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The mollusc collection of the Fürst-bishop of Konstanz

- 1. (ABEL, J.C.A.M.).** Die Conchylien in dem Naturalkabinet seiner Hochfürstlichen Gnaden des Herrn Fürsten und Bischofs von Konstanz. Bregenz, K.G.Factor, 1787. 8vo. Later boards covered with blue paper. Woodcut head- and endpieces. **\$ 4,700**

Rare original and only edition of this catalogue of the extensive mollusc and snail collection of Maximilian Augustinus Christof von Rodt (1717-1800), Fürstbishop of Konstanz compiled by the keeper of the collection, C.A.M. Abel.- Fine copy.- Not in Nissen, *ZBI*; Holzmann, *Annon.* I, 9911.

Herbal with American plants

- 2. ACOSTA, C.** Aromatum & medicamentorum in Orientali India nascentium ... Caroli Clusius Atrebatis opera ex Hispanico sermone Latinus factus, in Epitomen contractus, et quibusdam illustratus. Antwerp, C. Plantin, 1582. 8vo. Later sprinkled calf. Printer's device on title, 2 full-page botanical woodcuts. **\$ 5,600**

First edition of Clusius's translation of Acosta's 'Tratado de las drogas y medicinas de las indias orientales...', (Burgos, 1578). Clusius added important material on plants never described before like: 'De Pavate', 'De Moringa', 'De Mangas', 'De Ananas Silvestre', 'De Herba Biva'. - Good copy.- (Some slight foxing).- Adams C-2240; *Bibl.Belg.* I, pp. 2-3; Hunt 139.

Spectacles are good, but not always ...

- 3. ADAMS, G.** Verhandeling over het zien. Amsterdam, H. Gartman, W. Vermandel, & J.W. Smit, 1792. 8vo. Orig. boards. Folding engr. plate with camera obscura, spectacles etc. **\$ 2,100**

First and only edition of the Dutch translation after the second English edition of 1792 of this work on the anatomy of the eye, the use of spectacles and the improvement of vision by use of glasses by G. Adams (1750-1795), the famous London optician and servant of the king, George III, as a mathematical instrument maker.- Good uncut copy.- (Wrappers somewhat worn).- Bierens de Haan, nr. 10; Wellcome II, p. 13.

Famous for its maps of the Holy Land and based on sources now lost

- 4. ADRICHEM (or ADRICHOM), C. VAN.** Theatrum Terrae Sanctae et biblicarum historiarum cum tabulis geographis aere expressis. (Cologne, Officina Birckmannica, for H. Mylius, 1628). Folio. Contemp. calf, spine gilt. Engr. title, 6 folding & 6 double-page engr. maps. **\$ 14,500**

Fifth and penultimate edition of this work on the Holy Land, famous for its beautiful engraved maps, by C. van Adrichem (1533-85), Dutch priest and theological writer. This work gives a description of Palestine, of the antiquities of Jerusalem, and a chronology from Adam till the death of John the Apostle, and continuing till 1585.- Fine copy.- *Bibl Belg.* A 131; Röhricht 210-11; Tobler 210; *NNBW III*, cols. 5-7.

The natural resources of New South Wales

- 5. AUSTRALIA - TAYLOR, J.** Mineral map and general statistics of New South Wales, Australia. Sydney, T. Richards, Government Printer, 1876. 8vo. Orig. printed lavender wrappers, back wrapper with wood-engraved view of the Sydney University. Folding colour lithogr. map by G.W. Sharp after J. Taylor, 37,5 x 44,4 cm. **\$ 1,300**

Well preserved copy of the first edition of this interesting mineralogical map, with an inset map of the entire continent with the province New South Wales highlighted, an index to colours and a list of proclaimed gold fields.- Very good copy.- (Edges of wrappers faded).- Ferguson 13171a.

'California absolutely unfit for habitation'

- 6. (BAEGERT, J.).** Nachrichten von der Amerikanischen Halbinsel Californien: mit einem zweyfachen Anhang falscher Nachrichten. Mannheim, Churfürstl. Hof- und Academie-Buchdruckerey, 1772. 8vo. Contemp. half calf. Engr. folding map, 2 full-page engr. plates, woodcut head- and tailpieces. **\$ 18,100**

First edition of a rare Americanum. Jakob Baegert (1717-72), a German Jesuit, wrote an interesting and by no means glowing account of the natives and the country [of Baja California]. "The country was absolutely unfitted for habitation." The book is filled with valuable ethnographical and historical information. Chapter 20 is devoted to the Waicuri language of the California Indians.- Very good copy with the two plates, not present in all copies, of a rare Americanum.- (Few light ms. pencil annot.).- Sabin 4363; Wagner, *Spanish Southwest*, 157.

The most illustrious of all celestial atlases

7. BAYER, J. Uranometria, omnium asterismorum continens schemata, nova methodo delineata, aereis laminis expressa. Ulm, J. Görlin, 1639. Folio. Contemp. vellum, double blind filet along sides. Engr. architectural title, 51 full-page engr. maps of stellar constellations by A. Mair. **\$ 50,800**

Famous first accurate star atlas, being the first of its kind and the first atlas to cover the entire celestial sphere. Representing a tremendous leap forward both esthetically and for its astronomical content, and opening a new age in the history of celestial cartography, it became the standard for all later star atlases.- Fine copy.- Warner pp. 18-9, 1a; Brown pp. 19-25; Zinner p. 172.

The immediate forerunner of Galileo on the making and use of sundials

8. BENEDETTI, G.B. De gnomonum umbrarumque solarium usu liber. Turin, Heirs of N. Bevilacqua, 1574. Folio. Contemp. limp vellum. Large woodcut coat-of-arms on title; ca. 100 woodcuts in text, several full-page, incl. a full-page perspective instrument. **\$ 16,700**

First edition of a richly illustrated manual on the making and the use of sundials by Giovanni Battista Benedetti (1530-90), a very important Renaissance scientist, the immediate forerunner of Galileo.- Fine copy.- *STC Italian* p. 82; Adams B 653; Mortimer, *Harvard Italian*, 53; Poggendorff I, 143.

Measurable probability

9. BERNOULLI, J. Ars conjectandi, opus posthumum. Accedit tractatus de seriebus infinitis, et Epistola Gallicè scripta de ludo pilae reticularis. Basel, Impensis Thurnisiorum, Fratrum, 1713. 4to. Contemp. half calf, spine gilt. With 2 folding tables, folding plate with woodcut geometrical figures. **\$ 23,200**

Very rare first edition of this important work on mathematics by the Swiss mathematician J. Bernoulli (1654-1705). This posthumous treatise was the first significant book on probability theory: it set forth the fundamental principles of the calculus of probabilities and contained the first suggestion that the theory could be applied beyond the boundaries of mathematics, to civic, moral and economic affairs.- Good copy.- (Wormholes in binding).- Dibner 110; Horblit 103; Norman 216; *DSB* II, pp. 49-51.

Offprints on American ornithology, with 22 plates

10. [BIRDS - AMERICA]. A Collection of 24 Offprints of Ornithological Articles covering Birds of North and South America. Washington, D.C.; Ann Arbor, Michigan; Ottawa, Ontario; Paris; etc., 1880-1924. 8vo. Contemp. dark green half sheepskin, marbled sides. With 22 plates (incl. 2 handcoloured lithogr., 2 colour half-tones, 1 colourprinted map and 16 black & white half-tones), 26 illustr. in text. **\$ 1,100**

An extensive & remarkable collection of offprints of articles about (North and South) American birds, from a wide variety of (mostly United States) journals from the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Many include title-pages and most include wrappers with the title on the front. In one case, the author added illustrations that had been omitted from the article as published in the journal. Several of the journals are now very hard to come by.- In very good condition, from the collection of René Ronsil.- (Edges of a few offprints slightly tattered).

First edition in French of William Bligh's official account of his journey to the South Seas, including the report of the famous mutiny of the Bounty

11. BLIGH, W. Voyage a la Mer du Sud, entrepris par ordre de S. M. Britannique pour introduire, aux Indes occidentales, l'arbre a pain, et d'autres plantes utiles. Paris, Garnery, Buisson, Desenne, & Blanchon (printed by Pain), 1792. 8vo. Orig. blue wrappers. Folding engr. plate, 2 folding engr. maps. **\$ 4,000**

First edition of the translation into French by F. Soules of William Bligh's official account of his voyage to the South Sea on the *Bounty* (1788-90) - including his report of the famous 'Mutiny on the *Bounty*' -, translated from the original London 1792 edition: *A Voyage to the South Sea*, (London, George Nichol 1792). Our edition includes a newly-engraved image of the breadfruit, and two charts. This French version is very scarce and harder to find than the French edition of 1790 of the account of the mutiny alone.- Good uncut copy.- (Few minor defects).- Sabin 5911; Ferguson, 128; Kroepelien, 95; O'Reilly-Reitman, 553.

