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#### THEODORE ROOSEVELT

#### **A BRIEF BIOGRAPHY**

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#### THEODORE ROOSEVELT (1858-1919)

Theodore Roosevelt, born in New York City on October 27, 1858, was the twenty-sixth President of the United States, and a dynamic, colorful, multi-talented, charismatic man who became a hero to millions of Americans. TR was a sickly child who overcame the handicaps of severe asthma and poor eyesight to become a cowboy in the "wild west," the Colonel of the "Rough Riders" in the Spanish-American War, and a field naturalist and hunter in Africa and South America, leading what he called "the strenuous life." In politics and government, Roosevelt was a reformer who championed the "Square Deal" for all Americans. He was also the President who established the United states as a world power, built up the Navy, preached the doctrine of "speak softly and carry a big stick," and became the first American to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

TR was elected to the New York State Assembly in 1881 at the age of 23. After the tragic deaths of his wife and mother in the same house on the same day, February 14, 1884, TR became a cattle rancher in the Bad Lands of the Dakota territory. He returned east in 1886, was defeated for Mayor of New York, and married his childhood friend, Edith Kermit Carow. TR served as U.S. Civil Service Commissioner in Washington, 1889-1895, battling the "spoils system," and then was President of the Board of Police Commissioners in New York City, 1895-1897. In 1897 TR was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and began preparing the navy for the war he saw coming with Spain over the independence of Cuba. In 1898, when Spain declared war on the United states, Roosevelt resigned from the Navy Department, and organized the First U.S. Volunteer cavalry regiment, popularly known as the "Rough Riders." The hero of the Battle of San Juan Hill in Cuba, TR returned to be elected Governor of New York in November 1898. In 1900 TR was elected Vice President on the Republican ticket with President William McKinley. On September 14, 1901, McKinley died from an assassin's bullet, and TR became President, at 42 the youngest President before or since.

Elected in his own right in 1904, TR as president in the years 1901-1909 established the office of Chief Executive as the center of the federal government, thereby creating the "modern presidency"; "busted" the trusts or monopolies; secured consumer protection legislation; and fought for the federal regulation of big business. In conservation he began the first federal irrigation projects; established the first federal wildlife preserves; created the U.S. Forest Service; set aside some 18 sites as national monuments, including Muir Woods, the Grand Canyon, and Mount Olympus; founded five national parks; and greatly expanded the national forest, water power, and mineral reserves. In foreign affairs, TR began the Panama canal, and mediated an end to the Russo-Japanese war, for which he was in1906 awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

After leaving the White House, TR led an expedition to Africa for the Smithsonian Institution; unsuccessfully ran again for President in 1912 as the head of his own political party, the Progressive or "Bull Moose" Party; and explored the jungles of Brazil, where he charted an unknown river now named for him, the "Rio Roosevelt." An intellectual as well as an activist and outdoorsman, TR wrote dozens of books on history, nature, politics, and his own adventures. He was President of the American Historical Association and one of the first elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. The father of an active brood of six children, Alice, born to his first wife, Alice lee Roosevelt, and Theodore Junior, Kermit, Ethel, Archibald and Quentin, born to his second wife, Edith Kermit Carow Roosevelt, TR preached and exemplified family values. He died, at the age of 60, at his home, Sagamore Hill in Oyster Bay, Long Island, on January 6, 1919. Not without reason, TR has been called the "most interesting American." Criticized as a militarist, egotist, and political opportunist, TR's greatness has often been debated; but his importance in American history is as obvious as his face on Mount Rushmore.

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#### A CHRONOLOGY OF THE LIFE OF THEODORE ROOSEVELT

- 1858 October 27. Born at 28 East 20<sup>th</sup> Street, New York City, the second child of Theodore ("Thee" or "Greatheart") and Martha ("Mittie") Bulloch Roosevelt. In all, there would be four children: Anna ("Bamie" or "Bye"), Theodore ("Teedie"), Elliott ("Ellie") and Corinne ("Coney").
- 1865 Watches Abraham Lincoln's funeral cortege from an upstairs window of his grandfather's house on Union Square, New York City. With him are his younger brother Elliott and a friend named Edith Kermit Carow.
- 1876 Enters Harvard University.
- 1878 February 9. Death of his father due to stomach cancer, at the family's new home at 6 West 57<sup>th</sup> Street.
- 1880 June 30. Graduates from Harvard University, *magna cum laude,* member Phi Beta Kappa.

October 27. Marries Alice Hathaway Lee (born July 29, 1861, Boston, MA).

Joins Republican Party.

- 1880 October. Enters New York University to study Law before leaving school to enter public service in 1882, without graduating or becoming a lawyer.
- 1882 Publishes *The Naval War of 1812,* written partly while he was in college. It set the standard for studies on naval strategy and was required reading at Annapolis for many years.

