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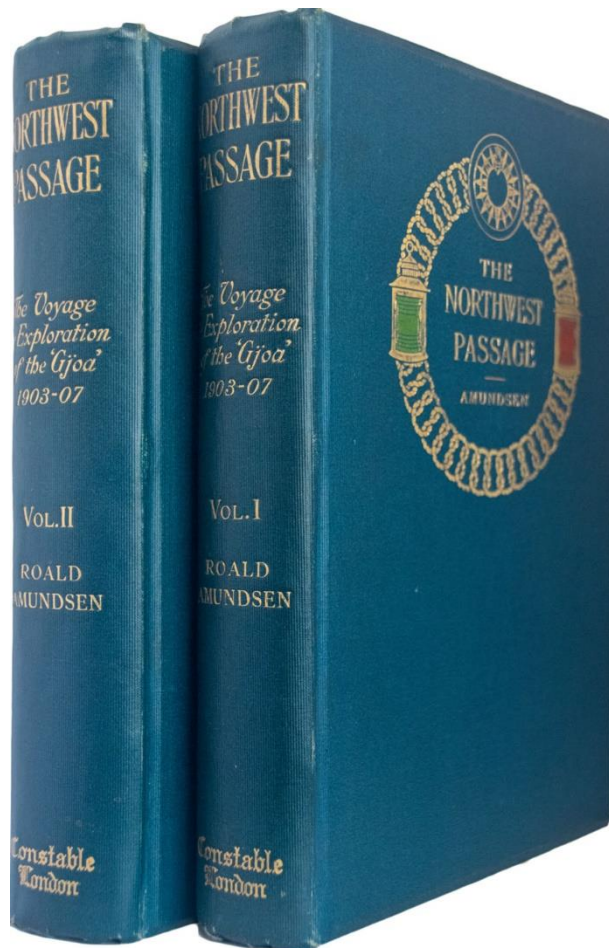
VICTORIA HEADLAND, MOUTH OF THE TILLEW-EE-CHO-DE-ZETSI.

First to Navigate the Northwest Passage - The First Edition

## 1. AMUNDSEN, Roald

"The North West Passage". Being the Record of a Voyage of Exploration of the Ship "Gjoa" 1903-1907, by Roald Amundsen with a Supplement by First Lieutenant Hansen, Vice-Commander of the Expedition. With about one hundred and thirty-nine illustrations and three maps. London. Archibald Constable and Company. 1908. 23cm, the First Edition, in 2 volumes, xiii,335 & ix,397pp., with two gravure frontis plates (portrait & ships), and 237 plates and illustrations, 3 maps (2 folding in rear pocket), original gilt stamped and decorated dark green cloth, bevelled boards, top edges gilt, complete with half titles, wanting the front blank free fly in both volumes, some slight unobtrusive foxing on the preliminary leaves, a fine bright set

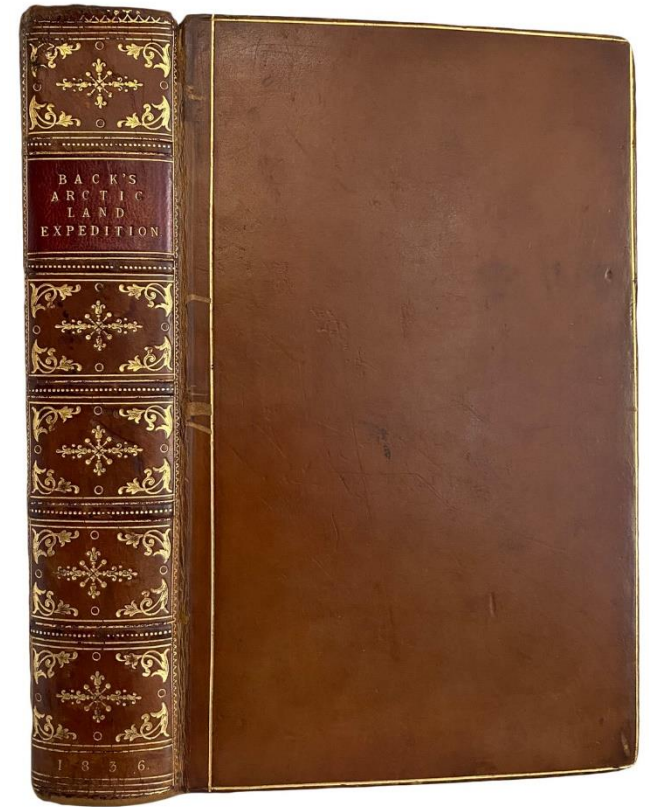
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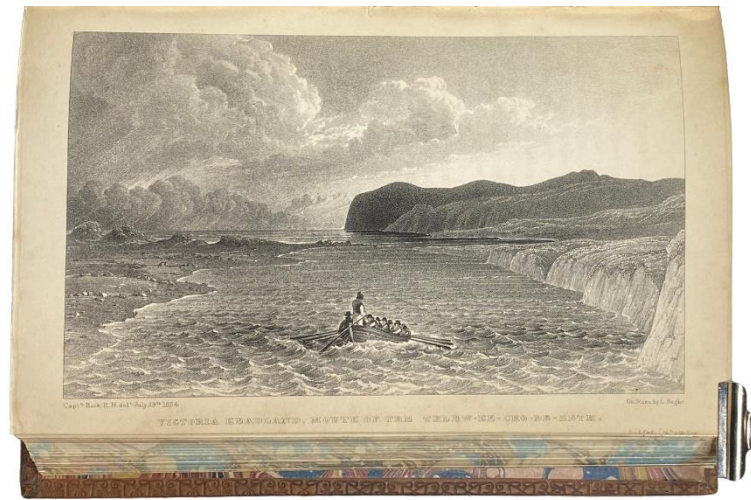
Cooke p299. A.B. 402. Narrative of the first expedition to navigate the Northwest Passage in a single vessel, the expedition that brought Amundsen to prominence as a polar explorer. In 1901 he gave up the idea of medicine and decided to become an explorer. After several months in Hamburg studying the science of terrestrial magnetism, he purchased an old ship, the Gjoa, 70ft long and thirty years old. He put in a 14 hp engine; then, with six dogs and enough provisions on board, he got underway with a crew of six on 17 June, 1903. His aim was to find the North-West Passage which had been sought in vain since the time of John Cabot. In September, he crossed Peel Sound and anchored in a sheltered bay on King William Island. Eskimos came up to him who knew of the existence of white men by oral tradition only. Seventy-two years earlier, James Ross, had sailed in these regions with Parry. Amundsen bought tooth and bone necklaces and clothes which later enriched the Oslo museum. He also spent two winters learning about the Eskimo way of life. In Oct. 1905, he set out again for the North-West Passage. On August 30th the Gjoa entered the Nome roadstead. For the first time in world history a ship sailing north of America had found a way from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

## 2. BACK, Capt. [George]

Narrative of the Arctic Land Expedition to the Mouth of the Great Fish River, and Along the Shores of the Arctic Ocean, in the Years 1833, 1834, and 1835. London. John Murray. **1836**. 8vo, 21.5cm, The First Edition, x,[1], (Directions to the Binder), 663,[1]p., with engraved folding map, 7 lithographed plates and 9 engraved plates and 8 wood-engraved text illustrations, in contemporary full brown calf, gilt decorated raised bands, gilt centre and corner decorations in the panels including gilt rule borders, crushed crimson morocco label, gilt ruled border on the boards, gilt roll decorations on the edges, blind decorated inner dentelles, matched marbled endpapers and edges, With the engraved armorial bookplate of "Henry Fowler Broadwood", a few plates have some slight foxing or transfer but overall less than the usual foxing or transfer one expects on the title, a relatively clean copy in attractive antique binding 1750.00



Hill 42. A.B. 851. T.P.L. 477. Lande 935. Sabin 2613. Wagner- Camp 58b:1. Streeter 3705. WCB 58b:2. Field 63. - Back, who had been on both Franklin expeditions, was sent out to locate Ross, who had been unreported through three winters. News of Ross's safe return reached Back in April 1833 and he then pursued the expedition's secondary objectives. These were, firstly, to navigate the length of a river supposedly arising in the neighbourhood of the Great Slave Lake and running north to the Arctic Sea, and then, secondly, to map as much as possible of



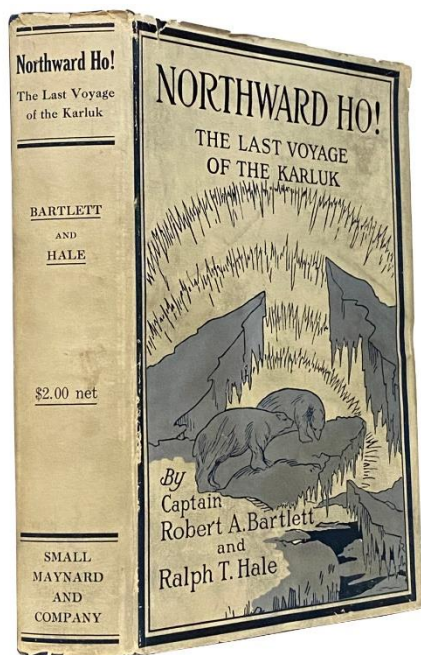
the sea-coast. He was successful in both objectives, travelling 7,500 miles in total and traversing the full 440-mile length of the river (known as Thluetessy' by the First Nations). The Great Fish River, as Back named it, has since become known as The Back River. Back discusses in some detail the dealings with the Indian tribes he met along the way, and their dependency upon these natives, especially during the winter. "A fundamental source of information about Indian life along the route of the Arctic expedition." - (Streeter) It was on this expedition of 7,500 miles that Back discovered and named Montreal Island, after the city which had given him such a tumultuous farewell.



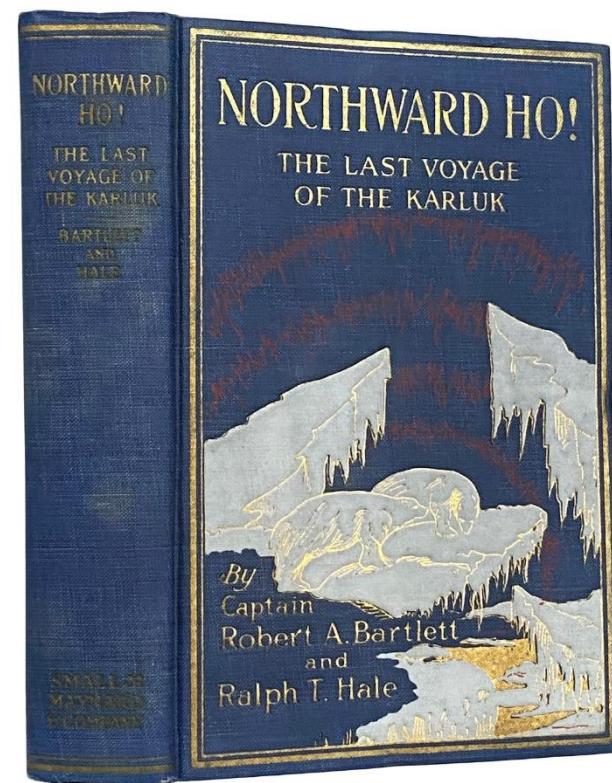
### 3. BARTLETT, Robert A. & Ralph T. Hale

Northward Ho! The Last Voyage of the Karluk. Boston. Small, Maynard & Co. 1919. 8vo, 21cm, first edition, 2nd impression, [x], 329p., with 26 plate illustrations & maps, original pictorial decorated blue cloth, brilliant colour cover illustrations stamped in gilt, red, and white outlined in gilt, spine titles are somewhat faded and there are a few light fade marks, binding and text block are otherwise in fine sound condition, the jacket is slightly faded along the top edge, some occasional wear on the spine edges and is slight dust worn, the jacket is white with silver block infill colour and with titles and illustrations stamped in dark blue, these days any copy in a complete jacket is rare 400.00

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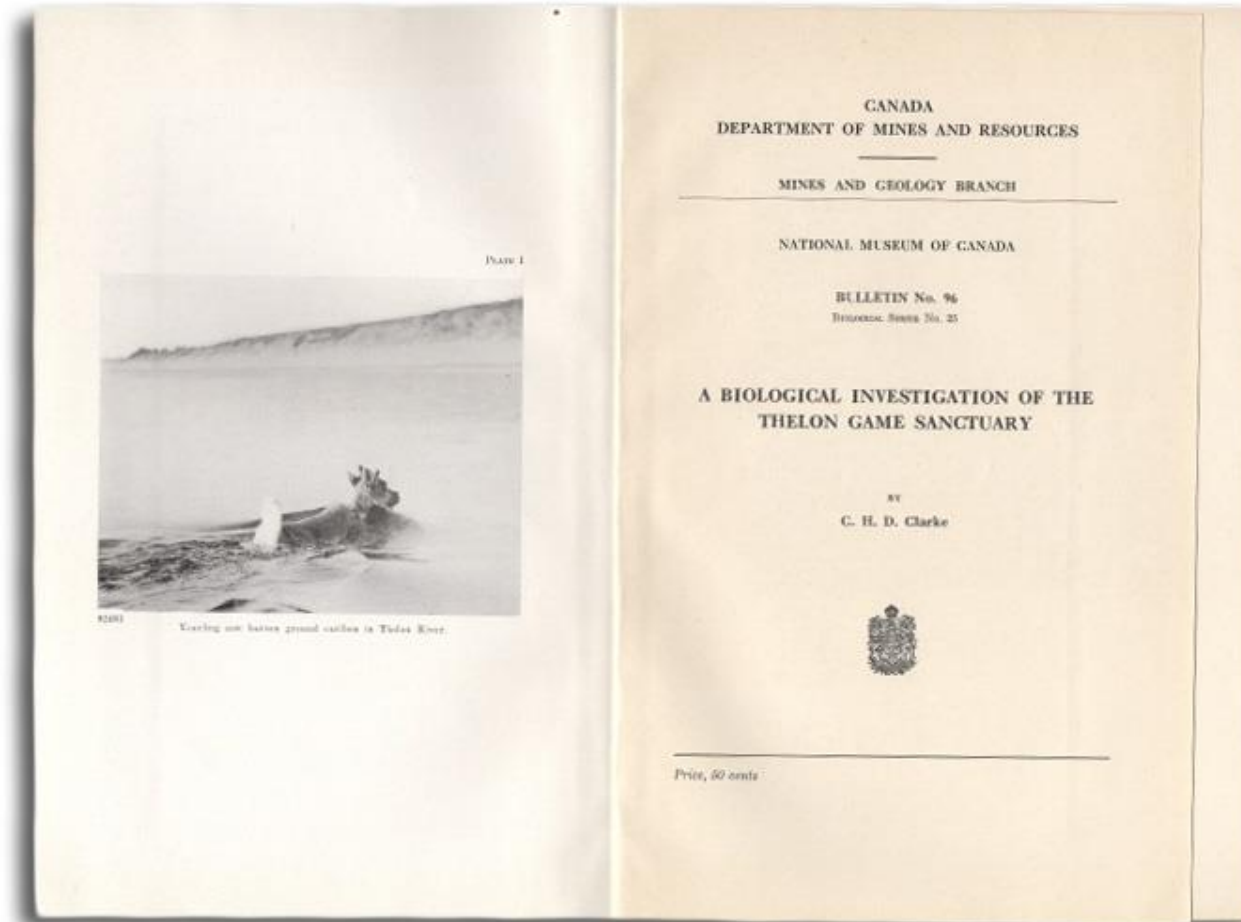


The flagship of Stefansson's Canadian Arctic Expedition 1913; eleven of her crew of twenty-two perished on her last voyage. A.B. 1112. An account of the voyage and drift, July 1913 - Jan. 1914, in the Beaufort and Chukchi Seas; the loss Karluk, dog sled journey across the ice to Wrangell Island, thence to the Siberian coast, and the rescue of the survivors.



#### 4. CLARKE, C.H.D.

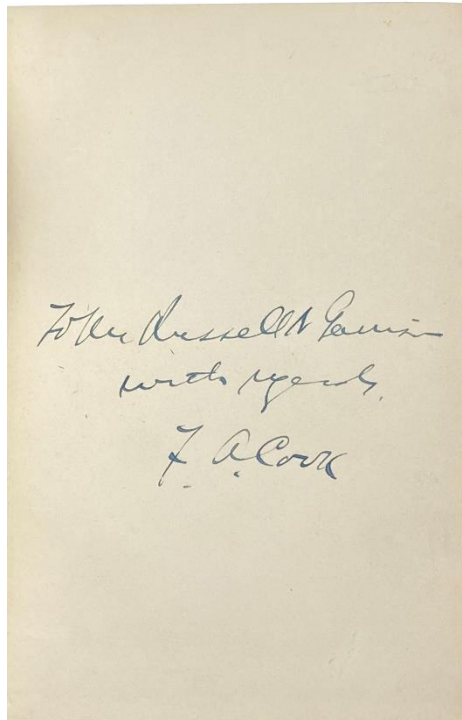
A Biological Investigation of the Thelon Game Sanctuary. Ottawa. National Museum, Bull 96. 1940. 25cm, 135p. with 25 illustrations and 4 folding maps, bibliography, printed wraps, fine condition 65.00



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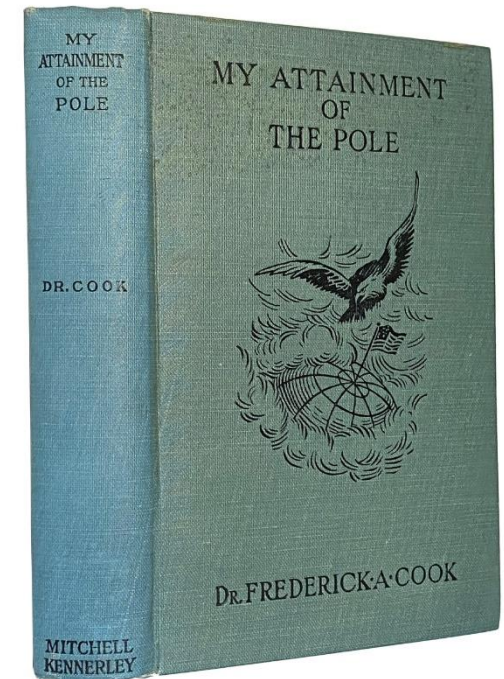
## 5. COOK, Frederick A.

My Attainment of the Pole. Being the Record of the Expedition that First Reached the Boreal Center, 1907 - 1909. With the Final Summary of the Polar Controversy. New York & London. Mitchell Kennerley. 1913. 19.5cm, third printing, (60th Thousand), xx,610,[viii & ii]p., (index & 2p ads for the author's books) with 31 plates and illustrations from photographs, light blue-grey cloth, spine and cover titles stamped in black, a fine copy, Author's Signed Presentation Copy to "... with regards, F.A. Cook, 250.00



To Mr. Russell L. Lamm  
with regards,  
F. A. Cook

A.B. 3389. The author describes his journey across Ellesmere Island to Axel Heiberg and northwards, as he claims, to the Pole; also included are chapters on the Inuit and their customs, the ice and snow conditions, and a new design for a sleigh, as well as a lengthy discussion regarding the controversy over his Polar claims.



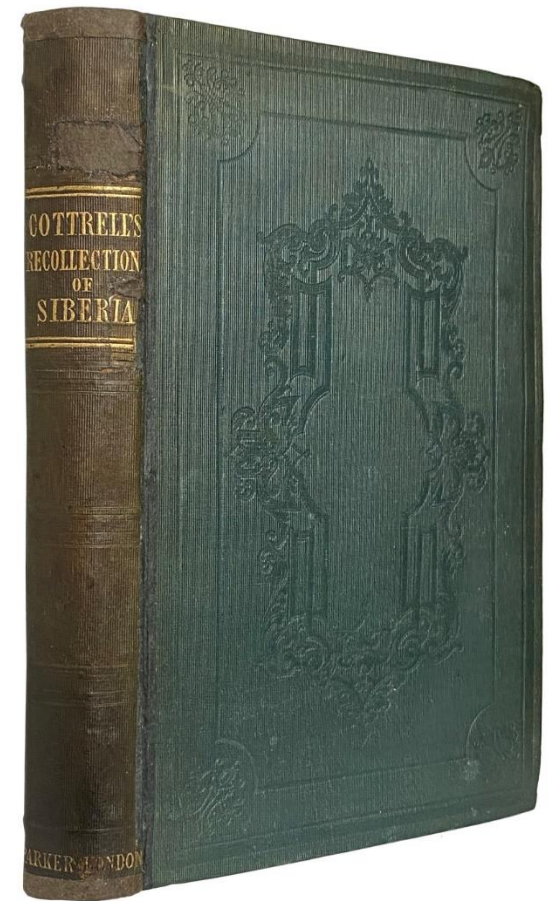
## 6. COTTRELL, Charles Herbert.

Recollections of Siberia, In The Years 1840 and 1841. London. John W. Parker. **1842.**

8vo, 22cm, The First Edition, xii, 410p., (errata leaf), WANTING the folding map, in original blind-stamped blue green cloth, expertly restored, sound and clean, very good copy

175.00

Nerhood #219. "British businessman on tour from Moscow to Irkutsk and back to St. Petersburg, 1840-41, presents Siberia as low in refinement but high in hospitality. The exiles, whom he met and described near Lake Baikal, thought him very eccentric." Nerhood does not mention the map, however most copies do have a map. Subjects include Roads, Russian Officials, Frontier, Mines, Roguery of Traders, The Mammoth, Snow Storm, Gold, Rivers, Capital Punishment, Budism, Trade with China, ...