Important for historical information and the reproduction of foundation documents of Port Phillip and Melbourne, Australia

12. BONWICK, J. Port Phillip settlement. London, R. Clay & Sons, and Taylor for Sampson Low, Marston, Searle, & Rivington, 1883. 8vo. Orig. blue cloth, gilt spine, front cover with an Aboriginal hunting a kangaroo. Colourlithogr. frontispiece with view of Melbourne, one folding tinted lithogr. map of Port Phillip Bay and surroundings, 1835, 4 folding facsimiles of letters on blue paper, one folding facsimile of a written News paper, one double-page plate with num. facsimile signatures, 4 full-page lithographed views, 25 lithogr. plates. **\$ 700**

First edition of one of many works on Australia by the prolific author J. Bonwick (1817-1906). The richly illustrated comprehensive volume is "important for historical information and the reproduction of foundation documents." (Ferguson).- Good, unopened copy.- (Few minor defects).- Ferguson 7252; Pescot 85.

Early handbook for the trade of wine cask gauging

13. BOODT, J. van der. Beknopte Wynroey-konst..... Benevens noch een Byvoegsel, verciert met 70 konstige Arithmetische Questien, ... Amsterdam, J. Loots, 1717. [cancel slip:] Amsterdam, G. Hulst van Keulen, [c. 1795]. 2 parts in 1 vol. 4to. Contemp.half calf. With 18 engr. figures on 4 folding plates, 4 woodcut diagrams and num. letterpress tables in text, woodcut ornament on title of 2nd part, woodcut tailpiece & initials. **Bound with: IDEM.** Aanhang op de Beknopte Wynroey-konst, ... J. Loots, 1719. **\$ 5,700**

An uncommon and very detailed illustrated account of the gauging of wine casks and the making of measuring rods, callipers, etc., for that purpose, written by a mathematics teacher.- A very good copy, in an unrecorded issue, of an unusually early example of a printed handbook for a practical trade.- (Minor browning and spotting).- Bierens de Haan 470-471 (the first issue only); not in Oberlé, *Bibl. Bachique*; Vicaire etc.

Elementary geometry by an early Oxford professor

14. BRADWARDINE, T. Geometria speculativa. Paris, Gaillard for J. Petit, 1511. Sm. folio. Modern calf, spine ribbed, sides blind stamped in early 16th-century style, uncut. Woodcut publisher's device on title, num. geometrical & perspective woodcuts. **\$ 13,800**

Beautifully produced and illustrated early 14th century treatise on geometry for use of art students and philosophers by T. Bradwardine (ca. 1290-1349), famous English mathematician and natural philosopher.- Fine copy.- Adams B 2651; Poggendorff I, p. 271 (other ed.); not in *STC French*, nor *Coll. Honeyman*.

Piracy & shipwrecks: travelling to the Indies via the Cape of Good Hope in the 18th century

15. BUCQUOY, J. de. Sechzehnjährige Reise nach Indien; Aus dem Holländischen nach der 2. Ausg. übersetzt: Nebst einem Auszuge aus Jakob Frankens unglücklichen Reise in den Jahren 1756-1760. Leipzig, C.G. Hilscher, 1771. 8vo. Modern mottled boards. With 1 folding map showing the coast of Malabar and Coromandel, 1 folding engr. of a map and coastal view. **\$ 4,300**

Very rare German translation after the second Dutch edition of a sixteen year travel in the Indies by J. de Bucquoy (1693-?), surveyor and cartographer for the Dutch East India Company, together with the unfortunate voyage of Jacob Franken in the years 1756-60. The work is full of remarkable adventures, especially the occurrences during his voyage to Rio de la Goa, where he was attacked by pirates. Of special interest is the account of the formation of the Dutch trading station at Delagoa Bay, now Maputo Bay, on the coast of Mozambique.- Good copy.- (Sm. tear in folding map).- *Cat. N.S.M.* I, 242 (Dutch eds. only) & 190 (idem); Landwehr, *VOC* 294 & 295.

- 16. (CARVALLO, M., ed.). REALES ORDENANZAS** para la direccion, rejimen y gobierno del importante cuerpo de la mineria de Nueva-España, y de su real tribunal jeneral. De orden de su Majestad. Impresa en Madrid año de 1783. Santiago de Chile, Imprenta de la Opinion, R. Rengifo, 1833. Folio. Orig. blue wrappers. **\$ 1,800**

First Chilean edition of this rare and valuable compendium of mining laws and mineral customs in New Spain, (Mexico and Peru). The present edition was intended for the miners to put an end to disputes arising out of ignorance of the proper laws and contains a.o. rules for the training of workers and officials, newly discovered mines, and introduction of new mining technologies.- Fine, uncut copy.- (Spine sl. rubbed, some minor foxing).- Sabin 56260; Palau 251938.

Plea for Indian rights in the 16th century

- 17. CASAS, B. DE LAS.** Il supplice schiavo Indiano di Monsig. reverendis D. Bartolomeo Dalle Case, o Casaus, Sivigliano, del ordine de' Predicatori, & Vesouo di Chapa, citta Regale dell' Indie. Conforme al suo vero originale spagnuolo gia stampato in Siviglia. Venice, Ginammi, 1657. 4to. Later half red morocco. Woodcut printer's device on title, woodcut initials. **\$ 2,500**

Third edition of the Italian translation by Marco Ginammi, with new dedicatory material, of the famous defense of the rights of Indians and condemnation of the Spanish cruelties in the West Indies and South America written by Bartolomé De Las Casas. The tract contains arguments citing judicial authority as well as scriptural reasoning as to why natives should be restored to freedom.- Fine, uncut copy.- Howgego L68; JCB II 467-68; Medina (BHA) 1085n; Sabin 11247; Alden & Landis, *European Americana*, 657/17.

Exceedingly important account on the first circumnavigation of Otto von Kotzebue

- 18. CHAMISSO, A. von.** Reise um die Welt mit der Romanzoffischen Entdeckungs - Expedition in de Jahren 1815-18 auf der Brigg Rurick Kapitain Otto v. Kotzebue. Leipzig, Weidmann'sche Buchhandlung, 1836. 2 parts in one vol. 8vo. Later half calf with grey boards. Engr. frontispiece, coloured full-page engr. of Kadu to part II, 2 engr. maps of the Caroline Islands, folding table with census on the Mariana Islands. **\$ 3,600**

First edition of the travelaccount on the circumnavigation during the years 1815-1818 incl. the Pacific and the Bering Sea, by O. von Kotzebue, written by A. von Chamisso (1781-1838), naturalist, botanist and poet on board of the brig "Rurick". The present work is the first appearance in print of the diary of the voyage of the Rurick to the Pacific Ocean. Part II is the first edition of the complete printed text of the scientific research on the voyage. with the Tagala alphabet, a vocabulary of the Chamori, Ulea and Radack, and a census of the Mariana Islands. Both vols. contain descriptions of California, incl. a visit to San Francisco in 1816.- Good copy.- (Some staining throughout).- Hill 275.

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- 19. CHORIS, L.** Vues et paysages des régions équinoxiales, recueillis dans un voyage autour du monde. Paris, P. Renouard, 1826. 6 parts. Folio. Each part in orig. mauve printed printed wrappers, in green morocco box. 24 lithogr. plates. **\$ 58,000**

A superb fine set in the most original condition possible of this glorious voyage book, uncoloured, with 24 magnificent series of views, incl. Brazil, Chile, Hawaii and other Pacific Islands, Kamchatka, the Marianas, Manila, the Cape of Good Hope and St. Helena. Perfectly preserved example in completely orig. condition in the orig. parts.- Fine copy.- Borba de Moraes pp. 180-1; Forbes, *Hawaiian Nat. Bibl.* 632; Lada-Mocarski 90.

Rare original edition of the French translation of this travel account of Guillaume Dampier

- 20. DAMPIER, G.** Nouveau voyage autour du monde. Amsterdam, P. Marret, 1698. 2 vols. 12mo. Contemp. sprinkled calf, spines ribbed & gilt. 2 engr. frontispieces, titles printed in red & black, 6 engr. maps of which 4 folding, 7 engr. plates of which 3 folding. **\$ 21,000**

Rare original edition of the French translation of this travel account of G. Dampier (1651-1715), of a journey that took place in the years 1683-1691, sailing from Sierra Leone, to a.o. the Falkland Islands, Cape Horn, Peru, Guatemala, Mexico, the Philippines, Australia, etc.- Good set with bookplates of 'A. G-du Plessis' and of the 'Bibliothèque du château de Mouchy-Noailles'.- Sabin 18381; JCB IV, 361; Chadenat 2597; Howgego, *Encycl. of exploration* I, pp. 295-6.

