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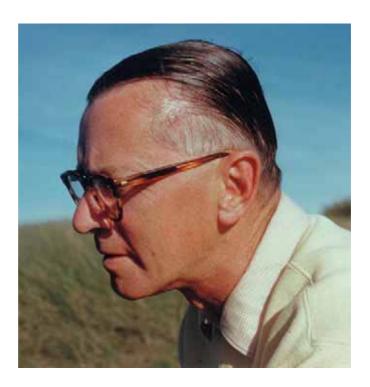
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Harry Muir (1909–1992), bookseller, publisher, book collector, was the proprietor of the Beck Book Company from late 1939 to June 1978. Under his guidance it became a South Australian institution, and although the business has long gone, Harry's legacy is his recognition and encouragement of Australian books. This is perhaps best exemplified by the pioneering bibliography of Australian children's books compiled by his wife Marcie, at his suggestion and urging.

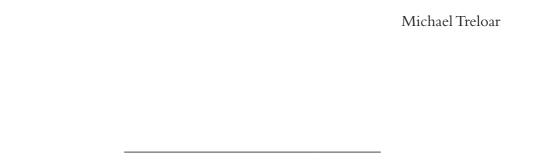
Harry gained his experience at Adelaide's leading new booksellers, Preece's, in the 1930s. He branched out on his own with the purchase of Becks, 'a typical old-fashioned secondhand shop, with a neglected appearance caused by its jumble of untidy overcrowded shelves and stands'. Gradually the healthy combination of new, secondhand and antiquarian books took shape, a style of bookselling that proved successful until the economic turmoil of the mid-1970s when Harry decided to retire. For decades, however, the Beckery was the pre-eminent bookshop in the state, and generations of significant collections and notable libraries passed through its doors. Evidence of some of these is to be found in this catalogue; one can only imagine the depth of the collections amassed by the likes of Sir William Sowden, E. Angas Johnson, Harold Sheard and John Bagot. But as Marcie records in her 1993 memoir, Harry Muir -Bookman, he 'had a rule that anything he bought himself he paid for at full price, realizing how tempting it could be otherwise to buy books beyond one's means'. He added to these finds with purchases from the leading English dealers in travel books - especially Maggs Bros. and Francis Edwards - as well as befriending and encouraging the first generation of specialist Australian

antiquarian booksellers such as Gaston Renard and Kenneth Hince. This mixture of discipline and enthusiasm is reflected in the present catalogue, and a sense of purposeful dedication and quiet achievement is palpable.

I had just turned 25 when I commenced my bookselling career in Adelaide in March 1976, a little over two years before Harry retired. I soon became a regular visitor to the Muir home, and many a Friday afternoon was spent with Harry, sometimes Marcie too, relishing the lively conversation on books and bookshops and, most especially, those often fascinating individuals who inhabit them.

I can scarcely credit that I am now halfway through my thirty-fifth year in the trade, and that the tribulations of Harry's last years in business seem insignificant when compared with the revolution in books and bookselling of the past decade. Perhaps later generations in turn will marvel at our inability to divine the future ...

Overseeing the dispersal of Harry's collection, on behalf of his children Kathie and Rory, gives me pause to reflect on the many ways in which the world of books can enrich our lives, and I for one will not surrender the centuries-old traditions lightly.



For the conditions under which this sale is conducted, and notes for buyers, please see the accompanying catalogue.

### Lots 1-194 Monday 2 August 2010 at 6.30 p.m.

- 1 ALLIN, C.D. The early federation movement of Australia. Kingston, Ontario, 1907. Octavo; original cloth, an autograph letter from the author enclosed. **With** Hall's Victoria's part in the Australian federation movement, 1849–1900, London, 1931. \$200–300
- 2 ATKINSON, James. An account of the state of agriculture & grazing in New South Wales . . . with other information important to those about to emigrate to that country. London, 1826. Octavo, folding coloured aquatint view of Port Jackson and Sydney, 4 other aquatint plates (3 coloured) and folding coloured map of New South Wales including 2 inset maps, 11 engraved views and a pictorial title cartouche; contemporary calf rebacked retaining the original label. Bound without the terminal advertisement leaf and the errata slip found in some copies.

The rare and sought-after issue with the folding view and the fine map by Joseph Cross. *See cover illustration (detail).* \$20,000-25,000

- **3** BABBAGE, Benjamin Herschel. Northern exploration . . . Reports, &c., of explorations into the interior, by Messrs. Babbage, Warburton, Geharty, and Parry. Adelaide, 1858. South Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, drop title, pp. 52, 2 folding lithographed maps; stab-sewn as issued. First leaf slightly marked, a very good copy. \$600-800
- **4** BALFOUR, J.O. A sketch of New South Wales. London, 1845. *Octavo; original cloth. Fine.* \$200–300
- **5** BANKS, Joseph. The Endeavour journal. Edited by J.C. Beaglehole. Sydney, 1962. Two volumes octavo, numerous plates, some coloured, folding map; original cloth in dustjackets. Slight staining from printer's ink on top margin of two leaves. \$200-300
- 6 BARRINGTON, George. The history of New South Wales. [With] An account of a voyage to New South Wales. London, 1802-03. Two volumes octavo, engraved titles with coloured vignettes, folding coloured map, portrait, 24 coloured plates, and full-page wood-engraved view in the text, with the one half-title called for; later half calf, yellow edges. One plate in the History smaller and probably supplied, another in this volume slightly cropped. \$1500-2000

**7** BARRINGTON, George. The history of New South Wales. London, 1810. Octavo, engraved title with vignette and 16 coloured plates; uncut in later quarter cloth with leather label. Small marginal defect in one leaf.

A very good, uncut copy of the second edition, which includes a supplement bringing it up to date. \$800-1000

**8** [BARRINGTON]. Memoirs of George Barrington; from his birth in MDCCLV, to his last conviction at the Old Bailey, on Friday, the 17th of September, MDCCXC. A new edition, greatly improved. London, Printed for M. Smith [i.e. George Kearsley], 1790. Octavo, with engraved frontispiece; late nineteenth-century half calf, with the bookplate of Sir Henry Ayers, several times South Australian Premier. Some foxing, slight marginal flaws in title.

Ferguson 67; Garvey B5. The frontispiece depicts Barrington 'detected picking the pocket of Prince Orlow in the front boxes at Covent Garden Theatre.'

\$400-600

- **9** [BARROW, *Sir* John]. The eventful history of the mutiny and piratical seizure of H.M.S. Bounty: its cause and consequences. London, 1831. *Small octavo, 6 engraved plates; contemporary half calf.* \$200–300
- **10** BASEDOW, Herbert. Journal of the Government north-west expedition. Adelaide, 1914. *Octavo, pp. [ii], 57-242, photographic plates, large folding map; original printed wrappers. Reprinted from the* Transactions of the Royal Geographical Society of Australasia, South Australian Branch. \$200-300
- 11 BASEDOW, Herbert. Narrative of an expedition of exploration in north-western Australia. Adelaide, 1918. Octavo, pp. [ii], 105-296, plates (one coloured), mostly photographic; original printed wrappers. Pale marginal waterstain on a few leaves. Reprinted from the Transactions of the Royal Geographical Society of Australasia, South Australian Branch. Together with the separate Sketch plan of the north-west coast of Australia, large folding coloured map in original printed envelope.

\$200-300

- **12** BENNETT, Samuel. Australian discovery and colonisation. Sydney, 1867. Octavo, 6 lithographed plates including additional pictorial title; original cloth (pale waterstain on back board). A very good copy, with the armorial bookplate of Sir Henry Ayers. \$200–300
- 13 BIRTLES, Francis. Battle fronts of outback. Sydney, 1935. *Octavo; original cloth in dustjacket. Fine.* \$200–300
- 14 BISCHOFF, James. Sketch of the history of Van Diemen's Land. London, 1832. Octavo, large folding coloured map, 2 engraved plates; uncut in later quarter cloth with paper label. Plates foxed as usual, a very good copy. \$400-600
- **15** BLEEK, William H.I. The library of His Excellency Sir George Grey, K.C.B. Philology. Vol. II, Part I: Australia. Cape Town, 1858. *Octavo, pp. [iv], 44; sewn as issued.*

Rare. Cf. Ferguson 7146a, which is the London issue of the four parts of the Philology volume. \$200-300

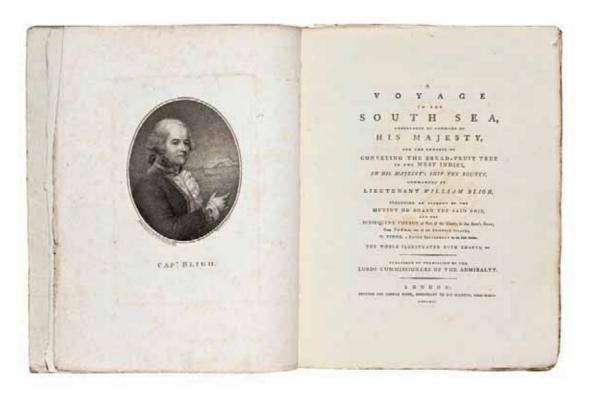
16 BLIGH, William. A narrative of the mutiny on board His Majesty's Ship Bounty; and the subsequent voyage of part of the crew in the ship's boat from Tofua, one of the Friendly Islands, to Timor, a Dutch settlement in the East Indies. London, 1790. Quarto, folding plan of the Bounty's launch and 3 charts (2 folding); contemporary half calf (rubbed, corners worn). A little foxing and offsetting, closed tear in the chart of the 'N.E. Coast of New Holland'.

First edition, a large copy in a good contemporary binding. \$6000-8000

17 BLIGH, William. A voyage to the South Sea undertaken by command of His Majesty for the purpose of conveying the bread-fruit tree to the West Indies in His Majesty's Ship the Bounty, including an account of the mutiny on board the said ship, and the subsequent voyage of part of the crew, in the ship's boat, from Tofua, one of the Friendly Islands, to Timor. London, 1792. Quarto, frontispiece portrait, 4 folding charts, 2 folding plans and a plate of the breadfruit; uncut in original boards (wearing, paper backstrip renewed). Short closed tear in the plan and closed tear in C4, a little foxing and offsetting.

An uncut copy of the first edition, awarded as a prize in the year of publication (so a contemporary inscription records) by the Bersted Book Society to one of its members, Thomas Best of Boxley, Kent; with Best's bookplate and the splendid large plate of the Society, radially listing the members.

\$10,000-12,000



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18 BLIGH, William. A voyage to the South Sea . . . in His Majesty's Ship the Bounty . . . including an account of the mutiny on board said ship, and the subsequent voyage of part of the crew, in the ship's boat, from Tofua, one of the Friendly Islands, to Timor. Dublin, 1792. Octavo, frontispiece portrait and plate of the breadfruit, with the half-title; contemporary calf (front board detached, wanting label), in a quarter leather folding box. Waterstain on top margin of the two plates, otherwise clean and crisp.

The scarce Dublin edition: an interesting copy, with detailed notes by an early owner on the front endpaper and blank preliminary, setting out the various fates of the mutineers and adding accounts of the Pitcairn Islanders from reports of the captains of the first ships to make contact with them, between 1808 and 1814.

**19** BLIGH, William. Relation de l'enlèvement du navire le Bounty. Paris, 1790. Octavo, 3 folding charts (two with closed tears), with the half title; contemporary mottled calf (neatly rebacked mounting the original fully gilt spine). A little foxing.

First French edition. \$400-600

**20** BLIGH, William. Voyage à la Mer du Sud . . . avec une relation de la révolte à bord son vaisseau, etc. Paris, 1792. Octavo, 2 folding charts (one with closed tear) and folding plate of the breadfruit. A few side-notes grazed by the binder.

