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39. GORDON, George. The Pinetum: being a synopsis of all the coniferous plants at present known. New edition, enlarged. Thick 8vo, pp xxiv, 484, a very good copy bound in later cloth. [The third, and best, edition. Bound in at the rear are five substantial nursery catalogues - Anthony Waterer, Richard Smith, William Barron, Maurice Young, and the Lawson Company. With the bookplate of K. Lazenby, an early founder of the AGS.] 1880 £100.00

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54. KNIGHT, Joseph. Cultivation of the Plants Belonging to the Natural Order Proteaeae, London 1809. Facsimile reprint, with an introduction by J.P. Rourke. 4to, pp xxxviii, xx, 128, (vii), with 4 col pls, dec cl, paper label on spine, a fine copy in slipcase. [Limited edition of 300 numbered copies, signed by Rourke.] Cape Town 1987 £65.00

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57. [LODER, E.]. Conifers at Leonardslee. Sm slim 12mo, pp 15, (printed on one side only), pb, very worn and loose. [A label on the front blank reads “With Sir Edmund Loder compliments; this list has been carefully prepared in the hope of seeing greater accuracy and uniformity in nomenclature in trade lists and others.” There are a few manuscript amendments to the list, also almost certainly in Loder’s hand, together with a manuscript generic index on the final blank. The cover bears the signature of A. Chapman; it would seem extremely likely that this was Arthur Chapman who was head gardener for fifty years to Sir George Holford at Westonbirt, and who died the following year, as did Loder. Exceedingly scarce – I can trace only two copies in UK and two copies in USA.] [1919] £75.00

58. [MADRAS]. Catalogue of the Trees, Shrubs and Herbaceous Plants in the Gardens of the Agri-Horticultural Society of Madras and in the neighbourhood, with a list of ferns grown in Madras. Slim 8vo, pp 73, correction slip tipped in at the front, original (?) rear cover bound in, contemporary cloth a bit marked & worn, with the bookplate of the Madras civil servant Alexander Robert Loftus Tottenham. [Madras, 1898] [Bound in at the end : Agri-Horticultural Society, Madras – Price List of Climbers to be obtained in the Nursery Gardens on St George’s Cathedral Road, pp 14. Madras 1911. Loosely inserted at the front is “List of trees recommended as suitable for planting in the streets and squares of Calcutta”, 5 pages, fragile, much folded,[n.d.]). A little worn throughout, with many pencil marks. RARE £65.00
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60. MAXON, William R. Pteridophyta of Porto Rico and the Virgin Islands. pp (148), uncut, not illus, pb, in orig wrappers, a good copy. [Presentation copy from the author, and with the later stamps of the botanist Eric Groves on both covers. A substantial work, extracted from the Scientific Survey.] 1926 £30.00

61. MCEACHARN, Neil. The Villa Taranto – a Scotsman’s Garden in Italy. Illus, slim 8vo, pp 88, cl faded, marked on the upper cover, book label of Jessie Bird. [With an original photograph of the author & a companion called “Dearest” on the f.e.p., (possibly his mother, as the image is at Galloway House), which also has a description almost certainly in the author’s hand, several clippings on the endpapers, and loosely inserted a short letter from the author to Tonny Wynne, & a further selection of newspaper clippings.] 1954 £30.00


63. MILLER, A.G. & COPE, T.A. Flora of the Arabian Peninsula and Socotra, Volume 1. Illus with line dwgs, sm thick 4to, pp xxii, 586, fore-edge v sl marked, otherwise a v.g. copy in a v sl worn d.w. SCARCE. Edinburgh 1996 £135.00

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65. MIYABE, Professor K. The Plates of the Laminariaceae, prepared by Prof. Miyabe : reproduction of Mr Ito’s original drawing. Sm folio, pp (ii) + 25 lithographed plates (each with opposing identification sheet), unbound (as issued ?), with (later?) simple cloth spine, ownership stamp of the algologist Randolph Taylor, Ann Arbor, on the upper cover, a little worn throughout, lower corner rather bumped throughout. [The very scarce original issue. RARE.] (Tokyo 1902) £40.00

66. MOTTET, S. Les Coniferes et Taxacees. Sm 8vo, pp xviii,474, vi, sl age, v sl worn, hinge at t.p. starting to crack but still sound, cloth rubbed and a bit worn, joints worn (possibly spine re-glued). SCARCE. Paris 1902 £25.00