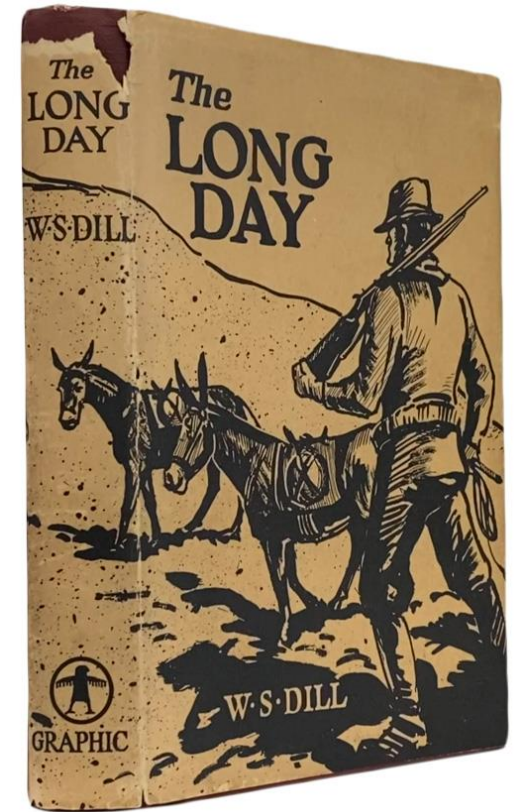
## 7. DILL, W.S.

The Long Day. Reminiscences of the Yukon. Ottawa. The Graphic Press. 1926. 12mo, 19cm, 232p., marron cross grain cloth, gilt titles, thunder & illustrations on the spine and cover, cover, jacket and endpapers by Alan B. Beddoe, in full jacket chipped at the top spine edge otherwise very good to fine jacket, rather difficult to find in a jacket

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A.B. 3964. "About Dawson and the Gold Rush days". Antmann. Contributions Dictionary Canadian Pseudonyms... 1972. Indicating Madge MacBeth / Hamilton Lyons.

Allan Beddoe was the first collector scholar we met in 1969 . He had a serious collection of Heraldry Books including many 17th and 18th century and many 4to and folios. See Colin Macdonald, DCA. v1-pp33-34.



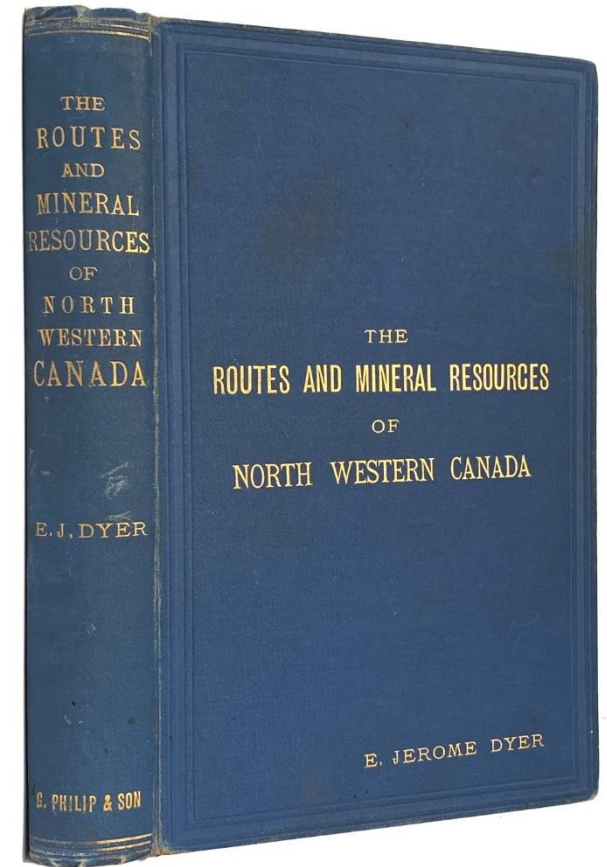
The Best Description of the Gold Fields of Canada and How to Reach Them

## 8. DYER, E. Jerome

The Routes and Mineral Resources of North Western Canada. London & Liverpool.

George Philip & Son. **1898**. 8vo., 21.5cm, xx,268p., with 3 maps (colour folding frontis map & large rear colour folding map, blue cloth, gilt spine and cover titles, text slight toned and some slight edge wear, a very good copy, very rare 750.00

Hardcover. Condition: Good. First edition. 268 p. Three maps, including the folding frontispiece. The so-called "cheap edition" of this Klondike Gold Rush guidebook, also published as The Routes and Mineral Resources of North Western Canada (1898). Dyer, the Honorary Secretary of the Incorporated London Chamber of Mines, describes not only the principal means of reaching the Upper Yukon Country, but also "the resources, chief waterways, routes and distances around and throughout the far Northern Dominion, and more particularly of the Yukon-Mackenzie Country and the means of access to that region." Includes a wealth of information on the would-be prospectors, from dog-trains and reindeer transport to Klondike market prices in July 1897. Octavo. Original yellow cloth binding, with black titles. The contents are toned. Minor damp stain to the top edge and the top corners of the boards. Some general soiling and minor shelfwear to the boards. Scarce.

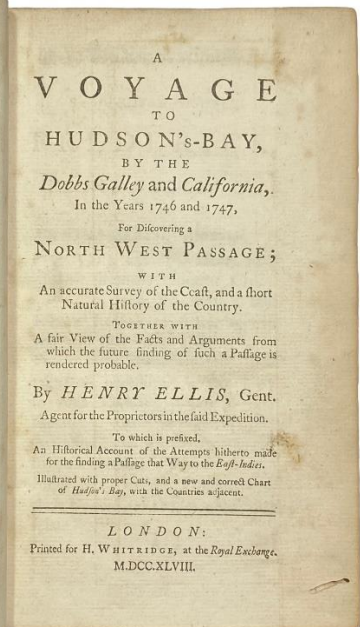
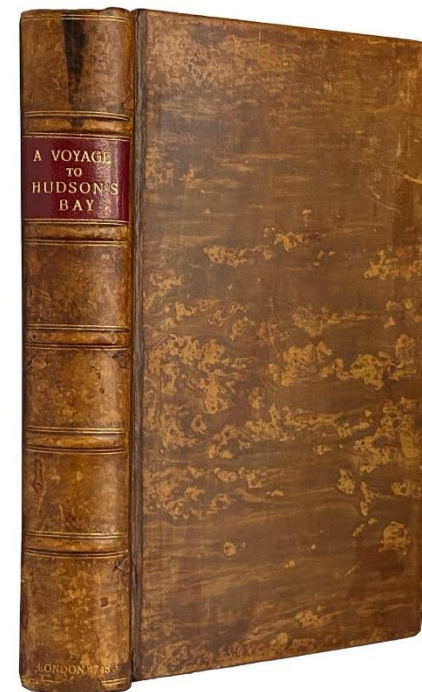


## 9. ELLIS, Henry

A Voyage to Hudson's-Bay, by the Dobbs Galley and California, in the Years 1746 and 1747, for discovering a North West Passage; with An Accurate Survey of the Coast, and a short Natural History of the Country. Together with A Fair View of the Facts and Arguments from which the future finding of such a Passage is rendered probable. London. Printed for H. Whitridge. **1748**. 8vo. 20cm, The First Edition, xxviii,336p., with engraved folding frontis map, and 9 engraved plates (including 5 folding), in contemporary full tree calf, gilt double ruled real raised bands, gilt inner dentelles, crushed morocco dark crimson label, hinges expertly restored, wormed on the front bottom margin, not affecting the text, to B1, generally fine condition clean copy without foxing or staining to the text and plates, scarce in this condition 2,000.00

T.P.L 207. Lane 1161. Sabin 22312. Hill p94.

Ellis served as hydrographer, surveyor & mineralogist on the expedition under Capt. William Moor sent to discover the Northwest passage in 1746. The expedition proved decisively that no such passage from Hudson's Bay existed & contributed to a lapse of British interest in the subject until 1816. Ellis' work provided interesting & valuable information about the customs of the then relatively unknown Esquimaux, observations on the tides, and the 'vagaries of the compass'. Plates depict natural history subjects, Eskimo costume & customs, and views.



"Ellis went as proprietors' agent and scientific specialist with a two ship expedition commissioned to find the Northwest Passage, a hundred years after James' conclusion that such a search was pointless. Ellis' descriptions aroused James Isham to a hostile response, not published until much later (1949)". Waterston p9.

Ellis lost favour with Sir Joseph Banks and the Admiralty by publishing this account of Cook's last voyage two years before the official version appeared. His title of "assistant surgeon" seems to have been an invention (NMM); his actual rank was surgeon's mate, and he assumed the duties as naturalist after the death of Anderson. His account is valuable particularly for the fine engraved plates, "among the earliest published on the Hawaiian Islands, Alaska, and the North-West" (Hill). A German translation of this work quickly appeared in 1783. Lacking advancement in England, Ellis was about to undertake an expedition for Sweden when he was killed in an accident in 1785. - Sources: Du Rietz, Hill, Lada, NMM, Strathern.



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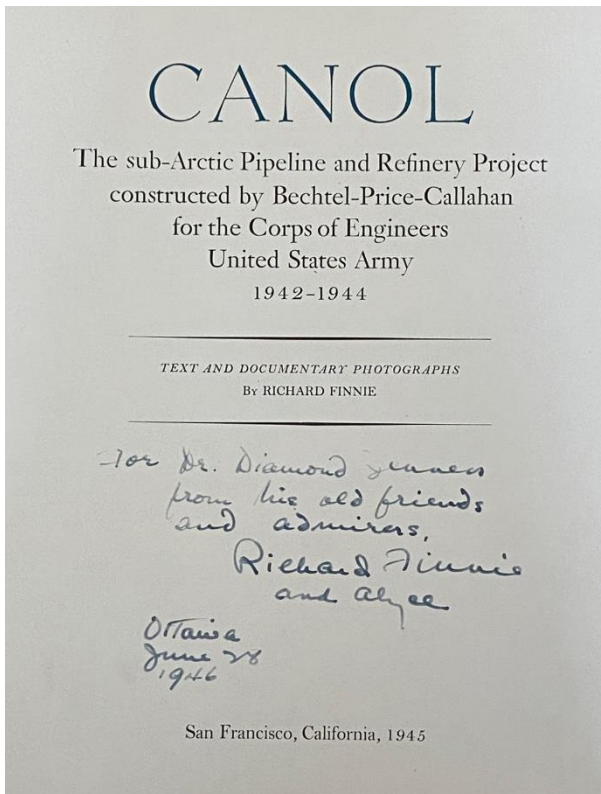
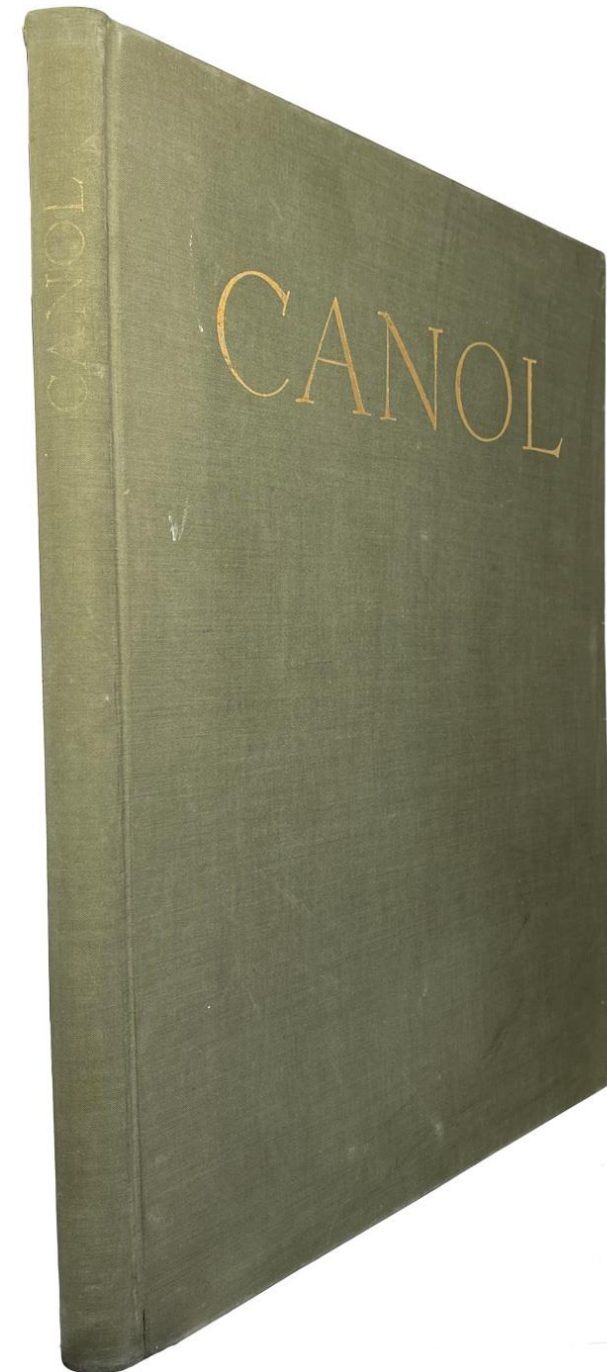
## 10. FINNIE, Richard

CANOL. The sub-Arctic Pipeline and Refinery Project constructed by Bechtel-Price-Callahan for the Corps of Engineers, United States Army, 1942-1944. Text and documentary photographs by Richard Finnie. San Francisco. [Privately Printed]. Bechtel-Price-Callahan... 1945. atlas folio. 36cm, x,210p. with 148 plates, (including 56 in colour), appendix, illustrated endpapers, green cloth, very good to fine copy, rare

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Signed Presentation for Dr. Diamond Jenness "For Dr. Diamond Jenness from his old friends and admirers, Richard Finnie and Alyce, Ottawa, June 28, 1946". With illustrated presentation card (company's) - "Presented to Dr Diamond Jenness"

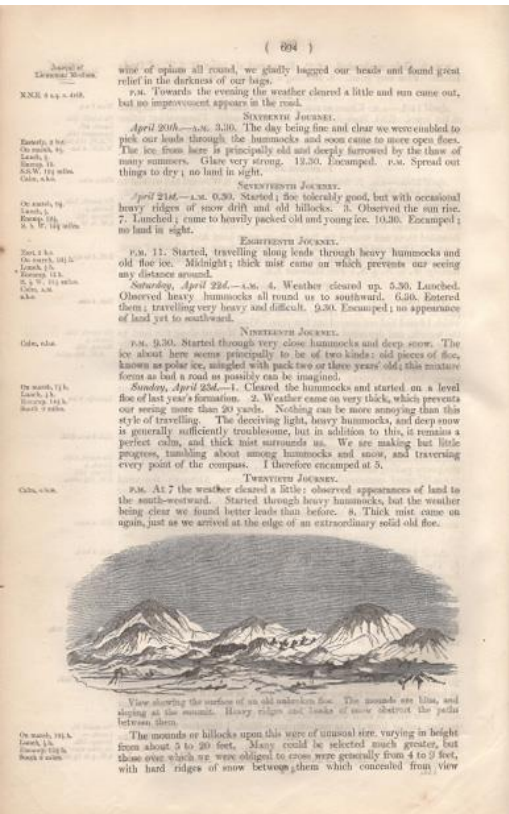
A.B. 21811. Contains introductory account of the project to develop the Norman Wells oil field, run a pipe line thence to Whitehorse on the Alaska Highway in Yukon Territory where a refinery would be built; sketch of the country, terrain, climate, people of Mackenzie valley and Yukon Territory. Photographs (pp.13-191), with brief running commentary are of Norman Wells, the air-fields, road-building, pipe-line construction, showing problems encountered in matters of climate, supply and transportation. Appendix has information on the companies participating in the project, management, administration, list of personnel, etc.



# 11. [FRANKLIN]. Great Britain. Admiralty.

PART OF: [Further Papers Relative to the Recent Arctic Expeditions in Search of Sir John Franklin and the Crews of H.M.S. "Erebus" and "Terror". Presented to Both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty, January 1855. London, Printed by George Edward Eyre and William Spottiswoode, 1855.]. folio, 32.3cm, pp469 - 732., being: Part III. Sledge Journeys, Part II. including several engraved text illustrations, wanting the spine cap, original boards loose, with the "Darkmouth College Library - Stefansson Collection" bookplate on the front endpaper, the text is sound as is

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Maps included are:

- 1) - Chart shewing The Coast Discovered by Captain F.L. McClintock with track in Search of Sir John Franklin's Expedition, 1853. large folding map, outlines in colour, loosely inserted
- 2) - Chart shewing the Track of H.M. Sledge "Hero". 1 fold, route colour, p488.
- 3) - Track of Sledge Discoverer, from Sept 22nd to Oct 14th, 1852. under the charge of Luet. G.F. Mecham, H.M.S. Resolute, folding map, route colour, p490.
- 4) - Chart shewing the Track of H.M. Sledge "Discovery" between April 4 and July 6th, 1853. G.F. Mecham, Lieut H.M. Ship Resolute in command of the Party. large outline coloured folding map with 4 landfall views, 2 short tears at folds, p498.
- 5) - Chart shewing the Route pursued by H.M. Sledges "Star of the North" and "Hero" between 7th and 27th, Oct. 1852. F.L. McIntock, 1 folio page, p589.
- 6) - Track of H.M. Sledge, Perseverance between Apr 4 & June 14th, 1853. large folding map, p602.
- 7) - Chart shewing the Track and Discoveries of H.M. Sledge Hope. folding map, outline colour, p616
- 8) - Chart shewing the Track and Discoveries of H.M. Sledge Hope, from Sept 22nd till Oct 7th, 1852. one folio page, out line colour, p618.
- 9) - Chart of H.M. Sledge "John Barrow" from Deadly Island to Harbour of Mercy, March 1853. outline folding map, p646.
- 10) - John Dyer between May 5th and June 9th, 1853, forming part of the Search Operation from H.M.S. Resolute, Capt. H. Kellett, C.B. both Sledges under charge of William T. Domville, M.D. Surgeon. large colour outline folding map, p664.
- 11) - Track of H.M. Sledge "Murchisen" from Deadly Island to Cape Fisher, May 9th - June 9th, 1853. folding outline colour map, 1 short tear, p680.
- 12) - Track of H.M. Sledge, Discovery between April 3rd & June 12th, 1854. folding outline colour map, p702.
- 13) - Track of H.M. Sledge, Newton, detached from H.M.S. Resolute from 3rd April to 13th June, 1854. Mr. E.J. Krabbe, Commanding Party. large colour outline folding map. p706.

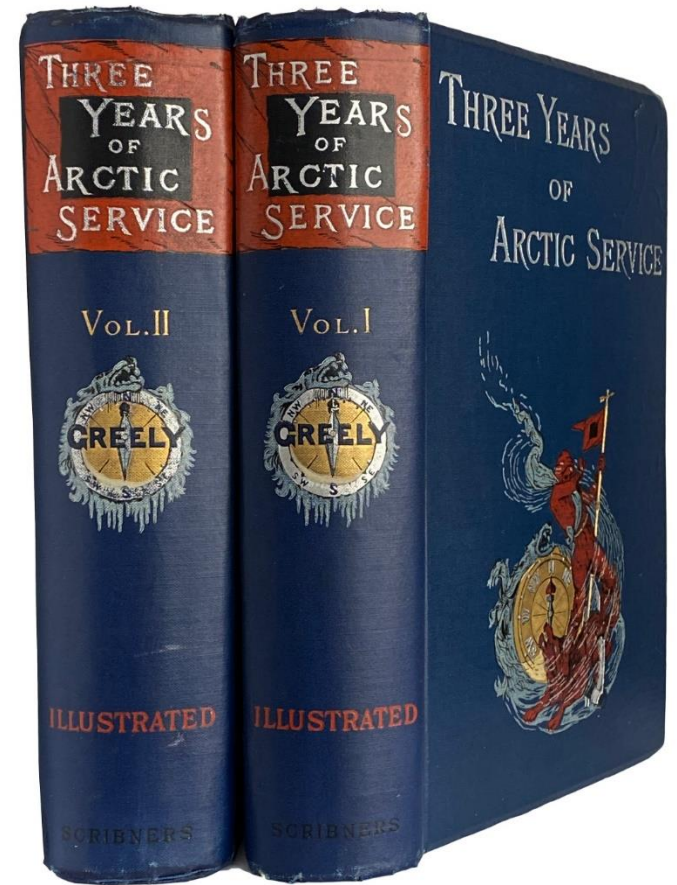
cf. A.B. 45245. Sabin 25633. T.P.L. 3549. This whole work is so important that the Arctic Bibliography devotes a nine pages to its description. - We have had the complete report twice previously, in Cat 156 and in the Plimer Franklin Search cat 218, in 2013.

