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1. **[ADDISON, (Joseph), STEELE (Richard)], Editors.** *The Spectator*, in eight volumes. Glasgow: *Printed by David Niven; for J. Duncan, J. M. Robertson, Dunlop, & Wilson...*, [et al] 1791.

8 vols., 12mo in 6's, cont. calf, red leather title labels, circular green numbering labels, bindings sl. rubbed, repair to top corner of board on vol. 5, some scrapes to a couple of boards. [OCLC calls for a plate in this edition, but no plate is present]

[ref: 25581 ] **£145**





2. **ANDERSEN (Hans Christian)**. The Improvisatore: or, Life in Italy. From the Danish of Hans Christian Andersen. Translated by Mary Howitt. In two volumes. London: *Richard Bentley...*, 1845.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. 2 vols., 12mo, cont. half calf, gilt, marbled sides, lacking half-titles, stain in fore-margin of first few leaves in vol. 1, e.p's spotted, name 'Isabella Newton' on front margin of titles. [Wolff 138]

[ref: 25499 ] **£125**



3. **[ANON]**. A letter from an old cavalier, to the Reverend Mr. Thomas Wingfield, on occasion of his sermon at St. Paul's, on the 30th of January last. London: *Printed for J. Cobham...*, [1748].

8vo, pp. [2], 37, [1], later boards with leather label on spine, binding unevenly darkened. [ESTC T72976 listing 3 copies only in the UK and 2 in the US. Signed 'Philocarlus' on page 36. An earlier owner has written 'By J. Lindsay' on the title-page and the 1749]

[ref: 24022 ] **£65**

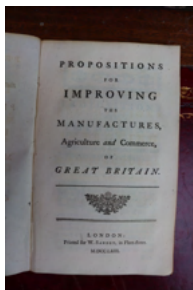




4. [ANON]. A letter to the Right Honourable the Earl of Halifax, &c. on the peace. London: *Printed for J. Newberry...*, 1763.

8vo, pp. 37, [1], [2] blank, disbound. [ESTC N19660, locating 3 copies in the UK and 4 in North America]. Lacking half-title, but with the integral blank at the end.

[ref: 24760 ] £65



5. [ANON]. Propositions for improving the manufactures, agriculture and commerce, of Great Britain. London: *Printed for W. Sandby, in Fleet-Street*, 1763.

8vo, half-title, pp. [2], 132, disbound. [ESTC T46006; Goldsmiths' 9835; Higgs 2854]

[ref: 24724 ] £55

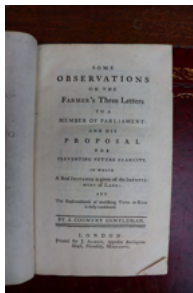




6. [ANON]. A recapitulation of the state of East Friesland; before, during and since the admission of a British garrison there; by favour of the King of Prussia only. London: *Printed for W. Nicol...*, 1763.

8vo, pp. [2], 52, disbound, some water-staining to part of leaves B3 & B4, half-title and title loose. [ESTC T221907, listing the Chatsworth copy only which appears to lack the half-title present in our copy]

[ref: 24919 ] **£75**



7. [ANON]. Some observations on the farmer's Three letters to a member of Parliament: and his proposal for preventing future scarcity. In which a real instance is given of the improvement of land: and the reasonableness of abolishing tyth in kind is fully considered. By a country gentleman. London: *Printed for J. Almon...*, 1767.

8vo, pp. 22, [2], including half-title and advert. leaf, disbound. [ESTC N36889 locating only 2 copies in the UK and 3 in North America]

[ref: 24759 ] **£95**





8. **[ANON]**. Some particular matter of fact, relating to the administration of affairs in Scotland under the Duke of Lauderdale. Humbly offered to His Majesties consideration, in obedience to his royal commands. [London]: [s.n.], [1679].

Folio, pp. 4, recent quarter calf, marbled sides. [ESTC R17787 (with “matter” and “his Majesties” in title), Wing S4549]

[ref: 24221 ] **£65**



9. **[ANON]**. The speech of a Scots weaver: dedicated to Richard Glover, Esq. London: *Printed for W. Nicoll...*, 1774.

8vo, half-title, pp. [2], 65, [1], disbound. [ESTC T102815, listing 5 copies in the UK and 11 in North America] [Goldsmiths' 11128; Higgs 5944] On the textile industry.

[ref: 24720 ] **£55**





10. **[ANON]**. To the D. of B. [text starts] When your Grace engaged in the politics of E[dinburgh]... [Edinburgh]: [s.n.] [1777]

4to., pp. 12, caption title, disbound. [ESTC T9465, giving only 5 locations, all in the UK]. [An attack on the Duke of Buccleuch, concerning Edinburgh municipal politics, signed 'One of your best friends.']

[ref: 23955 ] **£65**



11. **ARNOT (Hugo)**. The history of Edinburgh. Edinburgh: *Printed for William Creech...*, 1779.

FIRST EDITION. 4to, pp. xii, 675, [1] with directions to binder and errata, engr. frontis., fldg. engr. map, cont. quarter calf, marbled sides, rebacked retaining original red leather title label, browning and foxing of contents, edges chafed.

[ref: 25339 ] **£275**





12. **AXE (Professor J. Wortley), Editor.** The horse, its treatment in health and disease with a complete guide to breeding, training and management. London: *The Gresham Publishing Company*, [1905 - 1908].

FIRST EDITION. 9 vols., 4to, titles in red and black coloured and plain plates, tables, illus. in text, orig. green cloth decorated in black and gilt with a design by Talwyn Morris, some spotting to contents, small mark to front cover of vol. 1.

[ref: 25755 ] **£115**

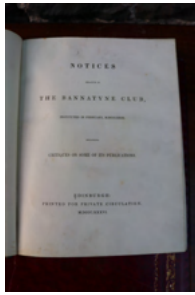


13. **BANK OF SCOTLAND.** Bank of Scotland, March 26. 1799. Minute of the general meeting of Proprietors. Ordered, that an extraordinary dividend be given to the Proprietors holding stock upon 1st June next, by transferring to them part of the Bank's interest in the 5 per cents 1797, and the rate of L.5 of the 5 per cents for each share... [etc]. [Edinburgh?]: *S.n.*, [1799?].

Single sheet, 230 X 180 mm., printed on recto only. [Not traced].

