

Books

1000 White Women by Jim Fergus **\$14.95 Softcover**

The story begins with May Dodd's journey west, into the unknown. Yet the unknown is a far better fate than the life she left behind: committed to an insane asylum by her blueblood family for the crime of loving a man beneath her station, May finds that her only hope is to participate in a secret program whereby women from the "civilized" world become the brides of Cheyenne warriors.

African-American Women of the West by Tricia Wagner **\$12.95 Softcover**

The lives of ten women born before 1900, from slaves to freedom advocates.

A Bumpy Ride: A History of Stagecoaching in Colorado by Marril Lee Burke **\$15.95 Softcover**

The book covers early stage coach construction, the drivers, the stations, famous passengers and much more.

A Guide To Downtown Central City by Alan Granruth **\$8.95 Softcover**

A brief history of Central City and a history and description of its buildings.

A Lady's Life in the Rockies by Isabella Bird **\$9.95 Softcover & 1 hardcover**

Women were scarce enough in the West of the late 19th century, and a middle-aged English lady traveling alone, by horseback, was a real phenomenon. It was during the summer and early winter of 1873 that Isabella Bird made this extended tour of the Rocky Mountain area of Colorado. What she called "no region for tourists and women" is today a popular resort.

Al Fike: The Modern Minstrel Man by Kay Hoflander **\$20.00 Hardcover**

The story of Al Fike, the entertainer who thrilled many with his performances in Denver and Central City.

Alienation of Affection by Robert Hardaway **\$14.95 Softcover**

On trial in Denver for murdering her husband, Gertrude Patterson was fighting for her life. Every day the trial disclosed new allegations for sex and scandal. This fascinating and true story that electrified the nation in 1911 includes acts of obsession, betrayal, murder, and even the fateful voyage of the *Titanic*.

American Indian Ghost Stories of the Southwest by Antonio Garcez **\$14.50 Softcover**

Stories told by Native Americans, written by a Native American.

Amidst the Gold Dust by Julie Danneberg **\$12.95 Softcover**

Stories of women who forged the West.

Anton Woode: The Boy Murderer by Dick Kreck **\$15.95 Softcover**

The sensational story of an 11-year old murderer in Denver in the late 1800s.

Augusta Pierce Tabor: Leadville's First Lady by Evelyn E. Livingston Furman **\$34.95 Hardcover**

This unusual and remarkable person was the first white woman in the Leadville area. She was also the first wife of Horace A. W. Tabor, the Silver King.

Aunt Mollie's Museum by Pat Atzmilller **\$2.00 Spiral bound (Children's book)**

A children's story of a visit to a fictional museum.

Baby Doe Tabor: The Madwoman in the Cabin by Judy Nolte Temple **\$24.95**

Hardcover

The best book to date into the dim, demon-haunted mining shack where Baby Doe Tabor, Colorado's most adored adultress, spent her last decades doing penance. After many works of fact, fiction, and opera, this is a welcome tonic of rags-to-riches reality.

Bad in the Good Old Days by Larry K. Brown, **\$15.95 Softcover**

In this authoritative and engaging book, Brown delivers a dozen grim and gritty tales of crimes and punishment in the wicked west. And while the bad men Brown describes are very bad indeed, the women are worse.

Ballad of Baby Doe by Duane Smith **\$14.95 Softcover**

The story of the Tabor love triangle and the history of the writing of this American opera which had its world premier in Central City in 1956.

Benjamin Britten by Charles Pitt **\$10.00 Softcover**

A story of the composer and his works. Written as a companion guide for The Britten Exhibit, England

Bent's Fort by David Lavender (Out of Print) **\$30.00 Hard cover**

A historical account of the adobe empire that shaped the destiny of the American Southwest.

Bent's Old Fort by the Colorado Historical Society, 1979. **\$8.95 Softcover, slight water damage (originally \$12.95)**

The history of this historic fort located 7 miles east of La Junta, CO. Many B&W photographs.

Bill Axton Memories by Bill Axton **\$7.95 Notebook format**

Memories of the man who once owned the Glory Hole Saloon. Recollections of Mae West, local Central City characters, the Teller House, etc.

Birth of a Quarry Town by Diane Goode **\$21.95 Softcover (1 copy)**

The history of the town of Lyons, CO, known for its sandstone and flagstone used in building projects throughout Colorado.

Bizarre Colorado by Ken Jessen **\$14.95 Softcover**

Entertaining book of short stories of bizarre and unusual events that occurred in Colorado

Black Women of the Old West by William Loren Katz **\$19.95 Hardcover**

The author's focus on the subjects' battles against discrimination and oppression, but at the same time show how their heritage offered a means of attaining freedom and success.

Black West by William Loren Katz **\$17.95 Softcover**

This revised edition has glorious new photographs as well as revised text that deepens our understanding of the vital role played by African American men and women on our early frontiers.

Black Hawk by Roger Baker **\$40.00 Hardcover**

A history of "The City of Mills." Many photographs and little known tales of this Colorado mining town.

Blown to Bits in the Mine: A History of Mining & Explosives in the United States by Eric Twitty **\$24.95 Hardcover**

Charts the evolution of the use of explosives for mining and quarrying in North America from the Industrial Revolution into the 20th century.

C is For Centennial by Louise Doak Whitney and illustrated by Helle Urban **\$17.95 Hardcover (Children's book)**

Whitney gives young readers an A to Z catalog of history and wildlife with short rhymes and longer expository passages that let older readers sift through a gold mine of interesting facts about the Centennial State.

Cabin in Cripple Creek by Sue Luxa **\$8.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

Ten-year-old Mary Haskins and her family head to Cripple Creek, CO, in 1895. Mary rides a "wild burro," witnesses two big fires that threaten to burn down the entire town, and explores railroad cars filled with all kinds of surprises. Her father loses the family savings to a dishonest man, but Mary saves the day by learning to pan for gold.

Central City and Black Hawk, Colorado: Then and Now by Frank R. Hollenback **(Out of Print) (\$50.00) Softcover. (One copy)**

This could almost pass as a walking tour guide book for the two towns prior to 1961. Great photographs and a brief history of the buildings and the towns inhabitants.

Central City & Gilpin County: Then and Now by Robert Brown **\$8.95 Softcover**

A popular history of the great mining district with period photos.

Central City: The Richest Square Mile on Earth by Leslie, etc. **\$7.95 Softcover**

Short stories of Central City and Gilpin County history. Many photographs.

A Chinaman's Chance: The Chinese on the Rocky Mountain Frontier by Liping Zhu **\$29.95 Softcover**

During the late 19th century, Idaho's Boise Basin became a literal "golden mountain" for almost 2,000 men from China's Guangdong Province. There, for nearly 50 years, they

constituted a vibrant Asian American community, one that did not conform to the common stereotype. Their story is similar to that of the 500 Chinese in Central City and Blackhawk in the 1870s.

Chipeta: Queen of the Utes by Cynthia Becker & P. David Smith **\$16.95 Softcover**

Chipeta originally became the wife of Ute Chief Ouray. Later she was to blossom in her own right. Chipeta was often a silent presence when Ouray met with other Ute chiefs, and after his death many Utes still sought her opinion, welcomed her presence at important meetings, and even recommended her to represent them as a delegate to lobby the United States Congress.

Chronicles of Colorado selected by Frederick R. Rinehart **\$16.95 Softcover**

Eleven stories written about their experiences in Colorado – written by the likes of Horace Greeley, Zane Grey, Mark Twain, Walt Whitman and more.

Clara: An Ex-slave in Gold Rush Colorado by Roger Baker **\$9.95 Softcover**

Written in conjunction with the world premier performance of the opera, “Gabriel’s Daughter.” Baker’s thorough research debunks many of the myths surrounding this extraordinary black woman in Central City and Colorado history.

Clues to American Furniture \$7.95 Softcover (Used) (1 copy)

Helpful guide to identifying American furniture styles.

