

Castle Hill 2025 – SPECIAL BOOKS

1. **Night Thoughts**

**By Edward Young with Watercolour Illustrations
by William Blake**

Publisher: **Folio Society** – Number 405 of limited
edition of 1,000 copies

Two Large facsimile volumes plus Commentary
volume all with Leather bindings and cloth sides
Leather patch to front covers with silver titles plus
blue and silver decoration to cloth.

Housed in dark blue solander box

– **Price \$650**



2. **Proteaceae of the Sydney Region**

**86 coloured plated by Betty Maloney together
with text by Alec Blombery**

No. 281 of limited edition of 300 copies signed by
both author and illustrator

Large leatherbound book with gilt title to front
cover housed in black solander box

Some foxing to introductory pages

– **Price \$500**



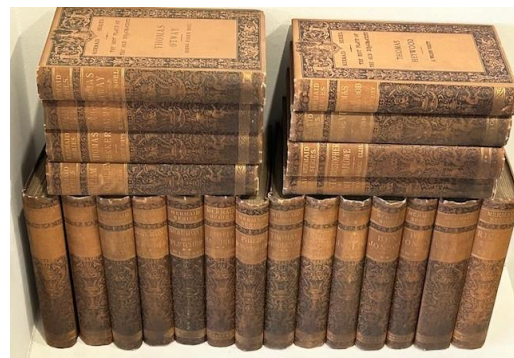
3. **The Best Plays of Old Dramatists – 22 Volumes**

Publisher: T. Fisher Unwin – The Mermaid Series

Brown hardcovers – Pictorial decorated front covers and spines with gilt title to spines.

Various release dates of series between 1887 and 1896.

– **Price \$300**



4. **Pyogenic Infective Diseases of the Brain and Spinal Cord**

By William Macewen, M.D.

Publisher: James Maclehose and Sons – **Dated 1893 (first Edition)**

60 illustrations (in-text wood engravings) plus 16 charts.

Hardboards with black leather spine and corners – 5 raised bands to spine with gilt title

Hichens Prize on front cover – all edges and end papers are blue marbled

– **Price \$300**

5. **The Complete Works of Charles Dickens in 17**

Volumes PLUS an additional volume

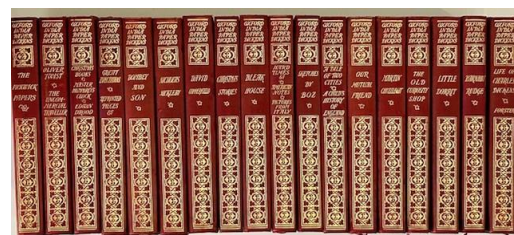
The Life of Charles Dickens

Publisher: Chapman & Hall, Limited; and Humphrey Milford

All 18 volumes are the Oxford India Paper series in maroon soft leather with gilt titles to spines.

Hundreds of illustrations by 'Phiz', Cattermole, Cruikshank

– **Price \$250**



6. SIR GAWAIN & The Green Knight

Edited by J.R.R. Tolkien & E.V. Gordon

Publisher: Oxford at the Clarendon Press – Corrected Impression **Dated 1930**

Green Hardboards with gilt emblem to front cover and gilt title to spine – with dustjacket
– **Price \$200**

7. The Works of William Shakspere- Dramatic and Poetical – **12 Volumes** complete
Knight's Cabinet Edition - With additional notes – Vol 12 being studies of Shakspere
introductory volume.

Publisher: W. & R. Chambers, Limited

Red hardboards with gilt titles to spines

– **Price \$180**

8. RELATIVITY The Special & The General Theory

By Albert Einstein, Ph.D.

Publisher: Methuen & Co. Ltd. – 3rd edition – **Dated 1920**

Red hardboards with inlayed title to front cover and gilt title to spine

– **Price \$150**

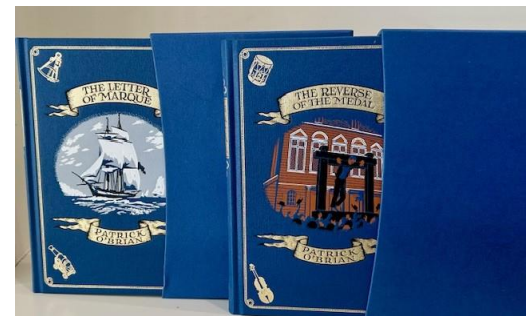
9. The Letters of Marque and The Reverse of the Medal

2 volumes by Patrick O'Brian

Publisher: **The Folio Society** – Dated 2011

Both in picturesque blue hardboard covers and in
Slipcases.

