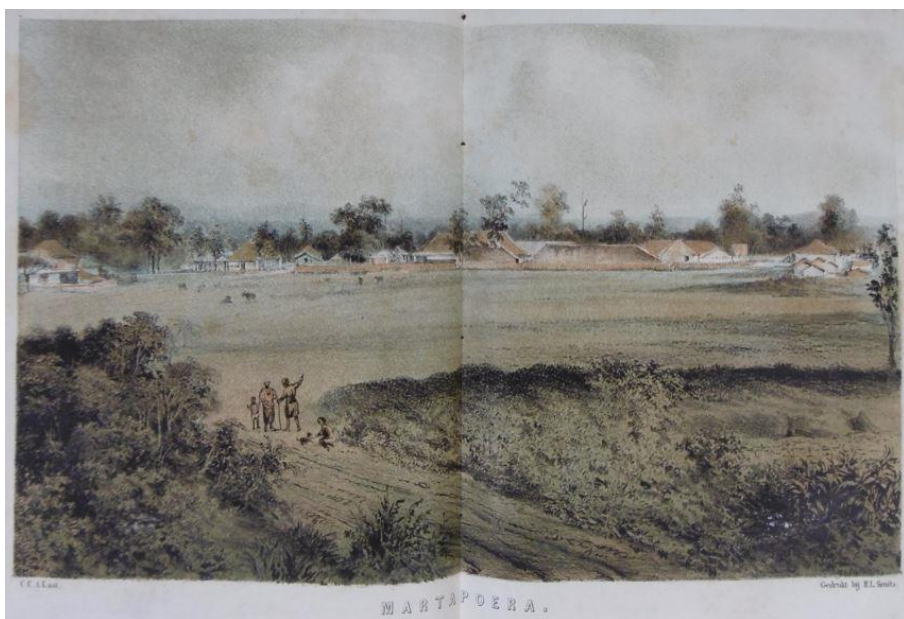


***GERT JAN BESTEBREURTJE
RARE BOOKS***



***CATALOGUE 234
THROUGH TRAVELLER'S EYES***

***GERT JAN BESTEBREURTJE
RARE BOOKS***

Langendijk 8, 4132 AK Vianen

The Netherlands

Telephone+31 - (0)347 - 322548

E-mail:

info@gertjanbestebreurtje.com

Visit our Web-page at

<http://www.gertjanbestebreurtje.com>

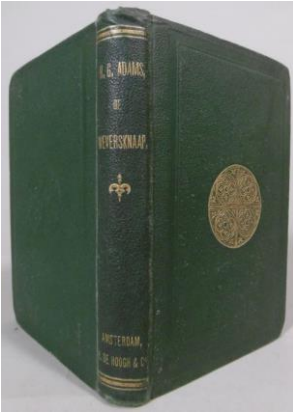


***CATALOGUE 234
THROUGH TRAVELLER'S EYES***

Please note that all prices are in euros, for customers within the European Community VAT will be added to the prices.

Illustration no. 107: **REES, Willem Adriaan van.**
De Bandjermasinsche krijg van 1859-1863. Arnhem, D.A.
Thieme, 1865-1867.





1 **ADAMS, H.G.** De weversknaap, of schetsen uit het leven van David Livingstone. Uit het Engelsch vertaald door E. Gerdes. Amsterdam, H. de Hoogh & Co., (ca. 1880). Original decorated green cloth. With 2 woodengraved plates. (6),253 pp. € 65,00

First published in London in 1867 *The weaver-boy who became a missionary: Being the story of the life and labours of David Livingstone.*



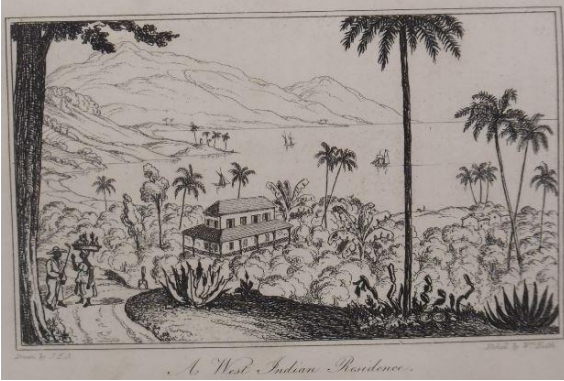
2 **ADRIANI, N. & A.C. KRUYT.** De Bare'e sprekende Toradja's van Midden-Celebes (de Oost-Toradjas). 2e geheel omgewerkte druk. Amsterdam, Noord-Hollandsche Uitgevers Maatschappij, 1950-1951.

3 text volumes + plate volume

with 159 photographic illustrations + portfolio with 2 folding maps and 13 plates (7 in colours). € 295,00

A completely revised and enlarged second edition of the ethnographic volumes; first edition published in Batavia, Landsdrukkerij, 1912-1914. - The language spoken in the central area of Sulawesi, mainly the district of Poso, was for a long time, following the local custom, known as Bare', its word for 'not', but has recent years been renamed Pamona, which is a place on the northern bank of Lake Poso. A description of the language by Nicolaus Adriani (1865-1926) was not included in this re-edition. Albertus Christiaan Kruyt (1869-1949), who worked in the same area as Adriani, was a well-known ethnographer. - *A classic anthropological monograph of the Toradjas of Sulawesi, Indonesia.*

Noorduyn, The languages of Sulawesi, p.88.



3 **ALEXANDER, James Edward.**

Transatlantic sketches, comprising visits to the most interesting scenes in North and South America, and the West Indies. With notes on negro slavery and Canadian emigration. London, Richard

Bentley, 1833.

2 volumes. Contemporary half calf, with green and red morocco labels on spines. With two etched frontispieces, etched map and 8 etched plates by W. Heath. XXIII,384; XIII,320 pp. € 875,00

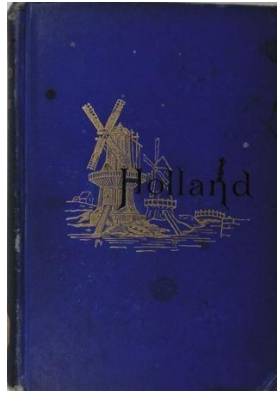
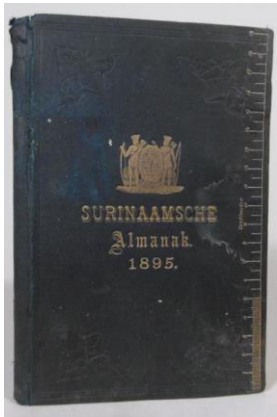
First edition. - 'The author, a well-to-do unattached military officer, went to the new world in 1831. He visited the Guiana coast, the West India islands (Barbados, Tobago, Trinidad, Grenada, St. Vincent, Jamaica, Cuba), the Mississippi valley and that of the St. Lawrence and the eastern part of the United States. His account .. consists of brief descriptions and keen observations on local life and society. .. The author opposes sudden emancipation and holds that the planters had not been given fair hearings. Supports them as against the abolitionists in a temperate, reasonable manner, an entire chapter being devoted to their defence' (*Ragatz p.215*).. - (Names cut from printed title-pages).

Sabin 735; Hough, The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection, 801; Clark III,3.

4 **ALMANAC.** Surinaamsche almanak voor het jaar 1895.

Paramaribo, Erve J. Morpurgo, (1894).

Original blind-tooled cloth with gilt lettering and coat of arms on frontcover (sl.soiled). With lithographed portrait of Jacques Henriques de Granada and advertisements. 222; XXIII pp. € 125,00



5 **AMICIS, Edmondo de.** Holland and its people. Translated from the Italian by Caroline Tilton. New York, London, G.P. Putman's Sons, 1893.

Original pictorial gilt cloth (spine ends dam.). With 57 illustrations and plates. VI,484 pp. € 45,00

Ex Bibl. Gilbert Hart Library.



6 **ANDERSON, John.** Mission to the East coast of Sumatra, in 1823, under the direction of the government of Prince of Wales Island: including historical and descriptive sketches of the country, an

account of the commerce, population, and the manners and customs of the inhabitants, and a visit to the Batta cannibal staes in the interior.

Edinburgh, William Blackwood, London, T. Cadell, 1826.

Period style later half calf, spine gilt, with black morocco title label.

With 4 folding maps and 8 line engraved plates with etching by

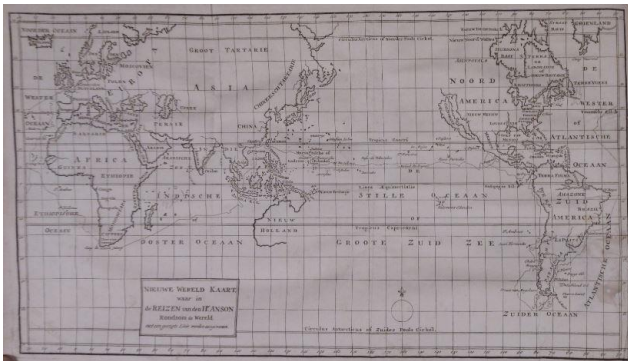
William Home Lizars. XXIII,424 pp.

€ 1.450,00

First edition; with bookplate of Newport Public Libraries. - John Anderson (1795-1845) was a Scottish colonial civil servant, writer and traveller. He received an appointment to the civil service of the East India Company in 1813, and is first encountered as a 'writer' at the British colony of Penang, in Malaya, then known as Prince of Wales Island. He subsequently served as deputy warehouse-keeper and Malay translator, and in 1821 was promoted to the rank of factor. In February and March 1823 he acted as agent for the governor of Penang in 'procuring engagements' from the sultans of Delly and Siack, and the rajah of Langkat, in Sumatra. He was also despatched to Perak and Selangor, where he successfully concluded a treaty with Sultan Ibrahim of Selangor (*Howgego p.6*).

Including captain Crooke's report of Jambi. - *A fine copy.*

Bastin-Brommer N53; Cat. KITLV p.17; Wellan-Helfrich D11.



7 ANSON, George. Reize rondsom de wereld, gedaan in de jaaren 1740 tot 1744.. op een expeditie naar de Zuidzee; opgesteld uit de journaalen en andere papieren van.. Anson zelve,

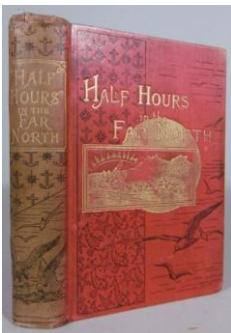
en onder zyn opzicht uitgegeven door Richard Walter. Uit het Engelsch vertaald. 3e druk .. merkelyk verbeterd. (*And:)* Reize naer de Zuidzee, met het schip *De Wager*, onder het opzicht van George Anson, ondernomen in den jaere 1740. Zynde een vervolg op de reize van .. Anson. In't Nederduitsch vertaald. (1e druk). Leiden, Amsterdam, Johannes Le Mair, Stephanus Jacobus Baalde, Cornelis van Hoogeveen, 1765-1766.

2 volumes. 4to. 19th century half cloth, spines gilt. With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, 15 folding maps and plans (2 small tears rep.) and 20 folding plates; title-page

printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette and 8 engraved plates (4 folding). (32), 384,(1); (36),212,(16) pp. € 1.850,00

First published in Dutch in 1749. - Official account of Anson's (1697-1762) famous privateering expedition (1740-1744) of seven vessels against Spanish commerce in the Pacific, edited from Anson's papers by Richard Walter, chaplain of the expedition. Although Anson lost most of his crew (an estimated 1000 lost to scurvy, 300 to typhus and dysentery, four in action and the remainder to shipwreck), and all but one of his ships, he did return with a vast bounty. Anson's voyage appears to have been the most popular book of maritime adventure of the 18th century. His exploits brought back new knowledge about the little-known regions around the southern tip of South America. The second volume contains the account of John Byron (1723-1786), midshipsman to the *Wager*, separated from Anson's fleet in fog off Patagonia, he rounded Cape Horn and ran aground in the Guayaneco Archipelago, to the south of the Golfo de Penas on the southern Chilean coast. The fate of the survivors, who then divided into two return parties, is one of the most gripping yarns of maritime history. - *A classic account of circumnavigation.* - Two small library stamps on title-page otherwise a good copy.

Tiele 42-43; Cat. NHSM I, p.136; Sabin 1641-1642a; Hill 1785; Borba de Moraes, p.39; European Americana 748/224 (first ed.); Cf. Huntress 50C and 57C; Howgego A100.

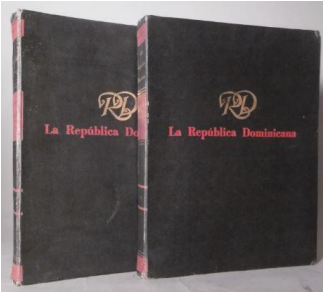


8 **ARCTIC.** Half hours in the Far North. Life amid snow and ice. London, James Nisbet & Co., (1875).

Original decorated red gilt cloth (spine discoloured). With numerous illustrations. XI,340 pp. € 65,00

The half hour library of travel, nature and science for young readers. - On Iceland, Northern Russia, Greenland, Orkney, Shetland, Arctic Seas,

Norway, & Sweden.



- 9 **ARISTY, Ramón Marrero.** La República Dominicana. Origen y destino del pueblo cristiano más antiguo de América. Ciudad Trujillo, Editoria del Caribe, C. por A., 1957 -1958. 2 volumes. Folio. Original cloth. With numerous photographic plates and portraits. 491; 445 pp. € 175,00

The Dominican Republic is located on the island of Hispaniola in the Greater Antilles archipelago of the Caribbean region. It occupies the eastern five-eighths of the island, which it shares with Haiti, making Hispaniola one of only two Caribbean islands, along with Saint Martin, that is shared by two sovereign states.



- 10 **BAANE, J.C.** Reis door een gedeelte van de Nederlandsche bezittingen in Oost-Indië. Amsterdam, G.J.A. Beijerinck, 1836. Original half green cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With engraved title-vignette and 5 engraved plates (1 folding) by W. Nieuwhoff. XVI,338 pp. € 475,00

First edition. - Trip through part of the Dutch possessions in the East Indies, with fine views of Tricolomale, Tammelgamsche baai, Riouw, the island of Marsch and Cheribon.

At the end: Relas van het voorgevallene en verrigte, door 's lands eskader, onder kommando van den kapitein-kommandant J.J. van Braam, bij de expeditie van Malakka, Salangoor en Riouw, in den jare 1784, in Oost-Indië. - (Some foxing). - *Scarce.*

Tiele 62; not in Cat. NHSM; Cat. KITLV p.56.



11

BACKHOUSE,
James. A

narrative of a visit
to the Mauritius
and South Africa.

London,

Hamilton, Adams,
and Co., 1844.

Original embossed
cloth, spine

lettered in gilt. With folding map of Mauritius, large folding map of South Africa, 16 etched plates and 28 woodengravings. XVI,628,LVI pp.

€ 295,00

First edition. - The book is in the form of a diary, and the author seems to have traversed every part of South Africa where there was a mission station or a missionary. In this way he appears to have met almost every prominent man connected with mission work in South Africa at his time. The volume commences with an account of the author's visit to Mauritius, where he stayed about three months.

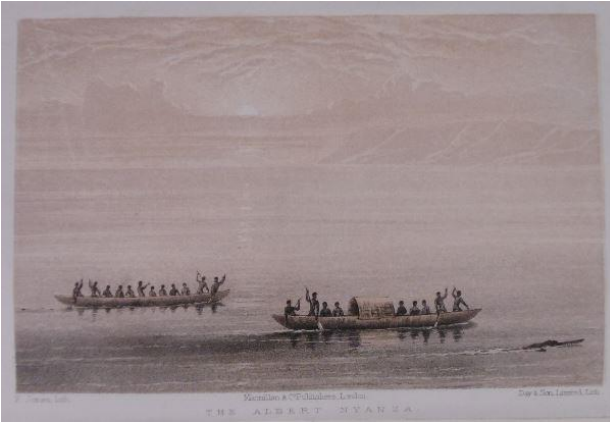
There is a good description of Kaffraria, and of the Basuto, Griqua and Bechuana countries, and the account of the Cape Colony affords valuable information concerning the first part of the nineteenth century (*Mendelssohn p.62*). Throughout the volume there are ample descriptions of the flora of the country. - *Fine.*

Hess & Coger 5155.

12 **BAKER, Samuel White.** The Albert N'Yanza, great basin of the Nile, and explorations of the Nile sources. (2nd edition). London, Macmillan and Co., 1867.

2 volumes. Original pictorial green cloth gilt. With double-portrait frontispiece, tinted lithographed frontispiece, 2 maps (1 folding) and 33 wood-engravings. XXX,371; X,372 pp.

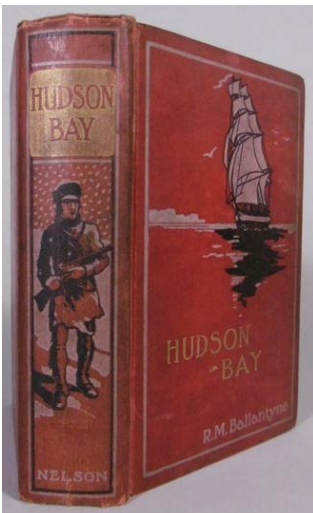
€ 575,00



First published in 1866. - In 1861 Baker set out, accompanied by his Hungarian wife Florence von Sass, on a voyage to discover the source of the White Nile. They spent some time in the Sudan and in 1862 they set

out from Khartoum and arrived in Gondokoro in 1863 where they met up with British explorers James Augustus Grant and John Hanning Speke, who informed them they had determined that the source of the Nile was Lake Victoria. The Bakers then continued southward to Juba on the White Nile. Finally in 1864 reached the shores of the Luta N'Zige, in what is now northwestern Uganda. Baker renamed it Lake Albert (Albert Nyanza). - *A fine set.*

PMM 357; Hilmy I, p.49; Czech p.15; HowgegoIV, p.53-56.



13 **BALLANTYNE, Robert Michael.**

Hudson Bay; or, everyday life in the wilds of North America during six years' residence in the territories of the hon. Hudson Bay Company. London, Thomas Nelson and Sons, 1912.

Original pictorial cloth. With 50 illustrations and plates (several in colours). 367 pp. € 40,00

First published in 1848. - Ballantyne's adventures began in 1841 from York Factory. While he recapitulates much history of the Hudson's Bay Company, he also quotes extensively from the journal he kept during his travels

(*Graff p.27*). A popular account of life in Hudson Bay and the Red River settlement, replete with trappers, Indians, intrepid explorers and travelers, and descriptions of hunting and fishing. Based on the author's experiences as a Hudson's Bay Co. clerk, 1841-47.

Cf. Sabin 2952; Wagner-Camp 144a; Arctic Bibliography 1016; TPL 2886.



14 **BALLANTYNE, Robert Michael.**

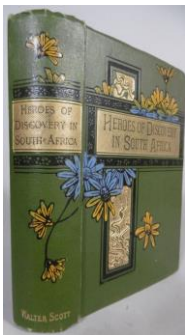
Ungava: a tale of Esquimaux-Land. London, T. Nelson and Sons, 1858.

Sm.8vo. Original embossed cloth, spine richly gilt (top of spine sl. dam.). With 7 woodengraved plates (including frontispiece and title-page). 509 pp. € 95,00

First edition. - A tale, based on real events as the first trading post is established on Ungava Bay. A group of trappers working in a North American fur-trader settlement are commissioned by the Hudson's Bay Company to undertake the long and

dangerous journey to the northern extremities of Hudson's Bay to open a new trading post with the Eskimo. - (Some foxing).

Sabin 2952; Cf. Arctic Bibliography 1016.

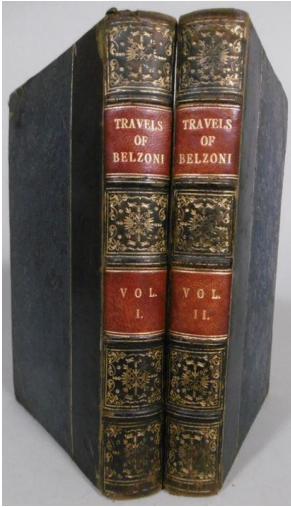


15 **BELL, Nancy R.** *Heroes of discovery in South Africa.* London, Walter Scott, (1899).

