

SILENT AUCTION CATALOG

Saturday, November 13, 2021 4 p.m.

Montgomery County Fairgrounds, Dayton, OH

Please note the following—

We appreciate your careful review of our bidding policies.

Auction items available for viewing at 9 a.m. Friday, November 12, 2021.

The auction will end at 4 p.m.on Saturday, November 13, 2021. Items without a bid since 3:55 p.m. will end at that time. Books subject to active bidding will continue to be on offer until a full five minutes has elapsed without a bid.

You may not "hold" the clipboard in order to keep it from other bidders.

Please heed the minimum opening bid. The minimums are set after careful research and in each instance are significantly less than market value. We cannot honor bids that fall outside of this parameter. Your bid is considered a binding contract.

Books failing to bring their minimum bid will be retained by the Book Fair Foundation and will not be further offered for sale at the 2021 Book Fair.

If you are not present to pay for and pick up the book at auction's end, we will notify you by Tuesday, November 16th. Your prompt response is appreciated and payment in full is expected within ten days.

If shipping is necessary it will be by insured Priority Mail. The cost is the responsibility of the buyer and will be added to the invoice. We do not charge a handling fee. Books are boxed and will be insured for their full value.

In the event that a buyer fails to acknowledge notification of a winning bid within three (3) days or pay for said item within ten (10) days, the book may be sold to the runner-up bidder, and any future bids from non-paying bidders may be subject to review or cancellation.

We endeavor to be fair and honest in our descriptions of each item, but we may miss something. Inspection of the book is the responsibility of the buyer. Auction sales are final.

We can now accept online bids but only until 4 p.m. Saturday, November 13. Indicate your bid through the messaging system at www.daytonbookfair.com.

Your interest is much appreciated.

- 1. Uncle Tom's Cabin or Life Among the Lowly by Harriet Beecher Stowe, published 1897 M.E. Donohue, Chicago, copyright John Potter illustrated. Hardcover. Art Memorial Edition. Also "How Henry Ward Beecher Sold Slaves in Plymouth Church", "The Story of the Book", and the "Emancipation Proclamation" and other essays. Numerous illustrations. Condition is fair. The front and rear hinges are torn but the webbing is intact. Corners, head and tail of spine show much wear, front flyleaf is missing, one page of table of contents is torn. 16mo, 615pp Olive cloth with embossed decoration and scene of Eliza escaping across the Ohio River. Title in gilt. Spine is faded. *Minimum bid \$25*
- 2. Two volumes, **Essays** and **Prose** by Oscar Wilde, Cosmopolitan Book Company, New York, 1916 soft cover leather bound. Decorations and type specially designed by Frederick Goudy. Lavishly decorated covers and spine in gilt, along with gilt titles. 18mo, 624pp and 705pp, respectively. First edition. Edgewear and corners bumped, but very nice shape for these titles. *Minimum bid \$30*
- 3. Cinema Handbook A.C. Lescarboura, Scientific American Publishing, 1921, in black leather with gilt titles. 32mo, 507pp with index. "A guide to practical motion picture work of the non-theatrical oder, particularly as applied to the reporting of news, to industrial and educational purposes, to advertising, selling and general publicity, to the production of amateur photo-plays, and to entertainment in the school, church, club, community center and home." Profusely illustrated with black and white photographs and diagrams, gilt page edges, some significant wear on spine and edges. Minimum bid \$50
- 4. The Gentleman's Companion Late 17th century compendium of three books bound together: "The Scholar's Spelling Assistant", "Principles of Politeness" and Robert Dodley's translation of "The Economy of Human Life from an Indian manuscript written by an ancient Bramin" Likely from Sims & M'tyre, Belfast. Primitively rebound in deerskin. Original owner's name "Denis Connell" written across the front. Worn on the corners and heavily used throughout. Note inside on family provenance—"Brought to America 1867 by Dennis F. O'Connell" –15 years old according to genealogical records (likely a grandson of the original owner) Paper and printing suggest a much earlier publication than mid 19th century. Information on family can be found here. http://www.friede-abrahamson-genealogy.com/p308.htm#i11894 Beyond scarce, this item is entirely unique. *This book is located in the case. Minimum bid \$50*.
- 5. The Gospel of Wealth and Other Timely Essays Andrew Carnegie 1906 Doubleday, Page and Co, New York, first edition. Book Condition: Good plus. 330 pp. Octavo. Green ribbed cloth, gilt titles. Corners are bumped, head and tail of spine are soft. Text and cover are solid. Remainder of paper label on spine. Antique card pocket, stamps and embossed seal from the *Railway Library at the YMCA in Bradford, Ohio*. Included with this book is a hand-colored antique postcard of the YMCA in Bradford, OH. Rare book, extraordinarily scarce in this edition. *Minimum bid* \$100

