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Illustration on cover item 184: YOSHITORA. A Dutch couple. 1860.

1 **AA, A(braham) J(akob) van der.** Nederlands Oost-Indië, of beschrijving der Nederlandsche bezittingen in Oost-Indië. Voorafgegaan van een beknopt overzicht van de vestiging en uitbreiding der magt van Nederland aldaar. Amsterdam, J.F. Schleijs, 1846-57.

4 volumes. Original half cloth, with printed boards, paper title-labels to spines. With engraved portrait of Jan Pietersz. Coen, folding lithographed map and 12 steelen-graved views by Kaiser, Reckleben and Taurel . VIII,428; VIII,384; VIII,473; X,624 pp. € 795,00

First and only edition. - Classic illustrated description of Java, geographically arranged by province, written by Van der Aa (1792-1857), author of many dictionaries, historical and biographical works. Preceded by a historical sketch of the early Dutch voyages to the Dutch East Indies. It has been compiled chiefly from other authors, but has value for its large enumeration of facts on Javanese geography, topography, ethnography, agriculture, commerce, natural history, etc. - Copy from the Dutch Department of Colonies.

Tiele 2; Cat. NHSM I, p.246; Bastin-Brommer N 48; Cat. KITLV p.3.



Item 2

2 **AA, Pieter van der.** Naaukeurige verzameling der gedenk-waardigste reysen naar Oost en West-Indiën, mitsgaders andere gewesten gedaan; sedert de jaaren 1246 tot op desen tijd. Leyden, P. van der Aa, 1707 (= 1706-08).

28 volumes in 29 (vol. XIII in 2 volumes). Sm. 8vo. Contemporary blind-tooled vellum, with handwritten title on spines. With in each volume half-title and general title-page of the series printed in red and black and ca. 600 folding engraved maps and plates. € 15.000,00

First 8vo edition; with the armorial bookplate of Isaac Meulman. - Rare complete collection of the most memorable voyages to the East and West Indies from 1246 to 1696. Containing 127 early Spanish, Portuguese, French and English travel-accounts, partly from the original manuscripts and published for the first time in Dutch, and also from the collections of de Barros, Herrera, Thevenot, Hakluyt, Purchas, etc. Each part with separate title-page, with engraved vignette, and pagination. Van der AA started to publish this collection first in octavo, arranged chronologically. He proceeded this huge project with the folio-edition, which he then further arranged to nations. This collection starts with J. de Plano Carpini (1246-47) and W.v.Ruysbroek (1253) both to China, and goes on with the ones of Vasco da Gama, Columbus, D.d'Almeida, Alfonso d'Albuquerque, D.Lopez de Sequeira, Hernando Cortes, H. Staden, J. Lerijs etc. and ends with Dickinson's account of his voyage to Jamaica and Pennsylvania (1696). Including an introduction and an index in the first volume and a general index in the last volume. - (Some marginal wormholes). - Added as volume XXIX: ROY, Jacob Jansz de. Hachelijke reys-togt na Borneo en Atchin. Leyden, Pieter van der Aa, 1706. Contemporary vellum. - A very attractive set of an amazing collection in Dutch of well over a hundred accounts of voyages of discovery all over the world by all nations other than the Dutch.

Sabin 3; Tiele 5; Cat. NHSM I, p.107; Cordier, B.S., p.1942; European Americana V, 707/2. – See illustration.

3 **ANSON, George.** Portrait of George Anson. (No pl.), 1751. Engraved circular portrait of Anson within an allegorical background, with text and coat of arms, after J. Wandelaar by J. Houbraken. c. 40,5 x 25 cm. € 195,00

Fine portrait of the English admiral George Anson (1697-1762) depicting i.a the backs of the ships *Wager*, *Pearl*, *Gloucester*, *Centurion*, and *Severn*. With these ships and the *Tryall* and *Anna* he made his famous circumnavigation (1740-174). Although Anson lost most of his crew and all but one of his ships, he did return with a vast bounty. – See illustration.

4 **ANSON, George.** Reize naer de Zuidzee, met het schip de *Wager*, onder het opzicht van George Anson, ondernomen in den jaere 1740. Zynde een vervolg op de reize van George Anson. In't Nederduitsch vertaeld. Leyden, Amsterdam, Johannes le Mair, Stephanus Jacobus Baalde, Cornelis van Hoogeveen, 1764. 4to. Contemporary vellum. With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, and 8 folding engraved plates after D. Kuipers by N. v.d. Meer. (36), 212,(16) pp. € 650,00

First Dutch edition. - Compilation of the narratives of Bulkeley, Cummins, Campbell and Morris. 'The *Wager* was one of Commodore Anson's fleet which was proceeding up the west coast of South America to harass the Spanish possessions. The ship ran aground on a small island in the Northwest part of the Gulf de la Penas, and broke up.

The distresses endured caused the crew to divide, some electing to stay with Captain Cheap .. and the others to take the long boats and make their way back to the east coast. Bulkeley and Cummins were of the latter group. The navigation of the perilous seas, amid vast swarms of unknown islands and channels along the west coast of Patagonia or Chile is as marvelous as the men's capacity to endure cold, wet, and hunger. The voyage was successfully accomplished with the help of Narborough's charts. If there is a more desolate and rain-ridden coast than that of southern Chile, it remains yet to be discovered. This expedition of Anson's has many chroniclers' (*Cox II, p.270*). - (Some pages age-browned). - A fine copy.

Tiele 43; Cat. NHSM I, p.136; Sabin 1642a; Borba de Moraes, p.39 (French ed.).



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Item 9

5 **ANSON, George.** Reize rondsom de wereld, gedaan in de jaaren 1740 tot 1744.. op een expeditie naar de Zuidzee; opgesteld uit de papieren en bescheiden van.. Anson zelven, en onder zyn opzigt uitgegeven door Richard Walter. Uit het Engelsch vertaald. Amsterdam, Isaak Tirion, 1748.

4to. Contemporary mottled calf, spine gilt (extremities rep.), with red morocco title label to spine. With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, 15 folding maps and plans and 20 folding plates. (26), 386,(4) pp.

€ 1.850,00

First Dutch edition. - Official account of Anson's (1697-1762) famous privateering expedition (1740-1744) of seven vessels against Spanish commerce in the Pacific, edited from Anson's papers by Richard Walter, chaplain of the expedition. Although Anson lost most of his crew (an estimated 1000 lost to scurvy, 300 to typhus and dysentery, four in action and the remainder to shipwreck), and all but one of his ships, he did return with a vast bounty. Anson's voyage appears to have been the most popular book of maritime adventure of the 18th century. His exploits brought back new knowledge about the little-known regions around the southern tip of South America. - A fine copy.

Tiele 42; Cat. NHSM I, p.136 (2nd ed.); Sabin 1641 (later ed.); Hill 1785; Borba de Moraes, p.39; European Americana 748/224; Cf. Huntress 57C.

6 ANSON, George. Voyage autour du monde, fait dans les anne'es 1740, 1, 2, 3, 4 .. dans la Mer du Sud. Tiré des journaux & autres papiers .. par Richard Walter. Traduit de Anglois. Amsterdam et Leipzig, Arkstee & Merkus, 1749.
4to. Contemporary calf, spine gilt (spine sl. damaged), with red morocco title label to spine. With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, 14 (12 folding) maps and plans and 20 folding engraved plates. (4), 333,(1) pp.
€ 1.850,00

First French edition. - Official account of Anson's (1697-1762) famous privateering expedition (1740-1744) of seven vessels against Spanish commerce in the Pacific, edited from Anson's papers by Richard Walter, chaplain of the expedition. Although Anson lost most of his crew (an estimated 1000 lost to scurvy, 300 to typhus and dysentery, four in action and the remainder to shipwreck), and all but one of his ships, he did return with a vast bounty. Anson's voyage appears to have been the most popular book of maritime adventure of the 18th century. His exploits brought back new knowledge about the little-known regions around the southern tip of South America. - A fine copy.

Sabin 1637; Hill 1785 (English ed.); Borba de Moraes, p.38; Huntress 57C.

7 BARDON, Dandré. Costume des anciens peuples, a l'usage des artistes .. contenant les usages religieux, civils, domestiques & militaires des Grecs, des Romains, des Israélites & des Hébreux, des Egyptiens, des Perses, des Scythes, des Amazones, des Parthes, des Daces, des Sarmates & autres peuples tant orientaux qu' occidentaux, &c. Nouvelle édition rédigée par M. Cochin. Paris, Alexandre Jombert jeune, 1784-86.

4 volumes in 2. 4to. Contemporary mottled calf, spines gilt (rubbed). With 348 (of 351) engraved plates (frontispiece portrait missing).
€ 895,00

Second edition. - Monumental pattern book for historical paintings by the painter and teacher Dandre Bardon (1700-1783), displaying the costumes, armour, buildings, ruins, furniture, musical instruments, etc. of the peoples of antiquity.
Colas 793; Lipperheide Ba7; Hiler p.216.

8 **BARROW, John.** Reizen in China, inhoudende: beschrijvingen, aanmerkingen en vergelijkingen gemaakt en verzameld, gedurende het verblijf in het keizerlijk paleis, van Yuen-min en in eene daar op gevolgde reis door het land van Pekin tot Canton .. Uit het Engelsch. Haarlem, François Bohn, 1807-09.

3 volumes. Original boards (spines damaged but holding). With 2 hand-coloured portraits, 6 engravings with musical scores and 9 engraved plates (6 folding) after William Alexander by L. Portman and D. Veelwaard. VIII,288; VI,334; VI,341 pp.

€ 675,00

First Dutch edition. - Account of the famous embassy under Lord Macartney (1737-1806) to China with John Barrow (1764-1848) as his private secretary. The embassy (1792-1794) collected much information, but permission to have a British minister resident in China was declined. 'Barrow was an excellent observer' (*Hill* 62). - Rare Dutch edition.

Cordier, B.S., p.2390; Lust 365 (English ed.); not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

9 **BARROW, John.** Travels in China, containing descriptions, observations, and comparisons, made and collected in the course of a short residence at the imperial palace of Yuen-Min-Yuen, and on a subsequent journey through the country from Pekin to Canton .. 2nd edition. London, T. Cadell and W. Davies, 1806.

4to. Contemporary calf with blind stamped borders, rebaked with the original spine laid down, spine gilt with black morocco title-label (new endpapers). With coloured frontispiece portrait, 3 plates (2 double-page), 4 coloured aquatint plates and 6 lvs of music. X,632 pp.

€ 1.950,00

John Barrow (1764-1848) accompanied Lord Macartney on the first British embassy to China in 1792, later becoming his private secretary. Barrow's account of the expedition is considered a most valuable contribution to the literature of western embassies to China. Of special interest are the description of the Imperial Palace in Peking, and the palace in Jehol, and also the observations on the life and character of the Qianlong Emperor. The frontispiece by Thomas Hickey is a portrait of Van-ta-gin, the emperor's officer, who escorted Lord Macartney to the capital. He became a most congenial travelling companion, and learnt to shake hands and to eat with knife and fork. William Alexander, was also in the suite of Macartney's embassy, as artist. '

One of the best illustrated English travels on China. .. The strict exclusion of Europeans by the Chinese Emperors had left China very much *terra incognita* to the western world well into the nineteenth century' (*Hill* p.23) - (Two holes title-page rep.). - A fine clean copy with bright coloured plates after William Alexander. *Abbey, Travel, 531; Tooley, Coloured plates, 84; Cordier, BS, 2388; Lust 366; Morrison I, 42; Hill 65. – See illustration.*

10 **BEAVER, Philip.** African memoranda: relative to an attempt to establish a British settlement on the island of Bulama, on the western coast of Africa, in the year 1792. With a brief notice of the neighbouring tribes, soil, productions, etc. and some observations on the facility of colonizing that part of Africa, with a view to cultivation; and the introduction of letters and religion to its inhabitants: but more particularly as the means of gradually abolishing African slavery. London, C. and R. Baldwin, 1805.

4to. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt with red morocco title label. With large folding engraved map, coloured in outline, and 2 full-page engraved plans. (8),XV,500 pp. € 1.450,00

First edition. - In the end of 1791 Beaver (1766-1813) associated himself with a scheme for colonising the island of Bulama on the coast of Africa, near Sierra Leone, and left England for that place on 14 April 1792. The whole affair from the beginning to have been conducted without forethought or knowledge. The would-be settlers were, for the most part, idle and dissipated. Beaver found himself at sea in command of a vessel of 200 tons, with 65 men, 24 women, and 31 children, mostly sea-sick, and all equally useless. When they landed, anything like disciplin was unattainable. The party, assembled on shore, proved ignorant alike of law, industry, or order. The directors lost heart and took a nearly opportunity of returning to England. The command devolved on Beaver, and during a period of eighteen months he endeavoured, by unceasing toil, to keep a little order and to promote a little industry; but the men were quite unfitted for the work and manner of life, and the greater number of them died. The misserable remnants of the party evacuated the island in November 1793, and went to Sierra Leone, whence Beaver obtained a passage to England, and arrived at Plymouth 17 May 1794 (*DNB*). - A good copy.

Gay 3196.

11 **EIGENTLICHE BESCHREIBUNG DER NIE ERHÖRTEN/ ZWISCHEN DENEN ENGEL- UND HOLLÄNDERN UNTER DEN ADMIRAL RÜSSEL/ WIDER DEN FRANZÖSISCHEN ADMIRAL DE TOURVILLE/ A. 1692. DEN 29.MAII ST.N. UND NACHGEHENDS ERHALTENEN VICTORIE.** (No pl., 1692).

Broadside, with on top a large engraving depicting the sea-battle between the Dutch and French fleet, and below printed text in 2 columns. Ca. 42 x 29 cm. € 950,00

Very rare 'newsletter' on the seabattlle during the 'nine-years-war' off the coast of Barfleur in 1692. The French fleet commanded by Tourville was defeated by the allied fleet of the Netherlands and England under Van Almonde and Edward Russel. With nice engraving. - (Part of blank margin skilfully repaired).

Cf. Muller, Historieplatten, 2854 and Knuttel 13761. – See illustration.



Item 11



Item 22

12 **BICKMORE, Albert S.** Travels in the East Indian Archipelago. N.Y., Appleton and Comp., 1869.

Contemporary half calf, spine richly gilt, with red morocco label to spine. With 2 folding maps and 31 (of 32) woodengraved plates. 553 pp. € 325,00

First American edition. - The American professor in natural history Bickmore, sponsored by the Boston Society of Natural History, arrived in 1865 in Indonesia to study the natural history. Besides the flora and fauna he also devoted a great deal of attention to the physical geography and the population. The concept of a Western and Eastern division between the Indonesian peoples was initiated by him.

13 **BION, Nicolas.** L' usage des globes céleste et terrestre, et des spheres suivant les différens systèmes du monde. Précédé d'un traité de cosmographie. 6me edition, revû, & corrigée. Paris, Jacques Guerin et Nyon fils, 1751.

Contemporary mottled calf, spine richly gilt, with red morocco title label to spine. With 49 engraved maps and plates (23 folding) including celestial and lunar maps, maps of the world, the four continents, astronomical illustrations, etc. (8),382 pp. € 1.295,00

Last and revised edition, published by his son. This treatise on globes, spheres, and cosmography was first published in 1699. Also dealing with the construction and the usage of navigation instruments. - A very fine copy.

Peters, The Crone Library, 522; Cat. NHSM II, p.673 (other ed.).



Item 14

14 **BOGAERT, Abraham.** Historische reizen door d'oostersche deelen van Asia; zynde eene historische beschryving dier koninkryken en landschappen, door hem bezocht en doorwandelt .. Mitsgaders een omstandig verhaal van den Bantamschen inlandschen oorlog, het verdryven der Francoizen uit het Koninkryk Siam, en't geen aan Kaap de goede Hoop in den jaare 1706 is voorgevallen, tot aan het opontbod des Gouverneurs Willem Adriaan van der Stel. Amsterdam, Nicolaas ten Hoorn, 1711. 4to. Contemporary calf, rebaked with the original spine laid down, spine richly gilt in compartments. With engraved allegorical title-page, folding engraved portrait and 15 engraved plates (4 folding; 1 corner damaged with some loss). (12),604,(8) pp.
€ 2.250,00

First edition. - Abraham Bogaert (1663-1727) was a physician in the Dutch East India Company's service. This is an account of his third voyage to the Indies. Passing the Canaries and Teneriffe, the vessel arrived in Table Bay in July 1702. After a ten days' stay in Table Bay, the voyage was resumed to Bantam. From Batavia Bogaert sailed to Bengal, Ceilon and India and called again at Table Bay in the year 1706. 'He devoted two long chapters to an account of the tyranny practised by Governor William Adrian van der Stel, and its consequences. Of this he was more than a spectator, as he took an active part in the cause of the burghers. For this period of Cape history his work is of great value .. (Theal, History of South Africa, 1481-1691).

There is the full text of the memorial sent home by the burghers complaining of the conduct of the Governor, and this memorial, according to Theal, was put into Bogaert's hands for safe custody, until the ship was fairly on its homeward voyage' (*Mendelssohn I, p.146*). With fine views of Table Bay and Vergelegen, the Governor's estate. Including also his circumstantial account of the kingdom of Siam (visited in 1690). - Scarce.

Tiele 153; Landwehr, VOC, 293; not in Cat. NHSM. – See illustration.

15 **BOLINGBROKE, Henry.** A voyage to the Demerary, containing a statistical account of the settlements there, and of those on the Essequibo, the Berbice, and other contiguous rivers of Guyana. London, Richard Phillips, 1809.

Original boards, uncut. With folding map (foxed). 220 pp. € 695,00

First published in 1807. - Valuable early history of the English colonies of Berbice, Demerara and Essequibo, later called British Guiana, which had been annexed from the Dutch in 1803. With descriptions of the Dutch planters and their manners ('Splendor of Dutch households'), the slave trade, Van Hoorn Company, the Indians, natural history (i.a. coffee and sugar cultivation, including a visit to a former Dutch coffee plantation), Stabroek, Reynstein, New Amsterdam, Paramaribo, etc. The author was a deputy vendue master of Surinam and was a resident of Stabroek (Demerary) for seven years. - (Age-browned).

Hünersdorff p.154; Cf. Sabin 6182.

16 **BOLTS, Willem.** État civil, politique et commerçant, du Bengale; ou histoire des conquêtes & de l'administration de la Compagnie Angloise dans ce pays.

Ouvrage traduit de l'Anglois. La Haye, Gosse, 1775.

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary mottled calf (hinges dam., but holding), spine gilt.

With 2 engraved frontispieces and large folding engraved map. XL,222; 240 pp.

€ 385,00

First French edition. - Willem Bolts (c. 1740-1808) was a Dutch adventurer who entered the English East India Company in Bengal, and got into trouble for private trading in the name of the East India Company. The government of Benares sent him off to England as a prisoner. He sought legal action against them, but ruined himself in the proces. The French translation was made by Jean Nicolas Demeunier. - Pasted in is a letter in French, dated 1776, dealing with the ceding of Benares by the Rajah to the English East India Company.

Cox I, p.299.

17 **BONAPARTE, Prince Roland.** Les habitants de Suriname. Notes recueillies a l'exposition coloniale d'Amsterdam en 1883. Paris, A. Quantin, 1884.
 Large folio. Original decorated green cloth with gilt eagle and lettering on front.
 With frontispiece, 2 double-page/folding lithographed maps in colours, 9 ornamental initials, 13 chromo-lithographed plates showing ornaments and head-dresses, and 62 collotype plates depicting Indians, maroons and blacks. (4),VIII,226,(1) pp.
 € 2.700,00

First great anthropological work by Prince Roland Bonaparte (1858-1924). He was a grandson of Lucien Bonaparte, Napoleon's brother, scholar, soldier, scientist and photographer and gives an accurate description of the different population groups in Surinam that were represented at an exhibition in Amsterdam in 1883. Dealing with the Indians (Kalina's Arrowaks) and Bushnegroes and Creoles, sources of income, dress, work, religion and social institutions. The photographs, all taken at the exhibition by M. Hisgen, contain portraits of male and female members of all ages of the Indian and black population groups. This comprehensive anthropological study on Surinam was among the first to make systematic use of photographs in studying an indigenous group in the Americas. - A very fine copy.
Work p.643; Cat. KITLV p.634; Suriname-catalogus UB Amsterdam 0770; Koeman, Suriname, 77.

18 **BRIAND, P.C.** Les jeunes voyageurs en Europe, ou description raisonnée des divers pays compris dans cette partie du monde. 2me édition, revue, corrigée et augmentée. Paris, Thiériot, 1827.
 5 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary half brown morocco, spines richly gilt. With 5 engraved frontispieces, 7 engraved plates and 16 double-page engraved maps, coloured in outline. 277; 284; 252; 255; 295 pp. - *With armorial bookplate. - A fine set.*
 € 225,00

19 **BRISOT DE WARVILLE, Jacques-Pierre.** Nieuwe reize in de Vereenigde Staaten van Noord-Amerika. Uit het Fransch vertaald, en met eenige ophelderingen en bijvoegselen vermeerderd. Amsterdam, Martinus de Bruijn, (1792).
 3 volumes. Modern half morocco, uncut. XLVII,(1),370; XIV,356; XXIV,369,(27) pp.
 € 895,00

First Dutch edition. - 'The author came to the United States just before the French Revolution, for the purpose of selecting a suitable place for establishing a colony of respectable persons, who had determined to abandon the then despotic government of France .. M. Brissot was commissioned to collect every necessary information, prior to the execution of so important a plan. These volumes contain the result of his assiduous labors, and minute enquiries, and sufficiently manifest that he was qualified to accomplish such an arduous undertaking' (*Sabin 8027*) . - (Some waterstaining). - Rare Dutch edition.

Muller, America, p.34; Sabin 8034 (2 vols); James Ford Bell Library B528 (Amst., 1794); Howes p.74 (Amst., 1794); Leclerc 215 (first French ed. Paris 1791).

20 **BRØNSTED, Johannes. (Ed.).** Vore gamle tropekolonier. Ved G. Olsen, K. Struwe, A. Rasch, G. Nørregaard, J. Bro-Jørgensen, J. Vibaek, Fr. Skrubbeltrang. (Copenhagen), Westermann, 1952-53.

2 volumes. Folio. Contemporary half calf, spines ribbed. With many illustrations (several in colours).

€ 675,00

Valuable study on the Danish in the East and West Indies and West Africa. Volume I: The Danish in Tranquebar, India 1616-1845 and on the Goldcoast, West Africa; Volume II: The Danish in the West Indies, St. Thomas, St. Jan, St. Croix, 1702-1917. - A very nice copy.

21 **BRUCE, James.** Reis naar Abyssinie, en te rug door de groote woestijn van Nubie, verkort. Met aantekeningen van Blumenbach, Tychsen, Gmelin, en den Nederduitschen uitgever. Amsterdam, M. de Bruijn, 1801.

3 volumes. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt. With circular engraved portrait on 3 title-pages and 6 engraved plates (map missing). XLVIII,525; VI,528; VI,439 pp.

€ 795,00

First Dutch edition. - James Bruce, Laird of Kinnaird (1730-1794), the first European to undertake an expedition aimed specifically at finding the Nile's source, failed in his attempt, but his exploration paved the way for many more travelers who came after him. In mid-1768 Bruce ascended the Nile from Alexandria and journeyed into the Ethiopian interior. In 1770 he believed to have found the source of the Nile near Gondar, the ancient capital of Abyssinia. Still he was mistaken, as he had not reached the source of the Nile, but only that of its considerable tributary. He descended the Blue Nile to its confluence with the White Nile at the site of present-day Khartoum. He was one of the earliest explorers to report this connection between the White and Blue Nile. The results of Bruce's travels was a very great enrichment of the knowledge of geography and ethnography especially of Ethiopia. His very readable account is still fascinating today. - 'One of the most splendid narratives in the literature of African exploration' (*Hallet, Africa to 1875, p.110*). - A fine set of the rare Dutch edition.

