# Collecting the Vanishing Collectable

Global Headaches and Long Arms

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# Background Leading to a Prediction

- 1. Approval Plans: A Germ-like Spread
  - They Change The Environment of Collection Practice
- 2. The International Market
  - Changes The Scope and Environment of Approval Plans
- Technology: Changing Practices and Growing the Market

## 1. A Brief, Limited History

- Approvals in the United States and Canada
- For YBP, Approvals in Hong Kong
- Slips in Australia, New Zealand
- Slips in Europe and the Middle East
- Slips in Mexico
- Slips Worldwide (eg. Ghana, Pakistan, Malaysia, the Philippines)

# 2. The International Environment Changes Approval Plans

- The Importance of Origin Becomes
   Vanishingly Important
- The Usual Infrastructure (Library Selector)
   Is Rare
- Old Practices Hold Sway

## Global Collection Strategies

- None at All
- Organized Faculty Selection
- From "Just in Case" to "Just in Time"
- Approval Plans? Not Really

# 2. The Globalization of Approval Material

- From U.S. Only to North American to UK
- To World English Material That Is
  - Difficult to Identify
  - Hard to Collect Helpful Information About
  - Tricky to Acquire
- Marketing Outside Their Regions Is Hard For Publishers

### African Books: Ghana

Title: ENVIRONMENT, INFORMAL SECTOR AND FACTOR MARKETS.

Author: BAAH-NUAKOH, AMOAH

Publisher: WOELI PUBLISHING SERVICES Place of Publication: ACCRA, GHANA

Pub Year: 2003 Pagination: 317 P.

Binding: Paper

Volume: 2

Series Title: STUDIES ON THE GHANAIAN ECONOMY.

Series Vol: 2 Series Type: Numbered Series

Series ID: 504704

LC Class: HC1060 Content Level: ADV-AC

LC Subject Headings: 1. GHANA--ECON. CONDIT. 2. ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS--GHANA.

Approval Note: AFRICAN BOOKS, AUTH: UNIV. OF GHANA.

Interdisciplinary Topics: Black Studies; Environmental; Economic

Geographic Focus: Ghana; Africa

Country of Origin: Africa

ISBN: 9964978936
US List: Not Known
UK List: £18.95 GBP

Handled on Approval L&H: 18/02/2004 Last Received L&H: 24/02/2004

Net: £18.95 GBP

🔂 Library Note: add...

none

# African Books: Nigeria

Title: GOVERNMENT BUDGETING IN NIGERIA: PRINCIPLES, POLICIES AND PRACTICES.

Author: OMOPARIOLA, OLUFIDIPE

Publisher: OBAFEMI AWOLOWO UNIV PR Place of Publication: ILE-IFE, NIGERIA

Pub Year: 2003 Pagination: 222 P.

Binding: Paper

LC Class: HJ2184.7 Content Level: ADV-AC

LC Subject Headings: BUDGET--NIGERIA.

Approval Note: AFRICAN BOOKS.

Interdisciplinary Topics: Political; Economic; Contemporary Social; Public Policy