67. NOLTIE, Henry J. Wild Flowers. A Sketchbook by Charles and John Raven. Well illustrated, large 8vo, pp 216, cloth backed pictorial boards. [This handsomely bound publication reproduces for the first time, in colour, a selection of 137 drawings from a remarkable collection of 3860 watercolours that depict almost every member of the British flora. The drawings were made between 1930 and 1955 and are largely the work of a remarkable father-&-son team: Canon Raven(1885-1964) was a distinguished theologian, naturalist and historian of science, and his son John (1914-1980) a classics don and passionate field botanist. In 1942 the Ravens wrote ten chapters intended to accompany a selection of their drawings, explaining how the collection was made, starting as a family holiday project that became something of an obsession, with Charles painting, and John travelling round the country collecting specimens. The chapters, which include essays on Marlborough, Cambridge, Ely, Alston, Langdale, Walney Island, Finland, Connemara, Galloway, Ben Lawers and Glen Clova are published here for the first time, seventy years after their conception, in time to celebrate the centenary of Mary Raven who made some of the early drawings. The book starts with a substantial introduction on the Raven family and the drawings, written by Henry Noltie.] Edinburgh 2012 £20.00

68. O’KEEF, Georgia. One Hundred Flowers. Very well illus, v lge square folio, a v.g. copy in d.w. [Anthony Huxley’s copy, with his stamp on the f.e.p.] New York 1987 £65.00

69. OLBERTZ, J. (editor). Die Bindekunst – erste fachzeitschrift fur blumenbinderei, blumen un pflanzen-decoration. A broken run, comprising Vol 2 parts 19, 21-36; Vol 3 parts1, 3-24, 26-36; Vol 4 parts 1-36; Vol 5 parts 1-24 and Vol 6 parts 1-12. 22, 27, 31 & 35. Very well illus, some browning and marking, a few pages with tears, quarto, bound in two vols, original decorated cloth, a bit dull worn and rubbed. [An exceedingly scarce journal devoted mainly to commercial floristry.] 1898 – 1902 £70.00

70. PHILPOT, Mrs J.H. The Sacred Tree, or the Tree in Religion and Myth. Illus, pp xvi, 179, uncut, a fair amount of foxing throughout, cl sl dull & worn. SCARCE 1897 £45.00
71. **PLANT GALLS.** An exciting collection of papers and offprints from the library of the botanist Eric Groves. There are substantial numbers of papers by H.J. Burk ill., (c.40) and M. Niblett, (c.41), (almost certainly many items came from their own collections), several sheets of manuscript notes (at least two in Niblett’s hand), a typed letter from Niblett to Burk ill., a manuscript list of Niblett’s — “Galls I have found which are not listed in Swanton” - and several sheets of his rough drawings together with an unfinished watercolour of an oak gall. In addition, there are approx. 65 papers by other authors, including Marsden-Jones’ Study of the Life-cycle of Adleria, Leatherdale’s Plant Gall of Norway, Evans’ Norfolk Plant Gall, Bowdrey’s Oak Gall of Essex, Griffiths’ Plant Gall of Leicestershire, Senn’s Oak Gall in the Historia Plan tarum of Theophratus, Cosens’ Contribution to the Morphology of Insect Galls, Hough’s Studies on the Spangle Gall, and Bignell’s rare privately circulated reprint on British Oak Galls. Finally there is Burk ill.’s original typescript of his lecture “Galls to be looked for”, read to the London Natural History Society in 1931 (and possibly never published ?), and his original handwritten early manuscript of “Plant Galls — a few notes”, dated 4th April, 1916. £145.00


73. **PUNT, W., BLACKMORE, S. & CLARKE, G.C.S.** The Northwest European Pollen Flora, Vols 1 – 5. Well illus, lge 8vo, pictorial bds, a little worn and scuffed, a little used internally with some turned and creased corners, some inked notes at various points, name on each f.e.p. VERY SCARCE Amsterdam 1976-1988 £250.00

74. **THE RAILWAY ANECDOTE BOOK: a collection of the best and newest anecdotes and tales to the present day; selected for the reading of railway passengers.** pp 192, a little aged and marked, preceded by seven un-numbered pages with an engraving and quote from a notable person, t.p with an engvd portrait frontis, t.p with a bit marked, lacking the f.e.p., rough quarter calf a bit rubbed and worn. Several newspaper clippings tipped-in. [With the tiny book label of Santiago Jose Brinn, his neat name is written on the first few pages, and a note to say that the book was bound in Santiago. The anecdotes are miscellaneous, and the book was the early Victorian equivalent of the Ipad, designed no doubt to take the mind off the heady speeds of 20 m.p.h.] VERY SCARCE n.d. (c.1853) £95.00

