

# Who Done It?

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## LEGAL EAGLES

### What's Next

June 26  
Legal Eagles

July 24  
Raymond Chandler

August 28  
Small Town Cops

September 25  
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found by googling the au-  
thor's name on the internet.

Newer lawyers in the library system:

Cavanagh, Steve - THE DEFENSE - Eddie Flynn used to be a con artist. Then he became a lawyer. Turns out the two aren't that different. Former con artist turned lawyer Eddie Flynn gave up the law a year ago after a disastrous case, and he vowed never to step foot in a courtroom again.

Connors, Rose—ABSOLUTE CERTAINTY—Martha Marty Nickerson, an assistant district attorney on Cape Cod, speaks for victims of crime and their families and sees the system as a means for doing right.

Corry, Jane - MY HUSBAND'S WIFE. Resolving to leave her secrets behind when she gets married, a young lawyer is strangely drawn to a convicted killer during her first murder case in ways that shape her psychologically charged relationship with a young neighbor years later

Franze, Anthony. THE ADVOCATE'S DAUGHTER - Anthony Franze delivers a high-stakes story of family, power, loss and revenge set within the insular world of the highest court of our country. Among Washington D.C. power players, everyone has secrets they desperately want to keep hidden

Also: From its explosive first page to its haunting conclusion, THE LAST JUSTICE explores the politics of law, the bounds of friendship and love, and the frightening price of unbridled ambition.

and his newest THE OUTSIDER Things aren't going well for Grayson Hernandez. He just graduated from a fourth-tier law school, he's drowning in student debt, and the only job he can find is as a messenger. The position stings the most because it's at the Supreme Court, where Gray is forced to watch the best and the brightest--the elite group of lawyers who serve as the justices' law clerks--from the outside.

Giolito, Malin Persson - QUICKSAND - An incisive courtroom thriller and a drama that raises questions about the nature of love, the disastrous side effects of guilt, and the function of justice. A mass shooting has taken place at a prep school in Stockholm's wealthiest suburb.

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## Member's Lists

### Nancy

Harrison, Mette IVie – FOR TIME AND ALL ETERNNI-  
TIES #3 in Mormon Bishops's wife series – 3.75  
Hillerman, Anne – SONG OF THE LION #3 in Manuelito -  
Leaphorn and Chee series – 4.5  
Gordon, Alexia – MURDER IN G MAJOR #1 3.75  
Pryor, Mark – BLOOD PROMISE #3 in the Hugh Marston  
series – 4.25

### Pam

Abbey, Sparkle – DESPERATE HOUSEDOGS – 3.0  
Rowland, Laura Joh – SHINJU – 4.0  
Spann, Susan- CLAW OF THE CAT – 5.0  
Graham, Scott – CANYON SACRIFICE -0.25  
Carbo, Christine – WILD INSIDE – 5.0  
Beason, Pam – ENDANGERED - #2 in Summer Weston  
park service series – 3.5  
Beason, Pam – BEAR BAIT #3 in Summer Weston series  
3.0

### Anne

Hillerman, Anne – SPIDER WOMAN'S DAUGHTER #1  
Leaphorn, Chee and Manuelito series – 4.0  
Hillerman, Anne – ROCK WITH WINGS #2 Manuelito  
series 4.0  
Mizushima, Margaret – KILLING TRAIL - #1 A K-9 mys-  
tery – 3.0  
Graham, Scott – CANYON SACRIFICE -0.25

### Yvonne

Hambly, Barbara – DEAD AND BURIED - 3.5  
Davis, Lindsey A SCANDAL TAKES A HOLIDAY – 3.5  
Mizushima, Margaret – STALKING GROUND – #2 Timber  
Creek K0 mystery – 5.0  
McCafferty, Keith – BUFFALO JUMP BLUES #5 -- Sean  
Stranaham – 5.0  
Hillerman Anne – A SPIDER WOMAN'S DAUGHTER - #1  
– Leaphorn, etc. 4.85

### Gale

Fowler, Chris – WILD CHAMBERS really good  
A MAN CALLED OVE - enjoyed  
Bryson, Bill – ROAD TO LITTLE DRIBBLING – so-so

