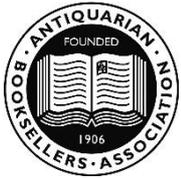


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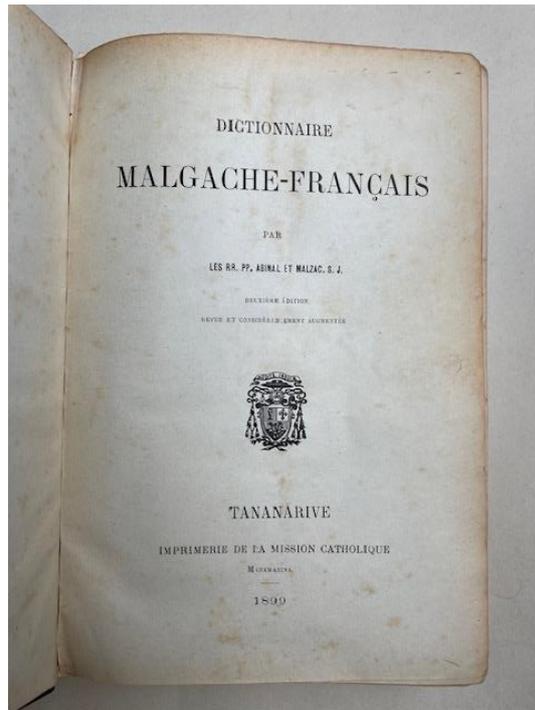


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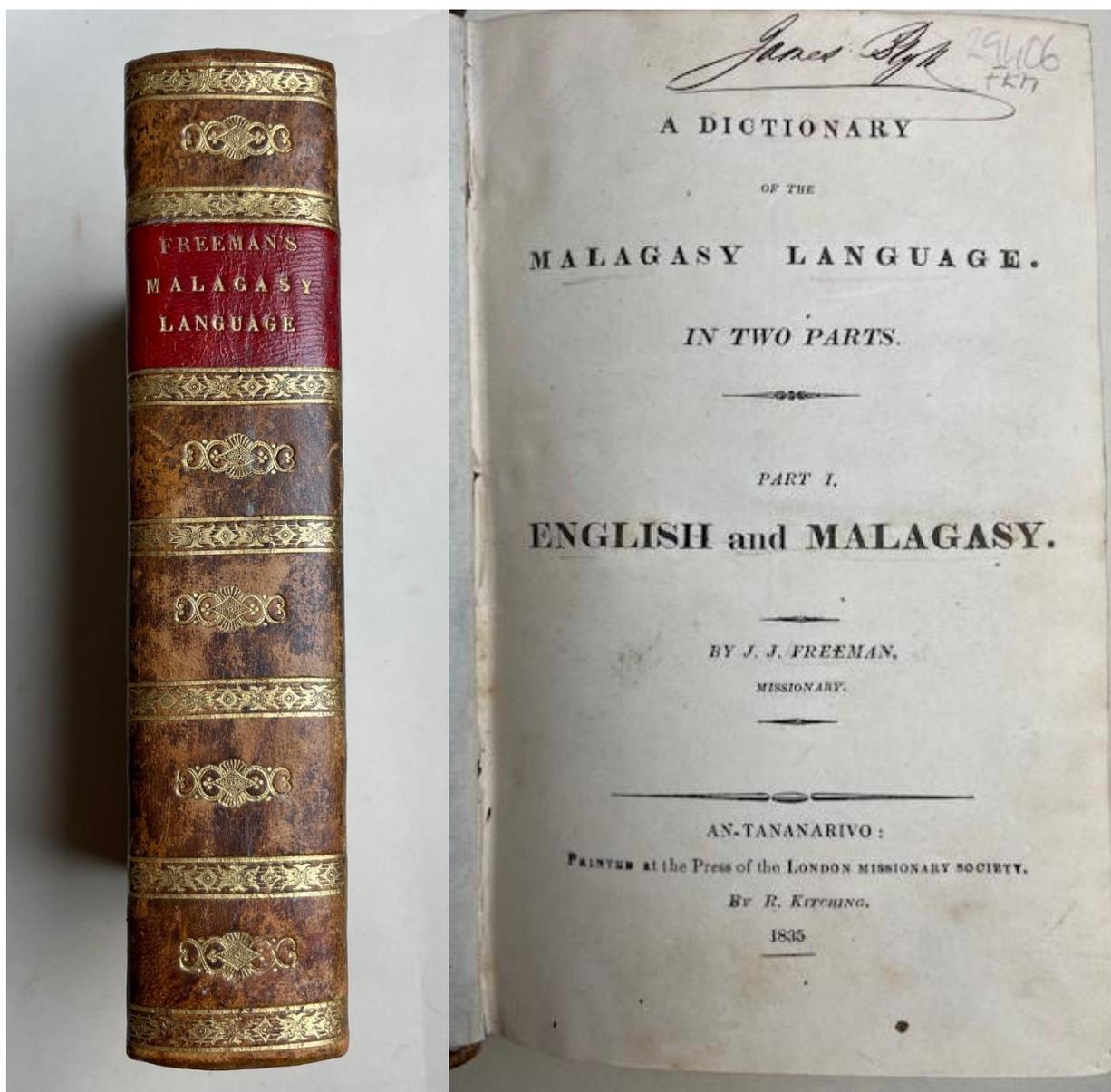
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The first edition was published in 1888, this is in the Merina dialect which was to become the official Malagasy language. Bookplate of John Sims, later owner's inscription dated 1927, from the John Lawson collection with his bookplate, occasional correction and annotation in the text and blanks, edges browned, occasional spotting, a good copy in a contemporary black morocco. £ 300.00
2. **Affairs at Madagascar.** 50th Congress, 2nd Session, House of Representatives. Ex. Doc. No. 164 and 166. Washington: 1889 Disbound from a larger volume, 8vo.
(1). Message from the President of the United States transmitting a report of the Secretary of State in relation to affairs at Madagascar. March 1, 1889. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed. 110pp.
(2). Message from the President of the United States transmitting a report of the Secretary of State touching affairs in Madagascar. March 2, 1889. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed. 33pp.
Correspondence between John P. Campbell U.S. Consul; Victor F. W. Stanwood U.S. Consular Agent and others to Washington. This culminated in the shooting of Stamwood by Captain Du Vergé of the American schooner 'Solitaire.' Lacks wrappers. £ 40.00
3. CAMERON, J. and W. H. I. Bleek. **The Library of His Excellency Sir George Grey, K.C.B. Philology. Vol. I. - Part III. Madagascar.** J. Cameron and W. H. I. Bleek. London: Sold by Trübner and Co., and Leipzig: F. A. Brockhaus, 1859 Later paper covered boards, 8vo. 24pp. With sixty-one annotated entries. Printed in Cape Town by Saul Solomon and Co., Steam Printing Office.
A very nice copy in a binder's grey paper covered boards, spine lettered in black. £200.00