- 6. The Hindi Manual Frederic Pincott, n.d. but other references show 1882, Crosby, Lockwood and Son, London. 18mo, 387pp "A grammar of the Hindi Language both literary and provincial; a complete syntax, exercises in various styles of Hindi composition, dialogues on several subjects, and a useful vocabulary." Fair condition only, boards are very frail, leather covered with gilt titles. Endpapers are advertisements for other foreign language books. Very scarce. Minimum bid \$25
- The Desk Standard Dictionary, Funk & Wagnalls, 1937. Full leather, with raised bands on spine. Gilt edged pages, gilt decoration on front and spine. Thumb indexed 894pp marbled endpapers. 8vo, 894pp. Edgewear and bumping, nice unmarked copy. Binding appears to be Italian. *Minimum bid \$20*
- 8. Erstes Ubungsbuch für Leseschüler ("First exercise book for reading students") by G.L. Schulze, 8th and improved edition, published in Leipzig by the noted printer and bookseller Karl Christian Philipp Tauchnitz 1838. 18mo 102pp, in paper boards with marbled paper covering. Heavily foxed. *Minimum bid* \$20
- 9. Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyám Edward Fitzgerald Dodge Publishing Co. New York, 1900, in brown suede, in original gift box. Near fine. 12mo+ 144pp Label on box notes "Alexandrian Series" and "Brown Ooze". Rare in this edition, even more so that you find one of these soft suede books in such lovely shape. *Minimum bid* \$40
- 10. The Art of Trapping by J.K. Connor "super expert methods for trapping fox, mink, coon, otter, muskrat, wild cat and skunk" Privately published by the Press of Weatherford Printing Company, Tuscaloosa, Alabama in 1923. Softcover wraps, illustrated. Fifth edition. This copy belonged to James Orville Bard of Ludlow Falls, Ohio. 32mo+, 104p, fair condition, taped spine. Profoundly scarce. *Minimum bid* \$20
- 11. Truman Speaks by Harry S. Truman, Columbia University Press, New York. Signed by Truman on title page. Pictorial Jacket over hardcover boards, blue boards with red spine patch. Book is near fine, dustjacket is very good. 12mo+ 133pp. Minimum bid \$95
- 12. Aircraft Structural Analysis, prepared by the Engineering Staff of The Glenn L. Martin Company, G.N. Mangurian and Norman N. Johnston, Prentice Hall, New York, 1947 418pp 8vo, red cloth boards with gold stamped titles. Wear to edges, and spine. Signed by previous owner, else unmarked. Rare. *Minimum bid* \$40

