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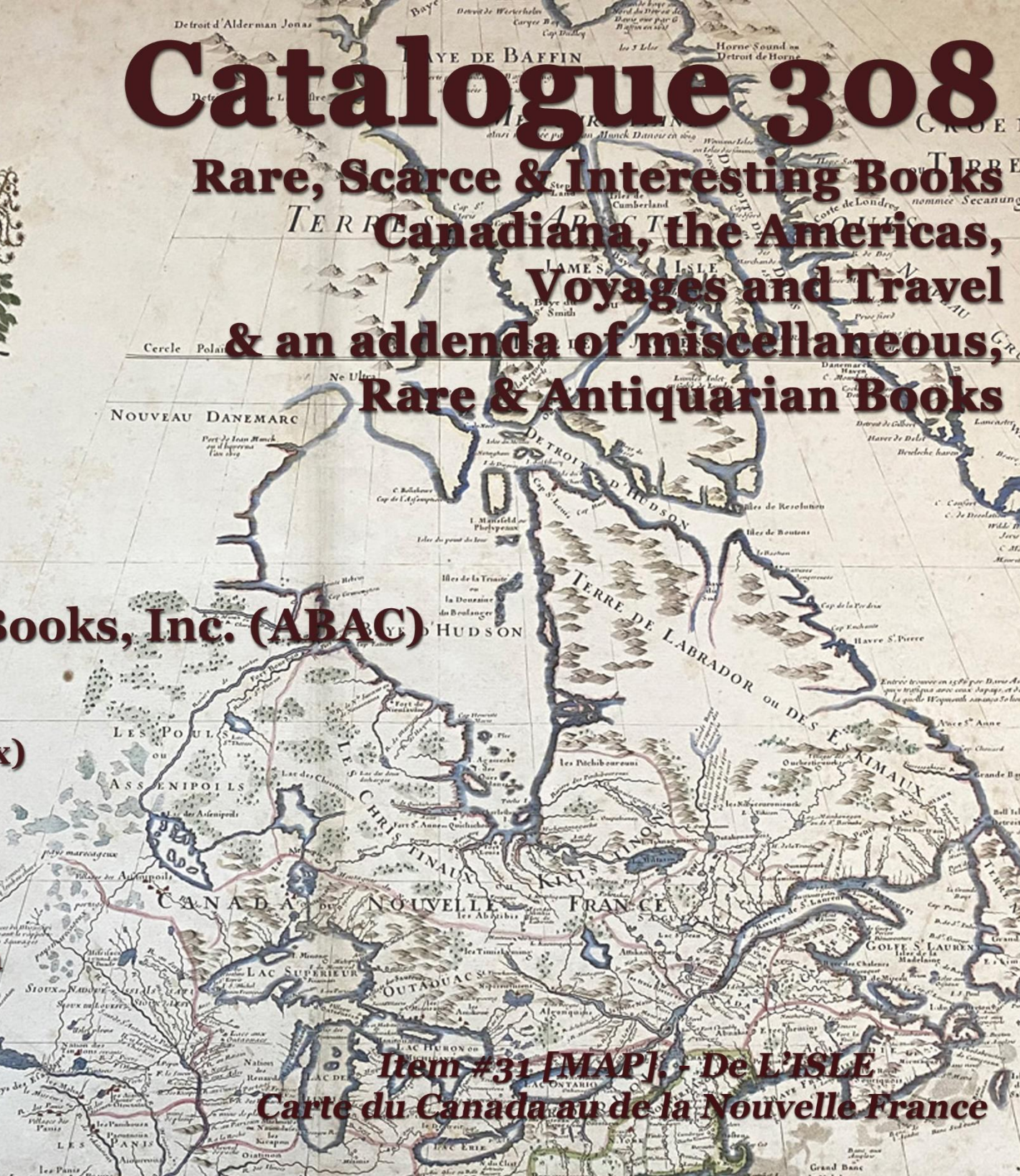
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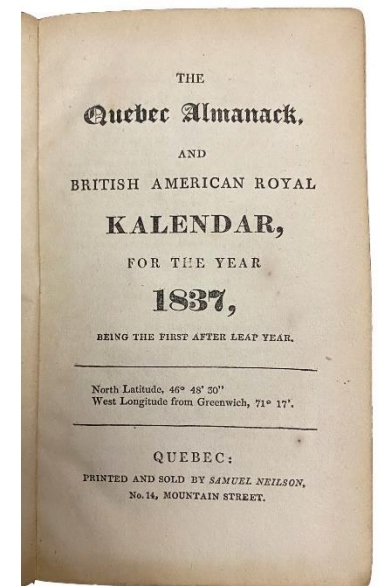
**Item #31 [MAP] - De L'ISLE
Carte du Canada ou de la Nouvelle France**

1. [Almanac].

The Quebec Almanack, and British American Royal Kalendar, for the year 1837, being the first year after leap year. Quebec. Printed and sold by Samuel Neilson. [1836]. 215p., in contemporary full mottled sheep, gilt rules and title on the spine, hinges expertly restored, a fine copy 350.00

T.P.L. 707. All volumes in these annual alamanacks have sections in English and in French. Most of the volumes contain information on astronomy, calendars, remarkable events, courts in Quebec, duties and customs, members of the executive and legislative councils, of the Assembly and government departments, lists of notaries, surgeons, pilots, constables, military organizations and religious and education institutions.

William Brown began printing this valuable compendium in 1780 and after his death in 1789 it was continued by the Neilson family till 1841. It did not appear however in 1781, 1883, 1790, 1793 or 1795. The only collection known to contain all the volumes issued, was burned in the Library of Parliament in Montreal, April 25, 1849.



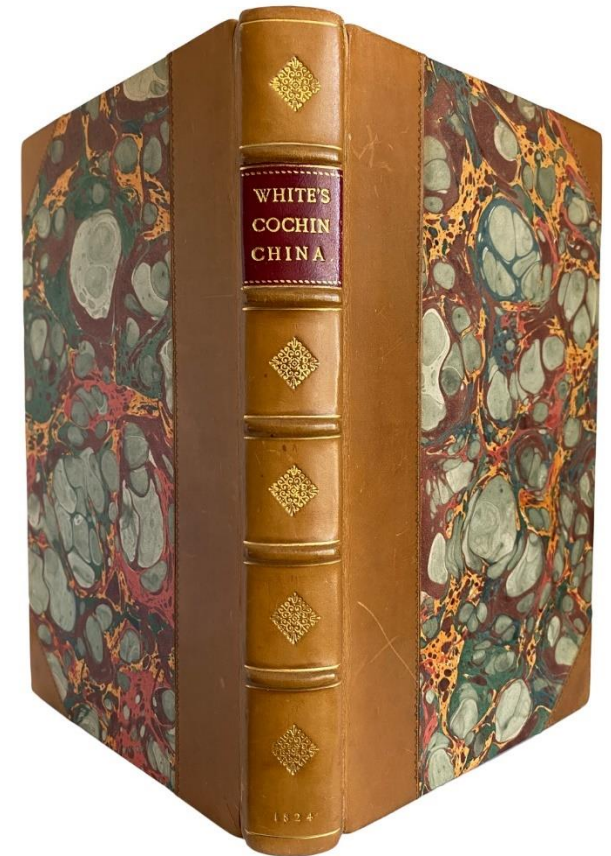
The First Detailed Account of an American's Visit to Vietnam

2. (Americana) - WHITE, John.

A Voyage to Cochin China. London, Longman, Hurst, Rees, Orme, Brown, and Green, 1824. 8vo, 21.5cm, The First London edition. xi,[1],372p., complete with half title, in half tan calf, gilt ruled raised bands, gilt decorations in the panel centers, crushed crimson morocco label, marbled boards, very good to fine copy, rare 1,000.00

Sabin 103411. Cordier. Indosinica 2426. Smith. Am Travellers Abroad, W-65. Hill 1861. Goldsmiths, II:24076. "This was the first American voyage to ascend the Dong Nai River, and the crew spent a considerable amount of time in Saigon (Ho Chi Minh City). Although much of John White's narrative is devoted to Cochin China, its inhabitants and their language, it also contains an abundance of observations on Vietnam and the Vietnamese [he] also discusses Batavia and the Philippines." -(Hill). The first edition was published the previous year in Boston, as "History of a Voyage to the China Sea", and both editions have become quite scarce. - The first detailed- account of an American's visit to Vietnam" [Robert Hopkins Miller. The United States and Vietnam 1787-1941]

Cochinchina is a historical exonym for part of Vietnam, depending on the contexts. Sometimes it referred to the whole of Vietnam, but it was commonly used to refer to the region south of the Gianh River. (Wiki). Note; Webster spells it differently.

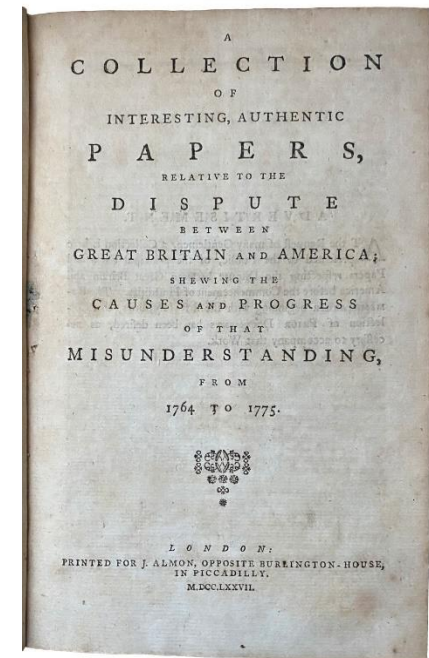
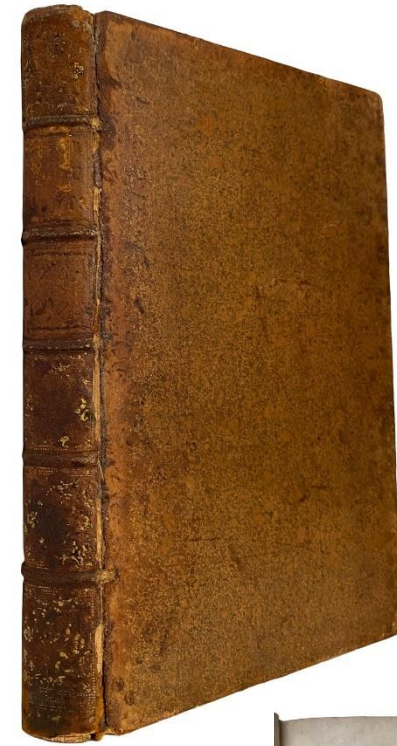


3. (American Revolution) - [ALMON, JOHN].

A Collection of Interesting, Authentic Papers, Relative to the Dispute between Great Britain and America; shewing the Causes and Progress of that Misunderstanding, from 1764 to 1775. London. Printed for J. Almon, **1777**. 8vo, The First Edition. 280,[3],(Index)pp., printed in double columns, light foxing to margins, in contemporary full speckled calf, rear raised bands, spine and gilt stamping is worn, upper hinge starting but secure, wanting labels, neat bookplate & name label on front paste down endpaper, some slight foxing throughout as usual, a very good copy 2,500.00

Sabin 951. Howes A-180. Church V-1141;. Adams American Controversy I: 77-13;. Winsor VIII-498. JCB III-2377. Gephart 3102. - This work is usually referred to by its running title 'Prior Documents,' after the name taken from its running title, it was intended to precede the first volume of Almon's 'Remembrancer, or Impartial Repository of Public Events,' which was published annually from 1775-1784.

It contains a collection of authentic papers on the various questions in dispute, from the resolutions of 1764, which gave rise to the Stamp Act, to the battle of Lexington, in 1775." -(Church) Scarce and important.

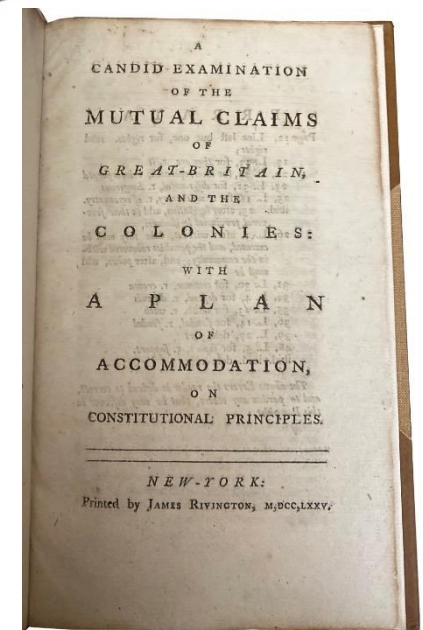


4. (American Revolution) - [GALLOWAY, Joseph]. (1731-1803).

A Candid Examination of the Mutual Claims of Great-Britain and the Colonies: with A Plan of Accommodation, on Constitutional Principles. New-York. Printed by James Rivington. 1775. 8vo, The First Edition, first state (?). 62p, errata printed on verso of title-page, bound in half light brown calf and tan fine grain linen boards, gilt titles along the spine, black ruled borders on the boards, a.e.g., a fine clean copy, rare 4,500.00

Howes G-34. Sabin 26422. Adams, American Independence 164,. Evans 14059. Brinley 4175. Rich I-p214. Gephart Not in Streeter;

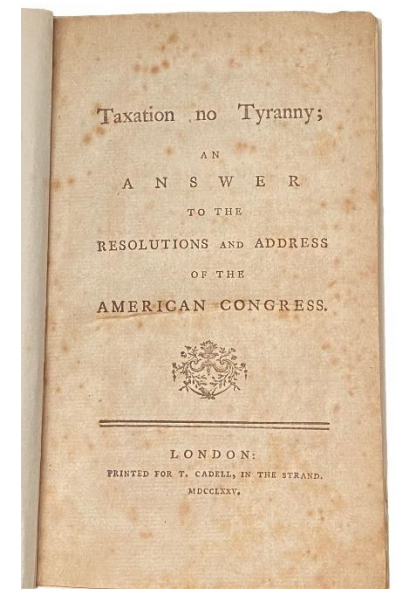
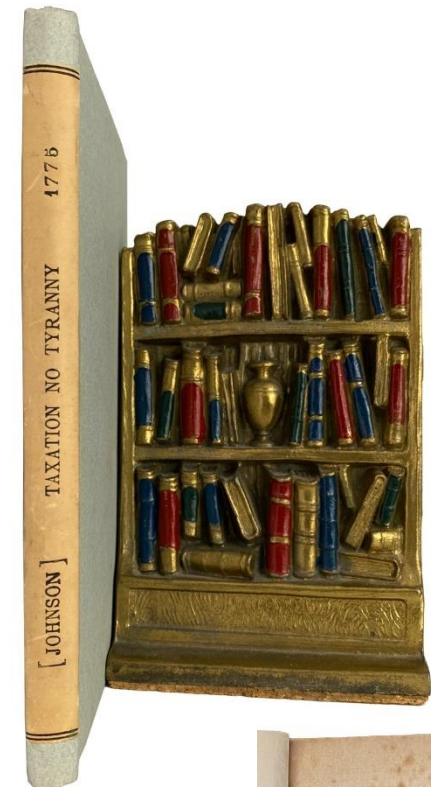
"Two impressions were printed this year. The first, with a list of errata on the verso of the title. The second, with the verso blank. - "Galloway was an American politician and Loyalist, and served as a delegate from Pennsylvania to the First Continental Congress. As such he was a moderate, and proposed a Plan of Union which he hoped would avert full break from Britain. When his Plan was rejected, he left Philadelphia and joined General Sir William Howe's British army. He returned to the city as a civil administrator during the British occupation and spent a fair amount of time on plans, once again for union, as he fully expected the "rebels" to be defeated when the Continentals re-entered Philadelphia in 1778, he fled to England where he remained until his death. Rivington was the leading Loyalist printer in the colonies, whose shop was destroyed during the Revolution in a mob attack. This is "one of the most famous Tory tracts, upholding unlimited parliamentary supremacy. In several colonies copies were officially burned." (Howes).



5. (American Revolution) - [JOHNSON, Samuel]. (1709-1784)

Taxation no Tyranny; an Answer to the Resolutions and Address of the American Congress. London. Printed for T. Cadell. **MDCCLXXV (1775)**. 8vo, 20cm, Second Edition, [1]-91p., modern paper over boards, printed paper spine label, wanting half title, occasional light foxing but mainly on the first 3 leaves. The pressmarks in this copy are identical to those cited in Adams 75-69b (i.e. the second edition) 3,500.00

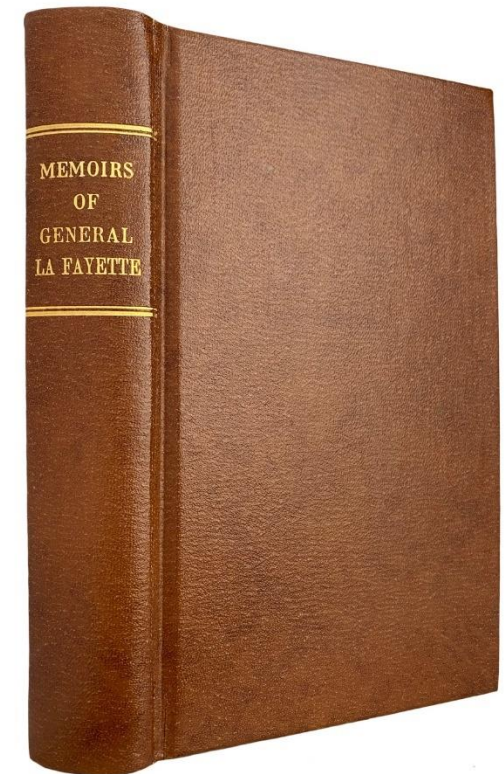
Adams 75-69b. Sabin 35303. This is the second of four editions published in 1775, all with a number of textual differences. Johnson penned this rather cynical pamphlet in response to the murmurings and rumblings of the American Revolution. It was published at the height of his popularity and subsequently became extremely popular, with four editions issued in short order in 1775. It was a defence of the Coercive Acts (or Intolerable Acts, as they were known in America) of 1774, and a response to the Declaration of Rights issued by the First Continental Congress, which had pretested against taxation without representation.



6. (American Revolution) - LA FAYETTE, General La. (Gilbert du Motier, Marquis de La Fayette)

Memoirs of General La Fayette, Embracing Details of His Public and Private Life, Sketches of the American Revolution, the French Revolution, the Downfall of Bonaparte, and the Restoration of the Bourbons. With Biographical Notices of Individuals, which have been Distinguished Authors in these events. Hartford. Published by Barber & Robinson. **1825.** 12mo, 18cm, vii,[1],13-455p., engraved frontis portrait, portraits plate, full brown fabrikoid, expect for the last section the text is somewhat toasted but in much better than normal condition ,therefore this copy is in fine condition 150.00

Sabin 32643. Howes L-16. Known in America as Lafayette, he was a French aristocrat and military officer who fought in the American Revolutionary War, commanding American troops in several battles, including the siege of Yorktown. After returning to France, he was a key figure in the French Revolution of 1789 and the July Revolution of 1830. He has been considered a national hero in both countries.



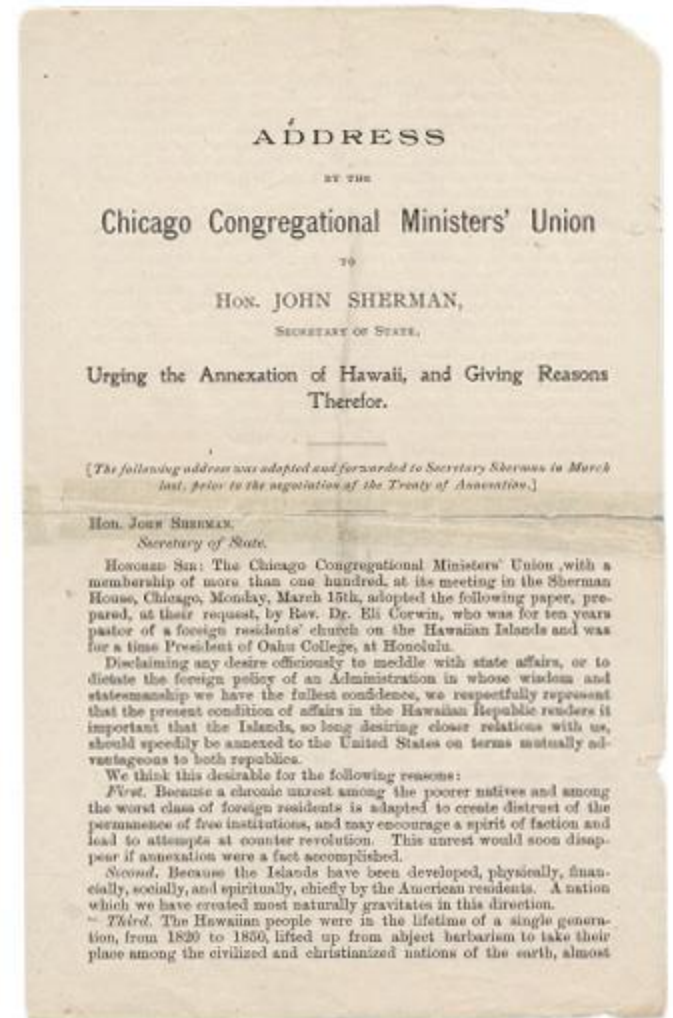
7. [BROADSHEET]. - Hawaii Annexation

Address by the Chicago Congregational Ministers' Union to Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of State, Urging the Annexation of Hawaii, and Giving Reasons Therefor. [The following address was adopted and forwarded to Secretary Sherman in March last, prior to the negotiation of the Treaty of Annexation.]. Chicago. Chicago Ministers' Union. 1897. 8vo, 22x 14cm, 2 pages (printed on both sides), middle split at a fold expertly repaired, old slight tape stain on the verso, a few small nicks on the fore and bottom edges, sound but fragile paper, still very good to fine, rare

500.00

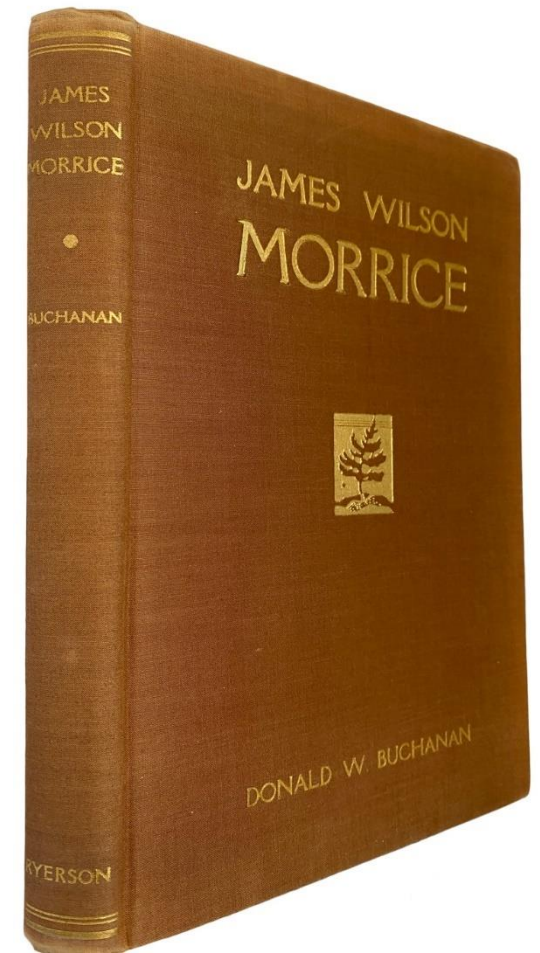
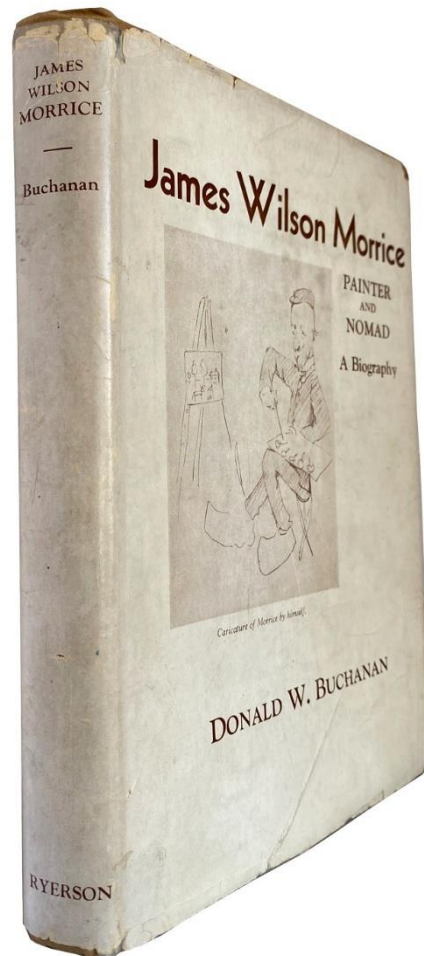
WorldCat locates 3 copies; Yale, Brown & Un. Hawaoo, Manoa.

Hawaii was annexed by the United States in 1898 as the Territory of Hawaii. It became a state of the U.S. in 1959.



