



WHITE EAGLE BOOKS

**MISCELLANEOUS TITLES
LIST (PART 2)**

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INTRODUCTION



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Please see our occasional list catalogue of scarce and interesting titles covering a select range of subject areas.

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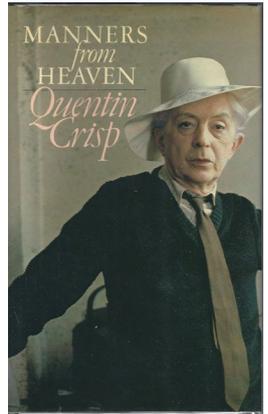
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Books can be delivered to central London locations by hand, current Covid restrictions allowing.

18. Crisp, Quentin: Manners From Heaven (Signed)

Hutchinson, London, 1984. Hardcover. Condition: Very Good +. First Edition. Near fine black boards in a very good pictorial dust jacket. Jacket's inner flaps are slightly tanned. Internally fine. Price-clipped. Inscribed on the fep to Marilyn and Victor (Playboy) Lowndes. Also inscribed by Crisp to Victor (Lowndes) and Marilyn on the half title page. **£85.**

Directs mischievous wit toward proper etiquette for the eighties by caustically detailing the many facets of being polite in an impolite society



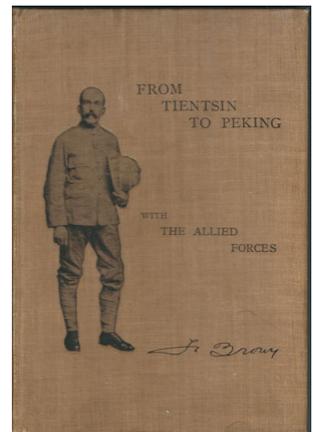
19. Brown, Reverend Frederick: F R G S. From Tientsin to Peking With The Allied Forces (Signed)

London, Charles H Kelly. 1902. 1st Edition. Very good plus pictorial brown cloth covers with image of the author on the front board. Internally fine with black and white ills. Some tanning to the end papers. 126 pages. **Exceptionally inscribed by the author " To Mrs Graves from Mr Brown, Leeds 1914". Scarce. £300.**

A first-person narrative of the Allied intervention and march into Peking during the Boxer Rebellion.

When the Boxer Rebellion broke out, culminating in the Siege of Peking in 1900, Brown found himself at the forefront. That summer, Brown joined the expedition to relieve the city, serving as a guide to General Sir Alfred Gaselee and making a crucial recommendation that the expedition enter the city using the sewer under the Manchu City Wall. The advice allowed for the rescue of the Legations and resulted in a price being placed on Brown's head. Nine years later, the new Emperor awarded Brown the Order of the Double Dragon, the highest honour awarded by rulers during the Qing dynasty.

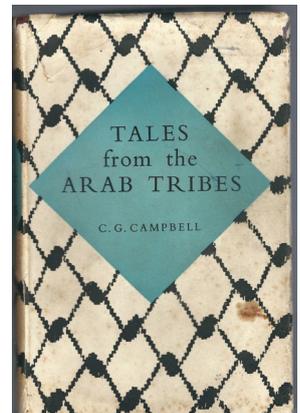
Scarce and scarce signature.



20. Campbell, C G: Tales from the Arab Tribes

London, Lindsay Drummond, 1st Edition. 1949. Very good plus burgundy cloth covers with gilt design and titles to spine. Good but worn and repaired dust jacket. Wrapper chipped at heads of spine with minor loss. Internally very good with full page black and white ills. 252 pages. Uncommon. **£65**

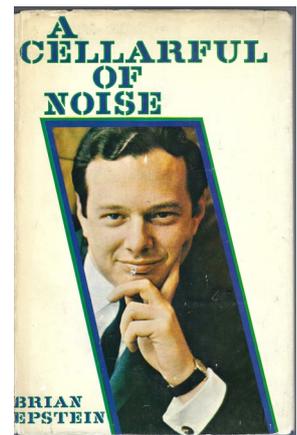
A collection of traditional stories belonging to the great Shia tribes of Southern Iraq. The stories fulfilled a need in the days when the tribes were in constant conflict with the Turkish government and in which the facilities for written Arabic literature did not exist.



