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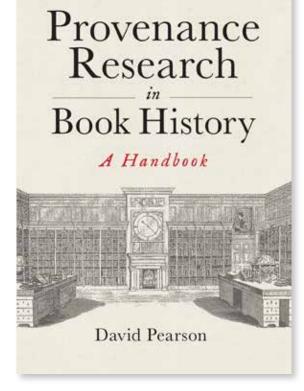
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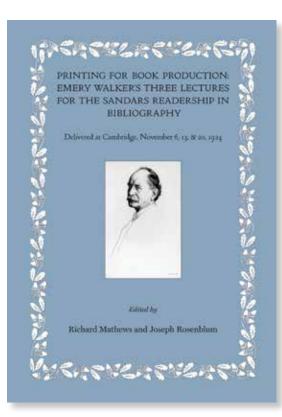
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### **PRINTING FOR BOOK PRODUCTION: Emery Walker's Three Lectures for the Sandars Readership in Bibliography**

### Delivered at Cambridge, November 6, 13, & 20, 1924

#### Edited by Richard Mathews and Joseph Rosenblum

Sir Emery Walker (1851-1933) was a leading figure of the Arts and Crafts movement and the inspiration for the revival of fine printing in Britain, the Continent, and America. His November 1888 address to the first Arts and Crafts Exhibition Society Exhibition (summarized in Appendix 1 of this

book; the original text of the speech is lost) prompted William Morris to found the Kelmscott Press.

With Thomas James Cobden-Sanderson, Walker established the Doves Press in 1900, and Walker advised other fine presses as well. In 1935, Charles Harry St. John Hornby wrote, "Walker was a mine from which to draw a wealth of counsel ever at the free disposal of every struggling beginner."

In 1924 Walker delivered the Sandars Lectures at the University of Cambridge, in which he presented his lifetime's reflections on the history and technology of printing and book illustration, accompanying his talks with about 200 slides (listed in Appendix 2). This

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book publishes these lectures for the first time. The book includes many of the images Walker showed to his 1924 audience, including copies of some of his original slides, as well reproductions, often in color, of other works and items (such as historical printing presses) he mentioned. Appendices include: Walker's 1888 lecture on letterpress printing and Oscar Wilde's review; a list of Walker's 1924 slides; a list of Sandars Lectures from1895–2019; and notes on the texts and sources.

The text and some 300 pictures in color and black and white combine to provide an excellent history of the printed book from Gutenberg to the early 20th century. An introduction summarizes Walker's life and many achievements. Design and typography by Scott Vile of the Ascensius Press.

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Richard Mathews is a letterpress printer who has written widely about William Morris. In 2013 he delivered a lecture at Kelmscott House, "Emery Walker: An Eye for Detail," about fine press publishing. Mathews is Professor of English and Writing at The University of Tampa and Director of the UT Press. Joseph Rosenblum taught English at the University of North Carolina. He is the author or editor of several books, including *The Uncollected A Edward Newton* (2017). He has been recognized by *Library Journal* for Outstanding Reference works. He serves on the editorial board of Oak Knoll Press.

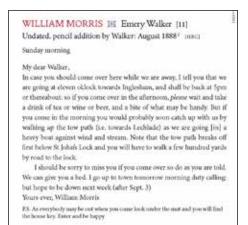


## **EMERY WALKER** Arts, Crafts, and a World in Motion

#### by Simon Loxley

This book is an attempt to give a comprehensive sense of Emery Walker as a person, along with his career and achievements, in part through correspondence with important people in his life. The letters are accompanied by brief biographies of the correspondents and essays that examine some of the key stages and achievements of Walker's career.

Walker was a key figure in the world of design, typography and printing, in the teaching and dissemination of those crafts, and in the cultural landscape of late nineteenth and early twentieth century Britain. But the effects of his contributions also spread to the United States and mainland Europe, and the ripple of their influence helped determine the design ethos of the twentieth century and beyond. He was called the "Universal Samaritan," his help and advice likened to a vital amenity like water, and free of charge.

