## Future Ebook Demos

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#### **Characters (relations)**

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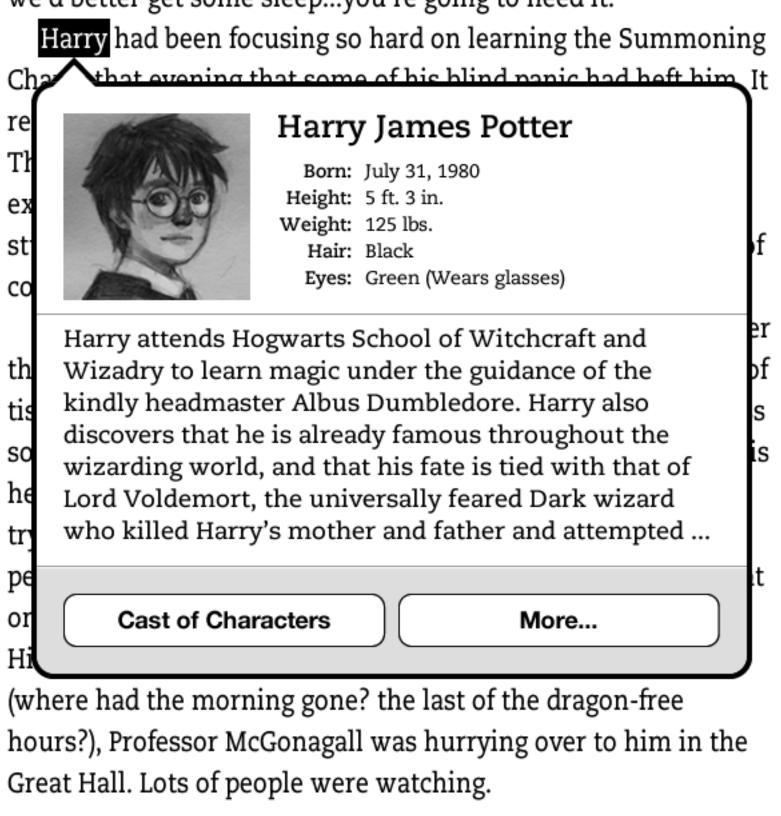
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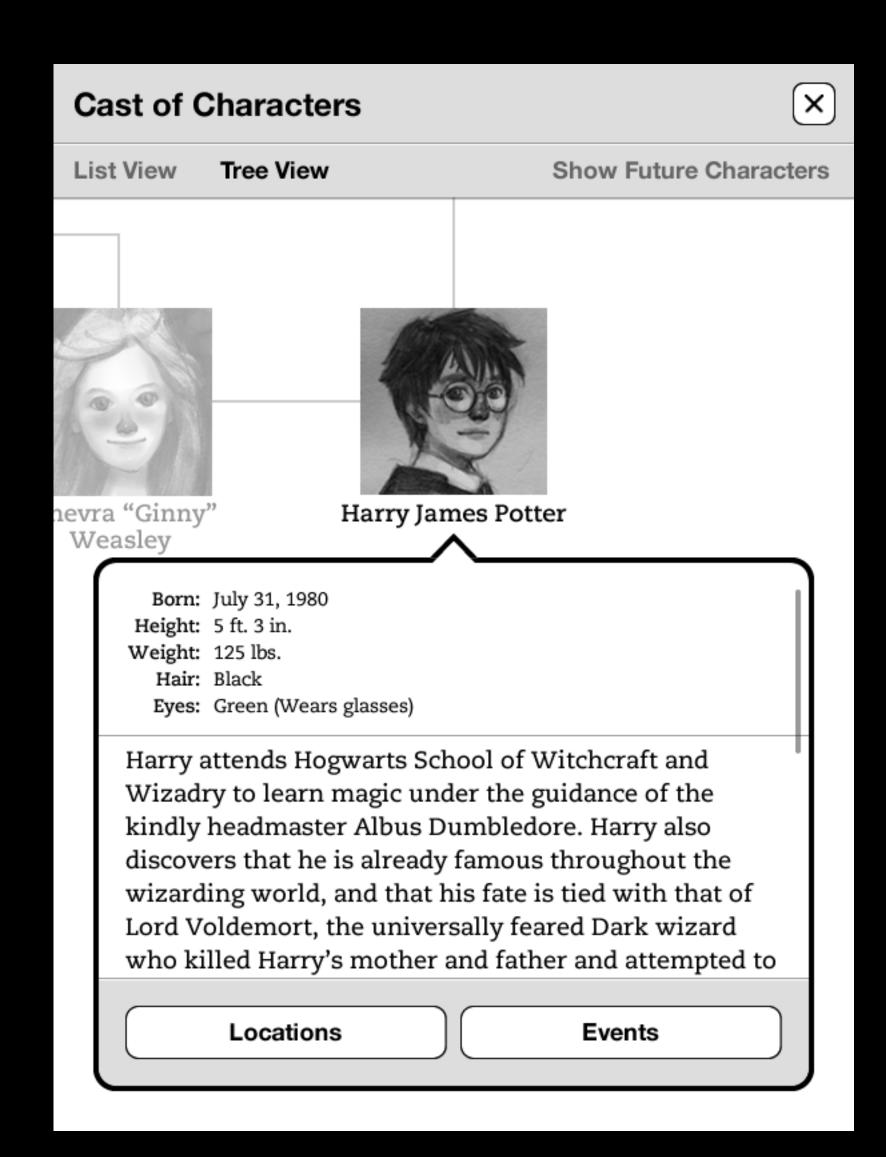
Harry had been focusing so hard on learning the Summoning Charm that evening that some of his blind panic had heft him. It returned in full measure, however, on the following morning. The atmosphere in the school was one of great tension and excitement. Lessons were to stop at midday, giving all the students time to get down to the dragons' enclosure—though of course, they didn't yet know what they would find there.

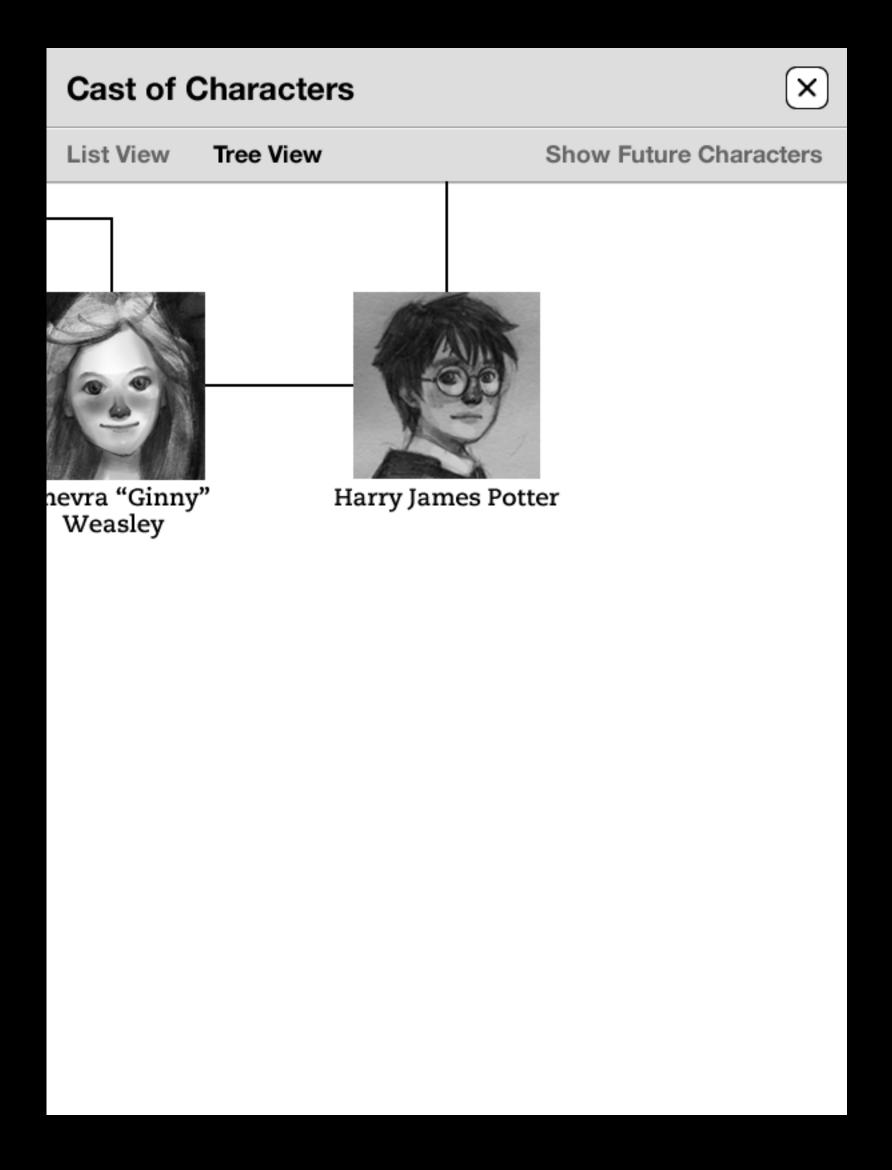
Harry felt oddly separate from everyone around him, whether they were wishing him good luck or hissing "We'll have a box of tissues ready, Potter" as he passed. It was a state of nervousness so advanced that he wondered whether he mightn't just lose his head when they tried to lead him out to his dragon, and start trying to curse everyone in sight. Time was behaving in a more peculiar fashion than ever, rushing past in great dollops, so that one moment he seemed to be sitting down in his first lesson, History of Magic, and the next, walking into lunch...and then (where had the morning gone? the last of the dragon-free hours?), Professor McGonagall was hurrying over to him in the Great Hall. Lots of people were watching.

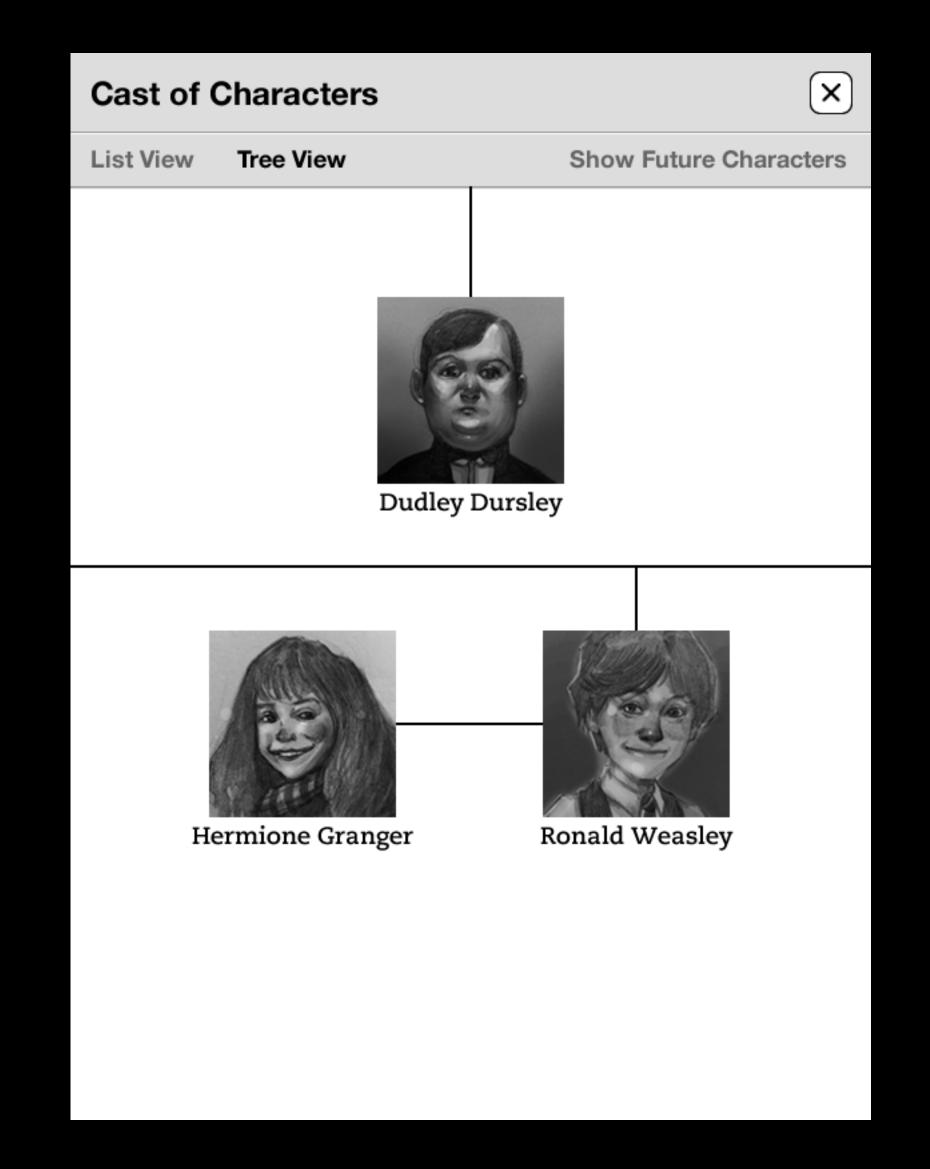
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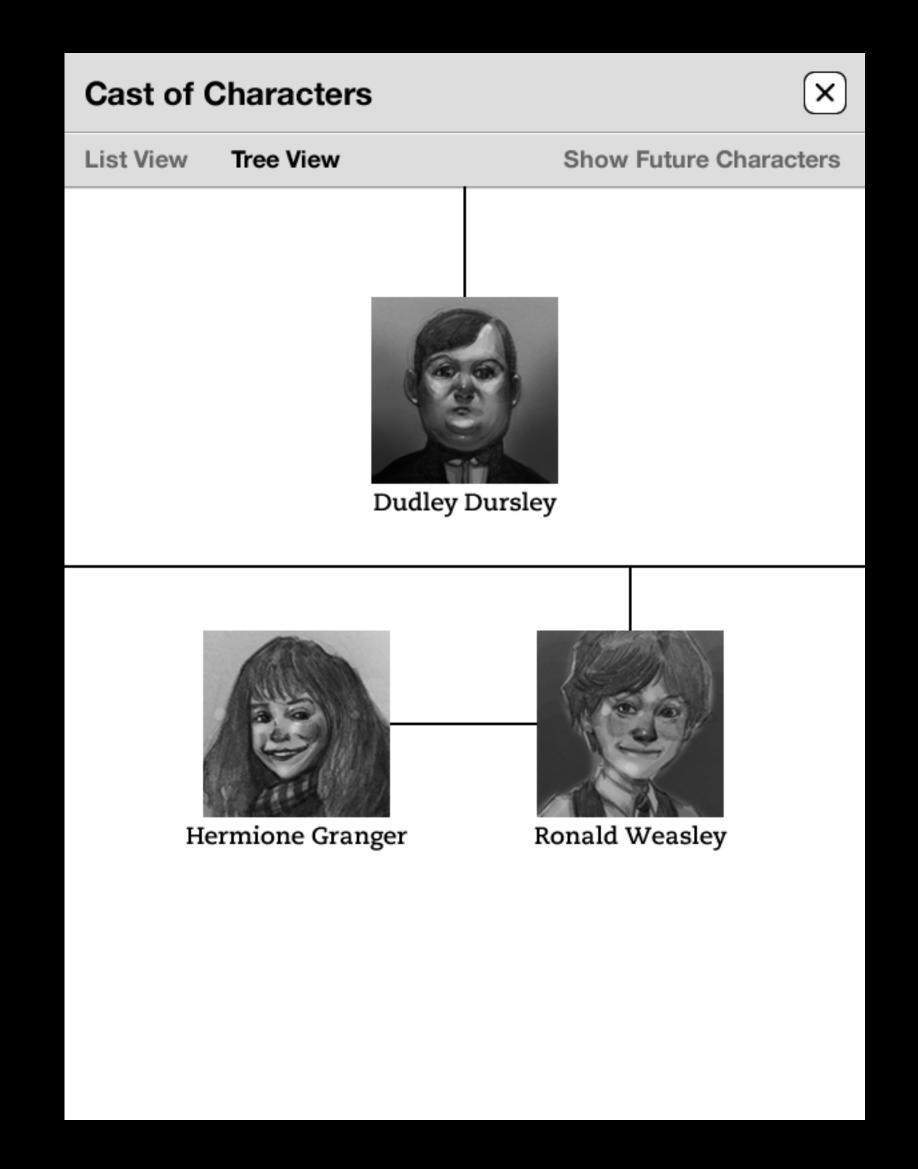


