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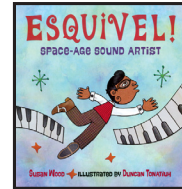
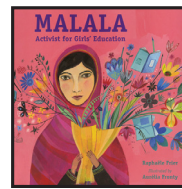
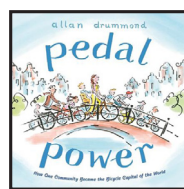
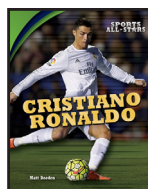
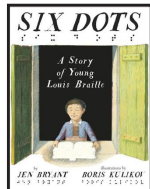
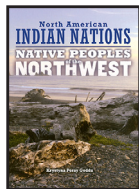
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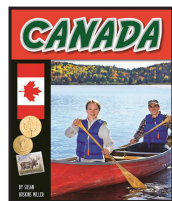
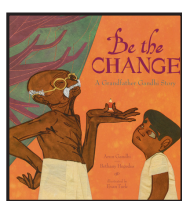
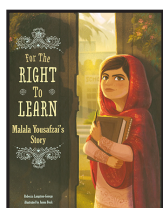
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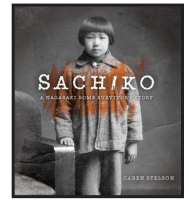
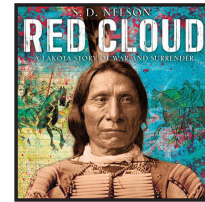
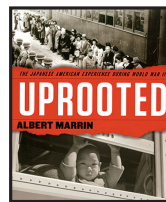
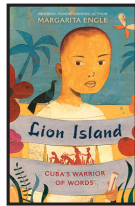
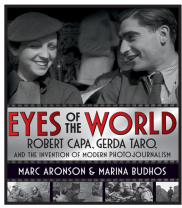
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- Q** Horn Book Guide
- W** Publishers Weekly
- +** Starred review
- AR** Accelerated Reader® test available
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