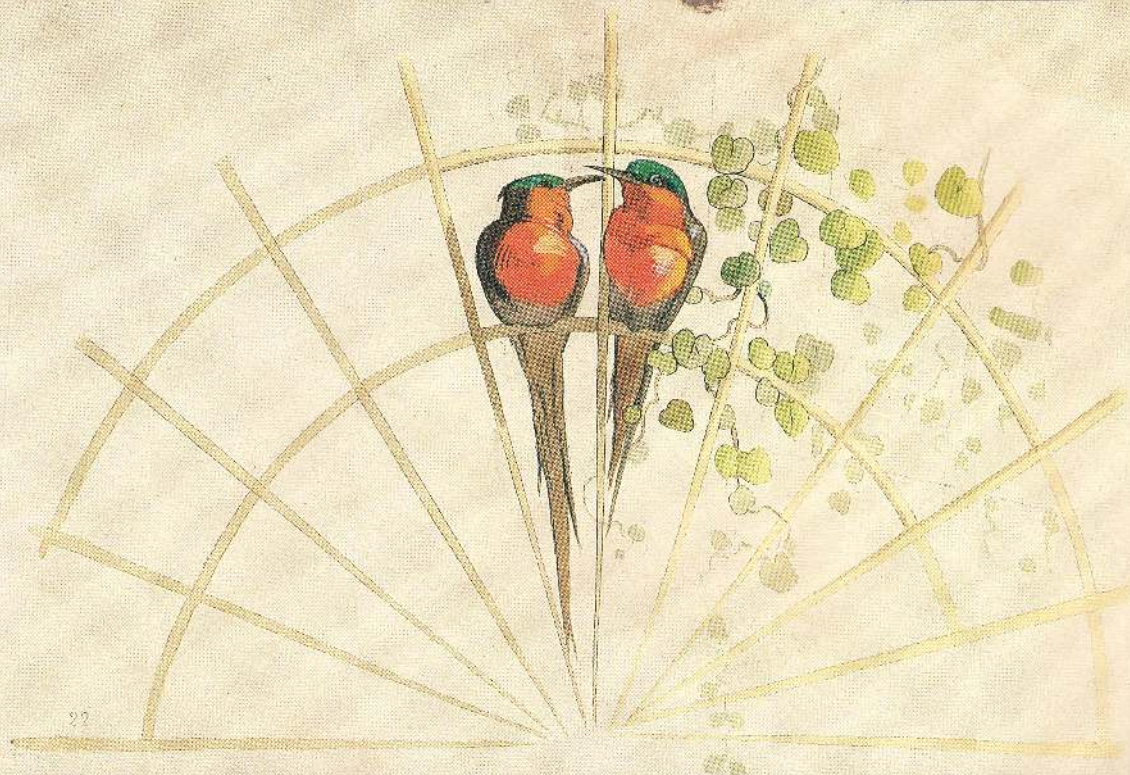




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11 Duges (A.) **Recherches sur l'osteologie et la myologie des Batraciens.** 20 engraved plates, 4to., original printed wrappers, spine repaired, Paris, 1835 £85

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Gadeau de Kerville was born in 1858 and Ronsil lists a string of his publications, the last in 1938 when he wrote the introduction to the proceedings of the 9th. Ornithological congress, which was held in Paris. Bradley Martin bought the catalogue from Quaritch (it has a note in Howard Radclyffe's hand) but the date is not recorded.

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A rare catalogue. Thayer (1862-1933) was an amateur ornithologist who published a number of papers. As Richmond commented "It is very interesting to look over the list and see how many rare books you have, but rather surprising how many of the commoner ones are missing." Among the rare books was a folio Audubon. When Thayer died in 1933 his library was bought by the Kennedy Galleries and Frank Walters in partnership. Kennedy took only the Audubons and busted them, while Walters sold the rest. Inserted are two letters to Walters from W. W. Brown (who was Thayer's bird collector) and an attractive photograph of Brown on St. Lasaria Island, Alaska, 1915 which has a note by Thayer on the verso.

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91 **Burke (H.F.) & Freeman (R.) Pedigree of the family of Darwin.** Folio, cloth, 1984 £12

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93 **Darwin (C.) Geology...revised for this edition by Professor A. Geike.** Extract from the fifth edition of the Admiralty Manual, modern cloth, [1886] £24

94 **Darwin (C.) Notes on the effects produced by the ancient glaciers of Caernavonshire.** 8pp., contained in The Philosophical Magazine, No. 137, original wrappers, 1842 £65

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95 **Darwin (C.) Observations on the parallel roads of Glen Roy.** 22 leaves, 2 lithograph plates, one after Albert Way (foxed, small stamp of Crerar library on verso; the periodicals were sold legally) recent cloth, extracted from Phil. Trans., 1839 £90

Freeman 1653. "In 1838 he set out on a geological tour in Scotland, the major object of which was to examine a famous geological puzzle of the time, the parallel terraces, or "roads" of Glen Roy...this tour resulted in a major paper for the Royal Society.. Corresp. II, xiv-xv. Darwin later abandoned his hypothesis.

- 96 Darwin (C.) **Rejse om jorden.** Portrait, 7 tinted lithographs(one a folding map), some foxing, half leather, repaired, Copenhagen, 1876 £30
First Danish edition of the *Journal of researches*.the illustrations have no exact English equivalent.
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107 **Haeckel (E.) Last words on evolution...translated from the second edition.** 3 plates, stamp on title, cloth, 1906 £20

108 **Haeckel (E.) the last link, our present knowledge of the descent of man...with notes and biographical sketches by Hans Gadow.** Cloth, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, presented to them by the author, 1898 £25

109 **Haeckel (E.) The riddle of the universe, second edition, 1901;The wonders of life,1904** 2 vol., both translated by Joseph McCabe, cloth, good copies, from the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh library, with stamps, presented to them by the author, 1901- 04 £50

110 **Herschel (Sir John, editor) A manual of scientific enquiry...second edition.** 2 folding maps (one torn at the fold), prize calf, bit worn, from the Royal Academy Gosport, 1851 £90
Freeman 328; Darwin's contribution, on geology, is on pp. 166-204

Darwin's cactus

111 **Jardine (Sir William) a.o., editors. Magazine of zoology and botany.** Vol. 1-2, all published, 34 plates (11 coloured by hand), few minor stains and browning, publisher's cloth, Gordon Rowley's copy with a bibliographical note, Edinburgh, 1837-38 £225

Includes a folding coloured plate of *Victoria Regia* which is apparently the first illustrations of this celebrated plant. Vol. 1 (pp. 466-69, plus pl.XIV) includes an article by J.S. Henslow *Description of two new species of Opuntia* which is so much based on Darwin's own words as to merit an entry in Freeman. One cactus comes from Patagonia, the other from the Galapagos; the illustration of the latter is partly based on a sketch by Darwin. According to Rowley's date notes the part containing Henslow's paper was published in Febuary 1837 which makes it one of the earliest descriptions of any of the Beagle material.

112 **Preyer (W.) Biologische Zeitfragen.Schulreform – Legenserforschung – Darwin...Zweite Auflage.** Half leather, rubbed, Berlin, 1889 £20

A precursor of Darwin

113 **White (C.) An account of the regular gradation in man and in different animals and vegetables.** 4 plates (3 folding, two printed in sepia stipple), 4to., half calf, antique, 1799 £250

First (and only) edition of "a suggestive treatise on evolution, unknown to Darwin, in which he rejected the idea that acquired characteristics could become hereditary. For the study of skulls upon which this work is based, White has been called the founder of anthropometry." – DSB XIV, 297.

GARDENING

114 **Commelyn (J.) Nederlantze hesperides [& D.H. Cause; de Koninglycke hovenier]** 2 pt. in one vol., engraved title and 26 engraved plates in the first part, engraved title and 31 plates in the second part, several plates trimmed slightly affecting captions, several neat repairs with (on second engraved title) a patch about half and inch square made good in neat ms. (as also the plate of St. Germanin pasted to verso), first two plates of flowers similarly repaired with three small strips made good, minor stains but a crisp copy, folio, half calf, worn, 1676 £1200

The first series of plates depicts oranges and lemons and the stove houses in which they were grown. The second series comprise two views of gardens, 16 plates of parterres and 13 plates of flowers, quite possibly copied from de Bry. Despite the mentioned defects a crisp and generally clean copy.

115 Fairchild (T.) **The city gardener...ever-greens, frut-trees, flowering shrubs, flowers, exotic plants, &c. as will be ornamental, and thrive best i n the London gardens.** Engraved frontispiece, folding plan (small paper flaw slightly affecting printed surface), half calf, antique, 1722 £160

The first book on the subject. *Henry* 702

116 [Groot (M. de)] **Les agrements de la campagne...maisons de campagne...jardins de plaisance...arbres fruitiers...ananas, les citroniers, les limoniers [etc.]** 12 folding engraved plates of greenhouses and plants(one with a clean tear at fold), minor marginal worming, 4to., calf, gilt spine with contemporary armorial in top compartment, bit worn and chipped, bookplate of Lord Battersea, Leiden, 1750 £275

First French edition, translated from the Dutch original of 1737 by P. de la Cour.

117 Hill (Thomas) **The profitable arte of gardening, now the thirde time set forth...to this is annexed ...the marvellous government, proprietie and benefite of bees.** Black letter, title within typographic border, 4 woodcuts of gardens, device on last page, minor browning, blank corner of first few leaves very slightly dogeared, half calf, rebacked, 1574 £850

Third enlarged edition of the first book on gardening printed in England. The bee section is the first English work on bees. To this edition is added for the first time a section on grafting taken from Mascall's book of 1572

118 Jonghe (J. de) **Traite de la culture du Camellia** Grey wrappers, bit soiled and loose, Brussels, 1851 £75

119 Protheroe & Morris, *auctioneers*. **Walton Grange gardens, Stone, Staffordshire. Important sale of duplicate and surplus orchids by order of William Thompson...on the premises.** 6 chromolithographs by [J.L.] Macfarlane after his own drawings, 4to., printed wrappers, spine worn, 11-12 May, 1898 £150

Protheroe & Morris were the standard auctioneers for orchids and similar horticultural sales. Macfarlane drew and lithographed plates in both *Lindenia* and *Sander's Reichenbachia*.

120 Siebold (P.F. de) & de Vriese (W.H.), *editors*. **Annales d'horticulture et de botanique our flore des jardins du Royaume des Pays-Bas, et histoire des plantes cultivees...des possessions neerlandaises...en Amerique et du Japon.** 5 vol., all published, 69 plates, 63 of flowers (50 chromolithographs by Stroobant of Ghent) and 4 of gardens, etc. including vignette views of the Krelage nursery and a tinted view of Tanjong, Batavia, few pls. just trimmed, contemporary half green morocco, trifle worn, the Belgium Royal family copy with crowned cypher in compartments of the spine, Leiden, 1858-62 £900

121 Sinclair (G.) **4 A.L.ss. from Sinclair to the firm of Gibbs and Co., nurserymen and seedsmen, corner of Half Moon st., Piccadilly** 4 pieces, each two leaves, with integral address and postmark, mostly concerned with seed orders (curled cress, short topt salmon Radish, White turnip, Early Cauliflower, Best Cape brocoli, 4 pruning knives), some soiling, few minor defects, Woburn Abbey, 1815-18 £70

Sinclair was a considerable botanist and superintendant of all the Duke of Bedford's gardens, on which he produced a number of books (e.g. *Hortus gramineus Woburnensis*. The first edition of the his grass book (1816) is illustrated with actual grass and seeds.

Also included are some 10 other letters, including 3 from Robert Gibbs to his son (1804) and a short confirmation of an order to Gibbs from Lord Ossory of Ampthill Park (1807). Several of these additional letters are a bit worn and slightly defective.

122 Tschudy [J.B.L.], *Baron de. Essai sur la greffe de l'herbe des plantes et des arbres; Catalogue des arbres qu'on peut se procurer dans les pepinieres de Colombe, pr es de Metz.* 2 vol. in one, first item with a folding lithographic plate, minor waterstains, boards, uncut, new cloth spine, Metz, 1819-16 £110

Neither in Arnold Arboretum Cat. , Lindley or Pritzcl.

VERTEBRATES

123 Allman (G.J.) **On the characters and affinities of Potamogale, a genus of insectivorous mammals [from West Africa]** £50

Extract from T.Z.S., 2 lithographs, one a fine hand-coloured plate by Wolf, 4to., modern wrappers, 1865

124 Azara (F. de) **The natural history of the quadrupeds of Paraguay and the river La Plata; translated from the Spanish...with a memoir of the author, a physical sketch of the country, and numerous notes; by W. Percival Hunter... Vol. 1 [all published].** Old inscription on title, later pencil signature of David Attenborough, original half cloth, bit worn, repaired, Edinburgh, 1838 £175

Dedicated to Audubon by the translator, who alas never finished his work.

125 Banks (E.) **Bornean mammals.** Map, 40 amateur lithographic plates, half cloth, Kuching, 1949 £35

126 [Bennet (E.T.)] **The gardens and menagerie of the Zoological Society delineated.** 2 vol., numerous vignettes by William Harvey, blue morocco, g.e., joints somewhat worn, but sound, Edward Dalziel's copy with his striking circular bookplate in blue, a 2pp. A.L. s. to him from Harvey inserted, together with 2 leaves with 3 attractive Harvey vignettes in pen and ink, 1835 £250

Edward Dalziel was one of the founders, with his brother George, of the firm of Dalziel brothers who produced so many of the Victorian wood engravings for book illustration. The Harvey sketches are not (alas) for our book; one might be for an edition of *Don Quixote*, another depicts a girl weeping with the annotation "Lillian 24 pages".

127 Boitard (P.) **Le jardin des plantes, description et moeurs des mammiferes.** Numerous plates, including a folding plan and (despite the title) 4 hand-coloured plates of birds after Travies, minor foxing, half morocco, bit worn, the North Devon Athenaeum copy with stamp on verso of title and last leaf, 1842 £125

128 Boulenger (G.A.) **Catalogue of the fresh-water fishes of Africa.** 4 vol., text-figures, cloth, a scruffy ex-lib. copy, 1909- 16 £165

129 Couch (J.) **A history of the fishes of the British Islands.** 4 vol., 252 coloured plates printed from woodblocks by A.F. Lydon, half green morocco, gilt, by Bayntun, Ruari McLean's booklabel, 1868, 1863- 65 £1200

An exceptional copy. Bound in are the original blue printed wrappers to the parts, a lithographed portrait of Couch, 3 original watercolours by him, and an A.L.s. The first titlepage is presumably a replacement, since the wrappers are of the first edition; their survival is very unusual. The three watercolours are of marine invertebrates(coral , sea slug) and a pipefish. The letter (2 and a half pp., Polperro, 1841) is to J. Purdue (perhaps the Rev. John Purdue, see Cleevly) about shell collecting

and fossils; Couch mentions his forthcoming *Cornish Fauna*.
Nissen 979; McLean, *Benjamin Fawcett*, 49

130 **Cretzschmar (P.J.) Atlas zu der Reise im nordlichen Afrika von Eduard Ruppell. Saugethiere.** 30 lithographed plates (28 coloured by hand), clean tear in one plate repaired, blind stamp on first four plates and accompanying letterpress, some text offset onto plates, folio, recent half morocco, Frankfort, 1826 £350

The mammal section from Ruppell's voyage through North Africa and along the Red Sea.

131 **Elliot (D.G.) A review of the primates.** 3 vol., plates, wrappers, bit worn, New York, 1912-13 £145

Presentation snakes

132 **Fayrer (J.) The Thanatophidia of India...the venomous snakes of the Indian peninsula.** 31 lithographs (28 coloured) printed by Hanhart after native artists at the Government School of Art, Calcutta, folio, pl. 3 with tear repaired, minor tear in blank portion of another pl., some foxing, original red cloth, neatly rebacked, 1872 £1650

Inscribed "With Dr. Fayrer's Compts.", and with the bookplate of Nottidge Charles Macnamara (1832-1918, author of *A history of Asiatic cholera*, 1876) presumably the recipient.
" One of the finest books on the subject" – GM 2105

133 **Gervais (F.) Zoologie et paléontologie francaises (animaux vertebres).** 3 vol., 80 lithographic plates, 4to (text) and sm. folio (atlas), half calf, rubbed and a bit stained, Paris, 1848-52 £185

134 **Goode (G.B.) & Bean (T.H.) Oceanic ichthyology.** 2 vol., 123 plates, some foxing, cloth, bit worn, Washington, Smith. Inst., 1895 £120

135 **Goode (G.B.) & Bean (T.H.) Oceanic ichthyology.** 2 vol., 123 plates, 4to., library stamp on flyleaves and general titles (only), half calf, bit worn, Washington, Smith Inst. Contribs., 1895 £85

136 **Haagner (A.) South African mammals.** Numerous illus., cloth, 1920 £35

137 **Joleaud (L.) Les ruminants cervicornes d'Afrique.** Text-figures, 4to., half cloth, Cairo, Mem. Inst. Egypt, 27, 1935 £40

The author is a paleontologist but this is a cultural history with illustrations from cave art and other sources.

138 **Nott (J.F.) Wild animals photographed and described.** Numerous plates of lions, kangeroos, bears, etc. phototype reproductions of the author's negatives by I. & A. Lemerancier of Paris, some foxing, cloth, rubbed, 1886 £25

139 **Osborn (H.F.) Proboscidea, a monograph of the...Mastodonts and Elepahants of the world.** 2 vol., limited to 675 copies, plates, cloth, New York, 1936-42 £450

140 **Reguis (J.) Essai sur l'histoire naturelle des vertebres de Provence... vertebres anallantoidiens (Poissons et batraciens).** All published, text-figures, half leather, (Marseille, 1882) £40

141 **Ruppell (E.)** **Fische des rothen Meers.** 35 lithographed plates (33 fully or partly coloured by hand, one folding), some offset from text to plates but a clean copy, half morocco, Frankfort, 1828 £285

The fish section from Ruppell's *Atlas zu der Reise im nordlichen Afrika.*

142 **True (F.W.)** **The whale bone whales of the Western North Atlantic....with some observations on the species of the North Pacific.** 50 plates, 4to., library stamp on general title and flyleaf (only), half calf, rubbed, Washington, Simth. Inst. contribs., 1904 £55

143 **Willughby (F.) & Ray (J.)** **De historia piscium** Engraved title, 187 engraved plates of fish, minor worming, 18th. Cent. panelled calf, somewhat worn, Oxford, 1686 £850

A magnificent work, the expense of which strained the resources of the Royal Society, who published it; indeed but for a subvention of £50 from Pepys the work would probably never appeared (in recompense the work was dedicated to him). 500 copies were printed and accounts survive both at the Royal Society and at Oxford. The text was printed in Oxford, but the plates in London by Richard Hunt.

This copy was presented by the Royal Society to the Rev. George Jago of Looe in Cornwall; there is a calligraphic presentation inscription on the title dated 1709. In Ray's posthumous *Synopsis avium et piscium*, 1713 there are contributions from Jago, and one of the plates is entitled *Fishes lately discovered on the coasts of Cornwall by the Reverend Mr. George Jago.*

GEOLOGY

144 **Allen (P.M.)** a.o. **Report on the geological survey of Hong Kong.** 2 coloured maps in pocket, folio, Hong Kong, 1972 £25

145 **Anderson (C.A.)** a.o. **1940 E.W. Scripps cruise to the gulf of California.** Plates and maps, 11 folding charts in pocket, cloth, New York, Geol. Soc. America mem. 43, 1950 £30

146 **Andrau (E.)** **La geologie du pic Chaussy se ses abords (alpes Vaudoises).** 2 folding maps(one coloured), wrappers, Amsterdam, 1929 £23

147 **Anglo American Corporation of South Africa Ltd., Geological Department.** **Western Rift exploration Co. Ltd. Report No. 4(& 6)** 2 vol., duplicated text, photographs pasted in, numerous geological maps and plans, folio, half leather, [Johannesburg ?], 1958 £55

Elaborate details of mineral prospecting in what was then Tanganyika. Internal documents of this nature contain much geological information but are one of the gray areas of literature, often inaccessible.

148 **Baker (R.T.)** **Building and ornamental stones of Australia.** Numerous coloured plates of the stones and black and white illustrations of the buildings in which they were used, oblong 4to., cloth, inner joints weak, Sydney, Tech. Mus. Educ. Ser., 20, 1915 £110

Contains a really remarkable conspectus of the buildings of Edwardian Australia.

149 **Ball (J.)** **A description of the first or Aswan cataract.** 13 plates, including a folding coloured map, wrappers, bit worn, Cairo. Surv. Dept., 1907 £24

- 150 **Ball (J.) Contributions to the geography of Egypt.** Plates, including coloured maps, half cloth, Cairo, Govt. Press, Surv. Dept., 1939 £40
- 151 **Ball (J.) The geography and geology of West-Central Sinai.** 400 copies printed, 24 maps and plates, including a large coloured map, folded, mounted on linen, in a pocket, cloth, Cairo, Surv. Dept., 1916 £65
- 152 **Barron (T.) The topography and geology of the peninsula of Sinai (Western portion).** 8 plates of scenery, 7 folding maps (2 coloured), wrappers, Cairo, Survey Dept., 1907 £35
- 153 **Barthoux (J.) Chronoloie et description des roches ignees du desert arabique.** 14 plates, 3 folding maps(one coloured), 4to., half morocco, Cairo, Mem. Inst. Eg.V, 1922 £40
- 154 **Beadnell (H.) the topography and geology of the Fayum province of Egypt.** 16 plates, 8 folding maps in pocket (2 coloured), 4to., cloth, Cairo, Survey dept.,1905 £25
- 155 **Buckland (W.) Reliquiae diluviana;or, observations on the organic remains contained in caves, fissures, and diluvial gravel...second edition.** 27 lithograph plates, printed by Hullmandell (3 coloured by hand, few folding), 4to., boards, uncut, bit worn, printed label chipped, 1824 £180
- 156 **Bullock (W.) a catalogue of a ...collection of organized fossils from the blue lias formation at Lyme and Charmouth in Dorsetshire...the genuine property of Colonel [T.J. B.] Birch.** Frontispiece of a crustaceous insect (aquatint; rather faint; part of caption trimmed away), old wrappers, bit worn, Egyptian Hall, 15 May, 1820 £55
102 lots, mostly collected by the celebrated Mary Anning, and sold for her benefit by the generous colonel. An ichyosaurus which had been described by Everard Home made 145 guineas. *Chalmers Hunt 78; Cleveley 58.*
- 157 **Burnet (T.) Telluris theoria sacra...editio secunda.** 2 pt. in one vol., engraved frontispiece, 2 double plates and 9 engraved illustrations in the text, 4to., calf, rebounded, 1689 £140
- 158 **Bylandt Palstercamp (Comte A. de) Theorie des volcans. Atlas[only]** Printed wrapper, 17 lithographed plates (1-16, 7bis), mostly double, printed by Thierry freres of Paris, without the 3 vol. text, loose in wrappers, some creasing and minor soiling, Paris & Strasburg, 1836 £145
The BM(NH) cat calls for 15 plates only. The volcanoes are the mediterranean ones and there are detailed maps of Aetna & Vesuvius, and several views, including a fine *Interieur du cratere de l'Etna 1832.*
- 159 **Cahen (L.) Geologie du Congo Belge.** 19 plates, text-figures, folio, cloth, Liege, 1954 £40
- 160 **Casey (R.) The Ammonoidea of the Lower Greensand.** Pt. 1-7 (only), 97 plates, 4to., wrappers, soiled and with a few small stamps, Pal. Soc., 1960-66 £25
- 161 **Cayeux (L.) Contribution a l'etude micrographique des terrains sedimentaires.** 10 plates, wrappers, Lille, Mem. soc. Geol. du Nord IV, 2, 1897 £35

- 162 **Cayeux (L.) Etudes des gites mineraux de la France.** 2 vol. in onc, 33 plates, 4to., cloth, Min. d. Trav. pub., 1939-41 £45
- 163 **Cayeux (L.) Les roches sedimentaires de France.** 2 vol., 56 plates, 4to., cloth, 1929-35 £90
The first vol. published as a Memoire of the Service de la Carte geologique; due to threatened "mesures de compression" the author had the second vol. published by the Fondation Singer-Polignac.
- 164 [**Crouch (N.)**], *R.B.* **The general history of earthquakes.** Paper somewhat browned, recent cloth, A. Bettsworth, J. Hodges, 1734 £40
- 165 **Cumberland (G.) Reliquiae conservatae...characters of some remarkable fossil encrinites and their connecting links.** 13 lithographed plates, some foxing, half calf, Bristol, 1826 £150
Limited to 150 copies. *Keynes 12.*
- 166 **Cuvillier (J.) Revision du Nummulitique egyptien (Nouvelle contribution).** 2 vol., 30 plates, 4to., half morocco, Cairo, Mem. Inst. Eg., 17, 22, 1930-33 £45
- 167 **Daubeny (C.) Sketch of the geology of North America.** Stamp on title, modern cloth, Oxford, 1839 £55
- 168 **Dean (W.T.) The trilobites of the Chair of Kildare Limestone (Upper Ordovician) of eastern Ireland.** 2 pt., 44 plates, 4to., wrappers, few small stamps, Pal. Sco., 1971-74 £20
- 169 **Duff (P.) Sketch of the gology of Moray.** 11 plates, 3 hand-coloured, bit soiled, half cloth, Elgin, 1842 £75
- 170 **Fourtau (R.) Catalogue des invertebres fossiles de l'Egypte... collections du Geological Museum au Caire.** 5 pt., all published, 250 sets printed, 44 lithographed plates by F. Gauthier, 4to., wrappers, one vol. repaired, Cairo, Geol. Survey Palaeo Ser. 1-5, 1913-21 £40
Comprises Terrains tertiaires pt. 1-2 & cretaces pt. 1-3. All but one pt. (cretaces 2; mollusques lamellibranches) are on echinoderms. Also included is Fourtau's *Description des echinides fossiles recueillis par MM. Wf. Hume et J.A. Ball*, 4 lithograph plates, 1909
- 171 **Gardner (E.W.) Some lacustrine Mollusca from the Faiyum depression.** 8 plates, 4to., half cloth, Cairo, Mem. Inst. Egypt. 18, 1932 £26
- 172 **Geikie (A.) Text-book of geology.** Illus., some stains, cloth, worn and loose, 1882 £18
- 173 **Gregory (J.W.) The rift valleys and geology of East Africa.** Plates and maps, cloth, faded and small tear in spine, 1921 £45
- 174 **Hamilton (Sir William) Observations on Mount Vesuvius, Mount Etna, and other volcanos...second edition.** 6 engraved plates, the folding map torn and somewhat roughly repaired, half calf, worn, bound with another work (see below), 1773 £175
Bound with R.E. Raspe, *An account of some German volcanos... published as supplementary to Sir William Hamilton's Observations*, 2 folding engraved plates, 1776. This latter work has at the end an

interesting 4 pp. catalogue of books published by Lockyer Davis, printer to the Royal Society.

175 **Harrison (J.B.) The geology of the goldfields of British Guiana.** 33 plates of scenery and 10 of rock sections, cloth, rubbed, 1908 £75

176 **Hawkes (D.D.) The geology of the South Shetland islands.** 2 pt., 7 plates, 2 folding coloured maps of Deception Island, 4to., wrappers, Falkland Is. Dep Sc. Sur., 26-27, 1961 £30

177 **Heybroek (F.) La geologie d'une partie du Liban sud.** Illus., 4 folding maps in pocket, wrappers, Leiden, Geol. Med 12, 1942 £28

178 **Holtedahl (O.) On the geology and physiography of some Antarctic and sub-Antarctic islands.** 52 plates, wrappers, presentation copy, Oslo, Nor. Ant. Exp. 3, 1929 £28

179 **Hughes (Jabez) Claudian the poet, his elegant history of Rufinus...Mount Aetna poetically described; with a curious and exact account of its fiery eruptions.** Calf, crudely rebacked, worn, few leaves loose, North Devon Athenaeum stamp in several places, 1741 £38

The poem on the eruption of Aetna occupies 28 pages. Foxon H636.3, a reissue of *Miscellanies*, 1737.

180 **Hume (W.F.) A preliminary report on the geology of the eastern desert of Egypt.** 5 plates, 4 folding coloured maps, wrappers, Cairo, Survey Dept. paper 1, 1907 £30

181 **Hume (W.F.) The topography and geology of the peninsula of Sinai (south-eastern portion).** 18 plates of scenery etc., and 5 folding coloured maps, cloth, Cairo, Surv. Dept., 1906 £60

182 **Karpinsky (A.P.) a.o. Carte geologique de la Russie d'Europe editee par le comite geologique.** Large coloured map, folded, strengthened at the folds, cloth cover, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy with small stamp, Leningrad, 1892 £300

DSB (VII, 250) mentions this map (misdated 1893) with 2 other works by Karpinsky and comments "These three works represented a generalization of the tremendous amount of material on the geology of Russia which had been accumulated by the end of the nineteenth century."

183 **Little (O.H.) The geography and geology of Makalla (South Arabia).** 500 copies printed, frontispiece of the Sultan of Shehr, 35 plates (including a folding coloured map), half cloth, Cairo, Geol. Surv., 1925 £85

184 **Moon (F.W.) Preliminary geological report on Saint John's island (Red Sea).** 12 plates, folding coloured map, in pocket, half cloth, Cairo, Geol. Surv., 1923 £30

185 **Moore (R.C.) a.o. Treatise on invertebrate paleontology.** 20 pt. in 29 vol., thousands of illustrations, cloth, New York & Lawrence, Ka., 1953-79 £355

This comprises A, C-I, K-L, N-W; it does not include the second editions of E Vol. I, V or W which were published in 1972, 1970 & 1975 but otherwise it is complete until 1979.

186 **Muenster** (Georg, *Graf von*) **Bemerkungen zur nahern Kenntniss der Belemniten.** Folding leaf containing 2 plates lithographed by Lud. Pflaum, 4to., wrappers, Bayreuth, 1830 £35

The count was court chamberlain at Bayreuth but is best known for his *Beitrage sur Petrefaktenkunde*, 1843. *This work not in BM (NH) or Cleevely*

187 **Owen** (R.) **A description of certain Belemnites, 1844; A description of the cavern of Bruniquel and its organic contents, 1864; On the Archeopteryx of von Meyer, 1862.** In one vol., 15 lithograph plates (the large folding pl. of Archeopteryx in two halves), 4to., cloth, bound with 6 other papers from Phil. Trans., 1844-64 £80

188 **Palaeontology. The journal of the Palaeontological Association. Vol. 1-8.** 8vol., 4to., numerous fine plates (apparently in collotype), wrappers, in the original 30 parts, in fine state, 1957-65 £80

189 **Pavlovsky** (E.V., *editor*) **Geology of Pribaikalia. Guidebook.** Maps, cloth, Irkutsk, 1969 £30

190 **Picard** (L.) **Geological researches in the Judean desert.** 3 plates, folding coloured map, wrappers, Jerusalem, Goldberg's Press, 1931 £25

191 **Piveteau** (J.) **Traite de paleontologie Vol. 1-3 (invertebrates complete).** 3 vol., numerous illustrations, cloth, spines faded, Paris, 1952-53 £38

192 **Sadek** (H.) **The geography and geology of the district between Gebel 'Ataqa and el-Galala el-Bahariya.** 400 copies printed, maps, including 2 folding coloured maps in pocket, half cloth, Cairo, Sur. Egypt 4o, 1926 £26

193 **Schmeisser** (J.G.) **A system of mineralogy formed chiefly on the plan of Cronstedt.** 2 vol., 4 engraved plates, an exceptional copy in original boards, uncut, joints of the first vol. beginning to split, title inked on spines, 1795 £300

First and only edition.

194 **Smith** (William) **Observations on the utility , form and management of water meadows.** 2 folding engraved plates(the first in second state with 3 added words), tree sheep, neatly rebacked, Norwich, 1806 £145

First edition, first issue of the title; Eyles 4.

195 **Sofalvi** (Alexius) **Institutiones juris metallici in usum M. Principatus Transsilvaniae.** Pp. (viii), 308, (8), the last four leaves being a Latin- German glossary of mining terms and errata, old wrappers, Kolozsvar (Klausenburg), typis Lycei Regii, 1834 £200

An elaborate codification of local mining law. As far as we can trace not in NUC or the BL.

196 **Sweden, Geological survey. Sveriges geologiska undersokning.**[Ser Aa Kartblad med beskrifningar i skalan 1;50,000. Bladet 1-53] Key map, 2 general maps, 53 double chromolithographed maps of geology, printed at the Swedish general staff lithographic institute, without separate text apart of a number of wrappers bound in, some dust soiling, few tears repaired,

folio, half leather, worn, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, with a few small stamps, Stockholm, 1861-74 £225

The latest map in this series to be published seems to be No. 201, 1974.

197 **Verbeek (R.) & Fennema (R.) Description geologique de Java et Madoura.** The atlas only, lacking the 2 vol. of text, 51 maps, mostly coloured, in original cloth portfolio, a bit worn, Amsterdam, 1896 £75

198 **Wade (E.) a.o. A report on the delimitation of the Truco-Egyptian boundary between the vilayet of the Hejaz and the peninsula of Sinai.** 2 maps, wrappers, Cairo, Survey Dept. 4, 1908 £32

199 **Wittwor (L.O.) Geological map of England & Wales.** Engraved map, coloured by hand, tear repaired, folded, in original cloth case, with 8pp. printed text, [map] drawn & engraved by J. Lyon, 4 Falcon St. [text] Hull, printed by W.L. Anderson, Land-of-Green-Ginger, 1850 £100

200 **Woodward (H.B.) The geology of England and Wales...second edition.** Folding coloured map (mounted on linen; in pocket), illustrations, cloth, 1887 £55

201 **Zenker (J.C.) Beitrage zur Naturgeschichte der Urwelt...Petrefacten aus dem altenburger Braunkohlen-Formation.** 6 hand-coloured lithographs, some foxing, 4to., boards, uncut, some wear, Jena, 1833 £120

202 **Zittel (K.A.) Die Fauna der aeltern Cephalopoden fuehrenden Tithonbildungen.** [Atlas only] 15 tinted lithograph plates, loose in worn board portfolios, Cassel, 1870 £25

The plates were issued as a folio supplement to *Palaeontographica* in which the article appeared.

203 **Zittel (K.A.) Die Gastropoden der Stramberger Schichten.** 13 tinted lithographs, without text, loose in worn board portfolio, Cassel, 1873 £13

As preceding item.

INSECTS

204 **Barbut (J.) The genera insectorum of Linnaeus exemplified.** Text in English and French, engraved vignette title, 2 folding diagrammatic plates and 20 hand-coloured plates, a somewhat soiled and foxed copy, recent half morocco, 1781 £400

Freeman 196; this is his own copy, with acquisition note.

