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1- [Denver] [Bird's-Eye Map]. **Wishbone Route at Denver**. Denver, CO: Denver Litho. Co., (c.1895). Color bird's-eye map [22 cm x 39.5 cm] that folds to pamphlet size [22 cm x 9 cm] Bright. Folds as issued. Short closed tear at one of the folds.

Bird's-eye view of the front range from the split of the 'Wishbone' outside Denver, with one line following Clear Creek to Golden, and the other following Ralston Creek to Leyden. The peaks are identified at the head. The borders print the names of attractions and locations on the side of their general direction.

Reverse prints the "covers" and a brief description of the route for the prospective rider: "The Wishbone Route is a trip arranged for the accommodations of those who desire an outing of a few hours wherein the true beauties and the magnificent grandeur of the mountains and valleys around Denver may be enjoyed without the tiring results of tedious climbing and without the fatigue of an all day trip." We locate a single institutional holding (Denver Public). Rare.

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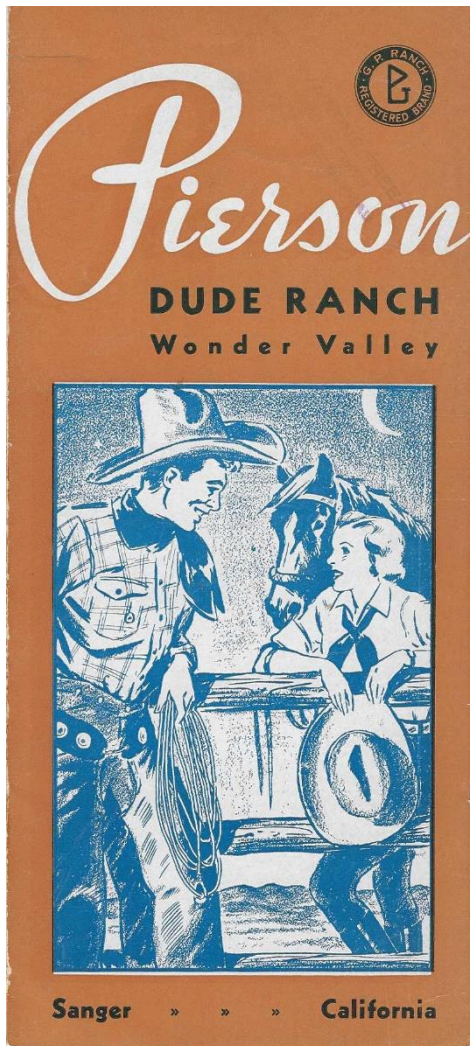


2- [Downey, Charles Sumner]. **Fifth Annual Gold Discovery Day Pageant Custer S.D. 1927.** O'Neill, NE: O'Neill Photo Company, 1927. Panorama silver gelatin photograph [18 cm x 90 cm] / [7" x 35.5"] Title and photographer in the negative. Strong contrasts. Gentle wear at extremities.

Excellent panorama photograph of the Gold Discovery Day Pageant participants including President Calvin Coolidge, The Black Horse Troop of the 4th Cavalry, and a group of Oglala Sioux. This long-running annual celebration is in honor of the gold discovery by George Custer and his troops of the 7th Cavalry in 1874 that set off the Black Hills Gold Rush.

"Fifty-one years after the battle of the Little Big Horn, in which General George A. Custer made his famous 'last stand,' the Oglala Sioux, among whom will be 20 survivors of that disastrous sortie of Custer's cavalry, will bestow upon President Calvin Coolidge the highest honors within the scope of the Indian nation. The ceremony will be very brief in accordance with the express desires of the President. With 300 Sioux in full regalia as a background. Chiefs Crazy Horse and Kills-a-Hundred will address President Coolidge in the Sioux dialect, while interpreters will explain their words to the chief executive and the listening crowd." - Queen City Mail (07/27/1927).