Coloradoan ’05 \$25.00 Hard cover (Used) (1 copy)

The sixth volume of the Year Book of the University of Colorado, Class of 1905

Colorado: A History in Photographs by Duane Smith & Richard Ellis **\$29.95 Softcover**

A photographic history with a broad view and 270 B&W reproductions.

Colorado: A history in Photographs by Dan Klinglesmith, Dan, **\$12.95 Softcover**
Black and white photographic history of Colorado.

Colorado: An Illustrated History of the Highest State by Tom Noel and Debra B. Faulkner **\$34.95 Hardcover**

A colorful story of the land and its people. Published 2007.

Colorado: A Liquid History by Tom Noel **\$10.95 Softcover (1 copy)**

A liquid history and tavern guide to the highest state.

Colorado Activity Coloring Book \$2.95 Softcover (Children’s book)

Coloring book depicting many of Colorado’s historic and vacation spots.

Colorado and Southern Railway by Alan Lewis **\$19.99 Softcover**

Part of the Images of America series: images of the Colorado & Southern Railway that operated to Central City, Blackhawk, Georgetown and Silver Plume.

Colorado Almanac: Facts About Colorado by Tom Noel **\$12.95 Softcover**

Curious about Colorado? This book is chock full of amazing factoids and fascinating bits on the geography, economy, history, and people of Colorado.

Colorado Gambling by Linda Wommack **\$3.00 Softcover**

A brief history of early gambling in Colorado.

Colorado Cache Cookbook by the Junior League of Denver **\$17.95 Softcover**

The original Denver Junior League cookbook with illustrations of Colorado landmarks.

Colorado Crazy Quilt by Inez Hunt & Wanetta Draper **\$35.00 Hardcover**

Autographed by both authors (1 copy)

The story of six little known pioneers of Colorado Springs during the 1880s and 1890s.

Colorado Coloring Book by Sara Sheldon **\$2.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

Illustrations of many of Colorado's historic places and activities. Drawn by the author.

Colorado Ghost Towns: Past & Present by Robert Brown **\$14.95 Softcover**

A brief history of early Colorado mining towns and what to expect when visiting them today.

Colorado Gold by Stephen Voynick **\$14.00 Softcover**

What makes gold so tantalizing? The earth's very concealment of it? The feeling that fortune might be only inches away from a miner's pick or in the next pan of gravel? Colorado Gold is about just that: the booms, the busts, the dashed hopes, the people lured to find it and forever changed by their successes – or failure.

Colorado Heritage Magazine, Winter 2005 by Colorado Historical Society **\$4.95**

Includes a history of the internment of the Japanese in Colorado during WWII and the story of Emmy Wilson, former owner of the Glory Hole Saloon in Central City.

Colorado Heritage Magazine, Spring 1991 by Colorado Historical Society **\$4.95**

Includes an article on the history of bicycles in Colorado, particularly Denver.

Colorado Heritage Magazine, Autumn 2002 by Colorado Historical Society **\$4.95**

Includes an article by William Wei, "History and Memory: The Story of Denver's Chinatown.

Colorado History For Kids by Linda Wommack **\$12.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

A children's history and activity book.

Colorado Mines 1859-79: Boulder and Gilpin Counties by Frank Fossett **\$8.95 Softcover**

Description of the mines and mining processes in these two Colorado counties.

Colorado Mining Camps by David Southworth **\$29.95 Softcover**

207 communities which were significant in the Colorado mining boom.

Colorado Odyssey: The 1859 Gold Rush: The 1859 Gold Rush Diary of John W. Fletcher by Gregory Franzwa **\$14.95 Softcover**

A native of Wisconsin, young Fletcher made his way to St. Louis where he set out for Colorado, using various overland routes. Did he strike it rich in the Gregory Diggings? Like most everyone else, he discovered that there were way too many prospectors for too little good, and left empty-handed. He made his way back east, but not empty handed – he had a diary that offers a first-hand view of life on the trails during the Gold Rush days.

Colorado Off the Beaten Path by Curtis Casewit **\$13.95 Softcover**

Easy-to-use guide helps you discover the hidden places in Colorado that most tourists miss.

Colorado on Glass: Colorado's First Half Century As Seen by the Camera by Terry Wm. Mangan **\$60.00 Hardcover, Large format**

Rare glass plate photographs with explanatory text of early Colorado towns, people and buildings from the collection of the Colorado Historical Society

Colorado Drawn and Quartered: A Sketchbook by Jackie McFarland & D. B. Williamson **\$16.95 Softcover (1 copy)**

Pencil sketches of various Colorado locations.

Colorado Place Names by William Bright **\$11.95 Softcover**

Lists 1900 Colorado communities, counties, peaks, passes, rivers, streams, and other geographical features. Each entry includes, as appropriate, a pronunciation guide, elevation, location, date of founding, history and name origin.

Colorado: Fine Art Landscape & Nature Photography by David L. Clack **\$14.95 Hard cover**

The richness and diversity of the Colorado landscape is beautifully captured through the eyes of nature photographer Dave Clack. His work reflects the essence of the Colorado wilderness.

Colorado Magazine, The by Colorado Historical Society (assorted issues) **\$2.95 Softcover**

An assortment of issues from the 1930s through the 1940s. Great reading treasures.

Colorado: South of the Border by Ralph C. Taylor **(Out of Print) \$35.00 Hard Cover (1 copy)**

The author describes the history of the Arkansas River basin on south to the border of Colorado-New Mexico. In a series of swift-moving chapters, Taylor tells the story of this area complete with more than 150 photographs. The book is jam-packed with incidents and drama.

Colorado State Capitol, The: History, Politics, Preservation by Derek R. Everett
\$29.95 Hardcover

In this comprehensive volume, Everett traces the establishment, planning, construction, and history of Colorado's state capitol, including a discussion on the importance of preserving the structure.

Colorado Vistas: Selections from Fifty Years of Con Schader Photography \$14.95
Softcover

In the late 1940s, Con began photographing Colorado vistas, an effort that eventually produced more than 5,000 prints and slides. Subjects selected for this work range from individual buildings and flowers to skylines, mountains and valleys, unusual cloud formations and sunsets. Most are in color. This collection constitutes an excellent memoir for Colorado residents and visitors alike.

Colorado's Legendary Lovers by Rosemary Fetter \$12.95 **Softcover**
Historical scandals, heartthrobs and haunting romances.

Colorado's Lost Gold Mines and Buried Treasure by Caroline Bancroft \$5.95
Softcover

Thirty romantic and fabled tales of Colorado's misplaced wealth inspire the reader to go search.

Colorado's Strangest: A Legacy of Bizarre Events and Eccentric People by Ken Jessen \$14.95 **Softcover**

Imaginative pioneers combined to create a fertile setting for staged collisions, a horse that rode a trolley car and the discovery of a petrified man. Jessen gives us a close look at some of the more peculiar aspects of the state's history.

Color Aspen Victorian Houses \$10.00 **Softcover (Children's book)**
A coloring book featuring many of Aspen's Victorian buildings.

Color Colorado \$3.95 **Softcover (Children's book)**
A children's coloring book of Colorado activities and sites.

Colorful Colorado by Caroline Bancroft \$6.95 **Softcover**
A short and quick history of the state.

Complete Book of Herbs: A practical guide to growing & using herbs by Lesley Bremness \$19.95 **Hardcover (Used) (1 copy)**

An inspirational and practical guide to growing herbs and using them in the home. Includes a full-color directory of over 100 herbs, over 80 delicious recipes, traditional methods for potpourri, herbal papers and dyes and expert advice on planting, growing and harvesting herbs.

Composers, The World's Great Classical published by Family Field Guides \$9.95

Fifty colored die-cut cards bring the world of classical music to your fingertips. This useful tool presents a field guide to the composers, their work, and the fascinating lives they led.

Cripple Creek Tailings by Linda Wommack **\$3.00 Softcover**

A brief history of Cripple Creek. Bob Womack, who discovered the gold in Cripple Creek, was the author's great grandfather!