205 **Brez (J.) La flore des insectophiles.** Contemporary English half calf, front cover off, Utrecht, 1791 £90

206 **Buffon (G.) The natural history of insects compiled from Swammerdam, Brookes, Goldsmith...a companion to Buffon.** 20 plates engraved by J. Fraser, tree sheep, very worn, Perth, R. Morison, 1792 £20

Freeman 2765 (this is his own copy, with purchase note)

- 207 **Calwer (C.G.) Kaferbuch.** Fifth edition, 48 chromolithographs, half leather, Stuttgart, [1893] £45
- 208 **Coquebert (A.J.) Illustratio iconographica insectorum quae in musaeis parisinis observavit et in lucem edidit J.C. Fabricius.** 3 pt. in one vol., 30 plates with numerous delicately coloured figures of insects, folio, calf, rather worn, scraped, the revolutionary date partly erased from first title, Paris, Didot, 1799-1804 £950
Nissen 957; Hagen 137.2. An important work. Hagen records that the greater part of the edition was destroyed by fire.
- 209 **[Curtis (William)] Instructions for collecting and preserving insects.** Folding engraved plate, minor soiling, contemporary half calf, bit worn, bound with another, 1771 £250
The *Instructions* is Curtis' first book; it is very uncommon. In this copy the imprint "George Pearch, Cheapside" has been altered in ink in an old hand to read "B. White, Fleetstreet". He was Gilbert White's brother and a well known natural history bookseller so it would not be surprising if he took over the stock.
Bound at the front is Curtis' translation of a Linnaen dissertation, viz. *Fundamenta Entomologiae*, 2 engraved plates (trimmed), printed for the author, 1772. The two works are Freeman 880 & 350; these were Richard Freeman's own copies and have a pencil note in his hand.
- 210 **Emery (C.) Genera insectorum...Hymenoptera fam. Formicidae subfam. Formicinae.** 4 plates, wrappers, Brussels, 1925 £22
Also included G. Meade-Waldo's *Prosopidinae*, 1923 in the same series; this has one coloured plate.
- 211 **[Ford (Mrs. Laetitia)] The butterfly collector's vade mecum** Second edition, 3 plain and 2 hand-coloured engraved plates, original boards, worn, the printed label partly worn away, Ipswich, 1827 £80
- 212 **[Ford (Mrs. Laetitia)] The butterfly collector's vade mecum.** 2 hand-coloured plates, original blue boards, printed label, spine worn, Ipswich, J. Raw, [1824] £80
Freeman 1232; this is Freeman's own copy with a brief note.
- 213 **Harris (Moses) The English lepidoptera: or, the aurelian's pocket companion** Coloured frontispiece, recent cloth; Richard Freeman's copy, with a short note, 1775 £130
The last page advertises as just published a new edition of *The aurelian* with 45 plates "...the four additional plates...may be had separate to complete sets..." *Freeman*1556
- 214 **Lesser [F.C.] Theologie des insectes...traduit [par Cantillon]...avec des remarques de P. Lyonnet.** 2 folding engraved plates by J. van der Schley after drawings by Lyonnet, recent calf, The Hague, 1742 £130
The German original (*Insecto-theology*, Frankfort, 1738) has no illustrations and is without Lyonnet's notes, which are of considerable importance. *Nissen* 2460
- 215 **Melichar (L.) Genera insectorum...Homoptera fam. Acanaloniidae, Faltidae, et Ricaniidae.** 2 coloured plates, wrappers, bit worn, Brussels, 1923 £20

216 **Meyrick (E.) Genera insectorum...Lepidoptera Heterocera fam. Gelechiadae.** 5 coloured plates, 4to., wrappers, bit worn, back wrapper missing, Brussels, 1925 £26

217 **Moggridge (J.T.) Harvesting ants and trapdoor spiders.** 2 vol. in one (includes the suppl.), 20 lithographed plates, 4 coloured by hand, cloth, worn, spine crudely repaired with cloth, the North Devon Athenaeum copy, the stamps more obtrusive than usual, 1873-74 £75

218 **Niceville (L. de) A collection of offprints, mostly on the Lepidoptera of India and Burma.** 70 pieces bound in 4 vol., 56 plates, mostly coloured, library stamps on titles and plate rectoes, minor borwning, some informed annotation, half leather, bit worn, Calcutta, Bombay, etc., 1881- 1901 £550

Niceville was an important entomologist who published no substantial books; his offprints are thus more important than is sometimes the case. This is a virtually complete set; six papers listed in the *Index Litt. Ent.* are not present, but we have 10 papers not listed therein. The collection must have been put together by someone close to the author and is possibly his own set. Several papers have proof corrections; and in a note on the butterflies of the Nicobar islands there is an interesting ms. note, as one entomologist to another, on visiting them – “The people are harmless and hospitable”. Some titles have more general interest than might be supposed. For example in *Reply to Mr. Butler's paper*, 1885 Niceville comments “Mr. Butler has formed his (opinions) thousands of miles away, with a scanty supply of specimens, and misled by a label.”
A complete list of the papers is available on request.

219 **Pryer (H.) Rhopalocera Nihonica; a description of the butterflies of Japan. Pt. 1-2 (of 3).** 2 pt., text in Japanese and English, 6 hand-coloured plates, original printed wrappers, bit soiled, Yokohama, 1886-88 £175

Lacks the final part, published in 1889, which has a further 4 plates.

220 **Samouelle (G.) the entomological cabinet;being a natural history of British insects...second edition.** 156 hand-coloured plates, front flyleaf missing and title a bit abraded, sm. 8vo., original cloth, bit worn, label partly defective, 1841 £185

A “titelauflage” of the first edition of 1832-33. Freeman 3296.1

221 **Samouelle (G.) The entomologist's useful compendium.** 12 hand-coloured plates, cloth, rebounded, the North Devon Athenaeum copy with bookplates but without stamps, 1819 £90

222 **Stephens (J.F.) Illustrations of British entomology, an incomplete set comprising Mandibulata Vol. 1-6(of 7) & Haustellata Vol. 1-3(of 4); together with the Supplement to both parts.** 10 vol. in 8, 80 hand-coloured plates, various contemporary bindings, worn and defective, 1828-46 £85

Lacking the final vols of both series(which have another 15 plates between them) but with the final supplement. This is a working, or perhaps a breaking set only; the bindings are very messy.

223 **Straus-Durckheim (H.) Considerations generales sur l'anatomie comparee des animaux articules.** 2 vol., 10 very finely engraved plates after drawings by the author, of which all but the last have accompanying key plates, stamp on title, printed boards, bit worn, Paris, 1828 £335

“mit diesem Werk und seinen anatomischen Darstellungen, die in architekturartiger manier den genauern Aufriss des Thiers zeigen, beginnt die mederne Darstellung der Insekten-Anatomie” – Nissen p. 292 *Nissen 4018*

224 **Swammerdam (J.) Histoire generale des insectes.** 13 engraved plates, with some use of aquatint, folding table, minor browning, calf, old front cover mounted, Utrecht, 1682 £425
Richard Freeman's copy, with his note "First edition in French, and second only to the original Dutch of 1669. Much scarcer than the second French of 1685, or the first Latin..." *Nissen 4054*

225 [**Turner (J.A.)**] **remarks on the Linnaean orders of insects.** 7 hand-coloured plates, lithographed by H.G. James 9 Ridgefield, Manchester, after drawings by Mrs. Turner, a slightly soiled copy, sm. folio, contemporary half morocco, gilt spine, somewhat worn, 1828 £225

The author's pseudonym is "a member of the Manchester natural history society" and the text (as well as the plates) is printed by a local firm. This is Richard Freeman's own copy, with his pencil note. *Freeman 3768*

226 **Wood (W.) Illustrations of the Linnaean genera of insects.** 2 vol., 86 hand-coloured plates, calf, worn, joints cracking, 1821 £285

INVERTEBRATES

227 **Beneden (P.J. van) Memoire sur l'argonaute.** 6 lithograph plates, 4to., modern wrappers, Brussels, offprint from Mem. de l'Acad., 1838 £35

Sold with J. van der Hoeven, Contributions to the knowledge of Nautilus pompilius, 4 lithograph plates, offprint from Trans. Zoo. Soc., 1850

228 **Berry (S. Stillman) The Cephalopoda of the Hawaiian islands.** 10 plates, wrappers, offprint from Bull. Bur. Fish., Washington, 1914 £145

Sold with about 50 other offprints or monographs on Cephalopoda including G. Voss, Cephalopods of the Philippine Islands, 1963; L.S. Williams, The anatomy of the common Squid, [1909]; E. E. Akimushkin, (Cephalopoda of the seas of the USSR), in Russian, 1000 copies printed, diagrams, Moscow, 1963

229 **Blake (J.F.) A monograph of the British fossil Cephalopoda. Pt. I.** all published, 30 lithographed plates, 4to., half calf, worn, printed label partly defective, J. van Voorst, 1882 £55

230 **Boheman (C.) Holmgren (A.E.) a.o. Kongliga Svenska fregatten Eugenie resa omkring jorden under befal af C.A. Virgin aren 1851-53...zoologi.** 9 pt., the zoology complete, 38 plates, 4to., 6 pt. bound in one vol., half calf, joints cracking, the remaining parts unbound, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh set, Stockholm, 1858-1910 £135

The Eugenie sailed round the world; locations cited include Brazil, Australia, California and Hongkong. Comprises 5 parts of Insecta, Arachnida & Annulata; nothing else of the zoology was ever published and even this portion took over 50 years. *Nissen 4256*

231 **Bouchard-Charreaux [N.R.] Catalogue des mollusques marins observes jusqu'a ce jour a l'etat vivant dans le Boulonnais.** Pp. 72, presentation copy, half cloth, bound with another molluscan piece, [Boulogne, 1835] £50

232 **Caziot (E.) Etude sur les mollusques terrestres et fluviatiles de la Principaute de Monaco et du Departement des Alpes-Maritimes.** 10 plates, 4to., boards, Monaco, 1910 £50

233 **Cheron (J.) Recherches pour servir à l'histoire du système nerveux des Cephalopodes dibranchiaux.** 118pp., 5 engraved plates, lightly waterstained, 4to., wrappers, modern wrappers pasted onto spine, Paris, offprint from Ann d. Sci. Nat. 5 ser., 1866 £25

234 **Chun (C.) Scientific results of the German deepsea expedition... "Valdivia" 1898-1899. The Cephalopoda...translated from the German.** 2 vol., 95 plates, a few coloured, folio, boards, bit worn, Jerusalem, 1975 £38

235 **Clarke (A.H.) The freshwater molluscs of the Canadian interior basin.** 28 plates(14 coloured), maps, wrappers, Ann Arbor, Mala. 13, 1-2, 1973 £28

236 **Dall (W.H.) The mollusca of Porto Rico.** 6 plates, wrappers, loose; inscribed, Washington, U.S. Fish Comm. Bull., 1901 £25

237 **Dall (W.H.) a.o. A manual of the recent and fossil marine pelecypod molluskcs of the Hawaiian islands.** 58 plates, wrappers, Honolulu, Bish. Mus. Bull., 1938 £30

238 **Dautzenberg (P.) Contribution a la faune malacologique des Iles Acores.** 4 plates (3 coloured), 4to., wrappers, bit worn, Monaco, Res. Sc. Prince Albert, 1889 £75

239 **Dautzenberg (P.) Mollusques ...l'Océan Atlantique et dans le Golfe de Gascogne.** 9 plates, 4to., wrappers, trifle worn, Monaco, Res. Sci. Prince albert, 1927 £45

240 **Dautzenberg (P.) & Fischer (H.) Mollusques provenant des campagnes de l'Hirondelle et de la Princesse-alice dans les mers du Nord.** 2 maps, 11 coloured plates, 4to., half leather, worn, Monaco, Res. Sci. Prince Albert, 1912 £100

Sptizbergen, Iceland, Jan Mayen island, Norway, Sweden, etc.

241 **Dautzenberg (P.) & Fischer (H.) Mollusques provenant des dragages effectués a l'ouest de l'Afrique.** 5 coloured plates, 4to., wrappers, bit worn, Monaco, Sci. Res. Prince Albert, 1906 £50

242 **Deesi (D.J.) Crustacea Cladocera (Myriopoda) Faunae Hungaricae.** 2 pt. in one vol., 7 lithographed plates (4 + 3) , 4to., the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, binder's cloth, Budapest, 1888-89 £30

243 **Gray (J.E.) Synopsis of the species of starfish in the British Museum.** 16 lithographed plates by W. Wing, printed by Hullmandel & Walton, 4to., some foxing, cloth by Sharpe & Kellet of Liverpool, with their ticket, Van Voorst, 1866 £85

244 **Haeckel (E.) Die Radiolarien .** 2 vol., 35 magnificent engraved plates, all but 4 of which have some hand-colouring (printed slip "Coloriert" pasted to front cover of atlas vol.) , folio, few text margins slightly frayed, printed boards, rebacked with cloth, bit worn and soiled, the Royal Society copy, with stamps, Berlin, 1862 £525

Some of the finest plates of invertebrate published in the whole of the nineteenth century. Most copies are uncoloured; both Nissen 1786 and BM(NH) call for plain plates only.

245 **Hertlein (L.) & Strong (A.) Marine mollusks collected during the "Askay" expedition to Panama, Colombia and Ecuador.** 3 plates, 4to., wrappers, New York, Bull. Am. Mus. N.H., 1955 £20

246 **Hoyle (W.E.) Report on the Cephalopoda (of the Challenger voyage).** 33 tinted lithographs, 4to., wrappers, with original title pasted on, 1886 £170

Sold with a collection of 11 quarto offprints on cephalopoda, mostly from expeditions, including G. Wulker, *Über Japanische Cephalopoden*, c. 1909; W. Adam, *Cephalopoda (Siboga Exp.)* 2 pt., 1939; L. Joubin, *Cephalopodes provenant des campagnes de la Princesse-Alice*, Monaco, 1900.

Huxley on the Rattlesnake

247 **Huxley (T.H.) On the morphology of the cephalous mollusca, as illustrated by the anatomy of certain Heteropoda and Pteropoda collected during the voyage of H.M.S. "Rattlesnake" in 1846-50.** 4 plates engraved after Huxley's drawings, 4to., original drab wrapper (back wrapper missing; extracted from a pamphlet volume), offprint from Phil. trans., 1852 £90

The original offprint, very much scarcer than the extracts sometime found. This is inscribed, in Huxley's terrible hand, to a professor. This is possibly the botanist Daniel Oliver (1830-1916; he was Prof at U.C.L. from 1861 which would make the presentation a late one). The first part of the name agrees, and furthermore the pamphlet was bought from J.H. Knowles , the natural history bookseller, in 1938; and *he* bought a mass of offprints from U.C.L. including many of Oliver's.

248 **Huxley (T.H.) The oceanic Hydrozoa...observed during the voyage of H.M.S. Rattlesnake.** 12 engraved plates, rather obtrusively waterstained across one corner, folio, half cloth, bit worn, Ray Soc., 1859 £80

249 **Iredale (T.) Great Barrier Reef Expedition 1928-29...Mollusca Pt. 1.** All published, 7 plates, 4to., cloth, bound with 5 other part on mollusca from the same expedition by Yonge and others, 1939 £40

250 **Kent (W. Saville) A manual of infusoria.** 3 vol., 52 plates, cloth, new endpapers, Vol. 3 rebound to match, 1880-82 £140

251 **Kolliker (A.) Icones histologicae. Erste Abt. + Zweite Abt. , Heft 1.** 2 pt. in one vol., all published, 19 finely engraved plates, of which 8 have some details coloured by hand , folio, half morocco, worn, the prospectus bound at the end, the Royal Society copy with "ex dono Auctoris" stamp, Leipzig, 1864-65 £300

Nissen 2265

252 **Kukenthal (W.) Japanische Alcyonaceen[Beitrage z. Naturg. Ostasiens]** 5 plates, 3 coloured, minor marginal stains, 4to, wrappers, Munich, Adhand. K. Bayer Akad., 1906 £30

253 **Lacaze-Duthiers (H.) Histoire naturelle du corail.** 20 fine colour printed plates, some foxing, half morocco, Paris, 1864 £150

A living fossil described

254 **Lemche (H.) & Wubgstrand (K.) The anatomy of Neopilina galathea.** 56 plates, wrappers, Copenhagen, Galathea Report, 1959 £45

Sold with 6 other Galathea offprints on mollusca, the most substantial being J. Kundsén, *The systematics and biology of abyssal and hadal bivalvia*, 1970.

255 **Müller (J.) & Troschel (F.H.) System der Asteriden.** 12 lithographed plates, rather foxed, 4to., half cloth, bookplate of R.J. Shuttleworth (1810-74; naturalist), Braunschweig, 1842 £90
Very scarce. Nissen 2928

256 **Ooster (W.A.) & Fischer-Ooster (C. von) Protozoë Helvetica.** 5 pt.(2 vol.) in one, 33 lithographic plates by F. Lips of Berne, some double, rather severe foxing in places, half cloth, Basle, 1869-71 £50

257 **Pallary (P.) Catalogue de la faune malacologique de l'Égypte.** 5 plates, 4to., cloth, 3 leaves of additions bound in, Cairo, Mem. Inst. Égypt., c. 1908 £35
Without the supplement published in 1924

258 **Russell (F.S.) The medusae of the British Isles.** 35 plates (28 coloured) and numerous text-figures, 4to., cloth, Cambridge, 1953 £90

259 **Sladen (W.P.) Report on the Asteroidea collected by H.M.S. Challenger during the years 1873-76** 2 vol., folding map, 117 tinted lithograph plates, 4to., cloth, scuffed, 1889 £155
Comprises Vol. 30 of the Zoology of the voyage.

260 **Sowerby (G.B.) Thesaurus conchyliorum...part XXIX (& XXX)...genus Oliva.** £80
25 hand-coloured plates, half roan by Ernest Davies of Swansea, slightly worn, 1870

261 **Sowerby (G.B.) Thesaurus conchyliorum...parts XXXIX, XL...Calyptædæ and...Natica and Nerita.** 2 pt. in one vol., 24 hand-coloured plates, leather, worn, the North Devon Athenæum copy with stamp on verso of plates, 1883 £90

262 **Steenberg (C.) Etudes sur l'anatomie et la systématique des mollusques.** 34 plates, half morocco, presentation copy to Prof. Norlund, Copenhagen, 1925 £25

263 **Turton (W.) A conchological dictionary of the British Islands.** 28 hand-coloured plates by J. Curtis, boards, neatly rebacked, 1819 £90

264 **Wood (W.) Index testaceologicus; or a catalogue of shells...second edition, corrected and revised.** 46 hand-coloured plates, half natural morocco, 1828 £165

GENERAL NATURAL HISTORY

265 **Agassiz (L.) An essay on classification.** Cloth, bit worn, 1859 £38
First separate edition, a revised and enlarged version of a text which first appeared in Agassiz's *Contributions*.

- 266 **Agassiz (L.) Nomenclator zoologicus.** 4to., cloth, the original part issue wrappers bound in, Solothurn, 1842-46 £40
- 267 **Aitchison (J.) The zoology of the Afghan delimitation commission.** Offprint, 2 folding maps, 9 lithographic plates (4, including the 2 plates of birds by Keulemans, coloured by hand), 4to., cloth, the wrappers(repaired) bound in, 1889 £285
- 268 **All-India conference** for the preservation of wild life. **Proceedings.** Wrappers, Delhi, 1936 £20
Includes contributions from Jim Corbett.
- 269 **Andersson (K.A.) Das höhere Tierleben im antarktischen Gebiete.** Folding coloured map, 10 plates, 4to., wrappers; inscribed by the author, Stockholm, Schw. Sudpolar Exp. V, 3, 1905 £35
- 270 **Annandale (N.) & Robinson (H.C.) Fasciculi Malayenses.** Fasc. 1-2 and the bird portion of fasc. 3(includes the vertebrates complete), 16 plates, including 2 hand-coloured lithographs of mammals, and 6 lithographs of reptiles and amphibia, wrappers, those on the third part a replacement, Liverpool, 1903-05 £145
- 271 **Annandale (N., editor) Fauna of the Inle lake.** Coloured map, plates (including several photogravures by the Survey of India Office, Calcutta), wrappers, Calcutta, Records Ind. Mus., 1918 £45
- 272 **Bagshawe (T.W.) Two men in the Antarctic.** Plates, including a folding panorana, cloth, d.w., 1939 £45
- 273 **Barker (T.W.) Handbook to the natural history of Carmarthenshire.** cloth, inscribed by the author, Carmarthen, (1905) £65
Very scarce.
- 274 **Bartholomew (J.G.) a.o. Atlas of zoogeography.** 36 double coloured maps, folio, cloth, one corner bumped, Edinburgh, Barthol. phy. atlas vol. v, 1911 £45
- 275 **Bellamy (J.C.) The natural history of South Devon.** 36 maps and plates, of which 8 are rather crude lithographs, one signed by G.S. Lee, several by W.J. Briggs of Plymouth, while 28 are rather more accomplished wood engravings mostly by Hearder but several by T.E. Gosling, after drawings mostly by the author, half roan, worn, Plymouth, J. Thomas, 1839 £105
Very scarce, the list of subscribers, almost all local or surgeons R. N. like the author, accounts for 128 copies. The titlepage, and the BM(N.H.) collation call for conflicting nos. of plates; this copy is complete.
- 276 **Berkenhout (J.) Outlines of the natural history of Great Britain and Ireland.** 3 vol. in two, contemporary specked calf, one label missing, joints cracked, 1769-72 £55
- 277 **Berry (R.J.) The natural history of Orkney.** Plates, cloth, d.w., New Naturalist, 1985 £30

278 **Bertoni** (A. de Winkelried) **Fauna Paraguaya...vertebrados del Paraguay**. Wrappers, worn, Asuncion, 1913 £18

279 **Bigland** (John) **A natural history of animals(...birds, fishes, reptiles and insects)** 2 vol., coloured vignette titles, 22 hand-coloured plates, rather browned as often, contemporary half roan, worn, one backstrip off, Philadelphia, 1828 £85

280 **Blanchard** (C.E.) **L'organisation du regne animal**. Pt. 1-38, all published, 76 fine engraved plates, some waterstains, original printed wrappers, some wear, 2 pts. lacking wrappers entirely, Charles Brogniart's set, with several signatures, [1852- 64] £90

Each part was supposed to contain 2 plates, which is what Nissen calls for in total; however his plate count adds up to 72. This set appears to be complete; it has the following exceptions to 2 plates per part- Pt 34, 5 pls. :pts 21 & 25, 3 pls. : pts. 7, 22 & 32, 1 pl.: pts. 13 & 29 0 pls.
If finished this would have been a colossal publication; the arachnids with 18 parts and the reptiles with 10 parts are the most substantial portions; mammals and birds with 3 and 4 pts each were barely started.

281 **Blumenbach** (J.F.) **Abbildungen naturhistorischer Gegenstande**. 10 pt. in one vol., 100 plates of which 9 (1 invertebrate, 8 birds) are coloured by hand, and 2 are printed in colour, half leather, bit worn, Gottingen, 1796- 1810 £275

The hand- coloured plates are nos. 8, 16, 29, 35, 45, 56, 65, 76& 96; in addition pl. 14 is printed in sepia and pl.48 in blue. Casey Wood calls for 9 coloured bird plates, but Nissen does not mention colouring at all.

282 **Blumenbach** (J.F.) **Manuel d'histoire naturelle, traduit de l'allemand [sixieme edition] par Soulange Artaud**. 2 vol., 30 plates (3 of birds coloured by hand, pl. of Glaucus printed in blue), some waterstains, un appealing modern cloth, uncut, Metz, 1803 £50

The German original appeared in 1799-1800. The plates present with the translation were first published among the 100 plates in Blumenbach's *Abbildungen*.

283 **Blyth** (E.) **A collection of offprints**. 19 pieces in one vol., 3 lithographs (one coloured by hand), half calf, worn, by Quinton of Norwich, with his ticket, Calcutta, Bishop's College Press, c. 1839-47 £250

Includes; A monograph of the species of wild sheep;Descriptions of three Indian species of bat;Notes on various Indian and Malayan birds;Bats of the genus *Megaderma*;A monograph of the Indian and Malayan species of Cuculidae, 2 pt.; Description of *Caprolagus*, a new Genus of Leporine Mammalia;Notes and descriptions of various new or little known species of birds, 5 pt.;Drafts for a *Fauna Indica*;Notes on the fauna of the Nicobar islands.

A number of the pieces have inscriptions from Blyth to Thomas Horsfield, and there is considerable annotation and correction by the latter. Horsfield was one of the most celebrated of the East India Co. naturalists ;Blyth was (among other things) curator of the Asiatic Society of Bengal Museum. The volume was bound for the celebrated ornithological collection of J.H. Gurney of Norwich, and has his (rather worn) leather label on front cover.

"This celebrated classic" – Casey Wood

284 **Brisson** (M.J.) **Regnum animale...le regne animal**. Text in Latin and French, 2 folding tables, folding plate with 7 figures after Ant. Humblot, tree sheep, spine rather worn, and defective, 1756 £280

Neither Casey Wood nor BM(NH) mention the plate and their collations are otherwise incomplete.

The book comprises pp. [iv](Latin and French titles), viii (dedication, preface, errata), 382, [2] (privilege).

285 **Brown** (Capt. T.) **The zoologist's textbook** 2 vol., 107 engraved plates (I-CVI + XLII*), purple cloth, bit worn, Glasgow, 1832 £37

Freeman; 527 dates the work 1833 and gives it 106 plates.

286 **Brown** (R.) **A naturalist at the Poles, the life work & voyages of Dr. W.S. Bruce.** Plates, cloth, 1923 £75

287 **Brunnich** (M.T.) **Dyrenes historie og dyre-samlingen udi Universitetets Natur-Theater. Forste Bind.** All published, 7 fine hand-coloured plates (a lemur, 3 bats and 3 monkeys), folio, half calf, gilt spine, a bit worn, Copenhagen, 1782 £2750

Very rare. Not in Casey Wood or BM(NH) and cited by Nissen (631) from the copy in the Landesbibliothek, Darmstadt.

Pennant's copies, including a mystery bird list.

288 **Brunnich** (M.T.) **Ornithologia borealis.** Pp. [viii], 80, lacking the folding plate(Pennant seems to have bound it separately in a vol. entitled "Birds by Brunnich and Robert"; see Sotheran's Mullens Cat. 1924, item 633) ,polished calf, repaired, bound with four other pieces (see below), and originally with something else bound at the front, as Pennant's ms. pagination begins at 45 on the titlepage, the Thomas Pennant- Louisa Pennant-Earl of Denbigh-H. F. Witherby- Bradley Martin copy, Copenhagen, 1764 £3000

Thomas Pennant was one of the most important of the 18th. Century naturalists. The Brunnich is interleaved and with extensive notes by him (upwards of 700 words in his hand) particularly at the beginning where he is extracting a list of *Birds of Kamtschatka & the north of Asia* in preparation for his *Arctic zoology*. Bound at the end are four very interesting additional pieces, viz.

I. A catalogue of British birds, 8pp., drophead title, a few notes by Pennant, one suggesting that Solander has (erroneously) recorded all the birds found N. of lat 60; the pamphlet seems to be unrecorded except by Dryander (II, 119; he gives neither date nor author; who could the latter be?). It is not in Mullens & Swann, Freeman or the ESTC Blaise file.

II. Catalogue of the animals described in this volume with their British names, pp.345-51, perhaps from the first 8vo edition of the *British Zoology*, 1768- 69

III. J. R. Forster, A catalogue of British insects, Warrington, W. Eyres, 1770. This is the first attempt at a comprehensive list of British insects; it is very rare. Forster notes in his preface that Pennant has described the quadrupeds, birds reptiles and fish, but has left the insects to him.

IV. A catalogue of the European quadrupeds, birds, reptiles, extra- Britannic. pp. 87-96, from the supplement of 1770 to the *British Zoology*, annotated by Pennant, and at the end 3 leaves of his ms. notes on the birds of Gibraltar, drawn from John White, Gilbert's brother.

Pennant obviously intended the four latter items as an amalgamated comprehensive checklist of European zoology. The volume must have been in the 1913 Downing sale but cannot be identified in the catalogue. *Casey Wood on Brunnich: "this very rare title"*

289 **Brunnich** (M.T.) **Zoologiae fundamenta.** Some foxing, boards, horn, Copenhagen & Leipzig, 1772 £75

290 **Brunt** (Sir David, editor) **The Royal Society I.G.Y. antarctic expedition. Halley Bay, Coats Land, Falkland Islands Dependencies 1955-1959.** 4 vol., plates, 4to., cloth, Royal Soc. duplicate with stamps, 1960-64 £80

291 **Bullock (W.)** **A companion to the London Museum and Pantherion...open for public inspection in the Egyptian Temple...fifteenth edition.** 35 plates, all but one coloured by hand, half morocco, bit worn, by Kerr & Richardson of 89 Queen St., Glasgow, bookplate of George Fergusson-Buchanan of Auchentorlie, printed for the proprietor, 1813 £900

Very rare with coloured plates, most of which are by T. Howitt. The museum included a good deal of pacific material, among which were some Cook specimens. Some plates are not copies from other sources, for example *Great snowy owl discovered in the Orkney and Shetland Isles in 1812 by Mr. Bullock* and the text gives an account of this discovery.

292 **Burnand (T.) & Oberthur (J.)** **Toute la Camargue.** 2 vol., No. 42 of 100 copies on Lafuma, folding map, numerous illustrations by J. Oberthur, wrappers, 1938 £90

About half the work is on the animals.

293 **Calvert (A. & P.)** **A year of Costa Rican natural history.** Plates and maps, cloth, New York, 1917 £28

294 **Candler (Charles)** **A collection of offprints etc. mostly on the natural history of East Anglia, collected by Candler.** 28 pieces in one vol., many with presentation inscriptions, half vellum, one joint cracked, by [J.W.] Diboll & Son of Yarmouth, 1879-91 £135

Includes J. H. Gurney; Additions and corrections to A catalogue of the birds of Norfolk contributed to Mason's History of Norfolk, 1885 & On the misdeed of the House-Sparrow, 1887 [a separately published rejoinder to F. O. Morris]; T. Southwell, The fens and fen-folk, 1884 & great crested Grebe; reprinted from the Birds of Norfolk, [1890] & Memoir of the late John Henry Gurney, 1891; and several pieces by Candler, viz. Observations on the birds of the Harleston district, Bird-life of the Skellig rocks [off the W. coast of Ireland], with an ink sketch of same, 1891 & George Candler's Modern photography, 1888, pseudonymously contributed to the Ipswich School Magazine.

295 **Chapman (Abel)** **A collection of offprints and pamphlets collected by Abel Chapman, including some of his own works, which seem originally to have been presented to his brother Alfred Crawhall Chapman.** 20 pieces in one vol., half calf, A.C. Chapman's signature, Abel Chapman's bookplate, 1848-88 £125

Includes, R. Howse, A catalogue of the fossils of the Permian system of...Northumberland and Durham; H. Seebohm, Notes on the birds of Astrakhan; Abel Chapman, Rough notes on Spanish ornithology & Wild Camels in Europe.

The author's annotated copy

296 **Clarke (W. Eagle) & Roebuck (W.D.)** **A handbook of the vertebrate fauna of Yorkshire.** Eagle Clarke's copy, interleaved throughout and with a considerable quantity of ms. alterations and additions, together with a few relevant cutting, cloth, 1881 £225

297 **Collingwood (C.)** **Rambles of a naturalist on the shores and waters of the China sea; being observation in natural history during a voyage to China, Formosa, Borneo, Singapore, etc.** 3 plates, contemporary half dark blue calf by [Richard] Potter & Sons of York, bit worn, 1868 £100

298 **Companyo (L.)** **Histoire naturelle du Departement des Pyrenees-Orientales.** 3 vol., 2 folding lithograph plates by Justin Saignes of Perpignan, some stains, gash in last 3 leaves of index in vol. 2 with slight loss, modern wrappers; inscribed by the author to [Henri] Magnan, geologist "Souvenir affectueuse", Perpignan, 1861-64 £175

299 **Coppinger (R.W.) a.o. Report on the zoological collections made in the Indo-Pacific ocean during the voyage of H.M.S. "Alert"** 54 lithographed plates, 2 partly coloured, cloth, stamp erased from title, 1884 £225

Birds by Bowdler Sharpe, mammals by Oldfield Thomas, etc. The crustacea contribute the largest number of plates.

Alaskan natural history

300 **Corwin, Revenue Steamer. Cruise of the revenue-steamer Corwin in Alaska and the N.W. Arctic Ocean in 1881, Washington, 1883; Report of the cruise of the revenue marine steamer Corwin in the Arctic Ocean in...1884, ib., 1889; Report of the cruise of the...Corwin in the Arctic Ocean in the year 1885, ib., 1887.** 3 vol., a complete set of these reports, numerous illustrations (see below), 4to., cloth, bit worn, Washington, 1883-89 £425

Comprises;

I Contents see BM(NH) V, 272; the 12 plates comprise 2 tinted lithographs of fish, 4 chromolithographs of birds after Ridgway (these illustrate Nelson's Birds of Bering Sea), and 6 plates of anthropology of which one is a fine chromolithograph of tattooed natives.

II Not in BM(NH); the most important contents are *A narrative account of the exploration of the Kowak River, Alaska*, by Healy and Cantwell with reports on ethnology and ornithology. The 40 plates include 2 chromolithographs of birds printed by Julius Bien & Co.

III. Contents see BM(NH) V, 272; the 42 plates (not 21 as BM) include a hand-coloured plate of a plant and 3 chromolithographs (2 fish, one a bird after Ridgway). There are also two large folding maps.

301 **Cory (C.B.) A naturalist in the Magdalen islands...and a list of the birds.** 2 plates of scenery, sm. 4to., cloth, bit worn, Boston, 1878 £55

302 **Cuvier (G.) Le regne animal distribue d'apres son organisation.** 4 vol., 15 engraved plates after Laurillard, minor stains, one leaf with marginal tear without loss, contemporary quarter sheep, first two vol. somewhat worn, rubbed, Paris, 1817 £650

PMM 276 – "in his classification...he so notably succeeded in giving a lead that has been followed by all his successors.."

303 **Cuvier (G.) Tableau elementaire de l'histoire naturelle des animaux.** 14 engraved plates, contemporary mottled calf, gilt spine, a bit worn, Paris, An 6 [1798] £95

Though preceded by several scientific papers this is Cuvier's first book

304 **Darluc (Michel) Histoire naturelle de La Provence...vegetal, mineral, animal & la partie geponique.** 3 vol., contemporary mottled sheep, little worn and wormed, Avignon, 1782-86 £225

305 **de Filippi (F.) Ruwenzori, an account of the expedition of H.R.H. Prince Luigi Amedeo of Savoy...second impression.** Coloured frontispiece, 5 folding map, 31 plates, many folding, and numerous text-figures, cloth, spotted, 1909 £300

306 **Donovan (E.) Instructions for collecting and preserving various subjects of natural history.** 2 engraved plates, original boards, uncut, somewhat worn, bookplate of James Martin, 1837, printed for the author, 1794 £235

This was Richard Freeman's own copy and has his ms. note " a much harder book to find than any of the pretty picture books". *Freeman 1031*

307 **Dumeril (A.) Traite elementaire d'histoire naturelle.** First edition, of the author's first work, 2 small stamps on title, tree calf, gilt spine, 1804 £45

Not in Casey Wood, though mentioned in the note to *Elemens*, 1825 "soon to be followed by his well-known works on classification and comparative anatomy"

308 **Dumeril (A.) Zoologie analytique, ou methode naturelle de classification des animaux.** Tree calf, gilt spine a bit worn, 1806 £45

309 [**Duncan (J.S.)**] **A catalogue of the Ashmolean museum, descriptive of the zoological specimens (etc.).** Frontispiece view, title vignette of the interior, and a folding engraving of the giant magnet presented by the Countess of Westmoreland (dated 1756; added?), cloth, spine defective, Oxford, 1836 £30

310 **Edwards (G.) Essays upon natural history.** Portrait, contemporary calf, gilt spine, bit worn, 1770 £165

Includes accounts of how to make bird pictures with feathers, nature prints from lepidoptera, etchings, and watercolours. Also treated are the cold at Hudson's Bay, the Lisbon earthquake, and Sir Hans Sloane's Museum.