### Susan

Graham, Scott CANYON SACRIFIC – MOUNTAIN  
RAMPAGE and YELLOWSTONE STANDOFF – 4,0  
Mizushima, Margaret – STALKING GROUND – #2 Tim-  
ber Creek K0 mystery – 4.5  
Hillerman, Anne – SONG OF THE LION #3 in Manuelito -  
Leaphorn and Chee series – 4.5

### Karen

Armstrongm, Kelley – DARKNSS ABSOLULTE #2 - 4.8  
Axilrod, Steven – NANTUCKET GRAND - #3 -3.0  
Beason, Pamela – RACE TO DANGER and RACE TO  
TRUTH - YA series #1 and 2 – 4.0  
Borg, Todd – TAHOE DARK -#14  
Born, James O. - SCENT OF MURDER - -3 K9 teams  
4.0  
Box C. J. - VICIOUS CIRCLE - 4.9  
Clifford, Joe - LAMENTATION - 4.77  
Corby, Gary - DEATH EX MACHINE - 4.0  
DAHL< Julia - CONVICTION - 3.75  
Freeman, Brian – THE NIGHT BIRD - 2.75  
Gardner, Lisa - RIGHT BEHIND YOU - 4.0  
Gordon, Alexi – MURDER IN G MAJOR- #1 – 4.25  
Harrison, Mette Evie - FOR TIME AND ALL ETERNTIES  
- 4.5  
Hillerman, Anne - SONG OF THE LION - 4.85  
Howe, K.J. - THE FREEDOM BROKER - 5.0  
Iden, Matthew - THE WINTER OVER - Antarctica - 4.5  
Kellerman, Faye – BONE BOX - #24 – Upper NY state –  
5.0  
Laukkanen, Owen THE FORGOTTEN GIRLS - 5.0  
Neuhaus, Nele - I AM YOUR JUDGE - 3.5  
Putnam, David - FIRE AT WILL 3.5  
Putnam, David – THE DISPOSABLES - 3.5  
Salvalaggio,m Karin – WALLEYE JUNCTION #3 – in  
Montana – 3.5  
Webb, Betty – DESERT VENGEANCE - 3.75  
Yi, Melissa – STOCKHOLM SYNDROME – Montreal  
hospital – 3.5

# Do you remember?

**Burma-Shave** was an American brand of brushless shaving cream, famous for its advertising gimmick of posting humorous rhyming poems on small sequential highway roadside signs. Burma-Shave was introduced in 1925 by the Burma-Vita company in Minneapolis owned by Clinton Odell. The company's original product was a liniment made of ingredients described as having come "from the Malay Peninsula and Burma. Sales were sparse, and the company sought to expand sales by introducing a product with wider appeal.

Once the Odells went a bit too far by offering:

FREE-FREE / A TRIP / TO MARS / FOR 900 / EMPTY JARS / BURMA SHAVE

Arless French, manager of a store in Wisconsin took up the challenge and wired Burma-Shave and asked where he should send the jars. The Burma-Shave people wired back: IF A TRIP TO MARS YOU'D EARN REMEMBER FRIEND, THERE'S NO RETURN. French was not put off and sent LET'S NOT QUIBBLE, LET'S NOT FRET, GATHER YOUR FORCES, I'M ALL SET. The Odells then responded, OUR ROCKETS ARE READY, WE AIN'T SPLITTING HAIRS - JUST SEND US THE JARS AND ARRANGE YOUR AFFAIRS

Then the Odells started to find a solution. They discarded the idea of sending the winner to the Mars Candy factory and instead found a city in Germany, Moers (pronounced Mars) The company sent French and his wife to Germany to be honored by all 106 inhabitants of Moers and international media.

The word "burmashaving" is used in [Canada](#) to describe politicians holding signs and waving to traffic by the side of the road, a common sight during election campaigns.

