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274 EARLY ENGLISH PRINTING .- [The Primer in Englishe and Laten set oute at lengthe with the Exposicion of MISERERE, and IN TE DOMINE SPERAVI, and with the Epistles and Gospels thorowe all the whole yere], 16mo, a fragment of 92 leaves between folios XXI. and CXXX., some torn and others defective in the margins, gothic letter, in RED and BLACK, with WOODCUTS, old sheep, Earl of Ashburnham's copy, 5 guineas

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Early English Printing, 1554, bound by Bedford.

275 GOWER (John) De Confessione Amantis (in Verse), sm. folio, PRINTED BY BERTHE-LETTE, Double Column, black letter, a remarkably fine, large, and perfect coff, ilin. by 8in., (Title, Ded., Pref., and Table 6 ll., Text 191 folios), bound in Dark Green Morocco, line tooled, with Thistles and Laureate Wreath in centre of sides, gilt edges, by Bedford, 11 guineas

Imprinted in Flete Strete by T. Berthelette. 1554

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276 [ROLLEWINCK (Werner)] FASCICULIS TEMPORUM, Folio, gothic letter (margins soiled in places and a few early ll. slightly repaired), 33 woodcuts of Towns, Personages, etc., and 248 of escutcheons, the latter all COLOURED by a contemporary, also the floral borders and large initials on rectos of 2nd and 9th folios, old scored calf, brass corner pieces, clasps and fittings, 5 guineas

Utrecht, Joh. Veldener, 1480 Recto of fol. 1 blank; reverse occupied by Veldener's grand woodcut device surrounded by that part of St. John's Gospel in Dutch usually said at the close of the Mass. Preface begins on opposite page preceded by a large woodcut G and within an elaborate border; ends on ro. of f. 4, on the reverse of which Table commences, and ends on folio 8b. A woodcut of Christ precedes the text on the next page, and it is within a border somewhat similar to that before mentioned. Colophon on Fol. 338 (numbered cccxxx) Hier Eyndet dat Boeck dat men hiet fasciculis temporum in hondential of the state of the stat de die Cro | nijcken van ouden Tijden Als van dat die werst eerst ghescapen is Ende van dat Adam ende Eua eerst ghemaect worden totter gheboert xpristi toe..... By my volmaect jan veldenar woennende tutrecht opten dam jaer ons he- | ren Mcccclxxx op sinte valentijns dach op die vastelavont. Veldener's Mark is here repeated, time coloured. The numeration begins on fol. 10 with ij, and ends on 338 with cccxxx. Neither signatures nor catchwords are used.

Quaritch's price 7 guineas, and another West End bookseller prices one £10 108

277 ARISTOTELIS. - LIBER THOPICORUM, folio, fine bold Gothic letter, margins little waterstained, large woodcut initials, UNUSUALLY TALL COPY, SOME OF THE EDGES IN THE ORIGINAL ROUGH STATE, boards, vellum back, £2 5s

Augustæ, Amb. Keller, 1479 An extremely rare edition, unknown to Hain and the majority of other bibliographers. The text commences on r. of the first leaf immediately beneath the words Primus Liber Thopicos um Aristotelis Incipit feliciter, and continues without interruption to r. of f. 79, where it ends with

Colophon as follows :-

Finit liber octavus et ultimus Thopico rum analeticoru arestotilis. Impressus per Ambrosiu Keller in regia civitate Augusta Hnno ab incarnatione due Millesima qua= dringentissimo septuagesimono. In die Sancte Vrsule Vginis. Pro q fine sit laus rpo.

Folios without numbers or catchwords, 33-35 lines per page. Both the initials and ordinary type are of an extraordinary and unusual cast, and the whole production carries with it every characteristic of the very earliest presses.