311 **Elera (Castro de) Catalogo sistematico de toda la fauna de Filipinas... volumen I. Vertebrados.** Wrappers, bit worn and chipped, Manila, 1895 £38

312 **Ferguson (D.) The natrual history of Redcar and its neighbourhood.** Steel-engraved frontispiece, half cloth, bit worn and shaken, inscribed by the author to Canon Hey, London & Redcar, 1860 £55

Very scarce.

313 **Flower (S.S.) a.o. List of the vertebrated animals exhibited in the gardens of the Zoological Society of London 1828-1927. Centenary edition.** 3 vol., cloth, bit worn, 1929 £35

314 **Forbes (A.R.) Gaelic names of beasts.** Portrait, cloth, Edinburgh, 1905 £40

315 **Forster (J.R.) Enchiridion historiae naturali inserviens.** First edition, contemporary quarter sheep, gilt spine, bit worn, Halle, 1788 £150

Alexandre Brongniart's copy (1770-1847; scientist, see DSB) with his booklabel and a few ms. notes in his hand.

316 [**Foucher d'Obsonville (-)**] **Essais philosphiques sur les mocurs de divers animaux etrangers...ou extraits des voyages de M*** en Asie.** Frontispiece by Nicolas de Launay le jeune after Marillier (foxed; bound at p. 3), contemporary calf, gilt spine, worn, 1783 £125

The work is dedicated to Buffon. The author had spent much of his time in India and a postscript deals briefly with Indian philosophy and law.

317 **France, Voyages. Mission scientifique du Cap Horn 1882-1883.** 7 vol. in nine, 14 maps (1 coloured), and 206 plates, of which 39 are coloured, 4to., binder's cloth, 1885-91 £2500

A clean and complete set from the library of the Royal Society of Edinburgh, with a few neat stamps.

The plates include 14 hand-coloured lithographs of birds and mammals by Keulemans. This set conforms to the BM (NH) collation except for several small improvements, viz. 11 of the botanical plates are coloured or partly coloured and there are three maps in the zoology section. Also present are two extra volumes, *Instructions... pour la mission du Cap Horn*, pp. 48, 1882 & *Rapports preliminaires*, pp. 80, one text-figure of apparatus, 1884.

318 **Gadow (H.) A classification of vertebrata.** Half cloth, 1898 £12

319 **Gardiner (J.S., editor) The fauna and geography of the Maldive and Laccadive archipelagoes...an expedition during the years 1899 and 1900.** 2 vol., 100 plates, some coloured, 4to., cloth, bit loose, Cambridge, 1903-06 £250

320 **Garrod (A.H.) The collected scientific papers ...edited with a biographical memoir...by W.A. Forbes.** Etched portrait, 33 lithographed plates (mostly of avian anatomy), some coloured, half leather, worn, 1881 £50

321 **Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire (L.) Essais de zoologie generale.** 8 plates, 6 coloured by hand, quarter morocco, lettered as "Suites a Buffon", from the collection of E. & A. Petrunkevich, with stamps, 1841 £90

The first portion of the work is historical, the second part has various essays, including one on female pheasants in male plumage which is illustrated with 4 of the coloured plates, after Pretre.

322 **Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire (L.) Histoire naturelle generale des regnes organiques.** 3 vol., some foxing, perforated stamp on titles, half leather, worn, most covers off, 1854-62 £15

Presentation copy, inscribed by the author to [Jules ?] Michelet. *BM(NH) II, 657.*

Cuvier's copy

323 **Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire (L.) Principes de philosophie zoologique.** Some browning, half canvas; George Cuvier's copy, with his stamp on title (and that of the Museum d'Hist. Nat. to which his library was left), 1830 £150

324 **Godman (F. du Cane) Natural history of the Azores.** 2 maps, cloth, bit soiled and worn, the Linn. soc. copy with stamp, Van Voorst, 1870 £75

325 **Gozmany (L.) Septemlingual dictionary of the names of European animals.** 2 vol., cloth, Budapest, 1979 £65

Rare Madagascar pamphlets; the collaborator's collection

326 **Grandidier (A.) A collection of offprints.** 20 pieces in one vol., 4 folding map, half calf, rubbed, from the A. Milne Edwards collection, with ms. of one article bound in, 1867- 72 £275

Grandidier's work in Madagascar did much to make its extraordinary fauna known and he collaborated with Milne Edwards to produce the monumental *Historie physique, naturelle et politique de Madagascar*, 1875-85. The pieces present here include some very rare items, several locally printed. Among the titles are; *Rapports sur une mission; premier rapport*, 1872; *Notice sur les cotes sud et sud-ouest de Madagascar*, 1867; *Madagascar. Une excursion dans la region australe*, Saint-Denis, Reunion, 1868; *Notice sur l'ile de Zanzibar*, ib., 1868; *Note sur...Ceylan*, ib., 1868

327 Gray (J.E. & G.R.) **Catalogue of the mammalia and birds of New Guinea, in the...British Museum.** Stamp on title, half cloth, bit worn, 1859 £30

Not revised by Audubon.

332 Hitchcock (E.) **Report on the geology, mineralogy, botany and zoology of Massachusetts.** 2 vol., numerous text figures and atlas of 19 plates, comprising 18 lithographs by Pendleton of Boston (2 coloured by hand), and a printed chart of strata, text in boards, rebounded, from the collection of Ruthven Deane, the American ornithologist and with an interesting 4pp. letter from the author to his wife tipped in (Milwaukie, Sabbath Evening, Jan'y 13th 1856), with the index (pp. 693-700) not called for by Hazen ("will not be found in all copies of this Report" a printed note explains), atlas in original quarter cloth, printed label, inscribed by the author to Elie de Beaumont (1798-1874; French geologist) and later in the collection of Charles Brogniart, French palaeontologist, with his stamps, Amherst, 1833 £280

Scarce with the atlas; the first plate is the large folding geological map (Hazen 5106) which may have been issued separately. Nine of the lithographs are views, including *Autumnal scenery, view in Amherst; South Hadley falls; Confluence of Connecticut and Deerfield rivers*, the first of which is coloured by hand.

The bulk of the work is geology; Hitchcock solicited lists of plants and animals from different authorities; the birds are by Ebenezer Emmons. When he received the list Hitchcock sent it to Audubon, asking for additions; but there is nothing to show that Audubon added any notes to it (see Ruthven Deane's article in *The Auk*, 1901, which is inserted). Hazen 5106

333 Holtedahl (O., editor) **Report of the scientific results of the Norwegian expedition to Novaya Zemlya, 1921.** 3 vol., plates and maps, recent cloth, Oslo, 1924-30 £225

334 Horn (G.) **Franz Josef Land, natural history, discovery, exploration and hunting.** Folding map, illus., wrappers, Oslo, Sk. om Sv. 29, 1930 £20

335 Hungary. **Fauna Regni Hungariae...edidit Regia societas Scientiarum Naturalium Hungarica. Arthropoda. Vertebrata. Mollusca. Vermes. Coelenterata. Protozoa.** In 3 vol., all published, coloured map, wrappers, worn and broken, Budapest, 1918-20 £22

BM(NH) under Budapest lists only the Arthropoda (dated 1900), with a full collation; our copy complies. The other vols. collate as follows, pp. xii, 44, 112, 12, 42, 44. (Vertebrata) and pp. [ii], 84 (Vermes, etc.).

336 Illiger (C.) **Prodromus systematis mammalium et avium.** Half leather, bit worn, from the Newton collection at Cambridge, Berlin, 1811 £80

Two taxonomic treatises together; both rare

337 Illiger (J.) **Prodromus systematis mammalium et avium.** Few neat stamps of the Concord Free Public Library, half calf, neat, Berlin, 1811 £225

"An abridged English translation of this important tract was made by T.E. Bowdich, 1821 " - Casey Wood. Bound at the end is Louis Vieillot's *Analyse d'une nouvelle ornithologie elementaire*, 1816 of which the same authority notes " This very scarce and fundamental work of reference was reprinted ...by the Willoughby society, 1883...There are 120 new genera proposed in this work and some 18 new species".

338 **Jardine** (Sir William) **Memoirs of Hugh Edwin Strickland [and reprints of his papers]**. 2 pt. in one vol., 21 lithographs, comprising 2 portraits, 4 tinted views, plate of a bird after J. Wolf, 5 plates of fossils, charts, etc. and 9 maps (6 coloured), cloth, spine faded and somewhat worn, 1858 £120

The papers reprinted deal partly with geology and partly with ornithology. Strickland travelled widely in Asia Minor and there are notices of its birds and its geology; the plates include a Turkish cemetery at Smyrna and a geological map of Zante.

339 **Jones (J.M.) & Goode (G.B.) Contributions to the natural history of the Bermudas...Vol. 1.** All published, 12 plates, wrappers, worn, Washington, Bull. U.S. Nat. Mus., 1884 £45

340 **Jordans (A.von)& Peus (F.), editors. Syllegomena biologica. Festschrift..Otto Kleinschmidt.** Plates, cloth, Leipzig, 1950 £28

341 **Kelaart (E.F.) Prodromus faunae zeylanicae; being contributions to the zoology of Ceylon.** Half morocco, Colombo, printed by John Hieler at the Observer press for the author, 1852 £115

"A classic contribution to the natural history of Ceylon" – Casey Wood. The main work is followed by bibliographically complicated appendices which offer articles by a variety of authors, e.g. G. Gardner, *Some general remarks on the flora of Ceylon*. This copy, as often, does not have the second appendix with five articles running to some 60pp.; on the other hand it has the first appendix part 4 *Catalogue of Ceylon birds* which is missing from the BM(NH) copy.

342 [**Kettell (Samuel)] Manual of the practical naturalist; or, directions for collecting, preparing and preserving subjects of natural history.** Engraved frontispiece, original cloth, bit worn, pencil inscription of flyleaf by M. Bethune, Boston, 1831 £85

Bethune's remarks are rather fierce "...a present from the compiler, whom I have since found out to be a dirty scoundrel. He took a room in the house in which Mr. Nuttall boarded, and gained from him much information about birds, which he has since published as his own..." DAB is more relaxed, calling Kettell a " simple, guileless, mild-eyed man, a life-long haunter of libraries, with a fund of droll humor...and a baneful incapacity for making money...while living with Thomas Nuttall in the Craigie House in Cambridge, Kettell contributed four pleasant papers on *Our birds* to the first volume of the *New-England magazine*...".

343 **Keyserling (A.) & Blasius (J.) Die Wirbelthiere Europa's. Erstes Buch.** All published, half leather, worn, Braunschweig, 1840 £30

344 **Kloss (C.B.) In the Andamans and Nicobars, the narrative of a cruise in the schooner "Terrapin" with notices of the islands, their fauna, ethnology, etc.** Map, plates, cloth, little worn, New York, 1903 £85

345 **Kramer (W.H.) Elenchus vegetabilium et animalium per Austrian inferiorem observatorium.** Device on title, folding engraved plate of bird, some foxing, contemporary boards, uncut, Vienna, etc., 1756 £100

346 **Lameere (A.) Precis de zoologie.** 7 vol., wrappers, Liege, [1931-42] £37

Second edition of Vol. 1, published in 1932

347 **Lettsom (J.C.) the naturalist's and traveller's companion...third edition.** Engraved title with coloured vignette, 3 plates(one coloured), a slightly soiled and foxed copy, name cut from corner of title, recent cloth, Richard Freeman's ms. notes, 1799 £90

Freeman 2229

348 **Lichtenstein (H.) Verzeichniss der Doubletten des zoologischen Museums der Konig. Universitat zu Berlin...Saugethieren, Vogel, amphibien und Fischen.** Pp. x, 118, lithograph plate (guarded, corner repaired), sm. 4to., half leather, bit worn, lettered "J.A.C." at foot of spine (? who he), Berlin, 1823 £115

A very rare catalogue prepared for an auction. Casey Wood has a similar, but smaller, cat. for 1822 but not this one.

349 **Linnaeus (C.) Skrifter(Vol. 1-5; all published);Skildringar.** 6 vol., edited by T.M. Fries, reprints of original illustrations, half leather, library binding, Uppsala, 1905-13 £85

350 [**Linnaeus (C.) Museum Tessianum.** Text in Latin and Swedish, vignette title with the Count's arms, 12 engraved plates of minerals, corals, fossils and shells, folio, minor worming in the (wide) lower blank margin, small stamp on title, old calf, bit worn, scratches furbished, Stockholm, 1753 £625

The catalogue of the Count's natural history museum, mainly compiled by Linnaeus *Hulth 89;Soulsby 1081*

351 **Lobanoff (D.I.) Catalogue du musee de la Societe ouralienne d'amateurs des sciences naturelles a Ekatherinebourg. I [all published ?] Geologie, minera- logie, paleontologie, archeologie, zoologie, entomologie et ethnographie.** Pp. 512, text in French and Russian, half leather, worn; bookplate of the Naval officers' library at Sebastopol and several stamps, Sverdlovsk, 1898 £55

Rare; comprises the *Bulletin* of the society, Vol. 20 pt. 1.

352 **Low (G.) Fauna Orcadensis;or, the natural history of the quadrupeds, birds, reptiles and fishes of Orkney and Shetland.** Strip from blank portion of title renewed(probably a name cut away), else a good copy, late 19th. Cent. half green morocco, by J. Cars of Glasgow, with their ticket, little worn, book labels of William Euwing and Bradley Martin, Edinburgh, 1813 £350

353 **Maclaud (C.) Notes sur les mammiferes et les oiseaux de l'Afrique occidentale.** Map, plates, text browned, half cloth, 1906 £20

354 **Manniche (A.) The terrestrial mammals and birds of North-East Greenland.** 6 plates (5 coloured), folding map, cloth, Copenhagen, Dnmark Eksped. V,1, 1910 £40

355 **Markham (A.H.) A polar reconnaissance, being the voyage of the "Isbjorn" to Novaya Zemlya.** 6 plates, 2 folding maps, cloth, bit worn, 1881 £90

With various scientific appendices, Hooker on plants, Gunther on fishes, etc.

356 **Mason (F.) Burma, its people and productions...Vol. 1 [of 2] geology, mineralogy and zoology, rewritten and enlarged by W. Theobald.** Cloth, bit worn, Hertford, 1882 £30

357 Mayr (Ernst) a.o. **Methods and principles of systematic zoology.** Cloth, New York, 1953 £20

358 Melliss (J.C.) **St. Helena: a...description of the island, including its geology, fauna, flora, and meteorology.** 56 plates, comprising 3 maps, 8 chromolithograph views, 7 uncoloured lithographs of geology, etc. and 38 hand-coloured lithographs of natural history (1 bird by Keulemans, 2 insects, 3 fish and 32 plants), prize calf, gilt, rebounded, 1875 £450

359 Muller (O.F.) **Zoologiae Danicae prodromus, seu animalium Daniae et Norvegiae indigenarum.** Pp. xxxii, 282(last four leaves Addenda), contemporary calf, bit worn; Thomas Pennant's copy with his note " Gift of the Author 1780", Copenhagen, impensis auctoris, 1776 £875
There are several notes in Pennant's hand, including one explaining that the ms. asterisks record Muller's view of those birds not found to the north of latitude 60; Pennant was at this time working on his *Arctic zoology*. " he has done it" Pennant adds "but I suspect in some cases erroneously."

360 **National antarctic expedition 1901-04. Natural History.** 6 vol., the natural history complete, numerous maps and plates, some coloured, cloth, spines faded, 1907-12 £700

361 Neave (S.A.) **Nomenclator zoologicus.** 4 vol., cloth, bit worn, 1939-40 £35

362 Neill (P.) **A tour through some of the islands of Orkney and Shetland, with a view chiefly to objects of natural history** Original boards, uncut, spine worn; the Bradley Martin copy with a note by him that he was given the book by John Betjeman on their 1964 trip to the Shetlands, Edinburgh, 1806 £255

363 Nemnich (P.A.) **Allgemeines polyglotten-lexicon der Naturgeschichte.** 2 vol., engraved title, 4to., boards, bit worn, from the collections of M. J. Schleiden (1804-81, German botanist) and C.S. Dolley (American bacteriologist), Hamburg, 1793-95 £85

364 Ogilvie-Grant (W.R.) a.o. **Reports on the collections made by the British Ornithologists' Union expedition and the Wollaston expedition in Dutch New Guinea, 1910-13.** 2 vol., limited to 150 sets, 2 maps, 40 plates (12 coloured), 4to., some foxing, half blue morocco, gilt, by Morrell, little worn, 1916 £1100

Includes all the collections; birds (by O.G.), mammals, fish, plants, ethnography, etc.

365 Ogilvie-Grant (W.R.) a.o. **Zoological results of the Ruwenzori expedition, 1905-06** 24 plates (23 chromolithographs) printed by West, Newman; Miles & Co.; J. Green, 4to., some foxing, several minor marginal tears, recent half morocco, presentation label pasted to title, Trans. Zoo. soc. XIX, 1909-10 £285

Mollusca by Smith, reptiles by Boulenger, birds by Ogilvie -Grant, etc. The latter section has 10 plates after Gronvold.

366 Okland (F.) **Land- und Susswasserfauna von Nowaja Semlja.** Illus., wrappers, bit worn, Oslo, Report of Norw. Expt. to Nov. Zem, 42, 1928 £36

367 [Perrault (C.)] **Memoirs for a natural history of animals, containing the anatomical description of several creatures dissected by the Royal Academy of of Sciences at Paris...to which is added an account of the measure of a degree of a great circle of th earth.** Engraved title,

35 engraved plates, folio, title backed and ink name erased, but a clean and crisp copy, contemporary calf, rebacked (not in a very good style), some scrapes refurbished, 1701 £325

A second issue of the translation of Perrault's *Memoires pour servir*, 1671-76. The animals are translated by Alexander Pitfield, the earth by Richard Waller. *Nissen 3125*

368 **Perrier (E.) Traite de zoologie.** 10 pt. in five vol., illus., cloth, 1893-1933 £35

369 **Piller (M.) & Mitterpacher (L.) Iter per Poseganam Slavoniae provinciam** 16 engraved plates, plates (2 of birds, 5 of butterflies, coloured by hand; one of a mill etc. & 7 of plants), 4to., half calf, gilt, bit worn, Buda, 1783 £800

The plates are finely coloured; one of the beetles is even finished in gilt.

370 **Plate (L.) Fauna et anatomia ceylanica. Zoologische Ergebnisse einer Ceylon-Reise...1913-14** 4 vol., 106 plates, some coloured or tinted, wrappers, a bit worn, uncut, Jena, 1922-31 £275

Rare. Consolidated offprints from various vol. of the *Jenaische Zeitschrift f. Naturw.*

Unexpected provenance

371 [**Pluche (N.A.) Spectacle de la nature; or nature display'd...translated from the original French by Mr. Humphreys.** 7 vol., mixed issue, 207 engraved plates, contemporary calf, gilt spines, worn, joints cracked, one several covers loose, early signature of Charles Brand, and cancelled library stamp of the British Legation, Tehran, later in the collection of Richard Freeman, with his pencil note in Vol. 1 "This is the First issue of the final definitive edition - the so-called 8th", 1754-53 £100

Freeman 3041

372 [**Pluche (N.A.) Spectacle de la nature; or, nature displayed...translated from the original French by Mr. Humphreys.** 7 vol., as often a mixed issued, 207 engraved plates, contemporary speckled calf, worn, some covers off, 1740-48 £100

The 8th, and final volume of the French edition was never translated. *Freeman 3041*

373 **Pontoppidan (E.) The natural history of Norway.** Folding map and 28 plates, minor worming in lower blank margins, folio, contemporary sprinkled calf, gilt spine, rebacked and repaired, 1755 £450

374 **Pulteney (R.) Catalogues of the birds, shells, and some of the more rare plants of Dorsetshire from the new and enlarged edition of Mr. Hutchins's history of that county...with additions and a brief memoir of the author.** Portrait, plates of fossil shells, and 23 plates (on 12 leaves) of recent shells, folio, recent cloth, book labels of Mrs. Pulteney and S.P. Dance, Nichols, son and Bentley, 1813 £200

A very scarce offprint, with revisions, from the second edition of Hutchin's Dorset.

375 **Radde (G.) Die Sammlungen des Kaukasischen Museums.** 2 vol., 5 coloured maps, 7 plates of portraits, 44 plates with printed flimsies (mostly photographic, but including a coloured lithograph of *Iris iberica* printed by Meschieff of Tiflis), folio, half cloth, Tiflis, 1899-1901 £290

Very scarce; not in BM(NH) cat, or *Nissen*. The first vol. deals with zoology, the second with botany. The former lists and illustrates a good many hunting trophies.

No copy in the U.K.

376 **Random notes on [Rhode Island] natural history.** Vol. 1-3, all published, cloth, Providence, 1884-86 £45

Edited by James M. Southwick, a professional naturalist who sold bird skins. *Not in Bucop.*

377 **Redi (F.) Opere.** 4 vol., first collected edition, portrait, 72 engraved plates, an unfresh set internally with foxing and minor soiling, vellum, Naples, G. Raillard, 1687 £105

Includes *Bacco in Toscana* as well as all the scientific works.

378 **Ridgway (R.) A nomenclature of colors for naturalists.** 10 plates of colour samples, cloth; signature of P. McGragor, Sarajevo, 1905, Boston, 1886 £115

379 **Risso (A.) Historie naturelle des principales productions de l'Europe meridionale et particulièrement de celles environs de Nice et des Alpes maritimes.** 5 vol., 2 hand-coloured folding maps, 46 engraved plates, some foxing, blind stamp on titles, recent cloth, 1826 £325

Nissen ZB 3429 calls for 30 plates only, and does not mention colour. However Stafleu 9249 has the total correct, and mentions that copies do occur with coloured plates.

380 **Rochon-Duvigneaud (A.) Les yeux et la vision des vertebres.** Illus., half cloth, 1843 £20

381 **Roemer (F.) a.o. Fauna Arctica.** 6 vol. in 15 pt., a complete set, 2 portraits, 51 plates, including some fine lithographs, a few coloured or tinted, 3 coloured maps, folio, wrappers, some worn, Jena, 1900-32 £750

Rare in complete state; Nissen 3460 lists the work only up to Vol. 5 pt. 1; the BM(NH) Suppl. lists the remainder.

The president's offprint

382 **Roosevelt (Theodore) Revealing and concealing coloration in birds and mammals.** Original grey wrappers, printed with "Author's edition, extracted from Bulletin of the American Museum of Natural History", spine worn and wrappers detached, New York, 1911 £45

383 **Ross (Sir John) Appendix to the narrative of a second voyage in search of a North-West passage.** 20 lithograph plates (12 coloured by hand), minor foxing, original figured cloth, 1835 £150

The scientific and other reports complete, but without the narrative of the expedition. The natural history is by Captain James Ross (John's nephew) with the help of various friends, including John Curtis for insects and Richard Owen for invertebrates.

384 **Rutty (John) An essay towards a natural history of the county of Dublin.** 2 vol., 5 folding engraved plates (a map + 4 of birds), 5 folding tables, errata slip pasted to p. xiv of Vol. 1, contemporary speckled calf, joints cracking but a nice copy, Dublin, for the author, 1772 £425

From the Markree, Co. Sligo library of the Cooper family; probably the copy subscribed by Edward Cooper who is in the list of subscribers. *Freeman 3266*

385 **Schaanning (H.T.) Jaegerliv nordpaa. Jagt-zoologiske reiser til Finmarken og Novaja Semlja.** Text-illustrations, wrappers, bit worn, Oslo, 1916 £80

386 **Schiodte (J.) & Hansen (H.J.) Zoologica Danica.** 6 pt. in three vol., all published, 72 engraved plates, folio, recent cloth, Copenhagen, 1878-1907 £220

Comprises one vol. of invertebrates (Bryozoa, Entozoa, Echinodermata, Spiders), one vol. of mammals, and one of fishes. *Nissen 3679*

387 **Schlegel (H.)** a.o. **Museum d'histoire naturelle des Pays-Bas. Catalogue systematique** 14 vol. in 18, complete set, wrappers, some a bit worn, Leiden, 1862-1908 £200

Casey Wood states that the work was issued in 14 parts; but Vol. 9 is two titles, one being an index to 1-8; Vol. 10 is in two parts, and vol. 13 in three.

388 **Schmiedeknecht (o.) Die Wirbeltiere Europa's.** Half leather, bit worn, Jena, 1906 £20

389 **Schulze (F.)** a.o. **Nomenclator animalium generum et subgenerum.** 5 vol. in 26 parts, folio, wrappers, Berlin, 1926-54 £75

390 **Scopoli (G.A.) Annus I (-V) historico-naturalis.** 5 vol. in one, folding table, some foxing, contemporary tree sheep, gilt spine, Leipzig, 1769-72 £150

All published of the "interesting early serial by a famous physician-naturalist" (Casey Wood). The first volume is devoted a systematic description of the birds in his own museum, the Imperial aviary, and Turin. Later vol. are more varied and include a Tyrolean ramble, Icelandic lichens, and a good deal of mineralogy.

391 **Sharp (D., editor) Fauna Hawaiiensis or the zoology of the Sandwich (Hawaiian) isles.** 3 vol., 78 plates, mostly lithographs, (29, including 2 of birds, coloured), vol. 1 with one plate detached and margins frayed and text with a number of marginal tears and several places where a small triangular gash has been made in margin (as often; the paper employed in this book was of poor quality; the text is not affected), binder's cloth, rubbed, Cambridge, 1899-1913 £210

The first book on the natural history of Scotland

392 **Sibbald (Sir Robert) Scotia illustrata sive prodromus historiae naturalis.** 20 engraved plates, 6 mounted on old paper, without the plate of the author's coat of arms which is sometimes missing, several plates rather poor impressions (they look almost like counterproofs, except they are not reversed), first plate engraved by Geo. Maine, three others by Jo. Reid, minor marginal tears, some browning, folio, contemporary vellum, soiled and a bit worn, bookplate, signature and a few notes by E.F. Nolte (1791- 1875; German botanist, see Stafleu 6855), later bookplate of Sir Arthur Mitchell, K.C.B., Edinburgh, sumptibus auctoris, 1684 £400

The plates (which usually have a rather amateur look about the printing; but this copy is worse than usual) have some 15 figures of birds, including a puffin and a barnacle goose. *Burdet 261 gives a full collation,*

393 **Sparck (R., editor) a.o. The zoology of the Faroes.** 3 vol. in six parts, illus., wrappers, Copenhagen, 1928-71 £165

394 **Spitta (E.J.) Photo-micrography.** 5 plates, numerous text-figures, 4to., cloth, 1899 £27

395 **Stebbing (E.P.) A manual of elementary forest zoology for India.** 118 plates, the author's copy, interleaved and with ms. notes and corrections, and a small group of letters, etc. inserted, including proof of a long hostile review which the author seems to have aborted by claiming a second edition was imminent (it never appeared), cloth, rather worn, Calcutta, 1908 £90

A biological classic; inscribed to the Royal Society.

396 **Steenstrup (J.J.S.) Om forplantning og udvirling gennem vexlende generationsrækker.** 3 folding engraved plates (small stain on the last), 4to., half calf, rebacked, the original plain front wrapper bound in; the Royal Society copy with inscription by the author in English, on the wrapper in slightly uncertain orthography, faint stamp on title and release stamp on verso, Copenhagen, 1842 £550

"Steenstrup is responsible for the theory of the "alternation of generation". He showed that certain animals produce offspring which never resemble them but which, on the other hand, bring forth progeny which return in form and nature to their grandparents or more distant ancestors. An English translation of the book was published by the Royal Society of London in 1845. — GM 217
This Danish original is very rare; the copy retained by the Royal Society is not a presentation copy and has no wrappers.

397 **Stoliczka (F.)— Scientific results of the second Yarkand mission; based upon the collections and notes of the late Ferdinand Stoliczka.** 14 pl. in one vol., folding map, 70 lithographed plates of which 46 are coloured by hand, folio, half calf, rather worn, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy with a stamp on title, Calcutta & London, 1878-86 £6750

Scarce in complete state; the Bradley Martin copy was imperfect, lacking 7 plates of birds. As usual each section was by a different authority; the birds by Bowdler Sharpe are one of the most attractive, with 24 coloured plates by Keulemans. Zimmer comments "on the birds collected by Dr. Stoliczka on the second Yarkand mission into central Asia, with extracts from Stoliczka's notebook and from that of his companion Colonel Biddulph as well as from the published notes of Dr. Henderson (of the first Yarkand mission) and Dr. Scully. The work thus includes the results of both expeditions to Yarkand." A full list of the different parts is given by BM(NH) cat.; the anonymous introductory note is by A.O. Hume.

398 **Suvatti (C.) Fauna of Thailand.** Frontispiece of a fish, 4to., cloth, Bangkok, 1950 £45

399 [Taylor (Charles)] "**Francis Fitzgerald**" **Surveys of nature.** 2 vol., 2 vignette title, 14 stipple engraved allegorical plates printed in sanguine, and 145 plates (73 coloured by hand), 4to., a nice set in contemporary tree calf, gilt, neatly repaired, signature of Dan Cudworth, 1791 on flyleaves, later in the collection of Richard Freeman with his ms. notes; added to this copy is a duplicate set of uncoloured plates (but without the frontispieces) which is bound in recent half morocco, 1787 [- 89] £900

A rather strange and very rare work. It seems originally to have been published in parts and collates in 3's (? 6mo in half sheets). Vol. 1 deals with astronomy, mathematics, medicine, etc. Vol. 2 is natural history and in this copy most of the plates of birds and mammals are neatly coloured by hand. It conforms exactly to Freeman 3654 which is based on this copy, and Lisney calls for some coloured plates. However in his ms. notes Freeman suggests "Doubtfully so issued" he also adds that Lisney's collation of the plates is hopelessly wrong and he did not recognize Fitzgerald as a pseudonym. In our opinion the colouring is original and should be present. *Freeman 3654; Lisney 308-09*

400 **Thayer (G.H.) Concealing-coloration in the animal kingdom.** 16 coloured plates, 4to., cloth, New York, 1909 £135

401 **Trevor-Battye (A.) Ice-bound on Kolguev...to which is added a record of the natural history.** Plates and maps, half calf, gilt, by Mudie, 1895 £90

402 **Turton (W.) British fauna...Vol. 1 including the classes Mammalia, birds, Amphibia, fishes and worms.** All published, original printed boards, bit worn, rebacked, Swansca, 1807 £55
Freeman 3775

403 **Veitch (J.H.) a traveller's notes...India, Malaysia, Japan, Corea, the Australian colonies and New Zealand.** Map, 9 photogravure plates of plants, numerous text-illus., 4to., cloth, for private circulation only, printed by H.M. Pollett & co., horticultural printers, 1896 £90

Veitch was a famous horticulturalist and the journey was "undertaken with the object of obtaining a more adequate conception of the vegetation of the regions visited".

404 **Wallace (A.R.) Island life.** Maps, original cloth, rubbed, signature dated 1881 on title, 1880 £150

405 **Wallace (A.R.) The geographical distribution of animals.** 2 vol., first edition, plates, prize calf, gilt, bit worn, corners, bumped, 1876 £135

406 **Wallace (A.R.) The Malay archipelago.** First American edition, 2 maps, lithographed by the New York lithographic, engraving & printing Co. 16 & 18 Park Place, 8 plates and numerous text-illustrations, original purple cloth, bit worn, spine badly faded, New York, Harper, 1869 £85
Same year as the first edition. It is reset and even Americanised (p. 21 "We have here a clew.."; London p.13 "...a clue...") and the maps are remade, therefore perhaps a piracy?

407 **Wallace (A.R.) The Malay archipelago.** 2 vol., first edition, 2 folding maps, illus. (including 8 plates) some after Keulemans, original green cloth, bit worn and loose, 1869 £225

408 **White (G.) The natural history of Selbourne...with additions by Sir William Jardine...a new edition.** Frontispiece, contemporary cloth, rebacked, Edinburgh, 1829 £150

Jardine's own copy, with his signature on the title. The book is interleaved throughout and has about 10 ms. notes by Jardine, ranging from a few words to over two pages (on hedgehogs). This edition was very popular and was reprinted at least 15 times but these later thoughts by Jardine were never incorporated in the printed text.

409 **Williamson (K.) The Atlantic islands, a study of the Faeroe life and scene.** Plates, cloth, slightly tattered d.w., 1940 £30

410 **Wood (Robert Williams) How to tell the birds from the flowers. a manual of flornithology.** Text-figures, boards, bit worn, San Francisco, [1907] £20

"To tell the turnip from the tern/a thing which everyone should learn...". According to Casey Wood "whimsical studies intended to while away a weary hour".

411 **Wood (W.) Zoography; or the beauties of nature displayed.** 3 vol., 60 tinted aquatints, by William Daniell, a large and clean copy in contemporary half russia, worn, several joints broken, 1807 £225

An appealing book with well executed plates of the animals amid wild scenery; Daniel contrives to

romanticise even centipedes and piddocks. The book was, as far as we know, never issued with coloured plates.

412 **Worm** (Olaus) **Museum wormianum**. Device on title, about 150 text-figures of a great variety of natural and artificial curiosities, including king crabs, keys, mexican pictographs(?), bananas, walrus, fish, birds, lacking the portrait and the double-page view, folio, contemporary blind stamped calf, worn, joints cracking, part of spine missing, late 18th. Cent. note of purchase, for 34Dfl. at the auction of Dr. D. Romain's library, Leiden, Elsevier, 1655 £225

Most of the illustrations are woodcut, but a few are engraved, including that of a Great Auk.

413 **Yorkshire naturalists' union. The naturalist; journal of the Yorkshire naturalists' union [later; Journal of natural history for the North of England]**. Vol. 7-102, plates, binder's cloth, not quite uniform, one vol. in half leather, minor wear, Huddersfield or Bradford, 1881-1975 £465

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414 **A.S. Institutiones physiologiae in usum Regii Neapolitani Archigynmasii...editio secunda auctior D.A.V.M.** 2 vol., rather scruffy set, some waterstaining and browning, contemporary vellum, spines soiled, Naples, M. Morelli, 1794 £28

Not found in Balke or Wellcome.