Original decorated cloth, a.e.g. With numerous woodengraved illustrations. 418 pp. € 65,00

First edition. - *A fine copy.*

SAB I, p.168.



16 **BELZONI, G.** Narrative of the operations and recent discoveries within the pyramids, temples, tombs, and excavations, in Egypt and Nubia; and a journey to the coast of the Red Sea, in search of the ancient Berenice; and another to the oasis of Jupiter Ammon. Third edition. London, John Murray, 1822.

2 volumes. Contemporary half calf, spines richly gilt and with red morocco title-labels. With lithographed portrait of the author, plate of inscriptions, folding plan of the temple of Jerusalem, and large folding map of the course of the Nile. XXVI,438; X,421 pp.

€ 795,00

First edition published in London in 1820. - Belzoni is 'one of the most striking and interesting figures in the history of eastern travel (*DNB*) and certainly, next to Burckhardt, the most interesting in the history of Egyptology and Egyptian travel. He succeeded in removing an enormous number of statues and sarcophagi. In 1817 he excavated Abu Simbel, Karnak and the Valley of the Kings, and the tomb of Seti. In 1818 he opened the second pyramid at Gizeh and identified the site of Berenice (*Blackmer p.25*). Contains at the end: Short account of the women of Egypt, Nubia, and Syria by Sara Belzoni. Without the separately issued atlas-volume. - *A fine copy.*

Blackmer Collection 116; Atabey Collection 95; Ibrahim-Hilmy I, p.62.

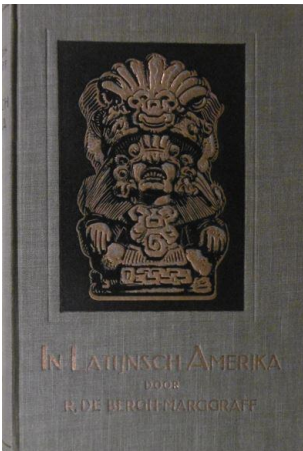
17 **BENNET, J. Henry.** Winter and spring of the shores of the Mediterranean: or, the Riviera, Mentone, Italy, Corsica, Sicily, Algeria, Spain, and Biarritz, as winter climates. 4th edition. London, John Churchill & Sons, 1870.

Original green cloth, lettered in gilt. With chromolithographed frontispiece, folding table, 6 folding coloured maps, 11 engraved plates and 20 illustrations. XVI,621 pp.

€ 275,00



First published in 1861, its success led to subsequent editions. A handsome companion guide.



18 **BERGH-MARGGRAFF, R. de.** In Latijnsch Amerika. 's Gravenhage, H.P. Leopold, 1928. Original decorated cloth, with dust-jacket. With folding map and photographic plates. 239 pp. € 35,00

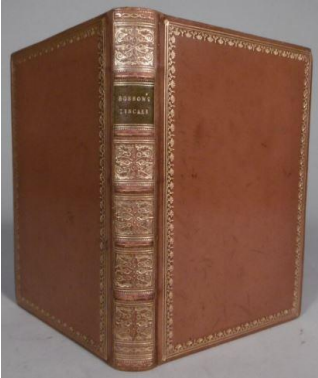
Ms de Bergh-Marggraff and her husband traveled through South and Central America for fourteen months, visiting Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Bolivia, Peru, Ecuador, Colombia, Panama, Costa Rica, Guatemala and Mexico successively. By car, boat and train, the gigantic journeys were covered.



19 **BERNAGIE, Pieter.** De belachchelyke Jonker. Kluchtspel. Amsterdam, J. Lescaijle & Dirk Rank, 1724. Sm.8vo. Old wrappers. With large engraved title-vignette. 40 pp. € 295,00

On July 12, 1683, the play 'The ridiculous nobleman' by Pieter Bernagie (1656-1699) was an instant hit, and was performed dozens of times in the decades that followed. One of the protagonists is Joris, who returns to Amsterdam after a career of over thirty years in Asia. In the penultimate scene it turns out that the VOC

veteran, in addition to precious goods and Asian clothes, has also brought two black servants with him: although the story is fictional, this play illustrates how the practice of taking and giving away servants was a common occurrence in the Republic. In fact, several men and women of African origin worked at the court of the Oranges in The Hague, a number of whom were "gifted" to the court as children. - (Blank margin title-page rep., some foxing). - Rare.



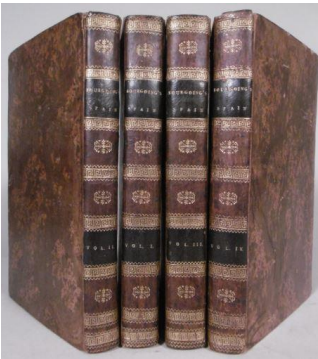
20 **BORROW, George (Henry).** The Zincali; or, an account of the gypsies of Spain. 4th edition. London, John Murray, 1846.

Sm.8vo. Contemporary polished calf with gilt fillets on both sides, spine richly gilt.

XX,264 pp.

€ 295,00

First published in 1841 in an edition of 750 copies. - *A very nice copy.* - *Black 558.*



21 **BOURGOING, Jean François.**

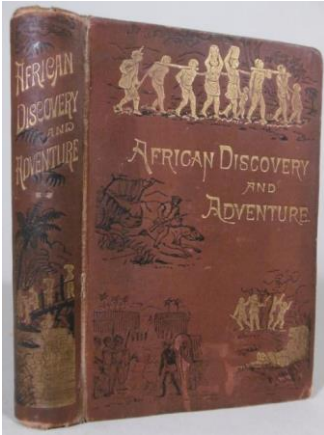
Modern state of Spain: exhibiting a complete view of its topography, government, laws, religion, finances, naval and military history, establishments; and of society, manners, arts, sciences, agriculture, and commerce in that country. Translated from the last Paris edition of 1807, to which are added, essays on Spain by M. Peyron and the book of post roads. London,

John Stockdale, 1808.

4 volumes. Contemporary mottled calf, spines gilt, with morocco labels on spines. With large folding map of Spain and 28 folding engraved plates, including 6 of bullfighting, plan of the Bay of Cadiz, Madrid, Gibraltar, Aranjuez, Seville, Alhambra, Cordova, etc.

€ 650,00

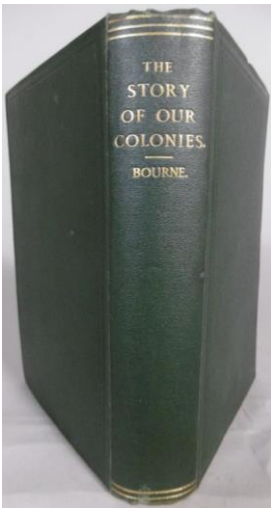
First published in Paris in 1807 *Tableau de l'Espagne moderne*. The title calls for an atlas volume, but this seems to have been issued separately and is not present here. - *A very attractive copy.*
Foulché-Delbosq 189J; Palau 34062.



22 **BOURNE, C.E.** The heroes of African discovery & adventure, since the death of Livingstone. London, Swan Sonnenschein & Co., 1889.
 Original pictorial gilt cloth, a.e.g. (sl. soiled). With woodengraved illustrations.
 350 pp. € 95,00

Speke's discovery of the Victoria Nyanza; Baker's discovery of the Albert Nyanza; Lieutenant Cameron's journey across Africa; Schweinfurth's visit to the Niam-

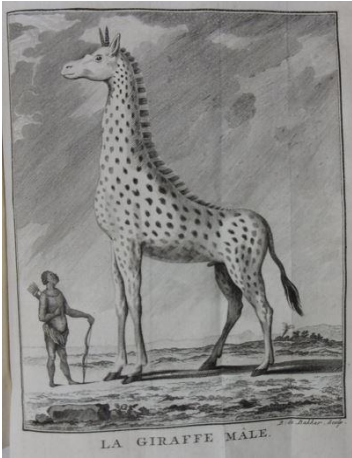
Niams; Du Chaillu in Gorilla-land; etc.



23 **BOURNE, Henry Richard Fox.** The story of our colonies: with sketches of their present condition. London, James Hogg & Son, 1869.
 Original cloth, spine lettered in gilt. XIV,411,4 pp. € 150,00

First edition. - Contents: Our earliest colonies, Our first West India colony, Jamaica and the buccaneers & slavery, Our West Indian possessions, Newfoundland, French North America, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, Canada The Hudson's Bay territory, British North America, West Africa, Cape colony, British India, Our Asiatic colonies and

Australia and New Zealand. - (Sl. foxed).



24 **(BRINK, Carel Frederik).**

Nouvelle description du Cap de Bonne-Espérance, avec un journal historique d'un voyage de terre, fait par ordre du gouverneur .. Ryk Tulbagh dans l'intérieur de l'Afrique, par une caravane de quatre-vingt-cinq personnes, sous le commandement du captain Henri Hop. Amsterdam, J.H. Schneider, 1778.

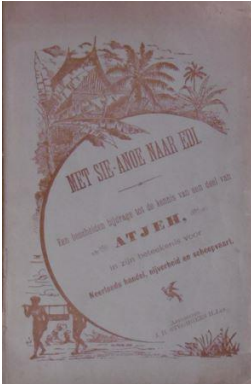
2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf, spine lettered in gilt. With engraved printer's device on title-page 16 engraved folding plates depicting animals. (8),130;

100 pp.

€ 2.650,00

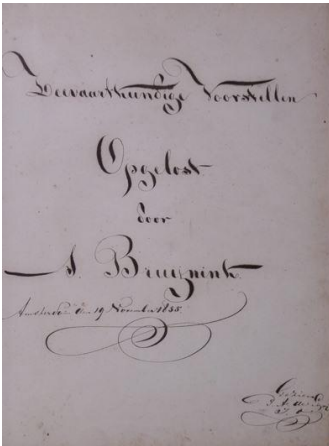
First French edition, first published in Dutch the same year. - The first part of the work contains a description of the Cape and the Hottentots, edited by J.N.S. Allamand, professor at Leiden and J.C. Klöckner, a physician residing at Amsterdam. The second part is a journal kept on a journey to Namaqualand which extended from July 16, 1761, to April 27, 1762. The party was led by Hendrik Hop, captain from Stellenbosch. Other members included Carel Frederik Brink to keep the journal, and Jacobus Coetsé as a guide. Including reports on the fauna, natives and minerals. Theal observes that these reports were drawn up by men who 'were diligent observers. This document is therefore not only highly interesting, but of great permanent worth'. – *A fine copy of a fascinating account of the Cape of Good Hope. Tiele 118; Cat. NHSM I, p.207; Mendelssohn I, p.185-186; SAB I, p.283; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of Southern Africa 1650-1790, p.36-37; Kennedy, Africana Repository, p.66-67; South Africa in print 61.*

25 **(BRUIJN VAN ROZENBURG, P.B. van). - SIE-ANOE.** Met Sie-Anoe naar Edi. Een bescheiden bijdrage tot de kennis van een deel van Atjeh in zijn beteekenis voor Neerlands handel, nijverheid en scheepvaart. Apeldoorn, J.H. Steghgers H.Jzn, 1895.



Sm.8vo. Original pictorial wrappers (spine sl. dam.). (10),92,(1). € 195,00

Sie-Anoe, pseudonym of P.B. de Bruijn van Rozenburg, made a trip from Batavia, Singapore, Deli Medan and Edi - *Scarce*.
Not in Buur, Persoonlijke documenten and Cat. KITLV.

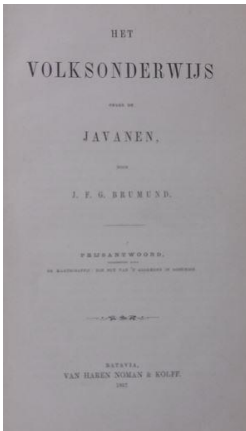


26 **BRUIJNINK, S.** Zeevaartkundige voorstellen. Opgelost door S. Bruijnink. Amsterdam, 19 November 1855. 4to. Contemporary half calf. Manuscript. 198 lvs. € 850,00

Not a printed copy could be traced. - No Bruijnink is known at the Kweekschool voor de Zeevaart in Amsterdam. There is also no captain Bruijnink among the Dutch merchant captains. This Bruijnink could of course never have reached the rank of captain. He may have been a merchant navigator. Another possibility is that he was a teacher at a school that taught maths, etc., who also taught navigation. The latter was more common in schools in coastal towns.

27 **BRUMUND, Jan Frederik Gerrit.** Het volksonderwijs onder de Javanen. Batavia, Van Haren Noman & Kolff, 1857. Original marbled boards (spine sl. dam.). XII,198 pp. € 375,00

First edition; price answer published by the Maatschappij: Tot nut van't algemeen in Oostindië. - Jan Frederik Gerrit Brumund (1814-1863), a protestant minister in Batavia, maintained that even though it was a highly desirable thing to propagate Dutch as the language of the



ruling country throughout the archipelago, all attempts to do so in the past had failed. Introducing Dutch would only lead to its bastardization under the dominant influence of Malay, as had already happened among the Indos. Thus he believed it would be much better to use Malay as the official language in all those regions where more highly developed Indigenous languages such as Javanese or Sundanese were not spoken. In Java Dutch would never be able to replace a sophisticated language like Javanese, which was intricately bound up with the people's

own customs, ideas, and culture (*Groeneboer, Gateway to the West, pp.110-111*). - Scarce.

Van der Chijs p. 121; Cat. KITLV p.100.



28 **BUCHANAN, W.J.** Notes on tours in Darjeeling and Sikkim. Darjeeling, Darjeeling Improvement Fund, 1916.

Original red cloth with gilt lettering (sl. soiled). With large coloured folding map in rear pocket. 40 pp. € 275,00

'The following notes and lists of itineraries of trips in Sikkim are published by the Darjeeling Improvement Fund to encourage more visitors to Darjeeling to make use of the splendid opportunities for enjoying

brief holidays in Sikkim'. - (Wormholes).

Yakushi B285.



29

**BUNBURY,
Charles J.F.**

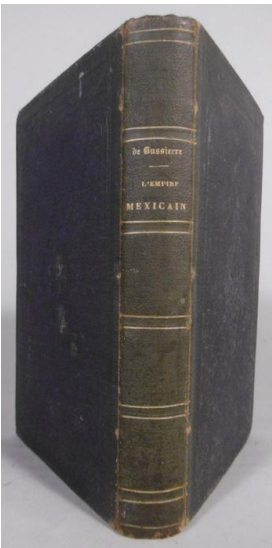
Journal of a
residence at the
Cape of Good
Hope, with

excursions into the interior, and notes of the natural history and the native tribes. London, John Murray, 1848.

Original embossed cloth. With frontispiece depicting Table Bay from the sea and 4 plates. XII,297,(3) pp. € 225,00

First edition. - Charles Bunbury accompanied his friend, Sir George Napier, the governor of the Cape Colony, on his voyage to Africa in 1837, and remained there for 14 months during which time he busied himself with botanical research, travelling over a considerable part of South Africa (*Mendelssohn I, p.222*). - *A fine copy.*

SAB I, p.328.



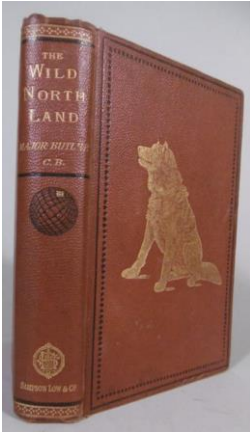
30 **BUSSIERRE, Marie Théodore de.**

L'empire Mexicain. Histoire des Toltèques, des Chichimèques, des Aztèques et de la conquête Espagnole. Paris, Henri Plon, 1863.

Original embossed cloth. 427 pp. € 175,00

First edition. - Marie-Théodore Renouard, Viscount of Bussierre (1802 - 1865) was a French diplomat, traveller, ethnologist and a writer. The Appendix contains translations of poems originally written in the native language Netzahualcoyotl. - (Some foxing).

Sabin 9561.



31 **BUTLER, William Francis.** The wild north land: being the story of a winter journey, with dogs, across northern north America. 7th edition. London, Sampson Low, 1878. Original brown cloth with illustration on front cover. With portrait, folding map and 14 (of 15) wood-engraved plates. X,358; 32 pp.

€ 150,00

First published in 1873. -- An amazing account of a journey across Canada to British Columbia, Oregon and the Pacific. Beginning in 1872 in Red River and reaching Lake Athabasca by

March 1873, following the Peace River through the Rocky Mountains to the Fraser River and to the Pacific coast.



32 **CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.**

Le Cape de Bonne Esperance. Paris, Daumont, (ca. 1780).

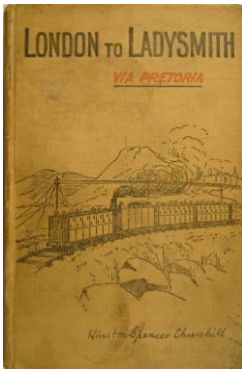
Contemporary handcoloured perspective view (vue

d'optique or Guckkastenbild) depicting the Cape of Good Hope by Jan van Ryne. Ca. 25,5 x 41 cm.

€ 450,00

Fine view by the Dutch artist Jan van Ryne (ca. 1712-1760), he was believed to have worked in London about 1752-54, when he made an interesting engraving of Table Mountain and Bay, first published by Robert Sayer of Fleet St., London, in 1754, and provided the basis from which other prints were made, one being engraved in reverse in Paris (*Gordon-Brown, Pictorial Africana, p.234*). We offer the French

version of this very attractive view of the Cape of Good Hope from the sea showing the Table Mountain and the company's buildings and many ships in Table Bay. It was an obligatory stop for all European ships going to the Indian Ocean or returning from there to Europe. They stayed a long time to reprovision and to let their crews rest.
A fine engraving. - Scheen II, p.277.



33 **CHURCHILL, Winston Spencer.** London to Ladysmith via Pretoria. London, New York & Bombay, Longmans, Green and Co., 1900. Original pictorial cloth (back cover soiled; spine sl. dam.). With 4 maps (3 folding) and 4 plans. XIV,498; 32 pp. € 295,00

First edition. - Churchill's record of the first five months of the Second Boer War. The correspondence of which this volume is composed appeared in the columns of the

Morning Post, and extends from October 26, 1899, to March 10, 1900. The volume gives a detailed account of the Natal campaigns up to and including the relief of Ladysmith, and contains in all thirty-seven letters (*Mendelssohn I, p.338*).

SAB I, p.548.



34 **COLLINOT, E. & A. de BEAUMONT.** Ornaments Turcs. Recueil de dessins pour l'art et l'industrie. Paris, Canson, 1883. Large folio. Contemporary half green morocco, spine ribbed and gilt. With 30 chromolithographed plates. € 3.250,00

Encyclopédie des arts décoratifs de l'Orient. - 500 numbered copies printed, of which this copy is numbered 112. - This influential design book, with beautiful coloured plates, revealed the arts

of the Islamic world as a new source of inspiration. - *Fine.*



35 **COMMELIN, Caspar.** Beschryvinge van Amsterdam, desselfs eerste oorspronk uyt den huysse der heeren van Aemstel en Aemstellant; met een verhaal van haar leven en dappere krijgsdaden; Amsterdams kleyne beginselen; oudheyt, bemuring, en verscheyde vergrootingen: De gelegenheyt en hoedanigheyt der stad, de voornaamste gebouwen, en wijze van regeeringe. Beneffens een historisch verhaal, vervattenede 't geene in, en om de zelve, van den beginne af, tot in den Jare 1691 toe, is voorgevallen. (With) Vervolg van de Beschryving der Stadt Amsterdam. Amsterdam, Wed. Aart Dirksz. Oossaan, 1693-1694.

