

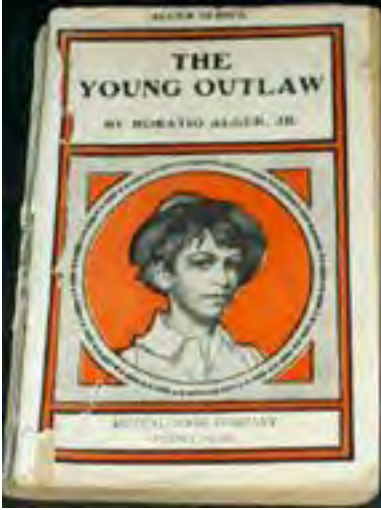
Mutual Book Company

Format M-1: Hatted Boy

Published 1907

31 Alger titles

- Found to date



- The Mutual Company apparently reprinted Trade Publishing Company editions with the Mutual name on the cover and Trade name on the title page

<i>Adrift in New York</i>	<i>Paul, the Peddler</i>
<i>Andy Grant's Pluck</i>	<i>Phil, the Fiddler</i>
<i>Bound to Rise</i>	<i>Ralph Raymond's Heir</i>
<i>Brave and Bold</i>	<i>Risen from the Ranks</i>
<i>The Cash Boy</i>	<i>Sam's Chance</i>
<i>Do and Dare</i>	<i>Shifting for Himself</i>
<i>Driven from Home</i>	<i>Slow and Sure</i>
<i>Facing the World *</i>	<i>The Store Boy</i>
<i>Hector's Inheritance *</i>	<i>Strive and Succeed</i>
<i>Herbert Carter's Legacy</i>	<i>Strong and Steady</i>
<i>In a New World</i>	<i>Tom, the Bootblack</i>
<i>Jack's Ward</i>	<i>Try and Trust</i>
<i>Julius, the Street Boy</i>	<i>Try and Trust</i>
<i>Luke Walton</i>	<i>The Young Acrobat</i>
<i>Only An Irish Boy</i>	<i>The Young Outlaw</i>
	<i>The Young Salesman</i>

The Hatted Boy Format (M-1) shows the Mutual Book Company on the title page as well as on the front cover. The text here is the same as the hard cover Trade copies as it carries the same type blemishes. Since no hard cover books were found which carried the Mutual Company's name on the title page, I conclude that the Mutual Book Company set of thirty-one paperback titles is the only Alger format Mutual produced, hard or soft cover.

Sources

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NOTE: For many of the books in the lists, the color of the binding may vary widely. Overall, the color of the cloth is not as important as what is printed on it. In addition, a book may have the binding of a first edition, but may be missing important points inside.