My friend, Jerry Warrington, is a 25-year cancer survivor. His prolonged chemo has resulted in sight damage. As a writer, he needs his sight to continue earning a living. As an avid outdoorsman – fly fisher and hunter – he needs his sight for his psyche. He needs an eye operation.

I order to raise funds for an eye operation he is selling some items from his days afield (see attached list). It’s an opportunity for you to obtain some fine books and other sporting equipment at incredible prices.

Email me with the item numbers, you’re name, phone number and email address, and I’ll reserve them for you. When you pay me, I’ll get the items; when I receive the items, we will arrange pickup/delivery.

Time is of the essence, so this needs to be done quickly. Email me for another copy of the list, if you would be willing to share the list with others.

Order deadline is Oct 31st; payment due at time of order; delivery at the next meeting, pick up at my home, or as otherwise arranged. For any orders placed after Oct 31st, I will try to deliver before Christmas, or as soon as I can.

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BOOKS: Hunting, Shooting and Fly-Fishing

1. *POT LUCK* BY ROLAND CLARK– COUNTRYMAN PRESS, 1945. The book has faded with age, but is in good overall shape. Not a bad addition to the library shelves. Ok, it’s more duck hunting than anything else. Still a good book. **$10**


3. *SPANISH BEST: THE FINE SHOTGUNS OF SPAIN* BY TERRY WIELAND. If you’re a fancier of good shotguns, and especially those of Spain - Aya, Grulla, et al - this is an in-depth look at the history and lore of Spanish gun-making. A great read and outstanding reference material. The book is in excellent, “as new” condition. **$15**


5. NICK LYONS LIBRARY OF BOOKS—most signed and inscribed... ----- Chad McFall -----

   **FULL CREEEL**: paperback, signed and inscribed.
   **THE SEASONABLE ANGLER**: paperback, signed and inscribed.
   **A FLY FISHER'S WORLD**: hardcover, not signed.
   **BRIGHT RIVERS**: paperback, signed and inscribed.
   **CONFESSIONS OF A FLY FISHING ADDICT**: paperback, signed and inscribed.
   **FISHERMAN'S BOUNTY**: paperback, signed and inscribed. One corner a bit curled. Needs weight on it to flatten it out again.
   **SPRING CREEK**: hardcover, not signed.

   Will sell as a set for **$45**. Most all books are in very good+ to excellent condition!

6. WILLIAM SCHALDACH'S *THE WIND ON YOUR CHEEK*, published by freshet press. Dj good+, book very nice. Trout and upland bird hunting at its best. Schaldach titles are getting harder and harder to find these day. **$20**

7. THREE NAFC TROUT & SALMON BOOKS-- *ALL ABOUT TROUT, MODERN FLY FISHING, AND SALMON COAST TO COAST*. Very good+ condition with navy blue hardcovers. **$10** for the set of three books.

8. *AN HONEST ANGLER: THE BEST OF SPARSE GREY HACKLE*-- as the name implies, this compilation highlights some of the finest works written by one of angling's best authors- Sparse Grey Hackle. Like Robert Traver's trout pairing- *Trout Madness* and *Trout Magic* -a copy of An Honest Angler belongs in every fly-fisherman's library. Excellent, as new with an unbroken binding-. **$20**

9. *SPINNERS* BY SYLVESTER NEMES. HC, signed and in excellent, “as new” condition. **$15**

10. *WHERE THE POOLS ARE BRIGHT AND DEEP* BY DANA S. LAMB. Dust jacket intact and in very good+ condition. **$25**
11. **TROUT MADNESS & TROUT MAGIC** by the late Robert Traver, aka his Honorable John D. Voelker. He was perhaps one of the most talented and gifted writers of the last 50 years. His observations about trout fishing and the angling life were always spot on and timelessly classic. Reading his collected works continues to be the best pre-season, in season and post-season approaches to any trout season, especially a Michigan trout season. Both books in very good condition with very nice dust jackets firmly intact – $35 for the pair. ----- Roy Hawk ----- 

12. **THE ART OF FLY FISHING** BY PAUL FERSON & MARGOT PAGE: On its cover, *The Art Of Fly Fishing* is called out as the “illustrated history of rods, reels and favorite flies.” One glance inside this book leaves one looking for the best local trout stream!! “the art...” Is a folio-style book, one well suited for showcasing the outstanding photography, as well as some really exceptional writing. In short, it’s a keeper for adding to the collection. The book is in great condition, and is a steal at $12