4. COLVILLE, Zeline. **Round the Black Man's Garden.** Edinburgh and London: William Blackwood, 1893 8vo. xv,344pp. frontispiece of the author and 31 plates, 20 text-illustrations, coloured folding map of Africa showing the route of the voyage, and a coloured folding map of central Madagascar in the pocket of the rear board, index.
Vivid description of a circumnavigation of Africa with much on the East Coast, Madagascar, and the West Coast. The Winterton copy with his bookplate, small piece torn from corner of title-page, spine slightly faded, a very good copy of the first edition in the decorated light blue cloth. £ 150.00
5. DONCASTER, P. (Ed.). **Faithful unto Death, A Story of the Missionary Life in Madagascar of William and Lucy S. Johnson.** Edited by P. Doncaster, With an Introductory Chapter by Joseph S. Sewell. London: Headley Brothers, 1896 8vo. xxi,277pp. frontispiece and 7 plates, 2 coloured maps, index.
During the disturbances following the French conquest of Madagascar, the missionaries William and Lucy Johnson were killed. Front endpaper damaged, stain on rear cover, a very nice copy in the publisher's dark blue cloth. £ 150.00
6. [DUPERRE, L'Admiral]. **Précis sur les établissements français formés à Madagascar, imprimé par ordre de M. l'Amiral Duperré.** Paris: Imprimerie royale, 1836 Extracted from a larger volume, 8vo. iii,76pp. [Grandidier: 1555]
A very nice copy of the first edition. £ 75.00
7. ELLIS, William **A.L.S. to the Rev. Henry Allon, Congregational Divine.** William Ellis (1794-1872), Missionary who published books on his missionary work and on Madagascar. Hoddeson: February 22nd 1867 8vo. 3pp. (last page pasted down. Saying that Mr. Vine had left as the stipend was decreased because of the removal of the school, and that Mr. Newnes had been recommended by Mr. Cullen of Edinburgh. He would have to live on £100 for that is all we can raise. Ellis adds that his book was finished and Murray was sending it out to the trade. Rev. Henry Allon (1818 - 1892) was an English nonconformist divine; he wrote a biography of Ellis in 1873 and was a Vice-President of the American Missionary Association. £ 250.00
8. ELLIS, Rev. William. **Three Visits to Madagascar, During the Years 1853-1854-1856. Including a Journey to the Capital, with notices of the Natural History of the Country and of the Present Civilisation of the People.** Illustrated by woodcuts from photographs, etc. London: John Murray, 1858 Recent brown half-calf with marbled boards, raised bands and leather labels to spine, 8vo. xviii,470pp. folding frontispiece and 26 plates, map, appendix.
A very nice copy of the first edition in a recent leather binding. £ 150.00
9. ELLIS, Rev. William. **Three Visits to Madagascar, During the Years 1853-1854-1856. Including a Journey to the Capital, with notices of the Natural History of the Country and of the Present Civilisation of the People.** Fifth Thousand. Illustrated by woodcuts from photographs, etc. London: John Murray, 1859 8vo. xviii,476pp. folding frontispiece and 26 plates, map, appendix. In the publisher's dark brown cloth with gilt decorated spine and upper board, the spine with an early 20th century reback. From the library of the anthropologist and writer Karl von der Steinen with his bookplate. £ 125.00

