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Illustration on cover no. 52 **GOERING, Anton.** Vom tropischen Tiefland zum ewigen Schnee. Eine malerische Schilderung des schönsten Tropenlandes Venezuela. Leipzig, Adalbert Fischer, (1892).

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A pioneering work on America



1 **ACOSTA, José de.** Historie naturael ende morael van de Westersche Indien. Waer inne gehandelt wordt van de merckelijckste dingen des hemels/ elementen/ metalen/ planten ende ghedierten van dien: als oock de manieren/ ceremonien/ wetten/ regeeringen/ ende oorloghen der Indianen. .. nu eerstmael uyt den Spaenschen in onser Nederduytsche tale overgheset: door Jan Huyghen van Linschoten. Enchutsen, Jacob Lenaertsz Meyn, 1598.

Sm.8vo. 17th century vellum (back cover soiled). With woodcut device on titlepage and decorated woodcut initials and tailpieces. (7),389,(8) lvs. € 4.500,00



First Dutch edition, translated by Jan Huygen van Linschoten; first published in Seville in 1590: *Historia natural y moral delas Indias*. - José de Acosta (1540-1600), Spanish Jesuit missionary and historian, wrote this early important eye-witness account of South America, dealing i.a. with the history of the Indians of Peru and Mexico. 'Agosta was one of the first scholars to formulate a systemic theory of anthropology, suggesting a classification of different peoples into different types, and anticipating later theories of social evolution' (*Howgego* p.3).

It is one of the earliest balanced accounts of the New World, concentrating on the Spanish possessions in Peru and Mexico,

covering the Inca and Aztec people. A great classic translated into nearly every European language. It opened the eyes of Europe to the extraordinary wealth Spain was reaping from its possessions in the New World - (With library stamp on titlepage and faint waterstains in a few leaves). - *A very good copy of a pioneering work on America.*

Tiele 25; Tiele, Mémoire, 289; Muller, America, p.3; Cat. NHSM I, p.261; Sabin 126; European Americana 598/3.

Hunting stories in Uganda and Congo



2 **AKELEY, Carl Ethan.** In brightest Africa. Garden City, New York, Doubleday, Page & Company, 1923. Cloth (soiled). With many photographic plates. XVIII,267 pp. € 25,00

Hunting stories in Uganda and Congo, including the story of killing a leopard with his bare hands. *Czech* p.2.

German circumnavigation



3 **ALLERS, Christian Wilhelm.** Rund um die Erde. Stuttgart, Berlin, Leipzig, Union, Deutsche Verlagsgesellschaft, (1898).

Folio. Original decorated cloth (extremities of spine sl. dam.), a.e.g. With numerous plates and illustrations by the author. € 150,00

First edition; with an autograph dedication to H.C. Klinkert, a Dutch Mennonite missionary and translator, by his students. - The journey led across the Mediterranean to Egypt, through the Suez Canal to the Red Sea, to Ceylon, Singapore, Java, Siam, Bangkok, Hong Kong, Canton,

Shanghai, Beijing, Kiautschou, Japan, San Francisco and New York. The fine illustrations were made by the German draftsman and illustrator Christian Wilhelm Allers (1857-1915).

The Arctic expedition that conquered the South Pole



4 **AMUNDSEN, Roald Engebregt Gravning.** The South Pole. An account of the Norwegian Antarctic expedition in the 'Fram', 1910-1912. Translated from the Norwegian by A.G. Chater. London, John Murray, 1912. 2 volumes. Original decorated red cloth with the Norwegian flag on covers, spines lettered in gilt, uncut, top edges gilt. With 24 maps and charts (some folding) and 94 photographic plates. XXXV,392; X,438 pp. € 2.850,00

First English edition; first published in Kristiania in 1912: *Sydpolen: den Norske Sydpolsfaerd med 'Fram' 1910-*

1912. - The Norwegian explorer Roald Engelbregt Gravning Amundsen (1872 - 1928) left Norway in June 1910 on the ship *Fram*. When he received the news that the British polar explorer Scott was already on his way to the South Pole, Amundsen changed his plans and set his sights on arriving there before him. Scott's and Amundsen's expeditions were both now heading for the South Pole in 1911. His party established a camp at the Bay of Whales and a series of supply depots on the Barrier (now known as the Ross Ice Shelf) before setting out for the pole in October.

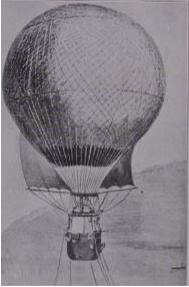


The party of five, led by Amundsen, became the first to successfully reach the South Pole on 14 December 1911, four weeks before Scott. He

was a key figure of the period known as the Heroic Age of Antarctic Exploration. - A very fine copy.

Conrad p.156; Spence p.4; Howgego III, A12; Rosove 9.

Andrée's Arctic balloon expedition of 1897



5 **ANDRÉE, Salomon August.** Met 'De Adelaar' naar de Pool met S.A. Andrée, Nils Strindberg en Knut Fraenkel. Uitgegeven naar aanleiding van Andrée's pooltocht in het jaar 1897, naar aantekeningen, gevonden op het Witte Eiland, in den zomer van 1930 .. door het Zweedsch Anthropologisch en Aardrijkskundig Genootschap. Vertaald door Louis Blok. Amsterdam, H.J.W. Becht, (1930).

8vo. Original cloth (spine sl. discoloured). With many photographic plates. XII,285 pp.

€ 65,00

Firts Dutch edition. - Andrée's Arctic balloon expedition of 1897 was an effort to reach the North Pole in which all three Swedish expedition members - Salomon August Andrée, Knut Frænkel, and Nils Strindberg - perished.

First scientific survey of Christmas Island



6 **ANDREWS, Charles W.** A monograph of Christmas Island (Indian Ocean): physical features and geology. With descriptions of the fauna and flora by numerous contributors. London, sold by Longmans and Co, 1900.

Original brown cloth. With folding coloured map, several illustrations, 7 fine chromolithographed plates after J.G. Keulemans and 15 plates. XIII,337; 20 pp.

€ 450,00

First edition. - First scientific survey of Christmas Island (Australia), occupied by the British in 1889. Largely devoted to a catalogue of the flora and fauna, described by various

specialists.

The island of Dominica

7 **ATWOOD, Thomas.** The history of the island of Dominica. Containing a description of its situation, extent, climate, mountains, rivers, natural history, &c. London, J. Johnson, 1791.

Modern half cloth, uncut. VIII,285 pp.

€ 1.500,00

First edition. - Containing also an account of the civil government, trade laws, customs and manners of the different inhabitants of that island. Its conquest by the



French and by Britain in 1759. Captured by the French again during the war of American Independence, it was restored to Britain in 1783. Thomas Atwood published the first history of the island and still provides the most uniquely vivid, if not unbiased picture of Dominica in the late 18th century. (Some foxing and some blank margins restored). - *Scarce*.
Ragatz p.185; Sabin 2343.

St. Pierre & Miquelon



8 **BAAKE, Frans.** Miquelon. Enschede, 1996.
Long oblong 8vo (17 x 65 cm). Original wrappers in cloth box. With 22 silkscreen plates on velin arches. € 125,00

14 copies printed, this is number 2, signed by the artist. - In the spring of 1996, Frans Baake visited St. Pierre & Miquelon, a French territory off the coast of Newfoundland, Canada. - *A fine Dutch artist's book.*

A visit to Mauritius & South Africa



9 **BACKHOUSE, James.** A narrative of a visit to the Mauritius and South Africa. London, Hamilton, Adams, and Co., 1844.

Later half red morocco, spine lettered in gilt. With folding map of Mauritius (mounted on linen), large folding map of South Africa (mounted on linen), 16 etched plates and 28 woodengravings.

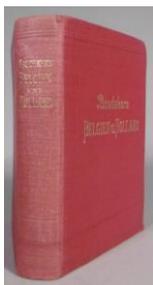
XVI,628,LVI pp.

€ 350,00

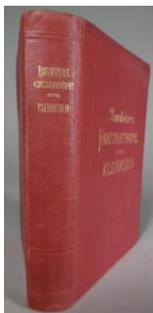
First edition. - The book is in the form of a diary, and the author seems to have traversed every part of South Africa where there was a mission station or a missionary. In this way he appears to have met almost every prominent man connected with mission work in South Africa at his time. The volume commences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



10 **BAEDEKER, Karl.** Belgien und Holland nebst Luxemburg. Handbuch für Reisende. 25. Auflage. Leipzig, Karl Baedeker, 1914. Sm.8vo. Original red cloth (spine sl. discoloured). With 18 maps and 44 plans (mostly folding). XLVIII,504 pp.. € 25,00



11 **BAEDEKER, Karl.** Konstantinopel. Balkanstaaten, Kleinasien, Archipel, Cypren. Handbuch für Reisende. 2. Auflage.

Leipzig, Karl Baedeker, 1914. 12mo. Original red cloth with gilt lettering. With 18 maps and 65 plans (some folding). LXXIV, 484 pp. € 275,00

Second edition, first edition was published in 1905. - The first edition included Constantinople and the western portion of Asia Minor, together with Cyprus. The second edition was extended with the Balkans and the Aegean islands.

An interesting account of hunting and exploration in South-West Africa



12 **BAINES, Thomas.** Explorations in South-West Africa. Being an account of a journey in the years 1861 and 1862 from Walvisch Bay, on the western coast, to Lake Ngami and the Victoria Falls. London, Longman, Green, Longman, Roberts & Green, 1864. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt. With coloured lithographed frontispiece, 3 folding lithographed maps, and 34 woodengraved plates and illustrations. XIV,535 pp. € 1.850,00

First edition. - Thomas Baines (1820-1875) travelled with James Chapman from Walvis Bay via Lake Ngami to the Victoria Falls, which he and Chapman were among the first seven white men to see. "The journey was started on March 20, 1861, and the author was joined by his fellow-traveller, Mr.J. Chapman, on the 20th of July. The volume contains an interesting account of hunting



and exploration in the country of the Namaquas and Damaras, and the illustrations are very spirited; there is a good description of the flora and fauna of the country, together with an account of the habits of the natives' (*Mendelssohn I, p.69*). - (Small library stamp on titlepage).

SAB I, p.113; Czech p.9; Hess & Cogger 4815.

The Pacific coast



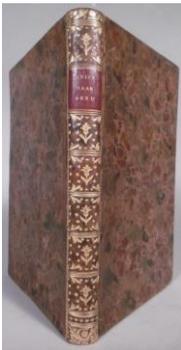
13 **BANNING, George Hugh.** In Mexican waters. London, Martin Hopkinson & Co., 1925.

Original cloth. With map and 32 photographic plates. 196 pp.

€ 65,00

First edition. - A cruise along the coast of Baja California, Sea of California, offshore islands, and finally to Mazatlan, San Blas, Tepic, Manzanillo and Colima.

Peru



14 **BAYER, Wolfgang.** Reize naar Peru, van 1748 tot 1770. Amsterdam, Willem Holtrop, 1782.

Contemporary marbled calf, spine richly gilt, with red morocco title-label to spine. VI,204 pp.

€ 875,00

First Dutch edition, first published in German in Nürnberg in 1776 *Reise nach Peru*. - Rare description of Peru. Bayer went as a missionary to Peru, where he worked between 1752 and 1766 in the district of Juli near lake Titicaca. In 1770 he returned to Europe via Cape Horn. - *A very nice copy.*

Not in Tiele; Cat. NHSM I, p.282; Sabin 4044, Henze I, p.206.

Exploration of the Galapagos & Cocos Islands

15 **BEEBE, William.** The *Arcturus* adventure. An account of the New York Zoological Society's first Oceanographic expedition. New York & London, G.P. Putnam's Sons, 1926.

Original green cloth, top edge gilt. With 76 plates (7 in colours). XIX,439 pp.

€ 225,00



First edition, published by the Knickerbocker Press. - In 1925, the American biologist Charles William Beebe (1877 - 1962) set out on a second Galápagos expedition, *The Arcturus Oceanographic Expedition*. His exploration of the Galapagos and Cocos Islands is an example of a scientific exploration and adventure.