#### With,

[CHASTELLUX, François Jean, *Marquis* de]. Discours sur les avantages ou les désavantages qui résultant pour l'Europe, de la découverte de l'Amerique. London [but Paris], 1787.

The two works in one volume, bound with another, imperfect; contemporary quarter calf (a little worn). \$600-800

- 21 BLIGH, William. Bligh's voyage in the Resource from Coupang to Batavia, together with the log of his subsequent passage to England in the Dutch packet Vlydt and his remarks on Morrison's journal. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1937. Small folio, with wood-engravings by Peter Barker-Mill; original cloth (spine slightly sunned at head and foot), in original glassine jacket. Edition limited to 350 numbered copies. \$400-600
- 22 BLIGH, William. The voyage of the Bounty's launch as related in William Bligh's despatch to the Admiralty and the journal of John Fryer. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1934. *Small folio, with wood-engravings by Robert Gibbings; original cloth, top edge gilt. Fine. Edition limited to 300 numbered copies.*

\$500-700

**23** [BONWICK, James]. Birth and growth of religion. To young workers. London, 1886. *Octavo; unopened in original cloth.* 

One of the rarest of Bonwick's many works. Ferguson 3254, recording only the British Library copy. \$400-600

**24** BONWICK, James. Daily life and origin of the Tasmanians. London, 1870. Octavo, coloured frontispiece and 9 other plates, folding map; original gilt-pictorial cloth (spine slightly worn). Bottom edge and back endpaper lightly waterstained.

\$400-600

- 25 BONWICK, James. The last of the Tasmanians; or, the Black War of Van Diemen's Land. London, 1870. Octavo, folding map, 15 plates (3 coloured) and page of facsimile autographs in the text; original gilt-decorated cloth (slightly worn, with a neat early repair to the foot of the spine, sewing a little weakened). Presentation copy, inscribed by the author. \$400-600
- **26** BONWICK, James. An octogenarian's reminiscences. London, 1902. Octavo, with 6 plates; original cloth. Some foxing. Presentation copy, inscribed by the author, and with the name-stamp of C.H. Bonwick in three places. **With** Bonwick's John Batman, the founder of Victoria, Melbourne, 1867, and his The lost Tasmanian race, 1884. \$300-400
- **27** BONWICK, James. Port Phillip Settlement. London, 1883. *Thick octavo, folding map, tinted lithographed frontispiece and numerous other plates including folding facsimiles; original gilt-decorated cloth. Old paper repairs to three short marginal tears, a very good copy, with a presentation inscription by the author.*

The only edition of Bonwick's most important work.

\$400-600

- **28** BONWICK, James, Port Phillip Settlement, another copy, largely unopened in the gilt-decorated cloth (slightly marked). \$400-600
- **29** BRAIM, Thomas Henry. A history of New South Wales, from its settlement to the close of the year 1844. London, 1846. *Two volumes duodecimo, with tinted lithographed frontispieces; early speckled calf, spines fully gilt. A fine set.* \$300-400
- **30** BRETON, William Henry. Excursions in New South Wales, Western Australia, and Van Dieman's [sic] Land, during the years 1830, 1831, 1832, and 1833. London, 1833. Octavo, aquatint frontispiece and lithographed plate; nineteenth-century half morocco by Pownceby of Melbourne. Some foxing. \$300-400

- 31 BRETON, William Henry, Excursions in New South Wales, Western Australia, and Van Dieman's Land, another copy, the second edition, revised, with additions, 1834, in early half calf, spine fully gilt (joints cracked at head). Some foxing. \$200–300
- **32** [BUNCE, Daniel]. Travels with Dr. Leichhardt in Australia. Melbourne, 1859. Duodecimo, frontispiece portrait; original papered boards (wearing slightly). A very good copy. \$400-600
- 33 THE BURKE AND WILLS EXPLORING EXPEDITION: an account of the crossing the continent of Australia, from Cooper's Creek to Carpentaria. Reprinted from 'The Argus'. Melbourne, Wilson & Mackinnon, 1861. Octavo, pp. iv, 32; later cloth-backed boards mounting the original printed wrappers (varnished). Title laid down and a little foxed, a few neat marginal repairs. \$200-300
- 34 CALVERT, John. Extracts from papers read before the British Association at the Hull Meeting, in 1853, on (1) Genesis of gold; (2) Some observations on the physical structure of the interior of the Australian continent; (3) The production of gold in the British Isles. London, 1854. [With] Opinions of the press on 'The Gold Rocks', and papers read before the British Association at the Hull Meeting, September, 1853. [London, 1854]. The two pamphlets, octavo, in one volume, pp. [ii], 12 + 14; binder's cloth cut flush.

Very rare: neither title is recorded by Ferguson. Calvert was an adventurous mineralogist who first prospected in New South Wales in the 1830s; his *Gold rocks of Great Britain and Ireland* was published in 1853, when he was back in the colony. During his retirement in England he formed a notable library of works on Australia. \$800-1000

- 35 CARBONI, Raffaello. The Eureka stockade. The consequence of some pirates wanting on quarter-deck a rebellion. With an introduction by Herbert V. Evatt and illustrated by W.E. Pidgeon. Sydney, Sunnybrook Press, 1942. Quarto; original quarter cloth (slightly foxed) and decorated boards in dustjacket and plain card slipcase (marked), the prospectus loosely enclosed. Edition limited to 150 numbered copies signed by Evatt, Pidgeon, and the publisher, Ernest H. Shea. \$400-600
- 36 CARNEGIE, David W. Spinifex and sand. A narrative of five years' pioneering and exploration in Western Australia. London, 1898. *Thick large octavo, 4 folding maps (2 in endpocket), frontispiece portrait and numerous illustrations, some full-page; original decorated cloth, top edge gilt. Contemporary gift inscription on front endpaper, small stain on the fore-margins towards the end, a bright copy of a book often found shaken and worn.* \$2500-3000

**37** CARNEGIE, David W. Remarkable signed autograph letter, Hall's Creek, Western Australia, December 1896, to Lawrence A. Wells, leader of the ill-fated Calvert Expedition: 8 pages quarto on 7 leaves, including three sketch maps (slight silverfish damage to last leaf, affecting only a few words).

Responding to a telegram from Wells (which 'unluckily owing to storms was somewhat unintelligible'), informing him that two of his party had failed to arrive at Joanna Springs, Carnegie offers 'to start off in any direction at any time', with his six camels 'in good order comparatively speaking'. In answer to Wells's request for a rough sketch map of his fellow-explorer's route, Carnegie says that 'I have neither the time (as the mail leaves in an hour's time) nor appliances to draw a map, but perhaps a written description will be of some service'. Over the following five pages he goes to great lengths to describe the country he traversed, the locations where he found water and the attendant difficulties in tapping it. At three points he provides detailed sketch maps with distinguishing features marked, and with the occasional salient observation, such as 'POISON. 3 camels died here'. In closing, he repeats his offer 'to do anything to assist you & we all who have been thro' that most damnable desert feel for you and sympathize with you in your trouble. Fortune was kinder to me & therefore I feel the more that I should do my best to help you'. Wells has added some pertinent notes in pencil, perhaps the most illuminating being his comment next to Carnegie's observation that 'We found these wells by first steering for a smoke & then either catching a nigger or following their tracks': Wells notes that 'We did the same'. A few other marginal notes, in red ink, are probably in the hand of H.C. Talbot (see below).

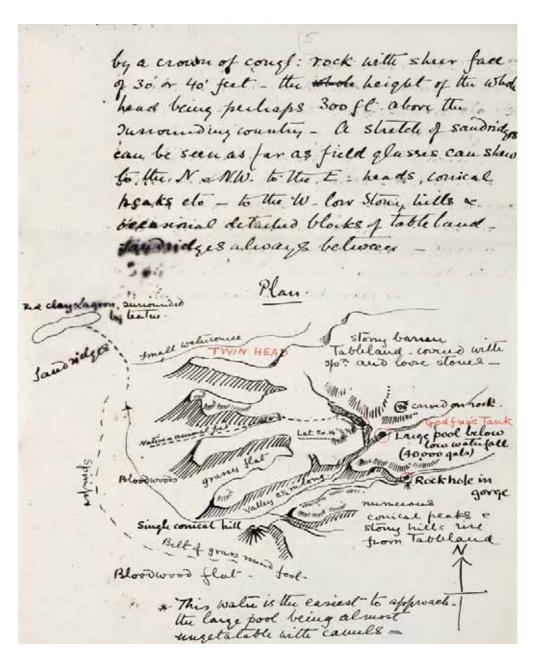
The Calvert expedition of 1896, led by Wells, was fitted out to explore the remaining unknown regions of Australia, on similar lines to the Elder Scientific Exploring Expedition of 1891-92, on which Wells was third-in-command. After setting out from Mullewa, near Geraldton, on 13 June, the party endured gruelling conditions for five months before reaching Noonkanbah Station on the Fitzroy River, with two men unaccounted for: Wells's cousin Charles Wells and George Lindsay Jones, nephew of the explorer David Lindsay.

#### With,

TALBOT, H.C., compiler. 'Calvert Expedition. Search for Wells and Jones by Rudall, 1896-97'. Manuscript map in red and black ink, 40 x 41 centimetres, of the route covered by William Rudall.

Rudall, Western Australian Government Surveyor, led a search party for the missing men, departing from Roeburne in December 1896. By the following May he was on the brink of abandoning his camels and equipment, when Wells, leading his own search expedition, found the bodies of the two men. Rudall had explored an area of 23,000 miles; the Rudall River National Park is named for him. H.C. Talbot, the Adelaide compiler of this map, 'plotted all information re the search for the missing men from telegrams, &c. for Mr. Magarey' (A.T. Magarey, Albert Calvert's representative in Australia).

**With,** an original signed photograph of Lawrence Wells (1860-1938), taken in his seventies. \$8000-10,000



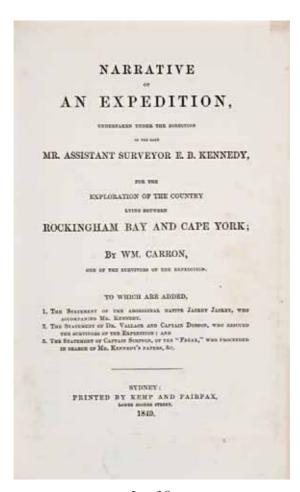
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38 CARRON, William. Narrative of an expedition undertaken under the direction of the late Mr. Assistant Surveyor E.B. Kennedy, for the exploration of the country lying between Rockingham Bay and Cape York. Sydney, 1849. Octavo, with a folding lithographed map hand-coloured in outline; half morocco, top edge gilt, by Sangorski and Sutcliffe (cloth sides a little flecked). Slight foxing.

A very good copy of a noted rarity, the only published account of this tragic expedition. Of the party of thirteen, Carron, the botanist, was one of only three survivors, the others either killed by Aborigines or dying of starvation.

