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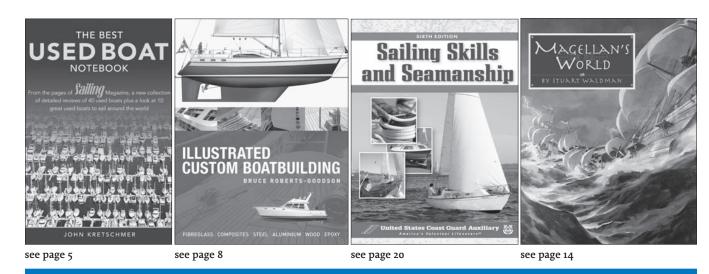
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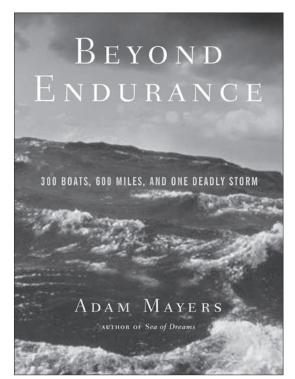
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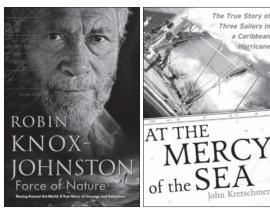
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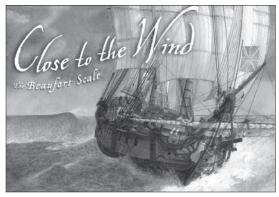
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The Power and the Glory

A BOATER'S DOZEN Here are our picks for the books—some new, some timeless—that we think best capture the force, might, and many moods of wind and sea.







‡ new

Beyond Endurance: 300 Boats, 600 Miles, and One Deadly Storm by Adam Mayers

The disastrous 1979 Fastnet race is infamous among sailors. A Force 10 storm killed 15 men, wrecked five boats, and caused 15 more to be abandoned. Among the survivors were 26 sailors from Canada and the U.S., all of whom were interviewed for this fascinating homegrown take on the race. (Also available: Sea of Dreams, Mayer's recounting of the 2002 Around Alone race, \$21.00.) 320PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$36.99

‡new

Force of Nature

by Robin Knox-Johnston
After the death of his wife, Sir Robin
Knox-Johnston threw himself into a
new challenge and entered the Velux 5
Oceans Yacht Race at age 67. Within a day
of setting out, his boat had capsized in
heavy weather—and the rest of the race
continued to test him as never before.
672PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$39.00

Once Is Enough

by Miles Smeeton

The 46-foot *Tzu-Hang* sailed from Australia into the vast Southern Ocean in December, 1956. West of Cape Horn the boat pitchpoled in a violent storm; it righted half full of water, with broken masts and the deck partially ripped away. The crew managed to save the boat and reach Chile. Ten months later they again attempted the Horn, and were again capsized, dismasted, and nearly sunk.

new in softcover

At the Mercy of the Sea

by John Kretschmer
Hurricane Lenny overtook three sailboats in the same patch of open ocean.
As the storm roared overhead with 150mile-an-hour winds, one sailor rescued
another from his sinking boat—but
ultimately all three were overcome in
conditions no small craft could survive.
240PP. SOFTCOVER 2007 \$18.95

Surviving the Storm: Coastal & Offshore Tactics

by Steve & Linda Dashew
Using a wealth of photos and diagrams, the Dashews explain heavy-weather tactics from every possible angle—human, mechanical, and meteorological. The advice is flavoured with case studies of real boats in really horrific conditions and interviews with experienced professional skippers.

672PP. HARDCOVER 1999 \$89.95

new in softcover

Windswept: The Story of Wind and Weather

by Marq de Villiers
This is the story of what makes weather.
The author examines the power of ocean storms, hurricanes, tornadoes, dust devils—and the ways humans are tampering with the global climate, and using the wind: in sailing, flying, and wind-generated electricity.