8. BUCHANAN, Donald W.

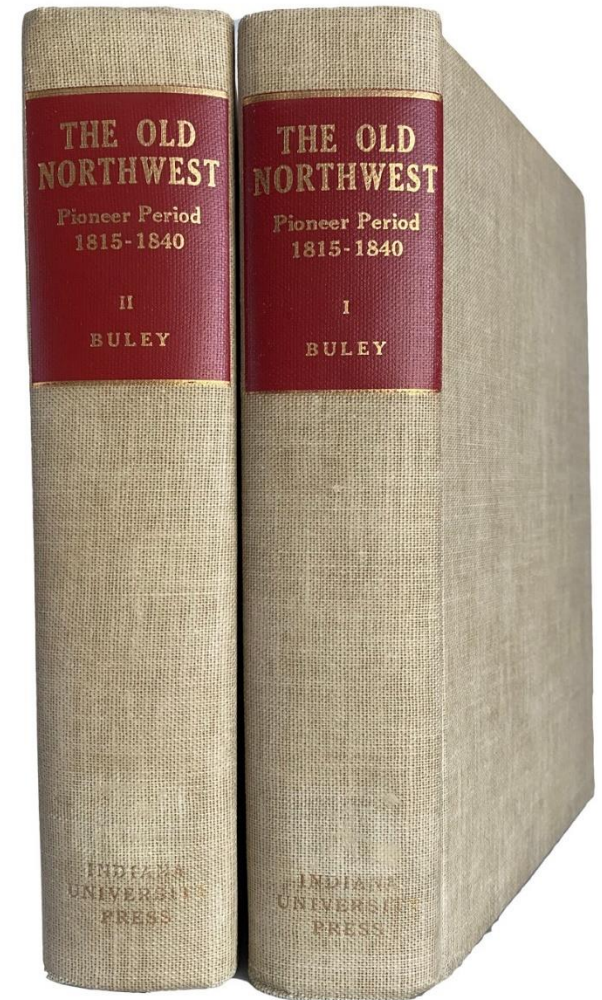
James Wilson Morrice. A Biography. Toronto. The Ryerson Press. 1936. 8vo, 22cm, the first edition, viii,187p., frontis portrait & 23 plates of paintings, (1 in colour), catalogue raisonne, publishers' brown cloth, gilt spine and cover titles, very good to fine in good edge worn jacket, hardcover copies in any jacket are uncommon 200.00



9. BULEY, R. Carlyle

The Old Northwest Pioneer Period 1815-1840. In Two Volumes. Bloomington. Indiana University Press. 1951. thick8vo., 23cm, second printing, in 2 vols., xiii,632 & viii,686pp., frontis and 45 plates & illustrations, 14 maps, biographical essay, index, full beige linen, gilt spine titles on red labels, ex-library, library bookplate stamped withdrawn, stamps on lower text edges small paper spine labels removed, otherwise a better than very good sound internally clean set 75.00

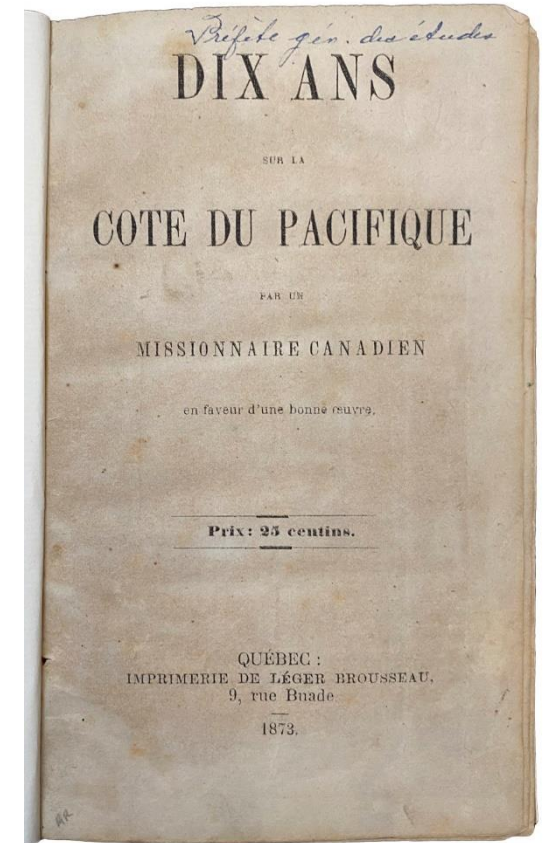
A seminal study of the pioneer years of Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and parts of Minnesota. The result of twenty-five years research by American historian, R. Carlyle Buley (1898-1965) that won for him the Pulitzer Prize for 1951.



10. [BLANCHET, Francois Xavier].

Dix Ans sur la Cote du Pacifique, par un Missionnaire Canadien en Faveur d'une Bonne Oeuvre. Quebec. Imprimerie de Leger Brousseau. **1873**. 16mo, 16.5cm, The First Edition. 100p., in the original brown cloth, blind stamped borders and decorations on the boards, new endpapers, very good to fine copy, rare 750.00

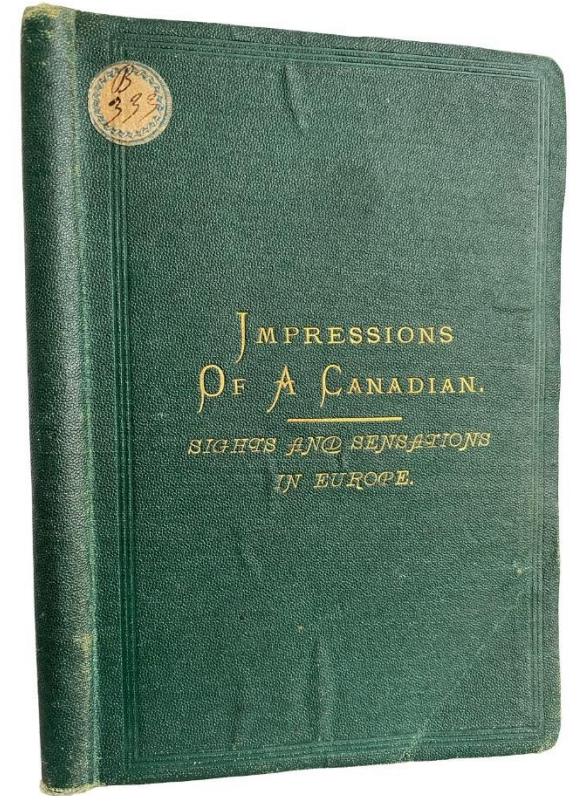
Smith 881. Howes B512aa: "Ascribed also to Jean B.A. Brouillet; Blanchet, nephew of Bishop Blanchet, went to Oregon in 1863." Decker 303: "Blanchet was a nephew of Mgr. Norbert Blanchet. He arrived in Oregon, July 24, 1863, and was stationed at Jacksonville, Ore. until 1888. He died in Portland in 1906. This work relates to the climate, productions, the state of religion, etc." Not in Cowan, Eberstadt, Siebert Sale, Lande or Peel. Rare. Relates information on the climate, production, and the state of religion in Southern Oregon and the California border region. Also includes some account of the Mormons after making an overland trip eastward through Utah.



11. CAMERON, John

Impressions of a Canadian. Sights and Sensations in Europe. London, Ontario. Advertiser Steam Presses. **1873**. 16mo. 17cm, 154p., original owner's stamp, original green cloth, gilt title on the upper cover, very good condition, rare 250.00

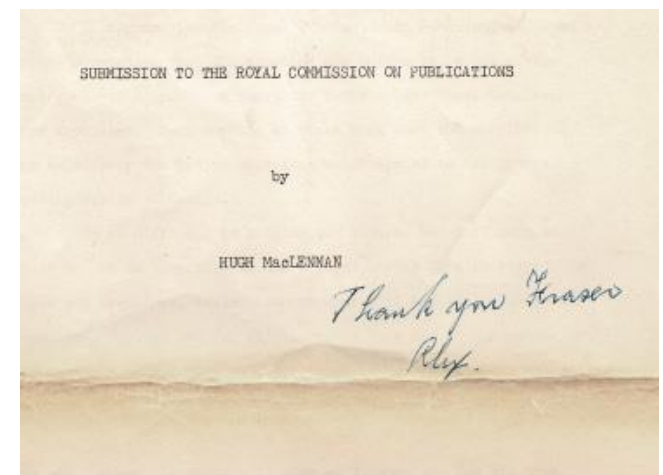
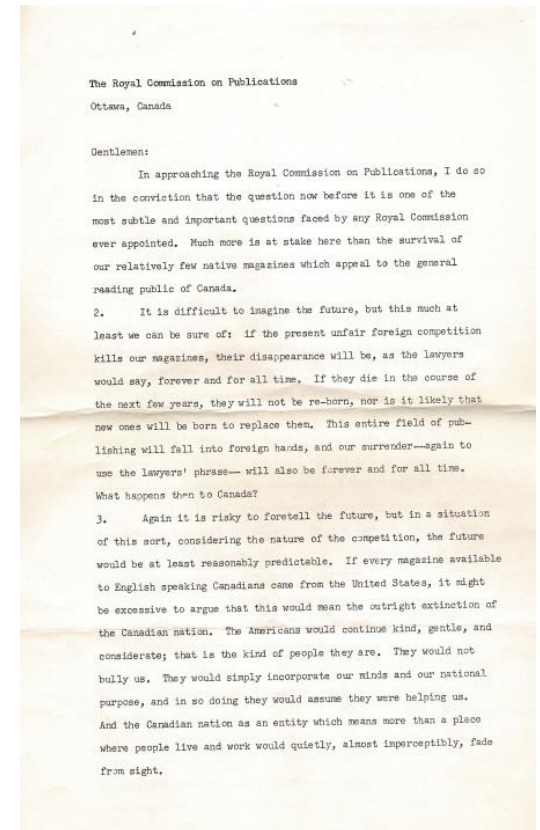
Not in "Kroller. Canadian Travellers in Europe, 1851-1900". ~ The observations, "as they strike a Canadian on a first visit to the Old World", of the editor of the London, Ontario "Daily Advertiser" during a four-month tour that included Ireland, Scotland, England, France, Italy, Germany, Austria and Switzerland. Letters intended to be sent back to Canada for weekly publication in the London "Daily Advertiser".



12. (Canadian Literature). - MacLENNAN, Hugh

Submission to the Royal Commission on Publications. Ottawa. Manuscript. [1960/1961]. folio, 36cm, title-page, and 15 pages. single-sided sheets, typescript, stapled in upper left corner, inscription on title ("Thank you, Fraser. Alex. "?), paper lightly toned, fine, Rare (not found in Aurora or Worldcat). 250.00

The Royal Commission on Publications was established on September 1960 to examine the impact of foreign publications in Canada on domestic periodicals. Known as the "O'Leary Commission" after its chairman, Michael Gratton O'Leary. This typescript is an extensive plea for the Commission to save the publication of Canadian magazines by eminent Canadian writer (author of "Two Solitudes" & "Barometer Rising") and professor of English at McGill University, Hugh MacLennan. "From every standpoint, I therefore respectfully urge that the Royal Commission on Publications consider ways and means of saving our magazines from extinction, and of making possible the economic conditions within the trade which will permit new ones to be born. Failing prompt action in this respect, one of these days we will read in "Time" that from henceforth all Canadian voices save those of the CBC and the daily press are American voices." (Conclusion).

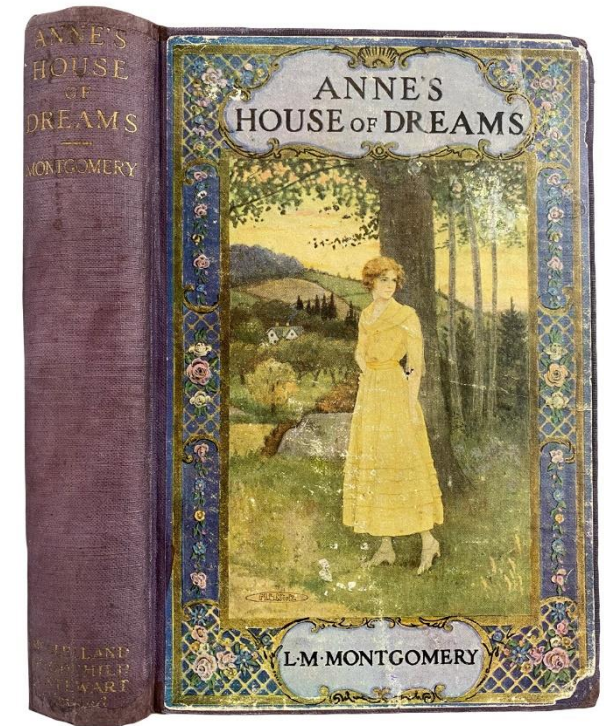


13. (Canadian Literature). - MONTGOMERY, L.M.

Anne's House of Dreams. With frontispiece in colour by M.L. Krik. Toronto. McClelland, Goodchild & Stewart. [1917]. 12mo, 18cm, The First Canadian Edition, (US sheets: Frederick A. Stokes Company), light purple cloth, gilt spine titles, with printed colour reproduction of the frontis on the upper cover, expertly restored, spine slight faded (titles visible), some wear and some bubbling under the cover illustrations, a good to very good copy of the rare First Canadian edition 225.00

This title has become difficult to find in acceptable condition. Our last fine copy was in Catalogue 141.

Spadoni 331. Egoff 601. The publishers name changed to McClelland & Stewart in 1918.



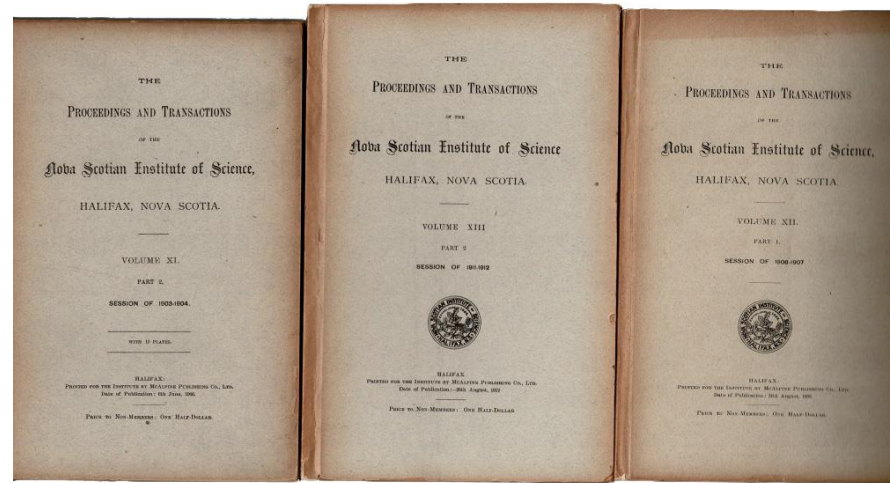
One of the Oldest Learned Societies in Canada

14. (Canadian Science & Medicine). Nova Scotian Institute of Science.

The Proceedings and Transactions of the Nova Scotia Institute of Science. Halifax, Nova Scotia. Together 29 volumes, "First Series": Vol. 5, Part 2. 1879-80. 1 vol.; Vol. 6. Part 1. 1882-83. 1 vol.; & "Second Series": Volume 1. - Part 1, 2, 3. 1892. (3 volumes), And: Volume 9, Part 1, 1896 - to - Volume 15, Part 1. 1922. (complete run, 24 vols). / Together, 29 volumes.

Halifax. Printed for the Institute by the Royal Print and Litho Limited & Ross Printing Limited. 1879-1922. 8vo, 21cm, in 29 volumes, various paginations, figures, maps, charts, in the original printed wraps or printed paper over boards, some hinges cracked, some fraying but generally very good or better condition, the lot

500.00



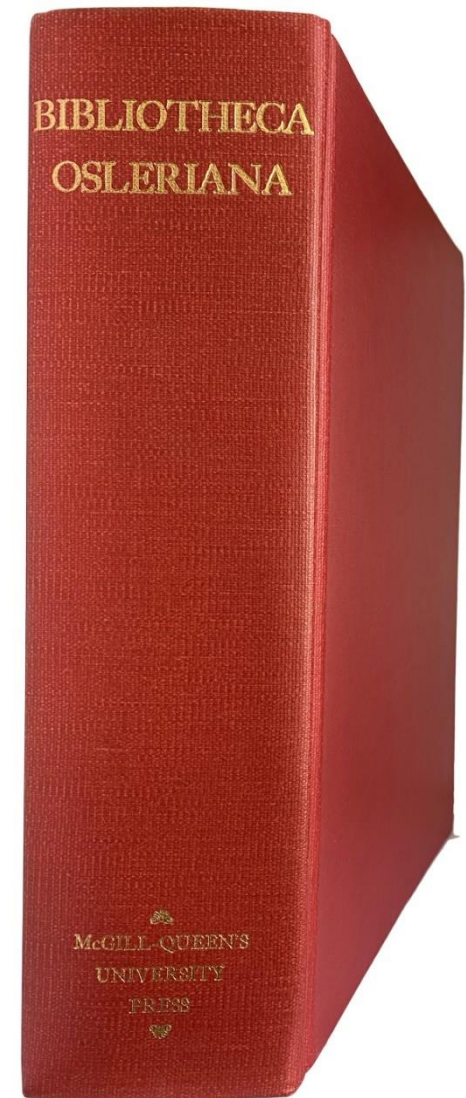
The Nova Scotian Institute of Science is a Canadian non-profit organization that promotes scientific research in Nova Scotia. Previously known as the Nova Scotian Institute of Natural Science, founded in 1862 and incorporated by an act of the Nova Scotia House of Assembly in 1890, the Institute is one of the oldest learned societies in Canada, providing members and the public an opportunity to communicate about scientific research. It was a direct descendant of the Halifax Mechanics' Institute (1831–1860) and the Halifax Literary and Scientific Society (1839–1862). Monthly meetings are held at the Nova Scotia Museum of Natural History in addition to public lectures and panel discussions. The Institute publishes the peer-reviewed journal The Proceedings of the Nova Scotian Institute of Science and has a library housed at the Killam Library on the Studley Campus of Dalhousie University.

15. (Canadian Science & Medicine). - OSLER, William

Bibliotheca Osleriana. A Catalogue of Books Illustrating The History of Medicine and Science. Collected, Arranged, and Annotated by Sir William Osler, and bequeathed to McGill University. Montreal and London. McGill-Queen's University Press. 1969. 4to. 28.5cm, xli.[1],792p., title printed in black and red, full red fine grain buckram, gilt block spine titles, a fine copy

150.00

A must have annotated bibliography.



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16. (Canadian Science & Medicine). OSLER, William

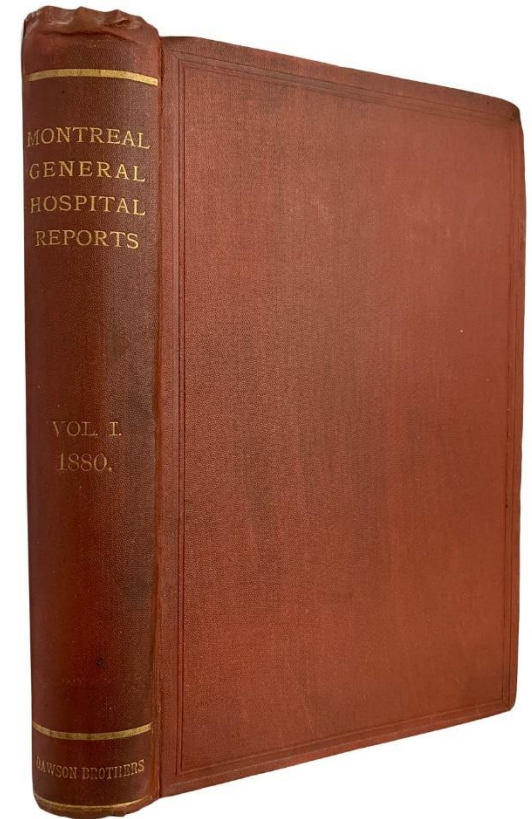
Montreal General Hospital. Reports Clinical and Pathological, by the Medical Staff.

Edited by William Osler. Vol. I. Montreal. Dawson Brothers, Publishers. **1880**. 8vo. 21.5cm, first edition, xxi,369p., with 9 lithographed plates, 2 tables, list of subscribers, original brick brown cloth, gilt spine titles and rules, edges coloured to match, "Dawson's" binder ticket, a very good copy, very rare

1,500.00

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Bibliotheca Osleriana, #3537. Three of the reports are by Osler, one of them pp253-342 being his 'Pathological Report, No. 2, for the two years ending Oct, 1879. The 'clinical series' was not continued. The contributors includes Dr. R.P. Howard, Dr. George Ross, Dr. Francis J. Shephard, Dr. T.G. Reddick, Dr. George Wilkins, Dr. Frank Buller, Dr. James Bell, Dr. William Osler. This is the first book that Dr. Osler saw through the press. - "Their chief value, as is true of the writings of most young men, lay in the personal training which the author received thereby, and through-out the rest of his life he continued to draw upon, and to make reference to, his pathological observations of these early years. Some of the studies were unquestionably important, and some of the observations original, but he was a person who always took the greatest pains to point out priority of observation on the part of others and rarely if ever made any claim in this respect for himself". Cushing, Life of Osler, Vol. I, p. 162, n. 3.

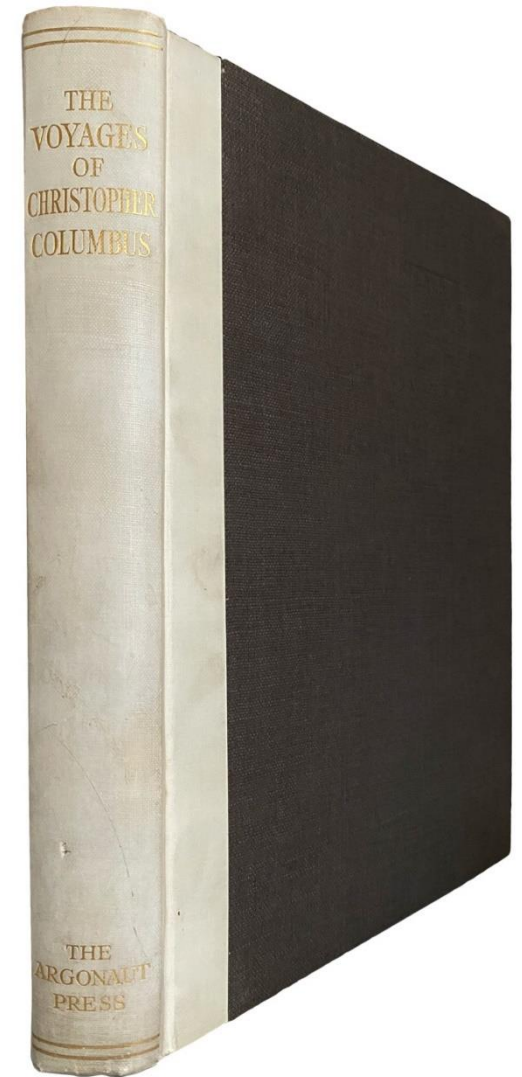


17. [COLUMBUS] . Edited by Cecil Jane

The Voyages of Christopher Columbus. Being the Journals of His First and Third, and the Letters Concerning His First and Last Voyages, to which is added the Account of His Second Voyage Written by Andres Bernaldez. Now newly Translated and Edited, with an Introduction and Notes by Cecil Jane. London. The Argonaut Press. 1930. sm4to, 25.5cm, limited edition of 1050 copies, out of series, 347p., title page vignette, 5 maps (1 folding), appendices, index, quarter vellum backed grey cloth boards, gilt spine titles, colour shield (Columbus crest) on upper front, silk bookmark bound-in, uncut, unopened, a near fine copy

150.00

The Argonaut Press was a publishing imprint founded in London in 1926 for the purpose of issuing reprints of famous works of travel and discovery. The series concluded in 1938 with eighteen titles, "The Voyages of Christopher Columbus" being the ninth publication. The Introduction is extensive and detailed. The original woodcut on the title-page is by William Monk.



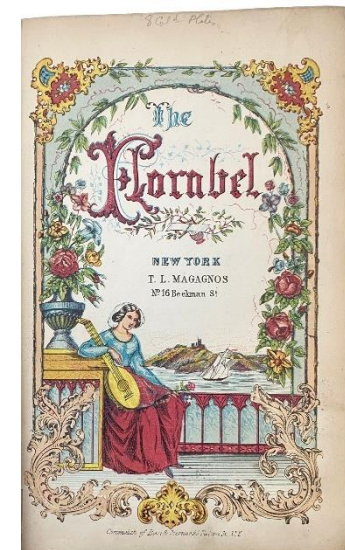
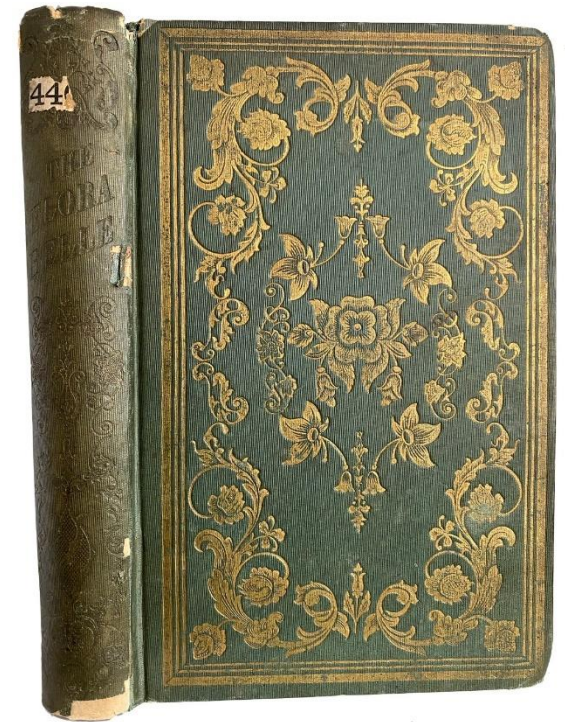
Presentation copy by H.R. Molson to the Fraser Institute

18. COMSTOCK, J(ohn) (Lee). Editor.

The Flora Belle, or Gems from Nature. New York. T.L. Maganos. [184_?]. 8vo., 22.2cm, 352p., complete with additional colour chromo-lithog titlepage & 8 hand-coloured plates, publishers' ribbed green cloth, elaborately gilt decorated on the boards, spine faded, all edges gilt, text somewhat toned, some chipping on the edges, the bight hand colour plates are fine, with filled-in bookplate 'Fraser Institute Presented by' Request of the late John H.R. Molson, a very good sound and tight copy, rare

275.00

This is a floral dictionary, glossary and index. Not in Bennett nor Meisel. This is a general compendium of floral species, produced under the direction of John Lee Comstock (1789-1858), a reputable scholar of the sciences, with many works to his credit.



