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# CATALOGUE 180 A fine selection of Expeditions, Travel & Voyages



Illustration on cover no. 68 **LATROBE**, Christian Ignatius. Journal of a visit to South Africa, in 1815, and 1816. London, 1818.

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### The use of new celestial and terrestial globes



1 ADAMS, George. Gronden der starrenkunde, gelegd in het zonnestelzel bevatlijk gemaakt; in eene beschrijving van 't maaksel en gebruik der nieuwe hemel- en aard-globen; en in't gebruik deezer globen ter oplossing der klootsche driehoeken en klootsche werkstukken der starrenkunde. In't Nederduits vertaald en met aanmerkingen verrijkt door Jacob Ploos van Amstel. Amsterdam, Kornelis van Tongerlo, 1770.

Contemporary half calf (hinges cracked but holding). With 14 engraved folding plates. (86),470,(2) pp.

€ 1750,00

First Dutch edition, first published in London in 1766:

A treatise describing and explaining the construction and use of new celestial and terrestial globes. - Fine.

Peters, the Crone Library, 578.

### The shipwreck on the Lucipara reef, Ambon



2 **AMBON.** Het verblijf der schipbreukelingen van de gestrande stoomboot *Willem de 1e* op de koraalplaat Lucipara.

Amsterdam, (1837).

Lithographed plate depicting the shipwreck on the Lucipara reef. Ca. 24 x 30.5 cm. € 575.00

Vivid scene of the shipwreck of *SS Willem I*, in the Banda Sea near Ambon (Indonesia), with on board the governor

of the Moluccas François Vincent Henri Antoine de Stuers (1792-1881) and his family. Depicting the sinking ship and many people in the foreground. Added the rare booklet: SCHIPBREUK van den gouverneur F. Ridder De Stuers op de Lucipara's den 5 van Bloeimaand 1837. Ten voordeele van de gewonde en zieke militairen. Arnhem, T.E. Slot & Zoon, 1837. Original printed wrappers. 24,(4) pp. *Muller, Historieplaten, 6969; Indische Letteren jrg. 25, pp 194-207.* 

### The horrors of Anson's voyage around the world



3 ANSON, George. A voyage round the world in the years 1740 - 44. Compiled from his papers and materials by Richard Walter. 5th edition. London, John and Paul Knapton, 1749.

Large 4to. Contemporary mottled calf, rebacked, with red morocco title label. With engraved double-page frontispiece map of the world and 42 folding engraved plates, maps and views. (20),417,(2) pp. € 1500,00

First published in London in 1748; large paper copy on thick paper; with armorial bookplate of Charles Steward and handwritten ownership signature of Mich. Collinson 1755. - Account of Anson's privateering expedition (1740) against Spanish commerce in the Pacific. In spite of its losses, the expedition brought the ship owners enormous profits. Anson's voyage appears to have been the most popular book of maritime adventure of the 18th century. - *Nice large paper copy*. *Sabin 1626; Hill 1820; Borba de Moraes, p.38*.

### With prince Hendrik of the Netherlands to Constantinople



4 **ARRIËNS, P(ieter).** Dagboek eener reis naar Constantinopel in 1840, met eenige geschiedkundige mededeelingen en opmerkingen. 's Gravenhage, Gebroeders van Cleef, 1854.
Original printed boards (frontcover sl. discoloured;spine sl. dam.). X,162 pp. € 275,00

First edition. - Pieter Arriëns (1791-1860), later a Rear-Admiral in the Dutch navy, was commander of the Dutch frigate *De Rijn*, when he visited Greece in the late winter and early spring of 1840. Also on board was H.R.M. Hendrik, Prince of the Netherlands. Arriëns had not planned to publish his notes, but with the

outbreak of the Crimean War (1853-1856) he felt the need to inform the Dutch public on the current situation in Constantinople (*Koster, To Hellen's noble land, p. 148*).

Weber 475; Not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.



5 **BARBEAU, Charles Marius.** Huron and Wyandot mythology. With an appendix containing earlier published records. Ottawa, Government Printing Bureau, 1915. Original printed wrappers. With 11 photographic plates. XIV,415 pp. € 65,00

Charles Marius Barbeau (1883 – 1969), was a Canadian ethnographer and folklorist who is today considered a founder of Canadian anthropology. The Huron or Wyandot are a tribe of Native Americans who originally inhabited an area of central Ontario.

## Funeral procession of baron Bentinck, died during the naval battle of the Dogger Bank.



6 **BENTINCK, Wolter Jan Gerrit.** Afbeelding der lykstaatie van .. Wolter Jan Baron Bentink, schout by nacht, ressorteerende onder het ed. mog. Collegie ter Admiraliteit te Amsterdam .. op dinsdag den 28 Augustus 1781, 's namiddags tusschen 4 en 5 uuren in de Nieuwe Kerk. (Amsterdam), Jacobus Kok, 1781. Broadsheet with engraving, coloured by hand, after H.P. Schouten by B. de Bakker and with explanatory text printed in 5 columns. Ca. 31 x 51 cm ( not including blank margins). € 675,00

Funeral procession of Wolter Jan Gerrit baron Bentinck, rear-admiral of Holland and West-Friesland, died after serious injuries during the naval battle of the Dogger Bank. Magnificent image of the procession on the Kloveniersburgwal in Amsterdam, going to the Nieuwe Kerk. Depicting the canal houses with on the right the Oudemanhuispoort, and on the left the Nieuwe Doelenstraat. In front the canal with several vessels with spectators. With circumstantial description of the participants and the route. The naval Battle of the Dogger Bank took place on 5 August 1781 during the Fourth Anglo-Dutch War, part of the American War of Independence, in the North Sea. It was a bloody encounter between a British squadron under Vice Admiral Sir Hyde Parker, 5th Baronet and a Dutch squadron under Vice Admiral Johan Zoutman, both of which were escorting convoys. - Excellent condition.

Muller, Historieplaten, 4463; Atlas van Stolk 4401.

### Rare colonial periodical



7 **BLUME**, (Carel Ludwig). (Ed.). De Indische Bij, tijdschrift ter bevordering van de kennis der Nederlandsche volkplantingen en derzelver belangen. Deel I. Leiden, H.W. Hazenberg en Comp., 1843. Original printed boards (spine sl. dam.) .With handcoloured lithographed frontispiece and 4 lithographed plates. IV,663,(1) pp. € 450,00

First edition; all published. -

Contributions by C.F.E. Pretorius on the Netherlands East Indies government, the culture system and Palembang; E. Müller on the west coast of Borneo; C.L. Blume on Japan and China, etc. - *Rare periodical*.

Cat. KITLV I, p.818; Tiele 145; Bastin-Brommer N580 (note); not in Landwehr, Coloured Plates.

### Fine contemporary binding

8 **BONNET, Gisbert.** Specimen historicum de caussis superstitionum inter christianos. Trajecti ad Rhenum, ex officina Joannis Broedelet, 1753.
4to. Contemporary mottled calf, covers bordered and panelled gilt, with central floral decoration and decorative gilt corner pieces, spine gilt (1 hinge cracked but firmly holding). With woodcut coat of arms of Utrecht on titlepage. 57,(3) pp. € 175,00 Theological thesis by Gisbert Bonnet (1723-1805) with a wonderful binding.



### Account of the chief factor for the Dutch West India Company on the African coast



9 **BOSMAN, Willem.** A new and accurate description of the coast of Guinea, divided into the Gold, the Slave, and the Ivory Coasts. Containing a geographical, political and natural history of the kingdoms and countries: With a particular account of the rise, progress, and present condition of all the European settlements upon that coast; and the just measures for improving the several branches of the Guinea trade. 2nd edition. London, James Knapton, a.o., 1721.

Contemporary mottled calf, with red morocco title-label to spine (extremities of spine sl. dam.). With folding engraved map of Guinea and 7 engraved plates. (8),456,(16) pp.

€ 1850,00

Second English edition, first published in Dutch in 1704. - Willem Bosman (1672 - ?), employee of the Dutch West India Company (WIC) and chief Dutch factor at the castle of Elmina, wrote the first authoritative and detailed account of the West Coast of Africa, during a 14 years' residence there. It is the chief source for the knowledge of the Dutch slave-trade during the second half of the 17th century. It also gives an interesting picture of international rivalry, current trade, and the wretched depraved existence of the European factors stationed permanently on the coast. The book is written in the form of letters to a friend. The last two letters are written by other authors. The first is written by David van Nyendael containing a description of Rio Formosa, or Benin. The second is written by Jan Snoek giving a description of the Tooth and Grain Coast. The fine plates depict the trade-settlements on the West African coast. 'Usually recognised as the standard work concerning the Gold Coast of this period' (Cardinall 256). - Fine.

Cf. Tiele 174; Cf. Cat. NHSM I, p. 204; Paulitschke 894: 'Sehr wichtiges Reisewerk'; Gay 2808; Work p.6; Hogg 144b.

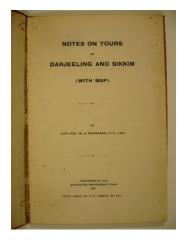
# Miscellaneous pieces on Indonesia from an archaeological point of view



10 **BRUMUND, Jan Frederik Gerrit.** Indiana. Verzameling van stukken van onderscheiden aard, over landen, volken, oudheden en geschiedenis van den Indischen archipel. Amsterdam, P.N. van Kampen, 1853-1854.
2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt. With 2 folding maps and 7 lithographed plates (4 tinted).
VIII,274; 292 pp. € 495,00

First edition. - Miscellaneous pieces on Indonesia of historical interest especially on Java from an archaeological point of view. Brumund's (1814-1863) 'beste opstellen en verhalen (staan) in de bundel *Indiana*. Hij toont hierin een kennis van land en volk, van de Javaanse cultuur en het maatschappelijke leven die zonder meer imponerend is als we bedenken hoe weinig toen nog maar bekend was en hoe Brumund zijn kennis bijna uit het niets heeft moeten vergaren' (Nieuwenhuys, Oost-Indische Spiegel, p.130). - With small library stamp on title-page, otherwise fine. Bastin-Brommer N643; Landwehr, Coloured Plates, 246; Tiele 203.

### Tours in the area of the Himalayas are described in detail



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

Original red cloth with gilt lettering. With large coloured folding map in rear pocket. 40 pp.

€ 275,00

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

- (Wormholes) Yakushi B285.

### Mexico



12 **BUSSIERRE, Marie Théodore de.** L'empire Mexicain. Histoire des Toltèques, des Chichimèques, des Aztèques et de la conquête Espagnole. Paris, H. Plon, 1863.

Contemporary embossed cloth. 427 pp. € 195,00

First edition. - Marie-Théodore Renouard, Viscount of Bussierre (1802 - 1865) was a French diplomat, traveller, ethnologist and a writer.

Sabin 9561.

### Rare first edition of Cambell's first journey

13 **CAMPBELL, John.** Travels in South Africa. Undertaken at the request of the London Missionary Society. London, printed for the author by T. Rutt, 1815. Contemporary half calf, (skilfully rebacked), spine lettered in gilt. With frontispiece portrait of the author, folding hand-coloured map and 9 engraved plates. XV,(1),582 pp.  $\theta$  975,00



First edition. - John Campbell (1766-1840), Scottish missionary and explorer, arrived at the Cape in 1812. He inspected the settlements of the London Missionary Society and returned to England with his reports of the colony and its hinterland in 1814. Campbell provides a great deal of information in the appendix. 'Few Englishmen at that time had performed such a feat, and on his return his appearances on missionary platforms in London and throughout the country were received with enthusiasm' (DNB). - A fine copy of Campbell's first journey. Mendelssohn I, p.254 (3rd ed. only); SAB I, p.374; Howgego II, p.105-106.



14 **CARNE, John.** Syria, The Holy Land, Asia Minor &c. illustrated. Volume III. London, Fisher, Son & Co., (1838).

4to. Original blindstamped green cloth, with central gilt ornament on boards, spine richly gilt, a.e.g. With steelengraved title-page, 2 maps and 45 steelengraved views by William H. Bartlett and Thomas Allom. 100,(8) pp. € 95,00

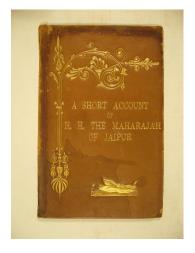
With the armorial bookplate of Henry John William Collingwood. - The drawings of the fine plates were made by William Henry Bartlett and Thomas Allom, who travelled extensively in the Levant. - *A fine copy*.

Blackmer Collection 281; Atabey Collection 199.

## Account of the Maharajah of Jaipur and his country, privately printed

15 **CHANDER, Sansar.** A short account of his highness the Maharajah of Jaipur and his country. Ajmer, Rajputana Mission Press, (1902). Sm.8vo. Contemporary gilt calf (loose, sl. damaged and soiled). 25 pp. € 195,00

With autograph dedication by the author. - 'This little book I was induced to compile in view of his Highness the Maharajah's visit to England to be present at the coronation of his Majesty King Edward the VII. ..



This book is printed for private circulation only' (*Preface*).

## 'Provocative descriptions of Russian manners and character'

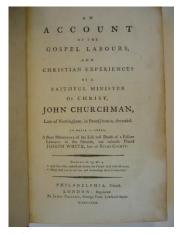


16 CHAPPE d'AUTEROCHE,
Jean. Reize naar Siberië, op bevel des
konings van Vrankryk ondernomen in
1761. Behelzende deszelfs
waarnemingen nopens de zeden,
gewoonten, regeering, godsdienst,
krygs- en burger-staat, koophandel,
luchts- en grondsgesteldheid,
landsbeschryving, natuurlyke historie,
enz. Uit het Fransch vertaald. Deventer,
Lucas Leemhorst, 1771-1772.
2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf,

spine gilt. With folding coloured map and 8 engraved plates (including a table and 2 folding plates) after J.B. le Prince by J.C. Philips. XIV,(2)331,(1); (2),327,(1) pp.  $\in 850,00$ 

First Dutch edition, first published in Paris in 1768: Voyage en Sibérie, fait par ordre du roi en 1761. - Jean Chappe d' Auteroche (1728-1769) was a French priest and astronomer who travelled to Siberia to observe the transit of Venus in 1761. This work deserves attention for its forthright and sometimes provocative descriptions of Russian manners and character (Hill 277). The expedition carried out a large number of scientific measurements en route, and reported on the geography of the region and the customs of its inhabitants (Howgego p.216). - Age-browned otherwise fine. Cat. NHSM I, p.302; not in Tiele; Muller, Bibl. Neerlando-Russe, 77; Cat. Russica

496; Boucher de la Richarderie V, p. 447-448 (French ed.).



17 **CHURCHMAN, John.** An account of the gospel labours, and Christian experiences of a faithful minister of Christ, late of Nottingham, in Pennsylvania, deceased. To which is added, a short memorial of the life of.. Joseph White, late of Bucks County. London, James Phillips, 1780. Contemporary calf (foot of spine sl. dam.). VII,351,(1) pp. € 75,00

Popular work, first issued in 1779, many times reprinted. Including Churchman's (1705-1775) visits to England, Ireland and Holland, from the year 1750 to 1754 and his travels along the colonies of Pennsylavnia, Maryland, New Jersey, Virginia and New York. Also dealing with the

Indians and slaves in the U.S. Churchman was a Quaker minister from Nottingham, Pennsylvania.

Sabin 13025; Clark II,64; Evans 16233.

### Captain James Cook



18 **COOK, James.** Commemorative chart of New Zealand including Norfolk and Campbell Is. Wellington, Hydrographic Branch Navy Office, 1969.

Coloured chart on heavy paper. Ca. 103,5 x 72 cm.  $\in$  75.00

Cook Bicentenary 1769-1969. - The inset map shows the first published chart of New Zealand. - Fine.

19 **COOK, James.** Reize rondom de waereld. Vertaald door J.D. Pasteur. Leyden, Amsterdam, 's Hage, Honkoop, Allart en van Cleef, 1795-1803.

13 volumes + index volume. Contemporary half calf (top of spines of 3 volumes sl. dam.) with red morocco labels on spines; index volume half calf (not uniform). With engraved portrait, 13 engraved title-pages, 52 folding engraved maps by C. van



Baarsch and 134 engraved plates (mostly folding) by J.S. Klauber.

€ 6.000.00

First collective Dutch edition. - The three great voyages by James Cook (1728-1779), the first really scientific navigator. Vol. I-III contain the life of Cook and the first voyage 1768-1771, vol. IV-VII contain the second voyage 1772-1775, vol. VIII-XIII contain the third voyage 1776-1780. 'Cook earned his place in history by opening up the Pacific to western civilization and by foundation of British Australia. The world was given for the first time an essentially complete knowledge of the Pacific Ocean and Australia, and Cook proved once and for all that there was no great southern continent, as had always been believed. He also suggested the existence of antarctic land in the southern ice ring, a fact which was not proved until the explorations up the 19th century. Cook was a brilliant navigator and hydrographer, an excellent administrator and planner, and probably the first sea captain to realize the importance of preserving the health and well-being of his crew' (P.M.M. p.135). - (Some volumes sl. waterstained). Tiele 268; Cat. NHSM I, p.140; Beddie 52.

### The first- and second Lombok-expedition

20 COOL, (Wouter). De Lombok expeditie. Batavia, 's Gravenhage, G. Kolff & Co., 1896.

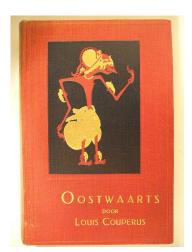


Later cloth. With a folding and double-page map, and ca. 100 illustrations after G.B. Hooyer. 496 pp.  $\$  175,00

Original edition. - Wouter Cool (1848-1928) was a Dutch minister and officer. The first part mainly contains a historical and ethnographical description of Lombok, also in relation to Bali. The second part deals with the so-called first-and second Lombok-expedition. The Dutch

sought closer control to suppress opium trading and slavery. An extensive part is dealing with the Sasak-people. - (Some foxing).

