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This Week	March 1, 1953 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain.	1	31
2	DESIREE, by Annemarie Selinko.	3	5
3	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck.	2	22
4	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes.	4	14
5	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk.	7	98
6	GIANT, by Edna Ferber.	5	21
7	THE SECOND HAPPIEST DAY, by John Phillips.	8	3
8	THE SOJOURNER, by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings.	6	7
9	THE VELVET DOUBLET, by James Street.	9	6
10	THE GALILEANS, by Frank G. Slaughter.	11	5
11	TO THE MOMENT OF TRIUMPH, by Pamela Frankau.	12	3
12	EXECUTIVE SUITE, by Cameron Hawley.	10	9
13	THE WONDERFUL COUNTRY, by Tom Lea.	15	14
14	THE OLD MAN AND THE SEA, by Ernest Hemingway.	14	25
15	QUEEN'S GIFT, by Inglis Clark Fletcher.		15
16	THE MAGIC LANTERN, by Robert Carson.	16	8

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1	ANNAPURNA, by Maurice Herzog.	1	6
2	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale.	2	17
3	ALWAYS THE YOUNG STRANGERS, by Carl Sandburg.	4	6
4	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION.	6	20
5	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow.	3	11
6	THE SILENT WORLD, by Jacques Yves Cousteau and Frederic Dumas.	8	2
7	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall.	7	71
8	TALLULAH, by Tallulah Bankhead.	5	20
9	ABRAHAM LINCOLN, by Benjamin P. Thomas.	10	14
10	THE LAST RESORTS, by Cleveland Amory.	9	14
11	THE SIGN OF JONAS, by Thomas Merton.		1
12	THE BIG CHANGE, by Frederick Lewis Allen.	11	15
13	A MANY-SPLENDORED THING, by Han Suyin.	12	9
14	THE HERBLOCK BOOK, by Herbert Block.	16	16
15	HUNTER, by John A. Hunter.	15	8
16	MARY LINCOLN, by Ruth Randall.		1