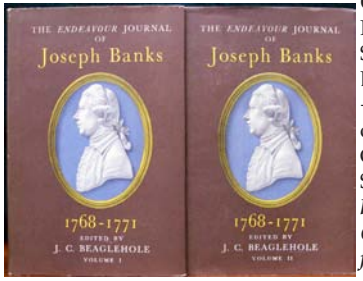
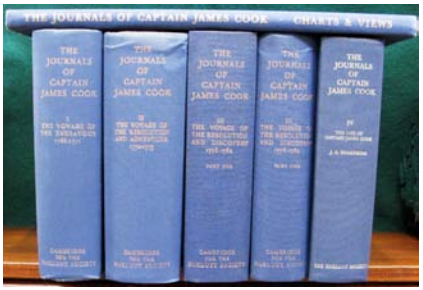
CBOOKS OF THE MONTH

1 **BANKS, Sir Joseph. THE ENDEAVOUR JOURNAL OF JOSEPH BANKS 1768-1771.**



Edited by J.C.Beaglehole. 2 vols. Syd. Public Library of NSW. 1962. Both Or.cl. Dustjackets 476,406pp. + 80 b/w plates & a folding map of the voyage of the Endeavour. Col.plates. Very good set. 1st ed. Scarce. ***Banks sailed as natural historian on the Endeavour with Cook. This is the first full printing from the original manuscript of his candid and dramatic journal.*** $295

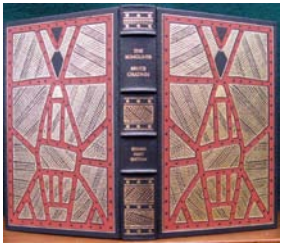
2 **BEAGLEHOLE, J. C. THE JOURNALS OF CAPTAIN JAMES COOK.**



Complete in Six Volumes, with Volume III being in Two Volumes & the Sixth Volume being a Portfolio of Charts & Views. Lond. The Hakluyt Society. 1955 - 1973. 4to. Or.cl. Dustjackets. 6F84pp.,1021pp., 718pp., 1647pp., 760pp. with a Folio volume of 58 charts & views. (sl foxing) to top, foredge, & some pages. Dustjackets with light wear to spine ends. Very good set. Various editions. ***Captain James Cook's journals for all three of his voyages made between 1768 to 1779. With charts & views of all three voyages.*** $875

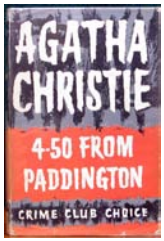
3 **CARROLL, Alison. BARBARA HANRAHAN: PRINTMAKER.** Netley, SA. Wakefield Press. 1986. 4to. Or.cl. 108pp. Profusely illustrated in colour and black & white. Very good copy. ***Number 98 of an edition of 150 copies signed by the artist.*** Barbara Hanrahan is a South Australian artist & printmaker who focused on women's issues & feminist ideology. This is a printed survey of her work. $150

4 **CHATWIN, Bruce. THE SONGLINES.** Signed First Edition.



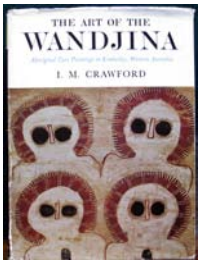
Pennsylvania. The Franklin Library. 1987. Bound in top-grain leather that has been stamped in brown & gold with a bark painting from The University Museum of Pennsylvania & the text is illustrated with other paintings from the same collection. 293pp. a.e.g. With a bound-in marker-ribbon. Very good copy. ***Signed by the author. A special edition published for subscribers to The Franklin Library in 1987.*** $275

5 **CHRISTIE, Agatha. 4:50 FROM PADDINGTON.**



Crime Club Choice. Syd. The Crime Club by Collins. 1957. Or.cl. Dustjacket. 255pp. Dustjacket covered in plastic. Very good copy. ***This is the 1st Australian edition of 4:50 from Paddington & is a mystery in which Elspeth McGillicuddy witnesses a woman being strangled by a man on a passing train at Paddington Station.*** $220

