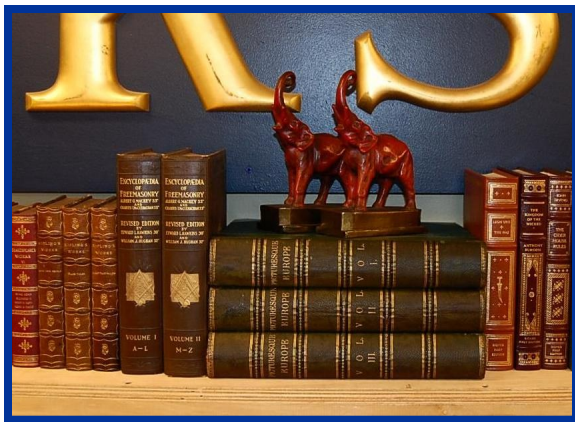




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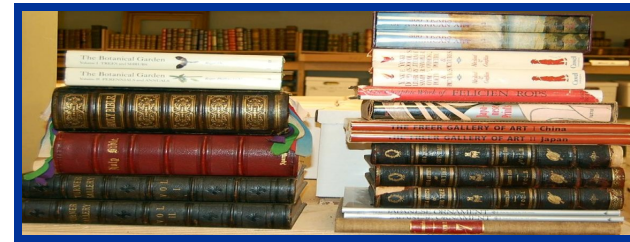
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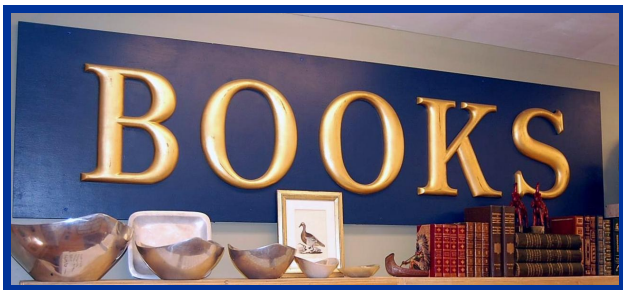
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- ♦ Ephemera (miscellaneous paper items)
- ♦ Stamps and coins
- ♦ Old correspondence, manuscripts, etc.
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