– **Price \$150**



10. The Works of Nathaniel Hawthorne

20 Volumes

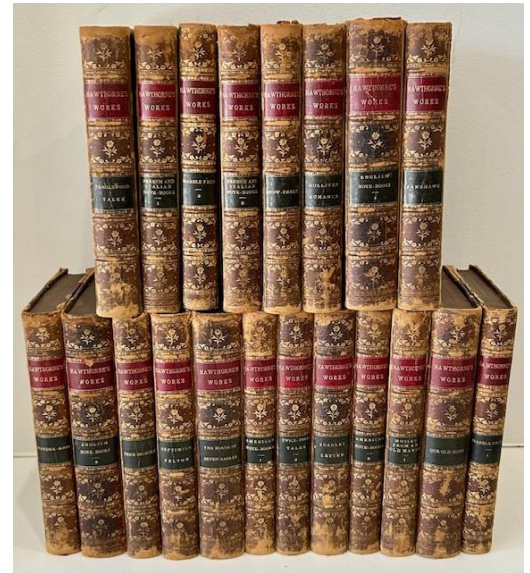
Publisher: James R, Osgood and Company – **12 Vols**

Dated 1876 – 8 Vols Dated 1879

Marbled hardboards with leather spines and corners. Marbled end papers.

Gilt titles and pattern to spines.

– **Price \$150**



11. Works of Alexandre Dumas – 17 Volumes

Including The Count of Monte Cristo & The Three Musketeers – Each being 2 volumes

Publisher: British Books Ltd.

Maroon soft leather covers with gilt signature to front covers and gilt titles and pattern to spines.

– **Price \$150**

12. The Trembling of a Leaf

By W. Somerset Maugham

Publisher: William Heinemann – **New impression Dated November, 1921**

Blue hardboards with gilt title to front cover and spine

– **Price \$125**

13. Prospecting For Gold – From the Dish to the Hydraulic Plant

By Ion Idriess

Publisher: Angus & Robertson, Ltd – **First Edition Dated 1931**

Blue hardboards with faded gilt title to front cover and spine

– **Price \$120**

14. Collection from Rudyard Kipling – 21 volumes

Publisher: Macmillan and Co., Limited – **Dates vary from 1912 to 1937**

Maroon leather binding with gilt titles and pattern to spines and gilt motif to front covers.

All Top edges gilt.

– **Price \$110**

15. Collection of Poetry in 23 Volumes

Including

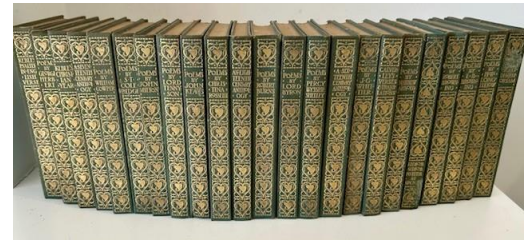
Burns/Keats/Longfellow/Milton/Shelley/Wordsworth
etc.

Publisher: The Gresham Publishing Company

Green hardboards – decorative spines and front
cover plus top edges all in gilt.

All have introductory notes.

– **Price \$110**



16. Anzac Memorial

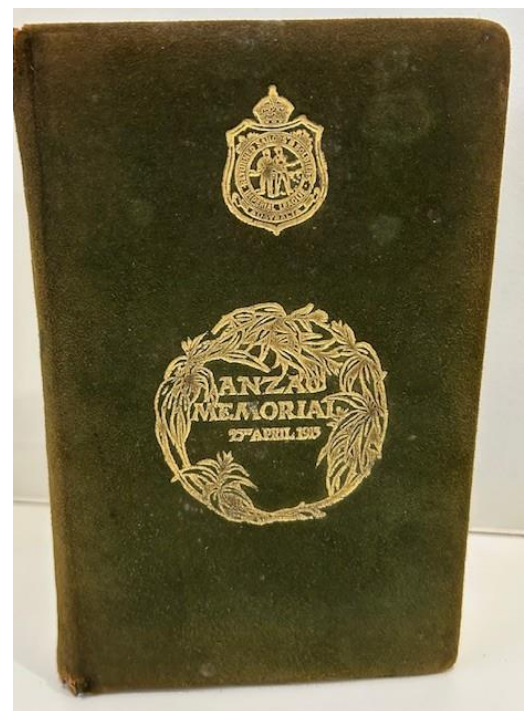
Published by N.S.W. Branch returned Sailors and
Soldiers Imperial League of Australia

Dated September, 1919

Green cloth boards with Gilt emblem and title to
front cover

Includes colour frontispiece and many B&W photos
plus Roll of Honour Offices and Men A.I.F. Died on
Service.