352PP. SOFTCOVER 2007 \$22.99

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Close to the Wind: The Beaufort Scale

Young William sails from Naples to the Caribbean as a midshipman in the 1800s. The tale of his adventures reveals nautical history and terminology, and how the wind affects day-to-day life on a ship. Detailed colour illustrations of a developing storm. Ages 5 and up. 40PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$21.00

Atlantic Pilot Atlas

by James Clarke
4th ed. Clarke gathers the weatherpattern information mariners need to
plan a voyage anywhere in the Atlantic,
including 40 pilot charts with detailed
information on winds, currents, gale
frequencies, rough seas, storm tracks,
and recommended sailing routes for the
Atlantic, the Mediterranean, and the
Caribbean.

80PP. SPIRAL 2006 \$135.95

A Boater's Dozen/Cruising

Å new

Sailors' Wisdom: Day by Day

by Philip Plisson

Master marine photographer Philip
Plisson presents the sea, waves, swells,
lighthouses, sails, and boats in sea light
in this handsome gift book. The photographs are accompanied by proverbs
from sailors, one for each day of the year.

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Life at the Extreme: Volvo Ocean Race 2005-2006 DVD

365PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$35.95

produced by sunset+vine
The Volvo Ocean Race challenges intrepid crews to circumnavigate the globe.
During the 2005-6 race, each boat had 10 onboard cameras. The result? More than four hours of action, plus extra footage about life on board, freeze-dried food, carbon-fibre boat technology, and more.
270 MIN. NTSC (NORTH AMERICA EDITION)
\$39-95

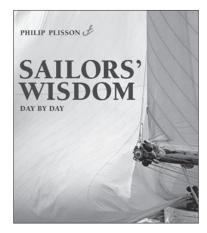
Godforsaken Sea: Racing the World's Most Dangerous Waters

by Derek Lundy
Toronto author and sailor Derek Lundy
provides a gripping account of the 1997
Vendée Globe round-the-world singlehanded race, which claimed the life of
Canadian sailor Gerry Roufs. The book
includes interviews with the racers and
explores what motivated them to brave,
alone, such a tremendous challenge.
304PP. SOFTCOVER 1998 \$21.00

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The Obsession: Tragedy in the North Atlantic

by John Chipman
In 2004, Canadian Thomas Evensen
perished in the North Atlantic while
trying to sail to Norway with his
nephew. John Chipman, a journalist
with The Current on CBC Radio, tells the
story of Evensen's dream and the fateful
voyage—a dramatic, heart-stopping,
and doomed endeavour.
240PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$32.00



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The Best Used Boat Notebook

by John Kretschmer
A new collection of 40 reviews of used boats—plus 10 to consider if you're going to circumnavigate—from the pages of Sailing magazine. Each review includes owner insights, common problems, where to find parts, market pricing, availability, and an innovative "value guide."

240PP. SOFTCOVER 2007 **\$29.95**

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Catamarans: The Complete Guide for Cruising Sailors by Gregor Tarjan

manual, part buyer's guide, and part coffee-table showpiece. Tarjan discusses design, construction, performance, recent developments, seamanship techniques, and outlines how to compare, rate, and evaluate different models.

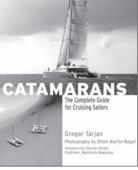
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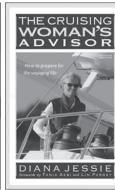
The Cruising Woman's Advisor

by Diana Jessie 2nd ed. Knowing what to expect makes it easier to live the cruising life. Jessie takes a clear-eyed look at the nuts, bolts, and psychological grease of cruising for women. Frank discussions of everything from pirates to female personal hygiene, including family and career issues. 242PP. SOFTCOVER 2007 \$22.95

