

## BOOKS OF THE MONTH

- 1 **AZECHI, Umetaro. JAPANESE WOODBLOCK PRINTS.** Their Technique and Appreciation. Tokyo. Toto Shuppan Co. 1963. Folio. Or.canvas. 104pp. *The frontispiece is an original colour woodblock print.* Many col & b/w ills. 5 tipped-in samples of washi paper. Fine. 1st ed. Scarce. \$120



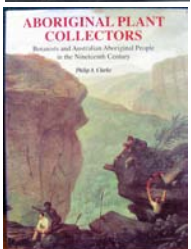
- 2 **BLAIR, Anne. TED SERONG.** The Life of an Australian Counter-Insurgency Expert. South Melb. Oxford University Press 2002. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 238pp. b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. Scarce. *Ted Serong was one of the most original and influential Australian Army planners in the post-war period. He introduced counter-insurgency warfare & jungle combat training. He went on to work with the CIA as a special advisor to the American commander in Vietnam.* \$120



- 3 **BUNN, Anna Maria. THE GUARDIAN. A TALE.** Syd.1838. Original publisher's green linen with printed paper titling label. 152pp. b/w ills. *First printing.* F.Hobhill Cole bookplate. A sensational gothic tale full of incident, lost heirs, secret births, with a melodramatic ending. *The first novel written by an Australian woman and the first novel printed on the Australian mainland.* Contained in a folding cloth case. *Extremely Rare.* \$7,900



- 4 **CLARKE, Philip A. ABORIGINAL PLANT COLLECTORS.** Botanists and Australian Aboriginal People in the Nineteenth Century. Dural. Rosenberg Publishing. 2008. Folio. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 191pp. Many col & b/w ills. Fine. 1st ed. Scarce. *Explores the impact of indigenous people upon the European discovery of Australian plants.* \$125



- 5 **CLAYTON, K. (Ed.) DOC CRAVEN'S TRIBUTE . THE LEGENDS OF SPRINGBOK RUGBY 1889-1989.** Cape Town. KC Publications. 1989. Folio. Full green faux leather binding with gilt title on front board. 232pp. Many col & b/w ills.

Very good copy. *Deluxe 1st edition limited to 1,000 numbered copies.* Very Scarce. *This issue has the tipped-in signatures of 96 of some of the greatest Springboks, as well as an additional 34 signatures in facsimile.* Much of the edition had only facsimile signatures. \$250

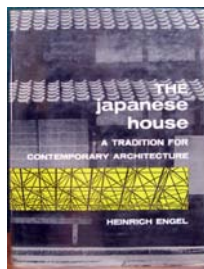


- 6 **COLLECTED STORIES OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST WRITERS. COLLECTION OF TWENTY VOLUMES IN THIS SERIES.** Pennsylvania. Franklin Library. 1977-1985. All elaborately gilt-decorated full leather bindings. Silk moire endpapers. All edges gilt. Fine condition. Authors include Orwell, Steinbeck, Hemingway, Colette, Nabokov, Chaucer, F.Scott Fitzgerald, Conan Doyle, Voltaire, Boccaccio and Thomas Mann. Included are the 20 booklets "Notes from the Editors" which go with each volume. *These volumes would look handsome on any bookshelf.* The collection (11 vols shown in photo above) \$450

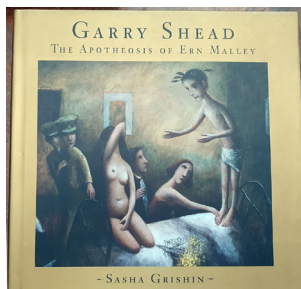
- 7 **CONFUCIUS. THE ANALECTS OF CONFUCIUS.** Translated from the Chinese with an introduction and notes by Lionel Giles, Litt.D. Printed for members of the Limited Editions Club by the Commercial Press. Shanghai. 1933. Bound in the Asian style in full silk brocade wrappers. 114pp. Four illustrations printed on double-folded leaves. *Copy #1185 of 1500 copies. Printed on hand-made Chinese paper. Fine copy in a specially made oak box.* While not the box with this book was issued, it is nevertheless a handsome box. Very Scarce. \$180



