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winner of the aaas subaru sb f prize for excellence in science books the wonders of engineering revealed by the inspirational female engineer behind the shard western europe s tallest building while our cities are full of incredible engineering feats most of us live with little idea of what goes into creating the built environment let alone how a new building goes up what it is constructed upon or how it remains standing in built star structural engineer roma agrawal explains how construction has evolved from the mud huts of our ancestors to skyscrapers of steel that reach into the sky she unearths how humans have tunneled through solid mountains how we ve walked across the widest of rivers and tamed nature s precious water resources she tells vivid tales of the visionaries who created the groundbreaking materials used to build the pantheon and the eiffel tower and explains how careful engineering can minimize tragedies like the collapse of the quebec bridge interweaving science history illustrations and personal stories built offers a fascinating window into a subject that makes up the foundation of our everyday lives

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History of the Town of Conesus, Livingston Co., N. Y. 1887

a new statesman book of the year for 2017 his father conceived of the brooklyn bridge but it was washington roebbling who built this iconic feat of human engineering after his father s tragic death it has stood for more than 130 years and is now as much a part of new york as the statue of liberty or the empire state building yet as recognisable as the bridge is its builder is too often forgotten the chief engineer is a brilliant examination of the life of one of america s most distinguished engineers roebbling s experience as an engineer building bridges in the union army during the civil war has never before been documented and played a central role in the bridge that links brooklyn and manhattan the brooklyn bridge took fourteen dramatic years to complete and the personal story that lay behind that construction is told here for the first time the chief engineer is an engaging portrait of a brilliant and driven man and of the era in which he lived meticulously researched and written with revealing archival material only recently uncovered including washington roebbling s own memoir that was previously thought to be lost to history in the chief engineer erica wagner relates the fascinating history of the bridge and its maker

Chief Engineer 2017-06-01

the stories behind more than 80 of the world s most extraordinary feats of building

Structures 1990

nothing in the built world captures the imagination like the skyscraper behind every soaring tower stands a designer with courageous vision and enough engineering know how to pull off incredible feats of architectural derring do who built that skyscrapers is a colorful tour of the world s tallest buildings and the larger than life personalities who built them beginning with a brief biographical sketch of each architect illustrator didier cornille imaginatively depicts the construction of eight of the world s most impressive skyscrapers from gustave eiffel s eiffel tower 1889 in paris and mies van der rohe s seagram building 1958 in new york city to the tallest man made structure in the world adrian smith s burj khalifa 2010 in dubai this primer will introduce readers of all ages to new heights of architectural wonder

Who Built That? Skyscrapers 2014-09-02

standing in the nave of a cathedral it is hard not to wonder how ordinary human beings could have created sky scraping dizzyingly high buildings on which even the top most parts were delicately decorated in an age before even the simplest of power tools stone on stone presents the full story of the men who built the cathedrals of the medieval era who they were how they lived and how with the simplest of hand tools they created the astonishing buildings that hundreds of years later still stand as monuments to their ingenuity and skill topics covered include the context for building such huge places of worship the men who built who they were and the challenges they had to face finding the materials construction techniques building control and finally who paid for it all a deeply researched book that provides a fascinating insight into the world of the medieval master mason and his work will be of great interest to all those interested in medieval architecture and the church gives an insight into the master masons who designed the cathedrals and ran the site illustrated with a 20 colour and black white 8 page section imogen corrigan is a first class honours graduate of anglo saxon and medieval history and a freelance lecturer covering britain and europe

Stone on Stone 2019-01-24

a powerful first hand account of the many generations and ethnic groups of men who have built america s skyscrapers from the early days of steel construction in chicago through the great boom years of new york city ironwork and up through the present high steel follows the trajectory of careers inextricably linked to both great accomplishment and catastrophic disaster the personal stories reveal the lives of ironworkers and the dangers they face as they walk across the windswept swaying summits of tomorrow s skyscrapers balanced on steel girders sometimes only six inches wide rasenberger explores both the greatest accomplishments of ironwork the vaulting bridges and towers that define america s skyline and the deadliest disasters such as the quebec bridge collapse of 1907 when 75 ironworkers including 33 mohawk indians fell to their deaths high steel is an accessible thrilling and vertiginous portrait of the lives of some of our most brave yet unrecognized men

High Steel 2009-10-13

have you ever wondered who built the tall buildings around the world some buildings are so tall that if you stood on the rooftop of the building you could possibly touch an airplane flying by have you ever wondered who built the bridges that cars drive over who assembled the roller coasters at the amusement parks amazing ironworkers introduce readers to the extraordinary life of an ironworker an ironworker is a tradesman who works in the ironworking industry these individuals work hard every day to build america you will be amazed at the things they do come learn all about ironworkers

