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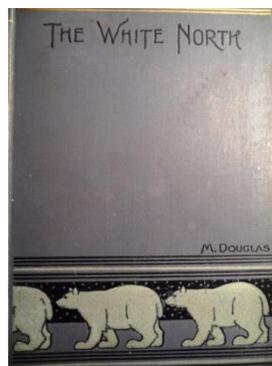
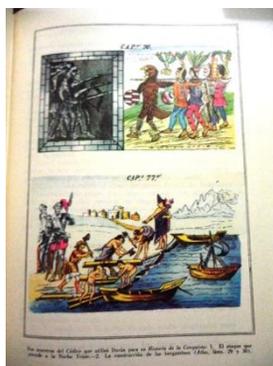
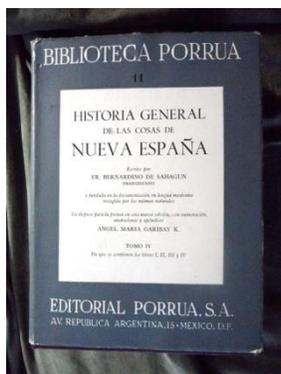
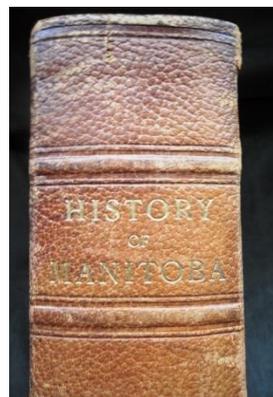
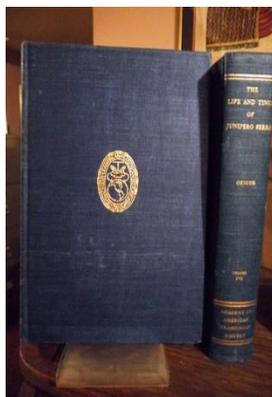
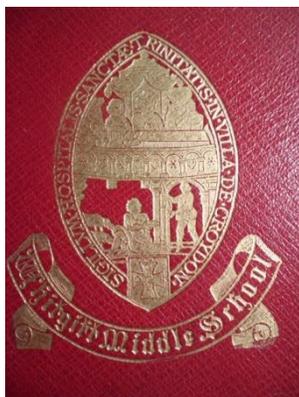
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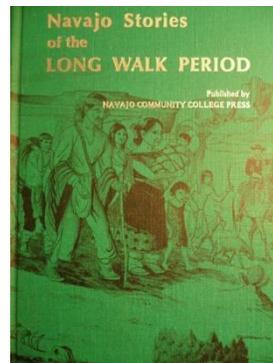
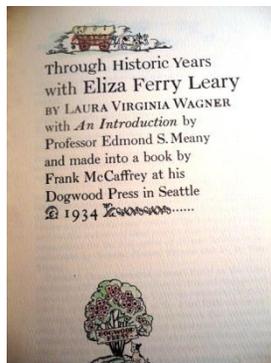
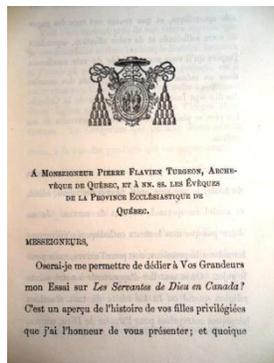
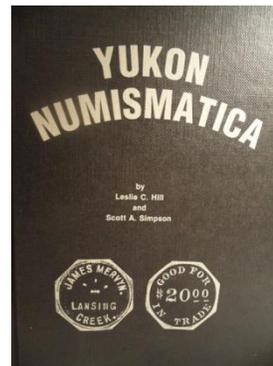
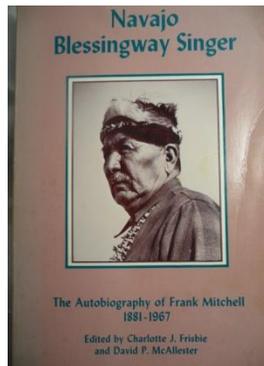
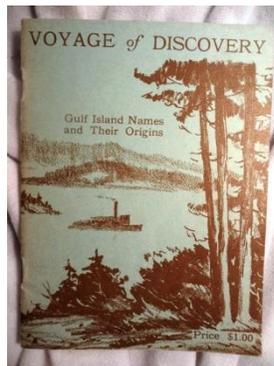
The warm and immediate response to our recent short-list catalogue on the Arctic has encouraged us to share with you some further titles on this theme, together with a selection of recent acquisitions on North American history, with several studies of the Navajo people.

A number of these titles do not yet appear on our website, or other internet listings, and are offered first to those receiving our emails.

All items are single copies, and are subject to prior sale; octavo unless otherwise noted. Prices are in \$Cdn, supersede those that may have appeared in previous catalogues, and do not include shipping. Books may be picked up in Mission by appointment. Shipping to North American addresses for single volumes, octavo, is \$14. Order by email or phone quoting item and catalogue number. If not picking up by appointment, payment by PayPal (preferred), Visa, or Mastercard.