Nissen, ZBI, 617 (English and French ed.); Ibrahim-Hilmy I, p.91 (other ed.); Gay 44 (French ed.); Blackmer Collection 221 (English ed.); not in Tiele.

22 **BRUCE, James.** Travels to discover the source of the Nile, in the years 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, and 1773. Edinburgh, printed by J. Ruthven for G.G.J. and J. Robinson, 1790.

5 volumes. 4to. Contemporary marbled calf with gilt fillets round sides, spines gilt with red morocco labels (1 label missing; rebacked with the original spines laid down, some wear to spines and extremities), inner dentelles. With engraved title-vignettes, 3 battle plans, 3 folding maps, 4 leaves of Ethiopian dialects and 55 engraved plates. € 4.950,00

First edition. - James Bruce, Laird of Kinnaird (1730-1794), the first European to undertake an expedition aimed specifically at finding the Nile's source, failed in his attempt, but his exploration paved the way for many more travelers who came after him. In mid-1768 Bruce ascended the Nile from Alexandria and journeyed into the Ethiopian interior. In 1770 he believed to have found the source of the Nile near Gondar, the ancient capital of Abyssinia. Still he was mistaken, as he had not reached the source of the Nile, but only that of its considerable tributary. He descended the Blue Nile to its confluence with the White Nile at the site of present-day Khartoum. He was one of the earliest explorers to report this connection between the White and Blue Nile. The results of Bruce's travels was a very great enrichment of the knowledge of geography and ethnography especially of Ethiopia. His very readable account is still fascinating today. The plates based on Bruce's own and Balugani's drawings include botanical and zoological specimens, antiquities and artefacts. - 'One of the most splendid narratives in the literature of African exploration' (*Hallet, Africa to 1875, p.110*). - (Some foxing and offsetting from plates). – See illustration *Nissen ZBI, 617; Ibrahim-Hilmy I, p.91; Gay 44; Blackmer Collection 221.*



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23 **BRUYN, Cornelis de.** Travels into Muscovy, Persia, and part of the East-Indies. Containing, an accurate description of whatever is most remarkable in those countries. To which is added, an account of the journey of Mr. Isbrants (Everard Isbrand Ides), ambassador from Muscovy, through Russia and Tartary, to China; together with remarks on the travels of John Chardin, and Mr. Kempfer (Engelbert Kaempfer) .. Translated from the original French. London, A. Bettesworth, a.o., 1737.
2 volumes. Folio. Contemporary calf (corners rep.), rebacked with the original spines laid down. With engraved frontispiece, engraved portrait of the author by G. Valck, 3 engraved double-page maps and ca. 300 engraved plates and illustrations (many double-page or folding). (6),246; 223,(11) pp. € 5.500,00

First published in 1711. - Second voyage (1701-1708) by Cornelis de Bruyn (1652-1726), the Dutch traveller and painter. In 1701 he undertook an extensive journey to Persia, India, Ceylon and Java via Moscow. His universal interest and exact observation enabled him to make some very important notes on ethnological, archaeological and geographical subjects. De Bruyn was primarily a landscape artist and this manifests itself in the fine engraved views and panoramas, but there are also plates of costumes, natural history subjects, etc., giving altogether a clear picture of different aspects of Russian and Asian life at the beginning of the 18th century. Bruyn's report is of great documentary value because of the detailed and accurate plates engraved after his drawings. The plates include two fine panoramic views of Moscow and Isfahan. - A fine copy. - See illustration.

Tiele 209; Cat. NHSM I, 257; Bibl. Russica I, 2190; Muller, Bibl. Neerl.-Russe 63 'Cet ouvrage est une des plus magnifiques productions de la librairie hollandaise ..'.

24 **(BURKE, Edmund).** An account of the European settlements in America. In six parts. I. A short history of the discovery of that part of the world. II. The manners and customs of the original inhabitants. III. Of the Spanish settlements. IV. Of the Portuguese. V. Of the French, Dutch, and Danish. VI. Of the English. 6th edition, with improvements. London, J. Dodsley, 1777.
2 volumes in 1. Modern half calf, with black morocco label to spine. With 2 frontispiece folding engraved maps. XII,324; XII,308 pp. € 650,00

'The authorship of this book has been disputed. It is attributed to Burke, one of the foremost political thinkers of the British Isles. According to Burke bibliographer William B. Todd, it is probably mainly the work of Edmund Burke, but he notes that some regard it as a joint collaboration of Edmund, his cousin William Bourke, and possibly Edmund's brother Richard as well, and, further, that it also has been mistakenly attributed to Soame Jenyns. The popularity of this work was so great that it had many editions, and was translated into many languages. The first volume is largely of Hispanic-American interest, relating to Mexico, New Mexico, the English claim to California, Peru, Chile, and Brazil. The second volume describes the various European colonies in the West Indies' (*Hill 218*).

Sabin 9282; Howes B974 'Best contemporary account'.

25 **BYRON, JOHN. - (CLERKE, Charles).** A voyage round the world, in his majesty's ship *The Dolphin*, commanded by .. Commodore BYRON. In which is contained, a faithful account of the several places, people, plants, animals, &c. seen on the voyage. And, among other particulars, a minute and exact description of the Streights of Magellan, and the gigantic people called Patagonians. Together with an accurate account of seven islands lately discovered in the South Seas. 4th edition, corrected. London, T. Carnan and F. Newbery, 1776.
Sm.8vo. Modern half cloth. With 2 engraved plates (depicting the Patagonian giants and a grave with an altar of stones). (4),171,(5) pp. € 975,00

'This account of John Byron's circumnavigation is usually ascribed to midshipman Charles Clerke, who later sailed on all three of Captain's Cook's voyages, serving as commander of the third voyage for the final six months. The *Dolphin* sailed in July of 1764 from Plymouth, ostensibly for the East Indies; but the real purpose of the voyage was to make discoveries in the South Seas. .. This narrative was published six years before Hawkesworth's official account, and became famous because of its description of the Patagonian giants, still something of a mystery' (*Hill 311*).
Sabin 9732; Howgego p.165.

26 **CAPITEIN, Jacobus Elisa Joannes.** Jacobus Elisa Joannes Capitein, Africaansche Moor, beroepen predikant aan het kasteel St. George op d'Elmina. Leyden, Philippus Bonk, (ca. 1742).
Fine engraved portrait by F. van Bleyswyck, with laudatory poem in engraved captions by Brandyn Ryser. Ca. 22 x 16 cm. € 225,00

Capitein (1717-1747), a black from West-Africa, became the property of Arnold Steenhart. After a short period he gave the young slave to his friend, Jacob van Goch, as a present. Van Goch had arrived on the coast in 1712 as a merchant attached to the Dutch West-India Company. In 1728 Capitein and Van Gogh arrived in The Hague, where he was baptised. Then followed the period of his theological study in Leiden, his graduation, and his ordination as minister of the Netherlands Reformed Church. He wrote a dissertation: Politico-theological dissertation concerning slavery, as not contrary to Christian freedom. In 1742 Captain landed again at Elmina. He must have been 25 or 26 years old at that time. In 1745 he became the first known Gold Coast man to have married a European woman, he married a Dutch girl Antonia Ginderdros. He involved himself in trade and fell into debt. He died suddenly on 1st February 1747, aged about 30 years old.
Muller, Portretten, 947.

27 **CARVER, Jonathan.** Reize door de binnenlanden van Noord-Amerika. Naar den derden druk uit het Engelsch vertaald door J.D. Pasteur. Leyden, A. en J. Honkoop, 1796.

2 volumes in 1. Original boards (sl. soiled). With medallion portrait on title, folding map by G. van Baarsel, 2 engraved plates (1 folding) and 4 hand-coloured aquatints depicting costumes. XXVI,248;280,(18) pp. € 750,00

First Dutch edition. - One of the earliest books on the Middle West, unrivalled in the literature of early native American travel. Jonathan Carver wanted to find a north-west land passage between the Atlantic and the Pacific Ocean, he penetrated farther into the West than any other English explorer before the Revolution. He travelled from Boston in 1766 to Lake Superior to the sources of the river St.Pierre, together 7000 miles. This work contains one of the earliest descriptions of what is now known as Minnesota and Wisconsin. 'An admirable work, full of novel information respecting the interior of North America, and its savage inhabitants' (*Sabin*). *Landwehr; Col. pls., 253; Cat. NHSM I, p.270; Sabin 11190; Howes 215; not in Tiele.* – See illustration.



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28 **CASTELLANI, Ch.** Vers le Nil français avec la mission Marchand. Paris, E. Flammarion, (1897).

Modern cloth, original printed wrappers mounted. With 150 illustrations by the author. 437 pp. € 160,00

First edition. - Ch. Castellani joined as an artist the famous Marchand Expedition from Loango to Djibouti, about 3000 miles. He left the expedition at Bangui. - (Foxing).

Bruel 815.

29 **CATROU, François.** Histoire generale de l'empire du Mogol depuis sa fondation sur les mémoires portugais de M. Manouchi, Vénitien. La Haye, Guillaume de Voys, 1708.

Sm.8vo. Contemporary calf, spine gilt (sl. rubbed). With engraved title-vignette and large folding engraved map. (24),380 pp. € 475,00

First published in French in 1705; with armorial bookplate of Philip Lord Hardwicke Baron of Hardwicke. - 'Niccolao Manucci's book, from which Catrou drew much of his material, was not printed until 1907, when it was translated by William Irvine (the Indian Text Society), of the Bengal Civil Service, for the reason that it had disappeared from view until it turned up in Berlin a few years ago. Its title was *Storia do Mogor* and it was written partly in Italian, partly in French, and partly in Portuguese. Historians have long bewailed its disappearance, for hitherto they have been unable to check the statesments of Catrou. Manucci practically spent his life in India and witnessed so many things and records them so fully and delightfully that he is almost second to none as an historian of Aurangzib's reign' (*Cox I, p.285*). - A fine copy. *Chadenat 6219.*

30 **CHARLEVOIX, Pierre François Xavier de.** Journal of a voyage to North-America. Undertaken by order of the French king containing the geographical description and natural history of that country, particularly Canada. Together with an account of the customs, characters, religion, manners and traditions of the original inhabitants. In a series of letters to the Duchess of Lesdiguières. Translated from the French. London, R. and J. Dodsley, 1761.

2 volumes. Contemporary calf, rebacked, spines gilt with red and green morocco labels to spines. With folding engraved map. VIII,382; VIII,380,(22) pp. € 2.250,00

With armorial bookplate of Ferguson of Raith. - This is the first English translation of Charlevoix's *Journal d'un voyage*, which was first published in 1744 as the third volume of his *Histoire et description générale de la Nouvelle France*. Charlevoix (1682-1761), a Jesuit, was sent by his order to Canada in 1705 and again in 1720. His famous report is the first general history of the French discoveries and settlements in North America and remained unsurpassed in the 18th century and is of capital importance for Canadian history. Principally dealing with the French colonies in

Canada and Louisiana, he gives very detailed and observant accounts of the Indian tribes and settlements which he visited. 'One of the most descriptive historians of North America' (*Howgego p.217*). - A very fine set.

TPL 190; Sabin 12139; European-Americana VI, 744/50 (French ed.); Leclerc 315 (French ed.); Howes C308.

31 **CHASE, Ezra B.** Teachings of patriots and statesmen; or, the 'founders of the Republic' on slavery. Philadelphia, J.W. Bradley, 1860.

Modern cloth. With steel-engraved portrait. 495 pp.

€ 160,00

Memorial of the Pennsylvania Abolition Society to Congress on the slave trade, 1790; Virginia and Kentucky Resolutions of 1798, drawn by Madison and Jefferson; Slavery in the district of Columbia in 1831, 1835 and 1836; Agitation of slavery in the House of Representatives in 1839; etc.

Sabin 12174; Work p.299.

32 **CLUVERIUS, Philippus.** Batavische oudheden, ofte verhandeling .. over de drie uitloopen, en monden van den Rhyn. Mitzgaders, wegens de vyf volken, die eertyds aan deselve gewoont hebben, te weten, Toxandren, Batavieren, Caninefaten, Frisen, en Marsacen. 's Gravenhage, Engelbregt Boucquet, 1709.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary mottled calf (2 hinges cracked but holding), spines gilt, with red morocco labels to spines. With engraved frontispiece by J. Schynvoet, engraved folding views of Scheveningen and Leiden, 2 (of 3) engraved plates, and 4 folding engraved maps. (27),307,(21); 319,(16) pp.

€ 125,00

First Dutch edition, first published in Latin in 1611; with armorial bookplate. - Scholarly study on the river-mouthes of the river Rhine.

Tiele 248.

33 **COBBETT, James Paul.** A ride of eight hundred miles in France; containing a sketch of the face of the country, of its rural economy, of the towns and villages .. to which is added, a general view of the finances of the kingdom. London, Charles Clement, 1824.

Sm.8vo. Later half calf. 202,(9),(4) pp.

€ 95,00

34 **(COLERIDGE, Henry Nelson).** Six months in the West Indies. 2nd edition, with additions. London, John Murray, 1826.

Later half cloth. With engraved frontispiece map. (4),328 pp.

€ 170,00

Description of Trinidad, St.Vincent, Martinique, Madeira, Barbados, etc. 'Contains an unusually lucid and cool consideration of the situations of the slaves and planters, maintaining that, all things considered, the formers' lot was very comfortable indeed. .. The work attracted a great deal of attention.' (*Ragatz p.221*).

Sabin 14318; The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection, 738.

35 **COLYER, Justinus.** Dagh-register van't gene .. Justinus Coljer, resident wegens de .. Staten Generael der Vereenighde Nederlanden, geaccompagneert met den consul van Smyrna J. van Dam, ende een aensienlijck gevolg, is gherencontreert op de reyse van Constantinopolen, tot Andrianopolen, aldaer hy by den Turckschen keyser sijne eerste audientie heeft gehad, met overleveringhe der presenten ... 's Gravenhage, 1668.

4to. Old half vellum. 36 pp.

€ 1.350,00

Two slightly different editions of this account of an embassy, sent to Turkey to improve Dutch-Turkish commerce, were issued almost at the same time. One was proved by the States General: 'Oprecht Journael...'. The other one, our copy 'Dagh-register', contains certain passages referring to the Turkish emperor's appearance and age which were offending according to the States General. The States issued a 'Waerschouwing' in which the 'Dagh-register' was depicted as a scandalous piece of writing.

Knuttel 9645; Tiele 253

36 **COOK, James.** The voyages of Captain James Cook round the world: with an account of his unfortunate death at Owhyhee, one of the Sandwich Islands. London, T. Maiden, (1808).

Sm.8vo. Contemporary calf, gilt fillets round sides, spine gilt. With engraved frontispiece and 5 engraved plates. 322 pp.

€ 125,00

The pocket navigator, volume IV - Containing the three voyages of James Cook. - A fine copy.

Beddie 72.

37 **COOK, James.** Voyages. Dublin, J. Williams a.o., 1775-84.

7 volumes. 8vo. Contemporary tree calf, spines richly gilt, with red and green labels to spines. With engraved maps and plans.

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I. HAWKESWORTH, John. An account of the voyages .. for making discoveries in the Southern Hemisphere .. in the *Dolphin*, the *Swallow*, and the *Endeavour* .. To which is added A voyage to the North Pole, by Commodore PHIPPS. Dublin, 1775. 2 volumes. With 2 folding engraved maps and 6 engraved plates (3 folding). - *Beddie 661; Kroepelien 542.* - *The first Dublin edition appeared in 1773.*

II. COOK, James. A voyage towards the South Pole, and round the world, performed in his majesty's ships the *Resolution* and *Adventure*, in the years 1772, 1773, 1774, and 1775. Dublin, 1784. 2 volumes. With folding table. - *Beddie 1230 ('not seen'); Kroepelien 207.* - *The first Dublin edition appeared in 1777.*

III. COOK, James and James KING. A voyage to the Pacific Ocean .. in his majesty's ships the *Resolution* and *Discovery*. In the years 1776, 1777, 1778, 1779, and 1780. Dublin, 1784. 3 volumes. With portrait-frontispiece, folding table and 26 folding engraved maps, charts and coastal profiles (small tear in margin of one profile; wit-

hout the plate list). - *Beddie 1546; not in Kroepelien.* - *First Dublin edition.*
 Rare Dublin edition; with the armorial bookplate of John Clements. - 'James Cook is not merely the most significant British seafarer and explorer, he is also one of the world's greatest researchers of all time. The length of his scientific voyages on three oceans by far outstripped those of his predecessors, and his ethnographic studies of the peoples of the Pacific islands, New Zealand and Australia provided eighteenth-century Europeans with their first virtually complete insight into this previously more or less unexplored region of the Pacific. Vasco da Gama had conquered the Indian Ocean for Portugal; Cook conquered the Pacific for Britain' (*Salentiny, Encyclopedia of world explorers, p.134*). - A very attractive set.

38 **COXE, William.** Account of the Russian discoveries between Asia and America. To which are added, the conquest of Siberia, and the history of the transactions and commerce between Russia and China. 3rd edition, revised and corrected. London, T. Cadell, 1787.
 Later half brown morocco, rebacked with the spine laid down. With engraved folding plate depicting the Chinese frontier trading town Mai-ma-chen near Kiakhta and 4 engraved folding maps (1 tear rep.). XXVIII,454,(2) pp. € 975,00

'The first and second editions of Coxe's book on the Russian discoveries were dated 1780. In 1787, he published this third edition, which has appendices (not in earlier editions) giving a list of the principal charts representing the Russian discoveries, a specimen of the Aleutian language, and tables of latitude and longitude. The most important feature of this third edition is the inclusion of the supplement on Captain Cook, titled: 'A comparative view of the Russian discoveries with those made by Captians Cook and Clerke; and a sketch of what remains to be ascertained by future navigators' (*Hill 392*). 'Mr. Coxe book contains many curious and important facts with respect to the various attempts of the Russians to open a communication with the New World' (*Sabin 17309*). This book was for many years the most comprehensive source of information on Russian early voyages, including i.a. the accounts of Michael Nevodskoff, captain Krenitzin and lieutenant Levasheff and observations on the fur trade between the Russians and the Chinese. - (Small libr. stamp on title; age-browed). - A fine copy.
Cordier, B.S., p. 2447; Lust 170; Lada-Mocarski 29.

39 **COXE, William.** Travels into Poland, Russia, Sweden, and Denmark. Interspersed with historical relations and political inquiries. 3rd edition. London, T. Cadell, 1787-91.
 5 volumes. Contemporary speckled calf, spines gilt, with red and green labels to spines (1 hinge sl. cracked). With 6 folding tables, 14 folding engraved maps and plans and 14 engraved plates and portraits (including 2 engraved portraits in the text). € 1.250,00

With the rare fifth volume in first edition: 'In this additional volume, the author submits to the public a continuation of those observations, which a second journey into the northern kingdoms of Europe has enabled him to make: and more particularly an account of those countries which he did not visit in his former tour; namely, Jutland, Norway, Livonia, Courland, and Prussia' (*Advertisement*). - A fine set.
Cox I, p.185; Cat. Russica 1322.

40 **COYMANS, Isaac.** Brieven, confessie; mitsgaders/ advisen van verscheyden rechtsgeleerden in de saeck van Isaac Coymans gegeven: als mede de sententie daar op gevolgt. Rotterdam, Dirck Jansz., (1662).

4to. Later half calf, spine lettered in gilt. With woodcut vignette on title (tiny hole in title-page affecting the word 'daer'). 75 pp. € 2.250,00

Isaac Coymans (ca. 1620-after 1667; also written as Coeymans, Coeimans or Koeimans) belonged to a wealthy Amsterdam merchant family. He served for the Dutch West India Company as bookkeeper and merchant on the Goldcoast. He returned to Holland in 1649 to start a slave business on his own account. After the discovery of secret correspondence with Joost Kramer, commander of the Danish African Company in Fort Cabo Cors, Coymans was accused of having incited Kramer against the Company. Coymans wrote to Kramer that the Company planned an attack on him and in the second letter seditiously added that he had heard that the Company planned to murder the head of the 'Swarten' ('Blacks') named 'Jan Klaesz'. He suggested Kramer to attack Fort Nassau (Elmina, Holland's first stronghold) with the help of the blacks. Coymans was arrested and sentenced to six years imprisonment, lifelong banishment from the Netherlands and the areas covered by the charter of the Company, and a fine of 20 thousand carolus guilders and the costs of his trial and imprisonment. Isaac's son Balthasar acquired an *assiento* in 1685, though for a few years only. The sentence at the end of the present volume was also issued separately. Remarkable account of this notorious trial from March 25th, 1660 till January 24th, 1662. One of the few 17th century books on Dutch Guinea. - Rare.

Knuttel 8645; Muller, America, 2292; Asher 316; NNBW VIII p.331-333.

41 **CRANZ, David.** Historie van Groenland behelzende eene naukeurige beschrijvinge van 's lands ligging, gesteldheid, en natuurlijke zeldzaamheden; den aart, zeden en gewoonten der inwooneren aan de West-zijde bij de Straate Davis; 's lands aloude en nieuwe geschiedenis; en in't bijzonder de verrichtingen der Missionarissen van de Broeder-Kerk, door welken twee gemeenten van bekeerde heidenen aldaar gesticht zijn. Uit het Hoogduitsch vertaald. Haarlem, C.H. Bohn, Amst., H.de Wit, 1767. 3 volumes in 1. Later morocco, spine gilt. With 14 folding engraved maps and plates by J. Swertner. XXXIV,356; 282; 382,(2) pp. € 1.250,00

First Dutch edition with more and better plates than the original edition in German (1765). - Detailed description of Greenland by David Cranz (1723-1777), the historiographer of the Brethern, he stayed at Ny Herrnhut in Greenland, in 1761-62. With sections devoted to the establishment of the first Herrnhut or Moravian mission in Greenland, the nature, manners and customs of the inhabitants on the West coast on Davis Strait, whales and the whaling-industry in general, and the Eskimos. This account was very popular and translated and reprinted in many languages. 'das vollständigste Gemälde von Grönland im 18. Jahrhundert, ein Werk, das auch Heute noch mehr als nur historisches Interesse beanspruchen darf' (*Henze I, p.751*). - A clean copy. – See illustration.

Arctic Bibl. 3469; Chavanne 5634; Tiele 282; Cat. NHSM I, p.301; Sabin 17415.

42 CRETE. - KANDIA. (No pl.), 1852.

Dutch manuscript map of Crete and surrounding islands, handcoloured in outline.

34,5 x 42,5 cm.

€ 95,00

Crete, one of the largest islands of the Mediterranean and under Turkish control until 1898, was formally united with Greece only in 1913. - Fine.

43 DAMPIER, William. Nieuwe reystogt rondom de werreld, waarin omstandiglyk beschreeven worden de land-engte van Amerika, verscheidene kusten en eilanden in Westindiën, de eilanden van Cabo Verde, de doortogt van de Straat Le Maire na de Zuid-zee, de kusten van Chili, Peru, Mexico; 't eiland Guam een van de Ladrones, 't eiland Mindanao een van de Filippines; en de Oost-Indische eilanden omtrent Cambodia, China, Formosa; Luconia, Celebes, enz. ... In't Engelsch beschreeven .. en daaruyt vertaald door W. Sewel. Nymegen, Isaac van Campen, 1781 - 1782.

4 volumes in 1. 4to. Contemporary half calf, spine richly gilt (foot of spine skilfully rep.). With 2 engraved title-pages and 43 engraved maps and plates (11 folding; including worldmap) by C. Luyken en J. Lamsvelt. 405,(9); 305,(7); 80,(6); (92 pp.

€ 2.450,00

Third Dutch edition. - 'Dampier was the best known of the famous group of English buccaneers that tormented the Spaniards in the South Sea from 1680 to 1720. His first voyage, under Captain Swan in the *Cygnnet*, took him from Virginia to Spanish America and across the Pacific to the East Indies. He travelled extensively in the Orient on several voyages which lasted from 1683 to 1691. It was on one of these trips that the first landing was made by the English on the Australian mainland, at the entrance of King Sound on the northwest coast, in 1688' (*Hill pp.144-145*).