A Curious Life For A Lady: The Story of Isabella Byrd, A Remarkable Victorian Traveller by Pat Barr **(Out of print) \$50.00 Hardcover 1st Edition (1 copy)**

This entertaining biography traces the career of one of the Victorian era's most extraordinary characters. Raised sedately in an English parsonage and a spinster until middle age, Byrd began her world travels at the age of 40. Her travels took her to Australia, the Colorado Rockies, Hawaii, Asia and Morocco.

Death in the Dining Room and Other Tales of Victorian Culture by Kenneth Ames **\$30.95 Softcover**

In this provocative look at Victorian America, Ames explores the minds of Victorians by examining some of their most distinctive and fascinating creations. He effectively explores and articulates the varied tasks and roles performed by ordinary goods in the everyday life of Victorian America, as well as the complex, contradicted elements of culture they often reveal.

Denver: Boomtown History by Gayle Baker **\$9.95 Softcover**

Historic photos and text illustrate this attractive book about Denver's past.

Denver Days by Sue Luxa **\$8.95 Soft cover (Children's book)**

In 1882, Mrs. Neal takes her ten-year-old Katie and moves to Denver to work for the well-loved black woman, Aunt Clara Brown. Katie makes a Christmas tree out of tumbleweeds: tastes her first ice cream soda, meets her first Native American, and learns to ride a bicycle, as well as many other adventures.

Denver in Slices by Louisa Ward Arps **\$19.95 Softcover**

A reprint of the much acclaimed original book published in 1959. The Old West has been viewed from many perspectives, from the scornful to the uncritical romanticism of some TV shows. But seldom has it been treated with honest nostalgia of the wonderful accounts and pictures gathered in *Denver in Slices*. Includes a map of early Denver and an extensive index.

Denver: Then & Now by Joshua Dinar **\$19.95 Hardcover & Oversized**

Photographs of early Denver buildings alongside modern views of the same structures or scenes.

Denver Women in Their Places by Marcia Goldstein **\$10.95 Softcover**

A quick history of influential women in Denver's history.

Doc Holliday by John Myers **\$11.95 Softcover**

A biography of Doc backed up by strong research and radical views.

Doc Susie by Virginia Cornell **\$14.95 Softcover**

The true story of a 19th century female country physician in the Colorado Rockies.

The Doctor Wore Petticoats by Chris Enss **\$12.95 Softcover**

Women physicians of the Old West. Dozens of highly trained women headed West, where they endured hardship and prejudice as they set broken limbs, performed operations, delivered generations of babies and solidified a place for women in the medical field.

Douglas County, Colorado: A Photographic Journey by The Castle Rock Writers **\$14.95 Softcover**

A photographic history of Douglas County, CO. Includes Castle Rock, Franktown, Parker, Louviers, etc. and Tweet Kimball's Cherokee Ranch castle.

Down the Valley of the Shadow by Mary Ramstetter **\$14.00 Softcover**

Once upon a time, a farm boy from the Hudson Valley journeyed west in search of adventure and brought back a wife. This wife had an Indian son who did not care to live with Indians. Her husband eventually grew tired of the farm, and perhaps even his wife. And he no longer came home every night. The year was 1849.

Drills and Mills by Will Meyerricks **\$29.95 Softcover**

A history of gold mining processes, including a section on Gilpin County. Detailed and easy-to-read. The appendix contains more complex descriptions of the chemical processes used.

Empire and the Berthoud Pass (Autographed) by Louise C. Harrison **\$85.00 Hard cover (1 copy)**

Empire City (its early name) was a gold mining camp. But it was more. It lay just below Berthoud Pass – from its earliest exploration to the present, the most famous crossing of the Continental Divide. The stagecoach kings eyed it as a passage into Middle Park and on to Salt Lake City and the Pacific Ocean. The railroad builders contemplated it and then skirted it. A history of the ups and downs of this lovely small community at the foot of the Rockies.

Exotic and Irrational: Opera in Denver – 1879-2006 by Allen Young **\$20.95 Softcover**

This is a marvelous account of the 150 years of successes and failures by a great many remarkable people and diverse organizations, striving to create appreciative audiences for opera in Denver, Colorado. Here you will find a grand history of how this “exotic and irrational” enterprise finally flourished.

First Road into Gregory Diggings by Mary Koch **\$3.95 Notebook format**

A brief look into the first wagon road into Black Hawk and Central City. Written while a student at the University of Colorado.

Fragile Beauty: The Victorian Art of Pressed Flowers by Sandy Puckett **\$14.95 Hard cover (Used) (1 copy)**

In Victorian times, the art of pressing flowers reached an exquisite peak of sophistication. Now, in a book lavishly illustrated with dozens of full-colored photographs of her delicate arrangements, Sandy Puckett celebrates this rich, nostalgic tradition.

From the Grave by Linda Wommack **\$24.95 Softcover**

A roadside guide to Colorado's pioneer cemeteries. Contains a short story about the history of most Colorado cemeteries and their most important residents.

From the Past Will Come the Future by Duane Smith **\$9.95 Softcover**

A brief history of St. James Methodist church in Central City, CO.

Garden Wisdom, A Miscellany of by Bernard Schofield **\$8.95 Hard cover (Used) (1 copy)**

A collection of supremely useful tips and homespun knowledge much of which has been obscured by time and memory.

Gardener's Latin **\$14.95 Hardcover (Used) (1 copy)**

A listing of the Latin and Common names for garden flowers and plants.

Gathering Gold (Out of Print) by William McMillan **\$9.95 Softcover**

A history of gold mining and processing, primarily focusing on Black Hawk, CO. Contains many rare photographs.

Ghost Towns of Colorado by Phil Varney **\$19.95 Softcover**

Your guide to Colorado's historic mining camps and ghost towns. Great photographs.

Ghost Towns of the Rockies by Robert Brown **\$19.95 Softcover**

Features information and travel directions for sixty of Colorado's ghost towns and mining camps.

Ghosts of Gilpin County: A Guide to the Ghost Towns and Mining Camps of Gilpin County, Colorado by John Aldrich **\$7.95 Softcover**

This brief guide contains text, color photographs and a 16" x 20" map of Gilpin County.

Ghosts of Denver: Capitol Hill by Phil Goodstein **\$21.95 Softcover**

Concentrates on turn of the century Denver in the Capitol Hill area ghost stories and history.

Ghosts of the Old West by Earl Murray **\$14.95 Softcover**

A nice mixture of historical research and eyewitness accounts of the hauntings.

Ghost Stories of Colorado by Dan Asfar **\$16.95 Softcover**

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Ghost Stories of the Old West by Dan Asfar **\$10.95 Softcover**

Haunted stories of some of America's most infamous gunslingers, lawmen, and opportunists.

Ghost Stories of the Rocky Mountains, Vol. 1 by Barbara Smith **\$10.95 Softcover**

Popular series which catalogues the best ghost stories of the Rockies.

Ghost Stories of the Rocky Mountains, Vol. 2 by Barbara Smith **\$10.95 Softcover**

Popular series which catalogues the best ghost stories of the Rockies.

Ghostly Tales From America's Jails by Joan Upton Hall **\$18.95 Softcover**

Curl up with 36 stories, complete with photos, of historical hoosegows from all over the United States (includes the Gilpin County Jail). Each jail or prison is now a location for good guys like you to visit, transformed into museums, offices, theaters, even a B&B where the long-deceased sheriff locks up at night.

Gilded Girls by JoAnn Chartier **\$10.95 Softcover**

15 entertaining women who sang, danced, acted and captured the hearts of miners and homesteaders of the frontier West.

Gilpin County Gold by H. William Axford **(Out of Print) \$50.00 Hardcover (1 copy)**

Tells the story of mining in Central City through the life of one of its staunch citizens, Peter McFarlane. As a carpenter he built its homes, churches, mine and mill buildings and equipment. His greatest achievement was the preservation of the Opera House.

Gilpin Gold Tram, The by Mallory Hope Ferrell **\$39.95 Hard cover**

Here is the absorbing story of this colorful little two-foot gauge railroad that hauled ore from the mines above Central City to the smelters in Black Hawk. Many excellent and rare photographs and illustrations. Includes a map of the trackage.

