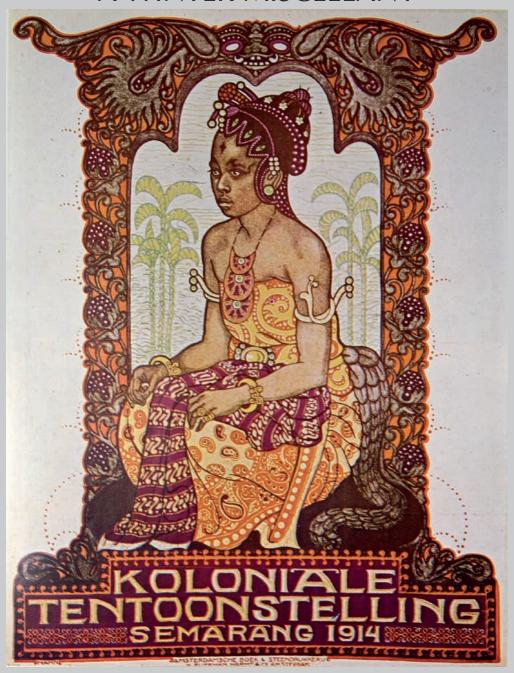
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SEA-BATTLE OF DUINKERKEN 1639

1 WAHRE ABBILDUNG DER MÄCHTIGEN SEESCHLACH, SO SICH ZWISCHEN DEN HISPANISCHEN UND HOLLÄNDISCHEN SCHIFFARMADA IN DEN DUYNEN DEN 21 OCTOBRIS 1639 ZU GETRAGEN, DARINEN DIE HOLLÄNDER UNDER DEM ADMIRAL MARTIN HARPERSTROMP DIE VICTORI ERHALTEN. (No pl., ca. 1639).

Two pasted leaves depicting the sea-battle of Duinkerken with below printed text. Ca. 23 x 64,5 cm. € 650,00

Magnificent engraved view. - In the second half of 1639 Maarten Harpertszoon Tromp (1598-1653) encountered a large Spanish fleet that was commanded by admiral Antonio Oquendo and others. The Spanish fleet consisted of 45 men-of-war and 30 merchant vessels. It was transporting 13.000 Spanish soldiers to Flanders. An English squadron, under the command of Sir John Pennington had joined the Spanish fleet, a squadron under the command of Michiel Dorne had managed to escape the blockade at Duinkerken and had also jointed the Spanish fleet. Tromp attacked on October 21 and defeated the Spanish fleet at the Battle of the Downs. Only the squadron commanded by Dorne managed to escape to Duinkerken. *Muller, Nederlandsche historieplaten, 1805.*

2 AMBASSADES DU ROY DE SIAM ENVOYE A L'EXCELLENCE DU PRINCE MAURICE, ARRIVé à LA HAYE LE 10. SEPTEMB. 1608. (No pl.), 1608. Facsimile edition. Embassies of the king of Siam sent to his excellency prince Maurits, arrived in The Hague on 10 September 1608. Transcribed from the French original, translated into English and Dutch, introduced by H. Zoomers and edited by H. Zuidervaart. Wassenaar, 2008. Oblong 8vo. Cloth. With coloured illustrations. 56 pp. € 25,00

Privately printed. - A newsletter reporting the visit of the first Siamese diplomatic mission to Europe.

LINGGA ISLANDS

3 **ANGELBEEK, Christiaan van.** Korte schets van het eiland Lingga en deszelfs bewoners. (Batavia, Lands Drukkerij, 1826). Modern half cloth. 62 pp. € 95,00

Verhandelingen Bataviaasch Genootschap. - Description of the Lingga Islands or Archipelago (Kepulauan Lingga) a group of islands in Indonesia, located south of Singapore, along both sides of the equator, off the eastern coast of Riau Islands province on Sumatra island.

ADMIRAL GEORGE ANSON (1697-1762)

- 4 **ANSON, George.** Portrait of George Anson. (No pl.), 1751. Engraved circular portrait of Anson within an allegorical background, with text and coat of arms, after J. Wandelaar by J. Houbraken. Ca. 40,5 x 25 cm. sold Fine portrait of the English admiral George Anson (1697-1762) depicting i.a the backs of the ships *Wager, Pearl, Gloucester, Centurion*, and *Severn*. With these ships and the *Tryall* and *Anna* he made his famous circumnavigation (1740-174). Although Anson lost most of his crew and all but one of his ships, he did return with a vast bounty.
- 5 **ANSON, George.** Reize naer de Zuidzee, met het schip de *Wager*, onder het opzicht van George Anson, ondernomen in den jaere 1740. Zynde een vervolg op de reize van George Anson. In't Nederduitsch vertaeld. Leyden, Amsterdam, Johannes le Mair, Stephanus Jacobus Baalde, Cornelis van Hoogeveen, 1764. 4to. Old wrappers (spine half cloth). With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, and 8 engraved plates (4 folding) after D. Kuipers by N. v.d. Meer. (36), 212,(16) pp. € 650,00

First Dutch edition. - Compilation of the narratives of Bulkeley, Cummins, Campbell and Morris. 'The *Wager* was one of Commodore Anson's fleet which was proceeding up the west coast of South America to harras the Spanish possessions. The ship ran aground on a small island in the Northwest part of the Gulf de la Penas, and broke up. The distresses endured caused the crew to divide, some electing to stay with Captain Cheap .. and the others to take the long boats and make their way back to the east coast. Bulkeley and Cummins were of the latter group. The navigation of the perilous seas, amid vast swarms of unknown islands and channels along the west coast of Patagonia or Chile is as marvelous as the men's capacity to endure cold, wet, and hunger. The voyage was successfully accomplished with the help of Narborough's charts. If there is a more desolate and rain-ridden coast than that of southern Chile, it remains yet to be discovered. This expedition of Anson's has many chroniclers' (*Cox II, p.270*). This is one of the most interesting of all narratives of shipwrecks, primarily because of what happened after the loss of the *Wager (Huntress p.19)*. - A clean copy. *Tiele 43; Cat. NHSM I, p.136; Sabin 1642a; Borba de Moraes, p.39 (French ed.)*.

FAMOUS PRIVATEERING EXPEDITION

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

4to. Contemporary mottled calf, spine gilt (extremities rep.), with red morocco title label to spine. With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, 15 folding maps and plans and 20 folding plates. (26), 386,(4) pp. € 1.850,00

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

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

7 **ANSON, George.** Voyage autour du monde, fait dans les années 1740, 1, 2, 3, 4 .. dans la Mer du Sud. Tiré des journaux & autres papiers .. par Richard Walter. Traduit de Anglois. Amsterdam et Leipzig, Arkstee & Merkus, 1749.

4to. Contemporary calf, spine gilt (spine sl. damaged), with red morocco title label to spine. With title-page printed in red and black with fine engraved title-vignette, 14 (12 folding) maps and plans and 20 folding engraved plates. (4), 333,(1) pp.

€ 1.850,00

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

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

ADRIAEN BANCKERT (ca. 1620-1684)

8 **BANCKERT, Adriaen.** E. manhafte zee-held Adriaan Bankert, L. Admiraal van Zeeland. (No pl., ca. 1650). Engraved halflength portrait with sea-battle in the background after H. Berckman by Jean du Bois (Johannes van Houten) with 12 line poem by W. Brest. Ca. 44 x 34 cm. € 295,00

Adriaen (ca. 1620-1684) was the oldest son of the famous Joost Banckert (ca. 1597-1647; 'Gesel der Spanjaarden, schrik der Portugezen'). Adriaen played an import role in the Second and Third Anglo-Dutch Wars, but did not receive the recognition he deserved because he was from Zeeland.

Cf. Muller, Portretten, 203 a; Hollstein 3; Van Someren 241.

9 **BARNUM & BAILEY.** The wonder book of freaks and animals in the Barnum & Bailey greatest show on earth. London, Walter Hill & Co, 1898. Original lithographed wrappers (dam.). With many photographic illustrations of animals and 'strange human beings'. 35 pp. € 95,00

Nowhere else is there so fine a collection of strange and interesting animals from so great an area of the world's surface, and of such a large number of varieties. Nowhere else are there so many examples of the playful propensities of our mother-nature in dealing with her humain children' (*Preface*). On show in the circus of Barnum and Bailey. - Rare.

FIRST BRITISH AMBASSY TO CHINA

10 **BARROW, John.** Reizen in China, inhoudende: beschrijvingen, aanmerkingen en vergelijkingen gemaakt en verzameld, geduurende het verblijf in het keizerlijk paleis, van Yuen-min en in eene daar op gevolgde reis door het land van Pekin tot Canton .. Uit het Engelsch. Haarlem, François Bohn, 1807-09.
3 volumes. Original boards (spines damaged but holding). With 2 hand-coloured portraits, 6 engravings with musical scores and 9 engraved plates (6 folding) after William Alexander by L. Portman and D. Veelwaard. VIII,288; VI,334; VI,341 pp. € 675.00

First Dutch edition. - John Barrow (1764-1848) accompanied Lord Macartney on the first British embassy to China in 1792, later becoming his private secretary. Barrow's account of the expedition is considered a most valuable contribution to the literature of western embassies to China. Of special interest are the description of the Imperial Palace in Peking, and the palace in Jehol, and also the observations on the life and character of the Qianlong Emperor. William Alexander, was also in the suite of Macartney's embassy, as artist. The strict exclusion of Europeans by the Chinese Emperors had left China very much *terra incognita* to the western world well into the nineteenth cenury' (*Hill p.23*). - Rare Dutch edition. *Cordier, B.S., p.2390; Lust 365 (English ed.); not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.*

BRITISH GUIANA

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

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

First published in 1807. - Valuable early history of the English colonies of Berbice, Demerara and Essequibo, later called British Guiana, which had been annexed from the Dutch in 1803. With descriptions of the Dutch planters and their manners ('Splender of Dutch households'), the slave trade, Van Hoorn Company, the Indians, natural history (i.a. coffee and sugar cultivation, including a visit to a former Dutch

coffee plantation), Stabroek, Reynstein, New Amsterdam, Paramaribo, etc. The author was a deputy vendue master of Surinam and was a resident of Stabroek (Demarary) for seven years. - (Age-browned).