278 AUGUSTINUS. - Fol. 1 a Incipiūt Omelie beati Augustini et pmo de eo qd psalmista ait. Quis est homo qui vult vitam et cupit videre dies bonos, sm. 4to, Garly Gothic Letter, Initials by hand in VERMILION, half calf, gill, FINE COPY, £1 10s sine nota [Colon., Ulr. Zeil, ca. 1470]

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279 Bebeliana Opuscula nova et Florulenta necnon et adolescentie labores librique Facetiarum cum multis additionibus luculentis, sm. 4to, Roman type, large WOODCUT DEVICE of G. Vivien on title, stain in corner of first few leaves; old brown stamped calf binding, back repaired, 17/6

Paris, ex ad. N. de Pratis, 1516 Facetiæ, Adagia Germanorum, Prognosticon, Carmina, &c. 280 Champier.—SIMPHORIANI CHAMPERII de triplici disciplina cuius partes sunt Philosophia Naturalis, Medicina, Theologia, Moralis Philosophia integrantes quadruvium, thk. sm. 4to, Gothic type (little wormed), woodcuts of the Crucifixion, and initials, writing on title, oak bds. covered with pigskin, clasps, 12/-Lugd., 1508 ine piece of contemporary binding, stamped with female es in panels, and roll border.

281 Comestoris (Pet.) HISTORIA SCHOL-ASTICA Sacre Scripture seriem brevem nimis et obscura elucidans sm. 4to, gothic letter, double column, device on title, woodcut initials,

half calf, gilt, m.e., 15/-

Parisiis, Jehan Frellon, 1513 282 FASCICULUS TEMPORUM [auct. WERN. ROLEWINCK]: with many curious woodcuts throughout the text, 2 of Christ, the remainder chiefly Views of Cities, also numerous diagrams to illustrate the chronological succession of Historical Events (wants 4 last ll.), [Venet., Ratdolt, 1480]
-- DEFENSORIUM seu Correctorium Fundamentarii Doctoris Dom, Egidii In Corruptoriu librorum Angelici Doctoris sancti THOME AQUINdouble column, woodcut initials: Venetiis, 1516; together in I vol., solio, old calf (rubbed, and back case cracking), £2 2s Venet., 1480—1516

The Fasciculus Temporum is that described by Hain
6926, which was printed by RATDOLT at Venice in 1480, containing 7 unnumbered and 68 numbered folios. It contains the Views of Rome, Cologne, Venice, Tower of Babel,

Solomon's Temple, Jerusalem, &c.
The other work, by Guil. De La Mare, is in a type somewhat similar to the first named but much blacker; at the end it has 'the work of Octavian Scott, by whose heirs it was printed.'

283 Hieroclis Philosophi in aureos versus pythagoras, sm. 4to, fragment of 54 leaves. Roman letter, boards, leather back, auto. of J. PAYNE COLLIER, 8/6 (Patavii, Barth. Valde Loccho, 1474) The rare first edition of the Latin translation by J. Aurispa: according to Brunet there should be 91 folios in

all, 24 lines per page.
284 NATALIBUS (Petrus de) CATALOGUS SANCTORUM et Gestorum eorum ex diversio voluminibus collectus (Vitas passiones et miracula

Commodissime annectens), 4to, gothic letter, double column, ABOUT 400 WOODCUTS, a few coloured, and a few wormholes and some margins mended in the text; title in red and black, device in red, half calf, £2 15s

Lugd., Jacob Saccon, 1519 The woodcuts are many of them very curious; those of the self-inflicted punishments especially so.

285 Passio dive Agnetis Virginis a sancto Ambrosio conscripta ATHELMI Presb., Oratio Damasceni ad Christū optimum maximum matutina meridiana et vespertina, sm. 4to, gothic letter, curious cut of the Saint on title (contemporary notes in the margins, etc., and 2 ll. little torn), paper wrappers, 8/6

Daventrie, Alberti Pafraet, 1515
The woodcut represents the full-length figure of the Virgin Saint, the hair-covered body partly covered by a cloak, and in the right hand three large stones; landscape Reverse of title blank: text commences recto of f. 2 and ends ro. of f. 8.—Excusum Daventrie opera Alberti Pafraet Anno a Virgines partu MDxv mēse Februarii. Sigs. A and B in fours, folios unnumbered,

31 lines to a page.

286 Plutarchi Libellus de Virtute Morali Hadriensium Duce Interprete, folio, ROMAN LETTER (some margins little water-stained), woodcut diagrams, half calf, back edges cracked, Neapoli, Ant. de Fritiis, 1526 From the Earl of Ashburnham's Collection, and with

the E. of Guildford's bookplate.

