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1. **(1794 Insurance Policy). INSURANCE POLICY**; for the Sloop Friendship, Master Benjamin Harris. 1794 (1805). Printed document (14-3/4 x 9 in.) finished in manuscript and signed by Bartholomew Rand and an extensive list of additional men willing to take the risk for different amounts of money. At the bottom of the sheet is a note that the ship was salvaged on October 11, 1805. "In this case, the British government made restitution - the sum recovered on this policy (on cargo, the vessel not being lost). Little stained and nicked at folds, very good. [56968] $150.00 The Sloop "Friendship" was to travel from Boston to the West Indies and back.

2. **(1794 Insurance Policy). INSURANCE POLICY**; for the Schooner Lady Washington, Captain William Coombs and Master Eben Wheelwright insure for 1000 pounds. 1794. Printed document (14-3/4 x 9 in.) finished in manuscript and signed by an extensive list of men willing to take the risk for different amounts of money. Little stained and nicked at folds, very good. [56969] $125.00 The Schooner Lady Washington" was to travel from Port de Paise to Boston or Newburyport.

3. **(1797 Insurance Policy). INSURANCE POLICY**; Mr. Ashbel Wright of Wethersfield (CT), sum of 200 pounds for the Schooner Ariel traveling from the West Indies to New York or New London. 1797. Printed document (15 x 12-1/4 in.) finished in manuscript and signed by Ichabod Wetmore. Little stained and nicked at folds, very good. [56963] $125.00 The "Ariel" was to travel from New England to the West Indies and return to New York or New London. Ashbel Wright was born in Wethersfield, Hartford, Connecticut, USA on 1758. Ashbel married Abigail Deming and had 5 children. He passed away on 1817 in Wethersfield, Hartford, Connecticut, USA. Wright, a sea captain, was later a militiaman in the Revolutionary War at Lexington and Bunker Hill.


6. **ADAMS, Jane. THE SECOND TWENTY YEARS AT HULL-HOUSE**; September 1909 to September 1929. With a record of a growing world consciousness. NY: Macmillan, 1930. First Edition. 8vo, pp. xiii, 413. Illustrated with drawings or woodcuts at chapter heads. Rust cloth, stamped in gilt. Partially unopened. Probably ex-library, with pocket and date slip removed; no stamps. Cover little scuffed, o/w VG. [54104] $68.00 Jane Addams (1860-1935) settlement founder, social reformer and peace worker was born at Cedarville in north central Illinois. Her father was a Republican legislator and vigorous abolitionist. She attended the Rockford Female Seminary and with Ellen Starr opened the Hull House Settlement House in 1889. She was President of the International Congress of Women (1919) was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize which she shared with Nicholas Murray Butler (1931).

7. **[AMERICAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION]. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ... FOR THE YEAR 1899.** Washington DC: Govt. Printing Office, 1900. Volume One only of two. 8vo, pp. xii, 871. Index. Includes articles on various subjects by a number of different authors, report of the proceedings of the annual meeting, and several bibliographies. One large fold-out chart. Blue cloth, TEG. Owner's bookplate on front paste down, paper label added to spine. VG. [40934]$120.00
Includes a Bibliography of Mississippi by Thomas McAdory Owen of almost 200 pages.


"Wherein an infuriated mob was quelled by the Public Authorities and Military, with...the Sudden Death or Mutilation of more than Fifty Citizens," Sparked by the rivalry of two actors, and carried forward in an atmosphere of social inequities and the resultant anger.

11. (Anonymous). A SPECIMEN OF METAL ORNAMENTS; Cast at the letter foundry of Binny & Ronaldson. Meriden CT: Meriden Gravure. One of 600 copies. Large 8vo, pages not numbered. An exact reproduction of the first type founder's specimen book issued in America, photographed from the only known complete copy. The original was printed by Fry and Kammerer in 1809. About 100 illustrations, including two fold-outs, with prices. Paper over boards, cloth spine. Printed for distribution to members of the American Institute of Graphic Arts. Cover little yellowed near edges, o/w a nice copy. [37337] $116.00


13. [ANTI-MASONIC]. MORSE, Jedidiah,. A SERMON EXHIBITING THE PRESENT DANGERS, AND CONSEQUENT DUTIES OF THE CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. Delivered at Charlestown, April 25, 1799, the day of the National Feast. Published at the request of the hearers. Charlestown; printed Hartford (reprinted): by Hudson and Goodwin, 1799. First edn. 8vo, pp. 42. Chipped and worn around the edges, title leaf torn length-wise into two sheets but complete. Sewn. Evans 35839. [17671] $300.00

Morse, who is well remembered for his controversy with Hannah Adams wrote a number of histories of the time. He spoke on the issues of the day from his pulpit in Charlestown and here warns against the excesses of the French Revolution. and the belief and the activities of the Masons.


Letters and documents abut the Society--many to or from its founder, George Rapp.

15. ARNDT, Karl John Richard, and Reimer C. Eck, eds. THE FIRST CENTURY OF GERMAN LANGUAGE PRINTING IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; A bibliography based on the


**Includes Salinger's first printed work: "The Hang of It."


*An outline of the structure and functions of U.S. government, a history of its political parties, written before there was national U.S. suffrage for women. Beatty was a human rights activist.*

23. BELDEN, George P. **BELDEN, THE WHITE CHIEF,** or, Twelve Years among the wild Indians of the plains. From the Diaries and MSS of ... the adventurous White Chief, Hunter, Trapper, and Guide, edited by Gen James S Brisbin, USA. Cincinnati & NY: Vent, 1870. First edn. Large 8vo, pp 513 With 55 engraved illustrations (one plate chipped along the edges) Little worn blue cloth stamped in black and gilt A very good copy Howes B781; Rader 326; Graff 235 [17917] $200.00

*Critics claim that Belden embellished his stories a bit, but an interesting account.*


An un-authorized edition of this collection was issued in 1891. This is the first edition with the Edward Bellamy introduction. Although Shaw and Bellamy had similar political views this is the only time that their names appeared on the same title-page. Bellamy's introduction answers the question "What is Socialism" and runs 10 pages. Shaw wrote two of the essays: "The Basis of Socialism" and "The Transition to Social Democracy."


Includes work by Ruth benedict, Stephen Vincent Benet, William Rose Benet, Louis Bromfield, Theodore Dreiser, Granville Hicks, Langston Hughes, Rockwell Kent, Upton Sinclair, Rex Stout, and others.


The publisher had this reprinted because the registration of the duotones was unacceptably poor.

30. BERRY, Wendell. **ANOTHER** [27447] $150.00

The publisher had this reprinted because the registration of the duotones was unacceptably poor.

31. BILL, Ledyard. **MINNESOTA;** Its Character and Climate. Likewise Sketches of Other Resorts Favorable to Invalids; Together with Copious Notes on Health; Also Hints to Tourists and Emigrants. NY: Wood & Holbrook, 1871. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 205, 2-page table of distances, 8 pages of
merchant's and publisher's adv. Engraved frontispiece. A very good copy. Bound in rust cloth stamped in
blind and gilt. Little rubbed but a very good plus copy. [43416] $125.00

Includes chapters on selling the great characteristics of the state: river towns, Upper Mississippi, climate,
the rail roads, consumption, etc.

32. [BIOGRAPHICAL DICTIONARY]. ROCKWELL, Donald S., ed. WOMEN OF
ACHIEVEMENT; Biographies and portraits of outstanding American Women... NY: House of Field,
(1940). First edition, Press numbered edition, number 206. 4to, pp. 213. With oil paintings, sketches and
photographs by G. Maillard Kesslere. Forewords by Grace Tompson Seton, Carrie Chapman Catt, Helena
Rubenstein, and others. White cloth, heavily embossed, stamped in gilt. Cover worn at corners and ends
of spine, spine split along part of its length, one hinge tender, some marginal chips to the leaves, o/w VG.
Signed by Rockwell and Kesslere. [49757] $60.00

33. BISHOP, J. Leander. A HISTORY OF AMERICAN MANUFACTURES FROM 1608 TO 1860;
exhibiting the origin and growth of the principal mechanic arts and manufactures from the earliest
colonial period to the adoption of the Constitution; and comprising annals of the industry of the United
States in machinery manufactures and useful arts, with a notice of the important inventions, tariffs, and
the results of each decennial census .. to which is added statistics of the principal manufacturing centers,
and descriptions of remarkable manufactories at the present time. Philadelphia: Edward Young, 1864.
Second edn. Two volumes. 8vo, pp. 642, 826. Frontis portraits. Covers little dusty, but VG tight copies.
Howes B-476. [39440] $320.00

A pretty comprehensive review, including charts of tariff and census figures.

Lavishly illustrated throughout in over 100 color and almost 700 black-and-white plates. A nice copy in
slightly scuffed and price clipped dj. [32549] $72.00

A survey of this native national art from with objects assembled from private and public collections.

35. BISSELIUS, Joannis. ARGONAUTICON AMERICANORUM; sive historiae periculorum Petri
de Victoria ac sociorum ejus. Libri XV. Monachii: Lucae Straubii, Johann Wagner, 1647. First Latin
Edition. 12mo, Bound in old calf, all edges red, some minor soiling and foxing. With an engraved title-
page (signed "Wolfg. Kilian. 1647 fecit.)and map of America, derived from Ortelius. Woodcut vignette
on the title-page. Sabin 9943; Alden & Landis 647/28 "This is in fact a novel;" Burden 272; Bell V137.

Although generally described as an edited and expanded translation of Pedro Goveo de Victoria's
Relación de su naufragio en la costa del Perú (1610), it is in fact an historical romance based on that
account of the Spanish Jesuit's travels and perilous adventures in Peru, Bahamas, Antilles, and Panama,
and his final arrival at the Jesuit mission in Lima in 1597 Bisselius (or Bissel) was a German writer born
in Swabia. He joined the Jesuits and was a professor of rhetoric and philosophy. He had a reputation as a
good poet and elegant prose writer.

36. BOARD OF LADY MANAGERS Louisiana Purchase Exposition. REPORT OF THE ...
Authorized by act of Congress March III MDDCCCCI. (Cambridge MA): (Houghton), (1905). Large
8vo, pp. xii, 350. Maroon cloth, stamped in gilt. TEG. Illustrated. Cover worn along hinge, spine and part
of cover faded, o/w VG. [59157] $60.00

37. (BOSTON TEA PARTY) [THATCHER, Benj. B]. A RETROSPECT OF THE BOSTON TEA-
PARTY, with a memoir of George T. Hewes, a survivor of the little band of patriots who drowned the tea
Portrait, bound in worn linen backed boards with paper label. Names on end paper, An untrimmed copy.
Very good. Imprints 24871. Howes T-152; Sabin 54391. [57480] $350.00
Sailor, soldier and adventurer, Hewes was one of the few to acknowledge his part in The Boston Tea Party.

38. (BOSTON). A SHORT NARRATIVE OF THE HORRID MASSACRE IN BOSTON, Perpetrated in the Evening of the Fifth Day of March, 1770, by Soldiers of the 29th Regiment, Which with the 14th Regiment Were Then Quartered There; with Some Observations on the State of Things Prior to That Catastrophe. Printed by order of the town of Boston ... NY: Republished with notes and illustrations by John Doggett, Jr, 1849. First Edition, thus. 8vo, pp. 122. Little soiled black cloth stamped in gilt, some foxed and little stained. With the frontispiece and fold-out map, newspaper clipped tipped to some of the blanks. A good copy. [57559] $100.00

39. BOWLES, Samuel. OUR NEW WEST; Records of travel between the Mississippi River and the Pacific Ocean...Including a full description of the Pacific Railroad... Hartford CT: Hartford Publishing, 1869. First Edition. 8vo, pp. xx, 524. Illustrated with engravings, frontispiece, 12 plates and 1 map. Owner's signature on blank. Cover somewhat worn, hinges tender, preliminary leaves loose, o/w VG. Sabin 7079. [36953] $95.00

This volume describes US governmental agencies and lists their publications.

41. BRACKENRIDGE, Henry M. HISTORY OF THE WESTERN INSURRECTION IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, commonly called the Whiskey Insurrection. 1794. Pittsburgh: W. S. Haven, 1859. First edn. 8vo, pp. 336. Bound in publisher's cloth (lacks a 1" piece at the top of the spine and 1/2 inch on the bottom.) Howes B-685. [19851] $300.00
Howes notes that the author: "defends his father for defending the frontier."

42. BRACKENRIDGE, Henry M. HISTORY OF THE WESTERN INSURRECTION IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, commonly called the Whiskey Insurrection. 1794. Pittsburgh: W. S. Haven, 1859. First edn. 8vo, pp. 336. Bound in publisher's cloth, ex-library copy with bookplate on the endpaper, a very good clean copy. Howes B-685. [57476] $375.00
Howes notes that the author: "defends his father for defending the frontier."

43. BRADFORD, Alden. HISTORY OF MASSACHUSETTS; From July, 1775, when General Washington took command of the American Army, at Cambridge to the year 1789, (Inclusive) When the Federal Government was established under The Present Government. Boston: Wells and Lilly, 1825. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 376. Uncut and partially unopened, and bound with the half title to later binder's cloth. A very good copy of the second portion of Bradford's three part history of Massachusetts. Sabin 7221; Howes B-698; S & S 19845, Larned 3132. [57592] $175.00
The first part of this was published in 1822. "The author was one of the most thorough and systematic of the earlier students of Massachusetts history. His style was clear and forcible, but without ornament. His sympathies were strong in favor of the colonial course in the Revolution. These volumes are of importance to the investigator and are a credit to the scholarship of their time" - Larned. This volume covers the history of the Bay State during the Revolutionary War with much information on Shays' Rebellion.