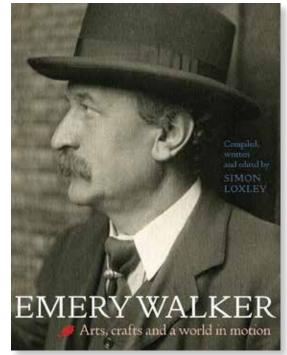


In spite of his enormous influence, Walker himself has largely remained in the shadows, lowkey even in the most notorious dispute in typographic history over the rights to the Doves Press type—the pronouncements and self-justifications of his former partner Thomas Cobden-Sanderson dominated the affair. Simon Loxley's category-defying and highly accessible curation of Walker's life presents him in all

his dimensions. His career is highlighted in separate features: the Kelmscott Press, the Doves Press, the Ashendene and Cranach Presses, and his collaborations with Bruce Rogers: the short-lived Mall Press, and the aesthetic triumph of *The Odyssey of Homer*. His contributions to two Greek typeface designs, Selwyn Image's Macmillan Greek and Robert Proctor's Otter Type, are also examined.

Interwoven with these is a selection of 143 letters spanning 60 years, most never previously published, that gives us a picture of Walker the man in both his professional and personal life. He seemed to "know everyone," and short biographies of the principal correspondents help contextualize the letters. The result is a fascinating picture of Emery Walker, his family and friends, the people he knew and the times he lived in: times of aesthetic vision, social revolution dreamed and actual, and world war, culminating in a symbolic, poignant valediction to Arts and Crafts as the shadow of another conflict loomed. The texts are accompanied by over 140 images, many of them, once again, never before published.

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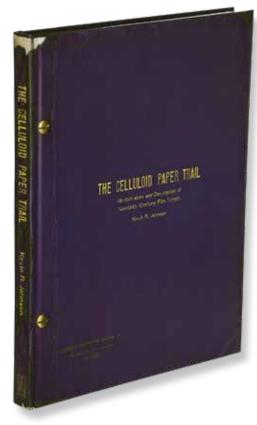
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Simon Loxley is a graphic designer and a writer on design, typography and design history. He designed the Emery Walker's House logo, and he designed and edited *Ultrabold*, the Journal of St. Bride Library. He is also the designer of this book.





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#### by Kevin R. Johnson

Foreword by Tony Bill, Academy Award-winning producer (The Sting), director and actor.

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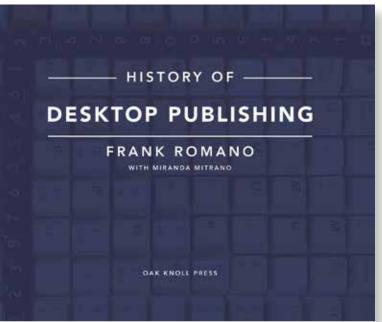
than Romano, who takes us on a personal journey from the end of the typewriter era to the age of the Internet, examining the development of personal computers, pagemaking and graphic design programs, postscript, digital fonts, data storage, inkjet printing, GUIs, and the rise of the digital era.

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#### FONTS-THE FINAL FRONTIER

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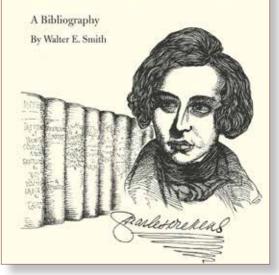




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## CHARLES DICKENS

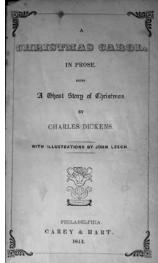
First American Editions: The Christmas Books and Selected Secondary Works



## **Charles Dickens** His First American Editions: The Christmas Books and Selected Secondary Works

#### by Walter E. Smith

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The present work serves as a companion to the author's earlier work: Charles Dickens: A Bibliography of His First American Editions, 1836-1870. The Novels with Sketches by Boz, also available from Oak Knoll (see below).

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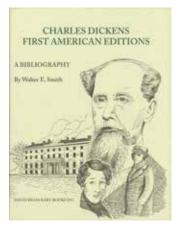
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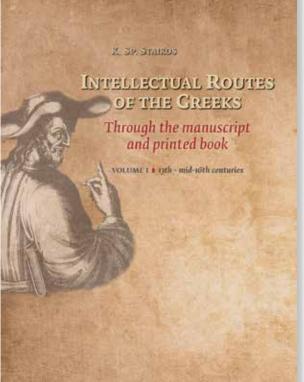
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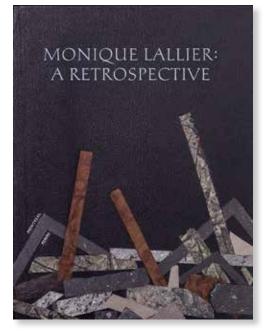
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#### by Monique Lallier

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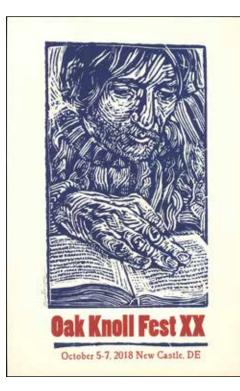
Monique Lallier is known for her creative and thoughtful approaches to the subjects of her binding projects. Her use of unusual materials such as eggshells, pewter, colorful wires, agates, lizard and snake skin—even her own hair—and innovative techniques including cutouts, reveals, pop-ups, and moveable parts make her bindings both distinctive and dynamic.