'Generally regarded as the greatest explorer and navigator before Cook, Dampier was also a popular and an exciting storyteller who inspired both Swift and Defoe. His books went through many editions and, in some form, have remained in print untill the present day' (*The Davidson Collection 32*). - A very fine copy.

Tiele 290; Cat. NHSM I, p.137; Sabin 18387; Van Eeghen-v.d. Kellen 319; Mendelssohn I, p.409 'celebrated work'; Howgego pp.294-297.

44 **DATES AND DISTANCES**, showing what may be done in a tour of sixteen months through various parts of Europe, as performed in the years 1829 and 1830. London, John Murray, 1831.
Contemporary half brown calf, spine ribbed and gilt. With folding map. VIII,358,(1) pp. - *With the armorial bookplate of Ulick 6th Marquess of Sligo.* € 75,00

45 **DELAPORTE, l'Abbe.** De nieuwe reisiger; of beschryving van de oude en nieuwe waerelt, uit het Fransch. Dordrecht, Abraham Blusse, 1766-1783.
28 volumes. Contemporary mottled calf, spines richly gilt, with red and black labels to spines. € 1.450,00

Volume 27-28 written by abbe Fontenay; not present volume 29-32 written by Domairon. Originally published in Paris 1766 - 1795 in 42 volumes (the last 10 volumes were not translated into Dutch). Written in a series of letters describing all parts of the world including America, Asia, Africa Arabia and Europe. With interesting descriptions of the colonies as founded by the various European countries. - A very fine set.
Sabin 19359; Tiele 643; not in Cat. NHSM.

46 **DENON, Vivant.** Reize in Opper- en Neder-Egipten, gedurende den veldtocht van Bonaparte. Uit het Fransch door Herm. Bosscha. Amsterdam, Johannes Allart, 1803-1805.
3 volumes. Contemporary blind-tooled half calf, with black morocco title labels to spines. With folding engraved map and 41 engraved plates (39 folding) by Vinkeles and Vrydag. XXX,323,(2); 311,(1); 192,63,(2) pp. € 425,00

First Dutch edition. - 'At Bonaparte's invitation Denon eagerly accepted an opportunity to join the expedition to Egypt (1798), and while there accompanied General Louis Charles Antoine Desaix up and down the Nile in pursuit of Murad Bey, recording antiquities as he went. He returned to France with Napoleon in 1800, and within the space of two years produced his monumental *Voyage dans la basse et la haute Egypte* (Paris 1802)' (*Howgego p.306*). 'He was the first to reveal the richness of Egyptian art to Europe' (*Atabey Collection 338*). - (Waterstained; libr. stamp on title-pages)
Tiele 310; Cat. NHSM I, p.215; Ibrahim-Hilmy I, p.174; Blackmer Collection 471 (French ed.).

47 **DJAJADININGRAT, Aria Achmad.** Herinneringen. Amsterdam, Batavia, G. Kolff & Co., (1936). Original red cloth with gilt lettering. With many photographic plates. (12),364,XII pp. € 225,00

Important memoirs by Pangeran A.A. Djajadiningrat, a Javanese aristocrat and civil service officer, about life in the Dutch East Indies. With preface by Diet Kramer. *Cat. KITLV, 4e Suppl., p.180; Buur, Persoonlijke documenten, 1280.*

48 **DOREN, Jean Baptist J.** Reis naar Nederlands Oost-Indie of land- en zee-
togten gedurende de twee eerste jaren mijns verblijfs op Java. 's Gravenhage, J. & H.
van Langenhuysen, 1851.

2 volumes. Half brown morocco, spines lettered in gilt. With 2 nice identical litho-
graphed titles, 3 folding maps and plans, and 27 lithographed plates (9 tinted views
and 18 hand-coloured costume plates, heightened with gum arabic), and 79 wood-
engravings in the text. 315; 401,(3) pp. € 1.495,00

First book with coloured plates of Indonesia. - Volume I gives an ample description
of the voyage to Indonesia, with detailed accounts on Africa. Volume II deals for a
great part with Batavia and surroundings, also Cheribon, Samarang, Djokjokarta,
Soerakarta and other places were visited and described. Among the fine coloured lit-
hographed plates are those representing Dipanagara and his followers. 'The author,
Jean Baptist van Doren, served in Indonesia in the Oost Indische Kavallerie between
1821 and 1839, and his knowledge of the country provided him with material for a
whole string of books which were published during the 1850s and 1860s' (*Bastin-
Brommer p.142*). - A fine copy.

*Bastin-Brommer N 237; Landwehr, Coloured plates, 273; Tiele 332; Cat. NHSM I,
p.246; Cat. KITLV p.713. – See illustration.*



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49 **DRYDEN, John.** Amboyna: a tragedy. As it is acted at the Theatre-Royal. London, Henry Herringman, 1673.

4to. Later half morocco, spine lettered in gilt. (12),60 pp.

€ 885,00

First edition. - 'An incident which took place on Amboyna in 1623 caused quite a stir. The Dutch governor, Van Speult, heard that the English settlers on the island wanted to take possession of the island with the help of the Japanese soldiers who were in the service of the Dutch. After a lawsuit during which, according to prevailing law, use was made of torture, most of the English and Japanese were sentenced to death. The English spoke (and still speak) of the Amboynese murder; it certainly contributed to the deterioration of mutual appreciation between the English and the Dutch in the 17th century' (*Coolhaas, A critical survey of studies on Dutch colonial history, p.46*). - (Scattered light foxing; 2 blank corners restored).

Ruinen A 22; Cat. KITLV, 2e supplement, p.148.

50 **DUFRÉNOY.** Le tour du monde, ou tableau géographique et historique de tous les peuples de la terre, contenant une description succincte des pays qu'ils habitent; un aperçu des mœurs, coutumes, religions et lois qui leur sont particulieres .. etc. (Paris), Alexis Eymery, 1814.

6 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt, with green morocco title label to spines. With folding worldmap, coloured in outline, folding map of France, coloured in outline, engraved plate and 48 hand-coloured engravings. € 395,00

Nice set, with fine coloured views and costume plates.

51 **ELLIS, Henry.** Reize naar de Baai van Hudson, ter ontdekkinge van eenen Noord-Wester doortogt, gedaan in de jaaren 1746, en 1747, met de schepen de *Dobbs-Galley* en de *California*; met eene naauwkeurige beschrijving der kust, eene korte natuurlyke historie van het land, en een klaar vertoog der bewys-stukken en redenen, dewelke dienen om de waarschyntykheid aan te toonen dat zulk een doortogt in't vervolg zal gevonden worden... Uit het Engelsch vertaalt. Leiden, Elias Luzac, Jun., 1750.

Contemporary vellum. With title-page printed in red and black and engraved title-vignette, folding map and 9 folding engraved plates by N. v. Frankendaal. XXXII,440 pp. € 1.650,00

First Dutch edition. - 'The first part contains a synopsis of twenty-three English voyages to discover the Northwest Passage, a history of the rise of the Hudson' Bay Company, and the discovery attempted from New England. The second part gives an account of a voyage under Captains G. Moor and Francis Smith, financed by private subscription, with Arthur Dobbs as the leading subscriber of the Northwest Committe. Ellis, also a subscriber, was hydrographer, surveyor, and mineralogist on the expedition, which proved, finally the nonexistence of a Northwest Passage from Hudson Bay. The work includes many valuable observations on tides, on the vagaries

of the compass, and on the customs of the Eskimoss, a people then practically unknown' (*Hill p. 189*). The author also gives detailed information regarding the flora and fauna of the region. He was appointed governor of Nova Scotia in 1761 (to 1763). - A very fine copy of a rare book.

Cat. NHSM I, p.301; not in Tiele; Scheepers I 603 "Zeer gezochte Nederl. vertaling"; Sabin 22315; European-Americana 750/109; Hill 540 (English ed.); TPL 207 (English ed.). - See illustration.

52 ELWES, Robert. A sketcher's tour round the world. London, Hurst and Blackett, 1854.

Half blue morocco gilt (by Bayntun), (spine discoloured), a.e.g. With tinted lithographed frontispiece and 20 lithographed plates after the author. XII,411 pp.

€ 1.650,00

First edition. - Robert Elwes, an English gentleman and amateur artist, departed England March 20, 1848. Travelling around the world for pleasure, that which would take him more than two years to complete. 'He relates with simplicity all that he saw and noted, writes about the slaves and the travic, and describes places with great accuracy. His work is full of picturesque details and interesting information about the places he visited. The author's drawings are very good' (*Borba de Moraes I, p.287*).

The fine plates depict i.a. Rio de Janeiro, Buenos Ayres, Honolulu, Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai, Singapore and Aden. - A fine copy.

Sabin 22371; Abbey, Travel, 9; Forbes 1982 (long note); Ferguson 9427b.

53 EXPILLY. Le géographe manuel, contenant la description de tous les païs du monde, leurs qualités, leur climat, le caractère de leurs habitans, leurs villes capitales, avec leurs distances de Paris, & des routes qui y menent, tant par terre que par mer .. Paris, Bauche, 1757.

12mo. Contemporary mottled calf, gilt fillets round sides, spine richly gilt, a.e.g.

(4),267,(3) pp.

€ 125,00

54 EXQUEMELIN, Alexandre Olivier. Historie der boecaniers, of vrybuyters van America. Van haar eerste beginzelen tot deze tegenwoordige tyd toe. Amsterdam, Nicolaas ten Hoorn, 1700.

2 volumes in 1. 4to. Contemporary vellum (sl. soiled; 1 hinge rep.). With engraved title, folding engraved map and 7 engraved plates (1 folding) by J. Lamsvelt. (8),219; 136,(6) pp.

€ 3.950,00

Second Dutch edition. - New and very much altered edition of the first edition of 1678. The whole second part is entirely new and intended for a continuation to the first. Also the plates are new, they are nicely done by J. Lamsvelt. 'Little is known with certainty about Exquemelin (1645- ca.1707) author of one of the most important sourcebooks of seventeenth century piracy. Born about 1645, it is likely that Exquemelin was a native of Harfleur in France, who on his return from buccaneering

settled in Holland, possibly because he was a Huguenot. In 1666 he was engaged by the French West India Company and went to Tortuga, where he stayed for three years. There he enlisted with the buccaneers, probably as a barber-surgeon, and remained with them until 1674. .. perhaps no book of the seventeenth century in any language was ever the parent of so many imitations and the source of so many fictions' (*CNMM IV, p.51*). This famous and popular book, *The buccaneers of America*, is the prototype of an entire literature of books on pirates and buccaneers in all languages up to the present day. 'It is almost the only comprehensive source of information for pirate activities in the seventeenth century' (*Howgego p.357*). - (Age-browned). *Cat. NHSM II, p.878; Sabin 23469; Muller, America, 580; CNMM IV, Piracy & Privateering, 180; European Americana IV, p.371; Hill 577-579 'classic of all buccaneering books'*. – See illustration.



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55 Extract-rapport over de Chicago en North Western en de Chicago-Rock-Island en Pacific spoorwegen, over 1870-1871. Amsterdam, Metzler & Basting, 1871. Original printed wrappers. 33 pp. € 55,00

56 **EYRE, Vincent.** Retraite et destruction de l'armée l'Afghanistan en janvier 1842, journal du lieutenant Vt. Eyre .. suivi de notes-familiales écrites pendant sa captivité chez les Afghans. Traduit de l'Anglais sur la 3^{me} édition, par Paul Jessé. Paris, J. Corréard, 1844.

Contemporary half morocco, spine lettered in gilt. With folding plan. VII,328 pp.

€ 150,00

'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*). - (*Some lvs browned*).

57 **FERGUSON, Robert.** Nineveh and its ruins: or, the history of the great city. London, T.J. Allman, (c. 1860).

4to. Original pictorial cloth gilt (sl. discoloured), a.e.g. With chromolithographed frontispiece and title-page, and numerous woodengravings. VI,(2),102 pp. € 150,00

'Nineveh, which was the capital of Assyria, was situated on the eastern bank of the river Tigris, about 280 miles north of Babylon, which was the metropolis of the Chaldean empire, and which it sought to rival in splendour and renown'.



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58 **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, skilfully rebacked. With engraved view of Bangkok (stained). XXXI,427 pp. € 1.750,00

First edition; with armorial bookplate by George Wilbraham. - In 1821-2 George Finlayson (1790-1823) accompanied the mission to Siam and Cochin China in the character of 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*). - Rare. - See illustration.

59 **FORREST, (Thomas).** Voyage aux Moluques et a la Nouvelle Guinée, fait sur la galere *La Tartare* en 1774, 1775 & 1776, par ordre de la Compagnie Angloise. Paris, Hôtel de Thou, 1780.

4to. Contemporary mottled calf (sl. stained; one hinge damaged but holding), spine richly gilt, with red morocco label to spine. With large folding engraved map and 28 (7 folding) engraved plates and maps, by Benard and with woodcut head- and tail-pieces. (6),470,(1) pp. € 1.850,00

First French edition, translated by Demeunier. - Thomas Forrest (1729 - ca.1802) was engaged in 1770 in forming the new settlement at Balambangan, Borneo. His expedition in charge of the English East-India Company (1774-1776) to the Moluccas and New Guinea, in pursuance of new sources of trade, was made in the *Tartar*, a native boat of about ten tons burden, with two English officers and a crew of eighteen Malays. He pushed the exploration as far as Geelvink Bay in New Guinea (further east than any of his company predecessors). The voyage was one of examination and enquiry rather than of exploration, and the additions made to geographical knowledge were corrections of detail rather than startling discoveries, but the tact with which he conducted his intercourse with the natives, and the amount of work done in a small boat, deservedly won him credit as a navigator (*Hill p.219*). The introduction contains a survey of the voyages made to New Guinea since 1511. - (Lower part of some margins waterstained). - See illustration.

Hill 623 (English ed.); Cox II, p.302; Ruinen C 66 (English ed.); Henze II, p.261.

60 **FORT St. GEORGE ON THE COROMANDEL COAST.** Belonging to the East India Company of England. - **Le fort St. George sur la cote de Coromandel.**

Appartemante a la Compagnie Angloise des Indes Orientales. London, Laurie & Whittle, 1794.

Engraved optical view after I. van Ryne, coloured by hand. ca. 26 x 40 cm.

€ 1.150,00

Fine bird's-eye view from offshore of the fort in Madras with many ships in the foreground. 'Madras was the Company's first fortified settlement in India; the construction of Fort St George began in 1640 and continued on and off for another 150 years. It houses all the administrative and military necessities, as well as St Mary's church (the oldest Anglican church in India), finished in 1680. The Old College, the equivalent of the Writers' Building in Calcutta, was one of the Company's few eighteenth-century buildings in the gothic style, and still stands' (*Wild, The East India Company, p.52*). - Some foxing otherwise fine. – See illustr.



Item 60

61 **FRANKLIN, John.** Narrative of a journey to the shores of the Polar sea, in the years 1819, 20, 21, and 22. With an appendix on various subjects relating to science and natural history. London, John Murray, 1823.

4to. Contemporary calf, spine richly gilt (rebacked with the original spine laid down). With 4 folding engraved maps and 30 engraved plates (11 hand-coloured aquatints; some light offsetting). XVI,768 (+ errata slip) pp. € 1.950,00

First edition. - 'This famous journey was made to the mouth of the Coppermine River, largely overland and with the aid of canoes. The coast of the mouth was surveyed. It is one of the most terrible journeys on record, many of the party dying from cold, hunger, or murder. The distance traveled was some 5.500 miles, and Franklin's narrative at once became a classic of travel literature. The plates were engraved by Finden, from drawings by Lieuts. Hood and Back. The natural history appendices are important' (*Hill* 635). - A fine copy.

Abbey, Travel, 635; *Sabin* 25624; *Chavanne* 4268; *Arctic Bibl.* 5194; *Howgego II*, pp.234-238.

62 **FREZIER, (Amédée François).** Reis-beschryving door de Zuid-Zee, langs de kusten van Chili, Peru en Brazil, opgesteld op eene reistocht gedaan in de jaren 1712, 1713, en 1714. Nevens eene beschryvinge van de regeringe der Yncas, koningen van Peru, en hun ryk, zo als het was voor den komst der Spanjaarden aldaar. Het eene uit het Fransch vertaalt, en het andere opgemaakt uit verscheide schryveren, door Isaak Verburg. Amsterdam, R. en G. Wetstein, 1718.

4to. Contemporary calf, central gilt ornament within gilt fillets and gilt corner decorations to sides, gilt inner dentelles, spine richly gilt in compartments, a.e.g. With title printed in red and black, engraved frontispiece, 14 engraved plates (2 folding) and 23 engraved maps and plans (17 folding). (16),406,(9) pp. € 2.250,00

First and only Dutch edition. - An interesting account of the voyage from France, Madeira and the Cape Verde Islands, Santa Catarina Islands, off the coast of Brazil, Tierra del Fuego, through the Straits of Le Maire around Cape Horn and continuing along the coast of South America as far as Lima, describing the chief towns and cities. During his return from Lima, Frézier took the trouble to correct the contemporary charts of the southernmost tip of South America, discovering a new channel in Tierra del Fuego and suppressing many of the imaginary lands previously shown on the maps. His survey also included the Falkland Islands which for the first time were identified as being the same as 'Sebald's Islands'. The return voyage called at Bahia, the Azores and Gibraltar' (*Howgego* p.399). The observant Frézier brought back information of considerable geographical and scientific value. Much data is included about the native inhabitants, and the work also contains an interesting account of guano. Frézier introduced the ancestor of the modern strawberry to France from Chile (*Hill* p.231). - (First blank lvs waterstained; some marginal wormholes in first lvs; last lvs waterstained).

Tiele 361; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.280; *Borba de Moraes I*, p.329; *Sabin* 25927; *Hill* 653-654; *European-Americana* 718/65. – See illustration.



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63 **GILLISS, James Melville.** U.S. Naval Astronomical Expedition to the southern hemisphere, during the years 1849-'50-'51-'52. Vol.I-II: Chili, the Andes and the Pampas. Wash., A.O.P. Nicholson, 1855.

2 volumes. 4to. Original embossed cloth, with gilt illustration on frontcovers, rebacked (the original gilt spines partly laid down). With tinted lithographed frontispiece, large folding panoramic view of Santiago (29 x 175 cm) coloured by hand, coloured costume plate of an Araucanian chief, 3 plans, 3 coloured lithographs depicting Indian antiquities, 4 tinted lithographed views, 6 maps (4 folding), 11 wood-engravings, 15 brightly coloured lithographed plates depicting birds and 17 lithographed plates depicting reptiles, fishes etc. XIII,556; X,300 pp. € 975,00

First edition. - Congress financed an expedition to Chili and Argentina, led by James Melville Gilliss and assisted by A. MacRae, S.L. Phelps and E.R. Smith. The expedition took back to Washington a large number of scientific observations on Chili's and Argentina's geography, climate, earthquakes, government, social condition, mineral and agricultural resources, commerce, etc. - Vol. III and VI are dealing with meteorological observations, vol. IV and V were never published. - Foxed and some marginal waterstaining in vol. I, otherwise a good copy.

Sabin 27419; Palau 102244; Leclerc 1957. – See illustration.

64 **GOLDSMITH, Oliver.** An history of the earth and animated nature. 2nd edition. London, J. Nourse, 1779.
8 volumes. Contemporary calf, spines gilt (some extremities of spines damaged; some hinges broken but holding). With 105 engraved plates. € 565,00

A fine set with nice engravings of various animals and birds, including the dodo, fishes and insects from all parts of the world.

Nissen, ZBI, p.170

65 **GÖRTZ, Carl von.** Reise um die Welt in den Jahren 1844-1847. Stuttgart und Tübingen, J. G. Cotta, 1854.
3 volumes. Original printed boards (spines later half cloth). With folding map. X,440; VIII,530; VI,648 pp. € 195,00

First edition. - Circumnavigation: North America, West-Indies, South America, China, Java and India.

66 **GOUTHOEVEN, Wouter van.** D'oude chronijcke ende historien van Holland (met West-Vriesland) van Zeeland ende van Utrecht. Van nieuws oversien, vermeerderd, verbeterd .. Beginnende van den jare onses Heeren 449. tot dit tegenwoordigh jaer 1636. 's Gravenhage, Hillebrant van Wouw, 1636.
2 volumes in 1. Folio. Contemporary blind-tooled vellum, raised bands (clasps missing). With richly decorated woodcut border round title and 40 woodcuts in the text (36 portraits of the counts of Holland). (16),(2),626; (12),391 pp. € 875,00

Second and best edition. - Some marginal wormholes otherwise fine.

Haitsma Mulier & Van der Lem 187a.

67 **GRIFFIN, Edward D(orr).** A plea for Africa. A sermon preached October 26, 1817, in the first Presbyterian Church in the city of New-York, before the synod of New-York and New-Jersey, at the request of the Board of Directors of The African School established by The Synod. N.Y., Gould, 1817. 76 pp. € 125,00

Includes notes on the slave trade and on some former slaves. - (Waterstained).

Sabin 28818 (note); Hogg 4590.

68 **HAAFNER, Jacob.** Lotgevallen op eene reize van Madras over Tranquebaar naar het eiland Ceilon. 2e druk. Haarlem, A. C. Kruseman, (ca. 1809).
Sm.8vo. Original boards. VIII,268 pp. € 75,00

First published in 1806. - Travel from Madras to Ceylon in 1806. Jacob Haafner (1755-1809) was a proficient writer who produced a whole series of books on his adventures in late 18th century Malabar and Ceylon. He mixed up facts, romance and strong prejudices in very readable stories which provide insight into typical

Enlightenment views on colonial and Indian society (*Coolhaas p.66-67*). He witnessed the Dutch East India Company's death agony and demise, and wrote about it. He has a lively and compelling manner (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, p.21*). - (Plates missing).

Tiele 433; Cf. Cat. NHSM I, p.243; Landwehr, VOC, 347; Goonetilleke 2192; De Silva, Dutch Ceylon, pp.461-462.

69 **HAAFNER, Jacob.** Reize in eenen palanquin; of lotgevallen en merkwaardige aantekeningen op eene reize langs de kusten Orixia en Choromandel. 2e druk. Haarlem, A.C. Kruseman, (1809).

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Original boards. X,260; IV,289,(1) pp.

€ 95,00

First published in 1808. - Travels on the coasts of Orissa and Coromandel in 1808. Jacob Haafner (1755-1809) 'witnessed the Company's death agony and demise, and wrote about it. He has a lively and compelling manner. Haafner, whose name was spelled Hafner originally, was a German by birth who had joined his father, a surgeon, in the service of the Dutch East India company' (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, p.21*). - (Plates missing).

Tiele 434; Cf. Cat. NHSM I, p. 243; Landwehr, Col. Pl., 296; Landwehr, VOC, 348.

70 **HAAFNER, Jacob.** Reize in eenen palanquin; of lotgevallen en merkwaardige aantekeningen op eene reize langs de kusten Orixia en Choromandel. 2e druk. Amsterdam, G.J.A. Beijerinck, 1827.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt, with red morocco title label to spines With 2 engraved titles, 3 folding plates and 4 (of 5) hand-coloured costume plates after J. Haafner by R. Vinckles. X,260; IV,289,(1) pp.

€ 195,00

First published in 1807. - Travels on the coasts of Orissa and Coromandel in 1808. Jacob Haafner (1755-1809) 'witnessed the Company's death agony and demise, and wrote about it. He has a lively and compelling manner. Haafner, whose name was spelled Hafner originally, was a German by birth who had joined his father, a surgeon, in the service of the Dutch East India company' (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, p.21*).

Tiele 434; Cf. Cat. NHSM I, p. 243; Landwehr, Col. Pl., 296; Landwehr, VOC, 348.