10. EVERARD, Robert. **A Relation of Three Years Sufferings of Robert Everard upon the Coast of Assada near Madagascar, in a Voyage to India, in the Year 1686.** And of his wonderful Preservation and Deliverance, and Arrival at London, Anno 1693. London: Extract from Churchills Voyages Volume VI, 1732 Later half cloth with marbled boards, Fcap. folio. 257-282pp.
Robert Everard sailed on board the Bauden as an apprentice from London bound for Bombay in 1686. In Madagascar the ship was boarded and the crew killed. Having been captured he eventually managed to escape on an Arab ship. Some staining to covers, a very nice copy in light yellow cloth. £ 150.00
11. **Fanontaniana ny ao amy ny Soratra masina. Ny Filazantsara Efatra. [Questions on the Four Gospels.]** Lasiroa no vidiny. Antananarivo: Ny Friends Foreign Mission Association, 1876 Fcap.8vo. 61pp.
Edited by the Quaker missionaries Joseph S. Sewell and S. Clemes, editor of the 'Annual' in Malagasy. An apparently unrecorded copy, neither listed on JISC nor OCLC, nor listed in Sibree's Madagascar Bibliography of 1885 nor Coldham's Bibliography. With the signature of Rev. F. Torvik to the endpaper, outer upper corner slightly bumped, a very nice copy in the publisher's (now faded) purple cloth-backed printed boards. £ 350.00
12. [FAUBLEE, Jacques]. **Abrégé de langue malgache.** Monsieur Faublée. Chargé de Cours à l'École Nationale des Langues Orientales Vivantes. [Paris: C. Klincksieck, 1954] Cloth backed stiff wrpps, Cr.4to. ii,72pp. Errate page loosely inserted. Pages slightly browned, a good copy in the publisher's pink wrappers. £ 50.00
13. FAUBLÉE, J. **L'Ethnographie de Madagascar.** Musee de L'Homme. Avec la collaboration de R. Falck, R. Hartweg et G. Rouget. Préface de M. de Coppet. Les Édit. de France et d'Outre-Mer, La Nouvelle Édition. France: Bibliothèque d'Outre-Mer, 1946 Recent half morocco with original wrappers bound-in, 8vo. 170pp. numerous collotype plates and text illustrations, map, biblio. Jacques Faublée (1912-2003) became an assistant curator at the Musée du Trocadéro and spent the years from 1938 to 1941 in the field researching the Bara of Madagascar. R. Falck was responsible for the fine and detailed line drawings of the ethnographic objects as well as the wrapper design. In an orange half morocco with marbled endpapers and top edge gilt, by Sangorski and Sutcliffe of London. An excellent copy. £ 100.00
14. FERRAND, Gabriel. **Un Vocabulaire Malagache-Arabe.** Extrait des Memoires de la Societe de Linguistique de Paris, tome XV. Paris: Imprimerie Nationale, 1909 Wrpps, Med.8vo. 6pp. Sewn as issued in plain grey wrappers with the bookplate of the linguist Peter Anthony Lanyon-Orgill. £ 25.00
15. FREEMAN, J. J. **A Dictionary of the Malagasy Language. In Two Parts.** By J. J. Freeman, Missionary. An-Tananarivo: printed at the Press of the London Missionary Society, by R. Kitching, 1835 Contemporary calf, 8vo. The two parts bound together. Part I. English and Malagasy. [4],421pp. [Part II.] Malagasy sy English, No foroni'ny D. Johns Missionary amy ny London Missionary Society. An-Tananarivo: Tamy ny Press ny London Missionary Society, 1835 [8],307pp. folding table, index of roots, appendix.
This copy includes the 22 page appendix which is not always present. John Joseph Freeman (1774 - 1851) was sent to Madagascar by the London Missionary Society in



