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**Arthur H. Clark Sr.** not only ran a publishing company, but he was a book dealer as well as a civic leader. All of these facets of his character and career put him in written communication with many famous Americans, not just Western Americana authors.

This final catalog, Vol 3, has three sections. First, Letters exchanged between Clark and renown American personalities in six areas of talent: Bibliographers, Artists and Authors, Explorers & Ethnographers, Politicians, The Clergy, and Historians. Each archive of letters is intended to be sold together as a collection. The second part of this catalog is a selection of items which remained in the collection. Finally, 10 more archives of letters between Clark and his authors.

Highlighted names are linked to the individual's on-line biography. Trade discount extended.



### **BIBLIOGRAPHERS – 15 Letters / \$300 / \$25 each**



**Asakawa, Kan'ichi.** ALS & TLS, Jan. 20 / Feb. 14, 1920, Yale University, New Haven, CT. Sending copy of his book "Early Institutional Life in Japan, Fine.

**Biggar, Henry Percival.** Two ALS 6 pp, Aug 28, 1898, Paris, France. His role in the publishing of "Jesuit Relations" and copies of books, Fine.

**Brett, W. H.** TNS, Sept. 11, 1897, Cleveland Public Library, Cleveland, OH. Request for book, VG.



**Coues, Elliot.** ALS, Oct. 1, 1896, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C. Interest in a copy of "Jesuit Relations", G-VG.

**Davis, William Watts Hart.** ALS 2pp, Jan. 30, 1904, Bucks County Historical Society, Doylestown, PA. Authorship of 2 books about New Mexico, VG.

**Douglas, R. W.** ALS 3 pp, Jan. 3, 1920, Carnegie Library, Vancouver B. C. Access to books and personal relations, Near Fine.

**Hurlbut, George C.** ALS, Oct. 18, 1897, American Geographical Society, New York, NY. Statement of account for books purchased, Fine.

**Hill, G. F.** ALS 2pp, Nov. 16, 1917, Department of Coins and Medals British Museum, London. Possible copy of Numismatic Chronicle at Quaritch, Fine.

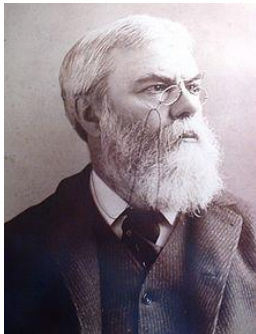
**Himes, George H.** TLS, May 7, 1920, Oregon Historical Society, Portland, OR. Engraving available for James Bridger, VG.

**Lyham, L. P.** ANS, Jul. 19, 1897, Library of Parliament, Dominion of Canada. Thank you at any time to send catalogs of Americana, VG.

**Rhodes, James F.** ALS, Mar 17, 1922, Boston, MA. Ability to participate in publishing "Castilian Days", Fine.

**Shafer, Joseph.** Two TLS 3pp, May 8, 1930, The State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Madison, WI. Densely typed letter to Prof. Archer B. Hulbert reference a new book he is proposing and the second letter requests feedback on a MSS proposal, VG.

**Shambaugh, Benjamin F.** TLS, Jan. 10, 1916, State Historical Society of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. Construction of the Iowa archives building, G+.



**Utley, George B.** TNS, Apr. 28, 1920, The Newberry Library, Chicago, IL. VG.

**Winsor, Justin.** ALS, Dec. 15, 1892, Harvard College Library, Cambridge MA. Order for books, Fine.



## ARTISTS AND AUTHORS – 10 Letters / \$250 / \$30 each



**Ade, George.** Two TLS, one with autograph note, Nov. 23, 1923 / July 24, 1924, Chicago Athletic Club, Chicago, IL. Declining the opportunity to review Houghton's Donner Party book and seeking to find one of his requested fables, VG. A humorist in the vein of Twain, Ade wrote with acerbic wit about the travails of the common, middle class American.

**Drake, William Henry.** 12 ALS, 1990-1904, Salmagundi Club, New York, NY. Seeking new assignments, sending completed assignments, Proferring himself and his work, VG+. Painter and illustrator of first edition of The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling.

**Edgerton, Franklin.** TLS, Feb. 24, 1917, American Oriental Society, University of Penn, Philadelphia, PA. Promoting the mission and cause of the Society, VG. Linguist, scholar and noted Sanskrit translator.

**Kingsley, Mary St Leger.** who used the pseudonym Lucas Malet. TLS, Jan. 28, 1903, South Kensington, London. Following up on a request to sign "Sir Richard Camady", G+. Her work was of peer with Thomas Hardy, Henry James and

even outsold Kipling at the turn of the century.

**Parker, K. E..** ALS and TNS, 1902-03, Bateman's Burwash, Sussex, England. Rudyard Kiplings personal secretary advising of his unavailability due to travel, VG. Miss Parker, stole many of Kipling's personal papers, including two short stories after complaining he and his wife treated her "like a common typist" while expecting "work of quality".

**Pyle, Katherine.** ALS, Jul 27, 1933, Wilmington, DE. Sold a pen-and-ink drawing which Clark was seeking, Fine. American Artist, author and children's writer.

**Roberts, Sir Charles George Doulas Roberts.** ALS, Mar. 16, 1903, New York, NY. Ordering a copy of "Kindred of the Wild", F. Known as "The Father of Canadian Poetry".

**Welch, Charles.** ALS, Nov. 27, 1896, Office of the Art Amateur, Union Square, New York, NY. Promoting Bookseller of the Last Century" as well as himself as a scholar of children's books, G+. Noted biographer of John Newberry.

**Wendt, William.** ALS, July 16, 1935, Laguna Beach, CA. Thanking Clark for his donation to a mutual friend's wedding fund, a glamorous event which Clark was not able to attend, Fine. Prussian born, American artist known as "The Dean of Southern California Landscape Painters".