75. **REPORTS OF THE BOTANICAL SOCIETY AND EXCHANGE CLUB OF THE BRITISH ISLES.** A long run, comprising 1881, 1886-1902, 1905, 1907-8, then Vol 3 part 1 (1911), s(5 & 6, + supplement), Vol 4 (3), 5 (2) - 6 (6) complete, 7 (7), 7 (4) - 13 (4) [1947] complete. An unusually large collection, pb as published, quite a few of the earlier issues have covers detached or lacking, the rest are in good condition. [Also included are bound copies of Bot. Soc. Yearbooks, 1949-53, & Proceedings Vols 1 & 2, 1954-7.] £150.00

76. **RICKETT, Howard William.** Wild Flowers of the United States. 14 vols – The Northeastern States (2 vols), The Southeastern States (2 vols), Texas (2 vols), The Southwestern States (3 vols), The Northwestern States (2 vols), The Central Mountains and Plains (3 vols). Superbly illus with col photographs throughout, lge 4to, the very slightest signs of wear. [Still an absolutely stunning work, even in today’s internet age. Very heavy – it will not be practicable to post this overseas.] New York 1966-on £500.00

77. **ROSS, David.** Account of Botanical Rambles in the Pyrenees in August 1862. Sm 8vo, pp 67, a little age-toned and sl worn, sl weak internally, pb, original printed covers, sl worn. [VERY SCARCE. One of the earliest accounts of alpine plant collecting.] Edinburgh & London 1868 £95.00

78. **ROSSI, Walter & SPAGNESI, Mario.** Iconografie Orbidees d’Italia – Iconography of Italian Orchids. Elephant folio, 50 fine colour plates by Ann Eldredge Maury, one page of introductory text, loose in original card case, as issued. [Limited edition of 499 copies. this being number 129.] VERY SCARCE 2001 £300.00

79. **ROTH, J.R., SCHUBERT & ERDL.** Molluscorum Species quas itinere per orientem facto comites clariss. schubertiis doctores m. erdl et j.r. roth collegerunt – dissertatio inauguralis. Two engvd plates, square 8vo, pp viii, 26, rather foxed throughout, neatly bound in plain bds with cloth spine. VERY SCARCE Munich 1839 £75.00
80. **SALMON, William.** The Family Dictionary: or, Houshold Companion, containing cookery ..pastry .. confects..potable liquors...perfuming..husbandry..preparations Galenic and Chymick.  Fourth edition. 8vo, pp (12), 560, browned and a bit used throughout, the t.p. & preface pages frayed at the margins, rear hinge cracking, rear e.p. marked and tender, front endpapers replaced (probably nineteenth century), contemporary panelled calf, rubbed, upper joint cracking though sound, spine worn and lacking most of its surface, lacking the label.  [An unsophisticated copy of a rare work.  William Salmon (1644 – 1713) - an empiric doctor, advertising himself as “Professor of Physick” - was a writer of medical texts that savor to the modern eye of quackery. “Prolific but somewhat disreputable” - Knight and Eddy.] 1710  £500.00

81. **SAUNDERS, Edward.** The Hymenoptera Aculeata of the British Islands - a descriptive account of the families, genera and species indigenous to Great Britain and Ireland, with notes as to habits, localities, habitats etc.  With 3 plain and 51 col pls, 4to, pp xii, 392, new endpapers, cl sl rubbed, sp sl marked.  [Ray Palmer’s copy, with his two-page manuscript “additions” list tipped in at the front and a few neat manuscript notes internally.  Also with the signature of Charles Fredk Knight.] 1896  £350.00

82. **SCHNEIDER, Anna; MAONARDI, Giusi & RAIMONDI, Stefano [Pierre Viala and Victor Vermorel ; Giorgio Gallesio].** Illustrated Historical Universal Ampelography - Grape Varieties From Around the World (Ampelografia Universale Storica Illustrata - I Vitigni del Mondo).  Three vols, v finely illustrated with 551 colour plates, folio, 1440 pp, stout pictorial boards, a very good set.  Extremely heavy, weighs 12.5 kilos before packing.  [The text - bilingual English/Italian - is completely new.  For each grape it covers history, planting, pruning, morphological characteristics of trunk, shoots canes, leaves, fruits, disease susceptibility, ripening periods, yield and wines.  This is the first time that a single work has united the most beautiful collections of grape plates: the Ampelographie - Traité général de viticulture by Pierre Viala and Victor Vermorel (1901-10), Giorgio Gallesio’s Pomona Italiana (published between 1817 and 1839) and Ampelografia Italiana, published in 1882 by the Ampelographic Committee of the Ministry of Agriculture.  The work illustrates 551 cultivars, complete with entries describing each one and listing its synonyms.]  Turin 2012  £340.00