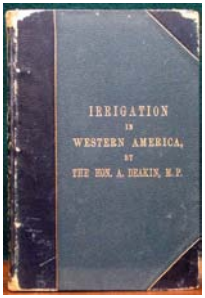
6 **CRAWFORD, I. M. THE ART OF THE WANDJINA.**



Aboriginal Cave Paintings in Kimberley, Western Australia. Melb. Oxford University Press. 1968. Or.cl. Dustjacket. 144pp. Name on ffe. Dj sl.rubbed else a very good copy. 1st ed. ***Fieldwork carried out between 1962 & 1966, Aboriginal cave paintings were surveyed in the Kimberley region in Western Australia.*** $125

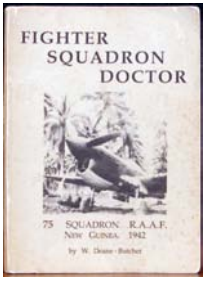
7 **DAVIES, Alan & STANBURY, Peter. THE MECHANICAL EYE IN AUSTRALIA.** Photography 1841-1900. Melb. OUP. 1985. 4to. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 270pp. Many b/w plates & ills. Very good copy. 1st ed. Scarce. ***Inscribed by Peter Stanbury. An important study of the history of early Australian photography from the first recorded photograph of 1841 to 1900.*** $175

8 **DEAKIN, The Honourable Alfred. ROYAL COMMISSION ON WATER SUPPLY.**



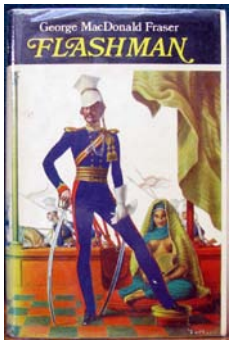
First Progress Report. Irrigation in Western America, so far as it has relation to the circumstances of Victoria. A Memorandum for the Members of the Royal Commission on Water Supply. Melb. John Ferres, Govt. Printer. 1885. Half leather binding. 175pp. (sl foxing) Fold-out chart. The binding a little rubbed else a Very good copy. Good copy. Very Scarce. ***Between 1883 & 1886, Alfred Deakin served as the Commissioner for Public Works & Water Supply while a young politician serving in the Victorian Legislative Assembly.*** $175

9 **DEANE-BUTCHER, W. FIGHTER SQUADRON DOCTOR.**



75 Squadron R.A.A.F. New Guinea. 1942. Killara. W. Deane-Butcher. 1989. Col.Ill.wrapps. 223pp. (sl foxing) Slight rubbing to corners. Name on title page. Good copy. 1st ed. Scarce. ***Inscribed by the author. William Deane-Butcher had studied medicine at Sydney University & when war broke out, he served as a medical officer with the 75th Squadron in Papua New Guinea, & after the war the Sydney Eye Hospital*** $150

10 **FRASER, George MacDonald. FLASHMAN.** From The Flashman Papers, 1839 - 1842. Edited and Arranged by George MacDonald Fraser. Lond. Herbert Jenkins Ltd. 1969. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 256pp. (sl foxing) Dustjacket covered in plastic.



Very good copy. 1st ed. ***After Harry Flashman is expelled from Rugby school for drunkenness, he joins the British Army & finds himself in the 11th Regiment of the Light Dragoons & after a stint in India is assigned to Kabul.***
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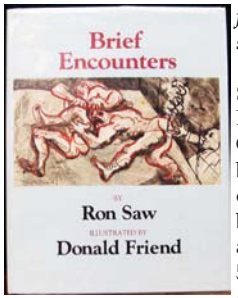
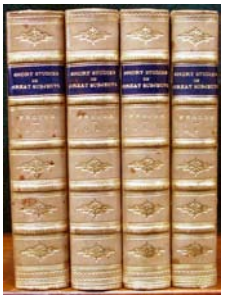
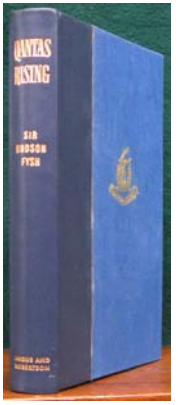


