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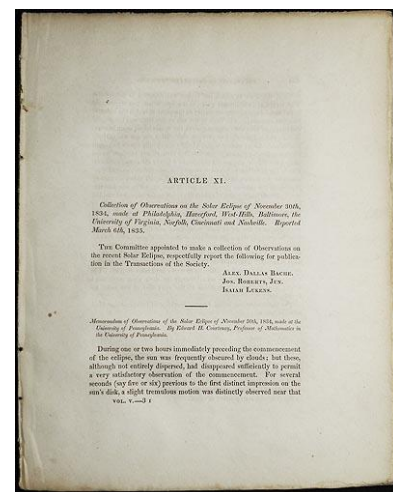
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1. Bache, Alexander Dallas; Courtenay, Edward H. **On the Relative Horizontal Intensities of terrestrial Magnetism at several Places in the United States, with the Investigation of Corrections for Temperature, and Comparisons of the Methods of Oscillation in Full and in Rarefied Air** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XXVIII]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 428-457, [1] p.: tables; 29 cm.

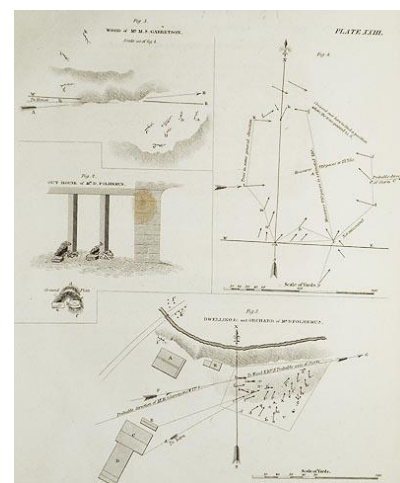
Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on May 6, 1836. Alexander Dallas Bache (1806-1867), great-grandson of Benjamin Franklin, taught engineering at West Point; served in the United States Army Corps of Engineers; taught natural philosophy and chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania; and was superintendent of the United States Coast Survey. Edward H. Courtenay (1803-1853) was a professor of mathematics at the University of Pennsylvania; a civil engineer involved in the construction of Ft. Independence at Boston harbor; and professor of mathematics at the University of Virginia. In Very Good+ Condition: disbound from a larger volume, but solid; foxing; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005030) \$65.00

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2. Bache, Alexander Dallas. **Collection of Observations on the Solar Eclipse of November 30th, 1834, made at Philadelphia, Haverford, West-Hills, Baltimore, the University of Virginia, Norfolk, Cincinnati and Nashville [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XI].** Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. Report by a committee appointed to make a collection of observations on the total solar eclipse of Nov. 30, 1834: Alex. Dallas Bache, Jos. Roberts, Jun., and Isaiah Lukens. [1], 234-247, [1] p.: tables; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on March 6, 1835. The observations were recorded by: Edward H. Courtenay at the University of Pennsylvania; Joseph Roberts, Jr., at Friends' Observatory, 4th St., Philadelphia; S.C. Walker at Philadelphia and Germantown; A.D. Bache of the meteorological conditions; J. Gummere at Haverford School; F.R. Hassler at West-Hills, Long Island; Lewis Brantz at Baltimore; R.M. Patterson at the University of Virginia; Captain A. Talcott at Norfolk, Virginia; Elisha Dwelle at Cincinnati; and James Hamilton at Nashville. In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005013) \$35.00



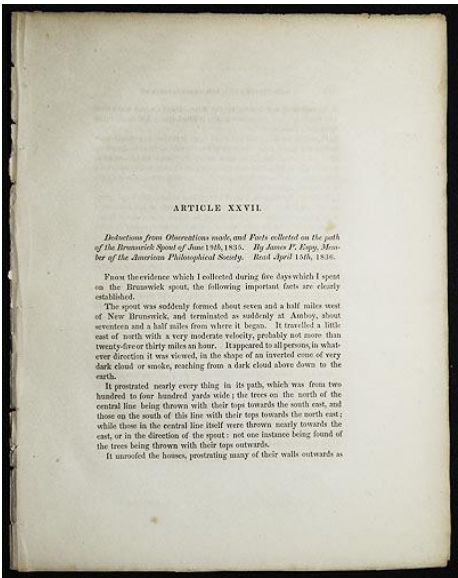
3. Bache, Alexander Dallas. **Notes and Diagrams, illustrative of the Directions of the Forces acting at and near the surface of the Earth, in different parts of the Brunswick Tornado of June 19th 1835** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XXVI]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 408-417, [3] p., 2 leaves of engraved plates (containing 7 illustrations); 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. This article by Alexander Dallas Bache (1806-1867) was read before the Society on April 2, 1836. In Near Fine- Condition: disbound from a larger volume, but solid; light foxing; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005028) \$125.00