83. **SHERWOOD, Shirley (et al).** Rory McEwen - the colours of reality.  v well illustrated, pp 224, lge 4to, a v.q. copy in dustwrapper.  [A beautiful new biography and assessment] 2013  £32.00

84. **SHIGEHO TANAKA.** Figures and Descriptions of the Fishes of Japan, including Riukiu Islands, Bonin Islands, Formosa, Kurile Islands, Korea and Southern Sakhalin.  Vols II – XII, XIX – XXI, XXXI, XXXII , XXXIV – XLV, each one a large slim 8vo, sl foxing, pb, covers v sl worn (and one part with covers worn and detached), many plain pls.  SCARCE  Tokyo 1911 – 1928  £120.00

85. **SITWELL, Sacherell.** A lovely collection of eight of Sitwell’s privately published poem collections relating to plants : The Strawberry Feast, Flowering Cactus, Ruralia, Lily Poems, Auricula Theatre, The Archipelago of Daffodils, Variations Upon Old Names of Hyacinths, Rosario d’Arabeschi.  Small 8vo, not paginated, slim paperbacks, covers slightly aged.  [These “Brackley booklets” were limited to 100 copies each.  All from the library of James Russell, with his attractive bookplate in each (designed by Felix Kelly).  Two have a presentation inscription – “To Jim, from Sachie” n.d. (Brackley c.1969 – 1972)  £125.00

86. **STEARN, William T.** The Australian Flower Paintings of Ferdinand Bauer.  Folio [measures 638mm x 455mm], quarter morocco and marbled bds, pp 30, double page map + 25 fine mounted col pls with accompanying text, a v.q. copy in fitted cloth-covered box (a little marked and faded).  [Limited edition of 515 copies – this being number 200] Basilisk Press 1975  £950.00

87. **SUTTON, S.B.** In China’s Border Provinces – the turbulent career of Joseph Rock, botanist-explorer.  Illus, pp 334, small 8vo, a very good clean copy in a slightly worn and frayed d.w.  [An excessively rare book, and probably only the fourth copy I have had in 33 years.  The only detailed account of Rock.]  New York 1974  £135.00


89. **THORNTON, Robert John.** A New Illustration of the Sexual System of Linnaeus.  Folio, (measures 580mm x 467mm), full leather, ornately lined and stamped in blind and in gilt, rather rubbed scuffed and marked, pp 72 + 5 t.p or h.t., + 26 portraits of botanists (stipple engvd), + 6 engvd tables, + 51 botanical pls (uncoloured aquatints, mezzotints, stipple or line engvd), contents browned and a bit marked throughout, many pages in the second half have a marginal stain, the endpapers are v creased, the first few pages to a lesser degree.  [Buchanan, has commented “no two copies are identical”, VERY SCARCE.  Normally found accompanying Thornton’s “Temple of Flora”; and indeed this copy must once have done so as the spine is lettered “Thornton’s Botany Volume 1”.  This is a rare chance to obtain this work without spending a six-figure sum !]  [1799] – 1807  £2,500.00
90. THOMPSON, R. Campbell. A Dictionary of Assyrian Botany. Large 8vo, pp xvi, 405, cl sl faded and sl worn, joints rubbed. RARE The British Academy, London 1949 £275.00

91. TOLKOWSKY, S. Hesperides - a history of the culture and use of citrus fruits. Illus, lge thick 8vo, pp xx, 371, fore-edge v sl marked, sl damage to the top margin of a few pages, but otherwise a very good copy. [RARE The first authoritative account in English.] 1938 £120.00

92. TURRILL, W.B. The Plant-Life of the Balkan Peninsula – a phytogeographical study. Illus, lge 8vo, pp xxiv, 490, uncut (& partially unopened towards the rear), neat signature and date on f.e.p., one page slightly unevenly cut, fldg map at end, cl v sl bumped, in the exceedingly scarce d.w. which is price-clipped and sl worn and frayed. [A very good copy of a very scarce work – perhaps still the most detailed book on the area ?] Oxford 1929 £150.00