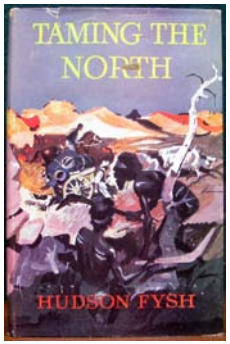
11 **FRIEND, Donald (Ill.) BRIEF ENCOUNTERS.** By Ron Saw. Syd. Richard Griffin. 1984. Roy.8vo. Or.bds. Dustjacket with Donald Friend ill. 64pp. Bookplate on verso of ffe. Many b/w. ills. Very Good copy. 1st ed. ***Inscribed to Geoffrey Dutton by Donald Friend, Ron Saw & Richard Griffin. Fifteen of Saw's funniest pieces inspired twenty witty and sometimes wicked Friend drawing*** $120



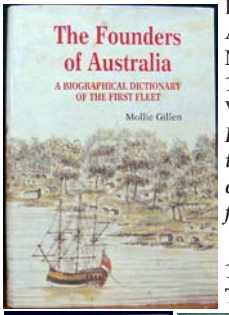
12 **FROUDE, James Anthony. SHORT STUDIES ON GREAT SUBJECTS.** New Edition. In Four Volumes. Lond. Longmans, Green, and Co. 1888. Original marbled boards bound in half leather. With gilt lettering on dark navy leather square on spine, & raised bands with gold decoration. Endpapers & all edges marbled. Bound by Mudie. 662pp., 598pp. 558pp., 572pp. Very good set. ***A collection of essays by the Victorian historian & writer James Anthony Froude.*** $295



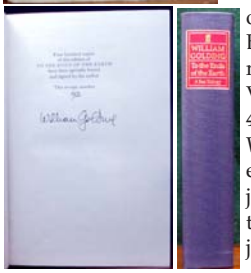
13 **FYSH, Hudson. QANTAS RISING.** The Autobiography of the Flying Fysh. Syd. Angus and Robertson. 1965. Original cloth decorated with gold coat of arms bound in quarter leather with gold lettering. 296pp. b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. ***One of a special deluxe edition of 30 copies. This copy not signed Sir Wilmot Hudson Fysh was one of many soldiers who transitioned from the Australian Light Horse Brigade to the Australian Flying Corps in 1917. In 1920 he founded QANTAS with an Avro B.E.2e.*** $195



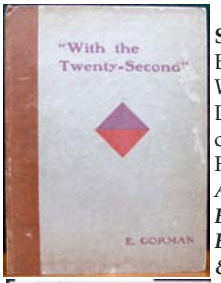
14 **FYSH, Hudson. TAMING THE NORTH.** Syd. Angus & Robertson Ltd. 1961. (enlarged edition) Or.bds. Dustjacket. 265pp. Dustjacket with light rubbing to corners. b/w plates. Very good copy. ***First published in 1933, this revised & enlarged 1961 edition recounts the adventures of Queensland pioneer Alexander Kennedy, who became the first passenger to fly on the newly formed Qantas airline.*** $150



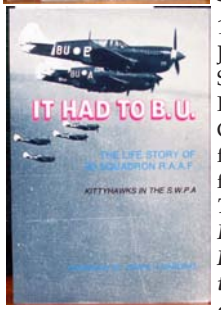
15 **GILLEN, Mollie. THE FOUNDERS OF AUSTRALIA.** A Biographical Dictionary of the First Fleet. With Appendices by Yvonne Browning, Michael Flynn, Mollie Gillen. Syd. Library of Australian History. 1989. 4to. Or.cl. Dustjacket. 624pp. b/w ills. Very good copy. ***Number 1396 of a Subscriber's Edition of 2500 copies. A bibliography of more than 1,500 people who sailed on the eleven ships of the First Fleet that would go on to become founders of the modern nation of Australia.*** $195



