

Aug. 14, 1956

Mr. Glen Dawson,  
Dawson's Book Shop,  
550 S. Figueroa Street,  
Los Angeles, Calif.

Dear Mr. Dawson:

Via parcel post, in three packages addressed to you, I am sending the books listed in my letter to you of July 31.

I am confident when you examine these books you will find them as represented and I am also confident that as regards several of them, it will be some time before you would again have the opportunity of acquiring them for a price like that.

You did not mention whether you had any interest in the AGO or Army General Order, broken run of some 35 vols. from 1860 to 1900. If you have not checked on these, I would suggest you do so. First-the Civil War period which the first part covers, including the Emancipation Proclamation; second, the increasing interest in military records; and third, the rarity of more than an occasional volume.

I am enclosing a story concerning a book printed by our plant for one of my coworkers, to get it out in time for the Fort Simcoe Centennial. Because of its scope, you might be interested in stocking a few copies. Printed in an edition of 1,000, the cost was high, (it is in wrappers) and it is necessary to sell it at \$3.50 plus carriage to give 40 per cent discount to dealer. The actual cost ran around 1.90 per vol. to the author, so you see he has a margin of only 20 some odd cents. You will find it wider in scope, because of the character of the men involved, and you will find it scholarly excepting it is not indexed. I would be happy to have Mr. Guie send you five or 10 copies. He has approximately 500 copies left.

Sincerely

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