Hünersdorff p.154; Cf. Sabin 6182.

A DUTCH MERCHANT IN BENGAL

12 **BOLTS, Willem.** État civil, politique et commerçant, du Bengale; ou histoire des conquêtes & de l'administration de la Compagnie Angloise dans ce pays. Ouvrage traduit de l'Anglois. La Haye, Gosse, 1775.

2 volumes in 1. Contemporary mottled calf (hinges dam., but holding), spine gilt. With 2 engraved frontispieces and large folding engraved map. XL,222; 240 pp.

€ 395,00

First French edition. - Willem Bolts (c. 1740-1808) was a Dutch adventurer who entered the English East India Company in Bengal, and got into trouble for private trading in the name of the East India Company. The government of Benares sent him off to England as a prisoner. He sought legal action against them, but ruined himself in the proces. This vigorous exchange of views developed into a bitter controversy and played an important part in fuelling the extensive public debate that was taking place on the subject of the East India Company's operations in India. The French translation was made by Jean Nicolas Demeunier. - Pasted in is a letter in French, dated 1776, dealing with the ceding of Benares by the Rajah to the English East India Company.

Cox I, p.299; Chadenat 2791.

JACOB PIETER VAN BRAAM - VOC

13 **BRAAM, Jacob Pieter van.** Jacob Pieter van Braam Capitein ter Zee en thans Schout bij Nacht van Holland en West Friesland. Rotterdam, M. de Sallieth, 1790. Stipple-engraved oval halflength portrait with sea-battle in the background and coat of arms by M. de Sallieth after Schmidt. Ca. 42 x 31 cm. € 295,00

Van Braam (1737-1803) was a servant of the Dutch East India Company (1764-1795. - Fine portrait with coat of arms and ships. - Very fine state. *Van Someren 734*; *not in Muller.*

A FAVORABLE VIEW OF AMERICA

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

First Dutch edition. - 'The author came to the United States just before the French Revolution, for the purpose of selecting a suitable place for establishing a colony of respectable persons, who had determined to abandon the then despotic government of France .. M. Brissot was commissioned to collect every necessary information, prior to the execution of so important a plan. These volumes contain the result of his assiduous labors, and minute enquiries, and sufficiently manifest that he was qualified to accomplish such an arduous undertaking' (*Sabin 8027*) . 'A favorable view of America, attracting to its shores many Europeans'(*Howes p.75*). - (Some waterstaining). - Rare Dutch edition.

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

THE DANISH COLONIES

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

2 volumes. Folio. Contemporary half calf, spines ribbed. With many illustrations (several in colours).
€ 675,00

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

THE SOURCE OF THE NILE

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

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

€ 795,00

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

fascinating today. - 'One of the most splendid narratives in the litterature of African exploration' (*Hallet, Africa to 1875, p.110*). - A fine set of the rare Dutch edition. *Nissen, ZBI, 617 (English and French ed.); Ibrahim-Hilmy I, p.91 (other ed.); Gay 44 (French ed.); Blackmer Collection 221 (English ed.); not in Tiele.*

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

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

€ 4.950,00

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

Nissen ZBI, 617; Ibrahim-Hilmy I, p.91; Gay 44; Blackmer Collection 221.

- 18 **BURLAND, C.A.** So sahen sie uns. Das Bild der Weissen in der Kunst der farbigen Völker. Wien, (1968. 4to. Cloth, with dustwrapper. With 90 photographic illustrations (12 in colours) by W. Forman. 140 pp. € 35,00
- 19 **BURNET, Gilbert.** Eenige brieven, behelzende een verhaal van het gene alderaanmerkelijkst te zien is, en voorviel op een voyagie door Switzerlandt, Italien, een gedeelte van Duitsland, etc. in den jare 1685 en 1686. In't Engelsch beschreven .. na de tweede druk, die op zommige plaatzen door den autheur verbetert en verandert is. Waar nevens gaat, een Byvoegsel, behelzende eenige aanmerkingen op Switzerland en Italien, geschreven door een persoon van qualiteit, en aan den autheur medegedeelt. Amsterdam, Wed. Steven Swart, 1687-1688.

First published in English in Rotterdam 1686. - Some letters, containing an account of what seemed most remarkable in travelling through Switzerland, Italy and parts of Germany. Lowndes remarks 'This curious and entertaining narrative surpasses everything in its kind extant, in the style, sentiments, matter, and method. The observations upon the corruptions and impostures of property will afford pleasure to every consistent Protestant' (*Cox I, p.110*).

SHIPWRECK NEAR THE CANARY ISLANDS

Tiele 217 (ed. Utrecht 1687).

20 **CABRAL, Antonio.** Relazione della vita e martirio del venerabile padre Ignazio de Azeuedo ucciso dagli eretici con altri trentanove della Compagnia di Gesu, cavata da' Processi autentici. Roma, Antonio de' Rossi, 1743.

4to. Contemporary limp vellum, handwritten title on spine. Title-page printed in red and black, with large folding engraved plate of the shipwreck by Jacobus Cortese Burgundus after Antonius Birckhart (ca. 32,5 x 44 cm) and several nicely engraved head and tail pieces and initials. (28),202 pp. € 1.850,00

First Italian edition. - This book, written by Father Cabral (pseudonym of Cesare Cordara (1704-1785), is dealing with the martyr Ignatius de Azevedo from Porto (1528-1570), who worked in Brazil as Visitator for the Jesuit Order. On 15 July 1570, his ship wrecked near the Canary Islands and he was killed together with his 39 companions at sea by French Calvinist pirates. In 1854 these '40 martyrs of Brazil' were canonized. The magnificent engraved plate depict the shipwreck and the killing. - A few stains otherwise an excellent copy of notable rarity. Borba de Moraes I, p.213; not in Huntress.

21 CAPE TOWN AND SUBURBS. Cape Town, P. Schaefer & Co., (ca. 1900). Oblong 8vo. Original red cloth, with illustration of Cape Town harbour in gilt on front. With double-page panorama of Cape Town and 14 other coloured photographic plates. € 150,00

The fine views depict the City Hall, Parliament House and The Avenue, Adderley Street (2), the entrance to the Castle, the Docks, Three Anchor Bay, Sea Point, Sea Point showing Lionshead, Victoria Road and the Twelve Apostles, Camps Bay, Groot Schuur Rondebosch, Muizenberg, and Kalk Bay and St. James. - Mint condition. *SAB I, p.463.*

THE MUGHAL EMPIRE

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

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

First published in French in 1705; with armorial bookplate of Philip Lord Hardwicke Baron of Hardwicke. - 'Niccolao Manucci's book, from which Catrou drew much of his material, was not printed until 1907, when it was translated by William Irvine (the Indian Text Society), of the Bengal Civil Service, for the reason that it had disappeared from view until it turned up in Berlin a few years ago. Its title was *Storia do Mogor* and it was written partly in Italian, partly in French, and partly in Portuguese. Historians have long bewailed its disappearance, for hitherto they have been unable to check the statesments of Catrou. Manucci practically spent his life in India and witnessed so many things and records them so fully and delightfully that he is almost second to none as an historian of Aurangzib's reign' (*Cox I, p.285*). 'A la suite des événemens historiques, le P. Catrou a donné, des revenus, du gouvernement et de la police du Mogol' (*Boucher de la Richarderie V, p.67*). - A fine copy. *Chadenat 6219*.

SLAVERY

23 **CHASE, Ezra B.** Teachings of patriots and statesmen; or, the 'founders of the Republic' on slavery. Philadelphia, J.W. Bradley, 1860. Modern cloth. With steel-engraved portrait of George Washington. 495 pp. € 160,00

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

Sabin 12174; Work p.299.

- 24 **CINATTI, R., L. de ALMEIDA, S. MENDES.** Arquitectura Timorense. (Lisboa, 1987). Folio. Cloth, with dustwrapper. With 377 illustrations. 232 pp. € 125,00
- 25 **COBBETT, James Paul.** A ride of eight hundred miles in France; containing a sketch of the face of the country, of its rual economy, of the towns and villages .. to which is added, a general view of the finances of the kingdom. London, Charles Clement, 1824.

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

€ 95,00

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

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

€ 170,00

Description of Trinidad, St.Vincent, Martinique, Madeira, Barbados, etc. 'Contains an unusually lucid and cool consideration of the situations of the slaves and planters, maintaining that, all things considered, the formers' lot was very comfortable indeed.

.. The work attracted a great deal of attention.' (Ragatz p.221).

Sabin 14318; The Beinecke Lesser Antilles Collection, 738.

EARLY JAVANESE GRAMMAR

27 **CORNETS DE GROOT, A(driaan)** Javaansche spraakkunst, uitgegeven in naam en op verzoek van het Bataviasche Genootschap van Kunsten en Wetenschappen, door J(ohann) F(riedrich) C(arl) Gericke. Batavia, Lands Drukkerij, 1833. Original printed boards (spine dam.). With lithographed title-page of the Transactions of the Batavia Society. XII,232 pp. € 395,00

Verhandelingen Bataviaasch Genootschap. - First edition. - 'The grammar left by the gifted Cornets de Groot after his untimely death in 1829 at the age of 25, was, even in its unfinished state, a remarkable work and no doubt the most valuable of the four grammars of the early thirties' (*Uhlenbeck p.44*). It was published with a preface by Gericke. This is the first publication from the Batavia Government Press to use Javanese characters. - Good copy.

Uhlenbeck p.82; Van der Chijs p. 61; Smith Diehl p.170

IMPORTANT DESCRIPTION OF GREENLAND

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

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

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

29 **CRETE. - KANDIA.** (No pl.), 1852.

Dutch manuscript map of Crete and surrounding islands, hand coloured in outline. 34,5 x 42,5 cm. $\$ 95,00

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

30 **DATES AND DISTANCES,** showing what may be done in a tour of sixteen months through various parts of Europe, as performed in the years 1829 and 1830. London, John Murray, 1831.