– **Price \$100**



17. The Way of the Whirlwind

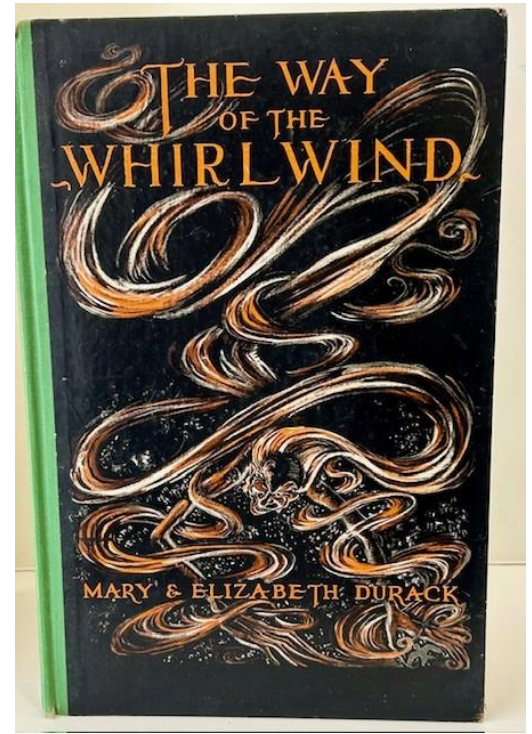
By Mary & Elizabeth Durack

Published by: Consolidated Press – **Dated 1944**

Contains 12 tipped in plates (9 in colour) and numerous black & white sketches.

Black hardboards with Illustrated front cover with orange title – green cloth spine and illustrated end papers

– **Price \$100**



18. Essays on Phrenology,

Or an inquiry into the principles and utility of the system of Drs Gall and Spurzheim and into The Objections made against it

Printed for Bell & Bradfute, Edinburgh – **Dated 1819**

Hardcover boards with leather spine and corners. Outline of stamps to inside front cover and end paper

– **Price \$100**

19. Australian Men of Mark – Vol 1.

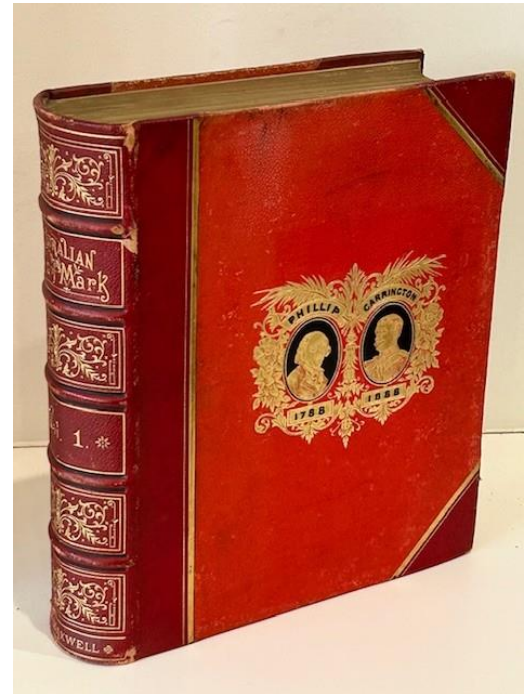
Publisher: Charles F. Maxwell

Illustrated with 100 full page authentic portraits in lithographic art.

Red hardboards with maroon spine and corners.

Gilt portraits to front cover with gilt pattern and title to spine. All edges gilt.