93. TUTT, J.W. (ed.). The Entomologist’s Record and Journal of Variation. Vols VIII, IX & X. Well bound in a contemporary half calf and marbled boards, very slightly rubbed and worn, but good sound copies. [The early volumes are extremely difficult to find.] 1890 – 1898 £100.00

94. WATSON, Mark F.; Hiroshi Ikeda (et al). Flora of Nepal. Volume 3 - Magnoliaceae to Rosaceae. 54 botanical plates of line drawings (each showing several plants), a colour frontispiece, large thick 4to, pp xx, 425, pictorial laminated bds, a v.g. copy. (The first volume to be published of this major new flora - covers Magnoliaceae, Lauraceae, Fumariaceae, Papaveraceae, Capparaceae, Cruciferae, Crassulaceae, Saxifragaceae, Grossulariaceae & Rosaceae.) 2011 £90.00

95. [WELCH, Humphrey]. Photocopies from his archive : BEISSNER. Handbuch der Coniferen Benennung, 1887 (+ the later edition of 1892); BEISSNER Systematische Eintheilung der Coniferen, 1887; SMITH List of Plants of the Fir Tribe, 1864 (+ 1874 edition); HENKEL & HOCHSTETTER Synopsis der Nadelholzer, 1865. VON TUBEUF Die Nadelholzer 1897; DE VOS Beredeneerd Woordenboek der Voornaamste heesters en Coniferen in Nederland Gekweekt, 1887 (+ the later edition of 1892); BEISSNER Systematische Eintheilung der Conif... 1897; (all the preceding photocopies are in loose sheets). The following are photocopies loosely assembled in book form: MORGENTHAL Die Wildwachsenden und Angebauten Nadelgeholze Deutschlands, 1950; MEYER Die Nadelholzer 1957; de vos Heesten en Coniferen 1867. Together with a few assorted papers. £50.00

96. WILKINSON, Anne. Shirley Hibberd - the Father of Amateur Gardening - his life & works, 1825-1890. Very well illus, 4to, pp 299, a v.g. copy in pic bds. [Amazing that it has taken so long for a biography to be written of this very important Victorian horticulturist.] 2012 £32.00

97. WINCH, N.J. An Essay on the Geographical Distribution of Plants, through the counties of Northumberland, Cumberland and Durham. Slim 8vo, pp 52, a little foxing, half calf and mottled bds, (possibly slightly later date ?), a little rubbed, a small sticker with number on the upper cover. [With inscription on the t.p. – “To Mr Straker, with Mr Winch’s complets”] RARE Newcastle 1819 SOLD

98. WOCKE, Erich. Die Kulturpraxis der Alpenpflanzen und ihre verwendung im steingarten und alpinum. Second edition. Well illus throughout with b&w photographs, small quarto, pp viii, 326, hinge at t.p. cracked, otherwise good internally, brown cloth ornately decorated on the upper cover with a Carlina acaulis, sl marked and worn. Berlin 1928 £30.00


100. KARSTEN, G. & SCHENCK, H. Vegetationsbilder. Series 1 – Series 26 part 4, [lacking Series 5, Series 8 part 8, Series 12 parts 5 + 6, Series 13 parts 1 – 4]. Each series comprises 8 parts. Series 1 – 4 are bound in rather worn cloth-backed boards, the rest are in parts, loose in paper covers as issued, (many covers are worn or detached, but contents throughout are good). [An amazing work: a series of fine photographic plates – collotypes, I think – with accompanying text. Each part is complete in itself; whilst some are thematic - tropical nut-trees, Mexican cacti and succulents, Amazonian epiphytes, Californian conifers etc - the great majority of the work is phytogeographical, with fine portraits of plants and vegetation of a large range of countries – Western Lapland, Northwest Argentina, Socotra, Togo, Southwest Alaska, Arizona, Samoa, Juan Fernandez, Mesopotamia, Kurdestan, Uruguay, Central China, Cuba, Guatemala, Costa Rica and many dozens more]. A rare chance to obtain such an extensive run. German text 1904-1941 £675.00
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Nearly all the books contain Fred’s bookplate, but a few are without this.