2 volumes. Large folio. Contemporary red morocco, with central gilt ornament within gilt fillets, with gilt crowns in the corners, a.e.g. (hinges sl. damaged but firmly holding, spines discoloured and spine ends sl. damaged). With woodcut coats of arms on each title-page, title-page printed in red and black, engraved frontispiece by G. van Gouwen after P. Tideman, 57 maps, plans and plates, (46 double-page) and 77 half-page engravings. (20),1223,(40) pp. € 4.250,00

A very fine large paper copy of the rare first edition, published posthumously. - This is the best 17th century description of Amsterdam, based on the works by the predecessors Dapper and Van Domselaar and on materials furnished by the author's father Isaac Commelin. The author (1636-1693) descended from a family of book printers, booksellers and publishers, had free access to the archives of

the city and therefore his work contains much more reliable sources and official documents than the works by Dapper and Van Domselaar. An extensive description of Amsterdam, with all the fine views, maps and plans of Amsterdam in strong impressions, including the large panoramic view of Amsterdam seen from the IJ and 11 engravings by Jan Luyken. - *Scarce first edition.*

Nijhoff - Van Hattum 66; Van Eeghen & Van der Kellen 223.



36 **(DALVIMART, Octavien).**

Picturesque representations of the dress and manners of the Turks. With descriptions. London, Printed for James Goodwin by W. Lewis, 1814.

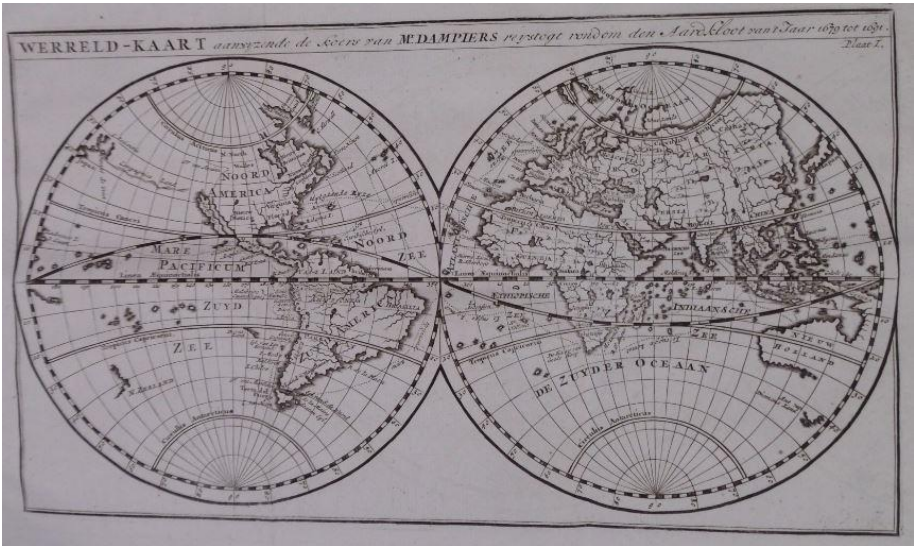
4to. Contemporary red straight-grained morocco, wide gilt borders on sides, spine gilt, inner dentelles, a.e.g. With 60 beautiful hand-coloured costume plates. € 1.250,00

Dalvimart travelled in Turkey around 1798 where he made the costume drawings on the spot. With full descriptions of each plate

and commentary on the lifestyle of a person. - *Excellent copy with fine coloured stipple-engravings.*

Abbey, Travel, 370; Colas I, 782; Lipperheide, b 38.

37 **DAMPIER, William & Lionel WAFER.** Nieuwe reystogt rondom de wereld, waarin omstandiglyk beschreeven worden de land- engte van Amerika, verscheidene kusten en eilanden in West-Indiën, de eilanden van Cabo Verde, de doortogt van de Straat Le Maire na de Zuid-zee, de kusten van Chili, Peru, Mexico; 't eiland Guam een van de Ladrones, 't eiland Mindanao een van de Filippines; en de Oost-Indische eilanden omtrent Cambodia, China, Formosa; Luconia, Celebes, enz. Voorts Nieuw Holland, Sumatra, de eilanden van Nicobar, de Kap de Goede Hoop, en 't eiland Sante Helena. In't Engelsch beschreeven .. en daaruyt vertaald door W. Sewel. Nymegen, Isaac van



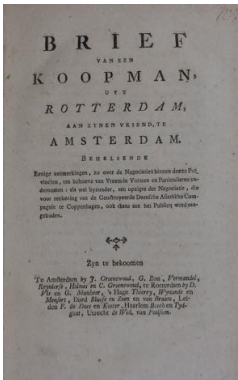
Campan, 1771 - 1772.

4 volumes in 1. 4to. Contemporary half calf, spine richly gilt (foot of spine skilfully rep.). With 2 engraved title-pages and 43 engraved maps and plates (including worldmap) by C. Luyken en J. Lamsvelt. 13,405,(9); 305,(7); 80,(6); (92 pp. € 2.450,00

Second and third Dutch edition, first published in Dutch in 's Gravenhage 1698-1704; first published in English in 1697 *A new voyage round the world..* - Dampier's descriptions of his wide-ranging buccaneering travels (he sailed around the world three times) include the account of the first English visit to Australia in 1688. His voyages marked the beginning of British scientific exploration of the Pacific. Countries visited are in America the West-Indies, Chili, Peru, Mexico, Brazil (including the earliest written description of Bahia), in Africa the Cape of Good Hope, Isles of Cape Verd and in Asia the Dutch East Indies, the Philippines and Formosa, Australia and various islands in the Pacific. 'Generally regarded as the greatest explorer and navigator before Cook, Dampier was also a popular and an exciting storyteller who inspired both Swift and Defoe. His books went through many editions and, in some form, have remained in print untill the present day' (*The Davidson Collection* 32). William Dampier (1651-1715)

combined a swashbuckling life of adventure with pioneering scientific achievements. Parts IV contains Lionel Wafer. Nieuwe reistogt en beschrijving van de land-engte van America. - Some waterstaining in blank margin part I, otherwise *a very fine large paper copy*.

Tiele 290; Cat. NHSM I, p.135; European Americana V, p.214; Sabin 18388; Borba de Moraes I, p.242; Mendelssohn I, p.409-10; SAB II, p.10; Van Eeghen-van der Kellen 319; Howgego pp.294-298.



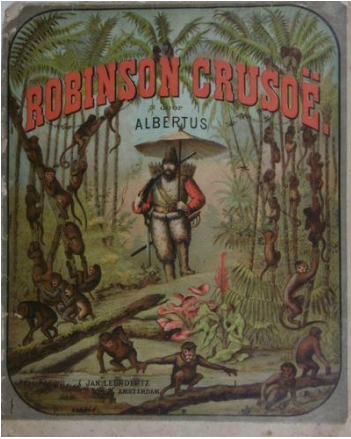
38 DANISH ASIATIC COMPANY. Brief van een koopman, uit Rotterdam, aan zynen vriend, te Amsterdam. Behelzende eenige aanmerkingen, zo over de negotiation binnen deeze provincien, ten behoeve van vreemde vorsten en particulieren ondernomen: als wel byzonder, ten opzigte der negociatie, die voor reekening van de Geotroyeerde Deensche Asiatische Compagnie te Copenhagen, ook thans aan het publicq word aangeboden. Amsterdam, J. Groenewoud etc., (1779). 22 pp. € 295,00

Letter from an Amsterdam merchant about the Danish Asiatic Company (Danish: Asiatisk Kompagni) , a Danish trading company established in 1730 to revive Danish trade on the Danish East Indies and China following the closure of the Danish East India Company. It was granted a 40-year monopoly on Danish trade on Asia in 1732 and taken over by the Danish government in 1772. It was headquartered at Asiatisk Plads in Copenhagen. Its former premises are now used by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 1772, the company lost its monopoly and in 1779, Danish India became a crown colony.

Knuttel 19331.

39 DEFOE, Daniel. Robinson Crusoe. Door Albertus. Amsterdam, Jan Leendertz, (1876).

4to. With chromolithographed title page and 4 chromolithographed plates with a large scene within a red decorative border consisting of four semicircles, and four smaller scenes in the outside corners by



Amand. 6 pp.

€ 95,00

An adaptation and abridgement of the famous book by Daniel Defoe *The life and strange surprising adventures of Robinson Crusoe* (1719). - (Small corner of 1 plate missing; small corner of blank back wrapper missing). - *A nice picture book with coloured plates.*



40 **DIELITZ, Th.** Oost en West.

Natuurtafereelen en reisontmoetingen, voor jongelieden geschetst. Naar het Hoogduitsch. 3e druk. Utrecht, Gebr. Van der Post, (1873).

Original embossed cloth, gilt decoration on front cover, spine richly gilt. With 4 chromolithographed plates by P.W.M. Trap. (4), 168 pp.

€ 95,00

First published in 1848. - Short stories containing i.a. *Drie dagen aan de oevers van den Orinoco* & *De schipbreuk op de Bahama-bank*. - *Fine.*

41 **EDWARDS, Bryan.** The history, civil and commercial of the British colonies in the West Indies. London, J. Stockdale, 1793-1801 3 volumes + atlas. 4to. Contemporary uniform calf, gilt fillets round sides, spines gilt with red and green morocco title-labels (spines sl. rubbed and top of spines sl. dam.; atlas volume rebacked with the original spine laid down). With engraved portrait, 2 engraved maps (1 folding) and 3 engraved plates; atlas volume: engraved frontispiece (*Sable Venus*), large folding map of the West Indies in 2 sheets, 6 engraved plates and 8 engraved maps (1 folding). XXXVI, 494; 500; XX, 443 pp.

€ 2.450,00



Volume I - II first edition, volume III third enlarged edition, with the atlas volume issued with the second edition (the fine maps and plates were not issued with the first edition). - The author was a West India merchant who spent much of his youth in Jamaica and later travelled extensively throughout the West Indies. 'Standard for over a century, and still in many respects the best book on the subject up to the close of the 18th century ... Of immeasurable value for contemporary conditions, showing the

state of affairs after the American war and before the abolition of the traffic in blacks' (*Ragatz III, p.165*). Volume III contains: An historical survey of the French colony in the island of St. Domingo: comprehending an account of the revolt of the negroes in the year 1791. - A classic of Caribbean literature and the best description of the era in the eighteenth century. - (Some marginal wormholes at the end of vol. II not effecting the text). - *A fine set.*

Sabin 21901; Cox II, p.228; Howgego p.345 'containing a wealth of information'.



42 **EERDE, Johan Christiaan van. (Red.).** De volken van Nederlandsch Indië in monographieën. Amsterdam, Elsevier, 1920-1921.

2 volumes. 4to. Original decorated cloth. With coloured frontispiece, 3 maps and numerous photographic illustrations and plates. 319; 317 pp.

125,00

Ethnological/anthropological classic on the Indonesian population. Contributions by: H.T. Damsté, M. Joustra, J.P. Kleiweg de Zwaan, T.J. Bezemer, N. Adriani, R.M. Noto Soeroto, J.D.H. Beckering, etc. - *A fine set.*



43 **ÉNAULT, Louis.**

Reis door Middel- en Zuid-Amerika, zijnde eene beschrijving van de ontdekking, de verovering en de toenemende ontwikkeling der verschillende staten, benevens eene schets van de bewoners, hunne zeden en gebruiken, godsdiensten en

regeringsvormen tot op onzen tijd. Leiden, D. Noothoven van Goor, 1868,

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half morocco, spines lettered in gilt (sl.rubbed). With 4 hand-coloured costume plates on 2 lvs, and 16 steel-engraved views. (4),236; (6),240 pp. € 475,00

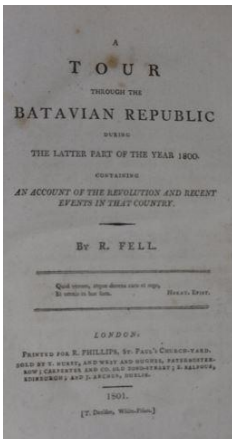
First Dutch edition; first published in Paris in 1867: L'Amérique centrale et méridionale. - Louis Énault (1824 - 1900) was a French journalist and novelist. Travel-account of a trip through Middle and South America: Mexico, Guatemala, Brazil, Columbia, Guiana, Peru, Bolivia, Chile, Paraguay, La Plata, Uruguay, Patagonia, and Tierra del Fuego. With nice views of Vera-Cruz, El Salvador, Rio de Janeiro, Havana, Lima, Santiago, Valparaiso, Asuncion, Buenos-Ayres and Montevideo after Noël, Lebreton and Janet by Willmann, Outhwaite, Nargeot, Delannoy and Aubert. - *A fine copy.*
Andres 1013; not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

44 **EYRE, Vincent.** Retraite et destruction de l'armée l'Afghanistan en janvier 1842, journal du lieutenant Vt. Eyre .. suivi de notes-familiales écrites pendant sa captivité chez les Afghans. Traduit de l'Anglais sur la 3me édition, par Paul Jessé. Paris, J. Corréard, 1844. Contemporary half morocco, spine lettered in gilt. With folding plan. VII,328 pp. € 150,00



First published in London in 1843: *The military operations at Cabul.* - 'Personal narrative of British operations against Kabul, the revolt of the Afghans, and their destruction of the retreating British forces. Sir Alexander Burnes was murdered, and the troops under Brigadier Shelton

were defeated at Beymarro' (*Yakushi E67*). The journal of Lieutenant Eyre (1811-1881), Deputy Commissary of Ordinance at Kabul, traces the 1842 evacuation of Kabul by the British and their subsequently disastrous attempt to retreat to India. Seriously wounded, Eyre, his wife, and child were taken prisoner by Mahomad Akbar Khan for over eight months and were not released until September 1842 and the approach of General Pollack's forces. Eyre's journal is precise in observation' (*Riddick 107*). - (*Some lvs browned*).



45 **FELL, Ralph.** A tour through the Batavian Republic during the latter part of the year 1800. Containing an account of the revolution and recent events in that country. London, printed for R. Phillips, 1801. Contemporary half calf, spine richly gilt (rebacked, top of spine rep.). XII,395 pp. € 225,00

First edition. - The following letters were, in part, written during the tour which they describe, with a view to publication. They were addressed to my brother (*Advertisement*).



46 **GODEE MOLSBERGEN, E.C.**

Geschiedenis van de Minahassa tot 1829. Weltevreden, Landsdrukkerij, 1928. 8vo. Wrappers (spine dam.). With folding map. VII,211 pp. € 75,00

History of the Minahassa from before the arrival of the Westerners, during the government of the Spaniards and the Dutch until the beginning of the eighteenth century.

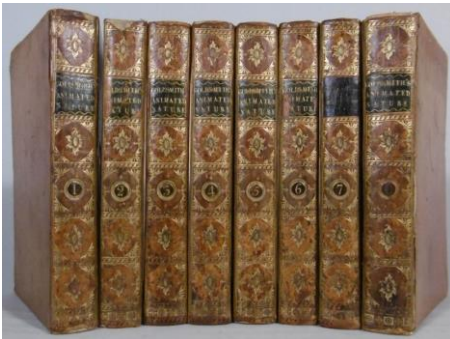


47 **GOEVERNEUR, J.J.A.**

Reizen en avonturen van mijnheer Prikkebeen. Een wonderbaarlijke en kluchtige historie. Voor de Nederlandsche jeugd berijmd. 18e druk. Amsterdam, H.J.W. Becht, (ca. 1935).

Oblong 8vo. Original decorated boards. With illustrations by Rudolf Töpffer. 76 pp. € 35,00

First published in 1858. It is probably the very first comic strip in the Dutch language. In fact, it is an edited translation of *Fahrten und Abenteuer des Herrn Steckelbein* by Julius Kell, Leipzig 1847.

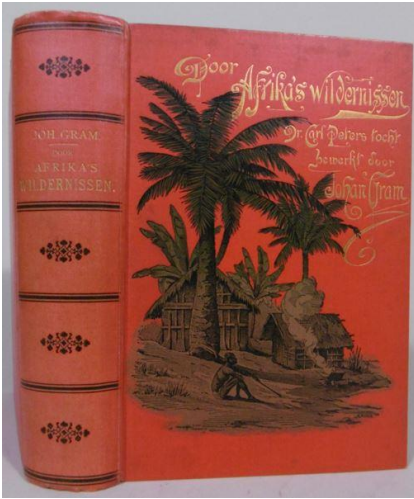


48 **GOLDSMITH, Oliver.** An history of the earth and animated nature. 2nd edition. London, J. Nourse, 1779.

8 volumes. Contemporary calf, spines gilt (some extremities of spines damaged; some hinges broken but holding). With 105 engraved plates by Elias Martin and Isaac Taylor. € 575,00

First published in 1774 - The work sought to draw together virtually all that was known about the planet earth, its plants and animals, and even its human inhabitants described from a biological perspective. A fine set with nice engravings of various animals and birds, including the dodo, fishes and insects from all parts of the world.

Nissen, ZBI, p.170



49 **GRAM, Johan.** Door Afrika's wildernissen. Dr. Carl Peters' tocht bewerkt door Johan Gram. Leiden, A.W. Sijthoff, (1891).

3 volumes in 1. Original pictorial cloth. With numerous plates and illustrations. (6),191; (6),188; (6),199 pp. € 175,00

Carl Peters (1856-1918) has played a major role in the founding of German East Africa. In 1884 he founded the Deutsch-Ostafrikanische Gesellschaft

(DOAG), which set itself the goal of colonizing Tanganyika, Rwanda and Burundi. In the end he managed to win over Bismarck to his plans. In 1891 Peters was appointed Reichskommissar for the Kilimanjaro district of the newly-created protectorate of German East Africa, now Tanzania. He held this position for several years but as early as June 1892 rumours had reached Germany of Peters's cruel and savage treatment of the Africans in his domain. He was dismissed from his position and recalled to Germany. There he was dishonorably discharged from government service in 1897. After that he set up an independent company, the Dr. Carl Peters Exploration Company, which funded exploration in German East Africa and the country around lower Zambezi. - *A fine copy.*

Howego P27.



50 **GRAMBERG, J(an) S(imon) G(erardus)**. Schetsen van Afrika's Westkust. Amsterdam, Weijtingh & Brave, 1861. Original gilt- and blindstamped green cloth. With lithographed title-page with coloured vignette depicting

Ennimir Koning van Oost-Wassa, and 8 folding coloured lithographed views and costume plates by C.C.A. Last after J.S.G. Gramberg (including frontispiece). 380 pp. € 1.850,00

First edition. - Gramberg (1823-1888) was the first European settler in Guinea who owned a plantation. He temporarily worked as a health officer in Africa and in the Far East. His work is split up in 3 parts. The first part contains a concise description of West Africa: its history (with remarks on the Spanish and Portuguese properties) climate, geology, religion, education, flora, fauna etc, The second part contains his own travelogue, in which he gives descriptions of Elmina, Cape Coast, Accra, Ouidah and other places and Gramberg's own plantation. The third part is dealing with the Dutch properties in West Africa. The fine folding plates depict i.a. Kleederdracht der Fantijnen; Kasteel St. George en Fort Coenraadsburg te Elmina; Fort William, vuurtoren te Cape Coast; Eene factorij aan de slavenkust (Golf van Benin); Plantage 'Gramberg' aan de Bossum-Prah rivier; Fort Batenstein te Boutrij. This is one of the most interesting of the Dutch 19th century books on West Africa. - *A fine copy with beautiful coloured plates.* Tiele 409; Cat. NHSM I, p. 206; Landwehr, Coloured plates., 287; Cardinall 537.



51 **GUILLEMARD, F.H.H.** The cruise of the *Marchesa* to Kamschatka & New Guinea with notes of Formosa, Liu-Kiu, and various islands of the Malay Archipelago. 2nd edition. London, John Murray, 1889.

Original decorated cloth gilt. With 14 maps (5 folding), 28 plates and 111 woodengravings after J. Keulemans, C. Whymper, a.o. by E. Whymper. XIX,455 pp.