13. **BROOK TROUT** BY NICK KARAS: It is called “a thorough look at North America’s great native trout- its history, biology and angling possibilities.” Hardcover book in excellent, “as new” condition. $12

14. **WHAT THE TROUT SAID** BY DATUS PROPER: Considered by many to be among the classics in books that have tackled the subjects of “the design of trout flies and other mysteries.” This revised and augmented edition takes Proper’s original work and only makes it better. Hardcover book, very good condition: $20 ----- Pete Yeomans ----- 

15. **TROUT FLIES, PROVEN PATTERNS** BY GARY LAFONTAINE: Softcover edition in “as new” condition. Binding has never been broken, as I have duplicate copies. $15

16. **THE DRY FLY, NEW ANGLES** BY GARY LAFONTAINE: Softcover edition in “as new” condition with unbroken bindings. $15

17. **THE ART OF THE TROUT FLY** BY JUDITH DUNHAM. Softcover edition in excellent shape. Provides a detailed look at the work of a variety of excellent fly-tyers. $15

18. **GREAT FISHING TACKLE CATALOGS OF THE GOLDEN AGE** BY MELNAR AND KESSLER. Softcover edition in fine shape. $15

19. **A RIVER SEEN RIGHT** BY MICHAEL BAUGHMAN. Hardcover book with fine dust jacket and in excellent overall condition. A fine piece of writing by a solid angling writer. $15

20. **THE PRACTICAL FLY TIER** BY ROYCE DAM: hardcover edition of this classic work. An excellent book for a beginner or an experienced tier. Dj very good+ and book excellent. $20

21. **BIG TROUT** BY BERNIE TAYLOR. Softcover edition of a solid book on *hunting big trout*. The psychology involved in targeting big fish is intriguing, and not as difficult as one may think. A great primer on going after the fish you seldom see outside of the “hex” hatches... $15

22. **STREAMER FLY TYING AND FISHING** BY JOSEPH D. BATES, JR. A hardcover edition of this timeless classic from the mind of one Joe Bates. That he knew is fly-fishing is beyond question,
as are his findings and expertise in tying and fishing streamers. Dust jacket good, with the book very good. $25

23. A FLY FISHER'S ILLUSTRATED DICTIONARY BY DARREL MARTIN. It doesn't matter how long one is immersed in the game of fly fishing, sooner or later, a question arises, one that we sometimes feel foolish in asking. No more. This softcover offering by Darrel Martin goes a long way toward supplying no shortage of insights into the world of angling with a fly. This book also makes a great gift for those just getting into the sport. It is in excellent+ condition. $15

24. CATSKILL RIVERS BY AUSTIN M. FRANCIS. By most, the rivers of the Catskill mountains are considered the birthplace of American fly fishing. And, rightly so. There is history aplenty among the woodlands and waters of the Catskill region, integral pieces in the early puzzle that has evolved into the sport known as fishing with a fly. Book "as new" $18

25. CLASSIC SALMON FLIES– HISTORY AND PATTERNS BY MIKAEL FRODIN. If you've an interest in the classic salmon flies, this book will make a solid addition to your tying library. It is a softcover edition in "as new" condition. Plenty of photos... $20

26. THE ANGLER'S BAMBOO BY LUIS MARDEN. If you know books on bamboo fly rods, then you're well aware of the strengths of Marden's book on The Angler's Bamboo. Book and dust jacket are in "as new" condition. $25

27. SPLITTING CANE BY ED ENGLE. It's sub-titled as "conversations with cane rod builders," and the book is an insightful look at the art and the craft through the words of those whose hands still work their magic. An excellent book in “as new” condition, with dj. $25

28. HANDCRAFTING BAMBOO FLY RODS BY WAYNE CATTANACH. This big softcover edition is a "must have" book for any bamboo lover's library. Whether you've ever entertained the idea of building bamboo rods or not, one thing is crystal clear in this book—Wayne Cattanach knows his stuff. “as new” condition —$25——— Rufus King -----

