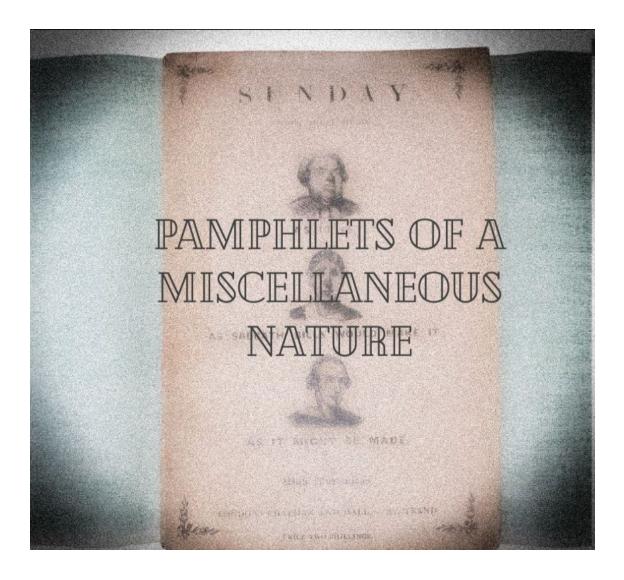
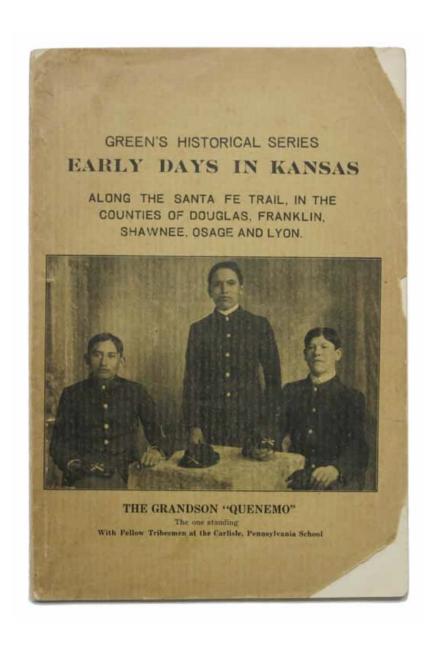


Pamphlets of a Miscellaneous Nature

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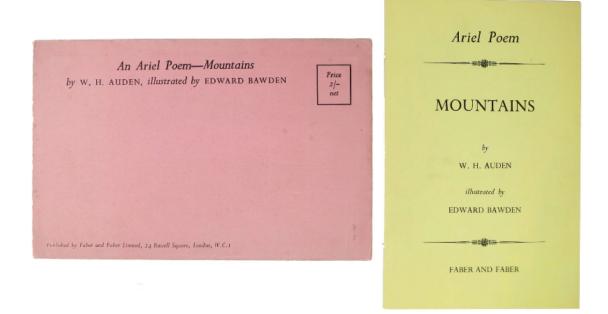
A pamphlet is defined by the *New Oxford American Dictionary* as "a small booklet or leaflet containing information or arguments about a single subject." In the history of printing, pamphlets occupy a distinguished niche. Likewise, in a bookseller's inventory, they also occupy a distinguished niche. As I was thinking about this genre, I did a search of my inventory using the keyword "pamphlet", with over 200 items popping out. Herewith we offer 20, of a miscellaneous nature, covering a myriad of subjects, over a range of eras.



 EARLY DAYS In KANSAS. Leida Saylor's Story. The Old Sauk Indian, Quenemo. Henry Hudson Wiggans' Narrative. Green's Historical Series. Indian Pamphlet Number One.
 Green, Charles R[ansley. 1845 - 1915].

Olathe, Kansas: Charles R. Green, 1912. 1st printing (Rader 1666; Graff 1636 [for the entire series]). Divers paginations. Illustrated with 10 inserted leaves of images, primarily from photographs. 8vo. 8-1/4" x 5-11/16". Printed dull yellow paper wrappers, with photographic image to front wrapper. Edge chipping to wrappers. An About VG copy. Item #19210.1

Price: \$235.00



2. MOUNTAINS.; Ariel Poem. [with original envelope].

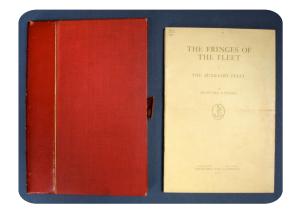
Auden, W[ystan. Hugh. 1907-1973]. Bawden, Edward (1903-1989) - illustrated by.