Second and "Best" Edition with the Atlas

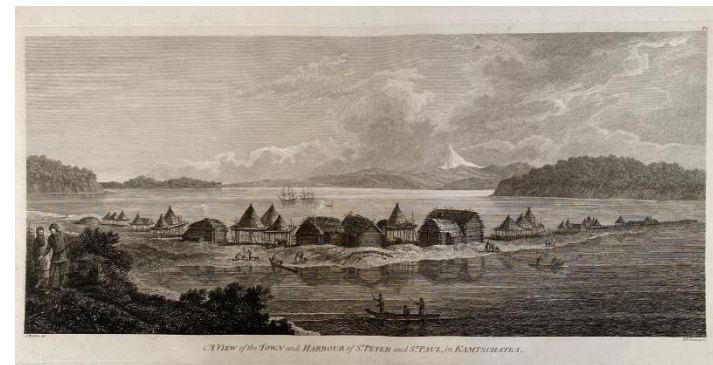
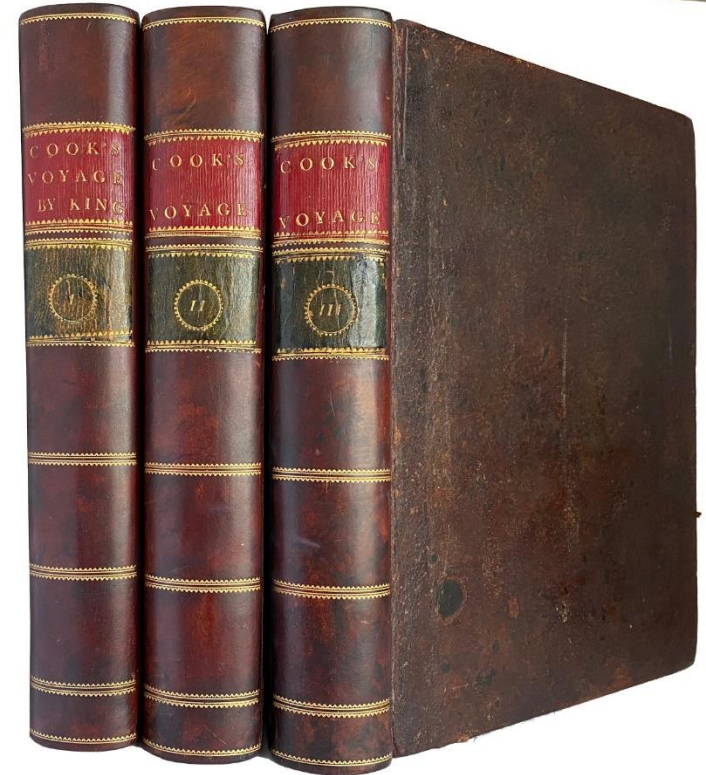
19. COOK, James

A Voyage to the Pacific Ocean, Undertaken, By the Command of His Majesty, for making Discoveries in the Northern Hemisphere. Performed under the Direction of Captains COOK, Clerke, and GORE, In His Majesty's Ships the Resolution and Discovery. In the Years 1776, 1777, 1778, 1779, and 1780. Vol. I and II written by Captain James Cook, Vol. III. By Captain James King. Published by Order of the Lord Commissioners of the Admiralty. The Second Edition. London. Printed by H. Hughs for G. Nicol and T. Cadell, 1785. 4to, 29cm, in Three volumes and Atlas. Second, and best, edition. [8],xcvi,421 & [7],548 & [7],556pp., with 24 engraved maps and charts, in contemporary speckled calf, neatly re-backed with original morocco labels laid down. - The folio Atlas 55.2cm, with 63 engraved plates, plus 1 large engraved map and 1 double-page engraved chart, in full contemporary mottled dark brown calf, expertly re-backed, gilt decorated panel borders, with the red and green crushed morocco labels relayed, initial plate is foxed and 3 plates have a light dampstain in the margin, 3 plates are lightly age-toned in margins - all other plates are in very good condition and all are excellent clean clear strikes, with the bookplates in all three text volumes of G. H. D. Pennant.

25,000.00cn

Beddie 1552. Holmes 47. Sabin 16250. Howes C-729. Not in Lande. Strathern 126ii. NMM Cat. I-587. Cox, p63. Hocken, p2. O'Reilly & Reitman 434. Wickersham 6557 (incorrect no. of plates). Hunnewell, p32. vide Cowan, pp53-54. Streeter VI-3478. Lada-Mocarski 37. Hill p123. vide T.P.L. 524 & 525 (later eds.).

"...the first official edition of this narrative, published by order of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty was long delayed in appearance and, according to Sir Maurice Holmes, 'it was so eagerly awaited by the public that it was sold out on the third day



after publication'. " - (Lada-Mocarskz) The first two volumes were written by James Cook, and the third by James King after Cook's death.

Cook joined the Royal Navy in 1755 and surveyed the St. Lawrence Channel (1760) and the coasts of Labrador and Newfoundland (1763-67). In 1768 he was put in command of the Endeavour and sailed on an expedition to chart the transit of Venus; he returned to England in 1771 having also circumnavigated the globe and explored the coast of eastern Australia and of New Zealand, the latter being accurately charted for the first time. In 1772 he undertook his second voyage, this time to the South Pacific. On that expedition he disproved the theory of a great southern continent, explored the Antarctic Ocean and the New Hebrides, discovered New Caledonia and, by the observance of strict dietary and hygienic rules, prevented the occurrence of scurvy, heretofore the scourge of long sea voyages. He returned to England in 1775, and the following year set out again, this time in command of the Resolution and the Discovery. On this venture he charted the shores of Hawaii and Alaska, and unsuccessfully searched the northwest coast of North America for the legendary North West Passage to the Atlantic. On the return voyage, he was killed by natives in the Sandwich (Hawaiian) Islands. After his death, Charles Clerke took over the command of the Discovery; following his death from tuberculosis, James King became the skipper, while John Gore took on the overall command of the expedition and became skipper of the Resolution.

"This and the third are the best editions, letterpress and paper being superior [to that of the first]. " - (Hocken).

Provenance: George Hay Dawkins-Pennant (1764-1840), of Penrhyn Castle, Caernarvonshire and 56 Portland Place, Middlesex, was an English politician. He was the second son of Henry Dawkins and his original name was George Hay Dawkins; the surname Pennant was added when he inherited the estate of Richard Pennant, 1st Baron Penrhyn, who died in 1808. Dawkins - Pennant was a Member of Parliament for Newark 1814 to 1818; and for New Romney 1820 to 1830.



Includes Affiliated Transatlantic Clubs in Canada and United States 1869 & 1870.

20. [CURLING].

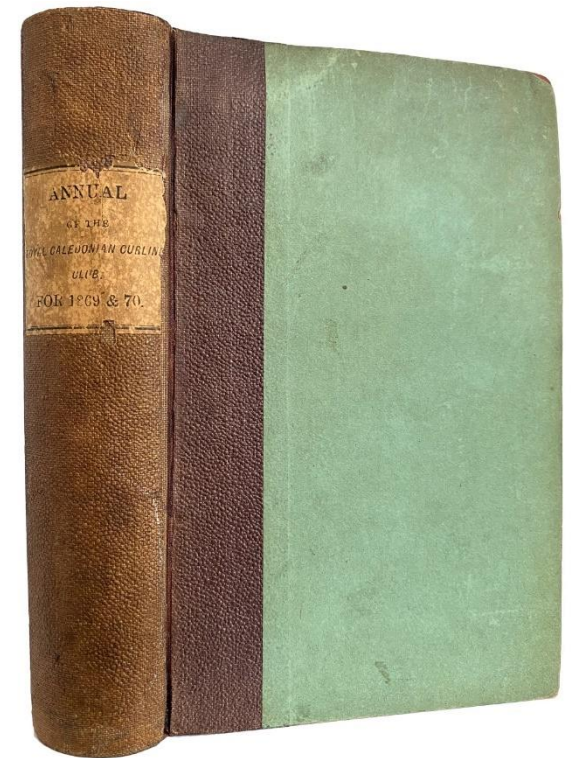
Annual of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club for 1869. (Bound Together With):

Annual of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club for 1870. Edinburgh. Printed by Crawford and McCabe, for the Royal Caledonian Curling Club. **1869-1870**. 16mo, 16cm, 2 volume in One, viii,295 & viii284pp., engraved title vignette, 1 folding diagram, in the original publisher's binding, quarter pebble brown cloth backed light green plain paper over boards, printed paper label, a fine clean sound copy, rare

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In includes transatlantic Clubs: Canadian Branch, United States, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia branch. pp232-237 & Canadian, United States & New Brunswick. pp229-248

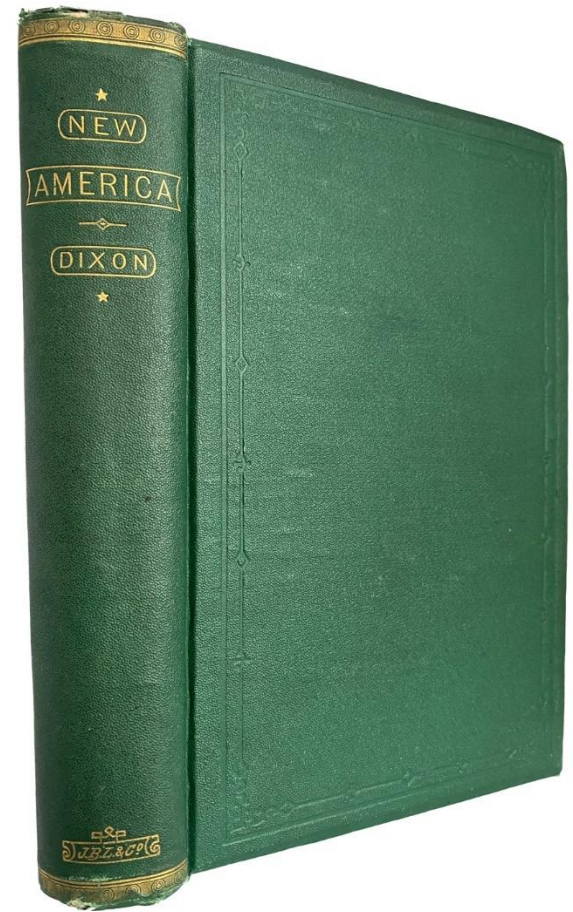
The work lists affiliated clubs and members in Scotland and in North America, the rules of the game, curling songs, folding diagrams of 'The Rink', etc.



21. DIXON, Whliam Hepworth (1821-1879).

New America. Philadelphia. J .B. Lippincott & Co. **1867**. 8vo, 20.5cm, First US Edition, viii, 9-495,4p., publisher's advertisements, with 6 engraved plate illustrations, some by Van Ingen and Synder, including frontis, in the original publisher's green cloth, gilt spine titles, blind ruled borders on bevelled boards, embossed library stamp on page none. woodcut bookplate, very good to fine 150.00

Sabin 203 73. vide Flake 284 7. William Hepworth Dixon was a historian, journalist and traveller who published many popular works of non-fiction, including biographies of Francis Bacon, Anne Boleyn and Catherine of Arragon. On his trip through the United States in 1866, he spent some time in Salt Lake City researching Mormonism. A major portion of New America is devoted to Mormon practices and customs. This work appeared in several English editions, as well as in French and German (Flake).



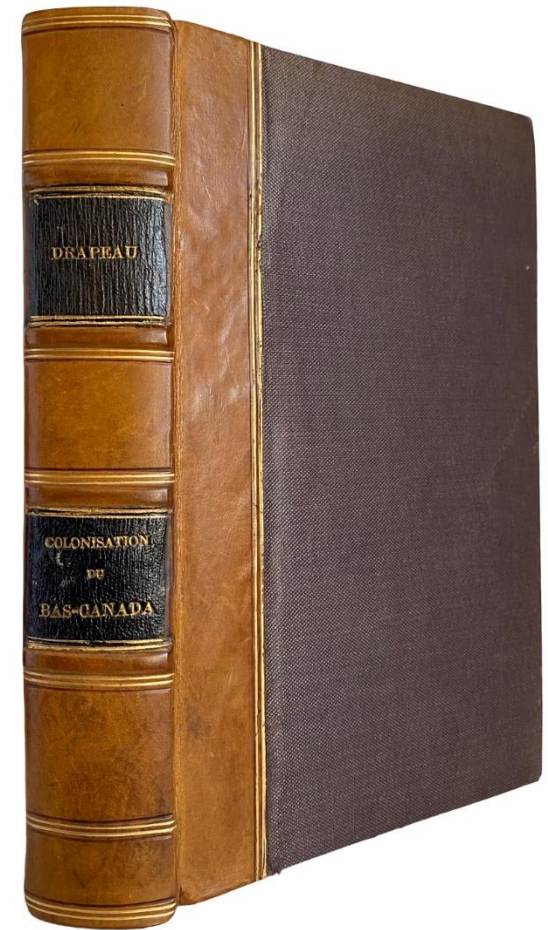
22. DRAPEAU, Stanislas (1821-1893).

Etudes sur les Développements de la Colonisation du Bas-Canada depuis dix ans: (1851 à 1861.) Constatant les Progrès des Dèfrichements, de L'Ouverture des Chemins de Colonization et du Développement de la Population Canadienne Française. Quebec. Typographie de Leger Brousseau. **1863**. 8vo. 22cm, first edition, 593p., with 7 folding maps, appendix, index, in quarter brown calf, gilt ruled raised bands, double black leather labels, cloth boards, in fine condition 475.00

Gagnon I-1175. Dionne I-793. T.P.L. 9095. The author discussed the economic conditions in Quebec, matters concerning immigration and emigration, and provides historical information and regional descriptions, supported by many facts and figures. It includes also notes on parishes; The year of foundation, the composition of the population, the evolution of agriculture, industry, and so on.

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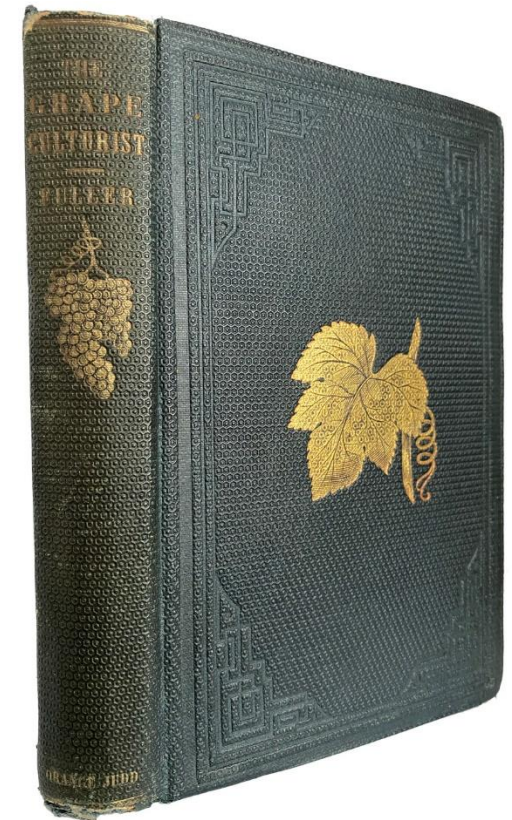


23. FULLER, Andrew S. [Andrew Samuel].

The Grape Culturist: A Treatise on the Cultivation of the Native Grape. New York. Orange Judd. **1865**. 12mo, vi,7-262p., numerous text illustrations, original diamond grain dark green cloth, gilt grape illustrations on the spine and cover, top spine edge chipped, bottom spine edge worn, private library full leaf bookplate "Montreal Horticultural Society" on the front paste-down endpaper, a very good sound copy 100.00

Provenance: Montreal Horticultural Society and Fruit Growers Association of the Province of Quebec. No. 33. Presented to Mr. Chas. Gibb. Regulations for the Library, adopted 1870. ...

Andrew S. Fuller (1828-1896) wrote this treatise in laymen's terms. It contains the results of his own time-tested experiments in cultivating grapes. He also wrote similar treatises on the cultivation of small fruits, strawberries nuts, etc.



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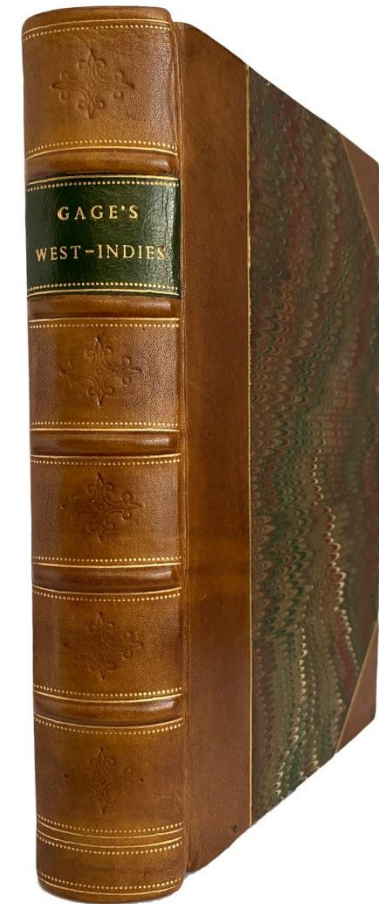
24. GAGE, Thomas.

A New Survey of the West-Indies, Being A Journal of Three thousand and Three hundred Miles within the Land of America. By Tho. Gage, the only Protestant that was ever known to have travel'd those Parts. ... The 4th Edition enlarg'd by the Author, with an accurate Map. London. Printed by Benj. Motte, for Tho. Home. **1711**. 8vo, 18.2cm, 4th edition, [7],[1] (Blank),477 [i.e. 475], [1](Blank), [14] (Contents)p., complete but numerous pagination errors, including hiatus in numbering between pp. 384 and 387., one folding map, appropriately bound in modern half brown calf, gilt ruled raised bands, blind decorations in the panels, dark green calf label, gilt titles, marbled boards, some foxing on the map; and some on the preliminary leaves mainly towards the edges, expert repair on the map and a few edges, bookplates of G.R.G. Conway (on front pastedown) and Florencio Gavito (on front free endpaper), two renowned collectors of Spanish Americana, very good to fine copy, rare

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The 4th edition was issued twice, 1699 and this issue by Motte, in 1711.

OCLC 56125 71 1 1; European-American 711/82: "Reissue of London, 1699 edn. "; Sabin 263 02; JCB (3) 1:152; Hill 655. Gage was sent to Spain by his father in 1612 and while there, entered the Dominican order. In 1625 he left Spain and, to circumvent the order of the king of Spain preventing foreigners from entering the Spanish territories of the New World, had himself smuggled aboard a ship bound for the Philippines. He spent most of the next twelve years in Central America, at times living among the natives. He returned to England in 1641, at which time he became an Anglican priest. This work was published after his return to England; "it was the first to give the world a description of the Avast regions from which all foreigners had' been jealously excluded by the Spanish authorities. It's purpose was to urge the mastery of Spanish territories in the New World by the English. "- (Hill) It was quickly translated into French, Dutch and German. An important work relating to the New World.



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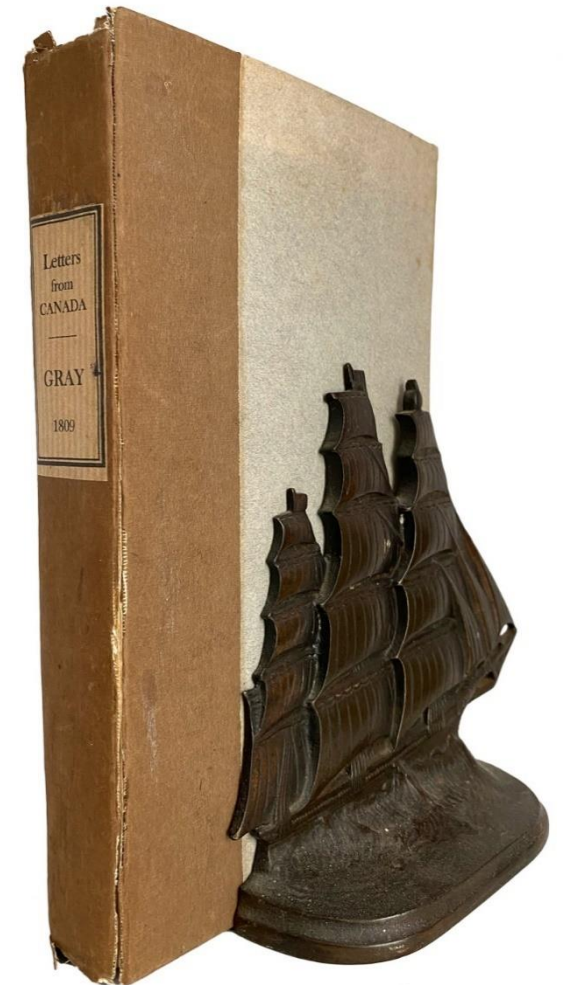
25. GRAY, Hugh

Letters from Canada, Written During a Residence There in the Years 1806, 1807, and 1808; shewing The Present State of Canada, its productions - trade - commercial importance and political relations. Illustrative of the laws, the manners of the people, and the peculiarities of the Country and Climate... Exhibited also The Commercial Importance of Nova-Scotia, New Brunswick, & Cape-Breton; and Their Increasing Ability, in Conjunction with Canada, to furnish the necessary Supplies of Lumber and Provisions to our West-India Islands. London. Printed for Longman, Hurst, Rees and Orme. **1809**. 8vo, 22.5cm, (tall copy), the First Edition, [xiii],406p., with engraved folding frontis map, 3 folding tables, in the publishers quarter brown backed light grey original boards, (untrimmed), new paper label, upper hinge cracked otherwise in fine condition in clear mylar wrapper 500.00

Provenance: Purchased by ... from Francis Edwards Ltd., 83 Marylebone High Street, for £35.00. Their addressed invoice enclosed.

Lande 281. Morgan p160. Gagnon I-1548. Sabin 28393. Story p679. Waterston p25.

Gray spent three years in the colony of Lower Canada, possibly in the employ of British timber interests, studying the law, government, rules of commerce and the political situation. 'Gray came to the conclusion that Canada was worth preserving, but he raised a hornet's nest by expressing doubts that the French Canadians were fitted to receive the benefits of the British constitution' (Story).



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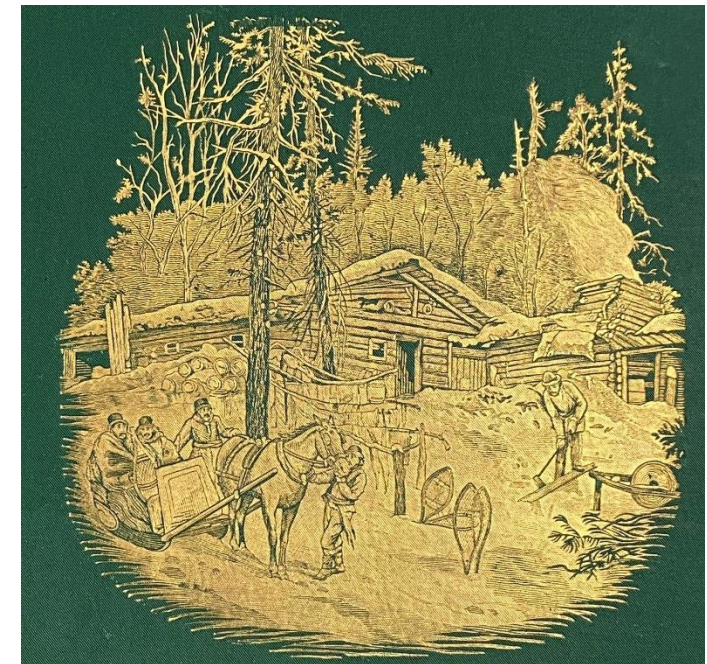
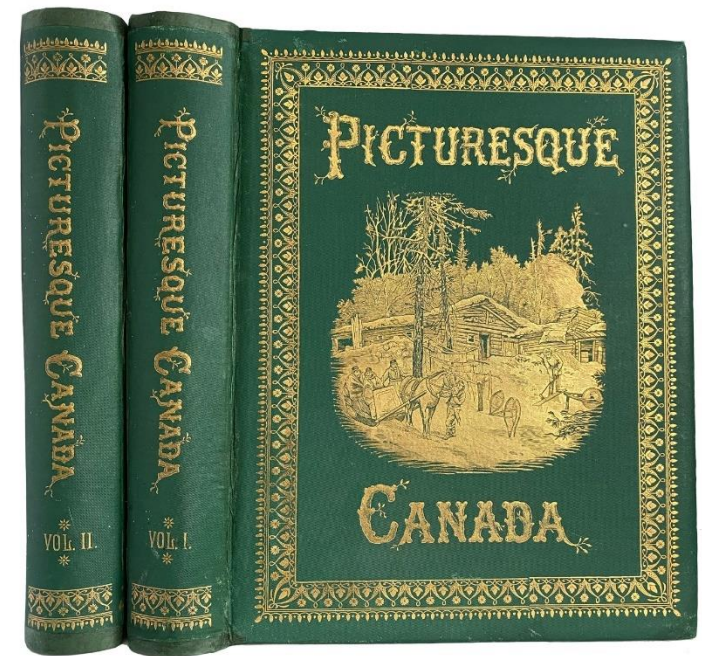
26. GRANT, George Munro (Edited by).

