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1. Robinson, Ebenezer; Don Carlos Smith, Joseph Smith, and John Taylor (Editors).

Times and Seasons

Nauvoo: Robinson & Smith; Joseph Smith; John Taylor and Wilford Woodruff; John Taylor, November, 1839 - February, 1846.



Six volumes (131 numbers) bound as four (1-2, 3-4, 5, 6) 958; 383; [384]-767; [768]-1135pp. Octavos [23 cm.] Volumes 1-5 bound in later 3/4 brown leather over marbled boards, with gilt stamped titles on the backstrips, and red speckled edges. Volume 6 bound in modern black cloth over boards, with the title and single ruled borders in gilt on the backstrip. The extremities are a bit dinged and rubbed. The underlying boards are exposed occasionally along the edges. Most of the facsimile plate at p. 721 in Volume III, Number 10, is absent. The pages have very occasional open tears in the margins, causing only minor loss to the text. There are losses, measuring 2" wide by 2 1/2" deep, from the top fore-edge corners of pp. 738-

741, which have resulted in more significant loss to the text. The pages of volumes 3 and 4 have light tide marks here and there, with the most prominent tide marks on the 336-383. Several pages in Volume 5 contain trivial marginalia. Volume 1, number 1, is the third state, with "Ptevail" and a date of "Nov. 1839." Volume 1, Numbers 2 and 3, are second state printings, with "Terms" in capital letters with open face type. [53854] **\$50,000**

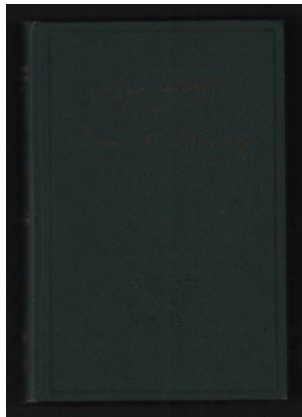
This is the entire run of the influential Nauvoo newspaper. Originally edited by Ebenezer Robinson and Don Carlos Smith (Joseph's brother). Upon the death of his brother, Joseph became editor. The "Times and Seasons" was the official newspaper of the L.D.S. Church, and between its pages were the first appearances of the Wentworth Letter, the Book of Abraham, as well as the personal history of Joseph Smith. Also present, in Whole No. 96, is the account of the assassination of Joseph and Hyrum Smith.

One cannot hope to understand the Nauvoo period of Mormonism without the "Times and Seasons." More than its predecessors, it captures the spirit of the Latter-day Saints as it chronicles their day-to-day efforts to spread their message and gather the converted. Its pages reflect the optimism which fueled the building of the City of Joseph and the sorrow which accompanied its abandonment. Crawley 60. Flake/Draper 8955. Scallawagiana 16. Streeter 2271. Auerbach 1947: 1323, 1324. Mormon Fifty 11.

2. Young, Brigham. Journal of Discourses, by Brigham Young, President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, His Two Counselors, the Twelve Apostles, and Others. Reported by G. D. Watt, and Humbly Dedicated to the Latter-day Saints in All the World (27 volume set). Salt Lake City: General Printing and Lithographic Company, [1964-1974]. Photo Reprint of the Original Edition, Later Printing. 26 volumes plus the index volume. Octavo [21.5 cm] Black cloth with gilt bands and titles on the backstrips. The spine and boards show very minor wear. The pages are clean and bright. [53969] **\$350**



Volumes of the original Journal of Discourses published between 1854 and 1886 are very scarce and complete sets are virtually unobtainable. The Journal of Discourses was replaced by the Biannual Conference Reports.