1827. He was forced to leave in 1829 but managed to return in 1831 where he worked on this dictionary. David Johns (1796 - 1843) was sent to Madagascar by the London Missionary Society in 1826. The London Missionary Society had sent a printing press to Madagascar as early as 1826. In the year 1835 that Kitching started printing this dictionary a religious persecution broke out by order of the government. The missionaries were driven out and a death sentence was proscribed for anyone possessing Christian literature. However Johns and another missionary printer Edward Baker managed to stay on for another year to complete this dictionary. From the library of James Blyth of Mauritius (c.1782-1865) with his armorial bookplate and ownership inscription on title and inside upper cover, dated 1836. In 1838 James Blyth was one of several British merchants and traders in Mauritius who established the Banque Commerciale de l'isle Maurice. Later this copy was owned by Quentin Keynes and a receipt for his purchase from Christies in 1995 is included. In a contemporary calf with gilt spine and a red leather label and marbled endpapers, occasional very light spotting, an excellent copy. [Grandidier: 1895; Sibree: p.16; Cameron and Bleek: The Library of his Excellency Sir George Grey. Vol 1, no. 668.]

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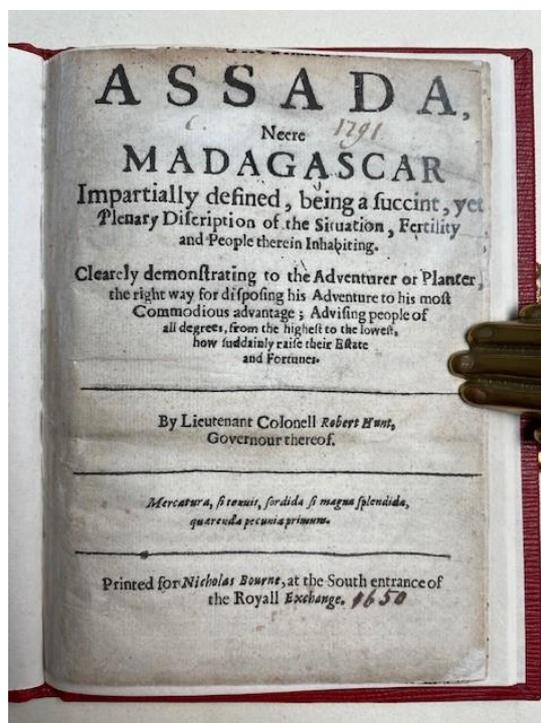
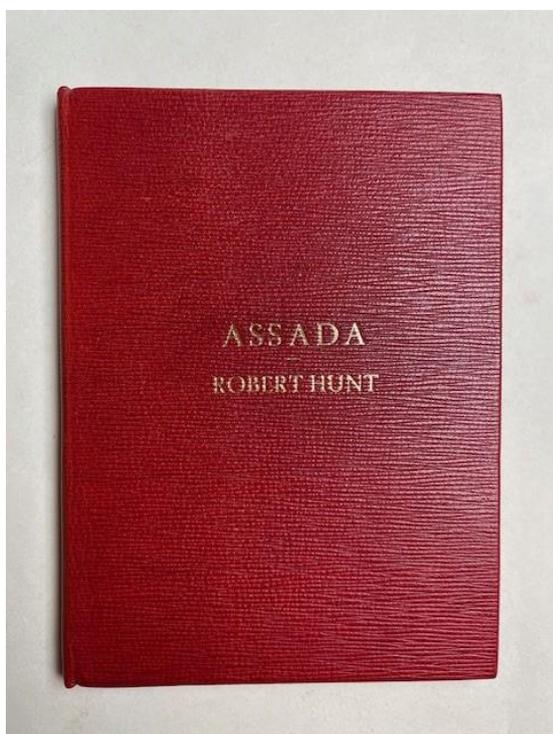
16. FREEMAN, J. J. **A Dictionary of the Malagasy Language. In two parts. Part 1. English and Malagasy.** By J. J. Freeman, Missionary. An-Tananarivo: printed at the Press of the London Missionary Society, by R. Kitching, 1835 Modern wrappers, 8vo. [4],421pp. The London Missionary Society had sent a printing press to Madagascar as early as 1826. In the year 1835, that Kitching started printing this dictionary a religious persecution broke out by order of the King. The missionaries were driven out and a death sentence was proscribed for anyone possessing Christian literature, - understandably a rare work. Part II on Malagasy-English is not present. Pages uncut and mostly unopened, title page browned with two old faint library inkstamps, resewn, a very nice copy in later stiff blue wrappers. JISC records only the British Library copy (of the two parts). £ 900.00