Contemporary half brown calf, spine ribbed and gilt. With folding map. VIII,358,(1) pp. - With the armorial bookplate of Ulick 6th Marquess of Sligo. € 75,00

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

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

Sabin 19359; Boucher de la Richarderie I, p.95-96; Tiele 643; not in Cat. NHSM.

32 DIPLOMATIC POST SENT FROM VARIOUS PLACES IN EUROPE TO THE DUTCH GOUVERNMENT. 96 manuscript transcript letters. 1715-1729.

€ 795,00

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

DESCRIPTION OF PASURUAN, EAST-JAVA

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

Contemporary mottled calf with gilt fillets round sides, spine gilt with red morocco title-label, inner dentelles, a.e.g. (small damages). With lithographed title-page, map and 2 lithographed plates by J.D. Steuerwald. VI,178,(2) pp. € 595,00

Original edition. - Description of Pasuruan, East-Java, by the civil servant J.H. Domis (1782-1842). The Dutch established a fort at Pasuruan in 1707. It was the capital of a residency from 1811 to 1934. With attention to the coffee and sugar cultures. - A fine copy.

Tiele 323; Cat. KITLV I, p.10; not in Bastin-Brommer and Von Hünersdorff, Coffee.

THE NORTHWEST PASSAGE

Statistics and the Baai van Hudson, ter ontdekkinge van eenen Noord-Wester doortogt, gedaan in de jaaren 1746, en 1747, met de schepen de *Dobbs-Galley* en de *California*; met eene naauwkeurige beschryving der kust, eene korte natuurlyke historie van het land, en een klaar vertoog der bewys-stukken en redenen, dewelke dienen om de waarschynlykheid aan te toonen dat zulk een doortogt in't vervolg zal gevonden worden... Uit het Engelsch vertaalt. Leiden, Elias Luzac, Jun., 1750. Contemporary vellum. With title-page printed in red and black and engraved titlevignette, folding map and 9 folding engraved plates by N. v. Frankendaal. XXXII,440 pp. € 1.650,00

First Dutch edition. - 'The first part contains a synopsis of twenty-three English voyages to discover the Northwest Passage, a history of the rise of the Hudson' Bay Company, and the discovery attempted from New England. The second part gives an account of a voyage under Captains G. Moor and Francis Smith, financed by private subscription, with Arthur Dobbs as the leading subscriber of the Northwest Committe. Ellis, also a subscriber, was hydrographer, surveyor, and mineralogist on the expedition, which proved, finally the nonexistence of a Northwest Passage from Hudson Bay. The work includes many valuable observations on tides, on the vagaries of the compass, and on the customs of the Eskimoss, a people then practically unknown' (Hill p. 189). The author also gives detailed information regarding the flora and fauna of the region. He was appointed governor of Nova Scotia in 1761 (to 1763). 'The book was enormously popular (not at least for its copperplate engravings), and saw numerous reprintings and translations in Dutch, German, and French' (Stam, Books on ice, p. 12). - A very fine copy of a rare book. Cat. NHSM I, p.301; not in Tiele; Scheepers I 603 "Zeer gezochte Nederl. vertaling"; Sabin 22315; European-Americana 750/109; Hill 540 (English ed.); TPL 207 (English ed.).

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

12mo. Contemporary mottled calf, gilt fillets round sides, spine richly gilt, a.e.g. (4),267,(3) pp. € 125,00

36 EXTRACT-RAPPORT OVER DE CHICAGO EN NORTH WESTERN EN DE CHICAGO-ROCK-ISLAND EN PACIFIC SPOORWEGEN, OVER 1870-1871.

Amsterdam, Metzler & Basting, 1871. Original printed wrappers. 33 pp. € 55,00

BRITISH OPERATIONS AGAINST KABUL

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

Contemporary half morocco, spine lettered in gilt. With folding plan. VII,328 pp. € 150,00

'Personal narrative of British operations against Kabul, the revolt of the Afghans, and their destruction of the retreating British forces. Sir Alexander Burnes was murdered, and the troops under Brigadier Shelton were defeated at Beymarro' (*Yakushi E67*). - (*Some lvs browned*).

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

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

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

THE MISSION TO SIAM AND COCHIN CHINA

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

Contemporary straight-grained calf, gilt fillets round sides, skilfully rebacked. With engraved view of Bankok (stained). XXXI,427 pp. € 1.750,00

First edition; with armorial bookplate of George Wilbraham. - In 1821-2 George Finlayson (1790-1823) accompanied the mission to Siam and Cochin China in the character of naturalist, returning with it to Calcutta in 1823. By this time his health was thoroughly broken, and he soon afterwards died. The journal which he had kept during the mission was edited, with a prefatory notice of the author, by Sir Stamford Raffles (*DNB*). - Rare.

EXPEDITION TO THE MOLUCCAS AND NEW GUINEA

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

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

First French edition, translated by Demeunier. - Thomas Forrest (1729 - ca.1802) was engaged in 1770 in forming the new settlement at Balambangan, Borneo. His expedition in charge of the English East-India Company (1774-1776) to the Moluccas and New Guinea, in pursuance of new sources of trade, was made in the *Tartar*, a native boat of about ten tons burden, with two English officers and a crew of eighteen Malays. He pushed the exploration as far as Geelvink Bay in New Guinea (further east than any of his company predecessors). The voyage was one of examination and enquiry rather than of exploration, and the additions made to geographical knowledge were corrections of detail rather than startling discoveries, but the tact with which he conducted his intercourse with the natives, and the amount of work done in a small boat, deservedly won him credit as a navigator (Hill p.219). The introduction contains a survey of the voyages made to New Guinea since 1511 and at the end is added a vocabulary of the Magindano language. - (Lower part of some margins waterstained). Hill 623 (English ed.); Cox II, p.302; Ruinen C 66 (English ed.); Henze II, p.261; Boucher de la Richarderie VI, p.413-416; Chadenat 571.

THE EAST INDIA COMPANY'S FORT IN MADRAS

41 **FORT St. GEORGE ON THE COROMANDEL COAST.** Belonging to the East India Company of England. - **LE FORT ST. GEORGE SUR LA COTE DE CORO-MANDEL.** Appartemante a la Compagnie Angloise des Indes Orientales. London, Laurie & Whittle, 1794.

Engraved optical view after I. van Ryne, coloured by hand. Ca. 26 x 40 cm. € 1.150,00

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

A VOYAGE TO THE SOUTH SEAS

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

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

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

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

ADMIRAL JOHAN VAN GALEN (1604-1653)

43 **GALEN, Johan van.** Joan van Galen, admirael der Holl. vlote in de Middelandsche Zee. (No pl., ca. 1653).

Engraved halflength portrait with sea-battle in the background and coat of arms after J. Lievens and 12 lines poem by J. Vos. Ca. 43 x 33,5 cm. € 295,00

Johan van Galen (1604-1653) was involved with the fight against piracy and played an important role in the seabattle of Livorno in the Mediterranean between the Dutch and the British. - Impressive portrait. - (Skilfully laid down and one corner restored). *Cf. Muller, Portretten, 1761a*

44 **GEER, Willem van.** De opkomst van het Nederlandsch gezag over Ceilon. Leiden, A.W. Sijthoff, 1895. Original red cloth with gilt lettering (spine discoloured), a.e.g. XV,153; 100 pp. - (*Thesis*). € 165,00

CHILI AND ARGENTINA

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

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

First edition. - Congress financed an expedition to Chili and Argentina, led by James Melville Gilless and assisted by A. MacRae, S.L. Phelps and E.R. Smith. The expedition took back to Washington a large number of scientific observations on Chili's and Argentina's geography, climate, earthquakes, government, social condition, mineral and agricultural resources, commerce, etc. - Vol. III and VI are dealing with meteorological observations, vol. IV and V were never published. - Foxed and some marginal waterstaining in vol. I, otherwise a good copy. Sabin 27419: Palau 102244: Leclerc 1957.

46 **GOLDSMITH, Oliver.** An history of the earth and animated nature. 2nd edition. London, J. Nourse, 1779.

8 volumes. Contemporary calf, spines gilt (some extremities of spines damaged; some hinges broken but holding). With 105 engraved plates. € 575,00

A fine set with nice engravings of various animals and birds, including the dodo, fishes and insects from all parts of the world. *Nissen, ZBI, p.170*

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

Includes notes on the slave trade and on some former slaves. - (Waterstained). *Sabin 28818 (note)*; *Hogg 4590*.

FIRST STUDY ON THE EMOY-CHINESE IN THE DUTCH EAST INDIES

48 **GROOT, (Jan Jacob Maria) de.** Jaarlijksche feesten en gebruiken van de Emoy-Chineezen. Een vergelijkende bijdrage tot de kennis van onze Chineesche medeburgers op Java. Met uitgebreide monographieën van godheden, die te Emoy worden vereerd. Batavia, W. Bruining & Co, 's Hage, M. Nijhoff, 1881.

2 volumes in 1. Modern half cloth. (4),XIII,644 pp.

€ 875,00

Verhandelingen Bataviaasch Genootschap. - The first anthropological work on the Chinese society written by the Dutch interpreter of Chinese at Pontianak (Dutch Borneo) Jan Jacob Maria de Groot (1854-1921). This comparative study on the Emoy-Chinese in the Dutch East Indies is dealing with customs and beliefs, ceremonies and seasonal festivities, the religious system, daily life etc. of the Chinese. - Important and rare study.

Nagelkerke, The Chinese in Indonesia, 0371

THE FOUNDATION FOR MODERN INTERNATIONAL MARITIME LAW

49 **GROTIUS - GROOT, Hugo de.** De mare libero et P(aulus) Merula de maribus. Lugd. Batavorum, ex officina Elzeviriana, 1633.