- 8 **ENGEL, Heinrich. THE JAPANESE HOUSE.** A Tradition for Contemporary Architecture. With a Foreword by Walter Gropius. Tokyo. Charles E. Tuttle Company. 1964. 4to. Or.cl. Dustjacket. 495pp. (sl foxing) to top, foredge & some pages. Dustjacket covered in plastic. Inscription on ffe. Bookplate to front pastedown. Profusely illustrated in black & white. Very good copy. 1st ed. In the slip-case. *The tradition of the modern Japanese house was seen by Western architects in 1954 as modern & contemporary, with house design having a zen-like cultural pattern.* \$150



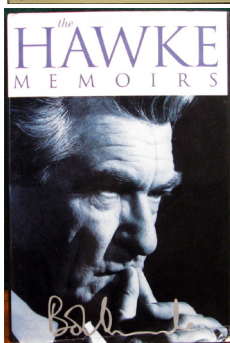
- 9 **GRISHIN, Sasha. GARRY SHEAD. THE APOTHEOSIS OF ERN MALLEY.** Syd. Australian Galleries. 2008. (2nd ed.) Oblong 4to. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 144pp. Profusely illustrated in colour & b/w. Very



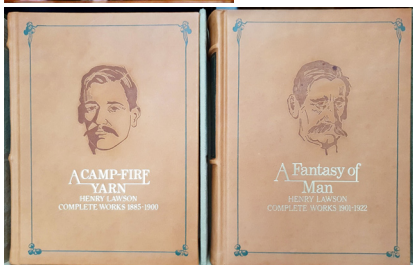
Very good copy. *Shead believes that though the Ern Malley poems were a hoax, they have created the image of a creative individual in the Australian psyche.* \$135

10 **HAWKE, Bob. THE HAWKE MEMOIRS.** Port Melb. William Heinemann Aust. 1994. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 618pp. (sl foxing) to top & foreedge. Light tanning to pages. b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed.

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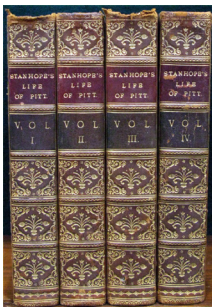
12 **LINDSAY, Norman. PAINTINGS IN OIL.** Fourteen reproductions in colour from original oil paintings and 16 half-tone plates reproduced in black and white, with essays by Douglas Stewart and Norman Lindsay. Syd. Shepard Press. 1945. 4to. Or.bds. with gilt N.L. decoration. *14 splendid tipped-in col.plates & 16 b/w plates.* Boards rubbed and a little foxed else a good copy of the very scarce 1st ed. *Number 79 of a limited edition 1,000 numbered copies.* Bookplate on front pastedown. \$890

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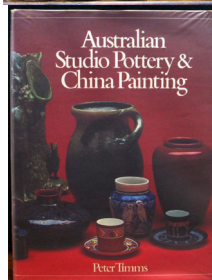


14 **RYAN, James T. REMINISCENCES OF AUSTRALIA.** Containing 70 years of his own knowledge and 35 years of his ancestors. Syd. George Robertson & Co. n.d. (1894?) Rebound in full leather. 456pp. (sl foxing) Frontispiece portrait. Very good copy. 1st ed. *Ryan's grandfather arrived in Australia with the First Fleet & their son Robert was the first white male child born in Australia.* \$150

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16 **TIMMS, Peter. AUSTRALIAN STUDIO POTTERY & CHINA PAINTING.** Melb. OUP. 1986. 4to. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 192pp. Some colour and many b/w ills. Fine. 1st ed. Scarce. \$75



17 **WHITELEY, Brett. ANOTHER WAY OF LOOKING AT VINCENT VAN GOGH.** Paintings, drawings, photographs, silkscreen prints, etchings and sculptures created over a period of fifteen years. Foreword by Edmund Capon. Melb. Richard Griffin. 1983. 4to. Full calf gilt. unpag. Profusely illustrated with col. & b/w plates by Whiteley. Pristine copy. 1st ed. *The very scarce Special Edition, one of 100 numbered copies signed by the artist and with three splendid original Whiteley signed etchings.* The etchings are *Suns of the Sun, The Back of the Asylum, St. Remy & Self-Portrait, One of a Dozen Glimpses.* Rare on the market as many of the etchings with which the book was issued have been separated from the set and sold individually. \$12,000