As always, enjoy and consider passing this along to a fellow book-lover.

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Featured Items

1. Atkins, J. D. C.. Correspondence on the Subject of Teaching the Vernacular in Indian Schools. 1887-'88. Washington: Government Printing Office, 1888. Small Octavo. Wrappers. Fine 27 pp., issued under the direction of Atkins, then Commissioner of the United States Indian Office, Department of the Interior. In the prefatory note date April 16, 1888, and addressed to "All Indian Agents", he writes: "In view of the many misunderstandings that have arisen on the subject of the order of the Indian Office forbidding the teaching of any Indian vernacular in schools on reservations, I have deemed it proper to print the accompanying correspondence, which give the true intent and meaning of the order, for the information and guidance of those who are charged with the management of Indian Schools." Apart from the obvious re-affirmation of Federal policy at the time, the wording strongly suggests that not all of those involved in the education taking place on Reservation Land were in accord with the policy. The booklet reprints letters he received, and his responses. There is also much of interest on the issue of Christian Missionaries and their work on Indian land, including queries from the American Bible Society referencing their work in translating the Bible into native languages, specifically 'the Dakota'. Important in historical context, and scarce. Previous owner name in fine pen at top edge of front wrapper, Else Fine. [4284] \$880

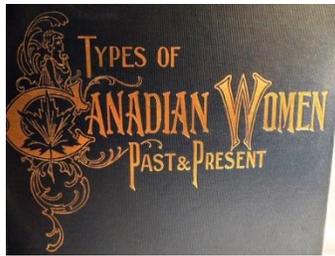
2. Bryce, George. A History of Manitoba: Its resources and people.. Toronto & Montreal: Canada History Company, 1906. First Edition. quarto. Full Leather. VG [x] (3)-692 pp. with frontis port., plates, and portraits throughout: all collated and present as called for. Quarto, Full Leather, beautifully tooled in blind with gilt spine titles, marbled endpapers, all edges gilt; a self-described 'Deluxe', numbered edition, being #35. Peel (3rd) #2915 notes that while there is no indication in the book itself of the full print run "there were at least 372 copies", also noting that there is no evidence of a further general printing. It is, then, uncommon. That landmark bibliography of Western Canadiana continues with the following description: "The first part (pages 5-307) deals with the history of Manitoba, with particular emphasis on the various immigrant groups which have contributed to the growth of the province. The 'Biographies' section (pages [309]-672) describes the lives of some Manitoba notables...".

Our copy evidences one chip near the base of the uniformly faded spine and rubbing at the extremities. A separation following the front free endpaper renders the binding somewhat tender at this point. Nevertheless, a VG copy overall of an important repository of Manitoba history. Not in Whale. A heavy volume that will require extra shipping costs, properly packed. [4256]
\$330

3. Geiger, Maynard J., O.F.M., Ph.D.. The Life and Times of Fray Junipero Serra, O.F.M. or The Man Who Never Turned Back (1713-1784) - Two Volumes, Complete. Washington, D.C.: Academy of American Franciscan History, 1959. Royal Octavo (approx. 225 mm.). Cloth. About Fine [x] [4] 3-448 pp.; [vii] [4] 3-508 pp.; frontispiece, illustrations and maps all present, including the map from Francisco Palou's biography, the first to show a division between Alta

and Baja California [cf. Hayes, *Historical Atlas of California*, p. 48-49 and Cook, *Flood Tide of Empire*, p.52, noting as a motivating factor in the northward push being, apart from religious factors, a desire to offset any Russian claims to the area]. Extensive bibliography (82 pp.) and Index. The author spent fourteen years researching the life and works of Fray Junipero Serra, and then a further seven years of writing. The result is the definitive study of this "eminent New-World Missionary". Blue cloth with Franciscan device in gilt on front boards; gilt titles; decorative initial capitals. There is a small area of discolouration in the hinge of Volume I - glue migration? - and some light rubbing of the cloth, Else Near Fine: no markings or previous owner names. [4266] \$90

4. Morgan, Henry James. Types of Canadian Women and of Women Who are or Have Been Connected with Canada. Toronto: William Briggs, 1903. 4to. Original blue cloth, with gilt titles and floral design; some fraying to head of spine by rear gutter, Else a Near Fine copy of an uncommon title. (x) + 382 pp., + advts. (some leaves of which remain uncut); index. Identified as 'Volume I' on title page, but Volume II was never published. Portraits throughout, often with facsimile signatures, with single-page biography of over 350 women: "Thy coronet, Canada – the daughters of the land." (Rt. Hon. Sir Charles Grey on title page) \$270.00