**Wilcox, Ella Wheeler.** ALS and TNS, Mar 26, 1917, Hollywood, CA. Includes a copy of letter from Clark's sister seeking a copy of her poem "Heresy" and Wilcox replies with direction, Fine. Her works include Poems of Passion *Solitude*, which contains the lines "Laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep, and you weep alone".

## EXPLORERS & ETHNOGRAPHERS – 7 Letters / \$200 / \$35 each



**Steel, William Gladstone and Jean Gladstone.** Dec. 19, 1933, Medford, OR. Christmas Card with envelope, printed “A Merry Christmas” beneath a snow rimmed Crater Lake on the cover and signed photographs of each Gladstone on the inside, Fine. Steel, an early environmentalist, was the driving force behind Crater Lake National Park and a founder of the Mazamas.

**Hodge, F. W. (Frederick Webb).** Two ALS and Seven TLS, 1929-49, Museum of the American Indian, New York, NY and The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, CA. Critical review of Forrest’s “Missions and Pueblo’s of the Old Southwest” and other book related communication, Fine. Hodge was equally talented in managing organizations, like the Smithsonian, and working in the field doing archeology at Indian Mounds in George or excavating Zuni Pueblo lands.

**Houghton, Eliza P.** ALS 3pp, Two TLS 3pp, 1932-36, Long Beach, CA. Considering a re-issue of her mother’s book, “Expedition of the Donner Party” and other historical reminiscences. G+/VG. Eliza’s mother was the 3 year old daughter of George and Tasman Donner, having survived the infamous stranding in Nevada in the winter of 1846.

**Panunzio, Constantine.** TLS, Nov. 20, 1931, The Pacific Coast Academy, Los Angeles, CA. Requesting a quotation for printing the proceedings of the Academy, G+. Born in Italy and subjected to an early itinerant life, Panunzio became a Methodist minister, eventually reverted back to Catholicism, was a Professor of Sociology for over 35 years and best known for his work, “The Soul of an Immigrant”

**Wickersham, James.** TLS, Nov. 23, 1935, Law Offices of, Juneau, Alaska. A new pamphlet he intends to write about the Lincoln Totem Pole in the Tongass village, Fine. Wickersham made the first recorded attempt to summit Mt. Denail. He did not succeed as he was blocked by the “Wickersham Wall”.

**T. H. Pardo de Tavera y Gorricho.** 3 ALS, 7 pp, July 7-29, 1904, St. Louis, MO. Receiving honorary degree from Yale, MSS for “Zuniga”, personal relations and a letter in Spanish. T. H. Pardo de Tavera was a physician, and anthropologist known for his writings about the Philippines and its culture.

## HISTORIANS & EDUCATORS- 12 Letters / \$300 / \$25 each



**Baldwin, E. F. (Elbert).** Feb 5, 1896, The Outlook, A Family Paper, Clinton Hall, New York, NY. Confirming column space for a notice from Clark, Fine. Editor, Journalist and confidante of Theodore Roosevelt.

**Bell, Nancy [N. D'Anvers; Mrs. Ar Othur Bell].** ALS, March 24, c. 1900. Bastgarth, Southbourne, Christchurch, UK. Request for a book, "Prehistoric America" which she is translating for the author, VG, with three book circulars. Bell wrote a diverse range of books from historical, art critique and novels.

**Cox, I. J. [Isaac Joslin].** Two ALS, 1917 / 1927, Northwestern University, University of Cincinnati, OH. Discussion of books he is working on or desires to order, VG. Published several scholarly volumes on the Western Frontier, Mexico and early relations between Spain and the U.S.

**Dale, E. E. (Edward Everett).** TLS, Mar. 8, 1934, The University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK. Requested to review Prof. Richardson's "Comanche Barrier to South Plain Settlement", Fine, with cc: from Mississippi Historical Society. Oklahoma's premier historian, he held the chair of the Department of History at the University from 1924-42

**Phillips, Ulrich B.** ALS, Oct. 12, 1912, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. Requesting rights to a photo in one of his books to pass on to H. M. Henry at Vanderbilt University, VG. H3 largely defined the field of the social and economic history of the antebellum American South and won the Justin Winsor Prize in 1902 for his work, "Georgia and States Rights".



**James F. Rhodes.** Two ALS, Mar. 17, 1922, 392 Beacon St., Boston, MA. Declining to write an introduction to a work of John Hay, Fine. A wealthy industrialist, he retired early, moved to Boston and spent the rest of his life writing history books, including the 8 Volume History of America and won the second ever Pulitzer Prize for History in 1918.

**Randall, J. G.** TLS, Feb. 27, 1918, Roanoke College, Salem, VA. Responding to interest by Clark in publishing his book on Confiscation during the Civil War, VG. Winner of the 1956 Bancroft Prize, Randall was a Lincoln and Civil War scholar. His work "The Civil War and Reconstruction" was a touchstone for many years. Prof. at the Univ. of Illinois.

**Smith, Justin H.** Four ALS 1918-19, University Club, Boston, MA. Seeking a publisher for his scholarly work on the war between the U.S. and Mexico, VG / Fine. An expert on the Mexican American War, Smith won the first Loubat Prize in 1923 and the Pulitzer Prize in 1920.

**Sioussat, St. George L.** Dec. 13, 1917, Brown University, RI. Receipt of Alvord's "The Mississippi Valley in British Politics" for review, VG. Eminent college professor at several universities was appointed by Archibald MacLeish at the Library of Congress to reorganize their manuscript inventory.

**Willoughby, W. W.** TLS, 3pp. Nov. 6, 1905, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore MD. Proposal for an encyclopedia of political science which he plans to write and edit, VG. Learned in his field, he was the first Director of the Brookings Institution and often wrote publications with his twin brother Westel.

**Wood, Edwin O.** TLS, Sep. 7 1917, Michigan Historical Commission, Flint, MI. Kind favor granting permission to reprint "Historic Mackinac", Fine. Chairman of the Michigan Democratic National Committee, he attended both the '12 and '16 Democratic National Primary and acceded to President of the Michigan Historical Society in 1916.