London. Faber & Faber Limited. 1st Edition. cf.
Bloomfield & Mendelson A34. [8] pp.
Lithographed title page and one colored
lithograph. Envelope: 9-2/8" x 6. Pamphlet: 81/2" x 5-1/2". Pink, thick paper envelope, printed
in black. Yellow upper and lower wrappers
printed in black. Sewn. Now housed in an
archival mylar sleeve. A VG copy. Some soiling
and rubbing to envelope, light soiling to
wrappers. Internally clean and bright. Item
#47730

Price: \$35.00







3. The FRINGES Of The FLEET. I. II. The Auxiliary Fleet. III. IV. Submarines. V. VI. Patrols.

Kipling, Rudyard [1865 - 1936].

New York: Doubleday Page & Co., 1915. 1st edition, Copyright issue (Livingston 399; Richards A282). Limited to 75 cc. 6 pamphlets. 8vo. Pale yellow paper wrappers, stapled. Housed in a red cloth chemise & slipcase. Pamphlets - Nr Fine. Slipcase - VG+ (modest wear). Item #39968 Per Richards, "These six copyright pamphlets reproduce the text of a series of as many articles written at the instance of the Ministry of Information for publication in British and American newspapers, describing the activities of smaller units of the Navy employed at its "fringes" The articles ran in England in The Daily Telegraph, and in the United States in the Hearst newspapers ... In addition to the title article, each number contains a (here untitled) poem..."

Price: \$750.00



4. SOUVENIR EDITION Of The MEMPHIS EVENING SCIMITAR. October 1891. Pamphlet 6276.

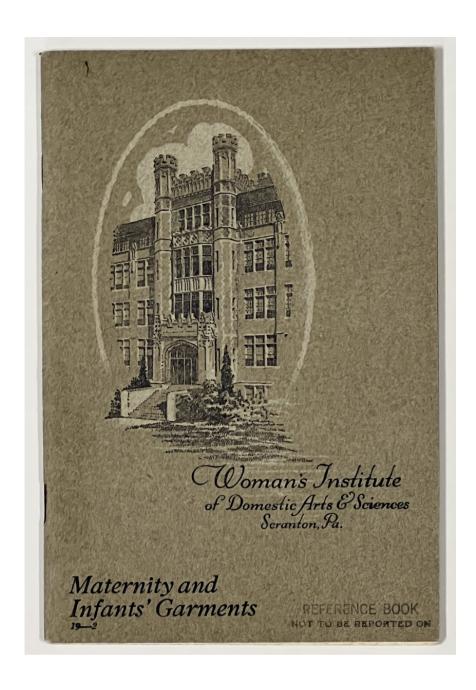
[A. B. Pickett, H. P. Ricketts, T. A. Wright, C. P. J. Mooney - Contributors].

Chicago: A. Leese & Co. Engravers and Printers, 1891. 1st printing thus. OCLC records only 2 institutional holdings. 56 pp. Many intratextual illustrations and photographic images. 19" x 15". Color illustrated

printed paper wrappers. Mild wear to edges and wrappers, chipping to spine. Light soiling to wrappers, previous owner's signature "Doctor Wahl" and date (17 of November, 1891) to front wrapper. A VG copy of this rare publication. Item #37959

A locally published work giving the history of Memphis, as well as local luminaries.

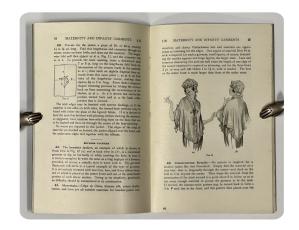
Price: \$750.00



5. MATERNITY And INFANTS' GARMENTS.

Picken, Mary Brooks [1886 - 1981].