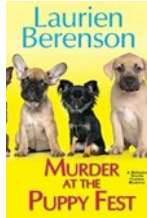
*Information from VERSE BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD by Frank Rowsome, Jr.*

His cheek Was rough His chick vamoosed And now she won't Come home to roost Burma-Shave	These signs We gladly Dedicate To men who've had No date of late Burma-Shave	On curves ahead Remember, sonny That rabbit's foot Didn't save The bunny Burma-Shave
Twinkle, twinkle One-eyed car We all wonder WHERE you are Burma-Shave	Thirty days Hath September April, June And the speed offender Burma-Shave	Barefoot Boy with Cheek of Tan Won't let them chap When he's a man Burma-Shave
Spring has Sprung The grass is riz This is where Last Year's Drivers is Burma-Shave	Henry the Eighth Sure had Troubles Short on Wives Long on Stubble Burma-Shave	The wolf is shaved so neat and trim Red Riding Hood is chasing him Burma-Shave
When Super-shaved Remember, pard You'll still get slapped But not so hard Burma-Shave	Burma-Shave Was such a boom They passed The bride And kissed the groom	She kissed the hairbrush by Mistake She thought it was her husband Jake Burma Shave
The whale Put Jonah Down the hatch But coughed him up Because he scratched Burma-Shave	Violets are blue Roses are pink On graves Of those Who drive and drink Burma-Shave	Candidate says Campaign Confusing Babies kiss me Since I've been using Burma-Shave

## Coming in June 2017

Barrett, Lorna - A JUST CLAUSE June 13 #11 (Booktown) Just when things are getting back to normal in Booktown, Tricia and Angelica have their lives turned upside down by a shocking visitor from their past in this latest entry in Lorna Barrett's New York Times bestselling series.

Berenson, Laurien - MURDER AT THE PUPPY FEST (Melanie Travis)



Boyer, Susan M. - LOWCOUNTRY BONFIRE (Liz Talbot) June 27

Private Investigators Liz Talbot and Nate Andrews have worked their share of domestic cases. So when Tammy Sue Lyerly hires them to find out what her husband is hiding, they expect to find something looney but harmless. After all, this is the guy who claims to have been a DEA agent, a champion bull rider, and a NASCAR driver. But when he turns up dead the morning after Liz and Nate deliver the incriminating photos, Tammy is the prime suspect.

Carbo, Christine - THE WEIGHT OF NIGHT June 6 - On most days, the wilderness gave me peace. But not tonight. In a land sculpted by glaciers, the forest is on fire. Thick smoke chokes the mountain air and casts an apocalyptic glow over the imposing peaks and vistas of Montana's Glacier National Park. When firefighters are called in to dig firebreaks near the small town bordering the park, a crew member is shocked to unearth a shallow grave containing human remains. Park Police Officer Monty Harris is summoned to the site to conduct an excavation. But with an incendiary monster threatening to consume the town, Monty seeks help from Gretchen Larson, the county's lead crime scene investigator.

Carlisle, Kate - ONCE UPON A SPINE June 6 (Bibliophile) San Francisco bookbinder Brooklyn Wainwright stumbles through the looking glass in a tale of murder, rare books, and a quest for the perfect pie

Child, Lincoln - FULL WOLF MOON Jeremy Logan returns to find a killer who, paradoxically, can't exist

Corrigan, Maya - THE TELL-TALE TARTE June 27 (Five Ingredient)



Doiron, Paul - KNIFE CREEK June 13 When Maine game warden Mike Bowditch is tasked with shooting invasive feral hogs that are tearing up the forest in his district, he makes a horrific discovery — a

dead baby buried in a shallow grave.

Ephron, Hallie - YOU'LL NEVER KNOW, DEAR - June 6 - An addictive novel of psychological suspense from the award-winning author of *Night Night*, *Sleep Tight*, about three generations of women haunted by a little girl's disappearance, and the porcelain doll that may hold the key to the truth

Evanovich, Janet - DANGEROUS MINDS June 20 - The irrepressibly charming duo of Emerson Knight and Riley Moon returns in another gripping mystery

Gentill, Sulari - MILES OFF COURSE #3 - June 6 - It is early in 1933, and wealthy bohemian Rowland Sinclair and his companions, a poet, a painter, and a sculptress who also models nude, are ensconced in the superlative luxury of The Hydro Majestic-Medlow Bath, where trouble seems distant, despite Australia's being roiled by the same political currents as are upending Europe.

