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This Week's Window.

Kid's Books.

Who hasn't waxed emotional over kid's books they read years ago and want to share them with today's generation?

In this week's window we've got plenty of children's books. Some are classics. One is by Rosemary Sutcliffe, who wrote the wonderful *Eagle of the Ninth*, which

concerned the humiliation of the Ninth Roman Legion which marched into the mists of Northumbria when the Romans still occupied Britain and lost their regimental standard, an eagle. And we've plenty of more contemporary titles too, including some *Star Wars* classics and plenty of humour.

Rare Books.

How could we be self-respecting booksellers if we didn't have some rare and collectable?

Some of these titles include:

- ☞ *A Bibliography of Printing Maori to 1900.* Herbert W. Williams. 1975.
- ☞ *Maungarei: an outline history of the Mt Wellington, Panmure and Tamaki Districts.*

K.M. Holloway. 1962.

- ☞ *Charleston: Its Rise and Decline.* Irwin Faris. 1980.
- ☞ *New Zealand Jade.* Russell J. Beck. 1984.
- ☞ *Unearthing New Zealand.* Michael Trotter and Beverley McColloch. 1989.

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Gold.

Finally, we've one book on gold prospecting for the amateur. It's *Panning and Prospecting for Beginners* and it's just \$15.00.

Authored by H.K. Garland, it's in our window and won't last...

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