Scranton, PA: The Woman's Institute of Domestic Arts & Sciences, (1917). Later printing, ca
1919. 63, [1] pp. 'To the Student' printed to front wrapper verso, signed [in type] 'M. B. P.'
Illustrated with 34 intratextual cuts. 8vo. 8-3/4" x 5-3/4". Grey paper wrappers printed in silver & blue, stapled. "Reference Book / Not to Be
Reported On" stamped in right lower corner.
Faint stain to rear wrapper, near spine, with some transference to terminal leaves. A VG - VG+ copy.
Item #37015



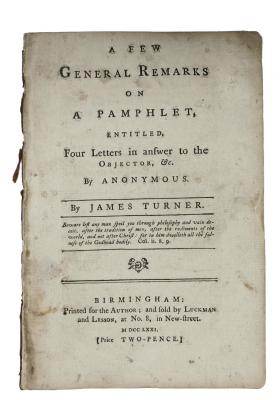
A reference book for the institute students, which notes "the arrival of the first baby is always one of concern and anxiety, and the preparations of the wardrobe for both mother and baby seem a real responsibility. This Book comes to help with suggestions and instruction for that time."

Price: \$37.50

6. A FEW GENERAL REMARKS On A
PAMPHLET, Entitled, FOUR LETTERS In
ANSWER To The OBJECTOR, &c. By
Anonymous.; By James Turner.

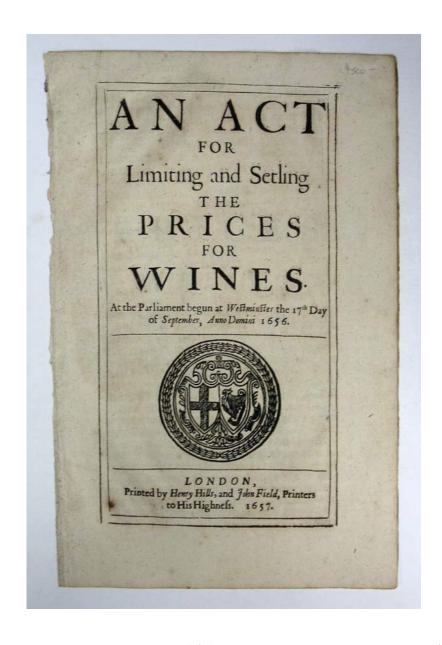
Turner, James [d. 1780].

Brimingham: Printed for the Author; and sold by Luckman and Lesson, at No. 8, in Newstreet, 1771. 1st Printing. 16 pp. T. p. printer's ornament. 8vo. 7-3/4" x 5". Disbound, now



housed in an archival mylar sleeve. Age-toning, dust soiling, Very Good. Item #47542

Price: \$500.00



7. An ACT For LIMITING And SETLING [sic] The PRICES For WINES. At the Parliament begun at Westminster the 17th Day of September, Anno Domini 1656.

[Wine]. [England, Parliament]. Cromwell, Oliver [1599 - 1658] - Lord Protector.

London: Printed by Henry Hills, and John Field, Printers to His Highness. 1657. 1st edition (Wing E-1046). Not in Gabler, nor Goldsmith. [2], 2 pp. Commonwealth seal to t.p. Folio: *2. 10-5/8" x 6-3/4".

Printed self-wrappers. VG (split developing along fold). Now housed in archival mylar sleeve. Item #26937

Gabler, though not listing this item, does briefly discuss (& list) divers tracts & pamphlets written in the early 1640s voicing public outrage over a contract between Charles I and the Vintner's Company of London- under said contract the Vintners agreed to pay a 46 shilling tax on every ton of Spanish & French wine & also agreed to annually buy a certain amount from English importers. In return, the vintners were permitted to sell cooked victuals (a proviso *not* in their original charter) & allowed to recoup the tax by charging a penny a quart more that the officially published price. The ultimate effect was to give the Vintners' Company a monopoly on the wine trade, all the while enriching the coffers of Charles I. Needless to say, wine drinkers were livid. Parliament eventually responded in the consumers' favor. [Gabler, pp. 2-3].

This act of Cromwell's establishes limitations on prices for Spanish & French wines, a proclamation issued perhaps in memory of the Vintner's Company earlier attempts at profiteering?

Price: \$500.00

8. The STATE Of CALIFORNIA. Jackdaw No. A18.

Gilbert, Benjamin F.

