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OF

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Mr. and Mrs Charles Young

"Literature is neither a past time, nor as
the jargon of today goes, an escape. Literature is meat and drink. It is a tonic and as
stimulus. Even to the sick it is not an opiate,
but oxygen and blood-transfusion. Literature is
the liberator if we will let it liberate us."

Twelfth Year Book, June 1933
Volumn Xll, Number 5.

Chapter 1- Titles Reported Analytical Comment

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It is evident that the average student entering college has limited reading experience. The college is likely to attribute this lack of reading to the high school, and if traced back the high school attributes this failure to the elementary school. So may elementary school teachers censure parents for not providing their children with reading materials. Now, who is to be blamed? Fortunately, no one has blamed the child, because that would be unpardonable. "Someone has said: 'The greatest service the elementary school can render to to children is to teach them to read.' "To this we add: 'What to read, and to make them life readers.' "To make life readers of children we must surround them with suitable and sufficient material and show them how to use it, that correct reading habits may be established."

The Journal of the National Education Association- Nov. 1929, Page 267 "Aims in Reading". Vol. 18. The National Elementary Principal"

Since so many parents neglect providing their children with appropriate reading matter, it is the school's duty to que waken within each child the desire for good reading, and through the desire maintain a permanent interest in reading throughout life.

Too many adults, today, lack the reading habit. Is the school responsible for this? Has reading been a distastaful subject to the child in achool? Has there been a serious breach between the teaching of the mechanics of reading and the functioning of reading in the understanding of history, geography, arithmetic, ste and the enjoyment of a good story? Fortunately the schools are awake and aware of the values to be desired from reading. Reading instructions should develop desirable attitudes, habits, and skills if it is to function as a tool. Not only is it essential in the functioning of reading as a tool subject but without its accomplishment all other reading sims would prove a failure."

Chapter 1

Titles as Reported in 1933

Purpose:

To discover the reading interest of students as to the number of books read, the types of books preferred and to get an idea about the quality and quantity of books they were exposed to.

Method:

Data were obtained from questionnaires given to students registered in the various Freshman English courses. You will note that the writer has recorded the titles exactly as they appeared on the questionnaires.

"Sunset Pass," "Sunset Trail," "Nevada, " "Vanishing American, " "Lonesome Pine, " "Still Jim"

"Janice Meridith," "No. of books by Curwood," "No. of books by Zane Grey," "No. of books by Kathleen Torris," "No. of books by Rhinehart," "Vagabond Lover

"Ivanhoe, " "Macbeth,"

"Hamlet," "Silas Marner," "Macbeth"

"None listed."

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"Paradise Lost, " "Robinson Curiso, " "Pilgrim Progress," "Evengeline," "The Lady of the Lake,"

"Little Women," "The Scarlet Letter," "The Courtship of Myles Standish,"

"Shakespeate's William," "Black Beauty"

"The Paridise Lost," "The House of the Seven Gables," "The Tragedy of Mathbeth," "The Pearl," "Everyman"

"Uncle Tom's Cabin." "Faraway," "Strange interlude." "Fair well to arm," "Blue berry pie."

"J. C. Amurson Letters of Friend Ship," 18. "Shakespeare William," "Black Beauty" "The Pil. Progress by Dickens. 20. "Mother," "Silent Knight," "Ghost" 21. "Sleepy Hollow," "Beawulf," "True Stories," 22. "Pilgrim Progress," "Ivanhoe," "Evangeline," 23. "The Scarlet Letter," "The Book of Eleis" 24. "Myths," "Treasure Island," "Ancient Mariner." 25. She states that she "never reads a novel," "She does not like to read." "Tragedy of Macbeth," "Lady of the Lake," "Ancient 26. Marner" "Mill on the Floss" "Ramona," "Evangeline," "The Rise 27. of Silas Laphlian," "Little Women," "Jewel," "Children of Abbey," "Elsie Dinsmore," "The Campfire Girls," "Jo" "Macbeth," "The Old Curiosity shop," "Ishmeal," "Dr.

Jeykl and Mr. Hyde," "The Crisis," "The Scarlet Letter,"
"30 Years in Hell," "Little Women" 28. "Little Women" "Robinson Cruco," "Gullevers Travels," "Macbeth," "Ro-29. mio and Juelet," "The Merchant of Venus," "Mask of Fumanchu," "Return of Fu Manchu," "Mask of the Red Death," "House of Seven Gables." 30. "Does not remember any. "Paradise Regained," Paradise Lost," "The Man With The 31. Hoe," "The Merchant of Venice," 32. "Last of the Mohicians," 33. "The English Orphan," "Wise and Otherwise," "The Black Sheep," "Scarlet Letter,", "House of Seven Gables" 34. "Silas Minor," "Midsummer Night's Dream," "Hamulent," "The Thempest" 35. "English Written and Spoken," "Algebra I on Sec. Course, "English Ligerture," "American Ligerture-Davis," "Our Government" 36. "Ben Hur," "Scarlet Letter," "Ramona" 37. "Evangeline," "Pilgrim Progress," Ivanhoe" 38. "Scarlet Letter," "Pilgrim's Progress," "How Tom Sawyer White-washed the Fence," "Maechen in Uniform," "Van Dine's Murder Mysteries," "State Fair," "Ben Hur,"

"The Lonesome Big Road," "The Trail of the Lonesome 39. Pine," "Rupert," "Sorrel and Son," "Ramona," "The Conquering Lover." "Woolom's," "Journal," "Shakespear." 40. "Silas Marner," "Hamlet" 41. "Macbeth," "Silas Mariner," "Ivanhoe" 42. "The Great Impersonation," "Tetherstones," "The Rose 43. Garden Husband," "Dodo Wenders," "Phillips," "Last Chord," "Desert Thoroughbred," "Les Miserables," "Wild Wind," "Pady" "V V's Eyes," "Nigger Heaven," "Black No He states that he has not read any. 44. 45. "Last of The Mohicans," "The Prairie," "Tom Sawyer" "Good Earth," "Robinson Crusce," 46. "Silies Maner," "The Covered Wagon," "Three Black Pennies" "Scarlet Letter," "The Light That Pailed" 471 "Silas&Mariner," "Shakespeare," "Paul Lawrence Dunbar's Poems," "Scarlet Letter" 48. "Wee Willie Winkie," "Jultis Caesar," "Macbeth" "As You Like It," 49. "Treasure Island," "Merchant of Venius," "Travels With a Donkey" 50. "Silas Minnor," "The House of Seven Gables," "Julius 51. "The End of The Trail." 52. "Macbeth," "Silas Marner,""Ivanhoe" 53. "The Stony of McBeath," "The Lady of the Lake," 54. This student has only read "The Literapy Digest" 55. "Sorab Rusrum," 56. "Boy's Life of Lincoln," "Sweet Dream," "Silas Marner,"
"The Minister Black Veil," "The Scarlet Letter," 57. "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," "White Fairy," "The

"Last of the Mohicians"

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"Silas Marner." "Idvlls of the Kings" "Mid-summer Night's

Virginian, "Uncle Remus," "Silas Marner," "Shakespeares

Dream," "Illiad of the Kings," "The Sketch Book,""The Mouse of Seven Gables," "Sir Roger de Coverley, "The Merchant of Venice," "Myths and their Meaning"

- 61. "Middle March," "The Pathfinder," "Green Pasture" "Isle of the desserts"
- 62. "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," "Silas Marner," "Fall of the House of Usher," "Roads of Destiny," "Pit and Pendulum," ""Macbeth," "King Lear," "The Journey," "Scarlet Letter"
- 63. "Adam Bede," "Silas Marner," "Ancient Marner," "Scarlet Letter," "Last of the Mohicans"
- 64. "On Being a Girl," "Everyday Foods," "Girls Problems in H. E.," "Pilgrim's Progress," "Macbeth"
- 65. "The Blue Window," "Club Foot," "Aikenside," "Vicer of Wakefield," "Fall of the House of Usher," "The House of Seven Gables," "The Scarlet Letter"
- 66. "Newspapers only."
- "The Winding trail to Georgia," "The Sun that rise and set,"
 "Romeo and Juliet" "The Path of the Lost Island," "The
 Happiest hour in my life," "Life of Samuel Dodworth"
- 68. "Browning"

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- 69. "The Lady of the Lake"
 - "Ann of Green Gable," "The Lost Sheep" "Nobody's Boy"
- 71. "Treasure Island," "Jane Eyre," "Vanity Fair,"
- 72. "The Lamp Lighter," "Diana," "To Have and To Hold," "The False Vow," "The Govered Wagon," "Under the Lilacs,"
 "Seventeen", "Three Musketeers," "Silas Marner," "Ben Hur,"
 "The Spy" "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," "Kidnapped,"
 "Cast up By the Sea," "The Last Warning," "Call of the Wild"
 - "Drums," "Silas Marner," "The Black Arrow," "Scarlet Letter"
 "Tale of Two Cities," "Shakespeare's Antony and Cleopatra"
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 - "Romeo and Juliet," "Silas Marner," "The Tempest"
 - "Moby Dick," "Little Women," "Scarlet Letter," "Complete Works of Shakespeare," "Argon Trail" "Kidnapped," "Little Men", "Uncle Tom's Cabin"
 - "Treasure Island," "Church's Illad," "Huckleberry Fin," "Tom Sawyer," "Puddin Head Wilson," "As You Like It," "Midsummer Night's Dream" "Famous Men of Rome and Greece," "Julius Caesar," "Merchant of Venics"