\$20,000-25,000

39 [CHAPPEL, Thomas]. An account of the loss of the Essex from having been struck by a whale in the South Seas, with some interesting particulars of the sufferings of her crew on a desert island and in the boats at sea. From the narrative of one of the survivors. London, [circa 1830]. Small octavo, pp. 8 with woodcut vignette on title; disbound. Rare. \$400-600

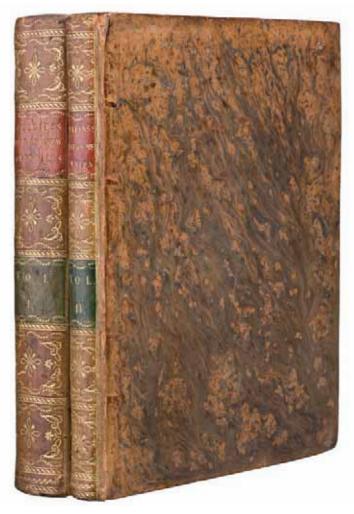


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**40** CLACY, Mrs. Charles. A lady's visit to the gold diggings of Australia, in 1852-53, written on the spot. London, 1853. Octavo, with a frontispiece; original cloth (lightly worn). \$300-400

41 COLLINS, David. An account of the English colony in New South Wales. [With, in the second volume] An account of a voyage performed by Captain Flinders and Mr. Bass; by which the existence of a strait separating Van Dieman's [sic] Land from the continent of New Holland was ascertained. London, 1798–1802. Two volumes quarto, 3 charts and 31 engraved plates (5 coloured, 8 in the text), plate list at end of the first volume; uniform contemporary tree calf, spines fully gilt with red and green labels (front joint of the first volume cracked, but holding), bound without the first half-title.

First edition, a fine, clean set in handsome period bindings: rare in this state. \$12,000-15,000



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42 COLLINS, David. An account of the English colony in New South Wales, from its first settlement in January 1788, to August 1801 . . . and an account of a voyage performed by Captain Flinders and Mr. Bass, by which the existence of a strait separating Van Diemen's Land from the continent of New Holland was ascertained. The second edition. London, 1804. Quarto, frontispiece portrait, 2 charts (one folding) and 31 plates (5 coloured, 8 in the text); nineteenth-century half calf, spine fully gilt (marbled paper sides rubbed, label lettered 'Colling's New South Wales'). A little foxing, tear in the folding Maori chart of New Zealand.

The superior issue with the natural history plates coloured. \$1500-2000

43 [COOK]. HAWKESWORTH, John, editor. An account of the voyages undertaken by the order of His Present Majesty for making discoveries in the Southern Hemisphere, and successfully performed by Commodore Byron, Captain Wallis, Captain Carteret and Captain Cook . . . drawn up from the journals which were kept by the several commanders, and from the papers of Joseph Banks, Esq. London, 1773. Three volumes quarto, 52 charts and plates, some folding; contemporary mottled calf (spines worn). Occasional browning or foxing, some small stains, chart of the Straights of Magellan a little torn: but a good, large set.

First edition of the official account of Cook's first voyage. \$4000-6000

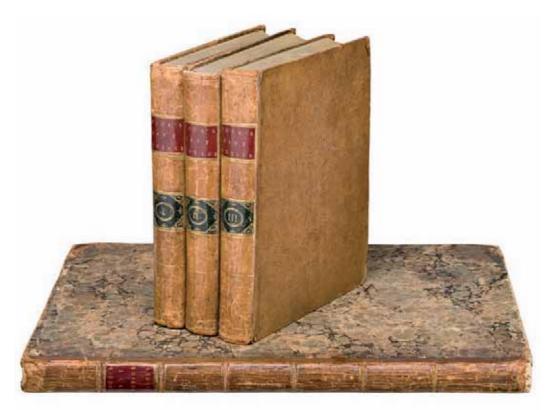
44 [COOK]. HAWKESWORTH, John, editor, An account of the voyages undertaken by the order of His Present Majesty for making discoveries in the Southern Hemisphere, another set, the second edition, 1773, in twentieth-century half mottled calf with red and green labels. Fold split in the chart of the Straights of Magellan, leaves  $Yy_3$  and  $Yy_4$  in the second volume torn with very slight loss to one of them, a few small marginal tears, a little foxing and slight marginal staining.

\$3000-4000

45 COOK, James. A voyage towards the South Pole, and round the world, performed in His Majesty's Ships the Resolution and Adventure in the years 1772, 1773, 1774, and 1775. London, 1777. Two volumes quarto, 64 charts and plates, many folding or double-page, folding table; contemporary calf (scraped, rebacked retaining the original red and green labels). Chart of the Southern Hemisphere torn, some offsetting and a little foxing.

First edition, with wide margins.

\$4000-6000



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46 COOK, James and KING, James. A voyage to the Pacific Ocean . . . in the years 1776, 1777, 1778, and 1780. Vols. 1 and 2 written by James Cook, Vol. 3 written by James King. The third edition. London, 1785. Three volumes quarto, with 24 charts and plates and a folding table, and large folio atlas with 2 large folding charts and 61 plates: the text volumes in contemporary calf with red and green labels, yellow edges (joints of the first volume a little cracked, small blemish in back board of the third volume); the atlas in contemporary half calf (wearing, joints cracked, endpapers blemished) with matching red label. Some offsetting on to text, slight foxing.

A fine set, each volume with the early nineteenth-century bookplate of George Spurrell of Barking, Essex. \$8000-10,000

47 CORNEY, Bolton Glanvill, translator and editor. The quest and occupation of Tahiti by emissaries of Spain during the years 1772-1776. Told in despatches and other contemporary documents. London, Hakluyt Society, 1913-1919. Three volumes octavo, charts, some folding (5 in endpockets) and plates; original gilt-decorated cloth (spines sunned, one marked). \$200-300

- 48 CRAIG, Clifford. The engravers of Van Diemen's Land. Launceston, 1961. Quarto, with numerous illustrations; original pictorial cloth, the prospectus and some correspondence from the author enclosed. With Craig's Old Tasmanian prints, 1964, and his The Van Diemen's Land edition of The Pickwick Papers, Hobart, 1973, limited to 150 copies. \$200-300
- **49** CUNNINGHAM, Peter. Two years in New South Wales. Second edition, revised and enlarged. London, 1827. *Two volumes duodecimo, folding engraved map (creased); later half morocco, bound without the half-titles. A very good set.* \$200–300
- **50** CUNNINGHAM, Peter, Two years in New South Wales, another set, the third edition, 1828, in early half calf, spines fully gilt, bound without the half-titles. Short sealed tear in the map, a fine set. \$300-400
- **51** CURR, Edward M. Recollections of squatting in Victoria, then called the Port Phillip District, from 1841 to 1851. Melbourne, 1883. Octavo, with a folding coloured map; original cloth. Fine. Presentation copy, inscribed by the author to the South Australian pastoralist John Bagot, with his armorial bookplate. \$300-400
- 52 CURREY, John. Account of a voyage to establish a settlement in Bass's Straits, to which is added a description of Port Phillip and an account of the landing at the Derwent in 1804. Edited from the despatches of David Collins Esq., Lieut.-Governor. Melbourne, The Colony Press, [1986]. Quarto, folding map and full-page illustrations; original quarter calf. Edition limited to 320 numbered copies. \$200-300
- 53 DAHL, Knut. In savage Australia. An account of a hunting and collecting expedition to Arnhem Land and Dampier Land [in 1894-97]. London, 1926. Thick octavo, plates, mostly photographic; original cloth (front board lightly scored).

\$200-300

- DAVIS, John. Tracks of McKinlay and party across Australia. Edited from Mr. Davis's manuscript journal . . . by William Westgarth. London, 1863. Octavo, 13 tinted lithographed plates and wood-engraved portrait in the text, folding map in endpocket; original gilt-decorated cloth (slightly bumped and flecked, endpapers renewed). Slight marginal stain on three plates, short sealed tear in the map. \$500-600
- **55** [DRUITT, R.]. Medical hints to emigrants. By the author of 'Plain rules for cottage walls'. London, 1850. *Duodecimo, pp. viii, 50, [2], with text illustrations; original limp cloth cut flush.* Emigrant Tracts No. IX.

Rare. Ferguson 5349a. \$200–300

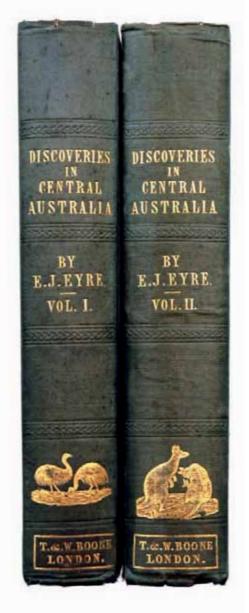
- 56 DUNCAN, W.A. Account of a memorial presented to His Majesty by Captain Pedro Fernandez de Quir, concerning the population and discovery of the fourth part of the world, Australia the unknown, its great riches and fertility, discovered by the same Captain . . . From the Spanish, with an introductory notice. Sydney, 1874. Small quarto, pp. 30, [8, facsimile reprint of the 1610 Relacion de un memorial]; early half morocco (a little rubbed). Slight foxing. Presentation copy, inscribed by the author. \$400-600
- 57 EDWARDS, *Captain* Edward and HAMILTON, George. Voyage of H.M.S. Pandora despatched to arrest the mutineers of the Bounty in the South Seas, 1790–91 . . . with introduction and notes by Basil Thomson. London, 1915. Octavo, with a large folding map; original cloth. Fine. *With* The Pitcairn Island register book, *edited by Sir Charles Lucas*, [1929]. \$300–400
- 58 EVANS, George William. A geographical, historical, and topographical description of Van Diemen's Land. London, 1822. Octavo, folding engraved frontispiece; early half calf (worn). Some foxing and staining.

\$400-500

**59** EYRE, Edward John. Journals of expeditions of discovery into central Australia and overland from Adelaide to King George's Sound in the years 1840-41. London, 1845. Two volumes octavo, large folding coloured route map (with short tears) and folding map of Australia, 22 engraved or lithographed plates; original gilt-decorated cloth, the maps in an endpocket (slightly torn). Some foxing on the plates as usual, an excellent set.

Scarce with the maps.

\$6000-8000



Lot 59

60 [EYRE, Edward John]. JAMAICA. Addresses to His Excellency Edward John Eyre, Esquire, &c., &c., 1865, 1866. Kingston, Jamaica, 1866. Octavo, pp. viii, 172; binder's cloth. Some marginal emphases in ink by Eyre, a fine copy, with, bound in, a signed autograph letter by him, Tavistock, Devon, 25 October 1901, 4 pages small octavo, to one of the editors of the Black and White magazine, Arthur Mee, thanking him for his generous use of an earlier letter that he had sent. The passages marked by Eyre in the book are testimonials supportive of his action in putting down the rebellion in Jamaica. He died aged 86 on 30 November 1901, little more than a month after writing the letter. Rare.

#### With,

FINLAYSON, W.F. Justice to a Colonial Governor; or, some considerations on the case of Mr. Eyre . . . London, [1868]. Octavo; original cloth (slightly worn). Inscribed by the author 'to The Right. Hon. Sir W. Bovill, Lord Chief Justice'.

\$800-1000

- **61** FENTON, James. A history of Tasmania. Hobart, 1884. *Octavo, folding coloured map, 4 chromolithographed portraits of Aborigines and one wood-engraved portrait; original cloth (a little rubbed and marked). \$200–300*
- **62** FERGUSON, J.A., FOSTER, A.G., and GREEN, H.M. The Howes and their press. Sydney, Sunnybrook Press, 1936. Quarto, tipped-in plates; original cloth with printed label, in slightly chipped dustjacket and card slipcase. Edition limited to 125 numbered copies signed by the authors and the printer, Ernest H. Shea.

\$300-400

63 FIELD, Barron. An analysis of Blackstone's commentaries on the laws of England. London, 1811. Octavo; largely unopened in original boards with printed label (spine chipped, sides a little marked). Some foxing.

Rare. Field's first book, the first of several editions.