## 12. GREELY, Adolphus W.

Three Years of Arctic Service. An Account of the Lady Franklin Bay Expedition of 1881-84, and the attainment of the Farthest North. With nearly 100 illustrations made from photographs taken by the party, and with the official maps and charts. New York. Charles Scribner's Son. **1886**. thick tall8vo, 23.5cm, the First Edition, in 2 volumes, xxv,428 & xii,444pp., with 43 plates from engravings (inc. engraved frontis portrait), 82 text illustrations and 9 maps (including 2 double page, 2 large folding [1 in rear pocket]), in the original dark blue cloth, colour decorated title labels and oval colour pictorial vignettes on the spines and upper covers, titles stamped in silver on the spine and upper covers, a fine bright set

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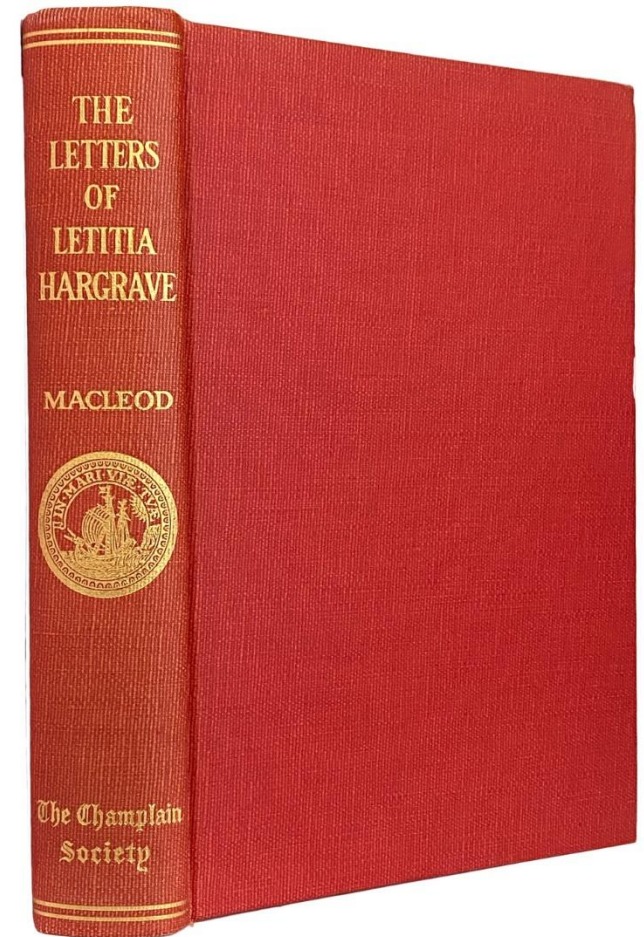
A.B. 6118. Based at Ellesmere Island, they explored the northern coast of Greenland, the interior and west coast of Grinnell Land (Northern Ellesmere). When relief ships failed to reach the expedition all but seven died of starvation in the attempt to walk to safety. Included are accounts of sea ice, sledge journeys, camp life, the arduous march, and the geography of the area explored. One of the first U.S. expeditions and one of the most tragic.



### 13. HARGRAVE, Letitia (1813-1854).

The Letters of Letitia Hargrave. Edited With an Introduction and Notes by Margaret Arnett MacLeod. Toronto. The Champlain Society. No. 28.; 1947. 24cm, cliv,310p. with 10 plates (portraits, illustrations & map), limited to 550 copies, this being #107, original crested red cloth, t.e.g., fine condition 100.00

Letitia Hargrave was the wife of Chief Trader James Hargrave. These letters are written to members of her family in Scotland from her new home at York Factory on Hudson Bay, 1838-1852.

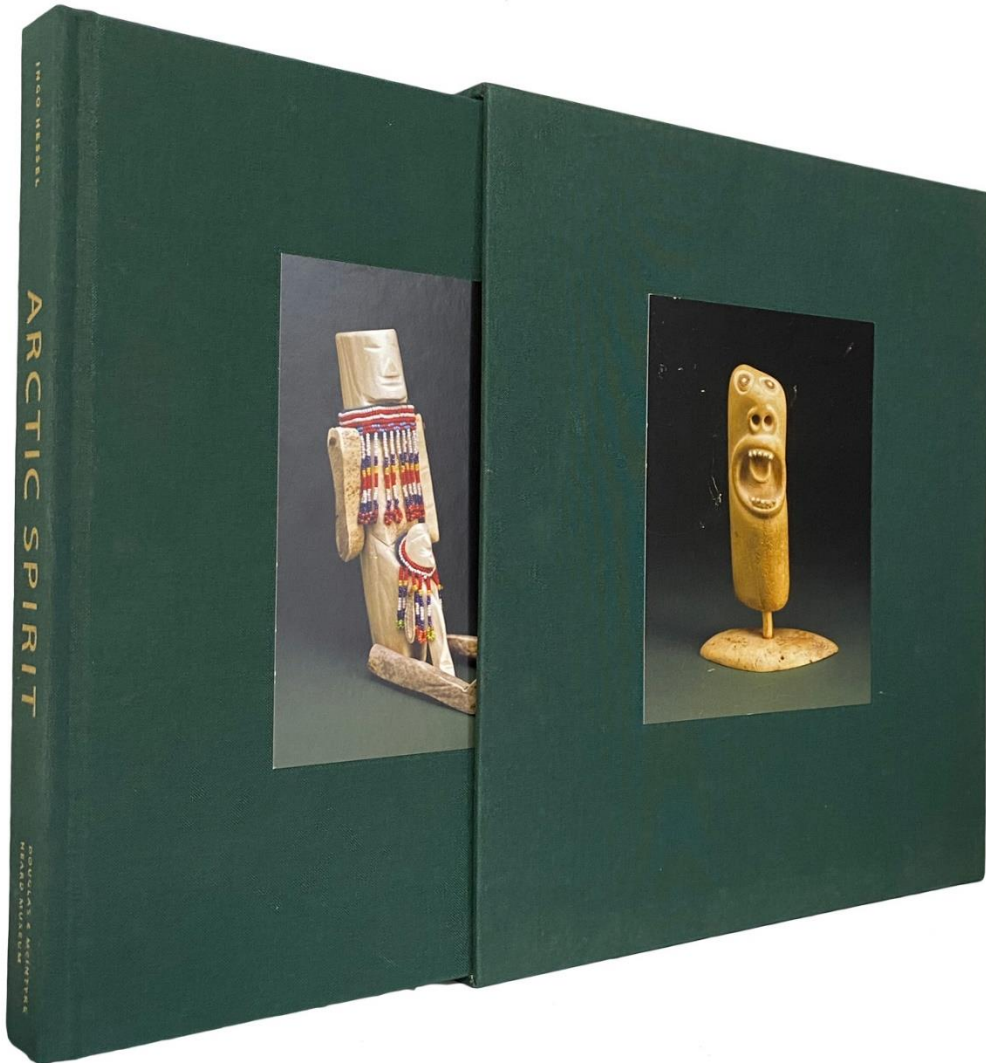




The Limited Edition being #10 of 150 Copies - Signed.

## 14. HESSEL, Ingo

Arctic Spirit: Inuit Art from the Albrecht Collection at the Heard Museum. Vancouver, Toronto, Berkeley. Douglas & McIntyre. 2006. square4to., first edition, limited edition of 150 numbered copies, this being #10. Signed by the Author and the Albrecht's., 240p., extensively illustrated with colour plates and illustrations, bibliography, index, bound in full sea green fine grain book linen, gilt spine titles, colour plate mounted on the upper cover, in similar slips case with mounted colour plate, a fine copy 300.00

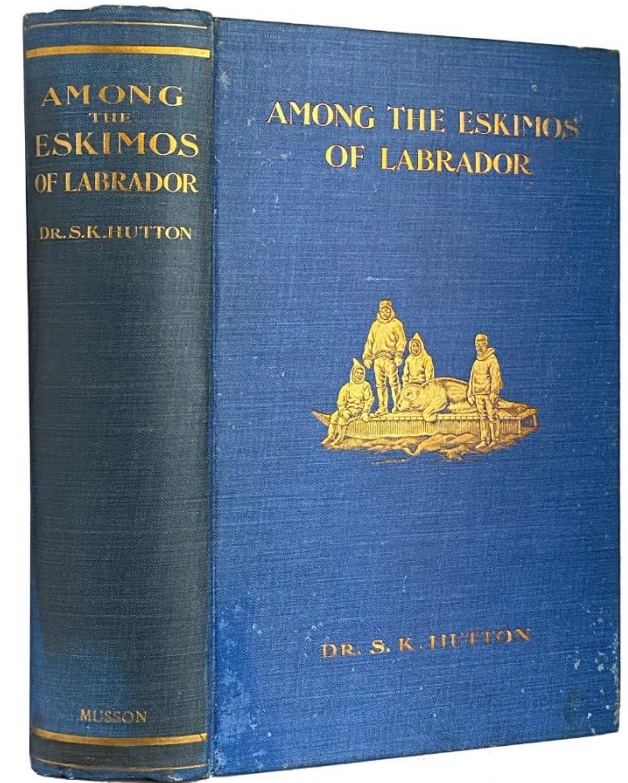


“This astonishing overview of Inuit art features the voices and life stories of dozens of the most important Arctic artists, showcasing the vitality and diversity of an enduring tradition. In less than a decade, Dan and Martha Albrecht have put together the finest collection of Inuit art ever assembled -- more than four thousand pieces, all of which they have donated to the Heard Museum in Phoenix, Arizona. In Arctic Spirit, Canadian writer Ingo Hessel, the Albrechts' mentor and main advisor, presents the best of these works -- nearly 200 sculpture, prints, drawings and fabrics, from prehistoric carvings to contemporary mixed media. The book is arranged according to the major themes in Inuit art. More than half of the extensive text is in the words of the artists themselves. Ingo Hessel is the Albrecht Adjunct Curator of Inuit Art at the Heard Museum in Phoenix. His publications include the seminal Inuit Art: An Introduction, Arctic Spirit and Sanattiaqsimajut: Inuit Art from the Carleton University Art Gallery Collection. He curated the exhibition Arctic Spirit for the Heard Museum... “ (Publishers Catalogue).

## 15. HUTTON, S.K.

Among the Eskimos of Labrador. A Record of Five Years Close Intercourse with the Eskimo of Labrador. Toronto. The Musson Book Company. 1912. thick8vo. 22cm, First Canadian Edition, (British sheets and binding), xviii,344p., with 44 plates and illustrations from photographs, 2 maps (1 colour folding), original blue cloth, gilt spine titles, gilt titles and pictorial on the upper cover, top edge gilt, some fade speckling on the covers, very good to fine copy 300.00

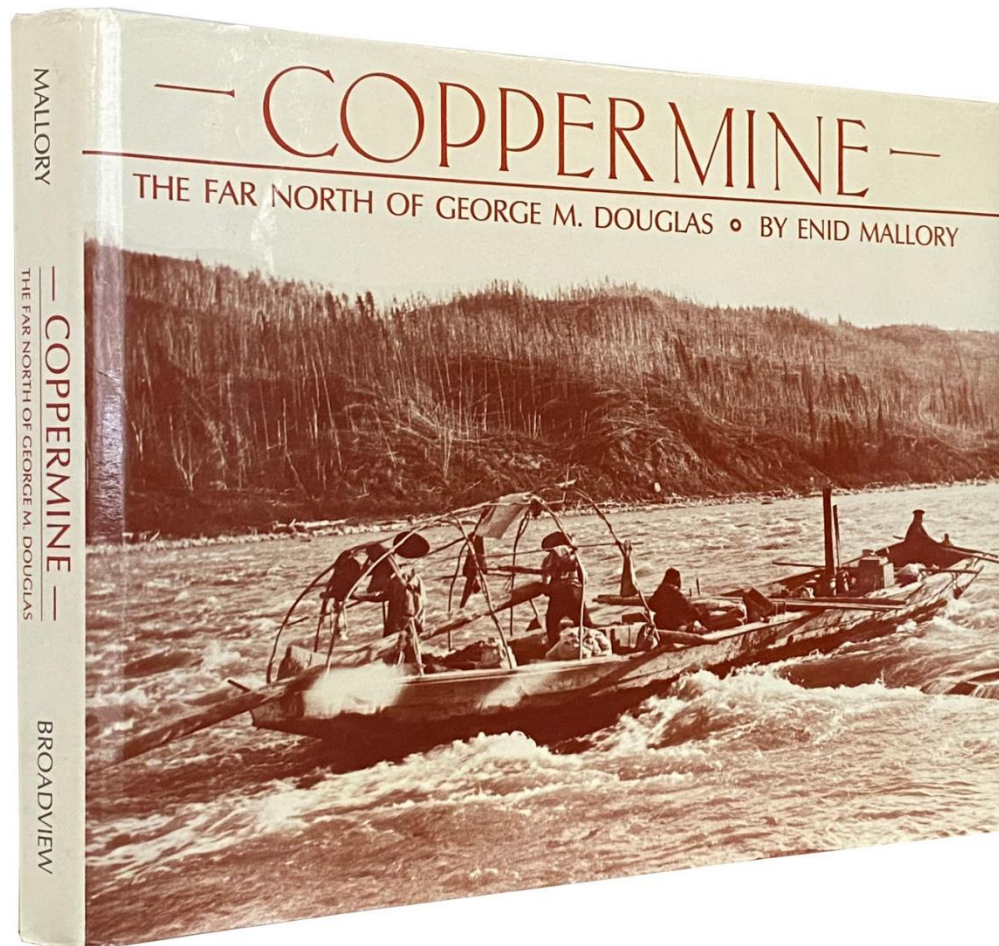
A.B. 7605. Hutton was a medical missionary on Killinek Island, Northern Labrador, from 1908-15. The present work relates Hutton's experiences, with an emphasis on 'the material and spiritual culture of the Eskimos' AB.



## 16. MALLORY, Enid

Coppermine. The Far North of George M. Douglas. Peterborough. Broadview Press. 1989. oblong 4to. 22x 28cm, 273p., with 150 illustrations from photos, map, index, fine in jacket 40.00

A collection of 116 photographs of travels through the Coppermine River watershed, above the Arctic Circle. Photographed on trips from 1911 to 1938 by mining engineer, George Douglas.



North Polar Map of the "Icy Sea" including Canada, Siberia, Norway...

# 17. [MAP]. GIBSON, John

A Map of the Icy Sea in which the several Communications with the Land Waters and other new Discoveries are exhibited. London. The Gentleman's Magazine. 1760. 8vo, 21cm, pp255-300, includes copperplate engraved folding map, 21x 23.2cm, [8.25" x 9"]., included in an article by M. Buahe. Observations upon the North Sea, commonly called the Ice Sea, and upon the Communicatio of several Rivers with it. From the French of the celebrated Geographer, M. Buache. pp284-286... in fine condition in recent morocco grain grey stiff wraps

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Early Photographs and Description for "Farthest North" by Nansen

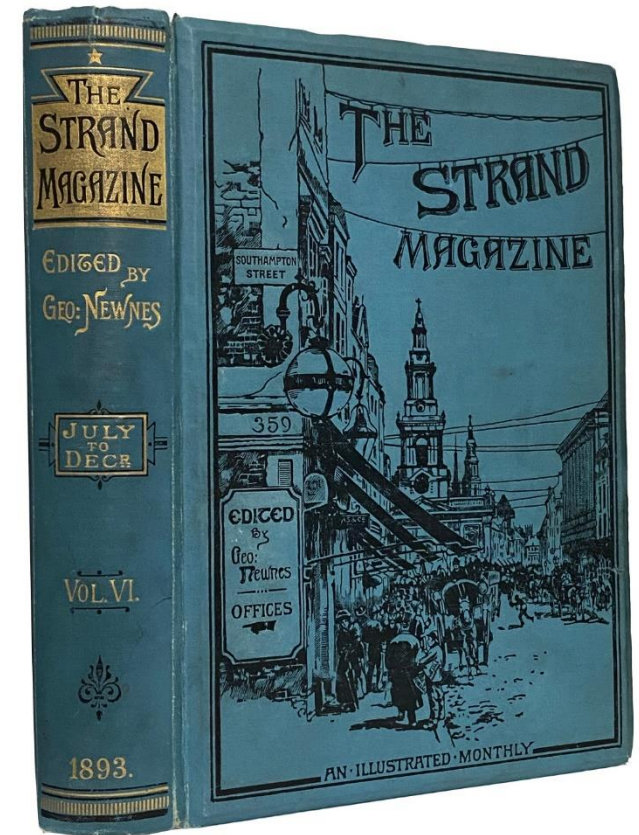
18. [NANSEN Fridtjof & A. Conan Doyle].  
NEWNES, George, (Edited by)

The Strand Magazine. An Illustrated Monthly. Vol. VI. July to December. (1893).  
London. George Newnes, Ltd. **1893**. tall8vo, 24cm, 724p., extensively illustrated, index,  
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illustration on the upper cover, beveled boards, very good to fine condition (ho.ds).

400.00

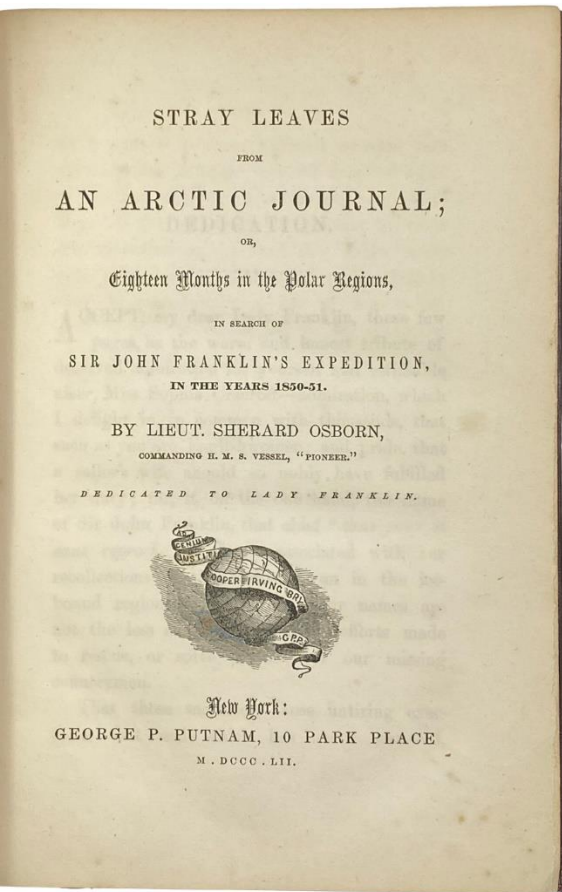
Includes "Towards the North Pole" by Dr. Fridtjof Nansen. (with photographs  
supplied by Nansen).

Also includes the first appearances of Conan Doyle's "Adventures of Sherlock  
Holmes": XX. - The Adventure of the Crooked Man; XXI.- The Adventure of the Resident  
Patient; XXII.- The Adventure of the Greek Interpreter; XXIII - The Adventure of the Naval  
Treaty; XXIV.-The Adventure of the Final Problem. (All illustrated by Sidney Paget).



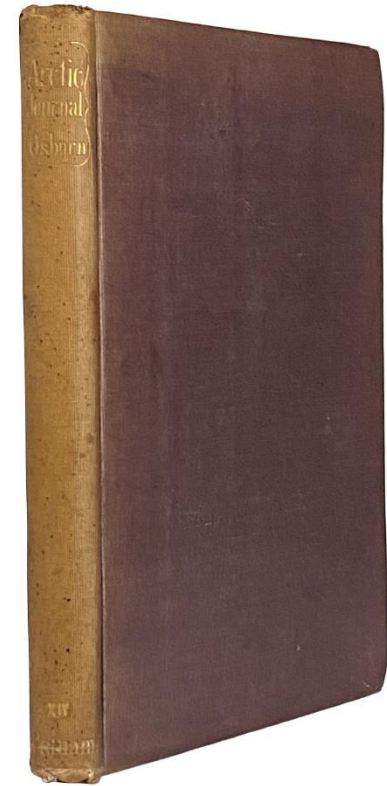
## 19. OSBORN, Sherard

Stray Leaves from An Arctic Journal: or, Eighteen Months in the Polar Regions, in search of Sir John Franklin's Expedition, in the years 1850-51. New York. George P. Putnam. **1852.** 18cm. first U.S. edition, 216p. text illustrations, in the original publisher's printed wraps, (price, edition, condition) 250.00



A.B. 12899. Lande Sabin 57760. T.P.L. 3194.

Osborn was commander of the 'Pioneer', a tender to the 'Resolute' and 'Assistance', of the Franklin search expedition under Captain H.T. Austin in 1850-1851. His narrative relates the voyage by Baffin Bay, Lancaster Sound, and Barrow Strait, and the party's wintering at Griffith's Island. He provides details on the West Greenland Esquimaux, ice and weather conditions, sledge journeys. Osborn explored the west coast of Prince of Wales Island in the spring of 1851 by sledge and on his return journey, sailed a considerable distance into Jones Sound.

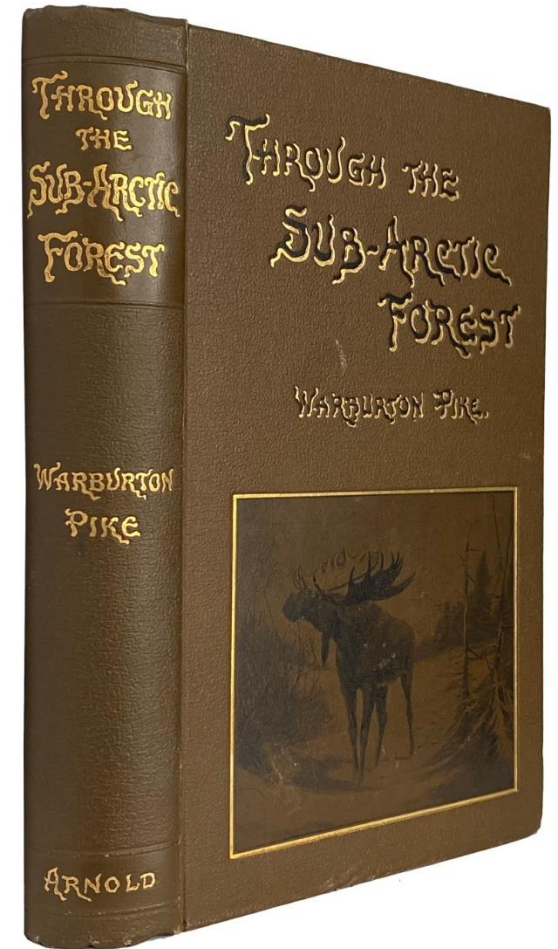


## 20. PIKE, Warburton

Through The Subarctic Forest. A record of a canoe journey from Fort Wrangel to the Pelly Lakes and down the Yukon River to the Behring Sea. London & New York. Edward Arnold. **1896**. 8vo, 22cm, the first edition, xiv,[1], 295,[32]p., frontis & 16 plates and 2 folding maps, coloured in outline, appendix, in the original gilt & black stamped pictorial brown cloth, illustration of a moose stamped on the upper cover, the fore edge is a bit foxed, a near fine copy, of the two titles by Warburton Pike this is the scarcer especially in this condition

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A.B. 13528. "Account of the author's trip in 1892, with description of the Frances River and Lake route, the course of the Pelly River, the Yukon from the mouth of the Pelly to Yukon Flats."