17. FREEMAN, J. J., and D. Johns. **A Narrative of the Persecution of the Christians in Madagascar; with details of the escape of the six christian refugees now in England.** By J. J. Freeman and D. Johns, Formerly Missionaries in the Island. The profits of the work devoted to the relief of the persecuted natives of Madagascar. London: John Snow, 1840 Cr.8vo. viii,298pp. coloured Baxter print frontispiece, title vignette. John Joseph Freeman (1774 - 1851) was sent to Madagascar in 1827 as a missionary for the London Missionary Society. He wrote this account after the expulsion of the Christian missionaries from the island. He later became the leader of the London Missionary Society. Bookplate to front paste-down, slight staining to inner margin of title, a very nice copy of the first edition in the publisher's dark green cloth. £ 200.00
18. GRANDIDIER, G. **Le Myre de Vilers - Duchesne - Gallieni. Quarante Années de L'Histoire de Madagascar 1880-1920.** Paris: Société d'Éditions Géographiques, Maritimes et Coloniales, 1924 Wrpps, Roy.8vo. 253pp. 5 collotype plates, 2 folding coloured maps. A very nice copy of the first edition in the publisher's wrappers. £ 75.00
19. GREAT BRITAIN, France. No. 1 (1899). **Further Correspondence With the French Government respecting Madagascar.** Presented to both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty, January 1899 [C.-9091.] London: HMSO, 1899 Sewn as issued, Fcap folio. iv,58pp. Relating to the French Administration's boycott of foreign traders in Madagascar and the subsequent complaints from British merchants. £ 60.00
20. GRIFFITHS, David. **A Grammar of the Malagasy Language, in the Ankova Dialect;** By David Griffiths, Missionary for nearly twenty years in Madagascar. Woodbridge: Printed by Edward Pite, 1854 Calf backed boards, Fcap.8vo. xii,5-244pp. errata on page xii. Dedicated to The Rev. T. W. Mellor, M.A. Rector of Woodbridge, Suffolk, and the Editorial Superintendent of the Scriptures for the British and Foreign Bible Society in different Languages. Spine rubbed, occasional spotting, bookplate of the Western College Library, presented by Rev. W. Deans-Cowan, 1874, a very nice copy of the first edition in black calf backed boards. [Sibree: 18; Grandidier: 2299]. [See illustration on page 14.](#) £ 400.00
21. HOULDER, J. A. (Ed.). **Ohabolana or Malagasy Proverbs.** Illustrating the Wit and Wisdom of the Hova of Madagascar. Part I., including 1236 Proverbs. Collected, translated and arranged by the Rev. J. A. Houlder, for twenty-four years a Missionary of the L.M.S. in Madagascar, together with numerous explanatory notes. with translations into French by Monsieur Henri Noyer, Principle of the L.M.S. Boys' High School,

Antananarivo. Edited by the Rev. James Sibree. Faravohitra: The Friends' Foreign Missionary Association, 1915 - 1916 The two parts in one volume, recent paper boards, 8vo. Part I., including 1236 proverbs. vii,146,iii pp. index. Part II., including 1080 proverbs, and also 100 Betsimisaraka proverbs, with their equivalent in Malagasy. iv,141,ix pp. index.