4. Bache, Alexander Dallas. **On the Diurnal Variation of the Horizontal Needle** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article I]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. 21, [1] p., 3 leaves of engraved plates: tables; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. This article by Alexander Dallas Bache (1806-1867) was read before the Society on Nov. 16, 1832. In Very Good+ Condition: disbound from a larger volume, but solid; light foxing, primarily in the margins of the text; the leaves of plates are browning and more heavily foxed; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005003) \$125.00

Table of Mean Variation and Temperature from noon of August 29th to noon of September 7th, 1832.									
Hour.	N. Pole W.	No. of Obs.	Temp. Fahr.	No. of Obs.	Hour.	N. Pole W.	No. of Obs.	Temp. Fahr.	No. of Obs.
12 M.	Deg. Min.		Deg.		12 m.	Deg. Min.		Deg.	
1 P.M.	3 23.3	9	71.2	9	1 A.M.	3 29.3	8	63.0	8
2 P.M.	3 24.1	9	72.6	9	2 A.M.	3 28.3	7	61.6	7
3 P.M.	3 24.5	9	73.5	9	3 A.M.	3 28.4	4	60.1	3
4 P.M.	3 24.9	9	73.5	7	4 A.M.	3 27.5	4	57.8	4
5 P.M.	3 24.7	9	74.0	6	5 A.M.	3 26.9	4	57.4	4
6 P.M.	3 24.4	8	73.5	6	6 A.M.	3 26.2	4	57.0	4
7 P.M.	3 20.5	9	70.5	8	7 A.M.	3 25.1	4	58.3	4
8 P.M.	3 22.8	9	68.7	9	8 A.M.	3 20.7	4	63.3	4
9 P.M.	3 25.4	9	66.3	9	9 A.M.	3 20.7	9	65.4	8
10 P.M.	3 27.8	9	64.5	7	10 A.M.	3 19.2	9	66.2	9
11 P.M.	3 27.8	9	63.7	9	11 A.M.	3 20.2	8	67.9	7
	3 28.3	9	63.2	9		3 21.4	7	67.7	8

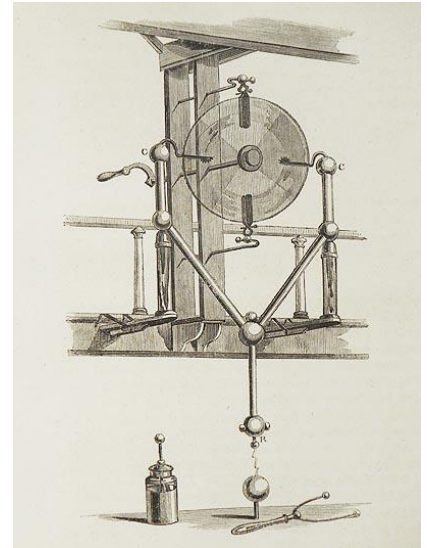
5. Espy, James P. **Deductions from Observations made, and Facts collected on the path of the Brunswick Spout of June 19th 1835** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XXVII]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 422-426 p.; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. This article was read before the Society on April 15, 1836. James P. Espy (1785-1860) was one of the first American meteorologists. In the 1830s he created a network of weather observers in Pennsylvania with support from the legislature to provide equipment to them. In 1836 he began travelling through the United States and Europe lecturing about storm formation. In 1843 he was the first meteorologist named by the United States government. Very scarce. In Very Good Condition: disbound from a larger volume; first leaf is detached but present; clean and bright. (#005029) \$75.00