16 **GOLDING, William. TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH.** A Sea Trilogy, comprising Rites of Passage, Close Quarters and Fire Down Below. Lond. Faber and Faber. 1989. Original marbled boards bound in quarter cloth. 753pp. Very good copy. ***Number 92 of an edition of 400 numbered copies signed by the author.*** William Golding's classic sea trilogy tells the extraordinary story of a warship's troubled journey to Australia in the early 1800s as told through the journal of sailor Edmund Talbot's journal. $595

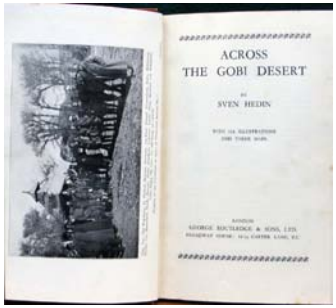


17 **GORMAN, E. "WITH THE TWENTY-SECOND".** A History of the Twenty-Second Battalion, A.I.F. Introduction by General Sir W.R.Birdwood. Frontispiece plate by Lieut.Will Dyson. Melb. H.H.Champion. 1919. 4to. Or.qt. cl & dec.bds. b/w plates. Spine sl.faded else Fine. 1st ed. Very Scarce. ***The 22nd Battalion AIF was formed on the 26th of March, 1915 at Broadmeadows Camp in Victoria. Deployed to Egypt in May1915 & in September to Gallipoli, & in April 1916, the Western Front.*** $250



18 **HARDING, James H. IT HAD TO B. U.** The Life Story of 80 Squadron R.A.A.F. Kittyhawks in the Southwest Pacific Area. Burwood. Chandos Publishing. 1996. Col.Ill.wrapps. 215pp. Light wear to corners. (sl foxing) to top edges. Tape marks to inside of the front wrapps. b/w ills. Very good copy. 1st ed. ***The Curtis P-40 Warhawk was deployed to eight RAAF squadrons in Australia during WWII. The Kittyhawk Fighter Bomber was instrumental in the defeat of the Japanese in the Pacific theatre of war.*** $ 125

19 **HEDIN, Sven. ACROSS THE GOBI DESERT.** With 114 Illustrations and Three Maps. Lond. George Routledge & Sons, Ltd. n.d. (1928?) kOr.cl. 402pp. B/w ills & fold-out colour maps. Sl. foxing



else a very good copy. 1st ed. Scarce. ***Swedish geographer & explorer Sven Hedin took four expeditions to Central Asia between the late 1880s & the early 1900s. Between 1927 & 1935 he travelled through Mongolia & the Gobi Desert.*** $225



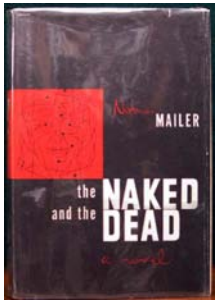
20 **JOHNSON, Vivien. THE ART OF CLIFFORD POSSUM TJAPALTJARRI.** Syd. Gordon & Breach. 1994. 4to. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 177pp. Profusely illustrated in colour. Sl.foxing on endpapers else a very good copy. 1st ed. Scarce. ***A comprehensive account of the life & work of one of Australia's most extraordinary indigenous artists, with detailed annotations of over 60 major paintings.*** $195



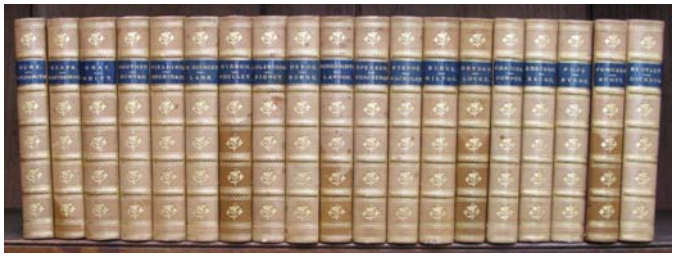
21 **LENNON, John. A SPANIARD IN THE WORKS.** Lond. Jonathon Cape. 1965. Col.ill.bds. 93pp. b/w & monochrome ills. Slight foxing else a very Good copy. 1st ed. Scarce. $125