Becomes the youngest man elected to the New York State Assembly by a margin of 3,490 votes to 1,989.

"I put myself in the way of things happening; and they happened."..."During the three years' service in the Legislature I worked on a very simple philosophy of government. It was that personal character and initiative are the prime requisites in political and social life."

August 1. Joins the National Guard. Commissioned a Second Lieutenant in B Company of New York's Eighth Regiment. Would be promoted to Captain the following year.

1883 Re-elected by the widest margin of any legislator in New York (by a two-to-one majority). Becomes Minority Leader. Is taken on a tour of New York City tenements by Samuel Gompers and is horrified by the conditions he witnesses. Works to pass legislation to ease conditions.

Establishes himself as a ranchman in western Dakota on his first hunting trip there, with two cattle ranches (The Maltese Cross and Elkhorn) near Medora, North Dakota.

1884 February 12. Birth of his first child, Alice Lee Roosevelt, at 6 West 57<sup>th</sup> Street.

February 14. Death of his mother due to typhoid fever and his wife Alice due to Bright's Disease (a chronic kidney infection). Both died within hours of each other in the same house.

*"It was a grim and an evil fate, but I never have believed it did any good to flinch or yield for any blow, nor does it lighten the blow to cease from working." (Private letter, March 1884)* 

March. Signs a contract with the firm of Joseph Wood & Sons of Lawrence, Long Island, to build a home in Oyster Bay at the insistence of his sister Bamie, who convinced him his daughter would need a home. He had originally planned the home with his wife Alice, and was planning to name it *Leeholm* in honor of her family name. The

house, completed in 1885, would later be named Sagamore Hill in honor of Sagamore Mohannis, the Indian chief who used the hill as a meeting place and signed his people's rights to the land over to the settlers in the 1660s.

April. As Chairman of the Committee on Cities, presents report which results in vital changes in the Charter of New York City.

June. Delegate to the Republican National Convention.

#### 1884-

1886 Ranchman in the badlands of the Dakota Territory.

"It was still the Wild West in those days, the Far West of Owen Wister's stories, and Frederic Remington's drawings, the soldier and the cowpuncher. The land of the West has gone now, 'gone, gone with the lost Atlantis,' gone to the isle of ghosts and strange dead memories...In that land we led a hardy life. Ours was the glory of work and the joy of living."

- 1885 Publishes Hunting Trips of a Ranchman.
- 1886 November 2. Candidate for Mayor of New York. Defeated by Abram S. Hewitt, the son-in-law of Peter Cooper. Hewitt's New York City home would later become the Cooper-Hewitt Museum.

"But anyway, I had a bully time."

December 2. Marries Edith Kermit Carow (born August 6, 1861, Norwich, CT) in London.

1887 Publishes Life of Thomas Hart Benton.

September 13. Birth of his son Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., at Sagamore Hill.

1888 Publishes Life of Gouverneur Morris.

Publishes Ranch Life and the Hunting Trail.

Publishes Essays in Practical Politics.

1889 October 10. Birth of his son Kermit Roosevelt, at Sagamore Hill.

Publishes first two volumes of *The Winning of the West;* succeeding volumes were published in 1894 and 1896.

May 7. Appointed U.S. Civil Service Commissioner in Washington, DC. Serves until May 5, 1895.

"The opposition to reform is generally well led by skilled parliamentarians, and they fight with the vindictiveness natural to men who see a chance of striking at the institution which has baffled their greed. These men have a gift at office-mongering, just as other men have a peculiar knack at picking pockets; and they are joined by all the honest dull men, who vote wrong out of pure ignorance, and by a very few sincere and intelligent, but wholly misguided people."

1891 Publishes *History of New York, a history of New York City.* 

August 13. Birth of his daughter, Ethel Carow Roosevelt, at Sagamore Hill.

- 1893 Publishes The Wilderness Hunter.
- 1894 April 10. Birth of his son, Archibald Bulloch Roosevelt, in Washington, DC.

August 14. Death of his brother Elliott Roosevelt.

1895 Publishes, in collaboration with Henry Cabot Lodge, *Hero Tales from American History*.

May 6. Resigns as Civil Service Commissioner to become President of the Police Commission of the City of New York. Receives national press attention for his reforms, including "midnight rambles" in search of policemen not at their posts. Orders that all police officers must report for target practice, thus establishing the foundation of the Police Academy, one of the first in the country.

"There is nothing of the purple in it. It is as grimy as all work for municipal reform over here must be for some decades to come; and is inconceivably arduous, disheartening, and irritating, beyond almost all other work of the kind...It is not work to be done in a rose-water basis."

1897 Publishes American Ideals.

April 19. Appointed Assistant Secretary of the Navy by President William McKinley.

"The shots that hit are the shots that count."