– Price \$100



20. Jane Austen – Nelson's Gift and Presentation Set of selected novels.

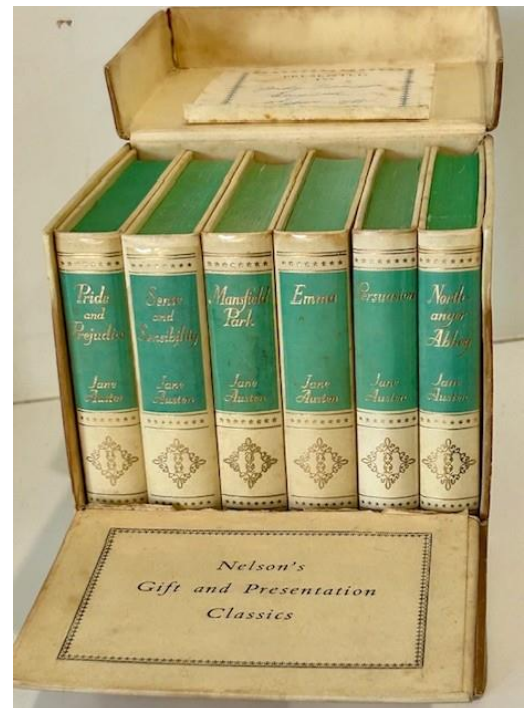
Pride and Prejudice, Sense and Sensibility, Emma, Mansfield Park, Persuasion, Northanger Abbey.

Publisher: Thomas Nelson & Sons Ltd

All six volumes in cream hardboards with green block with gilt titles to spines plus gilt pattern.

All with clear plastic covers and green top edge in heavily faded fold down box

– Price \$100



21. The Call of the Wild

By Jack London

Publisher: The Macmillan Company – Dated 1904

Green hardboards with pictorial front cover and spine including gilt title

Top edge gilt

– Price \$100

22. Kenneth McAlpine:

A Tale of Mountain, Moorland, and Sea

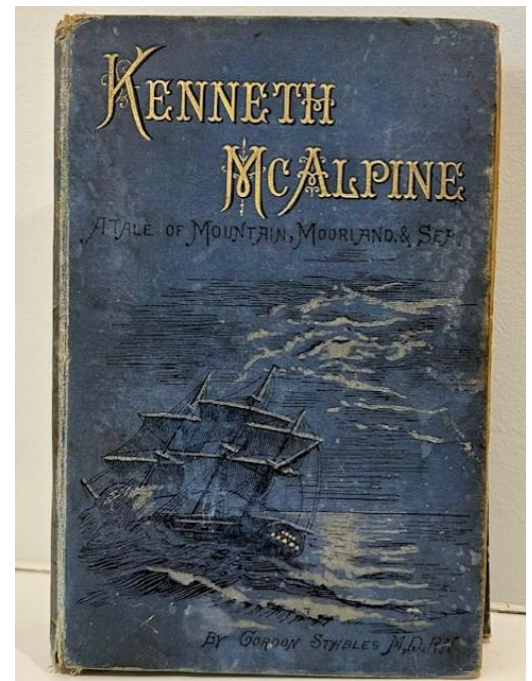
By Gordon Stables, M.D., R.N.,

Publisher: S.W. Partridge and Co (undated – 18??),

Numerous B&W Illustrations.

Blue hardboards with pictured front cover and spine including gilt title.

– **Price \$100**



23. Maver's collection of Genuine Scottish Melodies

Harmonised by C.H. Morine – Edited by George Alexander Esq

Published by Robert Maver.

“A comprehensive collection of the celebrated Melodies of Scotland...” “Melodies...are arranged in Keys suitable for the Voice; and the words best adapted to them..”

Large green hardboards with gilt title and emblem to front cover. Foxing on introductory pages

– **Price \$90**

24. The Cathedrals of England

Three volumes – The North & East Anglia – The

West & Midlands – The South East

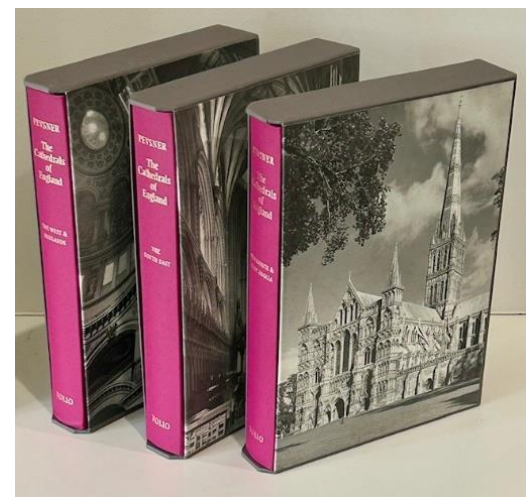
Publisher: **The Folio Society** – dated 2005

By Nikolaus Pevsner and Priscilla Hands

Grey hardboards with red spines with gilt titles with numerous b & w photographs.