Diseases of the intelligensia

415 **Ackermann (J.C.G.) Ueber die Krankheiten der Gelehrten**. Half calf, crudely repaired, Nuremberg, 1777 £175

The index of cases includes many illustrious names. *Not in Wellcome.*

416 **Ainslie (Sir Whitelaw) Materia Indica; or some account of those articles which are employed by the Hindoos and other Eastern nations in their medicine, arts and agriculture**. 2 vol., half calf, rebounded; the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, presented to them by the author, 1826 £265

417 **Ainslie (Sir Whitelaw) Observations on the cholera morbus of India**. The Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, inscribed to them by the author, original boards, uncut, spine rather worn, 1825 £290

On the front flyleaf is a ms. note of some 40 lines by the author giving his latest thoughts – "Since writing the following observations the author has heard with much regret of the continued intractable nature of the Spasmodic cholera of India..." *Wellcome I, 21*

418 **Ainslie (Sir Whitelaw) a.o. Medical, geographical, and agricultural report...into the causes of the epidemic fever which prevailed in the provinces of Coimbatore, Madura, Dindigul & Tinnivelly during the years 1809, 1810, and 1811**. Folding hand-coloured map by Thomas Arthur of the Engineers, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, inscribed "From the author", original boards, worn, 1816 £260

Not in Wellcome

419 **Alleyne (J.) A new English dispensatory**. Leaf of ads at beginning and end, contemporary calf, somewhat worn, 1733 £55

420 Army medical department. Statistical, sanitary and medical reports for the year 1862 (1865, 1867-73) 9 vol., plates, contemporary binder's cloth, neat, by F. Dugon, 11 Red Cross Sq., City, HMSO, 1864-75 £120

Comprises Vol.[IV], VII, & IX-XIV. The subjects covered include the medical history of the Abyssinian expedition, 1867-8 and of the Red River Expedition, 1870, the latter with a folding coloured map of the route. Other illustrations include plans of hospitals, 9 coloured plates of vaccination, and maps and plans of Cape Town, Newcastle (Jamaica), Chichrata & Kailan (Himalayas), St. Anns, Barbados, Bangalore, and Victoria (Labuan). There is even a coloured geological map of the parish of St. Andrew, Jamaica.
Bound into the first vol. are the report on military prisons for 1863 and the first part (only) of a report on mines, 1864 with 15 interesting plates.

421 Awsiter (J., M.D.) Thoughts on Brightelmston concerning sea-bathing and drinking seawater. Pp. 20, 4to., modern wrappers, 1768 £90

Wellcome II, 77

422 Baillie (M.) Anatomia patologica (tradotta dalla quarta edizioni inglese dell' anno 1812 da Paolo Zannini. 2 vol., some waterstains at beginning of first vol., original yellow printed wrappers, uncut, spines faded, a bit stained, but in nice original condition, Venice, 1819 £85

A translation of Baillie's well known *The morbid anatomy of...the human body*, fourth edition, 1812

423 Beauchene [E.P.C. de] De l'influence des affections de l'ame dans les maladies nerveuses des femmes...nouvelle edition revue et augmentee d'avis salutaires aux femmes pendant leur grossesse. 2 pt. in one vol., old wrappers, uncut, Paris, an VII [1788]-86 £50

As Blake, p. 36, the second part *Observations* has a separate title dated 1786.

424 Bell (Sir Charles) The nervous system of the human body...third edition. 15 folding plates after drawings by the author, half calf, rebounded, Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy with neat stamp on title, Edinburgh, 1836 £125

Originally published as a series of papers in *Phil. trans.*, the first book edition, called the second, is of 1830. The present edition is the second in book form and contains papers up until 1832; it is the first edition of the final text. Wellcome has only an 1844 edition of the text, a re-issue of the present vol. Of the 1830 ed. GM 1258 records " Bell's demonstration that the fifth cranial nerve has a sensory-motor function, his discovery of "Bell's nerve" and the motor nerve of the face, lesion of which causes facial paralysis (Bell's palsy). Also includes the first description of myotonia."

425 Bell (B.) Cours complet de chirurgie theorique et pratique...traduit de l'anglois sur la quatrieme et derniere edition, par Ed. Bosquillon. 6 vol., 99 engraved plates of instruments, anatomy and operations, minor worming in a few blank margins, but a clean set in contemporary quarter sheep, trifle worn, Paris, 1796 £300

First French translation of Bell's "best work" (GM 5579, the English original of 1782-87). The work was very popular, appearing also in Spanish and Italian. *Wellcome I, 135*

426 Bell (B.) Tratto della gonorrea virulente 2 vol., minor foxing but a nice set in contemporary patterned green boards, gilt, Venice, 1795 £55

A translation of *A treatise on gonorrhoea*, 1793 which first differentiated gonorrhoea and syphilis (see GM 2378).

427 **Bernard** (Claude) **Lecons de physiologie experimentale appliquee a la medecine**. 2 vol., text-figures, half morocco, spines rather extensively repaired, the Royal Society copy with stamps, Paris, 1855-56 £220

"includes his classical work on the function of the liver pancreas and gastric glands" – GM 615 (& 812.1). "the work of Claude Bernard constitutes the founding of modern experimental physiology" – DSB II, 27

428 **Borsieri** (G.B) **Institutionum medicinae practicae...editio quarta Veneta**. 8 vol. in four, contemporary half calf, bit worn, Venice, J. Orlandelli, 1802 £90
Not in Wellcome.

429 **Bourdet** [Bernard] **Soins faciles pour la propreté de la bouche, et pour la conservation des dents**. 12mo., contemporary calf, worn, Paris, 1759 £425
See Quaritch Cat. 1127, item 15 for an excellent note on this book(and a price of \$2750).

430 **Brugnatelli** (L.V.) **Farmacopea generale...appendice del Dr. Giustino Marruncelli**. 2 vol. in one, portrait, folding plate of apparatus, contemporary quarter leather, bit worn, Naples, 1809 £75
Not in Wellcome.

431 **Burrell** (W.H.) **Report on the plague of Malta in 1813**. Pp.vi, 7-94, 2 folding coloured lithographic plans of Valetta, half cloth, neat, bound with another, HMSO, 1854 £90
Published as Appendix V to the second report on quarantine of the General Board of Health.

432 **Cabrusa** (Francesco M.L.) **La vera istoria della malattia del facchinetto...contro il signor dr. Paolo Ponzoni**. Pp. 88, modern boards, Verona, a spese dell'autore, 1820 £85
Attacks Ponzoni's *Istoria ragionata di una peripneumonia*, Verona, 1819. Neither book is in NUC or BMC; our Cabrusa is not in Wellcome.

433 **Caldani** (L.) **Institutiones pathologicae...editio tertia Italica, aucta & emendata**. Contemporary vellum, Venice, 1786 £32

434 **Campana** (A.) **Farmacopea ferrarese...edizione duodecima**. Portrait, stamps on title, old boards, uncut, worn, loose, Pesaro, 1826 £48

435 **Campbell** (J.S.) **Observations on tuberculous consumption**. 2 plates printed in colours by C. Hullmandel, several stamps of Bedford Medical library, cloth, repaired, 1841 £55
Lithographs by Hullmandel *printed* in colours are uncommon. *Not in Wellcome*

436 **Celsus** (A.C.) **Medicinae libri octo ex recensione Leonardi Targae**. 4to., contemporary vellum, corners worn, bit soiled, Padua, 1769 £55

At the end is a leaf of privilege for Padua, not mentioned in the Wellcome collation.

437 **Cheselden (W.) The anatomy of the human body...the IXth edition.** Frontispiece, engraved title, 40 plates, rather foxed, pl.12 with blank margins frayed and stained, calf, rebacked, 1768 £75
The plates are by Gerard van der Gucht and first appeared in the 5th. edition of 1740; 28 years later they look rather tired. Russell 160

438 **Cirillo (Niccolo) Consulti medici...edizione seconda.** 3 vol. in one, device on titles, Paduan privilege leaf at the end, contemporary speckled calf, gilt spine, a bit worn, Venice, F. Pitteri, 1756 £45

Ibsen's inspiration?

439 **Clouston (Sir Thomas) A case of general paralysis at the age of sixteen.** Contained in Journal of Mental Science Vol. 23, half calf, 1877 £55

"Clouston, eminent English psychiatrist, was the first definitely to recognise the relationship between paresis and congenital syphilis and to report a case. This paper is also of interest as being the only recorded case of juvenile paresis at the time Ibsen wrote *Ghosts*, with its excellent portrayal of the condition in the person of Oswald Alving." – GM 4799

440 **Commissioners appointed to inquire into the sanitary state of the army in India. Report...with precis of evidence.** Pp.266, 2 folding tables, tinted by hand, binder's cloth, neat, bound with another, without the minutes of evidence (published separately in folio), HMSO, 1863 £25

441 **Committee appointed to enquire into...venereal disease...of the army and navy Report...and the evidence taken before the committee.** Pp.[ii], lxxviii, 588, binder's cloth, few sidenotes just trimmed, HMSO, 1868 £35

Bound with *Report on the Cholera epidemic of 1866*, 5 tinted maps and tables, 1868, published as a supplement to the 29th ann. Rpt. of the Registrar General.

442 **Coste [Fr.] Trattato pratico sopra la gotta.** browned and waterstained, modern boards, Lucca, 1764 £28

A translation of *Traite pratique sur la goutte*, 1757

443 **Cresson (Joshua) Meditations written during the prevalence of the yellow fever in the city of Philadelphia in the year 1793.** First edition, pp. x, 26, original marbled wrappers, signature of Ann Dillwyn, of the quaker family, London, W. Phillips, 1803 £85

The author himself died in this famous epidemic and the work was printed from a ms. sent to England. No American edition ever appeared. *Not in Wellcome*

444 **Crosse (J.G.) An essay, literary and practical, on the inversio uteri... part the first.** , 8 plates lithographed by J. Perry and printed by Hullmandel & Walton, Bedford medical library stamp on title, half cloth, printed label, 1845 £60

Not in BM , Wellcome or RCP catalogues; only NUC records the second part of 1847, and that as "imperfect"(but perhaps this is just irregular numeration of the plates). Crosse was a doctor in Norwich.

445 **Cruveilhier (J.) Essai sur l'anatomie pathologique.** 2 vol., original wrappers, printed labels, uncut, a bit worn but in nice original condition, Paris, 1816 £160

Cruveilhier's first book, foreshadowing his great atlas. " the first occupant of the newly established

chair (of pathology) at the University of Paris (1836), was the leader of French pathology and the first to give adequate descriptions of disseminated sclerosis and of progressive muscular atrophy " – Castiglioni, 690

446 Davy (John) **On some of the more important diseases of the army.** Presentation copy from the author to the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh, original cloth, mostly unopened, spine faded, 1862 £165

The author had extensive experience in Ceylon, the Ionian Islands, Malta, the West Indies and Fort Pitt at Chatham. He ended his career of over 50 years as inspector general of army hospitals.

Passionate medicine

447 Descuret (J.B.F.) **La medicina delle passioni...prima versione Italiana.** Some foxing and minor repairs, several leaves loose and a bit frayed, half leather, Florence, 1844 £25

Translated from *La medicina des passions*, first published in 1841

448 Duncan (Andrew) **Heads of lectures on the theory and practice of medicine.** First edition, pp. viii, 84, interleaved throughout and with the first 40pp. accompanied by extensive contemporary annotation (presumably a student taking lecture notes), contemporary half calf, rubbed, Edinburgh, 1776 £70

According to a preface note the author could only publish the first part "But he proposes to put the second part to press in a short time". The first part ends on p. 72; the final gathering comprises 6 leaves of the second part and ends in mid text. We have not been able to locate another copy of this edition to compare. It is not in NUC (editions 2-4 only) or the BL (they have no copy of the text at all); Wellcome II, 498 has only the 2nd edition; Blake the 2nd & 4th.

449 **Elementi de medicina teorica** Pp. viii, 390, contemporary mottled calf, gilt spine, bit worn, Pisa, 1797 £40

Blake, 133

450 Elyot (*Sir Thomas*) **The castel of helth corrected and in some places augmented.** Black letter, title within a woodcut border (McK. & F. 34), woodcut coat of arms (repeated), the text complete but perhaps lacking a colophon leaf at the end, few sidenotes trimmed, calf, gilt, by Pratt, joints neatly repaired, 19th. Cent. bookplate of Simpson Rostron, "1541" £900

STC lists seven editions dated 1541, most of which are unacknowledged reprints. Comparison of copies in the British library and the Wellcome shows that our copy seems to be either 7646 [1544?] or 7646.5 which latter has a colophon dated 1547(the BL copy of the latter, which might settle the question, has been lost or stolen).Of the first STC records 3 copies in the UK(2 imperfect) and 5 plus in the USA; of the second 4 in the UK(2 imperfect) and 4 in the USA (one imperfect).Since the imperfections stated can only be a minimum it is clear that complete copies are very uncommon.

"A popular, sensible treatise on healthful living, with sound and practical advice on the recognition of the commoner symptoms of disease, as well as what to do about them. Sir Thomas was criticized for having undertaken this work, since it was considered beneath the dignity of a knight and a diplomat; the *Proheme*(which first appeared in the 1541 edition) is written in self-defense against this criticism"- Hunt 155 (1587 edition).

451 Frank (Joseph) **Osservazioni sulla vita animale e l'apparenza di morte per un' accidental sospensione delle funzioni polmonali, con riflessioni sulla dottrina di Brown...traduzione dall'Inglese di Antonio Bertoloni.** Engraved plate (of Dr. Goodwin's instrument), wrappers, uncut, spine worn, Pavia, 1795 £55

Not in Wellcome or Blake. We are unable to trace an English text and suspect that the translation was from a ms.

452 Gales (J.C.) **Memoire , rapports et observations sur les fumigations sulfureuses...deuxieme edition, considerable augmentee, entierement refondue.** 9 plates by Mme Testard, printed in colours and finished by hand, half calf, bit worn, Paris, 1824 £125

The vapours were mostly used to treat skin diseases, which is what are figured in 20 figures on the 9 plates. Wellcome has the first edition of 1816 but not this final edition, which is more than double the size.

453 Gaubius (H.D.) **Libellus de methodo concinnandi formulas medicamentorum editio altera revisa & aucta.** Some waterstains, contemporary vellum, spine soiled, Naples, 1763 £50

The author was Boerhaave's successor at Leiden; this book is a detailed formulary.

454 [Gaux (L.J.R.)] **Petit manuel de sante d'utilite et d'agrement.** Wrappers, bit worn, Paris, 1824 £22

455 Gavard (H.) **Traite complet d'osteologie dedige d'apres les lecons de Desault...troisieme edition, revue et corrigee.** 2 vol. in one, some leaves a bit waterstained, boards, worn, Paris, 1805 £35

456 Gazola (G.) **Il mondo ingannato da falsi medici...edizione sesta.** 12mo., old boards, spine worn, Tranto, 1718 £45

457 Godlee (R.J.) **An atlas of human anatomy.** 48 tinted lithographs by Hanhart, coloured by hand with red, blue and white, without the text volume, folio, cloth, worn and shabby, first few leaves loose but contents clean, 1880 £85

458 Golinelli (L.) **Proposta di nuovi apparecchi di gambe artificiali.** 2 folding lithographs by Bettoni showing the artificial leg, wrappers, Bologna, offprint from *Nuo. ann. Sci.* 5, 1841 £25

459 Golla (F.L.) a.o. **The electro-encephlogram in epilepsy.** Contained in *Journal of Mental Science*, Vol. 83, library cloth, several stamps, 1937 £35

"Demonstration of the changes in the electro-encephalogram in epilepsy" – GM 4824

460 Green (Jonathan, MD, MRCS) **An improved mode of successfully treating many obstinate diseases through the agency of fumigating, warm-air and vapour baths.** Original boards, printed label, a trifle worn but a nice copy, printed for, and sold by, the author, c. 1830 £85
Not in Wellcome, NUC or BMC.

461 Grube (H.) **Commentarius de modo simplicium medicamentorum...prae fixa Thomae Bartholini epistola de simplicibus medicamentis.** Contemporary green vellum, bit worn, Copenhagen & Frankfurt, 1669 £70

462 Hahnmann (S.) **Dissertazioni Hahnemanniane con annotazioni critiche.** Pp. xviii, 458, original printed wrappers, uncut and mostly unopened, small repair to front cover otherwise in nice contemporary condition, errata slip pasted inside back wrapper, cloth box, Cremona, 1839 £105

Italian translations of *De ingenio artis medendi homoeopathicae* and *De fontibus materiae medicae-vulgaris* together with a range of material by other authors on Hahnman's methods. The volume was

translated and edited, in a somewhat prolix fashion, by Felice Guiseppe Geromini, 1792- 1858. Not in Wellcome, BMC or NUC.

463 **Hamilton (Robert) Letters on the cause and treatment of the gout.** Pp. (iv), viii, 3-194, contemporary tree calf, gilt spine rather worn; a posthumous publication, inscribed by the widow and editor to the Royal Soc. Edinburgh, and with their stamp, Lynn, W. Whittingham, 1806 £200

A rare work, not in Wellcome, Pybus, or the British Library catalogue. There were several medical Robert Hamiltons in the late 18th. Cent.; this is a posthumous work apparently by the author of the first modern account of mumps, GM 5523 whose dates were 1721-93.

464 **Handyside (P.D.) Dissertatio physiologica inauguralis de vasis absorbentibus, 1831; A probationary essay on osteo-aneurism, 1833** 2 vol. in one, contemporary dark blue polished calf, sides with a cathedral plaque in blind, gilt spine, joints rather worn; the Royal Soc. Edinburgh copy, presented by the author, Edinburgh, 1831-33 £36

465 **Hartridge (Hamilton) An extensive collection of his scientific papers.** 98 pieces bound in two vol., half cloth, rebaked, typed lists of contents, a few papers in collaboration, several of the short reviews, etc. represented by typescripts, from the library of the Royal Society, though without stamps, 1912-26 £145

An apparently complete set, which must have been compiled by or for Hartridge himself. It includes GM 962; though not mentioned by GM this is in fact the first part of the paper only; our collection includes parts 2 & 3 as well (titled *The kinetics of haemoglobin*), 1923-24. Also included are the proof of chapters from Sir William Bayliss *Principles of general physiology*; GM 658 and E.H. Starling's similar book, which Hartridge presumably wrote or revised. Another paper present here *The avoidance of objects by bats* 1920 seems to give the first preliminary suggestion of their navigation by echo location.

466 **Haygarth (J.) A sketch of a plan to exterminate the casual small-pox from Great Britain and to introduce general inoculation; to which is added a correspondence on the nature of variolous contagion.** Pp. xvi, 576, half calf, bit worn, the Royal Soc. Edinburgh copy, 1793 £280

The correspondents take up half the book; among them are Benjamin Waterhouse of Massachusetts, James Currie of Edinburgh, and the Syndick and Council of Health of Geneva. *Wellcome II, 227 (but only the second part)*

467 **Heister (L.) Compendium medicinae practicae.** Paduan privilege leaf at end, contemporary vellum, spine soiled, Venice, 1748 £40

An enlarged version of the *Compendium institutionum* first published at Helmstadt in 1745. *Blake 203; Not in Wellcome*

468 **Helvetius (J.A.) Trattato delle malattie piu'frequenti...nouva edizione... con un trattato de'rimedii contro la peste.** Contemporary boards, spine a bit worn, uncut; ownership inscription of Matth. Barbarei, 1779, on title, Venice, 1743 £65

a translation of *Traite des maladies* 1703, which ran to many editions, though this seems to be the only translation.

469 **Hicks (J.B.) On the condition of the uterus in obstructed labour; in Transactions of the Obstetrical Society of London, Vol. 9.** Original cloth, from the Bedford Medical library with stamps, but a nice copy, 1868 £35

GM 6187

470 Hill (Sir John) **On the virtues of sage in lengthening human life, [1763]; The old man's guide to health and longer life...fifth edition, 1764** 2 vol. in one, minor soiling, last leaf of second work repaired without loss, the Arpad Plesch copy, bound for him by Jeanne Gazel of Nice, in half calf, gilt, 1763-64 £100

Plesch's botany is well known but he also had an extensive collection of books on long life, bought partly for practical reasons.

471 Hind (G.W.) **A series of twenty plates illustrating ...fractures of the bones of the extremities...second edition, corrected, with additional illustrations.** 20 lithographs by Graf after drawings by Frederic Tatham, folio, some soiling, 2 plates trimmed and mounted with tears repaired, minor foxing, cloth, rebounded, 1836 £85

472 Hopkins (Sir Frederick Gowland) **Newer aspects of the nutrition problem, New York, 1924; Chemistry and life, 1933; Discovery and significance of vitamins, Washington, 1936** 3 vol., offprints or lectures, library cloth, rubbed, bound with others (not by H.), 1924-36 £24

473 Huxham (J.) **Liber de febris...curante G.C. Reichel.** Engraved plate, first few leaves waterstained, some browning, contemporary vellum, spine soiled, small piece chipped from front cover, Naples, 1770 £50

A translation of Huxham's *Essay on fevers*, 1750 and several others, including pieces on antimony, the aurora borealis, and smallpox.

474 Jackson (Joseph) **Enchiridion medicum practicum...appendix de lue venerea.** Pp. 154, (ii), lacking the last leaf of index, interleaved throughout and extensively annotated in Latin in a contemporary Italian hand, presumably that of Dot. Placido Dei of Borgo di Valdinievole, in Tuscany, whose name is gilt tooled on covers, bound at the front a pen and ink sketch of his coat of arms, drawn by Joseph Valacchi "a Franco inferiori calamo" in 1754, and presented by him to Dr. Dei, contemporary sheep, gilt and yellow endpapers with a floral pattern, gilt spine, bit worn, repaired, Lucca, 1740 £75

The work was first published in London in 1695; there are a number of continental reprints; this one is not in Blake or Wellcome.

The annotations are on over 250pp. and mostly comprise a pharmacopeia and formulary used, no doubt, in the doctor's practice in a remote region of Tuscany.

475 K'eogh (J.) **Zoologia medicinalis Hebernica: or a treatise of birds, beasts, fishes, reptiles or insects...in this kingdom; giving an account of their medicinal virtues, and their names in English, Irish and Latin.** Some browning, calf, repaired, front cover again becoming loose, Dublin, S. Powell for the author, 1737 £300

Freeman 2078; Wellcome III, 386

476 Knips Macoppe (A.) **Cento aforismi medico politici...tradotti e commentati da G.L. Zaccarelli.** Some foxing, modern boards, Pavia, 1813 £25

477 [Laforest (N.L.)] **L'art de soigner les pieds...les pieds des soldats... troisieme edition.** 2 folding plates, original blue wrappers, uncut, spine very worn, Paris, Lebigre, [c. 1790?] £50

A titelaufage of the edition of 1788, two titleleaves of which are pasted down to form the wrappers. The cancel title omits the author's name presumably because he is described as *Chirurgien-pedicure de Sa majeste*.

478 Lanza (Carlo) **Sull'azione dei rimedi nel corpo umano ossia saggio di un nuovo sistem di medicina.** Some foxing, recent boards, Verona, P. Bisesti, 1809 £48

Neither the author nor the work is in Wellcome or BMC; NUC lists one copy at NLM.

479 Lenhossek (M. I.) **Institutiones physiologiae...usui academico adcommodatae.** 2 vol., some waterstains, half calf, gilt, bit worn, Vienna, 1822 £28

Not in Wellcome.

480 Lewis (Waller) **Report on the laws and ordonnances in force in France for the regulation of noxious trades and occupations.** Half cloth, bound with three official papers on the Cholera epidemic of 1854 and Henry Austin's report on sewage, 1857 which has 8 lithographs of sewage works, etc., HMSO, 1855 £35

481 Lieutaud (J.) **Elementa physiologiae, juxta solertiora.** First edition, calf, worn, rebacked, the Edinburgh Med. Soc. copy with inscription on title, Amsterdam, 1749 £38

482 Lieutaud (J.) **Precis de la metiere medicale...avec un grand nombre de formules eprouvees.** 4 pt. in two vol., a nice set in contemporary mottled sheep, gilt spines a little worn, Paris, Vincent, 1768 £85

A translation, first published in 1766, of the *Synopsis universae*.

483 Lind (J.) **Abhandlung vom Scharbock, nich der zweyten Ausgabe aus dem Englischen ubersetzt vom D. Johann Nathanael Pezold.** First German edition, errata leaf at end, half calf, rebacked; given in 1791 by M. Friedlaender (presumably Michael Friedlaender, 1769-1824; see Wellcome) to an unidentified German clinic with inscription and their stamp on title, Riga and Leipzig, 1775 £245

A translation of Lind's celebrated *Treatise on the scurvy*, second edition, 1757; by the time this translation appeared so had a third edition of the original. *Not in Wellcome (French trans. only)*;

484 Lind (J.) **An essay on diseases incidental to Europeans in hot climates...second edition, enlarged and improved.** £300

GM remarks (of the first edition, 1768) "Lind came near to discovering the connection between malaria and mosquitoes...one of the more important early works on tropical medicine." The additions add some 30 pages to the text. *Wellcome III, 520*

485 Lombard (C.A.) **Clinique chirurgicale des plaies faites par armes a feu, pour servir a l'instruction des leeves en chirurgie des hopitaux militaires.** Half calf, trifle worn, Lyons, 1804 £50

486 [Louis (A., editor)] **Recueil d'observations d'anatomie et de chirurgie pour servir de base a la theorie des lesions de la tete par contre-coup.** Contemporary French calf, gilt spine, bit worn, Paris, 1766 £40

Pieces by Valvasalva, Winslow and others; Wellcome (III, 550) prints a full list.

487 **M'Gregor (James) Medical sketches of the expedition to Egypt from India.** First edition, folding table, old stamps of Beford medical library on title and name erased, contemporary tree calf, bit worn, possibly lacking a half title, bound at the end a 16pp. Murray cat. of new medical books, 1804 £260

Deals with the medical history of the force under General Sir David Baird. After subsequent service under Wellington in the peninsula M'Gregor rose to the head of his profession as director general of the army medical department. The folding table gives relative mortality rates for the different regiments; the differences are striking.

488 **Malavasi (L.) Manuale dei cai urgenti in medicina.** 2 pt. in one vol., folding tables, half vellum, gilt, 2 leaves loose, Modena, 1856 £25

489 **Manson (Sir Patrick) Lectures on tropical diseases.** First edition, text-illus., cloth, bit worn and shaken, 1905 £35

490 **Maygrier (J.P.) Manuel de l'anatomiste.** Half calf, gilt spine signatures of Alfred Cassel "chirurgien...de la marine", Paris, 1807 £35

491 **Mongellaz (P.J.) L'arte di conservare la propria salute...ossia l'igiene... prima versione Italiana.** 4 vol. in seven parts, original pink printed wrappers, little worn, first title stained, but in nice original state, Venice, 1832 30

492 **Morgan (L.H.) Systems of consanguinity and affinity of the human family.** 14 plates, 4to., library stamp on flyleaf and general title (only), half calf, bit worn, Washington, Smith. Contribs. 17, 1871 £25

493 **Morton (W.J.) & Hammer (E.W.) The X ray or photography of the invisible and its value in surgery.** Tinted frontispiece and 32 plates, mostly of x-rays, original cloth, rubbed, repair to foot of spine, London, Simpkin Marshall, [1896] £150

American sheets with an English cancel title. Morton pioneered the use of x-rays in dentistry (GM 3689 is an article of his, published in 1896) and there are several dental x-rays in this book. The exhibition of books from the Thurston Holland collection (Chester Beatty inst. 1956) p. 11 has the NY edition;Phillips, *Bibliography of x-ray literature*, p.xxxiii.

494 **Neligan (J. Moore) Atlas of cutaneous diseases.** 16 chromolithograph plates by Forster & Co. of Dublin, a scruffy copy, with foxing and marginal stains and soiling, half leather, worn, roughly repaired with cloth, by [Francis] Cavanagh of Dublin, with his ticket, Dublin, Fannin & Co., 1855 £95

495 **Onorati (J.) Febrilium cutis affectionum descriptio.** Some waterstains, mostly marginal, contemporary vellum, spine soiled, Naples, 1796 £40

The last 30pp. or so comprise a formulary, printed on one side of the leaf only, and presumably intended to be cut out (and pasted to boxes or bottles?).

496 **Orfila (M.J.B.) Tossicologia pratica...tradotta dal Francese in Italiano dal Dott. Carlo Porta.** Some foxing, inner margins waterstained towards the end, half calf, repaired, Rome, 1819 £60

497 **Orfila** [M.J.B.] **Lecons faisant partie du cours de medecine legale.** 22 engraved plates, of which the 6 of fungi and the 1 of insects are coloured by hand (as is correct), minor soiling, half calf, bit worn and scuffed, Paris, 1821 £255

Prepared for use at the lectures given by the author at the faculty of medecine at Paris it draws much on his classic *Traite des poisons*, 1814- 15(though that work is not illustrated). The plates are mostly by Plee after Turpin; the botanical descriptions are from an unpublished work of Achille Richard (presumably his *Botanique medicale*, 1823).

"The Minorcan M.J. B. Orfila (1787-1853), chemist and physiologist, indicated new paths in the study of the effects of poisons in his classic *Traite...*" – Castigliani.

498 **Orlandi** (P.) **Dissertationes physico-medico-practicae.** Contemporary quarter pink vellum, edges spotted in red and green, bit worn, Rome, 1779-83 £55

A nonce collection, comprising the first three pieces listed separately by Blake, all with separate titles. The last is *De variolarum refellenda inoculatione*, 1788 Blake 333

499 **Orteschi** (Anna M.G.) **Alcune chiacchiere in risposta a quanto ha detto...Antonio Lizzari sul proposito della costituzione epidemica Veneta degli anni 1761 e 1762.** Title and last leaf of text printed in red, boards, spine worn, Venice, 1764 £95

A furious row; the authoress ends her book with a *protesta dell'autrice* which is suitably printed in red. Blake lists Antonio Lizzari's various works, including several on this Venetian epidemic, and it does not appear that Anna's prayer for silence from her adversary was answered..

500 **Pasta** (A.) **Discorso medico-chirurgico...terza edizione...aggiunta una nuova dissertazione dello stesso.** 2 pt. in one vol., portrait, half vellum, Bergamo, 1757 £65

The second part has a separate title viz. *Dissertazione ...sopra i mestri delle donne*.

501 **Piquer** (Andres) **Praxis medica ad usum Scholae Valentinae.** 2 vol. in one, contemporary mottled calf, gilt spine, a bit worn, Amsterdam, sumptibus societatis, 1775 £30

Originally published in Madrid in 1764

502 **Poliniere** (A.P. Isidore) **Memoire sur...les avantages et les inconveniens repecties des Hopitaux et des secours distribues a domicile aux indigens malades** Original printed wrappers , uncut, spine rather worn, Lyons, 1821 £65

503 **Pozzi** (G.) **Elementi di fisiologia patologica.** 3 vol., portrait, contemporary half roan, bit worn, Milan, 1828-31 £48

504 **Pringle** (Sir John) **Osservazioni sopra le malattie di armata...edizione novissima.** 4to., minor marginal worming, slight foxing, boards, worn and a bit loose, Venice, 1762 £90

A translation of the celebrated *Diseases of the army*, 1752

505 **Prout** (W.) **On the nature and treatment of stomach and renal diseases...fifth edition, revised.** 7 plates (3 coloured by hand), original black cloth, 1849 Churchill Cat. bound at the end, stamp of Bedford Medical library, 1848 £85

Prout was a specialist on the stomach and was the first to show that the gastric juice contains free hydrochloric acid.

506 **Rahn (J.H.) Exercitationum physicarum...sympathie prima(- tertia)** 3 pt. in one vol., rather browned, half vellum, Zurich, 1786-90 £45

A consideration of the effects of physical forces (e.g. magnetism, the moon's gravitation) on human bodies. Each part was a thesis with Rahn as the praeses; a total of 18 respondents are listed on the three titles. *Not in Blake*

507 **Rasori (G.) Pouscoli de medicina clinica.** Contemporary quarter green leather, gilt, Naples, 1832 £40

508 **Roberti (Giovanni Battista) Lettere ...sul prendere, come dicono, l'aria, e il sole.** Pp. lxxxiv, half vellum, [Bologna, 1776 ?] £35

Not in NUC, though two other *Lettere* by Roberti are recorded.

509 **Rondonneau (L.) Code des medecins, chirurgiens et pharmaciens contenant les lois, decrets et actes du gouvernement.** Sm. 8vo., some foxing, original blue wrappers, printed label, uncut, bit worn, Paris, 1809 £90

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510 **Russell (R.) A dissertation on the use of sea-water in the diseases of the glands.** Frontispiece(a grotto with seaweed and coral), 2 plates on one leaf, a rather browned copy, last few leaves dog-eared, calf, rebacked, 1752 £90

511 **Sabatier (R.) De la medecine operatoire.** 3 vol., pp. (iv), xl, 432; (iv), xxxvi, 480; (iv), xxiv, 480, a nice set in contemporary mottled sheep, spines gilt with device of a bird holding a flower, red edges, Paris, Didot le jeune, 1796 £135

Perhaps the first edition, although Blake records two other sets with the imprint Paris 1796 and all three have widely differing collations.

512 **Sabatier (R.B.) De la medecine operatoire...nouvelle edition, faite sous les yeux de M. le Baron Dupuytren...par L.J. Sanson...et L.J. Begin...revue...et augmente.** 4 vol., portrait, half cloth, somewhat worn, stamps of the Norwich & Norfolk medical book society, Paris, 1822-24 £48

513 **Sauvages de la Croix (F.B. de) Tractatus methodici practici.** 2 vol., first few leaves of first vol. waterstained, contemporary vellum, bit soiled, Naples, 1778 £60

Boissier de Sauvages (1706-67) was an animist, a follower of Stahl. The first volume treats of the diseases of children, including rickets, the second of skin diseases.

514 **Sauvages de la Croix (F.B.de) Due dissertazioni fisico-mediche...diverse annotazioni accresciute da Saverio Manetti.** Boards, uncut, spine somewhat worn, Florence, 1754 £45

Translations of *Dissertation ...comment l'air...agit sur le corps humain*, 1753 and *Dissertation sur les medicaments qui affectent certaines parties du corps humain plutot que d'autres*, 1752. Manetti is the same who is credited with the text of the great bird book *Ornithologia methodice digesta*, 5 vol., 1767-76

515 **Scottish lunacy commission . report of H.M.Commissioners appointed to inquire into the state of lunatic asylums in Scotland.** Folding map, folio, recent cloth, wrappers(bit chipped) bound

at end, Edinburgh, 1857

£130

The report of this commission marked the beginning of modern Scottish practice. It was initiated by the horrifying reports of an American lady Dorothea Lynde Fox; see H. & M. pp. 911-12. Also included are 7 annual reports of the general boards of the Commissioners for lunacy in Scotland (nos. 7, 11-14, 16-17, 1865-75; wrappers, mostly rather badly worn).

516 **Scuderi** (Francesco Maria) **Memoria...per servire all intiera e perfetta estinzione derl vajuolo.** Some foxing, inner margin of first and last leaf stained, modern boards, Naples, 1787 £45

517 **Sue** (P.) **Histoire du galvanisme et analyse des differens ouvrages publies sur cette decouverte, depuis son origine jusqu'a ce jour.** 2 vol., folding engraved plate, original pink wrappers, printed labels, uncut, spines somewhat worn but in attractive original condition, Paris, chez Bernard, 1802 £245

An extensive listing and summary of the literature stemming from Galvani's *De viribus electricitatis*, 1792. Bound at the end of Vol. 2 is a 8 pp. Bernard catalogue. This list Sue at 9fr pour Paris, 12fr de port and comments "Ce livre renferme la substance de tout ce qu'on a ecrit sur ce sujet".

518 **Taylor** (A.S.) **Poisoning by strychnia, with comments on the medical evidence given at the trial of William Palmer.** Sewed, title and last few leaves rather dust soiled; inscription from the author to Lord Justice Clerk on title, 1856 £85

Taylor wrote "one of the best-known English texts" (GM) on medical jurisprudence.

519 **Taylor** (Joseph) **Nature the best physician or, a complete domestic herbal.** Pp. 64, viii, engraved frontispiece of a species of epergne adorned with herbs (imprint just trimmed), half calf, bit worn, rebounded, Dean and Munday, (1818) £70

a scarce piece of popular medicine.