November 19. Birth of his son, Quentin Roosevelt, in Washington, DC.

1898 May 6. Resigns as Assistant Secretary of the Navy to become Lieutenant-Colonel of the 1<sup>st</sup> U.S. Volunteer Cavalry Regiment (the "Rough Riders"). Is later promoted to Colonel of the Regiment before the Battle of San Juan Heights. Serves with the Rough Riders May 15-September 16, 1898.

"A man's usefulness depends upon his living up to his ideals in so far as he can. Now I have consistently preached what our opponents are pleased to call 'Jingo Doctrines' for a good many years. One of the commonest taunts directed at men like myself is that we are armchair and parlor Jingos who wish to see others do what we only advocate doing. I care very little for such a taunt, except as it affects my uselessness; but I cannot afford to disregard that fact that my power for good, whatever it may be, would be gone if I didn't try to live up to the doctrines I have to preach."

June 24. Baptism of fire at Las Guasimas.

July 1. Battle of San Juan Heights. Is later nominated for, but denied, the Congressional Medal of Honor.

"As for the political effect of my actions, in the first place, I never can get on in politics, and in the second, I would rather have led that charge and earned my colonelcy than served three terms in the U.S. Senate. It makes me feel as though I could now leave something to my children which will serve as an apology for my having existed."

August 14. The Rough Riders land at Montauk, Long Island, to begin a six-week quarantine.

September 27. Nominated by the Republican Party for Governor of New York State.

October 5. Opening of campaign at Carnegie Music Hall. Speech on The Duties of a Great Nation.

"I am not having an entirely pleasant campaign. I may win yet, and I am going in to do everything that can be done."

November 8. Elected Governor of New York State (661,715 votes) with a plurality of 17,786 votes. His opponent was Democrat Augustus Van Wyck of Brooklyn (643,921 votes).

"At that time boss rule was at its very zenith...In each case I did my best to persuade Mr. Platt not to oppose me...It was only after I had exhausted all the resources of my patience that I would finally, if he still proved obstinate, tell him that I intended to make the fight anyhow."

December 31. Takes oath of office before Secretary of State John Palmer.

1899 Publishes *The Rough Riders*. First installment appeared in *Scribner's* in January.

January 2. Inauguration in Assembly Chamber. The day was so cold that the brass instruments of the band escorting him to the State Capitol building froze into silence. Annual message to legislature, dealing with taxation, the Erie Canal, commerce, labor, the National Guard, roads, civil service, state forests and the economy.

January 16. First weekly cabinet meeting.

1900 November 6. Oyster Bay. Elected Vice President. The McKinley-Roosevelt ticket received 7,219,530 votes to 6,358,071 for Democrats William Jennings Bryan and Adlai E. Stevenson.

"If I have been put on the shelf, my enemies will find that I can make it a cheerful place of abode."

December 31. Oyster Bay. Evening in Albany for farewell dinner given by Timothy L. Woodruff.

1901 March 4. Takes office as Vice President.

September 14. President McKinley dies as a result of an assassin's bullet; he was shot on September 6 while attending the Pan American Exposition in Buffalo, NY. TR is summoned from Mount Tahawus in the Adirondacks to Buffalo. At age 42, Roosevelt becomes the 26<sup>th</sup> President of the United States and is sworn into office at about 3:5 p.m. at the Ansley Wilcox Mansion, 641 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, the youngest man ever to become President (John F. Kennedy was the youngest man ever elected to that office at the age of 43).

"The course I followed, of regarding the Executive as subject only to the people, and, under the Constitution, bound to serve the people affirmatively in cases where the Constitution does not explicitly forbid him to render the service, was substantially the course followed by both Andrew Jackson and Abraham Lincoln."

1902 February 19. Orders antitrust suit under Sherman Act to dissolve Northern Securities Company, first of 45 antitrust suits.

May 22. Crater Lake National Park in Oregon established. Other National Parks established by TR are Wind Cave National Park (South Dakota, 1903); Sullys Hill (North Dakota, 1904); Platt National Park (Oklahoma, 1906); and Mesa Verde National Park (Colorado, 1906).

June 17. Newlands Reclamation Act signed, leading to the first 21 federal irrigation projects, including Theodore Roosevelt Dam in Arizona.

June 28. Isthmian Canal Act.

October 15. Roosevelt settles the Anthracite Coal Strike.

December 31. Roosevelt settles the Venezuelan Affair.

1903 February 14. Department of Commerce and Labor established.

February 19. Elkins Anti-Rebate Act for railroads signed.

March 14. Proclaimed Pelican Island, FL, as first federal bird sanctuary; Roosevelt proclaimed a total of 51 bird sanctuaries.

March. Roosevelt settles the Alaskan Boundary dispute.

