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before the film César Chávez's life was depicted in photographs by his confidant Jon Lewis in the winter of 1966 twenty eight year old ex marine Jon Lewis visited Delano California the center of the California grape strike he thought he might stay awhile then resume studying photography at San Francisco State University he stayed for two years becoming the United Farm Workers Union's semiofficial photographer and a close confidant of farmworker leader César Chávez surviving on a picket's wage of five dollars a week Lewis photographed twenty four hours a day and created an insider's view of the historic and sometimes violent confrontations mass marches fasts picket lines and boycotts that forced the table grape industry to sign the first contracts with a farm workers union though some of his images were published contemporaneously most remained unseen historian and photographer Richard Steven Street rescues Lewis from obscurity allowing us for the first time to see a pivotal moment in civil rights history through the lens of a passionate photographer a masterpiece of social documentary this work is at once the biography of a photographer an exposé of poverty and injustice and a celebration of the human spirit

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inside the reinvention of Florida politics Florida Book Awards bronze medal for Florida nonfiction Reubin Askew was swept into the governor's office in 1970 as part of a remarkable wave of progressive politics and legislative reform in Florida a man of uncompromising principle and independence he was elected primarily on a platform of tax reform in the years that followed Askew led a group of politicians from both parties who sought and achieved judicial reform redistricting busing and desegregation the end of the cross Florida Barge Canal the Sunshine Amendment and much more this period was truly a golden age of Florida politics and Martin Dyckman's narrative is well written fast paced and reads like a novel Dyckman also reveals how the return of special interests the rise of partisan politics unlimited campaign spending term limits gerrymandering and more have eroded the achievements of the golden age in subsequent decades

Reubin O'D. Askew and the Golden Age of Florida Politics

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the radio handbook is a comprehensive guide to radio broadcasting in Britain featuring two entirely new chapters for this edition you radio and sport on radio this text offers a thorough introduction to radio in the twenty first century using new examples case studies and illustrations it examines the various components that make radio from music selection to news presentation and from phone ins to sport programmes discussing a variety of new media such as podcasts digital radio and web linked radio stations Carole Fleming explores the place of radio today the extraordinary growth of commercial radio and the importance of community radio the radio handbook shows how communication theory informs everyday broadcasts and encourages a critical approach to radio listening and to radio practice addressing issues of regulation accountability and representation it offers advice on working in radio and outlines the skills needed for a career in the industry

The Radio Handbook

2009-09-10

in step by step fashion readers will learn how to track branch merge and manage code revisions with git the second edition has been thoroughly revised with extended coverage of the rebase and stash tips for tree munging and tips for using the github repository

Version Control with Git

2012-08-15

the life of the author an expansive biography of John Milton including an assessment of his poetry and prose and an account of the ways in which he has been presented over the past three and a half centuries written by a leading scholar in the field it is hard to overstate the role that John Milton played in the historical political and literary controversies of seventeenth

century england his writings and very life challenged the status quo living through one of the most tumultuous periods in british history milton was involved at every turn struggling to reconcile his private beliefs with his involvement with a radical political experiment a republic which involved the killing of the monarch his star rose and fell several times during his life married three times struck blind at a cruelly early age he was a famed pamphleteer and political activist whose revolutionary political credos placed him in mortal danger after the restoration milton s varied life makes for fascinating reading but it also produced some of the most important poetry in the english language paradise lost the only poem in english recognized as an epic challenged conventional thinking on widespread topics from religion and gender equality to the fundamental question of why we behave as we do this fascinating new biography is divided into two parts the first separates the man from the myth and elucidates the complicated details of milton s life from his early years as a literary artist uncertain of his destiny through his work as a propagandist for the cromwellian republic to his rewriting of the old testament story of the fall as a poetic allegory of more recent history the second looks at how biographers and critics from the seventeenth century to the present day have distorted and manipulated the personality of milton to suit their biases balancing accessibility with academic rigor this volume examines the significant aspects of milton s life and work including his poetry and prose his government writings his travels and his final years explores milton s protestant and republican influences in paradise lost paradise regained and his other literary works highlights the differences and similarities between milton s poetry and political prose follows the history of biographical and critical presentations of milton from the seventeenth century onwards including his adoption as a hero of romanticism and his survival in the twentieth century as allegedly a sceptical humanist addresses modern critiques of milton in marxism feminism and other branches of theory the life of the author john milton poet and revolutionary is essential reading for undergraduate and graduate students university lecturers and academic researchers in relevant fields particularly seventeenth century poetry and history as well as literary biography and the history of criticism