**Woody, Thomas.** TLS, May 21, 1928, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA. Acknowledging Clark's willingness to consider his MSS for publication, VG. Also taught at Columbia, specialized in the field of education and sociological implications.

### **POLITICIANS – 8 Letters / \$200 / \$30 each**

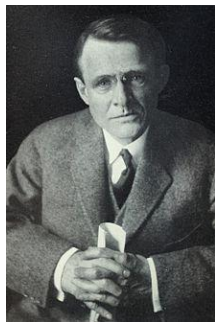


**Albion, Robert G.** ALS, Aug. 29, 1931, The Princeton Club of NY. Mailing MSS of the "Journal of Philip Vickers Fithian". Albion was Harvard's first professor of Oceanic History. referred to as the "Dean of American Maritime Historians"

**Barnes, B. A.** TNS, Dec. 19, 1904, White House, Washington D. C. The President's acting secretary declines Mr. Clark's offer (likely for selling a book), Fine with envelope. Barnes who was secretary to both McKinley and Roosevelt, later was appointed to Postmaster General but fell under severe scrutiny for his heavy handedness in the Mrs. Minor Morris affair.

**Bartlett, E. L.** TLS, Mar 10, 1951, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C. Efforts being made to keep the Shields Library in tact at an appropriate Alaskan institution, Fine. First Senator from Alaska (along with Ernest Gruening).

**Crowell, Benedict.** Two TLS, June – Aug. 1920, War Department, Washington, D. C. Plans to publish a book on the U.S. Industrial mobilization of WW1, Fine. As Assistant Secretary of War, Crowell was very active in Ordnance logistics and became President of the NRA in 1930.



**Howe, Frederick C.** Five TLS, 1919-22, Conference on Democratic Control of the Railroads, Washington, D. C. An investor in the Clark Company, he was seeking his shares value and a discourse on the monetary system, with cc: from Clark's originals, VG. A Ohio politician at state and city level, Howe was an active monetary revisionist.

**Pomerene, Atlee.** TLS, July 2, 1921, Congress of the United States, Washington, D. C. Responding to Clark's comments about railroad taxes and the Tarriff Bill includes cc: of Clark's original, VG. Senator from Ohio for eleven years and appointed by

Coolidge to prosecute the Teapot Dome Scandal.

**Wing, George C.** Three ALS, 1916-20, Law Offices of, Cleveland, OH. Request to rebind lawbooks, and distribute books purchased, VG. Wing worked in Washington D. C. for the Department of Justice, the US Court of Claims, and the Department of State.

**Woodin, William H.** TNS, May 24, 1933. Washington D. C. Expressing no interest in the Cruikshank plates, Fine. An industrialist who served as the first Secretary of the Treasury under FDR.

## THE CLERGY – 5 Letters / \$150 / \$35 each

**Griffis, William Elliot.** Four ALS and 3 promotional tickets for his books, 1904-1923, New York City, NY. Ordering, reviewing and planning books, including his own publications, VG. As a Congregational Minister, Griffis received a D.D. from Union Seminary, was invited to Japan to help modernize their elementary education system and was a prolific author throughout his career.



**Hanna, Edward J. ALS.** Residence of the Archbishop, San Francisco, CA. Discussing the finding of Father Kino's diary and publication "Favores Celestiales" by Dr. Bolton, VG. As the third Archbishop of San Francisco, Hanna was an intellectual of the church and active in politics, labor mediation.

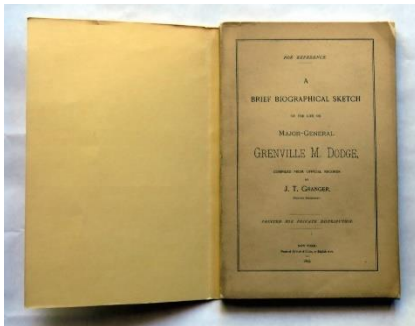
**Thwing, Charles F.** TLS, Dec 8, 1904, Western Reserve University Cleveland, OH. Sincere offer to provide assistance for one of Clark's undertakings, VG. Minister and President of Western Reserve from 1890-1921, a member of the National Negro Committee and supporter of the NAACP from its founding.



**Wright, John, D.D.,** ALS, Apr. 17, 1896, Rector, St. Paul's Church, St. Paul MN. Sequel to his book "Early Bibles of America" entitled "Early Prayer Books of America" going to press, VG. Learned Egyptologist and author of at least six books, collected over 7,000 Bibles

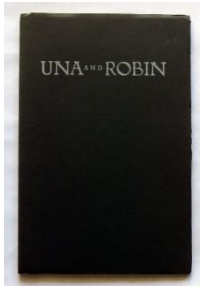
**Young, Egerton R.** ALS, May 22, 1899, Toronto, CDA, on personal letterhead listing 5 of his books, G. He was a Methodist missionary, author and Indian advocate who helped resettle the Cree nation.

### Interesting Books, Pamphlets and Maps from the Clark Collection



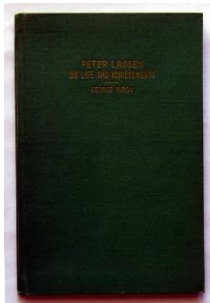
**J. T. Granger. A Brief Biographical Sketch of the Life of Major-General Grenville Dodge.** New York: Press of Styles & Cash, 1893. First Edition, Printed for Private Distribution. 5.75" x 9", pp. 4-128 with frontispiece of Dodge and tissue guard and two additional B&W photos. Corner chips on front cardboard cover and first few pages, chipping at top and bottom of spine, toning and light fading to cover. Spine uncreased, likely unread. Howes G-302. Very Good. Tan light weight cardboard cover with titling in black and framed on front. Housed inside folded, open cardboard sleeve.