The Bewitched World



16 **BEKKER, Balthasar**. De betoverde wereld, zynde een grondig ondersoek van't gemeen gevoelen aangaende de geesten, deselver aart en vermogen, bewind en bedrijf; als ook't gene de menschen door derselver kragt en gemeenschap doen. In vier boeken ondernomen. Amsterdam, Daniel van den Dalen, 1691 - 1693.

4 volumes in 1. 4to. Later green calf. With printer's woodcut device on titlepages and large woodcut depicting the Oldenburg Horn (without the portrait as often). € 950,00

First edition. - The impact of Bekker's book, *The Bewitched World*, was a seminal work in the undermining of superstition, an early and powerful blow against the authority of the Bible, a significant instrument for the weakening of the Church's hold on men's beliefs, and a primary contributor to the liberation of thought across northern Europe. It caused a major scandal and in 1692 Bekker was removed from his office in Amsterdam by the synod of Alkmaar, because of heterodoxy. (Age-browned).

The sea battle of Gibraltar in 1607

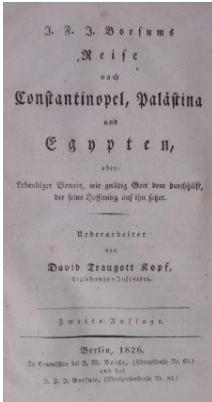


17 **BOGAERS, Adrianus**. De togt van Heemskerk naar Gibraltar. 3e druk. Haarlem, H.D. Tjeenk Willink, 1882. Contemporary half red cloth. 96 pp.

€ 35,00

First edition was published in 1837. - Poem on the sea battle of Gibraltar (1607) in which a Spanish fleet of 21 vessels was entirely destroyed. Admiral Jacob van Heemskerk (1567-1607) was commanding the Dutch fleet. - *Cat. NHSM II*, p.1043.

Journey to Constantinople, Palestine & Egypt



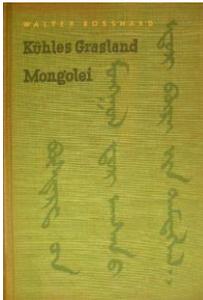
18 **BORSUM, J.F.J.** Reise nach Constantinopel, Palästina und Egypten. Ueberarbeitet von David Traugott Kopf. 2. Auflage. Berlin, J.W. Boicke, 1826.

Contemporary marbled boards. XVI,238 pp. € 275,00

First published in 1825. - The description of the pupil tailor Borsum (born 1796) from Feldbergen (Hildesheim) went through many editions and was also translated into Danish. - (Age-browned).

Rohricht 1662; Tobler 1818; Kainbacher p.52; Hilmy I, p.83; Engelmann I, p. 118.

Mongolia



19 **BOSSHARD, Walter.** Kühles Grasland Mongolei. Zauber und Schönheit der Steppe. Berlin, Im Deutschen Verlag, (1938). Decorated green cloth (spine discoloured). With 2 maps and 71 photographic illustrations by the author. 217 pp. € 25,00

Walter Bosshard (1892 -1975) was a Swiss pioneer photographer and reporter. His early work involved photography of Southeast Asia and China.

'One of the most entertaining books relating to early Californian life'



20 **BROWN, J. Ross.** Crusoe's island: a ramble in the footsteps of Alexander Selkirk with sketches of adventure in California and Washoè. New York, Harper & Brothers, 1864. Sm.8vo. Original brown cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With numerous woodengraved illustrations. 436 pp. € 95,00

First edition. - One of the most entertaining books relating to early Californian life. The author was a distinguished traveler and diplomat. In addition to those upon the title, the work contains 'A dangerous journey' and 'Obersrvations in office',

while Indian agent (*Cowan p.26*). Also included 'A peep at Washoe' (Nivada). *Sabin 8657; Howes B876; Hill 199.*

Guide to St Kitts, Nevis & Anguilla



21 **BURDON, Katharine Janet.** A handbook of St. Kitts - Nevis, a presidency of the Leeward Island Colony containing information for residents and visitors concerning the islands of St. Christopher or St. Kitts, Nevis and Anguilla. London, The West India Committee, 1920. Sm.8vo. Original cloth. With folding panorama of St. Kitts, 6 maps (4 folding) and 13

photographic plates. VIII,247 pp. +13 pp. with advertisements. € 225,00

First edition; signed by the author. - A comprehensive guide to St Kitts, Nevis and Anguilla.



22 **CAIRO.** Vue du Caire. (No pl., ca. 1900).

Small oblong 8vo. Original green printed wrappers by L. & H. With 16 plates. € 45,00

The plates depict: Pyramides et sphinx, le grande pyramide Chéops, village auprès des pyramides, pyramide de Sakkarah, le Caire citadelle, tombeaux des khalifs, mosquée Kail Bey, Savoy Hotel au Caire, etc.



23 **CLIPPERTON.** - Isla de la pasion llamada de Clipperton. Publicacion oficial. México, Arturo García Cubas Sucesores Hermanos, 1909.

Original green cloth. With 6 photographic plates and 10 folding maps. 96 pp.

€ 125,00

Secretaria de Relaciones Exteriores de Mexico. - Documents relating to Mexico's claim to the possession of the Island of Clipperton. It is an uninhabited coral atoll in the eastern Pacific Ocean and an overseas state private property of France, under direct authority of the Minister of the Overseas.

The Carstensz expedition, New Guinea



24 **COLIJN, A.H.** Naar de eeuwige sneeuw van tropisch Nederland. De bestijging van het Carstenszgebergte in Nederlandsch Nieuw Guinee. 2e druk. Amsterdam, Scheltens & Giltay, (1937). Original cloth (spine sl. discoloured). With many photographic illustrations. 253 pp. € 25,00

The Carstensz expedition was made in 1936 by Anton Colijn, Jean Jacques Dozy and Frits Wissel. They left on October 29th, 1936 from Aika, a town on the southern coast of Dutch New Guinea and returned on December 24th. The aim of the expedition was reached by climbing the highest peak of the Carstenszgebergte, which at the time was the snow-covered peak of Ngga Pulu.

Cape Town



25 **COLLIER, Joy.** Portrait of Cape Town. Cape Town, Longmans, 1961. Half green calf. With illustrations by the author. 108 pp. € 30,00

200 copies printed, signed by the artist.

Cuba



26 **ATLAS DE CUBA.** XX Aniversario del triunfo de la revolución Cubana. La Habana, Instituto Cubano de Geodesia y Cartografía, 1978. Oblong 8vo. Original cloth, with dust-jacket. With 143 coloured maps. € 65,00

Jamaica



27 **CUNDALL, Frank.** The handbook of Jamaica for 1929 comprising historical, statistical and general information concerning the island, compiled from official and other reliable records. Forty-ninth year of publication. Jamaica, The

Government Printing Office, 1929.

Original embossed cloth gilt (sl. discoloured). With 3 maps (1 folding) and 4 photographic plates. VII,568 pp. + XXVII pp. with advertisements. € 125,00

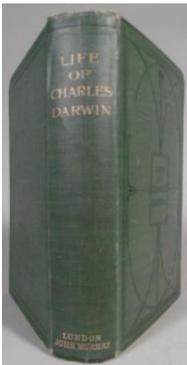
Venezuela



28 **DALTON, Leonard V.** Venezuela. London & Leipsic, T. Fisher Unwin, 1912.

Original blue cloth, with coat of arms on front cover (spine soiled), uncut. With large folding map and 34 photographic illustrations. 320 pp. € 40,00

Charles Robert Darwin (1809-1882), British natural scientist. His works are regarded as classics among the accounts of exploration and discovery.



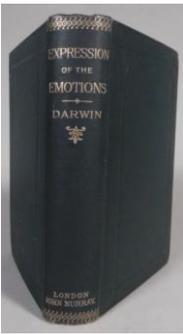
29 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** Charles Darwin: his life in an autobiographical chapter, and in a selected series of his published letters. Edited by his son Francis Darwin. 6th thousand in this form. London, John Murray, 1902.

Original stamped green cloth with gilt lettering to spine. With frontispiece portrait. VI, (2), 348 pp. € 65,00



- 30 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** Darwin's biologische meesterwerken, voor Nederlanders bewerkt door H. Hartogh Heys van Zouteveen en T.C. Winkler. Arnhem-Nijmegen, Gebr. E. & M. Cohen, (ca. 1845). 6 volumes. Original pictorial cloth. With illustrations. € 150,00

Het ontstaan der soorten door natuurlijke teeltkeus, Het variëeren der huisdieren en cultuurplanten (2 volumes); De afstamming van den mensch en de seksueele teeltkeus (2 volumes); Het uitdrukken der gemoedsaandoeningen bij den mensch en de dieren. - (Without volume VII: The voyage of the *Beagle*). - *A fine set.*



- 31 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** The expression of the emotions in man and animals. Second edition, edited by Francis Darwin. London, John Murray, 1890. Original green cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With photographed plates and woodengraved illustrations. VIII, 394 pp. € 295,00

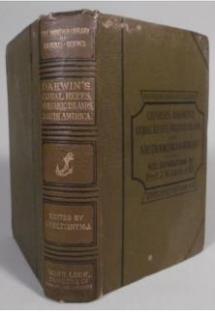
First published in London in 1872. - *Fine.*



- 32 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** Journal of researches into the natural history and geology of the countries visited during the voyage of H.M.S. *Beagle* round the world, under the command of capt. Fitz Roy. 5th edition. London, New York, Melbourne, Ward, Lock and Co., John Murray, 1889.

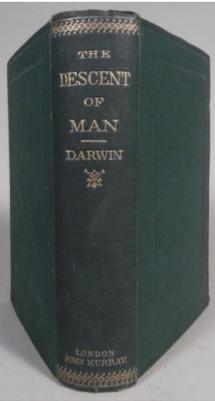
Original pictorial green cloth (damaged). With portrait and 15 plates. XIX., 381 pp. + booklist of 14 pp. € 175,00

From the corrected and enlarged edition of 1845. - The first major scientific work by Charles Robert Darwin (1809-1882). As a young man, he accompanied *HMS Beagle* on her voyage around the world (1831-1836). Darwin's many excursions ashore, particularly into the Andes and on the Galápagos Islands, led him to develop his theory of the evolution of the species. Throughout the trip, he had sent back reports and specimens to Henslow in England, and by the time of his return, he had earned a reputation as one of the nation's foremost naturalists. - *A classic travel-account.* P.M.M. 344b.



- 33 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** On the structure and distribution of coral reefs; and geological observations on the volcanic islands and parts of South America. Visiting during the voyage of H.M.S. *Beagle*. With a critical introduction by John W. Judd. London, New York, Melbourne, Ward, Lock, Bowden & Co., 1890.
Sm.8vo. Original green cloth, spine gilt. With 6 maps (3 folding) and many woodengravings. XX,549,(6) pp. € 175,00

The Minerva Library; edited by G.T. Bettany. - The voyage of the *Beagle* lasted from December 1831 to October 1836 and carried Darwin around the world, but especially to South America. This would remain Darwin's only longer voyage.



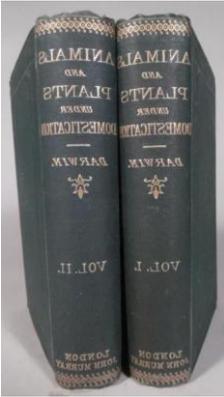
- 34 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** The descent of man, and selection in relation to sex. Second edition, revised and augmented. 17th thousand. London, John Murray, 1883.
Original green cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With woodengraved illustrations. XVI,693 pp. + 32 pp with Murray's list of works. € 295,00

First published in London in 1871. - *Fine*.