Cat. NHSM I, p.519; Cat. KITLV p.48; Lekkerkerker A 38.



### Eastward

21 **COUPERUS, Louis.** Oostwaarts. 's Gravenhage, H.P. Leopold, 1924. Original red cloth with gilt lettering and wayang kulit puppet to front (spine very sl. discoloured).. With photographic portrait of the author and many photographic plates. XII,260,VI pp. € 95,00

First edition. - 'Eastward is little more than a serialized travel journal. It is the account of a tourist asked by the Hague Post (Haagsche Post) to make another jaunt through the Indies with an occasional nod to his hosts and sponsor. The journal also corroborates the traditional view of the Indies in describing them as prosperous and bursting with energy and, as a matter of course, closely and firmly tied to the Netherlands'

(Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, pp.132-133). - A fine copy.

### Rare document of slavery

22 **CURAÇAO.** Bill of exchange. Wisselbrief vrijkopen slaven van Curaçao (so-called compensation payment).

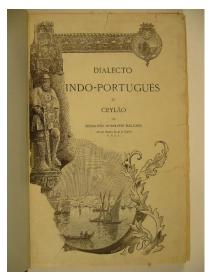
Curação, 1863.

Official document, partly printed and handwritten on both sides. Ca. 13 x 27 cm. € 275,00

Dutch slave-trade was abolished in 1814 and slavery in 1863 in Suriname and the Dutch Antilles. Slave owners received compensation from the government. The former slave owner Cornelis Sprocke Jansz was entitled to receive 1000 guilders in



exchange for this letter. The letter served as a receipt, signed and stamped by the accountant Gorsira and the governor of Curaçao Grol on August 25, 1863 and cashed on October 16, 1863 - *Rare document of slavery*.



### 23 DALGADO, Sebastiao Rodolpho.

Dialecto Indo-Portuguès de Ceylao. Lisboa, Imprensa Nacional, 1900. Modern half cloth, original pictorial frontwrapper preserved, uncut. XXIX,259 pp. € 350.00

Scarce original edition. - Luso-Asian dialect of Sri-Lanka.

Goonetileke 8188.

# A scarce glimpse into the workings of the Inquisition, and of Goan history and culture

24 **DELLON, Gabriel.** Historie der inquisitie tot Goa. En in andere gewesten van Indien. Uyt het Frans vertaalt. Amsterdam, Pieter Mortier, 1697. Sm.8vo. Contemporary vellum. With engraved title-vignette, 3 engraved vignettes and 6 engraved plates (3 folding). (12),282,(17) pp. € 850,00

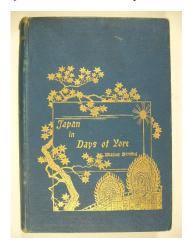
First Dutch edition; first published in French in Leiden in 1687: Relation de l'inquisition de Goa. - In 1668 Dellon sailed to India with the Compagnie des Indes. He travelled extensively along the Malabar coast. In 1673 he left the employment of



the company and started a private medical practice in Damao, at that time a Portuguese colony. Six months later, early in 1674, he was arrested by the Inquisition and taken to Goa, where he was imprisoned for two years. He was then shipped to Lisbon, but released in the following year on condition that he should return immediately to France. .. It proved a considerable success, particularly in Protestant Europe, where it ran to numerous editions. Although long regarded purely as a work of propaganda, recent research has testified to its accuracy (*Howgego p.304/305*). 'Dellon's description of the Inquisition and of the practices of its officials and their collaborators is the only source

available on the functioning of that institution by a cemtemporary who saw it from the inside' (*Lach*, *Asia in the making of Europe III*, 2, *p.851*). It includes also details of his stay in Bahia, Brazil. His account of the Inquisition was still forbidden in Portugal in 1769. - *A nice copy*.

Cf. Borba de Moraes I, p.253-255; Sabin 19444-19447.



25 **DENING, Walter.** Japan in days of yore. Tokyo, Methodist Publishing House, 1906. Original pictorial blue cloth gilt. II,II,620 pp. . First published in Tokyo in 1887. - Japanese tales of the pre-Meiji time. - *Cordier, B.J., col. 650* € 95.00

# The mystery of the loss of La Pérouse and his expedition was finally solved

26 **DILLON, Peter.** Reis naar de eilanden der Zuidzee, gedurende de jaren 1827 en 1828. Behelzende het verslag der ontdekking van het lot van de La Pérouse. Uit het Fransch vertaald. Amsterdam, G.J.A. Beijerinck, 1830.

2 volumes. Original boards (sl. dam.). With folding map of the island of Mannicolo and 2 folding lithographed frontispieces. X,336; VI,350 pp. € 650,00



First Dutch edition; first published in London in 1829 Narrative and successful result of a voyage in the South Seas performed by order of the government of British India, to ascertain the actual fate of La Pérouse's expedition interspersed with accounts of the religion, manners, customs and cannibal practices of the South Sea islanders. - It was in this voyage that the mystery of the loss of La Pérouse and his expedition was

finally solved. After various adventures in Australia, New Zealand, and Tonga, Dillon found the wrecks of the lost ships on the reefs surrounding Vanikoro in the Santa Cruz Islands. He brought the news back to captain Dumont d'Urville, then at Hobart, who proceeded back to the location and recovered further relics. *Cat. NHSM I, p.145; not in Tiele; Sabin 20177; Hill I, p.83-84; Ferguson 1336; Hocken p.44; NZNB 1617; Howgego p.315.* 



27 **DIXON, William Hepworth.** Das heilige Land. Autorisirte Ausgabe für Deutschland. Nach der vierten Auflage aus dem Englischen von J.E.A. Martin. Jena, Hermann Costenoble, 1870. Original half cloth, spine lettered in gilt (top of spine sl. dam.). With 2 steelengraved plates and 12 woodengravings in the text. X,422 pp. € 95 00

First German edition; first published in London in 1864: The Holy Land. -

(Foxed).

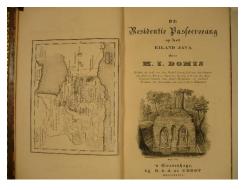
Tobler p.200: Sehr lebendige darstellung; Rohricht p.518.

### Pasuruan, East-Java

28 **DOMIS**, **Hendrik Jacob**. De residentie Pasoeroeang op het eiland Java. 's Gravenhage, H.S.J. de Groot, 1836.

Contemporary blind-tooled calf, spine gilt with green morocco title-label, inner dentelles, a.e.g. With lithographed title-page, map and 2 lithographed plates by J.D. Steuerwald. VI,178,(2) pp.  $\$  595,00

Original edition; printed on heavy paper. - Description of Pasuruan, East-Java, by



the civil servant J.H. Domis (1782-1842). The Dutch established a fort at Pasuruan in 1707. It was the capital of a residency from 1811 to 1934. With attention to the coffee and sugar cultures. - Copy from the library of Dutch parliament. - Rare. Tiele 323; Cat. KITLV I, p.10; not in Bastin-Brommer and Von Hünersdorff, Coffee.

## The year 1672 was known as the rampjaar, the disaster year



29 (DOMSELAAR, Tobias van). Het ontroerde Nederlandt, door de wapenen des konings van Vrankryk, dat is een waarachtigh verhaal van den Fransen, Engelsen, Keulsen, en Munstersen oorlogh, tegen de Vereenigde Nederlanden, met desselfs binnelandtse beroerten. Amsterdam, Markus Willemsz. Doornik, 1674. 4to. Contemporary vellum (sl. soiled). With engraved frontispiece, engraved coat of arms, engraved folding map of

*First edition.* - The best contemporary source for those disastrous years around 1672 when the United Netherlands were attacked by most of their neighbours. - (Agebrowned).

Landwehr, Romeyn de Hooghe, 37.

### A fine copy of a richly illustrated history of the Dutch East India Company

30 **DU BOIS, Johann Peter Isaak.** Vies des gouverneurs généraux, avec l'abrégé de l'histoire des etablissements Hollandois aux Indes Orientales. La Haye, Pierre de Hondt, 1763.



4to. Original marbled boards. With title-page printed in red and black, 27 engraved vignette portraits of the Governors-General and 34 engraved folding maps, plans and views after Jacobus van Schley. VI,351;48 pp. € 2750,00

Much improved edition of volume XX of Prévost's *Historische beschrijving der reizen*. Enlarged with an important treatise on the actual state of the Dutch

East Indies Consideration sur l'état présent de la Compagnie hollandoise des Indes Orientales by the ex-Governor General Baron d'Imhoff. Interesting description of the lives of 27 Governors General from Pieter Both in 1609 up till Jacob Mossel in 1752 and all the events relative to the affairs of the Dutch East India Company (VOC) from the Cape of Good Hope to Indonesia, India, Ceylon, Australia, Formosa and Japan during a period of ca. 150 years. Including plans and views of Deshima, Batavia (slaughter of the Chinese), Ternate, Galle, Malacca and maps of Java, Australia, Ceylon, Cape of Good Hope, Bali, etc. - A fine copy of a richly illustrated history of the Dutch East India Company.

Landwehr, VOC, 1502; Cat. KITLV p.236; Cordier, B.I., col. 1490; Bastin-Brommer N17; Mendelsson I, p.488-489; SAB II, p.108.



# A cornerstone of any collection of books on China

### 31 DU HALDE, Jean Baptiste.

Description géographique, historique, chronologique, politique, et physique de l'empire de la Chine et de la Tartarie chinoise. Paris, P.G. Le Mercier, 1735. 4 volumes. Folio. Contemporary mottled calf (small parts of hinges cracked but firmly holding; extremities of spines sl. damaged), spines ribbed and gilt with red and green morocco labels. With 4 title-pages printed in red and black with title-vignettes, 5 engraved vignettes, 23 engraved plates (10 folding) and 42 double-page or folding engraved maps. € 27.500,00

First edition of the 'Bible of European sinophilia'. - The most important and comprehensive work on China published up to that time. Du Halde, a Parisian Jesuit, collected and edited the letters of the Jesuit missionaries for this work. The fine plates depict all aspects of China and Chinese life including flora and fauna, engineering, astronomy, etc. The folio edition includes many important maps not previously published before, the maps are the most accurate of China available in Europe at the time. They are by Jean Baptiste Bourguignon d'Anville (1697-1782), the 'finest cartographer of his time'. - 'Historically, this work must be regarded as monumental. Its strenght lies in the vast amount and variety of interesting details, which must have given its readers an impression of the magnificence of the Chinese empire and the wide range of achievements of the Chinese people in literature, science, philosophy and art' (Löwendahl, Sino-Western relations, 394). The first French folio edition is the most desirable and significant. - Some marginal waterstaining and age-browning otherwise a very good copy of a cornerstone of any collection of books on China.

Cordier, B.S., col. 46-48; Lust 16.

### 'The most effective diplomatic wife of her generation'



32 **DUFFERIN**, (Harriot). My Canadian journal 1872 - 8. Extracts from my letters home written while Lord Dufferin was governor-general. London, J. Murray, 1891. Original cloth (sl. soiled). With folding coloured map and 10 wood-engravings. 18,422,(6) pp. € 95,00

First edition. - Harriot Georgina Hamilton-Temple-Blackwood, Marchioness of Dufferin

and Ava (1843 - 1936) and her husband and their children travelled to Canada upon his appointment as Governor General. Lady Dufferin was one of the most popular of the governor-generals' wives, and was starting to build up her reputation as 'the most effective diplomatic wife of her generation'. She 'was the perfect woman for the job' (Robinson, Wayward women, p.209).



33 **DUTCH-BRAZIL.** Two unpublished Portuguese manuscripts about the Dutch conquest (1624) and the Iberian recovery (1625) of Salvador da Bahia in Brazil. - A forgotten letter written by Martin Correia de Sá, 1630. - Vincent Joachim Soler's seventeen letters 1636-1643. (Transcription of manuscripts by B.N. Teensma. English translation by Niels Erik Hyldgaard Nielsen). Rio de Janeiro, Editora Index, 1999. 3

volumes in slipcase. Boards. With illustrations and facsimiles. 140; 20; 149 pp.

€ 65,00



34 **DYKE, Henry J. van.** The character and influence of abolitionism. A sermon preached in the First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, on sabbath evening, dec. 9th, 1860. New York, George F. Nesbitt, 1860.

Original printed wrappers (dam.). 31 pp. € 45,00

*First edition.* - In this widely reprinted sermon, Van Dyke argues that Christianity is not a good defense for the abolitionist movement

### Voyages and adventures in the Indian Archipelago

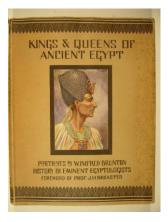


35 **EARL, George Windsor.** The Eastern seas, or voyages and adventures in the Indian Archipelago, in 1832-33-34, comprising a tour of the island of Java - visits to Borneo, the Malay peninsula, Siam, etc.; also an account of the present state of Singapore, with observations on the commercial resources of the archipelago. London, Wm.H. Allen and Co., 1837. Contemporary half red morocco, spine lettered in gilt. With music notation in text and 3 (of 4) folding maps. XII,461 pp. € 450,00

First edition. - Voyage from Western Australia to Java, Batavia, Surabaya, Singapore, Thailand, Bangkok, Malaysia and Borneo. Including interesting observations on the Dutch East Indies,

the Dayak people, the Straits Settlements, early Singapore and the unexplored parts of north and north-western Australia. With map of the harbour of Cali Pujang on Java and 2 maps of Borneo. - First fly-leaf missing, library stamp on title-page, otherwise fine.

Hill 528; Ferguson 2255; Cat. KITLV p.2.



36 **EGYPT.** KINGS AND QUEENS OF ANCIENT EGYPT. History by eminent Egyptologists. Foreword by J.H. Breasted. London, Hodder and Stoughton, (1924).

4to. Original decorated brown cloth gilt, with dust-jacket. With 18 portraits (several coloured). 163 pp. - A very fine copy.  $\in$  125,00

### Fine copy of a very rare 19th century illustrated book on India



37 **ELLIOT, Robert H.** The experiences of a planter in the jungles of Mysore. London, Chapman and Hall, 1871.

2 volumes. Contemporary half calf (new endpapers), spines gilt. With 2 tinted lithographed frontispieces, map, and 5 lithographed plates (4 tinted). X,(1),327; XI,(1),355 pp.  $\qquad \qquad \in 975,00$ 

*First edition.* - Robert Henry Elliot (1837-1914) sailed for India in 1855.

Elliot's experiences of growing coffee in the jungles of Mysore in the second half of the nineteenth century make for some curious reading. .. At times his observations are a bit unfocused and poorly organized, but in the main they are strangely interesting' (*Riddick 324*). From the contents: My native neighbours, Native character-private relations of life, Native character-current and written opinions, Bribery, Caste, Religion, Education, Native agriculture, Coffee-planting, Cinchonaplanting, Cardamom-planting, Tea, cotton, silk, sandal-wood, rhea-grass, Colonisation, On learning native languages by ear, Native labourers, Sundry instances of our imperfect Indian information. The fine tinted lithographs by Vincent Brooks, Day and Son. Ltd, depict: Bartchinhulla bungalow, the principal castes in Munzerabad, Munzerabad tody drawers, Munzerabad agricultural classes, group of Munzerabad natives, and a Toda woman and guide. - *Fine copy of a very rare 19th century illustrated book on India. - Von Hünersdorff, Coffee, p.464*.

### 'One of the best-known of the 'pre-imperial' travellers'



38 **ELLIOTT - ROBERTS, EMMA.** Views in India. China, and on the shores of the Red Sea. London, H. Fisher, R. Fisher & P. Jackson, 1835. 2 volumes. 4to. Contemporary blind-stamped cloth with gilt central ornament on covers, spines gilt (top of spines sl. damaged). With engraved title-page with vignette depicting Chilllah Tarah Ghaut, 2 frontispieces, and 61steel-engraved plates. 68; 64 pp. € 350,00

The original sketches by Robert Elliott were made on the spot in India, China and on the shores of the Red Sea in the years 1822-24. Artists of eminence, Prout, Stanfield, Cattermole, Purser, Cox, Austen, etc., were engaged in preparing the drawings, and engravers of well-

known skill have been employed in completing the work. The descriptions are by Emma Roberts (1794-1840), editor of the 'Bombay United Service Gazette' and 'one of the best-known of the 'pre-imperial' travellers' (*Tuson, Western women travelling East 1716-1916, p. 98*). They contain notes on Hindu temples, palaces, tombs and monuments, like the Taj, Sikandra, Fathepur Sikri and Ajanta and Ellora caves, Macao, etc. - Browned as always otherwise fine.

Robinson, Wayward women, pp. 190-191; Theakstone, Victorian & Edwardian women travellers, p. 228; Lust 219.

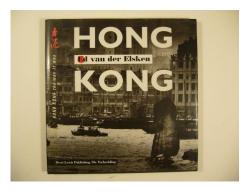
### Eduard ''Ed'' van der Elsken (1925 – 1990) a famous Dutch photographer and filmmaker



39 **ELSKEN, Ed van der.** Amsterdam !. Oude foto's - 1947 - 1970. (2e druk). (Houten, Bruna, 1988). 4to. Wrappers. With many photographic plates of Amsterdam by Ed van der Elsken.

€ 25,00

First published in 1979. - Eduard "Ed" van der Elsken (1925 – 1990) was a famous Dutch photographer and filmmaker.



