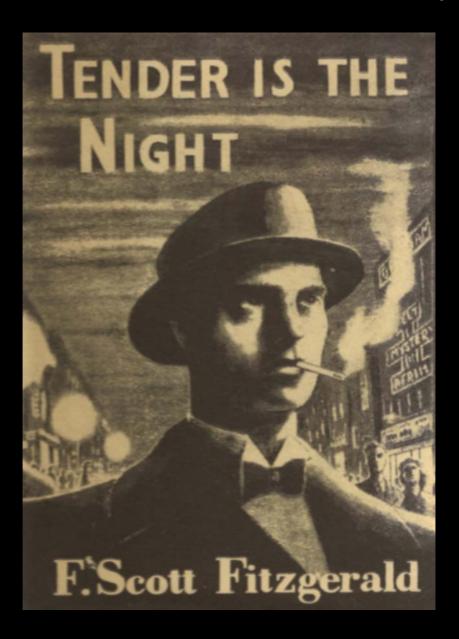
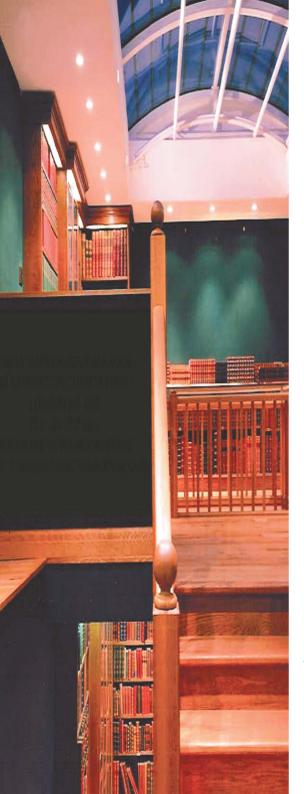
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17 BRAMAH. Ernest. The Eyes of Max Carrados. London. Grant Richards. 1923 [38374]

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18 BROCK, Charles E. [DICKENS, Charles]. Original Watercolour to Illustrate Charles Dickens's Nicholas Nickleby. Signed by Charles Brock. *c.1930.* [32970]

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London; John Murray. 1829 [38481]

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36 CHURCHILL, Winston Spencer. London to Ladysmith via Pretoria. London: Longmans, Green, and Co., 1900. [38182]

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Richard M Langworth; Guide to the Books of Winston S Churchill (London 1998) p118-120. £350 See also Woods, and Cohen.

38 CHURCHILL, Winston S[pencer], [Sir] (1874-1965). The Second World War.

London, Cassell and Co. Ltd, 1948-54. [38331]

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39 CHURCHILL, Winston S[pencer], [Sir] (1874-1965). The Story of the Malakand Field Force. An Episode of Frontier War. London. Longmans, Green and Co., 1898 [38328]

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40 CHURCHILL, W.S. The Great War. In 26 Original Parts. London, George Newnes, 1933. [38458]

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44 COOK, James. [Kippis, A.] A Narrative of The Voyages Round The World.

London; Thomas Tegg and others. 1826, 1820. [38480]

Later edition. 2 volumes. 12mo. Bound in full green calf with burgundy title labels, gilt decorations and ruling to spine and boards. Institutional gilt block to front board volume I (The Irish Institute, Luxembourg as far as I can tell). Light scuffing and bumping to extremities and a few drippings of candle wax here and there but a very, very pretty little set in an old calf binding. All edges marbled, marbled endpapers, interanlly clean, rather florid ownership to front flyleaf in a contemporary ink hand (again referencing Dublin and Luxembourg). Pictorial title pages to both volumes, trifling spotting. A remarkably handsome little set. **£250**

45 CROWLEY, Aleister. 777. Vel Prolegomena Symbolica Ad Systemam Sceptico-Mysticae Viae Explicandae, Fundamentum Hieroglyphicum Sanctissimorum Scientiae Summae.