- 35 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** The life and letters of Charles Darwin, including an autobiographical chapter. Edited by his son Francis Darwin. 2nd and 3rd edition. London, John Murray, 1887.
3 volumes. Original cloth (soiled). With 7 plates. X,395; 393; IV,418 pp. € 595,00

First edition published the same year. - It contains a selection of 87 letters from the correspondence of Charles Darwin, an autobiographical chapter written by Charles Darwin for his family, and an essay by Thomas Huxley 'On the reception of the 'Origin of Species'. The first real biography of Charles Darwin,



36 **DARWIN, Charles Robert.** The variation of animals and plants under domestication. 2nd edition, revised, 5th thousand. London, John Murray, 1885.
2 volumes. Original green cloth, spines lettered in gilt. With 43 woodengravings. XIV,473; X,495; 32 pp. sold

With bookplate of rev. Richard O'halloran, Boston. - Features the first appearance of the iconic Darwinian phrase 'survival of the fittest'. - *A fine set.*

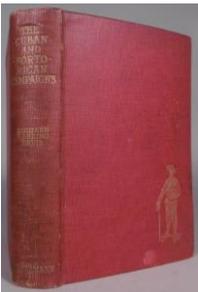
Travels to the Alps



37 **DAUDET, Alphonse.** Tartarin sur les Alpes. Nouveaux exploits du héros Tarasconnais. Paris, C. Marpon & E. Flammarion, 1886.
Sm.8vo. Contemporary half morocco (spine discoloured).
With many illustrations after Aranda, de Beaumont, Montenard, de Myrbach, and Rossi. (6),365,(4) pp. € 85,00

First published in 1885. - Novel about Tartarin, a middle-aged hunter living in the town of Tarascon situated at the extreme west of the Bouches-du-Rhône department of France in the Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur. He has many adventures during his travels to the Alps.

Account of America's first major Imperial war



38 **DAVIS, Richard Harding.** The Cuban & Porto Rican campaigns. London, William Heinemann, 1899.
Original pictorial red cloth gilt. With 3 maps (2 coloured) and many photographic plates and illustrations. XV,335 pp. € 95,00

First edition. - Account of America's first major Imperial war. The Spanish-American War (April 21 - August 13, 1898) was a period of armed conflict between Spain and the United States. The war ended with the 1898 Treaty of Paris, negotiated on terms favorable to the United States. The treaty ceded ownership of Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Philippine islands from Spain to the United States and granted the United States temporary control of Cuba.

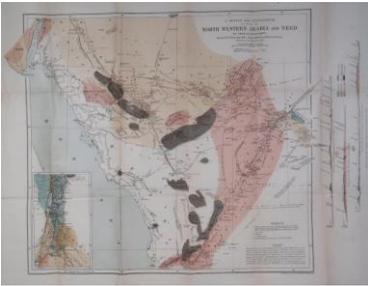
Curaçao



39 **DISSEL, S. van.** Curaçao. Herinneringen en schetsen. Leyden, A.W. Sythoff, 1857.
Modern cloth, original printed wrappers mounted. 162,(1) pp.
€ 650,00

First edition. - Curaçao, memories and sketches. - *Scarce.*
Tiele 317; Muller, America, p.55; Sabin 20277.

A classic on the Middle East



40 **DOUGHTY, Charles Montagu.** Travels in Arabia Deserta. With a new preface by the author, an introduction by T.E. Lawrence. New York, Boni & Liveright, 1925.
2 volumes. Original cloth, (extremities of spine vol. I sl. dam.). With 2 portraits, folding coloured map in rear pocket and several plates (some folding) and illustrations. XXVI,623; XIV, 690 pp.
€ 425,00

First published in 1888. - Charles Montagu Doughty (1843-1926) was an improbable candidate for Arabian laurels. He was also tactless and uncompromising, refusing either to conceal his Christianity or to affect any sympathy for Islam ('the most dangerous grown confederacy and secret conspiracy, surely, in the whole world', he called it). Not surprisingly his travels became a succession of trials and humiliations. The wonder is that he survived at all (*Keay, World exploration, p.73*). - *A classic of travel literature of a European colonial perspective on the Middle East. Europe and the Arab world, 70.*



41 **DUMAS, Charles. (Red.)** Een koninklijk paradijs. Aert Schouman en de verbeelding van de natuur. Dordrecht, Dordrechts Museum, Zwolle WBooks, 2017. Folio. Original pictorial wrappers. With 649 coloured illustrations. 360 pp.
€ 40,00

Profusely illustrated catalogue about Aert Schouman (1710 - 1792) an art and wallpaper painter, etcher, watercolorist and engraver. He was the most important Dutch animal painter of the

18th century.

Madagascar



42 **ELLIS, 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 civilization of the people. London, John Murray, 1858. Modern half morocco, spine gilt. With double-page frontispiece view of Antananarivo, map and 24 wood- engravings. XVII,470 pp. € 350,00

First edition. - In 1852 the affairs of Madagascar had reached such a crisis that Ellis (1794-1872), a missionary, was requested to visit the island, in order to ascertain and improve the condition of the christians (*DNB*). He visited the Cape in 1854 on which he gives an interesting account of many places together with botanical notes and information respecting the natives. - (Some waterstaining).

Grandidier 1633; Mendelssohn I, p.518; SAB II, p.185.

The Mosquitia region of northeastern Honduras



43 **FELLECHNER, MÜLLER, HESSE.** Bericht über die im höchsten Auftrage seiner königlichen Hoheit des Prinzen Carl von Preussen und Sr. Durchlaucht des Herrn Fürsten v. Schoenburg-Waldenburg bewirkte Untersuchung einiger Theile des Mosquitlandes, erstattet von der dazu ernannten Commission. Berlin, Alexander Düncker, 1845. Modern boards, with title-label to spine. With 2 folding maps and 3 tinted lithographed plates. (4),274,(1) pp. € 675,00



First edition. - 'In Hinblick auf eine mögliche deutsche Kolonisation sollten die geographischen, klimatischen und ethnographischen Verhältnisse in Augenschein genommen und der Landnutzungswert geprüft werden. Untersuchung beteiligten sich der kgl. Kreisphysikus Dr. Müller und der Kaufmann Hesse. Ausgehend vom Cabo Gracias á Dios, durchzogen sie das Küstenland über den Rio Coco (Segovia oder Wanks River)

und den Croach River (Rio Kruta) hinwegs bis in den westl. Bereich der Laguna Caratasca, die sie im Boot befuhren und deren Öffnung sie untersuchten. .. Ihr 1845 erschienener *Bericht* warf das erste hellere Licht auf diesen Teil der Mosquitia .. (und) blieb bis in die fünfziger Jahre des 20. Jahrhundert hinein, wo James J. Parsons und Karl M. Helbig's Forschungen in der Mosquitia einsetzten, wohl immer noch das Beste, was man darüber besass. Und noch Heute ist es 'ein gutes Quellenwerk insofern, als er neben einer genauen, zeitgenössischen Landesbeschreibung auch die historische und ökonomische Entwicklung der nordöstlichen Mosquitia von Honduras schildert sowie zahlreiche Anhänge über Pflanzen und Tiere, selbst über die Sprache der Miskitos und vor allem zahlreiche Dokumente enthält' (*Henze II, p.205-206*). Very important expedition to the Mosquito Coast, Nicaragua. - (Foxed throughout). - *Scarce*.
Sabin 24013.

A very uncommon cartographic curiosity map showing Europe in a female shape



44 **FOKKE SIMONSZ., Arend.** Geheimzinnige toebereidselen tot eene boertige reis door Europa. Vermaakshalven voorgelezen in, en opgedraagen aan, de Maatschappij der Verdiensten, onder de spreuk: Felix Meritis. Haarlem, François Bohn, 1794.
 Original boards. With 2 handcoloured folding maps by Hendrik Kloekhoff. (8),152 pp. € 450,00

It includes two handcoloured maps of Europe, one of them is a very uncommon cartographic curiosity map showing Europe in a female shape, demoting from the former Virgin

Queen to an ordinary house wife according to anti-Napoleonic propaganda.

The survey of the Gulf of Gascony

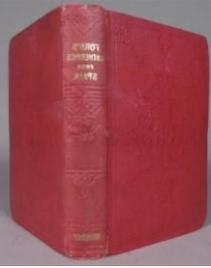


45 **FOLIN, Marquis de.** Pêches et chasses zoologiques. Paris, J.B. Baillièere et Fils, 1893.
 Sm.8vo. Contemporary half calf. With 117 woodengravings. 332 pp. € 75,00

First edition. - Léopold de Folin (1817 - 1896) was an author, oceanographer, malacologist and early founder of the

collections which were to become the Musée de la mer in Biarritz, France. With Henri Milne-Edwards's son Alphonse, de Folin carried out this survey of the Gulf of Gascony.

Spain



46 **FORD, Richard.** Gatherings from Spain. Bij the author of the Handbook of Spain; chiefly slected from that book, with much new matter. New edition. London, John Murray, 1851. Original red embossed cloth. X,342 pp. + A descriptive catalogue of Mr. Murray's home and colonial library. London, 1851. 32 pp. € 150,00

First published in 1846. - Including a.o. 2 chapters on bullfighting.

Palau 93502; Foulché-Delbosc 415.

A classic of American exploration



47 **FRÉMONT, J.C.** Report of the exploring expedition to the Rocky Mountains in the year 1842, and to Oregon and North California in the years 1843 - '44. Washington, Gales & Seaton, 1843.

Contemporary calf, with black titlelabel on spine, in fine slipcase. With 4 (of 5) maps (3 folding, including the large folding map (repaired); missing map Beer Springs), and 22 lithographed plates. 693 pp. € 2.250,00



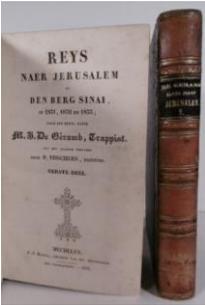
First edition. - The Senate issue of the Fremont report, certainly one of the most important single pieces of Western Americana. In various editions this report was more widely read than any other account of the West before the Gold Rush, and the text and map had a profound effect on the routes frequented during the great period of emigration.

The maps include the huge folding

"Map of...Oregon & North California in the Years 1843-44," with many lakes and rivers traced in color.- (Foxed). - *A classic of American exploration.*

Hill 640; Cowan p.223. Howes F370; Sabin 25845; Wagner-Camp 115:1; Graff Collection 1436.

The Holy Land, Alexandria, Cairo, the Sinai, & the Nile to Aswan



48 **GÉRAMB, Marie Joseph de.** Reys naer Jerusalem en den Berg Sinai in 1831, 1832 en 1833. Uyt het Fransch vertaeld door P. Visschers.

Mechelen, P.J. Hanicq, 1838.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt.

343,(1); VI,324 pp.

€ 125,00

First published in Paris in 1836: *Pélerinage à Jérusalem, et au Mount Sinai, en 1831, 1832 et 1833*. - A very good account by a member of a Trappist monastery near Mulhausen in Alsace.

In his letters Géramb describes the Holy Land, Alexandria, Cairo, the Sinai, and the Nile to Aswan. While in Upper Egypt, he traveled with Count d'Estourmel. - (Age-browned; some library stamps). - *A very popular work*, Tobler p.152; Gay 3659; Kalfatovic 0314; Blackmer Collection 673; not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

Rio de la Plata, Buenos Aires & Chili



49 **GILLESPIE, Alexander.** Reis door de binnenlanden van Rio de la Plata, in het jaar 1806. Naar het Engelsch, volgens eene Hoogduitsche vertaling. Amsterdam, Wed. G.A.

Diederichs & Zoon, 1820.

Contemporary boards. IV,154,(4) pp.

€ 450,00

First Dutch edition, originally published in English in 1819.

The Dutch edition is a translation from the German edition issued in *Ethnographisch Archiv*, 1820. Rare description of Rio de la Plata and Buenos Aires. With at the end an account on Chili. - (Some foxing).

Cat. NHSM I, p.283; Not in Tiele; Sabin 27392 (German ed. only).

The Indians in America and the Caribs in the West Indies

50 **GLATZ, J.** Merkwaardige reizen in en door vreemde werelddeelen, ingerigt naar de vatbaarheid der jeugd. Naar het Hoogduitsch. Deel II: Iets over Indianen in Amerika, en de Karaïben in West - Indië. 4e druk. Amsterdam, Wed. M.H. Helmig, 1831.

Sm.8vo. Original marbled boards. With 4 handcoloured engraved plates. 217 pp.

€ 65,00



Volume 2 only dealing with the Indians in America and the Caribs in the West Indies.

Exploring the headwaters of the Mississippi



51 **GLAZIER, Willard.** Headwaters of the Mississippi; comprising biographical sketches of early and recent explorers of the great river, and a full account of the discovery and location of the true source in a lake beyond Itasca. Chicago, New York, Rand, McNally & Comp., 1894. Original decorated blue cloth stamped in silver and gilt. With map and many plates. 527 pp. € 125,00

First published in 1893. - Glazier, president of the American Geographical Society, explored the headwaters of the Mississippi in 1881 and claimed the discovery of the true source of the great river just south of Lake Itasca which he named Lake Glazier (now called Elk Lake). Including accounts of all the early explorations and explorers. The fine illustrations are after photographs by F.J. Trost, the first ever published of the region.

