

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	September 9, 1956 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DON'T GO NEAR THE WATER, by William Brinkley.	1	8
2	THE LAST HURRAH, by Edwin O'Connor.	2	29
3	THE MANDARINS, by Simone de Beauvoir.	3	14
4	A CERTAIN SMILE, by Francoise Sagan.	6	4
5	A SINGLE PEBBLE, by John Hersey.	4	12
6	A THING OF BEAUTY, by A.J. Cronin.	5	14
7	AUNTIE MAME, by Patrick Dennis.	7	78
8	ANDERSONVILLE, by MacKinlay Kantor.	9	45
9	THE NINTH WAVE, by Eugene Burdick.	8	12
10	CHARMED CIRCLE, by Susan Ertz.	10	9
11	IMPERIAL WOMAN, by Pearl S. Buck.	11	22
12	THE ROSEMARY TREE, by Elizabeth Goudge.	15	13
13	THE STRAIGHT AND NARROW PATH, by Honor Tracy.	12	4
14	BEYOND THE BLACK STUMP, by Nevil Shute.	--	1
15	A WALK ON THE WILD SIDE, by Nelson Algren.	--	13
16	AFTERNOON OF AN AUTOCRAT, by Norah Lofts.	13	6

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1	EISENHOWER, by Robert J. Donovan.	1	9
2	ARTHRITIS AND COMMON SENSE, by Dale Alexander.	2	22
3	PROFILES IN COURAGE, by John F. Kennedy.	5	34
4	GUESTWARD HO!, by Patrick Dennis and Barbara Hooton.	3	14
5	LOVE OR PERISH, by Smiley Blanton.	4	30
6	HOW TO LIVE 365 DAYS A YEAR, by John A. Schindler.	7	77
7	THE BIRTH OF BRITAIN, by Winston S. Churchill.	6	20
8	THE MIND GOES FORTH, by H.A. Overstreet.	9	6
9	ROOSEVELT: THE LION AND THE FOX, by James MacGregor Burns.	8	2
10	YOUTH, by Frances Ilg, Arnold Gesell and Louise Ames.	11	15
11	MINORITY REPORT, by H.L. Mencken.	14	14
12	NOBLESSE OBLIGE, by Nancy Mitford.	12	4
13	GIFT FROM THE SEA, by Anne Morrow Lindbergh.	10	77
14	THE AGE OF FIGHTING SAIL, by C.S. Forester.	13	6
15	A REPUBLICAN LOOKS AT HIS PARTY, by Arthur Larson.	--	1
16	BLESSED ARE THE DEBONAIR, by Margaret Case Harriman.	--	2