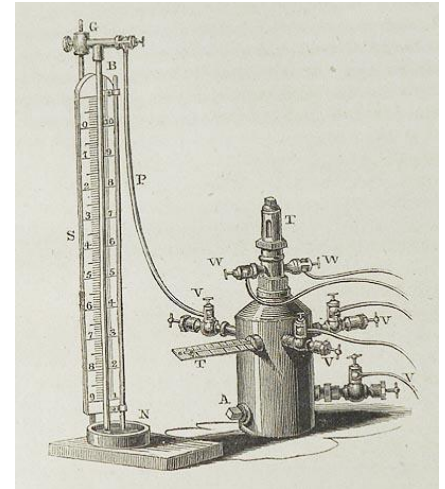
6. Gummere, John. **Practical Rule for Calculating, from the Elements in the Nautical Almanac, the Circumstances of an Eclipse of the Sun, for a Particular Place** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XIII]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 298-317, [1] p.: tables; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on March 6, 1835. John Gummere (1784-1845) taught at Westtown Friends School and ran his own school for boys in Burlington, N.J., before receiving his M.A. from Princeton in 1825; in 1833 he was one of the founders of the Friends' School at Haverford, which became Haverford College, where he taught mathematics. His popular work on surveying has been reprinted many times. In Very Good+ Condition: disbound from a larger volume; light foxing, primarily in margins; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005015) \$35.00

TABLE I. Logarithms x and y. Arg. Latitude of Place.				TABLE II. Values of X and Y for each Degree of Latitude.				TABLE III. Values of u and v. Arg. u for v.			
Arg. Lat. x.	Log. x.	Arg. y.	Log. y.	Lat.	X.	Y.	Lat.	X.	Y.	Arg. u for v.	Arg. v for u.
0°	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0°	1.0000	0.0000	0°	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
1	1.0000	0.0001	0.0001	1	1.0000	0.0001	1	1.0000	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
2	1.0000	0.0002	0.0002	2	1.0000	0.0002	2	1.0000	0.0002	0.0002	0.0002
3	1.0000	0.0003	0.0003	3	1.0000	0.0003	3	1.0000	0.0003	0.0003	0.0003
4	1.0000	0.0004	0.0004	4	1.0000	0.0004	4	1.0000	0.0004	0.0004	0.0004
5	1.0000	0.0005	0.0005	5	1.0000	0.0005	5	1.0000	0.0005	0.0005	0.0005
6	1.0000	0.0006	0.0006	6	1.0000	0.0006	6	1.0000	0.0006	0.0006	0.0006
7	1.0000	0.0007	0.0007	7	1.0000	0.0007	7	1.0000	0.0007	0.0007	0.0007
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9	1.0000	0.0009	0.0009	9	1.0000	0.0009	9	1.0000	0.0009	0.0009	0.0009
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14	1.0000	0.0014	0.0014	14	1.0000	0.0014	14	1.0000	0.0014	0.0014	0.0014
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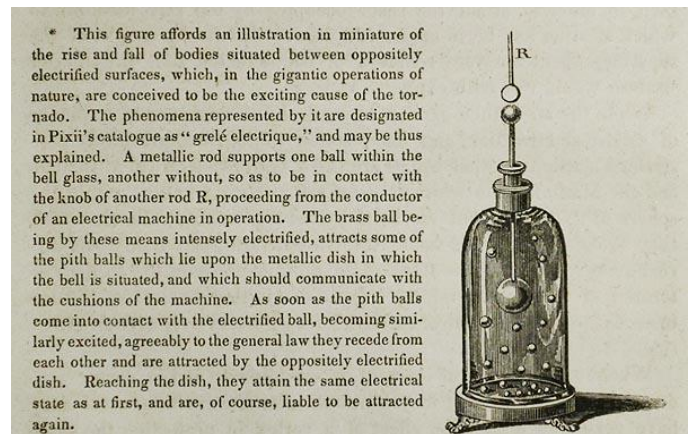
7. Hare, Robert. **Description of an Electrical Machine, with a Plate four feet in diameter, so constructed as to be above the Operator: also of a Battery Discharger employed therewith: and some Observations on the Causes of the Diversity in the Length of the Sparks erroneously distinguished by the terms Positive and Negative** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XX]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 366-373, [1] p., 1 leaf of an engraved plate: 3 in-text illustrations; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Robert Hare (1781-1858), an American chemist, was a professor of chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania and was elected an Associate Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 1824. He invented the calorimeter, the deflagrator, and the oxyhydrogen blowtorch. Late in his life he became a Spiritualist and published *Experimental Investigation of the Spirit Manifestations*. In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005022) \$45.00