32mo. Contemporary overlapping vellum, with autograph title on spine. With engraved title-page depicting a sailing ship. (16),267 pp. € 975,00

Third Elzevier edition, first published in 1609. - A classic of international maritime law. Hugo Grotius (1583-1645) defends the free navigation of the seas, more specifically the actions of Dutch fishermen attempting to operate near the English coast, and the Dutch East India Company (VOC), which was engaged in a territorial dispute in the Caribbean with Portuguese traders. Grotius' work was enormously influential on the later development of international law. Including Marcus Zuerius Boxhorn, Apologia pro navigationibus Hollandorum, adversus Pontum Heuterump and Tractatus pacis, mutui commercii, intercursus mercium. With references to Columbus's discoveries and to Vespucci, Magellan, Drake, Cavendish, Sebastian Cabot, Verrazano, etc. - A very fine copy.

Willems 385; Ter Meulen & Diermanse, 545; Bibl. Belgica 335; Landwehr. VOC, 25; European Americana II, 633/47.

50 HAERSOLTE, (Jan Willem Jacobus) van. Zeereizen. Handboek voor toerist en reiziger. Haarlem, H.D. Tjeenk Willink & Zoon, 1926. Original black cloth. With drawings and photographic illustrations by J.W. Bloem. (8),160 pp. € 75,00

With pictorial bookplate of Delprat Veth. - Voyages. Manual for tourists and travellers. - A fine copy. Cat. NHSM II, p.891.

COLONIAL EXHIBITION IN SEMARANG

51 **HAHN, Albert Pieter.** Koloniale tentoonstelling Semarang 1914. Amsterdam, Amsterdamsche Boek en Steendrukkerij v/h Ellerman, Harms & Co, (1914). Coloured lithographed poster. Ca. 109 x 82 cm. € 950,00

Albert Hahn (1877-1918) was a draughtsman, cartoonist, illustrator and designer of posters. This beautiful poster, depicting a Javanese bride, announced the Colonial Exhibition in Semarang in 1914, the greatest exposition ever held in the Netherlands East Indies, a celebration of colonial supremacy. The city of Semarang was galvanized into activity for this great event, new hotels and pensions opened, etc. - Except some small imperfections an attractive poster. - See illustration on cover. Haks & Maris, Lexicon, p. 109 (with illustration); Scheen I, p.428.

- 52 **HALL, Basil.** Extracts from a journal, written on the coasts of Chili, Peru, and Mexico, in the years 1820, 1821, 1822. 2nd edition. Edinburgh, Archibald Constable and Co., 1824.
- 2 volumes. Original boards (rubbed). With folding engraved map. XVIII,373; XI,288,65 pp. € 325,00

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

'BY FAR THE BEST WORK' ON THE GUYANA'S AND SURINAM

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

2 volumes. 4to. Contemporary half calf, with red morocco title-labels, uncut. Titles printed in red and black, engraving of coin in text, 7 engraved maps and plans (6 folding) and 7 engraved plates (2 folding) by J. van Schley. XII,(4),520; (2),(521-)962,(15) pp. € 3.250,00

First edition. - Describes the commerce of the Dutch West India Company, the Company of Berbice, and the Society of Surinam in Guiana. 'This description of

Guiana or the Wild Coast of South America, its geography, history, inhabitants, animals, with an account of its discovery and the colonies of the Spaniards, French and Portuguese, is said by Mr. Warden to be *by far the best work ever published on the countries described*. The author, Jan Jacob Hartsinck (1716-1779) was Director of the West India Company (WIC), and a man of very high standing, who had access to all the authorities (*Sabin*). Including an account of the rebellion in Surinam (1763-64) in which the colony had lost almost half of its black and perhaps an even larger percentage of its white population. 'A comprehensive early work on the three Guianas' (*Von Hünersdorff I, p.666*). - A classic history of Surinam. - A fine copy. *Sabin 30712; Tiele 457; Muller, America, p.76; Cat. NHSM I, p.281; Suriname-Catalogus UB Amsterdam 2560*.

HEAD, Francis Bond. Rough notes taken during some rapid journeys across the Pampas and among the Andes. 2nd edition. London, John Murray, 1826. Contemporary green polished calf, gilt fillets round sides, inner dentelles, spine richly gilt in compartments, with red and brown labels to spine. XI,309 pp. € 375,00

In 1825 Head sailed for Buenos Aires with a staff of Cornish miners, and crossed the Pampas, only to find that the concessions had in the meantime been granted to rival companies. Leaving his staff at Mendoza he returned to Buenos Aires for instructions, then made his way overland to Santiago de Chile. He then re-crossed the Andes, collected the miners left at Mendoza and took the entire party back to Chile, where they travelled some 2000 kilometres prospecting for mines. When it became evident that local managers were reluctant to employ European staff, Head took his miners back to Buenos Aires and returned with them to England .. His book, which earned him the nickname of 'Galloping Head', was praised by Darwin for its accuracy (*Howgego p.277*). - A fine copy.

55 **HEERES, J.E.** Heeft Nederland de Kaap verkocht ? Eene lezing. Amsterdam, Pretoria, J.H. de Bussy, 1914. Original printed wrappers. 45 pp. € 35,00

A GRIPPING TRUE-LIFE ADVENTURE

HEYDEN, Frans Jansz vander. Vervarelyke schip-breuk van't Oost-Indisch jacht *Ter Schelling*, onder het landt van Bengale; verhalende desselfs verongelucken, en den gruwelijken hongers-nood van 32. schip-breukelingen op zeker onbewoont eiland, daer sy van't wrak met een vlot aenquamen. Hoe sy van het selve eiland in Bengale landen/ en voorts in't veld-leger van den Grooten Mogol, tot in't koningrijck van Assam landewaerts opgevoert zijn. Beneffens een bondige beschryving der koningrijken van Arrakan, Bengale, Martavan, Tanassery, &c. 4e druk. Harderwijk, Herman Rampen, 1698.

4to. Later half calf, spine letterd in gilt. With woodengraving on title-page and 18 woodengravings in the text. 96 pp. € 2.950,00

4th edition, the first with woodengravings, first published in 1675. - Chapbook with one of the most popular accounts of disastrous voyages by the Dutch East India Company (VOC) describing the shipwreck on a desert island. Hunger and cannibalism are the themes of this popular account of the East Indiaman *Ter Schelling*. The author, a member of the crew, kept a journal of his experiences, and the woodcuts illustrate the crew's adventures both at sea and on land. The ship left Batavia (Jakarta) under captain Jacob Jansz. Stroom in 1661 and wrecked on a sandbank off the shore of Bengal and finally reached mainland Bengal where they were conscripted into the Mogul army to fight against the kingdom of Assam. The gruesome massacre of captives by the Nabob is described and illustrated followed by accounts of the kingdoms of Arrakan, Martabab, Tanassery, Bengala and Patan along the coast of the Bay of Bengal from modern Bangladesh to Burma. - A good copy of a very rare edition of a gripping true-life adventure story.

Landwehr, VOC, 422; Cat. NHSM I, p.189; Tiele 462; Huntress 23c (other ed.); Lach, Asia in the making of Europe III, p.496.

57 **HOëVELL, Wolter Robert van.** Bedenkingen tegen de mededeeling van den Minister van Kolonien aan de Tweede Kamer der Staten Generaal, omtrent den verkoop van landen op Java. Groningen, C.M. van Bolhuis Hoitsema, 1849. Original printed boards. (4),60 pp. € 65,00

Objections against the selling of land on Java. *Cat. KITLV p.201*.

58 **HOGENDORP, Gijsbert Karel van.** Verhandelingen over den Oost-Indischen handel. Amsterdam, Wed. J. Dóll, 1801.

Original wrappers, uncut. 189 pp. € 275,00

A second and third volume was published in 1802. - Essays on the commerce of the East Indies, dealing with the possessions and concessions of the Dutch East India Company (VOC) in the East Indies. Van Hogendorp's (1771-1834) role in politics, that of helping to establish the Dutch monarchy following the Napoleonic period, is more generally known.

Cat. KITLV p.146.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PASSAGE UP THE RED SEA COAST OF ARABIA

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cat. NHSM I, p.480.

61 **100 JAREN MAÇ. ARBEID IN HET LICHT VAN DE STER IN HET OOSTEN. 1837 - 19 AUGUSTUS - 1937.** (No pl., 1937). 8vo. Cloth. With plates. 109 pp. € 75,00 Memorial volume on freemasonry in the Dutch East Indies.

THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY ACCOUNT OF SOUTH AMERICA

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

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

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

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

63 **JUNGHUHN, Franz Wilhelm.** Licht- en schaduwbeelden uit de binnenlanden van Java. Over het karakter, de mate van beschaving, de zeden en gebruiken der Javanen; over de invoering van het Christendom op Java, het bezigen van vrijen arbeid en andere vragen van den dag. Verhalen en gesprekken, verzameld op reizen door gebergten en bosschen, in de woningen van armen en rijken. Door de gebroeders Dag en Nacht. Medegedeeld door den eerstgenoemde. Leiden, Jacs Hazenberg Corns. Zoon, 1854.

Old boards (spine half cloth, dam.). II,422,(1) pp.

€ 150,00

First edition. - The anonymous publication of *Images of Light and Shadow from Java's interior*, created a lot of bad feeling which impeded but could not prevent its appearance in the Netherlands. In the Netherlands Indies, the book was what we would now call a best seller. Junghuhn's book was prohibited in Austria and in several German states and principalities because of its alleged 'denigrations and vilifications of Christianity' (*Nieuwenhuys, Mirror of the Indies, p.69*). - (Waterstained throughout). *Cat. KITLV p.256; Buur 53*.