€ 275,00

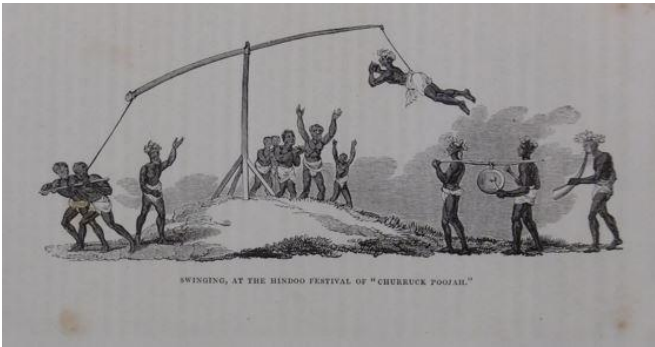
First published in London in 1886; with bookplate of Peter Antony Lanyon-Orgill. - Account of an extensive cruise, January 1882 to April 1884, visiting the then lesser known lands and islands in Eastern waters. The *Marchesa* visited Formosa, Ryukyu Islands, Japan, Kamchatka, Bering Islands, Sulu Islands, British North Borneo, Lubuan and Brunei, Batavia, Celebes, the Moluccas, New Guinea and Amoboina, Banda and the Aru Islands.

Cat. KITLV p.6; Ferguson 10138b; Cordier, Bibl. Indosinica, p.1472

52 **HEBER, Reginald.** Narrative of a journey through the upper provinces of India, from Calcutta to Bombay, 1824-1825, (with notes upon Ceylon), an account of a journey to Madras and the southern provinces, 1826, and letters written in India. Third edition. London, John Murray, 1828.

3 volumes. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt. With 27 woodengravings. LXVII,450; VI,564; VI,525,(2),VIII pp. € 1.225,00

First edition published the same year. - Posthumously published by the widow of the author Amelia Heber. Reginald Heber (1783-1826) described in his daily journal his travels as bishop of Calcutta through



Northern India from October 1823 to April 1824. This tour encompassed a journey through Bihar, Rohilkhand, Rajputana, and Gujarat with

visits to such key cities as Benares, Allahabad, Agra and Lucknow. The main interest in Heber's journal is in his description of the people and their culture and in his observation of the great natural beauty of India's rivers and mountains (*Riddick 123*). He later visited Ceylon, and sailed to Madras and the south, where he died in April 1826. A highly valuable, interesting, and most delightful work (*Lowndes 1030-1031*). - *A fine copy.*
Goonetileke I, 2202.



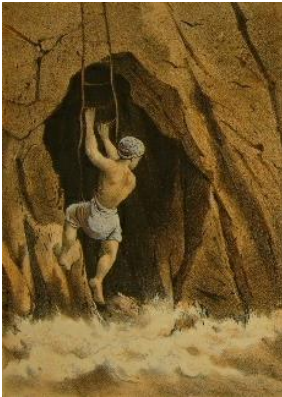
53 **HERRERA, Antonius de.** Uytvoerige reys-togten door Pedrarias Davila .. naar de vaste kust van Darien; in't jaar 1514 .. Aangevuld met de scheepstogten van Jean Diaz de Solis, en die van Jean Ponze de Leon om de Karibanen te beoorlogten,

in't jaar 1515. In't Spaans beschreeven .. nu aller eerst in't Neederduyts vertaald. Leyden, Pieter van der Aa, 1706.
 Sm.8vo. Wrappers. With engraved title-vignette, engraved folding map and 8 engraved folding plates. 185,(14) pp. € 475,00

Issued in Pieter van der Aa's collection of voyages. - Pedro Arias de Ávila (1440 – 1531) was a Spanish soldier and colonial administrator.

He led the first great Spanish expedition to the mainland of the New World. There he served as governor of Panama (1514–1526) and Nicaragua (1527–1531), and founded Panama City (1519). - An early description of Central America and the Caribbean area.

Tiele 5; Cat. NHSM I, p.107; Sabin 18783; Alden 706/125; Palau 114303.

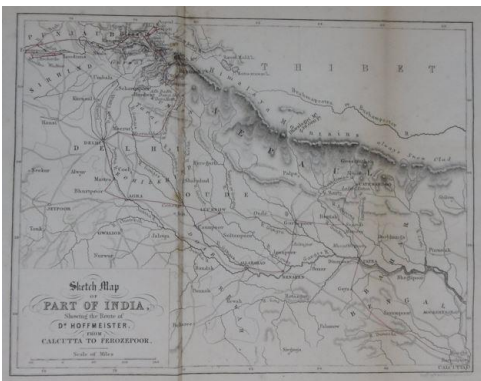


54 **HOëVELL, Wolter Robert van.** *Uit het Indische leven.* 2e druk. Amsterdam, wed. J.C. van Kesteren & Zoon, 1865.

Original embossed brown cloth, spine richly gilt. With tinted lithographed frontispiece by P.W.M. Trap. (8),215 pp. € 195,00

First edition published in 1860. - Van Hoëvell asked for a voluntary discharge because he had been branded as 'suspect' in the Dutch East Indies. He wrote a pamphlet dealing with these events, but also based one of his novellas on them. It is called 'The Suspects', written in 1858, and was included in his volume *About life in the Indies* (*Uit het Indische leven*, 1860). It is one of his best works, and has remained relevant to this day. At once recognizable is the pattern it describes of an authoritarian society (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies*, p.62).

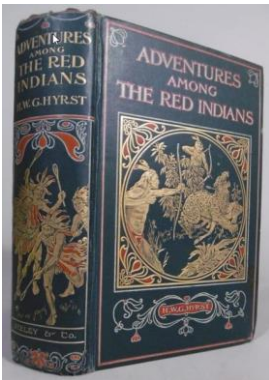
Cat. KITLV p.257; Bastin-Brommer N404; Tiele 490 (note).



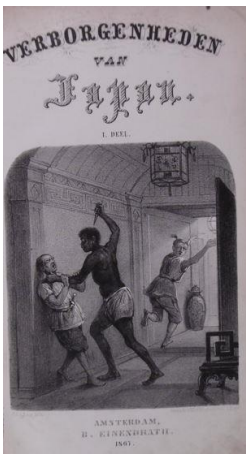
55 **HOFFMEISTER, Werner.** *Travels in Ceylon and continental India; including Nepal and other parts of the Himalayas, to the borders of Thibet, with some notes of the overland route.* Translated from the German. Edinburgh, William P. Kennedy, 1848.

Original embossed cloth with gilt illustration of front cover (spine ends restored). With 2 folding maps. XII,527 pp. € 395,00

First edition; first published in Braunschweig in 1847 *Briefe aus Indien*. - Personal letters to friends by the doctor who accompanied Prince Waldemar of Prussia on his visit to Kathmandu during Febr.-March, 1845 and to Shipki in August (*Yakushi p.190*). With appendices: I. Addressed to Baron von Humboldt, On the geographical distribution of coniferae on the Himalayan mountains. II. On the vegetation of the Himalayan mountains. III. The birds of the Himalayan mountains.
Aschoff p.173.



56 **HYRST, H.W.G.** Adventures among the red Indians. Romantic incidents and perils amongst the Indians of North and South America. London, Seeley & Co, 1911. Original pictorial cloth. With 16 plates. 349 pp. € 45,00



57 **JAPAN.** Verborgenheden van Japan. Amsterdam, B. Eisendrath, 1867. 2 volumes. Later marbled boards. With 2 identical lithographed title-pages after C.C.A. Last by H.L. van Hoogstraten. 221; 239 pp. € 275,00

Rare Dutch novel on Japan. - (Age-browned).



58 **JOÃO DE JESUS CHRISTO.** Viagem de hum peregrino a Jerusalem, e visita que fez aos lugares santos, em 1817. Terceira edição. Lisboa, Eugenio Augusto, 1831. Contemporary calf, spine richly gilt, with red morocco title label to spine. With fine

engraved folding frontispiece. VIII,308,(3) pp.

€ 275,00

First published in Lisbon in 1819. - Ample travel-account of the Holy Land and the Middle East , including a historic survey of the persecution of the religious orders before 1756. - *Rare.*

Rohricht 349.



59 **(JOHNSON, James).** An account of a voyage to India, China, &c. in His Majesty's Ship *Caroline*, performed in the years 1803-4-5, interspersed with descriptive sketches and cursory remarks. By an Officer of the *Caroline*. London, printed for Richard Philips by J.G.

Barnard, 1806.

Later half calf, spine gilt with red morocco title label to spine. With large folding engraved chart exhibiting the tracks of His Majesty's ships *Caroline* and *Medusa* to and from India in the years 1803-1806 and folding table. 138, III pp.

€ 475,00

First edition. - This work was intended to describe a topographical and picturesque sketch of all the principal places which were annually or occasionally visited by the East India and China fleets. Places visited included Madeira, Cape of Good Hope, Ceylon, Madras, Bengal, the Andaman Islands, Penang, Malacca, Sumatra, Macao, and Canton. - (The 2 plates mentioned on the Errata leaf not present in any copy or bibliography; age-browned).

Cordier III, col. 2106; Lust 375; Mendelssohn II, 693.



60 **JOSEPH, DEN
GEBOORNEN INDIAAN.**
SONDERLINGE REYSEN
VAN JOSEPH, DEN
GEBOORNEN INDIAAN,
bevattende een
aanmerklijke beschrijvingh
der landen, steeden, en
inwooners van Caranganor,
Calicuth, Cambaja,
Narsinga, enz. Door de

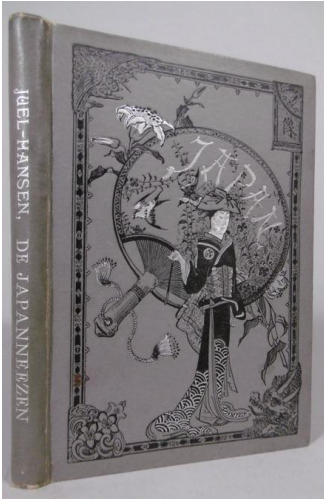
Portugeezen uyt sijnen mond opgetekend, anno 1501. Nu aldereerst
uyt 't Portugeesch vertaald. Leyden, Pieter van der Aa, 1706.

Sm.8vo. Old marbled wrappers. With engraved title-vignette and
double-page engraving. 23, (4) pp.

€ 175,00

Issued in Pieter van der Aa's collection of voyages. - When Pedro Alvares Cabral called at Cochin in the winter of 1500 to 1501, he was approached by two Syro-Malabar priests, Joseph and Mathias, who requested to be taken on board for the voyage to Europe so that they could visit Rome and Jerusalem. Mathias, however, died en route. In the cities of Europe, Joseph was apparently interrogated at great length about his homeland, and was regarded as a man of the highest integrity. His description of Cranganore, although bigoted and biased in favour of the Christian community, was widely accepted at face value. In Rome he presented a report on the Malabar Christians and answered numerous questions, some of them directed from the pope

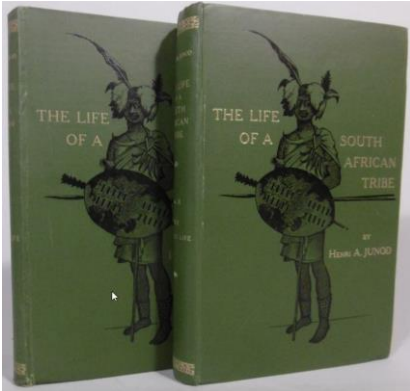
himself (*Howgego J29*). An early account of a visitor from India to Europe. - *Fine*.
Tiele 5; Cat. NHSM I, p.107.



61 **JUEL-HANSEN, N.** De Japanneezen. Vertellingen voor de jeugd. Leiden, A.H. Adriani, (1892).

Original pictorial cloth, depicting a Japanese lady in traditional dress with silver outlining within an ornamental border. With many steelengraved illustrations and plates. 186 pp. € 125,00

First edition. - A travelogue of a boy and his adventures amongst the Japanese, including his experiences in a prison and a chapter on the Ainu. - *A fine copy.*



62 **JUNOD, Henri Alexandre.**

The life of a South African tribe. Neuchatel, Attinger Frères, 1912-13. 2 volumes. Original green pictorial cloth, gilt lettering, with dust-jackets. With map and many photographic illustrations. 500; 574 pp. € 375,00

First enlarged edition in English, first published in French *Les Ba-*

Ronga, 1898. - Classic work on the natives of South-East Africa, the Tonga tribe. 'It is one of the finest ethnographical publications on this part of the sub-continent ever issued' (*Mendelssohn I, p.796*). Volume I: The social life; volume II: The psychic life. - *A very fine copy.*
SAB II, p.714.



63 **KANE, Elisha Kent.**

Arctic explorations: the Second Grinnell Expedition in search of Sir John Franklin, 1853, '54, '55. London, T. Nelson and Sons, 1864.

Contemporary polished calf, spine richly gilt. With steelengraved portrait,

folding map, 7 steel-engraved plates and many wood-engravings. 510 pp. € 225,00

First published in Philadelphia in 1856. - 'In a brief life of thirty-six years, mostly in ill health, Elisha Kent Kane participated in two Arctic explorations and by the time of his death in 1875 was regarded as a true American hero and one of the nation's most popular authors' (*Stam, Books on ice, p.39*). Narrative of the Second Grinnell Expedition on the *Advance*, 1853-1855, to search for the Sir John Franklin Expedition and to explore the region north of Smith Sound. Expedition members explored Greenland's Humboldt Glacier while other members of his team explored Ellesmere Island and set a northernmost record on the coast of Greenland.

Arctic Bibl. 8373; *Sabin* 37001; *Hill* 903 (*other ed.*); *Howgego III, pp.283-287*.

64 **KEATE, George.** An account of the Pelew Islands, situated in the western part of the Pacific Ocean, composed from the journals and communications of Captain Henry Wilson, and some of his officers, who, in august 1783, were there shipwrecked, in the *Antelope, a packet belonging to the honourable East India Company*. Dublin, Luke White, 1788.

8vo. Contemporary tree calf, spine richly gilt with red morocco title-label. With large folding engraved chart and 16 engraved portraits and plates. XXVIII,378,(8) pp. € 1.500,00



Edition in 8vo published in the same year as the 4to edition; with armorial bookplate of colonel Cooper. - In 1783 the East India Packet *Antelope* under command of Henry Wilson, ran onto a reef near one of the Palau Islands, a previously unexplored group, and was wrecked. The crew reached shore and were well treated by the natives. From the wreck they built a small boat which they managed to get to Macao, taking with them Prince Lee Boo, the son of king Abba Thule. Lee Boo soon died of smallpox in England. Captain Wilson allowed Keate (1729-97) to

write a faithful account of the events from Wilson's journals and communications. This account did much to reinforce the idea of the noble savage and it is one of the most popular 18th century books on the Pacific and also the main source of early knowledge of the Palau Islands, the most western group of the Caroline archipelago. Includes a vocabulary of the Pelew language. - *A fine copy of the rare Dublin edition.*

Hill 907; Huntress 107C; Cox II, 302-303; Howgego p.1105.



65 **KIRCHEISS, Carl.** Meine

Weltumsegelung mit dem Fischkutter
Hamburg. Berlin, Kribe-Verlag, (1928).

Contemporary morocco with illustration on frontcover, spine gilt with red morocco title-label, a.e.g. With portrait, coloured plate, double-page map and many photographic plates. 294 pp.

€ 125,00

First edition; number 61 from 100 signed copies by the author. - Carl Kircheiss (1887-1953) was a German sea-captain, circumnavigator, polar explorer and whaler. He became in 1936 the manager of the first German pelagic whaling company to operate in the Antarctic In the period from January 1926

to December 1927 he circumnavigated the globe and became well known. He visited Ceylon, Indonesia, Japan, Hawaii and America. - *A fine copy.*



66 **KOLB, Peter.** Description du Cap de Bonne-Esperance, où l'on trouve tout ce qui concerne l'histoire-naturelle du pays; la religion, les mœurs & les usages des Hottentots; et l'établissement des Hollandois. Amsterdam, Jean Catuffe, 1742.

3 volumes. Sm.8vo. Later half calf, spines ribbed. With titles printed in red and black, engraved allegorical frontispiece, 5 folding engraved maps and 25 engraved plates (1 folding).

XIII,(11),428; (12),262; (16),320 pp.

€ 1.750,00

First French edition, first published in German in Nürnberg in 1719 Caput Bonae Spei. Das ist vollständige

Beschreibung des Akrikanischen Vorgebürges der Guten Hofnung. - Peter Kolb (1676-1726), a German astronomer, was sent to the Cape by Baron von Krosick in 1705. From 1707 till April 1713 he was secretary in service by the Dutch East India Company (VOC) at Stellenbosch. Of the utmost importance is the section on the plants and on the animals of that region, being the earliest account of South African fauna.'Peter Kolb published one of the first works in German devoted entirely to the Cape region of South Africa. His work divides equally between the natural history of the Cape and a description of the Hottentot (Khoi) people, explaining their manners and customs in great detail' (*Howgego p.577*). - (1 leaf sl. damaged with some loss of text). - *Fine set.*

Tiele 606; Cat. NHSM I, p.207; Landwehr, VOC, 585; Cf. Mendelssohn I, p.843-44; SAB III, p.6.



67 **KOTZEBUE, Otto van.**

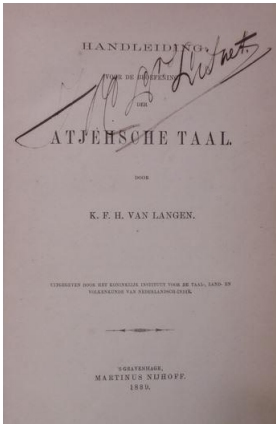
Ontdekkingsreis in de Zuid-Zee en naar de Berings-Straat in de jaren 1815, 1816, 1817 en 1818. Uit het Hoogduitsch. Amsterdam, Johannes van der Hey, 1822.

3 volumes. Later half blue morocco, spines gilt, with title labels to spines. With 3 different engraved title-pages by D. Veelwaard (1 handcoloured), 3 folding plates, 4 handcoloured plates and 6 folding engraved maps. VIII,428; IV,413; VIII,492 pp.

€ 2.950,00

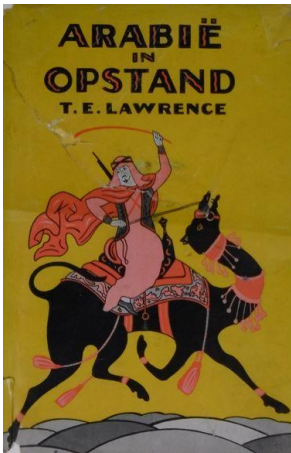
First Dutch edition; first published in Weimar in 1821 Entdeckungs-Reise in die Süd-See und nach der Berings-Strasse. - A celebrated

narrative of the second Russian expedition into the Pacific for scientific exploration. Leaving Kronstadt in 1815, the *Rurik* rounded Cape Horn and visited Chili, Easter Island and the Marshall Islands. Kotzebue explored the North American coast and Hawaii and searched unsuccessfully for a passage to the Arctic Ocean. The description of the northwest coast of America is a most important contribution (*Hill p.333*). Kotzebue description of the missions in California is considered one of the most important early accounts of that state, also important is its descriptions of Alaska. The Hawaiian portion is extensive and contains important observations on life and customs - (Some waterstains at end of volume 1). - *A beautiful copy of the very rare Dutch edition of one of the great Pacific exploratory voyages. Cat. NHSM I, p.144; not in Tiele; Landwehr, Coloured Plates, 336; Forbes 551, Cf. Hill 943 (English and German ed. only); Lada-Mocarski 80.*



- 68 **LANGEN, K(arel) F(rederik) H(endrik) van.** Handleiding voor de beoefening der Atjehsche taal. 's Gravenhage, Martinus Nijhoff, 1889. Modern cloth. IX,158 pp. € 75,00

Manual for the practice of the Acehese language, published by the Koninklijk Instituut voor de Taal-, Land-en Volkenkunde van Nederlandsch-Indie.