71 **HAAFNER, Jacob.** Reize te voet door het eiland Ceilon. 2e druk. Haarlem, A.C. Kruseman, (1852).

Sm.8vo. Original boards. LX,263 pp.

€ 75,00

First published in 1810. - A journey on foot through Ceylon in 1810 from Jaffnapatnam to Colombo. - (Plates missing).

Tiele 435; Cf. Cat. NHSM I, p.242; Landwehr, Col. Pl., 298; Landwehr, VOC, 350; Goonetilleke 2191; De Silva, Dutch Ceylon, pp.461-462..

72 **HALL, Basil.** Extracts from a journal, written on the coasts of Chili, Peru, and Mexico, in the years 1820, 1821, 1822. 2nd edition. Edinburgh, Archibald Constable and Co., 1824.

2 volumes. Original boards (rubbed). With folding engraved map. XVIII,373;

XI,288,65 pp.

€ 325,00

'This journal records Hall's experiences while posted to the *Conway*, a 26-gun frigate on the South American station. His narrative includes accounts of bullfights, earthquakes, politics, revolutions, mining, trade, customs, and the social life of Valparaiso, Santiago, Callao, Lima, Payta, Guayaquil, and Panama. Hall also visited Acapulco, Tepic, and San Blas in Mexico. He carried out important pendulum observations off the coast of South America, and there is a long chapter on the Spanish colonial system' (*Hill* 752). - (Some wormholes in a few margins of vol. I). *Sabin* 29718.

73 **HARMANSEN, Wolfhart.** Journael/ ofte dach-register vande voyagie/ ghedaen onder het beleydt van den admirael Wolfhart Harmansen. Naer de Oost-Indien, in den jaren 1601.1602. ende 1603. Vervatende de vermaerde zee-slagh, met zijn 5. schepen gedaen voor Bantam. Teggens de Portugese admirael Don Andrea Fortado Mendas... Als mede kort verhael van de twee jaerighe voyagie ghedaen naer de Oost-Indien door Cornelis van Veen. (Amst., J. Janssonius, 1646).

Oblong 8vo. In modern cloth box. 27 pp.

€ 195,00

Issued in Isaac Commelin's *Begin ende voortgangh*. - Dutch voyage to the East in 1601-1603 by Wolfhart Harmansen. The appendix contains the journal of Cornelis van de Venne's account of the first voyage made under the direction of the Dutch East India Company (VOC). - (1 leaf with some wormholes).

Tiele 82; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.105; *Tiele, Mémoire*, p.9-15; *Landwehr, VOC*, 250.

74 **HARTSINCK, Jan Jacob.** Beschryving van Guiana, of de Wilde Kust in Zuid-America, betreffende de aardrykskunde en historie des lands, de zeeden en gewoontes der inwooners, de dieren, vogels, visschen, boomen en gewassen, als mede de eerste ontdekking dier kust, de bezittingen der Spanjaarden; Franschen en Portugeezen en voornaamelyk de volkplantingen der Nederlanderen, als Essequibo, Demerary, Berbice, Suriname, en derzelver rivieren .. Waarby komt eene verhandeling over den aart en de gewoontes der neger-slaaven. Amsterdam, Gerrit Tielenburg, 1770.

2 volumes. 4to. Contemporary blind-tooled Russia (top and foot of spines skillfully rep.). Titles printed in red and black, engraving of coin in text, 7 engraved maps and plans (6 folding) and 7 engraved plates (2 folding) by J. van Schley. XII,(4),520;

(2),(521-)-962,(15) pp.

€ 3.250,00

First edition. - Describes the commerce of the Dutch West India Company, the Company of Berbice, and the Society of Surinam in Guiana. 'This description of Guiana or the Wild Coast of South America, its geography, history, inhabitants, animals, with an account of its discovery and the colonies of the Spaniards, French and Portuguese, is said by Mr. Warden to be *by far the best work ever published on the countries described*. The author, Jan Jacob Hartsinck (1716-1779) was Director of the West India Company, and a man of very high standing, who had access to all the authorities (*Sabin*). Including an account of the rebellion in Surinam (1763-64) in which the colony had lost almost half of its black and perhaps an even larger percentage of its white population. - A classic history of Surinam. - A fine copy. *Sabin* 30712; *Tiele* 457; *Muller, America*, p.76; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.281; *Suriname-Catalogus UB Amsterdam* 2560. – See illustration.



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75 **HEAD, Francis Bond.** Rough notes taken during some rapid journeys across the Pampas and among the Andes. 4th edition. London, John Murray, 1846. Later half cloth, with green morocco title-label on spine. IX,166 pp. € 125,00

Sir Frances Bond Head (1793-1875), accepted the post of manager of the Rio Plata Mining Association in 1825. He rode on horseback about 1200 miles across the pampas prospecting the gold and silver mines in Argentina and Chili. His nickname was 'Galloping Head'. The gauchos and the Indians are the main subjects of this book. *Sabin* 31134.

76 **HUMBOLDT, Alexander von.** The travels and researches .. being a condensed narrative of his journeys in the Equinoctial regions of America, and in Asiatic Russia: - together with analyses of his more important investigations. By W. Macgillivray. New-York, J. & J. Harper, 1833.

Sm.8vo. Original printed boards (stained). With wood-engraving on title-page, map of the Orinoco, and 4 wood-engravings. 14,367,(8) pp. € 95,00

Second edition; *Harper's family library no. LIV* - 'In 1832 erschien die Nacherzählung der Reise von W. Macgillivray. Sie erfuhr nicht nur im englischen Sprachraum grosse Verbreitung, sondern erlebte auch in der deutschen Übersetzung mehrere Auflagen' (*Fiedler & Leitner p. 110*).

77 **IRWIN, Eyles.** A series of adventures in the course of a voyage up the Red-Sea, on the coasts of Arabia and Egypt, and of a route through the desarts of Thebais, hitherto unknown to the European travellers in the year 1777. In letters to a lady. London, J. Dodsley, 1780.

4to. Later half black calf, spine lettered in gilt. With engraved folding plan, 2 engraved plates (each with 2 views) printed in sepia, and 3 folding engraved maps. XVI,400 pp. € 950,00

First edition. - Irwin was born in Calcutta and served with the East India Company. He left India in 1777 for England, when his ship was captured by pirates. From Cossier he was forced to cross the desert to Suez and then on to Luxor, Cairo and Alexandria. It took him eleven months to reach England. In the autumn of 1780 he returned to India. Includes two poems by Irwin 'Ode to the dessert' and 'Ode to the Nile'. - (Age-browned).

Blackmer Collection 865; Atabey Collection 609; Ibrahim-Hilmy p.325.

78 **JANSEN, M.H.** De omwenteling in het zeewezen. Een bijdrage tot verzekering der onafhankelijkheid. Dordrecht, P.K. Braat, (1864).

Original half cloth. With lithographed title-page and 2 folding lithographed plates by Emrik & Binger. 206 pp. € 195,00

A contribution to the revolutionary spirit in Dutch maritime affairs and how to operate in the future.

Cat. NHSM I, p.480.

79 **JANSSONIUS, Johannes. NOVA ZEMLA, WAYGATS.** Fretum Nassovicum et terra Samoiedum singula omnium emendatissimè descripta. (Amsterdam, Johannes Janssonius, 1650).

Engraved map of Novaya Zemlya, coloured by hand, with fine cartouches. C. 40 x 50 cm. € 975,00

From: *Nieuwen Atlas, ofte werelt-Beschrijvinge*. - Between 1584 and 1668, the Dutch made many attempts to find a northerly sea route to Asia, the Northeast Passage. The famous over-wintering in a wooden cabin along the northeast coast of Novaya Zemlya, the earliest recorded over-wintering this far North, during Willem Barents third expedition (1596-97), is indicated on this fine Dutch map.

Koeman (new ed.) I, 1270: 1.

80 **JONG, Dirk de, Hendrik KOBELL, Matheus SALLIETH.** De nieuwe beschryving der walvisvangst en haringvisschery. Met veele byzonderheden daar toe betreklyk. Als deszelfs opkomst en bloei, waar, en hoedanig de walvisvangst in den beginne geoefend wierd .. Opkomst en begin der haringvisschery, hoe de Nederlanders daar in ten allen tyde hebben uitgemunt, de manier hoe dezelve gevangen, gekaakt, gezouten, gepakt en verzonden worden .. Amsterdam, Jan Roos, Gerbrand Roos en H. Vermandel, 1791.

4 volumes in 1. 4to. Later half vellum, uncut. With 2 folding engraved plates by Kobell and Sallieth of a whaling scene and haring fishery, 6 folding engraved maps, and 13 engraved plates (3 folding). VII,96; III,116; (4),116; (4),116 pp. € 3.750,00

Second edition; first published in 1784-86. - Classic work on Dutch whaling with an article on herring fishery. Including Heemskerk and Barentsz's winter encampment on Nova Zemlya, several accounts of whaling expeditions i.a. near Jan Mayen Island and Davis Strait, as well as descriptions of the types of whales, birds and fishes in these Arctic regions. The maps depict the North Pole, Spitbergen, Nova Zemlya, Jan Mayen Island, Greenland and Iceland. The 2 folding plates depict the famous whaling and herring fishery scenes by Kobell and Sallieth. 'A great variety of whaling activities are depicted here in a style typical of seventeenth- and eighteenth-century Dutch marine painting' (*Ingalis*). - (Some marginal waterstaining; few lvs soiled). - A nice uncut copy.

Cat. NHSM p.900; Tiele 104; Ingalis, Francis B. Lothrop Collection, 33-36; Kendall Whaling Museum Prints 93. – See illustration.



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81 JOURNAEL OF DAGH-REGISTER, GEHOUDEN IN'S LANDS VLOOT, ONDER'T BELEYT VAN DEN HEER ITD. ADMIRAEL GENERAEL M. ADRIAENSZ. DE RUYTER, zynde pertinent aengeteeckent van den 1. tot den 16. Junii 1666. op't jacht *De Vergulde Lely*. (No pl., 1666). Broadside, text printed in 2 columns. Ca. 45 x 32 cm. € 1.750,00

Account of the sea-battle ('Vierdaagse zeeslag/four-day-battle) of the Dutch fleet under De Ruyter, Cornelis Evertsz, and Tromp against the English fleet under admiral Monck, off the coast of Nieuwpoort. - (Some holes repaired).
No copy know in any library. – See illustration.



82 **JUAN, Jorge & Antonio de ULLOA.** Historische reisbeschrijving van geheel Zuid-America; gedaan op bevel des konings van Spanje. Goes, Jacobus Huysman, 1771-72.

2 volumes. 4to. Contemporary mottled calf, spines richly gilt, with morocco labels to spines. With title-pages printed in red and black, engraved allegorical frontispiece, 11 engraved plates (6 folding) and 14 folding maps and plans by H. Vinkeles, J. van Schley, and J. van Jagen. (8),XXIV,428; VIII,IV,406 pp. € 2.450,00

First Dutch edition, with new and improved plates and maps. - The most comprehensive 18th century account of South America giving the results of the scientific expedition by a group of leading European scientists. Primary source for the history of Peru, Chile, Ecuador and Colombia. This voyage arose out of the desire of the French government. Members of the Academy of Sciences, under the leadership of Charles-Marie de la Condamine, together with two of the most scientific officers of the Spanish navy, Antonio de Ulloa (1716-1795) and Jorge Juan y Santacilla (1713-1773), 'carried on a series of operations of unexampled difficulty and encountered hardships and sufferings which demanded the strength of the strongest constitutions and the energy of minds stimulated by a love of science' (*Cox II*, p.275). 'Juan and Ulloa's Travels may be selected as the most entertaining and satisfactory work of its kind' (*Sabin 36813*). - A very fine copy. - See illustr.

Tiele 1120; Cat. NHSM I, p.281; Muller, America, 826; Sabin 36804.

83 **KEATE, George.** An account of the Pelew Islands, situated in the western part of the Pacific Ocean, composed from the journals and communications of Captain Henry Wilson, and some of his officers, who, in august 1783, were there shipwrecked, in the *Antelope*, a packet belonging to the hon. East India Company. Dublin, Luke White, 1793.

8vo. Contemporary calf, gilt fillets round sides, spine gilt, with red morocco title label to spine. With engraved portrait frontispiece, folding engraved map and 15 engraved portraits and plates. XXX,378 pp. € 975,00

'In 1783 the *Antelope*, commanded by Captain Henry Wilson, was wrecked on a reef near one of the Palau (Pelew) Islands, a previously unexplored group. The entire crew managed to get safely ashore, where they were well treated by the natives and eventually managed to build a small vessel from the wreck, in which they reached Macao. They took Prince Lee Boo, one of king Abba Thulle's sons, with them to England, where he made a very good impression. Unhappily, in spite of all precautions, he soon died of smallpox' (*Hill 907*). 'This was one of the most popular of all shipwreck narratives, partly because of the happy ending of the adventure and partly because of the detailed descriptions of the Pelew Islands' natural features and society' (*Huntress 107C*). - A fine copy. - See illustration.

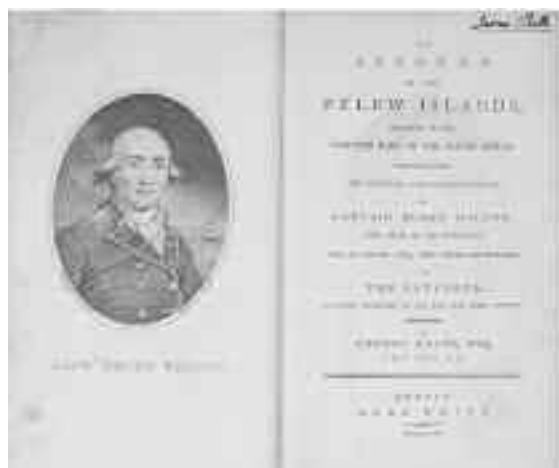
84 **KNOX, Robert.** T' eyland Ceylon in zijn binnenste, oft koningrijck Candy; geopent, en nauwkeuriger dan oyt te vooren ontdeckt .. behelsende een eygentlijke beschrijvingh, soo van't landschap in sigh selven, als der inwoondren politie, regeeringh, godsdienst, zeeden, konsten, en meenigerley seldame gewoonten. Vertaeld door S. de Vries. Utrecht, Wilhelm Broedelet, 1692.

4to. Contemporary vellum (sl. soiled). With engraved frontispiece, folding map (margin rep.), and 8 engraved plates by Jan Luyken. (16),291,(26),(1) pp.

€ 1.950,00

First Dutch edition. - Robert Knox (1641-1720), a Scotch commander in the service of the English East India Company, was forced by a storm into the harbour of Cottiar Bay, Ceylon, aboard the *Ann*. Knox, his father and 16 others were imprisoned and after nearly 20 years they could escape to the Dutch settlement of Aripo on the N.W. coast. From there he was sent to Batavia and thence to England. The original English edition of 1681 is the first trustworthy description in English of the interior of Ceylon, of which previously only the coastal regions, controlled by the Dutch, were explored. 'Knox's *Relation* was the most comprehensive and accurate description of the kingdom of Kandy written during the seventeenth century. Even the Dutch writers had not enjoyed the opportunities for observing the kingdom that Knox had. After having lived in Kandyan villages for nearly twenty years and having become fluent in Sinhalese, his was very much a view from inside. It is a fascinating account and in the judgement of his modern editor still 'the best available source book for the social and economic history of Ceylon in the seventeenth century' (*Lach, Asia in the making, III, p.577*). A fascinating unparalleled source-book for 17th century Ceylon. - A nice copy. - See illustration.

Tiele 605; Cat. NHSM I, p.241; Van Eeghen-Van der Kellen 215; Goonitileke 1991.



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85 **KOTZEBUE, August von.** Herinneringen eener reize van Lijfland naar Rome en Napels. Amsterdam, Hartman en Holtrop, 1805.
3 volumes. Original boards, with orange morocco title labels to spines. With 3 engraved title-pages. XII,303; IV,349; (2),366 pp. € 150,00

First Dutch edition. - Travel account from Latvia, Riga, Berlin, Augsburg, Tirol, Florence, Rome, Napels, Rome, Verona, Vienna, Prague, Dresden to Berlin.
Muller, Neerl.-Russe, 205; not in Tiele.

86 **KOTZEBUE, Otto van.** Nieuwe ontdekkingsreize rondom de wereld, in de jaren 1823, 24, 25 en 26 ondernomen. Uit het Hoogduitsch vertaald. Haarlem, wed. A. Loosjes, 1830.
2 volumes. Later half calf. With woodengraving on title-pages, 2 engraved frontispieces (stained), and 3 folding engraved maps. VII,(1),254 € 895,00

First Dutch edition. - 'The object of this voyage was to take reinforcements to Kamchatka, but exploration was also intended, and a number of scientists were on board, including the physicist H.F.E. Lenny and the physician and naturalist Johann F. Eschscholtz. The expedition sailed to Brazil, then went by way of Cape Horn to Chile, Tahiti, Pitcairn Island, Tonga, Navigator's Islands, Radack, and thence to Kamchatka. The voyage also visited California, with its new Russian settlement; the Marianas; and the Philippines. With the completion of Kotzebue's explorations, the main features of the northwest coastline of America were fairly well established. This work was originally published in Russian at St. Petersburg, 1828' (*Hill 946*). - Rare Dutch edition.
Cat. NHSM I, p.145; not in Tiele; Borba de Moraes I, p.440 (German ed.); Sabin 38287.

87 **KUNIHISA II, Katsuda.** Gokakoku no uchi, Furansu-jin. French couple. Series The five countries. (No pl.), Tsujiokaya Bunsuke, ca.1861).
Japanese woodblock print in colours (Yokohama print), depicting a French couple. Oban. c. 37 x 25 cm. € 875,00

A fine print showing a Frenchman, seated with a glass in his hand, and next to him standing a French lady holding a bottle. 'Kunihisa (1852-91), ukiyo-e printmaker. Lived in Yokohama. Pupil and son-in-law of Kunisada; collaborated with him, doing the landscape background for his master's figures. An early member of the Yokohama school, specializing in landscape' (*Roberts, A dictionary of Japanese artists, p.95*). - Good impression and colour. - See illustration.



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88 **LA BOULLAYE LE GOUZ, François de.** De reyse en optekeningh van .. Boulaye le Gouz.. In welke beschreven worden de religien, regeringen, en gelegentheden van den staet en koningrijken van Italien, Grieken, Natolien, Syrien, Palestinen, Karamenien, Chaldeen, Assyrien, den grooten Mogol, Byapour, d'Oost-Indiens der Portugijsen, Arabien, Egypten, Engellant, Irlant, Denemerck, Polen, der eylanden en andere plaetsen van Europa, Asia en Africa, alwaer hy verkeert en gewandelt heeft; mitsgaders een wegh wijser voor de gene welke gesint zijn in de voorschreven landen te reysen; met een ordre om op de karavanen te passen welk in verscheyden deelen des wereltd reysen; uyt't Fransch vertaelt. Amsterdam, Jacob Benjamijn, 1660.

4to. Later half vellum, marbled boards. With folding engraved frontispiece with 4 illustrations (i.a. depicting the author in Persian costume and the two hemispheres), 1 engraved plate and 12 half-page engravings. (6),240 pp. € 1.950,00

First Dutch edition; with the armorial bookplate of Isaac Meulman. - François de la Boullaye Le Gouz (ca. 1610-ca.1669) had left Paris in 1643 to begin his Eurasiatic journeys. On his way overland via Greece and Turkey to India he met with Rhodes in 1648 near Shiraz in Persia. The Jesuit, who at first took Le Gouz for a Persian lord because of his dress, arrived in Paris in 1652 at about the same time Le Gouz returned there from his journey. It was perhaps at Rhodes' suggestion that the king asked Le Gouz to appear before him dressed as a Persian to tell the story of his adventures. .. A work notable for its section devoted to the worshippers of Rama. One of the eas-

tern regions he visited, Le Gouz is most informative on north India and its relations to Persia' (*Lach, Asia in the making of Europe III*, p.408-409). On his return journey he visited Egypt. Including one of the earliest European accounts of the epic Ramayana and a large description of Turkey. With fine plates of the Indian Gods. - A very fine copy. - Rare.

Tiele 624; not in Cat. NHSM; Howgego p.581; Attabey Collection 645 -646 (French ed.); not in the Blackmer Collection. - See illustration.

89 **LABARTHE, Pierre.** Voyage a la côte de Guinée, ou description des côtes d'Afrique, depuis le cap Tagrin jusqu'au cap de Lopez-Gonzalves. Contenant, des instructions relatives à la traite des noirs, d'après des mémoires authentiques. Paris, Debray, an XI - 1803.

Sm.8vo. Later half calf, spine gilt with red morocco title-label. With hand-coloured folding map. 310;(2) pp. € 1.100,00

First edition. - Ample description of Guinea, West Africa. Including information about the treatment of the blacks. 'Pierre Labarthe (1760-1824) fut nommé en 1794 chef du Bureau des Colonies orientales et des côtes d'Afrique, et occupa cette place jusqu'en 1808 .. Il avait recueilli de nombreux documents authentiques et des observations importantes qu'il a consignés dans des ouvrages encore consultés avec fruit' (*Hoefer*). - A fine copy.

Cardinall 574; Work p.12; Joucla p.149; Chadenat 4330; Gay 2818.

90 **LAFITEAU, Joseph François.** De zeden der wilden van Amerika. Zynde een nieuwe uitvoerige en zeer kurieuse beschryving van derzelver oorsprong, godsdienst, manier van oorlogen, huwelyken, opvoeding, oeffeningen, feesten, danzeryen, begravenissen, en andere zeldzame gewoonten. 's Gravenhage, Gerard vander Poel, 1731. 2 volumes in 1. Folio. Contemporary calf (sl. rubbed), spine richly gilt (foot of spine dam.; hinges sl. dam.), with red morocco title label (sl. dam.). With 2 title-pages printed in red and black, engraved allegorical frontispiece, engraved map and 41 engraved plates. (54),560 pp. (wrongly numbered). € 2.250,00

First Dutch edition. - Joseph François Lafiteau (1681-1746) was a Jesuit missionary assigned to Canada from 1711 to 1718. He served the Iroquois mission of Sault Saint-Louis from 1712 to 1717. This encyclopaedic work is one of the most earliest accounts. He describes with great detail and accuracy the customs, religious beliefs and social organization of the Iroquois and Huron Indians. The engraved plates are finely executed and illustrative of aboriginal life and peculiarities. This work is a pioneering anthropological study. - With small library stamp of the Rhode Island Historical Society. - A clean copy.

Tiele 637; Cat. NHSM I, p.263; Muller, Americana, p.91; Sabin 38598; Howes L22; European Americana VI, 731/128; Leclerc 814 (French ed.); TPL 158 (French ed.); Howgego p. 602 ('great work').

91 BELANGRIJKE LAND EN ZEEREIZEN, TOGTEN EN WANDELINGEN NAAR EN DOOR DE ONDERSCHIEDENE DEELEN DER WERELD.

Naar het Hoogduitsch. Amsterdam, J.C. van Kesteren, 1825.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Original printed boards. With 2 engraved titles and 4 aquatint plates by H.W. Hoogkamer. VI,267; IV,275 pp.

€ 225,00

Collection of travels. From the contents: Reis van eenige christen slaven, door de woestijn van Sahara, en door het rijk van Marokko, naar Europa; Reis van Venetie naar Rome; Reis van Cadix naar Monte Video, Rio Janeiro, en de goud- en diamant-districten in de binnenlanden van Brasilië; Reis van Alexandrie, naar Rosetta en Cairo; Reis van Konstantinopel naar Jerusalem; Lotgevallen van Kummer, na zijne schipbreuk op de westkust van Afrika; etc. - Rare.

92 LARDNER, D. en H. KATER. Handboek der werktuigkunde, benevens een aanhangsel over den slinger en de balans. Naar de Hoogduitsche vertaling van H. Koszmann, vergeleken met de Engelsche oorspronkelijke uitgave, vertaald door A.J. de Bruijn. Amsterdam, S. de Grebber, 1838.