Glory That Was Gold by Central City Opera Association **\$12.00 (1990 edition)**

A short biography of each person who had an opera chair named for them in the Central City Opera House.

Glory That Was Gold by Central City Opera Association **\$25.00**

A short biography of each person who had an opera chair named for them in the Central City Opera House.

Glory That Was Gold (1st Edition) by Central City Opera Association **\$30.00 Hard cover**

A short biography of each person who had an opera chair named for them in the Central City Opera House.

Gold Camps and Silver Cities, Bulletin No. 22 by the Idaho Bureau of Mines & Geology, written by Merle W. Wells **\$10.00 Spiral bound (1 copy)**
“Wherein is told the story of the Rush of 1863 into the Boise Basin and the Owyhee Country and of what followed, how the Gold-seekers and Rainbow-Runners transformed a hostile wilderness into Idaho Territory and, later, into the State of Idaho.

Great Pikes Peak Gold Rush, The by Robert Brown **\$12.95 Softcover**
The history of this event of enormous social and cultural significance.

Greeting From Denver: Postcards from the Mile-High City by Mary Martin & Nathaniel Wolfgang-Price **\$24.95 Softcover**
Over 200 vintage hand-tinted postcards from the 1900s through the 1940s take readers on a journey through Denver’s history. Witness some of the places and events that made the Mile-High City famous.

Guide to Colorado Ghost Towns & Mining by Perry Eberhart **\$19.95 Softcover**
This is not a history book. Rather it is a directory of towns, and compilation of information about those towns. Includes legends, stories and verifiable facts on each location.

Gulch of Gold by Caroline Bancroft **\$16.50 Softcover**
A history of Central City, Colorado. Great source for background on this unique mining town, written by its long-time resident. Many old photographs.

Haunted Boulder 2 by Ann Leggett & Roz Brown **(Out of Print) \$16.95 Softcover (18 copies in stock)**
Twenty-two ghostly stories from Boulder and beyond, including Golden, Colorado Springs and Gilpin County.

Haunted Hearts by Barbara Smith **\$11.95 Softcover**
Love is a universal theme that has preoccupied humans since the dawn of time. This book gathers some of the most haunted love stories from all over the world in Smith’s latest volume of ghostly lore.

Hell’s Belles by Clark Secrest **\$34.95 Softcover**
Prostitution, vice and crime in early Denver: with a biography of Sam Howe, frontier lawman.

Henry M. Porter: Rocky Mountain Empire Builder by Mark S. Foster **\$19.95 Hardcover (1 copy)**
During his long entrepreneurial career, spanning from the 1860s to the 1930s, Porter diversified into ranching, freight, real estate, banking, mining and retailing. Though he stayed out of politics, except for a brief stint as Denver city councilman, Porter’s behind the scenes influence was far-reaching.

Herbs: Gardening By Design by Jane Courtier **\$9.95 Hard cover (Used) (1 copy)**

Discusses the history of herbs, garden design, growing and propagating, using herbs and an A –Z selection of popular herbs.

Herbs: Gardens, Decorations, and Recipes by Emelie Tolley and Chris Mead **\$24.95 Hardcover (Used) (1 copy)**

Herbs is a comprehensive and singularly beautiful celebration of the many uses of these fragrant plants. With more than 450 full-color photographs, it describes herbs in formal gardens, cottage gardens and container gardens.

Here Lies Colorado: Fascinating Figures in Colorado History by Richard Wood **\$14.95 Softcover**

Author Richard Wood outlines sixty of Colorado's late greats, both famous and notorious, in this collection of brief yet compelling biographies, including controversial writer Hunter S. Thompson, singer John Denver, U. S. Supreme Court Justice Byron White, Jennie Rogers, queen of Denver's brothels, artist Vance Kirkland, astronaut Jack Swigert, and many others.

High Altitude Attitudes: Six Savvy Colorado Women by Marilyn Griggs Riley **\$16.00 Softcover**

The Bonfils sisters are two of the six women Riley writes about in this book. The others are author-historian Caroline Bancroft, Sacred 36 leader Louise Sneed Hill, Mary Coyle Chase, author of "Harvey," and Justinia Ford, a black doctor in Five Points. All six are familiar characters to many, but Riley writes in such an entertaining style that you feel a personal connection with these women.

High Drama: Colorado's Historic Theaters by Daniel & Beth Barrett **\$19.95 Hardcover**

As Colorado settlements grew more permanent, they sought to provide a modicum of culture and sophistication for their residents. Ironically, most of these theatres that survive today are in small mountain towns. The Barrett's have selected representative theatres from across the state – some still standing. The Central City and Tabor Opera Houses are included.

Hiking Through Colorado History by Vickie Leigh Krudwig **\$9.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

Surveys the history of Colorado from the time the Rocky Mountains were formed through the 20th century. A book filled with numerous activities to make learning history fun!

Historic Boulder Park: Yesterday and Today by Leda Reed **\$19.95 Softcover**

A history of the north portion of Gilpin County, written by a long-time resident. Lots of local history.

A History of Clear Creek County: and the families who shaped Colorado's Premier Mining District by the Historical Society of Idaho Springs **\$50.00 Softcover**

Invest in history that matters – the sagas of geology, mining, an immigrant melting pot, the way West, and in common men, women and children!

History of the Teller House by Alan Granruth **\$1.00 Pamphlet**

A brief history of the building that contains “The Face on the Barroom Floor.” Built in 1872 and named for Sen. Henry M. Teller.

Hollywood, Colorado by David Emrich **\$9.95 Softcover**

The movies have always found America’s westward migration a rich source of stories, This movement west also applies to the development of the movie industry itself. The film industry began east of the Mississippi and found a home in California. But on the way, Colorado nearly had its own “Hollywood”.

House Beautiful, The by Clarence Cook **\$7.95 Softcover (Used) (1 copy)**

An unabridged reprint of the classic Victorian stylebook.

How the West Was Worn: Bustles and Buckskins on the Wild Frontier by Chriss Enss **\$16.95 Softcover**

This book examines the sometimes bizarre, often beautiful, and highly inventive clothing of the old west. You’ll learn how a cowboy’s home state determined the way he wore his pants and hat, as well as how to distinguish one Indian tribe from another by their moccasins. Meet John Stetson, Adah Menken, Amelia Jenks Bloomer and other fashion leaders.

Ida: Her Labor of Love by Carol McManus **\$16.95 Softcover**

Men rushed to Colorado in the late 1800s looking for gold and silver. However, we seldom read about the families they brought with them. A compelling story of one pioneer woman’s tribulations and joys as she struggled to keep her family alive and healthy. Ida will have you in smiles and tears.

I Never Knew That About Colorado by Abbott Fay **\$12.95 Softcover**

Did you know that Adolph Hitler owned a ranch in Colorado, It once snowed ducks on I-70, the Brown Palace has a crematorium, a Colorado physician took out his own appendix and more?

It Happened in Colorado by J. Crutchfield **\$9.95 Softcover**

Fascinating compendium of thirty-four events that helped make Colorado what it is today.

It Happened in Denver By Stephen Grace **\$12.95 Softcover**

From the infamous Sand Creek Massacre to the building of Coors Field, Grace gives readers a unique look at some of the most intriguing people and episodes from the history of the Mile High City.

Jewish Life in the American West edited by Ava F. Kahn **\$22.50 Softcover**

An interesting and illuminating glimpse of an overlooked chapter in the history of the American frontier. The role of Jewish movie moguls... for example, is deeply familiar, but the real-life saga of Jewish cowboys and collective farmers is considerably fresher. First published in conjunction with an exhibit at the Autry Museum of Western Heritage in Los Angeles, the book includes a compelling selection of photographs and other illustrations.

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Place names and history of the Ralston Buttes Quadrangle (Gilpin and Jefferson counties, Colorado).

