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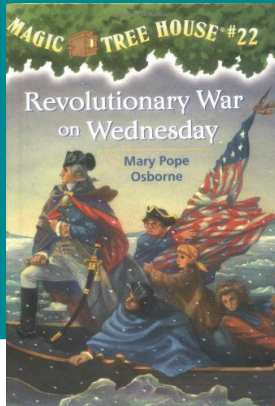
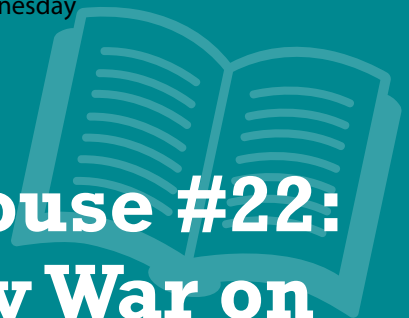
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## Book Review

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### Rating

Excellent

### Level

Primary

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71

### Year

2000

### ISBN

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### Publisher

Scholastic, Inc.

Have you ever wanted to go back in time and experience an event firsthand? Jack and Annie get to live historical adventures time after time in The Magic Treehouse series. In *Revolutionary War on Wednesday*, they travel back to the 1700's when George Washington was about to cross the Delaware River for a sneak attack on the Hessians on Christmas. The two children accidentally get onto the boat as it crosses the river and convince Washington to continue his attack when he doubts himself. After completing their mission, the children find the treehouse and head back home to prepare themselves for their next adventure.

The Magic Treehouse series brings historical events to life. Since Jack and Annie are from modern times, readers can relate to their thoughts and actions. There is also a little bit of comedy when current knowledge is mentioned in the past. For example, when the children tell George Washington that he needs to continue his attack because it will surprise the Hessians, being that they would not expect anyone would attack on a stormy night such as this, Washington is dumbfounded as to how they know this information. He believes they are spies when in reality, they learned the facts in school!. This book is engaging, educational and relatable for young and developing readers.