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Monique Lallier has served as director of the American Academy of Bookbinding and president of the Association des Relieurs du Quebec. In 2010 the Guild of Book Workers (New York) presented her with the Laura Young award for service as Chair of the Standards of Excellence annual conference from 1988 to 2000. She is married to the British bookbinder Don Etherington. Designed by Jerry Kelly.



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#### by Anthony Hamber

#### With a Foreword by Tristram Hunt and an essay by Nicholas Burnett.

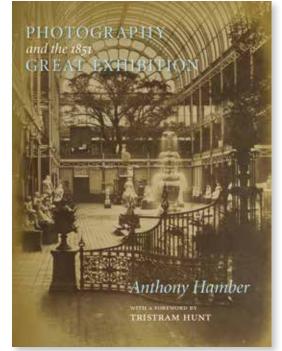
The Great Exhibition of the Works of Industry of All Nations, held in London from May to October of 1851, was the genesis of the Victoria and Albert Museum. This book makes extensive use of the V&A collections and was published to accompany the opening of the V&A Photography Centre. It is the first comprehensive study of the role of the Great Exhibition in advancing photography and its impact on illustration, printing, publishing, and the arts. The scale and scope of photography of—and shown at—the Great Exhibition is evident through reproductions of images by amateur and professional photographers, some of which are the only known images of now lost works of art.

Based on contemporary sources, including official publications, the archive of the Royal Commission, the correspondence of William Henry Fox Talbot, letters, newspapers, books, and articles in periodicals, as well as the *Reports by the Juries*, from which all 154 photographic images are reproduced.

Anthony Hamber is an expert on 19th century photography and the illustrated book, the contribution of photography to other forms of illustration. Designed by Scott Vile of the Ascensius Press.

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## A DIRECTORY OF DELAWARE PHOTOGRAPHERS, 1839-1900 AND BEYOND

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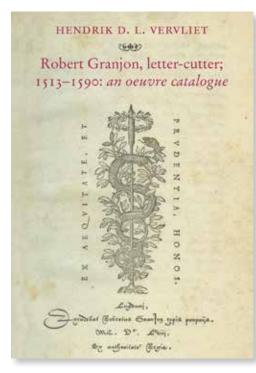
This book is an extensively researched study of historical information about photographers working in the state of Delaware from the dawn of practical photography up to the early twentieth century. The author's inspiration was a monograph by Jon Williams, formerly of Hagley Museum and Library, that covered only Wilmington from 1839 to 1860. From that starting point, he set about finding as much professional and personal information as possible about all Delaware photographers who owned a studio and their employees. Primary sources were: letters, including those written by several Delaware photographers to the DuPont family; newspaper archives; and city directories from 1845-1915. The sensational style of some of the newspaper articles, in particular, makes for entertaining reading.



The main directory is a list of all known photographic workers, with transcriptions of correspondence, newspaper articles, obituaries, advertisements, and other surviving sources of information. Appendices cover partnerships, locations, photographic media, licenses, business listings, and known amateur photographers. On the accompanying CD are reproductions of trade cards, stereopticon cards, daguerreotypes and other photographic prints, newspaper articles, patents, IRS records, business licenses, and more.

William A. McKay is an independent scholar.

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This book, by typographic scholar Hendrik Vervliet, is a survey of the life and work of the sixteenth-century letter-cutter Robert Granjon (1513-1590), one of the best and most influential figures in the history of type design.

Vervliet begins with a biography, recounting Granjon's career as a punchcutter and publisher during periods in Paris, Lyons, Antwerp, and Rome. A freelance craftsman, Granjon wanderedthroughout Europe in search of markets in which to earn his livelihood selling sets of matrices of his founts.

Granjon's most durable contributions are his Italics, his Flowers, his Civilités (a new rendering of the old French Bastarda letter), and his Slavic and Oriental

founts. The author devotes several chapters to chronologies of Granjon's publications and founts, and to classifications of his types. The final long chapter consists of facsimile reproductions of Granjon's types, including Arabic, Armenian, Civilité, Cyrillic, Greek, Hebrew, Italic, Music, Phonetic, Roman, and Syriac founts.

