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Idaho Center for the Book



Upcoming Biblio Events

BOOKER'S DOZEN 2004: The ICB Idaho artists' book exhibit travels to the **David O. McKay Library** in Rexburg (October), the **Eli M. Oboler Library** in Pocatello (November), the **Twin Falls Public Library** (December), and the **Colorado Center for the Book** in Denver (February).

Next Issue

"Illiteracy Smack-Down!" – at North Idaho College.
"West of 105 Degrees: A Book Art Rendezvous"– articles and photographs about a new Idaho book exhibit (with its "book art buffet") by Madelyn Garrett, Paula Jull, and Megan Martindale.

"...because people read t-shirts."

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WITH SOME BETTER BOOKS**

This issue's literary t-shirt is by Mike Peterson

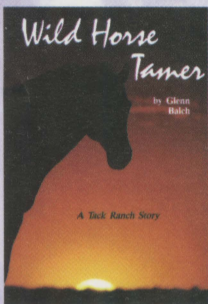
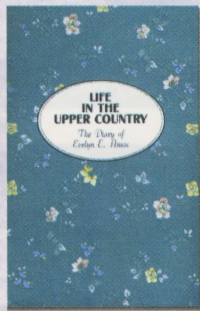


NEW PUBLICATIONS/ ACQUISITIONS

The Amos Diary: The Diary of Evelyn C. Amos, 1948-1957 by Evelyn Amos

Mid-twentieth century "frontier" Idaho life recorded in colorful and precise detail by Amos. Rising earlier than her usual household and farm chores required (5 am), Amos would record and reflect not on everyday occurrences, but on important or meaningful events in her family's harsh but rewarding rural lives. No cyber here. Amos scribbled her poetic observations and philosophic musings in pen and pencil on available lap tops: Kraft paper bags, the backs of bulk mail flyers, on split-open "envelopes with windows" until, like so many Americans, her family was forced to give up the family farm.

122 pp., 6 b&w photographs, 1 map. Paperback \$12.95.



Wild Horse Tamer by Glenn Balch

Young adult Western novel in Balch's famed Tack Ranch Series – selected for republication by the Idaho Centennial Commission. With a new "Afterword" by author and *Idaho Statesman* writer Tim Woodward.

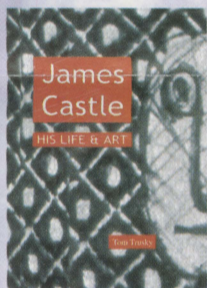
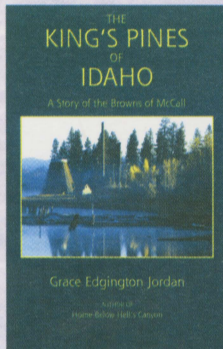
185 pp., 3 b&w photographs, 19 sepia chapter illustrations by E. B. Quigley. Paperback \$9.95.

The King's Pines of Idaho by Grace Edgington Jordan

The spirited and intriguing history of McCall, Idaho and the Browns, one of its leading families.

"My hope has been to make clear that life in a small town can be not only amusing and dear, but to the soul, satisfying." Grace Jordan, author, and author of *Home Below Hell's Canyon*.

295 pp., 38 b&w photographs, 4 maps. Paperback \$17.95.



James Castle: His Life & Art by Tom Trusky

Definitive biography of the self-taught, autistic, Idaho artist/bookmaker.

"Beautiful to look at as well as fascinating to read." Uta Frith, Deputy Director, University College Institute of Cognitive Neuroscience, London.

172 pp., 100 color/b&w photographs/illustrations, appendix, endnotes, bibliography, index. Hardback \$29.95, paperback \$19.95.

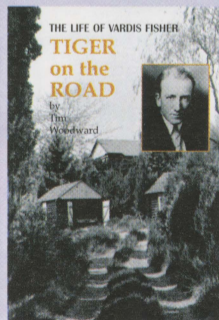
For additional Castle titles, see next column.

Tiger on the Road: The Life of Vardis Fisher by Tim Woodward

Revised edition of the biography of Idaho's Harper Prize-winning author, *Children of God*, novel of the Mormon westward migration. Fisher was editor of the critically-acclaimed Federal Writer's Project, *The Idaho Encyclopedia*, as well as author of *Mountain Man*, on which the Robert Redford film *Jeremiah Johnson* was based. Tim Woodward is a prize-winning *Idaho Statesman* journalist and author.

274 pp., 18 b&w photographs, index. Hardback \$19.95, paperback \$14.95.

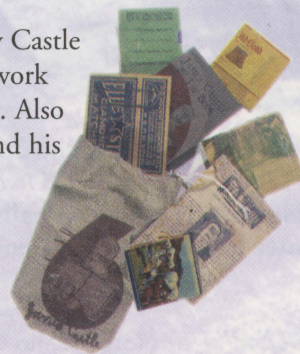
For selected listings of Fisher titles available from the ICB, see next column.



ALSO AVAILABLE

James Castle & the Book

Six hand-sewn facsimile books by Castle held (as so many of the author's work were) in a (miniature) burlap bag. Also included: booklet about Castle and his books, and a card describing bag contents. \$19.95.