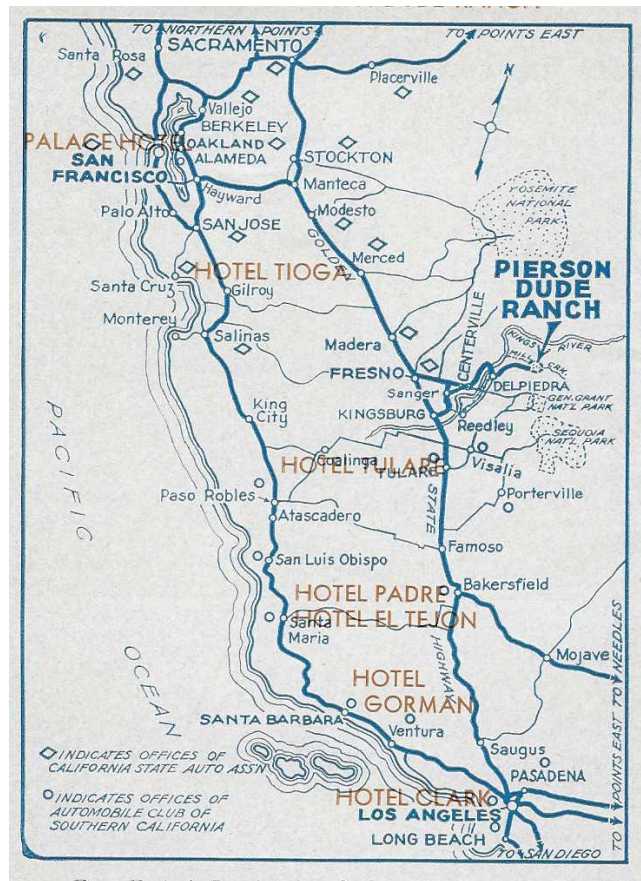
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3- [Dude Ranch]. **Pierson Dude Ranch, Wonder Valley.** Sanger, CA: George Weston Pierson, (c.1940). Single sheet [40 cm x 43 cm] / [15.75" x 17"] printed on both sides and folding to pamphlet size [21.5 cm x 10 cm] / [8.5" x 4.5"] Folds as issued. Very good.

Promotional piece from this northern California dude ranch, offering useful tips for the prospective visitor (descriptions of the Ranch, area, activities, accommodations, etc.). "The Pierson Dude is proving to be one of the San Joaquin Valley's lures for eastern and Pacific Coast Tourists. Although dude ranches are something new to the Far West they are popular as vacation playgrounds in Wyoming and the Middle West" - The Fresno Bee (4/16/1930)

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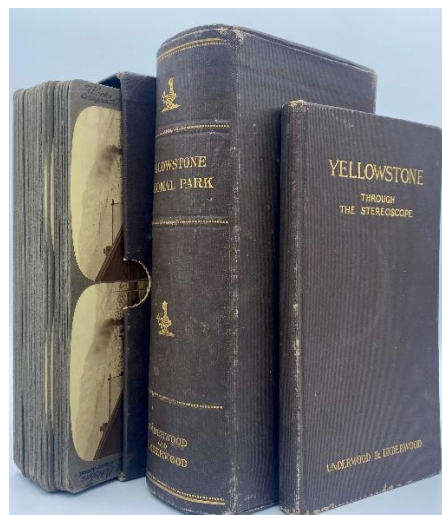


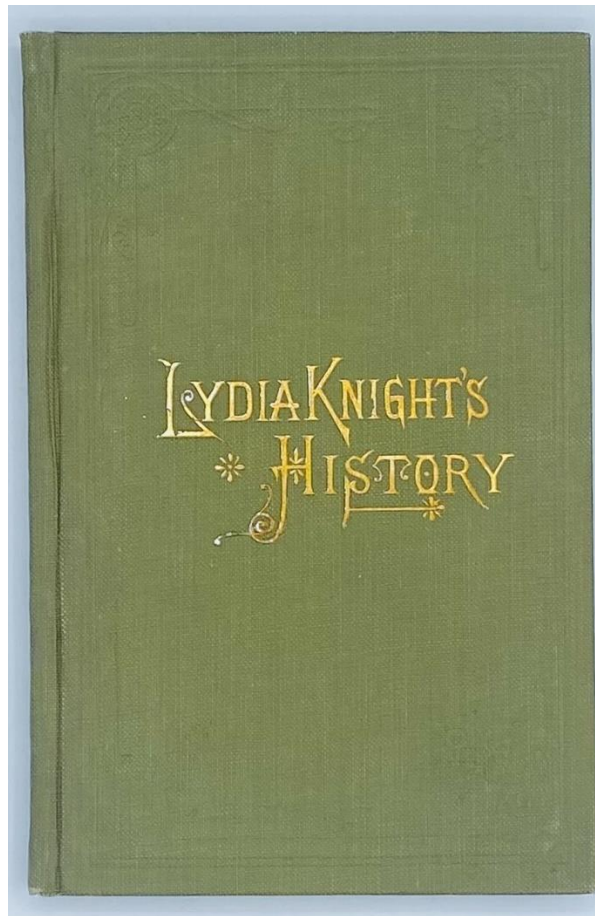
4- [Forsyth, Norman A.]. **Yellowstone National Park Through the Stereoscope**. New York: Underwood & Underwood, 1909. 30 albumen silver print stereoviews [8 cm x 15.5 cm] on gray Underwood & Underwood mounts [9 cm x 18 cm] with titles beneath the image and lengthy descriptions on the reverse. The views are housed in a box and slipcase [19.5 cm x 10 cm x 6.5 cm] Title, publisher and bands silver stamped on the spine of the slipcase. 68pp. booklet in very good condition, with the fold-out map present at the rear.