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt with green morocco title-label. With engraved title-page with vignette by J.C. Zurcher and 21 engraved plates. VIII,454,(1) pp.

€ 350,00

Manual for naval architects, millers, clockmakers, steam-engineers, etc. - *A clean copy.*

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

3 volumes. 8vo. Contemporary calf, gilt fillets round sides, spines richly gilt, with red and green morocco labels to spines. With 22 engraved plates (5 folding).

XLIV,304; (2)426,(2); 525,(7) pp.

€ 895,00

First French edition. - 'Le Vaillant was born at Paramaribo in Dutch Guiana in 1753, and after being educated in Holland, France, and Germany, proceeded to Paris where he studied the natural history collections, and, full of enthusiasm and ambition, decided to travel into the interior of Africa in order to further his opportunities of gaining information by observing the specimens in their native countries. Making the acquaintance of Mr. Temminck, the Treasurer of the Dutch East India Company, he was enabled to proceed to the Cape in one of the Company's ships called the *Held-Woltemaade* ... The narrative is characterised by the intelligent and interesting manner in which it is written.' (*Mendelssohn pp.889-890*). His second excursion, between April 1783 and August 1784, took him northward beyond the Orange River. He was one of the first to study the birds in South Africa. - A fine set. *Mendelssohn I, p.889; SAB III, p.101; Howgego p.625; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of S. Africa 1650-1790, p.177-271, Nissen, ZBI, 2482. - See illustration.*



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94 **LE VAILLANT, François.** Voyage dans l'intérieur de l'Afrique, par le Cap de Bonne-Espérance dans les années 1780, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85. Brux., Benoit le Francq, 1791.
2 volumes. 8vo. Contemporary calf, spines richly gilt, with red morocco labels to spines (a few wormholes). With 12 engraved plates (2 folding). XX,274; 287,(1) pp.
€ 895,00

First published in French in 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*). On his first excursion Le Vaillant advanced westward along the coast as far as the Great Fish River. His second excursion, between April 1783 and August 1784, took him northward beyond the Orange River. He was one of the first to study the birds in South Africa. - A fine set.

Mendelssohn I, p.889; SAB III, p.103; Howego p.625; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of S. Africa 1650-1790, p.177-271, Cf. Nissen, ZBI, 2480.

95 **LEVASSEUR, (Auguste).** Lafayette en Amérique en 1824 et 1825, ou journal d'un voyage aux Etats-Unis. Paris, Baudouin, 1829.
2 volumes. Contemporary half calf, spines gilt. With large folding map, coloured in outline, and 11 engraved plates. IV,509;632 pp. € 395,00

First edition. - Lafayette's triumphal return included visits to New Hampshire, West Point, South and North Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana, Kentucky, Ohio, and other states, the new capital of Washington, and the homes of the retired Jefferson, John Adams and Madison. Encounters with Indians in the West are described. Levasseur was Lafayette's private secretary. Title-page calls for 12 plates but only 11 were issued. - A nice copy.
Sabin 40734; Howes 301.

96 **LEWIS, Matthew Gregory.** Journal of a West India proprietor, kept during a residence in the island of Jamaica. London, J. Murray, 1834.
Later half morocco. 408 pp. € 225,00

First edition. - Account of two journeys in Jamaica in 1815 - 1817, published posthumously. The author died on the voyage homewards from the West Indies, in 1818. 'An interesting document dealing with the state of the island after the abolition of the slave trade and before the freeing of the blacks' (*Ragatz p.227*).
Sabin 40821; Work p.268.

97 **L'HERMITE, Jacques.** La furieuse défaite des Espagnols, et la sanglante bataille donnée au Pérou, tant par mer que par terre. Entre lesdits Espagnols & les Hollandois, conduits par leur Admiral, Jacques L'Hermite. Traduit de Flamand en François. Paris, Jean Martin, 1625.
Sm.8vo. Modern boards, with red morocco title-label to spine. (2),16 pp. € 2.450,00

L'Hermite, Dutch admiral (1582-1626) who in 1623 commanded a punitive fleet ('Nassausche vloot') of eleven ships and 1637 men to the coasts of South America with the objective of clearing the westward route to the Pacific of Spanish and Portuguese shipping. They sailed south to the coasts of Patagonia. It then passed through the Strait of Le Maire and sighted Cape Horn on 14.2.1624. While in the region the expedition discovered and anchored in the Bay of Nassau, charting the surrounding islands (including the Hermite group). In addition, it was shown for the first time that it was possible to sail northward through the Le Maire strait. After coasting South America and plundering a few Spanish settlements, the fleet continued across the Pacific and was eventually disbanded at Batavia. Le Hermite, already a sick man at the time of the outward voyage, died at Callao in Peru and was buried on San Lorenzo Island near Lima' (*Howgego p.615*). This work contains the first published report of L'Hermite's attack on Spanish South-America and of the defeat of the Spanish fleet near Callao de Lima (Peru) in 1624 based on intercepted Spanish let-

ters. The official account was published in Dutch one year later. - Extremely rare. *Tiele 663 (note), Sabin 31509 ('Pierce rarissime que tant que nous sachons n'est décrite nulle part') and European Americana II, 625/91 all three refer to French editions of the same date; our copy is a variant edition without the addition 'jouxte la copie Flamande imprimé à Anvers'; Church II, 405 (English ed.); not in Cat. NHSM.*

98 **L'HERMITE, Jacques.** Journael van de Nassausche vloot/ ofte beschrijvingh van de voyagie om den gantschen aerd-kloot, gedaen met elf schepen: onder 't beleydt van den admiraal Jaques L'Heremite ende vice-admiraal Gheen Huygen Schapenham, in de jaren 1623, 1624, 1625 en 1626. (Amst., Jan Jansz., 1645). Oblong 8vo. Modern half vellum. With 5 engraved maps and plates. 79 pp. € 525,00

From: *Isaac Commelin, Begin ende voortgangh.* - Account of the circumnavigation of the so-called Nassau Fleet in the years 1623-26. L'Hermite attacked Lima, burned a Spanish fleet at Callao, and went as far as north as Acapulco. It was one of the most spectacular raids against Spanish shipping. With important appendix: Description of Peru and Chile by Pedro de Madriga; Pedro Fernandez de Quir's voyage to Australia; and the history of the Dutch conquest of Banda. *Landwehr, VOC, 250,19.*

99 **LIVINGSTONE, David.** Missionary travels and researches in South Africa; including a sketch of sixteen years' residence in the interior of Africa, and a journey from the Cape of Good Hope to Loanda on the west coast; thence across the continent, down the river Zambesi, to the eastern ocean. London, John Murray, 1857. Modern half calf with gilt lettering to spine. With folding wood-engraved frontispiece depicting the Victoria Falls by Whymper, portrait, a folding cross section, 2 folding maps and 42 wood-engraved plates and illustrations. X,687; 8 pp.

€ 375,00

First edition, first issue. - In 1852 Livingstone asked his family to join him in Africa. With the help of the Makololos, a South African tribe, Livingstone planned to explore the whole of southern Africa as far as Angola. The missionary had become an important explorer. As the first European, he traveled on the Zambezi to Kazembe in a pirogue, a fast water vessel made from a tree trunk. In order to escape from the slave traders of Portuguese Africa, Livingstone traveled via Cassange and Bihé to Luanda, a Portuguese port and the capital of Angola, where he arrived completely exhausted on 31 May, 1854. As soon as he had recovered from his fever, he undertook a trek to Lake Dilolo, discovered the source of the Kasai, a left tributary of the Congo, and arrived in Linyanti, the capital of the Makololos. In the course of the major Zambezi expedition that followed he discovered the Victoria Falls, the falls of the middle Zambezi, in 1855 (*Waldmann, Encyclopedia of world explorers, p.226*). *Abbey, Travel, 347; Mendelssohn I, p.908-10; SAB III, p.136; PMM 341; Gordon-Brown p. 190-191; Hess & Coger 3067.*

100 **LOON, Gerard van.** Hedendaagsche penningkunde, zynde eene verhandeling van den oorspronk van't geld, de opkomst en 't onderscheyd der gedenkpenningen; den aardt en de rekenwyze der legpenningen; de wyze van't syfferen der Ouden, den oorspronk der syfferletteren, toverpenningen en noodmunten. 's Gravenhage, Pieter van Thol, 1734.

Folio. Contemporary half calf, spine ribbed, with red morocco title label to spine. With title printed in red and black, engraved portrait by J. Houbraken and numerous engravings in the text. (8),289,(27) pp. € 295,00

101 **MALCOLM, John.** A memoir of Central India, including Malwa, and adjoining provinces. With the history, and copious illustrations, of the past and present condition of that country. 2nd edition. London, Kingsbury, Parbury, & Allen, 1824. 2 volumes. Contemporary polished calf, gilt fillets round sides, rebaked with the original spines laid down, spines gilt, with red labels to spines. With 2 folding engraved maps (one hand-coloured). XII,579; IV,547 pp. € 475,00

'A classic account of political conditions in central India during the early 19th century by the British officer in charge of the area from 1818 to 1822' (*Mahar* 784). The career diplomat John Malcolm (1769-1833), whose biography in the *DNB* covers some 9 pages, was one of Britain's most distinguished public servants. He was born in Dumfriesshire and received a commission in the army of the East India Company when he was only thirteen. - A fine set.

102 **MANNING, Samuel.** American pictures. Drawn with pen and pencil. (London), The religious Tract Society, (c. 1876). 8vo. Original pictorial gilt cloth (discoloured), a.e.g. With many wood-engraved illustrations and plates. 224 pp. - *A fine illustrated history of the United States.* € 100,00

103 **MARANA, Giovanni Paolo.** Letters writ by a Turkish spy, who lived five and forty years undiscovered at Paris: giving an impartial account of the Divan at Constantinople .. 26th edition. London, A. Wilde a.o., 1770. 8 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary calf, spines richly gilt with red and green morocco labels to spines. With engraved frontispiece. € 850,00

First English translation published in 1687; with armorial bookplate of John Worth. - 'Marana, the author of volume I, was an Italian journalist long resident in France. He was the first to use the literary device of the 'foreign observer' which was developed later by Montesquieu and Goldsmith. Volumes II-VIII are not by Marana and were not translated from the French. It has been generally agreed that the author was William Bradshaw, a literary hack who worked for the eccentric bookseller John Dunton and later for Robert Midgely, who some consider to be the editor of the *Turkish Spy*. The work was very popular .. a total of twenty-six editions appeared by 1770' (*Blackmer p.226*). - (A few marginal wormholes in vol. IV and VIII). - A fine set. *Blackmer Collection 1072; not in the Atabey Collection.*

104 **MARTIN, Karl.** Bericht über eine Reise nach Niederländisch West-Indien und darauf gegründete Studien. Leiden, E.J. Brill, 1887-1888.
2 volumes. Original printed wrappers. With 5 maps and 25 plates (14 tinted lithographs), and several illustrations. VII,186; VII,238 pp. € 285,00

Description of Surinam, Aruba, Bonaire, Curaçao and Venezuela, with fine plates. Martin 'drang im April 1885 von Paramaribo aus ins Gebiet des oberen Surinam vor, begleitet von dem Geometer W.L. Loth; er kam in eine Gegend die bis dahin nur von J.F.A. Cateau van Rosevelt ca. 20 Jahre früher, betreten worden war' (*Henze III, p.383*). - Mint copy of the 'Seperatausgabe'.
Cat. NHSM I, p.264 (the first volume only).

105 **MATELIEF DE JONGE, Cornelis.** Historische verhael/ vande treffelijcke reyse, gedaen naer de Oost-Indien ende China, met elf schepen. Door den manhaften admirael Cornelis Matelief de Jonge. Inden jaren 1605. 1606. 1607. ende 1608 (Amst., Jan Jansz., 1645)..
Oblong 8vo. Modern half vellum. With 11 engraved plates. 191 pp. € 525,00

From: *Isaac Commelin, Begin ende voortgangh*. - One of the most important voyages ever undertaken by the Dutch to the East Indies. Matelief sailed with eleven ships and 1446 men, his crushing victory over the Portuguese established Dutch supremacy in the East Indies, which was to continue until World War II. Including an account of the siege of Malacca in 1606 giving details of the naval engagements in which seven Portuguese ships were destroyed. Matelief made a contract for the Dutch East India Company (VOC) with the ruler of Johore and sailed to Bantam, Ambon and Ternate. One of the ships was the *Erasmus*, later renamed *De Liefde*, the first Dutch vessel to come to Japan. - (Some waterstaining).
Landwehr, VOC, 250,13.

106 **MAURIK, Justus van.** Indrukken van een 'Tòtòk'. Indische typen en schetsen. 3e druk. Amst., Van Holkema & Warendorf, (c.1900).
8vo. Original pictorial cloth (extremities of spine sl. dam.). With c. 200 illustrations after Johan Braakensiek and W.O.J. Nieuwenkamp. VII,408 pp. € 145,00

In his book *Impressions of a newcomer* it was obvious Van Maurik had appropriated all the Indies prejudices during his brief stay there: the imperfect speech of Eurasians amused him, and he portrayed the native Indonesians as a childlike people. He repeated all the club and barroom stories and larded them with his own banal humor. .. No wonder then that Justus van Maurik's trip had been a great succes about which people talked for years (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, p.135*).
Buur, Persoonlijke documenten, 459; Cat. KITLV p.259.

107 **M'CLURE, Robert John Le Mesurier.** The discovery of the North-West passage by H.M.S. '*Investigator*' Capt. R. M'Clure, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1854. Edited by commander Sherard Osborn from the logs and journals of Capt. Robert le M. M'Clure. London, Longman, Brown, Green, Longmans & Roberts, 1856. Contemporary half calf, with red morocco title label to spine. With folding coloured map and 4 tinted lithographed plates (sl. waterstained). XIX,405 pp. € 850,00

First edition. - 'M'Clure set out in company with Collinson in *Enterprise*, but the two ships became separated in the Straits of Magellan. Having passed through the Bering Strait, the *Investigator* penetrated both the Prince of Wales and M'Clure Straits, thus making the first discovery of a North-West Passage (October 26, 1850). *Investigator* was abandoned in Mercy Bay in June 1853, where M'Clure's party, suffering from scurvy, were rescued by Captain Kellet in the *Resolute*. M'Clure was knighted on his return to England and received the £ 10.000 award as the discoverer of the North-West Passage' (*NMMC I, 916*). - A fine copy. *Abbey, Travel, 647; TPL 3451; Sabin 43073; Chavanne 1538.*



Item 108

108 **MELTON, Eduward.** Zeldzaame en gedenkwaardige zee- en land- reizen; door Egypten, West-Indien, Perzien, Turkyen, Oost-Indien, en d'aangrenzende gewesten; behelzende een zeer naauwkeurige beschrijving der genoemde landen .. aangevangen in den jaare 1660, en geëindigd in den jaare 1677. Vertaald uit d'eigene aantekeningen en brieven .. Amsterdam, Jan ten Hoorn, 1681. 4to. Old half vellum (new endpapers). With engraved allegorical title-page, portrait of Francois Lolonois and 18 engraved plates (5 folding) by Jan Luyken and J. Harrewyn (2 bottom-margins cut short without loss of images). (8),495,(13) pp. € 1.850,00

First edition. - This book is claimed to be translated from the papers of an English nobleman but according to Tiele it was composed by G. Broekhuizen. 'G. van Broekhuizen, a seventeenth-century translator and publisher from Amsterdam, had read enough travel accounts to be able to compose one himself. Edward Melton's voyage to Egypt, the West Indies, Persia, Turkey, The East Indies and neighbouring regions is pure fiction, but van Broekhuizen inserted enough curiosities to make his book interesting' (*Koster, To Hellen's noble land*, 32). Muller, at the other hand states 'this description is rendered still more important by the circumstance, that Melton was at New-York in 1668, in the height of the quarrel between England and Holland on the possession of the country, so that he uses the names *New York* and *New-Amsterdam* indiscriminately'. 'Exactly who he was, whether he really existed, or if Melton was his real name remains an unsettled problem' (*Howego* p.701). The first part is dealing with Egypt. A very detailed description is given in the second part of New Netherland, based on Adriaen van der Donck and Arnoldus Montanus, Virginia, Florida, Cuba, Haiti, Panama and Jamaica; also relating to the buccaneers in the West Indies. The third part is dealing with Persia and Turkey, the fourth with Asia and South Africa. Van Broekhuizen showed a morbid interest in oriental tortures, which he described in detail and of which Jan Luyken presented some vivid illustrations. 'Several of the plates are by the celebrated Jan Luiken and are among his best productions' (*Asher* 16). - A fine clean copy.

Tiele 738; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.118; *Sabin* 47472; *European Americana IV* p.82; *Muller, America*, 960; *Weber* 324; *Not in the Blackmer or Atabey Collection*; *Van Eeghen-Van der Kellen* 42. - See illustration.

109 **METEREN, Emanuel van.** *Historien der Nederlanden en haar naburen oorlogen tot het jaar 1612.* Amsterdam, Jan Jacobs Schipper, 1663.

Folio. Contemporary calf over wooden boards (new endpapers), with later clasps (spine rep., brass cornerpieces and central ornament missing). With engraved title and 55 often full-page or three-quarter-page engraved portraits, including many fine equestrian portraits. (6),629,(11) lvs. € 695,00

The first edition was published in 1599 and was followed by many enlarged editions. Very important Dutch history starting with the 14th century up to 1612. It contains also valuable material for the history of the East- and West Indian 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. - (Some waterstaining). *Haitsma Mulier & Van der Lem* 333.

110 **MILNER, John and Oswal W. BRIERLY.** *The cruise of H.M.S. Galatea, captain H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh, in 1867-1868.* London, W.H. Allen and Co., 1869.

Original blue cloth, nautical motifs on upper boards, spine gilt (sl. soiled). With photographic frontispiece tipped in, folding map, 4 tinted and 8 chromolithographs and some woodengravings. XII,487,(1);24 pp. € 375,00

First edition. - Account of the cruise round the world of the Duke of Edinburgh. After a short trip to the Mediterranean he set out for the Cape of Good Hope and Australia. 'There is a lengthy description of an exciting and successful hunt, with several elephants bagged' (*Czech p.116*). 'The attempt to murder His Royal Highness at Clontarf, Middle Harbour, Sydney, by O'Farrell, a Fenian sympathiser, is fully described' (*Ferguson 12627*).

Mendelssohn II, p.20; NMMC I, 690.

111 **MILNER, Thomas.** Russia: its rise and progress, tragedies and revolutions. London, Longman, Brown, Gren, and Longmans, 1856.

Contemporary green calf (Bickers & Son), gilt fillets, spine richly gilt with red morocco title-label. With engraved frontispiece. XV,500 pp. € 195,00

First edition. - A nice copy.

Bibl. Russica M 1158.

112 **MILTON, William Fitzwilliam and Walter Butler CHEADLE.** The North-West passage by land. Being the narrative of an expedition from the Atlantic to the Pacific, undertaken with the view of exploration a route across the continent to British Columbia through British territory, by one of the northern passes in the Rocky Mountains. London, Cassell, Petter, and Galpin, (1867).

Original green pictorial gilt cloth, spine lettered in gilt. With folding map and 8 engraved plates. XXIV,394 pp. € 175,00

Seventh edition, first published in 1865. - 'A lively narrative of a sporting trip from England across Canada and return from British Columbia by sea, June, 1862 - March, 1864. This work achieved considerable popularity and drew attention to the agricultural, and mining possibilities of the Canadian West' (*TPL 4340*). - A fine copy.

Sabin 24631; Wagner & Camp 420.

113 **MIRZA ABU TALEB KHAN.** The travels in Asia, Africa, and Europe, during the years 1799, 1800, 1801, 1802, and 1803. Written by himself, in the Persian language. Translated by Charles Stewart. London, Longman, Hurst, Rees, and Orme, 1810. 2 volumes. Contemporary half blue calf, spines richly gilt. With portrait frontispiece. VIII,(16),320; 418 pp. € 950,00

First edition. - Very interesting account of a Muslim, written by 'A Persian Prince', an official of upper-class Persian descent at the courts of Muslim rulers in Oudh and Bengal. The first chapter is dealing with his family. In the other chapters he relates his adventures starting with his leave from Calcutta. He disembarked at the Cape of Good Hope and finally arrived in Ireland. 'The author, evidently a man of education and ability, affords a short but interesting description of Cape Town' (*Mendelssohn II, p.22*). In London he was received in aristocratic society and introduced to King

George II and Queen Charlotte. He provides a very detailed recording of his social contacts. On his return journey to India he visited Paris, Malta and Constantinople, and then set out overland across Asia to Iraq and India. - (Browned). - Scarce.

114 **M'Leod, John.** Voyage of his majesty's ship *Alceste* to China, Corea, and the Island of Lewchew, with an account of her shipwreck. 3rd edition. London, John Murray, 1819.

Contemporary blind-tooled calf, gilt fillets round sides, rebacked with the original spine laid down, spine richly gilt, with green morocco label to spine, inner dentelles. With portrait frontispiece, folding map and 5 hand-coloured aquatints. VI,(1),339 pp.
€ 875,00

First published in 1817; the 3rd edition is the first edition with the map. - 'The *Alceste* and the *Lyra* conveyed Lord Amherst's embassy to China, which was the second attempt by the British to open trade with China, after the first effort by Lord Macartney. The *Alceste* reached Rio de Janeiro in 1816, and then proceeded to the Cape of Good Hope. After a short visit there, Batavia was touched at in order to deliver dispatches for the evacuation of the country and reinstatement of Dutch control, after which the *Alceste* continued on to China. While the matters of the embassy were proceeding, the ships sailed on an expedition for the survey and exploration of the west coast of Korea and the Ryukyu Islands. In the course of this work a long visit was made to Okinawa. The people were very hospitable to the sailors and gave them a kindly, though careful, reception. On the return voyage, after taking Lord Amherst on board at Macao, Manilla was visited, and then, in Gaspar Strait off the coast of Sumatra, the *Alceste* struck a submerged reef and became a total loss. The crew and passengers reached the small adjacent island of Pulo Leat safely. Lord Amherst proceeded to Batavia to fetch help while the sailors fortified their island retreat, named Fort Maxwell after their captain. A long and vivid account is given of their experiences, of how they were attacked by Malay pirates, and of their final rescue. On their return voyage, St. Helena was visited, and an interesting account is given of an interview with Napoleon. Dr. M'Leod, the author of this account, was ship's surgeon on board the *Alceste*' (*Hill p.407*). - A fine copy. *Hill* 1169; *Abbey, Travel*, 559; *Borba de Moraes II*, p.507; *Lust* 378; *Cordier, BS*, 2108; *Huntress* 188C. - See illustration.



Item 114

115 **MONTAGUE, MARY WORTHLY.** Letters of the right honourable Lady M-y W-y M-e; written during her travels in Europe, Asia and Africa, to persons of distinction ... which contain, among other curious relations, accounts of the policy and manners of the Turks. New edition. London, T. Becket and P.A. de Hondt, 1767. 3 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary calf with gilt fillets round sides (some hinges weak), spines ribbed with red morocco title-labels (extremities sl. dam.). XII,(4),180; (4),195; (4),230 pp. € 975,00

First published in 1763; with written owner's name Moseley 1767. - Lady Mary Worthly Montague (1689-1762) was the first lady to travel abroad for mere curiosity's sake. In 1716 she accompanied her husband, Edward Montague, on his diplomatic mission to Constantinople, making the journey overland. The letters she wrote back home are justly ranked among the most celebrated of their kind in a century richly endowed with excellent letterwriters. She became a great admirer of Turkish culture and her work includes in sights that were exceptional for their time. A year after her death, her Turkish letters were published for the first time and they have not been out of print since. - With handwritten owner's name and date 1667. *Blackmer collection 1150; Atabey collection 829; Gay 94; Paulitschke 682; Robinson, Wayward women, p.32-34.*

116 **MUNDY, (Godfrey Charles).** Pen and pencil sketches, being the journal of a tour in India. 2nd edition. London, John Murray, 1833.
2 volumes. Contemporary calf, gilt fillets round sides, expertly rebacked, spines gilt, inner dentelles. With 2 frontispieces, folding map, 9 illustrations and 13 (of 14) plates after the author. XV,381; VIII,379 pp. € 375,00

With armorial bookplate of N.M. Ferrers. - 'Travelling throughout India, the author hunted tiger near the Ganges and in the Dehra Dun. He spent time among the Mahrattas, observed wild elephants, and participated in antelope hunting with cheetahs and falcons' (*Czech p.145*).