287 Salernita (And.) BELLUM GRAMMATI-CALE, sm. 4to, Roman type, woodent title with lettering in red, MS. notes in margins, neat bis.,

1/- Lugd., J. M. Calcographum, 1519 288 TATARETUS (Petrus) Clarissima singularisque totius philosophie necnon metaphisice Aristotelis, sm. folio (names erased from title, and badly stained in places). Sothic letter, double column, old limp vellum, 25/-

(Lugd.) Nic. Wo ff, 1500 A rare edition of which Hain (15345) had never seen a copy; contains 146 numbered and 3 unnumbered folios, 61-2 lines to a column.

EARLY WOODCUTS.

289 HROSVITA.—Opera Hrosvite illustris Virginis et monialis. Germanicæ gente SAXONICA ORTÆ NUPER A CONRADA CELTE INVENTA. Panegyricus versus hexametro in laudem et gesto Oddonis magni, etc., sm. folio, 4 Large and Beautiful Woodcuts the FULL-SIZE OF THE PAGE, attributed to Albert Durer, slightly wormed, and wants 4 leaves (I., IV., V. and X), orig. oak boards, VERY RARE, £3 18s Norunburge, Sodalitatis Celtica, 1501

The letters A. P. which appear at the end of the volume stand for Ædibus Pirckheimerianis. The Palace of the Nürnberg patrician, Durer's friend and patron, was made the club and printing-house of the Society, called the Sodalitas Literaris, founded at Worms, also named Celtica Sodalitas, after Konrad Celtes, he being considered the greatest genius of the club, and to have deserved honour by his discovery of Hrosvita.

290 TERENTIUS.—Guidonis Juvenalis natione Cenomani in Terentium familiarissima interptatio cu figuris unicuique scænæ præpositis. 4to, (title mounted, corners of some leaves defective and the margins scribbled on in places), woodcut on the title, of the commentator sealed at work in his library, followed by a large number throughout the text, CONTEMPORARY BLIND STAMPED LYONESE BINDING, calf, double border round both sides formed of male and female semi-grotesque heads and arabesques, slightly restored, RARE, 18 guineas Lugd. Joh. Trechsel, 1493

Notwithstanding the voluminous commentary that frames the text on every page, we should not hesitate in assigning the dominating interest in this volume to the woodcuts present in such unusual numbers. They form some of the finest examples of the earliest work of the French school, and moreover it is here that we have for the first time an illustration to every scene of every play. The execution is peculiar. At the rear of the stage there is always an arrangement of pillars hung with curtains. Over the space between each is plainly inscribed the name of some character in the Play, and near each person on the stage is a label bearing the name of the character in large letters, but usually abbreviated. The positions on entering and afterwards are indicated by the persons being represented. Then of course the costume has an interest quite its own.

Roman letter, without catchwords, or folios numbered, 46 lines to a full page, the colophon on QIIII: Impressum est hoc opus Cura atque impensis Magistri Johannis Trechsel. In civitate Lugdunensi. Anno MCCCCXCIII. ad quatrum kalendas septēbrias; the printer's mark in red is on verso of QvII. Hain 15424. From the Earl of Ashburnham's Collection.

EARLY WOODCUTS—Continued.

291 PLINII SECUNDII (C.) VIROS ILLUSTRES nunc primum decentibus figuris parisiis illustratos cum dominici machanei que doctissimis commentariis. Aldus Pius Mannutius hunc libellum ex Plinii officina prodijsse in sequenti pagina ostendit, sm. 4to, Roman type, two sizes, fine full-page woodcut, and 74 woodcut Portraits within scrolls, boards, VERY RARE, £2 18s

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292 EGAN (Pierce) Life in London: Day and Night Scenes of Jerry Hawthorn, Esq., his elegant Friend CORINTHIAN TOM, and BOB LOGIC the Oxonian, and their Rambles and Sprees through the Metropolis, FINE ORIGINAL IMPRESSIONS OF THE 36 HUMOROUS Coloured Plates by G. and R. Cruikshank, many woodcuts by the same, and Folding Plates of Music, 1st Edn., roy. 8vo, fine, clean, uncut copy, half morocco (slightly rubbed), VERY RARE IN THIS BEAUTIFUL STATE, £7 15s

