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#### Introductory Note

Back in the autumn we found ourselves in Montenegro, touring the Bay of Kotor (although 'touring' is a rather grandiose term for journeying via public bus). We'd arrived somewhere close to our destination via car, plane, taxi and ferry (I'd been looking forward to "Europe's prettiest ferry journey", it didn't disappoint on that score, but it was probably Europe's shortest ferry ride too, which somewhat curtailed my scenerygazing). Next up was the bus. We had some trouble pinpointing the bus stop, and having been journeying since 2:30 that morning decided it might be time for a pint in a local hostelry, wherein we were confident of receiving directions, or at least a description of what a Montenegrin bus stop might look like. The only place within sight was a proper dive, the sort of place even I would usually avoid. Utterly deserted, peeling paint, and a distinctly unloved quality; much, much better days had certainly been seen. The owner turned out to be a delightful man, we bonded over his ancient dribbly cat and the fact that his English was infinitely superior to our Serbo-Croat (I'm doing well if I can order beer, but occasionally this results in unintended Baileys. And nobody ever wants Baileys). The owner introduced himself to us as The Sea Captain, and immediately took us on a short tour of the extensive photographic portraits of his ancestors which adorned the walls, all previous owners of the bar and, so far as we could tell, all also called The Sea Captain. He then told us that he was a philatelist. I have a mental block with this word, stamps or butterflies? I can never remember which. Fellatio, perhaps? His English was good, but not, I felt, so good that this could be anything other than an error. I nodded, smiling blankly, wondering with some trepidation what in fact he might be (earlier the taxi driver had smilingly told us that the place we were going to had 'murdered tourists', but on reflection we decided 'many tourists' was probably the intended conversational gambit). Noting my confusion, The Sea Captain rummaged behind the bar and produced a hefty and really quite elegantly produced self-published book, and blow me down he was a philatelist. It seemed he had one of the finest stamp collections in private hands in the world, and the book showed him winning gold medal after gold medal in seemingly every major stamp convention. He had toured the planet with his collection of Napoleonic letters, eventually retiring to the family bar and the increasingly moist cat (possibly of Napoleonic origin too). We spent several hours nattering to him and leafing through his book together. We were the only customers in all that time, although one more cat did eventually emerge from inside an old half-full bag of cement. The Sea Captain was a serendipitous find, an absolute delight housed in a most unexpected setting. And he knew where the bus stop was.

- 1. **JAMES AGEE**. *A Death in the Family*. A novel. Victor Gollancz 1958. First UK edition. 8vo. 339pp. A touch of darkening to the paperstock. A very bright and crisp copy in dust wrapper with some not inconsiderable tanning and staining to the spine panel, and just a hint of wear to the head of the spine. The uncommon UK edition of the author's celebrated posthumously-issued autobiographical novel, edited from his incomplete manuscript by David McDowell, and winner of the 1958 Pulitzer Prize. £20
- 2. **RICHARD ALDINGTON** contributes his poem *Dancers* to an issue of the periodical *Poetry*. *A Magazine of Verse*. Vol. V, No. 5, February 1915. Edited by Harriet Monroe. First edition. Slim 8vo. Card wrappers, very lightly chipped at the spine ends and with just a touch of light dust soiling. A very good copy. £15
- 3. **MONICA ALI**. *Brick Lane*. Doubleday 2003. First edition of her Booker Prize shortlisted debut novel. This copy **inscribed by the author** on the title page. 8vo. 413pp. A small bump to the head of the upper board, and a sliver of discolouration to the base. A very crisp copy in dust wrapper, with some creasing to the upper edge and with a small area of surface scoring to the front panel (also discernable on the upper board).  $\pounds 10$
- 4. **ERIC AMBLER**. *To Catch a Spy. An Anthology of Favourite Spy Stories*. Selected and edited by Eric Ambler. The Bodley Head 1964. First edition. 8vo. 224pp. Edges lightly spotted. A virtually fine copy in very good dust wrapper, lightly darkened at the extreme edges and with a little spotting to the margins of the rear panel. A sixteen page introductions precedes a selection of works by John Buchan (The Loathly Opposite), Somerset Maugham (*Giulia Lazzari*), Compton Mackenzie (*The First Courier*), Graham Greene (*I Spy*), Ian Fleming (*A View to a Kill*), Michael Gilbert (*On Slay Down*) and Ambler's own *Belgrade 1926*. £50
- 5. **SHERWOOD ANDERSON**. *Winesburg Ohio. Intimate Histories of Every-day People.* Jonathan Cape 1922. The first UK edition of the author's most celebrated book; issued three years earlier in the US. 8vo. 303pp. Spine ends gently rubbed and the top edge dust soiled. A tiny bump impacts the fore edge of the first four leaves, leaving a miniscule indentation. A very good copy. No dust wrapper. The subtitle of this English edition differs from that of the US issue, which was "A Group of Tales of Ohio Small Town Life". Sheehy & Lohf 10. £55
- 6. **SHERWOOD ANDERSON**. *Horses and Men. Tales, Long and Short, from Our American Life.* Jonathan Cape 1924. The first UK edition, issued a year earlier in the US. 8vo. xiii + 347pp. Top edge a little dust marked, and with just a touch of rubbing to the spine ends and a small bump to the tip of one corner. Some light browning and toning to the free endpapers. A nice crisp copy. No dust wrapper. A brief foreword by the author and the two-page Dreiser (the collection is dedicated to Theodore Dreiser) precedes nine stories; the author's third collection of short fiction. Sheehy & Lohf 22. £25
- 7. ANTHOLOGY. Wayfarer's Love. Contributions From Living Poets. Edited by The Duchess of Sutherland. Constable 1904. First edition of this handsome anthology. Large 8vo. 78pp. Decorated cloth featuring a handsome Walter Crane gilt-stamped design. All edges rough-trimmed. A little chafing to the spine ends and corner tips. An inked former owner gift inscription partly erased from the front free endpaper. A very good copy of a handsome production, produced in aid of the Potteries and Newcastle Cripples Guild. A three-page introduction by the editor precedes poems by John Masefield (Bring Her Friend), W.B.Yeats (Old Memory, a hitherto unprinted poem), Thomas Hardy (Life's Opportunity), G.K.Chesterton (Secrecy, a hitherto unprinted and subsequently uncollected poem), A.E., Edmund Gosse, A.E.Housman, Robert Bridges, Laurence Binyon, Alice Meynell, Francis Thompson, Maurice Maeterlinck, Sturge Moore, Arthur Symons, Maurice Baring, Wilfred Scawen Blunt, Henry Newbolt and others. Wade 302, Sullivan 214, Not noted by Simmons. £75

- 8. **MICHAEL AYRTON**. *The Testament of Daedalus*. With a foreword by Rex Warner. Methuen. 1962. First edition. 8vo. 71pp + xvi plates. Marbled paper-covered boards. Illustrated with sixteen plates and with a further eleven pen and brush drawings in the text. Two tiny splashes of staining to the top edge, else a fine copy in dust wrapper, lightly chafed and nicked at the spine ends and corner tips, and with some uneven but fairly light browning. Former owner name neatly inked to the front free endpapers. £15
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- 10. **BERYL BAINBRIDGE**. *Every Man for Himself*. Duckworth 1996. First edition this copy **signed by the author** on the title page. 8vo. 224pp. A fine copy in fine dust wrapper. The author's Whitbread Prize-winning Titanic disaster novel. £30
- 11. **JOHN BANVILLE**. *Doctor Copernicus*. A novel. Secker & Warburg 1976. First edition. 8vo. 242pp. Top edge lightly dust soiled and speckled, and with a sliver of discolouration to the head and base of the boards, a touch of very light spotting to the endpapers and a small area of surface abrasion at the head of the rear pastedown. A very good copy in very good dust wrapper, with a little light uneven fading to the unprinted rear panel, alongside several areas of minor indeterminate abrasion. Two tiny slivers of surface abrasion from the base of the spine panel, presumably caused when the New Fiction Society label was carefully removed. Winner of the James Tait Black Memorial Prize, and the first volume in the author's *Revolutions* trilogy. £85
- 12. **GEORGE BARKER** contributes his lengthy three-part poem *A Vision of Beasts and Gods* (appearing here four years before the first bookform appearance) to the seventh issue of the literary journal *Botteghe Oscure* Vol. VII, Rome 1951. First edition. Royal 8vo. 475pp. Card wrappers, lightly marked and with a little creasing to the yapped fore edges. Some aging to the paperstock. A nice crisp copy. This issue also includes original contributions by Truman Capote (the first chapter of his in-progress novel *The Grass Harp*), Albert Camus, Vernon Watkins, Ronald Duncan, John Lehmann, Arthur Waley, Randall Jarrell, Richard Eberhart &c. £30
- 13. **H.E.BATES**. A Threshing Day. A story. W and G.Foyle Ltd. 1931. First edition, limited to 300 numbered copies, **signed by the author** (this being #289). Slim 8vo. 32pp. Buckram, the backstrip lightly faded and with just a little darkening to the front free endpapers and the merest hint of wear to two corner tips. A very good copy, lacking the unprinted glassine protector. The first bookform appearance of this twenty-six page Bates story, which first appeared in a 1930 issue of John O'London's Weekly (under the title A Threshing Day for Esther), and was subsequently included in the collection The Black Boxer Tales (1932). £125
- 14. **H.E.BATES**. *The Duet*. Grayson & Grayson, 'The Grayson Books' series 1935. First edition, limited to 285 numbered copies, **signed by the author** (this being #127). Slim 8vo. With decorated vellum endpapers and two small drawings by Joy Lloyd. A virtually fine copy. No dust wrapper. The first of The Grayson Books (the series eventually ran to a total of twelve). £55
- 15. H.E.BATES. Something Short and Sweet. Stories. Jonathan Cape 1937. First edition. 8vo. 288pp + [viii] publisher's catalogue at rear. Spine ends and lower edges rubbed, with a touch of spotting to the endpapers and to occasional leaf margins. A nice crisp copy in price-clipped dust wrapper, somewhat marked, soiled, creased and edgeworn, with half a dozen quite small areas of edge loss, and a ring stain to the rear panel. An uncommon collection of sixteen stories, with a printed dedication to H.A.Manhood. 2,000 copies were printed. £75