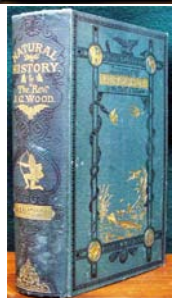




18 **WHITWORTH, Lord Charles. AN ACCOUNT OF RUSSIA AS IT WAS IN THE YEAR 1710.** Printed at Strawberry Hill. Twickenham. 1758. Rebound in full leather with gilt tooling to spine, covers & inside endpaper edges. Marbled endpapers & gilt edging. Bookplates to front pastedown & ffe. b/w ill to title page. Very good copy. Scarce. *A short but curious account of the Russian Empire as it began to emerge from barbarism in the year 1710 as observed by Lord Charles Whitworth.* Russia seems to have returned to barbarism under their current leadership! \$550



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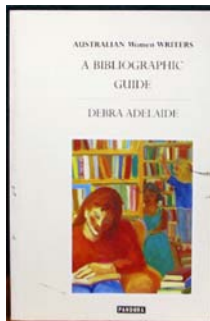


20 **WRIGHT, Frank Lloyd. THE LIVING CITY.** With 57 Illustrations and a Foldout of Broadacre City in Full Colour. N.Y. Horizon Press. 1958. 4to. Or.bds. Qtr.cloth. 222pp. (sl foxing) Dustjacket spine faded. Col fold-out city plan & b/w ills. Very good copy. 1st ed. *Frank Lloyd Wright considered The Living City his most important work as he sought to bring his prophetic architectural vision to what he called living architecture in the Machine Age.* \$120



## AUSTRALIA & THE PACIFIC

21 **ADELAIDE, Debra. AUSTRALIAN WOMEN WRITERS: A BIBLIOGRAPHIC GUIDE.** Lond. Pandora. 1988. Col.Ill.wrapps. 209pp. Name on ffe., else Fine. 1st paperback ed. *The lives & works of over 450 Australian women writers.* \$24



22 **ALEXANDER, Alison. A MORTAL FLAME.** Marie Bjelke Petersen. Australian Romance Writer, 1874-1969. Hobart. Blubber Head Press. 1994. Col.Ill.wrapps. 276pp. (sl foxing) to top & foredge. col frontispiece & b/w ills. Very good copy. 1st ed. *Marie Bjelke Petersen was a highly successful author & one of the leading Australian romantic novelists of her day. Her 9 books published between 1917 & 1937 featured romance set in the Australian bush.* \$30

23 **AUSTRALIAN PRIVATE PRESS. CAPITALISTS AND OTHERS.** From the Monotype Newsletter 74. Bankstown. St Marks Press. 1988. 4to. Or.cl. backed bds. 8pp. Fine copy. Very Scarce. *Edition of 100 numbered copies on hand-made paper, numbered & signed by the printer.* An essay from the "Monotype Newsletter" on capitalising. \$75

24 **BAKER, Jeannine. AUSTRALIAN WOMEN WAR REPORTERS.** Boer War to Vietnam. Syd. NewSouth Publishing. 2015. Col.Ill.wrapps. 259pp. b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. *Signed by the author. Jeannine Baker recounts the grim realities & challenges faced by the women war correspondents from Australia & New Zealand. From the Boer War to the Cold War, a look at Australian Women War Reporters.* \$30

25 **BAKER, Sidney J. A DICTIONARY OF AUSTRALIAN SLANG.** Introduction by Keith Dunstan. Melb. 1986 (rep) 8vo. Or.bds. d.w. 88pp. writing on ffe. else a Nice copy. Australian colloquial speech. \$16

26 **BAXTER, Carol. THE FABULOUS FLYING MRS MILLER.** An Australian's True Story of Adventure, Danger, Romance and Murder. Crows Nest. Allen & Unwin. 2017. Col.Ill.wrapps. 410pp. b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. *Jessie Miller was the first woman to complete an England to Australia flight in 1927. At the time it was the longest flights made in an Avro Avian aircraft by a woman, though she was overtaken by Bert Hinkler.* \$24



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28 **BENAUD, Richie. THE APPEAL OF CRICKET.** The Modern Game. Lond. Hodder and Stoughton. 1995. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 280pp.