Three volumes in separate slipcase

– **Price \$90**



25. Animal Farm – A fairy Story

By George Orwell

Publisher: Secker & Warburg – Dated 1946 – Third printing

Blue hardboards with white title to spine in blue/white & Black dustjacket.

– **Price \$80**

26. The Secret Garden

By Frances Hodgson Burnett

Publisher: William Heinemann – **Dated 1911 – First Edition**

Eight colour illustrations by Charles Robinson

Green hardboards with gilt title with child/garden design to front cover plus gilt pattern and title to worn spine. Prize plate plus inscription

– **Price \$80**

27. The Casquet of Literature – 6 volumes in 3 books

Being a selection in poetry and prose from the works of the most admired authors

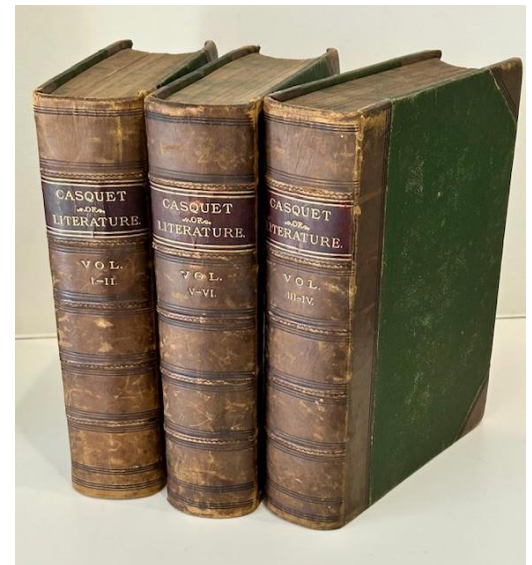
Edited By Charles Gibbon

Publisher: Blackie & Son **Dated 1878** with a total of 54 engravings

Green hardboards with leather spines and corners.

Gilt Title to spines and all edges marbled.

– **Price \$75**



28. The Life of Captain Matthew Flinders, R.N.

By Professor Ernest Scott

Publisher: Angus & Robertson Ltd – **Dated 1914 with 38 Illustrations and maps.**

Blue hardboards with gilt title to spine and motif to front with torn dust jacket in protective sleeve.

– **Price \$75**

29. The Universal Self-Instructor

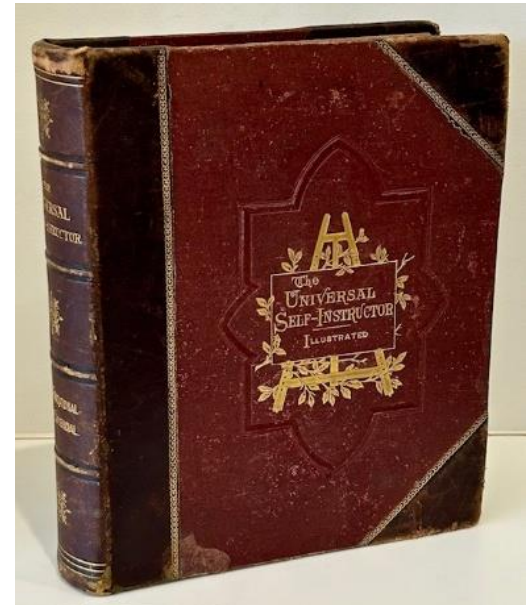
And Manual of General Reference – “Handsomely illustrated with original drawings”

Edited by Albert Ellery Berg

Publisher: Samuel McCardel – **Dated 1883**

Large Maroon hardback with leather spine and corners with gilt including title to front cover and spine