- 16. **H.E.BATES**. *The Day of Glory*. A Play in Three Acts. Michael Joseph 1945. First edition a presentation copy, **inscribed by the author** to his sometime literary agent: "*Margery Vosper, to whom this play owes, if not its heart, the larger part of its head; & who would say that the head did not matter? With warm wishes, thanks & [indecipherable] H.E.Bates, 45". Slim 8vo. 78pp. A very good copy, albeit printed on lesser quality wartime paperstock, in slightly tanned, stained and dust soiled dust wrapper. The author's only significant play, an RAF story that was produced in Salisbury in October 1945, broadcast by the BBC and later toured by the Arts Council. Margery Vosper, of Margery Vosper Ltd., was a rep actress and later manager of the literary agency Dorothy Allen Ltd. Upon her retirement Allen later gifted the agency to Vosper on the understanding that she rename it after herself. £200*
- 17. SAMUEL BECKETT. Samuel Beckett. The catalogue of a 1971 exhibition at Reading University Library (and later touring), compiled by James Knowlson, with a foreword by A.J. Leventhal. Turret Books 1971. First edition, the card wrapper issue. 8vo. 123pp. Glossy card wrappers. Illustrated with eight photographs and manuscript reproductions. A single light but lengthy readership crease to the spine, else a virtually fine copy of this 385-item catalogue which surveys the whole life of the Nobel Laureate. £15
- 18. ALAN BENNETT. *Keeping On Keeping On.* Faber and Profile books 2016. First edition of the author's third collection of diary extracts, covering the period 2005-2015 and encompassing the release of the films *The History Boys* and *The Lady in the Van.* 8vo. 721pp. With patterned endpapers and thirty photographs, mostly in colour. A small indentation to the head of the rear board and just a trace of wear to the spine ends. A virtually fine copy in dust wrapper, with just a touch of light wear to the extremities. £10
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- 21. **BLOOMSBURY. Isabelle Anscombe**. *Omega and After. Bloomsbury and the Decorative Arts.* With photographs by Howard Grey and a foreword by John Lehmann. Thames & Hudson 1981. First edition. 4to. 176pp. Illustrated with over 120 photographs and reproductions, including twenty in colour. Faint ghost of a few pencil marks to the front free endpaper, else a fine copy in laminated dust wrapper with a small kink to the upper edge. Will you help save Charleston? Folding handbill laid-in. Chapters include *Roger Fry and the foundation of the Omega Workshop, Vanessa Bell and the development of an idea,* and *The Ending of the Omega*. £30
- 22. EDMUND BLUNDEN. Robert Lloyd. The Actor. A Poem by Robert Lloyd to which is prefix'd An Essay by Edmund Blunden. The whole embellish'd with Theatrical Figures by Randolph Schwabe. C.W.Beaumont 1926 (in fact dated at the base of the title leaf MDCCCCXXVI [sic]). First edition, this being number 203 of 210 copies printed on handmade paper (from a total edition of 270). Slim 8vo. 45pp. Decorated paper-covered buckram-backed boards. A sliver of light discolouration to the board edges and just a hint of rubbing to the corner tips. A very good copy of a typically delightful Beaumont Press production. No dust wrapper called for, but lacking the original unprinted tissue protector (but with a fresh sheet of protective acetate supplied). £35

- 23. EDMUND BLUNDEN. Memorial Window to Edmund Blunden 1896-1974 in the Church of St. Peter & St. Paul, Yalding, Kent. [no publisher / no date, c.1979]. A single sheet of card, folded to form four leaves, and with a reproduction of Laurence Whistler's splendid stained glass window tipped to the third leaf. Includes a brief description of Blunden and the window, followed by his poem *Report on Experience*. A touch of very light superficial creasing. A very good copy of an uncommon item. £30
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- 26. **RUPERT BROOKE**. *The Letters of Rupert Brooke*. Edited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes. Faber 1968. First edition. 8vo. xv + 709pp. Illustrated with nineteen photographic plates. In fine state with virtually fine dust wrapper. Former owner bookplate to the front free endpaper. A substantial selection of Brooke's correspondence, much of it hitherto unprinted, with recipients including Virginia Woolf, Edward Marsh, Stanley Spencer, E.M.Forster, Lascelles Abercrombie, John Drinkwater, W.W.Gibson, Edmund Gosse, Harold Monro, Gwen Raverat, Lytton Strachey, Albert Rothenstein and Edward Thomas. £25
- 27. MAURICE BROWNE. Songs of Exile. Poems. Samurai Press, Norwich 1907. First edition – an interesting association copy, inscribed by the publisher: "Rev Canon Rawnsley, from A[rthur] K.S[abin], The Author's Friend. Dunsfold, Godalming 16/vii.1907', and with an accompanying hand-written letter from Sabin to Rawnsley laid-in ("I am sending you a copy of my own firstissued book...the Press will pay ultimately I think: and it is very pleasant to be having a real struggle on decent ground"). Slim 8vo. 32pp. Stiff card boards, the backstrip nicked and splitting, and the corner tips rubbed. Issued without endpapers and accordingly with some browning to the half-title and the final text leaf. Very good. Nine poems by the noted theatre producer, perhaps best known as the producer of R.C.Sherriff's Journey's End. Arthur Sabin became involved in Harold Monro's Samurai Press in circa 1906, after it moved from Norwich to Cranleigh. He later owned the imprint Temple Sheen Press, was later Keeper at the Victoria and Albert Museum and curator of the Bethnal Green Museum (now the Museum of Childhood). Canon Hardwicke Rawnsley was one of three founders of the National Trust: he owned Allan Bank, a house once variously occupied by William and Dorothy Wordsworth, Thomas De Quincey, Samuel Taylor Coleridge, and bequeathed it to the National Trust. £50
- 28. **HELEN CARR**. *The Verse Revolutionaries: Ezra Pound, H.D. and The Imagists.* Jonathan Cape 2009. First edition. Large 8vo. 982pp. Illustrated with photographs and reproductions. A fine copy in dust wrapper, with a little light uneven fading to the edges. £15
- 29. WILLIAM COBBETT. George Spater. *William Cobbett. The Poor Man's Friend.* Cambridge University Press 1982. First edition, complete in two volumes. 8vo. 653pp (over both volumes). Map-illustrated endpapers. With illustrations. A virtually fine set in dust wrappers, lightly faded at the spine panels. Covers a little spotted and top edges speckled. Good, bright copies in dust wrappers, faded at spine panels and lightly nicked at some extremities. £20

- 30. **JEAN COCTEAU**. *A Call to Order*. Essays. Translated from the French by Rollo H.Myers. Faber & Gwyer 1926. The first English edition of this collection of six essays written between 1918-26 and including Cock and Harlequin and Professional Secrets. 8vo. 248pp. Self-portraiture frontispiece drawing. A touch of wear to the spine ends, the top edge spotted, and one or two preliminary and concluding leaves also lightly spotted. A nice crisp copy. No dust wrapper. £50
- 31. **JOSEPH CONRAD**. *The Mirror of the Sea. Memories and Impressions*. Methuen 1906. First edition, first state. 8vo. vii + 306pp + xl publisher's catalogue dated August 1906. Top edge gilt, others untrimmed. The spine ends a little rubbed and nicked, with some wear to the corner tips and a little miscellaneous marking and discolouration to the cloth. Preliminary and concluding leaves lightly spotted, with a touch of further occasional soiling to leaf margins. A nice crisp copy. 1,500 copies were printed. £225
- 32. **A.E.COPPARD.** *Easter Day.* A poem. [no publisher / no date, circa 1931]. Tall 8vo. Four pages of printed text. Cloth-backed boards, lettered in red at the upper board. Coppard's four-page holograph poem, issued here in an unspecified limited edition [apparently 145, with 35 copies for presentation], this copy hand-numbered 114 and with an additional short poem (or possibly the conclusion to the facsimile poem) hand-written by the author on the recto of the final leaf: "*I comb & comb & comb at the spicy moss, / all day I am pleasantly toiling, / and the red umbrella lies on the lawn / unfolded. A.E.Coppard, Oct. 1931". Spine ends a little bruised and with a touch of light wear to the corner tips. Former owner inkstamp to the front pastedown. A very good copy of a most uncommon item, housed in the original stiff card slipcase, a little rubbed, chafed and dust soiled. £75*
- 33. **MALCOLM COWLEY**. A Second Flowering. Works and Days of the Lost Generation. Andre Deutsch 1973. The first UK edition. 8vo. x + 276pp. A hint of spotting to the fore edge, else a fine copy in virtually fine price-clipped dust wrapper. A further account of the Lost Generation, with chapters focusing on F.Scott Fitzgerald, Ernest Hemingway, John Dos Passos, E.E.Cummings, Thornton Wilder, William Faulkner, Thomas Wolfe and Hart Crane. £10
- 34. **MALCOLM COWLEY**. *The View From 80*. The Viking Press, New York 1980. First edition. Slim 8vo. 74pp. Cloth-backed boards. A fine copy in virtually fine dust wrapper. A reflection from the author's ninth decade, considerably expanded from his award-winning *Life* magazine article. £15
- 35. MALCOLM COWLEY. *Exile's Return. A Literary Odyssey of the 1920's.* With an introduction by Leon Edel and illustrated with contemporary photographs. The Limited Editions Club, New York 1981. First edition thus, one of 2,000 numbered copies (this being #1813) **signed by both the author and the photographer Berenice Abbott.** Tall 8vo. 281pp. Cloth-backed decorated paper-covered boards. Illustrated with twelve full-page photogravures by Abbott, Man Ray, André Kertész, Alvin Coburn and Walker Evans. A fine copy in slipcase, lacking the original unprinted glassine protector, but with a fresh sheet supplied. The first signed limited edition of Cowley's celebrated lyrical memoir of the Lost Generation (first published in 1934, and here including the author's prologue and epilogue which he wrote for the revised edition of 1951). £75
- 36. **HART CRANE. Sherman Paul**. *Hart's Bridge*. University of Illinois Press, Urbana 1972. First edition. 8vo. 315pp. A touch of spotting to the top edge, and the front endpapers very lightly marked. A virtually fine copy in dust wrapper, a little chafed in places and with a touch of wear to the spine ends and corner tips. A reassessment of Crane's life and work, with a special focus on his ambitious lengthy poem *The Bridge*. £10