21. Epstein, Brian: A Cellarful of Noise

London, Souvenir Press, 1964. 1st Edition. Very good blue cloth boards in a slightly worn and soiled pictorial dust jacket. Internally very good with black and white ills. **£75.**

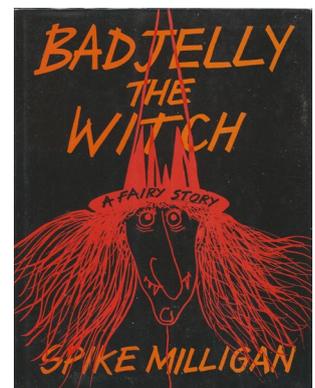
Memoirs by the manager of The Beatles.



22. Milligan, Spike: Badjelly The Witch. A Fairy Story

M. & J. Hobbs, London 1973. 1st Edition. Large octavo. Near fine hardback in a near fine pictorial dust jacket. Internally fine. Illustrations. Scarce. **£95**

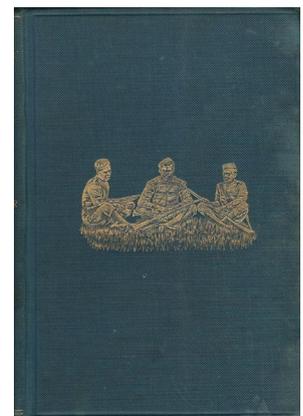
Badjelly the Witch is a brief hand-written, illustrated story by Spike Milligan, created for his children, then printed in 1973. It was made into an audio and a video version. In the story, two children Tim and Rose, looking for their lost cow Lucy, meet magical enchanted forest characters.



23. Vandeleur, Seymour, DSO: Campaigning on the Upper Nile and Niger

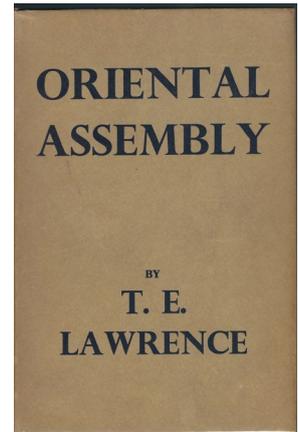
Bound in green cloth with clear title to spine and gold blocked image of three native soldiers to front board, this dated 1898 hardcover First Edition is VG. XXV11/320pp+40pp Methuen's List for November 1897. With B/W photo of Author as frontis. 4 Maps as follows: The Nile Valley, Uganda, Unyoro and the Upper Nile (Large coloured folding map), Territories of Royal Niger Company (B/W folding Map), and The Nupe Country (Large coloured folding map) 15 illustrations, in total, as well as the maps, as called for. Minimal rubbing at top/tail of spine, tanned end papers, one or two really indistinct marks to rear board and one ink mark to rear board. **£130**

Author was a Lieutenant of the Scots Guards, experienced in leading native troops; he was killed in a train ambush in the Boer War



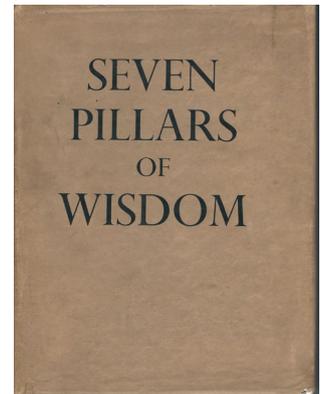
24. Lawrence T E: Oriental Assembly

Published by Williams and Norgate, London (1939). 1st Edition. Brown buckram cloth with gold titles to spine, in dust jacket. (xii) + 164pp + extensive section of 111 glossy b/w plates (the War Photographs). Additional section of 'Illustrations to the Diary', with further b/w plates; other illustrations within text. Jacket a little browned, esp. on spine, top edge stained blue. A nice copy. **£125.**



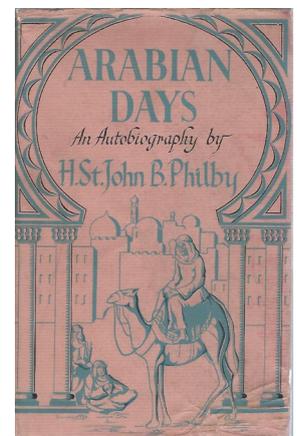
25. Lawrence T E: Seven Pillars of Wisdom: A Triumph

First trade edition published for public circulation, 1935. Quarto. Brown buckram with gilt decoration to front board, gilt lettering to spine. Brown top stain, others untrimmed. Illustrated with 48 black and white plates, 7 line drawings, 4 folding maps. In excellent condition. Light wear to the head of the spine. Closed tear to the rear panel and some light soiling also to the rear panel. Otherwise, a nice copy in the scarce dust jacket. Binding is strong, square and contents are clean. Price on jacket is unclipped (30s). **£250**