29. NEVERSINK BY LEONARD WRIGHT, JR. If you’re looking for an excellent book on the Neversink, a reader can do little better than the works of Leonard J. Wright, Jr. This hardcover edition is in “as new” condition with an unbroken binding. $20

30. A MODERN DRY-FLY CODE BY VINCENT MARINARO. A hardcover edition of another timeless classic. The dust jacket is very good+, and the book is vg+ to Excellent. $25

31. HILL COUNTRY BY GENE HILL. Twice signed and once inscribed by one of the finest outdoor writers in recent or past history, this limited edition of the late Gene Hill's work is a joy to read for any sportsman. Slipcased and in fine+ condition, it was produced by the national sporting fraternity some years ago, and is now becoming increasingly difficult to find in any condition. $100 (includes a hand-written letter from Gene on Field & Stream stationery, and one of Gene Hill's pipes as well.)

32. A GALLERY OF WATERFOWL AND UPLAND BIRDS BY DAVID MAASS AND GENE HILL. Of the artists and writers who defined a generation or two of art-loving bird hunters, few did it with the ease of David Maass and Gene Hill. David Maass could paint anything that sported feathers, and Gene Hill could capture a moment and make it every man's in the span of a few book pages.
Both have long been acknowledged as talented to the extreme, and time has done little to change those opinions. A GALLERY...is a mix of the best of both worlds—the artwork of David Maass coupled with the insightful observations of the late Gene Hill. This trade edition is signed and inscribed by Gene. The dust jacket is good+ with the book rated as being in excellent condition. $60


33. An 8’7” hollow-built 4/5 wt. Bamboo fly rod by Dave Norling. It is a two-piece rod with three tip sections, a sliding-band reel seat, hook keeper, ferrule plug, divided rod bag and aluminum tube. The rod has been well cared for since being built in 2006. Asking price is $775, plus shipping. Valued at over $1,200.

34. Scientific Anglers Sharkskin wf-4-f fly line- 4-wt. line. No box and removed from the spool, but never loaded onto a fly reel. The line is new and unused. $50 (retail is $100)

35. Scientific Anglers Sharkskin wf 5 f fly line—5 wt. Line. Again, no box and removed from the spool for hanging. Line was never loaded onto a reel. As new and unused. $50 ----- Chad McFall -----

36. Scientific Anglers Experimental Mastery Trout wf-4-f: this line is still spooled on the SA spool that calls it out as an “experimental sample.” These lines were the last stop before the all-out production run. Orange in color, new and never loaded on a reel. $15

37. Scientific Anglers Experimental Mastery Trout wf 5 f: same as above, only in a 5 wt. Line. $15

----- Dudley Shumate -----

38. Three “as new” brass Hardy zingers. Nicely made and unused. They were never mounted to a fly vest. $12 per zinger, or $30 for the set of three. ----- Roy Hawk -----

39. Brass flex-lite- still the original, and still the best. Flex-lite vest lights have been around awhile, and this brass model has long been held in reserve for when my original flex-lite wears out. It doesn’t appear as though that will happen anytime soon. Mint condition and never carried- $15.

40. 700+ assorted Daiichi & Partridge of Redditch English fly hooks in a variety of sizes and styles. Mostly dry fly hooks, with some hopper and nymph hooks. 50 of each size unless otherwise noted—and loaded in a labeled 21-compartment “oregonizer” hook box. $80 (less than 50% of the replacement value). The sizes are as follows: ----- Rufus King -----

“tde”= turned down eye; “se” is straight eye

50- #22 4x-fine forged Redditch bend, tde
50- #10 4x-fine forged Redditch bend, 1x-long, tde
50- #12 4x-fine forged Redditch bend, 1x-long, tde
100- #18, Partridge #e1a, tde
100- #22, Partridge #e1a, tde
50- #18 4x fine forged Redditch bend, 1x-long, tde
50- #20 4x fine forged Redditch bend, 1x-long, tde
50- #14 Partridge forged parachute hook, se
25- #12 Daiichi model #1182 trad. Dry fly hook. Tde
25- #14 Daiichi model #1182 trad. Dry fly hook- tde
25- #16 Daiichi model #1182 trad. Dry fly hook- tde
25- #20 Daiichi model #1182 trad. Dry fly hook- tde
25- #12 Daiichi model #1190 barbless dry fly hook- tde
25- #14 Daiichi model #1190 barbless dry fly hook- tde
25- #16 Daiichi model #1190 barbless dry fly hook- tde
45- #2 Daiichi model #2722 wide gape stinger hook- se

41. One 12-compartment box of *Spirit River nymph blend dubbing* - colors range from black to golden, and all shades in-between. $10

42. Three 12-compartment boxes of *Spirit River fine dry dubbing* - colors range from yellow to olive, tan, brown and grey, and black to creamy white. Sold as a set at $25.