The Life of the Author: John Milton

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the first full scale biography of the supreme court s most provocative and influential justice if the u s supreme court teaches us anything it is that almost everything is open to interpretation almost but what s inarguable is that while the court has witnessed a succession of larger than life jurists in its two hundred year plus history it has never seen the likes of supreme court justice antonin scalia combative yet captivating infuriating yet charming the outspoken jurist remains a source of curiosity to observers across the political spectrum and on both sides of the ideological divide and after nearly a quarter century on the bench scalia may be at the apex of his power agree with him or not scalia is the justice who has had the most important impact over the years on how we think and talk about the law as the harvard law dean elena kagan now u s solicitor general once put it scalia electrifies audiences to hear him speak is to remember him to read his writing is to find his phrases permanently affixed in one s mind but for all his public grandstanding scalia has managed to elude biographers until now in american original the life and constitution of supreme court justice antonin scalia the veteran washington journalist joan biskupic presents for the first time a detailed portrait of this complicated figure and provides a comprehensive narrative that will engage scalia s adherents and critics alike drawing on her long tenure covering the court and on unprecedented access to the justice biskupic delves into the circumstances of his rise and the formation of his rigorous approach to the bench beginning with the influence of scalia s childhood in a first generation italian american home american original takes us through his formative years his role in the nixon ford administrations and his trajectory through the reagan revolution biskupic s careful reporting culminates with the tumult of the contemporary supreme court where it was and where it s going with scalia helping to lead the charge even as democrats control the current executive and legislative branches the judicial branch remains rooted in conservatism president obama will likely appoint several new justices to the court but it could be years before those appointees change the tenor of the law with his keen mind authoritarian bent and contentious rhetorical style scalia is a distinct and persuasive presence and his tenure is far from over this new book shows us the man in power his world his journey and the far reaching consequences of the transformed legal landscape

American Original

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more than momōs apple pie peanut butter is the all american food with its rich roasted peanut aroma and flavor caramel hue and goeey consoling texture peanut butter is an enduring favorite found in the pantries of at least 75 percent of american kitchens americans eat more than a billion pounds a year according to the southern peanut growers a trade group thatōs enough to

coat the floor of the grand canyon although the association doesn't say to what height americans spoon it out of the jar eat it in sandwiches by itself or with its bread fellow jelly and devour it with foods ranging from celery and raisins oants on a logó to a grilled sandwich with bacon and bananas the classic ÓelvisÓ peanut butter is used to flavor candy ice cream cookies cereal and other foods it is a deeply ingrained staple of american childhood along with cheeseburgers fried chicken chocolate chip cookies and apple pie peanut butter is a consummate comfort food in creamy and crunchy are the stories of jif skippy peter pan the plight of black peanut farmers the resurgence of natural or old fashioned peanut butter the reasons why americans like peanut butter better than almost anyone else the five ways that today's product is different from the original the role of peanut butter in fighting third world hunger and the salmonella outbreaks of 2007 and 2009 which threatened peanut butter's sacred place in the american cupboard to a surprising extent the story of peanut butter is the story of twentieth century america and jon krampner writes its first popular history rich with anecdotes and facts culled from interviews research travels in the peanut growing regions of the south personal stories and recipes

Creamy and Crunchy

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daniel jonah goldhagen s books are events they stir passionate public debate among political and civic leaders scholars and the general public because they compel people to rethink the most powerful conventional wisdoms and stubborn moral problems of the day worse than war gets to the heart of the phenomenon genocide that has caused more deaths in the modern world than military conflict in doing so it challenges fundamental things we thought we knew about human beings society and politics drawing on extensive field work and research from around the world goldhagen explores the anatomy of genocide explaining why genocides begin are sustained and end why societies support them why they happen so frequently and how the international community should and can successfully stop them as a great book should worse than war seeks to change the way we think and to offer new possibilities for a better world it tells us how we might at last begin to eradicate this greatest scourge of humankind