44. BRECKINRIDGE, S ophonisba P., ed. THE CHILD IN THE CITY; A series of papers presented at the conferences held during the Chicago Child Welfare Exhibit. [Chicago]: Chicago School of Civics and Philanthropy, 1912. First Edition. 8vo, pp. xiii, 502. Index. With a few illustrations. Blue cloth stamped in
45. BREMER, Frederika. **The Homes of the New World; Impressions of America.** Translated by Mary Howitt, in two volumes. NY: Harper, 1853. First American edn. 8vo, pp. 651, 654. Hinge loose, little split to the cloth on the hinges and some soiling internally, but generally a VG copy. Howes B-745; Sabin 7713; Clark III, 450. [30040] $325.00

The Swedish feminist was one of the best known and most influential Swedish women in the nineteenth century. She was a novelist, social worker and traveler. She traveled throughout the US for two years. While in Philadelphia, she toured the city with Sarah Josepha Hale as a guide, and heard Lucretia Mott speak. She traveled extensively in the south, entering it via the Ohio River.


A collection of excerpts from many documents and accounts having to do with the treatment and condition of children in the U.S.


48. BREREWOOD, Edw. **Enquiries Touching the Diversity of Languages and Religions Through the Chief Parts of the World.** Written by ... sometime Professor of Astronomy in Gresham College in London. London: Samuel Mearne John Martyn and Henry Herringman, 1674. First issued in quarto in 1614. 8vo, pp xxxii, 252, iv. Bound in later scuffed smooth calf with modest blind stamping A very good copy Wing B4378; Sabin 7732 [17852] $400.00

This is a world-wide survey and contains chapters on America, Antarctica, whales, elephants, as well as a wide-ranging discussion of classical and contemporary languages. Includes a chapter on the dispersal of Jews in several parts of the world, etc. Antiquarian and mathematician, Brerewood (1565-1613) was born in Chester. He was a graduate of Oxford and was chosen as the first professor of astronomy at Gresham College, London.

49. BROCKETT, L. P. And Mary C. Vaughan. **Woman's Work in the Civil War: A Record of Heroism, Patriotism and Patience.** Philadelphia: Zeigler, McCurdy, 1867. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 799. With an introduction by Henry Bellows. Illustrated with 16 steel engravings. Maroon cloth, blind-stamped, with gilt lettering on spine. Front hinge tender, cover somewhat worn at ends of spine and corners, moisture staining on cover and lower part of interior leaves, but not spoiling legibility, little foxing throughout. fair/good. [41953] $60.00


Brown was the founder of the Museum of the City of New York


Bryce, a diplomat and historian served as British ambassador to the United States from 1907 to 1913


CAMPBELL, Helen, Thomas Knox, and Thomas Byrnes. **DARKNESS AND DAYLIGHT,** or Lights and Shadows of New York Life. A pictorial record of personal experiences by day and night in the great metropolis with hundreds and thrilling anecdotes and incidents ... drawn from the under world of New York. With an introduction of Rev. Lyman Abbott. Superbly illustrated with 250 engravings from photographs taken expressly for this work by flash-light .. Hartford CT: Hartford Publishing, 1897. 8vo, pp. xii, 740. With 250 engravings from photographs. Maroon cloth, blind-stamped and decorated in gilt. Front hinge tender, cover little worn at corners and ends of spine, o/w VG. [54110] $120.00

New York's lower depths as seen by a missionary, a journalist, and a police chief.


Reformer and home economist, Campbell (1839-1918) starting writing after her divorce. This is a collection of her articles from The New York Tribune: "describes lucidly and forcefully real-life exploitation, mainly in the NYC garment industry" [Blain p. 1].


Henry Caner (c.1700-1792), born near Bristol, soon emigrated with his family to the New England colonies. After graduating from Yale University, Caner was ordained in 1727 in the Church of England and appointed as a missionary for the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel (SPG). He returned to the colonies as a missionary to Connecticut and Massachusetts, becoming a leading Church of England clergyman. In 1747 he was named rector of King's Chapel in Boston, the most important Anglican.
Church in New England. A staunch Tory Loyalist, Caner criticized the British government for its handling of the colonies. As many Loyalists did, Caner left for London in 1776 during the early part of the War for Independence and remained in England, living in Cardiff, South Wales and Bristol until he died in 1792. Caner praises George the second and wishes George III well.

57. CHILD, L[ydia] Maria. LETTERS FROM NEW YORK; Second series. NY: C. S. Francis, 1845. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 287 plus 17 publisher's ads. Original blind-stamped purple cloth (faded to tan) with gilt spine labels. Lightly foxed. Cover little worn at corners and ends of spine, o/w a VG tight copy. BAL 3152. [44822] $125.00

Writings about anything and everything in New York that prompted comment. Child was best known as an abolitionist and feminist writer, and was the author of The Frugal Housewife.

58. CHRISTIE'S. THE PERSONAL PROPERTY OF MARILYN MONROE; Wednesday 27 and Thursday 28 October 1999. NY: Christie's, [1999]. 4to, pp. 415. Catalog for Christie's sale of Monroe's clothing, costumes, furniture, scripts, etc., with descriptions of each item. Illustrated in color, plus some black and white photographs and movie stills. A nice copy in little scuffed dj. Heavy. [41247] $96.00


The author was unable to finish this MSS before he died. But he had finished the portions on "the Amazonian races and tribes south of the great river, those of the Gran Chacu, as well as the Araucabian, Pampas, and Patagonian Indians. Church was born in Massachusetts, educated as an engineer and was resident Engineer for the building of the Hoosac Tunnel. After this work, he was invited to go to Argentina as a member of a scientific commission to explore the southwestern part of the country and offer a report on the best defense against the native peoples.

60. CLARK, Joseph G. LIGHTS AND SHADOWS OF SAILOR LIFE, as exemplified in fifteen years experience, including the more thrilling events of the U. S. Exploring Expedition and Reminiscences of an eventful life in the "Mountain Wave." Boston: Mussey, 1848. Second edn. 8vo, pp. 324. Illustrated with a frontispiece and three plates (not found in the first edition)Bound in brown cloth stamped in gilt on the covers and spine. Some wear at the extremities of the spine and front corner bent, a very good copy. Howes C442. Haskell 113. Soliday 1: 604. Rosove ANTARCTICA 72: [56140] $225.00

His Antarctic account is found in chapters VII-VIII (pp. 99-119)." Forbes HAWAII 1631: "The Hawaii portion of the text is on pages 178-209. Clark gives an interesting description of Hilo and the preparations made for the expedition to Mauna Loa via Kilauea... He continues with a description of the trip and some of the scientific experiments attempted. He writes of a visit by the king to the ship at Lahaina... A transcription of the death sentence of Kamanawa and Lonopuakau is on pages 179-180... [The presence of plates] may indicate a later issue." HILL COLLECTION OF PACIFIC VOYAGES p. 53: "Clark was a seaman on the United States Exploring Expedition, commanded by Captain Charles Wilkes. During a stop in the Fiji Islands, Clark was nearly murdered by the islanders; two men of the expedition lost their lives in the attack. Clark gives descriptions of the Columbia River valley and of San Francisco and the surrounding areas; he praises the abundance and fertility of California's natural resources. Hawaii was visited twice. A report on the wreck of the Peacock is given."

61. CLEVELAND, Richard J. IN THE FORECASTLE; or twenty-five years a sailor. NY: Manhattan Publishing Co., [1876?]. Reprint of an 1855 edn. 8vo, pp. 407. Steel-engraved frontispiece. VG, hinge loose, spine worn, back flyleaf with section missing. [17382] $68.00

Memoir of a daring New England sea captain.
62. **CLYDE LINE. MAGNIFICENT NEW SISTER SHIPS.** Mohawk, Seminole, Cherokee. New York, Carolina Florida Service. NY: Clyde Steamship Co., [c. 1926]. Horizontal 12mo, pp. [14]. Illustrated with photographs of the interior of the ships. . Paper wraps. Penciled note on back cover, corners of cover very slightly bumped, o/w a fine copy. $100.00

Promotional booklet for the three coastal steamers.

63. **A COLLECTION OF AMERICAN SHEET MUSIC 1841 to 1860;** 144 separate items, most removed from bound volumes. Most are in very good condition. $360.00

*Titles include:* When the Moon on the Lake is beaming; "Resignation", words by H. W. Longfellow, "The Snow" words by Charles Lamb; Air du Stabat Mater, Cujus Animam de Rossini by F. Liszt; and much much more.


The diary of Christopher Columbus; one volume in facsimile, the other, a printed text of the document.


Joseph T. Buckingham is sued by John N. Maffitt. The case was tried by Judge Joshua Quincy. Buckingham was represented by Stephen Hooper and Benjamin F. Hallett. James T. Austin, for the Commonwealth.


Cook traveled through portions of New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Massachusetts and new Hampshire.

67. **COOKE, Rollin Hillyer. HISTORICAL HOMES AND INSTITUTIONS AND GENEALOGICAL AND PERSONAL MEMOIRS OF BERKSHIRE COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS.** Illustrated with portraits. NY, Chicago: Lewis, 1906. First edn. 4to, pp. 429, 527. AEG, Bound in leather backed boards, a very good tight copy. $100.00

A study of particular leading families and individuals within the county.

68. **COOLIDGE, Lowell. MANUSCRIPT WARRANT TO THE CONSTABLE;** of the town of Sherborn, MA, requiring him to proceed forthwith to kill or cause to be killed all dogs within the said town not duly licensed and collared ... Sherborn, MA: 1867. (4 pp.) Single sheet with integral leaf. On p. 4 is the note in pencil: Sherborn Sept. 20, 1870 | I hereby certify that I have served the within | warrant and to the best of my knowledge all Dogs in | Town are now licensed ... [12496] $200.00

New England towns have long been plagued by loose dogs that would kill sheep and other domestic animals. Warrants like the above were served, although shooting the loose dogs is a bit extreme. To this day, farmers are legally entitled to shoot dogs threatening their livestock and their owners are subject to fines which are distributed to the towns.

of a Civil War soldier. Black cloth, embossed with U.S. Army eagle; decorative "bullet hole" drilled through the cover and most of the leaves. Near fine, in somewhat tanned slipcase.  [51954] $57.60

70. CUFF, David J. et al., eds. THE ATLAS OF PENNSYLVANIA. Philadelphia: Temple University, (1989). Large 4to, pp. xiii, 288. Maps, charts and commentary. Blue cloth. Small bumps or dog-ears at the bottom of a few leaves, o/w a nice copy in little faded and scuffed dj. Extremely heavy.  [48314] $52.00 Absolutely everything you may have wanted to know about the state and some things that had never occurred to you, in graphic and map form.


73. DALY, John Jay. A SONG IN HIS HEART. Philadelphia: John C. Winston, (1951). First Edition. 4to, pp. ix, 102. Introduction by Senator Harry F. Byrd. Illustrated by Marian L. Larer. A biography of Bland, with several of his songs. Light green cloth. Cover little soiled and bumped, but a VG tight copy in worn dj. [44198] $60.00 An African-American, Bland was a famous entertainer the U.S. and in Europe in the late 1800s. He wrote many songs, including Carry me back to old Virginny, In the evening by the moonlight, Golden slippers.

74. DAVIS, Captain John W. "PROTEST"; filed by ... January 12, 1844 and signed by him and by William Torry, notary public. Printed form (State of Maine) accomplished in manuscript. (some chipping along the margin)  [56800] $75.00 Capt. Davis left Baltimore Dec. 12, 1843 and ran into bad weather on the way to Bath Maine and suffered damage.


Life in Harlem.


Marie Louise Victoire de Donnissan was born to a court family, the god-daughter of a daughter of Louis XV. At the age of 17, she married the marquis of Lescure and accompanied him in the war of the Vendee. After his death, she had various adventures that she relates in these memoirs first published in Bordeaux in 1815. "They are of extreme interest, and give a remarkable picture of the war and the fortunes of the royalists" [Encyc. Britannica vol. xvii, p. 222].

80. Dexter, Samuel. LETTER FROM ... Acting as Secretary of War, enclosing a report... made in pursuance of a resolution of the House, of the second instant. February 17th, 1801, ordered to lie on the table. [WASHINGTON, DC]: House of Representatives, 1801. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 8. Uncut and unopened, a fine copy. Imprints 1494. [37290] $60.00

This report concerns a fire at the war department which destroyed records.

81. [DEXTER, Samuel]. LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, Transmitting a statement of goods, wares and merchandize, exported from the United States during one year, prior to the first of October 1800. [Washington, DC]: House of Representatives, 1801. First Edition. 8vo, cover, one page of text, and fold-out sheet. Little foxing, a fine untrimmed copy. Imprints 1505. [37288] $60.00

82. [DEXTER, Samuel]. LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, Transmitting a statement exhibiting the tonnage of the shipping of the United States, at the close of the year 1799. February 17, 1801. [Washington, DC]: House of Representatives, 1801. First Edition. 8vo, cover and one page of text plus fold-out chart. Sewn and untrimmed as issued. Near fine copy. Imprints 1504. [37291] $75.00

83. [DEXTER, Samuel]. LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, Transmitting a statement exhibiting the tonnage of the shipping of the United States, at the close of the year 1799. February 17, 1801. [Washington, DC]: House of Representatives, 1801. First Edition. 8vo, cover and one page of text plus fold-out chart. Sewn and untrimmed as issued. Blank margin torn from foredge, o/w near fine copy. Imprints 1504. [37356] $70.00

84. DICKENS, Charles. AMERICAN NOTES FOR GENERAL CIRCULATION; in two volumes. London: Chapman & Hall, 1842. Second edn. 8vo, pp. 308, 306 + adv. Bound in publisher's blind stamped cloth, gilt stamping on the spine. Cloth worn at the extremities of the spine, a very good clean copy. [55330] $275.00

A travelogue by Charles Dickens detailing his trip to North America from January to June, 1842.