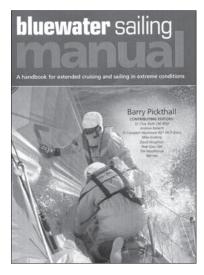


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Boat Design



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Bluewater Sailing Manual

by Barry Pickthall
An up-to-the-min

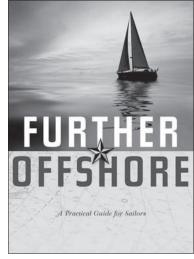
TIFTY PLACES TO

BEFORE YOU DIE

Sailing Experts Share

Chris Santella

An up-to-the-minute review of essential good gear and required knowledge for offshore racing and cruising. Pickthall previews cutting-edge rigs, equipment, and tactics, and covers sails, electronic



navigation, weather routing, crew prep, boat handling, heavy weather, survival techniques, and much more.
272PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$49.95

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Coastal and Offshore Weather by Chris Parker

3rd ed. A super weather book written by a cruiser for cruisers. Parker covers weather dynamics, weather forecasts, interpreting clouds and reading the sky, forecasting products and how to use them, including those on VHF, AM/FM radio, WeatherFax, SSB/Ham, HF modem, satellite and cell phone, GRIBs, weather nets, and more. 203PP. SPIRAL 2006 \$55.95

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Further Offshore: A Practical Guide for Sailors

by Ed Mapes

A practical guide for the bluewater-sailor-in-training. Mapes takes you from practical and psychological preparation, through equipping the boat, navigation skills, and heavy weather, to making landfall—and covers dozens of other topics.

320PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$39.95

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Drift Boats & River Dories

by Roger L. Fletcher & Samuel F. Manning This is the history of the pioneers who designed, built, and used these superb fishing boats, which originated on Oregon's rapid McKenzie and Rogue Rivers in the early 1900s. Instructions and step-by-step photos for building a traditional boat to scale are also included.

304PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$62.95

new edition

Principles of Yacht Design

by Lars Larsson & Rolf Eliasson 3rd ed. The authors teach the principles by following the design of a 40-foot cruising sailboat from first sketch to final weight, strength, and sail-area calculations. Comprehensible to amateurs and comprehensive for professionals—with tables, charts, and diagrams to help you adapt the process to other designs. (Also includes information on powerboat design.) 368PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$61.95

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Yacht Design According to Perry: My Boats and What Shaped Them by Robert H. Perry

Robert Perry's Valiant 40—in production longer than any other design—began the trend toward fast voyaging sailboats. This tour of the world of yacht design looks at the benchmark boats of Perry's 30-year career as a designer and boat reviewer.

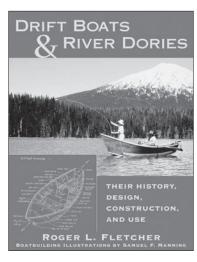
240PP. HARDCOVER 2007 **\$49.95**

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Worthy of the Sea: K. Aage Nielsen and His Legacy of Yacht Design

by Maynard Bray & Tom Jackson
An in-depth appreciation of one
of the greats of American yacht design.
Nielsen devoted his life and considerable talents to creating some of
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yachts ever built. Includes a wealth
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rare photos.

224PP. HARDCOVER 2006 \$77.95



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The Working Guide to Traditional Small-Boat Sails

by David Nichols
Rediscover the practical advantages—and aesthetic delights—of traditional sail configurations that still work today: the sprit sail, the gaff sail, the lug sail, and the gunter rig. Nichols includes tips on converting a Bermudian rig to a more traditional design, and covers rope-whipping and eye-splicing. 176PP. SOFTCOVER 2006 \$26.95

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Small Yachts: Their Design and Construction

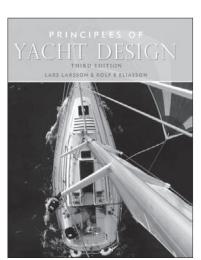
by C.P. Kunhardt
This fascinating look at a wonderful array of craft from the past—sharpies, canoe yawls, cutters, catboats, sneakboxes, bugeyes, and more—is a careful reprint of the original 1891 edition.
288PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$30.00

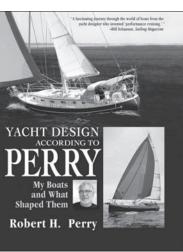
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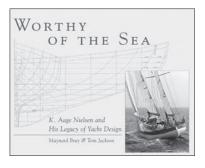
Mudlark's Ghost

by Ian Scott

A lovely story of the restoration of *Mudlark*, a modified version of a Herreshoff Meadow Lark, which is a shallow-draft leeboard sharpie ketch. Ian Scott devoted many years to *Mudlark's* restoration; his book reveals what the process taught him about wooden boats, and about himself. 176PP. SOFTCOVER 2007 \$22.95







First Comes the Dream

Two special books that can inspire travel or the passion for it.