THE MOST POPULAR OF ALL SHIPWRECK NARRATIVES

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

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

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

A CATHOLIC SETTLEMENT IN KENTUCKY

65 KLYN LORETTEN IN NOORD-AMERICA - PETIT LORETTE ETATS UNIS DE L'AMERIQUE - LITTLE LORETTO KENTUCKY UNITED STATES OF

AMERICA. (No pl., ca. 1815). Engraving by Courtois à Malines depicting a view of a Catholic settlement in Kentucky, with beneath three key columns in Dutch, French and English. Ca. 29 x 35 cm. \notin 1.250,00

Engraving of the Kentucky frontier community of 'Little Loretto', a religious settlement of the congregation of the 'Sisters of Loretto', founded in 1812 by the Belgian catholic priest Charles Nerinckx (Herffelingen 1761 - Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, 1824). He came to the United States in 1804 to assist Father Theodore Badin, the only priest in Kentucky. The engraving depicts a complex of log cabins, with the sisters gathered directly in the center, surrounding the vision of Mary with the Holy Crucifix directly above her, and two crimson banners, carried by angels, reading 'O suffering Jesus' and 'O sorrowful Mary'. The Order is still in existence today as well as part of the original settlement. It is probable that this engraving was made as an adjunct to Nerinckx's fundraising campaign, and published in Mechelen, where he attended seminary. - A rare image in good condition.

THE FIRST TRUSTWORTHY DESCRIPTION OF CEYLON

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

4to. Contemporary vellum (sl. soiled). With engraved frontispiece, folding map (margin rep.), and 8 engraved plates by Jan Luyken. (16),291,(26),(1) pp. $\in 1.950,00$

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

p.577). A fascinating unparalleled source-book for 17th century Ceylon. - A nice copy.

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

67 **(KOEMAN, C.). (Ed.).** Links with the past. The history of the carthography of Surinam 1500-1971. Amsterdam, (1973).

Large folio. Cloth, in wooden box. With 39 folding facsimiles, in colours, and 47 illustrations. XII,179 pp. € 395,00

Contributions by F.C. Bubberman, A.H. Loor, B. Nelemans, G. Schilder and J.B.Ch. Wekker. With English, Spanish and Dutch text. The coast of Guyana was discovered and first charted by the Spaniards. Alonzo de Rojeda, with Juan de la Cosa and Amerigo Vespucci first reached the coast, near the estuary of the Marowijne River, in 1499. A similar voyage of discovery was undertaken shortly afterwards by Vincente Yanez Pinzón. The history of Suriname's discovery and evolution is a continuous process, which has proceeded through the ages with uneven speed. - *Limited edition*.

A GRAND CYCLOPAEDIA OF INDIAN HISTORY

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

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

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

69 BELANGRIJKE LAND EN ZEEREIZEN, TOGTEN EN WANDELINGEN NAAR EN DOOR DE ONDERSCHEIDENE DEELEN DER WERELD. Naar het Hoogduitsch. Amsterdam, J.C. van Kesteren, 1825.

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Original printed boards. With 2 engraved titles and 4 aquatint plates by H.W. Hoogkamer. VI,267; IV,275 pp. € 225,00

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

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

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt with green morocco title-label. With engraved title-page with vignette by J.C. Zurcher and 21 engraved plates. VIII,454,(1) pp. € 350,00 Manual for naval architects, millers, clockmakers, steam-engineers, etc. - *A clean copy*.

TRAVELS INTO THE INTERIOR PARTS OF AFRICA

- 71 **LE VAILLANT, François.** Second voyage dans l'intérieur de l'Afrique, par le Cap de Bonne-Espérance, dans les années 1783, 84 et 85. Paris, H.J. Jansen et Comp., l'an 3 (1795).
- 3 volumes. 8vo. Contemporary calf, gilt fillets round sides, spines richly gilt, with red and green morocco labels to spines. With 22 engraved plates (5 folding). XLIV,304; (2)426,(2); 525,(7) pp. € 895,00

First French edition. - 'Le Vaillant was born at Paramaribo in Dutch Guiana in 1753, and after being educated in Holland, France, and Germany, proceeded to Paris where he studied the natural history collections, and, full of enthusiasm and ambition, decided to travel into the interior of Africa in order to further his opportunities of gaining information by observing the specimens in their native countries. Making the acquaintance of Mr. Temminck, the Treasurer of the Dutch East India Company, he was enabled to proceed to the Cape in one of the Company's ships called the *Held-Woltemaade* ... The narrative is characterised by the intelligent and interesting manner in which it is written.' (*Mendelssohn pp.889-890*). His second excursion, between April 1783 and August 1784, took him northward beyond the Orange River. He was one of the first to study the birds in South Africa. - A fine set. *Mendelssohn I, p.889; SAB III, p.101; Howgego p.625; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of S. Africa 1650-1790, p.177-271, Nissen, ZBI, 2482; Boucher de la Richarderie IV, p.242-244...*

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

First published in French in 1790. - 'Le Vaillant was born at Paramaribo in Dutch Guiana in 1753, and after being educated in Holland, France, and Germany, proceeded to Paris where he studied the natural history collections, and, full of enthusiasm and ambition, decided to travel into the interior of Africa in order to further his opportunities of gaining information by observing the specimens in their native countries. Making the acquaintance of Mr. Temminck, the Treasurer of the Dutch East India Company, he was enabled to proceed to the Cape in one of the Company's ships called the *Held-Woltemaade* ... The narrative is characterised by the intelligent and interesting manner in which it is written.' (*Mendelssohn pp.889-890*). On his first excursion Le Vaillant advanced westward along the coast as far as the Great Fish River. His second excursion, between April 1783 and August 1784, took him northward beyond the Orange River. He was one of the first to study the birds in South Africa. - A fine set.

Mendelssohn I, p.889; SAB III, p.103; Howgego p.625; Rookmaaker, The zoological exploration of S. Africa 1650-1790, p.177-271, Cf. Nissen, ZBI, 2480; Boucher de la Richarderie IV, p.241-244..

- 73 **LEIDDRAAD INDISCHE TENTOONSTELLING (IN HET WESTBROEK-PARK).** (Met Voorwoord van B. Elias). ('s Grav., 1932). Wrappers. With illustrations. 48 pp. € 35,00
- 74 **LEWIS, Matthew Gregory.** Journal of a West India proprietor, kept during a residence in the island of Jamaica. London, J. Murray, 1834. Later half morocco. 408 pp. € 225,00

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

75 **MANNING, Samuel.** American pictures. Drawn with pen and pencil. (London), The religious Tract Society, (ca. 1876).

8vo. Original pictorial gilt cloth (discoloured), a.e.g. With many wood-engraved illustrations and plates. 224 pp. - *A fine illustrated history of the United States*.

€ 100,00

A VERY POPULAR WORK

76 **MARANA, Giovanni Paolo.** Letters writ by a Turkish spy, who lived five and forty years undiscovered at Paris: giving an impartial account of the Divan at Constantinople .. 26th edition. London, A. Wilde a.o., 1770.

8 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary calf, spines richly gilt with red and green morocco labels to spines. With engraved frontispiece. € 850,00

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

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

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

78 **MAURIK, Justus van.** Indrukken van een 'Tòtòk'. Indische typen en schetsen. 4e druk. Amsterdam, Van Holkema & Warendorf, (ca.1900). 8vo. Original pictorial cloth (top of spine sl. dam.). With ca. 200 illustrations after Johan Braakensiek and W.O.J. Nieuwenkamp. VII,385 pp. € 145,00

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

SECOND ATTEMPT BY THE BRITISH TO OPEN TRADE WITH CHINA

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

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

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

Hill 1169; Abbey, Travel, 559; Borba de Moraes II, p.507; Lust 378; Cordier, BS, 2108; Huntress 188C; Thomson, The Exotic and the Beautiful, 298; Cf. Löwendahl, Sino-Western relations, 792.

A CRUISE ROUND THE WORLD

80 **MILNER, John and Oswal W. BRIERLY.** The cruise of H.M.S. *Galatea*, captain H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh, in 1867-1868. London, W.H. Allen and Co., 1869. Original blue cloth, nautical motifs on upper boards, spine gilt (sl. soiled). With mounted albumen photograph portrait frontispiece, folding map, 4 tinted and 8 chromolithographs and some woodengravings. XII,487,(1);24 pp. € 375,00

First edition. - Account of the cruise round the world of the Duke of Edinburgh. After a short trip to the Mediterranean he set out for the Cape of Good Hope and Australia. With extensiv descriptions of events in Australia including the attempted murder of the Duke at Clontarf, Middle Harbour, Sydney, by O'Farrell, a Fenian sympathiser. There is a lengthy description of an exciting and successful hunt, with several elephants bagged' (*Czech p.116*). The fine coloured views show 'Farewell' Gibraltar June 1867, Settlement of Edenburgh at Tristan d'Acunha, Arch on the road to Cape Town, The charge (hunting an elephant in Africa), Arrival of H.M.S. Galatea off Sydney heads, Clontarf, etc.

Mendelssohn II, p.20; NMMC I, 690; Ferguson 12627; Forbes 2846.

FROM THE ATLANTIC TO THE PACIFIC

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

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

Seventh edition, first published in 1865. - 'A lively narrative of a sporting trip from England across Canada and return from British Columbia by sea, June, 1862 - March, 1864. This work achieved considerable popularity and drew attention to the agricultural, and mining possibilities of the Canadian West' (*TPL 4340*). - A fine copy. Sabin 24631; Wagner & Camp 420.

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

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

Blackmer collection 1150; Atabey collection 829; Gay 94; Paulitschke 682; Robinson, Wayward women, p.32-34.

THE LOSS OF THE AMERICAN SHIP JANSON OFF THE COAST OF DEN HELDER

The loss of the American ship *Janson* off the coast of Den Helder, captain Benjamin Mayo, owned by S.G. Arnold & Co, Joseph S. Martin a.o. depicted by the Dutch marine artist Jan Mooij (1776-1847) who lived in Den Helder and was an eye-witness of the shipwreck. 'The ship Janson of Providence, Rhode Island, had arrived at Texel Road off New Dieppe from Batavia with a valuable cargo of coffee and rice. Starting from the right the watercolour shows three stages: 1. anchored amid drift ice that stove in the bow, 2. the ship is sinking and the crew is making efforts to abandon ship, 3. the ship is about to disappear. According to one report, nothing was saved but 'all hands' and the stern boat. The ship's pet monkey is running up the rigging of the main mast as the ship is about to sink completely. This text was taken from the book by J. Welles Henderson and Rodney P. Carlisle Marine art & antiques Jack Tar a sailor's life 1750-1910. (Woodbridge 1999) with on page 230 also the image. An account of the shipwreck was published in the Providence Patriot, March 15, 1820 and in the Providence Gazette, March 13, 1820. An extract of a letter (February 1820) of the captain to the owners of the ship is added in photocopy. - In excellent condition. Scheen II, p.74.

