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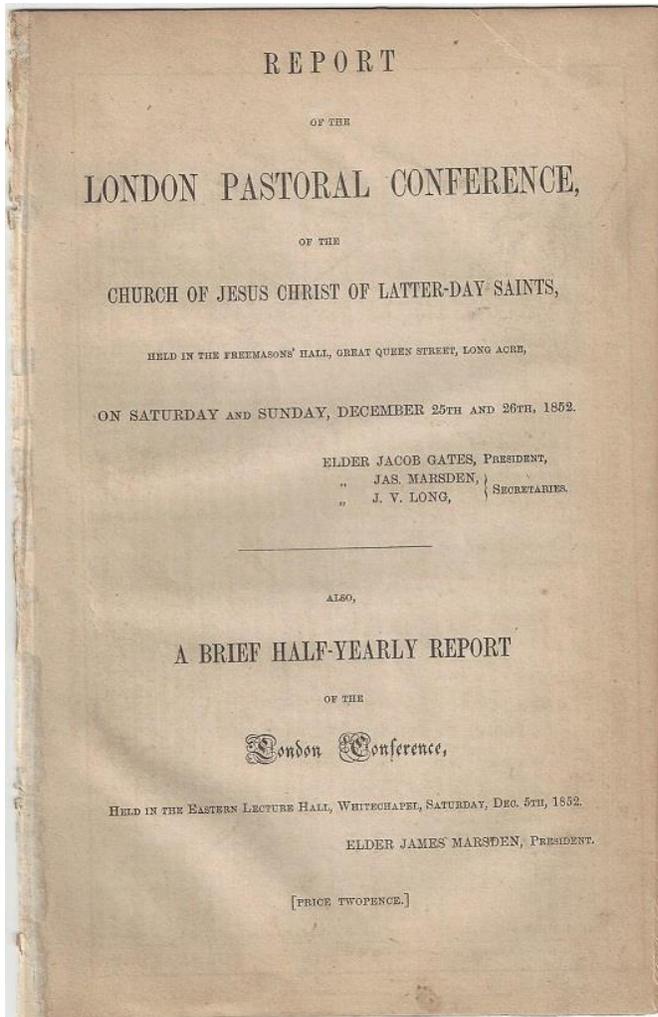
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# First Official Report of Mormon Polygamy in Great Britain



1- [LDS British Mission]. **Report of the London Pastoral Conference, of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Held in the Freemason's Hall, Great Queen Street, Long Acre, on Saturday and Sunday, December 25th and 26th, 1852. Also, a Brief Half-yearly Report of the London Conference, Held in the Eastern Lecture Hall, Whitechapel, Saturday, Dec. 5th, 1852.** London: Printed by J. B. Franklin, [1853]. 12,[4]pp. Octavo [20.5 cm] Very good. Evidence of being previously bound with other material (faint glue residue and stab holes to left edge).

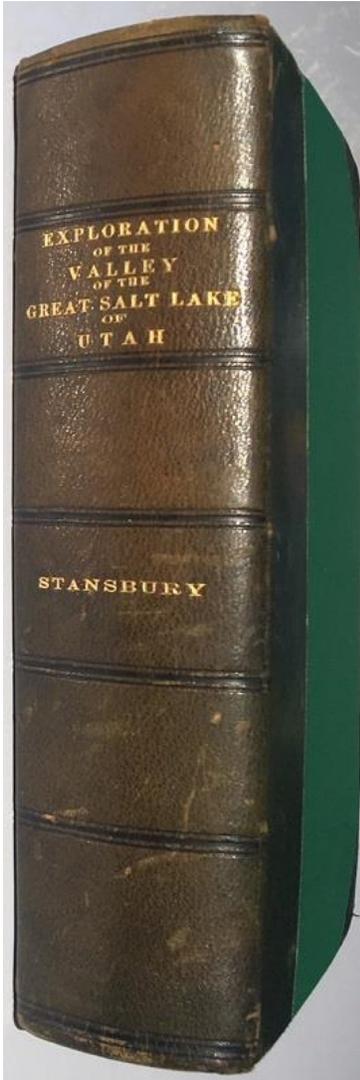
*This short work represents the first time that the Mormon faithful in Great Britain would learn of sanctioned plural marriage.*

*According to Crawley: "Although 'plurality of wives' is explicitly mentioned only twice in the report, it is clear this topic was the major issue at these meetings. Jacob Gates, the pastor over the four conferences, noted in his journal that during the Sunday afternoon session, he spoke in preparation for the reading of the revelation of July 12, 1843 (D&C 132), after which James Marsden read the revelation to the congregation, Job Smith claimed this was*

*the first public announcement of the practice in Great Britain. The report of Gates's discourse in the pamphlet, however, avoids any explicit mention of Plural Marriage. Flake/Draper 1940. Crawley 772. I am able to locate four institutional copies. Rare.*