40 **ELSKEN, Ed van der.** Hong Kong. Hong Kong the way it was. Stockport, Dewi Lewis, Amsterdam, De Verbeelding, 1997. 4to. Boards, with dust-jacket. With many photographic plates. 111 pp. € 225,00

Photographs of Hong Kong taken by Ed van der Elsken (1925-1990) in 1959 and 1960



41 **EXPOSITION COLONIALE.** EXPOSITION COLONIALE INTERNATIONALE DE PARIS EN 1931. Colonies et pays d'outre-mer. (Paris, 1930). 4to. Original decorated wrappers. With nice illustrations by G. Goor. 78 pp. € 45,00

The Paris Colonial Exhibition was a six-month colonial exhibition held in Paris in 1931 that attempted to display the diverse cultures and immense resources of France's colonial possessions. - *Fine*.

### The 1842 evacuation of Kabul by the British



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

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

murdered, and the troops under Brigadier Shelton were defeated at Beymarro' (*Yakushi E67*). 'The journal of Lieutenant Eyre (1811-1881), Deputy Commissary of

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

## The mission of John Crawfurd (1783-1868) to Thailand and Vietnam



43 **FINLAYSON, George.** The mission to Siam, and Hue, the capital of Cochin China, in the years 1821-2. From the journal. With a memoir of the author by Sir Thomas Stamford Raffles. London, John Murray, 1826.

Contemporary straight-grained calf, gilt fillets round sides, rebacked with the original spine laid down, with title label to spine. With engraved view of Bangkok (stained). XXXI,427 pp. € 1450,00

First edition. - The First British diplomatic mission to the Annamese Empire. In 1821, the then Governor-General of India, Lord Hastings, sent John Crawfurd to the courts of Siam (now Thailand) and Cochinchina (now Vietnam.) Lord Hastings was especially interested in learning more about Siamese policy with regard to the northern Malay states, and Cochinchina's policy with regard to French efforts to establish a presence in Asia. The noted naturalist George Finlayson (1790-1823) accompanied the Crawfurd Trade Mission as naturalist, returning with it to Calcutta in 1823. By this time his health was thoroughly broken, and he soon afterwards died. The journal which he had kept during the mission was edited, with a prefatory notice of the author, by Sir **Stamford Raffles** (DNB). The voyage commenced from Calcutta and sailed via Prince of Wales Island to Malacca, Siam, China and Vietnam. The book contains numerous observations on the Chinese in South East Asia (Löwendahl, Supplement, p.87). - Rare.

Cordier BI col. 975; Howgego II, p.220; Troelstra, Natural history travel narratives, p.153.

44 **FURRER, Konrad.** Wanderungen durch Palästina. Zürich, Orell Füssli und Comp., 1865.

Contemporary half morocco, spine lettered in gilt. With lithographed frontispiece view of Jerusalem, folding plan of Jerusalem and folding map of Palestina. XII,414 pp.  $\$   $\$  75,00

First edition. - 'Der rastlose Sohn eines Bauern, v.a. durch Predigt, Unterricht und Vortragstätigkeit bekannt geworden, theologisch unter den frommen, undoktrinären



Liberalen einzuordnen, verfasste neben einigen populärwissenschaftl. Schriften ein Buch über seine Reise ins Hl. Land, das dank der präzisen Beobachtungen noch heute als interessante und wichtige Quelle über die damaligen Zustände in Palästina gelten kann' (Historisches Lexikon der Schweiz).

Rohricht p.509.

### The American War for Independence



45 **GAZETTE VAN GEND.** Gazette van Gend, Donderdag den 26 December 1776. Gend, voor Jan Meyer en uytgegeven by Judocus Begyn, 1776. 4to. With woodcut coat of arms. (4) pp. € 295,00

The *Gazette van Gend* was a twice-weekly Dutch-language newspaper published in Belgium from 1723 to 1809. Of the 8 columms in this newsletter, 4 are devoted to the American War for Independence. Containing a contemporary report on the recapture of New York by British troops under command of William Howe on the 16th of October 1776. This news arrived in London with the frigate *Active*, which sailed

from New York on the 11th of November and arrived in London on the 18th of December. With mentions of General Washington and Benjamin Franklin. - *Scarce*.



46 **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.  $\qquad \qquad \in 125,\!00$ 

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. - (Agebrowned; some library stamps). - *A very popular work*,

Tobler p.152; Gay 3659; Kalfatovic 0314; Blackmer Collection 673; not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.



47 **GERMANY.** - MÜNCHEN. (No place, ca. 1890). Original red embossed cloth gilt. Leporello with 16 original photographs depicting buildings in the city of Münich. - *Fine condition*.  $\in$  65,00



48 **GOEDEL, C.** Sklaverei und Emancipation der schwarzen Rass in den Vereinigten Staaten von Nordamerika. Geschichtliche Abhandlungen. Herausgegeben von Züricher Comité zur Unterstützung der befreiten Farbigen. Zürich, Schabelitz'sche Buchhandlung, 1866.
Original boards (spine rubbed). 150 pp. € 95,00

First edition. - Sabin 27681; Afro-Americana 4150.

# Stranded whale on the Dutch shore near Katwijk, February 2, 1598

49 **GOLTZIUS, Hendrik & Gilliam van der GOUWEN.** Een walvisch lang 70 voeten, gestrandt op de Hollandtse kust, tusschen Schevelingen en Katwijk, in de sorokkelmaandt 1598. (Amsterdam, 1681).

Engraving after Hendrik Goltzius by Gilliam van der Gouwen. Ca. 26 x 33 cm.

€ 450.00

From: Bor. *Oorsprongk, begin, en vervolgh der Nederlandsche oorlogen.* - Stranded whale on the Dutch shore near Katwijk, February 2, 1598. This engraving 'is particular important as a prototype for both whale print iconography and 17th century Dutch landscape. This particular depiction of a sperm whale was to be copied for two hundred years in European stranded whale and natural history prints'



(Ingalls p.190). - Fine. Muller, Historieplaten, 1082a; Ingalls, Lothrop Collection, 359; Brewington, Kendall Whaling Museum, 530; See Sliggers & Wertheim, 'Op het strand gesmeten', p.52-56.

## Richly illustrated dictionary of historical places and people in the Netherlands.



Nederlanden, en onderhorige landschappen, geopent in een algemeen historisch, genealogisch, geographisch, en staatkundig woordenboek, waar in de aloude, de opvolgende en hedendaagsche staat dezer gewesten naar de orde van't A.B.C. ontvouwen en opgeheldert wordt, uit een zeer groot getal van oude en nieuwe geschiedboeken, hantvesten, brieven, aantekeningen, en andere schriften, met behulp van verscheide kenners byeenvergadert en zamengestelt door François Halma en na deszelfs overlyden vervolgt door Matthaeus Brouërius van Nidek. Leeuwarden, Hendrik Halma, 1725.

2 volumes. Large folio. Contemporary blind-tooled vellum. With allegorical frontispiece, 2 title-pages printed in red and black, engraved

portrait of the author, 27 engraved double-page maps and 37 engraved portraits.
(12),470; 408 pp. € 1.850,00

François Halma (1653-1722) was boekhandelaar en academiedrukker, eerst te Utrecht, later te Amsterdam en vanaf 1710 te Leeuwarden. Het 'Tooneel' is een soort encyclopedie op plaatsnamen en persoonsnamen. Bij zijn overlijden was Halma bijna gereed met de tekst. Brouërius van Nidek nam toen de letters W, Y en Z voor zijn rekening en voegde een levensbeschrijving van Halma toe (*Haitsma Mulier & Van der Lem 202b*). With fine portraits of the earls of Holland and maps of the Netherlands. - *A very fine copy*.

### Sven Hedin's first scientific expedition in Central Asia



51 **HEDIN, Sven.** En färd genom Asien 1893-97. Stockholm, Albert Bonniers, 1898.

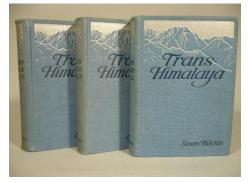
2 volumes. Original pictorial cloth (spines sl. discoloured). With 4 maps (2 large folding and one double page) and 258 illustrations (many full page plates and some in colours). XIV,565,(4); (4),537,((6) pp. € 225,00

First edition of Through Asia. - Account of Sven Hedin's first scientific

expedition in Central Asia. He traveled across Russia to Tashkent, and in winter 1893-94 he crossed the Pamir region. Returning to Kashgar in western Chinese Turkestan, he explored the Tarim Basin, then made a harrowing crossing of the Takla Makam Desert, during which some of his guides died of thirst. On his expedition, he also came upon ruins of ancient settlements that had lined the old Silk Road. Hedin next explored Lop Nop, a large shallow lake in western China, its shifting location long a puzzle to European geographers. He went on to Peking, then returned to Europe. He travelled through regions never before visited by Europeans. - *A fine set*.

Hess 4; Yakushi H97C, Cordier, BS, col.2853.

### Account of the exploration in Tibet and Central Asia



52 **HEDIN, Sven.** Transhimalaya. Upptäcker och äfventyr i Tibet. Stockholm, Albert Bonnier, 1909 - 1912.

3 volumes. Original pictorial cloth. With 15 maps and 569 illustrations and plates (several in colours). (14),665,(2); (4),593,(2); (6),591 pp.  $\in$  225,00

First edition of Trans-Himalaya. -Account of the exploration in Tibet and Central Asia, 1906-08. 'Der Reichtum

an geographischer, historischer und ethnologischer, aber auch kultureller Information bleibt auch heute noch in ihrer gesamtheitlichen Darstellung einmalig und unübertroffen' (Aschoff 812). - A fine set. Hess p.23; Yakushi H103a.

## One of the most well-known Dutch books of a disastrous voyage by the Dutch East India Company (VOC)



#### 53 HEYDEN, Frans Jansz. van der.

Vervaarlyke schipbreuk van't Oostindiesch jacht Ter Schelling, onder het land van Bengale, verhaalende deszelfs verongelukken, en den gruwelyken hongersnood van 32 schipbreukelingen op zeker onbewoont eiland, daer zy van't wrak met een vlot aanguamen. Als ook hoe zy van het selve eiland in Bengale landen, en voorts in't veldleger van den Grooten Mogol, tot in't koningryk van Assam landewaarts opgevoert zijn. Benevens een bondige beschryving der koningryken van Arrakan, Bengale, Martavan, Tanassery, enz. Dezen druck zeer vermeerdert door Willem Kunst, welke het selve alles mede bygewoont heeft. Amsterdam, Steeve van Esveldt, 1746. 4to. Modern boards. With title-page pinted in

red and black, engraved frontispiece and 12 engraved plates by D. Bosboom. 134 pp.  $\in 1.750,00$ 

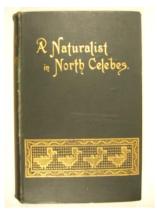
First edition was published in Amsterdam in 1648. - Shipwreck on a desert island, hunger, and cannibalism are the themes in this journal kept by Franz Janszoon van der Heiden, a member of the crew. The ship left Batavia (Jakarta) under captain Jacob Jansz. Stroom in 1661 and wrecked on a sandbank off the shore of Bengal and finally reached mainland Bengal where they were conscripted into the Mogul army to fight against the kingdom of Assam. The gruesome massacre of captives by the Nabob is described and followed by accounts of the kingdoms of Arrakan, Martabab, Tanassery, Bengala and Patan along the coast of the Bay of Bengal from modern Bangladesh to Burma. One of the most well-known Dutch books of a disastrous voyage by the Dutch East India Company (VOC). - Fine.

Landwehr, VOC, 423; Tiele 462; Cat. NHSM I, p.188; Huntress 23 C; Lach, Asia in the making of Europe III, p.496.

### The northern coast of the island of Celebes (Sulawesi)

54 **HICKSON, Sydney John.** A naturalist in North Celebes. A narrative of travels in Minahassa, the Sangir and Talaut islands, with notices on the fauna, flora and ethnology of the districts visited. London, John Murray, 1889.

Original decorated cloth gilt (extremities of spine sl. dam.). With coloured

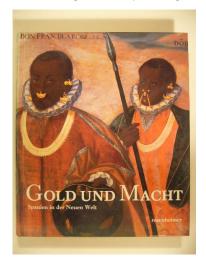


lithographed frontispiece, 2 folding coloured maps, 6 plates and 27 wood-engravings. XV,392 pp. € 425,00

First edition. - 'I have brought together in this volume some extracts from the journal of my wanderings in North Celebes, the Sangir and Talaut Islands, a more detailed account of the fauna of the small islands called Talisse, situated in the Straits of Banka, and a summary of our knowledge of the ethnology of the district of Minahassa' (Preface). The book concentrates specifically on the northern coast of the island of Celebes (Sulawesi). Sydney John Hickson (1859 - 1940), was a British zoologist known for his groundbreaking research in evolution, embryology,

genetics, and systematics. He travelled in the Malay archipelago in 1885-1886. -With handwritten dedication, dated 1896 and fine bookplate of J.G. van Marle. - A fine copy.

Cat. KITLV p.31; Casev Wood p. 386.



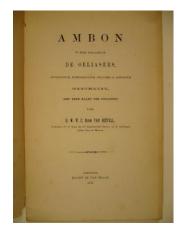
HISPANIC AMERICA, GOLD UND MACHT. Spanien in der Neuen Welt. Eine Ausstellung anlässlich des 500. Jahrestages der Entdeckung Amerikas. (Wien, Rosenheimer, 1986). 4to. Pictorial boards. With numerous illustrations, several in colours. 431 pp. – Fine.

€ 35.00

### Ambon, Maluku Islands

HOËVELL, G(errit) W(illem) W(olter) C(arel) van. Ambon en meer bepaaldelijk de Oeliasers, geographisch, ethnographisch, politisch en historisch geschetst. Dordrecht, Blussé en Van Braam, 1875.

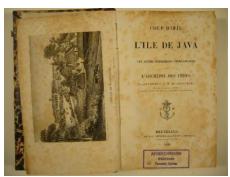
Modern cloth, original printed frontwrapper mounted. With folding map, coloured in outline (repairs on fold). VIII, VIII, 234 pp. € 450.00



*Original edition.* - General description of Ambon, by a district officer of Ambon-Lease, with special attention being paid to the districts of Hila/Lariki and Saparua/Haruku. - *Scarce*.

Tiele 489; Cat. KITLV p.33; Ruinen A64; Polman 116.

### A lively picture of the Dutch East Indies



and rolding map, coloured in outline. XII,422,(4) pp.  $\in 695,00$ 

Willem van. Coup d'oeill sur l'ile de Java et les autres possessions Néerlandaises dans l'archipel des Indes. Bruxelles, C.J. de Mat, 1830. Contemporary half brown morocco (hinges cracked but firmly holding; top of spine sl. dam.), With lithographed frontispiece depicting the palace at Buitenzorg after Titsingh by Lauters, and folding map, coloured in outline.

First edition. - C.S.W. van Hogendorp (1788-1856) was resident of Buitenzorg and Batavia from 1818 to 1827, and governor-general of the Dutch East Indies in 1840-1841. He reveals himself as a proponent of benign government, protecting the native population from European depredation. In this book he goes into all kinds of detail about such things as the cost of groceries, trade balances, politics, culture, vegetation and wildlife, colonial administration, etc. It is a lively picture of the Dutch East Indies. A special chapter is devoted to the history of the Dutch relations with Japan. - (Stained). - Copy from the libary of Dutch parliament.

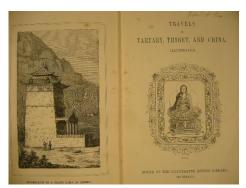
Tiele 493; Cf. Cat. NHSM I, p.510 (Dutch ed.); Bastin-Brommer N 224; Cat. KITLV, p.2.



58 **HOMOET, J.C.** Ito, de priester der zongodin. Een Japansch verhaal. Amsterdam, W. Kirchner, (1899). Original half brown cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With coloured lithographed frontispiece and map. 321,(2) pp. € 95,00

Juvenile of which the scene is laid at Japan with observations on local history and customs.

### From Macao and Canton through Mongolia to Lhasa



59 **HUC, Régis Evariste & Joseph GABET.** Travels in Tartary, Thibet, and China, during the years 1844-5-6.
Translated from the French by W.
Hazlitt. 2nd edition. London, National Illustrated Library, (1852).
2 volumes. Original embossed orange cloth (spines discoloured). With folding map and 100 wood-engravings.
292; 304 pp. € 295,00

First published in Paris in 1850:

Souvenires d'un voyage dans la Tartarie, le Thibet et la Chine. - Record of the famous journey made between 1839 and 1852 by the Lazarist missionaries Huc and Gabet travelling from Macao and Canton through Mongolia to Lhasa. Cf. Cordier, B. S., col. 2119; Yakushi H249; Marshall 1334; Aschhoff 920; Howgego II, p.291.

60 **JOLIFFE, T(homas) R(obert).** Reis in Palestina, Syrië en Egypte, gedaan in het jaar 1817. Met vele bijvoegselen en ophelderingen uit de nieuwste uitlandsche reisbeschrijvingen verrijkt, en ingerigt tot een nuttig gebruik voor bijbellezers. Met eene voorrede van E.F.K. Rosenmuller. Uit het Hoogduitsch vertaald. Amsterdam, G. Portielje, 1822.

2 volumes. Contemporary half calf. With folding engraved map and 3 engraved plates (1 folding) after J. van Meurs by D. Veelwaard. XXIV,248; XII,307 pp.