84 MOSSEL, Jacob. AFBEELDING DER PLECHTIGE LYKSTATIE VAN .. JACOB MOSSEL, GOUVERNEUR GENERAAL OP BATAVIA, DEN 19 MAY 1761. (No pl., ca. 1761).

Engraving by B. Mourik. Ca. 19 x 31 cm.

€ 225,00

Interesting plate depicting the impressive funeral procession of governor-general of the Dutch East Indies (1750 - 1761) Jacob Mossel (1704 - 1761). *Muller, Nederlandsche historieplaten,*4119 (without name).

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

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

First published in German in 1666. - Account of the two travels by Neitzschitz to the Levant, 1630-37. He also accompanied the imperial legacy led by Count Buchheim to the Ottoman court. - (Age-browned). - Scarce. *Tobler p.102; Ibrahim-Hilmy II, p.62; Gay 269*.

THE FIRST COMPREHENSIVE DESCRIPTION OF ARABIA

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

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

First Dutch edition. - In 1761, at the invitation of Frederick V, King of Denmark, Carsten Niebuhr (1733-1815) joined a Danish government-sponsored scientific expedition to explore the Arabian Peninsula, known as Arabia Felix. The five other members, who would die all during the expedition, were Peter Forrskal, a Swedish naturalist, Christian Kramer, a Danish physician and zoologist, George Baurenfeind, a German artist, Friedrich von Haven, a Danish linguist, and a former Swedish military man named Berggren. They, disguised as Muslims, sailed on a ship carrying pilgrims to the Arabian port of Jidda. Niebuhr's account of his journey in Arabia and the Persian Gulf provided Europeans with the first comprehensive descriptions of the region; his map of Yemen was the first to detail scientifically that portion of the Arabian Peninsula. 'There are few better demonstrations of how little was still known about the Arab world in the second half of the eighteenth century than the Danish expedition which set sail for the east in 1761 '(Europe and the Arab world, 48). - A fine copy of a classic of early Arabian exploration.

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

THE FIRST DUTCH EMBASSY TO THE EMPEROR OF CHINA

87 **NIEUHOF, Joan.** L'ambassade de la Compagnie Orientale des Provinces Unies vers l'empereur de la Chine, ou Grand Cam de Tartarie, faite par Pierre de Goyer, & Jacob de Keyser.. Mis en François .. par Jean le Carpentier. Leyde, Jacob de Meurs, 1665.

2 volumes in 1. Folio. Contemporary panelled calf with blind-tooled central ornament and ornaments in the corners on both covers, skilfully rebacked with the original spine laid down, spine ribbed and gilt. With title printed in red and black, engraved allegorical frontispiece, engraved vignette on title, engraved portrait, folding map (skilfully remargined), 34 double-page plates (Paolinxi plate not inserted as usual) and 110 nice large engravings in the text. (18),290; 134,(1) pp. € 5.250,00

First French edition, published the same year as the original Dutch edition. - In 1665 Nieuhof published what is regarded as the definitive account of the Dutch embassy to Peking, and it is for this that he is best known (*Howgego p.752*). Nieuhof's account presented the Dutch reader with the most substantial and detailed description of the Middle Kingdom yet published. It contains information from the most important

Jesuit sources and adds to them the observations of one of the first Dutchmen to travel in China's interior and visit the capital. Nieuhof's book is lavishly illustrated (providing) European readers with more realistic visual images of China's landscape and people than ever before (*Lach-Kley, Asia in the making, III, p.484*. First embassy of the Dutch East India Company (VOC) of Pieter de Goyer and Jakob de Keyser to the court of China in the years 1655-57, describing all the events during this mission, the country, people, flora & fauna, etc. One of the very few non-Jesuit sources of the period. It is richly illustrated with large views of all ports and places visited, starting with Batavia, and with numerous nice text-engravings illustrating in detail Chinese life in the 17th century. The Paolinxi-plate mentioned in the index is actually only present in the Latin edition. - With armorial bookplate of De Forlia. - A fine copy. *Tiele 801; Landwehr, VOC, 540; Cat. NHSM I, p.499 (Dutch ed.); Cordier, B.S., col.2345-2346; Lust 534; Boucher de la Richarderie V, p.297.*

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

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

89 **NOBLE, John.** Zuid-Afrika, zijn verleden en zijn heden. Eene beknopte geschiedenis van de Europeesche volkplantingen aan de Kaap. Uit het Engelsch. Amsterdam, J.C. Schröder, 1878.

Original green cloth, with gilt lettering. XVI,416,(2) pp. € 75,00

History of the European settlement in South Africa. *SAB III, p.553.*

HISTORY OF FLANDERS

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

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

First edition. - Pierre d'Oudegherst or Oudegherste (1540 - 1592), a Flemish historian, wrote this history of Flanders (Belgium) from the year 620 to 1476. Plantin was too busy with the printing of the Polyglot Bible that he had the actual printing of this book done by his Antwerp colleague, Jan Withagen, using Plantin's type, as shown on the last leaf of the preliminaries. - A fine copy. - *Voet, Plantin Press, 1841*.

91 **PAASCH, Heinrich.** 'From keel to truck'. A marine dictionary in English, French and German .. for the use of ship-owners, builders, brokers, insurance-societies, average-staters, barristers, solicitors, translotors, surveyors, masters, mates, engineers, naval-schools, nautical journalists, etc. Antwerp, Ratinckx, 1885.

Original decorated cloth. With portrait and 84 plates. II,(4),206,CIV pp. - First edition. - *Cat.NHSM II*, *p.1003*. € 195,00

THE BARBARY STATES

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

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

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

PARRY'S MOST SUCCESFUL VOYAGE

93 **PARRY, William Edward.** Journal of a voyage for the discovery of a North-West passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific; performed in the years 1819-20, in his majesty's ships *Hecla* and *Griper*. With an appendix, containing the scientific and other observations. 2nd edition. London, John Murray, 1821.

4to. Later half calf with old boards, spine gilt with black title-label. With 6 engraved charts (4 folding), 5 lithographed profils and 9 aquatint plates by W. Westall after Beechey. (8),XXIX,310,CLXXIX pp. € 1.650,00

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

Arctic Bibl. 13145; Hill 1311; Sabin 58860; Stam, Books on ice, p.24.

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

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

AN EXCELLENT ACCOUNT OF CEYLON

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

4to. Contemporary half calf (hinges weak but holding), spine gilt with red morocco title-label. With engraved frontispiece, engraved folding map by A. Arrowsmith, 3 engraved folding charts (harbors of Trincomalay and Columbo and pearl fishery grounds) and 4 engraved plates. XII,446,(2) pp. € 1.450,00

Second and best edition. - Excellent account of Ceylon to which in this second edition not only an appendix was added but also an index and the plates. - The British suc-

ceeded the Dutch in Ceylon in 1796, Captain Robert Percival arrived with the British forces in 1797 and spent three years in Sri Lanka. He was, as he writes, "induced by curiosity" because "the accounts hitherto published of this island had been extremely imperfect; as the watchful jealousy of the Dutch both excluded the researches of strangers, and prevented their own people from publishing any observations.. ". He had a pronounced hatred of the cruelty of Dutch rule. In 1800 he joined General Macdowal's embassy to the court of Candy and gives a valuable report of this happening. In his description of pearl fishery he brings to life the extravaganza, the customs and superstitions of the fisherman and the dangers of the deep. Among the plates i.a. a view on the fort of Batacolo, elephant hunting, and the Cinnamon gardens near Columbo. - A fine copy.

Goonetileke 35a (mentions erroneously 4 instead of 3 charts).

96 **PETERSON, A.E. & G.W. EDWARDS.** New York as an eighteenth century municipality. New York, Longmans, Green & Company, 1917. Original cloth with gilt lettering. With plates. XXVII,199; 259 pp. - (With libr. stamps). € 95,00

THE FIRST BRITISH ATTEMPT TO REACH THE NORTH POLE SINCE 1615

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

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

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

Sabin 62572; JCB 1966; Chavanne 1944 (other ed.); Cox II, p.19; Stam, Books on ice, p.13.

COLONIAL LIFE IN BARBADOS AND ALONG THE GUIANA COASTS

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

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

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

99 **PLATTE GROND VAN BATAVIA.** Schaal 1 : 20.000. Batavia, G. Kolff & Co., (1866).

Coloured lithographed map, with advertisments on the back. Ca. 97 x 73,5 cm. *Cat. 300-jarig bestaan van Batavia 103.* - A fine copy. € 175,00

100 **HET PLEIN TE PARAMARIBO.** (No pl., 1843).

Fine lithographed view from the water depicting: Paleis van Justitie, Paleis van den gouverneur, Fort Zeelandia. Ca. 10 x 16 cm. - From: *Het Leeskabinet*. € 195,00

- 101 **PUFFENDORF, Samuell.** The compleat history of Sweden, from its origin to this time: comprehending the lives and reigns of all its kings and governors, the several revolutions, wars, riches, forces, strength, and interest of that nation, in respect to the other kingdoms of Europe. Faithfully translated from the original High-Dutch, and carefully continued down to this present year. London, printed by J. Brudenell for Joseph Wild, 1702.
- 2 volumes in 1. Contemporary mottled calf, spine richly gilt. (8),624,(8) pp. *With armorial bookplate of W.M. Owen Esq. Woodhouse.* € 195,00
- 102 **RADERS, R.F. van.** Vervolg der Bijlagen, behoorende tot de Memorie aan den koning, ingediend den 3 julij 1852, door den generaal-majoor R.F. Baron van Raders, rakende zijn bekomen ontslag als gouverneur der kolonie Suriname. 's Gravenhage., Erven Doorman, 1853. Original printed wrappers.VI,165 pp. € 65,00

THE CLASSIC DESCRIPTION OF JAVA

103 **RAFFLES, Thomas Stamford.** The history of Java. London, Black, Parbury, and Allen, and John Murray, 1817.