5. North American Boundary. Part I Correspondence Relating to the Boundary between the British Possessions in North America and the United States of America under the Treaty of 1783. Presented to both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty July 1840. London: T. R. Harrison (Printer), 1840. Folio (13"). Half-Leather. Very Good + 168 pp. Ex library with only indicia being a name stamp on the front free endpaper and a paper spine label. Half-bound in calf over brown ribbed cloth, and uncommon in other than wrappers; red morocco spine label with bright gilt titles. The leather shows light rubbing at the extremities. The text is bright, unmarked, and compiles all of the major correspondence relating to this issue, together with supporting documentation. Of the latter, one example will suffice, that from the Resolution of the State of Maine [found at p. 17] "in relation to the North-Eastern Boundary": "Resolved - That it is not expedient to give the assent of this State to the Federal Government to treat with that of Great Britain for the conventional line for our north-eastern Boundary, but that this State will insist on the line established by the Treaty of 1782. Resolved - That, as this State has never heretofore given her consent to the appointment of an umpire under the Treaty of Ghent, in 1814, but has protested against the same . . . she is not now prepared to give her assent to the appointment of a new arbiter. Resolved - That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to urge the passage of the Bill for the Survey of the North-eastern Boundary of the United States, &c., now pending in Congress . . .". A most important

compilation of primary source material concerning the history of the creation of the world's longest 'friendly border'. The process of its delineation was not always thus! The Treaty of Ghent was the culmination of the War of 1812 and, while it put a formal end to the hostilities, it was silent on primary issues, amongst them the military control of the Great Lakes. The 'Treaty of 1783' referenced was the Treaty of Paris, putting an end to the American Revolutionary War. [4271] \$340

6. Sahagun, Fr. Bernardino de. Historia General de las Cosas de Nueva Espana. Mexico: Editorial Porrúa, 1981. Second Edition. Octavo. Hard Cover. Fine / Near Fine. Edited with annotations and appendices by Angel Maria Garabay K, this Cuarta Edición reprints in four volumes the complete text from the first edition (thus) of 1956. These books constitute Volumes 8, 9, 10 and 11 of this publisher's Biblioteca Porrúa series. The complete title continues: "Escrita por Fr. Bernardino de Sahagun Franciscano y fundada en la documentacion en lengua mexicana recogida por los mismos naturales." pp. 387, 336, 367 and 380. All are unmarked, fine copies in like dustjackets, save for: the back panel of the dj of the last volume which has light staining not reflected in the rear boards; there are two short closed tears on the dj of vol. 9; and that same volume has a small area of roughness from a 'pull' on the ffep, reflected by a deeper rubbing on the front paste-down. [Our speculation is that something sticky found its way between these endpapers, adhered, and was then pulled off each side]. From the Premio General: "La importancia de la obra de Sahagun y el interes que muestran hacia ella los lectores modernos queda patente en el hecho de la prontitud con que se agotan sus ediciones. Bien es que no todos los que compran el libro lo leen: a veces ni siquiera los que lo citan. Pero el solo ser adquirido supone que es un libro que en nadie suscita indiferencias." Sahagun was sent to Nueva Espana in 1529, hence apart from a primary source of the history of Roman Catholicism - and specifically of the Franciscans - in Mexico, there is much on the Spanish colonies in 'New Spain' and the Aztecs, pre-conquest. Indeed, as to the latter theme, much of the original manuscript was based upon oral history recorded and translated by Sahagun, and contains native pictograms and hieroglyphics. Illustrations, plates and maps all present. Text in Spanish. A remarkable and desirable set. [4277] \$210

The Arctic

7. [Alaska] Alaska Pocket Map: Showing cities, towns, railroads, principal highways, glaciers, rivers, mountain peaks and ranges, harbors, lakes, salt water passages, national parks and monuments.. Anchorage: The Alaska Sportsman, 1941. Card Covers. Near Fine Tan card covers, lightly smudged and publication date added in pen to front covers, else a clean copy. Fold-out, two-color map, Near Fine, printed by Rand McNally, tipped in to rear card covers, with external measurements approximately 26: x 19". The map was prepared by the United States Department of the Interior Geological Survey, and has an approximate scale of 80 miles to 1

inch. An important bit of cartographical history in historical context as it delineates the route of the Alaska Highway, constructed as a joint operation by Canada and the United States of America, in preparation for a potential invasion during WWII of the Pacific Northwest Arctic region. [4067] \$45

8. [Alaska] Annual Report of the Governor of Alaska to the Secretary of the Interior for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1931. United States Government Printing Office, Washington, 1931. Stapled in brown wrappers; 162 pp., with large colour folding map (Fine) at rear cover (approx.. 24" x 16"). Unlike the volumes published during the War Years [offered below], this is a very complete report of natural resources, aviation and other transportation issues and assets, economic issues, education, geological survey and recommendations. A significant review of the state of Alaska just prior to the Depression years. \$40

9. [Alaska] Annual Report of the Governor of Alaska to the Secretary of the Interior. A complete set of six reports in stapled card covers, pp. 34 to 64, issued during the years of WWII, each for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1940 through 1945. That of 1942 is sub-titled "Condensed War Edition"; that of 1945 the "Victory Edition". United States Government Printing Office, Washington. Some sun-fading at extremities, Else Fine with small, discrete name stamp at top of front cover of each. Each report deals with a summary under such topics as Education, Indians, Health, Social Welfare, and various governmental departments, with notable themes after Pearl Harbour relating to transportation and war savings. The latter reflect the resources given to the Alaska Highway and the fear of Japanese invasion via the Aleutians. Each report also contains a series of recommendations. A notable and desirable resource. Ex library Norman J. Wilimovsky, author or editor of a number of works on Northern Studies, including the extensive study *Environment of the Cape Thompson Region* (1966). \$90