Geographic Focus: Nigeria; Africa

Country of Origin: Africa

ISBN: 978136131X US List: Not Known UK List: £18,95 GBP

Handled on Approval L&H: 18/02/2004 Last Received L&H: 24/02/2004

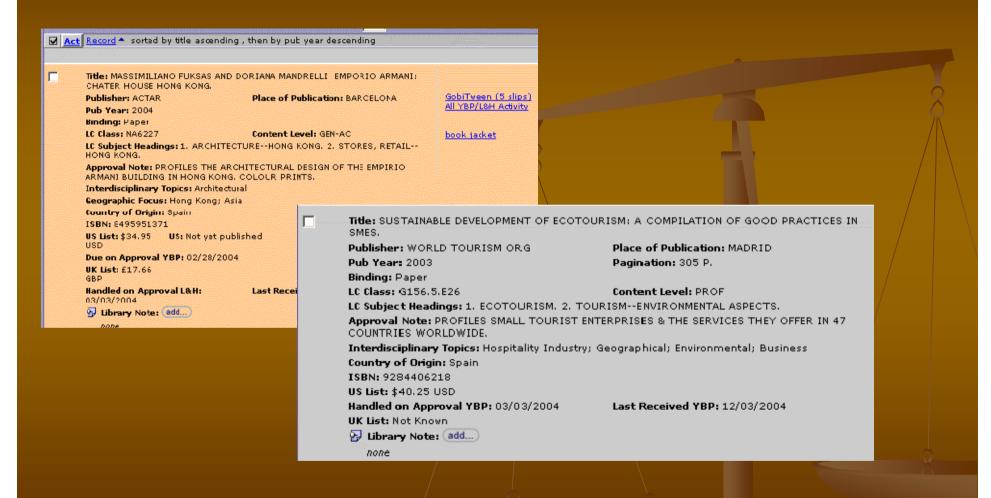
Net: £18.95 GBP

🔂 Library Note: add...

none

Slip Date: 18/02/2004 Subacct.: 1562-74 Fund: 1H1-136

# Europe: Spain



# Europe: Germany

Title: GOOFY LIFE OF CONSTANT MOURNING.

Author: DINE, JIM, 1935-

Publisher: STEIDL Place of Publication: GOTTINGEN

Pub Year: 2004 Pagination: 270 P.

Binding: Cloth

LC Class: N6537.D5 Content Level: GEN-AC

LC Subject Headings: 1. ART, AMERICAN--20TH CENT. 2. DINE, JIM, 1935-.

Approval Note: RECENT TEXT-BASED WORK OF AMERICAN POP ARTIST. 8.5"

X 10" IN SLIPCASE.

Interdisciplinary Topics: Art

Geographic Focus: US

Country of Origin: Germany

ISBN: 388243967X

US List: \$80.00 US: Not yet published

USD

UK List: £48.00

**GBP** 

Handled on Approval L&H: Last Received L&H: 02/23/2004

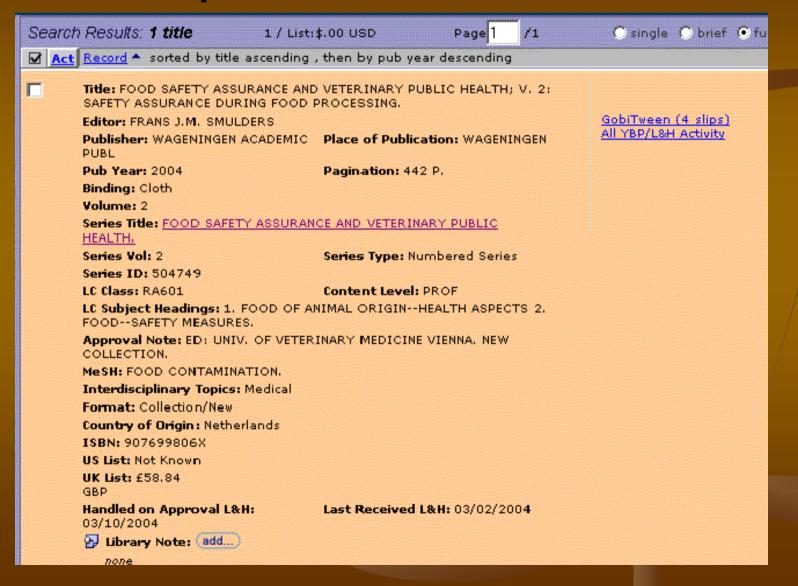
03/03/2004

☑ Library Note: add....

GobiTween (4 slips) All YBP/L&H Activity

book jacket

# Europe: The Netherlands



# Europe: Switzerland

Title: BUSINESS & BIODIVERSITY: THE HANDBOOK FOR CORPORATE ACTION.

Publisher: WORLD CONSERVATION UNION

Place of Publication: GLAND

Pub Year: 2002

Pagination: 56 P.

Binding: Paper

Content Level: PROF

LC Class: QH75

LC Subject Headings: 1. BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY CONSERVATION, 2. SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMEN

Approval Note: GUIDEBOOK INCL. CD-ROM. CO-PUB W/WORLD BUSINESS COUN. FOR

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOP. & EARTHWATCH EURO.