Complete collection of views showcasing the natural wonders of Yellowstone. The booklet begins with a general description of the park, which is followed by detailed descriptions of all thirty stereoviews. Views likely by Forsyth. Norman A. Forsyth (1869-1949) was a photographer who operated a studio out of Butte, Montana, from 1904-1930, working for Underwood and Underwood and later Keystone View Company.

"When you see the Yellowstone through the stereoscope you omit the hours of railway and stage ride, but, even without their service, you can secure for yourself a thoroughly accurate and usually vivid sense of location, by using the special (patent) map which accompanies these stereographed outlooks. Do not fail to use the map in connection with each successive standpoint. You will find the slight effort repaid many times over in the increased vividness of your impressions and the heightened reality of the experience as a whole." - pg. 11

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5- "Homespun" [Susa Young Gates]. **Lydia Knight's History: The First Book of the Noble Women's Lives Series.** Salt Lake City: Juvenile Instructor Office, 1883. First Edition. 102pp. Duodecimo [18.5 cm] Green cloth with the title gilt stamped on the front board. Better than very good.

This diminutive faith-promoting work on the life of Lydia Knight (1812-1884) who was an early convert to the LDS Church and the wife of Newell Knight - their marriage was the first performed by the Prophet Joseph Smith. Lydia traveled the overland trail with the other Saints in the late 1840s. She was a longtime resident of Southern Utah and spent many years as a Temple worker.

Susa Young Gates (1856-1933) wrote nine books, including the first Mormon novel by a Mormon and a major biography of her father, Brigham Young. Also active in politics and women's organizations, Susa helped organize the National Household Economics Organization, served as a delegate and speaker to five Congresses of the International Council of Women, served as a delegate and officer of the National Council of Women, and was the Utah organizer of Daughters of the American Revolution, Daughters of the Utah Pioneers, and National Woman's Press Club.

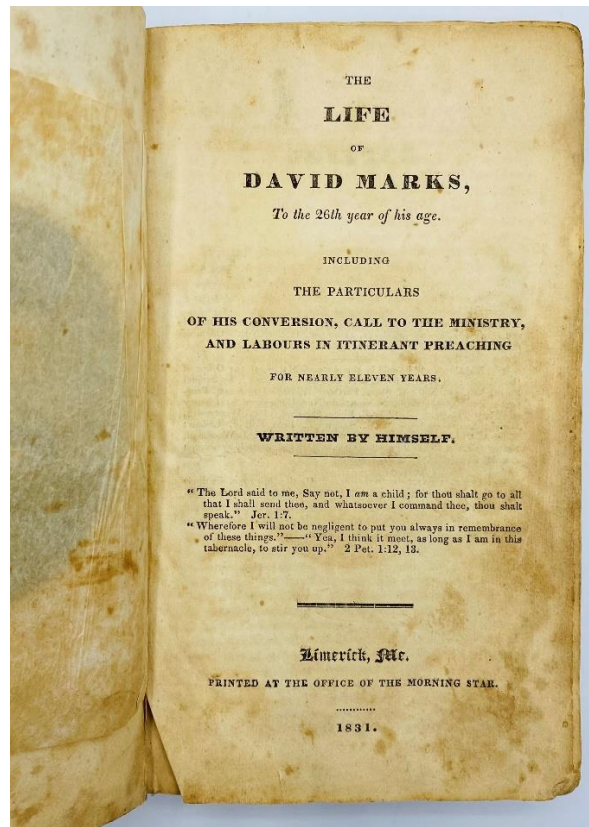
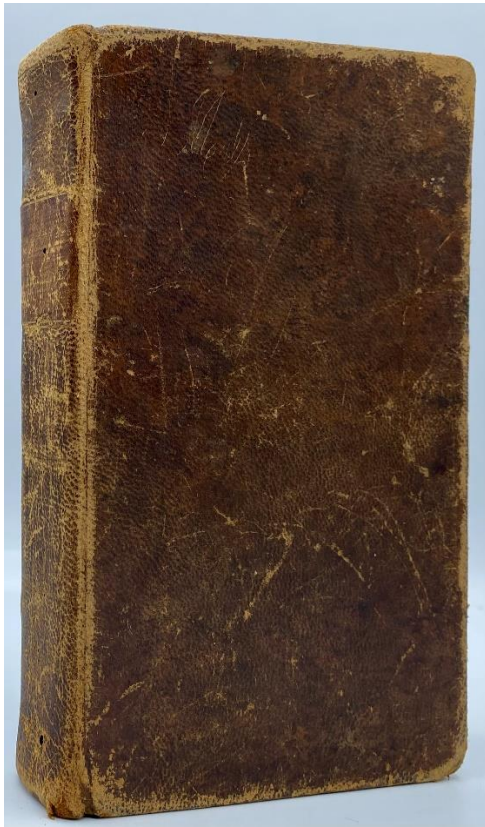
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6- Jones, J.H. **Badger Pass - Yosemite.** 1940. Large silver gelatin photograph [33 cm x 24 cm] / [13" x 9.5"] on a tan mount [51 cm x 40.5 cm] / [20" x 16"] Titled, signed, and dated in pencil on the mount beneath the image. Minor age toning to mount with a few small bumps and chips. Image has strong contrasts. California Camera Club label on the back of the mount.

