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“The first time I caught Tom private I asked him what was his idea, time of the evasion? -- what it was he'd planned to do if the evasion worked all right and he managed to set a free that was already free before? And he said, what he had planned in his head from the start, if we got Jim out all safe, was for us to run him down the river on the raft, and have adventures plumb to the mouth of the river, and then tell him about his being free, and take him back up home on a steamboat, in style, and pay him for his lost time, and write word ahead and get out all the s around, and have them waltz him into town with a torchlight procession and a brass-band, and then he would be a hero, and so would we. But I reckoned it was about as well the way it was.”

—The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn by Mark Twain

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(57) Abstract: A method for censorship comprising the steps of a) identifying the objectionable material (2) and b) using an unoffensive symbol (3) to substitute the objectionable material (2). A common method used to censor objectionable material (2) within a body of work (1) is by simply prohibiting the viewing of the work in its entirety. Arguably, however, as in the case of classic literature being banned from schools due to objectionable words, the consequences resulting from the prohibition of reading such books far exceeds the rewards. Thus, the present invention helps to provide unoffensive reading and/or view the entire body of work (1) with the objectionable material (2) replaced with an unoffensive symbol (3), preferably a box. Thus, the reader will gain the benefits from reading and/or viewing the body of work (1) without the adverse consequences of censorship.

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