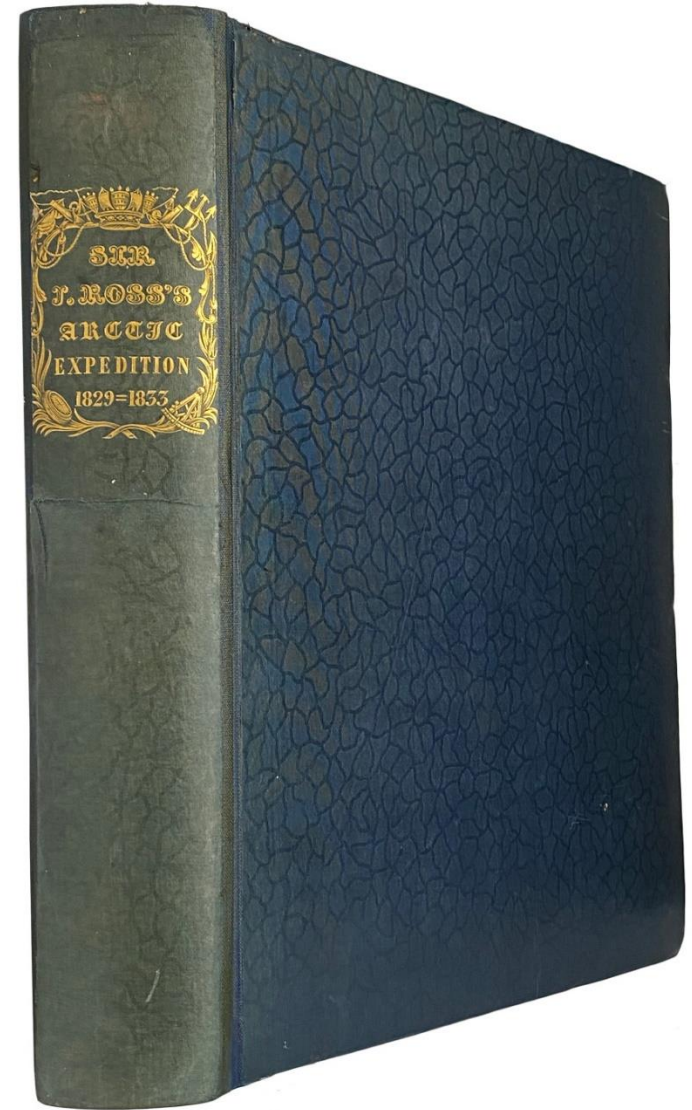
Ross's Second Voyage, 1835 - Unopened - A Fine Copy

## 21. ROSS, Captain Sir John

Narrative of a Second Voyage in Search of a North-West Passage, and of a Residence in the Arctic Regions during the years **1833**. Including the reports of Commander James Clark Ross and the Discovery of the Northern Magnetic Pole. London. A.W. Webster. **1835**. 4to, 28.3cm, The First Edition, xxxiii,[1],740p., with 6 maps (1 folding coloured), and 25 engraved plates (including 8 coloured lithographs, 3 mezzotints, & 16 steel engraved), in the original dark blue water grain cloth, gilt spine titles in elaborate laurel border, decorated blue endpapers, inner linen hinges, a fine unopened copy

1,500.00

T.P.L. 1808. A.B. 14866 & 14863. Lande 1426. Sabin 73381. Owing to the mistaken contention of the first voyage, Ross was not offered another command and this expedition was privately financed. It resulted in the discovery of King William Sound and the extensive survey of Boothia Peninsula, and the discovery of the magnetic pole by James Clark Ross. The dietary importance of fresh meat and oil in the particular climate was first ascertained on this voyage so that all but three men survived four winters and the loss of the Victory.





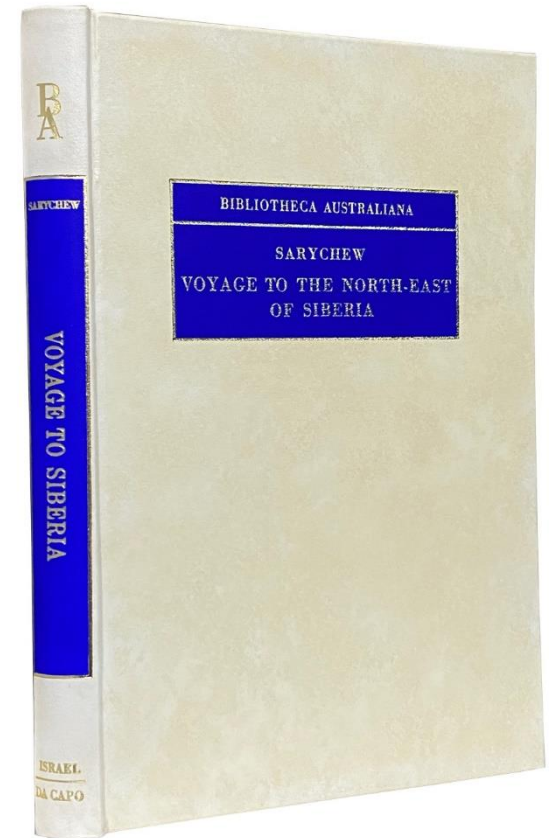
## 22. SARYCHEW, Gavril A.

Account of a Voyage of Discovery to the North-East of Siberia, the Frozen Ocean, and the North-East Sea. (2 volumes in One). [Bibliotheca Australiana #64.] Amsterdam & New York. N. Israel & Da Capo Press. 1969. 8vo. 21cm, iv,70,(2) & 80pp., with 4 plates (3 folding, 1 in sepia), white vellum cloth, gilt titles on blue spine and cover labels, as new

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A facsimile reprint of the 1806 and 1807 editions translated from the Russian.

Gavril Sarychew (1763-1831) was the Russian Imperial Major-General to the Expedition.



An Unusal Edition, Signed by Seton

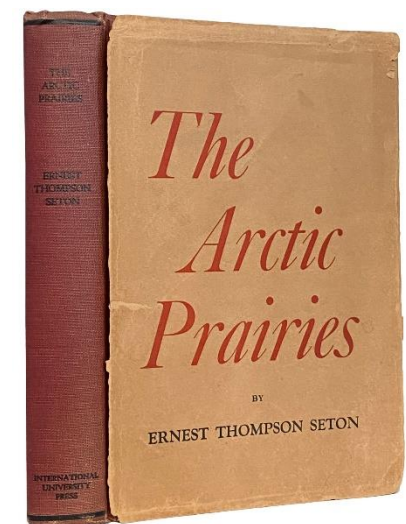
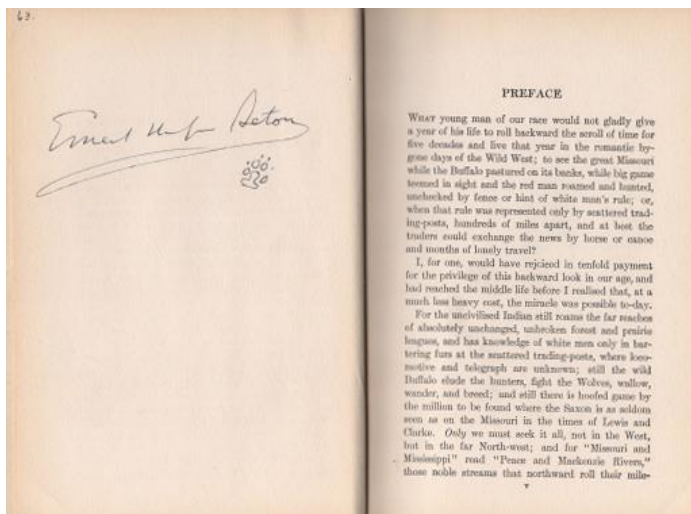
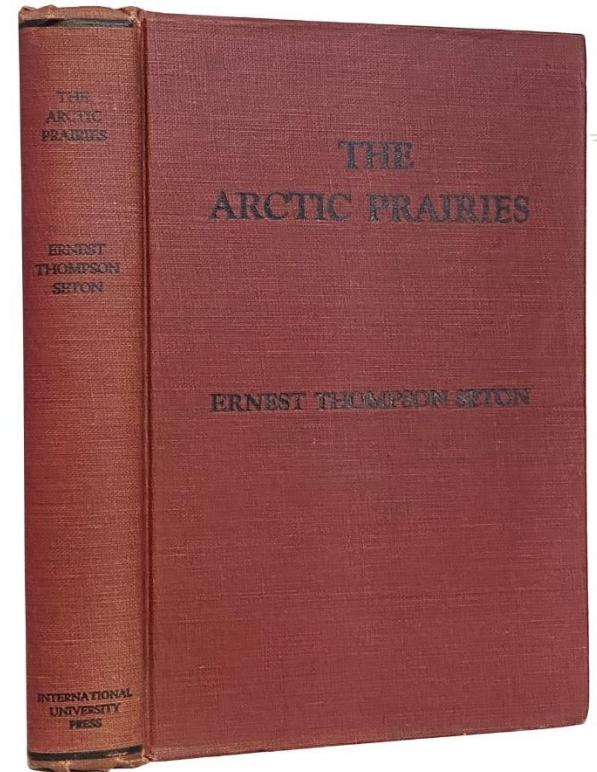
## 23. SETON, Ernest Thompson

The Arctic Prairies. A Canoe-journey of 2,000 Miles in Search of the Caribou. Being the Account of a Voyage to the Region North of Aylmer Lake. New York. International University Press. 1943. 12mo, 19.6cm, 22cm. xi,308p., numerous text illustrations from drawings by Seton, maps, maroon cloth, black stamped spine and cover titles, jacket remain enclosed, a fine copy, Signed Ernest Thomson Seton, with paw print

An unusual edition, I don't recall seeing it previously. Review Copy stamp on the front free fly. 150.00

Ernest Thompson Seton (born Ernest Evan Thompson[1] August 14, 1860 – October 23, 1946) was an English-born Canadian-American author, wildlife artist, founder of the Woodcraft Indians in 1902 (renamed Woodcraft League of America), and one of the founding pioneers of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) in 1910.

A.B. 15779. The author's trip down the Athabaska and Slave Rivers, by Great Slave Lake, northeast to the Aylmer and Clinton-Colden Lakes regions of the barren grounds. Observations on the natural history appear throughout. The first edition was published in New York in 1911.



## 24. SHIPLEY, Conway (1824-1888).

Two Gray Wash Watercolour Sketches. **1860**. Image size 22x 33cm & 24x 35.5cm, heightened with white, titles inscribed within the images, along with the artist's signature (C.S.), and the dates.

Titles: HMS Bulldog in Godhaab Harbour. West Coast of Greenland.

And: The Sattel Mountain, Baals Fjord, Greenland. By Conway Shipley.

Two gray wash sketches heightened with white, with titles inscribed within images, along with signature (C.S.) and dates. Handsomely framed,

Beautifully and expertly framed, both 45.5x 56cm, (18"x 22"), in polished burl mahogany frames (2) with variant titles supplied via manuscript labels affixed to versos of frames, also signed by Shipley. The pair - 7,500.00



## 25. SOLA, A.E. Ironmonger

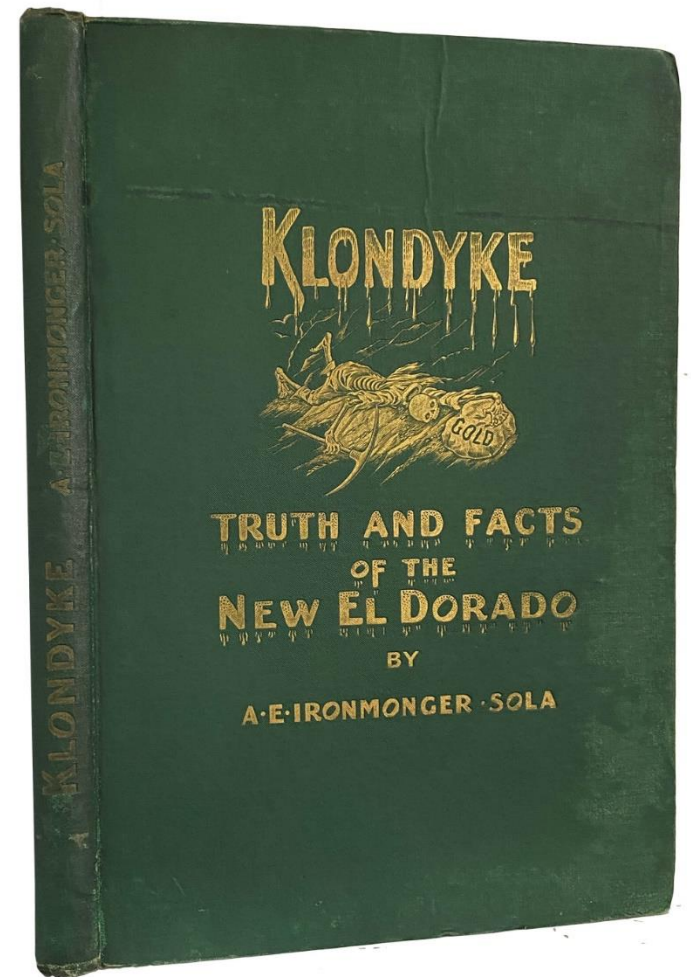
Klondyke: Truth and Facts of the New El Dorado. Part II. Truth and Facts; Being My Three-And-Half Years' Experience in the Yukon Country. London. Mining and Geographical Institute. [1897]. sm4to., 27cm, 102p., plus 26 plates containing 28 illustrations, 3 maps, (inc. folding map), illustrated ads., (advertising equipment, mining, and mining tools etc), appendix, original dark green cloth with gilt block titles and gilt pictorial decorated on the upper cover, slightly dust worn, the text and plates are clean, very good to fine condition, rare

600.00

A.B. 16441. Wickersham 4414. Smith 9646. Tourville 4240. Ricks, p207. (92p.- without ads). Drawn from the author's observations during nearly four years of prospecting in the Klondike, and from reports of Canadian government officials. Sola did not find gold after four years of trying however he did write the best book on how to find gold and in documenting the prospectus participating in the gold rush. The book is based on the author's experience and from reports of Canadian government officials. There is information of routes, mining regulations, methods of placer mining, occupancies of gold, and advice on clothing, staking claims, the natives, game, agriculture, etc.



Summer Mining Costumes.



## 26. STELLER, Georg Wilhelm (1709-1746).

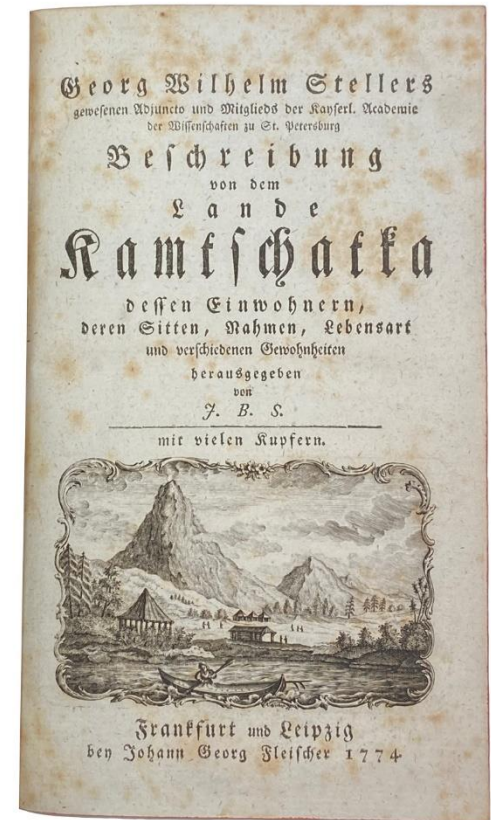
Beschreibung von dem Lande Kamtschatka dessen Einwohnern, deren Sitten, Nahmen, Lebensart und verschiedenen Gewohnheiten herausgegeben von J. B. S. Frankfurt und Leipzig, Johann Georg Fleisher, 1774.

[with]:

Geographie und Verfassung von Kamtschatka aus verschiedenen schriftlichen und mundlichen Nachrichten gesammelt zu Jakuk, **1737**. 8vo; pp. [8], 24, [4] (index), 384; 71, [1] (instructions to the binder); in blackletter. Signatures: a-b8, [2] (index), A-2A8, A\*-D\*8, E\*4; title vignette; two folding maps; 12 leaves of copper-engraved plates, folded, with 14 engravings; one table; other illustrations and musical notation throughout the text, early mottled half calf?, crushed crimson morocco label, marbled boards, elaborate head and tailpieces, all edges stained red in contemporary style, some slight foxing on the title page, small oval library stamp on the verso of the title, fine condition, very rare

15,000.00

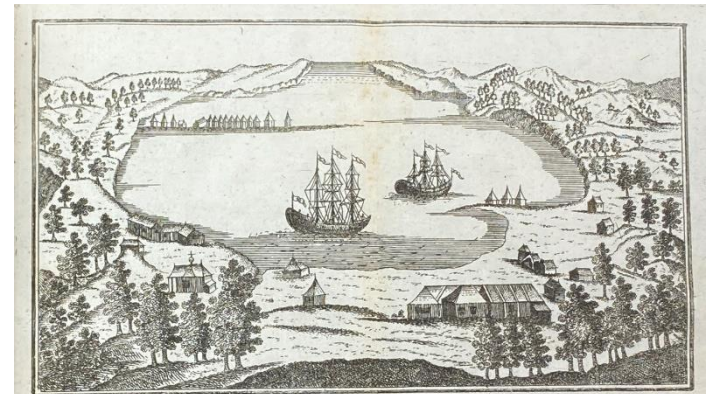
Lada-Mocarski 21. Wickersham 5827. Georg Wilhelm Steller was born in Germany and educated at Wittenberg as a physician, he accompanied wounded troops to their Russian homeland in 1734 and there met the naturalist and geographer Daniel Gottlieb Messerschmidt (1685-1735). Messerschmidt had been contracted by Russian Emperor



Peter the Great to gather medicinal plants and other floral species in Siberia. Over a seven-year excursion, he collected many rare specimens, including the first mammoth fossil remains, and kept a detailed diary of his findings. When Messerschmidt died and Steller married his widow, Steller had access to these notes, piquing his interest in exploration. He had the opportunity to join Vitus Bering's second expedition to Kamchatka in 1740, as a scientist and physician. He spent the winter in Kamchatka, and then Bering asked him to accompany him to further investigate the strait between the islands. After the ship went of course in a storm and landed at Kayak Island, Alaska in 1741, Steller explored the terrain, thus being the first European on Alaskan soil.

This work contains his detailed observations of Kamchatka and the Alaskan coast in the 18th century: the geography of the land, including the minerals and fossils; the marine birds and animals, and the insects, flora and fauna, many of which were new to him. He also discusses the native Itelmen and their social life, customs and dress; as well as their means of settling disputes, and the possibilities for future trade with them. Baron Joseph von Lassberg (1770-1855) was in the service of Prince von Furstenberg as chief warden of forests before retiring to his estate at Eppishausen. He collected more than 12,000 books and 273 valuable manuscripts for his library, which he eventually sold to the Fürstlich Fürstenbergischen Hofbibliothek at Donaueschingen, Germany.

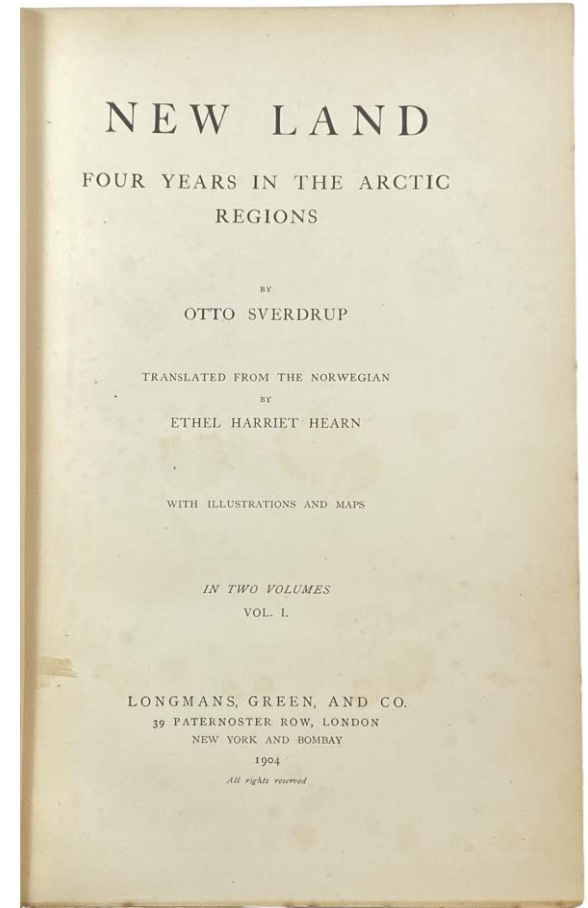
An important book, with an interesting provenance.