\$375

## Exceptional Stansbury Expedition with the Maps in Duplicate



2- Stansbury, Howard. **Exploration and survey of the valley of the Great Salt Lake of Utah, Including a Reconnaissance of a New Route through the Rocky Mountains.** Philadelphia: Lippincott, Grambo & Company, 1852. Senate Issue. U.S. 32d Cong. Special Sess. Senate. Ex. Doc. No. 3 . 487pp. Octavo [23 cm] Contemporary [original?] 3/4 brown calf over green cloth boards with the title on the backstrip. Fore edge marbled blue. Gentle wear to the corners of the boards otherwise near fine. 35 illustrations called for and 35 are present. Lacks the illustration 'Cave on Fremont's Island', but the illustration 'Gunnison's Island and Station from the North' appears twice, we believe this to be a binder's error. All four panoramic fold-outs are in fine condition. The illustrations are bound in between pages 267 and [268]. The 19 plates that accompany the Reptile, Insect and Plant sections are complete. Lacks the four Paleontology plates, we believe these were never bound in, and also a binder's error.

*Both of the large maps: 'Map of a reconnoissance between Fort Leavenworth on the Missouri River, and the Great Salt Lake in the Territory of Utah' [173 cm x 73] and ' Map of the Great Salt Lake and adjacent country in the Territory of Utah' [76 cm x 108.5 cm] are bound in at the rear. A second set of original maps have been linen backed and are loose in a chemise that matches the monograph's binding. All four maps in nice condition. The two loose maps are bright and in very nice condition. We believe the purpose of this second set was to be used without the trouble of folding and unfolding, the maps that are bound in at the back of the monograph .*

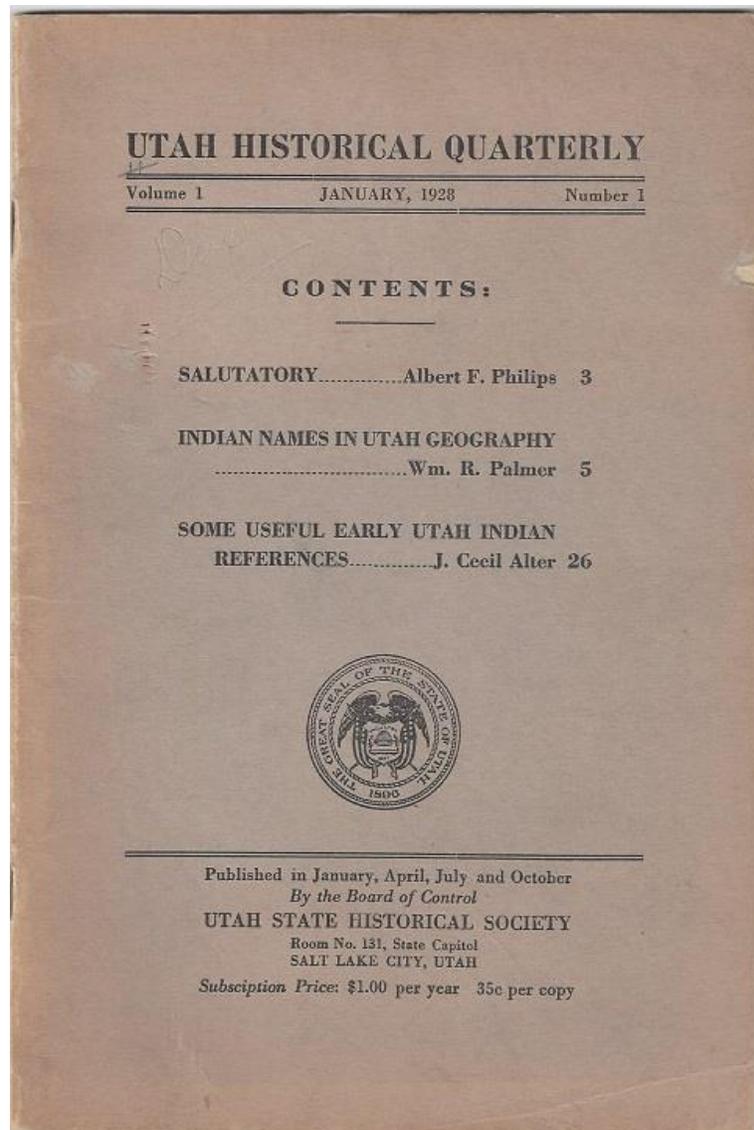
*Captain Stansbury commanded the detachment of the Army's Topographical Engineers which was directed in 1849 to explore and report on the Great Salt Lake Basin. Of particular interest were the newly established Mormon settlements, and the routes and passes through the Rockies for emigrants and possibly a railroad.*

*According to Wheat: "A good many details were added for the country lying between the established Oregon-California trail and Fremont's return from California in 1844, and these, together with the new cartography of the Great Salt Lake region, make the Stansbury expedition map one of the most important of its decade."*

*This is the nicest set of this landmark work that we have ever handled. Flake/Draper 8359. Fales & Flake 53. Moffatt 25, 26. Wheat 764, 765. Auerbach 1255. Wagner/Camp 219:2. Eberstadt 115:1054. Scallawagiana 45. Howes S884. Graff 3947. Sabin 90372. Best of the West 127*

\$1,950

# First Issue of the UHQ



3- [Albert F. Philips] [William R. Palmer] [J. Cecil Alter]. **Utah Historical Quarterly. Volume 1 - Number 1.** Salt Lake City: Utah State Historical Quarterly, January, 1928. Volume 1 - Number 1. 32pp. Octavo [23 cm] Gray printer wrappers. Very good.

