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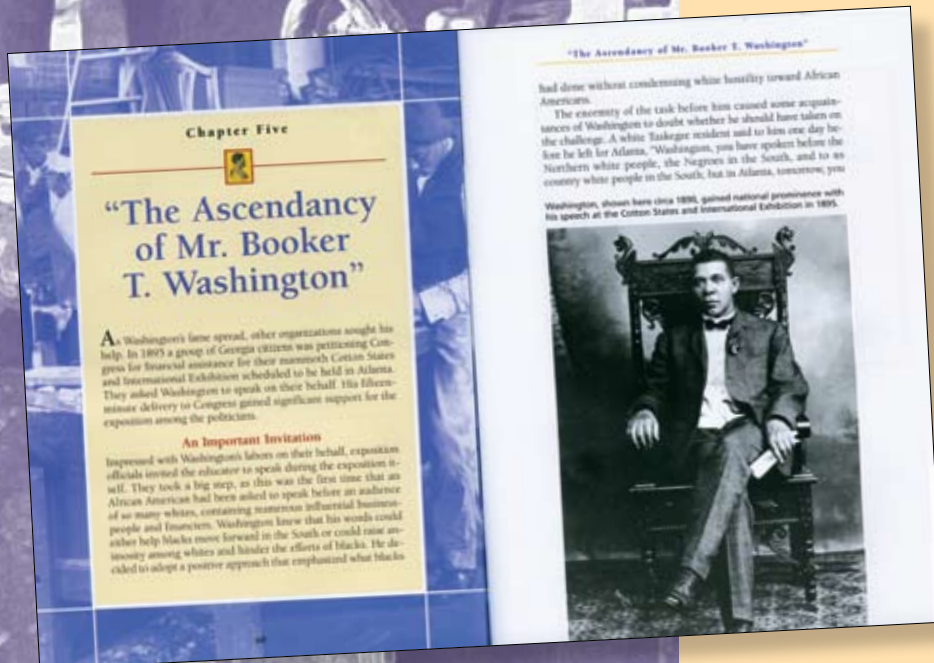
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## Features of each volume

- Table of contents
- Introduction
- Five to seven chapters with photographs
- Sidebars – quotes from speeches or writings of African Americans during the title's time period, thumbnail biographies and more
- For More Information – an annotated bibliography of age-appropriate resources, including Web sites
- Index



Grades: 7-10  
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