First edition. - Raffles (1781-1826) 'was interested in every aspect of his subject, and devotes whole sections to Javan ethics, literature, poetry, music, and musical instruments, drama, games of skill and methods of hunting, besides the more ordinary matters of interest population, natural history, religion, antiquities, and the military system .. The history of Java stands very high in its own class, and the aquatint plates are full of interest' (*Prideaux p.252-253*). 'In terms of the pictoral depiction of Javanese costume and topography the importance of the History of Java can hardly be exaggerated .. The marriage of a scientifically original text with beautiful illustrations by an accomplished aquatint engraver resulted in a book about Indonesia of outstanding quality; indeed, a masterpiece' (Bastin-Brommer p.6-7). The ten coloured aquatints, though unsigned are by William Daniell, illustrate Javanese life and costume, and the Papuan boy who accompanied Raffles to England in 1816. The plate of the Borobudur is one of the first depictions of the monument. 'An influential work valued for the author's firsthand observations on the customs and condition of the Javanese under his administration as Governor-General during the British occupation of the Dutch East Indies (1811-1815)' (Von Hünersdorff, Kaffee, 1213). Raffles' History of Java, the source of many basic Western ideas about the area, remains the starting point for studies of the Eastern archipelago- A fine copy.

Bastin-Brommer N 90; Abbey, Travel, 554; Tooley, Coloured Plates, 391; Thomson, The Exotic and the Beautiful, 304.

INCLUDING THE LIFE OF THE BLACK LEADER TOUSSAINT L'OUVERTURE

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

First Dutch edition. - Rainsford was a British officer in the West Indies who was driven ashore on St. Domingo, where he was sentenced to death as a spy but was released on the orders of Toussaint L'Ouverture. L'Ouverture was born in Haiti in 1743 and was slave for 50 years before he joined the revolutionaries. Using his genius and extraordinary military ability he led them drive first the French, then the English, followed by the Spanish, from the island of Haiti. Napoleon Bonaparte was determined to recapture the possesions for his empire so fighting started again. After Napoleon promised

liberty and equality, L'Ouverture accepted the truce after which he was arrested and sent to France where he died in prison. 'A former slave who emerged as the dominant figure in the Haitian Revolution, Toussaint Louverture is arguable the most important black leader in the history of the Americas. Even though he did not live to see an independent Haiti, Louverture (as he became known after the revolution) made independence possible. He became a formidable symbol of black power, dignity, and autonomy in the Americas, both for those aspired to and for those who abhorred this possibility' (*Rodriguez, Historical encycl. of world slavery, II, p.418*). Detailed history of the island, the rise of the Black Republic, its army and the brutal war with the French, and description of the life of Toussaint L'Ouverture. - Scarce.

Muller, America, p.57; Sabin 67535 (later edition); DNB p.627.

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

4 volumes. Contemporary calf, with red morocco tittle-labels to spines. With 4 folding engraved maps. (8),444; (8),457; (8),481; (8),477 pp. € 795,00

This work by Raynal (1713-1796) is considered to be one of the books which most influenced the French Revolution, a large part is said to have been written by Diderot and others. The book, prohibited in France, relates to trade in the Persian Gulf and with Arabia and India, the conquests of the Portuguese and Dutch in the East Indies and Asia, Spanish conquests in the Americas, the West Indies, the Portuguese conquest of Brazil, and the English and French colonies in North America. The maps depict: Map of the European settlements in the East Indies and on the eastern coast of Africa, Map of the European settlements in South America and on the western coast of Africa, Map of the European settlements in the West Indies, and Map of the European settlements in North America. - A fine set. *Cf. Sabin 68087*.

106 **RENEH, I Nyoman.** River landscape. Balinese drawing, wash technique on paper, signed on the back. Ca. 30 x 22,5 cm. € 450,00

Provenance: Sam Wagenaar collection. - I Nyoman Reneh (1911-1976) began to paint in the Batuan style in 1934.

Höhn, The art of Bali, p.116-120; Dermawant, Bali Bravo, p.197.

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

Original printed wrappers. 176 pp.

€ 125,00

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

THE FIRST IMPORTANT DICTIONARY OF THE SUNDANESE LANGUAGE

108 **RIGG, Jonathan.** A dictionary of the Sunda language of Java. Batavia, Lange & Co., 1862.

4to. Modern cloth. XVI,537,V pp.

€ 595,00

Verhandelingen Bataviaasch Genootschap. - 'The study of Sundanese may be said to begin with the publication in 1862 of the extensive dictionary compiled by Jonathan Rigg, an English landowner who lived in Djasinga, near the border between the regencies of Bogor and Banten. At that time scarcely existed any accurate knowledge about the language. Sundanese or as it was sometimes called Mountain-Javanese, was supposed to be a kind of coarse Javanese dialect. Raffles' opinion on the relation between Javanese and Sundanese was expressed in the following way: 'the Sunda, with reference to the Javan, may be viewed in much the same light as the Welch is to the English' .. Rigg's dictionary initiated a new period of more intensive study of Sundanese' (Uhlenbeck, Languages of Java and Madura, p. 10-11). - Rare.

109 **ROBBINS, Archibald.** A journal, comprising an account of the loss of the brig *Commerce*, of Hartford, (Con.) James Riley, master, upon the western coast of Africa, august 28th, 1815; also of the slavery and sufferings of the author and the rest of the crew, upon the desert of Zahara, in the years 1815, 1816, 1817; with accounts of the manners, customs, and habits of the wandering Arabs; also, a brief historical and geographical view of the continent of Africa. 16th edition. Hartford, Silas Andrus, 1823. Sm.8vo. Contemporary mottled calf, with red title label to spine. With folding engraved map. 275 pp. € 125,00

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

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

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt, with black morocco title label to spine. With large folding engraved map, coloured in outline. VIII,283,(3) pp. € 275,00

First Dutch edition. - Voyage in Norh America made in 1781 with descriptions of Boston, Baltimore, Williamsburg, the conquest of St. Eustatius by the English, etc. 'Relation trés estimée qui a traduite en plusieurs langues. On y trouve des renseignements utiles sur la marche des troupes françaises pendant cette année mémorable' (*Leclerc 999*). - Fine.

Sabin 72038; Howes 361; Muller, America, p.372; Boucher de la Richarderie VI, p.59-60; not in Tiele or Cat. NHSM.

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

Contemporary half calf, spine gilt. With engraved frontispiece, 2 engraved plates (1 folding), 2 engraved plates depicting whales, 3 engraved portraits and 5 folding maps. (8),317-976,(8) pp. € 525,00

Hedendaagsche historie, of tegenwoordige staat van alle volkeren, dl. VII. - Ample description of Russia, Sweden, Denmark and Norway, including details about whaling. - *Tiele 1033*.

DESCRIPTION OF THE LEVANT BY THE FIRST 'CLASSIC TOURIST' OF ENGLAND

SANDYS, (George). Voyagien, behelsende een historie van de oorspronckelijcke ende tegenwoordige standt des Turcksen rijcks ... Als mede, van Egypten ..

Neffens een beschrijvinge van het H. Landt .. Eyndelyck, Italien beschreven met hare nabuerighe eylanden; als Cyprus/ Creta/ Malta/ Sicilia/ de Aolische eylanden; van Roomen/ Venetien/ Napels/ Syracusa/ Mesena/ Etna/ Scylla/ en Charypdis/ etc. Uyt 't Engels vertaelt door J. G(lazemaker). Amsterdam, Baltes Boeckholt, 1665.

4to. Contemporary vellum. With engraved title, 3 engraved plates and 26 full or halfpage engravings in text. 263,(1) pp. € 1.850,00

First Dutch edition was published in 1653. - George Sandys (1578-1644) was the son of the Archbishop of York and a literary figure of some standing. In 1609 he set sail for the East and he spent the next year travelling in Turkey, Egypt and Palestine and later studied antiquities in Rome. His observations first appeared in English in 1615 and his text was soon regarded as a special authority on the Levant. He has been called the first 'classical tourist' of England. Sandys also was interested in colonial promotion, and was one of the undertakers named in the third charter of the Virginia Company in 1611, and later treasurer and a member of the Council. This book also became popular in the Netherlands and was several times republished. - A fine clean copy.

Tiele 959; Cat. NHSM I, p.256; Blackmer Collection 1484 (English edition); Atabey Collection 1087 (English edition); Weber 245; Röhricht p.232; Ibrahim-Hilmy p.210.

113 **SEVENHOVEN, Jan Izaäk van.** Beschrijving van de hoofdplaats van Palembang. (Batavia, Lands Drukkerij, 1823). Modern half cloth. (87) pp. € 95,00

Verhandelingen Bataviaasch Genootschap. - Description of the capital of the province of South Sumatra.

114 **SEWARD, William H.** Travels around the world. Edited by Oliver Risley Seward. New York, D. Appleton and Comp., 1873.

Original blue cloth gilt, spine richly gilt. With portrait, folding map and 200 woodengravings. XII,730 pp. $\$ 325,00

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

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

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

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

JAN CAREL JOSEPHUS VAN SPEIJK (1802-1831)

116 SPEYK, Jan Carel Josephus van. J.C.J. van Speyk. Geboren 31 Januarij 1802, den heldendood gestorven 5 Februarij 1831. Amsterdam, A.J.Tetroode, 1831. Lithographed portrait of Jan Carel Josephus van Speyk (1802-1831) after Clermans by Desguerrois et Cie with beneath the blown up ship. Ca. 27 x 18 cm. € 125,00

In Antwerp on the river Schelde, on February 5, 1831, Van Speyk' ship was boarded by revolution minded Belgians, who attempted to seize control. He fired his pistol into a barrel of gunpower setting off an enormous explosion, destroying the ship and killing dozens of people, himself included. Van Speyk became a great Dutch hero for his courageous, or crazy, actions.