This work aims for completeness and reliability of attributions, and it will be of great interest to book and type historians. Design and typography by Alastair Johnston.

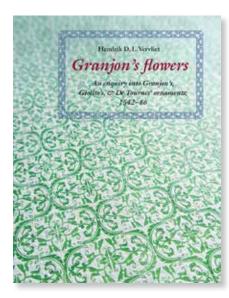
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Hendrik Vervliet served as Librarian of the University of Antwerp and held the

Professorship of Book History at the University of Amsterdam. In 2011 he was honored

with the Individual Laureate Award by the American Printing History Association.



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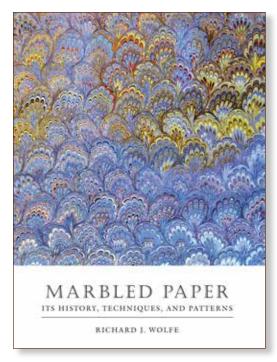
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Richard J. Wolfe (1928-2017) was a rare book librarian, practicing marbler, and collector of marbled papers and books about marbling. This book is the result of more than 25 years of research and practical experience. Wolfe tracked down and sorted out historical records of marbling from their original sources, drawing on his own extensive experience as a practitioner to write eloquently on technical and stylistic questions. The resulting study puts all aspects of this fascinating craft in proper perspective.

When first published, *Marbled Paper* was immediately recognized as the most comprehensive study of marbling to that point, and its status as the standard history of the subject is undiminished. With the goal of making it available again to scholars, students, and practitioners, Oak Knoll Press is pleased to be able to present this second edition in cooperation with the Wolfe family, completed with corrections left by the author.



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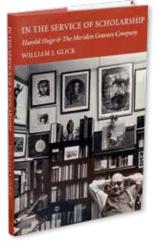
## IN THE SERVICE OF SCHOLARSHIP

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This book is a history of one of the leading printing firms of the twentieth century. It is also a character study and biography of Harold Hugo (1910-1985), who brought the company to standards of excellence that earned worldwide recognition for art reproduction of the highest quality. It records the practices that were employed to advance illustration printing during the era of film-based printing technology, from collotype and letterpress to offset lithography.

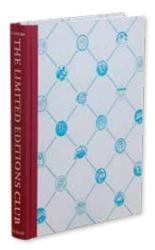
The author was associated with Meriden Gravure for thirty years. His insights are supplemented by interviews conducted during Hugo's lifetime and by contributions from the Hugo family and others. Richly



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Today there are only 26 known examples. In this study, the author provides a comprehensive look at these extremely rare books. Each book is examined in detail, docu-

menting its historical context, provenance, and the materials and processes of construction. The book is illustrated with nearly 270 color photographs taken by the author or reproduced from contemporary works of art.Design by Scott Vile.

Margit Smith is a librarian and hand bookbinder.

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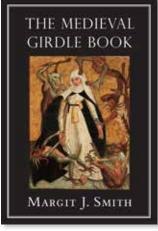


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The book is divided into five chapters dealing with the historical context and specific generations of printers. Over 100 illustrations in color show the aesthetics of layout, design and illustration taken up by various presses. Designed by Jerry Kelly.

Ronald Patkus is Head of the Archives & Special Collections Library and Adjunct Associate Professor of History at Vassar.

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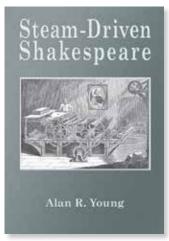
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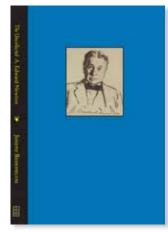
Alan Young is Professor Emeritus of English at Acadia University.

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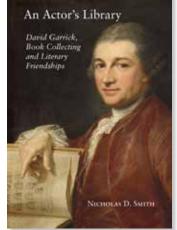
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Nicholas Smith is an archivist at the Victoria and Albert Museum.

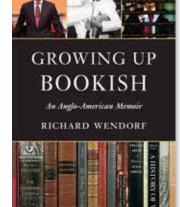
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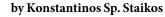
at Williams College and Oxford, then as a scholar and teacher, and finally as the director of three prestigious—and very different institutions: the Houghton Library, the Boston Athenaeum, and the American Museum in Britain.