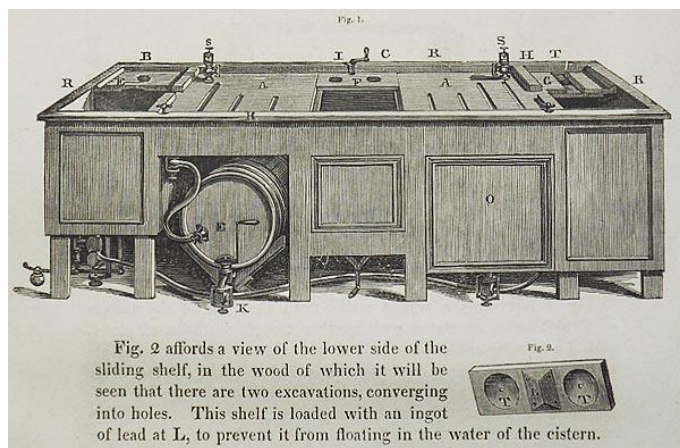
8. Hare, Robert. **Of an Improved Barometer Gage Eudiometer** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XXIII]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 390-394, [1] p., 1 leaf of an engraved plate: 3 in-text illustrations; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005025) \$45.00



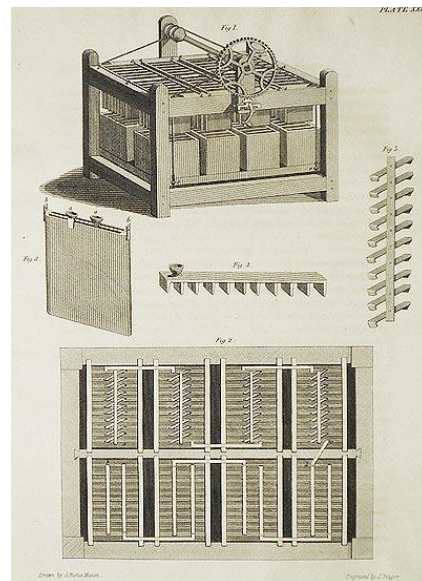
9. Hare, Robert. **On the Causes of the Tornado, or Water Spout** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XXI]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 376-384: 1 in-text illustration; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Includes "Facts and Observations respecting the Tornado which occurred at New Brunswick, New Jersey, in June last, abstracted from a written statement made by James P. Espy." In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005023) \$35.00



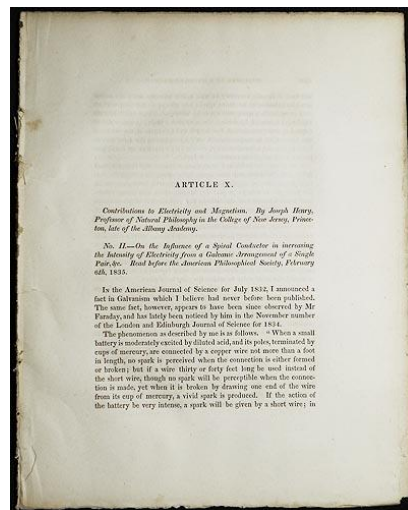
10. Hare, Robert. **Sundry Improvements in Apparatus, or Manipulation** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XXV]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 400-406 p., 1 leaf of an engraved plate: 7 in-text illustrations; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Robert Hare (1781-1858), an American chemist, was a professor of chemistry at the University of Pennsylvania and was elected an Associate Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 1824. Here he presents descriptions and illustrations of several of his inventions. Contents: Improved Cryophorus -- Culinary Paradox, or Ebullition by Cold -- Hydro-Pneumatic Cistern -- Voltaic Series, combining the advantages of the Trough of Cruickshank with those of the Deflagrator -- Combustion of Phosphorus in Nitrous Oxide Gas. In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005027) \$45.00