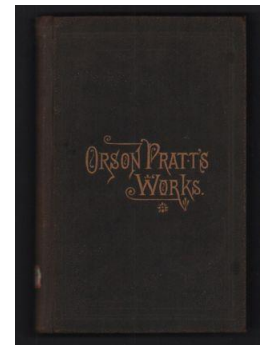


3. Whitney, Orson Ferguson. Through Memory's Halls: The Life Story of Orson F. Whitney as Told by Himself.

Independence, MO: Zion's Printing and Publishing Company, 1930. First Edition. 424pp. Octavo [22 cm] Textured green cloth with gilt titles and blind-embossed cover device. Publisher's green topstain. The gilt on the front board has faded, front board upper corner bumped, else very light wear. [53996] **\$500**

Originally, this volume was only intended for Whitney's children, and never intended for public consumption. Prior to his death it was distributed to family and friends. Scarce. Flake/Draper 9788.

4. Pratt, Orson. A Series of Pamphlets on the Doctrines of the Gospel by the Late Elder Orson Pratt. Salt Lake City, UT: Juvenile Instructor Office, 1884. First edition. 314pp. Duodecimo [19 cm] Black cloth with gilt title to the front board. Corners bumped and rubbed. Backstrip faded. Paper label at foot of backstrip. Endpapers cracked along the hinges. Contemporary ink inscription on the front free endpaper. Several pages with underlining. [53983] **\$40**



"O. Pratt's Works was an influential book. Its tracts were published at a time when the British Mission was producing many converts, most of them learned the tenets of Mormonism from Orson's pamphlets" - Peter Crawley. Flake/Draper 6544.



5. Sanchez, Abuli; Jordi Bernet (art); Alex Toth. **Torpedo: Vol. 1-5.** Sand Diego, CA: IDW, January 2010 - February 2012. First edition.

143pp. Quarto [29cm]; illustrated paper boards, red lettering on backstrip, minor shelf wear. [53769] **\$800**

Spanish comics series Torpedo (or Torpedo 1936) centers on the exploits of ruthless hitman Luca Torelli in the mob underworld of Depression-era New York.

The comic was first published in 1982, in the Spanish horror comics magazine Creepy. The first two stories were drawn by Alex Toth, who developed the series with Enrique Sanchez Abulí, but the two had creative differences regarding the use of dark humor and profanity. Toth left the project and was replaced by Jordi Bernet, who worked with Abulí for the remainder of the series. Torpedo appeared in numerous magazines, and was awarded the Best Foreign Album Award at the Angoulême International Comics Festival in 1986.

6. Kirby, Jack; Grant Morrison (int); Walter Simonson (int); Glen David Gold (int); Paul Levitz (int); Mark Evanier (afterword). **Jack Kirby's Fourth World' Omnibus: Complete Set (Vol 1-4).** New York: DC Comics, 2007-2008. First edition thus.

385, 370, 378, 371pp. Quarto [26.5cm]; illustrated paper boards. Fine in fine dust jackets. [53678] **\$350**

Four volume set of Kirby's complete Fourth World series presented in chronological order and in full color.





7. Schulz, Charles M.; Seth (designer). The Complete Peanuts 1979-1982, Vol. 15-16. Seattle, WA: Fantagraphics Books, 2011. First edition.

Oblong quarto [22cm x 18cm x 7cm]; two hardcover books in dust-jackets, factory sealed in box. As New. [53633] **\$300**

This two-volume boxed set brings Charles Schulz's Peanuts into their fourth decade. The eighties are a

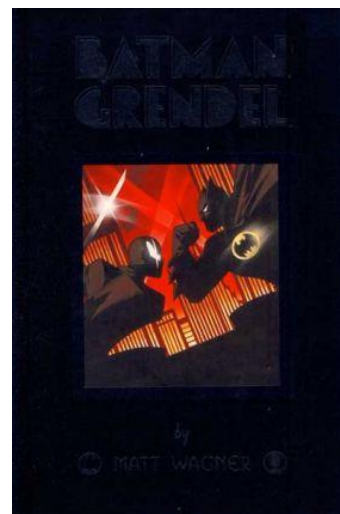
lesser-known time period for the strip, but eventful situations take place, such as Charlie Brown's month-long hospitalization wherein he questions whether he has died and nobody has told him. Peppermint Patty finds herself in cornrows, witnesses the "butterfly miracle," enlists Snoopy as a lawyer to help her with a leaky ceiling, becomes romantically involved with Pig-Pen. Snoopy is up to his old tricks, donning an array of disguises including his world-famous surveyor, census taker, and blackjack player. He launches an ill-fated airline with the help of Lucy as agent, Linus as baggage handler, and Marcy as flight attendant. A little girl bird named Harriet is introduced, Snoopy's brother Marbles shows up, and "Crybaby" Boobie and Molly Volley make an appearance. Linus protests that he is not Sally's "Sweet Baboo." Charlie Brown joins Peppermint Patty's baseball team and has his baseball field taken away. The Van Pelt's get into farming, and Spike is drafted into Snoopy's imaginary World War I Army.