Wendorf writes of the people and institutions that helped to shape his character and career, including an admiring profile of his mentor Charles Ryskamp. He charts his progress as a scholar, collector, interior designer, fundraiser, and even as a fledgling novelist.

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The author examines in detail the

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Generously illustrated throughout in black & white and color. Translation by Timothy Cullen, Alexandra Doumas, Nikos Koutras, and Katerina Spathi.

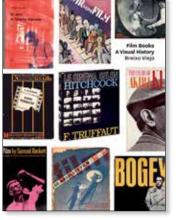
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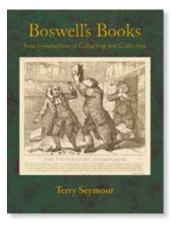
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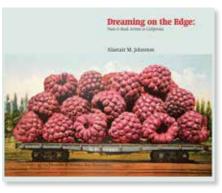
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POETS AND BOOK ARTISTS IN CALIFORNIA

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California is well-known for attracting writers, artists, and dreamers from all over the world. This book covers 150 years of book arts in California, from the late 19th century to the 21st, from Gelett Burgess and *The Lark* to Mark Head and the Mixlexic Press; from

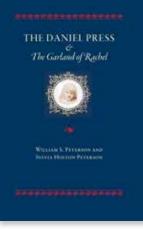
Japanese poet Yone Noguchi to muralist and painter Florence Lundborg. Encounter Anarchists, Pacifists, Hippies, Diggers, Beatniks, and Buddhists. Witness the explosion of art in the 1950s, the small presses of the 1960s and 70s, and the birth of the artist's book at the end of the 20th century as Californians found self-expression from comix to fine press books. Designed by the author and lavishly illustrated.



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The Daniel Press was a celebrated private press operated by Henry Daniel, a don at Worcester College, Oxford, during the late nineteenth century. The printing was done by Daniel himself, with some help from his wife and two daughters, and the texts were usually provided by friends and acquaintances.

This account focuses on *The Garland of Rachel* (1881), the bestknown publication of the press. It consists of a series of poetic tributes to the Daniels' daughter Rachel, born a year earlier, by writers of the day, including Robert

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#### by Ian Spellerberg

Never before has there been a detailed account of what was probably the most common item to be found in Victorian libraries. They were paperknives, used to slit open the uncut pages of books, newspapers and magazines. Paper folders are still used today, but what is the difference between a paperknife and a paper folder? Letter openers and paperknives have different histories and different functions. The term page turner is embedded in the vocabulary of antiques, so it is a surprise to discover that it is a myth.



"The book is illustrated with paperknives and paper-folders of every design... There are cutters in the form of a stockinged leg, a hammer, a cricket bat, a ruler (with postal information, and an alligator" — J.C., TLS

Lavishly illustrated, informative and entertaining, this book is brimming with both discovered and new information about the history and design of these library and desk tools.

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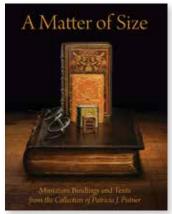
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Published to accompany the eponymous Grolier exhibition on show at the Club March 5-May 19 2019. Edited by George Ong. With numerous color

In this collection of diminutive books and bindings, the size restriction ranges from a grand height of 4 inches to less than 1 millimeter. Spanning 4,500 years, on view are 275 miniature examples of cuneiform tablets and other antiquities, mediaeval manuscripts, early printed books, and contemporary artists books and design bindings representing a variety of artistic styles. The tiny tomes are from the extensive collection of Pat Pistner, who contributes the Introduction. With prefatory essays by Jan Storm van Leeuwen and Todd Pattison, followed by detailed descriptions of the books in the exhibition, each description the work of an expert or scholar in binding, typography, illustration, or some other aspect of the

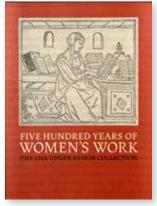
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By bringing together materials from across the centuries, Baskin reveals what has been hidden-that women have long pursued a startling range of careers and vocations and that through their work they have supported themselves, their families, and the causes they believed in. With essays by Lisa Unger Baskin, Elizabeth C. Denlinger, and Laura Micham.The catalogue was designed by Miko McGinty, Inc., and printed in full color.



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by Susan Jaffe Tane and Karen Karbiener

Published in conjunction with an exhibition for the bicentennial anniversary of Whitman's birthday, held at the Grolier Club from May 15 - July 27, 2019. Preface by Susan Jaffe Tane, "Poet of the Body: New York's Walt Whitman" by Karen Karbiener,

Exhibition Checklist by Julie Carlsen, Index by Gabriel McKee.