Amazing Ironworkers Building Near You 2021

buildings have often been studied whole in space but never before have they been studied whole in time how buildings learn is a masterful new synthesis that proposes that buildings adapt best when constantly refined and reshaped by their occupants and that architects can mature from being artists of space to becoming artists of time from the connected farmhouses of new england to i m pei s media lab from satisficing to form follows funding from the evolution of bungalows to the invention of santa fe style from low road military surplus buildings to a high road english classic like chatsworth this is a far ranging survey of unexplored essential territory more than any other human artifacts buildings improve with time if they re allowed to how buildings learn shows how to work with time rather than against it

How Buildings Learn 1995-10-01

this book is packed full of fun and facts about everyday life in ancient egypt

Who Built the Pyramids? 2004-01-01

imagine you woke up one morning to find everything created by engineers had disappeared what would you see no cars no houses no phones bridges or roads no tunnels under tidal rivers no soaring skyscrapers the impact that engineering has had on the human experience is undeniable but it is also often invisible in built structural engineer roma agrawal takes a unique look at how construction has evolved from the mud huts of our ancestors to skyscrapers of steel that reach hundreds of metres into the sky she unearths how engineers have tunnelled through kilometres of solid mountains how they ve bridged across the widest and deepest of rivers and tamed nature s precious and elusive water resources she tells vivid tales of the visionaries who created the groundbreaking materials in the pantheon s record holding concrete dome and the frame of the record breaking eiffel tower through the lens of an engineer roma examines tragedies like the collapse of the quebec bridge

highlighting the precarious task of ensuring people's safety they hold at every step with colourful stories of her life long fascination with buildings and her own hand drawn illustrations roma reveals the extraordinary secret lives of structures

The Man who Built the Great Pyramid 1932

this scarce antiquarian book is a facsimile reprint of the original due to its age it may contain imperfections such as marks notations marginalia and flawed pages because we believe this work is culturally important we have made it available as part of our commitment for protecting preserving and promoting the world's literature in affordable high quality modern editions that are true to the original work

Built 2018-02-08

in the 21st century are there those who still have doubts about who built the great pyramids of egypt and most importantly how two travelers of different generations seek answers analyze data and draw specific conclusions concerning these matters which in the end do not leave room for doubt about the greatness of the person who was the builder of some of the greatest wonders of the world

A Glance at the Victoria Bridge and the Men Who Built It (1860) 2008-06-01

a celebration of the life and engineering achievements of isambard kingdom brunel by two of the world's foremost authorities in his lifetime isambard kingdom brunel towered over his profession today he remains the most famous engineer in history the epitome of the volcanic creative forces which brought about the industrial revolution and brought modern society into being brunel's extraordinary talents were drawn out by some remarkable opportunities above all his appointment as engineer to the new great western railway at the age of 26 but it was his nature to take nothing for granted and to look at every project whether it was the longest railway yet planned or the largest ship ever imagined from first principles a hard taskmaster to those who served him he ultimately sacrificed his own life to his work in his tragically early death at the age of 53 his legacy though is all around us in the railways and bridges that he personally designed and in his wider influence this fascinating new book draws on brunel's own diaries letters and sketchbooks to understand his life times and work

Sneferu and Cheops, Or the Who Built the Pyramids and How 2022-06-28

did you know that the panama canal was built by the united states this educational book discusses the reason why the us built panama canal the significance of the move and how it has benefited north and south american nations encourage your child to seek knowledge but making sure it is aligned with official school curriculum grab a copy today

Who Built That? 1996

the towering buildings that fill our cities definitely weren't built in a day skyscrapers are huge construction projects full of complicated steps from drilling anchor holes and erecting steel beams to laying acres and acres of concrete it takes lots of people and lots of smarts to build a vertical city readers will love putting on their hard hats and seeing the construction for themselves through vivid photographs and diagrams of a building on its way from its beginning on an empty lot to a monster skyscraper touching the skies

The Complete Works 1877

the inspiring tale of a seamstress turned scientist who invented the world's first aquarium at a time when women in stem were startlingly rare the daughter of a seamstress and a cobbler jeanne villepreux power began her career as a dressmaker sewing beautiful gowns for the parisian aristocracy but her heart longed for more and when she moved to the seaside she became fascinated by the ocean's mysteries she filled her pockets with seashells and specimens and filled her notebooks with observations about coral and crustaceans and all manner of marine life the argonaut interested her most of all but jeanne's observations of this shy creature were confounded by its tendency to swim away when approached jeanne wanted a way to bring a piece of the ocean home with her and that's she came to build the world's first aquarium an invention that would pave the way for countless scientific discoveries in the years to come jess keating shark lady and michelle mee nutter allergic bring jeanne's story vividly to life with lively text and vibrant artwork that captures the curiosity and perseverance this pioneering woman in science brought to everything she did