Justinia Ford: Medical Pioneer by Joyce Lohse **\$8.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

Humanitarian and physician, was the first African American woman to practice medicine in Colorado. She delivered over 7,000 babies in Denver during her career.

Keeping Hearth and Home in Old Colorado: A Practical Primer For Daily Living by Carolyn Padgett **\$13.95 Hard cover**

Keeping Hearth and Home in Old Colorado is a how-to book, but not for you. Drawn from a wealth of authentic Victorian-era books and magazines, it is like the book tour great- or great-great-grandmother might have read to prepare herself for the etiquette of courting, to learn how to conduct herself in public, and to learn what would be required of her during marriage. Later she would learn about arranging the parlor, and how to direct her children's playtime. It discusses cooking, shopping at the butcher shop, making cologne, etc. Finally, she could depend on it for sure-fire recipes for the most common edible dishes and disease remedies of the day.

Laying the Cornerstone of Masonry **\$5.00 Softcover (1 copy)**

A history of the Masonic fraternal organization in Central City.

Leadville Lady by Leslee Breene **\$26.95 Softcover**

The story is set in 1880 silver-rich Leadville, Colorado. Bookkeeper Sky Saunders leaves her embezzler husband and travels west seeking her freedom by investing in a silver mine. She wants no commitment to any man. When the town marshal is wounded by a gang of murdering and thieving villains, Sky nurses his wound, saving his life. Their relationship simmers. Amid the mayhem of rowdy Leadville, neither of them plan on an orphaned half-breed capturing their hearts.

Legend of Baby Doe, The by John Burke **\$17.95 Softcover**

The life and times of Elizabeth McCourt Doe Tabor – second wife of silver magnate H. A. W. Tabor.

Life in the Early Days by James Ramstetter **\$15.00 Softcover**

A history and recollections of living in Golden Gate Canyon by one of the early families. The first stagecoach road to Central City and Blackhawk passed through this area.

Light of the Home: An Intimate View of the Lives of Women in Victorian America by Harvey Green **\$18.95 Softcover**

A fascinating, lavishly illustrated and very disturbing inventory of the means by which “women’s place” was defined. A beautiful book and a significant contribution to our understanding of Middle-class women in Victorian America. A MUST HAVE! Several chapters deal with issues you’ll NEVER find in another book.

Little Britches by Ralph Moody **\$14.95 Softcover (Children’s book)**

A memoir of growing up on a ranch in Southwest Denver in the late 1800s. Includes the histories of the towns of Sheridan and Littleton and Fort Logan Military Post.

Little Kingdom of Gilpin by Alan Granruth **\$34.95 Hard cover**

A history of Gilpin County, past and present. Many photographs.

Lost Cities of Colorado by Laurel Michele Wichersheim & Rawlene LeBaron **\$19.95 Softcover**

The book is arranged by county, and offers an overview of Colorado’s gold rush history, the miners who helped settle the state, and elements of the gold mining, but the main focus is on the lost cities and mining camps, along with stories of miners who established these cities. Transcripts from original documents and photographs enhance the text.

Lotions, Potions and Deadly Elixirs by Wayne Bethard **\$27.95 Softcover**

Frontier medicine in America.

Lynching in Colorado 1859 by Stephen Leonard **\$24.95 Hardcover**

In this examination of more than 175 lynchings, Leonard illustrates the role economics, migration, race and gender played in the shaping of justice and injustice in Colorado. The book shows Westerners at their worst and best as they struggled to define law and order.

Miners by Rick Steber **\$3.00 Softcover (Children’s book)**

A brief history of the life of a miner.

Mining Above the Clouds: The Mosquito Range and the Origins of Colorado’s Silver Boom by Harvey N. Gardiner **\$10.00 Softcover (1 Copy)**

Mining Camp Speaks, The by Beth and Bill Sagstetter **\$19.95 Softcover**

Using the techniques of a historical sleuth, you will learn to identify forgotten pieces of the past - mining equipment and domestic artifacts. Illustrated with hundreds of black and white photographs and antique engravings.

Mining Gold to Mining Wallets: History of Central City 1859-1999 by Alan Granruth **\$29.95 Hard cover**

A history of the City of Central, its famous residents and buildings. Old and new photographs are included.

Mine Owners and Mines of Colorado by Laurel Michele Wickersheim & **\$41.00 Softcover (Currently Out of Print)**

A listing of all mines (gold, silver, coal) in Colorado that information could be found. Lists owners, dates, description and capacity.

Miracle on Cherry Creek (Out of Print) by Bill Brenneman **\$30.00 Softcover (1 COPY)**

A history of the beginnings of Denver. Includes many rare photographs.

Mirror, The by Marlys Millhiser **\$18.95 Softcover**

The classical novel of two women lost in time. On the eve of her wedding in 1978, Shay Garrett peers into the antique mirror and falls unconscious only to wake in the body of her grandmother Brandy, on the eve of *her* wedding – in 1900. The virginal Brandy, in turn, awakes in Shay's body to discover herself pregnant. What follows is a look at how these two woman and their families cope with this situation. A vivid portrait of life in Boulder and the mountain town of Nederland at the turn of the century.

Molly Brown: Unraveling by Kristen Johnson **\$18.00 Softcover**

The real Margaret Brown revealed – a passionate and outspoken crusader for the rights of women, children, mine workers and others.

More That I Never Knew About Colorado by Abbott Fay **\$12.95 Softcover**

Sequel to *I Never Know That About Colorado*. Denver's pigeon man, Rattlesnake Jack, underground bread-baking and a hundred other forgotten places and interesting events are revealed.

More Than Petticoats by Gayle Shirley **\$10.95 Softcover**

The book profiles the lives of fourteen Colorado women, each of whom left a profound and lasting legacy. These women, all born before 1900, broke down barriers through their work as scientists, journalists, and labor advocates. Each of these women displayed remarkable foresight, artistry, and intelligence during a time when Colorado was still a rough and unruly land.

Murder a Mile High by Elizabeth Dean **\$14.00 Softcover**

Antiques dealer Emma Marsh must contend with the murder of a Colorado opera company tenor as well as Nazi spies. Set in Central City!

Murder at the Brown Palace by Dick Kreck **\$17.95 Softcover**

One of the most famous high society murders of the 20th century which took place at the Brown Palace Hotel, one of Denver's grand old hotels. A true story!

Muttering Machines to Laser Beams (Out of Print) by Herb Hackenburg **\$35.00 Hard cover (1 copy)**

A history of the Mountain Bell Telephone Company (now QWEST).

My Garden Visits by Jason Mattot and illustrated by Victoria Kwasinski **\$16.95 Softcover**

After the death of his mother, the author spends time in her garden talking with her about things he wished they had discussed while she was alive. A great gift for anyone who has lost a loved one. The floral watercolor illustrations are simply beautiful. Copies of these paintings are available through the gift shop too.

Mysteries and Legends, Colorado: True Stories of the Unsolved and Unexplained by Jan Murphy **\$12.95 Softcover**

Colorado is full of mysteries and legends. With some of the highest peaks on the continent, deepest canyons and broadest open prairies, the stage has been set for a fascinating array of dramas. Strange, sometimes unbelievable occurrences have unfolded across the state. Are you ready?

Mysteries and Miracles of Colorado by Jack Kutz **\$9.95 Softcover**

A guidebook to the genuinely bizarre in Colorado.

New Mercies by Sandra Dallas **\$13.95 Softcover**

Natchez, Mississippi in 1933. Nora Bondurant is running away from her husband's death, inheriting a mystery after her aunt's murder/suicide, and many other unanswered questions. She eventually learns that every day we are given new mercies to heal the pain of loss and love.

Northern Colorado Ghosts and Spirits by Nancy Hansford **\$12.95 Softcover**

A collection of spooky tales centered in Fort Collins and the surrounding areas.