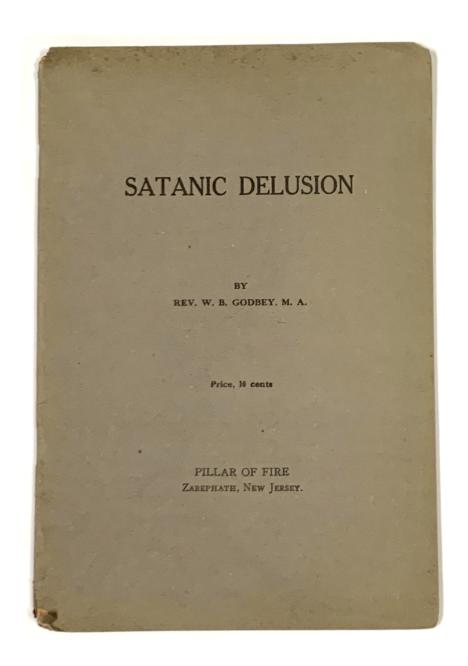
New York: Grossman Publishers (in association with Jackdaw Publications Ltd.), (1974). Many broadsheets, and pamphlets housed within, of various paginations. Some b/w photographic images and illustrations to sheets within. Oblong format: 9" x 13-3/4". Colorful printed sheets of paper housed within a bright yellow, open



publishers portfolio. Light wear to publishers portfolio. A VG+ example. Item #40787

A teaching tool, housed in plastic wrap around publisher's folder. Rare in the trade.

Price: \$50.00



9. SATANIC DELUSION.

[Theology]. Godbey, W[illiam]. B[axter. 1833 - 1920].

Zarephath, N. J. Pillar of Fire, 1918. 1st printing. 40 pp. 7-3/8" x 4-7/8". Original publisher's printed grey paper covers, stapled. Now housed in an archival mylar sleeve. Some extremity wear. Age-toning to paper.

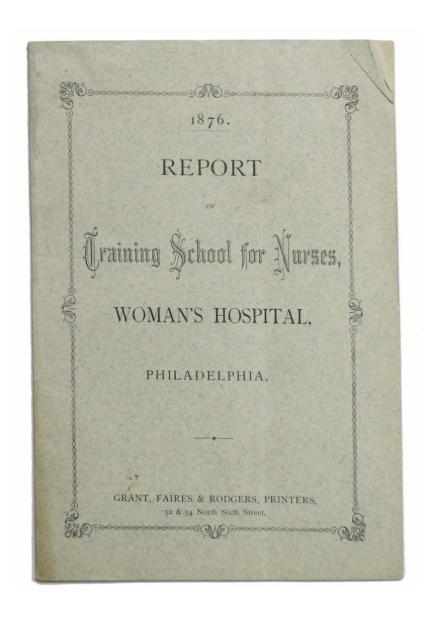
Prior owner signature to top of t.p. A Very Good copy. Item #49511

Godbey "was one of the most significant evangelists in the early stages of the Wesleyan-holiness movement. He was born in Pulaski, Kentucky, and raised in the Methodist Church. In 1853, he was licensed by the Methodist Episcopal Church to preach and in 1868 attained full membership in the Kentucky Conference. Also, in 1868, he experienced entire sanctification, a doctrine he fervently espoused in his pastoral and evangelistic career. He also taught in public schools and assumed the presidency of Harmonia College in Perryville, Kentucky for a time. He was a prodigious author publishing more than 200 books and pamphlets on topics including doctrine, new religious movements, the Second Coming, and divine healing. He travelled extensively across the country and the world preaching the holiness message. He taught at God's Bible School in Cincinnati, Ohio and became known, in part, for his unconventional dress and personal lifestyle. He eventually returned to the Kentucky Conference of the

Uncommon title from this prolific evangelist, at the time of cataloguing, we see no other offered in the trade.