- 69 **LAWRENCE, Thomas Edward.** Arabië in opstand. Geautoriseerde bewerking van R.H.G. Nahuys. 's Gravenhage, H.P. Leopold, 1927. Original pictorial cloth, with dust-jacket (restored). With folding map and 8 plates. 247 pp. € 65,00

Dutch translation of *Revolt in the desert* (1927), an abridged version of *Seven Pillars of Wisdom*. *Revolt In the Desert* was an instant bestseller on both sides of the Atlantic.



- 70 **LE BON, Gustave.** Les civilisations de l'Inde. Paris, Firmin-Didot et Cie., 1887. 8vo. Contemporary half brown morocco, spine gilt. With 2 maps, 7 chromo-lithographed plates and 350 illustrations. VII,743 pp. € 275,00

First edition. - Containing also some coloured illustrations of Nepal in the 19th century. - (Foxed as usual).

Yakushi L58; Chadenat 1408.



71 **LE VAILLANT, François.** Second voyage dans l'intérieur de l'Afrique, par le Cap de Bonne-Espérance, dans les années 1783, 84 et 85. Paris, H.J. Jansen et Comp., l'an 3 (1795).

3 volumes. 8vo.

Contemporary half calf

(extremities of spines sl. dam.; hinges cracked but holding). With 22 engraved plates (several folding). XLIV,304; 426; 525,(2) pp. € 495,00

First French edition. - 'Le Vaillant was born at Paramaribo in Dutch Guiana in 1753, and after being educated in Holland, France, and Germany, proceeded to Paris where he studied the natural history collections, and, full of enthusiasm and ambition, decided to travel into the interior of Africa in order to further his opportunities of gaining information by observing the specimens in their native countries. Making the acquaintance of Mr. Temminck, the Treasurer of the Dutch East India Company, he was enabled to proceed to the Cape in one of the Company's ships called the *Held-Woltemaade* ... The narrative is characterised by the intelligent and interesting manner in which it is written.' (*Mendelssohn pp.889-890*). His second excursion, between April 1783 and August 1784, took him northward beyond the Orange River. He was one of the first to study the birds in South Africa. - (Age-browned).

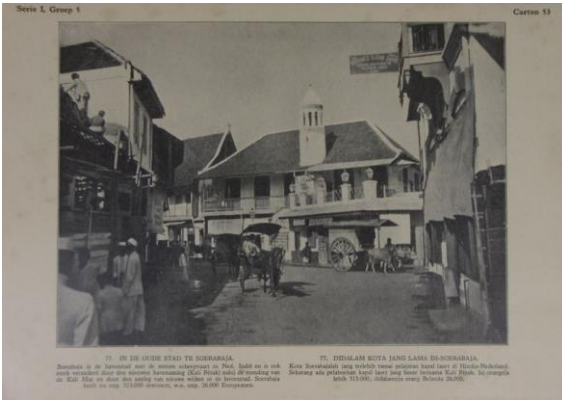
Mendelssohn I, p.889; SAB III, p.101; Howgego p.625; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of S. Africa 1650-1790, p.177-271, Nissen, ZBI, 2482; Boucher de la Richarderie IV, p.242-244..

72 **LEKKERKERKER, Cornelis.** Indië. Groningen, Den Haag, J.B. Wolters, (1931).

Original cloth box with 620 photographic illustrations on 200 cartons.

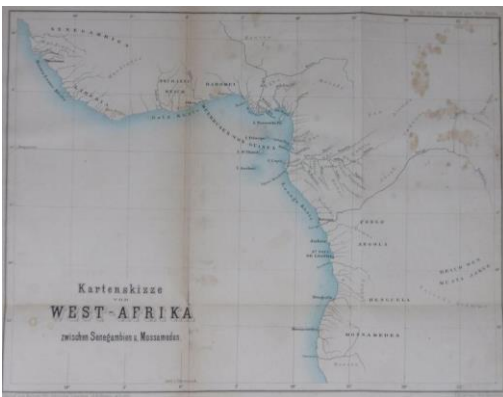
Ca. 19,5 x 28 cm.

€ 275,00



Fine collection of plates for use in Western and native schools. With extensive bi-lingual captions in Dutch and Malay and with index, introduction and register. The educational plates depict all aspects of life in Indonesia divided in 9 sections:

country and population, administration, religion, education and upbringing, arts and sciences, agriculture, cattle-breeding and fishing, European estates (sugar, rubber, tea, coffee, etc.), trade, industry and mining, traffic, fauna and flora.

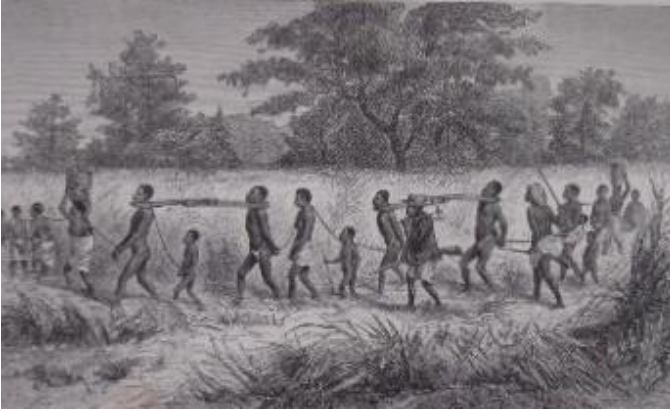


73 **LENZ, Oskar.** *Skizzen aus Westafrika.* Selbsterlebnisse. Berlin, A. Hofmann & Co., 1878. Old half cloth with paper label to spine. With folding map. (8),346 pp. € 75,00

First edition. - 'Eine Sammlung von untereinander selbstständigen Essays über

die natürlichen und socialen Zustände jener wenig durchforschten und selten besuchten Küste, wie sich mir dieselben während einer dreijährigen (1874 bis 1877), im Auftrag der 'deutschen Gesellschaft zur Erforschung Aequatorial-Afrika's' unternommenen Reise dargestellt haben. Oscar Lenz (1848-1925) is 'einer der letzten aus der Heroenzeit der Afrikaforschung' (*Hassert*). - (Two margins restored; some foxing).

Kainbacher p. 241; Cf. Henze III, p.211-217.



74

**LIVINGSTON
E, David.**

Narrative of an expedition to the Zambesi and its tributaries; and of the discovery of the lakes Shirwa and Nysassa. 1858-1864.

New York, Harper & Brothers, 1866.

Original cloth (spine discoloured (one hinge sl. dam.)). With double-page plate of the Falls at Zambesi, large folding map, and 36 woodengraved plates and illustrations. XXII,638; 6 pp. € 375,00

First American edition; first published in London in 1865; with the armorial bookplate of Frederick C. Bradley. - Account of Livingstone's second expedition. The British government agreed to fund Livingstone's idea and he returned to Africa as head of the Second Zambesi Expedition to examine the natural resources of southeastern Africa and open up the Zambezi River. However, it turned out to be completely impossible to boats past the Cahora Bassa rapids, a series of cataracts and rapids that Livingstone had failed to explore on his earlier travels. He eventually returned home in 1864 after the government ordered the recall of the expedition because of its increasing costs and failure to find a navigable route to the interior. The Zambezi Expedition was castigated as a failure in many newspapers of the time, and Livingstone experienced great difficulty in raising funds to further explore Africa.

Mendelssohn I, p.915; SAB III, p.137; Howgego IV, p.553-555; Hess & Coger 3069.

75 **LIVINGSTONE, David.** Missionary travels and researches in



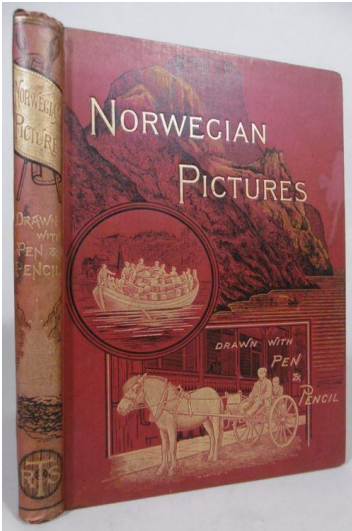
South Africa; including a sketch of sixteen years' residence in the interior of Africa, and a journey from the Cape of Good Hope to Loanda on the west coast;

thence across the continent, down the river Zambesi, to the eastern ocean. London, John Murray, 1857.

Contemporary calf, spine gilt (sl. rubbed; one hinge sl. dam. but holding). With folding wood-engraved frontispiece depicting the Victoria Falls by Whymper, engraved portrait (margins foxed), a folding cross section, 2 folding maps and 42 wood-engraved plates and illustrations. X,687pp. € 450,00

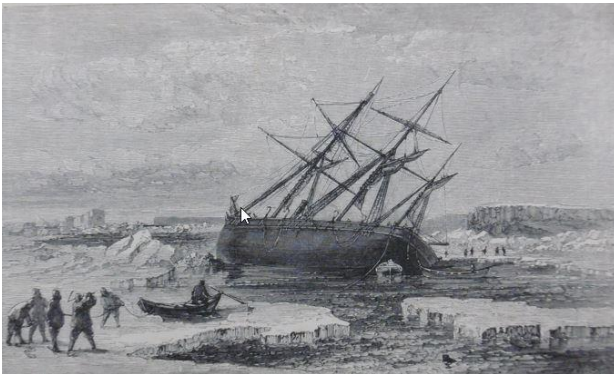
First edition. - An account of Livingstone's first expedition (1853-1856). With the help of the Makololos, a South African tribe, Livingstone planned to explore the whole of southern Africa as far as Angola. The missionary had become an important explorer. As the first European, he traveled on the Zambezi to Kazembe in a pirogue, a fast water vessel made from a tree trunk. In order to escape from the slave traders of Portuguese Africa, Livingstone traveled via Cassange and Bihé to Luanda, a Portuguese port and the capital of Angola, where he arrived completely exhausted on 31 May, 1854. As soon as he had recovered from his fever, he undertook a trek to Lake Dilolo, discovered the source of the Kasai, a left tributary of the Congo, and arrived in Linyanti, the capital of the Makololos. In the course of the major Zambezi expedition that followed he discovered the Victoria Falls, the falls of the middle Zambezi, in 1855 (*Waldmann, Eycyclopedia of world explorers, p.226*). 'Livingstone's services to

African geography. are almost unequalled. he explored vast regions of central Africa, many of which had never been seen by white men before' (*Printing and the Mind of Man* 341). - *Some foxing as usual, first fly-leaf missing, otherwise fine.*
Mendelssohn I, p.908-10; SAB III, p.136; Gordon-Brown p. 190-191; Hess & Coger 3067.



76 **LOVBETT, Richard.** Norwegian pictures drawn with pen and pencil. Containing also a glance at Sweden and the Gotha Canal. London, The Religious Tract Society, 1885.

8vo. Original pictorial gilt cloth, a.e.g. With folding map, coloured in outline and 127 woodengraved illustrations by E. Whymper, R. & E. Taylor, Pearson, a.o. 224 pp. € 65,00



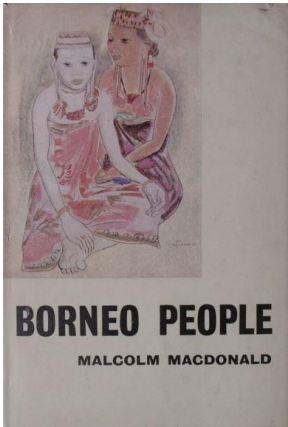
77
M'CLINTOCK, Francis Leopold.
The voyage of the 'Fox' in the Arctic seas. A narrative of the discovery of the fate of Sir John Franklin and his companions.

London, John Murray, 1859.

Original blue cloth, with gilt decoration on front (spine partly creased). With frontispiece, engraved medallion portrait of Franklin to title,

illustration in text, folding facsimile, 4 folding maps (2 on a single folding sheet) and 14 wood-engraved plates. XXVII,403 pp. € 275,00

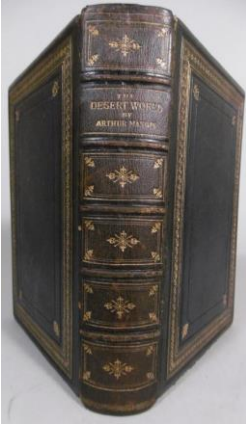
First edition. - 'M'Clintock had served in the Arctic expeditions in search of Sir John Franklin under Sir James Clark Ross in 1848, and under Captain Henry Kellett and Captain Sir Edward Belcher in 1852. From 1857 to 1859 he led this expedition, financed by Lady Franklin, for the same purpose. In 1859, M'Clintock found the log, diaries, documents, and relics left by the Franklin expedition in 1848 on King William Island, for which he was knighted in 1860. His account is important not only for the discovery of significant clues about the fate of Franklin and the members of his expedition, but also for its scientific information' (*Hill 1121*). Famous narrative of Lady Franklin's final expedition under Capt. M'Clintock on the Fox 1857-59, drawn from M'Clintock's day-to-day journal.
Arctic Bibl. 10557; Chavanne 1551; Sabin 43043.



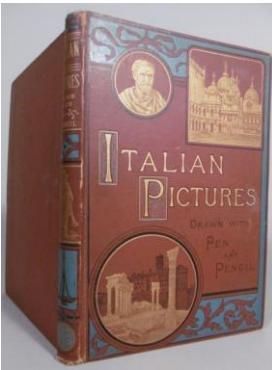
78 **MacDONALD, Malcolm.** Borneo people. London, Jonathan Cape, 1956. Cloth, with dust-jacket. With 44 photographic illustrations. 376 pp. € 95,00

First edition. - Travels in Sarawak, particularly of his meetings with the jungle tribes who were once notorious as among the worst head-hunters in Asia. In addition the author gives glimpses of the parts played by the Malayas, Melanaus and Chinese in multi-racial Sarawak.

79 **MANGIN, Arthur.** The desert world. From the French. Edited and enlarged. London, T. Nelson and Sons, 1869.
Contemporary morocco, richly gilt, a.e.g.. With 160 fine wood-engravings by W. Freeman, Foulquier and Dargent. 624 pp. € 150,00
Frist English edition, first published in Tours in 1866 *Le désert et le monde sauvage*, with the bookplate of William B. Rice. - Desert-life in



Africa, Australia, America, Asia and the polar regions. Dealing with the scenery, animal and vegetable life, and physical character of the wildernesses and waste places of the earth. - A *very fine copy*.



80 **MANNING, Samuel.** Italian pictures, drawn with pen en pencil. A new edition, revised and partly rewritten by S.G. Green. London, The Religious Tract Society, (ca. 1880).

8vo. Original pictorial gilt cloth, a.e.g. With numerous woodengravings (frontispiece missing). 224 pp. € 55,00



81 **MARINE.** A Dutch two-master at center with some smaller sailings ships and rowing boat at right and left side. Original washed drawing. Ca. 1800. Ca. 12 x 18 cm.

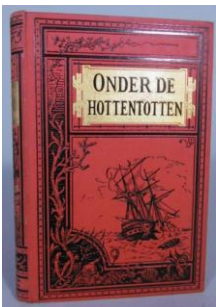
€ 175,00

A nice sea view with Dutch vessels.



- 82 **MARINE.** A river landscape with church and ruins of a castle on the left side, sailing ships at center and on the right, rowing boats with fishermen in the foreground. Original watercolour, late 18th century. Ca. 20 x 28 cm. € 225,00

A decorative view of a Dutch town on the water with various ships.



- 83 **MARRYAT, Frederick.** *Onder de Hottentotten.* Vrijbewerkt door Ph.J. van der Veen. 4e druk. Amsterdam, Tj. van Holkema, (1890). Original pictorial cloth. With 10 plates after Johan Braakensiek. 221 pp. € 65,00
Translation of *The mission: or scenes in Africa.* London, 1845. A tale founded on real experiences and adventures in South Africa in the early part of the 19th century. Written for young people.

Mendelssohn I, p.986; SAB III, p.265.



84 **MARSDEN, William.** The history of Sumatra, containing an account of the government, laws, customs, and manners of the native inhabitants, with a description of the natural productions, and a relation of the ancient political state of that island. 3rd edition, with corrections, additions. London, J. M'Creery, 1811.

4to. Later blue buckram (spine discoloured). With large folding engraved map and engraved plate with

Sumatran alphabets. VIII,479,(9) pp.

€ 975,00

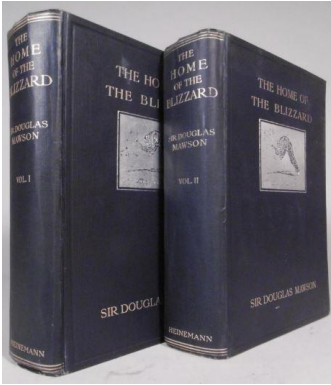
Third and best edition; first published in London in 1783; with the bookplate of Arthur Hereward Millard. - "This book gave Marsden a reputation that still holds today. He was an orientalist, in the service of the East India Company (VOC), and resided in Sumatra in 1771-79. He studied everything that came under his notice, including the difficult Sumatran tongue" (*Cox I, p.300*). His book is the first important monograph on Sumatra, including a chapter on Nias and also the first text in English devoted to the island. - (Without the atlas as usual).

Wellan-Helfrich D 238; Howgego M55; Hill 1093.

85 **MAWSON, Douglas.** The home of the blizzard, being the story of the Australasian Antarctic Expedition, 1911-1914. London, William Heinemann, (1915).

2 volumes. Original dark blue cloth, lettered in gilt on spines and front cover, with illustration in silver on front covers. With 2 frontispieces, 3 large folding maps in rear pocket, 18 coloured plates, 37 illustrations and 202 photographic plates by Frank Hurley. XXX,349; XIII,338 pp.

€ 1.500,00



First English edition. - First-hand account of the first Australian Antarctic expedition 1911-14. Mawson (1882-1958) recruited expedition members from Australian and New Zealand Universities and had 15 professional scientists among his staff. His expedition did great work, both in geographical exploration and scientific research. A separate party, under George F. Ainsworth, spent 23 months on Macquarie Island, and made the first

detailed scientific investigations there. The first radio contact with Antarctica was made 25 September 1912. The expedition took the first aeroplane to Antarctica which crashed in Australia on the outward voyage and was used without wings as an 'air tractor' sledge. Sir Douglas Mawson was one of the foremost expedition leaders in the Heroic Age of Antarctic Exploration at the dawn of the 20th century. This account so profusely illustrated by the magnificent photographs of Frank Hurley is a classic of Polar literature. - *A fine copy.*
Spence 7743; Headland 1456; Conrad p.208; Howgego III, p.349-352



86 **MAY, Jan Cornelisz.**

De reis van Jan Cornelisz. May naar de IJszee en de Amerikaansche kust 1611-1612. Verzameling van bescheiden uitgegeven door S. Muller. 's Gravenhage, Martinus Nijhoff, 1909.

Cloth (soiled). With 2 maps (1 folding). LVI,226 pp. € 275,00

Linschoten Vereeniging I. - Jan Cornelisz. May was a 17th-century Dutch navigator, known for his voyage of discovery in search of the Northeast Passage. He was sent in 1611 by Ernest van der Wal and Pieter Aertszoon de Jonge to find the Northeast Passage. May stopped along the east coast of Amerika at Nova Scotia and Cape Cod.



87 **MAYER, L.Th & J.F.A.C. van MOLL.**
De sedekahs en slametans in de desa. Semarang,
Soerabaia, 's Hage, G.C.T. van Dorp & Co.,
1909.

Original wrappers with coloured illustration on
frontwrapper. 111 pp. € 150,00

Slamatan is a communal ceremonial ritual feast according to Javanese customs. It is one of the most important Javanese kejawen rituals. It consists of a religious banquet to which all the people in the neighborhood are invited.



88 **MEERTEN-SCHILPEROORT, A.B. van.** Het Noorden van ons land; of vluchtige schetsen en aangename herinneringen van een reistogtje over Utrecht, door Vriesland, Groningen, Drenthe en Overijssel. Assen, T.J. van

Tricht, 1840.

Contemporary half calf, original printed wrappers preserved. With lithographed frontispiece after J. van Ravenswaay by H.J. Backer.

XI,281,(1) pp.