## 27. SVERDRUP, Otto

New Land. Four Years in the Arctic Regions. London, New York. Longmans, Green & Co. 1904. tall8vo. 24cm, the First English Edition, in 2 volumes, xvi,496 & xii,504p., two frontis & 60 plates and 158 illustrations from photographs, 6 maps (including 2 rear folding pocket maps), scientific appendices, dark blue cloth, titles and vignette illustrations stamped in silver, with John Bockstoce's bookplate, repair label on volume two spine, very good condition, stamping bright and clear 450.00

A.B. 17322. Narrative of the Second "Fram" Expedition, 1898-1902, under Sverdrup's command. The voyage includes the mapping of southern and western Ellesmere Island, and the discovery of Axel Heiberg, Ellef Ringnes, Amund Ringnes, and King Christian (now Findlay) Islands. The expedition filled in the last major unknown area in the map of the western Arctic.



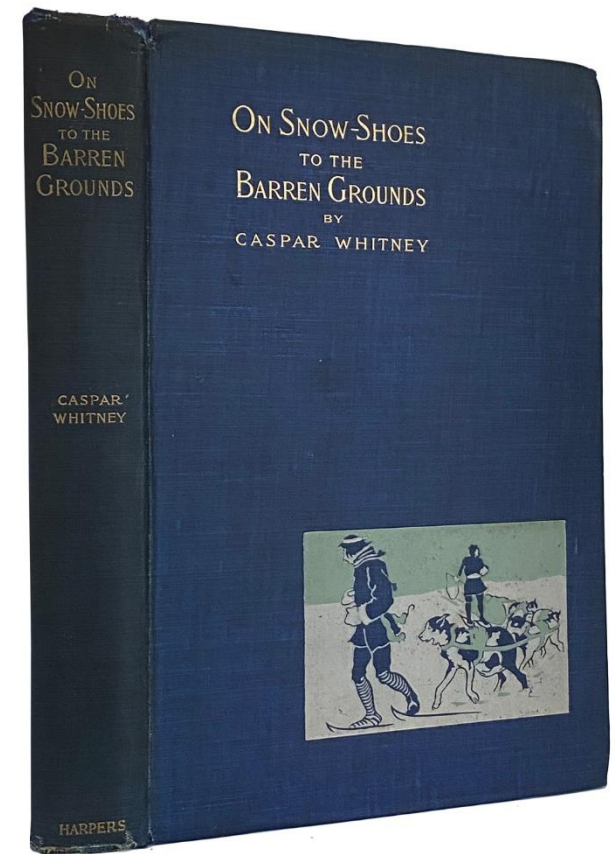
Includes 15 Plates from Paintings by Fredericton Remington

## 28. WHITNEY, Caspar

On Snow-Shoes to the Barren Grounds. Twenty Eight Hundred Miles after Musk-Oxen and Wood-Bison. New York. Harper & Brothers Publishers. **1896**. 8vo. 22.5cm, The First Edition, x,324,p. with 114 plates and illustrations, and text illustrations from engravings, and maps, (including 15 plates from paintings by Fredericton Remington), in the original dark blue cloth, gilt spine and cover titles, colour stamped pictorial illustrations on the covers, some slight wear on the spine edges and corner, very good to fine condition

250.00

Somewhat of a classic of an area that was pretty much unknown at the time. Some very good observations on the northern Indians. A.B. 19410. Includes descriptions of the author's hunting around Great Slave Lake, in 1895; with chapters on Barren Ground caribou and musk ox; with comments throughout on the Indians and their customs.





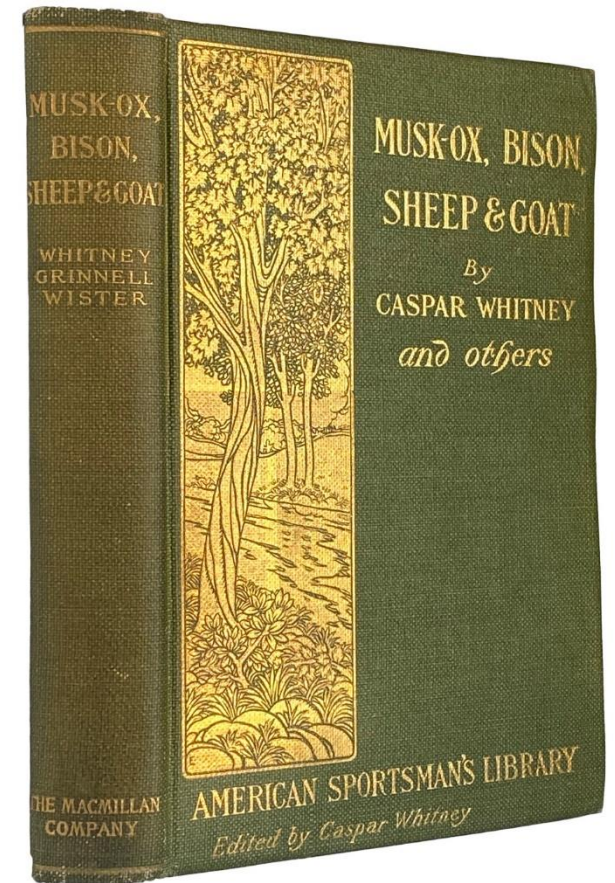
## 29. WHITNEY, Caspar, George Bird Grinnell and Owen Wister.

Musk-Ox, Bison, Sheep and Goat. New York & London. The Macmillan Company.

1904. 8vo, 20cm, first edition, 284,[2]p., ads., plus 28 plates and illustrations, index, original fine grain pebbled green cloth, gilt spine and cover titles with gilt stamped illustrations, t.e.g., a fine copy

150.00

A.B. 19409. Includes chapters (pp13-106) on the musk ox and its hunting by Whitney, an opening section on the Barren Grounds and hunting procedures, description of the musk ox, its distribution, and measurement of some specimens taken on North America and Greenland (AB).

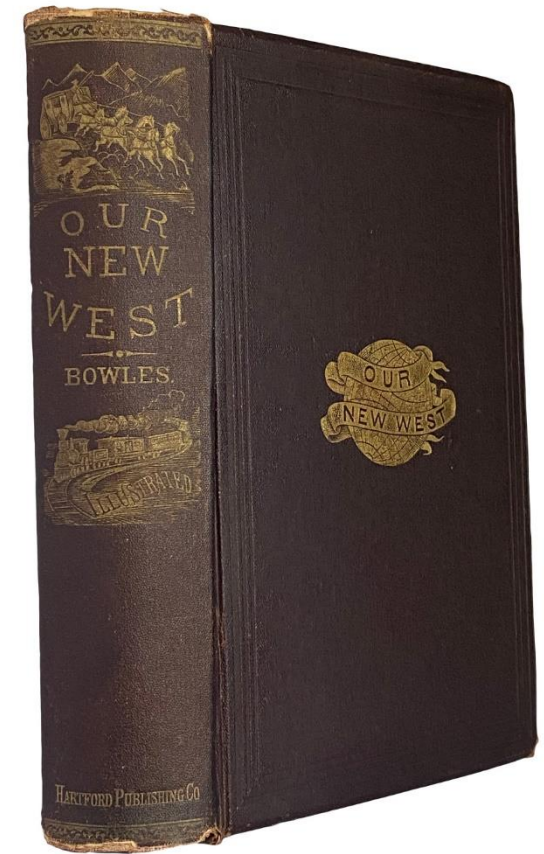


# CANADIANA

## 30. [Americana]. - BOWLES, Samuel

Our New West. Records of Travel Between the Mississippi River and the Pacific Ocean. Over the Plains-Over the Mountains-Through the Great Interior Basin-Over the Sierra Nevadas - To and Up and Down the Pacific Coast. With Details of the Wonderful Natural Scenery, Agriculture, Mines, Business, Social Life... of Colorado, Wyoming, Utah,... and British Columbia; Including a Full Description of the Pacific Railroad; and of the Life of the Mormons, Indians, and Chinese. Hartford, Connecticut. Hartford Publishing Co., **1869**. Thick 8vo, 22cm, frontis. portraits, xx,524, 1 map and 12 plates (included in pagination), in the original brown cloth, stamped in gilt on spine and cover, top and bottom spine edge worn, else a very good copy 150.00

Not in Lowther, Graff or Howes. Sabin 7079. Description of the regions through which he travelled, as well as of the Mormons, the Indians, and of the Chinese of the West Coast. ~ Commonly found in poor condition including the issues in full sheep which are nearly always in awful condition.

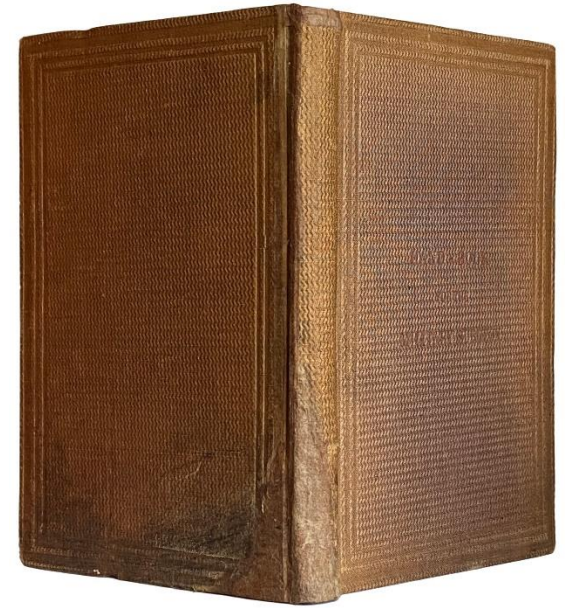


### 31. [Americana - Military Medicine]. - TRIPLER, Chas. S. & George C. Blackman

Hand-Book for the MILITARY SURGEON: being a compendium of the Duties of the Medical Officer in the Field, the Sanitary Management of the Camp, the Preparation of Food, Etc.; With Forms For The Requisitions For Supplies, Returns, Etc.; The Diagnosis and Treatment of Camp Dysentery; and all the Important Points In WAR SURGERY. Including Gunshot Wounds, Amputation, Wounds of the Chest, Arteries and Head, and the Use of Chloroform. Cincinnati. Robert Clarke & Co., Publishers. **1862**. 12mo, 19cm, Fourth Edition, (6),121, xlii,6p., appendix, ads., in the original diamond-grain light brown cloth, gilt spine titles, this book was gnawed on the back spine bottom corner and has been expertly restored, it is a very good to fine sound copy otherwise, rare 450.00

We located listing for the first edition, 1861, and 2nd edition, but none for this 4th issue. (same coalition).

A scarce Work. Cf. Kelly... Dict American Medical Biography, (Tripler) p1225. Blackman p105.

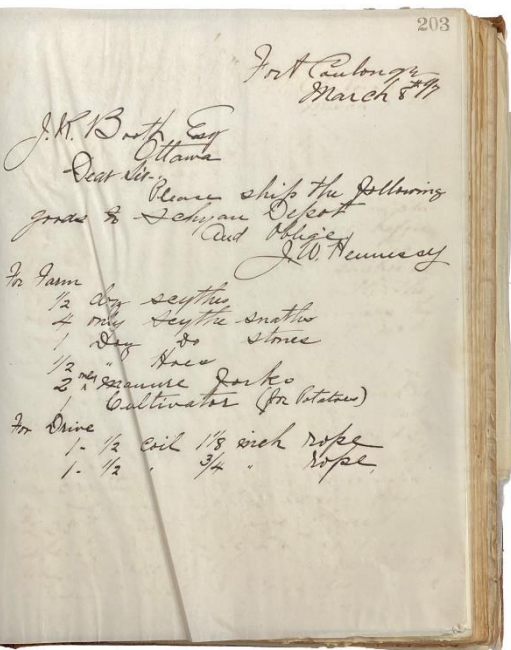


J.R. Booth - Manuscript Letter Copy Book. 1895 - 1901.

## 32. BOOTH, J.R. - Manuscript LETTER COPY BOOK.

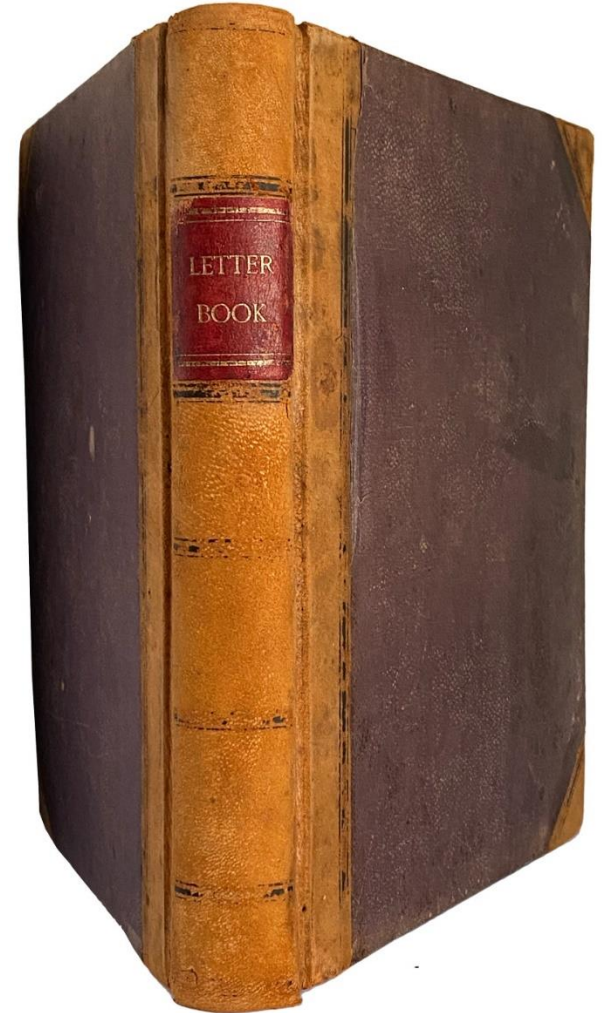
Hand-written copies of extensive correspondence primarily to lumber magnate, J.R.

Booth in Ottawa from one J.R. Hennessey, foreman of Booth's extensive holdings in the Upper Ottawa Valley. Addressed from Fort Coulonge Depot, Quebec and dated from March 1895 to April 1901. The letters are very detailed with information on type, size and price of timber cuts and details of the running of the operation (including details of trespassers



on the Booth land). J. R. Booth was the sole manager of his businesses and this is evidence that he required the detailed reports from his holdings.

Other letters relating to lumbering and the Depot are included from Hennessey to John Bryson (Fort Coloungé), David Bromley (Westmeath), David Gillies, M.P. (Pontiac), John Comrie (Beachburg) and other locals involved in the lumber trade. Fort Coulonge, Quebec.



Manuscript. 1895 to 1901. 4to. 28cm, over 400 pp., handwritten entries, labeled index in front, three-quarter leather, gilt spine title ("Letter Book"), some cover wear, the binding is very good, the contents are in fine condition, very rare 5,000.00

An invaluable first person account of the Upper Ottawa lumber trade.

### 33. BOURINOT, Arthur S.

Lieut. Arthur Bourinot's copy of the British War Department "Field Service Regulations. Part I. Operations 1909" returned after being found in a dug-out in the crest of Vimy Ridge. Laid in are two letters explaining the return.

Letter No. 1: , (hand-written): "France Oct. 6th, 1917. Dear Col. Street, You will be surprised to get a letter from me, I thought I must write to you under circumstances-which are these- the book I am sending to you evidently belonged to Bourinot, I came across it in a dug-out on the crest of Vimy Ridge, & thought you would perhaps like to hand it to Lady Bourinot as it was found by one who was formally under your command in the 77th, Bourinot & I both being in "A" Company. Some time ago I was told he was in the R.F.C. But I have never met him since I left the 77th in May, 1915.

*I am with the 2nd Canadian Pioneers, which address will always find me.*

*I am, Sir,*

*Your obedient servant,*

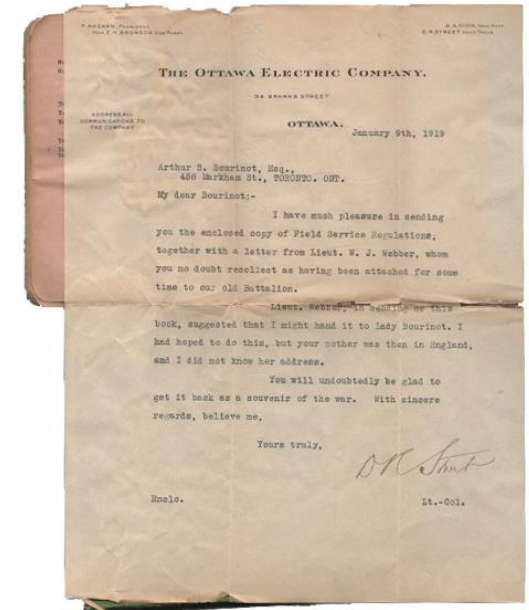
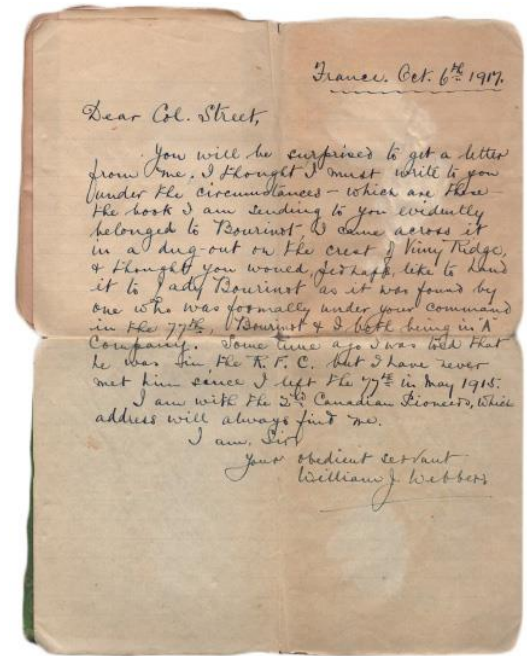
*William J. Webber.*

Letter No. 2: (typed on letterhead: The Ottawa Electric Company). January 9th, 1919.

*Arthur S. Bourinot, Esq. 458 Markham St., Toronto, Ont.*

*My dear Bourinot: I have much pleasure in sending you the enclosed copy of Field Service Regulations together with a letter from Lieut. W.J. Webber, whom you no doubt recollect as having been attached for some time to our old Battalion.*

*Lieut. Webber, in sending me this book, suggested that I might hand it to Lady Bourinot. I had hoped to do this, but your mother was then in England, and I did not know her address.*



*You will undoubtedly be glad to get it back as a souvenir of the war. With sincere regards, believe me,*

*Yours truly,*

*D.R Street (signed) Lt.-Col.*

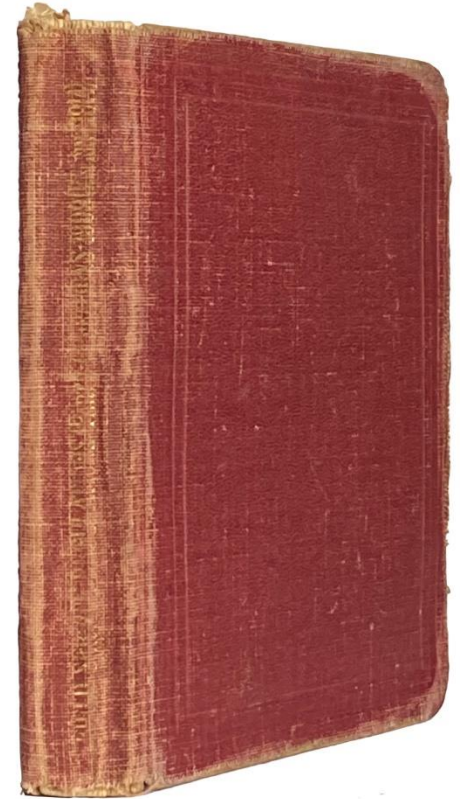
Canadian poet, Arthur Bourinot (1893-1969) served in World War One with the 77th Battalion, C.E.F., and with the Royal Flying Corps. He finished the war as a P.O.W. in Germany (1917-18). A internet copy has been included of his "Officers Declaration Paper" for the 77th Battalion in 1915 along with the same for Lieut. Col. D.R. Street, OC of the 77th Battalion. The 77th was raised in Ottawa and area and is perpetuated by the G.G.F.G.

The Book: BRITISH WAR OFFICE.

Field Service Regulations Part I. Operations 1909. (reprinted with Amendments, 1914). London. H.M.S.O. 1914. 24mo. 13 cm, 302p., maroon cloth, faint gilt spine title, Military Books series advertisements on the endpapers, some annotating, good condition

1,500.00

A well-used practical British guide for officers but commonly used by the Canadian military. In handy pocket size for field reference. Signed on endpaper: Lt. Bourinot, 77th Battalion, Ottawa.

