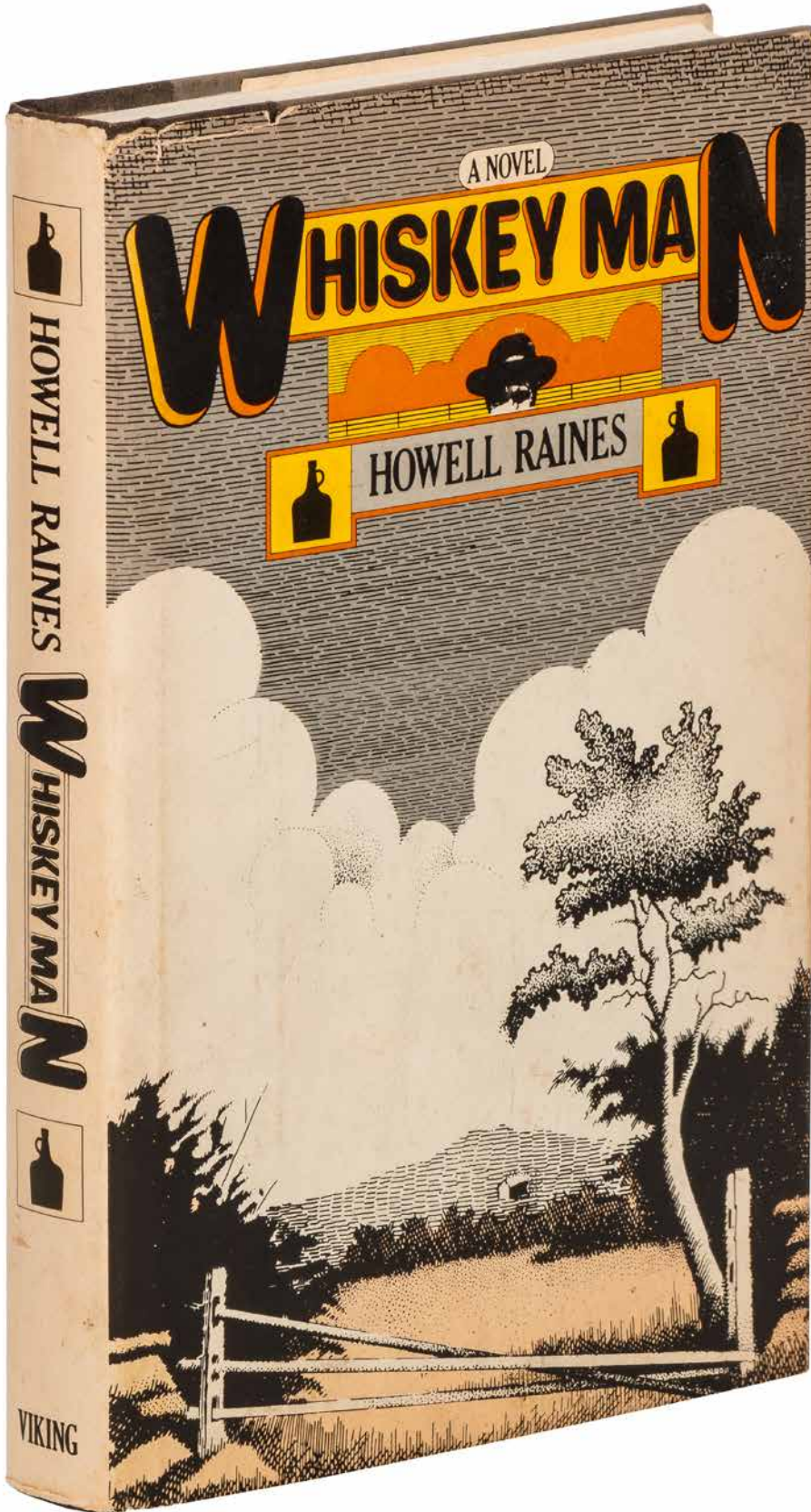


Howell Raines

Whiskey Man

New York: The Viking Press (1977)

\$475



First edition. About fine in very good or better dustwrapper with a couple of tiny nicks and tears. Nicely Inscribed by Raines to African-American author and critic: "For Albert Murray, With admiration for a wonderful writer who makes me see, feel, taste, and hear our home state. Howell Raines. May 1, 1995." Also laid in is an engraved note card with a handwritten note by Raines, in part: "I agree with Skip Gates. You are "dangerous" and also a national resource." the card has a few small stains. Both author's are from Alabama. Murray wrote a splendid book about traveling in the South entitled *South to a Very Old Place*. A great association between two noted Alabama authors. [BTC#421515]

For Albert Murray,
With admiration
for a wonderful writer
who makes me see,
feel, taste and hear
our home state.

Howell Rainier

May 1, 1995

HOWELL RAINES

4-4-96

Dear Albert,

I agree with Skip Gates. You
are "dangerous" and also a
national resource. I'm eager to
hear about your trip to Bham-Southern
when you get back.

All best, Howell