"Cen not remember the titles of any read. 78. "Poe's Tales," "Short Stories," "Stories of Fu Manchu," 79. "Beaw Goste," "Ben Hur," "The Red Room" "The Blacker The Berry," "Doll House" "Silas Marner." 30. "Tressure Island," "Uncle Tom's Cabin" "Silas Marner," "Sorab Ruston," "House of Seven Gables." 81. "Ancient Mariner" "The Pines of Lory," "Uncle Tom's Cabin." "Ten Nights 82. in the Bar Room," "Tales by Shakespeare," "Midsummer Night's Dream," "Romeo and Juliet," "Macbeth," "The Roseryt "Swell Garrick," "History of English Poets" "Silas Marner," "Peridice Aloft," "The Girl, The Time, and The Place," "African Adventures," "Beowulf," "Pilgrim 83. Progress," "House of Seven Gables" 34. "House of Seven Gables," "Scarlet Letter," "Tom Sawyer" 85. "Midsummer Night's Dream," "Idylls of the King," "Silas Marner 86. "The Three Guardsmen," "MadameX" "Master Degree" "Scarlet Letter", "Scouts in England," "The Black Box, ""Bango", "The Thirteenth Commandment." 87. "Tom Me Alster," "Little Men," "Mother of Gold," "Siles Marner," "The Last of the Mohicians," "The Raime of The Ancient Merner" 88. "Les Miserables," "Lorna Doone," "Kidnapped," "Oliver Twist," "The Last of the Mohican," "David Copperfield," "Tom Sawyer," "Riders of the Purple Sage," "Betty Zene," "Seven Keys to Baldpate," "The Thundering Herd", "The Desert of Wheat," "On the Tonto Rim," "To the Last Man," "When a Man's a Man," "The Call of the Wild" 89. "Vacation Escapade," "Not Without Laughter" "Bad Girl," "Mary Trueheart," "Little Cirl Lost," "The Shiek" 90. "Pilgrim's Progress," "The Knight," "King Author Life" 91. "Silas Mariner," "Crisis," "Moby Dick" 92. "Macbeth," Silas Mariar," "House of Seven Gables," "Tale of Two Cities," "Julia Ceaser," "Sir Roger De Covely Papers" "The Girl of the limberlost," "Little Women", "Shakespeare Tales" 94. "Silas Marner" 95.

"Merchant of Venice," "Black April", "Uncle Tom Sabinet"

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" The Scarlet Letter"

"The Eyes of love"

"The Chinese Parrott," "The Canary Murder Case," "House of Delusion," "East is Always East," "The Price," "Guilty Lips," "Searlet Sister Mary," "The Love Lodge Mystery," "Chickie," "Feathers Left Around," "The Witness," "Little Women," "Under the Lilacs," "Eight Cousins," "The Secret Garden," "Anne of Green Gables," "Ann's House of Dreams," "Fidilis," "Laughing Last," "Freckles," "Freckles Come Home," "Girl of the Limberlost" "The Harvester," "Understood Betsy," "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," "Silas Marner"

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"What Katy Did at School," "What Katy Did Next," "Juliet
is Twenty," "Life Steps in," "Mother," "The Tin Soldier,"
"The Blue Train," "The at End House," "The Silver Fountain," "The Gold Fish Bowl," "Don Zuiote," "The Winning
Trick," "Murder At Awondale Farm," "Tomorrow's Tangle,"
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"Ivanhoe," "Sketch Book," "Edgar A. Poe's Short Stories,"
"Silas Marner," "The Solitary Horseman," "Changing Pilots,
""Wings," "The Kink," "Charlie Chan carries on," "Theasure Island," "The Red Headed Goddess," "The Spite Fence,"
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Archer," "Chickie"

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"Ivanhoe"

"Gene Stratton Porter's Series," "Louisa Mae Alcott's Series," "The Rossry," "Zane Grey's Series," "Lens Rivers," "East Lynne" "Mother," "Silas Marner," "Seventeen," "The Covered Wagon," "The Cat Creeps," "The Circular Staircase," "There's always nother Year"

"Lavender and old Lace." "Lens Bivers." "The Phantom of Crestwood" "The Island of Lost Souls." "Treasure Island" "Silas Marner" "Twenty Bollars a meek," "Ben Hur." "The East Lynne."

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"Ancient Mariner," "House of Seven Gables," "The Last of the Mohicians," "Macbeth," "Decoverlet" Papers," "The The Iron Horse," "Sorab and Rustrum," "The Canterbury Tales," "The Illiad," "Book of English Poems"

"Shakespeare Milliam," "The Household Magazine" "Little Women," "Moby Dick"

"Robertson Crusce." "Mill on the Floss." "Romole."

"Mid-Summer Night's Dream." "Taming of the Shrew." "Lear"

"As You Like It." "Julius Caesar," "Hamlet." "Romeo and
Juliet"

"David Copperfield," "Lorns Doone," "Silas Marner," "Last of the Mohicans," "Tales of Two Cities," "The Spy."
"Autocrat of the Breakfast Table," "The Scarlet Letter,"
"Tom Sawyer"

"Uncle Tom's Cabin," "Lost Treasure," "Tom Sawyer,"

"Scarlet Letter," "House of Seven Gables," "Lady of the Lake"

"Tressure Island"

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"Tom Sawyer, " "The Monkey's Paw, " "Huckleberry Finn,"

- "Deddy Long Legs," "The Necklace"
- 143. "Silas Marner," "Lest of the Mohicans," "Treasure Island," "Lady of The Lake, "The Dog of Flander," "Nature,"
- 144. None
- 145. "Lorns Doone," "David Copperfield" "Can't recall anymore."
- 146. "Silss Marner," "Ann Green Gables," "The House of Usher,"
 "Uncle Tom's Cabin, "Julia Caesar," "Macbeth"
- 147. "Seventeen," "Up From Slavery," "Silss Marner,"
- "The Twilight Dream," "Dr. Milton and His Friend Leshi."

 "Mrs. Randall and Mr. Prethers," "Doris Visited Tom,"

 "The Roe of Winds in the Dessert." "Mr. Wheatley and His Companions," "The Family of Three," "The Brightest Hour of Life"
- 149. "Silss Marner," "The Tale of Two Cities," "Midsummer Night's Dream"
- 150. ""Scallet Letter," "Last of Mohiker"
- 151. "The Man The Woman Loved," "Tonight or Never," "Second Choice" "Daughter of Earth," "Alimony Queen"
- 152. "Pilgrim's Progress," "Ivangline"
- 153. "Shakespear," "Hamlet," "Bared from Paradise"
- 154. "Siles Marner," "Shekespear," "Sorab and Rustum,"
- 155. Listed text books.
- "Twin City." "Hamlet." " s You Like It." "Uncle Tom's Cabin."
 "Old Fashon Girl," "Sister Hary." "Nigger Heaven," "Twice Told
 Tales." "The Life of George asgington"
- 157. "The Scarlet Letter," "The Last of the Mohicens,"
- 158. "Othello," "Hamlet," "The Great Conquest"
- 159. "Zene Grey." "Decoverlet Papers"
- 160. "Milton," "Shakespeare," "Macbeth," "Murchant of Venas"
- 161. "/dam Bede." "Silas Marner." "Scarlet Letter"
- 162. "Scarlet Letter," "Macbeth," "Evangeline," "The Wonder Book"
- 163. Mone listed.
- "The Last of Pompeii," "Ben Hur," "Black April," "Porgy,"
 "My Antonio," "The Virginian," "The Call of the Wild," "Seventeen," "The Have and To Hold," "Les Miserables," "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer," "Pilgrim's Progress, "Scarlet Letter"

"Vicer of Wakefield"

- 165. "As you Like It." "Midsummer Night's Dream." "Nine Choice Poems." "House of Seven Gables." "Tale of Two Cities." "Ivenhoe"
- 166. "Pilgrim's Progress," "Vicar of Wakefield," "Idle's of the King"
- 167. "Tressure Island," "Robinson Crusoe," "Theis," "Boyland Bomer," "The Civil War," "Chas. Lamb's Fiction,"
 "The Motor Boys," "The Ocean Wireless Boys," "First Volume of Ancient Stories," "The Works of King Author,"
 "Midsummer Night's Dream," "The Merchant of Ancient Times"
 "As You Like It," "Dr. Doo Little," "A Trip to Mars," "Famous Men of Rome and Greece," "Masterpieces of Humor"
- "Good Housewife," The Blind Spat, " "To Have and to Hold,"
 "East is lways East," "Charles Dickerson," "Silas Marner.
- "Jane Eyre," "Wathering Heights," "Re-Creation of Brian Kent"
 "When Sally Saved The Day," "Vicar of makefield," "Babs,"
 "Desert Gold," "Girl of the Limberlost," "Chee Wee," "Understanding Hearts," "Robertson Crusoe,""Treasure Isle, "Polly's Secret," "Quicksliver Sue," "Siles Marner,"
- 170. "None listed
- 171. "Treasure Island," "Rhomeo and Juolett," "Rip Van Winkle,"
 "Merchant of Veniece"
- 172. "Shakespheare," "George Ellott," "Ancient Tales," "Romeo and Juliet."
- 173. "Hamlet and text-books "
- "The Literary Dijest." "The Household Magazine," "The Progressive Farmer."
- 175. "Ode to the West Wind," "Last of the Mohickens," "Mec Beath," "Ancient Merner,"
- 176. Don't remember
- 177. "None listed" and the same that the same
- 178. "Dr. Jerkle and Mr. High."
- 179. ""Silas Marner," "Ivanhoe," "Scarlet Letter," "Pilgrim's Progress," "Treasure Island,"
- 180. Only "Little Women"
- 181. "Silas Marner," "Hamlet" "Gold Bug," "Treasure Island,"
 "Hamlet," "Macbeth"
- 182. "The Canary Murder Case," "The Last of the Mohicans,"

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246.	"Not Only War," "Tess of D'Uberville," "House of Minth"
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248.	"Pendennis." "A Pair of Blue Eyes," "Tess of D'Uberville,"
249.	"Red Badge of Europe," "Black Arrow"
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251.	"House of Minth," "Grandfather's Chair," "Romola"
252.	"The old Wires Tale," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr Hyde,"
253/	"The Other Wise Man." "Slaves Today." "The Little Minister"
254.	"Br. Jykelsand Mr. Hyde," "Master of Mastergafee, "Ben Hur"
255.	"A Pair of Blue Eyes," Human Rature," "Barchester Tower," "Kin"
256.	"Main Travelled Roads," "Joan and Peter," "Vanity Fair"
257.	"Human Nature," "The Other Wise Man," "Quan Treamam"
258.	"Sign of the Cross," "Bridge of San Luis Rey," "Tess of D'Ubervilles,"
259.	"The Old wires Tale," "Raw Material," David Harum"
260.	"Little Minister," "Admirable Crichton," "The Bridge of San Luis Rey"
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290.	"Scarlet Letter," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde,"
291.	"Up From Slavery"
292.	"Report in History and Science and education."
293.	"Report in education of problem by Thomas; a re- port on electricity, a report on chemicals in chemistry.
294.	"None"
295.	"None"
296.	"Hone"
297.	"None"
298.	"Vocational Guidance"
299.	"Individual Defference, " "Vocational Guidance"
300.	"Up From Slavery"
301.	"Seventeen," "Adam Bede," "Middle March"
302.	"How to Make a Curriculum," "Art and Principle of Design"
303.	"Adam Bede," "Ambitious Guest," "Tennessee's Patner", "Moti Guy Mutneer," in collection of short stories by Harte and Perry," "Arrowsmith."
304.	"A Book of Short Stories," "Adam Bede," "The Collec- tion of Short Stories", "Arrowsmith"
305.	"Sense and Sensibility." "Myth and their Meaning." "Middlemarch." "Arrowsmith." "Adam Bede"
306.	"Myth-and their Meaning," "Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Middlemarch"
307.	"Adam Bede," "Middlemarch," "Arrowsmith," "Myths and Their Meaning."
308.	"Adam Bede." "Arrowsmith", "Middlemerch," "Myths and their Mesnings"
309.	"Adam Bede." "Arrowsmith," "Middlemarch," "Representative Narratives"
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311.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Middle March"
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316.	"Up From Slavery," "Hastage to Fortune"
317.	"Keeping Fit," "Highway to English"
318.	"Bright Skin"
319.	"Up Prom Slavery," "Hegro History"
320.	"Nigger Heaven," "Life of James Weldon Johnson"
321.	"Up From Slevery"
322.	"Schalet Letter," "The Sign of The Cross"
323.	"Transmission." "The Story of My life."
324.	"Little Women," "The Kingdom of Death,"
325.	"Vocational Guidance," "Planning Your Future," "World's Best Short Stories," "Individual Delinquent," "The Teaching of Reading to Primary Pupils," "Good Manners and Right Conduct"
526.	"Farewell to Arms." "Scarlet Sister Mary." "Up From Slavery." "The Lamp in the Desert." "The South-Wind" "Current Magazines"
227.	"The House of San Juan," "Dracula"
328.	"The Men Fartherest Down," "Negroes in Cities," "Cur- rent Magazines"
329.	"Up From Slavery"
330.	"Up From Slavery," "The Scarlet Letter," "The House of Seven Gables"
331.	"Black no More" alter a translate of George continues."
332.	"Arrowsmith " Widom Dada"
383.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Up From Slavery"
334.	"Tess of D'Uberville, "Growth of the Soil," "Middlemerch"
335.	"Myths and their Meaning," "Adem Bede," "Arrowsmith,"
336.	"Autobiography of Booker T. Washington," "Middlemarch" "The Piece of String," "Booker T. Washington's -"Up
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339 •	"If winter Comes," "Adem Bede," "Middle March," "Arrowsmith," "Henry Esmond,"
340.	"Adam Bede," Arrowsmith." "A Collection of Short Stories." (by Stevenson)
341.	"Principles of Teaching,"
342.	"Adam Bede," Arrowamith, ""Middlemarch, " "Barren Ground"
343.	"Arrowsmith," "Adam Bede," "Middlemerch," "Myth-and their meaning"
344.	"Middlemsrch," Adam Bede," "Little Doritt," "The Fire in the Flint," "Arrowsmith"
345.	"Adam bee," "Middlemarch," "Arrowsmith"
346.	"Silas Marner"
347.	"Frankinstien," "Doctor Jeykelle & Mr. Hyde."
348.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowmmith," "An Autobiography of an Ex-Colored Man"
349.	"Middlemarch," "Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith,"
350.	"Arrowsmith," "Adam Bede"
351.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith"
352.	"Tarzan of The pes," "The wild Horse Mesa"
353.	"The alter of Honor," "So Big." "Bad Girl," "Silver Slippers", "Black Ivory"
354.	"Silver Slippers," "Cabin in Cotton," "Miss Lonely" hearts,"
355.	"The Scarlet Letter." "The Life of George Washington." "Green Pastures," "Little Women"
356.	"Main Street," "The Father," "The Fall of the House of Usher," "The Monkey's Paw"
357.	"Black No More." "Lord Have Mercy on Me." "Up From Slavery." "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm." "Main Street"
358.	"Farawell to Arms," "Cabin in the Cotton,"
859.	"Farewell to Arms," "No castle in Spain"
360.	"The Making of Jane Eyre," "My Life and Work"by
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361-	"Trial by Prejudice." "Paul Roberson-Negro." "The Sign of The Cross." "Tom Tom." "The Conjure Man Dies." "A Part of a Pictorial History of the American Negro."
362.	"prenkenstein," "Dracole,"
363+	"Specimens of the Short Stories," "The Flight," "Up From Slavery"
364.	"Rossmond," "Mother," "The Progress of a Race," "Life and Works of Booker T. Washington"
365.	"The House of San Juan," Dracule"
366.	"From Captivity to Fame," "Mis-Education of the Negro"
367.	"Murder in the Squires' Pew," "Greene Murder Case," "Penelope's Man," "Angel," "Good Earth," "Frankenstein," "Canary Murder Case"
368.	"Up From Slavery," "Black No More," "Twenty-four Hours," "Angel," "Not Without Laughter."
369.	"Not without Laughter." "Black April." "Twentyfour.Hours" "Bone Fire." "Paddock"
370.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith"
371.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith"
372.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith"
373.	"Adsm Bede," "Arrowsmith"
374.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Everlasting Stain"
375.	"Adam Bede," Arrowsmith"
376.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," "Middlemarch"
377.	"Earth-Buck," "Arrowsmith," "Adam Bede"
378.	"Up From Slavery," "Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith"
379.	"Autobiography of an Ex-colored Man," "Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Middlemarch"
380.	"Adam Bode." "Arrowsmith," "Middlemerch," "The Men of the ages,"
381.	"Adam Bedo," "Arrowsmith." "Mr. Reeder Returns."
382.	"Middlemerch," "Adem Bede," "Arrowsmith"
383.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Middlemarch," Scarlet Sister Mary"

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406+	"Middlemarch," "Sing Before Breakfast," "Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Poe's Short Stories,"
407.	"Adam Bede," "Men are Like Street Cars," "Main Street," "Arrowsmith"
408.	"Adam Bede," "Unfinished Symphony," "Arrowsmith"
409.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Scarlet Sister Mary"
410.	"Arrowsmith," "Adem Bede," "Not Without Laughter"
411.	"Adam Bede," Arrowsmith," "The Chinaberry Tree,"
412.	"Middlemarch," "Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Fu, of the Upper Yankses"
413.	"Adam Bede," "Arrowsmith," "Caravan"
414.	"The Young Man and Medicine," "Dr Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," "Arrowsmith," "Adam Bede," "Cimmsron"
415.	"Dark Princess," "Dark Waters," "Not Without Laughter" "Up From Slavery," "Souls," "Black Folk"
416.	"Black Mapoleon," "Down to Earth," "Lowers Must Learn," "Autobiography of an Ex-colored Man" "Mis-Education of the Negro," "Negroes in Africa" "The New Negro"
417.	"Strangers May Kiss." "Home to Harlem." "Nigger Heaven." "Up From Slavery." "Men are like Street Cars." "Main Street." "Back Street." "Lovers Must Learn"
418.	"The Hunchback of Notre Dame," "After Such Pleasures," "Return of Tarzan," "Murders in the Rue Morgue"
419.	"Seventeen," "Not Without Laughter," "The Adventures of the Black Girl in Her Search for God," "One Against the Earth," "The Mill on the Floss," "Les Miserables," "Her Father's Daughter,"
480.	"Together." "Frankenstein," "Mill on the Floss," "The Cat and Canary," "Back Street"
421,	"The Canary Murder Case," "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."
482.	"The Three Musketeers," "Ann Vickers," "Angel in the
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429.	"Short History of Medicine," "Hunchback of Notre Dame"
430 •	"None Listed"
431.	"Literary Digest," "Beowulf," "Mid-Night Dresms"by Shakespeare
432.	"The Happy Prince"
433.	"Rainbow Around My Shoulder", "Red Paints,"
434.	"Life of Booker T. Washington," "The Phylosophy of Education"
435.	"Up From Slavery," "The Negro in Our History"
436.	"Up From Slavery," "In Spite of Handicaps," "Thirteen Men," "Symphony of Six Million"
437.	"Dunbar's Poems"
438.	"Main Street," "Short Stories," Poe
439.	"Bobbitt," "Main Street," "Short Stories, "Poe
440.	"Psychology For Hurses," "Woolman's Journal"
441.	"All Men are Brothers," "The Office Wife," "Scott's Woodbumough Case," "Some Honeymoon"

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Findings

This study is cheifly concerned with the reading interests and experiences of entering Freshmen at Prairie View State College. The following findings were noted:

- 1. Girls, with only a few exceptions read more than boys.
- 2. Girls have a more accurate remembrance of titles than do the boys
- 3. In a great number of cases the errors made in titles were serious.
- 4. Unusually poor spelling for high school graduates.
- 5. Classes as prescribed by high schools consisted of the major part of the reading.
- 6. There is a tendency on the part of the persons studied to spell the titles as they themselves talked--phonetically.
- 7. So many do not distinguish between fiction and non-fiction.
- 0. Some persons studied have a poor idea of capitalization.
- 9. The greater part of cutside reading consisted of fiction, particularly that found in magazines.
- 10. It is quite noticeable that there is little interest shown for poetry.
- 11. Authors that were favorites years ago remain popular with boys and girls of today.

^{12.} It is obvious, that, on a whole, the pupils from elementary

school life have received very little guidance motivation as regards their reading interest.

15. Thing into consideration that about seventy-five per cent of students entering Prairie View College come from the rural districts, it can readily be seen that insufficient material has affected the "reading intelligence" of the students as to comprehension and appreciation.

Table 1.

Book	Author	Frequency of n	ention
"Adam Bede"		84	
"Arrowsmith"	Lewis	79	
"Silas Marner"	Eliot	55	
"The Scarlet Letter"	Hawthrone	47	
"Middlemarch"		40	
"Macboth"	Shakespeare	27	
"The House of seven	Hawthrone	24	
"Up from Slavery"	Washington	24	
"Treasure Island"	Stevenson	25	
"Dr. Jokyll and Mr. Hyde"	Dictions	20	
"The Last of the Mo-	Cooper	18	
"Little Women"	Alcott	17	
"The Pilgrin's Pro-	Bunyan	15	
"Life of Shakespeare"		13	
"Evangolino"		12	
"Uncle Tom's Cabin"		12	

Table 1. (Continued)

Book	Author	Frequency of Montion
"Tom Sawyer"	Twain	11
"Jady of the Lake"	Scott	21
"Ancient Mariner"		21
"Ivanhoo"	Scott	10
"As You Like It"	Shakespeare	10
"Not Without Laughter"	Hughes	10
"Merchant of Venice"	Shakespeare	will deprive a service des-
"Hamlet"	Shakespeare	9
"Hill on the Floss"		dio 66 9
"Ben Hur"		that they make the
"Frankenstein"		8
"Julius Ceasar"	Shakespeare	militar 8 military matter
"Robinson Crusoe"	Defee	7 1000000000000000000000000000000000000
"Romeo and Juliet"	Shakespeare	7 10 7
"A Tale of Two Cities"	Dickens	7
"Dracula"		7
"Scarlet Sister Mary"	Peterkin	7
"Autobiography of an Ex-Colored Man"		6
"David Copporficio"	Diekens	6
"Nythen	and restar	6
"Paradise Lest"	Milton	6
"Ramona"		6
"Nigger Heaven"	Van Vechten	6
"Black No More"	1002	6
"Seventeen"	Tarkington	6
"Tess of D'Ubervilles"	Tardy	6
"Cabin in the Cotton"	zana u.g.	5

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Book	Author	Frequency of mention
"The Fall of the House of Ucher"	Poe	William, know were semest
"The Good Earth"	Euck	Colors tem mention are an
"Poe's Tales"		
"Boowulf"		5

In order to make reading a vital factor in the lives of students it is necessary that we arouse and insure genuine interest within them. How may this be done?

"Studies made by Montgomery among 410 adults representing mrious professions and vocations showed that they engaged in recreational reading for the following purposes: satisfaction of curiosities; relaxation; culture; emotional satisfaction and stimulation; vicarious experiences; vivid description; background or atmosphere; to idle away time. Such findings show anriching that independence of reading is an essential means of personal experiences, of directing and inspiring the present and future life of the reader, and of providing for the wholesome use of leisure time"

[&]quot;Fernancht Interest in Reading" N.E.A. Journal, April 1931 Page

Parpose:

To present data regarding the reading of those students entering the Freshman Class at Prairie View State College. Data were secured in order to determine the number and types of books reported on or required in their high school course of study; the number and types of books voluntarily in their leisure time; the number and types of magazines read by these students.

Method:

Questionnires were given those students making up the various

Freshman English Classes. These questionnires were answered by them.

Those questions particularly related to this study were as follows:

1. List the books (bound valumes) of fiction you read during your

high school study: (as many as you can remember)

- 2. Did you make a written report on the book you read?
- 3. List titles of b coks (bound volumes) you read the past summer vacation.
- 4. List titles of Eagazines which you read regularly.
- This second group (1934), as you may readily see, will naturally reveal more information on the reading interests of these students than the questionaire of 1933 because it has a better form and can, therefore, be more intensely studied. The following tables are significant factors in this study.

Table 1. (Continued)

Book	Author	Mention
"Rip Van Winkle"		9
"Beowalf"		9
"Huckleberry Finns	Twain	9
"Ben Hur"	Wallace	9
"The Ancient Mariner"		9
"The Three Musketeers"	Dumas	8
"Shakespeare's Tales"		7
"Noby Dick"	Melville	7
"Sohrab and Rustum"	Arnold	7
"Cirl of the Limberlast"		7
"Les Miserables"	Hugo	7
"David Copperfield"	Dickens	7
"The Siy"	Cooper	6
"Snowbound"	Whittier	6
"The Covered Wagon"		6
"Scarlet Sister Mary"	Peterkins	6
"The Gold Bug"	es Personal	6
"Vanity Fair"	Thackeray	5
"Cullivers Travels"	Swift	5
"The Raven"	Poe	5
"Tarzan"		5

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Book	Author	Montion
Tronsure Island	Stevenson	69
"Silas Maxner"	Eliot	56
"Macboth"	Shakespeare	51
"The House of Seven Cables"	Hawtherne	48
"A Tale of Two Cities"	Dickens	29
"Uncle Tom's Cabin"	Stone	29
"Little Women"	Alcott	28
"The last of the Mohloans"	Copper	23
"Ivanhoo"	Scott	22
"The lady of the lake"	Scott	22
"Up From Slavery"	Washington	21
"As You Like It"	Shakespeare	19
"Julius Consar"	Shakespeare	18
"Haplete	Shakespeare	18
"Robinson Crusoe"	Defee	19
"The Tempest"	Shakespeare	17
"Pilgrin's Progress"	Bunyan	17
"Canterbury Tales"	Chauser	16
"Tom Sanger"	Twain	16
"Mid-Summer Mights Dream"	Shakespeare	14
"Johyll and Mr. Ryde"		24
"The Life of Booker T. Washington"		14
"Mylls of the King"		19
"The Life of Shekespeare"		12
"Do ddy leng-lege"		12
"Little Hen"	Alcott	11
"Evangeline"	Iongfellow	11
"The Merchant of Venice"	Shakespeare	10
"Romeo and Juliet"	Shakespeare	10
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Book	Author	Mention
"Up From Slavery"	Washington	9
"Life of Booker T. Washingt	on ⁿ	8
"of Human Bondage"	Maugham	7
"The Scarlet Letter"	Hawthorne	7
"Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"		6
"Uncle Tom's Cabin"	Stowe	6
"Julius Ceasar"	Shakespeare	5
"Tom Sawyer"	Twain	5
"The Canterbury Tales"	Chaucer	5
"Pilgrim's Progress"	Bunyan	5

It is interesting to note that Booker T. Washington is ranked highest in reading interest. This is significant because of voluntary reading.

The above table shows that good taste has been shown in the selection of books. In this entire study sex difference in the choice of books was not extremely distinct.

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Seventy eight different magazines were mentioned. In the table below you will note the magazines which received the most favorable votes: Table 3.

Magazines Often Read by Students Studied

	Magazine	Frequency of Mention
1.	Literary Digest	116
2.	Good Housekeeping	44
3.	Liberty	40
4.	Saturday Evening Post	36
5.	McCalls	33
6.	Crisis	33
7.	Pictorial Review	31
8.	Detective	31
9.	Ladies Home Journal	29
10.	The Progressive Farmer	27
11.	True Story Magazine	24
12.	The Delineator	22
13.	Time	22
14.	The Household	21
15.	Collier's	21
16.	Poplar Mechanicas	20
17.	Poplar Science	19
18.	Cosmopoitan	16
19.	The American	15
20.	The Red Book	14
21.	The Pathfinder	14
22.	The Woman's Home Companion	14
23.	Farm and Ranch	10

Table 4. The Magazines Least Mentioned

	Megezine	ion
1.	The Woman's World	9
2*	True Romance and Confession	8
3.	Farm Journal	8
4.	The Southern Agriculturist	7
	The second second second	7
Da.	Copper's Farm Magazine	
6.	Holland's	6
7.	The Country Centlemen	5
8.	The Southern Puralist	5
9.	Motion Picture	5
10.	Redio News	4
11.	Better Homes and Gardens	4
12.	Harper's	4
		4
13.	Western	
14.	Reader's Digest	4
15.	Abbot*s	4
26.	Love Story	4
17.	The Review of Reviews	5
	Boy's Life	3
	Brotherhood Syes	3
	Opportunity	3
	Home Friend	3
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The significant fact found in this study is that, on a whole, girls read more than boys and their reading is more varied.

The magazines most often read by girls and boys are:

Literary Digest
Liberty
Saturday Evening Post
Crisis
Time
Collier's

The magazines ranking highest with the girls are:

Good Househeeping

McCalls

Pictorial Review

Ladies Home Journal

True Story Magazine

The Delineator

The Household

Cosmopolitan

1. The Journal of the National Moncation Association

Vol. 21, No. 9, December, 1932.

Vol. 18, No. 8, November, 1929.

Vol. 20, No. 4, April, 1931.

2. The English Journal

September, 1931

February, 1931

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April, 1982

December, 1931

November, 1931

3. Wilson Bullentin for Librarians

The H. W. Wilson Company,

Hew York City

Vol. 4, No. 9 May, 1932

Vol. 8, No. 6 February, 1934

Vol. 8, No. 4 December, 1934

Vol. 9, No. S February, 1935

Vol. 9, No. 7 March, 1935

Vol. 8. No. 5 January, 1934

Vol. 9. No. 5 January, 1934

4. The National Elementary Principal

Elementary School Libraries

Welfth Yearbook, June 1933

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THEORY

Establishing the Habit of Reading

puring the age of restlessness and discontent so many teachers complein of meeting difficulty in getting students to read. There are many and varied causes for this failure. It is not the sophisticated mood, as adolescents are so often accused of having, that keeps them from reeding the " good books? To them these books are "good" that give them satisfaction, and one can not expect a person's hunger or desire to be any deeper or keener than is his intelligence. Children fail to read good books because they have not been exposed to them. Many homes lack even one shelf of books. A library is a rare thing. In order to instill within these individuals correct and wholesome reading habits, one must set about to train them. Although the home has much to do in helping to establish the desired hebits of the child, the greatest responsibility of training rests upon the shoulders of the school. The average school has failed to meet this responsibility, as a result students enter college totally ignorant of the values of good literature; having missed that encouragement, recreation, stimulation, travel and cultural growth afforded through resding.

The magazines most frequently read by boys are:

- 1. Detective
- 2. The Progressive Farmer
- 3. Popular Mechanies
- 4. Popular Science
- 5. The American

and girls are seizing the opportunity to read the best magazines.
This is shown by their preferences.

The intelligence of children shows marked preference in reading material. They do express and discriminate consistent preferences. This difference in intelligence also controls the choice of titles and the accurate remembrance of them. "Children of dull, average, and superior intelligence have distinct and sonsistent interests in reading which deserve recognition in curriculum making. This is especially important in the education of dull children, whose interests, on a whole, show a striking similarity to those of more intelligent children."

provision for Individual Differences in Reading

Segregation on the basis of ability is common in the courses analyzed about 1/3 of them offering 2 or 3 track programs, and more than a third providing some form of variation from the care course for pupils of superior or of limited ability.

The Three-track Program

A typical three-track course in Sacramento's, based on the assumption that 'no child should be asked to do something which is manifestly impossible for him to do. Within his ability he is asked to work conscientiously and thoroughly, sometimes inspirationally, giving proof from time to time, through tests, of actual mastery. 'The distinction between the X course and the Y course is in degree of attainment; for the Z course the differentiem is also in type.

In the tenth grade the slow group reads "Captain Courageous" and Lambs Tales" and as many of the following as possible. "The Jungle Book", The Prince and the Pauper; "The Story of a Bad Boy", "Tom Sawyer", and "The Call of the Wild", Meanwhile, the Y group reads two to four classics; "Travels with a Donkey", "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hydew, "Silas Marner" "Les Miserables", and as mach supplementary reading as possible from a group of four plays- " A Midsummer Night's Dream", "As You Like It", "The Merchant of Venice", and "The Piper". At the same time the X pupils read three of the four required classics, as many of the supplementary titles, as possible, and certain additional travel books. The teachers of the Z group are warned not to underestimate the ability of the pupils, but to encourage individual projects, to stimulate interest by the use of visual aids, and to have frequent individual conferences. The superior group is to have still more activaties-to note literary

effects, to enjoy humor, to study the life and times of the authors, and to do creative writing in connection with the unit. The average group follows the activities of the superior, with the omission of notation of literary effects and the study of the life and times of the suther."

Other suggested means of improving reading as is found in the above references are as follows:

- 1. The care course with variations
- 2. Bultiple-reading programs
- 3. Electives and remedial courses
- 4. The modified- content course
- 5. Seminars for superior pupils
- 6. Special programs for everage pupils
- 7. Appropriate reading materials for meak pupils

Instruction in English Bulletin, 1932, Number 17, Monograph No. 20. United States Department of the Interior, Office of Education

- 8. Differentiation in Methods of instruction
- 9. Problems for consideration
 - 1. To what extent are the educational objectives different for pupils of different levels of ability?
 - 2. Is there a set body of material which all should study in common? If so, how is that care to be determined?
 - 3. Is the present English course studied suited to the life needs of any group now in our schools?
 - 4. Grented that the boy has only one year left in school, what are the most important contributions a course in English may make to his future?
 - 5. For weak and bright students, what are the important sims of English instruction in terms of attitudes? Of habits? Of skills? Of knowledge?
 - 6. By that specific content or methods may these aims be achieved?

Recommendations
The Fifteen Finest Novels
Condensed from The Forum
William Lyons Phelps
Professor Emeritus of English, Yale University

- 1. Robinson Crusoe by Daniel Defoe
- 2. Gulliver's Travels by Jonathan Swift
- 3. Clarissa by Samuel Richardson
- 4. The History of Tom Jones by Henry Fielding
- 5, Augenie Grandet by Honore'de Balzac
- 6. The Three Misketeers by Alexandre Dumas
- 7. David Copperfield by Charles Dickens
- 8. The Scarlet Letter by Mathaniel Hawthorne
- 9, Henry Esmond by William Mikepeace Thackeray
- 10. Madame Bovary by Gustave Flaubert
- 11. Pathers and Children by Ivan S. Turgeneo
- E. Les Miserables by Victor Migo
- 13. Ama Karenina by Leo N. Tolstoi
- 14. The Brothers Karamazov by Ferdor M. Dostvevski
- 15. Hickleberry Finn by Mark Twain
- 16. Pride and Prepidice by Jane Austen
- 17. Jane Eyre by Charlette Bronte
- 18. Withering Heights by Emily Bronte
- 19. The Way of all Flesh by Samuel Butler
- 20. Pickwick Papers by Charles Dickens
- 21. The Return of the Native by Thomas Hardy

- 22. Tess of the D'Ubervilles by Thomas Hardy
- 23. The Ordeal of Richard Feverel by George Meredith
- 24. The Cloister and the Hearth by Charles Reade
- 25. Ivanhoe by Sir Walter Scott
- 26. Henry Esmond by W. M. Thackeray
- 27. Vanity Fair by W. M. Thackeray
- 28. The Scarlet Letter by Hawthorne
- 29. Moby Dick by Herman Melville
- 30. Tales by Edgar Allen Poe
- 31. Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain
- 32. The Canterbury Taes by Chaucer
- 33. The Divine Comedy by Dante
- 34. Faust by Goethe
- 35. The Odessey by Homer
- 36. Shakespeare's Works
- 37. Leaves of Grass by Whitman
- 38. Little women by Alcott
- 39. Little Men by Alcott
- 40. Jo's Boys by Alcott
- 41. Plays by Aristophanes
- 42. Plays by Euripides
- 43. The Ilead by Homer
- 44. The Republic by Plato
- 45. Lives by Plutarch
- 46. Plays by Sophocles
- 47. The Aeneid by Virgil
- 48. The Bible-(King James' Version)
- 49. Meditations by Aurelins
- 50. Arabian Nights

- 51. Morte d' Arthur by Malory
- 52. The Decameron by Boccaccio
- 53. Don Quixote by Cervantes
- 54. Autobiography by Cellini
- 55. Utopia by More
- 56. Diary by Pepys
- 5. The life of Saruel Johnson by Boswell
- 58. The Van Without a Country by Hale
- 59. Jungle Book by Kipling
- 60. Wrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch by Rice
- 61. Raddy Longlegs by Webster
- @. Kidnapped by Stevenson
- 63. Freckles by Porter
- 64. The Sea Wolf by London
- 65. Short Stories by Poe
- 66. The Man Who Would Be King by Kipling
- 67. Legend of Sleepy Hollow by Irving
- 68. Rip Van Winkle by Irving
- 69. Christmas Carol by Dickens
- 70. Silas Marner by George Eliot
- 71. Julius Caesar by Shakespeare
- 72, Evangeline by Longfellow
- 73. Essay on Burns by Carlyle
- 74. A Tale of Two Cities by Dickens
- 75. The House of The Seven Gables by Hawthorne
- 76. The Lady of the Lake by Scott
- 77. The Last of the Tohecans by Cooper
- 78. The Sketch Book by Washington Irving

- 79. The Tempest by Shakespeare
- 80. Penrod by Tarkington
- 81. Dodsworth by Sinclair Lewis
- 82. Death comes for the Archbishop by Cather
- 83. The Children by Edith Wharton
- 84. Silas Lapham by Howells
- 85. Main Travelled Roads by Garland
- 86. My Antonio by Cather
- 87. Main Street by Lewis
- 88. Forsyte Saga by Galsworthy
- 89. A Pair of Blue Eyes by Hardy
- 90. Far from the Madding Crowd by Hardy
- 91. A House Divided by Pearl Buck
- 92. Uncle Remus by Harris
- 92 The Boat of Longing by Rolvoag
- 94. Anthony Adverse by Allen
- St. Three Cities by Asch
- %, Imperial Palace by Bennett
- 97. The Farm by Louis Bromfield
- 98. Company K. by Campbell
- 99. Obscure Destinies by Cather
- 100. Little Man, What Now? by Fallada
- 101. Magnolia Street by Louis Golding
- 102. Long Remember by Kantor
- 103. The Foutain by Morgan
- 104. The Death of a World by Rolland
- 105. The Edwardians by Sackville-West
- 106. The Folks by Suckon

- 107. The Great Adam by Snell
- 108. Bleak House by Dickens
- 109, Scarlet Sister Mary by Peterkin
- 110. Mourning Becomes Electra by O'Neill
- 112. Peckwick Papers by Dickens
- 113. Master of Jalna by De La Roche
- 114. One Nore River by Galsworthy
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- 20. Ethan Frome by Wharton
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- 1. Song of the Lark by Cather
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- 136. Porgy by Heywood
- 137. Arrowsmith by Lewis
- 138. Bobbitt by Lewis
- 139. Adam Bede by Eliot
- 140. Representative Negro Literature by Calverton
- 141. All Quiet on the Western Front by Remorque
- 142. Napoleon by Ludwig
- 143. Up From Slavery by B. T. Washington
- 144. Spoon River Anthology by Masters
- 145. The Ancient Mariner by Dickens
- 146. Barnaby Rudge by Dickens
- 147. The Old Curiosity Shop by Dickens
- 148. Clayhanger by Bennett
- 149. The Essays of Elia by Lamb
- 150. East Lynne by Wood
- 151. The Egoist by Meredith
- 152. Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde by Stevenson
- 153. Dracula by Stoker
- 154. Joan and Peter by H. G. Wells
- 155. Middlemarch by Eliot
- 156. Romola by Eliot
- 157. The Mill on the Floss by Eliot
- 158. Old Mortality by Scott
- 159. The Old Wives Tale by Bennett
- 160. Oliver Twist by Dickens
- 161. Omar Khayyam
- 162. The Bent Twig by Canfield
- 163. Penguin Island by France
- 164. A Farewell to Arms by Hemingway
- 165. The Moon and Six pence by Maugham