The exhibition catalogue presents the story of his coming of age

as a poet through a unique assemblage of rare books, manuscripts, and artifacts, many never before seen. Highlights include every American edition of Leaves of Grass published during Whitman's life, manuscripts and one-of-akind books that have remained in private hands from his time to our own, his pen, his cane, and even locks of his hair encased in exquisite Victorian rings.With numerous color illustrations. Set in Scala and Scala Sans types. Printed by Penmor Printing. Design & typography by Jerry Kelly.



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A BIOGRAPHY by Jerry Kelly

Published to accompany the Grolier Club exhibition "Alphabet Magic: A Centennial Exhibition of the Work of Hermann & Gudrun Zapf," curated by Jerry Kelly and Steven Galbraith, on show at the Club February 20-April 27 2019, in celebration of the centenary of Zapf's birth.



This is the first comprehensive biography of Hermann Zapf (1918-2015),

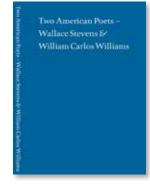


whom Robert Bringhurst has called "the greatest type designer of our time, and very possibly the greatest type designer of all time." Numerous illustrations throughout, in black and white, and color. Colophon: "Set in Hermann Zapf's Palatino Nova and Optima Nova types. Printed on Yulong paper by C&C Offset, China. Design and typography by the author."

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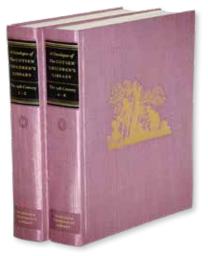
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In fall 1996, the Cotsen staff began compiling a multi-volume book catalogue of the research collection, with support from the Department of Rare Books and Special Collections and the Technical Services Department of the Princeton University Library.

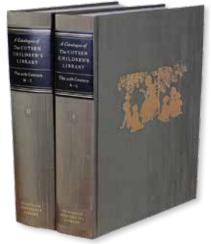
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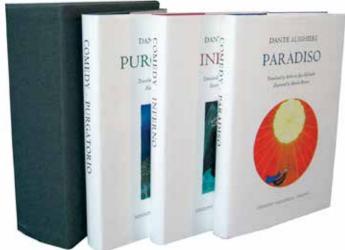
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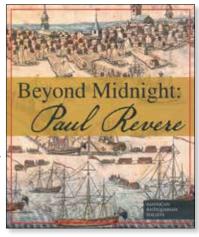
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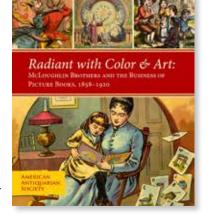
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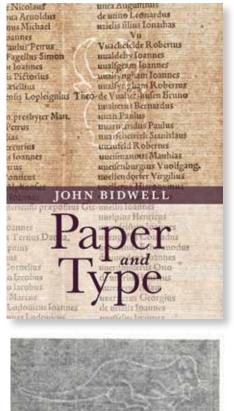
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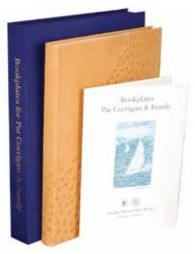
These essays are mainly about book production in England and America during the Industrial Revolution. Some touch on topics earlier and later, but they too tend toward the manufacturing sector and deal with the same tools of the trade: paper and type. The first section surveys recent scholarship in paper history and contains recommendations for further study. Two essays advocate a greater emphasis on the business side of printing and publishing, and the interdependence of merchants and manufacturers and their aspirations, incentives, and constraints are recurring themes.

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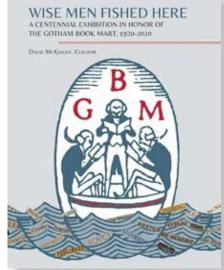
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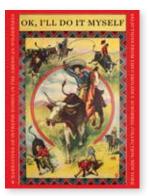
#### by David McKnight

In 2008, the University of Pennsylvania was gifted the contents of the Gotham Book Mart, the legendary New York City bookstore founded by Frances Steloff in 1920. To mark the 100th anniversary of the store's founding, the Kislak Center for Special Collections, Rare Books and Manuscripts mounted an exhibition in honor of Steloff and her famous bookshop. The Gotham Book Mart was, as Steloff put it, "the headquarters of the avant-garde." The exhibition explores the shop's role in publishing and promoting groundbreaking experimental writers, as well as its later years under the ownership of Steloff's hand-chosen successor, Andreas Brown, focusing on his passion for postcards and collaborations with graphic artist Edward Gorey.