10. [Alaska] [Edmonds, H. M. W.] Ray, Dorothy Jean (Editor). The Eskimo of St Michael and Vicinity as Related by H. M. W. Edmonds. University of Alaska Press, 1966. Volume 13 Number 2 of the Anthropological Papers of the University of Alaska. Fine in card covers. 143 pp.; illustrated; map in text; references and index. Both parts of Edmonds' report following his work in Alaska in 1889-90 as part of J. Henry Turney's party. It is a comprehensive work, with photos of masks, spears, clothing and other artifacts, as well as a study of Eskimo life and culture. Uncommon. \$40

11. [Alaska] Murie, Olaus J. t/w Scheffer, Victor B. Fauna of the Aleutian Islands and Alaska Peninsula bound with Invertebrates and Fishes Collected in the Aleutians, 1936-38. Washington: U.S. Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, 1959. Octavo. Wrappers. Very Good Volume 61 of the North American Fauna Series. 406 pp.; 43 + 26 Illustrations; Literature and References cited for each study. The report was based on a biological survey done in 1936 and 1937, but remained unpublished prior to 1959. Despite the passage of time, still an important source of research material, and of greater interest in historical perspective in terms of the issues of ecology and changes in the presence and number of species

in the intervening years. Murie was a well-respected research biologist and author, *inter alia* of *A Naturalist in Alaska* (1961). Uncommon small correction broadside by Murie laid in (1960). Sun-faded edges to blue wrappers, and bumping at both corners. A clean copy in tight binding. [Arctic Bibl. 60374] [4288] \$20

12. Amor, Norman. Beyond the Arctic Circle. Materials on Arctic Explorations and Travels Since 1750 in the Special Collections and University Archives Division of the University of British Columbia Library. Occasional Publication No. 1, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, 1992. Stapled card covers; 36 pp, Illustrated. One of 500 copies, set in Goudy Old Style and Gill Sans by Glenn Wordsworth. Fine. \$10

13. Berton, Pierre. Klondike. The Last Great Gold Rush 1896-1899. McClelland & Stewart, Toronto, 1972. A Fine, *Signed* copy of the Revised Edition in VG+ dj. \$20

14. Bethune, W. C. Canada's Eastern Arctic: Its History, Resources, Population and Administration. Ottawa: J. O. Patenaude, 1934. 8vo - over 7¾" - 9¾" tall. Wraps. Very Good 166 pp., with fold-out map of the Eastern Arctic; staple bound card covers, with card affixed to the inside front cover: "Presented with the compliments of the Minister of the Interior..." Illustrations throughout, with appendices on "Zoological Collecting and Research" and "Brief Notes Respecting Places Indicated on the Accompanying Map". These 'brief notes' identify by name, latitude and longitude, each community shown on the map, but also detailed population Posts, Hudson's Bay Co. (1920); Revillon Freres Co. (1920)." This material, together with detailed descriptions of then extant flora, fauna and fish provide a remarkable research tool. [285] \$30

15. [Bibliography] Haskell, Daniel C. The United States Exploring Expedition, 1838-1842 and its Publications 1844-1874. Greenwood Press, New York, 1968; reprinting, with corrections and additions, that of the New York Public Library, 1942. Quarto in cloth; [xii] + 188 pp.; illustrations, index. The Wilkes Expedition spawned much interest and many publications. The present volumes documents 533 titles with proper bibliographic description. Gift inscription on ffep and staining from glue migration to the front hinge, Else Fine. \$35

16. [Bibliography] Malourie, M. Jean. Régions Polaires: Arctique. Extrait de la Bibliographie Géographique Internationale, T. 67, Paris, 1963; avec le concours du Centre D'Études Arctiques de L'École Pratique des Hautes Étdes. Stapled wraps; pp. 829-904; 649 titles listed. Ex libris Alaskan naturalist Norman J. Wilimovsky, with his signature and discreet name stamp on front cover. VG+. \$15