Interdisciplinary Topics: Environmental; Business

Aspects: Practical

Country of Origin: Switzerland

ISBN: 2940240280

US List: \$25.00 USD US: In Stock

Handled on Approval YBP: 18/02/2004

Last Received YBP: 12/03/2004

UK List: Not Known

🔂 Library Note: (add...)

none

# Far East: Singapore

Title: ASEAN: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND COOPERATION.

Author: TAN, GERALD

Publisher: EASTERN UNIVERSITIES PR Place of Publication: SINGAPORE

Pub Year: 2003 Pagination: 361 P.

Binding: Paper Edition: 3RD ED.

LC Class: HC441 2003 Content Level: ADV-AC

LC Subject Headings: ASIA, SOUTHEASTERN--ECON. CONDIT.

Approval Note: AUTH: FLINDERS UNIVERSITY, DISCUSSES EVOLUTION OF ASEAN INCLUDING ITS

INCREASING ROLE IN WORLD TRADE

Interdisciplinary Topics: Asian Studies; Economic; Contemporary Social

Format: New Edition

Geographic Focus: Southeast Asia

Country of Origin: Singapore

ISBN: 9812102574

US List: \$26.00 USD US: Low Stock Handled on Approval YBP: 18/02/2004

UK List: Not Known

🔂 Library Note: (add...)

none

Last Received YBP: 12/03/2004

### New Zealand

Title: ULTIMA THULE.

Author: GRAHAM, JOHN

**Publisher: HAZARD PRESS** 

Pub Year: 2004

Binding: Paper

LC Class: PR9639.3.G714

Approval Note: COLLECTION OF NEW POETRY.

Format: Collection/New

Literary Type: Poetry

Geographic Focus: Oceania; New Zealand

Country of Origin: New Zealand

ISBN: 1877270598

US List: \$16.95 USD US: In Stock

Handled on Approval YBP: 10/03/2004

UK List: Not Known

Library Note: (add....)

none

Place of Publication: CHRISTCHURCH

Pagination: 43 P.

Content Level: GEN-AC

Last Received YBP: 03/03/2004

### Australia

Title: NATIVE ANTHROPOLOGY: THE JAPANESE CHALLENGE TO WESTERN ACADEMIC HEGEMONY.

Author: KUWAYAMA, TAKAMI

Publisher: TRANS PACIFIC PRESS Place of Publication: MELBOURNE

Pub Year: 2004

Binding: Cloth

Series Title: JAPANESE SOCIETY SERIES.

Series Type: Unnumbered Series

**Series ID:** 47037

LC Class: GN46.J3

Content Level: ADV-AC

Pagination: 184 P.

LC Subject Headings: 1, ANTHROPOLOGY--JAPAN, 2, ANTHROPOLOGY-- PHILOSOPHY,

Approval Note: AUTH: HOKKAIDO UNIVERSITY, DISCUSSES POSITION OF "NATIVES" IN "WORLD

SYSTEM" OF ANTHROPOLOGY.

Interdisciplinary Topics: Asian Studies; Philosophical; Anthropological

Geographic Focus: Asia; Japan Country of Origin: Australia

ISBN: 1876843829

US List: \$69.95 USD US: In Stock

Handled on Approval YBP: 10/03/2004

Last Received YBP: 02/03

UK List: Not Known

☑ Library Note: (add...)

none

PHY. FES" IN "WORLD

Title: PREDATORS WITH POUCHES: THE BIOLOGY OF CARNIVOROUS MARSUPIALS

Editor: MENNA JONES

Publisher: CSIRO PUBLISHING

Pub Year: 2003

Binding: Cloth

LC Class: QL737.M3P74 2003

Content Level: ADV-AC

Pagination: 486 P.

LC Subject Headings: 1. MARSUPIALS--AUSTRALASIA. 2. MARSUPIALS-- WESTERN HEMISPHERE. Approval Note: NON-RET. ED: AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY. BASED ON A SYMPOSIUM HELD

IN 1999.

Interdisciplinary Topics: Science
Format: Conference Monograph 2+

Country of Origin: Australia

ISBN: 0643066349 US List: \$166.50 USD LCCN: 2003-447386

NON-RETURN/NON-CANCEL YBP

Last Received YBP: 18/02/2004

Place of Publication: COLLINGWOOD

Handled on Approval YBP: 03/03/2004

**UK List:** Not Known

Library Note: add...