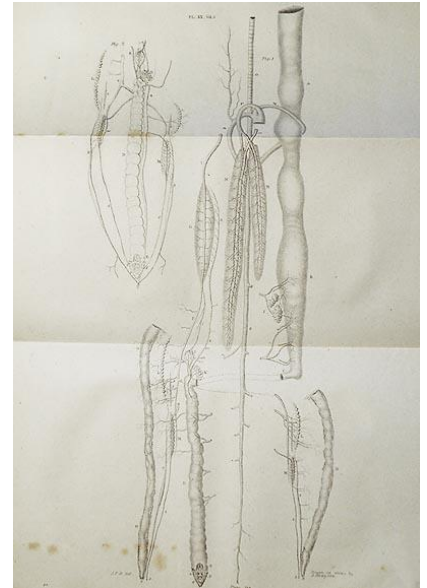
11. Henry, Joseph. **Contributions to Electricity and Magnetism: No. I Description of a Galvanic Battery for producing Electricity of different Intensities by Joseph Henry** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article IX]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [6] p., 1 leaf of an engraved plate; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on Jan. 14, 1835. The plate was drawn by S. Rufus Mason and engraved by J. Yeager. Joseph Henry (1797-1878), one of the founding fathers of electrical technology, was the first Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution. In this paper he describes his construction in 1833 and 1834 of a large galvanic battery for the College of New Jersey (now Princeton University). Very scarce. In Very Good Condition: disbound from a larger volume; last leaf is detached from remainder; shadow from plate onto first page of text; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005011) \$1,200.00



12. Henry, Joseph. **Contributions to Electricity and Magnetism: No. II On the Influence of a Spiral Conductor in increasing the Intensity of Electricity from a Galvanic Arrangement of a Single Pair, &c.** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article X]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 224-231, [1] p.; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on Feb. 6, 1835. Joseph Henry (1797-1878), one of the founding fathers of electrical technology, was the first Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution. In this paper he responds to Faraday's confirmation of Henry's earlier discovery relating to electricity by describing further experiments he had carried out after moving to Princeton. Very scarce. In Very Good Condition: disbound from a larger volume; 1-cm. closed tear from gutter in each leaf; chip out along gutter of first leaf; clean and bright. (#005012) \$650.00



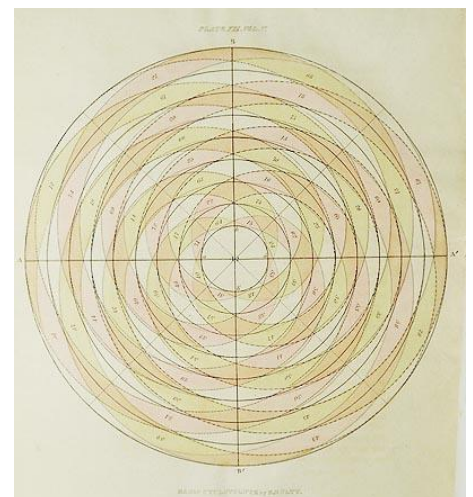
13. Hopkinson, J.P.; Pancoast, Joseph. **On the Visceral Anatomy of the Python (Cuvier), described by Daudin as the Boa Reticulata** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article III]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 122-134 p., 1 folded leaf a lithographed plate drawn on stone by J. Drayton; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on Nov. 2, 1832. J.P. Hopkinson taught anatomy at the University of Pennsylvania. Joseph Pancoast (1805-1882) was a groundbreaking American surgeon; he led the department of anatomy at Jefferson Medical College from 1841 to 1874. In Very Good Condition: disbound from a larger volume, resulting in 2 closed tears from gutter of 2-3 cm. in first 2 leaves; light foxing; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005005) \$75.00



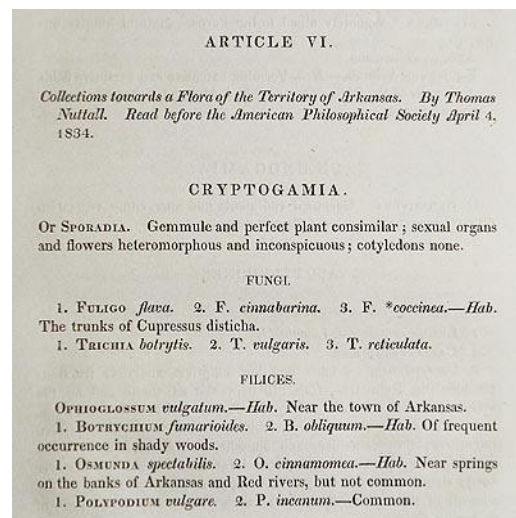
14. Lea, Isaac. **Observations on the Naiades; and Descriptions of New Species of that, and other Families** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article II]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. 23-119, [1] p., 19 leaves of handcolored lithographed plates drawn by J. Drayton; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Final 2 pages of text contain "Systematic Index of the Shells Described in Mr Lea's Memoirs: Volumes III., IV. and V." Isaac Lea (1792-1886) was an American geologist, conchologist, and publisher. This article by Lea was read before the Society on March 16, 1832. Very scarce. In Very Good+ Condition: disbound from a larger volume; pp. 109-119 detached from remainder of text block as a unit; light foxing, primarily in the margins of the text; plates are clean and bright. (#005004) \$1,200.00