22 **MACARTHUR, Edward, James & William (Attributed to) EMIGRATION TO NEW SOUTH WALES,** with a Statement of Conditions generally, on which emigrants wishing to seek employment in the service of ..... in that Colony are received. Also some account of the manner of conducting a former emigration to the same place. Lond. D.Walther. 1838. Sewn as issued. 20pp. Near Fine. Rare. F.2486. A space is provided on the title page for prospective employers to fill in their names. Ferguson refers to the National Library copy having the Macarthur's names in this space. The pamphlet includes a reprint of ***An Account of the Mode in which an Emigration to NSW of Fourteen Agricultural families from the County of Dorset was Conducted.*** This latter pamphlet was originally published in 1836. $275





23 **MAILER, Norman. THE NAKED AND THE DEAD.** A Novel. N.Y. Rinehart and Company, Inc. 1948. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 719pp. Dustjacket covered in plastic. Near Fine copy. 1st ed. Publisher's ephemera Inserted. ***Norman Mailer's novel, 'The Naked & the Dead' is a devastating antiwar novel published during the early days of the emerging Cold War.*** $450



24 **MORLEY, John. (Series Editor.). ENGLISH MEN OF LETTERS.** Dickens, Scott, Byron, Bacon, Cowper, Locke, Milton, Macaulay, Thackeray, Landor, Burns, Sidney, Shelley, Lamb. Sheridan Bunyan. Swift, Hawthorne, Goldsmith. (19 Volume Set). Lond. Macmillan & Co. 1886 - 1889. Uniformlybound by Mudie in half calf with raised bands, the spines gilt decorated. Marbled paper sides. Endpapers & all edges marbled. Various pagination. Very good uniform set in various editions. ***John Morley produced 39 brief biographical volumes on English authors.*** $1,200

25 **NEW NATURALIST SERIES.** Fifteen Volumes in this Series. All very good copies with dustjackets. Lond. Collins. 1949 to 1980's. A list of titles is available on request. The collection $240

26 **THE NEW TESTAMENT OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST**. Newly translated out of the Original Greeke: Appointed to be read in churches. Imprinted at London by Benham Norton and John Bill, Printers to the Kings most Excellent Majestie. 1630. Bound with **THE WHOLE BOOK OF PSALMS.** Collected into English meeter by Thomas Sternhold and John Hopkins. with Notes to sing them withall. 1629. Bound in modern full morocco gilt. unpag,98pp. A very good copy. Scarce. $1,200





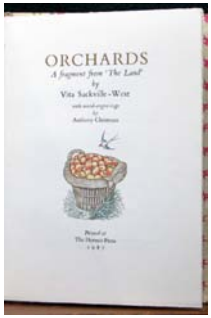
27 **SACKVILLE-WEST, Vita. HERITAGE.** Lond. W. Collins Sons & Co. Ltd. 1919. Or.cl. 250pp. Light fading to cloth at spine. Bookplate on front pastedown. Original dj cover pasted to ffe. Very good copy. 1st ed. ***The author's own copy of her first novel with the bookplate "One of the Books of Victoria Sackville-West. Knole. Sevenoaks." Knole was the family estate of the English diplomat, Baron Sackville.*** $250



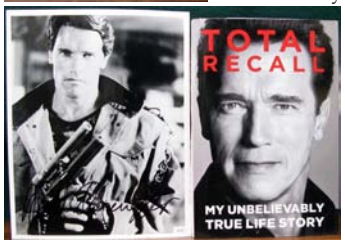
28 **SACKVILLE-WEST, Vita. NURSERY RHYMES.** An Essay. Illustrated by Philippe Jullian. Lond. Michael Joseph Ltd. 1947. Or.cl. Dustjacket. 70pp. Dustjacket covered in plastic. With pink illustrations. Very good copy. 1st Trade Edition. Scarce. ***Baroness***

Sackville-West explores the stories behind some of England's favourite nursery rhymes, such as Little Miss Muffet, Simple Simon & Cock Robin. $175