London: The Walter Scott Publishing Co., Ltd., 1909. [38308] FIRST EDITION. Limited to 500 copies. Slim octavo (220 x 140mm). pp. x, errata, 54. Publisher's scarlet buckram over bevelled boards, 777 in gilt to upper, white endpapers, edges untrimmed. Sunning to spine, edges a litte rubbed. Front hinge splitting after free endpaper, though book remains tight. The perforated Equinox subscription form at rear is intact and loosely inserted is the errata slip with the Tree of Life diagram on the reverse. This shows signs of being stuck down at some point, with abrasions around the margins of the errata side. Crowley's extensive tables of magical correspondences, based on Allan Bennett's notes from material gathered by Macgregor Mathers, and assisted by George Cecil Jones. A very good copy. Yorke [57]

46 CROWLEY, Aleister. 777 Revised. Vel Prolegomena Symbolica Ad Systemam Sceptico-Mysticae Viae Explicandae, Fundamentum Hieroglyphicum Sanctissimorum Scientiae Summae. A Reprint of 777 With Much Additional Matter by the late Aleister Crowley. [Seven] London: The Neptune Press, 1955. [38263]

SECOND AND ENLARGED EDITION. octavo (250 x 155mm) pp. xxvii, 155. Vellum spine with blue buckram boards, titled in gilt. Top edge gilt with plain endpapers. Light rubbing to extremeties, pages clean and without writing or underling. Bookplate of Gabriel Montenegro Vargas (Frater Zopiron, member of Agape Lodge). Gerald Yorke's and Karl Germer's expansion of Crowley's 1909 original; greatly increasing the contents of tables and correspondences and adding some Crowley essays. 1100 copies only.

47 CROWLEY, Aleister. Alice: An Adultery.

Boleskine, Foyers, Inverness: Society for the Propagation of Religious Truth., 1905. [38304]

SECOND EDITION. Small octavo pp. xii, 85. Publisher's cream card wraps with original 'Japon' parchment style jacket, printed in red, untrimmed edges. Splitting to the spine joints of jacket, though it remains in one piece; internally clean. As well as having the title 'Alice' printed in red to upper, there is also the word 'Review' in red to the top left. First published in an edition of 100 copies in 1903, this edition is slightly abridged. A very good copy. **£475**

Yorke [14. (b)]

48 CROWLEY, Aleister. The Book of the Law. Technically Called Liber Al vel Legis Sub Figura CCXX as Delivered by XCIII = 418 to DCLXVI. *London: Privately issued by the O.T.O.*, 1938. [38317]

FIRST EDITION. Small octavo pp. 50 [6 ads.] Original pale cream wraps, two staples and title in black to upper. A little soiling to covers, abrasion to half-title resulting in one very small hole near fore-edge. Pencil name to half-title and contemporary ink notes mainly to margins with some underlining. This was also published in a red buckram cloth binding and, a little later in the USA, in blue wraps. Surprisingly the first seperate, generally available edition of the Book of the Law, considering it was 'received' 34 years previously in 1904.

d'Arch Smith: Books of the Beast [BL8]; Yorke [61(c)]

49 CROWLEY, Aleister. The Collected Works of Aleister Crowley. Foyers: Society for the Propagation of Religious Truth, 1905-1907. [38267]

FIRST EDITIONS. Octavo. Three volumes pp. ix, 269; vii, [1 Publisher's Note], 282, [1 Epilogue]; vii, 248. Publisher's black 'camel-hair' wraps, titles in white to upper. Printed on india paper. Spines a little chipped at head and foot, though the covers are in much better condition than usually seen. Creasing to the upper corner of pages to volume II and to the lower corner of pages to volume III, a result of the thin paper and delicate binding, but the set shows well. **£375**

Yorke [23]

50 CROWLEY, Aleister. The Fun of the Fair. (Nijni Novgorod, 1913 e.v.) Barstow and London: O. T. O., 1942. [38255]

FIRST EDITION. Limited to 200 numbered copies this being number 104. Octavo pp. 23. Original sewn, pale green paper wraps, printed in red to upper. Photographic portrait of Crowley as frontispiece. Touch of fading to edges but essentially a fine copy. Only early copies in the limitation have the 'Political Vote' mimeographed pages inserted at the end, containing the poem 'Landed Gentry' - here provided in photocopy along with a photocopy of the errata slip sometimes found bound at the front. As is often the case, this copy is not signed. £300

Yorke [43]

51 CROWLEY, Aleister. Household Gods. A Comedy.

Pallanza (i.e. London): Privately Printed., 1912. [38300]

FIRST EDITION. Small slim octavo pp. 44. Publisher's white buckram, titled in gilt to spine and upper board. Top edge trimmed, others left with palin endpapers. Expected soiling to the white boards, with some faint red splashing, but internally clean. A very good copy of this uncommon work; a play dedicated to Leila Waddell and written whilst in Italy. **£475** Yorke [36]

52 CROWLEY, Aleister. Magick in Theory and Practice. [Book Four, Part Three] By the Master Therion (being part III of Book 4). *Paris: Printed at the Lecram Press, 1929. [38253]*