'Out of Africa': one of the most important sources for our knowledge of Africa in the 17th century.

21. DAPPER, O. Naukeurige beschrijvinge der Afrikaensche gewesten van Egypten, Barbaryen, Lybien, Biledulgerid, Negroslant, Guinea, Ethiopiën, Abyssinie....- **IDEM.** Naukeurige beschrijvinge der Afrikaensche eylanden: als Madagaskar, of Sant Laurens, Sant Thomee, d'eilanden van Kanarien, Kaep de Verd, Malta, en andere..... Amsterdam, J. van Meurs, 1676. 2 parts in one. Folio. Contemp. blind tooled vellum, ribbed spine, remains of green ties. Engr. frontispiece, 2 separate titles, the first printed in red & black, large folding engr. map of Africa, 14 double-page engr. maps of parts of Africa and the adjacent islands, one folding & 27 double-page engr. plates, and 55 half-page engr. plates in text. **\$ 12,300**

Second revised edition of the original Dutch text of Dapper's famous description of Africa, containing the names, positions, and limits of all its parts, their rivers, towns and settlements, plants and animals, the customs, costumes, language, riches, religion and government of its peoples. With a separate title-page is added the description of the islands Madagascar, Cape Verde, Malta, etc.- Very good copy of this important work on Africa.- (Fronthinge restored).- Tiele 298; Gay, *L'Afrique*, 219; Mendelssohn I, pp. 413-4.

Fine 1st edition Origin of Species in original cloth

22. DARWIN, Ch. On the Origin of Species by means of Natural Selection, or the Preservation of Favoured Races in the Struggle for Life. London, J. Murray, 1859. 8vo in 12s. Orig. publisher's green cloth, gold and blind blocked, (Edmonds & Remnants), kept in modern cloth box. Folding lithogr. plate showing Darwin's branching-tree diagram. **\$ 159,500**

First edition (only issue) of Darwin's historic and pioneering work on the theory of evolution, "certainly the most important biological book ever written" (Freeman), and "the most important single work in science" (Dibner). Darwin was the first to bring the concept of natural selection to the scientific community, and to prove it in writing.- A fine copy, in its remarkably well-preserved original cloth.- (Few minor defects).- Dibner, *Heralds of Science* 199; Freeman 373; *PMM* 344b.

First edition, first issue, of Darwin's voyage of The Beagle

23. DARWIN, Ch., P. Parker KING, R. FITZROY a.o. Narrative of the Surveying Voyages of His Majesty's Ships Adventure and Beagle, between the years 1826 and 1836, describing their examination of the southern shores of South America and the Beagle's Circumnavigation of the Globe. London, Henry Colburn, 1839. 3 vols. plus the appendix to vol. 2. 8vo. 19th-century red morocco, marbled sides. With 9 folding engr. charts and maps, 47 full-page engr. plates with views, 2 charts and 1 diagram, 6 wood-engr. in text. **\$ 58,000**

First edition, first issue, of Darwin's first book (indeed, his first extensive publication), the journal of his observations from his voyage on the 'Beagle' and his interpretations. It was these observations that led to his theory of evolution.- Very good set with generous margins.- (Few minor defects).- Freeman 10.

Source for quinine

24. DELONDRE, A. & A. BOUCHARDAT. Quinologie des Quinquinas et des questions qui, dans l'état présent de la science et du commerce.... Paris, London, Madrid, New York, Baillière, 1854. Large 4to. Contemp. half cloth. With 23 handcoloured lithogr. plates, double-page handcoloured lithogr. map, double-page folding lithogr. map. **\$ 5,100**

Very rare first and only edition of this important work on the Peruvian bark, quinquinas or cinchona, the source for quinine. The work consists of 4 parts of which part II describes A. Delondre's voyage to South America from 1846-48.- Very good copy.- (Text somewhat foxed).- *Arnold Arboretum*, p. 195; Nissen, *BBi* 466.

Early Catholic mission in Texas

25. DOMENECH, E.H.D. Journal d'un missionnaire au Texas et au Mexique, 1846-1852. Paris, Gaume Frères, 1857. 8vo. Orig. printed wrappers, uncut. With a large folding map of Texas by J. Cordova, printed in two colours. **\$ 1,100**

First edition of this interesting account on the early Catholic mission in Texas and Mexico by E. Domenech (1825-1903), filled with vivid sketches of the frontier and anecdotes on its people.- Good copy.- (Some sl. foxing throughout).- Sabin 20549; Chadenat 1314; Numa Broc, *Amérique*, pp. 123-4.

- 26. DRALSÉ DE GRAND-PIERRE.** Relation de divers voyages faits dans l'Afrique, dans l'Amérique, & aux Indes Occidentales. La description du Royaume de Juda, & quelques particularitez touchant la vie du roy reigning. La relation d'une isle nouvellement habitée dans le détroit de Malaca en Asie, & l'histoire de deux princes de Golconde. Paris, C. Jombert, 1718. 12mo. Yellow polished calf, spine gilt with ornamental flowers. Some head-and tailpieces. **\$ 13,800**

First edition of this long imaginary voyage to South America, Africa and Asia, by Dralsé de Grand-Pierre, visiting Brazil, Argentina, Mexico, Africa, Guinée, Bénin, Martinique, Indonesia and the Ile de la Pierre Blanche.- Very good copy in a charming binding with Huth bookplate.- Sabin 20885, 28273; *The Huth Library*, p. 446; Gove, *The imaginary Voyage in prose fiction*, p.222; not in Borba de Moraes.

Sailing the globe: visiting the Sandwich Islands and California

- 27. DUHAUT-CILLY, A.** Viaggio intorno al globo principalmente alla califonia ed alle isole Sandwich negli anni 1826, 1827, 1828 e 1829. Turin, Stabilimento Tipografico Fontana, 1841. 2 vols. 8vo. Contemp. half leather with gilt decorated spine. Marbled boards. Four wood-engr. plates a.o with views of Waho and Monterey. **\$ 2,800**

Second enlarged edition, first Italian edition of an account on the circumnavigation in the years 1826-29 by A. Duhaut-Cilly, French navigator and trader. He traded along the Californian coast and spent several months in the Hawaiian Islands, where King Kamehameha III dined with him aboard ship. This edition is particularly desirable as it is enlarged with P.E. Botta's 'Italiano/Sandwiccese' vocabulary, which includes several pages of common words of the Hawaiian language, as well as Botta's essay, "Observations on the inhabitants of the Sandwich Islands and California".- Good set.- (Some spotting on edges).- Hill, 600; Judd, 57; Forbes, *Hawaiian Nat. Bibl.* vol.2, 1260.

By the famous French circumnavigator and polar traveller

- 28. DUMONT D'URVILLE, J.** Autograph letter to Mr. Chauvin. (No pl., no date, ca. 1830). 280 x 130 mm. In brown ink. **\$ 2,600**

Autograph letter by the famous French explorer and naval officer Jules Sébastien César Dumont d'Urville (1790-1842) who explored the south and western Pacific, Australia, New Zealand, and Antarctica. Dumont sent Mr. Chauvin the first parts of his famous 'Voyage de la corvette l'Astrolabe' hoping these would prove interesting for him.- In fine condition.

Sumptuous coloured lithographs of Mayan antiquities bound for Czar Alexander II

- 29. DUPAIX, G., A. LENOIR, D.B. WARDEN, et al.** Antiquités Mexicaines. Paris, J. Didot l'ainé, 1834. 3 parts in 2 vols. Large folio. Gold-tooled red morocco with coat of arms of Czar Alexander II of Russia on covers. 3 title-pages, num. half-titles, lithogr. frontispiece, 161 lithogr. (1 double-page), nearly half handcoloured, most of the rest tinted or double-tinted. **\$ 182,000**

First edition of a splendid book that revolutionized European knowledge of ancient Mexico and remains an essential primary source for the study of Mexican antiquities.- Very good set.- (Few minor defects).- Breslauer, *cat.* 50, 1083; Leclerc 1065; Palau 13069; Sabin 40038; not in Abbey, *Travel*; Church etc..