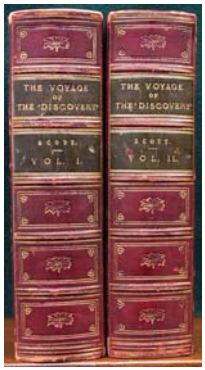
29 **SACKVILLE-WEST, Vita. ORCHARDS.** A Fragment from 'The Land'. With Wood-Engravings by Anthony Christmas. Derbyshire. The Hermit Press. 1987. Col. ill.bds. Dustjacket. 4pp. b/w ills. Very good copy. ***Number 99 of 250 copies printed by The Hermit Press on an 1834 Imperial Press machine.*** Scarce. A poem about orchards and cider by Vita Sackville-West which was a poem first published in 1921. Reprinted here as an illustrated limited edition stand-alone poem with engravings by Anthony Christmas. $135



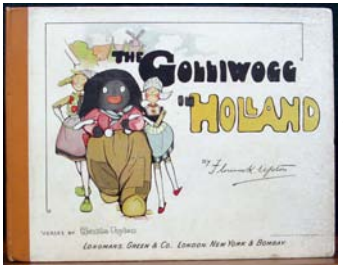
30 **SCHWARZENEGGER, Arnold. TOTAL RECALL.** My Unbelievably True Life Story. With Peter Petre. N.Y. Simon & Schuster. 2012. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 646pp. col & b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. ***With an inserted b/w photograph of Arnold Schwarzenegger signed by him.*** Arnold Schwarzenegger began lifting weights at the age of 15 & won the Mr.Universe bodybuilding championship at the age of 20. After being cast as Conan the Barbarian in 1982 his career in film began. $195

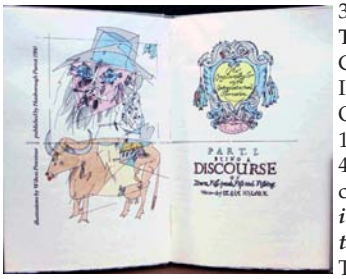


31 **SCOTT, Capt. Robert F. THE VOYAGE OF THE DISCOVERY.** In Two Volumes. Lond. Smith, Elder & Co. 1905. Bound in full calf with gilt-decorated spines, foredge & cover boarders. (sl foxing) With b/w plates. Volume 1. 2nd Edition. Volume 2 1st ed. Binding sl.rubbed else a Very good set. ***An account of British National Antarctic Expedition of 1901 to 1904 under the leadership of Captain Robert Falcon Scott on the barque-rigged steamship the RRS Discovery.*** $450



32 **UPTON, Florence. THE GOLLIWOG IN HOLLAND.** Verses by Bertha Upton. Lond. Longmans, Green & Co. 1904. Oblong Folio. Or.qt.cl. & col.ill. bds. ***Profusely illustrated in colour and black & white with delightful golliwog illustrations.*** Boards sl rubbed else a very good copy. 1st ed. Very Scarce. The continuing story of Bertha & Florence Upton's children's toy adventurer finds the hand-sewn doll in Holland, a land of windmills & tulips & lots of Dutch toys. $330





33 **WALTON, Isaac. THE COMPLEAT ANGLER.** Or the Contemplative Man's Recreation. Illustrations by Wilton Priestner. Oxford. Hanborough Parrot Press. 1990. Original Illustrated Boards. 45pp. col & b/w ills. Very good copy. ***Number 4 of 25 hand-coloured illustrations signed & numbered by the illustrator, Wilton Priestner.*** The Hanborough Parrot Press was founded by Dennis Hall in 1980 in Oxford. Hall had studied under the English artist Edward Bawden at the Royal College of Art & sold books through a mail order catalogue. $175

PRIME MINISTERIAL AUTOGRAPHS

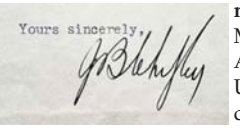
Documents or books signed by those who had served as Australian Prime Ministers at least once, though Forde's tenure was the shortest ever.