This work provides an interesting English perspective on the Western United States just after the Civil War. Includes extensive material on Utah and the Mormons. The main focus is on the religions of the United States, including the Shakers. Dixon also wrote *Spiritual Wives* which included much on the Mormons, Owenism, etc.


Domenech was a missionary in Texas and Mexico and chaplain and almoner in the service of Maximilien, Emperor of Mexico. He wrote a number of works on the American southwest and the American Indian, including a rather unfortunate treatise which seriously discredited his scholarly abilities. This particular work is based on a number of sources, including an earlier book *Missionary Adventures in Texas and Mexico*, but it is chiefly a compilation from Pacific Railroad reports, from which some of the plates were also taken. Other plates are lifted from the work of George Catlin. Parts of the text relate to Texas, New Mexico, California, Utah, Oregon, Louisiana, Minnesota, &c., with some mention of Canada. There are sections on Indian antiquities; and descriptions of the various tribes, customs, languages, religions, &c.


Comprises nearly 200 songs, arranged by topic, with lyrics, melody lines, accompaniment, and historical background for each.


An epic poem of the discovery of America. The plates, by Chedel, showing mostly encounters of Europeans and Indians in the new world.


William Edward Burghardt Du Bois (1868-1963), was an essayist, novelist, journalist, critic and "perhaps the preeminent African American scholar-intellectual." He was born in Gt. Barrington, MA and educated at Fisk and Harvard Universities. He was the first black to earn a PhD at Harvard. His *Souls of Black Folk* which attacked Booker T. Washington brought him to prominence. The book became a kind of bible to young Black intellectuals. His disenchantment with scholarship led to his working and editing for the NAACP. In 1915, he published *The Negro,* "his Pan-Africanist account of the history of blacks in
Africa and around the world." In the 1950's, DuBois established links with the U.S. Communist Party and eventually moved to Ghana where he renounced his American citizenship. This pamphlet reprints the article in Masses & Mainstream that was written by Mr. DuBois before he and others from the Peace Information Center were indicted for advocating peace.

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The artist's story, told for children and illustrated with his paintings and several photographs.


This pamphlet was widely circulated as Whig propaganda, attacking the plans of the Tory administration to give up Spain to the House of Anjou. The first edition was issued the previous year.


This was first published in 1834 and continues to serve as a primary source of information for the student of early American art. Given the deficiencies of the original edition, the editors have endeavored to print the original text with judicious pruning and corrections of conspicuous errors. The editors also added an addenda comprising brief accounts of several hundred painters, engravers, sculptors and architects. This includes all of those working up to 1835.

95. DWIGHT, Timothy. TRAVELS IN NEW ENGLAND AND NEW YORK. Cambridge MA: Harvard, 1969. Four volumes. 8vo, pp. lxii, 424; xv, 413; xv, 412; xv, 455. Index. Illustrated and with maps. Brown cloth. A nice set in broken box. [51476] $100.00

Born in 1752 on the western frontier of Massachusetts, grandson of Jonathan Edwards, Dwight became a minister, and eventually, in 1794, the president of Yale. He began in 1796 to spend his summer vacations traveling through New England, describing in long letters the people, customs, topography, and industry of the areas he visited. His letters were originally privately published in New Haven in 1821.

*Articles and addresses by Susan B Anthony, Abigail S Duniway, Mary Putnam-Jacobi, Julia Ward Howe, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Antoinette Brown Blackwell, Ida Harper, and much much more. Includes papers presented at the congress*


*The documents are letters and reports from both the American and English sides. In 1840, Ellis became pastor of the Harvard Unitarian Church in Charlestown, Massachusetts. Ellis was also the president of the Massachusetts Historical Society.*


*Gibbons, a Quaker, was active during her long life in work toward social reform and, during the Civil War, relief for the wounded. "Anti-slavery and prison reformer, Civil War nurse and welfare worker, [Gibbons 1801-1893] was born in Philadelphia"[NAW]. She both taught school and worked with her mother in running a tea shop. While in NY, she was active in the Manhattan anti-slavery society where she came to know prominent abolitionists. While breaking with the Quakers who had disowned her father and her husband because of their abolitionist works she maintained her interest in a wide variety of reform causes including temperance and the abolition of the death penalty. See NAW.*


*Photographs of people taken on the New York City subway.*

100. FARNHAM, Eliza W. **CALIFORNIA, IN-DOORS AND OUT; or, How we farm, mine, and live generally in the Golden State.** NY: Dix Edwards, 1856. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 508. Bound in leather-backed marble boards (hinges tender), some foxing, especially to the title-page, a good copy. Not in Graff; Sabin 23861; Cowan p. 203; Rocq 16835; Wheat 72. Searce. [21352] $300.00

*Prison reformer, author, lecturer and early proponent of the superiority of the female sex, Farnham (1815-1864) was born in Rensselaerville, NY. She is known for her Woman and Her Era, which glorified the reproductive role of women and espoused the notion that the female sex had been created for a higher and more refined sphere than the male, whose responsibility it was to provide the environment to nurture this higher calling for women. Farnham worked with Samuel Gridley Howe at Perkins Institute, then sailed from NY to Calif. She came to California to settle the estate of her husband and chaperoned a few "proper unmarried girls" to the gold fields to bring some civilization to the countryside. She arrived in Santa Cruz County in 1849 and wrote this book which discusses feminist issues while maintaining the narrative of her journey and subsequent experiences. Farnham has added an appendix with comments on the Donner Party and the San Francisco Vigilance Committee of 1856.*

Praised by Charles Sumner, she wrote a book advocating her ideas. Farnham later moved to Boston and worked with Samuel Gridley Howe, taking care of Laura Bridgeman. After hearing of the death of her husband in California, she went west to settle his estate and endeavored to take a group of unmarried women with her to help foster stability and decorum amid the disorder of the gold rush. Upon her arrival in California, she bought a farm in Santa Cruz county and recorded her observations in California Indoors and Out (1856). At this time she taught school, criticized the penitentiary at San Quentin and gave public lectures. Much of her time was now spent in preparing her longest and most significant work, Woman and Her Era (1864), a treatise asserting the superiority of the female sex. She addressed the National Woman's Rights Convention in New York City in May, 1858 on this topic. She returned to California after this but continued her public activities. She became active in the Woman's Loyal National League and petitioned Congress to end slavery. She answered the call to go to Gettysburg and work as a nurse and may have shortened her life. She died of consumption in New York City in 1864. In Woman and Her Era, Mrs. Farnham drew upon biology, art, literature, history, religion, and philosophy for a wide range of arguments. She glorified woman's reproductive role as a creative power second only to that of God, and revealed a strong belief in the prenatal influence of the mother ... She contended that the deferential treatment accorded women in society, the modesty and delicacy expected of ladies, the horror with which female promiscuity was regarded, and the social disapprobation and wage discrimination suffered by gainfully employed women stemmed from a subconscious realization that the female sex had been created for a higher and more refined sphere of existence than the male. Man's task was to make possible and to maintain a physical environment within which woman as mother and homemaker could work for the moral and spiritual elevation of the race[NAW, Vol. 1, p. 599-600]. This is a description of manners and customs based on her life in Central Illinois in the 1830's and 40's.


104. FOSTER, Josiah. "**PROMISARY NOTE".** Scituate (MA): 1781. 5 x 7, accomplished in MSS, in full: "Scituate, August 6th 1781 | For value received I do promise to pay | unto Robert Potter the full and just Sum | of twenty Six Spanish milled dollars | to the first day of next May with interest | until paid as writings my hand | his "+" mark | Josiah Foster | Mases Potter" [56803] $75.00

105. FOSTER, Lemuel H. **THE LEGAL RIGHTS OF WOMEN;** Adapted for use in every state by means of a brief synopsis of the laws relating to property rights, dower, divorce, the rights of a widow in the estate of her husband, etc. Containing also much other helpful information, advice and directions for women in every walk of life. Detroit MI: Woman's Publishing Co., 1913. First Edition. 8vo, pp. xix, 21-295. Green cloth, rubbed along extremities, a good copy. [54816] $60.00


*True stories of the often-forgotten exploits of women from the Appalachians to the Rockies and West.*
107. FRASER, Mary F. **MSS BILL OF SALE.** Charleston, SC. Sells "a certain Negro man named Colin about 25 years of age" to her grandson for $1.00 on March 4, 1852. Single 13 x 8 inch sheet, signed by Fraser and witnessed by Mary F. Davie. [34000] $300.00

108. FREE MASORY AND THE WAR. Report of the Committee Under The Resolutions of 1862, Grand Lodge of Virginia, in reference to our relations as Masonic bodies and as masons, the North and South, growing out of the manner in which the present was has been prosecuted ... Richmond: Chas, H Wynne, 1865. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 31. Sewn self wraps, browning to a triangle along the foredge. Crandall 5102; PW 8648. [40383] $250.00


_Crane set reprints over a 100 civil war pamphlets._

110. FRIEZE, Jacob. **A CONCISE HISTORY, OF THE EFFORTS TO OBTAIN AN EXTENSION OF SUFFRAGE IN RHODE ISLAND; From the year 1811 to 1842.** Providence RI: Benjamin F. Moore, 1842. First Edition. Small 8vo, pp. 171. Appendix. Paper over boards. Donor's presentation on flyleaf. Some foxing throughout, cover little worn at edges, o/w a VG tight copy. [37360] $225.00

111. FRIEZE, Jacob. Another copy $225


_Also includes important documents of the suffrage movement._

113. FROST, John. **DARING AND HEROIC DEEDS OF AMERICAN WOMEN,** Comprising thrilling examples of courage, fortitude, devotedness, and self-sacrifice, among the pioneer mothers of the Western Country. Philadelphia: Evans, 1860. 8vo, pp. vi, 7-348. Catalog. Illustrated. Brown cloth. Some foxing, and offsetting from illustrations; cover little worn at edges, o/w a VG copy. This seems to be a reprint of Frost's "Heroic Women of the West" (Philadelphia:1854) [Howes F-394: which mentions an 1869 reprint but not this one.) [51586] $60.00

_This was published in Boston the prior year under a slightly different title. Includes several American Indian captivity and atrocity stories. Includes the story of the Tennessee captivity of Jane Brown and family in 1788._

114. GALLATIN, Albert. **LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY...** Inclosing a statement, prepared by the Register.. [Washington, DC]: US Congress, 1802. First Edition. 8vo, cover, one page of text, and 2 fold-out charts VG. Imprints 3326. [37285] $60.00

_Showing the names and salaries of Treasury Dept. clerks._

115. GEORGE, Henry. **PROTECTION OR FREE TRADE?** An examination of the tariff question, with especial regard to the interests of labor. Garden City NY: Doubleday, Page, 1911. Reprint. Small 8vo, pp. xii, 335. Paper wraps. Cover somewhat worn at edges, creased and stained, but a VG tight copy. [54142]$68.00

_A defense of Free Trade._

117. GILMAN Agness Geneva, and Gertrude Marcelle Gilman. WHO'S WHO IN ILLINOIS; Women-makers of history. Chicago: Eclectic, 1927. No. 248 of 500 copies. 8vo, pp. 265. Maroon cloth stamped in gilt. Cover slightly worn at corners and ends of spine, edges little soiled, a little foxing on some leaves, o/w a VG tight copy. [51157] $80.00

118. GODDARD, Frederick B. WHERE TO EMIGRATE, AND WHY. Describes the climate - soil-productions - minerals and general resources - amount of public lands - the quality and price of farm lands in nearly all sections of the United States; and contains a description of the Pacific Railroad -the Homestead and other land laws - rates of wages throughout the country, etc., etc. NY: Goddard, 1869. First Edition. Large 8vo, pp. 591. Nineteen tinted maps, seven of which are fold-outs. First title engraved, two additional full-page engravings. Original blind-stamped rust cloth with gilt pictorial decoration and titles. Extremities little bumped, rubbed and lightly soiled Interior tight and clean. [44764] $200.00
One of the earliest books intended for the surge of emigrants coming to the U.S. in the mid-nineteenth Century. The article on the Pacific Railroad was written by Edward Bliss, editor of the Rocky Mountain News.

Godwin published three editions of Political Justice, the first in 1793, the second in 1796 and the third in 1798. "There are considerable differences between the three editions. The order of the argument was rearranged. The title was changed. Some of his bolder speculations were dropped; others were more heavily qualified..." Enraged by Burke's attack on the philosophy of the French Revolution and Thomas Paine, Godwin determined to lay down first principles to apply the philosophy behind the Revolution. PMM: Godwin's Political Justice is one of the earliest, the clearest, and most absolute expositions of socialist and anarchist principles. Godwin's passionate advocacy of individualism, his trust in the fundamental goodness of man, and his opposition to all restrictions on liberty have endured. "He began writing in September, 1791 and worked continuously for 16 months," and was determined to work out "the most tantalizing of all philosophical questions ... could the methods which had yielded such astonishingly rapid advances in the natural sciences be successfully applied to human psychology, to history, to politics, and to the other 'social sciences'?.. Political Justice was offered to the public as an essay for consideration, not as an authoritative statement... inquiring into the philosophical basis of government itself... Published at a moment when human hopes had reason to be at their highest, Political Justice caught the spirit of the age." See St. Clair, James. The Godwins and The Shelleys. (1989)

A catalogue of an exhibition.

121. GOSS, Warren Lee. THE SOLDIER'S STORY; Of his captivity at Andersonville, Belle Isle, and other rebel prisons. Boston: Richardson, 1874. 8vo, pp. 357. With an appendix containing the names of the Union soldiers who died at Andersonville. Illustrated with engravings and diagrams. Frontis portrait. Hinges near tender, cover somewhat worn, some moisture stain on the first 80 pages, o/w VG. [36238] $100.00

123. GRAND LODGE OF VIRGINIA. **FREE MASONRY AND THE WAR.** Report of the Committee Under the Resolutions of 1862, Grand Lodge of Virginia, in reference to our relations as Masonic bodies, in the North and South, growing out of the manner in which the present war has been prosecuted. Richmond VA: Grand Lodge of Virginia, 1865. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 31. Two signatures, fastened with thread. A little offsetting, but generally VG. A Confederate Imprint. Crandall 5102; Parrish 8648. C.1.