November 13. Recognition of the Republic of Panama after Panama's secession from Colombia.

November 18. Treaty signed with Panama for building of Panama Canal, which was completed in 1914.

"Panama declared itself independent and wanted to complete the Panama Canal, and opened negotiations with us. I had two courses open. I might have taken the matter under advisement and put it before the Senate, in which case we should have had a number of most able speeches on the subject, and they would have been going on now, and the Panama Canal would be in the dim future yet. We would have had a half a century of discussion afterward."

December 17. Reciprocity Treaty with Cuba.

1904 November 8. Elected President over Alton B. Parker, the Democratic nominee, by the widest popular margin ever recorded.

"I am glad to be elected President in my own right."

December 6. Issued "Roosevelt Corollary" to Monroe Doctrine in Annual Message to Congress.

1905 February 1. National Forest Service established.

March 4. Inaugurated as President.

March 17. Acting as stand-in for his deceased brother Elliott, he gives away his niece Eleanor Roosevelt at her wedding to her fifth cousin once removed, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, in New York City.

June 2. Wichita Forest, Oklahoma, made first federal game preserve. Other federal game preserves established by TR are the Grand Canyon (1908); Fire Island, Alaska (1909); and National Bison Range, Montana (1909).

September 5. Signing of the Treaty of Portsmouth ending the Russo-Japanese War.

Publishes Outdoor Pastimes of an American Hunter.

1906 January. Algeciras Conference opened as TR mediated dispute between France and Germany over Morocco.

February 17. Marriage of his daughter Alice to Ohio Congressman Nicholas Longworth in a magnificent White House ceremony.

June 8. Antiquities or National Monuments Act signed, by which TR established the first 18 "National Monuments," including Devils Tower (1906); Muir Woods (1908); Grand Canyon (1908) and Mount Olympus (1909).

June 11. Forest Homestead Act.

June 29. Hepburn Rate Act signed, giving the Interstate Commerce Commission the power to regulate railroad rates.

June 30. Signed both the Pure Food and Drug Act and the federal meat inspection law.

November 8-16. President and Mrs. Roosevelt went to Panama to inspect building of the Canal, the first time a President left the U.S. while in office.

December 10. Awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his work in the Treaty of Portsmouth of 1905, becoming the first American to win a Nobel Prize in any of the six categories.

- 1907 December 16. American Great White Fleet starts around the world. It will be the first circumnavigation of the globe by a national naval force.
- 1908 May 13-15. First Conference of Governors met at the White House to consider problems of conservation.

June 8. Appointed a National Conservation Commission to prepare the first inventory of natural resources.

1909 February 18. North American Conservation Conference convened at the White House.

February 22. Return of the Great White Fleet.

"In my own judgement the most important service that I rendered to peace was the voyage of the battle-fleet around the world."

March 4. Roosevelt retires from the Presidency, being succeeded by William Howard Taft.

March 23. Sails for Africa.

- 1909- Hunting in Central Africa with his son Kermit to gather
- 1910 specimens for the Smithsonian Institution.
- 1910 March 14. Arrives at Khartoum.

April 23. Delivers "Citizenship in a Republic" speech at the Sorbonne, Paris. "The Man in the Arena" quote from that speech becomes world-famous.

"It is not the critic who counts: not the man who points out how the strong man stumbles or where the doer of deeds could have done better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood, who strives valiantly, who errs and comes up short again and again, because there is no effort without error or shortcoming, but who knows the great enthusiasms, the great devotions, who spends himself for a worthy cause; who, at the best, knows, in the end, the triumph of high achievement, and who, at the worst, if he fails, at least he fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who knew neither victory nor defeat."

May 20. Serves as Special Ambassador to England at the funeral of King Edward VII.

May 31. Address at the Guildhall, London.

June 18. Returns to New York.

Publishes African Game Trails.

Publishes *The New Nationalism*. Delivered the speech "The New Nationalism" at Osawatomie, Kansas on August 31.

- 1911 Becomes an editor for *Outlook* Magazine.
- 1912 February 21. Announces candidacy for the Republican nomination for President.

"My hat is in the ring."

Publishes Realizable Ideals.

June 18-22. Defeated at the Republican National Convention in Chicago, even though he had won all but two primaries. Incumbent William Howard Taft is nominated. Roosevelt supporters bolted, charging "theft" of nomination.

August 5-7. Convention of new National Progressive ("Bull Moose") Party held in Chicago, adopted reform platform and nominated TR for President and Governor Hiram W. Johnson of California for Vice President.

"This country will not be a good place for any of us to live in if it is not a reasonably good place for all of us to live in."..."Laws are enacted for the benefit of the whole people, and must not be construed as permitting discrimination against some of the people."

October 14. Shot in the chest at Milwaukee by would-be assassin John Schrank. Delivers a 90-minute speech before seeking medical attention.