[ref: 25749 ] **£25**



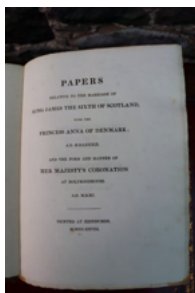


14. **BANNATYNE CLUB.** Notices relative to the Bannatyne Club, insituted in February, M.DCCC.XXIII. Including critiques on some of its publications. Edinburgh: *Printed for Private Circulation*, 1836.

4to, pp. xviii, [2] blank, list of subscribers, 277, imprint on verso, orig. half skiver brown morocco, brown paper sides, rebacked, binding rubbed, corners chafed, some spotting of prelims., largely unopened. Limited to 50 copies. Edited by James Maidment.

Terry A.

[ref: 25614 ] **£185**



15. **BANNATYNE CLUB.** Papers relative to the marriage of King James the Sixth of Scotland, with the Princess Anna of Denmark; A.D. M.D.LXXXIX. And the form and manner of Her Majesty's coronation at Holyroodhouse. A.D. M.D.XC. *Printed at Edinburgh*, 1828.

4to, pp. [3], 1, [2], iv, [iii] - xvi, 56, [18], vii, [1], 38, 2 facs. plates, orig. half morocco, brown paper sides, rubbed. Presented to the Bannatyne Club by James T. Gibson Craig. The volume includes Andrew | Melville's "Stephaniskion," John Russell's "Verba," and John Burel's description of the Queen's entry into Edinburgh, each in type facsimile. [Terry 26.]

[ref: 25087 ] **£85**





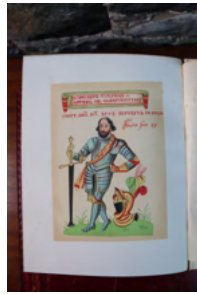


16. **BANNATYNE CLUB. LESLEY (John, Bishop of Ross).** The history of Scotland, from the death of King James 1. in the year M.CCCC.XXXVI, to the year M.D.LXI. *Printed at Edinburgh, [Bannatyne Club] 1830.*

4to, pp. [8], xxiii, [1], 319, [1], engr. frontis. portrait, (foxing), orig. half morocco, brown paper sides, binding rubbed with a couple of minor scrapes. Edited by Thomas Thomson. 100 copies on Club paper were printed for members of the Bannatyne Club. Copies on ordinary paper were printed for sale. This is the first translation into English. [Terry 38]

[ref: 25091 ] **£125**





**17. BANNATYNE CLUB. THE BLACK BOOK OF TAYMOUTH.** The Black Book of Taymouth with other papers from the Breadalbane Charter-room. Edinburgh: 1855.

Large 4to, pp. [2] being an additional title, [8], xxxviii, [2], 443, [1], 12 plates, including 9 attractive mounted chromo-lithographed plates (some occasional spotting in blank margins), some spotting of e.p.'s, and prelims. with some marks and creasing at fore-margin of half-title and following leaf, orig. cloth, rubbed. In addition to the main title (for the Bannatyne Club), there is an additional tipped-in title at the front stating "This work is printed by the Marquis of Breadalbane, for Private Circulation, and this copy is by his Lordship's desire presented to:" Copies on ordinary paper were presented to the members of the Bannatyne Club (as here). Besides the "Black Book" (a genealogical history compiled by William Bowie in 1598) the volume contains "The Chronicle of Fortirgall," "Duncan Laideus alias Macgregouris Testament," Court and household books etc. for the period 1550-1619 and other economic and social history. [Terry 100]

[ref: 25102 ] **£375**





18. **BILL.** 1 April 1830. A Bill for uniting the benefits of jury trial in civil causes with the ordinary jurisdiction of the Court of Session, and for making certain other alterations and reductions in the judicial establishments of Scotland.

[Edinburgh]: *S.n.*, [1830].

8vo, pp. 19, [1], disbound.

[ref: 25739 ] **£45**



19. **BORROW (George).** *Lavengro the scholar, the gypsy, the priest.* With twelve illustrations in colour by Edmund J. Sullivan. London: *T. N. Foulis*, 1914.

8vo, pp. xviii, [4], 654, [1] verso blank, tipped-in coloured frontis. & 11 other tipped-in coloured plates, full green calf, spine gilt in compartments, red and dark blue leather title and author labels, gilt rule borders, turnovers gilt, a.e.g., by Bayntun, a fresh and attractive copy.

[ref: 25573 ] **£145**

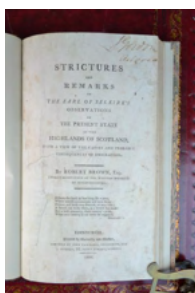




20. **BROUGHTON (John Cam Hobhouse, Baron)**. The substance of some letters written from Paris during the last reign of the Emperor Napoleon; and addressed principally to the Right Hon. Lord Byron. With an appendix of official documents. Third edition, with additional notes, and a prefatory address. In two volumes. London: *Printed for Ridgways...*, 1817.

2 vols., 8vo, half-titles, rebound quarter cloth, boards, red leather title labels, some occasional slight marks in contents.

[ref: 25008 ] **£95**



21. **BROWN (Robert)**. Strictures and remarks on the Earl of Selkirk's observations on the present state of the Highlands of Scotland, with a view of the causes and probable consequences of emigration. Edinburgh: *Printed by Abernethy and Walker...*, 1806.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. [2], 117, [3], modern quarter calf, marbled sides, green leather title label, title-page repaired and mounted.

[ref: 24554 ] **£95**





22. **BROWN (Robert)**. A treatise on agriculture and rural affairs. By Robert Brown, farmer at Markle, County of Haddington. Edinburgh: *Printed for Oliphant, Waugh, and Innes...*, 1811.

FIRST EDITION. 2 vols., 8vo, half-titles, errata leaf and six engraved plates at end of vol. 2, uncut in original boards, paper labels on spines, some very occasional minor marginal marks, boards rubbed with some chafing at corners and minor chipping.

[ref: 25253 ] **£135**

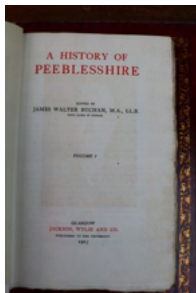


23. **BROWNE (James)**. Picturesque views of Edinburgh; the drawings by J. Ewbank, engraved by W. H. Lizars. To which is prefixed, an historical sketch of the City of Edinburgh, from the earliest to the present times. By James Browne, Esq. A.M. Edinburgh: *Printed for Daniel Lizars...*, 1825.

