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## What's happening at rarebooks.info?

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The publisher Rarebooks.info, The Digital Library of Reference Works on Rare Books, continues to expand its subscription base throughout the world. New subscribers include, for the first time, institutions in the Far East. Institutions that subscribe to <a href="https://www.rarebooks.info">www.rarebooks.info</a> now include libraries in the Northern and Southern Hemispheres from Finland to New Zealand and those extending from East to West from Singapore to California. Subscribers include most national libraries, many university research libraries, as well as other public and private libraries throughout the world. The subscription option of Perpetual Access continues to offer an appealing option to new and ongoing subscribers. Michel Demont, CEO of Rarebooks.info states "In today's economic climate, our database emerges as an attractive alternative to the acquisition of expensive bibliographic resources and to travel forthe purpose of consulting hard-to-find reference works."

Officers of rarebooks.info will be available at the New York Antiquarian Book Fair held at the Park Avenue Armory from April 2 to April 5, 2009 to answer questions (Sandra Hindman, Director of International Operations of Rarebooks.info and President of Les Enluminures, Stand A9). Also attending the New York Antiquarian Book Fair, Michel Demont, CEO of Rarebooks.info, states "We continue to be committed to our faithful following of booksellers who recognize the value of the site for describing a book and identifying its rarity from a computer post anywhere in the world."

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