117 **MUNRO, Innes.** A narrative of the military operations, on the Coromandel coast, against the combined forces of the French, Dutch, and Hyder Ally Cawn, from the year 1780 to the peace in 1784; in a series of letters. London, T. Bensley, 1789. 4to. Contemporary calf, rebacked, with red morocco title-label to spine. With engraved oval vignette on title, large folding engraved view of Isle of France and 9 folding engraved plans of the fortifications at Trinquammallee. XVIII,(6),392 pp. € 885,00

With armorial bookplate of Ralph Sneyd Esq. - Included are many usefulel cautions to young gentlemen destined for India; a description of the most remarkable manners and customs of the East Indians; an account of the Isle of France and of all the battles fought by the army under lieutenant-general Eyre Coote and other commanders. - A nice clean copy. - *Cox I p.303. – See illustration.*



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Item 119

118 **MURRAY, Hugh.** The encyclopaedia of geography: comprising a complete description of the earth, physical, statistical, civil, and political; exhibiting its relation to the heavenly bodies, its physical structure, the natural history of each country, and the industry, commerce, political institutions, and civil and social state of all nations. Revised, with additions by Thomas G. Bradford. Philadelphia, Carey, Lea, and Blanchard, 1837.

3 volumes. Contemporary speckled calf, black labels to spines. With 82 maps and ca. 1100 wood-engravings in the text. 597; 592; 624 pp. € 225,00

119 **NEITZSCHITZ, George Christoph.** Merkwürdige Reisen/ so derselbe durch Europa/ Asien und Africa seiner Zeit gethan; dabey nicht nur die Beschaffenheit derer Länder, sondern auch viele andere besondere Begebenheiten angemercket werden .. Magdeburg, Gottfried Vetter, 1753.

4to. Contemporary calf, spine gilt (top of spine skilfully rebacked). With title printed in red and black, engraved title, folding engraved view of Jerusalem (lower part damaged with loss of text of the legend, not affecting the image) and 10 engraved plates. (6),320,(23) pp. € 875,00

First published in German in 1666. - Account of the two travels by Neitzschitz to the Levant, 1630-37. He also accompanied the imperial legacy led by Count Buchheim to the Ottoman court. - (Age-browned). - Scarce.

Tobler p.102; Ibrahim-Hilmy II, p.62; Gay 269. – See illustration.

120 **NIEBUHR, Carsten.** Beschryving van Arabie, uit eigene waarnemingen en in't land zelf verzamelde narigten opgesteld. Uit het Hoogduits vertaald. Amsterdam, S.J. Baalde, Utrecht, J. van Schoonhoven & Comp., 1774.

4to. Contemporary mottled calf, spine richly gilt, with red morocco title-label to spine. With engraved title-page, 7 engraved maps (5 folding; the large folding map of Yemen coloured in outline) and 18 engraved plates (3 folding; including two coloured plates with Arab texts) by C.J. de Huyser, N. v.d. Meer and Th. Koning. (4),XXXXII,408,(14) pp. € 2.150,00

First Dutch edition. - In 1761, at the invitation of Frederick V, King of Denmark, Carsten Niebuhr (1733-1815) joined a Danish government-sponsored scientific expedition to explore the Arabian Peninsula, known as Arabia Felix. The five other members, who would die all during the expedition, were Peter Forrskal, a Swedish naturalist, Christian Kramer, a Danish physician and zoologist, George Baurenfeind, a German artist, Friedrich von Haven, a Danish linguist, and a former Swedish military man named Berggren. They, disguised as Muslims, sailed on a ship carrying pilgrims to the Arabian port of Jidda. Niebuhr's account of his journey in Arabia and the Persian Gulf provided Europeans with the first comprehensive descriptions of the region; his map of Yemen was the first to detail scientifically that portion of the Arabian Peninsula. 'There are few better demonstrations of how little was still known about the Arab world in the second half of the eighteenth century than the Danish

expedition which set sail for the east in 1761 ' (*Europe and the Arab world*, 48). - A fine copy of a classic of early Arabian exploration.

Tiele 795; Cat. NHSM I, p.258; Gay 3589; Howgego p.751. – See illustration.



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121 **NIEUHOFF, Joan.** Het gezantschap der Neêrlandsche Oost-Indische Compagnie, aan den grooten Tartarischen Cham, den tegenwoordigen keizer van China: waar in de gedenkwaerdigste geschiedenissen .. zedert den jaare 1655 tot 1657 .. beneffens een naauwkeurige beschryvinge der Sineesche steden, dorpen, regeering, wetenschappen, handwerken, zeden ... Amsterdam, Wolfgang, Waasberge, Boom, van Someren en Goethals, 1693.

2 volumes in 1. Folio. Contemporary blind-tooled vellum (1 joint sl. splitting). With engraved frontispiece, engraved portrait of the author (rep.), folding engraved map, 34 double-page engraved plates and ca. 110 nice engravings in text. (8),208;258,(9) pp. € 5.250,00

Third edition, first published in 1665. - In 1665 Nieuhof published what is regarded as the definitive account of the Dutch embassy to Peking, and it is for this that he is best known (*Howgego p.752*). Nieuhof's account presented the Dutch reader with the most substantial and detailed description of the Middle Kingdom yet published. It contains information from the most important Jesuit sources and adds to them the observations of one of the first Dutchmen to travel in China's interior and visit the capital. Nieuhof's book is lavishly illustrated (providing) European readers with more realistic visual images of China's landscape and people than ever before (*Lach-Kley,*

Asia in the making, III, p.484. First embassy of the Dutch East India Company of Pieter de Goyer and Jakob de Keyser to the court of China in the years 1655-57, describing all the events during this mission, the country, people, flora & fauna, etc. One of the very few non-Jesuit sources of the period. It is richly illustrated with large views of all ports and places visited, starting with Batavia, and with numerous nice text-engravings illustrating in detail Chinese life in the 17th century. The Paolinx-plate mentioned in the index is actually only present in the Latin edition. - A very clean and fine copy.

Tiele 800; Landwehr, VOC, 539; Cat. NHSM I, p.499; Cordier, B.S., p.2344-2345; Lust 539-541.

122 **NIEUWENTYT, Bernard.** Het regt gebruik der werelt beschouwingen ter overtuiging van ongodisten en ongelovigen aangetoont. 6e druk. Amsterdam, Adrianus Douci, 1754.

4to. Contemporary mottled calf, spine gilt (extremities of spine damaged). With title-page printed in red and black with nice emblematic vignette, fine engraved portrait after Dk. Valkenburg by P. van Gunst, and 28 folding engraved plates. (12),916,(17) pp. € 450,00

Bernard Nieuwentyt (1654-1718), mathematician and philosopher and burgomaster of Purmerend, is perhaps best remembered for his controversy with Leibniz; as a methodologist he was unequaled up to modern times. He was a follower of Descartes and opponent of Spinoza. In this scientific treatise, his main work, he attacks Spinoza and his school from a biblical point of view. The plates depict anatomical, physiological, mathematical, optical and astronomical figures.

Bierens de Haan 3561.

123 **OUDEGHERST, Pierre d'** Les chroniques et annales de Flandres: contenant les heroïques et tresvictorieux exploits des forestiers, & comtes de Flandres, & les singularités & choses memorables advenueës audict Flandres, depuis l'an de nostre Seigneur Jesus Christ VIc. & XX (=620) jusques a l'an 1476. Anvers, Christopher Plantin, 1571.

18th century mottled calf, gilt fillets round sides and central gilt heraldic supralibros to frontcover, spine richly gilt, with red morocco title label to spine (1 hinge sl. dam. but holding; extremities of spine dam.). With woodcut printer's device on title-page and woodcut initials. (20),340 lvs. € 1.950,00

First edition. - Pierre d'Oudegherst or Oudegherste (1540 - 1592), a Flemish historian, wrote this history of Flanders (Belgium) from the year 620 to 1476. Plantin was too busy with the printing of the Polyglot Bible that he had the actual printing of this book done by his Antwerp colleague, Jan Withagen, using Plantin's type, as shown on the last leaf of the preliminaries. - A very fine copy.

Voet, Plantin Press, 1841.

124 **PAASCH, Heinrich.** 'From keel to truck'. A marine dictionary in English, French and German .. for the use of ship-owners, builders, brokers, insurance-societies, average-staters, barristers, solicitors, translotors, surveyors, masters, mates, engineers, naval-schools, nautical journalists, etc. Antwerp, Ratincx, 1885. Original decortaed cloth. With portrait and 84 plates. II,(4),206,CIV pp. - First edition. - *Cat.NHSM II, p.1003.* € 195,00

125 **PANANTI, Filippo.** Mijne lotgevallen en reizen in de Barbarijsche roofstaten. Uit het Italiaansch. Leeuwarden, Steenberg van Goor, 1830. 2 volumes in 1. Contemporary half calf (spine dam.). XX,331; VIII,336 pp. € 345,00

First Dutch edition, first published in Italian in 1817. - A geographical and historical narrative of a residence in Algiers, with biographical sketches of the Dey and his ministers, observations on the relations of the Barbary States with European countries, etc.

Gay 941 & Playfair 322 & Ashbee p.49 (not the Dutch ed.); not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

126 **PARRY, William Edward.** Journal of a voyage for the discovery of a North-West passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific; performed in the years 1819-20, in his majesty's ships *Hecla* and *Griper*. With an appendix, containing the scientific and other observations. 2nd edition. London, John Murray, 1821. 4to. Later half calf with old boards, spine gilt with black title-label. With 6 engraved charts (4 folding), 5 lithographed profiles and 9 aquatint plates by W. Westall after Beechey. (8),XXIX,310,CLXXIX pp. € 1.650,00

First edition published the same year. - The first (and most succesful) of Parry's three voyages. By August 1, 1819, Sir William Edward Parry (1790-1855) had managed to sail westward completely through Lancaster Sound, establishing that it was actually a strait. He then made the European discovery of Barrow Street, which he named after Sir John Barrow. Continuing westward, he reached the south coast of a large island he named Melville Island after Lord Melville. Parry and his men had sailed west of the 110th meridian of longitude, half the distance of the Northwest Passage, and thereby won a prize of £ 5.000, which Parliament had offered as an incentive for the discovery of the Northwest Passage. - (Some spotting and foxing as usual). - Fine.

Arctic Bibl. 13145; Hill 1311; Sabin 58860.

127 **PEPYS, Samuel.** Diary and correspondence of Samuel Pepys, secretary to the admiralty in the reigns of Charles II and James II. The diary deciphered by J. Smith from the original shorthand manuscript in the Pepysian Library. With a life and notes by Richard Lord Braybrooke. The 4th edition, revised and corrected. London, Henry Colburn, 1854.

4 volumes. Contemporary half green calf, spines richly gilt. With 5 portraits (4 frontispiece portraits), a plate depicting the interior of Mr. Pepy's library, and folding map. XL, 427; 481; 484; 468 pp. - An attractive set. € 375,00



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128 **PERCIVAL, Robert.** An account of the island of Ceylon, containing its history, geography, natural history, with the manners and customs of its various inhabitants; to which is added, the journal of an embassy to the court of Candy. Second edition: With an appendix; containing some particulars of the recent hostilities with the King of Candy. London, printed by and for C. and R. Baldwin, 1805.

4to. Contemporary half calf, spine gilt with morocco title-label. With engraved frontispiece, engraved folding map by A. Arrowsmith, 3 engraved folding charts, and 4 engraved plates. XII, 446, (2) pp. € 1.050,00

Second and best edition. - Excellent account of Ceylon to which in this second edition not only an appendix was added but also an index and plates. - The British succeeded the Dutch in Ceylon in 1796, Captain Robert Percival arrived with the British forces in 1797 and spent three years in Sri Lanka. He was, as he writes, "induced by curiosity" because "the accounts hitherto published of this island had been extremely imperfect; as the watchful jealousy of the Dutch both excluded the researches of strangers, and prevented their own people from publishing any observations.. ". He had a pronounced hatred of the cruelty of Dutch rule. In 1800 he joined General Macdowal's embassy to the court of Candy and gives a valuable report of this happening. In his description of pearl fishery he brings to life the extravaganza, the customs and superstitions of the fisherman and the dangers of the deep. Among the plates i.a. a view on the fort of Batacolo, elephant hunting, and the Cinnamon gardens near Columbo. - Some light foxing otherwise fine.

Goonetilleke 35a (mentions erroneously 4 instead of 3 charts). – See illustration.



Item 129

129 **PHIPPS, Constantine John.** A voyage towards the North Pole undertaken by his majesty's command 1773. London, printed by W. Bowyer and J. Nichols for J. Nourse, 1774.

4to. Modern half calf, with red morocco title label to spine. With folding engraved plan, 2 folding engraved charts, 12 folding or double page engraved views and plates. VIII,253,(1) pp. € 2.950,00

First edition. - 'Official account written by Captain Phipps, later Lord Mulgrave. The expedition of the *Racehorse* and *Carcass*, undertaken for the purpose of discovering a route to India through the northern polar regions, was blocked by pack ice of Spitsbergen. The valuable appendix gives geographical and meteorological observations, zoological and botanical records, accounts of the distillation of fresh water from the sea, and astronomical observations. The voyage is perhaps best remembered for the presence of young Horatio Nelson, as midshipsman aboard the *Carcass*, and his encounter with a polar bear' (*Hill 1351*). Phipps's narrative of his voyage was of considerable scientific interest and was the beginning of modern efforts to reach the North Pole. It also made an important addition to the knowledge of the natural productions of Spitsbergen. - The first British attempt to reach the North Pole since 1615. - (Age-browned). - A fine copy. - See illustration.

Sabin 62572; JCB 1966; Chavanne 1944 (other ed.); Cox II, p.19.

130 **PINCKARD, George.** Notes on the West Indies: written during the expedition under the command of .. Ralph Abercromby: including observations on the island of Barbadoes, and the settlements captured by the British troops, upon the coast of Guiana; likewise remarks relating to the creoles and slaves of the western colonies, and the Indians of South America; with occasional hints, regarding the seasoning, or yellow fever of hot climates London, Longman, Hurst, Rees, and Orme, 1806. 3 volumes. Later half calf, spines gilt, with red and green morocco title labels to spines. XXIV,448; XX,472; XIX,(1),456 pp. € 1.500,00

First edition. - 'The author was deputy inspector general of hospitals in the British army. He accompanied General Sir Ralph Abercromby to the West Indies and while not on service became well acquainted with the regions where he was stationed for the time being. He gives us interesting pictures of Plymouth in war time, of the agonizing delay while awaiting embarkation orders, of the break-up of the fleet in a storm, of a visit to slave ships, and intimate and varied accounts of colonial life in Barbados and along the Guiana coast as well as of the vicissitudes of soldier life in the colonies. He received unfavorable impressions of slavery. Urges emancipation, holding that abolition could be regarded as only a step in that direction' (*Ragatz pp.231-232*). - (Age-browned). - A fine set.

The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection 600; Sabin 62893; Hogg 731; Work p.269.

131 **Diplomatic post sent from different places in Europe to the government in The Hague.** 96 manuscript letters. 1715-1729. € 795,00

G. Coijmans, Copenhagen, 1729. 1 letter. - W. van Assendelft, Copenhagen, 1729. 1 letter. - F. H. van Bilderbeek, 1715. 9 letters. - J.H. Bruijninx, Vienna, 1715, 1725-1729. 43 letters. - C. van Rumpf, Stockholm, 1725, Grodno 1726, Dresden, 1727-28, and Warsaw, 1729. 8 letters. - A.F. le Plat, 1715. 7 letters. - J.L. Runckel, Schaffthousen, 1715. 12 letters. - A. van Hoeij, Paris, 1728. 1 letter. - D.V. Bleijswijk, Dantzig, 1728. 1 letter. - De Wilde, Moscow, 1728. 1 letter. - And 12 other letters, 1715-1728. - 84 letters written in Dutch, and 12 letters written in French, giving an eye-witness account of the political situation in various places in Europe at the beginning of the 18th century.

132 **PUFFENDORF, Samuel.** The compleat history of Sweden, from its origin to this time: comprehending the lives and reigns of all its kings and governors, the several revolutions, wars, riches, forces, strength, and interest of that nation, in respect to the other kingdoms of Europe. Faithfully translated from the original High-Dutch, and carefully continued down to this present year. London, printed by J. Brudenell for Joseph Wild, 1702.

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary mottled calf, spine richly gilt. (8),624,(8) pp. - *With armorial bookplate of W.M. Owen Esq. Woodhouse.* € 195,00

133 **RAAF**. *De Raaf*. Kapt. P.S. van Dijk. (No pl.), 1876.

Original coloured anonymous drawing depicting a Dutch twomaster on the high seas.
Ca. 48 x 59 cm (incl. margins). € 795,00

A fine view of the Dutch sailing-vessel *De Raaf*, captain P.S. van Dijk, shipowners E.J. Bok & Zonen, Amsterdam 1876.

134 **William, Lord Radstock, admiral of the *White***. From a painting .. by F.W. Wilkin. London, T. Cadell & Davies, 1810.

Engraved portrait of admiral William Waldegrave, first Baron Radstock (1753-1825).
c. 38 x 32 cm (incl. margins). - *DNB* p.480. € 125,00

135 **RAFFLES, Thomas Stamford**. *Geschiedenis van Java*. Vertaald, wat betreft de onderwerpen, welke voor Nederland en Indië wetenswaardig zijn, en voorzien van aantekeningen, tot verbetering, beoordeling en vervolg van het oorspronkelijke werk, door J.E. de Sturler. 's Gravavenhage, Amsterdam, Gebroeders van Cleef, 1836. Old leather (sl. rubbed). With folding table (tear in blank margin). LIV,244 pp.
€ 395,00

First Dutch revised translation of Raffles' monumental *History of Java*, London 1817. Thomas Stamford Raffles (1781-1826) was lieutenant Governor-General of the Indonesian Archipelago 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. - (Small libr. stamp on title).
Tiele 896; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.244; *Cat. KITLV* p.10.

136 **RAFFLES, Thomas Stamford**. *The history of Java*. London, Black, Parbury, and Allen, and John Murray, 1817.
2 volumes. 4to. Modern blind-tooled half calf. With 2 maps (one large folding of Java), 10 hand-coloured plates and 53 etched or aquatint plates, and some engraved vignettes. XLVIII,479; VIII,288,(3),CCLX pp. € 6.250,00

First edition. - Raffles (1781-1826) 'was interested in every aspect of his subject, and devotes whole sections to Javan ethics, literature, poetry, music, and musical instruments, drama, games of skill and methods of hunting, besides the more ordinary matters of interest population, natural history, religion, antiquities, and the military system .. *The history of Java* stands very high in its own class, and the aquatint plates are full of interest' (*Prideaux* p.252-253). 'In terms of the pictorial depiction of Javanese costume and topography the importance of the *History of Java* can hardly be exaggerated .. The marriage of a scientifically original text with beautiful illustrations by an accomplished aquatint engraver resulted in a book about Indonesia of

outstanding quality; indeed, a masterpiece' (*Bastin-Brommer* p.6-7). The ten coloured aquatints, though unsigned are by William Daniell, illustrate Javanese life and costume, and the Papuan boy who accompanied Raffles to England in 1816. The plate of the Borobudur is one of the first depictions of the monument. 'An influential work valued for the author's firsthand observations on the customs and condition of the Javanese under his administration as Governor-General during the British occupation of the Dutch East Indies (1811-1815)' (*Von Hünersdorff/Hasenkamp* p.1213). - A fine copy.

Bastin-Brommer N 90; *Abbey, Travel*, 554; *Tooley, Coloured Plates*, 391.

137 **RAINSFORD, Marcus.** St. Domingo, of het land der Zwarten in Hayti en deszelfs omwenteling. Naar het Engelsch. Amsterdam, Johannes Allart, 1806. 2 volumes. Original boards, uncut. With folding engraved map, folding engraved plan, 3 folding facsimiles, and 9 engraved plates by R. Vinkeles and D. Vrydag after M. Rainsford. XXVIII,410,(1); VII,(1),416 pp. € 1.250,00

First Dutch edition. - Rainsford was a British officer in the West Indies who was driven ashore on St. Domingo, where he was sentenced to death as a spy but was released on the orders of Toussaint L'Ouverture. L'Ouverture was born in Haiti in 1743 and was slave for 50 years before he joined the revolutionaries. Using his genius and extraordinary military ability he led them drive first the French, then the English, followed by the Spanish, from the island of Haiti. Napoleon Bonaparte was determined to recapture the possessions for his empire so fighting started again. After Napoleon promised liberty and equality, L'Ouverture accepted the truce after which he was arrested and sent to France where he died in prison. 'A former slave who emerged as the dominant figure in the Haitian Revolution, Toussaint Louverture is arguable the most important black leader in the history of the Americas. Even though he did not live to see an independent Haiti, Louverture (as he became known after the revolution) made independence possible. He became a formidable symbol of black power, dignity, and autonomy in the Americas, both for those aspired to and for those who abhorred this possibility' (*Rodriguez, Historical encycl. of world slavery, II*, p.418). Detailed history of the island, the rise of the Black Republic, its army and the brutal war with the French, and description of the life of Toussaint L'Ouverture. - Scarce. *Muller, America*, p.57; *Sabin* 67535 (later edition); *DNB* p.627. – See illustration.



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138 **RAMEL, (Jean Pierre).** Narrative of the deportation to Cayenne, of Barthélemy, Pichegru, Willot, Marbois, La Rue, Ramel, etc. In consequence of the revolution of the 18th Fructidor, (September 4, 1797) containing a variety of important facts relative to that revolution, and to the voyage, residence and escape of Barthélemy, Pichegru, etc. From the French. London, J. Wright, 1799. Contemporary calf, with red morocco title-label (foot of spine sl. dam.). 215 pp.

€ 375,00

First English edition. - A narrative of exile to the French prison colony Cayenne, in Guiana, that befell victims of the French Revolution; including some account of travel in that colony. Dealing with the events of Ramel, Pichegru, Barthélémy, Barbé-Marbois and others, giving facts relative to the voyage, residence and escape. - (Some marginal wormholes in the beginning).

Sabin 67630; James Ford Bell Library R 30.

139 **RAYNAL, Guillaume Thomas.** A philosophical and political history of the settlements and trade of the Europeans in the East and West Indies. Translated from the French by J. Justamond. A new edition, with great corrections and improvements. Edinburgh, T. Caddel a.o., 1776.

4 volumes. Contemporary calf, with red morocco title-labels to spines. With 4 folding engraved maps. (8),444; (8),457; (8),481; (8),477 pp.

€ 795,00

This work by Raynal (1713-1796) is considered to be one of the books which most influenced the French Revolution, a large part is said to have been written by Diderot and others. The book, prohibited in France, relates to trade in the Persian Gulf and with Arabia and India, the conquests of the Portuguese and Dutch in the East Indies and Asia, Spanish conquests in the Americas, the West Indies, the Portuguese conquest of Brazil, and the English and French colonies in North America. The maps depict: Map of the European settlements in the East Indies and on the eastern coast of Africa, Map of the European settlements in South America and on the western coast of Africa, Map of the European settlements in the West Indies, and Map of the European settlements in North America. - A fine set.

Cf. Sabin 68087.