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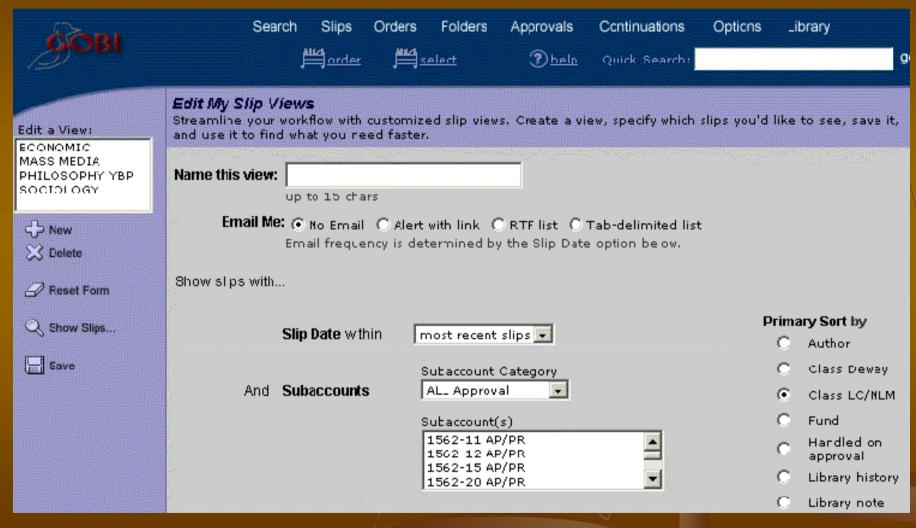
## Direction of Approval Plan Buying

- Far More Comprehensive And Global
- Driven By Online Transactions
  - Electronic Notification Slips
  - Better Online Information

# 3. A Compelling Strategy and Changing Technology

- Information About New Books All In One Place, Reliable, Aimed, Described
- The Next Generation of Wholesaler Online Databases (I-Approve, Gobi2)
- "Selectors" Can Be Faculty or Librarians,
   Can Reside Anywhere
- The Fully Electronic Notification Plan

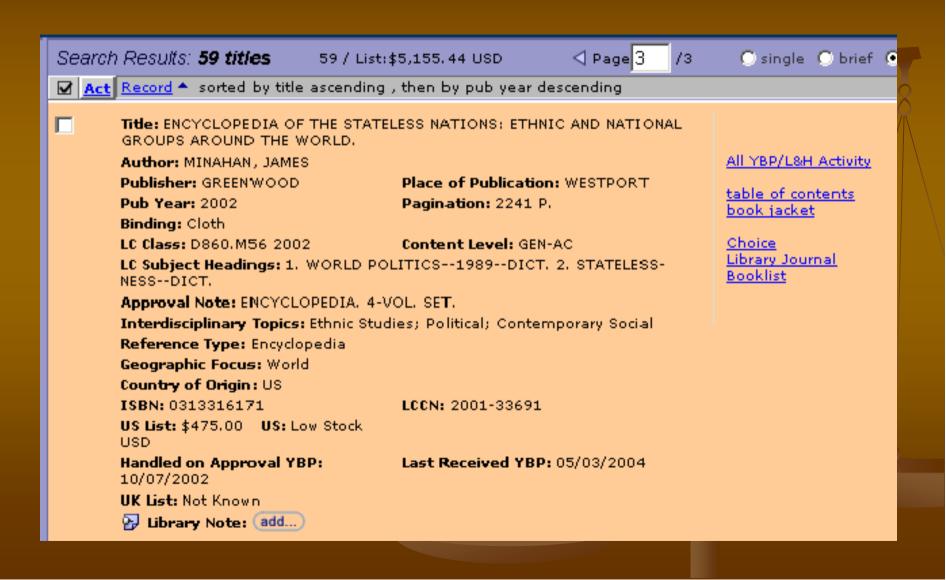
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- No Profiling Session; Write Your Own Plan