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Fifty Places to Sail Before You Die by Chris Santella

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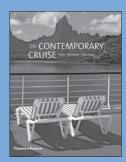
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The Contemporary Cruise

by Iwein Maassen

How do you define a cruise-ship holiday?
Maassen would say "variety"—and here illustrates his definition with more than 300 evocative photographs. Share a journey into the Arctic Circle aboard a Norwegian mail ship, an Atlantic crossing on a modern freighter, and voyages that take in French Polynesia, the Galapagos Islands, and the Caribbean.

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Ultrasimple Boatbuilding: 18 Plywood Boats Anyone Can Build

by Gavin Atkin
A complete how-to guide for quick and easy boats. Includes step-by-step instructions (stitch-and-glue technique), plus info on tools, materials, shop safety, and more. Building plans for 18 boats—including a canoe, several dinghies, a dory, a sailboat, and a rowing skiff.

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Backyard Boatbuilder: How to Build Your Own Wooden Boat

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by Harold H. "Dynamite" Payson
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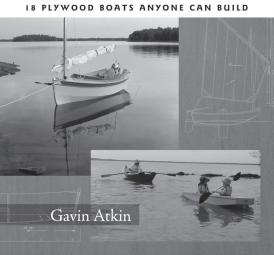
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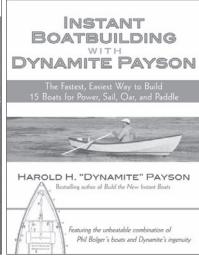
by Enric Rosello

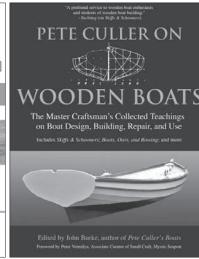
A detailed guide to yacht restoration and repair—decks, galley, electrics, engine, bow, and much more. Colour sequential photographs make it easy to follow, each step of the way.

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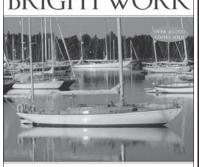
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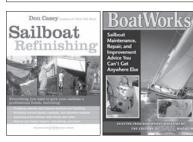
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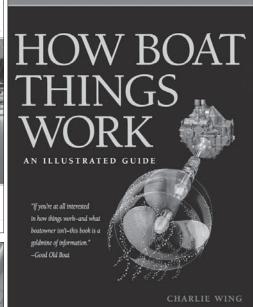
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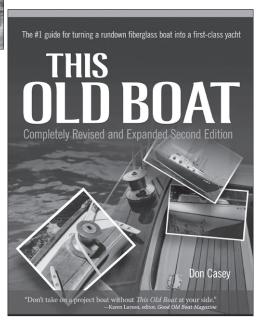
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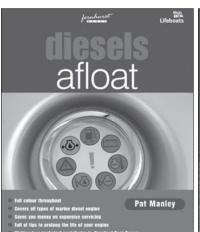
by Don Casey
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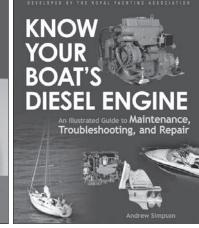