FIRST EDITION, FIRST ISSUE. Four volumes, large octavos (280 x 190mm) pp. xxxi, 436 (continous pagination). Original orange paper wraps, printed in black to upper. Colour plate to first volume and further tables and diagrams to volume four. Some fading to spines, with chipping to the head and foot, particularly of volume I. Pages clean and unmarked. Uncut pages 164/165 carelessley opened, resulting in loss to fore-edge, not touching text. A very good example of Crowley's magnum opus, much better than usually seen. **£1250** d'Arch Smith: Books of the Beast [p.15];Yorke [62 C(a)]

53 CROWLEY, Aleister. Temperance. A Tract for the Times. London: Privately issued by the O.T.O., 1939. [38256]

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London: Printed for W. Locke, 1792. [38145]

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55 DAHL, Roald. The Roald Dahl Collection. Charlie and The Chocolate Factory, The Magic Finger, Fantastic Mr. Fox, Charlie and The Great Glass Elevator, James and The Giant Peach, Danny Champion of The World.

London; Puffin Paperbacks. 1977. [38335]

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56 DANTE ALIGHIERI [DORE, G.] [CARY, H.F.]. The Vision of Hell. Together with: The Vision of Purgatory and Paradise. Translated by the Rev. Henry Francis Cary. Illustrated with the Designs of Gustave Dore. With Critical and Explanatory Notes, Life of Dante, and Chronology. London: Cassell, Petter and Galpin. n.d. (c.1870). [38373]

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57 DARWIN, Charles (edited by his granddaughter Lady Nora Barlow). Charles Darwin and the voyage of the Beagle. Unpublished Letters and Notebooks. London: Pilot Press. 1945 [38283] FIRST EDITION. Publisher's hardback cloth binding in pictorial dustjacket. With a frontispiece illustration of the author. An attractive copy with a couple of tiny nicks and short tears to jacket, neat ink inscription to flyleaf, priceclipped. Very good indeed. Contains much unpublished material. Now uncommon in wrapper. £150

58 DAVID, Elizabeth. French Country Cooking. London: John Lehmann. 1951 [38289]

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60 DEIGHTON, Len. Funeral in Berlin Secret File No.3 London: Jonathan Cape. 1964. [38352]

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61 DEIGHTON, Len. Yesterday's Spy.

London: Jonathan Cape 1975. [38303]

Spy thriller, set in the dangerous world of Arab gun-running. UNCORRECTED PROOF COPY of the FIRST EDITION, inscribed and SIGNED by the author to reviewer Mike Curtis. Bound in salmon-coloured printed wraps, with oversize proof-only dust-wrapper, which curiously lists the provisional publication date as June 12th 1973. The actual release date was January 1975 (this date being printed on the binding). A fine copy. Milward-Oliver; Len Deighton Annotated Bibliography p.39. **£475**

62 DICKBERRY, F. [Fernande Blaze de Bury] The Storm of London. Boston; Herbert B. Turner. 1905 [38465]

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63 DICKENS, Charles. Bleak House.

London; Chapman and Hall. c. 1870 [38418]

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65 DICKENS, Charles. Nicholas Nickleby. London, Chapman and Hall. 1839 [37430]

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66 DICKENS, Charles. Sketches by Boz.

London. 1836 [35688]

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67 DICKENS, Charles (1812-1870). The Battle of Life. A Love Story. *Bradbury and Evans, London, 1846, [38333]*

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68 DICKENS, Charles (1812-1870). Bleak House. London, Bradbury and Evans, 1853. [38507]

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70 DICKENS, Charles (1812-1870). The Posthumous Papers of the Pickwick Club.

London: Chapman and Hall, 1837. [27475]

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71 DICKENS, Charles (1812-1870) (BROWNE). Bleak House. London, Bradbury and Evans. 1853 [38151]

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72 DICKENS, Charles. [BROWNE, H.K.] A Tale of Two Cities. With Illustrations by H. K. Browne.

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Eckel, p. 86; Kitton.

- 73 DICKENS, Charles (BROWNE, H.K., CRUIKSHANK, etc.) The Works of Charles Dickens. Including: The Pickwick Papers, Oliver Twist, Nicholas Nickleby, Old Curiosity Shop, A Christmas Carol, David Copperfield, A Tale of Two Cities, Great Expectations, etc. New York: Bigelow, Brown and Co., Inc., n.d. [c.1920]. [37996]
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Bleiler; Checklist of Fantastic Literature [662]. Graham Greene & Dorothy Glover; Victorian Detective Fiction (1966). Grolier Club Exhibition Catalogue [p136-139]. Collins; Dickens and Crime (1962).