Picturesque Canada: The Country As It Was and Is. Illustrated under the supervision of L.R. O'Brien. Toronto. Beldon Bros. [1882]. Folio. 32cm, in two volumes, ix,440 & xii(441)-880pp., (continuously paginated), with over 500 wood-engraved illustrations & 35 steel-engraved plates, half-titles and frontis views, in the original publisher's gilt pictorial decorated green cloth, gilt decorated block spine and cover titles, elaborated gilt decorated borders on the spine and cover, full gilt pictorial pioneers scene on the cover, bevelled boards, inner linen hinges, the hinges and edges have been expertly restored, while these books are not uncommon it is very difficult to find fine sound sets in this beautiful pictorial cloth binding

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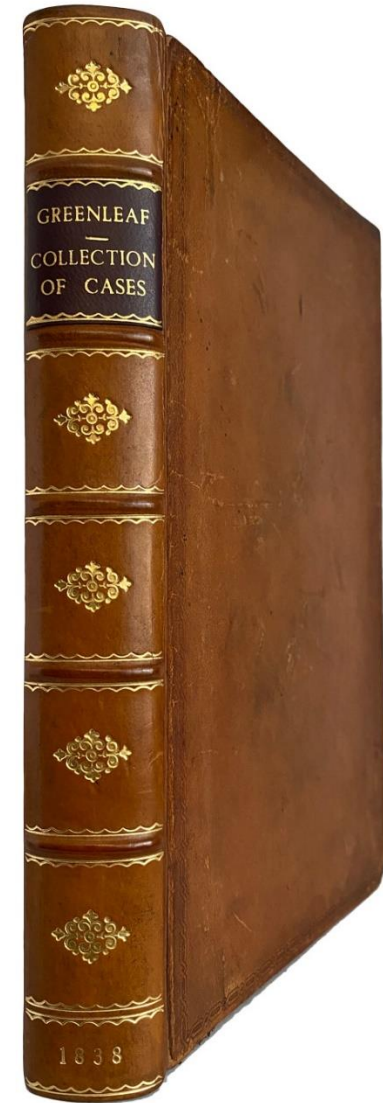


With Sir John A. Macdonald's Bookplate

27. GREENLEAF, Simon

A Collection of Cases, Overruled, Denied, Doubted, or Limited in Their Application, taken from American and English Reports. Second Edition, Revised and Enlarged. Albany. Published by Wm. & A. Gould & Co. And by Gould, Banks & Co. **1838**. 8vo, 23.4cm, [1],404p., in the original full sheep boards, expertly calf rebacked, gilt decorated raised bands, gilt device decoration in the panels, black leather label, some staining on the fore edge of the last third of the text, boldly inscribed by a later owner, Sir John A. Macdonald's copy with his bookplate on the front paste down endpaper, beautifully re-backed by Felton, rare 750.00

Simon Greenleaf, (1783-1854). "... under the dual leadership of Greenleaf and Story, the Harvard Law School rose to national eminence. ... Scribner's, Concise Dict American Biography.



One of the Most Important Sources on the Canadian West

28. HARMON, Daniel William

A Journal of Voyages and Travels in the Interior of North America, between the 47th and 58th degrees of North Latitude, extending from Montreal nearly to the Pacific Ocean, a distance of about 5,000 miles, including an account of the principal occurrences, during a residence of nineteen years, in different parts of the country. To Which Are Added, a concise description of the face of the country, its inhabitants, their manners, customs, laws, religion, etc. and considerable specimens of the two languages, most extensively spoken; together with an account of the principal animals, to be found in the forest and prairies of this extensive region. Illustrated By A Map Of The Country.

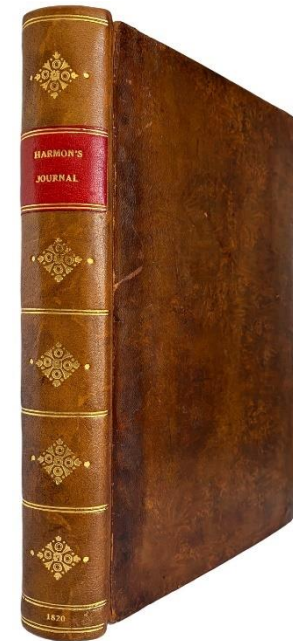
Andover. Printed by Flagg and Gould. **1820**. 8vo, 20.5cm, The First Edition, 432p. complete with half-title, engraved frontis portrait, engraved folding map, and publisher's errata note laid in on the rear endpaper, foxing but less than usual, original full sheep boards, expertly re-backed in calf, gilt panel rules, crushed red morocco label, gilt titles, inner linen hinges, contemporary name on the free fly, J. Russell Harper's copy, in fine condition, rare thus 3,000.00

Provenance: With JRH book ticket of John Russell Harper, on the front paste down endpaper. Harper.. OC, FRSC (April 13, 1914 – November 17, 1983) was an eminent Canadian art historian who is considered to have pioneered the field of art history in Canada.

Lande 1216. T.P.L. 1171. Peel (3)-117. Sabin 30404. Wagner-Camp 17. Gagnon I-1609. Field 656. Graff 1786. Howes H-205. Gagnon notes that Harmon's account, with that of Gabriel Franchere and Alexander Henry, are the three most important and valuable sources we have on the Canadian West. Harmon, a partner in the North West Company, travelled throughout the Great Lakes and Western Canada, 1800-1819. He journeyed upwards of 5,000 miles through Lake Superior, from Fort William to Lake Winnipeg, and through the Assiniboine

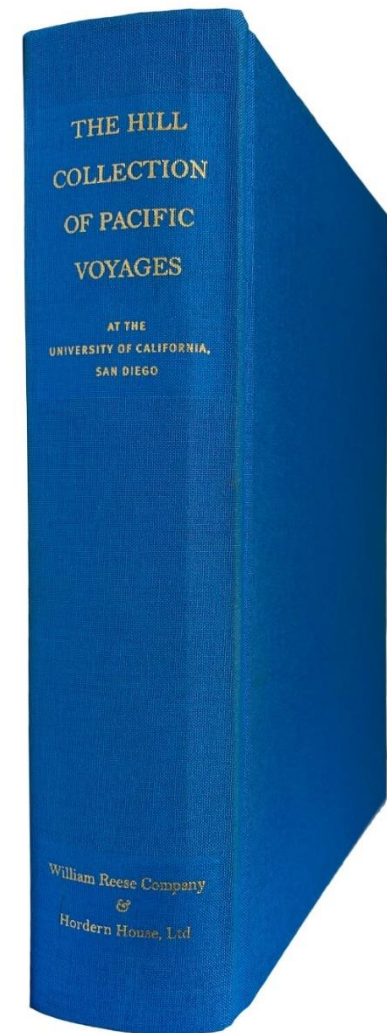
and Athabaska districts. The map shows tribal locations of the Plains and Mountain Indians. This copy is complete with the four key elements, half-title, portrait, map, errata-slip, one or more of which is usually missing.

"Editor Daniel Haskel took some liberties with the narrative and the moral and religious tones woven into it are hardly consistent with life on the Indian frontier. An important book in spite of Mr. Haskel"; Wagner Camp 17; Streeter VI- 3692; Strathern 245; Gagnon I: 1609: "Cet ouvrage de Harmon... avec ceux de Franchère et de Henry, sont les documents le plus précieux que nous avons pour l'histoire de l'Ouest Canadien."; Peel 71; Amer. Imprints 1518. The work is a classic in the history of the fur-trade and of the Canadian northwest; the map includes the area between Quebec and the Northwest Coast, locating the native tribes. Contains specimens of the vocabularies of the Cree Indians and the Tacullies.



29. HILL, Kenneth

The Hill Collection of Pacific Voyages at the University of California, San Diego.
Second Edition, Revised and Enlarged. New Haven & Sydney. William Reese Company &
Hordern House, 2004. sm4to, 25.5cm, xxiv, 792p., frontis portrait, blue cloth, fine
condition 200.00



Noted Americana Collector, Frank Deering's Copy

30. LONG, John

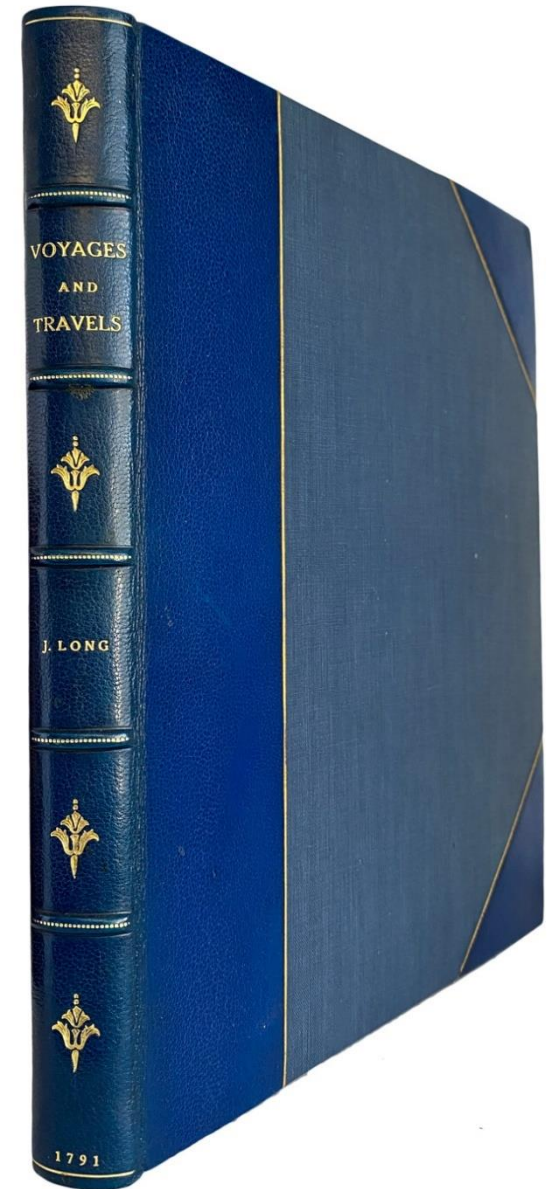
Voyages and Travels of an Indian Interpreter and Trader, Describing the Manners and Customs of the North American Indians; with an Account of the Posts situated on the River Saint Laurence, Lake Ontario, &c. To which is added, A Vocabulary of The Chippeway Language. Names of Furs and Skins, in English and French. A List of Words in the Iroquois, Mohegan, Shawanee, and Esquimeaux Tongues, and a table shewing The Analogy between the Algonkin and Chippeway Languages. London Printed for the Author. **1791**. 4to., 26cm, x,[1],[errata leaf],295p., with 1 engraved folding map, in half dark blue crushed morocco, blue cloth boards, gilt ruled raised bands, gilt device decorations and titles in the panels, gilt ruled borders on the boards, marbled endpapers, with small leather bookplate label of *Frank C. Deering on front free endpaper, a fine copy 4,500.00

Provenance: From the library of Frank C. Deering, of Maine, noted Americana collector.

Reference: The Frank C. Deering Collection of Rare Americana: The Library of Frank C. Deering; Indian Narratives and Captivities in the Frank C. Deering Collection of Americana; Bibliography and Analyses of the Deering Collection of Indian Captivities. "Goodspeed's Book Shop takes pleasure in offering for sale the superb collection of rare Americana collected by the late Frank C. deering of Maine". Boston. Publisher: : [Goodspeed's], 1949. 25cm, 32p. A clipped mimeographed dealer catalogue entry loosely inserted indicating Mr. Derringer paid four hundred.

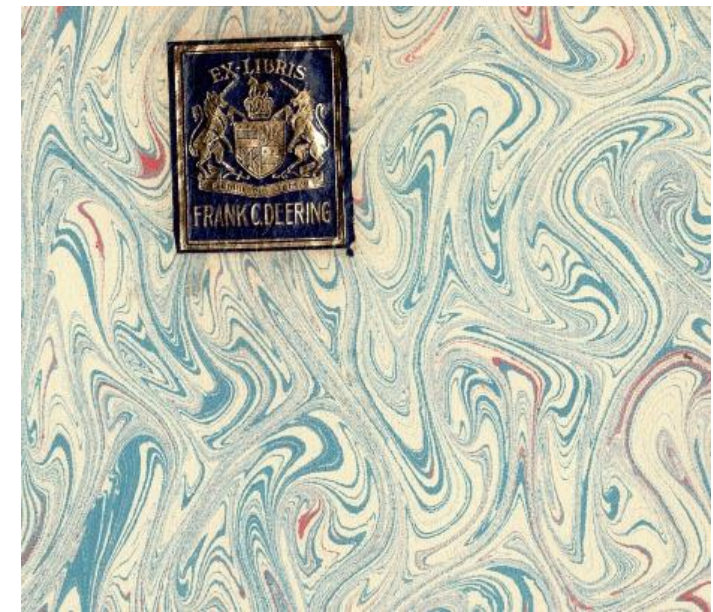
T.P.L. 597. Lande 1289. Sabin 41878. Howes L-443. Streeter VI - 3651. Cox II, p163. Gagnon II-1242,

Graff 252 7. JCB 3465. Waterston p18. A fascinating account of the customs and manners, as well as of the living habits, of the Indians and of the early Canadian traders. The



author resided in North America for nineteen years, and gives an intimate view of the treatment of the Indians by the British, as well as a valuable linguistic account of the various Indian languages.

“Not the pages of a professed Tourist”, but the observations of a commercial man: this important book begins with Long’s memories of his boyhood arrival in Montreal and early stay at Caughnawaga studying the Indians’ language. He then jumps to the story of his foray with an Indian war party to Ile aux Noix seven years later, and subsequent voyage west from Lachine to Michilimackinac. Later he records his return to Quebec and trips to Tadoussac and Fort George. Trader Long carries his readers deep into Indian country in ths graphic account of ceremonies, dances, rhetoric, games and ethics. The last half of the book consists of vocabulary tables. (Waterston).



31. [MAP]. - De L'ISLE, Guillaum (Buache)

Carte du Canada au de la Nouvelle France et des Decouvertes qui y ont été faites Dressées sur plusieurs Observations et sur un grand nombre de Relations imprimées ou manuscrites. A Paris. chez l'Auteur sur le Quai de l'Horloge a l'Aigle d'Or, dated 1703 but [1745], engraved map; 6th edition, 51x 66cm, [20" x 26"], in full contemporary hand colour, upper left corner little creased and neatly repaired on verso, some slight foxing toward the top margins, very good attractive copy 2,500.00

Tooley. The Mapping of America, #40. Schwartz & Ehrenberg. The Mapping of America, plate 80 (original edition). Karpinski, p118., XXXI (original edition).

This is a reissue of the original edition of 1703, with the Buache imprint in the lower left corner, and the revised address for de l'Isle. As such, it still retains Lahontan's imaginary geography west of the Mississippi and has Lake Winnipeg connecting with Hudson's Bay. - The hand coloured cartouche is a fine example of the art. Later the universal magazine issue 14x11 which is common.



32. [MAP]. - JEFFERYS, Thomas - (LOUISBURG).

A Plan of the City and Harbour of Louisburg, with the French Batteries that defended it, and those of the English, shewing that part of Gabarus Bay, in which they Landed, and the Ground on which they Encamped during the Siege of 1758. [on one sheet with]. A Plan of the City and Fortifications of Louisburg; from the survey made by Richard Gridley, Lieut. Coll. of the Train of Artillery in 1745, This important Fortress was when on the 17th of June 1745, after a Siege of 49 Days by Nine Regiments (that were Raised & Equiped in 50 Days in New England), and commanded by Sr Willm. Pepperill, assisted by a Fleet under the Command of Conmodore Warren, with the loss of 101 Men killed, and 30 that died by Sickness. This Place was afterwards restored to the French by the Treaty of Aix la Chapelle. London. Printed for Robert Sayer... & Thoms. Jefferys. [1758]. 38x 62cm, (15"x 24.5"), overall 55x 74.5cm, (21.5"x 29.5"), very good to fine condition 5,000.00

Kershaw 908, "Third State". Armstrong #25. Listed under Richard Gridley. Few maps anywhere manage to combine surveying, military, and historical information as successfully as this map. (Armstrong).

An important map published in "Jefferys. The Natural and Civil History of the French Dominions in North and South America". The map was originally published on October 9, 1758 and is a composite of two plans of the Fort of Louisbourg and one inset map of the Bay of Garbarus. The first plan describes the successful 45 day siege of Louisbourg by the British that ended on June 17, 1745. The siege was comprised of nine regiments raised and equipped from New England under the command of Sir William Pepperill and supported by a fleet headed by Commodore Warren. Louisbourg would eventually be returned to the French as part of the Treaty of Aix la Chapelle in 1748. It has been argued that the siege of Louisbourg in 1745 "was one of the most important battles of King George's War, the North American conflicts of the War of Austrian Succession between Britain, France, and Spain."



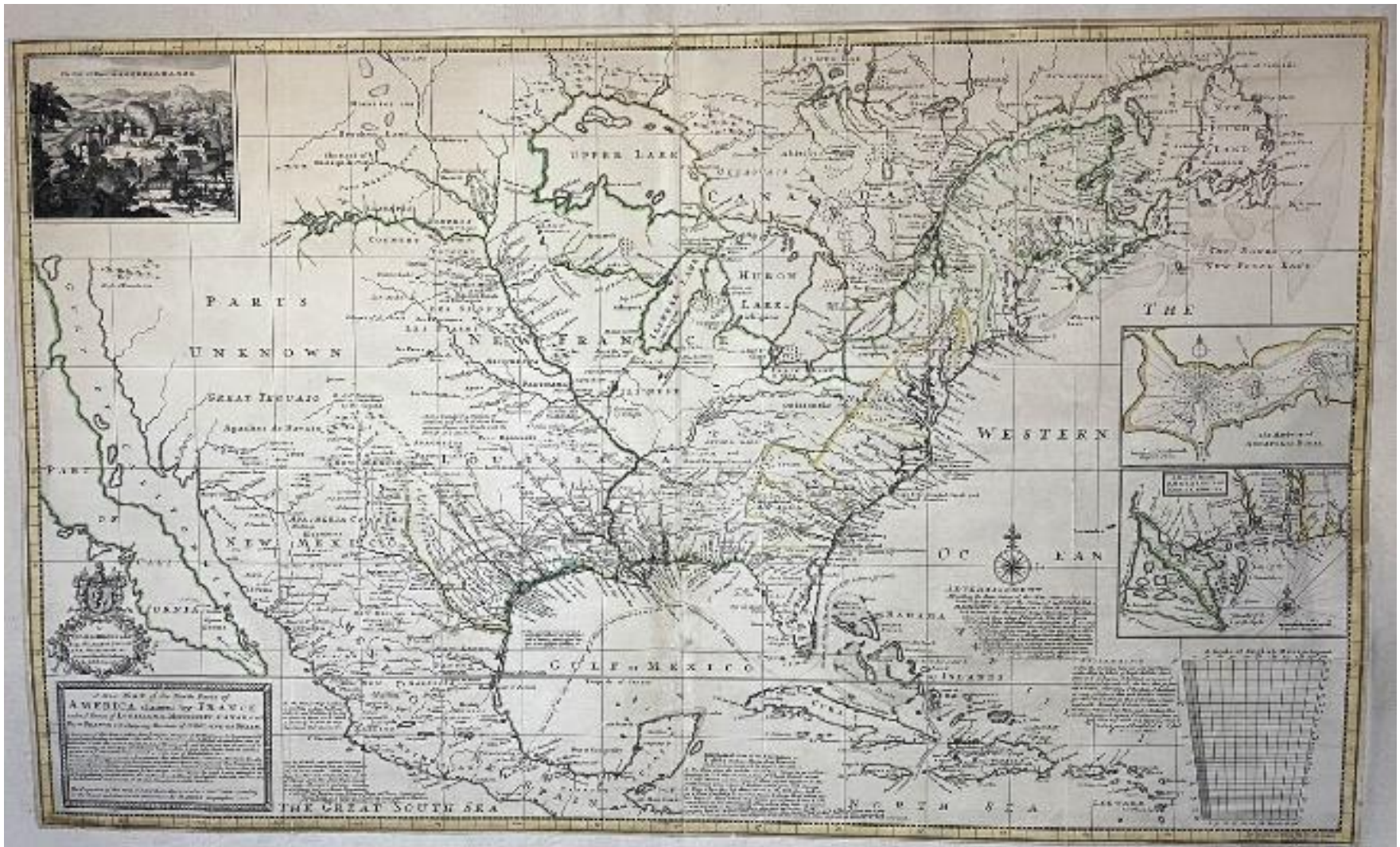
France and England in North America

The map covers the area from the Great Lakes to James Bay.

33. [MAP]. - MOLL, Herman

A New Map of the North Parts of America claimed by France under ye Names of Louisiana, Mississipi [sic], Canada and New France with ye Adjoyning Territories of England and Spain. [London]. H. Moll. **1720**. 61x 102cm. [24" x 40"]. Engraved map, outlined in contemporary colour, few small expert repairs, expertly backed on linen, fine condition

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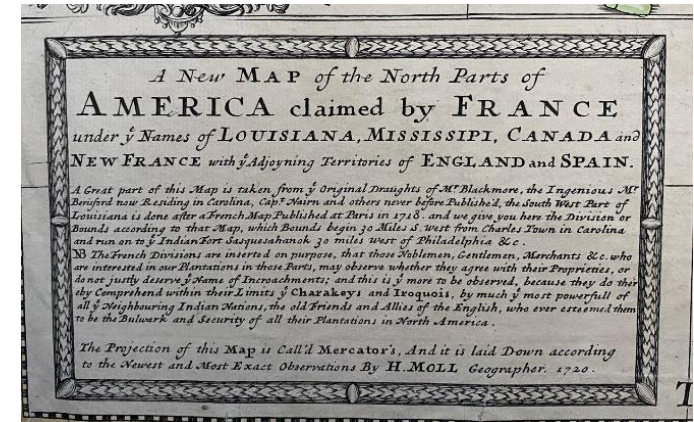


Engraved view of The Indian Fort Sasquesahanok; also two insets of The Harbour of Annapolis Royal and A Map of ye Mouth of Mississipi and Mobile Rivers, &c; engraved notes throughout. _

NMM Cat. HI, vol. 1:398/67. Tooley Maps and Map-Makers, p. 113. Karpinski XXVI]; Campbell,

Early Maps, p. 37:

"No other maps tell us as much about their authors as those of Herman Moll ... [he] could not resist airing his theories and prejudices in long notes scattered over his maps most of Moll's notes were reserved for the castigation of continental map publishers, among them his particular enemy, the French royal geographer Guillaume De l'Isle. " His map is a good example of cartography used to promote or consolidate hegemony in any one region; he describes the French presence in Louisiana as "incroachments" and refers proudly to the Iroquois "by much ye most powerful! of all ye neighbouring Indian Nations, the old Friends and Allies of ye English who ever esteemed them to be the Bulwark and Security of all their Plantations in North America. "The seeds of the Seven Years' War had been well planted!

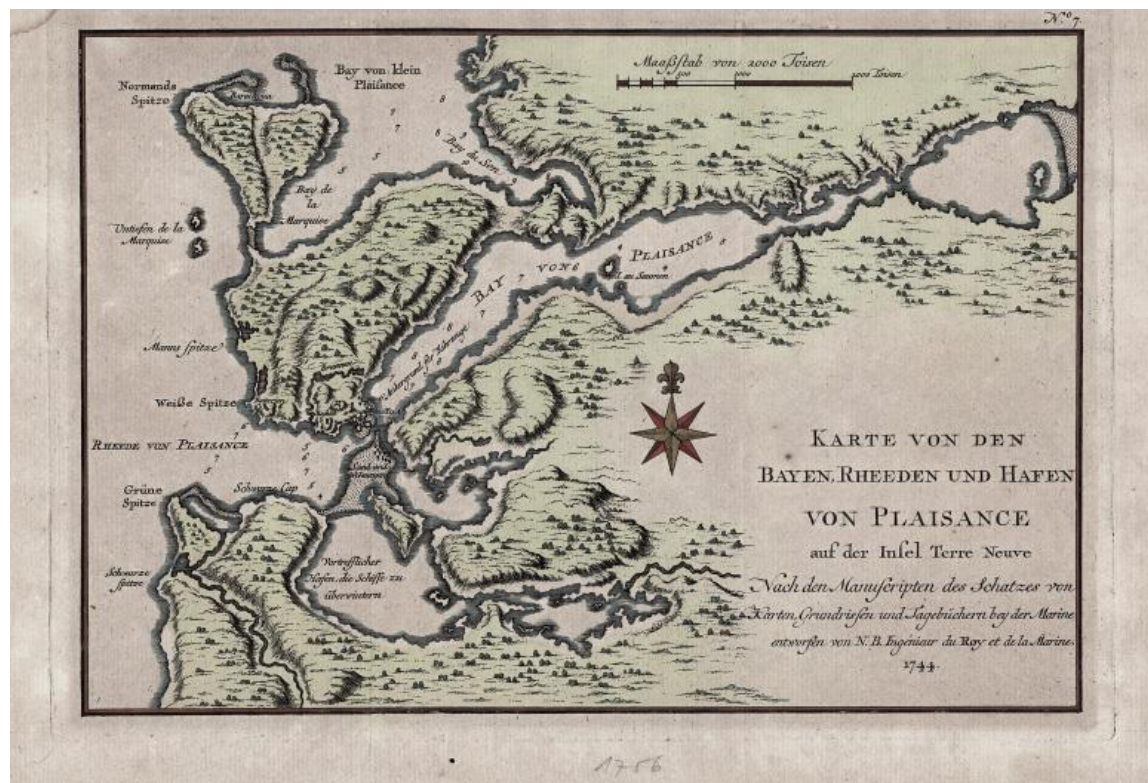


34. [MAP - Newfoundland]. Bellin-Arkstee & Merkus (Cartographers)

Karte Von Den Bayen, Rheeden Und Hafen Von Plaisance auf der Infel Terre Neuve.