The NY Tribune editor set out to explore the projected central route for a transcontinental railroad line connecting the Mississippi Valley with the West Coast. Traveling primarily by stagecoach, he sent letters back recounting economic possibilities and encouraging the development of the railroad and settlement of the West.


This is an in-depth look at Anthony's activities by one of her co-workers. Harper co-edited The History of Woman Suffrage and wrote a great deal on the need for woman suffrage in the US.

129. HARPER, Ida Husted. THE LIFE AND WORK OF SUSAN B. ANTHONY, Including public addresses, her own letters and many from her contemporaries during fifty years. A story of the evolution of woman. In two volumes. Illustrated with portraits, pictures of homes, etc. In three volumes. Indianapolis and Kansas City: The Bowen-Merrill Co, 1899, 1898, 1908. First Edition. Large 8vo, pp. xxiv, 1663. Three volumes, bound in heavy green cloth stamped in gilt. X-library, with the bookplate of the Bridgewater Public Library, with the notation that the set was presented by the author, pockets removed in the rear e.p. , stamp on the title-pages. Krichmar 4442. [49324] $500.00

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130. HASKETT, William J. SHAKERISM UNMASKED, or the History of the Shakers; including a Form Politic of their government as councils, orders, gifts, with an exposition of The Five Orders of Shakerism, and Ann Lee's Grand Foundation Vision in Sealed Pages. With some extracts from their private hymns which have never appeared before the public. Pittsfield, (MA): Published by the author, 1828. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 300. Bound in contemporary mottled calf, red leather spine label, ex-library, stamp at head of title-page, bookplate, lacks the front end paper, some light toning to the pages, a very good copy. Pages 232-233 were originally sealed. The hymns after p. 236 are reprinted from"Millennial Praises." Imprints 33495; Sabin 30803; Howes H279 "b"; Richmond #772; McLean 40. [28374] $400.00

"Haskett was an English sailor, who signed the covenant at Mt. Lebanon, NY. He was well acquainted with Shaker history, doctrine and publications" (Richmond).

131. HAYES, Dorsha B. CHICAGO; Crossroads of an American Enterprise. A Cities of America Biography. Introduction by Sterling North, Illustrations by George McVicker. NY: Messner, (1944). First Edition. 8vo, pp. 317. A very good tight copy in little nicked and chipped dj -lacking the lower portion of the spine. Inscribed by the author: "For Cousin Margaret - I'm so grateful for your generous, warm-hearted approval! I hope I deserve it. Affectionately Dorsha" With the pencil ownership signature of Margaret Cook above the inscription. [50390] $52.00

"An engrossing, quick-passed history of the city.

132. (HAYMARKET AFFAIR) [PARSONS, Lucy]. LIFE OF ALBERT R. PARSONS; With a brief history of the Labor Movement in America also Sketches of the lives of A. Spies, Geo. Engel, A Fischer and Louis Lingo. Chicago: Mrs. Lucy Parsons, 1903. Second edn (expanded to include sections on Spies, Engel, Fischer and Lingg.). 8vo, pp. 315. Bound in little worn maroon cloth, front hinge tender, a very good copy. With portraits of Lucy and Albert Parsons + 13 other plates. [57504] $300.00
from Wikipedia: "Albert Richard Parsons (1848–1887) was a pioneer American socialist and later anarchist newspaper editor, orator, and labor activist. As a teenager, he served in the military force of the Confederate States of America in Texas, during the American Civil War. After the war, he settled in Texas, and became an activist for the rights of former slaves, and later a Republican official during reconstruction. With his wife Lucy Parsons, he then moved to Chicago in 1873 and worked in newspapers. There he became interested in the rights of workers. Parsons was one of four Chicago radical leaders controversially convicted of conspiracy and hanged following a bomb attack on police remembered as the Haymarket affair. "After the bomb killed 7 policemen, the police opened fire on the crowd, killing dozens. Ultimately, the police arrested a number of demonstrators in connection with the bombing, and seven, including Parsons, Spies, Fischer and Engel, were charged. Even though no evidence was ever discovered linking them to the bomb, the men were found guilty and hung.

133. HAYWARD, John. THE NEW ENGLAND GAZETTEER; Containing descriptions of all the states, counties and towns in New England: Also descriptions of the principal mountains, rivers, lakes, capes, bays, harbors, islands, and fashionable resorts within that territory. Boston: Hayward, 1839. 6th edn. 8vo, pages not numbered. Contemporary leather, some rubbed and worn. Foxing throughout, hinges beginning tender, but o/w a tight copy. VG. [24517] $100.00

134. HAYWARD, John. THE NEW ENGLAND GAZETTEER; Containing descriptions of all the states, counties and towns in New England: Also descriptions of the principal mountains, rivers, lakes, capes, bays, harbors, islands, and fashionable resorts within that territory. Boston: Hayward, 1839. First Edition. 8vo, pages not numbered. Contemporary leather, little rubbed and stained. Some light foxing throughout, but o/w a tight copy. VG. [59896] $125.00

135. HEADLEY, Hon J. T. THE GREAT RIOTS OF NEW YORK, 1712 TO 1873; Including a full and complete account of the FOUR DAYS' DRAFT RIOT OF 1863, illustrated. NY: Treat, 1873. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 359. Bound in drab green cloth (worn at the extremities of the spine), leaves little toned, a very good copy. [57487] $200.00

Perkins: "In this volume of letters and poems, Hearn tells of his life in the South, gives his views on the [black] question, and his impressions of Memphis, New Orleans, and New York. The verses are both light and serious, and these are translations from [black] and Creole love songs."

137. HIATT, John. THE TEST OF LOYALTY. Indianapolis: Merrill & Smith, 1864. First edn. 8vo, pp. 180. Bound in black cloth stamped in blind and gilt. There is a one-inch cut to the cloth of the rear hinge, little foxed, o/w a very good copy. Wright II, 1185. [17857] $75.00
The story concerns desertion in the early war period in Indiana and eastern Tennessee. This concerns the year of 1862 when "a number of soldiers belonging to the army of the North-west deserted and returning to their homes, were concealed by disaffected partisans. The hero of this story has been selected from a score of these, personally known to the author.

Most of the text is taken from the London, 1786 edition which was published with the following title: Minutes of the Trial and Examination of Certain Persons, in the Province of New York, charged with being engaged in a Conspiracy against the Authority of the Congress, and the Liberties of America. From Wikipedia: "Thomas Hickey was a private in the Commander-in-Chief's Guard, a unit formed on 12 March 1776 to protect Gen. George Washington, his official papers and the Continental Army's cash. That spring Hickey and another soldier were arrested for passing counterfeit money. While incarcerated into Bridewell prison, Hickey revealed to another prisoner, Isaac Ketchum, that he was part of a wider conspiracy of soldiers who were prepared to defect to the British once the expected invasion came. Arrested by civilian authorities, Hickey was turned over to the Continental Army for trial. He was court-martialed and found guilty of mutiny and sedition. He was hanged on June 28, 1776 at the corner of Chrystie and Grand Streets before a crowd of 20,000 spectators in New York. Hickey was the only person put on trial for the conspiracy"

139. HILLHOUSE, James A. DRAMAS, DISCOURSES, AND OTHER PIECES. Boston: Charles C. Little & Brown, James, 1839. First Edition. Two volumes.12mo, pp. 296, 247. Presentation copy with tipped- in autograph card signed by Hillhouse, as well as presentation by the author. First edition, binding K. BAL 8519. Both volumes have bottom 2 inches cut away from spine, o/w clean tight copies. [26043] $85.00


Offered as a history of the time by the Secretary of State of Conn.

141. HORAN, James D. THE MCKENNEY-HALL PORTRAIT GALLERY OF AMERICAN INDIANS. NY: Bramhall House, (1972). First printing. 4to, pp. 373. With 128 color portraits of Native Americans, reproduced from three portfolios first published in 1836. (The originals were lost in a fire at the Smithsonian.) Includes biographies of the Indians, plus a full-length biography of Colonel McKenney. Edges of cover slightly soiled, o/w a nice copy in little soiled dj. [45235]$54.40


145. HORNUNG, Clarence P. TREAURY OF AMERICAN DESIGN AND ANTIQUES; Two volumes in one. NY: Abrams. 4to, pp. xxvii, 846. Index. Introduction by J. Carter Brown. With 2900 illustrations, including 800 plates in full color, plus 500 decorative drawings. Dark blue cloth, stamped in gilt and red. Edges of leaves somewhat soiled, top edges of cover little worn, o/w a VG tight copy in soiled dj. Extremely heavy. [48066] $60.00


147. (Howard, Martha?). A SUSAN B. ANTHONY MEMORIAL SCRAPBOOK. Three-ring blue binder with a great variety of ephemera in plastic sleeves: postcards, letters, newspaper clippings, photographs, flyers, etc. [49257] $75.00


Howell (1788-1863) was a bookbinder and printer. He later opened a shop as a curiosity dealer and was an inventor and amateur dentist and doctor. Howell traces the evolution of ship building "from the first rude attempts when men adventurous themselves upon a few branches bound together, as the Esquimaux of the present day, up to the unique first rate man-of-war of the British Navy. The object of this essay is merely an attempt to clear up a difficulty ... relating to the manner in which the ancients constructed their Polycrota or war-vessels. This was his first book.


The history of anthracite mining in northeastern Pennsylvania.

150. HUNTER, Colonel George. REMINISCENCES OF AN OLD TIMER. A recital of the actual events, incidents, trials, hardships, vicissitudes, adventures, perils and escapes of a pioneer, hunter, miner and scout of the Pacific Northwest together with his later experiences in official and business capacities, and a brief description of the resources, beauties and advantages of the new Northwest; the several Indian wars, anecdotes, etc. Battle Creek, MI: Review and Herald, 1889. Fourth edition. 8vo, pp. 508. Illustrated. Warmly inscribed on the flyleaf: "Compliments of the author, Col. Geo. Hunter to T. Hunter, as in other words Hunter to Hunter ... Timus the chief to The Chief of Good Fellows July 8th, '90." Also signed with his Indian name. Red cloth stamped in gilt, little worn, hinge tender, a very good copy. Howes H811; Smith 4891; Graff 2018; Haynes H-811; Cowan (II), p. 298. Roq 15863; Phillips, p. 190 [17960] $350.00

The early adventures of one of the first "pioneers" in the Pacific Northwest.


152. HUNTER, John Dunn. MEMOIRS OF A CAPTIVITY AMONG THE INDIANS OF NORTH AMERICA; from childhood to the age of nineteen; with anecdotes descriptive of the manners and customs. To which is added, some account of the soil, climate, and vegetable productions of the territory
This is a narrative of a captivity among the Osage in Kansas and Hunter's journey across the mountains to the Columbia River. For many years this narrative was attacked as a fiction, but Richard Drinnon, in his "White Savage: The Case of John Dunn Hunter" (1972) makes a strong case for its authenticity. The work includes much information about medicine as practiced by the Native Americans.


154. HYMAN, Paula E., and Deborah Dash Moore, eds. JEWISH WOMEN IN AMERICA; An historical encyclopedia... Sponsored by the American Jewish Historical Society. NY: Routledge, 1997. Two volumes. 4to, pp. xxi, 880; v, 881-1770. Bibliography by Phyllis Holman Weisbard; notes on editors and contributors, classified list of biographical entries, index. Illustrated with portraits. Front endpapers little wrinkled in Vol. 1, djs slightly scuffed, otherwise about as new. [46275] $260.00

155. JAMES, George Wharton. INDIAN BLANKETS; And their makers. Chicago: McClurg, 1914. First Edition. Large 8vo, pp. 213. Index. Illustrated with photographs and drawings. A few color plates. Library binding. Ex library but a nice tight copy. Larson, Controversial James, 29; Howes J-43. Still the definitive study of the craft and artistry of Indian weaving. James was among the earliest systematic collectors/dealers of Navajo rugs. He spent much time with weavers on the reservation and collected most of the pieces illustrated in his book himself. [36591] $125

156. JAMES, George Wharton. INDIAN BLANKETS AND THEIR MAKERS. Chicago: McClurg, 1914. First Edition. Large 8vo, pp. xvi, 213. Illustrated with 95 plates, including 32 color rug replicas and numerous photos by George Wharton James. Bound in sl soiled tan cloth stamped in brown, a very good tight clean copy. Larson, Controversial James, 29; Howes J-43. [32136] $375.00

Still the definitive study of the craft and artistry of Indian weaving. James was among the earliest systematic collectors/dealers of Navajo rugs. He spent much time with weavers on the reservation and collected most of the pieces illustrated in his book himself.

157. [JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION]. GLIMPSES OF THE JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION AND PICTURESQUE VIRGINIA; Original photographs graphically reproduced, depicting the most unique exposition ever heard on American soil... [with] A Scenic Panorama of the Old Dominion. Chicago: Laird & Lee, 1907. Oblong. 8vo Illustrated with 216 views, 32 in colors With a fold-out map of the exposition Generally a fine copy. [15590] $65.00


Quite interesting. The history of the city, and a tour around New York in the late 19th century. At the time of publication, there were still pockets of small wooden houses here and there, remnants of Manhattan's rural years, tucked in among the high-rising apartments and business buildings. Several drawings of these old houses included; New York's history was still highly visible in the 1890s.

Concerns the return of arms, military stores and weapons to the U.S, an estimate of expenditures necessary for fortifications and barracks for the year; and provisions for establishing a northern boundary line.