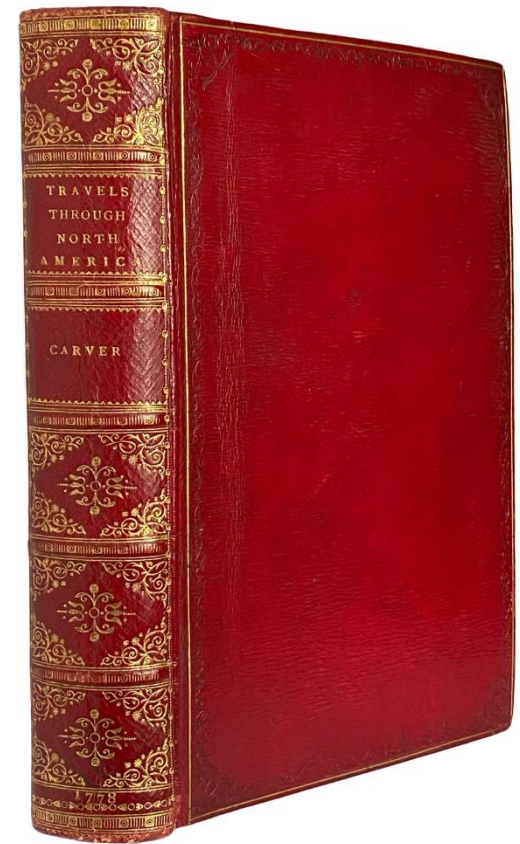


The First Edition of Carver's Compelling Narrative

### 34. CARVER, J[onathan]

Travels Through The Interior Parts of North-America, in the Years 1766,1767,and 1768. Captain of a Company of Provincial Troops during the late War with France. London. Printed for the Author. **1778**. 8vo, 22.2cm, (tall copy), the First Edition, xvi, 17-543,[1](plates and errata page)p., with 2 folding maps, (1 in colour; frontis folding map expertly backed in fine grain linen), & 4 engraved plates, in contemporary full cross grain crimson morocco, gilt decorated raised bands, extra gilt decorations and borders in the panels, gilt titles, gilt ruled dentelles, top edge gilt, a fine clean copy in fine contemporary binding 4,500.00

T.P.L. 415. Lande 108. Gagnon II-325. Howes C-215. J.C.B. II-2538. Field 251. Pilling Algonquian p68. Streeter III-1772.Sabin 11184. Cox II-151. Siebert II-680. After serving in five campaigns against the French in Canada, and narrowly escaping massacre while commanding a company at Fort William Henry, Jonathan Carver determined to explore beyond the Mississippi, and to find an overland route to the Pacific Ocean. Starting from Boston, in June 1766, he travelled 1300 miles to the most remote British post, and surveyed the bays and rivers of Lake Superior. Then, with supplies for trade with the Indians, he struck north-west of the Mississippi area, further than any explorer had been except Hennepin in 1680 and later proceeded west to



the sources of the St. Pierre, or Minnesota, River, living among the Indians and learning their language. He returned to Boston in October 1768, having visited 12 Indian nations and travelled some seven thousand miles. Carver's work is particularly rich in Indian lore and the methods of Indian warfare are described in detail. The book is also of value as a record of early travels in Minnesota and French Canada, and contains one of the earliest descriptions of the regions. It attracted considerable attention because of its description of places supposedly lying near the North-West Passage. Carver's compelling narrative was hugely popular and was re-issued in over twenty editions; including a third revised edition by 1791.

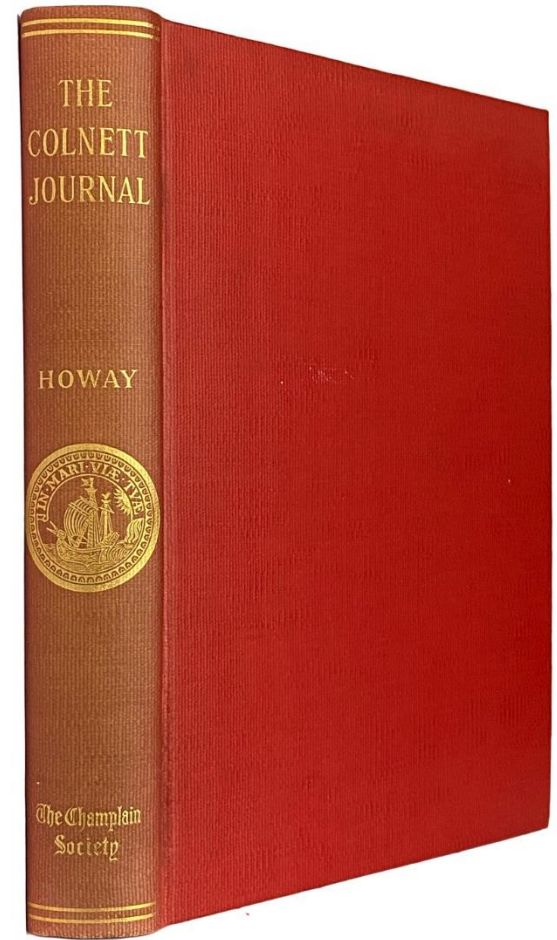




## 35. COLNETT, James

The Journal of Captain James Colnett, aboard The Argonaut, from April 26, 1789 to Nov. 3, 1791. Edited with Introduction and Notes by F.W. Howay. Toronto The Champlain Society No. 26. 1940. 24cm, xxxi,328p. with 26 maps & plates, limited to 550 copies, this being #107, original crested red cloth, t.e.g., very good to fine condition 250.00

T.P.L 4766. Smith 1905. Howes C603. Strathern 119. "Journal of Colnett's second trading voyage to the north-west coast, edited from the original in the Public Record Office. The appendices contain the terms of the licence and other records relating to the Prince of Wales, Princess Royal and Argonaut and a translation of Martinez's diary from July 2 to 14, 1789, presenting a parallel version of Colnett's account of the Nootka Incident".



## 36. DAVENPORT, Francis Gardiner, (Edited by)

European Treaties bearing on the History of the United States and its Dependencies.

Vol.1: To 1648.

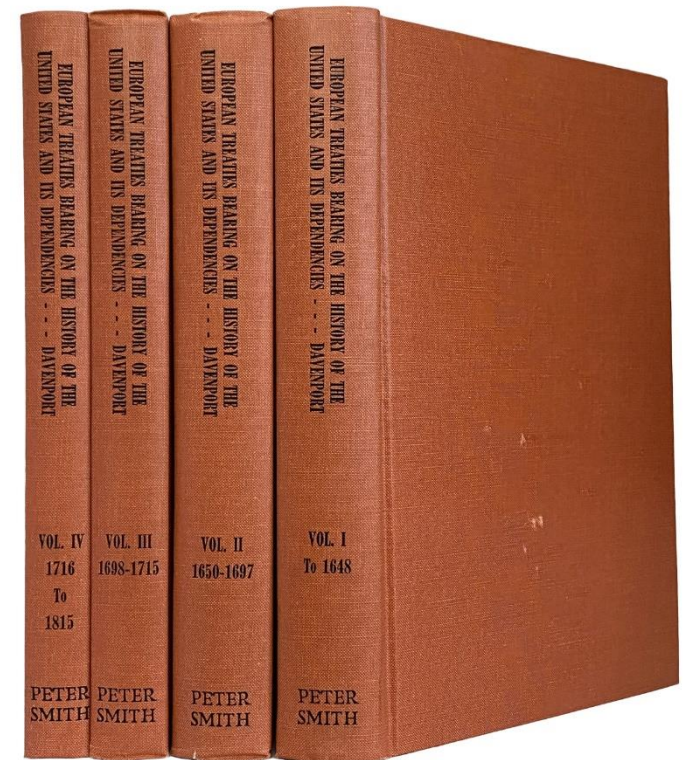
Vol. 2: 1650- 1697.

Vol. 3: 1698-1715.

Vol. 4: 1716-1815.

[Complete in 4 volumes]. Gloucester, Mass. Peter Smith. 1967. 8vo. 23cm, second edition, vi,387 & vi,386 & vi,269 & viii, 222pp., volumes indexes, terra cotta brown cloth, black stamped spine titles, as new 300.00

A reprint of the first editions of 1917, 1929, 1934, 1937. Volume 4 was completed by Charles Oscar Paulin after the death of Francis Gardiner Davenport. Francis Gardener Davenport (1870-1927) was an American historian and "European Treaties" is considered her magnus opus.

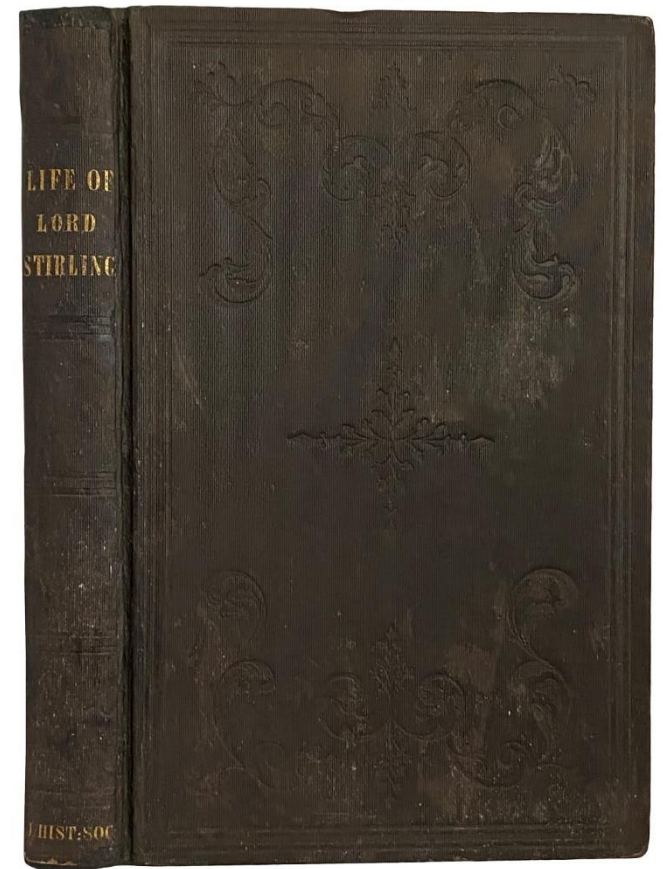


### 37. DURER, William Alexander

The Life of William Alexander, Earl of Stirling; Major General in the Army of the United States, during The Revolution: with Selections From His Correspondence. By His Grandson, William Alexander Durer. New York. Published by the New Jersey Historical Society. **1847**. 8vo. 22.5cm, First Edition, xii,272p., steel engraved frontis portrait, 5 battle plans, original elaborately blind decorated dark brown cloth, gilt spine titles, hinge expertly restored, Author's Signed Presentation to his Brother, some slight foxing, a fine copy

500.00

Gagnon I-1193. Sabin 21113. In 1781, Lord Sterling was a Major General who was appointed to the command of the American troops in New York, New Jersey and the Northern Department, at Albany. Chapter IX, relates to operations in Canada and along the frontier. - Volume two of the Collections of the New Jersey Historical Society.



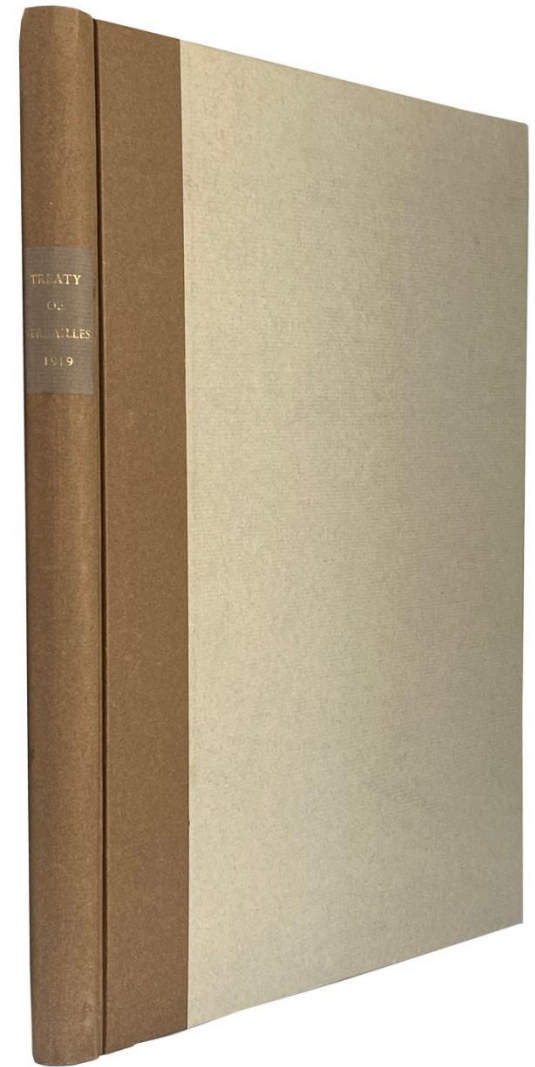
## 38. [GREAT BRITAIN].

Treaty Respecting Assistance to France in the Event of Unprovoked Aggression by Germany. Signed at Versailles, June 28, 1919. Presented to Parliament by Command of His Majesty. London, Published by His Majesty's Stationery Office, 1919. Treaty Series. No. 6 (1919). [CMD.221].

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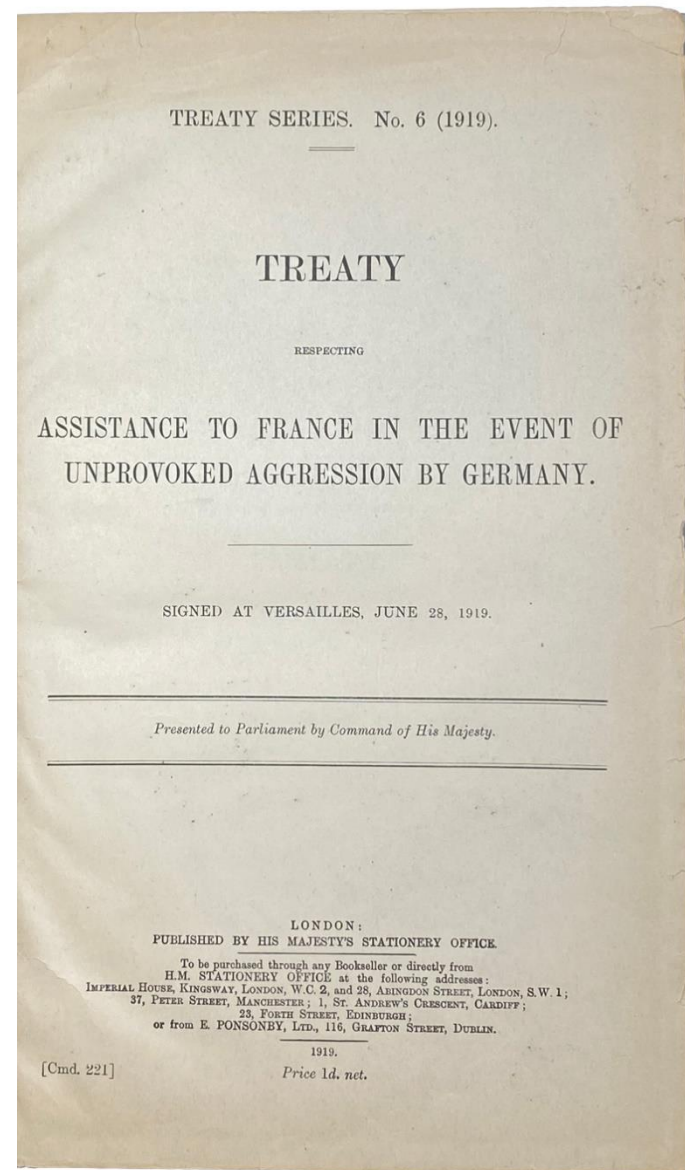


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The Treaty of Versailles was the peace agreement between the Allied Countries and Germany to mark the end of World War I. The armistice was signed on November 11th, 1918, though negotiations lasted for many months afterwards. Under the terms of the Treaty, Germany was required to pay for damage done to allied countries, a cost in the hundreds of billions of dollars. Violations of the Treaty began shortly after it was signed, and by 1935 Hitler began rebuilding the German navy and air force. The Germans' invasion of Poland in 1939 initiated World War II.

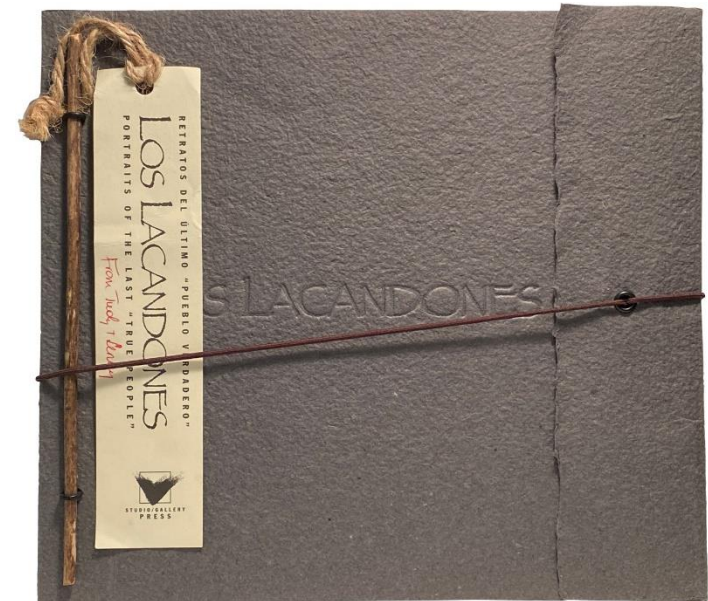


By Canadian Photographer V. Tony Hauser

### 39. HAUSER, V. Tony,

Los Lacandones. Retratos del Ultimo "Pueblo Verdadero" / Portraits of the Last "True People". Toronto. Studio/Gallery Press. 1996. oblong8vo, 22x 24cm, Limited Edition of 300 numbered copies, this being #219, being 20 platinum black & white photographs, each photograph accompanied with an onion skin leaf of poetry, string-bound with wood stick mount, bevel text hand made paper dark gray wraps with blind-stamp title, elastic tie, fine as new condition, Text in Spanish & English. 275.00

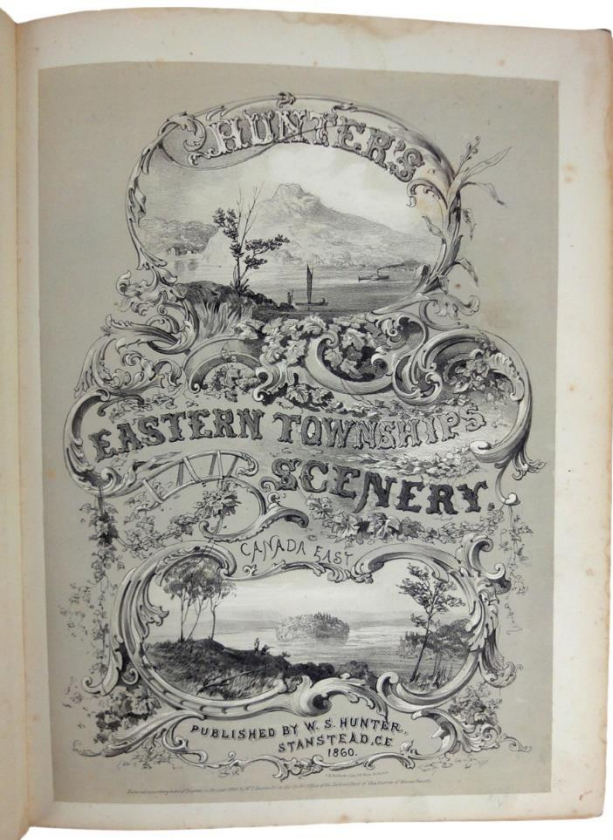
A photographic record of the Lacandons of Naha, a small group of 200 indigenous people living in a remote region of the Mexican state of Chiapas, near the border of Guatemala. Threatened by encroaching civilization, the "True People," and their culture have been preserved in a remarkable series of photographs by Canadian photographer, V. Tony Hauser. Each photograph is accompanied by poetry by Alejandro Palavecino. The graphic design is by Frank Mazzuca. A fine production.



## 40. HUNTER, William S.

Hunter's Eastern Townships Scenery, Canada East. Montreal. Printed and Published by John Lovell. **1860**. 33.5cm, folio. 36p. engraved frontis title-page, map, and 13 lithographed plates, in the original blind stamped cloth, with gilt titles on the upper cover, expertly restored, some foxing or damp spots mainly on the margins of the first four plates but the illustrations are good clear strikes 1,500.00

HOT LINE: That equals 115.38 a plate which is less than a third of value of these plates in the trade.