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who built that modern houses takes readers on a fun filled tour through ten of the most important houses by the greatest architects of the twentieth and twenty first centuries beginning with a brief biographical sketch of each architect illustrator didier cornille uses a light touch to depict the various stages of construction paying special attention to key design innovations and signature details cornille s charming drawings and accessible text unlock the secrets of modern classic houses ranging from le corbusier s villa savoye 1931 and frank lloyd wright s fallingwater 1939 to shigeru ban s cardboard house 1995 and rem koolhaas s bordeaux house 1998 readers of all ages will delight in this colorful introduction to modern architecture s most extraordinary homes

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this book details the reasons why buildings in the u s are built the way they are for the first time 42 distinctive building types are brought together to provide a unique history of american architecture the book presents nearly 400 illustrations for essays contributed by leading authorities on everything from barns to banks among them are ada louise huxtable on skyscrapers charles moore on houses david gebhard on drive ins steven izenour on ducks charles lockwood on row houses william seale on state capitols and gwendolyn wright on suburbs isbn 0 89133 118 2 9 95 for use only in the library

The Banner of Truth 1869

an illustrated history of more than sixty notable structures of the ancient and modern world includes detailed diagrams and a glossary of architectural terms

How a Skyscraper Is Built 2016

a spectacular blend of photographs facts anecdotes and personal stories that tell how the world s greatest city was built without its vast infrastructure new york would not have been able to forge five boroughs into one city welcome millions of newcomers and become the financial and cultural capital of the world covering the period from 1909 2009 to build new york is an informative engaging account of the who what when where how and why of new york s infrastructure together with stories of the people who did all the work this superb urban chronicle offers readers a revealing inside look at the building of new york s roads and highways bridges and tunnels the subway system and rail lines airports and aqueducts skyscrapers electric power grid sewage treatment plants and other facilities written in a vivid and highly entertaining style to build new york features an authoritative account of new york city s physical development from 1909 to 2009 more than 100 illustrations including archival never before published photographs and details numerous facts anecdotes and behind the scenes information about how and why certain elements of the infrastructure came to exist fascinating sidebars that describe the technologies devised for the construction projects in each area of infrastructure a foreword by michael r bloomberg panoramic in scope yet filled with hundreds of amazing particulars to build new york is the story of the creation of the world s greatest city told from the point of view of the inventive hardworking people who built it

Who Built That? 1996

containing cases decided by the superior court of pennsylvania

House documents 1876

the team that introduced shaker life work and design to america and the world in such successful books as shaker and shaker design here presents the ultimate visual work on the unique melding of form and function that created the shaker look 200 color illustrations

The Girl Who Built an Ocean 2022-10-25

in the midst of a technological age a strange and menacing phenomenon rains upon the earth changing people into mindless savages while governments around the globe unite to combat this spreading infection airships of the 1930 s are redesigned and reintroduced to the world because of the vessel s size and its capability to stay airborne for weeks at a time it is regarded as the next innovation for cruise ship vacation travel industries while environmentalists envision it as a solution to the world s

overpopulation problem the windship proves its worth when the stricken become organized and rise up against the world it is then the windship becomes a reckoning force and earth s only hope for survival

Who Built That? Modern Houses 2014-09-02

the toronto neighbourhoods bundle presents a collection of titles that provide fascinating insight into the history and development of canada s largest and most diverse city beginning with histories of canada s longest street and the early days of what was once called york the yonge street story 1793 1860 a city in the making opportunity road the titles in the bundle go on to examine the development of particular unique neighbourhoods that help give the city its character willowdale leaside finally mark osbaldeston s acclaimed award winning unbuilt toronto and unbuilt toronto 2 go beyond history and into the arena of speculation as the author details ambitious and possibly city changing plans that never came to fruition for lovers of toronto this collection is a bonanza of insights and facts includes a city in the making leaside opportunity road unbuilt toronto unbuilt toronto 2 willowdale the yonge street story 1793 1860

Built in the U.S.A. 1985

dale earnhardt sr first broke onto the racing scene in 1979 when he was named rookie of the year in the more than 20 years that followed his daring driving style earned him several top honors including his proudest moment a victory at daytona on february 18th 2001 earnhardt had been racing in the daytona 500 when in the final lap he had a fatal crash while other drivers have come and gone the face of dale earnhardt sr with his handlebar moustache and wide grin will always be the face of nascar get to know a legend

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