140 OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE GREAT UNION MEETING HELD AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 19TH, 1859. N.Y., Davies & Kent, 1859.

Original printed wrappers. 176 pp.

€ 125,00

The largest meeting ever held in New York in favor of Constitution and the Union. - (Some blank corners dam.).

141 ROBBINS, Archibald. A journal, comprising an account of the loss of the brig *Commerce*, of Hartford, (Con.) James Riley, master, upon the western coast of Africa, august 28th, 1815; also of the slavery and sufferings of the author and the rest of the crew, upon the desert of Zahara, in the years 1815, 1816, 1817; with accounts of the manners, customs, and habits of the wandering Arabs; also, a brief historical and geographical view of the continent of Africa. 16th edition. Hartford, Silas Andrus, 1823.

Sm.8vo. Contemporary mottled calf, with red title label to spine. With folding engraved map. 275 pp.

€ 125,00

'Robbins was an able seaman on board the *Commerce*, and endured the same sufferings as Captain Riley. Obviously Robbins wished to cash in on the interest shown in Riley's adventures, and rushed his narrative into print soon after the captain's. At least eight editions of this book appeared in the year of first publication, 1818' (*Huntress 194c*).

142 **ROBERTSON, William.** The history of America. 3rd edition. London, Edinburgh, 1780.

3 volumes. Contemporary polished calf, spines richly gilt, with red and green title labels to spines. With folding plate and 4 folding maps. LI,387; 540; 497,(42) pp.

€ 395,00

'A popular work which was reprinted several times and translated into many languages.. Its vivid descriptions and philosophical disquisitions on aboriginal society captivated the literary world, while the outbreak of the American war lent the book pertinent public interest and rendered it more popular than either of the author's previous works' (*Cox II, p.150*). - A very attractive set.

Sabin 71973.

143 **ROBIN, (Abbé).** Nieuwe reize door Noord-Amerika, in den jaare 1781. Uit het Fransch. Amsterdam, Allart en Holtrop, 1782.

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt, with black morocco title label to spine. With large folding engraved map, coloured in outline. VIII,283,(3) pp.

€ 275,00

First Dutch edition. - Voyage in North America made in 1781 with descriptions of Boston, Baltimore, Williamsburg, the conquest of St. Eustatius by the English, etc.

'Relation très estimée qui a traduite en plusieurs langues. On y trouve des renseignements utiles sur la marche des troupes françaises pendant cette année mémorable' (*Leclerc 999*). - Fine.

Sabin 72038; Howes 361; Muller, America, p.372; not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

144 **SALMON, Thomas.** Tegenwoordige staat van Rusland, Zweden, Denemarken en Noorwegen: als mede van de landen onder de Noord Pool gelegen, en van de Groenlandsche visschery. Nu vertaald en merkelyk vermeerderd door M. van Goch. Amst., I.Tirion, 1735.

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt. With engraved frontispiece, 2 engraved plates (1 folding), 2 engraved plates depicting whales, 3 engraved portraits and 5 folding maps. (8),317-976,(8) pp.

€ 525,00

Hedendaagsche historie, of tegenwoordige staat van alle volkeren, dl. VII. - Ample description of Russia, Sweden, Denmark and Norway, including details about whaling.

Tiele 1033.

145 **SANDYS, (George).** Voyagien, behelsende een historie van de oorspronckelijke ende tegenwoordige standt des Turcksen rijcks ... 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/ Syracuse/ Mesena/ Etna/ Scylla/ en Charypdis/ etc. Uyt 't Engels vertaelt door J. G(lazemaker). Amsterdam, Baltes Boeckholt, 1665.
4to. Contemporary vellum. With engraved title, 3 engraved plates and 26 full or half-page engravings in text. 263,(1) pp. € 1.850,00

First Dutch edition was published in 1653. - 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.256; Blackmer Collection 1484 (English edition); Atabey Collection 1087 (English edition); Weber 245; Röhricht p.232; Ibrahim-Hilmy p.210.

146 **SANDYS/ LE BLANC/ PINTO/ LITHGOUW.** Four 17th century Dutch editions of classic travel-accounts of all parts of the world, bound in one volume. Amsterdam, 1653-1654.
4 volumes in 1. 4to. Contemporary vellum. With engraved plates. - *An attractive copy in very good condition. - With the bookplate of F.C. Koch.* € 6.950,00
See illustration.

SANDYS, George. Voyagien, behelsende een historie .. des Turckenrijkcks .. als mede; van Aegypten .. neffens een beschrijvinge van het H. Landt .. eyndlyck, Italien beschreven met hare naburige eylanden .. Uyt't Engels vertaelt door I.G. Amst., Jacob Benjamin, 1653. With engraved title and 29 engraved plates and illustrations. 292 pp.

First Dutch edition. - George Sandys (1578-1644) travelled in Turkey, Egypt and Palestine and later studied antiquities in Rome. He has been called the first 'classic tourist' of England.

Tiele 959; Cat. NHSM I, p.255.

LE BLANC, Vincent. De vermaarde reizen die hy sedert d'ouderdom van veertien jaren, tot aan die van zestig, in de vier delen des werrelts gedaan heeft; te weten in Oost- en Westindien, in Persien, Arabien, Pegu, en in meest alle de landen van Oostindien, in de koninkrijken van Fez en Marokko, in Guinea, en in't geheel innerlijk deel van Afrika, van de Kaap de Bone Esperance af, tot in Alexandria .. Nieuwelijks door J.H. Glazemaker uit de Fransche in de Nederlantsche taal vertaalt. Amst., Jan Hendriksz en Jan Rieuwertsz., 1654. With engraved title and 7 engraved plates. 152; 116 pp.

First Dutch edition. - Vincent Le Blanc (1554 - ca. 1640) seems to have travelled to most parts of the known world. 'Whether a book of authentic travels or a book of imagination and compilation, the fact remains that it was very succesful' (*Borba de Moraes I, p.460.*

Tiele 647; Cat. NHSM I, p.133.

PINTO, Fernao Mendes. De wonderlyke reizen .. die hy in de tijt van eenëntwintig jaren in Europa, Asia en Afrika, in de koninkrijken en landen van Abissyna, China, Japon, Tartarien, Siam, Calaminham, Pegu, Martabane, Bengale, Brama, Ormus, Batas, Queda, Aru, Pan, Ainan, Calempluy, Cochinchina, en byna ontellijke andere landen en plaatsen gedaan heeft. Nieuwelijks door J.H. Glazemaker vertaalt. Amst., Jan Rieuwertsz. en Jan Hendriksz., 1653. With engraved title and 7 engraved plates. 280 pp.

First Dutch edition 1652. - Fernao Mendes Pinto's (1509/10 - 1583) famous *Peregrinaçao* (1614) is now regarded as one of the finest travel books of all times. He draws on virtually everything he ever heard about Asia, blending a mixture of fact and fiction into an account of his own travels.

Tiele 863; Cat. NHSM I, p.219.

LITHGOW, William. 19 jaarige lant-reyse, uyt Schotlant nae de vermaerde deelen des werelts Europa, Asia en Africa .. het besichtigen van 48 oude en moderne koninc-krijcken, 21 republiicken, 10 absolute vorstendommen, en 200 eylanden. .. Uyt't Engels overgeset. Amst., Jacob Benjamin, 1653. With engraved title and 7 engraved plates and illustrations. (4),186; 98 pp.

First Dutch edition 1652. - William Lithgow (1582 - 1645 ?) travelled, in three journeys and mostly on foot, through Europe, Greece, Turkey (1609-11), Crete, the Levant, Egypt and North Africa, covering in all, he estimated, more than 36.000 miles. Embedded in his euphuistic narrative are the first reports of such novelties as coffe-drinking in Europe, Turkish baths, the Aleppo-Baghdad pigeon post, artificial incubation, and Turkish tobacco pipes.

Tiele 695; Cat. NHSM I, p.133.

147 **SCHOMBURGK, Robert Hermann.** A description of British Guiana, geographical and statistical: exhibiting its resources and capabilities, together with the present and future condition and prospects of the colony. London, Simpkin Marshall, and Co., 1840.

Later half morocco, spine gilt with green morocco title-label. With folding engraved map, coloured in outline, with a view of New Amsterdam and George Town. (2),155 pp. € 425,00

First edition. - Sir Robert Schomburgk (1804-1865), though German born, was long in the service of the British government. He spent many years exploring and surveying British Guiana. He was convinced that a colony could be established on the upper Essequibo. The government took his proposals into account and in 1841 put him in charge of establishing a colony in Guyana. - A fine copy. - *Sabin 77782.*

148 **SCHOMBURGK, Robert Hermann.** Report of an expedition into the interior of British Guayana, in 1835-6. - Diary of an ascent of the river Corentyn, in October, 1836; and of the river Berbice, in 1836-7, in British Guayana. - Researches in Guayana in 1837-9. (London, 1837-40).

3 extracts from the *London Geographical Journal* bound in 1 volume. Contemporary half red calf (sl. soiled), spine gilt with morocco title-label, 2 printed front-wrappers preserved (1 with autograph dedication by the author and an engraving of the mountain of Ataraïpu, in Guayana). With engraved plate depicting King William IVth's cataract and 3 folding maps. 61; 68; 109,(2) pp. € 625,00

First editions. - In 1823 Britain sent an expedition to Guyana - a land the British were keen to colonize - under the leadership of a German, Herman Schomburgk (1804-1865). He explored the Essequibo River (the sources of which he was the first to reach) the Corentyn and the Berbice and investigated in great detail the capabilities of the colony of British Guyana (*DNB*).

Sabin 77793, 77794.

149 **SCHOUTEN, Wouter.** Oost-Indische voyagie, vervattende veel voorvallen en ongemeene vreemde geschiedenissen/ bloedige zee- en landt-gevechten tegen de Portugeesen en Makassaren, belegering/ bestorming en verovering van veel voorname steden en kasteelen. Mitsgaders een curieuse beschrijving der voornaemste landen, eylanden, koninckrijcken en steden in Oost-Indien .. Als oock sijn seer gevaerlijcke wederom-reyse naer't vaderlandt/ daer in een bysondere harde ontmoetinge met d'Engelsche oorloghs-vloot/ soo in Bergen Noorwegen/ als op de Noord-Zee. Amsterdam, Jacob Meurs en Johannes van Someren, 1676.
4to. Contemporary vellum. With engraved allegorical title-page, engraved portrait, 4 illustrations and 43 engraved plates (20 double-page) after the author.
(12),328,253,(23) pp. € 2.150,00

First edition; with armorial bookplate of H.W. Struben. - Wouter Schouten (1638-1704) spent 7 years as a physician in the service of the Dutch East India Company (VOC) in the East 1658-1665. His travel-account stayed very popular for a long time because of his ample and vivid descriptions of the countries, the different peoples and anything of note concerning the animals, plants, etc. of Java, Amboyna, Ternate, Celebes, Cape of Good Hope, coast of Coromandel, Malabar, Persia, Arabia, Ceylon, etc. With fine engraved views of Batavia, Ternate, Malacca, Makassar, Colombo, Cape of Good Hope etc. by C. Decker and J. Kip. Most of them are the first accurate topographical views of these towns. Because of the bad weather the fleet arrived on the return voyage in Bergen (Norway), where Schouten eyewitnessed the attack by the English in 1665. 'Schouten was an observant traveller who explored inland into the environs of nearly every port-of-call, sometimes by himself or with a small group of comrades. His narrative, full of anecdotes as well as information gleaned about countries he had not visited, became particularly popular with readers in the eighteenth century, when it was republished in no fewer than seven editions' (*Howgego* p.947). - A very fine copy. - See illustration.
Tiele 990; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.174; *Landwehr, VOC*, 283; *Mendelssohn II*, p.279-80.

150 **SCHRAM, Wybrant.** Journael ende verhael/ van de Oost-Indische reyse, gedaen by .. admirael Wybrant Schram. Uytgevaren met een vloot van 9 schepen, den 3 may. 1626. Met een beschrijvinghe van den see-slach/ die hy gheslagen heeft met den vermaerden see-roover Claes Compaen. Item: Oost-Indische reyse/ ghedaen by Seyger de Rechteren .. uytghevaren onder .. admirael Jacob Speckx, den 25 januarius 1629 .. (Amst., Jan Jansz., 1645).
Oblong 8vo. Modern half vellum. With engraved map and 2 engraved plates. 94 lvs.
€ 225,00

From: *Isaac Commelin, Begin ende voortgangh*. - Wijbrant Schram's voyage and battle with Claes Compaen (1626), Zeyger van Rechteren, voyage to the East Indies (1628-1632) and the sea battle of Cornelis Simonsz. off Goa (1639). - (Some margins dam.; waterstained).
Landwehr, VOC, 250,20.

151 **SEELY, John B.** The wonders of Elora; or, the narrative of a journey to the temples and dwellings excavated out of a mountain of granite, and extending upwards of a mile and a quarter, at Elora, the East Indies, by the route of Poona, Ahmed-Nuggur, and Toka, returning by Dowlutabad and Aurungabad; with some general observations on the people and country. London, G. and W.B. Whittaker, 1824. Contemporary polished calf, gilt fillets on sides, spine gilt in compartments with red morocco title-label (binding by Heniton). With folding aquatint frontispiece (Temple of Indra), large folding aquatint plate (mosque of Rabea Doorany), folding plan, 2 wood-engraved illustrations and 6 plates. XVI, 559 pp. € 1.125,00

First edition. - Describes Bombay Presidency with accounts of Poona and Ahmednagar, preservation of temples and pyramids in the cave temples of Ellora with notes on Kailas, Visvakarma, Jagannath, Adinath and other temples. Including notes on the Portuguese and the East India Company. - A very fine copy of a rare and important book.

152 **SEWARD, William H.** Travels around the world. Edited by Oliver Risley Seward. N.Y., D. Appleton and Comp., 1873. Original blue cloth gilt, spine richly gilt. With portrait, folding map and 200 woodengravings. XII, 730 pp. € 325,00

Voyage from San Francisco to Japan, China, Cochin China, Indonesia, Straits of Malacca and Ceylon, British India, Egypt and Palestine, Turkey and part of Europe. - Nicely illustrated. - A fine copy.
Sabin 79594.

153 **SIERRA LEONE.** View from Freetown from the sea with sailing ships in the foreground. (No pl.), W.J. Huggins, (ca. 1850). Hand-coloured engraved view, heightened with gum arabic, after S.M. Arthur by E. Duncan. Ca. 58 x 83 cm (including margins). € 1.250,00

Magnificent view of a West African city, Freetown, with sailing vessels and local boats. Dedicated to Lord Gambier.
See Mountfield, African exploration, p.89 for illustration. – See illustration.



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154 **SIMOND, L.** Tafereelen van Italie en Sicilie, naar het Fransch. 's Gravenhage, S. de Visser, 1834.

Original printed boards. With fine lithographed title-page with a view of Venice and frontispiece depicting Rome. 241 pp. € 165,00

Historical and topographical description of Italy and Sicily. - *Not in Tiele.*

155 **SOMMERFELDT, Hakon A.** Atlas to the elementary and practical principles of the construction of ships for ocean and river service. London, John Weale, 1861. Large 4to. Original blue cloth with paper title-label (loose). With 10 engraved folding plates by F.W. Phipps. € 375,00

First edition. - The plates depict profile views, hull line and sail plans for a clipper, a schooner, an East Indiaman, a steam frigate and a river steamboat.

156 **SONNINI (de Manoncourt, Charles Nicolas Sigibert).** Travels in Upper and Lower Egypt: undertaken by order of the old government of France. Translated from the French by Henry Hunter. London, John Stockdale, 1799.

3 volumes. Contemporary mottled calf, spines gilt, with 3 (of 6) labels to spines. With folding engraved map, 2 engraved portraits and 37 engraved plates. XIX,376; VII,368; VIII,324 pp. € 750,00

First English edition. - By order of Louis VI to explore Egypt, Sonnini spent three years travelling through Egypt as far as Aswan. He then went on to Greece and Turkey, and returned to France in 1790. Ruined after the Revolution he was forced to support himself by writing. Sonnini's major interest was natural history, and the plates are showing views, botanical and zoological specimens and antiquities. His work is full of important information and he does not shirk subjects as Egyptian female and male circumcision, homosexuality, serpent eating, cosmetics, etc. - (Browned). *Gay* 2250 (French ed.); *Cox* I, p.395; *Blackmer Collection* 1573 (2nd ed.); *Attabey Collection* 1155 (2nd ed.); *Ibrahim-Hilmy* p.245.

157 **SPILBERGEN, Joris van.** Historisch Journael vande voyagie ghedaen met ses schepen .. omme te varen door de Strate Magallanes naer de Molucques .. onder 't gebiedt van .. Joris van Spilbergen .. Als mede de Australische navigatie, ontdeekt door Jacob le Maire in den jaere 1615. 1616. 1617. (Amst., Jan Jansz., 1645). Oblong 8vo. Modern half vellum. With 22 (of 25) engraved maps and plates. 118 pp. € 425,00

From: *Isaac Commelin, Begin ende voortgangh.* - Joris van Spilbergen was appointed in 1614 to head an expedition to the East Indies for the Dutch East India Company (VOC) by way of the Strait of Magellan to reassert Dutch claims to access into the Pacific from the east. Joris van Spilbergen was the second Dutchman to circumnavigate the world (1614-1618). The second part contains the voyage around the world (1615-1617) by Willem Cornelisz. Schouten and Jacob Le Maire. - (Some waterstaining). *Landwehr, VOC*, 250, 18.

158 **St. JOHN, Spenser.** Life in the forest or the Far East; or travels in Northern Borneo. 2nd edition, revised. London, Smith, Elder and Co., 1863. 2 volumes. Original blue cloth, spines pictorial gilt. With 3 folding maps, 4 hand-coloured plates and 12 tinted lithographed plates. XVI,406; XI,424 pp. € 1.295,00

Second and best edition. - Sir Spenser St. John (1825-1910) was appointed private secretary to Sir James Brooke in 1848, who was at that time commissioner and governor of Labuan, a post to which St. John succeeded temporarily in 1851-1855. Appointed in 1856 British consul-general at Brunei, he explored the country round the capital and penetrated the interior of Borneo farther than any previous traveller. He published his full and accurate journals, supplemented by other visitors' testimonies, in two well-written and beautifully illustrated volumes (*DNB*). Including extensive notes on the Chinese in North Borneo. - Fine. *Cat. KITLV* p.28. - See illustration.



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159 **STANLEY, Arthur Penrhyn.** Sinai and Palestine in connection with their history. 3rd edition. London, John Murray, 1856.

Original embossed brown cloth (spine sl. dam. and discoloured). With folding coloured diagram, 5 sketch-maps and 6 folding coloured lithographed maps.

LVIII,550; 32 pp.

€ 225,00

First edition published the same year. - 'In this very popular work he emphasized the connection between history and geography; that is, he interpreted history through geography. The maps are very good' (*Blackmer*).

Blackmer Collection 1600; Tobler p.188; Rohricht p.455.

160 **STANLEY, Henry Morton.** Reizen, ontdekkingen en lotgevallen in Midden-Afrika. Zes jaren aan den Congo en de stichting van een nieuwen vrijen staat. Uit het Engelsch vertaald .. door G. van Rijn. Amsterdam, Brussel, P. Maes, 1886.

2 volumes. Large 8vo. Contemporary half red morocco, spine richly gilt. With 6 maps, 10 chromo-lithographed plates, and 334 wood-engravings. 519; 517 pp.

€ 275,00

First Dutch edition of 'Through the dark continent' (1878). - Stanley's exploration of the Congo in 1874-77 sparked the interest of King Leopold II of Belgium, who commissioned Stanley to direct the development of the Congo Free State. - A nice set.

161 **STEDMAN, John Gabriel.** Narrative, of a five years' expedition, against the revolted negroes of Surinam, in Guiana, on the Wild Coast of South America; from the year 1772, to 1777: elucidating the history of that country, and describing its productions .. with an account of the Indians .. & negroes of Guinea. 2nd edition, corrected. London, J. Johnson, 1806.

2 volumes. 4to. Later half calf (Edmund LLOYD Harley), spines gilt in compartments, with green morocco title labels to spines. With aquatint frontispiece, engraved vignettes on titles, 3 folding maps and 77 aquatint plates (including a large folding view of Paramaribo) by William Blake, Francesco Bartolozzi, a.o. (foxed as usual). XVIII,423,(4); IV,419,(5) pp. € 3.850,00

First published in 1796, it has gone through more than twenty editions in six languages; with armorial bookplate of Anthony Wilkinson. - Captain John Gabriel Stedman, an officer in the Scots Brigade in Holland, volunteered for service against the negroes in Dutch Guiana. While out there he to all intents married the subject of plate 8, Joanna, a Mulatto, and had a son by her, who became a midshipsman in the British Navy, but died young. 'While he did his duty as a soldier .. he does not disguise his sympathy with the rebels .. His description of the cruelties practised on the negroes, and of the moral deterioration resulting to their masters, forms one of the most vivid indictments of slavery that have ever been penned' (*DNB*). Stedman (1744-1797), a keen observer living for more than four years in the colony of Surinam, derives much of what he reports from first-hand observation, but even his reports of hearsay represent key primary data, in that they disclose rich details about everyday plantation discourse. The text consists of the romance with Joanna and his efforts to gain her freedom, the military campaigns against the rebel slaves, his relations with other soldiers, particularly his commanding officer, Fourceoud, the description and investigation of exotic flora and fauna, the description of Amerindian and African slave life, and most important, the description and analysis of relations between planters and slaves. The engravings show the habitations of both the natives and the Europeans, local flora and fauna, ships, forts, tools, battle plans, and map of the area. - A first-hand account of an eighteenth-century slave society. - Apart from stains on the plates due to the quality of the paper, a fine copy.

Sabin 91075; Abbey, Travel, 719; Cox II, p.285; Suriname-catalogus UB Amsterdam 6452. – See illustration.



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162 **STERNE, Henry.** A statement of facts, submitted to .. Glenelg ... secretary of state for the colonies, preparatory to an appeal about to be made by the author, to the Commons of Great Britain, seeking redress for grievances of a most serious tendency, committed upon him, under the administration of .. the Marquis of Sligo, the late governor and Joshua Rowe, the present lord chief justice of the island of Jamaica. London, J.C. Chappell, 1837.

Modern cloth. With folding table. XII,282,VII pp.

€ 215,00

With an exposure of the present system of Jamaica's apprenticeship.
Sabin 91339.

163 **STRUYS, Jan Janszoon.** Drie aanmerkelijke en seer rampspoedige reysen, door Italien, Griekenlandt, Lijfland, Moscovien, Tartarijen, Meden, Persien, Oost-Indien, Japan, en verscheyden andere gewesten. .. Aangevangen anno 1647 en voor de derde, of laatste reys t'huys gekomen 1673 begrijpende soo in alles den tijdt van 26 jaren. Nevens twee brieven, particulierlijk verhandelende het overgaan van Astracan, en't geen aldaar omtrent is voorgevallen .. door D. Butler. Amsterdam, Jan Blom en Aart Dirksz, 1686.

4to. Contemporary vellum. With engraved frontispiece, folding map and 18 (of 19) double-page engravings by C. Decker and J. Kip. (8),377,(1),34,(12) pp. € 895,00

Second Dutch edition. - Very interesting and lively account of the three voyages made by Jan Janszoon Struys. The first from the autumn of 1647 to the spring of 1651 took him to Japan (a.o. a description of Nagasaki) and Formosa (he asserts that he saw there a race of men with tails). During his second journey from December 1655 to July 1657 he travelled extensively in the Mediterranean. His third voyage, September 1668 to October 1673, took him to Russia, Persia and Arabia via the

Caspian Sea. 'Struys kept no diary, so that by the time his narrative was finally published in 1676, his fanciful imagination had somewhat distorted the reality behind his journey. At sea he experienced typhoons, shipwrecks, hunger and captivity, and he was several times sold as a slave, a misfortune always guaranteed to delight a seventeenth century audience' (*Howgego* p.999). - A nice copy.