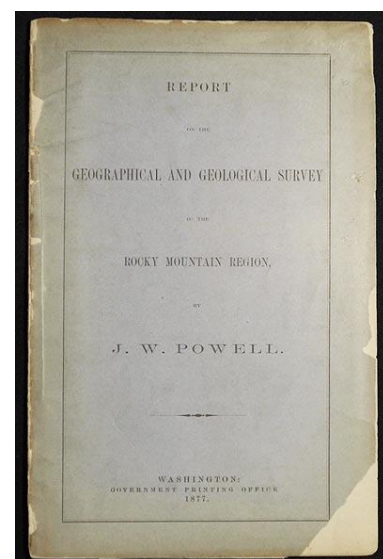
15. Nulty, Eugenius. **A Remarkable Arrangement of Numbers, constituting a Magic Cyclovolute** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article VII]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [4] p., 1 leaf of a handcolored engraved leaf: tables; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on June 27, 1834. Mathematician Eugenius Nulty (1790-1871), a professor of mathematics at Dickinson College from 1814 to 1816, was one of the first actuarial scientists with the Philadelphia Life Insurance Company and provided mathematical assistance to the United States Coast Survey. In this paper he examines what was known as the Magic Circle of Benjamin Franklin. Very scarce. In Very Good+ Condition: disbound from a larger volume; light foxing; minor shadow from plate onto first page of text; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005009) \$250.00



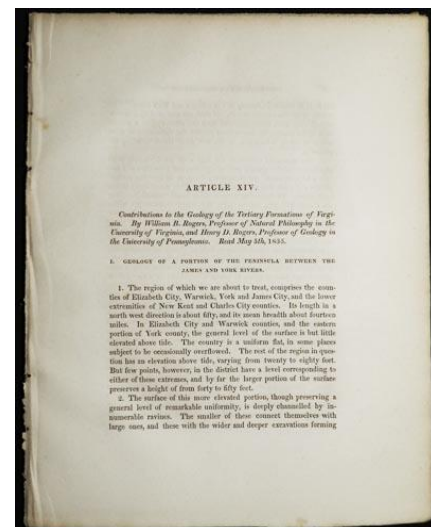
16. Nuttall, Thomas. **Collections towards a Flora of the Territory of Arkansas** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article VI]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 140-203, [1] p.; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on April 4, 1834. Thomas Nuttall (1786-1859) was an English botanist who trained as a printer, but was encouraged to follow his interest in botany after coming to Philadelphia in the early 19th century. He spent much of the rest of his life studying the flora and fauna of the United States, publishing Manual of the Ornithology of the United States and of Canada, heading the botanical gardens at Harvard University, and working at the Academy of Natural Sciences in Philadelphia. This is one of several important papers of that were published in the Transactions of the American Philosophical Society. Scarce. In Very Good+ Condition: disbound from a larger volume; final leaf largely detached from text block; minimal foxing; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005008) \$125.00



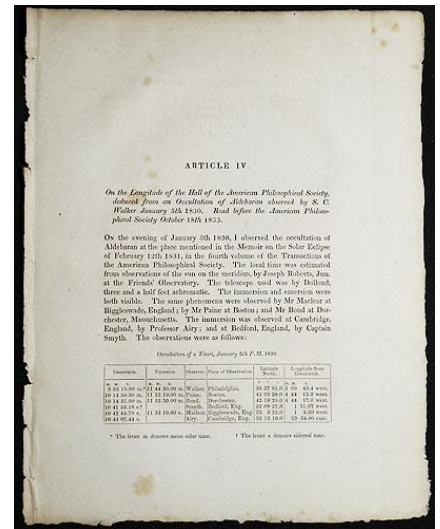
17. Powell, John Wesley. **Report on the Geographical and Geological Survey of the Rocky Mountain Region**. Washington, D.C.: Government Printing Office, 1877. 19, [1] p., 1 folded leaf of a map; 23 cm. Light grey wrappers; front wrapper reproduces title page; back is blank. John Wesley Powell (1834-1902) was an American geologist and explorer of the American west. This report covers surveying of the Rocky Mountain region done under his administration in 1876. In Good- Condition: front wrapper lacking lower corner & with some chipping along edges; back wrapper is soiled with heavy chipping and tears; text is clean and solid; map and back wrapper detached but present; map is partially separated along folds with old repairs on back. (#005031) \$35.00



