

FOREWORDS: THE BOOKS BEFORE THE BUZZ

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With our column, Forewords, we let readers know the latest book news about some of the web team's most-anticipated upcoming releases across the genres — just as the projects are announced!

RETURNING FAVORITE SERIES

Steampunk Romance - Set in an America torn apart by civil war, Seleste DeLaney's *Clockwork Mafia* features Henrietta Mason, a woman who wants to shed her remembrances of the past. She almost succeeds, but then meets a U.S. Marshal who stirs up more than just dead memories. This sequel to DeLaney's *Badlands* will publish Spring 2013.

Mystery - Readers eagerly awaiting the next book in Jean Harrington's Murder by Design series will have to wait until next spring to pick up a copy of *Killer Kitchens*. And here we thought the most dangerous room in a house was the bathroom!

PIQUING OUR CURIOSITY

Young Adult - The heroine of Lee Bross' *Tangled Webs* sounds like one tough cookie. This 18th-century teenager uses her wits to survive the mean streets of London by creating a mysterious persona to fleece the upper crust. but when her partner goes missing, she puts her knowledge of the aristocrats' dark secrets to work in order to solve the mystery of his disappearance. Look for this exciting new tale to hit shelves in 2014.

Series Romance - The engineer-hero in Kat Cantrell's upcoming Desire title, *Worth the Risk*, is super smart, but not baby smart. So when he is granted custody of a five-month old, he realizes he needs help. Turning to an old flame, he is surprised — and pleased — to realize that love still burns brightly between them.

Fantasy - AM Tuomala will be bringing to life an Imperial Russia that is beset by troubling times and dragons in *Drakon*. The story focuses on one family's fight to survive in a country being ravaged by both internal and external forces.

Historical Romance - With only her sister at her side, the heroine of Sara Luck's *Rimfire Bride* sets out to tame and claim a piece of the Dakota wilderness. But when this independent miss tangles with a lawman



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she can't resist, it looks like she'll be making a different sort of claim!

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Erotic Romance - Another digital delight is on its way to us this spring with the publication of Dee Carney's *Hunger Awakened*. The story will feature an erotic tale of a woman who thought a disease had left her no hope for survival — until she crosses paths with a vampire who is ready to show her another way to live and love.

Paranormal Romance - With zombies in control of London, the city becomes a dangerous place for humans in PJ Schnyder's *Bite Me*. But when a werewolf comes to the rescue of a woman who just can't seem to avoid trouble, will their meeting lead to something more? You can find out Summer 2013 when this story hits e-readers everywhere.

EXCITING DEBUT AUTHOR

Mainstream Fiction - A man and a woman come together to decide the fate of the woman they both love, their muse who lies in a coma and is secretly two months pregnant. What will happen when they discover that the woman who clings to life has a baby on the way? This sounds like a gripping tale that we can't wait to get our hands on!

NON-FICTION PICK

Memoir - Miyoko Hikiji is writing her account of what it is like to be the only Asian-American woman to participate in the invasion of Iraq in *Woman at War: A Daughter of the Samurai in Iraq*. In this memoir, Hikiji will not only take readers to the front lines in the Middle East, but she also travels back in time to trace her ancestry to the fearless warriors of Japan, the samurai.

MOVIE DEALS

Suzanne Desrochers' *Bride of New France* has been optioned for film, which takes us one step closer to seeing this enthralling historical fiction tale on the big screen. The book, which is based on the true story of the *filles du roi* — a group of woman sent to live in the wilds of New France (Canada), focuses on a woman who didn't voluntarily choose their lives in the wilderness.

These are this week's deals that we can't wait to hear more about in the coming months. Check back every Monday for more Forewords!

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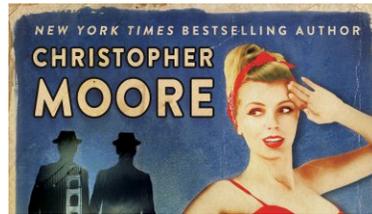
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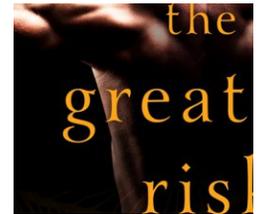
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