*"About this time, President Lincoln, aware of Dodge's great business skills, asked him to come to Washington to consult with him touching the building of the Great Pacific Railroad..." (p 94) \$275*



**Luhan, Mabel Dodge. Una and Robin.** Berkley, CA: Friends of the Bancroft Library, 1976. Limited Edition, No. 24 in the Keepsake Series. 6.25" x 9.25", pp. xii, 1-36, printed on cream linen paper. Bookseller notation in pencil on ffe, excellent copy with no other defects noted. Fine. Gray cardboard cover with uncut fore edge and title in white on spine and cover.

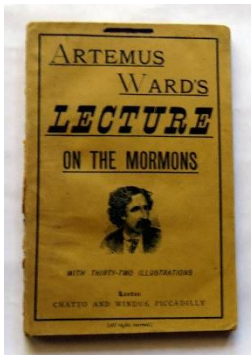
*"She adored the passionate business of living, the strangeness, the macabre, wild horror of frustrated love..." (p 17) \$25*



**Kirov, George. Peter Lassen; Highlights on His Life and Achievements.**

Sacramento, CA: Senate of the State of California, 1940. First Edition. 5.86" x 9.25", pp. 6-35, with frontispieces of Lassen and 5 B&W photos. This tribute piece is clean and well bound, bow to front cover, light rubs to front corners and top of spine. Very Good. Green cloth over boards with titling in gilt on front cover.

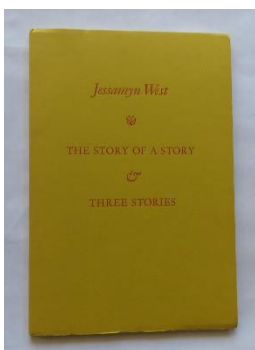
*"Though Lassen had to scout continuously, using every minute of the precious daylight to break the trail through the mountains, the trip had been most satisfactory to him. His ranch was in excellent condition and he had accomplished his purpose of bringing settlers to California." (p 18). \$45*



**Hingston, Edward P. (editor). Artemus Ward's Lecture on the Mormons.**

London: Chatto and Windus, 1882. First Edition. 4.75" x 7", pp 4-64 and 32 pp. of advertisements from other Chatto and Windus publications, with 32 illustrations. Heavy wear and loss on spine, light dirty spots on front and back, "Price six pence" crossed out at top center of front cover, clean and still well bound interior. Very good in good dust jacket. Tan cardboard covers with titling in black on spine and cover with a sketch of Mr. Ward on the front and an advert for "Goodall's" household specialties on the rear.

*"Brigham Young has 200 wives. Just think of that!" (p 43) \$75*

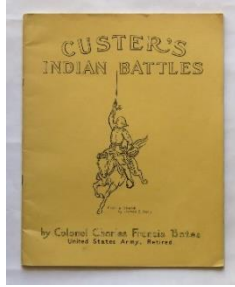


**West, Jessamyn. The Story of A Story & Three Stories.**

Berkeley, CA: The Friends of the Bancroft Library, 1982. First Edition. 6.25" x 9.25", pp. 10-67, with facsimile tipped in on p. 50 of original first page manuscript of "Babes in the Woods". Light bumps to edges of slightly oversized cover. Clean and tight, likely never read. Fine in VG+ dust jacket. Yellow cardboard cover with titling in red on front and spine.

*"In the morning before they went to work, Nadine Hudson and her husband Wallie made love. At night after they went to bed, they talked. Their lovemaking was shorter than their talking because there was no set time for going to sleep and there was a set time each of them had to be at work." (p. 51) \$20*

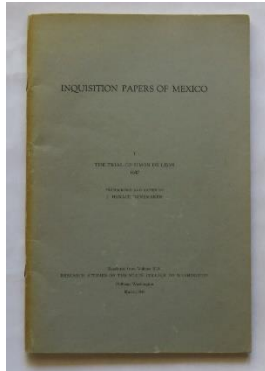




**Bates, Colonel Charles Francis. Custer's Indian Battles.** Bronxville, NY: Private, 1936. 9" x 12", pp. 7-36 with 14 B&W photos and 2 maps on glossy paper. 1/4" closed tear at top center cover, several light spots on cover, faint dog-ear to cover corners, else VG to Fine. Near fine. Tan cardboard cover with titling and drawing in black.

*Custer's estimate of himself: "I am not impetuous or impulsive. I resent that. Everything that I have ever done has been the result of the study that I have made of imaginary military situations that might arise. When I became engaged in campaign or battle and a great emergency arose, everything that I had ever read*

*or studied focused on my mind as if the situation were under a magnifying glass and my decision was the instantaneous result."* (p 4) \$20



**Nunemaker, J. Horace. Inquisition Papers of Mexico; The Trial of Simon De Leon - 1647.** Pullman, WA: State College of Washington, March 1946. Reprinted from Volume XIV. INSCRIBED " For Dr. John W. Caughey with kind regards of J. H. Nunemaker". 6.75" x 10", pp 4-87. Minimal toning at edges of pages and more so on spine. Clean and unmarked pages include English and Spanish text. Very good. Stiff grey paper wraps, staple bound.

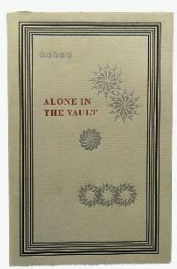
*"The effective establishment of the Inquisition in Spain on March 31, 1492, made its participation in the Spanish colonization scheme, after the Discovery, a foregone conclusion."* (p 5) \$85



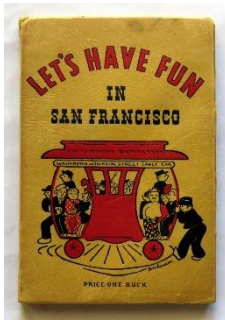
**Seven (7) Mining Maps of Alaska and British Columbia.** 1900-1912. [A] Geologic Reconnaissance Map of the Southern Part of Seward Peninsula, Bulletin 328, 1900-1906; [B] Rescott, Paxton and Lake Mines, Texada Island, British Columbia, 1912; [C] Reconnaissance Map of Northwestern Part Seward Peninsula Alaska, Bulletin 328, PL> IX & XI, 1907; [D] Mining Map, Portion of Vancouver Island, 1910; [E] Alaska Grand Central Special Map, 1906; [F] Topographic Reconnaissance Map of the Southern Part of Seward Peninsula, Bulletin 328, PL. VII 1907.