*First issue of this important and long-running periodical. Articles are: 'Salutatory' by Albert F. Philips - 'Indian Names in Utah Geography' by William R. Palmer - 'Some Useful Early Utah Indian References' by J. Cecil Alter.*

\$25

## D. Michael Quinn's (Anonymously) Printed First Work

JERALD AND SANDRA TANNER'S DISTORTED  
VIEW OF MORMONISM:  
A RESPONSE TO MORMONISM — SHADOW OR  
REALITY?

By a Latter-day Saint Historian

Salt Lake City, Utah  
1977

4- [Quinn, D. Michael] Latter-day Saint Historian. **Jerald and Sandra Tanner's Distorted View of Mormonism: A Response to Mormonism - Shadow or Reality.** Salt Lake City: 1977. First Edition. 63pp. Sextodecimo [19 cm] Stapled white printed wrappers. Fine.

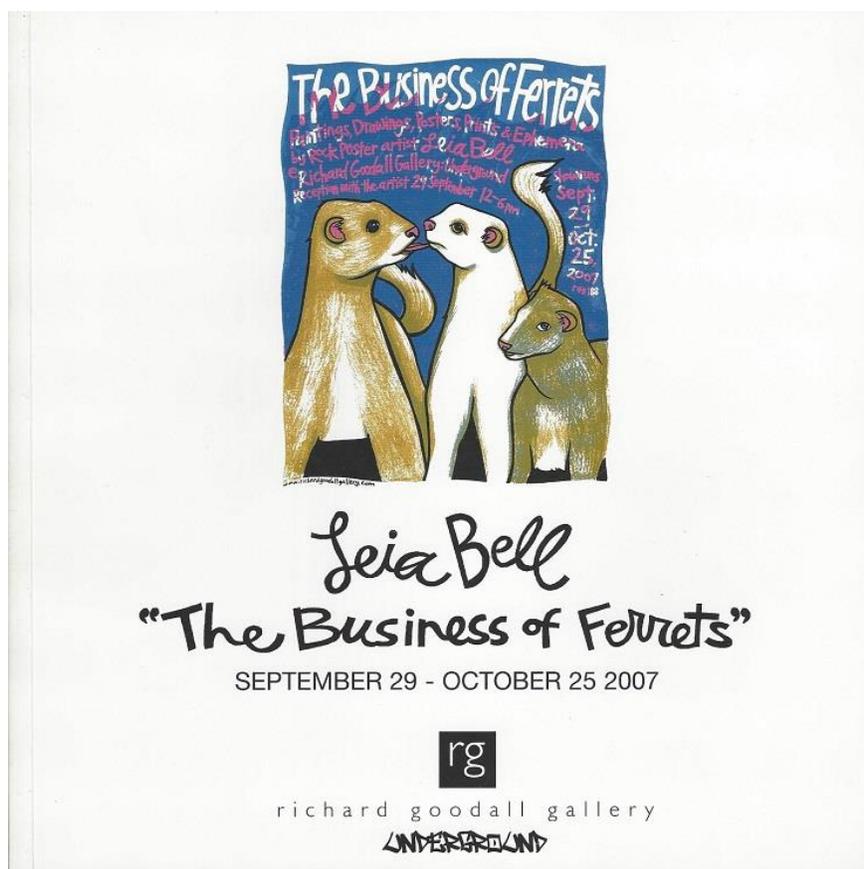
*According to the newly published diaries of LDS Church Historian Leonard J. Arrington, Quinn wrote this short work as a rebuttal to the Tanners' publications, critical of the LDS Church, including 'Mormonism - Shadow or Reality,' and used funds from a group associated with the LDS Church History to print it. A note and a key were anonymously delivered to Sam Weller with directions to a storage unit in Salt Lake that contained the print run for this work and instructions to distribute these as he saw fit. The Tanners quickly suspected Quinn was the author and asked him, and others, directly. Quinn and Arrington both denied, initially, that Quinn was the author. In his diary, Arrington*

*regrets lying about the authorship.*

*This is the first stand-alone publication by the renowned Mormon historian and thinker, D. Michael Quinn, that predates his previously thought of first work 'J. Rueben Clark:, The Church Years.' Uncommon.*