Nice view of skiers coming down the hill and others milling about at the base at Yosemite National Park's Badger Pass Ski Area. Two years after the completion of the Wawona Tunnel, Badger Pass Ski area opened in 1935. In its inaugural season, nearly 25,000 people skied down its slopes. Before the advent of a chairlift, the ski area hosted a lift called the "Upski." The contraption earned nicknames like the "Queen Mary" or "Big Bertha." This was due to a large sled attached to a cable that slid up and down the mountain carrying six people at a time. The popularity continued to blossom. In 1936, the greatest skiers visited its slopes to practice for the Olympics, and by the 1940's, over 70,000 visitors would come annually.

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7- Marks, David. **The Life of David Marks, To the 26th year of his age. Including the particulars of his Conversion, Call to the Ministry, and Labours in Itinerant Preaching for Nearly Eleven Years.** Limerick, ME: Printed at the Office of the Morning Star, 1831. 396pp. Duodecimo [18 cm] Full brown sheep with gilt rules and the title on the backstrip. Very good. Gentle wear to the extremities of the boards and mild sporadic foxing throughout. Name in ink (contemporary) on the front free endsheet.

This is the first book with a printed description of the Mormons. David Marks grew up on a farm in Junius, New York about fifteen miles southeast of his contemporary, Joseph Smith, Jr. Marks lived less than ten miles from the Whitmer farm in Fayette. Marks probably knew either the Whitmers or their near neighbors a decade before he visited the Whitmer home on March 29, 1830, a week before the "Church of Christ" was formally organized. Marks' offers his evaluation of the Book of Mormon and Witnesses (pp. 340-342). "They further stated, that twelve apostles were to be appointed, who would soon confirm their mission by miracles - and, that if any one read their bible and did not believe, they would be given up and lost for ever. These eight, we understood, were in company with Smith and three others. A copy right was secured by Smith in his own name." Flake/Draper 5277.

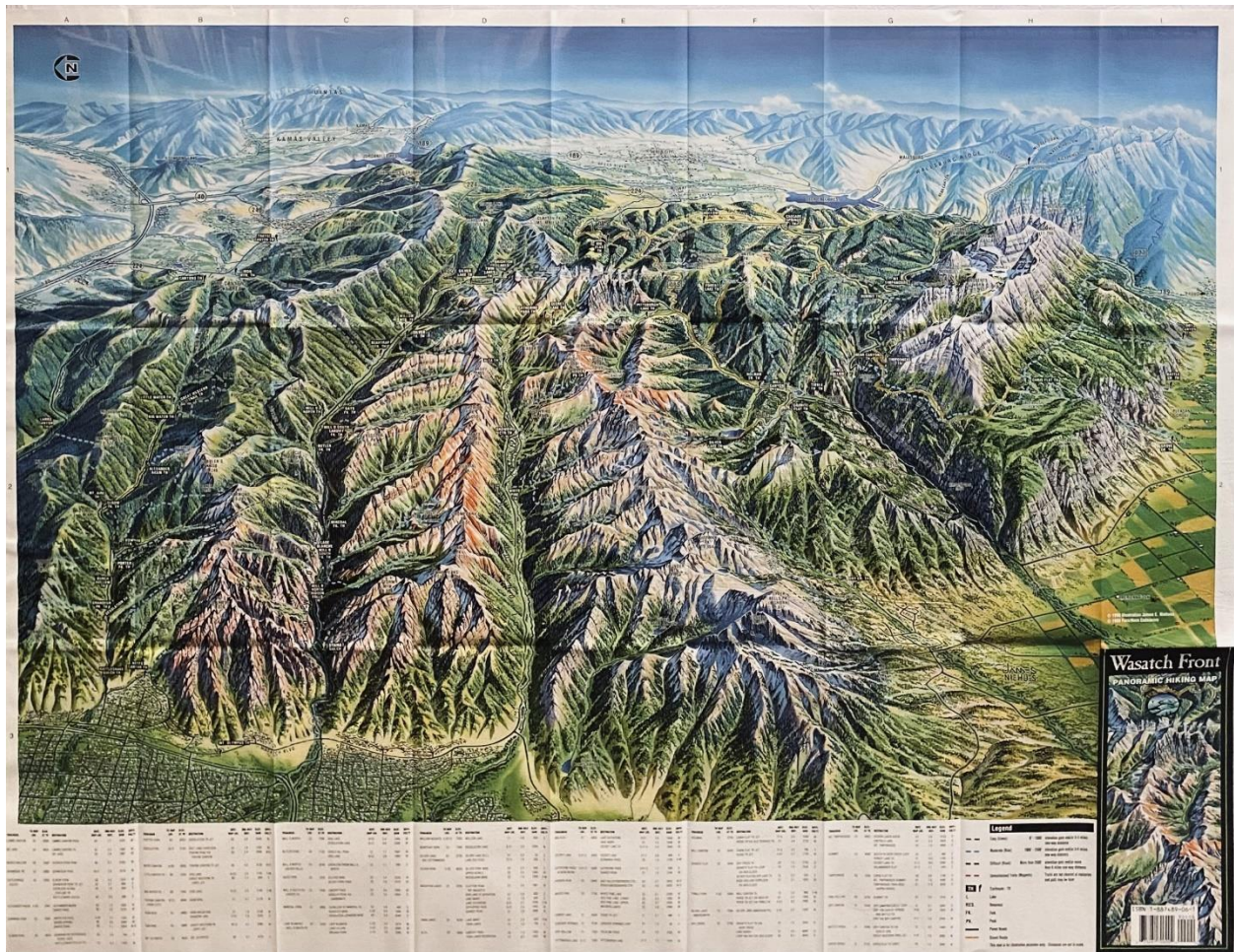
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8- [Montana]. **Featherman's General Merchandise.** [Drummond, MT]: (c.1899). Boudoir cabinet card. Albumen photograph [13 cm x 18 cm] / [5" x 7"] on a dark gray mount [20 cm x 25 cm] / [8" x 10"] Gently faded.