101. Acton, Harold. Two hand-written signed letters, April and May 1978, on La Pietra headed paper, one discussing music, and the other following Fred’s visit for a Country Life article. £15.00


103. Alpine Garden Society. Bulletin Number 23 (March 1936) – Alpine Plant Conference Number. Illus, pp 136, a bit worn, covers very marked. 1936 £5.00


106. Attlee, Helena. The Gardens of Portugal. Well illus, lge 4to, pp 176, d.w., v.g. 2008 £15.00

107. BaeDekeR’S Switzerland and the adjacent portions of Italy, Savoy and the Tyrol – handbook for travellers. Fifteenth edition. Sm thick 8vo, pp 496, with 39 maps, 12 plans and 12 panoramas, a bit worn throughout. [The frontis map and two others are loose] Leipzig 1893 £6.50

108. BaeDekeR. another copy. Twenty-second edition, pp 551, with 69 maps, 18 plans 711 panoramas, a bit worn throughout. Leipzig 1907 £10.00


110. Bailey, Tim S. Miraculum Naturae – Venus’s Flytrap: the natural history and culture of the most wonderful plant in the world; to which is added the early botanical history of the Tippiwitwich Sensitive with select biographical memoirs. Illus, pp 279, pb, a good copy. SCARCE 2008 £35.00


112. Balston, Michael. The Well-Furnished Garden – garden ornament and structure, traditional and modern. Well illus, pp 192, pb, sl worn, unconnected inscription on h.t. 1990 £5.00

113. Banks, Roger. Old Cottage Garden Flowers. Illus with watercolours, sm 4to, pp (4), 151, (3), a good copy in sl worn d.w. Kingswood 1983 £5.00

114. Banks’ Florilegium. A Sale of One Hundred and Twenty Prints, Charity Auction. Illus, slim 4to, pp 30, pb, a v.g. copy. Sotheby’s 1988 £15.00


116. Batey, Mavis & Lambert, D. The English Garden Tour – a view into the past. Well illus, lge 4to, pp 312, a good copy in sl worn d.w. [Presentation inscription from Batey to Ruth [Duthie]] 1990 £15.00


118. Batey, Mavis & Woudstra, Jan. The Story of the Privy Garden at Hampton Court. Illus, horizontal 8vo, pp 36, sl worn and curved. 1995 £2.50

120. BENNETT, Alfred W.  The Flora of the Alps, being a description of all the species of flowering plants indigenous to Switzerland and of the Alpine species of the adjacent mountain districts of France Italy & Austria including the Pyrenees.  2 vols, with 120 col pls, pp xxii, 165; vii, 223, fore-edge sl marked, fr hinges cracked, dec cl gilt, v sl worn (sl tightly bound) 1897 £85.00

121. BERGER, Alwin.  Hortus Mortolensis, enumeratio plantarum in horto mortolensi culturarum; Alphabetical Catalogue of Plants Growing in the Garden of the Late Sir Thomas Hanbury at La Mortola. Frontis & 7 pls, pp xxiv, 468, rear hinge cracking v slightly, notes on rear e.p., a few pencilled notes & crosses throughout, sl worn, sp head bumped.  VERY SCARCE 1912 £85.00

122. BERRALL, Julia S.  A History of Flower Arrangement.  Revised edition, well illus, 4to, pp 176, pb, sp sunned otherwise a good copy. 1978 £3.75

123. BICKNELL, C.  Flowering Plants and Ferns of the Riviera and Neighbouring Mountains, drawn and described. Illus with 82 attractive chromolithograph col pls, sm 4to, pp viii, (164), a.e.g., hinge at t.p. sl open, publisher’s half calf, the sp and joints v frayed, lacking the top 20mm.  [A duplicate from the Lindley Library, with their small cancelled label on the f.e.p.] 1885 £300.00

124. BILLINGS, Malcolm.  The Cross and the Crescent – a history of the crusades.  Illus, lge 8vo, pp 240, pb, a good copy. 1987 £3.50

125. BLAMEY, Marjorie.  Painting Flowers.  Well illus, lge 8vo, pp 128, d.w., v.g. SCARCE 1998 £35.00

126. BLUNDEN, Edmund.  Shelley – a life story.  Frontis, pp 320, a good copy in poor d.w. 1946 £3.00

127. BLUNT, Wilfred.  Flower Books and Their Illustrators – an exhibition arranged for the National Book League. Sm 8vo, pp 58 (not illus), a bit worn throughout, pb. 1950 £3.00

128. BOGGS, Kate Doggett.  Prints and Plants of Old Gardens.  Well illus, lge 4to, pp x, 101, ornate dec cl, sl worn and faded.  SCARCE Richmond, Virginia 1932 £27.50

129. BONHAM-CARTER, Victor.  Dartington Hall – the story of an experiment.  Illus, fldg plan, pp 224, a good copy in a poor d.w.  [Together with the author’s booklet of the preceding year, and three different editions of the guidebook to the gardens.] 1958 £7.50