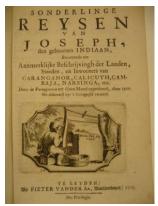
€ 295,00

First Dutch edition; first published in London in 1819: Letters from Palestine, descriptive of a tour through Galilee and Judea, Syria, and Egypt; with some



account of the Dead Sea and the present state of Jerusalem, written in the year 1817. - The letters are written to various personages, containing historical as well as descriptive details. - (Some marginal foxing and offsetting of the plates). Rohricht p.349; Tobler p.143-144; Ibrahim-Hilmy p.332; Blackmer Collection 878; not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

### An early account of a visitor from India to Europe



61 JOSEPH, DEN GEBOORNEN INDIAAN. SONDERLINGE REYSEN VAN JOSEPH, DEN GEBOORNEN INDIAAN, bevattende een aanmerklijke beschrijvingh der landen, steeden, en inwooners van Caranganor, Calicuth, Cambaja, Narsinga, enz. Door de Portugeezen uyt sijnen mond opgetekend, anno 1501. Nu aldereerst uyt 't Portugeesch vertaald. Leyden, Pieter van der Aa, 1706.

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

€ 175,00

Issued in Pieter van der Aa's collection of voyages. - When Pedro Alvares Cabral called at Cochin in the winter of 1500 to 1501, he was approached by two Syro-Malabar priests, Joseph and Mathias, who requested to be taken on board for the voyage to Europe so that they could visit Rome and Jerusalem. Mathias, however, died en route. In the cities of Europe, Joseph was apparently interrogated at great length about his homeland, and was regarded as a man of the highest integrity. His description of Cranganore, although bigoted and biased in favour of the Christian community, was widely accepted at face value. In Rome he presented a report on the Malabar Christians and answered numerous questions, some of them directed from the pope himself (Howgego J29). An early account of a visitor from India to Europe. - Fine.

Tiele 5; Cat. NHSM I, p.107.

## Charting the coasts of Australia and New Guinea around Torres Street



62 (JUKES, Joseph Beete). Togten van een Engelschman door den Indischen Archipel, voor Nederlandsche lezers bewerkt door W(olter) R(obert) van Hoëvell. Zalt-Bommel, Joh. Noman en Zoon, 1853.

2 volumes. Original printed boards (spines dam.). With 2 tinted lithographed title-pages and 4 lithographed plates after C.C.A. Last by

P. Blommers. LXXV,191; III,269 pp.

€ 675.00

First Dutch edition. - Translation of Jukes (1811-1869) Narrative of the surveying voyage of H.M.S. Fly, commanded by Captain F.P. Blackwood, in Torres Strait, New Guinea and other islands of the Eastern Archipelago, during the years 1842-1846, London 1847. The narrative of an important voyage undertaken for the purpose of surveying the

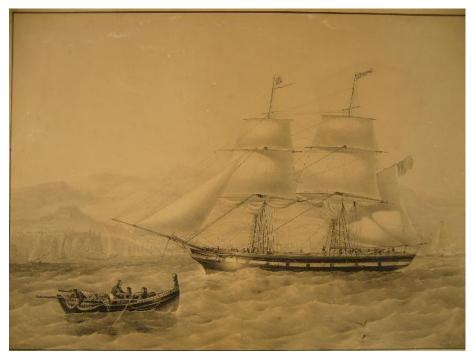
lesser-known parts of the coast of northeastern Australia and the islands of Torres Strait and the Great Barrier Reef. New Guinea was also visited, and the Fly River was discovered. Accounts of Timor and its aborigines, Dutch Java, Sandelwood Island, Singapore, and Malacca are included. Jukes was the naturalist on the expedition (Hill 901). The plates depict i.a. Singapore and New Guinea. Tiele 490 (note); Bastin & Brommer N406; Cat. KITLV, Suppl. 5, p.39; not in Cat. NHSM.



63 JUNGHUHN, Franz Wilhelm. Licht- en schaduwbeelden uit de binnenlanden van Java. Over het karakter, de mate van beschaving, de zeden en gebruiken der Javanen; over de invoering van het Christendom op Java, het bezigen van vrijen arbeid en andere vragen van den dag. Verhalen en gesprekken der gebroeders Dag en Nacht; , verzameld op reizen door gebergten en bosschen, in de woningen van armen en rijken. 6e herziene en

vermeerderde druk. Amsterdam, F. Günst, 1867. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt. With lithographed portrait. 377 pp. € 275,00 Franz Junghuhn (1809-1864) was a co-founder of the Dutch freethinkers' association. He expounded his views in the anonymous publication of *Images of Light and Shadow from Java's interior*, first published in 1854. The book created a lot of bad feeling which impeded but could not prevent its appearance in the Netherlands. In the Netherlands Indies, the book was what we would now call a best seller. Junghuhn's book was prohibited in Austria and in several German states and principalities because of its alleged 'denigrations and vilifications of Christianity' (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, p.69*).

Cat. KITLV p.256; Buur 53; Tiele 573 (note).



**KNELL, William.** A two-masted barque together with other vessels in a calm sea off the coast. (No pl., ca. 1850). Lithographed plate after William Knell. Ca. 34 x 46 cm.  $\qquad$  £ 295,00 Attractive scene by William Adolphus Knell (1802-1875) or his son William Calcott Knell (1830-1880), both successful British maritime painters of the 19th century. - (Some spots).

### Sent to the Cape of Good Hope with letters of introduction from Nicolaas Witsen mayor of Amsterdam



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

65 KOLB, Peter. Description du Cap de Bonne-Esperance, òu l'on trouve tout ce qui concerne l'histoirenaturelle du pays; la religion, les moeurs & les usages des Hottentots; et l'établissement des Hollandois. Amsterdam, Jean Catuffe, 1742. 3 volumes. Sm.8vo. Later half calf, spines ribbed. With titles printed in red and black, engraved allegorical frontispiece, 5 folding engraved maps and 25 engraved plates (1 folding).

€ 1.750,00

First French edition, first published in German in Nürnberg in 1719. - Peter Kolb (1676-1726), a German astronomer, was sent to the Cape by Baron von Krosick in 1705. From 1707 till April 1713 he was secretary in service by the Dutch East India Company (VOC) at Stellenbosch. Of the utmost importance is the section on the plants and on the animals of that region, being the earliest account of South African fauna. Peter Kolb published one of the first works in German devoted entirely to the Cape region of South Africa. His work divides equally between the natural histtory of the Cape and a description of the Hottentot (Khoi) people, explaining their manners and customs in great detail (Howgego p.577). - (1 leaf sl. damaged with some loss of text). - Fine set.

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



66 KOTZEBUE, August Friederich Ferdinand von.

Les Indiens en Angleterre, comédie en trois actes et en prose, librement traduite de la pièce allemande .. par L. Bursay. Bruxelles, J.L. de Boubers, 1792.

Contemporary marbled boards (sl. dam.). 103 pp.

€ 225,00

First French edition; first published in Leipzig in 1790: Die Indianer in England. - Louis Bursay (1738-1807), stage and pen-name Louis Bruyas, was a French actor and playwriter, he translated several plays by Kotzebue (1761-1819), who was one of the most popular writers of his time. - (Last leaf mounted on last free endpaper, old

owner's inscription on title-page and on verso owner's stamps). -  $\it Rare.$ 

# A fine copy from the library of Nassau-Oranien in Dillenburg



67 **LAET, Johannes de.** Gallia, sive de Francorum regis dominiis et opibus commentarius. Lugduni Batavorum, ex officina Elzeviriana, 1629. 16mo. Contemporary vellum, with manuscript title on spine. With fine engraved titlepage. (14), 461 pp. € 375.00

First edition; with bookplate on verse titlepage Ad Bibliothecam Principalem Arausio-Nassauiensem Dillenburgicam. - Johannes de Laet from Antwerp (1581- 1649), was a Dutch geographer and director of the Dutch West India Company (WIC). This volume on France belongs to a popular series published by Elzevier in Leiden on several countries, and called by the general title Republiques

elzeviriennes or Respublica. De Laet wrote eleven works for that series. - A fine copy from the library of Nassau-Oranien in Dillenburg.
Willems 311.

# Beautiful coloured plates drawn from sketches by the author

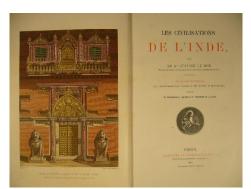


68 LATROBE, Christian Ignatius. Journal of a visit to South Africa, in 1815, and 1816, with some account of the missionary settlements of the United Brethren, near the Cape of Good Hope. London, L.B. Seeley and R. Ackermann, 1818.
4to. Later half calf, spine gilt, with red morocco title-labels. With folding map, 4 engraved plates and 12 handcoloured aquatint plates. (8),406 pp. € 2450,00

First edition. - Latrobe was sent out to South Africa in response to the request of Moravian missionaries at Genadendal and Groenekloof for a minister to visit them. The Governor of the Cape had expressed a wish that a third station should be opened, and in order to choose a site the author travelled through a large part of the country right up to the Fish River. There is a full description of the district of

Groenekloof, and of the missionary settlements, about thirty miles north of Cape Town also an account of the church and village of Caledon. Some information is afforded regarding the life of the up-country farmers at this period. In 1816 he started for a journey into the interior, the route taken from Genadendal being via Zwellendam, Zeekogat near George, Welgelegen, Uitenhage, to the Witte River, and then to the Little Fish River, returning via Plettenberg and Mossel Bays (Mendelssohn p.866-867). The book is much enhanced by the superbly coloured plates after sketches by the author himself and John Melville, Government Surveyor of the Cape, who accompanied him. Also included is a visit to St. Helena, and 'the first description of the fledgling colony' of Ascension Island (Howgego). - A very attractive copy.

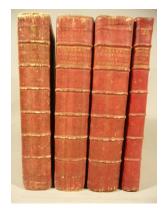
Abbey, Travel, 325; Howgego, II, p.9; Prideaux p.240; SAB III, p.59; Tooley 292.



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

First edition. - Containing also some coloured illustrations of Nepal in the 19th century. - (Foxed as usual). Yakushi L58; Chadenat 1408.

### Rare complete set



70 **LE CLERC, Jean.** Geschiedenissen der Vereenigde Nederlanden, sedert den aanvang van die Republyk tot op den vrede van Utrecht in't jaar 1713, en het tractaat van barriere in't jaar 1715 gesloten. .. nu in't Nederduitsch vertaalt. (With) Vervolg .. beschreeven door Pieter Le Clercq. Amsterdam, Zacharias Chatelain & Amsterdam, Dirk onder de Linden, 1730-1753.

4 volumes. Folio. Contemporary half roan. With 4 engraved allegorical frontispieces, engraved dedication plate, 4 title-pages printed in red and black, 4 maps and plans (3 folding), 34 double-page plates (2 folding) and 61 engraved portraits by Jan Luyken, Bernard Picart, a.o.  $\ensuremath{\in} 2450,00$ 

First edition; of the sequel only one volume was published. - 'Een der klassieke

geschiedenissen van de Opstand en de Republiek in de 17de eeuw, van de beeldenstorm van 1566 en de komst van Alva tot de Vrede van Utrecht in 1713 die een einde maakte aan de Spaanse Successieoorlog. Jean le Clerc, of Joannes Clericus, stamde uit een Hugenoots geslacht. Hij studeerde filosofie, Hebreeuws en theologie in Geneve en maakte verschillende reizen door Europa. Tegenzin tegen de Calvinistische orthodoxie in zijn woonplaats en onder de invloed van de werken van Grotius, Episcopius, Van Limborch en andere heterodoxe schrijvers deed hem verhuizen naar Amsterdam, waar hij zich aansloot bij de Remonstrantse partij. Hij bleef de rest van zijn leven in Amsterdam als 'polyhistoricus', hoogleraar filosofie en Hebreeuws aan het Remonstrants Seminarium, sinds 1712 opvolger van Van Limborch als hoogleraar kerkgeschiedenis. Hij onderhield relaties met o.a. John Locke, op wie hij een uitvoerige Eloge historique schreef (1705), was uitgever van de beroemde Bibliotheque universelle et historique (voortgezet als Bibliotheque choisie en Bibliotheque ancienne et moderne) en van de werken van Erasmus, Grotius, en anderen. Eerder (1728) uitgegeven in het Frans als Histoire des Provinces-Unies des Pays-Bas. Het oeuvre van Le Clerc is ontzagwekkend van omvang en veelzijdigheid en het historische gedeelte vormt daar slechts een klein deel van (Haitsma Mulier & Van der Lem 110-l). - Fine set including the sequel 1713-1740.

Van Eeghen - Van der Kellen 474.

# 'One of the earliest works combining exploration natural history and sport'



71 **LE VAILLANT, François.** Reize in de binnenlanden van Afrika, langs de Kaap de Goede Hoop, in de jaaren 1780 tot 1785, gedaan. Uit het Fransch door J.D. Pasteur. Leyden, Amsterdam, Honkoop en Allart, 1791-98. 5 volumes in 2. Contemporary half calf, (rebacked with the original spines laid down), with red morocco title-labels on spines. With large folding map and 34 engraved plates (7 folding and 7 printed in sepia). € 1250,00

First Dutch edition; first published in French Voyage dans l'interieur de l'Afrique par le Cap de Bonne-Espétance. Paris 1790. - 'Le Vaillant was born at Paramaribo in Dutch Guiana in 1753, and after being educated in Holland, France, and Germany, proceeded to Paris where he studied the natural history collections, and, full of enthusiasm and ambition, decided to travel into the interior of Africa in order to further his opportunities of gaining information by observing the specimens in their

native countries. Making the acquaintance of Mr. Temminck, the Treasurer of the Dutch East India Company, he was enabled to proceed to the Cape in one of the Company's ships called the *Held-Woltemaade* ... The narrative is characterised by the intelligent and interesting manner in which it is written.' (*Mendelssohn pp.889-890*). He was one of the first to study the birds in South Africa. 'This work was attacked when published, and some of the incidents related were declared to be either exaggerated or altogether invented. It is, however, interesting as an account of South Africa at a time when comparatively little was known regarding its natural history and the Dutch settlers' (*Cox I, p.389*). - With nice views i.a. of the Cape of Good Hope and plates showing Hottentots and giraffes. - Some browning and waterstaining, some blank margins restored, folds of folding plan skilfully restored otherwise a fine copy.

Tiele 659; Cat. NHSM I, p.206 (French ed. only); Mendelssohn I, p.889; SAB III, p.100; Howgego p.625; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of S. Africa 1650-1790, p.177-271, Nissen, ZBI, 2482; Czech p.164-165.

### One of the most prominent experts about Hebrew philology

72 **LEUSDEN, Johannes.** Schola Syriaca una cum synopsi chaldaica et dissertatione de literis & lingua samaritanorum. Editio secunda. Ultrajecti, ex off



Gregorii à Poolsum, (colophon Hermannum Clerck), 1672. Sm.8vo. Contemporary vellum. (16), 272 pp.  $\$   $\$   $\$   $\$  450,00

First published in 1658. - Johannes Leusden (1624-1699) was a Dutch Calvinist theologian and orientalist. He was born in Utrecht, studied in Utrecht and Amsterdam and became a professor of Hebrew in Utrecht. He was one of the most prominent Bible experts of his

time, and wrote several works about the Bible and about Hebrew philology. Investigations of the language and literature of the Samaritans, an ethnoreligious group of the Levant originating from the Israelites of the Ancient Near East.

# Written by the tutor to the son of the last Dutch governor J.W. Janssens

73 **LICHTENSTEIN, Martin Hinrich Karl (Henry).** Travels in Southern Africa, in the years 1803, 1804, 1805, and 1806. Translated from the original German by Anne Plumptre. London, Henry Colburn, 1812-1815.



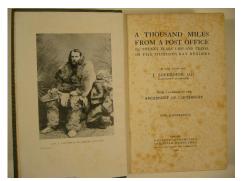
2 volumes. 4to. Later half calf, spines lettered in gilt. With engraved portrait, folding map of the Cape of Good Hope from the latest surveys made by order of the Dutch government (mounted on linen), folding engraved view of the Karree Mountains (mounted on linen) and 7engraved plates. XII,383,(32); XIV,368,(28) pp. € 1250,00

First edition, first published in German in Berlin in 1811-1812 Reisen in

südlichen Afrika. - Lichtenstein came to the Cape as tutor to the last Dutch governor J.W. Janssens son. There is an account of Janssens's travels to Kaffraria, and of subsequent journeys through the western and northern parts of the colony, including visits to Groenekloof, Saldanha Bay, the Rogge Veld, the Karroo, Roodezand, Zwellendam, Mossel Bay, Bethelsdorp, Graaff-Reinet etc. with descriptions of the Bechunas, Bushmen, and the various Kaffir tribes; and much information respecting the wild animals and natural features of the country traversed. The second volume contains further journeys to Zwellendam and the countries inhabited by the Bushmen, Corans and the Bechuanas and concludes with a narrative of the capture of the colony bt the British (Mendelssohn I, p.899). - (Some leaves browned). - A good copy.

SAB III, p.116; Howgego II, p.360

#### Southern Hudson Bay regions



74 **LOFTHOUSE, Joseph.** A thousand miles from a post office or, twenty years' life and travel in the Hudson's Bay regions. With a preface by the Archbishop of Canterbury. London, Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, 1922. Original green cloth. With folding map and photographic plates. VII,184 pp. € 65,00

First edition. - 'Account of sledge and canoe trips by a bishop of Keewatin

whos visitation included the Church of England missions in the southern Hudson Bay regions, 1882-1902. Includes record of travels on the Barren Grounds, and north to Chesterfield Inlet; with notes on the Eskimos, their kayaks, and on polar bears, etc.' (*Arctic Bibl. 10307*). - (*Foxed as usual*).



75 **MacGREGOR, John.** Veertien dagen op de zee van Galilea. Naar het Engelsch door C(arel) S(teven) Adama van Scheltema. Amsterdam, Hoveker & Zoon, (1878).