- 17. [Bibliography] Martin, James A. The Klondike Gold Rush: A Preliminary Bibliography.** Self-published, n.p., 1998, small octavo, cerlox-bound. Unpaginated alphabetical listing of hundreds of titles, with fourteen sources cited in the form of a useful bibliography; these include the multi-volume Arctic Bibliography, Edwards and Lort, Peel, Smith and Streeter. Uncommon. \$40
- 18. [Bibliography] Taylor, Andrew. British Parliamentary Papers on the Exploration of the Canadian North. Arctic Blue Books.** U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, 1959. Stapled card covers; 36 pp. Double column reprint from Vol. VIII of the *Arctic Bibliography*. A useful reference of titles 45212-45257 for those who cannot find/acquire the complete sixteen volumes! Fine. \$15
- 19. Breynat, Mgr. Gabriel, o.m.i. Cinquante Ans au Pays des Neiges. I Chez les Mangeurs de Caribou. II Voyageur du Christ. III L'Évêque volant.** FIDES, Montreal, 1947-8. Three volumes complete, in pictorial card covers. The autobiography of this Oblate in the Mackenzie region from 1892-1943. pp. 347, 372 and 400; photos. Ex-library with stamps in each volume; properly deaccessioned. Unmarked copies; some leaves uncut. \$60
- 20. Douglas, M. The White North: With Nordenskiöld, De Long, and Nansen.** Thomas Nelson and Sons, London, 1899. 237 + [2, advs.] pp.; Frontispiece and 13 other illustrations, including 2 maps. 12mo., decorated blue cloth; contemporary bookplate of ffep; presentation bookplate from Plumbley Wesleyan Sunday School date 'Christmas 1898' on fpd. A VG, handsome copy overall. From the Author's Note: "In offering 'The White North' to the British public, the writer desires to express a sincere hope that some at least may be sufficiently interested in the story of Nordenskiöld, De Long, and Nansen, to seek fuller information concerning their doings in their own records, 'The Voyage of the *Vega*', 'The Voyage of the *Jeannette*' and 'Farthest North,' wherein all that they did and suffered in the cause of science is fully set forth." \$40
- 21. Hayes, Isaac I. . The Open Polar Sea: A Narrative of a Voyage of Discovery Towards the North Pole in the Schooner "United States". .** New York: Hurd & Houghton, 1867. First Edition. Octavo. Cloth. Very Good + [xxiv] + 454 pp. Frontis port. with tissue guard; three single-page maps and engraved plates all present as called for; tail pieces; gilt Husky on front boards; gilt walrus on spine; green pebbled cloth. Dr. Hayes was the Surgeon on board the *Advance* with Elisha Kent Kane's Arctic expedition of 1853. His own expedition here recounted describes, amongst other matters, wintering at Port Foulke, the death of Sonntag, and journeys by sledge along the coast of Ellesmere Island and Greenland. [Arctic Bibliog. 6795; Murdock [sic], *Ethnographic Bibliography of North America*, 3rd p.23] (For an excellent source of material on the early exploration of the Arctic, see Hayes, *Historical Atlas of the Arctic*.) A bright copy; front hinge starting but still firm; brief pen notation and single letter in light pencil on the front

free endpaper. Light staining at top of gutter not affecting legibility of text. Overall VG+: a desirable copy of an uncommon title. [4219] \$180

22. [Hood, Robert] Houston, C. Stuart (Ed.). To the Arctic by Canoe 1819-1821: The Journal and Paintings of Robert Hood: Midshipman with Franklin. The Arctic Institute of North America and McGill-Queen's University Press, Montreal and London, 1974. Buckram with canoe motif on front boards; Quarto; [xxxv] + 217 pp.; 5 maps, introductory material, bibliography and Index; 24 colour plates of Hood's paintings. F/VG+. "They encountered every hardship and hazard during their two-year mission, a mission which culminated, almost inevitably, in the loss of many lives." Hood was one of those who died. \$40

23. Kane, Elisha Kent. The Far North: Explorations in the Arctic Regions. William P. Nimmo, Edinburgh; n.d. [1866]. 228 pp. + advts.; frontispiece; all edges gilt; original publisher's cloth, octodecimo (6.25"); decorated in blind on back cover; blind in gilt on front. Presentation book plate on front paste-down dated 1867 from Whittington College, London. Damp staining to top corner of frontis and title page; moderate foxing to the last two leaves of advts.; a Very Good copy overall. Kane's first-hand account of the Second *Grinnell* Expedition in search of Sir John Franklin. \$40

24. Laughlin, William S. Generic Problems and New Evidence in the Anthropology of the Eskimo-Aleut Stock. Arctic Institute of North America, n.p.; reprint of Technical Paper No. 11, December, 1962. pp. 100-181, staple-bound octavo. Previous owner name on front wrappers and top margin, p. 101; 4-digit number top of front wrapper; Near Fine overall. Academic study of the apparent dichotomy between Eskimos and Indians. "Linguistic, biological, and archaeological evidence suggest the origin and early residence of the proto-Eskimo-Aleut stock, with recognizable Eskimo culture, in southern Alaska, within the Kahemak-Kodiak-Umnak-Kuskokwim quadrangle, and the separation of these people in the same area." Extensive bibliography (References). Uncommon. \$30

25. Low, A. P. Rapport de L'Expédition du Gouvernement du Canada à la Baie D'Hudson et aux Iles Arctiques à bord du Navire du Gouvernement du Canada "Le Neptune" 1903-1904. Traduit de l'anglais par Marc Sauvalle. Imprimerie Nationale, Ottawa, 1912. [xv] + 345 pp.; b&w photo illustrations throughout; colour folded map in pocket, rear paste-down endpaper, with approx. dimensions 29.75" x 39". Green cloth with titles and image of the *Neptune* in gilt on front cover. Near Fine, with very light speckling to front boards. Scientific reports on various regions of the Arctic, as well as on whaling, geology and Eskimos. Apart from these investigations, the voyage was commissioned to evidence Canada's claims to the Arctic, and thus there is also an historical review of northern journeys. An important work; scarce in this French translation, and in such condition. \$150

