

Short Story and the Novel



Short Story Assignment

Assignment 10

Local Color

- Read Kvaran's "A Dry Spell," Willa Cather's "On the Divide," and Bret Harte's "Outcasts of Poker Flat." There are no study guide questions to complete for these stories, but we will have a quiz on the content.
- Be able to talk about the several similarities between the stories "A Dry Spell" to "On the Divide."

Long-range Assignments:

- Continue reading your independent reading book. The book report will be due on **the second Friday in December**. The book report format sheet may be found on the online assignment page. You will be giving an oral presentation in class in January.
- Critical paper is due the **third week of January**.
- Your story of realism, which will be due on **the third week of December**.