Very fine coloured views of Caracas & Mérida and landscapes of Venezuela



52 **GOERING, Anton.** Vom tropischen Tiefland zum ewigen Schnee. Eine malerische Schilderung des schönsten Tropenlandes Venezuela. Leipzig, Adalbert Fischer, (1892). Folio. Original boards with gilt lettering, a.e.g., in original pictorial green cloth portfolio, with gilt lettering (sl. dam.). With map, 12 chromo-lithographed plates and 54 illustrations. 75,(2) pp. € 475,00

Anton Goering (1836-1905) travelled for eight years in Venezuela and made an important contribution to the exploration of that land. The very fine coloured plates depict nice views of Caracas and Mérida and landscapes.
Palau 103132; Thieme-Becker XIV, 309.

Abolition of slavery in the West Indies

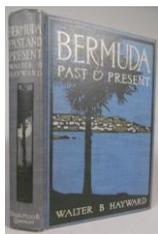


53 **GURNEY, Joseph John.** A winter in the West Indies, described in familiar letters to Henry Clay of Kentucky. London, John Murray, 1840.
Original cloth (rebacked). With engraved frontispiece (Sligoville - Jamaica) and engraved plate (Brownstown - Jamaica) (both stained). XVI,282 pp. € 295,00

First edition; with autograph dedication by the author. - Letters of the celebrated Quaker Gurney (1788-1847) about the consequences of the abolition of slavery in the West Indies (Cuba, Jamaica, Dominica, St. Thomas, Antigua, etc.), wellcomed by the author as a great benefaction. A large part of the work is devoted to a close description of Jamaica. Includes also a chapter on the Cuban slave trade, in which U.S. capital is involved. - (Age-browned).

Sabin 29312; Hogg 2654; Work p.268; The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection 853; Not in Ragatz.

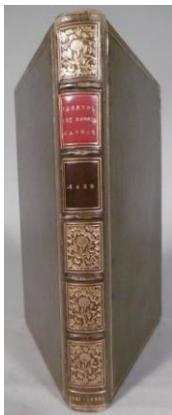
Bermuda



54 **HAYWARD, Walter Brownell.** Bermuda. Past and present. A descriptive and historical account of the Sommers Islands. New York, Dodd, Mead & Company, 1912.
Original pictorial cloth. With double-page coloured map and many photographic plates. XII,239 pp. € 65,00

All points of interest, picturesque, historical, legendary, have received ample attention, while the reader is brought into contact with the characteristic pleasures of Bermuda life, the government and resources (*Preface*). - *A nice copy.*

Journeys across the Pampas and among the Andes



55 **HEAD, Francis Bond.** Rough notes taken during some rapid journeys across the Pampas and among the Andes. 2nd edition. London, John Murray, 1826.

Contemporary green polished calf, gilt fillets round sides, inner dentelles, spine richly gilt in compartments, with red and brown labels to spine. XI,309 pp. € 375,00

First edition published the same year. - In 1825 Head sailed for Buenos Aires with a staff of Cornish miners, and crossed the Pampas, only to find that the concessions had in the meantime been granted to rival companies. Leaving his staff at Mendoza he returned to Buenos Aires for instructions, then made his way overland to Santiago de Chile. He then re-crossed the Andes, collected the miners left at Mendoza and took the entire party back

to Chile, where they travelled some 2000 kilometres prospecting for mines. When it became evident that local managers were reluctant to employ European staff, Head took his miners back to Buenos Aires and returned with them to England .. His book, which earned him the nickname of 'Galloping Head', was praised by Darwin for its accuracy (*Howgego p.277*). - *A fine copy.*

Sabin 31134.



56 **HEYNING, Katie.** Van wijs en waan. 250 jaar verzamelen. Zeeuws Genootschap 1769-2019. Zwolle, WBooks, 2019. 4to. Pictorial boards. With many coloured illustrations. 192 pp. € 25,00

250 years of collecting by the Royal Zeeland Society 1769-2019.

Venezuela & the West Indies

57 **HIGGINS, Henry H.** Notes by a field-naturalist in the western tropics. From a journal kept on board the royal Mersey steam yacht 'Argo' Liverpool, E. Howell, 1877.

Original decorated cloth (sl. discoloured). With 2 maps (1 folding) and 17 lithographed plates after J.E. Worrall. 205 pp. € 275,00



First edition. - Venezuela and the islands of Grenada, Trinidad, Jamaica, Dominica, Cuba and the Bahamas were visited.

Greece



58 **HUTTON, Edward.** A glimpse of Greece. London, The Medici Society, 1928.

Original brown cloth, spine lettered in gilt, top edge gilt. With folding coloured map and many photographic plates. XII,342 pp.
€ 95,00

Special edition of 25 copies only, signed by the author. - Scholarly account of the author's observations on his travels with Norman Douglas. - *Fine.*



59 **INDONESIA.** - Map of the Malay Archipelago (Netherlands East Indies). Scale 1 : 1.10.000.000. Batavia, Topographical Service, 1924. Map of Indonesia, coloured in outline. Ca. 23 x 52,5 cm. € 40,00

The slave traffic from Africa to the Danish West Indies

60 **ISERT, Paul Erdmann.** Reis na Guinea en de Caribische eilanden in Columbiën. Uit het Hoogduitsch. Dordrecht, De Leeuw en Kraff, 1790. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt (top of spine sl. dam.). With 2 engraved plates. VIII,418 pp. € 495,00

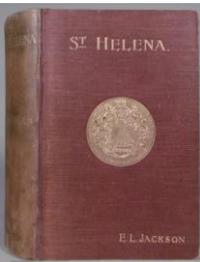


*First Dutch edition; first published in Copenhagen in 1788 *Reise nach Guinea und den Caribäischen Inseln in Colombien*. - Paul Erdmann Isert (1756-1789), Danish doctor in Christiansborg on the Gold Coast, was the first European explorer of Ashanti. He gives an account of the Danish settlements and considerable details of the customs of the natives. In 1786, on his way back, he describes the voyage from Africa to the Danish West Indies with a cargo of 452 blacks who rose against the whites on the second day at sea, with a resulting loss of 34 of their number and 2 of the crew wounded after a heated battle. He visited St. Croix, St. Thomas, St. John, Guadeloupe and Martinique. 'Because of the sensational nature of its contents, it has been heavily drawn on by writers on the slave traffic for nearly a century and a half' (*Ragatz p. 226-27*).*

Cat. NHSM I, p.140 (later ed.); Cardinall 397; Sabin 35245; Cf. Gay 2812; Hough, The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection 405; Work p.11; Hogg 160; Not in Tiele.



St. Helena & Tristan Da Cunha



61 **JACKSON, E.L.** *St. Helena: the historic island from its discovery to the present date.* London, Ward Lock & Co., 1903. Original cloth, with gilt St. Helena's seal on cover (spine discoloured). With map and photographic plates. 343 pp.

€ 95,00

First edition; with the bookplate of Haileybury College. - A detailed historical and geographical account of St. Helena.

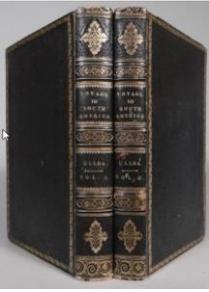
Dealing i.a. with the South African War prisoners sent there,

the captivity of Napoleon Bonaparte, the Navy's antislavery patrols and the island of Tristan Da Cunha.

SAB II, p.661.

Primary source for the history of Peru, Chili, Ecuador & Colombia

62 **JUAN, Jorge & Antonio de ULLOA.** *A voyage to South America: describing at large the Spanish cities, towns, provinces, etc on that extensive continent.* Translated from the original Spanish; with notes and observations, and an account of the Brazils by J. Adams. 4th edition. London, J. Stockdale (etc.), 1806.

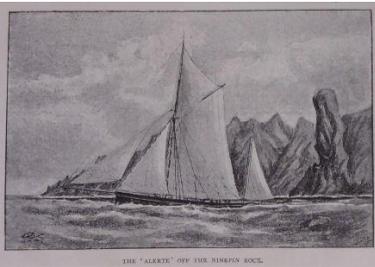


2 volumes. Contemporary straight grained morocco, gilt fillets round sides, spines richly gilt (1 hinge cracked but holding). With folding map and 7 engraved folding plates. XXVII,479; (2),419,(14) pp. € 875,00

First published in Spanish in Madrid in 1748 *Relacion historica del viage a la America meridional*. - An account of a voyage to South America by two Spanish Captains, Jorge Juan y Santacilia (1713-1773) and Antonio de Ulloa (1716-1795).

Both Captains were skilled in mathematics, astronomy and navigation, and were selected to join Charles-Marie de la Condamine (1701-1774) on a scientific voyage to South America initiated by the French Académie des Sciences in 1735. Giving the result of the ten years' travel and observation by a group of leading European scientists. It is one of the best Spanish accounts of gold and silver mining in the 18th-century. Primary source for the history of Peru, Chili, Ecuador and Colombia. The appendix on Brazil written by J. Adams appeared for the first time in the third edition.
Sabin 36813; Palau 125477.

Island of Trinidad

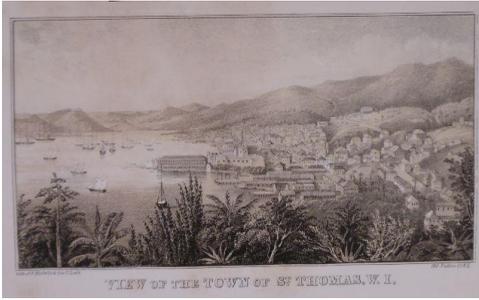


63 **KNIGHT, E.F.** The cruise of the '*Alerte*'. The narrative of a search for treasure on the desert island of Trinidad. 5th edition. London, Longmans, Green, and Co., 1896. Sm.8vo. Original cloth, spine gilt. With 2 maps of Salvage Islands and Trinidad Island and 23 illustrations by Arthur Shephard from the author's sketches. 328 pp. € 95,00

First published in 1890. - This second voyage aboard the yacht '*Alerte*' had as its object the search for pirates' treasure hidden on an island of Trinidad off the coast of Brazil. E.F. Knight did not find the treasure, but he wrote this very interesting book. He called at Bahia at the beginning of November 1889 (*Borba de Moraes I, p.435-436*).

The Virgin Islands, the Danish West Indies

64 **KNOX, John P.** A historical account of St. Thomas, W.I., with its rise and progress in commerce; missions and churches, climate and its adaptation to invalids; geological structure; natural history and botany; and incidental notices of St. Croix and St. Johns; slave instructions in these islands; emancipation and present condition of laboring classes. New York, Charles Scriber, 1852.



Original embossed cloth (hinges rep.). With tinted lithographed view of St. Thomas and folding lithographed map (browned). 271 pp. € 375,00

First edition; with bookplate of Bibliotheca Missionum Societatis Verbi Divini. - The author was a pastor of the Reformed Dutch Church in St. Thomas. He provides

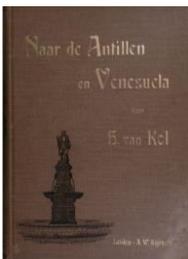
an interesting history of the Virgin Islands, the Danish West Indies.
Sabin 38170; Afro-Americana 5598.



65 **KOBELT, W.** Die Molluskenausbeute der Erlangerschen Reise in Nordost-Afrika. Ein Beitrag zur Moluskengeographie von Afrika. Erste Abteilung: Systematisches. (Frankfurt am Main, 1909).

4to. Modern half cloth. With 11 lithographed plates (6 in colours). 52 pp. € 95,00

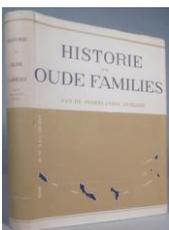
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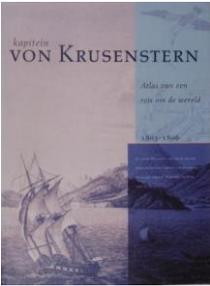
66 **KOL, Hendrikus Hubertus van.** Naar de Antillen en Venezuela. Leiden, A.W. Sijhoff, 1904.