520 **Thompson** (Thomas) **Consulti medici sopra diverse malattie.** Contemporary boards, uncut, Pavia, 1792 £60

A translation of *Medical consultations on various diseases*, 1773. Blake, 449, records a German translation but not this Italian one.

521 **Tissot** (S.) **Lettere mediche scritte a vari amici.** Boards, bit worn, Venice, 1777 £40

2 letters to Zimmermann on "on the morbus niger" and a letter to de Haen on inoculation.

522 **Tommasini** (Giacomo) **Lezioni critiche di fisiologia e patologia.** 3 vol., first edition, contemporary quarter green leather, gilt, Naples, 1816 £75

"The last of the great Italian systematists was Giacomo Tommasini (1768-1846) professor of physiology and pathology at Parma (1794) and of clinical medicine at Bologna (1816)" -Castiglioni, 593

523 **Tralles** (B.L.) **De vena jugulari frequentius secanda.** First edition, first few leaves rather badly browned, contemporary sheep, gilt spine repaired, Bratislava & Leipzig, 1735 £35

524 **Tratado sobre os meyo da preservacao da peste.** Title printed in red and black, a crisp copy in modern half calf, Lisbon, 1748 £85

Blake 458

525 Trenti (Carlo, *d'Istia*) **Osservazioni ed operazioni chirurgiche**. Pp. 40, minor stains, original wrappers, (Arezza, c. 1820?) £35

An obscure local production, without imprint; neither the author nor his book are in NUC or BMC. He describes himself as from Istia but also *Professore di Chirurgia in Lucignano*; both are in Tuscany.

526 Trnka (W.) **Historia februm intermittentium...Vol. I de febris intermittibus in genere**. All published, some foxing, bound in two vol., old boards, uncut, Vienna, 1775 £75

Blake 459

527 Underwood (M.) **Trattato sopra le ulcere delle gambe...tradotto, ed accresciuto di note dal dottore Cosmo de Horatiis**. First Italian edition, contemporary half calf, bit worn, Venice, 1803 £65

A translation of *Surgical tracts, containing a treatise upon ulcers of the legs*, 1788; French Spanish and German editions also appeared.

528 Velpeau (A.) **Traite complet d'anatomie chirurgicale...troisieme edition**. Quarter leather, bit worn, Brussels, 1834 £30

Venetian vaccination

529 [Venice, *Magistrato della sanita*] **Terminazione...sopra provveditori e provveditora all sanita**. Fine device of the Lion of St. Mark on title, repeated in smaller form on the four subtitles (this latter cut signed FP), some waterstains but a large copy printed on thick paper, old wrappers, bit loose, [Venice], A. Pinelli, stampatori Ducali, 1768 £90

Prints three pieces by Francesco Vicentini; *Prima (Seconda) memoria...dell' innesto del vajuolo & Diario della inoculazioni* and one by G.B. Paitoni *Relazione dell' inoculazione del vajuolo eseguita in Venezia nel Novembre del 1768*.

530 Vogel (R.A.) **Opuscula medica selecta**. Some browning, 4to., contemporary mottled calf, gilt spine, attractive red paste-paper endpapers, 1768 £45

Vogel (1724-1775) was a physician, botanist and chemist. The subjects of the nine pieces reprinted and updated include the human larynx, the sleep of plants, universal remedies and the increase in weight when certain chemicals are heated.

531 Wells (J.S.) **A treatise on the diseases of the eye...third edition**. 6 chromolithographs printed by Winckelmann & Sohne of Berlin, cloth, bit faded, repaired, several stamps of Bedford Infirmary, 1873 £35

532 White (Charles) **Cases in surgery with remarks. Part the first [all published] to which is added an essay on the ligature of arteries by J. Aikin**. First edition, 7 folding engraved plates, marginal worming in first 20 or so leaves (one large hole a little obtrusive), and later in the book, (but text no affected), from the Bedford Medical library, with several stamps, contemporary sheep, worn, 1770 £165

Contains a reprint of GM 4407 (published in 1762) and GM 4437 "First recorded excision of the head of the humerus". This latter was published in *Phil. Trans* in 1770 the same year as this book so it may be that this text is the first. Probably, however, the paper, which was read before the Royal Soc. in Feb. 1769 would have been available in a few author's offprints before the publication of the complete volume of transactions.

533 **White (W.) An essay on the diseases of the bile...gall-stones.** Half calf, bit worn, bound with two others (A. Walker, Analysis of a course of lectures on natural and experimental philosophy, 6 ed. c. 1780 & R. James, Dissertation on fevers, 4 ed. 1758; but the first cut into, the second crudely repaired), York, C. Etherington, the New Printing Office, 1771 £80

Hunter in colour; Russell resolved.

534 **Wilkes (J., editor) Encyclopaedia Londinensis; Anatomy.** Pp. 525-672, from Vol. 1, comprising the entire section on anatomy, 14 plates engraved by J. Pass, coloured by hand, 4to., contemporary half russia, very worn, signature of Ed. Laurence West on flyleaf, 1796 £920

Very uncommon. The Wellcome and the BL sets are uncoloured (the former lacks pl. 6 and all the 5 uterus plates ; the latter has all the plates but is in poor state) : the BM(NH) set is coloured but lacks all the anatomy plates. The last five plates, separately numbered and titled, illustrate *Anatomy of the gravid uterus* and are after the celebrated drawings prepared by William Hunter and published in his *Anatomy of the human gravid uterus*. These were mostly by van Rymdsdyk, and three of the present plates are credited to him. The text claims "Dr. Hunter has favoured us with an elegant dissection, which we have represented in plate V...the arteries and veins, and most of the different vessels, were injected with wax, and are now in Dr. Hunter's collection...". Hunter died in 1783 leaving much work uncompleted. The text to his great atlas was not published until 1794, edited by his nephew, Mathew Baillie. Several of his pupils published material which was certainly inspired by his example and teaching (e.g. William Cruikshank, John Sheldon). Perhaps one of these three was responsible for the anatomy in the *Ency. Lond.* (there is no statement of responsibilities in the work itself). Russell 455a cites one set and one partial set of the plates ("The publishing history of these plates is not known"). He describes imprint dates of 1796, 1803 & 1807(his set must be a re-issue; all our plates are dated 1796). This being the case the Wilkes plates could be renumbered as Russell 452a, following immediately after the first edition of Hunter's *Gravid Uterus*. No coloured copies of this are known; the present plates are certainly an important supplement to it.

AGRICULTURE

535 **Campbell (Alexander, of Ormidale) A short treatise upon the improvement of planted timber trees, and natural growing woods over Scotland at large; Observation upon apple trees prior to the present century and continued till the year 1798.** 2 pieces, mss. on paper, 14, 8 leaves, together with about another 20 leaves of associated mss. including short treatises on hay, potatoes, and local grazing rights, c. 1799-1810 £65

Ormidale, at the head of Loch Riddon, Argyllshire. Campbell seems to have been the laird of Ormidale. In his introduction to the first treatise he explains how he planted no trees till he was forty but in his youth saw many planted that were wasted. His short instructions were written to give the benefit of his experience and avoid such waste.

536 **Curtis (W.) Practical observations on the British grasses...fourth edition...to which is now added a short account of the diseases in corn...by Sir Joseph Banks.** 6 coloured plates of grasses by Curtis, and a folding coloured plate of corn blight after Francis Bauer, modern half calf, 1805 £100

First publication of the treatise by Banks, with the fine plate by one of the greatest botanical artists.

537 **Dana (S.L.) Manures; a prize essay.** Library cloth, bound with a few others (not germane), Lowell [Mass.], 1844 £20

538 **Daubenton (L.) Instruction pour les bergers et pour les propriétaires de troupeaux.** 21 engraved plates showing anatomy and shepherds at work, the latter in an attractive style (reminiscent of the Buffon plates) with landscape backgrounds, wrappers, uncut, bit worn and loose, 1782 £220

539 [Dickson (A.)] **A treatise of agriculture.** 2 folding engraved plates of ploughs, some foxing, contemporary calf, spine browned and hinges cracked, Edinburgh, 1762 £200

The molecatcher's vocabulary

540 Dralet [E.F.] **L'art du taupier...treizieme edition depuis l'an VII.** Pp. 24, folding engraved plate of molehills and tunnels, title repaired with loss of a few letters, modern half calf, Paris, A.J. Marchant, [c. 1820?] £68

NUC records a 10th ed. 1806, a 14th ed. 1824 & a 15th ed. 1829 in a total of 5 copies. The vocabulary occupies 2 pages. *Not in Rothamsted or Perkins.*

541 **Editor of the "Indian Tea Gazette" The tea cyclopaedia.** 5 hand-coloured lithographs after drawings by S.E. Peal, stamp on title, minor soiling, half leather, rebacked, Calcutta, E.C. Lazarus, 1881 £130

A preliminary version of the *Vademecum*, though still running to over 350pp.

542 **Editor of the "Indian Tea Gazette" The tea planter's vade mecum...tea blight, tea cultivation and manufacture, tea machinery, timbers for boxes...steam engines in tea facto ries.** Minor marginal worming, half roan, somewhat worn and stained but not too bad, date erased from title, Calcutta, published at the office of the Tea Gazette, [1885] £120

Includes allsorts of recondite information, including the manufacture of Thibetan Brick Tea, and brief accounts of tea in Fiji, New Zealand, Javan, and the United States. The *Indian Tea Gazette* was founded in 1877 but there is no run listed in Bucop nor a copy in the BL; we have not succeeded in identifying the editor.

543 Ellsworth (H.W.) **Valley of the Upper Wabash, Indiana, with hints on its agricultural advantages.** 3 folding lithograph plates (2 of agricultural machinery, one of farmhouses), engraved folding map, coloured in outline (Mitchell's, 1835, several small tears without loss), original cloth, repaired, label cut away, cloth case, New York, 1838 £165

544 Henslow (*Rev. J.S.*) **Report on the diseases of wheat, London, 1841;An address to landlords on the advantages...of a spade tenantry, Hadleigh & London, 1845;Suggestions towards an enquiry into...the labouring population of Suffolk, Hadleigh, etc.,[1844]; Letters to the farmers of Suffolk, London & Hadleigh, [1843]** In one vol., recent half morocco, 1841-45 £90

Hadleigh was six miles from Hitcham, Henslow's parish in Suffolk. For an account of his scientific and educational work in the parish see Russell-Gebbett, *Henslow of Hitcham*, 1977. The book does not have a consolidated bibliography; it is, however, clear that these local pamphlets are very uncommon. None are in Rothamsted; Perkins has only the Letters.

545 Huepsch ([J.W.C.A.,] *Baron de*) **Relation de la decouverte d'un remede efficace...contre la maladie contagieuse des betes a cornes.** Text and title in French and German, original patterned wrappers, rebacked; Royal Soc. duplicate with stamp, Cologne, 1776 £75

Bound with two other pieces by Hupsch, viz.; *Description d' une machine...a detruire...les fourmis*, engraved frontispiece, Cologne, 1777 & *Eclaircissements sur l'usage & les effets du medicament contre l'hydropisie*, 2 leaves, folded, c. 1770. *Not found in NUC*

546 [Huzard (J.B.)] **Instructions sur les soins a donner aux chevaux, pour les conserver en sante...imprimees par ordre du Comite de Salut publique...An II. ;Instruction sur l'amelioration des chevaux en France...imprimee pare ordre du Ministre de l'Interieur...imprimerie de Madame Huzard...An X.** 2 vol. in one, Convent stamp and inscription

on titles, minor waterstains, calf, rather worn and scraped, Paris, 1794-1802 £105

547 **Instruction pour les gens de la campagne sur la maniere d'élever les troupeaux de moutons.** Pp. 32, original drap wrappers, Paris & Brussels, veuve Pion, 1785 £30

548 **Jennings (James) A practical treatise on the history, medical properties, and cultivation of tobacco.** Boards, soiled and a bit worn, rather sketchy cloth reback, 1830 £85

Near contemporary ownership inscription of B Nappa & C. Hewitt, Kissing Point, County Cumberland, New South Wales and a one page ms. note on *Growing tobacco in New South Wales.*

549 **Johnstone (J.) An account of the mode of draining land according to the system practised by Mr. Joseph Elkington. second edition, corrected and enlarged.** 19 folding engraved plates(blank margin of the last a bit sefective), minor soiling, boards, uncut, rebacked with cloth, 1801 £75

550 **Juglar Aine Le triomphe de l'Acacia...la culture de ce bel arbre... usages de son bois.** Folding engraved frontispiece, by Choffard after Rabillon, stamp on title, slight waterstaining, perhaps lacking a half title, modern boards, Paris, 1808 £45

Arnold Arboretum I, 377 does not mention the plate; their copy is the only one listed in NUC.

551 **Kent (N.) Hints to gentlemen of landed property.** 10 folding engraved plates(2 of field plans, 8 of agricultural housing), few letters on last leaf made good in ms., calf, antique, 1775 £110

552 **Lasteyrie (C.P.) Histoire de l'introduction des moutons a laine fine d'Espagne dans les divers etats de l'Europe et au Cap de Bonne-Esperance.** Engraved plate showing ear nicks, folding table, contemporary tree calf, spine browned, joints cracked, bookplate of Lord Newark, Paris, 1802 £185

553 **Paxton (Jonas) & Castle (G.),auctioneers. A collection of farm and agricultural auction sale catalogues issued by Paxton & Castle and successors(the firm finally ends as Paxton & Holiday)**, 31 pieces, ranging from a single sheet poster to 12pp. catalogue, sewed or folded, generally in good condition, Bicester, 1868-1908 £160

Includes farm sales (William Lepper, Stratton Audley; Fleet Farm, Adderbury; Kirtlington Park Farm; Mrs. Bomford of Fyfield, nr. Abingdon), stock sales (Oxford Downs, Royal Prize Flock; Oxfordshire Great Ram Fair; L. P. Fowler's Alderney and Guernsey heifers) and timber sales, all taking place in the same comparatively small area.

554 **Rocque (B.) A practical treatise on cultivating lucern grass, 1765.II. A. de Bornholz. De la culture des truffles, Paris, 1826. III. W. Curtis. Directions for cultivating the...sea kale, 1799. IV.J. Abercrombie. The garden mushroom; its nature and cultivation, 1779** 6 vol. in one, (includes a 19th. Cent. pamphlet on maize, and a copy of Henrey 558 lacking the plate), some soiling, half title to first item repaired, 19th. Cent. half morocco, collected together by AS (or SA) with his acquisitions notes in mid century. £420

I. The second enlarged edition. Henrey 1276(2 copies)

II. The German original appeared in 1825. Schliemann 155.

III. With a hand-coloured plate after Sydenham Edwards. Curtis pioneered the use of kale in Great Britain. Henrey 593 (2 copies).

IV. Henrey 384

555 **Rooke (Hayman) Descriptions and sketches of some remarkable oaks in the park at Welbeck...seat of His Grace the Duke of Portland.** 10 plates engraved by W. Ellis after drawings by the author, 4to., boards, spine very worn, few other illustrations of trees added at end in a pocket, J. Nichols, 1790 £135

556 [Rose (Louis)] **La bonne fermiere, ou elemens economiques utiles aux jeunes personnes destinees a cet etat...revue, corigee & augmentee.** Title browned, brown half morocco of c. 1920, Lille, 1766 £75

557 **Royal Agricultural Society of England. A catalogue of the various agricultural implements, machines and other articles...manures, seeds, roots, &c., exhibited at the Society's show at Northampton, July...1847(York July...1848).** 2 vol..pp., 192, 226, interleaved throughout, half calf, rubbed, 1847-48 £175

These copies belonged to H.S. Thompson, of Moat Hall, Boroughbridge, W. Yorks., who was one of the three (or four, in 1848) stewards as printed on the titles. There are a number of pencil notes by him on the judging and other matters. These are mostly rather scrappy and it must be admitted that the great majority of the interleaves are blank.

558 **Todaro (A.) Relazione sulla cultura dei cotonei in Italia. Tavole[only]** Fine titlepage in gold and colours on a black ground, with the names of illustrious cotton botanists forming a border, 12 plates (10 coloured, 2 tinted) lithographed by C. Visconti of Palermo after drawings by A. Ficarrota and others, folio, original quarter cloth, bit worn and soiled, the Royal Society of Edinburgh copy, Rome & Palermo, 1877-78 £300

The plates only, without the text. The coloured title is very striking. Stafleu 14.669 gives a full collation.

559 **Young (Arthur, editor) Annals of agriculture, Vol. 1-18.** Plates, 16 vol. a good set in contemporary half calf, rubbed but vol. 6 & 15 in non-uniform half calf and quite badly stained the first of these vol. with fraying and marginal defects, the second vol. getting worse towards the end and the last six leaves defective with loss of text, London or Bury St. Edmonds, 1784-92 £155

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560 **Acharius (E.) Lichenographia universalis.** 14 hand-coloured plates, a somewhat foxed copy, 2 stamps on title, contemporary tree calf, rebacked, bit worn, Gottingen, 1810 £425

561 **Babington (C. C.) Flora bathoniensis...plants indigenous to the vicinity of Bath.** Contemporary half cloth, printed label, bit stained, Bath & Bristol, 1834 £75

562 **Bidie (George) Report on Neilgherry Lorantheous parasitical plants destructive to exotic forest and fruit trees.** Pp. 18, 15 folding plates, lithographed by T. Thagarajoo and printed by R.J. Baldrey of the Govt. Lithographic Press, Fort St. George, after drawing by P. Sashia Rajoo, 4to., cloth, bit worn and loose, Madras, E. Keys, Government Press, 1874 £180

Very rare; not in Stafleu, Nissen or BM(NH). NUC records 2 copies.

563 **Billberg (G.J.) Ekonomisk botanik.** Pt. 1-2, all published, 12 attractive hand-coloured plates by Palmstruch, a fine set in original printed wrappers, Stockholm, 1816 £140

An attempted re-issue of part of the *Svensk botanik*, but only these two parts appeared. Not in Nissen

564 **Blackwell (A.)**— A genuine copy of a letter from a merchant in Stockholm to his correspondent in London, containing an impartial account of Dr. Alexander Blackwell Pp. 16, with a woodcut of the execution (wormed in the block; probably reused many times), modern wrappers, from the Fry collection of herbals at the Taylorian, with release stamp, Dublin, J. Kinneir, 1747 £90

The execution of Dr. Blackwell left his wife destitute; she recovered her fortunes by undertaking Blackwell's Herbal. On the Fry collection see D.J. Gilson's article (*Bookcollector*, 1973, 44-62); it does not include a Blackwell. Of this pamphlet ESTC has only the London edition, H. Carpenter, [1747].

565 **Braithwaite (R.)** **The Sphagnaceae or peat-mosses of Europe and North America.** 29 hand-coloured lithographs, cloth, 1880 £90

566 **Britton (N.) & Rose (J.)** **The Cactaceae.** 4 vol., 108 coloured plates, mostly after drawings by Mary Eaton, numerous other illustrations, half leather, wrappers bound in, bit chipped, Washington, 1919-23 £900

Original and best edition; it has been reprinted at least twice, but both times with monochrome plates.

567 **Brown (Robert)** **The miscellaneous botanical works.** 2 vol. (text), one vol. (atlas), 38 engraved plates, cloth, the atlas in half cloth, rebakced, Ray Soc., 1866-68 £325

Edited by J.J. Bennett who was Brown's assistant and close friend until his death in 1858. Some 44 different pieces are reprinted including the general remarks on Australian flora from Flinder's voyage; the first 10 plates are printed from the original coppers of that book.

568 **Bryant (C.)** **Flora diaetetica: or, history of esculent plants.** Some light waterstains, calf, sides worn, rebacked, 1783 £75

569 **Burkill (I.H.)** **A working list of the flowering plants of Baluchistan.** Wrappers, worn, several library stamps, Calcutta, 1909 £22

570 **Burmah (J.)** **Thesaurus zeylanicus.** Portrait of the author and 111 engraved plates, 4to., an uncut copy in contemporary quarter calf, spine very worn, marbled paper on sides defective, Amsterdam, 1737 £1200

An attractive series of plates of the plants of Ceylon. The author had some help from Linnaeus when preparing the text, and used extensively the herbarium of P. Hermann. At the end is a separate list of plants from the Cape, which Herman visited on his way to Ceylon. *Stafleu 928; Hunt 501*

571 **Cabbage (R.H.)** **Notes on the botany of the interior of New South Wales.** 7 pt. in one vol., map, plates, cloth, loose in case, offprint from Proc. Lonn. Soc. N.S.W., 1900-02 £50

572 **Candolle (A.P. de)** **Astragalogia... historia iconibus illustrata.** Large paper folio edition, 50 engraved plates after Redoute, lacking the half title, small library blind stamp on most margins, occasionally straying onto printed surface, considerable foxing, waterstains (mostly marginal) at beginning, old cloth, worn, Paris, 1802 £245

A working copy. *Stafleu 984*

573 **Candolle (A.P. de)** **Theorie elementaire de la botanique... seconde edition, revue et augmentee.** Half calf, gilt spine, bit worn, Paris, 1819 £40

574 **Cooke (M.C.) Illustrations of British fungi (Hymenomycetes).** 8 vol. bound in 7, 1198 chromolithographs, half calf by J. W. Jackman of Leeds, each plate guarded, the binding a bit worn and cumbersome, but sound, 1881-91 £1700

Although the set looks a bit odd it is very practical to use; cloth sets tend to split their perfect bindings.

575 **Correvoon (H.) Fleurs des champs et des bois, des haies et des murs.** 100 coloured plates by S. Rivier, half purple morocco, spine faded, Geneva, 1911 £40

Nissen 409

576 **Correvoon (H.) La flore alpine.** First edition, 100 coloured plates by P. Robert, half purple morocco, spine faded, Geneva, [1908] £50

Nissen 411

577 **Dietrich (D.) Synopsis plantarum...ad modum Persoonii elaborata.** 5 vol., one title backed and repaired, half cloth, three vol. rebacked, Weimar, 1839-52 £145

Pritzel took a dim view of Dietrich – “Ein vielschreiber in Jena, der deutschen Buchoz” he wrote, at a time when his victim was still alive.

578 **Dillenius (J.J.) Historia muscorum.** One of 200 copies on ordinary Royal paper, 85 engraved plates, 4to., diced russia, rebacked, Oxford, 1741 £475

First edition, limited to 250 copies, with the limitation notice in Latin on last page (a very early example – the earliest? – of this practice). This copy belonged to James Brodie of Brodie (1744-1824, botanist, M.P. and dedicatee of Hooker's *Musci exotici*) and has numerous notes in his hand. These include an exultant purchase note on title “Bought in London 1800, price £7 value 20 & more”, and an inserted 12 pp. ms. *Dillenius's Mosses applied to the System of Linnaeus – From Sir Jos: Banks Copy & my collection & Observations.*

579 **Dykes (W.) The genus Iris.** 48 coloured plates, recent half cloth, ex-lib. copy with perforated stamp on title and indelible stamp on plates (not very large but touching most figures), Cambridge, 1913 £125

A working copy.

580 **Fairchild (David) The chinese wood-oil tree.** Offprint, 3 plates, library cloth, bound with others, Washington, 1913 £16

581 **Fee (A.) Essai sur les cryptogames des ecorces exotiques officinales, precede d'une methode lichenographique.** 2 pt. in one vol., folding table, 34 plates (33 coloured by hand), 4to., without the supplementary second part published in 1837 with another 7 plates, half leather, bit worn, Paris, Firmin Didot, 1824 £185

582 **Fuchs (L.) De historia stirpium.** First edition, device on title, portrait of the author, portrait of the artists and the woodcutter, 512 magnificent woodcuts of plants, minor waterstains at beginning, last leaf rather noticeably waterstained, two illustrations (on pp. 484, 489) partly coloured by hand, folio, 17th. Cent. half calf, rather worn but sound, Basle, 1542 £12,250

A sound copy of this great work.

583 **Gaertner (J. & C.F.) De fructibus et seminibus plantarum.** 4 vol. in three, 225 engraved plates, clean tear in one plate mended, minor foxing and dust soiling, late 19th. Cent. half calf, bit worn, Stuttgart, 1788- Tubingen, 1791 – Leipzig, 1805-07 £1250

A complete copy with all the supplements; rare in this state. Gaertner's monumental study of seeds and fruits was partly posthumous and finished by his son. The scope was universal; Gaertner worked on Thunberg's South African material, for instance, and spent months in London studying Cook material in the Banks collection. "in the course of this study of some 1050 genera, about fifty of them new, Gaertner called attention to an enormous range of hitherto neglected or unknown characters of fruits and seeds..." Hunt, ciii. *Staffeu* 1925 & 1921

584 **Gerard (J.) The herball or generallo historie of plantes...very much enlarged and amended by Thomas Johnson.** Engraved title (minor repair, slight fraying), over 1000 woodcuts of plants, minor stains, last leaf repaired without loss, 18th. Cent. diced russia, g.e., rebounded, bit worn, 1636 £1375

A sound copy of the second edition of Johnson's Gerard.

585 **Gmelin (J.G.) Flora siberica.** 4 vol. in two, 4to.,(text), one vol. folio, (atlas), 274 (of 286) engraved plates, lacking pl.88-98 in Vol. 2 and pl. 7 in vol. 4, all the plates bound unfolded in folio, contemporary English red morocco, spines faded, bound for Thomas Forster, (1761-1825, naturalist), with his signature on flyleaves, and his private library stamp with coat of arms on titles, St. Petersburg, 1747-69 £1500

The plates are usually bound folded with the text; we have not before seen a copy in the present form. The plates are rather a nightmare, particularly in vol. 3 & 4 where they are most irregularly numbered; see *Staffeu*. Other copies occur less than complete; Hunt 53 for instance lacks the 4th volume entirely. *Staffeu* 2047 (complete); Hunt 531 (incomplete)

586 **Hart (J.) A botanist's ramble in central America; or, a trip to the mainland.** Wrappers, bit worn, Jamaica, M.C. deSouza, 1886 £35

587 **Haworth (A.H.) Synopsis plantarum succulentarum...usui hortorum Germaniae accomodata.** Second edition, boards, uncut, minor foxing but a good copy, Nuremberg, 1819 £375
German version of this classic work on succulents, first published in London in 1812. This edition was edited by Franz von Schrank the well known Bavarian botanist. *Staffeu* 2490

588 **Heathcote (E.D.) Flowers of the Engadine.** 224 hand-coloured plates, cloth, bit worn and soiled, Winchester, 1891 £145

589 **Hedwig (J.) Theoria generationis et fructificationis plantarum cryptogamicarum Linnaei.** 37 folding hand-coloured plates, 4to., modern half morocco, St. Petersburg, 1784 £550
Staffeu 2526

590 **Hiern (W.P.) a.o. Catalogue of the African plants collected by Dr. Friedrich Welwitsch in 1853-61.** 6 vol., portrait (added), half cloth, the North Devon Athenaeum copy, with stamps, 1896-1901 £120

591 **Hill** (Sir John) **Virtues of British herbs**. 3 pt. in one vol., 20 (of 31) engraved plates, boards, uncut, rebacked, 1770-72 £40

Lacks all the plates to pt. 2 and possibly a part title or two. This is a very variable book; our copy is nearest to Henrey's 839(only one copy cited) but without mention of "Fourth edition". It collates as follows; title to No 1, pp. v- x, 11- 54, index and directions to binder (1 leaf), 59-106, index of plants, diseases (2 leaves), half title to No. 3, title to No. 3, pp.1- 50, index of herbs and diseases (1 leaf).

592 **Hooker** (Sir William J.) **Musci exotici**. 2 vol., 226 hand-coloured plates, some waterstains, but not too bad, half green morocco, 1818-20 £475

A curiously scarce book, especially in coloured state.

593 **Hooker** (W.J.) **British jungermanniae**. 88 hand-coloured plates, 4to., a slightly soiled copy, stamp erased from title which has a blotched inscription dated 1934, half morocco, worn, 1816 £575

594 **Host** (N.T.) **Synopsis plantarum in Austria**. Few light waterstains, contemporary boards, sometime rebacked with paper, worn, Vienna, 1797 £100

An important flora of the area. Host had a court appointment and later, with imperial patronage, produced the standard account of Austrian grasses . *Stafleu 3066*

595 [**Jackson** (Maria E.)] **Sketches of the physiology of vegetable life**. 14 engraved plates, boards, uncut, a nice copy but bottom portion of backstrip missing, from thomas Knight's library at Downton Castle and with old pencil note on endpaper listing those pages where the ingenious Mr. Knight is quoted, 1811 £35

596 **Jacquin** (N.J. von) **Selectarum stirpium Americanarum historia**. Vignette on title (a fanciful depiction of the landfall of Columbus), 184 engraved plates, folio, quite large wormhole in blank margin of first few leaves, some waterstains and last few plates cockled , contemporary calf, gilt spine, bit worn and stained, Vienna, 1763 £900

A second rate copy. *Stafleu 3243*

597 **Johann Baptist**, *Archduke of Austria*. [**Icones plantarum alpinorum; Alpenpflanzen.**] 12 plates only, hand-coloured stipple engravings by Johann Knapp ,minor marginal creases and tiny tears, old wrappers with ms. label, [Vienna, c. 1807] £375

A fragment of this very rare work on the alpine plants of Austria which was never given proper publication. Under the direction of the Archduke some 300 drawings were produced of which perhaps 85 were engraved. *Stafleu* lists althogther 4 sets with 85, 51, 36 & 33 plates; it appears from the label that our portfolio once also contained this latter number. No text or title was ever published. *Stafleu 3362*

598 **Kerchove de Denterghem** (O. de) **Les palmiers**. 40 chromolithograph plates, some foxing, modern cloth, 1878 £400

599 **Leydolt** (F.) **Die Plantaginen in Bezug auf die naturhistorische Spezies**. Folding lithographic plates, thin 4to., boards, spine worn. Vienna ,[1837] £20

Stafleu 4482 gives details of publication; this is the trade edition identical to the thesis except for the title and issued in the same month.

600 Lindley (J.) **Rosarum monographia; or, a botanical history of roses.** 18 coloured and 1 plain plate, half calf, bit worn, 1820 £650

601 Link (H.F.) **Elementa philosophiae botanicae.** 4 engraved plates(2 loose), boards, uncut, from the Downton Castle sale, Berlin, 1824 £25

Staffeu 4696

602 Linnaeus (C.) **A system of vegetables...translated from the thirteenth edition...by a botanical society at Lichfield.** 2 vol., recent cloth, uncut, with both half titles and the list of vulgar names (which has a separate title), Lichfield, 1783 £225

The botanical society comprised Sir Brooke Boothby, John Jackson, the publisher, and Erasmus Darwin. This is the first complete translation into English, of the botanical portion of the *Systema naturae*; it is taken from the 13th edition of 1774 by then titled *Systema vegetabilium*. Two or three copies are known of a preliminary issue of Vol. 1 dated 1782 and without a vol. number on title. Many people were consulted about the translation including Samuel Johnson who advised on the formation of English botanical terms, and Linnaeus the younger who sent proof sheets of the *Supplementum. Soulsby 580a*

603 Marchlewski (L.) **Die Chemie des Chlorophylls.** 2 plates, call no. on title, library cloth, bound with others, Hamburg & Leipzig, 1895 £25

Marchlewski was the pioneer in the investigation of chlorophyll; see the account in DSB (IX, 95-6) though it is there suggested that his first paper on the subject dates from 1897.

604 Meyer (G.F.W.) **Chloris hanoverana oder...Übersicht der im Königreiche Hannover...Gewächse und Farn.** Minor browning, 4to., half calf, repaired, Gottingen, 1836 £90

Staffeu 5933

Early Ecology

605 Meyer (G.F.W.) **Die Verheerungen der Innerste im Fürstenthume Hildesheim.** 2 vol., 2 folding tables, 2 folding lithograph plates (one. of soil profiles, coloured by hand), original green or blue wrappers, printed with an alternative title ("Erste Anlage zur Flora des Königreichs Hannover"), a bit worn but sound, Gottingen, 1822 £225

Staffeu , 5931, quotes a third alternative title under which the book is sometimes found (Meyer's bibliographical arrangements seem to have been a bit confused), He also comments "One of the earliest phytosociological and ecological treatises."

606 Meyer (G.F.W.) **Flora des Königreichs Hannover, Angewandter Theil Untersuchung der einzelnen Vegetabilien. Erster Theil.** All published, 3 folding lithographic plates, half calf, bit worn, Gottingen, 1837 £165

Intended as the applied portion of the flora but, like the folio, the work remained unfinished. *Staffeu 5934*

607 Meyer (G.F.W.) **Flora des Königreichs Hannover.** 8 pt. in three vol., coloured vignette title and 30 plates, partly colour printed and partly hand-coloured, white on one or two plates oxidised, light marginal stains on last few plates, text a little browned, several old library stamps on titles showing that the book was once an official copy, which shuffled about different ministries of Hannover, folio, recent half vellum, Gottingen, 1842-54 £3750

An ambitious flora, the preparations for which started under William IV (of Hannover and Great Britain) who was its first patron. The work was cut short by the death of the author in 1856. Despite the listed defects this is a decent copy. *Stafleu 5935 (though in collation of 3th. 6 hft for 26 read 27)*

608 Meyer (G.F.W.) **Flora Hanoverana excursoria...phanerogamiscen Gewachse Norddeutschlands in der Flussgebieten der Ems, Weser und Unterelbe.** Half calf, bit worn, Gottingen, 1849 £180

As the major flora was never completed this shorter excursion flora has a particular interest.

609 Moon (Alexander) **A catalogue of the indigenous and exotic plants growing in Ceylon...with a sketch of the divisions of genera and species in use amongst the Singhalese.** Worn on a number of leaves neatly repaired, affecting a few letters, stamp on title, half calf, rebaked, Colombo, Wesleyan Mission Press, 1824 £850

A very uncommon book. The collation is rather involved; our copy is complete and agrees with Stafleu except that he calls for 3 leaves of Latin index where there should be two. Botanically the book is apparently " a rather unsatisfactory performance" but is particularly interesting for its use of indigenous resources. *Stafleu 6264*

610 Oelhafius (N.) **Elenchus plantarum circa...Dantiscum sua sponte nascentium.** 2 (of 3?) engraved plates, ms. letter T added before the signature H, old boards, rebaked, bit worn, [Danzig], 1656 £90

Pritzel 6804 and NUC call for 3 plates but Dryander III, 171 for 2; as he is generally very accurate we assume that the Banks copy conforms to this one. Not in Stafleu.

611 Orta (Garcia da) & Monardes (N.) **Dell'istoria de i semplici aromati...dall'Indie Orientali. ..Indie Occidentali.** 26 woodcuts, mostly of spices (mace, cardomon, pepper, etc.) but including also an armadillo, some browning, a decent but probably made- up copy in a vellum binding from a 16th. Cent. ms., Venice, Z. Zenaro, 1605 £485

Annibale Briganti's translation of Orta's *Coloquios dos simples...da India* and Monardes' treatise on the medical plants of America, the first complete edition of which was published in 1574.

612 Pabst (G.) & Mueller (O.) **Cryptogamen-flora...Cryptogamen Deutschlands.** 3 pt. in one vol., 34 plates, stamp on title, folio, cloth, bit worn and loose, Gera, 1875-77 £110

Comprises Pt. I Flechten with 12 uncoloured lithographs; Pt. II Pilze with 25 coloured, or partly coloured lithographs; Pt. III Die Lebermoose, with a plain plate of detail and 8 partly coloured lithographs. Stafleu 7175 & 7176 lists the 3rd part separately and remarks "Asher(Cat. 14 no 135, 1974) offered a complete copy at D. fl. 950 US \$ 400"; this latter would appear to have been one of the less successful 15 year speculations, or perhaps this copy is cheap.