€ 375,00

First edition. - Sketches and pleasant memories of a trip over Utrecht, through Vriesland, Groningen, Drenthe and Overijssel by Anna Barbera van Meerten-Schilperoort (1778 - 1853). She is known as an advocate of good education for girls (with a relatively strong emphasis on natural sciences) and as a pioneer of professional women's professions.



89 **MEETEREN**

BROUWER, Menno Simon

Jacobus van. Menno's Indisch-prentenboek. Met versjes voor de jeugd. Uit het dagelijksche Indische leven van het Indische kind. Utrecht, W. de Haan, (1924).

Oblong 8vo. Original pictorial boards. With 12 coloured plates and 24 illustrations.

€ 125,00

Nice picture book in which the little girl Non and her brother Piet with their babu are the main characters. With 12 full-page coloured plates (in blue, brown and red) next to pages with rhyming text in Dutch and Malay and silhouette-like images printed in red, by Menno van Meeteren Brouwer (1882-1974), an illustrator and cartoonist, who signed his work with 'Menno'. Contents: white children are washed by babu, they drive to the passsar, visit the Chinese toko, the kebon fetches water, the car goes to the garage, the children play with the old houseboy, a brown and a white child sit by a pot, they go horseback riding in the mountains, see a coolie hauling, eat rice and go to sleep. Finally, they go on leave to Holland and babu goes along. - *A fine copy.*

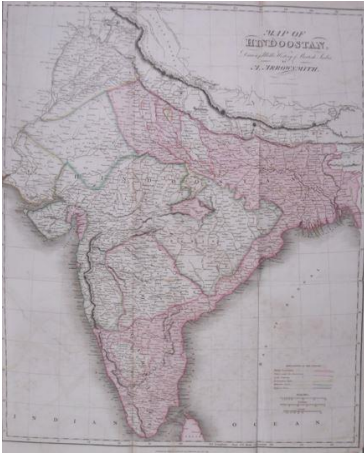
Buur 0379; Haks & Maris p.181.

90 **MILL, James.** The history of British India. London, printed for Baldwin, Chadock, and Joy, 1817.

3 volumes. 4to. Later half morocco, with red morocco title-labels to spines. With large folding map of the Eastern part of Persia, with Afghanistan, Bactriana, Trans-Oxiana &c. (foxed) and folding map, coloured in outline, of Hindoostan by A. Arrowsmith (small tear rep.).

XXXII648; 720; VII,782 pp.

€ 850,00



First edition. - The Scottish historian, economist, political theorist, and philosopher James Mill (1773-1836), charted the history of the East India Company rule in India. His work was an instant success. He was the first writer to divide Indian history into three parts: Hindu, Muslim and British, a classification which has proved surpassingly influential in the field of Indian historical studies. Mill frequently denounced Hindu culture and traditions, and it has been seen by historians as an

example of anti-Indian sentiments in Britain during the period. His book is a monumental work in which James Mill set out to display the history, character, religion, literature, arts, and laws of India. - *A fine set.*

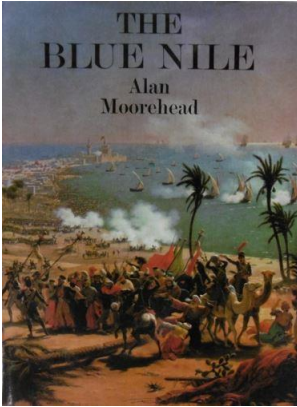


91 **MONEY, Edward.** Twelve months with the Bashi-Bazouks. London, Chapman and Hall, 1857.

Original embossed green cloth, spine lettered in gilt (extremities spine sl. dam.). With 3 lithographed plates, coloured by hand, depicting an offer, an Arab soldier and an Arnaout soldier of the Bashi Bazouks. IV,220; (4) pp. € 475,00

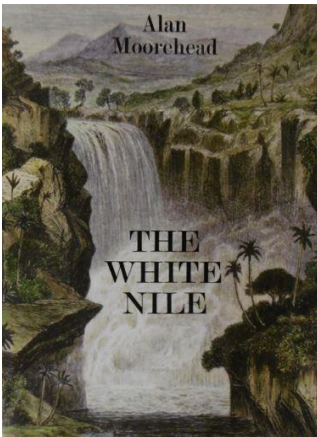
First edition; with autograph dedication by the author.- A bashi-bazouk was an irregular soldier of the Ottoman army. Bashibazouk could be ethnic Turks or from other peoples of the empire such as Circassians, Arabs, Albanians, or Bosniaks. A first-hand account of the Crimean War giving a curious picture of Oriental life, with fine coloured plates. - (Some marginal wormholes).

Not in the Blackmer or Atabey Collecton.



92 **MOOREHEAD, Alan.** The Blue Nile. London, Hamish Hamilton, 1972. 8vo. Cloth, with dust-jacket. With 32 coloured plates and 130 illustrations. 336 pp. € 95,00

First published in 1962. - A classic of historical reconstruction. The narrative begins in the 18th century and ends in 1869. The author traces the course of the Blue Nile from the Ethiopian Highlands, through the Sudan and Egypt to the sea. - *A fine copy.*



93 **MOOREHEAD, Alan.** The White Nile. London, Hamish Hamilton, 1971. 8vo. Cloth, with dust-jacket. With 48 coloured plates and 120 illustrations. 336 pp. € 95,00

First published in 1960. - The author tells the story of the exploration of the Nile from the Mountains of the Moons to the Mediterranean. The discovery of Central Africa, including the horrific trade in slaves with its ramifications from Cairo to

Zanzibar. - *A fine copy.*

94 **MORELET, Arthur.** Voyage dans l' Amémerique centrale, l'île de Cuba et le Yucatan. Paris, Gide & J. Baudry, 1857. 2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf (1 hinge restored). With folding lithographed map of Yucatan, Guatemala and Cuba, coloured in outline, (some repairs), 2 leaves with musical notation, and 22 wood-engraved illustrations, after drawings by the author, heading each chapter. 337; 323 pp. € 2.450,00



First edition. - An important account of a voyage to Central America and Cuba by the French naturalist and traveller Pierre Marie Arthur Morelet (1809-1892). He was sponsored by the Académie des Sciences, he went on an expedition from 1847 to 1848 to Southern Mexico and Central America, including Cuba, to collect specimens for the Musée d'Histoire Naturelle in

Paris. After two months in Cuba he went to Yucatan. In 1847 also arrived in the Petén district in Guatemala and travelled to Antigua (*Troelstra, p.311*). Morelet visited isolated regions of Guatemala and Yucatán which had not been described for many years (*Howgego*). - (Foxed).

Sabin 50591; Chadenat 2706: Ouvrage recherché et devenu rare; Howgego II, p. 418.



95 **NAPIER, E. ELERS.** Excursions in Southern Africa, including a history of the Cape Colony, an account of the native tribes, etc. London, William Shoberl, 1849. 2 volumes. Original embossed red cloth, spines later half morocco, lettered in gilt. With engraved frontispiece view of Cape Town, 2 portraits and 6 woodengravings. XXX,359; IV,456 pp. € 495,00

First edition; with bookplate of I. & F.W. Hosken. - An account of the Cape Colony from the earliest period of settlement down to the Kaffir War of 1876-7. The work is a critique of the British Government in the Cape and the original draft was, according to the author, rejected by several publishers on the grounds that it was too outspoken on the failures of its subject (*Mendelssohn II, p.75*). - *Added an autograph letter by Napier.* - *Fine.* - *SAB III, p.429.*



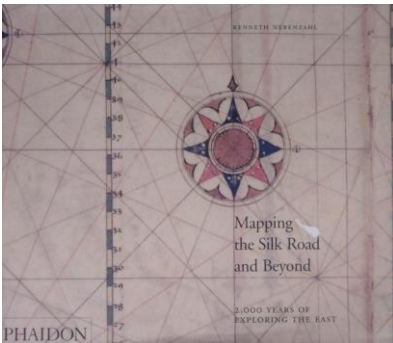
96 **NEALE, Frederick Arthur.**
Narrative of a residence at the capital of the kingdom of Siam; with a description of the manners, customs and laws of the modern Siamese. London, Office of the National

Illustrated Library, 1852.

Original embossed cloth (discoloured), spine gilt. With frontispiece, 2 printed title-pages, map, 2 plates and 25 woodengravings. XIV,280 pp.
€ 175,00

First edition. - During the years 1841-1842 Arthur Neale served as a naval and military officer in the Siamese army. Account with interesting observations, especially concerning the militarisation of Siam.

Cordier, BI, col. 735; Satow 126.



97 **NEBENZAHL, Kenneth.**
Mapping the Silk Road and beyond. 2,000 years of exploring the East. London, Phaidon Press, 2004. 4to. Boards, with dust-jacket. With numerous coloured maps. 176 pp.
€ 85,00

This book presents an authoritative selection of the most important antique maps of Asia representing time periods from the age of Alexander the Great to the nineteenth century, and spanning the area from the Middle East to Japan.



98 **OLIPHANT, Laurence.** Narrative of the Earl of Elgin's mission to China and Japan in the years 1857, '58, '59. New York, Harper & Brothers, 1860. Original brown cloth gilt (extremities of spine dam.). With

coloured lithographed frontispiece and 60 wood-engraved plates and illustrations. XVI,645 pp.

€ 375,00

First American edition. - Laurence Oliphant (1829-1888), British adventurer, diplomat, author and traveller, was private secretary to Lord Elgin and accompanied him to Calcutta, Hongkong, Canton, Tientsin and Yedo. The main purpose of the mission was the signing of treaties opening both China and Japan to British trade. The first part gives a detailed survey of the river Yangtze, opening up the hinterland to Western commerce. The second part gives a detailed description of the political and social conditions in Japan.

Cordier, B. S., col. 2376; Cordier, B.J., col. 547; Löwendahl 1224; Howgego IV, p.461-462.

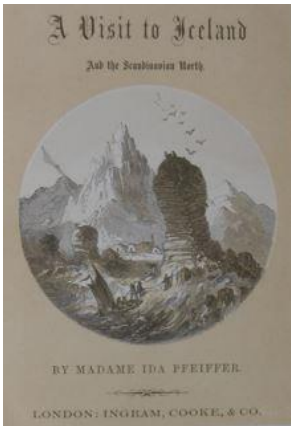


99 **PETERMANN, A.** Karte des Mittelländischen Meeres. Gotha, Justus Perthes, 1880.

8 sheets, coloured in outline. Each ca. 37,5 x 46 cm.

€ 150,00

Fine detailed maps of the Mediterranean Sea and surrounding countries.



100 **PFEIFFER, IDA.** Visit to Iceland and the Scandinavian north. Translated from the German. 2nd edition. London, Ingram, Cooke, and Co., 1853.

Original embossed brown cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With tinted wood-engraved title-page with vignette, frontispiece and 6 tinted wood-engraved plates. 353 pp. 336 pp. € 175,00

First published in 1846 *Reise nach dem Scandinavischen Norden und der Insel Island.*
- On her second trip Ida Pfeiffer (1797-1858)

set out from Reykjavik for the Geiser and Mount Hecla, travelling alone and on a tight budget, and making her way on pony carts and living like the Icelanders. Having visited every part of Iceland of interest, she embarked for Copenhagen, and after travelling through parts of Norway and Sweden returned to Vienna after an absence of about six months (*Howgego II*, p. 475). Including An essay on Icelandic poetry, from the French of M. Bergmann; A translation of the Icelandic poem the Voluspa; and a brief sketch of Icelandic history.

Abbey, Travel, 161; *Robinson, Wayward women*, p.25; *Theakstone, Vicorian & Edwardian women travellers*, p.214.



101 **PHILIP, John.** Researches in South Africa; illustrating the civil, moral, and religious condition of the native tribes: including journals of the author's travels in the interior; together with detailed accounts of the

progress of the Christian missions, exhibiting the influence of Christianity in promoting civilization. London, James Duncan, 1828. 2 volumes. Later half green morocco, with red title-labels on spines.

With engraved view of Bethelsdorp, folding map of South Africa (top missing), and sketch of the institution of the Theopolis. XXXV,403; VIII,450 pp. € 550,00

First edition. - Few books on South African matters have been the subject of such fierce denunciation and bitter criticisms as these volumes. The author proceeded to South Africa in the service of the London Missionary Society in 1819, and soon became a most drastic censor of the methods pursued towards the natives by the colonists, and the policy of the colonial government with regard to native affairs. When the *Researches in South Africa* were published a large amount of public indignation was aroused, and the subject was brought before the Houses of Parliament, considerable changes in the administration of native affairs in South Africa being eventually brought about. The volumes afford considerable information respecting the natives and colonists in the first quarter of the nineteenth century (*Mendelssohn II, p.160-161*). - (Browned).
SAB III, p.665.



102 **PHILIPPI, Rudolph Amandus.** Reise durch die Wüste Atacama auf Befehl der chilenischen Regierung im Sommer 1853-54 unternommen. Halle, Eduard

Anton, 1860.

Folio. Original printed boards (sl. rubbed). With folding map and 27 lithographed plates (including a diagram, 15 natural history plates of which 7 hand-coloured, and 11 tinted views (1 folding, foxed as usual). X,192; 62 pp. € 1.750,00

First German edition. - First, and still the best, scientific description of Atacama, Chile. R.A. Philippi (1808-1904), a German-Chilean naturalist, visited the Atacama Desert in 1853-1854, travelled extensively in Chili between 1850 and 1883, and occupied the Chair of Natural History at Santiago. His son, Friedrich Philippi, carried on his work in the Atacama in 1885. His book offers a travel account, followed by descriptive sections, including a Flora Atacamensis listing the more than 400 species he had found in the area, many of them not described before. With fine plates depicting views and natural history subjects (fossils, birds, rodents, lizards, shells and plantes). Philippi brought to Santiago the first reliable map of the region and a wealth of scientific information. He is now regarded as one of the founding fathers of scientific research in Chile (*Howgego IV, p.723*). 'Philippi gehört zu den bedeutendsten Naturforschern, die im 19. Jahrhundert in Chili tätig waren. Verdienstvolle Arbeit leistete er auf den Gebieten von Botanik und Zoologie. Im Verlauf seiner landeskundlichen Expeditionen fertigte er künstlerische Studien von hohem dokumentarischen Wert an' (*Deutsche Künstler in Lateinamerika, p.119*). - *Rare.*
Sabin 62452; Palau 224736; Henze IV, p.98.



103 **PIETERS, P.**

Practische Indische tolk (Djoeroe-basa Indija). Gesprekken en woordenlijst in Hollandsch, Maleisch en Javaansch, ten dienste der aankomende vreemdelingen en inlanders in Nederlandsch-Indië. Derde herziene druk. Amsterdam,

Van Holkema & Warendorf, (ca. 1914). Oblong 8vo. Cloth. (18), 297 pp. - *With advertisements.*

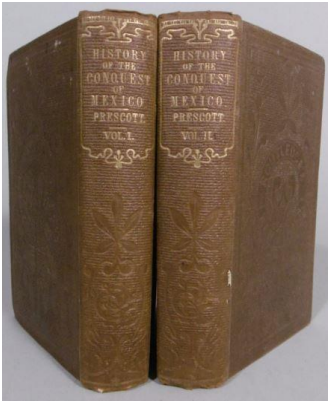
€ 65,00



104 **POTGIETER, E.J.** Liedekens van Bontekoe. Amsterdam, Hendrik Frijlink, 1840.

Sm.8vo. Original cloth. With 4 steelengraved plates after J.W. Kaiser by D.J. Sluijter. VIII,94 pp. € 75,00

First edition. - Collection of popular songs, several based on the popular story of Bontekoe's voyage to the Dutch East Indies. *Verhoeven & Verkruijse p.264.*



105 **PRESCOTT, William Hickling.**

History of the conquest of Mexico, with a preliminary view of the ancient Mexican civilization, and the life of the conqueror, Hernando Cortés. New edition. London, George Routledge & Sons, 1867.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Original embossed cloth, spines lettered in gilt. XIX,395; XI,424 pp. € 95,00

First published in 1843. - A cornerstone work for any collection on American literature or the historiography of Mexico. - *A fine set.*
Sabin 65263; Hill 1383.

106 **PREVOST, Antoine François.** Leven der gouverneurs generaal van Nederlands India. (With:) Aanshangsel tot de beschrijving van Batavia. Amsterdam, J. Roman, a.o., 1765.

4to. Contemporary half roan (sl. rubbed). With title-page printed in red and black, 2 engraved maps (1 folding), 11 engraved plates (9 folding) and 27 engraved vignette portraits of the Governors-General, all engraved by Jacob van der Schley. (4),409,(3) pp. € 950,00



views of Batavia (i.a. slaughter of the Chinese),
Landwehr, VOC, 267.

Historische beschryving der reizen.
Deel XX. - Interesting description of the lives of 27 Governors General from Pieter Both in 1609 up till Jacob Mossel in 1752 of the Dutch East India Company (VOC). With additional part on Batavia, with plans and



107 **REES, W(illem) A(driaan) van.** De Bandjermasinsche krijg van 1859-1863. & De Bandjermasinsche Krijg van 1859-1863 nader toegelicht. Arnhem, D.A. Thieme, 1865-1867.

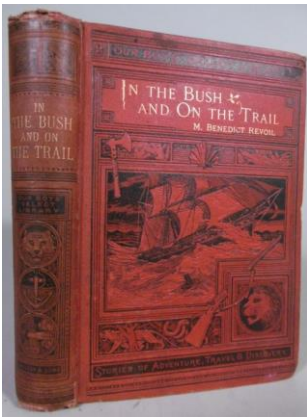
3 volumes in 1. Original half cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With 2 tinted lithographed frontispiece portraits, large folding map, and 14 plates (10 chromolithographed plates of which 3 double page, 2 tinted and 2 folding), after C.C.A. Last by H.L. Smits. XII,346; VIII,417; 139 pp.

€ 795,00

First edition, complete set with the rare additional volume; with the bookplate of the Dutch diplomat and bookcollector Jean Charles Pabst (1873-1942). - In 1700 the Dutch East India Company established a factory in Banjermasin, but the place was found to be unhealthy. The

Company's servants were finally attacked by the natives and the settlement was abandoned. The English seized Banjermasin in 1811, but restored it in 1817. The district was incorporated by the Dutch in consequence of the war of 1860. Banjermasin became the chief town in the Dutch part of the island of Borneo. A near contemporary account of the destruction of the Banjarmasin empire and imposition of Dutch colonial rule in Southern Borneo, now Kalimantan. - *A fine copy with coloured plates.*

Tiele 902; Cat. NHSM I, p.515; Cat. KITLV p.44; Bastin-Brommer N 610; Landwehr, Coloured plates., 399.



108 **REVOIL, M. Benedict.** In the bush and on the trail. Adventures in the forests of North America. A book for boys. London, T. Nelson and Sons, 1890.

Original pictorial red cloth. With 70 woodengraved illustrations. 393 pp.

€ 65,00

The volume now submitted to the reader is a translation from the French of M. Benedict Revoil, who some years ago traversed many parts of the United states, intent upon the pursuit of game. He has recorded his experiences and adventures in an unpretending but animated and entertaining narrative, which is entirely free from exaggeration, and is commendably characterized by exceeding modesty in its references to the writer's own achievements (*Preface*).

109 **RIOU, Edward.** Dagverhaal van eene reis van de Kaap de Goede Hoop in de binnenlanden van Afrika, ondernomen in de jaaren 1790 en 1791 door Jakob van Reenen en andere, naar het wrak van het Engelsch Oost-Indisch compagnie schip de *Grosvernor*, om te ontdekken of er nog enige schipbreukelingen in leven waren. Uit het Engelsch vertaald. Leyden, A. & J. Honkoop, 1793.

Old wrappers. XII58 pp.