Curator David McKnight, with the assistance of Katherine Aid and Camille Davis, selected 300 pieces from the collection's vast array of books, periodicals, manuscripts, and ephemera, narrating the history of the shop from its beginnings to its demise in 2005. Fully illustrated in color. Includes essays on the history of the bookstore, small-press publishing, literary movements, GBM imprints, and Edward Gorey.

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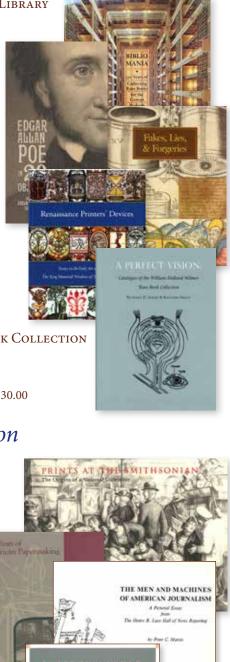
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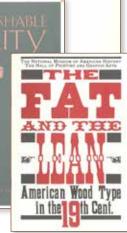
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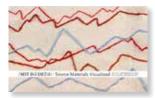
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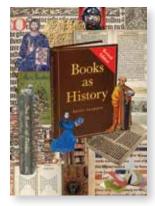
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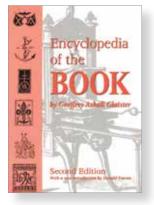
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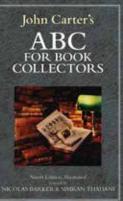
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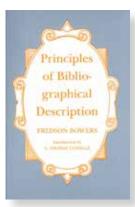
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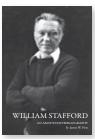
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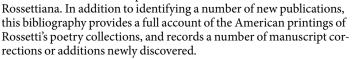
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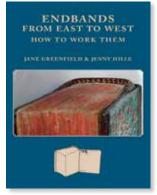
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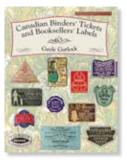
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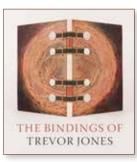
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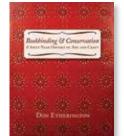


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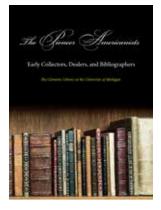


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# Books about Book Collecting and Bookselling



**THE PIONEER AMERICANISTS** EARLY COLLECTORS, DEALERS, AND BIBLIOGRAPHERS by J. Kevin Graffagnino, Terese Austin, Jayne Ptolemy, and Brian

L. Dunnigan (eds.)

*The Pioneer Americanists is* a captivating look at the lives and careers of eight generations of outstanding Americanists prior to 1900. Here are autobiographi-

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Illustrations from the remarkable collections of the William L. Clements Library and other leading institutional archives complement the texts to provide a panoramic window on the early story of Americana appreciation, collecting, and description. Anyone with a professional or avocational interest in antiquarian Americana will find *The Pioneer Americanists* a fascinating treasury of information, enlightenment, and inspiration.

2017, cloth with dust jacket, 8.75 x 11 inches, 230 pages ISBN: 9781881606093, Order No. 131308, \$50.00 Distributed for the William L. Clements Library



**THE GROLIER CLUB COLLECTS II** BOOKS, MANUSCRIPTS AND WORKS ON PAPER FROM THE COLLECTIONS OF GROLIER CLUB MEMBERS edited by George Ong

Catalogue of an exhibition at the Grolier Club. Dec. 2015 through Feb. 2016. Foreword by G. Scott Clemons, Introduction by Eric Holzenberg and Arthur Schwartz, and

Preface—a "Proem"—by Terry Belanger.

Behind every great collection lies a great story. That is the central idea of "The Grolier Club Collects II," reflecting the breadth and quality of the members' varied collecting interests. Each object comes with a tale, written by the collector.

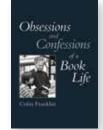
2015, cloth, 9 x 12 inches, 183, [1] pages ISBN 9781605830636, Order No. 127344, \$75.00 *Distributed for the Grolier Club* 



#### THE LITERATURE OF COLLECTING by Richard Wendorf

Richard Wendorf investigates the relationship between theoretical texts devoted to collecting and the rich fictional texts that also take collecting as their focus. He then devotes two chapters to library history and four essays to sir Josua Reynolds. Finally he writes about being both an interpreter of portraiture and a photographic subject.