The proverbs are arranged in Malagasy, English and French, with many notes. With the signature and typescript bookplate of Rev. D. M. Rees of Ambalavao, Betsileo to the endpaper; and the signature of J. Handyman, 'From Mrs. Rees, Aug 1941.' First title and beginning page of first index strengthened in the margin, encased in a recent grey paper covered boards, paper label to spine, a very nice copy. JISC records only the British Library copy of this first edition, (a second was issued in 1929.)

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22. HUNT, Lieut. Col. Robert **The Island of Assada, Neere Madagascar. Impartially defined, being a succinct, yet plenary description of the situation, fertility and people therein inhabiting.** Clearly demonstrating to the adventurer or planter, the right way



for disposing his Adventure to his most commodious advantage; Advising people of all degrees from the highest to the lowest how suddainly raise their estate and fortunes. By Lieutenant Colonell Robert Hunt, Governour thereof. London: Printed for Nicholas Brown, at the south entrance of the Royall Exchange, [1650]

Recent morocco, Fcap.8vo. 8pp. on four leaves. All leaves shaved close to the text with the occasional loss, in a recent full red straight grained morocco lettered in gilt to the upper board.

English merchants made two attempts to form settlements in Madagascar in the 1640's. Lieutenant Colonell Robert Hunt had been governor of Providence Island colony in the Caribbean from 1636 to 1638 and he led this venture. The work is an enthusiastic account of the rewards awaiting those early colonists on the island of Assada or Nosy Be off the north of Madagascar. However, after the death of Hunt with several others on the island the enterprise was abandoned. [Wing H3744]

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23. JEFFREYS, Keturah. **The Widowed Missionary's Journal; containing some Account of Madagascar; and also, A Narrative of the Missionary Career of the Rev. J. Jeffreys;** who died on a Passage from Madagascar to The Isle of France, July 4, 1825, aged 31 years. Southampton: Printed for the Author; and sold by all the Booksellers, 1827 Later nineteenth century quarter calf, Cr.8vo. x,203pp. + 24pp. of subscribers' names, portrait frontispiece. With the bookplate of the Hon. Frederick Calthorpe (one of the original subscribers) and his signature to the title page dated 1827. Joints slightly weak, a very nice copy in a brown quarter calf from the library of Quentin Keynes with his original receipt for the purchase of the book. There appears to have been two issues of this publication, one with 216 pages, 'Printed for the Author, And sold by Westley and Davis', and a facsimile of the writing of King Radama; the second with 203+24pp. and without the facsimile. This copy is the second of these. JISC lists five copies, OCLC lists nine copies. £ 400.00
24. KAUDERN, Walter. **Pa Madagaskar.** Med 103 Bilder och 2 Kartor. Stockholm: Albert Bonniers förlag, 1913 Med.8vo. 303pp. frontispiece and 102 plates and illustrations, 2 maps. No translation or other edition was published. With the signature of Birgit Lundquist on the endpaper. A very nice copy in the publisher's bright yellow cloth with red lettering and the colour photograph mounted on the upper board. £ 40.00
25. KELLER, C. **Madagascar, Mauritius and the other East-African Islands.** By Professor Doctor C. Keller. With 3 Coloured Maps and 64 Illustrations. London: Swan Sonnenschein & Co., 1901 Med.8vo. xiii,242pp. illustrations, 3 coloured maps, biblio., index. An ex-library copy, spine faded and slightly marked, occasional stamp, a very nice copy in the publisher's gilt decorated red cloth. £ 100.00
26. KENT, Raymond K. **Early Kingdoms in Madagascar 1500-1700.** New York: Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 1970 Med.8vo. xvi,336pp. 8 maps, biblio., appendix, index, dw. £ 36.00
27. MAGER, Henri. **La Vie à Madagascar.** Nos colonies. Ouvrage illustré de 150 reproductions d'après les photographies de l'auteur et accompagné de plusieurs cartes. Paris: Firmin-Didot, nd. (1896) Morocco backed boards, med.8vo. viii,331pp. numerous illustrations, folding map. Spine slightly rubbed, a very nice copy in the publisher's red morocco backed cloth with marbled endpapers. £ 100.00
28. **Madagascar Language - Malagasy Grammar.** A hand-written grammar of the Malagasy language comprising 182 manuscript pages with an extra 20 pages loosely bound-in at the end. Small 8vo. [18 x 12 cm.] in vellum covered boards with marbled edges and final endpaper, both the front endpapers with an Almanack for 1851 pasted onto them. The first page is dated 'Feb 14/57.' Although the written text conforms to various Malagasy grammars this does not seem to be a handwritten copy of any known grammar. The fact that there are numerous corrections and crossings-out in the text would indicate that this could be an original work possibly used in the field. [See illustrations on page 15.](#) £ 500.00
29. MALZAC, V. **Dictionnaire Français-Malgache.** Par le R.P. Malzac de la Compagnie de Jésus. Nouvelle édition. Paris: Augustin Challamel, 1899 Contemporary quarter morocco, 8vo. xvi,860pp. + 1 page errata. The first edition was published in 1893. Some foxing and pages browned, spine joints