Worse Than War

2009-10-06

watch a video watch a video download the cheat sheet for roger lowenstein s the end of wall street the roots of the mortgage bubble and the story of the wall street collapse and the government s unprecedented response from our most trusted business journalist the end of wall street is a blow by blow account of america s biggest financial collapse since the great depression drawing on 180 interviews including sit downs with top government officials and wall street ceos lowenstein tells with grace wit and razor sharp understanding the full story of the end of wall street as we knew it displaying the qualities that made when genius failed a timeless classic of wall street his sixth sense for narrative drama and his unmatched ability to tell complicated financial stories in ways that resonate with the ordinary reader roger lowenstein weaves a financial economic and sociological thriller that indicts america for succumbing to the siren song of easy debt and speculative mortgages the end of wall street is rife with historical lessons and bursting with fast paced action lowenstein introduces his story with precisely etched laserlike profiles of angelo mozilo the johnny appleseed of subprime mortgages who spreads toxic loans across the landscape like wild crabapples and moves to a damning explication of how rating agencies helped gift wrap faulty loans in the guise of triple a paper and a takedown of the academic formulas that once again proved the ruin of investors and banks lowenstein excels with a series of searing profiles of banking ceos such as the ferretlike dick fuld of lehman and the bloodless jamie dimon of jp morgan and of government officials from the restless deal obsessed hank paulson and the overmatched tim geithner to the cerebral academic ben bernanke who sought to avoid a repeat of the one crisis he spent a lifetime trying to understand the great depression finally we come to understand the majesty of lowenstein s theme of liquidity and capital which explains the origins of the crisis and that positions the collapse of 2008 as the greatest ever of wall street s unlearned lessons the end of wall street will be essential reading as we work to identify the lessons of the market failure and start to reb

The End of Wall Street

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in twentieth century kenya age and gender were powerful cultural and political forces that animated household and generational relationships they also shaped east africans contact with and

influence on emergent colonial and global ideas about age and masculinity kenyan men and boys came of age achieving their manhood through changing rites of passage and access to new outlets such as town life crime anticolonial violence and nationalism and as they did the colonial government appropriated masculinity and maturity as means of statecraft and control in an uncertain age paul ocock positions age and gender at the heart of everyday life and state building in kenya he excavates in unprecedented ways how the evolving concept of youth motivated and energized colonial power and the movements against it exploring the masculinities boys and young men debated and performed as they crisscrossed the colony in search of wages or took the mau mau oath yet he also considers how british officials own ideas about masculinity shaped not only young african men s ideas about manhood but the very nature of colonial rule an uncertain age joins a growing number of histories that have begun to break down monolithic male identities to push the historiographies of kenya and empire into new territory

An Uncertain Age

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winner of the lord aberdare literary prize for 2018 even before tito s communist party established control over the war ravaged territories which became socialist yugoslavia his partisan forces were using football as a revolutionary tool in 1944 a team representing the incipient state was dispatched to play matches around the liberated mediterranean this consummated a deep relationship between football and communism that endured until this complex multi ethnic polity tore itself apart in the 1990s starting with an exploration of the game in the short lived interwar kingdom this book traces that liaison for the first time based on extensive archival research and interviews it ventures across the former yugoslavia to illustrate the myriad ways football was harnessed by an array of political forces communists purposefully re engineered yugoslavia s most popular sport in the tumult of the 1940s using it to integrate diverse territories and populations subsequently the game advanced tito s distinct brand of communism with its cold war era policy of non alignment and experimentation with self management yet even under tight control football was racked by corruption match fixing and violence alternative political and national visions were expressed in the stadiums of both yugoslavia s and clubs players and supporters ultimately became perpetrators and victims in the countries violent demise in richard mills hands the former yugoslavia s stadiums become vehicles to explore the relationship between sport and the state society nationalism state building inter ethnic tensions and war the book is the first in depth study of the yugoslav game and offers a revealing new way to approach the complex history of yugoslavia

The Politics of Football in Yugoslavia

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it s all here islam the family tree a sea of oil and money to match palace intrigue this is high drama and an epic tale tom brokaw though saudi arabia sits on one of the richest oil deposits in the world it also produced fifteen of the nineteen 9 11 hijackers in this immensely important book journalist robert lacey draws on years of access to every circle of saudi society giving readers the fullest portrait yet of a land straddling the worlds of medievalism and modernity moving from the bloody seizure of mecca s grand mosque in 1979 through the persian gulf war to the delicate u s saudi relations in a post 9 11 world inside the kingdom brings recent history to vivid life and offers a powerful story of a country learning how not to be at war with itself