\$40

## Rare Leia Bell Monograph

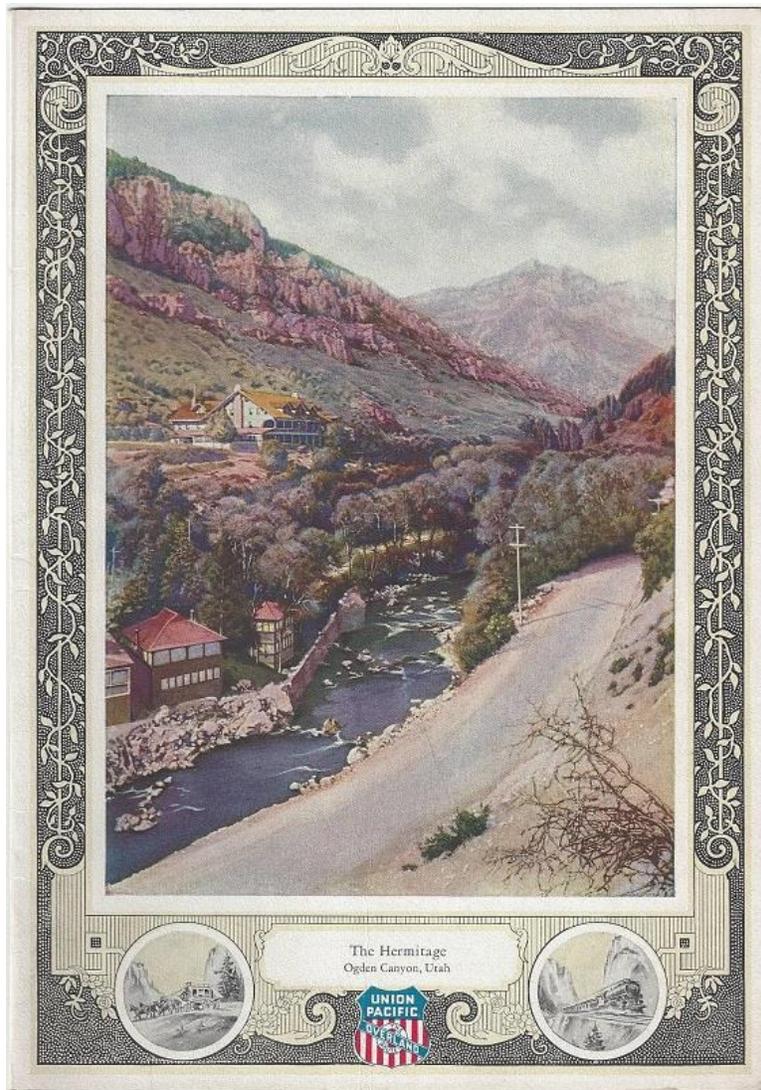


5- Bell, Leia. **Leia Bell "The Business of Ferrets"**. Manchester, ENG: Richard Goodall Gallery, 2007. First Edition. [167pp] Square octavo [21 cm] White illustrated wrappers. Near fine.

*Exhibition catalog containing 150 plus illustrations, many in color, featuring the work of Salt Lake City based artist, Leia Bell. This is the only monograph devoted to the celebrated gig poster artist. Signed and dated by Bell on the title page. Rare.*

\$75

## Mormon Tabernacle Choir / Ogden /U.P. Menu



6- Union Pacific. **Mormon Tabernacle Choir Special Train en Route Union Pacific [Menu]**. Omaha, NE: Union Pacific System, June, 1934. Single sheet menu [25.5 cm x 35.5 cm] printed in color. Near fine. printed by Poole Bros. of Chicago.

*Lovely chromolithograph of the Hermitage in Ogden Canyon on the cover. Rear cover shows a black and white image of two cars passing each other on the "Highway in Ogden Canyon, Utah," with a three-paragraph description of Ogden below. Interior has the dinner menu of the 'Mormon Tabernacle Choir Special Train' with a decorative border containing western scenes (wagon train, bison, railroad, plains Indians, etc.).*