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30. MARRE, Aristide. **Grammaire malgache, suivie de nombreux exercices.** Par Aristide Marre. Bibliothèque Franco-Malgache. Seconde édition. Epinal: Imprimerie Vosgienne, 1894 Cr.8vo. 155, xxiv, [iii]pp.
Aristide Marre (1823-1918) was the 'Professeur de Malais et de Javanais a l'Ecole spéciale des Langues orientales vivantes.' Covers slightly rubbed, a very nice copy of the first edition in the publisher's black cloth-backed boards. £ 45.00
31. MARTINEAU, A. **Madagascar en 1894. Étude de politique contemporaine.** Paris: Ernest Flammarion, 1894 Full calf, 8vo. vii,500pp. coloured map, appendix.
Alfred Martineau (1859 - 1945) was 'Ancien député, Délégué de Nossi-Bé au Conseil supérieur des colonies.' Spine lightly browned, a very nice copy in a contemporary dark green calf with gilt spine and contrasting label, marbled endpapers and edges. [Grandidier: 3427] £ 125.00
32. MAUDE, Francis Cornwallis. **Five Years in Madagascar.** With notes on the military situation by Colonel Francis Cornwallis Maude. London: Chapman & Hall, 1895 Cr.8vo. v,285pp. frontispiece, vignette, map. An ex-library copy with the occasional ink-stamp, a nice copy in the publisher's royal blue cloth. £ 100.00
33. **Ny Bokiny ny Salamo.** London: British and Foreign Bible Society, 1870 Contemporary cloth, 16mo. [14.5 cm.] 203pp. The psalms in Malagasy. With the bookplate of the Salford Royal Museum and Library with their blindstamps to preliminary leaves, careful repair to upper hinge, a very good copy in the publisher's maroon cloth. [Darlow and Moule: 6469; OCLC lists just the Cambridge University, SOAS and Bibliotheque Geneve copies.] £ 375.00
34. OLIVER, S. P. **Madagascar or Robert Drury's Journal, during Fifteen Years' Captivity on that Island.** And a further description of Madagascar by the Abbé Alexis Rochon. Edited with an introduction and notes by Capt. Pasfield Oliver, R.A., author of "Madagascar". London: T. Fisher Unwin, 1890 8vo. 399pp. frontispiece and 11 plates, facsimile title page of the first edition, map, index. Spine browned and frayed, a good copy of the first edition in the publisher's red cloth. £ 50.00
35. PARKER, G. W. **A concise grammar of the Malagasy language.** London: Trübner & Co., 1883 Cr.8vo. iv,5-66pp. folding table.
From 'Trübner's collection of simplified grammars.' series. From the John Lawson collection with his bookplate, a very nice copy in the publisher's maroon cloth. £ 75.00
36. PFEIFFER, Ida. **The last travels of Ida Pfeiffer: inclusive of a visit to Madagascar.** With a biographical memoir of the author translated by H. W. Dulcken, Ph.D. London : Routledge, Warne, and Routledge, 1861 Cr.8vo. xlv,338pp. portrait frontispiece. Ida Laura Pfeiffer (1797 - 1858) was an Austrian traveller and author. Her 1857 visit to Madagascar was her last adventure. Spine a little darkened and rubbed at head, a very nice copy in the publisher's olive-green blind-stamped cloth. £ 150.00
37. PHELPS, J. W. **The Island of Madagascar. A Sketch, Descriptive and Historical.** By Gen. J. W. Phelps, Member of the Vermont Historical Society, Etc. New York: John B.