- 37. CRIMEAN WAR. Mrs Tom Kelly [i.e. Mary Kelly]. From the Fleet in the Fifties. A History of the Crimean War. With letters written between 1854-56 by The Reverend S.Kelson Stothert, chaplain to the Naval Brigade. With illustrations by William Simpson, various maps and photographs, and a preface by Vice-Admiral [Armand Temple] Powlett. Hurst & Blackett 1902. First edition, this copy inscribed by the author, Mary Kelly, and with a contemporary eightpage letter to the recipients of her inscription laid-in. 8vo. 460pp. Quarter-cloth. With a tissueprotected colour frontispiece and twenty-eight captioned monochrome plates, two of them folding. Errata slip tipped between pp 4448-449, as issued. A little creasing and light wear to the spine ends and some spotting to two or three preliminary and concluding leaves. Many leaves uncut at the top edge. A very good copy of this diplomatic and military history of the Crimean War, built around the detailed letters to family members of Kelson Stothert (Kelson Stothert was in Crimean waters, mostly on board the HMS Queen, between April 1954 and early January 1855, and between mid-April and early October 1855. He also describes visits to Balaklava and the British camp, and also Sevastopol in mid-September 1855). In the laid-in letter Mary Kelly discusses her depiction of the Battle of Balaklava (chapter xvii) and the Royal Patriotic Fund set up to provide assistance to the widows and orphans of the Crimean War. £95
- 38. **KEVIN CROSSLEY-HOLLAND**. *The Language of Yes.* Poems. Enitharmon Press 1996. First edition, the deluxe casebound issue, limited to just thirty numbered copies, **signed by the author** and including a hand-written poem. Slim 8vo. 72pp. Cloth with a decorated paper plate inset to the upper board. Four or five very light instances of spotting to the cloth and just a speckling of spotting to the top edge. A virtually fine copy. No dust wrapper called for. Forty-one poems. £75
- 39. **E.E.CUMMINGS**. A special E.E.Cummings issue of the quarterly periodical *The Harvard Wake*. No 5, spring 1946. 8vo. Card wrappers, tanned at the spine panel and with a large area of staining to the rear wrapper, which also impacts the fore edge margin (only) of a score of text leaves, and the margins of the photographic portrait. A good, bright copy. Cummings contributes his four-page story *The Old Man who said "Why?"*, an untitled poem which begins "*love our so right*", and his ten-page morality play *Santa Claus*, all hitherto unprinted. Other contributors of tributes and testimonials include William Carlos Williams, Marianne Moore, Allan Tate, Lionel Trilling and Fairfield Porter (writing on *The Paintings of E.E.Cummings*). £15
- 40. **E.E.CUMMINGS.** *Eimi.* William Sloane, New York [1949]. Second edition of the author's abstract prose-verse account of his 1931 Soviet Union visit, photolithographed from the sheets of the 1933 first edition. 8vo. 432pp. Spine ends lightly rubbed and the tip of one corner gently bumped. Very good indeed in slightly edgeworn dust wrapper. Firmage A13b (who notes that 1,500 copies were published from 2,700 sets of sheets, the red upper edge stain here identifying this as one of the non-remaindered copies). £50
- 41. NANCY CUNARD. *Sublunary*. Poems. Hodder & Stoughton 1923. First edition of the author's second book. 8vo. 106pp. Portrait frontispiece of the author (from a sketch by Wyndham Lewis). A hint of fading to the backstrip, and just a touch of bruising to the spine ends. Half-title spotted, with a touch of further very light spotting to the title page and two blank rear flyleaves. Very good indeed, albeit lacking the most uncommon dust wrapper. Sixty-eight poems by the noted author, publisher and political activist. £125
- 42. **ROALD DAHL**. Someone Like You. Stories. Secker & Warburg 1954. First UK edition, preceded by the US edition. 8vo. 256pp. Tips of the two lower corners knocked and just a touch of bruising to the base of the spine. A very good copy particularly crisp internally and housed in the K.F.Rowland-designed dust wrapper, alas with three one-inch sized areas of loss from the upper edge, several more smaller fractions of loss from the lower edge, and a touch of very light dust soiling, and some chafing to the natural folds. Some fading to the publisher's red spine panel lettering. The author's uncommon third book, containing sixteen short stories, most of them reprinted from the pages of *The New Yorker*. £125

- 43. **EDWARD DAHLBERG**. *Samuel Beckett's Wake and Other Uncollected Prose*. Edited with an introduction by Steven Moore. Dalkey Archive Press, Illinois 1989. First edition. 8vo. 343pp. Former owner inked inscription all but erased from the front free endpaper. A very good copy in dust wrapper, with just a touch of light wear to the spine ends. Fifty hitherto uncollected essays and reviews (the subjects including Ford Madox Ford, Conrad Aiken, Herbert Read, Hart Crane, Erskine Caldwell, Mary McCarthy, Dostoevsky, Ezra Pound, D.H.Lawrence and others) plus three stories including the title piece. £20
- 44. **EMILY DICKINSON**. *Poems. Edited by Two of Her Friends Mabel Loomis Todd and T.W.Higginson.* James R.Osgood, McIlvaine & Co., 1891. The first UK edition of the author's first collection of verse, in the first state binding with 'Osgood, McIlvaine & Co' gold-stamped to the base of the spine (a later issue, bound after June 1897 finds this imprint replaced with 'Harper and Brothers'). 8vo. xiv + 158pp. Yellow cloth lettered in gold at the spine and upper board (the spine lettering very slightly defective). Top edge gilt. A minor slant to the binding, and a sliver of discolouration to the cloth at the head of the backstrip. Spine ends lightly rubbed. With just a touch of spotting and blemishing to the endpapers, and a pin-prick or two of further light spotting to occasional leaf margins. A light but lengthy vertical crease to the front free endpaper. Contemporary (1898) former owner gift inscription neatly inked to the head of the half-title. A very good copy of the scarce first English edition of Dickinson's first collection of posthumously-published poems. Myerson A1.2. £850
- 45. **J.P.DONLEAVY**. *The Ginger Man*. The Olympia Press, 'The Traveller's Companion' series, Paris 1958. The first (partly unexpurgated) hardback edition. 8vo. 382pp. Green boards with inset spine and title labels. Very good indeed in very good dust wrapper with replaced paper flaps, as called for. £150
- 46. T.S.ELIOT. The Sacred Wood. Essays on Poetry and Criticism. Methuen 1920. First edition. Small 8vo. 155pp. Covers a little faded, marked and rubbed in places, with slight crease to upper board. Quite a reasonable copy, very crisp and bright internally. Neat monogram of former owner. A seven-page introduction precedes seventeen essays, a number of which are hitherto unprinted (subjects include Swinburne, Ben Johnson, Massinger, Blake, Dante &c.). Gallup A5. £70
- 47. **T.S.ELIOT** contributes his essay *The Function of Criticism* to an issue of the periodical *The Criterion. A Quarterly Review.* Vol. 2, No. 5, October 1923. Edited by T.S.Eliot. R.Cobden-Sanderson 1923. First edition. 8vo. Card wrappers, a little dust soiled, tanned and lightly marked, with some creasing and nicking to the yapped edges. A nice bright copy particularly crisp internally. The first appearance in print of this Eliot essay, which was subsequently collected in *Selected Essays 1917-1932* (1932). Gallup C145. £35
- 48. **T.S.ELIOT**. *Ash-Wednesday*. Poems. Faber 1930. The first printing of the first trade edition of Eliot's celebrated six-part poem, issued five days after the signed limited edition of 600 copies. Slim 8vo. 21pp. Top edge gilt. Leaf margins lightly discoloured. A very good copy in the uncommon dust wrapper, lightly dust soiled with half a dozen small areas of edge loss and a series of quite short accompanying tears. 2,000 copies were printed. Gallup A15b. £150
- 49. **T.S.ELIOT.** *Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats.* Faber 1939. First edition of Eliot's celebrated collection of feline verse. Tall 8vo. 45pp. Decorated cloth. A touch of discolouration to the cloth extremities, and the front free endpaper very lightly spotted. A lovely bright copy in price-clipped dust wrapper, tanned in places and a little chafed, marked and dust soiled with several short jagged tears and a narrow three-inch strip of loss from the head of the spine and rear panels, and just a fraction more loss from the of the corer tips. Gallup A34. £450

