The STRAND

Project Objective:

The objective of this project is to create an online book stall application that allows users to view a collection of books, add new books, update existing ones, and delete books. Additionally, the project integrates a chatbot AI helper to provide information about famous books and authors.

Abstract:

The online book stall application serves as a platform for book enthusiasts to explore, manage, and interact with a variety of books. Users can perform CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations on the book inventory. The integration of a chatbot AI provides an interactive element, offering information and assistance related to famous books and authors.

Installation Steps:

1. Clone the Repository:

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```bash
git clone <repository-url>
```

## 2. Navigate to the Client (React) Directory:

```
```bash
cd client
```

3. Install Dependencies:

```
```bash
npm install
```

### 4. Run the React App:

```
```bash
npm start
```

5. Navigate to the Server (Node.js) Directory:

```
```bash
cd server
```

## 6. Install Dependencies:

```
```bash
npm install
```

7. Run the Node.js Server:

```
```bash
npm start
```

## 8. Access the Application:

Open your browser and go to `http://localhost:3000` to access the online book stall application.

#### Features Used:

- 1. React.js for Frontend:
  - Components for modular UI design.
  - React Router for navigation.
- 2. Node.js for Backend:
  - Express.js for building the server.
  - $\hbox{\it -RESTful API for CRUD operations}.$

- 3. MySQL Database:
  - Data storage for book information.
- 4. Axios for API Requests:
  - Used to fetch and send data between the frontend and backend.
- 5.React-Router-Dom:
  - Enables navigation between different pages in the React app.
- 6. Chatbot Integration:
- Utilizes a simple chatbot for providing information about famous books and authors.
- 7. Styling with CSS:
  - CSS stylesheets for layout and design.

These features collectively create a web application that allows users to interact with a book inventory and receive assistance from a chatbot regarding famous books and authors.

# Output:

