

# The New York Times Best Seller List

| <b>This Week</b> | <b>October 8, 1944<br/>Fiction</b>                           | <b>Last Week</b> | <b>Weeks On List</b> |
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| 1                | STRANGE FRUIT, by Lillian Smith. (Reynal & Hitchcock.)       | 1                | 29                   |
| 2                | THE RAZOR'S EDGE, by Somerset Maugham. (Doubleday, Doran.)   | 2                | 22                   |
| 3                | CLUNY BROWN, by Margery Sharp. (Triangle.)                   | 4                | 2                    |
| 4                | THE HISTORY OF ROME HANKS, by Joseph S. Pennell. (Scribner.) | 3                | 9                    |
| 5                | PASTORAL, by Nevil Shute. (Morrow.)                          | --               | 1                    |

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|------------------|---|------------------|----------------------|
| 1                | I NEVER LEFT HOME, by Bob Hope. (Simon & Schuster.)               | 1                | 14                   |
| 2                | THE TIME FOR DECISION, by Sumner Welles. (Harper.)                | 2                | 9                    |
| 3                | YANKEE FROM OLYMPUS, by Catherine Drinker Bowen. (Little, Brown.) | 3                | 22                   |
| 4                | ANNA AND THE KING OF SIAM, by Margaret Landon. (John Day.)        | 4                | 11                   |
| 5                | GOOD NIGHT, SWEET PRINCE, by Gene Fowler. (Viking.)               | --               | 33                   |