FIRST EDITION. 4to, pp. [4], xvi, 225, [1], engr. title with vignette, printed title, 51 engr. plates, later half calf, marbled sides, red leather title label, contents fresh.

[ref: 25334 ] **£375**





24. **BUCHAN (James Walter), PATON (Rev. Henry). Ed.** The history of Peeblesshire. Glasgow: *Jackson, Wylie and Co...*, 1925, 1927.

FIRST EDITION. 3 vols., thick 8vo, frontis. to each vol., titles in red & black, plates, maps, genealogical tables, orig. quarter vellum, red cloth sides, t.e.g., others uncut, sl. chipped dust wrappers with glassine protection, some sl. marking to vellum else a very good set. One of 100 De Luxe copies on hand-made paper.

[ref: 25197 ] **£300**





25. **[BURT (Captain Edward).]** Letters from a gentleman in the North of Scotland to his friend in London; containing the description of a capital town built in that northern country... likewise an account of the Highlands, with the customs and manners of the Highlanders... The fifth edition, with engravings... and the history of Donald the Hammerer, from an authentic account of the family of Invernahayle; a MS. communicated by Sir Walter Scott, Bart. In two volumes. London: *Printed for Ogle, Duncan...*, 1822.

2 vols., 8vo, lacking half-titles, engr. frontis. to each vol., lacking advert. leaf at end of vol. 2, 19th C. tan calf, gilt, red & green leather labels, some spotting of titles, joints cracked but firm, top of spine of vol. 1 chipped, bindings rubbed. [A re-issue of the 1818 edition which had caused Scott problems due to his name appearing on the title-page and articles in periodicals drawing attention to his reliance on Burt as a source for Waverley and thus possibly linking him to the authorship of the novel. Scott had managed to have his name removed from the title-page of most copies of the 1818 edition, but here it appeared again in the 1822 issue. He vainly attempted to have it removed once again. See Todd & Bowden pp. 478-9. Todd & Bowden 127Ab]

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[ref: 25724 ] £65





26. **CAVE (William).** *Apostolici: or, the history of the lives, acts, death, and martyrdoms of those who were contemporary with, or immediately succeeded the Apostles. As also the most eminent of the primitive fathers for the first three hundred years. To which is added, A chronology of the three first ages of the church. The fourth edition corrected.* London: *Printed by W. D. for J. Walthoe...*, 1716.

Folio, engr. frontis, engr. title, title printed in red & black, engr. portraits in text, pp. [24]. xxii, 738, cont. calf, rebaked, corners worn, water-stain in lower fore-corner of contents approx. 3 X 3 inches. [ESTC T126603 noting 'The chronological table of the three first ages and of the Christian church' and 'Ecclesiastici: or, the history of the lives, .. writings, of the most eminent fathers of the church, that flourish'd in the fourth century' have separate title pages. Two leaves, paginated with two numerals to each page continue the pagination between 330 and 339.]

[ref: 24825 ] **£185**





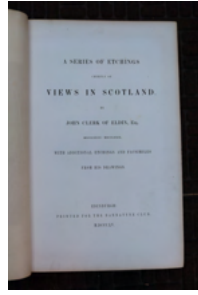


27. **CHRISTIE (W.) & CHRISTIE (Wm.).** Traditional ballad airs. Arranged and harmonised for the pianoforte and harmonium, from copies procured in the counties of Aberdeen, Banff, and Moray... Edited, with the words for singing, and with illustrative notes... by W. Christie... Edinburgh: *Edmonston and Douglas...*, 1876, 1881.

FIRST EDITION. 2 vols., 4to, titles in red & black, cont. half brown morocco, with the ticket of W.L. Taylor, Bookbinder, Bookseller & Stationer, Peterhead, free e.p.'s to both vols. creased & foxed, prelims. spotted, bindings bit rubbed & chafed.

[ref: 25027 ] **£125**





28. **CLERK (John, of Eldin).** A series of etchings chiefly of views in Scotland. By John Clerk of Eldin, Esq. MDCCLXXIII - MDCCLXXIX. With additional etchings and facsimiles from his drawings. Edinburgh: *Printed for the Bannatyne Club*, 1855.

FIRST COMPLETE COLLECTED EDITION. Folio. 505 X 320mm., pp. xv, [1] blank, (including the list of subscribers), and xvii - xxx at the end, being a description of the plates, frontis. portrait of Clerk on India-paper, litho. plate of unfinished etchings, engraved portrait of Lord Eldin (the artist's son), 42 plates of etchings (20 being full-page, the rest with between 2 and 5 views to a plate), 13 tinted litho. plates (10 full-page and 3 with 2 views to a plate), all with tissue guards, orig. quarter dark red skiver morocco, rebaced with original spine laid down, new e.p.'s, cloth sides, paper label on upper cover, contents fresh and bright, spine scraped and chafed, cloth sides dull and rubbed with the corners chafed. [One of about 120 copies printed. In 1825, the Bannatyne Club printed a suite of 28 etchings, then all that was known to exist of the eighty or ninety thought to have been executed, presented to the Club as the contribution of Lord Eldin, the brilliant and eccentric advocate and eldest son of the artist. Some months later, Lord Eldin discovered a considerable number of small copperplates, which were finally purchased by the Club in 1848. All were incorporated into this greatly enlarged collection, which also includes 16 lithographic reproductions of drawings and sketches which had never been engraved. The edition also contains 10 pages of biographical notices, and 14 pages describing the views. Clerk of Eldin was one of the pioneers of etching in Scotland, attaining an extraordinary technical proficiency, particularly in the series of small plates, some of them hardly bigger than a visiting card. But he also did medium-sized and indeed quite large plates, and his views of Craigmillar Castle, The Hill of Arthur's Seat, Edinburgh from Lochend, Picardy near Edinburgh, etc. amply demonstrate that he could work on a large scale. E.S. Lumsden (*Print Collector's Quarterly*, vol. xii) asserts that Clerk was influenced by foreign engravers, and certainly some of his plates show a measure of kinship



to Hollar's work. "Some of his finest plates entitle him to a definite and permanent place among the etchers who count."]. [Terry 98].

PROVENANCE. The copy which belonged to Sir James Young Simpson, 1811-1870, physician and pioneer of chloroform, and an original subscriber to the work. Then by descent to Patrick William Simpson (1922-2022), late of St. Bernard's Crescent, Edinburgh; then sold by Lyon and Turnbull, auctioneers. With a letter guaranteeing the provenance of this copy, signed by Henrietta Simpson, wife of the late Patrick William Simpson, and also signed by by Dominic Somerville-Brown, of Lyon and Turnbull, dated 28th September, 20123.