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# Santa Fe Railway Map

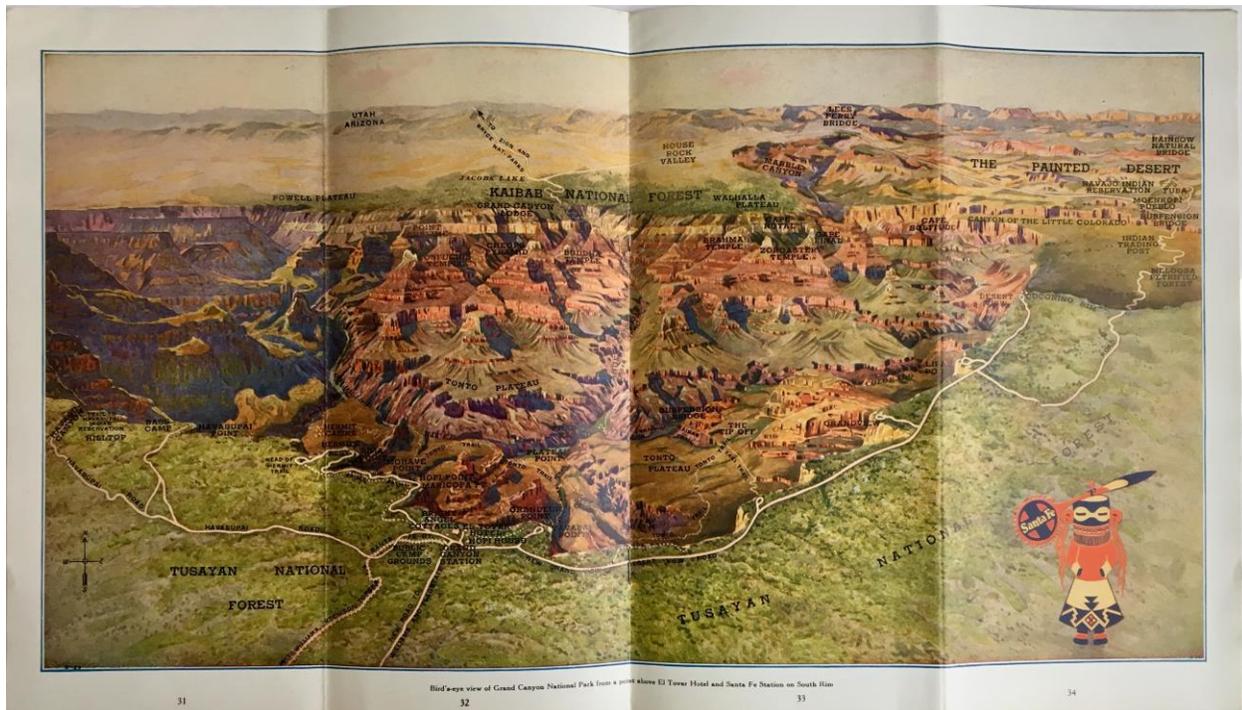


7- [The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System]. **Geographically Correct Map of the United States Issued by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System.** Chicago: Rand McNally & Company, [1962]. Color map [48.5 cm x 78.5 cm] on a single sheet [51 cm x 81 cm] that folds down [25 cm x 10.5 cm]. Better than very good.

*Map shows the routes of all of the The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System. The reverse contains two maps 'Santa Fe Rail and Truck Routes' and 'Railroad Rate Territories of the United States.' The reverse also contains an advertisement for Santa Fe RR and descriptions of rates and a list of 76 travel centers. Cover title: 'Transcontinental Territorial Rate Group Map of the United States.'*

\$100

## Santa Fe Railway to the Grand Canyon



8- Santa Fe Railway. **Grand Canyon Outings**. Chicago: Rand McNally, 1928. 62pp. Square Octavo [23 cm x 20.5 cm] Full-color illustrated wrappers. Better than very good. Vertical fold at center as issued. There are two numbered pages (divided at the fold) per traditional page.

*Illustrated Santa Fe Railway promotional piece for the Grand Canyon containing information for the prospective tourist. With proposed tours, outings, trips and tips on where to stay (El Tovar!). Nice double-page view at the center: 'Bird's-eye view of Grand Canyon National Park from a point above El Tovar Hotel and Santa Fe Station on South Rim.*

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# Pictorial Map of Arizona

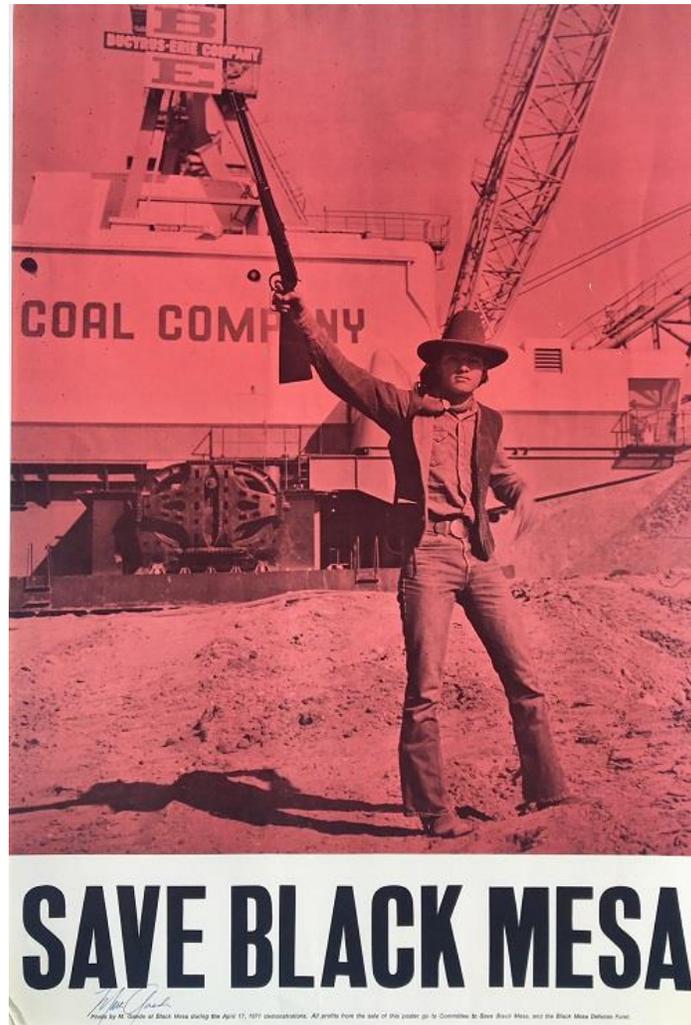


9- [Bloodgood, Don]. **A Pic - Tour Map of Arizona.** Phoenix, AZ: Petley Studio's Inc. Pictorial color map [44 cm x 56 cm] that folds up to [23 cm x 14 cm] Very good with folds as issued. A few short closed tears to a couple of the fold ends. Reverse contains color captioned photographs of sites and peoples of Arizona. With two panels for the covers, one contains the title and the other printed mailing information with blanks to be filled in. Price of 59 cents printed on 'cover.'