8vo. Original decorated cloth (sl. soiled). With folding maps and photographic plates. 552 pp. € 65,00

The patriciate of the Netherlands Antilles



67 **KRAFFT, C.** Historie en oude families van de Nederlandse Antillen. Het Antilliaanse patriciaat. Met een historische inleiding, zestig uitgewerkte genealogiën, genealogische aantekeningen, fragmenten van genealogiën, ongepubliceerde documenten en een overzicht van bronnen zowel gedrukte als in handschrift. 's Gravenhage, Martinus Nijhoff, 1951. Folio. Cloth, with dust-jacket.. With 10 maps and ca. 100 illustrations and portraits. 448 pp. € 350,00



68 **KRUSENSTERN, A.J. von.** Atlas zur Reise um die Welt. St. Petersburg, 1814. Facsimile edition: Atlas van een reis om de wereld 1803-1806. Inleiding Fred Pelt. Weesp, ROBAS facsimile fonds, Haarlem, Teylers Museum, 1996. Folio. Original cloth, with dust-jacket. With many plates.

€ 40,00



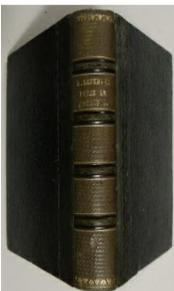
69 **KUMATARO TSUJIKO.** (Catalogue of human expressions). Tokyo, Meiji 24 (1891).

Sm.8vo. Sewn Japanese style, red embossed wrappers. With 24 coloured images.

€ 295,00

The remarkable prints are captioned in English. - *Fine.*

Comparison between America and Paris



70 **LEFEBVRE, René (Eduard René Lefèbvre de Laboulaye).**

Paris en Amérique. 8me édition. Paris, Charpentier, 1863.

Sm.8vo. Contemporary half calf. 450 pp.

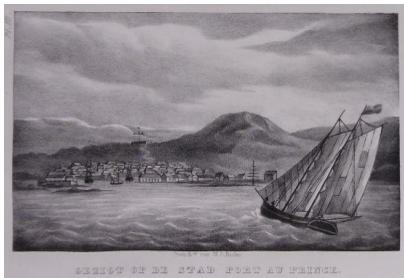
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First edition published the same year, this satirical romance went through at least eight editions in 1863. - Through the wonderful adventures of a Parisian doctor of the conventional type, who with his whole family is spirited away to America by a sorcerer, Laboulaye sets forth an amusing contrast between many customs and institutions of the New World and those of his own. Written by

Édouard René Lefèbvre de Laboulaye (1811 - 1883), a French jurist, poet, author and anti-slavery activist.

Sabin 38439.

Voyage to West Africa & the West Indies



71 **LENNEP COSTER, G. van.**

Aanteekeningen gehouden gedurende mijn verblijf in de West-Indiën, in de jaren 1837-1840. Amsterdam, J.F. Schleijsjer, 1842.

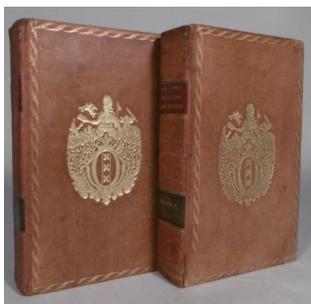
Later half calf. With 3 lithographed views by H.J. Backer. VII,359 pp. € 875,00

First edition. - Journal kept by the captain on board of the brig *De Valk* during his voyage to West Africa (Elmina), Suriname, Curaçao, Bonaire, Aruba, Venezuela, St. Eustatius, Saba, St. Maarten, Haiti and St. Domingo (Dominican Republic). Including detailed history of the rise of the Black Republic (Haiti) and Toussaint L'Ouverture. The fine views depict Fort Zeelandia Paramaribo, harbour of Porto Cabello and Port au Prince. - *A fine copy.* - Scarce.

Tiele 272; Cat. NHSM I, p.263; Suriname-

catalogus Universiteitsbibliotheek Amsterdam 3968; Muller, America, p.95; Sabin 40031; Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection 866.

Fine court book binding



72 **LENNEP, Johannes Daniel van.**

Etymologicum linguae graecae sive observationes ad singulas verborum nominumque stirpes, secundum ordinem lexicæ, compilati olim a Ioanne Scapula.

Editionem curavit, atque animadversiones cum aliorum, tum suas adjecit Everardus Scheidus.

Trajecti ad Rhenum, G.T. a Paddenburg et filium, 1790.

2 volumes. Contemporary calf, gilt fillets round sides, 4 large coat of arms of Amsterdam on sides, spines

gilt with red and green morocco labels. XC,1311 pp. € 225,00

First edition. - Very nice binding with bookplate of A.V. Rossum, Hof-Boekbinder (court bookbinder). Johannes Daniël van Lennep (1724 – 1771) was a Dutch classicist and professor of Latin and Greek at the University of Groningen for fifteen years. - *A nice copy.*

Jamaica



73 **(LESLIE, Charles)**. A new history of Jamaica, from the earliest accounts, to the taking of Porto Bello by vice-admiral Vernon. In thirteen letters from a gentleman to his friend. London, J. Hodges, 1740.

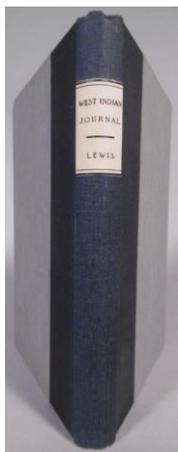
Contemporary calf (rebacked). With 2 engraved folding maps. IV,340 pp.

€ 1.250,00

Second edition; first published in Edinburgh in 1739. - The title-page is unusually long, and is, in fact, a table of contents. The book covers Jamaica's early colonial history, its laws, the lives of its governors and provides important evidence for the conditions in which slaves were traded and kept, and describes the slaves' beliefs and customs. Includes also a great deal relating to Morgan and the buccaneers. - (Age browned).

Sabin 35636; European-Americana VI, p.273; The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection 207.

Jamaica



74 **LEWIS, Matthew Gregory**. Journal of a residence among the negroes in the West Indies. London, John Murray, 1845. Later half cloth. VIII,184; 16 pp.

€ 275,00

First edition. - Although opportunely printed in the year of emancipation, this work really comprises the journals of two earlier residences in Jamaica, in 1815-1816 and in 1817, respectively. It is, therefore, an interesting document dealing with the state of the island after the abolition of the slave trade and before the freeing of the blacks. ... Lewis fell heir to two Jamaican estates and visited them twice, as above stated, but died of yellow fever at sea on returning home in 1818. The author's viewpoint is that of a cultured English gentleman who has a sincere if somewhat misguided interest in the welfare of negroes who have suddenly become his property. The work shows the crying evils of

absentee landlordism even when the owner was the best type, as Lewis unquestionably was (*Ragatz*, p.227).

Sabin 40821; Afro-Americana 5836.



75 **LEWIS-JONES, Huw & Kari HERBERT. (Red.)**. Het logboek van de ontdekkingsreiziger. Met een voorwoord van Redmond O'Hanlon. 2e druk. Utrecht, Omniboek, (2017). Oblong 8vo. Half cloth. With numerous coloured illustrations. 320 pp. € 45,00

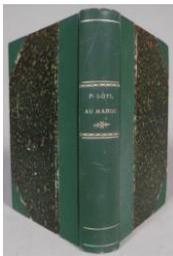
Examples of diaries of Roald Amundsen, Gertrude Bell, Howard Carter, James Cook, Charles Darwin, Sven Hedin, Thor Heyerdahl, Alexander von Humboldt, David Livingstone, Maria Sibylla Merian, Robert Falcon Scott, Ernest Shackleton, Abel Tasman, Alexandrine Tinne, etc.

Saint Thomas, an island of the Danish West Indies



76 **LIGHTBOURN, Jno.N.** Saint Thomas. An island of the Danish West Indies. With the compliments of The National Bank of the Danish West Indies. (No pl.), 1909. Oblong 8vo. Wrappers. With many photographic illustrations. 31 pp. € 65,00

A journey to Morocco



77 **LOTI, Pierre. (Louis Marie Julien Viaud)**. Au Maroc. 6me édition. Paris, Calmann Lévy, 1890. Sm.8vo. Original half green cloth. IV,358 pp. € 95,00

First edition published the same year. - In February 1889, at the age of 39, it was as a member of a diplomatic mission that Pierre Loti (1850 - 1923), a French naval officer and novelist, embarked on a journey to Morocco. He was a successful author and journalist and traces on this journey the route of the French ministerial caravan which, from Oran to Fez, travels through the territories of the Bedouin tribes.

Trip from the Atlantic to the South Pacific



78 **LOTSY, Johannes Paulus**. Van den Atlantischen Oceaan naar de Stille Zuidzee in 1922. Dagboek van een botanicus, die niet alleen naar planten keek. 's Gravenhage, G. Naeff, 1923. Original cloth. With maps and 181 photographic illustrations. XIII,491 pp. € 45,00

First edition. - Trip from the Atlantic to the South Pacific by the Dutch botanist Johannes Paulus Lotsy (1867-1931). Profusely illustrated.

Visit to Swan, Blanquilla & Hermanos islands



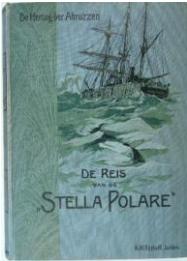
79 **LOWE, Percy R.** A naturalist on desert islands. London, Witherby & Co., 1911.

Original blue cloth, spine decorated and gilt. With 3 maps and many photographic plates. XII,300 pp. € 65,00

First edition. - The English surgeon and ornithologist Percy Roycroft Lowe (1870-1948) served as a private physician to Sir Frederick Johnstone (1841-1913) in the West Indies from 1902 to 1912.

Visiting a.o. Swan Islands (Honduras), Blanquilla and Hermanos islands (Venezuela).

The first Italian Arctic expedition



80 **LUIGI AMEDEO DI SAVOIA, Duca degli Abruzzi.** De reis van de *Stella Polare*. Noordpooltocht. Uit het Italiaansch vertaald onder toezicht van Maurits Snellen. Leiden, A.W. Sijthoff, (1903).

Original pictorial cloth. With 2 maps (1 folding), 2 folding panoramas and many photographic illustrations and plates. (8),558,(2) pp. € 125,00

First Dutch edition, first published in Milan in 1903 *La 'Stella Polare' nel mare Artico, 1899-1900.* - The Duke of Abruzzi (1873-1933) sailed with 19 men to Archangel, and thence across Barents Sea to Rudolph Island, Franz Josef Land, to winter in Teplitz Bay, and to undertake marches on the ice of the Arctic Basin in attempts to reach the North Pole. - *The first Italian Arctic expedition.* *Cat. NHSM I, p.313-14 (English and French ed.); Arctic Bibl. 10425 (Italian ed.); Stam, Books on ice, p.61; Howgego IV, A2.*

The U. S. expedition to the river Jordan and the Dead Sea



81 **LYNCH, W(illiam) F(rancis).**

Togt door het Heilige Land, vooral tot onderzoek der Jordaan en der Doode Zee. Naar den 6e druk uit het Engelsch vertaald door J.P. Stricker. Dordrecht, P.K. Braat, 1855.

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf, spine lettered in gilt. With 2 tinted

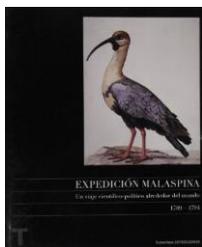
lithographed frontispieces after L. de Koningh by F. Böger and 2 folding lithographed maps. XII,251; XII,263,(1) pp.

€ 225,00

First Dutch edition; first published in Philadelphia in 1849: *Narrative of the United States' expedition to the river Jordan and the Dead Sea*.- The official report was not published until 1852. Lynch carried out the first successful navigation of the Dead Sea, travelling down the Jordan from the Sea of Galilee to the Dead Sea in 1848. Half the party travelled overland, the other half navigated the river. The boats had to be carried overland by camels from Acre to the Sea of Galilee. Ephesus, Smyrna and Constantinople were also visited.