Scale ranges from 1/62,500 to 1/250,000, Albert H. Brooks, Geologist in Charge for Alaskan maps, Hon. L. Codderre for the Canadian maps. Maps showing topographical features in color. Most in Very Good condition, one is G with wear through at fold. \$70

*"The Senate having under consideration the bill to authorize the President of the United States to contract for the transportation of the mails, troops, seamen, munitions of war, and all other Government service, by railroad, from the Missouri river to San Francisco."* \$75

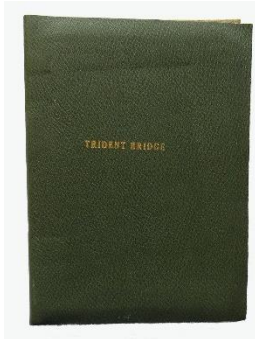


**Taylor, W. Thomas. Alone In The Vault; An Initiation Into the Bibliographic Mysteries.** Dallas, TX: DeGolyer Library [Southern Methodist University], 2009. Limited to 500 copies. 6" x 9.5", 18 pp unnumbered. Light smudge on, rear small one on front, Fine. Bound with two staples laid inside a grey cardboard cover with French flaps, title on cover in maroon and silver whirly-gigs in silver with black border. \$40



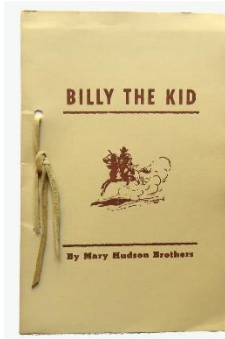
**Shelton, Edith, Cartoons by Lois Hanscom. Let's Have Fun in San Francisco; A Handbook to the City.** San Francisco: Knight-Counihan, 1939. First Edition. INSCRIBED "Sincerely Yours / Edith Shelton" on fe, 5.25" x 7.25", pp. 6-147 with small illustrations throughout. Tide mark on upper corner of most pages making them a bit wavy, edge and spine wear on cardboard cover, sun fade, 1/2" separation at side of spine top and smaller one at bottom. Contributors include; William Saroyan, Charles Dobie, Herb Caen and others. Very good. Tan cardboard cover with titling and illustration in black and red on the front.

*"Its the largest Chinatown outside China itself. So you can't go wrong on Chinese food in San Francisco."*  
(p 380) \$25

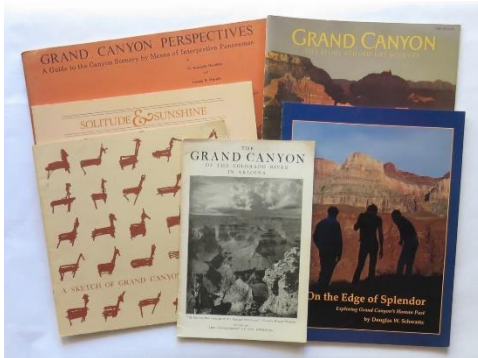


**Mume, Nolie. Trident Bridge; A Lyric Poem.** 1968. Limited Edition #18 of 50, privately published and hand bound. 5.5" x 7.5", 25 pp, not numbered, uncut on top edge, heavy ivory linen paper. Previous bookseller archive notation on fe in pencil, endpaper glue around edges and on spotted.

Nolie Mume (1891 - 1984) was an aviation enthusiast and professional. He served in WWI, was the flight surgeon for the 120th Observation Squadron of the Colorado National Guard. He was employed by Continental Airlines from its start to 1969 and was a consultant to United Airlines. He wrote a number of books on the history of Colorado and medical subjects, as well as a compendium of poetry books. His book "Colorado Airmail" is a classic in terms of Colorado aviation history. In his biography, "Nolie Mume, M.D." is remembered for his bow tie and the flower in the lapel. Fine. Green leather yapp with end papers glued in and bound by string with title on cover in gilt. \$50



**Brothers, Mary Hudson. Billy the Kid; The Most Hated, the Most Loved Outlaw New Mexico Ever Produced.** Farmington, NM: Hustler Press, 1949. Privately Published. 6.25" x 9", pp. 5-52. Top right corners dog-eared, else a fine copy. Brothers writes from the notes her father, Bell Hudson, kept having been in the presence of both Pat Garrett and Billy the Kid upon their first meeting and final parting. Heavy paper cover with two hole punch on left margin and three staples, bound by a leather thong with title and illustration on cover in brown. \$25



**Six (6) Scholarly, Historic and Information Books and Pamphlet; The Grand Canyon. 1969-1983.** A mini-collection of two fine press books, photographically illustrated works, A geological study and a visitors guide. All items are in VG+ to Fine condition, sizes range from 6" x 9.25" and up, two books have colorful graphics, one has 2" fade spot,

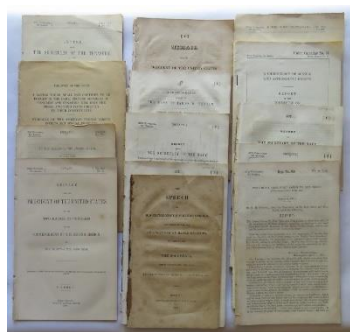
[A] The Grand Canyon of the Colorado River In Arizona, Department of Interior, Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, NY, nd (c.1925), 24 pp. VG. [B] A Sketch of Grand Canyon Prehistory, Grand Canyon Natural History Association, Frist

