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Books for Young Children

The Legend of Rock Paper Scissors by Drew Daywalt, illustrated by Adam Rex
Life by Cynthia Rylant, illustrated by Brendan Wenzel

Miss Mary Reporting: The True Story of Sportswriter Mary Garber by Sue Macy,
illustrated by C.F. Payne

Once Upon an Elephant by Linda Stanek, illustrated by Shennen Bersani

Tomás and the Library Lady by Pat Mora, illustrated by Raúl Colón

Books for Tweens/Middle Grades

Dog Man by Dav Pilkey

Saving Wonder by Mary Knight

Things That Surprise You by Jennifer Maschari

Under Their Skin by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Zoe in Wonderland by Brenda Woods

Books for Teens

American Ace by Marilyn Nelson

Don't Get Caught by Kurt Dinan

The Female of the Species by Mindy McGinnis

Good Brother, Bad Brother: The Story of John Wilkes Booth and Edwin Booth by James
Cross Giblin

When We Collided by Emery Lord

Books for Adults

Epitaph: A Novel of the O.K. Corral by Mary Doria Russell

Ill Will by Dan Chaon

Lost Cleveland by Laura DeMarco

***Showdown: Thurgood Marshall and the Supreme Court Nomination That Changed
America*** by Wil Haygood

***Six Days in Cincinnati: A Graphic Account of the Riots that Shook the Nation a
Decade Before Black Lives Matter*** by Dan Méndez Moore

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