Inside the Kingdom

2009-10-15

howard sounes the bestselling author of down the highway the life of bob dylan and charles bukowski locked in the arms of a crazy life turns his considerable reporting and storytelling skills to one of the most famous talented and wealthiest men alive paul mccartney fab is the first exhaustive biography of the legendary musician it tells sir paul s whole life story from childhood to present day from working class liverpool beginnings to the cultural phenomenon that was the beatles to his many solo incarnations fab is the definitive portrait of mccartney a man of contradictions and a consummate musician far more ruthless ambitious and moody than his relaxed public image implies based on original research and more than two hundred new interviews fab also reveals for the first time the full story of his two marriages romances family feuds phenomenal wealth and complex relationships with his fellow ex beatles

Fab

2010-10-26

this book constitutes the refereed proceedings of the 8th international conference on flexible query answering systems fqas 2009 held in roskilde denmark in october 2009 the 57 papers included in this volume were carefully reviewed and selected from 90 submissions they are structured in topical sections on database management information retrieval extraction and mining ontologies and semantic web intelligent information extraction from texts advances in fuzzy querying personalization preferences context and recommendation and as a stream

Flexible Query Answering Systems

2009-10-15

now in a fully revised and updated third edition this essential textbook introduces the fundamentals of sport finance and sound financial management in the sport industry it is still the only textbook to explain every aspect of finance from the perspective of the sport management practitioner explaining key concepts and showing how to apply them in practice in the context of sport the text begins by covering finance basics and the tools and techniques of financial quantification using industry examples to apply the principles of financial management to sport it then goes further to show how financial management works specifically in the sport industry discussions include interpreting financial statements debt and equity financing capital budgeting facility financing economic impact risk and return time value of money and more the final part of the book examines financial management in four sectors of the industry public sector sport collegiate athletics professional sport and international sport it provides an in depth analysis of the mechanics of financial management within each of these sport sectors useful features such as sidebars concept checks practice problems case analysis and case questions will help students engage more deeply with financial techniques and encourage problem solving skills this new edition includes a completely new chapter on international sport reflecting the globalized nature of the modern sport industry as well expanded coverage of current issues such as digital media finance recent legal cases affecting collegiate sport and the central importance of collective bargaining financial management in the sport industry is an essential textbook for any undergraduate or postgraduate course in sport finance and an invaluable supplement to any course in sport business or sport management it is also an important reference for all sport management practitioners looking to improve their understanding of finance the book is accompanied by updated and expanded ancillary materials including an instructor s manual powerpoint slides and an image bank

Financial Management in the Sport Industry

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transnational torture by jinee lokaneeta reviewed with prachi patankar on the blog kafila evidence of torture at abu ghraib prison in iraq and harsh interrogation techniques at guantánamo bay beg the question has the war on terror forced liberal democracies to rethink their policies and laws against torture transnational torture focuses on the legal and political discourses on torture in india and the united states two common law based constitutional democracies to theorize the relationship between law violence and state power in liberal democracies analyzing about one hundred landmark supreme court cases on torture in india and the united states memos and popular imagery of torture jinee lokaneeta compellingly demonstrates that even before recent debates on the use of torture in the war on terror the laws of interrogation were much more ambivalent about the infliction of excess pain and suffering than most political and legal theorists have acknowledged rather than viewing the recent policies on interrogation as anomalous or exceptional lokaneeta effectively argues that efforts to accommodate excess violence a constantly negotiated process are long standing features of routine interrogations in both the united states and india concluding that the infliction of excess violence is more central to democratic governance than is acknowledged in western jurisprudence

Transnational Torture

2011

what the world can learn from israel s meteoric economic success start up nation addresses the trillion dollar question how is it that israel a country of 7 1 million only 60 years old surrounded by enemies in a constant state of war since its founding with no natural resources

produces more start up companies than large peaceful and stable nations like japan china india korea canada and the uk with the savvy of foreign policy insiders senior and singer examine the lessons of the country s adversity driven culture which flattens hierarchy and elevates informality all backed up by government policies focused on innovation in a world where economies as diverse as ireland singapore and dubai have tried to re create the israel effect there are entrepreneurial lessons well worth noting as america reboots its own economy and can do spirit there s never been a better time to look at this remarkable and resilient nation for some impressive surprising clues