Muller, Portretten, 5058E; De Vries, De lucht in gevlogen, de hemel in geprezen, p.6.

117 **SPEYK, Jan Carel Josephus van.** Van Speijk's leven en dood. - Vie et mort de Van Speyk. 19th century coloured catchpenny print. Ca. 38 x 29 cm. € 95,00

In Antwerp on the river Schelde, on February 5, 1831, Van Speyk' ship was boarded by revolution minded Belgians, who attempted to seize control. He fired his pistol into a barrel of gunpower setting off an enormous explosion, destroying the ship and killing dozens of people, himself included. Van Speyk became a great Dutch hero for his courageous, or crazy, actions.

De Vries, De lucht in gevlogen, de hemel in geprezen, p.108.

118 **SPIER, Jo.** West. Met tekst van Piet Bakker. Amst., 1948. 4to. Original cloth, with dustwrapper. With drawings by Jo Spier depicting Surinam and the Netherlands Antilles. - *Fine*. & 85,00

AN IMPORTANT EARLY ACCOUNT OF BRAZIL

STADEN, Hans. Beschryvinge van America/, wiens inwoonders wildt, naekt, seer godloos en wreede menschen-eeters zijn, hoe hy selve onder de Brasilianen lange gevangen geseten heeft, die hem dagelijcks dreyghden doodt te slaen en teeten: oock hoe wonderbaerlijck hy door de handt des Heeren verlost is. Amsterdam, Erfgenamen van de weduwe Gysbert de Groot, 1736.

2 volumes in 1. 4to. Modern half vellum. With large identical woodcut on each titlepage and 6 woodcuts in the text. (8), 72 pp. & 1.150,00

First published in German in 1557, first Dutch edition printed by Plantin in 1558. - 'This is the true history of the romantic adventures of Hans Staden, the Hessian adventurer, who set sail for Brazil in 1547 to seek his fortune, and was taken captive two years later, by the Tupinamba Indians, whilst assisting the Portuguese in one of their earliest Brazilian settlements at Santo Amaro. He remained nine months, in their hands, escaped on board a French ship for Dieppe, then went to London and Antwerp in 1566' (Cox II, p.290). 'The book enjoyed considerable succes in Holland where it became popular and appeared in numerous editions' (Borba de Moraes II, p.833). - A scarce chapbook edition of an inportant early account of Brazil. - (Some margins skilfully restored). Tiele 1037; not in Cat. NHSM; Sabin 90058; European Americana VI, 736/232.

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

Original embossed brown cloth (spine sl. dam. and discoloured). With folding coloured diagram, 5 sketch-maps and 6 folding coloured lithographed maps. LVIII,550; 32 pp. € 225,00

First edition published the same year. - 'In this very popular work he emphasized the connection between history and geography; that is, he interpreted history through geography. The maps are very good' (*Blackmer*). *Blackmer Collection 1600; Tobler p.188; Rohricht p.455.*

A FIRST -HAND ACCOUNT OF AN EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY SLAVE SOCIETY

- 121 **STEDMAN, John Gabriel.** Narrative, of a five years' expedition, against the revolted negroes of Surinam, in Guiana, on the Wild Coast of South America; from the year 1772, to 1777: elucidating the history of that country, and describing its productions .. with an account of the Indians .. & negroes of Guinea. 2nd edition, corrected. London, J. Johnson, 1806.
- 2 volumes. 4to. Later half calf (Edmund LLoyd Harley), spines gilt in compartments, with green morocco title labels to spines. With aquatint frontispiece, engraved vignettes on titles, 3 folding maps and 77 aquatint plates (including a large folding view of Paramaribo) by William Blake, Francesco Bartolozzi, a.o. (foxed as usual). XVIII,423,(4); IV,419,(5) pp. \in 3.850,00

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

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

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

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

€ 215,00

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

DUTCH ADMINISTRATION OF SUMATRA

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

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

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commandant and resident of Padang between 1824 and 1829. He left the colony after a conflict with the governor-general about the expansion of authority in Sumatra. 'Veth published the book because it clarified a little-known episode in colonial history. In Veth's view, it underscored the need for the Netherlands to concern itself more actively with the administration of the Outer Islands. In an annotated introduction running to over a hundred pages Veth reviewed the history of Dutch military action on Sumatra' (Van der Velde, P.J. Veth, p. 119). The fine plates are after drawings by the author. Tiele 1066; Cat. NHSM I, p.512; Cat. KITLV p.18; Bastin-Brommer N 406; Landwehr, Coloured plates, 449.

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132 **VERHALEN UIT CHINA.** Leiden, P.J. Trap, (ca. 1835).

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

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

Second edition, first printed at Rome in 1672. - Vincenzo Maria was a Carmelite missionary whose name was Antonio Murchio. His book 'is far more than an itinerary of the Carmelite mission to India: Book I tells of the journey to Malabar; Book II is about the St. Thomas Christians; Book III is on the political, religious, and social life of Malabar; Book IV, probably prepared with the aid of Father Matthew, describes the plants of Malabar, tells of the return trip to Europe, and includes a description of Goa. While he cites a number of earlier European commentators on India, his description of Malabar, where he lived for almost one year (February, 1657, to January, 1658), is original and perceptive. .. He spent very little time in the port cities and came to know interior places rarely frequented by Europeans' (Lach, Asia in the making III, p.892). 'Perhaps the most important of the 17th century Italian travellers' (Atabey p.689). He journeyed through Turkey, Lebanon, Syria, Persia before he finally arrived in India. He had a keen eye and has much of interest to record about manners, customs, costumes, natural history, etc. He returned to his homeland via Muscat which he describes over a chapter. 'The present account is much more detailed than the usual contemporary reports' (Hünersdorff, Coffee, p 1045) .- (Some staining and soiling). Atabey Collection 1297 (3rd edition); not in Blackmer or Weber; Streit V, 538; Cat. NHSM I, p.240.

137 VOC. - GROTE ATLAS VAN DE VERENIGDE OOSTINDISCHE COMPAGNIE / COMPREHENSIVE ATLAS OF THE DUTCH UNITED EAST INDIA COMPANY. Volume III: Indische Archipel en Oceanië. Malay Archipelago and Oceania. Edited by Arend de Roever & Bea Brommer. Zierikzee, 2008. Large folio. Cloth, with dustwrapper, in slipcase. With numerous coloured facsimile reproductions of manuscript maps, charts, town plans and drawings from the collections of the Netherlands National Archives and various other VOC archives. 424 pp. € 350,00

A comprehensive overview of the enormous legacy of VOC manuscript maps, plans and topographical drawings of Indonesia beyond Java and Madura (including Sumatra, the Riau and Lingga Archipelagos, Celebes, Borneo, the North and South Moluccas, the Banda Islands and the Lesser Sunda Islands), Malacca, the Philippines, New Guinea, Australia, New Zealand, various islands in the Pacific Ocean and Ceylon explored by the Dutch in VOC times.

138 VOC. - HET TE WATER LOOPEN, DER DRIE SCHEEPEN, VAN DE WERFF DER OOSTINDISCHE COMPAGNIE TE AMSTERDAM, OP DEN 2DE JULY 1783, 'S NAMIDDAGS TUSCHEN 2 EN 3 UUREN; TEWEETEN DE MEER-MIN, DE BATAVIER, EN DOGGERSBANK. Onder het bestier van Dirk van Haarst, scheeps bouwmeester der gemelde Compagnie; van welke scheepen de spanten zyn opgericht, den 2de January, 5 February en 20 dito van't zelfde jaar. - LES TROIS NAVIRES DE LA COMPAGNIE DES INDES ORIENTALES, LA SIRENNE, LE BATAVE, & LE DOGGERSBANK .. (etc.).

Amsterdam, P. Yver, F.W. Greebe en J.W. Smit, (1783).

Engraving of the shipyard of the Dutch East India Company after J. Andriessen by C. Brouwer. Ca. $36,5 \times 49$ cm (including margins). \bigcirc 1.500,00

The fine engraving depicts the launching of three VOC-vessels on July 1783 (they were built within half a year!) from the East Indies warehouse and shipyard complex belonging to the VOC in Amsterdam, below printed text in Dutch and French, with in the middle an engraved vignette with VOC monogram. - In excellent condition. *Muller, Nederlandsche historieplaten, 4512.*

ADMIRAL WILLIAM WALDEGRAVE (1753-1825)

139 **WALDEGRAVE, William.** William, Lord Radstock, admiral of the *White*. From a painting .. by F.W. Wilkin. London, T. Cadell & Davies, 1810. Engraved portrait of admiral William Waldegrave, first Baron Radstock (1753-1825). Ca. 38 x 32 cm (incl. margins). - *DNB p.480*. € 125,00

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

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

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

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

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

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

2 volumes. Sm.8vo. Contemporary vellum. With 2 engraved title-vignettes, engraved frontispiece, folding table, and 12 folding engraved views of the Amstel, Oudekerk, Amstelmond, Amstelveen, Waverveen, Sloten, Sloterdijk, etc. by J.C. Philips, C. Pronk a.o. (16),400; 327,(8) pp. € 495,00

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

143 **(WRIGHT D'ARUSMONT, Frances).** Views of society and manners in America; in a series of letters from that country to a friend in England, during the years 1818, 1819, and 1820. By an English woman. 2nd American edition. New York, E. Bliss and E. White, 1821.

Contemporary half calf. XII,387 pp.

€ 170,00

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

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

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

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SEA-OFFICER JOHAN ARNOLD ZOUTMAN (1724-1793)

145 **ZOUTMAN, Johan Arnold.** Johan Arnold Zoutman, Vice Admiraal van Holland en Westvriesland (overwinnaar van de Britsche vloot, onder zijn manhaft beleid, te rug geslaagen van Doggersbank, den 5den Augustus 1781). Amsterdam, Allart, (ca. 1785).

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