Original printed wrappers. With lithographed map and 2 chromolithographed plates by Emrik & Binger. 74,(2) pp. € 75,00

Dutch translation of *Rob Roy on the Jordan Nile, Red Sea and Gennesareth* 

&c.: a canoe cruise in Palestine and Egypt, and the waters of Damascus. London 1869. - Rohricht p.547.



#### **MARINE**

76 **KONINKLIJKE NEDERLANDSCHE MARINE**, op den 1sten Januarij 1854. Uitgegeven door het Departement van Marine, ten koste en ten behoeve van het fonds voor oude en gebrekkige zeelieden. (No pl.), Gebroeders van Cleef, 1854. Contemporary brown morocco with gilt coats of arms of the Netherlands at the centre of both boards within gilt decoration, a.e.g. 96 pp. € 295,00

Name-list of all the units of the Dutch marine in 1854. Interleaved copy with many handwritten additions. - *Rare*.

# 'The first account of Cook's second voyage and the first account of exploration within the Antarctic circle'

77 (MARRA, John). Journal of the *Resolution*'s voyage, in 1772, 1773, 1774, and 1775, on discovery to the southern hemisphere, by which the non-existence of an undiscovered continent, between the equator and the 50th degree of southern latitude, is demonstratively proved. Also a journal of the adventure's voyage, in the year 1772, 1773, and 1774. With an account of the separation of the two ships, and the most remarkable incidents that befel each. Interspersed with historical and



geographical descriptions of the islands and countries discovered in the course of their respective voyages. London, F. Newbery, 1775.

Contemporary calf, skilfully rebacked, with green morocco title label. With large folding chart and 5 engraved plates. (14),328 pp. € 8500,00

First edition. - Preceding Cook's official account by some 18 months, this was 'the first account of Cook's second

voyage and the first account of exploration within the Antarctic circle' (*Davidson 81*). This eye-witness account was written by the Irish gunner's mate on the *Resolution* whom Cook had picked up in Batavia during his first voyage. It contains many events not recorded in the official account by Cook and gives the reasons which caused Sir Joseph Banks and his twelve assistants to withdraw from the expedition at the last moment. Marra made an uncuccessful attemp to desert at Tahiti on May 14, 1774, during this second voyage. This book is actually the first book published, based on first-hand knowledge, relating to the Antarctic regions and the fine plates are the first depictions of the region. Without the extra folding map which is not called for in 'The directions to the binder' and most of the references. - Offsetting of the plates and some foxing otherwise a *fine copy*. *Beaglehole II*, *p.CLIII-CLV*; *Beddie 1270*; *Hill 1087*; *Roscove 214*; *Spence 758*; *Kroepelien 809*; *O'Reilly-Reitman 379*; *Hocken p.14*; *Conrad p.13*; *Sabin 16247* 

# William Marsden, English orientalist, linguist, numismatist, and pioneer in the scientific study of Indonesia

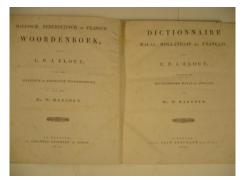


78 **MARSDEN, William.** A grammar of the Malayan language, with an introduction and praxis. London, printed for the author and sold by Longman, Hurst, Rees, Orme and Brown, 1812. 4to. Later blue buckram. L,(2),225 pp. € 975,00

First edition; with bookplate of Arthur Hereward Millard. - Famous Malay grammar by William Marsden (1754-1836). In the very profuse introduction he discusses a diversity of subjects, frequently only distantly connected with the Malay language. He reached Bencoolen on 30 May 1771. During an eight years' residence in Sumatra,

Marsden did good official service as sub-secretary, and afterwards as principal secretary, to the government *(DNB)*. - A landmark of European Malay scholarship . - (Foxed as usual). - A fine copy.

Cordier, BI, 1405; Teeuw, A critical survey of studies on Malay and Bahasa Indonesia, p.16: great Malay grammar.



79 MARSDEN, William. Maleisch, Nederduitsch en Fransch woordenboek, (vertaald) door C.P.J. Elout; naar het Maleisch en Engelsch woordenboek. Dictionnaire Malai, Hollandais et Français .. traduit du dictionnaire Malai et Anglais de W. Marsden. Haarlem, Johannes Enschedé en Zonen, 1825. 4to. Modern half cloth. XXI,(2),604 pp. € 395,00

Famous Malay dictionary by William

Marsden (1754-1836) translated by Cornelis Pieter Jacob Elout (1795-1843) into Dutch and French, both of which were official languages in Holland. William Marsden was an English orientalist, linguist, numismatist, and pioneer in the scientific study of Indonesia. - (Some staining at end).

Teeuw, A critical survey of studies on Malay and Bahasa Indonesia, p.16-17.



#### 80 MARSDEN, William.

Maleische spraakkunst .. in 1812 te London gedrukt, en uit het Engelsch vertaald door C.P.J. Elout. - Grammaire de la langue Malaie .. publié a Londres en 1812, et traduite de l'Anglais par C.P.J. Elout. Haarlem, Johannes Enschedé en Zonen, 1824. 4to. Original boards (sl. rubbed). XCV, 344,(4) pp.  $\in$  425,00

First published in London in 1812: A

grammar of the Malayan language. - Famous Malay grammar by William Marsden (1754-1836) in Dutch and French, both of which were, at that time, official languages in the United Kingdom of the Netherlands. In the very profuse introduction he discusses a diversity of subjects, frequently only distantly connected with the Malay language. He reached Bencoolen on 30 May 1771. During an eight years' residence in Sumatra, Marsden did good official service as sub-secretary, and afterwards as principal secretary, to the government (DNB). - A fine copy. Cordier, BI, col. 1405; Teeuw, A critical survey of studies on Malay and Bahasa Indonesia, p.16: great Malay grammar; Cat. KITLV p.278.



81 MARSDEN, William. The history of Sumatra, containing an account of the government, laws, customs, and manners of the native inhabitants, with a description of the natural productions, and a relation of the ancient political state of that island. 3rd edition, with corrections, additions. London, J. M'Creery, 1811. 4to. Later blue buckram (spine discoloured). With large folding engraved map and engraved plate with Sumatran alphabets. VIII,479,(9) pp. € 975,00

Third and best edition; first published in London in 1783; with the bookplate of Arthur Hereward Millard. - 'This book gave Marsden a reputation that still holds today. He was an orientalist, in the service of the East India

Company (VOC), and resided in Sumatra in 1771-79. He studied everything that came under his notice, including the difficult Sumatran tongue" (*Cox I, p.300*). His book is the first important monograph on Sumatra, including a chapter on Nias and also the first text in English devoted to the island. - (Atlas missing as usual). *Wellan-Helfrich D 238; Howgego M55; Hill 1093*.



# 82 MARTENS, Friedrich. Hispanische Reise-Beschreibung de anno 1671. Herausgegeben von W. Junk. Berlin, W. Junk, 1925. Wrappers. With 37 plates. 26 pp. € 45,00

First edition in print of the voyage to Spain by Friedrich Martens, (1635 - 1699), a German physician and naturalist.

83 **MARTENS, Friedrich.** Spitzbergische oder Groenlandische Reise Beschreibung gethan im Jahr 1671. Aus eigner Erfahrunge beschrieben .. Berlin, W. Junk, 1923. Wrappers. With 16 nicely engraved plates. (8),132,(3) pp. € 45,00



Facsimile edition, first published in 1675. - Account by the Hamburg ship's surgeon Friedrich Martens beginning with chronicling observations and progress of the voyage from April to August 1671. This is followed by a detailed description on the Spitsbergen physical environment, natural history, and whale fishery. It is the first exact description of Arctic zoology (Wood). - One of the classics of whaling literature.

Sabin 44834; Chavanne 2786; Ingalls 137.

# Thomas Maurice (1754–1824) a noted British oriental scholar and historian



84 **MAURICE, Thomas.** The history of Hindostan, its arts, and its sciences, as connected with the history of the other great empires of Asia, during the most ancient periods of the world. 2nd edition. London, printed by W. Bulmer and W. Nicol, 1820.
3 volumes in 2. 4to. Contemporary half

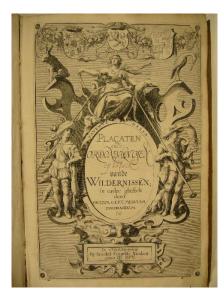
calf, spines gilt (hinges sl. dam.). With 16 engraved plates (2 folding). 522; 303,337 pp.  $\in$  950,00

First edition published in London in 1795. - Thomas Maurice (1754-1824) published numerous works on the religion of India. After he had completed his extensive 'Indian Antiquities' he traced Indian history back to its classical origins. Volume I mainly gives ancient astronomical details from the Hindoo, Hebraic,

Phoenician, Egyptian and Greek systems, covering the period between the creation and the flood. Volume II contains the Sanskrit and classical history of India. The imaginative curious plates are showing the Indian Deitees (incarnations of Veeshnu, Creeshna etc.) but also the ancient zodiac from Egypt, oriental zodiac, the 28 Hindoo

lunar mansions. The plates are mainly facsimiles of the mythological designs and as Maurice says in his advertisement 'Absurd as some of them may appear to an European eye, it appeared still more absurd attempt to make any alterations in them'. - (Some staining).

# A rare and important early 17th-century Dutch work on hunting



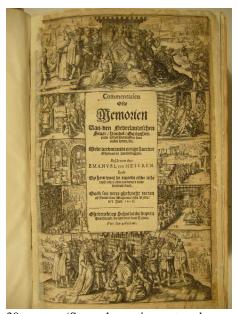
MERULA, Paulus. Placaten ende ordonnancien op't stuck vande wildernissen. (Bound with:) Tweede boeck inhoudende Kynhtetika of jacht-bedryf' dat is, meest alle 'tghene de jaght aengaende, ghevonden werdt by verscheyden aucteurs, Griecksche, Latynsche, Francoische, ende andere. (Bound with:) Derde boeck vervattende de izeytika of vlught-bedryf, dat is, de voornaemste aenmerckinghen, die op de vlught by verscheyden aucteurs ghevonden werden. Mit een ghetrouwe inmenginghe van de placaten ende ordonnantien. 's Graven-Hage, Beuckel Corneliss. Nieulant, 1605. 3 volumes in 1. Large 8vo. Contemporary pollished overlapping vellum. With fine engraved title-page, 2 identical woodcut printer's marks and 2 double-page woodcut

vies of Huys te Teylingen and Huys te Warmond, and many woodcut initials and vignettes. (24),264; 125; 59 pp. € 3.750,00

First edition. - A rare and important early 17th-century Dutch work on hunting by Paulus Merula (Paul van Merle) (1558-1607). In 1598 he became librarian and in 1603 rector of the Leyden University. Including a brief account on falconry in Holland. - A very fine copy of an early Dutch work on hunting and falconry.

# It contains also valuable material for the history of the East- and West India Companies

86 **METEREN, Emanuel van.** Commentarien ofte memorien van-den Nederlandtschen staet/ handel / oorloghen ende gheschiedenissen van onsen tyden/etc. .. By hem voor de tweede ende leste reyse over-sien, verbetert ende vermeerdert. Oock soo verre ghebrocht totten af-stande van wapenen ende vrede/ in't jaer 1608. Ghedruckt op Schotlandt buyten Danswijck (= Amsterdam?), by Hermes



van Loven, (1609) (colophon Londen, voor Emanuel van Meteren, 1609). Folio. Contemporary vellum (spine sl. dam.; new endpapers). With engraved title-page, engraved portrait, double-page map of the Netherland by Nicolaes van Geelkercken and several woodengraved portraits in the text. (8),244,199,167 (23),27 lvs. € 1850,00

First published in Amsterdam in 1599, followed by many enlarged editions. - Very important Dutch history starting with the 14th century up to 1608. It contains also valuable material for the history of the East- and West India Companies, and includes details on a Dutch boatsman who stayed for many years in Japan. Emanuel van Meteren (1535-1612) was consul in London for

30 years. - (Several margins restored, some waterstaining). *Cf. Sabin 48176; European Americana 609/84; Muller, America, p.14.* 



87 **MEYER, Joseph.** Meyer's Universum, oder Abbildung und Beschreibung des sehenswerthesten und merkwürdigsten der Natur und Kunst auf der gantzen Erde. Band 6. Hildburghausen und New York, Bibliographischen Institut, 1839. Oblong 8vo. Contemporary half calf. With steelengraved title-page and 47 steel-engraved views. € 275,00

Fine views of Sweden, Spain, Germany,

India, Himalaya, Bombay, Calcutta, Moskow, etc. - (Few blank margins sl. waterstained)

Andres p.154.

88 MICHAELIUS, Jonas. Manhattan in 1628 as described in the recently discovered autograph letter of Jonas Michaëlius written from the settlement on the 8th of August of that year and now first published. With a review of the letter and an historical sketch of New Netherland to 1628 by Dingman Versteeg. New York, Dodd Mead & Company, 1904. 4to. Original boards (spine half cloth). With facsimiles.

XII,203 pp. € 150,00



Number 30 of 50 copies printed on imperial Japan paper. - Jonas Michaëlius (1577 - after 1638) was the first clergyman to lead a congregation of the Dutch Reformed Church in America.



89 MIERIS, Frans van. Groot charterboek der graaven van Holland, van Zeeland en heeren van Vriesland: beginnende met de eerste en oudste brieven van die landstreeken, en eindigende met den dood van .. Jacoba van Beijere .. Leyden, Pieter vander Eyk, 1753-56. 4 volumes. Folio. Contemporary mottled calf, spines richly gilt, with green morocco labels on spines (2 missing), (some hinges sl. dam. and some extremities of spines sl. dam.). With titlepages printed in red and black. € 875,00

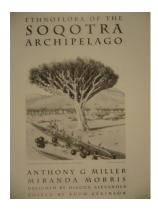
First and only edition. - Important source for local Dutch history and genealogy ca. 725-1450 by Frans van Mieris, the younger (1689 - 1763), a Dutch painter and historian.

Haitsma Mulier 338F.

#### A group of islands which is part of Yemen

90 **MILLER, Anthony G. & Miranda MORRIS.** Ethnoflora of the Soqotra Archipelago. Edited by Ruth Atkinson. Edinburgh, Royal Botanical Garden, 2004. Folio. Boards, with dust-jacket. With many illustrations and coloured photographic illustrations. XVI,759 pp. € 75,00

Provides comprehensive information on the traditional uses of all plants found on the group of islands which is part of Yemen and situated in the Arabian Sea and it contains a fully illustrated key to all plant families and species – all species on the islands are illustrated with at least one line drawing, and there are attractive colour



photographs of most of the circa 300 endemic species. Additional colour plates provide a stunning visual record of the landscapes, people and culture of this unique archipelago.

#### **MOROCCO**



91 NAUFRAGE DU BATEAU A
VAPEUR LE PAPIN le samedi 6
Décembre 1845 à 11 heures du soir, le
navire fit côte au Nord de Mazagan, sur
un banc de sable, à 2 ou 3 encâblures
de la terre; sa chiminee en tombant
écrasa plusieurs hommes de l'équipage,
le bâtiment fut coupé en deux à l'arrière
des Chaudières et de 151 personnes qui
montaient le bateu à vapeur, 76
seulement purent être sauvés, tout le
reste s'englouit dans les flots en fureur

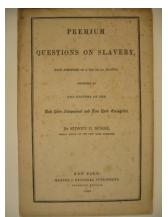
et dans la nuit du 6 au 7 Décembre. - Le dessin représente la situation du Papin le 6 Décembre à 5 heures du matin. London, Gambart Junin & Cie, Paris, François Delarue, (1845).

Tinted lithographed view after A. Mayer by A. Mayer et Sabatier. Ca. 38 x 51 cm.  $\in$  375.00

A fascinating depiction of the loss of a French man-of-war steamer *Le Papin*, and half her crew on 6 December 1845 off Mazagan, now El Jadida, in Morocco. Le Papin was one of the vessels destined to form the French squadron on the coast of Africa for the suppression of the slave trade, and was on her way to Senegal, intending to call at Mogador. 'I have this moment heard from the office of the British consul of the total wreck on the coast, between Azmoor and Mazagan, of another French man of war steamer, of 650 tons burden, and 140 horse power. The details are very shocking, and the number of lives lost are 77, including the captain and all the officers. with the exception of one midshipman. The newly appointed French

consul to Mogador is numbered among the victims. Exactly one half of those on board the unfortunate vessel were drowned, the other half were saved under circumstances which reflect the highest credit on the British and French consul at Mazagan. Mr. Redman, for it was to his prompt arrival at the spot, and his energetic persuasion of the Moors to assist him, that the survivors owe their lives' (*Shipping Gazette*).

### An impassioned list of 232 questions on slavery



92 **MORSE, Sidney Edwards.** Premium questions on slavery, each admitting of a yes or no answer; addressed to the editors of the New York Independent and New York Evangelist. New York, Harper & Brothers, 1860.
Original printed wrappers. 30 pp. € 65,00

An impassioned list of 232 questions on slavery, each admitting of a yes or no answer which author Sidney Morse, submitted to the press. Sidney Edwards Morse (1794 - 1871) was a U.S. inventor, geographer and journalist. He was the brother of telegraphy pioneer and painter Samuel F. B. Morse. In 1823 he moved to New York, and with his brother, Richard

Cary Morse, founded the *New York Observer*, which eventually became the oldest weekly in New York City, and the oldest religious newspaper in the state.