Photograph of the Featherman Mercantile in Drummond, Montana. Manuscript notation on the reverse identifying Featherman. John A. Featherman (1836-1924) arrived in New Chicago, Montana, a stage stop along the Mullan Military Road, on July 4, 1872. He opened a mercantile store in partnership with his nephew, James B. Featherman. After the establishment of Drummond along the route of the Northern Pacific Railroad in 1883, the Feathermans' moved their store to the new town. They operated the store until 1915 when they sold the business to H. J. Faust and C. N. Bassett. J. B. Featherman was also the postmaster both at New Chicago and at Drummond.

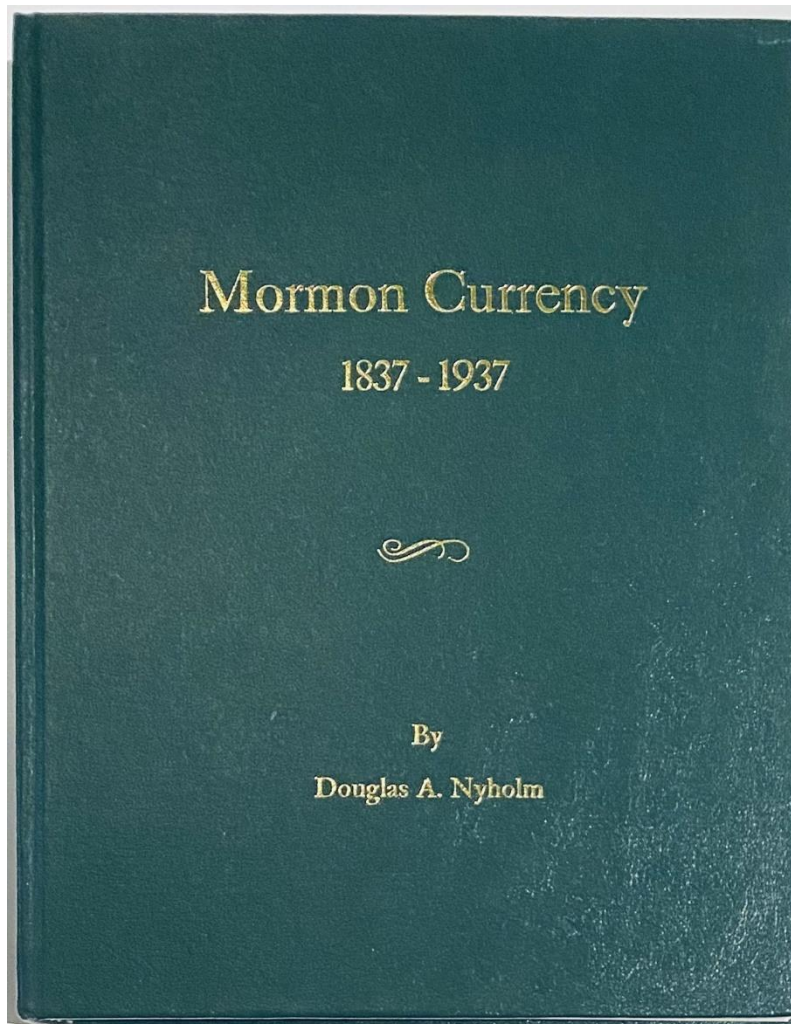
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9- Niehues, James. **Wasatch Front Panoramic Hiking Map**. Glen Haven, CO: FernHorn Endeavors, 2016. Map [66 cm x 88 cm] / [26" x 34.5"] printed in full color and folding to pamphlet size [23 cm x 10 cm] / [9" x 4"]. Folds as issued. Near fine.