[ref: 25300 ] **£1950**



**29. COUPE (J.M.L), TESTU, DESFONTAINES (P.F. Guyot),  
MERICOURT (Lefuel de)].**

Histoire universelle des Theatres de toutes les nations, depuis Thespis jusqu'à nos jours; par une Société de Gens de Lettres Paris: *Chez les auteurs... La Veuve Duchesne...*, 1779 - 1781.

13 vols. in 12, 8vo, 44 engr. plates (including 12 fldg.), cont. quarter calf, gilt, marbled sides, brown leather title labels, bindings rubbed with occasional chipping, damage to rear joint of vol. 10, some minor chipping to a few other joints but overall a sound set. [With the scarce thirteenth volume, which is apparently often missing, bound after vol. 12]

[ref: 22653 ] **£145**

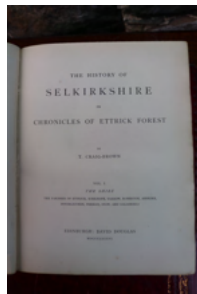




30. **CRAIG (Thomas).** Jus Feudale tribus libris comprehensum. Quibus non solum Consuetudines Feudales, & Praediorum Jura, quae in Scotia, Anglia, & plerisque Galliae locis obtinent, continentur; sed Universum Ius Scoticum, et omnes fere Materiae Iuris clare & dilucide exponuntur, & ad fontes Juris Feudalis & Civilis singula reducuntur. Editio tertia, prioribus multo emendatior... Opera & studio Jacobi Baillie Advocati. Edinburgi: *Apud Tho. & Walt. Ruddimannos*, 1732.

Folio, pp. xxii, 524, 52, engr. frontis. portrait, title in red & black, rebound quarter calf. [ESTC T144476] ["No clearer statement of the feudal system in its legal relations exists, and it is still, although the law has been much altered, the standard authority in Scotland as to the original condition of its feudal land-law, probably as complete as that of any European country." DNB.]

[ref: 23264 ] **£195**



31. **CRAIG-BROWN (T.).** The history of Selkirkshire or chronicles of Ettrick Forest. Edinburgh: *David Douglas*, 1886.

FIRST EDITION. 2 vols., 4to, fldg. maps, plates, facs., rebound in half red morocco, red cloth sides, with seal from original cloth bindings mounted on upper covers, plan in vol. 2 with water stain, else a very attractive copy. Number 179 of 250 copies printed, signed with author's initials

[ref: 25398 ] **£385**





32. **DARIEN.** A new map of ye Isthmus of Darien in America. The Bay of Panama. The Gulf of Vallona or St. Michael, with its Islands and Countries adjacent. London: [John Senex], 1721.

Engr. map, 300 X 490, some very light hand-colouring. [Usually offered with an accompanying map 'A draft of the Golden and Adjacent Islands with part of ye Isthmus of Darien' also by Senex.] The above map is a later issue by Senex of a map issued in 1699 by Robert Hacke and Robert Morden. Senex removed the earlier imprints and changed the dedication from Lord John Sommers to John Haldane. The above map shows the location of the ill-fated Scottish colony of New Edinburgh (popularly known as the Darien Scheme) founded by the Company of Scotland. The dedication to John Haldane of Gleneagles, which appears on the map which usually accompanies this one, is an acknowledgement of his role as a director of the Company of Scotland.

[ref: 24525 ] **£350**



33. **DARIEN SCHEME.** The Darien Papers: being a selection of original letters and official documents relating to the establishment of a colony at Darien by the Company of Scotland trading to Africa and the Indies. 1695-1700.

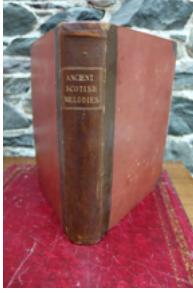
Printed at Edinburgh: [Bannatyne Club], 1849.

4to, frontis. map, 2 other plates of facs., (1 double page), pp. xxxxii, 417, [1 blank], orig. cloth, recased with original spine with paper label laid down, some staining to fore-edge of binding. [Terry 90; Goldsmiths' 36282; Sabin 18548].

Edited by John Hill Burton.

[ref: 25292 ] **£400**



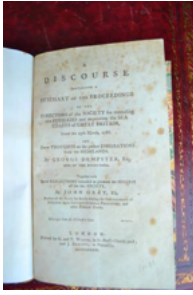


34. **DAUNEY (William).** Ancient Scottish melodies, from a manuscript of the reign of King James VI. With an introductory enquiry illustrative of the history of the music of Scotland. Edinburgh: [*Bannatyne and Maitland Clubs*], 1838.

FIRST EDITION. 4to, pp. [6], x, 390, decor. title, printed title, orig. half brown morocco, brown paper covered boards, some scattered foxing of contents, couple of inches of insect damage at top of inner hinges, binding rubbed and sl. chafed. With an advertisement tipped in at the back, by the Edinburgh Printing and Publishing Company, who printed the work, announcing the publication of the work and stating that after 183 copies were to be supplied to the members of the Bannatyne and Maitland Clubs, the few copies remaining could be applied for. The price was Two pounds, two shillings. [Terry 59]

[ref: 25753 ] **£155**





35. **DEMPSTER (George)**. A discourse containing a summary of the proceedings of the directors of the Society for Extending the Fisheries and Improving the Sea Coasts of Great Britain, since the 25th March, 1788. And some thoughts on the present emigrations from the Highlands. By George Dempster, Esq. One Of The Directors. Together with some reflections intended to promote the success of the said society, by John Gray, Esq. Author of the Plan for finally settling the Government of Ireland upon Constitutional Principles, and other Political Tracts. London: *Printed for G. and T. Wilkie...*, 1789.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. iv, [1] 4-87, folding plate, erratum slip, later quarter calf, marbled sides, some foxing to prelims. and occasionally to contents [ESTC T120778]

[ref: 24473 ] **£125**



36. **DIX (Thomas)**. A treatise on land-surveying, in seven parts... The whole illustrated with upwards of two hundred diagrams, and a coloured plan of an estate. Fourth edition, with great additions and improvements. London: *Printed by Weed and Rider...*, 1819.