- 50. **T.S.ELIOT. Robert Crawford.** *Young Eliot. From St. Louis to The Waste Land.* Jonathan Cape 2015. First edition. 8vo. 493pp. With a portrait frontispiece and thirty-two photographs. Spine ends very lightly rubbed. A virtually fine copy in very good dust wrapper, with a single tiny closed tear to the head of the spine panel. A scholarly biography of the early life of T.S.Eliot, published to mark the fiftieth anniversary of his death. £15
- 51. ALICE THOMAS ELLIS. *The Inn at the Edge of the World*. A novel. Viking 1990. First edition. 8vo. 184pp. A fine copy in virtually fine dust wrapper, marred only by a lengthy vertical crease to the front flap. The UK price on the wrapper flap has been clipped, leaving only the Canadian price. £10
- 52. **ANNE ENRIGHT**. *Taking Pictures*. Stories. Jonathan Cape 2008. First edition. 8vo. 227pp. A fine copy in dust wrapper. Nineteen stories, the author's second collection of short fiction. £10
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- 54. WILLIAM FAULKNER. Go Down, Moses and Other Stories. Chatto & Windus 1942. First UK edition. 8vo. 269pp. A minor slant to the binding and the upper board just a fraction tender. Edges spotted, occasionally encroaching a fraction to the leaf margins. A nice crisp copy in dust wrapper, dust soiled and lightly marked in one or two places, and with several tiny fractions of loss to the spine ends. Seven interrelated stories, two of which (*Was* and *The Fire and the Hearth*) are hitherto unprinted, and at least one story (*The Bear*) significantly revised from its previous periodical appearance. This UK edition was issued the same year as the US equivalent, and yet remains significantly more uncommon. £75
- 55. **F.SCOTT FITZGERALD**. *Tales of the Jazz Age*. Collins 1923. The uncommon first UK edition of this collection of eleven Scott Fitzgerald stories, including *The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, and with the printed dedication "*Quite inappropriately to my Mother*". 8vo. 317pp + vi publisher's advertisements. Spine ends chipped with some careful repair, several short splits to the gutters, and the backstrip discoloured with the lettering partially illegible. New endpapers. Some spotting to the half title and title page, and to several concluding leaves. Top edge dust soiled. A fair copy. No dust wrapper. Bruccoli A9.2.a £60
- 56. **F.SCOTT FITZGERALD**. *The Great Gatsby*. Chatto & Windus 1926. The first UK edition of Fitzgerald's classic novel, in Bruccoli's primary binding of dark blue cloth with gilt spine lettering. 8vo. 218pp. The binding a little tender at several gatherings, the top edge lightly dust soiled and with just a touch of minor wear to the cloth at the spine ends and corner tips. Half-title spotted and darkened, with a touch more spotting to the title page and to several subsequent leaves, and just a dash of further spotting to occasional leaf margins and to the final three or four text leaves. Some loss to the fore edge margin (only) of page 151-152, seemingly from where an uncut leaf was inexpertly opened. Contemporary (1928) former owner details boldly inked to the head of the front free endpaper. A nice, bright copy of a most uncommon book. No dust wrapper, naturally. Bruccoli A11.1.c. £950
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- 58. **F.S.FLINT.** Flint's lengthy study *Contemporary French Poetry* occupies almost the entirety of an issue of the periodical *The Poetry Review*. Vol. 1, No. 8, August 1912. Small 4to. Card wrappers, with just a touch of edgewear and dust soiling. A very good copy. £20
- 59. **F.S.FLINT** contributes three untitled poems and his essay *French Chronicle* to an issue of the periodical *Poetry and Drama*. Vol. 1, No. 3, September 1913. The Poetry Bookshop 1913. 4to. Card wrappers, a little creased and chipped at the yapped edges, and with just a little chipping to the spine ends. A very crisp and bright copy. £25
- 60. **FORD MADOX FORD** (writing as 'Ford Madox Hueffer'). *The Heart of the Country. A Survey of a Modern Land.* Alston Rivers 1906. First edition. 8vo. 218pp + ii publisher's advertisements for other Ford titles at the rear. Gilt lettered and decorated buckram, the buckram faded at the backstrip. Endpapers browned and spotted with some further spotting to several preliminary and concluding leaves. A very good copy. Harvey A17a. £50
- 61. **FORD MADOX FORD** (writing as 'Ford Madox Hueffer'). *When Blood is Their Argument. An Analysis of Prussian Culture.* Hodder & Stoughton 1915. First edition preceding the US issue by two months. 8vo. 354pp. A touch of light fading to the cloth at the backstrip, and the margins of the upper and lower boards. Top edge dust soiled, and with just a hint of minor wear to the spine ends. Half title browned, with a strip of very light narrow browning to the front free endpaper, and some spotting to the rear endpapers and one or two concluding leaves. Quite a nice, crisp copy. No dust wrapper. Harvey A47. £65
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- 67. **JOHN GALSWORTHY** (writing as 'John Sinjohn'). *A Man of Devon*. Four stories. William Blackwood & Sons 1901. First edition of probably his most uncommon book. 8vo. 306pp + [ii] + xxxii publisher's catalogues at rear. Top edge dust soiled. Spine ends and corner tips rubbed. The cloth a little dust soiled, and the spine lettering just fractionally defective. W.H.Smith subscription library label partly removed from the front free endpaper (but with no further indications of institutional ownership). The binding cracked and tender at the half-title, and with some spotting and soiling to occasional leaf margins. Quite a bright copy of a notoriously scarce title: the author's fourth book and the final one published under his 'John Sinjohn' pseudonym. Includes the story *The Salvation of Swithin Forsyte*, the first appearance of a Forsyte character, entering here five years before *A Man of Property*. £200
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- 72. **GREAT WAR. Robert Graves**. *Fairies and Fusiliers*. William Heinemann 1917. First edition, of which 1,000 copies were printed. 8vo. 84pp. Cloth lightly faded at the backstrip, with the spine ends and corner tips very lightly rubbed. Endpapers browned, binding a little tender at several gatherings and with a very light scattering of spotting to occasional text leaves. A nice crisp copy, really very bright internally. No dust wrapper. The author's third book forty-six poems with a printed dedication of The Royal Welch Fusiliers. A number of the poems celebrate Graves' great friendship with Siegfried Sassoon, who, following Graves' intervention with the military authorities, was hospitalised for shell shock at Craiglockhart the same year this collection was published. See Reilly p.146 / Higginson A3. £95

73. **GREAT WAR. Michael Hickey**. *Single-Handed. Letters from the Front* [by Kenneth Dalgliesh]. With a foreword by Major General A.J.G.Pollard. Book Guild Publishing, Sussex 2008. First edition – a presentation copy, fondly **inscribed by the author** on the title page. 8vo. 161pp. Illustrated with maps and photographs. Spine ends rubbed and the tips of two corners gently bumped. A very good copy in very good dust wrapper, marred by a trace of corresponding chafing to the spine ends. An interesting account of the life of Kenneth Dalgliesh, from his childhood, through his services in the Great War and afterwards, the narrative extracted from his many letters home. £25