### More, Better Information



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  - In Effect, Compared with Automatic Books, E-Slips Can Mean Only a One-Week Delay in the Arrival of a Book Anywhere in the World
  - The Imprimatur of Sister Libraries

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#### Profilers' Picks

40 Watts from Nowhere: A Journey Into Pirate Radio

Author: Sue Carpenter Publisher: Scribner

Price: \$23.00 Cloth (240 p)

ISBN: 0743229886

40 Watts From Nowhere is a human interest story where the protagonist loses the game, but still gets a lovely consolation prize: the experience of having created a thriving community. A loyal following consisting of the media, musicians, and like-mindec individuals, simply by providing music to a small core of ravenous music lovers. The only problem? It was against the law. The FCC caught up with "Paige Jarrett" and put a stop to her unauthorized distribution of free music. No, this is not the story of yet another copyright infringing youth downloading music for free from the internet. This is the unusual success story of low-power, Pirate Radio in one of America's largest cities, Los Angeles.

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E-STREAMS Vol. 7, No. 1 - January 2004

Engineering—Inventions

2961. Encyclopedia of Modern Everyday Inventions, by David J. Cole, Eve Browning, Fred E. H. Schroeder, Westport, CT, Greenwood Press, 2003, 285p., illus., bibliog., index. ISBN 0-313-31345-8. \$49.95. LC Call no.: T20.C56 2003.

Subjects: Inventions—History—20th Century.

Reviewer: Robert B. Ridinger, Chair, Electronic Information Resources Management, Northern Illinois University Founders Memorial Library, rridinger@niu.edu

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#### Literary Prizes and Awards

Nobel Prize for Literature | Pulitzer Prizes | National Book Awards | Booker Prize | Orange Prize | Whitbread Book Award | Nebula Awards Edcar Allan Poe Awards

> Whitbread Book Award, U.K. (January 2004):

Whitbread First Novel Award: Vernon God Little by DBC Pierre (1841954608)

### The Prediction: CD Worldwide

- Electronic Notification Plans Will Spread Even More Rapidly
  - The UK
- Relatively, Wholesalers Will Give Much More Energy to Describing Books Than to Writing, Revising Profiles
  - Wider, Deeper Coverage of Material from One Vendor
  - Precision of the Plan Matters Less
  - Precise Description Matters More
- Book Plans Convert to Electronic Slip Plans
  - We Become Victims of Our Own Technology
- EBooks, AV Included in the Mix
- From Mine to Ours: The Broadening of Collection Development to Consortia

# Consortial Reports

Consol bought	rtial Results: <b>4288 titles not</b>   4288   List:\$343,134.22   Page 1	/172 D 6 single	C brief	C full
p	Record . corted by title scrending than by nut year descending		Carrier of	
⊏	100: THE WORK THAT CHANGED BRITISH ART.	ELLIS, PATRICIA	Cloth	2003
⊏	1215: THE YEAR OF MAGNA CARTA.	DANZIGER, DANNY	Cloth	2003
匚	2600; A TURNING POINT IN BRITISH HISTORY.	LIE, CHRISTOPHER	Cloth	2000
匚	16TH IEEE SYMPOSIUM ON COMPUTER-BASED MEDICAL SYST	IEEE SYMPOSILM ON CO	Paper	2003
Г	16TH WORKSHOP ON PARALLEL AND DISTRIBUTED SIMULATI	WORKSHOP ON PARALLEL	Paper	2002
⊏	18TH ANNUAL IEEE SYMPOSIUM ON LOGIC IN COMPUTER SC		Paper	2003
⊏	1982, JANINE.	GRAY, A_ASDAIR	Paper	2003
⊏	20 HRS., 40 MIN.: OUR FLIGHT IN THE FRIENDSHIP: TH	EARHART, AMELIA, 189	Paper	2003
⊏	2002 IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ACOUSTICS, S	ICASSP (2002: ORLAND	Paper	2002
С	2002 WORKPLACE DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS SURVEY.	COLLISON, JESSICA	Paper	2002
	2003 IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ACOUSTICS, S	ICASSP (2003: HONG K	Paper	2003
Г	2003 JOBS AND GROWTH TAX ACT.	MCKEEN, GREGORY B	Paper	2003