Old House Compendium (Out of Print) edited by Clem Labine and Carolyn Flaherty **\$19.95 Softcover (Used) (1 copy)**

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The Old Sheriff and Other True Tales by Lafayette Hanchett **\$27.95 Softcover**

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One Golden Summer by Sue Luxa **\$8.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

A Ute Indian chief, a Pinkerton detective, a wild pig, and a cantankerous burro all help to keep mischievous Daniel Blair from getting bored in Golden, CO, during the summer of 1873. Learn how Daniel solves the mystery of his father's death and what it was like for a young boy to live in the "Wild West."

Opera in Central City by Allen Young **\$16.95 Softcover**

A history of opera in Central City, CO.

Opera in the Rockies by Charlie Johnson **\$12.00 Softcover**
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Our Ladies of the Tenderloin by Linda Wommack **\$16.95 Softcover**
This is a unique look at female life in the oldest profession on Colorado's frontier. It tells the story of the women who made the nightlife come alive and brought excitement to the new frontier, as well as recognizing them in their rightful place as pioneers.

Out the Back Down the Path by Ken Jessen **\$16.95 Softcover**
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Outlaw Tales of Colorado by Jan Murphy **\$12.95 Softcover**
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Over the Mountains of the Moon by Mary Ramstertter **\$14.00 Softcover**
An award winning Western novel written by a Gilpin County resident.

Palace Car Prince by Liston Leyendecker (**Out of Print**) **\$17.50 Softcover (1 COPY)**
The story of the life of George Pullman, inventor of the Pullman Car . He lived in the Gilpin County area and homesteaded in Golden.

Pennyweights by Alan Granruth **\$12.95 Softcover**
A reprint of 60 newspaper articles taken from the local newspapers. Articles written about many topics that you will not find in any history book!

Pennsylvania Beautiful by Wallace Nutting **\$25.00 Hard cover (Used Gilpin County school textbook) (1 copy)**
In addition to being a history of eastern Pennsylvania, the author promotes the book as a book of "pictures primarily and principally" (sepia and sketches).

Persian Pickle Club by Sandra Dallas **\$12.95 Softcover**
A story of loyalty and friendship in a women's quilting circle in Depression-era Kansas.

Pioneer Children by Linda Peavy & Ursula Smith **\$19.95 Softcover**
Enriched by more than 200 vintage photographs, *Frontier Children* is a visual and literary montage of the faces and scenes of childhood in the 19th century American West.

The authors have brought together stories and images that erase stereotypes to reveal the infinite variety of childhood experiences on the western frontier.

Pioneer Jews: A new Life in the Far West by Harriet and Fred Rochlin **\$30.00**

Softcover

The definitive chronicle of the lives, experiences and contributions of the Jewish men and women who helped shape the American frontier.

Pioneers, Peddlers & Tsadikim: The Story of Jews in Colorado by Ida Libert Uchill

\$26.00 Softcover

First published in 1957, the original history of the Jewish people in Colorado is now back in a revised and updated edition with 21 new illustrations. This is a definitive volume for both the scholar of Jewish/Colorado history and the casual reader alike.

Pioneer Women: The Lives of Women on the Frontier by Linda Peavy & Ursula

Smith \$21.95 Softcover

Pioneer Women provides a rare look at frontier life through the eyes of the pioneer women who settled the American West. The authors describe the hardships such women endured journeying west and making homes and communities on the frontier. Their hopes and fears and, most of all, their courage in the face of adversity are revealed in excerpts from journals, letters and oral histories. Illustrated with a fascinating collection of seldom-seen photographs.

Pioneer Voices From Plymouth to Breckenridge by Cynthia Anderson **\$22.95**

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A history of the Peabody family over eleven generations – from Plymouth Plantation to upstate New York and later to Denver, Como and finally Breckenridge, Colorado. This is a new focus on the feminine role in America's westward movement.

Postmarks and Places by George Harlan **\$19.95 Softcover**

The history of the early mail delivery systems and post offices in Colorado. Includes dates of operation, a brief history and postmasters by location.

The Prairie Traveler: The 1859 Handbook for Westbound Pioneers by Randolph B.

Marcy \$9.95 Softcover

Along with a good rifle and a sturdy horse, this guide was an essential companion for any westward-bound pioneer of the nineteenth century. It's author, an Army Captain, spent most of his career in the west.

Precious Dust: The Saga of the Western Gold Rushes by Paula Mitchell Marks **17.95**

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The boom era began with the discovery of gold in California in 1848 and extended over fifty years to include the rushes in the Pikes Peak region, the Black Hills and the Yukon. *Precious Dust* humanizes the mad rush to these remote places.

Prunes and Rupe by Lydia Griffin **\$16.00 Hardcover** (Children's book)

A beautiful depiction based on the friendship between a prospector and his burro in Fairplay, Colorado

Quilt That Walked to Golden, The by Sandra Dallas **\$29.95 Hard cover (Softcover now available for \$19.95)**

Women and quilts in the Mountain West, from the Overland Trail to Contemporary Colorado. A unique slice of the American West, *The Quilt That Walked to Golden* is a window into the lives, trials, and friendships of generations of Colorado women who recorded their stories in the quilts they left behind. Written by master storyteller Sandra Dallas, this book will captivate everyone interested in the West, historical fiction or vintage and contemporary American quilts. Beautifully illustrated

Re-built Central City compiled by Alan Granruth **\$7.95 Notebook format**

A reprint of facts taken from local newspapers about early Central City, CO.

Red Twilight: The Last Free Days of the Ute Indians by Val Fitzpatrick **\$18.95 Softcover**

The author's family was one of the first to homestead Ute lands, and his account of the Northern Ute removal is told from the unique perspective of one who knew and respected these displaced people. The story also recalls the experiences of his fellow pioneers in northwest Colorado in the late 1800s.

Riches to Rust: A Guide to Mining in the Old West by Eric Twitty **\$24.95 Hardcover**

Whether you are a tourist with casual interest in old mining sites or a serious mining historian wanting to know more about mining methods, you will find this book to be fascinating reading. It is written in such a way that it can be useful in understanding the processes involved in mining and milling in the 19th century in the US. Its detailed appendixes can even be used as a useful reference tool for an archeologist when examining mining sites.

Rise of the Silver Queen: Georgetown by Liston Leyendecker, Christine Bradley & Duane Smith **\$22.95 Softcover**

History and photographs of Georgetown, CO, 1859-1896.

Roadside Geology of Colorado by Halka Chronic and Felicie Williams **\$20.00 Softcover**

The rocks and landforms have not changed much since the first publication of this favorite in 1980, but our understanding of them has. With expanded coverage, updated maps, new photographs, and the latest geologic interpretations, this non-technical guide introduces you to the tumultuous geological history of Colorado's mountains, plateaus, and plains.

Rocky Mountain Railroad & the Runaway Caboose by Glenn Brooks and Matthew Lehman **\$14.95 Hard cover (Children's book)**

Can Cinders save the day as her caboose comes loose and rolls down the mountain? More than 100 years ago, the railroads of the Old West laid their tracks over the great Rocky

Mountains in Colorado. The railroads were very important to the mines and towns and they had a special character of their own. This book reflects the charm of these unique railroads and the Old West.

Rocky Mountain Rendezvous by Fred Gowan **\$16.95 Softcover**

History of the Fur Trade Rendezvous, 1825-1840 that took place in the Central Rockies. These rendezvous were originally commercial gatherings where furs were traded for necessities such as traps, guns, horses and other supplies. But more and more they became rich social events at which all kinds of human emotions were on display.

San Juan Gold by Duane Smith **\$12.95 Softcover**

The well-written letters of Eben Olcott reveal a very different side of the rough and rowdy mining frontier that dominated Colorado in the late 1800s. There is plenty of mining history: but unlike the traditional stereotype, the reader will find that Olcott searches out the cultural and religious centers of each booming mining camp.

Seeking Pleasure in the Old West by David Dary **\$14.95 Softcover (1 copy)**

The Old West was not all trouble and toil. Much is to be learned here – from mountain men and Indians to cowboys and homesteaders – about how to have fun, no matter what the circumstances. This good-humored narrative takes the reader on a journey when fun was where you found it and what you did when you had time.