Blackmer Collection 1043 (English ed.); Rohricht p.432; Tobler p.176; Not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

The Malaspina Expedition



82 **MALASPINA, Alejandro.** Expedición Malaspina. Un viaje científico-político alrededor del mundo 1789-1794. (Edited by) Javier Reverte, Miguel Angel Puig-Samper, José María Moreno Martín, Fernando Vallespín. Turner, 2010. 4to. Original boards, with dust-jacket. With numerous illustrations (some in colours). 143 pp.

€ 40,00

The Malaspina Expedition (1789-1794) was a five-year maritime scientific exploration commanded by Alejandro Malaspina and José de Bustamante y Guerra. The expedition was funded by the Spanish government and originally pursued strictly scientific goals. They were to survey and chart the islands and coasts under Spanish control or claim, visit the major settlements throughout the Pacific, and collect information on botany, zoology, ichthyology, ethnography and geography.

De Nederlandsche Handel-Maatschappij

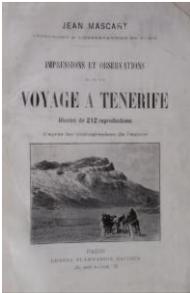


83 **MANSVELT, W.M.F.** Geschiedenis van de Nederlandsche Handel-Maatschappij. Uitgegeven ter gelegenheid van het honderdjarig bestaan (1824-1924). Haarlem, Joh. Enschedé en Zonen, (1925-26). 2 volumes. 8vo. Half morocco, top edge gilt. With portrait. XV,484; XVI,524 pp.

€ 150,00

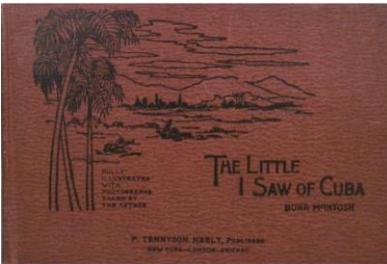
Detailed and very well documented economic history of the Dutch East Indies in the 19th and the first quarter of the 20th century.

A trip to Tenerife



- 84 **MASCART, Jean.** Impressions et observations dans un voyage a Tenerife. Paris, Ernest Flammarion, (ca. 1911). Modern half green calf (original wrappers preserved). With map and 211 photographic illustrations. 366 pp. € 125,00

The U.S. invasion of Cuba in 1898



- 85 **McINTOSH, Burr.** The little I saw of Cuba. London, New York, F. Tennyson Neely, (1899). Oblong 8vo. Original pictorial cloth. With numerous photographic illustrations taken by the author. 173 pp. € 75,00

Account of the U.S. invasion of Cuba in 1898 by Burr William McIntosh, representing

Leslie's Weekly. - Rare.

Wadi Hadramawt Yemen



- 86 **MEULEN, Daniël van der.** Onbekend Arabië. Over rotsen en djools naar de Wadi's van Hadhramaut. Ingeleid door Ernst Crone. Amsterdam, H. Meulenhoff, (1951). Original pictorial cloth, with dust-jacket (repaired). With folding map and 77 photographic illustrations. 291 pp. € 65,00

Daniël van der Meulen (1894 – 1989) was a Dutch diplomat, explorer and writer. He worked for the Dutch government in the late days of the Dutch East Indies. Later he was active as a consul in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Hadhramaut (Yemen). During

his education at the University of Leiden, he attended lectures with the well-known Arabist and Islamologist Christiaan Snouck Hurgronje.

'Heroes travel in the five continents'



87 **MICHIYOSHI, Koyanagi.** Japanese scroll, calligraphy: Yûhi gotaishû - Heroes travel in the five continents. (No pl.), between 1912-1926.

Kakemono with central text and one smaller text, with 3 red stamps, mounted with fabric edges. Ca.

193 x 71 cm.

€ 275,00

Decorative painting associated with Emperor Taishō. He reigned as the Emperor of the Empire of Japan from 30 July 1912 until his death on 25 December 1926. - (Some waterstains; several small tears).

Opening of harbours in the Dutch East Indies



88 **MIJER, P(ieter).** Over het openstellen van kusthavens voor den algemeenen handel in Nederlandsch-Indië. 's Gravenhage, Martinus Nijhoff, 1859.

Original printed wrappers. 72 pp.

€ 65,00

Opening of the harbours for the trade in the Dutch East Indies.

Cat. KITLV p.149.

From the Rocky Mountains to Arizona



89 **MÖLLHAUSEN, Balduin.** Reisen in die Felsengebirge Nord-Amerikas bis zum Hoch-Plateau von Neu-Mexico, unternommen als Mitglied der im Auftrage der Regierung der Vereinigten Staaten ausgesandten Colorado-Expedition. Eingeführt durch zwei Briefe Alexander von Humboldt's in facsimile. Leipzig, Otto Burfürst, 1860.

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half green

morocco, spine gilt. With folding map, 2 handcoloured plates depicting indigenous

people of Mexico and Colorado and 10 tinted woodengraved views. XVI,455;
IX,406 pp. € 1.250,00

First edition. - The book contains Möllhausen's third American expedition, this time at the invitation of Joseph Christmas Ives. The expedition of 1857 and 1858 ascended the Colorado River, descended into the Grand Canyon and crossed northern Arizona to Fort Defiance on the border with New Mexico. They returned east by an overland route, reaching Albuquerque and Santa Fe on 1858.

- (*Some foxing*)..

Wagner-Camp 362,2.; Sabin 49913; Howes M 712; Howgego IV, p.637.

The first steam vessel to cross the Antarctic Circle



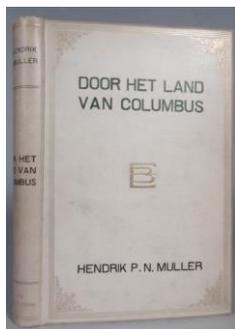
90 **MOSELEY, H(enry) N(ottidge).** Notes by a naturalist. An account of observations made during the voyage of H.M.S. '*Challenger*' round the world in the years 1872-1876, under the command of G.S. Nares and F.T. Thomson. New revised edition .. with a brief memoir of the author. London, John Murray, 1892. Original cloth (sl. soiled). With portrait, folding map, and many woodengravings.

XXIV,540 pp.

€ 375,00

First published in London in 1879. - The HMS *Challenger* was the first steam vessel to cross the Antarctic Circle (1874). Includes a general description of Tristan da Cunha, Marion Islands, Iles Crozet, Iles Kerguelen, Heard Island, Juan Fernandez, Magellan Strait and the Falkland Islands, Hawaii, Tahiti, Fiji & Cape York and Queensland, with numerous observations on natural history, especially birds.

Conrad p.69; Headland 1039; Spence 820; Ferguson 12883b; Forbes III, 3267; O'Reilly & Reitman 1302.



91 **MULLER, Hendrik P.N.** Door het land van Columbus. Een reisverhaal. Haarlem, Erven F. Bohn, 1903. 8vo. Original decorated cloth. With photographic plates and illustrations. X,504 pp. € 45,00

Trip through the United States, Mexico, Cuba, Costa Rica, Columbia, Venezuela, Trinidad, Curaçao and Suriname.

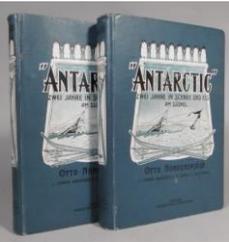
Visits to Suriname and the Dutch Antilles



92 **NOOTHOORN, Anthony Engelbertus van.** Reizen en lotgevallen van Gustaf Westerman, in de Nederlandsch West-Indische bezittingen. Gent, Snoeck-Ducaju, (1843). Sm.8vo. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt (1 hinge cracked but firmly holding). With lithographed frontispiece and lithographed plate. 150 pp. sold

Also issued the same year in Amsterdam by J.D. Sijbrandi. - Visits to Suriname and the Dutch Antilles, also dealing with slavery. - (Some waterstaining). - *Scarce Belgian edition.* *Not in Suriname-Cat. UB Amsterdam and not in the usual reference works for children's books.*

The Swedish South Polar Expedition



93 **NORDENSKJÖLD, Nils Otto Gustaf.** 'Antarctic'. Zwei Jahre in Schnee und Eis am Südpol. Nach dem schwedischen Original ins Deutsch übertragen von Mathilde Mann. Berlin, Dietrich Reimer, 1904. 2 volumes. Original pictorial cloth. With 4 coloured maps (2 folding) and ca. 350 photographic illustrations and plates. XXIII,373; VI,407,(3) pp. € 325,00

First German edition; first published in Stockholm the same year. - Account of the Swedish South Polar Expedition, with the ship Antarctic, 1901-1904. The scientific results of this expedition were greater than those of any preceding expedition. There were major advances in all areas of Antarctic knowledge. After wintering on Paulet Island in 1903, they were rescued by the Argentine naval vessel Uruguay. The expedition conducted a comprehensive scientific programme including work in the Falkland Islands and Tierra del Fuego. - A fine copy of an important 'heroic age' expedition in a magnificent pictorial cloth binding. *Spence 857; Headland 1303; Conrad pp.98-100.*

Caribbean islands

94 **NUTTING, C.C.** Barbados-Antigua Expedition. Narrative and preliminary report of a zoological expedition from the university of Iowa to the Lesser Antilles under auspices of the graduate college. Iowa City, University of Iowa, (1919). Original blue cloth. With 50 photographic plates. 274 pp. € 95,00



University of Iowa Studies in Natural History. - Account of a zoological expedition by the American invertebrate zoologist Charles Cleveland Nutting (1858-1927) to Puerto Rico, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Barbados, and other islands in the Caribbean.

Curaçao and the adjacent islands



95 **(PADDENBURG, G.G. van).** Beschrijving van het eiland Curaçao en onderhoorige eilanden. Uit onderscheidene stukken, bijdragen en opmerkingen opgemaakt, door een bewoner van dat eiland. Haarlem, erven Fr. Bohn, 1819.

Sm.8vo. Wrappers. (4),90 pp.

€ 125,00

Rare description of Curaçao and the adjacent islands. - (pp 81-90 dam. with loss of text).

Tiele 841; Cat. NHSM I, p.271; Sabin 58127.

An account of life on Aniwa



96 **PATON, Maggie Whitecross.** Letters and sketches from the New Hebrides. Edited by her brother-in-law Jas. Paton. second edition. London, Hodder and Stoughton, 1894.

Original green pictorial cloth gilt. With coloured map and 23 photographic plates and illustrations. XI,382,(2) pp. € 75,00

First published in London the same year. - Margaret Paton was the second wife of pioneer missionary John G. Paton, she went to the Pacific in 1865. They settled on the island of Aniwa. She

was a woman of great piety and strong character. She showed literary ability in her 'Letters and sketches' (*DNB*). Her account of life on Aniwa is by turns high-spirited and despairing - the latter particularly when one by one her children are sent for their own safety to live with relatives in Australia; it is less saccharine than many a missionary's tale and one of the most often reprinted of them all (*Robinson, Wayward women, p.168/169*).

Theakstone p.209.

Voyages in the Caribbean Islands



97 **PATON, William Agnew.** Down the islands. A voyage to the Caribbees. New York, Charles Scribner's sons, 1887. Original pictorial cloth. With many illustrations and plates after drawings by M.J. Burns. XIII,301 pp. + 10 pp. with advertisements. € 175,00

First edition. - During Paton's voyages in the Caribbean Islands, he visited a.o. Antigua, St. Kitts, St. Dominica, Martinique, Barbados, Trinidad, Grenada, St. Lucia, Montserrat, and Nevis. - *A fine copy.*

The Serranía del Perijá



98 **PERIJA.** La región de Perijá y sus habitantes. (Caracas), Universidad del Zulia, 1953. Original wrappers, with dust-jacket. With many plates (several in colours) and illustrations. 556 pp. € 65,00

Sociedad de Ciencias Naturales La Salle. - Dealing with ethnography, zoology, botany and antropology in the Serranía del Perijá, a mountain range, an extension of the eastern Andean branch (Cordillera Oriental), in northern South

America, between Colombia and Venezuela.

An exchange of slaves in Morocco



99 **PIDOU DE St. OLON, François.** Beschryving van het keyserryk van Marokko, behelsende de aart en eygenschap, mitsgaders de situatie van het voorschreve land. Item de zeeden, gewoonten, regeering, godsdienst en staatkunde van des zelve inwoonders. Vermeerdert met een reys-beschryving, door den kaipitein Roland Frejus, bevorens uyt last van den voornoemden koning van Vrankrijk, aan Mouley Archy, koning van Tasiles, broeder en voorzaat van den tegenwoordigen koning van Marokko, in Mauritanien gedaan. Uyt het Fransch vertaalt.. 's Gravenhage, Meyndert Uytwerf, 1698.

