Historical Bibliography in the Digital World

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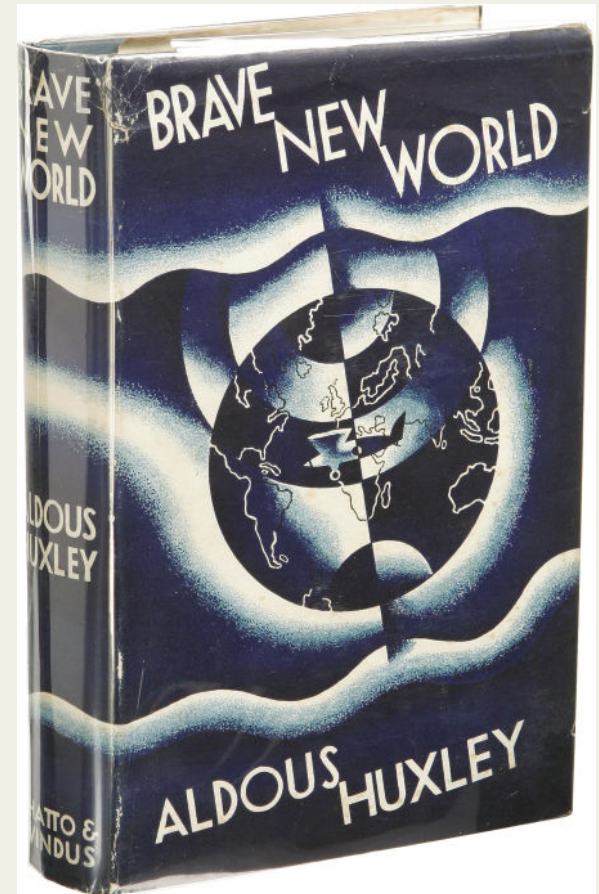@AnneWelsh

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"Flat" Bibliographic Initiatives

- These examples convey bibliographic information via the web, but do not capitalise on the opportunities of the internet age:

    - English Book Owners in the 17th Century

    - John Dee's Library Catalogue. Additions and Corrections.

    - London Book Trades Database

Evolution

- This has evolved from a printed source
  - [Cathedral Libraries Catalogue](#)
- to an online database
  - [CLCi database](#)
- which is also included in larger databases
  - [CERL Heritage of the Printed Book (HPB)](#)
  - [COPAC](#)

British Library Initiatives (selected)

- All these not only provide a starting point for research, but embody traditional bibliographic scholarship within digital "containers":
  - [Incunabula Short Title Catalogue](#)
  - [English Short Title Catalogue](#)
  - [British National Bibliography](#)
    - [BNB in RDF/XML (CC0 1.0 license)](#)
  - [British Library Bindings Database](#)

Watermarks: a Case Study

- [Wasserzeichen des Mittelalters (WZMA)](#)
- [Watermarks in Incunabula in the Low Countries (WILC)](#)
- [Piccard Online](#)
- [Bernstein: the Memory of Paper](#)

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