*Charming illustrated map showing the auto routes through Arizona and locating towns, historic sites, reservations, geological formations, etc.*

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## Rare Black Mesa Protest Poster



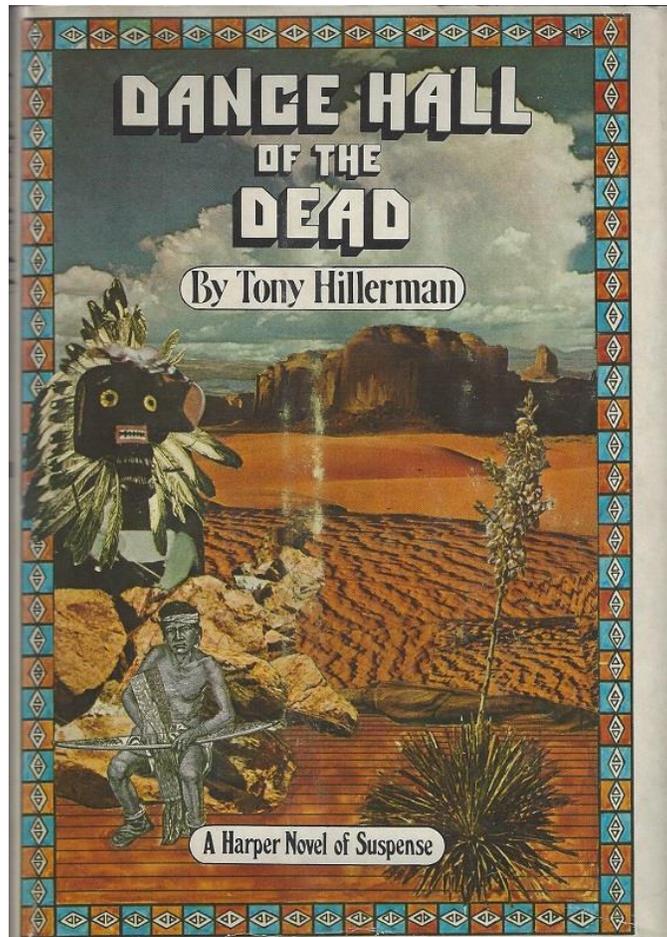
10- Gaede, Marc. **Save Black Mesa**. Committee Save Black mesa, 1971. Color poster [463 cm x 43 cm] on a single sheet in near fine condition with a slight bump to the lower left corner.

*Image shows a young Native American man with a rifle in front of a Bucyrus-Erie Coal Company earth mover. This photograph was taken during the Black Mesa demonstrations on April 17, 1971. Signed by the photographer at the foot.*

*Black Mesa in the four corners area has been a strip mine since the mid-1960s and has been a point of contention for the Hopis and Navajos/Dine that live in the area as the mining operations has poisoned their ground water (as well as host of other problems and broken promises). Mining at Black Mesa ceased in 2005, mining continues next door at Kayenta.*

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## Edgar Award Winner Signed