Nach den Manusripten des Schatzes van Karten, Grundrissen und Jagebuchern bey der Marine entworgen von N.B. Ingenier du Roy et de la Marine. 1744. Leipzig, Germany. **1756**. 21.5x 30.5cm, contemporary hand colour engraved map, very good to fine condition 350.00

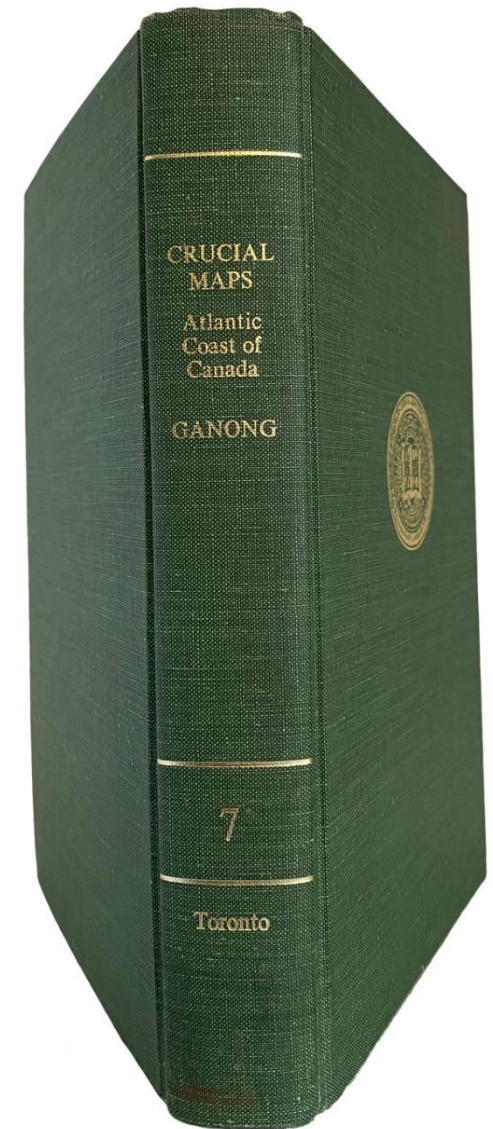
Map of Port Plaisance Newfoundland. From Atlas Allegemaine Histoire der Reisen zu Wasser und zu Lande. Kershaw 520, plate 375. The map shows the Bay of Placentia on Newfoundland's southern coast with details of the region around the fort, of Placentia Bay (here Bay von Plaisance), the nearby battery, and other topographical information. Compass rose with fleur-de-lis. An early and important map.



35. (MAP bibliography) - GANONG. W.F.

Crucial Maps in the Early Cartography and Place-Nomenclature of the Atlantic Coast of Canada. With an Introduction, Commentary, and Map Notes by Theodore E. Layng. Toronto. The University of Toronto Press in co-operation with The Royal Society of Canada. 1964. 8vo, 23cm, xvii,511p., with 121 maps, 7 folding maps in rear pocket, green cloth, fine

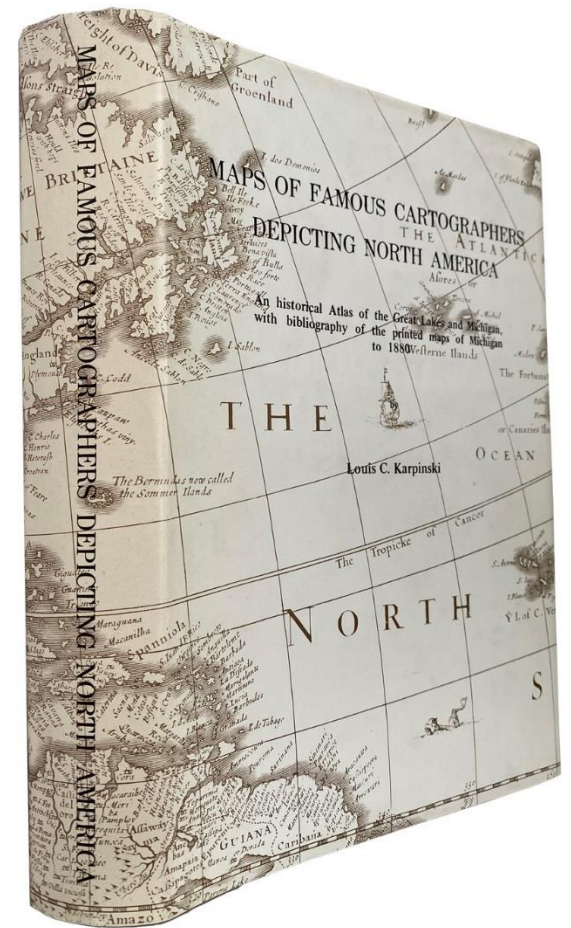
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36. (MAP bibliography) - KARPINSKI, Louis C.

Maps of Famous Cartographers Depicting North America. An Historical Atlas of the Great Lakes and Michigan with bibliography of the printed maps of Michigan to 1880. Amsterdam. Meridian Publishing Co. 1977. 8vo, 22.7cm, Second Edition, 539p., numerous map plate illustrations, some double page, index, blue grey cloth, a fine copy in fine map illustrated jacket, as new

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37. (MAP bibliography) - KERSHAW, Kenneth A.

Early Printed Maps of Canada. (In 4 Volumes).

Vol. I: 154 0-1703, 1993

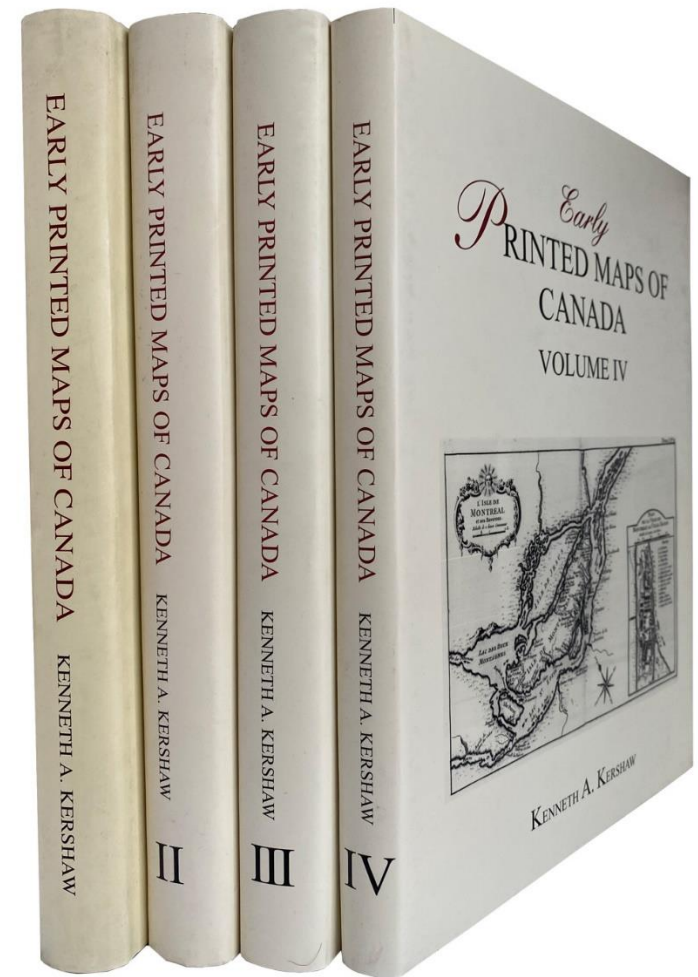
Vol. II: 1703-1799, Maps of Canada, The Arctic, Newfoundland, The River & Gulf of St. Lawrence, 1996

Vol. III: 1703-1799, Maps of Eastern Canada & Newfoundland, The Maritimes, Nova Scotia, Halifax, Prince Edward Island, Sable Island, Cape Breton, Louisbourg & The Great Lakes.

Vol. IV: 1703-1799, Quebec City & Province, Siege of Quebec, Montreal, West Coast and Admiral De Fonte.

Ancaster, Ontario. Kershaw Publishing. 1993-1998. 4to., 28.3cm, in 4 volumes, extensively illustrated with 977 numbered plates and illustrations, 1239 numbered entries, indexes, maroon cloth, gilt titles, a fine set in fine jackets, as new

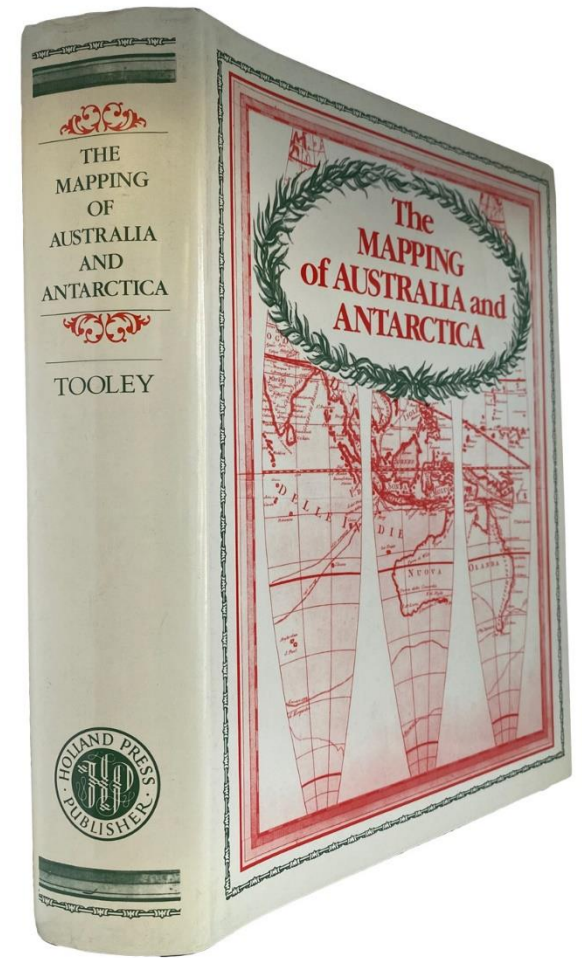
350.00



38. (MAP bibliography) - TOOLEY, R.V.

The Mapping of Australia and Antarctica. With an index compiled by Douglas Matthews. London. Holland Press. 1985. thick4to, 24.5cm, Second Revised Edition, xlii,649., including 256 map plates, index, mapped endpapers, green cloth, a fine copy in fine jacket (as new) 350.00

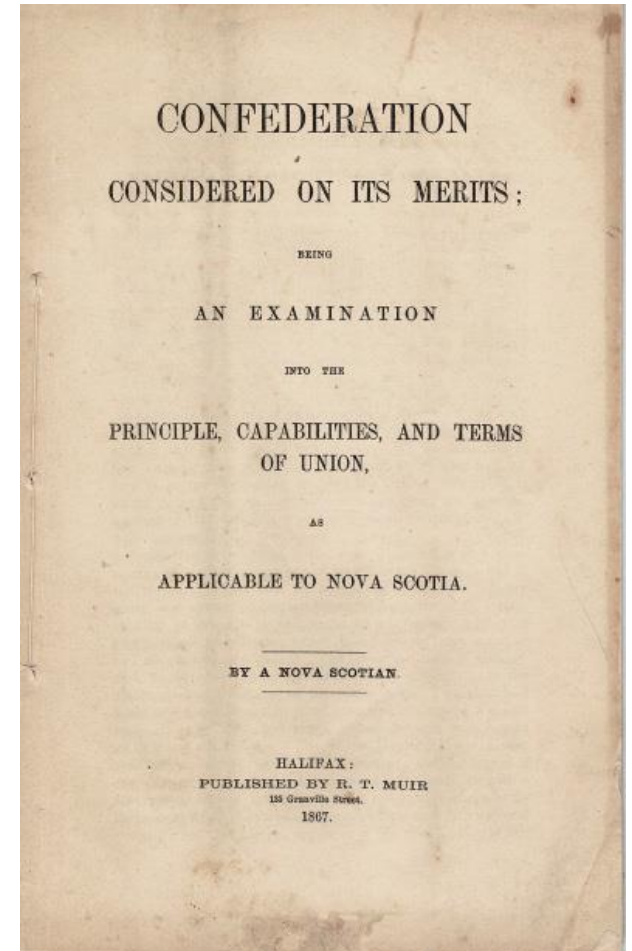
A standard reference.



39. [MARSHALL, John George].

Confederation Considered on its Merits; an Examination into the Principle, Capabilities, and Terms of Union, as Applicable to Nova Scotia. By a Nova Scotian. Halifax. Published by R.T. Muir. **1867**. 8vo. 23cm, 35p., string-tied, creased, self printed wraps, slightly toned, very good 150.00

T.P. L. 4562. Sabin 15426. Very positive arguments for Nova Scotia joining Confederation by prominent Nova Scotian lawyer, judge & politician, John George Marshall (1786-1880). Although published anonymously, the pamphlet is attributed by Canadian Archives to Marshall. Unusual in that it is not listed in Lande "Confederation Pamphlets".

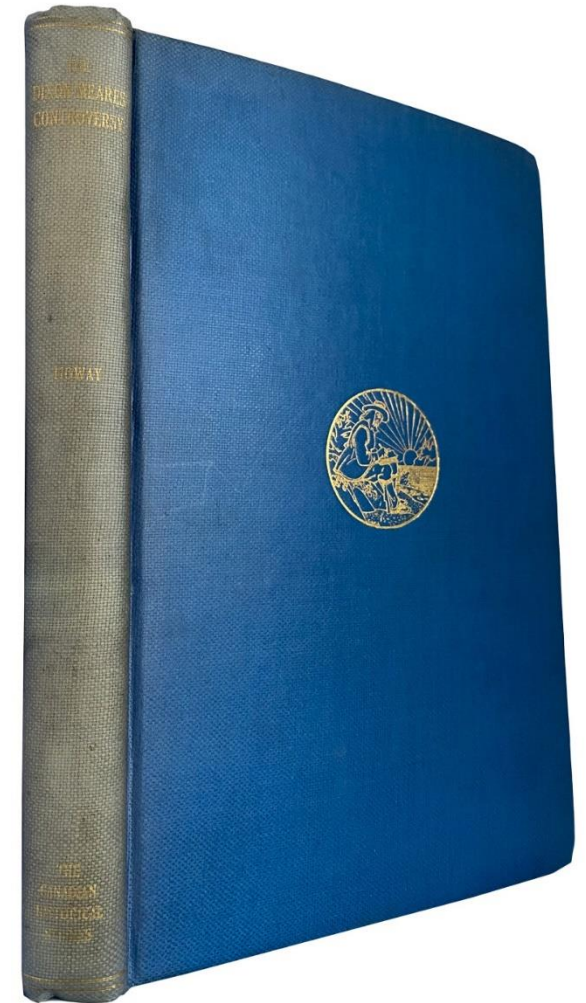


40. [MEARES]. HOWAY, Frederic W. (Edited by)

The Dixon-Meares Controversy. Containing Remarks on the Voyages of John Meares by George Dixon, An Answer to Mr. George Dixon by John Meares, and Further Remarks on the Voyages of John Meares, by George Dixon. The Canadian Historical Studies, A Library of Historical Research. General Editor, Lorne Pierce. Toronto. The Ryerson Press. & Montreal, New York, London. Louis Carrier & Co. 1929. 24cm, xii,156p. with 8 maps and plates, limited to 500 numbered copies, this being #230, title page printed in blue and black, original blue cloth, gilt titles and crest on the upper cover, top edge dyed blue the rest untrimmed, spine sunned, titles visible otherwise fine

100.00

T.P.L. 609. Strathern 262. Howes H714. Smith 4708. Reprinting three pamphlets: Remarks on the Voyages of John Meares... by George Dixon - An Answer to Mr. George Dixon, Late Commander of the Queen Charlotte. ... by John Meares. - Further Remarks on the Voyages of John Meares, in which several important Facts, misrepresented in the said Voyages, ... By George Dixon.



41. [MOREAU, Jacob-Nicolas].

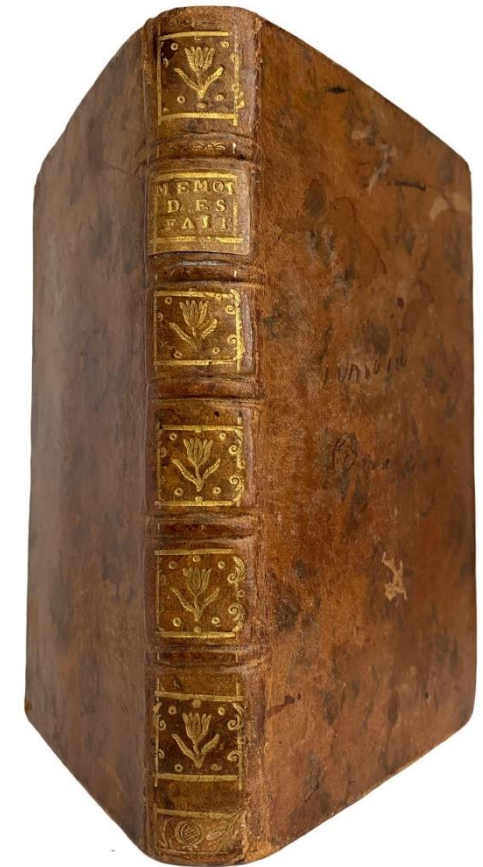
Memoire contenant le Precis des Faits avec leurs Pieces justificatives Memoire contenant le Précis des Faits avec leurs Pièces justificatives, pour servir de Réponse aux Observation. [sic] envoyées par les Ministres d'Angleterre dans les Cours de l'Europe. Paris. De L'Imprimerie Royale. **1756**. 12mo., vii,[1],70, 73-276p., in contemporary full mottled calf, real raised bands, gilt borders and decorations in the panels, gilt roll decorations on the board edges, edges dyed red in the style of the day, marbled endpapers, a fine copy

3,000.00

Pages 71-72 omitted in the pagination without text loss. The Pièce No. IX is misnumbered XI.

T.P.L. 250. Lande 657. Vlach 549. Howes M791 (incorrect pagination). Sabin 47511. JCB I-1123. Dionne II-548. vide Gagnon II-1369 and Streeter II-1013 (first 4to edition published the same year).

The French had issued a Memorial, presenting her side in the dispute with England; the English had replied with their Observations on that Memorial which they sent to the European nations, in which they stated their position on the Ohio region, put forth their claims to the area west of the Alleghanies, and justified their belligerence. This is the French reply to the Observations, accusing the English of unwarranted aggression and war-mongering, and accusing Washington of having assassinated de Jumonville. This work embodies extracts from Washington's Journal (pp. 105-144) taken on his surrender of Fort Necessity and, although in translation, it is the first printing of those extracts, which are not to be confused with his first Journal which was printed at Williamsburg two years earlier. There are also documents and letters by Albemarle, Braddock, Villiers, Sir William Johnson, Stobo and Washington. A very important document pertaining to the colonial history of America, and the importance of the results of the even Years' War (French and Indian War).



42. [Newspaper/Quebec. 1814].

The Quebec Mercury. Vol. X]. - Tuesday, April 19, 1814. - [No. 16. Quebec City. Printed & Published for Thomas Cary. 1814. 4to. 28x 22.5cm, pp.121-128, printed in 3 columns, classifieds, ads., loose sheets stapled in upper left corner, former owner, Bordon Clark, Old Authors Farm, his faint stamp on header, spine edge tattered else fine

100.00

An early copy of the English language weekly newspaper published during the War of 1812. Much content & classifieds relate to the War and the Napoleonic War. "The 16th Foot and the 7th batt. of the 60th Regiment are under orders to embark for America." Also candidates for the general election in the County of Quebec are given. The newspaper is stamped from the library of Sandford Fleming, noted for engineering both Intercolonial Railway and CPR.

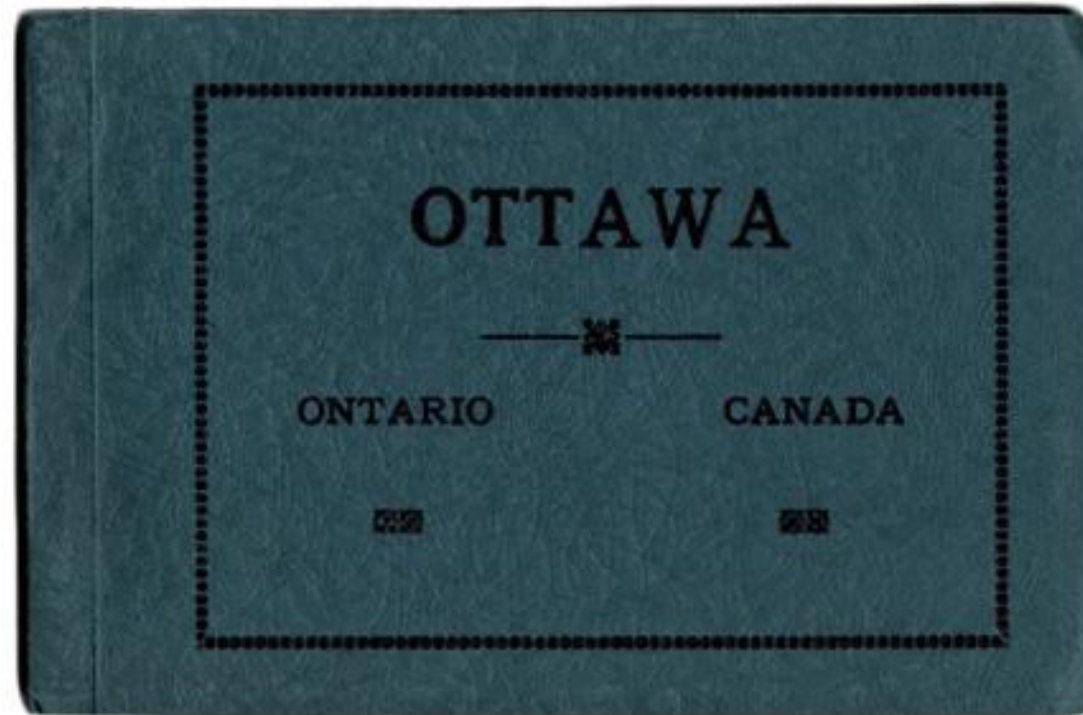
Many people of the day felt this stamp and the John A. Macdonald stamp (not to mention two of the John A. bookplates) were bogus. Borden insisted he had purchased Fleming's library and was using the stamp to keep track of which book had come from that library. However many book buyers and collectors felt it was being by the tinkers hand. See McDade. Thieves of Book Row, who accords Borden Clark extensive coverage. Borden was a great story teller, some of which were based on fact. He told me to get out of Ottawa. He was on Sussex Street in Ottawa during the war and that he watched all the books in Ottawa being trucked down Sussex and over the bridge to Hull in the paper drive.



43. [OTTAWA]. View Book

Ottawa. Ontario. Canada. (cover-title). N.p. N.d. c. [1940's]. oblong 16mo, 11x 16cm, un-paginated, being 26 black & white titled photographs, printed blue pebbled card wraps, title in black, good clear images, in fine condition 40.00

Interesting collection of photographs of Ottawa buildings including Chateau Laurier, Civic Hospital, Royal Mint, Government House, New Collegiate Institute (now Glebe Collegiate), Victoria Museum, Dominion Observatory. Also views of the Rideau Canal, Bank Street Bridge, Elgin Street, Interprovincial Bridge, Hull, Chaudiere Falls.

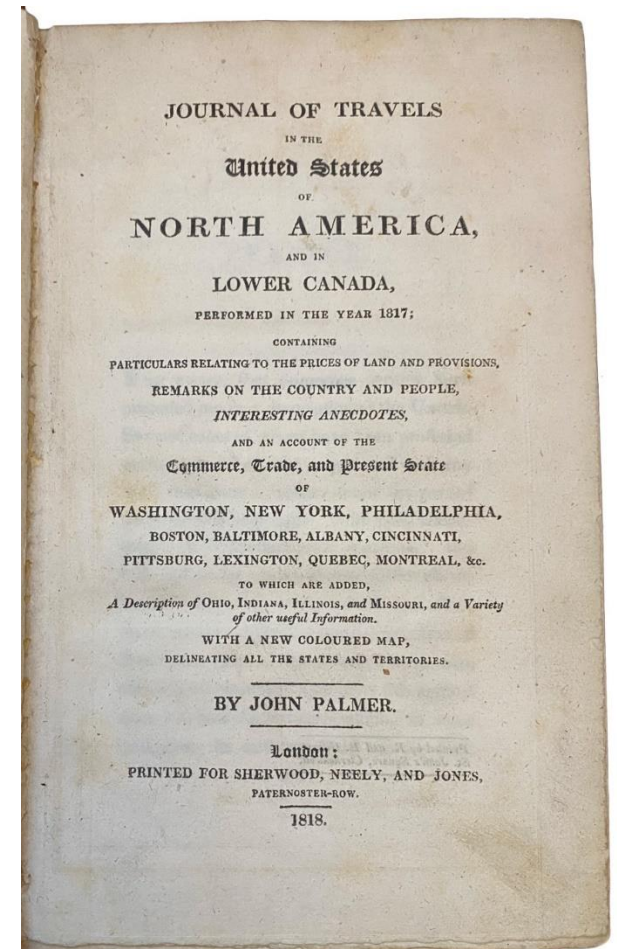


44. PALMER, John

Journal of Travels in the United States of North America, and in Lower Canada, performed in the Year 1817; Containing Particulars Relating to the Prices of Land and Provisions, Remarks on the Country and People, Interesting Anecdotes, and an Account of the Commerce, Trade, and Present State of Washington, New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Albany, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Lexington, Quebec, Montreal, &c. To Which Are Added a Description of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri, and a Variety of Other Useful Information. With a New Coloured Map, Delineating All the States and Territories. London. Printed for Sherwood, Neely, and Jones. **1818**. 8vo, 22.2cn, The First Edition vii,[1],456p. WANTING the folding map, rebound in brown cloth, gilt spine titles, very good to fine thus, rare 500.00

Howes P-49. Sabin 58360.