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- 74. **GREAT WAR. Philip MacDonald**. *Patrol*. Collins 1927. First edition. 8vo. 245pp + [ii] publisher's advertisements at the rear. Free endpapers lightly browned and with a touch of fox spotting to two or three preliminary leaves, and an occasional scattering more throughout. Some bruising to the spine ends. A very good, crisp copy. No dust wrapper. A Great War novel with a Middle East setting, focusing on a group of British soldiers who become lost in the desert, surrounded by enemy troops (and probably at least in-part based on the author's experiences serving in Mesopotamia with the British cavalry). £150
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- 79. IAN HAMILTON. Another Round at the Pillars. Essays, Poems and Reflections on Ian Hamilton. Edited with an introduction by David Harsent. Cargo Press, Cornwall 1999. First edition of this festschrift issued to celebrate Hamilton's sixtieth birthday (a limited edition, but with no limitation specified). 8vo. 151pp. In fine state with fine dust wrapper. With contributions (mostly original) by Julian Barnes, Douglas Dunn, John Fuller, Clive James, Harold Pinter, Peter Porter, Ian McEwan, Andrew Motion, Dan Jacobson, Blake Morrison and others. £15
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- 81. **L.P.HARTLEY**. *The Love-Adept. A Variation on a Theme*. Hamish Hamilton 1969. First edition. 8vo. 178pp. Top edge lightly spotted and dust soiled, and with a short crease to the lower tip of the final two leaves. Very good indeed in dust wrapper, faded at the spine panel and with just a touch of dust soiling to the rear panel. £20
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- 84. **SEAMUS HEANEY**. *Wintering Out*. Poems. Faber 1972. First edition this paperback issue preceding the casebound edition by a year. This copy **signed by the author** on the title page. 8vo. 80pp. Card wrappers with French flaps. The wrappers spotted, rubbed and a little soiled, marked and chafed at the natural folds. Some spotting to the edges and to the first three or four leaves. About a good copy of an uncommon volume; Heaney's third major collection of verse and desirable with the author's signature. A three-verse dedication to David Hammond and Michael Longley precedes forty-five poems. Brandes & Durkan A8 (who note that 2,500 copies were printed). £300
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- 86. **SEAMUS HEANEY AND TED HUGHES**. *The Rattle Bag. An Anthology of Poetry*. Selected and edited by Seamus Heaney and Ted Hughes. Faber 1982. First edition the uncommon casebound issue. 8vo. 498pp. Spine ends and corner tips very lightly rubbed. Contemporary former owner gift inscription inked to the front free endpaper. Very good indeed in very good dust wrapper, with a little corresponding chafing to the spine panel ends. The scarce hardback edition of this anthology of nearly five hundred poems. £150
- 87. **SEAMUS HEANEY**. Sweeney Astray. A Version from the Irish. Farrar Straus Giroux, New York 1984. The signed limited edition of Heaney's version of *Buile Suibhne*. Number 51 of 350 copies, signed by the author and with eight monotype illustrations by Barrie Cooke which did not appear in any other edition. A very good copy. No dust wrapper called for, but lacking the slipcase. Brandes & Durkan A34f. £300
- 88. **SEAMUS HEANEY**. Joy or Night: Last Things in the Poetry of W.B.Yeats and Philip Larkin. A transcript of Heaney's W.D.Thomas Memorial lecture, delivered at the University College, Swansea on 18<sup>th</sup> January 1993. First edition. 8vo. 22pp. Stapled red wrappers. In fine state. Brandes & Durkan A57. £20
- 89. **ERNEST HEMINGWAY** contributes *The Doctor and the Doctor's Wife*, the first appearance in print of this Nick Adams short story, which was subsequently collected in *In Our Time* (1925) to an issue of the periodical *The Transatlantic Review*. Vol. 2, No. 5, December 1924. Edited by Ford Madox Ford. 8vo. Card wrappers, creased and a little nicked at the yapped edges, and with a little dust soiling. A good copy, very crisp internally. £95
- 90. **ERNEST HEMINGWAY**. *A Farewell to Arms*. Jonathan Cape 1929. The first UK edition, first issue (with 'serious'' misspelt on p66). 8vo. 350pp. Top edge dust soiled and spotted. The cloth faded at the backstrip, and with just a little further fading to the head of the upper and lower boards. The binding just fractionally sprung. A touch of light spotting to the endpapers and half-title, and to the margins of occasional text leaves. Quite a crisp and bright copy in good Lee Elliott-designed dust wrapper, with some internal repair and reinforcement, tanned at the spine panel, and with a little further tanning and dust soiling to the rear panel, some quite light edgewear and a small area of loss from the head of the spine panel which has been quite artfully concealed, and several more tiny fractions of loss. £350
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- 92. **ERNEST HEMINGWAY**. *A Moveable Feast*. Jonathan Cape 1964. First UK edition. 8vo. 191pp. Half a dozen small inked ticks to the front free endpaper, else a fine copy in Hans Tisdall-designed dust wrapper, nicked and frayed at the spine panel ends with several short closed tears, a number of tiny fractions of edge loss and a small area of staining to the base of the rear panel. A nice bright copy of Hemingway's memoir of his Parisian years. £35
- 93. **HERMANN HESSE**. In Sight of Chaos. Translated from the German of Blick ins Chaos by Stephen Hudson (i.e. Sydney Schiff). Verlag Seldwyla, Zurich 1923. The first English-language edition of these two essays. Slim 8vo. 64pp. Paper-covered boards, chipped at the spine ends, the corner tips gently rubbed, and with some sunning, soiling and several small splashes of staining. Endpapers and one blank preliminary leaf spotted and darkened. A good copy, very crisp internally. No dust wrapper, possibly as issued. These two essays, The Brothers Karamazoff; or The Downfall of Europe and Thoughts on Dostoevsky's Idiot, mark Hesse's first appearance in English (the book was distributed in London by Zwemmer). £200

- 94. EDMUND HILLARY. John Hunt. *The Ascent of Everest*. Hodder & Stoughton 1954. Third impression, issued two months after the first impression. This copy signed by Edmund Hillary on the front free endpaper. 8vo. 300pp. With a colour photographic frontispiece and nearly fifty plates of mostly monochrome photographs, and various maps and illustrations in the text. Cloth a little marked and worn, with some fading to the backstrip. Edges and endpapers lightly spotted and the binding just a fraction tender at one or two gatherings. Spine lettering a little defective. A good, bright copy in dust wrapper, with several short tears, a little accompanying edge creasing and two or three tiny slivers of loss. Former owner name inked to the front pastedown. An early reprint of Lord Hunt's account of his 1953 Everest expedition; by no means an uncommon book but here very nicely enhanced by Sir Ed's signature. £200
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- 96. **HOGARTH PRESS. Edwin Muir**. *Transition. Essays of Contemporary Literature*. Leonard and Virginia Woolf, The Hogarth Press 1926. First edition. 8vo. 218pp. Purple cloth with a tanned and lightly chafed paper spine label. Spine ends and corner tips a little rubbed, and with a little fading to the cloth at the backstrip, and also to the board margins. Top edge dust soiled and with a little browning to the free endpapers. A tiny dealer plate to the base of the front pastedown. A nice copy, particularly crisp internally. A three-page preface precedes twelve essays, the subjects including Virginia Woolf, James Joyce, D.H.Lawrence, Aldous Huxley, T.S.Eliot and Robert Graves. Mellown A5 / Woolmer 105 (who notes that the book was issued without a dust wrapper, but this would appear to be an error). £35
- 97. **RICHARD HOLMES**. Sidetracks. Explorations of a Romantic Biographer. HarperCollins 2000. First edition this copy signed by the author on the title page. 8vo. 420pp. Top edge and half-title lightly spotted. A very good copy in just fractionally edgeworn dust wrapper. This copy from the collection of Poetry-next-the-Sea festival co-founder and award-winning memoir writer Alan Byford, with his bookplate to the front free endpaper. The follow-up to the author's acclaimed biography-memoir *Footsteps*, comprising a selection of twenty of his shorter biographical pieces, the subjects including Boswell, Chatterton, Voltaire, Mary Wollstoncraft, M.R.James and Zelda and F.Scott Fitzgerald. £20
- 98. **ANTHONY HOPE**. *The Dolly Dialogues*. Westminster Gazette 1896. First edition. 8vo. 144pp. Patterned endpapers. The backstrip lightly faded, with a touch of further uneven fading to the rear board. A little wear to the spine ends and corner tips. Preliminary leaves lightly browned and spotted, with just a touch of further occasional marginal spotting. A nice crisp copy of the author's first major literary success: a series of twenty sketches reprinted from the pages of the *Westminster Gazette ("so truly set in the London of their day that the social historian would be unwise to neglect them" –* A.E.W.Mason). £20
- 99. **PENNETHORNE HUGHES.** *Thirty Eight Poems.* Edited by Geoffrey Grigson, with recollections by John Betjeman and John Arlott. John Baker 1970. First edition. 8vo. 61pp. Top edge lightly spotted, else in fine state with very slightly faded dust wrapper. £7.50
- 100. **TED HUGHES**. *The Earth-Owl and Other Moon-People*. Poems. With eleven full-page line cut illustrations by R.A.Brandt. Faber 1963. First edition. 8vo. 46pp. Top edge lightly spotted and with former owner details neatly inked to the front free endpaper. Very good indeed in dust wrapper, lightly tanned and rubbed with two or three tiny fractions of loss. Twenty-three poems. 3,000 copies were printed. Sagar & Tabor A7. £55

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- 140. GABRIEL GARCÍA MÁRQUEZ. *Strange Pilgrims*. Stories. Translated from the Spanish of *Doce Cuentos Peregrinos* by Edith Grossman. Alfred A.Knopf, Canada 1993. The first Canadian edition. 8vo. 188pp. Several small areas of light discolouration to the base of the boards, else a fine copy in virtually fine pictorial dust wrapper. A seven-page introduction by the author precedes twelve short stories, six of them hitherto unprinted in English. £15
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- 151. **EDWIN MUIR** (writing as 'Edward Moore'). *We Moderns: Enigmas and Guesses*. George Allen & Unwin 1918. First edition of the author's first book. 8vo. 247pp. Blue pebbled cloth with a red-lettered paper spine label. Top edge lightly dust soiled. Very good indeed in very slightly tanned, rubbed and dust soiled dust wrapper. 1,030 copies were printed but significantly less were bound (190 unbound copies were destroyed in a 1940 bombing raid, and the remainder of the unbound stock was purchased in 1960 by Bertram Rota and issued in a slightly different binding). The book did not appear under Muir's own name until the US edition of 1920. £250
- 152. **EDWIN MUIR**. *Latitudes*. B.W.Huebsch, New York 1924. The first American edition of the author's second book, printed from the English sheets and issued within months of that edition. 8vo. 322pp. Cloth with a tanned and lightly chipped paper spine label. Chipped at the head of the backstrip, and with a little rubbing and chafing at the base, and to the corner tips. The publisher's top edge stain all but vanished. A very bright copy, particularly crisp internally. No dust wrapper. Twenty-three essays, the subjects including Burns, Conrad, Ibsen, Nietzsche &c. £35
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- 154. **PAUL MULDOON**. Spirit of Dawn. Poems. Ulsterman Publications, Belfast 1975. First edition of this most uncommon selection of twelve poems, all of which would appear in the author's second collection of verse, *Mules*, published two years after this pamphlet appearance. 8vo. 16pp. Stapled card wrappers featuring a sparse portrait of the author by John Middleton. A touch of marking and fading to the wrappers. A very good copy ("published with the financial assistance of the Arts Council for Northern Ireland"). £75