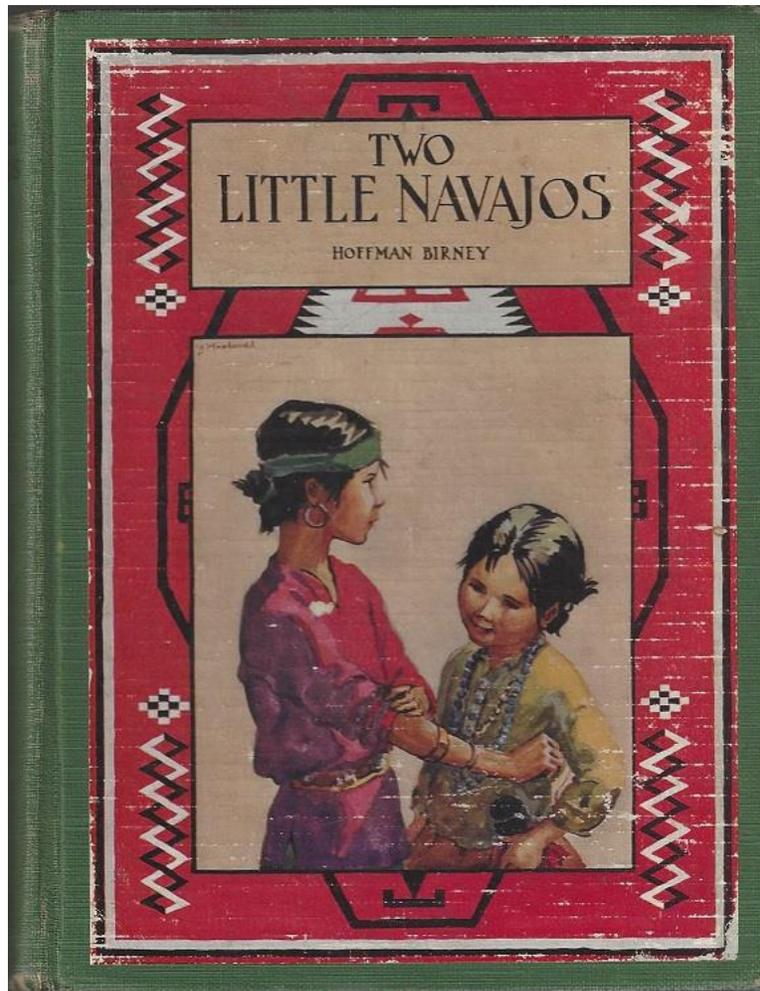


11- Hillerman, Tony. **Dance Hall of the Dead**. New York: Harper and Row, 1977. Fourth Printing. 166pp. Octavo [21 cm] 1/2 purple cloth over blue boards. Near fine/Near fine.

*Signed by the author on the half-title. This is the second mystery to feature Joe Leaphorn and was the Edgar Award winner in 1973 for best novel. Hieb A4.*

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## Inscribed Navajo Children's Story

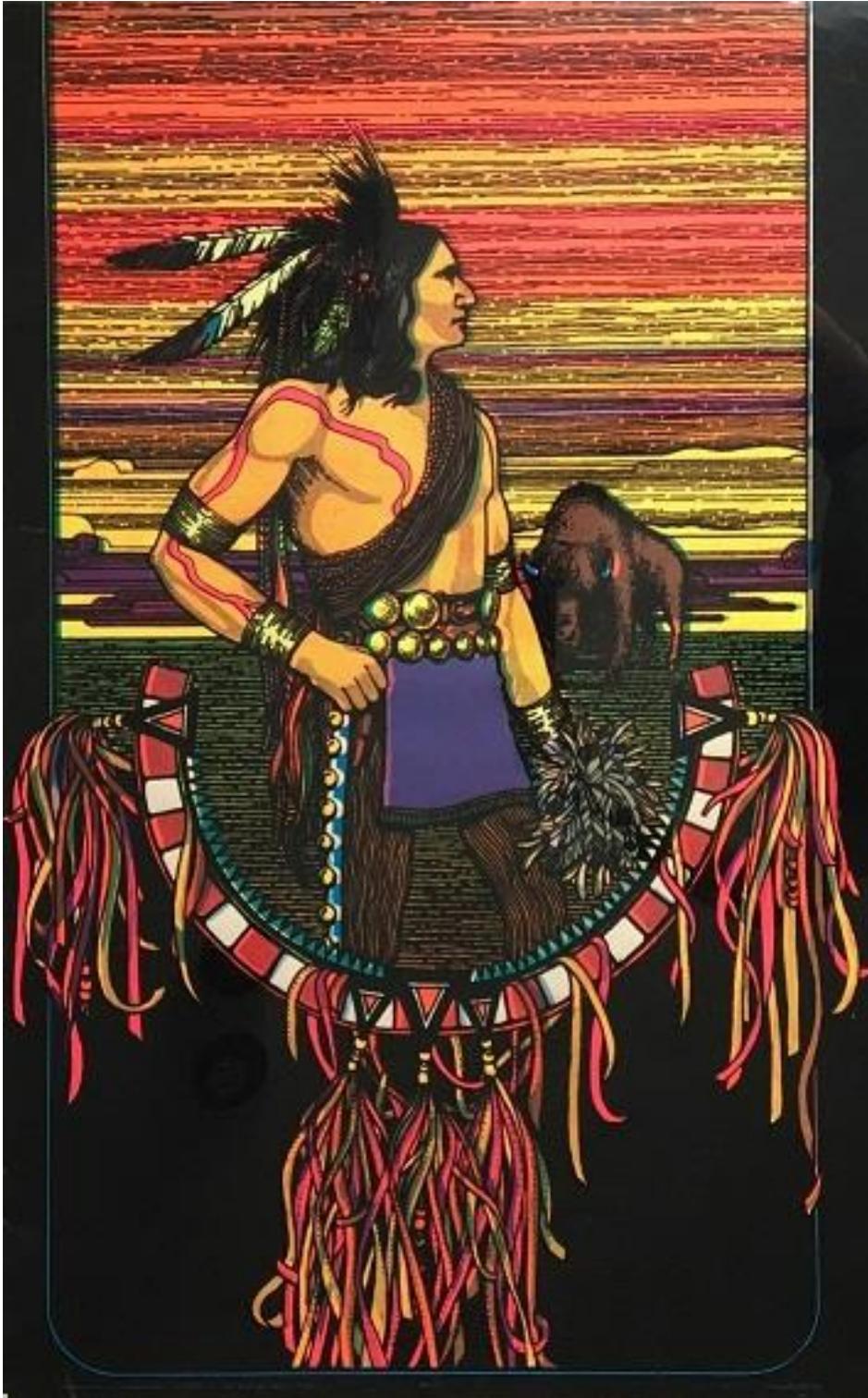


12- Birney, Hoffman. **Two Little Navajos: A Tale of the Children of the Painted Desert.** Philadelphia: Penn Publishing Company, 1931. First Edition. 279pp. Duodecimo [19 cm] Green cloth with color illustrated paper panel on the front board. Very good. Gentle wear to boards.