Searching For Chipeta by Vickie Leigh Krudwig **\$12.95 Softcover (Children's book)**

The story of the queen of the Utes, for kids aged 8 – 12.

Silver Dollar: The Story of the Tabor by David Karsner **(Out of print) \$30.00 Hardcover (2 copies)**

The life and times of the Tabor Triangle – Horace, Augusta and Baby Doe.

Silver Dollar Tabor: The Leaf in the Storm by Evelyn E. Livingston Furman **\$39.95 Hardcover**

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Silver, Gold and Black Iron: A Story of the Grand Island Mining District of Boulder County, Colorado by Donald C. Kemp **(Out of Print) Autographed \$39.95 Hardcover (1 copy)**

Silverheels by Tara Meixsell **\$10.95 Softcover**

The inspiring legend of Silverheels, a woman with a tainted past, who supposedly braved many dangers to eventually help save the entire Colorado mining town of Buckskin Joe (now a ghost town) from a smallpox epidemic. Meixsell then added a bittersweet love story, adventure and tragedy to this Colorado legend. Fact or legend, it is a story to remember.

Silver Sage: The Story of Caribou, Colorado by Duane Smith (Revised) **\$21.95**
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The original edition was the basis for Smith thesis.

Silver Queen: The Fabulous Story of Baby Doe by Caroline Bancroft **\$6.95 Softcover**

The fabulous story of Baby Doe Tabor.

Simple Methods of Mining Gold by Terry R. Faulk **\$4.95 Softcover**

Instructions on how to pan for gold.

Six Racy Madams of Colorado by Caroline Bancroft **\$4.95 Softcover**

Biographies of six “ladies of pleasure,” whose parlor houses were scandalous ornaments to the whole state.

Soiled Doves by Anne Seagraves **\$11.95 Softcover**

This stunning book reveals the dark world of 19th century prostitution and provides a touching insight into the lives of the ladies of the night. Caught in a web over which they had no control, most ended up in the oldest profession simply because there was nothing else they could do.

Solo in Tom-Toms, A (Out of Print) by Gene Fowler **\$25.00 Hard cover (Used book club edition) (1 Copy)**

The story of a Rocky Mountain boyhood and the quest for a father.

Southwest by Elliot Porter **\$40.00 Hardcover (Out of Print) (1 copy)**

B&W photos by this renowned landscape photographer.

Stampede to Timberline by Muriel Sibell Wolle **\$34.95 Softcover**

The book contains the story of 240 of Colorado’s mining camps, with emphasis on the human side. The book contains 212 separate sketches by the author on the spot at the oftentimes remote and deserted camps.

Stampede to Timberline by Muriel Wolle **\$85.00 Hard cover (Used) (1 copy)**

The book contains the story of 240 of Colorado’s mining camps, with emphasis on the human side. The book contains 212 separate sketches by the author on the spot at the oftentimes remote and deserted camps.

Storm Lion of Penzance, The by Troon Harrison and illustrated by Mark Foreman **\$12.95 Hard cover (Children’s book) (1 copy)**

Thomas, only nine years old, is a stranger in the Penzance of a hundred years ago, having lived up country until the sudden death of his father. His uncle, a warm-hearted fisherman, would help him along and teach hi to fish, but Thomas is terrified of the sea. A local painter opens his eyes to a different view of the sea, but Thomas also makes friends with the bronze lions of Penzance’s promenade. The events of one wild, stormy

night suddenly pitch Thomas into the biggest test of his life. He feels the presence of the lion...

Strange But True Colorado by John Halfor **\$15.95 Softcover**

Weird tales of the Wild West.

The Tabor Opera House by Evelyn E. Livingston Furman **\$34.95 Hardcover**

A history of the Opera House in Leadville, CO built by H. A. W/ Tabor. Written by the woman who has owned the building for over 50 years and continues her efforts to restore it to its original grandeur.

Take a Step Back in Time: A Central City (Walking Tour brochure) **\$1.00**

A fold-out brochure depicting the history and photos of early Central City buildings.

Take the Aspen Train by Ed Larsh & Robert Nichols **\$25.00 Hardcover**

This book, utilizing both the real and metaphorical implications of the Colorado railroad experience, journeys photographically and poetically through the magnificent physical realm of the route between Denver and Aspen.

Tales, Trails and Tommyknockers by Myriam Friggens **\$10.00 Softcover (Children's book)**

Presents a potpourri of historical information and legends about Colorado. A good introduction to spirits and beyond for children.

Tallgrass by Sandra Dallas **\$\$23.95 Hardcover**

During WWII, a family finds life turned upside down when the government opens a Japanese internment camp in their small Colorado town. After a young girl is murdered, a;; eyes and suspicions turn to the newcomers, the interlopers and strangers. Part thriller, part historical novel.

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A Thread of Gold by R. Reed Johnson **\$19.95 Softcover**

Spanning three centuries and three states, Johnson's epic historical novel weaves the tale of three pairs of brothers and their search for a fabulously rich gold bonanza lying hidden within the rugged Lost Creek Canyon in the Tarryall Mountains of Colorado. The final episode takes place in Depression era Littleton.

They Came to Play by Duane Smith **\$17.50 Softcover**

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Time Trial by R. E. Derouin **\$12.95 Softcover**

Parkside, PA detective, David Dean, is recuperating from a gunshot wound in tranquil Ouray County, CO, when his peaceful convalescence is abruptly interrupted by five

eccentric and unwanted guests. The group's unusual interest in the old settlement of Byrd Song above the ghost town of Sneffels catapults Dean and his stepfather back a century where much detective work is needed to find the startling answers.

This is Colorado: Special Centennial magazine section of the Denver Post, June 21, 1959 \$20.00 Softcover (Used) (1 copy)

Includes sections dealing with Colorado's first 100 years, mining communities, the eastern slope, the western half, the queen city, forecast for the future and pictures of the past.

Timberline Tailings by Muriel Whole **\$26.95 Softcover**

Tales of Colorado's ghost towns and mining camps. Lots of photographs and illustrations drawn by the author.

Tomboy Bride by Harriet Backus **\$16.95 Softcover**

A highly recommended book: a woman's personal account of life in the mining camps of the Colorado.

Tourist's Guide to Colorado 1870 by Frank Fossett **\$8.95 Softcover**

Take a historic trip to Colorado, including prices, travel, accommodations, and other fun facts.

Twilight Dwellers: Ghosts, Ghouls and by MaryJoy Martin **\$14.95 Softcover**

Revised edition which contains four additional chapters of ghost stories that tell of lost souls and spooks from Colorado's vibrant history.

Uncle Dick Wootton: The Pioneer Frontiersman of the Rocky Mountain Region by Richens L. Wootton **\$14.95 Softcover**

Details Wootton's travels from New Mexico and settling in the new towns of Auraria and Denver in the mid-1800s.

Untimely Events of the Wild West by Laurel Wickersheim and Rawlene LeBaron **\$6.95 Softcover**

A visit to a Central City cemetery written in the style of The Gashlycrumb Tinies by Edward Gorey

Up the Gulch by Cathleen Norman and Linda Jones **\$10.95 Softcover**

Each community has a story to tell, and what better way than through its architecture? This portable, easy-to-read guide takes you on tours of historic Black Hawk, Central City and Nevadaville, CO. It includes the history of these fascinating towns and biographies of famous Colorado leaders whose lives and fortunes were shaped in the gulch.

Upstairs Girls by Michael Rutter **\$14.95 Softcover**

Contains stories of the lives of prostitutes throughout the early west, including Colorado.

Utes: The Forgotten People by Wilson Rockwell **\$19.95 Softcover**

Former Colorado Senator Rockwell researched extensively and interviewed many people before writing this authoritative work about Colorado's early residents. Includes many photographs as well as most of the major Ute treaties.

Utes: Mountain People by Jan Pettit **\$11.95 Softcover**

Examines aspects of Ute culture from ancient times to present-day.