### Hindu-Javanese antiquities of Java, Madura and Bali



93 MÜLLER, Johannes. Ueber Alterthuemer des Ostindischen Archipels, insbesondere die Hindu-Alterthuemer und Tempelruinen auf Java, Madura und Bali. Nach Mittheilungen Brumunds und v.Hoevells aus dem Hollaendischen bearbeitet. Berlin, Selbstverlag des Verfassers, 1859. Old half cloth, with the original lithographed wrappers preserved. Wth 21 lithographed plates (5 tinted, 10 coloured) by Gebr. Delius. VIII,102 pp. € 575,00

First edition, privately printed. - Very rare description of the Hindu-Javanese antiquities of Java, Madura and Bali. - (Foxed as usual). Cat. KITLV p.538; not in Bastin-Brommer.

#### **Thailand**



94 **NEALE, Frederick Arthur.**Narrative of a residence at the capital of the kingdom of Siam; with a description of the manners, customs and laws of the modern Siamese.
London, Office of the National Illustrated Library, 1852.
Original embossed cloth (discoloured), spine gilt. With frontispiece, 2 printed title-pages, map, 2 plates and 25 woodengravings. XIV,280 pp. € 175,00

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

Cordier, BI, col. 735; Satow 126.

#### Bali & Lombok



95 NIEUWENKAMP, Wijnand Otto Jan. Bali en Lombok zijnde een verzameling geïllustreerde reisherinneringen en studies omtrent land en volk, kunst en kunstnijverheid. (Edam), 'De Zwerver', 1906-1910. Oblong folio. Original vellum with gilt decorations on covers (front cover sl. warped). With many illustrations and ornamented initials by the author. (18),234,IV pp. € 1650,00

First edition; 400 copies printed and signed by the author. - Wijnand Otto Jan Nieuwenkamp (1874 - 1950), was a Dutch multi-faceted autodidact. The drawings appearing in this book, which also included pioneering ethnographic and archaeological studies, are considered an important early book about this island. Bali made a deep impact on Nieuwenkamp, and he returned to the island again and again over the years - not only to make his own art but to learn the Balinese traditional painting. - Fine.

Lekkerkerker 54.

#### Opening of China and Japan to British trade



96 **OLIPHANT, Laurence.**Narrative of the Earl of Elgin's mission to China and Japan in the years 1857, '58, '59. New York, Harper & Brothers, 1860.

Original brown cloth gilt (spine sl. dam.). With coloured lithographed frontispiece and 60 wood-engraved plates and illustrations. XVI,645 pp.

€ 375,00

First American edition. - Laurence

Oliphant (1829-1888), British adventurer, diplomat, author and traveller, was private secretary to Lord Elgin and accompanied him to Calcutta, Hongkong, Canton, Tientsin and Yedo. The main purpose of the mission was the signing of treaties opening both China and Japan to British trade. The first part gives a detailed survey of the river Yangtze, opening up the hinterland to Western commerce. The second part gives a detailed description of the political and social conditions in Japan. *Cordier, B. S., col. 2376; Cordier, B.J., col. 547; Löwendahl 1224; Howgego IV, p.461-462.* 

#### The Madura Mission



97 (ORTI, Felix Maria). Carta de edificaçao, gloriosos trabalhos dos mission trabalhos dos missionarios da Companhia de Jesus, na missao de Madure, e maravilhosos successos, que deos nella obrou no anno de 1740. Dada a' luz pelo padre procurador da mesma missam, e provincia do Malabar da mesma Companhia. Lisboa, na nova officina Sylviana, 1746.

Period style brown tooled calf, spine gilt. With woodcut vignette on title-page. 48 pp.  $\,\in\,$  1450,00

First edition. - The Madura Mission was a bold attempt to establish an Indian Catholic Church that was relatively free of European cultural domination. It was founded in 1601by Robert de

Nobili (1577-1656) an Italian Jesuit missionary to Southern India, dependent on Goa province for men and material. He used a novel method of adaptation to preach Christianity, adopting many local customs of India which were, in his view, not

contrary to Christianity. Enmity and oppositions were growing strong in Portugal and in its colonies against the Jesuits. In 1773 Jesuits ceased to exist openly and officially in Madura mission and all over India. - *Very rare, only 1 copy know in WorldCat.* 

### Manual for pawnshop employees in Indonesia



98 **OSTMEIER, J.J.B.** Handleiding bij het schatten, samengesteld ten behoeve van het personeel bij den pandhuisdienst. (Batavia, Albrecht & Co, 1910).

Folio. Original cloth (rebacked). Text and atlas with 66 plates in 1 volume. (12),297 pp.

€ 650.00

Manual to help pawnshop employees in Indonesia to identify and evaluate Indonesian precious objects that are being submitted to them. With chapters on code of law, gold, silver, platinum, brass, clocks, coins, Javanese weapons, precious stones and batiks including the cultivation of these objects. The atlas volume include hailmarks (2 plates), various parts of the kris (8 plates), small household

objects (1 plate), gamelan (1 plate), ornaments (3 plates), precious stones (10 plates) and various batik designs (41 plates). - *A very detailed manual*. - (With some annotations and additions). - *Rare*.

Cat. KITLV, 4th Supplement, p.101.

#### An ambitious expedition in Siberia



#### 99 PALLAS, (Peter Simon).

Voyages du professeur Pallas, dans plusieurs provinces de l'empire de Russie et dans l'Asie septentrionale; traduits de l'Allemand par le C. Gauthier de la Peyronie. Nouvelle édition, revue et enrichie de notes par les CC. Lamarck & Langlès. Paris, Maradan, 1794.

8 volumes + atlas volume. 8vo and large 4to. Contemporary half calf (some extremities of spines sl. dam.).

Atlas volume with 108 engraved plates, many folding or double-page. € 2.250,00

Second French edition, first published in 1788-1793. - The German naturalist Peter Simon Pallas (1741-1811) was a member of the Russian Academy of Sciences in St. Petersburg and at the request of Catherine, he was placed in charge of an academy expedition into Russia and Siberia. The expedition set out from Moscow in April 1768 with five naturalists and seven astronomers. Pallas arrived back in St. Petersburg in July 1774 with a vast amount of data and many fossil specimens, but broken in health (*Howgego p.784*). His expedition was concerned with natural history in the widest sense, including geography, agriculture, and other disciplines. Also included descriptions of journeys in the Caucasus.

Bibl. Russica II, p.72; Wood p.511; Collection Atabey 918.

# 'The first realistic description of everyday life in west Africa'



100 PARK, Mungo. Travels in the interior districts of Africa: performed under the direction and patronage of the African Association, in the years 1795, 1796, and 1797. With an appendix, containing geographical illustrations of Africa by Major Rennell. Second edition. London, W. Bulmer and Co., 1799.

4to. Contemporary mottled calf, skilfully rebacked with the original spine laid down, spine richly gilt. . With

engraved portrait, 2 plates with musical scores, 3 folding maps (1 tear rep.) and 5 engraved plates (2 folding). XXVIII,372,XCII,(2) pp. € 1.295,00

Published in the same year as the first edition; with bookplate of J.S.W.S. Erle Drax. - Mungo Park (1771-1806) was the first European to reach the well-nigh fabulous waters of the Niger. He followed the river almost to the Senegal valley. He finally reached Gambia after a lengthy return journey. His journal included a detailed description of travel conditions, the nature of the area, rivers, and customs of various tribes. 'Park's Travels had an immediate success and was translated into most European languages. It has become a classic of travel literature, and its scientific observations on the botany and meteorology of the region, and on the social and domestic life of the negroes, have remained of lasting value. Park's career was short, but he made the first great practical advance in the opening-up of Central Africa' (*PMM* 253). Written in a straightforward unpretentious, narrative style, it gave readers their first realistic description of everyday life in west Africa, depicting without the censorious, patronizing contempt which so often has disfigured European accounts of Africa (*DNB*).- Some age-browning and offsetting of the plates

otherwise a beautiful copy. Cox I, p.394; Gay 2788; Ibrahim-Hilmy II, p.93; Hess & Coger 5655; Scheybeler, The Paolo Bianchi Collection, 279; Howgego P21.

#### Opening of Japan to the West



101 PERRY, (Matthew Calbraith) - HAWKS, Francis L. Narrative of the expedition of an American squadron to the China Seas and Japan performed in the years 1852, 1853 and 1854, under the command of Commodore M.C. Perry, United States Navy, by order of the government of the United States. Washington, Beverley Tucker, Senate Printer, 1856.

3 volumes. Large 4to. Original embossed cloth with Japanese port

scene on front board and American naval insignia on rear (inner hinges strengthened; sl. soiled, spines discoloured). With facsimile of the original treaty with Japan (14 pp), 16 diagrams, 22 maps (mostly folding), 116 lithographed plates (including suppressed nude bathing plate; many tinted or hand-coloured), and numerous woodengravings. XVII,537; (8),414,14,XI; XLIII,705 pp. € 1.950,00

First official Senat edition. - Commodore Perry was appointed commander of a naval expedition to be sent to Japan to induce their government to establish diplomatic relations with the United States; only the Dutch and the Chinese had the exclusive rights until then. The Japanese were eventually forced to accept a treaty. The most important result was that the visit contributed to the collapse of the feudal regime and to the modernization of Japan. Vol. I contains the extensive account of the voyage, compiled from the abundant and varied material amassed during the voyage from New York to Madeira, South Africa, Ceylon, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Japan. Not only from Perry's journals, but also from those of the Captain of the Fleet, Commander Adams, the flag-lieutenants Contee and Bent, of the purser Harris, etc. including translations by the Dutch interpreter Mr. Portman. Vol. II contains natural history reports by several authors, including fine hand-coloured plates of birds and fishes. Vol. III contains observations on the Zodiacal light by G. Jones. Most of the fine plates and illustrations are made by the artist Wilhelm Heine. They depict the country, Japanese natives and their customs. - Good copy of a richly illustrated and highly important expedition.

Cordier, Bibl. Japonica, p.513-14; Sabin 30958; Hill I, p.231-232.



102 **PONZA.** Capture of the island of Ponza., Febr. 20th 1813. London, Whitemore & Fenn, 1820. Aquatint plate after Thomas Whitcombe by T. Sutherland. Ca. 13 x 21 cm. € 95.00

From: James Ralfe. *The naval chronology of Great Britain*. Depicting two sailing vessels off the coast of Ponza, the largest island of the Italian Pontine Islands archipelago,

located 33 km south of Cape Circeo in the Tyrrhenian Sea. In February 1813 William Mounsey supported Charles John Napier in HMS *Thames* in the capture of the island of Ponza. They landed troops on 26 February, after passing through fire from shore batteries. Neither vessel, nor the troops they brought with them, suffered any casualties. The capture of the harbour provided an anchorage and fresh water for Royal Navy ships patrolling the coast. - *Fine*.

#### Greece



103 **POUQUEVILLE, François Charles Hugues Laurent.** Grèce.
Paris, Firmin Didot, 1861.
Contemporary half red morocco, spine gilt, with gilt coat of arms on both sides of the city of Utrecht. With 2 folding maps and 112 steelengravings of Greece. 448 pp. € 175,00

First published in Paris in 1835; part of the series *L'Univers*. - 'Pouqueville has produced as his last work a history of

ancient Greece. The plates are of especial interest' (Blackmer p.284). - A fine copy. Blackmer Collection 1348; Contominas Collection 582; Andres 605.

#### History of Java

RAFFLES, Thomas Stamford. Geschiedenis van Java. Vertaald, wat betreft de onderwerpen, welke voor Nederland en Indië wetenswaardig zijn, en voorzien van aanteekeningen, tot verbetering, beoordeling en vervolg van het oorspronkelijke werk, door J.E. de Sturler. 's Gravenhage, Amsterdam, Gebroeders van Cleef, 1836. Modern wrappers. With folding table. LIV,244,(1) pp. € 475,00



First Dutch revised translation of Raffles' monumental *History of Java*, London 1817. - Thomas Stamford Raffles (1781-1826) was lieutenant Governor-General of the Indonesian Archpelago during the British interregnum from 1811-1816. He was interested in every aspect of the Javanese people and culture, it seems he had a deep admiration. With additional notes by the translator Jacques Eduard de Sturler. - *Fine*.

Tiele 896; Cat. NHSM I, p.244; Cat. KITLV p.10.



105 **RAUMER, Karl von.** Palästina. Leipzig, F.M. Brockhaus, 1835.

Original boards, with red morocco title-label. With folding table and 2 folding plans. XII,346 pp. € 175.00

First edition. - Karl Georg von Raumer (1783 - 1865), a German geologist, was born in Wörlitz. He was educated at the universities of Göttingen and Halle, and at the mining academy in Freiberg as a student of Abraham Gottlob Werner. In 1811 he became professor of mineralogy at Breslau, and two years later, participated in the war of German liberation from French Napoleonic domination, 1813-1814. In 1819 he relocated as a professor to

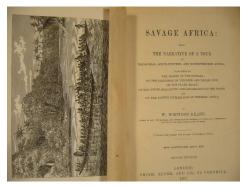
the University of Halle, then in 1827 settled at the University of Erlangen as a professor of natural history and mineralogy.

Rohricht 376; Engelmann I, p.151; Tobler p. 218: Ein vortreffliches Handbuch.

# A miscellany of observations on the people and wildlife of Africa

106 **READE**, **William Winwood**. Savage Africa: being the narrative of a tour in equatorial, south-western, and north-western Africa; with notes on the habits of the gorilla; on the existence of unicorns and tailed men; on the slave-trade; on the origin, character, and capabilities of the negro, and on the future civilization of Western Africa. 2nd edition. London, Smith, Elder and Co., 1864.

Original red embossed cloth (rubbed). With folding map (some tears) and 9 wood-



engraved plates. XIV, 587 pp.

€ 195,00

First published in London in 1863. - 'I make, of course, no pretentions to the title of explorer. If I have any merit, it is that of having been the first young man about town to make a *bonâ fide* tour in Western Africa; to travel in that agreeable and salubrious country with no special object, and at his own expense; to *flaner* in the virgin forest;

to flirt with pretty savages, and to smoke his cigar among cannibals' (*Preface*). In 1873 Read (1838-75) became *The Time* correspondent during the Ashanti War. *Cardinall 606; Howgego IV, p.758*.

#### Recruiting of seaman for the East-Indies.



107 **MEMORIE VAN GECOMMITTEERDEN UIT DE ADMIRALITEITS COLLEGIEN,** houdende haare consideratien om meer zeevolk na deese landen te trekken, nevens een concept placaat tot bevordering van die saak. (No pl.), 4 Mey 1763. Folio. (12) pp.

€ 175,00

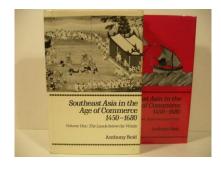
Extract uyt de Resolutien van de Heeren Staaten van Holland en West-Vriesland. - Memorial on sending more seamen to the Indies.



108 **REEUWIJK**, **Alexander**. (Ed.). Voyage of discovery. Exploring the collections of the Asian Library at Leiden University. Leiden, University Press, 2017. 4to. Pictorial boards. With many coloured illustrations. 335 pp.

€ 60,00

Contains more than twenty essays by academics, curators, and authors on their experiences with the Leiden Asian collections, richly illustrated.



109 **REID,Anthony.** Southeast Asia in the age of commerce 1450-1680. New Haven, London, Yale University Press, (1988-1993). 2 volumes. Cloth, with dust-jackets. With illustrations. XVI,275; XV,390 pp. € 125,00

Volume I: The lands below the winds; Volume II: Expansion and crisis.

# A gentleman explorer from a prominent Rotterdam merchant family



110 **RIJCKEVORSEL, (Elie) van.** Brieven uit Insulinde. 's Gravenhage, Martinus Nijhoff, 1878. Original printed wrappers. VIII,426 pp. € 125,00

*Original edition.* - Letters by Elie van Rijckevorsel (1845-1928), written to his mother during his stay in Indonesia (1876-1877), with ample descriptions of Ternate, Benkoelen and Palembang, Java, Lesser Sunda Islands, Borneo, Batavia and Semarang, Celebes and Amboina. - *Fine*.

Tiele 949; Cat. NHSM I, p.249; Cat. KITLV p.257; Buur, Persoonlijke Documenten, 185..



111 **RIJKENS, R. Rijko.** Rijkens' schoolatlas van Nederland en zijne bezittingen. 5e, verbeterde en vermeerderde druk. Groningen, J.B. Wolters, 1879.

Folio. Contemporary half cloth (spine sl. dam.). With 21 double-page coloured lithographed maps by v.d. Weijer.  $\$  175,00

First published in 1872. - Fine coloured maps of the Netherlands and the Dutch East-and West Indies.

Koeman Rijk A6.

#### Rare Nova-Goa imprint.



112 **RIVARA, J(oaquim) H(eliodoro) da Cunha.** Inscripçoes de Dio trasladadas das proprias em janeiro de 1859. Nova-Goa, Imprensa Nacional, 1865. Original printed wrappers (margins dam.). 61 pp. € 275.00

A collection of inscriptions from Diu, in Portuguese Goa by Rivara, a prolific writer of many interests. He published works on linguistics, history and politics. - *Rare Nova-Goa imprint*.

Daya de Silva, The Portuguese in Asia, 2615.