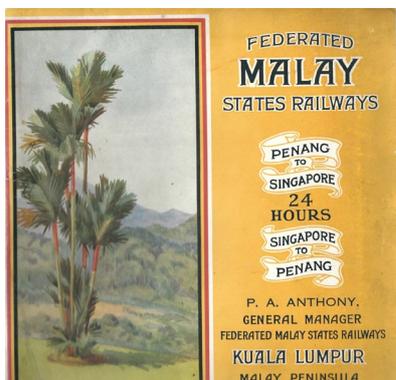


26. Philby, H St John B: Arabian Days. An Autobiography

London, Robert Hale. 1948. 1st Edition. First Edition. Very good + blue cloth with vignette to front board.. Pink pictorial Dust Jacket. 8vo. pp xv, 356. VG indeed in slightly used near VG, unclipped Illustrated d.j. (short tears and creases to extremities, missing tiny pieces to spine ends of dust jacket. Copiously illustrated with photos. **£150**



27. The Malay States Information Agency/Thomas Cook & Sons: Federated States Malay Railways 1921 Pamphlet of Information for Travellers. Penang to Singapore



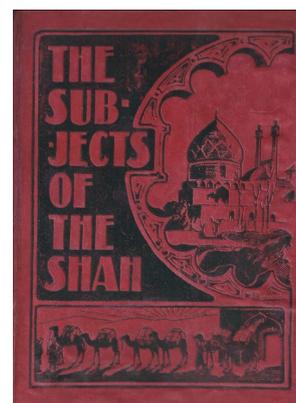
London, The Malay States Information Agency, 1921. 1st Edition. 124 pages. Original pictorial soft covers as issued. Covers are slightly worn and marked with slightly wear to the spine. Internally good with some mild water marks to the top edge of several pages with crinkling of the paper. eight folding maps and many illustrations, of which five coloured plates after paintings by M. Barnard. A 1921 guide to Malaya Singapore Penang and Siam. **Scarce. £250.**

28. Stileman, The Reverend Charles Harvey: The Subjects of the Shah or The Land of Persia

London, Church Missionary Society, 1902. 1st Edition. Very good if slightly worn and bumped pictorial red cloth covers with Persian scene on the front board. Cloth has some wear with some bubbling in places. Internally very good with numerous in text black and white ill. Scarce. **£150.**

No referenced copy.

Charles Harvey Stileman (1863–1925) was an Anglican clergyman, who became the first Anglican Bishop of Persia from 1912 until 1917



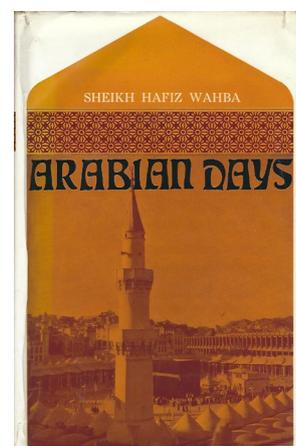
29. Wahba, Hafiz: Arabian Days

London, Barker, 1964. 1st Edition. Very good black cloth in a very good pictorial dust jacket. Internally very good with black and white ill. **Scarce. £150.**

Hafiz Wahba (15 July 1889 - 1967) was an Egyptian Diplomat who was then naturalised in Saudi Arabia. Fuad Hamza and he were the first ambassadors of Saudi Arabia, the former in France and the latter in the United Kingdom

Wahba was made Saudi envoy to the Vatican. He was assigned for the mission of ambassador of Saudi Arabia to the United Kingdom from 10 November 1930 to 1956 and again from 15 November 1962 until 13 July 1966.

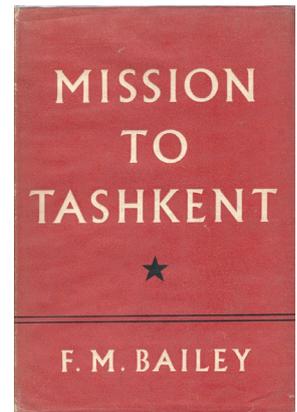
May 1959 Wahba was named one of two representatives of the Saudi government as directors of the Arabian American Oil Company.



30. Bailey, F M. Lt-Col: Mission to Tashkent

London, Jonathan Cape, 1946. 1st Edition. 8vo. Very good + original red cloth gilt in a complete and scarce dust wrapper; pp. 312, with 22 illustrations & 2 maps. A nice copy.. **£85.**

Bailey served as a secret service agent in Persia, India & Soviet Russia during WWI & the Russian Civil War. The book recounts his personal adventures in the 'Intervention period'. Bailey went to Chinese Turkestan in 1918 to forestall German attempts to create unrest and also to try to keep Russia in the War



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