"Gives a description of the author's travels through Ohio"--Thomson, 902. "A valuable book on the early West recounting the author's journeys in 1817. His numerous references to Kentucky, the state of society, river boats, slavery, Lexington, Limestone (Maysville), Augusta, and several Kentucky taverns"--Coleman 3433. "Mr. Palmer travelled through all, or the greater part of the country he describes; but he confesses that the outlines of his travels were filled up from other books. A plain man of good sense and no judgment"--Edinburgh and Monthly Review.

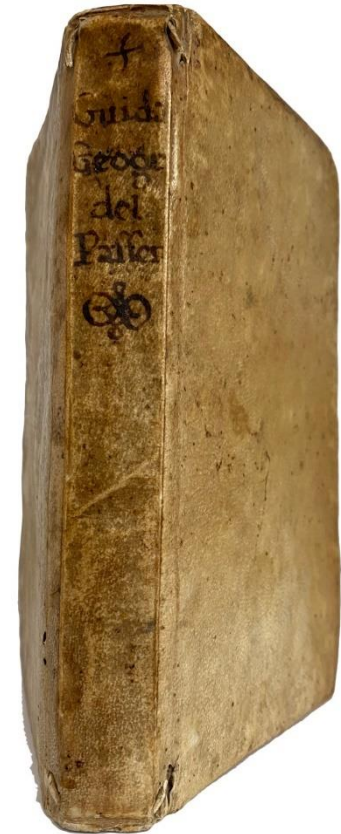


45. PASSERONE, Ludovico.

Guida Geografica, Overo Compendiosa Descrizione del Globo Terreno: Premessa una Brive Notizia di Tutto l'Universo. Venice. Presso Nicolò Pezzana. (device). **1718**. 12mo, 15cm, 264p., a few copper text engravings, and a few decorated initial letters, drop caps, complete with half title, in contemporary full vellum, early ownership inscription on first blank, half-title and title; contemporary ink scoring-out a name on the title has created a small hole, not affecting text, ms spine titles, a very good copy, very rare

750.00

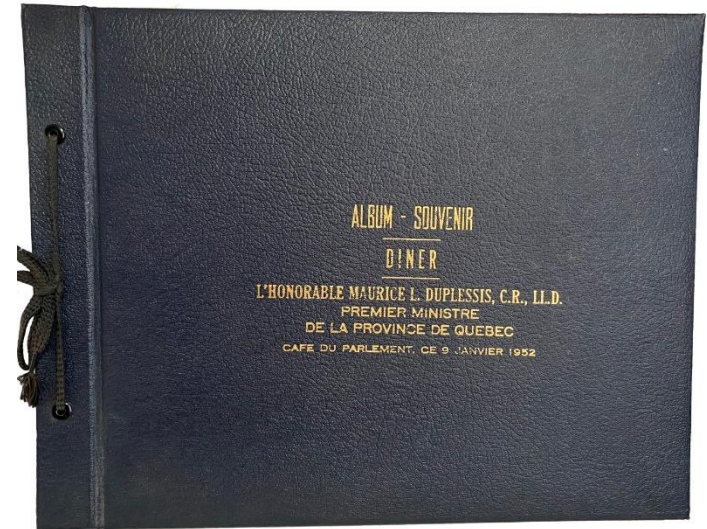
Alden. European-Americana 718/142. The first portion of this text on cosmography and geography was first published in Bologna in 1674(?). This work appears to be a reprint of the 1706 edition, in which the three parts of the texts were first published together. The geography section includes a small amount of information on the Americas.



46. [QUEBEC. Duplessis].

Album - Souvenir - Diner - L'Honorable Maurice L. Duplessis, C.R., L.L.D. Premier Minstre de la Province de Quebec. Café du Parlement, ce9, Janvier 1952. (Cover title). Np. Nd. [1952]. oblong folio, 25.5x 31cm, [10] leaves, with 42 professional mounted photographs, including 3 - 9.5x 24cm [4.25" x 9.5"]., and 39 - 9.5x 12cm- [3.75"x 4.25"], mounted 4 on a page, in dark blue morocco grain fabrikoid, string tied, in fine as new condition 300.00

A souvenir photo album of a dinner hosted by "L'Honorable Maurice Duplessis, Premier Ministre de la Province de Québec au Café du Parlement", on the 9th January 1952. He was the 16th Premier of Quebec, or remembered as the "Great Darkness". Raymond Johnston, the highly regarded (loved) member for Pontiac (Temiscaming) Témiscamingue, is clearly seen on photograph 3, on page 7.



You can judge this book by its cover

47. QUEBEC View Book.

Quebec, The Gibraltar of America. A Series of Views showing the natural fortification together with artificial fortification and quaint architecture which is only found in this old Canadian Capitol, together with views of Montmorency and the village and church of Ste. de Beaupre, Lake St. John and the Saguenay River. Quebec City. Ant. Langlois. N.d. [191?]. oblong 4to. 20x 27cm, [64]p., being 62 full-page photographs, illustrated colour green wraps, string-bound, slight chipping to edges, 4cm chip from upper spine, very good copy, scarce 150.00

Cover title: Souvenir Album. Quebec, Montmorency Falls, Ste Anne de Beaupre, Lake St. John and Saguenay River. Aurora 1 copy. Not to be confused with another book with a similar title: Quebec, The Gibraltar of America/or Quebec Illustrated, The Gibraltar of America... published by The James Bayne Company, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 8vo format, printed several times in the 1890's. For a while in the 1970-90's these were common. This is the first time we have had this title.



With 50 double page maps by Rigobert Bonne

A better than very good complete set in contemporary binding

Surveying the state of the colonies of Africa, Asia and the two Americas

48. RAYNAL, Abbé [Guillaume-Thomas-Francois].

Histoire Philosophique et Politique des Etablissemens et du Commerce des Européens dans les deux Indes. Geneva. Jean-Leonard Pellet. **1780**. 4to, 25,5x 19cm, in Five volumes, including Atlas.

Quartos. Complete with half titles,

V1: xvi, 741,[1],[Errata]pp., engraved frontis portrait, 1 engraved plate,

V2: viii,485,[1],[Errata]pp., engraved frontis plate

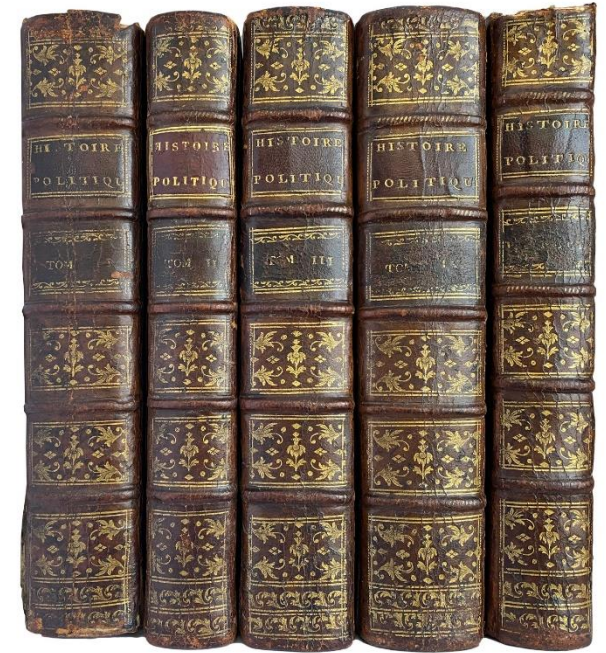
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V4: viii,770,[1],[Errata]pp., engraved frontis plate

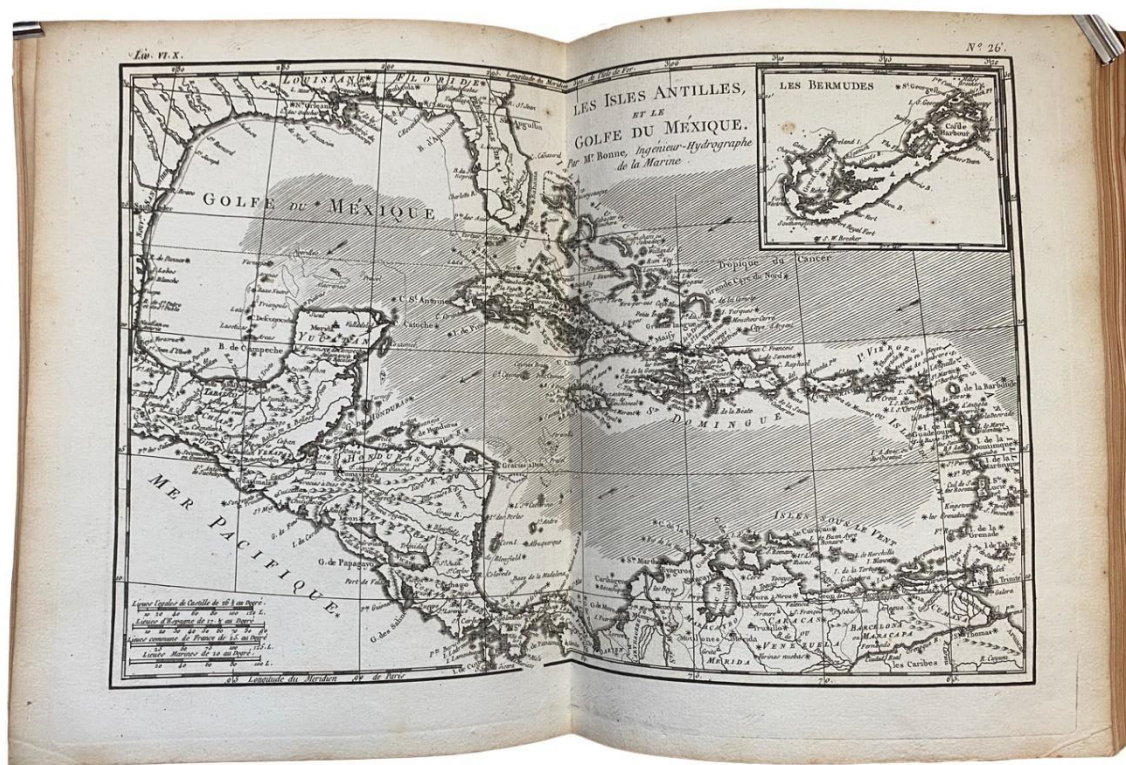
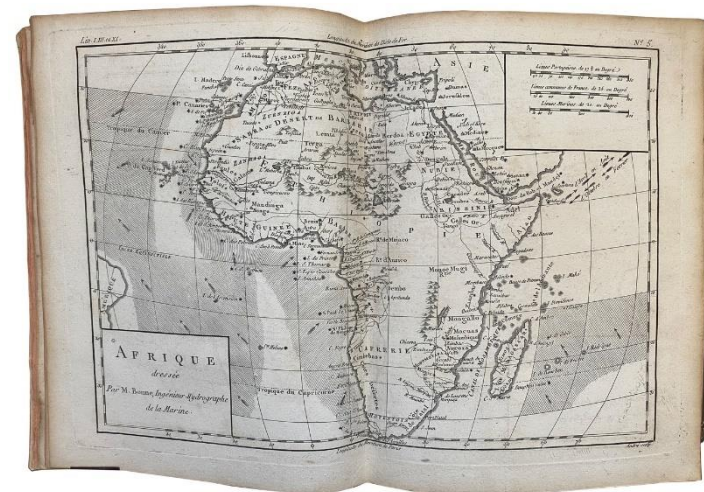
V5: Atlas: 28pp; plus 50 double-page engraved "25.4x 38cm, maps [17, 17 bis, 18-49], all by Rigobert Bonne, and 23 tables (12 folding), The frontis portrait in volume I is by Cochin, and the four engraved plates are after Moreau. old neat repair to verso of one map (no loss), in contemporary quarter calf, real raised bands, spines panels ornately gilt decorated, original gilt-stamped morocco labels, marbled boards, all edges dyed publishers' red, some wear on some edges, front comers on the boards bumped, some occasional slight foxing and/or toning, a better than very good complete set in contemporary binding 9,000.00cn

Sabin 68081. - This edition not in Aurora, Howes, Lande, T.P.L., Goldsmith, Kress, Echeveria & Wilkie,

A large part of the work is said to have been written by Diderot, and others. The sentiments and criticisms contained in it prevented its publication in France, therefore the Abbé Raynal, according to Quérard, caused three copies to be first printed at Paris by Stoupe, one of which he left in the care of the printer the second he reserved for himself, and the third



he sent to Geneva to be reprinted as above. The book was condemned by the French parliament and church dignitaries, and Raynal was obliged to leave France". (Sabin). ..." Surveying the state of the colonies of Africa, Asia and the two Americas, the author writes in true Voltairean tradition, and severely criticizes the incursion of European political maneuvering. Because of its anti-slavery, anti-colonialist and anti-clerical sentiments, this work was, in 1781, condemned to be burned "comme impie, blasphématoire, séditieux, tendant a soulever les peuples contre l'autorité souveraine et à renverser les principes fondamentaux de l'ordre civil. " - (Peignot II: 71). The work continued to be printed outside of Paris, despite the watchful eye of spies and agents. (see Robert Darnton, *The Literary Underground of the Old Regime*, p. 64).

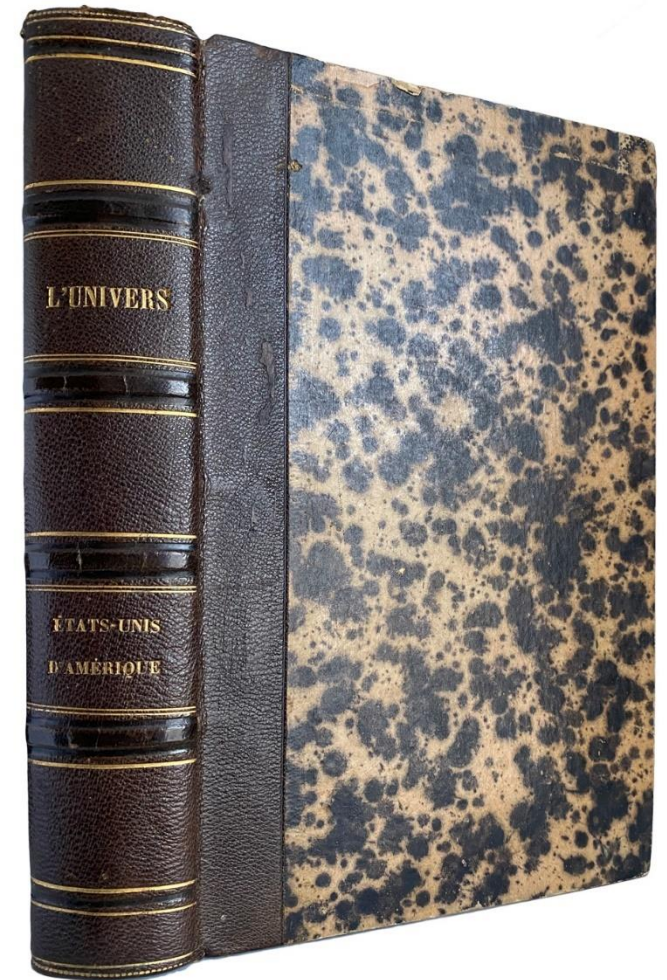


49. ROUX DE ROCHELLE , M.
(J E An-baptist E- Gaspard, 1762-1849)

Etats-Unis d'Amerique. Paris. Firmin Didot Freres, Editeurs. **1837**. 8vo., 20.2cm,
First Edition, 400,[2,1]p., with 96 steel engraved plates, double page engraved map,
printed in double columns, in contemporary quarter brown morocco, blind ruled raised
bands and gilt borders in the panels, gilt titles, marbled boards and endpapers, often
found in poor condition this is a fine copy 200.00

As in all the volumes in this extensive series, "L'Univers: pittoresque, histoire et
description de tous les peuples, the plates are excellent detailed images, their subjects
include Native Americans, early American settlers, politics, etc.

Howes R-475. Sabin 73516. Monaghan, French Travellers. 1272. - M. Roux de
Rochelle was French minister to the United States from 1829-1831.



Brought to Quebec and Imprisoned

50. SHEBBEARE, John

Le Peuple Instruit; ou Les Alliances dans lesquelles les Ministres de Le Peuple Instmit;
ou Les Alliances dans lesquelles les Ministres de la Grande-Bretagne ont engage la Nation ...

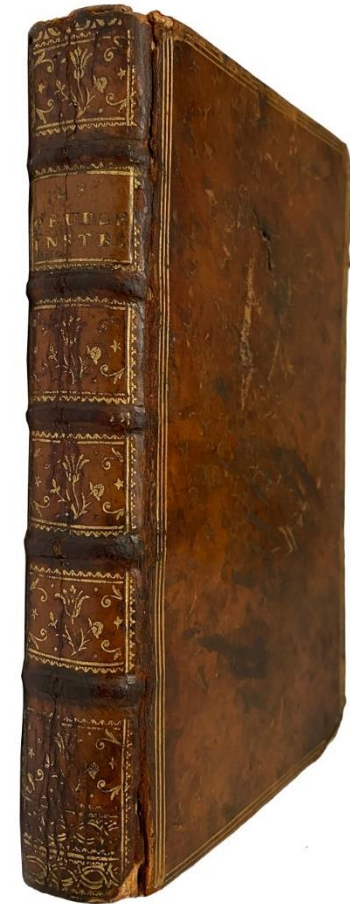
[bound with]:

Le Peuple Juge, ou Considerations sur lesquelles le Peuple Anglois pourra decider si la
Lettre qu'on attribue dans le Precis des Faits a S.A.,R. le Duc de Cumberland, est bien
veritablement de ce Prince. ... [Paris]. **1756**. 12mo, 2 volumes in One, xxiv,212 & viii,160pp.,
in full ontemporary mottled calf, real raised bands, gilt decorations and borders in the panels,
crushed morocco label, triple gilt ruled boders on the boards, marbled endpapers, all edges
dyed red in the style of the day, 19th c. ownership notation on first blank, old institutional
stamp on the firrst title page, corner worn, generally a clean, tight, very good to fine copy

900.00

Not in TPL. vide JCB 1142 (Eng. ed.). Sabin 80054. Howes S368.

This work, translated from the English edition of the same year by Edmond Genet,
discusses the trouble between England and France, which was caused by the French seizure
of those British citizens from the American colonies who happened to be trading with the
Indians along the Ohio River. These men were brought to Quebec and imprisoned there. This
was, of course, but one manifestation of the friction arising from the competition along the
trade routes during these critical years.



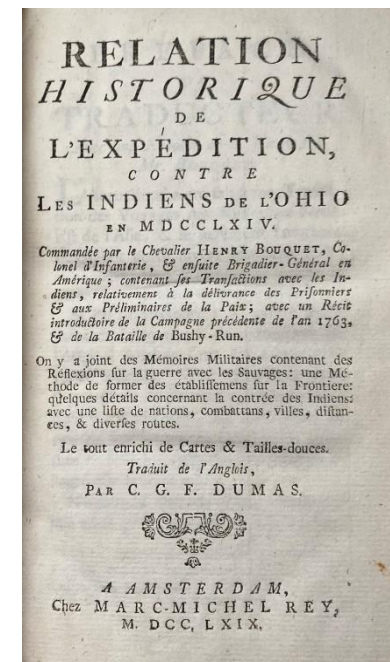
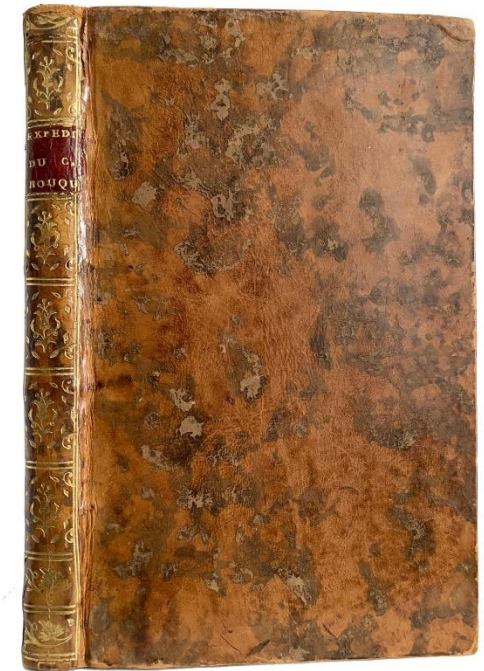
A Fine Copy of an Important Work

51. SMITH, William (1727-1803).

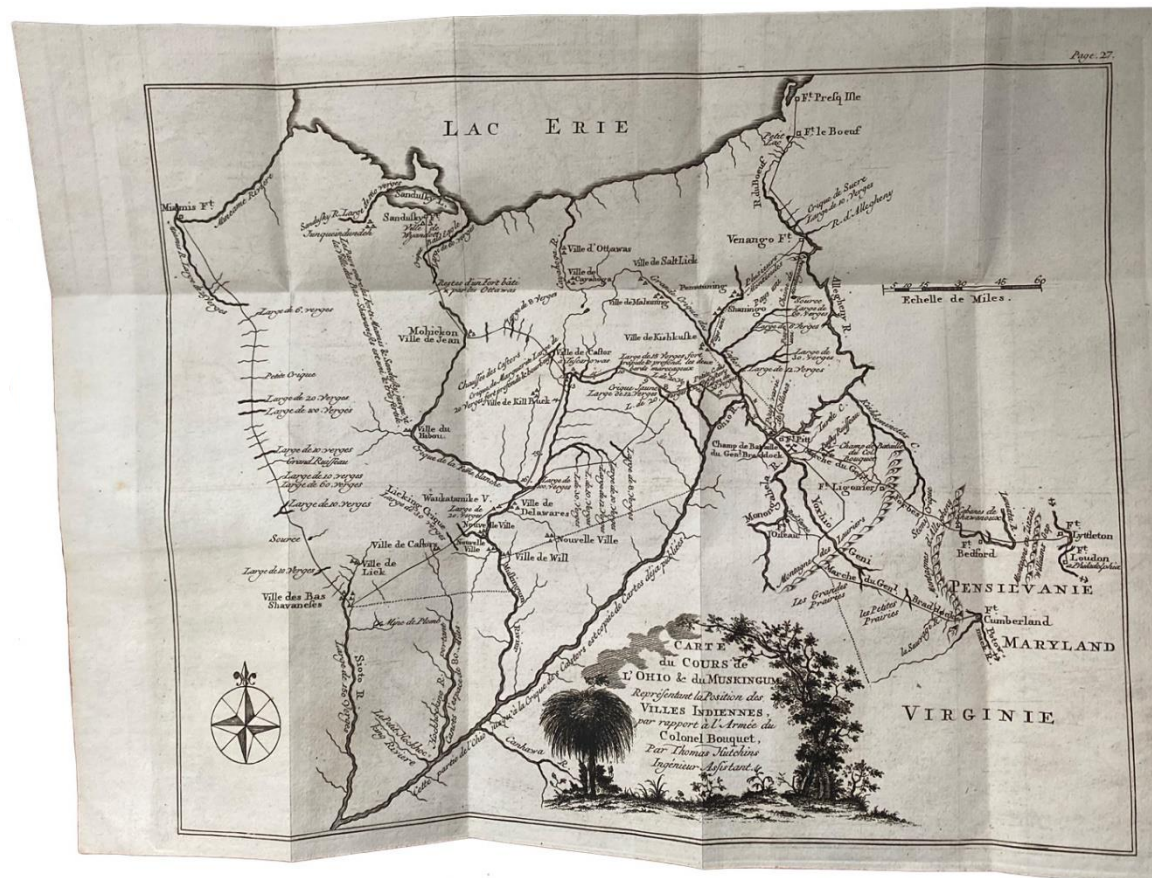
Relation Historique de L'Expedition contre Les Indiens de l'Ohio en MDCCLXIV. Commandée par le Chevalier Henry Bouquet, Colonel d'Infanterie, & ensuite Brigadier-Général en Amérique; contenant ses Transactions avec les Indiens, relativement a la délivrance des Prisonniers & aux Préliminaires de la Paix; avec un Récit introductaire de la Campagne précédente de l'an 1763, & de la Bataille de Bushy-Run. On y a joint des Mémoires Militaires contenant des Réflexions sur la guerre avec les Sauvages: une Méthode de former des établissemens sur la Frontiere [sic]: quelques détails concernant la contrée des Indiens: avec une list de nations, combattans, villes, distances, & diverses routes.

Amsterdam. Marc-Michel Rey. **1769**. 8vo, 19.6cm, The First Edition in French. xvi,147, [1] (Instructions to the Binder), [9] (Table des Matieres), with 2 engraved plates and 4 engraved folding maps and plans; one plan and several military routes included in the text; pp. [vi & vii] misnumbered vii & viii, contemporary full mottled calf, ornately gilt decorated spine panels with crushed crimson morocco label gilt, original marbled endpapers, all edges dyed red in the style of the day, a fine clean copy in contemporary binding, complete with half-title

4,500.00



Howes S701. Sabin 84647. Field 1443. The first edition was published in Philadelphia in 1765; this translation, by C. G. F. Dumas, is from the first London edition of 1766; the plates are after those, also in the London edition, by Benjamin West. This is the first edition to include a biography of Bouquet, whose expedition in 1763 to relieve Fort Pitt from the siege of Shawnees, Delawares and other Indian tribes was an indication of England's strength in the Ohio Valley at the close of the Seven Years' War [the French and Indian War in North America]. He was, however, unable to follow up his victory at Bushy Run due to lack of men and the depredations by the Indians continued. In 1764 General Gage dispatched him again and this time he was able to force treaties of peace upon the tribes and was successful in obtaining the release of prisoners. "This campaign gave Pontiac's conspiracy its death-blow. " -(Howes).

