

How to Put Library Books from Overdrive on Your Nook — a Visual Tutorial

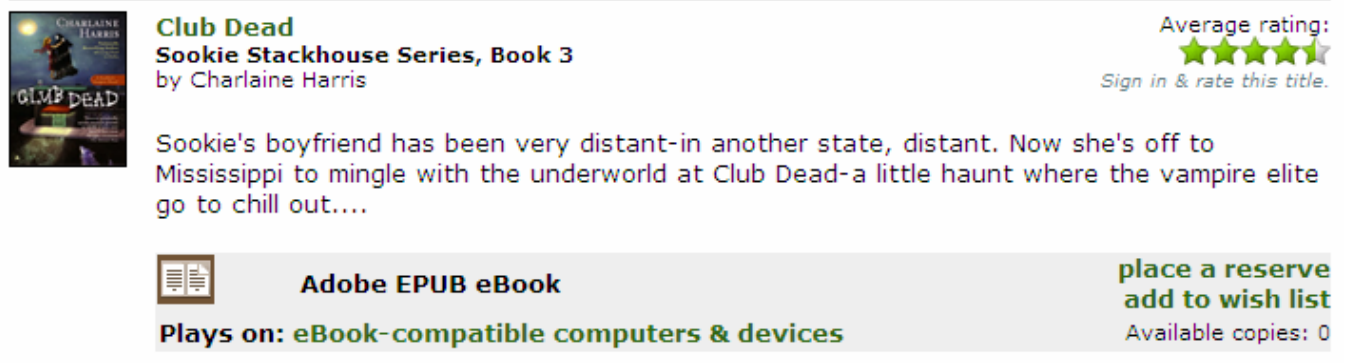
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The screenshot shows a book listing for "Club Dead" by Charlaine Harris. On the left is the book cover. To the right of the cover, the title "Club Dead" is displayed in a large font, followed by "Sookie Stackhouse Series, Book 3" and "by Charlaine Harris". An average rating of 4.5 stars is shown with five star icons, and a link to "Sign in & rate this title." is below