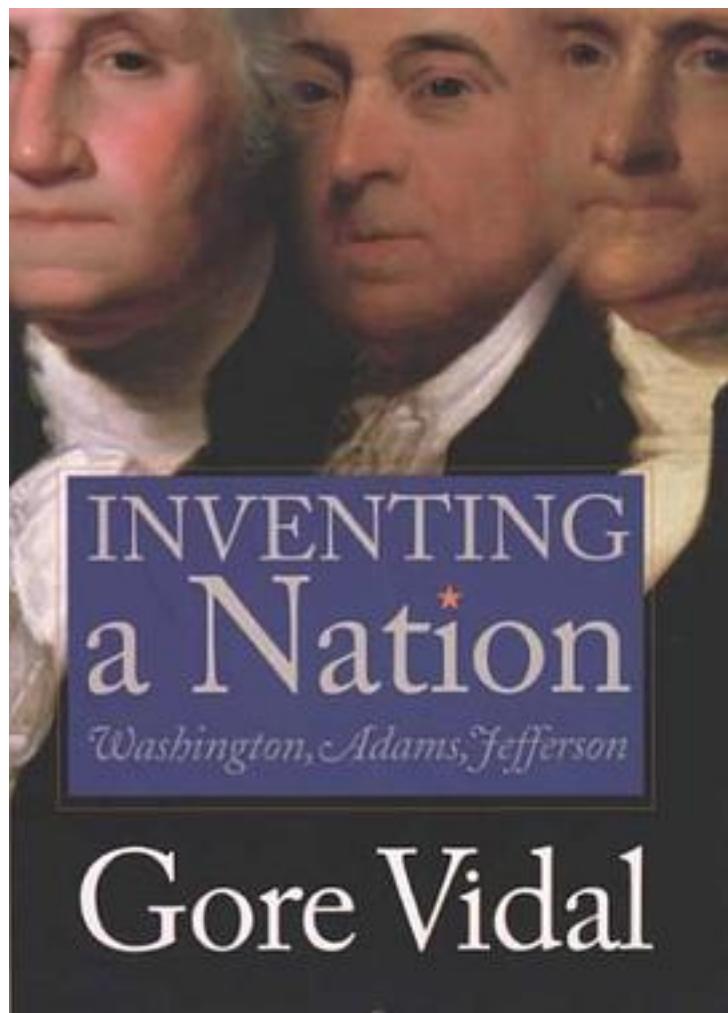


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读Vidal的《林肯》已经是十四、五年前的事了，读过的遗憾是图书馆里只有一本他的

著作……本书虽短，上“听”不大容易，最初的叙述有点跳跃，平庸的朗读者和糟糕的制作也是减分项。再听一遍感觉就好多了。封面上是前三位总统的标准像，实际主要讲的是华盛顿和亚当斯任期，主要人物在这三位之外当然还有汉密尔顿。Vidal肯定不能算是严谨的历史学家，但书中很有些隽语或是幽默值得品味。写华盛顿过世写得很克制，却催我泪下。不过最令我唏嘘的还是结尾那段JFK的感慨：“Maybe it was something in the water,” he said helpfully. “I wish we had more of it, the water, that is.”

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