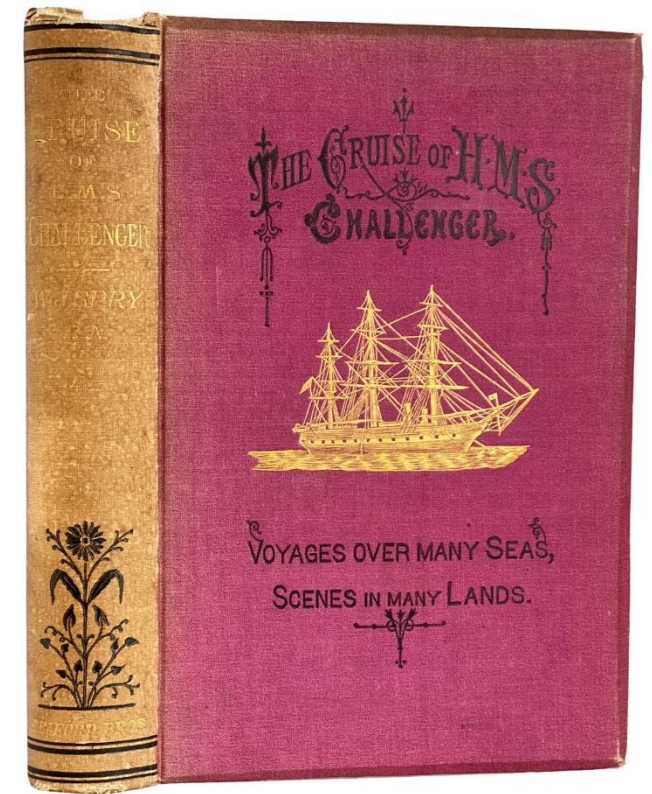


52. SPRY, W.J.J.

The Cruise of Her Majesty's Ship "Challenger." Voyages over many seas, scenes in many lands. |Toronto. Belford Brothers, Publishers. **1877**. 8vo, First Canadian Edition, xviii,387,[1],[26]p., Belford illustrated catalogue, frontis view and 8 plates from engravings, folding map (showing the track of the "Challenger" around the world), many half and text illustrations, original mauve pictorial cloth, bevelled boards, titles and pictorial stamped in black and gilt on the spine and cover, spine and gilt titles somewhat faded as usual, top spine edge a bit frayed, a very good copy of the first Canadian edition 250.00

The Belford Illustrated Catalogue is interesting. It contains 6 full page engraved illustrations from books listed, which is usual. The catalogue is revealing from the Canadian Editions point of view, contain many notables from the era, including Will Carleton, N.F. Davin, M.A. Fleming, G.M. Grant, Garneau, F.H. Bret Harte, W.D. Howells, H.B. Stowe, Mark Twain - Tom Sawyer & Old Times on the Mississippi, A. Trollope, etc., ... listing some sixty plus titles, many with lengthy descriptions. - Fascinating.

A private account of the Challenger expedition (1872-76), one of the most ambitious scientific voyages of the 19th century. Scientific observations among various Atlantic Islands, the West Indies, the Cape of Good Hope, the Antarctic regions, Australia, New Zealand, New Guinea, the Moluccas, the Philippines, Hong Kong, Japan, Hawaii and other Pacific Islands, Chile, Straits of Magellan.



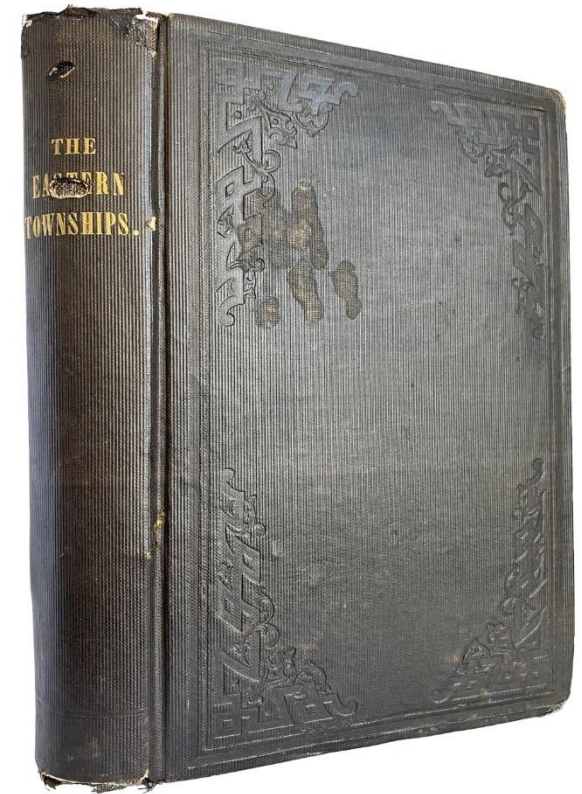
53. THOMAS, C.[yrus] (1836-1908).

Contributions to the History of the Eastern Townships: a Work Containing an Account of the Early Settlement of St. Armand, Dunham, Sutton, Brome, Potton, and Bolton; with a History of the Principal Events That Have Transpired in Each of These Townships up to the Present Time. Montreal. Printed by John Lovell. **1866**. 12mo. 18cm, First Edition, 376p., in the original blind stamped dark brown cloth, gilt titles on the spine, blind stamped border decorations on the boards, top and bottom spine edges frayed, small puncture in the middle word of the title, otherwise a very good to fine copy, scarce, our only other copy was in catalogue 151. 350.00

T.P.L. 4542. Dionne III-1319. Beaulieu, p45. Not in Sabin. A scarce, contemporary view of the history of the eastern townships of Quebec, containing valuable biographical information and descriptions of the villages as they existed in the nineteenth century.

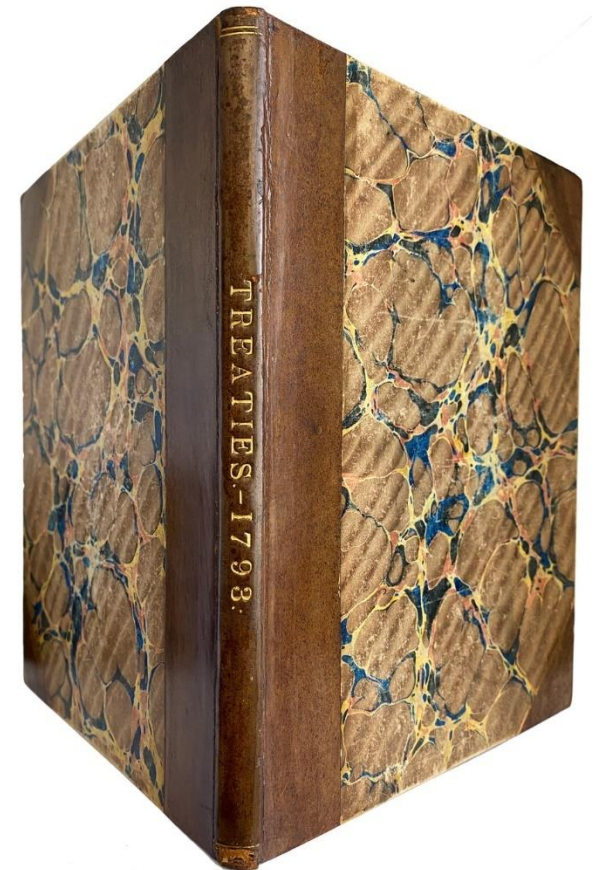
Morgan p371. "These contributions to the history of the Eastern Townships give an account of the early settlement of St. Armand, Dunham, Sutton, Brome, Potton and Bolton; with a history of the principal events that have transpired in each up to the present time. The work is simply but cleverly written, and has evidently cost the author considerable time and trouble" - Transcript (Mont).

"... to the individual inclined to regard the work as one unworthy the attention of the public, that it will be far more becoming in him – considering the want of histories of the Townships..." preface. Thomas was born in Troy, N.Y. He became a school teacher and taught in various places in the Eastern Townships. This was his first book. He also wrote The History of Shefford, Montreal, 1877; The Frontier Schoolmaster, Montreal, 1880; History of the Counties of Argenteuil, Que., and Prescott, Ont., Montreal, 1896; and The Rev. John and a Few Philanthropists. Montreal, 1903. - Wallace DCB.



54. [TREATIES - 1793].

Convention between His Britannick Majesty and the Empress of Russia. Signed at London the 25th of March, 1793. [2 treaties]; [with]: Treaty between His Britannick Majesty and the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel. Signed at Cassel, the 10th of April, 1793. [with]: Convention between His Britannick Majesty and the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel. Signed at Maykammer, the 23d of April, 1793. [with]: Treaty between His Britannick Majesty and the King of Sardinia. Signed at London, the 25th of April, 1793. [with]: Treaty between His Britannick Majesty and the King of Spain. Signed at Aranjuez, the 25th of May, 1793. [with]: Convention between His Britannick Majesty and His Sicilian Majesty. Signed at Naples, the 12th of July, 1793. [with]: Convention between His Britannick Majesty and the King of Prussia. Signed at the Camp before Mayence, the 14th of July, 1793. [with]: Convention between His Majesty the Emperor, and His Britannick Majesty. Signed at London, the 30th of August, 1793. [with]: Treaty between His Britannick Majesty and the Margrave of Baden. Signed at Carlsruhe, the 21st of September, 1793. [with]: Treaty between His Britannick Majesty and the Queen of Portugal. Signed at London, the 16th of September, 1793. [with]: Treaty between His Britannick Majesty and the Landgrave of Hesse Darmstadt. Signed at Langen Candel, the 5th of October, 1793.



London. Printed by Edward Johnston. 1793. 4to, 23x 17.5cm, 8p., & 8p., & 16p., & 5p., & [1], 7p., & 6p., & 9p., & 7p., & 7p., & 13p., & 6p., & 13p. ~ altogether 12 treaties, each with its own printed title, bound in 19th century half-calf and marbled boards, gilt titles along the spine, text in double columns, in French and English, except for one which is printed in English only, some slight edge wear else a fine copy, rare 1,500.00cn

An important collection of treaties uniting most of the western European countries and Russia against the aggression of newly-Republican France, who had, in 1792, declared war on Austria, Prussia and Sardinia. The First Coalition promised each other mutual support, the closing of their respective ports to French vessels, sanctions against France, and promises of continuing the war against France until all land seized by the French had been returned to rightful owners.

J.F. Pringle's Copy with his Signature on the free fly, dated 12th, July, 1851.

55. WILTON, John Hall.

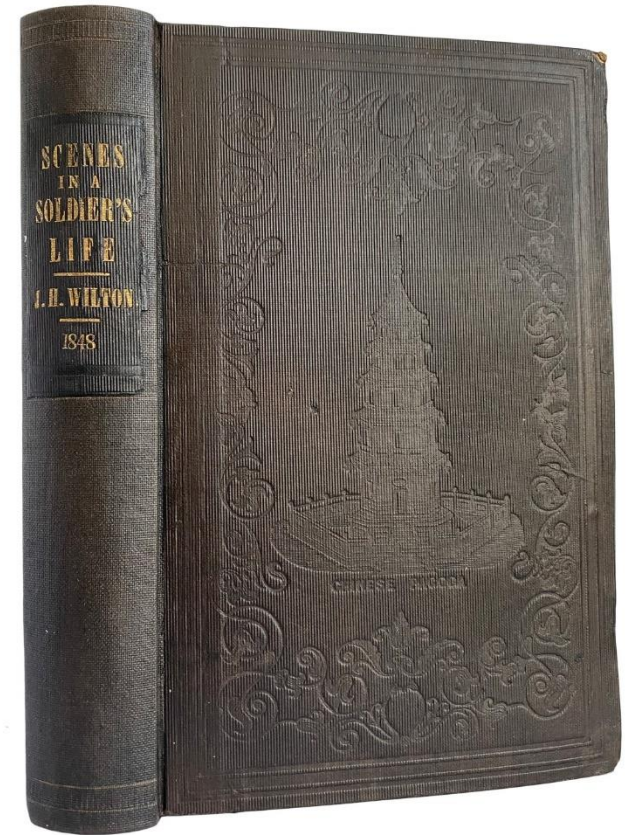
Scenes in a Soldier's Life: Being a Connected Narrative of the Principal Military Events in Scinde, Beeloochistan, and Affghanistan, During 1839, 1840, 1841, 1842, and 1843. Under Generals Lord Keane, Brooks, Sir R. Sale, Wiltshire, Pollock, Nott, England, M'caskill, and Sir C. Napier.

Montreal. R. and C. Chalmers & London, Longman and Co. & New York. Berford and Company. 1848. 16mo, 17cm, The First Edition, 390,[1]p., publisher's ad., announcing two forthcoming books by the author of "Scenes in a Soldier's Life", original blind stamped dark brown cloth, with image of a Chinese pagoda in blind on the cover, expertly re-backed with the original gilt title label relayed, some light foxing throughout, otherwise a fine copy - J.F. Pringle's Copy with his Signature on the free fly, dated 12th, July, 1851. 1,200.00

Dionne III-559. Gagnon I-3719. WorldCat 4 locations, all in Canada. There was another printing /edition in 1860, called Third Edition. Contains a 14p. list of subscribers giving names, address, and numbers of copies, featuring many British, Canadian, and Irish military men. The many Canadian names is interesting in light of Sir John Richardso's comments a few years earlier regarding the scarcity of sales of Canadian Brothers, A Tale of the War of 1812.

An eyewitness account of the First Afghan War. Wilton kept a daily journal during war and not only detailed military events but also any murders, assassinations, and personal treacheries within the ranks. He served with the 40th Regiment under General Sir John Keane and later emigrated to Canada after retiring from the army.

Pringle, Jacob Farrand (1816-1901), jurist and historian, was born in Valenciennes, France, and later settled in Cornwall, Upper Canada. He was educated at the Cornwall grammar school; and was called to the bar of Upper Canada in 1838. From 1866 to within a short time fore his death, he was county judge of Stormont, Dundas, and Glengary. He was the author of a valuable local history, Lunenburgh, or the old Easter District, Cornwall, 1890. -Wallace. DCB.



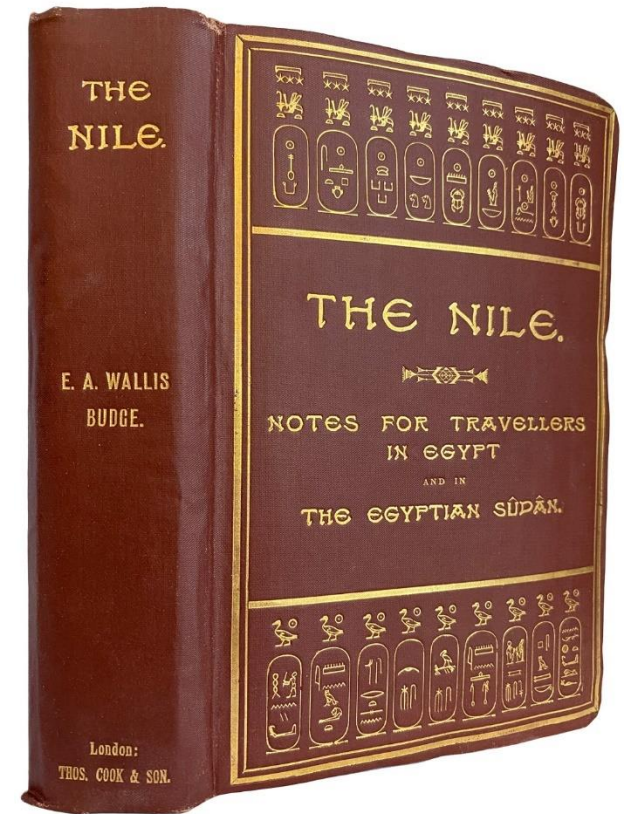
MISCELLANEOUS RARE & ANTIQUARIAN BOOKS

56. [BUDGE, E[rnest].A[lfred] Wallis, Sir (1857-1934).

The Nile. Notes for Travellers in Egypt and in The Egyptian Sudan. London & Cairo. Thos. Cook & Son (Egypt), Ltd. 1912. 12mo, 18cm, 12th edition, xx,[2],(publisher's adverts), 2,1094p., folding map & numerous illustrations, text line illustrations, several maps and plans throughout text, Publisher's flexible brown cloth, gilt spine titles, gilt borders, titles and decorations on the cover, repeated in blind on the bottom cover, French marbled endpapers and edges, fine condition

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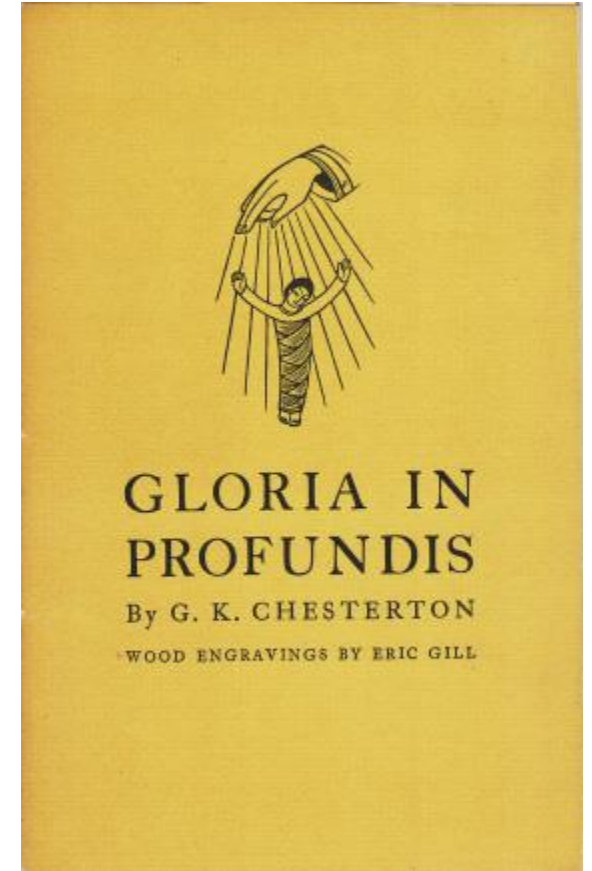
A historical guide to Egypt by the eminent scholar. Sir Wallis Budge was Britain's foremost Egyptologist and a career archaeologist at the British Museum. Of humble birth, Budge went to live with his grandmother in London and as a boy became interested in the Assyrian language, spending his spare time studying at the British Museum. The Keeper of Oriental Antiquities took notice of his interest, showed him cuneiform tablets and provided him with books. Two patrons subsequently funded his studies at Cambridge University, where he excelled at Semitic Languages," and he was afterwards hired by the British Museum in their Egyptian section. Budge travelled to Istanbul, Iraq and Egypt and other areas of the Near East for the Museum, on the search for quality artefacts to add to the Museum's collection. He was Keeper of the Department of Egyptology from 1894 to 1924, and during his time, the Museum amassed the best collection of Egyptian and Assyrian antiquities in the world. As a prolific author, Sir Wallis Budge wrote many works on Egyptian religious beliefs and practices. He was knighted in 1920 for his contribution to Egyptian scholarship and the British Museum. This historical travel guide to Egypt was first published in 1902 and reprinted in many editions.



57. CHESTERTON, G. K. 1874-1936.

Gloria in Profundis. [London. Faber & Gwyer. 1927]. 18.6cm., [6]p., 1 wood engraved plate, (title), printed yellow wraps, woodcut engraved vignette illustrations on the cover, colophon on the bottom wrapper, the jacket is perfectly split along the spine edge, otherwise a fine copy 75.00

Eric Gill (1882-1940). "This is Number 5 of The Ariel Poems.". A poem by Chesterton, the author of numerous works of fiction, essays, poems, as well as historical and literary criticism. Chesterton was a major literary figure much revered by western intellectuals in the early part of the 20th century.



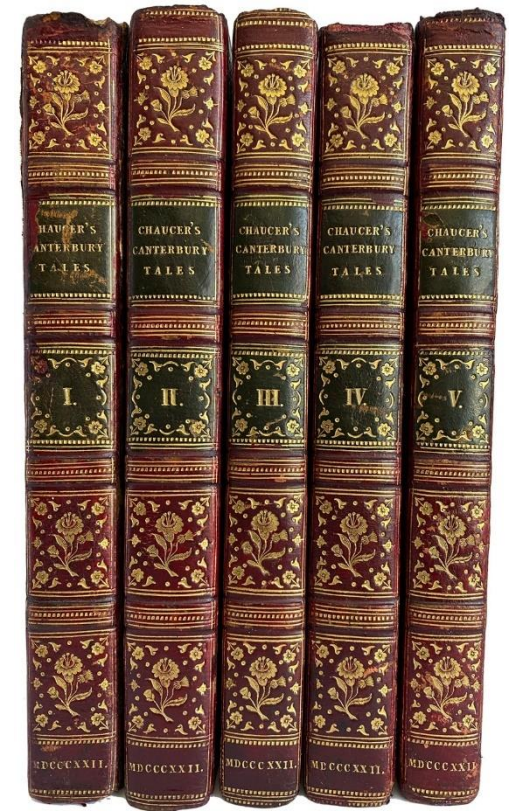
Published by William Pickering - Dublin Fine Binding

58. CHAUCER, Geoffrey

The Canterbury Tales by Chaucer; with an essay upon his language and versification, an introductory discourse, notes, and a glossary, by T. Tyrwhitt, Esq. London, Printed for W. Pickering and R. and S. Prowett, **1822**. 8vo, 18.8cm, in 5 volumes, lx,284 & [6],354 & [6],291 & [6],344 & ix,[1],300pp., complete with frontis portrait and plate in Vol. I, in full contemporary red crushed morocco, wide gilt ruled raised bands, floral decorations in the panels and gilt ruled borders, triple gilt rule borders on the boards, gilt inner dentelles, all edges gilt, crushed dark green morocco labels, bookplate in each volume, fine binding with ticket "Bound by Geo Mullen, Dublin", some slight wear on some edges, very good to fine set of the scarce Pickering printing

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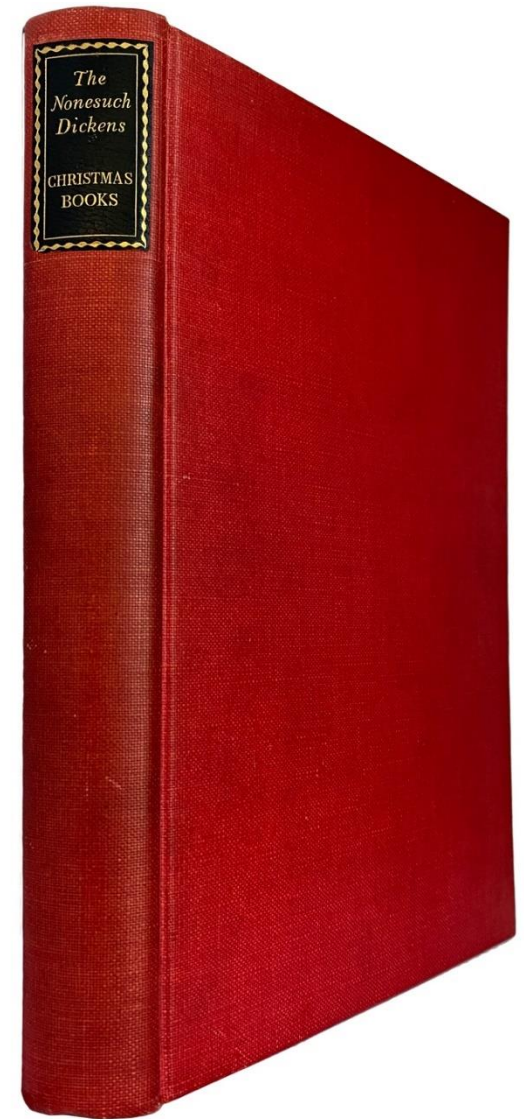
Keynes, p15. Lowndes II-p427. "This edition is printed from Tyrwhitt's own edition, the emendations are inserted, and the additional notes in their respective order - and the Glossary in one alphabet, and the whole re-arranged. Prefixed are a portrait of Chaucer and a reduction of the celebrated pilgrimage, designed by Stothard." William Pickering (1796-1854) was a bookseller and publisher, whose first work was published in 1820; this set of Chaucer is considered to be one of his most notable publications. The COPAC database cites four copies only - Oxford, BL, V&A and Trinity Coll. Dublin; V&A claims that only 50 copies were printed. The work was reprinted in 1830.



59. DICKENS, Charles

Christmas Books. (The Nonesuch Dickens). Bloomsbury. The Nonesuch Press. 1937. sm4to. 26cm, limited edition of 877 copies, xv,482p., title-page vignette, facsimile of original title-page of 1859, numerous original illustrations including many hand-coloured plates, full fine grain red linen, crushed black morocco label, gilt titles, t.e.g., very good to fine copy 400.00

The Nonesuch Press purchased from Chapman & Hall the entire archive of 877 steel engraved plates and wood blocks from all the books written and published by Dickens. The limitation was set at this number. The Christmas Books include: A Christmas Carol (with hand-coloured illustrations); The Chimes; and The Cricket and the Hearth; The Battle of Life; The Haunted Man. The Nonesuch Dickens were published under the editorial direction of Arthur Waugh, Hugh Walpole, Walter Dexter and Thomas Hatton. This Edition of Christmas Books, part of the Nonesuch Dickens, designed by Francis Meynell, is limited to 877 copies. It was printed in Great Britain by R. & R. Clark Ltd., in this specially-cut version of Martin's type; the etchings for "A Christmas Carol" were printed and hand-coloured by A. Alexander Y Sons Ltd.; the paper was made by the Worthy Paper Company Association of West Springfield.

