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This Week	December 16, 1951 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk.	1	35
2	THE CRUEL SEA, by Nicholas Monsarrat.	2	18
3	MELVILLE GOODWIN, USA, by John Marquand.	3	9
4	THE PRESIDENT'S LADY, by Irving Stone.	4	10
5	THE END OF THE AFFAIR, by Graham Greene.	6	6
6	MOSES, by Sholem Asch.	5	10
7	FROM HERE TO ETERNITY, by James Jones.	7	41
8	THE WANDERER, by Mika Waltari.	8	6
9	THE BLESSING, by Nancy Mitford.	10	8
10	THE IRON MISTRESS, by Paul I. Wellman.	11	19
11	THE CATCHER IN THE RYE, by J.D. Salinger.	9	21
12	WAIT FOR THE WAGON, by Mary Lasswell.	14	2
13	WE FISHED ALL NIGHT, by Willard Motley.	15	2
14	THE FARMERS HOTEL, by John O'Hara.	12	3
15	THE HOLY SINNER, by Thomas Mann.		11
16	THE DUKE'S DAUGHTER, by Angela Thirkell.	13	5

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1	THE SEA AROUND US, by Rachel Carson.	1	22
2	THE NEW YORKER 25th ANNIVERSARY ALBUM, by New Yorker Magazine.	2	7
3	THE FORRESTAL DIARIES, by Walter Millis and E.S. Duffield.	3	8
4	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall.	5	8
5	KON-TIKI, by Thor Heyerdahl.	4	66
6	CLOSING THE RING, by Winston S. Churchill.	8	2
7	FIFTY BILLION DOLLARS, by Jesse H. Jones and Edward Angly.	6	6
8	STRANGE LANDS AND FRIENDLY PEOPLES, by William O. Douglas.	7	4
9	INCREDIBLE NEW YORK, by Lloyd R. Morris.		1
10	SHOW BIZ, by Abel Green and Joe Laurie Jr.	16	3
11	BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS HANDYMAN'S BOOK.	14	7
12	THE MEMOIRS OF HERBERT HOOVER, by Herbert Hoover.	13	6
13	THE GREATEST BOOK EVER WRITTEN, by Fulton Oursler.		1
14	WASHINGTON CONFIDENTIAL, by Jack Lait and Lee Mortimer.	12	40
15	A FOREIGN POLICY FOR AMERICANS, by Robert A. Taft.	10	2
16	GODS, GRAVES AND SCHOLARS, by C.W. Ceram.	11	3