greece his work evolved as a personal response to byzantine mosaics el greco and the art of greek life this book tells his adventurous story for the first time at turns exciting funny and poignant the saga is enlivened by craxton s ebullient pictures ian collins expands our understanding of the artist greatly including an in depth exploration of the storied complicated friendship between craxton and lucian freud drawing on letters and memories that craxton wanted to remain private until after his death this title traces the lives of individual lesbians against the background of the politics and history of the 20th century and shows the infinite variety of ways in which lesbians made their lives in britain this history has relevance to contemporary life and politics within the lesbian community british lesbians have a long tradition of diversity of action of success and of pride which is documented here beautifully designed and gorgeously illustrated this immersive puzzle like exploration of the history and psychology of mazes and labyrinths evokes the spirit of choose your own adventure the textual inventiveness of tom stoppard and the philosophical spirit of jorge luis borges labyrinths are as old as humanity the proving grounds of heroes the paths of pilgrims symbols of spiritual rebirth and pleasure gardens for pure entertainment henry eliot leads us on a twisting journey through the world of mazes real and imagined unraveling our ancient abiding relationship with them and exploring why they continue to fascinate us from kafka to kubrick to the myth of the minotaur and a quest to solve the disappearance of the legendary maze king are you ready to step inside a comprehensive guide that defines the literature and the outlines the best selling genre of all time romance fiction more than 2 000 romances are published annually making it difficult for fans and the librarians who advise them to keep pace with new titles emerging authors and constant evolution of this dynamic genre fortunately romance expert and librarian kristin ramsdell provides a definitive guide to this fiction genre that serves as an indispensable resource for those interested in it including fans searching for reading material as well as for library staff scholars and romance writers themselves this title updates the last edition of romance fiction a guide to the genre published in 1999 while the emphasis is on newer titles many of the important older classics are retained keeping the focus of the book on the entire genre instead of only those titles published during the last decade specific changes include new chapters on linked and continuing romances a new section on chick lit in the contemporary romance chapter an expansion of coverage on the alternative reality subset this is the romance genre guide to have ten leading scholars provide exacting research results and a reliable and accessible introduction to the new field of optimality theoretic pragmatics the book includes a general introduction that overviews the foundations of this new research paradigm the book is intended to satisfy the needs of students and professional researchers interested in pragmatics and optimality theory and will be of particular interest to those exploring the interfaces of formal pragmatics with grammar semantics philosophy of language information theory and cognitive psychology why is cleopatra a descendent of alexander the great a ptolemy from a greek macedonian family in popular imagination an oriental woman true she assumed some aspects of pharaonic imagery in order to rule egypt but her orientalism mostly derives from ancient roman and modern stereotypes both the orient and the idea of a woman in power are signs in the western tradition of otherness and in this sense they can easily overlap and interchange this volume investigates how ancient women and particularly powerful women such as queens and empresses have been re imagined in western and not only western arts highlights how this re imagination and re visualization is more often than not the product of orientalist stereotypes even when dealing with women who had nothing to do with eastern regions and compares these images with examples of eastern gaze on the same women through the chapters in this volume readers will discover the similarities and differences in the ways in which women in power were and still are described and decried by their opponents

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giants in the earth note the original literary works are not included issues for nov 1957 include section accessions aanwinste sept 1957 also published separately this book develops the idea of the eastern as an analytically significant genre of film positioned in counterpoint to the western the famed cowboy genre of the american frontier the eastern encompasses films that depict the eastern and southern frontiers of euro american expansion examining six films in particular gunga din 1939 lawrence of arabia 1962 heat and dust 1983 a passage to india 1984 indochine 1992 and the english patient 1996 the author explores the duality of the eastern as both aggressive and seductive depicting conquest and romance at the same time in juxtaposing these two elements the book seeks to reveal the double process by which the eastern both diminishes the east and global south and reinforces ignorance about these regions histories and complexity thereby setting the stage for ever escalating political aggression important both volume one volume two are required for the complete book of dew over 42 years of research into the surname dew and spelling variations in the united states started in 1975 this research attempts to document the relationships among all the ancestors and descendants of the dew surname from all parts of this country sinfield argues that ideas of gayness are becoming more complicated as gays are vilified over aids courted as consumers spending the pink pound and urged to be queer and or bisexual he also examines how gay identity continues to develop approximately sixty five entries include critical commentary about the work of a variety of novelists poets playwrights and other creative writers in the young adult genre la trilogía de alejandro magno compuesta por fuego del paraíso el muchacho persa y juegos funerarios en un estuche una obra imprescindible para los amantes de la grecia clásica también se venden los volúmenes por separado he was a man like no other man has ever been so arrian sums up the career of alexander the great of macedon 356 323 bc who in twelve years that changed the world led his army in conquest of a vast empire extending from the danube to the rivers of the punjab from egypt to uzbekistan and died in babylon at the age of 32 with further ambitions unfulfilled arrian c 86 161 ad a greek man of letters who had experience of military command and of the highest political office in both rome and athens set out to write the definitive account of alexander s life and campaigns published as the anabasis and its later companion piece the indica his work is now our prime and most detailed extant source for the history of alexander and it is a dramatic story fast moving like its main subject and told with great narrative skill arrian admired alexander and was fascinated by him but was also alive to his faults he presents a compelling account of an exceptional leader brilliant ruthless passionate and complex about the series for over 100 years oxford world s classics has made available the widest range of literature from around the globe each affordable volume reflects oxford s commitment to scholarship providing the most accurate text plus a wealth of other valuable features including expert introductions by leading authorities helpful notes to clarify the text up to date bibliographies for further study and much more entries include critical commentary brief biographical information a portrait when available a list of principal works and may also include a further reading section the lloyd s register of shipping records the details of merchant vessels over 100 gross tonnes which are self propelled and sea going regardless of classification before the time only those vessels classed by lloyd s register were listed vessels are listed alphabetically by their current name truth and wonder is an accessible introduction to plato and aristotle showing their crucial influence for literary and cultural studies modern 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wa thiong o and iris murdoch with examples that will be familiar to students the ideas of plato and aristotle underlie much of western culture continue to inspire contemporary literary and philosophical work and shape the case for the central importance of the humanities today truth and wonder is essential reading for students and researchers in the study of literature theory and criticism as well as for those wishing to understand the foundations of the field it will also be of interest to those studying philosophy classics and political theory its accessible style and approach also mean it s a perfect starting point for any literary minded person who wants to know more about these two foundational thinkers talcroft explores sutcliff s use of sacred themes through twelve of her most famous novels hannah velten plumbs the rich trove of myth fact and legend surrounding the seemingly benign cow grace frick introduced english language readers all over the world to the distinguished french author marguerite yourcenar with her award winning translation of yourcenar s novel memoirs of hadrian in 1954 european biographies of yourcenar have often disparaged frick and her relationship with yourcenar however this work shows frick as a person of substance in her own right and paints a portrait of both women that is at once intimate and scrupulously documented it contains a great deal of new information that will disrupt long held beliefs about yourcenar and may even shock some of her scholars and fans

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The World's Most Difficult Quiz 2 1971 the revised edition of the gay and lesbian literary heritage is a reader s companion to this impressive body of work it provides overviews of gay and lesbian presence in a variety of literatures and historical periods in depth critical essays on major gay and lesbian authors in world literature and briefer treatments of other topics and figures important in appreciating the rich and varied gay and lesbian literary traditions included are nearly 400 alphabetically arranged articles by more than 175 scholars from around the world new articles in this volume feature authors such as michael cunningham tony kushner anne lister kate millet jan morris terrence mcnelly and sarah waters essays on

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