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- 156. **NORMAN NICHOLSON.** *Birth by Drowning*. A play. Faber 1960. First edition. Slim 8vo. 63pp. A strip of partial browning to the free endpapers. A very crisp and bright copy in dust wrapper, with several fairly small areas of edge loss from the head of the front panel, several short edge or enclosed tears, and an area of staining to the base of the front panel. A three act play, commissioned by the Northern Provincial Committee for religious Drama, and first performed at Mirfield in July 1959 as part of the Mirfield Commemorative Festival. £10
- 157. NONESUCH PRESS. Dante Alighieri. La Divina Commedia; or The Divine Version of Dante Alighieri in Italian and English. The Italian text edited by Mario Casella of the University of Florence with the English version of H.F.Cary and forty-two illustrations after the drawings of Sandro Botticelli. The Nonesuch Press 1928. The first Nonesuch edition, limited to 1,475 numbered copies printed on Van Gelder paper (this being #322). 4to. 325pp. Orange vellum lettered in gold at spine and with a gold-stamped double border and ornate decoration to the upper board. Top edge gilt, others untrimmed. Vellum faded at the backstrip, but not disastrously so, and with some spotting and browning to the endpapers, and a little further spotting to the protruding fore edges, occasionally encroaching to the extreme margins of some text leaves. A very good copy in the cloth-covered slipcase, marked, splitting and a little darkened. £400
- 158. DOROTHY NORMAN (editor). Twice a Year. A Semi-Annual Journal of Literature, the Arts and Civil Liberties. Edited and published by Dorothy Norman. A complete run of this important journal; fifteen issues (in nine volumes) spanning fall/winter 1938 - fall/winter 1945, but lacking the final anniversary issue which was produced some years after the otherwise final volume. Twice A Year Press, New York 1938-45. First editions, the first three volumes in card wrappers, and all later volumes bound in stiff paper-covered boards with integral dust wrappers (a clothbound version of each volume was also issued). The first volume is inscribed by the editor in pencil at the base of the front free endpaper, and the second volume includes the Herald *Tribute* reproduction, as issued. The penultimate volume is produced in a slightly smaller format, in-line with wartime paper shortages. A somewhat soiled and handled set, with some spotting, tanning and chafing to the wrappers, some dust marking, and with readership creases to the spines of several volumes. The upper board and binding of the fourth volume somewhat tender. A contemporary former owner gift inscription inked to the front endpaper of volume seven. A good, bright set of this literary and social activist journal, which includes contributions by Charles Olson (his first appearance in print), Alfred Stieglitz, Henry David Thoreau, Jean-Paul Sartre, Albert Camus, Bertold Brecht, Richard Wright, E.E.Cummings, Franz Kafka, Anais Nin, Marcel Proust, Gertrude Stein, William Carlos Williams, John Marin, James Laughlin IV, George Bernard Shaw, Lewis Mumford, Havelock Ellis, Thomas Mann, Albert Einstein, William Saroyan, André Malraux, George Sand, Raul Rosenfeld, Waldo Frank, Sherwood Anderson, Hart Crane and many others. £250
- 159. LIAM O'FLAHERTY. Joseph Conrad. An Appreciation. E.Lahr, 'Blue Moon Booklets' series, London 1930. First edition of the first number of Lahr's Blue Moon booklets, limited to 100 numbered copies. This copy numbered 94, but the numerals struck-through, and with O'Flaherty's signature beneath, and to the adjacent recto the following presentation inscription: "To Stephen MacKenna, with best wishes from Liam O'Flaherty 12/4/30". 8vo. 11pp. Sewn card wrappers with an integral dust wrapper, which is lightly spotted and discoloured and has at some point been sealed in a sheet of adhesive plastic. A good copy in this early Conrad critique, nicely enhanced by the presentation inscription to the MacKenna, the noted Irish journalist, linguist and writer. £125

- 160. **EUGENE O'NEILL**. *The Moon of the Caribbees and Six other Plays of the Sea* (including *The Long Voyage Home*). With an introduction by St. John Ervine. Jonathan Cape 1923. First UK edition. 8vo. Endpapers very lightly browned, spine label tanned, and with some often quite intrusive fox-spotting throughout. A nice copy. No wrapper. Bookplate of David Garnett. £10
- 161. **EUGENE O'NEILL**. *Beyond the Horizon and Gold. Two Plays.* Jonathan Cape 1924. First UK edition. 8vo. Spine ends rubbed. The backstrip cloth very lightly faded, the spine label tanned and chafed, and the cloth just a little dust soiled. A very nice, crisp copy. No dust wrapper. Former owner details inked to the front pastedown. £15
- 162. ALFRED ORAGE. Tom Steele. *Alfred Orage and the Leeds Arts Club 1893-1923*. Scolar Press, Aldershot 1990. First edition. 8vo. 284pp. Illustrated with photographs and reproductions. The head of the backstrip lightly bruised, else a fine copy in dust wrapper, fine but for a small area of corresponding chafing. £15
- 163. **GEORGE ORWELL**. *The Road to Wigan Pier*. With a foreword by Victor Gollancz. Victor Gollancz Ltd. 1937. The correct first edition, issued to members of the Left Book Club, "not for sale to the public", and with Gollancz's fourteen-page foreword, which was omitted from many subsequent editions. 8vo. xxiv + 264pp. Limp orange cloth, lettered in black at the spine and upper board. Illustrated with thirty-two photographic plates. The cloth wrappers a little chafed at extremities, and lightly fraying in one or two places. Quite light readership creases to the spine. Top- and fore edge spotted, and with some occasional sporadic spotting to some text leaves, primarily impacting only the margins. A nice crisp copy. Fenwick A5.a. £75
- 164. **BRIGIT PATMORE**. My Friends When Young. The Memoirs of Brigit Patmore. Edited and with a lengthy introduction by Derek Patmore. Heinemann 1968. First edition this copy lengthily **inscribed by the editor** to his sometime publisher: "For Anthony Rota in memory of his father, and in gratitude for my long and happy association with the house of Bertram Rota. With kindest regards from Derek Patmore May 1<sup>st</sup> 1968". 8vo. 159pp. Illustrated with twenty-two photographs, most hitherto unprinted. In fine state with dust wrapper, considerably faded at spine panel as is invariably the case, and with a little further uneven fading to the head of the front and rear panels. A frequent visitor to Violet Hunt's South Lodge salon and one of the 'Bright Young People', Patmore here recounts her experiences with Hemingway, Pound, Eliot, D.H.Lawrence, Norman Douglas, H.G.Wells, Cecil Beaton and especially H.D. and Richard Aldington (she introduced the two in 1912). £25
- 165. PERIODICAL. Five consecutive issues (No. 16, May 1942 No. 20, February 1944) of the uncommon agricultural periodical The Scythe, formally The Townsman. Edited by Ronald Duncan. 4to. Mimeographed sheet stapled into card wrappers, the staples rusting and the wrappers lightly marked, spotted and dusty, and occasionally splitting and somewhat tender at the natural fold. A nice bright set. Includes contributions by Henry Williamson (his three-page essay Farming and Finance, which has not been reproduced elsewhere), Gerald Brennan (his essays Agriculture in Italy and Dry Farming in Spain), Norman Nicholson, Adrian Bell, H.J.Massingham, Rolf Gardiner, Richard March and the editor. Duncan started The Townsman, initially a quarterly, in January 1938, devoting it to literature and other fine arts, and contributors included Ezra Pound, E.E.Cummings, T.S.Eliot, William Saroyan and Duncan himself. The magazine gently morphed into an agricultural publication (Duncan took up farming a year after the first issue was published), its frequency of publication altering over time, eventually resulting in a name change to The Scythe. This batch of five issues includes the first to appear under that name, and it would appear, confusingly, that it and at least two others were also made available under the old title too. Williamson's contribution appears in the first issue here (No. 16, May 1942), and was the first of his total of six contributions. £125

- 166. **HAROLD PINTER** contributes his poems New Year in the Midlands and Chandeliers and Shadows to an issue of the periodical Poetry (London), no. 19 (i.e. vol. 5, no. 19). This contribution is **Pinter's first appearance in print**, outside a Hackney Downs School Magazine appearance. A corrected version of one of these poems appeared in the next issue of Poetry (London), there accredited to 'Harold Pinta'. Stapled card wrappers featuring a design by Seán Jennett. Wrappers just a little rubbed with a touch of dust soiling. Other contributors to this issue include David Wright, Gavin Ewart and Donald Davie (his early poem Christmas Week, 1948 which has never been reprinted). £75
- 167. **HAROLD PINTER** (writing as 'Harold Pinta') contributes his poem *One a Story, Two a Death* featuring an illustration by E.Pagram to an issue of the periodical *Poetry (London),* no. 22. (i.e. vol. 6, no. 22). Pinter's third non-juvenile appearance in print. Stapled card wrappers featuring a design by Fahr-el-Nissa Zeid. Some inked names to the inner rear wrapper, and an address in yellow crayon to the rear wrapper, alongside two areas of staining, and some spotting which also impacts the margins of a number of other leaves. A good bright copy. This issue also includes contributions by Donald Davie (two never reprinted poems), Herbert Read, Dorothy Wellesley, Roy Campbell, Vernon Watkins, James Reeves, Norman Nicholson and Iain Fletcher. £35
- 168. **EZRA POUND** contributes six poems (at least four of them hitherto unprinted) to the second issue of the periodical *The Poetry Review*. No. 2, February 1912. Small 4to. Card wrappers. Top edge and occasional margins a little spotted, and with a small area of chipping to the base of the spine. A very good copy. This issue also includes Pound's essay *Prologomena*, and a review of Lascelles Abercrombie's collection *Emblems of Love* by W.W.Gibson. Gallup C39. £20
- 169. **EZRA POUND**. *Make it New. Essays.* Faber 1934. First edition, preceding the US issue by a year. 8vo. 407pp. A small area of tape residue to the free endpapers, and the front hinge carefully repaired. A nice crisp copy in tanned and dust soiled dust wrapper, chafed and just a little nicked at the spine ends and corner tips. A seventeen-page introduction written especially for this volume precedes seven lengthy essays focusing on the development of European literature. 1,600 copies were printed. Gallup A36. £200
- 170. **EZRA POUND**. *Homage to Sextus Propertius*. Faber 1934. The first separate edition of this lengthy twelve-part poem, which first appeared in *Quia Pauper Amavi* (1919). Slim 8vo. 35pp. Paper-covered boards. A touch of discolouration to the board margins, the spine ends and corner tips a little rubbed and the free endpapers browned. A nice bright copy. No dust wrapper. 1,000 copies were printed. Gallup A38. £30
- 171. **EZRA POUND** submits a fairly venomous letter entitled *The Coward Surrealists*, to which the editor pens a two-page reply, to an issue of the short-lived monthly periodical *Contemporary Poetry and Prose*. No. 7. November 1936. Edited by Roger Roughton. 8vo. Stapled card wrappers, the staples rusting and the wrappers lightly marked, spotted and tanned. A good copy, very bright internally. This issue also includes verse contributions by Federico Garcia Lorca (four poems), Hugh Sykes Davies, Valentine Penrose, Roy Fuller, David Gascoyne, Francis Scarfe and B.H.Gutteridge. Gallup C1375. £20
- 172. **EZRA POUND**. A Lume Spento and Other Early Poems. New Directions, New York 1965. First edition of this collection of the author's early works, which comprises all of the poems from his first and second books (A Lume Spento and A Quinzaine for this Yule), plus nine poems from his 'San Trovaso' Notebook. 8vo. 128pp. Cloth-backed decorated paper-covered boards with an inset photograph. Photographic portrait frontispiece, plus reproductions of the original title pages and two facsimiles of his notebook. A single miniscule area of light staining to the top edge and just a trace of chafing to the spine ends. A virtually fine copy. No dust wrapper called for, but with the original unprinted acetate protector. £20