8vo, fldg. hand-coloured frontis., plate of 'Plotting Scale' and illus. in text throughout, pp. xii, 214, [2] adverts., 12 page advert. for school books printed by Longmans at end, modern boards, sl. marking of half-title and title.

[ref: 25521 ] **£125**



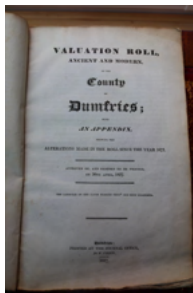




37. **DRUMMOND (William).** The poems of William Drummond of Hawthornden. London: *Printed for E. Jeffrey...*, 1791.

Sm. 8vo, engr., frontis. portrait (some browning with offset to title, pp. [2], (being leaf B1 bound as a half-title), viii, [3] - 326, cont. sprinkled calf, red leather title label, spine decor. gilt, couple of brown marks on title-page, binding sl. rubbed at corners else an attractive copy. [ESTC T145758]

[ref: 25516 ] **£125**



38. **DUMFRIES.** Valuation roll, ancient and modern, of the County of Dumfries; with an appendix, shewing the alterations made in the roll since the year 1671. Approved of, and ordered to be printed, on 30th April, 1827. The Land-Tax of the lands marked thus\* has been redeemed. Dumfries: *Printed at the Journal Office, by W. Carson, 1827.*

Folio, pp. 129, (verso blank), [2], 1, (Appendix), crude linen cloth over boards?, ms. title on spine, some curling of corners of text.

[ref: 25262 ] **£135**







39. **DUNLOP (James).** George, &c. Whereas it is humbly meant and shown to us, by our Lovite, James Dunlop, late of Garnkirk, that upon the fourth day of February last, he was incarcerated in the tolbooth of the Abbey of Holyroodhouse, in Virtue of an act of warding obtained at the instance of John Carmichael, candelmaker in the Abbey for not making payment to the said John Carmichael of the sum of L. 10 sterling contained in the pursuer's promissory note to him... And the pursuer is likewise continually oppressed and in danger of being arrested in prison... That the pursuer's inability to pay his debts is not occasioned by any fraud in him... etc. [with] Another identical regarding James Dunlop. [Edinburgh]: [1799]

2 sheets, 280 X 220 mm., each 2 pages, with names of different debtors entered in manuscript with their manuscript details filled in on the verso, tear in one document. [Essentially a request that Dunlop be set free as his debts were caused by losses in business rather than fraud. Not traced in ESTC but Library Hub lists some similar documents.]

[ref: 25734 ] £65

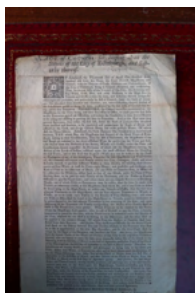




40. **EDINBURGH.** Act of Council against unfree traders, &c. Edinburgh, February 29th 1729. [Edinburgh]: [s.n.], [1729]

Broadsheet, 410 X 325 mm., printed on recto only. some browning of edges and centre where previously folded, repairs to upper blank margin and to tears in centre fold, no loss of text. [ESTC T19153, listing 5 copies in the UK and 2 at Harvard. Kress S.3264; Hanson, 3941]

[ref: 24944 ] **£95**



41. **EDINBURGH.** Act of council for keeping clean the streets of the City of Edinburgh, and suburbs thereof. [Edinburgh]: [s.n.]. [1745].

Broadsheet, 370 X 220 mm., printed on recto only, slightly dusty, repair to title. [ESTC T19157, locating 4 copies in the UK and 3 at Harvard]

[ref: 24874 ] **£95**





42. **EDINBURGH.** Report to the commissioners for the city improvements, by the committee for obtaining the new Act of Parliament. [With an appendix of documents.] [with] Additional Report of the Committee of the Faculty of Advocates on the Improvements Bill. Edinburgh: *Printed at the Caledonian Mercury Press, 1831.* [*first item*],; [*Edinburgh*]: Sn., [1831] *second item.*

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. 126, [2] blank; 2; disbound, with postal address to Charles Ferguson, Advocate, on verso of a blank leaf at the end, and his ownership inscription at the head of the title to the first item. [Library Hub locates only 1 copy of each item].

[ref: 25744 ] **£125**





43. **FACULTY OF ADVOCATES.** A Bill, as amended by the committee, for uniting the benefits of jury trial in civil causes with the ordinary jurisdiction of the Court of Session, and for making certain other alterations and reductions in the judicial establishments of Scotland. [with] Minutes of a meeting of the Faculty of Advocates, held ... 2d June, 1830... considering the new Judicature Bill.

[Edinburgh]: *S.n.*, [1830] (*both items*).

2 items 8vo, pp. 21, [2], verso blank but with a manuscript note stating that the County of Edinburgh complained about the short time allowed for consideration... and that the Faculty of Advocates took the same view and voted for delaying the Bill. The second item pp. 6, [1], verso blank, disbound. [Library Hub lists only 2 copies of each].

[ref: 25745 ] **£45**





44. **FACULTY OF ADVOCATES.** Report from the committee on the new library, March 1830. [with] New library. Resolution referred to in the dissent and protest "That the proceedings of the committee be approved of, in so far as relates to the immediate executing of the corridor". [A form of dissent for signature.] [with] Statement connected with the building of the new library of the Faculty of Advocates. ] [with] Report of the curators regarding the library. Edinburgh: *Printed by A. Balfour, 1830. [first, third and fourth works]; [Edinburgh, S. n., 1830] second work.*

4 works, 8vo, pp. 22, [2] blank, with ms. note on verso of blank leaf; 4; 18, [2] blank, disbound, some damage to blank inner margin of first couple of leaves. [Library Hub lists only 2 copies of each ] These relate to Playfair's plans for the new Faculty of Advocates library, drawn up in 1830.

[ref: 25740 ] **£145**

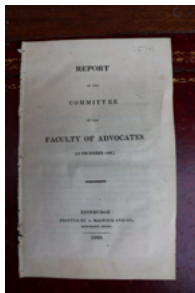


45. **FACULTY OF ADVOCATES.** Report of the committee appointed by the Faculty, on 24th January, 1829, to inquire into the matters stated in Mr. Repp's memorial. Edinburgh: *Printed by A. Balfour..., 1829.*

8vo, pp. 32, disbound. [Library Hub locates 2 copies]. Repp had been Assistant Librarian to the Faculty, and had been dismissed.