€ 475,00

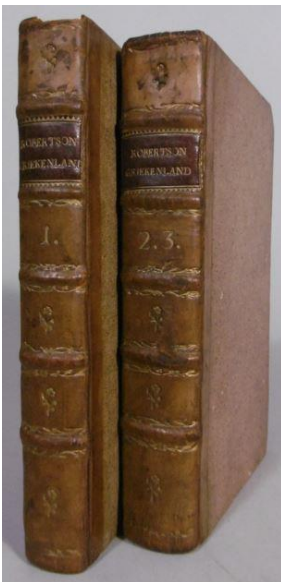


First Dutch edition; first published in London in 1792: *A journal of a journey from the Cape of Good Hope .. etc.* - Captain Riou, did not join the expedition himself, but obtained a copy from Van Reenen's journal. The East India Company vessel wrecked on the coast of South Africa in 1782.

This journal is an account of the second Dutch expedition to search for survivors of the *Grosvenor* wreck travelling through Kaffirland to about the mouth of the Umzimkulu. They found three old women, apparently British, living in a mixed community near the Mngazi River (to the

south of Port St. Johns) who might have been from the *Grosvenor* (*Howgego* p.460). - Scarce.

Cat. NHSM I, p.139; not in Tiele; Huntress 117C; Mendelssohn II, p. 229 & p.652.



110 **ROBERTSON, William.** *Geschiedenis van oud Griekenland, van de vroegste tijden af, tot dat het een romeinsch wingewest werd.* Naar den tweeden druk uit het Engelsch vertaald. Utrecht, Amsterdam, Haarlem, A. van Paddenburg, a.o., 1780 - 1781. 3 volumes in 2. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt, with red morocco title-labels to spines. XIV,345; 330; 182,(21) pp. € 125,00

First Dutch edition; a translation of the second edition of *The History of Ancient Greece*, 1778. - Written by reverent William Robertson (1721-1793), the Scottish historian and minister of the Church of Scotland.



111

ROBERTSON, William. An

historical disquisition concerning the knowledge which the ancients had of India; and the progress of trade with that country

prior to the discovery of the passage to it by the Cape of Good Hope. With an appendix, containing observations on the civil policy - the laws and judicial proceedings - the arts - the sciences - and religious institutions, of the Indians. London, A. Strahan & T. Cadell, Edinburgh, E. Balfour, 1791.

4to. Contemporary calf (part of one hinge splitting but firmly holding).). With 2 large folding maps. XII,364,(12) pp. € 650,00

First edition; with the bookplate of the Bellingham Castle Library and the armorial bookplate of William Bellingham Bart. - William Robertson (1721-1793), the leading Scottish historian of his day, brought out this history of ancient India. He concludes with a wise hope that this account of 'the early and high civilization of India, and the wonderful progress of its inhabitants in elegant arts and useful science, may have some influence upon the behavior of Europeans towards that people' (*DNB XVI, p.1314*). Also dealing with the discovery of the sea route to India via the Cape of Good Hope. - *A good clean copy with wide margins.*
SAB IV, p.57.

112 **ROCHFORT, Charles de.** Natuurlyke en zedelyke historie van d'eylanden de voor-eylanden van Amerika. Met eenen Caraïbaanschen woorden-schat. Vertaalt in Nederduytsch door H. Dullaart. Rotterdam, Arnout Leers, 1662.

4to. Contemporary overlapping vellum. With allegorical engraved

frontispiece, woodcut printer's device on titlepage, 6 engraved plates and 37 engravings in the text (7 nearly full page). (38),475,(11) pp.

€ 2.950,00



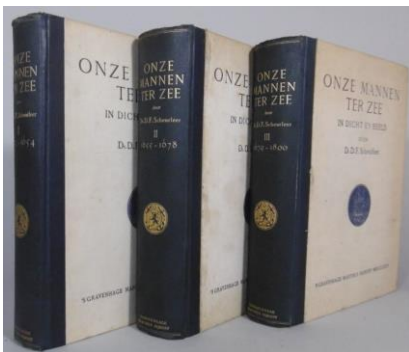
First Dutch edition, first published in Rotterdam in 1658: Histoire naturelle et morale des iles Antilles.

Rochefort, was the pastor of the French Protestant Church in Rotterdam, and a resident for several years in the West Indies. Including a natural history and ethnography of the West Indies:

Barbados, Tobago, Sint Eustatius, Saba, Sint Maarten, etc. The first part describes the plants and animals i.a. tobacco, sugar, cotton and indigo. The second part is an account of the various Carib peoples and their customs, language and religion. A

Dutch-Carib dictionary is found at the end. With excellent engravings. The work is an important and valuable contribution to our knowledge of the Antilles and their inhabitants (*Sabin*). - Age-browned, otherwise a good copy.

Sabin 72320; Tiele 926; Cat. NHSM I, p.265; European-Americana III, p.162.

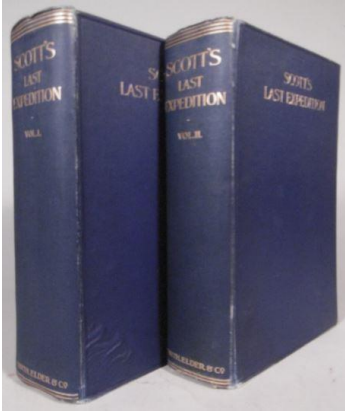


113 **SCHEURLEER, D.F.** Onze mannen ter zee in dicht en beeld. Gedichten, portretten, penningen en grafmonumenten door tijdgenooten 1572 - 1800. 's Gravenhage, Martinus Nijhoff, 1912-1914. 3 volumes. Large 4to. Original cloth (sl. stained), top edge gilt. With numerous plates and portraits.

XXIV,209; XVI,270; XVI,267 pp.

€ 225,00

Unnumbered copy from the limited edition of 230 copies printed on heavy Cartridge paper. - Our men at sea in poetry and images. Poems, portraits, medals and funerary monuments by contemporaries, a lasting value for the knowledge and appreciation of the history of Dutch sea life.



114 **SCOTT, Robert Falcon.** Scott's last expedition. Vol. I. Being the journals of Captain R.F. Scott. Vol. II. Being the reports of the journeys & the scientific work undertaken by E.A. Wilson and the surviving members of the expedition. Arranged by L. Huxley. With a preface by Cl.R. Markham. London, Smith, Elder & Co, 1913.

2 volumes. Original blue cloth, lettered in gilt, top edges gilt, uncut. With ca. 300 partly folding maps and photographic

plates (18 in colours) by Herbert G. Ponting. XXVI,633; XIV,534 pp.

€ 450,00

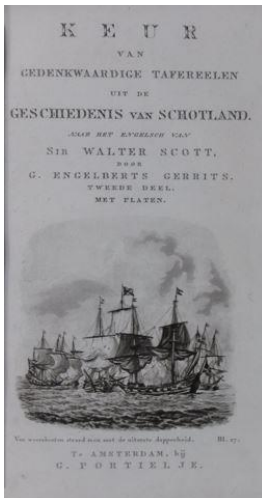
First edition; with the bookplate of Charles Hadfield. - The official account of Scott's second and last polar expedition. This British Antarctic Expedition (1910-13) almost failed on her way south, when the *Terra Nova* was caught in a terrific storm. Scott finally reached the South Pole on 17 January 1912, 33 days after Amundsen's expedition. Scott and the four men with him, Evans, Oates, Bowers, and Wilson, perished on the return trip in 1913. 'Scott kept a diary of the expedition up until his death on or about 29 March 1912. This was published in two volumes in November 1913 as *Scott's last expedition*, along with supplementary material furnished by other members of the expedition. It ran to innumerable later editions' (*Howgego S13*).

'It is a harrowing and courageous story, which earned its place in the canons of polar literature' (*Stam. Books on ice, p.88*). Herbert Ponting,

the photographer, made the first moving picture documentary of this Antarctic expedition. 'This is undoubtedly the most known of all Antarctic expeditions and publications' (*Taurus Collection 77*).

A nice set.

Spence 1059; Headland 1440; Conrad p.188.



115 **SCOTT, Walter.** Keur van gedenkwaardige tafereelen uit de geschiedenis van Schotland. Naar het Engelsch (vertaald door G. Engelberts Gerrits. Amsterdam, G. Portielje, (1832).

2 volumes. Original cloth with gilt decorations, spines gilt (spines discoloured). With 2 engraved title-pages with engraved vignettes after H. Vettewinkel by W. van Senus and 12 aquatint plates on 6 leaves after H.P. Oosterhuis by W. van Senus (2 with marginal stains).

XVI,224; VI,246,(2) pp.

€ 175,00

First edition. - Dutch translation of *Tales of a Grandfather, being stories taken from Scottish history.*

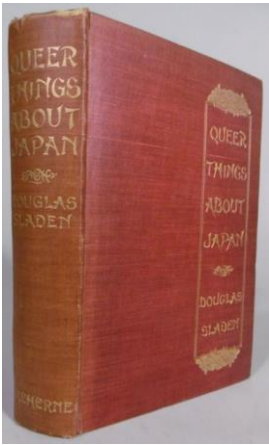
- *A fine copy.*



116 **SIMROCK, Karl.** Rheinsagen aus den Munde des Volks und deutscher Dichter. Für Schule, Haus und Wanderschaft. 2. vermehrte Auflage. Bonn, Eduard Weber, 1837.

Original printed boards. With lithographed frontispiece. XI,472,(1) pp.

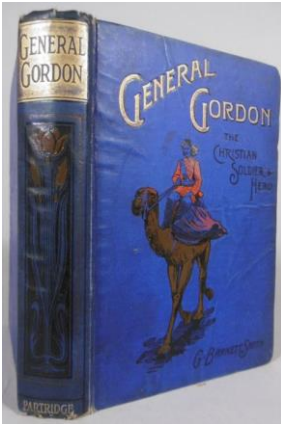
€ 65,00



117 **SLADEN, Douglas.** Queer things about Japan. Third edition. London, Anthony Treherne & Co, 1904.

Original red cloth, with gilt lettering. With coloured frontispiece and 30 plates after Hokusai. XXXV,443 pp. € 125,00

First edition published in 1903. - A fascinating and comprehensive ethnographical and travel work on Japan.



118 **SMITH, Barnett G.** General Gordon. The christian soldier and hero. London, S.W. Patridge & Co., (1903).

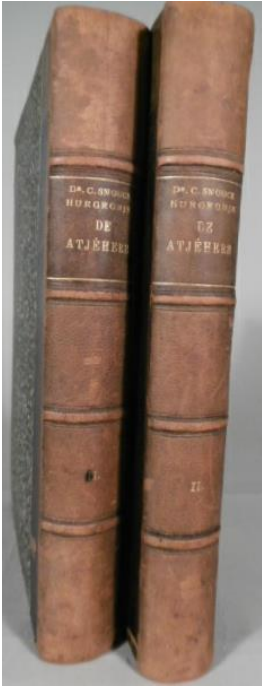
Original pictorial cloth (sl. stained). With illustrations. 160;32 pp. € 45,00

Charles George Gordon (1833 – 1885) saw action in the Crimean War as an officer in the British Army. However, he made his military reputation in China, where he was placed in command of the "Ever Victorious Army", a force of Chinese soldiers led by European

officers which was instrumental in putting down the Taiping Rebellion, regularly defeating much larger forces. He entered the service of the Khedive of Egypt in 1873 (with British government approval) and later became the Governor-General of the Sudan, where he did much to suppress revolts and the local slave trade.

119 **SNOUCK HURGRONJE, Christiaan.** De Atjèhers. Uitgegeven op last van de regeering. Batavia, Landsdrukkerij, Leiden, E.J. Brill, 1893 -1894.

2 volumes. 8vo. Contemporary half calf. With 2 folding maps and 2 folding plates (some small tears rep.). XX,512; XV,438 pp. € 175,00



First edition. - Fundamental work on Aceh, Indonesia, by the orientalist Snouck Hurgronje (1857-1936), published by order of the Dutch government. From July 1891 to February 1892 Snouck Hurgronje stayed in the region of Aceh to carry out research on the influence of Islam on the life and minds of the Acehnese people. It is also relevant for the debate concerning Islamic law versus customary law. - (Browned and without the atlas as usual).

Cat. KITLV p.25.



120 **SQUIER, E(phraim) G(eorge).**

Nicaragua; its people, scenery, monuments, and the proposed interoceanic canal. New York, D. Appleton & Co., 1852.

2 volumes. Original embossed cloth (spines discoloured). With 4 maps (2 folding) and 29 plates (including tinted and coloured plates) and 60 woodengravings. XXII,424; IV,452 pp.

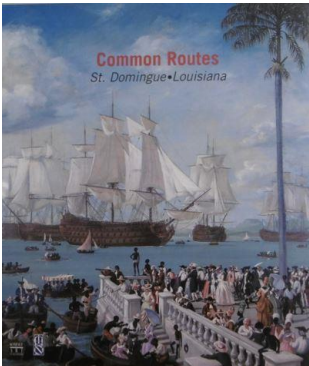
€ 675,00

First edition. - Squier (1821-1888) was an American journalist, archaeologist, and diplomat. He became an authority on Central America and on the archaeological ruins of

native Americans in New York, Ohio, Central America, and Peru. *Nicaragua* is considered his best book (*Hill 1621*). Squier's contact with Latin America came initially through several diplomatic posts which he held, and led to his becoming a recognized authority and

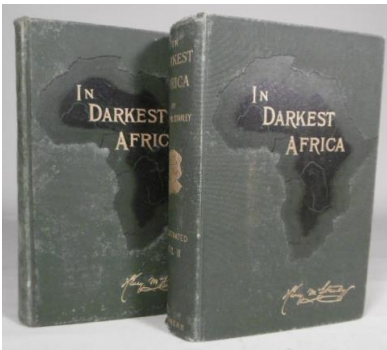
author, especially on Central American affairs as well as its archaeology and ethnology. - *A wealth of information about all aspects of Nicaragua.*

Sabin 89980; Howgego IV, p.868-869; Palau 321.786; Abbey, Travel, 673.



121 **St. DOMINGUE.** Common routes. St. Domingue - Louisiana. New Orleans, The Historic New Orleans Collection, 2006. 4to. Boards, with dust-jacket. With 76 coloured illustrations. 127 pp. € 65,00

A comprehensive look at the history of St. Domingue and the impact of its revolution on Louisiana.



122 **STANLEY, Henry Morton.** In darkest Africa or the quest, rescue, and retreat of Emin, governor of Equatoria. New York, Charles Scribner's Sons, 1890.

2 volumes. Original green pictorial cloth (vol. I stained). With 2 steelengraved frontispiece portraits, 3 folding maps and 150 wood-engravings. XIV,547; XVI,540 pp.

€ 375,00

First American edition. - Account of the Emin Pasha Relief Expedition, Stanley's (1841-1904) last African expedition (1887-1889) with 700 members. He ascended the Congo River and then marched across central Africa in command of a relief expedition for Emin Pasha, the German-born governor of southern Sudan's Equatoria province, who had been cut off from Anglo-Egyptian forces to the north since the outbreak of a Muslim revolt six years earlier. Together they explored the Semliki River and established it as the principal

connection between Lake Albert and Lake Edward. While in the region, Stanley made European discovery of the Ruwenzori Range (the fabled 'Mountains of the Moon') and arrived in Zanzibar in late 1889. He was the second European to cross Central Africa from west to east.
 - *Internally good copy of Stanley's classic travel narrative, a monument in the history of African exploration.*
Hess & Coger 155.

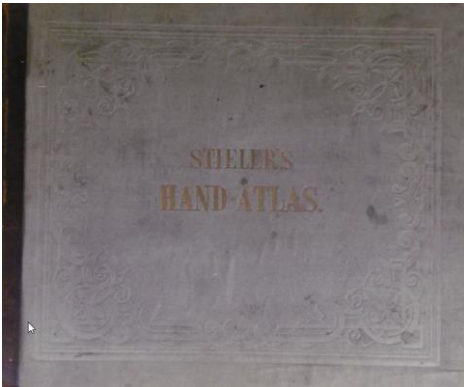


123 **STEPHENS, JOHN L** *Incidents of travel in Central America, Chiapas, and Yucatan.* London, John Murray, 1841.
 2 volumes. Later brown buckram with calf labels on spines. With folding map and 77 plates and plans (2 double-page). 424; 474 pp.
 € 850,00

First edition. - 'Central America, like Mexico, was not fully explored at the beginning of the 19th century, and remained neglected until nearly half of that century had passed .. A change came with the journeys of John

Stephens, whose *Incidents of travel* called attention to the wealth of archaeological remains awaiting the investigator' (*Baker p.396*). John Stephens travelled together with Frederick Catherwood who made the drawings. Their discoveries of the lost Mayan civilization did much to awaken scientific interest in the ancient cultures of Central America. Stephens and Catherwood are credited for the discovery of the Maya civilization, and through their publications brought the Maya back into the minds of the Western World. It sold 12.000 copies in the first four months and went through twelve editions in the first year (*Howgego II, p.566*). - *A landmark of archaeology.* - (Foxed).
Sabin 91297.

124 **STIELER, Adolf.** *Handatlas über alle Theile der Erde und über das Weltgebäude.* Gotha, Justus Perthes, (ca. 1893).
 Large 4to. Original embossed cloth, spine half morocco (spine ends



damaged). With 95 steelengraved maps, coloured in outline (incl. title-page). The maps, dates 1880-1893, are clean and fine. With 'Vorbemerkungen zu Stieler's Hand-Atlas'. 8 pp. € 550,00



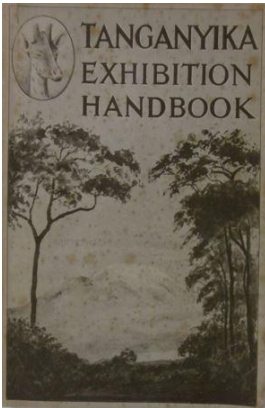
125 **STOWE, Harriet Beecher.** Uncle Tom's cabin; or, life among the lowly. London, Ward, Lock & Tyler, (ca. 1880). Original decorated gilt cloth. With wood-engraved illustrations. VI,346,(28) pp. € 125,00

First published in Boston in 1852. - To those engaged in fighting slavery it appeared as an indictment of all the evils inherent in the system they opposed; to the pro-slavery forces it was a slanderous

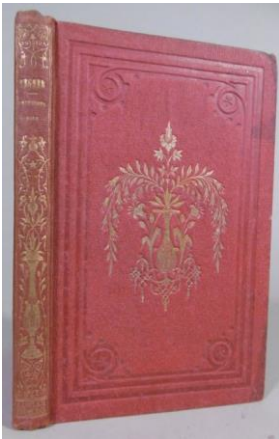
attack on 'the Southern way of life'. The character of Uncle Tom was based in part on the narrative on the life of Josiah Henson, an escaped slave. 'The social impact of *Uncle Tom's cabin* on the United States was greater than that of any book before or since' (*PMM 332*). - *A nice copy.*

Cf Sabin 92491 and Work p.304.

126 **TANGANYIKA.** Tanganyika territory. Exhibition handbook. Issued by the British Empire Exhibition Central Committee of Tanganyika. London, Jas. Truscott & Son, 1924. Sm.8vo. Original pictorial wrappers. With large folding coloured map, several photographic plates and advertisements. 215,XXIII pp. € 125,00



German East Africa was transferred to British control under a mandate from the League of Nations. in 1920. It lasted until 1961, when the territory became independent. In 1964 it merged with Zanzibar to become the United Republic of Tanzania. - *Rare*.



127 **TEGNÉR, Esaias.** Frithiofs saga. Uit het Zweedsch vertaald door P.L.F.C. von Eichstorff. Nieuwe uitgave, bewerkt door J.J.L. ten Kate. Haarlem, A.C. Kruseman, 1861.

Sm.8vo. Original embossed red cloth, with gilt decoration on front. VIII,176 pp. € 45,00

Frithiof's Saga is a legendary saga from Iceland which in its present form is from ca. 1300. It is a continuation from The Saga of Thorstein Víkingsson. It takes place principally in Norway during the 8th century.

128 **THEVENOT, Jean.** Gedenkwaardige en zeer nauwkeurige reizen. Darde en laatste deel. Uit het Fransch in't Nederduitsch gebracht door G.v. Broekhuizen. Amsterdam, Timotheus ten Hoorn, 1688.