*Inscribed by the author on the half-title: "For Virginia Falconer Ruth, with every good wish, Hoffman Birney - 4-7-33." Charming children's story that contains twelve full-page illustrations by Jean MacDonald.*

\$50

## Groovy Black Light Poster



13- [Black Light Poster]. **[American Indian]**. AA Sales: Graphic Corporation, (c.1970). Single sheet [79.5 cm x 5 cm] black-light velvet image of an American Indian standing in profile with a bison in the background. Printed in eight colors. Fine. A.

*A surviving relic of the early 1970s in beautiful condition. Groovy.*

\$60

## Roland Reed Photogravure



14- Reed, Roland W.  
**Meditation - Peigan.**  
Minneapolis, MN:  
Gravure Engraving  
Company, [1913].  
Photogravure [34 cm  
x 24 cm] matted and  
in a wooden frame  
[57 cm x 47 cm]  
Image and frame in  
nice condition. This  
has not been  
examined out of the  
frame.

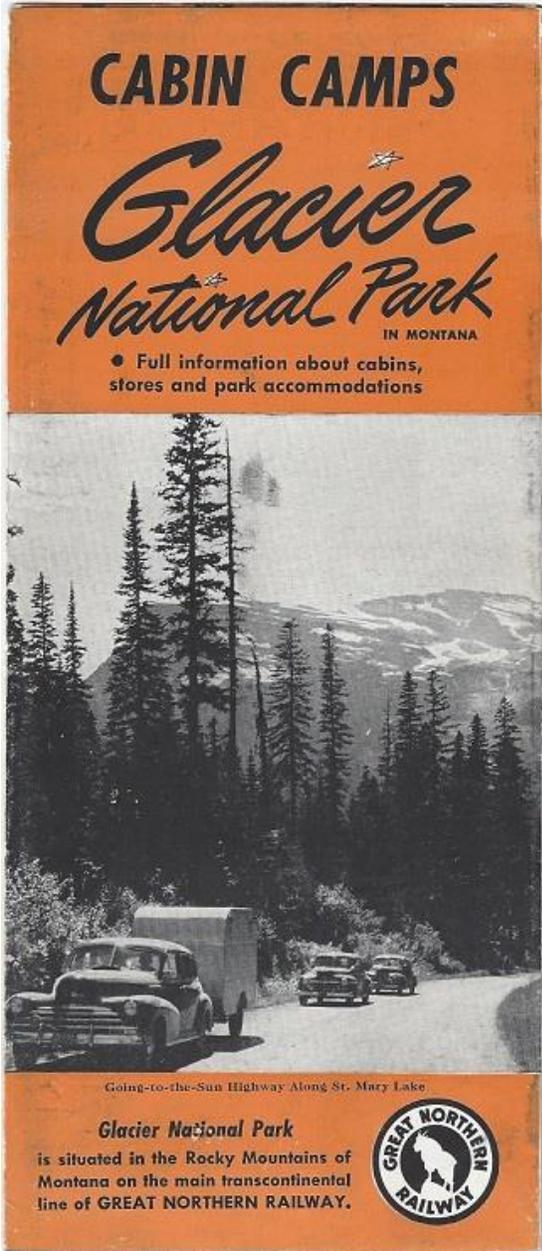
*Image of a Blackfoot  
couple on the shores  
of Glacier Lake.*

*Roland W. Reed  
(1864-1934) was a  
photographer  
working in the  
American west, who  
was largely self-  
funded in his effort to  
document the  
vanishing indigenous  
peoples he  
encountered and  
sought out. Many of*

*his images were staged to offer romanticized depictions of these people as he wanted to see them.*

\$275

# Glacier NP Cabins



15- Great Northern Railway. **Cabin Camps Glacier National Park.** [St. Paul, MN]: Great Northern Railway, 1952. Single sheet [46.5 cm x 40.5 cm] that folds-up to pamphlet size [23.5 cm x 10 cm] printed in orange and black ink. Laid is a rate sheet for the 1952 season [23 cm x 20 cm]. Very good.

*Printed by the Great Northern for the prospective Glacier National Park tourist. One side is devoted to the two cabin sites (Swiftcurrent and Rising Sun) and a brief photographic overview of suggested park activities. The reverse contains general Glacier tourist information and a park map [30.5 cm x 27 cm] with an inset table listing distances between the park and other northwestern towns in the U.S. and Canada.*

*"Never a dull day in the land of the Shining Mountains - Glacier National Park in Montana and Waterton Lakes Park in Canada. Rugged Mountain peaks soar mile-high above turquoise lakes....alpine meadows blaze with colorful flowers...a thousand miles of trail beckon to the adventurous...60 glaciers, 250 lakes and countless streams and waterfalls make every turn a scenic thrill."*

\$30