Start-up Nation

2011-09-07

the belief that thomas jefferson had an affair and fathered a child or children with slave sally hemings and that such an allegation was proven by dna testing has become so pervasive in american popular culture that it is not only widely accepted but taught to students as historical fact but as william g hyland jr demonstrates this fact is nothing more than the accumulation of salacious rumors and irresponsible scholarship over the years much of it inspired by political grudges academic opportunism and the trend of historical revisionism that seeks to drag the reputation of the founding fathers through the mud in this startling and revelatory argument hyland shows not only that the evidence against jefferson is lacking but that in fact he is entirely innocent of the charge of having sexual relations with hemings historians have the wrong jefferson hyland an experienced trial lawyer presents the most reliable historical evidence while dissecting the unreliable and in doing so he cuts through centuries of unsubstantiated charges the author reminds us that the dna tests identified eston hemings sally s youngest child as being merely the descendant of a jefferson male randolph jefferson the president s wayward younger brother with a reputation for socializing among the monticello slaves emerges as the most likely of several possible candidates meanwhile the author traces the evolution of this rumor about thomas jefferson back to the allegation made by one james callendar a drunken ruffian who carried a grudge after unsuccessfully lobbying the president for a postmaster appointment and who then openly bragged of ruining jefferson s reputation hyland also delves into hemings family oral histories that go against the popular rumor as well as the ways in which the jefferson rumors were advanced by less than historical dramas and by flawed scholarly research often shaped by political agendas reflecting both a layperson s curiosity and a lawyer s precision hyland definitively puts to rest the allegation of the thirty eight year liaison between jefferson and hemings in doing so he reclaims the nation s third president from the arena of hollywood style myth and melodrama and gives his readers a unique opportunity to serve as jurors on this enduringly fascinating episode in american history

In Defense of Thomas Jefferson

2009-06-09

part of the indiana historical society s commemoration of the nineteenth state s bicentennial indiana s 200 the people who shaped the hoosier state recognizes the people who made enduring contributions to indiana in its 200 year history written by historians scholars biographers and independent researchers the biographical essays in this book will enhance the public s knowledge and appreciation of those who made a difference in the lives of hoosiers the country and even the world subjects profiled in the book include individuals from all fields of endeavor law politics art music entertainment literature sports education business industry religion science invention technology as well as the notorious

Indiana's 200

2015-10-27

traces of bisphenol a or bpa a chemical used in plastics production are widely detected in our bodies and environment

Is It Safe?

2013

with a close eye on a rising star in the democratic party congressman chris van hollen this book examines the movement toward a democratic majority in american politics van hollen a state senator from suburban maryland was one of only two democrats to defeat an incumbent republican

house member in the republican sweep of 2002 the first congressional election after 9 11 he did it with the assistance of a grassroots army attracted by his outstanding leadership on progressive issues in the maryland legislature and determined to take back the house from an increasingly right wing republican party the author had an inside view of van hollen s 2002 victory as campaign coordinator of his precinct gottlieb provides a detailed account of the nuts and bolts and spirit of the van hollen campaign and extends his analysis into 2008 the election year for which nancy pelosi appointed van hollen chief of the democratic congressional campaign committee responsible for recruiting assisting and mentoring candidates in an effort to expand the democratic majority in the house grassroots politics is a key to the democrats progress whether at the congressional or presidential level chris van hollen points the way to achieving new alignments that could help move the country from red to blue including hundreds of interviews with voters activists candidates campaign staffers members of congress pollsters journalists and scholars red to blue provides a nuanced understanding of america s shifting politics