"I did not care a rap for being shot. It is a trade risk, which every prominent public man ought to accept as a matter of course."

November 5. Defeated by Democrat Woodrow Wilson. Roosevelt received the largest percentage of votes of any third party candidate.

1913 Publishes Theodore Roosevelt - An Autobiography.

Publishes History as Literature and Other Essays.

May 26-31. Trial of *Roosevelt vs. Newett*; TR's successful libel suit against the Michigan editor who called him a drunk.

October 4. Sailed for South America for lecture tour and jungle expedition.

1914 February 27-April 27. Roosevelt-Rondon Expedition, sponsored by the American Museum of Natural History and the Brazilian government, explored Brazil's *River of Doubt*, now named *Rio Roosevelt* or *Rio Teodoro*. Roosevelt nearly dies on the trip.

"I had to go. It was my last chance to be a boy."

Publishes Through the Brazilian Wilderness.

Publishes, in collaboration with Edmund Heller, Life Histories of African Game Animals.

1915 January 1. Publishes America and the World War.

"The kind of 'neutrality' which seeks to preserve 'peace' by timidly refusing to live up to our plighted word and to denounce and take action against such wrong as that committed in the case of Belgium, is unworthy of an honorable and powerful people. Dante reserved a special place of infamy in the Inferno for those base angels who dared side neither with evil or with good. Peace is ardently to be desired, but only as the handmaiden of righteousness. There can be no such peace until well-behaved, highly civilized small nations are protected from oppression and subjugation."

April 19-May 22. Libel suit, *Barnes vs. Roosevelt*, against Republican leader William Barnes, Jr.; decided in favor of Roosevelt.

#### 1916 Publishes A Booklover's Holidays in the Open.

Publishes Fear God and Take Your Own Part.

June 7-10. Republican and Progressive national conventions met in Chicago, at same time in different halls, in an effort at a joint nomination.

June 10. Nominated by the Progressive Party for the Presidency; refused the nomination and gave his support to the Republican candidate, Charles Evans Hughes.

"We have room for but one loyalty, loyalty to the United States. We have room for but one language, the language of the Declaration of Independence and the Gettysburg Speech."

1917 February. Requests permission of President Woodrow Wilson to raise and equip a Division of volunteers for service in France.

"Peace is not the end. Righteousness is the end."..."If I must choose between righteousness and peace I choose righteousness."

May 19. Request finally refused.

All four of his sons enlist. His daughter Ethel serves as a Red Cross nurse at the American Ambulance Hospital in Paris, accompanying her husband, surgeon Dr. Richard Derby.

Publishes Foes of Our Own Household.

1918 July 14. Death of youngest son Quentin Roosevelt in France when he was shot down as a fighter pilot.

July. Roosevelt refuses Republican nomination for Governor of New York.

Publishes The Great Adventure.

"Our present business is to fight, and continue fighting until Germany is brought to her knees. Our next business will be to help guarantee the peace of justice for the world at large, and to set in order the affairs of our own household."

1919 January 6. Death of Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill due to an arterial blood clot.

"All of us who give service, and stand ready for sacrifice, are torch-bearers. We run with the torches until we fall, content if we can then pass them to the hands of some other runners...Both life and death are parts of the same Great Adventure."

### **ROOSEVELT GENEALOGY**

		Nicholas (1658-1742)	
Oyster Bay Roosevelts			Hyde Park Roosevelts
Johannes			Jacobus
(1689-1750)			(1692-1776)
Jacobus			Isaac
(1724-1777)			(1726-1794)
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James			James
(1759-1840	))		(1760-1827)
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(1794-187)	1)		(1790-1863)
•			James
Theodore			(1828-1900)
(1831-1878)			Married Sara Delano
I			
President	Elliott	-	President Franklin Delano
Theodore	(1860-		(1882-1945)
(1858-1919)	1893)		Married
1			Anna Eleanor
1			(1884-1962)
Alice Lee			
(1884-1980)			•
Theodore, Jr.			Anna
(1887-1944) Kannait			(1906-1975)
Kermit			James (1907-1991)
(1889-1943) Ethel Carow			(1907-1991) Franklin
(1891-1977)			(1909)
Archibald Bulloch			Elliott
(1894-1979)			(1910-1990)
Quentin			Franklin Delano, Jr.
(1897-1918)			(1914-1988)
、		TR and FDR were fifth	John
		cousins.	(1916-1981)
		Eleanor was TR's niece (his	(1)10-1901)
		brother Elliott's daughter),	
		thus Eleanor was FDR's fifth	
		cousin once removed.	

