

Between The Covers Rare Books

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A Conversation between Tom and Ashley:

T: Ashley! Where are you? I need you!

A: [recorded voice]: "Hello, this is Ashley. I'm currently out of the office. If you need immediate assistance please contact Tom at tom@betweenthecovers.com. Thank you. Ashley".

T: What's this? This is an outrage! We need to do an elist posthaste! How in tarnation am I supposed to do an elist by myself?

A: [dial tone]

T: This won't do at all! This is no time to be taking selfies of cute outfits in your garden!



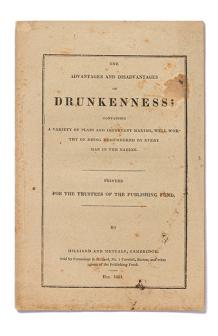
T: Or watching tutorials and practicing your vintage hairdos.



T: Or baking bread...



T: Oh, all right, I'll have to do it myself. Now which of these buttons makes the elists?



1. The Advantages and Disadvantages of Drunkeness; Containing a

Variety of Plain and Important Maxims, Well Worthy of Being Remembered by Every Man in the Nation

Cambridge: Printed for the Trustees of the Publishing Fund, by Hilliard and Metcalf Dec. 1821

\$400

First American edition.

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2. Constitution of the First New York Tailors Benevolent Association Organized July 16th, 1898

New York: New York Tailors Benevolent Association 1898 \$400

First edition. Bound dos-a-dos, the text appears in both English and Hebrew.



3. Cardboard Collection Box for Woman's Christian Temperance Union of lowa

<u>Des Moines: Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Iowa [circa 1920?]</u> \$225

Folding box. Printed "A Penny a Day to Keep the Liquor Away" and with the address of the Des Moines Headquarters.

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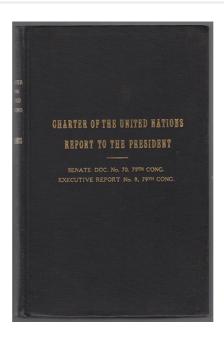
<u>4. [Program]: Mobilize For Peace. Chicago Aug. 31 Sept. 1-2</u>

Chicago: Committee to Defend America by Keeping Out of War 1940

\$300

Program for an event with many notable co-sponsors, many from progressive organizations including Oscar Ameringer, Franz Boas, Theodore Dreiser, Vardis Fisher, Vito Marcantonio, George Seldes, Jim Tully, Eda Lou Walton, Charles Erskine Scott Wood, and many others.

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5. Charter of the United Nations

Report to the President on the Results of the San Francisco Conference [with]: Charter of the United Nations. Address of the President of the United States

Washington, D.C.: Department of State, Washington 1945 \$500

Inscribed by one of the American delagates to the San Francisco Conference: "To Sidney Lansburgh with kindest regards from one of the signers. Sol Bloom. United States - Dealgate. Aug 13/46." Bloom was the chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee from 1939 to 1947 and again in 1949, during a critical period of American foreign policy.

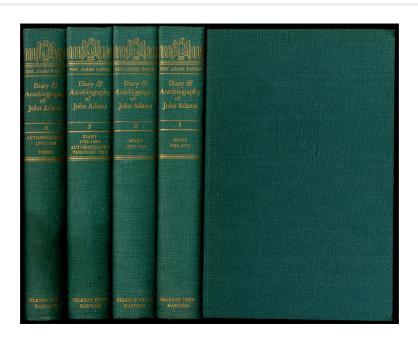


6. [Photographs]: Late 1960s Surfing

<u>Massachusetts, Florida, Hawaii: late 1960s</u> <u>\$1500</u>

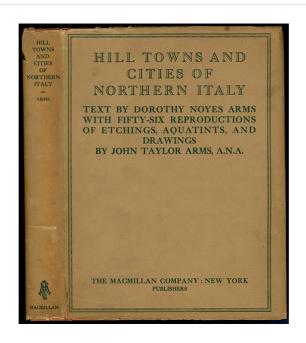
An archive of 39 color photographs following a group of friends from Massachusetts on surfing trips in the late 1960s.

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7. Diary and Autobiography of John Adams: [In Four Volumes] Cambridge, Massachusetts: The Belknap Press of Harvard University Press 1962

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8. Dorothy Noyes ARMS

Hill Towns and Cities of Northern Italy

New York: Macmillan Company 1932

<u>\$150</u>

Illustrated with fifty-six reproductions of etchings, aquatints, and drawings by John Taylor Arms.