[ref: 25742 ] **£55**



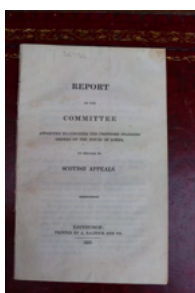


46. **FACULTY OF ADVOCATES.** Report of the committee of the Faculty of Advocates, (18 December 1828.) (appointed to consider the subject of the times and conditions of the admission of intrants to the Faculty of Advocates, and the propriety of requiring some preliminary and some professional education, as well as the propriety of an addition to the sum paid on admission).

Edinburgh: *Printed by A. Balfour...*, 1828.

8vo, pp. 7, [1] blank, disbound. [Library Hub lists 2 copies]

[ref: 25741 ] £55



47. **FACULTY OF ADVOCATES.** Report of the committee [of the Faculty of Advocates] appointed to consider the proposed standing orders of the House of Lords, in regard to Scottish Appeals. Edinburgh: *Printed by A. Balfour and Co.,* 1831

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. 29, [3] blank, disbound, an incomplete ms. note at the foot of page 5, An uncommon title.

[ref: 25736 ] £65

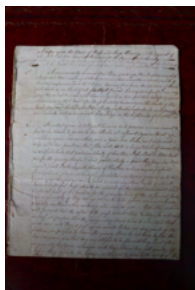




48. **[GILBERT (Thomas)]**. A scheme for the better relief and employment of the poor: humbly submitted to the consideration of the members of the both Houses of Parliament. By a Member of Parliament. London: *Printed in the year, 1765*.

8vo, pp. [8], 31, [1], disbound. [ESTC T47142].

[ref: 24713 ] **£75**

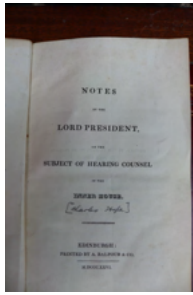


49. **HEISSMARS? (G.)**. Remarks on sheep and sheep farming. [Ms. docket title] 1797.

4to. manuscript, written on 11 pages, headed 'A copy upon the views of sheep and sheep farming at the request of Sir John Sinclair Baronet President of the Agricultural Society with some additional hints respecting Black Cattle & Horses in the Highlands of Scotland, and the improving waste land by Turnep (sic) and Potatoes.' Although signed twice by the author at the foot of the last page of text and on the docket title on the last page, the name is not clear and we have been unable to trace anything similar. On page 7 he refers to to several farmers 'successfully engaged in the improvements of the Cheviot breed of sheep for 40 years back on the Borders of Cheviot Hills.'

[ref: 25260 ] **£165**





50. **[HOPE Charles)].** Notes by the Lord President, on the subject of hearing counsel in the Inner House. Edinburgh: *Printed by A. Balfour...*, 1926.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. 7, [1] blank, disbound. [Library Hub locates only 3 copies]

[ref: 25743 ] **£45**



51. **HYPOTHEC.** A Bill intituled an Act to regulate the Landlord's Right of Hypothec in Scotland. [Edinburgh]: *S.n.*, [1830].

8vo. pp. 2, disbound. [Library Hub locates only the National Library of Scotland copy].

[ref: 25747 ] **£25**







52. **INFETMENTS.** A Bill to alter and amend the law regarding the taking of infetments in heritable property in Scotland. [with] Remarks on a Bill to alter and amend the law regarding taking of infetments in Scotland. [Edinburgh]: S. n., [1830]. [*first item*]; Edinburgh: Printed for Adam Black, 1831. [*second item*]

2 works, 8vo, pp. 16; 23, [1] blank, both disbound. [Library Hub locates only 2 copies of each].

[ref: 25746 ] **£45**

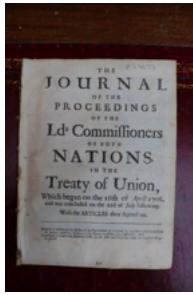


53. **KUFFNER (Abraham Wolfgang).** Allegorische Vorstellung des grundverderblichen Lottospiels. S.l. n.d. [c. 1788]

Etching, 245 X 210 mm., expertly set in to a larger sheet of paper, some marks in margins. "Scene in a Nuremberg street with crowds of citizens, some rejoicing, others weeping, as the result of the lottery are announced: the building on the left has an inscription 'Mundus vult decipi' (the world wishes to be deceived) and another on the right 'Ergo decipiatur' (so let it be deceived)." From British Museum Number 1876,0510.666.

[ref: 25731 ] **£175**





54. **LORDS COMMISSIONERS.** The journal of the proceedings of the Lds Commissioners of both nations, in the Treaty of Union, which began on the 16th of April 1706, and was concluded on the 22d of July following. With the Articles then agreed on. [London]: *Printed at Edinburgh by order of the Parliament of Scotland.... and Reprinted at London for Andrew Bell., [1706].*

FIRST EDITION. Sm. 4to, pp. 79, [1], disbound. [ESTC T29219]

[ref: 24673 ] **£75**



55. **LOTTERY.** Satirical print, with title 'Anticipation.' N.p. [1813]?

Etched caricature, 230 x 3760 mm., unsigned, depicting men carousing round a table, an advertisement for a lottery (dated 1813) on wall listing the prizes, the highest being for £20,000, speech bubbles with one reading 'Great News!! Twenty Thousand Pounds, Peace & Plenty, Wellington for Ever, No Bonaparte, and Long Life to the Lottery,' small inset images of 'Fortune' and 'Ld. Wellington' on upper right, the imprint beneath the title has been trimmed so there are no details of the publication, some dust-soiling in the margins. We have been unable to trace this caricature.

[ref: 25732 ] **£80**



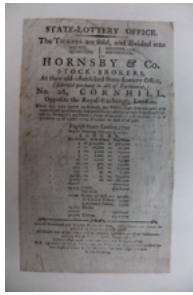


56. **LOTTERY. BISH (T.). Stock-Broker.** New State Lottery, contains only 13,500 tickets, and will be drawn Tuesday, the 22d of October, 1811... [London]: *T. Bish*, [1811].

