

APUSH LITERATURE; A List of Historically Influential Writing:

1. Wealth of Nations, Adam Smith (1776)
2. Uncle Tom's Cabin, Harriet Beecher Stowe (1852)
3. A Century of Dishonor, Helen Jackson Hunt (1884)
4. Horatio Alger's Stories/Ragged Dick, (c. 1870)
5. The Gospel of Wealth, Andrew Carnegie (1889)
6. History of the Standard Oil Company, Ida Tarbell (1902-1903)
7. How the Other Half Lives, Jacob Riis (1890)
8. Looking Backward, 2000-1887, Edward Bellamy (1887)
9. Origin of Species, Charles Darwin (1859)
10. Ben Hur: A Tale of Christ, Lewis Wallace (1880)
11. The Communist Manifesto, Karl Marx/Frederick Engels (1848)
12. "Yellow Journalism" (c. 1898)
13. Maggie, A Girl of the Streets, Stephan Crane (1892)
14. "The Significance of the Frontier in American History," Frederick Jackson Turner (1893)
15. The Jungle, Upton Sinclair (1906)
16. The Theory of the Leisure Class, Thorstein Veblen (1899)
17. The Wizard of Oz, Frank Baum (1900)
18. Coin's Financial School, William "Coin" Harvey (1894)
19. The Influence of Sea Power Upon History, 1660-1783, Alfred Mahan (1890)
20. Babbitt, Sinclair Lewis (1922)
21. "Harlem Renaissance" Writing (c. 1920s)
22. The Grapes of Wrath, John Steinbeck (1939)
23. An American Dilemma: The Negro Problem and Modern Democracy, Gunnar Myrdal (1944)
24. The Organization Man, William H. Whyte (1956)
25. On the Road, Jack Kerouac (1957)
26. The Feminine Mystique, Betty Friedan (1963)
27. The Other America, Michael Harrington (1962)
28. "The Pentagon Papers," New York Times (1971)
29. Silent Spring, Rachel Carson (1962)

Other Readings

Taking Sides

"The American Revolution Considered as a Social Movement"-Jameson

"Colonial Class Status"-Schlesinger

"The Cult of True Womanhood"-Welter

"The Lady and the Mill Girl"-Lerner

"White Servitude"-Hofstadter

"Persons of Mean and Vile Condition"-Zinn