130. BOYD-CARPENTER, Henry.  East Lambrook Manor and its Gardens. 16pp, a small guidebook, signed by author. n.d. (c.1971 ?) £2.00

131. BOWE, Patrick.  Gardens in Central Europe.  Well illus, lge 4to, pp 215, d.w., a v.g. copy. 1991 £12.50

132. BOWN, Deni.  Herbal – the essential guide to herbs for living.  Well illus, sm 4to, pp 319, a v.g. copy in d.w. (£25.00) 2001 £10.00

133. BOYDEN, Martha & VINCIGUERRA, Alessandra (eds).  Russell Page – ritratti di giardini italiano. Well illus, 4to, pp 240, pb in stiff covers, a v.g. copy.  [A detailed collection of essays & tributes (including one from Fred), to accompany the exhibition at the American Academy in Rome. Bilingual text. Together with five invitations to the opening.]  VERY SCARCE Rome 1998 £50.00

134. BRACE, Josh.  The Culture of Fruit Trees in Pots.  Illus, sm 8vo, pp x, 110, a little foxing throughout, cloth sl worn faded and with some marking by adhesion.  SCARCE 1919 £25.00

135. BROOKES, John.  Gardens of Paradise – the history and design of the great Islamic gardens.  Well illus, lge 8vo, pp 240, a good copy in d.w.  VERY SCARCE 1987 £50.00


137. BROWN, George E.  Shade Plants for Garden and Woodland.  Illus, sm 8vo, pp 240, a v.g. copy in d.w.  [A classic text from the man who developed the planting through Kew arboretum.] 1980 £10.00

138. BURFORD HOUSE.  Garden Guide.  10pp, pb.  [With two other smaller leaflets, and two copies of Arthur Hellyer’s “Country Life” article.] 1970’s £2.00

139. BUNYARD, Edward A.  The Anatomy of Dessert, with a few notes on wine.  Second edition, enlarged. Small 8vo, pp viii, 217, a little age-toned, cl sl worn and faded. 1933 £25.00

140. BUNYARD, Edward A.  A Handbook of Hardy Fruits More Commonly Grown in Great Britain – Stone and Bush Fruits, Nuts etc. Sm 8vo, pp 258, v used and weak internally, a few pencilled notes, cl dull and worn. 1925 £15.00
141. BUNYARD, Edward A.  A Handbook of Hardy Fruits More Commonly Grown in Great Britain – Apples and Pears.  Sm 8vo, pp 205, a bit weak and used internally, extensive notes and lining in text, some in ink.  1920  £20.00

142. BYNE, Mildred Stapley & BYNE, Arthur.  Spanish Gardens and Patios.  Well illus, sm 4to, pp 305, t.e.g., sl worn internally, dec buckram, gilt, sl dull worn and faded.  Philadelphia 1924  £65.00

143. CARACCIOLI, Marella & PIETROMARCHI, Giuppi.  The Gardens of Ninfa.  Well illus, tall 4to, pp 148, a good copy in d.w.  Turin 1995  £25.00

144. CARTWRIGHT, Julia.  Italian Gardens of the Renaissance.  Illus, lge 8vo, pp xii, 298, uncut, some foxing throughout, sp faded, cl v sl worn.  1914  £15.00

145. CASA VALDES, Marquesa de.  Spanish Gardens.  Well illus, lge 4to, pp xx, 297, a v.g. copy in d.w.  VERY SCARCE.  1987  £40.00


148. CHALK, Douglas.  Hebes and Parahebes.  Illus, pp xvi, 152, good copy in d.w.  1988  £7.50

149. THE CHELSEA PHYSICK GARDEN.  Illus, pp 30, fldg plan, tall 12mo, pb.  (1980’s)  £1.75

150. CLIFFORD, Derek.  A History of Garden Design.  Illus, sm 4to, pp 252, fore-edge sl marked, binding sl bowed, in a sl worn d.w.  [A very clear and easily read account.]  1966  £20.00

151. COATS, Alice.  Garden Shrubs and Their Histories.  Illus, lge 8vo, pp 416, cl faded and a little worn.  1963  £10.00


153. COLQUHOUN, Kate.  A Thing in Disguise – the visionary life of Joseph Paxton.  Illus, pp xii, 307, a little worn throughout, a little staining and wrinkling to the top margins, binding leaning slightly, in a slightly worn d.w.  [with a signed note from the author]  2003  £5.00