613 Palisot de Beauvois (A.M.) **Flore d'Oware et de Benin en Afrique. Vol. 1 pt. 1-5 only** 30 plates, printed in colours and finished by hand, after J.G. Pretre and B. Mirbel, some foxing, near contemporary quarter green leather, gilt, little worn and scraped, booklabels of Chas. Puls, pharmacist at Ghent and the Powis library, 1804 (-05) £450

About a quarter of the work only, which ran to two vol. with 120 plates. Stafleu 7212 gives a full account and collation; apparently only 200 copies were issued.

614 Persoon (C.H.) **Traite sur les champignons comestibles** 4 hand-coloured plates, on 2 leaves, few waterstains, original pink wrappers, printed label, uncut, somewhat worn, Paris, 1818 £140

Stafleu (7734) comments on the nomenclatural and taxonomic importance of the work.

615 **Ray (J.) *Catalogus plantarum Angliae...editio secunda***. 2 engraved plates, signatures of Sam. Williams 1684 and Cuthbert Tunstall 1712 (price 1s 6d), 18th. Cent bookplate of his son William Constable (CT inherited the Burton Constable estate in 1718 and changed his name) and a typical binding viz. contemporary calf, spine gilt in the 18th. Cent. (illustration in Graham Pollard's article in *The Library*, 1956), later in Richard Freeman's collection with a note that the plates may have been added from another copy, 1677 £450

The joints are cracking otherwise the book is in good condition. There is an 18th. Cent. note on the front pastedown on the Sycamore which is probably in Tunstall's hand.

616 **Ray (John) *Catalogus plantarum Angliae...editio secunda***. Without the 2 engraved plates, some browning, few minor holes, title backed and blank margin of last leaf strengthened, but a decent copy, contemporary sheep, rebaked, 1677 £160

Inscription on title of S. Harris, Peterhouse College Cambridge, and a number of ms. notes in his hand. In the early part of the book the notes have been partly erased (probably recoverable with care) but in the latter half they are quite clear. Harris seems to have been botanising in and around Cambridge viz. "in a close near Trumpington by ye River" (Sneezewort) or "by the ditchside that goes from our gardens to the river" (presumably the College gardens; marsh saxifrage) or " by the side of a causeway beyond Shelford" (black Mullein).

617 **Reuss (G.C.) *Pflanzenblätter in Naturdruck***. Printed title, 42 plates with upwards of 500 nature prints of leaves, in green, folio, half red leather, bit worn, Stuttgart, [1870] £200

Lacks the text vol. published in 1869. The nature printing is of good quality. The plate caption is "Kupferdruck von J. Niederbuhl".

The foundations of a new science

618 **Saussure (T. de) *Recherches chimiques sur la vegetation***. Stamp on title, old half cloth, Paris, 1804 £105

" This work, which took seven years to write, laid the foundations of a new science, phytochemistry " – DSB XII, 124

619 **Schmidel (C.C) *Descriptio itineris per Helvetiam, Galliam et Germaniae***. 2 hand-coloured plates by J.F. Volckart of Nuremberg, 4to., original drab wrappers, uncut, bit worn and stained, Erlangen, 1794 £265

Not in Nissen; the two plates are of seaweed. The journey took place in 1773-74. >

620 **Schmidt (F.) *Reisen in Amur-lande und auf der Insel Sachalin... botanischer Theil***[only]. 8 lithographic plates, 2 folding maps, folio, half leather, the de Candolle copy with doublet label, Leningrad, 1868 £200

Staffeu 10.886

621 **Smith (Sir James E.) *A grammar of botany...to which is added a reduction of all the genera contained in the catalogue of North American plants...by the Henry Muhlenberg***. 21 lithographic plates (18 coloured by hand), some foxing, several captions just trimmed, contemporary American mottled sheep, gilt spine, front joint repaired, New York, 1822 £120

The first American book with lithographic plates. As the preface states they were drawn by Stansbury and lithographed by Barnet & Doolittle of New York.

622 **Smith** (*Sir* James Edward) **Exotic botany...new, beautiful or rare plants as are worthy of cultivation in the gardens of Britain.** 2 vol., large paper, 120 fine hand-coloured plates by James Sowerby, a very nice set in contemporary straight-grain citron morocco, gilt, gilt edges, a little worn, 1804-05 £5000

A most imposing work. In the more usual small paper version the plates are folded and sewed down the fold which detracts from their appearance. The plants figured come from many exotic locations but Australia and South Africa are particularly well represented. *Stafleu 12.244; Nissen 1858*

Nature printed snakes

623 **Smith** (Henry) **Specimens of nature printing from unprepared plants, etc. etc.** Title printed in gold, dedication partly printed in gold, 100 nature printed plates, mostly in black but a few in green, two with the flower coloured in red by hand, guarded, mounted back to back as usual, folio, half calf, repaired, original printed label (bit worn) on front cover, Madras, Fort Saint George Gazette Press, 1857 £1300

A rare work; Fischer 100 records copies in his own collection and NY Botanic Garden. My suggestion (Maggs cat. 1077, 174) that this copy was unusual in having a gilt title and dedication (& might therefore be the dedication copy) is certainly incorrect. Other copies have the gilt also.

624 **Sowerby** (J.) **Coloured figures of English fungi.** An imperfect set, bound in two vol., 374(of 400) hand- coloured plates, lacking pls. 201-2, 209, 223, 225, 375 and 381-400 and with the text up to pl. 373 but not beyond, also lacking the supplement (pl. 400- 440), half calf, 1797-99 £374

625 **Sowerby** (J.) & **Smith** (*Sir* James) **English botany...third edition.** 7 vol., all published, 1576 plates, partly coloured by hand (as is correct), original cloth, faded and a bit worn, [1847] -54 £575

A scarce re-issue of the second edition of which only this part, comprising the complete flowering plants, was issued. The plates are from the original coppers, and are re-arranged in systematic order.

626 **Spach** (E.) **Histoire naturelle des vegetaux.Phanerogames.** 15 vol. in 8, 152 plates, all but 17 of which (plates of detail) are coloured or partly coloured by hand, some foxing, minor waterstains, contemporary half cloth, rubbed, 1834-48 £750

The plates have considerable charm. The cryptogamic section suggested by the title does not exist.

627 **Thornton** (R.J.) **New illustrations of the sexual system of Linnaeus.Pt. 1-8 [only].** 32 engraved plates, including portraits of botanists, plant anatomy, and "Cupid inspiring the Plants with love", without the coloured plates or the frontispiece, but the original part issue wrappers in pale green with a pink printed label (but last part with backstrip split, first part lacking front wrapper, back wrapper a non uniform marbled paper, 5 plates loose and slightly frayed and perhaps belonging to another part not present here), folio, 1799- 1801 £150

A remarkable survival. Loosely inserted in pt. 5 is a 4pp. printed announcement of its publication . This contains a good deal of information including the fact that 800 copies were printed of which 765 had been sold.

628 **Todaro** (A.) **Hortus botanicus panormitanus. ..tomus primus [only].** 24 coloured plates, lithographed by C. Visconti of Palermo after A. Ficarrota, verso of one plate soiled, other minor soiling, folio, binder's cloth, the Royal Society of Edinburgh copy, Palermo, 1876-78 £180

The first volume only; the work was completed with a second volume in 1892. *Stafleu 14.666* gives a complete collation.

629 **Turner** (Dawson) **Muscologiae Hibernicae spicilegium**. 16 hand-coloured plates, diced calf, joints cracked, Yarmouth, 1804 £250

Only 250 copies were printed.

630 **Tutin** (T.G.) a.o. **Flora europaea**. 5 vol., cloth, Cambridge, 1964-80 £150

631 **Walcott** (M.V.) **Illustrations of North American pitcherplants**. Limited to 500 copies, 15 coloured plates, maps, folio, unbound in original half leather portfolio (a bit worn), Washington, 1935 £80

632 **Willdenow** (C.L.) **The principles of botany...translated from the German**. 9 engraved plates and a folding chart containing 36 colour samples, boards uncut, a very nice copy (except that the top of the spine is defective), from the Downton Castle sale, Edinburgh, University Press, 1805 £50

The translator is anonymous; could he be the Charles Stewart whose anonymous *Elements of natural history* is advertised on verso of the half title? *Stafleu 17.655*

633 **Willmott** (E.) **The genus Rosa**. 2 vol., numerous plain and coloured plates by A. Parsons, half leather, bit worn, original wrappers bound in, 1910-14 £1200

634 [**Wolf** (N.M. von)] **Genera plantarum [& Concordantia botanica]**. 2 pt. in one vol., some foxing and browning, half green calf; Royal Society duplicate, with stamps and contemporary gift ms. note of gift pasted in ("To ye Rl. Society of London from the author presented by Mr. Magellan"), [Danzig], typo Mulleri, 1776 (-80) £100

Stafleu 18.167 Joao de Magalhaens (or Magellan) was made FRS in 1774.

PHYSICAL SCIENCES

635 **Abbott** (J.) **Exposition of the principles of Abbott's hydraulic engine**. 7 wood engraved plates, lower corner waterstained, original half cloth, worn and shabby, Boston, 1835 £55

636 **Alfonso X, of Castille**. **Liber del saber de astronomia...copilados, anotados y comentados por Don Manuel Rico y Sinobas** 5 vol., all published, plates and illustrations, some coloured, folio, boards, 4 vol. newly rebound with cloth, typed paper labels (unpleasant), minor soiling, Royal Soc. duplicate, with stamps, Madrid, 1863-67 £375

Alfonso el Sabio (the Wise) " supported the translation of a series of Arabic astronomical studies known collectively as the *Libros del saber de astronomia*. The fifteen treatises in this collection are either based on or translated from Arabic astronomical works written in the ninth through the twelfth centuries...it was not published until 1863-67 " -DSB I, 122

637 **Analyst**. **The analyst; a monthly journal of science, literature, and the fine arts**. Vol. 1-10, all published, cloth, some vol. repaired, others a bit worn, 1834-40 £110

638 **Argentina**. **Uranometria Argentina. Mapas [only]**. Lithograph title with tinted vignette of the observatory , printed by Julius Bien of New York, 14 double lithographs, without text, folio, binder's cloth, the Roy. soc. Edinburgh copy with small stamps, [Cordoba], 1877 £30

639 **Aston (F.W.) Atomic weights and isotopes.** Offprint, library stamp on title, library cloth, bound with others, Washington, 1923 £25

"Aston's work, therefore, provided important insights into the structure of the atom and the evolution of the elements."- DSB I, 321

640 **Bernoulli (Johann III, 1744-1807) A sexcentenary table; exhibiting , at sight, the result of any proportion...published by order of the Commissioners of Longitude.** Title a bit soiled and corner chipped from blank margin, 4to., calf, very worn and corners defective, refurbished and rebacked, the Admiralty copy from the Nautical Almanach Office, with gilt anchor stamped on covers, and disposal stamp on title, 1779 £75

According to DSB the most successful of the sons of Johann II although " his mathematical achievements were insignificant".

641 **Berthoud (F.) Essai sur l'horlogerie...seconde edition.** 2 vol., 38 engraved plates, stamp on titles, contemporary calf, rather worn, Paris, 1786 £600

642 **Berzelius (J.J.) Lehrbuch der Chemie...aus dem Schwedischen ubersetzt von K.A. Blode und K. Palmstedt. Zweite verbesserte Auflage.** 2 vol., 4 folding plates, rather foxed, half calf, worn the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy with stamps, Dresden, 1824 £115

643 **Berzelius (J.J.) The use of the blowpipe in chemical analysis and in the examination of minerals...translated from the French of M. Fresnel by J.G. Children...numerous notes and additions by the translator.** 3 engraved plates, folding table, half calf, very worn, covers off, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy with stamp, 1822 £75

644 **Berzelius (J.J.) Theorie des proportions chimiques et table synoptique des poids atomiques...deuxieme edition.** Half green calf, gilt, rubbed, Paris, 1835 £60

645 **Boyle (R.) Short memoirs for the natural experimental history of mineral waters.** First edition, contemporary speckled calf, bit worn, spine rather extensively repaired (a complete reback might have been better), bound without the 6 leaves of publishers ads., the Royal Society copy, with the 18th. Cent bookplate "Nullis in Verba", 1684/5 £225

"of special interest because of the insight it gives into the author's methods of work...the book ends with a discourse on the medicinal virtues of the various waters " - Fulton, no 159

646 **Bradley (Rev. James) Astronomical observation made at the Royal Observatory at Greenwich from the year MDCCL. to the year MDCCLXII.** 2 vol., folio, Royal Society duplicate, presented to them on publication, with inscription and stamp on verso of titles, minor soiling, folio, contemporary calf, rebacked, sides somewhat worn and corners abraded, but refurbished, Oxford, 1798-1805 £300

Bradley was a fellow of the Royal Society for over forty years, and Astronomer Royal for nearly twenty. On being appointed "he embarked on an intensive program of star observations (these) attained a very high standard of accuracy, sufficient to make them useful to modern astronomers...The value of his star observations increases with time, for they provide a firm starting point for long-term investigations of stellar motions" -DSB II, 388- 89. These two posthumous volumes provide a systematic publication of this painstaking work, most of it for the first time.

647 **Condillac [E.B.] La langue des calculs...ouvrage posthume...imprime sur les manuscrits autographes de l'auteur.** First edition, about half the book rather obtrusively waterstained, the lower blank margin being the worst affected, signature of A.P. Buchan on flyleaf, Royal Society duplicate, with stamps, recent half calf, Paris, An. VI [1798] £90

"It was through his last works – *La logique* and, especially, *La langue des calculs* – that Condillac exercised the most decisive influence on the philosophical taste of the generation of scientists immediately following his own..." DSB III, 382

648 **Cowan (C.L.) Anatomy of an experiment; an account of the discovery of the neutrino.** Offprint, 8 plates, stamp on title, library cloth, bound with others, Washington, 1965 £16

649 **Dien (C.) Atlas celeste...rectifie, augmentee et enrichi...par Camille Flammarion...troisieme edition.** 30 engraved plates of stars, and a plate of nebulae which appears to be a mezzotint printed in deep blue, folio, the Royal Soc. Edinburgh copy title with stamps and dusty finger marks, a few on plate margins, one margin frayed, cloth, bit worn and loose, Paris, 1877 £46

650 **Dorna (Alessandro) Atlante di carte celesti.** 2 leaves of text, 12 engraved plates showing the sky on 12 days in 1870, minor dust soiling, flyleaf creased, oblong 4to., binder's cloth, bit worn, Turin, Reale Accademia delle Scienze, Regio Osservatorio, [1881] £43

651 **Ekhholm (Nils) a.o. Exploration internationale des regions polaires 1882-83. Observations faites au Cap Thordsen, Spitzberg, par l'expedition suedoise.** 8 pt. in 2 vol., 3 maps, 5 plates of apparatus, 2 tinted lithograph views by Schlachter of Stockholm, 30 lithographs of the aurora, including 4 tinted views, and numerous graphs and tables, folio, cloth, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy with a few stamps, Stockholm, 1886-91 £155

The tinted lithographs have a subdued and rather mournful atmosphere all of their own.

652 **Erni (H.) Constitution of organic compounds.** Presentation copy, library cloth, call no. on title, bound with a few others, Boston, 1853 £25

653 **Fabre () Essai sur la maniere la plus avantageuse de construire des machines hydrauliques et en particulier les moulins a bled.** 6 folding engraved plates of details of watermills, 4to., contemporary calf, worn, stamps of several Austrian military establishments on title and plate versoes but a good copy, Paris, 1783 £155

654 **Favorsky (Alexei Y.) [in Russian] Collection of selected works;50 year jubilee.** Portrait, pp. xvi, 404, wrappers a bit stained, bound with other in library cloth, Leningrad, 1934 £60

"His entire career was devoted to the study of the reactions of organic unsaturates...The results of his work form the basis of many general methods of synthesis, including a number that are of industrial significance..." – DSB IV, 553-4. This collected edition includes a complete bibliography to date, and a biographical account; it is not mentioned in DSB which gives only his selected works of 1940.

655 **Fischer (Emil) Synthesen in der Purin- und Zuckergruppe;Neuere Erfolge und Probleme der Chemie. Experimentalvortrag.** 2 pieces, the first an offprint, stamps and call nos. , 2 vol. library cloth, bound with others, Braunschweig, 1903 & Berlin, 1911 £22

The first item is Fischer's Nobel oration. He received the prize in 1902 and the lecture would probably also have been published in Sweden.

656 **Fonrobert (E.) Das Ozon.** Library cloth, bound with others, stamp on title, Stuttgart, Chem. in Einz. Bd. 9, 1916 £20

657 **Fort Rae, N.W. Canada. [Magnetic and meteorological] observations of the International Polar Expeditions, 1882-83. Fort Rae. 1886; British Polar Year Expedition, Fort Rae...meteorology, terrestrial magnetism and aurora, atmospheric electricity. 2 vol., 1937** Together 3 vol., all published, folding tables, 5 plates in the later vol., few neat library stamps, 4to., cloth, some wear, 1886-1937 £18

658 **Haber (Fritz) Practical results of the theoretical development of chemistry, an address.** Blind stamp on title, library cloth, bound with 7 others, Philadelphia, Franklin Inst., 1924 £20

One of the first scientific star
atlases, cheaply bound.

659 **Harding (K.L.) Neuer Himmelsatlas...neue...sehr verbesserte Ausgabe.** Engraved title within greek key border (Atlas novus coelestis), 27 engraved plates, some marginal repairs, a little dust soiling, oblong 4to., old quarter cloth, worn, the Royal Soc. of Edinburgh copy, with their instructions to the binder on back of last plate – “bind cheaply in boards”, Halle, 1856 £190

A re-issue (the only one) of the atlas first published in Gottingen in 1822. “...Harding...drew up a celestial atlas containing about 60,000 stars; this stellar chart was one of the first prepared according to scientific principles...” DSB VI, 112

660 **Harris (John) The description and uses of the celestial and terrestrial globes and of Collins's pocket-quadrant...sixth edition.** Pp. (vi), 62, (4), the last being ads., contemporary sheep, worn, spine blackened, D. Midwinter, 1725 £52

661 **Ioffe (Abraham F.) [in Russian] The elementary photoelectric effect. The magnetic field of cathode rays.** Folding plate, inscribed (the inscription partly trimmed away), library cloth, bound with 9 other pieces including Rutherford on “Radium and the electron”, 1921 front wrapper with library stamp present, back wrapper missing, St. Petersburg, 1913 £65

On Ioffe see DSB 15, 251-2; he was a pupil of Roentgen and founded an important Russian school of physicists.

662 **Kircher (A.) Magneticum naturae regnum, sive disceptatio physiologica de triplici in natura rerum magnete.** Engraved title, pp.(xviii), 201 (202-08), 12mo., contemporary calf, gilt spine, worn, Amsterdam, (1667?) £90

A reprint of “Kircher's final words on the principle of magnetism in nature” (Merrill 21). The first edition was printed in Rome in 1667.

The dedication copy; unique issue?

663 **Lehmann (J.G.) Cadmiologia, oder Geschichte des Farben-Kobolds. Pt. 1.** Pp. (xxviii), 100, (iv), 9 folding engraved plates of mines, smelters, apparatus, etc., sm. 4to., contemporary German calf, gilt spine repaired; inscribed from the author (a corresponding member at Berlin) to the Society of Arts, and the front cover appropriately initialled in gilt in German style, Berlin, Kongl. Academ. buckdruckerey, 1760 £295

There is a three page printed dedication to the society. By the time pt. 2 appeared in 1766 the author was in St. Petersburg (he died in 1767) and the book had to be seen through the press without him, as a preface describes. The second part is unillustrated. The present dedication copy may preserve a

unique first issue of the title. The BL copy, the four copies in NUC (2 of which seem to lack a plate) and the citations in GV 1700-1910 all give the imprint of the first part as Konigsberg, 1761.

664 Lemstrom (S.) & Biese (E.), *editors*. **Exploration Internationale des regions polaires 1882(-84). Expedition polaire finlandaise.** 3 vol., plan of the station and photographic plate, 2 coloured maps, 3 tinted plates of the aurora, numerous tables, few minor library stamps, folio, wrappers, bit dusty and worn, one (blank) back wrapper missing, Helsinki, 1886-98 £100

The dedication copy

665 Leslie (John) [Greek;] **Geometrical analysis ...translated in to French by N. Hachette and thence into modern Greek by Ioannis Karadinos of Cephalonia...professor of higher mathematics in the Ionian Academy** 10 folding engraved plates with Greek captions, contemporary red straight-grain morocco, gilt, lettered (in Greek) on front cover“ to Mrs. Lela Adam, the translator”, blue silk liners, g.e., Corfu, Government Printing Office, 1829 £225

Mrs. Adam was the wife of the Frederick, High Commissioner of the Ionian Islands 1824-31. Leslie's work on geometry was the third in a series of mathematical handbooks. This ought, logically, to be a Corfiot binding but it looks Scottish. *Not in NUC, BLC, Lascarides or Blackmer.*

666 Maskelyne (N.) **Astronomical observations made at the Royal Observatory at Greenwich from the year MDCCLXV (to MDCCCX).** 4 vol., folio, Royal Society duplicate, with neat stamps, calf, rather worn, but neatly rebacked and the sides refurbished, 1776-1811 £120

Maskelyne was appointed Astronomer Royal in 1765 and continued the series of minute observations started by Bradley, whom he assisted while still a curate.

667 Meyer (V.) & Langer (C.) **Pyrochemische Untersuchungen.** Stamp on half title, library cloth, bound with others, Braunschweig, 1885 £23

“His pyrochemical investigations included vapor density determinations [etc.]...in 1885 he published *Pyrochemische Untersuchungen*, a monograph of the subject...”- DSB IX, 356

No facsimile moonwalks.

668 **National aeronautics and space administration. A collection of Nasa and other documents on the USA space program collected by Dr. Anthony R. Michaelis.** An extensive collection, taking up some 3 feet of shelf space, 12 vol. in binders' cloth, rest in wrappers or original bindings, mostly Washington, 1966-78 £275

Dr. Michaelis was editor of the *Journal of interdisciplinary science* and was on the Nasa press list. The Mariner material includes Release No 69-26 (Mariner Mars 69); Caltech. Mariner Mars 1969, pictures and results; News conference on Mariner Status, May, 1971; Special papers on Mariners 6 and 7, J. Geophy. Research, 1971; News conference on Mariner 9, 1972; Mariner 9 press briefing, June, 1972. etc. etc.

Bound in are many other releases and relevant press cuttings and articles. There is also a cloth box with 106 Nasa photographs, some coloured, and mostly of high quality reproduction (the box is a bit stained).

Other material includes 3 bound vol. on Pioneer and *Apollo News Media Symposium, Houston, 1966; The viking Mission to Mars, Denver, 1975; R.M. Batson et al. Atlas of Mars, Washington, 1979; T. Mutch et al. The Martian Landscape, Washington, 1978* and there is much else.

669 Peck (W.) **The total lunar eclipse of January 28th 1888 as photographed at Murrayfield Observatory.** Card sheet, nine original photographs pasted down, printed label (as quoted), in a worn half leather portfolio, Edinburgh, 1888 £30

670 Perry (*Capt.J.*) **an account of the stopping of Daggengham breach.** The folding plan missing and supplied in photostat, some worming in lower blank margins throughout, calf, rebounded, 1721 £35

671 Ramsay (W.) & Soddy (F.) **Experiemnts in radio-activity and the production of Helium from Radium.** Offprint, 3 leaves, library stamps, library cloth, bound with others, Washington, 1904 £20

672 Rayleigh (*Lord J.*)& Ramsay (W.) **Argon, a new consiituent of the atmosphere.** Library call no. on wrapper and title, folio, library cloth, bound with others, Washington, Simth. Inst., 1896 £20

673 **Report from the select committee on steam carriages, with the minutes of evidence.** Original boards, uncut, spine worn, Birmingham, 1834 £65

674 Robertson (John) **A treatise of such mathematical instruments as are usually put into a portable case...use of the gunner's callipers...the delineation of ship-guns and sea mortars...third edition, with many additions.** 12 folding engraved plates, calf, rebounded and repaired, 1775 £160

675 Rumford (B.,*Count*) **The complete works.** 5 vol., plates, cloth; the Royal soc. Edinburgh copy with a few stamps, Boston, 1870 £255

The 5th vol.,intended as part of the set, is the life of Rumford by G.E. Ellis.

The pinnacle of nineteenth-century selenography

676 Schmidt (J.F.J.) **Charte der Gebirge des Mondes.** 3 vol., comprising atlas with 25 tinted lithographs printed by the Office of the Prussian General Staff, a 20pp. short text, and a 304pp. long text, the atlas in original portfolio, several neat stamps of the Royal Society of Edinburgh, texts in wrappers and half cloth, worn and sellotaped, Berlin, 1878 £475

Very rare in this complete state (we were able to bring this set together from two different sources). D. Wattenberg has produced a recent article on the map (*Zur geschichte der Mondkarte von J.F. Jul. Schmidt, Mitteilungen der Archenhold-Sternwarte Berlin-Treptow, No. 65, 1962*) which uses some archival sources.Schmidt sold his 2100 moon drawings to the German government which then published the work. 400 copies were printed at the considerable cost of over 8,000 marks.

The Linda Hall exhibition catalogue*The face of the moon*, 1989 gives a laudatory account of Schmidt, though it does not take Wattenberg into account. "The Schmidt map was the pinnacle of nineteenth-century selenography. Published in 25 sheets, if assembled it would make a map 6 and a half feet across. There are over 33,000 craters depicted..."

Schmidt (1825-1884) was the first director of the Athens observatory founded by Baron von Sina; it still exists on its attractive site near the Acropolis.

677 Scott (Benjamin) **The description and use of an universal and perpetual mathematical instrument.** Folding engraved table, engraved coat of arms at head of dedication, title a bit creased where bookplate has been removed from verso, pressmark "CC shelf 4" on flyleaf, a thick paper copy

- in contemporary red morocco, gilt, g. e., spine repaired with a slightly heavy hand, 1733 £235
Probably the dedication copy, with partially torn out ms.inscription on flyleaf ".../33...i To Ireland by the...Scott." The dedicatee was John Boyle, Earl of Orrery who followed in the family tradition of being a great encourager of science. The pressmark on the flyleaf and the bookplate once on title verso are both consistent with other books we have seen from the family library.
- 678 **Seaborg** (Glenn) **Plutonium and other transuranium elements.** Offprint, one plate, stamp on title, library cloth, bound with some others, Washington, 1948 £16
- 679 **Smyth** (G. Piazza) **Teneriffe, an astronomer's experiment.** Lithograph maps, 20 stereotypes printed by A.J.Melhuish, minor soiling, binder's cloth, bit worn, 1858 £80
The first book illustrated with stereographs, though (it must be admitted) the successors are not very numerous. *Gernsheim* 79
- 680 **Steen** (Aksel S.,*editor*) **Die internationale Polarforschung 1882-83.Beobachtungs- Ergebnisse der Norwegischen Polarstation Bossekop in Alten.** 2 vol., plan of the station, numerous tables, few faint library stamps, folio, wrappers, worn, second vol. broken, Oslo, 1887- 88 £35
- 681 [Stewart (Dugald)] **a short statement of some important facts relative to the late election of a mathematical professor in the University of Edinburgh... third edition.** Modern wrappers, Edinburgh, 1805 £65
- 682 **Taylor** (M.) & **Maskelyne** (N.) **Tables of logarithms of all numbers, from 1 to 101000;and other sines and tangents...with a preface and precepts for the explanation and use of the same.** In 2 vol., 4to., half calf, rebacked, stains where once sellotaped, the Nautical Almanack Office copy with release stamp, and ms. correction note dated 1833 and signed A.B. ,1792[but the preface dated 1793] £200
The list of subscribers gives an interesting conspectus of contemporary mathematicians; this is perhaps one of the 10 copies subscribed by the Board of Ordnance.
- 683 **Thollon** (L.) **Spectre solaire.** 17 engraved plates, without text, folio, wrappers, loose, bit dust soiled, Paris, 1890 £35
Comprises *Annales de l'observatoire de Nice*, Tom. 3 – Atlas. "Thollon established a great chart of the solar spectrum which was published posthumously in 1890" – DSB XIII, 344
- 684 **Thome** (J.M.) **Atlas [only] containing the positions and brightness of all the fixed stars...between 22 and 42 degrees.** 12 lithograph plates, wrappers(lettered "Cordoba Durchmusterung"), in a half leather portfolio, bit worn, Cordoba, 1893 £32
Published to accompany Vol. 16 & 17 of the results of the national observatory, which are not present.
- 685 **Thompson** (Sylvanus P.) **The manufacture of light, a lecture.** Stamp on title, library cloth, bound with some others, 1906 £18

686 Ward (J.) **The lives of the professors of Gresham College** 5 engraved plates, including two fine folding views of the College, a crisp copy in contemporary calf, worn, joints cracked, headcaps defective, 1740 £160

An original subscriber's copy, with the bookplate of the Rev. Thomas Newcome, Rector of Bishops Stoke in Hampshire.

ORNITHOLOGY

687 Aagaard (C.J.) **The common birds of Bangkok** Plates, cloth, Copenhagen, 1930 £38

688 Africa. **a collection of offprints from The Ibis, on African birds.** 22 papers in one vol., cloth, presentation inscriptions and annotations by an ornithologist (?Bannerman), 1926-34 £90

Includes H.F. Stoneham, Field notes on a collection of birds from Uganda, 4 pt.1926-31; W.L.Sclater and R. Moreau, Taxonomic and field notes on some birds of north-Eastern Tanganyika, 5 pt., 1932-33

689 Aldrovandrus (U.) **Ornithologiae, hoc est de avibus historiae libri XII.** Engraved title(trimmed), 148 fine woodcuts, first few leaves wormed, minor waterstains, few small tears, 18th. Cent. inscription of Cappucins at Pisa, vellum, Bologna, 1599 £900

The first part; two further volumes took the work to 20 books. The woodcuts were often borrowed and copied for later works, Among the groups treated here are parrots and the Corvidae (more or less), the latter with white-line cuts on black, appropriate for these birds.

690 Ali (S.) **Birds of Kerala** Plates, cloth, Madras, 1969 £35

691 Ali (S.) **The birds of Kutch** Map, 35 plates(20 coloured), cloth, d.w., one corner bumped, little stained; the Bradley Martin copy with a note by him that the book was given by the Maharaja of Kutch, Bombay, 1945 £45

692 Ali (S.) **The birds of Sikkim** Plates, cloth, Madras, 1962 £25

693 Ali (S.) & **Handbook of the birds of India and Pakistan** 10 vol., plates, cloth, 1969-80 £135
Second editions of the first two vol. are included.

694 Ali (S.) & Abdulali (H.) **The birds of Bombay and Salsette.** Map, 11 plates, informed annotation, boards, colour plate on front cover, Bombay, 1941 £22

695 Allen (J.A.) **A collection of offprints.** 26 pieces bound in two vol., few illus., cloth; W.C. Braislin's set, with a very brief note from him to the author tipped in, 1869-1908 £90
Brazil, Ecuador, Siberia, North America.

696 Alleon (Comte Amedee) **Nouveaux procedes de taxidermie.** 100 plates, half cloth, 1898 £85
The illustrations are mostly from the author's collection at Makri- Keui, near Constantinople.

697 **Alleon** (*Comte Amedee*) & **Vian** (J.) **A collection of offprints.** 19 pieces in one vol., half leather, worn; Paul Leverkühn's copies with his list of contents and note "Dona auctorum" and a.L.s. from Vian bound in, 1869-89 £85

Includes several *Causeries ornithologiques* and *Monographie des poussins des oiseaux d'Europe qui naissent vetus de duvet.*

698 **Audubon** (J.J.) **A synopsis of the birds of North America.** First edition, presentation copy, original cloth, uncut, faded and printed label almost worn away, Edinburgh, 1839 £1300

Inscribed by Audubon to John C. Delano "from his sincere friend and well wisher John J. Audubon New York Novr. 1st 1840". Delano was from New Bedford, Massachusetts and he subscribed to the ocatvo edition of the *Birds of America*, 1840-44 for which Audubon was drumming up support.

699 **Babaault** (G.) **Mission Guy Babault...provinces centrales de l'Inde... Himalaya et Ceylan.** 6 plates of scenery, 6 uncoloured lithographs by A. Millot, 2 coloured maps, 4to., wrappers, worn and loose; Whistler's copy, with several insertions, including an A.L.s. from the author to Annandale, Paris, 1920 £45

Ronsil 120 calls for coloured plates.

700 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **A hand-list of genera and species of birds of the Indian empire.** Cloth, bombay, 1923 £12

701 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **Game birds of India, Burma and Ceylon.** 3 vol., coloured plates, a nice set, first two vol. in half morocco, spines faded, third vol. in cloth, d.w., 1921-30 £275

702 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **Indian Bustards.** Offprints from Bombay. N.H.Soc., with specially printed title, 4 chromolithographs, cloth; inscribed by the author "to Aunts Louisa & Lucy", Bombay, 1911-12 £36

703 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **Indian ducks and their allies.** Original edition, offprints from Bombay Soc. Jnl. with special title, 10 coloured plates, some browning, crude half cloth; inscribed by the author presumably to E. Muspratt, later in the collections of J.E. Thayer and Bradley Martin, Bombay, 1898-1900 £90

704 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **Indian pigeons and doves.** 27 coloured plates by Gronvold and Lodge, half leather, bit worn and stained, 1913 £245

705 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **The fauna of British India...birds.** 8 vol., second edition, map, 39 plates, of which 35 are chromolithographs after the author or Gronvold, cloth, a nice set, 1922-30 £250

706 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **The Indian ducks and their allies.** 30 coloured plates after Keulemans and others, half morocco, a nice copy, 1908 £300

707 **Baker** (E.C. Stuart) **The nidification of birds of the Indian empire.** 4 vol., 29 plates, cloth, rubbed, 1932-35 £100

708 **Baker (H.R.) & Inglis (C.M.)** *The birds of southern India*. 22 coloured plates, cloth, Madras, 1930 £36

709 **Baker (T)** *An ornithological index arranged according to the Synopsis Avium of Mr. Vigors*. Interleaved, half leather, rubbed, J.E. Thayer's copy, 1835 £55

"This rather rare treatise is a fundamental work" – Casey Wood. >

710 **Baldamus (A.)** *Verzeichniss der naturwissenschaftlichen Sammlungen von F.W.J. Baedeker in Witten...catalogus oothecae Baedekerianae*. 18pp., 4to., wrappers, bit worn, Iserlohn, sumptibus et typis J. Baedekeri, 1871 £30

Presumably a sale catalogue though this is nowhere explicitly stated. One page at the end covers Baedeker's library.

711 **Barriere [Marcellin?]** *Les oiseaux de volieres et de parcs*. 50 chromolithographs after drawings by the author, some foxing, 4to., original chromolithograph front wrapper (chipped, loose, spine roughly repaired), Bordeaux, A. Bellier, 1886 £300

Very scarce. Not listed in any of the usual ornithological bibliographies, and only caught as a bird number in Ronsil's supplement (3131bis). Not found in NUC or the Bib. Nat. catalogue.