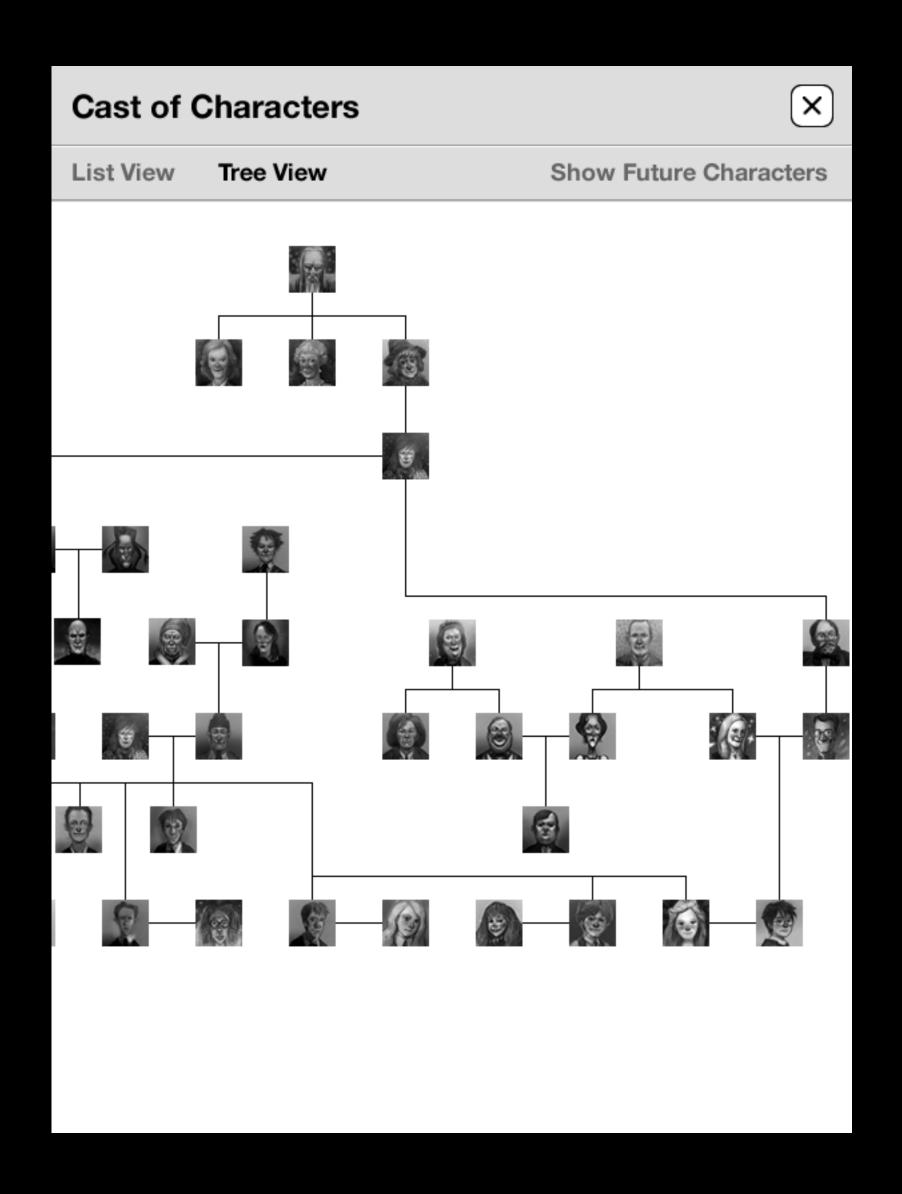






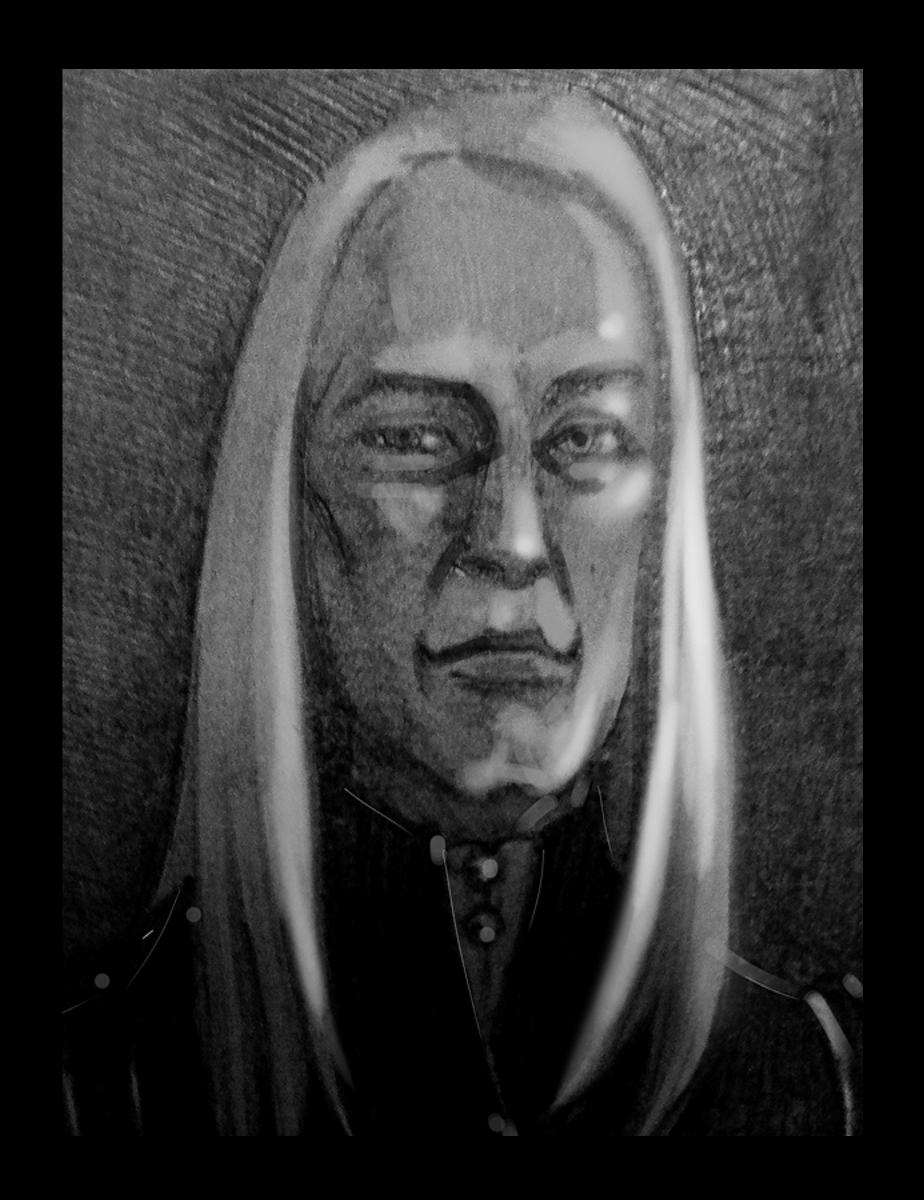
#### $(\mathsf{x})$ **Cast of Characters List View** Tree View **Show Future Characters Dudley Dursley** Born: February 7, 1981 Height: 5 ft. 6 in. Weight: 175 lbs. Hair: Brown Eyes: Brown Dudley Dursley is the only child of Vernon and Petunia, and is Harry's only cousin. Described as a very large, blonde (though brown-haired in the films) boy, Dudley is generally given his way in almost everything, and shows the symptoms of a spoiled brat. In the first book, for example, he is showered with an enormous number of incredibly expensive presents (including a Locations **Events**





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#### Timelines (context)

"A week," said the cold voice. "Perhapse longer. The place is moderately comfortable, and the plan cannot proceed yet. It would be foolish to act before the Quidditch World Cup is over." Frank inserted a gnarled finger into his ear and rotated it. Owing, no doubt, to a buildup of earwax, he had heard the word "Quidditch," which was not a word at all.

"The—the Quidditch World Cup, My Lord?" said Wormtail.

(Frank dug his finger still more vigorously into his ear.) "Forgive me, but—I do not understand—why should we wait until the World Cup is over?"

"Because, fool, at this very moment wizards are pouring into the country from all over the world, and every meddler from the Ministry of Magic will be on duty, on the watch for signs of ususual activity, checking and double-checking identities. They will be obsessed with security, lest the Muggles notice anything. So we wait."

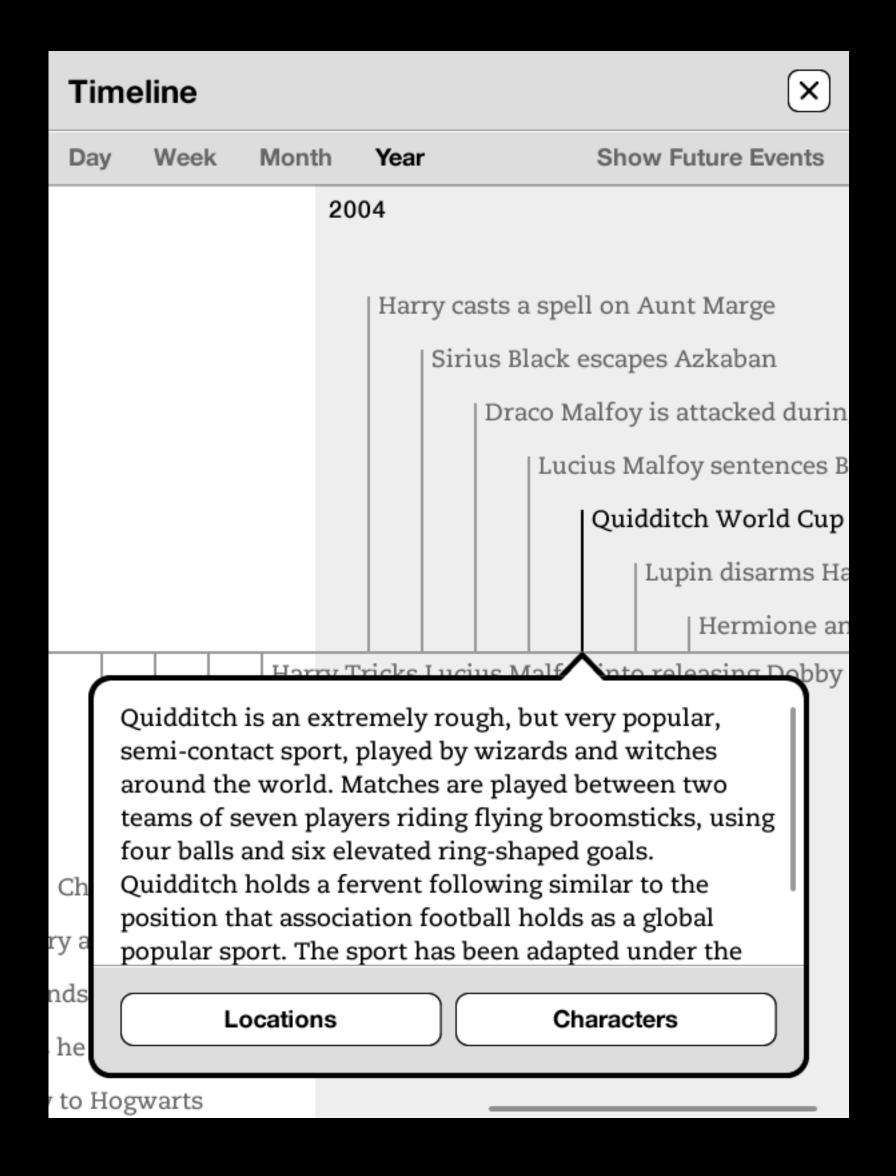
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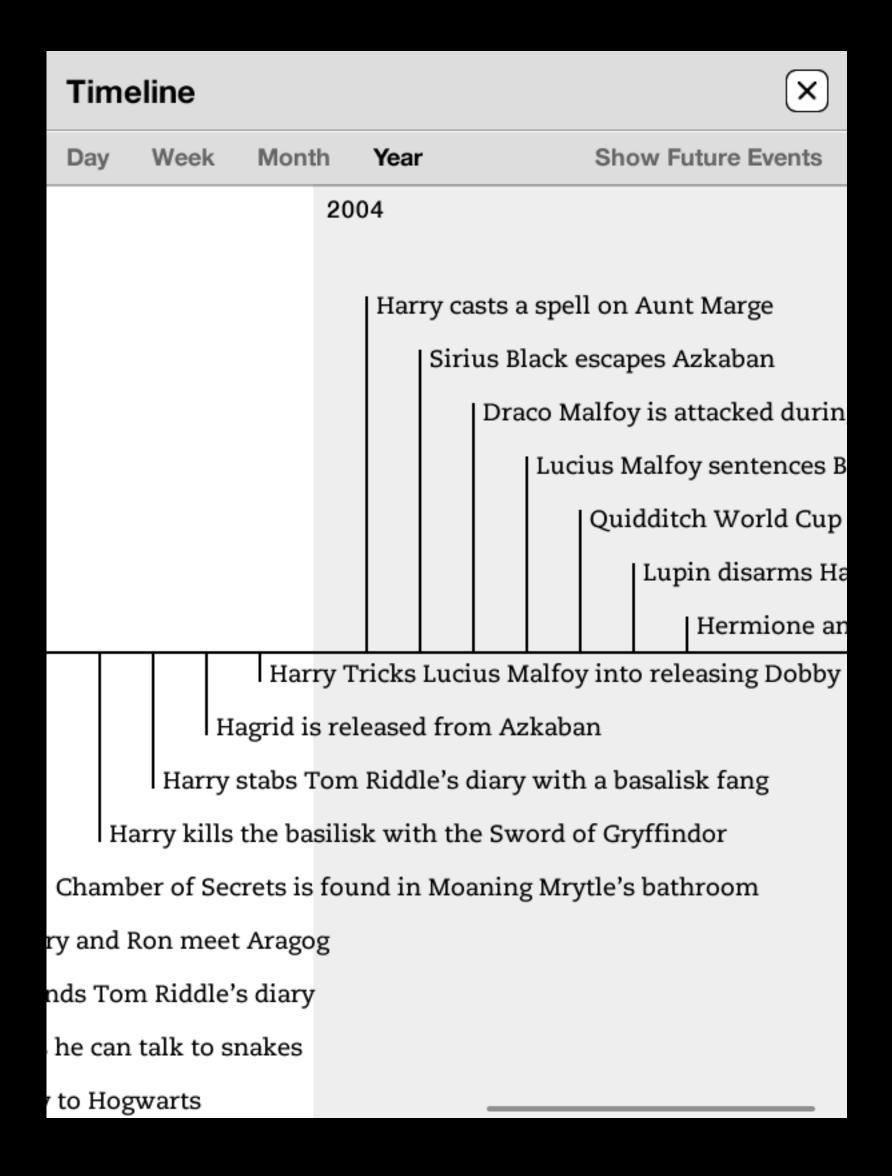