- 66. Where the Blue Begins
- 167, Droll Stories by Bolzac
- 168. The Oppenheim Omnibus by Oppenheim
- 169. Lost Ecstacy by Rhinehart
- 170. Joina by Mozo De La Roche
- 11. The Omnibus of Crime by Sayers
- 172, Complete Novels (seven in one volume) by De Maupassant
- 173. The Magic Moutain by Mann
- 174. Point Counter Point by Huxley
- 175. Nothing but Wodehouse by Wodehouse
- 176.. Sons and Lovers by Lawrence
- 178. Lives of a Bengal Laucer by Yeats-Brown
- 179. The Medici by Young
- 180. The Outline of History by H. G. Wells
- 181. Abraham Lincoln by Sandburg
- 182. The Essays of Montaigne
- 183. Why we Behave Like Human Beings by Dorsey
- 184. Henry The Eighth by Hackett
- 185. Queen Victoria by Strachey
- 186. Genglus Khan by Lamb
- 18. A History of The Borgias by Caroo
- 188. Plutarch's Lives
- 189. Royal Road to Romance by Halliburton
- 190. The Complete Poems of Longfellow
- 191. Story of Mankind by Hendrick Van Loon
- 192. Catherine The Great by Anthony
- 193. Rasputin, The Holy Devil by Rene Fulap-Miller
- 194. Marriage and Morals by Russell
- 195. Morgan the Magnificent by Winkler

- 196. A Comprehensive Study of American Verse Selected by Conrad Aiken
- 197. The Negro in Our History by Woodson
- 198. The Mis-Education of the Negro by Woodson
- 199. Negro Musicians and Their Music by Cuney-Hare
- 200. The Count of Monte Cristo by Duras
- 201. Wonder Book by Hawthorne
- 202. Emma by Jane Austen
- 203. Henry Espond by Thackeray
- 204. Deer Slayer by Cooper
- 205. Plays by Shakespeare
- 206. Vicar of Wakefield by Goldswith
- 20%. Cricket on the Hearth by Goldswith
- 208. Wother Goose Rhymes
- 209. Nother Goose Tales
- 210. Stories from Greek and Reman Mythology
- 211. Jungle Stories by Kipling
- 219. Just so Stories by Kipling
- 213. Twenty-thousand Leagues Under the Sea by Verme
- 214. Pables by La Fontaine
- 215. Fables by Aesop
- 216. Morea the Fairy by Ingelow
- 217. Pairy Tales by Anderson
- 218. Hans Brinker by Dodge
- 219. Trovels With a Donkey by Stevenson
- 220. Souls of Black Folk by Du Bois
- 221. Caroling Dusk by Countee Cullen
- 223. The Negro in American Life by Dowd
- 224. Complete Poems by Faul L. Dunbar
- 225. Plum Bun by Fauset

- 2%. The Walls of Jerico by Fisher
- 227. God's Trombones by Johnson
- 228. The New Negro by Locke
- 229. What The Negro Thinks by Noton
- 230. Black Majesty by Vandercook
- 231. African Myths by Woodson
- 232. Fairy Queen by Spencer
- 233. Berwulf by Cyrewalf
- 234. Pendennis by Thackeray
- 235. The Newcomes by Thackeray
- 236. Barchester Fowers by Frallape
- 237. Pelham by Bulwer Lytton
- 238. Westward Ha! by Kingsley
- 239. Diana of the Crossways by Meredith
- 240. Jude the Obscure by Hardy
- 241. Oliver Cromwell's Letters and Speeches
- 242, Sartor Resartus by Carlyle
- 243. Sesame and Lilies by Ruskin
- 244. Tom Brown's School Days by Arnold
- 245. The Dark Forest by Walpole
- 246. The Bride of Lammermoor by Scott
- 247. Nicholas Nickleby by Dickens -
- 248. Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush by Barrie
- 249. Peter and Wendy by Barrie
- 250. Sentimental Towny by Barrie
- 251. Lorna Doone by Blackmore
- 252. Kim by Rudyard Kipling
- 253. Adventures of Sherlock Holmes by Doyle

- 254. The White Monkey by Galsworthy
- 255. The Man of Property by Galsworthy
- 256. Ester Waters by Moore
- 257. Hilda Lessways by Bennett
- 258. Anna of the Fine Towns by Bennett
- 259. The Green Mirror by Walpole
- 260. A Bed of Roses by George
- 261. The Confessions of Ursula Trent by George
- 262. The Way of the World by Congreve
- 263. Conquest of Granada by Dryden
- 264. Pamela by Richardson
- 265. Caleb Williams by Godwin
- 266. Last Days of Pompeii by Bulwer-Lylton
- 267. The Marble Faun by Hawthorne
- 268. The Hunchback of Notre Dame by Hugo
- 269. The Masque of the Red Death by Poe
- 270. Marjorie Daw by Aldrich
- 271. What Every Woman Knows by Barrie
- 272. The Importance of Being Earnest by Wilde
- 273. The Enchanted Cottage by Pinero
- 274. A Doll's House by Ibsen
- 275. The Weavers by Hauptmann
- 276. Bean Brumell by Fitch
- 277. The Story of a Bad Boy by Aldrich
- 278. The Mutineers by Hawes
- 279. To Have and to Hold by Johnston
- 280. Toilers of the Sea by Hugo
- 281. The Magnificant Ambersons by Tarkington
- 282. Tono Bungay by Wells

283. Types of Short Stories by Heydrich

284. Friendship Village by Gale

285. Masses from an Old Manse by Hawthorne

286. Blazed Trail Stories by White

287. Rip Van Winkle by Irving

288. The Murders in the Rue Morgue by Poe

289. The Cask of Amontillado by Poe

290. The Gift of the Mago by O. Henry

291. The Other Wise Man by Van Dyke

292. The Lotus Eaters by Tracy

293. The Monkey's Paw by Jacobs

294. The House With the Green Blinds by Stevenson

295. The Man Who Would Be King by Kipling

296. Namgay Doola by Kipling

297. The Necklace by de Maupassent

298. Rugby Chapel by Arnold

299. Sonnets from the Portuguese by Browning

300. Selected Poems by Robert Browning

301. Elegy Written in a Country Church Yard by Gray

302. The Song of Hiawatha

The above recommendations are Novels, Plays, Short Stories and Poems that every High school and college student should have read. Titles as Reported in 1934

Scarlet Letter

Path of Paradise Shadows on the Rock Five Little Peppers Petticoat Court The Awakening The Road to Revere Pilgrims Progress

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The Iron Horse Freekles of Limberlost The Secret People Macbeth, Ivanhoe Julius Ceasar The Tempest Sohrab and Rustrum Silas Marner The House of Seven Gables Treasure Island

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The Pit Farewell to Arms

5.

Count of Monte Chisto Vendetta, Pidgrim's Progress Thundering Herd Westward Ho?

6.

The Last of the Mohicans The Life of Benjamin Franklin

7.

To the Last Man, Betty Zane The Harvester, Freckles, Little Women, Widening Waters, The Lone Star Ranger, Her Father's Daughter A Girl of The Limberlost, Peg "0" My Heart, Daniel Webster's Ministery

1. 2. Treasure Island Problems of Everyday Life The Last of the Mohicans Social Problems of Today

3.

Frisco Jenny Cleopatra, Ben Hur

Elmer Granty Maggie, All Quiet On the Western Front, Miss Pat, Java, Summer Night Dreams

5.

Deliverance Creation

6.

Adam Bede Life of Frederick Douglass

The Call of the Canyon The Light of the Western Stars Betty Wayles Freshman
Betty Wayles Sophomore
Pollyanna of the Crange Blossoms, The Bent Twig

Magazines

1. Popular Science

2. Farm and Home Liberty

Popular Mechanics 3. Digest, Red Book, Liberty

4. Liberty, Crisis Popular Mechanics

5. Literary Digest Good Housekeeping Household. Liberty

6. Literary Digest, Household

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Ben Hur The Call of the Wild, John Henny, Sens, Black No More Phis Pure Young Man The Beast of Bradhurst venue,

Canary Murder Case urder in Central Park or. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde Parzan, Mystery Manor 13.

he Life of Shakespeare Amerson, Bryoht, Cooper, Life of Napolan, Whittie, Senjamin Franklin, Poke , louse of seven Cable

14. The Last Lady, The Trouble Momen, Treasure Island, Columbus Discovery of America, Greek Myths

7.Art 8. Enchanted Earth 9. Todern Sewing
Jane, The Empress
The Man Who Gould not
9. Good Home, Liberty Sleep, Mary, Her Father's Me Call, Home Making Doughter, The Girl of the Movie Classic, Motion Limberlost, 10. Girl's Beauty 10. Woman's General

11. The Instructor, Literary Christian Science Digest

12. Bad Girl, Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, Mystery Manor 13. Whittie, Life of Emerson

8. Literary Digest Stories

11. College Bumor, Colliers Literary Digest, Astounding Stories, Popular Science

12. Pathfine

13. True Story

15. Ramona, Ben Hur The Rise of Silas Lapham The Recreation of Bryant Kent Silas Merner, Ivanhoe, The Merchant of Venice, The Meting Pot Leaves of Grass, Vanity Fair Scarlet Letter, The Crisis

16. Evangeline, Scorlet Letter Silas Marner, Lady of the Lake Treasure Island, Lorna Doone Lest of the Mohicans, Leatherstockings, House of Seven Gables, Macbeth, Merchent of Venice, Odesseys, Argonauts 17.

Up from Slavery, Mack Beth Treasure Island 28.

Shakespeare Stories The Lady of the Lake The Tempest, The Rhime of the Ancient Mariner Twieth Nights, Rio Rita, Twelth Century

Ivanhoe, Macbeth, Silas Marner Midsummer Night Dream Tale of Two Cities 20.

Twelth Night, Macbath Silas Marner, Tressure Island Searlet Letter

21.