T.P.L. 5907. Lande 1863. Spendlove p44-45. Sabin 33936. Harper p167. "As the text indicates, Hunter lived in Stanstead, in the Eastern Townships, and so could describe and illustrate this distinct and very beautiful part of the Province of Quebec from personal knowledge. The plates were accurately drawn and lithographed,



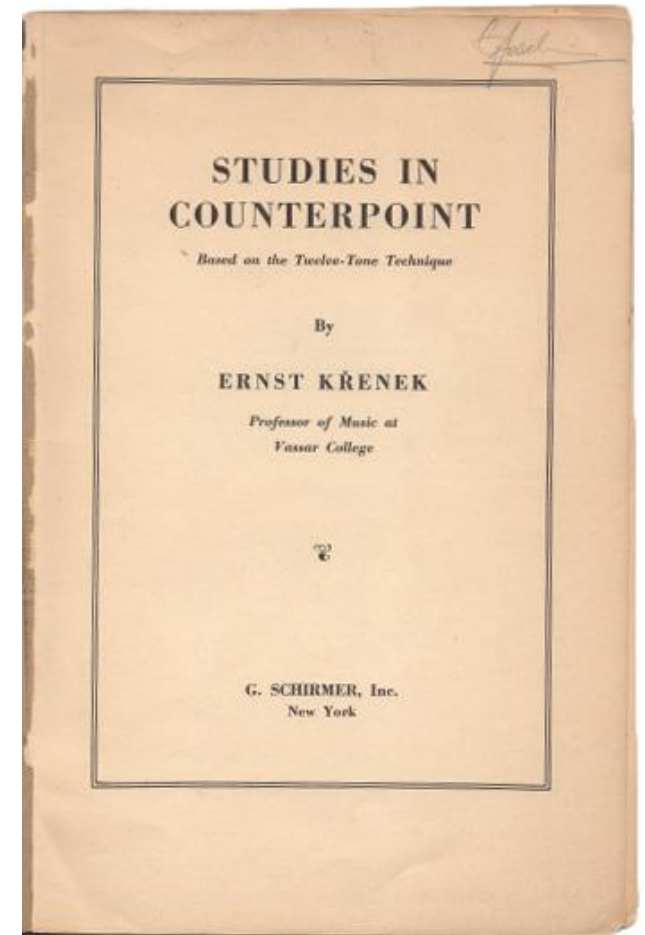
and are of much interest and increasing rarity. They were printed in black and white, and sometimes later given a wash of light colour. Lithographed by Bufford in Boston who did many early views for Nathaniel Currier". Spendlove. The plates are oval shaped with interesting small separately titled vignette illustrations at the corners. These attractive antique lithograph views portray this scenic area of Quebec in the mid-nineteenth century. The map indicates the railway connections to the eastern townships.

Krenek moved to Toronto in the 1950's and taught at the Royal Conservatory of Music

## 41. KRENEK, Ernest

Studies in Counterpoint. Based on the Twelve-Tone Technique. New York. G. Schirmer. Inc. 1940. 4to. 26cm, The First (sole) edition, ix,37p., with 100 music examples, printed wraps with Schirmer logo on rear cover, printed titles on upper cover, spine chipped, some annotating, wraps dust worn, very good 150.00

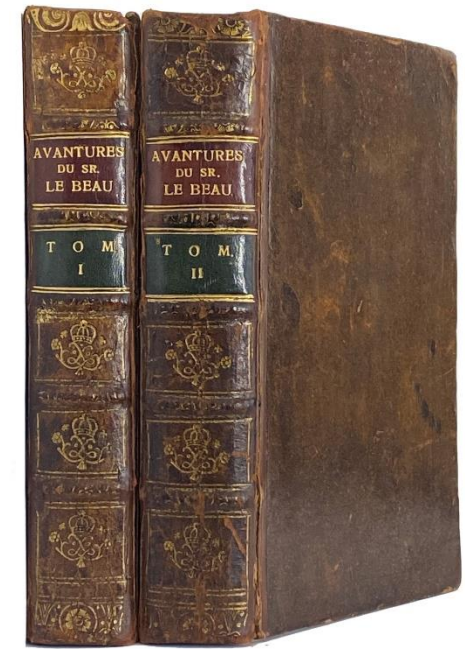
The Twelve-Tone technique was a method of composing devised by Arnold Schoenberg, that treats all 12 notes in the chromatic scale as equal, producing a somewhat atonal sound. Austrian musician, Ernest Krenek (1900-1991) a prolific composer, an advocate of modern music, published this study while Professor of Music at Vassar College. In the 1950's he moved to Toronto and taught at the Royal Conservatory of Music





## 42. LE BEAU, Claude

Avantures du Sr. C. Le Beau, Avocat en Parlement, ou Voyage Curieux et Nouveau, Parmi les Sauvages de l'Amérique Septentrionale. Dans Le Quel on Trouvera une Description du Canada, avec une Relation tes particuliere des anceinnes Coutumes, Maeur & Facons de vivre des Barares qui l'habitent & de la maniere don't ils se comprtent aujourd'hii. Amsterdam. Chez Herman Uytwerf, **1738**. 12mo, 15.5cm, in 2 volumes, 370,6 & 430,6pp., with 6 folding engraved plates, 1 folding engraved map, rubricated title pages, in contemporary full specked calf, real raised bands, double crimson and black leather labels gilt, gilt border and decorations in the panels, very good to fine set, rare



2,200.00

T.P.L. 168. Lande 513. Gagnon I-1992. Howes L-167. Field 901. Gagnon I-1992. Sabin 39582. JCB I-582. Winsor IV-p299. DCB., Echeverria & Wilke. French Image of America.. I-738/4.

In 1729, Le Beau was transported to New France from a French prison where he had been incarcerated for libertinism. He fled from Quebec to Holland in 1730, having been charged with counterfeiting and thereby facing a death sentence. Sabin describes his narrative as "a pleasant gossiping book, evidencing considerable acquaintance with the subjects described. It contains



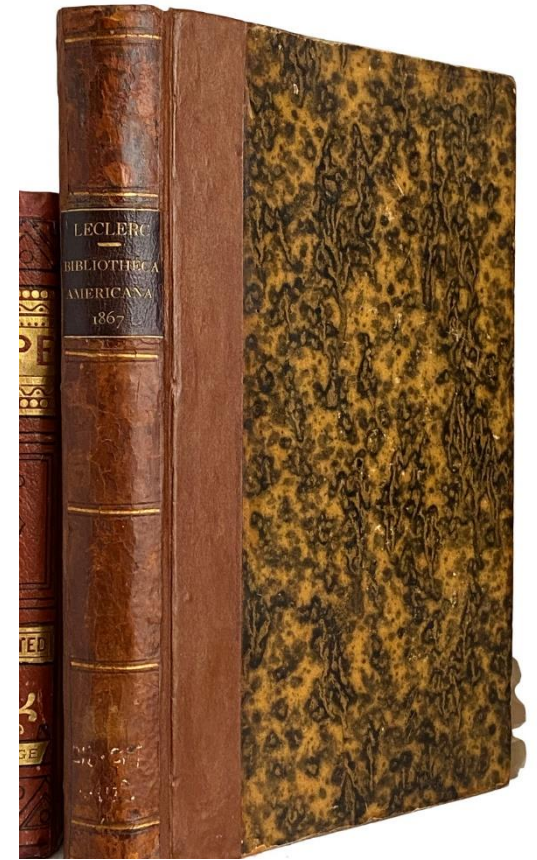
a description of the manners and customs of the Iroquois, the Hurons, the Algonquins, and other Indian tribes, derived from the author's personal experiences, although the style in which the work is written is rather that of a romance than a true narrative." Of particular interest are the chapters in which the author discusses the habits of the beaver and the religious ideas and customs of the Indians. "A description of Huron, Iroquois, and Algonquin customs, written in charming style and based, the Author claims, on observations made on a trip to America in 1729" - TPL.



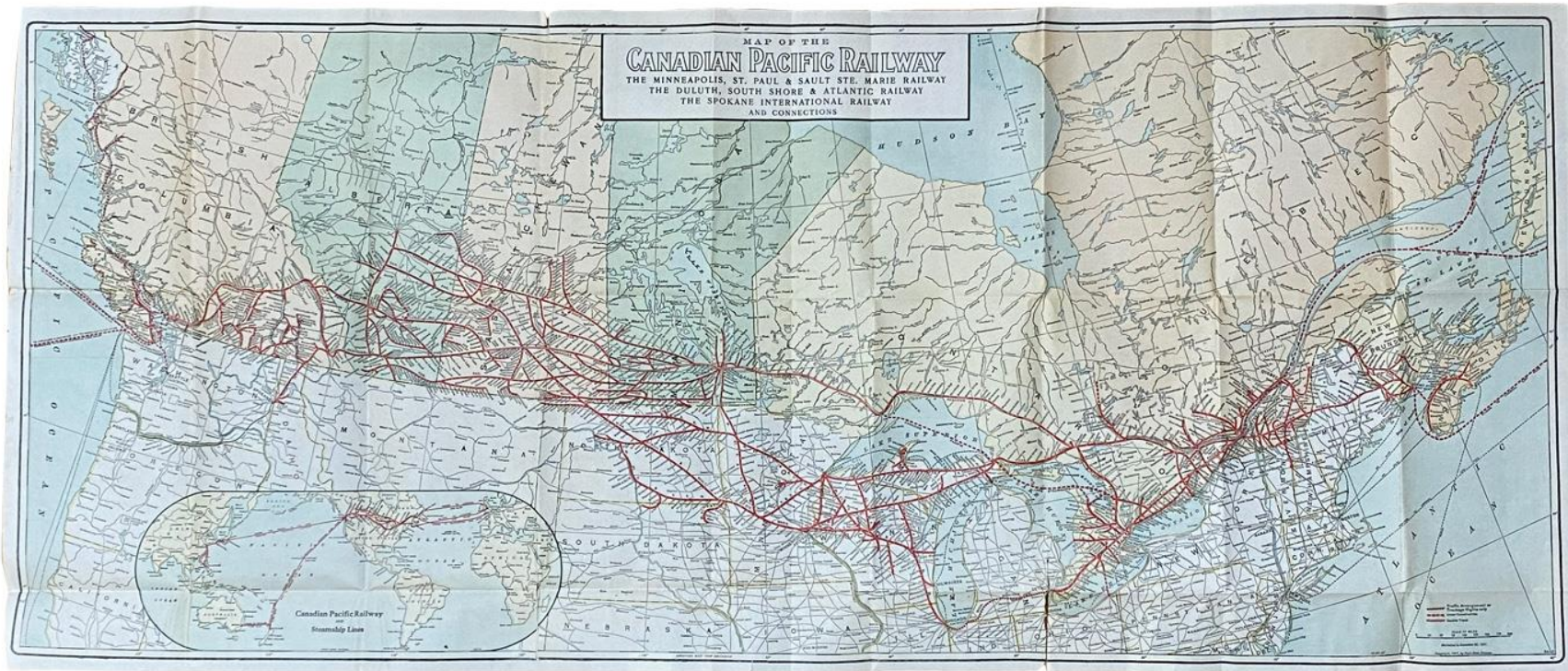
## 43. LECLERC, Charles

Bibliotheca Americana ~ Catalogue Raisonné, d'une tres-precieuse Collection de Livres Anciens et Modernes, Sur L'Amerique et Les Philippines. Classés par ordre alphabétique de noms d' auteurs . Paris. Maisonneuve & Cie. **1867**. 8vo, vii,[1],424p., in the original quarter calf backed French marbled boards, crushed dark crimson leather label, marbled endpapers, ex-Fraser Institute with their bookplate and library stamps, faded spine call number, hinges expertly restored, a fine sound copy thus 300.00

Bibliotheca Americana is a catalogue of a very valuable collection of ancient and modern books, on America and the Philippines. It was considered among the best catalogues in French on Americana.



#### 44. MAP. - Canadian Pacific Railway.



Map of the Canadian Pacific Railway, The Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie Railway, The Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic Railway and Connections. (Includes an inset "Canadian Pacific Railway & Steamship" world map). Chicago. Poole Bros. 1911. colour folding map with route and lines in colour, 48x 113cm, [19"x 44.5"]., (folding to 24x 13.5cm, [9.5"x 5"]., single sheet, in full colour with routes outlined in red, a minor split at a few folds, a fine bright and clear copy 100.00

The complete C.P.R. system with all its connections and all station names. Copyright, Poole Bros., Chicago, 1893, corrected to 1911.

## 45. [MAP]. BOSTON, Massachusetts

"Boston and Surroundings". Boston. Published by Geo. H. Walker & Co. **1894**. large linen backed folding map of Boston, dated 1894. Map size: 103x 75 cm (35"x 29.5") folded to 8vo, 21x 11cm, being a detailed street map with some colour borders, parks in green, Charles, Mystic Rivers & ports in blue, light wear on the folds, outside panels are dust worn, very good to fine

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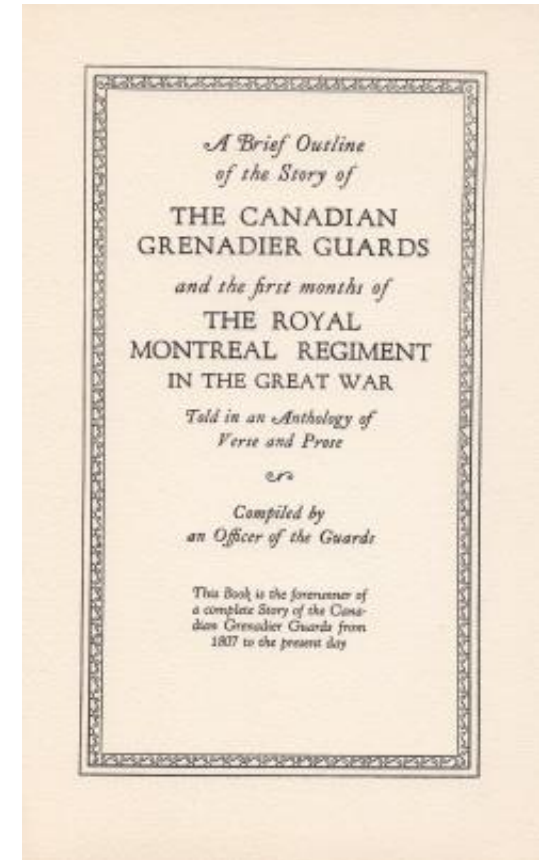
Legend: "Blue lines 8, show new wards". A detailed map of Boston and area in the last decade of the 19th century. First settled in the 1630's by the Puritans by the 1890s had grown to a city of around 450,000.



## 46. [MEIGHEN, Frank Stephen].

A Brief Outline of the Story of The Canadian Grenadier Guards and the first months of The Royal Montreal Regiment in the Great War. Told in an Anthology of Verse and Prose. Compiled by an Officer of the Guards. [Montreal. Gazetteer Printing]. Printed for Private Circulation, 1926. 8vo, 21cm. 75,[1]p., map, stiff maroon wraps and endpapers, , a fine bright copy, (as new), scarce 125.00

Cooke p159. - A brief history of the 14th and 87th Battalions of the C.E.F., from the mobilization of the R.M.R.s on August 4th, 1914 to their return to Montreal in 1818, interspersed with poems from the trenches and the classics. A moving account, factual and poetic.

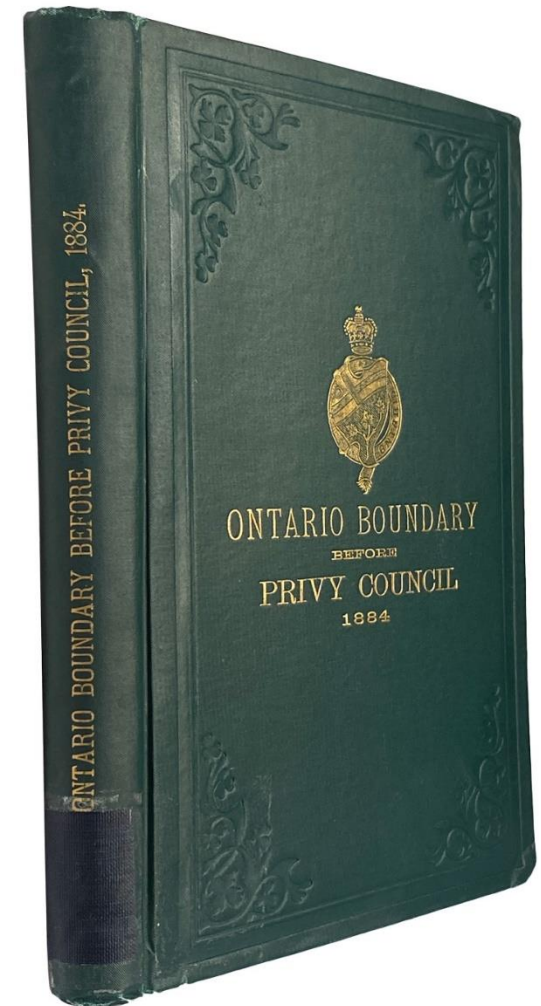


Report on The West Boundary of Ontario

## 47. ONTARIO. Legislative Assembly.

The Proceedings before the judicial committee of her majesty's Imperial Privy Council on the special case respecting to Westerly Boundary of Ontario,... With notes of explanation and correction. Toronto. Warwick & Sons. **1889**. 24cm, 421p. large folding frontis map., in the original dark blue green cloth, blind decorations and borders on the boards, gilt spine and cover titles, ex-library, call number covered, very good sound copy

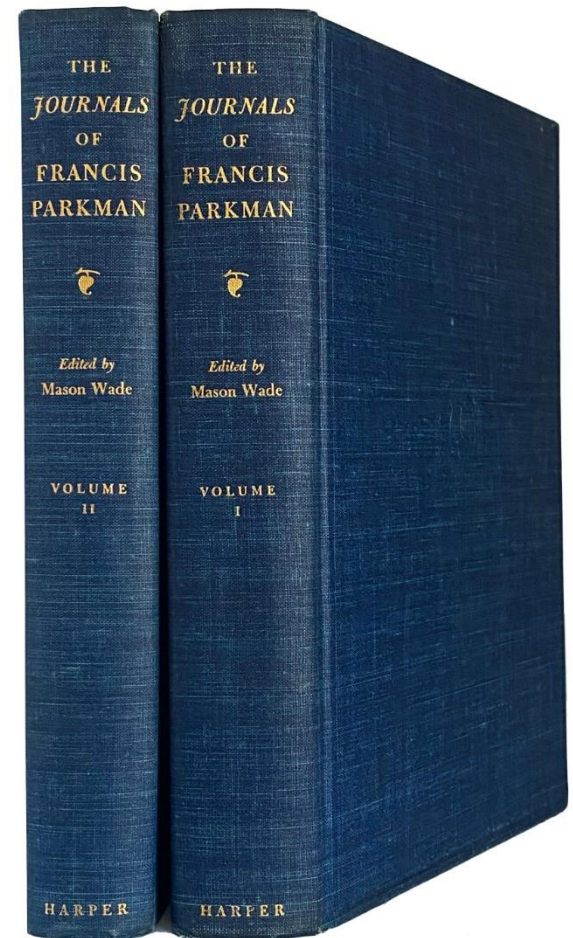
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## 48. [PARKMAN]. WADE, Mason (Edited by)

The Journals of Francis Parkman. Illustrated. In Two Volumes. New York and London. Harper & Brothers. 1947. 24cm, XXV,381 & [-vii,385)-718pp., with 17 plates and illustrations, 5 maps on the endpapers, index, blue cloth, gilt spine titles, very good to fine set 50.00

The entries cover the years 1841 to 1892. The journals were discovered in a Boston attic fifty years after Parkman's death and added a new dimension to the explorations and writings of the famous historian. Volume two contains the Oregon Trail journal. Mason Wade was a Canadian historian.





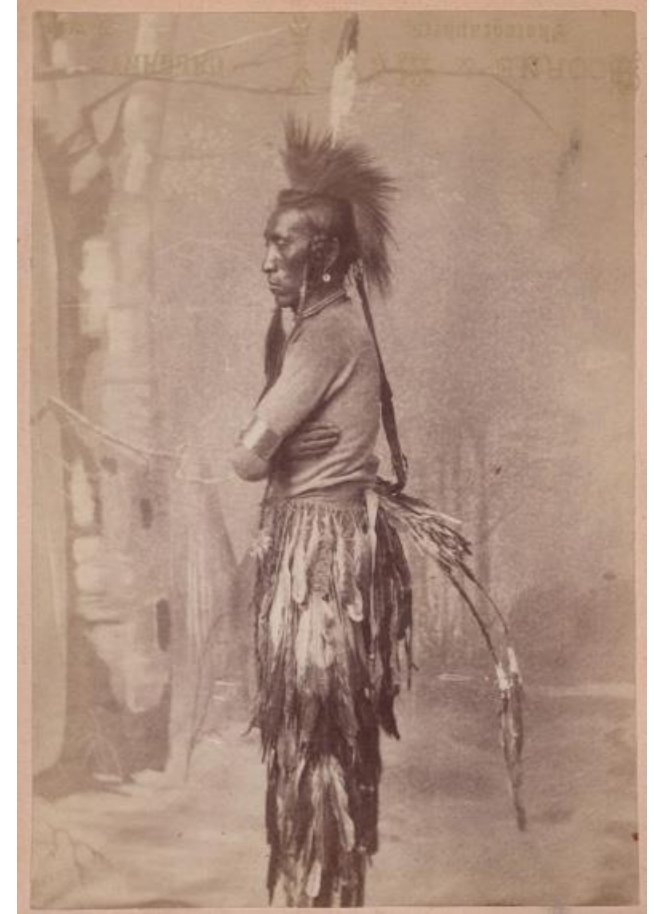
"White Knife" a.k.a. "Old-Knife" 1887.

## 49. [PHOTOGRAPH]. - Original 19th Century Mounted Photograph.

"White Knife" a.k.a. "Old-Knife". Crow Indian. Sarcee / Tsun T'ina. Calgary. Boorne & May Photographers. N.W.T. Ca. **1887**. Three quarter length photograph mounted on studio card, 15x 10.5cm, (6" x 4 1/8")., studio portrait, in excellent condition, clear resolution, a fine copy, rare 1,750.00

One undated record located, sold 1250.00us. "White Knife", family is listed in "Cumulative Index to the Collections of the State Historical Society of North Dakota, Volumes I–VII: White Knife, Indian family of, IV:391. but not this person.