These two books are part of a twenty-four volume collection (published from 2004-2015) released by Fantagraphics and designed by famed graphic novelist Seth.

8. Wagner, Matt. Batman/Grendel. New York, NY; Milwaukie, OR: Dark Horse Books; DC Comics, February 2008. Limited Hardcover Edition.

SIGNED. 215pp. Quarto [26.5cm]; cloth covered boards, blind stamped title on front board and spine, illustrated cover label. Fine. [53763] **\$500**

Collection of Matt Wagner's infamous Grendel vs. Batman, signed by Wagner on limitation page at front.





9. Riordan, Rick. Percy Jackson and the Olympians (Chinese Language Edition). Taiwan: Yuan-Liou, 2010.

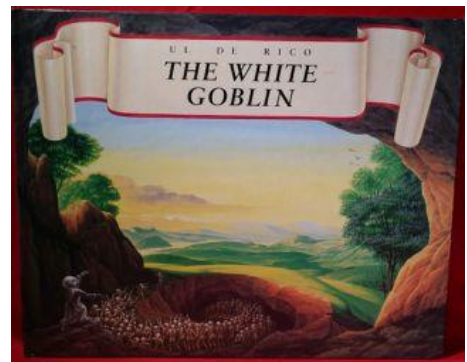
Six octavos volumes in slipcase [22 cm]. Pictorial wraps, with the publisher's paper band with two of the volumes. The wraps show only very light wear. In a very good slipcase with subtle bumping to the edges, and moderate rubbing and scratching to the surface. [53950] **\$100**

A Chinese translation of Riordan's popular series.

10. Ul De Rico. The White Goblin. New York: Thames and Hudson, 1996. First American edition.

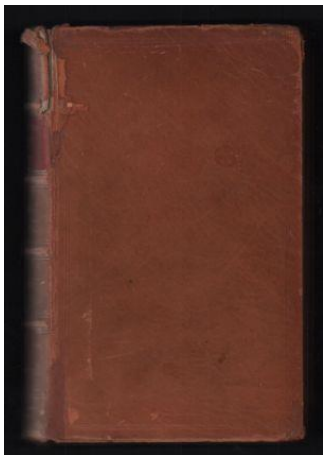
Oblong quarto [31 cm x 25 cm] Glossy pictorial boards. Decorative endpapers. Mild rubbing and scratching to the boards. Very good. Hardcover. [53981] **\$30**

This is the tale of the eighth goblin, the white one, who was banished by his evil brothers.



11. Hearne, Samuel. A Journey from Prince of Wales's Fort, In Hudson's Bay to the Northern Ocean. Undertaken by Order of the Hudson's Bay Company. For the Discovery of Copper Mines, A North West Passage &c, In the Years 1769, 1770, 1771 & 1772. Dublin: P. Byrne, No. 108, and J. Rice, No. 111, Grafton-Street, 1796.

Early printing.