Jones was U.S Consul in England. Information for the emigrant: exchange rates, costs of emigration to various points, wages, extensive descriptions of 35 states, excluding New England and Mid-Atlantic states.


A discussion of the principles of suffrage rights and how the right ought to be governed. Jones considers voting a privilege that must be applied for and attempts, at some length to determine the qualifications necessary for exercising that privilege. This was published in the year of the Dorr's rebellion in Rhode Island for state constitutional reform of voting rights.


Includes a brief history of the Navajo tribe, and a description of the changes in materials and design as the Navajos came in touch with Indian, Spanish and Anglo cultures.


First appeared as articles in the New York "Call" between April 13 and 19 of 1919.

A history of the canal, which ran from the Lehigh Valley Terminal in Jersey City, up and down a winding and hilly path to Phillipsburg on the Delaware River.


A collection of public statements by women struggling for their civil, political, social, and economic rights.


A narrative of more than six months spent on the southern plains of the U.S., observing the operations of the army against the Native Americans.

169. KELLEY, William D. Judge and Congressman from Pennsylvania. UNITED STATES VS. WILLIAM SMITH, PIRACY ; Speech of. Philadelphia: King and Baird, 1862. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 13. bent printed wraps. Sabin 37272. LCP 5502. Very good. Smith purportedly sailing as a crew member under the flag of France, had hijacked the American schooner Enchantress and seized one of its crew, a Negro, to sell into slavery in Charleston. Smith's ship was in fact the Confederate vessel 'Jeff. Davis,' and Smith's defense was that the alleged crime occurred as an act of War, not piracy, under the authority of the Confederate government.

William D. Kelley (1814 - 1890) was a Republican member of the U.S. House of Representatives from Pennsylvania. Kelley was a lifelong advocate of civil rights, social reform, and labor protection. He was admitted to the bar in Philadelphia in 1841. In 1846 Governor Shunk of Pennsylvania appointed him a judge of the Court of Common Pleas. He served as a judge of the Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas from 1846-1856. He came to national attention after his 1854 speech against the slave trade, "Slavery in the Territories", was published and widely read. After the repeal of the Missouri Compromise by the Kansas-Nebraska Act in 1854, Kelley quit the Democratic Party. In 1854 Kelley was one of the founders of the Republican Party. Kelley was elected as a Republican to Congress in 1860 and served from March 4, 1861, until his death in Washington, D.C.. He spoke often on the justice and necessity of "impartial suffrage", or voting rights for African-Americans, introduced a bill (which passed into law) in the 39th United States Congress which gave the right to vote to African-Americans in the District of Columbia, and spoke in favor of impeaching President Johnson, who had vetoed the Civil Rights Act of 1866 and the Freeman's Bureau Bill.

Congressman Kelley prosecutes a wartime piracy case against Smith who, purportedly sailing as a crew member under the flag of France, had hijacked the American schooner Enchantress and seized one of its crew, a Negro, to sell into slavery in Charleston. Smith's ship was in fact the Confederate vessel 'Jeff. Davis,' and Smith's defense was that the alleged crime occurred as an act of War, not piracy, under the authority of the Confederate government.


171. [KNIGHT, C.]. MIND AMONGST THE SPINDLES: A Miscellany wholly composed by the factory girls selected from The Lowell Offering with an introduction by the English editor and a letter


*Accounts of missionary work in a New York slum.*


175. LAMBERT, Nathaniel. **A SERMON**; Preached before His Excellency Isaac Tichenor, Esq. Governor; ...and the House of Representatives of the State of Vermont, October 8, 1801, at Newbury: It

"A vivid and apparently candid narrative of the terrible experience of a woman, the survivor of the massacre."-Sabin. Mrs. Larimer was captured by "a band of roving, hostile Indians upon a small company of emigrants that were enroot to the gold regions of Idaho. The attack was a Little Box-Elder Creek, in Idaho Territory."-author's Preface

177. LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY; Accompanying a statement of goods, wares and merchandize, exported from the United States, from the 1st of October 1800, to the 30th of September 1801, inclusive. 11th February, 1802. [Washington, DC]: U.S. CONGRESS, 1802. First Edition. 8vo, cover, one page, and folded chart. Imprints 3316. Little chipped and folded, o/w VG. [37275] $60.00

Beginning in Chicago, Lippincott traveled west by train to Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Calif. and back. Some of these letters appeared in the New York Times. Lippincott was a popular writer and editor and one of the first women to become a regular newspaper correspondent.


An account from Lomax's travels and recording in the Delta region of the South.

181. LOTHROP, S. K, et. al. COPY OF A LETTER; Adopted at a meeting held in Berry Street Vestry, April 11, 1844, to be offered for signature to the Unitarian Clergy of the United States and sent with the names of those who signed it, addressed as follows: To the Ministers of Great Britain and Ireland ... Boston: 1844. First Edition. Broadsheet mailer, 8x10 inches, moderate wear. A very good copy. Once folded for mailing. There are two copies, one addressed to Rev. Seth Chandler of Shirley, Mass and the other to Rev. Edward Stone, Lunenburg, Mass. Each of the ministers has signed the letter and re-addressed to Lothrop. Very good copies. [23311] $135.00
These Massachusetts abolitionist ministers while reaffirming their anti-slavery feelings explain to their English brethren the nature of states rights in the US and the political realities that have hampered the abolition of slavery in the US.

A continuation of the periodical, Contributions of the old residents' historical association. Papers about Lowell and Massachusetts history, read at Association meetings.

183. LYMAN, Theodore 3rd, ed. PAPERS RELATING TO THE GARRISON MOB. Cambridge MA: Welch, Bigelow, 1870. 8vo, pp. 73. Paper wraps. Cover very worn, signatures somewhat coming apart, o/w good. [57336] $75.00
This concerns the riot in 1835 that attacked William Lloyd Garrison after he spoke at an anti-slavery gathering in Boston.

184. [MA]. MORTON, Marcus, Governor Of The Commonwealth Of Ma. A PROCLAMATION; Apportioning the number of Representatives to which each city and town may be entitled. (Boston): 1840. (broadside). Closed tears along folds. Good. [6950] $75.00
A large broadside 23 x 30" listing each town and village, by country and the number and representatives each shall have. Printed in five columns.

Mails touches on all aspects of Apache life, and discusses the similarities and differences between the four groups that make up the Apache people of Arizona and New Mexico.


187. [MAN, Thomas]. PICTURE OF A FACTORY VILLAGE: to which are annexed, remarks on lotteries, by Sui Generis: alias, Thomas Man. Providence: Printed for the author, 1833. First Edition. 8vo, pp. [vi], 144. Two wood-engravings on blue paper precede the title page, bound in original linen backed plain boards, some staining and toning, closed tear to one leaf, a very good copy. Imprints 19897. [44816]$375.00
"This earliest known anti-factory poem alternates between sections of rhyming couplets of iambic tetrameters and sections of heroic couplets. The strident critique of the factory system opening the poem is written in balladic four-stress lines. The poem's speaker laments the factory's departure from Revolutionary ideals of freedom and equality, as well as the consequent ignorance and suffering." *Ranta no. 367.

Autobiography of Marbury, an authors' and theatrical agent.

189. MARTINEAU, Harriet. RETROSPECT OF WESTERN TRAVEL; in two volumes. London: Saunders and Otley NY: Harper, 1838. First US edn. 8vo, pp. 276, 239. 2 volumes bound in one in later 3/4 calf, some light foxing, but a very good clean tight set. Not in Graff, Howes M-348; Robinson p. 144; Sabin 44941; Clark III, 205. [11476] $300.00
Martineau (1802-76) is remembered as an essayist, educator and novelist. Her two books on her journey to the US are remarkable for her outspoken criticism of slavery and criticism of repressive chivalry. Robinson notes that Martineau's Society in America discusses the politics of her visit to America while this work discusses the mechanics of her travel, which took her the length of America: from Niagara to
Texas, where she spent a good deal of time in the South. She mentions New Orleans, Charleston, SC, and Virginia before heading to Baltimore, Lexington (KY) and Cincinnati.


The author explores ten instances where the white man's encroachment on the sacred grounds of Native American tribes show the tragic effects of a confrontation that harms both sides.

191. MAY, Geoffrey. MARRIAGE LAWS AND DECISIONS IN THE UNITED STATES; A manual. NY: Russell Sage, 1929. Second printing. 8vo, pp. 477. Fold-out chart at rear. Dark blue cloth stamped in gilt. Edges little soiled, cover slightly rubbed at edges, o/w a VG tight copy in chipped and somewhat soiled dj. [50752] $52.00


Photographs, with selections from writings, ranging from those of Jonathan Edwards and Anne Bradstreet to Herman Melville and Robert Frost.


This is a history of the Shay's Rebellion in western Massachusetts written by one of the founders of the Mass. Historical Society.
After the American Revolution, when Continental soldiers had been paid with worthless Continental script and the state government was pressed for tax money, the returning yeoman farmers were losing their land to Boston merchants who had gold or Pounds Sterling. This prompted an armed rebellion which quickly spread to all of the states of the newly formed Confederacy. Because the central government had no army, the Boston merchants hired a mercenary army to put down the insurgency and capture Shays. On August 29, 1786, a large group of these disenchanted citizens appeared in force in Northampton under the leadership of Daniel Shays. Violence was narrowly averted, but in January the insurgents marched on the national arsenal in Springfield. Once again Shays' men were defeated, this time in armed conflict, and within two months the rebellion was quelled. Shays and a dozen others escaped to Vermont. They were eventually tried and condemned to death, but were later pardoned. Within four years, most of the reforms demanded by the Shaysites were adopted. In fact, it was this rebellion and the others throughout the Confederacy which hastened the establishment of the US Constitutional Convention.


199. MINOT, George Richards. THE HISTORY OF THE INSURRECTIONS IN MASSACHUSETTS; in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-six and the Rebellion thereon. Boston: Burditt, 1810. Second edition. Tall 8vo, pp. iv, 192. Bound in original linen backed boards (the linen is well worn, some foxing and soiling, names on front endpaper, a good copy. scarce. Howes M652; Sabin 49324; Imprints 20748. [57445]


203. MORROW, John. WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS; dated May 3, 1814. addressed to Lt. James Campbell of the 19th US Infantry. On the verso he states that he not have John Morrow but that Col. John Miller in custody. An early writ. [56799]
204. MORSE, Jedidiah. GEOGRAPHY MADE EASY: being an abridgement of the American Universal Geography. To which are prefixed Elements of Geography. For the use of schools and academies in the USA. Illustrated with a fold-out map of the world & of North America. Boston: Thomas & Andrews, 1812. 15th edition, third of this new abridgement. 8vo, pp. 360. Bound in rubbed contemporary calf, some foxed and worn, a good copy. Imprints 26143 [16161] $100.00


206. [MUNROE, Thomas]. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE, Appointed to enquire into the expenditure of money made by the Commissioners of the City of Washington: the disposition of public property made by them, and generally into all the transactions of the Commissioners which relate to the execution of the trust confided to them by the President of the United States. House of Representatives, 1801. 8vo, pp. 6, plus fold-out chart., sewn and untrimmed, fine. Imprints 1534. [37292] $120.00

Murray traveled through Canada, down to Boston and New England, through New York, the South, etc. She talks about slavery, woman's mission, Cuba and the like.

208. MURRAY, Hon. Amelia M. LETTERS FROM THE UNITED STATES, CUBA, AND CANADA. NY: Putnam, 1856. First American edn. 8vo, pp. 410. A very good copy in publisher's cloth, contemporary name on end paper, rear hinge tender, some rubbed along the extremities of the cloth. Lande 668, Sabin 51486, Howes M-912; Robinson p. 145; Clark 3478. [53903] $100.00
Murray traveled through Canada, down to Boston and New England, through New York, the South, etc. She talks about slavery, woman's mission, Cuba and the like. Murray (1795-1884) traveled to the US to study Botany and social questions. As a Lady of the Bedchamber to Queen Victoria she was well treated wherever she went. However, when she returned home and published this work lauding slavery, her book became a best seller for the wrong reasons and she was dismissed from the court.

Letters and journals of a Georgia plantation family (The family papers of the Rev. Dr. Charles Colcock Jones (1804-1863) of Liberty County, Georgia) written in the years between 1854 and 1868.


This pamphlet outlines the purpose and objective of the party as well as an historical overview of its activities ending with a call for passage of the Equal Rights Amendment.

213. (New Hampshire) FOGG, Alonzo J. **THE STATISTICS AND GAZETTEER OF NEW-HAMPSHIRE**; containing descriptions of all the counties, towns and villages; also boundaries and area of the state and its nature and its natural resources, with over 100 pages of statistical tables ... together with a description of its Mountains, Lakes, Rivers and Popular Resorts for Tourists, and a great variety of other useful information. Concord: D. L. Guernsey, 1874. Large 8vo, pp. 666. Bound in publisher's sheep. Two inch cut to the top of the front hinge, some scuffed. A very good copy. Folding map of the state (cut to one fold). Illustrated. [43595] $75.00


A presentation copy from the only US President to resign his office.


Norris was the second superintendent of the park.