it. A description of the book follows: "Sookie's boyfriend has been very distant-in another state, distant. Now she's off to Mississippi to mingle with the underworld at Club Dead-a little haunt where the vampire elite go to chill out....". Below the description is a small icon of a book and the text "Adobe EPUB eBook". To the right of this is a green button that says "place a reserve" and "add to wish list". Below the button, it says "Available copies: 0". At the bottom left of the book listing, it says "Plays on: eBook-compatible computers & devices".

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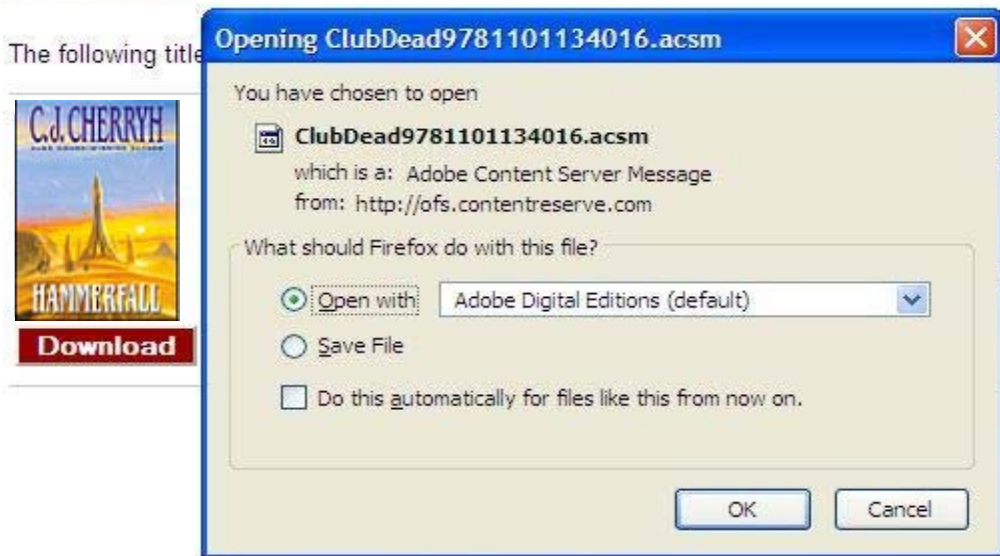
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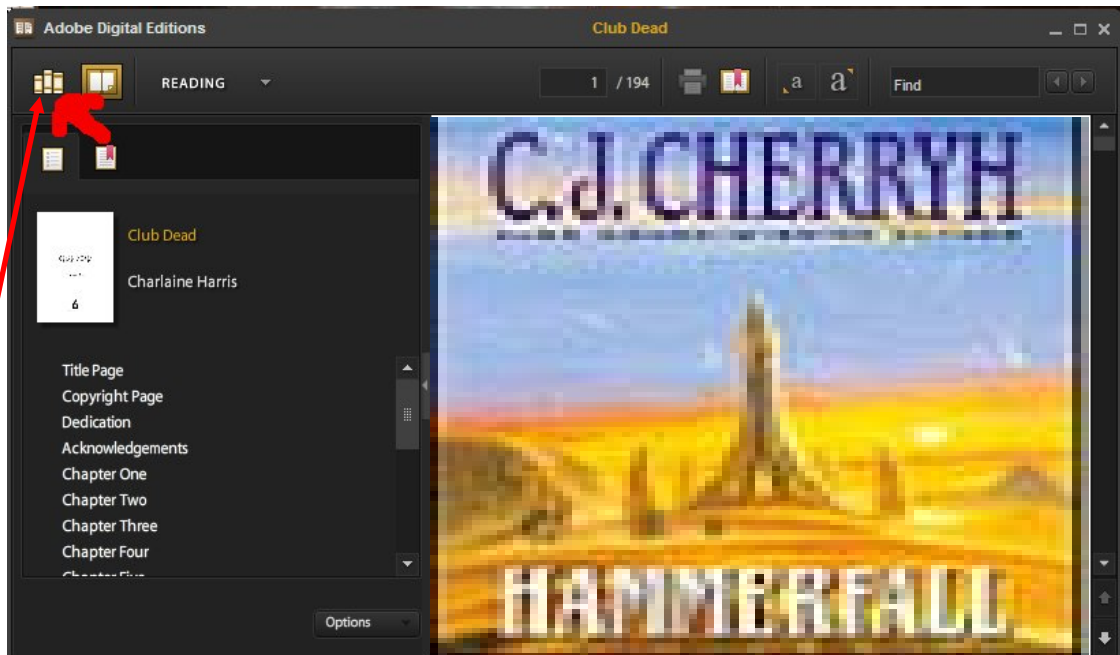
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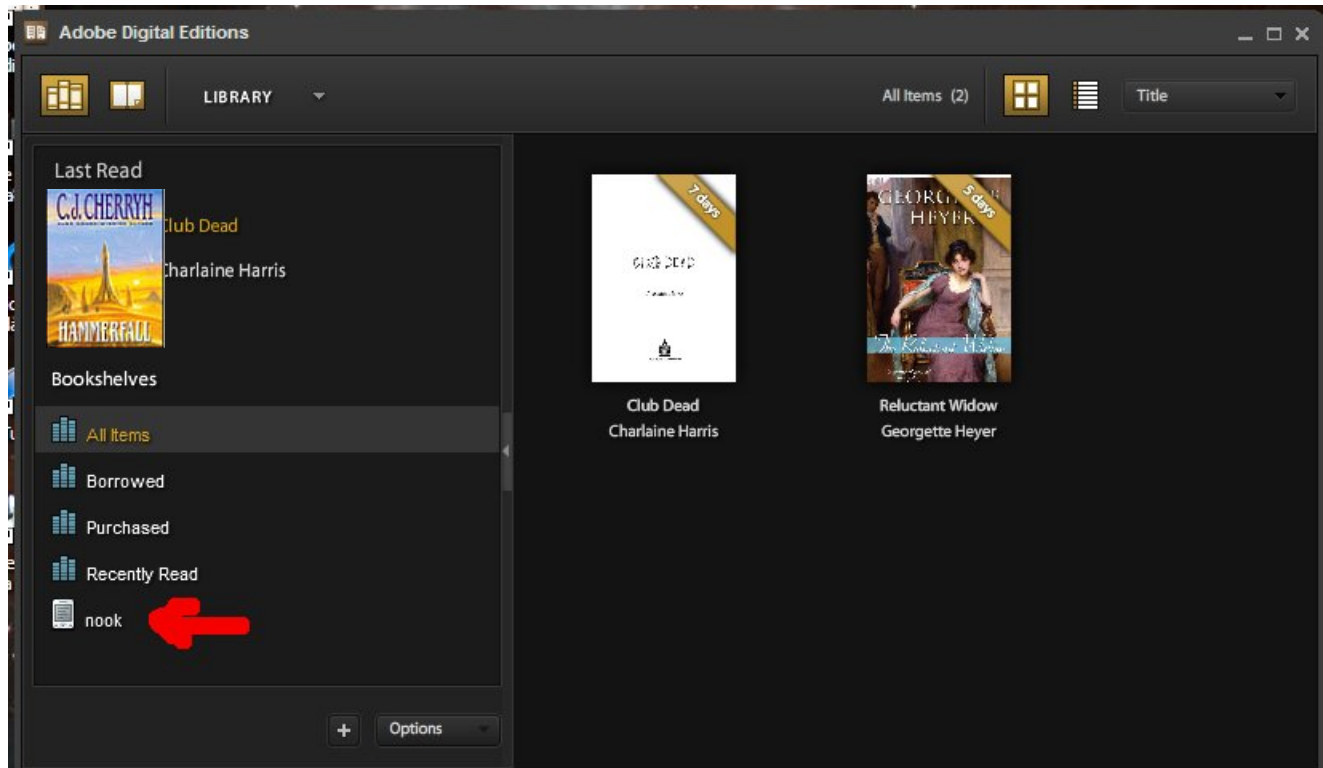
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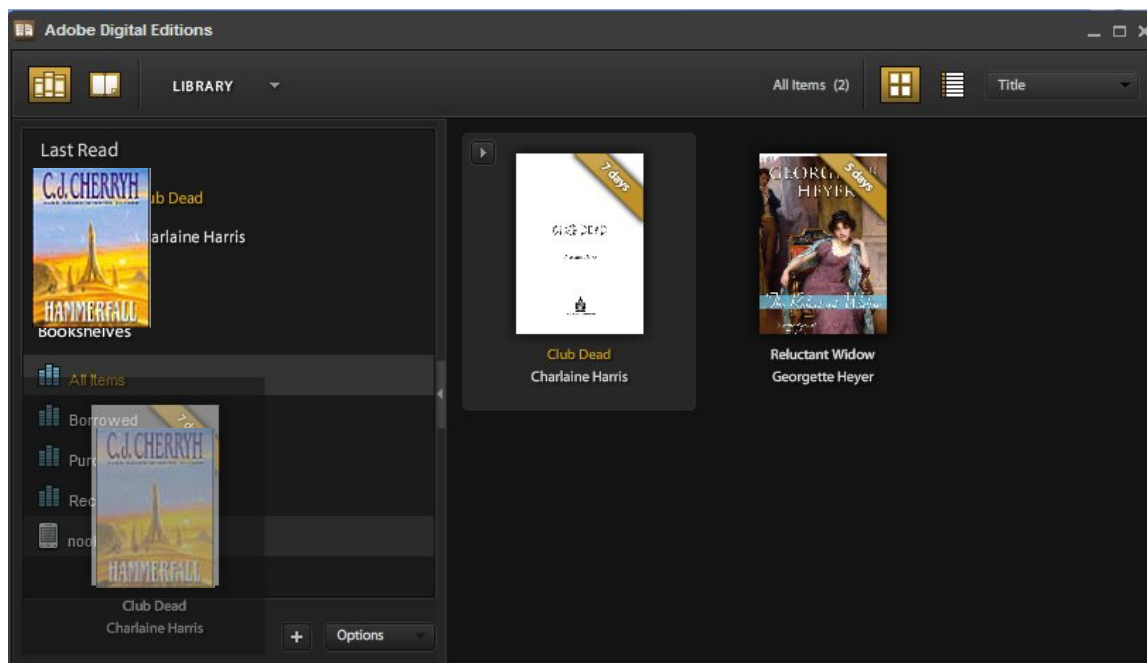
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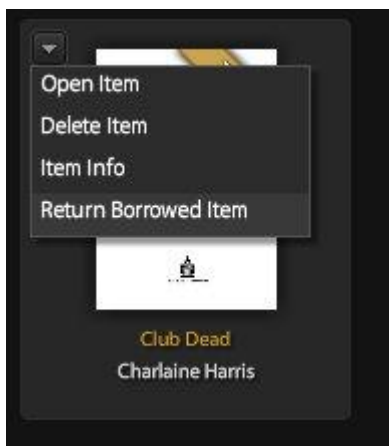
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