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American Mercury (1924)
Ainslee's (1900)
Appleton's Magazine
Argosy All-Story Weekly
Atlantic Monthly (1857)
Blackwood's Edinburgh
Magazine
Century Magazine
Colliers
Commonweal
Country Life (London,
England)
Esquire (1933)
Essence
Field and Stream (1898)
Forum (New York, N.Y.: 1886)
Freeman (New York,
N.Y.: 1920)
Godey's Lady's Book
Harper's
Harper's Bazaar
Horizon (Tuscaloosa, Ala.)
House & Garden
Illustrated London News
Ladies' Home Journal
Life and Letters (London)
Literary Digest
London Mercury
McCall's
McClure's Magazine
New Statesman (London,
England: 1913)
Overland Monthly (1883)
Parents' Magazine (1929)
Russian Review (1917)
Scribners Monthly
Sea Stories Magazine
Seventeen
The Cosmopolitan (1886)
The Critic (1957)
The Owl (1919)
The Reader (1905)
The Spectator (1711)
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Transition (1927)
Vanity Fair
Vogue (1916)

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