75 DICKENS, Charles [GARNETT, Richard] [CRUIKSHANK; SEYMOUR; STONE; CATTERMOLE; BROWNE; STONE; 'KYD', etc.]. The Works of Charles Dickens. With more than One Thousand Illustrations including all the usual and very many unusual plates. Edited by Richard Garnett. With Introduction by the Editor. London: Merrill and Baker, 1900. [33268]

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76 DICKENS, Charles (GAUGENGIGL, I.M., and CHOMINSKI, T.V.). A Christmas Carol. In prose. Being A Ghost Story of Christmas. Illustrated by I.M. Gaugengigl and T.V. Chominski. *Boston: Samuel Cassino, 1887. [38179]*

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- 80 **DONLEAVY, J. P. The Ginger Man.** With an Introduction by Arland Ussher. Neville Spearman, London, 1956. [38510] FIRST EDITION (UK). 8vo., pps. (xi) + 292. Publisher's hardback cloth in a pictorial dust-wrapper. Signs of minor handling to rear (white) panel else a clean, fine copy. £275
- 81 DOYLE, Arthur Conan. The Field Bazaar. From 'The Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes'. The Athenaeum Press [1934] [38213] Single sheet, printed both sides, 255 x 165mm. Folded once else fine. A rare Sherlock Holmes pastiche. FIRST SEPARATE PRINTING. This copy formerly owned by the noted Sherlockian Dr. Harold Dearden, with his signature above the title.

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82 DOYLE, Sir Arthur Conan. The Case for Spirit Photography. New York; George H. Doran. 1923 [38464]

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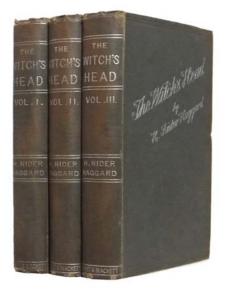
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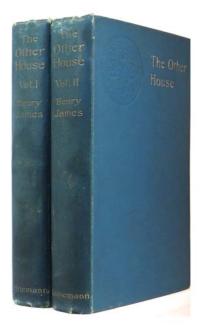
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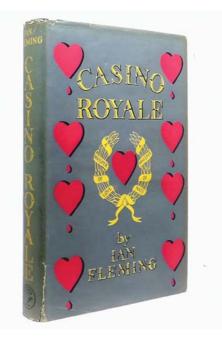


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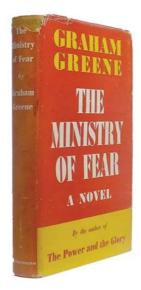
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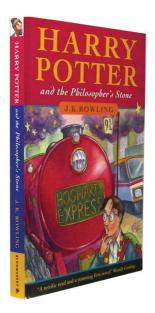
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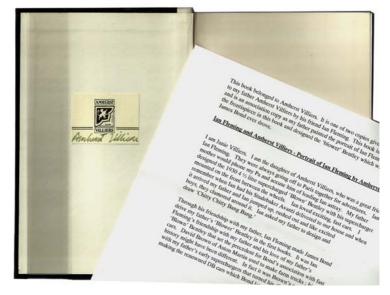
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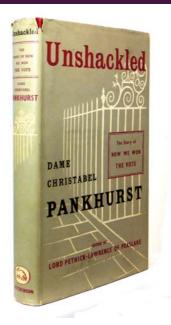


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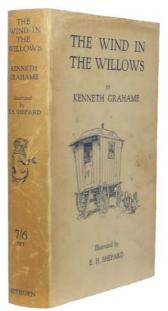


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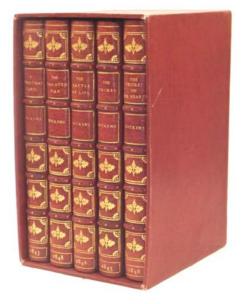
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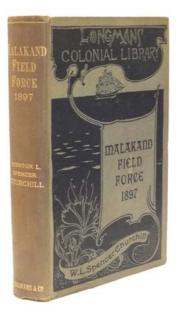
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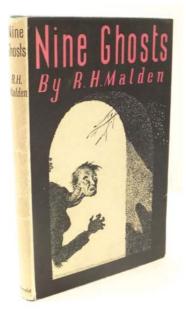


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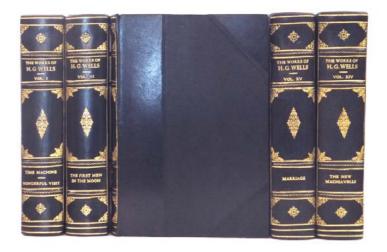