Claes Martenszen van Rosenvelt immigrated in 1640s to New Amsterdam

#### THEODORE ROOSEVELT: A SELECTED ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY

#### John Allen Gable

This Bibliography is divided into four sections. Following "Bibliographical Aids," the section on "Works,

Letters, and Papers of Theodore Roosevelt" is subdivided into a chronological listing of books by TR and

published collections. The third section is devoted to "Monographs and Other Works on Theodore Roosevelt."

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#### **II. THE WORKS, LETTERS, AND PAPERS OF THEODORE ROOSEVELT**

#### 1. CHRONOLOGICAL LISTING OF BOOKS BY THEODORE ROOSEVELT

1882	The Naval War of 1812		
1885	Hunting Trips of a Ranchman		
1887	Thomas Hart Benton		
1888	Essays on Practical Politics		
	Gouverneur Morris		
	Ranch Life and the Hunting Trail		
1889-1896	<i>The Winning of the West</i> (vols. 1&2, 1889; vol. 3, 1894; vol. 4, 1896)		
1891	New York		
1893	The Wilderness Hunter		
1895	Hero Tales from American History, with Henry Cabot Lodge		
1897	American Ideals		
	Some American Game		
1899	The Rough Riders		
1900	The Strenuous Life		
	Oliver Cromwell		
1905	Outdoor Pastimes of an American Hunter		
1907	Good Hunting		
1909	Outlook Editorials		
1910	African and European Addresses		
	African Game Trails		
	American Problems		
	The New Nationalism		
1912	The Conservation of Womanhood and Childhood		
	Realizable Ideals		
1913	Autobiography		
	History as Literature and Other Essays		
	Progressive Principles		
	Through the Brazilian Wilderness		
1914	Life-Histories of African Game Animals, 2 vols.		
	co-author with Edmund Heller		
1915	America and the World War		
1916	Fear God and Take Your Own Part		
	A Book Lover's Holiday in the Open		
1917	The Foes of Our Own Household		
	National Strength and International Duty		
1918	The Great Adventure		

**Note:** Theodore Roosevelt was co-editor with George Bird Grinnell and contributed to three books published by the Boone and Crockett Club: *American Big Game* (1893), *Hunting in Many Lands* (1895), and *Trail and Campfire* (1897). TR, T.S. Van Dyke, D.G. Elliot and A.J. Stone were the contributors to *The Deer Family* (1902).

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Brands, H.W., ed. *The Selected Letters of Theodore Roosevelt*. New York: Cooper Square Press, 2001. A selection of Theodore Roosevelt's letters, starting from his childhood and continuing throughout the rest of his life.

DiNunzio, Mario R., ed. *Theodore Roosevelt: An American Mind; Selected Writings*. New York: Penguin Books, 1994. Selections from the books and speeches of Theodore Roosevelt, broken down and grouped by topic.

Griffith, William, ed. *The Roosevelt Policy*. 3 vols. New York: The Current Literature Publishing Company, 1919. Collection of TR's speeches, state papers and articles, which includes some World War I speeches not available in other collections.

Hagedorn, Hermann, ed. *Memorial Edition: Works of Theodore Roosevelt* 24 vols. New York: Scribner's Sons, 1923-1926. Most complete edition of TR's books, essays, state papers and other writings; supplants the Sagamore, Elkhorn, Allegheny and other editions or Roosevelt's collected works published in his lifetime. Introductions and bibliographical notes with each volume.

. *National Edition: Works of Theodore Roosevelt*. 20 vols., New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1926. Shorter version of *Memorial Edition* listed above.

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Kerr, Joan Patterson. *A Bully Father: Theodore Roosevelt's Letters to His Children*. New York: Random House, 1995. With a biographical essay and notes by the author and a forward by David McCullough.

*Letters from Theodore Roosevelt to Anna Roosevelt Cowles, 1870-1918.* New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1924. Letters from TR to his sister, Mrs. William Sheffield Cowles.

Morison, Elting, John M. Blum, et al., eds. *The Letters of Theodore Roosevelt*. 8 vols. Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1951-1954. The most complete published collection of letters by TR, includes approximately 6,500 letters; appendices with essays by John M. Blum, Alfred D. Chandler, Jr.; superb footnotes and indexes; chronology of TR's daily activities, 1898-1919, in vols. 2, 4, 6, 8.

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\_\_\_\_\_. *Hunting Trips of a Ranchman and The Wilderness Hunter*. New York: Random House, 1996. Two works written by TR during his days as a ranchman in the Dakota Bad Lands. Introduction by Stephen E. Ambrose.

. *Through the Brazilian Wilderness* Mechanicsburg, PA: Stackpole Books, 1994. A personal account of TR's 1913 expedition of the River of Doubt in Brazil.

. *The Man in the Arena*. Oyster Bay, NY: Theodore Roosevelt Association, 1987. A collection of nine of TR's most famous speeches and essays.

