

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	August 5, 1956 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE LAST HURRAH, by Edwin O'Connor.	1	24
2	DON'T GO NEAR THE WATER, by William Brinkley.	10	3
3	THE MANDARINS, by Simone de Beauvoir.	3	9
4	A THING OF BEAUTY, by A.J. Cronin.	2	9
5	ANDERSONVILLE, by MacKinlay Kantor.	4	40
6	A SINGLE PEBBLE, by John Hersey.	5	7
7	IMPERIAL WOMAN, by Pearl S. Buck.	7	17
8	AUNTIE MAME, by Patrick Dennis.	6	73
9	CHARMED CIRCLE, by Susan Ertz.	8	4
10	A WALK ON THE WILD SIDE, by Nelson Algren.	11	9
11	THE ROSEMARY TREE, by Elizabeth Goudge.	9	8
12	THE NINTH WAVE, by Eugene Burdick.	12	7
13	AFTERNOON OF AN AUTOCRAT, by Norah Lofts.	14	2
14	LUCY CROWN, by Irwin Shaw.	13	18
15	GREENWILLOW, by B.J. Chute.	--	1
16	COMFORT ME WITH APPLES, by Peter De Vries.	15	12

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1	EISENHOWER, by Robert J. Donovan.	2	4
2	ARTHRITIS AND COMMON SENSE, by Dale Alexander.	1	17
3	THE BIRTH OF BRITAIN, by Winston S. Churchill.	4	15
4	GUESTWARD HO!, by Patrick Dennis and Barbara Hooton.	3	9
5	LOVE OR PERISH, by Smiley Blanton.	6	25
6	PROFILES IN COURAGE, by John F. Kennedy.	5	29
7	GIFT FROM THE SEA, by Anne Morrow Lindbergh.	7	72
8	YOUTH, by Frances Ilg, Arnold Gesell and Louise Ames.	9	10
9	HOW TO LIVE 365 DAYS A YEAR, by John A. Schindler.	11	72
10	OLYMPIO, by Andre Maurois.	10	11
11	MINORITY REPORT, by H.L. Mencken.	8	9
12	THE MIND GOES FORTH, by H.A. Overstreet.	--	1
13	THE AGE OF FIGHTING SAIL, by C.S. Forester.	--	1
14	ELOISE, by Kay Thompson and Hilary Knight.	12	25
15	BAY WINDOW BOHEMIA, by Oscar Lewis.	13	14
16	GRAY FOX, by Burke Davis.	14	12