\$600-800

64 FIELD, Barron, editor. Geographical memoirs on New South Wales, by various hands: containing an account of the Surveyor-General's [Oxley's] late expedition to two new ports; the discovery of Moreton Bay River, with the adventures for seven months there of two shipwrecked men; a route from Bathurst to Liverpool Plains; together with other papers. London, 1825. Octavo, aquatint plate after J. W. Lewin (bound opposite page one), 4 folding engraved maps and folding botanical plate (usually bound as 2 plates); half calf (cloth sides flecked). A very good, crisp copy. \$800-1000

- 65 THE FIRST FLEET. The record of the foundation of Australia from its conception to the settlement at Sydney Cove. Compiled from the official documents in the Public Record Office, with extracts from the log-books of H.M.S. Sirius and an introduction and notes by Owen Rutter. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1937. Small folio, 2 leaves of facsimiles, wood-engraved illustrations by Peter Barker-Mill; original cloth (lightly bumped and sunned). Edition limited to 375 numbered copies. \$400-600
- 66 FLINDERS, Matthew. A voyage to Terra Australis, undertaken for the purpose of completing the discovery of that vast continent, and prosecuted in the years 1801, 1802 and 1803. London, 1814. Two volumes large quarto, with 9 steel-engraved views after William Westall, half-titles present; original moiré cloth with paper labels (wearing, labels deficient). Plates a little foxed and offset, occasional foxing of the text. With the Libraries Board of South Australia facsimile of the atlas.

Signed on the front pastedowns by George Fife Angas and dated May 1836: a marvellous association, uniting the founding father of South Australia, who bought these volumes in the year of its foundation, and the great navigator, whose account of his circumnavigation of the continent includes the first published descriptions of much of the coastline of what was to become the South Australian colony. Some pencilled notes on the back pastedown of the first volume are also in Angas's hand.

\$4000-6000

- **67** FORREST, Alexander. North-west exploration. Progress report of expedition, from DeGrey River to Beagle Bay. Perth, 1879. Western Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, pp. 6 and folding map; sewn as issued. **With 3** related Papers. \$300-400
- **68** FORREST, John. Explorations in Australia. London, 1875. Octavo, 4 folding coloured maps, frontispiece portrait and 7 wood-engraved plates after George French Angas; original gilt-decorated cloth (a little rubbed and flecked). Light waterstain on the plates. \$600-800
- **69** FORREST, John. Report on the Kimberley district, north-western Australia. Perth, 1883. Western Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, pp. 20, large folding map and 2 plates by H.C. Prinsep; original title-wrappers.

\$600-800

**70** FORREST, John. Report on the land policy of Western Australia, from 1829 to 1888, accompanied by various returns, land regulations and a map. Perth, 1889. Western Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, pp. 48, 42 and very large folding map; stapled as issued.

Very scarce. The map shows the principal landholdings.

\$600-800

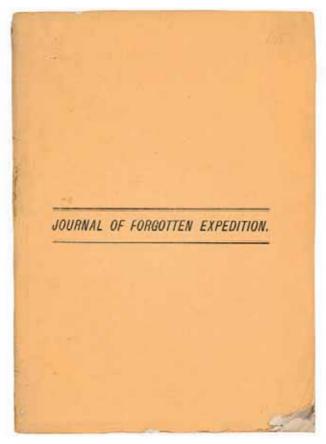
- **71** FORREST, Sir John. Budget speech, 1906–7, by . . . the Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Australia, on Tuesday, 31st July, 1906. Melbourne, 1906. Quarto, pp. 56; contemporary calf gilt (slightly worn). Presentation copy, with a signed inscription from Forrest to Colonel W.T. Reay. \$200–300
- 72 FRYER, Mary Ann. John Fryer of the Bounty. Notes on his career. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1939. Small folio, with wood-engravings by Averil Mackenzie-Grieve; original gilt-decorated cloth (very lightly marked) in slightly chipped dustjacket. Edition limited to 300 numbered copies signed by the editor, Owen Rutter, and the illustrator. \$300-400
- **73** GIBLIN, R.W. The early history of Tasmania. London, 1928 and Melbourne, 1939. Two volumes thick octavo, the first volume with plates, including folding facsimiles of charts; original cloth in dustjackets. Fine. \$200–300
- 74 GILES, Alfred. Exploring in the 'seventies and the construction of the Overland Telegraph Line. Adelaide, [1926]. Octavo, folding map and 4 photographic plates including frontispiece portrait; original cloth (slightly rubbed and marked).

A pencilled note on the endpaper reveals that the edition comprised 250 copies, of which only 50 were issued in cloth. \$1000-1500

- 75 GILES, Alfred, Exploring in the 'seventies and the construction of the Overland Telegraph Line, another copy, the issue in wrappers, with a signed inscription from the author. Spine slightly chipped, but fine. \$800-1000
- 76 GILES, Ernest. Australia twice traversed . . . a narrative compiled from the journals of five exploring expeditions into and through central South Australia and Western Australia, from 1872 to 1876. London, 1889. Two volumes octavo, 6 folding coloured maps, portrait and 20 plates; original pictorial cloth (spines mildly darkened). A very good set. \$2000-3000
- 77 GILES, Ernest. Geographic travels in central Australia from 1872 to 1874. Melbourne, 1875. Octavo, folding map; original gilt-decorated green cloth. A fine copy, with loosely enclosed, a signed autograph letter from Giles, Adelaide, 30 September 1876, 2 pages octavo with conjugate blank, to F. J. Blades of the Dragon Brewery, regarding a meeting of a sub-committee of the South Australian Benevolent Society.

\$1200-1500

**78** GILES, Ernest, Geographic travels in central Australia from 1872 to 1874, another copy, in original gilt-decorated brown cloth (spine wearing slightly). A little foxing. \$800-1000



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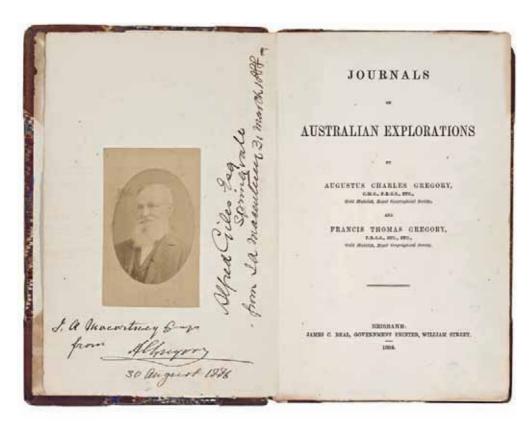
79 GILES, Ernest. The journal of a forgotten expedition. Adelaide, 1880. Octavo, pp. 26 double column and folding map with Giles's track picked out in red; original printed mustard wrappers (with slight blemishes). Small corner from bottom margin of front wrapper and first two leaves, a very good copy.

The very rare privately printed account of Giles's third expedition, in 1875, from Fowler's Bay to Beltana. Ferguson 9913: 'An attempt to penetrate from Adelaide to Perth by a new and unknown route.' Wantrup 206 and p. 264, describing it as 'legendary among collectors . . . one of the veritable high spots of Australian exploration literature. Since quite a few collectors would barter their souls for this little volume, any copy which came on the open market would arouse the keenest interest.'

**80** GOSSE, William. W.C. Gosse's explorations, 1873. Adelaide, 1874. South Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, drop title, pp. 20; sewn as issued. Paper browned, slight chipping.

The European discovery of Ayers Rock.

\$600-800



Lot 81

81 GREGORY, Augustus Charles and Francis Thomas. Journals of Australian explorations. Brisbane, 1884. Octavo, with 5 mounted albumen paper photographs on inserted leaves (4 portraits and a photograph of an engraving after Thomas Baines); original half calf (rebacked mounting the original label, marbled sides a little chipped and abraded).

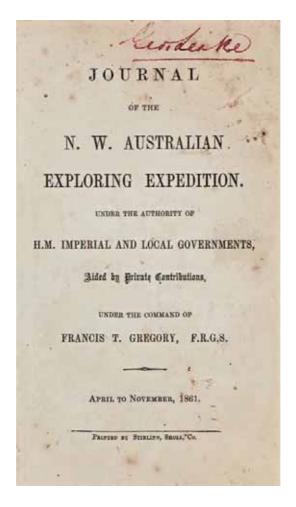
The very rare presentation issue including photographs. With a signed inscription from A.C. Gregory, in 1886, to the Queensland pastoralist and explorer J.A. Macartney, who has added his signature, pencilled notes and underlining; and with his signed inscription, in 1880, to the Northern Territory explorer Alfred Giles: a remarkable provenance. Ferguson 10075, unhelpfully calling for 'portraits and illustrations'; Wantrup 190B, recording only the cloth binding and calling for 6 photographs: but, as he has subsequently noted, the number varies in the few known copies, with the earliest recorded including portraits of the two brothers only.

\$8000-10,000

**82** GREGORY, Augustus Charles and Francis Thomas, Journals of Australian explorations, another copy, the standard issue in green cloth (back board lightly marked, endpapers and adjacent leaves foxed as usual). \$400-600

83 GREGORY, Francis Thomas. Journal of the N.W. Australian Exploring Expedition, under the authority of H.M. Imperial and local Governments, aided by private contributions, under the command of Francis T. Gregory, F. R.G.S., April to November, 1861. Perth, [1862]. Octavo, pp. 84; contemporary limp black cloth, with traces of the original blue wrappers. Some foxing, slight closed tear from the gutter of the final two leaves. Signed at the head of the title by George Leake, barrister and magistrate at Perth, who in 1862 was the colony's crown solicitor.

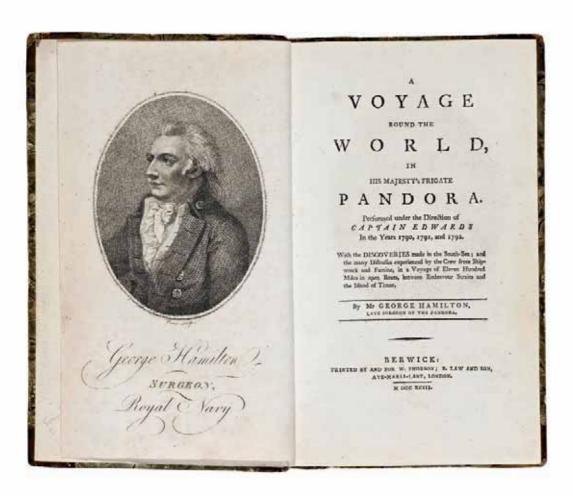
Extremely rare. The remaining fragments of the original back wrapper confirm that this is a copy of the first issue, before the addition of a meteorological journal. Of this issue only one other example is recorded, the Webster-Sprod-Davidson copy, sold at auction in 2007. *Libraries Australia* locates only 2 copies of the second issue (and none of the first), so it can be assumed that no more than a handful of copies has survived of either issue of what was no doubt a very small edition. Cf. Ferguson 10082, the second issue; the first issue unknown to him. \$25,000-30,000



Lot 83

- 84 GREGORY, J.W. The dead heart of Australia. A journey round Lake Eyre in the summer of 1901–1902. London, 1906. Octavo, 6 folding coloured maps and map of Lake Torrens omitted from the list of plates and maps, 16 photographic plates; original tan cloth with pictorial paper inset on front board, top edge gilt (spine slightly flecked). A little foxing, a very good copy. \$400–600
- 85 GREGORY, J.W., The dead heart of Australia, another copy, the colonial issue in blue cloth, in the rare dustjacket (a little chipped and marked). Related press cuttings tipped to front endpaper and two leaves of text, bookplate of J. W. Gellert, by Lionel Lindsay. \$400-600
- 86 GREY, George. Journals of two expeditions of discovery in north-west and western Australia during the years 1837, 38, and 39. London, 1841. Two volumes octavo, 2 folding maps in endpocket and 20 lithographed plates, some coloured; original cloth (a little marked and slightly worn). Some light foxing, a few leaves in the first volume with a little marginal worming. Presentation copy, inscribed at the head of the first title 'Miss Bagot with Captn. & Mrs. Grey's kind regards'. Early plate of Wigg and Son's Circulating Library in each volume. \$1000–1500
- 87 HALL, Thomas. The early history of Warwick district and pioneers of the Darling Downs. Toowoomba, [circa 1920]. Octavo, with photographic plates; original cloth. Fine. With Hogan's The Gladstone Colony, 1898, and Kennedy's The black police of Queensland, 1902. \$300-400
- 88 HANSON, William. The pastoral possessions of New South Wales, alphabetically arranged in the eastern, central and western divisions. Sydney, 1889. Octavo, with a large folding coloured map; original cloth. A fine copy, with the rare prospectus loosely enclosed. \$200–300