Tiele 1061; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.117-118; *Cordier, Bibl. Japonica (and) Sinica*, p.387 (and) p.2083; *Blackmer collection* 1616; *Adelung II*, 107; *Mendelssohn II*, p.450-51.

164 **STUERS, (Hubert Joseph Jean Lambert de)**. De vestiging en uitbreiding der Nederlanders ter Westkust van Sumatra. Uitgegeven door P.J. Veth. Amsterdam, P.N. van Kampen, 1849-50.

2 volumes in 1. Half brown morocco, spine ribbed. With 2 maps and 14 hand-coloured or tinted lithographed plates by C.W. Mieling after the author. CX,240; (2),264 pp. € 1.195,00

First edition; with armorial bookplate of J. de Stuers. - Interesting account based on information and reports collected by De Stuers (1788-1861) when he was military commandant and resident of Padang between 1824 and 1829. Including reports on the military campaigns against the Padri movement, fanatic Muslims.

Tiele 1066; *Cat. NHSM I*, p.512; *Bastin-Brommer N 406*; *Landwehr, Col.Pl.*, 449.

165 **TACHARD, Guy**. Voyage de Siam des Peres Jesuites, envoyés par le roy, aux Indes & à la Chine. Avec leurs observations astronomiques, & leurs remarques de physique, de géographie, d'hydrographie, & d'histoire. Amsterdam, Pierre Mortier, 1687.

Sm. 8vo. Contemporary vellum. With engraved frontispiece, double-page plan, 4 double-page maps, 25 engraved plates (16 double-page), and engraved vignettes, by C. Vermeulen after P. Sevin. (10),264, 133-227,(12) pp. € 1.950,00

Second and best edition. - In 1685 Guy Tachard (1648-1712) accompanied, as official geographer, the first embassy, under Chevalier de Chaumont, to be sent from Louis XIV of France to Siam (Thailand). 'Chaumont himself, somewhat naively, was disappointed that Narai and Phaulkon seemed to show little interest in Christianity. He and others had been led by Vacher to believe that the Siamese king was on the point of accepting baptism. The king was only beguiled by Western science and his minister only intrigued by the possibility of a political and military alliance with France that would help to bolster his waning personal authority at the court' (*Lach, Asia in the making of Europe, III*, p.254). At the Cape they were well received by Adriaan van Rheede and Simon van der Stel. His account of their scientific investigations and observations at the Cape in 1685 is one of the best. Java, Sumatra, and Bantam were also visited and described. Plates depicting costumes, animals, plants, Siamese bargues, etc. - A very fine copy. - See illustration.

Mendelssohn II, p.461-462; *SAB IV*, p.456; *Walravens, China illustrata*, 66.

166 **TAYLOR, Isaac.** Merkwaardigheden uit alle bekende landen van Afrika, voor hen die, tot eene leerzame uitspanning, in het hoekje van den haard door vreemde landen willen reizen. Naar de 5de Engelsche uitgave voor Nederlanders bewerkt door J. Olivier. 2e druk. Amst., G.J.A. Beijerinck, (ca. 1840).

Sm.8vo. Original printed boards (spine dam.). With wood-engraving on title-page, engraved folding map and 84 illustrations on 28 engraved plates. VIII,163 pp.

€ 175,00

A curious little volume on Africa, written for the use of children, with fine illustrations.

167 **TAYLOR, Isaac.** Merkwaardigheden uit alle bekende landen van Amerika, voor hen die, tot eene leerzame uitspanning, in het hoekje van den haard door vreemde landen willen reizen. Naar de 5de Engelsche uitgave voor Nederlanders bewerkt door J. Olivier. 2e druk. Amst., G.J.A. Beijerinck, (ca. 1840).

Sm.8vo. Original printed boards. With wood-engraving on title-page, engraved folding map and 84 illustrations on 28 engraved plates. VIII,140 pp.

€ 175,00

A curious little volume on America, written for the use of children, with fine illustrations.

168 **TAYLOR, Isaac.** Merkwaardigheden uit alle bekende landen van Azie, voor hen die, tot eene leerzame uitspanning, in het hoekje van den haard door vreemde landen willen reizen. Naar de 5de Engelsche uitgave voor Nederlanders bewerkt door J. Olivier. 2e druk. Amst., G.J.A. Beijerinck, (ca. 1840).

Sm.8vo. Original printed boards. With wood-engraving on title-page, engraved folding map and 84 illustrations on 28 engraved plates. VIII,154,(6) pp.

€ 175,00

A curious little volume on Asia, written for the use of children, with fine illustrations.

169 **TAYLOR, Isaac.** Merkwaardigheden uit alle bekende landen van Europa, voor hen die, tot eene leerzame uitspanning, in het hoekje van den haard door vreemde landen willen reizen. Naar de 8ste Engelsche uitgave voor Nederlanders bewerkt door J. Olivier. 2e druk. Amst., G.J.A. Beijerinck, (ca. 1840).

Sm.8vo. Original printed boards. With wood-engraving on title-page, engraved folding map and 84 illustrations on 28 engraved plates. XII,124 pp.

€ 175,00

A curious little volume on Europe, written for the use of children, with fine illustrations.

170 **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. London, Henry Colburn, 1827. 4to. Contemporary blind-tooled half calf gilt, gilt lettering to spine. With folding map of South Africa (small tear on fold) and plans of Cape Town (double-page) and Graaff-Reinet (folding, small tear on fold), 17 wood-engraved vignettes and 20 aquatint plates (light marginal spotting; 1 double-page depicting 'Table Mountain from the parade'). XVIII,(2),493 pp. € 2.450,00

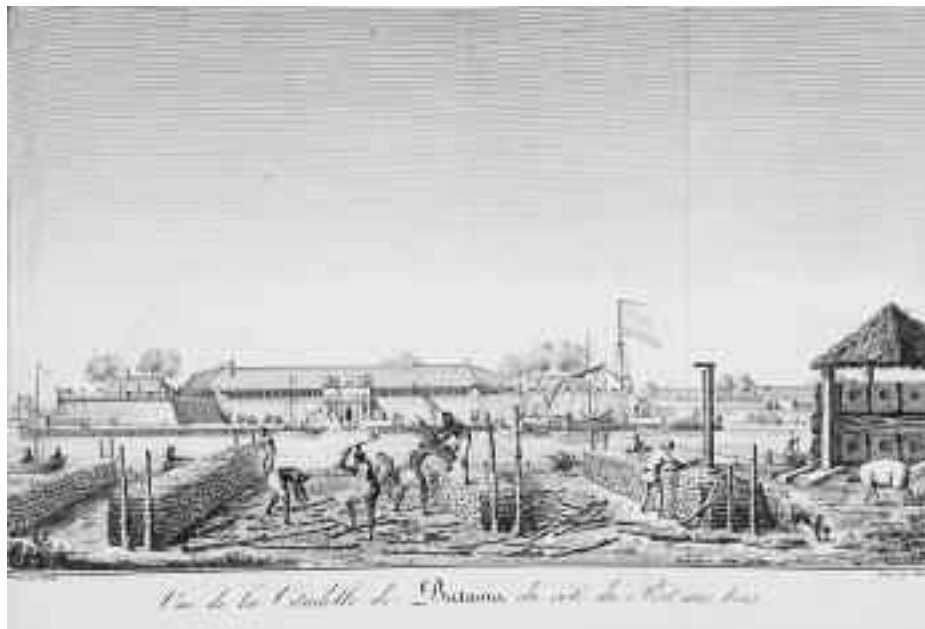
First edition; with armorial bookplate. - George Thompson (1796-1889) a merchant and traveller, resided at Cape Town as the representative and shareholder of a large London company. 'In 1821, Mr. Thompson made a six weeks 'excursion to Albany 'to examine into the prospects of the British emigrants' .. 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 Wehde mann, 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*). - A fine copy. *Mendelssohn II, p.494-495; SAB IV p.490; Abbey, Travel, 330 (2nd ed. only); Gay 3058. - See illustration.*

171 **TODD, John.** California and its wonders. New edition. London, T. Nelson and Sons, 1880. Sm.8vo. Original decorated gilt cloth. With frontispiece and 16 wood-engraved plates (several double-page). 208 pp. - *A nice copy.* € 95,00

172 **TOMBE, CH(arles) F(rançois).** Voyage aux Indes Orientales, pendant les années 1802, 1803, 1804, 1805 et 1806, contenant la description du Cap de Bonne-Espérance, des îles de France, Bonaparte, Java, Banca et de la ville de Batavia .. la campagne du Contre-Amiral de Linois dans les mers de l'Inde et à la côte de Sumatra; des remarques sur l'attaque et la défense de Colombo dans l'île de Ceylon, lors de sa reddition aux Anglais; enfin un vocabulaire des langues française et malaise. .. Revu et augmenté de plusieurs notes et éclaircissemens, par M. Sonnini. Paris, Arthus Bertrand, 1810. - See illustration.

2 volumes + atlas. 8vo and 4to. Contemporary marbled calf, spines richly gilt with red morocco labels. With folding engraved plate of Dutch settlement in Kupang, Timor, 2 folding engraved plans of Batavia and Colombo, 3 folding engraved views of Batavia, 5 folding engraved maps (Mauritius, Sumatra, Java (2), Réunion), and 7 engraved plates (5 depicting costumes of Java and Bali), all drawn by the author, engraved by Ambroise Tardieu and Adam. XV,413; 348 pp. € 4.250,00

Original edition. - The author arrived at the Cape on the 25th of December 1802. An English fleet of ten ships and a Dutch fleet of seven ships were in Table Bay awaiting the 1st of January, when the colony was to be handed back to the Dutch. The ample account of the Cape is followed by a large description of Mauritius, Batavia (Jakarta), Timor and Java. At the end a French-Malay dictionary, a description of Réunion, the battle of Colombo of 1796, and notes on the Dutch East India Company (VOC) are added. The three plates of Batavia, representing views of the castle and of the Dutch church, are after Rach. - (With small library stamp of a Jesuit college of Marseille on title-pages; age-browned). 'Voyage fort recherché tant pour le texte que pour le bel Atlas' (*Ryckebusch* 7791). - A very fine copy of this scarce voyage. *Cat. NHSM I, p.178; Cat. KITLV p.56; Bastin-Brommer N 21; Mendelssohn II, p.503-504; SAB IV, p.513.*



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173 TROMP, Maarten Harpertsz. ABBILDUNG/ WIE DIE SPANNISCHE FLOTTA/ VOM HOLLÄNDIS(CHEN) MANNHAFTEN UND KLUGMÜTHIGEN ADMIRAL TROMP IST OMBSETZT GEWESEN. (No pl., 1639).

Broadside, with on top a large engraving depicting the sea-battle between the Dutch and Spanish fleet, and below printed text in 3 columns. Ca. 35 x 31cm. € 950,00

Very rare 'newsletter' on the seabattle of Duyns (sea-battle of Downs) off the coast of England in 1639. The Spanish fleet, the second armadillo, was defeated by the Dutch under admiral Tromp. - (Corner repaired, last 4 characters of the word 'Holländischen' missing).

Cf. Muller, Historieplaten, 1802 and Knuttel 4625. – See illustration.

174 A COMPLETE VIEW OF THE CHINESE EMPIRE, exhibited in a geographical description of that country, a dissertation on its antiquity, and a genuie and copious account of Earl Macartney's embassy from the king of Great Britain to the emperor of China. London, G. Cawthorn, 1798.

Contemporary calf (some insect damage), with red morocco title-label. With engraved frontispice depicting Kien Long (sl. stained). 8,LXXII,456,(2) pp. € 1.100,00

First edition. - The main body of the work is an account of Earl Macartney's Embassy to China (1792-95). The embassy created great interest and excitement in Britain, resulting in a number of different accounts being published, but despite collecting much information, permission to have a British minister resident in China was declined. - A sound copy. - *Cordier, Bibl. Sinica, p.2392*

175 **VINCENZO MARIA di S. Caterina da Siena.** Il viaggio all' Indie Orientali. Con le osservazioni, e successi nel medesimo, i costumi, kiti di varie natione, & reconditissimi arcani de gentili; cavati consomma diligenza da loro scritti, con la descrizione degl' animali quadrupedi, serpenti, ucelli, e piante di quel mondo nuovo, con le loro virtu singolari. Venetia, Giacomo Zatonni, 1678.

4to. Modern limp vellum, with ties. With woodcut printer's device on title-page and several woodcut head- and tail-pieces, and initials. XXIV,516,20 pp. € 1.750,00

Second edition, first printed at Rome in 1672. - 'Vincenzo Maria was a Carmelite missionary whose name was Antonio Murchio. He went to India as a missionary in 1656. Amat di San Filippo regards his relation as perhaps the most important of the 17th century Italian travellers' (*Atabey p.689*). He journeyed through Turkey, Lebanon, Syria, Persia before he finally arrived in India. He had a keen eye and has much of interest to record about manners, customs, costumes, natural history, etc. He returned to his homeland via Muscat which he describes over a chapter. 'The present account is much more detailed than the usual contemporary reports and thus of particular interest to the study of the history of coffee' (*Hünersdorff, Coffee, p 1045*). - (Some staining and soiling).

Atabey Collection 1297 (3rd edition); not in Blackmer or Weber; Streit V, 538; Cat. NHSM I, p.240.

176 **VREDE.** A Dutch threemaster in a stiff breeze. (No pl., second half 19th century).

Original anonymous watercolour depicting the Dutch sailing-vessel *Vrede* off a coast, with Dutch flag and shipowner flag AHJZ (A. Hoogendijk Jzn Vlaardingen ?). 44 x 62 cm. - Fine. € 595,00

177 **WATERTON, Charles.** Wanderings in South America, the North-West of the United States, and the Antilles, in the years 1812, 1816, 1820, & 1824. With original instructions for the perfect preservation of birds, etc. for cabinets of natural history. New edition. Edited, with biographical introduction and explanatory index, by J.G. Wood. London, Macmillan and Co., 1885.

Contemporary half green morocco, spine gilt. With many wood-engravings. XVI,520 pp. € 195,00

Vivid description of the Guianas, Pernambuco, St. Domingo, Martinique, Barbados, etc. With special attention to their flora and fauna and the aboriginal population. Waterton (1782-1865) was an eccentric enterprising traveller (barefoot across jungles, ride on a cayman, etc.) and a zealous naturalist. It is an outstanding work on the natural history of Colombia and Venezuela. - Nice copy.
Sabin 102094; Hill 1833.

178 **THE WEST INDIES** exhibiting the English French Spanish Dutch & Danish settlements. With the adjacent parts of North & South America from the best authorities. (No pl., c. 1780).

Original engraved map of the West Indies, coloured by hand, with fine cartouche. C. 18,5 x 27,5 cm. € 275,00

Fine map of the Caribbean showing the chain of islands with parts of Florida and North and South America.

179 **WESTEROUEN VAN MEETEREN, F.W.** Possia. Eene winterreis in Rusland. Amsterdam, H. Gerlings, 1890.

Original decorated wrappers. 155 pp. € 55,00

A wintertour in Russia. - Scarce.

180 **WILLEY, Austin.** The history of the antislavery cause in state and nation. Portland, Brown Thurston, 1886.

Original pictorial cloth gilt. With 19 (mostly) photographic portraits. XII,503 pp. € 150,00

'For broader and richer intelligence the work goes back centuries to the origin of the African slave-trade, sketches its horrible progress, its legal abolition by the British government, and the abolition of slavery under it and in other countries. Slavery is then followed to this continent, and traced down to the Revolution, and to the Abolition Era. Then opens the great conflict; its principles, objects, measures, and true spirit, all carefully outlined till slavery fell'. (Preface).
Work p.305.

181 **WILLINK, Daniel.** Amstellandsche Arkadia, of beschryving van de gelegenheit, toestant en gebeurtenissen van Amstelland, 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. € 495,00

First edition. - A fine copy. - *Nijhoff-Van Hattum 335.*

182 **WILSON, William.** A missionary voyage to the Southern Pacific Ocean, performed in the years 1796, 1797, 1798, in the ship *Duff*, commanded by Captain James Wilson. Compiled from journals of the officers and the missionaries. With a preliminary discourse on the geography and history of the South Sea Islands; and an appendix, including details never before published of the natural and civil state of Otaheite. London, printed by S. Gosnell for T. Chapman, 1799.
4to. Later half brown calf, with red morocco title label to spine. With folding map, 6 folding charts and 6 engraved plates. (12),C,420,(12) pp. € 1.395,00

First edition. - Full official account of the first missionary voyage to the South Pacific undertaken at the expense of the London Missionary Society. 'The voyage of the *Duff* was undertaken for the purpose of establishing a mission in Tahiti, and a settlement of twenty-five persons was formed. Though the king of the island befriended them, they met with continual difficulties because of the civil wars, and were finally forced to flee to Australia, though they returned in 1815. Apart from the missionary interest of this account, the voyagers made many important discoveries of islands, including Timoe, Mangareva and Pukarua in the Tuamoto Archipelago; Ongea and Fulanga Islands, Vanua Mbalavu, and Satawal, Lamotrek, Elato, Ifalik, and Woleai atolls in the Western Carolines, before putting in at Macao. A new group of islands, named the Duff Group, was discovered among the Santa Cruz islands. On the outward voyage, the expedition visited Rio de Janeiro. The narrative is fresh, although sometimes naive, and provides a glimpse of everyday life on the islands that the mariner or naturalist didn't consider worth reporting' (*Hill pp.670-671*). - Except offsetting of the plates a fine large paper copy. *Hill 1894; Du Rietz, Kroepelien, 528; O'Reilly/Reitman 674; Borba de Moraes II, p.943; Ferguson 301.*

183 **(WRIGHT D'ARUSMONT, Frances).** Views of society and manners in America; in a series of letters from that country to a friend in England, during the years 1818, 1819, and 1820. By an English woman. 2nd American edition. N.Y., E. Bliss and E. White, 1821.
Contemporary half calf. XII,387 pp. € 170,00

Frances Wright (1795-1852) visited both the United States and Canada. Later she set up a colony, called Nashoba, for the rehabilitation of Negro slaves in Tennessee. (Cf. Robinson, *Wayward women*, p. 197/198 on Frances Trollope). This New York edition has additions and corrections by the author. - (Foxed).
Sabin 105597; TPL, 2 Suppl., 7059.

184 **YOSHITORA, Utagawa.** Bankoku zukushi. Oranda-jin. Series Foreigners from different countries. (No pl.), Yamadaya Shojiro, 1860.
Japanese woodblock print in colours, depicting a Dutch couple. Oban ca. 37 x 25 cm. € 1.450,00

A fine print showing a Dutch man, seated with a Japanese book in his hand, and next to him standing a Dutch woman. 'Yoshitora (fl. c.1850-80), ukiyo-e printmaker, was born and worked in Edo. Pupil of Utagawa Kuniyoshi. Made prints of Tokyo scenes, of foreigners in Yokohama, and of foreign scenes, all in the late ukiyo-e manner. It is obvious, however, that he never saw any of the foreign scenes he depicted and, instead, copied them from Western engravings. The prints have considerable naive charm' (*Roberts, A dictionary of Japanese artists, p,204*). - Good impression and colour. – See illustration on cover.

185 **ZORGDRAGER, Cornelis Gijsbertsz.** Bloeiende opkomst der aloude en hedendaagsche Groenlandsche visschery .. Met byvoeging van de walvischvangst .. door Abraham Moubach. Nevens een korte beschryving van de Terreneufsche bakkeljaau-visschery. 2e druk. Amsterdam, Isaak Tirion, 1728.

4to. Contemporary vellum. With title-page printed in red and black, engraved frontispiece (P. van Thol en R.C. Alberts, 1727), 6 folding maps and 11 engraved plates (1 folding after A. Salm by Van der Hem). (36),392,(13),(2) pp. € 5.250,00

Second and best edition. - This classic work on the Greenland whale fishery is one of the most thorough and authoritative descriptions of the early 18th century. It is the most important and extensive old Dutch work on whaling, including ample descriptions of the early discoveries and exploration in the northern regions. Giving along with extensive natural history, geography, history, and economics, detailed lists of ships' outfits, lists of shipowners and captains, an extensive vocabulary, and copious other details. At the end an account of New-Foundland cod-fishing. - A fine copy. – See illustration.

Tiele 1241; Cat. NHSM II, p.899; Allen 177; Jenkins p.162; Sabin 106376.



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LATEST ACQUISITIONS

186 **BOSMAN, Willem.** Naauwkeurige beschryving van de Guinese Goud- Tand- en Slavekust, nevens alle desselfs landen, koningryken, en gemene besten; van de zeeden der inwoonders, hun godsdienst, regeering, regtspleeging, oorlogen, trouwen, begraven, enz. Mitsgaders de gesteldheid des lands; veld- en boomgewassen, alderhande dieren, zo wilde als tamme, viervoetige en kruipende, als ook't pluim-gedierte, vissen en andere zeldzaamheden meer, tot nog toe de Europeërs onbekend. Deeze laatste druk vermeerdert ...

Amsterdam, J. Verheide, A. van Huissteen, S. van Esveldt, 1737.

2 volumes in 1. 4to. Contemporary vellum. With engraved portrait, engraved title (bound after p.48), 2 folding engraved maps and 26 engraved plates (13 folding).

(24),207; 279,(29) pp.

€ 3.650,00

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 a.o. the Dutch fortresses. - A very fine copy.

Tiele 174; Cat. NHSM I, p. 204; Paulitschke 894: 'Sehr wichtiges Reisewerk'; Gay 2808.

187 **LEEWARDEN, Nicolaas Simon van.** De godvreezende zeeman, of nieuwe christelijke zeevaart, schriftmatig behandeld in XXV bijbelteksten, met gebeden, dankzeggingen, en gezangen. Ter algemeene stichting voor zeevarende lieden en minvermogene huisgezinnen der christenen. 2e druk (= 12e druk).

Amsterdam, J. ten Brink, Gerritsz, 1828

Sm.8vo. Contemporary vellum (sl. soiled). With fine engraved title. XVI,569,(3) pp.

€ 950,00

18 editions were published between 1709-1902 (see de Groot, De 'Groote Christelycke Zee-vaert' en 'De God-vreezende Zeeman', hun meer dan driehonderjarige rol als toeverlaat voor de zeevarenden). Only very few copies exist of each of the editions, all of them are rare, which means that this book was very popular and much used. Van Leeuwarden (1648-1730) was not a clergyman but probably an artisan. Included are prayers for the whalers and hering fishers. - Fine.

Cat. NHSM II, p.1021-22.

188 **ROGERIUS, Abraham.** De open-deure tot het verborgen heydendom ofte waerachtigh vertoogh van het leven ende zeden, mitsgaders de religie, ende gods-dienst der Bramines, op de cust Chormandel, ende de landen daar omtrent. Met korte aenteykeningen (door A. Wissonatius).

Leyden, François Hackes, 1651.

4to. Contemporary limp vellum (soiled, sl. dam.). With engraved title with 7 illustrations (temple, hook-swinging, widow-burning, procession, ceremony and self-chastisement). (16), 251 pp. € 1.650,00

First Dutch edition. - The reverend Abraham Roger / Rogerius left in 1630 as an employee of the Dutch East India Company (VOC) and worked in Palicatta (Coromandel) for ten years. He then went to Batavia where he served the Portuguese Church for five years. He repatriated in 1647 and settled in Gouda where he died in 1649. His book contains the earliest European account of Hinduism in Southern India and is still one of the most important sources for our knowledge of the type of Hinduism then prevalent south of the Dekhan. 'Roger prepared probably the most thorough description of south-Indian Hinduism to be published before the end of the nineteenth century. Dispassionate and objective in its content, it contains an account of the religious practices of the Brahmans and a translation of some of the seventeenth-century poet, Bhartihari. Roger died in 1649, two years before the publication of his book' (*Howgego p.903*). - (Some marginal wormholes). - Rare.

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