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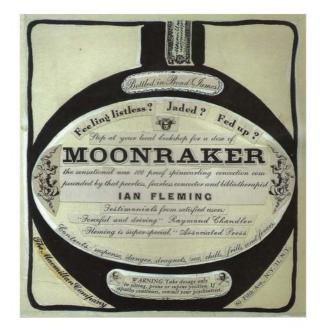
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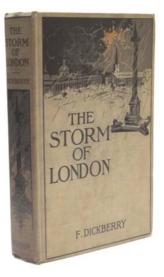
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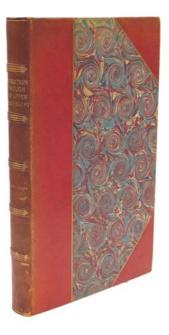
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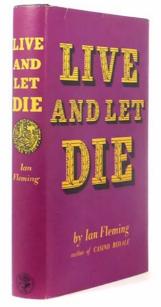
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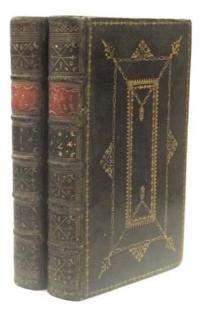
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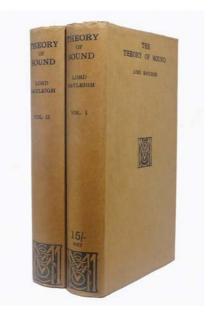
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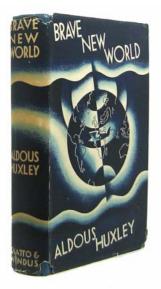
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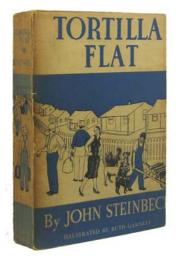
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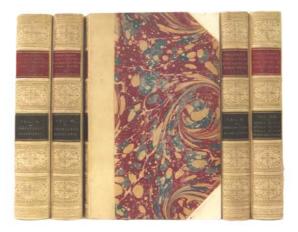
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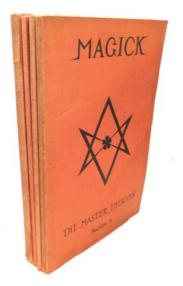
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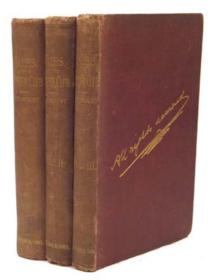
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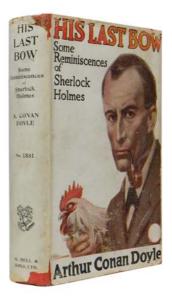


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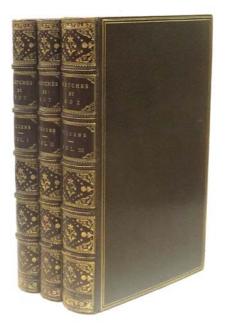


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109 GORHAM, A. Indian Masons' Marks of the Moghul Dynasty. London Published for the Societas Rosicruciana in Anglia by John M. Watkins., n.d. (1911) [38265]

FIRST EDITION. Slim quarto pp. 62, [1 ads.] Publisher's red cloth, titles in gilt and black to upper with single blind-stamped rule border. Plain endpapers and all edges trimmed. Illustrated throughout with black and white photographs and examples of Masons' Marks. Faded to spine, some browning to first and last few leaves, bookplate of Joel L. Malter to front free endpaper, otherwise a very good clean example. **£95**

110 GOULD, Robert Freke. The History Of Freemasonry. Its Antiquities, Symbols, Constitutions, Customs, Etc. Embracing an Investigation of the Records of the Organisations of the Fraternity in England, Scotland, Ireland, British Colonies, France, Germany, and The United States. Derived from official sources.