89 HAMILTON, George. A voyage round the world, in His Majesty's Frigate Pandora, performed under the direction of Captain Edwards in the years 1790, 1791, and 1792. Berwick, 1793. Octavo, with a frontispiece portrait; contemporary half calf, spine gilt-decorated (small paper adhesion on corner of back board, lacking front free endpaper). Piece from fore-margin of two leaves. Very scarce. \$6000-8000

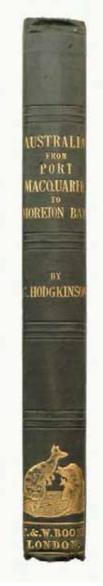


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**90** HARE, Rosalie. The voyage of the 'Caroline' to Van Diemen's Land and Batavia in 1827–28. With additional chapters by Ida Lee. London, 1927. *Octavo, folding maps and photographic plates; original cloth in chipped dustjacket. Fine.* 

\$200-300

91 HILL, J.G., compiler. The Calvert Scientific Exploring Expedition, Australia, 1896. London, 1905. Small quarto, pp. viii, 44, frontispiece map and folding map; original cloth (rubbed, front free endpaper excised). \$200–300



92 HODGKINSON, Clement. Australia, from Port Macquarie to Moreton Bay, with descriptions of the natives, their manners and customs; the geology, natural productions, fertility, and resources of that region; first explored and surveyed by order of the Colonial Government. London, 1845. Octavo, 7 aquatint plates and an engraved map; original blind-stamped and gilt-decorated cloth. Slight foxing on the plates and map, a fine copy, from the library of Jane Franklin with her signature at the head of the title, crossed through by the South Australian newspaper editor and book collector W.I. Sowden, and his signature added. \$4000-6000

93 HOPKINS, John. On the geology of the gold-bearing rocks of the world, and the gold fields of Victoria . . . The four illustrated geological sections may be obtained separately. Melbourne, 1853. Octavo, pp. [iv], 44, [iv]; disbound, without the printed wrappers.

Rare. Ferguson 10533a; his 10533b is the accompanying publication of geological sections. \$300-400

94 HOWITT, William. Tallangatta, the squatter's home. A story of Australian life. London, 1857. *Two volumes in one, octavo; early polished calf, spine fully gilt. Fine.* \$200–300

Lot 92

95 HUISH, Robert. A narrative of the voyages and travels of Captain Beechey, R.N., F.R.S., &c., to the Pacific and Behring's Straits; performed in the years 1825, 26, 27, and 28, for the purpose of co-operating with the expeditions under Captains Parry and Franklin; and of Captain Back, R.N., to the Thlew-ee-choh River & the Arctic Sea in search of the expedition under Captain J. Ross, R.N. London, 1836. Octavo, with 2 engraved portraits and 6 other engraved plates; mid-nineteenth-century sprinkled calf, spine fully gilt, by Rivière. Slight foxing, a handsome copy.

With the bookplate of the English cloth manufacturer and art collector, John Sheepshanks (1787–1863), whose books typically were bound by Rivière in this style. \$600–800

96 HUNTER, John. An historical journal of the transactions at Port Jackson and Norfolk Island, with the discoveries which have been made in New South Wales and in the Southern Ocean since the publication of Phillip's Voyage . . . London, 1793. Quarto, frontispiece portrait, engraved title, 5 maps (2 folding) and one added map (see below), 10 plates; contemporary half calf (joints cracking, but sound). Corner from leaf 3Q4, costing only the two page numerals.

First edition, a fine, large copy, with an additional hand-coloured map, 'A new and accurate map of New South Wales', 1794, (Tooley 135B), from Wilkinson's *General atlas of the world.* \$4000-6000

97 HUNTER, John, An historical journal of the transactions at Port Jackson and Norfolk Island, another copy, uncut in original boards (worn, with early paper backstrip hand-lettered, hinges broken). A few marginal defects, a little foxing and small marginal dampstain on last two plates, but generally clean.

Rare in this uncut and unpressed state.

\$3000-4000

98 INGLETON, Geoffrey Chapman. True patriots all, or news from early Australia, as told in a collection of broadsides. Sydney, 1952. Quarto, with 3 signed etchings by the author tipped in, coloured frontispiece and numerous illustrations; original quarter morocco and gilt-decorated cloth, top edge gilt, by Sangorski and Sutcliffe. The special issue, one of 150 signed and numbered copies. \$200–300

- 99 IRWIN, Frederick Chidley. The state and position of Western Australia, commonly called the Swan-River Settlement. London, 1835. Octavo; uncut in later quarter calf, a rare advertising handbill for the book (Just published') tipped to back endpaper. Presentation copy, inscribed by the author. \$400-600
- **100** IRWIN, Frederick Chidley, The state and position of Western Australia, another copy, in original cloth (a little worn, label chipped), also with a presentation inscription from the author. \$400-600
- 101 JACK, Robert Logan. Northmost Australia. Three centuries of exploration and adventure in and around Cape York Peninsula, Queensland. London, 1921. Two volumes thick large octavo, 17 endpocket maps and numerous plates; original cloth (spines slightly marked). A very good set. \$500-600
- **102** JACK, Robert Logan, Northmost Australia, another set in original cloth, the Melbourne issue of 1922, also very good. \$400-500
- 103 JOPPIEN, Rudiger and SMITH, Bernard. The art of Captain Cook's voyages. Melbourne, [1985-87]. Three volumes in four, folio, profusely illustrated, partly in colour; original cloth in dustjackets. Volumes 1 and 2 in reprint. \$400-600
- 104 JUKES, Joseph Beete. Narrative of the surveying voyage of H.M.S. Fly, commanded by Captain F.P. Blackwood, R.N., in Torres Strait, New Guinea, and other islands of the eastern archipelago during the years 1842–46. London, 1847. Two volumes octavo, 2 folding engraved maps and 19 engraved or lithographed plates; later half calf, spines fully gilt, top edges gilt, others uncut, bound without the half-titles. First map neatly laid down, stabilising some short tears, slight foxing.

\$1000-1500

- **105** JUKES, Joseph Beete. A sketch of the physical structure of Australia, so far as it is at present known. London, 1850. *Octavo, with 2 folding hand-coloured engraved maps; original cloth. Slight foxing.* Very scarce. \$800–1000
- **106** JUST, P. Australia; or notes taken during a residence in the colonies from the gold discovery in 1851 till 1857. Dundee, 1859. *Octavo, tinted lithographed frontispiece and folding map; original cloth. Slight foxing.* \$300–400
- 107 KEATE, George. An account of the Pelew Islands, situated in the western part of the Pacific Ocean. Composed from the journals and communications of Captain Henry Wilson and some of his officers, who, in August, 1783, were there shipwrecked in the Antelope. The fifth edition, to which is added a supplement, compiled from the journals of the Panther and Endeavour, two vessels sent by the Honourable East India Company to those islands in 1790, by J.P. Hockin. London, Printed for Captain Henry Wilson, 1803. Quarto, with a folding chart and 20 plates; contemporary mottled calf, spine gilt-decorated (joints cracking but sound). Some foxing on the plates. \$400-600
- 108 KING, Phillip Parker. Narrative of a survey of the intertropical and western coasts of Australia performed between the years 1818 and 1822. London, 1827. Two volumes octavo, 2 folding engraved charts, 12 aquatint plates, folding engraved plate and woodcuts in the text, errata leaf; early half calf, spines fully gilt (front joint of the first volume cracked but firm), bound without the half-titles. \$1500-2000
- **109** KING, Phillip Parker, Narrative of a survey of the intertropical and western coasts of Australia, another set, uncut in later papered boards, period style, lacking the first half-title and one errata slip. \$1000-1500

110 KING, Captain Phillip Parker, FITZROY, Captain Robert and DARWIN, Charles. Narrative of the surveying voyages of His Majesty's Ships Adventure and Beagle between the years 1826 and 1836, describing the examination of the southern shores of South America, and the Beagle's circumnavigation of the globe. London, 1839-40. Three volumes in four, large octavo, with 46 engraved plates after Conrad Martens and Augustus Earle, 4 engraved charts bound with the text (one folding) and 6 folding engraved charts in endpockets; original blind-stamped and gilt-lettered cloth (spines of the first two volumes and appendix volume a little faded, some uneven fading on the front board of the first volume). Some foxing on the plates as usual.

A fine, tight set in the original cloth. The final volume, by Darwin, is dated 1840, signifying the third issue, and the other volumes 1839 (the first volume with undated inserted advertisements of 1847).

With the signature in two volumes of Ronald Gunn (1808–81), the pre-eminent early Tasmanian naturalist. Founding editor, in 1842, of the *Tasmanian Journal of Natural Science*, friend of the Franklins and intrepid plant hunter, he received high praise from Joseph Hooker in his *Flora Tasmaniae*: 'There are few Tasmanian plants that Mr. Gunn has not seen alive, noted their habitats in a living state, and collected large suites of specimens with singular tact and judgment. These have all been sent to England . . . accompanied with notes that display a remarkable power of observation, and a facility for seizing important characters in their physiognomy'. Gunn has pencilled a brief note on two back endpapers and added the scientific name to Darwin's text figure of an edible South American fungus: *Cyttaria darwinii*, which was named in his honour in 1842.

\$20,000-30,000

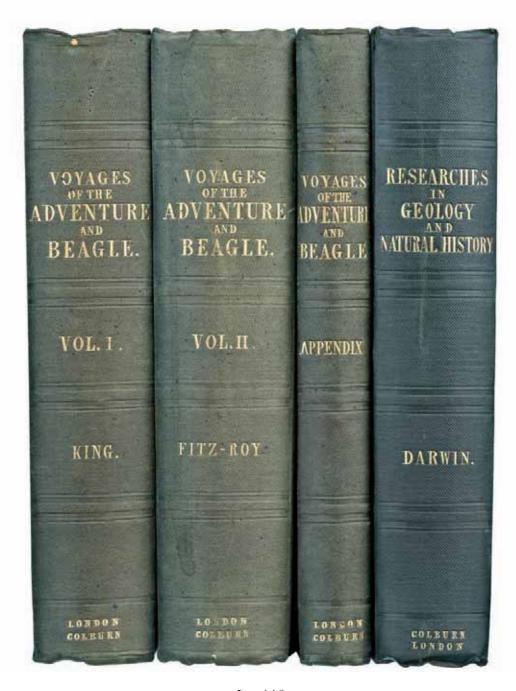
**111** LANDOR, E.W. The bushman; or life in a new country. London, 1847. Octavo, 4 engraved plates; original cloth (slightly worn, sewing a little weakened).

Landor arrived in Western Australia in 1841.

