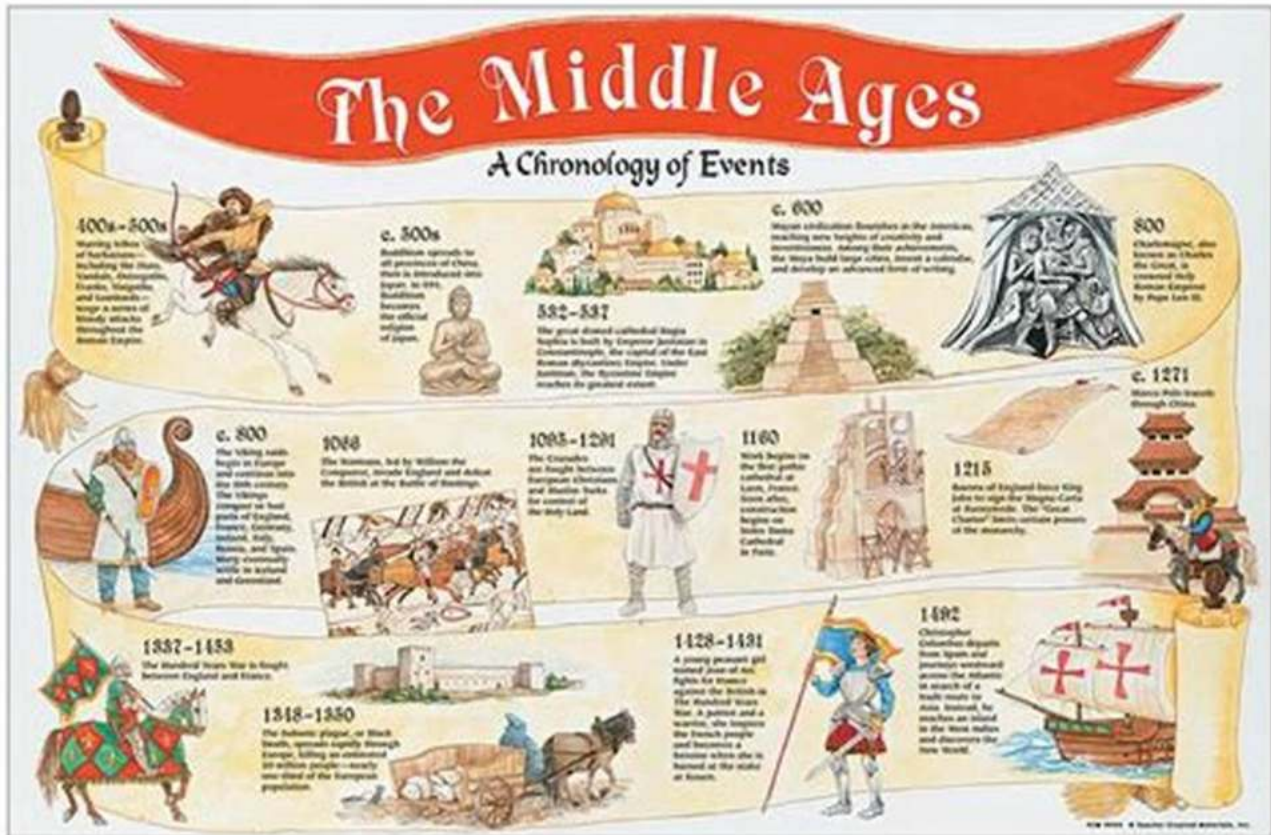


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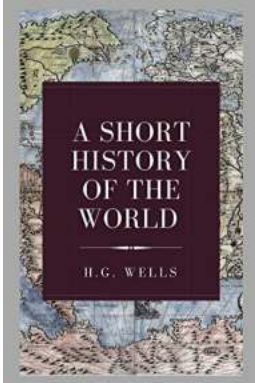


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Continue your voyage through time to discover the indomitable spirit of ancient Greece, the artistically inclined Romans, and the intricate world of ancient China. Each civilization boasts a distinct legacy, leaving its mark on culture, politics, and literature.

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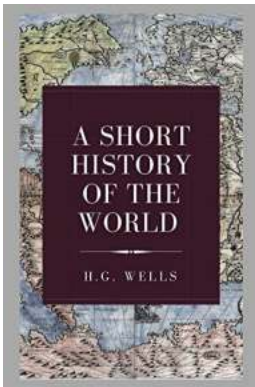
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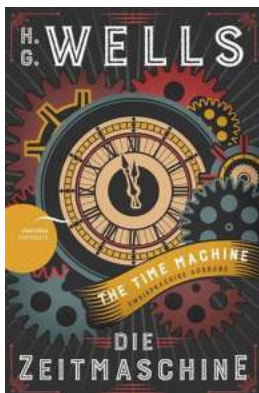
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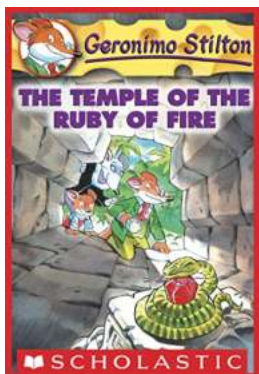
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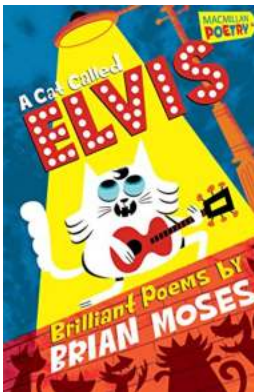
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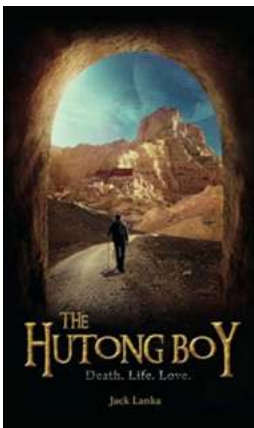
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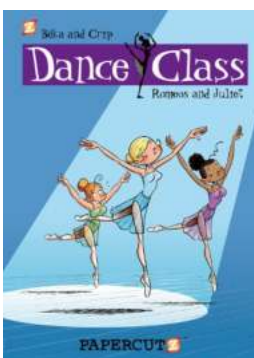
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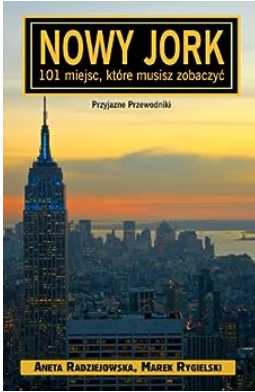
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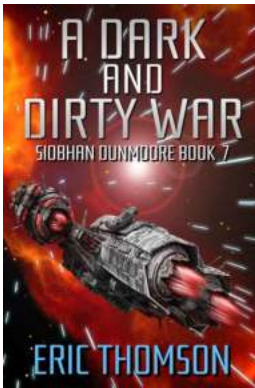
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