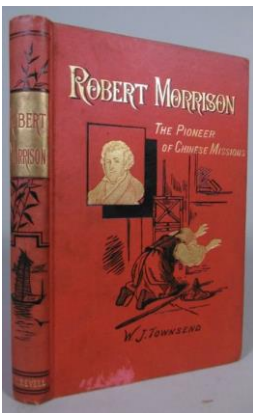
2 volumes in 1. 4to. Contemporary vellum (soiled). With engraved title-page and 6 engraved pates. (12),235,(6) pp. € 450,00

First Dutch edition; first published in Paris in 1684: Voyages .. contenant la relation de l'Indostan, des nouveaux Mogols & et des autres peuples & pays des Indes. - On the last part of his travels in the



Levant the French traveller Jean Thevenot (1633-1667) made excursions into Gujarat, to the Mogul court, and into the Deccan. After exploring India for about a year he returned to Esfahan, where he spent another four months. On his way from Esfahan to Tabriz he became ill and died at Miana in 1667 (*Howgego p.1021-1022*). Thevenot's travels mark the beginning of the grand epoch of travel and exploration in the Levant (*Blackmer 1650*). - *Interesting description of India.*

Tiele 1090; Cat. NHSM I, p.257.

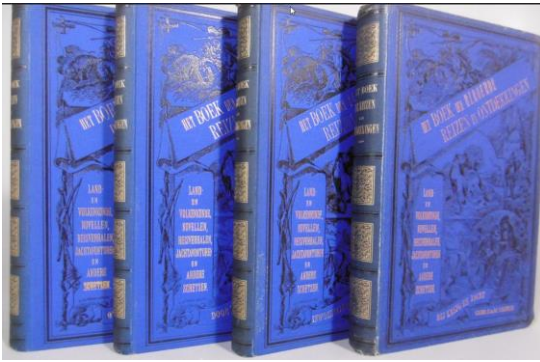


129 **TOWNSEND, William John.** Robert Morrison. The pioneer of Chinese missions. New York & Chicago, Fleming H. Revell, (ca. 1880).

Original pictorial gilt cloth. With many woodengraved plates and illustrations. 160 pp.

€ 45,00

Robert Morrison (1782 – 1834), was an Anglo-Scottish Protestant missionary to Portuguese Macao, Qing-era Guangdong, and Dutch Malacca, who was also a pioneering sinologist, lexicographer, and translator considered the "Father of Anglo-Chinese Literature".



130 **TRAVEL.** Het boek der reizen en ontdekkingen. Tochten, avonturen en reisverhalen uit alle werelddeelen door de beroemdste reizigers. Verzameld en uitgegeven voor het Nederlandsche volk. Arnhem, Nijmegen, Gebrs. E. & M. Cohen,

(1888).

4 volumes. Original decorated cloth with gilt lettering. With 8 chromolithographed plates. 255; 251; 263; 254 pp. € 225,00

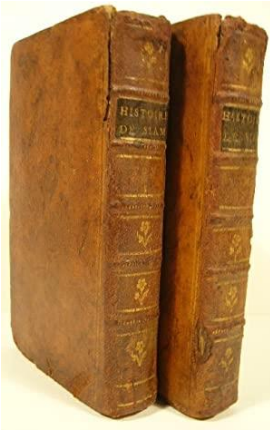
Volume I: Over berg en rots - contains i.a. Charles Murrey. Prarievogel. Een verhaal uit den Noord-Amerikaansche staat Ohio; Frans Engel. Schets van het leven in een Creoolsch huis; Dostoiefsky. Tafereelen uit een strafgevangenis in Siberië;

Volume II: Door zee en woud - contains i.a. Speke, Grant en Baker. De ontdekking der bronnen van den Nijl; Murad Effendi. Turksche schetsen; De reizen van David Livingstone; De reizen en avonturen van kapitein Marius Cougourdan.

Volume III: In woestijn en wildernis - contains i.a. De mijnwerkers van Rayas. Een herinnering uit Mexico; Een slangenjacht in Guyana; Stanley's tocht dwars door Afrika; De Indische olifant; Russische toestanden, geschetst door een Fransche vrouw; Een Nederlandsche reizigster in Afrika. Alexandrine Tinne.

Volume IV: Bij krijg en jacht - contains i.a. Knortz. Tochten van een Duitsch matroos naar de Noordpool; Ivan Tourgenief. Het avontuur van luitenant Jergounoff; Friedrich Gerstäcker. Een gemzenjacht in Tyrol; Een rit over de Andes; Herinneringen uit Spanje.

131 **TURPIN, François Henri.** Histoire civile et naturelle du royaume de Siam, et des révolutions qui ont bouleversé cet empire jusqu'en 1770. Publiée par Turpin, sur des manuscrits qui lui ont été communiqués par l' évêque de Tabraca, vicaire apostolique de Siam, et



autres missionnaires de ce royaume. Paris, Costard, 1771.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary calf (spines and boards rubbed). (4),XII,450,(2); (2),444,(6) pp. € 675,00

First edition. - Important work on Siam based on manuscripts from the bishop of Tabraca and other missionaries in Siam. A year later the work was suppressed at the request of the bishop, who claimed the author had taken too

many liberties with his interpretation of the manuscripts. 'Cet ouvrage, devenu très rare, a été condamné à être détruit par arrêt du Conseil du Roy en date du 5 janvier 1772' (*Chadenat 1001*). - (Some age-browning; small library stamp on titles).

Cordier, BI, col. 732; Boucher de la Richarderie V, p.107; Cox I, p.347; Brébion p.163; Satow 102.



132 **VERNE, Jules.**

Wonderreizen. Amsterdam, Elsevier, 1919 - 1936.

12 volumes of the series.

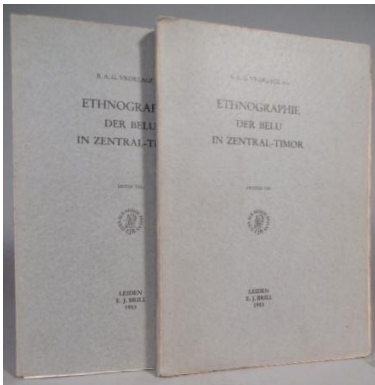
Original pictorial blue cloth (discoloured). With many illustrations.

De reis naar de maan in 28 dagen en 12 uren; Naar het middelpunt der aarde; Het land der buitenste duisternis. De pelterijhandel; Het geheimzinnige eiland. De luchtschipbreukelingen; 1792. Op weg naar Frankrijk; De vondeling van het fregat Cynthia; Het geheimzinnige eiland. De verlatene; Keraban. De stijfhoofdige. Schipbreuk en redding; Het land der buitenste duisternis. Het drijvende eiland; Keraban de stijfhoofdige. Een Hollander in de klem; 20.000 mijlen onder zee. Oostelijk (en) westelijk halfrond (2 volumes).



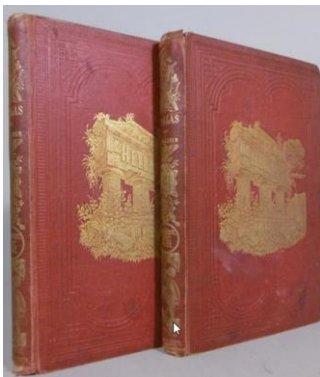
133 **VETH, Pieter Johannes.** Ontdekkers en onderzoekers. Zevental levensschetsen, ter tweede verbeterde en vermeerderde uitgave bijeenverzameld. Leiden, E.J. Brill, 1884. Later half cloth, original frontwrapper bound with. XI,343 pp. € 95,00

On: Philippus Baldaeus; Samuel van de Putte; Caspar Georg Carl Reinwardt; Jan Frederik Gerrit Brumund; Taco Roorda; Wolter Robert van Hoëvell and Jan Karel Jakob de Jonge.



134 **VROKLAGE, B.A.G.** Ethnographie der Belu in Zentral-Timor. Leiden, E.J. Brill, 1952. 2 volumes. Original printed wrappers, uncut. XI,688; 228 pp. € 195,00

Elaborate study of the Belu tribes of Middle Timor. - (Without the atlas volume).



135 **WAGNER, Wilhelm.** Hellas. Das Land und Volk der alten Griechen. Bearbeitet für Freunde des klassischen Alterthums für die deutsche Jugend. 4e verbesserte Auflage. Leipzig, Otto Spamer, 1877.

2 volumes. Original embossed red cloth with gilt illustration on front cover, spines gilt (spine ends sl. dam.). With folding map, 9 tinted woodengraved plates and 270 woodengraved illustrations.

X,372; IV,330 pp.

€ 125,00

First published in 1859; *Neue Jugend und Hausbibliothek*. - Wilhelm Wagner (1843–1880), was a German scholar of medieval and modern Greek poetry. - *Fine illustrated description*.
The Dimitris Contominas Collection 778.



136 **WALLACE, Alfred Russel**. The Malay Archipelago: the land of the orangutan and the bird of paradise. A narrative of travel with studies of man and nature. Third edition. London, New York, Macmillan and Co., 1872.

Contemporary tree calf, spine richly gilt (rebacked), a.e.g. With frontispiece, wood-engraving on title-page, 9 maps (2 folding), 7 engraved plates and 51 wood-engravings. XVI,653 pp. € 295,00

First published in 1869; with armorial bookplate of Charles T.C. Grant. - Wallace (1823-1913) travelled extensively in the Malay Archipelago, he conducted scientific studies of the region's animal life, which led to his development of a theory of natural selection. His book is a magnificent combination of interesting sketches of travel and vivid pictures of natural history of the Indo-Malay islands, the Timor, Celebes and Papuan group, and the Moluccas. Wallace's '*Malay Archipelago* is regarded as the most celebrated of all writings on Indonesia and ranks with a small handful of other works as one of the nineteenth century's best scientific travel books' (*Howgego II, p.625*). - *A fine copy*.

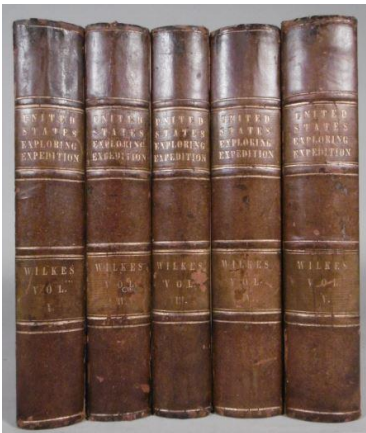
137 **WHALING**. - 'T Binnen seylen der Groenlands vaarders. - La navigation des pecheurs dans le port. - Il veleggiare dei pescatori nel porto. - Das Seeglen der Grönlands Fahren in dem Hafen. (Augsburg, Johann Balthasar Probst, ca. 1750).

Contemporary handcoloured perspective view (vue d'optique or Guckkastenbild), with descriptive text in 4 languages, after Adolf van der Laan by Siewert van der Meulen. Ca. 31 x 40 cm. € 325,00



One of a set of four optical scenes depicting whaling. These prints were a popular 18th century visual entertainment. This set is copied from the Dutch set of sixteen by Adolf van der Laan and Siewert van der Meulen. - A fine old handcoloured

scene depicting the arrival of the Greenland whaling sailers. Ingalls, Francis B. Lothrop Collection, 147; see Brewington, Kendall Whaling Museum, 86.



138 **WILKES, Charles.** Narrative of the United States exploring expedition, during the years 1838, 1839, 1840, 1841, 1842. Philadelphia, Lea and Blanchard, 1845.

5 volumes. Contemporary speckled calf, spines with raised bands, gilt ruled and green morocco title labels. With 11 folding maps (10 folding), 64 steel-engraved plates and ca. 300 wood-engravings in the text. € 2.450,00

Official trade edition, this edition and all later editions later than 1845 appeared without the atlas (*Haskell p.40*); the official first edition, of which only 100 copies were printed, issued also in 1845. - The first major American expedition visited and explored the coast of South America, over 200 Pacific islands, Australia and New Zealand (1839-40), the Hawaiian Islands (1840-41), the northwest coast of America and California (1841) and the South Pacific again in 1841. In 1842 he visited South Africa. Wilkes did find icecovered land, now called

Wilkes Land, west of Adélie Land. He also surveyed more than two thousand kilometres of Antarctic coastline, confirming the existence of a vast polar continent. The expedition was made up of a number of notable American scientists, and their botanical, natural history and geological findings are included. 'Wilkes was tried in a court-martial for numerous varieties of scandalous conduct, neglect of duty, cruelty, oppression and illegal punishment of seamen' (*Conrad p.50*). 'Charles Wilkes, no poster-boy of American polar exploration, was a flogging tyrant, paranoid and peevish, insecure and insensitive. Yet as 'Commander' of the United States Exploring Expedition of 1838-42, Wilkes achieved a great deal of lasting significance, not only in his relatively brief visit to Antarctica but throughout the four-year voyage, especially in the South Pacific Islands' (*Stam, Books on ice, p.80*). - *A nice set of Wilkes's great United States Exploring Expedition. Haskell 3, Cf. Sabin 103994; Hill 1866; Ferguson 5584; NZNB 6072; Mendelssohn II, p.610; O'Reilly/Reitman 995; Forbes 1575.*



139 **WILLEM BARENTS.** Verslagen omtrent den eersten - zevenden tocht van de *Willem Barents* naar de Noordelijke IJszee in de jaren 1878-84. Uitgebracht aan het Comité van Uitvoering / Bestuur der Vereeniging Willem

Barents. Amsterdam, C.L. Brinkman, Haarlem, H.D. Tjeenk Willink, 1880-85.

7 volumes in 2. Contemporary cloth. With 3 profils (2 folding), 4 chromo-lithographed plates, 9 coloured maps (8 folding) and 17 full-page woodengraved plates. € 550,00

Privately printed. - Official accounts of the Dutch expeditions to the Arctic with the schooner *Willem Barents* in the Barents and Kara seas. *Rare complete set.* - *Cat. NHSM I, p.310.*



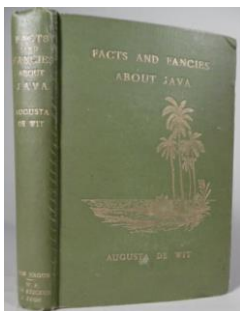
140 **WILLIAMS, John.** A narrative of missionary enterprises in the South Sea Islands; with remarks upon the natural history of the islands, origin, languages, traditions, and usages of the inhabitants. 9th edition. London, John Snow, 1838.

Contemporary half calf (top of spine restored). With engraving on titlepage, fine coloured portrait of Te Po (Baxter print), folding map and 25 wood-engravings by G. Baxter. XVIII,(2),506 pp. € 395,00

First edition published in 1837. - The nice frontispiece depicting a tattooed chief of Raotonga is printed in oil colours by George Baxter. Rev. Williams was the ablest missionary to the Polynesian people, and his book was the most often printed and widely read of all the contemporary accounts.

In 1839 he was killed and eaten while visiting the island of Erromango in the New Hebrides. Mainly dealing with the Hervey Islands group now called the Cook Islands, Rarotonga and Samoa.

Hill 1876; O'Reilly/Reitman 7568.

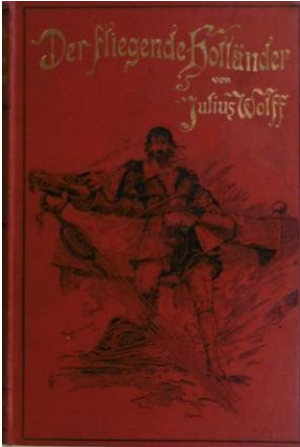


141 **WIT, Augusta de.** Facts and fancies about Java. 2nd edition, revised and enlarged. The Hague, W.P. van Stockum & Son, 1900.

Original green pictorial cloth. With photographic plates. 266 pp. € 125,00

First published in Singapore in 1898. - Augusta de Wit (1864 - 1939) was a Dutch writer, born in the Dutch East Indies. She published a collection of her articles, first published in the Singapore

Straits Times, as an illustrated book, *Facts and Fancies about Java* noting that 'Hollanders do not understand the Javanese, nor do the Javanese understand the Hollanders, in any true sense of the word'.



142 **WOLFF, Julius.** Der fliegende Holländer. Eine Seemannssage. Berlin, G. Grothe, 1892.

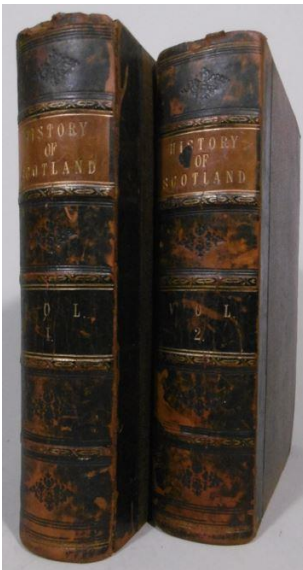
Sm.8vo. Original pictorial cloth. 191 pp.

€ 45,00

The Flying Dutchman (Dutch: De Vliegende Hollander) is a legendary ghost ship, allegedly never able to make port, but doomed to sail the seven seas forever. The myths and ghost stories are likely to have originated from the 17th-century Golden Age of the Dutch East India Company (VOC).

The oldest known extant version of the

legend dates from the late 18th century. - *A nice copy.*



143 **WRIGHT, Thomas.** The history of Scotland, from the earliest period to the present time. London, New York, The London Printing and Publishing Company, (1879).

3 volumes in 2. Contemporary half calf (sl. rubbed). With steelengraved title-page with publisher's name John Tallis (foxed) and 42 steelengraved plates and portraits (map missing). (8), V, 680; 672; IV, 638 pp.

€ 150,00

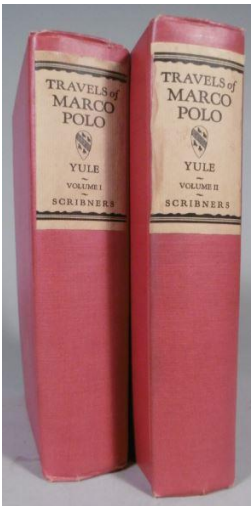
(Few pages in vol. III with annotations).

144 **YOUNG, E.R.** Avonturen van drie jongens in Noord-Canada. Vrij naar het Engelsch door A. Werumeus Bunning. Leiden, A.W. Sijthoff, (1901).

Original pictorial cloth. With illustrations by Krabbé. VIII, 225 € 35,00



Children's book *Adventures of three boys in Northern Canada.*



145 **YULE, Henry.** The book of Ser Marco Polo, the Venetian concerning the kingdoms and marvels of the East. Translated and edited, with notes. Third edition, revised throughout in the light of recent discoveries by Henri Cordier. With a memoir of Henry Yule by his daughter Amy Frances Yule. New York, Charles Scribner's Sons, 1926.

2 volumes. Original red cloth, with paper labels to spines. With numerous illustrations, plates and maps (many folding). CII,462; XXII,662 pp.

€ 450,00

The standard edition of the travels of Marco Polo (1254-1324). He journeyed overland to China and the Court of Kublai Khan circa 1260 and made his return journey c.1271 during which he saw a great deal more of Persia. He returned from China again via Persia in 1292. - *An attractive set.*

146 **ZIMMERMANN, W.F.A.** De aardbol en zijne natuurwonderen. Een volkshandboek over natuurkundige aardrijksbeschrijving. Voor Nederland bewerkt naar het Hoogduitsch. 2e, veel vermeerderde en verbeterde druk. Leiden, D. Noothoven van Goor, 1868.



2 volumes. Contemporary half calf, spines lettered in gilt. With coloured lithograph plate (Nadering der Samoum) by D. Noothoven van Goor, and illustrations and maps. XVI,535; XVII,486 pp. € 125,00

The globe and its natural wonders. A folk handbook of physical geography.

See also our catalogue:

CATALOGUE 228 ADVENTURE & ADVENTURERS

Illustration no 37 GAMBAR-GAMBAR. GAMBAR-GAMBAR akan peladjaran dan kasoekaän anak-anak dan iboe-bapanja. Batawie, Bandoeng, Toko-boekoe Kolff, (ca. 1879).

To read this catalogue, please click [HERE](#)