26. Margetts, M.D., Edward L. Canada. Indian and Eskimo Medicine, with Notes on the Early History of Psychiatry Among French and British Colonists. Stapled wrappers, 12mo.; reprint from *World History of Psychiatry* (1975), pp. [400] – 431, bibliography of 100 titles and with relevant excerpt from p. (xxiv) tipped in verso rear wraps. Margetts was Professor of Psychiatry and Lecturer in the History of Medicine, University of British Columbia. \$20

27. Mikkelsen, Ejnar. Mirage in the Arctic. Rupert Hart-Davis, London, 1955. 216 pp.; illustrated (1 map); frontis port.; First British Edition. Translated from the Danish by Maurice Michael, this is the well-told account of Mikkelsen's expedition in 1907 to find an island in the Beaufort Sea north of Alaska, referred to in various journals as 'Keenan Land'. In a boat purchased in Vancouver, and with a hired crew of four, he set out, wintering with an Eskimo colony, and culminating in a solo 2,500 mile sledge journey. "The dogs are frightened, halt abruptly at narrow leads which they could jump with ease, and which at any moment may suddenly become too wide for them to pass." (p. 85) Very Good in Good dustjacket, the latter - now in a protective mylar sleeve - with small chips near the spine, short closed tears and edge wear. Small bookseller stamp on fpd; fading to blue cloth below chips, else a clean copy in tight binding. Mikkelsen returned to the North, recounting the story of the Alabam Expedition, 1909-1912, in *Lost in the Arctic* (London, 1913). \$30

28. Minter, Roy. The White Pass: Gateway to the Klondike. McClelland & Stewart, Toronto, 1987. [xii] + 13-394 pp.; maps, ill., bibliography, notes and index. Foreword by Pierre Berton. F/F. \$15

29. Muller, Fritz et al. Jacobsen-McGill Arctic Research Expedition 1959-1962. Preliminary Report 1961-1962 t/w Axel Heiberg Island, Canadian Arctic Archipelago, Map Supplement. McGill University, Montreal, 1963. Quarto in stiff card covers; [xiv] + 241 pp.; illustrations, tables, charts and maps throughout the text. Material garnered in the course of the expedition on Glaciology, Geophysics, Meteorology, Climatology, Geology, Geomorphology, Botany, Zoology, and Permafrost. All six loose, fold-out maps present in the second slip-case volume: Expedition Area; Thompson Glacier Region; White Glacier; Thompson Glacier Snout; and geological maps of the Expedition Area and of Central Western Axel-Heiberg Island. "For a comprehensive research programme in an unknown are accurate and relatively large-scale maps are a prerequisite." (p. iii). Maps Fine; Text Near Fine with light bumping of the bottom corner. Important research material not only for the time but perhaps more so in historical perspective. \$80

30. Nansen, Fridtjof. Farthest North: being the Record of a Voyage of Exploration of the Ship *Fram*, 1893-96, and of a Fifteen Months' Sleigh Journey by Dr. Nansen and Lieut. Johansen with an Appendix by Otto Sverdrup Captain of the *Fram*. Macmillan, London, 1897, Colonial Library Edition; 12 mo., 2 Volumes, cloth over boards; folded map. 351 and 471

pp. Previous owner name in fine pen, dated 1897, on ffep of first volume; front hinge of second volume tender. VG- overall. \$45

31. [Numismatics] Hill, Leslie C. and Scott A. Simpson. Yukon Numismatica. Self-published, White Rock, B.C., 1990, 128 pp.; illustrated throughout. Superb reference on Trade Tokens, Card Money, Wooden Money, Medals and Trade Dollars. Fine. \$20

32. Ostenko, N. A. (Editor). Problems of the Arctic and Antarctic. Collection of Articles No. 11 (Original: Russian). Arctic and Antarctic Research Institute, Ministry of the Navy, USSR., Leningrad 1962. Translation into English published by The Arctic Institute of North America, University of Wisconsin, 1966. Blue card covers; sun-faded spine, Else Fine with single broadside pub's advt. laid in. 14 contributions together with 'References', the latter being an 'abridged list of Soviet Literature on Arctic Basin Research by High-Latitude Expeditions and Drifting Stations (1937-1962). Topics include Tectonic Features of the Arctic Basin; Atmospheric Investigations; Variations in the Arctic Magnetic Field, and Melting Snow and Ice in the Central Arctic, *inter alia*. \$30