London: Thomas C. Jack, 1887. [38241]

3 Volumes; 4to. Publisher's dark red full morocco with gilt titles and extra gilt to spines, titles in gilt to boards with masonic necklace and symbols within a decorative gilt border, masonic corner pieces; all edges gilt, marbled end papers. Illustrated with engraved portraits, charts and coat of arms. Binding rubbed, spines a little darkened but gilt bright. Light foxing to first and last 2 or 3 pages and to page edges. A good looking, excellent set. **£575**

111 GRAHAME, Kenneth. [SHEPARD, Ernest H.] The Wind in the Willows. London, Methuen 1931. [38294]

FIRST ERNEST SHEPARD ILLUSTRATED EDITION. 8vo. Publisher's gilt decorated green cloth, pictorial 'map' endpapers, advertisement catalogue to rear. In original pictorial dust-wrapper. An attractive copy, with some browning and spots to both book and jacket. The wrapper is toned to the spine and extremities, and features some adept paper repair to rear panel and spine ends. Kenneth Grahame (1859-1932), banker, essayist and successful author of 'The Golden Age' (1895) and 'Dream Days' (1898), had effectively given up writing by the turn of the twentieth century, much to the disappointment of his publisher. He did, however, continue to make up stories for the amusement of his only son, the partially-sighted Alistair, known as 'mouse'. The first such story was requested by the child, who asked for a bedtime story about 'a rat, a mole and a giraffe.' Grahame was supposed to be downstairs, attending to his dinner guests, but instead told a story about animals having a picnic by the river. The maid overheard the story and later told Elspeth (Mrs. Grahame) about it. The stories continued and a 'Toad' character developed. When Mouse went away in 1907 the tales continued in correspondance. The

maid, showing considerable foresight, preserved all the letters, which chronicle Mr Toad's adventures in almost the same words they would later be published in, under the title 'The Wind in the Willows'. The letters make up the second half of the book, in which Toad steals a motorcar and lands himself in prison, only to be saved by the kindly gaoler's daughter.

Listed in The Observer; All-Time 100 Best Novels [2003], also Modern Library; Top 100 Novels [1998], BBC Big Read (200 Best Novels) [2003]. Book Collector No.271, 'The Great Illustrators'.

112 GREENE, Graham. The Collected Edition of the Works of Graham Greene, comprising; Brighton Rock, It's A Battlefield, England Made Me, Our Man In Havana, The Power & The Glory, The Heart of The Matter, The Confidential Agent, A Gun for Sale, The Ministry of Fear, The Quiet American, Stamboul Train, The End of The Affair, A Burnt-Out Case, The Man Within, The Third Man & Loser Takes All, The Comedians, **Collected Stories, Journey Without Maps, The Lawless Roads, Travels** With My Aunt, The Honorary Consul and The Human Factor. London: Heinemann & The Bodley Head, 1970-82. [37985] Complete as published in 22 volumes, 8vo. Publishers' bright green cloth with titles in gilt to spines, top edges tinted; in their original dust jacket. A superb set, apparently unread, tight and clean, in crisp dust jackets, fine but for a hint of sunning to spines. All volumes are first printings of the first collected edition and include a new Introduction by Graham Greene. An uncommon set in exceptional condition. £3250 Wobbe p185-194.

113 GREENE, Graham. The Lawless Roads. A Mexican Journey. London, Longmans. 1939 [37101]

First edition, Second issue (as always). 8vo. Publisher's red cloth titled in black to spine, lightly sunned to extremities, with light bumping to spine ends. Very good indeed. In a very good example of the dustwrapper, minor soiling to spine panel, light wear to extremities and a couple of areas of shallow shipping to spine ends, a bright, clean and strong example of a wrapper normally seen in very poor condition. **£975**

114 GREENE, Graham. The Ministry of Fear. An Entertainment. William Heinemann Ltd., London, 1943, [38158]

Espionage novel. FIRST EDITION. 8vo., pp. 236. Publisher's golden vellow cloth (also issued in lemon yellow), in the scarce original printed dustwrapper. Conforming with wartime economy, the wrapper has been printed twice, the verso showing the fine pictoral design for Tamara Karsavina's Theatre Street. Jacket panels are generally clean, spine is a shade sunned with an area of loss to head (not affecting text) and a loss to the lower edge of rear (again not affecting any printing). A used, but attractive copy of a rare book in jacket. A fine spy thriller, undoubtedly drawing upon Greene's own wartime experiences in both the Ministry of Information and Foreign Office; this is the story of a man who finds himself caught up in an international espionage ring in London during the Blitz. Basis for the famous 1944 film noir, directed by Fritz Lang. £5500

Wobbe [A18a]; Miller [22]

115 GREENE, Graham (1904-1991). The Labyrinthine Ways New York: Viking 1940, [37639]

FIRST EDITION. 8vo., pp.301. Publisher's bright yellow cloth titled in blue, in pictorial dust-wrapper. The first issue, with integral leaves throughout (later pp.165 and pp.256 were cancels). Some browning to endpapers, old pencil price 25c to flyleaf; dust-wrapper toned to spine, with a couple of minor nicks at edges. A very good copy. £650

Wobbe A16b.