- 173. **EZRA POUND**. The catalogue of a March 1967 exhibition at the University of Texas. Illustrated with photographs. Tall 8vo. 62pp. Stapled card wrappers, the staples rusted and the wrappers just a little darkened and with one short crease. A nice bright copy. Published on the occasion of a symposium entitled *Make it New: Translation and Metrical Innovations, Aspects of Ezra Pound's Work*, this 154 item catalogue is mostly devoted to Pound's translations, but includes sections on the cantos, little magazines, his associations with modern literary figures, and his relationships with artists and musicians. £10
- 174. **EZRA POUND**. A Quinzaine for this Yule. Being selected from a Venetian sketch-book "San *Trovaso*". University Press of Virginia, Charlottesville for the Bibliographical Society of the University of Virginia, 1984. A facsimile edition of the author's second book, originally issued in 1908. One of 500 copies. Slim 8vo. Cord-sewn card wrappers. In fine state. £20
- 175. **EZRA POUND**. *The Letters of Ezra Pound to Alice Corbin Henderson*. Edited by Ira B.Nadel. University of Texas Press, Austin 1993. First edition. 8vo. 256pp. Former owner inkstamp and signature to the front free endpaper, else a fine copy in fine dust wrapper. The first appearance in print of these letters (spanning 1912-1949) between Pound and Henderson, Associate Editor of the periodical Poetry: A Magazine of Verse, for which Pound was Foreign Correspondent. The correspondence includes a number of hitherto unprinted poems and poetic fragments, plus the Noh drama *Takasago*, translated by Pound and Ernest Fenollosa, a key component in the early conception of *The Cantos* which has long been considered lost or nonexistent. £15
- 176. **EZRA POUND. Anne Conover**. *Olga Rudge and Ezra Pound. "What Thou Lovest Well..."* Yale University Press, New Haven & London, 2001. First edition. 8vo. 351pp. Cloth-backed boards. Illustrated with twenty-one photographs. A fine copy in fine dust wrapper. A biography of Olga Rudge, the violinist and long-time muse and mistress of Ezra Pound (and the mother of his daughter, Mary de Rachewiltz), based on her hitherto unpublished notebooks and correspondence. £15
- 177. ANTHONY POWELL. A Reference for Mellors. Moorhouse & Sørensen 1994. First edition, limited to 100 cloth-bound numbered copies, each one signed by the author (this being #35). Slim 8vo. 19pp. Quarter cloth. In fine state. No dust wrapper called for, but with the original unprinted acetate protector, which is missing a small area. The first separate edition of Powell's Lady Chatterley-inspired story, which was first printed in Winter's Tales 12 (1966). £200
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- 179. **KATHLEEN RAINE** contributes her poem *New Year 1943* to an issue of the periodical *Horizon. A Review of Literature and Art.* Edited by Cyril Connolly. Vol. 7, No. 38, February 1943. 8vo. Card wrappers. Former owner name inked to the head of the front wrapper, else a virtually fine copy. £7.50
- 180. **KATHLEEN RAINE**. *Blake and Tradition*. Complete in two volumes. Routledge & Kegan Paul 1969. The first UK edition of Raine's vast magnum opus, issued as the eleventh A.W.Mellon lecture, delivered annually at the National Gallery of Art, Washington. 4to. 428pp and 367pp. With nearly two hundred reproductions, including a few in colour. Backstrips lightly faded and spotted, and with some fading to the publisher's top-edge stain. Book dealer's inkstamp to the front pastedowns of both volumes. A very crisp and bright set, seemingly once from the library of Sir John Rothenstein, with a printed slip to him from the publisher laid-in. Lacking the dust wrappers and slipcase. £95

- 181. JOHN CROWE RANSOM. The New Criticism. [An Examination of the Critical Theories of I.A.Richards, T.S.Eliot, Yvor Winters and William Empson]. New Directions, Norfolk, Connecticut 1941. First edition. 8vo. 339pp. Blue cloth with a paper spine label. Just a hint of browning to the endpapers, else a fine copy in very good dust wrapper, marred by some spine panel tanning and a small sliver of loss from the base of the spine panel. A super copy of Ransom's influential study, which provided the bases for the New Criticism school of literary criticism, so named after this text. £150
- 182. **SIMON RAVEN**. *The Vampire. An Anthology.* Arranged and selected by Ornella Volta and Valeria Riva, and with a foreword by Roger Vadim. Neville Spearman Ltd. 1963. The first English edition (translated from the Italian and somewhat expanded by Margaret Crosland). **This copy from the library of contributor Simon Raven**, with a card to him from the publisher laidin, outlining his royalties due from the book ("*my fangs have drawn guineas – fifteen to be exact. We bloodsuck <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> and the rest is in your account. Don't spend it all at once*"). 8vo. 286pp. Topand fore edge lightly spotted. In virtually fine state with slightly dust soiled dust wrapper, with the merest hint of edgewear and one short closed tear. A quite uncommon anthology of fifteen vampire tales, the contributors including Lawrence Durrell, Sheridan Le Fanu, Edgar Allan Poe, Guy de Maupassant, E.F.Benson, Arthur Conan Doyle, Robert Bloch, Ray Bradbury and Bram Stoker. Raven contributes an excerpt from his 1960 vampire novel *Doctors Wear Scarlet*. £95
- 183. **HENRY REED**. A Map of Verona. Poems. Jonathan Cape 1946. First edition of the author's first book. Slim 8vo. 59pp. Slightly substandard wartime paperstock, yet still in virtually fine state with patterned paper dust wrapper, tanned at the spine panel with several short tears and a sliver or two of loss from the spine ends. Twenty-four poems, including his three Lessons of the War poems parodying British army basic training, and also a satire of T.S.Eliot's Burnt Norton, much admired by Eliot himself (he wrote of it "Most parodies of one's own work strike one as very poor. In fact one is inclined to think one could parody oneself much better...But there is one which deserves the success it has had, Henry Reed's Chard Whitlow"). £35
- 184. **RICHARD REES**. A Theory of My Time. An Essay in Didactic Reminiscence. Secker & Warburg 1963. First edition. 8vo. 239pp. Portrait frontispiece. Top- and fore edge spotted and very lightly marked and with a sliver of very light staining to the base of the title page. A very good copy in dust wrapper, lightly marked, dust soiled and with a hint of wear to one or two extremities and a small area of staining to the head of the rear panel. A quasi-autobiography by the noted writer, editor and Simone Weil translator. £15
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- 186. **ISAAC ROSENFELD**. *Passage from Home*. A novel. Secker & Warburg 1947. The uncommon first UK edition of the author's first and only novel. 8vo. 237pp. Just a hint of spotting to the top edge, with some fading to the backstrip cloth and a touch of further fading to the extreme margins of the upper and lower boards, which also exhibit a little blemishing. A very crisp and bright copy in the pictorial dust wrapper, price-clipped, a little rubbed and nicked at the edges with a few short closed tears and some dust soiling to the predominantly white rear panel. Uncommon. (Rosenfeld was described as "the golden boy of the New York literary elite". His childhood friend was Saul Bellow and he was the basis for King Dahfu in Bellow's *Henderson the Rain King*). £75