- 13. Set of Jane Austen's 6 novels (Mansfield Park, Persuastion, Pride & Prejudice, Northanger Abbey, Sense & Sensibility, Emma) 1949 Pantheon, hardcover in slipcase. Box shows wear, and spine of Emma is damaged at the head, other five in near fine, unmarked condition. Black spines with gilt stamped titles over "calico" paper covered boards. *Minimum bid* \$75
- 14. **Death in the Afternoon** Ernest Hemingway Charles Scribner New York, 1932 illustrations by Juan Gris. True First Edition in poor to fair condition. Text block is unmarked, with front fly leaf loose. Heavy edgewear, head and tail of spine are fraying. White marks on front cover, a child named "Gary" wrote his name (in pencil) several times on a back blank page. We would not ordinarily offer a book in this shape, but this book is hard to find, and the actual first quite scarce. *Minimum bid \$40*
- 15. Thirteen Men by Tiffany Thayer illustrations (some erotic) by Mahlon Blaine. The Old Wine Press, New York, 1948 Gold foil covered boards in original hot pink dust jacket. 12vo 323pp Fortieth printing of a novel that follows the lives of 13 members of a jury convened for a murder trial. F.Scott Fitzgerald described this novel as "slime . . . in the drug store libraries" The publisher, Claude Kendall, stood trial for publishing obscenity, but was not convicted, and was later found murdered in a hotel room. *Minimum bid* \$25
- 16. The Celebrity Cookbook by Dinah Shore, Price Stern Sloan, third printing, 1967. Hardcover with dustjacket. More than sixty recipes from celebrities of the day, reprinted just as Miss Shore received them—on letterhead and handwritten notes, and each accompanied by facsimile of their signature. 12vo 93pp Not price-clipped. Book is VG, dustjacket is just fair. Celebrities include Frank Sinatra (Barbecued Lamb), Dear Abby (Abby's Pecan Pie) Peter Falk (Pork chops and vinegar pickles) Dean Martin (Martin Burgers) Jackie Kennedy (Waffles) and Sandy Koufax (Boiled Water) Minimum bid \$20

Of specific interest to Dayton –

17. Speakin O' Christmas Paul Laurence Dunbar Dodd, Mead & Company, 1914. Hardcover. Near Fine. No Jacket as issued. 1st Edition. 1st State of First Edition. Very mild age darkening to spine and light foxing to the cream cloth decorative cover. No writing, no inscriptions, no interior foxing, a very clean and lovely copy. Minimum bid \$150

- 18. Little Brown Baby Poems for Young People by Paul Laurence Dunbar, Dodd Mead, 1940 former library book, has card pocket, damage to boards where mylar cover had been attached, and usual stamps. 105pp 12mo Not price-clipped. Deckel edge pages, illustrated by Erick Berry. Pictorial jacket over brown cloth, covers have titles and decoration stamped in black. *Minimum bid \$10*
- Oak and Ivy A Biography of Paul Laurence Dunbar by Addison Gayle, Jr. Doubleday, 1971 175pp 12 mo pictorial dust jacket over black cloth binding, gilt stamped titles. Former church library book, with card pocket and stamps, but not abused. Not price-clipped. Quite scarce. *Minimum bid* \$60
- 20. Builders in New Fields by Charlotte Reeve Conover 1939 G.P. Putnam's Sons, New York, signed and numbered limited to 250 copies. This is copy 113, signed across front flyleaf. Condition near fine in a fair dust jacket, in mylar. Unclipped. Gray publisher's cloth with tan spine, white decoration on front boards, printed patch on spine. First Edition. 314 pp, map endpapers, book covers 1753-1827 in life of Robert Patterson the pioneer and 1844-1922 in John Henry Patterson's life, the builder, a very nice copy. *Minimum bid \$60*
- 21. In Memory John Henry Patterson 1844-1922 Softcover vellum wraps, 1922, publisher unstated likely NCR. 56-page memorial booklet published on the the occasion of Patterson's death, in original envelope. Booklet is pristine, envelope shows considerable wear. *Minimum bid* \$50
- 22. John H. Patterson Pioneer in Industrial Welfare Doubleday Page and Co, 1923. First edition. Good in maroon cloth with faded gilt titles. Clean text block, spine somewhat shaken. 8vo 364 pp, deckel edged. *Minimum bid \$15*
- 23. Lot of 3 Printed Christmas Cards Edward A. Deeds, each featuring an image from Carillon Park: old stone house, Wright Hall and wagon shed. Horizonta fold. 8.5" by 7" Each printed with Colonel Deeds' name, but no signature. Printed by Chryson's of Hollywood. Undated but assumed 1950s, as after the death of Mrs. Deeds (1949) and prior to the Colonel's death in 1960. *Minimum bid for lot* \$25
- 24. African Adventures by Frederick B. Patterson, with illustrations by the author. G.P. Putnam, New York 1928 red cloth cover 4vo 88pp, deckel edged pages, lion's head in gilt on cover, gilt stamped titles. Profusely illustrated with black and white photographs. Previous owner's name in pen otherwise unmarked. Gilt edged pages. Nice solid copy of this title. *Minimum bid* \$25
- 25. Catch Words of Cheer, New Series, compiled by Sara A. Hubbard A.C. McClurg, Chicago, presented by John Patterson to the Officers of the Making, Recording and Selling Forces. Patterson's note tipped-in on ffp. *This copy belonged to Ella (Ellen M.) Haas, an essential figure for Women's Suffrage in Ohio*, and her signature is inside the front cover. Green cloth cover, decorated pages, upaginated, 18mo, spine is sunned. *Minimum bid* \$50