\$400-500

112 LANDSBOROUGH, William. Journal of Landsborough's expedition from Carpentaria, in search of Burke and Wills. Melbourne, Wilson & Mackinnon, 1862. Octavo, frontispiece portrait of Landsborough and four members of his party, large folding map; original cloth-backed printed pink boards (lightly marked). \$400-500

113 LANDSBOROUGH, William. Landsborough's exploration of Australia from Carpentaria to Melbourne, with special reference to the settlement of the available country. Edited by James Stuart Laurie. London, [1866]. Octavo, with a double-page map; original printed wrappers (slightly worn). \$300-400



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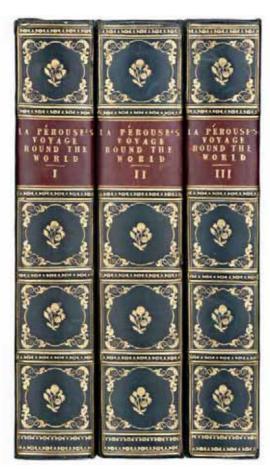
**114** LANG, John Dunmore. Cooksland. London, 1847. *Small octavo, folding map and 7 lithographed plates; later half morocco. Some foxing.* \$300-400

**115** LANG, John Dunmore. View of the origin and migrations of the Polynesian nation; demonstrating their ancient discovery and progressive settlement of the continent of America. London, 1834. *Octavo; original cloth (a little marked) with paper label.* \$200–300

116 LA PEROUSE, Jean François Galoup de. A voyage round the world in the years 1785, 1786, 1787, and 1788 . . . edited by M.L.A. Milet-Mureau. London, J. Johnson, 1798. Three volumes octavo, portrait and 41 charts and plates, some folding; nineteenth-century navy calf, spines fully gilt with maroon labels, sides with gilt-ruled and ornamental blind-stamped border (small blemish at edge of the front board of the third volume). Slight foxing, small marginal defect in one leaf, waterstain along the top of one plate.

A very attractive set.

\$3000-4000



Lot 116

117 LEE, Ida, editor. The logbooks of the Lady Nelson, with the journal of her first commander, Lieutenant James Grant, R.N. London, [1915]. *Thick octavo, plates, charts and facsimiles; original cloth (lightly marked). With Lee's* The voyage of the 'Caroline' from England to Van Diemen's Land and Batavia in 1827–28, 1927, and her Commodore Sir John Hayes, his voyage and life, 1912.

\$300-400

- 118 LEICHHARDT, Ludwig. Tagebuch einer Landreise in Australien von Moreton-Bay nach Port Essington während der Jahre 1844 und 1845. Halle, 1851. Octavo, pp. [iv], 442, with wood-engraved illustrations; largely unopened in the original fawn printed wrappers (a little worn and lightly stained, sewing weakening). Occasional foxing and slight marginal staining. \$300-400
- 119 LIGHT, Major William. Sicilian scenery. Drawings by P. de Wint, the original sketches by Major Light. London, 1823. Quarto, engraved title with vignette and 61 engraved plates; contemporary quarter calf (worn). Light dampstain on top margins, well clear of the engraved surfaces, a little foxing. \$600-800
- **120** LINDSAY, David. Mr. D. Lindsay's explorations through Arnheim's Land. [Adelaide], 1884. South Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, drop title, pp. 22 and large folding coloured map; disbound, spine taped. \$600-800
- **121** [LINDSAY, David and WELLS, Lawrence]. Journal of the Elder Scientific Exploring Expedition, 1891–2, under the command of D. Lindsay. Adelaide, 1893. Octavo, pp. 208 + 2 very large folding lithographed maps (one coloured) in separate folder; original printed wrappers (chipped) and printed card folder, ribbon-tied. \$600–800
- 122 LUMHOLTZ, Carl. Among cannibals. An account of four years' travels in Australia and of camp life with the Aborigines of Queensland. London, 1889. Octavo, 2 folding coloured maps, 29 plates (4 coloured) and illustrations; original gilt-decorated cloth. A nice copy, with the bookplate of the South Australian pastoralist John Bagot. \$300-400
- 123 [MACARTHUR, James]. New South Wales; its present state and future prospects: being a statement, with documentary evidence, submitted in support of petitions to His Majesty and Parliament. London, 1837. Octavo, folding hand-coloured map and folding table; original moiré cloth. Some foxing as usual. \$200-300

**124** MACARTNEY, John Neill. The Bendigo goldfield registry . . . Second year. Melbourne, 1872. Octavo, with 20 folding plans and a folding diagram; original cloth (slightly worn). A little foxing. \$200–300

**125** McGILCHRIST, John. The mutineers. A poem. Edinburgh, 1859. Octavo, pp. xii, 208; original cloth (a little marked, front endpaper slightly blemished). Name-stamps and inscriptions of early owner.

Rare. Based on Barrow's The eventful history of the mutiny and piratical seizure of H.M.S. Bounty. \$400-600



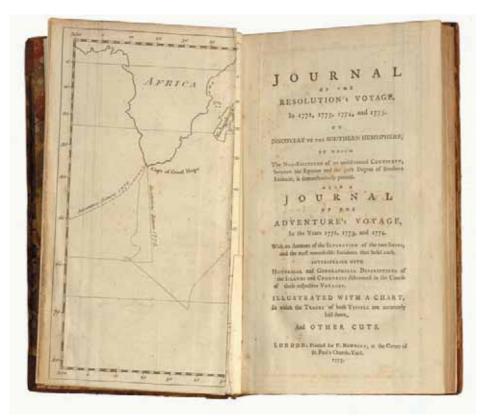
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126 MACGILLIVRAY, John. Narrative of the voyage of H.M.S. Rattlesnake, commanded by the late Captain Owen Stanley . . . during the years 1846–50, including discoveries and surveys in New Guinea, the Louisiade Archipelago, etc. To which is added the account of Mr. E.B. Kennedy's expedition for the exploration of Cape York Peninsula. London, 1852. Two volumes octavo, folding engraved map, 13 lithographed plates (some tinted) after T.H. Huxley and others; late nineteenth-century half calf, spines fully gilt. Some neat paper reinforcement to the map, slight foxing, marbling on edges bleeding a little to plate margins: but a very attractive set.

\$6000-8000

127 MACKANESS, George. Admiral Arthur Phillip, founder of New South Wales, 1738–1814. Sydney, 1937. Thick octavo, plates and 2 folding maps; original cloth in pictorial dustjacket. Pages 118-120 slightly creased and marked. \$200–300

**128** MACKAY, George. The history of Bendigo. Melbourne, 1891. Octavo, 11 tinted lithographed plates (2 folding); original cloth. \$200–300



Lot 129

**129** [MARRA, John]. Journal of the Resolution's voyage, in 1772, 1773, 1774, and 1775, on discovery to the Southern Hemisphere . . . Also a journal of the Adventure's voyage, in the years 1772, 1773, and 1774. London, 1775. Octavo, 2 folding charts (see below) and 5 plates; contemporary sprinkled calf well rebacked and recornered. Some very slight foxing, a fine copy.

First edition. Preceding Cook's official volumes by some eighteen months, this was the first published book to give an eye-witness account of the Antarctic regions. The additional chart in this copy, showing the track of the Resolution from Norfolk Island to the New Hebrides, is rarely present. \$10,000-12,000

**130** MARTIN, James. Memorandums. Edited by Charles Blount. [Cambridge], Rampant Lions Press, [1937]. Sextodecimo, folding map, woodcut illustrations; original gilt-decorated cloth. Edition limited to 150 numbered copies signed by the printer and editor. Fine.

The first printing of Martin's journal, recording his escape with a party of convicts from Port Jackson in 1791 and their voyage north to Cape York and across to Timor, where they were eventually recaptured by Captain Edwards of the *Pandora*. \$300-400

131 MARTIN, John. An account of the natives of the Tonga islands . . . compiled and arranged from the extensive communications of Mr. William Mariner, several years resident in those islands. Second edition, with additions. London, 1818. Two volumes octavo, frontispiece portrait and folding map, with the half-titles; half calf in period style, top edges gilt, by Sangorski and Sutcliffe. Slight foxing. \$400-600



132 MAURICE, R.T. Extracts from journals of explorations . . . Fowler's Bay to Rawlinson Ranges and Fowler's Bay to Cambridge Gulf. Adelaide, 1904. South Australian Parliamentary Paper, small folio, pp. 40, 2 large folding maps and 6 photographic plates; original printed wrappers (a little worn). Slight marginal blemishes. Presentation copy, with a signed inscription from the author to the South Australian pastoralist, author and politician, Simpson Newland. \$500-700

133 MAWSON, Sir Douglas. The home of the blizzard. Being the story of the Australasian Antarctic Expedition, 1911-1914. London, 1930. Octavo, 3 folding maps and numerous plates (many new to this edition); original cloth in pictorial dustjacket. With, loosely enclosed, a signed typed letter from the author to Harry Muir regarding an exchange of their bookplates. \$200-300

134 MEREDITH, Louisa Anne. My home in Tasmania during a residence of nine years. London, 1852. *Two volumes octavo, 4 wood-engraved plates and text illustrations; original cloth (slightly worn). A little foxing.* \$300–400

135 MITCHELL, Thomas Livingstone. Journal of an expedition into the interior of tropical Australia in search of a route from Sydney to the Gulf of Carpentaria. London, 1848. Octavo, 7 engraved maps (4 folding), 10 tinted lithographed plates and one wood-engraved plate, text illustrations; original gilt-decorated cloth (a trifle flecked). A fine copy, with a presentation inscription on the front endpaper by the author's youngest son, R.B. Mitchell, dated Edinburgh, March 1899.

Distinctly rare in this condition.

\$4000-6000

Lot 135

136 MITCHELL, Thomas Livingstone. Three expeditions into the interior of eastern Australia. With descriptions of the recently explored region of Australia Felix and of the present colony of New South Wales. Second edition, carefully revised. London, 1839. Two volumes octavo, lithographed pictorial titles, folding coloured engraved map (with small repair), 2 other engraved maps (one coloured) and 49 lithographed plates (some coloured, 3 folding); nineteenth-century half calf, spines blind-decorated. Some foxing on the plates as usual, the second volume a little shaken, a very good set.

\$1000-1500

137 MITFORD, Mary Russell. Christina, the maid of the South Seas. A poem. London, 1811. Octavo, with the half-title and errata leaf; uncut in original boards (worn, backstrip defective at foot), in folding lettered cloth box, bookplate of Viscount Esher. A little foxing.

First edition. 'The scene of the poem is laid in Pitcairn's Island . . . in the South Seas and was inspired by the second discovery [there], by an American vessel, of a small English colony, established by some of the mutineers of the *Bounty'* – author's preface. An extensive series of notes is appended, drawing on Cook, Bligh and other Pacific navigators, and on information supplied by the officers of the *Topaz*, the American vessel that happened on the island in 1808.

\$400-600

**138** MOORE, A.W. Nessy Heywood. Douglas, Isle of Man, 1913. *Small octavo, pp. xxiv, 110, with 6 plates; original cloth. Corner of title snipped, name-stamp on pastedown scored out.* 

Rare. Biography of the sister of Peter Heywood, midshipman on the *Bounty*, the latter half largely concerning him. \$300-400

- 139 MORESBY, Captain John. Discoveries & surveys in New Guinea and the D'Entrecasteaux Islands. London, 1876. Octavo, folding map coloured in outline and coloured map of Hayter, Basilisk and Moresby Islands omitted from the list of maps and plates, 2 other maps and 4 plates; original gilt-decorated cloth (lightly marked). Front free endpaper excised, otherwise a very good copy. \$600-800
- 140 MORRISON, James, Boatswain's mate of the Bounty. The journal . . . describing the mutiny & subsequent misfortunes of the mutineers, together with an account of the island of Tahiti. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1935. Small folio, with wood-engravings by Robert Gibbings; original cloth (slightly bumped), top edge gilt. Edition limited to 325 numbered copies signed by the editor, Owen Rutter.