Single sheet, 250 X 195 mm., printed on recto only. [with] Manuscript letter addressed to Major Dickens, 34th Regt. Lisbon, care of Angus Macdonald Esqr. Pall Mall Court, from the State Lottery Office, London, acknowledging receipt of a draft of £19. 19. 0 on his behalf for a Lottery Ticket, the total including Register and postage being £20. 1. 4. and signed on behalf of T. Bish, dated 23rd September 1811. The printed sheet tipped on to a sheet of paper, with the letter expertly laid on behind to show both the address and the contents. [An unusual survival with the letter giving the name of the ticket buyer who bought the highest priced ticket available]

[ref: 25728 ] **£95**





57. **LOTTERY. HORNSBY & CO.** State-lottery Office. The tickets are sold, and divided into halves, quarters, eighths, and sixteenths, by Hornsby & Co. stock-brokers, at their old established State-Lottery Office, ... no. 26, Cornhill, opposite the Royal-Exchange, London. ... English State-Lottery, 1790 begins drawing February 9, 1791. ... [London]: [*Hornsby?*], [1790].

Single sheet, 215 X 125 mm., printed on both sides, expertly inlaid to a larger sheet, exposing both sides, recto a bit rubbed but readable. [ESTC T169676, locating copies at only the Bishopsgate Institute and Northampton Record Office]

[ref: 25729 ] **£165**



58. **LOTTERY. MOREFIELD (Matthew).** Know all men... that I Matthew Morefield... Manager and Director of the Lottery for the year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Two... do... appoint William Andrew... lawful attorney for us and in my name to ask demand and receive from the Teller of His Majesty's Exchequer... all such sum and sums of money... [etc.]. N.p. 1773.

Manuscript, Single sheet, signed, witnessed, stamps and seal, docket title on verso, folded and leaves stuck down, a bit dusty.

[ref: 25750 ] **£45**





59. **MAITLAND (William).** The history of Edinburgh, from its foundation to the present time. Containing a faithful relation of the publick transactions of the citizens; accounts of the several parishes; its governments, civil, ecclesiastical, and military; incorporations of trades and manufactures; courts of justice; state of learning; charitable foundations, etc. With the several accounts of the parishes of the Canongate, St. Cuthbert, and other districts within the suburbs of Edinburgh. Together with the antient and present state of the town of Leith, and a perambulation of divers miles around the city. With an alphabetical index. In nine books. The whole illustrated with a plan of the town, and a great variety of other fine cuts of the principal buildings within the city and suburbs. Edinburgh: Printed by Hamilton, Balfour and Neill, for the author, 1753.

FIRST EDITION, first issue. Folio, fldg. engr. frontis. plan of the city by Edgar, (with some staining at inner gutter), 20 other engr. plates, cont. calf, skilfully rebaked with original spine laid down, red leather title label. Contents fresh. The scarce first issue, with leaves 2H2 and 2X2 in uncanceled state, followed in this copy by the corrected leaves with amended text. 762 copies of the book were published, but on publication the Coutts family initiated a lawsuit against Maitland as they thought they had been libelled by Maitland's comments concerning the supposed role of Lord Provost Coutts during a shortage of corn in 1740. The lawsuit was successful and the book had to be recalled from circulation so that the offending text could be removed. This resulted in the cancellation of leaf 2H2 to appease the Coutts family and leaf 2X2 was also cancelled due to a slighting reference to Walter Little. Maitland had distributed 213 of the 762 copies, mostly to the Edinburgh booksellers, thus the remaining 549 in stock had to have the offending leaves cancelled, while as many copies of those already distributed had to be recalled for the same purpose. This led to very few copies in circulation with the leaves in uncanceled state. ECSB 717.]

[ref: 25337 ] £675

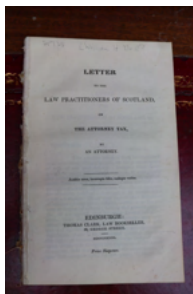




60. **[MEIN (Robert)]**. Edina's welcome to our Royal Sisters at the Convention in Edinburgh, in July 1774. [Edinburgh]: [s.n.], [1774]

8vo, pp. 3, [1], folded, with the signature of Robert Mein at foot of page 2 and the ink has bled to the previous page affecting a few words with some staining but the sense is legible. ESTC lists 1 copy in the National Library of Scotland. [ESTC N510695]

[ref: 24797 ] **£325**

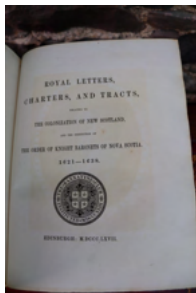


61. **[MUIR (William H.)]** Letter to the law practitioners of Scotland on the attorney tax, by an attorney. Edinburgh: *Thomas Clark...*, 1833.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. [2], 22, [2] blank, disbound. [Library Hub locates only 2 copies].

[ref: 25738 ] **£65**





62. **NOVA SCOTIA.** Royal letters, charters, and tracts, relating to the colonization of New Scotland, and the institution of the Order of Knights Baronets of Nova Scotia. 1621-1638. Edinburgh: [*Bannatyne Club*], 1867. 4to, pp. [4], vi, 127, [1], 51, [1], [32], 47, [1], [34], engr. frontis. portrait of the Earl of Stirling, facs. plate of letter, 2 double-page engr. maps, orig. green pebble cloth, paper label on spine. Edited by David Laing. This volume, containing Tracts, reprinted at the expense of the Club, was presented by the editor. Contents include Captain John Mason's 'A brief discourse of the New-found-land;' Sir William Alexander's 'An encouragement to colonies;' Sir Robert Gordon of Lochinvar's 'Encouragements for New Galloway in America. [Terry 114.]

[ref: 25103 ] **£400**







63. **PICART (Bernard)**. Monument consacré à la posterité en memoire de la folie incroyable de la XX. année du XVIII siecle.= : Ter eeuwiger gedagtenisse der dwaasheid van het XX jaar der XVIII eeuw. / Desinit in luctum species formosa superne. Hor. Art poet. B. Picart fecit 1720 [Amsterdam]: [*S.n.*], [1720?].

Engraved plate, 278 X 363 mm., folded, small chip in right blank margin. Plate to: Het groote tafereel der dwaasheid, Amsterdam, 1720. [A chariot driven by Folly and pulled by speculative trading companies displays a figure of Fortune corrupting honest trade. The following is based on the British Museum online catalogue and on de Bruyn, loc. cit. A street scene in Amsterdam. In the right background, people trading shares in the English coffee house (nicknamed Quinquenpoix after the Paris stock-exchange in the rue Quinquenpoix). From the coffee house a large crowd of people surround and push a cart with Fortuna, the cart pulled by six allegorical figures representing various investment schemes. In front of the cart are mushrooms representing the towns which invested in the schemes. Above, the devil blows soap bubbles over Fortuna. On the left is the destination of the cart: labelled gateways to three asylums of Amsterdam (the sickhouse, the madhouse and the poorhouse). Fame flies off to the left. Bottom centre, a Janus head showing two faces of investment. Among the crowd on the left is a man with a magic lantern. The British Museum holding gives a description 'A Satire on Law's Mississippi scheme: personifications of various elements involved in the scheme (Mississippi, Compagnie des Indes, Bank, etc) dragging a chariot driven by Madness and running over True Trade; on the chariot stands Fortune, who is throwing shares, snakes and fool's hats at the crowd; above her, the devil blows bubbles; the chariot leads a crowd to a building with three doors (hospital for the mad, the sick and the poor); on the left people gathered around a standing man holding a project for a trade company.'