18. Rogers, William B.; Rogers, Henry D. **Contributions to the Geology of the Tertiary Formations of Virginia** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XIV]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 320-341, [1] p.; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Read before the Society on May 5, 1835. William B. Rogers (1804-1882) was an American geologist and founder of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. His brother Henry D. Rogers (1808-1866) was also an American geologist; he taught geology at the University of Pennsylvania. While William B. Rogers was teaching at William and Mary College he conducted a series of geological surveys of Virginia. This report consists of: I. Geology of a Portion of the Peninsula between the James and York Rivers -- II. Description of Some New Miocene Fossil Shells -- III. Of the Place in the Geological Series to which These Deposits Belong -- IV. Of the Origin of the Deposit Overlying the Miocene Shell Marl -- V. Eocene Formation of Virginia -- VI. New Fossil Shells of the Eocene of Virginia. In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005016) \$35.00

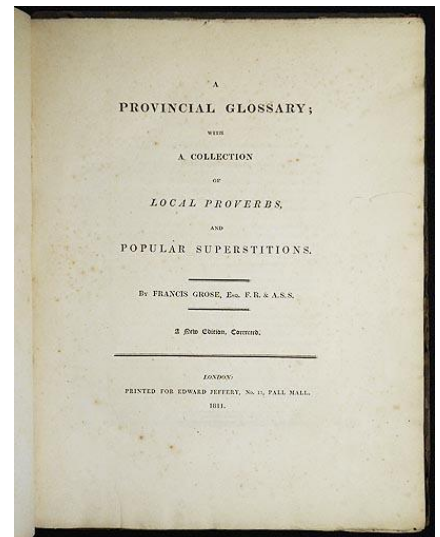


19. Walker, Sears Cook. **On the Longitude of the Hall of the American Philosophical Society, deduced from an Occultation of Aldebaran observed by S.C. Walker January 5th 1830; read before the American Philosophical Society October 18th 1833** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article IV]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [2] p.: tables; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. Sears Cook Walker (1805-1853) was an American astronomer who worked at the United States Naval Observatory and later for the United States Coast Survey; he also investigated the orbit of the planet Neptune. Scarce. In Very Good Condition: disbound from a larger volume with chips along the gutter edge; light foxing in the margins; otherwise, clean and bright. (#005006) \$35.00

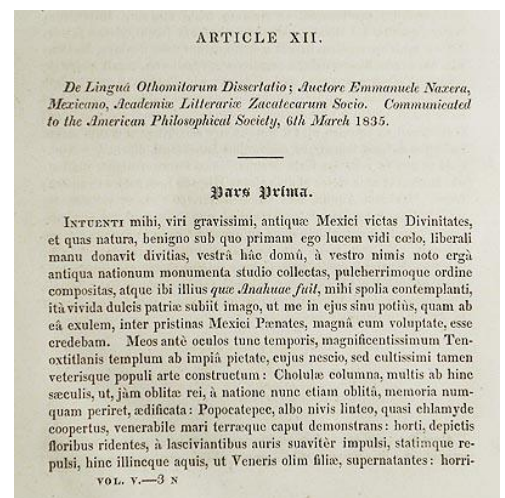


LANGUAGE

20. Grose, Francis. **A Provincial Glossary; with a Collection of Local Proverbs, and Popular Superstitions; by Francis Grose; a New Edition, Corrected.** London: Van Nostrand Reinhold, 1811. 124 p.; 31 cm. Contemporary brown cloth spine with plain brown paper over boards. In Good Condition: front board is detached but present; lacking most of cloth over spine; edges are rubbed; pages are clean and bright. (#004991) \$135.00