- 26. The Star Library Edition of Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte published 1847 by Edward Canby, Dayton, OH 8vo, first edition, fair condition in brown cloth with black decoration on front board and spine. Faded gilt patch for title. Slightly cocked, corners badly bumped, head and tail of spine soft. 462pp. Pencilled note on front flyleaf "HSS read 10-24-65", a notation of the previous owner, Henry Sanford Stout, who was a Dayton attorney in the mid-19th century. (The preface, by "Currer Bell" refers to this as a second edition, but that's due to being "borrowed" from the second of the original publication.) The Star Library books were privately printed in Dayton by Edward Canby and were offered via free libraries to the customers of the "Silver Star Baking Co.", perhaps as premiums. Canby was a Dayton businessman who owned the firm which specialized in coffee roasting, spices and baking powder. An example of their chromolithograph trade card is included in this lot. These books were of middling quality and very few of them survive. *Minimum bid \$65*
- 27. M.J. Gibbons Supply Co. Dayton, 1919 Plumbing Supply Catalog hardbound in maroon buckram from firm which was located at 601-615 Monument Avenue. Many photographs of bathtubs, toilets, hardware, sinks, and the firm's building. Considerable edgewear all sides. Unmarked text. 8 mom 575pp *Minimum bid* \$40
- 28. Robinson Crusoe, USN as told to Blake Clark "The Adventures of George R. Tweed, RmIc on Jap-Held Guam, Whittlesey House, McGraw-Hill, New York 1945 12 mo 267 pp, green cloth with white stamped titles, illustrated endpapers. *This copy inscribed by Harold Hitz Burton*, 45th Mayor of Cleveland, U.S. Senator and Associate Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court to his Senate Page, Walter Kaiser. Ordinary title made much less so by provenance. Minimum bid \$40
- 29. **Panoramic Commercial Print "The Disastrous Flood of 1913 Dayton Ohio"** printed 1913 by T.A. Crouse, Gary, Indiana. Looks like 1st Street, maybe. Fair condition only. Kept rolled, leading edge has much wear and a paper deficit from handling. Approximately 44" by 10". *Minimum bid* \$25
- 30. **Patterson, Lowe and Allied Families**, Genealogical and Biographical. The American Historical Company, Inc. 1949 Hard cover, full leather bound, with Patterson name and crest on front cover. Raised bands on spine. 4vo, 187pp. Gilt edged pages. Illustrated throughout with photographs, (each protected by tissue) and hand painted decorations. In a flannel lined hard-board slipcase. The full genealogy of the family of John H. Patterson. An exceptionally beautiful book. *Minimum bid* \$200.
- 31. The Soul Unbound: photographs of Jane Reece, Dominique Vasser, curator, Dayton Art Institute, 1997 paperback first edition. 4to 186pp profusely illustrated with sepiatone and black and white work of Dayton's preeminent art photographer Jane Reece (1868-1961) scarce *Minimum bid \$40*