Red to Blue

2015-12-03

in a riveting account based on new documents and interviews with more than 400 sources on both sides of the aisle award winning reporter michael grunwald reveals the vivid story behind president obama s 800 billion stimulus bill one of the most important and least understood pieces of legislation in the history of the country grunwald s meticulous reporting shows how the stimulus though reviled on the right and the left helped prevent a depression while jump starting the president s agenda for lasting change as ambitious and far reaching as fdr s new deal the recovery act is a down payment on the nation s economic and environmental future the purest distillation of change in the obama era the stimulus has launched a transition to a clean energy economy doubled our renewable power and financed unprecedented investments in energy efficiency a smarter grid electric cars advanced biofuels and green manufacturing it is computerizing america s pen and paper medical system its race to the top is the boldest education reform in u s history it has put in place the biggest middle class tax cuts in a generation the largest research investments ever and the most extensive infrastructure investments since eisenhower s interstate highway system it includes the largest expansion of antipoverty programs since the great society lifting millions of americans above the poverty line reducing homelessness and modernizing unemployment insurance like the first new deal obama s stimulus has created legacies that last the world s largest wind and solar projects a new battery industry a fledgling high speed rail network and the world s highest speed internet network michael grunwald goes behind the scenes sitting in on cabinet meetings as well as recounting the secret strategy sessions where republicans devised their resistance to obama to show how the stimulus was born how it fueled a resurgence on the right and how it is changing america the new new deal shatters the conventional washington narrative and it will redefine the way obama s first term is perceived

Sequences of Immunoglobulin Chains

1979

summary a lively accessible survey of contemporary exploratory music in australia complemented by iamges and an audio cd it offers a fascinating glimpse into the vibrant world of sound art and the role of experimentation in contemporary australian culture

The New New Deal

2012-08-14

get young readers hooked on some of the best titles in juvenile literature ranging from humor to mystery to fantasy with unusual and effective methods like games getting students to want to read is one of the greatest challenges facing middle school teachers and librarians determining which are the right books that can spark a child s mental awakening is also difficult this book from prolific author nancy polette furnishes interesting and fun games to pique students interest in junior novels that are worth reading carefully selected titles that will contribute to their educational and emotional growth gateway to reading 250 author games and booktalks to motivate middle readers is a powerful tool for luring middle school students away from the distractions of 21st century media and introducing them to junior or tween novels that they won t be able to put down by presenting children with a challenge to engage their minds racing to decode book titles or using their creativity to come up with titles of their own for example students are naturally drawn towards reading these books from well known children s authors

Experimental Music

2009

from james mcmanus author of the bestselling positively fifth street comes the definitive story of the game that more than any other reflects who we are and how we operate cowboys full is the story of poker from its roots in china the middle east and europe to its ascent as a global but especially an american phenomenon it describes how early americans took a french parlor game and with a few extra cards and an entrepreneurial spirit turned it into a national craze by the time of the civil war from the kitchen table games of ordinary citizens to its influence on generals and diplomats poker has gone hand in hand with our national experience presidents from abraham lincoln to barack obama have deployed poker and its strategies to explain policy to relax with friends to negotiate treaties and crises and as a political networking tool the ways we all do battle and business are echoed by poker tactics cheating and thwarting cheaters leveraging uncertainty bluffing and sussing out bluffers managing risk and reward cowboys full shows how what was once accurately called the cheater s game has become amostly honest contest of cunning mathematical precision and luck it explains how poker formerly dominated by cardsharps is now the most popular card game in europe east asia australia south america and cyberspace as well as on television it combines colorful history with firsthand experience from today s professional tour and it examines poker s remarkable hold on american culture from paintings by frederic remington to countless poker novels movies and plays braiding the thrill of individual hands with new ways of seeing poker s relevance to our military diplomatic business and personal affairs cowboys full is sure to become the classic account of america s favorite pastime

Gateway to Reading

2013-04-08

technology is viewed as a powerful force both in and out of school and has long been linked with math and science although concepts and activities of this book apply to any grade the primary focus is on the elementary and middle school levels this book provides principles and practical strategies for promoting creative and innovative work in math science and technology the authors pay close attention to the social nature of learning and how collaboration can spark student interest in open ended problem solving shining a light on mathematic scientific and technological processes gives everyone more control over what is going on around them and increases understanding of how things work