Edition, 1979, 13 pp., Near Fine. [C] Maurer, Stephen G., Solitude & Sunshine, Images of a Grand Canyon Childhood, Pruett Publishing, Boulder, CO, 1983, First Edition, 97 pp.VG. [D] Hamblin, Kenneth W. and Joseph R. Murphy, Grand Canyon Perspectives; A Guide to the Canyon Scenery by Means of Interpretive Panoramas, Illustrated by William L. Chesser, Brigham Young University, Special Publication No. 1, Provo, UT, 1969, 47 pp., VG. [E] Schwartz, Douglas, W., On the Edge of Splendor, Exploring Grand Canyon's Human Past, The School of American Research, Santa Fe, NM. nd, 80 pp., Fine. [F] Beal, Berill D., Grand Canyon; The Story Behind the Scenery, KC Publications, Flagstaff AZ, Third Printing 1970, 38 pp., Fine. Cardboard covers. \$125



**California Book Clubs. Six (6) Book Club Keepsake Members Editions. 1963 - 1998.** A mini-collection of fine press books and folders from California's most active book clubs. All items are in VG+ to fine condition, two with light some fade, one with paper clip impression, sizes range from 8" x 10" and up, folders have colorful graphics and seals

[A] The California Governmental Seals, No. 1 of the 1963 Keepsakes of the Book Club of California, 12 folders, issued during 1963 to its members, San Francisco, CA, Fine. [B] The Book Club of California 1998 Keepsake, Gold Rush Camps, 14 folders, edited by Robert J. Chandler and printed by Patrick Reagh Printers, San Francisco, CA, 1998, Fine. [C] Apostol, Jane, A Centennial History, The Historical Society of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, 1991, Fine. [D] Sacramento Book Collectors Club, Roster 1991, Alphabetical Membership Listing, Sacramento, CA, 1991, VG+ [E] Sacramento Book Collectors Club, Constitution, By-Law & Articles of Incorporation, With a List of Publications. Fair Oaks, CA, 1961, Fine. [F] Ottley, Allan R., In the Beginning, The Early Years of the Sacramento Book Collectors Club, Sacramento, CA, 1979, Near Fine. \$100



**Fifteen (15) U. S. Government Publications. Washington DC: 1812 - 1961.** 5.25" x 8,5", most disbound from larger compilations, binding remnants including string and glue, 1 pamphlet bound with staples. All are in G+ to VG condition, older ones with some age toning and foxing, several with uncut edges, Collectively a broad range of conduct at the Federal Government level.

[A] 1812, October 16, The Speech of His Excellency Governor Strong, Delivered Before the Legislature of Massachusetts, with The Documents, Russell and Cutler, Boston, 36 pp.

[B] 1820, November 15, Message from the President of The United States to Both Houses of Congress at the Commencement of the Second Session of the Sixteenth Congress, Gales & Seaton, Washington D. C., James Monroe, 8 pp.

[C] 1841, September 29, Correspondence Relating to the Case of James W. Grogan, Governor S. H. Jenison to Secretary of State Hon. D. Webster, 32 pp.

[D] 1841, December 4, Report of The Secretary of the Navy, A. P. Upshur, 99pp.

[E] 1841, December 13, Report from the Secretary of the Navy, Transmitting a statement of the expenditures from the contingent fund of the Navy for the year ending 30<sup>th</sup> September, 1841, A. P. Upshur, Thomas Allen printer, 27<sup>th</sup> Congress, 2<sup>nd</sup> Session, 16pp.

- [F] 1850, February 13, Securities of Samuel H. Bunch, Laid upon the table. Ho. of Reps., Rep. No. 98, 31<sup>st</sup> Congress, 1<sup>st</sup> Session, 10 pp.
- [G] 1851, March 3, Post Road From Fort Smith To San Diego., Mr. H. R. Stanton, from the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, House of Reps., 31<sup>st</sup> Congress, 2<sup>nd</sup> Session, 16 pp.
- [H] 1851, February 10, Report of The Secretary of War, Communicating, In compliance with a resolution of the Senate, Colonel McCall's reports in relation to New Mexico, Ex. Doc. No. 26, 31<sup>st</sup> Congress, 2d Session, 23 pp.
- [I] 1852, July 30, Report of the Secretary of the Treasury recommending repeal of the acts of the 13<sup>th</sup> July, 1832, and 30<sup>th</sup> June, 1834, concerning tonnage duty on Spanish vessels, Rep. Com. No. 318, 32<sup>nd</sup> Congress, 1<sup>st</sup> Session, In the Senate of the United States, 8 pp., 45 pp.
- [J] 1860, December 4, Message from the President of the United States to the Two Houses of Congress at the Commencement of the Second Session of the Thirty-Sixth Congress., George W. Bowman, Washington, D. C., 28 pp.
- [K] 1875, February 25, 1875, Letter from The Secretary of the Treasury, to the Chairman of the Committee on Commerce in Relation to Senate bill 1102, to promote efficiency of the Light House service., 43D Congress, 2d Session, 16 pp.
- [L] 1877, October 12, Report of the Government Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad for the Year Ending June 30, 1877, Washington, D. C., 16 pp.
- [M] 1888, January 17, Letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, Transmitting an estimate from the Secretary of the Interior of appropriation for survey and allotting Indian reservations current fiscal year, for pay of special agents and necessary expenses, Ex. Doc. No. 105, 50<sup>th</sup> Congress, 1<sup>st</sup> Session, 4 pp.
- [N] 1913, December 11, Speech of Hon. A. W. Lafferty of Oregon in the House of Representatives, A Battle which shall not continue to be fought in the dark, because members of Congress and Senators will defy the press, and send facts directly to their constituents, 16 pp.
- [O] 1961, March 8, A Chronology of Missile and Astronautic Events, Report of the Committee on Science and Astronautics, 87<sup>th</sup> Congress, First Session, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 189 pp. \$175

### *Letter Archives To Clark Authors and Collaborators*



**Bradley, Will. 5 ALS and 1 TLS and an Invitation to His Art Show. Springfield, MA: Arthur H Clark Company, 1895.** 5" x 7.75" folded letter stationary, with mailing folds, light editorial pencil marks, a few with dirt smudge, all in very good condition. Includes a custom invitation in folded envelope and wax seal, to a private showing of his posters in his studio on Jan. 29, 1895. Five original, stamped, mailing envelopes included.