2 volumes in 1. Sm.8vo. Contemporary vellum (foot of spine sl. dam.). With engraved frontispiece portrait, engraved folding map and engraved folding plan, 2 engraved plates (1 folding, both sl. dam. in lower margin, sl. affecting the image), and 7 engraved costume plates. (22),350,(14) pp. € 1250,00



First Dutch edition; first published in Paris in 1694 *Etat present de l'empire de Maroc*. - François Pidou de Saint Olon (1640 - 1720), was sent by Louis XIV, to effect an exchange of slaves, and to conclude a treaty and alliance against the Barbary corsairs of Salé. He disembarked in the Bay of Tetuan and met the Sultan at Mekenes, but

he had to leave the country without effecting his object. He was even imprisoned for some time at Tetuan by the Kaid of that place. The author's position as ambassador, gave him access to areas of Moroccan society previously unrecorded by travelers. - (Some wormholes). - *Scarce*.

Gay 1264; Playfair & Brown 306); *not in Tiele*; *Boucher de la Richarderie IV, p.46 (French ed.)*; *Chadenat 5267 (French ed.)*.

The 1929 Pinchot South Sea Expedition



100 **PINCHOT, Gifford**. To the South Seas. The cruise of the schooner *Mary Pinchot* to the Galapagos, the Marquesas, and the Tuamotu Islands, and Tahiti. Chicago, John C. Winston Company, (1930).

Original pictorial cloth. With coloured frontispiece and ca. 250 photographic and woodengraved illustrations. XIII,500 pp.

€ 65,00

First edition; signed by the author. - The 1929 Pinchot South Sea Expedition of the National Museum at Washington. Très vivant récit populaire d'une croisière scientifique organisée, en 1929, par l'auteur avec plusieurs autres savants biologistes américains sous les auspices du National Museum de Washington à bord de la goélette *Mary Pinchot* (*O'Reilly & Reitman 1571*).

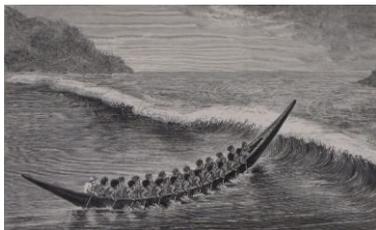
The Queen Charlotte Islands of British Columbia

101 **POOLE, Francis**. Queen Charlotte Islands. A narrative of discovery and adventure in the North Pacific. Edited by John W. Lyndon. London, Hurst & Blackett, 1872.

Contemporary half green calf, spine richly gilt. With engraved vignette on titlepage depicting Log-house, Burnaby Island, 2 maps and 3 woodengraved plates. XIV,347 pp.

€ 425,00

First edition. - One of the few books specifically devoted to the Queen Charlotte Islands of British Columbia, based on the diaries of the first resident Englishman,



and edited by John Wyse under the pseudonym of John W. Lyndon. Francis Poole, civil and mining engineer, was employed in 1862 by the Queen Charlotte Mining Company to prospect and develop copper mines at Skincuttle. *Sabin 64029.*

***One of the very few copies of deluxe issues
with coloured plates***



102 **PORTLOCK, Nathaniel & George DIXON.** A voyage round the world; but more particularly to the North-West coast of America: performed in 1785, 1786, 1787, and in 1788, in the *King George* and *Queen Charlotte*. London, John Stockdale & George Goulding, 1789.

4to. Contemporary tree-calf (top of spine sl. dam.; hinges restored). With engraved frontispiece portrait of Portlock, 5 handcoloured engravings depicting birds, 6 folding engraved charts and 8 engraved plates. XII,384,XL pp. € 9.250,00



First edition; copy on large and thick paper; with armorial bookplate of Samuel Beckwith. - Two ships, the King George and Queen Charlotte, under the commands of Portlock and Dixon were sent out by the King George's Sound Company in 1785 for the purpose of pursuing the fur trade in America and China. Both men had accompanied Captain Cook on his last voyage. After visiting the Falkland Islands, the two ships made a long stay at the Hawaiian Islands. Portlock and Dixon separated, with Portlock exploring northward up the Alaskan coast and Dixon

proceeding southward to Nootka Sound. Both captains published accounts of the voyage, but Portlock is of greater value for his particularly vivid descriptions of the Native Americans and Russians in the region. They sailed home by way of Macao and St. Helena in 1789. They surveyed the north-west coast of America, which was the most important result of the voyage. This is the principal account of the first commercial voyage to the Northwest Coast and the first English voyage to visit Hawaii after that of Captain James Cook. - Tear in one leaf; dampstain in lower corner of first leaves otherwise fine. - A classic narrative of the early exploration on the Northwest Coast of North America; one of the very few copies of deluxe issues with coloured plates.

Sabin 64389; Howes 494; Lada-Mocarski 42; Hill 1376; Forbes 177.

Tropical islands in the Lucayan Archipelago



103 **PUSEY, J. Henry.** The handbook of the Turks and Caicos Islands being a compendium of history, statistics and general information concerning the islands from their discovery to the present time. First year of publication. Jamaica, Mortimer C. DeSouza, 1897.

Original half cloth. With portrait, map and plate. III, 163,(4) pp.
€ 225,00

First edition. - Contains an extensive historical sketch and chronology. A second edition appeared in 1906 (*Ragatz p.21*).

The Turks and Caicos Islands are a British Overseas Territory consisting of the larger Caicos Islands and smaller Turks Islands, two groups of tropical islands in the Lucayan Archipelago of the Atlantic Ocean and northern West Indies. - *Scarce.*

The Second Thule Expedition (1916-1918) to Melville Bay and the north coast of Greenland



104 **RASMUSSEN, Knud.** In der Heimat des Polarmenschen. Die zweite Thule-Expedition 1916-18. Leipzig, F.A. Brockhaus, 1922.

Original pictorial cloth. With 10 maps and 76 photographic plates (some in colours) and illustrations. VIII, 366 pp.

€ 125,00

First German edition; first published in Kjobenhavn in 1917 *Den II. Thule-ekspedition til Melville-bugten, og Gronlands nordkyst.* - Knud Johan Victor Rasmussen (1879 - 1933), a Greenlandic-Danish polar explorer and anthropologist,

organized The Second Thule Expedition (1916-1918) to Melville Bay and the north coast of Greenland. This account illustrates his long ethnographic and personal fascination with the Inuit people, of whom he believed himself to be a part through his Greenlander father's ancestral lineage. He is admired, even idolized, as one of the greatest of Greenlanders, even by the pure Inuit. The purpose of this journey was to map Northern Greenland, assuring Danish sovereignty over the entire island, and to collect a wide range of scientific information (*Stam, Books on ice, p.112-113*).

Arctic Bibl. 14182

The wreck of the schooner Grafton on the Auckland Islands



105 **RAYNAL, F. (Edouard)**. Les naufragés ou vingt mois sur un récif des îles Auckland. 3me édition. Paris, Hachette, 1873. 8vo. Contemporary half green morocco, spine gilt, a.e.g. With double-page map and 40 plates. X,374 pp. € 225,00

First published in 1870. - Raynal's account, based on his own diary, of the wreck of the schooner *Grafton*, commanded by Captain Thomas Musgrave on the Auckland Islands. - *A true story of shipwreck, adventure, and suffering.*
Hill 1425; NZNB R 87; Hocken p.330; Spence 959; Ferguson 14751.



106 **RHINE**. Der Rhein von Düsseldorf bis Mainz in 20 der interessantesten Städte und Burgen ausgeführt in feinsten künstlerischen Photochromien. Düsseldorf, Friedr. Wolfrum, (ca. 1900). Leporello with original printed wrappers. 20 fine chromolithographed views. € 45,00

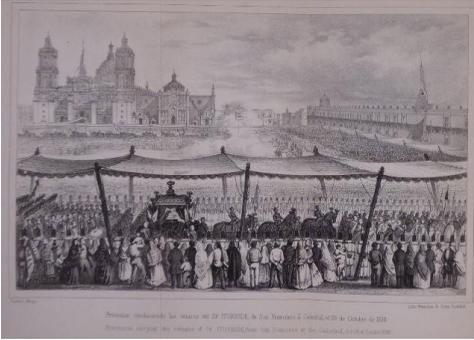
'Die Ansichten dieses Albums können auch einzeln als Postkarten verwendet werden'.

Norderney, an East Frisian Island off the North Sea coast of Germany



107 **RIEFKOHL, Ferdinand**. Die Insel Norderneij. Eine kurze Darstellung ihrer Geschichte und Geographie, ihrer Pflanzenwelt und Thierwelt und ihrer Seebadeanstalt. Hannover, Schmorl & von Seefeld, 1861. Original pictorial boards (spine rep.). With plan and map, 6 coloured lithographed plates and 49 woodengravings. IV,112 pp. € 325,00

*A journeyed with his daughter from Southampton to
Bermuda and then to the Yucatan Peninsular*

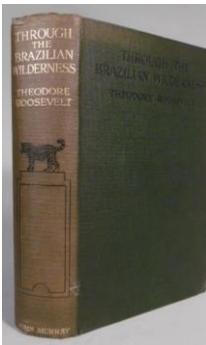


108 **ROBERTSON, Parish.** A visit to Mexico, by the West India islands, Yucatan and United States, with observations and adventures on the way. London, Published for the author, 1853.

2 volumes. Original embossed cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With folding lithographed frontispiece and folding map. XX,II,331; (6),478 pp. € 475,00

First edition; subscriber's copy with list of subscribers. -- William Parish Robertson went to Mexico, with his daughter, in 1848 as a special commissioner to negotiate a settlement for Mexican securities held by British investors. On his return in a party of prominent Mexicans in October 1849, he traveled through the United States via Mobile, New Orleans, Cincinnati, Springfield, Niagara Falls, Washington and New York. He was pleased with what he had observed, except for slavery. Robertson was a discriminating observer (*Clark III, 398*).
Sabin 72016; Palau 271033.

*The American president's account of the Roosevelt-
Rondon Scientific Expedition in the Brazilian hinterland*



109 **ROOSEVELT, Theodore.** Through the Brazilian wilderness. London, John Murray, 1914.

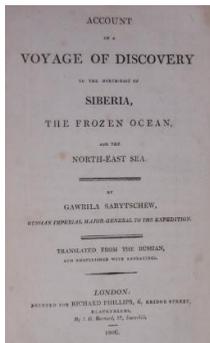
Original green cloth, spine lettered in gilt, uncut. With 2 maps and many photographic plates by Kermit Roosevelt and other members of the expedition. XIV,374 pp. € 95,00

First U.K. edition. - The American president's account of the Roosevelt-Rondon Scientific Expedition in the Brazilian hinterland. The expedition was initially intended primarily to collect mammals and birds for the American Museum of Natural History, but subsequently the scope of the expedition was enlarged to try to establish the course of the Rio da

Dúvida. Roosevelt's account includes descriptions of the fauna and flora, the terrain, tribes encountered, big-game hunting and the hardships of the expedition.

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'One of the fundamental and early books on the Aleutian Islands'



110 **SARYCHEV, Gavriill Andreevich.** Account of a voyage of discovery to the north-east of Siberia, the frozen ocean, and the north-east sea. Translated from the Russian. London, Richard Phillips, 1806 - 1807.

2 volumes in 1. Later half calf. With 2 hand-coloured engraved costume plates and 3 folding engraved views. 70; 80 pp.
€ 2.250,00

First English edition; an abridged translation of the first Russian edition of 1802. - Sarychev, a surveyer, served as deputy of Captain Joseph Billings, the English leader of this Russian expedition to explore the Arctic and North Pacific Oceans. Catherine II sent out this official expedition, which lasted from 1785 to 1793, and during which Alaska and the Aleutians, especially Unalaska, were first carefully charted (*Hill 1527*). One of the fundamental and early books on the Aleutian Islands (*Lada-Mocarski 57*). - Sarytshev's journal gives an account of the first major exploring expedition sent out by the Russians to the Frozen Sea and the North Pacific after Bering's second expedition of 1741. (*Age-browned*). *Sabin 77126; not in Arctic Bibliography.*

German East Africa



111 **SCHILLINGS, C(arl) G(eorg).** Mit Blitzlicht und Büchse im Zauber des Elelétscho. 11. Auflage. Leipzig, R. Voigtländer, (ca. 1922). Pictorial cloth (sl. soiled). With 83 photographic illustrations. 386 pp.
€ 45,00

Schillings (1865-1921), a German, was an astute observer and photographer of African wildlife besides being an able big game hunter (*Czech p.247*).