The Southern Register

2007

what is it the public administration genome project pagp is a grand attempt to digitally map and then usefully employ the full set of topics variables and interrelationships that comprise and involve all of the genes that make up public administration it is based on the highly regarded and useful human genome project why do it like the world in general the p a world is becoming more diverse and complicated hence few administrators can be expected to know much less remember the many relevant strategies external forces and related impacts that might be part of a particular situation there thus is a need for a comprehensive logic based readily accessible system called compass to help in finding and elaborating on such topics variables and interrelationships what is in the book it starts with a broad overview of the whole pagp it then turns to an elaboration of both the basic and then the more comprehensive analogies with the human genome the human genome project and other related concepts like catalysis and evolution these are followed by a set of new and seemingly unconnected subjects a norms for citizens and public administrators and b semantic and syntactic analyses then come some interesting and diverse case studies and comparisons of such to theories all these set the scene for development of procedures for contributing to and using compass the information and guidance system which is the central product of the pagp the whole concept of the pagp subsequently is revisited through an example that encompasses all of its major elements and processes the last part of the book focuses on future directions asking questions like is the pagp and compass an impossible dream or a much needed reality

Cowboys Full

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with a television viewership of over 100 million people and hundreds of millions of dollars spent

each year on tickets concessions and merchandise alone the super bowl is the greatest game on earth offering in depth analysis detailed statistics play by play recaps and post game insights for every super bowl ever played the ultimate super bowl book is the most definitive reference to this iconic sporting event exploring all the high and lows from more than four decades of gridiron drama with stories and quotes from the men who made history on football s biggest stage in addition to a comprehensive examination of each super bowl played since 1967 the book presents features on the greatest individual performances in super bowl history from joe namath to joe montana tom brady to aaron rodgers marcus allen to emmitt smith jack lambert to james harrison and the best and worst decisions by some legendary coaches including vince lombardi chuck noll bill parcells bill belichick mike mccarthy and more author bob mcginn weighs in on the biggest super bowl shockers the worst blunders and the most entertaining characters quotes from players and coaches take you to the sidelines and into the huddle with the greatest teams in super bowl history including the green bay packers pittsburgh steelers dallas cowboys new england patriots and more no sporting event can compete with the super bowl and no book can compete with this one as the ultimate reference to the ultimate game

Demystify Math, Science, and Technology

2010-02-15

nfl head coach mike smith lead one of the most remarkable turnarounds in nfl history in the season prior to his arrival in 2008 the atlanta falcons had a 4 12 record and the franchise had never before achieved back to back winning seasons under smith s leadership the falcons earned an 11 5 record in his first season and would go on to become perennial playoff and super bowl contenders earning smith ap coach of year in 2008 and voted coach of year by his peers in 2008 2010 and 2012 you win in the locker room first draws on the extraordinary experiences of coach mike smith and jon gordon consultant to numerous college and professional teams to explore the seven powerful principles that any business school organization or sports team can adopt to revitalize their organization step by step the authors outline a strategy for building a thriving organization and provide a practical framework that give leaders the tools they need to create a great culture lead with the right mindset create strong relationships improve teamwork execute at a higher level and avoid the pitfalls that sabotage far too many leaders and organizations in addition to sharing what went right with the falcons smith also transparently shares what went wrong his last two seasons and provides invaluable lessons leaders can take away from his victories success failures and mistakes whether it s an executive leadership team of a fortune 500 company a sports team an emergency room team military team or a school team successful leaders coach their team and develop mentor encourage and guide them this not only improves the team it improves the leaders and their relationships connections and organization you win in the locker room first offers a rare behind the scenes look at one of the most pressure packed leadership jobs on the planet and what leaders can learn from these experiences in order to build their own winning team

The Public Administration (P. A.) Genome Project

2009-10-01

this book examines the consequences of legislators strategic communication for representation demonstrating how legislators present their work to cultivate constituent support using new statistical techniques to analyze massive data sets justin grimmer makes the compelling case that to understand political representation we must understand what legislators say to constituents

The Ultimate Super Bowl Book

2012-09-15

pocket truths for success is your succinct guide to establishing priorities and achieving success in life pocket truths for success was written to be an inspiration for anyone facing the seemingly insurmountable challenges on the road to life s great successes personally and professionally success is a difficult endeavor and possibly even harder to sustain once achieved this book was written to address the two pivotal issues of achieving and sustaining success in the complex ever changing world we live in today pocket truths delivers simple and powerful quotes for those ready to inspire and lead