The first printing of Morrison's journal, a major *Bounty* document, from the manuscript in the Mitchell Library. \$600-800



141 NISBET, Hume. A colonial tramp. Travels and adventures in Australia and New Guinea. London, 1891. Two volumes octavo, 2 chromolithographed frontispieces and 41 other plates; original pictorial cloth (lightly marked and flecked). Slight foxing. \$200–300

**142** OGLE, Nathaniel. The Colony of Western Australia. London, 1839. Octavo, 4 lithographed plates (2 folding), 4 folding tables of landholders, and folding map by Arrowsmith, coloured in outline, in endpocket; resewn in original cloth (a little worn, endpapers marked).

The first issue, with the much superior map. \$1500-2000

143 OXLEY, John. Journals of two expeditions into the interior of New South Wales. London, 1820. Quarto, 3 folding maps, folding etched plate, 5 aquatint plates (2 hand-coloured) and 2 folding tables; contemporary diced calf, spine fully gilt in compartments, sides with double gilt-ruled and blind-stamped foliate border, by T. Leishman of London. Very slight sealed tear in the first map, some offsetting on the plates and maps as often, a fine copy in a finely preserved binding of the period.

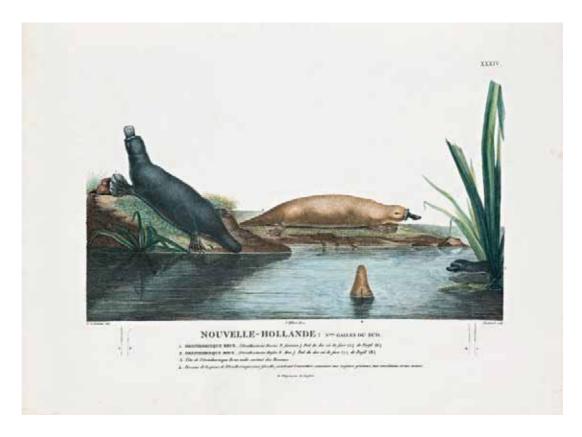
Inscribed on a blank preliminary (on Oxley's behalf) 'With the author's best respects', and with the bookplate of Henry Goulburn: an important association. Goulburn was Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, under Earl Bathurst, from 1812 to 1821, and was Macquarie's principal correspondent in the British Government. A town and river in New South Wales were named after him. \$12,000–15,000

144 PARKINSON, Sydney. A journal of a voyage to the South Seas in His Majesty's Ship the Endeavour. London, 1773. Large quarto, frontispiece portrait, map of New Zealand and 26 plates, errata leaf; contemporary calf rebacked retaining the original label. Usual offsetting from the plates, and two of them foxed, as is also typical.

Lot 143

First edition, a very good, large copy.

\$8,000-10,000



Lot 145

145 PERON, François and FREYCINET, Louis de. Voyage de découvertes aux Terres Australes . . . pendant les années 1800, 1801, 1802, 1803 et 1804. Paris, 1807–16. Two volumes quarto, with a portrait and 2 folding tables, half-titles and errata leaf present; and large quarto atlas in two parts, with 2 engraved titles, 40 engraved plates (23 hand-coloured, 2 double-page), 2 large folding charts and 24 maps and plans on 12 plates: contemporary quarter red morocco (rubbed, a corner of the first volume defective). Some foxing, scarcely affecting the coloured plates, stamp of E. Angas Johnson at head of titles.

A very good set of the *Partie historique*; without, as usual, the *Partie navigation et géographie*. \$15,000-20,000

146 PETHERICK, Edward A., compiler. Catalogue of the York Gate Library formed by Mr. S. William Silver. An index to the literature of geography, maritime and inland discovery, commerce and colonisation. London, 1886. Thick large octavo, 18 plates (one double-page); original lettered parchment, top edge gilt, other edges uncut. Second edition, much enlarged. \$200–300

**147** PETRIE, Tom. Reminiscences of early Queensland, dating from 1837. Recorded by his daughter. Brisbane, 1904. *Octavo, folding map and plates, mostly photographic; original pictorial cloth.* \$200–300

148 PHILLIP, Arthur. The voyage of Governor Phillip to Botany Bay; with an account of the establishment of the colonies of Port Jackson & Norfolk Island, compiled from authentic papers. London, 1789. Quarto, frontispiece portrait, engraved title with vignette, 6 folding charts and 48 plates; later half calf (joints cracked, but sound), bound without the terminal advertisement leaf, as often. Plates offset to text, some foxing, a few leaves with original creasing, a few small marginal repairs.

First edition, a large copy, including the portrait of Lieutenant Watts, which normally appears only in the second edition, of 1790, but in rare instances is found with the first (and is clearly original to this copy). The Watts plate has a publication date of December 1789, whereas the others are dated May to November, so presumably it was not ready in time for the work's initial appearance in book form, in December, but was added to a small number of copies. \$3000-4000

**149** PHILLIP, Arthur. Arthur Phillips Reise nach der Botany-Bay. Hamburg, 1791. Octavo, frontispiece portrait, engraved title with vignette, 8 other plates and folding coloured map; early half calf (a little worn). Occasional foxing and offsetting, one gathering present in duplicate.

Ferguson 113: the second German edition.

\$300-400

**150** PHILLIP, Arthur. Voyage du Gouverneur Phillip à Botany-Bay. Paris, 1791. Octavo; early half calf (slightly worn). A little foxing.

Ferguson 112: the first French edition, also including an account of the *Bounty* mutiny. \$400-600

- **151** QUIROS, Pedro Fernandez de. The voyages of Pedro Fernandez de Quiros, 1595 to 1606. Translated by Sir Clements Markham. London, Hakluyt Society, 1904. *Two volumes octavo, with 3 folding maps in endpocket; original gilt-decorated cloth (spines faded, endpapers chipped).* \$200-300
- 152 REID, Sir George. My reminiscences. London, 1917. Thick octavo with photogravure plates; original cloth in the rare pictorial dustjacket (chipped).

\$200-300

153 REILLY, J.T. Reminiscences of fifty years' residence in Western Australia. Perth, 1903. Thick octavo, photographic plates, introductory note on tipped-in slip; original quarter cloth and printed boards (slightly marked and rubbed). Contemporary gift inscription, a well-preserved copy of a book rarely found in good condition.

\$400-600

**154** REUTHER, J.G. and STREHLOW, Carl, translators. Testamenta marra. [New Testament in Diyari]. Tanunda, South Australia, 1897. Octavo; original quarter roan (a little worn, cloth sides mottled), the last few leaves present in duplicate. Sealed tear in one leaf, slight staining.

The first printing of the complete New Testament in an Aboriginal language. Some 150 pages are heavily annotated in pencil, almost certainly by Professor J. A. Fitzherbert of the University of Adelaide (an envelope addressed to him is loosely enclosed), who was professor of classics and the academic mentor of T.G.H. Strehlow, son of Pastor Carl Strehlow. \$400-600

155 ROBERTSON, E. Graeme and CRAIG, Edith N. Early houses of northern Tasmania. An historical and architectural survey. Melbourne, 1964. Two volumes quarto, profusely illustrated; original canvas with leather spine labels, in pictorial dustjackets. Edition limited to 1000 signed and numbered sets.

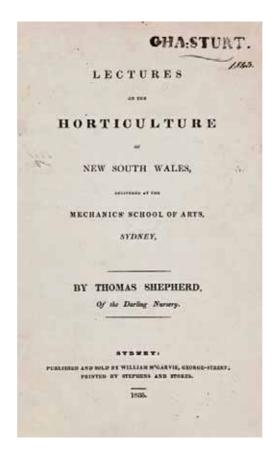
\$400-600

- **156** ROTH, H. Ling. The discovery and settlement of Port Mackay, Queensland. Halifax, 1908. Quarto, 4 folding maps and numerous illustrations; original cloth (slightly bumped and flecked), top edge gilt. Light foxing. Edition limited to 250 copies. \$300-400
- **157** RUMSEY, Herbert J. The pioneers of Sydney Cove. Sydney, Sunnybrook Press, 1937. Quarto, with vignette illustrations by James Emery; original cloth in dustjacket and card slipcase. Fine. Edition limited to 150 numbered copies signed by the author and by the printer, Ernest H. Shea. \$200–300
- **158** RUSSELL, Henry Stuart. The genesis of Queensland. Sydney, 1888. Thick large octavo, portrait, folding map (misfolded and slightly torn) and 3 folding facsimiles; original cloth. \$200–300
- **159** SHANN, E.O.G. Cattle chosen. The story of the first group settlement in Western Australia, 1829 to 1841. London, 1926. Octavo, with 2 plates and a folding map; original cloth in dustjacket. Fine. \$200–300

**160** SHEPHERD, Thomas. Lectures on the horticulture of New South Wales. Delivered at the Mechanics' School of Arts, Sydney. Sydney, 1835. *Octavo, pp. iv, 80; bound with some related extracts (see below) in contemporary quarter calf (worn, spine cracked).* 

THE FIRST AUSTRALIAN GARDENING BOOK, very rare and a copy with an extraordinary provenance: from the libraries successively of Charles Sturt, with his stamp at the head of the title; of John Ridley, the celebrated inventor of the stripper harvesting machine, with his signed note on the front endpaper recording that he bought it at Sturt's sale at Adelaide in April 1847; and of the Adelaide bookseller E.S. Wigg, who has appended his note that he bought it at Ridley's sale in February 1853: both Sturt and Ridley had sold up prior to leaving the colony for England.

Sturt has added to the volume Shepherd's 'On the cultivation of the vine', pp. 119-29, from the *New South Wales Calendar and General Post Office Directory*, Sydney, 1835, and a substantial part of an early newspaper printing of William Macarthur's *Lectures on the culture of the vine*, by 'Maro' (published in book form in 1844), which is mounted on 23 pages. There are also a few manuscript notes at the end by both Sturt and Ridley. \$10,000-12,000



Lot 160

**161** SHILLIBEER, *Lieut*. John. A narrative of the Briton's voyage to Pitcairn's Island. Taunton, 1817. Octavo, 12 plates etched by the author (one in sepia, 2 folding); uncut in original boards with printed label, in folding lettered cloth box. A few leaves a little carelessly opened.