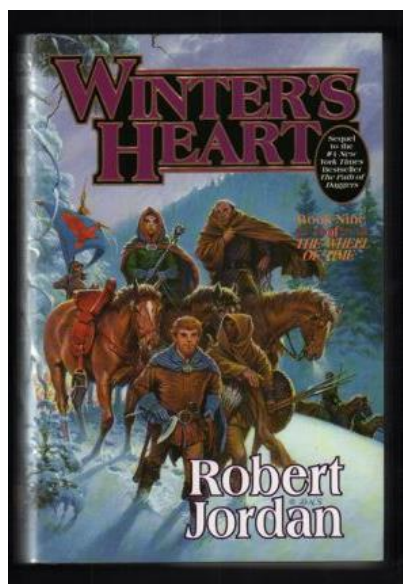
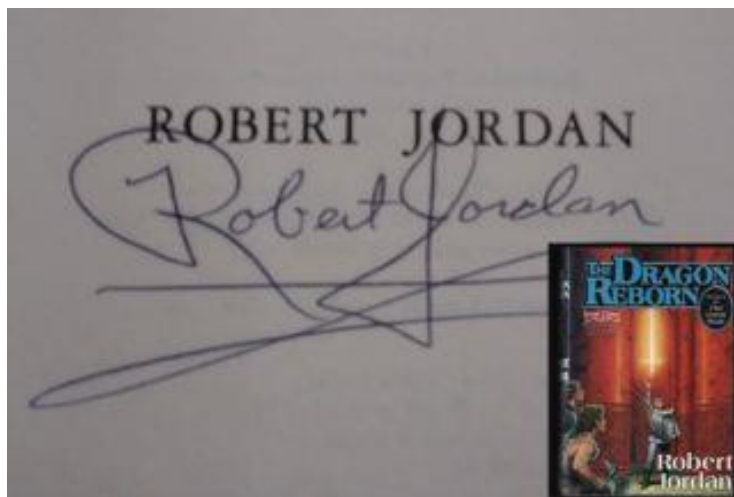
459pp. Octavo [21 cm] Original leather with red leather gilt stamped label to spine. Ex-Library from Geological Survey of Canada, with a few of the typical marks and stamps. 2" tear in the front joint at the head of the spine. Hinges reinforced and outer boards professionally touched up. Four out of five maps present; three out of four views are present. Missing plates II and III. Map of Albany River has approximately a 3 1/2" edge tear near gutter. Very sporadic contemporary marginalia (often in pencil and occasionally on the maps); else very good. Discreet tissue repairs to the half title page and the maps. [53979] **\$750**

A work by the first European to journey overland to the Arctic Ocean in what is now Canada, and the first person to show the trend of the Arctic shore.

12. Jordan, Robert. *The Dragon Reborn*. New York: TOR; A Tom Doherty Associates Book, 1991. First edition. SIGNED.

595pp. Large octavo [24 cm] Blue cloth-effect paper over boards, with bumping to the spine ends. In a dust jacket, with moderate rubbing to the surface. [53934] **\$200**

Book Three of The Wheel of Time. Signed by Robert Jordan on the title page.



13. Jordan, Robert. *Winter's Heart*. New York: TOR; a Tom Doherty Associates Books, 2000. First edition.

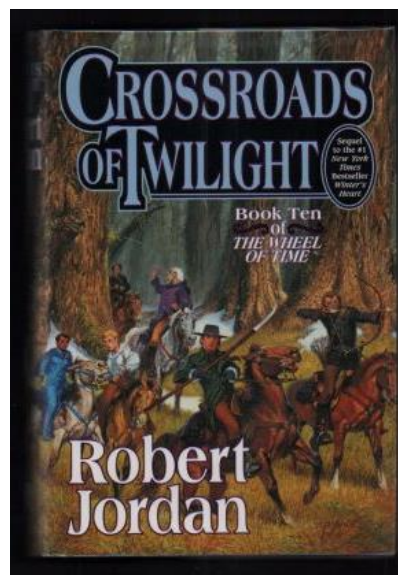
SIGNED. 668pp. Octavo [24 cm] Blue paper over boards. The front hinge is a bit soft, and the text block is just starting to crack at the title page. In a dust jacket, with only very minor edge wear. [53937] **\$60**