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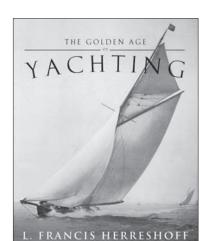
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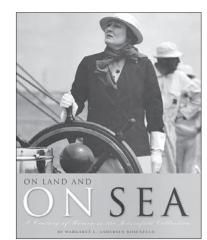
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Powerboater's Guide to Electrical Systems

by Ed Sherman

2nd ed. Sherman walks you through the basics—wiring diagrams, ignition systems, battery systems, shore-power circuits—and helps you diagnose problems, install equipment, survey a boat's wiring, and more. Clear, simple, and with step-by-step illustrations. 224PP. HARDCOVER 2007 \$30.95





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bu Carlo Borlenahi

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by Andrew Wagner-Chazalon Painter Doug Dunford has devoted many years to capturing on canvas the wooden runabouts of Ontario's Muskoka region. This volume contains some of his finest work and the magic that can happen when a skilled painter is moved by the work of skilled boatbuilders.

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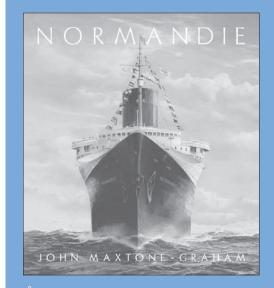
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Tugboats of New York: An Illustrated History

by George Matteson Captures the history and lore of these iconic craft, from their precursors in the early 1800s to their heyday in the 1950s. Versatile and strong, tugs not only guided oceangoing ships into harbour, but conducted rescues and transported oil, cement, and scrap iron through traffic-clogged waters.

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Luscious Liners



Picture & Coffee Table Books

Normandie

by John Maxtone-Graham A magnificent and comprehensive tribute to France's legendary art deco ocean liner. Maxtone-Graham documents every aspect of the liner's decorative antecedents, design, construction, and service. More than 200 photographs and illustrations 260PP. HARDCOVER 2007 **\$125.00**

The OE2: A Picture History by William H. Miller, Jr.

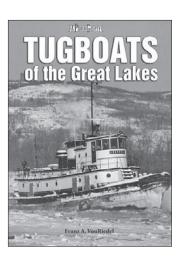
A celebration of the QE2 in blackand-white photographs and text, from her maiden voyage in 1969 throughout her career as one of the world's most magnificent ocean liners.





The Great Lakes

Kids' Books



♣ new Tugboats of the Great Lakes

by Franz A. VonRiedel

An in-depth look at how Great Lakes tugs have towed ships and worked as ice-breakers and aid providers. Hundreds of colour photos of these workhorses of the Lakes, plus descriptions of individual tugs.

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Bamford's particular emphasis in this maritime history of settlement and water-borne commerce is the War of 1812 and the race for naval domination of the Great Lakes. The bigger story covers the place of ships in the fur trade, the early days of industrial fishing, the role of the timber droghers, stone

hookers, and ore carriers of the first part of the 20th century, and much more. 256PP. SOFTCOVER 2007 \$34.95

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This large-format tribute to the ships working the Great Lakes celebrates everything from the 100-year old St. Marys Challenger and historic cement boats to "straight-deckers," self-unloaders, and 1,000-footers sailing under the flags of prominent Great Lakes fleets. A history of each vessel rounds out the coverage.

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Hindman Transportation by Skip Gillham

Captain George Hindman founded the Diamond Steamship Company in 1939; 20 years later it became Hindman Transportation, Ltd., which operated dozens of vessels around the Great Lakes. This is a comprehensive account of the ships and of the firm's turbulent history.

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Postwar Ships of Canada Steamship Lines