Harris, Charlaine, and Christopher Golden - INDIGO - June 20 - Investigative reporter Nora Hesper spends her nights cloaked in shadows. As Indigo, she's become an urban myth, a brutal vigilante who can forge darkness into weapons and travel across the city by slipping from one patch of shadow to another. Her primary focus both as Nora and as Indigo has become a murderous criminal cult called the Children of Phonos

Housewright, David—WHAT THE DEAD LEAVE BEHIND—June 8—Once a police detective in St. Paul, Minnesota, Rushmore McKenzie has become not only an unlikely millionaire, but an occasional unlicensed private investigator, doing favors for friends and people in need.

King, Laurie R. - LOCKDOWN - June 13 - A principal with a secret. A husband with a murky past. A cop with too many questions. A kid under pressure to prove himself. A girl struggling to escape a mother's history. A young basketball player with an affection for guns.

Koontz, Dean - THE SILENT CORNER - June 20 - A dazzling new series, a pure adrenaline rush, debuts with Jane Hawk, a remarkable heroine certain to become an icon of suspense

Levine, Laura - DEATH OF A BACHELORETTE - June 27 - (Jaine Austen)



Maron, Margaret - TAKE OUT - #9 - June 27 - Sigrid Haralld is still reeling from the untimely death of her lover,

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acclaimed painter Oscar Nauman, when she is called to investigate the deaths of two homeless men in the West Village.

Marston, Edward - THE CIRCUS TRAIN CONSPIRACY June 22 - (Railway Detective) Following a string of successful performances, the Moscardi Circus is travelling by train to Newcastle for their next show. Yet a collision on the track with a couple of sleepers causes pandemonium

Patterson, James – MURDER GAMES – June 26

Penrose, Andrea - MURDER ON BLACK SWAN LANE June 27 - (A Wrexford & Sloane Mystery)

Quinn, Spencer - THE RIGHT SIDE - June 27 - A deeply damaged female soldier home from the war in Afghanistan becomes obsessed with finding a missing girl, gains an unlikely ally in a stray dog, and encounters new perils beyond the combat zone

Robards, Karen - THE ULTIMATUM June 15 - 1<sup>st</sup> in a new series

Sefton, Maggie - ONLY SKEIN DEEP June 6 - (Knitting)

Thor, Brad - USE OF FORCE - June 27 - (Scot Harvath - As a storm rages across the Mediterranean Sea, a terrifying distress call is made to the Italian Coast Guard. Days later, a body washes ashore.)

Tobisman, C. E. - PROOF - June 20 (Caroline Auden - #2 - In this gripping sequel to C.E. Tobisman's legal thriller *Doubt*, techie turned attorney Caroline Auden struggles to move on with her life after her last case nearly destroyed her career.

Walker, Martin - THE TEMPLARS' LAST SECRET - June 13 - Bruno, the beloved chief of police of the idyllic French town of St. Denis in the Dordogne, is back! This time a mysterious death brings ancient secrets to light, and it's up to our hero--and favorite gourmand--to connect the tangled threads of past and present

Wheaton, Mark - WAGES OF SIN - June 15 - (Luis Chavez - Father Luis Chavez is haunted by the cold-blooded slaying of his brother, Nicolas. But as the years pass and the case remains unsolved, there looks to be no end to his torment.,

Winslow, Don—THE FORCE—June 20 - He is “the King of Manhattan North,” a, highly decorated NYPD detective sergeant and the real leader of “Da Force.” Denny Malone and his crew are the smartest, the toughest, the quickest, the bravest, and the baddest, an elite special

unit given unrestricted authority to wage war on gangs, drugs and guns.

Woods, Stuart - INDECENT EXPOSURE - June 6 (Stone Barrington)

## This & That

### 2017 Edgar Awards

**Best Mystery Novel** BEFORE THE FALL by Noah Hawley

**Best First Novel by an American Author** UNDER THE HARROW by Flynn Berry

**Best Paperback Original** RAIN DOGS by Adrian McKinty

**Mary Higgins Clark Award** THE SHATTERED TREE by Charles Todd

### Book Carnival

Some signings I don't want to miss

Warren Easley—July 15 for BLOOD FOR WINE

C.J. Box—July 29 for PARADISE VALLEY

Rhys Bowen—Aug 9 for HER MAJESTY'S FULLY SECRET SERVICE

Craig Johnson—Sept 5 for THE WESTERN STAR

William Kent Krueger - Sept 16 for SULFER SPRINGS

### Book Sale

**The Friends of the ILibrary will be holding their annual Summer Reading Book Sals on Saturday, June 3rd from 10 to 4 in the Community Room.**