– **Price \$75**



30. The Wealth and Progress of New South Wales

1886-87

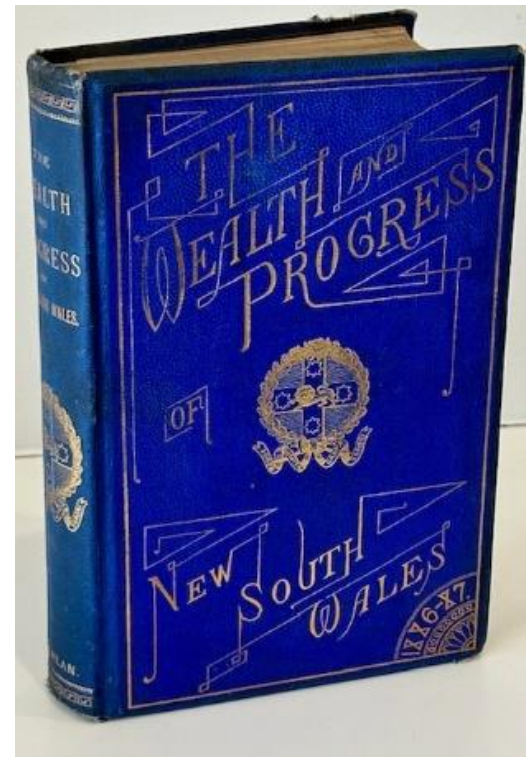
With map and tables

By T. A. Coghlan, A.M., Inst. C.E.,

Publisher: George Robertson & Co – **Dated 1887**

Blue hardboards with gilt emblem/pattern and title to front cover and spine.

– **Price \$70**



31. The Complete Works of E.M. Forster

Publisher: **The Folio Society**

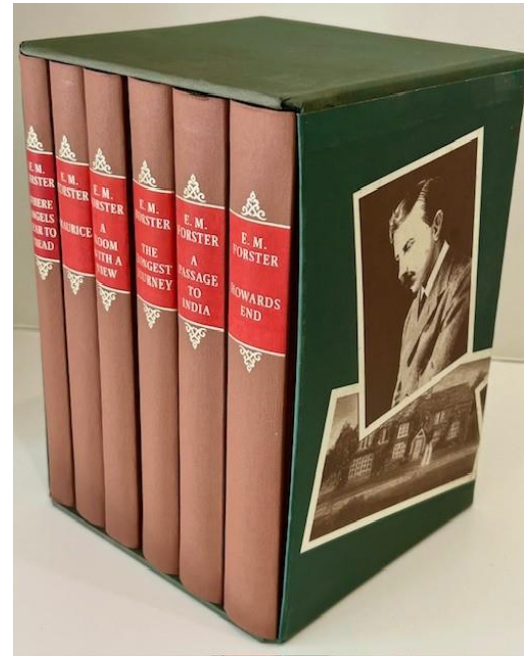
Howards End – A Passage to India – The Longest Journey – A room with a View – Maurice – Where Angels Frea to Tread

6 volumes bound in quarter buckram in slipcase –

Dated 1996

Numerous lithographs by Glynn Boyd Harte

– **Price \$70**



32. The Law of Building, Engineering, and Ship Building Contracts

By Alfred A. Hudson – Two Volumes Dated 1914 (986 & 680 pages)

Publisher: Sweet and Maxwell, Limited

Large red hardboards with motif to front covers and gilt title to spines.

– **Price \$70**

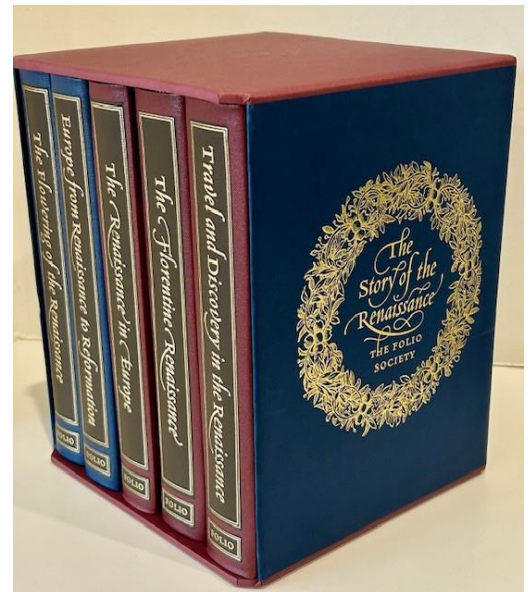
33. The Story of the Renaissance

Publisher: **The Folio Society**

Five Volumes: Travel and Discovery in the Renaissance – The Florentine Renaissance – The Renaissance in Europe – Europe from Renaissance to Reformation – The Flowering of the Renaissance. With a total of 162 colour illustrations.