VARDIS FISHER TITLES:

Children of God

Harper prize-winning novel of the history of the Mormon westward migration.

Hardback \$12.95.

Dark Bridwell

One the the ten best American novels. Frederick Manfred, *New York Times Review of Books*.

Paperback. \$16.95.

The Mothers

History of the Donner Party.

Paperback \$10.95.

Mountain Man

Western saga "translated" into the Hollywood epic, *Jeremiah Johnson*.

Hardback \$12.95.

Pemmican

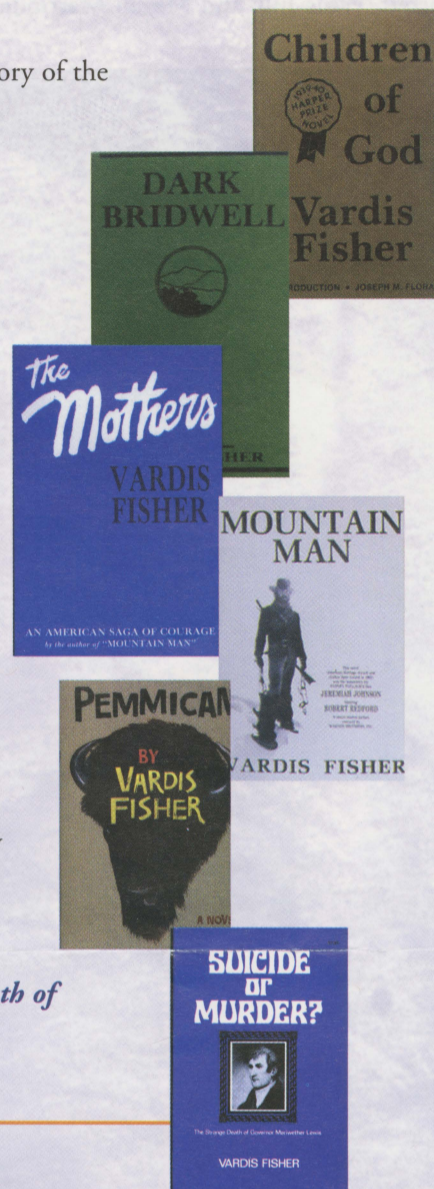
History of the Hudson's Bay Company and the Pemmican War.

Hardback \$16.95.

Suicide or Murder? The Strange Death of Governor Meriwether Lewis

First edition paperback \$40.00.

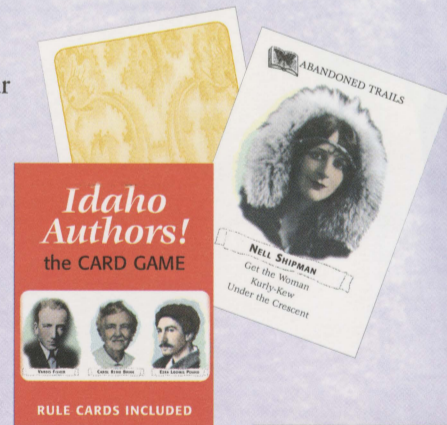
For other Fisher titles available, please inquire.



Idaho Authors!

From Nobel Prize-winners to Tarzan and Star Wars, all the Idaho author information you and your children need to know. This is the classic card game, updated and site-specific. Back of card design from wall paper pattern found in Idaho-born poet Ezra Pound's home in Hailey.

44 four-color, high-quality, made-in-USA authors cards, with 8 rule, bio-bibliography, and ICB cards \$9.95.

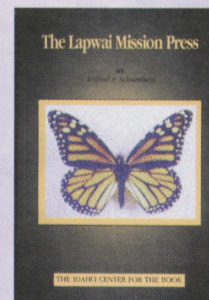


The Lapwai Mission Press

by Wilfred P. Schoenberg

Classic study of owners, operators, and imprints from the Lapwai ("Place of the butterflies" in Nez Perce), Idaho press – first press in the Pacific Northwest, now the oldest surviving press in the American West.

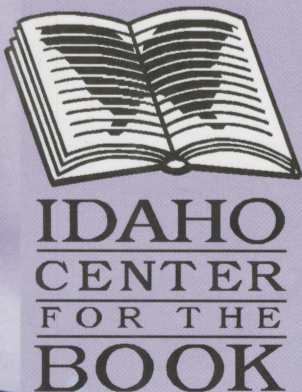
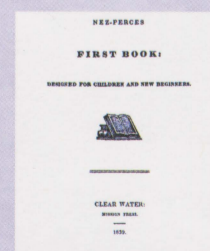
66 pp., 14 b&w photographs, 6 title page reproductions, 1 map. Hardback \$19.95, paperback \$10.95.



The Nez-Perces First Book

Hand-sewn Idaho Center for the Book "Dedication Keepsake." Never before available reconstruction of the unreleased first First Book..., by Henry Harmon Spalding, first operator of the Lapwai Mission Press.

8 pp., paperback \$5.95.



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