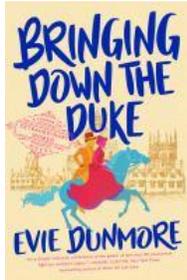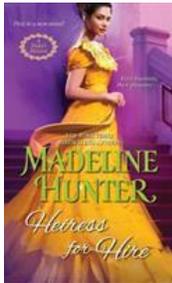# Carver County Library Suggests
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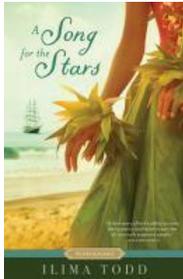
Evie Dunmore – *Bringing Down the Duke* (DUN 2019)
Annabelle Archer, the brilliant daughter of a country vicar, has earned herself a place among the first cohort of female students at the University of Oxford. In return for her scholarship, she must support the rising women's suffrage movement. Sebastian, Duke of Montgomery is appalled to find a suffragist squad has infiltrated his ducal home, but the real threat is his impossible feelings for green-eyed beauty Annabelle Archer.

Madeline Hunter – *Heiress for Hire* (HUN 2020)
Chase Radnor, a detective and grandson of a lord, insists that Minerva has inherited a fortune from his uncle, a wealthy duke. Minerva has a sudden attraction to this exasperating man . Chase can't decide whether Minerva is a wronged woman or a femme fatale. She may be the perfect person to help him uncover the truth about his uncle's demise. But as proximity gives way to mutual seduction, Chase realizes he craves a much deeper alliance.
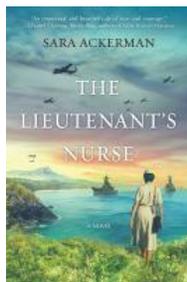
Llima Todd – *A Song for the Stars* (TOD 2019)
In 1779, the daughter of a royal Hawaiian chief, Maile will be permitted to marry for love. When sailors from England arrive on her island, a misunderstanding ends in battle. Maile is suddenly widowed before she is wed. Finding herself in the middle of the battle and fearing for her life, Maile takes John Harbottle, the wounded man who killed her fiancé, prisoner. Though originally intending to let him die, she reluctantly heals him. Maile is tasked with teaching John how to navigate using the stars so he can sail back to England. By doing so, they might also find the peace that comes when two hearts become one.

Chanel Cleeton – *When We Left Cuba* (CLE 2019)
Recruited by the CIA to infiltrate Fidel Castro's inner circle and pulled into the dangerous world of espionage, Beatriz is consumed by her quest for revenge. Beatriz is caught between the clash of Cuban-American politics and the perils of a forbidden affair. When tides of history threaten everything she has fought for, she must make a choice between her past and future, and the wrong move could cost Beatriz everything - including the man who has stolen her heart.
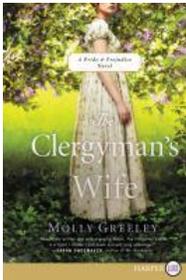
Sara Ackerman – The *Lieutenant's Nurse* (ACK 2019)
Newly enlisted as an Army Corps nurse, Eva is stunned by the splendor she experiences aboard the steamship SS Lurline; even more so by Lt. Clark Spencer, a man she is drawn to but who clearly has secrets of his own. Nothing can prepare them for the bombing of Pearl Harbor. The danger that finds Eva threatens everything she holds dear. Amid the chaos and heartbreak, Eva will have to decide whom to trust and how far she will go to protect those she loves.
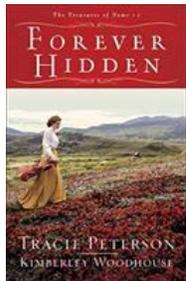
Mary Pat Kelly – *Irish Above All* (KEL 2019)

After ten years in Paris where she learned photography Chicago-born, Irish-American Nora Kelly is returning home. Her skill as a photographer will help her cousin in his rise to Mayor of Chicago. When she captures the moment an assassin's bullet narrowly misses President-elect Franklin Roosevelt she enters a world of international intrigue and danger. She encounters larger-than-life historical characters and the circle of women who surround F.D.R. But, it's her unexpected trip to Ireland that transforms her life.
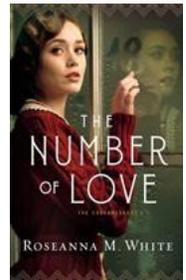
Molly Greeley – *Clergyman's Wife* (GRE 2019)

Charlotte is the respectable wife of Hunsford's vicar. Intelligent, pragmatic, and anxious to escape the shame of spinsterhood, Charlotte chose this life, one so socially acceptable that its quietness threatens to overwhelm her. Then she makes the acquaintance of Mr. Travis, a local farmer. In Mr. Travis' company, Charlotte feels appreciated, heard, and seen. For the first time in her life, Charlotte begins to understand emotional intimacy and its effect on the heart.
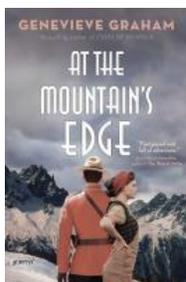
Tracie Peterson – *Forever Hidden* (PET 2020)

For Havyn Powell is growing up outside the 1904 gold-rush boomtown of Nome, Alaska. John Roselli arrives in Nome looking for a steady, consistent job. When John arrives at Havyn's family dairy, he's quickly offered a job and a path to more if he wants it. Havyn's uses her beautiful singing voice at a local roadhouse. But the spotlight brings with it dangerous eyes that covet Havyn and are jealous as she and John grow ever closer. But will they realize the peril before it's too late?
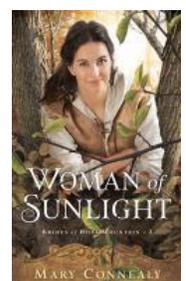
Roseanna M. White – *The Number of Love* (WHI 2019)

During Great War, England's greatest asset is their intelligence network. Margot De Wilde spends her days deciphering intercepted messages. Drake Elton returns wounded from the field and is smitten by the intelligent Margot. Amid encrypted letters and a German spy who wants to destroy them, Margot and Drake work together to save themselves from the very secrets that brought them together.

Genevieve Graham – *At the Mountains Edge* (GRA 2019)

For Liza Peterson and her family, the gold rush is a chance for them to make a fortune. For Constable Ben Turner is a recent recruit of the North-West Mounted Police. The journey over icy mountain passes is more treacherous than Liza or Ben imagined, and neither is prepared for the forbidding north. As love begins to grow, new dangers arise, threatening to separate the couple forever. *At the Mountain's* Edge is an epic tale of romance and adventure about two people who must let go of the past not only to be together, but also to survive.

Mary Connealy – *Woman of Sunlight* (CON 2020)

The last thing Mitch Warden expects when he returns home is to fall smitten to a black-haired woman who dresses like Robin Hood. Warden is intent on helping his family reclaim their land but dangerous men have tracked him, and rather than risk innocent lives, he's determined to end the danger. But that means a journey to the city--and when Ilsa insists on joining him, the mismatched pair suddenly find themselves on an adventure they'll never forget.