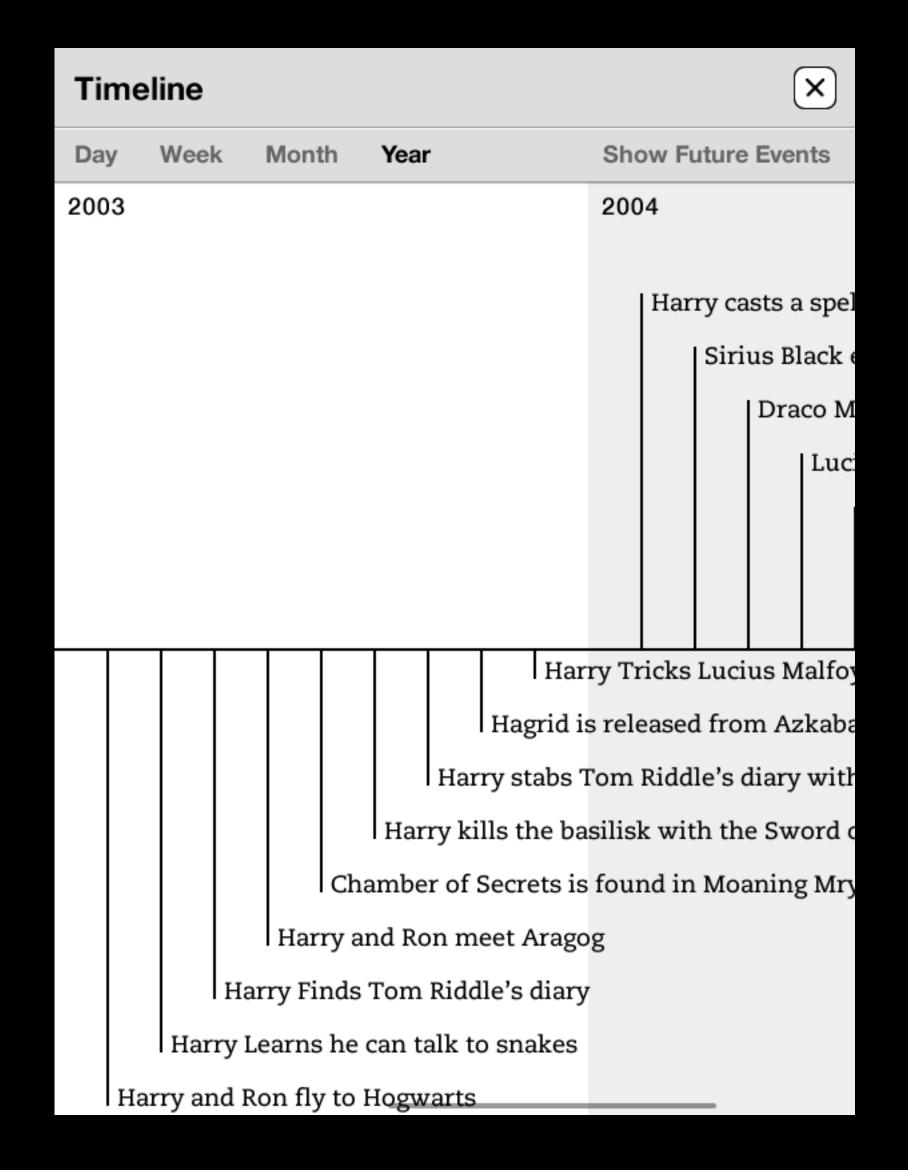
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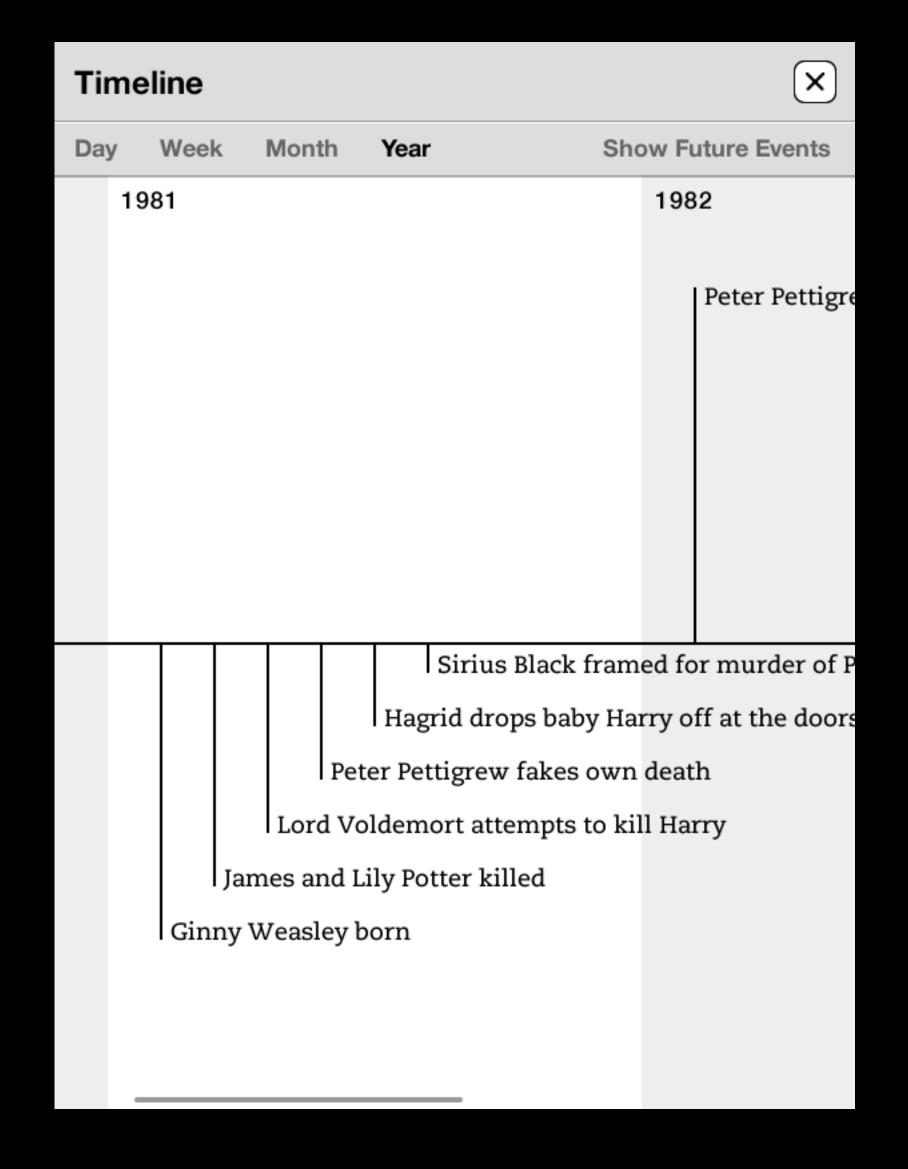
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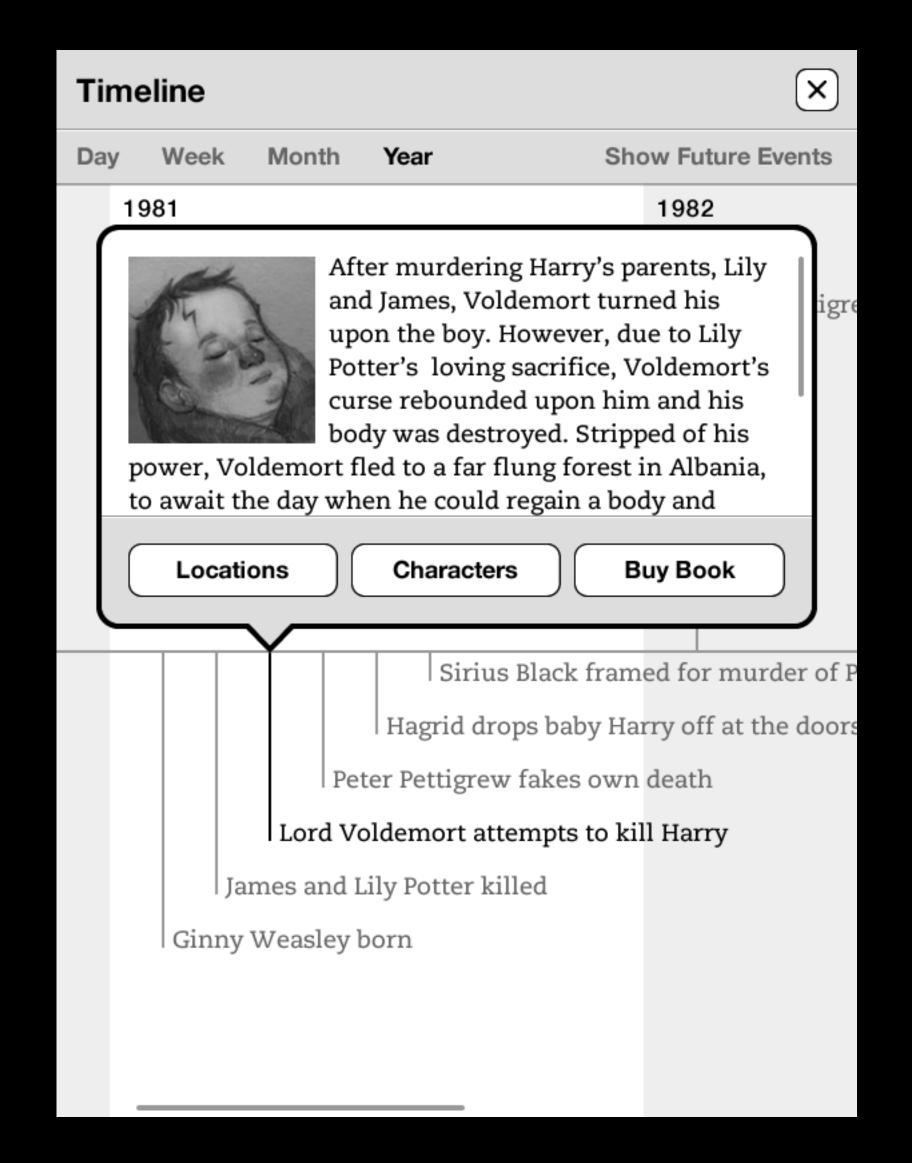


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### Maps (location)

that their robes seemed to be made of fine silk, and none of them were wearing cloaks. A few had wrapped scarves and shawls around their heads. From what Harry could see of them (they were standing in Madame Maxime's enormous shadow), they were staring up at Hogwarts with apprehensive looks on their faces."As Karkaroff arrived yet?" Madame Maxime asked.

"He should be here any moment," said Dumbledore. "Would you like to wait here and greet him or would you prefer to step inside and warm up a trifle?"

"Warm up, I think," said Madame Maxime. "But ze 'orses -"

"Our Care of Magical Creatures teacher will be delighted to take care of them," said Dumbledore, "the moment he has returned from dealing with a slight situation that has arisen with some of his other—er—charges."

"Skrewts," Ron muttered to Harry, grinning.

