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Libri di testo: Performer, vol 1,2, Zanichelli ed

THE BIRTH OF A NATION

EARLY BRITAIN, A HISTORY OF INVASIONS

THE CELTS

ROMAN BRITAIN

THE ANGLO-SAXON INVASION

Anglo –Saxon literature

An oral art : the scop's tale

Early poems

Beowulf

Reading passage.: extract 1, Beowulf's battle with Grendel

BRITAIN AFTER THE ROMAN CONQUEST

Historical and social background

THE NORMAN CONQUEST, a feudal society

The three orders of medieval society

The Doomsday book

The language: the rise of Middle English

A time of reforms

LITERATURE IN THE LATE MIDDLE AGES

G. Chaucer: life and works

The narrator's voice: Chaucer and Boccaccio

The Canterbury Tales: main features

Reading passages: The Wife of Bath (from the General Prologue)

A CULTURAL AWAKENING

THE ENGLISH RENAISSANCE

Historical and social background

Elizabethan theatres

Literature during the Renaissance: Elizabethan drama

C. Marlowe: life and works

Reading passage: Faustus's final soliloquy (from Dr Faustus)

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