Nice bird's eye view of the trails of the Wasatch Front by the legendary trail and map artist, James Niehues. The reverse provides reference data for each trail including distance, elevation gains, and ecosystems encountered (streams, waterfalls, summits, passes, wildflower timing). Additional information is provided on wildlife, general safety, weather precautions, regulations, and permit requirements. James Niehues is an American landscape artist and cartographer best known for painting ski trail maps for ski resorts. He has painted 255 maps for 175 ski resorts around the world.

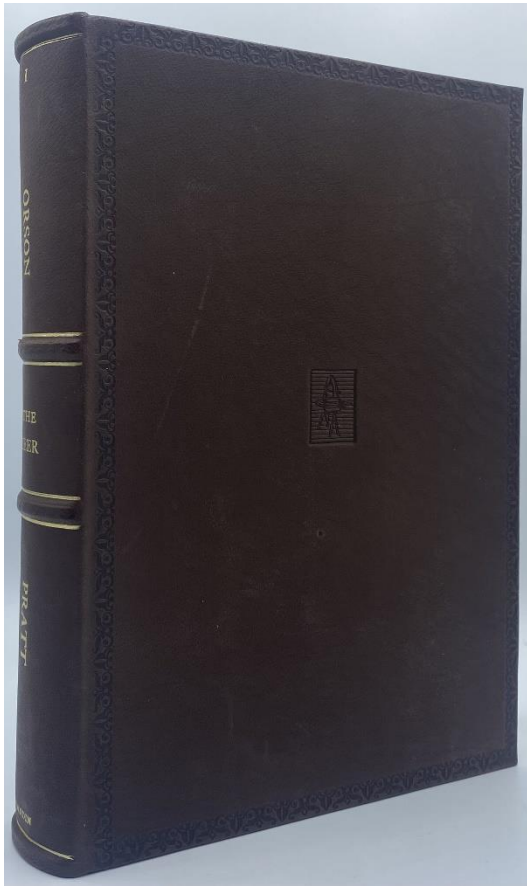
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10- Nyholm, Douglas A. **Mormon Currency, 1837-1937**. 2010. First Edition. 469pp. Quarto [28 cm] Green grained buckram with the title gilt stamped on the front board and backstrip. Near fine.

A comprehensive history and guide to collecting and identifying Mormon currency from 1837 in Kirtland, Ohio to the early 1900's in Salt Lake City, Utah. Profusely illustrated in color showing examples of Mormon Money, Mormon gold, Kirtland notes, Mormon script, Co-Op notes, etc. A very useful reference work.

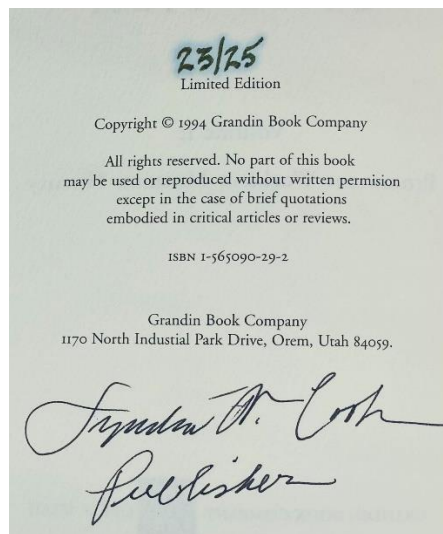
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11- Pratt, Orson. **The Seer**. Orem: Grandin Book Company, 1994. Limited Edition, 1/25. 320pp. Octavo [24 cm] Full brown leather with gilt stamped title and bands to the backstrip. Fine.

Volume 1 in the 'Prominent Works in Mormon History' series from Grandin Book Company. This special edition was limited to 25 numbered copies that are signed by the publisher, this is copy 23. Following the Fall General Conference of 1852, Orson Pratt was called to preside over the LDS Church's activities in Washington DC, and to publish a periodical defending the Mormon Church (in particular polygamy). The result was the 'The Seer' that was simultaneously reprinted in Liverpool by S.W. Richards. Most of this periodical was devoted to Pratt's doctrinal ideas, including some that had not previously appeared in print, most notably his articles on the preexistence and polygamy.