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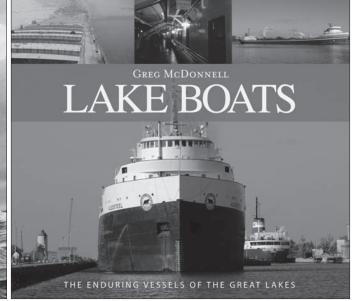
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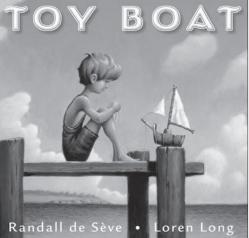
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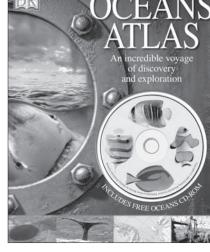
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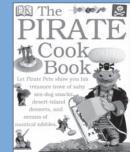
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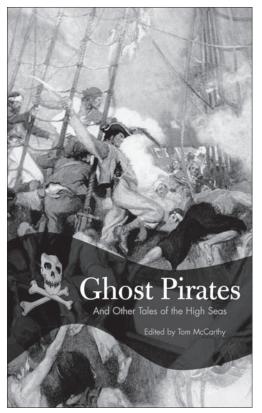
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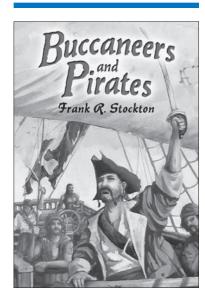
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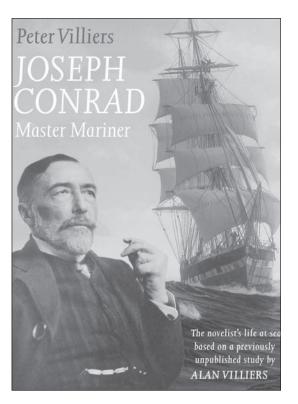
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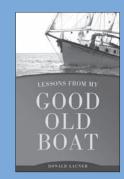
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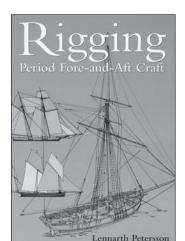
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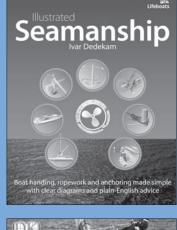
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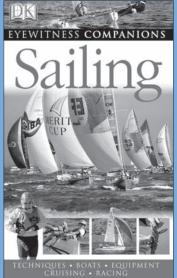
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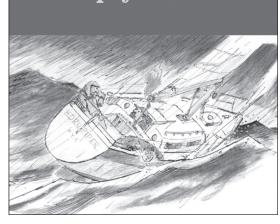
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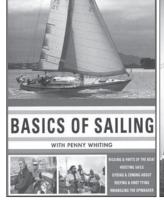
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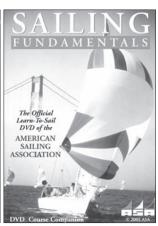
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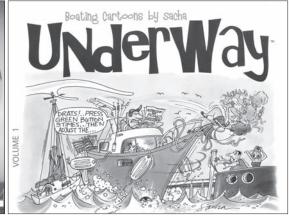
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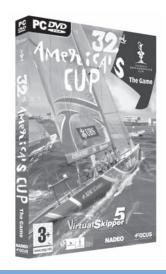
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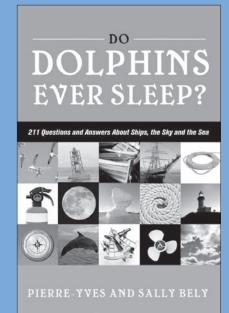
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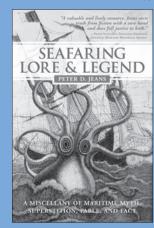
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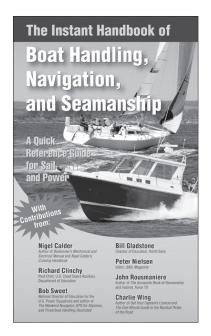
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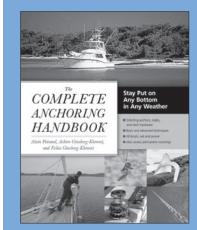
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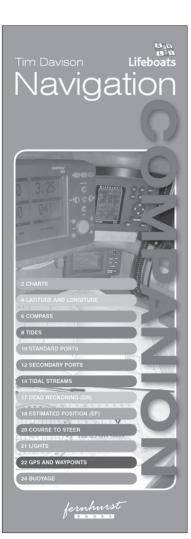
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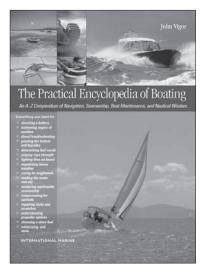