33. Roberts, Helen H. and D. Jenness. Report of the Canadian Arctic Expedition 1913-18: Volume XIV: Eskimo Songs: Songs of the Copper Eskimos. Southern Party - 1913-16. Ottawa: F. A. Acland, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1925. Royal Octavo. Cloth. Near Fine 506 pp., including errata; frontis; Preface and Introduction by Diamond Jenness and an Introductory Section on 'Music of Songs' by Helen Roberts. This study collects Dance Songs from the Copper Eskimos and from surrounding regions: Mackenzie River, Inland Hudson Bay, and Point Hope, Alaska. Different versions of the same song are identified in a separate chapter (pp. 403 ff.). The material provides a transliteration of the song, thereby preserving the original cadence, a translation and a musical score. The latter is augmented by a musical analysis of tonality. Green buckram with gilt titles and arctic map on front boards; minor edgewear at the extremities; clean internally in tight binding. Uncommon in clothbound editions. [Hand, R. 'A Bookman's Guide to the Indians of the Americas', #168, listing only the edition in wrappers; Murdock, 'Ethnographic Bibliography of North America', 3rd Ed. p. 12.] [4041] \$140

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35. Sovereign, The Rt. Rev. A(urthur) H(enry). "In Journeyings Often": Glimpses of The Life of Bishop Bompas. Toronto: The Church of England in Canada, 19 c.m.. Stapled Card Covers. Very Good n.d. (but circa 1930-1940?) 24 pp.; frontis port. and 6 illustrations in text; short bibliography. This booklet by the then Bishop of Athabasca for the 'Church of England in Canada' documents the service in the North by Bishop William Carpenter Bompas in the late 19th Century - (1834-1906). Bompas was consecrated the First Bishop of Athabasca in 1874, of Mackenzie River in 1884, and of the Yukon in 1891. This does not appear to be one of the "series pamphlets published beginning in 1925" on the "history of missions in the Athabasca, Peace, and Mackenzie River valleys" referenced in Peele (3rd) #5418, as it varies in size and pagination, and does not include the referenced notation "Popular Information Series". There is light staining to 2 leaves, and to the bottom margin of 4 others; else a clean copy in tight, stapled binding. Further material on the author, (d. 1966), can be accessed in 'Canadian Who's Who, 1964-1966. Uncommon. [3410] \$25

36. Wilkins, Captain George H. Flying the Arctic. Grosset & Dunlap, New York, 1929. [xiv] + 336 pp., 15 illustrations including frontis port.; reprint of the first, Putnam's, edition (1928). A sound, VG- copy, previous owner gift inscription on first blank, in uncommon but Poor, mylar-protected dj. "It was pointed out by Vilhjalmur Stefansson that we might . . . demonstrated to the world the advantage and practicality of trans-arctic transportation. . ." (p. viii). \$30

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40. Brininstool, E. A. Troopers with Custer. Historic Instances of the Battle of Little Big Horn. The Stackpole Co., Harrisburg, 1952. NF/VG, with p.o.n. and bookseller's ticket on ffep. 348 pp.; illustrated. This is a revised and much-expanded edition of that of 1925 (Columbus). Brininstool was a life-long student and prolific author of the history of the American West. Includes eyewitness reports and a discussion of disputed questions. \$20

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42. Carroll, John Alexander. (Editor). Reflections of Western Historians. University of Arizona, Tucson, 1967. Fine/Near Fine. 314 pp. collecting the papers presented at the 7th Annual Conference of the Western History Association. Articles include 'Spanish Scientists in the Pacific Northwest 1790-1792'; The Passage to India Revisited: Asian Trade and the Far West 1859=0-1900'; Juan Bodega Y Quadra and the Spanish Retreat from Nootka'; and 'The Company-Owned Mining Town in the West'. \$15

43. Collison, William Henry (Charles Lillard, Ed.). In the Wake of the War Canoe: a stirring record of forty years' successful labour, peril and adventure amongst the savage Indian tribes of the pacific coast, and the piratical head-hunting Haida of the Queen Charlotte Islands, British Columbia. Victoria: Sono Nis Press, 1981. 8vo. Cloth. Fine / Fine. xiii, 253 pp., illustrated, with glossary, Bibliography and Index. This edited edition of Archdeacon Collison's original of 1915 [? - c.f. Lowther 1623, Smith 1902], is, together with the annotations of Lillard, a much more useful and readable version of these early memoirs of the first missionary to the Haida of the Queen Charlotte Islands. \$30

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48. Horsford, Eben Norton. The Indian Names of Boston and Their Meaning. Read before the New England Historic Genealogical Society, November 4, 1885. John Wilson & Son, Cambridge, University Press, 1886. Quarto (12" x 11") in tan card covers; 26 pp. (several uncut); maps (including a reproduction of a portion of the map of New England from Captain John Smith's foundational work, *The Generall Historie of Virginia*. Short tear of cover at the base of the spine, Else Fine. Scarce. [Not in Howes, which lists only Horsford's *John Cabot's landfall in 1497, and the site of Norumbega*. 1886, H651]. \$110

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50. Howay, Judge F. W. A List of Trading Vessels in the Maritime Fur Trade, 1820-1825. The Royal Society of Canada, Ottawa, 1934. Reprinted from *The Proceedings of the Royal Society of Canada, Third Series, Section II, Volume XXVII*. In stapled card covers; pp. [11]-49. Fine. \$25