The small Passion

- 30. DÜRER, A.** La Passione di N.S. Giesu Christu. Sposta in ottava rima dal R.P.D. Mauritio Moro. Venice, D. Bissuccio, 1612. Sm. 4to. 19th century brown moroccos, (TRAUTZ-BAUZONNET). Engr. portrait on title, 37 full-page woodcuts by Dürer. **\$ 18,200**

Third issue of the original set of woodcuts, comprising Dürer's so-called "Small Passion", published at Venice about a century after the first two issues had been published. The woodcut series called the "Little Passion" no doubt belongs to Dürer's major works, and Jeudwine comparing it to Dürer's "Great Passion", a series of 12 folio woodcuts, judges the first "as a more extended, less dramatic, and perhaps more mature treatment of the subject" (Jeudwine p. 187). *All original issues are extremely rare.*- Fine copy, with the bookplate and the gilt monogram of Robert Hoe.- (Few minor defects).- Hollstein VII, 126-161; Library Robert Hoe III, 1052; *NUC* lists one copy.

The direct inspiration for the Amazon travels by Alfred Russel Wallace and Henry Walter Bates

31. EDWARDS, W.H. A voyage up the river Amazon, including a residence at Pará. London, printed by W. Clowes & Sons for J. Murray, 1847. 8vo. Contemp. red half calf with gilt, ribbed spine, marbled boards. **Bound with: (2). MILMAN, E.A.** The Wayside Cross; or, The raid of Gomez, a tale of the Carlist War. (Ibid., idem), 1847. Woodengr. on title. **\$ 2,200**

Ad 1: Scarce first English edition, published sl. later in the same year as the first American edition (New York). W.H. Edwards (1822-1909) was the first American naturalist to travel in and write about South America. The present work is on the Amazon forest. **Ad 2:** First edition of this tale about the first of a total of 4 Spanish civil wars, the so-called Carlist wars.- **Ad 1 and 2:** both good copies.- (Binding darkened on spine and rubbed along joints).- **Ad 1:** Howgego, E2; Sabin 21999; Borba de Moraes I, p. 285; Bosch 444.

Important work on Brazilian gold mining

32. ESCHWEGE, W.L. von. Pluto Brasiliensis. Eine Reihe von Abhandlungen über Brasiliens Gold-, Diamanten- und anderen mineralischen Reichthum..... Berlin, G. Reimer, 1833. 8vo. Contemp. half leather, author & title goldstamped on spine. Full-page lithogr. plate, 4 folding maps, 5 folding engr. plates, 13 folding lvs. with 23 tables. **\$ 8,500**

Extremely rare work on mining and mineralogy in Brazil. "The best work of its date on the gold and diamond mines of Brazil" (Sabin), and "an outstanding, carefully researched work" (Sinkankas). The maps depict mining districts in Brazil, plans and depth profiles of mines, equipment and constructions for gold mining, and blast-furnaces.- Well preserved copy.- (Few minor defects).- Borba de Moraes I, p. 294; Sabin 22830; Sinkankas 1947.

Rare first and only German edition of one of the earliest and best imaginary voyages to Australia

33. (FOIGNY, G. de). Sehr curiöse Reise-Beschreibung durch das neu-entdeckte Südland, in welcher die Sitten und Gewohnheiten dieser Völcker, Dresden, J.J. Wincklern, 1704. 12mo. Contemp. overlapping vellum, title in ink on spine. Engr. frontispiece with sailor Sadeur in the sea, title in red & black. **\$ 6,500**

Very rare first and only edition in German of Gabriel de Foigny's famous utopian novel and imaginary voyage by the hermaphrodite Jacques Sadeur to Australia (Terre Australe), where he met with an utopian society. The first edition was published by J. Verneuil at Geneva, 1676, titled: *La Terre Australe connue ...* in which for the first time the term 'Australiens' is used for the inhabitants of Terre Australe, the southern continent. 'Foigny's work is a rarity and being an essential component of any collection of Australian fictitious voyages, is eagerly sought' (Davidson).- Good copy.- (Few minor defects).- This edition not in Sabin; Davidson, *A book collector's notes on items relating to the discovery of Australia...* pp. 41-2; Huntress 143C:68.

One of the earliest and best imaginary voyages to Australia in a mysterious, dated binding

34. (FOIGNY, G. de). Nouveau voyage de la Terre Australe, contenant les coutûmes & les moeurs des Australiens, Paris, C. Barbin, 1693. 12mo. Contemp. mottled calf, front cover with a mysterious decoration, probably an anagram: 3 lines each with 3 gilt letters: first line: 'V.G.G.' second line 'L.D.S.', third line 'M.Z.B.', and below the date '1694' in gilt. Title in red & black. **\$ 5,400**

Revised edition of G. de Foigny's famous utopian novel and imaginary voyage by the hermaphrodite Jacques Sadeur to Australia (Terre Australe), where he met with an utopian society.- Fine copy.- (Few minor defects).- This edition not in Sabin.

Rare influential handbook for the conversion of Mexican indians

35. FOUCHER, J. Itinerarium Catholicum proficiscentium, ad infideles couertendos. Hispali (Seville), A. Scribanus (A. Escrivano), 1574. 8vo. Contemp. limp vellum. Woodcut initials, full-page woodcut of the Crucifixion, woodcut printer's device, text of lvs. 94-99 in red and black. **\$ 72,500**

First edition of this extremely rare and important 'handbook' for the conversion of the Chichimecs, Indians of Mexico, written by the Frenchman J. Foucher (c. 1527-c. 1577) and corrected by D. Valades.- Good copy.- (Few minor defects).- Sabin 24934; Medina, *Bibliotheca Hispano-Americana* I, 234; Palau 92930.

Original architectural and perspectival drawings by an Italian architect from the last quarter of the 18th century; together with two important 17th-century architectural printed books

36. FRANCESCHINI, L. (Architectural and perspectival drawings). Rome (?), last quarter 18th century. 365 x 260 mm. 18th-century full calf, sides blindtooled with ornamental and floral stamps and 'B' inscribed in ink on front cover, 6 templates for decorative motifs pasted on inside boards. 48 mostly full-page (2 double-page) orig. architectural and perspectival drawings, incl. many designs for tile-floors, mainly executed in ink and coloured washes, of which 4 signed by Franceschini and 3 dated '1789'. Together with the 44, resp. 21 plates of the *Regula* by **Vignola** (Siena, 1635), resp. the *Tabernacoli diversi* by **Giovanni Battista Montano** (Roma, 1684, Pt. 5).

\$ 94,300

Interesting and intriguing architectural album compiled by a hitherto completely unknown and unrecorded Italian architect and designer. The often magnificent drawings clearly illustrate the developing insights in and extensions of the classical architecture as represented by the standard textbook of Vignola and others.- In good condition.- (Few minor defects).- *BAL* 3451 (Vignola) 2171, part V (Montano).

The ancient habits of Mexico

37. GARCIA CUBAS, A. The Rêpublic of Mexico in 1876. Mexico, La Enseñanza, 1876. 8vo. 19th-century red morocco, gilt inner dentelles. 8 colour-printed lithogr., finished by hand, double-page map, 4 lvs. with musical scores, printed on both sides. **\$ 1,300**

Work on the politics, history, and ethnography of Mexico, by the Mexican scientist Antonio Garcia Cubas (1832-1912).- Good copy.- (Corners of binding sl. rubbed).- *Palau* 65704.

Mexico depicted in the '80s of the nineteenth century

38. GARCIA CUBAS, A. Atlas pintoresco. Mexico, Debray, (1885). Obl. folio. Contemp. half red morocco, gilt title and ornaments on spine. 13 colour-lithogr. maps. **\$ 15,900**

Collection of 13 coloured plates, illustrating several aspects of Mexico, such as politics, ethnography, agriculture, history etc., with each in the center a map of Mexico, surrounded by a border of explanatory illustrations.- Good copy.- *Palau* 98736; *Chadenat* 7016; *Phillips* 2686; not in *Sabin*.

Extremely rare late 17th century miniature book

39. GEBEDE BOECK. Amsterdam, 1683. 64mo., bookblock measuring 35 x 25 mm. Contemp. leather. With letterpress title headpiece, repeated at the end of the first and second prayer. **\$ 18,100**

Extremely rare miniature prayerbook, no copies in *NCC*, *STCN* or *KVK*. Only 1 other copy traced which has a place in the interior in the magnificent late 17th century doll's house of Petronella Oortman (1656-1716), preserved in the *Rijksmuseum*, Amsterdam.- Very good copy.- (Few minor defects).- Not in *Welsh* nor *Bondy*.

On Central and South American plants

40. HAMILTON, W. *Prodromus Plantarum Indiae Occidentalis hucusque cognitarum, tam in oris Americae Meridionalis, quam in Insulis Antillicis sponte crescentium aut ibi diurne hospitantium.* London, Paris and Strasbourg, Treuttel, Würtz, Richter, 1825. 8vo. Half sprinkled leather. With 1 folding handcoloured lithogr. frontispiece. **\$ 1,200**

Introduction of botanical species in the West Indies and South America by the physician and traveller W. Hamilton (1783-1856) describing 118 species.- Very good copy.- (Few minor defects).- *Sabin* 30043; *Stafleu & Cowan* 2340.