Silas Marner, Pride and Prejudice Schereb and Rustrum, Ancient Mariner Macbeth, Peradise Lost

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Up From Slavery Tressure Island Uncle Tem's Cabin Little Womenn

Merchant of Venice Macheth

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The Hidden Treesure The Education of the Negro The Village Blacksmith

Two Years Before the Mest Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde Murders in the Rue Morgue The Black Cat, The Thin Man Chinese Orange Murder

All Quiet on the Western Front Helen's Bables

22. Shepherd of the Hills Life Begins at Forty Heart of Rachel Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

Magazines 15.-WeCalls Household Pictorial Review 16.-Red Book Good Housekeeping

McCall Liberty Cosmopolitan Screen Romance

17. " Liberty True Stories Abat Monthly Dectective

18 - Literary Digest Pictorial Review Home Companion True Story Magazine

20 -- Red Book Delineator

Love Story 21 .- Saturday Evening Post Literary Digest Pictorial Review Woman's World

22. - Household McCalls Ladies Home Journal

23.- Delineator Teacher's Instructor Good Housekeeping Detective Literary Digest True Story

Magazines

24. Saharab and Rustum

25. Julis Ceaser

26.

Macbeth, Scarlet Letter Evangeline, Goggins Head Hamlet 1 3

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Oh Money! Money! Tom Sawyer, Huckleberry Finn, Daddy Long Legs, House
of Seven Cables, Tale of Two Cities,
Lamp on the Desert, Three Musketeers,
Blue Window.

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183.

Robinson Crusce, Tale of Two Cities, Last of the Mohicans, Man Without a Country.

184.

Nigger Heben, Not Without Laughter, Michael's Evil Deeds, Eve's Second Husband, Sunset Pass, The Dim Lantern, The Summit House Mystery.

185.

Macbeth, Idylls of the King, Ivanhoe, Treasure Island, Robinson Crusce, The Swiss Family Robinson, Hamlet, Mid-Summer Night's Dream, The Tempest, Tale "I haven't read many books since I finished High School. The ones that I have read were read three years ago.

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Pilgrim's Progress, Under the Toronto Rim, The Keeper of the Door, The Ne'er-do-well, Man Without a Country, Recreation of Mean Kent.

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185.

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186.

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Robinson Crusoe, Gullivers Travel, Po etry of Paul L. Dunbar, Signs of the Four, Tales from Shakespeare, Treasure Island, Penrad Cantebury, Aesop Fables, Grimm's Fables, Anderson Fairy Tales, Negro Orators and their Oralisms,

187.

Last of the Mohicans, Robinson Crusce, Rip Van Winkle, Ichabod Crane, Aesop Fables.

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Scarlet Letter, House of Seven Cables, Kidnapped, Evangeline, The Whit Flag, Back Street, Scarlt Sister Mary.

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Jo's Boys, Idylls of the King, Macbeth, Daddy Long Legs, The Perfume of the Lady in Black, Chaucer's (Play), Silas Marner, Tom Sawyer, Buckleberry Finn.

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Hamlet, The Scarlet Letter, Macbeth, Pilgrim's Progress, Mid Summer Night's Pream, Mill of the Floss.

201.

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, Circular Staircase, Falcons of the Air, Tap of Luxury, Seventeen, Idylls of the King, Literary Digest. Tales of two Cities.

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Hamlet, House of Seven Cables, King Autherentry Gentlemen, Literary Digest Knights, Canterbury Tales, Legend of Sleepyhollow, Idlys of the King, Arabian Knights, Treasure Island, Beowulf, Robinson Cruesce.

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The House of Seven Gables, Treasure Island, Shadow The Tales of two cities, Kidnapped, Daddy Long Leg, Shakespeare Plays, Types of Short Stories, Beowalf, Canterbury Tales, Robinson Cruso, Forsythe Sogn.

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200.

Home Companion, Good Housekeeping, Progressive Farmer, Literary Digest, True Stories, True Romance.

201.

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) Good Housekeeper, P. Journal. 206.

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White Man and Negro, Sport Magazine.

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Silas Marnor, The Seven Keys, Ivanhoe,

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Last of Mohicians, Treasure Island, Three Witches, Shekespear, Beowulf, Lady of Lake, Bohind the certain, Daniel Boone, The Settling of Virginia, The Mexican Wars, The Civil Wars, Texas Indepence,

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The Scarlet Letters, Murder in the Rue Morgue, The Green Murder Case, The Return of Sherlock Rolmes, Treasure Island, The Pet and the Pendulum, Ivanhoe, Silas Marner, Tale of Two Cities, Up from Slavery.

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Scarlet Letters, The Light that Failed, Covered Wagon, Ten Night in Bar-room, Idylls of the King, Trick Millions, The Lady of Lake, Julis Ceaser, Silas Nomare,

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Ton Nights in a Bar Room, Tom Sawer, The Night of Old, Three Mustiliass, Behind that Curtan,

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Lady of Take, Shakespeare, Macheth, The Book of Siles Marner, As you like it,

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The Girl of Limber Last, House of Seven Gables, The Search of the Helly Graill, The Battle of Water Loo, The Legend of Sleepy Hellow, Little Women, Ichabod, Hiawatha, Leaves, Ivanhoe, Longfellow, Treasure Island,

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last of the Mohicans, Silas Marner, Desert Gold, The Iron Door, Les Miserables, Tales from Shapespeare, Little Women, Little Men, Jo's Boys, Jack and Jill, Myths of Greece and Rome, Wild Rose,

Mariner. The Rit and the Pendalem, Treasure Island, Scarlet Letter,

last of Mohicans, Lady of Lake, Silas

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216 Little Women, The Lady of the Lake, Rip Wan Winkle, Paradise Lost, The House of The Seven Gables, To a Water fowl, Little Men, The Last of the Mochicans, Treasure Island, Black's Beauty, Task on The Tale of the tub, Evangeline,

Count of Monte Cristo, Wild Geese, The Lonesome Road, Cimarron, Black April, Scarlet Sister Mary, God's Step Children, Barn to Be Sweet Man, Pargy, Stars Fell on Alabama, Strange Interlude, Green Pastures, Dracula, Operator 13, Back Street, Silas Marner, Adam Bede, Collection of Operas in Story Form, Lycin de Lammermoar, Carmen, The Flying Dutchman, Robin Hood, The Necklace,

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219 The Return of the Native, Les Miserable, Silas Marner, Lona Donne, Ben Hur, The tale of Two Cities, Evangline, The Old Courisity Shop . Mill on the Floss,

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214 Beautiful Girlhood, Guiding Boys over Fool Hill,

215 Physiology of Hygiene, Modern History, Negro History of U. S.

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213 McCalls, Pictorial Review, Delineator, Leterary Digest,

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215 Literary Digest, Home Friend, Progressive farmer, Startlin Detective. American Magizine,

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Time, Literary Digest Crisis, Cosmopolitan, Pepular Mechanic. Delineator.

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Pearl, Buck's Chinese Stories
Lucy Perkins "Twin Series"
White Rose of Memphis
Treasure Island
Lyanhoe, White Sister

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Little Men, Scarlet Sister
Mary, Elsie Dismore, The
Green Murder Case

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That Girl Montana
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Three Muskeeters
Scott Ivanhee
Silas Marner
Treasure Island
Collette, Innocent Wife

Silas Marner
The Iron Door
The Last of the Mohicans
Strange Interlude
The Thin Man, Rain
Ivanhos, Treasure Island
Three Musketeers

224.
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Physiology
The Eady of the Lake
Idyll of King

Mid summer Nine Dream
Treasure Island
Ivanhoe, Pilgrim Progress
Tale of Two Cities
Scarlet Letter
The House of Seven Gables
As You Like It

Scarlet Letter Sister Carrie A book of Slavery Main Street Silas Marner The Mysterious Rider
The See Saw, Ann Vickers
Human Bondage

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The Human Body
Teaching Profession
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The tale fof two cities

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Treasure Island
Little Man
Ivanhoe, Three Mucketeefs
Silas Marner, House of
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230. Literature, English Negro History

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230. The Library of knowledge

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Delineator, Satruday
Evening Post

229. Time, Shadow, Phanton Colliers, Spider

230. Crisis, Literary Digest,

234. English Litersture History of England Uncle Remus, The Life of Booker T. Washington, The Life of Virgie Winters, The Life of Edward G. Robinson

235. Silas Marner, As You Like It, Julius Ceaser Romeo and Juliet The thin Man

236. Little Women Little Miss Marker Silas Marner

237. Life of Booker T. & Washington, Life for Thomas A. Edoson, The Lost Lady, Life of George Washington, Dr. Dolittle

238. The Last Man, Mystery Rider, The Lion and the Mouse

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239. King Arthur, Treasure Island, Holland

242. Pilgrim Progress Pathfinder, Liberty

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244. Books of life, Books on Common Sense

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244. Scott's Lady of the Lake The Adventery The Last of the Mohicansm. Ancient Marner, House of Seven Gables, New Hudson Shakespeare, Pride and Prejudice,

245. Merchant of Venice Tradegy of Macbeth The Pide Pipe of Hamlet

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Digest, Progressive Farmer,

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239. McCall, Copper farmer, Progressive farmer,

240. American Literature, Litem ry Digest, New York Times,

241. Country Gentleman Literary Digest Time, Southern Agriculture

> 242. Crisis,

243. College Humor Saturday Evenin g Post, Harper, Literary Digest Western Front,

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> 245. Literary Digest Household Pathfinder The early roman c Baseball Magazine

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Life Lincoln, Life Washington, Spy, The Prairie, Tom's Jones, Uncle Tom's Cabin, Evangeline, The Scarlet Letter, The Raven, Silas Marner, The White Captain, Life of Booker Washington.

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259.