216. [NOURSE, Joseph]. **DOCUMENTS ACCOMPANYING A REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE**; Appointed to enquire into the expediency or inexpediency of giving further time to persons entitled to military land warrants to obtain and locate the same. Made the 30th December, 1801. [Washington, DC]: 1801. First Edition. 8vo, cover and one page of text, plus three fold-out charts. (I 1475). Sewn wraps, untrimmed, Some foxing, o/w VG. Imprints 1475, [37293] $80.00


Born in Brattleboro, VT., Noyes (1811-1886) graduated from Dartmouth in 1830 and studied law at Andover and Yale. Reacting against Calvinism, he combined perfectionist and adventist beliefs in a personal theology. He developed a society known as the Bible Communists of Putney, VT. Amongst other doctrines, he professed free love and powers of healing. Arrested on a charge of adultery, he broke jail and fled to western NY where he and his followers founded Oneida in 1848. He lived in Oneida for 30 years before fleeing to Canada ahead of the law. Mott: "The Oneida Circular was the chief organ of the perfectionist communities founded by J. H. Noyes. In it Noyes expounded his doctrines of spiritualism, communism, and free love: though uneven in its editing, it was often well written and interesting"[Vol II, p. 207]. The Circular was succeeded by the American Socialist (1876-79) also published by the Oneida group.

219. NOYES, John Humphrey, Ed. The. THE CIRCULAR, ONEIDA CIRCULAR; November 27, 1869 to October 31, 1870. Folio, unbound. 29 issues: Vol VI, #s 37-38, 40-41, 43; Vol. VII, #s 1, 3-6, 8-9, 14-16, 25-32; Vol VIII, 25, 30, 37; IX, 5, 9; XII, 2. (run 3) $375.00

220. NOYES, John Humphrey, Ed. The. THE CIRCULAR, ONEIDA CIRCULAR; November 29, 1869 through October 31, 1870. Folio, unbound. 41 issues: Vol VI, # 37, 41; Vol VII, 1, 4-6, 8-9, 14-17, 20, 25-33; Vol VIII, 3, 25-28, 30, 32, 37-39, 41, 44, 49, 51; Vol IX, 4-6, 9-12; XI, 42; XII, 2, 11-12; . (run 4) $550.00

221. NOYES, John Humphrey, Ed. The. THE CIRCULAR, ONEIDA CIRCULAR; November 29, 1869 through May 17, 1875. Folio, unbound. 50 issues: Vol VI, 37-38, 41, 43; Vol VII, 1, 4-6, 8-9, 14-16, 25-33, Vol VIII, 3, 25-28, 30, 32, 37-39, 41, 44, 49, 51 Vol IX, 4-6, 9-12; Vol XI, 33, 41-42; Vol XII 2, 11-12, 20. (run 5) $650.00


224. NUTTING, Wallace. FURNITURE TREASURY; (Mostly of American origin) All periods of American furniture with some foreign examples in America also American hardware and household utensils. (Unabridged). NY: Macmillan, (1968). Second printing. Small 4to, pp. not numbered, but illustrations numbered. Index. Five thousand illustrations with descriptions on the same page. Blue cloth, stamped in gilt. Donors' presentation on flyleaf. Edges little soiled, cover slightly scuffed at corners, o/w a VG tight copy. [47123] $120.00

226. OLIVER, George. **HISTORY OF MASONIC PERSECUTIONS IN DIFFERENT QUARTERS OF THE GLOBE**, With an introductory essay; and masonic institutes, by various authors... NY: Masonic Publishing, 1867. 8vo, pp. 429. Brown cloth, blind-stamped with gilt lettering on spine. Cover faded, spine little worn, with a few small holes, but interior tight and VG. [33484] $96.00


The author was the Principal of the school from 1900 to 1910.

228. [OSGOOD'S]. **NEW ENGLAND: A HANDBOOK FOR TRAVELLERS**. A guide to the chief cities and popular resorts of New England and to its scenery and historical attractions: with the western and northern borders from New York to Quebec. Boston: James R Osgood, 1884. 8th edition, revised and augmented. With six maps and 11 plans. 8vo, pp. 453 + adv. Bound in stained red cloth, a very good copy. [16233] $125.00


*A picture of life in Harlem, New York. Ottley was born in New York, went to the University of Michigan and returned to his home town as a reporter for the New York Amsterdam Star News. In the present work, he describes life in Harlem and reflects on the opinions of its mostly black residents: How does it 'feel' to be a Negro? What is the Negro's attitude toward his white employer, towards the white man's assumption of superiority ...*


*Parker was the important abolitionist. Unitarian minister from Boston, one of the silent supporters of abolitionist John Brown. Leighton sought "to bring together, in a convenient form, some of the familiar lessons with which his (Parker's) sermons abound, drawn from the world of matter and the nature and experience of man, from past history and passing events." This includes thought on a wide range of issues.*


*A sermon against the "aristocracy of gold," a valuing off wealth over human welfare.*

Parke uses conversations between a young married woman and her older friend to teach topics including social relations, household concerns, moral and religious duties. A fine picture of American upper class life in New York in the early 19th century.


234. PARSONS, Frank. THE CITY FOR THE PEOPLE; or the municipalization of the city government and of local franchises. Philadelphia: Taylor revision, August, 1901. 8vo, pp. 703. Gray cloth stamped in blind and gilt, ex-library copy, a very good copy. [14975] $52.00
A lawyer, teacher and political scientist, Parson (1854!1908) urged currency and municipal government reform. He also did pioneer work in vocational guidance. In this work, Parsons surveyed the state by state laws that governed the development of a system of public utilities.

A good picture of pre-WW I upper class life. (The Cunninghams owned the Burlington and Missouri River Railroad, later the Chicago,Burlington and Quincy Railroad.)

236. PESOTTA, Rose. BREAD UPON THE WATERS. NY: Dodd, Mead, 1944. First Edition. 8vo, pp. x, 435. Appendix, bibliography, index. Edited by John Nicholas Beffel. Red cloth, stamped in black. Author's presentation on flyleaf. Cover little faded, and scuffed at edges, interior slightly rippled on first few leaves, o/w VG. [49967] $60.00
Autobiography of a union organizer with the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union.

237. PILLSBURY, Parker. ACTS OF THE ANTI-SLAVERY APOSTLES. Concord, NH: 1883. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 503. X-library, with bookplate on the front end paper (removed from the rear). Little cover wear, A VG tight copy. [41823] $68.00
A partial record of the activities of the anti-slave movement by an insider and an activist. Pillsbury (1809-1898) was a reformer, Garrisonian abolitionist, editor and lecturer. He was an ardent advocate of women's rights and was the publisher with Susan B. Anthony of The Revolution.

Written by the man whose company was hired to fight unions, the book details strike-breaking and gives Pinkerton's take on tramps, communists, and union brotherhoods.

239. [POSTL, Karl]. LIFE IN THE NEW WORLD; or Sketches of American Society. by Seatsfield (ie Charles Sealsfield). Translated from the German by Gustavus C. Hebbe and James Mackay. NY: Winshester, (1844). First edition in English, bound from the original 7 parts but without the wrappers. 8vo, pp. 349. Bound in recent paper covered boards, paper spine label with light wear and scattered foxing. Howes P-504; Wright I: 2330; Sabin 64545. [20641] $225.00
This is an English translation of the author's Lebensbilder aus der westlichen Hemisphare (Zurich 1834-7) which is a set of fictional accounts of life in the American Southwest. Wright notes that the version
with the copyright notice in three lines (as here) is the first printing or we speculate that it indicates that
these are bound from the parts rather than the second edition with the notice in two lines. This includes
the story: "The Squatter Chief, or the First American in Texas."

1878. Gray granite board, 15x 12 inches with glossy reproduction of a drawing of the post office affixed.
Dated presentation on lower left from Alex R. Esty, Supt., to the Hon. Wendell Philips, dated Sept 1,
1878. Board somewhat soiled, and creased at corners, o/w VG. [48835] $75.00

241. POWELL, J. W. NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BUREAU OF AMERICAN
ETHNOLOGY; To the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution 1897-98...Part 1. Washington DC: U.S.
stamped in gilt. Owner's bookplate on pastedown. Binding somewhat loose, with several illustrations
detached, cover little worn at corners, and at sides and ends of spine, o/w VG. [55682] $60.00

242. THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT; under the third canon of 1844 in the City of New
York, on Tuesday, December 10, 1844 for The Trial of the Right Rev. Benjamin T. Onderdonk, D. D.
Bishop of New York; on a presentment made by the Bishops of Virginia, Tennessee, and Georgia, by
authority of the court. NY & Phila.: Appleton, 1845. First edn. 8vo, pp. 333. Removed from a bound
volume, title-leaf loose.(Corner of one leaf torn off affecting the ending of 8 lines on the recto and 7 lines
on the verso) Bound With: BISHOP ONDERDONK'S STATEMENT. A Statement of Facts and
Circumstances connected with the Recent Trial of the Bishop of New York. NY: Henry Onderdonk.
Phila.:Appleton, 1845. 8vo, pp. 31. [20692] $225.00
Bishop Onderdonk (1791-1861) was accused of molesting women in carriages and other public places
while being drunk. The Bishop was found guilty and suspended after this celebrated trial. His brother was
also a Bishop and was suspended at his own request because of alcoholism.

243. PUTNAM, James, et al. THE HISTORY OF THE TOWN OF LYNDEBOROUGH;
with photographs and a fold-out map. Maroon cloth, stamped in gilt. Cover slightly scuffed at edges, top
edge of leaves very lightly spotted, o/w a nice copy. [43799] $68.00
A sequel to the first Town History, this book covers the town's history from 1905 through 1955.

244. RAYNAL, [Abbe] GuillaumeThomas. TABLEAU ET REVOLUTIONS DES COLONIES
ANGLOISES; Dans L'Amerique Septenrionale. Paris: 1783. First French Edition (First published in
Amsterdam in 1781). 12mo, pp. [iv], 272; [iv], 270. Bound with the half titles in modern boards and
morocco label. Untrimmed with marginal paper repairs, wide margins (except for the final leaves in each
volume). Generally a nice clean copy. Howes R-87; Sabin 68112. [24086] $450.00
This is a description of the politics, economics and demographics of the English colonies in North
America. The second volume is a reprint of Raynal's book on the American Revolution (first published in
1781). Raynal is sympathetic to the revolting colonies and criticizes the policy of the British government.
A French historical and political writer, Raynal (1711-1796) was educated as a Jesuit before breaking
with the order and becoming curate of St. Suplice in Paris. Rose suggests that this was a work "written in
a liberal strain, but without much depth or accuracy. Its mistakes were exposed in a pamphlet by Thomas
Paine" (Lettre Adressee A L'Abbe Raynal, 1782).

245. REMINGTON, Frederic. DONE IN THE OPEN; Drawings by ... with an introduction and verses
cloth spine. Tears on two pages, cover worn. Good only. Johnson page 548, first issue with the R.H.
Russell imprint; Dykes, Remington 333; Howes R204 issue 1, author’s name spelled Frederick on front
cover. Complete with 77 plates. [37366] $320.00
246. REPS, John W. **WASHINGTON ON VIEW**; The Nation's capital since 1790. Chapel Hill NC: University of North Carolina, (1991). First printing. Large horizontal 4to, pp. xi, 297. Appendices, biographical notes, bibliography, index. With more than 100 reproductions of nineteenth-century engravings, aquatints and lithographs, along with many maps and plans. Views are accompanied by excerpts from contemporary published works. Illustrations in color, many full page. A nice copy in somewhat worn dj. Heavy. [42018] $100.00


A novel based on the events of the Shays' Rebellion in Massachusetts.


An address concerning the Milton Alumni War Memorial Foundation, given at Milton Academy by the then Assistant Secretary of the Navy. The Foundation memorialized the 22 Milton alumni who died in WWI.


This is a nice clean copy of a geography text book with maps and questions to be answered about each area of the globe. The seems to be quite rare, the OCLC lists a single of copy (IN) of an 1810 edition dated from the advertisements, whereas the ABPC lists three copies (1811 imprint; 1817 Amsterdam imprint; 1780 Brussels imprint).

254. SANBORN, Kate. OLD TIME WALL PAPERS; An account of the pictorial papers on our forefathers' walls, with a study of the historical development of wall paper making and decoration. NY: Dutton, 1908. 4to, pp. 116, Illustrated with 83 full page (6 tipped-in plates), a few in color. Brown cloth. Ex library with stamps and bookplate; pocket and date slip removed. Cover somewhat bumped and worn, o/w VG. One of 975 copies of a limited edition on American plate paper, this copy not numbered, [33836] $144.00


256. SANDBURG, Carl. ABRAHAM LINCOLN; The war years. NY: Harcourt, Brace, (1937). First Edition. Four volumes. 8vo, pp. xxxi, 660; xii, 655; xiii, 673; xii, 515. Blue cloth. Edges little soiled, o/w a nice tight set. [52592]$60.00

Bound to match Sandburg's two volume "The Prairie Years."

257. SCARBOROUGH'S TOPOGRAPHIC MAP OF MASSACHUSETTS; showing the Railroads, Electric Railways, steam boat lines, highways, post offices, villages, etc. Completely indexed. Boston: Scarborough, 1903. Original Folding Map (39 x 56 inches) printed on cloth, that is bound into a folding accordion-style hardcover bds in brown cloth measuring. Printed in color, very good. [59136] $150.00

The author was Executive Secretary Department of Citizenship Connecticut Woman Suffrage Association. This was prepared as a first step towards giving women their necessary civic knowledge so as to be active voting citizens.

Vol. 1 is devoted to what was done by the state, Vol. 2 tells about the activities of cities and towns.

260. SCOTT, Job. JOURNAL OF THE LIFE, TRAVELS AND GOSPEL LABOURS OF THAT FAITHFUL SERVANT AND MINISTER OF CHRIST, JOB SCOTT. NY: Isaac Collins, 1797. First Edition. Small 8vo, pp. xii, 360. Bound in contemporary calf, a very good copy. (cover little worn at edges and along spine, a tear on the bottom of one leaf, but text not affected; in all a VG tight copy. Quaker Americana 125; Howes S-228.; Evans; 32810; Clark, v.II, #122; Sabin 78287. [37389] $325.00
Scott traveled from his home in Rhode Island to congregations of Friends throughout the United States as they then existed, before making an expedition to Europe to attend meetings in England, Wales, and Ireland.