# William Robertson (1721-1793), the leading Scottish historian of his day



disquisition concerning the knowledge which the ancients had of India; and the progress of trade with that country prior to the discovery of the passage to it by the Cape of Good Hope. With an appendix, containing observations on the civil policy - the laws and judicial proceedings - the arts - the sciences - and religious institutions, of the Indians. London, A. Strahan & T. Cadell, Edinburgh, E. Balfour, 1791. 4to. Contemporary calf (part of one hinge splitting but firmly holding).). With 2 large folding maps. XII,364,(12) pp. € 650,00

First edition; with the bookplate of the Bellingham Castle Library and the armorial bookplate of

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

#### The first printed West Indian Pilot



114 **ROGGEVEEN, Arent.** The burning fen. With an introduction by C. Koeman. Amsterdam, Theatrum Orbis Terrarum, 1971. 2 volumes. Large folio. Cloth, with dust-jackets. With many illustrations and 52 double-page charts. € 175,00

First edition published in Dutch: *Het Brandende Veen*. Part 1 reprinted from the 1675 Amsterdam edition, published by Pieter Goos. Part 2 reprinted

from the 1687 Amsterdam edition, published by Jacob Robijn. Containing charts of the Central American coasts and islands, west coast of Africa and the coast of Brazil. The first printed West Indian Pilot, a prototype of the pilote guides for America. - *A fine copy*.



115 **RÖHR, Johann Friedrich.** Palästina oder historisch-geographische Beschreibung des jüdischen Landes zur Zeit Jesu, zur Beförderung einer anschaulichen Kenntniss der evangelischen Geschichte für Reliogionslehrer und gebildete christliche Bibelleser. 3. vermehrte und verbesserte Auflage. Zeitz, Webelschen Buchhandlung, 1821.

Original boards. With engraved plan of Jerusalem on title-page, folding genealogical table of the Herodian family and folding engraved map. 212,XIV pp.  $\qquad \qquad \in 95,00$ 

First published in 1816. - Johann Friedrich Röhr (1777 - 1848) was a German theologian; regarded as a main representative of theological

rationalism. On March 26, 1832 he delivered the funeral oration at Goethe's burial. - Very popular work, reprinted and translated several times. *Rohricht p.349; Tobler p. 216; Engelmann I, p.151.* 

#### The Habsburg dynasty

116 ROO, Gerard de. Annales, oder historische Chronick/ der durchleuchtigisten Fürsten und Herren/ Ertzhertogen zu Oesterreich/ Habspurgischen Stammens/ fürnemlich von Rudolpho dem Ersten .. bis auff Carolum den Fünfften .. auf onkosten Conrad Dietzen von Weidenberg .. auss Lateinischer in unser Teutsche Sprach ubersetzt, jetzo von newen durchsehen, und inn Druck gegeben. Augspurg, Johann Schultes, 1621.



in fly-leaves). *Cf. Lipperheide I, p.195.* 

Folio. Contemporary limp vellum (soiled; sl. dam.). Title printed in red and black with woodcut coat of arms on verso, full-page woodcut genealogical tree of the rulers of Austria, woodcut device at the end, 2 full-page woodcut portraits of archduke Ferdinand and his spouse, and ca. 400 woodcuts in the text of emperors, kings, counts, etc. and their coats of arms. (12),469 (wrongly numbered 481),(1),(46) pp. € 850,00

First German edition, the first Latin edition appeared in Innsbruck in 1592. - The annals of the Austrian line of the Habsburg dynasty compiled by the Dutch-born librarian Gerard de Roo. He was librarian to archduke Ferdinand. - (Somewhat waterstained throughout; wormholes



117 **RUSSEL**, **M(ichael)**. Palestina, of Het Heilige Land, van de vroegste tot op den tegenwoordigen tijd. Op geschiedkundige waarheid, volgens de meest geloofwaardige reizigers gegrond; benevens een beknopt overzigt van de aardrijkskunde, landen plaatsbeschrijving; alsmede van de geschiedenis des Joodschen volks, de kruistogten en van de letterkunde en godsdienst der oude Hebreeën. Naar het Hoogduitsch van A. Diezmann.

Amsterdam, G. Portielje, 1838.

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf (sl. rubbed). With 2 lithographed frontispieces and 2 lithographed plates. VIII,200; 229 pp. € 125,00

First printed in Edinburgh in 1831: Palestine or the Holy Land from the earliest period to the present time. Michael Russel (1781–1848), became bishop of Glasgow and Galloway. To the Edinburgh Cabinet Library he contributed volumes on Palestine, 1831, Ancient and Modern Egypt, 1831, Nubia and Abyssinia, 1833, The Barbary States, 1835, Polynesia, 1842, and Iceland, Greenland, and the Faroe Isles, 1850.

Röhricht p.366; Tobler 1833; Engelmann I, p.151; Not in Tiele.

#### Holland, Belgium & Luxemburg



118 **SALMON, Thomas.** Tegenwoordige staat der Oostenryksche, Fransche en Pruissische Nederlanden. Amsterdam, Isaac Tirion, 1738.

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt. With engraved frontispiece, engraved portrait, folding view of Scherpenheuvel, folding plan of Brussels, Antwerp, Gent, Brugge, Doornik, Oostende, Yperen and Rijssel, and 4 folding maps. (12),548,(12) pp. € 395,00

Original issued as *Modern history: or present state of all nations*. London 1725-1739. Translated into Dutch: *Hedendaagsche historie, of tegenwoordige staat van alle volkeren.* - Volume XI contains a description of Holland, Belgium and Luxemburg with fine engravings. *Tiele 1033.* 

#### The first 'classical tourist' of England



119 SANDYS, (George). Voyagien, behelsende een historie van de oorspronckelijcke ende tegenwoordige standt des Turcksen rijcks: hare wetten/ regeeringe/ politie/ krijghs-macht/ hooven van justitie/ ende koophandel. Als mede, van Egypten .. Neffens een beschrijvinge van het H. Landt .. Eyndelyck, Italien beschreven met hare nabuerighe eylanden; als Cyprus/ Creta/ Malta/ Sicilia/ de Aolische eylanden; van Roomen/ Venetien/ Napels/ Syracusa/ Mesena/ Aetna/ Scylla/ ende Charybdis/ etc. Uyt 't Engels vertaelt door J. G(lazemaker). Amsterdam, Jacob Beniamin, 1653.

4to. Later marbled boards. With engraved title, 3 engraved plates and 26 full or half-page engravings in the text. 292 pp. € 1950,00

First Dutch edition, first published in London in 1615: A relation of a journey begun an.Dom. 1610. Foure bookes, containing a description of the Turkish Empire, of Egypt, of the Holy Land, of the remote parts of Italy, and islands adjoyning - George Sandys (1578-1644) was the son of the Archbishop of York and a literary figure of

some standing. In 1609 he set sail for the East and he spent the next year travelling in Turkey, Egypt and Palestine and later studied antiquities in Rome. His observations first appeared in English in 1615 and his text was soon regarded as a special authority on the Levant. He has been called the first 'classical tourist' of England. Sandys also was interested in colonial promotion, and was one of the undertakers named in the third charter of the Virginia Company in 1611, and later treasurer and a member of the Council. This book also became popular in the Netherlands and was several times republished. - *A fine clean copy*.

Tiele 959; Cat. NHSM I, p.255; Blackmer Collection 1484 (English edition); Atabey Collection 1087 (English edition); Weber 245; Röhricht p.232; Ibrahim-Hilmy p.210; O'Neill, The Ömer Koç Collection, 37 (English ed.).





120 **SCHELTEMA, Jacobus.** De uitrusting en ondergang der onoverwinnelijke vloot van Philips II, in 1588. Haarlem, V. Loosjes, 1825.

Modern boards. With engraving on title-page by J.C. Bendorp and engraved plate (stained). XIV,312 pp.

€ 65,00

Account of the The Spanish Armada, a Spanish fleet of 130 ships that sailed from A Coruña in August 1588, under the command of the Duke of Medina Sidonia with the purpose of escorting an army from Flanders to invade England.

Cat. NHSM I, p.385. - 'Toevoegsels' were published in

1828.

#### Italian architecture



121 **SCHEULT, F.L.** Recueil d'architecture dessinée et mesurée en Italie. Paris, Bance Ainé, 1840.

Folio. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt (boards rubbed; foot of spine sl. dam.). With half-page engraving and 72 engraved plates by H.J. Pigou.

€ 295,00

'Contenant un choix de plus de 120 façades de maisons de ville et de campagne, façades de couverts, d'églises, de théatres, fabriques pittoresques, auberges, écuries, salles, sépucrales, tombeaux, sarcophages, monuments, d'architecture et de sculpture pour la décoration des jardins et des intérieurs de cours, une collection d'environ 200 motifs d'ornements antiques

et modernes, comme vases, cassolettes, candelabres, lampes, autels, colonnes militaires, termes, obélisques, frises, médaillons, corniches, chapitaux, consoles, tuiles, cariatides, mascarons, bas-reliefs, arabesques, etc. etc.' - Ink stain in lower blank margin of last plates but the stain does not affect any of the images; *otherwise a fine copy on Italian architecture*.

#### History of Holland & Belgium



122 **SCRIVERIUS, Petrus & Frans van MIERIS.** Chronyk van Holland, van den klerk uit de laage landen by der zee: nooit voorheen gedrukt. Met eenige aantekeningen zoo van Petrus Scriverius als van den uitgever (Frans van Mieris). Leyden, Pieter vander Eyk, 1740. 4to. Old half cloth. With engraved title-vignette. (20),235 pp. € 175,00

First edition, published after the manuscript dating from ca. 1350. - Petrus Scriverius, the Latinized form of Peter Schrijver (1576 - 1660), was a Dutch writer and scholar on the history of Holland and Belgium. At the end: KORT CHRONYKJE van Holland, van den jaere IX ende LXXII tot het jaer MCCCC ende LXVI. - A

clean copy.

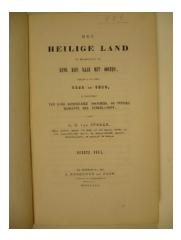


123 **SEIPEL, Wilfried. (Hrsg.).** Die Entdeckung der Welt. Die Welt der Entdeckungen. Österreichische Forscher, Sammler, Abenteuer. Wien, Künstlerhaus, 2002. 4to. Pictorial boards. With numerous illustrations (mostly in colours). 437 pp. € 45,00

Eine Ausstellung des Kunsthistorischen Museums Wien mit Museum für Völkerkunde und des Bundesministeriums für Bildung, Wissenschaft und Kultur in Zusammenarbeit mit dem Naturhistorischen Museum und dem Heeresgeschichtlichen Mueum'. Focus on Ferdinand Lukas Bauer, Ferdinand Max, Karel Alexander Anselm, Ferdinand Stoliczka, Johann Natterer, Theodor Kotschy, Ida Pfeiffer, Oscar

Baumann, Emil Holub, Emin Pascha, Richard Payer, Philipp Franz von Siebold, etc. - *Fine*.

#### Trip of Princess Marianne to the Holy Land



124 **SENDEN, G(erhard) H(einrich) van.** Het Heilige Land op mededeelingen uit eene reis naar het Oosten, gedaan in de jaren 1849 en 1850, in gezelschap van .. prinses Marianne der Nederlanden. Na diens overlijden voortgezet en uitgegeven door G(erhard) H(endericus) van Senden. Gorinchem, J. Noorduyn en Zoon, 1851-1852.

2 volumes. Original black embossed cloth (extremities of spine vol. I sl. dam.). XXXVI,387; XVII,(1),360 pp. € 125,00

First edition. - Princess Marianne (1810-1883), daughter of King William I of the Netherlands, left in 1845 her unfaithful husband Albert of Prussia

and began to live with her lover and former coachman Johannes van Rossum. During this trip to the Holy Land she gave birth in Cefalù, Sicily, to her only child with Van Rossum, a son called Johannes Willem van Reinhartshausen.

Tiele 998; Cat. NHSM I, p.259; Rohricht p.437; Tobler p.179.



125 **SHIPWRECK OF THE HINDOSTAN.** Interesting particulars of the loss of the Hon. East India Company's ship the *Hindostan*, of 1,248 tons, which struck on Wedge Sand, off Margate, January 11, 1803, Edward Balston commander, setting forth the wretched situation of the crew, and the preservation on one hundred and twenty-nine persons out of one hundred and forty-three. Also the loss of the *Hindostan* storeship,

Extracted from the collection, *Mariner's marvelous Magazine or wonders of the ocean*, containing narratives of the most noted shipwrecks and disasters at sea. - The *Hindostan* sailed from Gravesend for India January 2, 1803, passed the Nore, and anchored in the Queen's Channel off the Wedge Sand. There a terrible storm struck

her, and she drove on the sandbank and broke up. A small boat of Margate rescued 129 out of 143 on the *Hindostan*; the dead were drowned or frozen. The ship was carrying a good deal of specie, much of which was saved from the wreck (*Huntress p.53*). - *Rare popular edition*. *Huntress 153C*.

#### **SICILY**



126 **SICILY. -** TRACTAAT VAN COMMERCIE, tusschen sijne majesteit den koning der beide Sicilien en de Heeren Staaten Generaal der Vereenigde Nederlanden &c. 's Gravenhage, Jacobus Scheltus, 1753.

4to. With large printer's device on title. 39 pp. € 95,00

Treaty between Sicily and the Netherlands. - *Not in Knuttel*.



127 **SICILY. -** Vaisseau en feu dans le port de Messine. Paris, Huquier, (ca. 1780).

Contemporary handcoloured perspective view (vue d'optique or Guckkastenbild) of the harbour of Messina, Sicily, by J. Heudelot. Ca. 26 x 38,5 cm. € 175,00

A fine optical view of the harbour of Messina in Sicily with a sailing ship on fire.

# The principal contemporary accounts of the first Burmese War

128 **SNODGRASS**, (**John James**). Narrative of the Burmese war, detailing the operations of major-general Archibald Campbell's army, from its landing at Rangoon in May 1824, to the conclusion of a treaty of peace at Yandaboo, in February 1826. London, John Murray, 1827.

Original boards (hinges broken), uncut, preserved in half morocco box. With



engraved frontispiece depicting the meeting of the British and Burmese commissioners at Neoun-Ben-Zeik, plate of Babdoola's look-out tree at Dunoobew, and large folding map (small tear with no loss). XII,319;(8) pp.  $\$   $\$  395,00

First edition; with armorial bookplate of John, 1st Baron Crewe (1742-1829).

- The classic account of the military operations during the first Anglo-

Burmese War and the annexation of Arakan and Tenasserim. Snodgrass was military secretary to General Campbell and assistant political agent in Ava/Burma. His book is one of the principal contemporary accounts of the first Burmese War. Appendices include the Treaty of Peace. - *A clean copy*. *Cordier, B.I., col.450*.

### 'The 'most trustworthy account of the Cape Colony'



129 **SPARRMAN, Anders.** A voyage to the Cape of Good Hope, towards the Antarctic polar circle, and round the world, but chiefly into the country of the Hottentots and Caffres from the year 1772, to 1776. Translated from the Swedish original. 2nd edition corrected. London, G.G.J. and J. Robinson, 1786. 2 volumes. 4to. Contemporary calf, rebacked with red morocco title-label to spines. With engraved frontispiece depicting the Cape of Good Hope (blank

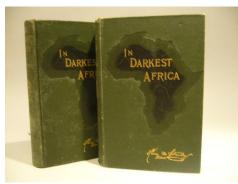
margins rep.), large folding engraved map of the Cape of Good Hope and 9 engraved plates (4 folding). XXVIII,368; VIII,356,(1) pp. & 2.450,00

First Swedish edition was published in Stockholm in 1783: *Resa till Goda Hopps-Udden;* first edition in English was published in London in 1785. - Sparrman (1748-1820), a Swedish naturalist, went to South Africa with the Swedish East India Company. He made several excursions into the country in search of natural history specimens. It is described by Mr. Theal as the 'most trustworthy account of the Cape Colony and the various races of people then residing in it' that had been published in the eightheenth century. In 1772, J.R. Forster, engaged him to accompany Captain Cook on his second voyage as assistant naturalist. His account includes mention of a hairbreath escape from collision of Cook's two ships, the *Adventure* and the

Resolution, not recorded elsewhere. Sparrman left the Resolution when it returned to Cape Town in March 1775. He resumed his naturalist studies in South Africa and also undertook ethnological research among the region's native Hottentot people. In 1778, Sparrman was back in Sweden, where he had been appointed president of the natural history collection of Stockholm's Academy of Sciences. Sparrman's account of Cook's voyage of 1772-75 helped popularize the newly devised Linnaen system of classification and nomenclature by applying it to the new varieties of plants and animals he had collected. It also includes some of the earliest ethnological studies of the native peoples of South Africa. - (Some staining).

Mendelssohn II p.414-15; SAB IV, p.362; Beddie 1277; Scheybeler, Paolo Bianchi Collection, 339; Du Rietz, Kroepelien, 1222: apparently the best of the editions of the English version.

### Stanley's last African expedition



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

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

€ 475,00

First American edition. - Account of the Emin Pasha Relief Expedition, Stanley's (1841-1904) last African expedition (1887-1889) with 700 members. He ascended the Congo River and then marched across central Africa in command of a relief expedition for Emin Pasha, the German-born governor of southern Sudan's Equatoria province, who had been cut off from Anglo-Egyptian forces to the north since the outbreak of a Muslim revolt six years earlier. Together they explored the Semliki River and established it as the principal connection between Lake Albert and Lake Edward. While in the region, Stanley made European discovery of the Ruwenzori Range (the fabled 'Mountains of the Moon') and arrived in Zanzibar in late 1889. He was the second European to cross Central Africa from west to east. - Internally good copy of Stanley's classic travel narrative, a monument in the history of African exploration.

Hess & Coger 155.

#### Dr. Livingstone, I presume?



plates. XXIII,736; 8 pp.

131 **STANLEY, Henry Morton.**How I found Livingstone; travels, adventures and discoveries in Central Africa; including four months residence with Dr. Livingstone.
London, Sampson Low, Marston, Low and Searle, 1872.

