



### Librivox Short Nonfiction Collection Vol. 008

A collection of fifteen short nonfiction works in the public domain. The essays, speeches, news items and reports included in this collection were independently selected by the readers, and the topics encompass history, literature, philosophy, shoe-making, bathing, & cats. (summary by Leon Mire)  
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- ❖ *Cats* by Robert Lynd - 00:12:11 - Read by Perry Clayton
- ❖ *The Celebration of Intellect* by Ralph Waldo Emerson – 00:29:21 - Read by Philipp Weichselbaum
- ❖ *A Few Parables* by Arthur Schopenhauer - 00:09:55 – Read by ajmacbeth
- ❖ *The “House Divided Against Itself” Speech* by Abraham Lincoln – 00:06:49 - Read by Cody Logan
- ❖ *How to Make a Shoe* by John Parker Headley – 00:26:11 - Read by Betsie Bush
- ❖ *A Meditation Upon A Broomstick* by Jonathan Swift – 00:03:35 - Read by Todd Cutler
- ❖ *Morals of Chess* by Benjamin Franklin – 00:09:46 - Read by Philipp Weichselbaum
- ❖ *Night and Moonlight* by Henry David Thoreau – 00:21:03 - Read by Philipp Weichselbaum
- ❖ *The Oath and Law of Hippocrates* by Hippocrates – 00:08:25 - Read by Clarica
- ❖ *On the Pleasure of Taking Up One’s Pen* by Hillaire Belloc – 00:07:53 - Read by Zloot
- ❖ *On the Vice of Novel Reading* by Young E. Allison – 00:37:22 - Read by J. M. Smallheer
- ❖ *Rules for Bathing* by E. P. Miller – 00:04:59 - Read by Lee Ann Howlett
- ❖ *Self-Denial Not the Essence of Virtue* by Benjamin Franklin - 00:08:47 - Read by Daniel Cranston
- ❖ *A Short Defence of Villains* by Agnes Repplier – 00:21:03 - Read by Cori Samuel
- ❖ *Some Reflections on the Loss of the Titanic* by Joseph Conrad – 00:27:21 - Read by James Christopher

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