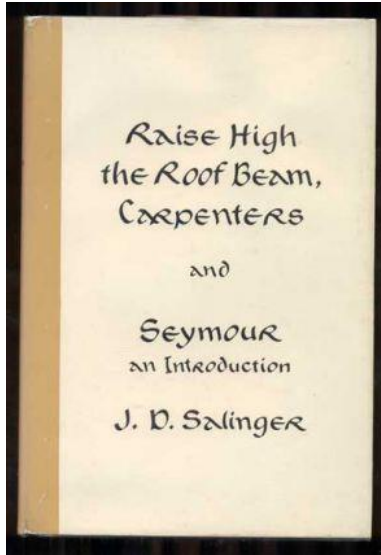
Book Nine of The Wheel of Time. Signed by Robert Jordan on the title page.

14. Jordan, Robert. *Crossroads of Twilight*. New York: Tor Fantasy; a Tom Doherty Associates Book, 2003. First edition.

SIGNED. 700pp. Large octavo [24 cm] Blue paper over boards, with gentle bruising to the spine ends. [53940] **\$60**

Book Ten of The Wheel of Time. Signed by Robert Jordan on the title page.

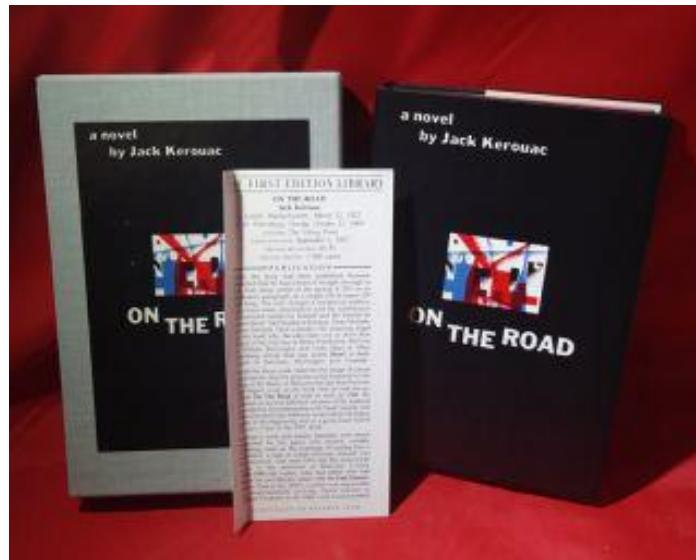




15. Salinger, J. D. *Raise High the Roof Beam, Carpenters and Seymour: An Introduction*. Boston: Little, Brown and Company, 1963. First edition, 3rd state.

248pp. Octavo [21 cm] Gray cloth with title gilt stamped on backstrip. Very good. The endsheets are lightly foxed. Previous owner's bookplate on the front free endsheet, along with a brief notation in pen. The dust jacket is in very good condition. The edges are lightly rubbed and chipped. Minor sunning to spine of jacket. [21305] **\$200**

The two pieces in this book originally came out in The New Yorker. With the tipped-in dedication page before the half-title.