Alden, Publisher, 1883 Cr.8vo. 93pp.

John Wolcott Phelps (1813 - 1885), was a general in the Union Army during the American Civil War and was a prominent anti-slavery activist. Spine slightly rubbed, a very nice copy in the publisher's dark green cloth lettered in gilt on the upper board. Not listed in JISC.

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38. PIOLET, Le R. P. et Ch. Noufflard. **Empire colonial de la France. Madagascar, La Réunion, Mayotte, Les Comores, Djibouti.** Préface par Chailley-Bert. Texte par le R. P. Piolet et Ch. Noufflard. Paris: Librairie de Paris Firmin-Didot et Cie., Librairie Maritime et Coloniale, [Collection Courtellemont], nd. (circa 1901) Later quarter rexine, Roy.4to. (xix)-218pp. 149 illustrations from photographs. Révérend Père Jean-Baptiste Piolet (1855 - 1930) was a French missionary and writer who wrote on Madagascar and French missions, Charles Henri Adrien Noufflard (1872 - 1936) was a French colonial administrator. With the original front wrapper bound-in, upper joint weak, a very nice copy of the first edition in a later dark green rexine with marbled boards and endpapers. £ 75.00
39. PITT, John. **Adui Mbele (Enemy in front).** Some recollections of a platoon commander in the East African Campaign (1940-41) and on Brigade Staff in Madagascar (1942-43). Foreword by Brigadier M. Biggs, C.B.E. Woodstock, Oxford: For the Author, 1992 Spiral bound as issued, wrappers, Med.4to. 95pp. index, addendum stapled to page 4. Neither on JISC nor OCLC, a very nice copy of the first edition in the publisher's yellow wrappers. £ 150.00
40. PRIOR, James. **Voyage Along the Eastern Coast of Africa, to Mosambique, Johanna, and Quiloa; to St.Helena; to Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, and Pernambuco in Brazil, in the Nisus Frigate.** London: Printed for Sir Richard Phillips and Co., 1819 Later morocco-backed marbled boards, Med.8vo. 114+ivpp. engraved view of the town and fort of Mozambique, 2 folding maps, (1 as frontispiece), errata. In 1812 the king of the Comoro Islands requested assistance from the governor of the Cape of Good Hope against the predatory expeditions of the inhabitants of Madagascar. This voyage took place in direct consequence of his plea. The folding frontispiece map is soiled and chipped around the edges, edges all uncut, a very nice copy of the first edition in recent morocco backed binding. £ 200.00
41. RICHARDSON, J. **A New Malagasy-English Dictionary.** Edited and Re-arranged by the Rev. J. Richardson, Head Master of the L. M. S. Normal School, Antananarivo, etc., etc. Antananarivo: The London Missionary Society, 1885 Contemporary half calf, Cr.8vo. lix,825pp. Printed by John Parrett in Antananarivo with a binder's ticket "Reliure Impr. F.F.M.A. Tananarive". The somewhat biting preface written by W. E. Cousins. Spine and corners rubbed, occasional foxing and browning, a good copy in a contemporary half-calf. £ 450.00
42. ROCHON, Abbé. **A voyage to Madagascar, and the East Indies.** By the Abbe Rochon, Member of the Academies of Paris and St.Petersburg,... Translated from the French. Illustrated with An Accurate Map of the Island of Madagascar. To which is added, A Memoir on the China Trade. London: Printed for G. C. J. and J. Robinson, 1792 Contemporary calf, 8vo. iii,lxxi,475pp. folding engraved map of Madagascar by M. Robert. Alexis-Marie de Rochon, (1741 - 1817) was a French scientist and traveller. This is the

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