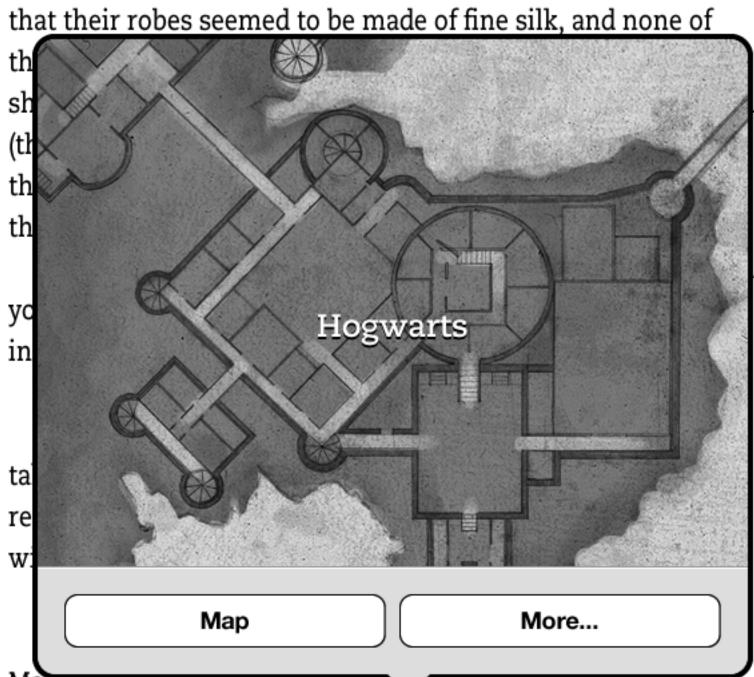
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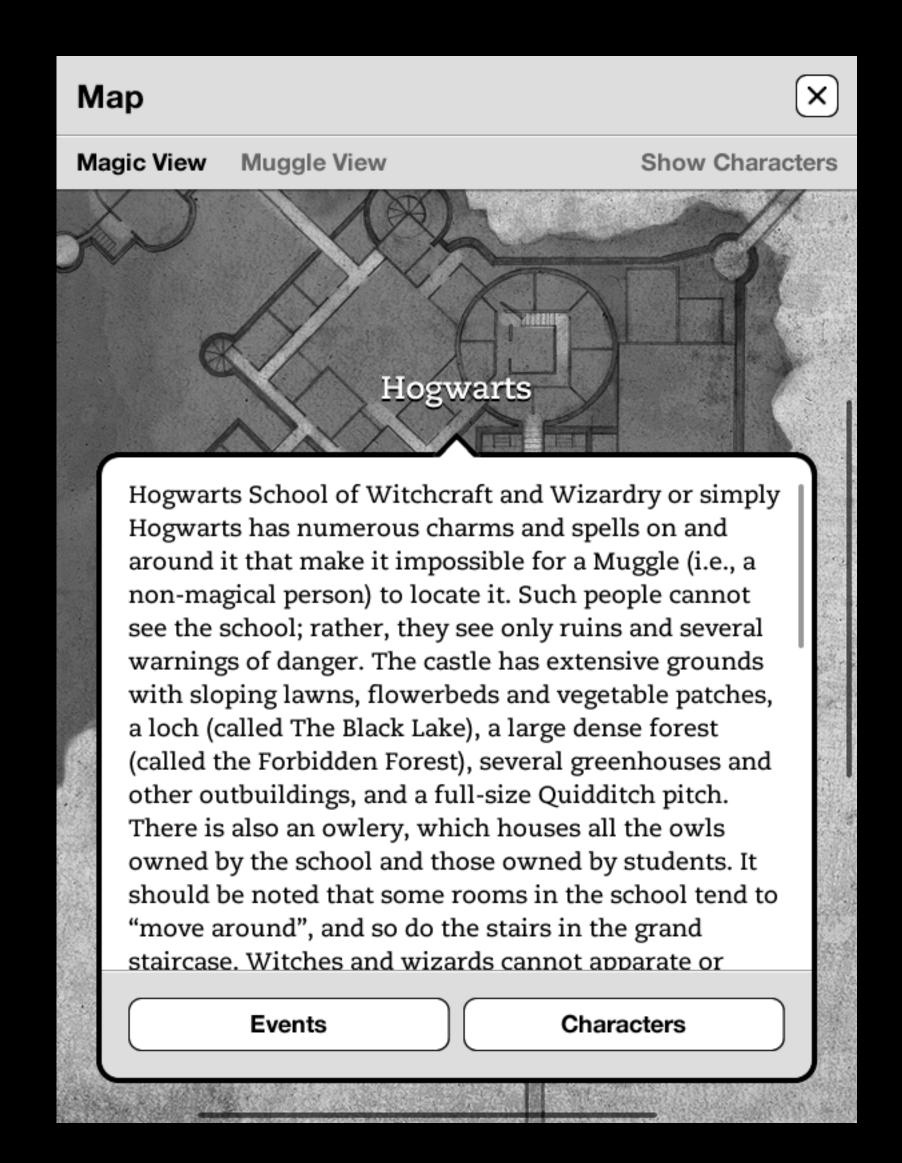


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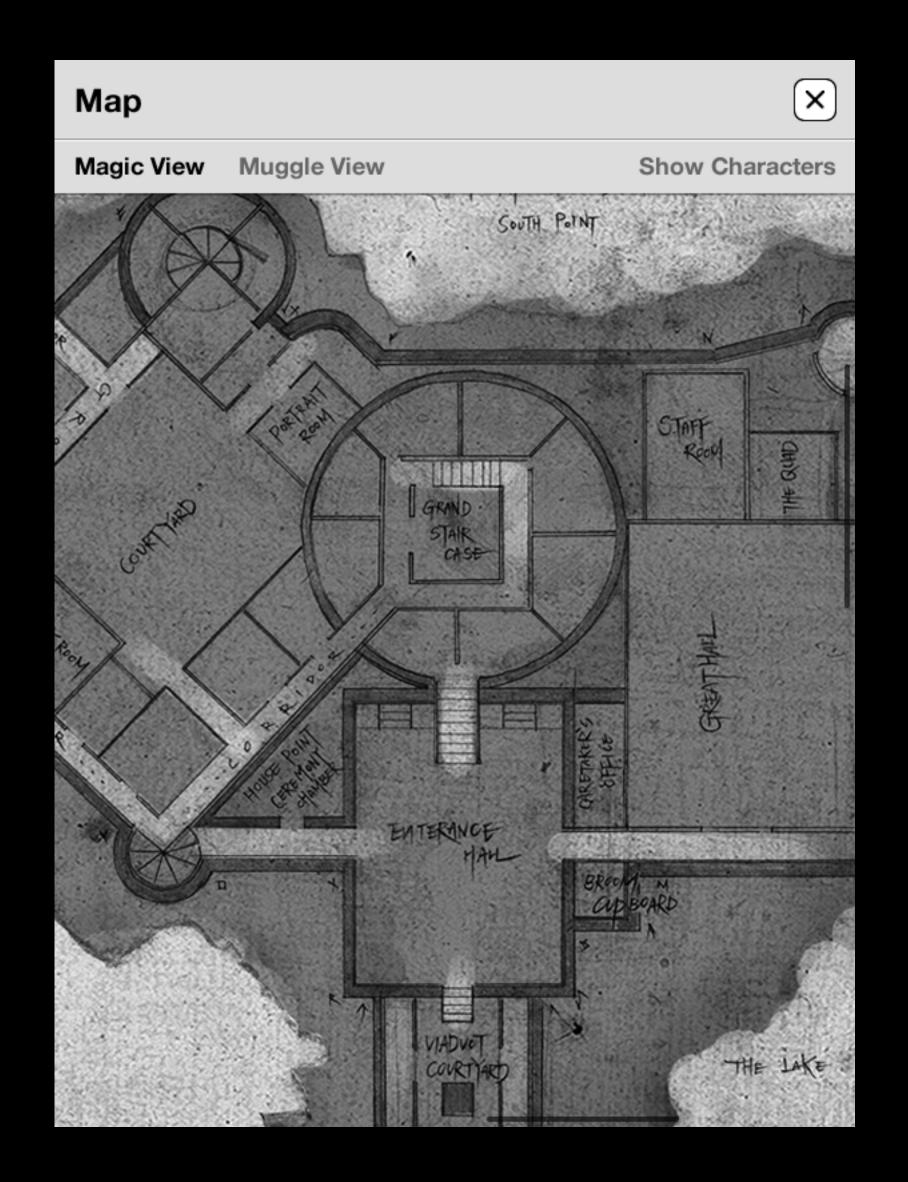
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### Plug-in Content

black one, with something chose to reverence. Its eyes were still just open. Harry could see a strip of gleaming yellow beneath its wrinkled black eyelid."This is a Hungarian Horntail," said Charlie. "There's a Common Welsh Green over there, the smaller one—a Swedish Short-Snout, that blue-gray—and a Chinese Fireball, that's the red."

Charlie looked around; Madame Maxime was strolling away around the edge of the enclosure, gazing at the stunned dragons.

"I didn't know you were bringing her, Hagrid," Charlie said, frowning. "The champions aren't supposed to know what's coming—she's bound to tell her student, isn't she?"

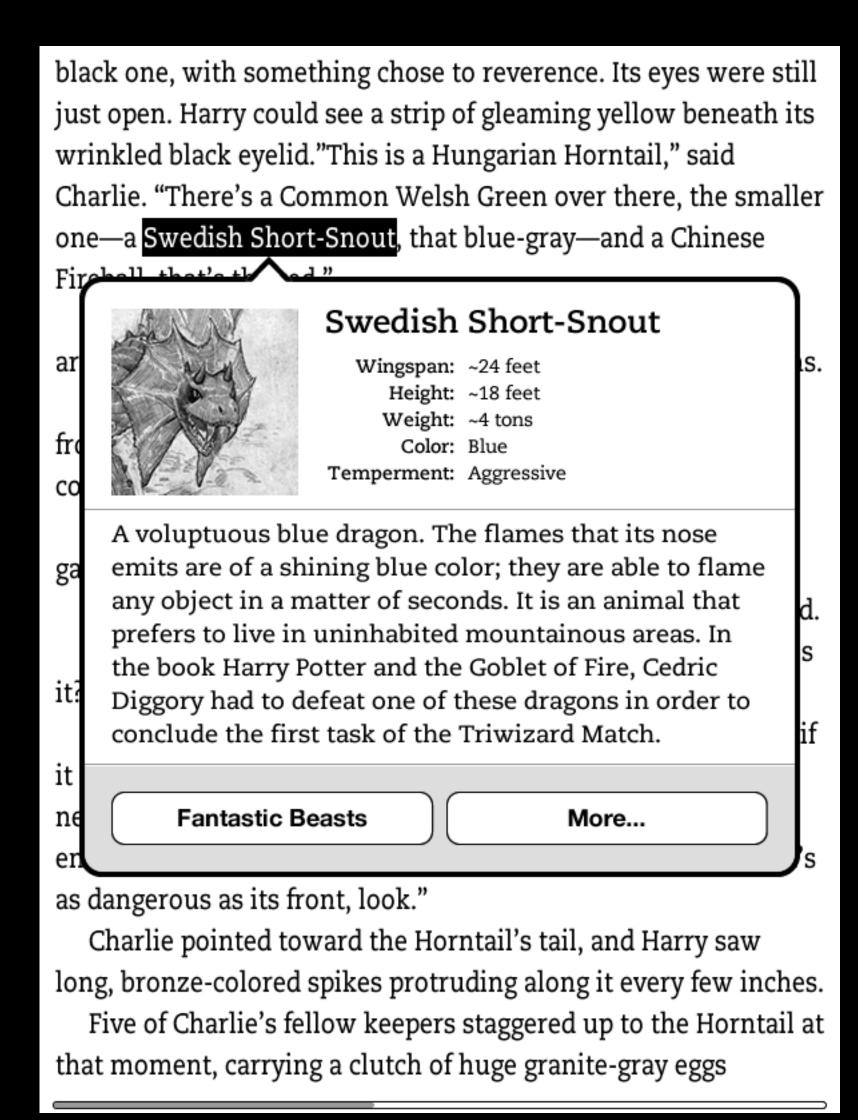
"Jus' thought she'd like ter see 'em," shrugged Hagrid, still gazing, enraptured, at the dragons.

"Really romantic date, Hagrid," said Charlie, shaking his head. "Four..." said Hagrid, "so it's one fer each o' the champions, is it? What've they gotta do—fight 'em?"

"Just get past them, I think," said Charlie. "We'll be on hand if it gets nasty, Extinguishing Spells at the ready. They wanted nesting mothers, I don't know why...but I tell you this, I don't envy the one who gets the Horntail. Vicious thing. Its back end's as dangerous as its front, look."

Charlie pointed toward the Horntail's tail, and Harry saw long, bronze-colored spikes protruding along it every few inches.

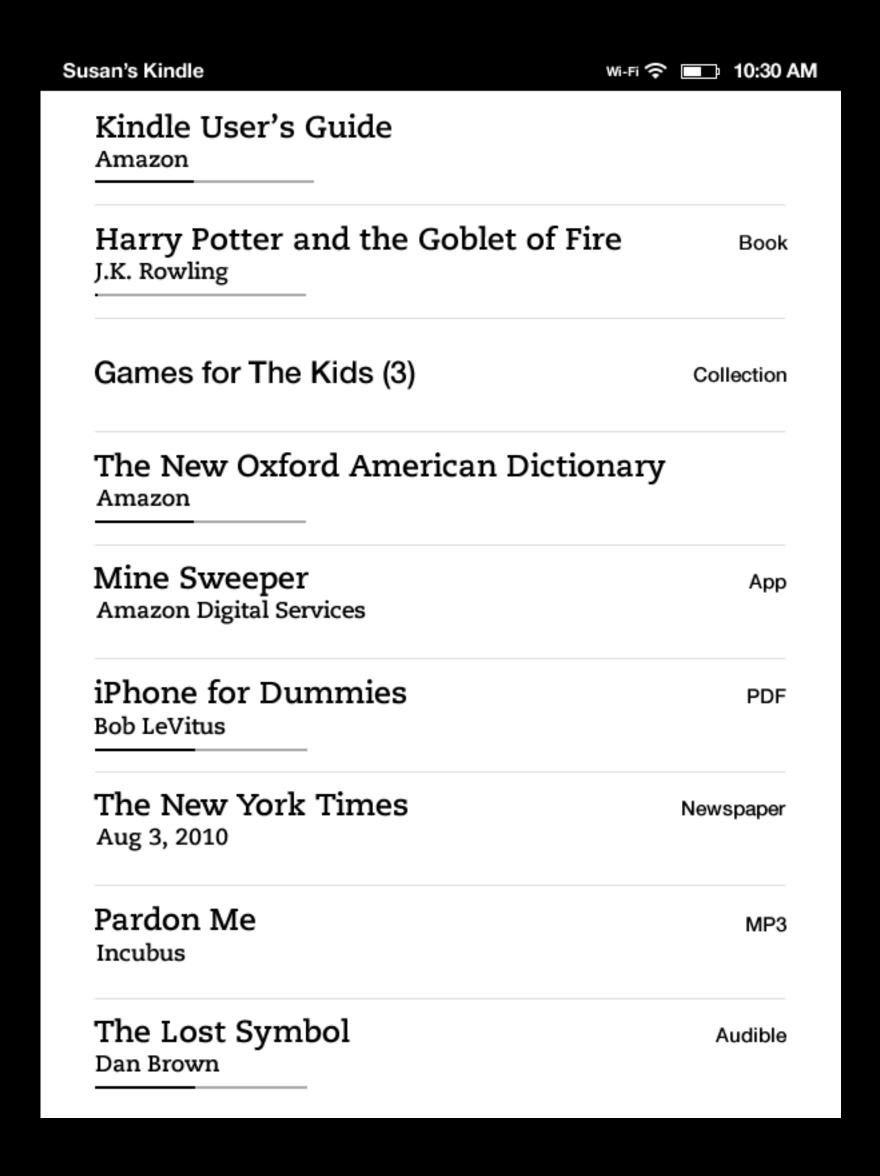
Five of Charlie's fellow keepers staggered up to the Horntail at that moment, carrying a clutch of huge granite-gray eggs