261. Second Life Books. REFERENCE COLLECTION. Just over 700 items Collected just over 50 Years
The collection specializes in literature, books by and about women, agriculture and horticulture and Americana.
Included is a set of Anthony’s 6 volume History of the Woman Suffrage Movement as well as the six volume set of the Stanton - Anthony papers. We also include a set of the BAL, the 39 volumes of the DNB as well as the DAB, Shaw & Shoemaker, Halkett & Laing, references having to do with cookery and the household arts, agriculture and gardening and much more. A full list is available. [60131] $45,000.00

262. (SHAKER) STEWART, Philemon (?). A HOLY, SACRED AND DIVINE ROLL AND BOOK; From the Lord God of Heaven, to The Inhabitants of Earth: Revealed in the United Society at New Lebanon, County of Columbia, State of New-York, United States of America. in two parts. Received by the Church of this Communion and published in union with the same. Canterbury, NH: in the United Society, 1843. First Edition. 8vo, pp. vii, 222, [8], 223-402, [3]. Bound in rubbed full sheep (that has some minor repairs), some minor toning and foxing to the sheets, but a very good copy. Richmond 1340, MacLean 93 Evans 43-4789. Sabin 79708. [59890] $500.00
Richmond: "This book is a product of the most intense spiritual manifestations among the Shakers, and its contents were believed to be a new revelation of the will of God. Later, when the Ministry decided that it did not represent a true revelation, the book was withdrawn from circulation. Its affinity to the Book of Mormon (1830) has often been noticed."

263. SHEPARD, Odell. CONNECTICUT PAST AND PRESENT. NY: Knopf, 1939. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 316, xi. Bound in blue cloth with a colored map on the end papers, in a little chipped dj. Inscribed by the author on the end paper: "To my friend and colleague | William Jay Smith | in token of admiration | Odell Shepard" [51206] $60.00
A description and interpretation of the state.

265. [SHOES AND BOOTS]. BAUDOIN, Benoit. (d. 1632). B. BALDUINUS DE CALCEO ANTIQUO, ET JUL. NIGRONUS DE CALIGA VETERUM. Acceserunt et Q. Sept. F I. Tertulliani, Cl Salmasi & A Rvbeni scriptus plurima ejusdem argumenti In his scriptores vetere quamplurimi explicantur, & emendantur, nec non res ipseae adjectis aeneis figuris illustrantur. Amstelodami, sumptobus A. Frisi, 1667. 2 volumes in one. Illustrated with 28 full-page engraved plates, of which 7are folding out. The second volume has the title: Ivli Nigroni Genvensis De caliga vetrvm dissertat subserseciva. Qua declaratur, quid ea sit latinin scriptoribus, in Sacra Scriptura, inure civili, as lapidibus vetustis. Editio novissima aucta emendata, & figuris aeneis exornata. 12mo, pp. [xii], 345, [xxix],[ii]; [iv], 213, [xv]. Bound in later 3/4 calf, with leather labels and modest gilt on the spine. Engraved general title-page with another title-page for each work. A fine copy. BMC Vol II., 210.509. [19236] $2,000.00
Written in Latin, this is a history of classical shoes and boots and costumes with some remarkable illustrations. Baudoin was a French scholar, originally a breeches maker of Amens in the 16th century, who afterwards quit his trade and distinguished himself as a scholar. He was principal of the college in Troyes and director of the Hotel Dieu. Parts of this work were also written by Giulio Negrone (1553-1625); Albert Rubens (1614-1657) and Claudius Salmasius (1588-1653).


267. SLOANE, Eric. AMERICAN YESTERDAY. NY: Funk, (1956). Small 4to, pp. 122. Illustrated by the author; author's presentation and sketch on flyleaf. Blue cloth stamped in black. Edges of cover very slightly scuffed, o/w a nice copy in scuffed and slightly chipped dj. [48377] $80.00


Smith was a noted abolitionist who served in Congress for one term. He responds to the assertion in the Tribune that he had not voted against the Kansas-Nebraska bill which allowed the two territories to become states with or without slavery, setting the stage for the "bloody Kansas" period. Smith asserts that he was on the floor of the House, made a speech, and voted against the measure.

270. SMITH, Robert. LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY... Translating a statement of the application of the appropriations made by Congress for clerk hire in the Department of the Navy, specifying the persons and the salaries allowed to each ... 29th March, 1802. 1802. 8vo, pp. 13. Untrimmed and sewn, (Imprints 3311). Fine. [37278] $65.00

271. [Springfield MA]. SPRINGFIELD CITY DIRECTORY; And business advertiser for 1871-72, for the year commencing June 1, 1871. Springfield MA: Samuel Bowles, 1871. 8vo, pp. 412. Fold-out map. Advertisements. Paper over boards with leather spine. Cover worn, hinges tender, map mended with tape. Good only. [52291] $60.00
272. STATE OF CONNECTICUT. INTEREST PAYMENT CERTIFICATE; of Four pounds, fourteen shillings & seven pence for service in the Continental Army to Mr. Daniel Park. June 1, 1782. 4 x 6-1/2, framed behind glass. [56903] $75.00
The note promises that the money will be paid to him on or before June 1, 1787.

273. STATE STREET TRUST CO. BOSTON ENGLAND AND BOSTON NEW ENGLAND 1630-1930; Reproductions of rare prints with a commentary of historic notes presented by...in commemoration of the three hundredth anniversary of the naming of Boston. Boston MA: State Street Trust Co., 1930. 8vo, pp. vii, 45, 11 pages of illustrations. Many other illustrations are included in the text. Paper wraps. A very nice copy. [56931]$454.00

274. STATE STREET TRUST CO. TOWNS OF NEW ENGLAND AND OLD ENGLAND, IRELAND AND SCOTLAND Part I & 2; Connecting links between cities and towns of [Old and New England, etc.]...Also much matter pertaining to the founders and settlers of New England... Boston MA: State Street Trust Co., 1920. Large 8vo, pp. 225. Copiously illustrated with old prints and with photographs. Paper wraps. Three leaves mended with paper tape, flyleaves little chipped, cover worn, especially at spine, but holding together, o/w VG. Part 2: Cover detached and little torn at spine, signatures somewhat separated at spine between pp. 110 and 111. [56932] $85.00
Published to commemorate the tercentenary of the landing of the Pilgrims.

275. STEBBINS, J. E. FIFTY YEARS HISTORY OF THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE; Intemperance, the great national curse, threatening the purity and stability of our institutions, secular and religious; the fruitful source of poverty, misery, crime, and degradation of the individual and family. Describing the process of manufacturing liquors; poisonous ingredients used in adulteration; official reports of revenue receipts from its sale. Historical sketch of the various means adopted for its suppression through legislation, open and secret temperance societies; Washingtonians; Good Templars; Good Samaritans; Daughters of Samaria, etc., from the first organized society to the present time....With a full description of the origin and progress of the new plan of labor by the women up to the present time. By T. A. H. Brown.... Hartford CT: Stebbins, 1874. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 500. Illustrated. Green cloth blind-stamped and stamped with gilt. Some slight foxing, edges soiled, cover worn at edges, and sides of spine, o/w a VG tight copy. [50802] $68.00

276. Stedman, J[ohn]. NARRATIVE OF A FIVE YEARS' EXPEDITION AGAINST THE REVOLTED NEGROES OF SURINAM, in Guiana, on the Wild Coast of South America; from the year 1772 to 1777: elucidating the History of that Country and describing its productions, Viz. Quadrupeds, Birds, Fishes, Reptiles, Trees, Shrubs, Fruits, & Roots; With an account of the Indians of Guiana, & Negroes of Guinea. Illustrated with 80 elegant engravings from drawings made by the author. (Includes maps’3 folding, and an aquatint folding view of Paramaribo). London: J. Johnson and J. Edwards., 1796. First Edition. 4to, xviii, 407, (9); iv, 404, (8). Bound in contemporary calf (edges some rubbed), rebacked with new endpapers, small library stamp on the front pastedown (Royal Institution of Great Britain); and except from some darkening to the title pages and some offsetting to the plates a very nice clean copy. Sabin 91075; Field 1494. Scarce. [16534] $10,000.00
Stedman (1744-1797) was a member of General John Stuart's regiment from 1760 until he was given this opportunity to see the new world in 1772. The DNB notes that Stedman's report is a model of what such a book should be. Its rules for marching and fighting amid tropical swamps anticipate those laid down for the Ashanti expedition. The field of his curiosity embraced not only all branches of natural history, but also economical and social conditions. His descriptions of the cruelties practiced on the negroes, and of the moral deterioration resulting to their masters, forms one of the most vivid indictments of slavery that have been penned. While he did his duty as a soldier in the pay of Holland, he does not disguise his sympathy with the rebels. Fields adds: If there is a spot on earth, within which the horrors of the infernal regions are anticipated, it must be Surinam. The moment that civilized man sets his foot upon the soil he...
becomes a fiend, and the atrocities which he perpetrates upon his kind would shame his brother devils. Stedman's work is a record of such horrors ... The intercourse of Stedman with the aborigines was very limited, yet he gives some new and interesting particulars regarding them. Of Particular interest in this volume is that 14 of the plates were engraved by William Blake. Gilchrist notes, Blake did not neglect humble task-work which secured him a modest independence. He was ... busy on certain plates for a book of travels, ... Stedman's Narrative ... Of these elegant engravings, Blake executed fourteen; Holloway and Bartolozzi were among those employed for the remainder. Negroses, monkeys, 'Limes, Capsicums, Mummy-apples,' and other natural productions of the country, were the chief subjects which fell to Blake's share [Gilchrist, Life of William Blake, vol. 1, p. 136].

Writing this for Calvinist youth, Stevens "has sought to convey in these sketches important lessons, and to excite an affection for the character and institutions of the church."

The essential object [of this study] has been to present an authentic recital of the origin, rise, and progress no only of the Typographical Union, but of the protective association of printers that preceded it, thus exhibiting a connected account of the organized branches of the printing industry in New York City for a period of 135 years" starting with the Revolutionary epoch and closing with the third calendar quarter of 1911.

279. (STOLEN HORSE & BUGGY NOTICE). TEAM STOLEN. Lawrence, Mass: April 26th, 1881. single sheet (approx. 3 x 5), printed on recto only. [59189] $75.00
Ephemeral notice by City Marshall H. R. Neal describing the horse (Bay horse, 11 years old, weighs 875 pounds, black mane and long black tail ... the following property was in the Buggy: - 3 whole suits made by J. B. McAloon & Co, one coat and pants made by J. M. Bradley, of Andover, and one pair of mixed pants."

Essays that appeared first in the Atlantic Monthly, on home decoration, household economy, servants, cooking and other domestic topics, all told in the voice of a man. Stowe was paid $100 by Ticknor & Fields for each of the essays, and they appeared in the magazine from January to December 1864, and they reflect the changes that were taking place in the American home during the Civil War.

281. SWINTON, John. STRIKING FOR LIFE, Labor's side of the labor question; The right of a workingman to a fair living. [NY]: American Manufacturing and Publishing, 1894. First Edition?. 8vo, pp. 498. With articles contributed by Samuel Gompers, Eugene V. Debs, and John W. Hayes. Maroon cloth with pictorial stamping on the front in black and gilt. Cover somewhat scuffed and soiled, rear hinge just beginning tender, o/w a VG tight copy. [49698] $60.00
A discussion of the rights of labor by some of their most important spokesmen. The result of some experience, reflection and observation. Swinton (1828-1921) had been managing editor of the New York
Sun until he started his owner journal John Swinton's Paper in 1883. It became one of the most influential and interesting journals in the country. It played a significant role in the upheaval of the American working class in the mid 1880's. Swinton was active in the free-state movement in Kansas and later worked for the New York Times.

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Memoirs, biographical sketches, articles on a variety of subjects pertaining to the history of Lowell, MA. These were papers read at meetings of the Society.

Colophon reads: "Nineteen hundred and fifty copies of this book have been printed from type by The Stinehour Press in Lunenburg, Vermont. Roderick D. Stinehour designed the book, using Monotype Bembo and Centaur types. The frontispiece portrait of Isaiah Thomas, a copperplate stipple engraved for the "Freemason's Magazine" of November 1811 by W. R. Jones of Philadelphia, was pulled from the original plate ow in the American Antiquarian Society. The title page eagle was drawn specially for this book and
is based on elements of two type ornaments from the Binny & Ronaldson type foundry in Philadelphia, whose types Thomas used in printing this work in 1810. An original leaf from that edition, printed by Thomas in Worcester, is included in this Imprint edition. The text paper is Imprint, made by Monadnock Paper Company. The book was bound by New Hampshire Bindery in Concord, New Hampshire. This is copy number 903 (Numbered and signed by McCorison.)


A detailed, state by state listing of Learned Societies in the US. Each listing includes an address, a description of the object of the society, its publications, etc. A great reference.


The harshest critic of the Jacksonian period, who decided that the land of the free left something to be desired.


292. (U.S. CONGRESS). REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE, OF COMMERCE AND MANUFACTURES, To whom was referred...the bill entitled, "An act for the rebuilding the light-house on Gurnet Point, at the entrance of Plymouth harbour, -for rebuilding the light-house at the eastern end of New Castle Island, -for erecting a lighthouse on Lynde's Point, -and for other purposes" ... 1802. 8vo, pp. 8. Single folded sheet, untrimmed. (Imprints 3405). Some foxing, o/w VG. [37286] $60.00


Fowler asks for payment for supplies that he provided to the Continental Army.

294. (U.S. CONGRESS). REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE, To whom was referred on the 5th of November, last. The letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, announcing his resignation. 28th of January, 1801. House of Representatives, 1801. 8vo, pp. 16. Self wraps, sewn and untrimmed, Little foxing, fine. Imprints 1550. [37287] $80.00

295. U.S. SENATE, Temporary National Economic Committee. INVESTIGATION OF CONCENTRATION OF ECONOMIC POWER; Hearings before the Temporary National Economic

Articles on contract negotiations, blacklisting, mine accidents, a woman's page, etc.