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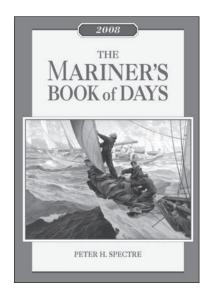
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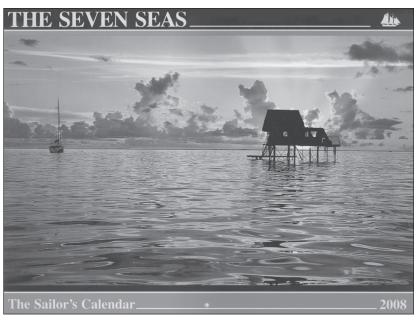
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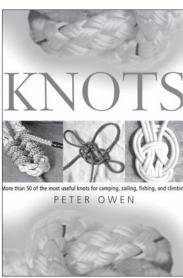
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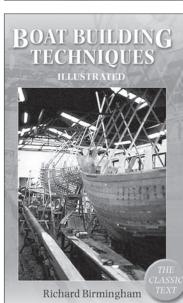
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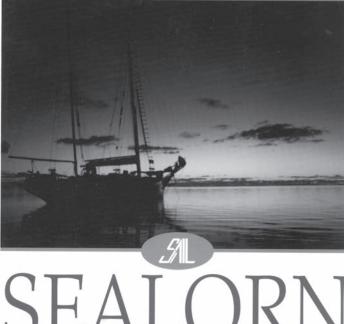
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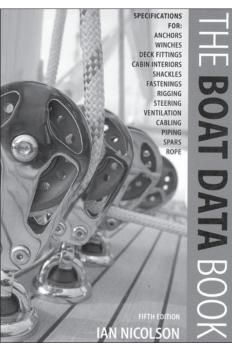
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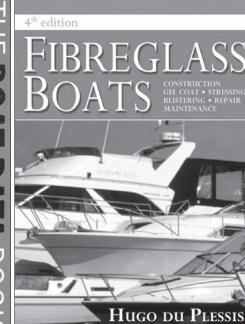
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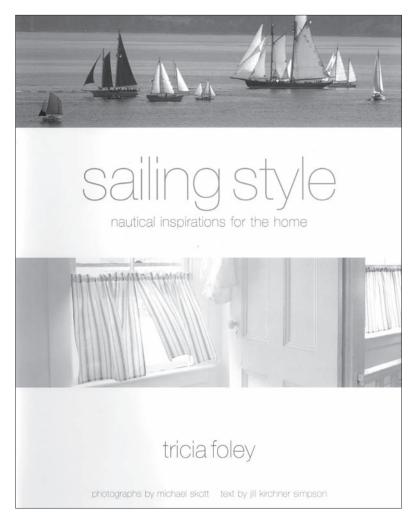
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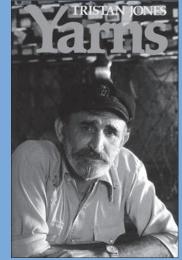
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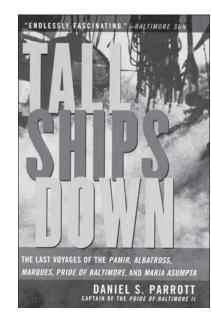
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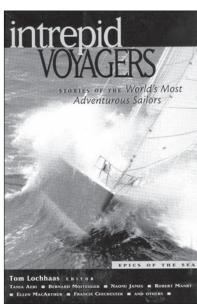
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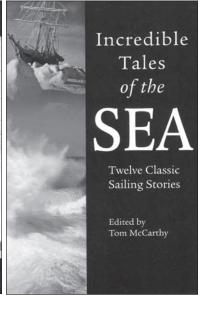
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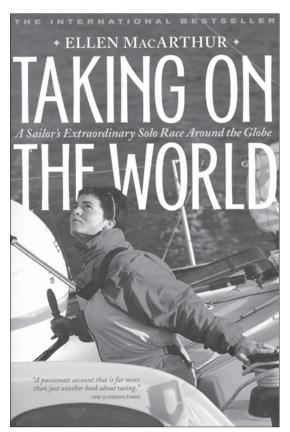
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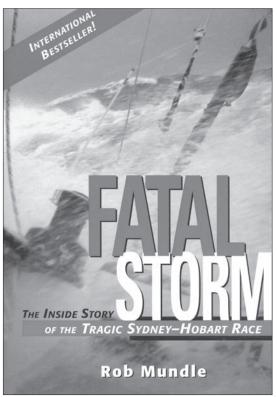