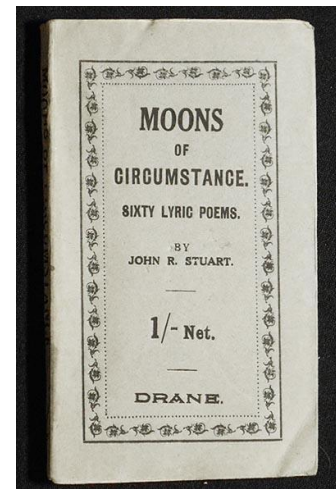


21. Nájera, Manuel de San Juan Crisóstomo. **De Lingua Othomitorum Dissertatio; auctore Emmanuele Naxera, Mexicano, Academiae Litterariae Zacatecarum Socio** [Transactions of the American Philosophical Society, vol. 5 New Series, Article XII]. Philadelphia: Printed by James Kay, Jun. & Brother, 1837. [1], 250-296 p.: tables; 29 cm. Disbound from a larger volume. "Communicated to the American Philosophical Society, 6th March 1835." Includes Errata on p. 296. Father Najera (1803-1853) was a linguist who was in exile in Philadelphia from his native Mexico in the 1830s when he presented his important study of the Otomi language. the study was first published separately in 1835, prior to its appearance in the Transactions of the American Philosophical Society. In Near Fine Condition: disbound from a larger volume; clean and bright. (#005014) \$475.00

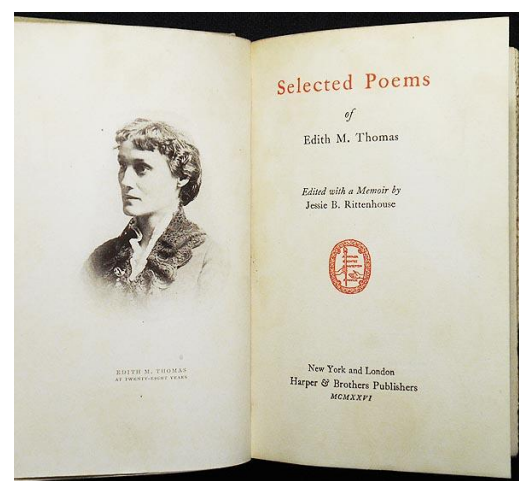


POETRY

22. Stuart, John Rollin. **Moons of Circumstance: Sixty Lyric Poems by John Rollin Stuart.** London: Dranes, 1923. 64 p.; 16 cm. Light grey wrappers with French flaps; printed in black; spine and wrapper titles, the latter within decorative border. Very scarce. In Very Good+ Condition: corners are lightly creased; clean and bright. (#005042) \$18.00



23. Thomas, Edith M. **Selected Poems of Edith M. Thomas; edited with a memoir by Jessie B. Rittenhouse.** New York and London: Harper & Brothers, 1926. xiii, [1], 247 p., frontispiece portrait of the author; 20 cm. Light brown cloth spine with printed paper spine label; light brown paper over boards. Title page in red and black. Without dust jacket. Stated First Edition. The author, Edith Matilda Thomas (1854-1925), was an American poet who was born in the small town of Chatham Center, Ohio, but spent her adult life in New York City, the subject of some of her best known work. This was the first collection of her poetry published after her death. In Very Good-Condition: front cover has several small light stains; cover lightly soiled; pages are clean and bright. (#004996) \$18.50



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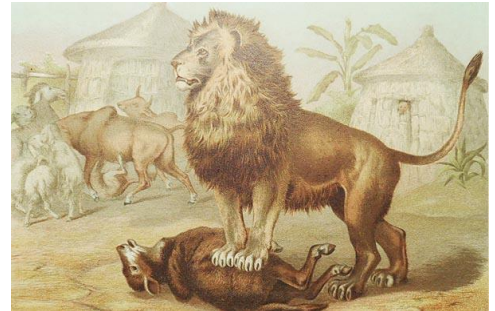
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26. **Lion.** New York: Selmar Hess, Publisher, 1885. 1 chromolithograph 13 x 20 cm. (5 x 8 inches) on a captioned buff sheet 24 x 32 cm. (9.25 x 12.5 inches). In Fine Condition: clean and bright. (#005034) \$35.00



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28. **Wallachian Sheep.** New York: Selmar Hess, Publisher, 1885. 1 chromolithograph 13 x 20 cm. (5 x 8 inches) on a captioned buff sheet 24 x 32 cm. (9.25 x 12.5 inches). In Very Good Condition: mat slightly creased; chromolithograph is clean and bright. (#005039) \$25.00