- 32. **Petruck**, Prayer to God: a novella Frank E. Potts, Kahoe and Co. Yellow Springs 1929 A modern retelling based on the life of Christ. 8vo, 64 pp. Walter Kahoe, 1905-1978, received his training as a printer at the house of William Edwin Rudge in Mt. Vernon, NY, and at the Antioch Press in Yellow Springs, Ohio. Kahoe, was Director of the Antioch Press from 1926-1935. In this same period, with Ernest Morgan, Kahoe started the Antioch Bookplate Company. With David Spieth, Kahoe started Kahoe and Spieth, soon buying out Spieth and changing the name to Kahoe and Company, who published this book. Bound in handmade block printed paper in black, gold and silver, with a faded black spine and a title patch in paper, which is damaged. Text is beautifully set with wide margins and decorations at each chapter head. *Minimum bid \$15*
- 33. I Am the Darker Brother An Anthology of Modern Poems by Negro Americans edited by Arnold Adoff, with drawings by Benny Andrews, Macmillan, New York 1968, first edition, second printing. Book near fine in a fair dustjacket. Inscribed and signed by Adoff, "For Sarah, with Many Thanks and All Fine Wishes, Arnold Adoff" and dated 10-15-69. 8vo, 128pp, bound in cloth with a pictorial cover, inside identically printed paper jacket. Scarce. *Minium bid* \$75
- 34. Song of the QuetzalCoatl translated from the Aztec by John Hubert Cornyn, professor of Aztec language and literature in the National University of Mexico, Second Edition with 12 illustrations. 8vo, 207pp Antioch Press, Yellow Springs. Bound in goldenrod paper with red decorations on cloth spine. Good condition, no dustjacket, page 2 is loose from binding, but not damaged. Some illustrations in color. There is a typed pastedown inside front cover "Arthur C. Stock, compliments of Monty Ferdon, Grand Tlaloc, which is also signed by Ferdon. *Minimum bid* \$25
- 35. Hot Ashes All New and Original by Ezra Kendall, The Cleveland News Company, Cleveland OH, Publishers Agents. Letters and Drawings executed by The Mugler Engraving Company and The Eclipse Electrotype & Engraving at Cleveland. Press of the J.B. Savage Company Cleveland, 1908. Originally, we thought this book was missing its cover- every other copy listed, unless rebound, seems to be just as this one is. Paperbound, 18vo, 92pp. *Minimum bid \$20*
- 36. **Far Pastures Poems and Essays** by Chesta Holt Fulmer, "We Together" Columnist at the Dayton Journal-Herald Antioch Press, Yellow Springs, 18vo 106pp, 1940. Navy blue buckram with gold titles stamped on front cover and on spine, in plain white dustjacket. Book is near fine, jacket is poor. The name of the original owner is written inside the front cover and it is signed by the author on the ffp. *Minimum bid* \$25

- 37. The Persistence of the Flesh poems by Herbert Woodward Martin, softcover wraps Lotus Press, Detroit MI, 1976, 18vo 67pp. Dr. Martin is professor emeritus as theUniversity of Dayton, and is an expert on the work and life of Paul Laurence Dunbar. Herbert Woodward Martin began his studies at the University of Toledo. He continued them at SUNY at Buffalo, then at Middlebury College, and finished at Carnegie Mellon University. He came to UD in the fall of 1970, and has spent the bulk of his career there. This book is scarce. *Minimum bid \$25*
- 38. **Ideas of Good and Evil** by William Blake, Kahoe and Spieth Yellows Springs, OH 1927, limited edition of 510 of which this is number 248. Bound in orange cloth with paste downs for title blocks on cover and spine. In a tan dustjacket, which features ads for other titles from the press. The publishing house was established in 1924 by two Antioch students, Walter Kahoe and David Spieth. A book review noted "their bookmaking will stand comparison with the work of any American press". Book near fine in a fair dustjacket. *Minimum bid \$30*
- 39. **On Golden Wings** poems by Forrest Wilbie Grisso, Dayton poet-salesmanminister who had these books printed for him in 1952 and sold them door to door for \$2 each (Or \$20.70 today). Signed by the author on the front flyleaf. 12vo, 112pp, in blue cloth with gilt title and decoration (Grisso's monogram) stamped on the cover. *Minimum bid* \$10
- 40. **The Small Community** Foundation of Democratic Life, What It Is and How to Achieve It by Arthur E. Morgan, former president of Dayton-Morgan Engineering Company and former president of Antioch College, and Former Chairman of the Tennessee Valley Authority.Softcover wraps, Harper & Brothers, New York, publishers Second Edition, 1942, 16mo,312pp. Good condition and scarce title. *Minimum bid* \$45
- 41. **The View from Above** by John Fulker Libra Publishers, San Diego, 1992. Novelized account of the "bathtub murder" that occurred in Troy, Ohio in the spring of 1926, written by a local attorney. In good condition in brown leatherette, with dust jacket in fair condition. Inscribed and signed by author. Address label of previous owner inside front boards, includes a 1992 newspaper clipping about the publication of the book. *Minimum bid* \$35.