116 HAGGARD, Rider, [Sir] H[enry]. (1856-1925) Red Eve London: Hodder and Stoughton. No date [1911] [38204]

Strange Tale. FIRST EDITION. Publisher's gilt-titled red cloth with colour plate illustration laid down to upper. Colour frontispiece and other illustrations. pp.296 + catalogue of advertisements. Minor wear, some browning to flyleaf, discreet owner name. Very good indeed. An uncommon Haggard title. Fantasy tale from the popular Victorian writer of adventure novels set in locations considered exotic by readers in his native England.

Whatmore; A Bibliography of Henry Rider Haggard. [F17] £275 Bleiler: Checklist of Fantastic Literature [343].

WITCHCRAFT- A SCARCE TRIPLE DECKER.

117 HAGGARD, Rider, [Sir] H[enry]. (1856-1925) The Witch's Head London, Hurst and Blackett. 1885 [32126]

FIRST EDITION. 8vo., 3 volumes. With all errors present as called for. Collates complete including the 8pp publisher's catalogue, original grey cloth, silver lettering to front covers and spine, light sunning to spines, a little wear to spine edges, inner hinges carefully restored, within full green morocco fold-over box, gilt.

Actually published on 22nd December 1884; the usual Victorian practice was to date the title with the forthcoming year. Haggard's scarce second novel; a strange tale with elements of the supernatural. Just 500 copies published. Scott [3], Whatmore [F2]. Bleiler; Checklist of Fantastic Literature [138]. **£12500**

118 HELLER, Joseph. Catch-22

London, Jonathan Cape. 1962 [38342]

FIRST UK EDITION, FIRST ISSUE: 8vo. Publisher's red cloth boards. In the second issue dust-jacket, with five reviews replacing the section of the text reprinted on the rear cover. Book is near fine; jacket has a little edgewear, also near fine. A bright and attractive copy. £575

Listed in The Observer; All-Time 100 Best Novels [2003], also Time Magazine; 100 Best Modern Novels, BBC Big Read (200 Best Novels) [2003]

119 HOPE, Anthony. The Prisoner of Zenda. Being the History of Three Months in the Life of an English Gentleman.

Bristol: J.W. Arrowsmith. [1894] [38431]

Adventure novel. FIRST EDITION, usual later issue. Octavo, pp. 310, + 2 of adverts. Publisher's burgundy cloth, titled in gilt to spine and upper, gilt device to backstrip with gilt imprint 'Arrowsmith's 3/6 Series Vol. XVIII' to foot of same. Cloth frayed to spine ends, ink ownership and bookplate to endpaper, binding cocked. Very good.

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This adventure story wasenjoyed by Ian Fleming as a child, and Hope's chivalrous hero is a 'literary ancestor' of the debonair British agent 007 - The Rough Guide to James Bond (2002), p.47. **£75**

120 HUTCHINSON, Horace G. Golf. With contributions by Lord Wellwood, Sir Walter Simpson, Bart., Right Hon. A.J. Balfour M.P., Andrew Lang, H.F.C. Everard, and others.

Longmans, Green and Co., London, 1890. [38085] Second Edition. 8vo.; pps. (xiv) + 463. Illustrated with 22 plates and many woodcuts in the text. Finely bound in recent half green morocco, marbled boards, gilt, raised bands, top edge gilt. Very good. £375

121 HUXLEY, Aldous. Brave New World.

Chatto and Windus, London. 1932. [38194]

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122 [IAN FLEMING / MACMILLAN PUBLISHERS] Original advertising artwork for the James Bond novel 'Moonraker' [1955] [38449]

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123 [IAN FLEMING / ULRICA KNOWLES] Archive of Original Correspondence and files concerning Ian Fleming, the management of The Book Collector Ltd., and his 'James Bond' publications. 1953-1956 [38447]

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123 INNES, Hammond. Dead and Alive London, Collins. 1946 [38202]

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126 JAMES' FANTASY NOVEL FOR CHILDREN JAMES, Montague Rhodes. The Five Jars London: Edward Arnold, 1922. [38209]

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127 JAMES. M.R. Ghost Stories Of An Antiquary. London, Edward Arnold. 1904 [38210]

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128 JOSEPHUS, Flavius. (WHISTON, W.) (BURDER, The Rev. S.). The Genuine Works of Flavius Josephus, the Jewish Historian. Containing Twenty Books of the Jewish Antiquities, Seven Books of the Jewish War, and the Life of Josephus, written by himself. Translated from the Original Greek, according to Havercamp's accurate Edition. Together with: Explanatory Notes and Observations; Parallel Texts of Scripture; The True Technology of the Several Histories; An Account of the Jewish Coins, Weights, and Measures; and a complete Index. By the late William Whiston. Revised, and Illustrated with notes, by the Rev. Samuel Burder.