Methodist Episcopal Church and is buried in Perryville, Kentucky." [Wesleyan Church website]

Price: \$47.50

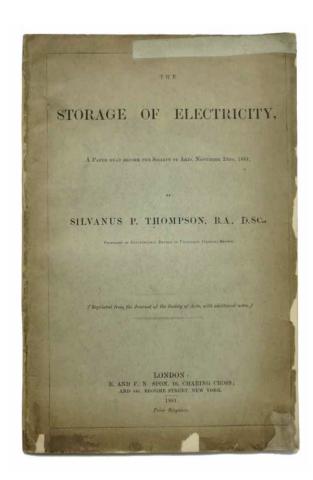


10. REPORT Of TRAINING SCHOOL For NURSES, Woman's Hospital, Philadelphia. 1876. [U.S. Nursing History].

[Philadelphia]: Grant, Faires & Rodgers, Printers, 1876. 1st Printing. 16 pp. "Rules for Nurses in Training", pp. 8-13. Application, pp. 14-15. 8vo. Original publisher's printed blue-grey paper wrappers, sewn. Faint age-toning. Dog-earred upper corners to front wrapper & 1st two leaves. Withal, a VG+ copy. Item #43625

The hospital was incorporated in 1861, and from that date its mission included "the practical training of nurses. ... In the fifteen years of the Hospital's existence this pledge for the training of nurses has been faithfully carried out..."

Price: \$195.00



11. The STORAGE Of ELECTRICITY. A Paper Read Before the Society of Arts, November 23rd, 1881.; (Reprinted from the Journal of the Society of Arts, with Additional Notes.)

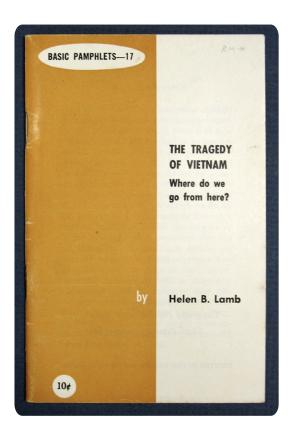
[History of Technology]. Thompson, Silvanus P[hillips. 1851 - 1916].

London: E. and F. N. Spon, 1881. 1st separate printing. 19, [1 (blank)] pp. Text double column. Illustrated with cuts. 8vo. 9-3/4" x 6-1/2". Printed grey paper wrappers (lacks rear wrapper). Browning & chipping to front wrapper. Paper repair along spine & to front wrapper edges. With a nod to the missing rear wrapper, an About VG copy. Item #43184

OCLC records 3 holdings, none in the US.

Rare pamphlet on the subject.

Price: \$225.00



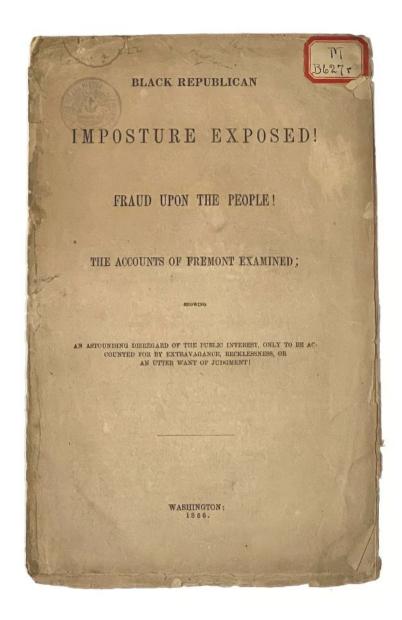
12. The TRAGEDY Of VIETNAM.

Lamb, Helen B.

New York: Basic Pamphlets, May 1964. 1st ed. 49 pp, 16mo. Printed wrappers. A VG+ copy. Item #5197

Scarce early ephemeral piece, challenging of US involvement in the Vietnam conflict.

Price: \$15.00



13. BLACK REPUBLICAN IMPOSTURE EXPOSED! Fraud Upon the People! The Accounts of Fremont Examined; Showing

[Fremont, John Charles. 1813 - 1890].

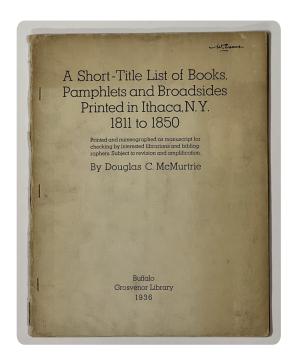
Washington: 1856. 1st edition (Cowan, p 222). 14 pp. Partially unopened. 8vo. Printed self-wrappers. A Gd+ copy (some edge chipping/paper somewhat brittle). Ex-lib with faint stamp & label in upper t.p. margin. Item #24442

Fremont a somewhat controversial figure, who owns the dubious distinction of being the first Republican candidate for President of the United States (1856), a race he lost. This an election year pamphlet, intended to discredit Fremont by describing improprieties in his purchase of houses during 1846 & 1847, while disbursing officer in California. Not in Sabin, which does, however, include other pamphlets relating to Fremont's campaign.