- 42. **The Girl on the Volkswagen Floor** by William A. Clark Bantam1972, first printing. Engrossing true story of Dayton reporter William Clark's experience investigating the murder of Barbara Ann Butler, who was found dead on the floor of her car at an Ohio shopping center. Great shape, appears unread, though previous owner's name is written inside the cover. 18mo168pp *Minimum bid* \$40
- 43. **Brave New World** by Aldous Huxley, Perennial Classic Harper and Row, 1969, first printing of this edition. 18mo 177pp Poor condition throughout, much writing, some wrinkled pages. This copy was Dayton native Allison Janney's high school copy and she has written copious notes and her signature over many surfaces of the book. Allison's mother, Macy Janney, was instrumental in starting the Dayton Book Fair. *Minimum bid \$20*.
- 44. Social Register Cincinnati & Dayton & Cleveland 1963 "Look at Dilatory Domiciles Always to Insure Accuracy" One half of the book is Cincinnati (114pp) the other, turned upside down, is Cleveland (117pp) This is numbered copy #267. Deaths, Marriages, Clubs, University, Addresses are listed. The Dayton section is heavily annotated. Black boards with red print, published by the Social Register Association, New York, 1962. *Minimum bid* \$25
- 45. Some American Trees An Intimate Study of Native Ohio Trees by Wiliam B. Werthner First Edition, Macmillan, 1935 8vo 398pp Dark green boards with giltstamped titles on front cover and spine, pictorial endpapers, plain white dustjacket with photograph. Not price-clipped. Profusely illustrated with black and white photos. Book is near fine, dustjacket is fair. Rare in any state. Minimum bid \$80
- 46. **Kill Devil Hill: Discovering the Secret of the Wright Brothers** by Harry Combs with Martin Caidin, foreward by Neil Armstrong. Houghton Mifflin, Boaron, 1979, first edition, first printing, signed by the author front flyleaf. Book is near fine in green cloth with title gilt stamped on cover and spine, jacket is good plus. *Minimum bid* \$35
- 47. **20 hrs, 40 min. Our Flight in the Friendship** by Amelia Earhart First Edition. Putnam, New York, 1928 12mo 314pp Maroon cloth with gold titles stamped on front cover and spine, no dust jacket. Spine is rubbed, minor bumping to corners. Profusely illustrated with photos, a lovely copy. *Minimum bid* \$75
- 48. Large photo 1932 Graduating Class Roosevelt High School 11" by 15" in card frame (frame is damaged, photo is in very nice shape.) Photo by Howard Knoll, Dayton, Oh. Approximately 225 students, every one is identified under their photo. *Minimum bid* \$25

49. 1948 Official World Series Program (Cleveland Indians v. Boston Braves) and 1949 Score Cards, Cleveland Indians v. Boston Red Sox, and Cleveland Indians v. Detroit Tigers. Red Sox game book is signed by Luke Easter, Mickey Vernon, Dale Mitchell, Bob Lemon, Bob Kennedy, Ken Keltner, Jim Hegan, , John Berardino and team president Bill Veeck. There is one unidentified signature. (Sorry, it's not Satchel Paige.) Detroit Tigers game score book is signed by Early Wynn. Items are all in used condition—lots of pencil marks! And considerable edgewear on all. Intact. *Minimum bid* \$75