112 **SCHILTHUIZEN, Menno & Freek VONK.** Wie wat bewaart. Twee eeuwen Nederlandse natuurhistorie. Leiden, Naturalis, 2020. 4to. Half cloth. With numerous coloured illustrations. 352 pp.
€ 25,00

History of museum Naturalis The National Natural History Museum in Leiden.

Argentina & Paraguay



113 **SCHMIDT, Hans.** Op zoek naar't geluk in Argentinië en Paraguay. Geautoriseerde vertaling van C. van der Tonge-Koster. Laren, A.G. Schoonderbeek, (1921).

8vo. Modern cloth, original decorated frontwrapper mounted. With photographic plates. 194 pp. € 65,00

First published in Leipzig in 1921 *Meine Jagd nach dem Glueck in Argentinien und Paraguay : Reise-, Arbeits- und Jagdabenteuer.*

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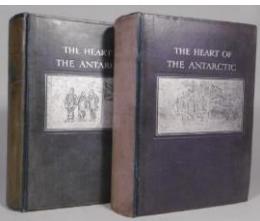
114 **SCHWABE, Kurd. (Hrsg.).** Die Deutschen Kolonien. Nationalausgabe. Berlin, Carl Weller, (1910).

2 volumes. Folio. Original half calf, with decorated boards (sl. loose; hinges sl. dam.). With numerous coloured plates, maps and illustrations. X,160; 164 pp. € 275,00

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115 **SHACKLETON, Ernest Henry.** The heart of the Antarctic being the story of the British Antarctic expedition 1907-1909. With an introduction by H.R. Mill, an account of the first journey to the South magnetic Pole by T.W. Edgeworth David. London, William Heinemann, 1909.

2 volumes. Original blue cloth, front boards lettered and illustrated in silver, rebacked with the original spines laid down (spines discoloured), top edges gilt. With 2 folding panoramas on large folding sheet and 3 folding maps in pocket, 12 coloured plates and numerous photographic plates and illustrations. XLVIII,371; XV,419 pp. € 750,00

First edition. - The official account of Shackleton's first Antarctic expedition. Shackleton (1874-1922) organized the British Imperial Antarctic Expedition of 1907-09 to conquer the South Pole with the small whaler *Nimrod*. First of all he attempted to anchor in Whale Bay and go ashore, but he was prevented by the

insurmountable masses of ice. His attempt to call at King Edward II Land was also thwarted. Eventually he managed to establish a camp on Ross Island. There one group climbed Mount Erebus and another proceeded in the direction of the South Magnetic Pole, which it reached on 16 January, 1909. In the meantime, Shackleton and his companions fought their way through a blizzard that brought them frustratingly to a halt just 180 kilometres from the pole.

Howgego III, S19; Spence 1097; Conrad p.137-140; Headland 1383.

Jan Mauricius, governor of Suriname



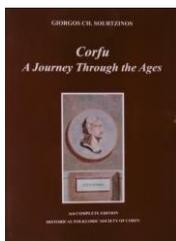
116 **SIJPESTEIJN, C(ornelis) A(scenius) van.** Mr. Jan Mauricius, gouverneur-generaal van Suriname, van 1742 tot 1751. 's Gravenhage, Gebroeders van Cleef, 1858.

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First edition. - In 1742 Mauricius was appointed governor of Suriname. It has been said that the Enlightenment entered the colony with Mauricius. His nine-year administration was therefore

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Corfu



117 **SOURTZINOS, Giorgos Ch.** Corfu. A journey through the ages. History - monuments - museums - historical and archaeological places - engravings. 3rd edition. Corfu, Historical Folkloric Society of Corfu, 2008. Folio. Original boards, with dust-jacket. With numerous coloured illustrations. 177 pp.

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118 **SOUTH AMERICA.** Neue charte von Süd America aus den besten Quellen. (No pl., ca. 1780). Engraved map of South America. Ca. 33 x 23 cm. - (Some faint marginal stains).

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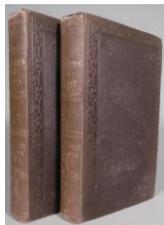


119 **SPRATT, T.A.B. & Edward FORBES.** Travels in Lycia, Milyas, and the Cibyratis, in company with E.T. Daniell. London, John van Voorst, 1847.

2 volumes. Original embossed cloth (extremities of spines sl. dam. and discoloured). With 9 lithographed plates, 19 plans (incl. large folding coloured map of Lycia) and 21

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Blackmer Collection p.335; Atabey Collection 1173; Weber 404.

Haiti



120 **St. JOHN, Spenser.** Hayti or the Black Republic. London, Smith, Elder & Co., 1884.

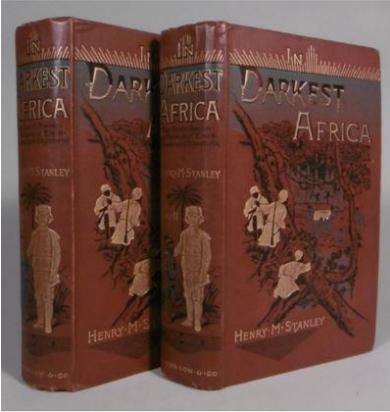
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Cundall 507; Afro-Americana 9066.

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121 **STANLEY, Henry Morton.** In darkest Africa or the quest, rescue, and retreat of Emin, governor of Equatoria. 5th edition. London, Sampson Low, Marston, Searle and Rivington, 1891.

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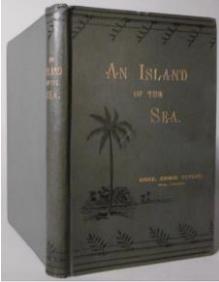
122 **TALLENAY, Jenny de.** Souvenirs du Venezuela. Notes de voyage. Paris, Plon, 1884.

Sm.8vo. Contemporary half cloth. With 13 plates by Saint-Elme Gautier. 324,(1) pp. € 95,00

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123 **TAYLOR, Chas. Edwin.** An island of the sea. Descriptive of the past and present of St. Thomas, Danish West Indies. With a few short stories about Bluebeard's and Blackbeard's castles. Second edition. St. Thomas, Published by the author at Taylor's Book-store, 1896. Original pictorial green cloth. With many photographic plates. 120; 19 pp. + 16 pp. with advertisements. € 450,00

First published in 1895; with autograph dedication by the author - At the end: A few words about St. Croix. (The garden of the West Indies). 19 pp.

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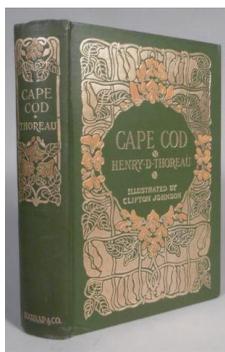
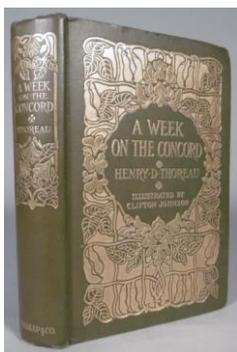


124 **THOMSON, C. Wyville.** The voyage of the 'Challenger'. The Atlantic. A preliminary account of the general results of the exploring voyage of H.M.S. 'Challenger' during the years 1873 and the early part of the year 1876. London, Macmilland and Co., 1877. 2 volumes. Contemporary straighted grained green morocco, gilt fillets round sides, with gilt vignette depicting an armed leg couped at the thigh, top edges gilt. With engraved portrait, 42 folding maps and tables and 176 wood-engravings. XXIX,424; XIV,396 pp. € 550,00

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Borba de Moraes II, p.861; SAB IV, p.498; Spence 1197.

125 **THOREAU, Henry D.** A week on the Concord and Merrimack rivers. London, George G. Harrap & Company, (ca. 1930). Original decorated green cloth, top edge gilt. With photographic plates by Clifton Johnson. XXII,492 pp. € 45,00
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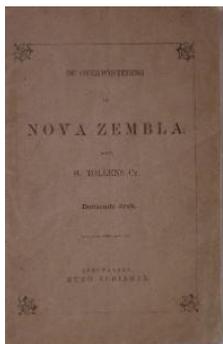
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127 **TOLLENS, (Hendrik).** De overwintering der Hollanders op Nova Zembla, in de jaren 1596 en 1597. Uitgegeven door de Hollandsche Maatschappij van Fraaije Kunsten en Wetenschappen. 13e druk. Leeuwarden, G.T.N. Suringar, (ca. 1880).

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128 **TRINIDAD & TOBAGO.**
 Handbook of Trinidad and Tobago.
 Published by the Government of Trinidad
 and Tobago for the use of those who wish
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 Trinidad, Government Printer, 1934.
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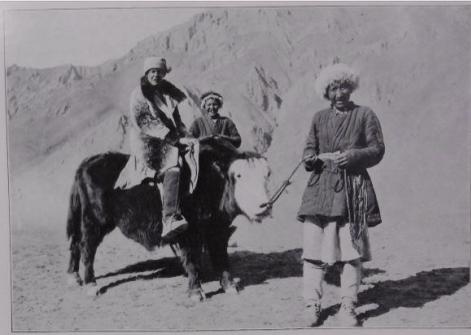
129 **TRISTAM, H.R.** The land of
 Israel; a journal of travels in Palestine,
 undertaken with special reference to its
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130 **VISSER, Philips Christiaan.** Door de bergwoestijnen van Azië. Karakorum-, Aghil- en Kuen Lun-gebergte. Rotterdam, Nijgh & van Ditmar, 1931.
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Yakushi p.414; *Neate V19*; *Robinson, Wayward women*, p.151.



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131 **VISSER, Philips Christiaan.** Langs de noordelijke flanken van den Karakorum. Rotterdam, Nijgh & van Ditmar, 1936.
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Yakushi p.415; *Neate V19*; *Robinson, Wayward women*, p.151;



132 **VISSER, Philips Christiaan.** Naar Himalaya en Karakorum. Rotterdam, Nijgh & Van Ditmar, 1923.
8vo. Original pictorial green cloth, gilt lettering. With 2 maps and photographic plates. 154 pp.
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First edition. - Account of the Visser's first Karakoram expedition of 1922. He explored the Saser Pass from the Nubra Valley and six glaciers, and reconnoitered Saser Kangri from the west side.

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133 **VISSER, Philips Christiaan.** Naar onbekend Midden-Azië tussen Karakorum en Hindu-Kush. Rotterdam, Nijgh & Van Ditmar, 1926.
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First edition. - Narrative of the second Dutch expedition to the Karakoram in 1925; Srinagar, Dorikum La, Gilgit, Hunza, and exploration in the Hispar, Batura, and Shimshal glaciers.

Neate V19; Robinson, Wayward women, p.151; Yakushi V47.

From Texas to Florida



134 **VRIES, Hugo de.** Van Texas naar Florida. Reisherinneringen. Haarlem, H.D. Tjeenk Willink & Zoon, 1913.

Original half cloth. With numerous photographic illustrations. VIII,397 pp.

€ 35,00

First edition. - From Texas to Florida. Travel memories.

Walker's regime was recognized as the legitimate government of Nicaragua on May 20, 1856



135 **WALKER, William.** The war in Nicaragua. Mobile, S.H. Goetzl & Co., 1860.

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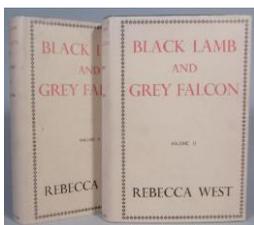


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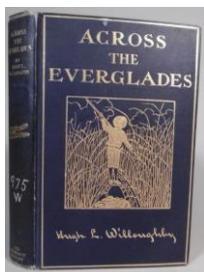
137 **WEST, Rebecca.** *Black lamb and grey falcon.* The record of a journey through Yugoslavia in 1937. London, Macmillan & Co., 1943.

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