Thick 8vo. Original brown pictorial cloth (new endpapers). With tipped-in albumen photograph portrait, 6 maps (4 folding), 25 woodengraved illustrations and 28 woodengraved

€ 475,00

First edition. - The quest to recover David Livingstone is one of the most famous travel adventures in history. After finding Livingstone in Ujiji Stanley failed to receive the welcome he expected. Resentful that an unknown American adventurer had found Livingstone where others had failed, many refused to believe Stanley's story and it was only when Livingstone's family produced unimpeachable evidence that Stanley had indeed found the missionary that attitudes began to change. Queen Victoria received Stanley at Baltimoral, and the Royal Geographical Society originally suspicious of his claims, awarded him its gold medal. Stanley's narrative, How I found Livingstone, published later that year, became an inmediate bestseller (Howgego IV, p.873).

### A key work on the Dutch in Africa and in the East



132 **STAVORINUS, J(ohan) S(plinter).** Reize van Zeeland over de Kaap de Goede Hoop naar Batavia, Bantam, Bengalen, enz. gedaan in de jaaren 1768 tot 1771. Gevolgd van eenige belangrijke aanmerkingen over den aart, gewoonten, levenswijze, godsdienstplegtigheden en koophandel der volken in die gewesten. Leyden, A. en J. Honkoop, 1793.

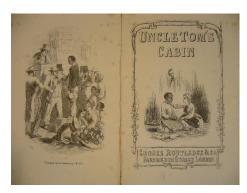
2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf, with red morocco title-label on

spine. With folding map of the Ganges and the Cape of Good Hope by C. van Baarsel. XXIV,294; 146,(2) pp. € 1.250,00

First edition; with bookplate of Percival J.G. Bishop. - Stavorinus (1739-1788), captain and rear admiral of the Admiralty of Zeeland, travelled for the Admiralty and for the Dutch East India Company to the Indies. His accounts were published by his son. 'This work affords an accurate and valuable account of the Cape in the last quarter of the eighteenth century, with an interesting description of Cape Town and its inhabitants' (Mendelssohn). Including also large accounts of Batavia and Bengal. - A key work on the Dutch in Africa and in the East. - Last 3 leaves sl. waterstained otherwise a fine copy. - Very rare.

Mendelssohn II, p.426; S.A.B.IV, p.385; Landwehr, VOC, 296; Cat. NHSM I, p.178; Tiele 1044.

### Uncle Tom's cabin, the novel as propaganda



#### 133 STOWE, Harriet Beecher.

Uncle Tom's cabin; a tale of life among the lowly. With a preface, by ... Carlisle. London, George Routledge & Co, 1853.

Original embossed cloth. With woodengraved title and frontispiece. XVI,9-480 pp. € 125,00

Uncle Tom's cabin was written in serial form for *The National Era*, an abolitionist newspaper, in 1851. When

it appeared as a two volume work by March 1852, it quickly became a work of tremendous historical significance. The character of Uncle Tom was based in part on the narrative on the life of Josiah Henson, an escaped slave. 'The social impact of *Uncle Tom's cabin* on the United States was greater than that of any book before or since' (*PMM 332*).

Cf Sabin 92491 and Work p.304.

#### Rare document of slavery

134 **SURINAME.** Bill of exchange. Wisselbrief vrijkopen slaven van Suriname (so-called compensation payment). Suriname, 1864.

Official document, partly printed and handwritten on both sides. With coat of arms depicting a sailing ship with on both sides Indians. Ca.  $14 \times 27.5$  cm.  $6 \times 275.00$ 

Dutch slave-trade was abolished in 1814 and slavery in 1863 in Suriname and the Dutch Antilles. Slave owners received compensation from the government. The former slave owner A. Charlows (?) was entitled to receive 8000 guilders in exchange for this letter. The letter served as a receipt, signed and stamped by the accountant Immerzeel and the governor of Suriname Van Lansberge on July 16,



1864 and cashed on September 14, 1864 - *Rare document of slavery*.



135 **TEA, COFFEE, TOBACCO.** Handel in thee, koffij & tabak van H. Polvliet & Zonen. Gorinchem. 19th century woodblock print, printed in blue, depicting an Indian between two barrels, tea, coffee and tobacca in the foregroud and with scroll 'In den Amerikaan' (In the American). Ca. 11 x 6,5 cm (not including wide margins). € 95,00

A very fine 'porseleinkaart' or carte-de-visite of the Dutch trading-firm in tropical products H. Polvliet & Zonen. - *Rare*.



136 **TEMPLE, William.** Aenmerckingen over de Vereenighde Nederlandtsche provintien. In't Engels beschreven door Willem Tempel .. Over-geset naer den tweeden druck, door den autheur verbetert en vermeerdert. Tot London, gedruckt by A. Maxwel, 1673. Na de copye .. Amsterdam, Jacob Vinckel, (ca. 1673).

4to. Old wrappers. (6),88 pp. € 225,00

Observations upon the United Provinces of the Netherlands. - William Temple (1628-1698), ambassador in The Hague, had friendly relations with Johan de Witt. In 1668 he made the Triple Alliance between England, the Netherlands and

Sweden within four days. He also arranged the marriage between England's Princess Mary and the Netherlands' Prince Willem III. His Dutch sympathies found clear

expression in his masterful *Observation*, first published in 1672. Knuttel 11008 (other edition).

# 'Both Thompson's 'Travels' and his illustrations stand high in the field of Africana'



THOMPSON, George. Travels and adventures in Southern Africa. Comprising a view of the present state of the Cape Colony, with observations on the progress and prospects of the British emigrants. Second edition. London, Henry Colburn, 1827. 2 volumes, 8vo. Moden brown morocco (Bumpus Binders Oxford), spines lettered in gilt, top edges gilt. With folding map of South Africa and folding plans of Cape Town and Graaff-Reinet, 17 wood-engraved vignettes and 18 aquatint plates (including one double-page depicting 'Table Mountain from the parade'). (24),450; (6),430 pp.

€ 1650,00

Second edition, published the same year as the first; with armorial bookplate of Hans Sauer. - George Thompson (1796-1889) a

merchant and traveller, resided at Cape Town as the representative and shareholder of a large London company. 'In 1821, Mr. Thompson made a six weeks 'excursion to Albany 'to examine into the prospects of the British emigrants' .. he visited Port Elizabeth ('then a hamlet of only three or four houses'), Uitenhage, Graham's Town, Bathurst, George, and many other districts and settlements .. In 1823 and 1824 he proceeded to the Orange River and Bechuanaland, and his account of these regions is recognised as the most important description of this part of the continent published in the early part of the nineteenth century. The third division of the work comprises a review of the condition 'of the Dutch and British inhabitants, of the agricultural, commercial, and financial circumstances of the country and of its adaption of further colonisation... This valuable work contains a number of excellent engravings, some of which were contributed by the naturalist Wehdemann, and others by Mr. De Meillon and Dr. Heurtley' (Mendelssohn II, p.494). 'His Travels provides valuable descriptions of the geography, history and natural history' (Howgego II, p.586). 'Both Thompson's 'Travels' and his illustrations stand high in the field of Africana' (Gordon-Brown, Pictorial Africana, p.230). - Some browning as usual otherwise a fine copy.

Mendelssohn II, p.494-495; SAB IV p.490; Abbey, Travel, 330 (2nd ed. only).



#### 38 TIPU SULTAN OF MYSORE.

Tippoo Saibs two sons delivered up to Lord Cornwallis, as hostages after he had so gloriously conquered that proud sultan at Seringapatam, the capital of the Mysore county in the East Indies in 1792.

London, Robert Sayer & Co, 1792. Mezzotint, coloured by hand. Ca. 36,5 x 26 cm. € 875,00

Ex collection Christopher Lennox-Boyd.
- Tipu Sultan, Tiger of Mysore, his humiliating defeats of the English East India Company and his harsh treatment of prisoners caused widespread hysteria in Britain. Lord Cornwallis's capture of Tipu's capital, Seringapatam, was greeted with acclaim. Tipu was forced to pay the Company an indemnity of more than 33 million rupees and hand

over half his territories along with all his prisoners. He was also forced to give his sons, the princes Abdul Khaliq and Muiz-ud-din into Cornwallis's hands as hostages by the Treaty of Seringapatam (1792). The two boys were held for over two years in Madras. - Fine historical scene. - (Stain in lower margin not affecting the image). *Cf. The Raj, India and the British 1600-1947, 157.* 



139 **TSCHUDI, Frédéric de.** Les Alpes. Description pittoresque de la nature et de la fauna alpestres. Berne, Bruxelles, Strasbourg, 1859. Original pictorial cloth gilt, a.e.g. With 24 tinted lithographed plates. XIV,737 pp. € 175,00

First French edition. - Some staining as usual otherwise a very fine copy.

### Suppressed description of Thailand



140 **TURPIN, François Henri.** Histoire civile et naturelle du royaume de Siam, et des révolutions qui ont bouleversé cet empire jusqu'en 1770. Publiée par Turpin, sur des manuscrits qui lui ont été communiqués par l'évêque de Tabraca, vicaire apostolique de Siam, et autres missionnaires de ce royaume. Paris, Costard, 1771.

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

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

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

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

### Coromandel, Persia, Malaysia, Sumatra & Ceylon



#### 141 VALENTIJN, François.

Keurlyke beschryving van Choromandel, Pegu, Arrakan, Bengale, Mocha, van't Nederlandsch comptoir in Persien; en eenige fraaje zaaken van Persepolis overblyfzelen. Een nette beschryving van Malakka, 't Nederlands comptoir op 't Sumatra, mitsgaders een wydlustige landbeschryving van 't eyland Ceylon. Dordrecht, Amsterdam, Joannes van Braam & Gerard onder de Linden, 1726.

Folio. Contemporary half calf (1 hinge splitting but firmy holding; foot of spine dam.). With engraved title-vignette, 6 folding engraved maps, 9 illustrations in the text, and 20 engraved plates (10 folding). 360; 46; 462 pp. € 3.500,00

*Oud en Nieuw Oost-Indiën volume V,1.* - Description of Coromandel, Persia, Malaysia, Sumatra and Ceylon. With i.a. fine maps of Coromandel, Bengal, Hougly, Persia, Sumatra, Ceylon, Jaffanapatnam and views of Malakka, Aceh, Galle, Colombo, Baticalo.

Landwehr, VOC, p. 259-260.

#### Fine etchings of Sumatra, Borneo & Java



142 **VETH, Pieter Johannes.** Insulinde. Twaalf tafereelen uit Nederlandsch-Indië, volgens teekeningen en studiën naar de natuur. (Rotterdam), C.L. van Kesteren, (1879-82). Folio. Original pictorial cloth (sl. soiled). With 12 etchings after A. de Grijs by C.L. van Kesteren. € 650,00

Original edition. - 'The etchings, as Ten Kate has stated, are more important from an artistic than from a strictly scientific point of view, but they at least serve to remind us of the work of a little known artist of Indonesia, A. de Grijs, whose drawings and paintings of Sumatra, Borneo and Java were the subjects of the etchings. Apart from the fact that De Grijs was the Padang agent

of the Nederlandsche Handelmatschappij, little is known about him' (*Bastin-Brommer p.47*). Two leaves of letterpress accompany each plate. - *Fine etchings*. *Bastin-Brommer N 695*; *Haks & Maris p.107 and p.146*.

#### Rare Flemish description of Jerusalem and surroundings



143 **VRIEZE, C.L. de.** Korte beschryving van de stad Jerusalem, benevens hare voorsteden, zoo als deze bestond ten tyde van O.H. Jesus-Christus; volgens de gewyde en ongewyde geschiedenisschryvers. Worteghem, C.L. de Vrieze, (1847). Later half cloth, with marbled boards. With folding lithographed plan of Jerusalem by Blanchet & Blanchet (small tear rep.). 160 pp € 195,00

Rare Flemish description of Jerusalem and surroundings. *Tobler p.212; Rohricht p.428; not in WorldCat.* 



**WALES, S.H.** State sovereignty and slavery. Speech delivered at Bridgeport, Conn., March, 1865. Pending the State election. New York, MacDonald & Swank, 1867.
Original printed wrappers, with ornamental border. 16 pp. € 60,00

#### **Dutch** whaling





**WHALING. -** PLACAET. De Staten Generael der Vereenighde Nederlanden .. doen te weten .. dat gheene ingesetenen vande Vereenighde Nederlanden, hen ten oorloge in dienste van vreemde koningen ...in andere landen ter koopvaerdye ofte visschery ter zee, 't zy op haringh-neeringe, walvisch-vanghst ofte andersints zullen mogen begeven .. 's Graven-Hage, Weduwe, ende erfgenamen van wylen Hillebrandt Jacobsz van Wouw, 1659.

Proclamation by the Dutch government concerning the prohibition to work for other nations by Dutch whalers. - *Scarce*.

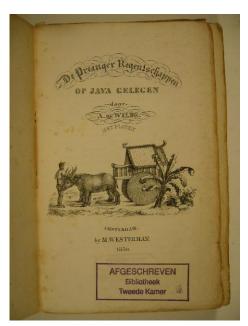
146 **WHALING. -** PLACAET. De Staten Generael der Vereenighde Nederlanden .. doen te weten, alsoo wy in ghewisse ervaringe komen, dat, niet tegenstaende onsen placate vanden veerthienden December sesthien-hondert drie ende t'sestigh, verscheyde ingezetenen dezer landen haer vervorderen, ten behoede van andere uytheemsche natien, alhier te lande in te koopen alderhande visch-tuygh ende andere behoeften, tot het vangen van walvisschen .. 's Graven-Hage, Hillebrandt van Wouw, 1665.

Broadsheet. With woodcut coat of arms. ca. 40 x 30.5 cm.

€ 475,00

Proclamation by the Dutch government concerning the prohibition of selling whaling tools by the Dutch to other nations. - *Scarce*.

#### The Preanger Regencies of Java



147 **WILDE, A(ndries) de.** De Preanger regentschappen op Java gelegen. Amsterdam, M. Westerman, 1830.

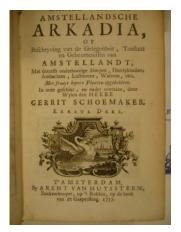
Original printed wrappers. With lithographed title-page and 3 folding lithographed plates of Gunung Gedeh, Gunung Tangkuban Perahu, and the Tjitarum. II,243,(3) pp.  $\in$  795,00

Original edition. - 'The author, Andries de Wilde (1781-1865), had great experience of the Preanger Regencies of Java, first as Opziener and Assistant Resident at Buitenzorg, and subsequently as owner of the famous estate, Sukabumi, comprising the districts of Gunungparang, Tjimahi, Tjiheulang and Tjitjurug, which had been sold by the British colonial administration in 1813, and

which ten years later was expropriated by the Netherlands Indies Government' (*Bastin & Brommer p.133*). - *Copy from the library of Dutch parliament.* - (*Some foxed*).

Bastin & Brommer N 185: Tiele 1209.

#### Amsterdam and surroundings



148 **WILLINK, Daniel.** Amstellandsche Arkadia, of beschryving van de gelegenheit, toestant en gebeurtenissen van Amstellandt, met deszelfs onderhoorige dorpen, heerlykheden, ambachten, lusthoven, wateren, enz. In orde geschikt, en nader overzien, door .. Gerrit Schoemaker. Amsterdam, Arent van Huyssteen, 1737.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary vellum. With 2 engraved title-vignettes, engraved frontispiece, folding table, and 12 folding engraved views of the Amstel, Oudekerk, Amstelmond, Amstelveen, Waverveen, Sloten, Sloterdijk, etc. by J.C. Philips, C. Pronk a.o. (16),400; 327,(8) pp. € 450,00

First edition. - Daniël Willink (1676 - 1722) was a Dutch poet, writter and wine-merchant. He described with accuracy the places of interest of Amsterdam and surroundings with glorification of the beauty of the town and landscape. A fine copy. - Nijhoff-Van Hattum 335.

#### Arabic-Latin dictionary



#### 149 WILLMET, Johannes.

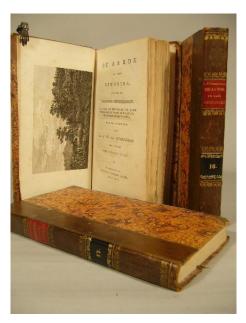
Lexicon linguae Arabicae in Coranum Haririum et vitam Timuri. Lugduni Batavorum, apud Sam. et Joh. Luchtmans, 1784.

4to. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt, with red morocco title-label. XVI,824 pp. € 1750,00

First edition. - The Arabic-Latin dictionary by Joannes Willmet (1750-1835) was primarily printed for educational purposes. This work is compiled chiefly from that of Golius, but with many important additions. Though it states to be constructed only for the Koran, Hariri and Ibn Arabshah's Life of Timur, yet the Arabic student will seldom be at loss

for any root he may meet with any other author. For the Koran it is particularly useful, as it contains not only all the words but refers also to the chapter and verse in which they occur (*Ras Al Khaimah*).- (Blank margin last page restored). - *A fine interleaved copy with text in Arabic and Latin in double column*.

#### India



150 **ZIMMERMANN**, (Eberhard August Wilhelm) von. Indostan, het land en deszelfs voortbrengsels. Naar het Hoogduitsch. Haarlem, François Bohn, 1823-25.

3 volumes. Contemporary half calf (1 spine sl. rubbed). With 7 engraved plates by D. Veelwaard. X,308; VIII,398; VIII,328 pp. € 150,00

Translation of the German series: *Die Erde und ihre Bewohner nach den neuesten Entdeckungen*. Stuttgart 1810-1814. In Dutch: *De aarde en hare bewoners, deel XV-XVII.* - Description of India, their inhabitants and their products. *Tiele 1240*.