- 187. **ISAAC ROSENFELD**. An Age of Enormity. Life and Writing in the Forties and Fifties. Edited and with an introduction by Theodore Solotaroff, and with a foreword by Saul Bellow. The World Publishing Company, Cleveland and New York 1962. First edition. 8vo. 347pp. The tips of two corners gently bumped. A very good copy in dust wrapper, somewhat chafed and worn at the edges with one inch-long tear and some unsightly accompanying creasing. Fifty of the author's posthumously collected articles (mostly reprinted from the pages of *The Nation, Partisan Review* and *The New Republic*), his subjects including Louis MacNeice, Richard Wright, Anais Nin, Kenneth Patchen, Brave New World, Charles Williams, Henry Green, George Orwell, William Faulkner, Simone Weil, Stendhal &c. £15
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- 190. **V.SACKVILLE-WEST**. *Country Notes*. With photographs by Bryan and Norman Westwood. Michael Joseph Ltd. 1939. First edition. 4to. 219pp. Endpapers browned and with just a trace of speckling to the top edge. A virtually fine copy in the uncommon dust wrapper, a little dust soiled, darkened and rubbed, with several tiny fractions of loss and a single short closed tear. A small area of surface abrasion to the rear panel. A hefty selection from the author's regular *New Statesman and Nation* column (including an account of her 1928 journey through Burgundy with Virginia Woolf), plus a number from other sources. 3,000 copies were printed. £95
- 191. **SIEGFRIED SASSOON**. *Siegfried Sassoon: Poet's Pilgrimage*. Assembled with an introduction by D.Felicitas Corrigan. Victor Gollancz Ltd. 1973. First edition. 8vo. 256pp. With a portrait frontispiece and eight photographs. Spine ends and corner tips a little rubbed, and with some spotting to the top- and fore edge. A nice crisp copy in dust wrapper, lightly chafed at several extremities. An anthology of Sassoon's work, linked by a commentary which analyses Sassoon's character from youth to old age, based on his published and unpublished poems, letters and journals. £15
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- 193. **SIEGFRIED SASSOON**. *Diaries 1915-1918*. Edited and with an introduction by Rupert Hart-Davis. Faber 1983. First edition. 8vo. 288pp. Portrait frontispiece. A light scattering of spotting to the top edge, else a virtually fine copy in price-clipped dust wrapper, very lightly faded at the spine panel. The first of three volumes of Sassoon's diaries edited by Hart-Davis, this volume covering his Great War years and subsequently used as material for his celebrated trilogy *Memoirs of a Fox-Hunting Man, Memoirs of an Infantry Officer* and *Sherston's Progress*. £30

- 194. **SIEGFRIED SASSOON**. *Siegfried Sassoon Letters to Max Beerbohm and a Few Answers*. Edited and with an introduction by Rupert Hart-Davis. Faber 1986. First edition. 8vo. 114pp. Edges and endpapers lightly spotted. In virtually fine state with very good dust wrapper, lightly creased at the head of the spine panel, and also a little faded in the same area. £10
- 195. **SIEGFRIED SASSOON. Paul Moeyes**. *Siegfried Sassoon. Scorched Glory. A Critical Study.* Macmillan 1997. First edition. 8vo. Some quite light spotting to the edges, else virtually fine with very good dust wrapper, marred only by a small area of light scoring to the front panel. Neat former owner inscription. The first survey of Sassoon's work to be published after his death. £20
- 196. SIEGFRIED SASSOON. Jean Moorcroft Wilson. Siegfried Sassoon. The Making of a War Poet. 1886-1918 [and] The Journey from the Trenches. 1918-1967. A biography, complete in two volumes. Duckworth 1998 & 2003. First editions. 8vo. 600pp & 526pp. Illustrated with nearly 120 photographs. A little light spotting to the edges and endpapers of the first volume. A very crisp and bright set in virtually fine dust wrappers. £35
- 197. **DELMORE SCHWARTZ**. *What Is To Be Given. Selected Poems.* With an introduction by Douglas Dunn. Carcanet New Press, Manchester 1976. First edition. 8vo. 75pp. A series of lightly pencilled notes to the base of the final text leaf (which could be easily erased), else a fine copy in very good dust wrapper, with just a hint of tanning to the spine panel and a trace of light chafing. Tiny dealer plate. Forty-seven poems, the first appearance in England of any of the author's verse (Schwartz was a contemporary of Lowell, Berryman and Jarrell). £15
- 198. **DELMORE SCHWARTZ**. *The Ego is Always at the Wheel. Bagatelles.* Edited by Robert Phillips. Carcanet Press, Manchester 1987. First UK edition. 8vo. 146pp. A fine copy in fine dust wrapper. Nineteen short 'bagatelles', including nine hitherto unprinted. £10
- 199. **GILBERT SELDES**. *The Seven Lively Arts*. Harper & Brothers 1924. First edition. Small 4to. 398pp. Cloth-backed patterned paper boards, with a somewhat chafed and marked small paper title label. Patterned endpapers. Illustrated with tipped-in photographs and drawings, including one of Charlie Chaplin by E.E.Cummings. Top edge lightly spotted and dust soiled. A very good copy of the author's celebrated study of popular culture. Lacking the fugitive dust wrapper. £55
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- 202. **GERTRUDE STEIN**. *Geography and Plays*. With an introduction, *The Work of Gertrude Stein*, by Sherwood Anderson. The Four Seas Company, Boston 1922. First edition in the first state binding. 8vo. 419pp. Paper-covered coarse cloth with a chipped paper spine label. An ex-Manchester University Library copy, with several reference numerals stamped to the base of the backstrip, a blind stamp to several early leaves, and a Rockefeller Foundation presentation plate. Upper board just a fraction tender. Corner tips rubbed, top edge dust soiled, and indications that several leaves have been inexpertly cut. Quite a nice crisp copy of this early Stein collection of stories, essays, plays and verse (her third substantial book). Contemporary (1923) former owner name inked to the title page. No dust wrapper. Wilson A5a. £25

- 203. **JOHN STEINBECK**. *Cannery Row*. A novel. The Viking Press, New York 1945. First edition of the author's Great Depression classic, in the second state binding of yellow cloth. 8vo. 208pp. The backstrip tanned, and the cloth just a little marked and discoloured at the upper and lower boards with a touch of wear to the spine ends. Top edge dust soiled. A nice crisp copy, albeit printed on very slightly substandard wartime paperstock. No dust wrapper. £25
- 204. **ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON**. *Edinburgh. Picturesque Notes.* With twenty-three photographs by Alvin Langdon Coburn and a preface by Janet Adam Smith. Rupert Hart-Davis 1954. The first edition with these splendidly atmospheric Coburn photographs, taken in 1905. Small 4to. 107pp. Printed as the Chiswick Press. Edges and one or two leaf margins lightly spotted. A very good copy in price-clipped and somewhat spotted dust wrapper, the spine panel lightly tanned and with just a little chipping to the head of the spine panel. A handsomely illustrated edition of Stevenson's second book; a series of ten Auld Reekie essays. £30
- 205. J.M.SYNGE. *The Autobiography of J.M.Synge*. Constructed from the manuscripts and with an introduction by Alan Price, plus fourteen photographs taken by Synge and an essay, *Synge and the Photography of his Time*, by O.J.Pocock. The Dolman Press, Dublin and Oxford University Press 1965. First edition, limited to 1,250 numbered copies. A review copy, with the publisher's review slip laid-in (presumably for overseas sales, as the slip notes the price in Australian dollars) and also an advertising sheet. Tall 8vo. 46pp. Paper-covered boards. Top edge gilt. The tips of two corners gently knocked, else a fine copy with the original unprinted glassine protector and card slipcase, the last a little rubbed and bumped with just a touch of light uneven discolouration. Handsome former owner bookplate to the front pastedown. £55
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- 208. **DYLAN THOMAS** contributes his short story *The Visitor* to an issue of the periodical *The Criterion. A Quarterly Review.* Vol. 15, No. 55, January 1935. Edited by T.S.Eliot. Faber 1935. First edition. 8vo. Card wrappers, lightly tanned and dust soiled with some creasing and nicking to the yapped edges. A nice bright copy particularly crisp internally, with some leaves uncut. The first appearance in print of this nine-page story, which was subsequently included in *Map of Love* (1939) with a few minor alterations and rearrangements. Rolph C49. £35
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- 210. **DYLAN THOMAS** contributes his short story *The School for Witches* to a double-issue of the short-lived monthly periodical *Contemporary Poetry and Prose*. No. 4 & 5. August-September 1936. Edited by Roger Roughton. 8vo. Stapled wrappers, the staples rusted and the wrappers a little marked, tanned and stained, and just a little tender at the natural fold. Internally a nice crisp copy. The first appearance in print of this six-page Dylan Thomas story, which did not appear in bookform until it was included in *New Directions 7*, and later in the American collection *The World 1 Breathe*. Other contributors to this issue include Pablo Picasso (six poems, translated into English by George Reavey), Salvador Dali (his poem *The Art of Picasso*), André Breton (four poems), B.H.Guttridge, E.E.Cummings, Gavin Ewart, Francis Scarfe, Kenneth Allott and George Barker (his poem *X Stanzas*). £30
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- 213. **DYLAN THOMAS AND CERI RICHARDS**. *Richard Burns. Ceri Richards and Dylan Thomas: Keys to Transformation.* A monograph. The Enitharmon Press 1981. First edition the casebound issue. 4to. 137pp. A virtually fine copy in fractionally spotted and darkened dust wrapper. A nine-page 'retrospective introduction' precedes Burns' eighty-four page monograph, followed by forty-six monochrome reproductions of Richards' drawings (including many of his grief-stricken Collected Poems drawings). £35
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- 216. EDWARD THOMAS. *Poems by Edward Thomas ("Edward Eastaway")*. With an introduction by Myfanwy Thomas and a two-page facsimile reproduction of a letter from Thomas. Imperial War Museum, 'Arts and Literature' series 1997. The facsimile reproduction the November 1917 re-issue of Thomas' first full-length collection of verse, which was originally issued six-months after his death and is here re-issued in a limited edition of 300 numbered copies to commemorate the eightieth anniversary of his death. 8vo. ix + 63pp. The merest hint of spotting to the top edge, else a fine copy in fine dust wrapper. Publisher's compliments slip laid-in. Uncommon. £50
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- 257. **W.B.YEATS** contributes his poem *The Tower* (its very first appearance in print) to an issue of the periodical *The Monthly Criterion*. Vol. 5, No. 3, June 1927. Edited by T.S.Eliot. Faber & Gwyer 1927. First edition. 8vo. Card wrappers, lightly dust soiled and creased, and a little nicked at the yapped edges. Neatly inked date stamp to the head of the front wrapper. A nice crisp copy. See Wade p.384. £15
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