712 **Baudry, Maitre** *Collection typique d'oiseaux mouches (trochilides) de feu [Jules] Bouchier et 120 aquarelles...par Travies, Prevost, Audebert, etc.* 6 leaves, foxed, Paris, 4[altered in ms to 2] March, 1874 £50

Rare auction catalogue of the collection of Jules Bouchier who published some 30 papers on humming birds; see Ronsil.

713 **Bendire (C.)** *Life histories of North American birds...breeding habits and eggs*. 2 vol., 19 chromolithographs of eggs, library stamp on flyleaves and general titles(only), 4to., half calf, rubbed, Washington, Smith. Inst. Contribs., 1892-95 £50

Nissen 89

714 **Bergman (S.)** *Zur Kenntnis Nordostasiatischer Vogel*. 6 plates, 2 maps, one of Kamschatka, blank margin of two leaves nibbled, 4to., wrappers, bit worn, Stockholm, 1935 £55

715 **Berlioz (J.)** *Oiseaux de la Reunion*. Wrappers, folio, Faune de l'Emp. fran. iv, 1946 £25

716 [**Blasius (W.)**] *Museum Homeyerianum. Verzeichniss der ornithologischen Sammlungen E.F. von Homeyer's*. Wrappers, back one missing, Braunschweig, 1893 £25

Not in BM(NH)

Bonaparte's proof

717 **Bonaparte (C.L., Prince)** *Tableau des oiseaux de proie...conspectus accipitrum*. The offprint, paginated 1-16, a proof, with a considerable number of ms. alterations by the author, recent half cloth, blind stamp of the Columbia Museum library, later in the Ayer library with cancelled stamp, 1854 £80

As Zimmer makes clear the Ayer library has an extensive collection of Bonaparte, though this item is not separately listed. Ronsil 294.28 lists the periodical publication and the offprint.

718 **Bonneville** (Alphonse) **Vocabulaire d'ornithologie. dans le quel on trouve tous les mots qui ont quelque rapport avec l'histoire naturelle des oiseaux, la taxidermie, la fauconnerie & l'aviceptologie.** Manuscript on paper, on 219pp. (a few blank), sm. 4to., half calf, ms. label on front cover, backstrip missing, label of J. Eichenberg, bookseller of Colmar, stamp of P.A. Bonneville, 22 Rue de Rambuteau , Bradley Martin booklabel, Paris, chez l'auteur, 1839 £225

Prepared for publication, even down to the imprint quoted above, but never published. The author describes himself as *naturaliste preparteur, membre associe & correspondant de plusieurs societes savantes*; he is not in Ronsil and we have been unable to trace him.

719 **Boucard** (A.) **Catalogus avium.** Cloth, worn, and scruffy, London, 1876 £105

The author's own copy, with his signature on flyleaf and very extensive annotations.

720 **Boucard** (A.) **Descriptions of two supposed new species of South American Birds.** Leaf of text, hand-coloured plate by J. Smit (tiny spot of damage by adhesion), bound with 10 other papers by the same, mostly more substantial, on hummingbirds, etc., some inscriptions trimmed, cancelled bookplate of the Ayer library, Offprint from proc. Zoo. Soc., 1879 £70

Includes *Catalogue des oiseaux de la collection Riocour*, Tours, 1889; most of the offprints have the author's stamp, he seems to have moved to Oak Hill, Spring Vale, nr. Ryde, I.O.W.

721 **Boucard** (A.) **On birds collected in Costa Rica** Offprint, hand-coloured plate by Smit, wrappers, worn, loose; presentation copy to Coues, 1878 £25

722 **Bouvier** (A.) **Catalogue des collection ornithologiques en vente chez A. Bouvier...classification de G.R. Gray.** Wrappers, bit worn, 1874 £30

The firm sold skins. A suppl. is promised but we can find no record of it being published. BM(NH) I, 217

723 **Bowdich** (T.E.) **An introduction to the ornithology of Cuvier for the use of students and travellers.** 19 lithographed plates on a yellow ground, after drawings by Mrs. Bowdich, some foxing, cloth, Paris, 1821 £100

Very scarce. Bowdich retired to Paris after disappointments over the Ashantee mission, and he published a number of his books in that city, being subsidised by the French government. This copy has two variant titles bound in; one has the simple imprint "Paris, J. Smith"; the other (intended for sale in England) adds a price of 15 shillings and Treuttel and Wurtz, London.

724 **Braislin** (W.C.) **A collection of some 40 offprints from proc. US nat mus collected by Braislin.** In 2 vol., cloth, some with inscriptions , 1878-1907 £45

A very varied collection, including a presentation copy of Merrill's Notes on the ornithology of southern Texas, and pieces on Puerto Rico, the Phillipines, Labrador etc., by a variety of authors.

725 **Brewster** (W.) **The birds of the Cambridge region of Massachusetts.** 7 plates 9 one a chromolithograph after Fuertes printed by B. Meisel of Boston), 4to., rather foxed, few marginal tears, modern cloth; inscribed, Cambridge, Nuttall Club IV, 1906 £24

726 **Brisson** (M.J.) **Ornithologia** 2 vol., second edition, calf, bit worn, joints cracking; signature of John Stark (perhaps the author of Freeman 3540) and stamp of the Perthshire Natural History Society, Leiden, 1763 £90

727 **Bucknill (J.) & Chasen (F.)** *The birds of Singapore island* 31 coloured plates by Levett-Yates, minor worming, cloth, worn, Singapore, Government Printing Office, 1927 £80

728 **Bureau (L.)** *L'aigle botte; De la mue de bec... du macareux arctique; recherches sur la mue de bec... mormonides.* 3 offprints, in one vol., 2 coloured plates of the eagle, 9 lithographs of beaks (7 coloured by hand, including one of a puffin with cut-out additions), cloth, bound with 5 other offprints including Taczanowski on the birds of Kamschatka, 1875-79 £90

From the collection of H.J. Elwes, naturalist and traveller, with several inscriptions to him; later in the Ayer library, with cancelled bookplate.

729 **Butler (E.A.)** *A catalogue of the birds of Sind (etc.) contributed to the Bombay Gazetteer* Green wrappers, Bombay, 1879 £75

Scarce; not in BM(NH) Cat. Captain Butler, of the Royal Ulster Rifles, was a pioneer Indian ornithologist.

730 **Butler (E.A.)** *A catalogue of the birds of the southern portion of the Bombay presidency... contributed to the Bombay Gazetteer.* Folding coloured map, original green printed wrappers, rebaked, Bombay, Government Central Press, 1880 £50

731 **Cananis (J.)** *Museum Heineanum. Verzeichniss der ornithologischen Sammlung des Oberamtmann Ferdinand Heine auf Gut. St. Burchard vor Halberstad t.* 4 vol. in two., some foxing, half leather, bit worn; Othmar Reiser's copy (1861-1936, ornithologist), Halberstadt, 1850-63 £90

732 **Cassin (J.)** *Catalogue of the Caprimulgidae in the collection of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia* 8 leaves, unpaginated, some foxing, boards, [Philadelphia], 1851 £45

Apparently published as a special suppl. to *Proc. Acad. Nat. Sci. Phil.*; see note in Ellis to another Cassin cat. Not in Ayer, Ripley, Ellis or Enders; BM (NH) I, 323 listed as an independent work.

733 **Castaneda (Porfirio)** *A portfolio of Phillipine birds.* Drophead title, 30 coloured plates after Castaneda, folio, Padded art leather, cloth case, [Manila], Philippine National Museum, 1977 £40

734 **Chapman (F.M.)** *A collection of offprints.* 26 papers in one vol., half morocco, bound for W.C. Braislin, the American ornithologist, 1889-1912 £65

735 **Chasen (F.N.)** *A handlist of Malaysian birds.* Wrappers, Singapore, bull. Raf. Mus., 1935 £23

Rare coloured copy

736 **Chenu (J.C.)** a.o. *Lecons elementaires sur l'histoire naturelle des oiseaux.* 2 vol., numerous text-illustrations, of which 140 are coloured by hand, half red morocco, Paris, 1862 £375

As Ronsil remarks (559) "quelques exempl. ont ete colories au pinceau". The colouring is skilfull and exact and comprises all the bird portraits, the uncoloured figures being only of detail (bones, heads, etc.). The introduction to Vol. 1 states that hand-coloured copies may be inspected at the publishers. Purchasors should take particular care in binding such copies "pour eviter le collage des figures plus ou moins gommées"; in this copy there is offset onto the text from this cause in two or three cases. Bound into this copy (as often) is the prospectus for the *Musee ornithologique* by the same authors, which is almost the only surviving portion of this ambitious work.

737 **Coburg. Verzeichniss der Vogel im Herzogl. Naturalien cabinet zu Coburg.** Cloth, Coburg, 1860 £40

Not in BM(NH) or Casey Wood.

738 Collinge W.E.) **The food of some British wild birds.** Cloth, 1913 £200

Sold with this copy are 7 vol. (? of 8; one appears to be missing) comprising Collinge's offprint collection on the subject of the food of birds and 2 vol. comprising his own collection of his own offprints, etc. The first 7 vol. contain some 220 pamphlets and offprints with a list of contents to each volume. Collinge's collection of his own work in the final two vols. is presumably definitive; they contain over 140 separate pieces, though many of these are letters to the press and similar minor items. Collinge would appear to have become so wrapped up in his speciality as to become something of a monomaniac; he privately printed a much revised edition of his book (not present here) in 1924-27.

739 **Cornevin (C.) Les oiseaux de basse-cour, cygnes, oies, canards, paons, faisans, pintades, dindons, coqs, pigeons.** 4 coloured plates, numerous illustrations, wrappers, bit worn, rebaked, 1880 £80

Comprises the first vol. of *Traite de zootechnie speciale*, dealing with all domestic animals. Not in Nissen, Ayer or Ronsil; BM(NH) I, 385

740 **Cory (C.B.) Birds of the Bahama islands.** 8 hand-coloured plates, 4to., cancelled stamp of the Ayer library on title (but not elsewhere), margin of one plate slightly frayed, original cloth, gilt vignette of flamingoes on front cover, little worn, repaired, Boston, published by the author, 1880 £650

741 **Cretzschmar (P.J.) Atlas zu der Reise im nordlichen Afrika von Eduard Ruppell. Vogel.** 36 hand-coloured lithographs, some offsetting from the text but a respectable copy, folio, recent half morocco, Frankfort, 1826 £900

The bird section from Ruppell's famous atlas. He travelled in North Africa and down the Red Sea, and the material was published from his specimens before he returned home.

742 **David-Beaulieu () Les oiseaux de Tranninh** Printed on brown paper, map, wrappers, Hanoi, imprimerie d'Extreme-Orient, 1944 £85

A province of what was then Indochina, SW of Hanoi.

743 **Deane (Ruthven) Two scrapbooks kept by Ruthven Deane, the American ornithologist.** 2 vol., news cuttings (many rather browned) and other items pasted or loosely inserted in two albums, one loose leaf, the other sewed but lacking the covers, c. 1907-32 £145

Including; Photograph of the masked duck shot in Texas; a burlesque printed poem by Joesph Maillard *Bird notes from afar* painted dedication with birds on a wire fence serving as musical notes; *Standing orders in camp for the first corps of cadets, Mass. Vol. Militia*, 72pp., Boston, 1872; a photograph of one of Audubon's guns; a life ticket to the Boston Museum of Fine Arts; a minographed letter, on politics, from Deane Bros & Lincoln to their employees, 1896; Share certificate of the Great Western Iron Co., 1841; and an original autograph endorsement of Audubon, "Wrote to Mr. Berth[rest illegible] respecting this letter...1836 J.J.A.Charleston S.C. "

Even the press cuttings, almost all on ornithological or natural history topics, make good reading; a few headlines ; Brasher quits woods, Jefferson Butler killed by auto, Roosevelt like a powder mill? This last comes from an extensive collection *Aricles on nature faking* a substantial row over the

president's hunting and nature lore.

Ruthven Deane, 1851-1934, was a distinguished amateur ornithologist and one of the founders of the Nuttall Ornithological Club. Batchelder's history of the club remarks "After his school days an office desk claimed most of his time, but spare hours still found him in the field; he kept posted on the current literature, and nothing could interrupt his constant contact with his ornithological friends"

744 **Delacour (J.) Birds of Malaysia.** First edition, a very nice copy in d.w., New York, 1947 £20

745 **Delacour (J.) Les oiseaux au Japon.** Offprint, 10 plates, wrappers, Revue d'hist. nat. appl., 1926
£20

Curiously enough this piece is not listed in the author's own bibliography published in New York in 1944. Ronsil p. 131 lists the 4 original articles of which this is a repaginated offprint on better paper.

746 **Delacour (J.) Les oiseaux des Iles Hawaii.** Offprint, wrappers, with about 20 others mostly on oriental ornithology by the same, 1928 £30

747 **Delacour (J.) & Jabouille (P.) Les oiseaux de l'Indochine française.** 4 vol., 67 plates, mostly coloured, some foxing, recent half morocco, 1931 £850

748 **Delacour (J.) & Jabouille (P.) Recherches ornithologiques dans les provinces du Tranninh(Laos)...et quelques autres regions de l'Indochine française,** 8 plates of scenery, 6 coloured lithographs after Gronvold printed by John Bale, Sons & Danielsson Ltd., wrappers, bit worn, Paris, Archiv. soc. Nat. d'Acclim., 1927 £95

749 **Delacour (J.) & Mayr (E.) birds of the Philippines.** First edition, a nice copy in d.w., New York, 1946 £20

750 **Des Murs (M.) Animaux nouveaux our rares...l'Amerique du Sud...sous la direction du Comte de Castelnau.** Facsimiel reprint, 20 coloured plates, 4to., wrappers, bit worn and bumped, "Paris, 1855"[Leipzig, 1922] £40

751 **Des Murs (O.) Traite general d'ologie ornithologique.** Tinted lithograph frontispiece by G. Chariol of Bordeaux, half morocco, scuffed, 1860 £85

"An exhaustive and indispensable work" – Casey Wood

752 **Dewar (D.) The game birds pigeons and waterfowl of India.** Plates(2 coloured), cloth, Calcutta, 1930 £25

753 **Dharmakumarsinhji (R.S.) Birds of Saurashtra, India.** 52 plates(34 coloured), maps, folio, cloth, Bombay, privately printed, [1951] £90

754 **Diesselhorst (G.) Beitrage zur Okologie der Vogel Zentral- und Ost-Nepals.** 40 plates, coloured folding map, cloth, Khumbu Himal 2, Innsbruck, 1968 £35

755 **Dresser (H.E.) A collection of some 30 offprints by Dresser.** Bound in one vol., 4 hand-coloured plates of birds (2 by Gronvold, 2 by Keulemans), 5 coloured plates of eggs, cloth, 1893-1909 £145

Includes pieces on new birds from Tibet(collected on the Younghusband expedition), the St. Kilda Wren, the Russian Arctic expedition of 1900-03 and the birds of Turkestan.

756 **du Pont (J.E.) Philippine birds.** Coloured plates, cloth, Greenville, 1971 £30

757 **Dupond (C.) Contribution a l'etude de la faune ornithologique des Iles Philippines.** Wrappers, bit worn, Brussels, Mem. Mus. Royal, II, 23, 1942 £30

758 **Dzieduszycki (Wladimir, Graf) Grfl. Dzieduszyckisches Museum in Lemberg...II Vogel.** Bit browned, wrappers, worn, stitching broken, Lemberg, 1880 £22

Not in Casey Wood, BM(NH) Cat., Ayer, Ripley or Enders

Rarer than the major works

759 **Elliot (D.G.) A collection of offprints on birds.** 27 pieces in one vol., 4 hand-coloured lithographs(one trimmed), half calf, bit worn, from the collections of A. Milne Edwards (1835-1900, zoologist) and R. Ronsil (1908-56, bibliographer), 1871-78 £450

Elliot produced six large colour plate bird books, including monographs on hornbills, pheasants, grouse and birds of paradise. Many of the present offprints overlap with these interests, otherwise there is a strong emphasis on humming birds, a subject in which he was also an expert. Some pieces are very slight, a mere page or two, but all are of interest. The most substantial titles are *Review of the Ibisinae*, *On the fruit pigeons*, *A study of the Ptercolidae, or family of the sand-grouse*, and *The genus Porphyrio*. Milne Edwards receives printed acknowledgement in several and a number are inscribed to him by Elliot. The collection (unbound) was lot 548 in the Milne Edwards sale in Paris in 1901.

760 **Elliot (D.G.) Review of the Ibisinae, or subfamily of the ibises.** Offprint, hand-coloured plate, half roan, worm, P.Z.S., 1877 £80

761 **Encyclopedie methodique. An almost complete set of the ornithological portion.** In 6 vol., 247 engraved plates, some a bit trimmed, 4to., four different styles of binding, mostly worn, several chunks of text loosely inserted, 1784-1821 £250

Comprises; J.P. Bonnaterre & L.P. Vieillot, *Tableau encyclopedique et methodique*, 3 vol. text and 1 vol. atlas, lacking pp.i- lxxx of the introduction, and the first title and prelims, also without the prelims to the plates (pp i-iv), othwise complete with over 1400 pp.

P.J.E. Mauduyt, *Ornithologie* (drophhead title only; correct?); *Histoire naturelle (des) oiseaux* 2 vol. This text refers to the same atlas as Bonnaterre & Vieillot.

Ronsil 301 , 1000 & 1953 (the last two entries duplicate each other)

762 **Falla (R.A.) Birds [of the B.A.N.Z. Antarctic Research Expedition 1929- 31 under the command of Sir Douglas Mawson],** 4 coloured plates, numerous illus., 4to., cloth backed wrappers, bit worn; inscribed by Mawson to F.H. Bickerton, Adelaide, 1937 £100

763 **Finn (F.) Indian sporting birds...with over 100 illustrations from Hume and Marshall.** 100 coloured plates of birds and 4 of eggs, 4 extra coloured plates from the Bombay Jnl. bound in, some leaves trimmed, recent cloth, Calcutta, 1915 £125

764 **Fletcher (T.B.) Some common Indian birds.** 22 pt., offprints, coloured plates by C.M. Inglis, wrappers (2 missing), cloth box, Calcutta, 1920-23 £35

The original form of what became the well known book *Birds of an Indian garden*, 1924

765 **Flower (S.S.) List of birds of prey 1898-1923.** 430 copies printed, wrappers, inscribed to Kirke Swann, Cairo, govt. Press, 1923 £25

Pigeons in parts.

766 **Fulton (R.) The illustrated book of pigeons.** 50 chromolithographs, an exceptional copy in the original 50 parts, printed wrappers, cloth box, [1885-88] £900

If it were Dickens this would be a sensation. It is in quite remarkable state, with a number of inserted advertisements. "Ein grosses wundervolles Luxuswerk uber Tauben..." Mobes, p. 57

767 [Galton (Samual J.)] **The natural history of birds...intended for the amusement and instruction of children.** 6 pt. in three vol., 116 appealing hand-coloured plates, mostly copied from Edwards and others, without 2 leaves of directions to the binder (as often; and anyway present in the second set, see below), contemporary tree calf, spines rather worn, 1791 £775

Sold with this copy is a second set with uncoloured plates in tree calf rebaked. The first title reads *Plates to the natural history of birds, uncoloured; intended to serve the purpose of a drawing book...being the fourth volume of that work.* This nice didactic work was published by the well known radical and dissenting publisher John Johnson. He was a friend of the author, who was one of the members of the Lunar Society of Birmingham, grandfather of Sir Francis Galton, and a remote cousin of Charles Darwin. In the second Bradly Martin sale (lot 1468) a copy of the book with the coloured plates (only) made 1,430 dollars (though it has to be admitted that there was another copy in a mixed lot later which made less). Both our copies belonged to Richard Freeman and have his pencil notes. *Freeman 1296*

The unique coloured copy

768 **Gerardin (S.) Tableau elementaire d'ornithologie ou histoire naturelle des oiseaux que l'on rencontre communement en France.** 3 vol., two vol. 8vo (text), one vol. 4to (atlas), wash portrait of the author by S. Gauthier, 4 folding tables, 41 engraved plates, beautifully coloured by hand, together with a fine watercolour by the author as an additional plate (XXXVII bis) with 2pp. manuscript text, a contemporary presentation binding of quarter red morocco, sides gilt with anthemium roll, spines gilt in compartments with astrolabe and surveying instruments, presentation leather label inside front cover "A Melle Gerardin de la part de son frere en temoignage d'amicie", early inscription on flyleaf "les planches ontete colouriees par l'auteur lui meme. Seul exemplaire" later in the Gallice and Jeanson collections, with bookplates, Paris, 1806 £4800

A special copy, prepared by the author for presentation to his sister. All other copies have uncoloured plates which are in fact mere outline engravings. Comparaison shows that, besides adding colour and detail to the birds, Gerardin has improved the plates with additions of leaves foliage and backgrounds. The portait is an original by Gauthier "pignus amicitiae" as the signature has it. The extra plate and text continue pl. 37 on taxidermy and give additions details of stuffing and mounting birds. Gerardin also wrote a *Tableau elementaire de botanique*, 1805 which we have recently seen in the trade in a presentation binding very similar to our *Tableau* and clearly by the same binder. *Ronsill182;*

769 **Gibson-Hill (C.) An annotated checklist of the birds of Malaya.** Wrappers, Singapore, bull. Raf. Mus., 1949 £22

770 Giebel (C.) **Thesaurus ornithologiae**. Some foxing, cloth, bit worn, Leipzig, 1872-77 £45

771 Gitz-Johansen () **Mennesker og fugle. Men and birds**. Limited to 500 copies, 25 woodcuts printed from the original blocks, wrappers, slipcase, one corner rather bumped, Copenhagen, 1960 £40

772 Glenister (A.G.) **The birds of the Malay peninsula**. Coloured plates, a nice copy in d.w., 1951 £20

773 Gould (J.) **Prospectus for "Illustrations in ornithology from the Himalaya Mountains"**. Single sheet, 1 Nov., 1830 £75

The work appeared as *A century of birds*.. and there are other differences from the plan set out in the prospectus.

774 Gould (John) **An introduction to the birds of Australia**. Original cloth, spine faded, bit worn; presentation copy inscribed by Gould to Dr. Clarke, and with the recipient's bookplate(printed by Robson & Son) ,printed for the author, 1848 £215

Printed from the proof sheets of the great folio edition. Dr. William Branthwaite Clarke, 1798-1878, was an important Australian geologist.

775 Gray (G.R.) **List of the specimens of birds in the collection of the British Museum**. 9 pt., all published, a complete set, blue wrappers, some a bit soiled, 1844-67 £105

Includes both editions of part I (the only part to be revised), also Gray's *Genera and subgenera*., 1855

776 Greenway (J.C) **Extinct and vanishing birds of the world**. Coloured frontispiece by D.M. Henry, illus., cloth, New York, 1958 £38

777 Groebbels (F.) **Der Vogel, Bau, Funktion [usw.]** 2 vol., illustrations, original half leather, Finn Salomonsen's copy, Berlin, 1932-37 £35

778 Guerin (Rene) **Faune ornithologique ancienne et actuelle des iles Mascareignes, Seychelles, Comores et des iles avoisinantes**. 3 vol., red leather, a local binding, 3 letters from the author to Bradley Martin inserted, Port Louis, Mauritius, General Printing & Stationary co., 1940-53 £475

Very rare. The work was issued as 283 separate monographs. The author tried to complete a set for Mr. Martin but finally sent this copy one of his own.

779 [Gunter (Albert)] **A guide to the Gould collection of humming-birds**. Wrappers, bit worn, BM(NH), 1887 £25

780 Gyldenstolpe (Nils) **Birds collected by the Swedish zoological expedition to Siam 1911-12**. 2 pt., map, 2 plates of scenery, 3 coloured plates of birds, cloth, wrappers bound in , Uppsala & Stockholm, K. Sven. Vetanskap Hand., 1913-16 £45

- 781 **Harington (H.H.) The birds of Burma.** Some browning, recent cloth, Rangoon Gazette Press, 1909 £55
Very scarce; not in Ayer or Ripley; Enders p.111.
- 782 **Hartert (E.) A collection of offprints from Novitates Zoologicae.** 24 pieces in one vol., cloth, 1915-31 £37
Yemen, pigeons, rails, types at Tring, etc.
- 783 **Hartert (E.) Katalog der Vogelsammlung im Museum der Senckenbergischen Naturforschenden Gesellschaft.** Half leather, worn, Frankfort, 1891 £35
- 784 **Harting (J.E.) & Robert (L.P.) Glimpses of bird life.** 20 chromolithographs by Lemerrier & Cie, folio, some slight adhesion from the text, cloth, bit worn, 1880 £75
The plates originally appeared in *Les Oiseaux dans la nature*; Ronsil 2490
- 785 **Hartlaub (G.) On the birds collected in Socotra and Southern Arabia by Dr. Emil Riebeck.** Offprint, hand-coloured plate, sewed, wrappers missing, with two other offprints by the same both with a hand-coloured plate, 1881 £75
- 786 **Hay (Arthur, Marquess of Tweeddale) a list of the birds known to inhabit the Philippine archipelago.** Tinted map, 11 hand-coloured plates, 4to., cloth, offprint from *Trans. Zoo. soc.*, 1875 £150
- 787 **Heilmann (G.) The origin of birds** 2 coloured plates, cloth; Gronvold's copy, given to him by Percy Lowe, 1926 £45
- 788 **Heine (F.) & Reichenow (A.) Nomenclator Musei Heineani ornithologici.** Portrait, half cloth, Berlin, 1882-90 £35
- 789 **Hellmayr (C.) Birds [from Kashmir, Ladak & Sinkiang] of the James Simpson- Roosevelts asiatic expedition** Wrappers, Chicago, Field Mus. Pub., 1929 £35
- 790 **Henon & Mouton-Fontenille (M.J.) L'art d'empailler les oiseaux...seconde edition.** 5 folding engraved plates, rather waterstained, recent half morocco, Lyons, 1802 £75
Ronsil lists only this second edition, but a pencil note on the title by Bradley Martin directs attention to *L'art d'empailler les oiseaux* 1811 (Ronsil p. 358; by Mouton alone) where a list of books on p. 171 gives a date of 1801 for the first edition.
- 791 **Hesse (E.) Übersicht einer Vegelsammlung aus dem Altai. Ein Beitrag zur Ornithologie innerasiens.** Offprint, recent wrappers, bit worn, 1912 £30
- 792 **Hilgert (C.) Katalog der Collection von Erlanger in Nieder-Ingelheim a. Rh.** Portrait of Freiherr von Erlanger (1872-1904), Half leather, worn, Berlin, 1908 £40

- 781 **Harington (H.H.) The birds of Burma.** Some browning, recent cloth, Rangoon Gazette Press, 1909 £55
Very scarce; not in Ayer or Ripley; Enders p.111.
- 782 **Hartert (E.) A collection of offprints from Novitates Zoologicae.** 24 pieces in one vol., cloth, 1915-31 £37
Yemen, pigeons, rails, types at Tring, etc.
- 783 **Hartert (E.) Katalog der Vogelsammlung im Museum der Senckenbergischen Naturforschenden Gesellschaft.** Half leather, worn, Frankfurt, 1891 £35
- 784 **Harting (J.E.) & Robert (L.P.) Glimpses of bird life.** 20 chromolithographs by Lemercier & Cie, folio, some slight adhesion from the text, cloth, bit worn, 1880 £75
The plates originally appeared in *Les Oiseaux dans la nature*; Ronsil 2490
- 785 **Hartlaub (G.) On the birds collected in Socotra and Southern Arabia by Dr. Emil Riebeck.** Offprint, hand-coloured plate, sewed, wrappers missing, with two other offprints by the same both with a hand-coloured plate, 1881 £75
- 786 **Hay (Arthur, Marquess of Tweeddale) a list of the birds known to inhabit the Philippine archipelago.** Tinted map, 11 hand-coloured plates, 4to., cloth, offprint from *Trans. Zoo. soc.*, 1875 £150
- 787 **Heilmann (G.) The origin of birds** 2 coloured plates, cloth; Gronvold's copy, given to him by Percy Lowe, 1926 £45
- 788 **Heine (F.) & Reichenow (A.) Nomenclator Musei Heineani ornithologici.** Portrait, half cloth, Berlin, 1882-90 £35
- 789 **Hellmayr (C.) Birds [from Kashmir, Ladak & Sinkiang] of the James Simpson- Roosevelts asiatic expedition** Wrappers, Chicago, Field Mus. Pub., 1929 £35
- 790 **Henon & Mouton-Fontenille (M.J.) L'art d'empailler les oiseaux...seconde edition.** 5 folding engraved plates, rather waterstained, recent half morocco, Lyons, 1802 £75
Ronsil lists only this second edition, but a pencil note on the title by Bradley Martin directs attention to *L'art d'empailler les oiseaux* 1811 (Ronsil p. 358; by Mouton alone) where a list of books on p. 171 gives a date of 1801 for the first edition.
- 791 **Hesse (E.) Übersicht einer Vegelsammlung aus dem Altai. Ein Beitrag zur Ornis innerasiens.** Offprint, recent wrappers, bit worn, 1912 £30
- 792 **Hilgert (C.) Katalog der Collection von Erlanger in Nieder-Ingelheim a. Rh.** Portrait of Freiherr von Erlanger (1872-1904), Half leather, worn, Berlin, 1908 £40

793 **Hingston (R.) A list of the birds of Dharmasala.** Offprint, cloth by the Civil & Military Gazette press bindery, Lahore, c. 1920 £35
Bound with several others, including P.A. Buxton, Notes on birds from northern and western Persia, c. 1920

794 **Holgersen (H.) Ornithology of the "Brategg" expedition [Antarctic].** Wrappers, Bergen, 1957 £20

795 **Hoogerwerf (A.) De avifauna van Tjibodas...West-Java.** 21 coloured plates, half cloth, Amsterdam, Limosa Vol. 23, 1950 £30

796 **Hopkinson (E.) A list of the birds of the Gambia.** Wrappers, bit soiled, Brighton, Farncombe's printing works, 1919 £10

797 **Horsfield (T.) & Moore (F.) A catalogue of the birds in the museum of the Ho. East-India Company.** 2 vol., cloth, worn, spines defective; official presentation note signed by Horsfield on flyleaves, 1854-58 £25

798 **Housse (E.) Les oiseaux du Chili.** Wrappers, 1948 £22

799 **Hume (A.O.) The indian ornithological collector's vade medum.** Frontispiece, 12mo., cloth, spotted; Captain E.A. Butler's copy (b. 1845, Indian ornithologist) with ms. note on egg blowing, Calcutta, 1874 £45

800 **Hume (A.O.) My scrap book: or rough notes on Indian oology and ornithology.** Half calf, bookplate of G.D. Rowley (1822- 1878; ornithologist), Calcutta, Baptist Mission Press, 1869 £40

801 **Hume (A.O.) Nests and eggs of Indian birds. Rough draft.** 3 pt. in one vol., bound without the titles to the 2nd & 3rd parts (? issued), half morocco, bit worn, Calcutta, 1873(-75) £40

802 **Hume (A.O.) The nests and eggs of Indian birds...second edition.** 3 vol., 12 portraits of ornithologists, cloth, rubbed, 1889-90 £55

Quaritch a bad man of business

803 **Hume (A.O.) & Marshall (C.) The game birds of India, Burmah and Ceylon.** 3 vol., 3 pictorial titles, 4 coloured plates of eggs, 140 chromolithographs of birds printed by F. Waller of Hatton Garden, green cloth, gilt, Bernard Quaritch, 1878-80 £550

A particularly fresh copy. It has the bookplate of Beatrice Mary Chamberlain and a most lively A.L.s. from Hume to her is pasted in. "...It is nominally by Hume and & Marshall; but as you will see from the preface of the first vol. Marshall did not write any part of it. He undertook to look after the plates - & did not do much in that line because when he went to England to do this, his wife ran away, & he was too much engaged, running after her, to attend to other things...altho' Quaritch is a great Bibliophile & altogether the best man living to hunt out a rare copy of some ancient work, he is a bad man of business..."

Huxley to Gould

804 **Huxley (T.H.) On the classification of birds.** Offprint, original blue wrappers, bit worn ; inscribed by Huxley to John Gould, 1867 £85

805 **Ibis. The ibis, a magazine of general ornithology.** Vol. 1-123, but lacking Vol. 8 (i.e. second series vol. 2), the vol. to 1940 contain some 1240 plates of which 630 are hand-coloured and 93 chromolithographs, bound in 94 vol., half calf, a few scrapes, some fading but a good set, the vol. from 1947 onwards in original wrappers, 1859-1981 £6500

Includes the index vols., the jubilee supplement and Cisticola, but lacks the one early volume. In its illustration policy Ibis was rather conservative (as periodicals tend to be); all the coloured plates in the early volumes are hand-coloured. The first chromolithograph does not appear until 1896 but the last is as late as 1940. The last hand-coloured plate appeared in 1914; the first 3 colour process plate in 1902 (quite early) but there were only some 27 up till 1940.

The Bradley Martin and Ronsil sets, sold at auction in 1989 & 1990 made \$16,000 & DM 22,000 respectively (with premium roughly equivalent to take home prices of £10,800 & £9,000). Both sets were mostly bound and were, perhaps, slightly nicer than the present run.

806 **Ibis. The ibis, a magazine of general ornithology.** Vol. 30-88, but lacking Vol. 37 (i.e. 7th. Ser. Vol. 1), first 8 vol. in half leather, not uniform, rest in wrappers, with the indices 1877-1930 in 3 vol. and the Jubilee suppl., 1877-1946 £900

A substantial run of some 70 years; the volumes up to 1914 include a number of hand-coloured plates.

807 **India, a collection of offprints on Indian ornithology.** 31 pieces in one vol., 29 hand-coloured plates, a few by Keulemans, cloth, roughly repaired; Howard Saunders's set, almost all with presentation inscriptions to him, 1872-79 £275

Includes; E. Holdsworth, Catalogue of the birds found in Ceylon; A. Anderson, Raptorial birds of India, 5 pt.; R. Wardlaw-Ramsay, Ornithological notes from Afghanistan, 2 pt. & H. Godwin-Austen, List of the birds collected on the expedition into the Daffa Hills.

808 **Jardine Sir William) A catalogue of the birds contained in the collection.** 210pp., drophead title, half morocco, bit worn, printed by Taylor and Francis, [1874] £275

Rare privately printed catalogue of the birds at Jardine Hall in Dumfriesshire. This copy belonged to Edward Bidwell, the egg collector; at his sale in 1905 it was bought by Alfred Newton, who later presented it to Norman Kinnear. Bound at the end is the sale catalogue of the collection (Puttick & Simpson, 1886; Chalmers-Hunt 119, 2 copies) this is marked up with prices and buyers' names.