43. Patch from the 1991 Jackson Hole One Fly Competition. Patch was never sewn onto a vest or jacket and is in mint, “as new” condition. A highly sought-after collectible piece--$15

44. Michigan angling pins- the 2004 pin of the Michigan Fly Fishing Club, easily one of their best-looking pins yet. It features a leaping trout in gold on a brown oval background, with the club name below. Also have another Michigan Fly Fishing Club pin. This one is in mint condition as well. It has a red border with the lettering in gold, and a center insert with a map of the state crossed by a fly rod, trout and fly. Pins are as new and still in their original plastic bags. $20 for the pair...

45. T&T Rod Company pin, the one that’s been called “the bamboo pin.” Still in its plastic bag and unworn. Not commonly available anymore- $15

46. One pin commemorating the International Fly Fishing Center in 1986: The back of the pin is engraved with the following: #330/750. Its availability was very limited. It needs a little cleaning, but the pin is in very good condition. $15

47. Five misc. Fly fishing pins, all still in their plastic bags and in “as new” condition. Any of them would dress up an angler’s collection and fly-fishing vest or hat. $12 for the group.

48. Collectible H.G. “Tap” Tapply Fly- H.G. Tapply was a legend in his own right. His son, author William Tapply, was kind enough to tie one of his dad’s “tried and true” bass flies. This was one of Tap’s favorites- a deer-hair bumble-bee. It’s never been fished nor out of its storage container. $8.

49. Collectible fly no. 2- Frank Matarelli’s hand-crafted fly-tying tools are some of the best on the market. So are the flies that he ties for competition. You won’t find many of Frank’s flies floating around the internet- $8.

50. Orvis “Record Catch Club” catch-and-release pin with leaping Orvis trout. New and still in the bag- $25
HUNTING STUFF:

51. Old Orvis leather lanyard with bird counters mounted on each side and a black dog whistle at the end. Still looks new, since it's never been taken afield. $15

52. Rosewood or oak and brass two-piece shotgun-cleaning rod– English made, with threaded end for barrel brushes, barrel swabs and the like. Excellent condition– $18

53. Rosewood or oak and brass three-piece shotgun cleaning rod– same as above. Excellent condition– $22

54. Assorted English brass cleaning attachments– standard brass barrel brush, slotted cloth reamer, another for smaller bore, and large cotton oiling swab. $20

55. One 30-year old can of Holland & Holland Rangoon oil unused, unopened and in absolutely mint condition with the old H&H label. Made in England. $10

56. One 30-year old can of Holland & Holland “Nevarust” gun oil. Can remains sealed and unused, and in mint condition. No rust or wrinkling to the old H&H black label. Made in England. $10

57. One 30-year old can of Lightwood Ltd. Rangoon oil. Made in England and this can is also unopened and unused. Some wrinkling to the dark green label, otherwise mint condition. $8

58. One box of H&H shotgun-cleaning patches. Cardboard box in excellent condition with all black labeling sharp and intact, and unopened. 25 cloth patches. Made in England. $10

59. One box of unknown cloth shotgun patches from England. Box in decent shape and unopened/unused. Also marked made in England. $8

English shotshells:

60. Lyalvale Express Competition– three boxes of 25 each., 2-1/2" cartridges, 7/8 ounce of no. 7-1/2 shot shells in 16 gauge. Complete with English markings. Boxes in good shape. Excellent English grouse and woodcock loads. $10/box.

61. Lyalvale Express– one box of 25 16-gauge, 2-1/2" cartridges of one ounce, no. 6 shot. Box not in great shape. Shells are perfect, however. Great English pheasant or grouse load. $8

62. Eley Grand Prix– one box of 25 English 16-gauge, 2/1/2" game cartridges in no. 6 shot. Box in decent shape, cartridges new and excellent. $10

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