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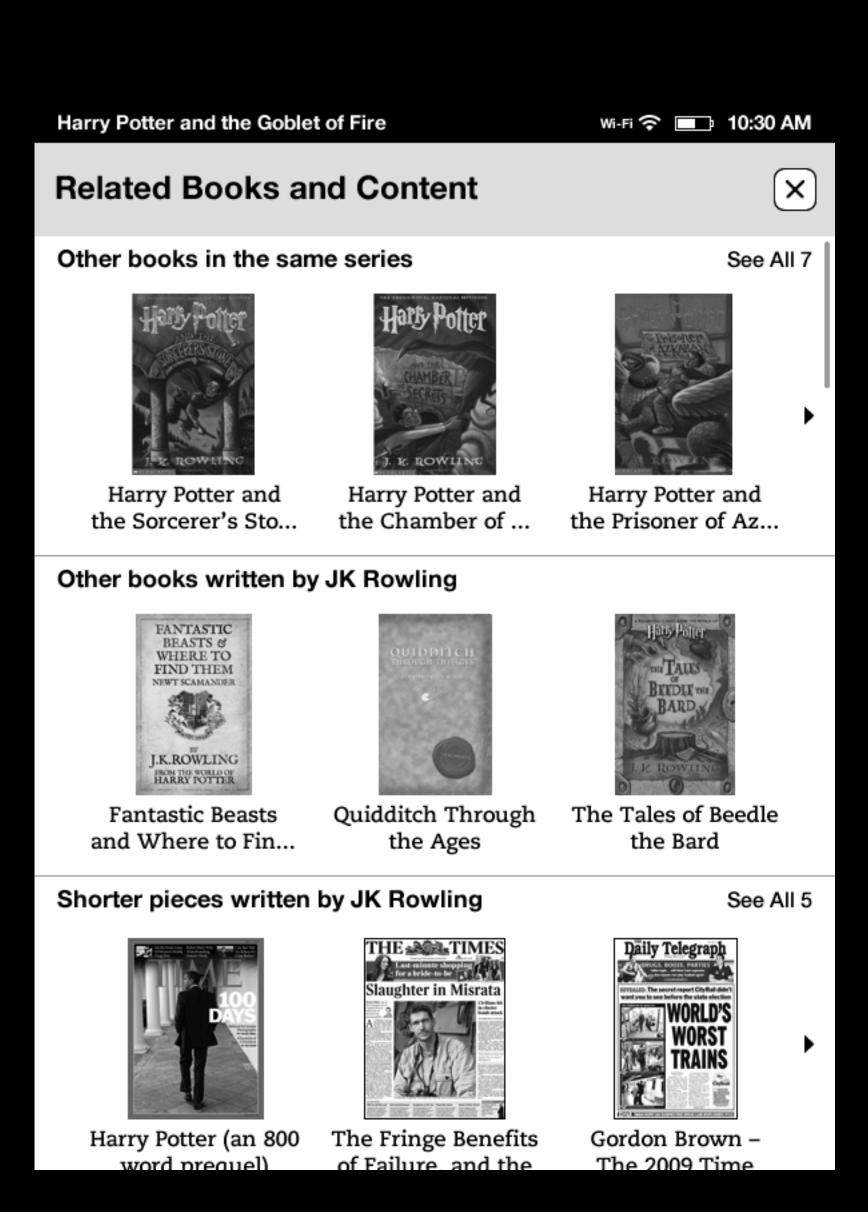
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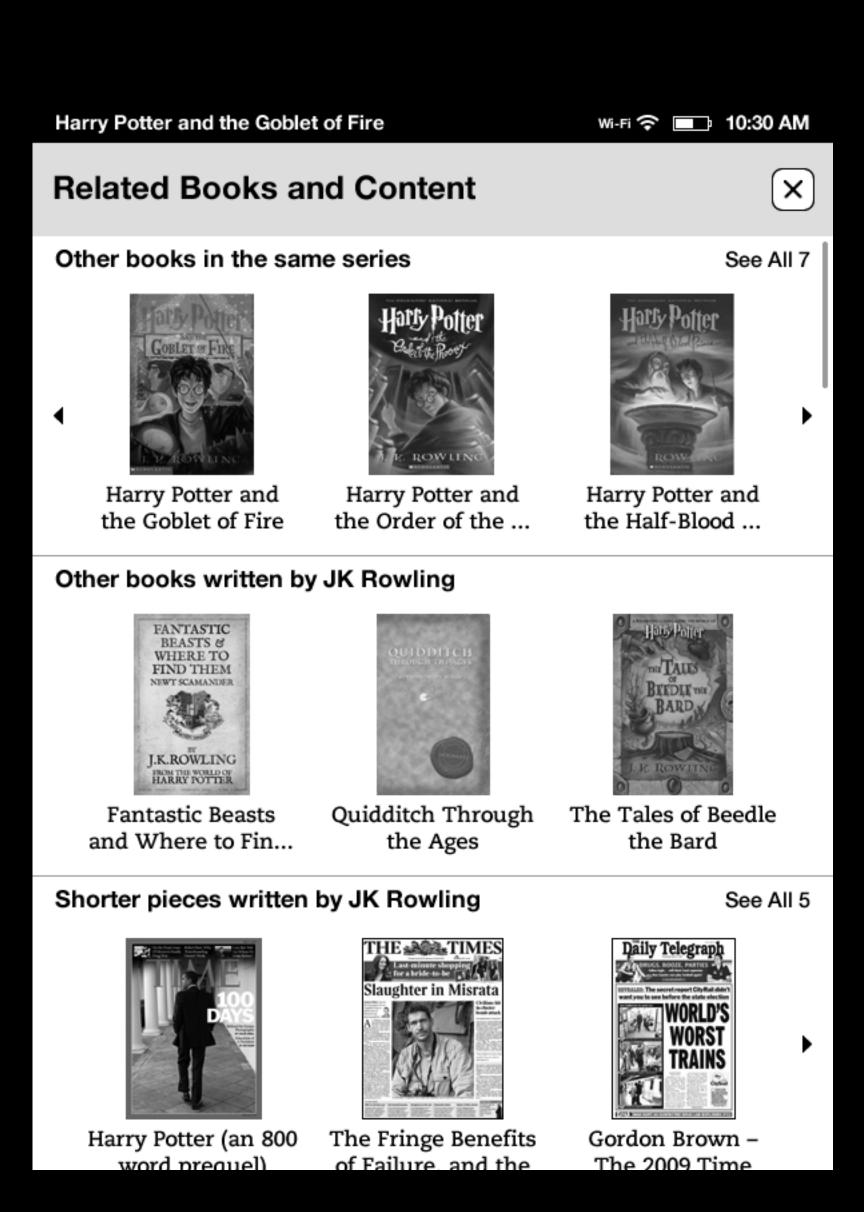


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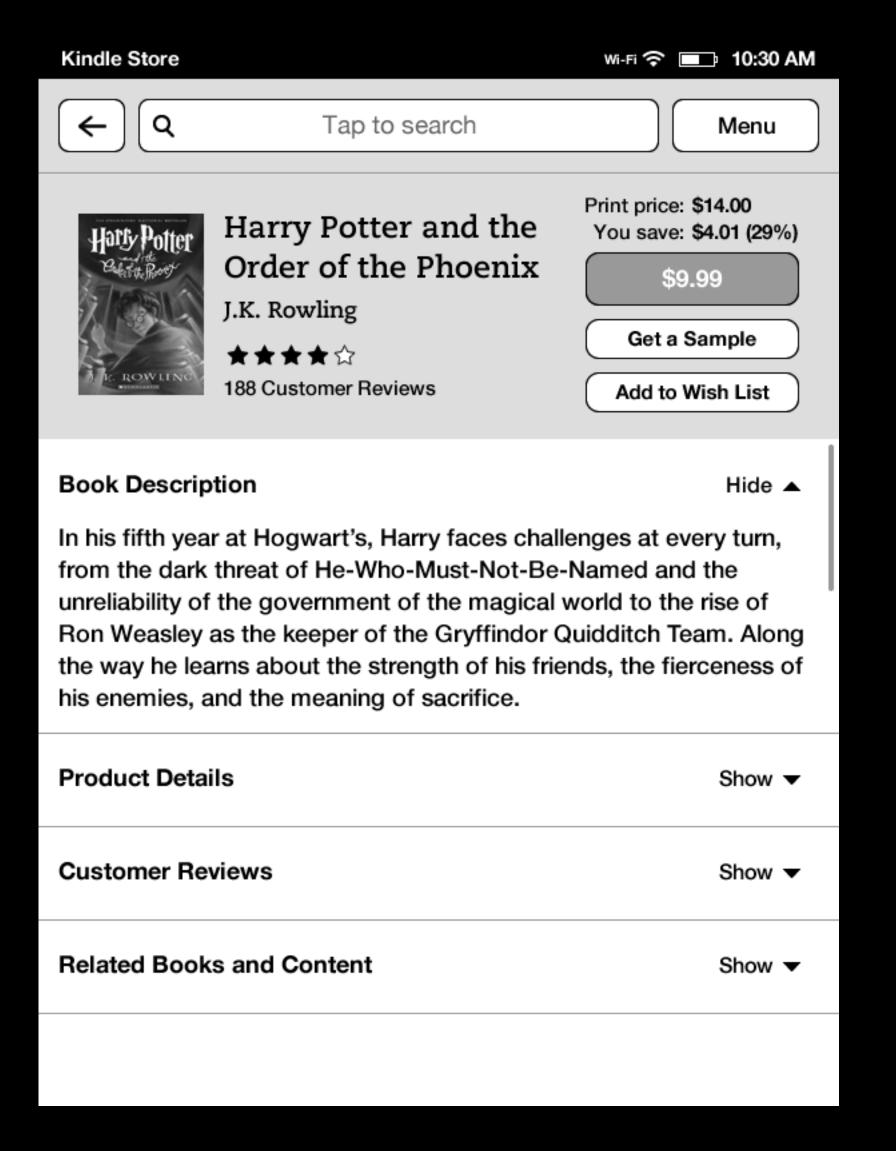
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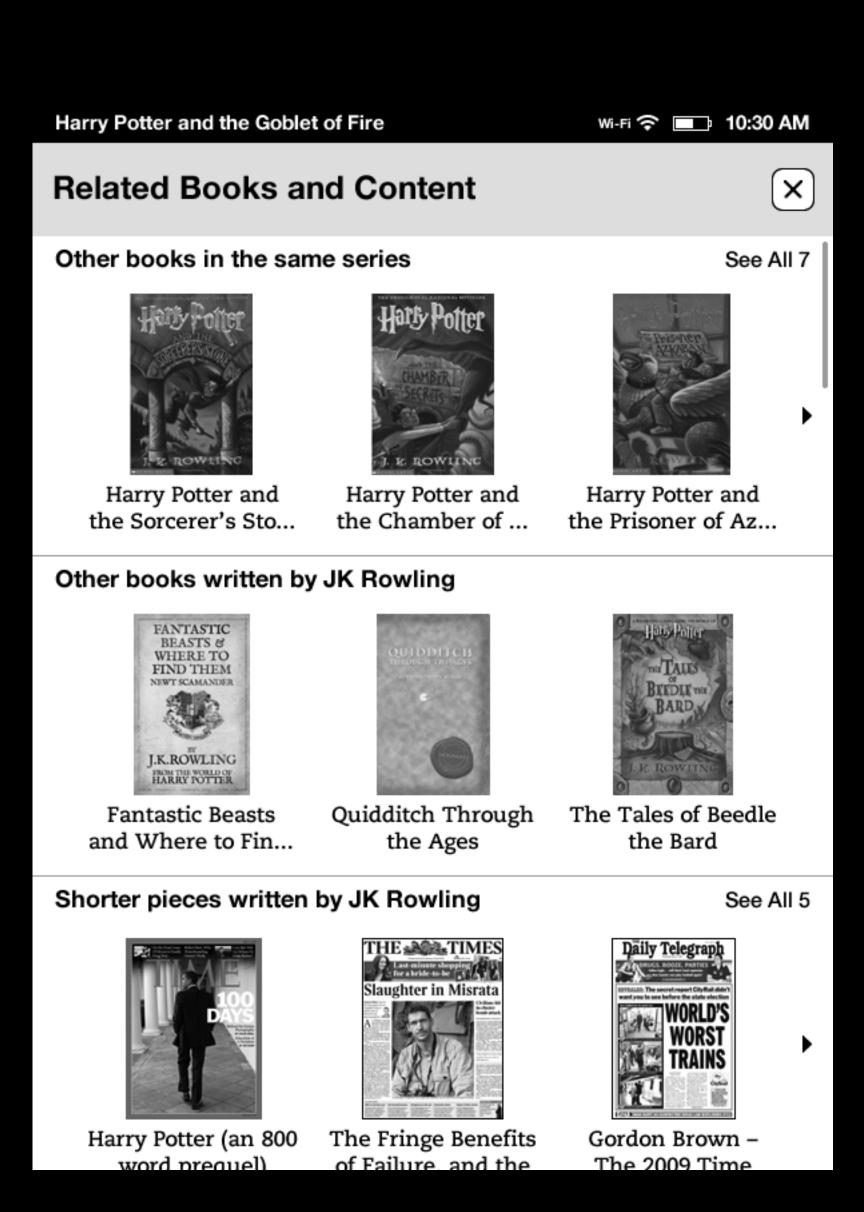