2008, cloth with dust jacket, 6 x 9 inches, 376 pages ISBN 9781584562306, Order No. 96668, \$49.95



#### **OBSESSIONS AND CONFESSIONS OF A BOOK LIFE** by Colin Franklin

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Biographical sketches and reviews that G. Thomas Tanselle has written since 1959. The 28 portraits comprise accounts of collectors, booksellers, librarians, scholarly editors, publishers, scholars, The author has known many of the people he discusses. The "Reviews" section includes forty-two book reviews and other writings.

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#### **FROM COMPOSITORS TO COLLECTORS** ESSAYS ON BOOK TRADE HISTORY John Hinks, Matthew Day [eds.]

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#### by Jerry Kelly

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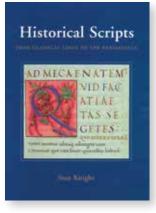
#### An Elegant Hand The Golden Age of American Penmanship & Calligraphy

#### by William E. Henning edited by Paul Melzer

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### by Stan Knight

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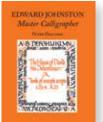
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#### by Nicolas Barker

This work unites the Rothschild Alunno, now in the Cotsen

Children's Library, with Alunno's remaining work. The cartoni are presented in full color facsimile, with a text revealing the results of Nicolas Barker's more than fifty years of research into the identity, associations, and achievements of Francesco Alunno.

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#### EDWARD JOHNSTON MASTER CALLIGRAPHER by Peter Holliday

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Volume 3: Against Design: an Interview with Peter Rutledge Koch. Introduction by Russell Maret. Designers and educators Monique Comacchio and Camden Richards interview Koch. Illustrated with examples of Koch's ephemera.

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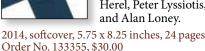
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### BOOKNESSES

#### ARTISTS' BOOKS FROM THE JACK GINSBERG COLLECTION by David Paton (Curator), et al.

A full-colour catalogue of the 258 book objects in one of the largest and most comprehensive international exhibitions of artists books. Foreword by Federico Freschi, Introduction by Robyn Sassen. Included are five essays: 1. "Simultaneous Journeys: Thematics in

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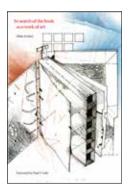
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"A marvelous collection of Hughes's uniquely beautiful illustrations and an exceptional amount of information on their history."

—Barbara Amell, Wingfold

(or terrify) Victorian and Edwardian children.

The book is fully illustrated in black and white and includes an eight page color section. Appendices include a checklist of the books and periodicals, with a supporting bibliography and extensive notes. In all an invaluable account of the illustrative work of a Pre-Raphaelite artist so long undervalued by collectors.

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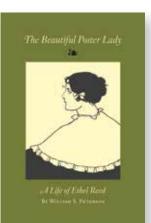
—Kirsti Salmi-Niklande, on behalf of SHARP's judging panel

publishers' bindings in a Swedish context, but also makes clear that it was an international affair, with machines, designs, and ideas crossing borders as much as the literary works themselves did. Lundblad analyzes the complex interactions between books, the book market, and society at large, and shows that bindings not only mirror their historical context but also contribute to the making of culture. The over 150 color illustrations show bindings, catalogues, machinery, book stores, and graphics.

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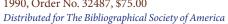
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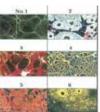


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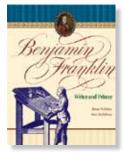
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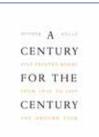
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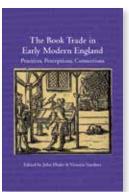
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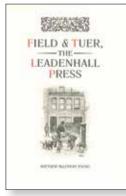
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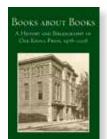
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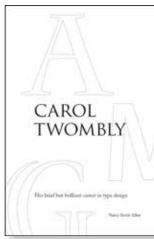
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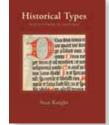
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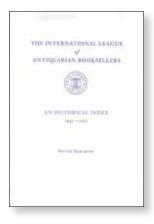


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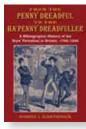
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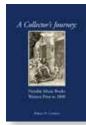


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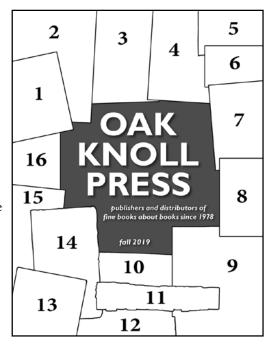




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