German edition of John Peckham "Perspectiva Communis", one of the earliest works on perspective

41. HARTMANN, G. *Perspectiva communis.* Nuremberg, J. Petreius, 1542. Sm. 4to. Boards. With 44 geometric and perspectival woodcuts in text. **\$ 13,000**

Rare first edition by G. Hartmann (1489-1564), on one of the earliest works on perspective, the "*Perspectiva Communis*" by J. Peckham (ca. 1230-92). Peckham was one of the great scientists and natural philosophers of the 13th century. Divided in 3 parts, it presents 162 propositions, 84 for the optics, 56 for the catoptics, treating the reflexion of light, and 22 for the dioptrics or the refraction of light. The latter part also contains a description of the rainbow and the galaxy, as well as a discussion of a dark room, the predecessor of photography. With one of the earliest representations of the eye in print.- Good copy.- *Vagnetti Db8*, and *Cb6*, note; *Poggendorff II*, 385.

Extremely rare: the plates that inspired Athanasius Kircher, the Father of Egyptology

42. (HERWART VON HOHENBURG, J.G.). Thesaurus Hieroglyphicorum è Museo Joannis Georgii Herwart ab Hohenburg, utriusque juris doctoris, & ex assessore summi Tribunalia Imperatorii, atque ex Cancellario supremo serenissimi utriusque Bavariae Principis ... (Munich (Augsburg?, 1610). Obl. folio. 18th-century half calf. Printed title (1) with 3 sm. engr., and 25 full-page etched plates: 11 plates of the Mensa Isiaca, 6 plates of obelisks with 31 figs.; and 8 plates, (out of 9?) of images in hieroglyphs. **\$ 21,800**

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First illustrated book printed by Gerard Leeu at Gouda

43. HISTORIA Septem Sapientium Romae. (Gouda, G. Leeu, ca. 1480). 4to. Contemp. limp vellum. With 18 full-page woodcuts. **Price on request**

Extremely rare first Latin edition in the Northern Netherlands of one of the most ancient and most popular texts of early European literature, and the first illustrated book printed by one of the earliest Dutch printers, Gheraert Leeu at Gouda. The present work, "The Seven Sages of Rome", is an all-encompassing story comprising numerous short stories, probably of Indian as well as Arabic origin.- Good copy.- (Few minor defects).- *Goff S 448*; *Polain 1970*; *Klebs 906.4*; *Hain-Copinger 3000*.

Rare complete set of Hollar's attractive etchings of butterflies and other insects

44. HOLLAR, W. Muscarum scarabeorum, vermiumque varie figure & formae, omnes primo ad vivum coloribus depictae & ex Collectione Arundeliana Wenceslao Hollar aqua forti aeri insculptae. Antwerp, (Schenk), 1646. Obl. sm. 8vo. Loose as issued, kept in modern board portfolio, in modern halfmorocco box with giltlettered spine. 12 etched plates. **\$ 9,800**

Rare, complete set of these very attractive etchings of butterflies and other insects by Wenceslaus Hollar, a Bohemian exile who was employed by the Earl of Arundel as artist-in-residence to make drawings of his extensive art collection. The rarity of especially complete sets is notable from the fact that there is only one, incomplete copy in *NCC*.- A desirable, well preserved set.- (Few minor defects).- *Horn & Schenkling 10604*; *Nissen, ZBI 1981*.

First edition of the first astronomical book published in Japan. Printed from 218 woodblocks with 66 illustrations

45. IGUCHI, T. Tenmon Zukai. Osaka, Ikeuchi Hachibee, Kawachiya Kihei, 1689. 5 vols. (22.5 x 16 cm). Orig. stab-sewn stiff paper wrappers kept in a modern folding case. Printed entirely from woodblocks on the outer pages of folded double-leaves, with 4 double-page illustr., 62 further illustr. (many full-page) on 46 pp. incl. 2 celestial charts, an armillary sphere, a terrestrial hemisphere, num. geocentric diagrams of the earth, sun, moon, planets and stars, diagrams of solar and lunar eclipses and of the phases of the moon, 4 woodcut seals on 2 pp., and tables of numerical data. **\$ 36,300**

First edition of the first astronomical book published in Japan, printed entirely from woodblocks and including 66 illustrations. It discusses the planetary system, the phases of the moon, seasons, eclipses and their prediction, the twenty-eight "lunar lodges," and the radii and periods of the orbits of the sun, moon, planets and stars. Tsunemori (active 1689-98), made extensive observations and reformed the Japanese calendar in 1684, and in his present book he systematically brought together the most up-to-date Japanese astronomical knowledge of the time, incl. a spectacular picture of the armillary sphere.- In very good condition.- (Few minor defects).- *Kazuhiko Miyajima, "Japanese Celestial Cartography ...," in: Harley & Woodward, History of Cartography II.2, pp. 579-603; OCLC WorldCat (5 copies)*.

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- 46. INDIA - ALBUM** with 24 watercolour views of famous Indian architectural highlights. (No pl., ca. 1848). Obl. 8vo. Contemp. full black leather, gilt spine, both covers with gilt and blindstamped ornamental border and gilt borders on the inside, g.e. With a series of 24 loosely inserted fine watercolour views. **\$ 2,200**

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Only source of Western zoology in Japan until 1750

- 47. JONSTON, J.** Naeukeurige beschryving van de Natuur der viervoetige dieren, vissen en bloedlooze water-dieren, vogelen, kronkeldieren, slangen en draken. Amsterdam, J.J. Schipper, 1660. 6 parts in 1 vol. Folio. Contemp. vellum. With 4 engr. titles, 250 full-page engr. plates, showing all kinds of animals, birds, fishes, reptiles, etc. **\$ 21,800**

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Classic work on American spiders

- 48. KEYSERLING, E. von.** Die Spinnen Amerikas ... von E. Keyserling (edited by G. Marx). Nuremberg, Bauer & Raspe, 1880-93. 6 parts in 4 vols. (here in 2 vols.). 4to. Modern half cloth (with all the orig. printed wrappers present). With 58 lithogr. plates, 43 of which handcoloured. **\$ 8,700**

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The most splendidly illustrated work ever published in Dutch

- 49. KRAUSS, J.C.** Afbeeldingen der Fraaiste, meest Uitheemsche Boomen en Heesters, die tot versieren van Engelsche Bosschen en Tuinen. Amsterdam, J. Allart, 1802-(1808). Large 4to. Contemp. half calf, spine gilt. Handcoloured vignette on title, 126 handcoloured full-page engr. plates partly glazed over with egg-white. **\$ 15,600**

Rare first edition, published in 21 parts, of the most splendidly illustrated work ever published in Dutch, on the flowers, with their fruits, leaves and branches, of trees and shrubs, which should be used in English parks and gardens. All plates were masterly engraved by the Amsterdam engraver J.C. Sepp and his son, both specialised in botanical book-illustration.- Fine, large-paper copy.- (Few minor defects).- Nissen *BB1* 1102; Pritzel 4872; Stafleu 3927; Landwehr, *Col. Plates*, 98; *Great Flower Books* 63.

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- 50. LE PAUTRE, J.** Collection of 10 print series of 6 plates each with model leaves for the design of Altars, tabernacles, armorial trophies, chimney-pieces, monumental doors, wainscotting, panelling, and ceilings. Paris, P. Mariette, Le Blond, (c. 1655-1670). 10 parts in 1 vol. Obl. 4to. Contemp. marbled calf, spine ribbed & gilt, covers with gilt stamped unidentified crowned coat-of-arms. With 60 full-page engr. plates. **\$ 13,800**

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The first book containing the idea of an electric telegraph

51. (LEURECHON, J. and/or H. van ETTEN a.o.). Les recreations mathematiques avec l'examen de ses problemes en arithmetique, geometrie, mecanique, cosmographie, optique, catoptrique, &c. Paris, C. Besongne, 1661. 8vo. Contemp. calf, spine gilt. Mathematical woodcut on title, 34 half-page and 49 smaller woodcuts in text, illustrating the mathematical problems and solutions and other subjects including the camera obscura, balances, clocks, the screw of Archimedes and 13 woodcuts depicting fireworks. **\$ 6,500**

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One of 20 copies, with beautifully coloured pomological illustrations

52. (LIRON D'AIROLES, J. de). Album de La Civélière, contenant les Figures et les Descriptions des principales introductions agrico-horticoles qui y ont été faites depuis l'annee 1851. Brussels, F. Parent, 1855. Vol. 1 (of 2), as usual. Folio. Modern red half morocco binding, spine gilt. Lithogr. frontispiece, 28 handcoloured full-page lithogr. plates. **\$ 26,000**

First volume of this extremely rare work on pomology. It is not recorded by the major botany bibliographies.- Good copy with very attractive plates.- (Handwritten dedication by the author on first endleaf).- Barbier I, col. 90; *Stiftung Botanik* 467.