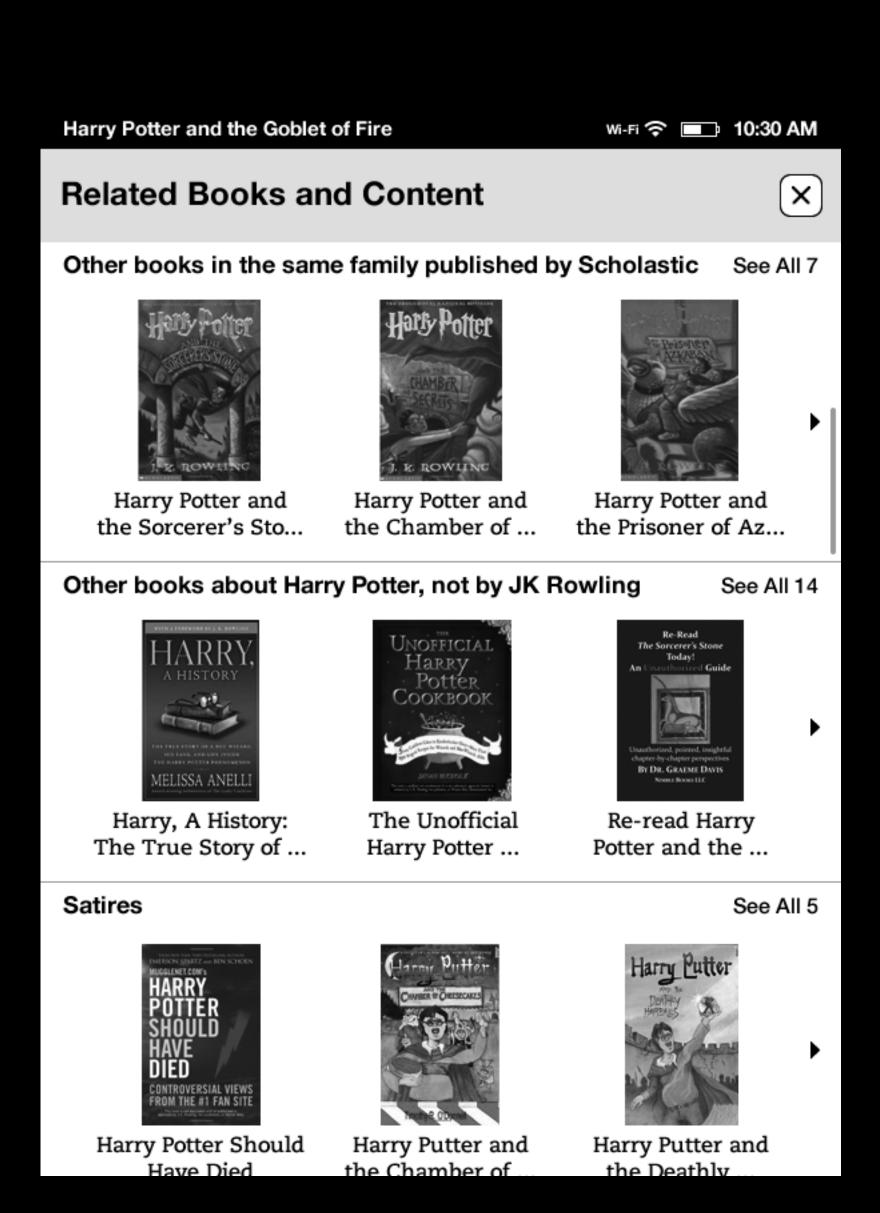
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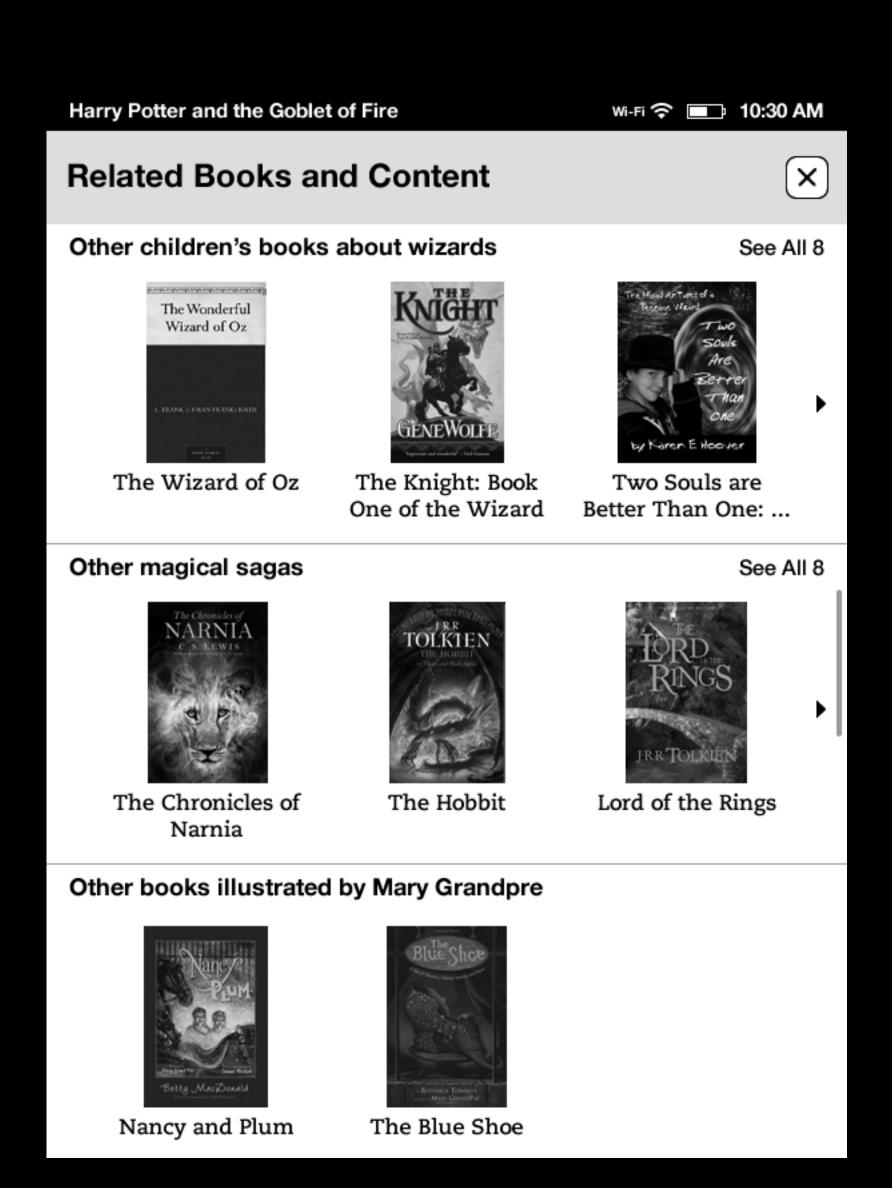


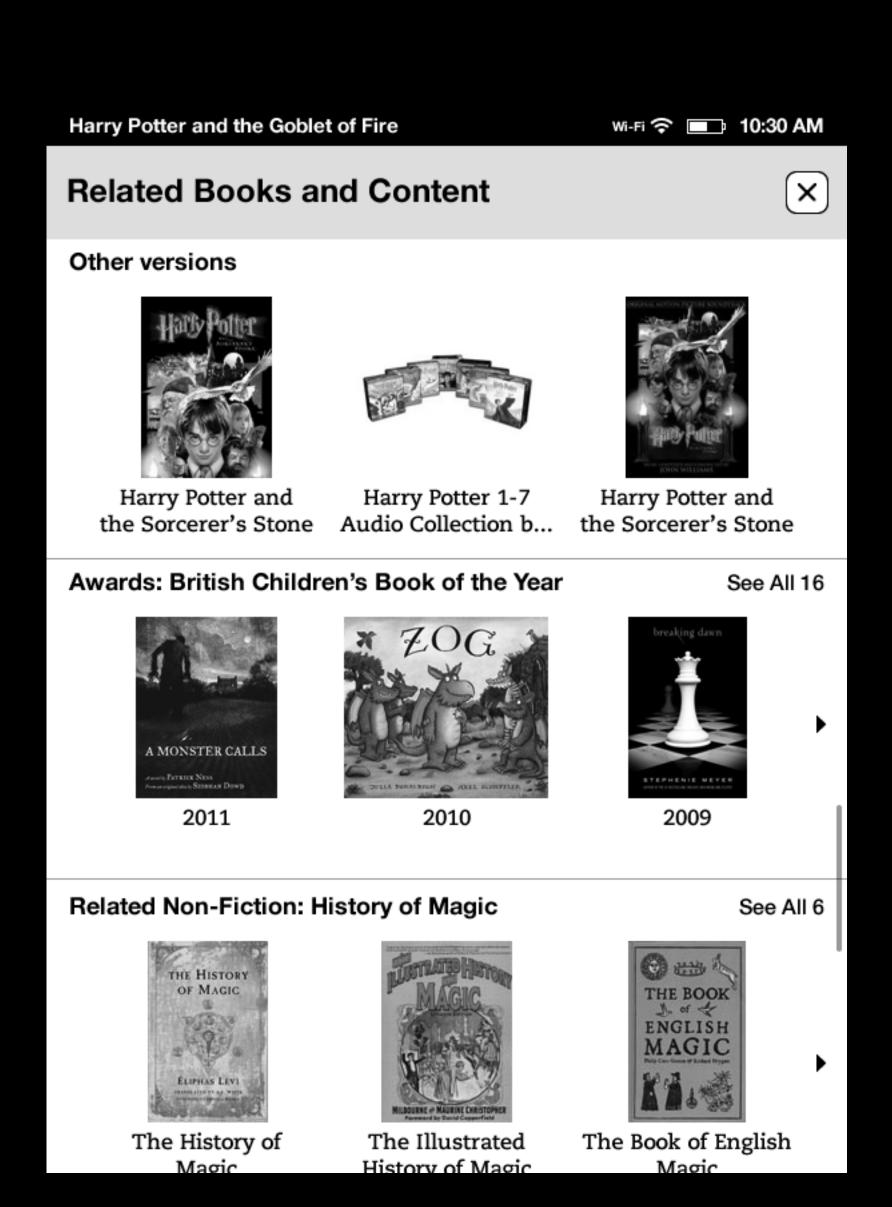
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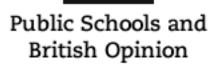












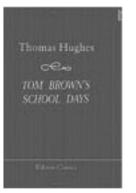


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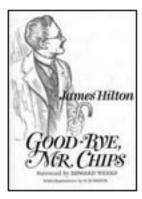


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## List View (from end of book)

