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FOREWORD

THIS Collection of early historical material relating to California, Oregon, Texas, and the Middle and Far Western Country, contains more items of extraordinary rarity and importance—some hitherto unknown—and more examples of early and excessively rare Western imprints, than any other collection that has ever been publicly dispersed.

FIRST SESSION

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THE ORIGINAL SAN FRANCISCO EDITION OF "GRIZZLY ADAMS'" LIFE AND ADVENTURES. 1860

1. **ADAMS (J. C.).** Adventures of James Capon Adams, Mountaineer and Grizzly Bear Hunter of California. (His trip Across the Plains in 1849; Experiences in Oregon and California; Camping and Trapping Adventures, etc.) Edited by T. H. Hittell. *With 12 plates.* 378 pp., 12mo. San Francisco, 1860

ORIGINAL EDITION, of which but a few copies were printed, and the publication discontinued on account of the outbreak of the Civil War. Wagner, No. 288.

2. **AKEN (DAVID).** Pioneers of the Black Hills, or, Gordon's Stockade Party of 1874. *Plates.* 151 pp., 12mo, original pictorial wrappers. N. p. [Milwaukee], n. d. and no copyright

The only narrative of the little-known Expedition organized by Charles Collins, Editor of the Sioux City Times, in 1874, and whose 27 adventurous members penetrated the Black Hills in that year, in violation of General Sheridan's orders; who built a Stockade in French Creek Valley, near Harney's Peak; explored the Country; discovered gold; and were finally reached and expelled by Government troops under Captain Mix. The news they brought back, in 1875, started the famous Black Hills Gold Rush, and resulted in the founding of Deadwood and the opening of Dakota Territory in advance of the Government's desires. Aken, the author, was a member of the Expedition.

3. **[ALAMAN (LUCAS).]** Memoria que el Secretario de Estado y del Despacho de Relaciones Exteriores e Interiores. *3 folding charts.* 60 pp., 8vo, sewn. Mexico, 1823

ONE OF THE EARLIEST ACCOUNTS OF CALIFORNIA following the Spanish overthrow. It embraces the condition of the country, the missions, present state and probable future greatness of the region, etc. The Appendix is given over to an account of Padre Caballero's journey across the deserts and among the Indians; and to the explorations for an Overland Route to California as performed by Captain Romero.

4. [—] Memoria presentada a las dos Camaras del Congreso General de la Federacion, por el Secretario de Estado. (Sobre la Colonia situar en Tejas, y Formado de la villa de San Felipe de Austin, y sobre la Missions de California y Tejas, etc.) 51 pp., 8vo, sewn. Mexico, [1825]

5. **ALBACH (J.).** Annals of the West: Embracing a Concise Account of the Principal Events which have Occurred in the Western States and Territories, from the Discovery of the Mississippi Valley to the year 1856. Thick 8vo, sheep (hinge cracked).

Pittsburgh, 1857

A choice clean copy of an unexcelled source book.

6. **ALCARAZ (R., et al.)**. Apuntes para la Historia de la Guerra entre Mexico y los Estados Unidos. *14 plates and 13 folding maps*. 8vo, boards and roan. Mexico, 1848

Both Sabine and Berendt describe this work as "Extremely Rare." The criticism of Gen. Santa Anna so angered the Mexican patriot, that he imprisoned the authors, and ordered all copies of the book destroyed. Larned claims it to be the "best source on the conduct of the War." The account of the campaigns in California differs vastly from the American reports. See No. 929 for a translation.

ALDRICH'S OVERLAND TO CALIFORNIA. 1851
ONE OF TWO KNOWN COPIES

7. **ALDRICH (LORENZO D.)**. A Journal of the Overland Route to California by Lorenzo D. Aldrich, Late of Lansingburgh, Rensselaer Co., N. Y. 46 pp., 8vo, sewn. Lansingburgh, N. Y. Alexr. Kirkpatrick, Printer; 265 State Street. 1851

Left Albany April 18th, Fort Smith May 23rd, Santa Fe July 31st., and then via Rio Grande Mountains, Santa Cruz, Tucson, and the Gila, arriving at San Diego December 3rd. The only other copy known is in the library of Henry R. Wagner and the collation is the same as this. Every indication is that the pamphlet is complete. Mr. Wagner seems to be in error, as an extra leaf inserted accounts for the pagination. The narrative of the expedition is complete and ends on p. 44—the return or Homeward Route ends abruptly at the Bay of Panama.

Without doubt one of the most important of original journals.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

8. **ALLA (OGAL)**. Blue Eye: A Story of the People of the Plains. (Reminiscences of Life and Adventure on the Western Plains in the Sixties.) 8vo, cloth. Portland, 1905

An extremely interesting narrative, with much on the Sioux and Cheyennes.

9. **ALLEN (A. J.)**. Ten Years in Oregon. Travels and Adventures of Doctor E. White and Lady, west of the Rocky Mountains; Containing also, a Brief History of the Missions and Settlement of the Country, the Indians, Incidents witnessed while traversing and Residing in the Territory, etc. 12mo, sheep (hinges weak). Ithaca, 1850

10. — Another copy. 12mo (top edge of back frayed).

11. **ALLEN (WILLIAM A.)**. Adventures with Indians and Game, or, Twenty Years in the Rocky Mountains. *Portrait and 28 full-page interesting plates*. 8vo, half roan. Chicago, 1903

The life story of "Montana Allen," typical old-time Westerner and one of the founders of Billings. His narrative was the result of upwards of a quarter century of loving participation in the hunt of both game and Indians. It preserves the record of a true pioneer, who besides being a trusted leader in Plains immigration, filled in odd moments with the occupations of express messenger, stockraiser, blacksmith, dentist, crack rifle shot and sure-fire Indian fighter.

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