The French in Tahiti & the Jesuits in Russia

53. LUTTEROTH, H.T. O-Taïti. Histoire et enquête. Paris, Paulin & L.-R. Delay, 1843. 8vo. Contemp. half cloth. **Bound with: IDEM.** La Russie et les Jésuites de 1772 a 1820. (Idem), 1845. **\$ 2,500**

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Rare guide for sailing to and in the East Indies

54. MARIZ CARNEIRO, A. de. Regimento de pilotos, e roteiro das navegaçoens da India Oriental. Lisbon, L. de Anveres, 1642. 2 parts in one vol. Sm. 4to. Contemp. vellum. Two woodcuts, many printed tables, 11 folded woodcut maps of coastlines. **\$ 79,800**

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55. MAROLOIS, S. Mathematicum opus absolutissimum: continens geometriae, fortificationis, architecturae & perspectivae theoreticae ac practicae regulas, demonstrationes, & figuras perfectissimas. Amsterdam, J. Janssonius, 1633-1644 (General title: (1638, altered in 1658 by hand). 6 parts in two vols. Folio. Contemp. blind-stamped calf, ornamental borders on sides. General title, printed on a slip of paper pasted to an engr. border with the orig. printed text. With together 271 double-page engr. plates, partly by H. Hondius. **Bound with: MAROLOIS, S.** Geometria theoretica ac practica....Amsterdam, J. Janssonius, 1633. With 47 double-page engr. plates. **IDEM.** Artis muniendi, sive fortificationis, pars prima..... Amsterdam, J. Janssonius, 1644. **IDEM.** Fortificationis, sive artis muniendi, pars secunda. (Idem). With 40 double-page engr. plates. **VREDEMAN DE VRIES, J.** Architectura: continens quinque ornamenta architecturae..... Amsterdam, J. Janssonius, 1633. With 30 double-page engr. plates by H. Hondius after the designs by Vredeman de Vries.- **MAROLOIS, S.** Opticae, sive perspectivae, pars prima. (Idem). With 80 double-page engr. plates. **VREDEMAN DE VRIES, J.** Perspectiva theoretica ac practica. 2 parts. (Idem). With 49, 24 (+ 1) numbered double-page engr. plates. **\$ 21,800**

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An incredible example of nature printing, reproducing specimens of the flora of Hawaii and the South Pacific

56. NA LAU HAWAII (The leaves of Hawaii). Hawaiian nature printing album containing more than 275 handmade botanical pressings from Hawaii and other islands in the South Pacific. (Hawaii & South Pacific, ca. 1850). Large folio. Contemp. half leather, kept in modern cloth box. With 277 botanical pressings on 68 lvs. with one to six specimens per leaf. **\$ 50,750**

Important and unique Hawaiian nature-print album showing in life-size numerous leaves of various plant specimens from Hawaii and other South Pacific Islands.- In good condition.- (Rebacked , a few minor internal defects).- Blunt, *The art of botanical illustration*, pp. 138-142.

With dedication from James R. Napier to the Glasgow publisher's Bell & Bain

57. NAPIER, F. Notes of a voyage from New South Wales to the north coast of Australia, from the journal of the late Francis Napier. (Glasgow, Privately printed (probably by Bell & Bain), 1876). 8vo. Orig. blue cloth. Mounted fotogr. portrait of the author, 4 folding maps, full-page map of the track of the voyage by James Napier, 8 full-page lithographed plates, 2 text ill. **\$ 5,100**

First and only edition of this interesting expedition account. In 1867 the South Australian Government sent an expedition under Captain Cadell to the north coast of their territory to discover desirable localities for settlements. The author of this book joined the expedition.- Very good dedication copy of a scarce work.- (Light occ. foxing throughout).- Ferguson 13058.

Reveals the secrets of anamorphosis

58. NICERON, (J. F.). La perspective curieuse, divisée en quatre livres. Paris, Widow of F. Langlois, dit Chartres, 1651-52. Folio. Contemp. calf, spine ribbed & gilt, with gilt double fillet borders on sides. Engr. frontispiece, woodcut vignette on title, full-page engr. portrait, woodcuts in text, 49 full-page engr. plates, 1 double-page engr. plate in the main work, and num. woodcuts in text in the added work. **\$ 16,700**

Richly illustrated manual on perspective in which for the first time the secrets of anamorphosis and trompe l'oeil are fully revealed by Jean François Nicéron (1613-1646). The work also contained the first published reference to Descartes's derivation of the law of refraction. The **added work** on optics by Nicéron's colleague and confrère Mersenne contained the author's final contributions to optics.- Good large-paper copy.- (Few minor defects).- *Berlin Kat.* 4713; Poggenдорff II, 279; Cioranescu 47238.

59. OZANNE, N.-M. (FRENCH NAVY). Three rare print series from his *Marine militaire ou recueil des differens vaisseaux ...*, together with another series of vessels and galleys, a series of military trophies, all printed by Chereau; and 2 series of portraits of Spanish famous military men, and great artists, poets, authors and scholars. Paris, Widow of F., and J. François Chereau, (ca. 1762-80). Folio. Contemp. calf, gilt spine, sides decorated with an elaborate gilt Rococo ornamental border around a blind stamped central panel. **\$ 11,500**

This luxuriously bound volume contains 4 beautiful maritime print series of which 3 by Nicolas-Marie Ozanne, French draughtsman, engraver and marine engineer and one by Claude Randon, titled *Cahier de vaisseaux et Galères*. Next to these series the present convolute with in total 62 engraved plates contains a.o. a rare series of 5 plates by Le Canu and P.F. Tardieu after the designs of J.C. De la Fosse (Delafosse; 1721-1806), in the original edition, titled *Deuxieme livre de trophées, contenant divers attributs de Guerre*.- The series are in fine condition.- (Few minor defects). **Ad 1-3: Cat. Nederl. Scheepvaart Mus. 750; Berlin Kat. 1463: ad 9: Millard French 58.**

Broadside concerning the 'Trent Affair' between Australia and the USA

60. (PELHAM, H., Duke of Newcastle). 1861-2. Victoria. War with America. Copy of a circular despatch from the secretary of state, stating that the question which threatened a war with the United States has been amicably settled, but pointing out the necessity of prompt and effectual preparation against contingencies. Melbourne, J. Ferres, government printer, (1862). 33,7 x 21 cm. Printed broadside on blue paper. **\$ 500**

Broadside with a copy of a circular despatch from Great Britain's secretary of State, Henry Pelham, Duke of Newcastle (1811-64) to Governor of Australia, Sir H. Barkly (1815-98) to inform " that the question which threatened this calamitous consequence has been amicably settled".- Fine broadside.- *OCLC* lists 2 only copies.

War fever over the 'Trent Affair'

61. (PELHAM, H., Duke of Newcastle). 1861-2. Victoria. War with America. Melbourne, J. Ferres, (1862). 33,7 x 21 cm. Printed broadside on blue paper. **\$ 500**

Broadside (nr. 104, 'Northam', 13th March, 1862) with the copy of a circular despatch from Great Britain's secretary of State, Colonial Office, Henry Pelham to warn the Governor of Australia, Sir H. Barkly of a possible war with the United States. The Secretary of State recommends steps to be taken to defend the South Pacific islands and any British ships in the area. "It can never be impossible that an active enemy, by the employment of single privateers or cruisers, may find the means of inflicting occasional injury on exposed parts of the Empire".- Fine broadside.

Two rare first and only editions of important works for the history of the Nahuatl language, spoken in pre-conquest Mexico

62. PEREZ, M. Farol Indiano, y guía de curas de Indios, summa de los cinco Sacramentos que administran los Ministros Evangelicos en esta America. Mexico, F. de Rivera Calderon, 1713. 2 works in one. 4to. Contemp. limp vellum. A few woodcut initials. Tail-piece at end of preliminaries. *Bound with:* (2) **IDEM.** Arte de el idioma mexicano. Idem. Woodcut vignette on title & woodcut head- and tail pieces. **\$ 10,900**

Ad 1: Delightful work, is, as described in its subtitle, a guide for ministers among Indians, and a handbook for priests with Nahuatl-speaking parishioners. **Ad 2:** Grammar of the Nahuatl language.- Good copies.- **Ad 1:** Sabin 60913 ("rare"); Medina, Imprenta en Mexico IV, 2370. **Ad 2:** Sabin 60911 ("rare and important").