16. Kerouac, Jack. *On the Road (The First Edition Library)*. New York: Collectors' Reprints. Facsimile edition.

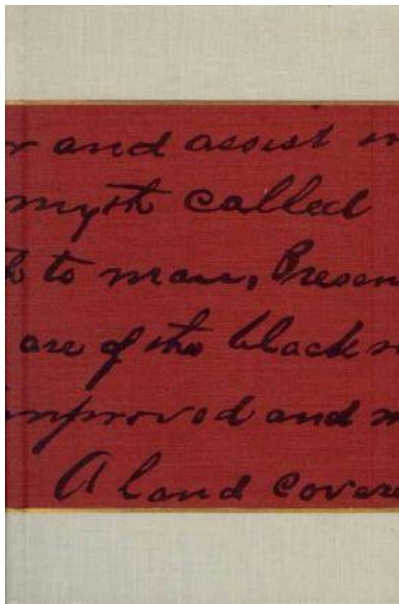
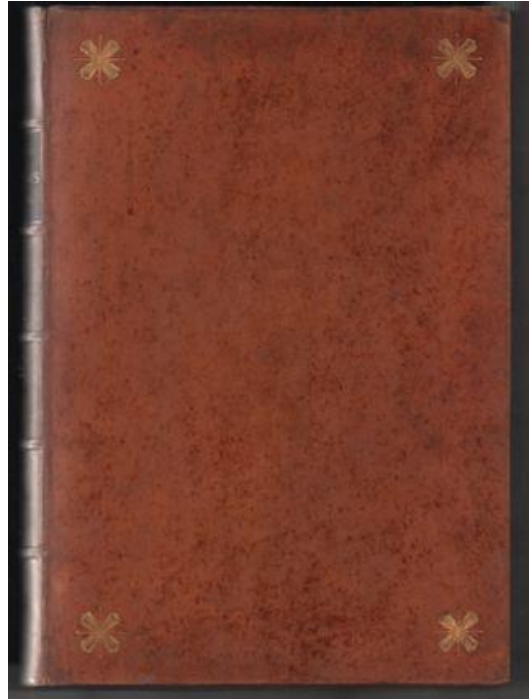
310pp. Octavo [22 cm] Black cloth over boards with a white ink stamped title on the backstrip and front board. Publisher's red topstain. The spine is just a trifle rolled back. In a dust jacket, with only minor rubbing to the edges. In a very good slipcase, with light scratching to the front panel. Publisher's information tucked in. [53956] **\$100**

An attractive replica of the first edition of Kerouac's On the Road.

17. De Bie, Jacques. Les Vrays Portraits des Roys de France. Paris: Chez Jean Camusat, 1636.

Second edition. [26], 395, [29] pp. Folio [35 cm] Beautifully bound in full leather with raised bands, gilt title and gilt stamped decorations on the spine and covers. Marbled endsheets. Some very minor soiling and wear, overall in very good condition. There is a 2 inch crack in the front board at the head of the spine along the joint. Notations in pencil on the verso of the front free endsheet. The pages have very occasional light stains. The large stains measure 3 and 1/2 inches wide by 2 inches tall. The pages at the beginning are lightly soiled. There is a contemporary notation on the last page of the text. [28811] **\$1,250**

This is the second, expanded, printing in French, containing additional material. Sixty-seven illustrated plates including frontis. Jacques de Bie was a Flemish engraver. In 1636 he also published La France metallique.



18. Smith, John Henry; Jean Bickmore White (Editor). Church, State, and Politics: The Diaries of John Henry Smith. Salt Lake City, UT: Signature Books in association with Smith Research Associates, 1990. Limited edition.

700pp. Octavo [23.5 cm] Gray cloth with red printed cloth panels. Green endpapers. With a frontispiece portrait of John Henry Smith. Includes an index. Boards are slightly cocked, there is minor rubbing to the head of backstrip, and a small brown stain at bottom of text block. [53978] **\$200**

Volume in the acclaimed Signature Books diary series. This edition is limited to five hundred copies, of which this is copy number 174. Smith was a member of the Quorum of the Twelve, and a General Authority in Joseph F. Smith's Presidency, after the death of John R. Winder. Smith was also the Chair of the Utah Constitutional Convention. From the publisher- "Jean

Bickmore White has a long-standing interest in Utah political history. She holds an M.A. degree from the University of California at Los Angeles and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Utah, both in political science. While writing her dissertation on Utah politics in the 1890s, she first read John Henry Smith's extensive journals and letters and recognized their importance in understanding the politics of that period in Utah history. A professor of political science at Weber State University since 1969, she has published articles and book reviews in the Utah Historical Quarterly, Dialogue: A Journal of Mormon Thought, Weber Studies, the Journal of the Mormon History, and the Charles Redd Center Monograph Series."

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