



Rare Books, Manuscripts, Maps & Photographs (694)

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Scotland Collection of antiquarian and topographical books, mainly Scotland-related, 17th-19th century

including:

Napier, John, of Merchiston. A Plaine Discoverie of the Whole Revelation of St John. Edinburgh: Andro Wilson, 1645. Fifth edition ('corrected and amended'), 4to (18.1 x 13.8cm), 19th-century half calf, rebacked, browning and damp-staining, errata leaf discarded [ESTC R209880];

Grose, Francis The Antiquities of Scotland. London: Hooper & Wigstead, 1797. Folio, contemporary half calf, rebacked with original spine laid down (front joint partly cracked), engraved title-page with vignette, 185 engraved plates (of 191), without text and map, marginal spotting;

Hogg, James. The Jacobite relics of Scotland: being the Songs, Airs and Legends, of the Adherents to the House of Stuart. Edinburgh: William Blackwood, 1819-21. First edition, 2 volumes, 8vo (21 x 13cm), contemporary green calf gilt;

[Erskine, John]. The Principles of the Law of Scotland. Edinburgh: John Balfour, 1764. 8vo (19.7 x 12.5cm), contemporary calf, [ESTC T84162: 10 copies world-wide];

Colvil, Samuel. The Whigs Supplication, or, the Scotch-Hudibras. A Mock-Poem. Glasgow: Robert Urie, 1751. First edition under this title, 8vo (15 x 9.5cm), contemporary sheep, spotting, front inner hinge tender [ESTC T140222];

Dreghorn, John Maclaurin, Lord. Arguments and Decisions, in Remarkable Cases, before the High Court of Justiciary, and other Supreme Courts, in Scotland. Edinburgh: for J. Bell, 1774. First edition, 4to (25.7 x 20cm), front joint cracked [ESTC T94367];

Mackenzie, Sir George. The Laws and Customs of Scotland, in Matters Criminal. Edinburgh: heirs and successors of Andrew Anderson, 1699. Folio, 20th-century half calf, title-page crudely repaired [ESTC R19368];

Hamilton, James George Hamilton, Duke of. Memorial ... against the Person pretending to be Archibald Stewart, alias Douglas. [Edinburgh?]: [no publisher], 1767. 9 parts in 1 volume, 4to, 19th-century half morocco, front cover detached [ESTC T118950];

Britton, John. Graphical and Literary Illustrations of Fonthill Abbey, Wiltshire. With heraldic and genealogical notices of the Beckford family. London: printed for the author, 1823. First edition, apparently one of 30 large-paper copies with 'proofs and etchings' (there were also 270 standard large-paper copies and 500 small-paper copies), 4to, original boards (printed label to front, with contemporary annotation 'Proofs and etchings'), half-title, 14 engraved plates numbered 1-10 (all marked 'proof', plates 3-6 each present in two states; plates 9-10 hand-coloured aquatints); tissue-guards, bookplate ('Anna Maria Powell, Sarum ... 1824', a Richard Powell M. D. recorded in the list of subscribers for a

large-paper copy), front board detached, marginal spotting;
Rabelais, François. The Works ... done out of French, by
Sir Thomas Urchard [sic], Knight, Mr. Motteux, and others.
London: James Woodward, 1708. 2 volumes, 8vo,
contemporary panelled calf, portrait frontispiece to the first
volume [ESTC T52476];
and 4 others: John Slezer, *Theatrum Scotiae*, Edinburgh:
William Paterson, 1874, first edition, one of 250 copies, large
folio, 69 facsimile plates (including one double-page prospect
of Edinburgh), the additional plate to the list of 68 being the
plans of Thirlestane Castle, coloured coat of arms on the title-
page, numerous other coloured coats of arms separately
printed and mounted as headpieces, lacking spine and front
board, rear board detached; Francisque-Michel, *A Critical
Inquiry into the Scottish Language*, 1882, one of 500 copies,
spine worn; John Anderson, *Historical and Genealogical
Memoirs of the House of Hamilton*, 1825, front inner hinge
gone; *Archaeological scotica*, Volume IV, Part First, 1831), the
lot sold as seen (17)