*Content: Letters refer to the now very collectible: "Fringilla, or Tales in Verse. With Sundry Decorative Picturings" (1895) published by Burrows Brothers. Response to harsh letter from Clark, meticulous satisfaction with his work, status of plates sent to John Wilson, promoting himself with relationships to promote his book*

William Henry Bradley (1868 – 1962) was an American Art Nouveau illustrator and artist. Nicknamed the "Dean of American Designers" by The Saturday Evening Post, he was the highest paid American artist of the early 20th century. He began work at 12 as an apprentice for a weekly. He held a variety of jobs in Chicago as a wood engraver and typographer before dedicating himself to freelance graphic design. His first solo venture, Wayside Press, Springfield, IL, gave him broad experience as an illustrator, typographer, editor, designer and press manager. He was a consultant for the American Type Founders and an editor for Collier's Weekly before going to work for William Randolph Hearst's film division as a supervising art director. In 1954 he won the AIGA medal, the highest honor for graphic designers. He continued as a prolific artist up until his death at age 94. \$150



**Devereaux, H. K. [Henry Kelsey]. 4 TLS / 4 HLS. Wickliffe, OH and Thomasville, GA: Arthur H Clark Company, 1921-1926.** 8.5" x 11", totaling 10 pp., some pinned or clipped at the top. Other than mailing folds and Clark's initials in pencil, these would be in fine condition. Aristocratic, cursive handwriting.

*Content: Devereaux wrote a small book titled "The Spirit of '76" which recounts the painting of historic scene by the same name completed by artist Archibald MacNeal Willard. These letters pertain to matters of publication, quantity, quality, and distribution of the book.*

Henry Kelsey Devereux (1859 - 1932) was born into an aristocratic family on October 10, 1859 in Cleveland, Ohio. Ohio artist, Archibald Willard, chose Harry to portray the drummer boy in one of America's most famous patriotic paintings, "The Spirit of '76". At the time Willard approached him to pose, young Harry was a cadet at Brooks Military Academy. Later he graduated from Yale and became a business person in his own right. He worked for the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis Railroad, and later managed the Chicago-Cleveland Roofing Co. He married socialite Mildred French in 1885 and in 1910 they settled in her father's pretentious country estate in Wickliffe, Ohio (presently Telshe Yeshiva College). His passion for harness racing and for breeding horses culminated in the organization of the American Association of Trotting Horse Breeders and his position as president of the Grand Circuit. Very good. \$175



**Holman, Frederick. 3 TLS, Consisting of 6 pp. Total. Portland, OR: Arthur H Clark Company, 1907-1912.** 8.5" x 11", typed in blue on letterhead from Holman & Hampson Law Offices. Double hole punch at the top, period paper clip, light mailing folds, pencil notation from editor. Holman's signature which is firm and distinctive, completed with fountain pen ink which has bled around the lines of the signature.

*Content: Holman modifies the publication contract, printing, numbering and signing 100 presentation copies, sending review copies and circulars to newspapers and libraries.*

Frederick Van Voorhies Holman (1852 – 1927) was a prominent lawyer and civic leader in Portland, Oregon. Legal counsel for the Portland Railway, Light and Power Company and other businesses, he was active in Democratic Party politics and in civic organizations. President of the Oregon Historical Society from 1908-1927, he was known for his biography of John McLoughlin. A great admirer of roses, Holman

helped organize the Portland Rose Society and is credited with giving Portland one of its nicknames, "Rose City". A parcel of land once owned by Holman became Holman Park, which was later merged with other parks and parcels to form Portland's Forest Park in 1948, now the largest urban park in America.

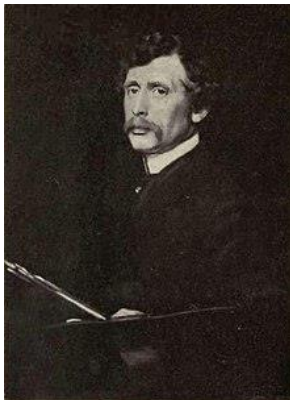
In 1907 Holman published what is perhaps his most enduring work: "Dr. John McLoughlin the Father of Oregon" with the Arthur H. Clark Company. Very good. \$50



**Hughes, Rupert. 4 ALS and 4 TLS; Written Communication Between Author and Publisher. New York City and Los Angeles: Arthur H Clark Company, 1927 - 1938.** Mostly 7.75" x 9.5" on The Gotham Hotel and Rupert Hughes letterheads. Mostly blue fountain pen, an occasional smudge, editorial penciled initials, light mailing folds, several with edge toning, one TLS has a torn upper left corner.

*Content; Hughes was a significant customer of Clark's, ledgering for book purchases, ordering additional copies of his book.*

Rupert Hughes (1872 - 1956) was a prolific author who published more than 60 novels, as well as serious nonfiction. He considered his biggest achievement a three-part work on George Washington, published in 1926 - 29, yet never finished. He used original research from his vast library to show the human side of Washington. Hughes graduated from Western Reserve University in Cleveland in 1892, earned a master's degree from Yale University, and was a newspaper reporter in New York City when he was 21. He was the uncle of industrialist Howard Hughes, who learned how to make movies while visiting his Uncle Rupert. He only published one book with Clark, "Pitfalls of the Biographer" Very good. \$100



**Rhead, Louis. 6 ALS and 4 ANS; Includes Brochure from 1924 Exhibit at the Anderson Galleries. Brooklyn, NY: Arthur H Clark Company, 1920-1924.** Six 6" x 8" autograph letters signed and four 6.5" x 3.5" autograph notes signed on blue paper, all stamped with Rhead's address; 217 Ocean Ave, Brooklyn, N.Y. Letters have mailing folds, light editorial notes in pencil. All in Very Good condition, except 2 letters have chipping at the bottom. Handwriting is tight and minimal, yet uniquely readable.