Three volumes in maroon and two in blue hardboards with gilt pattern and titles to front covers and gilt titles to spines all in blue and maroon slipcase.

– **Price \$65**



34. Designing From Plant-Forms

By **John W. Wadsworth**

Published by: Chapman and Hall Ltd – **Dated 1910**

Decorative Art/Studies from Nature/Designing

Green hardboards with black title and motifs to front cover and spine

– **Price \$60**

35. Thomas Hardy 6 volume set

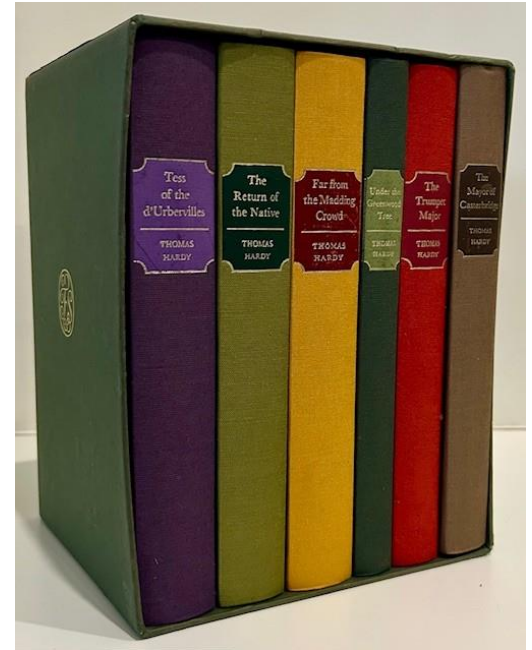
Tess of the D'Urbervilles, The Return of the Native, Far From the Madding Crowd, The Mayor of Casterbridge, The Trumpet Major, Under the Greenwood Tree

Publisher: **The Folio Society** – with numerous wood engravings by Peter Reddick

Differing coloured hardboards with motif to front covers and titles to spines –

In green slipcase

– **Price \$60**



36. Looking Back

An Autobiographical Excursion by Norman Douglas

Publisher: Chatto and Windus – **Dated 1934**

Red hardboards with gilt title to spine and in original dust jacket

– **Price \$60**

37. Empires of Early Latin America

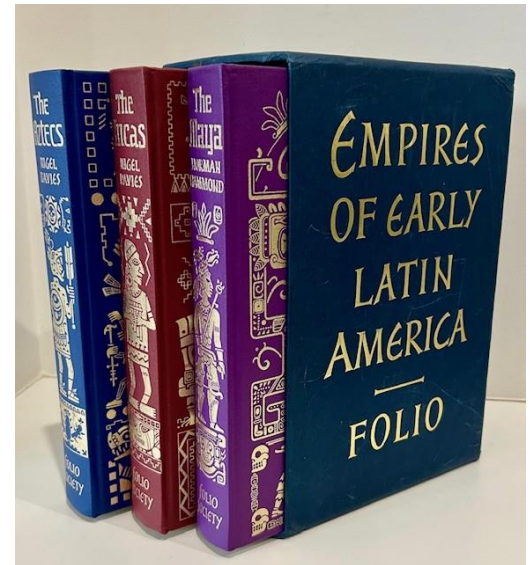
Three volumes - The Aztecs and The Incas by Nigel Davies, The Maya by Norman Hammond

Publisher: **The Folio Society**

Coloured hardboards with gilt patterned fronts and gilt pattern and titles to spines.

In damaged slipcase

– **Price \$60**



38. DIALOGUE Concerning The Two Chief World Systems Ptolemaic and Copernican

By Galileo Galilei - With Foreword by Albert Einstein

Publisher: **The Folio Society** – Dated 2013

Green hardboards with gilt patterned front cover and spine including title to spine

In Black Slipcase

– **Price \$60**

39. Ghosts of the Goldfields – Pioneer diggers and settlers on the Turon

A book of Reminiscences **by Henry H. Neary**

Publisher: C. Merritt – **Dated 1940**

Picturesque yellow hardboards - **Signed by the author** with an appreciation to the Publisher/printer

– **Price \$50**

40. Ulysses

By James Joyce

Publisher: **The Folio Society** – Dated 1998

Blue Hardboards with Block illustration to front cover and gilt title to spine

In Blue Slipcase

– **Price \$50**