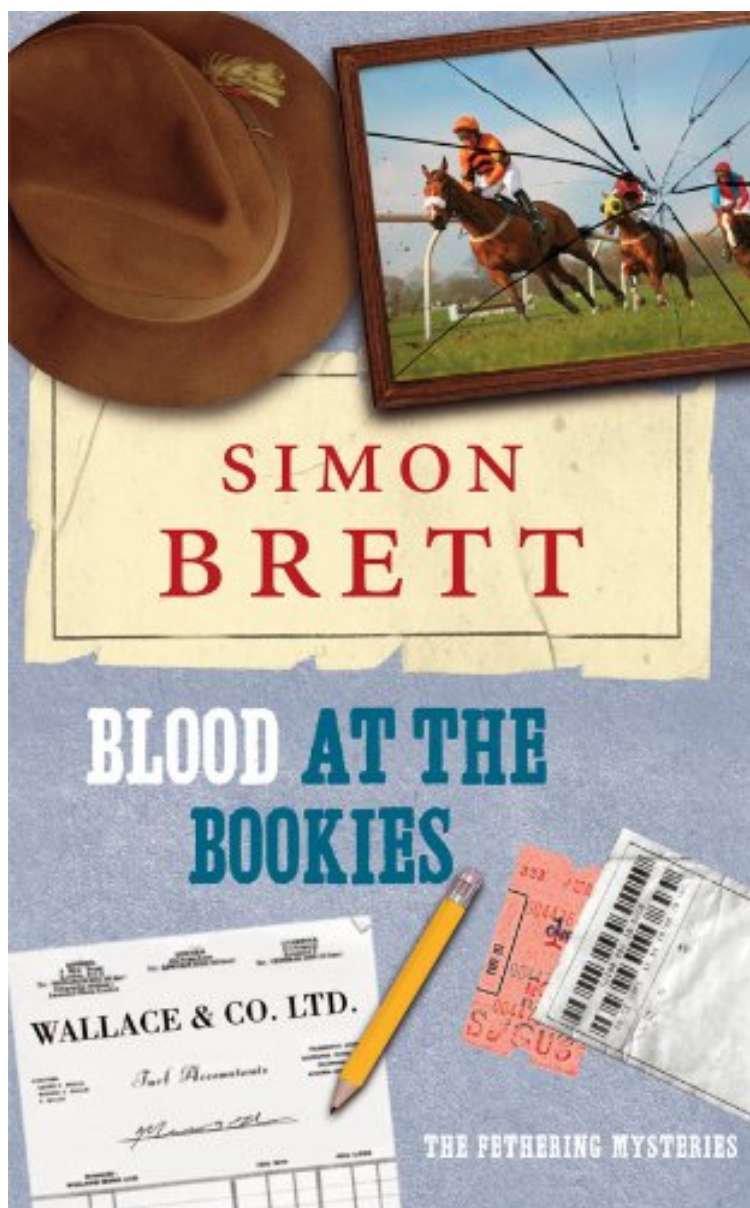


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With Brett's usual flair for smalltown snobbery and a dash of college politics, this latest cozy whodunit is sure to please longtime fans of the series. (Aug.) Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.

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