Price: \$245.00

14. A SHORT- TITLE LIST OF BOOKS,
PAMPHLETS And BROADSIDES PRINTED
In ITHACA, N. Y. 1811 To 1850. Printed
and Mimeographed as Manuscript for
Checking by Interested Librarians and
Bibliographers. Subject to Revision and
Amplification.

McMurtrie, Douglas C. Eames, Wilberforce [1855 - 1937] - Former Owner.



Buffalo: Grosvenor Library, 1936. 1st printing. SIGNED by Wilberforce Eames. 56 pp. 11" x 8-1/2". White paper wrappers, stapled, with black title lettering printed to front wrapper. Now housed in an archival

mylar sleeve. Sunning & age-toning to wrappers, Eames name written to top right corner of front wrapper, age-toned paper. An About VG copy. Item #35744

Eames "was an American bibliographer and librarian, known as the 'Dean of American bibliographers'.

Eames became Chief of the American History Division at the New York Public Library in 1911, and

Bibliographer (a position he held until his death) there in 1916. In 1924, The New York Times called

Eames: 'The greatest living scholar of books in America.' A. S. W. Rosenbach said of Eames: 'Probably the greatest student of books in the whole history of scholarship and book collecting lives quietly in New York, worshiped by every collector and scholar and unknown to the world in general-Wilberforce Eames.'"

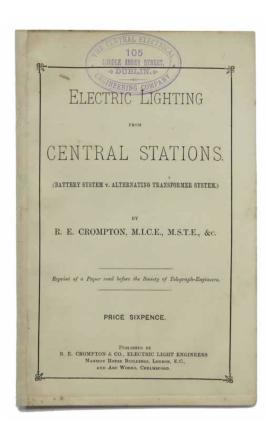
[Wiki].

Price: \$47.50

15. ELECTRIC LIGHTING From CENTRAL STATIONS, (Battery System v. Alternating Transformer System.); Reprint of a Paper read before the Society of Telegraph-Engineers. Price Sixpence.

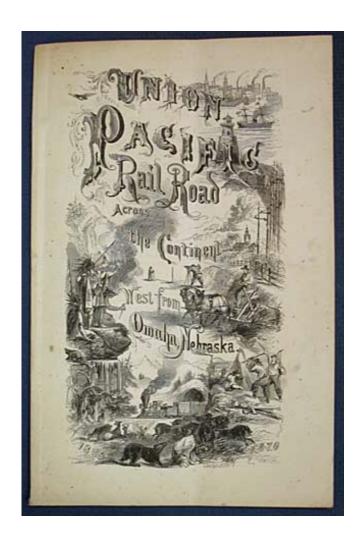
Crompton, R. E.

London: Published by R. E. Crompton & Co., Electric Light Engineers, (n. d.). 1st separate printing, ca 1887. 24 pp. 8vo. Original printed off-white paper wrappers (lacking rear wrapper). Oval business stamp to top of front wrapper. Paper repair along spine. With a nod to the missing rear wrapper, VG. Item #43122



Rare pamphlet on the subject; neither the NUC, nor the OCLC, record any holdings.

Price: \$195.00



16. The UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, Chartered by the United States.

PROGRESS Of Their ROAD West from Omaha, Nebraska, Across the Continent. Making, with its Connections, an Unbroken Line from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean. Five Hundred and Forty Miles Completed December, 1867.