51. Johnson, Broderick H. (Editor). Navajo Stories of the Long Walk Period. ill. Raymond Johnson and Teddy Draper. Tsalie, Navajo Nation, Arizona: Navajo Community College Press, 1973. Second Edition. Octavo. Pictorial Cloth. Fine [xxii] + 23-272 pp.; line drawings and photographs; map endpapers; p.o. name on front paste-down, Else Very Fine and uncommon in this condition. This collection of oral history and tradition was collected and translated by Navajos, often from Elders who have long-since passed on. Each of forty chapters contributed by a different member of the nation, with a preliminary brief biographical description. Without dj, as issued. [4291] \$44.00

52. Kroeber, Theodora. Ishi: in two worlds. A Biography of the Last Wild Indian in North America. University of California Press, Berkeley & Los Angeles; 1961, with a Foreword by Lewis Gannett. 255 pp.; photographs and frontis port. Previous owner name stamp on front paste-down, Else Fine in VG dustwrapper with sun-faded spine. In Canada, James Howley wrote of the extermination of the Beothucks of Newfoundland, and gave shelter to a woman who was the last surviving member of that tribe until her death in 1829. In the United States, his counterpart was Theodora documented in this work the life and death of the lone survivor of the Yahi. "Ishi stumbled into the twentieth century on the morning of August 29, 1911, when, desperate with hunger and in terror of the white murderers of his family, he was found in the corral of a slaughter house near Oroville, California." He was eventually cared for, and protected by, the staff of the University of California's Museum of Anthropology. An important and uncommon work. \$40

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54. Laroche-Héron, C. de Les Servantes de Dieu en Canada. Essai sur L'Histoire des Coommunautés Religieuses de Femmes de la Province. Édition Revue, Corrigée, Augmentée et Spécialement Préparée pour le Canada. Des Presses a Vapeur de John Lovell, Montréal, 1855. First edition with original wraps, including uncommon green title page dated 1853, bound in blue marbled paper with light chipping and rubbing at the edges over cloth; [viii] + [9] - 153 + [1, errata] pp. Vignettes at the head of each chapter, with identification and a full description in appendices (p. 150 ff.). Historical material includes 'Hôpital-Général de Montréal', 'Ursulines de Trois-Rivières', and 'Les Dames de Lorette'. Some chipping at both corners in the later pages, without loss. Conservatively VG+ overall. [TPL 3538] \$90

55. Lofgren, Svante E. Barth Ar-kell (The White Bear). Publications Press, Seattle, 1949, First Edition. 208 pp.; 20 illustrations, including frontis port. and 1 map; map on both front and rear paste-downs; p.o.n. stamp and small plate of ffep, Else Near Fine in price-clipped, VG-dustwrapper, now in mylar sleeve. The biography of Karl Olof Arickson, pioneer to the Olympic Peninsula who operated a trading post there and became a true friend of the Indians in the area. Uncommon. \$35

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57. McNitt, Frank. Navajo Wars: Military Campaigns, Slave Raids and Reprisals. The University of New Mexico Press, 1972, *First Edition*. [xii] + 477 pp.; extensive bibliography, index, illustrations, map endpapers. The definitive study from the time of the first Spanish contact. Fine/- . \$50

58. Mitchell, Frank. (Charlotte J. Frisbie and David P. McAllester, editors). Navajo Blessingway Singer: The Autobiogrpahy of Frank Mitchell 1881-1967. Tucson: University of Arizona Press, 1978. Octavo. Soft Cover. Very Good + [x] + 446 pp.; illustrated; extensive References and Index. Light 'reading creases' to the front cover, else a clean, unmarked copy in tight binding; sun-faded spine. "Not only does Mitchell give a detailed version of the structure, performance and uses of the Blessingway, but speaks descriptively of other ceremonies performed for himself and family members." Rare in cloth, but uncommon in this condition even in this softcover edition. An important reference work of Navajo history and faith. [4292]
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59. Moziño, José Mariano. Noticias de Nutka: An Account of Nootka Sound in 1792.

Translated and edited by Iris H. Wilson Engstrand. Foreword by Richard Inglis. McClelland & Stewart, Toronto, 1970; [liv], [2] & 3-142 pp.; double-page map prelim., illustrated, Bibliography and Index. "This volume, long out-of-print, is now reissued in a new edition with the approval and support of the hereditary chiefs and elders of the Mowachaht...Included are Moziño's catalogue of flora and fauna, his dictionary of the Nootka language, and reproductions of the drawings made by Atanasio Echeverria, the artist who accompanied the expedition." This printing is itself now out-of-print. Price clipped dj, bookplate opp. title page, Else Fine. \$30

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European vessel to sail the waters of Vancouver Harbour. City Archives, Vancouver, 1968. Staple-bound in wrappers; [12] pp.; illustrated. Fine. A fine example of the increasingly scarce publications done by the Archives during the 'reign' of Major Matthews. In 1791 a Spanish goleta, the *Santa Saturnina*, under the command of Don Jose Maria Narvaez entered Burrard Inlet a year before the arrival of Captain George Vancouver. \$20

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