34 **ABBOTT, Tony. BATTLELINES.** Melb. Melbourne University Press. 2009. 8vo. Col.Ill.wrapps. 210pp. Fine. 1st ed. ***Inscribed by Tony Abbott.*** Liberal Party leader and parliamentary pugilist, Tony Abbot offers a frank analysis of the way forward for the Liberal Party. Offering his views on Malcolm Turnbull, Julia Gillard, & Kevin Rudd. $60

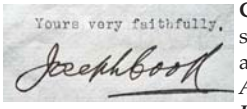
35 **BRUCE, Stanley. (Viscount Bruce of Melbourne) TYPED LETTER ON PRIME MINISTERIAL NOTEPAPER DATED 2ND DECEMBER 1925.** He writes of his "..condemnation of the attitude of those people who advocate the secession of Tasmania from the Federation". ***Signed by Bruce.*** Bruce was the 8th Prime Minister of Australia 1923-1929. $300



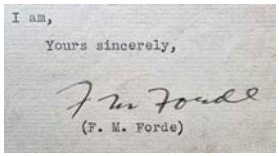
36 **CHIFLEY, J.B. Typed letter on Commonwealth Treasury notepaper dated 19th February 1942.** To M.A.Callard, the Acting Secretary of the Amalgamated Clothing and Allied Trade Union, thanking him for the Union's desire to subscribe 10,000 pounds to the Commonwealth Liberty Loan. ***Signed in ink "J.B.Chifley".*** Ben Chifley was Australian PM from 13th July, 1945 to 19th December, 1949. $450



37 **COOK, Joseph. SIGNATURE IN INK OF JOSEPH COOK CUT FROM A LETTER.** Typed line above the signature "Yours very faithfully" followed by a clear signature. ***Joseph Cook was the sixth Australian Prime Minster serving from 24th June 1913 until 24th June 1914.*** $240



38 **FORDE, F.M. TYPED LETTER ON MINISTER FOR THE ARMY NOTEPAPER DATED 18th October 1941.** To M.A.Callard, the Acting Secretary of the Amalgamated Clothing and Allied Trade Union, thanking him for the Union's congratulating him on his accession to



Cabinet rank. ***Signed in ink "F.M.Forde".*** Forde was Australia's 14th Australian Prime Minister and had the shortest tenure of any PM. He was PM for only 8 days, from 6th July to 13th July 1945. He became caretaker PM following the death of John Curtin. $400

39 **FRASER, Malcolm. COMMON GROUND.** Issues that should bind & not divide us. Melb. Viking. 2002. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 267pp. Fine. 1st ed. ***Signed by Malcolm Fraser.*** The views of a previous Prime Minister of Australia. $75

40 **FRASER, Malcolm. TYPED LETTER ON MINISTER FOR THE ARMY NOTEPAPER, SIGNED. DATED 20th July 1966.** To Lady Spooner expressing his condolences on the death of Senator Spooner. **Fraser has written in ink "Dear Lady Spooner" and has signed the letter, also in ink.** $150

41 GILLARD, Julia. MY STORY. North Sydney. Knopf. 2014. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 504pp. col & b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. ***Signed by the author who was Australia's first woman Prime Minister.*** Julia Gillard was born in Wales in 1961, & after suffering bronchopneumonia, her parents moved to Australia. She entered parliament in 1998, & served in several portfolios before becoming PM in 2010. $100

42 **HAWKE, R.J. SIGNATURE IN INK ON AN AUSTRALIA DAY 1982 POSTAL FIRST DAY COVER.** (16x9cm) Stamped *"First Day of Issue 20 Jan 1982 at St.Agnes in South Australia."* Fine. Pencilled note on verso *"Autographed 23.2.83, Adelaide"*. ***Hawke was Prime Minister from 11th March, 1983 until 20th December 1991.*** $150