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Boy's Life, Boy Scott

256. Lady of the Lake, Treasure Island, House of Seven Gables Farm Weekly.

271. The fall of the house of Usher Little Wemon, Siles Mariner Wrip Van Winkle, Jack and the bean stalk 272. Silam Marner Midsummer Night Dream, The Tempest 273. Nathaniel Hawtherne 274. American Literature English Literature The Crisis, Civics, English 275. Frankenstein, Mythology 276. The Gold Bug 277. The Scarlet Letter The House of Seven Cables The Raven, Lost Banner 278. Silas Marner, Blazing the trail, Screen Romance, True Stories 279. Rip Van Winke, A man's a man for a that, Wheeler's Literary reader 280. Pilgrim Progress The Happy Prince Treasure Island, The Coming of Banti 281. Silas Marner, Macbeth The Rhime of the Ancient Mariner, Julus Cesar, The Holly grail, The tail of two cities

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271. Farmer and Ranch 272. LiteraryDigest Feeds and Feedings Goldena Book Household Farm and Ranch culture, Farm Man-Coppers Farmer 273. True Stories Agriculture Books, Magazines 274. Progressive Farmer Women home companion, Better home gardenn, Victory The Progressive Farmer Review, Literary The Farm and the Ranch digest The Work of the Negro 275. Farm Journal Literary digest N. F. A. Progress ive Farmer, Literary Digest 277. Southern Agricul Sothern Agri. Literary turist, The Am-The Crisis, The Middlemarch, Myths, Liberty 278. Oklahoma Ferming Good Manners and Write and Stockman 279. True Story The Work of a Megro, Up from slavery 2894 Literary Digost Crisis, Goodhousekeeping 282* American County

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At an Early age children should be taught the value of independent leisure or recreational reading. "Strong notives for and permanent interest in such reading activities are essential." This type of reading of value, socially. It is here that the school is challenged.

"As children pass thru the elementary grades an increasingly large percentage of them, as a rule, engage in recreational reading, if they have the opportunity to do so. During the junior-high-school period two distinct trends develop. In schools where adequate attention is given to the problem, interest in reading increased notably as shown by records of the number of books read independently and the amount of time devoted to recreational reading. In other schools interest in reading often decreases rapidly. This has been attributed largely to failure on the part of teachers to provide adquate stimulation and guidance with respect to recreational reading.

conditions under which desirable reading interests and habits may be cultivated are as follows:

1. The home must present a wholesome reading atmosphere.

- 2. Parents should encourage and take interest in the reading material of children. Guidance and careful selection is necessary.
- 3. "As pupils advance through the grades and high school

[&]quot;Permanent Interest in Reading" N.E. A. Journal, April 1931

Adolescents are the receptive stage of their development and are susceptible to reading influences, therefore, their reading should be rich and full enough to satisfy their curiosity and interest in future careers. Adolescents live in an adventurous and romantic world and respond to every suggestion. How is one to judge what is suitable for these individuals? Although children are similar in some respects they are diverse in personality, tastes and temperament.

In the Wilson Bulletin for March 1935 there appears an article by Beatrice Young which is a Bibliography for what ails the College Student which she calls

In this article is found recommended readings to meet the many moods which are characteristic of college students. Exceapts are as follows:

The college student is one of the moodlest of peoples.

If he is overworked or discouraged; if he is disappointed or blue, he feels these experiences are just as valuable, just as such to be encouraged and talked about as the realization that life is a bed of roses; or that it is a joy to be alive. Sadness and joy are thrills! He has not yet become convinced of the fact that is noble to force gaiety and attempt to sunshine even the has failed in an examination or his true love has proved false. He despises a pollyamma! The mood's the thing! Act your Mood might be his slogan.

[&]quot;Reading in the Junior High School" N. E. A. Journal,
December 1932

various conditions should be provided and numerous methods used to promote the permanent establishment of desirable reading interests, habits, and tastes." This may be done by: inspiring teachers of broad reading interests; an abundance of appropriate reading materials; types of teaching that awaken interests leading to independent reading; the organization of teaching in terms of problems that appeal to children as significant and worthwhile; regular periods in the daily schedule for recreational reading; and guidance that cultivates appreciation of and develops preferences for desirable types of literature."

- 4. The organization of a Book Club is effective.
- 5. Proper exposure and advertizement of books. Curiosity must be aroused, interest follows.
- 6. "One of the chief duties of the junior high school is to develop right reading habits and discriminating taste in adolescent boys and girls. The junior high school should:
 - (a) continue the instruction in how to read, begun so efficiently in the elementary school, (b) provide pupils with attractive and interesting reading materials of all kinds, and (c) present the reading materials in such a way as to improve the pupils' taste".

Many a time I have had students stop at my desk and say, Oh, I am bored to death with life. People are all the same. You always know just what they are going to say before they say it, and just how they will react to whatever might happen. I want to forget them all. Heven't you a book that will carry me away from such a humber existence?

Or again comes the appeal, well everything is coming my way now. I just got an 'A' in my examination, and in education, too. Think of it! Wheel it's great to be alive, isn't it? I want to read something about people who have achieved! I feel as the I could nove the world and I'd like to learn the technique of my predecessors.

Because of experiences we have had in meeting these college moods, I have made bibliographies of books which time after time have not only satisfied the student but have made them consistent uses of the library. As a result of our efforts to supply each student with the right book for every occasion our circulation for recreational reading has gone up many hundred percent in the last few years, and the students are developing a reading taste which we hope and expect will carry over into their post-college days.

Here are a few titles for the varying moods.

Bored With Life

"The need for a new outlook-a desire for seclusion from ones

Butler, S. - Way of all flesh Modern Library

De Kruis, P .- Microbe hunters Harcaust, Brace, 1928

Dostolevsky, F.-Crire and punishment, Macmillan, 1919

Douglas, L. C .- The manificant Obsession Willett, Clark 1933

Indigestion

"Caused sometimes by undersleep, produces a lack of couragefasters that inferiority feeling. What is needed is stimulation, encouragement-a book which will react like a cup of black coffee.

Brittain, Vera-Testament of Youth Macmillan, 1934

De Kruif, P.-Hunger fighters Farcount, Brace, 1928

Gilfillan, L.-I went to Pit College Viking Press, 1934

Goldsrith, M.-Christian of Sweden Doubleday, Doran, 1934

Haggard, H. W.-"Devils, drugs and doctors Farpers, 1929

Fulbert, A. B.-Forty-niners Little, Brown, 1931

Marie, Grand Duchess-Education of a princess Viking Press, 1934

Masefield, John-The bird of dawning Macmillan, 1934

Maurais, A.-Disraeli Appleton, 1928

Roeder, Ralph-The man of the Renaissance Viking Press, 1934

Steffens, L.-Autobiography Harcount, Brace, 1931

All modern poetry by-

Edna St V. Millay, E. E. Robinson, E. L. Masters, Amy Lowell, Robert Frost, Sara Reasdale, Carl Sandburg, George Dillon, Bliss Carman, John G. Fletcher.

In Love

"For those frequent moods in college life when one feels himself in love".

Allen, J. L.-A Kentucky cardinal and aftermath Macmillan,

Anderson, M.-Elizabeth the Queen Longmans, Green, 1931
Barry, P.- Tomorrow and tomorrow French, 1930
Besier, R.-The Barretts of Wimpole Street Little Brown, 1930

Schauffer, R. H.-The poetry cure Dodd, Mead, 1929

Sedgwick, A. D.-Dark Hester Houghton Mufflin, 1929

Trine, R. W. In time with the infinite Doubleday, Page, 1925

Undersleep

Anderson, laxwell-lary of Scotland Doubleday, Doren, 1934

Boyd, J.-Long hunt Scribner, 1930

Cather, .- Death comes for the Archbishop Knopf, 1927

Chagman, .- The weather tree Viking, 1932

Churchward, J.-Children of Mr Ives Washburn, 1931

Maughen, . somerset-Of human bondage Wodern Library, 1930

Rice, E. Street scene French, 1959

Rostand, R.-Cyrano de Bergerac Holt, 1923

Russell, A. W.-Conquest of happiness Horace Liverlight,

1930

Tarkington, B.-Presenting Lily More Doubleday, doran, 1933

Turgeneo, I.-Terrents of spring Memillan, 1897

Wharton, E. Zinger Scribner, 1916

Wharton, E. The whole fa fly Harper, 1908

Wilder, T.-The Bridge of San Luis Rey Boni, 1927

Travel

"The urge to go places and see things"

Adams, E. - want Saint Hichel and Chartres Houghton, Millin, 1930

Boobe, T.-Pheasant jungles Putnam, 1927

Davis, W. S.-Aday in old Athens Allyn and Bacon, 1914

De Hit, A. R. Ways and days out of London

Baker and Taylor, 1910

France, A.-Thais Modern Library, 1935

Gilbran, K.-The prophet Knopf, 1930

Glaspell, S.-Allison's house French 1930

Manzoni, A.-The betrothed Bell and Sons, 1892

Meagher, M.-White Jade Scholartis Press, 1930

Neals, J. E .- Queen Elizabeth Harcourt, Brace, 1934

Overstreet, H. A.-About ourselves Norton, 1927

Robinson, E. A.-Tristram Macmillan, 1927

Strachey, L.-Elizabeth and Essex Harcount, Brace, 1929

Wells H. G.-The shape of things to come Macmillan, 1933

Wilder, T.-Woman of Andras Boni, 1930

The Blues

Which may be caused by failing in examinations, no date for the prom, the wrong date, jealousy, a grudge, or just disappointment in general.

Aldrich B. S.-Miss Bishop Appleton-Century , 1933

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The vocabulary of the average Prairie View student is indeed limited. This is a sign of limited reading.

CONCLUSION

On a whole the resources for Supplementary Reading are limited; especially is this true concerning the Negro school child. The Negro child faces two great disadventages which hinder him greatly in the field of literature. Namely: The lack of a rich home-reading influence, and the poor library facilities found in Negro schools.

Teachers are so often handicepped in their efforts to put over an effective program due to the above causes. It is difficult to key what should be the first approach in the solving of this problem but what ever the remedy is suggested, without a doubt, the home and the school must cooperate in attacking it.

The child is the object upon which all efforts should be focused, in order that his inner interests may be aroused. There are many and varied methods by which this may be done, but the child, the community, and the adventages will determine the selection and application of the method.

Rural communities face the greatest difficulties and should be provided for. Circulation libraries are splendid mediums through which the reading problem may be met.