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This Week	December 10, 1978 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	WAR AND REMEMBRANCE, by Herman Wouk. (Little, Brown, \$15.) The Henry family of "The Winds of War" during World War II.	1	8
2	CHESAPEAKE, by James A. Michener. (Random House, \$12.95.) Four centuries of Maryland's Eastern Shore.	2	15
3	FOOLS DIE, by Mario Puzo. (Putnam's, \$12.50.) Hollywood tycoons and literary celebrities gamble with fate.	3	10
4	THE FAR PAVILIONS, by M.M. Kaye. (St. Martin's, \$12.95.) Love and war in the high Himalayas.	4	10
5	SECOND GENERATION, by Howard Fast. (Houghton Mifflin, \$10.95.) The children of "The immigrants" on the eve of World War II.	14	10
6	BRIGHT FLOWS THE RIVER, by Taylor Caldwell. (Doubleday, \$10.95.) The angsts of a man confined to a sanitarium.	9	5
7	EVERGREEN, by Belva Plain. (Delacorte, \$10.) Jewish immigrant woman's rise from Lower East Side poverty.	5	18
8	ILLUSIONS, by Richard Bach. (Delacorte/Eleanor Friede, \$6.95.) Messiah barnstorms Middle America.	11	72
9	THE EMPTY COPPER SEA, by John D. MacDonald. (Lippincott, \$8.95.) Travis McGee on the trail of a vanished tycoon.	6	7
10	PRELUDE TO TERROR, by Helen MacInnes (Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, \$10.) An art consultant amid an international conspiracy.	7	10
11	THE SILMARILLION, by J.R.R. Tolkien. (Houghton Mifflin, \$10.95.) Middle Earth in pre-Hobbit days.	8	55
12	EYE OF THE NEEDLE, by Ken Follett. (Arbor House, \$8.95.) Nazi spy vs. British professor in a World War II thriller.	13	17
13	THURSDAY THE RABBI WALKED OUT, by Harry Kemelman. (Morrow, \$8.95.) David Small uses Jewish wit and wisdom to solve another violent crime.	12	8
14	WIFEY, by Judy Blume. (Putnam's, \$8.95.) A woman's search for emotional identity.	10	4
15	SCRUPLES, by Judith Krantz. (Crown, \$10.) Woman's rise in the fashion world.	15	34

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1	MOMMIE DEAREST, by Christina Crawford. (Morrow, \$9.95.) Life with Joan Crawford.	1	4
2	GNOMES, text by Wil Huygen, illustrated by Rien Poortvliet. (Harry N. Abrams, \$17.50.) All about the little people.	5	47
3	A DISTANT MIRROR, by Barbara W. Tuchman. (Knopf, \$15.95.) The calamitous 14th century.	2	10
4	AMERICAN CAESAR, by William Manchester. (Little, Brown, \$15.) The life of Douglas MacArthur.	3	10
5	IF LIFE IS A BOWL OF CHERRIES WHAT AM I DOING IN THE PITS? by Erma Bombeck. (McGraw-Hill, \$7.95.) More domestic drolleries.	4	29
6	IN SEARCH OF HISTORY, by Theodore H. White. (Harper & Row, \$12.95.) A journalist's memoirs.	6	10
7	FAERIES, described and illustrated by Brian Froud and Alan Lee. (Harry N. Abrams, \$14.95.) Life in a world of magic.	12	4
8	THE COMPLETE BOOK OF RUNNING, by James F. Fixx. (Random House, \$10.) For fun and health.	7	49
9	JACKIE OH! by Kitty Kelley. (Holt, \$14.95.) A gossipy biography of Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis.	8	5
10	THE COUNTRY DIARY OF AN EDWARDIAN LADY, by Edith Holden. (Holt, \$14.95.) Record kept y a nature-lover and illustrator.	9	49
11	PULLING YOUR OWN STRINGS, by Wayne W. Dyer. (T.Y. Cromwell, \$8.95.) Taking charge of your life.	11	25
12	A TIME FOR TRUTH, by William E. Simon. (McGraw-Hill/Reader's Digest Press, \$12.50.) The former Treasury Secretary calls for a return to free-enterprise economics.	13	18
13	THE SNOW LEOPARD, by Peter Matiniessen. (Viking, \$12.95.) A five-week walk through the Himalayas.	14	9
14	ROBERT KENNEDY AND HIS TIMES, by Arthur M. Schlesinger, Jr. (Houghton Mifflin, \$19.95.) The politician and the forces that shaped him.	10	10
15	THE TEAMSTERS, by Steven Brill. (Simon & Schuster, \$11.95.) The whole squalid story meticulously researched.		1