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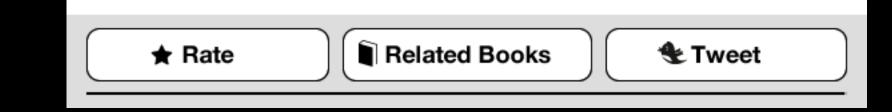
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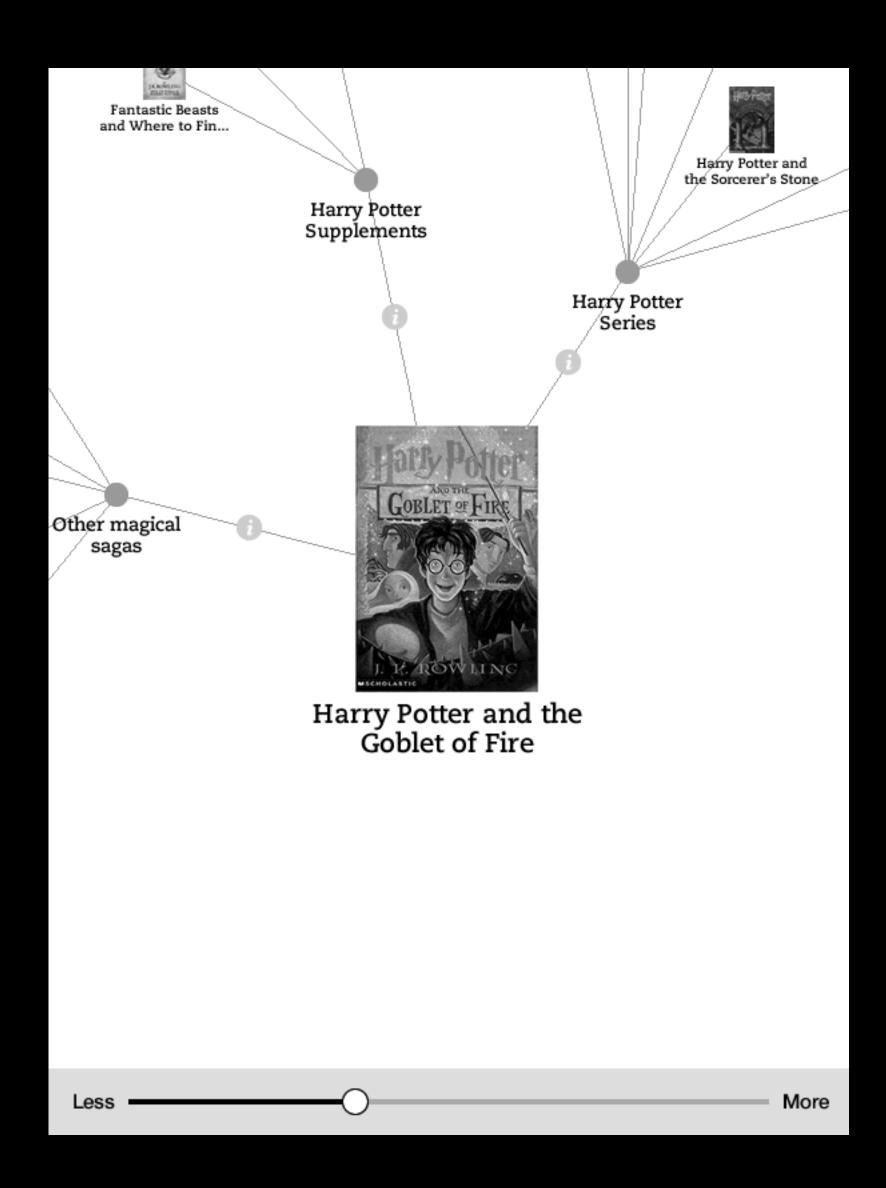
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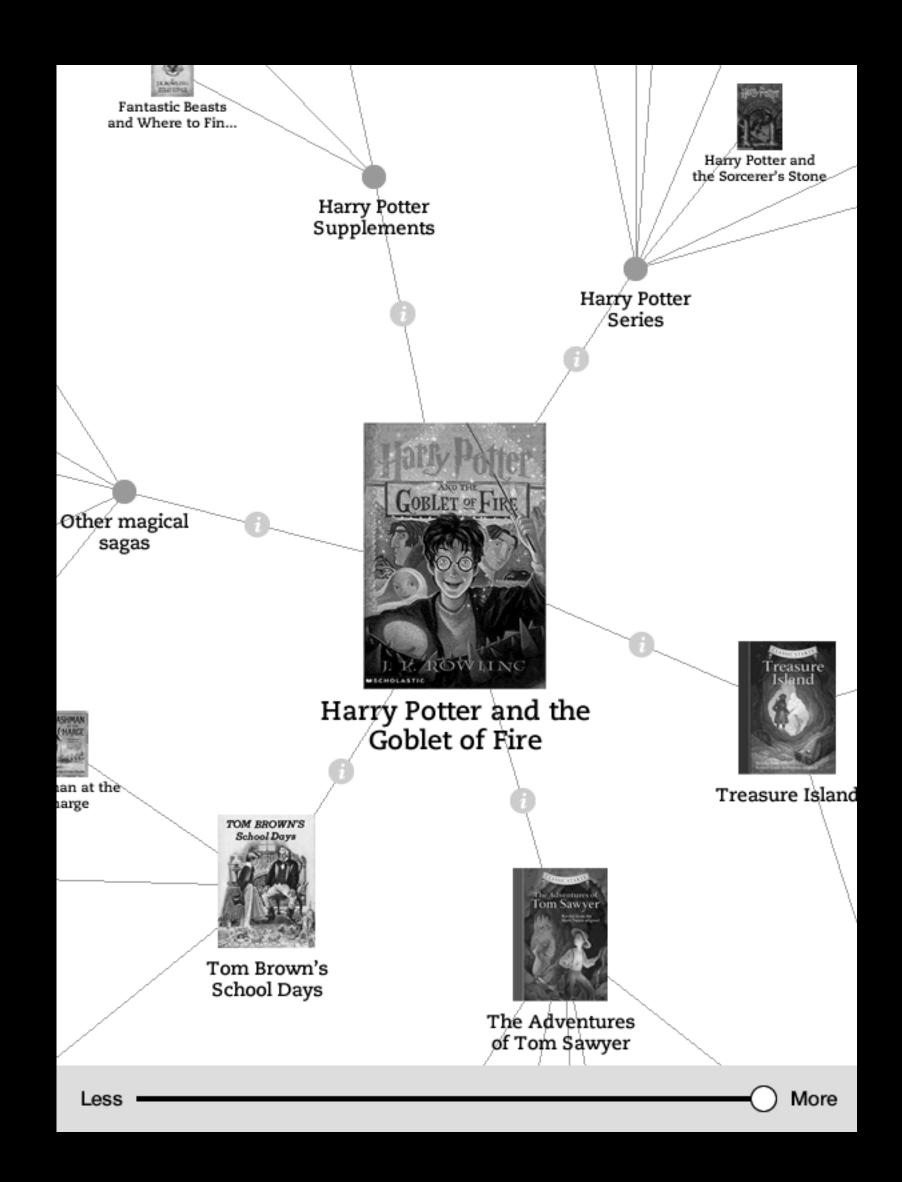
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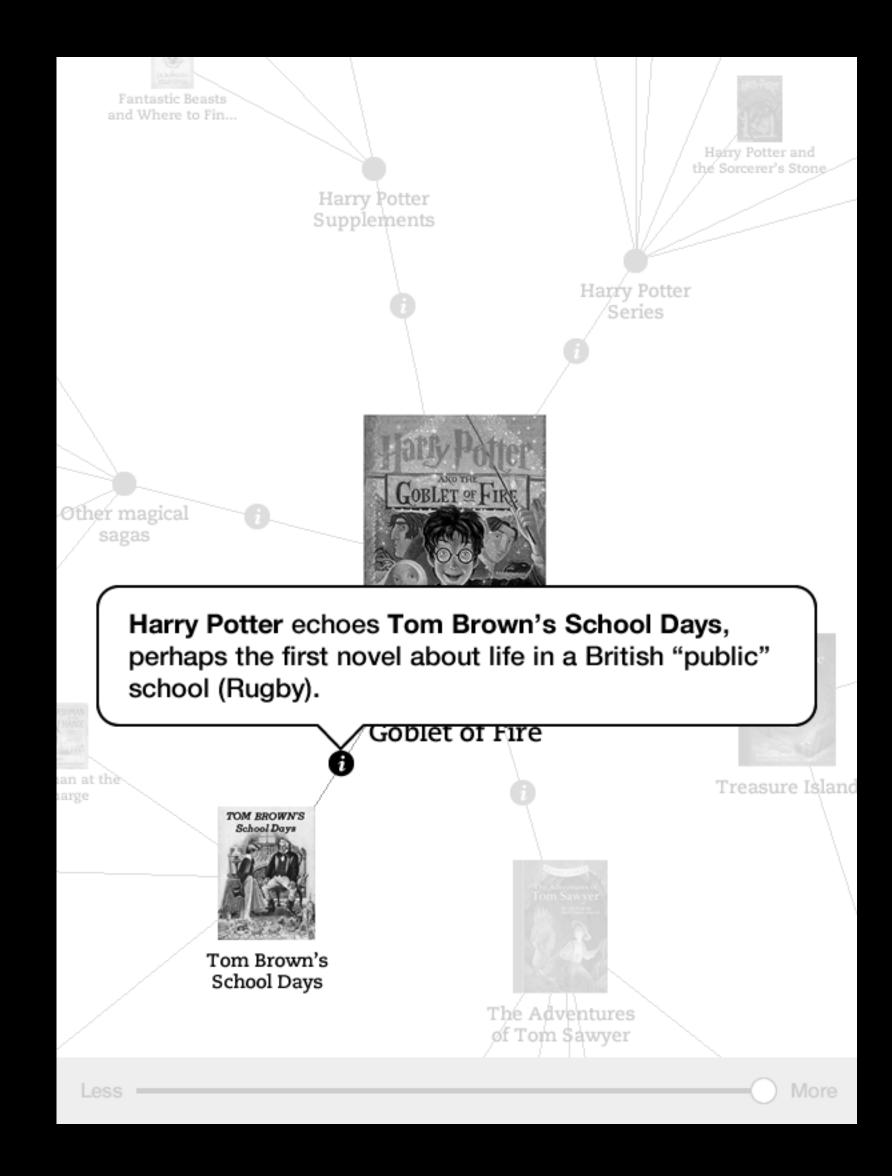


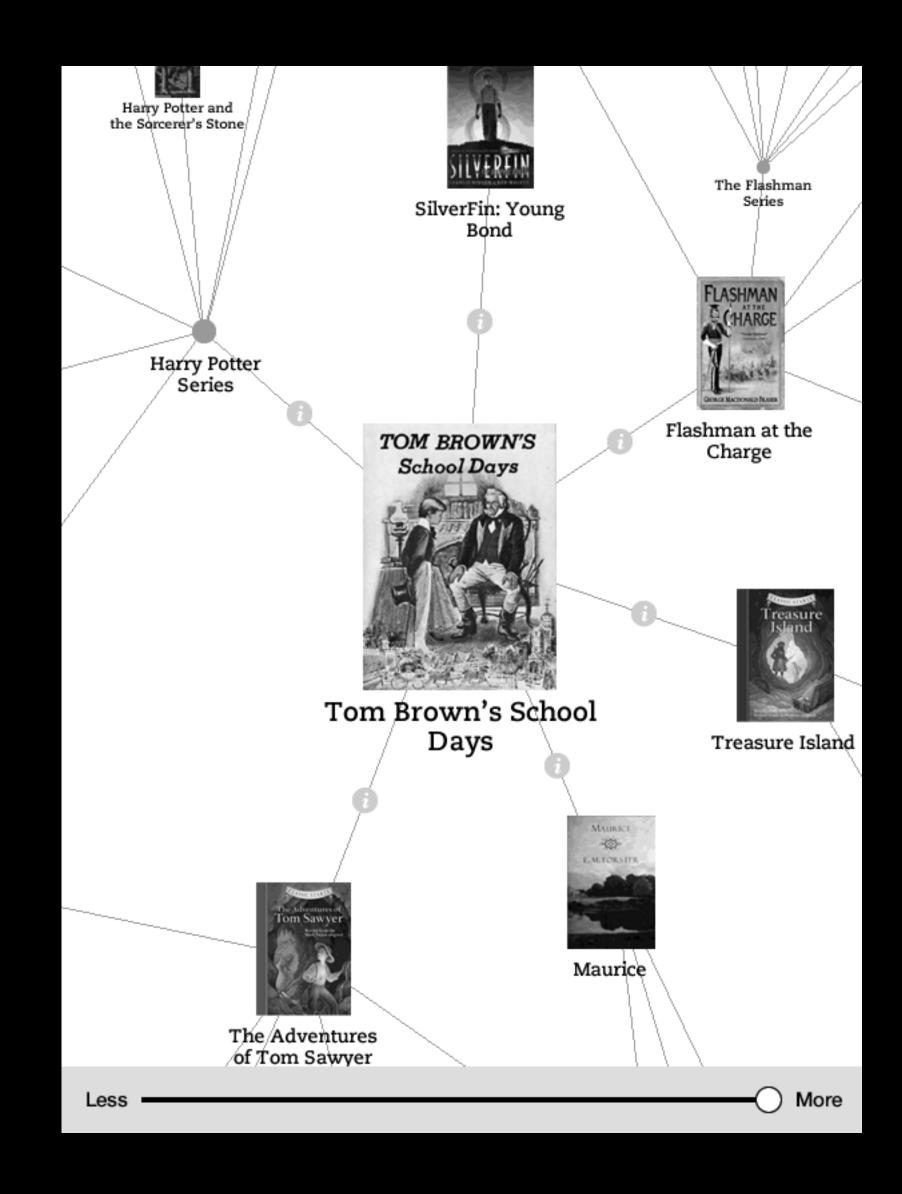
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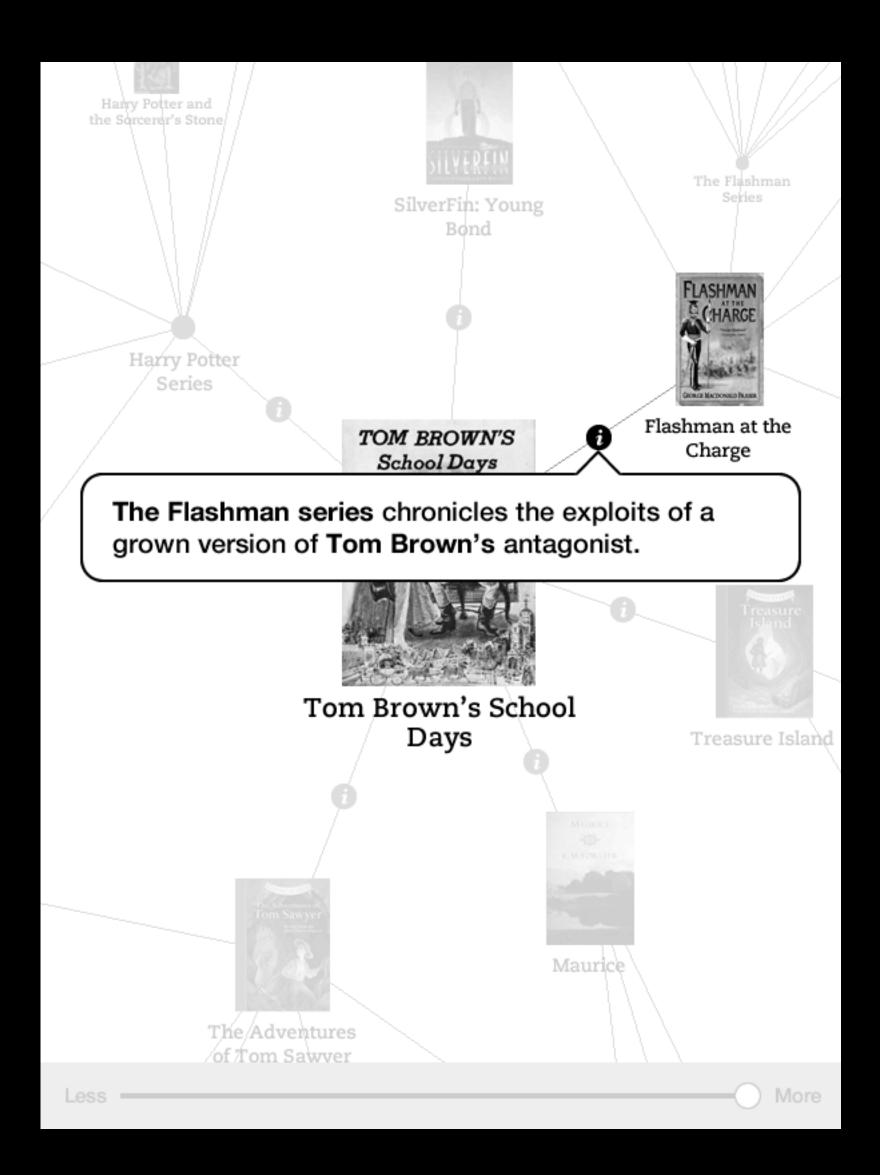




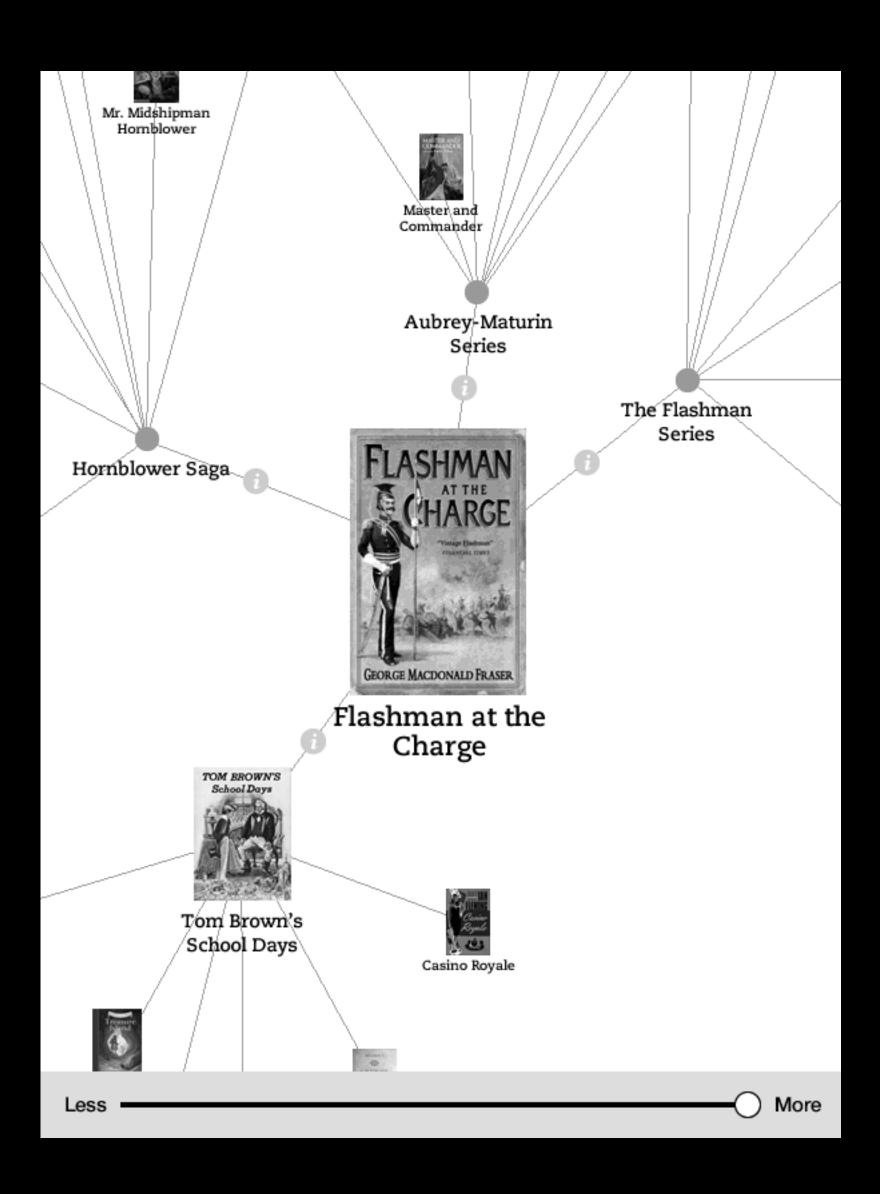
Tom Brown is also the basis for the Flashman series by George MacDonald Fraser. (Flashman is Tom Brown's Draco Malfoy; Fraser writes about Flashman after he leaves Rugby.)