9. (W.H. AUDEN and Benjamin Britten)

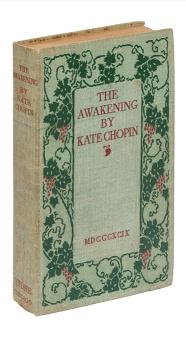
(<u>Broadside</u>): The Columbia Theater Associates Present Paul Bunyan

A New Operetta in 2 Acts. Book by W.H. Auden Music by Benjamin Britten

The Week of May 5

New York: Columbia Theater Associates [1941] \$1600

Poster for the premiere of the original production of this opera and notable collaboration.



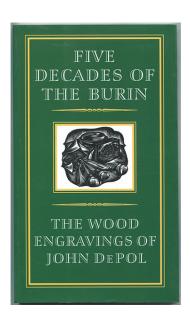
The Awakening

Chicago: Stone & Kimball 1899

\$12,000

First edition. Small octavo. 303pp. Decorated pale green cloth stamped in dark green and red. Faint and small spot barely worthy of the mention on the front board, easily fine. A beautiful, fine copy of this extraordinary influential book, the first modern feminist novel, the repercussions of which are still reflected in modern fiction. Exceptionally scarce, and seldom found in this condition.

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11. John DePOL

Five Decades of the Burin: The Wood Engravings of John DePol

(Jaffrey, New Hampshire): David R. Godine in association with The University of Delaware Library (2004)

\$20

First edition...



12. Jessie Redmon FAUSET

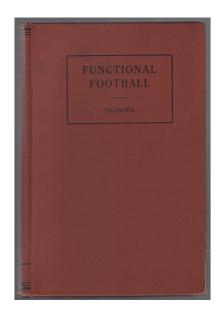
There is Confusion

New York: Boni & Liveright (1928)

\$6000

Fauset, one of the first female African-American graduates of Cornell, was a very influential critic and the most prolific novelist of the Harlem Renaissance.

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13. (Football)

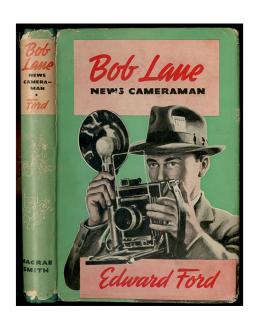
John DaGROSA

Functional Football

<u>Philadelphia: W.B. Saunders Company 1936</u> <u>\$100</u>

First edition.

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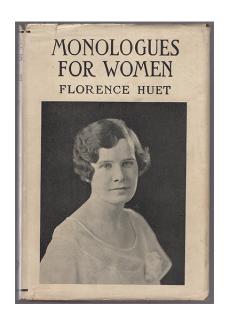
14. Edward FORD

Bob Lane News Cameraman

Philadelphia: Macrae Smith Company (1947)

<u>\$150</u>

First edition.



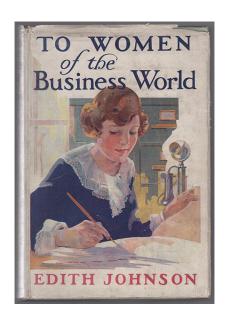
15. Florence HUET Monologues for Women

Philadelphia: The Penn Publishing Company 1932

<u>\$100</u>

First edition.

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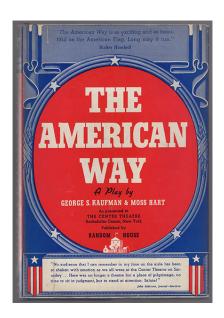
16. Edith JOHNSON

To Women of the Business World

Philadelphia: J.B. Lippincott Company 1923

Practical guide to business by a business woman of 15 years experience.

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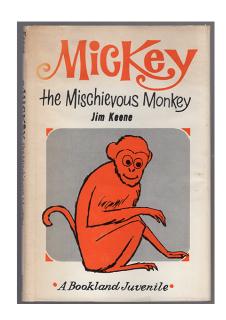


17. George S. KAUFMAN and Moss Hart The American Way

New York: Random House (1939)

\$300

First edition.



18. Jim KEENE

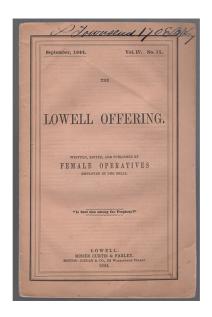
Mickey the Mischievous Monkey

New York: Carleton Press (1966)

\$275

Vanity press children's book by a Pennsylvania-born man living in New Jersey.

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19. (Labor)

The Lowell Offering

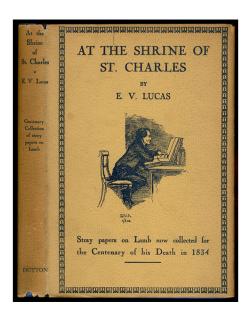
<u>Written, Edited, and Published by Females Operatives Employed in the Mills. September, 1844. Vol. IV. No. 11</u>

Lowell: Misses Curtis & Farley 1844

\$450

A single issue of a literary journal written and published by female factory workers, this issue includes fiction, essays, and poems.