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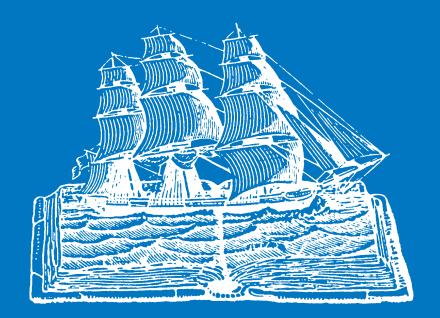
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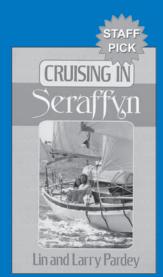
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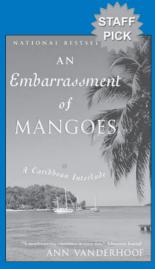
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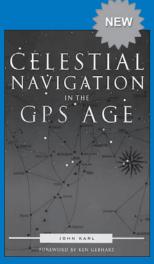
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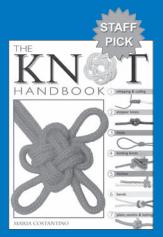
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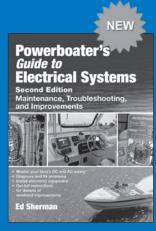
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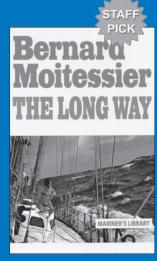
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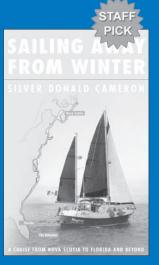
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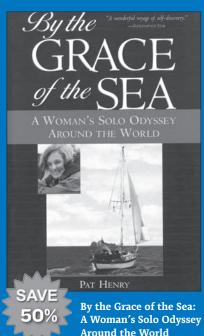
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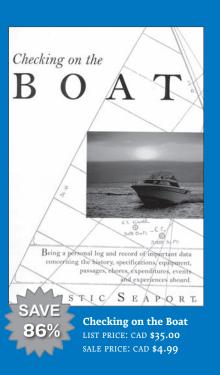
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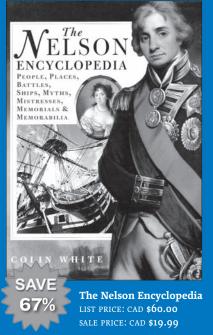
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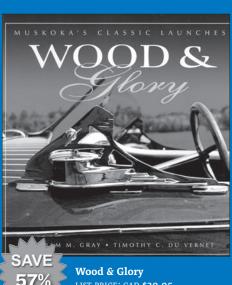
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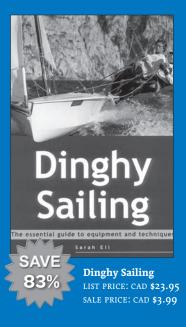


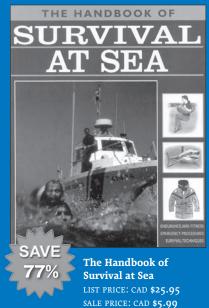














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