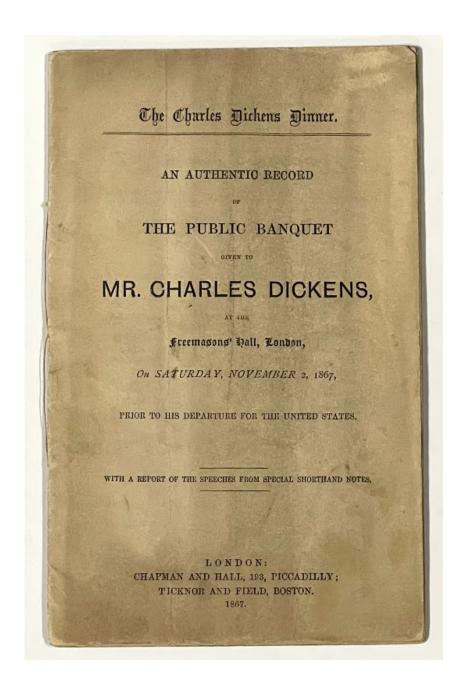
[US Railroad History].

New York: Published by the Company, 1868. 1st edition. 32 pp. Frontis, "Map of the Union Pacific Rail Road and its Connections." 8vo. p" x 5-3/4". Original printed paper wrappers, with elaborate lithographed graphic to front wrapper. Bit of light soiling & age-toning to wrappers. Faint vertical fold-line. A VG+ to Nr

Fine copy, and unusual thus. Item #35665

A progress report, as well as promotional pamphlet, issued by the company [2 April 1868], keeping their efforts in front of the public, as well as Congress, who was providing the financial underwriting.

Price: \$395.00



17. The CHARLES DICKENS DINNER. An AUTHENTIC RECORD Of The PUBLIC BANQUET GIVEN To MR. CHARLES DICKENS at the Freemason's Hall, London, on Saturday, November 2, 1867, Prior to His Departure for the United States. With a Report of Speeches

from Special Shorthand Notes.

Dickens, Charles [1812 - 1870].

London / Boston: Chapman and Hall / Tichnor and Field, 1867. 1st edition (Eckel, p. 236; Gimbel B-296;

Kitton 22). 32 pp. 8vo. 21.5 cm x 13.5 cm. Original printed wrappers, sewn. Soiling to wrappers. Faint

vertical fold-line. A VG+ copy. Item #3713.1

A banquet with a "List made up almost entirely of Representative Men. It comprised within it upwards of

one hundred celebrities." [from the Preface by Charles Kent]. Pamphlet records speeches by Dickens,

Lytton [acting as Chairman], Russell, Anthony Trollope et al.

Rear wrapper of this copy addressed, in blue ink, & stamped in what some have said is Dickens' hand -

while of some resemblance, personally, I could not so attest.

Price: \$500.00

18. The TWO NATURES. [In: POEMS In

PAMPHLET].

Waller, Robert.

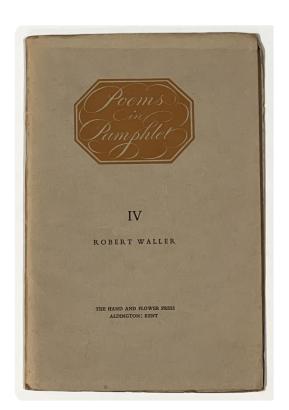
Aldington, Kent: Hand & Flower Press, (1951). 1st

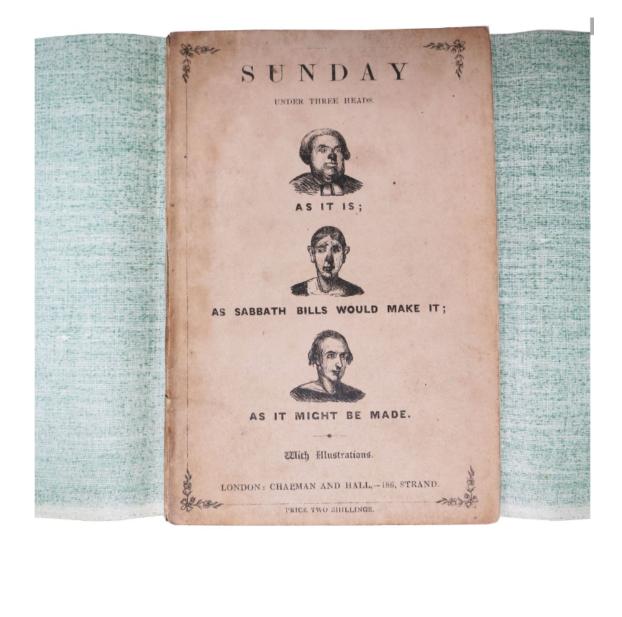
edition thus. INSCRIBED. 99 - 128 pp. 7.5" x 5".