One of the earliest sources on Congo and Central Africa, complete with its plates and maps

63. PIGAFETTA, F. Relatione del reame di Congo et delle circonvicine. Rome, B. Grassi, (1591). 4to. Contemp. vellum. Engr. title, folding engr. map of Congo, large folding engr. general map of Africa, 8 folding engr. plates. **\$ 87,000**

Rare first edition of one of the main sources for authentic information on Central Africa. Filippo Pigafetta, a relative of Antonio Pigafetta, Magellan's companion on his first circumnavigation of the world, based his work on the information he collected from the Portuguese traveller Duarte Lopez, who sailed to Congo in 1578 and stayed in Loanda until 1587.- Fine copy.- (Few minor defects).- Cox I, pp. 354-5; Gay, *L'Afrique*, 3077; Streit XV, 2085.

64. POEPPIG, E.F. A series of 13 original drawings designed for Poeppig's *Reise in Chile, Peru und auf dem Amazonstrome wahrend der Jahre 1827-32* (Leipzig, 1835-45). (South-America, 1827-29). Obl. large folio. Contemp. full red morocco, spine gilt, front cover with gilt title in centre, (RIVIERE & SON); in modern red cloth box. **Together with: (2) COLLECTION** of 14 original drawings of various sizes of views of Pennsylvania (2), Cuba (4), and South America (8) and one large lithogr. plate. Kept in a folder with the hand written text: "Handzeichnungen vom Papa. Amerikanische und deutsche Gegenden". (South-America, dated 1825-1834). **\$ 65,000**

A collection of 27 very fine drawings of landscapes of America (Pennsylvania), Cuba, the Andes and along the Amazon in South America by E.F. Poeppig (1798-1868), a German naturalist and scientific explorer.- Fine collection.- Cf. Bosch I, 411; Henze IV, pp. 145-57; Sabin 63629; Borba de Moraes (1983) p. 681.

19Th century Hebrew Pentateuch manuscript in interesting binding

65. [PENTATEUCH - MANUSCRIPT]. SA'ANA, copied by the scribe Judah B. Joseph Gazfan. Keter Torah (Crown of the Torah).

Yemen, 1825-1827. Folio (32,5x23 cm). Verged paper. With the title-page in green, black and red and the greatest part of the manuscript in black with red. In blind-tooled leather covered wooden box-binding, with silver catches, bosses, studs, claps and edge-pieces. **\$ 120,000**

The lay-out of the work and the fine floral borders and typographic illustrations also differ greatly from the usual coarse Yemnite books. The most unusual binding, shaped as a box, refers to the elaborately embellished round boxes in which eastern Jewry stores the Torah Scrolls in the synagogue. The many silver ornaments mark this codex in its special binding as a highly estimated and exceptionally expensive and greatly honored object in Jewish Yemen at the time

A history of Hawaii

66. (REMY, J.). Ka Moolelo Hawaii. Histoire de l'archipel Hawaiien (Iles Sandwich). Paris & Leipzig, J. Claye for A. Franck and Franck'sche Verlags-Buchhandlung, (Leipzig), 1862. 8vo. Later green cloth with gilt lettering on spine. **\$ 7,200**

Rare only edition of the original Hawaiian text paired with its French translation by Jules Remy (1826-93) of a history of Hawaii, written and first published in 1838 by some Hawaiian students of the High School of Lahainaluna, and corrected by a teacher. The author has added a long and important introduction on the physical, moral and political state of the country.- Good copy.- Chadenat, II, 6767; Forbes, I, 5/137: "very rare"; Hill, p. 552.

Unpublished primary documents from the Amazonian survey of 1779-1795, with the rare printed map

67. REQUENA, F. Unpublished Manuscript Reports of the Spanish-Portuguese Amazonian Survey Expedition of 1779-1795, Manuscript Explanations and Notes for one of their Maps, and some of their Correspondence. Tabatinga & "Ega" (now Tefé) in Brazil, 1781 & 1786. Folio & 4to. With 5 documents containing 8 texts: 2 reports by Requena with other members of the Expedition, an additional note by the clerk, Requena's Explanations and Notes for his map covering northwest Brazil and parts of modern Venezuela, Columbia & Peru, 4 letters (3 signed) by Requena a.o. **Together with: REQUENA, F.** Mapa Geográfico de la mayor parte de la América Meridional Philadelphia, F. Bourquin, (ca. 1870). Publisher's orig. red cloth slip-case. Very large lithogr. wall map (124 x 95.5 cm) of most of South America. **\$ 90,000**

An extremely important collection of primary documents from the joint Portuguese-Spanish expedition carried out in the years 1779 to 1795 to establish a fixed boundary between the Portuguese and Spanish possessions in South America. Requena's topographic notes and maps surpassed all others of his day. **Ad 2:** Very rare overview map, finally printed ca. 1870, covering at a scale of about 1:4,350,000, most of South America.- In very good condition.- (Few minor defects).- Palau 262080; not in *BMC Printed Maps*, nor Borba de Moraes, etc.

68. RIBASH (Rabbi Isaac ben Sheshet Perfet). (Teshuvot Ribash). [Constantinople, Eliezer Soncino, 1546-1547]. Folio (33x22 cm). Modern blind stamped morocco, bound in London by Sangorski & Sutcliff. **\$ 18,500**

First edition of the *Responsa* by the Spanish Talmudic authority Rabbi Isaac ben Sheshet Perfet (1326-1408). It was influential in the codification of Jewish Law (Halakhah) and was one of the main authorities in Joseph Karo's Shulkhan Arukh rested. The Responsa contain a vast amount of halakhic material - part derived from sources which are no longer extant - together with much valuable information about popular customs in Spain and North Africa. The collection is of the utmost importance for the knowledge of the history of the Jews in those countries in the 14th century. Roest, *Bibliotheca Rosenthaliana* I, p. 488.

The frogs and toads of Germany in the manner of Maria Sybilla Merian

69. ROESEL VON ROSENHOF, A.J. *Historia naturalis ranarum in qua omnes earum proprietates.* Nuremberg, J.J. Fleischmann, 1753-58. 2 parts in 1 vol. Folio. Contemp. half calf. Engr. frontispiece, 24 handcoloured engr. plates of frogs, the same plates repeated in black & white, 8 engr. headpieces. **\$ 41,500**

Rare and beautiful work on frogs, important from both an artistic and a scientific point of view, by A.J. Roesel von Rosenhof (1705-1759).- Beautiful, uncut copy.- Nissen *ZBI* 3464; *DSB* 11, pp. 502-3.

Heavily annotated copy of one of the early Cologne (Quentell) editions

70. SACROBOSCO, J. de. *Opus sphericum magistri Joannis de Sacro Busco natione angli figuris verissime exculptis et interpretatione familiari ad comoditatem desiderantium iucundissima Artis Astronomice callere principia pulcherrime et iterata recognitione illustratum.* Cologne, Sons of H. Quentell, 1505. 4to. Modern boards. Six-line woodcut initial on title, full-page woodcut of a armillary globe on verso of title, 27 half-page woodcuts in text, 2 other 6-line woodcut initials. **\$ 10,800**

Rare fourth Quentell edition printed in Cologne, edited and together with the extensive comments by W. Fabri of Budweiss (1455-1518), a medieval Czech astronomer, of Johannes de Sacrobosco's (d. ca. 1256) most popular and enduring textbooks of the Middle Ages: *De Sphaera*, a basic account of the spherical geometry underpinning the mathematical astronomy of Ptolemy and his Arabic commentators. *Of special interest is that our copy is heavily annotated in a tiny contemporary scholarly hand.*- Fine copy.- (Few minor defects).- *VD16*., J-712.

How to make astronomical globes

71. SCHONERUS, J. *Globi Stelliferi, sive Sphaerae Stellarum fixarum, & explicationes, quibus quicquid de primo mobili demonstrari solet, id universum prope continentur, Directionum autem ipsarum quas vocant, ratio accuratiss. exposita.* Nuremberg, (J. Petreius), 1533. Sm. 4to. Full-grained blue morocco, gilt inner dentelles, g.e., with vellum endpapers, in matching slipcase (BRUGALLA, 1954). Full-page woodcut of an astronomical globe on verso title, woodcut in text. **\$ 18,000**

Rare first edition of a treatise on the making and working of an astronomical globe by the German astronomer Johanus Schonerus, or Schöner (1477-1547). The work was later mostly jointly published with his other work "De usu globi astriferi", with the same woodcut of an astronomical globe on title.- Beautiful copy.- (Few tears expertly restored; sl. stain in the middle of 2 lvs.).- Houzeau-Lancaster 2385; *STC German* 793.