156. CONNOR, Brian.  Beverley Nichols – A Life.  Illus, pp 320, a good copy in a v sl worn d.w.  [With a message card inserted from “Hugh” (I think Johnson ?)]  Portland 2000  £17.50


158. COX, E.H.M.  Farrer’s Last Journey – Upper Burma, 1919-20.  Illus, pp xx, 244, a little used internally, hinges at h.t and at rear a little cracked, cl sl worn, sp a little rubbed.  SCARCE 1926  £65.00

159. CRIBB, Phillip & BAILES, Christopher.  Hardy Orchids – orchids for the garden and the frost-free greenhouse.  Illus, lge 8vo, pp xiv, 162, a good copy in d.w.  1989  £20.00

160. CURL, James Stevens.  A Dictionary of Architecture and Landscape Architecture.  A few line drwgs in the text, lge thick 8vo, pp xxvi, 880, a v.g. copy in d.w.  Oxford 2006  £15.00


162. DAVIES, Dilyse.  Alliums – the ornamental onions.  Illus, pp 168, a good copy in d.w.  1992  £15.00

163. DAVIS, John.  Antique Garden Ornament – 300 years of creativity : artists, manufacturers & materials.  Well illus, 4to, pp 389, a good copy in d.w.  SCARCE 1991  £45.00

164. DALBY, Andrew.  Cato on Farming – De Agricultura; a modern translation and commentary.  Sm 8vo, pp 243, pb, a good copy.  Totnes 1998  £10.00


166. [DELBARD].  A Passion for Roses – the notebook of Henri Delbard.  Illus with watercolours by Fabice Moireau, horizontal 8vo, pp 72, pic bds.  1996  £10.00
167. DeLORME, Eleanor P.  Garden Pavilions and the 18th Century French Court. Well illus, 4to, pp 320, a v.g. copy in d.w. 1996 £25.00


169. DILLON, Helen & CONNOLLY, Sybil.  In an Irish Garden. Well illus, 4to, pp 160, pb. 1995 £5.00

170. DOBYNS, Winfred Starr.  California Gardens. Well illus in black and white, lge 4to, pp 20 + 207 pls, cl faded and a bit worn.  SCARCE New York 1931 £40.00

171. DONOGHUE, Denis.  The Integrity of Yeats. 12mo, pp 70, pb. Cork 1967 £2.00

172. DREWITT, F. Dawtrey.  The Romance of the Apothecaries’ Garden at Chelsea. Third edition, sm 8vo, pp xviii, 175, sl worn and foxed, cl sl worn and faded. Cambridge 1928 £10.00


174. EBES, Hank.  The Florilegium of Captain Cook’s First Voyage to Australia, 1768-1771. Well illus, sm 4to, pp 200, paperback, a very good copy. [Loosely inserted are a prospectus for the proofs, an offprint of an article in The Book Collector and a guide to the “Endeavour” replica.] RARE 1988 £100.00

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522. DAVIDSON, Alan.  The Tio Pepe Guide to the Seafood of Spain and Portugal. Illus with line dwgs, sm tall 8vo, pp 191, f.e.p. sl marked, otherwise a v.g. copy in d.w.  [Two corrections by Davidson made in ink].  (The extremely scarce hardback edition)  1992  £45.00

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526. **[DAVIDSON, Alan.]**. [Funeral Cookbook]. Sm slim 8vo, pp 47, title vignette, one illus by Glen Baxter, pb, a v.g. copy. [The cover depicts the design of the label for the marmalade Alan made every year from his family’s recipe. Davidson came across the idea of the funeral cookbook custom in Thailand, where a person composes a small cookbook before her or his death so that it can be distributed to mourners attending the funeral. Davidson’s version starts with a short essay on this subject, followed by an unpublished letter to the Times on marmalade, and then recipes for Greek fish, fricaseed skate, Con’s mince, Greek chicken, toad in the hole, epicerie’s kidneys, waterzooi, meat loaf, smothered cabbage, aubergine gratin, fried zucchini, Tabitha Tickletooth’s bread and butter pudding, apple crumble tart, trifle, fluffy tapioca pudding, Susan’s grape dessert, (all these gleaned from a variety of sources).] 2003 £12.50

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532. **DAWSON, Thomas.** The Good Housewife’s Jewel. (1596-1597). A few later illustrations, pp xvi, 160, a v.g. copy in d.w. [A modern edition, not a facsimile, with an intro by Maggie Black.] Lewes 1996 £15.00


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