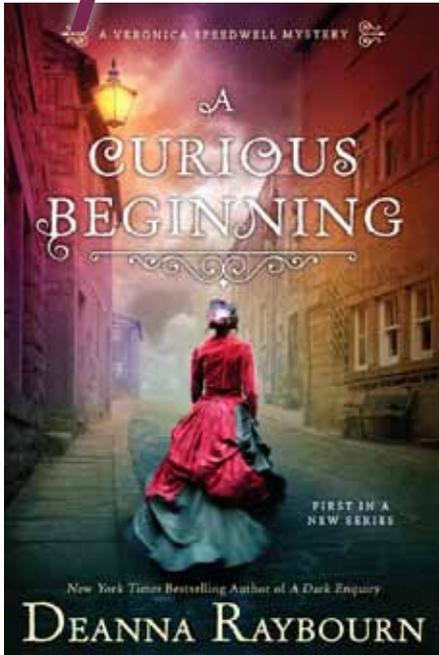
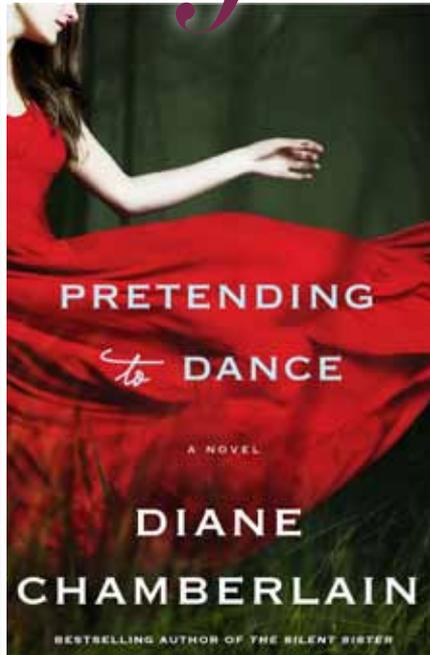


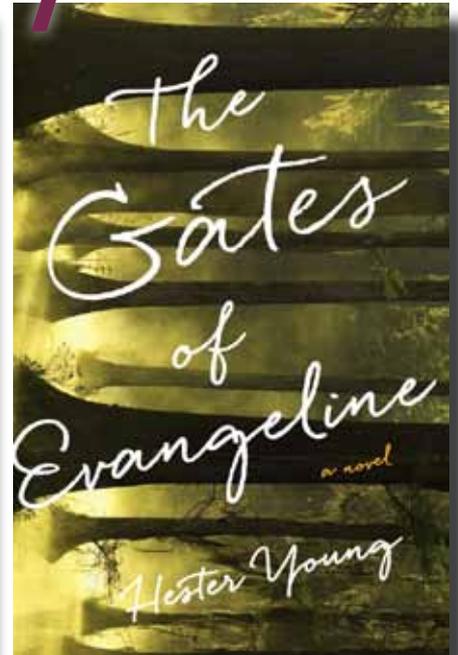
Spellbinding Suspense



■ *A CURIOUS BEGINNING*, DEANNA RAYBOURN (NEW AMERICAN LIBRARY)



■ *PRETENDING TO DANCE*, DIANE CHAMBERLAIN (ST. MARTIN'S PRESS)



■ *THE GATES OF EVANGELINE*, HESTER YOUNG (G.P. PUTNAM'S SONS)

Veronica Speedwell, an intrepid explorer who has traveled the world searching for rare butterfly specimens, is the heroine of this witty new mystery series set in the Victorian era. When her cottage is ransacked and she's warned of impending danger by the kind, yet mysterious Baron von Stauffenbach, she flees to London and is left in the care of ill-tempered naturalist Stoker. When the two discover that the Baron himself has been brutally murdered, they team up to elude authorities and a possible set-up in a series of harrowing adventures.

In this thrilling page-turner that marks the author's 24th novel, Molly Arnette and her husband are taking the first steps toward adopting a baby. But during their interview with the social worker, Molly lies about her parents, claiming they both died from disease. The truth is, during her idyllic childhood in the Blue Ridge Mountains, her mother murdered her father – and she may still be alive today. Molly had divulged those secrets once and they had cost her. She won't let them ruin her chance to adopt a baby. (Release date: 10/06/2015)

Kicking off a new series inspired by the author's own family history, this riveting Southern gothic tale introduces "Charlie" Cates, a divorced magazine editor reeling from the death of her young son. Haunted by visions of children in jeopardy, she finds herself in Chicory, Louisiana, entangled in a 30-year-old missing-child case that involves the wealthy and eccentric Deveau family, who live at a plantation-era estate called Evangeline. In Charlie's search for the truth, she uncovers buried secrets of love, money, betrayal and murder.



SPIRITED SIPS IN A SNAP

Homespun hospitality never tasted so good with a refreshing splash of Bloomery SweetShine. The award-winning line of artisanal liqueurs are sustainably crafted with 100% natural ingredients, from raspberries and Italian lemons to black walnuts and Hawaiian ginger, grown on the distillery's 12-acre farm in Charles Town, W.Va.

For an easy-as-pie cocktail to savor this season, just mix, pour and serve:

- PUMPKIN SPICE TODDY**
(recipe and photo by Sarah Murphy)
- 1 oz Pumpkin Spice SweetShine
 - 1 oz bourbon
 - 4 oz hot tea
 - Top with whipped cream
 - Garnish with grated cinnamon