Children's Books

- 50. The Little Prince by Antoine de Saint-Exupery William Heinemann, London true first UK edition, "first published 1944" present on copyright page. First printing. Salmon cloth with red and blue decorations on cover and red and blue titles on spine. 8vo, unpaginated. No dustjacket. Considerable rubbing on edges. Previous owner blacked out their name on ffp. (You can make out an August 1945 date.) A treasure. *Minimum bid \$250*
- 51. Lot of 2 Early Japanese Manga, both by Machiko Hasegawa Sazae-San (1948) and Friendship Notebook (1950) published by Hasegawa Shuko, printed by Morishita Ekichi. Sazae-san is a Japanese yonkoma manga series written and illustrated by Machiko Hasegawa and first published in Hasegawa's local paper, the Fukunichi Shinbun on April 22, 1946. She moved to Tokyo in 1949. The first Sazae-san strip run by Asahi Shimbun was published November, 1949. The manga dealt with everyday life and contemporary situations in Tokyo until Hasegawa retired, with the final comic published on February 21, 1974. Both are in excellent, unblemished condition. In Japanese. Minimum bid \$200.
- 52. **The Wind in the Willows** by Kenneth Grahame Folio Society, London, 1995. first edition. Green Charles Guyon silk covers with gilt stamped decoration on front, and title on spine. In pale green slipcase. 8vo 206pp Illustrated with paintings by James Lynch, introduction by Alan Bennett. As near to fine as we have ever seen in very good slipcase. *Minimum bid* \$30
- 53. Chimney Corner Fairy Tales by Veronica S. Hutchinson with Illustrations by Springfield, Ohio native Lois Lenski. Minton, Balch and Co, New York, 1926. First edition. Not a former library book. Orange cloth cover with black titles and decoration on cover and on spine. Miss Lenski's illustrations grace the frontispiece and each individual story 8vo unpaginated. No dust jacket, edgewear and wear to head and tail of spine, else a lovely unmarked copy, unhandled by any child. *Minimum bid* \$25

- 54. **Red Jungle Boy** by Elizabeth K. Steen Harcourt Brace and Company, New York, 1937, First edition, first printing. Former library book, Harmon School, Oakwood Wear to all edges, rebound, scuffed and rear hinge has been mended. Usual stamps and card pocket. Full page color lithographs by author. Overall good condition of an uncommon title; contents clean and bright. In his preface to Steen's book anthropologist Franz Boas ("the father of American anthropology") writes: "Elizabeth Steen presents in these pages a picture of the life of the Indians of the interior of Brazil in such a way that it will appeal to young and old. Little is known about the actual life in the dense woods and on the rivers of tropic South America so that the course of daily life as described here will be a welcome addition to the many books dealing with North American Indians, Eskimos, and other people whose lives are more familiar to us." The narrative captures the daily lives of the indigenous people of the Amazon jungle, with particular focus a young boy, Dohobare. Scarce. *Minimum bid \$30*.
- 55. Walt Disney Bambi's Fragrant Forest based on the original story by Felix Salten. Golden Scratch and Sniff Book, New York, 1975. 4vo, unpaginated, full color pages with eight different fragrant patches. None of the patches appear to have been "scratched". Book is clean and unmarked. Some bumping to corners. An unusual find. *Minimum bid* \$15.
- 56. Building Buildings: About Architecture and the Built Environment Staten Island Children's Museum with Keith Godard of Works Drawings by Marnie Krooss. 1985. Twenty-two 4.25" heavy cardstock panels unfold to tell the story of buildings. 7.5" tall. Yellow with blue and red print. Very good condition, rare in any form. *Minimum bid* \$35
- 57. The Children's Year, Margaret Wise Brown, adapted from the French of Lacote, illustrated by Rojan, Harper & Brothers, New York, 1937, stated first edition. Gift inscription "To Norma Jean from Florence Martin, Happy Birthday November 1940". In very good condition in a good dustjacket. A Pere Castor book. Quite an uncommon title in lovely shape. *Minimum bid* \$75.
- 58. Guess by L.J. Bridgman, H.M. Caldwell, New York & Boston, 1901 large square octavo, unpag. Each page elaborately decorated. Book of riddles, with the question on one side of the page, and the answer on the other. Printed by the Colonial Press, Boston. Christmas Inscription, 1907 else unmarked, but spine is shaken, and heavily worn at head and tail. Cover of book is scuffed with significant chipping and edgewear. *Minimum bid \$40*.
- 59. **The Book of Baby Mine** Verse and Decorations by Melcena Burns Denny, Simplicity Corp. 1915. Bound in brown suede. The time and date of birth are filled in and a lock of hair, otherwise unused. Full color page decorations throughout, lots of great ads, including Buster Brown. Minimum bid \$20