Utes Must Go, The by Peter Decker **\$17.95 Softcover**

The complete drama of a proud Indian people swept away by the Western 19th century.

Victorian America by Thomas Schlereth **\$15.00 Softcover**

A detailed, lively survey of the commonplace objects, events, experiences, products, and tastes that comprised America's Victorian culture, expressed its values, and shaped modern life.

A Visit with the Tomboy Bride: Harriet Backus & Her Friends by Duane A. Smith **\$12.95 Softcover**

Smith gives us a further look into Backus' adventurous life at the Tomboy Mine, high above Telluride, CO. Backus wrote to Smith after he reviewed her book, *Tomboy Bride*, in 1970, starting a correspondence that lasted until her death. The result is a potpourri into her life and those for her friends at the mine.

Voice of the Old West, The by James McGee **\$10.95 Softcover**

A collection of poems and writings of Annie Beatrice McGee, 1880-1908, transcribed from the original handwritten pages. Born in Davenport, Iowa, she moved to Colorado in 1859. The 64 writings provide an extraordinary picture of life in the Old West of Colorado mining towns at the end of the 19th century. She wrote from Black Hawk, Leadville, Crested Butte, Buena Vista, Cripple Creek, Victor and other locales.

Washington Hall by Liston Leyendecker **\$3.00 Softcover**

A history of Colorado's oldest continuously operated government building in Central City. Formerly the Gilpin County Courthouse and the City of Central's City Hall.

Welcome to the Mountains by Geno Kennedy **\$10.00 Softcover**

A local shares his thoughts and love of the mountain life in Gilpin County

Western Mining by Otis E. Young **\$24.95 Softcover**

Here, for the first time, is a clear account in words and pictures of the methods by which gold and silver were extracted and processed in the old West.

What is a Mine coloring book **\$1.00 (Children's book)**

A coloring book which describes the mining process.

William Henry Jackson: An Intimate Portrait edited by Lloyd W. Gundy **\$20.00 Softcover (1 copy)**

Excerpts taken from the journals of Elwood P. Bonney, an amateur historian and friend of William Henry Jackson, documentary painter of the Oregon Trail and numerous early surveys of the west. Bonney kept a journal of Jackson's thoughts, recollections and accomplishments.

Women Who Charmed the West by Ann Seagraves **\$11.95 Softcover**

This beautifully illustrated book reveals the lives and often shocking love affairs of yesterday's leading ladies. From elegant theatres to tawdry variety houses, they shunned the mores of their Victorian era and brought glitz and glitter to the Wild West.

The World Without Us by Alan Weisman **\$24.95 Hardcover**

Weisman offers an utterly original approach to questions of humanity's impact on the planet: he asks us to envision our Earth without us. Fascinating analysis for all to ponder.

Yesterday Was Another Day by Louis Carter **\$8.95 Softcover**

Born in Central City in the 1890s, Carter wrote a series of newspaper articles in the 1970s describing life as a child in early Central City, CO. This book is a compilation of those articles.

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Face on the Barroom Floor Central City Opera **\$12.50 CD**

A one-act opera about the famous "Face on the Barroom Floor" in the Teller House, Central City.

Colorado Marriages **\$14.95 CD-ROM**

A list of Colorado marriages compiled from the records of the Denver Public Library Western History Collection. Not all marriages in the state are on this document, only those they have records for.

Little Kingdom of Gilpin, The by Lynn Perrigo **\$14.95 CD**

A social history of Central City. Written as his Masters Thesis, Univ. of Colorado, 1934

Black Hawk Waltz **\$12.00 VHS**

Since the boom of Colorado's Gold Rush, the folks of Black Hawk have been an independent, slightly quirky bunch. This is the story of the town they call home, Includes the early development of the town and the advent of Limited Stakes Gambling in 1991.

Gilpin Ghost, The by Joe Crea **\$25.00 VHS & DVD**

This is the first historical recording of the Gilpin Tramway, Colorado's only two-foot-gauge railroad. The program covers the entire area of the Tram, from 1886 to 1917, when the company ceased operations. The program contains many previously unpublished pictures. In addition to current views, there are over 75 historic photographs and interviews with people who were knowledgeable about Tram operations.

Little Kingdom: Central City. Produced by the City of Central **\$12.00 VHS**
An oral and scenic tour through 130 years of history.

Mines & Mills of Colorado by Joe Crea **\$25.00 VHS and DVD**

Covers the history of some of the most famous mines and mills in the Black Hawk, Central City, Cripple Creek, Leadville, Idaho Springs and Victor areas. Joe explains the reasons for different types of mines, reviews the various milling machinery, and demonstrates how some of the equipment was used. Visit the interesting mines and mills in the Central Colorado area and use the information to enhance your railroad modeling skills.

Colorado & Southern Narrow Gauge \$24.95 DVD

In the 1940s, Rocky Mountain Railroad Club member Otto Perry and railroad photographer Woodrow Gorman captured the last remains of the once vast Colorado & Southern Narrow Gauge system on film. Scenes on the dramatic Clear Creek line cover the Idaho Springs and Black Hawk/Central City branches. Clips include the last train from Black Hawk and the tearing up of the rails the following day. Current footage of the rebuilt Georgetown Loop is included and vintage photos add another dimension to this program. The last remnant of the South Park Line from Leadville to Climax is shown just prior to standard gauging. 55 minutes.

Other Items

Pharmacy Labels, Lloyd P. Pharmacy, Central City \$1.50 (Assorted)

A limited number of pharmacy bottle labels from *The Pharmacy* in Central City are available.

Lace House plans \$7.50

National Park Service HABS drawings of the historic Lace House in Black Hawk are available. Great for building your dream dollhouse.

Gilpin Observer newspapers \$7.50

A limited number of back copies of original issues are still available. Dates range from 1910-1918.

Bag of Colorado Gold Ore from the Hidee Mine in Central City, CO **\$4.95**

Magnet, 1-1/4" diameter enameled miner's gold pan contains a few flecks of real Colorado gold in the bottom of the pan **\$2.95** Assorted colors

Token, wooden, Glory Hole Tavern, Central City, 1964, 1-1/2" diameter \$3.00

Real Colorado gold flakes in a glass vial \$4.00

Gold panning kit, includes an 11" dia. steel pan, a packet of gold ore for hand panning with guaranteed gold, *Secrets of Gold Panning* book, instructions and display vial for gold, hand lens, magnet and eye dropper **\$14.95** (Refill kits available for \$4.95)

Round bottle of Colorado Gold or silver \$5.95

Small vial of gold, silver, pyrite or copper \$3.50

Tobacco pouches, Bull Durham \$1.50 (Tax stamp still affixed)

Antique bicycle charm bracelet, costume jewelry. Great gift for a child \$3.00

TommyKnawker newspaper – Central City, CO (First Edition) \$10.00

A very limited number of these rare first edition newspapers published in Central City by Claude Powe are still available.

Christmas ornament, brass, St. James Methodist Church \$10.00

A brass ornament of St. James Methodist Church, Central City.

Plate, St. James Methodist Church memorial \$10.00

An 11” diameter memorial plate with a picture of the church in the center. Very limited number remain.

Record, 33-1/3 rpm, Central City Jazz Festival 1978 \$5.95

Recording of the 1978 Central City Jazz Festival. Rare!

Tin Ceiling Tiles \$25.00

24” x24” tin ceiling tiles from the 1876 Mellor Block on Lawrence Street in Central City. Tile conditions vary. Some have dents and holes.

Cross-stitch project – A 6-1/2” x 4-1/2” cross-stitch kit project of the Central City Opera House. Includes instructions, color photograph, backing, building history, needle and thread. \$19.95

Postcards – a large selection of various subjects and views are available. \$0.50 each.

Copy of an engraving of St. Mary’s Catholic Church, Central City by Jean Moody. 4-1/2” x 6-1/2”. Matted \$10.00

Copy of an engraving of Black Hawk by Jean Moody. 9-1/2” x 7-1/2”. Matted \$15.00

12 Mounted mineral specimens from Central City, Colorado \$14.95