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This Week	May 17, 1953 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DESIREE, by Annemarie Selinko.	1	16
2	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain.	2	42
3	GOLDEN ADMIRAL, by Francis Van Wyck Mason.	3	11
4	KISS ME AGAIN, STRANGER, by Daphne du Maurier.	4	8
5	PRINCE BART, by Jay Richard Kennedy.	5	8
6	HOTEL TALLYRAND, by Paul Hyde Bonner.	6	4
7	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck.	8	33
8	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes.	7	25
9	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk.	9	109
10	ZORBA THE GREEK, by Nikos Kazantzakis.	13	2
11	CORPUS OF JOE BAILEY, by Oakley Hall.	10	3
12	NINE STORIES, by J.D. Salinger.	12	4
13	BATTLE CRY, by Leon Uris.		1
14	THE HIGH AND THE MIGHTY, by Ernest K. Gann.	14	2
15	THE GREEN MAN, by Storm Jameson.	11	7
16	FAR FROM CUSTOMARY SKIES, by Warren Eyster.		3

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1	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale.	2	28
2	ANNAPURNA, by Maurice Herzog.	1	17
3	THE SILENT WORLD, by Jacques Yves Cousteau and Frederic Dumas.	3	13
4	MAJOR CAMPAIGN SPEECHES, by Adlai Stevenson.	4	4
5	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION.	5	31
6	THE WORLD AND THE WEST, by Arnold Toynbee.	6	6
7	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall.	7	82
8	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow.	8	22
9	ANGEL UNAWARE, by Dale Evans Rogers.	12	3
10	THE POOR MAN'S GUIDE TO EUROPE, by David Dodge.	9	3
11	POSTCARDS FROM DELAPLANE, by Stanton Delaplane.	15	5
12	PRINCE OF PLAYERS, by Eleanor Ruggles.	11	9
13	THE LEGENDARY MIZNERS, by Alva Johnston.	10	3
14	ENCYCLOPEDIA OF AMERICAN HISTORY, by Richard B. Morris.		1
15	THE COLDITZ STORY, by P.R. Reid.		3
16	HOW TO PLAY YOUR BEST GOLF ALL THE TIME, by Tommy Armour.		1