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20. E.V. LUCAS

At the Shrine of St. Charles

New York: E.P. Dutton & Co., Inc. (1934)

<u>\$25</u>

"Stray" essays on Charles Lamb collected for the centenary of his death.





21. MAUNG SHAW LOO

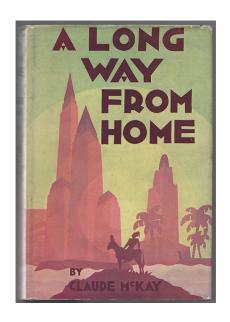
Two Signed CDVs of Maung Shaw Loo

Goshen, Ind.: E.L. Mowry [circa 1865]

<u>\$750</u>

Two carte de visites of Maung Shaw Loo. Each is Signed by Loo beneath his image, and signed by him on the verso in Burmese.

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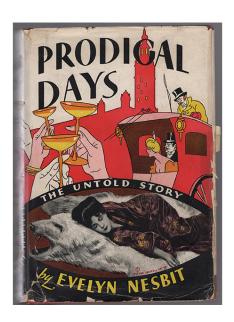
22. Claude McKAY

A Long Way From Home

New York: Lee Furman (1937)

McKay's recitation of his experiences during his self-imposed exile abroad.

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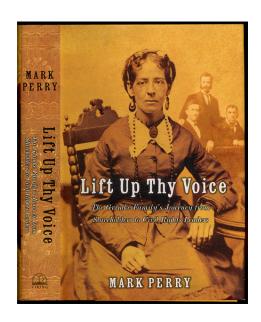


23. Evelyn NESBIT

<u>Prodigal Days: The Untold Story</u> New York: Julian Messner (1934)

\$2000

Second of the two autobiographies by the beautiful actress who was at the center of the scandal wherein her husband Harry K. Thaw murdered architect Stanford White over her favors. In this volume she reveals that Thaw carefully premeditated the murder, rather than acted out of passion (for which he served seven years in an insane asylum).



24. Mark PERRY

<u>Lift Up Thy Voice: The Grimke Family's Journey from Slaveholders to</u>

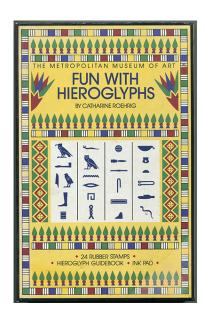
Civil Rights Leaders

(New York): Viking (2001)

\$25

First edition.

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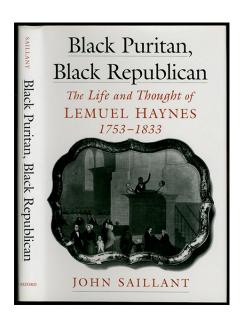
25. Catharine ROEHRIG

<u>Fun With Hieroglyphs: [24 Rubber Stamps, Hieroglyph Guidebook, Ink Pad (Box Set)]</u>

New York: The Metropolitan Museum of Art / Viking (1990) \$30

Tall quarto clamshell case. Holding the book and twenty-four rubber stamps and the ink pad.

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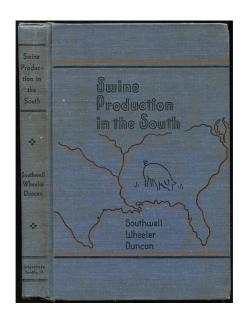
26. John SAILLANT

Black Puritan, Black Republican: The Life and Thought of Lemuel Haynes, 1753-1833

Oxford: Oxford University Press 2003

\$45

First edition.



27. Byron L. SOUTHWELL, John T. Wheeler, and A.O. Duncan Swine Production in the South

Danville, Illinois: The Interstate 1940

<u>\$50</u>

First edition.

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28. The Institute of Further Studies
Albert Glover and John Clarke, editors
A Curriculum of the Soul
Numbers 1-28 [All Published]

(Canton, New York): Institute of Further Studies 1972-1985 \$4600

A complete run of this periodical, one of the most unusual and brilliant undertakings of American postwar poetry. The series grew out of *The Magazine of Further Studies*, and was a specific response to Charles Olson's text "A Plan for the Curriculum of the Soul" in the fifth issue of that magazine, a remarkable map-text by Olson that listed subjects, names, and other topics and which was reproduced inside the covers of early issues. After Olson's death, John Clarke took 28 of these topics, and the periodical was born.

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29. (Virginia WOOLF, and others)

Scofield THAYER, edited by

"Mrs. Dalloway in Bond Street" [in The Dial – Volume LXXV, Number 1, July 1923]

<u>Greenwich, Connecticut: The Dial Publishing Company 1923</u> \$750

This issue includes the short story "Mrs Dalloway in Bond Street," which was intended to be the first chapter of the 1925 novel, but Woolf chose instead to publish the story on its own and retain elements for the book.













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