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#### **III. BIOGRAPHIES AND BIOGRAPHICAL PROFILES**

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Burton, David Henry. *Theodore Roosevelt*. New York: Twayne Publishers, 1972. A short biography in Twayne's Rulers and Statesmen of the World series by a perceptive scholar.

Cadenhead, I.E., Jr. *Theodore Roosevelt: The Paradox of Progressivism*. Woodbury, NY: Barron's Educational Series, 1974. A basic biography which includes a good discussion of the historiography of TR.

Chessman, G. Wallace. *Theodore Roosevelt and the Politics of Power*. Boston: Little, Brown & Co., 1969. From the Library of American Biography series, at 214 pages this is the best short biography of TR.

Cordery, Stacy A., *Theodore Roosevelt: In the Vanguard of the Modern*. Belmont, CA: Wadsworth, a division of Thomson Learning, Inc., 2003. College textbook; uses extensive quotes from historians, contains "questions for responsive essays" at the end of each chapter, and also discusses TR's legacy.

Dalton, Kathleen. *Theodore Roosevelt: A Strenuous Life.* New York: Alfred A. Knopf, 2002. Using previously unavailable or overlooked sources, Dalton brings to light many new facts and episodes from TR's life.

Einstein, Lewis. *Roosevelt: His Mind in Action*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co., 1930. Few of the early biographies of Roosevelt, including those by William Roscoe Thayer, Lord Charnwood, Harold Howland, and William Draper Lewis, have much utility, except for selected sections, for later scholars, but diplomat Einstein's interpretive biography still merits consideration.

Gardner, Joseph L. *Departing Glory: Theodore Roosevelt as Ex-President*. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1973. Detailed and well written account of TR's last years, 1909-1919.

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Lorant, Stefan. *The Life and Times of Theodore Roosevelt*. Garden City, NY: Doubleday & Company, Inc., 1959. Packed with photos and reproductions, this is a fascinating look at the world around TR – his

contemporaries, current affairs of his day, political cartoons, copies of his college transcripts and diploma, his wedding license, etc., its value lies mainly in the visual record.

McCullough, David. *Mornings on Horseback*. New York: Simon & Schuster, 1981. An analytical and narrative account, marked by psychological insight and attention to social history, of TR and his family circle in the years 1858-1886; winner of the National Book Award.

Miller, Nathan. *Theodore Roosevelt: A Life*. New York: William Morrow/Quill, 1992. A full-life biography of Theodore Roosevelt by the author of *The Roosevelt Chronicles* and *FDR: An Intimate History*.

Morris, Edmund. *The Rise of Theodore Roosevelt*. New York: Coward, McCann and Geoghegan, 1979. Morris' brilliantly written book, which won the Pulitzer Prize, follows TR up to 1901, and is the first volume of a projected three-volume biography. Morris gives a detailed account of the first part of TR's career, with informative notes explaining the sources and reasons for interpretations. This is one of the most important and widely read books on TR.

. *Theodore Rex.* New York: Random House, 2001. The second volume of the trilogy, this follows TR through the presidential years. There is more on politics than in the previous volume, which is to be expected. As in *The Rise of Theodore Roosevelt*, there are extensive notes.

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Burton, David H. *Theodore Roosevelt; Confident Imperialist.* Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 1969. Major interpretive study on TR's views on foreign policy.

Butt, Archibald W. *The Letters of Archie Butt, Personal Military Aide to President Roosevelt*. Edited by Lawrence F. Abbott. Garden City, NY: Doubleday, Page and Co., 1924. Butt's letters describing the last year of Roosevelt's administration.

.*Taft and Roosevelt: The Intimate Letters of Archie Butt, Military Aide.* 2 vols. Garden City, NY: Doubleday, Doran and Co., 1930. Major Butt continued as military aide under Taft, and recorded in his personal letters the split between Roosevelt and Taft.

Chessman, G. Wallace. *Governor Theodore Roosevelt: The Albany Apprenticeship, 1898-1900*. Cambridge: Harvard University Press, 1965. Thorough and scholarly account of TR's term as Governor of New York.

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*Theodore Roosevelt: Culture, Diplomacy and Expansion: A New View of American Imperialism.* Baton Rouge, LA: Louisiana State University Press, 1985. Revisionist study favorable to TR which puts foreign policy and expansion in a cultural context; includes detailed biographical essay.

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Corry, John A. *A Rough Ride to Albany: Teddy Runs for Governor*. New York: Fordham University Press, 2000. Focuses entirely on TR's campaign for the Governorship of New York State in 1898.

Cutright, Paul Russell. *Theodore Roosevelt: The Making of a Conservationist*. Urbana, IL: University of Illinois Press, 1985. One of two studies on TR and natural history and conservation written by Cutright, who was a biologist and historian in the field of natural history.

