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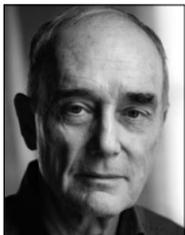
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5	I Sing the Body Electric, Part 1	8:59
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11	When Lilacs Last in the Dooryard Bloom'd, Part 2	9:45
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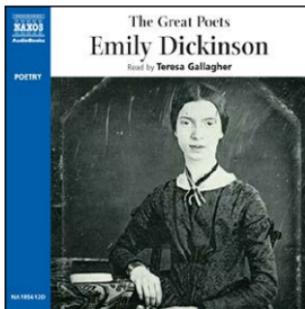
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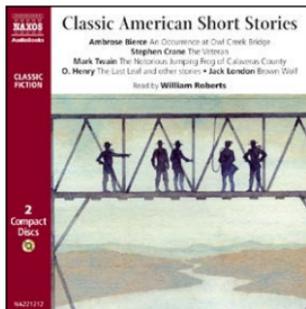
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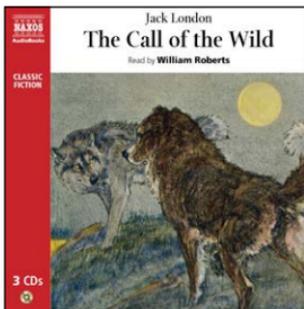
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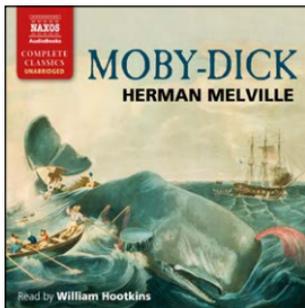
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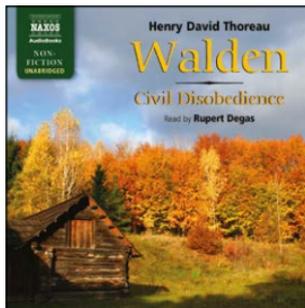
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