A remarkably fine copy of the rare original edition. An advertisement leaf for the author's projected work on the Inquisition, which is found inserted in some copies, is not present and clearly was never included. \$5000-7000

**162** SPARRMAN, Anders. A voyage round the world with Captain James Cook in H.M.S. Resolution. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1944. *Small folio, folding map, wood-engravings by Peter Barker-Mill; original gilt-decorated buckram (bumped) with leather label, top edge gilt. Edition limited to 350 numbered copies.* 

First edition in English, from the Swedish original of 1802-1818. \$300-400

163 SPENCER, W. Baldwin, editor. Report on the work of the Horn Scientific Expedition to Central Australia. London and Melbourne, 1896. Four volumes quarto, large folding map and 69 plates (some coloured), text map and illustrations; original cloth (the spine of the second volume with a small closed tear). A very good set, largely unopened. \$3000-4000

**164** SPENCER, Baldwin. Wanderings in wild Australia. London, 1928. *Two volumes octavo, 4 folding maps and numerous plates (some coloured); original cloth, top edges gilt, in dustjackets, a fine set.* 

\$600-800

Lot 161

165 STOKES, J. Lort. Discoveries in Australia; with an account of the coasts and rivers explored and surveyed during the voyage of H.M.S. Beagle, in the years 1837–38–39–40–41–42–43. London, 1846. Two volumes thick octavo, 8 folding engraved maps and 26 engraved or lithographed plates; early half calf, spines fully gilt. Slight foxing, an excellent set. \$2000–3000

166 STRZELECKI, Paul Edmund de. Physical description of New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land. London, 1845. Thick octavo, folding coloured map, 17 lithographed plates (3 tinted, including portraits of Jenny and Jemmy, Tasmanian Aborigines, after Thomas Bock), and 5 engraved plates (one folding); original cloth (marked and bumped). Plates a little foxed. Presentation copy, inscribed at the head of the title 'A token of remembrance from the author'. \$400-600

**167** [STUART]. John McDouall Stuart. Why politicians, prominent men and the public press revere his memory. [Adelaide, 1902]. *Quarto, pp. 4. Lateral fold, fine.* 

An account of the banquet celebrating the fortieth anniversary of Stuart's transcontinental expedition. *With* a small quantity of related printed ephemera collected by W. J. Sowden: an attractive group. \$300-400

- 168 STURT, Captain Charles. Narrative of an expedition into central Australia . . . during the years 1844, 5, and 6. London, 1849. Two volumes octavo, with folding engraved map, 10 engraved plates and 6 hand-coloured or tinted lithographed plates; original cloth (slightly marked). Small marginal stain on first frontispiece, a very good set. \$1500-2000
- 169 STURT, Captain Charles. Two expeditions into the interior of southern Australia during the years 1828, 1829, 1830, and 1831. Second edition. London, 1834. Two volumes octavo, large folding engraved map and one other engraved map, 13 lithographed plates (4 coloured); original cloth (recased with new endpapers, a little worn and stained). Two openings stained. \$600-800
- **170** STURT, Mrs Napier George. Life of Charles Sturt. London, 1899. Octavo, 2 portraits and 5 maps; original cloth. One opening stained from a press cutting, otherwise fine. \$200-300
- 171 SWIRE, Herbert. The voyage of the Challenger. A personal narrative of the historic navigation of the globe in the years 1872-76. [London], Golden Cockerel Press, 1938. Two volumes small folio, colour plates and text illustrations; original gilt-decorated cloth and cloth slipcase. Edition limited to 300 numbered sets. \$600-800
- **172** TEICHELMANN, C.G. and SCHURMANN, C.W. Outlines of a grammar, vocabulary and phraseology of the Aboriginal language of South Australia spoken by the natives in and for some distance around Adelaide. Adelaide, 1840. Octavo, pp. [ii], [x], 24, [ii], 76; original plain blue wrappers (a little marked, spine slightly chipped). An excellent copy, largely unopened.

Ferguson 3102, collation omitting the 26 pages of grammar. \$600–800

**173** TEICHELMANN, C.G. and SCHURMANN, C.W., Outlines of a grammar, vocabulary and phraseology of the Aboriginal language of South Australia, another copy, in early binder's cloth, bound without the wrappers.

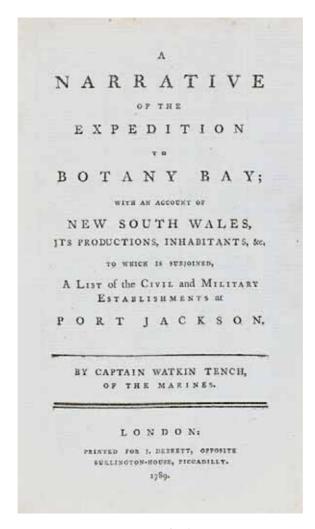
\$400-600

174 TENCH, Captain Watkin. A complete account of the settlement at Port Jackson, in New South Wales. London, 1793. Quarto, folding engraved map; uncut in original boards (used, backstrip renewed with lettered paper label).

First edition, a fine, uncut copy, signed on the front pastedown by one of the subscribers, Thomas Brooke, of the Cheshire militia. \$10,000-12,000

175 TENCH, Captain Watkin. A narrative of the expedition to Botany Bay; with an account of New South Wales, its productions, inhabitants, &c...London, 1789. Octavo, with the half-title and terminal advertisement leaf; modern panelled calf.

The first authentic account of the colony to be published: a fine, clean copy of the first edition. \$15,000-20,000



Lot 175

**176** TENCH, Captain Watkin. Voyage à la Baie Botanique . . . Paris, 1789. Octavo, with a folding 'Carte de la Baye Botanique', half-title present; uncut in later patterned boards. Some foxing and browning.

The better of the two French editions, with the added 'Récit historique de la découverte de la Nouvelle Hollande', and rare with the map, which was not included with most copies. \$800-1000

- 177 TERRY, Michael. Across unknown Australia. London, 1925. Octavo, photographic plates; original cloth in slightly chipped dustjacket. Contemporary gift inscription on half-title, fine. \$300-400
- 178 TERRY, Michael. Sand and sun. Two gold-hunting expeditions with camels in the dry lands of central Australia. London, 1937. Octavo, photographic plates; original cloth (slight silverfish damage to front free endpaper). Presentation copy, inscribed to 'Monte Maughan for his assistance to me in so many ways, many times, Michael Terry, 6.5.37', and with Maughan's bookplate. \$200-300
- 179 TERRY, Michael. Through a land of promise. With gun, car and camera in the heart of northern Australia. London, 1927. Octavo, photographic plates; original cloth in dustjacket (chipped and torn, piece cut from spine to remove the original printed price). Signed by the author in 1928. \$200-300
- **180** TIETKENS, William Henry. Journal of the Central Australian Exploring Expedition, 1889. Adelaide, 1891. Octavo, pp. [ii], 84, folding map and folding coloured geological sketch; original printed wrappers (slightly used, the author's name inked on spine).

Scarce: 600 copies printed. \$800–1000

- 181 UNAIPON, David. Native legends. Adelaide, [1929]. Octavo, pp. 16, with photographic illustrations; original pictorial wrappers. Presentation copy, with a signed inscription from the author, and with, loosely enclosed or mounted, three signed autograph letters by him (two in pencil), two telegrams, a snapshot and some press cuttings. The correspondence, 3 pages quarto, is addressed to the Medical Officer for the City of Adelaide, Dr. E. Angas Johnson, for whom Unaipon was collecting Aboriginal skulls, skeletons and artefacts. He discusses at some length what he has found and gives some interesting details of traditional custom. The snapshot depicts Unaipon showing a young Englishwoman how to throw a boomerang.
- **182** VOYAGES THROUGH THE NORTHERN PACIFIC OCEAN, INDIAN OCEAN, AND CHINESE SEA. London, 1831. *Duodecimo, with 3 woodcut plates and title vignette; original quarter roan.*

A scarce compilation.

\$200-300

183 WALCH, Charles Edward. The story of the life of Charles Edward Walch, with a selection of his writings. Hobart, Printed for private circulation, 1908. Quarto, with photographic plates; original cloth (slightly marked and flecked). Edition limited to 150 signed and numbered copies. With a signed autograph letter from the author, the patriarch of the Tasmanian bookselling family, presenting this copy to a Mrs. Salier. \$200-300

**184** WARBURTON, Peter Egerton. Journey across the western interior of Australia. London, 1875. Octavo, folding coloured route map (with short sealed tears) and 9 wood-engraved plates; original gilt-decorated cloth. A very good copy.

\$800-1000

185 WENTWORTH, W.C. A statistical, historical and political description of the Colony of New South Wales and its dependent settlements in Van Diemen's Land. London, 1819. Octavo; uncut in original boards, rebacked in calf, with new endpapers, corners neatly repaired.

The first published work by a native-born Australian. John Oxley's report to Macquarie on his first expedition appears on pages 65-76, preceding its appearance the following year in his *Journals of two expeditions*.

\$500-600

**186** WESTGARTH, William. Victoria and the Australian gold mines in 1857. London, 1857. Octavo, folding frontispiece map, hand-coloured in outline, and 2 other maps; original cloth (slightly mottled). **With** Westgarth's The Colony of Victoria, 1864, in half morocco. \$300-400

187 WHITE, Charles. Early Australian history. Convict life in New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land. Parts I and II. The story of the ten governors, and the story of the convicts. Bathurst, 1889. *Octavo; binder's cloth*.

\$200-300

188 WHITE, John. Journal of a voyage to New South Wales. London, 1790. Quarto, engraved title with vignette and 65 plates; contemporary diced russia, the top and bottom spine panels gilt-decorated, sides with ornamental and ruled gilt borders, gilt edges. Some foxing on the plates as usual.

First edition, a handsome copy, with the early issue points: the 'Wattled Merops' leaf uncancelled, the incorrect page number given for the 'Great Brown King's Fisher' in the list of plates, and the list of subscribers not included.

\$3000-4000

189 WILLS, William John. A successful exploration through the interior of Australia from Melbourne to the Gulf of Carpentaria. From the journals and letters . . . edited by his father, William Wills. London, 1863. Octavo, folding map and 2 engraved plates; original cloth. Some foxing to the plates, as usual.

First edition, the issue with the vivid patterned endpapers and the 32 pages of inserted terminal advertisements. \$800-1000

**190** [WILSON, William]. A missionary voyage to the Southern Pacific Ocean performed in the years 1796, 1797, 1798 in the Ship Duff, commanded by Captain James Wilson. London, 1799. Quarto, 7 folding charts (two with a short sealed tear) and 6 plates; contemporary calf (worn, rebacked). A little foxing and soiling.

Ferguson 302: the edition printed by T. Chapman for T. Gillet. \$400-600

191 WOODARD, David. The narrative of Captain Woodard and four seamen, who lost their ship while in a boat at sea and surrendered themselves up to the Malays . . . Also an account of the manners and customs of the Malays. London, 1804. Octavo, silhouette frontispiece portrait, 2 folding maps and 2 plates; uncut in original boards (backstrip neatly renewed, with printed label).

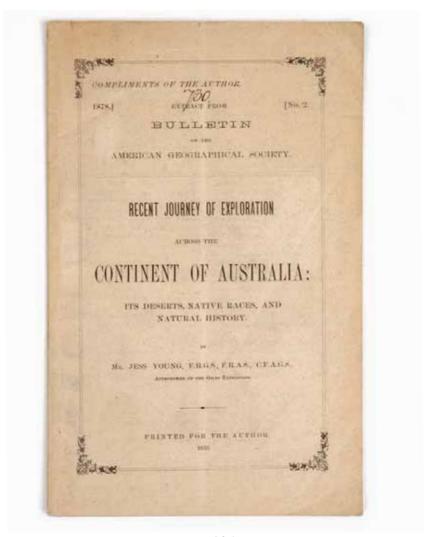
A fine, uncut copy of the first edition. The appendices include accounts of Bligh's voyage in the longboat, the wreck of the *Pandora*, and the sufferings of Carter, Shaw and Haskett in Torres Strait in 1793: part of the crew of the *Shah Hormazier*, bound for Batavia out of Norfolk Island, they narrowly escaped death at the hands of the natives of Tate Island, then managed to reach Timor in an open boat. \$600–800

**192** WOODS, James Dominick, editor. The native tribes of South Australia. Adelaide, 1879. Octavo, with 8 tinted lithographed plates; original gilt-decorated cloth (slightly worn). \$400-600

193 WOODS, Julian E. Tenison. A history of the discovery and exploration of Australia. London, 1865. *Two volumes octavo, frontispiece, large folding map in endpocket (wearing slightly) and one other map; half calf, spines fully gilt, top edges gilt, other edges uncut, by Bayntun.* \$300-400

**194** YOUNG, Jess, astronomer of the Giles Expedition. Recent journey of exploration across the continent of Australia: its deserts, native races and natural history. [New York], Printed for the author, 1878. Octavo, pp. 26; stab-sewn as issued in original title-wrappers. Light vertical crease from folding, a fine copy.

The very rare separate issue of Young's account of Giles's successful east-west crossing of the continent in 1875. Published in the *Bulletin* of the American Geographical Society in 1878, it is here re-imposed and repaginated in a few copies for the author. The Davidson copy seems to be the only one recorded. \$2500-3000



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