809 **Jerdon (T.C.) The birds of India.** 2 vol. in three, cloth, bit worn and faded, Calcutta, 1877 £40

810 **Jerdon (T.C.) The birds of India.** 3 vol., Last title repaired, minor worming, green calf, Calcutta, 1862-64 £85

811 **Jourdain (F.C.R.) A study of parasitism in the Cuckoos.** Offprint, 4 coloured plates, cloth, presentation copy, 1925 £20

812 **Kaup (J.J.) Erste zoologische Vorlesung[all published]. Ueber Classification der Vogel.** Browned, recent wrappers, Darmstadt, 1849 £22

"quite distinct from his *Classification*...although detailing equally his personal views..."-Casey Wood

813 **Kelly (R.B. Talbot) The way of birds.** Plain and coloured illustrations, 4to., cloth, d.w. a bit worn, 1937 £35

- 814 **Kermode (F.) Catalogue of British Columbia birds.** Wrappers, Victoria, 1904 £16
- 815 **Kinnear (N.) & Whistler (H.) The Vernay scientific survey of the Eastern Ghats. Ornithological section.** 17 pt. in one vol., a complete set of the offprints, 2 maps, cloth, ms. index added, Bombay, 1930-37 £45
- 816 **Kleinschmidt (O.) Berajah, zoographia infinita.** 39(?) lieferungen, 145 plain and 74 coloured plates, wrappers, in three cloth boxes, Halle, 1905-37 £475
- The Bradley Martin set of the extraordinary publication. "this remarkable serial-periodical...an attempt to correlate the science and art of Kant with the concepts of modern science. In particular he studies the effect of locality on the different races – especially of birds – and dwells much on the various avian phrases as influenced by geographical distribution...few periodicals are so magnificently and sympathetically illustrated and so beautifully printed." – Casey Wood. He may somewhat overstate the case in these latter remarks, though he is guilty of meiosis when he calls the collation "peculiar"; it is quite insane. In this copy several of the large monographs – *Falco peregrinus* for example – which appeared spread over several lieferungen have been run together to make one, and given new wrappers. We are unable to say if our set is complete, though it certainly runs to the same date as that in Trinity College. The coloured bird plates are an extraordinary mixture, including fine chromolithographs, attractive and not so attractive hand-coloured lithographs (one of these as late as 1935) and dim colour printing or colour tinted photographs.
- 817 **Kolthoff (K.) Studies on birds in the Chinese provinces of Kiangsu and Anhwei.** Offprint, sewed, wrappers missing, Goteborg, 1932 £25
- 818 **Kuhl (H.) Buffoni et Daubentoni figurarum avium coloratarum nomina systematica collegit [etc.].** Considerable contemporary annotation, 4to., contemporary wrappers, spine repaired with cloth, Groningen, 1820 £50
- The sort of item that would be very difficult to sell, except perhaps to the owner of a *Planches enluminees*, but for Casey Wood's comment "A rare and valuable collection of papers..."
- 819 **Lack (David) Ecological isolation in birds.** A very nice copy in d.w., 1971 £20
- 820 **Lampe (E.) Katalog der Vogel-Sammlung des Naturhistorischen Museums zu Wiesbaden. Teil I-III.** All published?, wrappers, bit worn, Wiesbaden, 1904-06 £25
- Not in Enders, Ayer or Ripley
- 821 **Latham (J.) Index ornithologicus.** 2 vol., 4to., contemporary half leather, worn, London, sumptibus auctoris, 1790 £55
- 822 **Latham (J.) Systema ornithologiae...editio nova...curis et opera Eligii Johanneau.** Half morocco, from the collection of P.L. van der Linden (1797-1831, zoologist), Paris, apud editorum, 1809 £55

"Fundamental work" – Casey Wood

823 **Lawrence (G.N.) A collection of offprints.** 26 pieces in one vol., 4 plates, 3 coloured, cloth, bound with the bibliography of Lawrence by Forster; from the collection of W.C. Braislin, the American ornithologist, 1878-92 £85

Includes much on West Indian birds.

824 **Le Maout (J.) Histoire naturelle des oiseaux** 35 lithographs (20 tinted, 15 coloured by hand), numerous text-figures, wrappers, loose, spine broken, the Bradley Martin copy, in a cloth box, Paris, L. Curmer, 1853 £90

All published of Curmer's grandly titled *Les trois regnes de la nature*.

825 **Le Messurier (A.) Game, shore and water birds of India.** 121 text-figures, purple wrappers, front one detached, Clacutta, 1888 £22

826 **Leche (W.) A collection of offprints apparently formed by Wilhelm Leche, b. 1850, the German naturalist.** Upwards of 70 pieces bound in 9 vol., black cloth, lettered "Arbeiten", 8vo and 4to., 1856-1927 £200

Includes; C. Parrot, Ornithologische Wahrnehmungen auf einer Fahrt nach Agypten, 1903; A. v. Jordan, Die Vogelfauna Mallorcas, 1914; E. Buchner, die vogel des St. Petersburger Gouvernements, 1886; A. Laubman, Reise von Prof. Dr. g. Merzbacher im zentralen und ostlichen Thian-Schan. Vogel, 1913; H. v. Berlepsch, On the birds of the Orinoco region, hand-coloured plate by Keulemans, 1902; E. Stresemann, Die Vogel von Seran, 3 plates (one hand- coloured, by Gronvold), 1914; W. Marshall, Die Papagaien, 1889; Tschudi zu Schmidhofen, Die vogel Salzburg's, 1877; T. v. Heuglin, systematische Ubersicht der Vogel Nord-Ost-Afrika's, 1856; A. Reichenow, Die von Herrn Dr. Fr. Stuhlmann in Ostafrika gesammelten Vogel, 1893

The original collector is not certain; one offprint is inscribed to the Bavarian naturalist Andreas Jaeckel.

827 **Legge (W.V.) A history of the birds of Ceylon.** Coloured map, 33 hand-coloured plates of birds by Keulemans, coloured plate of eggs, slight browning, 4to. modern half morocco, 1880 £1750

Very pretty & very rare.

828 **Leonce [G.] Etude d'oiseaux** 31 hand-coloured plates(numbered 1-27 + 4 not num.), 5 of flowers and insects, the rest of birds, loose in cloth backed portfolio, Paris, A. Guerin, c. 1890 £1100

Very decorative plates. Not in any of the ornithological bibliographies; not in NUC or the BL or Bib. Nat. cats.; no mention of the artist in Benezit or Thieme-Becke. NUC does list 2 copies of the same artist's *Plantes et oiseaux* one with 16 plates and one with 20, but one of these is apparently a photographic copy. The only other Leonce entry in NUC is for *Plats & assiettes decors de poissons*, 8 plates, dated [1889], and of this also only one copy is cited. It is true that suites of decorative plates such as the present tend to miss the book bibliographies; there may well be copies in print collections which we have not located. Nevertheless, as Howard Radclyffe once observed (in another context), this could well form the icing on the cake of any substantial ornithological library.

829 **Lesbouyries (G.) La pathologie des oiseaux.** 7 coloured plates, numerous text-figures, 4to., 1941 £45

830 **Lesson (R.P.) Histoire naturelle des oiseaux-mouches; Histoire naturelles des colibris, suivie d'un supplement...des oiseaux-mouches; Les trochilidees ou les colibris et les oiseaux-mouches.** 3 vol., 218 hand-coloured plates, green morocco, gilt, brick red endpapers, g.e., minor repairs but a nice set, bookplate of Earl Manners, Paris, [1829-33] £3500

A complete set of Lesson on hummingbirds, ending with a general index to the genus. In his introduction Lesson lauds his octavo format to the detriment of 4to and folio; it is certainly well adapted to hummingbirds. This is a particularly clean copy with the plates in sparkling condition.

831 **Leverkuhn (P.) A collection of offprints.** 25 pieces in one vol., few plates, half calf, worn, 1890-96 £100

Leverkuhn was a remarkable character and particularly interested in the literature of ornithology. He collected books for "foxy Ferdinand" of Bulgaria, and ran his ornithological institute. His own remarkable library was sold by the Berlin bookseller Max Weg in his Cat. 104, 1907.

The present collection includes; Bucher-Vorlagen auf der bibliothek Leverkuhn; Ein bulgarischer Badeort; Eine Reise nach Finnland; Vogelschutz in England (with a lithograph of a bird catcher on a cliff); Fremde Eier in Nest, usw.

832 **Lewis (J. Spedan) Dispersal of a private collection of live birds.** 8 leaves, priced list, 4to., cloth, c. 1930 £35

The aviaries were in London, at Cookham and at Wargrave, in Berkshire. "Offers of lower price will not be entertained...Mr. Lewis will prefer to retain the birds or to give them away rather than engage in any bargaining."

833 **Lonnberg (E.) Short notes on a collection of birds from Tianshan.** Offprint, tinted plate, sewed, Uppsala, 1905 £10

834 **Loomis (L.M.) A review of the albatrosses, petrels, and diving petrels.** 17 plates, including a map of the Galapagos and portraits of Salvin and Godman, half morocco; presentation copy to J.E. Thayer and T.L. s. to him from the author tipped in, San Francisco, Proc. Calif. Acad. Sci., 1918 £90

Ostrich, gilt

835 **Lowe (P.R.) A collection of offprints.** 34 pieces bound in 3 vol., plates(few coloured), bound by Riviere with a facsimile signature of the author in gilt on front covers, first two vol. in calf(one joint cracking), final vol. in ostrich skin, 1907-28 £300

Birds of central and South America, The Cayman islands, the flightless Rails of Inaccessible Island, the petrels, and in particular, the ostrich. The final volume contains Lowe's long paper on the subject from P.Z. S. together with the ms., on 28 leaves, of his address to the Zoological Society. This suggests a family connection, and a number of the papers are inscribed to Miss Daisy Bate; could she have been his girlfriend?

836 **Lowe (P.R.) Birds [of the British antarctic ("Terra Nova") Expedition, 1910].** 16 lithographed plates, mostly coloured or tinted, folio, wrappers, 1930 £35

837 **Lucas (A.) & Jamroz (C.) Atlas of avian hematology.** 48 coloured plate, 4to., cloth, Washington, U.S. Dept. ag., 1961 £20

838 **Ludlow (F.) The birds of Bhutan.** 3 pt., 4 plates of scenery, 2 maps, and a coloured plate of birds, cloth, Vaurie's bookplate, bound with 5 similar offprints, 1927-51 £100

839 Ludlow (F.) **Birds of the Gyantse neighbourhood, 3 pt., 1927-28; The birds of South-eastern Tibet, 4 pt., 1944-51; The birds of Lhasa, 1950** In one vol., plates and maps, several with Meincertzhagen's signature, cloth, Vaurie's bookplate, bound with 3 similar offprints, including birds from the 1st Everest expedition (Kinnear; with a coloured plate by Gronvold) and the 2nd (Hingston), 1922-50 £150

840 Madoc (G.C.) **An introduction to Malayan birds.** Wrappers, bit worn, Singapore, Ma. Nat. Jnl., 1947 £22

841 Malo (C.) **La voliere des dames.** Pictorial title and 11 plates, all coloured by hand, after drawings by P. Bessa, original cream boards, g.e., bit worn and soiled, Paris, [1815] £105

842 Marcuello (Francisco) **Primera parte de la historia natural y moral de la aves.** All published, woodcut arms of the dedicatee (Dona Luysa de Padilla) on title, woodcut of the author, 102 small woodcuts of birds, some stains and repairs, few minor holes, text just affected in several places, old names inked from title (one seems to be Juan Lopez, a Carmelite; 17th. Cent.?), old vellum, bit worn, flyleaves torn out, Saragossa, 1617 £3000

The first Spanish book on birds; as might be expected the morality outweighs the ornithology. The author was a cleric from a noble Aragonese family. He does cite plenty of authorities (Pliny, Petrarck, Bartholomaeus Anglicus, etc.) but the text also includes his own observations. The woodcuts are of a most endearing simplicity and have much more character than many a more sophisticated representation. "interesting, exceedingly rare and curious" – Casey Wood. See illustration on front cover *Casey Wood 450; Palau 151290; Not in Ayer, Trinity or Yale.*

843 Marshall (G.F.L.) **Birds' nesting in India.** 13 lithograph plates, cloth, rather worn, Calcutta, 1877 £35

844 Martinet (F.N.) **Histoire des oiseaux, peints dans tout leurs aspects.** 8 vol. in nine, 9 engraved title, 8 allegorical frontispieces, 463 engraved plates, all beautifully coloured by hand, minor foxing, one plate a little defective, contemporary tree calf, emblematically gilt, slight rubbing but in very good state, Paris, chez l'auteur, 1787-96 Sold

A fine set of a very rare work. Martinet is best known for his illustrations to one of the great ornithological classics, the *Martinet Buffon*. This, the *Planches enluminees* as it was called, was designed by Buffon as the most lavish reworking of the bird section of his *Histoire naturelle* with coloured plates; Martinet was selected as the artist. However he was not satisfied with the result, and to give himself artistic freedom he started to publish his own colour plate bird books. He was a lovely artist but seems to have been a bad organiser. His own projected folio edition seems to have petered out with nothing to show but a couple of sets of proofs (one was Bradley Martin sale, pt. 1, lot 155 bought by Maggs; it seems to be unique; it is now in a private collection in England). He was a little more successful with this 8vo edition but not much. It is very rare and all the copies I have seen are different. A total of 483 plates is sometimes cited, but I have yet to find a copy with the so-called full complement. A number of copies consist of the first six volumes only. The Bradley Martin octavo set (lot 156; bought by Maggs; now in an English private collection) had one less plate than present here; the ex-Rothschild copy at Tring does have three more bird plates but lacks all but one of the charming allegorical frontispieces. Dr. Bertrand Sauzier is presently writing a paper on Martinet and his bird books which may clarify some of this confusion; in the meantime the present set is the finest I have ever seen of this rare and desirable work. *Nissen 598; Ronsil 1932*

845 Mathews (G.M.) & Hallstrom (E.) **Notes on the order Procellariiformes.** 4 folding tables, wrappers, Canberra, 1943 £22

- 846 **McGregor (R.C.)** **A collection of offprints on the birds of the Philippines** About 20 offprints, few plates, bound in half calf, 5 pieces loosely inserted, Manila, 1907-27 £45
- 847 **McGregor (R.C.)** **A manual of Philippine birds.** 2 pt.in one vol., cloth, one leaf chipped and defective replaced with photocopy, Manila, 1909 £25
- 848 **Meinertzhagen (R.)** **Systematic results of birds collected at high altitudes in Ladak and Sikkim, 2 pt. 1927; Some biological problems connected with the Himalaya, 1928** In one vol., 13 maps, coloured plate after Gronvold, A.L.s. from the author to Whistler inserted, cloth, bound with three other papers on Ladak and Kashmir, bookplate of Vaurie, 1896-1928 £90
- 849 **Melides (N.)** **Perruches australiennes et autres psittacides.** 32 coloured plates by P.A. Robert, cloth, Neuchatel, 1960 £25
- 850 **Menegaux (A.)** **Catalogue des oiseaux de la collection Marmottan du Museum.** Limp leather, Tours, 1912 £25
- 851 **Menegaux (A.)** **Etudes des oiseaux de l'equateur.** Extract from "Mission du service géographique de l'armée... arc de meridien equatorial en Amerique du Sud", 4 coloured plates, recent wrappers, worn, last plate with small marginal tears, 1911 £45
- 852 **Menegaux (A.)** **Sur les oiseaux sedentaires dans les bassins du pungoue et du bas Zambeze.** Offprint, 2 hand-coloured plates by Gronvold, wrappers, Berlin, 1910 £30
- 853 **Merrem (B.)** **Avium rariorum et minus cognitarum icones et descriptiones.** 2 pt. in one vol., 12 hand-coloured engraved plates, 4to., half calf, worn, spine defective, stamp of the cleric P. Buchholz and note tipped in suggesting that he inherited the book from his uncle Dr. Gratzfeld, and thus from the Cologne archepiscopal library, Leipzig, J. G. Muller (with the types of Breitkopf), 1786-87 £6500
 Rare and with very attractive plates, one of which depicts the Hawaiian Oo described on Cook's voyage but extinct since 1859. The German version, 1784-86, seems to be commoner than this Latin one. NUC list two copies of it and there are copies in BM(NH), Ayer, Casey Wood and Bradley Martin (but these two latter both lacked a plate). Neither edition is in Ripley or Enders. The plates in both versions are, apart from the captions, identical.
- 854 **Merriam (C. Hart)** **A collection of offprints.** 30 pieces in one vol., few maps and plates, half morocco, bound for W.C. Braislin and two T.L.s.s from the author to him bound in, 1881-94 £100
 "They comprise Dr. Merriam's most important papers on birds; including the entire series relating to the Birds of the Adirondacks, of Lewis Count, Northern New York and of Quebec..." according to BRaislin's note. Also included are pieces on birds of Bermuda, and several offprints from *Results of a biological survey of the San Francisco mountain region and desert of the little Colorado in Arizona.*, 1890. This latter has woodcut plate of San Francisco mountain and 7 coloured maps.
- 855 **Michaelis (H. von)** **Birds of the gauntlet.** Plates, 4to., cloth, d.w. repaired, 1952 £25

856 **Montagu (G.) Ornithological dictionary.** 3 vol. 25 plates after Eliza Dorville, one coloured by hand, some leaves trimmed, some foxing, uniform half calf, worn, one backstrip almost off, London, 1802-Exeter, 1813 £90

Copies complete with the supplement are uncommon.

857 **Muller (A.) Die Ornis der Insel Salanga...Ornithologie der Halbinsel Malakka.** 2 folding charts, text browned, wrappers, Naumburg, 1882 £40

A dissertation; very scarce.

858 **Murie (J.) On the cranial appendages and wattles of the horned Tragopan.** Offprint, 2 hand-coloured lithograph plates, wrappers; inscribed, 1872 £20

859 **Murray (J.A.) The avifauna of British India.** 2 vol., 36 plates, of which 20 are coloured or partly coloured by hand, original blue cloth, gilt, bit loose, stamp on titles but a bright copy, 1887-90 £245

A book with some attractive plates, but organised in a muddle. The plates are mostly lithographs, and these fall roughly into two groups. There are 11 plates printed in India at the Byculla Education Society's press and lithographed by Ignatius Siqueira; these all have hand colouring though it is very sketchy. There are 18 plates by Mintern brothers, London of which 8 are fully coloured by hand. Two of the "Mintern" plates have a BES imprint and were probably prepared in England and printed in India.

The number of plates which should be present is confused but we believe this copy to be complete, although Nissen calls for 37 plates. The plates in Vol. 1 conform to the list except there is an additional plate of the skeleton of *Balearica pavonina* which is not called for; also there is a slip @ p. 107 promising two plates (*Corvus corax*, *Pyrrhocorax alpinus*) which never appeared. In Vol. 2 two woodcuts - those at 363 & 372 - appear on separate leaves while there is a coloured plate of *Cinnyris minimus* @ p. 228 which is not called for. All three species of *Aethopyga* seem to appear on one plate at p. 222, not separate plates as listed.

860 **Murray (J.A.) The edible and game birds of British India.** 7 plates, of which four are coloured or partly coloured by hand, numerous text-figures, blue pencilling in text, cloth, rather worn, flyleaf torn out, London & Bombay (printed at the latter), 1889 £55

861 **Museum of comparative oology. Journal [later] The comparative oologist.** 5 pt., all published, plates, wrappers, bit worn, Santa Barbara, 1919-24 £30

Keulemans Alca

862 **Naumann (J.A.) Naturgeschichte der Vogel Mitteleuropas. Der Riesenalk, *alca impennis* L. neu bearbeitet von Dr. W. Blasius...Sonderabdruck aus Bd. XII der Julaums-Ausgabe.** Coloured plate of eggs, coloured plate of the bird by Keulemans, 3 uncoloured plates, folio, original quarter cloth, bit worn, Gera-Untermhaus, 1903 £275

Offprint from Naumann; we have never seen anything similar before. The front board is printed with the title and the skeleton of the bird, from one of the plates.

863 **Nehrkorn (Adolph) Katalog der Eiersammlung...II Auflage.** 2 vol. (includes the supplement), portrait, 6 coloured lithographs of eggs, original cloth, bit worn, F.C.R. Jourdain's copy with considerable neat annotation, Berlin, 1910-14 £250

864 **Newton (A.) Psittaci novae speciei ad conurum genus pertinentis descriptio.** 2 leaves, Sitomagi Icenorum [Thetford], excudebat A. Farr, 1859 £20

Why Newton should wish to publish the description of a new species in this eccentric manner is difficult to conjecture; perhaps he had a row with an editor. His home was at Elvedon Hall, a gigantic pile about 4 miles from Thetford. We are obliged to Tony Copsey Esq. for confirming that Alfred Farr was a bookseller and printer at Thetford in 1855

865 **Norgaard-Olesen (E.) Tanagers.** 2 vol., plates, wrappers, Skibby, Denmark, 1973-74 £30

866 **Oates (E.W.) A handbook to the birds of British Burmah.** 2 vol., coloured folding map, contemporary half morocco, rubbed, 1883 £55

867 **Oates (E.W.) The fauna of British India...birds.** 4 vol., first edition, cloth, faded, 1889-98 £25

868 **Oberholser (H.C.) Notes on birds collected by Doctor W.L. Abbott in central Asia.** Offprint, half cloth, Washington, 1900 £20

869 **Osmaston (B.B.) Birds of Dehra Dun.** Wrappers; Hugh Whistler's copy, with annotations, [Bombay?], suppl. to I.M.A. jnl., 1935 £30

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871 **Owen (R.) Description of the skeleton of the Great Auk.** Extract from T.Z.S., 2 lithograph plates, modern wrappers, 1865 £45

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873 **Pelzeln (A. von) a collection of offprints.** 8 pieces in one vol., 3 plates (2 coloured), cloth, from the Ayer library with cancelled stamp, 1856-63 £35

874 **Pesotte (-) Cahier de differents oiseaux.** 6 soft ground etchings (numbered 1-6) , engraved by [J.F.] Janinet after Pesotte, quarter morocco, Paris, chez Jean, rue Jean de Beauvais No. 10, c.1780? £425

Apparently unrecorded. Not in any of the ornithological bibliographies; not in NUC, BM or Bib. Nat. Cats; artist not in Thieme-Becke or Benezit(under Pesotte, Pefotte or Besotte). Not in the Berlin Kat., though No. 515 is an imperfect suite of engraved ornament with the same imprint and a suggested date of 1795. It is certainly true that suites of plates are less likely to make the bibliographies than printed books; still our bird plates do seem to be very rare . Janinet, 1752-1814 was a celebrated engraver, particularly of mezzotints. Portalis & Beraldi, II, 476- 87 attempt a catalogue of his engravings; our *Cahier* is not included.

875 **Pinchon (R.) Faune des Antilles francaises. Les oiseaux.** Plates, wrappers, Fort-de-France, Guadeloupe, 1963 £36

- 876 **Potiez (V.) Musee de Douai. Catalogue...des vertebres. 2e partie oiseaux [Fasc. 1; all published].** Pink printed wrappers, rather worn, Paris, 1863 £25
Ronsil 2420; the only other portion of the nat. hist. cat. to be published seems to be the molluscs, 1838-44
- 877 **Prevost (J.) Ecologie du Manchot Empereur.** Plates, wrappers, Exp. pol. franc., 1961 £18
- 878 **Priest (C.D.) Eggs of birds breeding in Southern Africa.** 20 coloured plates, cloth, Glasgow, 1948 £35
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- 882 [**Reid (G.)**] **Catalogue of the birds in the provincial museum...Lucknow.** Cloth; inscription by Paul Leverkus recording the gift of the book in Kiel in 1888 presumably from the author, Calcutta, 1886 £25
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- 885 **Ripley (S.D.) A synopsis of the birds of India and Pakistan.** Cloth, Bombay, 1961 £22
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- 887 **Robinson (H.C.) a.o. The birds of the Malay peninsula.** 5 vol., plates, many coloured, cloth, spine of first two vol. faded else a nice set, 1927-76 £625
- 888 [**Rust (Dr.)**]. **Katalog der systematischen vogelsammlung des Provinzial- Museums in Hannover (...der Vogelsammlung aus der Provinz Hannover).** 2 vol., wrappers, Hannover, 1897 £25

889 **Sabbagh (M.)** *La colombe, messagere plus radide que l'eclair...traduit de l'arabe en françois par A.I. Silverstre de Sacy.* Text in French and Arabic, original wrappers, uncut, bit worn, Paris, Imprimerie Imperial, 1805 £165

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890 **Salvadori (T.)** *On Acomus inornatus [a new pheasant from Sumatra]* Offprint, hand-coloured plate, wrappers, with four other offprints by the same, one with a hand-coloured plate, 1879 £50

891 **Salvin (O.)** *A catalogue of the collection of birds formed by the late Hugh Edwin Strickland.* Later cloth, bit worn, Cambridge, 1882 £20

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- 904 **Sharpe (R. Bowdler) On the geographical distribution of the Accipitres; ;Contributions to a history of the Accipitres, 5 pt.(? only).** In one vol., with a few other offprints by the same, 9 coloured maps, 4 hand-coloured plates(1 by Keulemans), interleaved, half leather, lettered as vol. 1, 1874-84 £65
- 905 **Smith (Greene) Catalogue of birds, eggs and nests. Museum Greene Smith, Peterboro, N.Y.** Pp. 162, cloth, C. Hart Merriam's copy, with signature, Morrisville, printed at the Madison Observer Office, 1881 £100
Very rare; not in Casey Wood, BM(NH) Cat., Ayer, Ripley or Enders. Loosely inserted are two of the collector's printed desiderata lists, dated 1879 and 1880. He makes the wistful comments in the catalogue "The cases are sadly scattered about the building, as to numerical order. This could not be avoided, on account of there not being room."
- 906 **Smith (H.C.) Notes on birds of Burma.** Drophead title, as issued, cloth; inscribed by the author to Norman Kinnear,(Simla, Liddell's printing works, 1943) £45
The author walked out of Burma via Manipur in 1942 presumably carrying his most extensive notes with him; which he then had printed at Simla amid wars and rumours of wars.
- 907 **Smythies (B.) Birds of Burma.** 31 coloured plates, original green cloth, bit worn, Rangoon, American Baptist Mission Press, 1940 £150
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- 908 **Smythies (B.E.) The birds of Burma.** 31 coloured plates, a very nice copy in dust wrapper, 1953 £80

- 909 **Someren** (V. van) **A list of birds collected in Uganda and British East Africa.** Offprint, plates, cloth, shabby, bound with five similar papers, 1916 £55
- 910 **Souance** (C. de) **Catalogue des perroquets de la collection du Prince Massena d'Essling.** Offprint, wrappers, bit worn, 1856 £20
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- 915 **Stevens** (J.C., *auctioneer*) **A catalogue of the collection of birds eggs formed by J. E. Harting.** Sewed, stitching broken, 6 June, 1872 £80
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- 916 **Stevens's Auction Rooms Ltd. Sale No. 14, 294...collection of British birds' eggs formed by the late J.E. Harting (and other properties)** Sewed, bit worn, 8 May, 1928 £20
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- 918 **Stresemann** (E.) **A collection of offprints.** 16 pieces in one vol., cloth, Charles Vaurie's set with his bookplates, 1919-56 £26
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- 920 **Stresemann** (E.) a.o. **Aves beickianae. Beitrage zur Ornithologie von Nordwest- Kansu.** 2 pt. in one vol., offprints, cloth, Vaurie's bookplate, 1937-38 £65

921 **Strickland (H.E.) Ornithological synonyms...Vol. I Accipitres.** All published, 2 copies, one in half calf, rebounded, the other in binder's cloth, both Sir William Jardine's copies, interleaved and with numerous ms. notes and corrections, the former in the collection of Hugh Whistler, both later in the H. Bradley Martin collection, Van Voorst, 1855 £275

Jardine was part editor of the work. A number of the notes derive from C.L. Bonaparte, and were taken down by Jardine when the prince visited Edinburgh in 1855. The relationship between the two copies is complex and both contain different information, though there is some overlap. One seems to represent a general revision (which was never published) the other concentrates more on Jardine's own collection at Jardine Hall, Lockerby, Dumfries.

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922 **Strickland (H.E.) Ornithological synonyms...Vol. I Accipitres.** All published, J.H. Gurney's copy, interleaved and simply stuffed with annotations, including pasted in letters and a few pencil sketches, half morocco, bit worn, 1855 £250

John Henry Gurney (1848-1922) was one of the great figures on the Victorian ornithological scene. He published some 130 books and papers, while his comfortable financial position as one of the banking Gurneys, enabled him to build a very fine ornithological library. He was particularly interested in Raptorial birds. In 1894 his catalogue of Raptorial birds in the Norwich Museum, a collection put together by his father and himself, showed that they had obtained 403 of 470 species of Accipitres and 195 of 268 Stirges. These are exactly the birds covered by Strickland; this copy thus provides an unrivalled documentation of these birds in the late 19th. century.

Gurney's library was sold on the premises at Keswick hall in 1940. This book was the reader in lot 624; with 17 other ornithological books it made 9 shillings to Edwards.

923 **Suchetet (A.) Des hybrides...1 volume (classe des oiseaux).** All published, modern cloth, Lille, 1896 £65

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927 **Tegetmeier (W.B.) The poultry book.** Coloured title and 29 coloured plates printed by Leighton Bros. after drawings by Harrison Weir, old inscription partly erased from title, original green cloth stamped in gilt and blind, a little worn, 1867 £350

928 **Temminck (C.J.) Manuel d'ornithologie...seconde edition, considerablement augmentee.** 4 vol., minor foxing, half morocco, bit worn but sound, Francois Haverschmidt's copy with his signature and date of acquisition (30 Aug. 1943), Paris, 1820-40 £80

Contains many new names. The last two parts were edited by Edmond d'Ocagne whose name appears only (as far as I can see) on the halftitle of vol. 4; an argument for the niceities of bibliophilia.

929 **Temminck (C.J.) Manuel d'ornithologie...seconde edition considerablement augmentee.** 4 vol. in three, illustrated with the 531 hand-coloured plates from Werner's "Atlas", the brief text of which is also bound in, minor foxing, a very nice set in green morocco, gilt, g.e., by Hayday , bound for E.V. Utterson, with his gilt vellum booklabel, later in the Bradley Martin collection, Paris, 1820-40 £4000

J.C. Werner's *Atlas des oiseaux d'Europe*, 1842 was specially designed to illustrate Temminck's *Manual*; but the two books are rarely found in conjunction. This copy has an extra plate of a Guillemot (*Uria lacrymans*) not in the list of plates and presumably a cancelland. Loosely inserted in a card with a pencil note in Bradley Martin's hand detailing this point.

This is a particularly attractive set, bound for E.V. Utterson, 1778-1856 the collector and bibliophile. He was a friend of Dibdin (who called him "Palmerin") and a founder member of the Roxburghe club. For further details see de Ricci and R. Turley's article on him in *The book collector*, 1976.

930 **Temminck (C.J.) Observations sur la classification methodique des oiseaux...par L.P. Vieillot.** A very nice copy in original drap wrappers, uncut, booklabel of Andre le Breton, Amsterdam, 1817 £60

The controversy centres round Illiger's reclassification of 1811. Vieillot is accused, among other things, of plagiarising Cuvier.

931 **Thayer (J.E.) Ornithological collection of John Eliot Thayer.** 12 leaves, folio, wrappers, tattered, Lancaster, Mass., c. 1910? £50

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932 **Toussenel (A.) L'esprit des betes. Le monde des oiseaux, ornithologie passionnelle.** 3 vol., portrait, half morocco, neat, 1853-55 £50
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933 **Trouessart (E.) Les oiseaux utiles.** 44 chromolithographs after L.P. Robert, slight marks from adhesions of the flimsycs, 4to., cloth, [1891] £90
Ronsil 2964.6; the plates originally appeared in 2490.

934 **Turner (W.) On birds...edited, with introduction, translation, notes and appendix, by A.H. Evans.** Cloth, Cambridge, 1903 £25

935 **Umlauf (J.F.G., *Naturalien handlung*) No. 116. Presiliste uber exotische und europaische Vogelbalge** 32pp., wrappers, bit worn, dated in pencil, Hamburg, (1901) £25
This flourishing trade is not well documented.

936 **United Kingdom foreign cage-bird society. Reports, Vol. 1-4.** All published, first vol. in half roan, rest in cloth, Preston, Lancs., 1890-95 £45

937 Uspenskii (S.M.) **Life in high latitudes**. Plates, cloth, New Delhi, 1984

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938 Verheyen (R.) **Oiseaux (Exploration du Parc National de l'Upemba)**. 5 plates, wrappers, Brussels, 1953

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939 Verreaux (J.) **Notes sur quelques oiseaux ...voyage de M. l'Abbe Armand David dans le Thibet oriental**. Offprint, hand-coloured plate by Huet, 4to., rather waterstained, wrappers, worn, c. 1880

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2 other offprints by the same, with another 3 coloured plates, are included.

940 Wagler (J.G.) **Systema avium...pars prima**. All published, the J.E. Harting-H.J. Gurney copy (though the latter's signature is erased), some foxing, half dark blue morocco, joints cracking, by Scott & Benson of Carlisle, with their ticket, Stuttgart & Tubingen, 1827

£165

"An unfinished classic describing many new genera and species...is becoming very scarce." – Casey Wood. The binders represent a short lived partnership between Hudson Scott and a Mr. Benson (probably a financier or non booktrade figure). They were at the former's address at 11 English St. for only 3 years (1844-47); see Smith.

941 Wait (W.E.) **Coloured plates of the birds of Ceylon**. 4 pt. in one vol., 64 coloured plates by G.M. Henry, minor browning, 4to., cloth, by the Caxton printing works bindery, Colombo, with their ticket, 1927-35

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942 Wait (W.E.) **Manual of the birds of Ceylon**. Second edition, map., 4to., minor worming at beginning, cloth, stained and a bit worn; presentation copy, Colombo, 1931

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943 Wardlaw-Ramsay (R.) **Ornithological notes from Afghanistan**. 2 pt., offprints, wrappers, bit worn; inscribed, [1879-80]

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944 Warren (R.) **Type-specimens of birds in the British Museum(Natural History)**. 3 vol., wrappers, little worn, 1966-73

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945 Wilson (E.) **Birds of the Antarctic edited by Brian Roberts** Plates, some coloured, 4to., cloth, 1967

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946 Wood (Casey A.) & Wetmore (A.) **A collection of birds from the Fiji islands**. Offprint, 2 (not 3 as a misprint suggests) pt. in one, 2 coloured plates, wrappers, 1925-26

£25

Lane's Parrots?

947 Wood (N.) **The ornithologist's text-book, being reviews of ornithological works**. Few library stamps, cloth, bit worn and faded, the H. H. Sharland-North Devon Athenacum-Quaritch copy, priced by Howard Radclyffe, 1836

£200

A scarce book. The list of bird books with comments is absolutely rivetting; its refreshingly individual taste is best given by a few quotations. On Donovan "This is a work of little merit, and wholly useless to the Ornithologist. The descriptions are short and inaccurate, and the plates stiff and

gaudy." On Gerardin "...can easily be dispensed with at the present day"
He also notices Mrs. Perrot ("coloured £1 1s; uncoloured, 14s.") and Mr. Lane's *Figures of the Parrots*, 1831 ("This splendid work...the most beautiful, and *masterly* work, delineating birds, ever published in Britain..."). Mr. Lane seems to have eluded everyone else; it is quite appropriate that he should be in Wood.

948 **Wright** (Lewis) **The illustrated book of poultry**. 50 chromolithographs by Vincent Brooks Day & Son after drawings by J.W. Ludlow, minor foxing but a very good copy of a book usually found in poor state, 4to., original dark green cloth, blocked in gilt and black with a cockerell head in red and white, g.e., 1873 £800

949 **Wright** (R.G.) & **Dewar** (D.) **The ducks of India**. 22 coloured plates by Wright, cloth, faded, 1925 £40



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