294 Electricity. - AYRTON (W. E.) Practical Electricity: or Laboratory and Lecture Course for first year Students of Electrical Engineering, vol. I, CURRENT, PRESSURE, RESISTANCE, ENERGY, POWER, and CELLS, cr. 8vo, 247 illus-

trations, cloth, AS NEW, 3/6 (pub 9s) 1896
295 Eliot (George) Middlemarch, a Study of Provincial Life, 4 vols., cr. 8vo, 1st Edn., half calf, gilt, m.e., 12/6

296 Elzevir. — Gallia, sive de Francorum Regis Dominiis et Opibus Commentarius, 24mo, engraved title, old black morocco, gilt edges, 4/6

Lugd. Bat., 1629 and edition (and most correct) of this date, with 6 prel. ll.

297 Elzevir.—Heinsius (Dan.) De Tragædiæ constitutione Liber: in quo inter cætera tota de hac Aristotelis sententia dilucide explicatur; cui et Aristotelis De Poëtica libellus.....accedit, sm. 8vo, solitaire mark, wrapping vellum, 12/6

Lugd, Bat. ex Offic. Elseviriana, 1643 Quaritch prices a copy of the same edition and the same

size (130 mill) 2 guineas.

298 Elzevir.—OWEN (J.) Epigrammatum: Ed. postrema, correct., et posthumis quibus. adaucta, 24mo, port. and engr. title, margins little discoloured, calf, 4/6 Amst., Lud. Elzev., 1647 With fleuron at head of first page and x in centre inter-laced with triangle.

299 Emblems. —ALCIATUS (And.) Emblemata: cum. CL. MINOIS Divionensis ad eadem Commentariis, sm. 8vo (title mounted, little stained in places), 210 curious emblematic woodcuts, calf, antique, red edges, 25/-

Lugd. Bat. ex Offic. Plantiniana, 1591 The Plantin editions are highly esteemed both for the fine woodcuts and the regular Roman and Italic type in

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300 Emblems.—Haefteno (B.) Schola Cordis, sive adversi a Deo Cordis, ad eumdem reductio et instructio, thk. sm. 8vo, many pretty Emblematic plates, old calf, 3/6 Antwerp, 1699

301 Emblems.—Jac. Catzii Silenus Alcibiadis sive Proteus humanæ vitæ ideam, Emblemate trifariam variato, oculis subjiciens: editio altera ac auctior, sm. 4to (sigs. AIV and JIV missing), many full-page emblematic copperplates, old calf, Amst., 1620 4/6 The text is in French, Dutch, and Latin.

301A Emblems.—Sambucius (Joan.) Em-BLEMATA, et aliquot nummi Antiqui operis: altera editio, cum emend. et auctario copioso ipsius auctoris .- HADRIANI JUNII EMBLEMATA; eius. Enigmatum Libellus. Together in I volume, sm. 8vo (slightly waterstained towards

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(or Le Jeune) is more sought after than those of earlier date.—(See Brunet.)

302 Emblems.—Weigelius (Christ.) Ethica Naturalis seu Documenta Moralia e variis rerum Naturalium propriet. virtutum vitiorumque symbolicis imaginibus, folio, 100 emblematic copperplates, with Latin and German description in verse beneath each, half calf (rubbed), 8/6 (17-)

Title without date, place, or publisher's name followed by the plates without numeration, catchwords or signatures.

303 English Cyclopædia : A New Dictionary of Universal Knowledge, conducted by CHAS. KNIGHT-ARTS AND SCIENCES, 8 vols., Suppt. 2-BIOGRAPHY, 6, Suppt. I-GEOGRAPHY, 4, NATURAL HISTORY, 4, Suppt. I-Index, I vol. (cloth), together 28 vols., 4to, hundreds of illustrations, half calf, gilt, sprinkled edges, NICE SET, 17/6 A BARGAIN 1854-62

The 304 Etching. — HAMERTON (P. G.) Etcher's Handbook, giving account of the old Process, and of the Process recently discovered, cr. 8vo, etchings by the author, cloth, 4/6 1881

305 Etchings. - 16 by Chr. Challon BRETON INTERIORS with PEASANTS and child 8vo and 4to, neatly arranged in small folio scrap

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