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Dennett, Tylor. *Roosevelt and the Russo-Japanese War*. Garden City, NY: Doubleday, Page and Co., 1925. Early study of TR and diplomacy.

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Esthus, Raymond A. *Theodore Roosevelt and the International Rivalries*. Waltham, MA: Ginn-Blaisdell, 1970. Good brief study.

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Gould, Lewis L. *The Presidency of Theodore Roosevelt*. Lawrence, KS: University of Kansas Press, 1991. Important study of Roosevelt's administration, 1901-1909, in the American Presidency Series of the University of Kansas.

Hagedorn, Hermann. *Roosevelt and the Bad Lands*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co., 1921. Detailed account of TR's ranching days in the Dakota Territory.

\_\_\_\_\_. *The Roosevelt Family of Sagamore Hill*. New York: Macmillan Co., 1954. The Roosevelt family seen through rose-colored glasses, but an important source on TR's personal life that captures the charm of the Sagamore Hill family.

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Jeffers, H. Paul. *Colonel Roosevelt: Theodore Roosevelt Goes to War 1897-1898*. New York: John Wiley and Sons, 1996. Excellent account of TR's part in the preparation of the navy for war, the background of the Spanish-American War and his participation in the war.

Jones, Virgil Carrington. *Roosevelt's Rough Riders*. Garden City, NY: Doubleday & Company, Inc., 1971. The story of one of the most famous regiments in the Spanish-American War – the Rough Riders – and their Colonel, Theodore Roosevelt.

Leary, John J., Jr. *Talks with TR from the Diaries of John J. Leary, Jr.* Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company, 1920. Private conversations with TR recorded by a newspaper reporter at Sagamore Hill; important source material on TR's post-presidential years.

Marks, Frederick W., III. *Velvet on Iron: The Diplomacy of Theodore Roosevelt*. Lincoln, NB: University of Nebraska Press, 1979. Major and controversial revisionist study which defends TR's foreign policies as

president. Marks must be taken into account in any study of the foreign policy of the Roosevelt administration. There is much that is new or neglected in this provocative and well-argued work. Includes a good bibliography on TR and foreign policy.

Mowry, George E. *The Era of Theodore Roosevelt and the Birth of Modern America, 1900-1912.* New York: Harper and Bros., 1958. Volume in the New American Nation Series. Solid, informed and balanced account of the Roosevelt and Taft administrations, and of the social and intellectual history of the period; perceptive analysis of the progressive movement; good bibliography for works up to 1958. All students of the period should begin with this book.

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Johnson, William D. *T.R.: Champion of the Strenuous Life*. Oyster Bay, New York: Theodore Roosevelt Association, 1958. A photographic biography of Theodore Roosevelt.

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#### AUDIO-VISUAL RESOURCES

*THE INDOMITABLE TEDDY ROOSEVELT.* Harrison Engel, Anacapa Productions, 1983. Color 16mm and videotape. Available from Churchill Films, 93 min. Excellent historic films of Roosevelt have been computer enhanced and speed corrected.

*My FATHER, THE PRESIDENT.* directed by Sidney D. Kirkpatrick, 1982. Color 16mm and videotape available from Pyramid Film and Video. 23 min. Charming tour of Sagamore Hill, TR's Long Island home, with episodes about his career, narrated by Ethel Roosevelt Derby, Roosevelt's late daughter.

**TR:** AN AMERICAN LION. Directed by David deVries for Greystone Communications / The History Channel, 2003. VHS and DVD. The latest biography of TR, it aired in January 2003 on two evening, two hours per evening. Discusses some of the latest research and attitudes.

*T.R. AND HIS TIMES* A Walk Through the Twentieth Century with Bill Moyers. Corporation for Entertainment and Learning, 1983. Color 16mm and videotape available from PBS Video. 58 min. The life and times of Theodore Roosevelt are examined through film clips, still pictures and comments.

**T.R.: THE STORY OF THEODORE ROOSEVELT** David Grubin Productions WGBH, Boston, 1996. videotape available from PBS Home Video. 240 min. This special presentation of the AMERICAN EXPERIENCE explores the influences of TR's childhood on the shaping of the man; charts TR's meteoric rise to the presidency; and explores the turbulent years after he left office, when he remained a potent political force and a fascinating human being.

**THEODORE ROOSEVELT: ROUGH RIDER TO RUSHMORE** A&E Biography, A&E Television Network, 1995. videotape available from A&E Sales., 50 min. A stirring portrait of the president who transformed America from a fledgling nation into a world power.

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IN ADDITION TO THE MANY SOURCES OF INFORMATION LISTED HEREIN, YOUR SCHOOL AND LOCAL LIBRARY SHOULD BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH OTHER BOOKS AND SOURCES WHICH MAY BE MOST VALUABLE TO YOUR RESEARCH AND PREPARATION.