*Content: Rhead has given Clark exclusivity for sale, this is the complete set of pen illustrations done for Harpers Juvenile Classics (Carusoe, Grimm, Anderson, Gulliver's Travel, etc.), Rhead followed Howard Pyle as Harpers' in-house artist. Seeking a financial reconciliation for items sold.*

Louis John Rhead (1857 - 1926) was an English-born American artist, illustrator, author and angler. In the 1890s, Rhead became a prominent poster artist which appeared regularly in Harper's Bazaar, St. Nicolas, Century Magazine, Ladies Home Journal and others. In 1895 he won a Gold Medal for Best American Poster Design at the first International Poster Show in Boston. After the craze subsided, Rhead reinvented himself as a book illustrator for so many of the Classics. G + / VG. \$125

**Russell, Isaac. 5 TLS of 14 pp. and 1 TMSS of 4 pp; [Hidden Heroes of the Rockies]. Washington DC: Arthur H Clark Company, 1919-1920.** 8.5" x 11" on United States Railroad Administration letterhead, in blue type with minimal editorial notes in pencil, mailing folds, multi-page letters pinned at the top. Toning along several edges with some dogears and a few small corner chips.

*Content: Humorous and rambling 3 pp. letter of authorship and reminiscences. 4 pp. letter focusing on collecting research about the "Mormon Battalion" tied to Great Basin history. 4 pp. letter following a visit to Clark in which he reviews several books, disputes several authors, and offer high praise to others. 4 pp. letter discussing the revival of Smith, Ogden and Ashley in Utah history. 5 pp. Manuscript on yellow typing paper of "Traits of American Indian Life and Character" by Peter Skene Ogden*

Isaac Russell was the founder of "The American Soldier," one of the very first newspapers serving U.S. troops. He graduated from Stanford in 1904 and worked for the Federal Railroad Administration. His other book is, "Frontier Tales of the Townsend House". Very good. \$100

**Robertson, James. 2 TLS and 1 ALS totaling 7 pp. Includes 2 pp of Research and Prepublication Notice in Spanish. Annapolis, MD: Arthur H Clark Company, c. 1898 - 1938.** 8.5" x 11", on The Hispanic American Historical Review letterhead and the autograph letter dates back to the publishing of the index for Jesuit Relations. Tiny chips on several pages, multipage letter stapled, an clipped, toning along edges otherwise Very Good.

*Content: Discussing letter from Dr. David Rubio ant Library of Congress, Circular and translation of circular and a discussion of Spanish politics, thanking Clark for getting him mentioned in the Preface to Vol. 72 of the Jesuit Relations.*

James A. Robertson (1873 - 1939) was an editor and Spanish linguist. Along with Emma Blair, he did editorial work on the 55 volume "The Philippine Islands, 1493-1803". In 1910 he moved to Manila and became bibliographer at their National Library. During his time in the Philippines, Robertson established library science as a discipline for instruction at the University of the Philippines. In 1918 Robertson was the founding editor of the Hispanic American Historical Review, and remained the journal's editor-in-chief until his death. \$40



**Steck, Francis Borgia. 7 TLS and Christmas Card. Quincy, IL and Washington, D. C.: Arthur H Clark Company, 1936-1949.** Five 8.5" x 11" and 2 8.5" x 5.5", on Biblioteca Fraborese and Catholic University Letterhead with mailing folds, toning along some edges, 1" tear along right margin of one letter, else fine. All signed in full with honorific O. F. M. (Order of Friars Minor). Signed salutation on Christmas card with split up fold.

*Content: Order for the "Jolliet-Marquette Expedition", selling of the same in conjunction with the Proclamation of "Marquette Day", questioning the historical veracity of Marquette, studying in Mexico for two months, trilogy of articles in defense of his book.*

Francis Borgia Steck (1884 - 1962), was a long time professor of Spanish American history and spent his final years at Quincy College researching and writing. His daring book, Marquette Legends cast doubt on some of the accepted history of Marquette. Near fine. \$75



**Villard, Oswald Garrison. 4 TLS and 1 ALS. New York, NY: Arthur H Clark Company, 1931-1935. 8.5" x 11" on personal letterhead and "The Nation" letterhead. Mailing folds and Clark's initials in pencil are all that keeps these 5 letters from being fine.**

*Content: Mostly personal communication and acknowledgements, the ALS is headlined "Confidential", extolling a politician's lack of virtue and consolation over the depths of the Depression.*

Oswald Garrison Villard (1872 – October 1, 1949) was an American journalist and editor of the New York Evening Post. He was a civil rights activist, a founding member of the NAACP. In 1913 he wrote to President Woodrow Wilson to protest his administration's racial segregation of federal offices in Washington, DC, a change from previous integrated conditions. Villard also was a founder of the American Anti-Imperialist League, favoring independence for territories taken in the Spanish–American War. He provided a rare direct link between the anti-imperialism of the late 19th century and the conservative Old Right of the 1930s and 1940s. Near fine. \$50

**Schoenrich, Otto. 9 TLS; [The Legacy of Christopher Columbus: The Historic Litigations Involving His Discoveries, His Will, His Family, and His Descendants, Two Volumes]. New York, NY: Arthur H Clark Company, 1949-51. 8.5" x 11" on Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle, Attorneys at Law letterhead. Fine, crisp and clean, with the minimal initials of Clark and a few underlines in pencil.**

*Content: Matters relating to the publication of his book, the travails and infringements of publishing a picture of a stamp, edits and deadlines for submission, matters of personal acknowledgment.*

Otto Schoenrich (1877-1977), graduated from Baltimore City College and received a law degree from the U. of Maryland. He served on the U. S. Government's Commission to Revise and Compile the Laws of Puerto Rico and later became an advisor to the Dominican Government's Minister of Finance. He served as President of the Pan-American Society of the U.S. Most of his legal career was with Curtis law firm, in which he played a minor role in revealing documents which affected the history of the Venezuelan crisis of 1895. A leading Christopher Columbus scholar, he published his book with Clark in 1950. Fine. \$100