[ref: 25720 ] **£165**





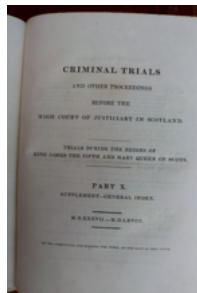


64. **PIGAL (Edme Jean)**. La Loterie. Affaires du Jour. No. 4. [Paris]: *Gihaut Freres*, [n.d., c.1830's?].

Lithograph by Pierre de Langlume, 255 X 180 mm., hand-colouring, mounted on a sheet of paper, some slight dust-marking. Pigal was noted for his satirical works on everyday customs.

[ref: 25730 ] **£50**





65. **PITCAIRN (Robert)**. Criminal trials in Scotland, from A.D. M.CCCC. LXXXVIII to A.D. M.DC.XXIV, embracing the entire reigns of James IV. and V., Mary Queen of Scots, and James VI. compiled from the original records and mss., with historical notes and illustrations. Edinburgh: *William Tait*, [1829] - 1833.

FIRST EDITION. 10 vols., 4to, being the original part volumes as issued, plates, original brown boards, brown cloth spines with paper labels, part 9 from a different set and bound in a close match, The instructions to the binder and title-pages for binding the work as intended are on the recto of the title to volume X, here with label on spine 'Criminal Trials. Vol. 1. 1537 - 1568, Supplement and Index. Vol. III.' Repairs and rubbing and minor chipping to some volumes, base of spine of vol. 2 defective, but a sound set as issued. [Sir Walter Scott reviewed the earlier parts of Pitcairn's massive work at considerable length in the *Quarterly Review*, praising Pitcairn's "enduring and patient toil" and thanking him for his "self-denying exertions" in producing "a most extraordinary picture of manners" calculated to be "highly valuable in a philosophical point of view," and containing much that would "greatly interest the jurist and the moralist." It is undoubtedly a remarkable work, covering the period 1488 - 1624. It was issued by the Bannatyne and Maitland clubs. Printed at the Bannatyne Club Press by James Ballantyne.] [Terry 42]

[ref: 25754 ] £425





66. **REID (Forrest).** Demophon. a Traveller's tale. [London & Glasgow]: *W. Collins...*, 1927.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, frontis, pp. 270, orig. buckram, couple of sl. marks on covers.

[ref: 25723 ] **£35**



67. **SCOTTISH ENTAILS.** Sketch of resolutions which may probably be proposed for the consideration of the Select Committee on the Scottish Entails Bill. [Edinburgh]: *S.n.*, [1828].

8vo, pp. 8, disbound. [Library Hub lists only 2 copies].

[ref: 25737 ] **£65**

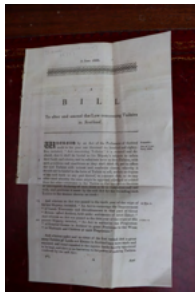




68. **SMITH (John Thomas)**. The water-front of the buildings on the eastern side of New Palace Yard. Drawn by J. T. Smith. Engraved by W. M. Fellows. London: *Published... May 14, 1808, by John Thomas Smith 1808.*

Sepia engraving, 240 X 265 mm., mounted on a plain sheet. With a description at foot 'NB. The building to which a figure points is now the Exchequer Bill Office. It was formerly used for the preparation of the State Lottery Tickets, & was an Office for the Tontine & American claims...'

[ref: 25733 ] **£45**



69. **TAILZIES**. A Bill to alter and amend the law concerning Tailzies in Scotland. 9 June 1828. [with] A Bill to alter and modify an Act of Parliament of Scotland, intituled, "Act concening Tailzies." 8th December 1830. [with] A Bill to grant certain powers to Heirs of Tailzie in Scotland... 8th December 1830. [etc]. [with] A Bill to regulate future Tailzies in Scotland. 8th December 1830. [London]: [*House of Commons*]?. 1828. [*first work*]. [*Edinburgh*]? N.p., [1830] *last 3 works*.

4 works, first work 4to, pp. 11, (docket title on verso), 3 other works, 8vo, pp. 8; 22, [2] blank]; 9, [1] blank, all disbound, first item trimmed at inner blank margin to fit in a volume. [2 copies of each located in Library Hub].

[ref: 25751 ] **£55**





70. **VOTING PAPER.** I [blank filled in] residing within the parish of [blank filled in] do hereby vote, poll for, and elect the twenty-five persons following, to be Provost, Baillies, Dean of Guild, Treasurer, and Ordinary Council of the City of Edinburgh, for the ensuing year, and until Michaelmas next, viz..

[Edinburgh]: *S.n.*, [1746].

Single sheet, 205 X 330 mm., caption title, the blanks filled in by the voter Alexr. Orem shoemaker in Old Grayfriars parish, and his chosen nominees also filled in with the names in manuscript next to their printed names. At foot: As witness these, subscribed by me, at Edinburgh, this 24 day of November one thousand seven hundred and forty-six years, by me Alexr. Ormer. Folded, with ms. address to Alexr. Orem, cordiner. A bit frayed and dusty. A rare survival. [ESTC N471668, listing 2 copies in Scotland ]

[ref: 25735 ] **£65**



71. **WATSON (Rosamund Marriott).** *After Sunset.* London & New York: *John Lane...*, 1904.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. x, [2], 110, [2] adverts., untrimmed in orig. green cloth, gilt title, foxing of e.p.'s and occasionally of contents, untrimmed fore-edge a bit dust-soiled. A scarce volume of verse.

[ref: 25725 ] **£45**





72. **WATTS (R. D.).** Five pounds reward and other poems. London: *Simpkin, Marshall...*, 1891.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, pp. vii, [1] blank, 138, errata slip, orig. dark green cloth, blind stamped at top and foot of covers, some cracking to inner front hinge.

[ref: 25726 ] **£45**