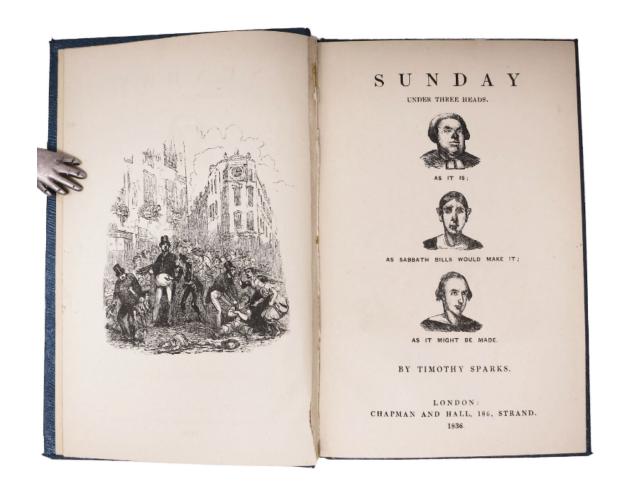
Printed wrappers, stapled. VG (edgewear/rear

panel creased). Item #17904

Price: \$25.00





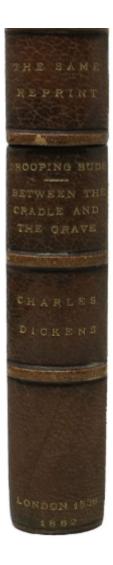




19. SUNDAY UNDER THREE HEADS.

Sparks, Timothy [pseudonym of Dickens, Charles. 1812 - 1870].

London: Chapman & Hall, 1836. 1st edition
(Eckel, pp 102-103). 49, [3 (blank)] pp. Trimmed
edges. 4 plates. 12mo. Original printed wrappers.
Chemised, and housed in a full green morocco

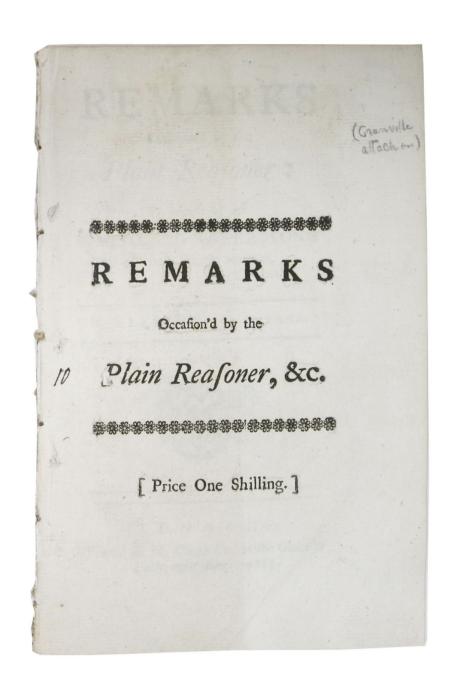


pull-off slipcase. Accompanied by a bound copy of the 1884 Jarvis facsimile. VG (some soiling & wear). Over, quite a respectable copy of this delicate, emphemeral piece. Slipcase - spine sunned to tan, otherwise VG+. Item #2127.2

Early in his career, while busily at work on PICKWICK, Dickens found time to write this political tract (under this Sparks pseudonym) in support of the working man's freedom on the Sabbath, which was being threatened by Parlimentary action. This role of working man's champion was to continue throughout his life.

The first edition of this work, in original wrappers, is rather uncommon.

Price: \$3,250.00



20. REMARKS OCCASION'D By The PLAIN REASONER: Particularly by the National Aspersions of that Pamphlet.; In a Letter to the Author.

[Great Britain History].

London: Printed for M. Cooper, at the Globe in Paternoster Row, 1745. 1st Edition. 47, [1 (blank)] pp. P. 47 misnumbered 46. T.p. printer's device. Headpiece. Decorative initial capital letter. 8vo, signed in 4s. 7-7/8" x 5". Disbound, now housed in an archiaval mylar sleeve. Age-toning. A2 with long thin paper flaw in center of leaf. A VG copy. Item #48557

Price: \$75.00

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