Boston: S. Walker, 1821. [38362]

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129 JOYCE, James. Stephen Hero. London; Jonathan Cape. 1944 [38484]

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Paris; Shakespeare and Co. 1928 [38485]

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131 JUNG, C[arl] G[ustav]. (HULL, R.F.C.). The Collected Works of C.G. Jung. Translated by R.F.C. Hull. Edited by Sir, Herbert Read, Michael Fordham, Gerhard Adler, William McGuire.

Princeton University Press, 1978-1983. [38403]

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New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1938. [38226]

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136 KIPLING, Rudyard. Collected Verse. London; Hodder and Stoughton. 1966 [38324]

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137 KIPLING, Rudyard. NICHOLSON, William. An Almanac of Twelve Sports. London: William Heinemann, 1898. [38150]

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138 LADY QUEENBOROUGH (MILLER, Edith Starr.) Occult Theocrasy. Abbeville: Published Posthumously for Private Circulation Only, 1933. [38552]

FIRST EDITION. 2 Vols. Octavo pp. 741. Publisher's pale blue card wraps, titles printed in dark blue to upper and spine. Some rubbing to edges, light soiling to wraps and browning to spines. A little browned to page edges, otherwise clean internally. The uncommon first edition of Miller's somewhat paranoid historical review of secret and occult societies. Covering everything from Egyptian Esotericism, Witchcraft, Gnostics, Druids, Knights Templar, Assassins, Rosicrucians, Illuminati, various strands of Freemasonry and many more besides, she demonstrates that she was fixated on a perceived 'Jesuit-Judaic-Masonic-Gnostic-Brahmin-Illuminati' plot to overthrow Christianity. Perhaps of more interest are various O.T.O. related pages at the rear of volume 2, consisting of a fold out reproduction of the charter of appointment given by Theodor Reuss to Aleister Crowley in 1912, the Manifesto of the O.T.O. (reproduced from the Blue Equinox), and facsimiles of letters between W. Wynn Westcott and Reuss showing interesting connections the Societas Rosicruciana in Anglia (and by inference the Golden Dawn) had with the O.T.O. £275

139 LANE, Edward William (HARVEY, William). The Thousand and One Nights, commonly called in England, The Arabian Nights' Entertainments. A new Translation from the Arabic, with copious Notes. Illustrated by many hundred engravings on wood from original designs by William Harvey. London: Charles Knight and Co., 1839. [38224]

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140 LAW, Thomas. A Sketch of some Late Arrangements, and a View of the Rising Resources, in Bengal.

London: John Stockdale, 1792. [38034]

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142 [LAWRENCE, T. E.] GARNETT, David. The Letters of T. E. Lawrence [together with Letters to T.E. Lawrence (John Buchan, Winston Churchill, Rudyard Kipling, etc.]

London, Jonathan Cape, 1938, 1962. [38357]

2 vols. FIRST EDITIONS, corrected state of the text. Octavo, pp.896, 216. Publisher's brown buckram in original dustwrappers. Illustrated with photos and drawings, complete with folding maps. Nominal wear to both books; a fine pair. E.M Forster first attempted editiong the letters for publication, but gave up the effort. It fell to Garnett to compile this 1938 edition, which is the major collection, rivalled and supplented only by 'Home Letters of T.E.Lawrence and his Brothers', (1954). Minor corrections were made during the run of the first impression and thus it appears in two states. O'Brier; T.E Lawrence- A Bibliography [A202].

143 LEWIS, C.S. The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe. London; Geoffrey Bles. 1954 [38408]

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146 LOVECRAFT, H.P. At The Mountains of Madness, And Other Novels Of Terror.

London, Gollancz. 1966 [38363]

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Michael Marshall Smith; Top 10 Horror Novels.

147 LOWRY, Malcolm. Under the Volcano. London: Jonathan Cape, 1947. [38475]

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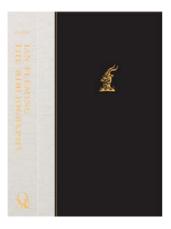
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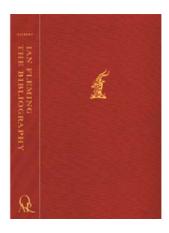
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