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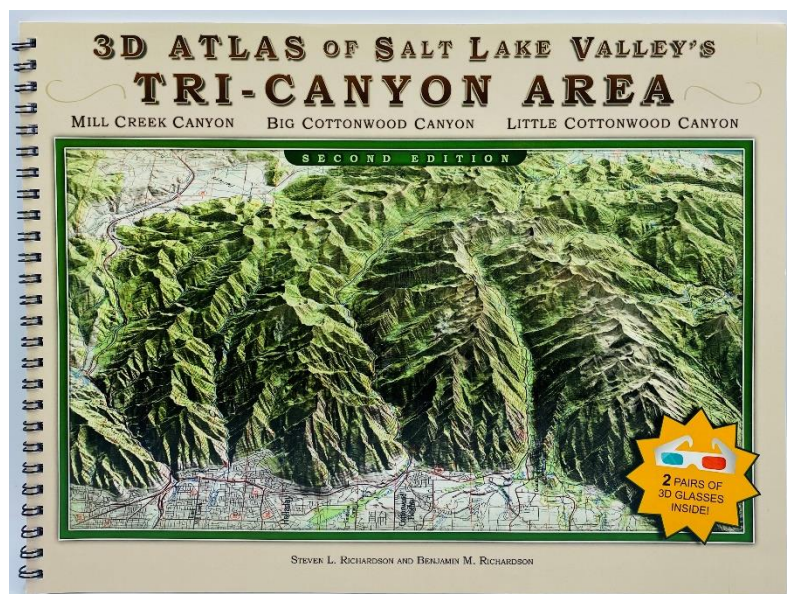


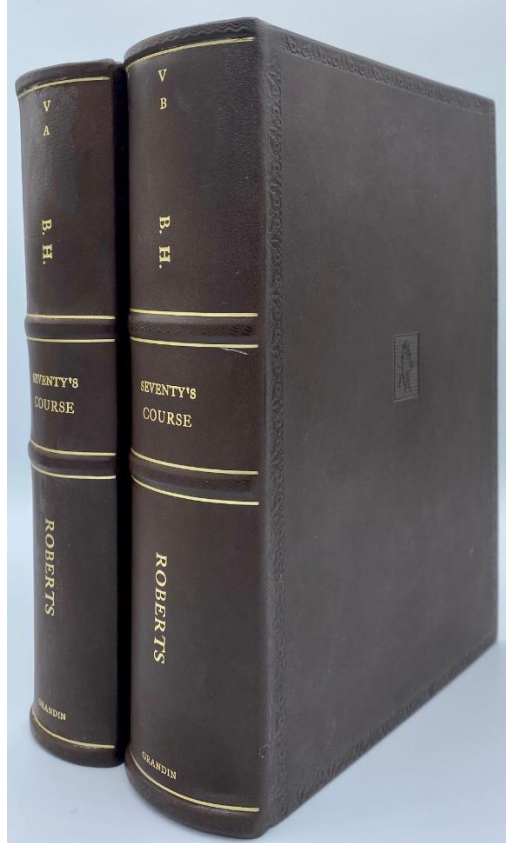
12- Richardson, Steven L. and Benjamin M. Richardson. **3D Atlas of Salt Lake Valley's Tri-Canyon Area: Mill Creek Canyon - Big Cottonwood Canyon - Little Cottonwood Canyon.** Magna, UT: 2i3D Stereo Imaging, 2013. Second Edition. 50pp. Oblong quarto [23 cm x 30.5 cm] Comb-bound color wrappers. Near fine. Both pairs of 3D glasses are present in the sleeves attached to the inside front cover.

Work contains 20 sets of U.S.G.S. topographical maps that face bird's-eye photographs from the U.S.D.A. National Agriculture Imagery Program of the same area. These views have been converted to 3D. Nice views of the high-spots: Grandeur, Murdock, Olympus, Gobblers, Twin, Clayton, and Lone. Also includes general aerial canyon and basin views.

The Tri-Canyon area includes three canyons in the Wasatch Mountains just southeast from Salt Lake City (we can be on the Deso/Thayne trailhead in 15 minutes) that are popular year-round for activities that include hiking, camping, rock-climbing, biking, skiing, and snowboarding. This book covers an area of 216 square miles. Groovy fun.

\$75





13- Roberts, Brigham Henry. **Seventy's Course in Theology**. Orem: Grandin Book Company, 1994. Limited Edition, 1/25. 2 volume set. 168+222, 216p+160+124pp. Octavo [24 cm] Full brown leather with gilt stamped title and bands to the backstrips. Fine.

Years 1 through 5 complete. Volumes 5 A & B in the 'Prominent Works in Mormon History' series from Grandin Book Company. These special editions were limited to 25 numbered sets, signed by the publisher, these are both numbered 23. Nicely bound set of this ambitious and important theological work from the 'Defender of the Faith' and Mormon intellectual, B.H. Roberts.

Brigham H. Roberts (1857-1933) was one of the seven presidents of the First Council of the Seventy. A voluminous writer, he is perhaps best known for his outstanding A Comprehensive History of the Church, a major landmark in LDS historical writing from which this selection has been gleaned. Born in England, he was baptized in Utah in 1867, following his emigration. He graduated from the University of Deseret in 1878, taught school, and gradually drifted into journalism. He filled missions in Tennessee (1880-82), in the southern states (1883-86), and in England (1886-88). In 1888 he was called to the First Council of the Seventy; in 1889 he spent four months in prison for "unlawful cohabitation." Elected to the U.S. House of Representatives, Roberts was denied his seat because of his polygamist beliefs. His histories and biographies and treatises remain among the important works of Mormon literature.

