

Announcing Carol Day Story Books #2 - Last of the Line



January 29, 2025 – For our second *Carol Day* Story Book we will be publishing *Last of the Line*, the 13th story, which ran in 1960.

We originally planned to publish *Money Matters* as the second volume, but Roger lost track of several of the scans, so while we hunt those down, we are going forward with *Last of the Line*, an excellent story from the same period as *Money Matters*.

Last of the Line will be the same format as Riverside Racket, our first story book. It will contain the complete story reproduced from the original art in its original size, continuing our founding principle. In addition, we provide a brief introduction.

The art pages will be just like Lance Hallam, Jack Slingsby, and Riverside Racket. Below is a sample.



A few collectors received slightly dinged copies of *Riverside Racket* from some rough handling on their way from the UK. We have taken steps to strengthen the packaging for *Last of the Line*, and we hope we won't see this problem again.

Slipcase Update

The slipcase for these story books is in final production and we should be announcing them in the next few weeks. They should easily be ready for the third story book, that follows *Last of the Line*.

Publication Details

Here are the publication details for Last of the Line:

- Published as a trade Flexibound edition
- Quarterbound with a cloth spine
- Edition limited to pre-orders.
- o 19.25 x 14.25 inches (pages are 19 x 14 inches)
- Printed on acid-free paper
- o 64 pages
 - Contents
- Foreword
- o The Last of the Line Art

Like *Riverside Racket*, *Last of the Line* will only be available through the Book Palace and only by pre-order, so if you'd like a copy, don't hesitate! It is available to order now.

The price for Last of the Line is £149, approximately \$185, plus shipping.

To order, click <u>here</u> to go to the Book Palace ordering page. Pre-orders end on Sunday, March 16, at which time we will set the print run and go to print, shipping to you in Q2.

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