Nearly 500 emigrants found a watery grave. One of the worst shipping disasters during the 19th century

72. (SHIPWRECK). THE BURNING OF A EMIGRANT SHIP AT SEA. LOSS OF NEARLY 500 LIVES. (London?, 1874). Folio. 255 x 200 mm. Mounted on thin gray paperboard. With verse in English printed in two columns. **\$ 1,400**

Interesting broadsheet with a song on the disastrous shipwreck at the Cape of Good Hope of the emigrantship Cospatrick in the early morning of November 18th, 1874, under the command of Captain Elmslie, which was burnt at sea at the loss of 478 lives. Eventually only three survivors lived to tell the story.- In very good condition.- (Few minor defects).

73. SIMMONDS, J. "Hints, tables &c." Manuscript architect's manual in English. (N.pl.), 1840. 8vo. Contemp. calf, gilt spine with small ornaments in compartments, both covers with single lozenge border, gilt binding edges and double fillet border on the inside. With num. illustr. in pen and ink with grey and coloured wash on 30 pages, num. manuscript tables. **\$ 3,600**

Very neatly written and delicately illustrated manuscript manual for architects, with chapters on i.a. mining, fractions, profiles, batteries, trigonometry, surveying, protracting, levelling, 'to conduct water', extraction of roots, theory of walls, counterforts, theory of arches, mensuration of vaults and arches, theory of timber, mechanic powers and Hadley's quadrant. In many chapters specific examples of the problems involved are included. Especially noteworthy is a series of very fine grisaille watercolours on 11 pages at the end, depicting the five classic orders.- Well preserved manuscript.- (Few minor defects).

The collected mathematical works by the famous Dutch mathematician Simon Stevin

74. STEVIN, S. Les Oeuvres Mathematiques. Leyden, Bonaventure & Abraham Elsevier, 1634. 6 parts in 1 vol. Folio. Contemp. blind-stamped vellum. Woodcut printer's device, many woodcuts in text. **\$ 12,300**

The collected mathematical works of this famous Dutch mathematician and teacher of Prince Maurits of Orange, here edited, partly translated in French, corrected and enlarged by Albert Girard, a celebrated Dutch mathematician himself.- Good copy.- *Bibl. Belg.* S 150; Vagnetti EIIIb4; Bierens de Haan 4584.

Rare first edition of the finest collection of microscopical observations ever produced and published at the instigation of Boerhaave

75. SWAMMERDAM, J. Biblia Naturae; sive Historia Insectorum, in Classes certas redacta, nec non exemplis, et Anatomico variorum animalculorum examine, aeneisque Tabulis Illustrata. Leyden, I. Severinus, B. and P. Vander Aa & P. Vander Aa, 1737-38. 2 vols. Folio. Contemp. vellum with author and title in ink on spine. Latin and Dutch titles in red & black, engr. vignette on titles, num. illustr. on 53 full-page engr. plates. **\$ 10,800**

First edition, in Latin and Dutch, of the first systematic classification of insects, based on the author's minute dissections and microscopic observations. Jan Swammerdam (Amsterdam 1637-1680), was the most important among the earliest scientists to study insect anatomy, and many of his observations were of great importance to modern biology.- Fine large paper set.- (Top of spine of vol. I dam).- Nissen, *ZBI*, 4055; Hagen p. 209; Dibner 191.

In praise of the courage of Captain James Duncan. British privateering during the American Revolutionary war

76. T.B. & (J.M. DUNCAN). VERSES INSCRIBED TO CAPTAIN JAMES DUNCAN, OF THE ROSE-BUD PRIVATEER, NEW-YORK. (London, ca. 1822). Folio. (310 x 193 mm). Broadsheet. **\$ 1,200**

Interesting broadsheet with a song in seven verses by 'T.B.' dedicated to the British Captain James Duncan (d. 1803), commander of the ship Rose-Bud privateer. During the American Revolutionary War he engaged with his ship with 20 guns a French frigate of 36 guns in the middle of the fleet of the French admiral Count d'Estaing (1729-1794) at the capes of Philadelphia until his vessel sunk. The crew was saved and imprisoned by the Americans.- In fine condition.

Rare Rio de Janeiro imprint

77. TRAVASSOS VALDEZ, F. Da Oceania a Lisboa viagem. Offerecida e dedicada aos Portuguezes no Brasil. Rio de Janeiro, Perseverança, 1866. 8vo. Contemp. half red painted sheep with gilt spine, lettered in gold. **\$ 2,800**

First and only edition of this rare travel account by F.Travassos Valdez, who sailed from Lisbon to the Sunda islands, Timor, Java, Indo-China, India, Arabia, Egypt and back to Lisbon. The geography, economy, the customs, habits and language of inhabitants of places he visited are amongst the discussed subjects.- Fine copy.- (Sm. tear in margin of p. 67).- Palau 339860.

78. (VERHULST). CATALOGUE d'une riche et precieuse collection de tableaux des meilleurs & plus célèbres maîtres des ecoles d'Italie, des Pays-Bas & de France, qui composent le cabinet de Feu Messire Gabriel-François-Joseph de Verhulst.... Brussels, Imprimerie d'Antoine d'Ours, 1779. 4to. Contemp. marbled calf. Engr. frontispiece portrait of the collector De Verhulst. **\$ 3,900**

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A newly invented combination-lock

79. VIVARELLI, G. Della serratura combinatoria, o sia metodo nuovo di fare le serrature per difendersi dai ladri da chiavi false. Bologne, F. Pisarri, 1750. Sm. 8vo. Contemp. wrappers. Engr. vignette on title, folding engr. plate showing the producing and working of a combination lock, *extra* present: drawing in pencil of another, similar mechanism. **\$ 9,400**

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Very rare first edition of a popular handbook for navigation officers

80. VRIES, K. de. Schat-Kamer ofte konst der stier-lieden. Amsterdam, Joannes Loots, 1702. 2 parts. 8vo. Contemporary vellum over boards. Woodcut on title, 3 folding and one full-page engr. plates: a compass rose and geometrical nautical ill.; many woodcuts in text. **Bound with: (2) TAFELEN, DE-**, der sinuum, tangentium en secantium, ofte der hoekmaten, raaklynen en snylynen. (Idem). Printed tables. **\$ 12,300**

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Life-size orchids: 79 beautifully hand-coloured plates

81. WARNER, R. & B.S. WILLIAMS. Select Orchidaceous Plants [first-second series]. London, Lovell Reeve & Co., 1862-1875. 23 parts in 2 vols., bound as 1. Imperial folio. With all 23 front wrappers (with part-titles) bound in 19th-century half brown morocco, green cloth sides. With 79 plates, handcoloured and highlighted with gum arabic, as published. **\$ 17,400**

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Death by cannibalism of the Apostle of Polynesia

82. [WILLIAMS, John]. J. ARUNDEL & R.C. MORGAN. Printed letter announcing the death of the Rev. John Williams at the hands of cannibals on the island of Erromango in the South Pacific. London, Mission-House, Blomfield street, Finsbury, 5 May, 1840. 4to. **\$ 1,800**

Pamphlet announcing the death of the prominent missionary Rev. John Williams (1796-1839) at the hands of cannibals on the island of Erromango in the New Hebrides in the South Pacific in 1839. The first letter is written by the home secretary John Arundel on behalf of the directors of the London Missionary Society. The following letter is an extract by Captain Robert Clark Morgan (1798-1864) who was in charge of the missionary ship Camden that was carrying Williams.- Very good copy.- (Some folding).- Not found recorded

- 83. XAVIER, F.** Gesammelte briefe des heiligen Franciscus Xaverius, des grossen Indianerapostels aus der Gesellschaft Jesu. Augsburg, N. Doll, 1794. 3 vols. 8vo. Contemp. grey boards, spines with red labels. Each vol. with engr. frontispiece. **\$ 1,200**

First edition of this collection of 137 letters written by the Jesuit missionary St. Francis Xavier (1506-52), from his time in the Portuguese East Indies, his time in Japan and from the final year of Xavier's life, at Goa and the Chinese island of Shangchuan. This was the first collected edition of Xavier's letters to be published in German.- Good set.- (Errata to vol. 2 bound at end of vol. 3).- Not in De Backer-Sommervogel.

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- 84. ZIMMERMANN, H.** Dernier voyage du Capitaine Cook autour du monde. Bern, Nouvelle Société Typographique, 1782. Contemp. marbled calf. **Bound with: (RICKMAN, J.).** Troisième voyage de Cook. Paris, Berlin, 1783. Folding engr. plate on the death of Cook, folding engr. map. **\$ 19,500**

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