The Battle of Cut Knife is a significant battle that took place during the North-West Resistance of 1885. The Cut Knife battlefield is located on the Poundmaker Reserve, about 40 km west of Battleford, Saskatchewan, just north of Cut Knife Hill, a feature named for a Sarcee warrior who died near there. A cairn sits near the middle of the battlefield, near the grave of Pitikwahanapiwiyin (Poundmaker).

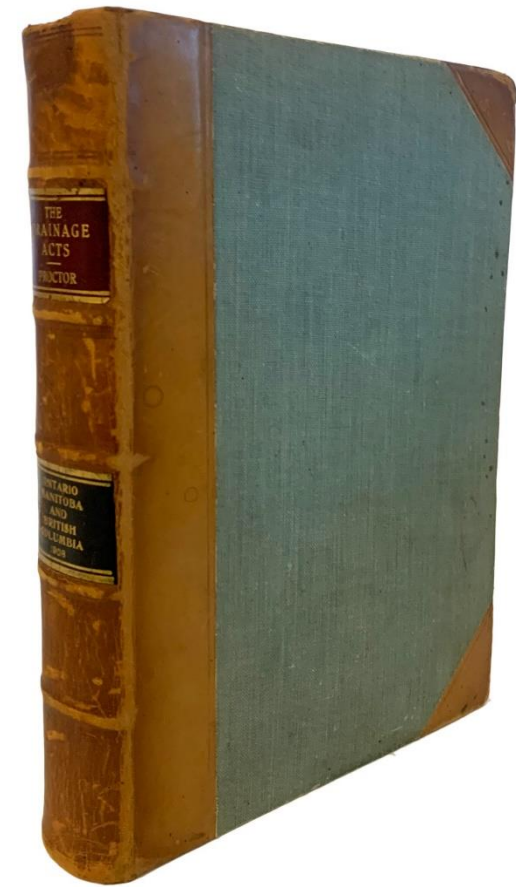


## 50. PROCTOR, Frank B.

The Drainage Acts, Ontario. An Annotation of The Municipal Drainage Act, R.S.O. 1897, C. 226, and of The Ditches and Watercourses Act, R.S.O. 1897, C. 285, and Amending Acts, together with the Rules and Practice before the Drainage Referees, and an Appendix of Statutes, Containing The Land Drainage Act, Manitoba, and The Draining and Dyeing Sections of The Municipal Clauses Act, British Columbia.

Toronto. Arthur Poole & Co. 1908. 8vo, 22.2cm, xiv,373p., with a Table of Cases Cited, (8 pages), indexes (pp317-373), in contemporary half tan calf, raised bands, double crimson and black leather labels gilt, green cloth boards, worn on the edges, rare

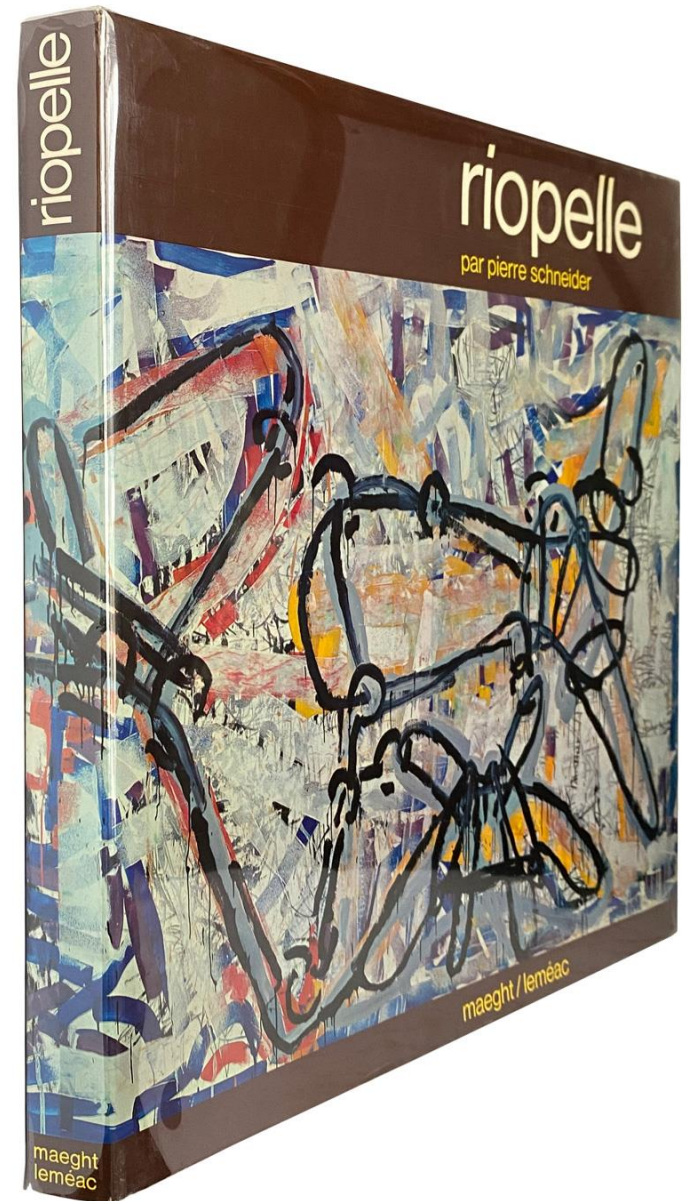
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## 51. [RIOPELLE. By Perre Schneider.

Riopelle, Signes Meles. Paris & Montreal. Maeght & Lemeac. 1972. square4to. 28x28cm, 175p., with 152 illustrations (including some colour) of works, 4 pages of folding colour plates, bibliography, chronological list of exhibitions (1944-1972), errata sheet laid in, full mustard yellow linen, titles stamped in black, a fine copy in fine jacket. 75.00

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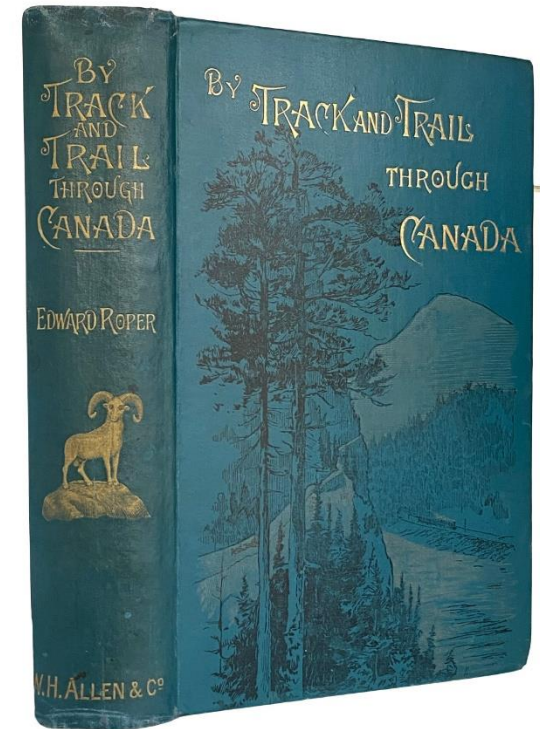
## 52. ROPER, Edward

By Track and Trail. A Journey Through Canada. With Numerous Original Sketches by the Author. London; & Calcutta. W.H. Allen & Co. **1891**. 23.5cm, tall thick8vo, The First Edition, xiv,455p. frontis, 44 plates & 60 illustrations reproduced from sketches and paintings by the author, rear folding map, beautifully pictorial decorated blue green cloth with gilt block titles on the spine and upper cover, very good to fine sound clean copy, original extra pictorial and gilt decorated blue cloth, unopened, a very good copy, now very scarce 450.00

Peel 1235. This great travel narrative has long been very scarce in decent condition; our last copy was in catalogue 124. The former elderly (ie a generation old than me) decided to keep the back from the books being sold to us. "It such a great and enjoyable read I thought I would like to

"Chapters 3-8, 25-27, describe the author's experiences on the prairie". Lowther 946. "About one-half of the book describes British Columbia. - Roper was an Englishman who travelled across Canada; visited Vancouver in 1890; some of his original water-colours are in the Vancouver Public Library.

Waterston p183. "Roper offers triple advice: to settlers, "Pause;" to office workers, "No;" to tourists, "Go." This full, readable book describes the joys of camping out and the difficulty of farming "as though a man could live on the picturesqueness of Canada." Roper dramatizes Winnipeg, post-boom, with agents over-anxious to sell. Victoria, where men lounge in flannels, near Chinese ladies, "just like the Mandarin dolls we have at home." Roper builds in a romantic account of a young English immigrant and his two pretty sisters, Miss Maud (who doesn't like Canada) and Miss Maggie (who does like the country, and finally decides to marry and settle here)".

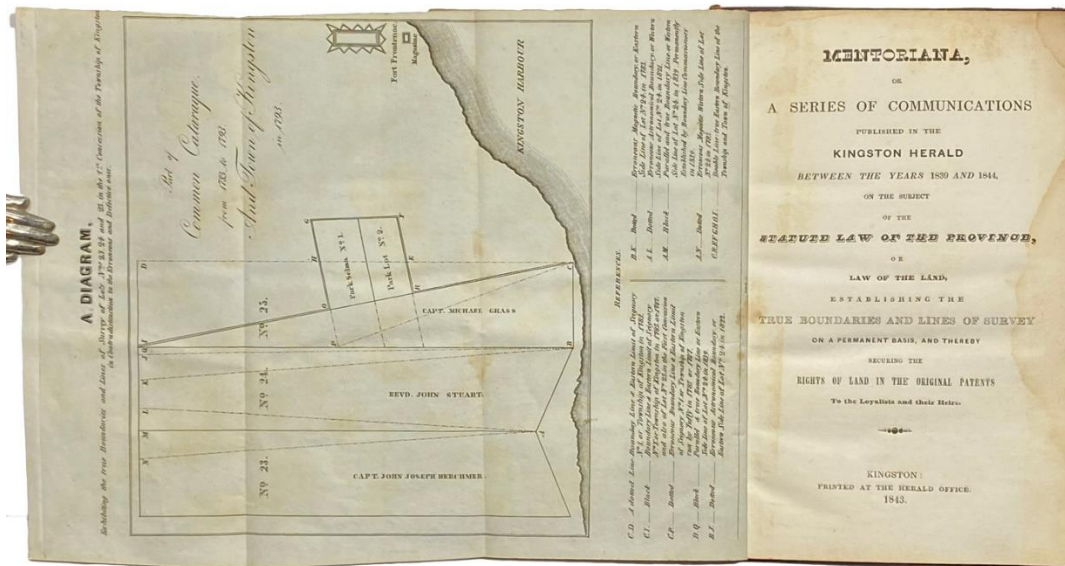
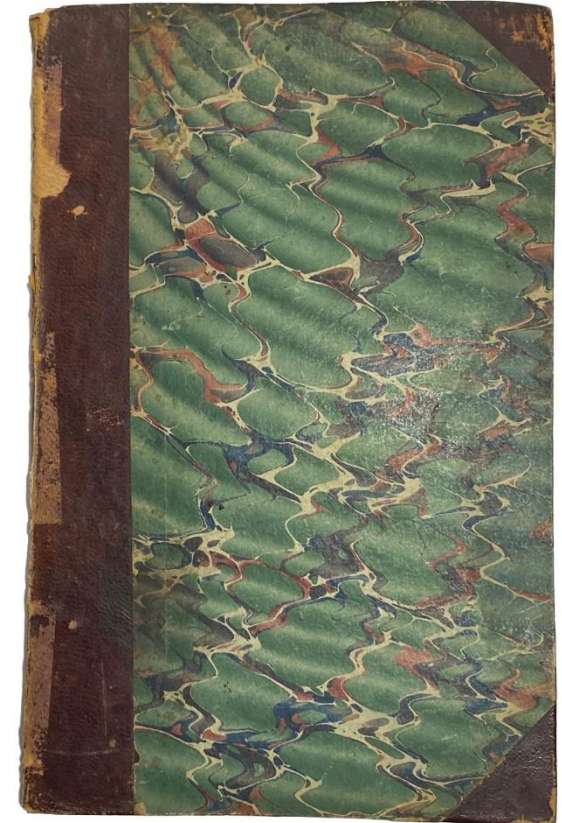


## 53. [STUART, George O Kell].

Mentoriana, or A Series of Communications published in the Kingston Herald between the Years 1839 and 1844, on the subject of the Statute Law Of The Provencie, or Law of the Land, establishing the True Boundaries And Lines Of Survey on a premanent basis, and thereby securing the Rights of Land in the Original Patents. To The Loyalists and Their Heirs.

Kingston. Printed at the Hearld Office. **1843**. 20cm, in 8's., 62,xiii,16,(appendix)p., & Communications, Published in the Kingston Hearld; Supplementary to Mentoriana. [last 16 pages]. With folding frontis "A Diagram. Exhibiting the True Boundary and Lines of Survey of Lots, ..." with printed reference legend., slight damp stain to the fore-edges of the first and last few papas, in quarter maroon sheep and marbled boards, spine chipped, upper cover loose, some contemorary corrections on the last few leaves, very good, very rare 900.00

T.P.L. 2618. ~ Not in Lande, Gagnon, Davidson. No online or auction records located. WorldCat, one copy, Queen's University, Kingston. - Aurora, no copies. / Not in HUB, ABE, Johnson, JPMc, Catndx.

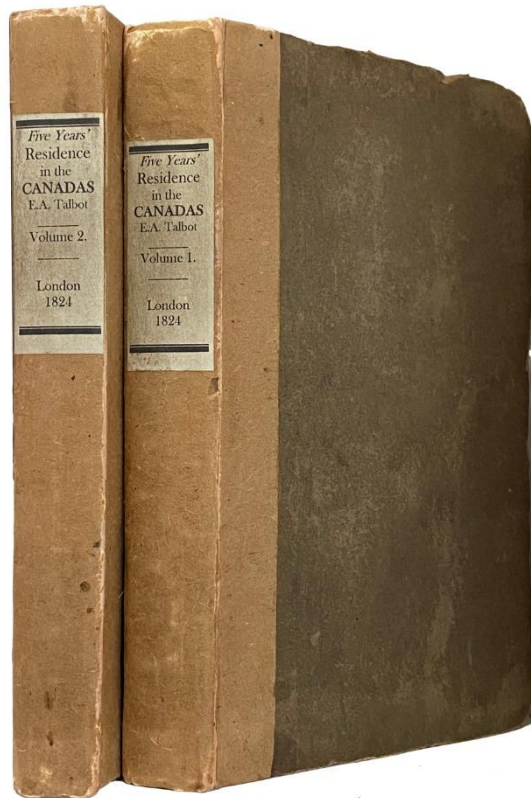


## 54. TALBOT, Edward Allen

Five Years' Residence in the Canadas: including A Tour through Part of The United States of America, in the year 1823. London. Printed for Longman, Hurst, Rees, Orme, Brown and Green. **1824**. 8vo. 23cm, The First Edition, in 2 volumes, xvi,419 & vii,400pp., with 2 aquatint frontis views, 2 page plan, in the original publisher's boards, new paper labels, uncut, private library stamp on the verso of the title page, preliminaries including title page and frontis in both volumes have some foxing or toning, (not obtrusive), the rest of the text is clean and

sound, a very good to fine set of the first edition

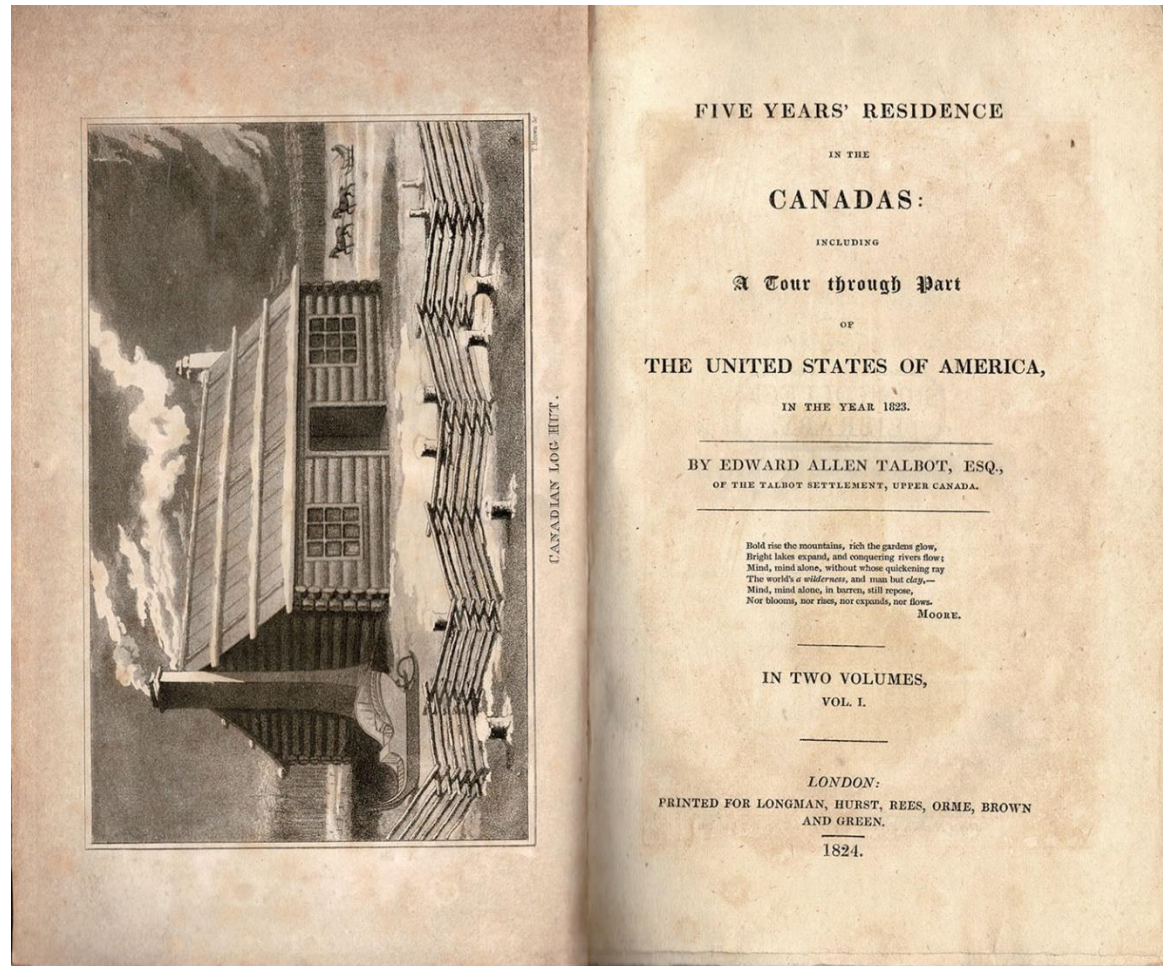
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T.P.L. 1299. Dionne 1018. Gagnon 3460. Lande 824. Sabin 94229. - The two plates, which are by T. Brown, are fine examples of early lithography. - Edward Talbot was born in Ireland in 1796, and emigrated with his family and a party of Irish immigrants to Middlesex County, near London, Ontario, Upper Canada in 1818. He was successively a teacher and a journalist, founding the radical "London Sun" in 1831. He travelled extensively throughout Upper and Lower Canada, and was only 23 when he wrote this work which was published in London. He describes the life in Upper Canada at the time, and gives a detailed account of the flora and fauna, climate, society, education, emigration, manners and Indians, of the Lower Canadians. Talbot's account was written with a view to giving a more realistic appraisal of the prospects and difficulties for immigrants than he felt was afforded by a number of contemporary works.

"Edward Allen Talbot, a young Irishman, described the trip taken by his family up the St. Lawrence in search of a new life, replacing the discouragement of impoverished gentility in Ireland. Lively impression of Montreal, Kingston, York and the London region are capped by

a last description of his solitary pedestrian return to Montreal. As a picturesque tour his book is cheerful and entertaining. But the book was written to warn potential emigrants of the danger of trusting agents' accounts of the new country, and to show the "semi-barbarism" of life in the settlements. This led him to brilliant humorous accounts of "bees", "Charivaris", [Chivaree], New York's visits, tavern life, elections and agricultural practices". Waterston p42.



## 55. TRANS-CANADA Railway.

The Trans-Canada Ry. (cover title). Engineer's Report of the Physical Features of the Line and of the resources of the Territory tributary to the Railway. Quebec.. 1903]. 4to, 27.4cm, 8p., printed in double-columns, with 11 illustrations in the text, rear folding colour map, "Map of the Trans-Canada Railway" with routes outlined in colour, with the following tipped in errarta note: Since this map was published the Grand Trunk Pacific have change their location, and their proposed route now runs from Quebec to Winnipeg, via Gravenhurst or North Bay, thence via Battleford, Edmonton and Dunvegan to Port Simpson or Bute Inlet. ..

Also, loosely inserted: Diagram of Profiles comparing the TRANS-CANADA-RAILWAY with Other Trans-continental Railways in Canada and the United States. 31x 104cm, [12" x 41"]. - In stapled (rusted) green wraps, slightly dust worn cover and text fore-edges, both maps are fine, rare

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Casey 2853. Not in Peel. Amicus indicates three issues somewhat similar issues, 1901, 1902 & 1903, We had the 1902 issued once in our catalogue 296.



Cabinet Card Photograph - Commander Red River Expedition of 1870

56. **WOLSELEY, Field Marshal Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley..**

Original Cabinet Card three quarter mounted photograph portrait. 6 5/8" x 4 3/4".,  
in full uniform. Werner & Son, Artists. 39 Grafton Street, Dublin. **c.[1893]**. Printed on the  
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