Tom Brown also influenced Maurice, by E.M. Forster, and perhaps Brideshead Revisited, by Evelyn Waugh. Brideshead relates to Another Country, a play by Julian Mitchell.

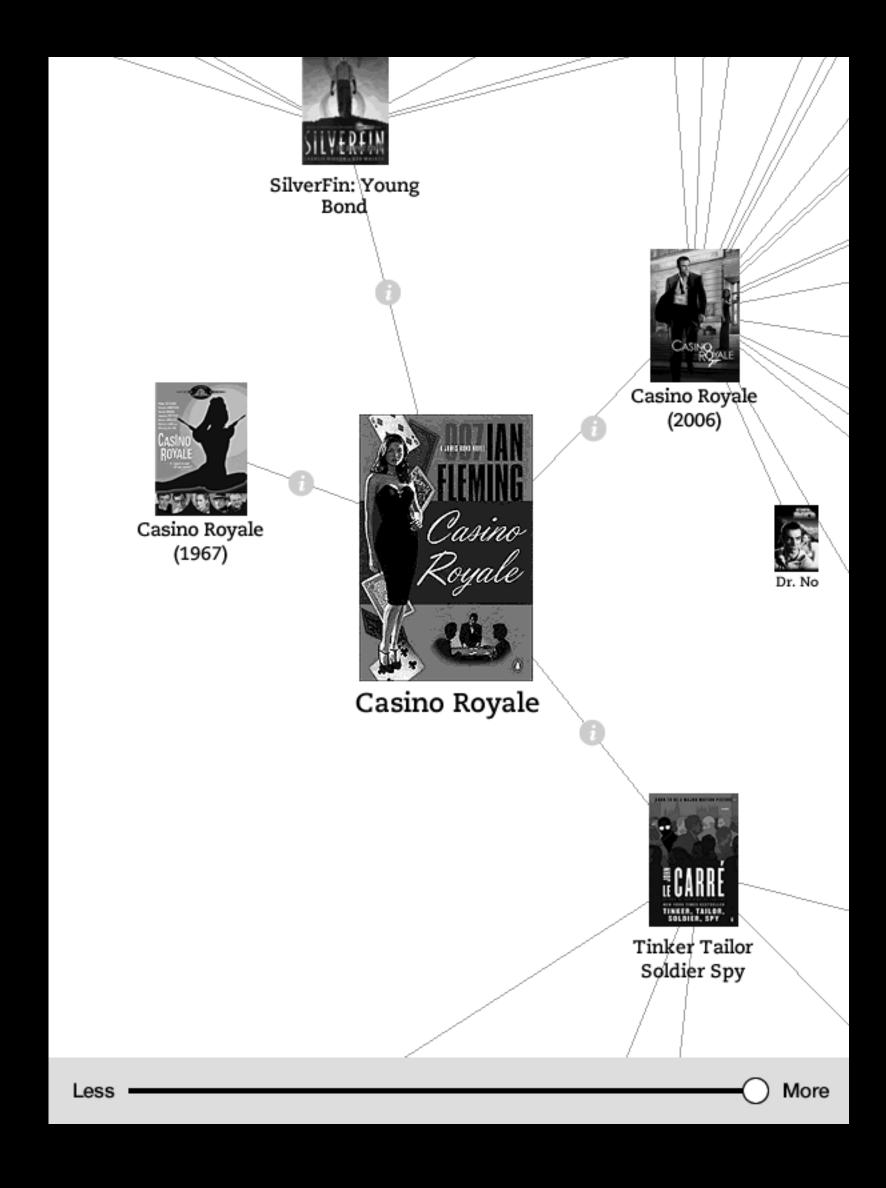
Another Country provides the backstory to the MI5 cold-war spy scandals and thus to John La Carre's Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy, which is a sort of anti-James Bond (by lan Flemming).



The Flashman series calls to mind
C.S. Forester's earlier Lietenant Hornblower series
and Patrick O'Brian's later Aubrey/Maturin series,
e.g., Master and Commander.

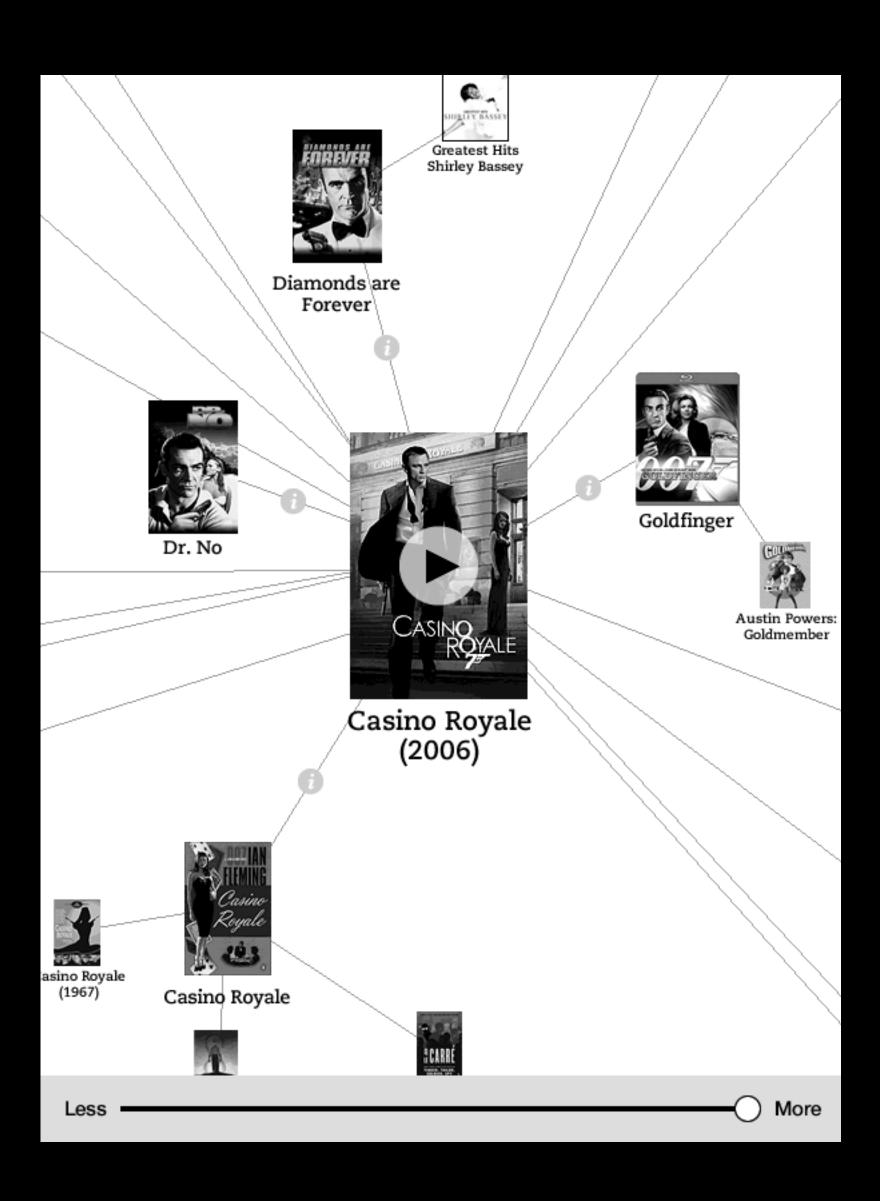


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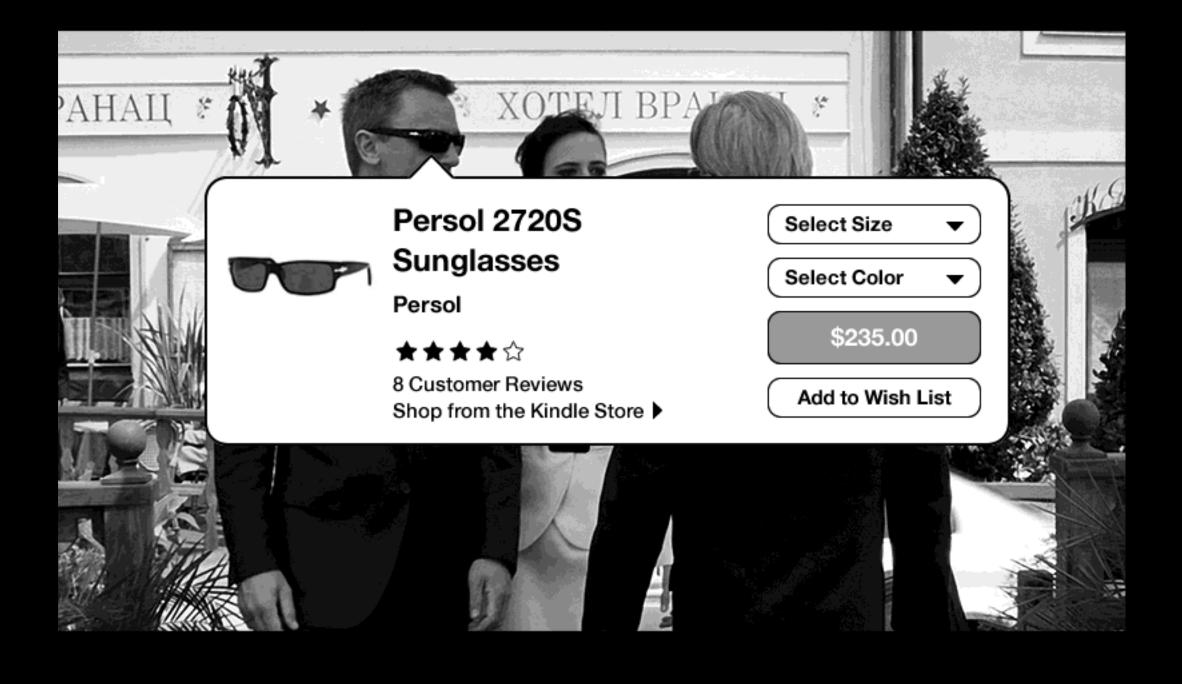


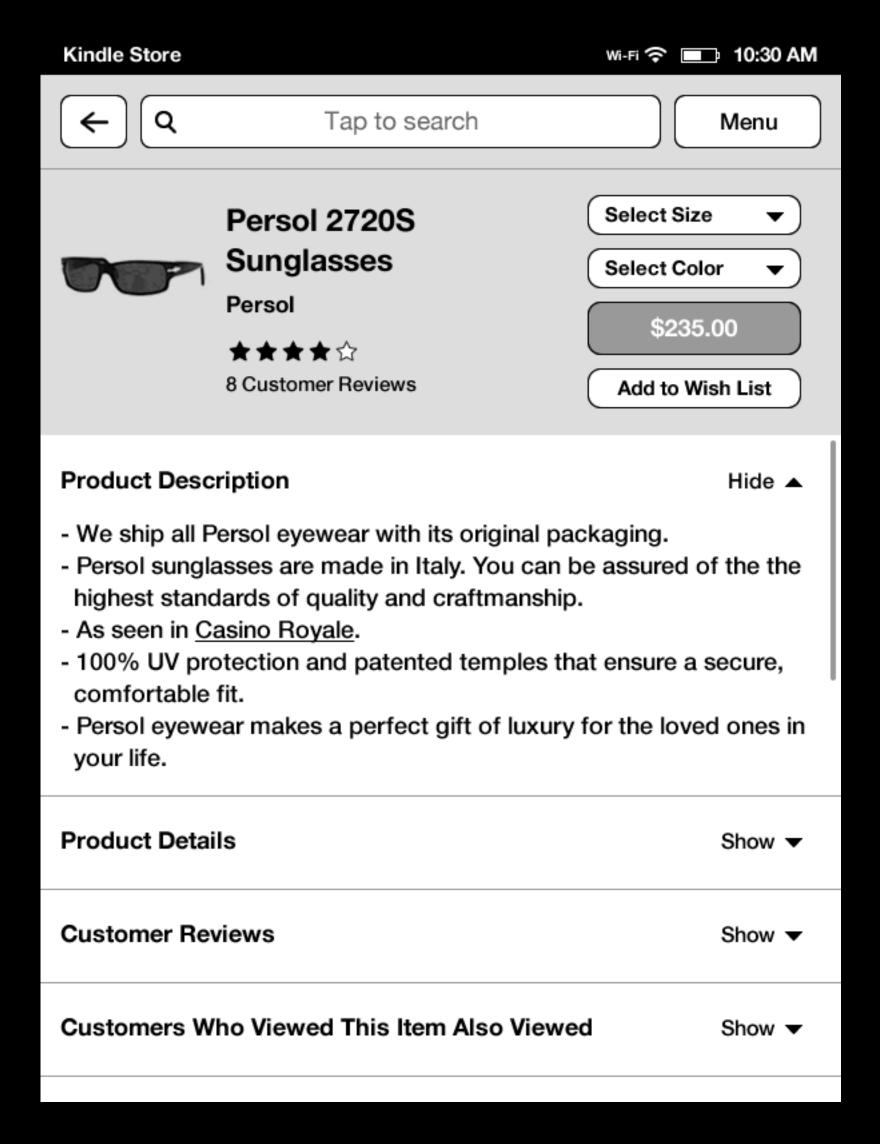
Shirley Bassey sung the theme song Diamonds are Forever.

Mike Meyers starred in parody Goldmember, whose name
was based on the villian from Goldfinger.









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