You Win in the Locker Room First

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peter carey writer of such celebrated works as oscar and lucinda true history of the kelly gang and his illegal self is one of australia s most critically acclaimed novelists deeply concerned with south pacific culture especially the lives of its most downtrodden citizens carey uses popular art as a tool for raising the consciousness of readers this book provides an introduction to the author s life as well as a guided overview of his body of work designed for the fan and scholar alike this text features an alphabetized fully annotated listing of major terms in the carey canon including fictional characters motifs historical events and themes additional features include a listing of headwords a carey history 44 reading and writing topics and bibliographies of primary and secondary sources a comprehensive index is included

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the presence of speculative bubbles in capital markets an important area of interest in financial history is widely accepted across many circles talk of them is pervasive in the media and especially in the popular financial press bubbles are thought to be found primarily in the stock market which is our main interest although bubbles are said to occur in other markets bubbles go hand in hand with the notion that markets can be irrational the academic community has a great interest in bubbles and it has produced scholarly literature that is voluminous for some economists doing bubble research is like joining the vanguard of a kuhnian paradigm shift in economic thinking not so fast if bubbles did exist they would pose a serious challenge to neoclassical finance bubbles would contradict the ideas that markets are rational or work in an informationally efficient manner that s what makes the topic of bubbles interesting this book reviews and evaluates the academic literature as well as some popular investment books on the possible existence of speculative bubbles in the stock market the main question is whether there is convincing empirical evidence that bubbles exist a second question is whether the theoretical concepts that have been advanced for bubbles make them plausible the reader will discover that i am skeptical that bubbles actually exist but i do not think i or anyone else will ever be able to conclusively prove that there has never been a bubble from studying the literature and from reading history i find that many famous purported bubbles reflect inaccurate history or mistakes in analysis or simply cannot be shown to have existed in other instances bubbles might have existed but in each of those cases there are credible rational explanations and good evidence exists for the idea that even if bubbles do exist they are not of great importance to understanding the stock market

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Peter Carey

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when the don t ask don t tell policy emerged as a political compromise under bill clinton in 1993 it only ended up worsening the destructive gay ban that had been on the books since world war ii drawing on more than a decade of research and hundreds of interviews nathaniel frank exposes the military s policy toward gays and lesbians as damaging and demonstrates that don t ask don t tell must be replaced with an outright reversal of the gay ban frank is one of the nation s leading experts on gays in the military and in his evenhanded and always scrupulously documented chronicle he reveals how the ban on open gays and lesbians in the u s military has greatly increased discharges hampered recruitment and contrary to the rationale offered by proponents of the ban led to lower morale and cohesion within military ranks frank does not shy away from tackling controversial issues and he presents indisputable evidence showing that gays already

serve openly without causing problems and that the policy itself is weakening the military it was supposed to protect in addition to the moral pitfalls of the gay ban frank shows the practical damage it has wrought most recently the discharge of valuable arabic translators who happen to be gay under the current policy has left u s forces ill equipped in the fight against terrorism part history part exposé and fully revealing unfriendly fire is poised to become the definitive story of don t ask don t tell this lively and compelling narrative is sure to make the blood boil of any american who cares about national security the right to speak the truth or just plain common sense and fairness

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the rise of international criminal trials has been accompanied by a call for domestic responses to extraordinary violence yet there is remarkably limited research on the interactions among local national and international transitional justice institutions rwanda offers an early example of multi level courts operating in concert through the concurrent practice of the united nations international criminal tribunal for rwanda ictr the national rwandan courts and the gacaca community courts courts in conflict makes a crucial and timely contribution to the examination of these pluralist responses to atrocity at a juncture when holistic approaches are rapidly becoming the policy norm although rwanda s post genocide criminal courts are compatible in law an interpretive cultural analysis shows how and why they have often conflicted in practice the author s research is derived from 182 interviews with judges lawyers and a group of witnesses and suspects within all three of the post genocide courts this rich empirical material shows that the judges and lawyers inside each of the courts offer notably different interpretations of rwanda s transitional justice processes illuminating divergent legal cultures that help explain the constraints on the courts effective cooperation and evidence gathering the potential for similar competition between domestic and international justice processes is apparent in the current practice of the international criminal court icc however this competition can be mitigated through increased communication among the different sites of justice fostering legal cultures of complementarity that can more effectively respond to the needs of affected populations

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