**Lots of mystery books will be available. Also plans are being made to offer some jigsaw puzzles and cookbooks.**



## More on Lawyers

Levine, Paul—BUM RAP—Levine successfully combines series heroes Jake Lassiter (State vs. Lassiter) and Steve Solomon and Victoria Lord (Solomon vs. Lord) in a single convoluted case that showcases the three Miami, Fla., attorneys' very different styles and strengths. Often a loose cannon in the courtroom, Steve is found alone with a body.

Myers JR., William L., Jr. - A CRIMINAL DEFENSE - Defense attorney and former DA Mick McFarland, the narrator of lawyer Myers's impressive debut, takes on the case of a close law school friend, David Hanson, the general counsel of a family-owned Fortune 500 company.

Rudolph, Michael - NOBLE CHASE. - When her professional reputation is put on the line in the wake of a client's disappearance with seventy million dollars, lawyer Beth Swahn taps the assistance of friends and her powerful stepfather to embark on a private investigation that tests her survival skills

Smith, Lachlan Smith. - PANTHER'S PREY = Taking a job as a public defender in San Francisco, Leo Maxwell successfully defends a homeless man, only to be wrongly implicated in the brutal murder of his co-counsel, a crime that their former client confesses to committing.

Turow, Scott - TESTIMONY - A U. S. attorney working for the international Criminal Court in The Hague investigates a 2004 war crime where 400 members of a Roma community were killed in Bosnia

### Books NOT available in the YLPL

Easley, Warren D. BLOOD FOR MONEY - Portland lawyer Cal Claxton agrees to represent a friend and neighbor, a vintner accused of murdering his estranged wife, but further investigation uncovers murder and a blackmail scheme tied to the area's booming wine business.

McIntosh, D.K. - RUSH TO JUSTICE : A Brady Flynn Legal Thriller Series - (kindle books - 4 in the series-first two need to be read together)

Pratt, Scott - AN INNOCENT CLIENT - Criminal defense lawyer Joe Dillard has become jaded over the years as he's tried to balance his career against his conscience. Savvy but cynical, Dillard wants to quit doing criminal defense, but he can't resist the chance

to represent someone who might actually be innocent. His drug-addicted sister has just been released from prison and his mother is succumbing to Alzheimer's, but Dillard's commitment to the case never wavers despite the personal troubles and professional demands that threaten to destroy him. First in a series of 8

Robertson, L.F, TWO LOST BOYS - In a debut mystery featuring a death-row attorney who agrees to defend a man convicted of the murder and rape of two women, but the more she investigates, the more she discovers that there may be more victims.

Authors who have many "legal eagle" books, but have been suggested before.

Robert Dugoni (first series)

John Grisham

Phillip Margolin

Lisa Scottoline

Sheldon Siegel

Kate Wilhelm—Barbara Holloway series

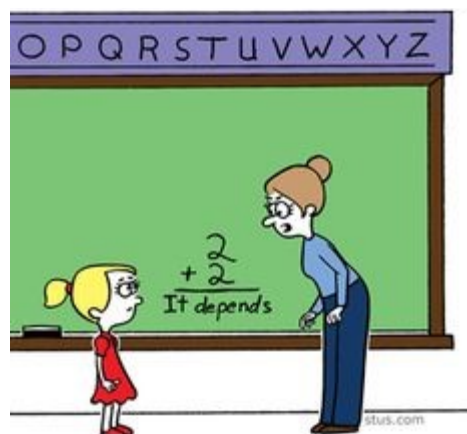
### A BIT OF LEGAL HUMOR

An investment banker decides she needs in-house counsel, so she interviews a young lawyer. "Mr. Peterson," she says. "Would you say you're honest?"

"Honest?" replies Peterson. "Let me tell you something about honesty. My father lent me \$85,000 for my education, and I paid back every penny the minute I tried my first case."

"Impressive. And what sort of case was that?"

"Dad sued me for the money."



Suzie, this is math, not the law.