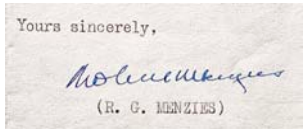


43 **HOLT, Harold. (PM 26 Jan, 1966 - 17 Dec, 1967.) ISSUE OF LIFE AUSTRALIA FOR JANUARY 8, 1968, DEALING WITH THE LOSS OF HOLT PRESUMABLY BY DROWNING IN HEAVY SURF OFF CHEVIOT BEACH ON 17TH DECEMBER 1967 AND ALSO HIS FUNERAL ON DECEMBER 22 AT ST.PAUL'S CATHEDRAL IN MLBOURNE.** ***With the signature of Harold Holt on a separately inserted card.*** Folio with colour illustrated wrappers, the report is 6 pages with many photographs. The US President, Lyndon B.Johnson, attended the funeral and he is shown in one of the photographs. In this issue Maxwell Newton writes that Holt's death precipitated the most serious political crisis in Australia since the end of WWII, a confrontation between the Liberal and Country Parties. $300



44 **HOWARD, John. LAZARUS RISING.** A Personal and Political Autobiography. Syd. Harper Collins Publishers. 2010. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 711pp. col & b/w plates. Very good copy. 1st ed. ***Inscribed by the author.*** John Howard spent decades under media scrutiny & while his political credentials are beyond dispute, in this personal journey he takes us from his childhood in post-war Earlwood to the Lodge. $100

45 **MENZIES, R.G. TYPED LETTER ON PRIME MINISTERIAL NOTEPAPER, SIGNED. DATED 8th October 1962.** To Alexander Macdonald, Chairman of the Luncheon Committee of the Journalist's Club, regretting his inability to attend a lunch to commemorate Australian Book Week. Menzies has written **"Dear Mr Macdonald" in ink and has signed the letter, also in ink. There is a further handwritten note "You are my favourite columnist. Good luck to you. R.G." Menzies** was Australian Prime Minister 1939-1941 and 1949-1966. $395



46 **McMAHON, Sir William. SIGNATURE IN INK ON AN AUSTRALIA DAY 1981 POSTAL FIRST DAY COVER.** (16x9cm) Stamped *"First Day of Issue 21 Jan 1981 at Blair Athol in South Australia."* Fine. ***Sir William was Australian Prime Minister from 1971 to 1972.*** $120

47 **REID Sir George H., L.C. K.C.M.G PROGRAMME AND MENU FOR THE FAREWELL DINNER INSCRIBED BY REID.** New South Wales Masonic Club, Sydney. Burlington Cafe, George St, Sydney. Tuesday 6th January, 1914. Card with the logo of the Club in gilt and colour (25x19cm folded) The fold has been repaired with repair tape else very good. ***Inscribed in pencil by Sir George "Good luck G.H.Reid 6/1/14".*** Sir George Reid was the fourth Australian Prime Minister (from 18th August 1904 until 5th July 1905) and the twelfth Premier of New South Wales (from 3rd August 1894 until 13th September 1899). $300



48 **RUDD, Kevin. ON XI JINPING.** How Xi's Nationalism is Shaping China and the World. N.Y. OUP. 2024. Or.bds. Dustjacket. 604pp. Pristine copy. 1st ed. ***Signed by Kevin Rudd on a plate affixed to the title page.*** Rudd was Prime Minister from 3rd December 2007 until 24th June 2010, and again from 27th June 2013 until 18th September 2013. $250

49 **SCULLIN, James. (PM 22nd October 1929 until 6th January 1932) PREMIERS' CONFERENCE, JUNE 1931, MELBOURNE.** Quarto sheet of legislative Council Victoria notepaper signed in ink by the major attendees. The conference adopted the "Premier's Plan" a severe economic deflationary strategy designed to guide Australia through the Great Depression. ***The signatories were the then Prime Minister James Scullin, the Federal Treasurer Ted Theodore, the NSW Premier Jack Lang*** as well as the Premiers and Treasurers of other states, and J.G.Latham, then Deputy leader of the Opposition in Victoria, who later became the Chief Justice of the High Court of Australia. A full list of signatories is available on request. ***An important historical document.*** $800