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14- Roberts, Brigham Henry
[Joseph Musser]. **Plural Marriage:
The Mormon Marriage System.**
Salt Lake City: Truth Publishing
Company. 24pp. Octavo [25.5 cm]
Light green printed wrappers.
Near fine.

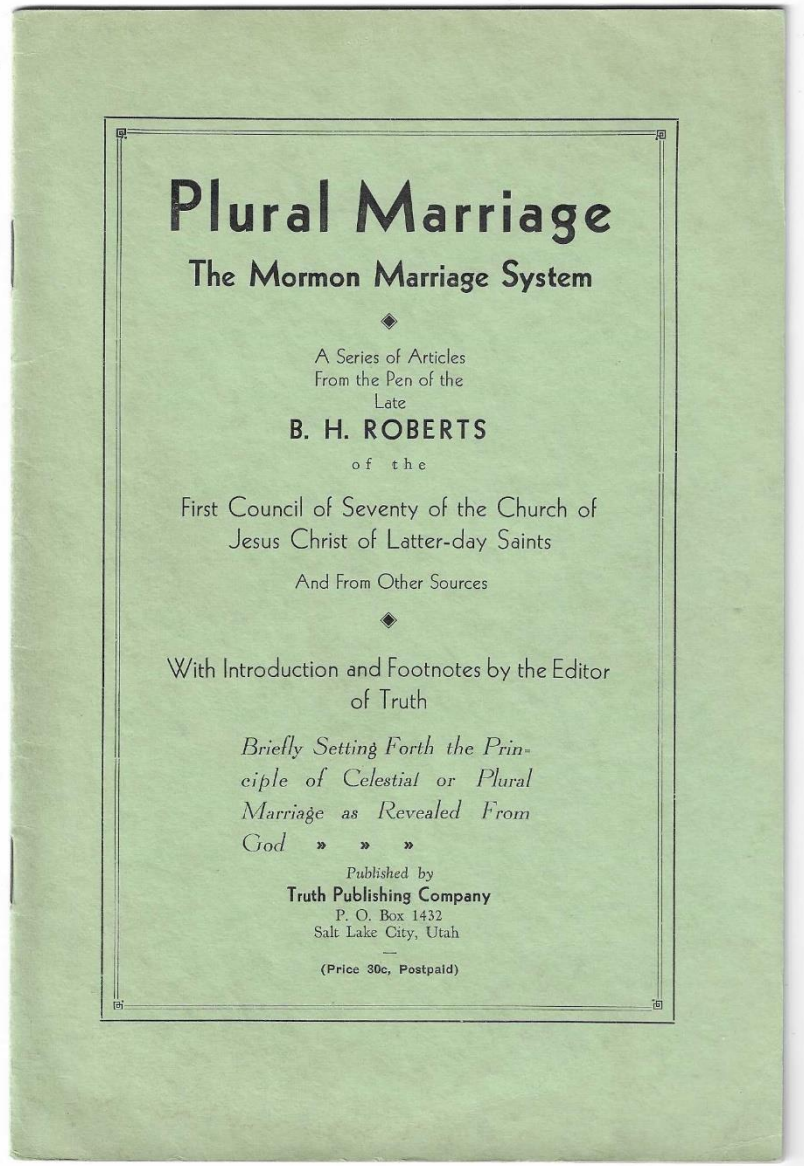
*Pro-polygamy work from the
fundamentalist stalwart, Joseph
Musser, featuring the words of
B.H. Roberts. 'A Series of Articles
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Joseph Musser (1872-1954) was a central figure in post manifesto LDS polygamous groups, and an early follower of Lorin Wooley and his claim to the Keys of the Priesthood. Musser was the leader at Short Creek during the raids. After his death his followers split, forming the U.E.P. (FLDS – Short Creek) and the A.U.B. (Allred group - Salt Lake County).

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15- Shope, Irvin. **Old Oregon Trail**. 1948. Pictorial map [43 cm x 64 cm] / [17 " x 25"] printed in full color. Nice condition.

Pictorial map of the United States west of the Missouri River that locates the Oregon Trail as well as the other overland routes, the Old Spanish Trail, Santa Fe Trail, Mormon Trail, Overland Stage, Pony Express and the routes of the Corps of Discovery and Fremont. Historic locations and events are noted. Legend at the upper right. Depiction of Fort Laramie at the foot. Nicely illustrated map from the cowboy artist, Irvin 'Short' Shupe (1900-1977) who was a painter and muralist who also illustrated numerous books and magazine covers. His signature at the lower right includes the brand for his father's ranch, the circle arrow.

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