In August of 1968 an estimated 10,000 people arrived in Chicago to protest the war and events at the Democratic National Convention. They were met by about 12,000 police, 7,500 Illinois National Guardsmen, 7,500 Army troops and 1,000 Secret Service Agents.


"Warren was president of the Boston Society of Natural History and concerned to document the history of this beloved Boston Common focal point, which a storm felled in 1876.


Pennsylvania Hall was built from donations of members of the abolitionist community. The hall was used for only four days before it was sacked and burned by a reactionary crowd. During the third day of the hall's existence, it was used by the Anti-Slavery Convention of American Women. The frontispiece shows the newly completed building while the other two plates show the hall in flames and the ruins of the building after the fire had been put out.


304. WEBSTER, Daniel. **SPEECH of ...IN REPLY TO MR. HAYNE, OF SOUTH CAROLINA**: The resolution of Mr. Foot, of Connecticut, relative to the public lands, being under consideration. Delivered in the Senate, January 26, 1830. Washington: Gales & Seaton, 1830. 8vo, pp. 96. Removed. VG. S&S 5384, variant 2 (3). [38567] $160.00


306. WEBSTER, Daniel. **SPEECH...IN REPLY TO MR. HAYNE, OF SOUTH CAROLINA**: The resolution of Mr. Foot, of Connecticut, relative to the public lands, being under consideration. Delivered in the Senate, January 26, 1830. NY: Elliott & Palmer, 1830. 8vo, pp. 72. sewn, self wraps, foredge chipped, title page soiled, name on title page, good. S&S 5382 (4). [38569] $120.00

307. WEBSTER, Daniel. **SPEECH...IN REPLY TO MR. HAYNE, OF SOUTH CAROLINA**: The resolution offered by Mr. Foot, of Connecticut, relative to the public lands, being under consideration. Delivered in the Senate, January 26, 1830. 8vo, pp. 32. Includes notes. Removed. Good. S&S 5380 (4). [38568] $120.00


312. WEBSTER, Daniel. **SPEECH DELIVERED BY ... AT NIBLOS SALOON, IN NEW-YORK**, on the 15th March, 1837. NY: Harper, 1837. First edition, first issue. 8vo, pp. 35. Printed wraps, little soiled and some little wear to the wrapper. An early Webster piece. The first of Sabin's three copies listed for 1837. Sabin 102304. [19549] $100.00
American lawyer and statesman, born in Salisbury, NH, Webster (1782-1852) was a member of the US House representing NH (1813-1817) and MA (1823-27). He gained fame as an orator in the US Senate (1827-41) and was later secretary of State (1841-43) where he negotiated the Webster-Asburton treaty in 1842. He was reelected to the Senate in 1845 where he took stands against the annexation of Texas and supported compromise measures on slavery advanced by Henry Clay in 1850. The present work on the division in the ranks in the Democratic party is a fine example of his vaunted patriotism.


Behind the scenes during the turbulent design and building of the Women's Pavilion at the Chicago World' Exposition of 1893.

314. WHITNEY, Peter. THE HISTORY OF THE COUNTY OF WORCESTER, IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS: With a particular account of every town from its first settlement to the present time; including its ecclesiastical state, together with a geographical description of the same. To which is prefixed a map of the county, at large, from actual survey. Worcester MA: Isaiah Thomas, 1793. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 339. Fold-out map (14 x 12-1/2 in.)by Charles Baker Esqr. & Capn John Pierce , mended at creases with cloth tape. Brown leather, somewhat scuffed and worn, some foxing throughout. Owner's name, date (1794) and city (Boston) on pastedown. Hinges near tender. VG. Howes W-391; Evans: 26481; Sabin: 103769; Wheat & Brun: 211. [38555] $700.00

One of the earliest county histories published in the United States.


316. WHITTINGHAM, Richard. THE BRANDED HAND [caption title]. [Salem, Ohio: Anti Slavery Bugle, 1845]. 8-7/8 x 5-7/8", when folded. Undated. Four page leaflet, pages (33), 34, 35, 36 in continuation of other numbers of this series of tracts. The first two contain the Whittier piece, the last two contain Lines by James Russell Lowell, "On Reading of the Capture of Certain Fugitive Slaves Near Washington." Little toned along the edges but a very good copy. Currier p. 56-57 (notes the Phila. edn. only), BAL 13050 (Locates the Harvard copy of this and one copy of the Philadelphia edition, issued the same year) [50406] $150.00

The Whittier piece commemorates the action taken by Jonathan Walker who, in 1841, attempted to help his ex-slaves escape to the North. He was captured and branded SS (Slave Stealer) by a US Marshall.

317. WILLIAMS, Mrs. [Catharine Reed]. BIOGRAPHY OF REVOLUTIONARY HEROES; containing the life of Brigadier Gen. William Barton, and also Captain Stephen Olney. Providence: by the author, 1839. First edn. 8vo, pp. 312. Original cloth with later leather label. Nice tight copy, engraved frontis. Howes W-448. [6881] $85.00

An historical work by the noted Rhode Island novelist.

318. [WILSON], Bishop Thomas, Lord Bishop of Sodor and Man. THE KNOWLEDGE AND PRACTICE OF CHRISTIANITY MADE EASY TO THE MEANEST CAPACITATES: or an Essay Towards an Instruction For the Indians; which will be of use to such Christians, as have not well considered the Meaning of the Religion they profess; Or, who profess to know GOD, but in works do deny him. In several short and plain dialogues. Together with Directions and Prayers for the heathen world ... London: Osborne, 1743. Fourth Edition, with large additions. 12, pp. [4] leaves, iv, xxxvi, 270. Title in red and black. Bound in 19th century 3/4 morocco, ex-library, some foxing and soiling, etc. A
very good copy, bound with the adv. leaf in the front. Sabin 104691, see De Renne I, 88. Field 1680.

$400.00

This work presents the fundamentals of Christianity to be taught to the Indians in the Georgia colony. When first published, Wilson's evangelical manual had been entitled 'An essay towards an instruction for the Indians'. Bishop of Sodor and Man, began this work at the instance of James Edward Oglethorpe, from whom he derived his interest in North American missions. Mention is also made in this work of the instruction of Negroes. Revisions of this work were entrusted to Wilson's son. Sabin says that the work passed through more than 20 editions, the latest being 1848.

319. [WIS]. KIP, William L. A FEW DAYS AT NASHOTAH. Albany: Munsell, 1849. First edn. 8vo, Pp. 31. Little chipped and soiled wraps, little internal soiling, a VG copy. Howes K-177. Not in the Graff collection which includes two other pamphlets by Kipp.  $150.00

Kip (1811-1893) was consecrated missionary bishop of California, 1853 and served until his death. Established the first Episcopal Cathedral in America. This contains three letters from Kip outlining his time at the mission at Nashotah, in Wisconsin.


"Long was an early and important explorer of the American West, traveling to the upper Mississippi in 1817, leading an ill-fated "Yellowstone" expedition in 1819, (for which he produced the first steamboats to ply the Missouri River), an 1820 expedition to the Colorado Rockies, and an expedition to Canada's Red River in 1823." -Clark and Brunet 275.

321. WOOD, Stanley. OVER THE RANGE TO THE GOLDEN GATE. A complete tourist's guide to Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Nevada, California, Oregon, Puget Sound and the Great North-West. Chicago: Donnelley, 1899. 8vo, pp. 283. Illustrated. Flyleaf and half-title missing, hinges tender VG. Not in Howes or Graff.  $150.00

A guide book which described the places of interest on the great trunk lines between Denver and the West Coast.


Accompanied by her sister, Wright first settled in New York City, while she attempted to establish herself as a dramatist. Frustrated by her lack of literary success, she returned to London in 1820. Her letters home however, resulted in the present work, which has been called "One of the most celebrated travel memoirs of the early 19th century [NAW]". This includes material on the condition of the working class, politics, education, religion, slavery, and women, while including the author's unabashed enthusiasm for America. Upon her return to America in 1824, Wright became a leading figure in the agitation for woman suffrage and the abolition of slavery. Of note was her attempt to establish an experimental colony for the gradual emancipation of slaves on land purchased near Memphis, Tenn. She lived at Owen's New Harmony for some years before establishing the "Hall of Science" in New York to serve as a platform for her lecture series. "See NAW, etc.

An exploration of the social conflicts generated by the activities of those responsible for the creation of Chicago’s domestic architecture from 1873 to 1913


Addenda


Organized by state and contains a good index. Many of the business advertised are from NY, Pennsylvania and New England.

327. **THE TRANSCRIPTS OF THE FAMOUS FREE LOVE TRIAL**


One of the great scandals of the time, the Beecher/Tilton trial must be seen in the light of the free love advocacy of Victoria Woodhull. Living with Dr. Woodhull and her husband Capt. Blood and the target of intense political gossip, Woodhull attacked Henry Ward Beecher, demanding that he own up to his relationship with Elizabeth Tilton. When Beecher maintained a silence, Woodhull spilled the story in a speech in Boston and printed the charges in her Woodhull and Claflin’s Weekly. Within hours, she and her sister were jailed for passing obscenity through the mails. Theodore Tilton, novelist and former Beecher associate, later his successor, in the editorship of the Independent, charged Beecher with criminality in relation to his wife Elizabeth Tilton and instituted a civil suit laying his damages at $100,000. The trial, which lasted 6 months, resulted in a
hung jury. Woodhull testified at the trial and, it is said, developed relationships with both Tilton and Beecher, continuing to advocate free love. In that Woodhull was involved in the woman suffrage movement, running for President in 1872 at the head of the "Equal Rights Party" the case takes on a larger significance, offering a fascinating side bar to the 19th century Woman Suffrage Movement.

328. (TILTON/BEECHER). PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL; of Congregational Churches and Ministers called by the Plymouth Church of Brooklyn, NY., and held in Brooklyn from the 15th to the 24th of February, 1876. NY: A. S. Barnes, 1876. First Edition. 8vo, pp. 370, 28. (The second portion contains references and citations prepared for the convenience of the Brooklyn Council of 1876, ) Bound in original dark brown cloth (worn at the extremities of the spine), a very good plus copy. [54407] $350.00

This is the complete transcript of the meeting to consider the case of Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, the influential minister who was accused of having and adulterous relationship with Elizabeth Tilton, one of his parishioners. This was one of the 19th centuries most lurid and public scandals.


Tilton is best remembered for his accusations in the Beecher/Tilton Scandal.

330. [BIGGS, James T]. THE HISTORY OF DON FRANCISCO DE MIRANDA'S ATTEMPT TO EFFECT A REVOLUTION IN SOUTH AMERICA; in a series of letters. By a gentleman who was an officer under that General, to his friend in the United States. To which are annexed, Sketches of the life of Miranda, and Geographical notices of Caraccas. Boston: Edward Oliver, 1810. Second Edition. 8vo, pp. 312. Bound in contemporary calf (may lack a blank or half title), generally a very good copy. Howes B 442; Imprints 19553. [57318] $150.00

Miranda (1750?-1816) was a Venezuelan, born in Caracas, served in the Spanish Army (1773-1782), in the French Revolutionary Armies (1792-1793), commanded a patriot army in Venezuela (1810), and became dictator of Venezuela in 1812. Miranda was a Venezuelan revolutionary who joined the Spanish army but fled to the U.S. in 1783, where he met leaders of the American Revolution and formed plans for the liberation of South America. He launched an unsuccessful invasion of Venezuela in 1806 and returned at the request of Simón Bolívar to fight again in 1810. He assumed dictatorial powers in 1811 but was removed by a Spanish counterattack. Some viewed his surrender as traitorous. He died in a Spanish prison cell. Biggs served as a volunteer officer under Miranda during his first expedition, and this work remains an important account of the affair.

331. [ANON]. THE VOLCANO UNDER THE CITY; by a Volunteer Special, with map showing New York police precincts. NY: Fords, Howard & Hulbert, 1887. First
Scarce. [57481] $225.00
A scarce account of the New York City draft riot of 1863. Minor riots occurred in Rutland, Vt., Wooster, Ohio, Boston, MA., and Portsmouth, NH, but none equaled in length or destructiveness those in New York City. Fanned by Democratic opposition to the war ... for four days the city was a welter of conflagrations, assaults and deviances, costing a thousand casualties and 1.5 Million property loss[Dictionary of American History, vol. 2, p. 164].

The President of Harvard responds to complains by the sophomores against the "commons" and the disturbances that followed.

333. [PETTIT, Silas (Major and Judge Advocate]. BLAIRSVILLE JUNCTION, PENNSYLVANIA. [Pittsburgh, PA]: Thursday, July 26, 1877. 4to, pp. 4 (single folded sheet), a very good copy. Rare, the OCLC locates just the one copy at the Clements Library. [59483] $225.00
The railroad strike of 1877. from Wikipedia: "The Pittsburgh railway strike occurred ... as part of the Great Railroad Strike of 1877. Between July 21 and 22 in Pittsburgh, a major center of the Pennsylvania Railroad, some 40 people (including women and children) were killed in the ensuing riots; strikers burned the Union Depot and 38 other buildings at the yards. In addition, more than 120 train engines and more than 1,200 rail cars were destroyed. Due to track damage, trains did not run for a week following the cessation of violence. Estimates of losses ranged from $2 million to $5 million, according to the railroad company and an 1878 report by a state legislative investigative committee. Pittsburgh was the site of the most violence and physical damage of any city in the country during the Great Strike. Fresh troops arrived in the city on July 28, and within two days peace had been restored and the trains resumed." The text is a letter outlining the activities of the national guard.