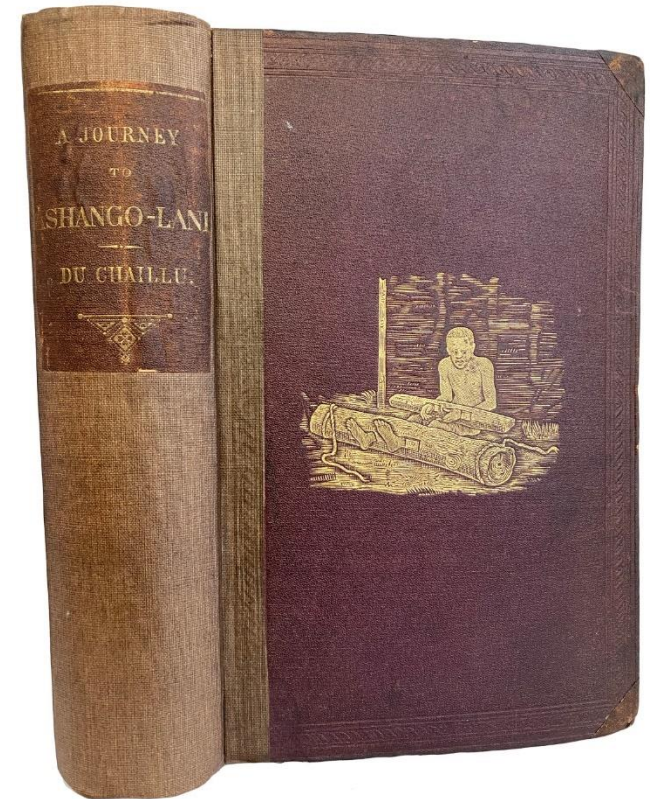


60. DU CHAILLU, Paul B.

A Journey to Ashango-Land: and Further Penetration into Equatorial Africa. London. John Murray. **1867**. thick8vo, 22cm, The First Edition, xv,501,[32]p., publisher's ads., engraved frontis & engraved title-page vignette, and 21 engraved plate illustrations, large folding map (listed at rear but inserted between pp448/449), appendices, in the original maroon cloth rebaked brown cloth with the original title relayed, gilt illustration on the upper cover, bookplate, wear on the map edges, a very good sound copy

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The second expedition to Western Equatorial Africa by American explorer and anthropologist, Paul B. Du Chaillu carried out from 1863 to 1865. In what is now Gabon, Du Chaillu discovered the gorilla (pictured in book) and confirmed the existence of the pigmy tribe. He carried out significant studies of the tribal people of Ashango-land; customs, culture and way of life. The scarce first edition

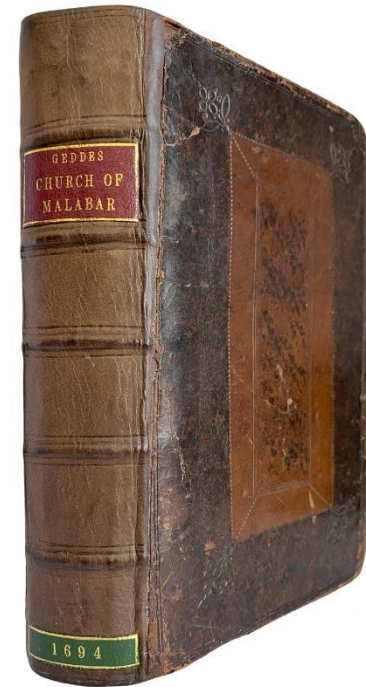


61. GEDDES, Michael (1650?-1713).

The History of the Church of Malabar, from the time of its being first discover'd by the Portugueses in the Year 1501. Giving an account of the Prosecutions and violent Methods of the Roman Prelates, to reduce them to the Subjection of the Church of Rome. Together with the SYNOD of DIAMPER, Celebrated in the Year of our Lord 1599, With some Remarks upon the Faith and Doctrine of the Christians of St. Thomas in the Indies, agreeing with the Church of England, in opposition to that of Rome. Done out of Portugueze into English. By Michael Geddes, Chancellor of the Cathedral Church of Sarum.

London. Printed for Sam. Smith, and Benj. Walford. **1694**. 8vo, in 8's trimmed, 18.8cm, First Edition, [xx],443,[iv]p., complete with imprint leaf facing the title page, in contemporary panelled brown calf, blind ruled boards and corner decorations on the boards, re-backed with new crushed morocco labels, a very good sound copy, with the armorial bookplate of Sir Joseph Copley, rare

750.00



ESTC R-2995. Wing G-446. Lowndes II-871. First English Edition. An excellent copy of the scarce first English edition of Aleixo de Menezes' history of the Malabar Catholic church. Menzes was the Catholic Archbishop of Goa, Archbishop of Braga, Portugal and the Viceroy of Portugal during the Philippine Dynasty. The Church of Malabar is now recognized as the Syro-Malabar Catholic Church. This work looks at its history, from its discovery by the Portuguese in 1501 to the late sixteenth century. A very scarce work, which looks at the history of an Eastern branch of Catholicism.

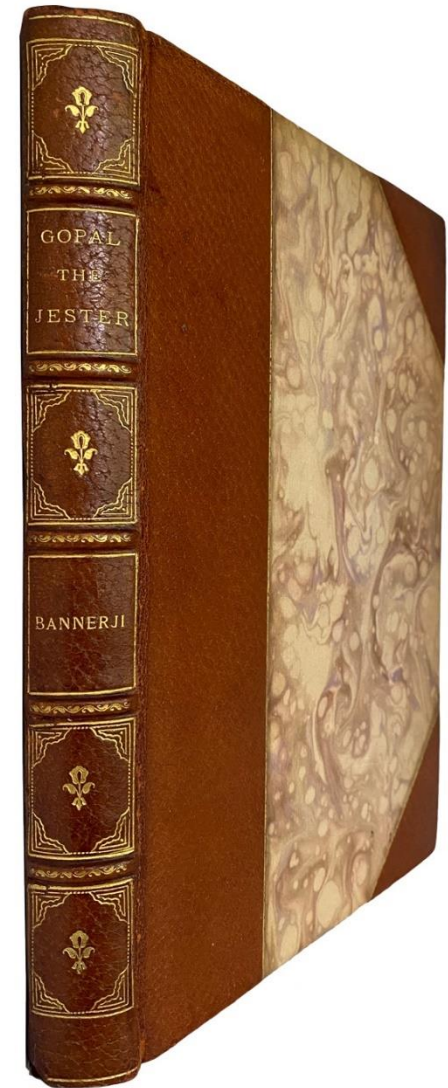
Geddes was a keen historian. He also translated a work on the church-history of Ethiopia. He was educated at Edinburgh and Oxford during the 1670s, and became a cleric in the Episcopal Church. He spent some time as Chaplain to English workers in Portugal until the Inquisition objected to his presence, and on his return to England was made chancellor of the church in Salisbury. He published several works on church history, including three volumes based on documents he acquired during his time in Portugal (DNB). Included in this volume is list of viceroys, governors and bishops of Goa from 1505 to 1599.

62. GOPAL, Bhar.

Gopal the Jester. A Hindu Romance. Now First Done From the Bengali into English by Rajani Kanta Bannerji. New York. The Library of Facetious Lore. 1928. 4to, 26cm, [10],3-168p., with 10 full-page illustrations by Akos D. Hamza, in half brown morocco, gilt decorated raised bands, gilt decorations and titles in the panels, marbled boards and endpapers, t.e.g., title printed in blue and black. a Limited Numbered Edition of 750 copies, this being #629, "intended for private circulation" -half-title verso, rear inside hinge expertly repaired, a fine copy, rare, no listing located, WorldCat locates only 6 copies

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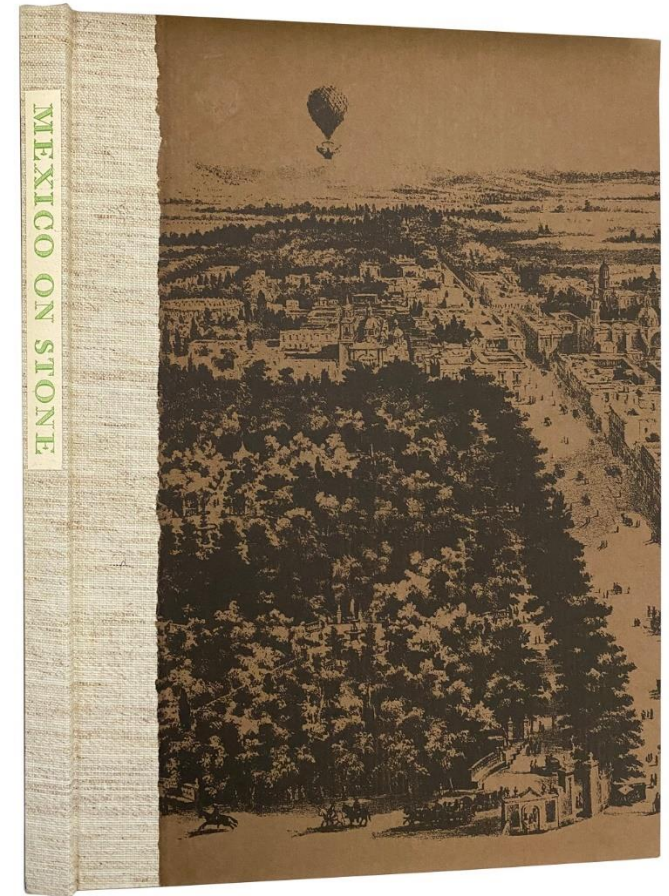
Gopel Bhar was a legendary court jester in medieval Bengal. He was famous for stories about how he outwitted men and courtiers. This story illustrates the class restrictions involved in choosing a life-long companion.



63. MATHES, W. Michael

Mexico on Stone. Lithography in Mexico, 1826 - 1900. San Francisco. The Book Club of California. 1984. folio, 30.5cm, xiv,[2],68,[1]p., limited edition of 550 copies, with 32 plate illustrations including 8 in colour & 3 folding, quarter fine grain linen backed illustrations boards, in the original shipped wrapper, as new 200.00

A beautifully produced book by the Book Club of California, in an edition of 550 copies, surveying lithographic art in Mexico, 1826-1900. Includes a chronologic list of published works.

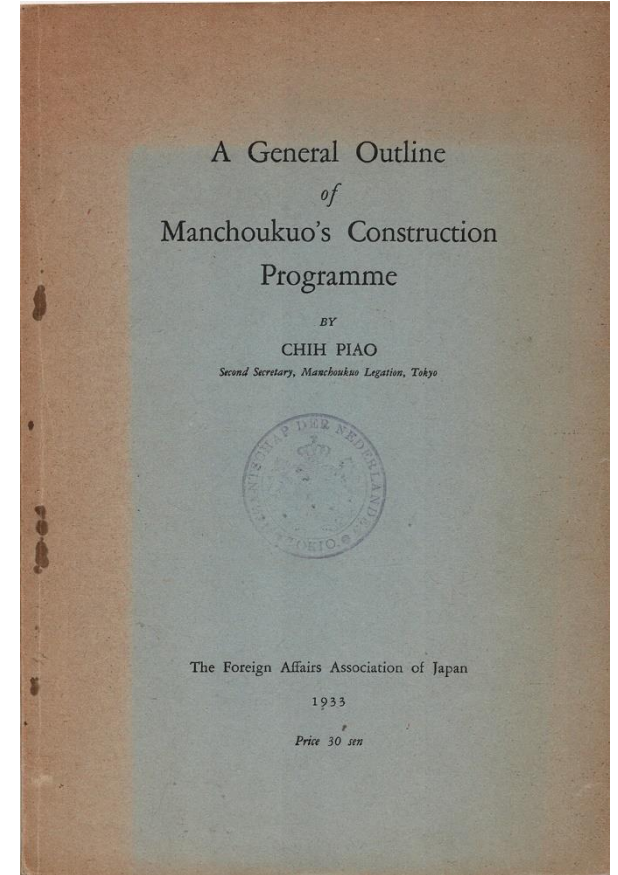


64. PIAO, Chih

A General Outline of Manchoukuo's Construction Programme. [Tokyo], Foreign Affairs Association of Japan, 1933. 8vo, 22.5cm, 18p., with 2 illus on 1 plate, 2 maps, original printer paper wrappers, faint stamp on the cover, very good to fine, rare

400.00

Manchukuo was a state in Manchuria and Eastern Inner Mongolia, homeland of the Manchus of the Qing Dynasty. It was seized in 1932 and made an independent puppet state of Japan. The last Emperor of China, Pu-Yi acted as head of state, but the real power was in the hands of the Japanese, who planned to use Manchukuo as a base to invade China. Manchukuo's government was abolished with the 1945 defeat of Japan in World War II, and it returned to Chinese administration in 1946. This pamphlet describes the changes planned by the Japanese for the development of Manchukuo's railways, harbours, roads, air transportation and communications and monetary system. As for cultural development, the Japanese felt it "of primary importance" to discard "all textbooks expounding the party principles of the Kuomintang and to use instead The Four Books and The Book of Filial Piety by Confucius. "

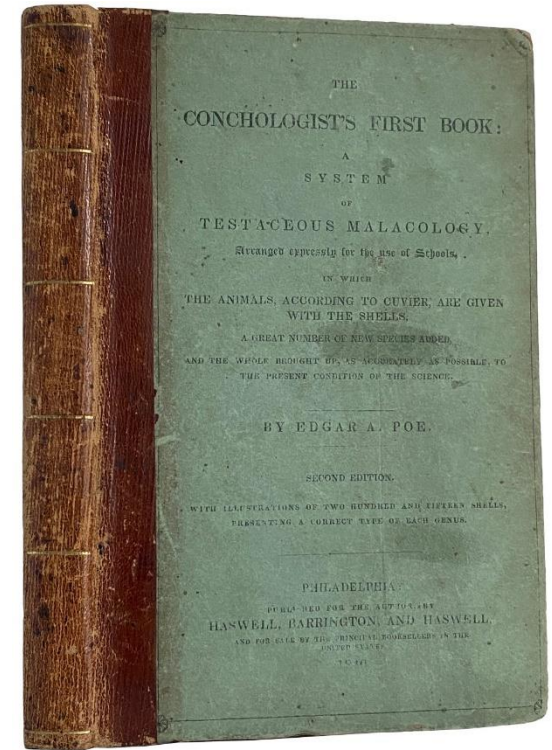


65. POE, Edgar Allan

The Conchologist's First Book. A System of Testaceous Malacology, arranged expressly for the use of Schools, in which, the Animals, according to Cuvier, are given with the Shells, a great number of new species added and the whole brought up, as accurately as possible, to the present condition of the science. Philadelphia. Haswell, Barrington, and Haswell. **1840**. 16mo., 17cm, second edition, 166p., plus 12 lithographic plates, glossary, index, publisher's quarter plain roan backed printed green paper over boards, some slight wear on the spine and some spotting on the boards, former owner's name on title-page, very good to fine copy

850.00

BAL 16132. Heartman. p44. "With illustrations of two hundred and fifteen shells, presenting a correct type of each genus." (sub-title). The plates, credited to Cuvier, were lithographed by P.S. Duval, Philadelphia. First published in 1839, the second edition, enlarged & revised, contains Poe's prefaces to both editions. Poe was accused of plagiarism on the appearance of the first edition as it appeared to be largely stolen from Thomas Brown's "The Conchology Textbook" (Glasgow, 1833) including the first four plates. Poe denied this, though in the third edition of 1845, his name was removed from the cover and title-page.



His essay, Charon, is often excised from early editions due to its unflattering depiction of the clergy

66. PONTANUS, Johannes Jovianus (1426-1503).

Ioannis Iouiani Pontani Opera. De Fortitudine: Libri duo. De Principe: Liber unus. Dialogus qui Charon inscribitur. Dialogus qui Antonius inscribitur. De Liberalitate: Liber unus. De Beneficentia: Liber unus. De Magnificentia: Liber unus. De Splendore: Liber unus. De Couiuentia [sic]: Liber unus. De Obedientia: Libri quinque. Cum Gratia & Priuilegio.

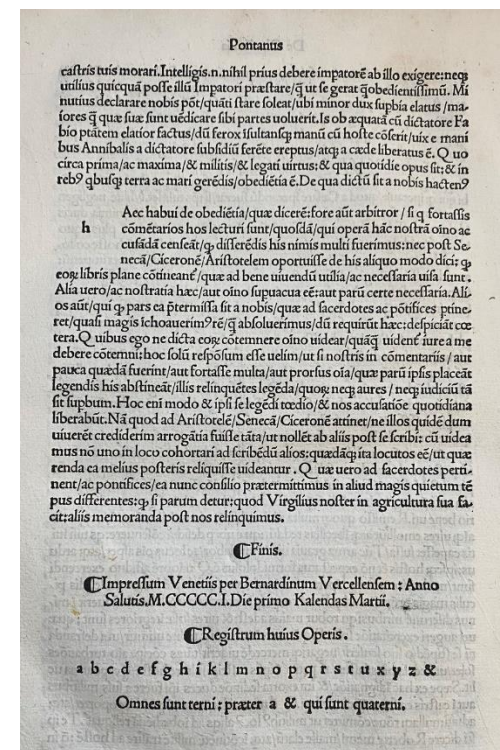
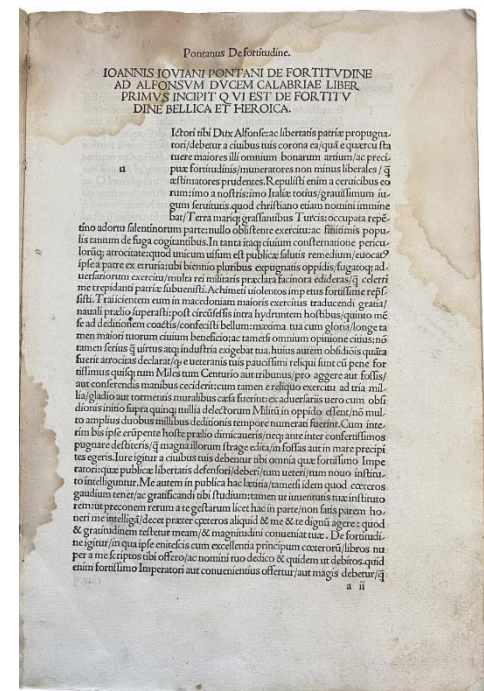
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The Renaissance humanist and poet Johannes Jovianus Pontanus was born in Cerreto di Spoleto and educated in Perugia and Naples. He became tutor to the sons of Alphonso the Magnanimous (1416-1458), and subsequently occupied diplomatic and advisory positions in the Court of Naples. Alphonso established the Accademia Alphoncina as a forum for scholars to debate questions of philosophy, politics, and literature and Pontanus was a prominent teacher, eventually becoming the school's president. The Accademia was renamed in his honour, and is still operating today. Pontanus was a popular writer and had a respectable body of work published during his lifetime. This early edition includes his major philosophical and political essays, as well as two dialogues, one of which, Charon, is often found excised from collections of Pontanus' works due to its unflattering depiction of the clergy (cf. Renouara D. Pontanus also wrote treatises on astronomy, art and language, but he was most appreciated as a gifted Latin, poet who mastered the Greek epigrammatic form. The printer of this edition, Bernardino de Viano, was active in Venice from 1500-1512 and 1520-15-43, publishing in Latin and Italian under several variations of his name.



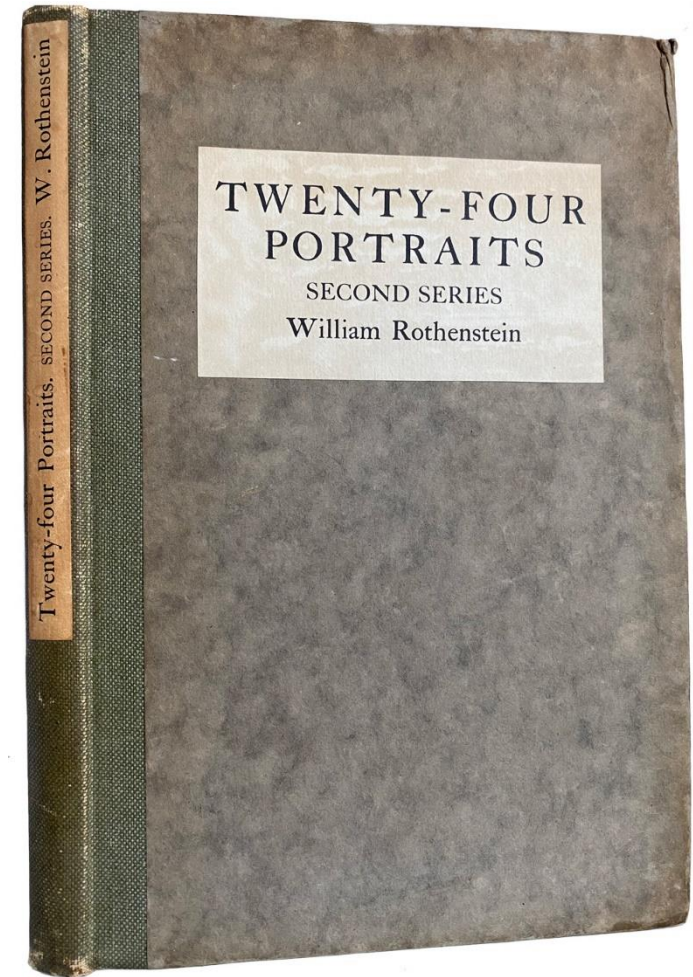
67. ROTHENSTEIN, William

Twenty-Four Portraits. Second Series. With critical appreciations by various hands. London. Chatto & Windus. 1923. tall8vo, 25.3cm, no-pagination, limited edition of 1500 copies, on hand-made paper, with 23 sepia tone portrait plate illustrations, each description leaves, with tissue guards, in quarter green linen backed mottled decorated paper over boards, with printed paper spine and cover labels, t.e.g., binding is slightly dust worn, internally fine 300.00

Author's Signed Presentation Copy, 4 lines "To my friend Stephen Mackenna, with grateful thanks for his general help in friendship & sympathy. William Rothenstein Oct. 1923." Mackenna is noted in Rothenstein's acknowledgments as "the devoted translator of Plotinus".

Province: With the bookplate of Louis Blake Duff, journalist and author, book collector. Includes a contemporary newspaper book review, laid in.

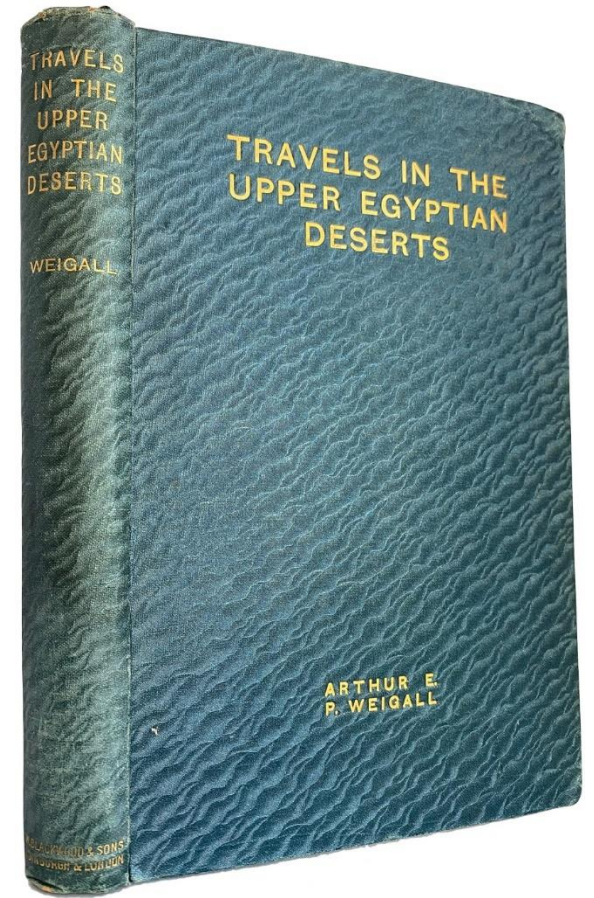
Portraits include: G.K. Chesterton, W.H. Davies, Gustav Holst, Aldous Huxley, Augustus John, Compton Mackenzie, Walter de la Mare, Robert Nicols, Lennox Robinson, Bertrand Russell, Siegfried Sassoon, James Stephens (a great portrait), Ralph Vaughn Williams. Inscribed by Rothenstein to Irish writer Stephen Mackenna, 1872-1934, Irish author, translator, scholar, Gaelic revivalist, republican.



68. WEIGALL, Arthur E. P.

Travels in the Upper Egyptian Deserts. London. William Blackwood & Sons. Edinburgh & London. 1909. 8vo., 22cm, first edition, xiv,193p., plus 33 plate illustrations, publisher's blue wavy grain light blue cloth (emulating desert sand ripples), gilt spine and cover titles, top edge gilt, bookplate, top front corners bumped, wanting the back free fly else near fine sound clean copy 200.00

Arthur Edward Weigall (1880 – 1934) was an English Egyptologist, and author etc., whose works span the whole range from histories of Ancient Egypt through historical biographies, guide-books, popular novels, screenplays and lyrics.



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